

TABLE 3-2. FETAL DEATHS BY AGE, AND RACE/ETHNIC GROUP¹ OF MOTHER, CALIFORNIA, 2009
(By Place of Residence)

AGE OF MOTHER	TOTAL	HISPANIC	NON-HISPANIC							
			2 OR MORE RACES	AMERICAN INDIAN	ASIAN	BLACK	PACIFIC ISLANDER	WHITE	OTHER RACE	UNKNOWN
TOTAL	2,574	1,293	33	8	228	302	15	633	4	58
UNDER 15	4	2	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-
15-19	278	181	3	-	10	41	1	40	-	2
15	17	15	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-
16	20	13	-	-	-	3	-	4	-	-
17	43	28	2	-	1	3	-	9	-	-
18	88	52	-	-	3	16	-	16	-	1
19	110	73	1	-	6	18	1	10	-	1
20-24	555	297	6	2	26	91	4	112	2	15
25-29	604	310	8	1	48	62	3	162	-	10
30-34	570	266	11	3	77	60	3	139	1	10
35-39	369	164	4	2	49	33	1	110	1	5
40-44	141	59	1	-	13	11	1	51	-	5
45 AND OVER	24	9	-	-	4	1	-	9	-	1
UNKNOWN	29	5	-	-	1	2	2	9	-	10

- Represents zero events.

¹ The race and ethnic groups in this table utilize nine mutually exclusive race and ethnicity categories. These categories are Hispanic and the following Non-Hispanic categories of Two or More Races, American Indian (includes Eskimo and Aleut), Asian, Black, Pacific Islander (includes Hawaiian), White, Other Race, and Unknown (includes Refused to State). Beginning in 2007, the fetal death certificate was revised to include "Mother's Multi-Race Groups". Therefore, the race groups listed in this data table are not comparable with race groups used in Vital Statistics of California reports for fetal deaths prior to 2007.

Note: Includes only those fetal deaths of 20 weeks or more gestation.

Source: State of California, Department of Public Health, Fetal Death Records.