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Geographic area:																	
All States						5	6										
Counties																	
Divisions						5	6										
Each registration State																15	
50 largest SMSA's and component counties																	
Marriage-registration area		2				6	7	8	9	10	11			13	14	15	16
Regions						6											
Registration States																	
Reporting States													12				
United States		1	3	4	5	6											
Years:																	
1920-83		1															
1940-83			3														
1957-83			2														
1963-83									8								
1970-83													12		14		
1974-83				4										13			
1979-83					5												
1982-83								7									
1983 only						6				9	10	11				15	16
Type of entry:																	
First and third quartiles										9							
Marriage rates		11	12	3	24	5		7									
Mean age									8		10						
Median age									8	9	10						
Median interval													12				
Number of marriages		11	12		4	5	6										
Percent distribution												11		13	14	15	16
Characteristics:																	
Age at marriage								7		9	10			13			
Day of week marriage performed																	
Educational attainment of bride and groom																	
Interval to remarriage																	
Marriage order:																	
All marriages								7	8					13	14		16
First marriages								7	8		10			13	14	15	16
Remarriages								7	8				12	13	14	15	16
Month marriage was performed				4													16
Nativity status																	
Number of this marriage																	
Previous marital status								7	8	9		11	12				
Race																15	16
Resident status																	
Type of ceremony (civil or religious)																	

¹With percent changes from preceding year.

²With and without seasonal adjustments.

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Geographic area:																		
All States-----																		
Counties-----																		
Divisions-----																		
Each registration State-----		17																
50 largest SMSA's and component counties-----																		
Marriage-registration area-----		17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29		31	32	
Regions-----																		
Registration States-----				19		21	22							29				33
Reporting States-----															30			
United States-----																		
Years:																		
1920-83-----																		
1940-83-----																		
1957-83-----																		
1963-83-----																		
1970-83-----																		
1974-83-----																		
1979-83-----																		
1982-83-----																		
1983 only-----		17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33
Type of entry:																		
First and third quartiles-----																		
Marriage rates-----																		
Mean age-----																		
Median age-----																		
Median interval-----																		
Number of marriages-----					20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33
Percent distribution-----		17	18	19														
Characteristics:																		
Age at marriage-----			18		20			23		25	26	27	28			31		33
Day of week marriage performed-----						22												
Educational attainment of bride and groom-----															30			
Interval to remarriage-----																		
Marriage order:																		
All marriages-----													28			31	32	33
First marriages-----			18	19				24					28			31	32	33
Remarriages-----			18	19									28		30	31	32	33
Month marriage was performed-----																31	32	
Nativity status-----																		
Number of this marriage-----																		
Previous marital status-----										25	26	27	28	29	30			
Race-----					20	21							28	29			32	
Resident status-----		17																
Type of ceremony (civil or religious)-----			18	19														

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Geographic area:																	
All States -----																	49
Counties -----																	49
Divisions -----																	
Each registration State -----																	
50 largest SMSA's and component counties -----																48	
Marriage-registration area -----		34	35	36	37	38	39	40		42	43	44	45	46			
Regions -----																	
Registration States -----		34	35			38	39		41	42			45	46			
Reporting States -----															347		
United States -----																	49
Years:																	
1920-83 -----																	
1940-83 -----																	
1957-83 -----																	
1963-83 -----																	
1970-83 -----																	
1974-83 -----																	
1979-83 -----																	
1982-83 -----																	
1983 only -----		34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49
Type of entry:																	
First and third quartiles -----																	
Marriage rates -----																48	
Mean age -----																	
Median age -----																	
Median interval -----																	
Number of marriages -----		34	35	36	37	38	39	40									
Percent distribution -----																	
Characteristics:																	
Age at marriage -----				36	37						43	44					
Day of week marriage performed -----																	
Educational attainment of bride and groom -----															47		
Interval to remarriage -----																	
Marriage order:																	
All marriages -----				36	37	38	39	40				44	45	46			
First marriages -----				36	37	38	39	40				44	45	46			
Remarriages -----				36	37	38	39	40				44	45	46			
Month marriage was performed -----																	
Nativity status -----							39	40	41								
Number of this marriage -----		34															
Previous marital status -----					38							44		46			
Race -----																	
Resident status -----			35	36	37	38			41	42	43			46			
Type of ceremony (civil or religious) -----										42	43	44	45	46			

³Total of 20 reporting States and each reporting State.

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Geographic area:																			
All States -----				3	4														
Counties -----																			
Divisions -----				3															
Divorce-registration area -----			2			5	6	7	8	9	10			12	13	14	15	16	17
Each registration State -----						6				9	10			12	13		15	16	17
50 largest SMSA's and component counties -----																			
Regions -----				3															
Reporting States -----																			
United States -----		1		3	4								11						
Years:																			
1920-83 -----		1																	
1950-83 -----													11						
1958-83 -----			2																
1972-83 -----								7	8										
1974-83 -----																14			
1979-83 -----				3	4					9									
1982-83 -----						5													
1983 only -----							6				10			12	13		15	16	17
Type of entry:																			
Average number of children per decree -----													11	12					
Divorce rates -----		11	12	3		5													
Divorce rates per 1,000 children under 18 years -----													11	12					
Mean age -----						6	7	8											
Mean duration of marriage -----									9										
Median age -----						6	7	8											
Median duration of marriage -----									9										
Number of children under 18 involved -----													11	12					
Number of divorces and annulments -----		11	12	3	4								11	12		14	15	16	17
Percent distribution -----				4				7	8		10				13	14			
Characteristics:																			
Age at time of decree -----					5	6	7										16		18
Age at time of marriage -----						6		8										17	
Duration:																			
Marriage to decree -----									9	10									
Marriage to separation -----																			
Separation to decree -----																			
Educational attainment of husband and wife -----																			
Month marriage was performed -----																15			
Number of children under 18 involved -----														13					
Number of this marriage -----																			
Petitioner -----																14			
Place where marriage was performed -----																			
Race -----																			18

¹With percent changes from preceding year.

[Data are for divorces and annulments occurring in the United States. Data for geographic areas are by place of occurrence]

		TABLE: 2		-19	-20	-21	-22	-23	-24	-25	-26	-27	-28	-29	-30	-31	-32	-33	-34	-35	-36
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Geographic area:																					
All States -----																					36
Counties-----																					36
Divisions -----																					
Divorce-registration area -----				19	20	21	22			25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33			
Each registration State -----				19	20		22			26		28					32	33			
50 largest SMSA's and component counties -----																				35	
Regions -----																					
Reporting States -----								23	24										34		
United States -----																					36
Years:																					
1920-83 -----																					
1950-83 -----																					
1958-83 -----																					
1972-83 -----																					
1974-83 -----																					
1979-83 -----																					
1982-83 -----																					
1983 only-----				19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36
Type of entry:																					
Average number of children per decree -----																					
Divorce rates-----																					35
Divorce rates per 1,000 children under 18 years -----																					
Mean age -----																					
Mean duration of marriage-----																					
Median age-----																					
Median duration of marriage -----																					
Number of children under 18 involved -----																					
Number of divorces and annulments -----				19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36
Percent distribution -----																					
Characteristics:																					
Age at time of decree -----										25						31					
Age at time of marriage -----						21															
Duration:																					
Marriage to decree -----						21	22				26			29							
Marriage to separation -----								23													
Separation to decree -----									24												
Educational attainment of husband and wife -----																			34		
Month marriage was performed -----																					
Number of children under 18 involved -----					20					25	26	27									
Number of this marriage -----														29	30	31	32				
Petitioner -----												27	28								
Place where marriage was performed -----																			33		
Race -----				19	20																

[Data by area of occurrence]

		TABLE: 3		-1	-2	-3	-4	-5	-6	-7	-8	-9	-10	-11	-12
		PAGE: 3		-3	-4	-4	-4	-5	-5	-6	-6	-6	-7	-7	-7
Geographic area:															
County equivalents			2												
Puerto Rico		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
Virgin Islands		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12		
Years:															
1940-83		1													
1983 only			2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12		
Type of event:															
Divorces and annulments		1	2								10	11	12		
Marriages		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
Type of entry:															
Number		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12		
Rates per 1,000 population		1													
Characteristics of marriages:															
Age								7							
Day of week					4										
First marriage of both								7							
Marriage order							6								
Month of marriage				3											
Number of this marriage										9					
Previous marital status									8						
Resident status						5									
Characteristics of divorces											10			12	
Characteristics of divorcing spouses												11			

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Geographic area:																
Divisions -----														13		
Divorce-registration area -----							6		8		10		12			15
Each registration area -----				3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10					
Each State, Puerto Rico, and Virgin Islands -----			2											13		
Marriage-registration area -----						5		7		9			12		14	
Regions -----														13		
United States -----		1										11		13		
Years:																
1867-1983 -----		1														
1920-83 -----												11				
1957-83 -----													12			
1983 only -----			2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10			13	14	15
Type of entry:																
Characteristics coded -----				3	4											
Collection of data -----			2													
Data completeness -----										9	10					
Number of States in marriage- and divorce-registration areas -----													12			
Population -----												11	12	13	14	15
Sampling errors -----								7	8							
Sampling rates and sample size -----						5	6									
Sources of data -----		1														

¹Unmarried population by age and sex.

²Married population by age and sex.

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Sampling Variability of the Marriage Statistics

In the tables which present statistics based on data from probability samples of marriage records, small frequencies have high sampling variability, which limits their usefulness. The sampling errors are shown in table 4-7 in the Technical Appendix. It is suggested that any number smaller than those shown below be interpreted simply as "small" rather than any more precise value. The true number would very probably be within 60 percent of the figure shown below. Figures for States shown as "zero" indicate that all records were tabulated and thus data are not subject to sampling variability.

Marriage-registration area.....	100	Michigan	225
		Minnesota	100
		Mississippi	100
Alabama	100	Missouri	0
Alaska	0	Montana	0
California	225	Nebraska	0
Colorado	100	New Hampshire	0
Connecticut	50	New Jersey	225
Delaware	0	New York	0
District of Columbia	0	North Carolina	100
Florida	0	Ohio	225
Georgia	225	Oregon	50
Hawaii	15	Pennsylvania	225
Idaho	50	Rhode Island	0
Illinois	0	South Carolina	0
Indiana	225	South Dakota	15
Iowa	100	Tennessee	225
Kansas	50	Utah	50
Kentucky	100	Vermont	0
Louisiana	100	Virginia	0
Maine	0	West Virginia	50
Maryland	100	Wisconsin	100
Massachusetts	100	Wyoming	15

SECTION 1 — MARRIAGES

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Table 1-1. Marriages and Marriage Rates With Percent Changes From Preceding Year: United States, 1920-83

[Beginning in 1978 data include nonlicensed marriages registered in California; see Technical Appendix]

Year	Number	Percent change	Rate per 1,000 total population	Percent change	Rate per 1,000 men 15 years of age and over	Percent change	Rate per 1,000 women 15 years of age and over	Percent change
1983	2,445,604	-0.4	10.5	-0.9	28.0	-1.4	25.7	-1.5
1982	2,456,278	+1.4	10.6	-	28.4	-	26.1	-
1981	2,422,145	+1.3	10.6	-	28.4	-0.4	26.1	-
1980	2,390,252	+2.5	10.6	+1.9	28.5	+1.4	26.1	+1.2
1979	2,331,337	+2.1	10.4	+1.0	28.1	+0.4	25.8	+0.4
1978	2,282,272	+4.8	10.3	+4.0	28.0	+2.9	25.7	+2.8
1977	2,178,367	+1.1	9.9	-	27.2	-0.7	25.0	-0.8
1976	2,154,807	+0.1	9.9	-1.0	27.4	-1.8	25.2	-1.6
1975	2,152,662	-3.5	10.0	-4.8	27.9	-5.1	25.6	-5.5
1974	2,229,667	-2.4	10.5	-2.8	29.4	-4.2	27.1	-3.9
1973	2,284,108	+0.1	10.8	-0.9	30.7	-1.9	28.2	-2.1
1972	2,282,154	+4.2	10.9	+2.8	31.3	+2.0	28.8	+2.1
1971	2,190,481	+1.5	10.6	-	30.7	-1.3	28.2	-0.7
1970	2,158,802	+0.6	10.6	-	31.1	-1.0	28.4	-1.7
1969	2,145,000	+3.7	10.6	+1.9	31.4	+1.9	28.9	+2.1
1968	2,069,000	+7.4	10.4	+7.2	30.8	+5.8	28.3	+5.2
1967	1,927,000	+3.8	9.7	+2.1	29.1	+2.5	26.9	+1.9
1966	1,857,000	+3.2	9.5	+2.2	28.4	+1.8	26.4	+1.5
1965	1,800,000	+4.3	9.3	+3.3	27.9	+3.0	26.0	+2.8
1964	1,725,000	+4.3	9.0	+2.3	27.1	+2.7	25.3	+2.4
1963	1,654,000	+4.9	8.8	+3.5	26.4	+3.5	24.7	+3.3
1962	1,577,000	+1.9	8.5	-	25.5	-	23.9	-0.4
1961	1,548,000	+1.6	8.5	-	25.5	+0.4	24.0	-
1960	1,523,000	+1.9	8.5	-	25.4	+0.8	24.0	+0.8
1959	1,494,000	+3.0	8.5	+1.2	25.2	+1.8	23.8	+1.3
1958	1,451,000	-4.4	8.4	-5.6	24.8	-6.1	23.5	-5.6
1957	1,518,000	-4.2	8.9	-6.3	26.4	-5.0	24.9	-5.7
1956	1,585,000	+3.5	9.5	+2.2	27.8	+2.2	26.4	+2.3
1955	1,531,000	+2.8	9.3	+1.1	27.2	+1.1	25.8	+1.6
1954	1,490,000	-3.6	9.2	-6.1	26.9	-4.8	25.4	-4.9
1953	1,546,000	+0.4	9.8	-1.0	28.2	-0.4	26.7	-0.4
1952	1,539,318	-3.5	9.9	-4.8	28.3	-3.7	26.8	-4.6
1951	1,594,694	-4.4	10.4	-6.3	29.4	-4.2	28.1	-5.7
1950	1,667,231	+5.5	11.1	+4.7	30.7	+4.4	29.8	+4.6
1949	1,579,798	-12.8	10.6	-14.5	29.4	-13.5	28.5	-13.6
1948	1,811,155	-9.1	12.4	-10.8	34.0	-10.3	33.0	-10.3
1947	1,991,878	-13.1	13.9	-15.2	37.9	-14.8	36.8	-14.0
1946	2,291,045	+42.0	15.4	+34.4	44.5	+24.3	42.8	+40.3
1945	1,612,992	+11.1	12.2	+11.9	35.8	+14.7	30.5	+9.7
1944	1,452,394	-7.9	10.9	-6.8	31.2	-3.1	27.8	-9.2
1943	1,577,050	-11.0	11.7	-11.4	32.2	-9.6	30.6	-12.1
1942	1,772,132	+4.5	13.2	+3.9	35.6	+4.7	34.3	+3.3
1941	1,695,999	+6.3	12.7	+5.0	34.0	+5.3	33.7	+4.3
1940	1,595,879	+13.7	12.1	+13.1	32.3	+12.5	32.3	+12.2
1939	1,403,633	+5.5	10.7	+3.9	28.7	+4.4	28.8	+4.0
1938	1,330,780	-8.3	10.9	-8.8	27.5	-9.2	27.7	-9.5
1937	1,451,296	+6.0	11.3	+5.6	30.3	+4.8	30.6	+4.4
1936	1,369,000	+3.2	10.7	+2.9	28.9	+1.8	29.3	+1.7
1935	1,327,000	+1.9	10.4	+1.0	28.4	+0.7	28.8	+0.7
1934	1,302,000	+18.6	10.3	+18.4	28.2	+17.5	28.6	+16.7
1933	1,098,000	+11.8	8.7	+10.1	24.0	+10.1	24.5	+10.4
1932	981,903	-7.4	7.9	-8.1	21.8	-8.4	22.2	-8.6
1931	1,060,914	-5.9	8.6	-6.5	23.8	-7.0	24.3	-7.3
1930	1,126,856	-8.6	9.2	-8.9	25.6	-9.9	26.2	-10.3
1929	1,232,559	+4.2	10.1	+3.1	28.4	+2.5	29.2	+2.5
1928	1,182,497	-1.5	9.8	-3.0	27.7	-3.1	28.5	-3.4
1927	1,201,053	-0.1	10.1	-1.0	28.6	-1.7	29.5	-2.0
1926	1,202,574	+1.2	10.2	-1.0	29.1	-0.3	30.1	-0.7
1925	1,188,334	+0.3	10.3	-1.0	29.2	-1.4	30.3	-1.8
1924	1,184,574	-3.7	10.4	-5.5	29.6	-6.0	30.8	-5.8
1923	1,229,784	+8.4	11.0	+6.8	31.5	+6.4	32.7	+6.5
1922	1,134,151	-2.6	10.3	-3.7	29.6	-3.6	30.7	-4.4
1921	1,163,883	-8.7	10.7	-10.8	30.7	-10.2	32.1	-10.8
1920	1,274,476	...	12.0	...	34.2	...	36.0	...

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Table 1-2. Marriages and Marriage Rates With Percent Changes From Preceding Year: Marriage-Registration Area, 1957-83

[Figures for the marriage-registration area differ from those shown in tables based on sample data. Beginning in 1978 data include nonlicensed marriages registered in California; see Technical Appendix. For a description of the marriage-registration area see Technical Appendix. Rates per 1,000 population residing in area]

Year	Number	Percent change	Rate	Percent change	Year	Number	Percent change	Rate	Percent change
1983	1,963,387	-0.4	9.7	-1.0	1969	1,660,884	+3.2	9.7	+2.1
1982	1,972,248	+1.4	9.8	-	1968	1,609,009	+11.1	9.5	+6.7
1981	1,944,763	+1.3	9.8	+1.0	1967	1,448,384	+3.5	8.9	+2.3
1980	1,920,449	+1.8	9.7	+1.0	1966	1,398,754	+2.7	8.7	+2.4
1979	1,885,739	+4.5	9.6	+2.1	1965	1,362,466	+11.5	8.5	+2.4
1978	1,804,723	+4.6	9.4	+3.3	1964	1,221,513	+18.0	8.3	+3.8
1977	1,726,018	+1.0	9.1	-	1963	1,035,596	+5.2	8.0	+3.9
1976	1,708,796	-0.4	9.1	-1.1	1962	984,787	+1.7	7.7	-
1975	1,715,789	-4.3	9.2	-5.2	1961	967,996	+10.9	7.7	-
1974	1,792,078	-3.0	9.7	-3.0	1960	873,224	+3.7	7.7	+1.3
1973	1,846,710	-0.1	10.0	-1.0	1959	841,709	+4.9	7.6	-
1972	1,848,744	+3.7	10.1	+2.0	1958	802,165	-3.3	7.6	-5.0
1971	1,782,092	+6.9	9.9	+2.1	1957	829,454	...	8.0	...
1970	1,667,657	+0.4	8.7	-					

Table 1-3. Marriage Rates per 1,000 Unmarried Women 15 Years of Age and Over and 15-44 Years of Age: United States, 1940-83

[Beginning in 1978 data include nonlicensed marriages registered in California; see Technical Appendix]

Year	Rates per 1,000—		Year	Rates per 1,000—	
	Unmarried women 15 years and over	Unmarried women 15-44 years		Unmarried women 15 years and over	Unmarried women 15-44 years
1983	59.9	99.3	1961	72.2	145.4
1982	61.4	101.9	1960	73.5	148.0
1981	61.7	103.1	1959	73.6	149.8
1980	61.4	102.6	1958	72.0	146.3
1979	63.6	107.9	1957	78.0	157.4
1978	64.1	109.1	1956	82.4	165.6
1977	63.6	109.8	1955	80.9	161.1
1976	65.2	113.4	1954	79.8	154.3
1975	66.9	118.5	1953	83.7	163.3
1974	72.0	128.4	1952	83.2	169.9
1973	76.0	137.3	1951	86.6	164.8
1972	77.9	141.3	1950	90.2	166.4
1971	76.2	138.9	1949	86.7	158.0
1970	76.5	140.2	1948	98.5	174.7
1969	80.0	149.1	1947	106.2	182.7
1968	79.1	147.2	1946	118.1	199.0
1967	76.4	145.2	1945	83.6	138.2
1966	75.6	145.1	1944	76.5	124.5
1965	75.0	144.3	1943	83.0	133.5
1964	74.6	146.2	1942	93.0	147.6
1963	73.4	143.3	1941	88.5	138.4
1962	71.2	138.4	1940	82.8	122.4

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Table 1-4. Marriages by Month and Marriage Rates by Month, With and Without Seasonal Adjustments: United States, 1974-83

[Rates on an annual basis per 1,000 estimated female population 15-44 years of age for specified month. The marriage rates adjusted for seasonal variation are the figures that would have occurred if the characteristic seasonal pattern of marriages had been eliminated. Beginning in 1978 data include nonlicensed marriages registered in California; see Technical Appendix]

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
NUMBER OF MARRIAGES												
1983	129,922	139,964	160,597	197,729	224,825	278,566	246,131	249,673	232,159	213,827	176,756	195,455
1982	136,175	145,044	160,941	184,918	247,358	279,177	253,286	244,535	224,341	220,611	175,369	184,523
1981	132,550	158,168	154,448	179,699	242,937	279,479	222,298	263,613	219,928	208,952	176,401	183,572
1980	125,964	148,611	166,231	177,340	236,776	276,006	215,203	277,460	203,020	197,125	188,888	177,628
1979	120,149	131,097	163,334	175,970	204,518	286,728	215,365	251,261	222,288	191,026	181,613	187,988
1978	114,206	128,353	150,824	177,705	202,384	261,584	231,494	239,937	222,599	184,838	174,381	194,167
1977	120,555	130,509	139,599	176,308	186,788	245,327	227,898	225,579	195,388	183,021	165,203	182,192
1976	121,950	138,777	136,198	158,139	199,627	243,097	216,705	225,699	184,926	186,006	161,894	179,789
1975	121,125	132,607	147,712	155,819	203,073	254,632	193,899	251,839	174,942	173,209	165,628	178,277
1974	122,521	136,558	152,143	163,810	193,665	276,561	200,267	262,236	190,313	171,080	178,351	182,162
MARRIAGE RATES												
Unadjusted for Seasonal Variation												
1983	27.9	33.2	34.4	43.7	48.0	61.4	52.5	53.2	51.0	45.4	38.8	41.4
1982	29.5	34.8	34.8	41.3	53.4	62.2	54.6	52.6	49.9	47.4	39.3	39.6
1981	29.2	38.5	33.9	40.7	53.2	63.2	48.6	57.5	49.5	45.5	39.6	39.9
1980	28.3	35.6	37.2	41.0	52.9	63.6	47.9	61.7	46.6	43.7	43.2	39.3
1979	27.5	33.1	37.2	41.4	46.5	67.2	48.7	56.8	51.8	43.0	42.2	42.2
1978	26.7	33.2	35.1	42.7	47.0	62.6	53.5	55.4	53.0	42.5	41.4	44.5
1977	28.8	34.5	33.2	43.3	44.3	60.0	53.9	53.2	47.5	43.0	40.1	42.7
1976	29.9	36.3	33.3	39.8	48.6	61.0	53.0	54.6	46.1	44.8	40.2	43.2
1975	30.3	36.6	36.8	40.0	50.4	65.2	48.0	62.2	44.5	42.6	42.0	43.7
1974	31.3	38.5	38.7	43.0	49.1	72.3	50.6	66.1	49.5	43.0	46.2	45.6
Adjusted for Seasonal Variation												
1983	43.6	43.8	45.2	42.9	45.7	44.1	43.4	45.5	44.8	44.2	44.4	41.7
1982	42.2	46.0	47.0	44.4	46.1	45.1	44.9	44.8	46.6	44.5	45.1	44.0
1981	41.2	51.6	45.7	45.3	44.7	46.0	44.2	43.1	48.5	42.1	44.4	45.6
1980	46.3	45.3	44.8	46.9	44.7	46.7	45.0	44.0	45.2	45.2	42.8	45.3
1979	43.3	43.0	47.5	44.1	44.4	47.8	41.5	45.7	45.9	44.2	45.5	43.3
1978	40.9	42.0	45.3	48.0	44.2	44.8	44.5	44.7	49.8	43.5	44.7	45.2
1977	43.6	43.0	42.8	48.7	41.8	42.5	46.8	40.5	45.6	44.2	42.9	43.5
1976	45.7	45.3	42.1	45.0	45.7	41.5	49.5	40.0	44.4	48.3	42.6	43.7
1975	45.9	46.2	45.6	45.2	50.3	43.7	44.2	46.3	42.1	46.3	44.2	43.4
1974	45.3	48.7	48.6	48.0	49.2	48.2	45.9	51.8	46.0	47.2	49.2	44.8

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Table 1-5. Marriages and Marriage Rates: United States, Each Region, Division, and State, 1979-83

[Data are counts of marriages performed supplied by States except as noted. Figures differ from those shown in tables based on sample data. Rates are marriages per 1,000 population residing in area]

Region, division, and State	Number					Rate				
	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979
United States -----	2,445,604	2,456,278	2,422,145	2,390,252	2,331,337	10.5	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.4
Regions:										
Northeast -----	429,023	421,944	407,485	400,313	394,912	8.7	8.6	8.3	8.1	8.0
Midwest ¹ -----	547,255	564,613	565,246	569,237	568,363	9.3	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.7
South -----	919,240	916,857	906,110	880,185	855,559	11.5	11.7	11.8	11.7	11.5
West -----	550,086	552,864	543,304	540,517	512,503	12.0	12.2	12.3	12.5	12.1
Northeast:										
New England -----	112,732	111,925	108,603	106,328	104,068	9.0	9.0	8.7	8.6	8.4
Middle Atlantic -----	316,291	310,019	298,682	293,985	290,844	8.5	8.4	8.1	8.0	7.9
Midwest: ¹										
East North Central -----	² 377,400	² 390,631	390,965	395,517	396,831	² 9.1	² 9.4	9.4	9.5	9.5
West North Central -----	169,855	173,982	173,720	173,720	171,532	9.8	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.0
South:										
South Atlantic -----	434,638	429,808	421,595	413,113	401,888	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.0
East South Central -----	² 168,279	² 167,120	² 168,992	² 168,828	169,207	² 11.3	² 11.2	² 11.5	² 11.5	11.6
West South Central -----	316,323	315,623	315,623	298,244	284,464	12.2	12.7	12.9	12.6	12.2
West:										
Mountain -----	239,066	240,493	235,122	241,704	226,988	19.4	19.9	20.1	21.3	20.4
Pacific -----	311,020	312,371	308,182	298,813	285,515	9.2	9.4	9.5	9.4	9.2
New England:										
Maine -----	12,480	12,388	12,279	12,040	11,918	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.7	10.6
New Hampshire -----	10,971	10,584	9,987	9,251	9,074	11.5	11.2	10.7	10.0	9.9
Vermont -----	5,595	5,568	5,229	5,226	5,175	10.7	10.7	10.2	10.2	10.2
Massachusetts -----	48,789	48,654	47,802	48,273	45,104	8.5	8.5	8.3	8.1	7.8
Rhode Island -----	8,053	7,885	7,559	7,490	7,366	8.4	8.3	7.9	7.9	7.7
Connecticut -----	26,844	26,846	25,747	26,048	25,431	8.6	8.6	8.2	8.4	8.2
Middle Atlantic:										
New York -----	162,398	156,720	148,228	144,518	142,427	9.2	8.9	8.4	8.2	8.1
New Jersey -----	61,798	59,949	58,010	55,794	54,740	8.3	8.1	7.6	7.6	7.4
Pennsylvania -----	92,095	93,350	92,644	93,673	93,677	7.7	7.9	7.8	7.9	7.9
East North Central:										
Ohio -----	299,956	² 102,905	99,959	99,832	99,752	² 9.3	² 9.6	9.3	9.2	9.2
Indiana -----	53,982	55,924	55,566	57,853	59,587	9.9	10.2	10.1	10.5	10.9
Illinois -----	103,800	107,023	109,074	109,823	108,482	9.0	9.3	9.5	9.6	9.5
Michigan -----	78,910	82,633	85,252	86,898	89,450	8.7	9.1	9.3	9.4	9.7
Wisconsin -----	40,752	42,146	41,114	41,111	39,560	8.6	8.9	8.7	8.7	8.5
West North Central:										
Minnesota -----	36,259	37,409	37,638	37,841	³ 36,808	8.7	9.1	9.2	9.2	³ 9.1
Iowa -----	26,769	27,188	27,153	27,474	27,925	9.2	9.4	9.3	9.4	9.6
Missouri -----	53,258	53,836	54,124	54,625	52,952	10.7	10.9	11.0	11.1	10.8
North Dakota -----	5,976	6,176	6,204	6,094	6,021	8.8	9.2	9.4	9.3	9.2
South Dakota -----	8,013	8,353	8,662	8,800	8,978	11.5	12.0	12.6	12.7	13.0
Nebraska -----	13,703	14,350	14,363	14,239	14,074	8.6	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.0
Kansas -----	25,877	26,670	26,137	24,847	24,774	10.7	11.1	11.0	10.5	10.6
South Atlantic:										
Delaware -----	5,569	4,827	4,545	4,437	4,362	9.2	8.0	7.6	7.5	7.3
Maryland -----	47,619	47,867	47,128	46,278	45,874	11.1	11.2	11.1	11.0	10.9
District of Columbia -----	5,436	5,571	5,318	5,182	4,874	8.7	8.9	8.4	8.1	7.4
Virginia -----	61,858	62,099	61,410	60,210	58,678	11.1	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.0
West Virginia -----	15,930	16,467	16,721	17,391	17,738	8.1	8.4	8.6	8.9	9.1
North Carolina -----	52,128	51,058	48,109	46,718	45,064	8.6	8.5	8.1	7.9	7.8
South Carolina -----	53,691	53,496	54,420	53,915	53,505	16.5	16.6	17.2	17.3	17.3
Georgia -----	73,442	72,603	70,950	70,638	68,548	12.8	12.9	12.7	12.9	12.7
Florida -----	118,985	115,820	112,994	108,344	103,245	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	10.9
East South Central:										
Kentucky -----	² 37,422	² 34,238	² 32,217	² 32,727	34,031	² 10.1	² 9.3	² 8.8	² 8.9	9.3
Tennessee -----	56,467	57,867	60,063	59,175	59,173	12.1	12.4	13.0	12.9	13.1
Alabama -----	47,469	47,431	48,710	49,018	48,743	12.0	12.0	12.4	12.6	12.6
Mississippi -----	26,921	27,584	28,002	27,908	27,260	10.4	10.7	11.0	11.1	10.9
West South Central:										
Arkansas -----	30,066	28,041	27,673	26,513	25,908	12.9	12.2	12.1	11.6	11.4
Louisiana -----	43,177	45,581	44,929	43,460	41,347	9.7	10.4	10.5	10.3	10.0
Oklahoma -----	44,043	47,680	48,159	46,509	44,452	13.3	14.8	15.5	15.4	15.0
Texas -----	199,037	198,647	194,762	181,762	⁴ 172,757	12.6	13.0	13.2	12.8	12.4
Mountain:										
Montana -----	8,092	8,185	8,209	8,336	8,196	9.9	10.2	10.3	10.6	10.4
Idaho -----	13,421	14,065	14,173	13,428	13,429	13.6	14.4	14.8	14.2	14.4
Wyoming -----	6,201	6,799	7,057	6,668	6,459	12.0	13.4	14.4	14.6	14.3
Colorado -----	36,114	37,739	37,210	34,917	32,831	11.5	12.3	12.5	12.1	11.5
New Mexico -----	417,872	517,614	517,218	16,641	516,309	412.8	512.9	512.9	12.8	⁵ 12.7
Arizona -----	30,803	31,408	31,306	30,223	29,603	10.4	10.9	11.4	11.1	11.2
Utah -----	18,437	18,427	17,914	16,958	16,699	11.4	11.7	11.8	11.6	11.8
Nevada -----	108,120	106,256	101,435	114,333	103,462	120.5	121.3	119.9	142.8	135.2
Pacific:										
Washington -----	46,294	48,228	50,025	47,728	47,086	10.8	11.3	11.9	11.6	11.7
Oregon -----	23,346	24,186	22,904	23,004	22,063	8.8	9.1	8.6	8.7	8.6
California -----	220,760	220,064	217,304	210,664	199,698	8.8	8.9	9.0	8.9	8.6
Alaska -----	6,558	6,410	5,731	5,361	4,990	13.6	14.4	13.8	13.3	12.4
Hawaii -----	14,062	13,483	12,218	11,856	11,678	13.8	13.5	12.5	12.3	12.3

¹ Formerly the North Central Region.

² Data are incomplete.

³ Data are estimated.

⁴ Data are premarital health examination forms issued; see Technical Appendix.

⁵ Data include marriage licenses issued for some counties.

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Table 1-6. Marriages by Month: United States, Marriage-Registration Area, Each Region, Division, and State, 1983

[Data are counts of marriages performed supplied by States except as noted. Figures differ from those shown in tables based on sample data. "NR" denotes nonregistration States]

Area	Total	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
United States	2,445,604	129,922	139,964	180,597	197,729	224,825	278,566	246,131	249,673	232,159	213,827	178,758	195,455
Marriage-registration area	1,963,387	99,472	107,289	123,693	158,010	182,314	228,681	199,959	205,052	189,810	175,693	140,367	153,047
Regions:													
Northeast	429,023	18,801	19,042	22,647	33,835	44,651	50,732	44,147	46,883	47,061	46,587	29,392	25,445
Midwest ¹	547,255	24,597	25,816	31,831	41,929	52,240	67,490	58,767	60,186	54,819	51,236	37,355	40,989
South	919,240	55,382	59,620	66,344	78,112	81,532	99,109	91,182	94,403	79,587	73,750	67,741	82,478
West	550,086	31,142	35,486	39,775	44,053	46,402	61,235	52,035	58,201	50,692	42,254	42,268	46,543
Northeast:													
New England	112,732	4,514	4,623	4,895	8,490	12,082	13,935	12,290	12,457	12,941	13,095	6,984	6,425
Middle Atlantic	14,287	14,287	14,419	17,752	25,145	32,569	36,797	31,857	34,426	34,120	33,492	22,408	19,019
Midwest:													
East North Central ²	377,400	16,615	17,575	22,358	28,539	35,658	45,422	40,594	41,842	37,984	36,192	26,049	28,572
West North Central	169,855	7,982	8,241	9,473	13,390	16,582	22,068	18,173	18,344	16,835	15,044	11,306	12,417
South:													
South Atlantic	434,638	25,464	27,491	29,456	38,092	39,031	47,285	43,218	40,360	37,874	35,698	31,433	39,236
East South Central ²	168,279	8,972	10,806	12,076	14,130	14,831	18,382	17,639	15,498	14,336	13,201	12,297	15,111
West South Central	316,323	19,946	21,323	24,812	25,890	27,670	33,442	30,325	28,545	27,377	24,851	24,011	28,131
West:													
Mountain	239,086	14,755	16,182	17,957	19,279	20,615	25,776	22,598	23,060	21,190	19,235	17,912	20,507
Pacific	311,020	16,387	19,304	21,818	24,774	25,787	35,459	29,437	35,141	29,502	23,019	24,356	26,036
New England:													
Maine	12,480	490	544	530	853	1,159	1,527	1,694	1,618	1,263	1,220	743	839
New Hampshire	10,971	528	498	516	788	1,077	1,272	1,281	1,278	1,203	1,119	656	775
Vermont	5,595	231	225	210	330	583	701	842	704	586	569	269	345
Massachusetts	48,789	1,892	1,954	2,132	3,848	5,413	6,084	4,872	5,284	5,766	5,957	3,081	2,506
Rhode Island	8,053	325	328	351	659	885	961	865	864	963	957	483	412
Connecticut	26,844	1,048	1,074	1,156	2,032	2,985	3,390	2,736	2,709	3,160	3,273	1,752	1,549
Middle Atlantic:													
New York	162,398	7,864	7,889	9,789	12,472	16,267	18,434	17,223	18,801	16,972	15,416	11,363	10,108
New Jersey	61,798	2,668	2,850	3,343	4,964	6,510	7,145	5,364	6,179	6,980	7,716	4,638	3,661
Pennsylvania	92,095	3,755	4,080	4,820	7,709	8,792	11,218	9,270	9,446	10,188	10,360	6,407	5,250
East North Central:													
Ohio ²	99,956	4,690	5,235	5,943	8,053	9,311	11,687	10,677	10,269	9,808	9,824	6,856	7,803
Indiana	53,982	2,710	2,819	3,246	4,407	4,961	6,490	5,757	5,476	4,855	5,006	3,608	4,447
Illinois	103,800	4,330	4,123	7,276	7,083	9,714	12,462	10,440	11,524	10,745	9,143	8,161	8,799
Michigan	78,910	3,309	3,754	4,076	5,844	7,683	9,485	9,035	9,720	8,020	7,893	4,814	5,277
Wisconsin	40,752	1,576	1,644	1,817	3,152	3,989	5,298	4,685	4,653	4,556	4,526	2,410	2,246
West North Central:													
Minnesota	36,259	1,241	1,494	1,623	2,791	3,382	4,993	4,053	4,389	4,323	3,643	2,146	2,181
Iowa	26,769	1,063	1,128	1,455	1,934	2,712	3,608	2,957	3,144	2,803	2,302	1,823	1,840
Missouri	53,258	2,947	2,885	3,336	4,378	5,275	6,501	5,283	5,057	4,862	4,717	3,702	4,315
North Dakota (NR)	5,976	220	246	234	427	490	960	836	704	555	450	391	453
South Dakota	8,013	396	380	425	580	798	1,085	887	954	794	610	506	596
Nebraska	13,703	647	668	757	1,139	1,361	1,786	1,464	1,534	1,307	1,221	897	922
Kansas	25,877	1,468	1,440	1,643	2,141	2,564	3,135	2,693	2,562	2,191	2,091	1,839	2,110
South Atlantic:													
Delaware	5,569	242	296	343	383	606	698	488	562	576	558	394	423
Maryland	47,619	2,563	2,525	3,027	3,797	4,827	5,520	4,588	4,564	4,548	4,504	3,421	3,757
District of Columbia	5,436	323	253	311	377	508	817	503	585	570	475	381	353
Virginia	61,858	3,350	3,489	3,763	5,408	5,888	7,006	6,380	5,993	5,787	5,403	4,431	5,162
West Virginia	15,930	828	899	946	1,244	1,375	1,960	1,700	1,655	1,348	1,296	1,195	1,483
North Carolina	52,128	2,708	2,845	2,984	4,651	4,966	6,170	5,447	5,089	4,732	4,300	3,700	4,456
South Carolina	53,691	3,355	3,490	3,714	4,802	4,632	5,467	5,639	4,934	4,548	4,293	3,892	4,925
Georgia	73,442	4,402	4,924	5,306	6,586	6,095	7,941	7,482	6,613	6,107	5,740	5,497	6,749
Florida	118,966	7,693	8,670	9,062	10,846	10,333	11,706	11,013	10,405	9,658	9,129	8,522	11,928
East South Central:													
Kentucky ²	37,422	2,193	2,289	2,514	3,249	3,485	4,240	3,916	3,340	3,213	3,096	2,659	3,228
Tennessee	56,467	3,291	3,664	3,969	4,731	4,927	6,082	5,871	5,251	4,956	4,606	4,111	5,008
Alabama	47,469	2,624	3,097	3,666	3,919	3,962	5,161	4,965	4,401	4,080	3,565	3,446	4,283
Mississippi	26,921	1,664	1,756	1,927	2,231	2,457	2,899	2,887	2,506	2,087	1,934	1,981	2,592
West South Central:													
Arkansas (NR) ³	30,066	1,075	1,610	2,325	2,258	2,524	3,318	3,304	3,255	2,819	2,255	2,347	2,976
Louisiana	43,177	2,822	3,002	3,244	3,912	3,824	4,564	4,229	3,751	3,315	3,395	3,298	3,821
Oklahoma (NR)	44,043	2,916	3,116	3,784	3,433	4,405	5,005	3,991	4,366	3,438	3,004	3,051	3,534
Texas (NR)	199,037	13,133	13,595	15,459	16,287	16,917	20,555	18,801	17,173	17,805	16,197	15,315	17,800
Mountain:													
Montana	8,092	353	413	438	539	627	1,120	1,055	1,000	760	578	541	668
Idaho	13,421	677	857	887	1,050	1,143	1,482	1,496	1,584	1,148	1,030	992	1,075
Wyoming	6,201	336	415	391	431	504	706	659	724	554	475	451	556
Colorado	36,114	2,082	2,399	2,472	2,317	2,683	5,167	3,347	3,688	3,460	3,027	2,408	3,074
New Mexico (NR) ⁴	17,872	1,154	1,249	1,334	1,526	1,882	1,841	1,527	1,757	1,614	1,238	1,217	1,533
Arizona (NR)	30,809	2,311	2,127	2,644	2,622	2,970	3,369	2,329	2,505	2,497	2,286	2,463	2,686
Utah ³	18,437	738	919	1,816	1,185	1,206	2,292	1,647	2,388	1,846	1,481	1,355	1,564
Nevada (NR)	108,120	7,105	7,803	7,975	9,609	9,600	9,799	10,538	9,414	9,321	9,120	8,485	9,351
Pacific:													
Washington (NR)	46,294	2,536	2,929	3,149	3,557	3,723	5,038	4,846	5,447	4,300	3,574	3,120	4,075
Oregon	23,346	1,133	1,279	1,619	1,603	1,907	2,736	2,536	2,796	2,425	1,693	1,537	2,082
California ³	220,760	11,416	13,639	15,573	18,026	18,428	25,722	19,929	24,804	21,088	16,194	18,147	17,794
Alaska	6,558	387	458	431	487	521	881	694	731	575	507	435	651
Hawaii	14,062	915	999	1,046	1,101	1,208	1,282	1,432	1,363	1,114	1,051	1,117	1,434

¹Formerly the North Central Region.²Data are incomplete.³Figures represent the month that license was filed in State office which is not necessarily the month the marriage occurred.⁴Data by month are estimated. Figures represent premarital health examination forms issued; see Technical Appendix.

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Table 1-7. Marriage Rates by Previous Marital Status and Age of Bride and Groom: Marriage-Registration Area, 1982-83

[Based on sample data. Marriages of persons under 15 years of age are included in the total and the youngest age group. Rates per 1,000 male and female populations of specified age and previous marital status residing in area. Figures exclude data for Iowa. Figures for widowed and divorced, but not all previously married, exclude data for Michigan, Ohio, and South Carolina. Figures for all marriages include previous marital status not stated; previously married include widowed or divorced not stated.]

Previous marital status and age	Bride		Groom	
	1983	1982	1983	1982
ALL MARRIAGES				
15 years and over	52.5	54.1	64.1	65.8
15-19 years	40.1	43.0	14.4	15.7
15-17 years	16.3	17.9	2.2	2.6
18-19 years	75.2	81.0	31.4	33.7
20-24 years	115.9	121.7	83.9	88.0
25-29 years	126.8	130.5	117.1	120.8
30-34 years	98.1	99.7	109.4	117.9
35-39 years	74.1	74.7	106.0	104.2
40-44 years	52.8	52.4	92.7	91.5
45-49 years	38.9	38.3	78.8	73.7
50-54 years	22.7	22.1	51.3	56.1
55-59 years	12.8	13.5	45.9	47.1
60-64 years	8.8	8.5	34.8	36.8
65 years and over	2.0	2.1	15.1	15.9
SINGLE				
15 years and over	63.8	66.0	51.8	53.1
15-19 years	38.8	41.7	14.1	15.1
15-17 years	15.9	17.6	2.2	2.5
18-19 years	72.6	78.5	30.9	33.1
20-24 years	108.9	111.9	79.5	83.1
25-29 years	105.2	106.5	100.6	102.4
30-34 years	61.2	62.1	69.0	74.0
35-39 years	38.3	38.1	45.4	43.7
40-44 years	21.8	21.7	27.0	24.8
45-49 years	13.9	14.4	18.5	18.2
50-54 years	9.0	9.6	10.7	12.9
55-59 years	7.5	6.9	10.4	10.9
60-64 years	3.3	3.6	8.0	6.8
65 years and over	0.9	0.9	2.9	3.3
PREVIOUSLY MARRIED				
15 years and over	38.4	39.2	109.1	113.2
15-19 years	*	*	*	*
20-24 years	244.4	280.6	241.8	292.8
25-29 years	188.8	192.8	223.1	220.8
30-34 years	140.0	137.5	208.0	212.4
35-39 years	92.3	92.1	175.8	168.5
40-44 years	63.3	62.6	143.4	148.3
45-49 years	46.9	45.2	120.8	108.7
50-54 years	28.1	24.8	77.0	82.1
55-59 years	13.7	14.6	66.3	67.6
60-64 years	9.7	9.4	49.1	53.5
65 years and over	2.2	2.2	18.9	18.8
Widowed				
15 years and over	6.2	6.1	30.7	32.1
15-44 years	51.3	49.0	149.3	138.6
45-64 years	12.2	12.0	59.5	58.9
65 years and over	1.9	1.9	16.8	17.6
Divorced				
15 years and over	91.6	94.4	142.1	146.9
15-19 years	*	*	*	*
20-24 years	240.4	263.6	239.5	275.8
25-29 years	204.4	205.0	214.4	220.2
30-34 years	145.3	144.4	202.0	208.9
35-39 years	99.3	98.0	172.6	166.7
40-44 years	67.0	71.0	137.7	148.3
45-49 years	50.8	51.8	126.6	113.6
50-54 years	32.4	31.1	77.2	85.3
55-59 years	18.9	20.6	67.1	70.5
60-64 years	12.9	12.3	49.3	53.3
65 years and over	4.9	5.3	26.2	26.0

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Table 1-8. Median and Mean Age of Bride and Groom by Previous Marital Status: Marriage-Registration Area, 1963-83

[Based on sample data. Beginning in 1977 figures for Iowa are included only in All marriages. Figures for previously divorced and previously widowed exclude data for Michigan and Ohio for all years, for South Carolina beginning with 1972, and for the District of Columbia for 1970]

Year	Previous marital status of bride					Previous marital status of groom				
	All marriages	Single	Previously married			All marriages	Single	Previously married		
			Total	Widowed	Divorced			Total	Widowed	Divorced
MEDIAN AGE										
1983	24.8	22.5	32.9	54.0	32.0	27.0	24.4	36.2	62.0	35.3
1982	24.4	22.3	32.5	54.1	31.6	26.7	24.1	35.7	61.7	34.9
1981	24.1	22.0	32.1	53.6	31.2	26.3	23.9	35.3	61.0	34.4
1980	23.7	21.8	32.0	53.6	31.0	25.9	23.6	35.2	61.2	34.0
1979	23.4	21.6	31.9	53.2	30.8	25.8	23.4	35.3	61.7	33.8
1978	23.2	21.4	31.5	52.6	30.5	25.5	23.2	35.1	59.7	33.8
1977	22.9	21.1	31.4	53.1	30.2	25.2	23.0	34.9	60.1	33.6
1976	22.7	21.0	31.7	53.0	30.1	25.0	22.9	35.1	60.0	33.7
1975	22.4	20.8	32.0	52.4	30.2	24.7	22.7	35.5	59.4	33.6
1974	22.0	20.6	32.1	51.9	30.0	24.2	22.5	35.7	59.2	33.6
1973	21.9	20.6	32.3	52.1	30.2	24.1	22.5	36.3	59.3	33.9
1972	21.7	20.5	32.8	51.4	30.3	23.8	22.4	36.5	59.1	34.0
1971	21.7	20.5	32.9	51.8	30.2	23.7	22.5	36.9	59.1	34.1
1970	21.7	20.6	33.3	51.2	30.1	23.6	22.5	37.5	58.7	34.5
1969	21.6	20.6	33.8	51.3	30.4	23.5	22.4	38.2	59.0	34.7
1968	21.5	20.6	33.8	50.6	30.7	23.6	22.4	38.3	57.9	35.1
1967	21.4	20.5	35.0	50.0	31.3	23.8	22.6	39.1	57.7	35.5
1966	21.5	20.3	35.2	50.2	31.4	23.8	22.6	39.2	57.9	35.8
1965	21.4	20.4	35.5	50.1	31.7	23.6	22.5	39.6	57.8	36.0
1964	21.4	20.4	35.6	50.3	31.7	23.6	22.4	39.7	58.0	36.4
1963	21.3	20.3	35.6	49.7	31.8	23.7	22.5	39.8	58.0	36.3
MEAN AGE										
1983	27.6	23.5	35.6	52.6	33.7	30.3	25.5	39.3	60.2	37.3
1982	27.3	23.3	35.3	52.6	33.4	30.0	25.3	39.0	59.9	37.0
1981	27.0	23.0	35.0	52.2	33.0	29.8	25.0	38.7	59.5	36.6
1980	26.7	22.7	35.0	52.2	32.8	29.4	24.8	38.7	59.6	36.5
1979	26.7	22.5	35.4	53.4	32.8	29.5	24.6	38.9	60.0	36.4
1978	26.3	22.3	34.9	51.4	32.6	29.1	24.4	38.5	58.4	36.2
1977	26.2	22.2	35.0	51.8	32.5	29.0	24.3	38.6	58.9	36.1
1976	26.1	22.1	35.3	51.8	32.5	28.9	24.1	38.8	58.6	36.2
1975	25.9	21.9	35.5	51.2	32.7	28.7	24.0	39.1	58.2	36.3
1974	25.6	21.7	35.7	51.0	32.5	28.3	23.8	39.4	58.2	36.3
1973	25.5	21.7	36.0	51.0	32.8	28.1	23.8	39.6	58.1	36.4
1972	25.2	21.6	36.2	50.7	32.9	27.9	23.7	39.8	58.0	36.5
1971	25.1	21.6	36.4	50.6	32.8	27.8	23.7	40.3	57.7	36.6
1970	25.1	21.6	36.6	50.3	32.8	27.8	23.8	40.6	57.7	36.7
1969	25.1	21.6	36.9	50.4	33.0	27.7	23.8	40.9	57.7	36.9
1968	25.0	21.6	36.9	49.9	33.2	27.7	23.8	41.0	57.0	37.1
1967	25.1	21.6	37.4	49.7	33.3	28.0	24.0	41.4	56.7	37.4
1966	25.2	21.5	37.6	49.7	33.6	28.0	24.0	41.6	57.0	37.6
1965	25.2	21.6	37.7	49.7	33.6	28.1	24.0	42.0	56.7	37.8
1964	25.3	21.4	37.8	50.0	33.1	28.3	24.0	42.1	57.0	37.8
1963	25.2	21.5	37.7	49.3	33.5	28.2	24.1	42.3	56.8	37.8

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Table 1-9. Median Age and First and Third Quartiles of Age at Marriage of Bride and Groom, by Previous Marital Status of Each Partner: Marriage-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data. Computed on data by single years of age. Figures for single, widowed, and divorced exclude data for Iowa; figures for widowed and divorced exclude data for Michigan, Ohio, and South Carolina]

Previous marital status of bride by previous marital status of groom	Age of bride			Age of groom		
	First quartile	Median	Third quartile	First quartile	Median	Third quartile
All brides:						
All grooms	21.2	24.8	30.8	23.1	27.0	33.9
Single grooms	20.2	22.8	28.3	21.9	24.4	27.7
Widowed grooms	42.4	54.1	63.8	52.2	62.0	69.9
Divorced grooms	25.4	30.6	37.5	30.0	35.3	42.5
Single brides:						
All grooms	20.1	22.5	25.7	22.1	24.8	28.8
Single grooms	19.8	22.1	24.9	21.8	24.0	26.9
Widowed grooms	26.0	33.9	47.0	34.9	47.7	61.4
Divorced grooms	22.1	25.3	29.3	27.8	31.9	36.8
Widowed brides:						
All grooms	41.7	54.0	64.0	43.1	57.6	67.7
Single grooms	28.6	36.2	49.4	26.9	32.8	47.5
Widowed grooms	55.7	62.6	68.9	61.1	67.6	73.6
Divorced grooms	38.4	47.3	56.9	39.6	49.1	58.8
Divorced brides:						
All grooms	27.2	32.0	38.3	28.0	33.9	42.0
Single grooms	25.1	28.6	32.9	24.1	27.4	31.5
Widowed grooms	38.7	46.8	54.9	47.7	56.9	64.0
Divorced grooms	28.6	33.7	39.8	31.6	37.1	44.4

Table 1-10. Median and Mean Age of Bride and Groom at First Marriage of Both, by Age of Spouse: Marriage-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data. Figures exclude data for Iowa]

Age of bride	Median age of groom	Mean age of groom	Age of groom	Median age of bride	Mean age of bride
All ages	24.0	24.8	All ages	22.1	22.8
Under 18 years	20.0	20.5	Under 18 years	17.6	17.9
18 years	20.9	21.4	18 years	18.4	18.5
19 years	21.6	22.2	19 years	18.9	19.2
20 years	22.4	22.9	20 years	19.6	19.8
21 years	23.2	23.8	21 years	20.4	20.6
22 years	24.0	24.5	22 years	21.2	21.4
23 years	24.8	25.3	23 years	22.0	22.1
24 years	25.7	26.2	24 years	22.7	22.8
25 years	26.4	26.9	25 years	23.5	23.5
26 years	27.3	27.7	26 years	24.2	24.3
27 years	28.0	28.4	27 years	24.7	24.8
28 years	28.7	29.0	28 years	25.4	25.5
29 years	29.4	29.7	29 years	25.8	25.9
30-34 years	30.9	31.3	30-34 years	27.0	27.2
35-44 years	35.1	35.9	35-44 years	30.1	30.5
45-54 years	48.6	47.1	45-54 years	36.6	37.4
55-64 years	60.8	58.2	55-64 years	50.1	47.1
65 years and over	68.5	66.0	65 years and over	60.2	52.8

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Table 1-11. Percent Distribution of Marriages by Previous Marital Status of Bride and Groom: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area	Previous marital status of bride					Previous marital status of groom				
	Total	Single	Previously married			Total	Single	Previously married		
			Total	Widowed	Divorced			Total	Widowed	Divorced
Marriage-registration area ¹ -----	100.0	65.9	34.1	3.2	27.6	100.0	64.8	35.2	2.9	29.0
Alabama -----	100.0	58.3	41.9	4.2	37.5	100.0	58.0	42.1	3.7	38.3
Alaska -----	100.0	56.9	44.0	2.4	40.8	100.0	59.0	41.9	1.4	39.6
California -----	100.0	71.5	28.5	3.0	25.4	100.0	69.1	30.9	3.1	27.7
Colorado -----	100.0	60.9	39.1	3.0	36.1	100.0	62.3	37.7	2.4	35.3
Connecticut -----	100.0	71.7	28.9	2.9	25.4	100.0	68.8	31.7	2.9	28.3
Delaware -----	100.0	68.3	31.7	3.2	28.6	100.0	66.3	33.7	2.9	30.7
District of Columbia -----	100.0	76.0	24.1	2.5	21.5	100.0	70.3	29.7	2.8	26.9
Florida -----	100.0	56.6	43.5	4.8	38.6	100.0	56.1	44.0	4.5	39.4
Georgia -----	100.0	54.9	45.3	4.1	40.9	100.0	54.6	45.5	3.1	42.3
Hawaii -----	100.0	63.3	36.7	2.9	33.7	100.0	63.3	36.7	3.0	33.8
Idaho -----	100.0	54.6	45.4	4.2	41.2	100.0	56.0	44.0	3.6	40.4
Illinois -----	100.0	69.0	31.5	3.2	27.8	100.0	67.8	32.7	3.0	29.2
Indiana -----	100.0	62.5	37.7	3.8	33.7	100.0	61.8	38.4	3.3	34.9
Iowa ² -----	100.0	---	---	---	---	100.0	---	---	---	---
Kansas -----	100.0	61.5	38.6	3.4	35.0	100.0	62.4	37.6	3.1	34.5
Kentucky -----	100.0	61.5	38.6	4.7	33.8	100.0	60.2	39.8	3.7	36.0
Louisiana -----	100.0	66.3	34.8	3.3	30.4	100.0	65.0	35.8	3.4	31.7
Maine -----	100.0	64.7	35.3	3.3	32.0	100.0	63.6	36.4	3.1	33.3
Maryland -----	100.0	67.4	32.6	3.5	29.1	100.0	64.7	35.3	3.1	32.2
Massachusetts -----	100.0	75.2	25.0	2.4	22.4	100.0	72.9	27.3	2.8	24.3
Michigan ³ -----	100.0	100.0	32.3	---	---	100.0	100.0	34.7	---	---
Minnesota -----	100.0	68.1	32.3	4.0	27.9	100.0	65.8	34.3	3.5	30.7
Mississippi -----	100.0	57.7	42.5	5.0	37.3	100.0	59.0	41.0	3.8	37.1
Missouri -----	100.0	61.8	38.8	4.0	34.2	100.0	60.9	39.7	3.4	35.7
Montana -----	100.0	64.6	35.4	3.4	32.0	100.0	64.8	35.2	3.0	32.2
Nebraska -----	100.0	71.3	28.7	3.8	24.9	100.0	71.6	28.4	3.1	25.3
New Hampshire -----	100.0	63.6	36.4	3.3	33.1	100.0	62.6	37.4	3.1	34.3
New Jersey -----	100.0	74.2	25.8	2.6	23.2	100.0	72.3	27.7	3.1	24.6
New York -----	100.0	75.0	25.4	2.9	22.1	100.0	72.7	27.6	2.8	24.5
North Carolina -----	100.0	64.5	35.5	3.8	31.7	100.0	65.2	34.8	3.1	31.7
Ohio ³ -----	100.0	100.0	34.9	---	---	100.0	100.0	35.1	---	---
Oregon -----	100.0	80.8	39.2	3.9	35.3	100.0	60.9	39.1	3.1	36.0
Pennsylvania -----	100.0	73.5	26.6	3.1	23.4	100.0	71.9	28.3	2.9	25.2
Rhode Island -----	100.0	73.8	26.2	2.7	23.5	100.0	71.3	28.7	2.5	26.2
South Carolina ³ -----	100.0	100.0	41.7	---	---	100.0	100.0	41.2	---	---
South Dakota -----	100.0	68.8	31.2	4.2	27.0	100.0	67.8	32.2	3.2	29.0
Tennessee -----	100.0	56.8	43.5	4.4	38.8	100.0	54.9	45.3	3.5	41.6
Utah -----	100.0	69.4	30.9	2.3	28.3	100.0	69.1	31.2	2.7	28.2
Vermont -----	100.0	67.3	32.7	3.3	29.4	100.0	65.6	34.4	2.4	32.0
Virginia -----	100.0	64.1	36.0	3.5	32.5	100.0	63.4	36.7	3.0	33.6
West Virginia -----	100.0	65.6	34.8	3.6	30.9	100.0	64.9	35.3	2.6	32.6
Wisconsin -----	100.0	74.5	25.5	3.3	22.2	100.0	72.8	27.2	3.3	23.9
Wyoming -----	100.0	54.9	45.3	3.8	41.4	100.0	55.9	43.2	2.8	40.3

¹ All figures exclude data for Iowa. Figures for previously widowed and previously divorced exclude data for Michigan, Ohio, and South Carolina; these data are included in total, previously married.² This State did not require reporting of previous marital status.³ This State did not require reporting of whether widowed or divorced.

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Table 1-12. Median Interval to Remarriage by Previous Marital Status of Bride and Groom: Reporting States, 1970-83

[Based on sample data. Median interval in years. Beginning in 1977 figures exclude data for Iowa. Figures for previously widowed and previously divorced exclude data for Michigan and Ohio for all years, for South Carolina beginning with 1972, and for the District of Columbia for 1970]

Year	Previous marital status of bride			Previous marital status of groom		
	Previously married ¹	Previously widowed	Previously divorced	Previously married ¹	Previously widowed	Previously divorced
1983	2.3	4.3	2.1	1.9	2.0	1.9
1982	2.1	4.2	1.9	1.7	2.0	1.7
1981	2.0	4.1	1.9	1.6	2.0	1.6
1980	2.0	4.1	1.7	1.5	1.9	1.5
1979	1.9	4.3	1.7	1.5	2.0	1.4
1978	1.8	3.9	1.7	1.4	1.9	1.4
1977	1.7	4.1	1.5	1.3	1.9	1.3
1976	1.6	3.7	1.4	1.2	1.8	1.1
1975	1.6	3.7	1.3	1.2	1.7	1.1
1974	1.5	3.6	1.2	1.2	1.7	1.1
1973	1.5	3.7	1.2	1.1	1.8	1.0
1972	1.4	3.6	1.2	1.1	1.9	1.0
1971	1.4	3.6	1.1	1.1	1.8	1.0
1970	1.3	3.6	1.0	1.0	1.8	0.9

¹ Includes not stated whether previously widowed or divorced.

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Table 1-13. Percent Distribution of Marriages by Age at Marriage of Bride and Groom, by Marriage Order:
Marriage-Registration Area, 1974-83

[Based on sample data. Beginning in 1977 figures by marriage order exclude data for Iowa]

Age and marriage order	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974
ALL MARRIAGES¹										
Bride -----	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 20 years -----	16.4	17.8	19.2	21.1	22.5	24.1	25.7	27.3	29.2	31.5
20-24 years -----	35.1	35.9	36.5	37.1	37.1	37.2	36.9	36.4	36.1	36.0
25-29 years -----	21.3	20.7	19.7	18.7	17.6	16.9	16.0	15.4	14.4	13.2
30-34 years -----	11.2	10.6	10.3	9.3	8.7	8.2	7.7	7.0	6.7	6.0
35-44 years -----	9.8	9.0	8.3	7.8	7.6	7.3	7.1	6.9	6.7	6.5
45-64 years -----	5.2	5.2	5.0	5.0	5.3	5.4	5.6	5.9	6.0	5.9
65 years and over -----	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.2	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.9
Groom -----	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 20 years -----	6.3	6.9	7.7	8.5	9.2	10.0	10.8	11.9	13.0	14.2
20-24 years -----	31.6	33.0	34.2	35.7	36.2	37.4	37.9	38.2	38.8	40.6
25-29 years -----	25.4	25.0	24.3	23.8	23.0	22.1	21.7	21.2	20.3	19.1
30-34 years -----	13.9	13.5	13.3	12.3	11.7	11.1	10.5	9.6	9.1	8.3
35-44 years -----	12.8	12.0	11.2	10.5	10.2	10.0	9.5	9.2	8.9	8.2
45-64 years -----	7.9	7.8	7.7	7.4	7.7	7.8	7.9	8.1	8.1	7.8
65 years and over -----	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.8	2.0	1.6	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.8
FIRST MARRIAGES										
Bride -----	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 20 years -----	24.2	26.1	28.1	30.4	32.4	34.2	36.5	38.3	40.4	42.5
20-24 years -----	46.7	47.2	47.3	47.3	47.1	46.6	45.7	44.8	44.1	43.0
25-29 years -----	20.3	19.0	17.4	16.0	14.5	13.6	12.4	11.6	10.6	9.7
30-34 years -----	5.8	5.1	4.7	4.0	3.6	3.3	3.0	2.7	2.6	2.4
35-44 years -----	2.3	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.4	1.5
45-64 years -----	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8
65 years and over -----	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Groom -----	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 20 years -----	9.7	10.5	11.8	12.7	13.8	14.8	16.0	17.5	18.7	19.8
20-24 years -----	45.8	47.4	48.7	50.0	50.9	51.8	52.3	52.2	52.2	53.1
25-29 years -----	29.7	28.4	26.9	25.7	24.3	22.9	21.9	21.0	19.9	18.5
30-34 years -----	9.7	9.1	8.2	7.5	7.0	6.4	5.8	5.2	5.0	4.6
35-44 years -----	3.8	3.4	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.6
45-64 years -----	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.3
65 years and over -----	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
REMARRIAGES										
Bride -----	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 20 years -----	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.7	1.6	1.9	2.2	2.4	2.6	2.7
20-24 years -----	12.2	13.1	14.5	15.3	15.6	16.6	17.4	17.4	17.2	17.6
25-29 years -----	23.3	24.3	24.4	24.4	24.1	24.3	24.0	24.0	23.4	22.4
30-34 years -----	21.8	21.5	21.5	20.6	19.6	19.0	17.9	16.8	16.3	15.5
35-44 years -----	24.5	23.0	21.5	20.8	20.2	19.9	19.3	19.0	19.3	19.4
45-64 years -----	14.3	14.2	13.8	14.3	15.3	15.7	16.3	17.4	18.1	19.2
65 years and over -----	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.9	3.5	2.6	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.1
Groom -----	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 20 years -----	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
20-24 years -----	5.5	5.9	6.8	7.2	7.5	8.4	8.6	9.1	9.1	9.5
25-29 years -----	17.3	18.6	19.2	20.1	20.3	20.6	21.3	21.6	21.1	20.7
30-34 years -----	21.8	22.0	22.7	21.9	21.1	20.6	20.1	18.7	18.0	17.5
35-44 years -----	29.6	28.1	26.4	25.6	24.7	24.6	23.3	22.8	22.7	22.0
45-64 years -----	20.6	20.4	20.0	20.0	20.5	21.0	21.3	22.2	22.9	23.9
65 years and over -----	5.0	4.8	4.7	5.1	5.7	4.7	5.1	5.4	5.7	6.0

¹ Figures include marriage order not stated.

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Table 1-14. Percent Distribution of Marriages by Marriage Order of Each Partner: Marriage-Registration Area, 1970-83

[Based on sample data. Beginning in 1977 figures exclude data for Iowa]

Year	All marriages	Marriage order of each partner			
		First marriage of both bride and groom	First marriage of bride, remarriage of groom	Remarriage of bride, first marriage of groom	Remarriage of both bride and groom
1983	100.0	54.4	11.6	10.5	23.5
1982	100.0	54.8	11.6	10.3	23.3
1981	100.0	54.7	11.8	10.1	23.4
1980	100.0	56.2	11.3	9.8	22.7
1979	100.0	56.4	11.2	9.5	22.9
1978	100.0	57.1	11.1	9.3	22.5
1977	100.0	57.6	10.8	9.0	22.6
1976	100.0	58.6	10.7	8.8	22.0
1975	100.0	60.1	9.9	8.6	21.3
1974	100.0	62.9	9.2	8.1	19.8
1973	100.0	64.6	8.7	7.9	18.9
1972	100.0	66.7	8.2	7.4	17.6
1971	100.0	67.7	8.0	7.3	17.0
1970	100.0	68.6	7.6	7.3	16.5

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Table 1-15. Percent Distribution of Marriages by Marriage Order of Bride and Groom, by Race: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data.]

Area	Bride								Groom							
	All races		White		Black		Other races		All races		White		Black		Other races	
	First marriage	Remarriage	First marriage	Remarriage	First marriage	Remarriage	First marriage	Remarriage	First marriage	Remarriage	First marriage	Remarriage	First marriage	Remarriage	First marriage	Remarriage
Marriage-registration area ¹	65.9	34.1	62.5	37.5	73.3	26.7	71.8	28.2	64.8	35.2	62.0	38.0	70.3	29.7	75.1	24.9
Alabama-----	58.1	41.9	55.1	44.9	72.4	27.6	*75.0	*25.0	57.9	42.1	55.4	44.6	69.3	30.7	*83.3	*16.7
Alaska-----	56.0	44.0	53.6	46.4	60.9	39.1	70.6	29.4	58.1	41.9	56.6	43.4	63.4	36.6	71.5	28.5
California ² -----	71.5	28.5	---	---	---	---	---	---	69.1	30.9	---	---	---	---	---	---
Colorado ² -----	60.9	39.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	62.3	37.7	---	---	---	---	---	---
Connecticut-----	71.1	28.9	70.8	29.2	74.3	25.7	88.9	11.1	68.3	31.7	68.7	31.3	64.6	35.4	78.8	21.2
Delaware-----	68.3	31.7	67.1	32.9	76.5	23.5	60.9	39.1	66.3	33.7	65.3	34.7	71.9	28.1	84.6	15.4
District of Columbia ² -----	75.8	24.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	70.3	29.7	---	---	---	---	---	---
Florida-----	56.5	43.5	54.7	45.3	70.3	29.7	85.4	14.6	56.0	44.0	54.3	45.7	68.1	31.9	72.8	27.2
Georgia-----	54.7	45.3	51.1	48.9	70.2	29.8	44.0	56.0	54.5	45.5	51.0	49.0	68.3	31.7	72.2	27.8
Hawaii-----	63.3	36.7	52.1	47.9	80.7	19.3	75.8	24.2	63.3	36.7	53.2	46.8	82.2	17.8	75.7	24.3
Idaho-----	54.6	45.4	54.4	45.6	*40.0	*60.0	62.5	37.5	56.0	44.0	55.9	44.1	*57.1	*42.9	66.7	33.3
Illinois-----	58.5	31.5	67.7	32.3	72.8	27.2	79.6	20.4	67.3	32.7	66.9	33.1	68.9	31.1	79.6	20.4
Indiana-----	62.3	37.7	63.6	36.4	61.3	38.7	*50.0	*50.0	61.6	38.4	63.3	36.7	57.3	42.7	*50.0	*50.0
Iowa ^{2,3} -----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Kansas-----	61.4	38.6	60.7	39.3	73.2	26.8	65.6	34.4	62.4	37.6	61.8	38.2	68.0	32.0	74.1	25.9
Kentucky-----	61.4	38.6	60.8	39.2	73.3	26.7	72.7	27.3	60.2	39.8	60.0	40.0	62.1	37.9	*100.0	---
Louisiana-----	65.2	34.8	62.3	37.7	75.8	24.2	76.2	23.8	64.2	35.8	62.4	37.6	70.3	29.7	85.0	15.0
Maine-----	64.7	35.3	64.6	35.4	88.2	11.8	68.5	31.5	63.8	36.2	63.5	36.5	80.3	19.7	66.3	33.7
Maryland ² -----	67.4	32.6	---	---	---	---	---	---	64.7	35.3	---	---	---	---	---	---
Massachusetts ² -----	75.0	25.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	72.7	27.3	---	---	---	---	---	---
Michigan ² -----	67.7	32.3	---	---	---	---	---	---	65.3	34.7	---	---	---	---	---	---
Minnesota-----	67.7	32.3	68.5	31.5	55.6	44.4	66.4	33.6	65.7	34.3	66.5	33.5	50.0	50.0	69.7	30.3
Mississippi-----	57.5	42.5	52.3	47.7	72.8	27.2	59.1	40.9	59.0	41.0	55.0	45.0	70.2	29.8	70.6	29.4
Missouri-----	61.2	38.8	60.8	39.2	67.0	33.0	71.4	28.6	60.3	39.7	59.8	40.2	65.6	34.4	75.8	24.2
Montana-----	64.6	35.4	64.8	35.2	78.9	21.1	80.9	19.1	64.8	35.2	64.6	35.4	81.6	18.4	67.5	32.5
Nebraska-----	71.3	28.7	71.2	28.8	75.1	24.9	70.7	29.3	71.6	28.4	71.7	28.3	69.3	30.7	73.5	26.5
New Hampshire-----	63.6	36.4	63.4	36.6	76.0	24.0	67.2	32.8	62.6	37.4	62.3	37.7	73.1	26.9	72.5	27.5
New Jersey-----	74.2	25.8	73.8	26.2	76.0	24.0	87.9	12.1	72.3	27.7	72.0	28.0	74.2	25.8	77.1	22.9
New York ² -----	74.6	25.4	---	---	---	---	---	---	72.4	27.6	---	---	---	---	---	---
North Carolina-----	64.5	35.5	61.8	38.2	77.7	22.3	68.9	31.1	65.2	34.8	63.0	37.0	76.1	23.9	73.3	26.7
Ohio ² -----	65.1	34.9	---	---	---	---	---	---	64.9	35.1	---	---	---	---	---	---
Oregon-----	60.8	39.2	60.5	39.5	73.5	26.5	75.0	25.0	60.9	39.1	60.5	39.5	67.3	32.7	75.0	25.0
Pennsylvania-----	73.4	26.6	73.2	26.8	75.5	24.5	80.0	20.0	71.7	28.3	71.7	28.3	71.2	28.8	78.3	21.7
Rhode Island-----	73.8	26.2	73.7	26.3	73.7	26.3	82.6	17.4	71.3	28.7	71.2	28.8	70.0	30.0	80.4	19.6
South Carolina-----	58.3	41.7	52.6	47.4	78.0	22.0	63.0	37.0	58.8	41.2	54.1	45.9	75.3	24.7	73.9	26.1
South Dakota-----	88.8	11.2	69.2	30.8	64.0	36.0	60.6	39.4	67.8	32.2	67.7	32.3	77.5	22.5	68.5	31.5
Tennessee-----	56.5	43.5	55.1	44.9	68.6	31.4	*88.9	*11.1	54.7	45.3	53.3	46.7	66.2	33.8	*100.0	---
Utah-----	69.1	30.9	69.1	30.9	42.1	57.9	77.8	22.2	68.8	31.2	68.7	31.3	75.8	24.2	80.3	19.7
Vermont-----	67.3	32.7	67.4	32.6	50.0	50.0	65.4	34.6	65.6	34.4	65.5	34.5	56.5	43.5	83.3	16.7
Virginia-----	64.0	36.0	61.7	38.3	76.3	23.7	75.3	24.7	63.3	36.7	61.3	38.7	73.9	26.1	77.3	22.7
West Virginia-----	65.4	34.6	65.4	34.6	68.9	31.1	*50.0	*50.0	64.7	35.3	64.4	35.6	72.9	27.1	*100.0	---
Wisconsin-----	74.5	25.5	74.5	25.5	72.1	27.9	76.6	23.4	72.8	27.2	72.7	27.3	71.3	28.7	77.3	22.7
Wyoming-----	54.7	45.3	54.4	45.6	61.5	38.5	61.8	38.2	56.8	43.2	56.6	43.4	58.3	41.7	63.3	36.7

1 Figures exclude data for Iowa. Figures by race exclude data for California, Colorado, District of Columbia, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, New York, and Ohio.

2 This area did not require reporting of race.

3 This area did not require reporting of marriage order.

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Table 1-16. Percent Distribution of Marriages by Month Marriage Performed, by Marriage Order and Race of Bride and Groom: Marriage-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data. Figures by race exclude data for California, Colorado, District of Columbia, Iowa, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, New York, and Ohio.
Figures by marriage order exclude data for Iowa]

Marriage order and race		Total	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
BRIDE														
All marriages		100.0	5.2	5.6	6.1	8.1	9.4	11.6	10.5	10.3	9.6	9.1	7.0	7.6
	White	100.0	5.1	5.6	6.2	8.4	9.5	11.6	10.2	10.0	9.5	9.1	7.1	7.8
	Black	100.0	6.4	6.3	6.8	8.2	7.9	10.5	11.1	10.0	9.2	7.1	7.3	9.3
	Other races	100.0	6.4	5.9	7.8	7.6	7.8	9.9	10.9	10.1	8.4	7.7	7.5	9.9
First marriages		100.0	4.7	5.1	5.8	8.1	9.7	12.3	10.6	10.9	10.0	9.4	6.6	6.7
	White	100.0	4.6	5.1	5.8	8.3	10.0	12.6	10.4	10.6	10.0	9.4	6.6	6.8
	Black	100.0	6.4	6.0	6.6	8.3	7.9	10.7	11.3	10.1	9.4	7.2	7.1	9.0
	Other races	100.0	6.5	6.2	7.1	8.0	7.6	10.4	10.8	10.4	8.1	7.8	7.3	9.8
Remarriages		100.0	6.1	6.5	6.7	8.3	8.8	10.0	10.1	9.1	8.6	8.5	7.7	9.5
	White	100.0	6.1	6.6	6.8	8.6	8.8	9.9	9.9	8.8	8.4	8.6	8.0	9.5
	Black	100.0	6.6	6.9	7.3	7.9	7.9	10.1	10.5	9.8	8.7	6.7	7.8	9.9
	Other races	100.0	6.1	5.3	9.4	6.8	8.4	8.7	11.1	9.3	8.8	7.5	6.1	10.4
GROOM														
All marriages		100.0	5.2	5.6	6.1	8.1	9.4	11.6	10.5	10.3	9.6	9.1	7.0	7.6
	White	100.0	5.1	5.6	6.2	8.4	9.5	11.6	10.2	10.0	9.5	9.1	7.0	7.8
	Black	100.0	6.4	6.4	6.8	8.2	7.9	10.4	11.0	10.0	9.3	7.1	7.3	9.2
	Other races	100.0	6.1	6.2	7.5	7.7	8.1	11.0	10.8	9.8	8.6	7.2	8.0	8.9
First marriages		100.0	4.8	5.2	5.8	8.1	9.7	12.2	10.7	10.9	9.9	9.3	6.7	6.7
	White	100.0	4.6	5.1	5.9	8.4	9.9	12.5	10.5	10.6	9.8	9.3	6.6	6.9
	Black	100.0	6.3	6.1	6.8	8.5	7.9	10.6	11.0	10.4	9.3	7.1	7.1	9.0
	Other races	100.0	5.9	6.4	7.5	7.9	8.2	11.4	11.1	9.7	8.5	6.8	8.2	8.4
Remarriages		100.0	5.9	6.4	6.6	8.1	8.9	10.3	10.1	9.1	8.9	8.8	7.6	9.3
	White	100.0	6.0	6.5	6.7	8.4	8.9	10.1	9.7	8.9	8.7	8.8	7.8	9.4
	Black	100.0	6.5	6.9	7.0	7.4	8.1	10.2	10.9	9.1	9.3	7.1	7.8	9.8
	Other races	100.0	6.8	5.9	7.5	7.1	8.3	9.9	9.6	10.2	8.3	8.3	7.5	10.6

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Table 1-17. Percent Distribution of Marriages by Resident Status of Bride and Groom in State Where Married: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area	All marriages	Bride resident of State where married			Bride resident of adjoining State			Bride resident of other State or outside U.S.		
		Groom resident of State where married	Groom resident of adjoining State	Groom resident of other State or outside U.S.	Groom resident of State where married	Groom resident of adjoining State	Groom resident of other State or outside U.S.	Groom resident of State where married	Groom resident of adjoining State	Groom resident of other State or outside U.S.
Marriage-registration area -----	100.0	66.4	2.0	2.6	0.8	4.5	0.2	0.7	0.1	2.8
Alabama -----	100.0	85.2	2.7	2.4	1.2	6.4	0.2	0.5	0.1	1.4
Alaska -----	100.0	95.4	...	1.4	...	...	...	1.5	...	1.6
California -----	100.0	94.7	0.2	2.3	0.1	0.5	0.0	0.7	...	1.4
Colorado -----	100.0	85.5	1.0	3.6	0.1	1.9	0.1	1.0	0.1	3.8
Connecticut -----	100.0	86.0	2.5	3.0	0.8	3.7	0.4	0.7	0.1	3.9
Delaware -----	100.0	76.9	5.9	5.8	2.0	5.0	0.5	0.9	0.4	3.5
District of Columbia -----	100.0	47.6	7.3	2.5	6.3	27.7	3.1	1.0	0.6	4.0
Florida -----	100.0	92.6	0.5	2.3	0.2	0.4	0.0	0.9	0.0	3.1
Georgia -----	100.0	78.9	2.4	1.5	1.5	13.5	0.2	0.5	0.1	1.4
Hawaii -----	100.0	67.6	...	2.5	...	...	...	2.8	...	27.3
Idaho -----	100.0	63.3	3.3	1.6	1.4	26.5	0.5	0.7	0.2	2.5
Illinois -----	100.0	91.0	1.5	2.5	0.6	1.6	0.1	0.5	0.0	2.2
Indiana -----	100.0	90.1	2.8	2.7	0.9	1.8	0.1	0.4	0.1	1.3
Iowa -----	100.0	84.3	2.8	3.0	1.4	5.0	0.1	0.4	0.1	2.6
Kansas -----	100.0	85.0	2.8	3.2	1.3	3.7	0.3	1.0	0.1	2.5
Kentucky -----	100.0	86.1	2.9	2.0	1.5	5.5	0.1	0.7	0.1	1.0
Louisiana -----	100.0	94.2	1.5	1.7	0.5	0.9	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.5
Maine -----	100.0	85.8	0.9	4.1	0.3	1.0	0.1	1.5	0.1	6.2
Maryland -----	100.0	70.8	3.8	2.8	1.9	13.2	0.6	0.7	0.3	5.9
Massachusetts -----	100.0	83.9	2.7	4.5	0.8	3.2	0.2	1.2	0.1	3.4
Michigan -----	100.0	91.5	1.2	3.0	0.4	0.8	0.0	0.6	...	2.5
Minnesota -----	100.0	88.5	2.3	3.2	0.7	1.7	...	0.8	0.1	2.8
Mississippi -----	100.0	86.7	2.8	2.3	1.4	3.7	0.1	0.7	0.0	2.2
Missouri -----	100.0	86.5	2.7	2.0	1.5	4.7	0.1	0.7	0.1	1.6
Montana -----	100.0	86.7	1.1	4.3	0.3	1.4	0.1	1.2	0.1	4.9
Nebraska -----	100.0	88.5	2.8	2.7	0.9	2.6	0.2	0.5	0.1	1.8
New Hampshire -----	100.0	72.4	3.7	2.8	2.5	12.1	0.4	1.0	0.3	4.9
New Jersey -----	100.0	87.4	3.7	3.5	0.9	1.7	0.0	0.7	...	2.2
New York -----	100.0	90.9	1.9	2.0	0.6	1.7	0.1	0.4	0.0	2.4
North Carolina -----	100.0	85.3	1.9	2.8	0.8	4.3	0.4	0.8	0.4	3.2
Ohio -----	100.0	91.8	1.8	3.1	0.8	0.7	0.1	0.6	...	1.1
Oregon -----	100.0	89.1	3.0	2.0	0.6	3.2	0.1	0.6	0.1	1.3
Pennsylvania -----	100.0	89.9	2.6	2.2	0.8	1.9	0.1	0.4	0.0	2.1
Rhode Island -----	100.0	81.2	4.6	4.1	1.3	4.1	0.2	0.7	0.1	3.8
South Carolina -----	100.0	57.0	2.0	1.8	1.0	32.4	0.8	0.8	0.5	4.0
South Dakota -----	100.0	68.2	3.3	3.7	1.1	17.4	0.5	1.0	0.5	4.2
Tennessee -----	100.0	80.9	2.7	2.2	0.9	7.2	0.3	0.5	0.2	5.1
Utah -----	100.0	81.3	2.6	2.7	1.4	5.3	0.6	2.1	0.5	3.5
Vermont -----	100.0	77.7	2.4	2.3	1.0	6.3	0.3	0.9	0.2	8.8
Virginia -----	100.0	76.3	2.2	3.2	1.1	9.9	0.4	0.8	0.2	5.9
West Virginia -----	100.0	86.5	4.6	2.2	1.4	3.3	0.2	0.4	0.1	1.5
Wisconsin -----	100.0	89.4	1.9	2.3	0.7	3.1	0.2	0.3	0.0	2.1
Wyoming -----	100.0	83.6	1.8	1.5	0.8	8.4	0.2	0.5	0.0	3.1

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Table 1-18. Percent Distribution of First Marriages and Remarriages by Type of Ceremony Performed, by Age of Bride and Groom: Marriage-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data. Figures exclude data for Iowa, Kentucky, and Ohio]

Age	First marriages			Remarriages		
	Total	Type of ceremony performed		Total	Type of ceremony performed	
		Civil	Religious		Civil	Religious
Bride-----	100.0	24.1	75.9	100.0	41.2	58.8
Under 20 years-----	100.0	29.1	70.9	100.0	49.4	50.6
20-24 years-----	100.0	20.0	80.0	100.0	44.5	55.5
25-29 years-----	100.0	22.9	77.1	100.0	42.0	58.0
30-34 years-----	100.0	32.1	67.9	100.0	41.1	58.9
35-44 years-----	100.0	39.9	60.1	100.0	42.4	57.6
45-54 years-----	100.0	47.1	52.9	100.0	40.5	59.5
55-64 years-----	100.0	48.4	51.6	100.0	32.9	67.1
65 years and over-----	100.0	34.4	65.6	100.0	23.2	76.8
Groom-----	100.0	25.0	75.0	100.0	38.9	61.1
Under 20 years-----	100.0	31.9	68.1	100.0	53.4	46.6
20-24 years-----	100.0	22.5	77.5	100.0	40.9	59.1
25-29 years-----	100.0	22.5	77.5	100.0	39.0	61.0
30-34 years-----	100.0	29.3	70.7	100.0	38.9	61.1
35-44 years-----	100.0	39.2	60.8	100.0	40.2	59.8
45-54 years-----	100.0	49.1	50.9	100.0	40.4	59.6
55-64 years-----	100.0	46.0	54.0	100.0	37.3	62.7
65 years and over-----	100.0	43.1	56.9	100.0	27.2	72.8

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Table 1-19. Percent Distribution of First Marriages and Remarriages of Bride and Groom, by Type of Ceremony Performed: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area	Bride						Groom					
	First marriages			Remarriages			First marriages			Remarriages		
	Total	Civil	Religious	Total	Civil	Religious	Total	Civil	Religious	Total	Civil	Religious
Marriage-registration area ¹ -----	100.0	24.1	75.9	100.0	41.2	58.8	100.0	25.0	75.0	100.0	38.9	61.1
Alabama -----	100.0	28.8	71.2	100.0	49.3	50.7	100.0	30.4	69.6	100.0	46.9	53.1
Alaska -----	100.0	33.2	66.8	100.0	43.5	56.5	100.0	33.6	66.4	100.0	43.4	56.6
California -----	100.0	14.1	85.9	100.0	18.9	81.1	100.0	14.8	85.2	100.0	17.0	83.0
Colorado -----	100.0	27.3	72.7	100.0	37.3	62.7	100.0	29.7	70.3	100.0	33.8	66.2
Connecticut -----	100.0	25.8	74.2	100.0	54.8	45.2	100.0	26.7	73.3	100.0	50.1	49.9
Delaware -----	100.0	23.3	76.7	100.0	39.2	60.8	100.0	23.7	76.3	100.0	37.6	62.4
District of Columbia -----	100.0	21.1	78.9	100.0	22.5	77.5	100.0	21.7	78.3	100.0	20.8	79.2
Florida -----	100.0	41.1	58.9	100.0	57.8	42.2	100.0	42.9	57.1	100.0	55.2	44.8
Georgia -----	100.0	32.9	67.1	100.0	56.5	43.5	100.0	36.1	63.9	100.0	52.5	47.5
Hawaii -----	100.0	36.8	63.2	100.0	37.3	62.7	100.0	38.2	61.8	100.0	34.9	65.1
Idaho -----	100.0	18.2	81.8	100.0	27.0	73.0	100.0	19.1	80.9	100.0	26.4	73.6
Illinois -----	100.0	20.4	79.6	100.0	34.3	65.7	100.0	21.3	78.7	100.0	32.1	67.9
Indiana -----	100.0	13.6	86.4	100.0	27.5	72.5	100.0	13.5	86.5	100.0	27.6	72.4
Iowa ² -----	100.0	---	---	100.0	---	---	100.0	---	---	100.0	---	---
Kansas -----	100.0	18.9	81.1	100.0	34.2	65.8	100.0	19.6	80.4	100.0	33.4	66.6
Kentucky ² -----	100.0	---	---	100.0	---	---	100.0	---	---	100.0	---	---
Louisiana -----	100.0	27.5	72.5	100.0	47.3	52.7	100.0	27.2	72.8	100.0	47.3	52.7
Maine -----	100.0	32.1	67.9	100.0	58.2	41.8	100.0	33.3	66.7	100.0	55.2	44.8
Maryland -----	100.0	32.1	67.9	100.0	44.4	55.6	100.0	32.8	67.2	100.0	42.1	57.9
Massachusetts -----	100.0	25.0	75.0	100.0	50.9	49.1	100.0	25.1	74.9	100.0	48.4	51.6
Michigan -----	100.0	15.4	84.6	100.0	31.9	68.1	100.0	15.9	84.1	100.0	29.9	70.1
Minnesota -----	100.0	11.3	88.7	100.0	35.1	64.9	100.0	12.6	87.4	100.0	31.6	68.4
Mississippi -----	100.0	20.0	80.0	100.0	41.2	58.8	100.0	20.8	79.2	100.0	40.9	59.1
Missouri -----	100.0	8.4	91.6	100.0	16.2	83.8	100.0	8.6	91.4	100.0	15.8	84.2
Montana -----	100.0	22.2	77.8	100.0	41.4	58.6	100.0	22.8	77.2	100.0	40.3	59.7
Nebraska -----	100.0	14.1	85.9	100.0	32.3	67.7	100.0	14.5	85.5	100.0	31.4	68.6
New Hampshire -----	100.0	37.1	62.9	100.0	62.8	37.2	100.0	38.7	61.3	100.0	59.5	40.5
New Jersey -----	100.0	22.6	77.4	100.0	42.7	57.3	100.0	23.2	76.8	100.0	40.0	60.0
New York -----	100.0	32.3	67.7	100.0	51.5	48.5	100.0	33.1	66.9	100.0	47.8	52.2
North Carolina -----	100.0	20.8	79.2	100.0	31.7	68.3	100.0	22.3	77.7	100.0	29.1	70.9
Ohio ² -----	100.0	---	---	100.0	---	---	100.0	---	---	100.0	---	---
Oregon -----	100.0	19.4	80.6	100.0	33.3	66.7	100.0	20.2	79.8	100.0	32.0	68.0
Pennsylvania -----	100.0	15.4	84.6	100.0	31.6	68.4	100.0	15.2	84.8	100.0	31.5	68.5
Rhode Island -----	100.0	23.8	76.2	100.0	52.6	47.4	100.0	24.6	75.4	100.0	48.1	51.9
South Carolina -----	100.0	54.0	46.0	100.0	73.2	26.8	100.0	55.5	44.5	100.0	71.3	28.7
South Dakota -----	100.0	24.1	75.9	100.0	49.9	50.1	100.0	24.5	75.5	100.0	48.1	51.9
Tennessee -----	100.0	26.3	73.7	100.0	44.3	55.7	100.0	27.2	72.8	100.0	42.4	57.6
Utah -----	100.0	20.3	79.7	100.0	45.2	54.8	100.0	20.5	79.5	100.0	44.2	55.8
Vermont -----	100.0	30.3	69.7	100.0	55.4	44.6	100.0	30.7	69.3	100.0	53.5	46.5
Virginia -----	100.0	25.7	74.3	100.0	32.9	67.1	100.0	26.7	73.3	100.0	30.9	69.1
West Virginia -----	100.0	3.7	96.3	100.0	6.7	93.3	100.0	3.8	96.2	100.0	8.4	91.6
Wisconsin -----	100.0	17.8	82.2	100.0	36.8	63.2	100.0	18.1	81.9	100.0	34.8	65.2
Wyoming -----	100.0	31.5	68.5	100.0	56.6	43.4	100.0	34.8	65.2	100.0	53.5	46.5

¹ Figures exclude data for Iowa, Kentucky, and Ohio.² This State did not require reporting of type of ceremony performed.

Race and age of bride	Total	Age of groom								
		Under 18 years	18-19 years	20-24 years	25-29 years	30-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and over
White bride -----	1,050,770	8,283	71,071	343,008	252,269	138,182	133,177	55,026	28,844	20,910
Under 18 years -----	51,845	4,764	20,498	22,518	2,872	820	296	37	25	15
18-19 years -----	144,407	2,505	34,804	84,869	16,554	3,721	1,710	155	68	21
20-24 years -----	366,142	810	13,504	194,498	111,054	30,982	13,472	1,453	278	91
25-29 years -----	209,006	151	1,707	31,751	90,411	51,747	28,976	3,562	802	99
30-34 years -----	108,452	29	353	6,776	23,610	34,902	35,101	6,614	916	151
35-44 years -----	102,449	24	205	2,402	7,171	14,852	46,935	24,311	5,707	842
45-54 years -----	37,712	-	-	165	525	1,102	6,170	16,224	10,882	2,644
55-64 years -----	18,998	-	-	29	72	56	419	2,418	8,913	7,091
65 years and over -----	11,759	-	-	-	-	-	98	252	1,453	9,956
Black bride -----	122,763	246	5,112	38,767	32,063	18,344	15,017	6,873	3,774	2,567
Under 18 years -----	2,767	76	805	1,528	288	48	18	2	-	2
18-19 years -----	13,124	53	2,686	8,347	1,586	309	121	17	2	3
20-24 years -----	42,529	116	1,341	22,774	13,578	3,191	1,214	186	81	47
25-29 years -----	28,148	1	247	4,805	12,050	6,900	3,355	577	156	57
30-34 years -----	15,667	-	29	1,061	3,262	5,618	4,373	1,099	200	25
35-44 years -----	12,188	-	4	243	1,215	2,034	4,952	2,571	964	205
45-54 years -----	5,047	-	-	9	82	225	870	2,067	1,299	495
55-64 years -----	2,425	-	-	-	1	19	88	291	957	1,089
65 years and over -----	868	-	-	-	-	-	28	63	115	664
Bride of other races -----	10,155	32	481	2,813	3,191	1,709	1,227	427	179	96
Under 18 years -----	392	22	99	192	60	16	3	-	-	-
18-19 years -----	1,110	7	217	601	293	41	9	2	-	-
20-24 years -----	3,407	3	151	1,548	1,251	346	96	8	-	-
25-29 years -----	2,645	-	8	376	1,253	673	277	48	8	4
30-34 years -----	1,298	-	6	75	314	480	342	70	9	2
35-44 years -----	945	-	-	21	78	142	429	207	46	22
45-54 years -----	251	-	-	-	2	11	69	77	74	18
55-64 years -----	76	-	-	-	-	-	2	12	36	26
65 years and over -----	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	6	22
Race of groom not stated -----	26,473	108	1,728	8,316	6,853	3,833	3,252	1,545	555	283
Under 18 years -----	1,177	65	536	544	20	12	-	-	-	-
18-19 years -----	3,517	33	775	2,271	353	79	6	-	-	-
20-24 years -----	9,020	10	375	4,543	2,876	801	384	29	1	1
25-29 years -----	5,844	-	25	731	2,587	1,579	790	126	3	3
30-34 years -----	2,815	-	15	187	682	951	811	162	4	3
35-44 years -----	2,517	-	2	40	302	370	1,108	580	94	21
45-54 years -----	996	-	-	-	32	40	152	522	246	4
55-64 years -----	386	-</								

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Table 1-21. Marriages by Race of Bride, by Race of Groom: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area and race of groom	All marriages	Race of bride				Area and race of groom	All marriages	Race of bride			
		White	Black	Other races	Race not stated			White	Black	Other races	Race not stated
MARRIAGE-REGISTRATION AREA¹						IDAHO					
All races -----	1,890,791	1,063,795	125,867	17,531	683,598	All races -----	13,430	12,915	25	160	330
White -----	1,061,856	1,050,770	2,469	6,631	1,986	White -----	12,880	12,765	5	85	25
Black -----	130,250	6,572	122,763	704	211	Black -----	35	15	20	-	-
Other races -----	15,844	5,210	470	10,155	109	Other races -----	135	80	-	75	-
Race not stated -----	682,741	1,243	165	41	681,292	Race not stated -----	380	75	-	-	305
ALABAMA						ILLINOIS					
All races -----	47,440	39,020	8,330	80	10	All races -----	103,734	87,666	11,673	633	3,762
White -----	38,990	38,880	40	60	10	White -----	87,519	86,799	316	175	229
Black -----	8,380	110	8,270	-	7	Black -----	12,045	660	11,313	19	53
Other races -----	60	30	10	20	-	Other races -----	578	129	11	436	2
Race not stated -----	10	-	10	-	-	Race not stated -----	3,592	78	33	3	3,478
ALASKA						INDIANA					
All races -----	6,553	5,243	182	859	269	All races -----	54,040	36,560	1,500	160	15,820
White -----	5,458	4,934	27	434	63	White -----	36,880	36,380	60	100	340
Black -----	234	55	152	20	7	Black -----	1,520	100	1,420	-	-
Other races -----	589	183	2	393	11	Other races -----	120	60	-	60	-
Race not stated -----	272	71	1	12	188	Race not stated -----	15,520	20	20	-	15,480
CALIFORNIA²						IOWA²					
All races -----	152,420	-	-	-	152,420	All races -----	26,770	-	-	-	26,770
White -----	-	-	-	-	-	White -----	-	-	-	-	-
Black -----	-	-	-	-	-	Black -----	-	-	-	-	-
Other races -----	-	-	-	-	-	Other races -----	-	-	-	-	-
Race not stated -----	152,420	-	-	-	152,420	Race not stated -----	26,770	-	-	-	26,770
COLORADO²						KANSAS					
All races -----	36,150	-	-	-	36,150	All races -----	25,895	24,045	1,335	465	50
White -----	-	-	-	-	-	White -----	23,845	23,510	65	240	30
Black -----	-	-	-	-	-	Black -----	1,590	300	1,250	35	5
Other races -----	-	-	-	-	-	Other races -----	425	215	20	190	-
Race not stated -----	36,150	-	-	-	36,150	Race not stated -----	35	20	-	-	15
CONNECTICUT						KENTUCKY					
All races -----	26,915	24,920	1,700	135	160	All races -----	37,520	35,080	2,100	110	230
White -----	24,595	24,430	80	50	25	White -----	34,930	34,720	50	100	60
Black -----	1,800	205	1,585	10	-	Black -----	2,270	220	2,040	10	-
Other races -----	165	70	20	75	-	Other races -----	60	50	10	-	-
Race not stated -----	355	215	5	-	135	Race not stated -----	260	90	-	-	170
DELAWARE						LOUISIANA					
All races -----	5,579	4,802	752	23	2	All races -----	43,180	33,690	9,230	220	40
White -----	4,774	4,748	16	10	1	White -----	33,620	33,410	100	100	10
Black -----	777	40	733	3	-	Black -----	9,300	180	9,080	30	10
Other races -----	26	13	3	10	-	Other races -----	220	90	40	90	-
Race not stated -----	2	1	-	-	1	Race not stated -----	40	10	10	-	20
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA²						MAINE					
All races -----	5,338	-	-	-	5,338	All races -----	12,479	12,340	34	73	32
White -----	-	-	-	-	-	White -----	12,289	12,232	7	43	7
Black -----	-	-	-	-	-	Black -----	76	49	26	-	1
Other races -----	-	-	-	-	-	Other races -----	83	52	1	30	-
Race not stated -----	5,338	-	-	-	5,338	Race not stated -----	31	7	-	-	24
FLORIDA						MARYLAND²					
All races -----	118,964	104,323	13,510	1,033	98	All races -----	47,120	-	-	-	47,120
White -----	104,136	103,212	303	550	71	White -----	-	-	-	-	-
Black -----	13,830	596	13,150	77	7	Black -----	-	-	-	-	-
Other races -----	928	469	53	406	-	Other races -----	-	-	-	-	-
Race not stated -----	70	46	4	-	20	Race not stated -----	47,120	-	-	-	47,120
GEORGIA						MASSACHUSETTS²					
All races -----	72,820	58,040	13,780	500	500	All races -----	48,860	-	-	-	48,860
White -----	58,020	57,440	80	200	300	White -----	-	-	-	-	-
Black -----	13,560	220	13,580	20	40	Black -----	-	-	-	-	-
Other races -----	720	280	80	280	80	Other races -----	-	-	-	-	-
Race not stated -----	220	100	40	-	80	Race not stated -----	48,860	-	-	-	48,860
HAWAII						MICHIGAN²					
All races -----	14,050	7,468	374	6,208	2	All races -----	78,940	-	-	-	78,940
White -----	7,952	6,266	46	1,640	-	White -----	-	-	-	-	-
Black -----	608	130	320	158	-	Black -----	-	-	-	-	-
Other races -----	5,480	1,070	8	4,402	-	Other races -----	-	-	-	-	-
Race not stated -----	10	2	-	6	2	Race not stated -----	78,940	-	-	-	78,940

See footnotes at end of table.

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Table 1-21. Marriages by Race of Bride, by Race of Groom: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and race of groom	All marriages	Race of bride				Area and race of groom	All marriages	Race of bride			
		White	Black	Other races	Race not stated			White	Black	Other races	Race not stated
MINNESOTA						PENNSYLVANIA					
All races -----	36,320	32,820	500	440	2,560	All races -----	92,140	84,080	6,900	400	760
White -----	32,920	32,340	20	210	350	White -----	83,880	83,400	180	180	140
Black -----	680	190	470	10	10	Black -----	7,100	380	6,700	-	20
Other races -----	400	180	-	210	10	Other races -----	460	200	20	240	-
Race not stated -----	2,320	110	10	10	2,190	Race not stated -----	700	100	-	-	600
MISSISSIPPI						RHODE ISLAND					
All races -----	26,890	19,910	6,730	220	30	All races -----	8,053	7,687	270	92	4
White -----	19,860	19,750	20	70	20	White -----	7,639	7,584	27	28	-
Black -----	6,850	140	6,700	10	-	Black -----	303	62	235	5	1
Other races -----	170	20	10	140	-	Other races -----	107	40	8	59	-
Race not stated -----	10	-	-	-	10	Race not stated -----	4	1	-	-	3
MISSOURI						SOUTH CAROLINA					
All races -----	53,258	46,685	3,975	226	2,372	All races -----	53,686	41,678	11,381	617	10
White -----	46,569	46,259	144	128	38	White -----	41,583	41,186	128	261	8
Black -----	4,150	309	3,818	12	11	Black -----	11,590	292	11,242	54	2
Other races -----	182	89	7	86	-	Other races -----	510	197	11	302	-
Race not stated -----	2,357	28	6	-	2,323	Race not stated -----	3	3	-	-	-
MONTANA						SOUTH DAKOTA					
All races -----	8,092	7,680	19	389	4	All races -----	8,002	7,606	50	340	6
White -----	7,715	7,550	4	161	-	White -----	7,582	7,488	6	84	4
Black -----	38	19	14	5	-	Black -----	80	24	44	12	-
Other races -----	335	111	1	223	-	Other races -----	336	92	-	244	-
Race not stated -----	4	-	-	-	4	Race not stated -----	4	2	-	-	2
NEBRASKA						TENNESSEE					
All races -----	13,703	13,227	342	133	1	All races -----	56,300	50,780	5,260	180	80
White -----	13,193	13,107	14	72	-	White -----	50,640	50,540	60	40	-
Black -----	410	76	327	7	-	Black -----	5,400	180	5,180	40	-
Other races -----	98	43	1	54	-	Other races -----	160	40	20	100	-
Race not stated -----	2	1	-	-	1	Race not stated -----	100	20	-	-	80
NEW HAMPSHIRE						UTAH					
All races -----	10,972	10,740	154	64	14	All races -----	18,425	17,600	95	370	360
White -----	10,680	10,618	20	41	1	White -----	17,495	17,350	-	115	30
Black -----	208	69	134	5	-	Black -----	170	75	95	-	-
Other races -----	69	50	-	18	1	Other races -----	390	135	-	255	-
Race not stated -----	15	3	-	-	12	Race not stated -----	370	40	-	-	330
NEW JERSEY						VERMONT					
All races -----	61,840	54,080	6,780	660	320	All races -----	5,595	5,522	6	26	41
White -----	53,620	52,980	260	300	80	White -----	5,513	5,494	3	16	-
Black -----	7,280	780	6,480	-	20	Black -----	23	20	3	-	-
Other races -----	700	320	20	360	-	Other races -----	18	8	-	10	-
Race not stated -----	240	-	20	-	220	Race not stated -----	41	-	-	-	41
NEW YORK ²						VIRGINIA					
All races -----	159,321	---	---	---	159,321	All races -----	61,790	51,993	8,804	978	15
White -----	---	---	---	---	---	White -----	51,921	51,269	234	413	5
Black -----	---	---	---	---	---	Black -----	9,090	499	8,530	58	3
Other races -----	---	---	---	---	---	Other races -----	765	219	39	507	-
Race not stated -----	159,321	---	---	---	159,321	Race not stated -----	14	6	1	-	7
NORTH CAROLINA						WEST VIRGINIA					
All races -----	52,130	43,250	8,400	450	30	All races -----	15,930	15,540	370	20	-
White -----	43,130	42,880	50	200	-	White -----	15,480	15,450	25	5	-
Black -----	8,530	160	8,300	60	10	Black -----	425	80	345	-	-
Other races -----	450	210	50	190	-	Other races -----	20	5	-	15	-
Race not stated -----	20	-	-	-	20	Race not stated -----	5	5	-	-	-
OHIO ²						WISCONSIN					
All races -----	99,900	---	---	---	99,900	All races -----	40,760	39,170	1,110	470	10
White -----	---	---	---	---	---	White -----	39,020	38,810	40	170	-
Black -----	---	---	---	---	---	Black -----	1,290	210	1,050	30	-
Other races -----	---	---	---	---	---	Other races -----	440	150	20	270	-
Race not stated -----	99,900	---	---	---	99,900	Race not stated -----	10	-	-	-	10
OREGON						WYOMING					
All races -----	23,285	21,705	170	595	815	All races -----	6,202	5,930	26	204	42
White -----	21,600	21,115	25	320	140	White -----	5,928	5,874	4	50	-
Black -----	260	105	135	10	10	Black -----	48	22	22	4	-
Other races -----	565	300	5	255	5	Other races -----	180	30	-	150	-
Race not stated -----	860	185	5	10	660	Race not stated -----	46	4	-	-	42

¹ Figures for race exclude data for California, Colorado, District of Columbia, Iowa, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, New York, and Ohio; these data are included in race not stated.

² This State did not require reporting of race.

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Table 1-22. Marriages by Day of Week Marriage Performed: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area	Total	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Marriage-registration area	1,890,791	149,723	99,914	81,521	83,271	105,501	345,198	1,025,663
Alabama	47,440	1,970	3,750	3,390	3,150	4,020	14,490	16,670
Alaska	6,553	517	556	463	370	601	1,648	2,398
California	152,420	17,560	5,360	4,540	5,120	6,520	16,180	97,140
Colorado	36,150	2,550	1,930	1,780	1,830	2,210	6,690	19,160
Connecticut	26,915	2,500	815	800	780	725	4,635	16,660
Delaware	5,579	318	127	206	185	206	1,115	3,422
District of Columbia	5,338	449	306	266	301	279	583	3,154
Florida	118,964	9,894	9,552	6,171	6,161	9,097	23,500	54,589
Georgia	72,820	4,300	6,340	4,500	4,000	4,540	16,360	32,780
Hawaii	14,050	1,262	1,220	1,218	1,264	1,264	2,216	5,606
Idaho	13,430	425	1,070	845	860	1,090	3,400	5,740
Illinois	103,734	8,182	4,052	4,160	4,468	4,816	16,192	61,864
Indiana	54,040	3,100	2,640	2,180	1,920	2,760	9,720	31,720
Iowa	26,770	950	900	700	670	1,080	5,220	17,250
Kansas	25,895	1,160	1,865	945	990	1,490	5,445	14,000
Kentucky	37,520	1,530	2,170	1,830	1,910	2,610	9,000	18,470
Louisiana	43,180	2,750	2,290	1,680	1,470	2,520	9,220	23,250
Maine	12,479	933	468	345	376	380	2,020	7,957
Maryland	47,120	3,690	3,940	2,090	2,800	3,570	10,260	20,770
Massachusetts	48,860	8,520	1,220	790	930	1,440	6,340	29,620
Michigan	78,940	2,540	3,000	2,460	2,600	3,580	17,880	46,880
Minnesota	36,320	1,260	790	740	930	1,110	6,150	25,340
Mississippi	26,890	2,040	1,630	1,310	1,260	1,960	6,180	12,510
Missouri	53,258	2,973	2,950	2,065	2,762	3,837	10,799	27,872
Montana	8,092	497	405	263	293	365	1,392	4,877
Nebraska	13,703	603	488	261	343	460	3,229	8,319
New Hampshire	10,972	953	457	290	237	431	1,608	6,996
New Jersey	61,840	9,620	2,460	2,120	2,260	3,240	6,980	35,160
New York	159,321	22,272	8,782	7,731	8,597	9,207	25,589	77,143
North Carolina	52,130	6,010	2,990	2,250	2,230	2,850	9,490	26,310
Ohio	99,900	5,000	4,580	4,940	4,660	4,620	17,800	58,300
Oregon	23,285	1,965	1,335	850	820	1,215	3,410	13,690
Pennsylvania	92,140	4,600	2,840	2,040	2,440	3,400	12,900	63,920
Rhode Island	8,053	1,468	224	141	147	209	789	5,075
South Carolina	53,686	5,139	2,903	3,761	3,540	4,039	11,472	22,832
South Dakota	8,002	304	496	382	398	504	1,990	3,928
Tennessee	56,300	3,000	4,980	4,260	3,380	4,120	13,960	22,600
Utah	18,425	335	1,130	1,360	1,425	2,185	6,200	5,790
Vermont	5,595	458	143	107	140	120	624	4,003
Virginia	61,790	3,465	4,049	3,396	3,447	4,066	12,041	31,326
West Virginia	15,930	1,175	855	695	465	955	3,245	8,540
Wisconsin	40,760	1,180	1,450	850	990	1,340	5,840	29,110
Wyoming	6,202	306	406	350	352	470	1,396	2,922

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Table 1-23. Marriages by Age of Bride, by Age of Groom: Marriage-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Age of bride	Total	Age of groom							
		Under 18 years	18 years	19 years	20 years	21 years	22 years	23 years	24 years
All ages-----	1,890,791	10,868	39,978	66,888	94,542	117,345	130,812	131,627	127,942
Under 18 years-----	74,432	6,072	14,243	14,609	12,531	8,741	5,311	3,662	2,751
18 years-----	108,119	2,308	12,234	19,158	18,939	16,909	11,707	7,518	6,568
19 years-----	127,731	933	6,870	15,998	21,534	20,852	17,256	11,958	8,508
20 years-----	136,168	515	2,955	8,264	17,751	22,205	21,374	17,002	12,817
21 years-----	139,212	271	1,218	3,731	9,431	19,054	22,968	19,777	15,433
22 years-----	144,205	190	700	2,142	4,738	11,112	21,552	22,389	19,905
23 years-----	128,113	192	386	1,238	2,587	5,954	10,966	18,329	18,541
24 years-----	116,340	88	335	995	1,752	3,499	5,781	10,118	15,539
25 years-----	105,103	56	211	730	1,396	2,261	3,632	6,106	9,448
26 years-----	90,477	75	171	496	886	1,775	2,649	3,907	5,318
27 years-----	78,478	36	163	321	642	1,295	1,780	2,637	3,646
28 years-----	67,893	55	157	247	652	871	1,256	1,948	2,652
29 years-----	60,730	10	33	253	377	628	1,064	1,385	2,075
30-34 years-----	210,987	43	210	466	929	1,521	2,450	3,515	4,516
35-44 years-----	185,219	24	92	240	309	625	825	1,194	1,353
45-54 years-----	66,270	-	-	-	26	42	37	76	51
55-64 years-----	32,869	-	-	-	2	1	4	6	21
65 years and over-----	18,445	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Age of bride	Age of groom—Con.									
	25 years	26 years	27 years	28 years	29 years	30-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and over
All ages-----	120,439	107,498	94,062	83,325	74,683	263,207	242,192	97,624	51,413	34,648
Under 18 years-----	1,692	1,056	830	685	532	1,136	483	54	26	19
18 years-----	4,006	2,575	1,753	1,229	798	2,252	945	135	45	40
19 years-----	6,574	4,242	3,046	2,224	1,758	3,883	1,751	196	71	17
20 years-----	8,962	6,018	4,437	2,934	2,477	5,868	2,393	288	86	22
21 years-----	11,436	8,885	6,357	4,590	3,279	8,806	3,478	387	79	32
22 years-----	14,883	10,530	6,284	6,475	4,766	11,516	4,526	366	80	51
23 years-----	15,529	12,783	6,735	6,843	5,361	14,219	5,606	670	120	54
24 years-----	15,480	13,066	10,977	7,942	6,311	16,340	7,228	732	125	32
25 years-----	14,208	12,656	10,382	8,446	6,818	18,748	8,721	1,044	197	43
26 years-----	7,626	10,868	10,140	8,249	7,664	19,872	9,336	1,251	163	31
27 years-----	5,091	6,548	7,751	7,670	7,354	21,173	10,636	1,523	264	48
28 years-----	3,690	4,800	5,207	7,159	5,885	19,957	11,542	1,485	286	44
29 years-----	2,853	3,469	4,186	4,820	5,283	19,524	12,604	1,809	309	48
30-34 years-----	6,203	7,644	8,936	10,511	12,013	69,760	67,390	12,814	1,784	282
35-44 years-----	2,111	2,120	2,809	3,171	4,138	27,972	83,438	42,562	10,633	1,603
45-54 years-----	90	233	207	313	241	2,068	11,236	27,686	19,451	4,513
55-64 years-----	5	6	25	64	5	113	799	4,208	15,305	12,305
65 years and over-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	180	414	2,389	15,462

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Table 1-24. First Marriages of Both Bride and Groom, by Age of Bride, by Age of Groom: Marriage-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data. Figures exclude data for Iowa]

Age of bride	Total	Age of groom							
		Under 18 years	18 years	19 years	20 years	21 years	22 years	23 years	24 years
All ages-----	1,002,557	10,165	37,220	62,016	83,254	100,545	109,156	103,257	97,084
Under 18 years-----	67,303	5,937	13,809	14,033	11,885	7,970	4,839	2,897	2,186
18 years-----	95,028	2,182	11,776	18,251	17,625	15,601	10,515	6,337	4,534
19 years-----	108,370	860	6,503	14,945	20,163	19,172	15,674	10,127	6,973
20 years-----	110,269	476	2,685	7,431	15,956	20,203	19,094	14,554	10,228
21 years-----	108,622	262	1,105	3,226	8,506	17,034	20,358	16,702	13,086
22 years-----	107,432	154	463	1,629	3,895	9,636	18,900	19,038	16,592
23 years-----	88,678	110	272	770	1,861	4,511	9,042	15,425	15,314
24 years-----	74,539	73	174	614	1,189	2,416	4,193	7,752	12,552
25 years-----	60,489	13	113	403	816	1,418	2,318	4,081	6,708
26 years-----	45,463	35	61	250	393	1,000	1,458	2,260	3,266
27 years-----	33,508	25	82	280	327	583	852	1,299	1,992
28 years-----	25,325	3	67	48	289	280	521	899	1,168
29 years-----	19,828	2	8	79	136	190	531	491	916
30-34 years-----	41,926	13	75	148	163	419	752	1,084	1,344
35-44 years-----	12,511	-	15	58	50	94	101	199	197
45-54 years-----	2,159	-	-	-	-	13	8	12	7
55-64 years-----	1,066	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21
65 years and over-----	241	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Age of bride	Age of groom--Con.									
	25 years	26 years	27 years	28 years	29 years	30-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and over
All ages-----	84,971	69,793	55,158	43,067	33,924	80,678	28,125	3,872	1,816	856
Under 18 years-----	1,283	682	552	364	284	397	114	22	22	7
18 years-----	3,088	1,798	1,210	670	381	822	184	27	3	16
19 years-----	5,006	2,831	1,834	1,218	955	1,560	439	41	30	13
20 years-----	6,682	4,207	2,882	1,606	1,383	2,151	465	78	26	7
21 years-----	8,837	6,532	4,050	2,745	1,812	3,479	729	109	23	28
22 years-----	11,980	7,684	5,568	3,864	2,553	4,593	798	44	25	15
23 years-----	12,232	8,467	5,853	4,078	2,838	5,680	1,056	57	8	2
24 years-----	12,012	8,585	7,668	4,858	3,479	6,622	1,219	112	8	11
25 years-----	10,557	8,126	6,940	5,168	3,601	7,381	1,489	99	24	10
26 years-----	5,104	7,156	6,385	4,964	3,670	7,782	1,404	70	3	2
27 years-----	2,810	3,917	4,674	4,075	3,293	7,849	1,515	112	14	7
28 years-----	1,780	2,486	2,540	3,767	2,911	6,764	1,630	144	8	-
29 years-----	1,159	1,578	1,836	2,039	2,242	6,321	1,915	146	32	1
30-34 years-----	2,055	2,354	2,697	3,045	3,393	15,913	7,701	635	107	28
35-44 years-----	374	348	424	532	608	3,194	4,833	1,175	284	25
45-54 years-----	12	31	41	14	10	159	527	819	436	70
55-64 years-----	2	1	1	21	-	11	73	176	496	266
65 years and over-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	4	65	148

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Table 1-25. Marriages by Previous Marital Status and Age of Bride, by Age of Groom (All Grooms and Single Grooms): Marriage-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data. Figures for all grooms by single, widowed, and divorced brides exclude data for Iowa; these data are included in previous marital status not stated. All figures for single grooms exclude data for Iowa. All figures for widowed and divorced exclude data for Michigan, Ohio, and South Carolina; these data are included in previous marital status not stated]

Previous marital status and age of bride	Total	Age of groom								
		Under 18 years	18-19 years	20-24 years	25-29 years	30-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and over
All grooms										
Single bride	1,217,755	10,233	99,849	515,552	346,115	140,319	79,727	16,833	6,250	2,877
Under 18 years	71,856	5,952	28,046	31,706	4,562	1,098	409	53	25	7
18-19 years	222,617	3,092	51,741	132,981	26,332	5,540	2,481	318	106	48
20-24 years	568,784	1,078	18,555	310,123	175,460	44,526	16,877	1,734	312	119
25-29 years	247,751	98	1,211	36,038	120,657	58,924	26,509	3,587	603	124
30-34 years	70,359	13	223	3,974	16,147	24,994	20,632	3,520	744	112
35-44 years	27,609	-	73	668	2,804	4,982	11,832	5,161	1,749	360
45-54 years	5,579	-	-	41	128	263	871	2,095	1,624	557
55-64 years	2,399	-	-	21	25	14	109	327	946	957
65 years and over	801	-	-	-	-	-	27	38	141	595
Widowed bride	56,476	34	163	1,536	3,089	3,419	7,325	9,788	13,000	18,122
Under 25 years	1,687	32	94	634	543	147	152	33	31	21
25-34 years	6,797	1	62	675	1,893	1,739	1,945	354	108	20
35-44 years	9,062	1	7	185	480	1,294	3,420	2,782	741	172
45-54 years	11,905	-	-	61	149	230	1,436	4,902	4,027	1,100
55-64 years	14,348	-	-	1	24	9	250	1,473	6,556	6,035
65 years and over	12,877	-	-	-	-	-	122	244	1,537	10,774
Divorced bride	485,362	328	5,162	56,973	102,139	98,220	129,444	58,808	25,225	9,083
Under 20 years	6,115	64	1,122	3,222	1,090	391	210	14	1	1
20-24 years	64,665	143	2,358	24,670	22,506	9,328	4,938	539	143	40
25-29 years	122,831	70	1,150	19,017	45,157	32,374	21,585	2,925	468	85
30-34 years	113,156	28	354	7,033	23,361	36,263	37,593	7,505	884	135
35-44 years	125,269	23	178	2,901	9,343	18,446	57,639	28,913	6,829	997
45-54 years	39,594	-	-	120	626	1,360	7,170	17,012	10,987	2,319
55-64 years	11,168	-	-	10	56	58	291	1,794	5,561	3,398
65 years and over	2,564	-	-	-	-	-	18	106	352	2,088
Previous marital status not stated	131,198	273	3,692	27,907	28,664	21,249	25,696	12,195	6,938	4,584
Single groom ¹										
Widowed bride	8,225	34	161	1,194	2,023	1,178	1,280	997	909	449
Under 25 years	1,005	32	92	487	325	45	4	20	-	-
25-34 years	2,789	1	62	512	1,249	587	342	24	10	2
35-44 years	1,794	1	7	134	306	453	557	264	70	2
45-54 years	1,194	-	-	60	121	85	275	406	210	37
55-64 years	926	-	-	1	22	8	57	210	442	185
65 years and over	518	-	-	-	-	-	45	73	177	223
Divorced bride	159,889	197	4,869	45,282	57,832	30,477	16,263	3,316	1,267	386
Under 20 years	4,025	64	1,034	2,385	486	35	40	1	-	-
20-24 years	35,283	71	2,256	19,004	11,437	2,052	400	28	22	13
25-29 years	55,764	31	1,119	16,578	26,221	9,996	2,576	197	46	1
30-34 years	37,678	28	320	5,898	13,721	12,011	5,203	426	66	5
35-44 years	22,303	3	140	2,325	5,513	5,818	6,740	1,491	246	27
45-54 years	3,749	-	-	104	403	525	1,211	954	471	81
55-64 years	889	-	-	8	51	40	90	209	372	119
65 years and over	198	-	-	-	-	-	4	10	44	140
Previous marital status not stated	27,235	86	1,204	8,983	9,572	3,987	2,385	525	419	74

¹Marriages of single grooms and single brides are shown by age in table 1-24.

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Table 1-26. Marriages by Previous Marital Status and Age of Groom, by Age of Bride (All Brides and Single Brides): Marriage-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data. Figures for all brides by single, widowed, and divorced grooms exclude data for Iowa; these data are included in previous marital status not stated. All figures for single brides exclude data for Iowa. All figures for widowed and divorced exclude data for Michigan, Ohio, and South Carolina; these data are included in previous marital status not stated]

Previous marital status and age of groom	Total	Age of bride									
		Under 18 years	18-19 years	20-24 years	25-29 years	30-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and over	
All brides											
Single groom	1,197,906	67,967	208,120	531,935	251,055	87,137	39,731	7,807	3,152	1,002	
Under 18 years	10,492	5,953	3,130	1,170	172	43	4	-	-	-	
18-19 years	105,470	28,054	52,617	21,202	2,677	637	283	-	-	-	
20-24 years	548,755	30,087	129,579	321,266	52,926	11,113	3,539	214	31	-	
25-29 years	356,340	3,290	19,559	157,956	135,745	30,133	8,830	729	98	-	
30-34 years	118,320	398	2,439	24,924	47,533	29,926	10,168	865	67	-	
35-44 years	46,053	124	665	4,756	11,048	13,911	13,036	2,191	247	75	
45-54 years	8,710	22	69	450	803	1,152	3,154	2,309	658	98	
55-64 years	4,211	22	33	114	130	187	661	1,302	1,446	314	
65 years and over	1,565	7	29	97	21	36	56	197	603	520	
Widowed groom	51,604	157	262	1,401	2,322	2,880	8,405	11,403	13,361	14,413	
Under 25 years	410	84	48	187	60	5	25	1	-	-	
25-34 years	2,503	36	108	595	818	529	336	79	2	-	
35-44 years	4,701	22	62	331	853	1,134	1,924	326	36	13	
45-54 years	8,158	2	25	116	287	822	3,143	3,190	534	39	
55-64 years	14,977	3	7	131	201	277	2,284	5,473	5,762	839	
65 years and over	20,855	10	12	41	103	113	693	2,334	7,027	10,522	
Divorced groom	510,107	4,131	17,629	96,972	122,494	100,030	115,370	36,305	11,494	3,682	
Under 20 years	856	204	221	243	92	39	57	-	-	-	
20-24 years	30,182	1,738	5,893	15,592	4,972	1,390	588	17	2	-	
25-29 years	98,038	1,252	6,748	37,823	33,477	12,108	4,341	286	3	-	
30-34 years	120,820	639	2,996	26,151	42,756	32,329	14,727	1,005	17	-	
35-44 years	162,044	269	1,568	15,325	35,235	45,728	58,275	7,170	393	87	
45-54 years	67,734	27	167	1,578	5,169	9,213	30,339	18,544	2,436	261	
55-64 years	25,119	1	42	210	711	1,128	6,305	9,894	5,926	902	
65 years and over	7,514	1	4	50	82	95	738	1,389	2,717	2,438	
Previous marital status not stated	131,174	2,177	9,839	33,730	26,810	20,940	21,713	8,755	4,882	2,348	
Single bride ¹											
Widowed groom	6,597	126	256	983	1,247	838	1,304	898	545	400	
Under 25 years	296	64	47	143	42	-	-	-	-	-	
25-34 years	1,360	36	104	432	487	179	102	20	-	-	
35-44 years	1,363	22	61	214	417	307	323	10	8	3	
45-54 years	1,108	2	25	105	180	219	342	217	17	5	
55-64 years	1,246	2	7	61	76	112	383	371	186	48	
65 years and over	1,224	-	12	28	45	21	154	280	334	350	
Divorced groom	180,491	3,798	15,689	66,920	54,852	23,968	12,300	2,194	657	113	
Under 20 years	476	160	177	108	31	-	-	-	-	-	
20-24 years	18,303	1,612	5,095	9,854	1,511	207	23	1	-	-	
25-29 years	51,068	1,182	6,156	28,497	14,399	2,384	431	19	-	-	
30-34 years	50,980	602	2,617	18,624	19,931	7,599	1,524	80	3	-	
35-44 years	45,643	215	1,443	10,629	16,067	10,936	5,998	326	27	2	
45-54 years	10,388	26	155	1,054	2,478	2,394	3,189	928	131	33	
55-64 years	2,891	1	42	129	380	408	991	696	221	23	
65 years and over	742	-	4	25	55	40	144	144	275	55	
Previous marital status not stated	26,110	629	3,274	11,341	7,241	3,627	1,494	328	129	47	

¹ Marriages of single grooms and single brides are shown by age in table 1-24.

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Table 1-27. Marriages by Age of Widowed and Divorced Brides, by Age of Widowed and Divorced Grooms: Marriage-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data. Figures exclude data for Iowa, Michigan, Ohio, and South Carolina]

Age of widowed and divorced bride	Age of widowed groom						Age of divorced groom						
	Total	Under 35 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and over	Total	Under 25 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and over
Widowed bride-----	24,233	118	351	2,197	6,710	14,857	23,579	321	3,117	5,601	6,503	5,315	2,722
Under 35 years -----	342	60	98	56	91	37	4,271	290	2,019	1,636	286	38	2
35-44 years -----	1,250	33	197	606	295	119	5,914	31	949	2,608	1,908	371	51
45-54 years -----	4,024	25	38	1,210	1,946	805	6,809	-	147	1,108	3,244	1,854	256
55-64 years -----	8,868	-	7	305	3,720	4,836	4,431	-	2	185	916	2,368	980
65 years and over -----	9,749	-	11	20	658	9,060	2,354	-	-	66	151	684	1,453
Divorced bride-----	20,370	1,093	2,959	4,804	6,903	4,611	302,816	11,747	109,925	109,835	50,521	16,783	4,005
Under 25 years -----	319	161	104	11	41	2	30,855	6,599	19,038	4,601	511	80	26
25-34 years -----	2,828	669	1,159	641	226	133	138,548	4,542	73,775	50,003	9,154	994	80
35-44 years -----	5,803	226	1,400	2,170	1,591	416	96,674	588	16,087	49,385	25,138	4,934	542
45-54 years -----	6,390	35	274	1,754	3,094	1,233	29,240	16	1,011	5,654	14,269	7,303	987
55-64 years -----	3,841	2	21	210	1,821	1,787	6,333	2	14	179	1,374	3,296	1,468
65 years and over -----	1,189	-	1	18	130	1,040	1,166	-	-	13	75	176	902

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Table 1-28. Marriages by Previous Marital Status, Age, and Race of Bride and Groom: Marriage-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data. Figures by race exclude data for California, Colorado, District of Columbia, Iowa, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, New York, and Ohio. These data are included in race not stated; see table 4-9. Figures for single and previously married exclude data for Iowa; these data are included in previous marital status not stated. Figures for widowed and divorced exclude data for Michigan, Ohio, and South Carolina; these data are included in widowed or divorced not stated]

Previous marital status and age	Bride					Groom				
	All races	White	Black	Other races	Race not stated	All races	White	Black	Other races	Race not stated
ALL MARRIAGES										
All ages -----	1,890,791	1,083,795	125,867	17,531	683,598	1,890,791	1,061,856	130,250	15,944	682,741
Under 18 years -----	74,432	52,265	2,821	530	18,816	10,868	8,312	296	47	2,213
18-19 years -----	235,850	145,765	13,393	1,619	75,073	108,866	71,473	5,535	756	31,102
20-24 years -----	664,038	370,419	43,600	5,895	244,324	601,968	346,467	40,883	4,408	210,210
25-29 years -----	402,681	212,239	28,944	4,815	156,883	480,007	255,180	33,906	4,757	186,164
30-34 years -----	210,987	110,106	16,105	2,524	82,252	263,207	139,673	19,599	2,787	101,148
35-44 years -----	185,219	104,110	12,567	1,867	66,655	242,192	134,924	16,284	2,175	88,829
45-54 years -----	66,270	38,037	5,107	499	22,627	97,624	55,631	7,278	625	34,090
55-64 years -----	32,869	19,076	2,438	126	11,229	51,413	29,142	3,902	246	18,123
65 years and over -----	18,445	11,778	892	38	5,739	34,646	21,054	2,587	143	10,862
SINGLE										
All ages -----	1,217,755	657,743	91,637	12,512	455,863	1,197,906	651,422	90,913	11,900	443,671
Under 18 years -----	71,866	51,130	2,787	511	17,428	10,482	8,051	295	47	2,089
18-19 years -----	222,617	138,835	13,294	1,596	68,892	105,470	70,259	5,444	750	29,017
20-24 years -----	568,784	309,142	40,910	5,218	213,514	548,755	316,029	39,284	4,177	189,265
25-29 years -----	247,751	116,307	21,866	3,462	106,116	356,340	178,031	28,021	4,096	146,192
30-34 years -----	70,359	38,828	7,591	1,134	32,806	116,320	53,403	10,489	1,937	50,491
35-44 years -----	27,609	9,951	3,640	484	13,534	46,053	19,466	5,076	736	20,775
45-54 years -----	5,579	2,051	970	92	2,466	8,710	3,538	1,388	111	3,673
55-64 years -----	2,399	1,097	463	12	827	4,211	1,876	597	42	1,696
65 years and over -----	801	402	118	3	280	1,565	769	319	4	473
PREVIOUSLY MARRIED										
All ages -----	629,427	394,429	33,415	4,926	196,657	650,290	399,654	38,422	3,935	208,279
Under 20 years -----	7,451	6,052	83	19	1,297	1,081	911	26	1	143
20-24 years -----	76,746	69,846	2,424	457	18,019	35,783	25,906	1,376	190	6,311
25-29 years -----	146,428	93,204	6,822	1,125	46,277	112,422	73,442	5,615	650	32,715
30-34 years -----	137,207	80,298	8,431	1,388	47,090	141,947	85,028	8,920	830	47,169
35-44 years -----	154,486	93,821	8,656	1,383	50,426	192,721	114,984	11,145	1,407	65,205
45-54 years -----	59,774	35,913	4,120	407	19,334	87,368	51,993	5,863	514	28,998
55-64 years -----	30,039	17,964	1,903	114	10,058	46,452	27,165	3,249	204	15,834
65 years and over -----	17,286	11,331	776	33	5,156	32,516	20,245	2,228	139	9,904
Previously widowed -----	56,476	38,138	3,822	394	14,122	61,604	33,564	3,984	290	13,776
Under 25 years -----	1,687	1,155	92	5	435	410	306	20	-	84
25-34 years -----	6,797	4,378	588	124	1,707	2,503	1,518	195	32	758
35-44 years -----	9,062	5,876	779	118	2,289	4,701	2,858	589	22	1,232
45-54 years -----	11,905	7,829	971	70	3,035	8,158	4,994	787	88	2,289
55-64 years -----	14,348	9,887	895	52	3,514	14,977	9,404	1,085	59	4,429
65 years and over -----	12,677	9,013	497	25	3,142	20,855	14,474	1,308	89	4,984
Previously divorced -----	485,362	333,369	26,598	4,252	121,143	510,107	344,430	31,067	3,478	131,132
Under 20 years -----	6,115	5,395	67	19	634	866	801	22	1	32
20-24 years -----	64,665	51,029	2,133	429	11,074	30,162	23,924	1,266	179	4,813
25-29 years -----	122,831	86,087	5,977	1,007	29,760	96,038	68,708	5,031	611	21,686
30-34 years -----	113,156	73,224	7,287	1,227	31,418	120,620	79,663	8,003	755	32,199
35-44 years -----	125,269	82,687	7,296	1,188	34,098	162,044	106,036	9,533	1,341	45,134
45-54 years -----	39,594	25,974	2,823	324	10,473	67,734	44,185	4,607	411	18,531
55-64 years -----	11,168	7,140	805	54	3,169	25,119	16,221	1,881	136	6,881
65 years and over -----	2,564	1,833	210	4	517	7,514	4,892	724	44	1,854
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	87,589	22,922	2,995	280	61,392	88,579	21,670	3,371	167	63,371
PREVIOUS MARITAL STATUS NOT STATED										
Total ¹ -----	43,609	11,623	815	93	31,078	42,595	10,780	915	109	30,791

¹ Figures are included in all marriages.

SECTION 1 — MARRIAGES

Table 1-29. Marriages by Previous Marital Status and Race of Bride and Groom: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area and race	Previous marital status of bride							Previous marital status of groom						
	All marriages	Single	Previously married				Previous marital status not stated	All marriages	Single	Previously married				Previous marital status not stated
			Total	Widowed	Divorced	Widowed or divorced not stated				Total	Widowed	Divorced	Widowed or divorced not stated	
Marriage-registration area ¹	1,890,791	1,217,755	629,427	56,476	485,362	87,589	43,609	1,890,791	1,197,906	650,290	51,604	510,107	88,579	42,595
White	1,063,795	657,743	394,429	38,138	333,369	22,922	11,623	1,061,856	651,422	399,654	33,554	344,430	21,670	10,780
Black	125,867	91,637	33,415	3,822	26,593	2,995	815	130,250	90,913	38,422	3,984	31,067	3,371	915
Other races	17,531	12,512	4,926	394	4,252	280	93	15,944	11,900	3,935	290	3,478	167	109
Race not stated	683,598	455,863	196,657	14,122	121,143	61,392	31,078	682,741	443,671	208,279	13,776	131,132	63,371	30,791
Alabama	47,440	27,580	19,850	1,980	17,760	110	10	47,440	27,460	19,980	1,760	18,120	100	-
White	39,020	21,490	17,520	1,760	15,660	100	10	38,990	21,590	17,400	1,490	15,830	80	-
Black	8,330	6,030	2,300	220	2,070	10	-	8,360	5,810	2,570	270	2,280	20	-
Other races	80	60	20	-	20	-	-	60	50	10	-	10	-	-
Race not stated	10	-	10	-	10	-	-	10	10	-	-	-	-	-
Alaska	6,553	3,651	2,874	153	2,618	103	28	6,553	3,796	2,740	93	2,550	97	17
White	5,243	2,799	2,428	120	2,217	89	18	5,458	3,085	2,382	78	2,197	87	11
Black	182	109	70	2	67	1	3	234	147	85	5	79	1	2
Other races	859	603	251	27	215	9	5	589	418	167	9	153	5	4
Race not stated	269	140	127	4	119	4	2	272	148	126	1	121	4	-
California ²	152,420	108,860	43,480	4,600	38,700	180	80	152,420	105,240	47,120	4,760	42,240	120	60
White	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Black	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other races	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Race not stated	152,420	108,860	43,480	4,600	38,700	180	80	152,420	105,240	47,120	4,760	42,240	120	60
Colorado ²	36,150	21,910	14,080	1,080	13,000	-	160	36,150	22,340	13,520	850	12,670	-	290
White	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Black	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other races	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Race not stated	36,150	21,910	14,080	1,080	13,000	-	160	36,150	22,340	13,520	850	12,670	-	290
Connecticut	26,915	19,110	7,755	785	6,765	205	50	26,915	18,290	8,485	775	7,515	195	140
White	24,920	17,610	7,280	755	6,345	180	30	24,595	16,880	7,680	720	6,860	100	35
Black	1,700	1,260	435	30	385	20	5	1,800	1,160	635	50	575	10	5
Other races	135	120	15	-	15	-	-	185	130	35	-	35	-	-
Race not stated	160	120	25	-	20	5	15	355	120	135	5	45	85	100
Delaware	5,579	3,810	1,769	176	1,593	-	-	5,579	3,701	1,878	163	1,715	-	-
White	4,802	3,220	1,582	154	1,428	-	-	4,774	3,118	1,656	138	1,518	-	-
Black	752	575	177	21	156	-	-	777	559	218	25	193	-	-
Other races	23	14	9	1	8	-	-	28	22	4	-	4	-	-
Race not stated	2	1	1	-	1	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-
District of Columbia ²	5,338	4,054	1,284	131	1,149	4	-	5,338	3,750	1,588	152	1,433	3	-
White	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Black	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other races	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Race not stated	5,338	4,054	1,284	131	1,149	4	-	5,338	3,750	1,588	152	1,433	3	-
Florida	118,964	67,225	51,695	5,708	45,886	121	44	118,964	66,647	52,287	5,309	46,865	113	30
White	104,323	56,998	47,285	5,278	41,901	106	40	104,136	56,515	47,596	4,878	42,624	94	25
Black	13,510	9,489	4,017	401	3,609	7	4	13,830	9,415	4,411	415	3,988	8	4
Other races	1,033	676	357	27	322	8	-	928	676	252	14	227	11	-
Race not stated	98	62	36	2	34	-	-	70	41	28	2	26	-	1
Georgia	72,820	39,780	32,900	3,000	29,620	280	140	72,820	39,680	33,100	2,240	30,740	120	40
White	58,040	29,640	28,320	2,560	25,520	240	80	58,020	29,580	28,420	1,760	26,580	80	40
Black	13,760	9,840	4,100	440	3,620	40	40	13,850	9,480	4,400	480	3,880	40	-
Other races	500	220	280	-	280	-	-	720	520	200	-	200	-	-
Race not stated	500	280	200	-	200	-	20	220	140	80	-	80	-	-
Hawaii	14,050	8,896	5,154	410	4,740	4	-	14,050	8,888	5,162	416	4,744	2	-
White	7,468	3,890	3,578	266	3,312	-	-	7,952	4,230	3,722	290	3,432	-	-
Black	374	302	72	4	68	-	-	608	500	108	6	102	-	-
Other races	6,206	4,702	1,504	140	1,360	4	-	5,480	4,150	1,330	120	1,208	2	-
Race not stated	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	10	8	2	-	2	-	-
Idaho	13,430	7,300	6,080	565	5,515	-	50	13,430	7,515	5,895	480	5,415	-	20
White	12,915	6,995	5,870	545	5,325	-	50	12,880	7,190	5,670	475	5,195	-	20
Black	25	10	15	-	15	-	-	35	20	15	5	10	-	-
Other races	160	195	60	10	50	-	-	135	90	45	-	45	-	-
Race not stated	330	195	135	10	125	-	-	380	215	165	-	165	-	-
Illinois	103,734	71,089	32,642	3,272	28,601	769	3	103,734	69,824	33,907	3,105	30,010	792	3
White	87,666	59,377	28,287	2,770	25,003	514	2	87,519	58,558	28,959	2,659	25,774	526	2
Black	11,673	8,499	3,174	386	2,667	221	-	12,045	8,293	3,751	347	3,167	237	1
Other races	633	504	129	6	105	18	-	578	480	118	7	97	14	-
Race not stated	3,762	2,709	1,052	110	926	16	1	3,592	2,513	1,079	92	972	15	-

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SECTION 1 — MARRIAGES

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Table 1-29. Marriages by Previous Marital Status and Race of Bride and Groom: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and race	Previous marital status of bride							Previous marital status of groom						
	All marriages	Single	Previously married				Previous marital status not stated	All marriages	Single	Previously married				Previous marital status not stated
			Total	Widowed	Divorced	Widowed or divorced not stated				Total	Widowed	Divorced	Widowed or divorced not stated	
Indiana -----	54,040	33,300	20,120	2,000	17,940	180	620	54,040	33,120	20,640	1,780	18,720	140	280
White -----	36,560	22,940	13,140	1,440	11,560	140	480	36,560	23,260	13,460	1,280	12,060	120	180
Black -----	1,500	920	580	40	540	-	-	1,520	860	640	80	560	-	20
Other races -----	160	80	80	-	80	-	-	120	60	60	-	60	-	-
Race not stated -----	15,820	9,360	6,320	520	5,760	40	140	15,520	8,940	6,480	420	6,040	20	100
Iowa ^{2,3} -----	26,770	-	-	-	-	-	26,770	26,770	-	-	-	-	-	26,770
White -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Black -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other races -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Race not stated -----	26,770	-	-	-	-	-	26,770	26,770	-	-	-	-	-	26,770
Kansas -----	25,895	15,880	9,970	885	9,045	40	45	25,895	16,130	9,735	805	8,905	25	30
White -----	24,045	14,575	9,440	845	8,570	25	30	23,845	14,725	9,105	770	8,315	20	15
Black -----	1,335	970	355	30	310	15	10	1,590	1,075	505	35	465	5	10
Other races -----	465	305	160	10	150	-	-	425	315	110	-	110	-	-
Race not stated -----	50	30	15	-	15	-	5	35	15	15	-	15	-	5
Kentucky -----	37,520	23,020	14,490	1,760	12,680	50	10	37,520	22,580	14,920	1,390	13,510	20	20
White -----	35,080	21,340	13,740	1,660	12,030	50	-	34,930	20,980	13,950	1,260	12,670	20	20
Black -----	2,100	1,540	560	100	460	-	-	2,270	1,410	860	120	740	-	-
Other races -----	110	30	80	-	80	-	-	60	60	-	-	-	-	-
Race not stated -----	230	110	110	-	110	-	10	260	150	110	10	100	-	-
Louisiana -----	43,180	26,960	14,360	1,340	12,360	660	1,860	43,180	26,530	14,810	1,370	12,940	500	1,840
White -----	33,690	20,080	12,150	1,030	10,530	590	1,460	33,620	20,080	12,120	960	10,750	410	1,420
Black -----	9,230	6,700	2,140	300	1,780	60	390	9,300	6,260	2,640	410	2,140	90	400
Other races -----	220	160	50	10	30	10	10	220	170	30	-	30	-	20
Race not stated -----	40	20	20	-	20	-	-	40	20	20	-	20	-	-
Maine -----	12,479	8,068	4,411	415	3,994	2	-	12,479	7,936	4,543	386	4,155	2	-
White -----	12,340	7,967	4,373	409	3,964	-	-	12,289	7,801	4,488	384	4,104	-	-
Black -----	34	30	4	1	3	-	-	76	61	15	1	14	-	-
Other races -----	73	50	23	4	19	-	-	83	55	28	1	27	-	-
Race not stated -----	32	21	11	1	8	2	-	31	19	12	-	10	2	-
Maryland ² -----	47,120	31,680	15,910	1,630	13,680	-	130	47,120	30,490	16,610	1,450	15,160	-	20
White -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Black -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other races -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Race not stated -----	47,120	31,680	15,310	1,630	13,680	-	130	47,120	30,490	16,610	1,450	15,160	-	20
Massachusetts ² -----	48,860	36,620	12,220	1,190	10,910	120	20	48,860	35,500	13,360	1,380	11,810	170	-
White -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Black -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other races -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Race not stated -----	48,860	36,620	12,220	1,190	10,910	120	20	48,860	35,500	13,360	1,380	11,810	170	-
Michigan ^{2,4} -----	78,940	53,420	25,520	-	-	25,520	-	78,940	51,580	27,360	-	-	27,360	-
White -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Black -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other races -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Race not stated -----	78,940	53,420	25,520	-	-	25,520	-	78,940	51,580	27,360	-	-	27,360	-
Minnesota -----	36,320	19,180	9,160	1,120	7,870	170	7,980	36,320	19,770	9,790	990	8,750	50	7,760
White -----	32,820	18,100	8,320	970	7,180	170	6,400	32,920	17,780	8,940	920	7,970	50	6,200
Black -----	500	150	120	10	110	-	230	680	170	170	20	150	-	340
Other races -----	440	220	170	30	140	-	50	400	230	100	-	100	-	70
Race not stated -----	2,560	710	550	110	440	-	1,300	2,320	590	580	50	530	-	1,150
Mississippi -----	26,890	15,460	11,420	1,340	10,000	80	10	26,890	15,850	11,030	1,040	9,970	20	10
White -----	19,910	10,420	9,490	990	8,430	70	-	19,860	10,930	8,930	760	8,150	20	-
Black -----	6,730	4,890	1,830	340	1,480	10	10	6,850	4,800	2,040	280	1,760	-	10
Other races -----	220	130	90	10	80	-	-	170	120	50	-	50	-	-
Race not stated -----	30	20	10	-	10	-	-	10	-	10	-	10	-	-
Missouri -----	53,258	31,285	19,794	2,037	17,290	467	2,179	53,258	30,842	20,277	1,736	18,106	435	2,139
White -----	46,685	28,214	18,216	1,873	15,984	359	255	46,569	27,732	18,605	1,603	16,667	335	232
Black -----	3,975	2,652	1,304	140	1,075	89	19	4,160	2,712	1,424	116	1,225	83	14
Other races -----	226	160	64	5	57	2	2	182	138	44	4	39	1	-
Race not stated -----	2,372	259	210	19	174	17	1,903	2,357	260	204	13	175	16	1,893
Montana -----	8,092	5,225	2,860	273	2,587	-	7	8,092	5,239	2,846	244	2,602	-	7
White -----	7,680	4,972	2,704	253	2,451	-	4	7,715	4,981	2,730	236	2,494	-	4
Black -----	19	15	4	-	4	-	-	38	31	7	-	7	-	-
Other races -----	389	237	152	20	132	-	-	335	226	109	8	101	-	-
Race not stated -----	4	1	-	-	-	-	3	4	1	-	-	-	-	3

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SECTION 1 — MARRIAGES

Table 1-29. Marriages by Previous Marital Status and Race of Bride and Groom: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and race	Previous marital status of bride							Previous marital status of groom						
	All marriages	Single	Previously married				Previous marital status not stated	All marriages	Single	Previously married				Previous marital status not stated
			Total	Widowed	Divorced	Widowed or divorced not stated				Total	Widowed	Divorced	Widowed or divorced not stated	
Nebraska	13,703	9,773	3,928	519	3,408	3	2	13,703	9,811	3,890	425	3,464	1	2
White	13,227	9,422	3,804	507	3,294	3	1	13,193	9,454	3,738	411	3,326	1	1
Black	342	257	85	9	76	—	—	410	284	126	13	113	—	—
Other races	133	94	39	3	36	—	—	98	72	26	1	25	—	—
Race not stated	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	1	—	—	—	—	1
New Hampshire	10,972	6,978	3,994	357	3,637	—	—	10,972	6,664	4,106	343	3,765	—	—
White	10,740	6,809	3,931	351	3,580	—	—	10,680	6,654	4,026	339	3,687	—	—
Black	154	117	37	4	33	—	—	208	152	56	3	53	—	—
Other races	64	43	21	2	19	—	—	69	50	19	1	18	—	—
Race not stated	14	9	5	—	5	—	—	15	8	7	—	7	—	—
New Jersey	61,840	45,840	15,980	1,620	14,340	20	20	61,840	44,720	17,120	1,900	15,220	—	—
White	64,080	39,000	14,180	1,400	12,760	20	—	63,620	38,580	15,040	1,620	13,420	—	—
Black	6,780	5,140	1,620	220	1,400	—	20	7,280	5,400	1,880	240	1,640	—	—
Other races	680	560	80	—	80	—	—	700	540	160	20	140	—	—
Race not stated	320	220	100	—	100	—	—	240	200	40	20	20	—	—
New York ²	159,321	118,823	40,361	4,624	35,023	714	137	159,321	115,350	43,903	4,518	38,837	548	68
White	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Black	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other races	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Race not stated	159,321	118,823	40,361	4,624	35,023	714	137	159,321	115,350	43,903	4,518	38,837	548	68
North Carolina	52,130	33,610	18,510	2,000	16,500	10	10	52,130	33,990	18,140	1,620	16,520	—	—
White	43,250	26,740	16,500	1,690	14,800	10	10	43,130	27,170	15,960	1,350	14,610	—	—
Black	8,400	6,530	1,870	300	1,570	—	—	8,530	6,490	2,040	270	1,770	—	—
Other races	450	310	140	10	130	—	—	450	330	120	—	120	—	—
Race not stated	30	30	—	—	—	—	—	20	—	20	—	20	—	—
Ohio ^{2,4}	99,900	64,940	34,760	---	---	34,760	200	99,900	64,740	35,000	---	---	35,000	160
White	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Black	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other races	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Race not stated	99,900	64,940	34,760	---	---	34,760	200	99,900	64,740	35,000	---	---	35,000	160
Oregon	23,285	14,120	9,090	895	8,195	—	75	23,285	14,115	9,055	710	8,345	—	115
White	21,705	13,110	8,555	835	7,720	—	40	21,600	13,005	8,505	675	7,830	—	90
Black	170	125	45	10	35	—	—	280	175	85	—	85	—	—
Other races	595	435	145	10	135	—	15	565	420	140	15	125	—	5
Race not stated	815	450	345	40	305	—	20	880	515	325	20	305	—	20
Pennsylvania	92,140	65,920	23,860	2,740	21,020	100	2,360	92,140	64,400	25,440	2,620	22,580	240	2,300
White	84,080	59,900	21,880	2,400	19,380	100	2,300	83,880	58,560	23,100	2,300	20,580	220	2,220
Black	6,900	5,180	1,680	300	1,380	—	40	7,100	5,000	2,020	260	1,760	—	80
Other races	400	320	80	—	80	—	—	460	360	100	40	80	—	—
Race not stated	760	520	220	40	180	—	20	700	480	220	20	180	20	—
Rhode Island	8,053	5,941	2,112	220	1,891	1	—	8,053	5,739	2,314	201	2,112	1	—
White	7,687	5,663	2,024	207	1,816	1	—	7,639	5,438	2,201	194	2,006	1	—
Black	270	199	71	9	62	—	—	303	212	91	6	85	—	—
Other races	92	76	16	4	12	—	—	107	86	21	1	20	—	—
Race not stated	4	3	1	—	1	—	—	4	3	1	—	1	—	—
South Carolina ⁴	53,686	31,285	22,393	---	---	22,393	8	53,686	31,582	22,098	---	---	22,098	6
White	41,678	22,020	19,653	---	---	19,653	5	41,583	22,478	19,101	---	---	19,101	4
Black	11,381	8,870	2,509	---	---	2,509	2	11,590	8,726	2,863	---	---	2,863	1
Other races	617	388	228	---	---	228	1	510	377	133	---	---	133	1
Race not stated	10	7	3	---	---	3	—	3	1	1	---	---	1	—
South Dakota	8,002	5,500	2,496	334	2,160	2	6	8,002	5,424	2,576	254	2,320	2	2
White	7,606	5,260	2,342	314	2,026	2	4	7,582	5,130	2,452	248	2,202	2	—
Black	50	32	18	6	12	—	—	80	62	18	—	18	—	—
Other races	340	206	134	14	120	—	—	336	230	106	6	100	—	—
Race not stated	6	2	2	—	2	—	2	4	2	—	—	—	—	2
Tennessee	56,300	31,640	24,360	2,460	21,600	300	300	56,300	30,680	25,420	1,940	23,240	240	200
White	50,780	27,880	22,700	2,260	20,140	300	200	50,640	26,920	23,600	1,720	21,640	240	120
Black	5,260	3,580	1,640	200	1,440	—	40	5,400	3,560	1,820	220	1,600	—	20
Other races	180	160	20	—	20	—	—	180	160	—	—	—	—	—
Race not stated	80	20	—	—	—	—	60	100	40	—	—	—	—	60
Utah	18,425	12,600	5,640	415	5,140	85	185	18,425	12,565	5,695	485	5,130	80	165
White	17,600	12,060	5,390	400	4,915	75	150	17,495	11,940	5,440	465	4,900	75	115
Black	95	40	55	—	50	5	—	170	125	40	5	35	—	5
Other races	370	280	80	6	75	—	10	390	305	75	5	70	—	10
Race not stated	360	220	115	10	100	5	25	370	195	140	10	125	5	35

See footnotes at end of table.

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Table 1-29. Marriages by Previous Marital Status and Race of Bride and Groom: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and race	Previous marital status of bride							Previous marital status of groom						
	All marriages	Single	Previously married				Previous marital status not stated	All marriages	Single	Previously married				Previous marital status not stated
			Total	Widowed	Divorced	Widowed or divorced not stated				Total	Widowed	Divorced	Widowed or divorced not stated	
Vermont-----	5,595	3,739	1,814	183	1,630	1	42	5,595	3,641	1,912	135	1,777	-	42
White -----	5,522	3,719	1,802	183	1,618	1	1	5,513	3,613	1,899	134	1,765	-	1
Black -----	6	3	3	-	3	-	-	23	13	10	1	9	-	-
Other races -----	26	17	9	-	9	-	-	18	15	3	-	3	-	-
Race not stated-----	41	-	-	-	-	-	41	41	-	-	-	-	-	41
Virginia -----	61,790	39,548	22,220	2,132	20,027	61	22	61,790	39,135	22,643	1,849	20,746	48	12
White -----	51,993	32,093	19,883	1,837	17,994	52	17	51,921	31,820	20,093	1,574	18,481	38	8
Black -----	8,804	6,712	2,090	264	1,818	8	2	9,090	6,713	2,374	256	2,109	9	3
Other races -----	978	736	242	30	211	1	-	765	591	174	18	155	1	-
Race not stated-----	15	7	5	1	4	-	3	14	11	2	1	1	-	1
West Virginia -----	15,930	10,415	5,505	565	4,900	40	10	15,930	10,300	5,625	410	5,170	45	5
White -----	15,540	10,150	5,380	540	4,800	40	10	15,480	9,965	5,510	395	5,075	40	5
Black -----	370	255	115	25	90	-	-	425	310	115	15	95	5	-
Other races -----	20	10	10	-	10	-	-	20	20	-	-	-	-	-
Race not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	5	-	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin -----	40,760	30,340	10,410	1,330	9,060	20	10	40,760	29,640	11,100	1,350	9,750	-	20
White -----	39,170	29,170	9,990	1,320	8,650	20	10	39,020	28,370	10,630	1,310	9,320	-	20
Black -----	1,110	800	310	10	300	-	-	1,290	920	370	30	340	-	-
Other races -----	470	360	110	-	110	-	-	440	340	100	10	90	-	-
Race not stated-----	10	10	-	-	-	-	-	10	10	-	-	-	-	-
Wyoming -----	6,202	3,360	2,796	232	2,550	14	26	6,202	3,512	2,668	170	2,486	12	22
White -----	5,930	3,220	2,694	216	2,466	12	16	5,926	3,350	2,566	168	2,398	10	12
Black -----	26	16	10	-	10	-	-	48	28	20	-	20	-	-
Other races -----	204	126	78	16	62	-	-	180	114	66	10	56	-	-
Race not stated-----	42	18	14	-	12	2	10	48	20	16	2	12	2	10

¹ Figures for previous marital status exclude data for Iowa; these data are included in previous marital status not stated. Figures for widowed and divorced exclude data for Michigan, Ohio, and South Carolina; these data are included in widowed or divorced not stated. Figures for race exclude data for California, Colorado, District of Columbia, Iowa, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, New York, and Ohio; these data are included in race not stated.

² This area did not require reporting of race.

³ This State did not require reporting of previous marital status.

⁴ This State did not require reporting of whether widowed or divorced.

Table 1-30. Remarriages by Previous Marital Status of Bride and Groom and Interval Since Last Marriage Ended: Reporting States, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Interval since last marriage ended	Bride				Groom			
	Previously married ¹	Previously widowed	Previously divorced	Not stated whether widowed or divorced	Previously married ¹	Previously widowed	Previously divorced	Not stated whether widowed or divorced
Total -----	421,021	43,587	373,352	4,082	434,415	39,617	391,448	3,349
Under 6 months -----	80,886	683	59,845	358	72,318	2,035	69,953	330
6-11 months -----	37,615	1,767	35,654	194	45,222	4,733	40,260	229
1 year -----	57,984	4,327	53,363	294	84,437	7,487	56,637	313
2 years -----	44,818	4,452	39,969	197	44,825	4,144	40,471	210
3 years -----	33,838	3,265	30,412	161	32,184	2,541	29,462	161
4 years -----	24,331	2,486	21,736	109	21,844	1,579	20,169	96
5 years -----	18,512	2,208	16,180	124	16,172	1,241	14,880	51
6 years -----	14,238	1,740	12,436	82	12,177	948	11,174	55
7 years -----	11,070	1,474	9,532	64	9,424	687	8,693	44
8 years -----	8,581	1,259	7,253	69	7,210	565	6,602	43
9 years -----	6,118	1,033	5,057	28	5,034	349	4,663	22
10-14 years -----	15,954	3,431	12,426	97	12,462	1,294	11,072	96
15-19 years -----	4,143	1,365	2,755	23	2,595	328	2,254	13
20-24 years -----	1,496	534	950	12	1,069	186	875	8
25-29 years -----	565	214	349	2	431	70	359	2
30 years and over -----	564	196	366	2	440	141	291	6
Interval not stated-----	80,508	13,163	65,069	2,286	86,591	11,289	73,634	1,668

¹ Includes not stated whether previously widowed or divorced.

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Table 1-31. Marriages by Marriage Order and Age of Bride and Groom, by Month Marriage Performed: Marriage-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data. Figures by marriage order exclude data for Iowa; these data are included in marriage order not stated]

Marriage order and age	Total	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
ALL MARRIAGES													
Bride -----	1,890,791	97,916	105,026	115,148	153,613	178,429	218,856	197,774	194,837	181,529	172,187	131,576	143,900
Under 18 years ---	74,432	5,162	5,898	5,697	6,116	6,362	8,331	7,834	7,014	5,614	5,860	4,979	5,571
18-19 years -----	235,850	13,205	14,448	15,785	19,367	18,565	28,003	28,274	24,917	21,177	18,866	18,525	17,718
20-24 years -----	664,038	29,039	32,139	36,718	54,167	66,672	83,983	70,646	74,813	67,838	61,385	41,992	44,848
25-29 years -----	402,681	20,365	20,687	23,342	33,433	39,685	45,385	40,590	41,045	41,752	40,319	27,932	28,143
30-34 years -----	210,987	11,831	12,614	13,292	16,542	20,141	22,275	22,350	20,069	18,711	19,244	15,685	18,253
35-44 years -----	185,219	10,709	11,777	12,040	14,601	15,643	19,185	18,782	17,190	16,402	18,021	14,405	18,484
45-54 years -----	66,270	3,681	4,229	4,850	5,140	5,872	6,707	6,614	5,451	5,784	5,679	5,644	6,439
55-64 years -----	32,869	2,237	1,954	2,093	2,880	2,995	3,147	3,097	2,869	2,731	3,116	2,712	3,038
65 years and over--	18,445	1,487	1,280	1,331	1,367	1,491	1,840	1,607	1,469	1,540	1,697	1,728	1,608
Groom -----	1,890,791	97,916	105,026	115,148	153,613	178,429	218,856	197,774	194,837	181,529	172,187	131,576	143,900
Under 18 years ---	10,868	901	1,006	813	949	893	1,117	1,162	1,077	664	797	885	804
18-19 years -----	108,868	7,085	7,933	7,498	8,776	8,758	12,405	11,659	10,731	8,907	8,785	7,630	6,701
20-24 years -----	601,968	28,244	30,916	34,939	49,909	58,305	77,138	65,896	66,874	58,511	52,047	38,681	40,508
25-29 years -----	480,007	22,104	23,744	28,129	38,950	47,766	55,930	49,380	51,125	50,804	47,799	31,807	32,489
30-34 years -----	263,207	14,249	14,589	15,672	21,402	25,206	28,861	26,568	26,390	25,099	25,459	18,635	21,077
35-44 years -----	242,192	13,919	15,313	16,015	19,144	21,436	24,741	25,178	22,334	21,816	21,064	18,664	22,568
45-54 years -----	97,624	5,615	6,010	5,928	7,518	8,682	10,069	9,882	9,145	8,534	8,582	7,822	9,839
55-64 years -----	51,413	3,141	3,350	3,705	4,319	4,354	5,031	5,025	4,137	4,306	4,685	4,365	4,995
65 years and over--	34,646	2,658	2,165	2,451	2,646	3,029	3,564	3,024	3,024	2,888	2,969	3,087	3,141
FIRST MARRIAGES													
Bride -----	1,217,755	57,477	61,831	70,591	98,386	118,530	150,351	129,486	132,200	121,906	114,909	80,557	61,529
Under 18 years ---	71,856	5,023	5,664	5,451	5,860	6,129	8,057	7,488	6,773	5,461	5,704	4,889	5,357
18-19 years -----	222,617	12,432	13,600	14,868	18,267	18,489	26,647	24,740	23,433	19,876	17,982	15,664	16,619
20-24 years -----	568,784	23,111	25,871	30,713	45,754	58,159	74,164	61,109	65,460	59,292	53,582	35,203	36,386
25-29 years -----	247,751	11,047	10,863	13,128	20,060	25,534	30,128	26,618	26,449	27,395	27,222	16,578	14,729
30-34 years -----	70,359	3,838	3,648	4,030	5,566	6,973	7,625	7,821	6,839	6,686	6,954	5,146	5,233
35-44 years -----	27,609	1,368	1,690	1,748	2,086	2,421	2,890	2,871	2,599	2,583	2,787	2,159	2,417
45-54 years -----	5,579	447	329	381	513	520	509	543	413	392	430	603	519
55-64 years -----	2,399	153	119	239	245	253	272	196	179	140	187	208	208
65 years and over--	801	68	47	53	35	52	59	100	55	83	81	107	61
Groom -----	1,197,906	57,693	61,765	69,894	97,362	116,389	146,676	127,671	130,400	118,451	111,237	79,751	80,617
Under 18 years ---	10,482	859	935	790	906	848	1,064	1,107	1,055	643	797	875	603
18-19 years -----	105,470	6,943	7,697	7,273	8,503	8,510	11,988	11,355	10,313	8,635	8,537	7,395	6,321
20-24 years -----	548,755	25,415	27,624	31,546	45,217	53,420	71,245	60,323	61,285	53,105	47,978	35,201	36,396
25-29 years -----	356,340	15,217	15,934	19,735	28,504	36,766	42,784	36,693	39,492	36,607	36,680	23,448	22,480
30-34 years -----	116,320	5,706	5,781	6,458	9,518	11,251	13,370	11,726	12,425	11,939	12,023	8,002	8,121
35-44 years -----	46,053	2,626	2,781	3,059	3,592	4,397	4,738	5,127	4,250	4,296	3,950	3,740	3,497
45-54 years -----	8,710	635	691	565	643	661	859	793	970	746	782	611	754
55-64 years -----	4,211	183	183	328	391	375	444	403	467	352	382	343	360
65 years and over--	1,565	109	139	140	88	161	184	144	143	128	108	136	85
REMARRIAGES													
Bride -----	829,427	38,550	41,112	42,289	51,964	55,884	62,944	63,810	57,415	64,087	53,290	48,651	59,631
Under 20 years ---	7,451	513	614	669	664	641	669	896	600	581	355	583	666
20-24 years -----	76,746	5,256	5,530	5,170	7,026	6,671	7,237	7,582	6,821	5,982	6,280	5,818	7,373
25-29 years -----	146,428	9,000	9,380	9,821	12,729	13,226	14,164	15,157	13,745	13,161	12,134	10,929	12,982
30-34 years -----	137,207	7,782	8,763	9,091	10,765	12,836	14,228	14,159	12,932	11,572	11,955	10,322	12,802
35-44 years -----	154,466	9,168	9,926	10,081	12,310	12,892	15,967	15,645	14,363	13,482	12,930	11,995	15,737
45-54 years -----	59,774	3,386	3,653	4,407	4,575	5,271	6,077	6,015	4,971	5,291	5,160	4,960	5,818
55-64 years -----	30,039	2,052	1,815	1,814	2,584	2,720	2,844	2,880	2,599	2,581	2,699	2,463	2,788
65 years and over--	17,296	1,393	1,231	1,236	1,311	1,427	1,756	1,476	1,394	1,437	1,587	1,581	1,465
Groom -----	650,290	38,327	41,339	43,099	52,993	58,019	66,692	65,585	59,292	57,831	57,120	49,426	60,567
Under 20 years ---	1,081	78	128	96	123	82	126	71	80	66	54	83	94
20-24 years -----	35,783	2,124	2,517	2,613	3,267	3,228	3,543	3,673	3,211	3,262	2,626	2,563	3,156
25-29 years -----	112,422	6,423	7,365	7,838	9,660	9,972	11,652	11,449	10,302	10,545	9,903	7,853	9,460
30-34 years -----	141,947	8,275	8,587	8,984	11,531	13,346	14,851	14,306	13,511	12,820	13,008	10,240	12,688
35-44 years -----	192,721	11,113	12,359	12,724	15,240	16,739	19,642	19,726	17,780	17,138	16,779	14,747	18,734
45-54 years -----	87,368	4,904	5,263	5,274	6,818	7,868	8,995	8,918	7,999	7,602	7,721	7,090	8,916
55-64 years -----	46,452	2,888	3,116	3,341	3,837	3,938	4,546	4,592	3,599	3,848	4,221	3,971	4,555
65 years and over--	32,516	2,522	2,004	2,229	2,517	2,646	3,337	2,850	2,810	2,750	2,808	2,879	2,964
MARRIAGE ORDER NOT STATED													
Bride -----	43,609	1,889	2,083	2,268	3,263	4,215	5,561	4,478	5,222	5,534	3,988	2,368	2,740
Groom -----	42,595	1,896	1,922	2,155	3,258	4,021	5,488	4,518	5,145	5,247	3,830	2,399	2,716

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Table 1-32. Marriages by Marriage Order and Race of Bride and Groom, by Month Marriage Performed:
Marriage-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data. Figures by race exclude data for California, Colorado, District of Columbia, Iowa, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, New York, and Ohio.
These data are included in race not stated. Figures by marriage order exclude data for Iowa; these data are included in marriage order not stated]

Marriage order and race	Total	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
BRIDE													
All marriages-----	1,890,791	97,916	105,026	115,148	153,613	178,429	218,856	197,774	194,837	181,529	172,187	131,578	143,900
White -----	1,063,795	54,519	60,075	65,781	89,028	101,128	123,326	108,043	106,149	101,053	96,847	75,068	82,778
Black -----	125,867	8,109	7,887	8,555	10,297	9,957	13,177	13,949	12,568	11,610	8,909	9,183	11,666
Other races -----	17,531	1,121	1,043	1,369	1,341	1,362	1,732	1,909	1,771	1,471	1,353	1,318	1,741
Race not stated--	683,598	34,167	36,021	39,443	52,947	65,982	80,621	73,873	74,349	67,395	65,078	46,007	47,715
First marriages -----	1,217,755	57,477	61,831	70,591	98,386	118,530	150,351	129,486	132,200	121,908	114,909	80,557	81,529
White -----	657,743	29,995	33,415	38,355	54,439	65,513	82,854	68,136	69,868	65,651	61,761	43,146	44,610
Black -----	91,637	5,854	5,517	6,066	7,588	7,248	9,764	10,340	9,221	8,582	6,638	6,542	8,277
Other races -----	12,512	816	779	890	997	950	1,295	1,357	1,301	1,011	972	919	1,226
Race not stated--	456,863	20,813	22,120	25,280	35,362	44,819	56,438	49,653	51,810	46,664	45,538	29,950	27,416
Remarriages-----	629,427	38,550	41,112	42,289	51,964	55,684	62,944	63,810	57,415	54,087	53,290	48,651	59,631
White -----	394,429	24,104	26,162	26,876	33,770	34,574	39,134	38,912	34,702	33,240	33,938	31,536	37,481
Black -----	33,415	2,204	2,289	2,426	2,625	2,655	3,359	3,498	3,261	2,922	2,243	2,610	3,323
Other races -----	4,926	300	262	464	337	412	427	546	460	434	371	399	514
Race not stated--	196,657	11,942	12,399	12,523	15,232	18,043	20,024	20,854	18,992	17,491	16,738	14,106	18,313
Marriage order not stated -----	43,609	1,889	2,083	2,268	3,263	4,215	5,561	4,478	5,222	5,534	3,988	2,368	2,740
GROOM													
All marriages-----	1,890,791	97,916	105,026	115,148	153,613	178,429	218,856	197,774	194,837	181,529	172,187	131,578	143,900
White -----	1,061,856	54,474	59,761	65,651	88,950	101,036	122,971	108,018	105,810	100,814	96,727	74,747	82,899
Black -----	130,250	8,328	8,278	8,918	10,637	10,334	13,562	14,271	13,073	12,087	9,280	9,540	11,944
Other races -----	15,944	968	996	1,197	1,223	1,298	1,761	1,726	1,662	1,388	1,151	1,276	1,418
Race not stated--	682,741	34,146	35,991	39,384	52,803	65,761	80,562	73,761	74,392	67,260	65,029	46,013	47,639
First marriages -----	1,197,906	57,693	61,765	69,894	97,382	116,389	146,678	127,871	130,400	118,451	111,237	79,751	80,617
White -----	651,422	30,001	33,249	38,565	54,638	64,684	81,127	68,297	68,877	63,946	60,518	42,959	44,681
Black -----	90,913	5,767	5,512	6,160	7,722	7,171	9,592	9,968	9,479	8,420	6,498	6,486	8,138
Other races -----	11,900	698	762	892	945	971	1,360	1,322	1,149	1,007	811	981	1,002
Race not stated--	443,671	21,227	22,242	24,277	34,057	43,683	54,597	48,084	50,895	45,078	43,410	29,325	26,796
Remarriages-----	650,290	38,327	41,339	43,099	52,993	58,019	66,692	65,585	59,292	57,831	57,120	49,426	60,567
White -----	399,654	24,037	26,121	26,610	33,468	35,566	40,509	38,742	35,532	34,949	35,200	31,362	37,558
Black -----	38,422	2,500	2,664	2,690	2,843	3,098	3,909	4,172	3,502	3,555	2,744	2,992	3,753
Other races -----	3,935	269	234	295	278	326	390	379	402	326	325	295	416
Race not stated--	208,279	11,521	12,320	13,504	16,404	19,029	21,884	22,292	19,856	19,001	18,851	14,777	18,840
Marriage order not stated -----	42,595	1,896	1,922	2,155	3,258	4,021	5,488	4,518	5,145	5,247	3,830	2,399	2,716

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Table 1-33. Marriages by Marriage Order and Age of Bride and Groom: Each Marriage-Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Marriage order and age	Alabama	Alaska	California	Colorado	Connecticut	Delaware	District of Columbia	Florida	Georgia	Hawaii	Idaho	Illinois	Indiana	Iowa ¹
ALL MARRIAGES														
Bride-----	47,440	6,553	152,420	36,150	26,915	5,579	5,338	118,984	72,820	14,050	13,430	103,734	54,040	26,770
Under 18 years -----	3,610	189	3,380	1,290	435	137	23	4,908	4,340	184	965	3,069	2,800	750
18-19 years -----	7,860	753	15,860	4,250	1,920	591	201	14,118	10,200	1,088	2,140	11,844	8,380	4,090
20-24 years -----	15,220	2,059	54,660	11,720	9,955	2,171	1,434	35,985	22,180	4,414	3,850	37,937	20,060	11,290
25-29 years -----	8,150	1,557	36,740	7,960	7,025	1,253	1,683	23,981	13,420	3,596	2,245	23,393	10,140	4,750
30-34 years -----	4,710	945	19,040	4,860	3,435	597	1,037	13,990	8,640	2,150	1,460	11,570	4,600	2,180
35-44 years -----	4,400	739	14,340	4,200	2,650	503	692	14,619	8,560	1,674	1,840	9,938	4,680	2,410
45-54 years -----	1,880	231	4,540	1,030	865	201	157	5,792	3,400	622	650	3,503	1,840	700
55-64 years -----	1,180	57	2,420	390	410	87	68	3,146	1,180	244	295	1,620	900	330
65 years and over -----	450	23	1,440	410	220	39	43	2,467	880	78	185	860	640	270
Groom-----	47,440	6,553	152,420	36,150	26,915	5,579	5,338	118,984	72,820	14,050	13,430	103,734	54,040	26,770
Under 18 years -----	610	11	420	280	75	10	4	681	760	24	120	381	320	110
18-19 years -----	4,350	311	5,600	1,990	780	289	76	6,444	5,420	400	1,120	5,043	4,720	1,600
20-24 years -----	15,530	1,830	46,160	10,470	7,315	1,824	1,038	32,443	21,580	3,706	4,310	33,498	18,900	10,950
25-29 years -----	9,960	1,661	43,780	8,860	8,405	1,509	1,580	27,114	15,580	3,578	2,520	27,687	12,220	6,050
30-34 years -----	6,020	1,099	23,280	5,970	4,320	786	1,101	17,013	10,240	2,374	1,890	14,761	7,040	3,160
35-44 years -----	5,830	1,117	19,920	5,440	3,515	639	991	18,064	10,620	2,332	2,025	12,653	6,060	2,540
45-54 years -----	2,550	342	6,700	1,750	1,380	298	316	8,314	4,920	906	870	5,216	2,680	1,270
55-64 years -----	1,620	123	4,000	850	710	143	144	4,719	2,100	488	500	2,889	1,300	550
65 years and over -----	970	59	2,560	540	415	81	78	4,172	1,600	242	275	1,626	820	440
FIRST MARRIAGES														
Bride-----	27,580	3,651	108,860	21,910	19,110	3,810	4,054	67,225	39,780	8,896	7,300	71,089	33,300	---
Under 18 years -----	3,530	185	3,360	1,230	430	137	23	4,844	4,220	184	985	3,051	2,660	---
18-19 years -----	7,410	724	15,640	4,140	1,885	588	199	13,664	9,280	1,068	2,065	11,613	7,960	---
20-24 years -----	11,630	1,650	51,220	9,750	9,320	1,952	1,392	29,778	17,180	3,920	3,060	34,084	16,400	---
25-29 years -----	3,690	743	27,020	4,610	5,360	833	1,466	12,626	6,180	2,528	870	15,615	4,940	---
30-34 years -----	910	279	8,060	1,530	1,510	209	657	3,784	1,900	866	255	4,329	1,020	---
35-44 years -----	230	64	3,140	560	535	71	273	1,839	740	280	65	1,603	240	---
45-54 years -----	90	2	320	50	50	9	31	431	180	34	5	390	40	---
55-64 years -----	90	4	80	20	20	6	7	187	80	12	10	183	20	---
65 years and over -----	---	---	20	20	---	5	7	73	20	4	5	41	20	---
Groom-----	27,460	3,796	105,240	22,340	18,290	3,701	3,750	66,647	39,680	8,888	7,515	69,824	33,120	---
Under 18 years -----	590	11	420	270	75	10	4	676	740	24	115	378	320	---
18-19 years -----	4,280	306	5,580	1,990	765	287	76	6,388	5,320	400	1,090	5,020	4,620	---
20-24 years -----	13,810	1,645	44,380	9,710	7,005	1,735	1,025	29,726	19,340	3,522	3,865	31,817	17,120	---
25-29 years -----	5,930	1,150	36,540	6,460	7,100	1,174	1,454	18,679	9,440	2,912	1,605	21,640	8,340	---
30-34 years -----	1,720	476	12,800	2,560	2,290	340	765	6,720	3,160	1,336	575	7,103	2,060	---
35-44 years -----	820	170	4,680	1,070	835	110	352	3,255	1,260	584	205	2,840	560	---
45-54 years -----	170	24	660	120	110	33	50	760	280	72	35	603	40	---
55-64 years -----	130	10	160	110	55	8	18	316	100	32	20	307	20	---
65 years and over -----	10	4	20	50	55	4	6	127	40	6	5	116	40	---
REMARRIAGES														
Bride-----	19,850	2,874	43,480	14,080	7,755	1,769	1,284	51,696	32,900	5,154	6,080	32,642	20,120	---
Under 20 years -----	530	26	220	150	25	3	2	499	1,020	20	70	249	340	---
20-24 years -----	3,590	398	3,400	1,930	610	219	42	6,172	4,940	494	780	3,853	3,400	---
25-29 years -----	4,460	808	9,700	3,350	1,660	420	218	11,328	7,200	1,068	1,370	7,778	5,120	---
30-34 years -----	3,800	664	10,980	3,320	1,925	388	380	10,205	6,740	1,284	1,200	7,241	3,520	---
35-44 years -----	4,160	674	11,200	3,630	2,110	432	419	12,777	7,820	1,394	1,570	8,133	4,440	---
45-54 years -----	1,790	228	4,220	960	815	192	126	5,361	3,220	588	630	3,113	1,800	---
55-64 years -----	1,070	53	2,340	370	390	81	61	2,959	1,100	232	285	1,466	680	---
65 years and over -----	450	23	1,420	370	220	34	36	2,394	860	74	175	819	620	---
Groom-----	19,980	2,740	47,120	13,520	8,485	1,878	1,588	52,287	33,100	5,162	5,895	33,907	20,640	---
Under 20 years -----	90	3	---	---	10	2	---	58	120	---	35	26	60	---
20-24 years -----	1,720	178	1,760	880	285	89	13	2,698	2,220	184	445	1,681	1,680	---
25-29 years -----	4,030	508	7,220	2,350	1,260	335	136	8,431	6,120	666	900	6,027	3,760	---
30-34 years -----	4,300	620	10,480	3,360	2,000	446	336	10,291	7,080	1,038	1,115	7,658	4,960	---
35-44 years -----	5,010	845	15,240	4,340	2,660	529	639	14,808	9,360	1,748	1,815	10,012	5,500	---
45-54 years -----	2,380	318	6,040	1,610	1,260	265	266	7,554	4,640	834	835	4,613	2,620	---
55-64 years -----	1,490	113	3,840	720	650	135	126	4,403	2,000	456	480	2,381	1,280	---
65 years and over -----	960	55	2,540	460	360	77	72	4,044	1,560	236	270	1,509	780	---
MARRIAGE ORDER NOT STATED														
Bride-----	10	28	80	160	50	---	---	44	140	---	50	3	620	26,770
Groom-----	---	17	60	290	140	---	---	30	40	---	20	3	280	26,770

¹Iowa did not require reporting of marriage order.

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Table 1-33. Marriages by Marriage Order and Age of Bride and Groom: Each Marriage-Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Marriage order and age	Kansas	Kentucky	Louisiana	Maine	Maryland	Massachusetts	Michigan	Minnesota	Mississippi	Missouri	Montana	Nebraska	New Hampshire	New Jersey
ALL MARRIAGES														
Bride -----	25,895	37,520	43,180	12,479	47,120	48,860	78,940	36,320	26,890	53,258	8,092	13,703	10,972	61,840
Under 18 years -----	1,095	3,500	3,180	387	1,540	870	2,440	580	2,050	3,294	236	263	193	980
18-19 years -----	4,055	6,420	7,070	1,668	4,920	3,990	10,100	4,050	3,850	8,134	1,158	1,969	1,227	4,100
20-24 years -----	9,555	11,980	14,760	4,473	15,580	18,180	29,560	16,040	8,830	17,569	3,054	6,112	3,728	23,900
25-29 years -----	4,760	6,320	7,980	2,368	10,840	12,630	16,260	7,940	4,580	9,892	1,666	2,618	2,494	16,380
30-34 years -----	2,525	3,310	4,150	1,369	5,710	6,160	9,140	3,330	2,860	5,307	825	1,142	1,337	7,360
35-44 years -----	2,250	3,350	3,690	1,252	5,390	4,550	6,580	2,720	2,680	5,364	735	887	1,249	5,680
45-54 years -----	890	1,450	1,420	428	1,850	1,470	2,740	770	1,140	1,945	240	330	442	1,960
55-64 years -----	480	700	620	195	910	740	1,300	630	500	1,018	100	212	191	1,020
65 years and over -----	285	490	310	99	380	270	820	260	400	735	78	170	111	460
Groom -----	25,895	37,520	43,180	12,479	47,120	48,860	78,940	36,320	26,890	53,258	8,092	13,703	10,972	61,840
Under 18 years -----	150	530	410	55	170	100	360	40	320	621	16	34	20	120
18-19 years -----	1,785	3,570	3,830	687	2,280	1,540	4,100	1,420	1,960	4,444	454	708	453	1,860
20-24 years -----	9,405	13,020	15,150	4,223	13,440	13,920	26,480	13,640	9,220	18,288	2,889	5,689	3,178	17,280
25-29 years -----	5,875	7,770	9,760	2,988	12,330	15,140	19,920	9,820	5,800	11,909	1,896	3,447	2,833	19,540
30-34 years -----	3,280	4,500	5,260	1,679	7,130	7,820	10,400	5,010	3,030	6,451	1,131	1,576	1,630	9,420
35-44 years -----	3,140	4,260	4,810	1,654	6,850	6,040	10,400	3,940	3,480	6,194	1,017	1,247	1,691	8,220
45-54 years -----	1,220	1,900	2,100	644	2,880	2,410	3,940	1,150	1,480	2,729	396	477	638	2,960
55-64 years -----	580	1,130	1,170	349	1,500	1,280	1,900	700	750	1,468	177	277	334	1,480
65 years and over -----	460	840	690	200	740	610	1,440	600	850	1,154	116	248	195	980
FIRST MARRIAGES														
Bride -----	15,880	23,020	26,960	8,068	31,680	36,620	53,420	19,180	15,460	31,285	5,225	9,773	6,978	45,840
Under 18 years -----	1,085	3,440	2,970	384	1,510	860	2,420	510	2,030	2,856	236	262	193	980
18-19 years -----	3,870	6,050	6,490	1,841	4,840	3,970	10,000	3,380	3,650	7,169	1,136	1,952	1,213	4,040
20-24 years -----	7,775	9,670	11,560	3,950	14,330	17,190	27,500	10,760	6,950	14,286	2,662	5,541	3,351	22,800
25-29 years -----	2,385	2,820	4,200	1,333	7,140	10,090	9,880	3,420	2,020	5,031	913	1,614	1,574	12,680
30-34 years -----	535	650	1,140	403	2,420	3,030	2,660	810	580	1,320	213	310	422	3,420
35-44 years -----	180	340	410	120	1,080	1,180	740	220	160	453	59	72	173	1,420
45-54 years -----	30	70	140	20	260	200	160	60	20	105	5	12	35	340
55-64 years -----	10	50	30	11	80	60	40	20	40	45	1	6	10	160
65 years and over -----	10	30	20	6	20	40	20	20	10	20	4	4	7	20
Groom -----	16,130	22,580	26,530	7,938	30,490	35,500	51,580	18,770	15,850	30,842	5,239	9,811	6,884	44,720
Under 18 years -----	150	530	360	55	170	100	360	30	310	617	16	34	20	120
18-19 years -----	1,760	3,560	3,620	665	2,260	1,540	4,080	1,240	1,920	4,168	452	705	452	1,840
20-24 years -----	8,645	11,510	13,470	4,013	12,910	13,600	25,340	10,010	8,280	15,569	2,728	5,460	3,042	17,760
25-29 years -----	3,935	5,140	6,360	2,136	9,680	13,250	15,680	5,140	3,680	7,385	1,369	2,646	2,171	17,080
30-34 years -----	1,125	1,220	1,860	696	3,360	4,910	4,140	1,760	2,092	4,489	687	887	754	5,740
35-44 years -----	380	420	620	272	1,500	1,750	1,560	450	420	758	155	207	327	2,480
45-54 years -----	75	130	150	51	320	250	220	100	110	148	20	39	66	380
55-64 years -----	40	30	70	17	240	80	180	30	40	71	9	18	23	220
65 years and over -----	20	40	20	11	50	20	20	10	30	34	1	13	9	140
REMARRIAGES														
Bride -----	9,970	14,490	14,360	4,411	15,310	12,220	25,520	9,160	11,420	19,794	2,860	3,928	3,994	15,980
Under 20 years -----	190	430	320	30	80	30	120	40	220	278	22	18	14	60
20-24 years -----	1,760	2,410	2,550	523	1,200	980	2,060	1,000	1,870	2,841	390	570	377	1,100
25-29 years -----	2,375	3,490	3,470	1,055	3,670	2,530	6,380	2,350	2,560	4,037	751	1,003	920	3,680
30-34 years -----	1,980	2,680	2,850	986	3,280	3,130	6,480	1,870	2,280	3,913	611	832	915	3,940
35-44 years -----	2,070	3,010	3,110	1,132	4,310	3,370	5,840	2,360	2,520	4,700	674	815	1,076	4,260
45-54 years -----	855	1,380	1,250	406	1,590	1,270	2,580	690	1,120	1,755	235	318	407	1,620
55-64 years -----	470	650	540	184	820	680	1,260	600	480	968	99	206	181	860
65 years and over -----	270	460	270	93	360	230	800	250	390	702	78	166	104	460
Groom -----	9,735	14,920	14,810	4,543	16,610	13,360	27,360	9,790	11,030	20,277	2,846	3,890	4,108	17,120
Under 20 years -----	20	10	60	2	20	20	20	50	20	43	2	3	1	20
20-24 years -----	755	1,510	1,000	210	530	320	1,140	510	940	1,668	160	229	136	520
25-29 years -----	1,935	2,620	3,000	852	2,650	1,890	4,240	1,620	1,920	4,010	526	798	662	2,480
30-34 years -----	2,150	3,280	3,170	983	3,760	2,910	6,260	2,200	2,160	4,260	640	888	876	3,680
35-44 years -----	2,760	3,830	4,000	1,382	5,150	4,290	8,840	3,200	3,060	5,345	860	1,040	1,364	5,760
45-54 years -----	1,140	1,770	1,920	593	2,560	2,160	3,720	1,030	1,370	2,457	375	438	572	2,580
55-64 years -----	540	1,100	1,030	332	1,280	1,200	1,720	640	710	1,390	168	259	311	1,260
65 years and over -----	435	800	630	189	680	590	1,420	590	820	1,106	115	235	186	820
MARRIAGE ORDER NOT STATED														
Bride -----	45	10	1,860	-	130	20	-	7,980	10	2,179	7	2	-	20
Groom -----	30	20	1,840	-	20	-	-	7,760	10	2,139	7	2	-	-

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Table 1-33. Marriages by Marriage Order and Age of Bride and Groom: Each Marriage-Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Marriage order and age	New York	North Carolina	Ohio	Oregon	Pennsylvania	Rhode Island	South Carolina	South Dakota	Tennessee	Utah	Vermont	Virginia	West Virginia	Wisconsin	Wyoming
ALL MARRIAGES															
Bride-----	159,321	52,130	99,900	23,285	92,140	8,053	53,686	8,002	56,300	18,425	5,595	61,790	15,930	40,760	6,202
Under 18 years-----	2,748	2,580	4,480	725	2,680	178	3,550	438	3,580	1,250	136	2,761	1,460	820	358
18-19 years-----	13,138	8,190	14,880	2,840	10,080	737	7,712	1,214	9,720	3,365	636	8,230	3,090	5,130	884
20-24 years-----	56,457	18,060	35,880	7,585	36,180	3,152	16,872	3,172	16,780	7,210	1,910	20,445	5,105	17,210	1,984
25-29 years-----	40,522	10,520	19,160	4,915	21,860	2,069	9,911	1,376	9,840	2,850	1,273	13,029	2,685	8,780	1,250
30-34 years-----	20,911	5,260	11,040	2,965	9,340	891	5,922	706	5,760	1,480	728	7,169	1,270	3,890	736
35-44 years-----	16,654	4,570	8,980	2,760	7,120	643	5,952	840	6,640	1,465	608	6,703	1,380	3,000	882
45-54 years-----	5,927	1,810	3,180	765	2,660	230	2,201	230	2,260	425	193	2,112	545	1,040	206
55-64 years-----	2,585	780	2,080	390	1,600	103	1,058	110	1,220	210	73	913	230	520	74
65 years and over---	1,279	340	620	320	620	50	508	116	500	170	38	428	165	370	48
Groom-----	159,321	52,130	99,900	23,285	92,140	8,053	53,686	8,002	56,300	18,425	5,595	61,790	15,930	40,760	6,202
Under 18 years-----	378	480	280	55	460	26	535	44	940	225	12	378	155	110	38
18-19 years-----	4,833	4,500	7,300	1,030	4,120	307	4,189	570	5,140	1,180	268	3,939	1,710	2,180	366
20-24 years-----	43,985	17,850	35,120	7,165	30,980	2,545	16,988	3,084	17,040	8,245	1,818	19,533	5,685	14,870	1,906
25-29 years-----	47,689	12,640	23,600	5,465	28,900	2,334	11,963	1,756	11,640	3,865	1,494	15,069	3,430	11,120	1,530
30-34 years-----	25,368	6,320	12,760	3,715	12,460	1,207	6,870	976	7,140	1,935	841	8,549	1,765	5,220	910
35-44 years-----	21,581	6,010	11,720	3,395	9,580	984	7,414	808	8,080	1,610	851	8,535	1,815	4,130	890
45-54 years-----	8,454	2,390	4,700	1,295	4,060	376	3,128	374	3,480	755	298	3,259	645	1,860	334
55-64 years-----	4,456	1,120	2,860	635	2,120	174	1,819	236	1,640	340	137	1,610	425	860	150
65 years and over---	2,577	820	1,560	530	1,480	100	980	154	1,200	270	78	928	300	610	78
FIRST MARRIAGES															
Bride-----	118,823	33,610	64,940	14,120	65,920	5,941	31,285	5,500	31,840	12,600	3,739	39,548	10,415	30,340	3,380
Under 18 years-----	2,732	2,560	4,440	715	2,580	178	3,504	436	3,460	1,220	135	2,737	1,440	820	344
18-19 years-----	13,020	7,900	14,200	2,785	9,540	735	7,411	1,206	9,200	3,205	627	8,016	2,995	5,090	850
20-24 years-----	53,635	15,320	31,240	6,645	33,040	2,976	13,438	2,838	12,600	6,130	1,759	17,613	4,295	16,210	1,484
25-29 years-----	31,829	8,000	10,780	2,840	15,280	1,532	4,702	768	4,540	1,425	839	7,754	1,205	6,160	536
30-34 years-----	10,544	1,250	3,000	860	3,520	388	1,339	180	1,220	455	276	2,231	310	1,440	124
35-44 years-----	5,282	400	980	250	1,300	103	638	50	400	135	81	943	110	480	30
45-54 years-----	1,250	120	180	15	320	19	150	12	100	15	15	173	25	110	6
55-64 years-----	402	50	120	10	280	9	72	6	80	10	7	62	35	20	4
65 years and over---	129	10	20	10	100	1	31	4	40	5	-	19	-	30	-
Groom-----	115,350	33,990	64,740	14,115	64,400	5,739	31,582	5,424	30,680	12,565	3,641	39,135	10,300	29,640	3,512
Under 18 years-----	376	470	280	55	400	26	532	42	880	225	12	376	155	110	38
18-19 years-----	4,813	4,490	7,200	1,020	3,900	306	4,147	562	5,060	1,145	264	3,922	1,695	2,180	362
20-24 years-----	42,918	16,850	32,860	6,655	29,120	2,463	15,426	2,920	14,900	7,675	1,552	16,280	5,155	14,430	1,704
25-29 years-----	41,600	8,830	17,080	4,070	21,400	1,963	7,758	1,278	6,800	2,650	1,201	11,076	2,310	9,100	966
30-34 years-----	15,733	2,370	4,700	1,630	6,580	699	2,260	428	1,980	645	419	3,597	625	2,750	286
35-44 years-----	7,410	900	1,920	560	2,220	226	1,033	120	700	180	161	1,434	245	810	114
45-54 years-----	1,634	160	380	45	340	33	248	44	200	30	18	291	45	200	26
55-64 years-----	637	70	280	40	320	20	119	26	140	10	9	122	30	50	4
65 years and over---	229	50	60	30	120	3	39	4	20	5	5	37	40	10	12
REMARRIAGES															
Bride-----	40,361	18,510	34,760	9,090	23,260	2,112	22,393	2,496	24,360	5,640	1,814	22,220	5,505	10,410	2,796
Under 20 years-----	114	300	460	45	100	2	345	10	520	125	-	231	115	30	44
20-24 years-----	2,778	2,740	4,400	905	2,180	176	3,433	332	4,080	1,015	4	2,820	805	1,000	488
25-29 years-----	8,647	4,520	8,320	2,065	6,000	537	5,208	606	5,280	1,385	135	5,273	1,480	2,620	708
30-34 years-----	9,456	4,030	8,040	2,125	5,600	503	4,582	526	4,540	1,025	428	4,938	960	2,450	610
35-44 years-----	11,360	4,170	7,960	2,510	5,780	540	5,312	590	6,220	1,320	521	5,760	1,265	2,540	632
45-54 years-----	4,675	1,690	3,020	740	2,340	211	2,051	218	2,140	405	176	1,939	520	930	198
55-64 years-----	2,182	730	1,960	390	1,340	94	985	104	1,120	200	64	850	195	500	70
65 years and over---	1,149	330	600	310	520	49	477	110	460	165	38	409	165	340	46
Groom-----	43,903	18,140	35,000	9,055	25,440	2,314	22,098	2,576	25,420	5,695	1,912	22,643	5,625	11,100	2,668
Under 20 years-----	17	20	80	5	80	1	45	8	120	15	-	18	15	-	2
20-24 years-----	1,048	1,200	2,220	435	800	82	1,561	164	2,080	485	55	1,250	530	420	194
25-29 years-----	6,070	3,810	6,460	1,365	4,780	371	4,202	478	4,800	1,185	283	3,977	1,115	2,020	580
30-34 years-----	9,626	3,950	8,060	2,075	5,660	508	4,583	548	5,160	1,270	419	4,951	1,140	2,470	620
35-44 years-----	14,157	5,110	9,780	2,835	7,280	758	6,381	688	7,380	1,420	680	7,101	1,570	3,320	774
45-54 years-----	6,820	2,230	4,320	1,250	3,700	343	2,879	330	3,240	725	276	2,987	600	1,460	308
55-64 years-----	3,818	1,050	2,580	590	1,780	154	1,500	210	1,480	330	127	1,488	395	810	146
65 years and over---	2,347	770	1,500	500	1,360	97	941	150	1,160	265	72	891	260	600	64
MARRIAGE ORDER NOT STATED															
Bride-----	137	10	200	75	2,360	-	8	6	300	185	42	22	10	10	26
Groom-----	68	-	160	115	2,300	-	6	2	200	165	42	12	5	20	22

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Table 1-34. Marriages by Number of This Marriage of Bride and Groom: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area	All marriages	Number of this marriage of bride				Number of this marriage of groom			
		First	Second	Third or more	Not stated	First	Second	Third or more	Not stated
Marriage-registration area ¹ -----	1,890,791	1,217,755	453,521	122,848	96,667	1,197,906	469,570	127,453	95,862
Alabama -----	47,440	27,580	13,550	6,250	60	27,460	14,210	5,740	30
Alaska -----	6,553	3,651	2,057	810	35	3,796	1,985	750	22
California -----	152,420	108,860	34,960	8,400	200	105,240	37,280	9,780	120
Colorado ² -----	36,150	21,910	---	---	14,240	22,340	---	---	13,810
Connecticut -----	26,915	19,110	6,675	1,065	65	18,290	7,090	1,390	145
Delaware -----	5,579	3,810	1,477	292	-	3,701	1,582	296	-
District of Columbia -----	5,338	4,054	1,138	146	-	3,750	1,356	232	-
Florida -----	118,984	67,225	37,632	14,031	76	66,647	37,750	14,500	67
Georgia -----	72,820	39,780	22,840	8,640	560	39,680	23,020	9,760	360
Hawaii -----	14,050	8,895	4,162	990	2	8,888	4,108	1,054	-
Idaho ² -----	13,430	7,300	---	---	6,130	7,515	---	---	5,915
Illinois -----	103,734	71,089	26,034	6,534	77	69,824	27,302	6,548	60
Indiana -----	54,040	33,300	13,380	4,720	2,640	33,120	13,640	5,200	2,080
Iowa ³ -----	26,770	---	---	---	26,770	---	---	---	26,770
Kansas -----	25,895	15,880	7,365	2,585	65	16,130	7,215	2,485	65
Kentucky -----	37,520	23,020	10,270	3,570	660	22,580	10,610	3,800	530
Louisiana -----	43,180	26,960	11,680	2,640	1,900	26,530	12,120	2,640	1,890
Maine -----	12,479	8,068	3,475	933	3	7,936	3,596	946	1
Maryland ² -----	47,120	31,680	---	---	15,440	30,490	---	---	16,630
Massachusetts -----	48,860	36,620	10,660	1,550	30	35,500	11,750	1,810	-
Michigan -----	78,940	53,420	19,940	5,580	-	51,580	21,020	6,340	-
Minnesota -----	36,320	19,180	4,690	910	11,540	18,770	5,120	880	11,550
Mississippi -----	26,890	15,480	8,150	3,260	20	15,850	7,950	3,070	20
Missouri -----	53,258	31,285	13,979	5,041	2,953	30,842	14,377	5,168	2,871
Montana -----	8,092	5,225	2,123	737	7	5,239	2,124	721	8
Nebraska -----	13,703	9,773	3,208	719	3	9,611	3,163	725	4
New Hampshire -----	10,972	6,978	3,255	733	6	6,864	3,373	732	3
New Jersey -----	61,840	45,840	14,680	1,300	20	44,720	15,700	1,400	20
New York -----	159,321	118,823	35,947	4,022	529	115,350	38,739	4,805	427
North Carolina -----	52,130	33,610	14,910	3,600	10	33,990	14,740	3,400	-
Ohio -----	99,900	64,940	27,480	7,300	200	64,740	26,800	8,200	160
Oregon ² -----	23,285	14,120	---	---	9,165	14,115	---	---	9,170
Pennsylvania -----	92,140	65,920	20,540	3,240	2,440	64,400	22,220	3,020	2,500
Rhode Island -----	8,053	5,941	1,843	268	1	5,739	2,026	287	1
South Carolina -----	53,686	31,285	17,073	5,320	8	31,682	17,086	5,062	6
South Dakota -----	8,002	5,500	1,916	574	12	5,424	2,008	566	4
Tennessee -----	56,300	31,640	17,300	7,000	360	30,880	18,220	7,140	260
Utah -----	18,425	12,600	4,070	1,505	250	12,565	4,140	1,505	215
Vermont -----	5,595	3,739	1,557	256	43	3,641	1,623	289	42
Virginia -----	61,790	39,548	18,044	4,167	31	39,135	18,445	4,186	24
West Virginia -----	15,930	10,415	4,295	1,150	70	10,300	4,240	1,360	30
Wisconsin -----	40,760	30,340	9,260	1,140	20	29,640	9,940	1,150	30
Wyoming -----	6,202	3,380	1,925	870	26	3,512	1,952	716	22

¹Figures for number of this marriage exclude data for Iowa; these data are included in number of this marriage not stated. Figures for remarriages exclude data for Colorado, Idaho, Maryland, and Oregon; these data are included in number of this marriage not stated.

²This State did not require reporting of number of this marriage for remarriages.

³This State did not require reporting of number of this marriage.

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Table 1-35. Marriages by Resident Status of Bride and Groom in State Where Married: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area	All marriages	Bride resident of State where married			Bride resident of adjoining State			Bride resident of other State or outside U.S.			State of residence of bride or groom not stated
		Groom resident of State where married	Groom resident of adjoining State	Groom resident of other State or outside U.S.	Groom resident of State where married	Groom resident of adjoining State	Groom resident of other State or outside U.S.	Groom resident of State where married	Groom resident of adjoining State	Groom resident of other State or outside U.S.	
Marriage-registration area	1,890,791	1,631,544	38,490	48,232	15,228	84,815	3,047	13,092	1,762	52,181	2,400
Alabama	47,440	40,430	1,270	1,130	560	3,030	90	220	40	660	10
Alaska	6,553	6,195	...	93	...	...	...	100	...	107	58
California	152,420	144,340	360	3,480	140	700	20	1,100	-	2,200	80
Colorado	36,150	31,910	370	1,300	40	680	30	350	30	1,380	80
Connecticut	26,915	22,700	660	810	220	990	95	185	15	1,035	205
Delaware	5,579	4,236	330	323	110	280	29	50	24	197	-
District of Columbia	5,338	2,540	389	131	334	1,481	165	54	30	214	-
Florida	118,964	110,148	640	2,730	190	495	28	1,021	18	3,652	46
Georgia	72,820	57,400	1,740	1,060	1,060	9,800	180	380	80	1,020	100
Hawaii	14,050	9,502	...	346	...	...	...	370	...	3,832	...
Idaho	13,430	8,505	440	210	185	3,565	70	90	30	335	-
Illinois	103,734	94,418	1,583	2,552	577	1,653	92	521	42	2,292	4
Indiana	54,040	48,580	1,500	1,440	480	960	40	220	40	700	120
Iowa	26,770	22,580	760	800	380	1,350	40	120	40	700	-
Kansas	25,895	22,015	735	820	330	970	65	270	25	660	5
Kentucky	37,520	32,310	1,070	750	580	2,070	50	270	40	380	-
Louisiana	43,180	40,620	680	740	200	400	20	280	10	200	50
Maine	12,479	10,705	117	507	43	131	12	182	8	774	-
Maryland	47,120	33,140	1,780	1,330	900	6,180	280	320	120	2,750	320
Massachusetts	48,860	40,980	1,310	2,200	390	1,570	80	610	40	1,660	10
Michigan	78,940	72,260	980	2,340	300	600	20	480	-	1,980	-
Minnesota	36,320	32,090	830	1,150	240	630	-	290	20	1,020	50
Mississippi	26,890	23,310	750	620	380	990	20	200	10	600	10
Missouri	53,258	45,604	1,423	1,079	805	2,489	62	372	46	622	556
Montana	8,092	7,012	87	352	25	112	6	94	5	399	-
Nebraska	13,703	12,129	364	367	127	354	21	69	8	244	-
New Hampshire	10,972	7,941	401	312	273	1,323	46	107	34	534	1
New Jersey	61,840	54,020	2,260	2,140	560	1,040	20	440	-	1,360	-
New York	159,321	144,733	3,032	3,183	986	2,689	95	708	39	3,809	47
North Carolina	52,130	44,490	1,010	1,450	420	2,260	210	440	200	1,650	-
Ohio	99,900	91,720	1,780	3,100	780	680	60	640	-	1,120	20
Oregon	23,285	20,665	700	470	145	745	15	140	20	305	80
Pennsylvania	92,140	82,500	2,380	2,060	700	1,740	60	380	40	1,900	380
Rhode Island	8,053	6,595	367	327	104	329	15	54	11	307	4
South Carolina	33,686	30,577	1,051	978	553	17,367	318	424	287	2,129	2
South Dakota	8,002	5,458	282	288	92	1,390	42	84	38	338	-
Tennessee	56,300	45,440	1,540	1,280	520	4,020	180	300	100	2,860	100
Utah	18,425	14,955	470	490	250	980	110	390	100	650	30
Vermont	5,595	4,348	136	131	57	355	18	48	12	492	-
Virginia	61,790	47,140	1,336	1,992	664	6,104	234	510	140	3,650	20
West Virginia	15,930	13,765	725	345	220	525	25	65	10	240	10
Wisconsin	40,760	36,430	760	940	280	1,270	90	130	10	850	-
Wyoming	6,202	5,182	112	96	48	518	14	34	2	194	2

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Table 1-36. Marriages by Marriage Order and Age of Bride and Groom, by Resident Status of Bride and Groom in State Where Married: Marriage-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data. Figures by marriage order exclude data for Iowa; these data are included in marriage order not stated]

Marriage order and age	All marriages	Resident bride		Nonresident bride		Resident status not stated		
		Resident groom	Nonresident groom	Resident groom	Nonresident groom	Bride	Groom	Bride and groom
ALL MARRIAGES								
Bride-----	1,890,791	1,631,544	86,722	28,320	141,805	509	660	1,231
Under 18 years-----	74,432	65,969	2,170	565	5,546	14	38	130
18 years-----	108,119	97,327	3,648	1,445	5,414	42	43	200
19 years-----	127,731	114,801	5,011	1,723	6,080	62	39	15
20 years-----	136,168	120,873	6,292	1,802	7,048	13	21	119
21 years-----	139,212	122,096	7,622	2,120	7,235	35	54	50
22 years-----	144,205	123,942	9,919	1,922	8,295	34	44	49
23 years-----	128,113	110,105	7,472	1,876	8,541	62	17	40
24 years-----	118,340	98,770	7,292	1,519	8,621	26	32	80
25 years-----	105,103	88,739	6,114	1,369	8,748	36	71	26
26 years-----	90,477	76,671	4,349	1,243	7,970	2	10	32
27 years-----	78,478	66,793	3,473	1,258	6,555	11	8	80
28 years-----	67,893	58,087	2,915	816	6,004	27	30	14
29 years-----	60,730	51,782	2,442	902	5,538	10	3	53
30-34 years-----	210,987	181,131	7,035	3,430	19,133	55	88	115
35-44 years-----	185,219	157,463	5,773	3,276	18,376	62	129	140
45-54 years-----	66,270	55,016	2,410	1,474	7,265	7	32	66
55-64 years-----	32,869	26,831	1,674	876	3,476	11	1	22
65 years and over-----	18,445	14,948	1,111	704	1,660	-	-	-
Groom-----	1,890,791	1,631,544	86,722	28,320	141,805	509	660	1,231
Under 18 years-----	10,868	9,589	234	104	939	1	-	1
18 years-----	39,978	35,879	890	390	2,706	36	30	47
19 years-----	68,888	61,177	2,566	990	4,094	50	2	9
20 years-----	94,542	84,046	4,119	1,274	4,926	25	17	135
21 years-----	117,345	103,255	5,841	1,952	6,073	19	40	165
22 years-----	130,612	114,516	7,141	1,962	6,808	47	84	64
23 years-----	131,527	113,888	7,929	1,901	7,601	28	31	149
24 years-----	127,942	110,475	7,870	1,754	7,677	64	56	46
25 years-----	120,439	103,782	6,624	1,738	8,278	1	13	23
26 years-----	107,498	92,678	5,846	1,371	7,516	23	27	37
27 years-----	94,062	81,101	4,360	1,193	7,331	7	45	25
28 years-----	83,325	71,797	3,891	1,053	6,505	39	23	17
29 years-----	74,883	64,439	3,356	906	5,836	20	11	115
30-34 years-----	263,207	226,174	10,277	3,750	22,663	48	76	219
35-44 years-----	242,192	206,790	8,452	3,869	22,806	75	112	88
45-54 years-----	97,624	81,346	3,378	1,763	10,988	5	89	55
55-64 years-----	51,413	42,297	2,086	1,189	5,828	5	3	25
65 years and over-----	34,646	28,335	1,882	1,171	3,230	16	1	11
FIRST MARRIAGES								
Bride-----	1,217,755	1,053,351	64,974	17,262	80,928	325	472	443
Under 18 years-----	71,856	63,733	2,140	559	5,343	14	38	29
18 years-----	103,008	93,105	3,363	1,376	5,034	42	43	45
19 years-----	119,609	107,680	4,651	1,588	5,575	61	39	15
20 years-----	124,266	110,668	5,835	1,645	6,031	12	19	56
21 years-----	124,215	109,110	6,996	1,898	6,099	34	49	29
22 years-----	124,290	106,683	9,171	1,586	6,725	34	44	47
23 years-----	104,855	89,888	6,752	1,569	6,546	44	17	39
24 years-----	91,158	76,847	6,422	1,198	6,627	15	22	27
25 years-----	76,700	63,824	5,339	1,040	6,392	36	66	3
26 years-----	59,944	50,032	3,653	934	5,287	-	7	31
27 years-----	46,544	39,052	2,484	846	4,153	-	7	2
28 years-----	35,882	29,855	2,053	404	3,525	6	28	11
29 years-----	28,681	23,770	1,538	506	2,834	10	2	21
30-34 years-----	70,359	58,749	3,148	1,181	7,130	6	67	78
35-44 years-----	27,609	23,125	1,083	761	2,595	11	24	10
45-54 years-----	5,579	4,655	247	93	584	-	-	-
55-64 years-----	2,399	2,013	47	35	304	-	-	-
65 years and over-----	801	582	52	43	144	-	-	-
Groom-----	1,197,906	1,039,005	62,468	17,034	78,390	288	333	388
Under 18 years-----	10,482	9,228	234	104	915	1	-	-
18 years-----	38,961	35,012	869	369	2,623	36	30	22
19 years-----	66,509	59,085	2,441	933	4,006	40	1	3
20 years-----	89,726	79,846	3,864	1,233	4,734	5	10	34
21 years-----	110,016	97,036	5,516	1,797	5,549	14	40	64
22 years-----	120,382	105,580	6,730	1,773	6,155	46	74	44
23 years-----	117,309	101,615	7,400	1,670	6,355	18	25	26
24 years-----	111,322	95,967	7,247	1,551	8,423	58	31	45
25 years-----	100,373	86,250	6,044	1,440	6,635	-	3	1
26 years-----	84,628	72,530	5,126	1,142	5,767	12	15	36
27 years-----	69,361	59,525	3,616	882	5,267	7	40	24
28 years-----	56,420	48,291	2,955	769	4,354	14	23	14
29 years-----	45,558	38,908	2,470	666	3,495	15	1	3
30-34 years-----	116,320	99,093	5,462	1,708	9,932	20	39	66
35-44 years-----	46,053	38,602	2,013	770	4,660	2	1	5
45-54 years-----	8,710	7,373	330	121	886	-	-	-
55-64 years-----	4,211	3,693	98	60	459	-	-	-
65 years and over-----	1,565	1,291	53	48	175	-	-	-

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Table 1-36. Marriages by Marriage Order and Age of Bride and Groom, by Resident Status of Bride and Groom in State Where Married: Marriage-Registration Area, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data. Figures by marriage order exclude data for Iowa; these data are included in marriage order not stated]

Marriage order and age	All marriages	Resident bride		Nonresident bride		Resident status not stated		
		Resident groom	Nonresident groom	Resident groom	Nonresident groom	Bride	Groom	Bride and groom
REMARRIAGES								
Bride -----	629,427	541,039	19,501	10,398	57,956	151	178	204
Under 20 years -----	7,451	6,432	254	93	672	-	-	-
20-24 years -----	76,746	68,551	2,352	1,088	6,709	15	7	44
25-29 years -----	148,428	128,702	3,787	1,738	12,108	22	12	61
30-34 years -----	137,207	119,369	3,787	2,198	11,768	48	21	38
35-44 years -----	154,488	131,771	4,810	2,450	15,476	49	105	25
45-54 years -----	59,774	49,655	2,108	1,381	6,598	6	32	18
55-64 years -----	30,039	24,449	1,596	831	3,151	11	1	-
65 years and over -----	17,296	14,110	1,027	661	1,476	-	-	22
Groom -----	650,290	556,411	22,030	10,629	60,539	176	267	239
Under 20 years -----	1,081	950	16	31	73	5	1	5
20-24 years -----	35,783	31,168	1,060	539	2,952	31	33	-
25-29 years -----	112,422	98,696	3,339	1,218	9,091	27	22	29
30-34 years -----	141,947	122,876	4,643	1,972	12,334	18	22	82
35-44 years -----	192,721	165,269	6,274	3,026	17,895	68	106	83
45-54 years -----	67,368	72,766	2,973	1,620	9,920	5	79	5
55-64 years -----	46,452	38,084	1,938	1,109	5,289	5	3	24
65 years and over -----	32,516	26,602	1,787	1,114	2,985	16	1	11
MARRIAGE ORDER NOT STATED								
Bride -----	43,609	37,154	2,247	660	2,921	33	10	584
Groom -----	42,595	36,128	2,224	657	2,876	46	60	604

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Table 1-37. Marriages by Marriage Order and Age of Bride and Groom, by Resident Status in State Where Married: Marriage-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data. Figures by marriage order exclude data for Iowa; these data are included in marriage order not stated]

Marriage order and age	All marriages	Resident status in State where married				Marriage order and age	All marriages	Resident status in State where married			
		Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated			Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated
ALL MARRIAGES						FIRST MARRIAGES—Con.					
Bride-----	1,890,791	1,718,865	103,124	67,062	1,740	Groom-----	1,197,906	1,056,284	71,783	69,118	721
Under 18 years-----	74,432	68,177	5,144	967	144	Under 18 years-----	10,482	9,333	907	242	-
18-19 years-----	235,850	220,869	10,248	4,414	319	18-19 years-----	105,470	95,475	6,691	3,248	56
20-24 years-----	664,038	614,546	28,102	20,882	508	20-24 years-----	548,755	488,357	31,012	28,993	393
25-29 years-----	402,681	381,678	21,763	18,949	291	25-29 years-----	356,340	310,441	21,882	23,857	160
30-34 years-----	210,987	188,238	13,712	8,867	170	30-34 years-----	116,320	100,820	6,931	8,464	105
35-44 years-----	185,219	163,334	14,202	7,481	202	35-44 years-----	46,053	39,374	3,334	3,339	6
45-54 years-----	66,270	57,458	5,888	2,851	73	45-54 years-----	8,710	7,494	609	607	-
55-64 years-----	32,869	28,506	2,897	1,655	11	55-64 years-----	4,211	3,653	281	276	1
65 years and over-----	18,445	16,059	1,368	996	22	65 years and over-----	1,565	1,337	136	92	-
Groom-----	1,890,791	1,660,253	125,141	103,506	1,891	REMARRIAGES					
Under 18 years-----	10,668	9,694	931	242	1	Bride-----	629,427	560,679	46,217	22,176	355
18-19 years-----	108,866	98,522	6,881	3,375	88	Under 20 years-----	7,451	6,686	619	146	-
20-24 years-----	601,968	535,153	34,668	31,360	787	20-24 years-----	76,746	68,908	5,738	2,041	59
25-29 years-----	480,007	420,098	30,616	28,957	336	25-29 years-----	146,428	132,501	9,186	4,858	83
30-34 years-----	283,207	229,971	17,708	15,233	295	30-34 years-----	137,207	123,151	9,326	4,646	84
35-44 years-----	242,182	210,694	18,098	13,200	200	35-44 years-----	154,486	136,455	12,256	5,701	74
45-54 years-----	97,624	83,113	8,697	5,670	144	45-54 years-----	59,774	51,795	5,387	2,570	22
55-64 years-----	51,413	43,486	4,664	3,235	28	55-64 years-----	30,039	26,046	2,458	1,524	11
65 years and over-----	34,646	29,522	2,678	2,234	12	65 years and over-----	17,296	15,137	1,247	890	22
FIRST MARRIAGES						Groom-----	650,290	567,139	50,775	31,870	506
Bride-----	1,217,755	1,118,775	54,815	43,397	768	Under 20 years-----	1,081	986	74	15	6
Under 18 years-----	71,856	65,911	4,983	919	43	20-24 years-----	35,783	31,728	2,864	1,158	33
18-19 years-----	222,617	208,881	9,433	4,140	163	25-29 years-----	112,422	99,921	7,958	4,492	51
20-24 years-----	568,784	528,520	21,708	18,219	337	30-34 years-----	141,847	124,866	10,458	6,510	104
25-29 years-----	247,751	221,701	12,091	13,839	120	35-44 years-----	132,721	108,323	14,510	9,699	189
30-34 years-----	70,359	61,954	4,181	4,140	84	45-54 years-----	87,368	74,390	7,918	4,976	84
35-44 years-----	27,609	24,232	1,690	1,666	21	55-64 years-----	46,452	39,193	4,323	2,909	27
45-54 years-----	5,579	4,902	410	267	-	65 years and over-----	32,516	27,732	2,670	2,102	12
55-64 years-----	2,399	2,060	208	131	-	MARRIAGE ORDER NOT STATED					
65 years and over-----	601	614	111	76	-	Bride-----	43,609	39,411	2,092	1,489	617
						Groom-----	42,596	36,830	2,583	2,518	664

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Table 1-38. Marriages by Previous Marital Status of Bride and Groom, by Resident Status in State Where Married: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area and previous marital status	All marriages	Resident status in State where married				Area and previous marital status	All marriages	Resident status in State where married			
		Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated			Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated
MARRIAGE-REGISTRATION AREA¹						COLORADO					
Bride-----	1,890,791	1,718,865	103,124	67,062	1,740	Bride-----	36,150	33,610	750	1,740	50
Single-----	1,217,755	1,118,775	54,815	43,397	768	Single-----	21,910	20,510	350	1,020	30
Previously married ² ---	629,427	560,679	46,217	22,176	355	Previously married---	14,080	12,950	400	710	20
Widowed-----	58,476	49,910	3,896	2,631	39	Widowed-----	1,080	930	60	90	-
Divorced-----	485,362	436,062	31,788	17,245	267	Divorced-----	13,000	12,020	340	620	20
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	87,589	74,707	10,533	2,300	49	Widowed or divorced not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	43,609	39,411	2,092	1,489	617	Previous marital status not stated-----	160	150	-	10	-
Groom-----	1,890,791	1,660,253	125,141	103,506	1,891	Groom-----	36,150	32,320	1,080	2,700	50
Single-----	1,197,906	1,066,284	71,783	69,118	721	Single-----	22,340	19,900	640	1,790	10
Previously married---	650,290	567,139	50,775	31,870	506	Previously married---	13,520	12,160	440	890	30
Widowed-----	51,604	44,635	3,845	3,050	74	Widowed-----	850	690	50	110	-
Divorced-----	510,107	447,914	36,494	25,340	359	Divorced-----	12,670	11,470	390	780	30
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	88,679	74,590	10,436	3,480	73	Widowed or divorced not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	42,595	36,830	2,583	2,518	664	Previous marital status not stated-----	290	260	-	20	10
ALABAMA						CONNECTICUT					
Bride-----	47,440	42,840	3,680	920	-	Bride-----	26,915	24,260	1,315	1,235	105
Single-----	27,580	25,040	1,870	670	-	Single-----	19,110	17,050	1,030	950	80
Previously married---	19,850	17,790	1,810	250	-	Previously married---	7,765	7,170	285	280	20
Widowed-----	1,980	1,810	150	20	-	Widowed-----	785	715	15	50	5
Divorced-----	17,760	15,870	1,660	230	-	Divorced-----	6,765	6,275	265	215	10
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	110	110	-	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated-----	205	180	5	15	5
Previous marital status not stated-----	10	10	-	-	-	Previous marital status not stated-----	50	40	-	5	5
Groom-----	47,440	41,210	4,340	1,880	10	Groom-----	26,915	23,190	1,665	1,940	120
Single-----	27,460	23,890	2,300	1,270	-	Single-----	18,290	15,460	1,330	1,485	15
Previously married---	19,960	17,320	2,040	610	10	Previously married---	8,485	7,650	325	445	65
Widowed-----	1,760	1,500	190	70	-	Widowed-----	775	690	40	45	-
Divorced-----	18,120	15,730	1,840	540	10	Divorced-----	7,515	6,830	280	390	15
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	100	90	10	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated-----	195	130	5	10	50
Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	Previous marital status not stated-----	140	80	10	10	40
ALASKA						DELAWARE					
Bride-----	6,553	6,303	...	209	41	Bride-----	5,579	4,889	419	271	-
Single-----	3,651	3,517	...	108	26	Single-----	3,810	3,352	280	198	-
Previously married---	2,874	2,758	...	101	15	Previously married---	1,769	1,537	159	73	-
Widowed-----	153	138	...	15	-	Widowed-----	176	150	18	8	-
Divorced-----	2,618	2,522	...	83	13	Divorced-----	1,593	1,387	141	85	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	103	98	...	3	2	Widowed or divorced not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	28	28	...	-	-	Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-
Groom-----	6,553	6,304	...	200	49	Groom-----	5,579	4,396	634	549	-
Single-----	3,796	3,653	...	114	29	Single-----	3,701	2,856	431	414	-
Previously married---	2,740	2,634	...	86	20	Previously married---	1,878	1,540	203	135	-
Widowed-----	93	81	...	12	-	Widowed-----	183	130	20	13	-
Divorced-----	2,550	2,460	...	71	19	Divorced-----	1,715	1,410	183	122	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	97	93	...	3	1	Widowed or divorced not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	17	17	...	-	-	Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-
CALIFORNIA						DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA					
Bride-----	152,420	148,240	860	3,300	20	Bride-----	5,338	3,060	1,980	298	-
Single-----	108,860	106,080	460	2,300	20	Single-----	4,054	2,349	1,492	213	-
Previously married---	43,480	42,080	400	1,000	-	Previously married---	1,284	711	488	85	-
Widowed-----	4,600	4,380	20	200	-	Widowed-----	131	89	30	12	-
Divorced-----	38,700	37,520	380	800	-	Divorced-----	1,149	619	457	73	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	180	180	-	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated-----	4	3	1	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	80	80	-	-	-	Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-
Groom-----	152,420	146,600	1,060	5,700	60	Groom-----	5,338	2,928	1,900	510	-
Single-----	105,240	100,440	640	4,120	40	Single-----	3,750	2,084	1,321	365	-
Previously married---	47,120	45,100	420	1,580	20	Previously married---	1,588	864	579	145	-
Widowed-----	4,760	4,540	20	200	-	Widowed-----	152	92	43	17	-
Divorced-----	42,240	40,440	400	1,380	20	Divorced-----	1,433	770	535	128	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	120	120	-	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated-----	3	2	1	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	60	60	-	-	-	Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-

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Table 1-38. Marriages by Previous Marital Status of Bride and Groom, by Resident Status in State Where Married: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and previous marital status	All marriages	Resident status in State where married				Area and previous marital status	All marriages	Resident status in State where married			
		Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated			Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated
FLORIDA						ILLINOIS					
Bride -----	118,964	113,522	713	4,689	40	Bride -----	103,734	98,556	2,322	2,855	1
Single -----	67,225	64,340	372	2,488	25	Single -----	71,089	67,513	1,407	2,169	-
Previously married----	51,695	49,140	340	2,200	15	Previously married----	32,642	31,040	915	686	1
Widowed -----	5,708	5,248	49	408	2	Widowed -----	3,272	3,094	93	85	-
Divorced -----	45,866	43,776	290	1,787	13	Divorced -----	28,601	27,206	810	584	1
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	121	115	1	5	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	769	740	12	17	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	44	42	1	1	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	3	3	-	-	-
Groom -----	118,964	111,371	1,151	6,410	32	Groom -----	103,734	95,517	3,278	4,936	3
Single -----	66,647	62,253	694	3,678	22	Single -----	69,824	63,955	2,162	3,704	3
Previously married----	52,287	49,097	456	2,724	10	Previously married----	33,907	31,559	1,116	1,232	-
Widowed -----	5,309	4,813	41	453	2	Widowed -----	3,105	2,854	114	137	-
Divorced -----	46,865	44,182	414	2,261	8	Divorced -----	30,010	27,944	994	1,072	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	113	102	1	10	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	792	761	8	23	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	30	21	1	8	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	3	3	-	-	-
GEORGIA						INDIANA					
Bride -----	72,820	60,220	11,040	1,480	80	Bride -----	54,040	51,540	1,460	960	80
Single -----	39,780	34,860	4,040	860	20	Single -----	33,300	31,720	760	760	60
Previously married----	32,900	25,240	6,980	620	60	Previously married----	20,120	19,240	660	200	20
Widowed -----	3,000	2,220	640	140	-	Widowed -----	2,000	1,860	120	20	-
Divorced -----	29,620	22,840	6,260	480	40	Divorced -----	17,940	17,220	520	180	20
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	280	180	90	-	20	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	180	160	20	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	140	120	20	-	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	620	580	40	-	-
Groom -----	72,820	58,880	11,660	2,260	20	Groom -----	54,040	49,260	2,500	2,200	80
Single -----	39,680	33,540	4,620	1,520	-	Single -----	33,120	29,700	1,780	1,600	40
Previously married----	33,100	25,320	7,020	740	20	Previously married----	20,640	19,360	700	560	20
Widowed -----	2,240	1,720	440	80	-	Widowed -----	1,780	1,580	140	60	-
Divorced -----	30,740	23,500	6,580	660	20	Divorced -----	18,720	17,660	540	500	20
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	120	100	20	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	140	120	20	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	40	20	20	-	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	280	200	20	40	20
HAWAII						IOWA ^a					
Bride -----	14,050	9,848	...	4,202	-	Bride -----	26,770	24,140	1,770	860	-
Single -----	8,696	6,684	...	2,012	-	Single -----	---	---	---	---	-
Previously married----	5,154	2,964	...	2,180	-	Previously married----	---	---	---	---	-
Widowed -----	410	204	...	206	-	Widowed -----	---	---	---	---	-
Divorced -----	4,740	2,756	...	1,984	-	Divorced -----	---	---	---	---	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	4	4	...	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	---	---	---	---	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	-	-	...	-	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	26,770	24,140	1,770	860	-
Groom -----	14,050	9,872	...	4,178	-	Groom -----	26,770	23,080	2,150	1,540	-
Single -----	8,888	6,974	...	1,914	-	Single -----	---	---	---	---	-
Previously married----	5,162	2,898	...	2,264	-	Previously married----	---	---	---	---	-
Widowed -----	416	198	...	218	-	Widowed -----	---	---	---	---	-
Divorced -----	4,744	2,698	...	2,046	-	Divorced -----	---	---	---	---	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	2	2	...	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	---	---	---	---	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	-	-	...	-	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	26,770	23,080	2,150	1,540	-
IDAHO						KANSAS					
Bride -----	13,430	9,155	3,820	455	-	Bride -----	25,895	23,575	1,365	955	-
Single -----	7,300	5,430	1,625	245	-	Single -----	15,880	14,485	745	650	-
Previously married----	6,080	3,675	2,195	210	-	Previously married----	9,970	9,050	620	300	-
Widowed -----	565	320	220	25	-	Widowed -----	885	765	85	35	-
Divorced -----	5,515	3,355	1,975	185	-	Divorced -----	9,045	8,250	530	265	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	40	35	5	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	50	50	-	-	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	45	40	-	5	-
Groom -----	13,430	8,780	4,035	615	-	Groom -----	25,895	22,615	1,730	1,545	5
Single -----	7,515	5,285	1,870	360	-	Single -----	16,130	14,095	985	1,045	5
Previously married----	5,895	3,475	2,165	255	-	Previously married----	9,735	8,490	745	500	-
Widowed -----	480	240	215	25	-	Widowed -----	805	715	60	30	-
Divorced -----	5,415	3,235	1,950	230	-	Divorced -----	8,905	7,755	685	465	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	25	20	-	5	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	20	20	-	-	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	30	30	-	-	-

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Table 1-38: Marriages by Previous Marital Status of Bride and Groom, by Resident Status in State Where Married: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and previous marital status	All marriages	Resident status in State where married				Area and previous marital status	All marriages	Resident status in State where married			
		Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated			Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated
KENTUCKY						MASSACHUSETTS					
Bride -----	37,520	34,130	2,700	690	-	Bride -----	48,860	44,510	2,040	2,310	-
Single -----	23,020	21,290	1,230	500	-	Single -----	36,620	33,350	1,490	1,780	-
Previously married----	14,490	12,840	1,460	190	-	Previously married----	12,220	11,140	550	530	-
Widowed -----	1,760	1,530	200	30	-	Widowed -----	1,190	1,150	20	20	-
Divorced -----	12,680	11,270	1,250	160	-	Divorced -----	10,910	9,880	520	610	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	50	40	10	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated-----	120	110	10	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	10	-	10	-	-	Previous marital status not stated-----	20	20	-	-	-
Groom -----	37,520	33,160	3,180	1,180	-	Groom -----	48,860	41,990	2,920	3,940	10
Single -----	22,580	20,170	1,620	790	-	Single -----	35,500	30,320	2,040	3,130	10
Previously married----	14,920	12,990	1,550	380	-	Previously married----	13,360	11,670	880	810	-
Widowed -----	1,390	1,180	170	40	-	Widowed -----	1,380	1,260	60	60	-
Divorced -----	13,510	11,790	1,380	340	-	Divorced -----	11,810	10,250	810	750	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	20	20	-	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated-----	170	160	10	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	20	-	10	10	-	Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-
LOUISIANA						MICHIGAN*					
Bride -----	43,180	42,020	620	490	50	Bride -----	78,940	75,580	920	2,440	-
Single -----	26,960	26,330	280	320	30	Single -----	53,420	50,940	520	1,960	-
Previously married----	14,360	13,880	330	140	10	Previously married----	25,520	24,640	400	480	-
Widowed -----	1,340	1,300	40	-	-	Widowed -----	-	-	-	-	-
Divorced -----	12,360	11,930	280	140	10	Divorced -----	-	-	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	660	650	10	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated-----	25,520	24,640	400	480	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	1,860	1,810	10	30	10	Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-
Groom -----	43,180	41,150	1,070	960	-	Groom -----	78,940	73,020	1,580	4,340	-
Single -----	26,590	25,370	530	630	-	Single -----	51,580	47,200	1,000	3,380	-
Previously married----	14,810	14,050	480	280	-	Previously married----	27,360	25,820	580	960	-
Widowed -----	1,370	1,310	40	20	-	Widowed -----	-	-	-	-	-
Divorced -----	12,940	12,250	430	260	-	Divorced -----	-	-	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	500	490	10	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated-----	27,360	25,820	580	960	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	1,840	1,730	60	50	-	Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-
MAINE						MINNESOTA					
Bride -----	12,479	11,329	188	964	-	Bride -----	36,320	34,080	870	1,330	40
Single -----	8,068	7,285	128	655	-	Single -----	19,180	17,810	530	810	30
Previously married----	4,411	4,044	58	309	-	Previously married----	9,160	8,600	290	260	10
Widowed -----	415	377	6	32	-	Widowed -----	1,120	1,030	30	50	10
Divorced -----	3,994	3,665	52	277	-	Divorced -----	7,870	7,420	250	200	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	2	2	-	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated-----	170	150	10	10	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	Previous marital status not stated-----	7,980	7,670	50	260	-
Groom -----	12,479	10,930	256	1,293	-	Groom -----	36,320	32,650	1,480	2,170	20
Single -----	7,936	6,866	173	897	-	Single -----	18,770	16,780	920	1,070	-
Previously married----	4,543	4,064	83	396	-	Previously married----	9,790	8,720	420	640	10
Widowed -----	386	334	11	41	-	Widowed -----	990	830	40	110	10
Divorced -----	4,155	3,728	72	355	-	Divorced -----	8,750	7,840	380	530	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	2	2	-	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated-----	50	50	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	Previous marital status not stated-----	7,760	7,150	140	460	10
MARYLAND						MISSISSIPPI					
Bride -----	47,120	36,280	7,360	3,190	290	Bride -----	26,890	24,680	1,390	820	-
Single -----	31,680	24,940	4,400	2,160	180	Single -----	15,460	14,380	560	520	-
Previously married----	15,310	11,250	2,950	1,010	100	Previously married----	11,420	10,290	830	300	-
Widowed -----	1,630	1,120	360	130	20	Widowed -----	1,340	1,190	120	30	-
Divorced -----	13,680	10,130	2,590	880	80	Divorced -----	10,000	9,030	700	270	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated-----	80	70	10	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	130	90	10	20	10	Previous marital status not stated-----	10	10	-	-	-
Groom -----	47,120	34,370	8,090	4,370	290	Groom -----	26,890	23,890	1,750	1,240	10
Single -----	30,490	22,380	4,840	3,080	190	Single -----	15,850	14,170	870	810	-
Previously married----	16,610	11,970	3,250	1,290	100	Previously married----	11,030	9,710	880	430	10
Widowed -----	1,450	960	330	150	10	Widowed -----	1,040	890	100	40	10
Divorced -----	15,160	11,010	2,920	1,140	90	Divorced -----	9,970	8,810	770	390	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated-----	20	10	10	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	20	20	-	-	-	Previous marital status not stated-----	10	10	-	-	-

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Table 1-38. Marriages by Previous Marital Status of Bride and Groom, by Resident Status in State Where Married: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and previous marital status	All marriages	Resident status in State where married				Area and previous marital status	All marriages	Resident status in State where married			
		Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated			Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated
MISSOURI						NEW JERSEY					
Bride -----	53,258	48,111	3,357	1,240	560	Bride -----	61,840	58,420	1,620	1,800	-
Single -----	31,265	28,694	1,790	791	10	Single -----	45,840	43,220	1,140	1,480	-
Previously married----	19,794	17,883	1,486	412	13	Previously married----	15,980	15,180	480	320	-
Widowed -----	2,037	1,826	159	50	2	Widowed -----	1,620	1,560	-	60	-
Divorced -----	17,290	16,884	1,288	349	9	Divorced -----	14,340	13,600	480	260	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	467	393	59	13	2	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	20	20	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	2,179	1,534	81	37	527	Previous marital status not stated -----	20	20	-	-	-
Groom -----	53,258	46,789	3,962	1,963	544	Groom -----	61,840	55,020	3,300	3,520	-
Single -----	30,842	27,345	2,234	1,251	12	Single -----	44,720	39,480	2,360	2,880	-
Previously married----	20,277	17,983	1,637	644	13	Previously married----	17,120	15,540	940	640	-
Widowed -----	1,736	1,506	153	75	2	Widowed -----	1,900	1,660	180	60	-
Divorced -----	18,106	16,120	1,423	554	9	Divorced -----	15,220	13,880	760	580	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	435	357	61	15	2	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	2,139	1,461	91	68	519	Previous marital status not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-
MONTANA						NEW YORK					
Bride -----	8,092	7,451	143	498	-	Bride -----	159,321	150,970	3,770	4,560	21
Single -----	5,225	4,823	82	320	-	Single -----	118,823	112,273	2,922	3,611	17
Previously married----	2,860	2,622	61	177	-	Previously married----	40,361	38,562	847	948	4
Widowed -----	273	239	8	26	-	Widowed -----	4,624	4,414	87	123	-
Divorced -----	2,587	2,383	53	151	-	Divorced -----	35,023	33,473	744	802	4
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	714	675	16	23	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	7	6	-	1	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	137	135	1	1	-
Groom -----	8,092	7,131	204	757	-	Groom -----	159,321	146,443	5,760	7,088	30
Single -----	5,239	4,589	129	521	-	Single -----	115,350	105,455	4,418	5,455	22
Previously married----	2,846	2,536	75	235	-	Previously married----	43,903	40,925	1,340	1,630	8
Widowed -----	244	218	5	21	-	Widowed -----	4,518	4,215	127	176	-
Divorced -----	2,602	2,318	70	214	-	Divorced -----	38,837	36,212	1,191	1,426	8
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	548	498	22	28	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	7	6	-	1	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	68	63	2	3	-
NEBRASKA						NORTH CAROLINA					
Bride -----	13,703	12,880	502	321	-	Bride -----	52,130	46,950	2,890	2,290	-
Single -----	9,773	9,161	370	242	-	Single -----	33,610	30,720	1,350	1,540	-
Previously married----	3,928	3,718	131	79	-	Previously married----	18,510	16,220	1,540	750	-
Widowed -----	519	501	9	9	-	Widowed -----	2,000	1,840	100	60	-
Divorced -----	3,406	3,214	122	70	-	Divorced -----	16,500	14,370	1,440	690	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	3	3	-	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	10	10	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	2	1	1	-	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	10	10	-	-	-
Groom -----	13,703	12,325	746	632	-	Groom -----	52,130	45,350	3,470	3,310	-
Single -----	9,811	8,785	567	459	-	Single -----	33,990	29,720	1,870	2,400	-
Previously married----	3,890	3,539	178	173	-	Previously married----	18,140	15,630	1,600	910	-
Widowed -----	425	386	22	17	-	Widowed -----	1,620	1,380	150	90	-
Divorced -----	3,464	3,152	156	156	-	Divorced -----	16,520	14,250	1,450	820	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	1	1	-	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	2	1	1	-	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-
NEW HAMPSHIRE						OHIO ⁴					
Bride -----	10,972	8,654	1,643	675	-	Bride -----	99,900	96,600	1,520	1,780	20
Single -----	6,978	5,540	973	465	-	Single -----	64,940	62,800	800	1,340	-
Previously married----	3,994	3,114	670	210	-	Previously married----	34,760	33,640	700	400	20
Widowed -----	357	265	84	18	-	Widowed -----	-	-	-	-	-
Divorced -----	3,637	2,859	586	192	-	Divorced -----	-	-	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	34,760	33,640	700	400	20
Previous marital status not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	200	160	20	20	-
Groom -----	10,972	8,321	1,758	892	1	Groom -----	99,900	93,140	2,480	4,280	-
Single -----	6,864	5,123	1,113	627	1	Single -----	64,740	59,820	1,720	3,400	-
Previously married----	4,108	3,198	845	265	-	Previously married----	35,000	33,380	760	860	-
Widowed -----	343	257	59	27	-	Widowed -----	-	-	-	-	-
Divorced -----	3,765	2,941	586	238	-	Divorced -----	-	-	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	35,000	33,380	760	860	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	160	140	-	20	-

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Table 1-38. Marriages by Previous Marital Status of Bride and Groom, by Resident Status in State Where Married: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and previous marital status	All marriages	Resident status in State where married				Area and previous marital status	All marriages	Resident status in State where married			
		Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated			Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated
OREGON						SOUTH DAKOTA					
Bride -----	23,285	21,865	905	475	40	Bride -----	8,002	6,018	1,524	460	-
Single -----	14,120	13,100	645	335	40	Single -----	5,500	4,346	842	312	-
Previously married----	9,090	8,700	260	130	-	Previously married----	2,496	1,666	682	148	-
Widowed -----	895	850	35	10	-	Widowed -----	334	240	74	20	-
Divorced -----	8,195	7,850	225	120	-	Divorced -----	2,160	1,426	606	128	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	2	-	2	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	75	65	-	10	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	6	6	-	-	-
Groom -----	23,285	20,975	1,465	790	55	Groom -----	8,002	5,634	1,690	678	-
Single -----	14,115	12,570	955	550	40	Single -----	5,424	3,972	974	478	-
Previously married----	9,055	8,305	510	225	15	Previously married----	2,576	1,660	716	200	-
Widowed -----	710	650	40	20	-	Widowed -----	254	188	52	14	-
Divorced -----	8,345	7,655	470	205	15	Divorced -----	2,320	1,472	662	186	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	2	-	2	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	115	100	-	15	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	2	2	-	-	-
PENNSYLVANIA						TENNESSEE					
Bride -----	92,140	87,060	2,500	2,320	260	Bride -----	56,300	48,300	4,720	3,260	20
Single -----	65,920	62,180	1,900	1,660	180	Single -----	31,640	28,220	2,040	1,380	-
Previously married----	23,860	22,820	560	460	20	Previously married----	24,360	19,820	2,660	1,860	20
Widowed -----	2,740	2,540	100	100	-	Widowed -----	2,460	1,840	400	220	-
Divorced -----	21,020	20,220	460	320	20	Divorced -----	21,600	17,680	2,260	1,640	20
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	100	60	-	40	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	300	300	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	2,360	2,060	40	200	60	Previous marital status not stated -----	300	260	20	20	-
Groom -----	92,140	83,600	4,160	4,020	360	Groom -----	56,300	46,260	5,660	4,280	100
Single -----	64,400	58,340	3,020	2,840	200	Single -----	30,680	25,980	2,840	1,800	60
Previously married----	25,440	23,320	1,080	940	100	Previously married----	25,420	20,100	2,820	2,460	40
Widowed -----	2,620	2,400	160	40	20	Widowed -----	1,940	1,360	320	240	20
Divorced -----	22,580	20,720	920	880	60	Divorced -----	23,240	18,500	2,500	2,220	20
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	240	200	-	20	20	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	240	240	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	2,300	1,940	60	240	60	Previous marital status not stated -----	200	180	-	20	-
RHODE ISLAND						UTAH					
Bride -----	8,053	7,232	448	372	1	Bride -----	18,425	15,930	1,340	1,140	15
Single -----	5,941	5,327	328	285	1	Single -----	12,600	10,685	1,070	935	10
Previously married----	2,112	1,905	120	87	-	Previously married----	5,640	5,180	260	200	-
Widowed -----	220	198	10	12	-	Widowed -----	415	370	30	15	-
Divorced -----	1,891	1,706	110	75	-	Divorced -----	5,140	4,725	230	185	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	1	1	-	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	85	85	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	185	165	10	5	5
Groom -----	8,053	6,693	707	649	4	Groom -----	18,425	15,600	1,550	1,255	20
Single -----	5,739	4,708	523	505	3	Single -----	12,565	10,440	1,205	910	10
Previously married----	2,314	1,985	184	144	1	Previously married----	5,695	5,015	335	340	5
Widowed -----	201	166	23	12	-	Widowed -----	485	430	25	30	-
Divorced -----	2,112	1,819	161	131	1	Divorced -----	5,130	4,510	310	305	5
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	1	-	-	1	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	80	75	-	5	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	165	145	10	5	5
SOUTH CAROLINA ⁴						VERMONT					
Bride -----	53,686	32,608	18,238	2,840	-	Bride -----	5,595	4,613	430	552	-
Single -----	31,285	20,678	9,058	1,549	-	Single -----	3,739	3,079	291	369	-
Previously married----	22,393	11,926	9,176	1,291	-	Previously married----	1,814	1,496	137	181	-
Widowed -----	-	-	-	-	-	Widowed -----	183	152	17	14	-
Divorced -----	-	-	-	-	-	Divorced -----	1,630	1,344	119	167	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	22,393	11,926	9,176	1,291	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	1	-	1	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	8	4	4	-	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	42	38	2	2	-
Groom -----	53,686	31,554	18,705	3,425	2	Groom -----	5,595	4,451	503	641	-
Single -----	31,582	19,903	9,791	1,886	2	Single -----	3,641	2,894	342	405	-
Previously married----	22,098	11,649	8,911	1,538	-	Previously married----	1,912	1,522	158	232	-
Widowed -----	-	-	-	-	-	Widowed -----	135	99	19	17	-
Divorced -----	-	-	-	-	-	Divorced -----	1,777	1,423	139	215	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	22,098	11,649	8,911	1,538	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	6	2	3	1	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	42	35	3	4	-

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[Based on sample data]

Area and previous marital status	All marriages	Resident status in State where married				Area and previous marital status	All marriages	Resident status in State where married			
		Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated			Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated
VIRGINIA						WISCONSIN					
Bride -----	61,790	50,481	7,004	4,301	4	Bride -----	40,760	38,130	1,640	990	-
Single -----	39,548	33,491	3,769	2,284	4	Single -----	30,340	28,350	1,160	830	-
Previously married----	22,220	16,968	3,235	2,017	-	Previously married----	10,410	9,770	480	160	-
Widowed -----	2,132	1,536	368	228	-	Widowed -----	1,330	1,230	70	30	-
Divorced -----	20,027	15,379	2,862	1,786	-	Divorced -----	9,060	8,520	410	130	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	61	53	5	3	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	20	20	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	22	22	-	-	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	10	10	-	-	-
Groom -----	61,790	48,318	7,580	5,676	16	Groom -----	40,760	36,840	2,040	1,880	-
Single -----	39,135	31,509	4,171	3,448	7	Single -----	29,640	26,520	1,570	1,550	-
Previously married----	22,643	16,798	3,409	2,427	9	Previously married----	11,100	10,300	470	330	-
Widowed -----	1,849	1,349	278	222	-	Widowed -----	1,350	1,230	70	50	-
Divorced -----	20,746	15,408	3,126	2,203	9	Divorced -----	9,750	9,070	400	280	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	48	41	5	2	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	12	11	-	1	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	20	20	-	-	-
WEST VIRGINIA						WYOMING					
Bride -----	15,930	14,835	770	315	10	Bride -----	6,202	5,390	580	230	2
Single -----	10,415	9,735	480	195	5	Single -----	3,380	2,998	256	126	-
Previously married----	5,505	5,090	290	120	5	Previously married----	2,796	2,370	322	102	2
Widowed -----	565	530	25	10	-	Widowed -----	232	168	44	20	-
Divorced -----	4,900	4,520	265	110	5	Divorced -----	2,550	2,188	278	82	2
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	40	40	-	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	14	14	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	10	10	-	-	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	26	22	2	2	-
Groom -----	15,930	14,060	1,260	610	-	Groom -----	6,202	5,266	632	304	-
Single -----	10,300	8,990	895	415	-	Single -----	3,512	3,020	320	172	-
Previously married----	5,625	5,065	365	195	-	Previously married----	2,668	2,228	310	130	-
Widowed -----	410	400	10	-	-	Widowed -----	170	134	28	8	-
Divorced -----	5,170	4,620	355	195	-	Divorced -----	2,486	2,082	282	122	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	45	45	-	-	-	Widowed or divorced not stated -----	12	12	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	5	5	-	-	-	Previous marital status not stated -----	22	18	2	2	-

1 Figures for single and previously married exclude data for Iowa; these data are included in previous marital status not stated.

2 Figures for widowed and divorced exclude data for Michigan, Ohio, and South Carolina; these data are included in widowed or divorced not stated.

3 This State did not require reporting of previous marital status.

4 This State did not require reporting of whether widowed or divorced.

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Table 1-39. Marriages by Marriage Order of Bride and Groom, by Nativity Status in State Where Married: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area and marriage order	All marriages	Nativity status in State where married				Area and marriage order	All marriages	Nativity status in State where married			
		Born in State where married	Born in adjoining State	Born in other State or outside U.S.	State of birth not stated			Born in State where married	Born in adjoining State	Born in other State or outside U.S.	State of birth not stated
MARRIAGE-REGISTRATION AREA¹						DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA²					
Bride-----	1,890,791	1,139,076	223,963	514,367	13,385	Bride-----	5,338	---	---	---	5,338
First marriages-----	1,217,755	776,789	122,590	310,203	8,173	First marriages-----	4,054	---	---	---	4,054
Remarriages-----	629,427	331,472	95,595	198,436	2,924	Remarriages-----	1,284	---	---	---	1,284
Marriage order not stated--	43,609	30,815	4,778	5,728	2,268	Marriage order not stated--	---	---	---	---	---
Groom-----	1,890,791	1,057,610	238,362	582,554	12,265	Groom-----	5,338	---	---	---	5,338
First marriages-----	1,197,906	700,692	132,168	358,023	7,023	First marriages-----	3,750	---	---	---	3,750
Remarriages-----	650,290	328,716	100,837	217,701	3,036	Remarriages-----	1,588	---	---	---	1,588
Marriage order not stated--	42,595	28,202	5,357	6,830	2,206	Marriage order not stated--	---	---	---	---	---
ALABAMA						FLORIDA					
Bride-----	47,440	32,270	6,150	9,000	20	Bride-----	118,964	34,839	6,959	77,088	78
First marriages-----	27,580	19,130	3,240	5,200	10	First marriages-----	67,225	23,220	3,017	40,954	34
Remarriages-----	19,850	13,130	2,910	3,800	10	Remarriages-----	51,895	11,607	3,941	36,110	37
Marriage order not stated--	10	10	---	---	---	Marriage order not stated--	44	12	1	24	7
Groom-----	47,440	31,320	6,570	9,500	50	Groom-----	118,964	30,010	7,179	81,737	38
First marriages-----	27,460	17,890	3,860	5,870	40	First marriages-----	66,647	19,525	3,234	43,869	19
Remarriages-----	19,980	13,430	2,710	3,830	10	Remarriages-----	52,287	10,474	3,944	37,852	17
Marriage order not stated--	---	---	---	---	---	Marriage order not stated--	30	11	1	16	2
ALASKA						GEORGIA					
Bride-----	6,553	1,350	---	5,187	16	Bride-----	72,820	41,840	14,580	16,260	140
First marriages-----	3,651	959	---	2,683	9	First marriages-----	39,780	24,480	6,520	8,880	100
Remarriages-----	2,874	386	---	2,481	7	Remarriages-----	32,900	17,280	8,040	7,540	40
Marriage order not stated--	28	5	---	23	---	Marriage order not stated--	140	80	20	40	---
Groom-----	6,553	951	---	5,579	23	Groom-----	72,820	38,640	15,680	18,240	260
First marriages-----	3,796	713	---	3,071	12	First marriages-----	39,680	21,740	7,240	10,580	140
Remarriages-----	2,740	233	---	2,497	10	Remarriages-----	33,100	16,880	8,440	7,660	120
Marriage order not stated--	17	5	---	11	1	Marriage order not stated--	40	20	---	20	---
CALIFORNIA						HAWAII					
Bride-----	152,420	77,000	3,100	72,160	160	Bride-----	14,050	4,376	---	9,672	2
First marriages-----	108,860	59,340	2,060	47,340	120	First marriages-----	8,896	3,350	---	5,544	2
Remarriages-----	43,480	17,640	1,040	24,760	40	Remarriages-----	5,154	1,026	---	4,128	---
Marriage order not stated--	80	20	---	60	---	Marriage order not stated--	---	---	---	---	---
Groom-----	152,420	68,460	2,700	81,160	100	Groom-----	14,050	4,132	---	9,918	---
First marriages-----	105,240	51,560	1,620	51,960	100	First marriages-----	8,888	3,056	---	5,832	---
Remarriages-----	47,120	16,860	1,080	29,180	---	Remarriages-----	5,162	1,076	---	4,086	---
Marriage order not stated--	60	40	---	20	---	Marriage order not stated--	---	---	---	---	---
COLORADO						IDAHO					
Bride-----	36,150	12,990	3,890	19,140	130	Bride-----	13,430	4,760	3,790	4,880	---
First marriages-----	21,910	9,110	1,910	10,800	90	First marriages-----	7,300	3,065	1,895	2,340	---
Remarriages-----	14,080	3,850	1,960	8,230	40	Remarriages-----	6,080	1,680	1,880	2,520	---
Marriage order not stated--	160	30	20	110	---	Marriage order not stated--	50	15	15	20	---
Groom-----	36,150	11,460	3,510	21,090	90	Groom-----	13,430	4,320	3,625	5,485	---
First marriages-----	22,340	7,780	1,830	12,680	50	First marriages-----	7,515	2,760	1,805	2,950	---
Remarriages-----	13,520	3,580	1,640	8,270	30	Remarriages-----	5,895	1,550	1,820	2,525	---
Marriage order not stated--	290	100	40	140	10	Marriage order not stated--	20	10	---	10	---
CONNECTICUT						ILLINOIS					
Bride-----	26,915	16,030	3,785	6,980	120	Bride-----	103,734	70,634	8,122	24,930	48
First marriages-----	19,110	12,015	2,495	4,510	90	First marriages-----	71,089	50,580	4,519	15,957	33
Remarriages-----	7,755	3,980	1,290	2,465	20	Remarriages-----	32,642	20,052	3,603	8,972	15
Marriage order not stated--	50	35	---	5	10	Marriage order not stated--	3	2	---	1	---
Groom-----	26,915	14,150	4,500	8,195	70	Groom-----	103,734	65,532	8,799	29,335	68
First marriages-----	18,290	10,120	2,915	5,230	25	First marriages-----	69,824	45,273	5,101	19,407	43
Remarriages-----	8,485	3,945	1,560	2,950	30	Remarriages-----	33,907	20,258	3,698	9,926	25
Marriage order not stated--	140	85	25	15	15	Marriage order not stated--	3	1	---	2	---
DELAWARE						INDIANA					
Bride-----	5,579	2,901	1,299	1,379	---	Bride-----	54,040	37,920	6,620	6,780	2,720
First marriages-----	3,810	2,183	778	849	---	First marriages-----	33,300	24,100	3,500	3,760	1,940
Remarriages-----	1,769	718	521	530	---	Remarriages-----	20,120	13,440	3,060	2,980	640
Marriage order not stated--	---	---	---	---	---	Marriage order not stated--	620	380	60	40	140
Groom-----	5,579	2,519	1,408	1,651	1	Groom-----	54,040	36,500	7,820	7,880	1,840
First marriages-----	3,701	1,819	831	1,050	1	First marriages-----	33,120	23,460	4,320	4,040	1,300
Remarriages-----	1,878	700	577	601	---	Remarriages-----	20,640	12,900	3,460	3,820	460
Marriage order not stated--	---	---	---	---	---	Marriage order not stated--	280	140	40	20	80

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Table 1-39. Marriages by Marriage Order of Bride and Groom, by Nativity Status in State Where Married: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and marriage order	All marriages	Nativity status in State where married				Area and marriage order	All marriages	Nativity status in State where married			
		Born in State where married	Born in adjoining State	Born in other State or outside U.S.	State of birth not stated			Born in State where married	Born in adjoining State	Born in other State or outside U.S.	State of birth not stated
IOWA ^a						MICHIGAN					
Bride-----	26,770	20,240	3,390	3,090	50	Bride-----	78,940	62,660	4,240	11,820	220
First marriages-----	---	---	---	---	---	First marriages-----	53,420	44,260	2,540	6,440	180
Remarriages-----	---	---	---	---	---	Remarriages-----	25,520	18,400	1,700	5,380	40
Marriage order not stated--	26,770	20,240	3,390	3,090	50	Marriage order not stated--	---	---	---	---	---
Groom-----	26,770	19,140	3,850	3,730	50	Groom-----	78,940	58,580	5,440	14,740	180
First marriages-----	---	---	---	---	---	First marriages-----	51,580	40,060	3,280	8,080	160
Remarriages-----	---	---	---	---	---	Remarriages-----	27,360	18,520	2,160	6,660	20
Marriage order not stated--	26,770	19,140	3,850	3,730	50	Marriage order not stated--	---	---	---	---	---
KANSAS						MINNESOTA					
Bride-----	25,895	15,035	4,020	6,760	80	Bride-----	36,320	27,200	3,620	5,310	190
First marriages-----	15,880	9,730	2,095	4,015	40	First marriages-----	19,180	15,310	1,730	2,030	110
Remarriages-----	9,970	5,290	1,910	2,735	35	Remarriages-----	9,160	5,950	1,250	1,900	60
Marriage order not stated--	45	15	15	10	5	Marriage order not stated--	7,980	5,940	640	1,380	20
Groom-----	25,895	13,560	4,330	7,925	80	Groom-----	36,320	24,930	4,320	6,860	190
First marriages-----	16,130	8,915	2,340	4,830	45	First marriages-----	18,770	13,990	1,820	2,840	120
Remarriages-----	9,735	4,625	1,990	3,085	35	Remarriages-----	9,790	5,980	1,610	2,140	60
Marriage order not stated--	30	20	---	10	---	Marriage order not stated--	7,760	4,960	890	1,900	10
KENTUCKY						MISSISSIPPI					
Bride-----	37,520	26,840	6,850	4,870	180	Bride-----	26,890	18,400	3,340	5,090	60
First marriages-----	23,020	16,230	3,850	2,860	80	First marriages-----	15,460	11,070	1,530	2,820	40
Remarriages-----	14,490	9,610	2,990	1,810	80	Remarriages-----	11,420	7,320	1,810	2,270	20
Marriage order not stated--	10	---	10	---	---	Marriage order not stated--	10	---	---	---	---
Groom-----	37,520	25,180	7,130	5,110	100	Groom-----	26,890	17,460	3,810	5,620	---
First marriages-----	22,580	15,200	4,040	3,270	70	First marriages-----	15,850	10,400	1,880	3,570	---
Remarriages-----	14,920	9,980	3,080	1,830	30	Remarriages-----	11,030	7,050	1,930	2,050	---
Marriage order not stated--	20	---	10	10	---	Marriage order not stated--	10	---	---	---	---
LOUISIANA						MISSOURI					
Bride-----	43,180	30,070	4,000	8,590	520	Bride-----	53,258	33,745	8,250	9,105	2,158
First marriages-----	26,960	19,590	2,000	4,960	410	First marriages-----	31,285	21,615	4,329	5,253	88
Remarriages-----	14,360	9,170	1,820	3,260	110	Remarriages-----	19,794	12,009	3,893	3,817	75
Marriage order not stated--	1,860	1,310	180	370	---	Marriage order not stated--	2,179	121	28	35	1,995
Groom-----	43,180	28,480	4,070	10,060	570	Groom-----	53,258	32,429	8,726	9,962	2,141
First marriages-----	26,530	17,840	2,090	6,220	380	First marriages-----	30,842	20,337	4,464	5,949	92
Remarriages-----	14,810	9,510	1,780	3,340	180	Remarriages-----	20,277	11,976	4,236	3,988	77
Marriage order not stated--	1,840	1,130	200	500	10	Marriage order not stated--	2,139	116	26	25	1,972
MAINE						MONTANA					
Bride-----	12,479	8,363	360	3,756	---	Bride-----	8,092	4,420	663	3,003	6
First marriages-----	8,068	5,464	236	2,368	---	First marriages-----	5,225	3,154	372	1,698	1
Remarriages-----	4,411	2,899	124	1,388	---	Remarriages-----	2,860	1,264	291	1,304	1
Marriage order not stated--	---	---	---	---	---	Marriage order not stated--	7	2	---	1	4
Groom-----	12,479	7,798	386	4,293	2	Groom-----	8,092	4,061	725	3,300	6
First marriages-----	7,936	4,941	241	2,752	2	First marriages-----	5,239	2,875	414	1,949	1
Remarriages-----	4,543	2,857	145	1,541	---	Remarriages-----	2,848	1,184	311	1,350	1
Marriage order not stated--	---	---	---	---	---	Marriage order not stated--	7	2	---	1	4
MARYLAND						NEBRASKA					
Bride-----	47,120	20,960	13,280	12,790	90	Bride-----	13,703	9,308	1,951	2,442	2
First marriages-----	31,680	14,960	8,290	8,370	60	First marriages-----	9,773	6,992	1,210	1,570	1
Remarriages-----	15,310	5,940	4,970	4,370	30	Remarriages-----	3,928	2,316	740	871	1
Marriage order not stated--	130	60	20	50	---	Marriage order not stated--	2	---	1	1	---
Groom-----	47,120	18,270	13,370	15,450	30	Groom-----	13,703	8,746	2,053	2,904	---
First marriages-----	30,490	12,560	8,110	9,800	20	First marriages-----	9,811	6,571	1,297	1,943	---
Remarriages-----	16,610	5,710	5,250	5,640	10	Remarriages-----	3,890	2,175	754	961	---
Marriage order not stated--	20	---	10	10	---	Marriage order not stated--	2	---	2	---	---
MASSACHUSETTS						NEW HAMPSHIRE					
Bride-----	48,860	33,960	4,770	10,090	40	Bride-----	10,972	4,456	3,560	2,955	1
First marriages-----	36,620	26,110	3,230	7,250	30	First marriages-----	6,978	3,057	2,070	1,850	1
Remarriages-----	12,220	7,830	1,540	2,840	10	Remarriages-----	3,994	1,399	1,490	1,105	---
Marriage order not stated--	20	20	---	---	---	Marriage order not stated--	---	---	---	---	---
Groom-----	48,860	31,440	5,180	12,230	10	Groom-----	10,972	3,944	3,654	3,374	---
First marriages-----	35,500	23,030	3,460	9,010	---	First marriages-----	6,864	2,606	2,089	2,169	---
Remarriages-----	13,360	8,410	1,720	3,220	10	Remarriages-----	4,108	1,338	1,565	1,205	---
Marriage order not stated--	---	---	---	---	---	Marriage order not stated--	---	---	---	---	---

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Table 1-39. Marriages by Marriage Order of Bride and Groom, by Nativity Status in State Where Married: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and marriage order	All marriages	Nativity status in State where married				Area and marriage order	All marriages	Nativity status in State where married			
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NEW JERSEY						SOUTH CAROLINA					
Bride-----	61,840	34,660	11,160	15,960	60	Bride-----	53,686	22,623	16,245	14,814	4
First marriages-----	45,840	26,800	7,760	11,220	60	First marriages-----	31,285	14,627	8,067	8,590	1
Remarriages-----	15,980	7,860	3,400	4,720	-	Remarriages-----	22,393	7,995	8,176	6,220	2
Marriage order not stated--	20	-	-	20	-	Marriage order not stated--	8	1	2	4	1
Groom-----	61,840	30,080	12,860	18,800	100	Groom-----	53,886	21,695	15,908	16,081	2
First marriages-----	44,720	22,900	8,540	13,180	100	First marriages-----	31,582	13,828	8,075	9,679	-
Remarriages-----	17,120	7,180	4,320	5,620	-	Remarriages-----	22,098	7,866	7,833	6,398	1
Marriage order not stated--	-	-	-	-	-	Marriage order not stated--	6	1	-	4	1
NEW YORK						SOUTH DAKOTA					
Bride-----	159,321	104,208	7,349	47,679	85	Bride-----	8,002	4,558	1,972	1,468	4
First marriages-----	118,823	80,409	4,849	33,502	63	First marriages-----	5,500	3,432	1,196	868	4
Remarriages-----	40,361	23,721	2,496	14,123	21	Remarriages-----	2,496	1,120	776	600	-
Marriage order not stated--	137	78	4	54	1	Marriage order not stated--	6	6	-	-	-
Groom-----	159,321	95,536	9,290	54,419	76	Groom-----	8,002	4,268	2,114	1,616	4
First marriages-----	115,350	70,479	6,155	38,669	47	First marriages-----	5,424	3,154	1,224	1,044	2
Remarriages-----	43,903	25,010	3,133	15,732	28	Remarriages-----	2,576	1,112	890	572	2
Marriage order not stated--	68	47	2	18	1	Marriage order not stated--	2	2	-	-	-
NORTH CAROLINA						TENNESSEE					
Bride-----	52,130	35,090	5,600	11,430	10	Bride-----	56,300	33,520	10,200	12,500	80
First marriages-----	33,610	23,420	3,090	7,100	-	First marriages-----	31,640	19,880	4,620	7,100	40
Remarriages-----	18,510	11,870	2,510	4,320	10	Remarriages-----	24,360	13,440	5,540	5,360	20
Marriage order not stated--	10	-	-	10	-	Marriage order not stated--	300	200	40	40	20
Groom-----	52,130	32,810	5,650	13,650	20	Groom-----	56,300	32,140	10,320	13,720	120
First marriages-----	33,990	21,620	3,220	9,130	20	First marriages-----	30,680	17,900	5,020	7,680	80
Remarriages-----	18,140	11,190	2,430	4,520	-	Remarriages-----	25,420	14,100	5,300	6,000	20
Marriage order not stated--	-	-	-	-	-	Marriage order not stated--	200	140	-	40	20
OHIO						UTAH					
Bride-----	99,900	75,660	11,740	12,480	20	Bride-----	18,425	10,165	2,280	5,895	85
First marriages-----	64,940	51,560	5,920	7,460	-	First marriages-----	12,600	7,155	1,545	3,860	40
Remarriages-----	34,780	23,940	5,780	5,020	20	Remarriages-----	5,640	2,900	725	1,980	35
Marriage order not stated--	200	160	40	-	-	Marriage order not stated--	185	110	10	55	10
Groom-----	99,900	72,220	11,920	15,700	60	Groom-----	18,425	9,545	2,250	6,555	75
First marriages-----	64,740	48,820	5,960	9,940	20	First marriages-----	12,565	6,785	1,520	4,240	40
Remarriages-----	35,000	23,280	5,940	5,740	40	Remarriages-----	5,695	2,705	720	2,240	30
Marriage order not stated--	160	120	20	20	-	Marriage order not stated--	165	75	10	75	6
OREGON						VERMONT					
Bride-----	23,285	10,890	5,815	6,525	55	Bride-----	5,595	2,916	1,218	1,461	-
First marriages-----	14,120	7,335	3,435	3,300	50	First marriages-----	3,739	2,039	779	921	-
Remarriages-----	9,090	3,525	2,375	3,190	-	Remarriages-----	1,814	858	428	530	-
Marriage order not stated--	75	30	5	35	5	Marriage order not stated--	42	19	13	10	-
Groom-----	23,285	9,580	5,450	8,200	55	Groom-----	5,595	2,726	1,317	1,552	-
First marriages-----	14,115	6,385	3,290	4,395	45	First marriages-----	3,641	1,844	819	978	-
Remarriages-----	9,055	3,155	2,145	3,750	5	Remarriages-----	1,912	859	488	565	-
Marriage order not stated--	115	40	15	55	5	Marriage order not stated--	42	23	10	9	-
PENNSYLVANIA						VIRGINIA					
Bride-----	92,140	74,300	7,680	9,660	500	Bride-----	61,790	28,834	12,313	20,601	42
First marriages-----	65,920	54,420	4,940	6,260	300	First marriages-----	39,548	19,791	6,730	12,999	28
Remarriages-----	23,860	18,020	2,480	3,180	180	Remarriages-----	22,220	9,029	5,581	7,596	14
Marriage order not stated--	2,360	1,860	260	220	20	Marriage order not stated--	22	14	2	8	-
Groom-----	92,140	70,980	9,600	11,120	440	Groom-----	61,790	26,615	12,376	22,781	18
First marriages-----	64,400	50,480	6,340	7,340	240	First marriages-----	39,135	17,744	6,810	14,570	11
Remarriages-----	25,440	18,560	3,060	3,640	180	Remarriages-----	22,643	8,866	5,564	8,208	7
Marriage order not stated--	2,300	1,940	200	140	20	Marriage order not stated--	12	5	2	5	-
RHODE ISLAND						WEST VIRGINIA					
Bride-----	8,053	5,195	902	1,954	2	Bride-----	15,930	11,390	2,760	1,765	15
First marriages-----	5,941	3,980	605	1,354	2	First marriages-----	10,415	7,415	1,860	1,130	10
Remarriages-----	2,112	1,215	297	600	-	Remarriages-----	5,505	3,965	900	635	5
Marriage order not stated--	-	-	-	-	-	Marriage order not stated--	10	10	-	-	-
Groom-----	8,053	4,650	1,026	2,376	1	Groom-----	15,930	11,245	2,730	1,940	15
First marriages-----	5,739	3,401	678	1,559	1	First marriages-----	10,300	7,135	1,820	1,340	5
Remarriages-----	2,314	1,249	348	717	-	Remarriages-----	5,625	4,105	910	600	10
Marriage order not stated--	-	-	-	-	-	Marriage order not stated--	5	5	-	-	-

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Table 1-39. Marriages by Marriage Order of Bride and Groom, by Nativity Status in State Where Married: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and marriage order	All marriages	Nativity status in State where married				Area and marriage order	All marriages	Nativity status in State where married			
		Born in State where married	Born in adjoining State	Born in other State or outside U.S.	State of birth not stated			Born in State where married	Born in adjoining State	Born in other State or outside U.S.	State of birth not stated
WISCONSIN						WYOMING					
Bride-----	40,760	31,490	4,670	4,530	70	Bride-----	6,202	2,010	1,470	2,718	4
First marriages-----	30,340	24,180	3,050	3,060	50	First marriages-----	3,380	1,272	728	1,378	2
Remarriages-----	10,410	7,300	1,620	1,470	20	Remarriages-----	2,796	728	740	1,326	2
Marriage order not stated--	10	10	-	-	-	Marriage order not stated--	26	10	2	14	-
Groom-----	40,760	29,660	5,300	5,760	40	Groom-----	6,202	1,848	1,416	2,936	2
First marriages-----	29,640	22,030	3,660	3,910	40	First marriages-----	3,512	1,186	756	1,568	2
Remarriages-----	11,100	7,620	1,640	1,840	-	Remarriages-----	2,666	658	656	1,354	-
Marriage order not stated--	20	10	-	10	-	Marriage order not stated--	22	4	4	14	-

¹ Figures by nativity status exclude data for the District of Columbia; these data are included in State of birth not stated. Figures by marriage order exclude data for Iowa; these data are included in marriage order not stated.

² District of Columbia did not require reporting of State of birth.

³ Iowa did not require reporting of marriage order.

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Table 1-40. Marriages by Marriage Order, Nativity and Resident Status of Bride and Groom in State Where Married: Marriage-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data. Figures by marriage order exclude data for Iowa; these data are included in marriage order not stated. Figures by nativity status exclude data for the District of Columbia; these data are included in State of birth not stated]

Marriage order and nativity status in State where married	All marriages	Resident status in State where married				Marriage order and nativity status in State where married	All marriages	Resident status in State where married			
		Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated			Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated
ALL MARRIAGES						FIRST MARRIAGES—Con.					
Bride-----	1,890,791	1,718,865	103,124	67,062	1,740	Groom-----	1,197,906	1,056,284	71,783	69,118	721
Born in State where married-----	1,139,076	1,101,129	18,461	18,836	650	Born in State where married-----	700,692	673,318	12,404	14,552	418
Born in adjoining State-----	223,963	159,764	58,553	5,486	160	Born in adjoining State-----	132,168	86,886	38,883	6,344	55
Resident of State where born-----	52,191	...	52,191	...	...	Resident of State where born-----	34,141	...	34,141	...	...
Not resident of State where born-----	171,612	159,764	6,362	5,486	...	Not resident of State where born-----	97,972	86,886	4,742	6,344	...
Born in other State or outside U.S.-----	514,367	447,974	23,907	42,237	249	Born in other State or outside U.S.-----	358,023	291,160	18,969	47,705	189
Resident of State where born-----	22,812	...	...	22,812	...	Resident of State where born-----	23,693	...	...	23,693	...
Not resident of State where born-----	491,306	447,974	23,907	19,425	...	Not resident of State where born-----	334,141	291,160	18,969	24,012	...
State of birth not stated-----	13,385	9,998	2,203	503	681	State of birth not stated-----	7,023	4,920	1,527	517	59
Groom-----	1,890,791	1,660,253	125,141	103,506	1,891	REMARRIAGES					
Born in State where married-----	1,057,610	1,017,771	19,629	19,505	705	Bride-----	629,427	560,679	46,217	22,176	355
Born in adjoining State-----	238,362	157,213	71,041	9,948	160	Born in State where married-----	331,472	322,744	5,502	3,044	182
Resident of State where born-----	62,380	...	62,380	...	...	Born in adjoining State-----	96,595	65,282	29,284	1,952	77
Not resident of State where born-----	175,822	157,213	8,661	9,948	...	Resident of State where born-----	26,238	...	26,238	...	...
Born in other State or outside U.S.-----	582,554	476,699	32,256	73,213	388	Not resident of State where born-----	70,280	65,282	3,046	1,952	...
Resident of State where born-----	36,394	...	...	36,394	...	Born in other State or outside U.S.-----	198,436	170,404	10,918	17,034	80
Not resident of State where born-----	545,774	476,699	32,256	36,819	...	Resident of State where born-----	9,470	...	...	9,470	...
State of birth not stated-----	12,265	8,570	2,215	840	640	Not resident of State where born-----	188,886	170,404	10,918	7,564	...
FIRST MARRIAGES						State of birth not stated-----	2,924	2,249	513	146	16
Bride-----	1,217,765	1,118,775	54,815	43,397	788	Groom-----	650,290	567,139	50,775	31,870	506
Born in State where married-----	776,789	749,164	12,228	14,989	408	Born in State where married-----	328,716	317,971	6,439	4,079	227
Born in adjoining State-----	122,590	90,905	28,219	3,403	63	Born in adjoining State-----	100,837	66,629	30,785	3,358	65
Resident of State where born-----	25,054	...	25,054	...	...	Resident of State where born-----	27,139	...	27,139	...	...
Not resident of State where born-----	97,473	90,905	3,165	3,403	...	Not resident of State where born-----	73,833	66,629	3,546	3,358	...
Born in other State or outside U.S.-----	310,203	272,591	12,756	24,687	169	Born in other State or outside U.S.-----	217,701	180,362	12,946	24,216	177
Resident of State where born-----	13,118	...	...	13,118	...	Resident of State where born-----	12,173	...	...	12,173	...
Not resident of State where born-----	296,916	272,591	12,756	11,569	...	Not resident of State where born-----	205,351	180,362	12,946	12,043	...
State of birth not stated-----	8,173	6,115	1,612	318	128	State of birth not stated-----	3,036	2,177	605	217	37
						MARRIAGE ORDER NOT STATED					
						Bride-----	43,609	39,411	2,092	1,489	617
						Groom-----	42,595	36,830	2,583	2,518	684

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Table 1-41. Marriages by Nativity and Resident Status of Bride and Groom in State Where Married: Each Marriage-Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area and nativity status in State where married	All marriages	Resident status in State where married				Area and nativity status in State where married	All marriages	Resident status in State where married			
		Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated			Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated
ALABAMA						COLORADO—Con.					
Bride -----	47,440	42,840	3,680	920	-	Groom -----	36,150	32,320	1,080	2,700	50
Born in State where married -----	32,270	31,480	540	250	-	Born in State where married -----	11,460	11,150	130	180	-
Not born in State where married -----	15,150	11,350	3,130	670	-	Not born in State where married -----	24,600	21,110	940	2,510	40
Resident of State where born -----	2,260	...	1,920	340	...	Resident of State where born -----	1,530	...	340	1,190	...
Not resident of State where born -----	12,890	11,350	1,210	330	...	Not resident of State where born -----	23,030	21,110	600	1,320	...
State of birth not stated -----	20	10	10	-	-	State of birth not stated -----	90	60	10	10	10
Groom -----	47,440	41,210	4,340	1,880	10						
Born in State where married -----	31,320	30,280	660	380	-	CONNECTICUT					
Not born in State where married -----	16,070	10,910	3,660	1,490	10	Bride -----	26,915	24,260	1,315	1,235	105
Resident of State where born -----	2,860	...	2,300	560	...	Born in State where married -----	16,030	15,110	385	515	20
Not resident of State where born -----	13,200	10,910	1,360	930	...	Not born in State where married -----	10,765	9,105	920	710	30
State of birth not stated -----	50	20	20	10	-	Resident of State where born -----	630	...	485	145	...
						Not resident of State where born -----	10,105	9,105	435	565	...
ALASKA						State of birth not stated -----	120	45	10	10	55
Bride -----	6,553	6,303	...	209	41	Groom -----	26,915	23,190	1,665	1,940	120
Born in State where married -----	1,350	1,332	...	7	11	Born in State where married -----	14,150	13,545	245	310	50
Not born in State where married -----	5,187	4,956	...	201	30	Not born in State where married -----	12,695	9,610	1,415	1,625	45
Resident of State where born -----	90	...	...	90	...	Resident of State where born -----	1,280	...	765	515	...
Not resident of State where born -----	5,067	4,956	...	111	...	Not resident of State where born -----	11,370	9,610	650	1,110	...
State of birth not stated -----	16	15	...	1	-	State of birth not stated -----	70	35	5	5	25
Groom -----	6,553	6,304	...	200	49						
Born in State where married -----	951	941	...	3	7	DELAWARE					
Not born in State where married -----	5,579	5,343	...	196	40	Bride -----	5,579	4,889	419	271	-
Resident of State where born -----	85	...	...	85	...	Born in State where married -----	2,901	2,768	69	64	-
Not resident of State where born -----	5,454	5,343	...	111	...	Not born in State where married -----	2,678	2,121	350	207	-
State of birth not stated -----	23	20	...	1	2	Resident of State where born -----	289	...	208	81	...
						Not resident of State where born -----	2,389	2,121	142	126	...
CALIFORNIA						State of birth not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-
Bride -----	152,420	148,240	860	3,300	20	Groom -----	5,579	4,396	634	549	-
Born in State where married -----	77,000	75,900	380	720	-	Born in State where married -----	2,519	2,417	69	39	-
Not born in State where married -----	75,260	72,180	480	2,580	20	Not born in State where married -----	3,059	1,979	571	509	-
Resident of State where born -----	1,280	...	60	1,220	...	Resident of State where born -----	561	...	351	210	...
Not resident of State where born -----	73,960	72,180	420	1,360	...	Not resident of State where born -----	2,498	1,979	220	299	...
State of birth not stated -----	160	160	-	-	-	State of birth not stated -----	1	-	-	1	-
Groom -----	152,420	145,600	1,060	5,700	60						
Born in State where married -----	68,460	67,160	360	920	20	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA¹					
Not born in State where married -----	83,860	78,340	700	4,780	40	Bride -----	5,338	3,060	1,980	298	-
Resident of State where born -----	2,500	...	180	2,340	...	Groom -----	5,338	2,928	1,900	510	-
Not resident of State where born -----	81,320	78,340	540	2,440	...						
State of birth not stated -----	100	100	-	-	-	FLORIDA					
						Bride -----	118,964	113,522	713	4,689	40
COLORADO						Born in State where married -----	34,839	34,304	152	370	13
Bride -----	36,150	33,610	760	1,740	50	Not born in State where married -----	84,047	79,142	561	4,317	27
Born in State where married -----	12,990	12,630	90	250	20	Resident of State where born -----	2,658	...	245	2,413	...
Not born in State where married -----	23,030	20,870	660	1,490	10	Not resident of State where born -----	81,362	79,142	316	1,904	...
Resident of State where born -----	890	...	250	640	...	State of birth not stated -----	78	76	-	2	-
Not resident of State where born -----	22,130	20,870	410	850	...						
State of birth not stated -----	130	110	-	-	20						

¹ District of Columbia did not require reporting of State of birth.

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Table 1-41. Marriages by Nativity and Resident Status of Bride and Groom in State Where Married: Each Marriage-Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and nativity status in State where married	All marriages	Resident status in State where married				Area and nativity status in State where married	All marriages	Resident status in State where married			
		Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated			Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated
FLORIDA—Con.						ILLINOIS					
Groom -----	118,964	111,371	1,151	6,410	32	Bride -----	103,734	98,556	2,322	2,855	1
Born in State where married -----	30,010	29,391	167	440	12	Born in State where married -----	70,634	68,540	707	1,386	1
Not born in State where married -----	88,916	81,944	984	5,968	20	Not born in State where married -----	33,052	29,970	1,615	1,467	-
Resident of State where born -----	3,346	...	438	2,908	...	Resident of State where born -----	1,543	...	1,047	496	...
Not resident of State where born -----	85,550	81,944	546	3,060	...	Not resident of State where born -----	31,509	29,970	568	971	...
State of birth not stated -----	38	36	-	2	-	State of birth not stated -----	48	46	-	2	-
GEORGIA						Groom -----	103,734	95,517	3,278	4,936	3
Bride -----	72,820	60,220	11,040	1,480	80	Born in State where married -----	65,532	63,290	756	1,486	-
Born in State where married -----	41,840	39,820	1,660	360	-	Not born in State where married -----	38,134	32,164	2,521	3,446	3
Not born in State where married -----	30,840	20,260	9,380	1,120	80	Resident of State where born -----	2,712	...	1,495	1,217	...
Resident of State where born -----	5,900	...	5,320	580	...	Not resident of State where born -----	35,419	32,164	1,026	2,229	...
Not resident of State where born -----	24,860	20,260	4,060	540	...	State of birth not stated -----	68	63	1	4	-
State of birth not stated -----	140	140	-	-	-	INDIANA					
Groom -----	72,820	58,880	11,660	2,260	20	Bride -----	54,040	51,540	1,460	960	80
Born in State where married -----	38,640	37,040	1,380	220	-	Born in State where married -----	37,920	37,140	380	360	40
Not born in State where married -----	33,920	21,580	10,280	2,040	20	Not born in State where married -----	13,400	11,800	1,080	500	40
Resident of State where born -----	6,800	...	5,860	740	...	Resident of State where born -----	920	...	740	180	...
Not resident of State where born -----	27,300	21,580	4,420	1,300	...	Not resident of State where born -----	12,440	11,800	320	320	...
State of birth not stated -----	260	260	-	-	-	State of birth not stated -----	2,720	2,600	20	100	-
HAWAII						Groom -----	54,040	49,260	2,500	2,200	80
Bride -----	14,050	9,848	...	4,202	-	Born in State where married -----	36,500	35,020	720	680	80
Born in State where married -----	4,376	4,228	...	148	-	Not born in State where married -----	15,700	12,600	1,700	1,400	-
Not born in State where married -----	9,672	5,618	...	4,054	-	Resident of State where born -----	1,640	...	1,180	480	...
Resident of State where born -----	2,062	...	...	2,062	...	Not resident of State where born -----	14,060	12,600	520	940	...
Not resident of State where born -----	7,610	5,618	...	1,992	...	State of birth not stated -----	1,840	1,640	80	120	-
State of birth not stated -----	2	2	...	-	-	IOWA					
Groom -----	14,050	9,872	...	4,178	-	Bride -----	26,770	24,140	1,770	860	-
Born in State where married -----	4,132	4,028	...	104	-	Born in State where married -----	20,240	19,090	610	540	-
Not born in State where married -----	9,918	5,844	...	4,074	-	Not born in State where married -----	6,480	5,010	1,150	320	-
Resident of State where born -----	2,048	...	...	2,048	...	Resident of State where born -----	960	...	840	140	...
Not resident of State where born -----	7,870	5,844	...	2,026	...	Not resident of State where born -----	5,500	5,010	310	180	...
State of birth not stated -----	-	-	...	-	-	State of birth not stated -----	50	40	10	-	-
IDAHO						Groom -----	26,770	23,080	2,150	1,540	-
Bride -----	13,430	9,155	3,820	455	-	Born in State where married -----	19,140	17,900	660	580	-
Born in State where married -----	4,760	4,370	325	65	-	Not born in State where married -----	7,580	5,130	1,490	960	-
Not born in State where married -----	8,670	4,785	3,495	390	-	Resident of State where born -----	1,320	...	960	360	...
Resident of State where born -----	1,995	...	1,815	180	...	Not resident of State where born -----	6,260	5,130	530	600	...
Not resident of State where born -----	6,675	4,785	1,680	210	...	State of birth not stated -----	50	50	-	-	-
State of birth not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-	KANSAS					
Groom -----	13,430	8,780	4,035	615	-	Bride -----	25,895	23,575	1,385	955	-
Born in State where married -----	4,320	3,955	305	60	-	Born in State where married -----	15,035	14,410	410	215	-
Not born in State where married -----	9,110	4,825	3,730	555	-	Not born in State where married -----	10,780	9,090	950	740	-
Resident of State where born -----	1,985	...	1,765	220	...	Resident of State where born -----	990	...	570	420	...
Not resident of State where born -----	7,125	4,825	1,965	335	...	Not resident of State where born -----	9,790	9,090	380	320	...
State of birth not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-	State of birth not stated -----	80	75	5	-	-

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Table 1-41. Marriages by Nativity and Resident Status of Bride and Groom in State Where Married: Each Marriage-Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and nativity status in State where married	All marriages	Resident status in State where married				Area and nativity status in State where married	All marriages	Resident status in State where married			
		Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated			Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated
KANSAS—Con.						MARYLAND					
Groom -----	25,895	22,615	1,730	1,545	5	Bride -----	47,120	36,280	7,360	3,190	290
Born in State where married -----	13,560	12,985	320	250	5	Born in State where married -----	20,960	19,660	630	450	220
Not born in State where married -----	12,255	9,550	1,410	1,295	-	Not born in State where married -----	26,070	16,560	6,720	2,720	70
Resident of State where born -----	1,345	...	805	540	...	Resident of State where born -----	5,320	...	3,970	1,350	...
Not resident of State where born -----	10,910	9,550	605	755	...	Not resident of State where born -----	20,680	16,560	2,750	1,370	...
State of birth not stated -----	80	80	-	-	-	State of birth not stated -----	90	60	10	20	-
KENTUCKY						Groom -----	47,120	34,370	8,090	4,370	290
Bride -----	37,520	34,130	2,700	690	-	Born in State where married -----	18,270	17,180	550	370	170
Born in State where married -----	25,640	25,050	550	240	-	Not born in State where married -----	28,820	17,160	7,540	4,000	120
Not born in State where married -----	11,520	8,930	2,140	450	-	Resident of State where born -----	6,250	...	4,550	1,700	...
Resident of State where born -----	1,630	...	1,470	160	...	Not resident of State where born -----	22,450	17,160	2,990	2,300	...
Not resident of State where born -----	9,890	8,930	670	290	...	State of birth not stated -----	30	30	-	-	-
State of birth not stated -----	160	150	10	-	-	MASSACHUSETTS					
Groom -----	37,520	33,160	3,180	1,180	-	Bride -----	48,860	44,510	2,040	2,310	-
Born in State where married -----	25,180	24,260	590	330	-	Born in State where married -----	33,980	32,370	800	790	-
Not born in State where married -----	12,240	8,820	2,590	830	-	Not born in State where married -----	14,860	12,110	1,230	1,520	-
Resident of State where born -----	2,030	...	1,690	340	...	Resident of State where born -----	1,640	...	710	930	...
Not resident of State where born -----	10,210	8,820	900	490	...	Not resident of State where born -----	13,220	12,110	520	590	...
State of birth not stated -----	100	80	-	20	-	State of birth not stated -----	40	30	10	-	-
LOUISIANA						Groom -----	48,860	41,990	2,920	3,940	10
Bride -----	43,180	42,020	620	490	50	Born in State where married -----	31,440	29,830	880	720	10
Born in State where married -----	30,070	29,820	120	100	30	Not born in State where married -----	17,410	12,150	2,040	3,220	-
Not born in State where married -----	12,590	11,680	500	390	20	Resident of State where born -----	3,000	...	1,140	1,860	...
Resident of State where born -----	530	...	290	240	...	Not resident of State where born -----	14,410	12,150	900	1,360	...
Not resident of State where born -----	12,040	11,680	210	150	...	State of birth not stated -----	10	10	-	-	-
State of birth not stated -----	520	520	-	-	-	MICHIGAN					
Groom -----	43,180	41,150	1,070	960	-	Bride -----	78,940	75,580	920	2,440	-
Born in State where married -----	28,480	28,100	230	150	-	Born in State where married -----	62,660	60,880	320	1,460	-
Not born in State where married -----	14,130	12,490	830	810	-	Not born in State where married -----	16,060	14,480	600	980	-
Resident of State where born -----	840	...	530	310	...	Resident of State where born -----	600	...	380	220	...
Not resident of State where born -----	13,290	12,490	300	500	...	Not resident of State where born -----	15,460	14,480	220	760	...
State of birth not stated -----	570	560	10	-	-	State of birth not stated -----	220	220	-	-	-
MAINE						Groom -----	78,940	73,020	1,580	4,340	-
Bride -----	12,479	11,329	186	964	-	Born in State where married -----	58,580	56,320	480	1,780	-
Born in State where married -----	8,363	8,100	49	214	-	Not born in State where married -----	20,180	16,520	1,100	2,560	-
Not born in State where married -----	4,116	3,229	137	750	-	Resident of State where born -----	1,540	...	660	880	...
Resident of State where born -----	452	...	67	385	...	Not resident of State where born -----	18,640	16,520	440	1,680	...
Not resident of State where born -----	3,664	3,229	70	365	...	State of birth not stated -----	180	180	-	-	-
State of birth not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-	MINNESOTA					
Groom -----	12,479	10,930	256	1,293	-	Bride -----	36,320	34,080	870	1,330	40
Born in State where married -----	7,798	7,613	48	137	-	Born in State where married -----	27,200	26,120	430	640	10
Not born in State where married -----	4,679	3,316	208	1,155	-	Not born in State where married -----	8,930	7,790	440	690	10
Resident of State where born -----	721	...	91	630	...	Resident of State where born -----	530	...	300	230	...
Not resident of State where born -----	3,958	3,316	117	525	...	Not resident of State where born -----	8,390	7,790	140	460	...
State of birth not stated -----	2	1	-	1	-	State of birth not stated -----	190	170	-	-	20

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Table 1-41. Marriages by Nativity and Resident Status of Bride and Groom in State Where Married: Each Marriage-Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and nativity status in State where married	All marriages	Resident status in State where married				Area and nativity status in State where married	All marriages	Resident status in State where married			
		Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated			Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated
MINNESOTA—Con.						NEBRASKA					
Groom -----	36,320	32,650	1,480	2,176	20	Bride -----	13,703	12,880	502	321	-
Born in State where married -----	24,930	23,840	430	650	10	Born in State where married -----	9,308	8,941	217	150	-
Not born in State where married -----	11,200	8,630	1,050	1,510	10	Not born in State where married -----	4,393	3,937	285	171	-
Resident of State where born -----	1,280	...	700	580	...	Resident of State where born -----	228	...	173	55	...
Not resident of State where born -----	9,910	8,630	350	930	...	Not resident of State where born -----	4,165	3,937	112	116	...
State of birth not stated -----	190	180	-	10	-	State of birth not stated -----	2	2	-	-	-
MISSISSIPPI						Groom -----	13,703	12,325	746	632	-
Bride -----	26,890	24,680	1,390	820	-	Born in State where married -----	8,746	8,398	211	137	-
Born in State where married -----	18,400	17,880	320	200	-	Not born in State where married -----	4,957	3,927	535	495	-
Not born in State where married -----	8,430	6,740	1,070	620	-	Resident of State where born -----	446	...	279	167	...
Resident of State where born -----	1,130	...	790	340	...	Not resident of State where born -----	4,511	3,927	256	328	...
Not resident of State where born -----	7,300	6,740	280	280	...	State of birth not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-
State of birth not stated -----	60	60	-	-	-	NEW HAMPSHIRE					
Groom -----	26,890	23,890	1,750	1,240	10	Bride -----	10,972	8,654	1,643	675	-
Born in State where married -----	17,460	16,840	380	230	10	Born in State where married -----	4,456	4,181	152	123	-
Not born in State where married -----	9,430	7,050	1,370	1,010	-	Not born in State where married -----	6,515	4,473	1,491	551	-
Resident of State where born -----	1,530	...	1,010	520	...	Resident of State where born -----	1,209	...	980	229	...
Not resident of State where born -----	7,900	7,050	360	490	...	Not resident of State where born -----	5,306	4,473	511	322	...
State of birth not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-	State of birth not stated -----	1	-	-	1	-
MISSOURI						Groom -----	10,972	8,321	1,758	892	1
Bride -----	53,258	48,111	3,357	1,240	550	Born in State where married -----	3,944	3,764	111	68	1
Born in State where married -----	33,745	32,407	909	418	11	Not born in State where married -----	7,028	4,557	1,647	824	-
Not born in State where married -----	17,355	14,201	2,370	781	3	Resident of State where born -----	1,392	...	1,047	345	...
Resident of State where born -----	1,710	...	1,426	284	...	Not resident of State where born -----	5,636	4,557	600	479	...
Not resident of State where born -----	15,642	14,201	944	497	...	State of birth not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-
State of birth not stated -----	2,158	1,503	78	41	536	NEW JERSEY					
Groom -----	53,258	48,789	3,962	1,963	544	Bride -----	61,840	58,420	1,620	1,800	-
Born in State where married -----	32,429	30,997	953	471	8	Born in State where married -----	34,660	33,600	300	760	-
Not born in State where married -----	18,688	14,337	2,922	1,421	8	Not born in State where married -----	27,120	24,760	1,320	1,040	-
Resident of State where born -----	2,212	...	1,681	531	-	Resident of State where born -----	1,160	...	880	280	...
Not resident of State where born -----	16,468	14,337	1,241	890	...	Not resident of State where born -----	25,960	24,760	440	760	...
State of birth not stated -----	2,141	1,455	87	71	528	State of birth not stated -----	60	60	-	-	-
MONTANA						Groom -----	61,840	55,020	3,300	3,520	-
Bride -----	8,092	7,451	143	498	-	Born in State where married -----	30,080	29,060	420	600	-
Born in State where married -----	4,420	4,223	53	144	-	Not born in State where married -----	31,660	25,940	2,820	2,900	-
Not born in State where married -----	3,666	3,222	90	354	-	Resident of State where born -----	2,640	...	1,660	980	...
Resident of State where born -----	220	...	38	182	...	Not resident of State where born -----	29,020	25,940	1,160	1,920	...
Not resident of State where born -----	3,446	3,222	52	172	...	State of birth not stated -----	100	20	60	20	-
State of birth not stated -----	6	6	-	-	-	NEW YORK					
Groom -----	8,092	7,131	204	757	-	Bride -----	159,321	150,970	3,770	4,560	21
Born in State where married -----	4,061	3,926	46	89	-	Born in State where married -----	104,208	99,805	1,820	2,572	11
Not born in State where married -----	4,025	3,199	158	668	-	Not born in State where married -----	55,028	51,083	1,948	1,987	10
Resident of State where born -----	406	...	72	334	...	Resident of State where born -----	1,505	...	781	724	...
Not resident of State where born -----	3,619	3,199	86	334	...	Not resident of State where born -----	53,513	51,083	1,167	1,263	...
State of birth not stated -----	6	6	-	-	-	State of birth not stated -----	85	82	2	1	-

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Table 1-41. Marriages by Nativity and Resident Status of Bride and Groom in State Where Married: Each Marriage-Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and nativity status in State where married	All marriages	Resident status in State where married				Area and nativity status in State where married	All marriages	Resident status in State where married			
		Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated			Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated
NEW YORK—Con.						PENNSYLVANIA					
Groom -----	159,321	146,443	5,760	7,088	30	Bride -----	92,140	67,060	2,500	2,320	260
Born in State where married -----	95,536	91,276	1,812	2,437	11	Born in State where married -----	74,300	71,440	1,080	1,560	220
Not born in State where married -----	63,709	55,103	3,944	4,643	19	Not born in State where married -----	17,340	15,220	1,380	740	-
Resident of State where born -----	3,491	...	1,790	1,701	...	Resident of State where born -----	1,020	...	820	200	...
Not resident of State where born -----	60,199	55,103	2,154	2,942	...	Not resident of State where born -----	16,320	15,220	560	540	...
State of birth not stated -----	76	64	4	8	-	State of birth not stated -----	500	400	40	20	40
NORTH CAROLINA						Groom -----	92,140	83,600	4,160	4,020	360
Bride -----	52,130	46,950	2,890	2,290	-	Born in State where married -----	70,980	67,820	1,320	1,620	220
Born in State where married -----	35,090	34,160	530	400	-	Not born in State where married -----	20,720	15,440	2,820	2,380	80
Not born in State where married -----	17,030	12,780	2,360	1,890	-	Resident of State where born -----	2,380	...	1,720	660	...
Resident of State where born -----	2,430	...	1,460	970	...	Not resident of State where born -----	18,260	15,440	1,100	1,720	...
Not resident of State where born -----	14,600	12,780	900	920	...	State of birth not stated -----	440	340	20	20	60
State of birth not stated -----	10	10	-	-	-	RHODE ISLAND					
Groom -----	52,130	45,350	3,470	3,310	-	Bride -----	8,053	7,232	448	372	1
Born in State where married -----	32,810	31,840	640	330	-	Born in State where married -----	5,195	4,915	144	136	-
Not born in State where married -----	19,300	13,500	2,820	2,980	-	Not born in State where married -----	2,856	2,315	304	236	1
Resident of State where born -----	3,020	...	1,500	1,520	...	Resident of State where born -----	261	...	183	78	...
Not resident of State where born -----	16,280	13,500	1,320	1,460	...	Not resident of State where born -----	2,594	2,315	121	158	...
State of birth not stated -----	20	10	10	-	-	State of birth not stated -----	2	2	-	-	-
OHIO						Groom -----	8,053	6,893	707	649	4
Bride -----	99,900	96,600	1,520	1,760	20	Born in State where married -----	4,650	4,402	157	89	2
Born in State where married -----	75,660	74,320	320	1,020	-	Not born in State where married -----	3,402	2,290	550	560	2
Not born in State where married -----	24,220	22,260	1,200	740	20	Resident of State where born -----	533	...	305	228	...
Resident of State where born -----	1,200	...	960	240	...	Not resident of State where born -----	2,867	2,290	245	332	...
Not resident of State where born -----	23,000	22,260	240	500	...	State of birth not stated -----	1	1	-	-	-
State of birth not stated -----	20	20	-	-	-	SOUTH CAROLINA					
Groom -----	99,900	93,140	2,480	4,280	-	Bride -----	53,686	32,608	18,238	2,840	-
Born in State where married -----	72,220	70,180	620	1,420	-	Born in State where married -----	22,623	21,366	968	289	-
Not born in State where married -----	27,620	22,920	1,860	2,840	-	Not born in State where married -----	31,059	11,241	17,267	2,551	-
Resident of State where born -----	2,280	...	1,260	1,020	...	Resident of State where born -----	13,907	...	12,542	1,365	...
Not resident of State where born -----	25,340	22,920	600	1,820	...	Not resident of State where born -----	17,152	11,241	4,725	1,186	...
State of birth not stated -----	60	40	-	20	-	State of birth not stated -----	4	1	3	-	-
OREGON						Groom -----	53,686	31,554	18,705	3,425	2
Bride -----	23,285	21,865	905	475	40	Born in State where married -----	21,695	20,249	1,107	337	2
Born in State where married -----	10,890	10,390	345	145	10	Not born in State where married -----	31,989	11,303	17,598	3,088	-
Not born in State where married -----	12,340	11,425	560	330	25	Resident of State where born -----	13,608	...	12,218	1,470	...
Resident of State where born -----	375	...	270	106	...	Not resident of State where born -----	18,301	11,303	5,380	1,618	...
Not resident of State where born -----	11,940	11,425	290	225	...	State of birth not stated -----	2	2	-	-	-
State of birth not stated -----	55	50	-	-	5	SOUTH DAKOTA					
Groom -----	23,285	20,976	1,465	790	55	Bride -----	8,002	6,018	1,524	460	-
Born in State where married -----	9,580	9,190	240	135	15	Born in State where married -----	4,558	4,212	210	136	-
Not born in State where married -----	13,650	11,745	1,220	655	30	Not born in State where married -----	3,440	1,802	1,314	324	-
Resident of State where born -----	650	...	425	225	...	Resident of State where born -----	1,036	...	880	156	...
Not resident of State where born -----	12,970	11,745	795	430	...	Not resident of State where born -----	2,404	1,802	434	168	...
State of birth not stated -----	55	40	5	-	10	State of birth not stated -----	4	4	-	-	-

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Table 1-41. Marriages by Nativity and Resident Status of Bride and Groom in State Where Married: Each Marriage-Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and nativity status in State where married	All marriages	Resident status in State where married				Area and nativity status in State where married	All marriages	Resident status in State where married			
		Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated			Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated
SOUTH DAKOTA—Con.						VERMONT—Con.					
Groom -----	8,002	5,634	1,690	678	-	Groom -----	5,595	4,451	503	641	-
Born in State where married -----	4,268	3,978	186	104	-	Born in State where married -----	2,726	2,618	60	48	-
Not born in State where married -----	3,730	1,652	1,504	574	-	Not born in State where married -----	2,869	1,833	443	593	-
Resident of State where born -----	1,294	...	1,050	244	...	Resident of State where born -----	476	...	244	232	...
Not resident of State where born -----	2,436	1,652	454	330	...	Not resident of State where born -----	2,393	1,833	199	361	...
State of birth not stated -----	4	4	-	-	-	State of birth not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-
TENNESSEE						VIRGINIA					
Bride -----	56,300	48,300	4,720	3,260	20	Bride -----	61,790	50,481	7,004	4,301	4
Born in State where married -----	33,520	32,660	480	360	20	Born in State where married -----	28,834	27,823	659	349	3
Not born in State where married -----	22,700	15,560	4,240	2,900	-	Not born in State where married -----	32,914	22,623	6,340	3,950	1
Resident of State where born -----	4,940	...	3,160	1,780	...	Resident of State where born -----	6,574	...	4,210	2,354	...
Not resident of State where born -----	17,760	15,560	1,080	1,120	...	Not resident of State where born -----	26,339	22,623	2,130	1,586	...
State of birth not stated -----	80	80	-	-	-	State of birth not stated -----	42	35	5	2	-
Groom -----	56,300	46,260	5,660	4,280	100	Groom -----	61,790	48,318	7,580	5,876	16
Born in State where married -----	32,140	31,180	600	300	60	Born in State where married -----	26,615	25,561	651	396	7
Not born in State where married -----	24,040	14,960	5,060	3,980	40	Not born in State where married -----	35,157	22,742	6,928	5,478	9
Resident of State where born -----	5,700	...	3,460	2,240	...	Resident of State where born -----	7,190	...	4,407	2,783	...
Not resident of State where born -----	18,300	14,960	1,600	1,740	...	Not resident of State where born -----	27,958	22,742	2,521	2,695	...
State of birth not stated -----	120	120	-	-	-	State of birth not stated -----	18	15	1	2	-
UTAH						WEST VIRGINIA					
Bride -----	18,425	15,930	1,340	1,140	15	Bride -----	15,930	14,835	770	315	10
Born in State where married -----	10,165	9,780	250	135	-	Born in State where married -----	11,390	10,915	320	145	10
Not born in State where married -----	8,175	6,075	1,090	1,000	10	Not born in State where married -----	4,525	3,905	450	170	-
Resident of State where born -----	1,150	...	640	510	...	Resident of State where born -----	365	...	300	65	...
Not resident of State where born -----	7,015	6,075	450	490	...	Not resident of State where born -----	4,160	3,905	150	105	...
State of birth not stated -----	85	75	-	5	5	State of birth not stated -----	15	15	-	-	-
Groom -----	18,425	15,600	1,550	1,255	20	Groom -----	15,930	14,060	1,260	610	-
Born in State where married -----	9,545	9,050	315	175	5	Born in State where married -----	11,245	10,725	390	130	-
Not born in State where married -----	8,805	6,485	1,235	1,075	10	Not born in State where married -----	4,670	3,320	870	480	-
Resident of State where born -----	1,230	...	595	635	...	Resident of State where born -----	795	...	555	240	...
Not resident of State where born -----	7,565	6,485	640	440	...	Not resident of State where born -----	3,875	3,320	315	240	...
State of birth not stated -----	75	65	-	5	5	State of birth not stated -----	15	15	-	-	-
VERMONT						WISCONSIN					
Bride -----	5,595	4,613	430	552	-	Bride -----	40,760	38,130	1,640	990	-
Born in State where married -----	2,916	2,729	89	98	-	Born in State where married -----	31,490	30,350	620	520	-
Not born in State where married -----	2,679	1,884	341	454	-	Not born in State where married -----	9,200	7,720	1,010	470	-
Resident of State where born -----	360	...	163	197	...	Resident of State where born -----	670	...	570	100	...
Not resident of State where born -----	2,319	1,664	178	257	...	Not resident of State where born -----	8,530	7,720	440	370	...
State of birth not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-	State of birth not stated -----	70	60	10	-	-

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Table 1-41. Marriages by Nativity and Resident Status of Bride and Groom in State Where Married: Each Marriage-Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and nativity status in State where married	All marriages	Resident status in State where married				Area and nativity status in State where married	All marriages	Resident status in State where married			
		Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated			Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated
WISCONSIN—Con.						WYOMING—Con.					
Groom -----	40,760	36,840	2,040	1,880	-	Bride—Con.					
Born in State where married -----	29,660	28,680	390	580	-	Not born in State where married—Con.					
Not born in State where married -----	11,060	8,110	1,650	1,300	-	Resident of State where born -----	364	...	278	86	...
Resident of State where born -----	1,550	...	1,060	490	...	Not resident of State where born -----	3,622	3,476	234	112	...
Not resident of State where born -----	9,510	8,110	580	810	...	State of birth not stated -----	4	4	-	-	-
State of birth not stated -----	40	40	-	-	-	Groom -----	6,202	5,266	632	304	-
WYOMING						Born in State where married -----	1,548	1,782	46	20	-
Bride -----	6,202	5,390	580	230	2	Not born in State where married -----	4,352	3,484	584	284	-
Born in State where married -----	2,010	1,910	68	32	-	Resident of State where born -----	398	...	262	136	...
Not born in State where married -----	4,188	3,476	512	198	2	Not resident of State where born -----	3,954	3,484	322	148	...
						State of birth not stated -----	2	-	2	-	-

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Table 1-42. Marriages by Resident Status of Bride and Groom in State Where Married, by Type of Ceremony Performed: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area and type of ceremony	Bride resident status in State where married					Groom resident status in State where married				
	Total	Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated	Total	Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated
Marriage-registration area ¹ -----	1,890,791	1,718,865	103,124	67,062	1,740	1,890,791	1,660,253	125,141	103,506	1,891
Civil -----	510,067	434,072	53,312	22,241	442	510,067	429,396	54,339	25,950	382
Religious-----	1,200,990	1,115,567	43,458	41,221	744	1,200,990	1,067,397	62,563	70,039	991
Type of ceremony not stated-----	179,734	169,226	6,354	3,600	554	179,734	163,460	8,239	7,517	518
Alabama -----	47,440	42,640	3,680	920	-	47,440	41,210	4,340	1,880	10
Civil -----	17,640	14,380	2,830	430	-	17,640	14,240	2,850	550	-
Religious-----	29,570	28,250	830	490	-	29,570	26,770	1,460	1,330	10
Type of ceremony not stated-----	230	210	20	-	-	230	200	30	-	-
Alaska -----	6,553	6,303	...	209	41	6,553	6,304	...	200	49
Civil -----	2,456	2,331	...	106	19	2,456	2,353	...	81	22
Religious-----	4,057	3,934	...	101	22	4,057	3,912	...	118	27
Type of ceremony not stated-----	40	38	...	2	-	40	39	...	1	-
California -----	152,420	148,240	860	3,300	20	152,420	145,600	1,060	5,700	60
Civil -----	23,420	22,700	20	700	-	23,420	22,500	20	900	-
Religious-----	127,980	124,540	840	2,580	20	127,980	122,080	1,040	4,800	60
Type of ceremony not stated-----	1,020	1,000	-	20	-	1,020	1,020	-	-	-
Colorado -----	36,150	33,610	750	1,740	50	36,150	32,320	1,080	2,700	50
Civil -----	11,220	10,270	290	650	10	11,220	9,920	350	840	10
Religious-----	24,750	23,180	460	1,070	40	24,750	22,240	730	1,740	40
Type of ceremony not stated-----	180	160	-	20	-	180	160	-	20	-
Connecticut -----	26,915	24,260	1,315	1,235	105	26,915	23,190	1,665	1,940	120
Civil -----	9,130	8,375	370	325	60	9,130	8,380	335	375	40
Religious-----	17,605	15,735	925	910	35	17,605	14,655	1,310	1,665	75
Type of ceremony not stated-----	180	150	20	-	10	180	155	20	-	5
Delaware -----	5,579	4,889	419	271	-	5,579	4,396	634	549	-
Civil -----	1,579	1,320	171	88	-	1,579	1,244	196	139	-
Religious-----	3,988	3,557	248	183	-	3,988	3,148	436	406	-
Type of ceremony not stated-----	12	12	-	-	-	12	6	2	4	-
District of Columbia -----	5,338	3,060	1,980	298	-	5,338	2,928	1,900	510	-
Civil -----	1,140	845	239	56	-	1,140	835	243	62	-
Religious-----	4,182	2,207	1,735	240	-	4,182	2,087	1,650	445	-
Type of ceremony not stated-----	16	8	6	2	-	16	6	7	3	-
Florida -----	118,964	113,522	713	4,689	40	118,964	111,371	1,151	6,410	32
Civil -----	57,466	54,654	317	2,471	24	57,466	54,376	370	2,700	20
Religious-----	61,453	58,823	396	2,218	16	61,453	56,951	781	3,709	12
Type of ceremony not stated-----	45	45	-	-	-	45	44	-	1	-
Georgia -----	72,820	60,220	11,040	1,480	80	72,820	58,880	11,660	2,260	20
Civil -----	31,600	20,840	9,780	900	80	31,600	21,320	9,420	840	20
Religious-----	40,880	39,060	1,240	580	-	40,880	37,220	2,240	1,420	-
Type of ceremony not stated-----	340	320	20	-	-	340	340	-	-	-
Hawaii -----	14,050	9,848	...	4,202	-	14,050	9,872	...	4,178	-
Civil -----	5,194	4,018	...	1,178	-	5,194	4,110	...	1,084	-
Religious-----	8,854	5,832	...	3,022	-	8,854	5,762	...	3,092	-
Type of ceremony not stated-----	2	-	...	2	-	2	-	...	2	-
Idaho -----	13,430	9,155	3,820	455	-	13,430	8,780	4,035	615	-
Civil -----	2,990	2,185	685	120	-	2,990	2,160	680	150	-
Religious-----	10,415	6,950	3,130	335	-	10,415	6,600	3,350	465	-
Type of ceremony not stated-----	25	20	5	-	-	25	20	5	-	-
Illinois -----	103,734	98,556	2,322	2,855	1	103,734	95,517	3,278	4,936	3
Civil -----	25,721	24,615	596	509	1	25,721	24,454	612	655	-
Religious-----	78,010	73,938	1,726	2,346	-	78,010	71,060	2,666	4,281	3
Type of ceremony not stated-----	3	3	-	-	-	3	3	-	-	-
Indiana -----	54,040	51,540	1,460	960	80	54,040	49,260	2,500	2,200	80
Civil -----	10,140	9,640	380	120	-	10,140	9,440	420	260	20
Religious-----	43,420	41,440	1,060	840	80	43,420	39,380	2,080	1,900	60
Type of ceremony not stated-----	480	460	20	-	-	480	440	-	40	-
Iowa ² -----	26,770	24,140	1,770	860	-	26,770	23,080	2,150	1,540	-
Civil -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Religious-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Type of ceremony not stated-----	26,770	24,140	1,770	860	-	26,770	23,080	2,150	1,540	-
Kansas -----	25,895	23,575	1,365	955	-	25,895	22,615	1,730	1,545	5
Civil -----	6,395	5,780	435	200	-	6,395	5,700	480	215	-
Religious-----	19,425	17,745	925	755	-	19,425	16,850	1,245	1,325	5
Type of ceremony not stated-----	75	70	5	-	-	75	65	5	5	-

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Table 1-42. Marriages by Resident Status of Bride and Groom in State Where Married, by Type of Ceremony Performed: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and type of ceremony	Bride resident status in State where married					Groom resident status in State where married				
	Total	Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated	Total	Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated
Kentucky ²	37,520	34,130	2,700	690	—	37,520	33,160	3,180	1,180	—
Civil	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Religious	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Type of ceremony not stated	37,520	34,130	2,700	690	—	37,520	33,160	3,180	1,180	—
Louisiana	43,180	42,020	620	490	50	43,180	41,150	1,070	960	—
Civil	11,770	11,370	250	140	10	11,770	11,300	240	230	—
Religious	22,830	22,370	240	190	30	22,830	21,730	630	470	—
Type of ceremony not stated	8,580	8,280	130	160	10	8,580	8,120	200	260	—
Maine	12,479	11,328	186	964	—	12,479	10,930	256	1,293	—
Civil	5,156	4,634	76	446	—	5,156	4,575	81	500	—
Religious	7,323	6,695	110	518	—	7,323	6,355	175	793	—
Type of ceremony not stated	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Maryland	47,120	36,280	7,360	3,190	290	47,120	34,370	8,090	4,370	290
Civil	17,000	10,810	4,570	1,530	90	17,000	10,640	4,580	1,700	80
Religious	30,060	25,410	2,790	1,660	200	30,060	23,690	3,500	2,660	210
Type of ceremony not stated	60	60	—	—	—	60	40	10	10	—
Massachusetts	48,660	44,510	2,040	2,310	—	48,660	41,990	2,920	3,940	10
Civil	15,370	13,550	850	970	—	15,370	13,030	920	1,420	—
Religious	33,430	30,900	1,190	1,340	—	33,430	28,910	2,000	2,510	10
Type of ceremony not stated	60	60	—	—	—	60	50	—	10	—
Michigan	78,940	75,580	920	2,440	—	78,940	73,020	1,580	4,340	—
Civil	16,320	15,680	280	380	—	16,320	15,400	340	580	—
Religious	62,320	59,640	640	2,040	—	62,320	57,340	1,240	3,740	—
Type of ceremony not stated	300	280	—	20	—	300	280	—	20	—
Minnesota	36,320	34,080	870	1,330	40	36,320	32,650	1,480	2,170	20
Civil	6,700	6,300	210	160	30	6,700	6,180	250	270	—
Religious	29,370	27,570	630	1,160	10	29,370	26,270	1,220	1,860	20
Type of ceremony not stated	250	210	30	10	—	250	200	10	40	—
Mississippi	28,890	24,680	1,390	820	—	28,890	23,890	1,750	1,240	10
Civil	7,800	6,820	650	330	—	7,800	6,770	680	340	10
Religious	19,090	17,860	740	490	—	19,090	17,120	1,070	900	—
Type of ceremony not stated	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Missouri	53,258	48,111	3,357	1,240	550	53,258	46,789	3,962	1,963	544
Civil	5,896	5,297	447	145	7	5,896	5,280	453	158	5
Religious	45,895	41,914	2,880	1,072	29	45,895	40,626	3,470	1,773	26
Type of ceremony not stated	1,467	900	30	23	514	1,467	883	39	32	513
Montana	8,092	7,451	143	498	—	8,092	7,131	204	757	—
Civil	2,344	2,102	47	195	—	2,344	2,045	51	248	—
Religious	5,739	5,340	96	303	—	5,739	5,077	153	509	—
Type of ceremony not stated	9	9	—	—	—	9	9	—	—	—
Nebraska	13,703	12,880	502	321	—	13,703	12,325	746	632	—
Civil	2,644	2,469	114	61	—	2,644	2,439	120	85	—
Religious	11,059	10,411	388	260	—	11,059	9,886	626	547	—
Type of ceremony not stated	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
New Hampshire	10,972	8,654	1,643	675	—	10,972	8,321	1,758	892	1
Civil	5,098	3,665	1,117	316	—	5,098	3,649	1,102	347	—
Religious	5,874	4,989	526	359	—	5,874	4,672	656	545	1
Type of ceremony not stated	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
New Jersey	61,840	58,420	1,620	1,800	—	61,840	55,020	3,300	3,520	—
Civil	17,160	16,200	640	320	—	17,160	15,720	1,020	420	—
Religious	44,480	42,020	980	1,480	—	44,480	39,100	2,280	3,100	—
Type of ceremony not stated	200	200	—	—	—	200	200	—	—	—
New York	159,321	150,970	3,770	4,560	21	159,321	146,443	5,760	7,088	30
Civil	59,135	58,931	1,173	1,020	11	59,135	56,439	1,415	1,271	10
Religious	99,853	93,713	2,590	3,540	10	99,853	89,685	4,334	5,814	20
Type of ceremony not stated	333	326	7	—	—	333	319	11	3	—
North Carolina	62,130	46,950	2,890	2,290	—	62,130	45,350	3,470	3,310	—
Civil	12,790	10,930	850	1,010	—	12,790	10,670	960	1,160	—
Religious	39,090	35,800	2,020	1,270	—	39,090	34,470	2,490	2,130	—
Type of ceremony not stated	250	220	20	10	—	250	210	20	20	—
Ohio ²	99,900	96,600	1,520	1,760	20	99,900	93,140	2,480	4,280	—
Civil	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Religious	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Type of ceremony not stated	99,900	96,600	1,520	1,760	20	99,900	93,140	2,480	4,280	—

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Table 1-42. Marriages by Resident Status of Bride and Groom in State Where Married, by Type of Ceremony Performed: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and type of ceremony	Bride resident status in State where married					Groom resident status in State where married				
	Total	Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated	Total	Resident of State where married	Resident of adjoining State	Resident of other State or outside U.S.	State of residence not stated
Oregon -----	23,285	21,865	905	475	40	23,285	20,975	1,465	790	55
Civil -----	5,780	5,430	215	125	10	5,780	5,335	290	140	15
Religious -----	17,450	16,390	690	340	30	17,450	15,590	1,175	645	40
Type of ceremony not stated -----	55	45	-	10	-	55	50	-	5	-
Pennsylvania -----	92,140	87,080	2,500	2,320	260	92,140	83,600	4,160	4,020	360
Civil -----	18,080	17,220	450	320	80	18,080	17,160	520	300	100
Religious -----	73,440	69,260	2,000	2,000	180	73,440	65,880	3,800	3,700	260
Type of ceremony not stated -----	620	580	40	-	-	620	560	40	20	-
Rhode Island -----	8,053	7,232	448	372	1	8,053	6,693	707	649	4
Civil -----	2,523	2,264	143	116	-	2,523	2,201	175	146	1
Religious -----	5,530	4,968	305	258	1	5,530	4,492	532	503	3
Type of ceremony not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Carolina -----	53,686	32,608	18,238	2,840	-	53,686	31,554	16,705	3,425	2
Civil -----	33,231	13,581	17,500	2,150	-	33,231	13,504	17,534	2,192	1
Religious -----	20,387	18,985	734	688	-	20,387	17,988	1,170	1,228	1
Type of ceremony not stated -----	68	62	4	2	-	68	62	1	5	-
South Dakota -----	8,002	6,018	1,524	480	-	8,002	5,634	1,690	678	-
Civil -----	2,564	1,272	1,096	196	-	2,564	1,224	1,116	224	-
Religious -----	5,422	4,732	428	282	-	5,422	4,398	572	452	-
Type of ceremony not stated -----	16	14	-	2	-	16	12	2	2	-
Tennessee -----	56,300	48,300	4,720	3,260	20	56,300	46,260	5,660	4,280	100
Civil -----	19,080	14,100	3,280	1,700	-	19,080	13,820	3,320	1,920	20
Religious -----	36,820	33,800	1,440	1,560	20	36,820	32,040	2,340	2,360	80
Type of ceremony not stated -----	400	400	-	-	-	400	400	-	-	-
Utah -----	18,425	15,930	1,340	1,140	15	18,425	15,600	1,550	1,255	20
Civil -----	5,170	4,630	265	265	10	5,170	4,600	270	295	5
Religious -----	13,230	11,275	1,075	875	5	13,230	10,980	1,275	980	15
Type of ceremony not stated -----	25	25	-	-	-	25	20	5	-	-
Vermont -----	5,595	4,613	430	552	-	5,595	4,451	503	641	-
Civil -----	2,146	1,662	173	291	-	2,146	1,665	170	311	-
Religious -----	3,448	2,930	257	261	-	3,448	2,785	333	330	-
Type of ceremony not stated -----	1	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-
Virginia -----	61,790	50,461	7,004	4,301	4	61,790	48,316	7,560	5,876	16
Civil -----	17,463	13,782	1,754	1,917	-	17,463	13,491	1,725	2,244	3
Religious -----	44,304	36,670	5,248	2,382	4	44,304	34,810	5,853	3,628	13
Type of ceremony not stated -----	23	19	2	2	-	23	17	2	4	-
West Virginia -----	15,930	14,835	770	315	10	15,930	14,060	1,260	610	-
Civil -----	860	770	75	15	-	860	735	85	40	-
Religious -----	14,915	13,920	690	295	10	14,915	13,200	1,155	560	-
Type of ceremony not stated -----	155	145	5	5	-	155	125	20	10	-
Wisconsin -----	40,760	38,130	1,640	990	-	40,760	36,840	2,040	1,880	-
Civil -----	9,240	8,530	550	160	-	9,240	8,380	630	330	-
Religious -----	31,500	29,580	1,090	830	-	31,500	28,440	1,510	1,550	-
Type of ceremony not stated -----	20	20	-	-	-	20	20	-	-	-
Wyoming -----	6,202	5,390	580	230	2	6,202	5,266	632	304	-
Civil -----	2,656	2,132	414	110	-	2,656	2,112	416	128	-
Religious -----	3,542	3,254	166	120	2	3,542	3,150	216	176	-
Type of ceremony not stated -----	4	4	-	-	-	4	4	-	-	-

¹ Figures by type of ceremony exclude data for Iowa, Kentucky, and Ohio; these data are included in type of ceremony not stated.² This State did not require reporting of type of ceremony.

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Table 1-43. Marriages by Age of Bride and Groom, by Resident Status in State Where Married and Type of Ceremony Performed: Marriage-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data. Figures by type of ceremony exclude data for Iowa, Kentucky, and Ohio; these figures are included in type of ceremony not stated]

Age of bride and groom	All marriages				Both resident				Both nonresident			
	Total	Type of ceremony performed			Total	Type of ceremony performed			Total	Type of ceremony performed		
		Civil	Religious	Not stated		Civil	Religious	Not stated		Civil	Religious	Not stated
Bride-----	1,890,791	510,067	1,200,990	179,734	1,631,544	419,693	1,051,395	160,456	141,805	65,970	68,870	6,965
Under 18 years-----	74,432	22,871	41,673	9,888	65,969	18,299	38,344	9,326	5,546	3,772	1,656	118
18-19 years-----	235,850	57,755	150,521	27,574	212,128	48,217	138,634	25,277	11,494	6,741	4,201	552
20-24 years-----	664,038	136,692	463,572	63,774	575,786	113,858	405,313	55,615	39,740	15,231	22,103	2,406
25-29 years-----	402,681	109,852	259,392	33,437	342,272	91,799	221,252	29,221	35,115	13,062	20,226	1,827
30-34 years-----	210,987	73,096	119,867	18,024	181,131	60,693	104,267	16,171	19,133	9,229	9,120	784
35-44 years-----	185,219	70,926	98,071	16,222	157,463	56,984	85,988	14,491	18,375	10,743	6,894	739
45-54 years-----	66,270	24,817	35,574	5,879	55,016	19,253	30,731	5,032	7,265	4,475	2,503	287
55-64 years-----	32,869	10,048	19,428	3,395	26,831	7,685	18,174	2,972	3,476	1,861	1,473	142
65 years and over-----	18,445	4,012	12,892	1,541	14,948	2,905	10,692	1,351	1,660	856	694	110
Groom-----	1,890,791	510,067	1,200,990	179,734	1,631,544	419,693	1,051,395	160,456	141,805	65,970	68,870	6,965
Under 18 years-----	10,868	3,803	6,016	1,049	9,589	3,089	5,555	965	939	654	251	34
18-19 years-----	108,866	29,976	65,262	13,628	97,056	24,090	60,287	12,679	6,800	4,414	2,103	263
20-24 years-----	601,968	126,351	411,330	64,287	526,180	104,200	364,512	57,468	33,085	14,779	16,354	1,952
25-29 years-----	480,007	115,199	323,592	41,216	413,777	97,022	280,144	36,611	35,466	12,834	20,745	1,867
30-34 years-----	263,207	83,068	157,836	22,303	226,174	69,713	136,561	19,900	22,663	9,840	11,856	967
35-44 years-----	242,192	88,562	139,166	20,464	206,790	72,717	115,672	18,401	22,806	12,109	9,870	827
45-54 years-----	97,624	36,662	52,329	8,633	81,346	28,749	45,221	7,376	10,988	6,313	4,102	573
55-64 years-----	51,413	17,631	28,777	5,005	42,297	13,623	24,396	4,278	5,828	3,255	2,291	282
65 years and over-----	34,646	8,815	22,682	3,149	28,335	6,510	19,047	2,778	3,230	1,772	1,298	160

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Table 1-44. Marriages by Previous Marital Status and Age of Bride and Groom, by Type of Ceremony Performed: Marriage-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data. Figures by type of ceremony exclude data for Iowa, Kentucky, and Ohio; these data are included in type of ceremony not stated. Figures for single and previously married exclude data for Iowa; these data are included in previous marital status not stated. Figures for previously widowed and previously divorced exclude data for Michigan, Ohio, and South Carolina; these data are included in widowed or divorced not stated]

Previous marital status and age	Bride				Groom			
	Total	Type of ceremony performed			Total	Type of ceremony performed		
		Civil	Religious	Not stated		Civil	Religious	Not stated
ALL MARRIAGES								
All ages -----	1,890,791	510,067	1,200,990	179,734	1,890,791	510,067	1,200,990	179,734
Under 18 years -----	74,432	22,871	41,673	9,888	10,868	3,803	6,016	1,049
18-19 years -----	235,850	57,755	150,521	27,574	108,866	29,976	65,262	13,628
20-24 years -----	664,038	136,692	463,572	63,774	601,968	126,351	411,330	64,287
25-29 years -----	402,681	109,852	259,392	33,437	480,007	115,199	323,592	41,216
30-34 years -----	210,987	73,096	119,867	18,024	263,207	83,068	157,836	22,303
35-44 years -----	185,219	70,926	98,071	16,222	242,192	88,562	133,166	20,464
45-54 years -----	66,270	24,817	35,574	5,879	97,624	36,662	52,329	8,633
55-64 years -----	32,869	10,046	19,428	3,395	51,413	17,631	28,777	5,005
65 years and over -----	18,445	4,012	12,892	1,541	34,646	8,815	22,682	3,149
SINGLE								
All ages -----	1,217,755	270,316	851,066	96,373	1,197,906	275,693	826,495	95,718
Under 18 years -----	71,856	22,247	40,877	8,732	10,482	3,671	5,912	899
18-19 years -----	222,617	54,510	146,121	21,986	105,470	29,302	64,375	11,793
20-24 years -----	568,784	104,817	419,507	44,460	548,755	112,443	387,928	48,386
25-29 years -----	247,751	53,234	179,389	15,128	356,340	74,868	257,247	24,427
30-34 years -----	70,359	21,264	46,038	4,057	116,320	32,215	77,567	6,548
35-44 years -----	27,609	10,431	15,714	1,464	46,053	16,993	26,409	2,651
45-54 years -----	5,579	2,493	2,805	281	8,710	3,976	4,127	607
55-64 years -----	2,399	1,072	1,143	184	4,211	1,795	2,109	307
65 years and over -----	801	248	472	81	1,565	632	833	100
PREVIOUSLY MARRIED								
All ages -----	629,427	236,600	338,186	54,641	650,290	231,614	363,303	55,373
Under 20 years -----	7,451	3,179	3,259	1,013	1,081	515	450	116
20-24 years -----	76,746	30,786	38,326	7,634	35,783	12,961	18,746	4,076
25-29 years -----	146,428	55,874	77,285	13,269	112,422	39,861	62,310	10,251
30-34 years -----	137,207	51,529	73,971	11,707	141,947	50,388	79,081	12,478
35-44 years -----	154,486	60,307	82,059	12,120	192,721	71,342	106,323	15,056
45-54 years -----	59,774	22,241	32,706	4,827	87,368	32,641	48,066	6,661
55-64 years -----	30,039	8,941	18,217	2,881	48,452	15,774	26,551	4,127
65 years and over -----	17,296	3,743	12,363	1,190	32,516	8,132	21,776	2,608
Widowed -----	56,476	15,505	36,644	2,327	51,604	12,302	37,394	1,908
Under 25 years -----	1,687	635	912	140	410	134	245	31
25-34 years -----	6,797	2,137	4,329	331	2,503	836	1,577	90
35-44 years -----	9,062	3,063	5,593	406	4,701	1,256	3,293	152
45-54 years -----	11,905	3,714	7,763	428	6,158	2,357	5,521	280
55-64 years -----	14,348	3,503	10,316	529	14,977	3,587	10,825	565
65 years and over -----	12,677	2,453	9,731	493	20,855	4,132	15,933	790
Divorced -----	485,362	194,657	273,589	17,116	510,107	193,881	296,149	18,097
Under 20 years -----	6,115	2,721	2,881	513	856	410	416	30
20-24 years -----	64,665	26,418	35,216	3,031	30,182	11,192	17,229	1,821
25-29 years -----	122,931	48,476	69,661	4,694	96,038	35,066	57,304	3,668
30-34 years -----	113,156	44,650	65,130	3,376	120,620	44,281	72,062	4,277
35-44 years -----	125,269	50,981	70,577	3,711	162,044	62,277	94,703	5,064
45-54 years -----	39,594	16,103	22,154	1,337	67,734	26,935	36,771	2,028
55-64 years -----	11,168	4,367	6,432	369	25,119	10,544	13,660	895
65 years and over -----	2,584	941	1,638	85	7,614	3,216	3,984	314
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	87,589	26,438	25,953	35,198	88,579	25,451	27,760	35,368
PREVIOUS MARITAL STATUS NOT STATED								
Total -----	43,609	3,151	11,738	28,720	42,595	2,760	11,192	28,643

¹ Figures are included in all marriages.

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Table 1-45. Marriages by Marriage Order of Bride and Groom and Type of Ceremony Performed: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area	All marriages				First marriages				Remarriages				Marriage order not stated
	Total	Type of ceremony performed			Total	Type of ceremony performed			Total	Type of ceremony performed			
		Civil	Religious	Not stated		Civil	Religious	Not stated		Civil	Religious	Not stated	
MARRIAGE-REGISTRATION AREA ¹													
Bride-----	1,890,791	510,067	1,200,990	179,734	1,217,755	270,316	851,066	96,373	629,427	236,800	338,186	54,641	43,609
Groom-----	1,890,791	510,067	1,200,990	179,734	1,197,906	275,693	826,495	95,718	650,290	231,614	363,303	55,373	42,595
ALABAMA													
Bride-----	47,440	17,840	29,570	230	27,580	7,930	19,580	70	19,850	9,710	9,980	160	10
Groom-----	47,440	17,840	29,570	230	27,460	8,340	19,060	60	19,980	9,300	10,510	170	-
ALASKA													
Bride-----	6,553	2,456	4,057	40	3,651	1,203	2,422	26	2,874	1,243	1,617	14	28
Groom-----	6,553	2,456	4,057	40	3,796	1,269	2,506	21	2,740	1,180	1,541	19	17
CALIFORNIA													
Bride-----	152,420	23,420	127,980	1,020	108,860	15,260	92,920	680	43,480	8,140	35,000	340	80
Groom-----	152,420	23,420	127,980	1,020	105,240	15,440	89,080	720	47,120	7,980	38,840	300	60
COLORADO													
Bride-----	36,150	11,220	24,750	180	21,910	5,940	15,850	120	14,080	5,230	8,790	60	160
Groom-----	36,150	11,220	24,750	180	22,340	6,600	15,630	110	13,520	4,660	8,900	70	290
CONNECTICUT													
Bride-----	26,915	9,130	17,605	180	19,110	4,890	14,090	130	7,755	4,225	3,480	50	50
Groom-----	26,915	9,130	17,605	180	18,290	4,860	13,345	85	8,485	4,205	4,190	90	140
DELAWARE													
Bride-----	5,579	1,579	3,988	12	3,810	887	2,914	9	1,769	692	1,074	3	-
Groom-----	5,579	1,579	3,988	12	3,701	874	2,817	10	1,878	705	1,171	2	-
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA													
Bride-----	5,338	1,140	4,182	16	4,054	853	3,191	10	1,284	287	991	6	-
Groom-----	5,338	1,140	4,182	16	3,750	810	2,927	13	1,588	330	1,255	3	-
FLORIDA													
Bride-----	118,964	57,466	61,453	45	67,225	27,588	39,611	26	51,695	29,864	21,812	19	44
Groom-----	118,964	57,466	61,453	45	66,647	28,579	38,043	25	52,287	28,874	23,393	20	30
GEORGIA													
Bride-----	72,820	31,600	40,880	340	39,780	13,040	26,580	160	32,900	18,480	14,240	180	140
Groom-----	72,820	31,600	40,880	340	39,680	14,260	25,200	220	33,100	17,320	15,660	120	40
HAWAII													
Bride-----	14,050	5,194	8,854	2	8,896	3,272	5,622	2	5,154	1,922	3,232	-	-
Groom-----	14,050	5,194	8,854	2	8,888	3,394	5,492	2	5,162	1,800	3,362	-	-
IDAHO													
Bride-----	13,430	2,990	10,415	25	7,300	1,330	5,960	10	6,080	1,640	4,425	15	50
Groom-----	13,430	2,990	10,415	25	7,515	1,430	6,075	10	5,895	1,555	4,325	15	20
ILLINOIS													
Bride-----	103,734	25,721	78,010	3	71,089	14,508	56,578	3	32,642	11,211	21,431	-	3
Groom-----	103,734	25,721	78,010	3	69,824	14,845	54,976	3	33,907	10,874	23,033	-	3
INDIANA													
Bride-----	54,040	10,140	43,420	480	33,300	4,500	28,560	240	20,120	5,480	14,440	200	620
Groom-----	54,040	10,140	43,420	480	33,120	4,440	28,440	240	20,640	5,640	14,760	240	280
IOWA ^{2,3}													
Bride-----	26,770	---	---	26,770	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	26,770
Groom-----	26,770	---	---	26,770	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	26,770
KANSAS													
Bride-----	25,895	6,395	19,425	75	15,880	2,985	12,850	45	9,970	3,395	6,545	30	45
Groom-----	25,895	6,395	19,425	75	16,130	3,150	12,940	40	9,735	3,235	6,465	35	30
KENTUCKY ²													
Bride-----	37,520	---	---	37,520	23,020	---	---	23,020	14,490	---	---	14,490	10
Groom-----	37,520	---	---	37,520	22,580	---	---	22,580	14,920	---	---	14,920	20
LOUISIANA													
Bride-----	43,180	11,770	22,830	8,580	26,960	6,050	15,920	4,990	14,360	5,270	5,860	3,230	1,860
Groom-----	43,180	11,770	22,830	8,580	26,530	5,860	15,680	4,990	14,810	5,470	6,100	3,240	1,840
MAINE													
Bride-----	12,479	5,156	7,323	-	8,068	2,587	5,481	-	4,411	2,569	1,842	-	-
Groom-----	12,479	5,156	7,323	-	7,936	2,646	5,290	-	4,543	2,510	2,033	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

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Table 1-45. Marriages by Marriage Order of Bride and Groom and Type of Ceremony Performed: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area	All marriages				First marriages				Remarriages				Marriage order not stated
	Total	Type of ceremony performed			Total	Type of ceremony performed			Total	Type of ceremony performed			
		Civil	Religious	Not stated		Civil	Religious	Not stated		Civil	Religious	Not stated	
MARYLAND													
Bride-----	47,120	17,000	30,080	60	31,680	10,150	21,500	30	15,310	6,780	8,500	30	130
Groom-----	47,120	17,000	30,080	60	30,490	9,990	20,460	40	16,610	6,990	9,600	20	20
MASSACHUSETTS													
Bride-----	48,860	15,370	33,430	60	36,620	9,160	27,410	50	12,220	6,210	6,000	10	20
Groom-----	48,860	15,370	33,430	60	35,500	8,910	26,530	60	13,360	6,460	6,900	-	-
MICHIGAN													
Bride-----	78,940	16,320	62,320	300	53,420	8,200	45,020	200	25,520	8,120	17,300	100	-
Groom-----	78,940	16,320	62,320	300	51,580	8,180	43,200	200	27,360	8,140	19,120	100	-
MINNESOTA													
Bride-----	36,320	6,700	29,370	250	19,180	2,150	16,890	140	9,160	3,190	5,900	70	7,980
Groom-----	36,320	6,700	29,370	250	18,770	2,350	16,290	130	9,790	3,070	6,640	80	7,760
MISSISSIPPI													
Bride-----	26,890	7,800	19,090	-	15,460	3,090	12,370	-	11,420	4,710	6,710	-	10
Groom-----	26,890	7,800	19,090	-	15,850	3,290	12,560	-	11,030	4,510	6,520	-	10
MISSOURI													
Bride-----	53,258	5,896	45,895	1,467	31,285	2,621	28,552	112	19,794	3,194	16,540	60	2,179
Groom-----	53,258	5,896	45,895	1,467	30,842	2,639	28,095	108	20,277	3,185	17,026	66	2,139
MONTANA													
Bride-----	8,092	2,344	5,739	9	5,225	1,158	4,066	1	2,860	1,184	1,673	3	7
Groom-----	8,092	2,344	5,739	9	5,239	1,196	4,041	2	2,846	1,146	1,698	2	7
NEBRASKA													
Bride-----	13,703	2,644	11,059	-	9,773	1,376	8,397	-	3,928	1,268	2,660	-	2
Groom-----	13,703	2,644	11,059	-	9,811	1,423	8,388	-	3,890	1,221	2,669	-	2
NEW HAMPSHIRE													
Bride-----	10,972	5,098	5,874	-	6,978	2,589	4,389	-	3,994	2,509	1,485	-	-
Groom-----	10,972	5,098	5,874	-	6,664	2,654	4,210	-	4,108	2,444	1,664	-	-
NEW JERSEY													
Bride-----	61,840	17,160	44,480	200	45,840	10,340	35,380	140	15,980	6,800	9,120	60	20
Groom-----	61,840	17,160	44,480	200	44,720	10,340	34,240	140	17,120	6,820	10,240	60	-
NEW YORK													
Bride-----	159,321	59,135	99,853	333	118,823	38,321	80,258	244	40,361	20,756	19,516	89	137
Groom-----	159,321	59,135	99,853	333	115,350	38,147	76,965	238	43,903	20,959	22,849	95	68
NORTH CAROLINA													
Bride-----	52,130	12,790	39,090	250	33,610	6,950	26,480	180	18,510	5,840	12,600	70	10
Groom-----	52,130	12,790	39,090	250	33,990	7,540	26,290	160	18,140	5,250	12,800	90	-
OHIO ²													
Bride-----	99,900	---	---	99,900	64,940	---	---	64,940	34,760	---	---	34,760	200
Groom-----	99,900	---	---	99,900	64,740	---	---	64,740	35,000	---	---	35,000	160
OREGON													
Bride-----	23,285	5,780	17,450	55	14,120	2,740	11,360	20	9,090	3,015	6,040	35	75
Groom-----	23,285	5,780	17,450	55	14,115	2,850	11,235	30	9,055	2,890	6,140	25	115
PENNSYLVANIA													
Bride-----	92,140	18,080	73,440	620	65,920	10,060	55,460	400	23,680	7,520	16,120	220	2,360
Groom-----	92,140	18,080	73,440	620	64,400	9,720	54,320	360	25,440	7,940	17,240	260	2,300
RHODE ISLAND													
Bride-----	8,053	2,523	5,530	-	5,941	1,412	4,529	-	2,112	1,111	1,001	-	-
Groom-----	8,053	2,523	5,530	-	5,739	1,410	4,329	-	2,314	1,113	1,201	-	-
SOUTH CAROLINA													
Bride-----	53,686	33,231	20,387	68	31,285	16,870	14,383	32	22,393	16,355	6,002	36	8
Groom-----	53,686	33,231	20,387	68	31,582	17,503	14,046	33	22,098	15,723	6,340	35	6
SOUTH DAKOTA													
Bride-----	8,002	2,564	5,422	16	5,500	1,320	4,166	14	2,496	1,244	1,250	2	6
Groom-----	8,002	2,564	5,422	16	5,424	1,326	4,086	12	2,576	1,238	1,334	4	2
TENNESSEE													
Bride-----	56,300	19,080	36,820	400	31,640	8,280	23,180	180	24,360	10,700	13,440	220	300
Groom-----	56,300	19,080	36,820	400	30,680	8,300	22,180	200	25,420	10,700	14,520	200	200

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Table 1-45. Marriages by Marriage Order of Bride and Groom and Type of Ceremony Performed: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area	All marriages				First marriages				Remarriages				Marriage order not stated
	Total	Type of ceremony performed			Total	Type of ceremony performed			Total	Type of ceremony performed			
		Civil	Religious	Not stated		Civil	Religious	Not stated		Civil	Religious	Not stated	
UTAH													
Bride-----	18,425	5,170	13,230	25	12,600	2,555	10,030	15	5,640	2,545	3,085	10	185
Groom-----	18,425	5,170	13,230	25	12,565	2,570	9,980	15	5,695	2,515	3,170	10	165
VERMONT													
Bride-----	5,695	2,148	3,448	1	3,739	1,133	2,605	1	1,814	1,005	809	-	42
Groom-----	5,695	2,148	3,448	1	3,641	1,116	2,524	1	1,912	1,022	890	-	42
VIRGINIA													
Bride-----	61,790	17,463	44,304	23	39,548	10,159	29,371	18	22,220	7,301	14,914	5	22
Groom-----	61,790	17,463	44,304	23	39,135	10,462	28,660	13	22,643	6,994	15,639	10	12
WEST VIRGINIA													
Bride-----	15,930	860	14,915	155	10,415	385	9,935	95	5,505	475	4,970	60	10
Groom-----	15,930	860	14,915	155	10,300	390	9,815	95	5,625	470	5,095	60	5
WISCONSIN													
Bride-----	40,760	9,240	31,600	20	30,340	5,410	24,910	20	10,410	3,830	6,580	-	10
Groom-----	40,760	9,240	31,500	20	29,640	5,370	24,260	10	11,100	3,860	7,230	10	20
WYOMING													
Bride-----	6,202	2,656	3,542	4	3,380	1,064	2,316	-	2,796	1,580	1,212	4	26
Groom-----	6,202	2,656	3,542	4	3,512	1,220	2,290	2	2,668	1,426	1,240	2	22

¹Figures by marriage order exclude data for Iowa; these data are included in marriage order not stated. Figures by type of ceremony exclude data for Iowa, Kentucky, and Ohio; these data are included in type of ceremony not stated.

²This State did not require reporting of type of ceremony performed.

³This State did not require reporting of marriage order.

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Table 1-46. Marriages by Previous Marital Status of Bride and Groom, by Resident Status in State Where Married and Type of Ceremony Performed: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area and previous marital status	All marriages	Resident status in State where married and type of ceremony performed								
		Resident of State where married		Resident of adjoining State		Resident of other State or outside U.S.		Not stated		
		Civil	Religious	Civil	Religious	Civil	Religious	State of residence	Type of ceremony performed	Both items
MARRIAGE-REGISTRATION AREA ¹										
Bride -----	1,890,791	434,072	1,115,567	53,312	43,458	22,241	41,221	1,186	179,180	554
Single -----	1,217,755	232,874	793,784	24,785	27,813	12,374	29,004	748	96,353	20
Previously married ² -----	629,427	198,225	310,816	28,482	15,433	9,767	11,728	335	54,621	20
Widowed -----	56,476	12,685	35,130	1,900	1,795	919	1,681	39	2,327	-
Divorced -----	485,362	169,587	250,979	17,394	13,004	7,579	9,436	267	17,116	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	87,589	15,953	24,707	9,168	634	1,289	611	29	35,178	20
Previous marital status not stated -----	43,609	2,973	10,867	65	212	80	489	103	28,206	514
Groom -----	1,890,791	429,396	1,067,397	54,339	62,563	25,950	70,039	1,373	179,216	518
Single -----	1,197,906	234,348	734,191	26,510	41,758	14,827	50,035	721	95,718	-
Previously married ² -----	650,290	192,470	323,286	27,791	20,442	11,204	19,223	501	55,368	5
Widowed -----	51,804	10,062	32,917	1,360	2,303	868	2,112	74	1,908	-
Divorced -----	510,107	167,213	264,715	17,597	17,297	8,931	15,898	359	18,097	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	88,579	15,185	25,654	8,834	842	1,405	1,213	68	35,363	5
Previous marital status not stated -----	42,595	2,578	9,920	38	365	119	781	151	28,130	513
ALABAMA										
Bride -----	47,440	14,380	28,250	2,830	830	430	490	-	230	-
Single -----	27,580	6,320	18,650	1,360	510	250	420	-	70	-
Previously married -----	19,860	8,060	9,590	1,470	320	180	70	-	160	-
Widowed -----	1,980	640	1,130	90	60	20	-	-	40	-
Divorced -----	17,760	7,390	8,380	1,380	260	160	70	-	120	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	110	30	80	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	10	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Groom -----	47,440	14,240	26,770	2,850	1,460	550	1,330	10	230	-
Single -----	27,480	6,610	17,230	1,380	910	360	920	-	80	-
Previously married -----	19,980	7,630	9,540	1,470	550	200	410	10	170	-
Widowed -----	1,760	480	1,030	120	70	20	50	-	10	-
Divorced -----	18,120	7,120	8,470	1,340	480	180	360	10	160	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	100	50	40	10	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ALASKA										
Bride -----	6,553	2,331	3,934	...	...	106	101	41	40	-
Single -----	3,651	1,143	2,349	...	...	52	55	26	26	-
Previously married -----	2,874	1,178	1,507	...	...	54	46	15	14	-
Widowed -----	153	48	89	...	...	4	11	-	1	-
Divorced -----	2,618	1,091	1,419	...	...	48	34	13	13	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	103	39	59	...	...	2	1	2	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	28	10	18	...	...	-	-	-	-	-
Groom -----	6,553	2,353	3,912	...	...	81	118	49	40	-
Single -----	3,796	1,211	2,422	...	...	45	68	29	21	-
Previously married -----	2,740	1,135	1,480	...	...	36	50	20	19	-
Widowed -----	93	25	56	...	...	3	9	-	-	-
Divorced -----	2,550	1,073	1,368	...	...	32	39	19	19	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	97	37	56	...	...	1	2	1	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	17	7	10	...	...	-	-	-	-	-
CALIFORNIA										
Bride -----	152,420	22,700	124,540	20	840	700	2,580	20	1,020	-
Single -----	108,860	14,760	90,660	20	440	480	1,800	20	680	-
Previously married -----	43,480	7,920	33,820	-	400	220	780	-	340	-
Widowed -----	4,600	620	3,700	-	20	20	180	-	80	-
Divorced -----	38,700	7,280	29,960	-	380	200	600	-	280	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	180	20	160	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	80	20	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Groom -----	152,420	22,500	122,080	20	1,040	900	4,800	60	1,020	-
Single -----	105,240	14,800	84,920	-	640	840	3,480	40	720	-
Previously married -----	47,120	7,700	37,100	20	400	260	1,320	20	300	-
Widowed -----	4,760	460	4,040	-	20	40	160	-	40	-
Divorced -----	42,240	7,240	32,940	20	380	220	1,160	20	260	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	120	-	120	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	60	-	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
COLORADO										
Bride -----	36,150	10,270	23,180	290	460	650	1,070	50	180	-
Single -----	21,910	5,450	14,960	120	230	370	630	30	120	-
Previously married -----	14,080	4,770	8,120	170	230	280	430	20	80	-
Widowed -----	1,080	270	650	30	30	30	60	-	10	-
Divorced -----	13,000	4,500	7,470	140	200	250	370	20	50	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	160	50	100	-	-	-	10	-	-	-

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Table 1-46. Marriages by Previous Marital Status of Bride and Groom, by Resident Status in State Where Married and Type of Ceremony Performed: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and previous marital status	All marriages	Resident status in State where married and type of ceremony performed								
		Resident of State where married		Resident of adjoining State		Resident of other State or outside U.S.		Not stated		
		Civil	Religious	Civil	Religious	Civil	Religious	State of residence	Type of ceremony performed	Both items
COLORADO—Con.										
Groom-----	36,150	9,920	22,240	350	730	940	1,740	50	180	-
Single-----	22,340	5,790	14,000	180	480	630	1,180	10	110	-
Previously married-----	13,520	4,060	8,050	170	270	310	580	30	70	-
Widowed-----	850	120	570	10	40	10	100	-	-	-
Divorced-----	12,670	3,940	7,480	160	230	300	460	30	70	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	290	70	190	-	-	-	20	10	-	-
CONNECTICUT										
Bride-----	26,915	8,375	15,735	370	925	325	910	95	170	10
Single-----	19,110	4,425	12,525	220	790	200	750	70	120	10
Previously married-----	7,755	3,940	3,180	150	135	125	155	20	50	-
Widowed-----	785	280	430	5	10	15	35	5	5	-
Divorced-----	6,765	3,550	2,685	145	120	100	115	10	40	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	205	110	65	-	5	10	5	5	5	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	50	10	30	-	-	-	5	5	-	-
Groom-----	26,915	8,380	14,655	335	1,310	375	1,565	115	175	5
Single-----	18,290	4,400	10,995	215	1,095	245	1,240	15	85	-
Previously married-----	8,485	3,936	3,630	120	205	130	315	60	85	5
Widowed-----	775	216	485	10	30	15	30	-	10	-
Divorced-----	7,515	3,665	3,095	110	170	115	275	15	70	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	195	55	70	-	5	-	10	45	5	5
Previous marital status not stated-----	140	45	30	-	10	-	10	40	5	-
DELAWARE										
Bride-----	5,579	1,320	3,557	171	248	88	183	-	12	-
Single-----	3,810	735	2,608	99	161	53	145	-	9	-
Previously married-----	1,769	585	949	72	87	35	38	-	3	-
Widowed-----	176	38	110	5	13	5	3	-	2	-
Divorced-----	1,593	547	839	67	74	30	35	-	1	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Groom-----	5,579	1,244	3,146	196	436	139	406	-	12	-
Single-----	3,701	674	2,177	114	316	86	324	-	10	-
Previously married-----	1,878	570	969	82	120	53	82	-	2	-
Widowed-----	163	32	98	9	11	3	10	-	-	-
Divorced-----	1,715	538	871	73	109	50	72	-	2	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA										
Bride-----	5,338	845	2,207	239	1,735	56	240	-	16	-
Single-----	4,054	645	1,698	169	1,320	39	173	-	10	-
Previously married-----	1,284	200	509	70	415	17	67	-	6	-
Widowed-----	131	14	75	3	26	1	11	-	1	-
Divorced-----	1,149	185	432	67	388	16	56	-	5	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	4	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Groom-----	5,338	835	2,087	243	1,850	62	445	-	16	-
Single-----	3,750	604	1,454	170	1,146	36	327	-	13	-
Previously married-----	1,588	231	633	73	504	26	118	-	3	-
Widowed-----	152	13	79	4	38	1	16	-	1	-
Divorced-----	1,433	217	553	69	465	25	102	-	2	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	3	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FLORIDA										
Bride-----	118,964	54,654	58,823	317	396	2,471	2,218	40	45	-
Single-----	67,225	26,231	38,083	116	256	1,226	1,262	25	26	-
Previously married-----	51,695	28,409	20,712	201	139	1,245	955	15	19	-
Widowed-----	5,708	2,240	3,009	26	23	170	238	2	-	-
Divorced-----	45,868	26,096	17,661	175	115	1,073	714	13	19	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	121	73	42	-	1	2	3	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	44	14	28	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
Groom-----	118,964	54,376	56,951	370	781	2,700	3,709	32	45	-
Single-----	66,647	27,087	35,142	162	532	1,315	2,362	22	25	-
Previously married-----	52,287	27,278	21,799	208	248	1,383	1,341	10	20	-
Widowed-----	5,309	1,880	2,932	15	26	159	294	2	1	-
Divorced-----	46,865	25,331	18,832	193	221	1,219	1,042	8	19	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	113	67	35	-	1	5	5	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	30	11	10	-	1	2	6	-	-	-

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Table 1-46. Marriages by Previous Marital Status of Bride and Groom, by Resident Status in State Where Married and Type of Ceremony Performed: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and previous marital status	All marriages	Resident status in State where married and type of ceremony performed								
		Resident of State where married		Resident of adjoining State		Resident of other State or outside U.S.		Not stated		
		Civil	Religious	Civil	Religious	Civil	Religious	State of residence	Type of ceremony performed	Both items
GEORGIA										
Bride-----	72,820	20,840	39,060	9,780	1,240	900	580	80	340	-
Single-----	39,780	9,260	25,460	3,280	740	480	380	20	160	-
Previously married-----	32,900	11,520	13,540	6,480	500	420	200	60	180	-
Widowed-----	3,000	780	1,400	580	60	100	40	-	40	-
Divorced-----	29,620	10,660	12,040	5,820	440	320	160	40	140	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	280	80	100	80	-	-	-	20	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	140	60	60	20	-	-	-	-	-	-
Groom-----	72,820	21,320	37,220	9,420	2,240	840	1,420	20	340	-
Single-----	39,680	10,300	23,020	3,400	1,220	560	960	-	220	-
Previously married-----	33,100	11,020	14,180	6,000	1,020	280	460	20	120	-
Widowed-----	2,240	460	1,260	380	60	40	40	-	-	-
Divorced-----	30,740	10,500	12,900	5,600	960	240	420	20	100	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	120	60	20	20	-	-	-	-	20	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	40	-	20	20	-	-	-	-	-	-
HAWAII										
Bride-----	14,050	4,016	5,832	---	---	1,178	3,022	-	2	-
Single-----	8,896	2,644	4,240	---	---	628	1,382	-	2	-
Previously married-----	5,154	1,372	1,592	---	---	550	1,640	-	-	-
Widowed-----	410	86	118	---	---	60	146	-	-	-
Divorced-----	4,740	1,286	1,470	---	---	490	1,494	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	4	-	4	---	---	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	---	---	-	-	-	-	-
Groom-----	14,050	4,110	5,762	---	---	1,084	3,092	-	2	-
Single-----	8,888	2,864	4,110	---	---	530	1,382	-	2	-
Previously married-----	5,162	1,246	1,652	---	---	554	1,710	-	-	-
Widowed-----	416	66	132	---	---	68	160	-	-	-
Divorced-----	4,744	1,180	1,518	---	---	496	1,550	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	2	-	2	---	---	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	---	---	-	-	-	-	-
IDAHO										
Bride-----	13,430	2,185	6,950	685	3,130	120	335	-	25	-
Single-----	7,300	1,050	4,370	240	1,385	40	205	-	10	-
Previously married-----	6,080	1,115	2,550	445	1,745	80	130	-	15	-
Widowed-----	565	65	255	40	180	15	10	-	-	-
Divorced-----	5,515	1,050	2,295	405	1,565	65	120	-	15	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	50	20	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Groom-----	13,430	2,160	6,800	680	3,350	150	465	-	25	-
Single-----	7,515	1,100	4,175	265	1,605	65	295	-	10	-
Previously married-----	5,895	1,055	2,410	415	1,745	85	170	-	15	-
Widowed-----	480	45	195	40	175	5	20	-	-	-
Divorced-----	5,415	1,010	2,215	375	1,570	80	180	-	15	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	20	5	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ILLINOIS										
Bride-----	103,734	24,615	73,938	596	1,726	509	2,346	1	3	-
Single-----	71,089	13,936	53,574	259	1,148	313	1,856	-	3	-
Previously married-----	32,642	10,677	20,363	337	578	196	490	1	-	-
Widowed-----	3,272	704	2,390	39	54	14	71	-	-	-
Divorced-----	28,601	9,612	17,594	293	517	172	412	1	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	769	361	379	5	7	10	7	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Groom-----	103,734	24,454	71,060	612	2,666	655	4,281	3	3	-
Single-----	69,824	14,174	49,778	269	1,893	402	3,302	3	3	-
Previously married-----	33,907	10,278	21,281	343	773	253	979	-	-	-
Widowed-----	3,105	574	2,280	32	82	21	116	-	-	-
Divorced-----	30,010	9,320	18,624	305	689	225	847	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	792	384	377	6	2	7	16	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
INDIANA										
Bride-----	54,040	9,640	41,440	380	1,060	120	840	80	480	-
Single-----	33,300	4,300	27,180	140	620	60	700	60	240	-
Previously married-----	20,120	5,160	13,880	240	400	60	140	20	200	-
Widowed-----	2,000	340	1,520	-	120	-	20	-	-	-
Divorced-----	17,940	4,840	12,220	240	280	60	120	20	160	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	180	-	140	-	-	-	-	-	40	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	620	160	380	-	40	-	-	-	40	-

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[Based on sample data]

Area and previous marital status	All marriages	Resident status in State where married and type of ceremony performed								
		Resident of State where married		Resident of adjoining State		Resident of other State or outside U.S.		Not stated		
		Civil	Religious	Civil	Religious	Civil	Religious	State of residence	Type of ceremony performed	Both items
INDIANA—Con.										
Groom-----	54,040	9,440	39,380	420	2,080	260	1,900	80	480	-
Single-----	33,120	4,160	25,300	200	1,580	60	1,540	40	240	-
Previously married-----	20,840	5,240	13,920	220	480	180	340	20	240	-
Widowed-----	1,780	220	1,340	20	120	-	60	-	20	-
Divorced-----	18,720	5,020	12,480	200	340	180	280	20	200	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	140	-	100	-	20	-	-	-	20	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	280	40	160	-	20	20	20	20	-	-
IOWA ^{3,4}										
Bride-----	26,770	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	26,770	-
Single-----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	-
Previously married-----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	-
Widowed-----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	-
Divorced-----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	26,770	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	26,770	-
Groom-----	26,770	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	26,770	-
Single-----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	-
Previously married-----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	-
Widowed-----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	-
Divorced-----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	26,770	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	26,770	-
KANSAS										
Bride-----	25,895	5,760	17,745	435	925	200	755	-	75	-
Single-----	15,880	2,710	11,735	155	585	120	530	-	45	-
Previously married-----	9,970	3,035	5,985	280	340	80	220	-	30	-
Widowed-----	885	150	615	50	35	-	35	-	-	-
Divorced-----	9,045	2,865	5,355	225	305	80	185	-	30	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	40	20	15	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	45	15	25	-	-	-	5	-	-	-
Groom-----	25,895	5,700	16,850	480	1,245	215	1,325	5	75	-
Single-----	16,130	2,850	11,210	220	780	80	965	5	40	-
Previously married-----	9,735	2,840	5,620	260	485	135	360	-	35	-
Widowed-----	805	115	600	35	25	-	30	-	-	-
Divorced-----	8,905	2,715	5,010	225	460	135	325	-	35	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	25	10	10	-	-	-	5	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	30	10	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
KENTUCKY ³										
Bride-----	37,520	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	37,520	-
Single-----	23,020	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	23,020	-
Previously married-----	14,490	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	14,490	-
Widowed-----	1,760	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1,760	-
Divorced-----	12,680	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	12,680	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	50	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	50	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	10	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	10	-
Groom-----	37,520	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	37,520	-
Single-----	22,580	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	22,580	-
Previously married-----	14,920	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	14,920	-
Widowed-----	1,390	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1,390	-
Divorced-----	13,510	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	13,510	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	20	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	20	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	20	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	20	-
LOUISIANA										
Bride-----	43,180	11,370	22,370	250	240	140	190	40	8,570	10
Single-----	26,960	5,900	15,630	60	140	90	130	20	4,980	10
Previously married-----	14,360	5,040	5,700	190	90	40	60	10	3,230	-
Widowed-----	1,340	290	670	20	20	-	-	-	340	-
Divorced-----	12,360	4,510	4,780	160	70	40	60	10	2,730	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	660	240	250	10	-	-	-	-	160	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	1,860	430	1,040	-	10	10	-	10	360	-
Groom-----	43,180	11,300	21,730	240	630	230	470	-	8,580	-
Single-----	26,530	5,700	14,950	40	400	120	330	-	4,990	-
Previously married-----	14,810	5,170	5,810	200	170	100	120	-	3,240	-
Widowed-----	1,370	250	780	10	20	-	10	-	320	-
Divorced-----	12,940	4,740	4,870	180	150	100	110	-	2,790	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	500	180	180	10	-	-	-	-	130	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	1,840	430	970	-	60	10	20	-	350	-

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[Based on sample data]

Area and previous marital status	All marriages	Resident status in State where married and type of ceremony performed								
		Resident of State where married		Resident of adjoining State		Resident of other State or outside U.S.		Not stated		
		Civil	Religious	Civil	Religious	Civil	Religious	State of residence	Type of ceremony performed	Both items
MAINE										
Bride-----	12,479	4,634	6,695	76	110	446	518	-	-	-
Single-----	8,068	2,275	5,010	44	84	268	387	-	-	-
Previously married-----	4,411	2,359	1,685	32	26	178	131	-	-	-
Widowed-----	415	142	235	4	2	15	17	-	-	-
Divorced-----	3,994	2,217	1,448	28	24	163	114	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Groom-----	12,479	4,675	6,355	81	175	500	793	-	-	-
Single-----	7,936	2,309	4,557	40	133	297	600	-	-	-
Previously married-----	4,543	2,266	1,798	41	42	203	193	-	-	-
Widowed-----	386	108	226	4	7	18	23	-	-	-
Divorced-----	4,155	2,158	1,570	37	35	185	170	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MARYLAND										
Bride-----	47,120	10,810	25,410	4,570	2,790	1,530	1,660	290	60	-
Single-----	31,680	6,600	18,310	2,580	1,820	910	1,250	180	30	-
Previously married-----	15,310	4,180	7,040	1,980	970	600	410	100	30	-
Widowed-----	1,630	350	770	250	110	100	30	20	-	-
Divorced-----	13,680	3,830	6,270	1,730	860	500	380	80	30	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	130	30	60	10	-	20	-	10	-	-
Groom-----	47,120	10,640	23,690	4,580	3,500	1,700	2,660	290	60	-
Single-----	30,490	6,240	18,110	2,630	2,210	1,040	2,030	190	40	-
Previously married-----	16,610	4,380	7,580	1,950	1,290	660	630	100	20	-
Widowed-----	1,450	220	740	190	140	90	60	10	-	-
Divorced-----	15,160	4,160	6,840	1,760	1,160	570	570	90	20	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	20	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MASSACHUSETTS										
Bride-----	48,860	13,550	30,900	850	1,190	970	1,340	-	60	-
Single-----	36,620	7,970	25,330	480	1,010	710	1,070	-	50	-
Previously married-----	12,220	5,580	5,550	370	180	260	270	-	10	-
Widowed-----	1,190	260	890	10	10	10	10	-	-	-
Divorced-----	10,910	5,240	4,630	350	170	250	260	-	10	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	120	80	30	10	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	20	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Groom-----	48,860	13,030	28,910	920	2,000	1,420	2,510	10	60	-
Single-----	35,500	7,370	22,900	510	1,530	1,030	2,090	10	60	-
Previously married-----	13,360	5,660	6,010	410	470	390	420	-	-	-
Widowed-----	1,380	270	990	20	40	40	20	-	-	-
Divorced-----	11,810	5,290	4,960	380	430	350	400	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	170	100	60	10	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MICHIGAN ⁵										
Bride-----	78,940	15,660	59,640	280	640	380	2,040	-	300	-
Single-----	53,420	7,900	42,880	100	420	200	1,740	-	200	-
Previously married-----	25,520	7,760	16,780	180	220	180	300	-	100	-
Widowed-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Divorced-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	25,520	7,760	16,780	180	220	180	300	-	100	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Groom-----	78,940	15,400	57,340	340	1,240	580	3,740	-	300	-
Single-----	51,580	7,760	39,260	100	900	320	3,040	-	200	-
Previously married-----	27,360	7,640	18,080	240	340	260	700	-	100	-
Widowed-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Divorced-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	27,360	7,640	18,080	240	340	260	700	-	100	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MINNESOTA										
Bride-----	36,320	6,300	27,570	210	630	180	1,160	40	250	-
Single-----	19,180	1,990	15,710	60	450	70	730	30	140	-
Previously married-----	9,160	2,970	5,570	130	150	90	170	10	70	-
Widowed-----	1,120	180	850	10	20	-	50	10	20	-
Divorced-----	7,570	2,780	4,600	120	120	80	120	-	60	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	170	30	120	-	10	10	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	7,980	1,340	6,290	20	30	-	260	-	40	-

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Table 1-46. Marriages by Previous Marital Status of Bride and Groom, by Resident Status in State Where Married and Type of Ceremony Performed: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and previous marital status	All marriages	Resident status in State where married and type of ceremony performed								
		Resident of State where married		Resident of adjoining State		Resident of other State or outside U.S.		Not stated		
		Civil	Religious	Civil	Religious	Civil	Religious	State of residence	Type of ceremony performed	Both items
MINNESOTA—Con.										
Groom-----	36,320	6,180	26,270	250	1,220	270	1,860	20	250	-
Single-----	18,770	2,180	14,480	110	810	60	1,000	-	130	-
Previously married-----	9,790	2,760	5,920	130	280	180	430	10	80	-
Widowed-----	990	160	670	-	40	40	50	10	20	-
Divorced-----	8,750	2,580	5,220	130	240	140	380	-	60	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	50	20	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	7,760	1,240	5,870	10	130	30	430	10	40	-
MISSISSIPPI										
Bride-----	26,890	6,820	17,860	650	740	330	490	-	-	-
Single-----	15,460	2,750	11,630	150	410	190	330	-	-	-
Previously married-----	11,420	4,070	6,220	500	330	140	160	-	-	-
Widowed-----	1,340	350	840	80	40	10	20	-	-	-
Divorced-----	10,000	3,690	5,340	420	280	130	140	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	80	30	40	-	10	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	10	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Groom-----	26,890	6,770	17,120	680	1,070	340	900	10	-	-
Single-----	15,850	2,950	11,220	170	700	170	640	-	-	-
Previously married-----	11,030	3,820	5,890	510	370	170	260	10	-	-
Widowed-----	1,040	170	720	50	50	10	30	10	-	-
Divorced-----	9,970	3,640	5,170	450	320	160	230	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	20	10	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	10	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MISSOURI										
Bride-----	53,258	5,297	41,914	447	2,880	145	1,072	36	953	514
Single-----	31,285	2,340	26,250	201	1,581	80	711	10	112	-
Previously married-----	19,794	2,885	14,948	241	1,238	64	345	13	60	-
Widowed-----	2,037	201	1,621	28	131	4	45	2	5	-
Divorced-----	17,290	2,610	13,014	206	1,055	56	291	9	49	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	467	74	313	7	52	4	9	2	6	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	2,179	72	716	5	61	1	16	13	781	514
Groom-----	53,258	5,280	40,626	453	3,470	158	1,773	31	954	513
Single-----	30,842	2,353	24,900	205	2,016	79	1,169	12	108	-
Previously married-----	20,277	2,864	15,060	243	1,388	75	568	13	66	-
Widowed-----	1,736	160	1,344	21	132	9	66	2	2	-
Divorced-----	18,108	2,639	13,436	215	1,202	63	490	9	52	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	435	65	280	7	54	3	12	2	12	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	2,139	63	666	5	66	4	36	6	780	513
MONTANA										
Bride-----	8,092	2,102	5,340	47	96	195	303	-	9	-
Single-----	5,225	1,036	3,786	21	61	101	219	-	1	-
Previously married-----	2,860	1,065	1,554	26	35	93	84	-	3	-
Widowed-----	273	68	171	2	6	15	11	-	-	-
Divorced-----	2,587	997	1,383	24	29	78	73	-	3	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	7	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	5	-
Groom-----	8,092	2,045	5,077	51	153	248	509	-	9	-
Single-----	5,239	1,044	3,543	20	109	132	389	-	2	-
Previously married-----	2,846	1,000	1,534	31	44	115	120	-	2	-
Widowed-----	244	56	162	1	4	12	9	-	-	-
Divorced-----	2,602	944	1,372	30	40	103	111	-	2	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	7	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	5	-
NEBRASKA										
Bride-----	13,703	2,469	10,411	114	388	61	260	-	-	-
Single-----	9,773	1,284	7,877	56	314	36	206	-	-	-
Previously married-----	3,928	1,185	2,533	58	73	25	54	-	-	-
Widowed-----	519	86	415	2	7	-	9	-	-	-
Divorced-----	3,406	1,099	2,115	56	66	25	45	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Groom-----	13,703	2,439	9,886	120	626	85	547	-	-	-
Single-----	9,811	1,323	7,462	57	510	43	416	-	-	-
Previously married-----	3,890	1,116	2,423	63	115	42	131	-	-	-
Widowed-----	425	57	329	4	18	-	17	-	-	-
Divorced-----	3,464	1,059	2,093	59	97	42	114	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-

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Table 1-46. Marriages by Previous Marital Status of Bride and Groom, by Resident Status in State Where Married and Type of Ceremony Performed: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and previous marital status	All marriages	Resident status in State where married and type of ceremony performed								
		Resident of State where married		Resident of adjoining State		Resident of other State or outside U.S.		Not stated		
		Civil	Religious	Civil	Religious	Civil	Religious	State of residence	Type of ceremony performed	Both items
NEW HAMPSHIRE										
Bride-----	10,972	3,665	4,989	1,117	526	316	359	-	-	-
Single-----	6,978	1,820	3,720	592	381	177	288	-	-	-
Previously married-----	3,994	1,845	1,269	525	145	139	71	-	-	-
Widowed-----	357	82	173	65	19	12	6	-	-	-
Divorced-----	3,637	1,763	1,096	460	126	127	65	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Groom-----	10,972	3,649	4,672	1,102	656	347	545	1	-	-
Single-----	6,864	1,829	3,294	626	487	199	428	1	-	-
Previously married-----	4,108	1,820	1,378	476	169	148	117	-	-	-
Widowed-----	343	84	173	42	17	14	13	-	-	-
Divorced-----	3,765	1,736	1,205	434	152	134	104	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NEW JERSEY										
Bride-----	61,840	16,200	42,020	640	980	320	1,480	-	200	-
Single-----	45,840	9,820	33,260	360	780	160	1,320	-	140	-
Previously married-----	15,980	6,360	8,760	280	200	160	160	-	60	-
Widowed-----	1,620	300	1,260	-	-	40	20	-	-	-
Divorced-----	14,340	6,080	7,480	280	200	120	140	-	60	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	20	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	20	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Groom-----	61,840	15,720	39,100	1,020	2,280	420	3,100	-	200	-
Single-----	44,720	9,440	29,900	640	1,720	260	2,620	-	140	-
Previously married-----	17,120	6,280	9,200	380	560	160	480	-	60	-
Widowed-----	1,900	600	1,060	20	160	20	40	-	-	-
Divorced-----	15,220	5,680	8,140	360	400	140	440	-	60	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NEW YORK										
Bride-----	159,321	56,931	93,713	1,173	2,690	1,020	3,540	21	333	-
Single-----	118,823	36,898	75,137	771	2,145	642	2,969	17	244	-
Previously married-----	40,361	13,976	18,498	401	445	378	570	4	89	-
Widowed-----	4,624	1,595	2,814	30	57	41	82	-	5	-
Divorced-----	35,023	18,073	15,318	364	379	331	471	4	83	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	714	308	366	7	9	6	17	-	1	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	137	57	78	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
Groom-----	159,321	56,439	89,685	1,415	4,334	1,271	5,814	30	333	-
Single-----	115,350	36,449	68,778	928	3,481	765	4,689	22	238	-
Previously married-----	43,903	19,963	20,871	487	851	504	1,124	8	95	-
Widowed-----	4,518	1,352	2,855	34	92	36	140	-	9	-
Divorced-----	38,837	18,367	17,763	444	746	463	961	8	85	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	548	244	253	9	13	5	23	-	1	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	68	27	36	-	2	2	1	-	-	-
NORTH CAROLINA										
Bride-----	52,130	10,930	35,800	850	2,020	1,010	1,270	-	250	-
Single-----	33,610	5,970	24,590	310	1,020	670	870	-	180	-
Previously married-----	18,510	4,960	11,200	540	1,000	340	400	-	70	-
Widowed-----	2,000	340	1,490	30	70	20	40	-	10	-
Divorced-----	16,500	4,620	9,700	510	930	320	360	-	60	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	10	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	10	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Groom-----	52,130	10,870	34,470	960	2,490	1,160	2,130	-	250	-
Single-----	33,990	6,310	23,270	360	1,500	870	1,520	-	160	-
Previously married-----	18,140	4,360	11,200	600	990	290	610	-	90	-
Widowed-----	1,620	260	1,120	30	120	10	80	-	-	-
Divorced-----	16,520	4,100	10,080	570	870	280	530	-	90	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OHIO ^{9,5}										
Bride-----	99,900	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	99,880	20
Single-----	64,940	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	64,940	-
Previously married-----	34,760	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	34,740	20
Widowed-----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Divorced-----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Previous marital status not stated-----	34,760	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	34,740	20
	200	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	200	-

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		Resident of State where married		Resident of adjoining State		Resident of other State or outside U.S.		Not stated		
		Civil	Religious	Civil	Religious	Civil	Religious	State of residence	Type of ceremony performed	Both items
OHIO ^{3,5} —Con.										
Groom-----	99,900	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	99,900	-
Single-----	64,740	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	64,740	-
Previously married-----	35,000	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	35,000	-
Widowed-----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	-
Divorced-----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	35,000	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	35,000	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	160	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	160	-
OREGON										
Bride-----	23,285	5,430	16,390	215	690	125	340	40	55	-
Single-----	14,120	2,525	10,555	130	515	75	260	40	20	-
Previously married-----	9,090	2,885	5,790	86	175	45	75	-	35	-
Widowed-----	895	180	670	15	20	-	10	-	-	-
Divorced-----	8,195	2,705	5,120	70	155	45	65	-	35	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	75	20	45	-	-	5	5	-	-	-
Groom-----	23,285	5,335	15,590	290	1,175	140	645	55	55	-
Single-----	14,115	2,595	9,945	185	770	60	490	40	30	-
Previously married-----	9,055	2,705	5,580	105	405	75	145	15	25	-
Widowed-----	710	105	545	5	35	5	15	-	-	-
Divorced-----	8,345	2,600	5,035	100	370	70	130	15	25	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	115	35	65	-	-	5	10	-	-	-
PENNSYLVANIA										
Bride-----	92,140	17,220	69,260	460	2,000	320	2,000	260	620	-
Single-----	65,920	9,580	52,200	240	1,660	160	1,500	180	400	-
Previously married-----	23,860	7,160	15,480	220	300	140	320	20	220	-
Widowed-----	2,740	460	2,060	80	20	-	100	-	20	-
Divorced-----	21,020	6,680	13,380	140	280	120	200	20	200	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	100	20	40	-	-	20	20	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	2,360	480	1,580	-	40	20	180	60	-	-
Groom-----	92,140	17,160	65,880	520	3,600	300	3,700	360	620	-
Single-----	64,400	9,160	48,820	320	2,700	180	2,660	200	360	-
Previously married-----	25,440	7,600	15,520	200	840	100	820	100	260	-
Widowed-----	2,620	420	1,940	20	140	-	40	20	40	-
Divorced-----	22,580	7,140	13,420	180	700	100	760	60	220	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	240	40	160	-	-	-	20	20	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	2,300	400	1,540	-	60	20	220	60	-	-
RHODE ISLAND										
Bride-----	8,053	2,264	4,968	143	305	116	256	1	-	-
Single-----	5,941	1,247	4,080	89	239	76	209	1	-	-
Previously married-----	2,112	1,017	888	54	66	40	47	-	-	-
Widowed-----	220	69	129	5	5	2	10	-	-	-
Divorced-----	1,891	948	758	49	61	38	37	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Groom-----	8,053	2,201	4,492	175	532	146	503	4	-	-
Single-----	5,739	1,204	3,504	104	419	102	403	3	-	-
Previously married-----	2,314	997	988	71	113	44	100	1	-	-
Widowed-----	201	59	107	6	17	2	10	-	-	-
Divorced-----	2,112	938	881	65	96	42	89	1	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SOUTH CAROLINA ⁵										
Bride-----	53,686	13,581	18,965	17,500	734	2,150	688	-	68	-
Single-----	31,285	7,131	13,520	8,634	421	1,105	442	-	32	-
Previously married-----	22,393	6,448	5,443	8,862	313	1,045	246	-	36	-
Widowed-----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	-	-	-
Divorced-----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	22,393	6,448	5,443	8,862	313	1,045	246	-	36	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	8	2	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Groom-----	53,686	13,504	17,988	17,534	1,170	2,192	1,228	2	68	-
Single-----	31,582	7,408	12,466	9,026	764	1,068	815	2	33	-
Previously married-----	22,098	6,095	5,521	8,505	406	1,123	413	-	35	-
Widowed-----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	-	-	-
Divorced-----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated-----	22,098	6,095	5,521	8,505	406	1,123	413	-	35	-
Previous marital status not stated-----	6	1	1	3	-	1	-	-	-	-

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		Civil	Religious	Civil	Religious	Civil	Religious	State of residence	Type of ceremony performed	Both items
SOUTH DAKOTA										
Bride-----	8,002	1,272	4,732	1,096	428	196	262	-	16	-
Single-----	5,500	658	3,676	558	284	104	206	-	14	-
Previously married -----	2,496	614	1,050	538	144	92	56	-	2	-
Widowed -----	334	38	200	54	20	10	10	-	-	-
Divorced -----	2,160	576	850	482	124	82	46	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	6	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Groom-----	8,002	1,224	4,396	1,116	572	224	452	-	16	-
Single-----	5,424	628	3,336	578	394	120	356	-	12	-
Previously married -----	2,576	596	1,060	538	178	104	96	-	4	-
Widowed -----	254	34	154	34	18	4	10	-	-	-
Divorced -----	2,320	562	906	502	160	100	86	-	4	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TENNESSEE										
Bride-----	56,300	14,100	33,800	3,280	1,440	1,700	1,580	20	400	-
Single-----	31,640	6,240	21,800	1,380	860	660	720	-	180	-
Previously married -----	24,360	7,780	11,820	1,900	780	1,020	840	20	220	-
Widowed -----	2,460	680	1,160	200	200	80	140	-	-	-
Divorced -----	21,600	6,940	10,560	1,700	560	940	700	20	180	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	300	160	100	-	-	-	-	-	40	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	300	80	180	-	20	20	-	-	-	-
Groom-----	56,300	13,820	32,040	3,320	2,340	1,920	2,360	100	400	-
Single-----	30,680	6,040	19,740	1,520	1,320	740	1,060	60	200	-
Previously married -----	25,420	7,720	12,180	1,800	1,020	1,160	1,300	40	200	-
Widowed -----	1,940	400	920	100	220	80	160	20	40	-
Divorced -----	23,240	7,220	11,140	1,700	800	1,080	1,140	20	140	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	240	100	120	-	-	-	-	-	20	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	200	60	120	-	-	20	-	-	-	-
UTAH										
Bride-----	18,425	4,630	11,275	265	1,075	265	875	15	25	-
Single-----	12,600	2,235	8,335	135	935	180	755	10	15	-
Previously married -----	5,640	2,335	2,835	125	135	85	115	-	10	-
Widowed -----	415	70	300	15	15	-	15	-	-	-
Divorced -----	5,140	2,235	2,480	110	120	85	100	-	10	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	85	30	55	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	185	60	105	5	5	-	5	5	-	-
Groom-----	18,425	4,600	10,980	270	1,275	295	960	20	25	-
Single-----	12,565	2,275	8,155	130	1,070	165	745	10	15	-
Previously married -----	5,895	2,245	2,760	140	195	130	210	5	10	-
Widowed -----	485	110	320	-	25	5	25	-	-	-
Divorced -----	5,130	2,115	2,385	140	170	125	180	5	10	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	80	20	55	-	-	-	5	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	165	80	65	-	10	-	5	5	-	-
VERMONT										
Bride-----	5,595	1,682	2,930	173	257	291	261	-	1	-
Single-----	3,739	868	2,210	93	198	172	197	-	1	-
Previously married -----	1,814	807	689	80	57	118	63	-	-	-
Widowed -----	183	54	98	11	6	5	9	-	-	-
Divorced -----	1,630	753	591	69	50	113	54	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	42	7	31	-	2	1	1	-	-	-
Groom-----	5,595	1,665	2,785	170	333	311	330	-	1	-
Single-----	3,641	868	2,025	89	253	159	246	-	1	-
Previously married -----	1,912	790	732	81	77	151	81	-	-	-
Widowed -----	135	27	72	6	13	9	8	-	-	-
Divorced -----	1,777	763	660	75	64	142	73	-	-	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	42	7	28	-	3	1	3	-	-	-
VIRGINIA										
Bride-----	61,790	13,792	36,670	1,754	5,248	1,917	2,382	4	23	-
Single-----	39,548	8,012	25,464	1,091	2,676	1,056	1,227	4	18	-
Previously married -----	22,220	5,777	11,187	663	2,572	861	1,155	-	5	-
Widowed -----	2,132	300	1,235	71	297	74	154	-	1	-
Divorced -----	20,027	5,461	9,915	592	2,270	787	998	-	4	-
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	61	16	37	-	5	-	3	-	-	-
Previous marital status not stated -----	22	3	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Table 1-46. Marriages by Previous Marital Status of Bride and Groom, by Resident Status in State Where Married and Type of Ceremony Performed: Marriage-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and previous marital status	All marriages	Resident status in State where married and type of ceremony performed								
		Resident of State where married		Resident of adjoining State		Resident of other State or outside U.S.		Not stated		
		Civil	Religious	Civil	Religious	Civil	Religious	State of residence	Type of ceremony performed	Both items
VIRGINIA--Con.										
Groom-----	81,790	13,491	34,810	1,725	5,853	2,244	3,828	18	23	
Single-----	39,135	8,132	23,367	1,043	3,127	1,285	2,161	7	13	
Previously married -----	22,643	5,353	11,438	682	2,726	958	1,467	9	10	
Widowed -----	1,849	245	1,104	50	228	75	147	-	-	
Divorced -----	20,746	5,100	10,301	627	2,498	882	1,319	9	10	
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	48	8	33	6	-	1	1	-	-	
Previous marital status not stated -----	12	8	5	-	-	1	-	-	-	
WEST VIRGINIA										
Bride-----	15,930	770	13,920	75	690	15	295	10	155	
Single-----	10,415	340	9,300	40	440	5	190	5	95	
Previously married -----	5,505	430	4,810	35	250	10	105	5	80	
Widowed -----	585	15	510	-	25	5	5	-	5	
Divorced -----	4,900	410	4,065	35	225	5	100	5	55	
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	40	5	35	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Previous marital status not stated -----	10	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Groom-----	15,930	735	13,200	85	1,155	40	560	-	155	
Single-----	10,300	345	8,560	40	850	5	405	-	95	
Previously married -----	5,625	390	4,835	45	305	35	155	-	80	
Widowed -----	410	20	375	-	10	-	-	-	5	
Divorced -----	5,170	365	4,220	45	295	35	155	-	55	
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	45	5	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Previous marital status not stated -----	5	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	
WISCONSIN										
Bride-----	40,760	8,530	29,580	550	1,090	160	830	-	20	
Single-----	30,340	5,010	23,320	280	880	120	710	-	20	
Previously married -----	10,410	3,520	6,250	270	210	40	120	-	-	
Widowed -----	1,330	260	970	20	50	10	20	-	-	
Divorced -----	9,060	3,250	5,270	250	160	30	100	-	-	
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	20	10	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Previous marital status not stated -----	10	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Groom-----	40,760	8,380	28,440	530	1,510	330	1,550	-	20	
Single-----	29,640	4,830	21,680	280	1,290	260	1,290	-	10	
Previously married -----	11,100	3,640	6,750	250	220	70	280	-	10	
Widowed -----	1,350	160	1,070	20	50	10	40	-	-	
Divorced -----	9,750	3,380	5,680	230	170	60	220	-	10	
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Previous marital status not stated -----	20	10	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	
WYOMING										
Bride-----	6,202	2,132	3,254	414	166	110	120	2	4	
Single-----	3,380	866	2,132	152	104	46	80	-	-	
Previously married -----	2,796	1,266	1,110	262	60	62	40	2	4	
Widowed -----	232	60	108	30	14	12	8	-	-	
Divorced -----	2,550	1,188	996	232	46	50	32	2	4	
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	14	8	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Previous marital status not stated -----	26	10	12	-	2	2	-	-	-	
Groom-----	6,202	2,112	3,150	416	216	128	176	-	4	
Single-----	3,512	982	2,036	184	136	54	118	-	2	
Previously married -----	2,668	1,122	1,104	232	78	72	58	-	2	
Widowed -----	170	50	84	18	10	4	4	-	-	
Divorced -----	2,486	1,068	1,012	214	68	68	54	-	2	
Widowed or divorced not stated -----	12	4	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Previous marital status not stated -----	22	8	10	-	2	2	-	-	-	

¹ Figures by type of ceremony performed exclude data for Iowa, Kentucky, and Ohio; these data are included in type of ceremony not stated. Figures for single and previously married exclude data for Iowa; these are included in previous marital status not stated.

² Figures for widowed and divorced exclude data for Michigan, Ohio, and South Carolina; these data are included in widowed or divorced not stated.

³ This State did not require reporting of type of ceremony performed.

⁴ This State did not require reporting of previous marital status.

⁵ This State did not require reporting of whether widowed or divorced.

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Table 1-47. Marriages by Educational Attainment of Bride and Groom: 20 Reporting States, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area	All marriages	Years of school completed													
		Bride							Groom						
		0-8 years	9-11 years	12 years	13-15 years	16 years	17 years or more	Education not stated	0-8 years	9-11 years	12 years	13-15 years	16 years	17 years or more	Education not stated
Total, 20 States -----	740,843	20,712	69,536	278,836	153,458	81,278	36,928	80,095	27,621	79,133	270,469	139,121	88,027	56,310	80,162
California -----	152,420	4,800	14,280	61,280	38,280	20,640	12,880	480	5,060	12,680	56,820	33,980	24,480	18,800	620
Connecticut -----	26,915	475	2,160	9,895	6,795	4,490	1,960	1,140	730	2,350	9,400	5,710	4,665	2,820	1,240
Hawaii -----	14,050	210	922	5,536	4,406	1,800	1,172	4	252	818	5,328	3,766	2,076	1,806	4
Illinois -----	103,734	1,346	7,731	25,353	12,971	6,899	2,416	47,218	2,000	6,548	24,306	12,458	7,437	3,917	47,068
Kansas -----	25,895	600	3,855	10,785	6,575	2,510	1,425	145	850	3,325	10,390	6,170	2,795	2,270	95
Louisiana -----	43,180	1,220	5,260	13,590	6,810	3,140	1,370	12,790	1,890	4,610	13,320	5,580	3,160	2,040	12,780
Maine -----	12,479	286	1,460	5,854	2,590	1,444	472	373	386	1,355	5,851	2,262	1,539	720	366
Mississippi -----	26,890	1,580	5,080	10,770	5,230	2,710	760	760	2,180	4,960	10,470	4,610	2,590	1,340	740
Missouri -----	53,258	1,230	6,453	17,657	7,603	4,813	1,760	13,742	1,648	5,452	17,343	7,254	5,306	2,600	13,655
Montana -----	8,092	140	963	3,446	2,118	957	455	13	247	650	3,534	1,925	981	740	15
Nebraska -----	13,703	140	1,102	5,759	4,170	1,819	708	5	286	993	5,852	3,627	1,821	1,117	7
New Hampshire -----	10,972	237	1,264	4,959	2,548	1,398	546	20	396	1,326	4,540	2,250	1,532	913	15
North Carolina -----	52,130	1,400	9,200	20,470	11,860	6,880	2,300	20	2,240	8,230	21,570	10,330	6,450	3,270	40
Rhode Island -----	8,053	233	898	3,141	1,868	1,250	656	7	313	1,004	2,964	1,567	1,283	918	4
Tennessee -----	56,300	3,500	11,360	24,160	9,880	4,560	1,520	1,320	4,240	9,240	24,080	9,220	5,500	2,600	1,420
Utah -----	18,425	270	2,370	6,680	5,880	1,600	625	1,000	265	1,505	6,555	6,085	1,800	1,185	1,020
Vermont -----	5,595	99	537	2,358	1,327	831	398	45	199	542	2,410	995	852	553	44
Virginia -----	61,790	2,474	9,787	26,141	12,315	7,965	3,057	51	3,487	9,139	25,392	10,818	7,960	4,947	47
Wisconsin -----	40,760	540	3,950	18,620	10,020	5,350	2,230	50	980	3,780	18,000	9,250	5,270	3,420	60
Wyoming -----	6,202	132	904	2,382	1,232	422	218	912	172	626	2,344	1,284	530	324	922

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Table 1-48. Marriages and Marriage Rates for the 50 Largest Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas in the United States and Their Component Counties: 1983

[Data are counts of marriages performed supplied by States except as noted. Standard metropolitan statistical areas are those defined by the Office of Management and Budget for 1980 except for New England, where areas are New England County Metropolitan Areas. For further discussion of areas see Technical Appendix. Rates are marriages per 1,000 population]

Area	Number	Rate	Area	Number	Rate	Area	Number	Rate
50 largest U.S. SMSA's -----	1,030,666	9.6	Denver-Boulder, Colo-----	20,414	11.6	Nashville-Davidson, Tenn-----	12,421	14.1
Anaheim-Santa Ana-Garden			Adams-----	2,421	9.1	Cheatham-----	197	8.8
Grove, Calif-----	19,080	9.3	Arapahoe-----	4,631	13.3	Davidson-----	4,763	9.8
Orange-----	19,080	9.3	Boulder-----	2,589	12.6	Dickson-----	368	11.9
Atlanta, Ga-----	25,359	11.6	Denver-----	6,818	13.3	Robertson-----	3,742	99.0
Butts-----	110	7.4	Douglas-----	253	8.1	Rutherford-----	814	8.8
Cherokee-----	519	8.7	Gilpin-----	56	20.0	Sumner-----	1,431	16.1
Clayton-----	2,300	14.3	Jefferson-----	3,646	9.1	Williamson-----	530	8.3
Cobb-----	4,382	13.0	Detroit, Mich-----	32,596	7.8	Wilson-----	576	9.9
De Kalb-----	5,828	11.8	Lapeer-----	618	9.0	Nassau-Suffolk, N.Y-----	21,537	8.2
Douglas-----	731	11.9	Livingston-----	855	8.6	Nassau-----	11,031	8.3
Fayette-----	329	9.1	Macomb-----	5,754	8.4	Suffolk-----	10,506	8.1
Forsyth-----	374	11.8	Oakland-----	9,379	9.4	New Orleans, La-----	12,177	9.8
Fulton-----	6,591	10.9	St. Clair-----	1,242	9.0	Jefferson-----	4,531	9.5
Gwinnett-----	2,261	10.8	Wayne-----	14,748	6.7	Orleans-----	5,320	9.4
Henry-----	375	9.3	Fort Lauderdale-Hollywood, Fla-----	10,503	9.7	St. Bernard-----	1,050	15.6
Newton-----	448	12.0	Broward-----	10,503	9.7	St. Tammany-----	1,276	9.8
Paulding-----	302	10.6	Greensboro-Winston-Salem-----			New York, N.Y.-N.J-----	89,541	9.7
Rockdale-----	484	11.7	High Point, N.C-----	7,807	9.2	New York City, N.Y-----	73,514	10.3
Walton-----	325	10.4	Davidson-----	910	7.9	Bronx-----	10,153	8.6
Baltimore, Md-----	20,901	9.5	Forsyth-----	2,356	9.3	Kings-----	13,852	6.1
Anne Arundel-----	4,044	10.5	Gulford-----	3,207	9.9	New York-----	30,091	21.0
Baltimore-----	6,223	9.3	Randolph-----	784	8.3	Queens-----	16,261	6.5
Baltimore (city)-----	6,787	8.8	Stokes-----	299	8.7	Richmond-----	3,157	8.7
Carroll-----	1,024	10.1	Yadkin-----	251	8.6	Putnam, N.Y-----	840	8.0
Harford-----	1,463	9.8	Hartford-New Britain-----			Rockland, N.Y-----	1,892	7.2
Howard-----	1,360	10.4	Bristol, Conn-----	9,058	8.5	Westchester, N.Y-----	6,784	7.8
Birmingham, Ala-----	9,689	11.4	Hartford-----	6,949	8.5	Bergen, N.J-----	6,731	8.0
Jefferson-----	7,611	11.4	Middlesex-----	1,196	9.1	Newark, N.J-----	16,657	8.5
St. Clair-----	491	11.4	Tolland-----	913	7.8	Essex-----	7,296	8.7
Shelby-----	639	9.0	Houston, Tex-----	39,705	11.9	Morris-----	3,424	8.3
Walker-----	948	13.9	Brazoria-----	2,224	12.2	Somerset-----	1,765	8.5
Boston-Lowell-Brookton-----			Fort Bend-----	2,072	12.3	Union-----	4,172	8.2
Lawrence-Haverhill, Mass-----	30,376	8.3	Harris-----	32,030	11.7	Norfolk-Virginia Beach-----		
Essex-----	5,729	8.9	Liberty-----	786	14.7	Portsmouth, Va.-N.C-----	9,319	10.8
Middlesex-----	11,674	8.5	Montgomery-----	2,361	15.1	Chesapeake (city), Va-----	899	7.4
Norfolk-----	4,856	8.1	Waller-----	232	10.0	Norfolk (city), Va-----	3,635	13.0
Plymouth-----	3,193	7.8	Indianapolis, Ind-----	12,585	10.6	Portsmouth (city), Va-----	1,063	10.0
Suffolk-----	4,924	7.4	Boone-----	368	8.7	Suffolk (city), Va-----	418	8.7
Buffalo, N.Y-----	10,166	8.4	Hamilton-----	765	8.9	Virginia Beach (city), Va-----	3,221	10.9
Erie-----	7,994	8.1	Hancock-----	411	9.3	Cumtuck, N.C-----	83	6.6
Niagara-----	2,162	9.8	Hendricks-----	656	9.1	Oklahoma City, Okla-----	12,424	13.4
Chicago, Ill-----	83,027	8.8	Johnson-----	809	10.1	Canadian-----	569	8.5
Cook-----	45,446	8.6	Marion-----	8,649	11.2	Cleveland-----	1,623	10.6
Du Page-----	6,052	8.7	Morgan-----	548	10.4	McClain-----	273	11.6
Kane-----	2,948	10.3	Shelby-----	379	9.4	Oklahoma-----	9,312	15.0
Lake-----	4,803	10.5	Kansas City, Mo.-Kans-----	12,753	9.5	Pottawatomie-----	647	10.6
McHenry-----	1,354	8.8	Cass, Mo-----	665	12.5	Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J-----	35,984	7.6
Will-----	2,424	7.4	Clay, Mo-----	1,529	11.1	Bucks, Pa-----	3,862	7.9
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind ¹ -----	14,437	10.3	Jackson, Mo-----	7,547	12.0	Chester, Pa-----	2,281	6.9
Clermont, Ohio-----	1,549	11.5	Platte, Mo-----	478	9.9	Delaware, Pa-----	5,612	10.2
Hamilton, Ohio-----	7,786	9.0	Ray, Mo-----	194	9.0	Montgomery, Pa-----	5,790	8.8
Warren, Ohio-----	1,076	10.8	Johnson, Kans-----	482	1.7	Philadelphia, Pa-----	10,098	6.1
Boone, Ky-----	591	12.0	Wyandotte, Kans-----	1,656	10.8	Burlington, N.J-----	2,925	7.8
Campbell, Ky-----	1,323	16.1	Los Angeles-Long Beach, Calif-----	71,620	9.2	Camden, N.J-----	3,633	7.6
Kenton, Ky-----	1,806	13.3	Los Angeles-----	71,620	9.2	Gloucester, N.J-----	1,683	8.2
Dearborn, Ind-----	326	9.1	Louisville, Ky.-Ind-----	9,776	10.7	Phoenix, Ariz-----	17,431	10.5
Cleveland, Ohio ¹ -----	16,946	9.0	Bullitt, Ky-----	450	10.2	Maricopa-----	17,431	10.5
Cuyahoga-----	13,215	9.0	Jefferson, Ky-----	7,454	10.9	Pittsburgh, Pa-----	16,498	7.4
Genuga-----	685	9.2	Oldham, Ky-----	240	8.2	Allegheny-----	10,847	7.6
Lake-----	1,984	9.3	Clark, Ind-----	1,038	11.6	Beaver-----	1,294	6.4
Medina-----	1,052	9.1	Floyd, Ind-----	594	8.4	Washington-----	1,496	6.9
Columbus, Ohio ¹ -----	12,838	11.3	Memphis, Tenn.-Ark.-Miss ¹ -----	10,155	10.9	Westmoreland-----	2,861	7.3
Delaware-----	466	8.3	Shelby, Tenn-----	8,045	10.2	Portland, Oreg.-Wash-----	12,720	10.0
Fairfield-----	853	9.0	Tipton, Tenn-----	518	15.1	Clackamas, Oreg-----	1,850	7.4
Franklin-----	10,580	11.9	Crittenden, Ark ¹ -----	870	17.4	Multnomah, Oreg-----	5,194	9.3
Madison-----	331	9.5	De Soto, Miss-----	722	12.8	Washington, Oreg-----	1,797	6.9
Pickaway-----	408	9.6	Miami, Fla-----	20,200	11.8	Clark, Wash-----	3,879	19.3
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex-----	42,664	12.9	Dade-----	20,200	11.8	Providence-Warwick-----		
Collin-----	1,811	10.6	Milwaukee, Wis-----	11,901	8.1	Pawtucket, R.I-----	7,059	8.1
Dallas-----	21,181	12.6	Milwaukee-----	7,778	8.1	Bristol-----	429	9.1
Denton-----	1,898	11.6	Ozaukee-----	559	8.3	Kent-----	1,294	8.3
Ellis-----	825	12.6	Washington-----	651	7.5	Providence-----	4,428	7.7
Hood-----	336	15.1	Waukesha-----	2,313	8.2	Washington-----	908	9.5
Johnson-----	828	10.7	Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis-----	20,343	9.3	Riverside-San Bernardino-----		
Kaufman-----	1,341	29.7	Anoka, Minn-----	1,521	7.4	Ontario, Calif-----	12,610	7.2
Parker-----	1,302	26.0	Carver, Minn-----	312	8.1	Riverside-----	5,954	8.0
Rockwall-----	1,302	75.7	Chicago, Minn-----	189	7.0	San Bernardino-----	6,656	6.6
Tarrant-----	11,502	11.8	Dakota, Minn-----	779	3.8	Rochester, N.Y-----	8,570	8.7
Wise-----	338	11.4	Hennepin, Minn-----	10,842	11.3	Livingston-----	474	8.2
Dayton, Ohio ¹ -----	8,536	10.4	Ramsey, Minn-----	4,544	9.7	Monroe-----	6,119	8.6
Greene-----	1,289	9.7	Scott, Minn-----	533	11.6	Ontario-----	826	9.1
Miami-----	909	10.2	Washington, Minn-----	761	6.3	Orleans-----	350	9.0
Montgomery-----	6,062	10.8	Wright, Minn-----	411	6.7	Wayne-----	801	9.3
Preble-----	296	7.8	St. Croix, Wis-----	451	10.1			

¹ Figures for Arkansas and Ohio are counties where license was issued and marriage certificate was filed, not necessarily county where the marriage occurred.

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Table 1-48. Marriages and Marriage Rates for the 50 Largest Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas in the United States and Their Component Counties: 1983—Con.

[See headnote at beginning of table]

Area	Number	Rate	Area	Number	Rate	Area	Number	Rate
Sacramento, Calif -----	7,888	7.2	San Antonio, Tex -----	15,076	12.9	Seattle-Everett, Wash -----	17,438	10.4
Placer -----	731	5.7	Bexar -----	13,813	12.9	King -----	14,178	10.8
Sacramento -----	6,474	7.6	Comal -----	591	14.2	Snohomish -----	3,260	9.0
Yolo -----	663	5.7	Guadalupe -----	672	13.1	Tampa-St. Petersburg, Fla -----	18,732	11.0
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill -----	22,906	9.7	San Diego, Calif -----	20,066	10.0	Hillsborough -----	8,431	12.0
Franklin, Mo -----	796	10.8	San Diego -----	20,066	10.0	Pasco -----	1,835	8.2
Jefferson, Mo -----	1,290	8.4	San Francisco-Oakland, Calif -----	25,480	7.6	Pinellas -----	8,466	11.0
St. Charles, Mo -----	1,568	9.9	Alameda -----	7,610	6.6	Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va -----	32,588	10.3
St. Louis, Mo -----	8,573	8.7	Contra Costa -----	4,343	6.3	District of Columbia -----	5,436	8.7
St. Louis (city), Mo -----	5,480	12.6	Marin -----	1,982	8.8	Charles, Md -----	769	9.7
Clinton, Ill -----	286	8.6	San Francisco -----	7,790	11.2	Montgomery, Md -----	7,131	11.7
Madison, Ill -----	2,429	9.6	San Mateo -----	3,755	6.3	Prince Georges, Md -----	6,424	9.6
Monroe, Ill -----	171	8.4	San Jose, Calif -----	11,369	8.4	Alexandria (city), Va -----	2,206	21.0
St. Clair, Ill -----	2,331	8.7	Santa Clara -----	11,369	8.4	Arlington, Va -----	2,674	17.4
Salt Lake City-Ogden, Utah -----	11,562	11.2				Fairfax, Va -----	4,437	6.8
Davis -----	1,005	6.1				Fairfax (city), Va -----	922	44.8
Salt Lake -----	8,174	12.0				Falls Church (city), Va -----	375	39.5
Tooele -----	257	9.0				Loudoun, Va -----	550	9.1
Weber -----	2,126	13.6				Manassas (city), Va -----	459	26.7
						Manassas Park (city), Va -----	3	0.5
						Prince William, Va -----	1,202	7.6

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Table 1-49. Marriages: United States, Each State and County, 1983

[Data are counts of marriages performed supplied by States except as noted]

Area	Marriages	Area	Marriages	Area	Marriages
United States	2,445,604	Arizona	30,809	California	220,760
Alabama	47,469	Apache	169	Alameda	7,610
Autauga	443	Cochise	995	Alpine	6
Baldwin	1,413	Cocconino	554	Amador	136
Barbour	231	Gila	417	Butte	1,088
Bibb	143	Graham	270	Calaveras	127
Blount	345	Greenlee	88	Colusa	80
Bullock	83	Maricopa	17,431	Contra Costa	4,343
Butler	201	Mohave	491	Del Norte	203
Calhoun	1,349	Navajo	496	El Dorado	6,665
Chambers	444	Pima	8,048	Fresno	5,314
Cherokee	191	Pinal	857	Glenn	151
Chilton	338	Santa Cruz	289	Humboldt	960
Choctaw	285	Yavapai	726	Imperial	665
Clarke	235	Yuma ²	2,000	Inyo	124
Clay	197	Arkansas ³	30,066	Kern	3,738
Cleburne	206	Arkansas	269	Kings	766
Coffee	563	Ashley	334	Lake	219
Colbert	570	Baxter	340	Lassen	164
Conecuh	136	Benton	1,022	Los Angeles	71,820
Cossa	123	Boone	480	Madera	346
Covington	816	Bradley	139	Marin	1,982
Crenshaw	133	Calhoun	52	Mariposa	111
Cullman	812	Carroll	432	Mendocino	459
Date	613	Chicot	182	Merced	1,085
Dallas	533	Clark	272	Modoc	52
De Kalb	444	Clay	272	Mono	63
Elmore	467	Cleburne	216	Monterey	3,172
Escambia	696	Cleveland	66	Napa	666
Etowah	1,142	Columbia	332	Nevada	448
Fayette	170	Conway	235	Orange	19,060
Franklin	262	Craighead	1,015	Placer	731
Geneva	325	Crawford	552	Plumas	93
Greene	105	Crittenden	870	Riverside	5,954
Hale	151	Cross	218	Sacramento	6,474
Henry	130	Dallas	140	San Benito	846
Houston	1,066	Desha	169	San Bernardino	6,656
Jackson	480	Draw	180	San Diego	20,066
Jefferson	7,611	Faulkner	663	San Francisco, coext. with San Francisco city	7,790
Lamar	318	Franklin	198	San Joaquin	2,059
Lauderdale	1,695	Fulton	130	San Luis Obispo	1,461
Lawrence	317	Garland	1,079	San Mateo	3,755
Lee	811	Grant	155	Santa Barbara	3,193
Limestone	586	Greene	422	Santa Clara	11,369
Lowndes	62	Hempstead	238	Santa Cruz	1,914
Macon	201	Hot Spring	267	Shasta	990
Madison	2,889	Howard	207	Sierra	18
Marengo	241	Independence	419	Siskiyou	321
Marion	313	Izard	103	Solano	2,042
Marshall	838	Jackson	261	Sonoma	2,384
Mobile	3,847	Jefferson	965	Stanislaus	2,354
Monroe	232	Johnson	211	Sutter	422
Montgomery	2,384	Lafayette	132	Tehama	259
Morgan	1,173	Lawrence	200	Trinity	71
Perry	117	Lee	153	Tulare	1,824
Pickens	255	Lincoln	113	Tuolumne	327
Pike	313	Little River	145	Ventura	4,945
Randolph	215	Logan	246	Yolo	683
Russell	1,022	Lonoke	470	Yuba	336
St. Clair	491	Madison	141	Colorado	36,114
Shelby	639	Marion	116	Adams	2,421
Sumter	330	Miller	682	Alamosa	204
Talladega	1,182	Mississippi	807	Arapahoe	4,631
Tallapoosa	401	Monroe	146	Archuleta	66
Tuscaloosa	1,465	Montgomery	90	Baca	7
Walker	948	Nevada	109	Benl	43
Washington	305	Newton	43	Boulder	2,589
Wilcox	92	Ouachita	396	Chaffee	133
Winston	313	Perry	87	Cheyenne	22
Alaska ¹	6,558	Phillips	332	Clear Creek	77
Aleutian Islands	89	Pike	95	Conejos	37
Anchorage, coext. with Anchorage city	3,281	Poinsett	250	Costilla	12
Bathel	111	Polk	202	Crowley	20
Bristol Bay borough	10	Pope	511	Custer	-
Dillingham	38	Prairie	114	Delta	229
Fairbanks North Star borough	967	Pulaski	4,630	Denver, coext. with Denver city	6,818
Haines borough	16	Randolph	235	Dolores	23
Juneau, coext. with Juneau city	304	St. Francis	314	Douglas	253
Kenai Peninsula borough	454	Saline	829	Eagle	238
Ketchikan Gateway borough	155	Scott	117	Elbert	43
Kobuk	43	Searcy	73	El Paso	4,840
Kodiak Island borough	149	Sebastian	1,525	Fremont	311
Matanuska-Susitna borough	337	Sevier	198	Garfield	354
Nome	47	Sharp	118	Gilpin	56
North Slope borough	45	Stone	121	Grand	120
Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan	27	Union	630	Gunnison	121
Sitka borough	93	Van Buren	136	Hinsdale	10
Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon	38	Washington	1,524	Huerfano	58
Southeast Fairbanks	72	White	706	Jackson	25
Valdez-Cordova	122	Woodruff	111	Jefferson	3,646
Wade Hampton	30	Yell	114		
Wrangell-Petersburg	70				
Yukon-Koyukuk	60				

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Table 1-49. Marriages: United States, Each State and County, 1983—Con.

[Data are counts of marriages performed supplied by States except as noted]

Area	Marriages	Area	Marriages	Area	Marriages
Colorado—Con.		Florida—Con.		Georgia—Con.	
Kiowa -----	21	Manatee -----	1,724	Gilmer -----	149
Kit Carson -----	71	Marion -----	1,738	Glascock -----	21
Lake -----	102	Martin -----	816	Glynn -----	781
La Plata -----	441	Monroe -----	1,079	Gordon -----	309
Larimer -----	1,865	Nassau -----	288	Grady -----	220
Las Animas -----	107	Okaloosa -----	1,818	Greene -----	92
Lincoln -----	46	Okeechobee -----	327	Gwinnett -----	2,261
Logan -----	216	Orange -----	6,958	Habersham -----	193
Mesa -----	1,013	Osceola -----	882	Hall -----	724
Mineral -----	11	Palm Beach -----	6,767	Hancock -----	52
Moffat -----	149				
Montezuma -----	201	Pasco -----	1,835	Haralson -----	272
Montrose -----	247	Pinellas -----	8,466	Harris -----	151
Morgan -----	240	Polk -----	4,394	Hart -----	141
Otero -----	251	Putnam -----	612	Heard -----	59
Ouray -----	35	St. Johns -----	708	Henry -----	375
Park -----	44	St. Lucia -----	1,014	Houston -----	1,043
Phillips -----	39	Santa Rosa -----	632	Irwin -----	90
Pitkin -----	272	Sarasota -----	2,421	Jackson -----	288
Prowers -----	150	Seminole -----	1,949	Jasper -----	53
		Sumter -----	248	Jeff Davis -----	164
Pueblo -----	1,150				
Rio Blanco -----	81	Suwannee -----	267	Jefferson -----	97
Rio Grande -----	109	Taylor -----	227	Jenkins -----	70
Routt -----	183	Union -----	77	Johnson -----	77
Saguache -----	24	Volusia -----	2,995	Jones -----	173
San Juan -----	11	Wakulla -----	186	Lamar -----	118
San Miguel -----	48	Walton -----	176	Lanier -----	67
Sedgwick -----	44	Washington -----	145	Laurens -----	364
Summit -----	224			Lee -----	145
Teller -----	86	Georgia -----	73,442	Liberty -----	689
Washington -----	36	Appling -----	183	Lincoln -----	36
Weld -----	1,105	Atkinson -----	86		
Yuma -----	85	Bacon -----	129	Long -----	63
Connecticut -----	26,844	Baker -----	29	Lowndes -----	1,464
Fairfield -----	6,839	Baldwin -----	361	Lumpkin -----	101
Hartford -----	6,949	Banks -----	48	McDuffie -----	187
Litchfield -----	1,418	Barrow -----	265	McIntosh -----	55
Middlesex -----	1,196	Barlow -----	509	Macon -----	114
New Haven -----	6,050	Ben Hill -----	224	Madison -----	178
New London -----	2,551	Berrien -----	217	Marion -----	40
Tolland -----	913			Meriwether -----	170
Windham -----	828	Bibb -----	1,643	Miller -----	33
Delaware -----	5,569	Blockley -----	97	Mitchell -----	184
Kent -----	1,182	Brantley -----	110	Monroe -----	144
New Castle -----	3,472	Brooks -----	159	Montgomery -----	67
Sussex -----	935	Bryan -----	81	Morgan -----	127
District of Columbia -----	5,436	Bulloch -----	294	Murray -----	229
Florida -----	118,965	Burke -----	123	Muscogee -----	2,395
Alachua -----	1,807	Butts -----	110	Newton -----	448
Baker -----	155	Calhoun -----	29	Oconee -----	130
Bay -----	1,591	Camden -----	2,277	Oglethorpe -----	84
Bradford -----	190			Paulding -----	302
Brevard -----	3,465	Candler -----	74		
Broward -----	10,503	Carroll -----	714	Peach -----	134
Calhoun -----	99	Catoosa -----	3,901	Pickens -----	131
Charlotte -----	633	Charlton -----	2,591	Pierce -----	128
Citrus -----	743	Chatham -----	2,076	Pike -----	87
Clay -----	734	Chattahoochee -----	88	Polk -----	365
Collier -----	1,224	Chattooga -----	178	Pulaski -----	101
Columbia -----	474	Cherokee -----	519	Putnam -----	111
Dade -----	20,200	Clarke -----	736	Quitman -----	11
De Soto -----	232	Clay -----	18	Rabun -----	76
Dixie -----	117	Clayton -----	2,300	Randolph -----	63
Duval -----	6,178	Clinch -----	61		
Escambia -----	3,437	Cobb -----	4,382	Richmond -----	1,518
Flagler -----	153	Coffee -----	350	Rockdale -----	484
Franklin -----	131	Colquitt -----	387	Schley -----	33
Gadsden -----	289	Columbia -----	309	Screven -----	86
		Cook -----	158	Seminole -----	1,342
Gilchrist -----	74	Coweta -----	457	Spalding -----	555
Glades -----	52	Crawford -----	72	Stephens -----	180
Gulf -----	121	Crisp -----	181	Stewart -----	46
Hamilton -----	62			Sumter -----	272
Hardee -----	242	Dade -----	1,846	Talbot -----	4
Hendry -----	389	Dawson -----	59	Taliaferro -----	9
Hernando -----	619	Decatur -----	345	Tattnall -----	179
Highlands -----	560	De Kalb -----	5,828	Taylor -----	79
Hillsborough -----	8,431	Dodge -----	162	Telfair -----	113
Holmes -----	129	Dooley -----	77	Terrell -----	81
		Dougherty -----	1,249	Thomas -----	534
Indian River -----	837	Douglas -----	731	Tift -----	410
Jackson -----	277	Early -----	76	Toombs -----	329
Jefferson -----	108	Echols -----	53	Towns -----	49
Lafayette -----	43			Treutlen -----	74
Lake -----	1,304	Effingham -----	147		
Lee -----	2,716	Elbert -----	152	Troup -----	622
Leon -----	1,700	Emanuel -----	252	Turner -----	79
Levy -----	234	Evans -----	105	Twiggs -----	72
Liberty -----	48	Fannin -----	138	Union -----	106
Madison -----	115	Fayette -----	329	Upson -----	286
		Floyd -----	843	Walker -----	425
		Forsyth -----	374	Walton -----	325
		Franklin -----	136	Ware -----	494
		Fulton -----	6,591	Warren -----	43
				Washington -----	172

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Table 1-49. Marriages: United States, Each State and County, 1983—Con.

[Data are counts of marriages performed supplied by States except as noted]

Area	Marriages	Area	Marriages	Area	Marriages
Georgia—Con.		Illinois—Con.		Indiana—Con.	
Wayne	284	Greene	167	Fayette	251
Webster	12	Grundy	283	Floyd	594
Wheeler	39	Hamilton	86	Fountain	181
White	131	Hancock	174	Franklin	141
Whitfield	590	Hardin	73	Fulton	183
Wilcox	58	Henderson	57	Gibson	293
Wilkes	81	Henry	474	Grant	721
Wilkinson	65	Iroquois	258	Greene	269
Worth	198	Jackson	513	Hamilton	765
		Jasper	114	Hancock	411
Hawaii	14,062			Harrison	271
Hawaii	1,141	Jefferson	436	Hendricks	656
Honolulu	9,818	Jersey	163	Henry	454
Kalawao	2	Jo Daviess	204	Howard	949
Kauai	1,342	Johnson	108	Huntington	340
Mau	1,756	Kane	2,948	Jackson	353
County not stated	3	Kankakee	897	Jasper	231
		Kendall	312	Jay	210
Idaho	13,421	Knox	593	Jefferson	281
Ada	1,857	Lake	4,803	Jennings	228
Adams	52	La Salle	1,010		
Bannock	651	Lawrence	210	Johnson	809
Bear Lake	52	Lee	332	Knox	439
Benewah	81	Livingston	395	Kosciusko	619
Bingham	281	Logan	305	Lagrange	241
Blelne	181	McDonough	332	Lake	4,239
Bolse	62	McHenry	1,354	La Porte	1,080
Bonner	282	McLean	1,053	Lawrence	467
Bonneville	1,385	Macon	1,230	Madison	1,450
		Macoupin	441	Marion	8,649
Boundary	116	Madison	2,429	Marshall	420
Butte	18	Marion	422	Martin	128
Camas	8	Marshall	145	Miami	388
Canyon	804	Mason	146	Monroe	1,003
Caribou	61	Massac	195	Montgomery	416
Cassia	163	Menard	92	Morgan	548
Clark	4	Mercer	184	Newton	121
Clearwater	98	Monroe	171	Noble	345
Custer	78	Montgomery	339	Ohio	52
Elmore	232	Morgan	349	Orange	230
		Moultrie	125	Owen	198
Franklin	43			Parke	158
Framont	83	Ogle	422	Perry	159
Gem	107	Peoria	1,967	Pike	121
Gooding	102	Perry	192	Porter	1,054
Idaho	135	Platt	148	Posey	257
Jefferson	76	Pike	136	Pulaski	130
Jerome	118	Pope	40	Putnam	307
Kootenai	3,850	Pulaski	64	Randolph	232
Latah	249	Putnam	48	Ripley	202
Lemhi	115	Randolph	333	Rush	195
		Richland	197		
Lewis	42	Rock Island	1,638	St. Joseph	2,196
Lincoln	28	St. Clair	2,331	Scott	201
Madison	100	Saline	342	Shelby	379
Minidoka	149	Sangamon	1,807	Spencer	164
Noz Perce	434	Schuyler	73	Starke	199
Onelda	19	Scott	49	Steuben	301
Owyhee	62	Shelby	216	Sullivan	249
Payette	258	Stark	54	Switzerland	65
Power	68	Stephenson	412	Tippecanoe	1,185
Shoshone	144	Tazewell	1,130	Tipton	179
Teton	31	Union	174	Union	63
Twin Falls	490	Vermilion	962	Vanderburgh	1,769
Valley	141	Wabash	177	Vermillion	161
Washington	111	Warren	194	Vigo	1,132
		Washington	134	Wabash	337
Illinois	103,800	Wayne	206	Warren	86
Adams	641	White	227	Warrick	362
Alexander	61	Whiteside	564	Washington	196
Bond	133	Will	2,424	Wayne	708
Boone	241	Williamson	612	Wells	245
Brown	62				
Bureau	356	Winnebago	2,605	White	215
Calhoun	39	Woodford	239	Whitley	254
Carroll	172				
Cass	121	Indiana	53,982	Iowa	26,769
Champaign	1,626	Adams	274	Adair	40
		Allen	2,682	Adams	38
Christian	345	Bartholomew	654	Allamakee	143
Clark	208	Benton	86	Appanoose	117
Clay	158	Blackford	149	Audubon	77
Clinton	288	Boone	388	Benton	129
Coles	482	Brown	216	Black Hawk	1,284
Cook	45,448	Carroll	152	Boone	221
Crawford	214	Cass	423	Bremer	238
Cumberland	90	Clark	1,038	Buchanan	206
De Kalb	594				
De Witt	165	Clay	233	Buena Vista	206
		Clinton	285	Butler	86
Douglas	252	Crawford	114	Calhoun	86
Du Page	6,052	Davless	259	Carroll	219
Edgar	264	Dearborn	326	Cass	172
Edwards	75	Decatur	204	Cedar	111
Efingham	343	De Kalb	311	Cerro Gordo	487
Fayette	189	Delaware	1,152	Cherokee	127
Ford	129	Dubois	364	Chickasaw	297
Franklin	497	Elkhart	1,589	Clarke	86
Fulton	369				
Gallatin	159				

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Table 1-49. Marriages: United States, Each State and County, 1983—Con.

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Area	Marriages	Area	Marriages	Area	Marriages
Iowa—Con.		Kansas—Con.		Kentucky*	37,422
Clay	186	Cherokee	179	Adair	133
Clayton	148	Cheyenne	31	Allen	107
Clinton	609	Clark	31	Anderson	145
Crawford	175	Clay	89	Ballard	116
Dallas	225	Cloud	126	Barren	312
Davis	63	Coffey	86	Bath	93
Decatur	73	Comanche	30	Bell	316
Delaware	178	Cowley	411	Boone	591
Des Moines	450	Crawford	286	Bourbon	172
Dickinson	134	Decatur	61	Boyd	650
Dubuque	875	Dickinson	223	Boyle	243
Emmet	102	Doniphan	91	Bracken	64
Fayette	160	Douglas	723	Breathitt	192
Floyd	169	Edwards	46	Breckinridge	101
Franklin	81	Elk	40	Bullitt	450
Fremont	77	Ellis	301	Butler	101
Greene	98	Ellsworth	54	Caldwell	146
Grundy	90	Finney	355	Calloway	307
Guthrie	73	Ford	345	Campbell	1,323
Hamilton	139	Franklin	206	Carlisle	42
Hancock	84	Geary	897	Carroll	149
Hardin	158	Gove	37	Carter	118
Harrison	132	Graham	34	Casey	---
Henry	162	Grant	80	Christian	629
Howard	89	Gray	50	Clark	388
Humboldt	92	Grealey	18	Clay	295
Ida	63	Greenwood	93	Clinton	88
Iowa	138	Hamilton	28	Crittenden	126
Jackson	183	Harper	69	Cumberland	59
Jasper	284	Harvey	339	Davless	888
Jefferson	182	Haskell	44	Edmonson	89
Johnson	945	Hodgeman	22	Elliott	56
Jones	145	Jackson	82	Estill	140
Keokuk	86	Jefferson	154	Fayette, coext. with Lexington-Fayette	2,345
Kossuth	174	Jewell	47	Fleming	104
Lee	414	Johnson	2,607	Floyd	311
Linn	1,604	Kearny	55	Franklin	511
Louisa	76	Kingman	84	Fulton	166
Lucas	97	Kiowa	27	Gallatin	56
Lyon	110	Labette	172	Garrard	105
Madison	106	Lane	18	Grant	144
Mahaska	229	Leavenworth	539	Graves	305
Marion	267	Lincoln	30	Grayson	214
Marshall	395	Linn	61	Green	119
Mills	141	Logan	32	Greenup	453
Mitchell	96	Lyon	420	Hancock	90
Monona	83	McPherson	289	Hardin	1,187
Monroe	81	Marion	121	Harlan	343
Montgomery	165	Marshall	126	Harrison	180
Muscatine	426	Meade	57	Hart	---
O'Brien	113	Miami	207	Henderson	564
Osceola	61	Mitchell	69	Henry	100
Page	149	Montgomery	423	Hickman	70
Palo Alto	80	Morris	69	Hopkins	486
Plymouth	199	Morton	38	Jackson	125
Pocahontas	74	Nemaha	107	Jefferson	7,454
Polk	3,437	Neosho	170	Jessamine	237
Pottawattamie	1,247	Ness	43	Johnson	244
Poweshiek	137	Norton	71	Kenton	1,806
Ringgold	45	Osage	186	Knott	106
Sac	76	Osborne	48	Knox	247
Scott	1,543	Ottawa	47	Lane	109
Shelby	141	Pawnee	81	Laurel	394
Sioux	186	Phillips	68	Lawrence	204
Story	656	Pottawatomie	118	Lee	82
Tama	126	Pratt	128	Leslie	125
Taylor	54	Rawlins	33	Letcher	81
Union	126	Reno	776	Lewis	164
Van Buren	54	Republic	74	Lincoln	173
Wapello	373	Rice	118	Livingston	76
Warren	269	Riley	570	Logan	191
Washington	178	Rooks	75	Lyon	88
Wayne	52	Rush	32	McCracken	808
Webster	414	Russell	80	McCreary	213
Winneshiek	135	Saline	659	McLean	90
Winneshiek	185	Scott	61	Madison	587
Woodbury	878	Sedgwick	4,764	Magoffin	149
Worth	66	Seward	270	Marion	144
Wright	141	Shawnee	1,647	Marshall	235
Kansas	25,877	Sheridan	37	Martin	---
Allen	140	Sherman	71	Mason	238
Anderson	88	Smith	55	Meade	190
Atchison	172	Stafford	63	Menifee	18
Barber	78	Stanton	21	Mercer	183
Barton	342	Stevens	52	Metcalfe	77
Bourbon	200	Sumner	277	Monroe	108
Brown	102	Thomas	96	Montgomery	232
Butler	397	Trego	31	Morgan	116
Chase	28	Wabauunsee	70	Muhlenberg	271
Chautauqua	69	Wallace	14	Nelson	268
		Washington	66		
		Wichita	26		
		Wilson	108		
		Woodson	40		
		Wyandotte	1,858		

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Area	Marriages	Area	Marriages	Area	Marriages
Kentucky⁴—Con.		Maine	12,480	Michigan—Con.	
Nicholas	64	Androscoggin	1,080	Houghton	304
Ohio	199	Aroostook	881	Huron	272
Oldham	240	Cumberland	2,487	Ingham	2,875
Owen	89	Franklin	317	Ionia	471
Owensley	64	Hancock	558	Iosco	321
Pandleton	98	Kennebec	1,141	Iron	140
Perry	300	Knox	462	Isabella	453
Pike	600	Lincoln	348	Jackson	1,227
Powell	133	Oxford	563	Kalamazoo	2,130
Pulaski	384	Penobscot	1,430	Kalkaska	130
Robertson	—			Kent	4,930
Rockcastle	147	Piscataquis	191	Keweenaw	17
Rowan	229	Sagadahoc	310	Lake	58
Russell	155	Somerset	487	Lapeer	618
Scott	285	Waldo	282	Leelanau	120
Shelby	257	Washington	317	Lenawee	774
Simpson	160	York	1,646	Livingston	855
Spencer	71			Luce	62
Taylor	223	Maryland	47,619	Mackinac	108
Todd	78			Macomb	6,764
Trigg	70	Allegany	1,116	Manistee	192
Trimble	61	Anne Arundel	4,044	Marquette	704
Union	193	Baltimore	8,223	Mason	238
Warren	—	Baltimore city	6,787	Mecosta	288
Washington	81	Calvert	286	Menominee	273
Wayne	115	Caroline	344	Midland	656
Webster	150	Carroll	1,024	Missaukee	88
Whitely	475	Cecil	3,402	Monroe	1,107
Wolfe	80	Charles	769	Montcalm	546
Woodford	199	Dorchester	270	Montmorency	54
County not stated	1				
Louisiana⁵	43,177	Frederick	1,325	Muskegon	1,516
Acadia	574	Garrett	930	Newaygo	382
Allen	225	Harford	1,463	Oakland	9,379
Ascension	583	Howard	1,360	Oceana	234
Assumption	202	Kent	159	Ogemaw	191
Avoyelles	375	Montgomery	7,131	Ontonagon	84
Beauregard	320	Prince George's	6,424	Osceola	193
Blenville	75	Queen Anne's	199	Oscoda	70
Bossier	1,103	St. Mary's	591	Otsego	172
Caddo	2,071	Somerset	164	Ottawa	1,496
Calcasieu	1,940				
Caldwell	131	Talbot	373	Presque Isle	91
Cameron	130	Washington	1,865	Roscommon	132
Catahoula	106	Wicomico	801	Saginaw	1,906
Clalborne	102	Worcester	559	St. Clair	1,242
Concordia	212			St. Joseph	581
De Soto	206	Massachusetts	48,789	Sanilac	321
East Baton Rouge	3,966	Barnstable	1,865	Schoolcraft	93
East Carroll	89	Berkshire	1,311	Shiawassee	628
East Feliciana	178	Bristol	4,029	Tuscola	492
Evangeline	347	Dukes	241	Van Buren	586
Franklin	227	Essex	5,729	Washtenaw	2,473
Grant	204	Franklin	564	Wayne	14,748
Iberia	683	Hampden	3,699	Wexford	271
Iberville	278	Hampshire	1,011		
Jackson	175	Middlesex	11,674	Minnesota	36,259
Jefferson	4,531	Nantucket	180	Aitkin	89
Jefferson Davis	376			Arioka	1,521
Lafayette	1,828	Norfolk	4,856	Becker	248
Lafourche	803	Plymouth	3,193	Beltrami	340
La Salle	170	Suffolk	4,924	Benton	86
Lincoln	328	Worcester	5,513	Big Stone	63
Livingston	828			Blue Earth	521
Madison	117	Michigan	78,910	Brown	265
Morehouse	262	Alcona	82	Carlton	262
Natchitoches	182	Alger	68	Carver	312
Orleans, coext. with New Orleans city	5,320	Allegan	766	Cass	119
Ouachita	1,342	Alpena	286	Chippewa	99
Plaquemines	271	Antrim	130	Chisago	189
Poinc Coupee	211	Arenac	133	Clay	576
Rapides	1,575	Baraga	57	Clearwater	97
Red River	108	Barry	413	Cook	43
Richland	192	Bay	1,044	Cottonwood	117
Sabine	187	Benzie	147	Crow Wing	428
St. Bernard	1,050			Dakota	779
St. Charles	405	Berrien	1,630	Dodge	113
St. Helena	141	Branch	409	Douglas	234
St. James	219	Calhoun	1,291	Faribault	111
St. John the Baptist	275	Cass	402	Fillmore	137
St. Landry	869	Charlevoix	220	Freeborn	304
St. Martin	367	Cheboygan	217	Goodhue	261
St. Mary	757	Chippewa	255	Grant	50
St. Tammany	1,276	Clare	228	Hennepin	10,842
Tangipahoa	816	Clinton	444	Houston	177
Tensas	41	Crawford	119	Hubbard	115
Terrebonne	1,051			Isanti	199
Union	55	Delta	372	Itasca	344
Vermilion	517	Dickinson	266	Jackson	102
Vernon	783	Eaton	739	Kanabec	100
Washington	452	Emmet	217	Kandiyohi	328
Webster	394	Genesee	4,165	Kittson	44
West Baton Rouge	176	Gladwin	184	Koochiching	136
West Carroll	119	Gogebic	183	Lac qui Parle	71
West Feliciana	97	Grand Traverse	682	Lake	97
Win	133	Gratiot	373	Lake of the Woods	39
County not stated	91	Hillsdale	345	Le Sueur	112

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Area	Marriages	Area	Marriages	Area	Marriages
Minnesota—Con.		Mississippi—Con.		Missouri—Con.	
Lincoln	59	Lee	684	Johnson	482
Lyon	232	Leflore	328	Knox	35
McLeod	241	Lincoln	330	Laclede	348
Mahnomen	49	Lowndes	528	Lafayette	268
Marshall	69	Madison	317	Lawrence	311
Martin	189	Marion	310	Lewis	68
Meeker	182	Marshall	257	Lincoln	240
Millie Lacs	151	Monroe	334	Linn	145
Morrison	273	Montgomery	136	Livingston	220
Mower	292	Neshoba	264	McDonald	173
Murray	68	Newton	180	Macon	144
Nicollet	145	Noxubee	97	Madison	130
Nobles	178	Okfuskeena	259	Marles	53
Norman	80	Panola	271	Marion	438
Olmsted	1,058	Pearl River	423	Mercer	52
Otter Tail	289	Perry	123	Miller	176
Pennington	118	Pike	430	Mississippi	233
Pine	135	Pontotoc	248	Moniteau	99
Pipestone	107	Prentiss	251	Monroe	79
Polk	342	Quitman	129	Montgomery	103
Pope	76	Rankin	682	Morgan	146
Ramsey	4,544	Scott	286	New Madrid	217
Red Lake	31	Sharkey	67	Newton	386
Redwood	147	Simpson	240	Nodaway	202
Renville	123	Smith	130	Oregon	103
Rice	354	Stone	128	Osage	73
Rock	89	Sunflower	253	Ozark	69
Roseau	109	Tallahatchie	150	Pemiscot	312
St. Louis	1,762	Tate	176	Perry	187
Scott	533	Tippah	230	Pettis	468
Sherburne	196	Tishomingo	252	Phelps	389
Sibley	92	Tunica	65	Pike	198
Stearns	1,129	Union	258	Platte	478
Steele	266	Walthall	128	Polk	197
Stevens	93	Warren	535	Pulaski	636
Swift	74	Washington	660	Putnam	89
Todd	140	Wayne	225	Rails	134
Traverse	35	Webster	100	Randolph	262
Wabasha	96	Wilkinson	155	Ray	194
Wadena	199	Winston	187	Reynolds	55
Waseca	140	Yalobusha	128	Ripley	163
Washington	761	Yazoo	234	St. Charles	1,588
Watsonwan	85	County not stated	1	St. Clair	61
Wilkin	70			St. Genevieve	123
Winona	357	Missouri	53,258	St. Francois	498
Wright	411	Adair	319	St. Louis	5,460
Yellow Medicine	60	Andrew	118	St. Louis city	8,573
		Atchison	149	Saline	252
		Audrain	248	Schuyler	81
		Barry	264	Scotland	87
		Barton	109	Scott	468
		Bates	121	Shannon	73
		Benton	102	Shelby	65
		Bollinger	86	Stoddard	352
		Boone	1,125	Stone	146
		Buchanan	1,084	Sullivan	46
		Butler	534	Taney	303
		Caldwell	71	Texas	214
		Callaway	275	Vernon	223
		Camden	303	Warren	185
		Cape Girardeau	738	Washington	173
		Carroll	83	Wayne	137
		Carter	78	Webster	203
		Cass	665	Worth	31
		Cedar	78	Wright	163
		Chariton	79	Montana	8,092
		Christian	229	Beaverhead	84
		Clark	137	Big Horn	91
		Clay	1,529	Blaine	45
		Clinton	118	Broadwater	33
		Cole	759	Carbon	107
		Cooper	154	Carter	13
		Crawford	154	Cascade	965
		Dade	63	Chouteau	43
		Dallas	126	Custer	142
				Daniels	19
		Davies	58	Dawson	94
		De Kalb	77	Deer Lodge, coext. with	
		Dent	154	Anaconda-Deer Lodge	109
		Douglas	148	Fallon	34
		Dunklin	510	Forgus	132
		Franklin	796	Flathead	620
		Gasconade	130	Gallatin	468
		Gentry	73	Garfield	12
		Greene	2,311	Glacier	95
		Grundy	110	Golden Valley	3
				Granite	21
		Harrison	115	Hill	166
		Henry	196	Jefferson	73
		Hickory	41	Judith Basin	19
		Holt	63	Lake	204
		Howard	62	Lewis and Clark	495
		Howell	397	Liberty	24
		Iron	100	Lincoln	170
		Jackson	7,547	McCone	15
		Jasper	997	Madison	51
		Jefferson	1,290	Meagher	22
Jasper	161				
Jefferson	64				
Jefferson Davis	110				
Jones	723				
Kemper	85				
Lafayette	262				
Lamar	216				
Lauderdale	829				
Lawrence	153				
Leake	182				

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Area	Marriages	Area	Marriages	Area	Marriages
North Carolina	52,128	North Carolina—Con.		Ohio ^{3A} —Con.	
Alamance	982	Vance	360	Hamilton	7,766
Alexander	184	Wake	2,568	Hancock	679
Alleghany	303	Wairon	139	Hardin	303
Anson	109	Washington	98	Harrison	124
Ashe	233	Watauga	357	Henry	263
Avery	184	Wayne	1,005	Highland	349
Beaufort	393	Wilkes	522	Hocking	236
Bertie	160	Wilson	618	Holmes	283
Bladen	147	Yadkin	251	Huron	569
Brunswick	278	Yancey	241	Jackson	370
		North Dakota	5,976		
Buncombe	1,637	Adams	24	Jefferson	708
Burke	526	Barnes	109	Knox	419
Cabarrus	731	Benson	52	Lake	1,994
Caldwell	628	Billings	7	Lawrence	536
Camden	45	Bottineau	61	Licking	1,304
Carteret	555	Bowman	39	Logan	429
Caswell	165	Burke	25	Lorain	2,365
Catawba	921	Burleigh	598	Lucas	---
Chatham	239	Cass	842	Madison	331
Cherokee	211	Cavaller	51	Madison	2,163
Chowan	100	Dickey	47	Marion	740
Clay	66	Divide	25	Medina	1,052
Cleveland	444	Dunn	40	Meigs	270
Columbus	211	Eddy	25	Mercer	402
Craven	834	Emmons	33	Miami	909
Cumberland	1,871	Foster	58	Monroe	150
Currituck	83	Golden Valley	22	Montgomery	8,082
Dare	277	Grand Forks	719	Morgan	121
Davidson	910	Grant	28	Morrow	242
Davie	204	Griggs	27	Muskingum	847
Duplin	312	Hettinger	31		
Durham	1,432	Kidder	25	Noble	108
Edgecombe	480	La Moure	29	Ottawa	341
Forsyth	2,356	Logan	26	Paulding	163
Franklin	278	McHenry	53	Perry	278
Gaston	958	McIntosh	14	Pickaway	408
Gates	54	McKenzie	48	Pike	232
Graham	101	McLean	76	Portage	1,320
Granville	258	Mercer	124	Preble	296
Greene	137	Morton	215	Putnam	313
				Richland	1,318
Gulford	3,207	Mountrail	61		
Halifax	469	Nelson	25	Ross	876
Harnett	345	Oliver	18	Sandusky	810
Haywood	518	Pembina	67	Scioto	741
Henderson	479	Pierce	46	Seneca	510
Hertford	203	Ramsey	106	Shelby	461
Hoke	100	Ransom	45	Stark	3,423
Hyde	62	Renville	29	Summit	5,075
Iredell	754	Richland	117	Trumbull	2,101
Jackson	207	Rolette	48	Tuscarawas	828
				Union	320
Johnston	618	Sargent	40		
Jones	72	Sheridan	12	Van Wert	352
Lee	293	Sioux	32	Vinton	126
Lenoir	529	Slope	2	Warren	1,078
Lincoln	311	Stark	275	Washington	610
McDowell	311	Steele	25	Wayne	949
Madison	257	Stutsman	220	Williams	430
Martin	128	Towner	34	Wood	860
Mecklenburg	2,907	Trail	62	Wyandot	171
		Walsh	143		
Mitchell	140	Ward	745		
Montgomery	174	Wells	63	Oklahoma	44,043
Moore	407	Williams	290	Adair	185
Nash	670			Alfalfa	59
New Hanover	977	Adams	231	Atoka	149
Northampton	123	Allen	1,057	Beaver	71
Onslow	1,648	Ashland	434	Beckham	262
Orange	591	Ashtabula	1,038	Blaine	128
Pamlico	90	Athens	578	Bryan	1,205
Pasquotank	1,815	Auglaize	361	Caddo	297
		Belmont	741	Canadian	569
Pender	213	Brown	279	Carter	763
Perquimans	77	Butler	3,045		
Person	258	Carroll	238	Cherokee	382
Pitt	813	Champaign	360	Choctaw	467
Polk	87	Clark	1,403	Cimarron	39
Randolph	784	Clermont	1,549	Cleveland	1,823
Richmond	202	Clinton	356	Coal	62
Robeson	337	Columbiana	1,133	Comanche	1,762
Rockingham	900	Coshocton	375	Cotton	43
Rowan	876	Crawford	449	Craig	107
		Cuyahoga	13,215	Creek	738
Rutherford	317	Darke	606	Custer	365
Sampson	308	Defiance	451		
Scotland	120	Delaware	466	Delaware	179
Stanly	326	Erie	738	Dewey	1
Stokes	299	Fairfield	853	Ellis	33
Surry	572	Fayette	300	Garfield	839
Swain	242	Franklin	10,580	Garvin	257
Transylvania	187	Fulton	352	Grady	379
Tyrrell	35	Gallia	305	Grant	54
Union	400	Geauga	685	Greer	53
		Greene	1,269	Harmon	32
		Guernsey	430	Harper	44

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Area	Marriages	Area	Marriages	Area	Marriages
Oklahoma—Con.		Pennsylvania—Con.		South Carolina—Con.	
Haskell	178	Cambria	1,296	Lee	140
Hughes	109	Cameron	61	Lexington	1,429
Jackson	375	Carbon	390	McCormick	109
Jefferson	96	Centre	857	Marion	320
Johnston	90	Chester	2,281	Marlboro	1,096
Key	667	Clarion	380	Newberry	280
Kingfisher	166	Clearfield	606	Oconee	1,556
Kiowa	101	Clinton	310	Orangeburg	763
Lattimer	87	Columbia	554	Pickens	945
Le Flore	738	Crawford	766	Richland	3,030
Lincoln	250	Cumberland	1,637	Saluda	145
Logan	327	Dauphin	1,963	Spartanburg	2,307
Lova	81	Delaware	5,612	Sumter	1,031
McClain	273	Elk	306	Union	280
McCurtain	657	Erie	2,534	Williamsburg	303
McIntosh	145	Fayette	1,098	York	4,594
Major	84	Forest	46	County not stated	7
Marshall	119	Franklin	728	South Dakota	
Mayer	287	Fulton	99		
Murray	107	Greene	328		
Muskogee	772	Huntingdon	364	Aurora	27
Noble	110	Indiana	640	Beadle	203
Nowata	104	Jefferson	454	Bennett	56
Okfuskee	85	Juniata	165	Bon Homme	58
Oklahoma	9,312	Lackawanna	1,627	Brookings	228
Okmulgee	439	Lancaster	3,131	Brown	362
Osage	132	Lawrence	1,114	Brule	51
Ottawa	4,782	Lebanon	924	Buffalo	2
Pawnee	166	Lehigh	2,140	Butte	92
Payne	704	Luzerna	2,468	Campbell	15
Pittsburg	532	Lycoming	1,082	Charles Mix	92
Pontotoc	425	McKean	459	Clark	26
Pottawatomie	647	Mercer	1,121	Clay	125
Pushmataha	78	Mifflin	390	Codrington	454
Roger Mills	29	Monroe	672	Corson	28
Rogers	458	Montgomery	5,790	Custer	88
Seminole	246	Montour	158	Davison	201
Sequoyah	460	Northampton	1,948	Day	87
Stephens	410	Northumberland	818	Deuel	47
Texas	222	Perry	311	Dewey	33
Tillman	86	Philadelphia, coext. with Philadelphia city	10,098	Douglas	54
Tulsa	6,348	Pike	158	Edmunds	49
Wagoner	306	Potter	178	Fall River	117
Washington	587	Schuylkill	1,161	Faulk	24
Washita	115	Snyder	301	Grant	171
Woods	134	Somerset	532	Gregory	48
Woodward	270	Sullivan	50	Haskon	24
Oregon		Susquehanna	331	Hamlin	31
		Tioga	382	Hand	35
Baker	119	Union	303	Hanson	21
Benton	508	Vanango	535	Harding	10
Clackamas	1,850	Warren	425	Hughes	250
Clatsop	351	Washington	1,496	Hutchinson	80
Columbia	243	Wayne	343	Hyde	9
Coco	542	Westmoreland	2,861	Jackson	22
Crook	140	Wyoming	226	Jerauld	34
Curry	182	York	2,350	Jones	19
Deschutes	562	County not stated	19	Kingsbury	56
Douglas	933	Rhode Island		Lake	91
Gilliam	20			Lawrence	295
Grant	68	Bristol	429	Lincoln	73
Harnay	63	Kent	1,294	Lyman	18
Hood River	153	Newport	994	McCook	53
Jackson	1,271	Providence	4,428	McPherson	35
Jefferson	128	Washington	908	Marshall	52
Josephine	564	South Carolina		Meado	157
Klamath	484			Mellette	22
Lake	73	Abbeville	232	Miner	32
Lane	2,391	Aiken	3,047	Minnehaha	1,441
Lincoln	427	Allendale	268	Moody	47
Linn	635	Anderson	1,535	Pennington	1,154
Malheur	202	Bamberg	159	Perkins	30
Marion	2,085	Barnwell	193	Potter	29
Morrow	67	Beaufort	966	Roberts	207
Multnomah	5,194	Berkeley	925	Sanborn	24
Polk	259	Calhoun	110	Shannon	11
Sherman	14	Charleston	4,079	Spink	59
Tillamook	205	Cherokee	2,249	Stanley	22
Umatilla	522	Chester	293	Sully	5
Union	199	Chesterfield	1,111	Todd	11
Wallowa	80	Clarendon	238	Tripp	83
Wasco	239	Colleton	334	Turner	75
Washington	1,797	Darlington	571	Union	311
Wheeler	11	Dillon	6,454	Walworth	68
Yamhill	465	Dorchester	717	Yankton	269
Pennsylvania		Edgefield	165	Ziebach	10
		Fairfield	164	Tennessee	
Adams	475	Florence	1,198		
Allegheny	10,847	Georgetown	499	Anderson	795
Armstrong	637	Greenville	3,804	Bedford	382
Beaver	1,294	Greenwood	615	Benton	161
Bedford	324	Hempston	157	Bledsoe	78
Berke	2,475	Horry	2,140	Blount	780
Blair	1,027	Jasper	1,285	Bradley	528
Bradford	602	Kershaw	451	Campbell	2,176
Bucks	3,982	Lancaster	877	Cannon	287
Butler	1,089	Laurens	522	Carroll	309
				Carter	533

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Area	Marriages	Area	Marriages	Area	Marriages
Tennessee—Con.		Texas—Con.		Texas—Con.	
Cheatham	197	Bastrop	296	Harris	32,030
Chester	149	Baylor	82	Harrison	1,454
Clairborne	716	Bee	348	Hartley	33
Clay	281	Bell	3,990	Haskell	88
Cooke	362	Bexar	13,813	Hays	568
Coffee	437	Blanco	63	Hemphill	76
Crockett	166	Borden	4	Henderson	629
Cumberland	411	Bosque	147	Hidalgo	3,688
Davidson	4,763	Bowie	991	Hill	290
Decatur	113	Brazoria	2,224	Hockley	276
De Kalb	213	Brazos	1,156	Hood	336
Dickson	368	Brewster	109	Hopkins	314
Dyer	453	Briscoe	24	Houston	216
Fayette	238	Brooks	100	Howard	483
Fentress	322	Brown	483	Hudspeth	23
Franklin	280	Burleson	156	Hunt	703
Gibson	570	Burnet	302	Hutchinson	345
Giles	244	Caldwell	226	Irion	12
Grainger	139	Calhoun	246	Jack	82
Greene	664	Callahan	123	Jackson	144
Grundy	128	Cameron	2,668	Jasper	410
Hamblen	653	Camp	95	Jeff Davis	22
Hamilton	2,297	Carson	76	Jefferson	3,052
Hancock	73	Cass	328	Jim Hogg	50
Hardeman	181	Castro	99	Jim Wells	374
Hardin	183	Chambers	552	Johnson	1,077
Hawkins	429	Cherokee	458	Jones	205
Haywood	224	Childress	102	Karnes	152
Henderson	264	Clay	123	Kaufman	828
Henry	308	Cochran	48	Kendall	133
Hickman	137	Coke	29	Kenedy	11
Houston	66	Coleman	110	Kent	6
Humphreys	133	Collin	1,811	Kerr	394
Jackson	181	Collingsworth	61	Kimble	37
Jefferson	325	Colorado	171	King	5
Johnson	159	Comal	591	Kinney	35
Knox	3,679	Comanche	138	Kleberg	439
Lake	102	Concho	23	Knox	52
Lauderdale	279	Cooke	1,276	Lamar	659
Lawrence	307	Coryell	546	Lamb	184
Lewis	134	Cottle	16	Lampasas	208
Lincoln	292	Crane	62	La Salle	64
Loudon	325	Crockett	58	Lavaca	123
McMinn	557	Crosby	66	Lee	138
McNairy	245	Culbertson	39	Leon	123
Macon	149	Dallam	86	Liberty	766
Madison	798	Dallas	21,181	Limestone	257
Marion	238	Dawson	154	Lipscomb	44
Marshall	320	Deaf Smith	250	Live Oak	90
Maury	475	Delta	45	Llano	143
Meigs	85	Denton	1,898	Loving	6
Monroe	345	De Witt	210	Lubbock	2,865
Montgomery	1,241	Dickens	29	Lynn	75
Moore	60	Dimmit	106	McCulloch	97
Morgan	197	Donley	38	McLennan	2,389
Obion	371	Duval	139	McMullen	15
Overton	219	Eastland	284	Madison	116
Perry	80	Ector	1,732	Marion	121
Pickett	146	Edwards	25	Martin	83
Polk	115	Ellis	825	Mason	46
Pulnam	515	El Paso	7,485	Matagorda	530
Rhea	289	Erath	289	Maverick	505
Roane	519	Falls	175	Medina	206
Robertson	3,742	Fannin	272	Menard	22
Rutherford	814	Fayette	218	Midland	1,347
Scott	257	Fisher	55	Milam	285
Sequatchie	71	Floyd	79	Mills	49
Sevier	1,049	Foard	22	Mitchell	120
Shelby	8,045	Fort Bend	2,072	Montague	190
Smith	155	Franklin	94	Montgomery	2,361
Stewart	94	Freestone	159	Moore	232
Sullivan	1,474	Frio	118	Morris	67
Sumner	1,431	Gaines	244	Motley	14
Tipton	518	Galveston	2,457	Nacogdoches	599
Trousdale	381	Garza	69	Navarro	431
Unicoi	141	Gillespie	201	Newton	171
Union	170	Glasscock	15	Nolan	259
Van Buren	46	Goliad	68	Nueces	3,657
Warren	334	Gonzales	167	Ochiltree	147
Washington	850	Gray	327	Oldham	21
Wayne	123	Grayson	1,363	Orange	1,488
Weakley	315	Gregg	1,692	Palo Pinto	368
White	198	Grimes	195	Panola	221
Williamson	530	Guadalupe	672	Parker	1,341
Wilson	576	Hale	349	Parmer	102
County not stated	10	Hall	46	Pecos	173
Texas	199,037	Hamilton	99	Polk	385
Anderson	472	Hansford	64	Potter	1,796
Andrews	193	Hardeman	70	Presidio	39
Angelina	845	Hardin	592	Rains	83
Aransas	272				
Archer	89				
Armstrong	18				
Atascosa	234				
Austin	248				
Bailey	93				
Bandera	128				

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Table 1-49. Marriages: United States, Each State and County, 1983—Con.

[Data are counts of marriages performed supplied by States except as noted]

Area	Marriages	Area	Marriages	Area	Marriages
Texas—Con.		Vermont -----		Virginia—Con.	
Randall -----	736	Addison -----	284	Mathews -----	74
Reagan -----	46	Bennington -----	432	Mecklenburg -----	233
Real -----	36	Caledonia -----	265	Middlesex -----	85
Red River -----	227	Chittenden -----	1,206	Montgomery -----	546
Reeves -----	195	Essex -----	42	Nelson -----	108
Refugio -----	88	Franklin -----	360	New Kent -----	52
Roberts -----	14	Grand Isle -----	68	Newport News city -----	1,935
Robertson -----	161	Lamoille -----	205	Norfolk city -----	3,635
Rockwall -----	1,302	Orange -----	253	Northampton -----	126
Runnels -----	149	Orleans -----	237	Northumberland -----	72
Rusk -----	454	Rutland -----	617	Norton city -----	79
Sabine -----	177	Washington -----	546	Nottoway -----	129
San Augustine -----	95	Windham -----	473	Orange -----	172
San Jacinto -----	164	Windsor -----	607	Page -----	199
San Patricio -----	520	Virginia -----	61,858	Patrick -----	145
San Saba -----	78	Accomack -----	175	Petersburg city -----	510
Schleicher -----	36	Albemarle -----	375	Pittsylvania -----	474
Scurry -----	236	Alexandria city -----	2,206	Poquoson city -----	56
Shackelford -----	54	Alleghany -----	82	Portsmouth city -----	1,063
Shelby -----	46	Amelia -----	94	Powhatan -----	123
Sherman -----	31	Amherst -----	270	Prince Edward -----	114
Smith -----	1,818	Appomattox -----	113	Prince George -----	210
Somervell -----	123	Arlington -----	2,674	Prince William -----	1,202
Starr -----	338	Augusta -----	394	Pulaski -----	307
Stephens -----	149	Bath -----	133	Radford city -----	120
Sterling -----	18	Bedford -----	363	Rappahannock -----	45
Stonewall -----	22	Bedford city -----	14	Richmond -----	52
Sutton -----	54	Bland -----	63	Richmond city -----	2,947
Swisher -----	104	Botetourt -----	186	Roanoke -----	580
Tarrant -----	11,502	Bristol city -----	361	Roanoke city -----	1,148
Taylor -----	1,786	Brunswick -----	129	Rockbridge -----	131
Terrell -----	19	Buchanan -----	728	Rockingham -----	513
Terry -----	166	Buckingham -----	99	Russell -----	420
Throckmorton -----	22	Buena Vista city -----	85	Salem city -----	253
Titus -----	269	Campbell -----	313	Scott -----	517
Tom Green -----	1,381	Caroline -----	136	Shenandoah -----	246
Travis -----	6,208	Carroll -----	222	Smyth -----	331
Trinity -----	155	Charles City -----	62	Southampton -----	119
Tyler -----	216	Charlottesville -----	94	South Boston city -----	71
Upshur -----	309	Charlottesville city -----	595	Spotsylvania -----	278
Upton -----	69	Chesapeake city -----	899	Stafford -----	287
Uvalde -----	279	Chesterfield -----	1,115	Staunton city -----	296
Val Verde -----	566	Clarke -----	81	Suffolk city -----	418
Van Zandt -----	355	Clifton Forge city -----	233	Surry -----	41
Victoria -----	883	Colonial Heights city -----	293	Sussex -----	65
Walker -----	479	Covington city -----	264	Tazewell -----	616
Wallis -----	232	Craig -----	33	Virginia Beach city -----	3,221
Ward -----	180	Culpeper -----	201	Warren -----	209
Washington -----	268	Cumberland -----	47	Washington -----	454
Webb -----	1,232	Danville city -----	536	Waynesboro city -----	209
Wharton -----	412	Dickenson -----	1,681	Westmoreland -----	98
Wheeler -----	228	Dinwiddie -----	145	Williamsburg city -----	490
Wichita -----	2,569	Emporia city -----	265	Winchester city -----	1,713
Wilbarger -----	423	Essex -----	51	Wise -----	973
Willacy -----	180	Fairfax -----	4,437	Wythe -----	261
Williamson -----	888	Fairfax city -----	922	York -----	242
Wilson -----	144	Falls Church city -----	375	County not stated -----	98
Winkler -----	137	Fauquier -----	397	Washington -----	46,294
Wise -----	338	Floyd -----	103	Adams -----	126
Wood -----	345	Fluvanna -----	64	Asotin -----	137
Yoakum -----	99	Franklin -----	252	Benton -----	1,234
Young -----	240	Franklin city -----	76	Chelan -----	648
Zapata -----	83	Frederick -----	257	Challan -----	583
Zavala -----	125	Fredericksburg city -----	300	Clark -----	3,879
County not stated -----	143	Galax city -----	52	Columbia -----	38
Utah -----	18,437	Giles -----	1,505	Cowlitz -----	836
Beaver -----	39	Gloucester -----	191	Douglas -----	169
Box Elder -----	331	Goochland -----	114	Ferry -----	32
Cache -----	978	Grayson -----	146	Franklin -----	260
Carbon -----	240	Greene -----	58	Garfield -----	22
Daggett -----	22	Greensville -----	41	Grant -----	419
Davis -----	1,005	Halifax -----	257	Grays Harbor -----	657
Duchesne -----	127	Hampton city -----	1,247	Island -----	496
Emery -----	71	Hanover -----	436	Jefferson -----	226
Garfield -----	29	Harrisonburg city -----	231	King -----	14,176
Grand -----	114	Henrico -----	1,324	Kitsap -----	1,883
Iron -----	185	Henry -----	434	Kittitas -----	226
Juab -----	52	Highland -----	25	Klickitat -----	184
Kane -----	65	Hopewell city -----	278	Lewis -----	648
Millard -----	81	Isle of Wight -----	160	Lincoln -----	66
Morgan -----	29	James City -----	119	Mason -----	316
Plute -----	11	King and Queen -----	37	Okanogan -----	323
Rich -----	36	King George -----	81	Pacific -----	253
Salt Lake -----	8,174	King William -----	79	Pend Oreille -----	91
San Juan -----	97	Lancaster -----	84	Pierce -----	5,731
Sanpete -----	138	Lee -----	312	San Juan -----	161
Sevier -----	174	Lexington city -----	88	Skagit -----	837
Summit -----	130	Loudoun -----	550	Skamania -----	118
Tooele -----	257	Louisa -----	165	Snohomish -----	3,260
Uintah -----	312	Lunenburg -----	96	Spokane -----	3,128
Utah -----	2,955	Lynchburg city -----	775	Stevens -----	202
Wasatch -----	105	Madison -----	88	Thurston -----	1,368
Washington -----	538	Manassas city -----	459	Wahkiakum -----	41
Wayne -----	16	Manassas Park city -----	3	Walla Walla -----	578
Weber -----	2,126	Marlinsville city -----	317	Whatcom -----	1,072
				Whitman -----	180
				Yakima -----	1,690

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Table 1-49. Marriages: United States, Each State and County, 1983—Con.

[Data are counts of marriages performed supplied by States except as noted]

Area	Marriages	Area	Marriages	Area	Marriages
West Virginia	15,930	Wisconsin	40,752	Wisconsin—Con.	
Barbour	147	Adams	125	Price	138
Berkeley	304	Ashland	164	Racine	1,481
Boone	276	Barron	383	Richland	186
Braxton	160	Bayfield	122	Rock	1,310
Brooke	212	Brown	1,683	Rusk	144
Cabell	975	Buffalo	117	St. Croix	451
Calhoun	85	Burnett	113	Sauk	424
Clay	128	Calumet	189	Sawyer	110
Doddridge	76	Chippewa	443	Shawano	279
Fayette	432	Clark	245	Sheboygan	844
Gilmer	59				
Grant	70	Columbia	456	Taylor	171
Greenbrier	243	Crawford	157	Trempealeau	208
Hampshire	88	Dane	2,900	Vernon	205
Hancock	346	Dodge	592	Vilas	181
Hardy	87	Door	272	Walworth	695
Harrison	655	Douglas	354	Washburn	134
Jackson	220	Dunn	228	Washington	651
Jefferson	229	Eau Claire	724	Waukesha	2,313
Kanawha	2,188	Florence	28	Waupaca	484
Lewis	190	Fond du Lac	759	Waushara	151
Lincoln	216				
Logan	476	Forest	99	Winnepago	1,123
McDowell	246	Grant	450	Wood	716
Marion	483	Green	288		
Marshall	357	Green Lake	182	Wyoming	6,201
Mason	225	Iowa	192	Albany	304
Mercer	456	Iron	70	Big Horn	101
Mineral	153	Jackson	162	Campbell	348
Mingo	293	Jefferson	555	Carbon	242
Monongalia	573	Juneau	196	Converse	168
Monroe	84	Kenosha	1,113	Crook	58
Morgan	89			Fremont	399
Nicholas	236	Kewaunee	134	Goshen	250
Ohio	525	La Crosse	797	Hot Springs	83
Pendleton	68	Lafayette	129	Johnson	86
Pleasant	75	Langlade	197		
Pocahontas	86	Lincoln	225	Laramie	1,040
Preston	148	Manitowoc	583	Lincoln	125
Putnam	317	Marathon	884	Natrona	856
Raleigh	651	Marquette	350	Nebraska	33
Randolph	278	Marquette	93	Park	391
Richie	95	Menominee	24	Platte	108
Roane	133			Sheridan	401
Summers	92	Milwaukee	7,778	Sublette	55
Taylor	116	Monroe	335	Sweetwater	388
Tucker	76	Oconto	265	Tetori	413
Tyler	87	Oneida	326		
Upshur	254	Outagamie	1,271	Uta	153
Wayne	293	Ozaukee	559	Washakie	113
Webster	94	Pepin	84	Weston	91
Wetzel	208	Pierce	203	County not stated	14
Wirt	44	Polk	294		
Wood	1,000	Portage	475		
Wyoming	273				

1 Areas shown are census divisions, the nearest equivalent to counties.

2 Includes data for La Paz county.

3 Data are county where marriage license was issued and marriage certificate was filed, not necessarily county where marriage occurred.

4 Data are incomplete.

5 Divisions are parishes.

6 Data are premarital health examination forms issued, see Technical Appendix.

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Sampling Variability of the Divorce Statistics

In the tables which present statistics based on data from probability samples of divorce records, small frequencies have high sampling variability, which limits their usefulness. The sampling errors are shown in table 4-8 in the Technical Appendix. It is suggested that any number smaller than those shown below be interpreted simply as "small" rather than any more precise value. The true number would very probably be within 60 percent of the figure shown below. Figures for States shown as "zero" indicate that all records were tabulated and thus data are not subject to sampling variability.

Divorce-registration area.....	55	Missouri	0
		Montana.....	15
		Nebraska.....	0
Alabama.....	100	New Hampshire.....	0
Alaska.....	0	New York.....	0
Connecticut.....	15	Ohio.....	225
Delaware.....	0	Oregon.....	50
Georgia.....	100	Pennsylvania.....	100
Hawaii.....	15	Rhode Island.....	0
Idaho.....	15	South Carolina.....	0
Illinois.....	0	South Dakota.....	0
Iowa.....	15	Tennessee.....	100
Kansas.....	50	Utah.....	15
Kentucky.....	50	Vermont.....	0
Maryland.....	50	Virginia.....	0
Massachusetts.....	50	Wisconsin.....	50
Michigan.....	100	Wyoming.....	0

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Table 2-1. Estimated Number of Divorces and Annulments and Rates, With Percent Changes From Preceding Year: United States, 1920-83

Year	Number	Percent change	Rate per 1,000 total population	Percent change	Rate per 1,000 married women 15 years of age and over	Percent change	Year	Number	Percent change	Rate per 1,000 total population	Percent change	Rate per 1,000 married women 15 years of age and over	Percent change
1983	1,158,000	-1.0	4.9	-2.0	21.3	-1.8	1951	381,000	-1.1	2.5	-3.8	9.9	-3.9
1982	1,170,000	-3.5	5.0	-5.7	21.7	-4.0	1950	385,144	-3.0	2.6	-3.7	10.3	-2.8
1981	1,213,000	+2.0	5.3	+1.9	22.6	-	1949	397,000	-2.7	2.7	-3.6	10.6	-5.4
1980	1,189,000	+0.7	5.2	-1.9	22.6	-0.9	1948	408,000	-15.5	2.8	-17.6	11.2	-17.6
1979	1,181,000	+4.5	5.3	+3.9	22.8	+4.1	1947	483,000	-20.8	3.4	-20.9	13.6	-24.0
1978	1,130,000	+3.6	5.1	+2.0	21.9	+3.8	1946	610,000	+25.8	4.3	+22.9	17.9	+24.3
1977	1,091,000	+0.7	5.0	-	21.1	-	1945	485,000	+21.3	3.5	+20.7	14.4	+20.0
1976	1,083,000	+4.5	5.0	+4.2	21.1	+3.9	1944	400,000	+11.4	2.9	+11.5	12.0	+9.1
1975	1,036,000	+6.0	4.8	+4.3	20.3	+5.2	1943	359,000	+11.8	2.6	+8.3	11.0	+8.9
1974	977,000	+6.8	4.6	+7.0	19.3	+6.0	1942	321,000	+9.6	2.4	+9.1	10.1	+7.4
1973	915,000	+8.3	4.3	+7.5	18.2	+7.1	1941	293,000	+11.0	2.2	+10.0	9.4	+6.8
1972	845,000	+9.3	4.0	+8.1	17.0	+7.6	1940	284,000	+5.2	2.0	+5.3	8.8	+3.5
1971	773,000	+9.2	3.7	+5.7	15.8	+6.0	1939	251,000	+2.9	1.9	-	8.5	+1.2
1970	708,000	+10.8	3.5	+9.4	14.9	+11.2	1938	244,000	-2.0	1.9	-	8.4	-3.4
1969	639,000	+9.4	3.2	+10.3	13.4	+7.2	1937	249,000	+5.5	1.9	+5.6	8.7	+4.8
1968	584,000	+11.7	2.9	+11.5	12.5	+11.8	1936	236,000	+8.3	1.8	+5.9	8.3	+6.4
1967	523,000	+4.8	2.6	+4.0	11.2	+2.8	1935	218,000	+6.9	1.7	+6.3	7.8	+4.0
1966	499,000	+4.2	2.5	-	10.9	+2.8	1934	204,000	+23.6	1.6	+23.1	7.5	+23.0
1965	479,000	+6.4	2.5	+4.2	10.6	+6.0	1933	165,000	+0.6	1.3	-	6.1	-
1964	450,000	+5.1	2.4	+4.3	10.0	+4.2	1932	164,241	-12.6	1.3	-13.3	6.1	-14.1
1963	428,000	+3.6	2.3	+4.5	9.6	+2.1	1931	188,003	-4.1	1.5	-6.2	7.1	-5.3
1962	413,000	-0.2	2.2	-4.3	9.4	-2.1	1930	195,961	-4.8	1.6	-5.9	7.5	-6.2
1961	414,000	+5.3	2.3	+4.5	9.6	+4.3	1929	205,876	+2.8	1.7	-	8.0	+2.6
1960	393,000	-0.5	2.2	-	9.2	-1.1	1928	200,176	+2.0	1.7	+6.3	7.8	-
1959	395,000	+7.3	2.2	+4.8	9.3	+4.5	1927	196,292	+6.3	1.6	-	7.8	+4.0
1958	368,000	-3.4	2.1	-4.5	8.9	-3.3	1926	184,678	+5.3	1.6	+6.7	7.5	+4.2
1957	381,000	-0.3	2.2	-4.3	9.2	-2.1	1925	175,449	+2.6	1.5	-	7.2	-
1956	382,000	+1.3	2.3	-	9.4	+1.1	1924	170,952	+3.5	1.5	-	7.2	+1.4
1955	377,000	-0.6	2.3	-4.2	9.3	-2.1	1923	165,086	+10.9	1.5	+7.1	7.1	+7.6
1954	379,000	-2.8	2.4	-4.0	9.5	-4.0	1922	148,815	-8.7	1.4	-6.7	6.8	-8.3
1953	390,000	-0.5	2.5	-	9.9	-2.0	1921	159,580	-6.4	1.5	-6.2	7.2	-10.0
1952	392,000	+2.9	2.5	-	10.1	+2.0	1920	170,505	...	1.6	...	8.0	...

Table 2-2. Divorces and Annulments and Rates, With Percent Changes From Preceding Year: Divorce-Registration Area, 1958-83

[Figures for the divorce-registration area differ from those shown in tables based on sample data. For a description of the divorce-registration area see Technical Appendix. Rates per 1,000 population residing in area]

Year	Number	Percent change	Rate	Percent change	Year	Number	Percent change	Rate	Percent change
1983	573,331	-0.7	4.4	-2.2	1970	432,475	14.4	3.3	13.8
1982	577,271	-3.8	4.5	-4.3	1969	378,140	+19.5	2.9	-
1981	599,978	+2.3	4.7	+2.2	1968	316,393	+69.6	2.9	+16.0
1980	586,436	-0.5	4.6	-	1967	186,556	+7.8	2.5	+4.2
1979	589,552	+9.1	4.6	+2.2	1966	173,124	+5.2	2.4	+4.3
1978	540,487	-17.7	4.5	-2.2	1965	164,561	+2.4	2.3	-
1977	656,618	-0.1	4.6	-2.1	1964	180,772	+4.5	2.3	+4.5
1976	657,416	+5.0	4.7	+4.4	1963	153,780	+4.5	2.2	+4.8
1975	625,825	+6.3	4.5	+4.7	1962	147,108	+17.5	2.1	-
1974	588,540	+6.2	4.3	+7.5	1961	125,225	+33.1	2.1	-
1973	554,095	+8.8	4.0	+8.1	1960	94,074	+2.7	2.1	-
1972	509,214	+9.0	3.7	+8.8	1959	91,624	+24.4	2.1	+10.5
1971	467,179	+8.0	3.4	+3.0	1958	73,676	...	1.9	...

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Table 2-3. Divorces and Annulments and Rates: United States, Each Region, Division, and State, 1979-83

[Data are counts of decrees granted supplied by States except as noted. Rates per 1,000 population in each area]

Region, division, and State	Number					Rate				
	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979
United States-----	1,158,000	1,170,000	1,213,000	1,189,000	1,181,000	4.9	15.0	15.3	5.2	5.3
Regions:										
Northeast-----	178,000	182,000	180,000	174,000	177,000	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.5	3.6
Midwest ² -----	266,000	272,000	289,000	292,000	293,000	4.6	4.6	4.9	5.0	5.0
South-----	444,000	445,000	1,465,000	449,000	439,000	5.6	5.7	16.1	6.0	5.9
West-----	268,000	1271,000	1279,000	274,000	272,000	5.8	16.0	16.3	6.3	6.4
Northeast:										
New England-----	47,364	49,491	50,430	49,049	48,985	3.8	4.0	4.1	4.0	4.0
Middle Atlantic-----	130,951	132,300	129,798	124,690	127,768	3.5	3.6	3.5	3.4	3.5
Midwest ² :										
East North Central-----	³ 192,889	³ 195,800	³ 206,946	212,405	214,741	³ 4.7	³ 4.7	³ 5.0	5.1	5.2
West North Central-----	74,642	75,891	82,153	79,625	77,792	4.3	4.4	4.8	4.6	4.6
South:										
South Atlantic-----	206,175	206,548	213,930	206,344	202,430	5.3	5.4	5.7	5.6	5.5
East South Central ⁴ -----	84,966	83,583	88,716	87,528	85,913	5.7	5.6	6.0	6.0	5.9
West South Central ⁴ -----	152,701	154,674	160,749	155,025	150,705	5.9	6.1	*	6.5	6.5
West:										
Mountain-----	87,886	³ 83,334	³ 89,432	86,088	80,905	7.1	*	*	7.6	7.3
Pacific-----	179,709	185,833	188,576	187,900	190,838	5.3	5.6	5.8	5.9	6.1
New England:										
Maine-----	5,955	5,819	6,364	6,205	6,170	5.2	5.1	5.6	5.5	5.5
New Hampshire-----	4,805	5,045	5,248	5,254	5,245	5.0	5.3	5.6	5.7	5.8
Vermont-----	2,576	2,615	2,263	2,623	2,292	4.9	5.0	4.4	5.1	4.5
Massachusetts-----	18,477	19,531	19,502	17,873	17,524	3.2	3.4	3.4	3.1	3.0
Rhode Island-----	3,525	3,619	3,413	3,606	3,610	3.7	3.8	3.6	3.8	3.8
Connecticut-----	12,027	12,862	13,640	13,488	14,144	3.8	4.1	4.3	4.3	4.6
Middle Atlantic:										
New York-----	64,160	63,241	63,359	61,972	64,420	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.7
New Jersey-----	26,641	27,779	27,597	27,796	23,540	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.2
Pennsylvania-----	40,150	41,280	38,842	34,922	39,808	3.4	3.5	3.3	2.9	3.4
East North Central:										
Ohio-----	³ 54,111	³ 53,315	³ 58,587	58,809	59,548	³ 5.0	³ 4.9	³ 5.4	5.4	5.5
Indiana ⁴ -----	33,898	35,780	34,962	40,006	41,777	6.2	6.5	6.4	7.3	7.6
Illinois-----	50,388	49,639	51,769	50,997	52,133	4.4	4.3	4.5	4.5	4.6
Michigan-----	37,991	39,738	43,167	45,047	44,109	4.2	4.4	4.7	4.9	4.8
Wisconsin-----	16,501	17,327	16,461	17,546	17,174	3.5	3.7	3.9	3.7	3.7
West North Central:										
Minnesota-----	14,817	15,177	16,510	15,371	⁵ 14,853	3.6	3.7	4.0	3.8	⁵ 3.7
Iowa-----	10,588	10,868	12,071	11,854	11,426	3.6	3.7	4.1	4.1	3.9
Missouri-----	25,904	26,292	27,975	27,595	27,719	5.2	5.3	5.7	5.6	5.7
North Dakota-----	2,336	2,198	2,319	2,142	2,094	3.4	3.3	3.5	3.3	3.2
South Dakota-----	2,556	2,564	2,772	2,811	2,665	3.7	3.7	4.0	4.1	3.9
Nebraska-----	6,234	6,400	6,769	6,442	6,266	3.9	4.0	4.3	4.1	4.0
Kansas-----	12,207	12,392	13,737	13,410	12,749	5.0	5.1	5.8	5.7	5.4
South Atlantic:										
Delaware-----	3,060	3,213	2,996	2,313	3,110	5.0	5.4	5.0	3.9	6.2
Maryland-----	16,273	16,083	17,150	17,494	16,927	3.8	3.8	4.0	4.1	4.0
District of Columbia-----	3,051	3,545	3,896	4,682	4,488	4.9	5.7	6.2	7.3	8.8
Virginia-----	25,482	26,138	25,103	23,615	23,555	4.6	4.8	4.8	4.4	4.4
West Virginia-----	10,113	10,198	10,748	10,273	10,046	5.2	5.2	5.5	5.3	5.2
North Carolina-----	30,089	29,614	29,593	28,050	27,445	5.0	4.9	5.0	4.8	4.7
South Carolina-----	13,601	13,600	13,974	13,595	13,747	4.2	4.2	4.4	4.4	4.5
Georgia-----	33,270	33,128	35,205	34,743	33,405	5.8	5.9	6.3	6.4	6.2
Florida-----	71,226	71,029	75,265	71,579	69,707	6.6	6.8	7.4	7.3	7.4
East South Central:										
Kentucky ⁴ -----	16,985	16,213	16,671	16,731	16,016	4.6	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.4
Tennessee-----	29,355	29,599	31,072	30,208	29,718	6.3	6.4	6.7	6.6	6.6
Alabama-----	25,190	24,910	26,791	26,745	26,549	6.4	6.3	6.8	6.9	6.9
Mississippi-----	13,436	12,861	14,182	13,846	⁵ 13,632	5.2	5.0	5.6	5.5	⁵ 5.4
West South Central:										
Arkansas-----	³ 15,681	³ 15,739	16,492	³ 15,882	³ 20,313	³ 6.7	³ 6.8	7.2	³ 6.9	³ 6.9
Louisiana ⁴ -----	16,204	16,765	17,397	18,108	15,170	3.6	3.8	*	4.3	3.7
Oklahoma-----	23,755	23,926	25,004	24,226	22,823	7.2	7.4	8.1	8.0	7.7
Texas-----	97,061	98,244	101,856	96,809	92,399	6.2	6.4	6.9	6.8	6.7
Mountain:										
Montana-----	4,561	4,612	5,004	4,940	5,107	5.6	5.7	6.3	6.3	6.5
Idaho-----	6,178	6,186	6,728	6,596	6,449	6.3	6.3	7.0	7.0	6.9
Wyoming-----	3,976	3,961	4,145	4,003	3,510	7.7	7.8	8.5	8.5	7.8
Colorado-----	19,409	18,710	19,515	18,571	16,498	6.2	6.1	6.6	6.4	5.8
New Mexico-----	11,922	³ 48,101	³ 410,219	10,426	9,978	8.5	*	*	8.0	7.8
Arizona-----	19,875	20,259	20,819	19,908	19,982	6.7	7.0	7.5	7.3	7.6
Utah-----	8,525	8,413	8,077	7,802	7,594	5.3	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.4
Nevada-----	13,438	13,092	14,925	13,842	11,787	15.0	14.9	17.6	17.3	16.4
Pacific:										
Washington-----	27,503	27,980	29,511	28,642	27,030	6.4	6.5	7.0	6.9	6.7
Oregon-----	16,173	16,792	17,777	17,762	17,584	6.1	6.3	6.7	6.7	6.8
California-----	127,532	133,367	133,578	133,541	137,683	5.1	5.4	5.5	5.6	5.9
Alaska-----	3,918	3,461	3,457	3,517	3,486	8.1	7.8	8.3	8.3	8.7
Hawaii-----	4,583	4,233	4,253	4,438	5,055	4.5	4.2	4.3	4.6	5.3

¹ Figures include estimates.² Formerly the North Central Region.³ Data are incomplete.⁴ Data include divorce petitions filed for some counties.⁵ Data are estimated.⁶ Revised data have been received in NCHS; see Technical Appendix.

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Table 2-4. Reported Annulments and Percent of Total Divorces and Annulments: United States and Each State, 1979-83

[Data are counts of decrees granted supplied by States]

Region, division, and State	Number					Percent of total divorces and annulments				
	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979
United States ¹	6,904	7,392	8,461	9,210	8,741	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.8
New England:										
Maine	11	15	13	16	12	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2
New Hampshire	29	13	13	15	13	0.6	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2
Vermont	6	6	6	6	10	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.4
Massachusetts	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Rhode Island ²	---	7	12	13	7	---	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.2
Connecticut	---	---	---	---	31	---	---	---	---	0.2
Middle Atlantic:										
New York	802	869	983	995	1,103	1.3	1.4	1.6	1.6	1.7
New Jersey	374	409	441	439	347	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.5
Pennsylvania	47	60	69	69	77	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2
East North Central:										
Ohio	140	142	118	148	129	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2
Indiana	24	39	57	97	28	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1
Illinois	243	276	253	269	301	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.6
Michigan	108	118	162	175	119	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3
Wisconsin	128	142	126	127	133	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.8
West North Central:										
Minnesota	21	27	25	40	---	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.3	---
Iowa	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Missouri	18	20	29	33	36	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
North Dakota	15	9	9	8	9	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
South Dakota	---	---	33	36	27	---	---	1.2	1.3	1.0
Nebraska	82	43	56	74	86	1.0	0.7	0.8	1.1	1.0
Kansas	253	253	253	231	223	2.1	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.7
South Atlantic:										
Delaware	7	10	9	5	5	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2
Maryland	51	47	67	56	48	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3
District of Columbia	---	---	---	24	13	---	---	---	0.5	0.3
Virginia	94	106	111	117	119	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5
West Virginia	32	34	44	34	42	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4
North Carolina	153	196	147	160	145	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.5
South Carolina	231	252	270	247	282	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.8	2.1
Georgia	55	69	51	376	170	0.2	0.2	0.1	1.1	0.5
Florida	208	209	225	213	206	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
East South Central:										
Kentucky	51	32	42	47	29	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2
Tennessee	104	97	104	119	108	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4
Alabama	140	119	146	157	164	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6
Mississippi	30	23	23	26	36	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3
West South Central:										
Arkansas	---	77	78	79	85	---	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4
Louisiana	14	24	20	33	25	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2
Oklahoma	181	258	224	258	259	0.8	1.1	0.9	1.1	1.1
Texas	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mountain:										
Montana	83	82	82	98	118	1.8	1.8	1.6	2.0	2.3
Idaho	50	52	42	37	42	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.7
Wyoming	12	4	11	10	12	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.3
Colorado	89	75	63	75	94	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.6
New Mexico	99	35	34	41	37	0.8	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4
Arizona ³	---	101	111	74	110	---	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.6
Utah	---	---	254	333	288	---	---	3.1	4.3	3.8
Nevada	294	---	370	347	273	2.2	---	2.5	2.5	2.3
Pacific:										
Washington	51	148	172	266	139	0.2	0.5	0.6	0.9	0.5
Oregon	139	140	146	143	163	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9
California	2,445	2,743	2,936	3,024	3,055	1.9	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.2
Alaska	---	---	4	6	3	---	---	0.1	0.2	0.1
Hawaii	10	11	18	14	---	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.3	---

¹Data are incomplete; percents computed for total of reporting States.²Annulments are not granted in Rhode Island; decrees listed are void marriages.³Data are incomplete.

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Table 2-5. Divorce Rates by Age of Men and Women at Time of Decree: Divorce-Registration Area, 1982-83

[Based on sample data. Rates per 1,000 married population in specified group. Figures exclude data for Michigan, Ohio, and South Dakota. Figures for age not stated were distributed before calculation of rates]

Age at time of decree	Men		Women	
	1983	1982	1983	1982
All ages	19.3	19.4	18.9	18.0
15-19 years ¹	43.3	34.9	48.1	45.8
20-24 years	45.2	47.0	43.3	44.5
25-29 years	40.0	40.3	35.7	36.9
30-34 years	32.4	32.4	27.7	28.5
35-39 years	27.3	27.0	23.8	22.9
40-44 years	21.5	21.8	18.2	17.7
45-49 years	15.9	15.3	12.1	11.8
50-54 years	10.7	10.1	7.3	6.8
55-59 years	6.2	6.1	4.1	4.0
60-64 years	3.9	3.8	2.8	2.7
65 years and over	2.0	1.9	1.5	1.4

¹Includes divorces of persons under 15 years of age.

Table 2-6. Median and Mean Ages of Divorced Husband and Wife at Time of Decree and at Time of Marriage: Divorce-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area	Median age of husband		Median age of wife		Mean age of husband		Mean age of wife		Percent age of husband at time of decree not stated
	At time of decree	At time of marriage	At time of decree	At time of marriage	At time of decree	At time of marriage	At time of decree	At time of marriage	
Divorce-registration area	34.0	23.8	31.5	21.5	36.1	26.6	33.5	24.0	11.8
Alabama	32.8	23.6	30.2	21.2	35.2	27.1	32.5	24.5	20.4
Alaska	33.1	25.1	30.3	22.6	34.6	27.4	31.9	24.7	2.9
Connecticut	35.6	24.1	33.4	22.1	37.5	26.5	35.0	24.0	2.8
Delaware	34.1	23.7	31.8	21.5	36.4	26.3	33.7	23.8	3.2
Georgia	33.0	23.8	30.5	21.4	34.9	26.9	32.3	24.3	5.1
Hawaii	34.4	25.1	31.9	22.7	36.4	27.5	33.6	24.8	1.0
Idaho	33.7	25.1	31.1	22.3	36.0	26.6	33.0	25.6	2.3
Illinois	33.7	24.0	31.2	21.7	35.8	26.7	33.2	24.1	0.7
Iowa	32.9	23.1	30.6	20.9	35.3	26.0	32.8	23.5	0.8
Kansas	32.7	23.9	30.0	21.4	34.7	26.8	32.2	24.4	1.2
Kentucky	32.3	23.3	29.7	20.9	34.7	26.6	32.1	23.9	0.8
Maryland	35.3	24.0	32.8	21.7	37.2	26.2	34.5	23.5	3.1
Massachusetts	35.3	23.8	33.0	21.7	37.4	25.7	34.9	23.4	16.4
Michigan	34.4	23.8	31.8	21.4	36.2	26.3	33.6	23.7	25.4
Missouri	33.1	23.7	30.5	21.3	35.5	26.9	32.8	24.2	2.9
Montana	33.5	24.4	30.9	21.8	35.5	27.6	32.8	24.9	2.4
Nebraska	33.2	23.4	30.8	21.1	35.4	26.0	32.9	23.6	0.8
New Hampshire	33.8	23.8	31.3	21.6	35.6	26.2	33.0	23.7	0.5
New York	35.7	24.6	33.3	22.2	37.7	26.9	35.1	24.4	2.8
Ohio	33.7	23.7	30.8	21.5	35.9	26.6	33.3	24.0	61.4
Oregon	35.2	25.2	32.6	22.4	37.4	26.5	34.4	25.6	0.9
Pennsylvania	34.8	23.3	32.4	21.2	36.8	25.6	34.3	23.1	14.6
Rhode Island	35.0	23.8	32.4	21.6	37.0	26.2	34.4	23.7	0.7
South Carolina	33.2	22.8	30.7	20.6	35.2	25.4	32.6	22.9	0.8
South Dakota	32.0	23.2	29.1	20.7	34.4	25.9	31.4	22.9	77.9
Tennessee	32.8	23.5	30.2	21.0	35.0	26.8	32.3	24.2	2.5
Utah	32.2	23.7	29.7	21.2	34.4	26.6	31.7	23.9	9.5
Vermont	35.2	23.6	32.5	21.4	37.0	26.1	34.2	23.3	0.3
Virginia	34.3	23.4	31.9	21.2	36.2	25.8	33.7	23.3	0.6
Wisconsin	33.8	23.2	31.4	21.0	35.8	25.5	33.2	23.0	0.2
Wyoming	31.9	24.0	29.5	21.5	34.1	26.9	31.3	24.1	11.8

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Table 2-7. Percent Distribution of Divorces and Annulments by Age of Husband and Wife at Time of Decree and Median and Mean Ages: Divorce-Registration Area, 1972-83

[Based on sample data]

Age of husband and wife at time of decree	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973	1972
HUSBAND												
All ages -----	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 20 years -----	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.8	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.0
20-24 years -----	11.0	11.7	12.5	13.5	13.9	14.8	14.7	15.1	15.2	15.7	15.7	15.9
25-29 years -----	21.3	22.0	22.8	23.4	23.8	24.3	24.0	24.8	25.1	24.2	23.4	23.5
30-34 years -----	21.0	21.3	22.1	21.4	20.8	20.2	19.8	18.8	18.6	18.2	17.9	17.2
35-39 years -----	16.6	16.3	15.1	14.6	14.2	13.8	13.4	12.9	12.5	12.4	12.4	12.3
40-44 years -----	11.5	10.7	10.0	9.8	9.7	9.3	9.4	9.5	9.3	9.6	9.9	10.2
45-49 years -----	7.2	6.9	6.7	6.5	6.7	6.6	6.9	7.2	7.3	7.5	8.0	8.0
50-54 years -----	4.8	4.6	4.6	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.8	4.9	5.1	5.2	5.3	5.5
55-59 years -----	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.8	3.0	3.0
60-64 years -----	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7
65 years and over -----	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6
Median age ¹ -----	34.0	33.6	33.1	32.7	32.5	32.0	32.4	32.3	32.2	32.2	32.4	32.6
Mean age ¹ -----	38.1	35.7	35.4	35.1	35.0	34.8	35.1	35.1	35.0	35.1	35.3	34.9
WIFE												
All ages -----	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 20 years -----	2.5	2.7	2.9	3.4	3.6	4.0	3.8	4.1	4.4	4.6	4.4	4.3
20-24 years -----	17.4	18.6	19.5	20.8	21.2	22.7	22.3	22.4	22.5	23.0	23.1	23.7
25-29 years -----	23.6	24.1	24.8	24.6	24.8	24.6	24.5	25.1	25.2	24.3	23.7	23.0
30-34 years -----	19.5	19.9	20.2	19.4	18.7	17.9	17.9	16.7	16.3	16.1	15.6	15.0
35-39 years -----	15.0	14.2	13.1	12.8	12.3	11.8	11.3	11.2	10.9	10.7	10.9	11.0
40-44 years -----	9.5	8.8	8.2	7.7	7.9	7.5	7.7	7.9	7.6	7.9	8.4	8.8
45-49 years -----	5.5	5.1	4.9	4.8	5.0	5.0	5.3	5.6	5.7	5.9	6.3	6.6
50-54 years -----	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.9	3.9
55-59 years -----	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.7	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
60-64 years -----	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.0
65 years and over -----	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.8
Median age ¹ -----	31.5	31.1	30.6	30.3	30.1	29.7	29.9	29.7	29.5	29.5	29.7	29.8
Mean age ¹ -----	33.5	33.1	32.7	32.4	32.3	32.1	32.4	32.3	32.3	32.3	32.5	32.1

¹Computed on data by single years of age.

Table 2-8. Percent Distribution of Divorces and Annulments by Age of Husband and Wife at Time of Marriage and Median and Mean Ages: Divorce-Registration Area, 1972-83

[Based on sample data]

Age of husband and wife at time of marriage	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973	1972
HUSBAND												
All ages -----	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 20 years -----	15.4	16.1	17.0	18.0	18.4	19.3	18.6	18.9	19.1	19.5	19.3	19.3
20-24 years -----	42.5	43.0	44.0	44.0	44.3	44.7	44.5	44.4	44.8	44.6	44.8	44.5
25-29 years -----	19.7	19.3	18.7	18.4	18.0	17.5	17.4	17.3	17.1	16.7	16.4	16.7
30-34 years -----	9.3	9.0	8.6	8.1	7.9	7.4	7.6	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.2
35-39 years -----	5.1	5.0	4.6	4.5	4.3	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3
40-44 years -----	3.2	3.0	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.7	2.9	2.9	3.0
45 years and over -----	4.7	4.7	4.5	4.2	4.3	4.1	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.8	5.0	5.0
Median age ¹ -----	23.8	23.7	23.4	23.3	23.2	23.0	23.1	23.1	23.0	23.0	22.9	23.0
Mean age ¹ -----	26.6	26.4	26.1	25.9	25.8	25.7	25.9	25.9	25.8	25.9	25.9	25.9
WIFE												
All ages -----	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 20 years -----	35.1	36.6	38.3	39.9	41.0	42.8	42.2	42.5	43.3	43.8	44.5	44.6
20-24 years -----	36.3	36.2	35.9	35.5	35.1	34.2	34.0	33.8	33.7	33.3	32.8	32.4
25-29 years -----	13.3	12.7	12.1	11.4	11.0	10.5	10.7	10.3	9.9	9.9	9.4	9.3
30-34 years -----	6.7	6.2	5.8	5.6	5.4	5.0	5.2	5.2	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8
35-39 years -----	3.7	3.6	3.2	3.1	3.1	2.8	3.0	3.1	3.0	2.9	3.1	3.2
40-44 years -----	2.1	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.3
45 years and over -----	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.7	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.3	3.3	3.3
Median age ¹ -----	21.5	21.3	21.1	20.9	20.9	20.7	20.7	20.7	20.6	20.6	20.5	20.5
Mean age ¹ -----	24.0	23.8	23.5	23.3	23.2	23.1	23.3	23.3	23.2	23.2	23.2	23.2

¹Computed on data by single years of age.

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Table 2-9. Median and Mean Duration of Marriage Prior to Divorce or Annulment: Divorce-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1979-83

[Based on sample data]

Area	Median duration of marriage in years					Mean duration of marriage in years				
	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979
Divorce-registration area -----	7.0	7.0	7.0	6.8	6.8	9.6	9.4	9.3	9.2	9.3
Alabama -----	5.0	5.0	5.5	4.9	5.3	8.1	7.8	8.0	7.7	8.1
Alaska -----	5.1	5.2	5.6	5.3	5.2	7.3	7.4	7.7	7.4	7.1
Connecticut -----	8.7	8.5	8.3	8.4	8.5	11.1	10.9	10.7	10.7	10.9
Delaware -----	7.6	7.0	7.6	---	---	10.2	9.6	9.8	---	---
Georgia -----	5.5	5.2	5.5	5.4	5.7	8.1	7.8	8.0	8.0	8.2
Hawaii -----	6.5	6.4	6.1	6.2	6.0	8.9	8.7	8.0	8.3	8.3
Idaho -----	5.3	5.0	5.2	5.1	5.0	7.9	7.5	7.6	7.5	7.2
Illinois -----	6.7	6.6	6.5	6.5	6.5	9.2	9.1	8.9	8.9	9.0
Iowa -----	6.9	6.5	6.5	6.2	6.0	9.4	9.0	9.0	8.7	8.7
Kansas -----	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.2	4.9	7.9	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.5
Kentucky -----	5.7	5.8	6.1	6.0	5.7	8.2	8.3	8.5	8.5	8.2
Maryland -----	9.2	8.9	8.9	8.8	8.4	11.6	11.1	10.9	11.1	10.7
Massachusetts -----	9.6	9.3	9.2	8.9	8.9	11.8	11.5	11.5	11.3	11.2
Michigan -----	7.6	7.5	7.5	6.9	7.1	10.0	9.9	9.7	9.3	9.5
Missouri -----	5.9	6.0	5.8	5.8	5.8	8.6	8.5	8.4	8.4	8.3
Montana -----	5.5	6.1	5.3	5.7	5.3	8.0	8.3	7.9	8.2	7.9
Nebraska -----	6.7	6.9	6.8	6.7	6.3	9.4	9.3	9.3	9.2	8.8
New Hampshire -----	7.7	7.8	7.6	7.4	7.1	9.9	9.9	9.8	9.6	9.3
New York -----	8.5	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.3	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.9
Ohio -----	6.4	6.2	6.2	6.1	6.2	9.0	8.8	8.6	8.7	8.7
Oregon -----	6.4	6.4	6.1	6.1	6.2	8.9	8.8	8.5	8.5	8.4
Pennsylvania -----	8.8	8.7	8.5	8.3	7.9	11.2	11.1	11.2	10.7	10.4
Rhode Island -----	8.5	8.6	8.0	8.1	8.5	10.8	10.7	10.6	10.7	11.0
South Carolina -----	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.1	7.3	9.9	9.7	9.6	9.5	9.8
South Dakota -----	6.2	6.3	6.4	5.8	5.9	9.0	8.9	9.0	8.3	8.4
Tennessee -----	5.6	5.4	5.6	5.4	5.8	8.2	8.0	8.1	7.9	8.2
Utah -----	5.3	5.2	5.1	5.0	4.8	7.8	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.3
Vermont -----	8.8	8.5	8.1	8.4	7.9	11.0	10.8	10.4	10.6	10.2
Virginia -----	8.1	8.1	8.3	8.2	8.2	10.5	10.3	10.6	10.6	10.5
Wisconsin -----	8.1	7.7	7.7	7.4	7.0	10.3	9.9	10.0	9.7	9.7
Wyoming -----	5.0	4.7	5.0	4.8	4.8	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.2	7.1

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Table 2-10. Percent Distribution of Divorces and Annulments by Duration of Marriage at Time of Decree: Divorce-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area	Total	Duration of marriage at time of decree																
		Under 1 year	1-4 years				5-9 years					10-14 years	15-19 years	20-24 years	25-29 years	30 years and over		
			Total	1 year	2 years	3 years	4 years	Total	5 years	6 years	7 years						8 years	9 years
Divorce-registration area -----	100.0	4.1	33.5	7.9	8.9	8.9	7.8	25.9	6.7	5.7	5.0	4.4	4.1	15.7	9.1	5.6	3.2	2.9
Alabama -----	100.0	11.4	38.4	10.2	11.0	10.1	7.1	21.3	5.7	5.2	4.2	3.5	2.8	10.8	8.6	4.1	2.7	2.8
Alaska -----	100.0	6.6	42.9	11.8	12.1	10.4	8.6	25.8	6.6	6.0	4.7	4.2	4.4	12.0	6.7	3.3	1.4	1.2
Connecticut -----	100.0	1.5	29.0	6.0	7.8	7.9	7.3	25.1	6.5	5.2	4.9	4.3	4.2	17.0	11.4	8.1	4.2	3.9
Delaware -----	100.0	2.7	31.2	7.0	8.6	7.8	7.8	27.2	7.2	5.8	5.5	4.0	4.6	16.3	10.3	5.2	3.1	4.0
Georgia -----	100.0	8.2	36.9	11.0	10.7	9.1	8.1	23.3	6.3	5.5	4.3	3.7	3.5	13.6	7.9	3.7	2.5	2.0
Hawaii -----	100.0	3.5	37.0	8.3	10.2	9.7	8.8	26.3	6.8	5.5	4.8	5.0	4.2	15.9	7.7	4.7	2.2	2.7
Idaho -----	100.0	8.3	39.7	11.5	10.4	10.0	7.7	24.1	7.2	4.9	5.0	4.2	2.9	12.5	7.2	3.8	2.6	1.9
Illinois -----	100.0	4.4	35.2	9.0	9.5	9.2	7.6	25.5	6.5	5.7	5.0	4.3	4.0	15.3	8.5	5.3	3.1	2.7
Iowa -----	100.0	3.1	35.7	8.6	9.4	9.6	8.2	25.9	6.1	5.4	5.4	4.9	4.2	15.4	8.6	5.5	2.8	2.9
Kansas -----	100.0	7.3	41.3	12.1	11.4	9.8	8.0	23.6	6.1	5.1	4.2	4.7	3.4	12.6	6.6	4.1	2.4	2.0
Kentucky -----	100.0	7.3	38.4	10.8	10.1	9.8	7.7	24.5	6.6	5.7	4.4	4.1	3.7	13.7	7.6	4.3	2.2	2.1
Maryland -----	100.0	0.3	23.1	2.4	5.6	7.2	7.7	30.1	6.9	6.4	6.4	5.9	4.5	19.2	11.6	7.2	4.5	4.0
Massachusetts -----	100.0	0.2	22.2	1.8	5.0	7.7	7.7	29.4	7.1	7.3	5.7	4.8	4.5	20.8	11.0	6.9	5.2	4.2
Michigan -----	100.0	2.9	31.4	6.6	8.3	8.4	8.0	27.2	7.1	5.3	5.2	5.2	4.4	15.4	10.6	6.2	3.2	3.2
Missouri -----	100.0	5.8	38.2	10.3	10.5	9.4	8.0	24.5	6.7	5.6	4.5	4.1	3.6	14.0	7.6	4.8	2.5	2.4
Montana -----	100.0	6.5	39.8	11.3	10.8	10.4	7.4	25.2	7.4	6.0	4.9	3.3	3.5	13.1	7.2	3.9	2.5	1.8
Nebraska -----	100.0	3.7	35.9	9.3	9.2	9.1	8.3	25.0	6.9	4.9	4.6	4.6	4.0	15.3	8.2	6.0	3.1	2.8
New Hampshire -----	100.0	2.3	31.4	7.1	8.4	7.8	8.2	27.4	6.4	6.0	5.7	4.5	4.7	17.7	9.4	6.0	3.1	2.7
New York -----	100.0	2.2	28.9	5.8	7.7	8.3	7.2	25.7	6.1	5.5	5.1	4.6	4.4	17.6	10.6	7.1	4.1	3.8
Ohio -----	100.0	4.7	36.0	9.4	9.2	8.7	8.7	25.4	6.9	5.9	4.8	4.1	3.8	15.0	8.4	5.2	2.7	2.6
Oregon -----	100.0	3.5	36.0	9.1	9.2	9.6	8.1	27.4	7.8	6.1	4.9	4.0	4.6	15.1	8.6	5.0	2.3	2.1
Pennsylvania -----	100.0	1.2	26.0	4.6	6.9	7.9	6.6	29.1	7.3	5.9	5.8	4.9	5.2	18.2	10.3	6.6	4.4	4.2
Rhode Island -----	100.0	1.0	26.8	5.1	7.4	8.9	7.2	27.7	6.6	5.6	5.4	5.3	4.9	17.9	9.9	7.4	3.9	3.6
South Carolina -----	100.0	2.0	33.2	6.3	9.0	9.4	8.5	26.9	6.8	5.7	5.4	4.8	4.2	16.8	9.3	5.7	2.9	3.2
South Dakota -----	100.0	4.0	37.0	8.7	9.7	9.9	8.8	26.9	8.0	5.6	5.1	4.0	4.0	13.6	7.6	5.1	2.9	3.0
Tennessee -----	100.0	7.6	38.7	10.4	10.7	10.0	7.7	23.0	5.9	4.9	4.6	3.4	4.3	14.5	7.4	4.4	2.4	1.9
Utah -----	100.0	6.7	41.0	11.5	11.0	10.2	8.2	25.4	7.8	4.9	4.8	4.4	3.4	12.7	6.9	3.5	1.9	2.0
Vermont -----	100.0	0.7	25.8	3.9	7.1	7.1	7.7	29.2	7.0	6.5	6.3	4.8	4.6	19.5	10.6	6.8	3.9	3.3
Virginia -----	100.0	0.8	30.0	5.1	8.1	8.5	8.4	28.2	7.0	6.2	5.7	4.6	4.7	17.2	10.3	6.7	3.7	3.1
Wisconsin -----	100.0	1.0	31.4	6.2	8.6	7.9	8.6	27.5	6.3	5.7	5.1	5.3	5.2	16.8	10.4	6.0	3.9	3.0
Wyoming -----	100.0	8.0	42.3	12.5	11.1	10.6	8.1	25.7	7.1	6.1	5.1	4.0	3.5	11.9	5.6	3.1	1.6	1.8

Table 2-11. Divorces and Annulments, Estimated Number of Children Involved in Divorces and Annulments, Average Number of Children per Decree, and Rate per 1,000 Children Under 18 Years of Age: United States, 1950-83

[For 1960-83 based on sample data. Beginning 1970 estimated from frequencies for the entire divorce-registration area rather than for selected States. For method of computation see Technical Appendix]

Year	All divorces and annulments	Estimated number of children involved	Average number of children per decree	Rate per 1,000 children under 18 years of age	Year	All divorces and annulments	Estimated number of children involved	Average number of children per decree	Rate per 1,000 children under 18 years of age
1983	1,158,000	1,091,000	0.94	17.4	1986	499,000	669,000	1.34	9.5
1982	1,170,000	1,108,000	0.94	17.6	1985	478,000	630,000	1.32	8.9
1981	1,213,000	1,180,000	0.97	18.7	1984	450,000	613,000	1.36	8.7
1980	1,189,000	1,174,000	0.98	17.3	1983	428,000	562,000	1.31	8.2
1979	1,161,000	1,161,000	1.00	18.4	1982	413,000	532,000	1.29	7.9
1978	1,130,000	1,147,000	1.01	17.7	1981	414,000	516,000	1.25	7.8
1977	1,091,000	1,095,000	1.00	16.7	1980	393,000	463,000	1.18	7.2
1976	1,083,000	1,117,000	1.03	16.9	1979	395,000	468,000	1.18	7.5
1975	1,036,000	1,123,000	1.08	16.7	1978	368,000	398,000	1.08	6.5
1974	977,000	1,099,000	1.12	16.2	1977	381,000	379,000	0.99	6.4
1973	915,000	1,079,000	1.17	15.7	1976	382,000	361,000	0.95	6.3
1972	845,000	1,021,000	1.20	14.7	1975	377,000	347,000	0.92	6.3
1971	773,000	945,000	1.22	13.8	1974	379,000	341,000	0.90	6.4
1970	708,000	870,000	1.22	12.5	1973	390,000	330,000	0.85	6.4
1969	639,000	840,000	1.31	11.9	1972	392,000	318,000	0.81	6.2
1968	584,000	784,000	1.34	11.1	1971	381,000	304,000	0.80	6.1
1967	523,000	701,000	1.34	9.9	1970	385,000	299,000	0.78	6.3

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Table 2-12. Divorces and Annulments, Estimated Number of Children Involved in Divorces and Annulments, Average Number of Children per Decree, and Rate per 1,000 Children Under 18 Years of Age: Divorce-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data. Refers to children under 18 years of age]

Area	All divorces and annulments	Estimated number of children involved	Average number of children per decree	Rate per 1,000 children under 18 years of age	Area	All divorces and annulments	Estimated number of children involved	Average number of children per decree	Rate per 1,000 children under 18 years of age
Divorce-registration area ---	572,949	539,789	0.94	15.7	Nebraska -----	6,234	7,203	1.15	18.3
Alabama -----	25,300	22,474	0.88	20.1	New Hampshire -----	4,806	5,108	1.05	20.4
Alaska -----	3,925	3,635	0.92	23.5	New York -----	64,154	55,743	0.88	12.6
Connecticut -----	12,098	11,418	0.94	14.9	Ohio -----	54,120	53,275	0.98	18.3
Delaware -----	3,060	2,875	0.93	18.4	Oregon -----	16,185	15,230	0.94	21.5
Georgia -----	32,870	27,658	0.84	17.0	Pennsylvania -----	40,220	37,917	0.94	12.9
Hawaii -----	4,584	4,382	0.95	15.5	Rhode Island -----	3,525	3,787	1.07	18.6
Idaho ¹ -----	6,232	5,858	0.93	18.5	South Carolina -----	13,601	12,118	0.89	13.1
Illinois -----	50,350	48,457	0.96	15.6	South Dakota -----	2,564	2,863	1.12	14.1
Iowa -----	10,586	11,543	1.09	14.7	Tennessee -----	28,930	23,017	0.79	18.4
Kansas -----	12,280	11,664	0.94	18.0	Utah -----	8,474	10,480	1.23	17.2
Kentucky -----	17,095	14,876	0.87	14.3	Vermont -----	2,575	2,976	1.15	21.3
Maryland -----	16,095	13,222	0.82	12.1	Virginia -----	25,437	20,289	0.79	14.2
Massachusetts -----	18,530	18,968	1.02	13.8	Wisconsin -----	16,510	19,522	1.18	15.2
Michigan -----	38,060	41,266	1.08	16.4	Wyoming -----	3,983	3,934	0.98	24.4
Missouri -----	25,904	23,516	0.90	17.9					
Montana -----	4,672	4,515	0.96	19.3					

¹ This State asks for number of children affected by decree.

Table 2-13. Percent Distribution of Divorces and Annulments by Number of Children Reported: Divorce-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data. Refers to children under 18 years of age]

Area	Total	Number of children reported					
		None	1	2	3	4	5 or more
Divorce-registration area -----	100.0	45.7	25.7	20.0	6.4	1.6	0.5
Alabama -----	100.0	48.2	26.2	17.5	6.1	1.4	0.7
Alaska -----	100.0	47.0	24.6	19.9	6.1	1.8	0.6
Connecticut -----	100.0	45.2	25.8	20.9	6.3	1.4	0.4
Delaware -----	100.0	44.9	27.1	19.6	6.3	1.8	0.3
Georgia -----	100.0	50.0	24.8	18.3	5.2	1.3	0.3
Hawaii -----	100.0	47.2	23.8	19.1	7.1	2.0	0.8
Idaho ¹ -----	100.0	48.5	22.7	18.7	7.5	2.0	0.6
Illinois -----	100.0	45.6	25.2	20.0	6.7	1.8	0.7
Iowa -----	100.0	39.1	26.5	23.7	8.6	1.6	0.6
Kansas -----	100.0	45.0	28.1	20.6	6.2	1.7	0.4
Kentucky -----	100.0	47.2	27.8	18.1	5.3	1.2	0.4
Maryland -----	100.0	49.0	27.0	18.4	4.8	0.7	0.3
Massachusetts -----	100.0	43.3	24.2	22.7	7.4	1.7	0.7
Michigan -----	100.0	41.3	24.3	22.8	8.6	2.3	0.6
Missouri -----	100.0	46.7	26.2	19.4	5.8	1.4	0.5
Montana -----	100.0	44.6	26.1	20.9	6.2	1.7	0.6
Nebraska -----	100.0	37.7	25.3	24.9	8.9	2.4	0.7
New Hampshire -----	100.0	40.1	25.9	24.6	7.3	1.7	0.5
New York -----	100.0	50.4	23.3	18.3	6.0	1.5	0.6
Ohio -----	100.0	42.5	27.8	20.9	6.8	1.6	0.4
Oregon -----	100.0	44.0	27.3	21.5	5.6	1.2	0.4
Pennsylvania -----	100.0	45.4	26.1	20.1	6.3	1.6	0.6
Rhode Island -----	100.0	40.5	26.7	22.9	7.1	1.8	1.0
South Carolina -----	100.0	45.8	28.3	18.9	5.2	1.3	0.4
South Dakota -----	100.0	37.9	27.1	23.8	8.2	2.3	0.7
Tennessee -----	100.0	49.9	27.4	17.3	4.2	1.0	0.2
Utah -----	100.0	39.5	23.9	19.9	10.5	3.5	2.6
Vermont -----	100.0	36.8	25.3	27.2	8.1	2.1	0.6
Virginia -----	100.0	50.6	26.2	17.4	4.7	0.9	0.2
Wisconsin -----	100.0	36.5	26.0	24.8	9.1	2.8	0.7
Wyoming -----	100.0	43.4	26.1	21.5	6.9	1.5	0.6

¹ This State asks for number of children affected by decree.

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Table 2-14. Number and Percent Distribution of Divorces and Annulments by Petitioner: Divorce-Registration Area, 1974-83

[Based on sample data]

Year	Petitioner										
	Number						Percent distribution				
	Total	Husband	Wife	Husband and wife	Other person	Petitioner not stated	Total	Husband	Wife	Husband and wife	Other person
1983	572,949	178,646	349,356	34,257	17	10,673	100.0	31.8	62.1	6.1	0.0
1982	576,928	176,801	353,481	35,062	54	11,530	100.0	31.3	62.5	6.2	0.0
1981	600,707	178,964	370,905	37,241	597	13,000	100.0	30.5	63.1	6.3	0.1
1980	586,644	173,336	363,552	36,291	78	13,387	100.0	30.2	63.4	6.3	0.0
1979	589,723	172,090	367,666	37,609	51	12,307	100.0	29.8	63.7	6.5	0.0
1978	541,344	156,066	334,671	35,965	134	14,508	100.0	29.6	63.5	6.8	0.0
1977	656,339	193,882	416,289	31,860	123	14,185	100.0	30.2	64.8	5.0	0.0
1976	656,535	187,965	419,042	29,415	3,937	16,176	100.0	29.4	65.4	4.6	0.6
1975	625,676	177,036	404,234	16,761	3,472	24,173	100.0	29.4	67.2	2.8	0.6
1974	571,794	167,031	390,088	4	37	14,634	100.0	30.0	70.0	0.0	0.0

Table 2-15. Divorces and Annulments by Month Marriage Performed: Divorce-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area	Total	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Month not stated
Divorce-registration area	572,949	33,240	35,883	37,356	41,386	49,576	65,823	53,321	58,663	51,810	47,343	44,131	47,054	7,363
Alabama	25,300	1,590	1,360	1,700	1,750	1,820	2,580	1,850	1,820	1,900	1,760	1,640	1,850	3,690
Alaska	3,925	230	245	290	300	338	383	356	427	336	286	295	408	31
Connecticut	12,098	538	724	586	920	1,228	1,444	1,082	1,378	1,214	1,138	948	796	72
Delaware	3,060	150	176	219	225	286	349	280	318	310	253	244	240	10
Georgia	32,870	2,160	2,360	2,390	2,240	2,480	3,630	3,060	3,060	2,560	2,740	2,360	3,110	430
Hawaii	4,584	302	294	390	364	408	520	388	444	376	322	324	442	8
Idaho	6,232	390	392	424	434	494	730	534	632	528	464	578	578	54
Illinois	50,350	2,936	3,227	3,227	3,729	4,408	5,837	4,568	5,312	4,612	4,346	3,979	4,050	119
Iowa	10,586	550	752	688	750	958	1,332	896	1,194	924	814	794	894	40
Kansas	12,280	835	740	895	870	1,155	1,565	1,100	1,275	1,015	955	965	865	45
Kentucky	17,095	1,150	1,140	1,255	1,220	1,335	1,940	1,780	1,640	1,395	1,330	1,240	1,530	140
Maryland	16,095	1,020	975	1,080	1,065	1,165	1,840	1,345	1,705	1,555	1,340	1,210	1,480	25
Massachusetts	18,530	1,010	1,035	920	1,555	1,860	2,255	1,520	2,035	1,870	1,685	1,470	1,180	135
Michigan	38,060	2,150	2,430	2,490	2,950	3,190	4,090	3,510	4,040	3,470	3,590	2,990	2,890	270
Missouri	25,904	1,484	1,898	1,750	1,846	2,411	3,016	2,337	2,689	2,119	2,045	2,041	2,204	164
Montana	4,672	230	306	314	298	336	614	378	504	480	372	390	428	22
Nebraska	6,234	380	397	372	460	552	782	549	716	550	497	465	510	4
New Hampshire	4,806	220	263	275	365	444	649	476	500	481	419	372	332	9
New York	64,154	3,848	3,989	4,025	4,764	5,597	7,150	5,977	6,722	6,136	5,494	4,973	5,259	220
Ohio	54,120	3,080	3,100	3,180	3,540	4,660	6,260	6,020	5,660	5,440	4,760	4,120	4,060	240
Oregon	16,185	885	1,195	1,165	1,180	1,355	1,835	1,450	1,575	1,430	1,165	1,270	1,430	250
Pennsylvania	40,220	1,960	2,380	2,450	2,820	3,940	4,620	3,580	4,270	3,810	3,390	3,270	3,030	700
Rhode Island	3,525	197	207	180	265	366	430	288	353	394	322	289	214	9
South Carolina	13,601	901	975	957	1,086	1,118	1,545	1,193	1,321	1,094	976	1,012	1,319	104
South Dakota	2,554	167	155	150	174	228	303	204	284	239	205	190	250	5
Tennessee	28,930	1,630	1,860	2,260	2,120	2,350	3,310	2,810	2,620	2,240	2,150	2,360	2,930	290
Utah	8,474	478	584	584	616	676	926	776	890	758	590	710	704	182
Vermont	2,575	122	148	141	186	230	301	292	303	244	226	169	214	—
Virginia	25,437	1,453	1,569	1,740	1,900	2,062	3,159	2,394	2,752	2,267	1,908	1,875	2,318	49
Wisconsin	16,510	875	950	1,000	1,030	1,515	1,955	1,685	1,770	1,755	1,510	1,275	1,165	25
Wyoming	3,983	269	267	249	264	321	473	362	454	306	290	313	394	21

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Table 2-16. Divorces and Annulments by Age of Husband and Wife at Time of Decree: Divorce-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area	Total	Age at time of decree											
		Under 20 years	20-24 years	25-29 years	30-34 years	35-39 years	40-44 years	45-49 years	50-54 years	55-59 years	60-64 years	65 years and over	Age not stated
HUSBAND													
Divorce-registration area-----	572,949	2,846	55,347	107,728	106,047	83,668	57,911	36,529	24,141	14,818	8,430	7,797	67,687
Alabama-----	26,300	270	3,360	4,360	3,500	2,930	2,220	1,250	880	610	360	390	5,170
Alaska-----	3,925	19	482	838	872	670	406	252	142	79	36	17	112
Connecticut-----	12,098	26	844	2,256	2,412	2,214	1,494	1,040	648	408	202	218	336
Delaware-----	3,060	12	280	644	641	509	341	199	128	86	68	54	98
Georgia-----	32,870	360	4,370	7,010	6,410	5,100	3,280	1,880	1,180	720	380	500	1,880
Hawaii-----	4,584	10	466	888	1,012	870	484	284	194	152	90	88	46
Idaho-----	6,232	54	926	1,216	1,134	936	658	434	296	170	124	140	144
Illinois-----	50,350	263	5,579	11,211	10,456	8,018	5,550	3,559	2,443	1,459	785	688	339
Iowa-----	10,586	36	1,384	2,480	2,230	1,544	1,062	704	462	270	148	186	80
Kansas-----	12,280	140	1,920	2,715	2,460	1,890	1,225	715	435	260	195	180	145
Kentucky-----	17,095	235	2,825	3,765	3,330	2,380	1,665	1,080	675	430	280	285	145
Maryland-----	16,095	35	925	3,040	3,585	2,890	2,060	1,255	870	490	265	215	505
Massachusetts-----	18,530	20	880	3,030	3,575	2,970	1,750	1,305	870	565	310	210	3,045
Michigan-----	38,060	60	2,650	6,070	6,340	4,960	3,340	2,060	1,300	830	470	330	9,650
Missouri-----	25,904	211	3,505	5,671	4,935	3,713	2,730	1,669	1,099	714	420	481	756
Montana-----	4,672	26	622	1,038	854	728	502	328	214	96	68	84	112
Nebraska-----	6,234	35	803	1,408	1,262	972	649	466	255	158	80	95	51
New Hampshire-----	4,806	9	551	1,031	1,057	799	555	337	214	114	64	53	22
New York-----	64,154	109	3,877	11,727	13,676	11,358	8,201	5,461	3,579	2,259	1,198	1,012	1,697
Ohio-----	54,120	60	2,640	4,800	3,880	3,060	2,540	1,420	1,180	680	440	200	33,220
Oregon-----	16,185	35	1,420	3,030	3,400	2,900	1,945	1,315	765	480	330	425	140
Pennsylvania-----	40,220	120	2,870	7,000	7,440	6,040	3,940	2,650	2,060	1,170	550	510	5,870
Rhode Island-----	3,525	2	271	726	753	612	444	288	180	106	63	56	24
South Carolina-----	13,601	80	1,724	3,082	2,838	2,240	1,454	827	513	312	219	203	109
South Dakota-----	2,554	6	82	145	105	94	50	33	14	17	10	9	1,989
Tennessee-----	28,930	420	4,110	6,340	5,740	3,980	3,010	1,780	1,080	790	470	480	730
Utah-----	8,474	78	1,216	1,816	1,520	1,136	776	512	232	162	120	100	806
Vermont-----	2,575	2	186	503	575	504	314	197	136	76	32	43	7
Virginia-----	25,437	63	2,384	5,328	5,533	4,437	3,097	1,899	1,164	693	386	305	150
Wisconsin-----	16,510	20	1,645	3,700	3,800	2,725	1,825	1,125	815	385	225	205	40
Wyoming-----	3,983	30	550	862	722	529	344	205	118	77	42	35	469
WIFE													
Divorce-registration area-----	572,949	12,554	87,444	118,878	98,023	75,291	47,782	27,716	16,108	9,353	5,154	4,404	70,243
Alabama-----	25,300	1,170	4,440	4,310	3,180	2,810	1,680	1,070	490	480	200	250	5,240
Alaska-----	3,925	113	738	995	811	510	308	188	89	46	20	8	119
Connecticut-----	12,098	116	1,570	2,532	2,366	1,972	1,412	740	456	268	126	114	426
Delaware-----	3,060	43	484	730	585	453	270	137	103	54	35	36	130
Georgia-----	32,870	1,440	6,260	7,120	5,640	4,530	2,540	1,800	870	380	260	220	2,010
Hawaii-----	4,584	50	716	1,088	1,054	698	386	232	156	74	54	32	44
Idaho-----	6,232	250	1,250	1,294	1,106	902	516	334	158	90	72	96	184
Illinois-----	50,350	1,161	9,189	12,005	9,802	7,161	4,708	2,687	1,540	885	468	369	350
Iowa-----	10,586	200	2,198	2,594	1,992	1,462	918	488	294	184	90	104	62
Kansas-----	12,280	455	2,765	2,845	2,115	1,575	1,110	580	235	165	135	130	170
Kentucky-----	17,095	850	3,865	3,980	2,770	2,275	1,365	715	450	295	155	185	190
Maryland-----	16,095	80	1,895	3,890	3,300	2,530	1,790	915	620	330	100	105	540
Massachusetts-----	18,530	40	1,590	4,015	3,300	2,850	1,670	1,150	575	355	195	90	3,000
Michigan-----	38,060	340	4,380	7,110	5,940	4,140	2,820	1,530	910	480	290	130	9,990
Missouri-----	25,904	871	5,246	5,827	4,512	3,337	2,181	1,197	724	458	274	289	988
Montana-----	4,672	148	976	976	862	648	400	274	102	60	56	42	128
Nebraska-----	6,234	122	1,247	1,489	1,194	862	543	326	172	103	63	44	69
New Hampshire-----	4,806	69	904	1,137	977	719	465	228	145	74	40	24	24
New York-----	64,154	538	7,338	14,190	13,088	10,361	7,115	4,138	2,515	1,432	759	515	2,187
Ohio-----	54,120	520	4,080	5,060	3,480	3,100	1,880	1,120	720	400	180	220	33,380
Oregon-----	16,185	295	2,420	3,565	3,365	2,585	1,610	850	500	285	235	275	200
Pennsylvania-----	40,220	470	4,870	8,210	6,820	5,640	3,230	2,170	1,180	840	340	340	6,110
Rhode Island-----	3,525	21	493	861	700	557	376	207	116	79	42	30	43
South Carolina-----	13,601	392	2,614	3,274	2,640	1,881	1,189	611	347	227	138	94	194
South Dakota-----	2,554	13	133	160	106	64	34	19	14	7	6	5	1,993
Tennessee-----	28,930	1,600	5,940	6,330	5,140	3,550	2,250	1,400	910	410	330	260	810
Utah-----	8,474	378	1,748	1,750	1,348	982	658	310	160	102	56	66	916
Vermont-----	2,575	23	362	590	568	449	253	151	90	42	27	17	3
Virginia-----	25,437	386	4,043	6,032	5,168	3,945	2,519	1,452	804	449	241	179	219
Wisconsin-----	16,510	230	2,850	4,090	3,445	2,490	1,455	795	580	250	125	120	80
Wyoming-----	3,983	170	840	829	651	453	251	121	83	49	22	16	498

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Table 2-17. Divorces and Annulments by Age of Husband and Wife at Time of Marriage: Divorce-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area	Total	Age at time of marriage							
		Under 20 years	20-24 years	25-29 years	30-34 years	35-39 years	40-44 years	45 years and over	Age not stated
HUSBAND									
Divorce-registration area -----	572,949	77,229	213,512	99,050	48,539	25,808	16,197	23,878	71,138
Alabama -----	25,300	3,940	7,870	3,150	1,870	1,110	950	1,310	5,300
Alaska -----	3,925	442	1,434	867	471	249	148	168	146
Connecticut -----	12,098	1,160	5,444	2,676	1,078	580	328	424	408
Delaware -----	3,060	427	1,290	630	246	124	95	130	118
Georgia -----	32,870	5,570	12,020	5,610	3,040	1,750	1,200	1,680	2,000
Hawaii -----	4,584	472	1,766	1,176	500	258	114	248	50
Idaho -----	6,232	784	2,190	1,202	706	404	260	490	196
Illinois -----	50,350	7,192	21,005	10,398	4,697	2,637	1,559	2,406	456
Iowa -----	10,586	1,918	4,668	1,836	838	476	250	498	102
Kansas -----	12,280	2,040	4,865	2,250	1,230	695	360	650	190
Kentucky -----	17,095	3,625	6,435	2,860	1,490	855	590	975	265
Maryland -----	18,095	1,985	6,970	3,560	1,320	890	400	580	590
Massachusetts -----	18,530	1,875	7,345	3,500	1,310	555	310	435	3,200
Michigan -----	38,080	4,150	12,570	5,430	2,640	1,490	860	1,100	9,820
Missouri -----	25,904	4,486	10,041	4,420	2,207	1,406	888	1,542	914
Montana -----	4,672	608	1,840	894	464	278	172	292	134
Nebraska -----	6,234	1,020	2,791	1,136	509	298	149	266	65
New Hampshire -----	4,806	625	2,179	1,009	415	233	134	184	27
New York -----	64,154	6,271	26,818	14,773	6,731	3,251	1,895	2,557	2,058
Ohio -----	54,120	3,080	9,320	3,900	1,640	940	960	1,000	33,280
Oregon -----	16,185	1,820	5,920	3,270	1,775	1,045	710	1,245	400
Pennsylvania -----	40,220	5,310	16,040	6,260	2,850	1,360	900	1,020	6,480
Rhode Island -----	3,525	409	1,663	727	295	136	82	143	60
South Carolina -----	13,601	2,888	5,868	2,240	1,049	550	351	495	160
South Dakota -----	2,554	102	264	89	53	17	12	28	1,989
Tennessee -----	28,930	6,010	10,480	4,690	2,360	1,600	1,040	1,770	980
Utah -----	8,474	1,436	2,966	1,372	682	406	276	386	950
Vermont -----	2,575	375	1,169	501	228	129	71	90	12
Virginia -----	25,437	4,207	11,255	4,909	2,262	1,131	625	849	199
Wisconsin -----	16,510	2,470	8,005	3,050	1,240	725	375	545	100
Wyoming -----	3,983	532	1,421	665	353	228	123	172	489
WIFE									
Divorce-registration area -----	572,949	174,812	180,959	66,485	33,321	18,262	10,430	14,312	74,368
Alabama -----	25,300	8,030	5,580	2,340	1,520	890	630	910	5,400
Alaska -----	3,925	1,121	1,330	669	314	160	86	97	148
Connecticut -----	12,098	3,146	5,240	1,666	728	410	174	224	520
Delaware -----	3,060	980	1,170	388	171	99	45	75	152
Georgia -----	32,870	11,640	9,190	4,080	2,360	1,350	810	1,090	2,340
Hawaii -----	4,584	1,150	1,806	830	352	180	104	114	48
Idaho -----	6,232	1,812	2,016	866	560	324	164	280	220
Illinois -----	50,350	16,911	18,286	6,928	3,400	1,860	1,046	1,369	550
Iowa -----	10,586	4,146	3,794	1,174	566	318	200	292	96
Kansas -----	12,280	4,465	3,940	1,515	865	570	265	420	240
Kentucky -----	17,095	7,100	4,845	1,840	1,250	650	375	655	380
Maryland -----	18,095	4,750	6,585	2,150	975	445	275	225	690
Massachusetts -----	18,530	4,635	6,845	2,180	895	395	210	210	3,160
Michigan -----	38,080	9,650	10,530	3,970	1,620	940	580	600	10,170
Missouri -----	25,904	9,449	8,005	3,073	1,684	1,019	593	932	1,148
Montana -----	4,672	1,516	1,526	594	364	212	126	178	156
Nebraska -----	6,234	2,316	2,292	713	354	203	96	177	83
New Hampshire -----	4,806	1,578	1,925	643	291	155	77	105	32
New York -----	64,154	16,913	25,416	9,686	4,413	2,336	1,293	1,511	2,586
Ohio -----	54,120	7,480	7,220	2,760	1,320	720	520	620	33,480
Oregon -----	16,185	4,685	5,350	2,340	1,430	700	460	760	460
Pennsylvania -----	40,220	12,020	13,610	4,110	1,910	880	330	670	6,690
Rhode Island -----	3,525	1,032	1,544	428	211	104	48	77	81
South Carolina -----	13,601	5,913	4,253	1,462	743	404	219	328	279
South Dakota -----	2,554	227	220	80	30	13	9	12	1,993
Tennessee -----	28,930	11,440	8,120	3,270	1,780	1,110	740	1,240	1,230
Utah -----	8,474	2,938	2,314	976	490	304	206	194	1,052
Vermont -----	2,575	944	988	344	134	74	35	51	5
Virginia -----	25,437	9,501	9,195	3,199	1,515	778	406	534	309
Wisconsin -----	16,510	6,050	6,705	1,735	820	505	220	265	150
Wyoming -----	3,983	1,294	1,119	456	256	154	88	97	519

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Table 2-18. Divorces and Annulments by Age of Husband and Wife at Time of Decree and Race: Divorce-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data. Figures for race exclude data for Massachusetts, Michigan, New Hampshire, and Ohio; these data are included in race not stated]

Age of husband and wife at time of decree	Race of husband					Race of wife				
	All races	White	Black	Other races	Race not stated	All races	White	Black	Other races	Race not stated
HUSBAND										
All ages-----	572,949	372,507	48,604	6,122	145,716	572,949	372,707	47,099	7,050	146,093
Under 20 years-----	2,846	2,501	46	21	278	2,846	2,494	45	13	294
20-24 years-----	55,347	42,928	3,002	496	8,921	55,347	42,974	2,863	566	8,944
25-29 years-----	107,728	77,733	9,720	1,123	19,152	107,728	77,929	9,296	1,290	19,213
30-34 years-----	106,047	74,498	11,288	1,439	18,822	106,047	74,808	10,963	1,670	18,608
35-39 years-----	83,668	60,027	6,054	1,084	14,503	83,668	59,977	7,799	1,266	14,606
40-44 years-----	57,911	41,512	5,697	693	10,009	57,911	41,532	5,531	773	10,075
45-49 years-----	36,529	26,035	3,564	475	6,455	36,529	26,063	3,453	496	6,517
50-54 years-----	24,141	17,245	2,307	273	4,316	24,141	17,225	2,260	309	4,327
55-59 years-----	14,818	10,519	1,457	170	2,672	14,818	10,445	1,440	225	2,708
60-64 years-----	8,430	5,820	918	84	1,608	8,430	5,808	899	107	1,816
65 years and over-----	7,797	5,699	929	97	1,072	7,797	5,641	926	117	1,113
Age not stated-----	67,687	7,990	1,622	167	57,908	67,687	8,013	1,604	198	57,872
WIFE										
All ages-----	572,949	372,507	48,604	6,122	145,716	572,949	372,707	47,099	7,050	146,093
Under 20 years-----	12,554	10,515	354	116	1,569	12,554	10,582	331	84	1,557
20-24 years-----	87,444	66,301	5,821	907	14,415	87,444	66,633	5,480	909	14,422
25-29 years-----	118,878	84,300	11,423	1,466	21,669	118,878	84,451	11,028	1,701	21,698
30-34 years-----	98,023	68,582	10,883	1,335	17,223	98,023	68,584	10,484	1,639	17,316
35-39 years-----	75,291	54,333	6,953	885	13,120	75,291	54,174	6,821	1,126	13,170
40-44 years-----	47,782	34,022	4,772	549	8,439	47,782	34,068	4,683	588	8,443
45-49 years-----	27,715	19,690	2,804	301	4,920	27,715	19,641	2,758	361	4,955
50-54 years-----	16,108	11,444	1,660	172	2,832	16,108	11,365	1,853	234	2,856
55-59 years-----	9,353	6,674	906	119	1,654	9,353	6,667	885	135	1,666
60-64 years-----	5,154	3,659	583	58	854	5,154	3,654	583	54	863
65 years and over-----	4,404	3,353	425	20	606	4,404	3,328	415	19	642
Age not stated-----	70,243	9,634	2,020	174	58,415	70,243	9,560	1,978	200	58,505

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Table 2-19. Divorces and Annulments by Race of Husband by Race of Wife: Divorce-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area and race of husband	Total	Race of wife				Area and race of husband	Total	Race of wife			
		White	Black	Other races	Race not stated			White	Black	Other races	Race not stated
DIVORCE-REGISTRATION AREA¹						KENTUCKY					
All races-----	572,949	372,707	47,089	7,050	146,093	All races-----	17,095	14,515	935	75	1,570
White-----	372,507	367,980	864	2,626	1,037	White-----	14,550	14,435	15	60	40
Black-----	48,604	2,114	46,010	274	208	Black-----	975	30	920	10	15
Other races-----	6,122	1,799	147	4,126	50	Other races-----	20	15	-	5	-
Race not stated-----	145,716	814	78	24	144,800	Race not stated-----	1,550	35	-	-	1,515
ALABAMA						MARYLAND					
All races-----	25,300	18,630	2,900	60	3,710	All races-----	16,095	12,570	2,690	85	550
White-----	18,660	18,560	-	60	40	White-----	12,565	12,435	35	40	55
Black-----	2,930	20	2,880	-	30	Black-----	2,850	65	2,840	10	35
Other races-----	30	20	10	-	-	Other races-----	55	15	-	35	5
Race not stated-----	3,680	30	10	-	3,640	Race not stated-----	525	55	15	-	455
ALASKA						MASSACHUSETTS²					
All races-----	3,925	3,006	142	427	350	All races-----	18,530	---	---	---	18,530
White-----	3,124	2,858	11	230	25	White-----	---	---	---	---	---
Black-----	176	33	128	12	3	Black-----	---	---	---	---	---
Other races-----	284	101	1	180	2	Other races-----	---	---	---	---	---
Race not stated-----	341	14	2	5	320	Race not stated-----	18,530	---	---	---	18,530
CONNECTICUT						MICHIGAN²					
All races-----	12,098	10,402	948	62	596	All races-----	38,060	---	---	---	38,060
White-----	10,434	10,342	28	42	22	White-----	---	---	---	---	---
Black-----	890	78	908	-	4	Black-----	---	---	---	---	---
Other races-----	60	38	2	20	-	Other races-----	---	---	---	---	---
Race not stated-----	614	34	10	-	570	Race not stated-----	38,060	---	---	---	38,060
DELAWARE						MISSOURI					
All races-----	3,080	2,554	424	19	63	All races-----	25,904	23,181	2,022	141	560
White-----	2,552	2,532	6	10	4	White-----	23,132	22,972	33	99	28
Black-----	430	13	416	1	-	Black-----	2,108	99	1,983	14	12
Other races-----	15	7	-	8	-	Other races-----	100	70	2	27	1
Race not stated-----	63	2	2	-	59	Race not stated-----	564	40	4	1	519
GEORGIA						MONTANA					
All races-----	32,870	24,860	5,380	210	2,420	All races-----	4,672	4,376	8	254	34
White-----	24,990	24,730	40	140	80	White-----	4,364	4,246	-	114	4
Black-----	5,390	50	5,330	-	10	Black-----	34	24	8	2	-
Other races-----	130	50	-	70	10	Other races-----	232	94	-	138	-
Race not stated-----	2,360	30	10	-	2,320	Race not stated-----	42	12	-	-	30
HAWAII						NEBRASKA					
All races-----	4,584	2,148	124	2,302	10	All races-----	6,234	5,918	229	83	4
White-----	2,280	1,660	12	604	4	White-----	5,914	5,859	5	50	-
Black-----	226	68	106	52	-	Black-----	259	30	224	5	-
Other races-----	2,058	420	6	1,640	2	Other races-----	54	26	-	28	-
Race not stated-----	10	-	-	6	4	Race not stated-----	7	3	-	-	4
IDAHO						NEW HAMPSHIRE²					
All races-----	6,232	5,916	24	52	240	All races-----	4,806	---	---	---	4,806
White-----	5,890	5,830	2	44	14	White-----	---	---	---	---	---
Black-----	34	12	22	-	-	Black-----	---	---	---	---	---
Other races-----	56	48	-	8	-	Other races-----	---	---	---	---	---
Race not stated-----	252	26	-	-	226	Race not stated-----	4,806	---	---	---	4,806
ILLINOIS						NEW YORK					
All races-----	50,350	40,639	6,631	504	2,576	All races-----	64,154	50,780	10,973	1,331	1,070
White-----	40,589	40,234	115	143	97	White-----	50,528	49,819	387	249	73
Black-----	6,760	213	6,491	25	31	Black-----	11,150	597	10,484	45	24
Other races-----	486	131	15	333	7	Other races-----	1,425	288	91	1,034	12
Race not stated-----	2,615	61	10	3	2,441	Race not stated-----	1,051	76	11	3	961
IOWA						OHIO²					
All races-----	10,586	10,314	152	64	58	All races-----	54,120	---	---	---	54,120
White-----	10,298	10,242	8	42	6	White-----	---	---	---	---	---
Black-----	188	44	144	-	-	Black-----	---	---	---	---	---
Other races-----	48	26	-	22	-	Other races-----	---	---	---	---	---
Race not stated-----	52	2	-	-	50	Race not stated-----	54,120	---	---	---	54,120
KANSAS						OREGON					
All races-----	12,280	11,520	570	160	30	All races-----	16,185	12,375	130	190	3,490
White-----	11,455	11,340	15	95	5	White-----	12,415	12,125	5	125	160
Black-----	695	120	555	20	-	Black-----	170	35	125	10	-
Other races-----	100	55	-	45	-	Other races-----	115	55	-	55	5
Race not stated-----	30	5	-	-	25	Race not stated-----	3,485	160	-	-	3,325

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Table 2-19. Divorces and Annulments by Race of Husband by Race of Wife: Divorce-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data]

Area and race of husband	Total	Race of wife				Area and race of husband	Total	Race of wife			
		White	Black	Other races	Race not stated			White	Black	Other races	Race not stated
PENNSYLVANIA						UTAH					
All races-----	40,220	30,240	2,970	160	6,850	All races-----	8,474	5,402	18	74	2,980
White -----	30,170	29,880	50	50	190	White -----	5,346	5,248	2	36	60
Black -----	3,140	200	2,910	-	30	Black -----	48	30	14	2	2
Other races -----	220	100	10	110	-	Other races -----	78	42	-	34	2
Race not stated -----	6,690	60	-	-	6,630	Race not stated -----	3,002	82	2	2	2,916
RHODE ISLAND						VERMONT					
All races-----	3,525	3,276	138	21	90	All races-----	2,575	2,528	7	14	26
White -----	3,273	3,248	5	12	8	White -----	2,530	2,515	3	12	-
Black -----	155	22	132	1	-	Black -----	10	6	4	-	-
Other races -----	13	4	1	8	-	Other races -----	8	6	-	2	-
Race not stated -----	84	2	-	-	82	Race not stated -----	27	1	-	-	26
SOUTH CAROLINA						VIRGINIA					
All races-----	13,601	11,032	2,429	66	74	All races-----	25,437	21,446	3,632	325	34
White -----	11,060	10,985	12	44	19	White -----	21,433	21,221	40	181	11
Black -----	2,447	26	2,414	3	4	Black -----	3,760	149	3,584	26	1
Other races -----	39	18	1	19	1	Other races -----	212	68	8	136	-
Race not stated -----	55	3	2	-	50	Race not stated -----	32	8	-	2	22
SOUTH DAKOTA						WISCONSIN					
All races-----	2,554	786	-	38	1,730	All races-----	16,510	15,840	630	170	70
White -----	763	726	-	10	27	White -----	15,605	15,495	15	75	20
Black -----	-	-	-	-	-	Black -----	700	75	615	5	5
Other races -----	36	7	-	26	3	Other races -----	145	55	-	90	-
Race not stated -----	1,755	53	-	2	1,700	Race not stated -----	60	15	-	-	45
TENNESSEE						WYOMING					
All races-----	28,930	25,750	2,790	100	290	All races-----	3,983	2,813	3	83	1,104
White -----	25,780	25,660	20	60	40	White -----	2,807	2,783	-	19	5
Black -----	2,870	70	2,770	30	-	Black -----	9	5	3	1	-
Other races -----	30	20	-	10	-	Other races -----	63	20	-	43	-
Race not stated -----	250	-	-	-	250	Race not stated -----	1,104	5	-	-	1,099

1 Figures for race exclude data for Massachusetts, Michigan, New Hampshire and Ohio; these data are included in race not stated.

2 This State did not require reporting of race.

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Table 2-20. Divorces and Annulments by Number of Children Under 18 Years of Age by Race: Divorce-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data. For explanation of method for assigning race of child see Technical Appendix]

Area and race	Total	Number of children reported					
		None	1	2	3	4 or more	Number not stated
DIVORCE-REGISTRATION AREA ¹							
All races -----	572,949	255,339	143,753	111,758	35,815	11,803	14,481
White -----	369,831	170,743	93,488	72,094	21,977	6,837	4,692
Black -----	49,546	22,673	12,795	8,828	3,267	1,504	479
Other races -----	8,772	4,159	2,095	1,564	616	266	72
Race not stated -----	144,800	57,764	35,375	29,272	9,955	3,196	9,238
ALABAMA							
All races -----	25,300	10,560	5,740	3,830	1,340	460	3,370
White -----	18,630	9,180	4,860	3,190	1,030	250	120
Black -----	2,940	1,190	730	520	280	200	20
Other races -----	90	60	10	10	10	10	-
Race not stated -----	3,640	130	140	110	30	-	3,230
ALASKA							
All races -----	3,925	1,777	931	753	229	87	148
White -----	2,897	1,360	675	554	152	59	97
Black -----	189	86	45	34	15	3	6
Other races -----	519	184	144	108	42	19	22
Race not stated -----	320	147	67	57	20	6	23
CONNECTICUT							
All races -----	12,098	5,352	3,062	2,482	746	206	250
White -----	10,398	4,624	2,628	2,144	630	170	202
Black -----	1,028	464	256	192	60	28	28
Other races -----	102	50	26	14	8	-	4
Race not stated -----	570	214	152	132	48	8	16
DELAWARE							
All races -----	3,060	1,351	815	591	188	63	52
White -----	2,538	1,136	670	488	152	47	45
Black -----	438	184	120	85	29	15	5
Other races -----	25	11	9	1	4	-	-
Race not stated -----	59	20	16	17	3	1	2
GEORGIA							
All races -----	32,870	16,250	8,040	5,960	1,700	530	390
White -----	24,840	12,800	5,800	4,490	1,120	330	300
Black -----	5,440	2,260	1,500	1,030	430	180	40
Other races -----	270	150	80	20	20	-	-
Race not stated -----	2,320	1,040	660	420	130	20	50
HAWAII							
All races -----	4,584	2,164	1,092	874	326	128	-
White -----	1,664	910	372	270	100	12	-
Black -----	238	142	54	30	8	4	-
Other races -----	2,678	1,108	666	574	218	112	-
Race not stated -----	4	4	-	-	-	-	-
IDAHO ²							
All races -----	6,232	2,988	1,398	1,150	460	162	74
White -----	5,870	2,826	1,308	1,088	426	148	74
Black -----	36	16	14	6	-	-	-
Other races -----	100	56	26	8	6	4	-
Race not stated -----	226	90	50	48	28	10	-
ILLINOIS							
All races -----	50,350	22,767	12,668	9,954	3,350	1,242	469
White -----	40,392	18,247	10,073	8,139	2,675	924	334
Black -----	6,885	3,021	1,832	1,229	474	239	90
Other races -----	632	335	122	114	40	12	9
Race not stated -----	2,441	1,164	541	472	161	67	36
IOWA							
All races -----	10,586	4,124	2,792	2,502	904	228	36
White -----	10,250	3,974	2,704	2,434	882	220	36
Black -----	198	88	42	46	14	6	-
Other races -----	90	38	32	14	4	2	-
Race not stated -----	50	24	14	8	4	-	-
KANSAS							
All races -----	12,280	5,520	3,205	2,530	755	255	15
White -----	11,350	5,105	2,965	2,350	695	230	5
Black -----	710	335	185	130	45	15	-
Other races -----	196	75	55	40	15	10	-
Race not stated -----	25	5	-	10	-	-	10

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Table 2-20. Divorces and Annulments by Number of Children Under 18 Years of Age by Race: Divorce-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data. For explanation of method for assigning race of child see Technical Appendix]

Area and race	Total	Number of children reported					
		None	1	2	3	4 or more	Number not stated
KENTUCKY							
All races	17,095	7,870	4,835	3,020	880	275	415
White	14,510	6,665	3,965	2,565	740	230	345
Black	990	410	250	240	55	25	10
Other races	80	25	15	10	20	-	10
Race not stated	1,515	770	405	205	65	20	50
MARYLAND							
All races	16,095	7,875	4,225	2,880	720	160	435
White	12,545	6,035	3,180	2,300	550	115	365
Black	3,000	1,410	900	450	160	35	45
Other races	95	45	25	25	-	-	-
Race not stated	455	185	120	105	10	10	25
MASSACHUSETTS ³							
All races	18,530	7,965	4,460	4,185	1,365	435	120
White	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Black	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other races	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Race not stated	18,530	7,965	4,460	4,185	1,365	435	120
MICHIGAN ³							
All races	38,060	15,560	9,140	8,590	3,240	1,100	430
White	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Black	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other races	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Race not stated	38,060	15,560	9,140	8,590	3,240	1,100	430
MISSOURI							
All races	25,904	12,056	6,763	5,017	1,508	480	80
White	23,040	10,776	6,004	4,460	1,338	397	63
Black	2,145	912	591	427	131	73	11
Other races	200	98	46	36	15	3	2
Race not stated	519	268	122	94	24	7	4
MONTANA							
All races	4,672	2,072	1,212	972	288	104	24
White	4,262	1,912	1,092	892	262	86	18
Black	34	18	8	6	-	-	2
Other races	346	130	108	68	22	18	-
Race not stated	30	12	4	6	4	-	4
NEBRASKA							
All races	6,234	2,349	1,577	1,555	556	196	1
White	5,862	2,204	1,487	1,471	518	181	1
Black	284	99	65	60	30	10	-
Other races	104	44	24	24	8	4	-
Race not stated	4	2	1	-	-	1	-
NEW HAMPSHIRE ³							
All races	4,806	1,926	1,243	1,180	350	105	2
White	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Black	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other races	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Race not stated	4,806	1,926	1,243	1,180	350	105	2
NEW YORK							
All races	64,154	32,327	14,920	11,734	3,673	1,295	5
White	49,968	24,562	11,670	9,668	3,091	973	4
Black	11,548	6,227	2,728	1,692	630	270	1
Other races	1,677	1,017	306	219	95	40	-
Race not stated	961	521	216	155	57	12	-
OHIO ³							
All races	54,120	22,860	14,980	11,260	3,640	1,080	300
White	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Black	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other races	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Race not stated	54,120	22,860	14,980	11,260	3,640	1,080	300
OREGON							
All races	16,185	6,265	3,890	3,055	800	230	1,945
White	12,445	4,820	2,940	2,395	615	145	1,530
Black	175	55	55	20	10	15	20
Other races	240	110	45	55	15	-	15
Race not stated	3,325	1,280	850	585	160	70	380

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Table 2-20. Divorces and Annulments by Number of Children Under 18 Years of Age by Race: Divorce-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data. For explanation of method for assigning race of child see Technical Appendix]

Area and race	Total	Number of children reported					
		None	1	2	3	4 or more	Number not stated
PENNSYLVANIA							
All races -----	40,220	15,930	9,170	7,070	2,220	720	5,110
White -----	30,130	13,240	7,810	5,960	1,920	590	610
Black -----	3,190	1,570	800	670	150	100	100
Other races -----	270	110	130	20	10	-	-
Race not stated -----	6,630	1,010	630	420	140	30	4,400
RHODE ISLAND							
All races -----	3,525	1,412	930	797	247	98	41
White -----	3,258	1,291	856	759	226	86	40
Black -----	160	79	44	21	9	6	1
Other races -----	25	11	8	2	4	-	-
Race not stated -----	82	31	22	15	8	6	-
SOUTH CAROLINA							
All races -----	13,601	6,215	3,837	2,563	709	230	47
White -----	11,007	5,249	3,045	2,044	495	138	36
Black -----	2,461	898	765	495	201	92	10
Other races -----	83	45	17	12	9	-	-
Race not stated -----	50	23	10	12	4	-	1
SOUTH DAKOTA							
All races -----	2,554	958	686	601	208	76	25
White -----	806	288	199	204	72	31	12
Black -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other races -----	48	12	12	13	7	4	-
Race not stated -----	1,700	658	475	384	129	41	13
TENNESSEE							
All races -----	28,930	14,330	7,880	4,970	1,200	340	210
White -----	25,700	12,940	7,090	4,340	940	250	140
Black -----	2,890	1,260	700	570	210	80	70
Other races -----	90	40	20	20	10	-	-
Race not stated -----	250	90	70	40	40	10	-
UTAH							
All races -----	8,474	3,228	1,956	1,628	854	502	306
White -----	5,390	1,948	1,240	1,070	610	360	162
Black -----	52	30	8	6	6	-	2
Other races -----	116	38	36	22	10	4	6
Race not stated -----	2,916	1,212	672	530	228	138	136
VERMONT							
All races -----	2,575	946	652	699	208	69	1
White -----	2,516	923	638	682	205	67	1
Black -----	13	6	3	2	2	-	-
Other races -----	20	9	4	5	1	1	-
Race not stated -----	26	8	7	10	-	1	-
VIRGINIA							
All races -----	25,437	12,822	6,638	4,418	1,183	280	96
White -----	21,240	10,974	5,458	3,627	912	192	79
Black -----	3,800	1,625	1,102	729	253	78	13
Other races -----	375	214	73	68	18	9	3
Race not stated -----	22	9	7	4	-	1	1
WISCONSIN							
All races -----	16,510	8,000	4,280	4,085	1,495	585	65
White -----	15,530	5,585	4,040	3,885	1,420	540	60
Black -----	715	285	195	135	65	30	5
Other races -----	220	110	35	60	5	10	-
Race not stated -----	45	20	10	5	5	5	-
WYOMING							
All races -----	3,983	1,720	1,036	853	273	82	19
White -----	2,793	1,167	721	625	201	66	13
Black -----	9	3	3	3	-	-	-
Other races -----	82	34	21	12	10	4	1
Race not stated -----	1,099	516	291	213	62	12	5

1 Figures for race exclude data for Massachusetts, Michigan, New Hampshire, and Ohio; these data are included in race not stated.

2 This State asks for number of children affected by decree.

3 This State did not require reporting of race.

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Table 2-21. Divorces and Annulments by Age at Marriage of Husband and Wife by Duration of Marriage at Time of Decree: Divorce-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Age of husband and wife at time of marriage	Total	Duration of marriage at time of decree									
		Under 1 year	1-2 years	3-4 years	5-9 years	10-14 years	15-19 years	20-24 years	25-29 years	30 years and over	Duration not stated
HUSBAND											
All ages -----	572,949	23,088	94,833	94,133	146,420	88,482	51,436	31,526	18,163	16,539	8,329
Under 20 years -----	77,229	1,401	9,652	11,693	21,034	14,406	7,936	5,257	2,892	2,534	424
20-24 years -----	213,512	4,592	28,399	31,735	53,560	38,731	24,363	15,196	8,728	7,835	373
25-29 years -----	99,050	3,649	17,633	17,882	27,172	13,707	7,899	4,899	3,055	3,043	111
30-34 years -----	46,539	2,987	10,603	9,374	12,499	5,262	2,569	1,458	948	811	26
35-39 years -----	25,606	2,189	6,412	5,279	6,332	2,699	1,441	716	312	195	31
40-44 years -----	16,197	1,701	4,080	2,950	4,103	2,041	821	296	127	74	4
45 years and over -----	23,678	3,437	6,888	4,515	5,505	2,139	772	278	98	44	2
Age not stated -----	71,138	3,132	11,166	10,705	16,215	9,497	5,635	3,426	2,003	2,003	7,356
WIFE											
All ages -----	572,949	23,088	94,833	94,133	146,420	88,482	51,436	31,526	18,163	16,539	8,329
Under 20 years -----	174,812	3,144	22,106	25,214	45,491	30,831	19,829	13,708	7,581	6,659	251
20-24 years -----	180,959	4,873	26,402	29,598	47,068	31,551	18,619	10,769	6,365	5,552	72
25-29 years -----	66,485	3,361	14,171	13,059	18,341	8,744	3,976	2,104	1,314	1,371	24
30-34 years -----	33,321	2,652	8,301	7,055	8,835	3,355	1,454	768	508	334	39
35-39 years -----	18,262	2,042	5,211	3,593	4,225	1,726	765	341	191	166	1
40-44 years -----	10,430	1,440	2,925	1,868	2,534	1,052	406	124	45	33	3
45 years and over -----	14,312	2,243	4,374	2,584	3,146	1,275	471	138	66	13	2
Age not stated -----	74,368	3,313	11,343	11,162	16,779	9,948	5,916	3,566	2,093	2,311	7,937

Table 2-22. Divorces and Annulments by Duration of Marriage at Time of Decree: Divorce-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area	Total	Duration of marriage at time of decree															
		Under 1 year	1 year	2 years	3 years	4 years	5 years	6 years	7 years	8 years	9 years	10-14 years	15-19 years	20-24 years	25-29 years	30 years and over	Duration not stated
Divorce-registration area -----	572,949	23,088	44,385	50,448	49,999	44,134	37,620	32,054	28,339	24,981	23,426	88,482	51,436	31,526	18,163	16,539	8,329
Alabama -----	25,300	2,490	2,220	2,400	2,210	1,560	1,240	1,130	910	770	610	2,350	1,870	890	590	610	3,450
Alaska -----	3,925	257	460	471	403	333	256	232	182	165	170	468	260	129	56	46	37
Connecticut -----	12,098	176	714	940	942	876	780	624	588	518	498	2,034	1,362	972	408	466	112
Delaware -----	3,060	81	211	262	238	236	220	177	167	122	139	495	313	158	95	121	25
Georgia -----	32,870	2,650	3,560	3,480	2,940	2,620	2,040	1,790	1,390	1,210	1,140	4,400	2,550	1,200	800	850	450
Hawaii -----	4,584	160	380	468	442	404	310	254	218	230	194	730	352	214	102	122	4
Idaho -----	6,232	512	710	644	620	476	442	304	308	260	176	774	442	234	158	116	58
Illinois -----	50,350	2,226	4,507	4,752	4,582	3,797	3,264	2,871	2,503	2,178	1,989	7,671	4,241	2,671	1,544	1,342	202
Iowa -----	10,586	322	908	990	1,010	862	646	572	568	512	438	1,628	908	582	300	304	36
Kansas -----	12,280	895	1,475	1,390	1,195	980	750	625	510	575	420	1,540	805	505	295	240	80
Kentucky -----	17,085	1,235	1,830	1,715	1,850	1,305	1,110	965	750	690	630	2,310	1,285	725	365	355	175
Maryland -----	16,095	50	390	900	1,155	1,230	1,095	1,020	1,025	945	720	3,060	1,845	1,145	720	640	155
Massachusetts -----	18,530	35	335	920	1,415	1,405	1,300	1,345	1,035	875	830	3,815	2,010	1,265	960	770	215
Michigan -----	38,060	1,080	2,500	3,150	3,180	3,030	2,680	2,000	1,970	1,950	1,660	5,800	3,990	2,360	1,220	1,200	290
Missouri -----	25,904	1,492	2,647	2,707	2,412	2,064	1,719	1,452	1,163	1,053	924	3,608	1,958	1,238	854	823	192
Montana -----	4,872	304	526	500	482	342	346	280	228	154	162	608	334	180	118	64	24
Nebraska -----	6,234	228	577	571	567	518	432	304	287	283	248	953	507	371	194	176	18
New Hampshire -----	4,806	111	342	402	372	391	309	289	273	215	227	849	449	288	151	129	9
New York -----	64,154	1,402	3,688	4,876	5,293	4,577	3,891	3,526	3,244	2,940	2,774	11,219	6,730	4,515	2,598	2,407	474
Ohio -----	54,120	2,520	5,080	4,980	4,680	4,660	3,720	3,160	2,560	2,200	2,060	8,060	4,520	2,780	1,460	1,400	280
Oregon -----	16,185	555	1,450	1,470	1,525	1,280	1,245	965	785	630	730	2,405	1,360	800	365	335	285
Pennsylvania -----	40,220	480	1,800	2,700	3,110	2,620	2,860	2,330	2,300	1,930	2,050	7,190	4,040	2,620	1,730	1,650	810
Rhode Island -----	3,525	36	179	259	309	249	229	194	188	184	169	622	346	257	135	124	45
South Carolina -----	13,601	270	858	1,211	1,269	1,153	925	771	734	647	566	2,275	1,251	774	389	426	82
South Dakota -----	2,554	101	221	247	252	225	205	144	131	103	103	347	193	130	73	77	2
Tennessee -----	28,930	2,170	2,960	3,050	2,840	2,190	1,670	1,410	1,300	960	1,230	4,130	2,120	1,260	690	530	420
Utah -----	8,474	552	948	912	846	680	648	408	400	360	282	1,052	570	286	156	168	206
Vermont -----	2,575	19	99	182	183	198	181	167	162	123	118	502	273	176	101	86	5
Virginia -----	25,437	199	1,294	2,044	2,144	2,138	1,787	1,569	1,434	1,176	1,182	4,355	2,619	1,691	949	777	79
Wisconsin -----	10,510	165	1,020	1,415	1,305	1,415	1,040	935	830	865	850	2,760	1,710	990	635	495	80
Wyoming -----	3,983	315	496	440	418	320	280	241	200	158	137	472	223	122	62	70	29

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Table 2-23. Divorces and Annulments by Duration of Marriage at Time of Separation: 21 Reporting States, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area	All divorces and annulments	Duration of marriage at time of separation																
		Under 6 months	6-11 months	1 year	2 years	3 years	4 years	5 years	6 years	7 years	8 years	9 years	10-14 years	15-19 years	20-24 years	25-29 years	30 years and over	Duration not stated
Total, 21 States----	358,619	21,528	19,323	35,848	31,915	26,969	21,093	17,608	15,326	13,677	12,208	10,723	39,728	23,647	14,249	7,084	5,249	42,446
Alabama-----	25,300	2,150	1,630	2,030	2,180	1,810	1,190	810	900	650	540	430	1,860	1,370	690	360	360	6,320
Alaska-----	3,925	306	262	473	390	318	254	191	169	149	111	111	349	184	90	40	27	501
Connecticut----	12,098	372	462	972	924	762	666	576	502	420	422	368	1,540	974	674	338	254	1,852
Hawaii-----	4,584	328	282	496	466	410	280	252	202	216	160	150	552	276	156	82	64	212
Idaho-----	8,232	492	388	638	594	532	374	324	260	228	206	150	610	336	202	126	94	680
Illinois-----	50,350	3,055	2,790	4,887	4,326	3,624	2,894	2,347	2,045	1,711	1,452	1,350	4,914	2,671	1,654	884	556	9,190
Iowa-----	10,586	480	492	1,000	978	758	588	478	502	402	428	358	1,192	732	448	232	220	1,298
Kansas-----	12,280	795	835	1,505	1,200	940	710	640	495	435	490	320	1,270	710	460	195	205	1,075
Michigan-----	38,060	1,550	1,760	3,580	3,260	3,170	2,280	1,920	1,790	1,850	1,460	1,230	4,590	2,950	1,920	810	640	3,300
Missouri-----	25,904	1,977	1,648	3,088	2,551	2,011	1,714	1,398	1,164	980	946	774	2,969	1,661	1,044	518	430	1,053
Montana-----	4,672	278	290	522	476	378	278	264	212	154	148	124	510	280	140	84	48	486
Nebraska-----	6,234	303	326	645	534	515	435	306	268	254	251	215	773	438	316	172	126	357
New Hampshire----	4,806	212	218	429	429	358	291	295	241	208	182	194	676	374	234	112	78	275
New York-----	64,154	3,832	3,449	6,787	5,963	4,848	3,922	3,398	2,946	2,602	2,313	2,060	7,891	4,735	2,896	1,367	967	4,178
Rhode Island----	3,525	133	120	270	205	202	156	155	112	104	113	86	312	165	117	55	49	1,171
Tennessee-----	28,930	2,420	1,660	3,170	2,500	2,030	1,500	1,270	1,140	940	820	940	2,780	1,630	860	380	320	4,560
Utah-----	8,474	646	414	688	592	432	418	320	258	242	172	178	540	270	166	66	70	3,002
Vermont-----	2,575	100	103	211	231	192	167	155	127	130	113	101	430	226	135	75	48	31
Virginia-----	25,437	1,347	1,367	2,713	2,433	2,068	1,717	1,450	1,157	1,073	999	906	3,380	2,106	1,243	621	382	475
Wisconsin-----	16,510	520	595	1,350	1,360	1,300	1,040	850	675	825	790	585	2,260	1,405	720	510	280	1,445
Wyoming-----	3,983	232	236	394	323	291	219	209	161	124	90	93	310	154	84	47	31	985

Table 2-24. Divorces and Annulments by Duration of Separation at Time of Decree: 21 Reporting States, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area	All divorces and annulments	Duration of separation at time of decree														
		Under 6 months	6-11 months	1 year	2 years	3 years	4 years	5 years	6 years	7 years	8 years	9 years	10-14 years	15-19 years	20 years and over	Duration not stated
Total, 21 States -----	358,619	89,205	75,130	82,911	29,392	13,844	7,309	4,368	3,003	2,250	1,859	1,215	3,773	1,227	1,344	41,789
Alabama -----	25,300	11,710	3,610	1,910	650	450	220	170	80	70	70	20	60	60	60	6,160
Alaska -----	3,925	1,490	776	654	249	110	51	36	21	20	18	7	13	1	1	478
Connecticut -----	12,098	1,998	3,714	2,690	832	354	222	104	56	56	38	22	124	20	40	1,828
Hawaii -----	4,684	1,026	1,028	1,266	496	242	98	58	42	38	16	14	26	10	16	208
Idaho -----	6,232	2,974	1,114	716	234	100	46	22	14	14	2	10	16	2	4	964
Illinois -----	50,360	14,610	9,104	8,545	3,492	1,746	914	587	455	327	284	192	561	166	242	9,125
Iowa -----	10,586	3,070	3,278	2,056	502	194	68	48	28	22	18	2	20	4	6	1,270
Kansas -----	12,280	6,620	2,700	1,265	265	185	50	20	35	20	10	5	30	15	5	1,055
Michigan -----	38,060	5,710	11,830	10,950	3,010	1,270	580	360	230	180	180	120	340	30	80	3,190
Missouri -----	25,904	10,568	6,773	4,364	1,398	673	312	181	148	98	87	53	181	50	62	956
Montana -----	4,672	2,292	888	640	200	86	44	20	14	2	-	6	4	6	4	466
Nebraska -----	6,234	2,336	1,988	1,015	290	110	51	23	16	10	6	7	18	3	6	355
New Hampshire -----	4,806	1,127	1,500	1,221	352	130	71	41	31	14	17	5	16	6	5	270
New York -----	64,154	6,776	6,880	20,423	9,564	5,092	2,889	1,790	1,259	979	800	554	1,794	656	624	4,074
Rhode Island -----	3,525	39	712	786	380	179	93	44	35	26	15	6	34	7	4	1,165
Tennessee -----	28,930	11,450	6,130	3,910	1,320	520	450	180	130	70	70	20	160	50	70	4,400
Utah -----	8,474	1,080	2,166	1,622	374	122	58	44	18	8	6	2	10	2	2	2,960
Vermont -----	2,575	13	630	1,232	398	129	48	26	16	8	11	6	18	5	4	31
Virginia -----	25,437	171	3,680	12,888	3,858	1,690	835	487	309	249	188	137	296	114	102	433
Wisconsin -----	16,510	2,335	5,955	4,420	1,435	415	190	120	60	35	20	25	50	20	5	1,425
Wyoming -----	3,983	1,810	674	338	93	47	19	7	6	4	3	2	2	-	2	976

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Table 2-25. Divorces and Annulments by Age of Husband and Wife at Time of Decree and Number of Children Under 18 Years of Age: Divorce-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Age of husband and wife at time of decree	All divorces and annulments	Number of children reported					
		None	1	2	3	4 or more	Number not stated
HUSBAND							
Total -----	572,949	255,339	143,753	111,758	35,815	11,803	14,481
Under 20 years -----	2,846	1,526	1,118	127	28	4	45
20-24 years -----	55,347	27,114	20,342	6,374	737	94	686
25-29 years -----	107,728	48,074	31,961	20,735	4,931	915	1,112
30-34 years -----	106,047	40,706	26,694	26,793	8,387	2,447	1,020
35-39 years -----	83,668	28,054	18,624	23,590	9,077	3,361	982
40-44 years -----	57,911	21,940	13,359	13,984	5,576	2,315	737
45-49 years -----	36,529	19,071	8,717	5,302	1,930	957	552
50 years and over -----	55,186	42,001	7,258	3,135	1,131	542	1,119
Age not stated -----	67,687	26,853	15,680	11,718	4,020	1,188	8,248
WIFE							
Total -----	572,949	255,339	143,753	111,758	35,815	11,803	14,481
Under 20 years -----	12,554	6,571	5,024	715	64	8	172
20-24 years -----	87,444	40,885	30,797	12,415	2,075	282	990
25-29 years -----	118,878	49,994	33,021	25,906	7,044	1,866	1,247
30-34 years -----	98,023	35,317	22,342	26,952	9,212	3,169	1,031
35-39 years -----	75,291	25,842	15,465	20,806	8,736	3,615	827
40-44 years -----	47,762	21,234	11,805	9,365	3,384	1,380	834
45-49 years -----	27,715	17,682	5,842	2,580	813	346	452
50 years and over -----	35,019	29,730	3,220	939	237	116	777
Age not stated -----	70,243	28,084	16,237	12,080	4,250	1,241	8,351

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Table 2-26. Divorces and Annulments by Duration of Marriage at Time of Decree and Number of Children Reported: Divorce-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data. Refers to children under 18 years of age]

Area and duration of marriage at time of decree	All divorces and annulments	Number of children reported					Area and duration of marriage at time of decree	All divorces and annulments	Number of children reported				
		None	1	2	3 or more	Number not stated			None	1	2	3 or more	Number not stated
DIVORCE-REGISTRATION AREA							IDAHO¹						
Total -----	572,949	255,339	143,753	111,758	47,618	14,481	Total -----	6,232	2,988	1,398	1,150	622	74
Under 1 year----	23,088	19,830	1,908	650	259	441	Under 1 year----	512	428	66	10	2	6
1-2 years-----	94,833	66,015	21,942	3,837	1,110	1,929	1-2 years-----	1,364	936	336	60	12	10
3-4 years-----	94,133	50,226	29,527	10,442	2,039	1,899	3-4 years-----	1,096	558	328	162	38	12
5-9 years-----	146,420	56,667	42,183	34,289	10,607	2,694	5-9 years-----	1,488	546	370	396	160	16
10-14 years----	86,482	19,499	20,501	32,228	14,841	1,413	10-14 years----	774	176	138	284	164	12
15 years and over-----	117,664	41,229	26,433	29,376	18,277	2,349	15 years and over-----	950	324	144	224	240	18
Duration not stated-----	8,329	1,873	1,259	956	485	3,756	Duration not stated-----	58	20	18	14	6	-
ALABAMA							ILLINOIS						
Total -----	25,300	10,560	5,740	3,830	1,800	3,370	Total -----	50,350	22,767	12,568	9,954	4,592	469
Under 1 year----	2,490	2,050	290	90	40	20	Under 1 year----	2,226	1,915	187	67	34	23
1-2 years-----	4,620	3,180	1,090	200	130	20	1-2 years-----	9,259	6,473	2,160	419	127	80
3-4 years-----	3,770	1,940	1,260	450	120	-	3-4 years-----	8,389	4,385	2,615	1,074	238	77
5-9 years-----	4,660	1,530	1,600	1,150	320	60	5-9 years-----	12,805	4,893	3,620	3,125	1,059	105
10-14 years----	2,350	420	530	920	460	20	10-14 years----	7,671	1,706	1,702	2,791	1,417	55
15 years and over-----	3,960	1,360	900	980	710	10	15 years and over-----	9,798	3,296	2,248	2,437	1,691	126
Duration not stated-----	3,460	80	70	40	20	3,240	Duration not stated-----	202	99	36	38	26	3
ALASKA							IOWA						
Total -----	3,925	1,777	931	753	316	148	Total -----	10,586	4,124	2,792	2,502	1,132	36
Under 1 year----	257	201	28	10	7	11	Under 1 year----	322	280	24	12	6	-
1-2 years-----	931	613	198	53	16	51	1-2 years-----	1,898	1,216	522	132	26	2
3-4 years-----	736	341	215	120	29	31	3-4 years-----	1,872	804	730	274	54	10
5-9 years-----	1,005	358	269	254	96	28	5-9 years-----	2,736	878	762	822	268	6
10-14 years----	488	107	96	170	84	11	10-14 years----	1,628	256	270	710	390	2
15 years and over-----	491	141	116	142	82	10	15 years and over-----	2,094	670	478	544	386	16
Duration not stated-----	37	16	9	4	2	6	Duration not stated-----	36	20	6	8	2	-
CONNECTICUT							KANSAS						
Total -----	12,098	5,352	3,062	2,482	952	250	Total -----	12,280	5,520	3,205	2,530	1,010	15
Under 1 year----	176	148	20	6	-	2	Under 1 year----	895	735	100	30	30	-
1-2 years-----	1,654	1,174	380	52	12	36	1-2 years-----	2,865	1,770	865	165	65	-
3-4 years-----	1,818	1,012	544	194	36	32	3-4 years-----	2,175	955	700	440	80	-
5-9 years-----	3,006	1,306	840	642	162	56	5-9 years-----	2,880	960	770	855	290	5
10-14 years----	2,034	488	478	762	272	34	10-14 years----	1,540	330	365	575	265	5
15 years and over-----	3,298	1,190	772	808	456	72	15 years and over-----	1,845	730	400	450	265	-
Duration not stated-----	112	34	28	18	14	18	Duration not stated-----	80	40	5	15	15	5
DELAWARE							KENTUCKY						
Total -----	3,060	1,351	815	591	251	52	Total -----	17,095	7,870	4,635	3,020	1,165	415
Under 1 year----	81	63	8	4	2	4	Under 1 year----	1,235	1,085	40	40	15	55
1-2 years-----	473	361	86	17	1	8	1-2 years-----	3,545	2,520	810	105	20	90
3-4 years-----	474	257	160	45	5	7	3-4 years-----	2,955	1,455	1,100	290	40	70
5-9 years-----	825	314	285	170	46	10	5-9 years-----	4,145	1,450	1,385	1,005	245	60
10-14 years----	495	112	123	183	73	4	10-14 years----	2,310	455	590	860	365	40
15 years and over-----	687	233	146	167	123	18	15 years and over-----	2,730	820	680	700	440	90
Duration not stated-----	25	11	7	5	1	1	Duration not stated-----	175	85	30	20	30	10
GEORGIA							MARYLAND						
Total -----	32,870	16,250	8,040	5,960	2,230	390	Total -----	16,095	7,675	4,225	2,880	880	435
Under 1 year----	2,650	2,360	170	100	-	20	Under 1 year----	50	35	5	10	-	-
1-2 years-----	7,040	5,210	1,360	320	70	90	1-2 years-----	1,290	975	230	30	5	50
3-4 years-----	5,560	2,760	1,670	720	130	60	3-4 years-----	2,385	1,670	570	110	10	25
5-9 years-----	7,570	2,940	2,160	1,770	630	70	5-9 years-----	4,805	2,280	1,550	725	155	95
10-14 years----	4,400	1,010	1,040	1,680	630	40	10-14 years----	3,060	930	750	985	320	75
15 years and over-----	5,200	1,840	1,330	1,290	710	30	15 years and over-----	4,350	1,725	1,060	995	380	190
Duration not stated-----	450	130	120	80	60	60	Duration not stated-----	155	60	60	25	10	-
HAWAII							MASSACHUSETTS						
Total -----	4,584	2,164	1,092	874	454	-	Total -----	18,530	7,965	4,460	4,185	1,800	120
Under 1 year----	160	122	30	4	4	-	Under 1 year----	35	25	5	5	-	-
1-2 years-----	848	626	148	50	24	-	1-2 years-----	1,255	995	190	40	25	5
3-4 years-----	846	464	238	110	34	-	3-4 years-----	2,820	1,860	710	195	50	5
5-9 years-----	1,206	488	328	266	124	-	5-9 years-----	5,385	2,545	1,345	1,185	305	25
10-14 years----	730	168	170	244	148	-	10-14 years----	3,815	930	930	1,350	590	15
15 years and over-----	790	296	174	200	120	-	15 years and over-----	5,005	1,550	1,230	1,395	810	20
Duration not stated-----	4	-	4	-	-	-	Duration not stated-----	215	60	50	35	20	50

¹This State asks for number of children affected by decree.

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Table 2-26. Divorces and Annulments by Duration of Marriage at Time of Decree and Number of Children Reported: Divorce-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data. Refers to children under 18 years of age]

Area and duration of marriage at time of decree	All divorces and annulments	Number of children reported					Area and duration of marriage at time of decree	All divorces and annulments	Number of children reported				
		None	1	2	3 or more	Number not stated			None	1	2	3 or more	Number not stated
MICHIGAN							OREGON						
Total -----	38,060	15,560	9,140	8,590	4,340	430	Total -----	16,185	6,265	3,890	3,055	1,030	1,945
Under 1 year-----	1,080	970	70	10	10	20	Under 1 year-----	555	365	50	20	-	120
1-2 years-----	5,650	4,020	1,220	280	60	70	1-2 years-----	2,920	1,650	666	106	5	595
3-4 years-----	6,210	3,190	1,920	810	180	110	3-4 years-----	2,805	1,285	800	270	45	405
5-9 years-----	10,260	3,650	2,940	2,590	990	90	5-9 years-----	4,355	1,445	1,275	940	255	440
10-14 years-----	5,800	980	1,150	2,140	1,490	40	10-14 years-----	2,405	515	535	870	310	175
15 years and over-----	8,770	2,680	1,750	2,660	1,600	80	15 years and over-----	2,860	955	595	765	390	155
Duration not stated -----	290	70	90	100	10	20	Duration not stated -----	285	50	70	85	25	55
MISSOURI							PENNSYLVANIA						
Total -----	25,904	12,056	6,763	5,017	1,988	80	Total -----	40,220	15,930	9,170	7,070	2,940	5,110
Under 1 year-----	1,492	1,338	111	25	17	1	Under 1 year-----	480	370	40	10	-	60
1-2 years-----	5,354	3,766	1,315	206	46	21	1-2 years-----	4,500	2,880	900	120	50	550
3-4 years-----	4,476	2,302	1,526	550	92	6	3-4 years-----	5,730	2,930	1,430	430	80	880
5-9 years-----	6,311	2,270	1,849	1,671	498	23	5-9 years-----	11,470	4,140	3,050	2,240	590	1,450
10-14 years-----	3,608	732	849	1,402	610	15	10-14 years-----	7,190	1,510	1,720	2,180	970	810
15 years and over-----	4,471	1,560	1,061	1,124	713	13	15 years and over-----	10,040	3,670	1,830	1,990	1,170	1,180
Duration not stated -----	192	88	52	39	12	1	Duration not stated -----	810	230	200	100	80	200
MONTANA							RHODE ISLAND						
Total -----	4,672	2,072	1,212	972	392	24	Total -----	3,525	1,412	930	797	345	41
Under 1 year-----	304	248	30	20	6	-	Under 1 year-----	36	29	4	1	1	1
1-2 years-----	1,026	642	282	60	30	12	1-2 years-----	438	333	87	8	4	6
3-4 years-----	824	394	294	100	32	4	3-4 years-----	558	317	169	55	11	6
5-9 years-----	1,170	392	308	352	114	4	5-9 years-----	964	384	291	245	53	11
10-14 years-----	608	156	122	230	100	-	10-14 years-----	622	119	159	243	96	5
15 years and over-----	716	230	170	204	108	4	15 years and over-----	862	233	209	235	173	12
Duration not stated -----	24	10	6	6	2	-	Duration not stated -----	45	17	11	10	7	-
NEBRASKA							SOUTH CAROLINA						
Total -----	6,234	2,349	1,577	1,555	752	1	Total -----	13,601	6,215	3,837	2,563	939	47
Under 1 year-----	228	184	26	14	4	-	Under 1 year-----	270	248	16	5	1	2
1-2 years-----	1,148	692	334	89	33	-	1-2 years-----	2,069	1,586	412	53	11	7
3-4 years-----	1,085	467	382	193	43	-	3-4 years-----	2,422	1,378	737	213	29	15
5-9 years-----	1,554	446	421	493	184	-	5-9 years-----	3,643	1,401	1,317	735	179	11
10-14 years-----	953	157	146	405	245	-	10-14 years-----	2,275	510	614	818	331	2
15 years and over-----	1,248	400	260	356	231	1	15 years and over-----	2,840	1,058	677	717	381	7
Duration not stated -----	18	3	8	5	2	-	Duration not stated -----	82	36	14	22	7	3
NEW HAMPSHIRE							SOUTH DAKOTA						
Total -----	4,806	1,926	1,243	1,180	455	2	Total -----	2,554	958	686	601	284	25
Under 1 year-----	111	92	10	6	3	-	Under 1 year-----	101	88	10	2	-	1
1-2 years-----	744	503	180	50	11	-	1-2 years-----	468	284	156	20	3	5
3-4 years-----	763	360	281	98	24	-	3-4 years-----	477	200	190	74	12	1
5-9 years-----	1,313	453	349	383	127	1	5-9 years-----	686	174	180	250	75	6
10-14 years-----	849	165	201	355	128	-	10-14 years-----	347	52	47	150	97	1
15 years and over-----	1,017	351	219	287	159	1	15 years and over-----	473	159	102	105	96	11
Duration not stated -----	9	2	3	1	3	-	Duration not stated -----	2	1	1	-	-	-
NEW YORK							TENNESSEE						
Total -----	64,154	32,327	14,920	11,734	5,168	5	Total -----	28,930	14,330	7,880	4,970	1,540	210
Under 1 year-----	1,402	1,301	74	18	9	-	Under 1 year-----	2,170	1,970	130	30	10	30
1-2 years-----	8,564	7,109	1,208	186	49	2	1-2 years-----	6,010	4,260	1,480	160	70	40
3-4 years-----	9,870	6,637	2,421	687	124	1	3-4 years-----	5,030	2,690	1,620	860	40	20
5-9 years-----	16,375	7,515	4,790	3,206	863	1	5-9 years-----	6,570	2,580	2,170	1,440	360	20
10-14 years-----	11,219	3,037	2,795	3,715	1,672	-	10-14 years-----	4,130	1,000	1,180	1,530	410	10
15 years and over-----	16,250	6,458	3,544	3,834	2,413	1	15 years and over-----	4,600	1,680	1,160	1,090	600	70
Duration not stated -----	474	270	88	78	38	-	Duration not stated -----	420	150	140	60	50	20
OHIO							UTAH						
Total -----	54,120	22,860	14,980	11,260	4,720	300	Total -----	8,474	3,228	1,956	1,628	1,356	306
Under 1 year-----	2,520	2,120	280	60	20	40	Under 1 year-----	552	466	34	12	20	20
1-2 years-----	10,060	6,060	3,400	480	20	100	1-2 years-----	1,860	1,138	506	100	62	54
3-4 years-----	9,340	4,420	3,620	1,000	260	40	3-4 years-----	1,526	618	556	236	76	38
5-9 years-----	13,700	5,300	3,700	3,540	1,160	-	5-9 years-----	2,098	538	466	686	342	66
10-14 years-----	8,060	1,480	1,640	3,480	1,460	-	10-14 years-----	1,052	144	148	322	418	20
15 years and over-----	10,160	3,320	2,280	2,640	1,800	120	15 years and over-----	1,180	276	208	236	416	44
Duration not stated -----	280	160	60	60	-	-	Duration not stated -----	206	48	38	36	20	64

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Table 2-26. Divorces and Annulments by Duration of Marriage at Time of Decree and Number of Children Reported: Divorce-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983—Con.

[Based on sample data. Refers to children under 18 years of age]

Area and duration of marriage at time of decree	All divorces and annulments	Number of children reported					Area and duration of marriage at time of decree	All divorces and annulments	Number of children reported											
		None	1	2	3 or more	Number not stated			None	1	2	3 or more	Number not stated							
VERMONT																				
Total -----	2,575	946	652	699	277	1	WISCONSIN													
Under 1 year----	19	18	-	-	1	-	Under 1 year----	165	130	15	10	10	-							
1-2 years-----	281	203	58	15	5	-	1-2 years-----	2,435	1,450	740	150	85	10							
3-4 years-----	381	182	145	49	5	-	3-4 years-----	2,720	1,220	945	485	50	20							
5-9 years-----	751	266	202	220	62	1	5-9 years-----	4,520	1,545	1,060	1,380	525	10							
10-14 years----	502	90	109	223	80	-	10-14 years----	2,760	540	535	995	685	5							
15 years and over-----	636	186	137	190	123	-	15 years and over-----	3,830	1,085	970	1,040	715	20							
Duration not stated -----	5	1	1	2	1	-	Duration not stated -----	80	30	15	25	10	-							
VIRGINIA																				
Total -----	25,437	12,822	6,638	4,418	1,463	96	WYOMING													
Under 1 year----	199	186	3	6	2	2	Under 1 year----	315	262	32	13	5	3							
1-2 years-----	3,338	2,800	467	47	16	8	1-2 years-----	936	590	267	55	17	7							
3-4 years-----	4,282	2,852	1,145	226	38	21	3-4 years-----	738	323	258	122	32	3							
5-9 years-----	7,148	3,377	2,280	1,219	250	22	5-9 years-----	1,016	323	251	331	109	2							
10-14 years----	4,355	1,148	1,275	1,457	459	16	10-14 years----	472	76	94	199	102	1							
15 years and over-----	6,036	2,415	1,457	1,448	689	27	15 years and over-----	477	138	126	123	87	3							
Duration not stated -----	79	44	11	15	9	-	Duration not stated -----	29	8	8	10	3	-							

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Table 2-27. Divorces and Annulments by Petitioner and Number of Children Reported: Divorce-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data. Refers to children under 18 years of age]

Number of children reported	Total	Petitioner				
		Husband	Wife	Husband and wife	Other person	Petitioner not stated
Divorce-registration area -----	572,949	178,646	349,356	34,257	17	10,673
None -----	255,339	90,406	144,980	15,469	3	4,481
One child -----	143,753	39,625	94,004	8,598	10	1,516
Two children -----	111,758	31,194	72,387	7,045	2	1,130
Three children -----	35,815	10,175	23,338	1,942	2	358
Four children -----	8,883	2,360	5,957	422	-	144
Five children -----	1,985	576	1,284	118	-	7
Six children or more -----	935	188	714	16	-	17
Number of children not stated -----	14,481	4,122	6,692	647	-	3,020

Table 2-28. Divorces and Annulments by Petitioner: Divorce-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area	Total	Petitioner			
		Husband	Wife	Husband and wife	Other person or not stated
Divorce-registration area -----	572,949	178,646	349,356	34,257	10,690
Alabama -----	25,300	7,140	15,430	510	2,220
Alaska -----	3,925	604	1,091	2,084	146
Connecticut -----	12,098	3,934	7,808	4	352
Delaware -----	3,060	1,263	1,759	15	23
Georgia -----	32,870	10,790	21,160	360	580
Hawaii -----	4,584	1,688	2,858	56	4
Idaho -----	6,232	2,108	4,120	4	2
Illinois -----	50,360	15,513	34,493	284	60
Iowa -----	10,566	3,298	7,226	2	60
Kansas -----	12,280	3,925	8,255	100	-
Kentucky -----	17,095	5,110	10,145	620	1,220
Maryland -----	16,095	6,510	9,485	10	90
Massachusetts -----	18,530	5,465	12,960	80	25
Michigan -----	38,060	12,580	24,010	430	1,040
Missouri -----	25,904	8,302	16,865	504	233
Montana -----	4,672	1,204	2,708	666	74
Nebraska -----	6,234	1,868	4,327	37	2
New Hampshire -----	4,806	1,696	3,109	-	1
New York -----	84,154	24,282	38,615	107	1,150
Ohio -----	54,120	7,660	21,860	24,160	440
Oregon -----	16,185	4,860	9,550	1,730	45
Pennsylvania -----	40,220	15,370	22,920	50	1,880
Rhode Island -----	3,525	1,056	2,448	8	13
South Carolina -----	13,801	4,535	9,031	-	35
South Dakota -----	2,554	739	1,810	-	5
Tennessee -----	28,930	8,540	19,830	110	450
Utah -----	8,474	2,362	5,716	292	104
Vermont -----	2,575	880	1,692	23	-
Virginia -----	25,437	10,177	15,248	-	12
Wisconsin -----	16,510	3,900	10,200	1,970	440
Wyoming -----	3,983	1,331	2,627	21	4

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Table 2-29. Divorces and Annulments by Duration of Marriage at Time of Decree by Number of This Marriage of Husband and Wife: Divorce-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data. Figures for number of this marriage exclude data for South Dakota; these data are included in number of this marriage not stated]

Duration of marriage at time of decree	All divorces and annulments	Number of this marriage of husband					Number of this marriage of wife				
		First marriage	Remarriages			Number not stated	First marriage	Remarriages			Number not stated
			Total ¹	Second marriage	Third marriage or more			Total ¹	Second marriage	Third marriage or more	
Total-----	572,949	354,226	132,162	100,961	31,147	86,561	358,669	128,858	98,423	30,343	85,422
Under 1 year -----	23,088	8,335	10,650	6,627	4,022	4,103	8,038	11,055	6,766	4,288	3,995
1 year -----	44,385	21,383	15,458	10,589	4,869	7,544	21,154	15,835	10,789	5,045	7,396
2 years -----	50,448	27,146	15,746	11,332	4,400	7,558	27,713	15,341	10,839	4,486	7,394
3 years -----	49,999	28,644	14,487	10,818	3,668	6,868	29,446	13,733	10,274	3,467	6,820
4 years -----	44,134	25,147	12,086	9,383	2,703	6,901	25,980	11,399	8,716	2,670	6,755
5 years -----	37,620	21,873	10,201	7,890	2,309	5,546	22,201	10,014	7,819	2,194	5,405
6 years -----	32,054	18,812	8,570	6,832	1,738	4,672	19,269	8,177	6,628	1,548	4,608
7 years -----	28,339	17,553	8,796	6,504	1,289	3,991	18,008	6,368	5,225	1,131	3,973
8 years -----	24,981	15,841	5,812	4,768	1,040	3,328	16,221	5,462	4,640	813	3,298
9 years -----	23,426	15,171	4,884	3,925	757	3,571	15,487	4,445	3,689	751	3,494
10 years -----	21,896	14,514	4,045	3,400	643	3,337	14,591	4,050	3,495	547	3,255
11 years -----	19,275	13,316	3,478	2,913	561	2,481	13,454	3,351	2,763	586	2,470
12 years -----	17,005	11,769	2,946	2,359	585	2,290	11,871	2,876	2,451	421	2,258
13 years -----	15,948	11,144	2,400	2,027	373	2,404	11,118	2,425	2,071	354	2,405
14 years -----	14,358	10,370	2,163	1,834	328	1,825	10,482	2,054	1,714	338	1,822
15 years -----	12,591	9,237	1,699	1,442	255	1,655	9,230	1,716	1,491	224	1,645
16 years -----	10,871	8,027	1,511	1,249	260	1,333	7,991	1,542	1,303	239	1,338
17 years -----	10,227	7,469	1,208	1,050	158	1,550	7,447	1,230	1,044	186	1,550
18 years -----	9,286	6,905	1,136	998	137	1,245	7,041	992	875	116	1,253
19 years -----	8,481	6,374	868	783	105	1,219	6,470	772	678	94	1,219
20 years -----	7,613	5,785	743	611	132	1,105	5,764	768	678	90	1,083
21 years -----	6,936	5,451	597	499	97	888	5,405	627	519	101	904
22 years -----	6,404	5,066	523	466	57	815	5,054	555	484	69	795
23 years -----	5,631	4,423	418	389	29	790	4,447	419	392	27	765
24 years -----	4,942	3,834	410	365	45	698	3,861	408	358	50	673
25-29 years -----	18,163	14,478	1,352	1,138	213	2,333	14,609	1,207	1,076	130	2,347
30-34 years -----	9,413	7,354	835	740	95	1,224	7,480	707	648	57	1,226
35 years and over -----	7,126	5,660	434	393	30	1,032	5,695	406	354	41	1,025
Duration not stated -----	8,329	3,165	907	657	249	4,257	3,142	936	646	290	4,251

¹ Includes number of remarriages not stated.

Table 2-30. Divorces and Annulments by Number of This Marriage of Husband by Number of This Marriage of Wife: Divorce-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data. Figures for number of this marriage exclude data for South Dakota; these data are included in number of this marriage not stated]

Number of this marriage of husband	Total	Number of this marriage of wife							
		First marriage	Second marriage	Third marriage	Fourth marriage	Fifth marriage	Sixth marriage or more	Remarried, number not stated	Number of this marriage not stated
Total-----	572,949	358,669	98,423	22,730	5,505	1,352	756	92	85,422
First marriage-----	354,226	311,624	35,367	4,688	753	156	77	27	1,534
Second marriage-----	100,961	39,279	47,487	10,364	2,354	516	239	9	713
Third marriage-----	23,479	5,032	10,674	5,313	1,318	411	166	15	150
Fourth marriage-----	5,242	739	2,394	1,227	644	118	76	-	44
Fifth marriage-----	1,463	188	599	328	219	88	33	-	8
Sixth marriage or more-----	963	148	305	214	105	43	140	-	8
Remarried, number not stated-----	54	7	4	1	-	-	-	40	2
Number of this marriage not stated-----	86,561	1,652	1,393	395	112	20	25	1	82,963

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Table 2-31. Divorces and Annulments by Age of Husband and Wife at Time of Decree and Number of This Marriage: Divorce-Registration Area, 1983

[Based on sample data. Figures for number of this marriage exclude data for South Dakota; these data are included in number of this marriage not stated]

Age of husband and wife at time of decree	Total	Number of this marriage			
		First marriage	Second marriage or more	Number of this marriage, not stated	
HUSBAND					
All ages -----	572,949	354,226	132,162	86,561	
Under 20 years -----	2,846	2,613	46	187	
20-24 years -----	55,347	49,283	2,632	3,432	
25-29 years -----	107,728	86,863	14,049	6,816	
30-34 years -----	106,047	74,767	24,769	6,511	
35-39 years -----	83,868	52,374	26,396	4,898	
40-44 years -----	57,911	33,752	20,504	3,655	
45-49 years -----	36,529	20,382	13,800	2,347	
50-54 years -----	24,141	12,608	10,130	1,403	
55-59 years -----	14,818	6,930	7,019	869	
60-64 years -----	8,430	3,417	4,515	498	
65 years and over -----	7,797	2,315	4,887	595	
Age not stated-----	67,667	8,922	3,415	55,350	
WIFE					
All ages -----	572,949	358,669	128,858	85,422	
Under 20 years -----	12,554	11,327	374	853	
20-24 years -----	87,444	75,332	6,867	5,245	
25-29 years -----	118,876	90,082	21,408	7,388	
30-34 years -----	98,023	65,715	26,249	6,059	
35-39 years -----	75,291	45,392	25,766	4,133	
40-44 years -----	47,782	27,708	17,060	3,014	
45-49 years -----	27,715	15,697	10,505	1,513	
50-54 years -----	16,108	8,584	6,639	885	
55-59 years -----	9,353	4,606	4,253	494	
60-64 years -----	5,154	2,011	2,817	326	
65 years and over -----	4,404	1,474	2,700	230	
Age not stated-----	70,243	10,741	4,220	55,282	

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Table 2-32. Divorces and Annulments by Number of This Marriage of Husband and Wife: Divorce-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area	Total	Number of this marriage of husband					Number of this marriage of wife				
		First marriage	Remarriages			Number not stated	First marriage	Remarriages			Number not stated
			Total ¹	Second marriage	Third marriage or more			Total ¹	Second marriage	Third marriage or more	
Divorce-registration area ² -----	572,949	354,226	132,162	100,961	31,147	86,561	358,669	128,858	88,423	30,343	85,422
Alabama -----	25,300	11,880	7,670	5,200	2,450	5,750	11,930	7,640	5,170	2,450	5,730
Alaska -----	3,925	2,228	1,249	906	343	450	2,228	1,256	889	366	441
Connecticut -----	12,098	8,994	2,438	2,098	334	666	9,210	2,228	1,902	312	660
Delaware -----	3,060	2,194	766	633	133	100	2,237	717	596	121	106
Georgia -----	32,870	18,510	10,250	7,300	2,950	4,110	18,950	9,970	7,050	2,920	3,950
Hawaii -----	4,584	3,360	1,192	972	220	32	3,444	1,130	888	242	10
Idaho -----	6,232	3,618	2,470	1,622	848	144	3,588	2,476	1,600	876	168
Illinois -----	50,350	34,814	12,681	9,893	2,953	2,875	35,083	12,367	9,593	2,755	2,900
Iowa -----	10,586	7,654	2,872	2,142	730	60	7,742	2,782	2,146	636	62
Kansas -----	12,280	7,855	4,375	3,085	1,290	50	7,950	4,280	3,045	1,235	50
Kentucky -----	17,095	10,165	4,840	3,650	1,190	2,090	10,235	4,730	3,500	1,230	2,130
Maryland -----	16,095	12,040	3,505	2,930	575	550	12,275	3,270	2,730	540	550
Massachusetts -----	18,530	14,850	3,105	2,695	410	575	14,970	2,960	2,605	350	600
Michigan -----	38,060	14,200	5,460	4,360	1,120	18,380	14,540	5,230	4,160	1,070	18,290
Missouri -----	25,904	16,546	8,658	6,086	2,582	700	16,758	8,454	6,899	2,555	691
Montana -----	4,672	3,006	1,602	1,130	472	62	2,976	1,636	1,144	492	60
Nebraska -----	6,234	4,573	1,641	1,270	371	20	4,559	1,662	1,276	386	13
New Hampshire -----	4,806	3,533	1,268	1,007	261	5	3,622	1,179	961	218	5
New York -----	64,154	52,265	10,703	9,480	1,236	1,186	53,097	9,825	8,731	1,080	1,232
Ohio -----	54,120	15,280	5,840	4,440	1,400	33,000	15,620	5,580	4,360	1,220	32,920
Oregon -----	16,165	8,850	5,230	3,665	1,565	2,105	9,355	5,740	3,910	1,830	1,090
Pennsylvania -----	40,220	27,430	6,740	5,630	1,110	6,050	27,410	6,560	5,480	1,080	6,250
Rhode Island -----	3,525	2,786	651	554	97	88	2,776	658	587	71	91
South Carolina -----	13,601	10,077	3,490	2,737	752	34	9,981	3,586	2,779	807	34
South Dakota ³ -----	2,554	---	---	---	---	2,554	---	---	---	---	2,554
Tennessee -----	26,930	17,860	10,530	7,410	3,120	540	18,320	10,120	7,190	2,920	490
Utah -----	8,474	3,630	1,810	1,266	540	3,034	3,626	1,848	1,338	508	3,000
Vermont -----	2,575	1,964	582	474	108	29	2,015	533	450	83	27
Virginia -----	25,437	19,210	6,171	5,060	1,111	56	19,210	6,180	5,056	1,122	47
Wisconsin -----	16,510	13,075	3,315	2,770	545	120	13,150	3,240	2,690	545	120
Wyoming -----	3,983	1,779	1,058	736	322	1,146	1,811	1,021	698	323	1,151

¹Includes number of remarriages not stated.²Figures for number of this marriage exclude data for South Dakota; these data are included in number of this marriage not stated.³This State did not require reporting of number of this marriage.

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Table 2-33. Divorces and Annulments by Place Where Marriage Was Performed: Divorce-Registration Area and Each Registration State, 1983

[Based on sample data]

State where decree was granted	Total	Place where marriage was performed				State where decree was granted	Total	Place where marriage was performed			
		In same State	In adjoining State	Other State or outside U.S.	State of marriage not stated			In same State	In adjoining State	Other State or outside U.S.	State of marriage not stated
Divorce-registration area ¹ -----	572,949	400,506	66,461	78,589	27,393	Nebraska -----	6,234	4,302	1,009	923	-
Alabama -----	25,300	16,950	2,670	2,050	3,630	New Hampshire -----	4,806	2,919	961	925	1
Alaska -----	3,925	1,908	---	2,002	15	New York -----	64,154	48,814	3,054	11,730	556
Connecticut -----	12,098	9,388	1,418	2,252	40	Ohio -----	54,120	40,900	4,820	6,240	2,160
Delaware -----	3,060	1,499	1,099	454	8	Oregon -----	16,185	7,930	6,225	1,790	240
Georgia -----	32,870	22,740	5,650	3,930	550	Pennsylvania -----	40,220	31,010	4,610	4,070	530
Hawaii -----	4,584	2,746	---	1,838	---	Rhode Island -----	3,525	2,469	526	516	14
Idaho -----	6,232	3,642	1,524	1,034	32	South Carolina -----	13,601	11,132	634	1,830	5
Illinois -----	50,350	40,301	2,506	7,511	32	South Dakota -----	2,554	1,840	281	420	13
Iowa -----	10,586	7,842	1,552	1,136	56	Tennessee -----	28,930	20,730	5,060	2,850	290
Kansas -----	12,280	8,245	1,845	2,175	15	Utah -----	8,474	4,994	2,074	1,280	126
Kentucky -----	17,095	11,320	4,330	1,410	35	Vermont -----	2,575	1,729	379	467	---
Maryland -----	16,095	11,540	1,800	2,565	90	Virginia -----	25,437	16,494	3,671	5,242	30
Massachusetts ² -----	18,530	---	---	---	18,530	Wisconsin -----	16,510	12,455	2,000	2,045	10
Michigan -----	38,060	31,050	2,140	4,540	330	Wyoming -----	3,983	2,121	653	1,185	24
Missouri -----	25,904	19,840	3,132	2,911	21						
Montana -----	4,672	2,656	738	1,268	10						

¹ Figures for place where marriage was performed exclude data for Massachusetts; these data are included in State of marriage not stated.² This State did not require reporting of State of marriage.

Table 2-34. Divorces and Annulments by Educational Attainment of Husband and Wife: 21 Reporting States, 1983

[Based on sample data]

Area	All divorces and annulments	Years of school completed by husband							Years of school completed by wife						
		0-8 years	9-11 years	12 years	13-15 years	16 years	17 years or more	Education not stated	0-8 years	9-11 years	12 years	13-15 years	16 years	17 years or more	Education not stated
Total, 21 States -----	385,257	23,314	46,590	147,736	51,043	29,451	19,469	67,654	17,069	48,359	160,218	56,752	23,561	13,139	66,159
Alabama -----	25,300	1,580	3,250	7,920	2,660	1,230	470	8,190	1,320	3,700	7,850	3,250	840	340	8,000
Alaska -----	3,925	99	349	1,519	875	292	270	521	85	424	1,544	926	255	191	500
Connecticut -----	12,098	718	1,472	4,190	2,042	1,508	1,116	1,052	388	1,330	4,790	2,562	1,250	794	984
Georgia -----	32,870	2,050	4,600	11,700	3,590	2,160	1,020	7,760	1,340	5,090	12,350	4,330	1,460	770	7,530
Hawaii -----	4,584	130	350	2,088	978	536	346	156	160	466	2,124	1,068	430	238	98
Illinois -----	50,350	3,139	6,379	21,456	7,231	4,556	2,497	5,092	2,226	6,678	23,465	7,812	3,785	1,591	4,793
Iowa -----	10,586	544	1,346	5,334	1,820	822	552	168	312	1,384	5,656	2,048	684	344	158
Kansas -----	12,280	550	1,765	5,875	2,075	1,120	670	225	445	1,900	6,240	2,360	710	455	170
Michigan -----	38,060	760	2,490	8,090	3,222	1,360	1,160	20,880	410	2,370	9,180	3,240	1,060	860	20,950
Missouri -----	25,904	1,704	3,959	11,504	3,900	1,873	1,380	1,584	1,218	4,485	12,322	3,990	1,494	903	1,492
Montana -----	4,672	264	574	2,072	936	422	254	150	118	642	2,260	1,004	366	166	118
Nebraska -----	6,234	233	720	3,032	1,234	551	362	102	127	746	3,282	1,328	461	214	78
New Hampshire -----	4,806	269	714	1,988	909	535	346	47	149	663	2,345	994	414	196	45
New York -----	64,154	5,853	7,537	29,274	8,268	5,848	4,753	2,621	5,083	6,992	31,444	9,548	4,833	3,584	2,570
Rhode Island -----	3,525	283	577	1,346	480	363	227	249	164	505	1,607	590	279	138	242
Tennessee -----	28,930	1,940	3,120	7,700	1,950	1,030	480	12,710	1,510	3,430	8,280	2,110	830	270	12,500
Utah -----	8,474	132	582	2,086	1,066	542	338	3,728	86	748	2,366	1,050	306	178	3,740
Vermont -----	2,575	179	353	1,098	407	303	182	53	88	313	1,198	509	263	146	58
Virginia -----	25,437	2,228	3,913	10,068	3,929	2,836	1,942	521	1,431	3,819	11,541	4,625	2,410	1,103	508
Wisconsin -----	16,510	530	2,150	8,090	2,915	1,335	975	515	340	2,190	9,010	2,795	1,155	590	430
Wyoming -----	3,983	129	390	1,308	558	239	129	1,230	69	484	1,364	613	176	78	1,199

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Table 2-35. Divorces and Annulments and Rates for the 50 Largest Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas in the United States and Their Component Counties: 1983

[Data are counts of decrees granted supplied by States except as noted. Standard metropolitan statistical areas are those defined by the Office of Management and Budget for 1980 except for New England, where areas are New England County Metropolitan Areas. For further discussion of areas see Technical Appendix. Rates are divorces and annulments per 1,000 population]

Area	Number	Rate	Area	Number	Rate	Area	Number	Rate
50 largest U.S. SMSA's ¹ ----	569,027	5.3	Denver-Boulder, Colo-----	10,798	6.1	Nashville-Davidson, Tenn-----	5,872	6.7
Anaheim-Santa Ana- Garden Grove, Calif ² -----	11,394	5.5	Adams-----	1,184	4.4	Cheatham-----	123	5.5
Orange-----	11,394	5.5	Arapahoe-----	1,874	5.4	Davidson-----	188	0.4
Atlanta, Ga-----	12,624	5.8	Boulder-----	1,002	4.9	Dickson-----	3,440	111.3
Butts-----	69	4.7	Denver-----	4,284	8.4	Robertson-----	173	4.6
Cherokee-----	357	6.0	Douglas-----	116	3.7	Rutherford-----	592	6.4
Clayton-----	1,092	6.8	Gilpin-----	20	7.1	Sumner-----	598	6.7
Cobb-----	2,756	8.2	Jefferson-----	2,318	5.8	Williamson-----	397	6.3
De Kalb-----	2,974	6.0	Detroit, Mich-----	16,842	4.0	Wilson-----	361	6.2
Douglas-----	216	3.5	Lapeer-----	302	4.4	Nassau-Suffolk, N.Y-----	7,680	2.9
Fayette-----	107	3.0	Livingston-----	465	4.7	Nassau-----	3,694	2.8
Forsyth-----	176	5.6	Macomb-----	3,081	4.5	Suffolk-----	3,966	3.0
Fulton-----	2,574	4.2	Oakland-----	5,142	5.1	New Orleans, La ⁴ -----	4,061	4
Gwinnett-----	1,323	6.3	St. Clair-----	592	4.3	Jefferson-----	1,701	3.6
Henry-----	217	5.4	Wayne-----	7,260	3.3	Orleans-----	2,026	3.6
Newton-----	205	5.5	Fort Lauderdale-Hollywood, Fla-----	6,457	6.0	St. Bernard-----	334	5.0
Paulding-----	142	5.0	Broward-----	6,457	6.0	St. Tammany-----	---	---
Rockdale-----	208	5.0	Greensboro-Winston-Salem-----	---	---	New York, N.Y.-N.J-----	36,996	4.0
Walton-----	209	6.7	High Point, N.C-----	4,928	5.8	New York City, N.Y-----	31,271	4.4
Baltimore, Md-----	8,683	3.9	Davidson-----	445	3.8	Bronx-----	4,261	3.6
Anne Arundel-----	1,562	4.1	Forsyth-----	1,878	7.4	Kings-----	4,878	2.2
Baltimore-----	2,523	3.8	Gulford-----	2,097	6.5	New York-----	15,824	11.0
Baltimore (city)-----	3,285	4.3	Randolph-----	349	3.7	Queens-----	5,602	2.9
Carroll-----	358	3.5	Stokes-----	68	2.0	Richmond-----	707	1.9
Harford-----	535	3.6	Yadkin-----	93	3.2	Putnam, N.Y-----	165	2.1
Howard-----	420	3.2	Hartford-New Britain-----	---	---	Rockland, N.Y-----	633	2.4
Birmingham, Ala-----	5,574	6.5	Bristol, Conn-----	4,267	4.0	Westchester, N.Y-----	2,258	2.6
Jefferson-----	4,639	6.9	Hartford-----	3,052	3.7	Bergen, N.J-----	2,669	3.2
St. Clair-----	176	4.1	Middlesex-----	583	4.4	Newark, N.J-----	6,684	3.4
Shelby-----	395	5.5	Tolland-----	632	5.4	Essex-----	2,730	3.2
Walker-----	364	5.3	Houston, Tex-----	22,448	6.7	Morris-----	1,455	3.5
Boston-Lowell-Brockton- Lawrence-Haverhill, Mass-----	11,075	3.0	Brazoria-----	1,248	6.8	Somerset-----	814	3.9
Essex-----	2,017	3.2	Fort Bend-----	795	4.7	Union-----	1,685	3.3
Middlesex-----	4,421	3.2	Harris-----	19,100	6.9	Norfolk-Virginia Beach- Portsmouth, Va.-N.C-----	4,435	5.1
Norfolk-----	1,537	2.6	Liberty-----	344	6.4	Chesapeake (city), Va-----	682	5.8
Plymouth-----	1,477	3.6	Montgomery-----	776	5.0	Norfolk (city), Va-----	1,308	4.7
Suffolk-----	1,623	2.5	Waller-----	185	8.0	Portsmouth (city), Va-----	501	4.7
Buffalo, N.Y-----	4,183	3.5	Indianapolis, Ind ³ -----	9,198	7.8	Suffolk (city), Va-----	169	3.5
Erie-----	3,989	3.4	Boone-----	355	9.3	Virginia Beach (city), Va-----	1,734	5.9
Niagara-----	794	3.6	Hamilton-----	436	5.1	Currituck, N.C-----	41	3.3
Chicago, Ill-----	29,779	4.1	Hancock-----	329	7.5	Oklahoma City, Okla-----	5,356	5.8
Cook-----	21,545	4.1	Hendricks-----	400	5.5	Canadian-----	507	7.6
Du Page-----	2,984	4.3	Johnson-----	480	6.0	Cleveland-----	1,244	8.1
Kane-----	1,408	4.9	Marion-----	6,639	8.6	McClain-----	112	4.8
Lake-----	2,029	4.4	Morgan-----	276	5.2	Oklahoma-----	3,043	4.9
McHenry-----	661	4.3	Shelby-----	283	7.0	Pottawatomie-----	450	7.4
Will-----	1,152	3.5	Kansas City, Mo.-Kans-----	6,145	4.6	Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J-----	16,244	3.4
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind ³ -----	6,047	4.3	Cass, Mo-----	236	4.4	Bucks, Pa-----	1,935	3.9
Clermont, Ohio-----	897	6.7	Clay, Mo-----	741	5.4	Chester, Pa-----	1,151	3.5
Hamilton, Ohio-----	3,836	4.5	Jackson, Mo-----	3,928	6.2	Delaware, Pa-----	1,751	3.2
Warren, Ohio-----	846	6.4	Platte, Mo-----	361	7.4	Montgomery, Pa-----	1,950	3.0
Boone, Ky-----	73	1.5	Ray, Mo-----	128	6.0	Philadelphia, Pa-----	5,727	3.5
Campbell, Ky-----	252	3.1	Johnson, Kans-----	183	0.6	Burlington, N.J-----	1,329	3.6
Kenton, Ky-----	65	0.5	Wyandotte, Kans-----	568	3.3	Camden, N.J-----	1,681	3.5
Dearborn, Ind-----	178	5.0	Los Angeles-Long Beach, Calif ² -----	31,075	4.0	Gloucester, N.J-----	720	3.5
Cleveland, Ohio-----	8,653	4.6	Los Angeles-----	31,075	4.0	Phoenix, Ariz-----	11,338	6.8
Cuyahoga-----	6,775	4.6	Louisville, Ky.-Ind ³ -----	5,929	6.5	Maricopa-----	11,338	6.8
Geauga-----	304	4.1	Bullitt, Ky-----	208	4.7	Pittsburgh, Pa-----	6,948	3.1
Lake-----	1,032	4.8	Jefferson, Ky-----	4,134	6.0	Allegheny-----	4,730	3.3
Medina-----	542	4.7	Oldham, Ky-----	118	4.0	Beaver-----	459	2.3
Columbus, Ohio-----	6,836	6.1	Clark, Ind ³ -----	1,056	11.8	Washington-----	590	2.7
Delaware-----	270	4.8	Floyd, Ind ³ -----	413	6.6	Westmoreland-----	1,169	3.0
Fairfield-----	583	5.9	Memphis, Tenn.-Ark.-Miss-----	5,069	5.4	Portland, Oreg.-Wash-----	7,398	5.8
Franklin-----	5,549	6.3	Shelby, Tenn-----	3,749	4.7	Clackamas, Oreg-----	1,226	4.9
Madison-----	177	5.1	Tipton, Tenn-----	623	18.2	Multnomah, Oreg-----	3,643	6.5
Pickaway-----	277	6.5	Crittenden, Ark-----	305	6.1	Washington, Oreg-----	1,220	4.7
Dallas-Fort Worth, Tex-----	23,581	7.1	Do Soto, Miss-----	392	6.9	Clark, Wash-----	1,309	6.5
Collin-----	1,037	6.1	Miami, Fla-----	11,666	6.8	Providence-Warwick-----	---	---
Dallas-----	12,827	7.5	Dade-----	11,666	6.8	Pawtucket, R.I-----	3,219	3.7
Denton-----	885	5.4	Milwaukee, Wis-----	5,198	3.7	Bristol-----	138	2.9
Ellis-----	425	6.5	Milwaukee-----	3,618	3.8	Kent-----	677	4.3
Hood-----	115	5.2	Ozaukee-----	166	2.5	Providence-----	2,052	3.6
Johnson-----	260	3.4	Washington-----	280	3.2	Washington-----	354	3.7
Kaufman-----	223	4.9	Waukesha-----	1,134	4.0	Riverside-San Bernardino- Ontario, Calif ² -----	9,459	5.4
Parker-----	326	6.5	Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.-Wis-----	9,069	4.2	Riverside-----	3,802	5.1
Rockwall-----	100	5.8	Anoka, Minn-----	903	4.4	San Bernardino-----	5,657	5.6
Tarrant-----	7,425	7.6	Carver, Minn-----	95	2.5	Rochester, N.Y-----	3,134	3.2
Wise-----	158	5.3	Chisago, Minn-----	80	3.0	Livingston-----	178	3.1
Dayton, Ohio-----	4,938	6.0	Dakota, Minn-----	928	4.5	Monroe-----	2,233	3.1
Greene-----	704	5.4	Hennepin, Minn-----	4,387	4.6	Ontario-----	326	3.6
Miami-----	499	5.8	Ramsey, Minn-----	1,818	3.9	Orleans-----	118	3.0
Montgomery-----	3,541	6.3	Scott, Minn-----	148	3.2	Wayne-----	279	3.2
Pebble-----	194	5.1	Washington, Minn-----	451	3.7			
			Wright, Minn-----	139	2.3			
			St. Croix, Wis-----	120	2.7			

See footnotes at end of table.

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Table 2-35. Divorces and Annulments and Rates for the 50 Largest Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas in the United States and Their Component Counties: 1983—Con.

[See headnote at beginning of table]

Area	Number	Rate	Area	Number	Rate	Area	Number	Rate
Sacramento, Calif ² -----	6,886	6.3	San Antonio, Tex -----	8,014	6.9	Seattle-Everett, Wash -----	10,735	6.4
Placer -----	743	5.8	Bexar -----	7,608	7.1	King -----	8,582	6.5
Sacramento -----	5,536	6.5	Comal -----	173	4.2	Snohomish -----	2,153	6.0
Yolo -----	607	5.1	Guadalupe -----	233	4.5			
						Tampa-St. Petersburg, Fla -----	11,159	6.6
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill -----	10,727	4.5				Hillsborough -----	5,417	7.7
Franklin, Mo -----	312	4.2	San Diego, Calif ² -----	10,656	5.3	Pasco -----	1,006	4.5
Jefferson, Mo -----	724	4.7	San Diego -----	10,656	5.3	Pinellas -----	4,734	6.1
St. Charles, Mo -----	885	5.6						
St. Louis, Mo -----	4,605	4.7				Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va -----	13,459	4.3
St. Louis (city), Mo -----	1,724	4.0				District of Columbia -----	3,051	4.9
Clinton, Ill -----	76	2.3	San Francisco-Oakland, Calif ² ---	17,890	5.3	Charles, Md -----	267	3.4
Madison, Ill -----	1,105	4.5	Alameda -----	6,535	5.6	Montgomery, Md -----	2,372	3.9
Monroe, Ill -----	52	2.5	Contra Costa -----	3,942	5.7	Prince Georges, Md -----	2,365	3.5
St. Clair, Ill -----	1,244	4.6	Marin -----	1,258	5.6	Alexandria (city), Va -----	535	5.1
			San Francisco -----	3,085	4.4	Arlington, Va -----	717	4.7
			San Mateo -----	3,070	5.1	Fairfax, Va -----	3,021	4.6
Salt Lake City-Ogden, Utah -----	6,191	6.0				Fairfax (city), Va -----	-	-
Davis -----	685	4.1				Falls Church (city), Va -----	-	-
Salt Lake -----	4,285	6.3				Loudoun, Va -----	270	4.5
Tooele -----	219	7.7	San Jose, Calif ² -----	7,960	5.9	Manassas (city), Va -----	-	-
Weber -----	1,002	6.4	Santa Clara -----	7,960	5.9	Manassas Park (city), Va -----	-	-
						Prince William, Va -----	861	5.4

¹ Figures include estimates.² Data include legal separations.³ Data for Indiana include divorce petitions filed for some counties.⁴ Data are incomplete.

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Table 2-36. Divorces and Annulments: United States, Each State and County, 1983

[Data are counts of decrees granted supplied by States except as noted]

Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments
United States	1,158,000	Arizona	19,875	California ⁴	127,532
Alabama	25,190	Apache	83	Alameda	6,535
Autauga	175	Cochise	634	Alpine	-
Baldwin	609	Cocconino	378	Amador	105
Barbour	109	Gila	253	Butte	888
Bibb	64	Graham	146	Calaveras	136
Blount	136	Greenlee	52	Colusa	79
Bullock	42	Maricopa	11,338	Contra Costa	3,942
Butler	148	Mohave	531	Del Norte	131
Calhoun	956	Navajo	246	El Dorado	556
Chambers	236	Pima	3,811	Fresno	3,069
Cherokee	117	Pinal	672	Glenn	118
Chilton	202	Santa Cruz	116	Humboldt	759
Choctaw	73	Yavapai	645	Imperial	321
Clarke	153	Yuma ²	970	Inyo	117
Clay	63	Arkansas ³	15,681	Kern	2,705
Cleburne	80	Arkansas	172	Kings	419
Coffee	343	Ashley	223	Lake	261
Colbert	266	Baxter	182	Lassen	150
Conecuh	74	Benton	661	Los Angeles	31,075
Coosa	56	Boone	207	Madera	290
Covington	180	Bradley	75	Marin	1,258
Crenshaw	63	Calhoun	39	Mariposa	54
Cullman	416	Carroll	105	Mendocino	482
Dale	431	Chicot	96	Merced	727
Dallas	291	Clark	111	Modoc	54
De Kalb	403	Clay	118	Mono	85
Elmore	204	Cleburne	119	Monterey	1,794
Escambia	188	Cleveland	58	Napa	587
Etowah	764	Columbia	137	Nevada	354
Fayette	117	Conway	146	Orange	11,394
Franklin	92	Craighead	422	Placer	743
Geneva	110	Crawford	305	Plumas	-
Greene	20	Crittenden	305	Riverside	3,802
Hale	41	Cross	6	Sacramento	5,536
Henry	74	Dallas	70	San Benito	137
Houston	668	Desha	99	San Bernardino	5,657
Jackson	264	Drew	104	San Diego	10,656
Jefferson	4,639	Faulkner	326	San Francisco, coext. with San Francisco city	3,085
Lamar	81	Franklin	92	San Joaquin	2,371
Lauderdale	516	Fulton	45	San Luis Obispo	1,010
Lawrence	167	Garland	560	San Mateo	3,070
Lee	391	Grant	100	Santa Barbara	1,834
Limestone	262	Greene	211	Santa Clara	7,960
Lowndes	21	Hempstead	148	Santa Cruz	1,151
Macon	99	Hot Spring	166	Shasta	874
Madison	1,725	Howard	105	Sierra	16
Marion	79	Independence	239	Siskiyou	275
Marshall	168	Izard	36	Solano	1,717
Mobile	501	Jackson	140	Sonoma	1,951
Monroe	2,861	Jefferson	612	Stanislaus	1,907
Montgomery	42	Johnson	106	Sutter	272
Morgan	709	Lafayette	60	Tehama	254
Perry	47	Lawrence	118	Trinity	92
Pickens	42	Lee	79	Tulare	1,365
Pike	164	Lincoln	60	Tuolumne	236
Randolph	114	Little River	91	Ventura	2,814
Russell	423	Logan	143	Yolo	607
St. Clair	176	Lonoke	214	Yuba	382
Shelby	395	Madison	67	Colorado	19,409
Sumter	56	Marion	62	Adams	1,184
Talladega	462	Miller	261	Alamosa	118
Tallahassee	114	Mississippi	412	Arapahoe	1,874
Tuscaloosa	670	Monroe	73	Archuleta	32
Walker	364	Montgomery	51	Baca	26
Washington	104	Nevada	58	Bent	19
Wilcox	24	Newton	43	Boulder	1,002
Winston	135	Ouachita	191	Chaffee	117
Alaska ¹	3,918	Perry	1	Cheyenne	6
Aleutian Islands	2	Phillips	183	Clear Creek	41
Anchorage, coext. with Anchorage city	2,053	Pike	52	Conejos	21
Bethel	33	Poinsett	185	Costilla	-
Bristol Bay borough	1	Polk	119	Crowley	10
Dillingham	2	Pope	-	Custer	-
Fairbanks North Star borough	738	Prairie	42	Delta	130
Haines borough	-	Pulaski	2,847	Denver, coext. with Denver city	4,284
Juneau, coext. with Juneau city	253	Randolph	115	Dolores	2
Kahal Peninsula borough	205	St. Francis	170	Douglas	116
Ketchikan Gateway borough	153	Salling	418	Eagle	76
Kobuk	23	Scott	59	Elbert	34
Kodiak Island borough	98	Searcy	39	El Paso	2,716
Matanuska-Susitna borough	173	Sebastian	767	Fremont	203
Nome	33	Sevier	123	Garfield	211
North Slope borough	2	Sharp	82	Gilpin	20
Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan	-	Stone	67	Grand	62
Sitka borough	69	Union	422	Gunnison	52
Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon	-	Van Buren	61	Hinsdale	6
Southeast Fairbanks	2	Washington	820	Huerfano	34
Valdez-Cordova	42	White	356	Jackson	-
Wade Hampton	-	Woodruff	54	Jefferson	2,318
Wrangell-Petersburg	36	Yell	68		
Yukon-Koyukuk	-				

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Table 2-36. Divorces and Annulments: United States, Each State and County, 1983—Con.

[Data are counts of decrees granted supplied by States except as noted]

Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments
Colorado—Con.		Florida—Con.		Georgia—Con.	
Kiowa -----	3	Manatee -----	989	Gilmer -----	80
Kit Carson -----	28	Marion -----	1,087	Glascocock -----	9
Lake -----	42	Martin -----	441	Glynn -----	451
La Plata -----	217	Monroe -----	458	Gordon -----	126
Larimer -----	974	Nassau -----	173	Grady -----	123
Las Animas -----	64	Okaloosa -----	1,117	Greene -----	33
Lincoln -----	24	Okeechobee -----	185	Gwinnett -----	1,323
Logan -----	112	Orange -----	3,742	Habersham -----	180
Mesa -----	845	Osceola -----	760	Hall -----	557
Mineral -----	-	Palm Beach -----	3,790	Hancock -----	-
Moffat -----	120	Pasco -----	1,008	Haralson -----	108
Montezuma -----	143	Pinellas -----	4,734	Harris -----	83
Montrose -----	147	Polk -----	2,252	Hart -----	108
Morgan -----	149	Putnam -----	398	Heard -----	48
Otero -----	99	St. Johns -----	309	Henry -----	217
Ouray -----	9	St. Lucie -----	709	Houston -----	595
Park -----	25	Santa Rosa -----	319	Invin -----	35
Phillips -----	16	Sarasota -----	1,360	Jackson -----	144
Pitkin -----	74	Seminole -----	540	Jasper -----	33
Prowers -----	3	Sumter -----	181	Jeff Davis -----	84
Pueblo -----	681	Suwannee -----	166	Jefferson -----	86
Rio Blanco -----	48	Taylor -----	98	Jenkins -----	88
Rio Grande -----	58	Union -----	48	Johnson -----	10
Routt -----	92	Volusia -----	1,669	Jones -----	80
Saguache -----	20	Wakulla -----	82	Lamar -----	63
San Juan -----	2	Walton -----	149	Lanier -----	7
San Miguel -----	-	Washington -----	96	Laurens -----	134
Sedgwick -----	17	Georgia -----	33,270	Lee -----	62
Summit -----	-	Appling -----	96	Liberty -----	290
Teller -----	34	Atkinson -----	24	Lincoln -----	32
Washington -----	32	Bacon -----	48	Long -----	35
Weld -----	569	Baker -----	14	Lowndes -----	442
Yuma -----	48	Baldwin -----	224	Lumpkin -----	85
Connecticut -----	12,027	Banks -----	29	McDuffie -----	121
Fairfield -----	2,675	Barrow -----	169	McIntosh -----	44
Hartford -----	3,052	Bartow -----	364	Macon -----	44
Litchfield -----	514	Ben Hill -----	115	Madison -----	68
Middlesex -----	583	Berrien -----	66	Marion -----	18
New Haven -----	2,975	Bibb -----	977	Meriwether -----	105
New London -----	1,236	Bleckley -----	55	Miller -----	36
Tolland -----	632	Brantley -----	45	Mitchell -----	86
Windham -----	360	Brooks -----	42	Monroe -----	75
Delaware -----	3,060	Bryan -----	65	Montgomery -----	40
Kent -----	872	Bulloch -----	157	Morgan -----	54
New Castle -----	1,853	Burke -----	100	Murray -----	154
Sussex -----	535	Butts -----	69	Muscogee -----	1,308
District of Columbia -----	3,051	Calhoun -----	3	Newton -----	205
Florida -----	71,226	Camden -----	120	Oconee -----	57
Alachua -----	1,031	Candler -----	44	Oglethorpe -----	17
Baker -----	122	Carroll -----	432	Paulding -----	142
Bay -----	1,082	Catoosa -----	155	Peach -----	53
Bradford -----	134	Charlton -----	28	Pickens -----	78
Brevard -----	2,028	Chatham -----	1,389	Pierce -----	86
Broward -----	6,457	Chattahoochee -----	36	Pike -----	28
Calhoun -----	74	Chattanooga -----	98	Polk -----	225
Charlotte -----	292	Cherokee -----	357	Pulaski -----	-
Citrus -----	306	Clarke -----	358	Putnam -----	1
Clay -----	415	Clay -----	23	Quitman -----	1
Collier -----	661	Clayton -----	1,082	Rabun -----	51
Columbia -----	299	Clinch -----	45	Randolph -----	25
Dade -----	11,668	Cobb -----	2,758	Richmond -----	1,593
De Soto -----	183	Coffee -----	171	Rockdale -----	208
Dixie -----	54	Colquitt -----	225	Schley -----	15
Duval -----	5,529	Columbia -----	325	Screven -----	85
Escambia -----	1,965	Cook -----	58	Seminole -----	30
Flagler -----	141	Coweta -----	236	Spalding -----	328
Franklin -----	49	Crawford -----	35	Stephens -----	115
Gadsden -----	188	Crisp -----	93	Stewart -----	13
Gilchrist -----	44	Dade -----	70	Sumter -----	159
Glades -----	16	Dawson -----	23	Talbot -----	29
Gulf -----	92	Decatur -----	149	Taliaferro -----	8
Hamilton -----	41	De Kalb -----	2,974	Tattnall -----	44
Hardee -----	139	Dodge -----	-	Taylor -----	34
Hendry -----	274	Dooly -----	38	Telfair -----	38
Hernando -----	263	Dougherty -----	741	Terrill -----	50
Highlands -----	272	Douglas -----	215	Thomas -----	248
Hillsborough -----	5,417	Early -----	52	Tift -----	107
Holmes -----	142	Echols -----	19	Toombs -----	182
Indian River -----	480	Effingham -----	108	Towns -----	35
Jackson -----	247	Elbert -----	111	Treutlen -----	-
Jefferson -----	410	Emanuel -----	50	Troup -----	341
Lafayette -----	29	Evans -----	33	Turner -----	33
Lake -----	884	Fannin -----	67	Twiggs -----	35
Lee -----	1,745	Fayette -----	107	Union -----	58
Leon -----	937	Floyd -----	560	Upson -----	157
Levy -----	160	Forsyth -----	176	Walker -----	218
Liberty -----	25	Franklin -----	48	Walton -----	209
Madison -----	76	Fulton -----	2,574	Ware -----	198
				Warren -----	10
				Washington -----	73

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Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments
Georgia—Con.		Illinois—Con.		Indiana ⁵ —Con.	
Wayne	140	Greene	66	Fayette	147
Webster	11	Grundy	160	Floyd	413
Wheeler	15	Hamilton	47	Fountain	102
White	44	Hancock	85	Franklin	89
Whitfield	650	Hardin	39	Fulton	118
Wilcox	29	Henderson	32	Gibson	170
Wilkes	45	Henry	239	Grant	456
Wilkinson	46	Iroquois	127	Greene	234
Worth	50	Jackson	242	Hamilton	436
		Jasper	36	Hancock	329
Hawaii	4,583	Jefferson	277	Harrison	156
Hawaii	528	Jersey	74	Hendricks	400
Honolulu	3,488	Jo Daviess	84	Henry	419
Kalawao		Johnson	47	Howard	738
Kauai	180	Kane	1,408	Huntington	210
Mauai	387	Kankakee	466	Jackson	214
		Kendall	118	Jasper	92
Idaho	6,178	Knox	437	Jay	105
Ada	1,489	Lake	2,029	Jefferson	207
Adams	17	La Salle	563	Jennings	125
Bannock	314	Lawrence	105	Johnson	480
Bear Lake	5	Lee	148	Knox	223
Benewah	58	Livingston	147	Kosciusko	237
Bingham	120	Logan	160	Lagrange	74
Blaine	80	McDonough	148	Lake	2,318
Bolse	48	McHenry	661	La Porte	695
Bonner	166	McLean	576	Lawrence	269
Bonneville	514	Macon	776	Madison	1,061
		Macoupin	233	Marion	6,639
Boundary	37	Madison	1,105	Marshall	216
Butte	3	Marion	223	Martin	65
Camas	3	Marshall	56	Miami	192
Canyon	528	Mason	91	Monroe	364
Caribou	50	Massac	89	Montgomery	156
Cassia	100	Menard	57	Morgan	276
Clark	1	Mercer	59	Newton	94
Clearwater	70	Monroe	52	Noble	289
Custer	27	Montgomery	136	Ohio	26
Elmore	167	Morgan	198	Orange	110
Franklin	19	Moultrie	45	Owen	129
Fremont	46	Ogle	188	Parke	59
Gem	74	Peoria	1,136	Perry	139
Gooding	67	Perry	96	Pike	103
Idaho	63	Piatt	94	Porter	566
Jefferson	36	Pike	86	Posey	90
Jerome	75	Pope	20	Pulaski	91
Kootenai	535	Pulaski	48	Putnam	167
Latah	153	Putnam	22	Randolph	202
Lemhi	59	Randolph	135	Ripley	160
		Richland	95	Rush	87
Lewis	24	Rock Island	973	St. Joseph	1,109
Lincoln	16	St. Clair	1,244	Scott	174
Madison	72	Saline	211	Shelby	283
Minidoka	107	Sangamon	1,084	Spencer	132
Nez Perce	249	Schuyler	50	Starke	124
Oneida	11	Scott	19	Steuben	116
Owyhee	14	Shelby	64	Sullivan	131
Payette	129	Stark	21	Switzerland	32
Power	49	Stephenson	196	Tippecanoe	639
Shoshone	95	Tazewell	534	Tipton	128
		Union	103	Union	35
Teton	11	Vermillion	512	Vanderburgh	1,184
Twin Falls	381	Wabash	93	Vermillion	122
Valley	37	Warren	86	Vigo	692
Washington	59	Washington	38	Wabash	164
		Wayne	98	Warren	47
Illinois	50,388	White	113	Warrick	298
Adams	325	Whiteside	321	Washington	168
Alexander	72	Will	1,152	Wayne	488
Bond	49	Williamson	204	Wells	81
Boone	164	Winnebago	1,254	White	142
Brown	24	Woodford	78	Whitley	132
Bureau	156			Iowa	10,588
Calhoun	12	Adams	100	Adair	26
Carroll	74	Allen	1,483	Adams	27
Cass	85	Bartholomew	465	Allamakee	32
Champaign	818	Benton	51	Appanoose	66
		Blackford	103	Audubon	17
Christian	177	Boone	355	Benton	45
Clark	76	Brown	76	Black Hawk	580
Clay	93	Carroll	57	Boone	104
Clinton	76	Cass	273	Bremer	85
Coles	286	Clark	1,056	Buchanan	41
Cook	21,545			Buena Vista	50
Crawford	142	Clay	287	Butler	44
Cumberland	34	Clinton	147	Calhoun	35
De Kalb	233	Crawford	64	Carroll	47
De Witt	62	Daviess	135	Cass	57
		Dearborn	178	Ceder	65
Douglas	69	Decatur	107	Cerro Gordo	183
Du Page	2,984	De Kalb	210	Cherokee	64
Edgar	114	Delaware	682	Chickasaw	34
Edwards	39	Dubois	108	Clarke	37
Effingham	110	Elkhart	803		
Fayette	97				
Ford	54				
Franklin	199				
Fulton	193				
Gallatin	18				

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Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments
Iowa—Con.		Kansas—Con.		Kentucky ³ -----	16,985
Clay -----	85	Cherokee -----	128	Adair -----	84
Clayton -----	54	Cheyenne -----	15	Allen -----	40
Clinton -----	240	Clark -----	3	Anderson -----	23
Crawford -----	57	Clay -----	34	Ballard -----	14
Dallas -----	107	Cloud -----	49	Barren -----	210
Davis -----	38	Coffey -----	79	Bath -----	43
Decatur -----	33	Comanche -----	13	Bell -----	189
Delaware -----	33	Cowley -----	233	Boone -----	73
Des Moines -----	134	Crawford -----	187	Bourbon -----	96
Dickinson -----	42	Decatur -----	11	Boyd -----	382
Dubuque -----	231	Dickinson -----	88	Boyle -----	87
Emmet -----	27	Doniphan -----	26	Bracken -----	30
Fayette -----	56	Douglas -----	341	Breathitt -----	63
Floyd -----	60	Edwards -----	12	Breckinridge -----	72
Franklin -----	35	Elk -----	16	Bullitt -----	208
Fremont -----	27	Ellis -----	136	Butler -----	52
Greene -----	32	Ellsworth -----	18	Caldwell -----	79
Grundy -----	28	Finney -----	185	Calloway -----	71
Guthrie -----	40	Ford -----	146	Campbell -----	252
Hamilton -----	65	Franklin -----	110	Carlisle -----	16
Hancock -----	33	Geary -----	383	Carroll -----	38
Hardin -----	62	Gove -----	7	Carter -----	90
Harrison -----	62	Graham -----	20	Casey -----	---
Henry -----	59	Grant -----	47	Christian -----	484
Howard -----	23	Gray -----	18	Clark -----	185
Humboldt -----	40	Greeley -----	20	Clay -----	144
Ida -----	21	Greenwood -----	34	Clinton -----	---
Iowa -----	31	Hamilton -----	6	Crittenden -----	45
Jackson -----	31	Harper -----	32	Cumberland -----	---
Jasper -----	123	Harvey -----	128	Daviess -----	524
Jefferson -----	84	Haskell -----	16	Edmonson -----	---
Johnson -----	313	Hodgeman -----	6	Elliott -----	28
Jones -----	45	Jackson -----	43	Estill -----	48
Keokuk -----	21	Jefferson -----	44	Fayette, coext. with Lexington-Fayette -----	1,316
Kossuth -----	34	Jewell -----	13	Fleming -----	40
Lee -----	174	Johnson -----	1,081	Floyd -----	62
Linn -----	540	Kearney -----	18	Franklin -----	331
Louisa -----	37	Kingman -----	31	Fulton -----	39
Lucas -----	35	Kiowa -----	17	Gallatin -----	17
Lyon -----	20	Labette -----	130	Garrard -----	85
Madison -----	53	Lane -----	6	Grant -----	13
Mahaska -----	99	Leavenworth -----	327	Graves -----	120
Marion -----	98	Lincoln -----	12	Grayson -----	2
Marshall -----	190	Linn -----	45	Green -----	41
Mills -----	54	Logan -----	14	Greenup -----	36
Mitchell -----	28	Lyon -----	202	Hancock -----	36
Monona -----	37	McPherson -----	100	Hardin -----	685
Monroe -----	24	Marion -----	42	Harlan -----	295
Montgomery -----	42	Marshall -----	39	Harrison -----	72
Muscatine -----	229	Meade -----	15	Hart -----	73
O'Brien -----	28	Miami -----	101	Henderson -----	13
Osceola -----	17	Mitchell -----	29	Henry -----	73
Page -----	99	Montgomery -----	261	Hickman -----	20
Palo Alto -----	31	Morris -----	28	Hopkins -----	309
Plymouth -----	56	Morton -----	15	Jackson -----	49
Pocahontas -----	32	Nemaha -----	20	Jefferson -----	4,134
Polk -----	1,571	Neosho -----	66	Jessamine -----	125
Pottawattamie -----	429	Ness -----	13	Johnson -----	180
Poweshiek -----	82	Norton -----	29	Kenton -----	65
Ringgold -----	28	Osage -----	53	Knott -----	---
Sac -----	31	Osborne -----	20	Knox -----	---
Scott -----	804	Ottawa -----	29	Larue -----	52
Shelby -----	37	Pawnee -----	42	Laurel -----	249
Sioux -----	52	Phillips -----	30	Lawrence -----	71
Story -----	226	Pottawatomie -----	70	Lee -----	---
Tama -----	61	Pratt -----	75	Leslie -----	1
Taylor -----	30	Rawlins -----	7	Letcher -----	174
Union -----	65	Reno -----	424	Lewis -----	---
Van Buren -----	23	Republic -----	12	Lincoln -----	13
Wapello -----	206	Rice -----	19	Livingston -----	43
Warren -----	121	Riley -----	234	Logan -----	1
Washington -----	68	Rooks -----	22	Lyon -----	14
Wayne -----	17	Rush -----	6	McCracken -----	454
Webster -----	174	Russell -----	33	McCreary -----	56
Winnobago -----	21	Saline -----	287	McLean -----	42
Winneshiek -----	49	Scott -----	33	Madison -----	318
Woodbury -----	490	Sedgwick -----	2,865	Magoffin -----	40
Worth -----	18	Seward -----	108	Marion -----	65
Wright -----	57	Shawnee -----	794	Marshall -----	104
Kansas -----	12,207	Sheridan -----	10	Martin -----	103
Allen -----	105	Sherman -----	37	Mason -----	94
Anderson -----	36	Smith -----	14	Meade -----	57
Atchison -----	96	Stafford -----	18	Menifee -----	31
Barber -----	23	Stanton -----	12	Merce -----	97
Barton -----	175	Stevens -----	23	Metcalf -----	54
Bourbon -----	100	Sumner -----	81	Monroe -----	5
Brown -----	51	Thomas -----	36	Montgomery -----	129
Butler -----	207	Trego -----	12	Morgan -----	40
Chase -----	6	Wabauasee -----	20	Muhlenberg -----	152
Chautauqua -----	18	Wallace -----	5	Nelson -----	153
		Washington -----	10		
		Wichita -----	10		
		Wilson -----	55		
		Woodson -----	26		
		Wyandotte -----	568		

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Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments
Kentucky³—Con.		Maine	5,955	Michigan—Con.	
Nicholas	33	Androscoggin	558	Houghton	115
Ohio	115	Aroostook	427	Huron	130
Oldham	118	Cumberland	1,167	Ingham	1,292
Owen	38	Franklin	111	Ionia	203
Owsley	29	Hancock	243	Iosco	136
Pendleton	50	Kennebec	584	Iron	45
Perry	190	Knox	213	Isabella	179
Pike	599	Lincoln	139	Jackson	646
Powell	53	Oxford	197	Kalamazoo	1,118
Pulaski	37	Penobscot	793	Kalkaska	66
Robertson	—	Piscataquis	119	Kent	2,123
Rockcastle	89	Sagadahoc	133	Keweenaw	1
Rowan	113	Somerset	223	Lake	11
Russell	94	Waldo	143	Lapeer	302
Scott	103	Washington	167	Leelanau	49
Shelby	130	York	708	Lenawee	416
Simpson	92			Livingston	465
Spencer	21	Maryland	16,273	Luce	24
Taylor	142	Allegany	204	Mackinac	17
Todd	—	Anne Arundel	1,562	Macomb	3,081
Trigg	49	Baltimore	2,523	Manistee	90
Trimble	27	Baltimore city	3,285	Marquette	356
Union	63	Calvert	132	Mason	100
Warren	156	Caroline	81	Mecosta	100
Washington	38	Carroll	358	Menominee	25
Wayne	89	Cecil	234	Midland	302
Webster	10	Charles	287	Missaukee	40
Whitley	—	Dorchester	91	Monroe	538
Wolfe	35	Frederick	431	Montcalm	230
Woodford	66	Garrett	92	Montmorency	26
County not stated	1	Harford	535	Muskegon	786
Louisiana³	16,204	Howard	420	Newaygo	140
Acadia	133	Kent	54	Oakland	5,142
Allen	91	Montgomery	2,372	Oceana	105
Ascension	159	Prince George's	2,365	Ogemaw	63
Assumption	54	Queen Anne's	72	Ontonagon	29
Avoyelles	176	St. Mary's	181	Oscoda	—
Beauregard	83	Somerset	67	Oscoda	14
Blenville	—	Talbot	123	Otsego	40
Bossier	461	Washington	389	Ottawa	76
Caddo	1,426	Wicomico	316	Presque Isle	36
Calcasieu	1,004	Worcester	119	Roscommon	82
Caldwell	33	Massachusetts	18,477	Saginaw	889
Cameron	30	Barnstable	628	St. Clair	582
Catahoula	43	Berkshire	518	St. Joseph	274
Clalborne	56	Bristol	1,675	Sanilac	146
Concordia	160	Dukes	35	Schoolcraft	25
De Soto	—	Essex	2,017	Shiawassee	317
East Baton Rouge	1,948	Franklin	283	Tuscola	249
East Carroll	40	Hampden	1,503	Van Buren	446
East Feliciana	72	Hampshire	390	Washtenaw	1,271
Evangeline	130	Middlesex	4,421	Wayne	7,260
Franklin	113	Nantucket	17	Wexford	143
Grant	88	Norfolk	1,537	Minnesota	14,817
Iberia	259	Plymouth	1,477	Aitkin	33
Iberville	83	Suffolk	1,623	Anoka	903
Jackson	81	Worcester	2,353	Becker	97
Jefferson	1,701	Michigan	37,991	Beltrami	133
Jefferson Davis	29	Alcona	31	Benton	65
Lafayette	10	Alger	29	Big Stone	12
Lafourche	283	Allegan	384	Blue Earth	154
La Salle	91	Alpena	121	Brown	53
Lincoln	1	Antrim	70	Carlton	138
Livingston	—	Arenac	29	Carver	95
Madison	75	Baraga	31	Cass	78
Morehouse	28	Barry	200	Chippewa	34
Natchitoches	232	Bay	432	Chisago	80
Orleans, coext. with New Orleans city	2,026	Benzie	21	Clay	119
Ouachita	770	Berrien	781	Clearwater	19
Plaquemines	78	Branch	190	Cook	13
Pointe Coupee	70	Calhoun	733	Cottonwood	24
Rapides	737	Cass	239	Crow Wing	189
Red River	—	Charlevoix	91	Dakota	928
Richland	82	Cheboygan	90	Dodge	52
Sabine	212	Chippewa	114	Douglas	108
St. Bernard	334	Clare	117	Faribault	45
St. Charles	145	Clinton	186	Fillmore	36
St. Helena	13	Crawford	48	Freeborn	130
St. James	38	Delta	139	Goodhue	106
St. John the Baptist	—	Dickinson	97	Grant	18
St. Landry	246	Eaton	375	Hennepin	4,387
St. Martin	137	Emmet	117	Houston	57
St. Mary	263	Genesee	2,200	Hubbard	44
St. Tammany	—	Gladwin	15	Ipsanti	79
Tangipahoa	19	Gogebic	71	Itasca	147
Tensas	24	Grand Traverse	291	Jackson	28
Terrebonne	691	Gratiot	171	Kanabec	27
Union	37	Hillsdale	245	Kandiyohi	100
Vermilion	176			Kittson	12
Vernon	276			Koochiching	65
Washington	195			Lac qui Parle	13
Webster	213			Lake	16
West Baton Rouge	62			Lake of the Woods	18
West Carroll	46			Le Sueur	42
West Feliciana	—				
Win-	73				
County not stated	42				

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Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments
Minnesota—Con.		Mississippi—Con.		Missouri—Con.	
Lincoln	12	Lee	434	Johnson	183
Lyon	88	Lefflore	154	Knox	14
McLeod	73	Lincoln	152	Laclede	161
Mahnomen	12	Lowndes	322	Lafayette	111
Marshall	26	Madison	152	Lawrence	131
Martin	99	Marion	157	Lewis	46
Meeker	50	Marshall	187	Lincoln	88
Mille Lacs	68	Monroe	181	Linn	78
Morrison	83	Montgomery	49	Livingston	79
Mower	120	Neshoba	153	McDonald	11
Murray	11	Newton	110	Macon	86
Nicollet	57	Noxubee	30	Madison	47
Nobles	80	Oktibbeha	142	Maries	25
Norman	16	Panola	139	Marion	163
Olmsted	358	Pearl River	226	Mercer	11
Otter Tail	153	Perry	43	Miller	90
Pennington	48	Pike	67	Mississippi	120
Pine	52	Pontotoc	108	Moniteau	80
Pipestone	25	Prentiss	124	Monroe	41
Polk	121	Quitman	16	Montgomery	37
Pope	24	Rankin	468	Morgan	72
Ramsey	1,818	Scott	148	New Madrid	105
Red Lake	5	Sharkey	25	Newton	148
Redwood	33	Simpson	107	Nodaway	88
Renville	30	Smith	73	Oregon	25
Rice	127	Stone	57	Osage	27
Rock	27	Sunflower	92	Ozark	26
Roseau	31	Tallahatchie	37	Pemiscot	164
St. Louis	890	Tate	91	Perry	68
Scott	148	Tippah	127	Pettis	247
Sherburne	112	Tishomingo	76	Phelps	198
Sibley	22	Tunica	21	Pike	74
Stearns	246	Union	117	Platte	361
Steele	78	Walthall	53	Polk	67
Stevens	10	Warren	301	Pulaski	242
Swift	19	Washington	337	Putnam	25
Todd	60	Wayne	106	Rails	42
Traverse	7	Webster	49	Randolph	159
Wabasha	47	Wilkinson	10	Ray	128
Wadena	36	Winston	84	Reynolds	26
Waseca	56	Yalobusha	58	Ripley	89
Washington	451	Yazoo	106	St. Charles	886
Watsonwan	24			St. Clair	49
Waukegan	15			St. Genevieve	64
Winona	109			St. Francois	295
Wright	139			St. Louis	4,606
Yellow Medicine	26			St. Louis city	1,724
				Saline	133
				Schuyler	24
				Scotland	25
				Scott	273
				Shannon	40
				Shelby	18
				Stoddard	210
				Stone	74
				Sullivan	32
				Taney	133
				Texas	103
				Vernon	139
				Warren	72
				Washington	73
				Wayne	43
				Webster	81
				Worth	11
				Wright	84
				Montana	4,561
				Beaverhead	43
				Big Horn	42
				Blaine	20
				Broadwater	25
				Carbon	34
				Carter	3
				Cascade	504
				Chouteau	35
				Custer	90
				Daniels	10
				Dawson	66
				Deer Lodge, coext. with Anaconda-Deer	
				Lodge	58
				Fallon	17
				Fergus	66
				Flathead	335
				Gallatin	228
				Garfield	3
				Glacier	65
				Golden Valley	1
				Granite	10
				Hill	95
				Jefferson	29
				Judith Basin	6
				Lake	125
				Lewis and Clark	315
				Liberty	9
				Lincoln	130
				McCone	4
				Madison	17
				Meagher	8
Jasper	53	Harrison	33		
Jefferson	23	Henry	119		
Jefferson Davis	50	Hickory	19		
Jones	448	Holt	18		
Kemper	36	Howard	37		
Lafayette	121	Howell	173		
Lamar	139	Iron	57		
Lauderdale	475	Jackson	3,928		
Lawrence	70	Jasper	579		
Leake	75	Jefferson	724		

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Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments
Montana—Con.		Nebraska—Con.		New Mexico⁶—Con.	
Mineral -----	6	Platte -----	83	Guadalupe -----	21
Missoula -----	584	Polk -----	12	Harding -----	5
Musselshell -----	21	Red Willow -----	43	Hidalgo -----	45
Park -----	85	Richardson -----	43	Lea -----	804
Petroleum -----	2	Rock -----	5	Lincoln -----	520
Phillips -----	32	Saline -----	29	Los Alamos -----	121
Pondera -----	9	Sarpy -----	398	Luna -----	117
Powder River -----	8	Saunders -----	58	McKinley -----	167
Powell -----	29	Scotts Bluff -----	189	Mora -----	19
Prairie -----	4	Seward -----	40	Otero -----	186
Ravalli -----	119				
Richtland -----	70	Sheridan -----	29	Quay -----	112
Roosevelt -----	59	Sherman -----	6	Rio Arriba -----	142
Rosebud -----	93	Sioux -----	-	Roosevelt -----	126
Sanders -----	52	Stanton -----	19	Sandoval -----	117
Sheridan -----	18	Thayer -----	9	San Juan -----	969
Silver Bow -----	113	Thomas -----	2	San Miguel -----	146
Sillwater -----	20	Thurston -----	15	Santa Fe -----	639
Sweet Grass -----	10	Valley -----	14	Sierra -----	122
Teton -----	17	Washington -----	50	Socorro -----	128
Toole -----	18	Wayne -----	26	Taos -----	132
Treasure -----	3				
Valley -----	43	Webster -----	10	Torrance -----	184
Wheatland -----	3	Wheeler -----	1	Union -----	31
Wibaux -----	2	York -----	34	Valencia -----	239
Yellowstone -----	748				
Yellowstone National Park -----	-				
Nebraska -----	6,234	Nevada -----	13,438	New York -----	64,160
Adams -----	143	Carson City city -----	566	Albany -----	1,008
Antelope -----	18	Churchill -----	140	Allegany -----	174
Arthur -----	-	Clark -----	7,966	Broome -----	729
Banner -----	-	Douglas -----	176	Cattaraugus -----	284
Blaine -----	1	Elko -----	188	Cayuga -----	198
Boone -----	15	Esmeralda -----	-	Chautauqua -----	548
Box Butte -----	60	Eureka -----	1	Chemung -----	421
Boyd -----	4	Humboldt -----	75	Chenango -----	211
Brown -----	21	Lander -----	45	Clinton -----	253
Buffalo -----	166	Lincoln -----	20	Columbia -----	166
Burt -----	25	Lyon -----	41		
Butler -----	13			Cortland -----	178
Cass -----	80	Mineral -----	63	Delaware -----	136
Cedar -----	11	Nye -----	75	Dutchess -----	892
Chase -----	20	Perkins -----	27	Erie -----	3,389
Cherry -----	12	Storey -----	2	Essex -----	102
Cheyenne -----	37	Washoe -----	3,993	Franklin -----	109
Clay -----	22	White Pine -----	59	Fulton -----	193
Colfax -----	21	County not stated -----	1	Genesee -----	190
Cuming -----	15			Greene -----	126
Custer -----	29	New Hampshire -----	4,805	Hamilton -----	5
Dakota -----	79				
Dawes -----	34	Belknap -----	256	Herkimer -----	162
Dawson -----	101	Carroll -----	121	Jefferson -----	275
Deuel -----	6	Cheshire -----	318	Lewis -----	31
Dixon -----	12	Coos -----	130	Livingston -----	178
Dodge -----	153	Grafton -----	299	Madison -----	237
Douglas -----	1,892	Hillsborough -----	1,456	Monroe -----	2,233
Dundy -----	12	Merrimack -----	467	Montgomery -----	131
Fillmore -----	24	Rockingham -----	1,100	Nassau -----	3,694
Franklin -----	4	Strafford -----	455		
Frontier -----	9	Sullivan -----	203	New York city -----	31,271
Furnas -----	17			Bronx borough, Bronx county -----	4,261
Gage -----	73	New Jersey -----	26,641	Brooklyn borough, Kings county -----	4,877
Garden -----	11			Manhattan borough, New York county -----	15,824
Garfield -----	4	Atlantic -----	838	Queens borough, Queens county -----	5,602
Gosper -----	2	Bergen -----	2,669	Staten Island borough, Richmond county -----	707
Grant -----	2	Burlington -----	1,329		
Greeley -----	7	Camden -----	1,681	Niagara -----	794
Hall -----	230	Cape May -----	366	Oneida -----	824
Hamilton -----	23	Cumberland -----	557	Onondaga -----	1,695
Harlan -----	10	Essex -----	2,730	Ontario -----	326
Hayes -----	3	Gloucester -----	720	Orange -----	868
Hitchcock -----	8	Hudson -----	1,840	Orleans -----	118
Holt -----	39	Hunterdon -----	375	Oswego -----	316
Hooker -----	1	Mercer -----	1,150	Otsego -----	195
Howard -----	17			Putnam -----	165
Jefferson -----	39	Middlesex -----	2,386	Rensselaer -----	436
Johnson -----	9	Monmouth -----	1,946		
Kearney -----	28	Morris -----	1,455	Rockland -----	833
Keith -----	42	Ocean -----	1,353	St. Lawrence -----	227
Kiya Paha -----	2	Passaic -----	1,654	Saratoga -----	490
Kimball -----	23	Salem -----	222	Schenectady -----	522
Knox -----	19	Somerset -----	814	Schoharie -----	87
Lancaster -----	957	Sussex -----	495	Schuyler -----	57
Lincoln -----	163	Union -----	1,685	Seneca -----	115
Logan -----	1	Warren -----	376	Steuben -----	347
Loup -----	-			Suffolk -----	3,966
McPherson -----	-	New Mexico⁵ -----	11,922	Sullivan -----	238
Madison -----	118				
Morrill -----	16	Bernalillo -----	3,595	Tioga -----	169
Morrill -----	11	Catron -----	11	Tompkins -----	349
Nance -----	9	Chaves -----	537	Ulster -----	553
Nemaha -----	32	Cibola -----	116	Warren -----	209
Nuckolls -----	24	Colfax -----	54	Washington -----	200
Otoe -----	53	Curry -----	590	Wayne -----	279
Pawnee -----	17	De Baca -----	14	Westchester -----	2,258
Perkins -----	10	Doña Ana -----	1,032	Wyoming -----	134
Phelps -----	40	Eddy -----	554	Yates -----	66
Pierce -----	18	Grant -----	327		

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Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments
North Carolina	30,099	North Carolina—Con.		Ohio ³ —Con.	
Alamance	590	Vance	164	Hamilton	3,936
Alexander	91	Wake	1,834	Hancock	281
Alleghany	53	Warren	47	Hardin	152
Anson	86	Washington	57	Harrison	75
Ashe	95	Watauga	111	Henry	112
Avery	71	Wayne	476	Highland	164
Beaufort	198	Wilkes	254	Hocking	162
Bertie	53	Wilson	368	Holmes	93
Bladen	87	Yadkin	93	Huron	273
Brunswick	146	Yancey	59	Jackson	205
Buncombe	988	North Dakota	2,336	Jefferson	354
Burke	367	Adams	8	Knox	271
Cabarrus	362	Barnes	29	Lake	1,032
Caldwell	319	Benson	11	Lawrence	406
Camden	9	Billings	2	Licking	697
Carteret	223	Bottineau	17	Logan	238
Caswell	44	Bowman	14	Lorain	1,100
Catawba	692	Burke	238	Lucas	2,314
Chatham	132	Burleigh	381	Madison	177
Cherokee	63	Cass	12	Mahoning	—
Chowan	50	Cavaller	11	Marion	423
Clay	27	Dickey	4	Medina	542
Cleveland	351	Divide	9	Meigs	142
Columbus	221	Dunn	8	Mercer	93
Craven	392	Eddy	3	Miami	499
Cumberland	1,645	Emmons	9	Monroe	70
Currituck	41	Foster	7	Montgomery	3,541
Dare	28	Golden Valley	318	Morgan	53
Davidson	445	Grand Forks	2	Morrow	114
Davie	52	Grant	7	Muskingum	485
Duplin	146	Griggs	9	Noble	36
Durham	830	Hettinger	11	Ottawa	169
Edgecombe	316	Kidder	11	Paulding	72
Forsyth	1,876	La Moure	1	Perry	124
Franklin	107	Logan	6	Pickaway	277
Gaston	807	McHenry	26	Pike	136
Gates	15	McIntosh	22	Portage	671
Graham	35	McKenzie	44	Preble	194
Granville	97	McLean	77	Pulnam	73
Greene	27	Mercer	12	Richland	858
Gulford	2,097	Morton	6	Ross	323
Halifax	171	Mountrail	17	Sandusky	330
Harnett	272	Nelson	17	Scioto	465
Haywood	227	Oliver	43	Seneca	247
Henderson	290	Pembina	24	Shelby	227
Hertford	105	Pierce	4	Stark	1,823
Hoke	43	Ramsey	51	Summit	2,710
Hyde	15	Ransom	13	Trumbull	1,201
Iredell	346	Renville	4	Tuscarawas	381
Jackson	104	Richland	1	Union	192
Johnston	308	Rolette	2	Van Wert	117
Jones	21	Sargent	104	Vinton	86
Lee	238	Sheridan	4	Warren	846
Lenoir	336	Sioux	110	Washington	336
Lincoln	211	Slope	36	Wayne	507
McDowell	171	Stark	38	Williams	177
Macon	71	Steele	357	Wood	486
Madison	44	Stutsman	8	Wyandot	109
Martin	75	Towner	189	Oklahoma	23,755
Mecklenburg	2,873	Trail	54,111	Adair	110
Mitchell	47	Walsh	156	Alfalfa	21
Montgomery	97	Ward	531	Atoka	84
Moore	222	Wells	242	Beaver	47
Nash	358	Williams	576	Beckham	182
New Hanover	707	Adams	282	Blaine	95
Northampton	75	Ashland	132	Bryan	219
Onslow	687	Ashtabula	307	Caddo	207
Orange	268	Athens	158	Canadian	507
Pamlico	19	Auglaize	131	Carter	180
Pasquotank	186	Belmont	194	Cherokee	222
Pender	70	Brown	818	Choctaw	144
Perquimans	17	Butler	897	Cimarron	22
Person	121	Carroll	220	Cleveland	1,244
Pitt	432	Champaign	584	Coal	29
Polk	40	Clark	274	Comanche	1,185
Randolph	349	Clermont	6,775	Cotton	26
Richmond	201	Clinton	290	Craig	76
Robeson	344	Columbia	192	Creek	450
Rockingham	405	Coshocton	270	Custer	200
Rowan	370	Crawford	344	Delaware	127
Rutherford	278	Cuyahoga	583	Dewey	33
Sampson	133	Darke	168	Ellis	44
Scotland	122	Defiance	5,549	Garfield	510
Stanly	169	Delaware	153	Garvin	254
Stokes	68	Erie	171	Grady	349
Surry	262	Fairfield	304	Grant	30
Swain	40	Fayette	704	Greer	39
Sylvania	111	Franklin	180	Harmon	29
Tyrrell	14	Fulton	—	Harper	30
Union	219	Gallia	—		
		Geauga	—		
		Greene	—		
		Guernsey	—		

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Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments
Oklahoma—Con.		Pennsylvania—Con.		South Carolina—Con.	
Haskell -----	74	Cambria -----	467	Lee -----	34
Hughes -----	61	Cameron -----	1,817	Lexington -----	829
Jackson -----	260	Carbon -----	150	McCormick -----	16
Jefferson -----	57	Centre -----	345	Marion -----	116
Johnston -----	55	Chester -----	1,151	Marlboro -----	86
Kay -----	392	Clarion -----	101	Newberry -----	129
Kingfisher -----	111	Clearfield -----	277	Oconee -----	204
Kiowa -----	97	Clinton -----	148	Orangeburg -----	300
Latimer -----	69	Columbia -----	241	Pickens -----	238
Le Flore -----	352	Crawford -----	247	Richland -----	1,113
Lincoln -----	161	Cumberland -----	680	Saluda -----	40
Logan -----	185	Dauphin -----	996	Spartanburg -----	1,129
Love -----	48	Delaware -----	1,761	Sumter -----	437
McClain -----	112	Elk -----	102	Union -----	132
McCurtain -----	160	Erie -----	903	Williamsburg -----	56
McIntosh -----	99	Fayette -----	404	York -----	384
Major -----	48	Forest -----	14		
Marshall -----	44	Franklin -----	443	South Dakota -----	2,556
Mayes -----	226	Fulton -----	38	Aurora -----	2
Murray -----	107	Groene -----	133	Beadle -----	54
Muskogee -----	616	Huntingdon -----	138	Bennett -----	3
Noble -----	75	Indiana -----	210	Bon Homme -----	17
Nowata -----	74	Jefferson -----	156	Brookings -----	80
Okfuskee -----	61	Junata -----	46	Brown -----	140
Oklahoma -----	3,043	Lackawanna -----	598	Brule -----	18
Okmulgee -----	410	Lancaster -----	1,232	Butte -----	48
Osage -----	231	Lawrence -----	345	Campbell -----	3
Ottawa -----	248	Lebanon -----	392	Charles Mix -----	18
Pawnee -----	95	Lehigh -----	969	Clark -----	9
Payne -----	458	Luzerne -----	815	Clay -----	58
Pittsburg -----	298	Lycoming -----	439	Codrington -----	81
Pontotoc -----	273	McKean -----	164	Corson -----	8
Pottawatomie -----	450	Mercer -----	417	Custer -----	32
Pushmataha -----	84	Mifflin -----	139	Davison -----	55
Roger Mills -----	33	Monroe -----	284	Day -----	21
Rogers -----	455	Montgomery -----	1,950	Deuel -----	13
Seminole -----	171	Montour -----	51	Dewey -----	10
Sequoyah -----	181	Northampton -----	730	Douglas -----	3
Stephens -----	387	Northumberland -----	347	Edmunds -----	7
Texas -----	121	Perry -----	74	Fall River -----	36
Tillman -----	86	Philadelphia, coext. with Philadelphia city -----	5,727	Faulk -----	9
Tulsa -----	5,346	Pike -----	43	Grant -----	31
Wagoner -----	413	Potter -----	69	Gregory -----	22
Washington -----	377	Schuylkill -----	471	Haakon -----	6
Washita -----	110	Snyder -----	95	Hamlin -----	8
Woods -----	73	Somerset -----	260	Hand -----	10
Woodward -----	173	Sullivan -----	10	Hanson -----	-
Oregon -----	16,173	Susquehanna -----	127	Harding -----	5
Baker -----	117	Tioga -----	126	Hughes -----	79
Benton -----	298	Union -----	103	Hutchinson -----	11
Clackamas -----	1,226	Venango -----	123	Hyde -----	-
Clatsop -----	212	Warren -----	34	Jackson -----	9
Columbia -----	353	Washington -----	590	Jerauld -----	4
Coos -----	399	Wayne -----	129	Jones -----	-
Crook -----	94	Westmoreland -----	1,169	Kingsbury -----	20
Curry -----	96	Wyoming -----	107	Lake -----	26
Deschutes -----	261	York -----	1,345	Lawrence -----	105
Douglas -----	661	County not stated -----	3	Lincoln -----	35
Gilliam -----	3	Rhode Island -----	3,525	Lyman -----	10
Grant -----	53	Bristol -----	136	McCook -----	8
Harney -----	42	Kent -----	677	McPherson -----	3
Hood River -----	272	Newport -----	306	Marshall -----	15
Jackson -----	969	Providence -----	2,052	Meade -----	91
Jefferson -----	54	Washington -----	354	Melfette -----	9
Josephine -----	448	South Carolina -----	13,601	Miner -----	4
Klamath -----	416	Abbeville -----	81	Minnehaha -----	541
Lake -----	51	Aiken -----	508	Moody -----	21
Lane -----	1,869	Allendale -----	26	Pennington -----	472
Lincoln -----	225	Anderson -----	714	Perkins -----	7
Linn -----	503	Bamberg -----	54	Potter -----	6
Malheur -----	133	Barnwell -----	52	Roberts -----	24
Marion -----	1,016	Beaufort -----	200	Sanborn -----	9
Morrow -----	49	Berkeley -----	400	Shannon -----	2
Multnomah -----	3,643	Calhoun -----	38	Spink -----	13
Polk -----	396	Charleston -----	1,317	Stanley -----	13
Sherman -----	6	Cherokee -----	212	Sully -----	6
Tillamook -----	191	Chester -----	98	Todd -----	19
Umatilla -----	333	Chesterfield -----	86	Tripp -----	13
Union -----	52	Clarendon -----	57	Turner -----	18
Walla Walla -----	41	Colleton -----	108	Union -----	46
Wasco -----	140	Darlington -----	200	Walworth -----	21
Washington -----	1,220	Dillon -----	77	Yankton -----	71
Wheeler -----	6	Dorchester -----	190	Ziebach -----	1
Yamhill -----	335	Edgefield -----	52	County not stated -----	17
Pennsylvania -----	40,150	Fairfield -----	66	Tennessee -----	29,355
Adams -----	233	Florence -----	483	Anderson -----	430
Allegheny -----	4,730	Georgetown -----	132	Bedford -----	173
Armstrong -----	217	Greenville -----	1,585	Benton -----	97
Beaver -----	469	Greenwood -----	308	Bledsoe -----	40
Bedford -----	123	Hampton -----	53	Blount -----	626
Barks -----	1,217	Horry -----	549	Bradley -----	580
Blair -----	102	Jasper -----	11	Campbell -----	205
Bradford -----	226	Kershaw -----	190	Cannon -----	47
Bucks -----	1,935	Lancaster -----	250	Carroll -----	160
Butler -----	473	Laurens -----	261	Carter -----	327

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[Data are counts of decrees granted supplied by States except as noted]

Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments
Tennessee—Con.		Texas—Con.		Texas—Con.	
Cheatham	123	Bastrop	137	Harris	19,100
Chester	574	Baylor	22	Harrison	328
Claiborne	44	Bee	170	Hartley	11
Clay	45	Bell	2,087	Haskell	40
Cocke	216	Bexar	7,608	Hays	146
Coffee	243	Blanco	13	Hemphill	23
Crockett	59	Borden	5	Henderson	177
Cumberland	200	Bosque	62	Hidalgo	125
Davidson	3,440	Bowie	619	Hill	129
Decatur	44	Brazoria	1,248	Hockley	135
De Kalb	78				
Dickson	188	Brazos	436	Hood	115
Dyer	287	Brewster	50	Hopkins	191
Fayette	175	Briscoe	—	Houston	86
Fentress	110	Brooks	9	Howard	98
Franklin	148	Brown	187	Hudspeth	6
Gibson	285	Burleson	63	Hunt	447
Giles	128	Burnet	124	Hutchinson	206
Grainger	78	Caldwell	81	Irion	4
Greene	397	Calhoun	131	Jack	39
		Callahan	70	Jackson	68
Grundy	71				
Hamblen	416	Cameron	860	Jasper	195
Hamilton	2,057	Camp	38	Jeff Davis	1
Hancock	19	Carson	29	Jefferson	1,655
Hardeman	91	Cass	187	Jim Hogg	2
Hardin	120	Castro	27	Jim Wells	202
Hawkins	311	Chambers	143	Johnson	260
Haywood	120	Cherokee	228	Jones	57
Henderson	107	Childress	44	Karnes	7
Henry	203	Clay	58	Kaufman	223
		Cochran	16	Kendall	40
Hickman	70				
Houston	38	Coke	6	Kenedy	3
Humphreys	81	Coleman	61	Kent	5
Jackson	26	Collin	1,037	Kerr	181
Jefferson	191	Collingsworth	19	Kimble	28
Johnson	97	Colorado	86	King	1
Knox	2,240	Comal	173	Kinney	9
Lake	40	Comanche	71	Kleberg	182
Lauderdale	142	Concho	15	Knox	22
Lawrence	153	Cooke	131	Lamar	346
		Coryell	272	Lamb	80
Lewis	55				
Lincoln	158	Cottle	3	Lampasas	45
Louden	206	Crane	25	La Salle	12
McMinn	245	Crockett	14	Lavaca	59
McNairy	114	Crosby	30	Lee	57
Macon	89	Culberson	8	Leon	51
Madison	446	Dallam	38	Liberty	344
Marion	133	Dallas	12,627	Limestone	141
Marshall	140	Dawson	81	Lipscomb	19
Mauzy	290	Deaf Smith	69	Live Oak	62
		Delta	11	Llano	38
Meigs	16				
Monroe	147	Denton	885	Loving	1
Montgomery	742	De Witt	64	Lubbock	1,344
Moore	18	Dickens	10	Lynn	44
Morgan	86	Dimmit	32	McCulloch	58
Oblon	182	Donley	15	McLennan	1,133
Overton	71	Duval	32	McMullen	3
Perry	41	Eastland	18	Madison	39
Pickett	27	Ector	1,250	Marion	50
Polk	67	Edwards	9	Martin	24
		Ellis	425	Mason	16
Putnam	277				
Rhea	30	El Paso	3,103	Matagorda	246
Roane	327	Erath	145	Maverick	89
Robertson	173	Falls	95	Medina	82
Rutherford	592	Fannin	114	Menard	17
Scott	81	Fayette	67	Midland	685
Sequatchie	44	Fisher	20	Milam	114
Savler	262	Floyd	35	Mills	17
Shelby	3,749	Foard	4	Mitchell	3
Smith	78	Fort Bend	795	Montague	102
		Franklin	38	Montgomery	776
Stewart	56				
Sullivan	963	Freestone	78	Moore	112
Sumner	598	Frio	42	Morris	85
Tipton	623	Gaines	76	Motley	1
Trousdale	46	Galveston	685	Nacogdoches	208
Unicoi	99	Garza	20	Navarro	246
Union	46	Gillespie	51	Newton	94
Van Buren	32	Glasscock	2	Nolan	120
Warren	240	Goliad	26	Nueces	2,049
Washington	551	Gonzales	92	Ochiltree	72
		Gray	186	Oldham	8
Wayne	73				
Weakley	148	Grayson	675	Orange	751
White	114	Gregg	687	Palo Pinto	207
Williamson	397	Grimes	55	Panola	130
Wilson	361	Guadalupe	233	Parker	328
Texas	97,061	Hale	166	Parmer	46
		Hall	34	Pecos	34
Anderson	80	Hamilton	56	Polk	61
Andrews	129	Hansford	25	Potter	961
Angelina	458	Hardeman	19	Presidio	12
Aransas	115	Hardin	339	Rains	25
Archer	49				
Armstrong	7				
Atascosa	73				
Austin	89				
Bailey	38				
Bandera	39				

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[Data are counts of decrees granted supplied by States except as noted]

Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments
Texas—Con.		Vermont—	2,575	Virginia—Con.	
Randall	560	Addison	127	Mathews	31
Reagan	9	Bennington	218	Mecklenburg	116
Real	16	Caledonia	117	Middlesex	21
Red River	88	Chittenden	624	Montgomery	221
Reeves	62	Essex	32	Nelson	48
Refugio	34	Franklin	164	New Kent	37
Robertis	1	Grand Isle	14	Newport News city	898
Robertson	62	Lamoille	104	Norfolk city	1,308
Rockwall	100	Orange	98	Northampton	61
Runnels	56	Orleans	87	Northumberland	28
Rusk	275	Rutland	247	Norton city	-
Sabine	26	Washington	290	Nottoway	58
San Augustine	5	Windham	206	Orange	84
San Jacinto	95	Windsor	247	Page	75
San Patricio	319	Virginia	25,482	Patrick	76
San Saba	39	Accomack	102	Petersburg city	202
Schleicher	11	Albemarle	281	Pittsylvania	236
Scurry	134	Alexandria city	535	Poquoson city	-
Shackelford	23	Alleghany	83	Portsmouth city	501
Shelby	138	Amelia	30	Powhatan	59
Sherman	16	Amherst	107	Prince Edward	58
Smith	823	Appomattox	47	Prince George	103
Somervell	9	Arlington	717	Prince William	861
Starr	-	Augusta	259	Pulaski	147
Stephens	59	Bath	26	Radford city	43
Sterling	6	Bedford	191	Rappahannock	22
Stonewall	5	Bedford city	-	Richmond	17
Sutton	32	Bland	19	Richmond city	1,157
Swisher	31	Botetourt	84	Roanoke	382
Tarrant	7,425	Bristol city	73	Roanoke city	501
Taylor	964	Brunswick	33	Rockbridge	100
Terrill	1	Buchanan	121	Rockingham	289
Terry	90	Buckingham	44	Russell	104
Throckmorton	11	Buena Vista city	34	Salem city	122
Titus	60	Campbell	195	Scott	86
Tom Green	476	Caroline	66	Shenandoah	128
Travis	3,316	Carroll	145	Smyth	153
Trinity	15	Charles city	15	Southampton	66
Tyler	122	Charlotte	38	South Boston city	-
Upshur	200	Charlottesville city	167	Spotsylvania	194
Upton	13	Chesapeake city	882	Stafford	212
Uvalde	103	Chesterfield	923	Staunton city	115
Val Verde	152	Clarke	40	Suffolk city	189
Van Zandt	214	Clifton Forge city	21	Surry	20
Victoria	452	Colonial Heights city	93	Sussex	26
Walker	185	Covington city	-	Tazewell	224
Waller	112	Craig	20	Virginia Beach city	1,734
Ward	80	Culpeper	108	Warren	101
Washington	88	Cumberland	23	Washington	199
Webb	6	Danville city	250	Waynesboro city	77
Wharton	176	Dickenson	76	Westmoreland	45
Wheeler	30	Dinwiddie	71	Williamsburg city	36
Wichita	1,060	Emporia city	-	Winchester city	122
Wilbarger	113	Essex	31	Wise	212
Willacy	47	Fairfax	3,021	Wythe	106
Williamson	439	Fairfax city	-	York	205
Wilson	49	Falls Church city	-	Washington	27,503
Winkler	44	Fauquier	176	Adams	61
Wise	158	Floyd	39	Asotin	116
Wood	150	Fluvanna	49	Benton	691
Yonkum	62	Franklin	63	Chelan	407
Young	122	Franklin city	-	Clallam	308
Zapala	-	Frederick	159	Clark	1,309
Zavala	39	Fredericksburg city	78	Columbia	26
Utah	8,525	Galax city	-	Cowlitz	593
Beaver	12	Giles	73	Douglas	39
Box Elder	154	Gloucester	113	Ferry	21
Cache	242	Goochland	40	Franklin	283
Carbon	152	Grayson	100	Garfield	12
Daggett	2	Greene	41	Grant	325
Davis	685	Greensville	46	Grays Harbor	462
Duchesne	66	Halifax	120	Island	287
Emery	42	Hampton city	598	Jefferson	110
Garfield	20	Hanover	228	King	8,582
Grand	35	Harrisonburg city	-	Kitsap	890
Iron	95	Henrico	1,015	Kittitas	104
Juab	23	Henry	296	Klickitat	98
Kane	16	Highland	4	Lewis	380
Millard	31	Hopewell city	132	Lincoln	55
Morgan	16	Isle of Wight	64	Mason	170
Plute	4	James city	111	Okanogan	181
Rich	-	King and Queen	19	Pacific	106
Salt Lake	4,285	King George	38	Pend Oreille	44
San Juan	24	King William	26	Pierce	3,639
Sanpete	63	Lancaster	36	San Juan	37
Sevier	80	Lee	90	Skagit	499
Summit	54	Lexington city	-	Skamania	53
Tooele	219	Loudoun	270	Snohomish	2,153
Uintah	153	Louisa	76	Spokane	2,237
Utah	875	Lunenburg	47	Stevens	176
Wasatch	30	Lynchburg city	263	Thurston	958
Washington	141	Madison	40	Wahkiakum	28
Wayne	4	Manassas city	-	Walla Walla	301
Weber	1,002	Manassas Park city	-	Whatcom	632
		Martinsville city	69	Whitman	98
				Yakima	1,032

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Table 2-36. Divorces and Annulments: United States, Each State and County, 1983—Con.

[Data are counts of decrees granted supplied by States except as noted]

Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments	Area	Divorces and annulments
West Virginia-----	10,113	Wisconsin-----	16,501	Wisconsin--Con.	
Barbour-----	79	Adams-----	33	Price-----	53
Berkeley-----	230	Ashland-----	68	Racine-----	665
Boone-----	169	Barron-----	169	Richland-----	46
Braxton-----	75	Bayfield-----	54	Rock-----	583
Brooke-----	116	Brown-----	590	Rusk-----	53
Cabell-----	629	Buffalo-----	45	St. Croix-----	120
Calhoun-----	57	Burnett-----	66	Sauk-----	139
Clay-----	70	Calumet-----	60	Sawyer-----	57
Doddridge-----	25	Chippewa-----	174	Shawano-----	101
Fayette-----	284	Clark-----	101	Sheboygan-----	331
Gilmer-----	37				
Grant-----	44				
Greenbrier-----	229	Columbia-----	157	Taylor-----	43
Hampshire-----	58	Crawford-----	46	Trempealeau-----	77
Hancock-----	171	Dane-----	1,228	Vernon-----	65
Hardy-----	44	Dodge-----	176	Vilas-----	64
Harrison-----	320	Door-----	86	Walworth-----	289
Jackson-----	131	Douglas-----	178	Washburn-----	46
Jefferson-----	183	Dunn-----	95	Washington-----	280
Kanawha-----	1,362	Eau Claire-----	311	Waukesha-----	1,134
		Florence-----	11	Waupaca-----	149
		Fond du Lac-----	308	Waushara-----	80
Lewis-----	130	Forest-----	23	Winnebago-----	442
Lincoln-----	139	Grant-----	126	Wood-----	216
Logan-----	302	Green-----	98		
McDowell-----	203	Green Lake-----	56		
Marion-----	278	Iowa-----	73		
Marshall-----	163	Iron-----	16	Wyoming-----	3,978
Mason-----	141	Jackson-----	51		
Mercer-----	413	Jefferson-----	247	Albany-----	190
Mineral-----	91	Juneau-----	68	Big Horn-----	69
Mingo-----	234	Kenosha-----	523	Campbell-----	261
				Carbon-----	190
Monongalia-----	377			Converse-----	110
Monroe-----	88	Kewaunee-----	47	Crook-----	15
Morgan-----	48	La Crosse-----	326	Fremont-----	290
Nicholas-----	157	Lafayette-----	48	Goshen-----	78
Ohio-----	218	Langlade-----	61	Hot Springs-----	54
Pendleton-----	28	Lincoln-----	84	Johnson-----	63
Pleasants-----	40	Manitowoc-----	227		
Pocahontas-----	69	Marathon-----	312		
Preston-----	121	Marquette-----	137	Laramie-----	669
Putnam-----	269	Menominee-----	40	Lincoln-----	88
				Natrona-----	772
Raleigh-----	442			Niobrara-----	8
Randolph-----	196	Milwaukee-----	3,618	Park-----	144
Ritchie-----	39	Monroe-----	141	Platte-----	66
Roane-----	71	Oconto-----	111	Sheridan-----	205
Summers-----	65	Oneida-----	153	Sublette-----	16
Taylor-----	78	Outagamie-----	333	Sweetwater-----	312
Tucker-----	31	Ozaukee-----	166	Teton-----	68
Tyler-----	44	Pepin-----	22		
Upshur-----	148	Pierce-----	101	Uinta-----	161
Wayne-----	258	Polk-----	153	Washakie-----	76
		Portage-----	181	Weston-----	53
Webster-----	53				
Wetzel-----	71				
Wirt-----	33				
Wood-----	521				
Wyoming-----	199				

1 Areas shown are census divisions, the nearest equivalent to counties.

2 Includes data for La Paz county.

3 Data are incomplete.

4 Data by county include legal separations which are not included in the State total.

5 Data include divorce petitions filed for some counties.

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NOTES

Reporting areas

Marriage data are shown for both Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands. Divorce totals are shown for both Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands and detailed divorce statistics for the Virgin Islands only.

Geographic classification

Data are shown by place of occurrence. Totals are shown for the local areas of St. Croix Island and St. Johns and St. Thomas Islands (the latter two combined) in the Virgin Islands and for the primary geographic subdivisions, "municipios," in Puerto Rico. Courts empowered to grant divorces are located only in a few municipios in Puerto Rico; residents of other municipios obtain divorces in these courts.

Race and color

For 1983, brides and grooms are not shown by race or color for either Puerto Rico or the Virgin Islands. Husbands and wives divorced in 1983 are classified as white or all other for the Virgin Islands.

Section 4—the Technical Appendix—includes information about the sample specifications, sampling errors, and completeness of reporting for these statistics.

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Table 3-1. Marriages, Divorces and Annulments, and Rates: Puerto Rico and Virgin Islands, 1940-83

[Data are supplied by reporting areas. Rates per 1,000 total population in each area except as noted]

Year	Marriages				Divorces and annulments			
	Puerto Rico		Virgin Islands ¹		Puerto Rico ²		Virgin Islands	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
1983	29,487	9.0	1,341	12.9	13,164	4.0	313	3.0
1982	30,799	9.4	1,311	12.9	14,084	4.3	335	3.3
1981	31,892	9.8	1,092	11.0	14,247	4.4	408	4.1
1980	33,167	10.4	1,112	11.5	15,276	4.8	478	4.9
1979	33,072	10.4	1,067	11.1	13,471	4.3	410	4.3
1978	34,048	10.9	1,131	11.8	12,392	4.0	484	5.0
1977	34,541	11.2	919	9.9	12,085	3.9	442	4.7
1976	33,741	11.2	933	9.7	12,357	4.1	399	4.1
1975	32,731	11.2	1,064	11.3	12,985	4.4	353	3.7
1974	33,410	11.6	1,254	13.9	11,688	4.1	460	5.1
1973	34,221	12.0	1,391	16.5	12,593	4.4	299	3.6
1972	33,555	11.8	1,463	19.2	13,269	4.7	239	3.1
1971	32,069	11.6	1,671	23.6	10,770	3.9	321	4.5
1970	29,905	11.0	1,149	18.4	9,688	3.6	270	4.3
1969	29,741	11.1	1,035	14.9	9,054	3.4	333	4.8
1968	27,036	10.2	896	14.3	8,929	3.4	322	5.1
1967	26,406	10.1	700	12.3	7,728	3.0	280	4.9
1966	25,542	9.9	641	12.6	7,517	2.9	293	5.8
1965	25,184	9.6	595	13.7	10,519	4.0	249	5.7
1964	23,400	9.1	520	12.8	7,254	2.8	200	4.9
1963	³ 22,895	³ 9.1	539	13.6	4,822	1.9	171	4.3
1962	³ 22,120	³ 9.0	422	12.1	5,989	2.4	180	5.2
1961	21,379	8.9	397	11.6	5,512	2.3	152	4.4
1960	⁴ 20,212	⁴ 8.6	359	11.1	5,218	2.2	135	4.2
1959	20,133	8.7	306	9.9	5,411	2.3	138	4.5
1958	19,926	8.7	330	11.0	5,028	2.2	132	4.4
1957	---	---	278	9.5	5,040	2.2	117	4.0
1956	---	---	306	10.7	---	---	129	4.5
1955	18,912	8.4	221	8.0	4,622	2.1	103	3.7
1954	19,437	8.6	243	8.9	4,686	2.1	123	4.5
1953	---	---	247	9.2	⁵ 5,000	⁵ 2.3	236	8.8
1952	18,288	8.2	237	8.5	4,173	1.9	343	12.3
1951	18,140	8.1	225	8.1	3,676	1.6	312	11.3
1950	20,532	9.3	138	5.2	3,591	1.6	271	10.2
1949	16,156	7.4	194	7.3	3,409	1.6	181	6.8
1948	15,379	7.0	156	5.8	3,334	1.5	143	5.3
1947	16,779	7.8	190	7.0	3,582	1.7	124	4.6
1946 ⁵	20,345	9.5	195	7.2	4,047	1.9	90	3.3
1945 ⁵	17,490	8.3	238	8.9	3,247	1.6	52	2.0
1944 ⁵	16,190	7.9	342	12.6	3,281	1.6	63	2.4
1943 ⁵	14,341	7.1	293	10.7	2,508	1.3	76	3.1
1942 ⁵	16,114	8.1	311	11.9	2,433	1.2	---	---
1941 ⁵	15,007	7.8	248	9.6	2,464	1.3	---	---
1940	19,457	10.4	122	4.9	2,600	1.4	---	---

¹For 1940-49, data represent marriage licenses; for 1940-50, data are for fiscal years ending June 30.²Data exclude annulments.³Data are estimated.⁴Data are incomplete.⁵Divorce rates are based on civilian population.

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Table 3-2. Marriages and Divorces and Annulments: Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands, and County Equivalents, 1983

[Data are supplied by reporting areas. For Puerto Rico, county equivalents are municipios; for Virgin Islands, the three principal islands are the primary administrative units]

Area	Marriages	Divorces and annulments	Area	Marriages	Divorces and annulments	Area	Marriages	Divorces and annulments
Puerto Rico -----	29,487	113,164	Puerto Rico—Con.			Puerto Rico—Con.		
Adjuntas -----	175	—	Guáyanilla -----	359	482	Quebradillas -----	198	—
Aguada -----	293	—	Guayanilla -----	186	—	Rincón -----	71	—
Aguadilla -----	540	771	Guaynabo -----	703	—	Río Grande -----	315	—
Agua Buena -----	153	—	Gurabo -----	264	—	Sabana Grande -----	216	—
Albion -----	201	359	Hatillo -----	222	—	Salinas -----	211	—
Añasco -----	213	—	Hormigueros -----	131	—	San Germán -----	307	—
Arecibo -----	884	1,017	Humacao -----	494	983	San Juan -----	4,499	2,137
Arroyo -----	114	—	Isabela -----	333	—	San Lorenzo -----	259	—
Barceloneta -----	146	—	Jayuya -----	165	—	San Sebastián -----	333	—
Barranquitas -----	240	—	Juana Díaz -----	308	—	Santa Isabel -----	108	—
Bayamón -----	2,096	2,572	Juncos -----	131	—			
Cabo Rojo -----	273	—	Lajas -----	192	—	Toa Alta -----	207	—
Caguas -----	1,157	1,167	Lares -----	326	—	Toa Baja -----	487	—
Camuy -----	250	—	Las Marías -----	172	—	Trujillo Alto -----	342	—
Canóvanas -----	208	—	Las Piedras -----	199	—	Utua -----	294	121
Carolina -----	1,442	1,081	Lofa -----	189	—	Vega Alta -----	258	—
Cataño -----	609	—	Luquillo -----	129	—	Vega Baja -----	442	—
Cayey -----	338	—	Manatí -----	403	—	Vieques -----	104	—
Celba -----	182	—	Maricao -----	36	—	Villalba -----	174	—
Ciales -----	151	—	Maunabo -----	64	—	Yabucoa -----	232	—
Cidra -----	252	—	Mayagüez -----	916	1,112	Yauco -----	381	79
Coamo -----	209	—	Moca -----	182	—			
Comerio -----	161	—	Morovis -----	163	—	Virgin Islands -----	1,341	313
Corozal -----	232	—	Naguabo -----	159	—			
Culebra -----	11	—	Naranjito -----	169	—	St. Croix -----	520	196
Dorado -----	254	—	Orocovis -----	125	—	St. John and St. Thomas -----	821	117
Fajardo -----	413	—	Patillas -----	159	—			
Florida -----	75	—	Peñuelas -----	148	—			
Guánica -----	102	—	Ponce -----	1,658	1,283			

1 Data exclude annulments. Divorces are granted only in municipios in which courts are located.

Table 3-3. Marriages by Month Marriage Performed: Puerto Rico and Virgin Islands, 1983

[Data for Puerto Rico based on a sample]

Month	Puerto Rico	Virgin Islands
Total -----	29,660	1,327
January -----	2,420	97
February -----	2,310	91
March -----	2,140	98
April -----	2,380	97
May -----	2,180	119
June -----	2,990	127
July -----	2,980	113
August -----	2,040	132
September -----	1,830	115
October -----	1,950	102
November -----	2,230	104
December -----	4,210	132

Table 3-4. Marriages by Day of Week Marriage Performed: Puerto Rico and Virgin Islands, 1983

[Data for Puerto Rico based on a sample]

Day of Week	Puerto Rico	Virgin Islands
Total -----	29,660	1,327
Sunday -----	2,420	55
Monday -----	2,030	158
Tuesday -----	1,860	224
Wednesday -----	2,320	251
Thursday -----	2,710	139
Friday -----	5,610	188
Saturday -----	11,710	314

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Table 3-5. Marriages by Resident Status of Bride and Groom in Area Where Married: Puerto Rico and Virgin Islands, 1983

[Data for Puerto Rico based on a sample]

Area and resident status of bride	All marriages	Resident status of groom				
		Resident of area	Not resident of area			Resident status not stated
			Total	Resident of U.S.	Not resident of U.S.	
PUERTO RICO						
Total -----	29,660	28,640	840	670	170	180
Resident of area -----	28,910	28,300	540	460	80	70
Not resident of area -----	500	200	290	200	90	10
Resident of U.S. -----	240	50	180	180	-	10
Not resident of U.S. -----	260	150	110	20	90	-
Resident status not stated -----	250	140	10	10	-	100
VIRGIN ISLANDS						
Total -----	1,327	736	586	532	54	5
Resident of area -----	757	714	43	22	21	-
Not resident of area -----	565	22	543	510	33	-
Resident of U.S. -----	521	10	511	506	5	-
Not resident of U.S. -----	44	12	32	4	28	-
Resident status not stated -----	5	-	-	-	-	5

Table 3-6. Marriages by Marriage Order and Age of Bride and Groom: Puerto Rico and Virgin Islands, 1983

[Data for Puerto Rico based on a sample]

Marriage order and age at marriage	Puerto Rico		Virgin Islands	
	Bride	Groom	Bride	Groom
ALL MARRIAGES				
All ages -----	29,660	29,660	1,327	1,327
Under 18 years -----	3,750	650	32	2
18-19 years -----	4,080	3,030	59	25
20-24 years -----	10,060	10,390	367	220
25-29 years -----	5,030	6,050	355	339
30-34 years -----	2,460	3,200	248	283
35-44 years -----	2,370	3,120	185	301
45-54 years -----	1,100	1,540	58	95
55-64 years -----	560	1,040	27	45
65 years and over -----	250	640	6	17
FIRST MARRIAGES				
All ages -----	23,470	21,230	880	810
Under 18 years -----	3,740	650	31	2
18-19 years -----	4,000	3,000	59	24
20-24 years -----	9,220	9,810	321	211
25-29 years -----	3,760	4,600	262	278
30-34 years -----	1,280	1,570	124	168
35-44 years -----	900	930	65	104
45-54 years -----	290	300	12	18
55-64 years -----	180	240	4	4
65 years and over -----	100	130	2	1
REMARRIAGES				
All ages -----	6,190	8,430	440	510
Under 20 years -----	100	30	-	-
20-24 years -----	830	580	34	8
25-29 years -----	1,270	1,450	91	57
30-34 years -----	1,180	1,630	122	114
35-44 years -----	1,470	2,190	120	197
45-54 years -----	810	1,240	46	77
55-64 years -----	380	800	23	41
65 years and over -----	150	510	4	16
MARRIAGE ORDER NOT STATED				
All ages -----	-	-	7	7

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Table 3-7. First Marriages of Both Bride and Groom, by Age of Bride, by Age of Groom: Puerto Rico and Virgin Islands, 1983

[Data for Puerto Rico based on a sample]

Area and age of bride	Total	Age of groom			
		Under 20 years	20-24 years	25-34 years	35 years and over
PUERTO RICO					
All ages -----	19,230	3,540	9,240	5,330	1,120
Under 20 years -----	7,100	2,710	3,510	850	30
20-24 years -----	7,950	700	4,600	2,520	130
25-34 years -----	3,430	120	1,110	1,830	370
35 years and over -----	750	10	20	130	590
VIRGIN ISLANDS					
All ages -----	669	24	192	365	88
Under 20 years -----	82	16	43	23	-
20-24 years -----	268	7	119	132	10
25-34 years -----	274	1	30	201	42
35 years and over -----	45	-	-	9	36

Table 3-8. Marriages by Previous Marital Status of Bride and Groom: Puerto Rico and Virgin Islands, 1983

[Data for Puerto Rico based on a sample]

Area	All marriages	Previous marital status					Previous marital status not stated
		Single	Previously married				
			Total	Widowed	Divorced	Widowed or divorced not stated	
PUERTO RICO							
Bride -----	29,660	23,470	6,190	580	5,580	30	-
Groom -----	29,660	21,230	8,430	690	7,700	40	-
VIRGIN ISLANDS							
Bride -----	1,327	880	440	31	406	3	7
Groom -----	1,327	810	510	33	476	1	7

Table 3-9. Marriages by Number of This Marriage of Bride and Groom: Puerto Rico and Virgin Islands, 1983

[Data for Puerto Rico based on a sample]

Area	All marriages	Number of this marriage of bride				Number of this marriage of groom			
		First	Second	Third or more	Not stated	First	Second	Third or more	Not stated
Puerto Rico -----	29,660	23,470	5,500	580	110	21,230	7,280	1,040	110
Virgin Islands -----	1,327	880	440	-	7	810	509	1	7

Table 3-10. Divorces and Annulments by Specified Characteristics: Virgin Islands, 1983

Characteristic	Number
All divorces and annulments	313
Place Where Marriage Was Performed	
Marriage performed in Virgin Islands	199
Marriage performed outside Virgin Islands	110
Not stated	4
Duration of Marriage	
Under 1 year	14
1 year	19
2 years	16
3 years	33
4 years	25
5 years	19
6 years	10
7 years	16
8 years	12
9 years	14
10-14 years	62
15-19 years	40
20-24 years	16
25-29 years	5
30 years and over	7
Not stated	5
Number of Children Under 18 Years of Age	
None	115
1 child	64
2 children	66
3 children	33
4 children	15
5 children	9
6 children or more	—
Not stated	11

Table 3-11. Divorces and Annulments by Specified Characteristics of Husband and Wife: Virgin Islands, 1983

Characteristic	Husband	Wife
All divorces and annulments	313	313
Age at Time of Decree		
Under 20 years	—	2
20-24 years	25	36
25-29 years	35	48
30-34 years	51	60
35-39 years	67	58
40-44 years	39	25
45-49 years	28	16
50 years and over	39	22
Not stated	29	46
Age at Time of Marriage		
Under 20 years	19	53
20-24 years	85	105
25-29 years	83	55
30-34 years	46	29
35-39 years	20	8
40-44 years	14	8
45 years and over	13	5
Not stated	33	50
Race		
White	50	56
All other	116	110
Not stated	147	147
Number of This Marriage		
First marriage	128	142
Second marriage	31	24
Third marriage or more	4	4
Not stated	150	143

Table 3-12. Divorces and Annulments by Duration of Marriage at Time of Decree and Number of Children Under 18 Years of Age: Virgin Islands, 1983

Duration of marriage at time of decree	All divorces and annulments	Number of children under 18 years of age				
		None	1	2	3 or more	Not stated
Total	313	115	64	66	57	11
Under 1 year	14	11	2	1	—	—
1-2 years	35	23	8	3	—	1
3-4 years	58	27	16	11	1	3
5-9 years	71	27	19	14	11	—
10-14 years	62	11	3	20	26	2
15 years and over	68	16	16	17	17	2
Not stated	5	—	—	—	2	3

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Data not available -----	---
Category not applicable -----	...
Quantity zero -----	=
Quantity more than zero but less than 0.05 -----	0.0
Figure does not meet standards of reliability or precision -----	*

SECTION 4 — TECHNICAL APPENDIX

SOURCES OF DATA

Marriage and divorce statistics in this volume are based on information from two sources: (1) Complete counts of events obtained from all States and (2) data on characteristics from marriage and divorce certificates from States meeting certain reporting criteria.

State and local officials annually provide complete counts of marriages and divorces by county of occurrence and marriages by month of occurrence. From these counts, marriage and divorce totals are derived. Rates are computed for each State, geographic division, region, registration area, and the United States.

Samples of records are drawn by the National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS) from microfilm copies of the original certificates received from the registration offices of States that constitute the marriage-registration area (MRA) and the divorce-registration area (DRA). The statistical information on these records, including data on the characteristics of marriages and divorces and of the persons involved in them, is edited, classified, transferred to tape for computer processing, and tabulated by NCHS. For those States in the MRA or DRA that submit machine-readable data to NCHS through the Vital Statistics Cooperative Program, the complete file is used. Statistical data for 1983 for both marriages and divorces were provided through the Vital Statistics Cooperative Program by eight States—Illinois, Missouri, Nebraska, New York (except New York City marriages), Rhode Island, South Carolina, Vermont, and Virginia. Precoded data were also provided by Florida, Maine, Montana, and New Hampshire for marriages only.

Marriage and divorce statistics for the United States, for the registration areas, and for individual States are limited to events occurring during the year and registered within the specified area. Interlocutory divorce decrees or decrees "nisi" (which grant that the divorce takes permanent effect at a specific time in the future if the couple does not reconcile in the meantime) are included among the records of the States that grant them, usually for the year in which they were granted. Tabulations are by place of occurrence and include events occurring to nonresidents.

Marriages or divorces of members of the Armed Forces or other U.S. nationals that occur outside the United States are excluded from the tabulations. *United States* refers to the 50 States and the District of Columbia. Alaska has been included in the U.S. tabulations since 1959 and Hawaii,

since 1960. Data for Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands were compiled for 1983 and preceding years except 1966–69 and 1972. Data for these areas were processed separately from the rest of the MRA and DRA and appear in section 3 of this volume.

Sources of marriage and divorce data since 1867 are shown in table 4–1; a description of these sources can be found in section 7, Volume III, *Vital Statistics of the United States, 1960*.

COUNTS OF EVENTS

Nationwide counts

In 1983 the total counts of marriages by State and county were obtained from central files of marriage records for 47 States and the District of Columbia. Registration officials of New York City supplied the counts for the five boroughs. In the States without central files—Arizona, New Mexico, and Oklahoma—counts were obtained from counties by State officials and reported to NCHS. New Mexico reported the number of premarital health examination forms issued rather than the number of marriages performed. Counts of marriages performed in 1983 were not received from 5 counties in Kentucky and one county in Ohio.

Beginning with final marriage statistics for 1978, nonlicensed (confidential) marriages registered in California were included in national and geographic totals and rates. Section 4213 of the California Civil Code allows unmarried couples who have been living together to be married confidentially without obtaining a marriage license or health certificate. In 1972 this section was amended to require county clerks to keep sealed records of these marriages and periodically to report the total number to the California State Department of Health Services. Since reporting began, nonlicensed marriages have increased rapidly, from 2,857 in 1973 to 68,260 in 1983.

Total counts of divorces by State and county include decrees of absolute divorce and of annulment as well as decrees of marriage dissolution introduced in many States during the 1970's. These counts were obtained from central files of 46 States and the District of Columbia. Either local or State officials provided the county totals for the four States without central files of divorce records. Local officials in Indiana supplied the county totals. For Indiana counties where no data were provided by local officials, the

number of divorces was obtained from the 1983 Indiana Judicial Report. State officials in Arizona, New Mexico, and Oklahoma obtained the county totals and forwarded them to NCHS.

Divorces and annulments in 1983 were not reported for one county or more in the following States: Arkansas (1), Georgia (4), Kentucky (11), Louisiana (7), Ohio (1), South Dakota (1), Texas (3), and Wisconsin (1). The number of divorces for some counties in Indiana is based on the number of petitions filed, rather than on the divorce decrees granted.

When marriages or divorces are not reported for counties, the following criteria are applied for the data shown in tables 1-5, 1-6, 1-49, 2-3, 2-36, and 3-2:

1. The State totals are published as reported even when there are nonreporting counties.
2. If the population of nonreporting areas in the latest available census is less than 1 percent of the State population, the State total does not have a footnote to indicate that the data are incomplete.
3. If the population of nonreporting areas is 1.0-9.9 percent of the State population, data for the State and division have the footnote "Data are incomplete." Rates are computed and no estimates are made for the missing data.
4. If the population of nonreporting areas is 10 percent or more of the State population, the State and division totals have the footnote "Data are incomplete," and the marriage or divorce rate is not computed. Estimates are made for inclusion in the totals for the region and the United States and rates are computed. Figures for the region and United States have the footnote "Figure includes estimates."

These criteria and footnotes apply also to data for standard metropolitan statistical areas shown in tables 1-48 and 2-35.

Divorce counts shown for each State in tables 2-3 and 2-36 are those that were provided to NCHS on a yearly basis. In July 1981 the Division of Health Statistics in Arkansas provided revised statistics for 1975-79. Statistics previously submitted and published for 1971-79 erroneously included dismissals and legal separations in the totals. Revised counts for 1975-79 provided by Arkansas officials

are shown in table A along with rates based on the revised counts as calculated by NCHS.

Standard metropolitan statistical areas

The standard metropolitan statistical areas (SMSA's) used in this report (tables 1-48 and 2-35) are those established by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget, using final 1980 census population counts, and used by the U.S. Bureau of the Census except in the New England States.

Except in the New England States, an SMSA is a county or a group of contiguous counties containing a city of 50,000 inhabitants with a total metropolitan population of at least 100,000. In addition to the county or counties containing such a city or cities, contiguous counties are included in an SMSA if, according to specified criteria, they are essentially metropolitan in character and are socially and economically integrated with the central city or cities.

In the New England States the Office of Management and Budget uses towns and cities rather than counties as geographic components of SMSA's. The National Center for Health Statistics cannot, however, use the SMSA classification for these States because its data are not coded to identify all towns. Instead, the New England County Metropolitan Areas (NECMA's) are used. These areas are established by the Office of Management and Budget and are made up of county units.

DATA FROM MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE CERTIFICATES

Registration areas

Registration areas for collecting marriage statistics were established in 1957 and for divorce statistics, in 1958. These areas include States with adequate programs for collecting marriage and divorce statistics. Criteria for participation in the registration areas are

1. A central file of marriage or divorce records
2. A statistical report conforming closely in content to the U.S. Standard License and Certificate of Marriage (figure 4-1) or U.S. Standard Certificate of Divorce, Dissolution of Marriage or Annulment (figure 4-2)

Table A. Revised Number of Divorces and Annulments and Rates: Arkansas, 1975-79

Year	Number	Rate ¹
1979	15,501	6.8
1978	14,951	6.7
1977	14,792	6.7
1976	14,219	6.6
1975	13,434	6.2

¹ Rates are based on revised population figures.

FIGURE 4-1.

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U.S. STANDARD
LICENSE AND CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE

LICENSE NUMBER _____ STATE FILE NUMBER _____

TYPE OR PRINT IN PERMANENT INK FOR INSTRUCTIONS SEE HANDBOOK

GROOM	1. GROOM NAME FIRST MIDDLE LAST			2. AGE	
	3a. COUNTY			3b. STATE	
	3c. FATHER NAME			3d. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country)	
	3e. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country)			3f. DATE OF BIRTH (Mo., Day, Yr.)	
BRIDE	4a. BRIDE NAME FIRST MIDDLE LAST			4b. MAIDEN NAME (if different)	
	4c. COUNTY			4d. STATE	
	4e. FATHER NAME			4f. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country)	
	4g. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country)			4h. DATE OF BIRTH (Mo., Day, Yr.)	
5. USUAL RESIDENCE—STREET AND NUMBER					
6. CITY, TOWN OR LOCATION					
7. WE HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IS CORRECT TO THE BEST OF OUR KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF AND THAT WE ARE FREE TO MARRY UNDER THE LAWS OF THIS STATE.					
8. GROOM'S SIGNATURE					
9. BRIDE'S SIGNATURE					
10. THIS LICENSE AUTHORIZES THE MARRIAGE IN THIS STATE OF THE PARTIES NAMED ABOVE BY ANY PERSON DULY AUTHORIZED TO PERFORM A MARRIAGE CEREMONY UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF _____					
11. SUBSCRIBED TO AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME ON _____					
12. SIGNATURE OF ISSUING OFFICER					
13. TITLE OF ISSUING OFFICER					
14. WHERE MARRIED—CITY					
15. I certify that the above named persons were married on: _____					
16. PERSON PERFORMING CEREMONY					
17. TITLE					
18. TYPE OF CEREMONY (Religious or civil, specify)					
19. WITNESS TO CEREMONY					
20. LOCAL OFFICIAL MAKING RETURN TO STATE HEALTH DEPARTMENT					
21. DATE RECEIVED BY LOCAL OFFICIAL (Mo., Day, Yr.)					
22. INFORMATION FOR STATISTICAL PURPOSES ONLY					
23. RACE—GROOM Specify (e.g., White, Black American Indian, etc.)		24. NUMBER OF THIS MARRIAGE Specify (First, second, etc.)		25. IF PREVIOUSLY MARRIED, LAST MARRIAGE ENDED BY DEATH, DIVORCE, DISSOLUTION OR ANNULMENT (Specify)	
26. RACE—BRIDE Specify (e.g., White, Black American Indian, etc.)		27. NUMBER OF THIS MARRIAGE Specify (First, second, etc.)		28. IF PREVIOUSLY MARRIED, LAST MARRIAGE ENDED BY DEATH, DIVORCE, DISSOLUTION OR ANNULMENT (Specify)	
29. EDUCATION (Specify only highest grade completed) Elementary or Secondary (8-12)		30. EDUCATION (Specify only highest grade completed) Elementary or Secondary (8-12)		31. EDUCATION (Specify only highest grade completed) College (1-4 or 5+)	

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3. Regular reporting to the State office by all local areas in which marriages or divorces are recorded
4. Tests for completeness and accuracy of marriage or divorce registration carried out in cooperation with NCHS.

In 1983 the MRA (figure 4-3) comprised 42 States, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands. The DRA (figure 4-4) included 31 States and the Virgin Islands. Table 4-2 shows when States and independent registration areas established central files and when they were admitted to the MRA and DRA.

In the statistical tabulations in this volume, *marriage-registration area* refers only to the 42 States and the Dis-

trict of Columbia. *Divorce-registration area* refers to the 31 States. Marriages in the MRA accounted for 80 percent of all marriages in the United States in 1983, and divorces in the DRA accounted for 50 percent of all divorces.

Standard certificates

The U.S. Standard License and Certificate of Marriage (figure 4-1) and the U.S. Standard Certificate of Divorce, Dissolution of Marriage or Annulment (figure 4-2), issued by the Public Health Service, serve as the principal means of obtaining comparable data from documents used to collect information on marriages and divorces in the United

FIGURE 4-2.

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U. S. STANDARD
**CERTIFICATE OF DIVORCE,
DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE OR ANNULMENT**

TYPE OR PRINT IN PERMANENT INK FOR INSTRUCTIONS SEE HANDBOOK

COURT IDENTIFICATION (Court file number)

STATE FILE NUMBER

HUSBAND

1. HUSBAND NAME FIRST MIDDLE LAST

2a. USUAL RESIDENCE STREET ADDRESS CITY, TOWN OR LOCATION

2b. COUNTY STATE BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) DATE OF BIRTH (Mo., Day, Yr.)

2c. 2d. 3. 4.

WIFE

5a. WIFE NAME FIRST MIDDLE LAST MAIDEN NAME

5b. USUAL RESIDENCE STREET ADDRESS CITY, TOWN OR LOCATION

6a. COUNTY STATE BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) DATE OF BIRTH (Mo., Day, Yr.)

6b. 7. 8.

9a. PLACE OF THIS MARRIAGE - CITY COUNTY STATE (If not in U.S.A., name country) DATE OF THIS MARRIAGE (Mo., Day, Yr.) DATE COUPLE SEPARATED (Mo., Day, Yr.)

9b. 9c. 9d. 10.

11a. NUMBER OF CHILDREN EVER BORN ALIVE OF THIS MARRIAGE (Specify) CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN THIS FAMILY (Specify) PETITIONER - HUSBAND, WIFE, BOTH, OTHER (Specify)

11b. 11c. 12.

13a. ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER - NAME (Type or print) ADDRESS STREET OR R.F.D. NO. CITY OR TOWN STATE ZIP

13b. 13c. 14.

14a. I certify that the marriage of the above named persons was dissolved on: Month Day Year TYPE OF DECREE - DIVORCE, DISSOLUTION OR ANNULMENT (Specify) DATE OF ENTRY (Mo., Day, Yr.)

14b. 14c. 14d.

DECREE

14e. COUNTY OF DECREE TITLE OF COURT

14f. SIGNATURE OF CERTIFYING OFFICIAL TITLE OF OFFICIAL

14g. 14h.

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HUSBAND

15. RACE - HUSBAND NUMBER OF THIS MARRIAGE IF PREVIOUSLY MARRIED HOW MANY ENDED BY EDUCATION (Specify only highest grade completed)

Specify (e.g., White, Black, American Indian, etc.) Specify (First, second, etc.) DEATH? DIVORCE, DISSOLUTION OR ANNULMENT? Elementary or Secondary (0-12) College (11-4 or 5+)

16. 17a. 17b. 18.

WIFE

19. RACE - WIFE NUMBER OF THIS MARRIAGE IF PREVIOUSLY MARRIED HOW MANY ENDED BY EDUCATION (Specify only highest grade completed)

Specify (e.g., White, Black, American Indian, etc.) Specify (First, second, etc.) DEATH? DIVORCE, DISSOLUTION OR ANNULMENT? Elementary or Secondary (0-12) College (11-4 or 5+)

20. 21a. 21b. 22.

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States. Model reporting forms, prepared in close collaboration with the Public Health Conference on Records and Statistics, were first recommended to the States in 1954 for adoption January 1, 1955, and stood without revision through 1967.

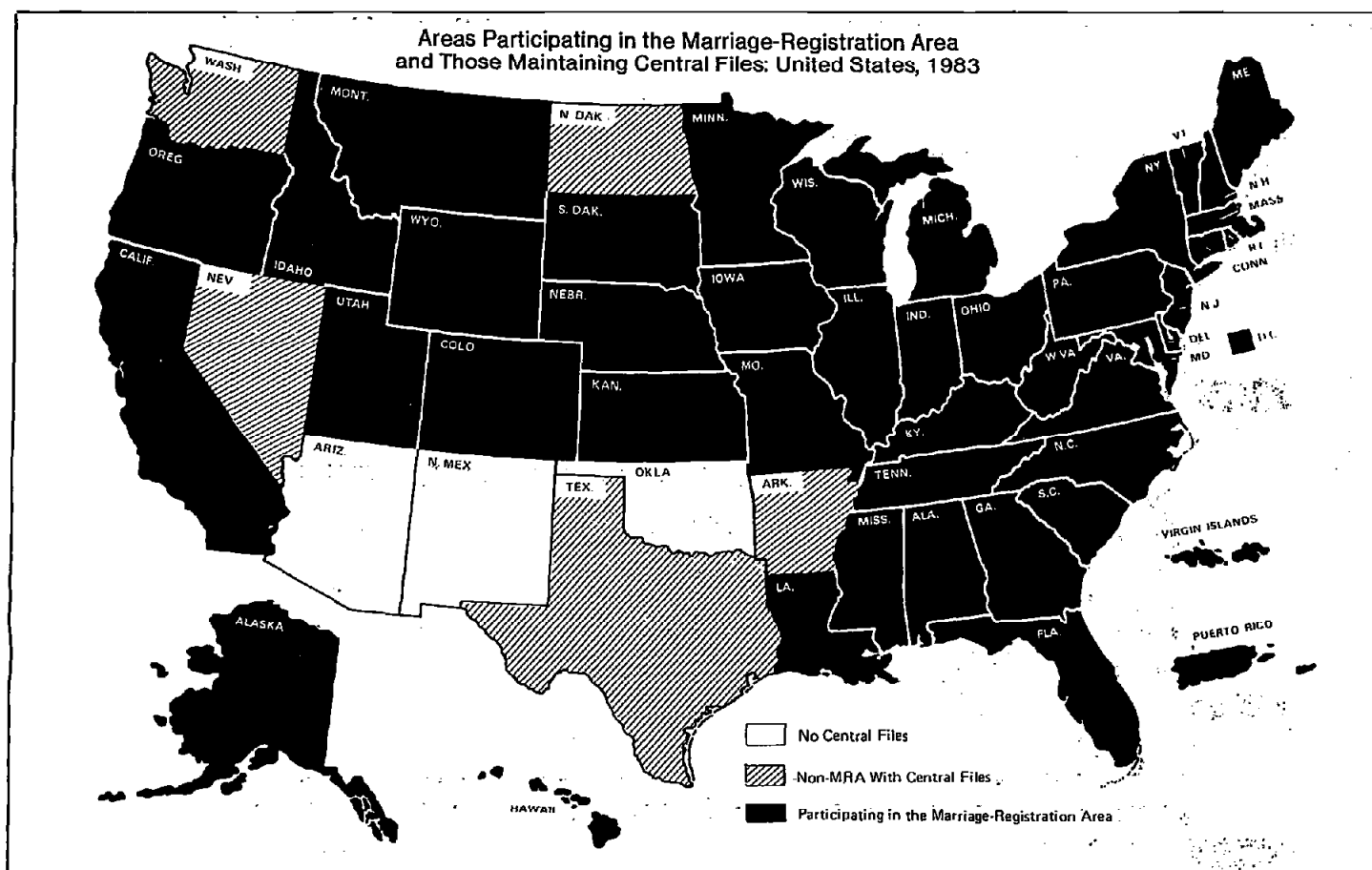
Revised standard certificates were recommended to the States for use beginning January 1, 1968. A description of the original standard certificate can be found in the Technical Appendix, *Vital Statistics of the United States, 1960*, Volume III; a description of the first revision can be found in the Technical Appendix of the same volume for 1968.

A second revision of each of the standard certificates was recommended to the States for use beginning January

1, 1978. The marriage certificate was revised to include a section providing the license to marry, to request age in addition to date of birth, and to request both the title of the person performing the ceremony and the type of ceremony (civil or religious) in place of the item for officiant (civil or religious). On the divorce certificate, items requesting person to whom decree was granted and legal grounds for divorce were deleted; the item requesting specification of plaintiff was changed to petitioner; and the items referring to children involved in divorce were changed to request number of children ever born alive of this marriage and children under 18 in this family.

Each State and independent registration area determines the form and content of its vital records. Conse-

FIGURE 4-3.



quently, the records vary in certain details. Although modified in each State as required by particular needs or by special provisions of the State vital statistics law, the marriage and divorce certificates of most States in the MRA and DRA conform closely to the standard certificates.

Table 4-3 lists items on the U.S. Standard License and Certificate of Marriage and shows which States had the items on their forms in 1983. Table 4-4 shows the same information for the U.S. Standard Certificate of Divorce, Dissolution of Marriage or Annulment.

Area totals

The estimated totals based on sample data differ slightly from the figures obtained from complete counts of events furnished by the State and local offices. When possible, major differences are reconciled before the sample data are weighted and tabulated. However, even in States where all records are included in the sample, the sample estimate may differ from the State count because of differences between NCHS and State cutoff dates in accepting records.

The sample estimate of marriages in the MRA differed from the complete count in 1983 by 4 percent. It differed by less than 2 percent in all States except California, which differed by 31 percent. In California, nonlicensed marriages

were not available for inclusion in the MRA marriage sample (see earlier discussion in "Nationwide counts"). The 5-percent sample of California marriages for 1983 was drawn from 152,500 licensed marriages. The corresponding weight for California sample records was based on this total. Because no information is available on the characteristics of persons obtaining nonlicensed marriages, no estimate is available for the bias introduced in sample estimates by the omission of these marriages.

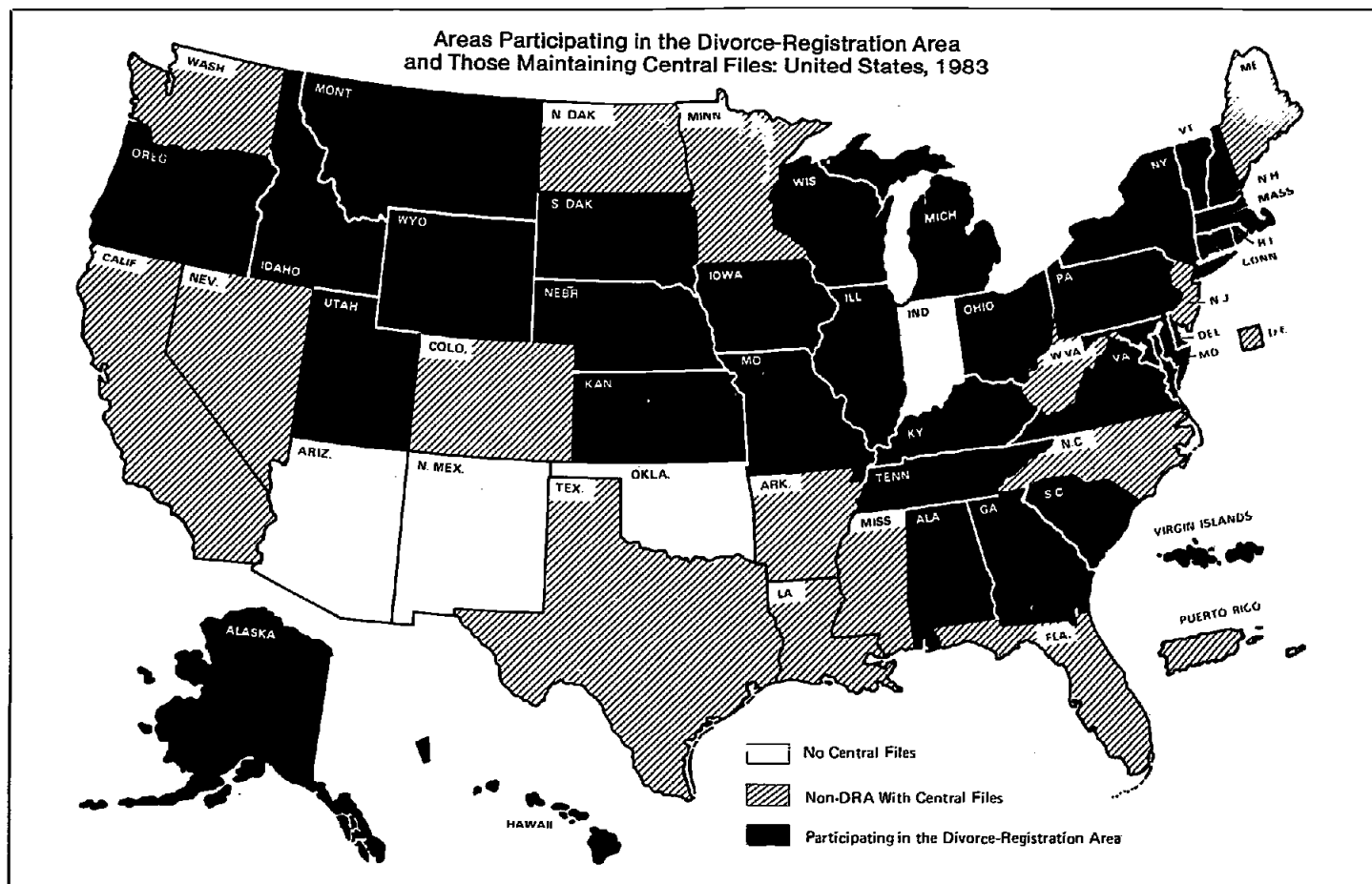
The sample estimate of divorces in the DRA differed from the complete count by less than 0.1 percent. It differed by less than 3 percent in all States.

Characteristics of marriages and divorces

The general rules used to classify and code items for marriages and divorces are set forth in *NCHS Instruction Manual*, Parts 6 and 7, respectively, for 1983. The classification of certain important items is discussed below.

The dates of birth, marriage, separation, and divorce are used to calculate the age at marriage, age at divorce, duration of marriage, duration of marriage to separation, and duration of separation to decree. The State of marriage, State of residence, and State of birth are used to derive residency and nativity status. Information about previous

FIGURE 4-4.



marriages of the spouses is obtained from two items—number of this marriage and previous marital status. For the District of Columbia and the 34 States that requested both items on their marriage certificates, first marriages and remarriages (referred to as marriage order) could be identified if either item was stated. Colorado, Idaho, Maryland, and Oregon requested only previous marital status. For these States the number of not-stated cases for the number of this marriage was reduced by the number of cases assumed to be first marriages because previous marital status was stated as single. Michigan and Ohio requested only the number of times previously married. Not-stated cases for previous marital status were reduced by the number of persons assumed to be single because they had been previously married “0” times. South Carolina requested number of this marriage. Not-stated cases were reduced by those assumed single because the number was “1.” Both items—previous marital status and number of this marriage—were removed from the Iowa marriage certificate July 1, 1976.

During computer processing of the marriage data, values were allocated for missing ages of bride and groom. Reporting of these items has been almost 100 percent complete since 1960. No allocation was done during computer processing of divorce data. However, before age-specific

divorce rates were calculated, figures for age not stated were distributed.

Children involved in divorces

To obtain national estimates for 1970–83, the average number of children under 18 years of age per decree for the DRA was multiplied by the national divorce total. From 1965–69 the average number of children per decree was computed for the 16 States that had reported children with a satisfactory degree of completeness in 1965 (Alaska, Hawaii, Idaho, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Ohio, Oregon, South Dakota, Tennessee, Virginia, Wisconsin, and Wyoming); the national divorce total was multiplied by this average. This method was also used to revise figures for 1961–64, originally estimated by using a different method. Consequently, data for 1961–64 shown in table 2-11 differ from figures appearing in Volume III, *Vital Statistics of the United States* prior to 1965. In 1960 the estimate was based on sample data for the United States. For earlier years total counts from States reporting the number of children were used to estimate the children involved in divorce for the United States.

The race of a child involved in a divorce is inferred from the race of the husband and wife. When both spouses are in the same racial category, the child is assigned to that category. When the husband is white and the wife is not, the child is assigned to the wife's race. When the husband is not white, the child is assigned to the husband's race. When the race of only one spouse is stated, the child is assigned to the stated race.

Sampling procedures

The registration area samples were designed to yield estimates of State totals as well as frequency distributions by characteristics of the spouses. A sampling rate was designated for each of the States so that the selected sample would consist of at least 2,500 records. Five different sampling rates were used—all records, 1/2, 1/5, 1/10, and 1/20. All records were automatically included in the samples for States submitting data through the Vital Statistics Cooperative Program. Overall, about 39 percent of all marriages in the MRA and about 47 percent of all divorces in the DRA were included in the samples for 1983.

The sampling procedures assure for each State a relative variance of 4 percent or less on a 1-percent estimate, that is, on an estimate of a characteristic that comprises 1 percent of the total events in the State. The sampling rates, number of events, and sample cases by State for 1983 are shown in tables 4-5 (marriages) and 4-6 (divorces).

Sampling errors

Statistics for States where all records were used have no sampling error. For other States each statistic has a sampling error (or standard error) denoted by $\bar{\sigma}(x)$. The sampling error is primarily a measure of variation that occurs by chance because a sample of records is surveyed rather than the entire population. The sampling error can be computed because within each State or registration area the probability that a record will be chosen for the sample is known (either all records, 1/2, 1/5, 1/10, or 1/20, as shown in tables 4-5 and 4-6). For about 68 percent of all possible samples of equal size, the estimate from the sample would differ from the value obtained from a complete count by less than the standard error. For about 95 percent of all samples, the difference would be less than twice the standard error.

Sampling errors are shown in table 4-7 for marriages and table 4-8 for divorces. To facilitate comparisons among registration States with widely varying totals of marriages and divorces, the sampling errors for the registration areas and participating States are shown for frequencies expressed as percents of State or registration area totals. For example, table 1-37 shows 18,445 marriages to brides 65 years of age and over in the MRA for 1983. This estimated frequency is about 1 percent of all brides in the MRA

(1,890,791). In table 4-7 under the column "1 or 99" in the row for the total MRA the sampling error is 413. Thus chances are about 68 out of 100 that the actual number of marriages to brides 65 years of age and over is within one standard error of the estimate from this particular sample ($18,445 \pm 413$), or between 18,032 and 18,858. The interval from 18,032 to 18,858 is called a 68-percent confidence interval for the actual number of marriages of brides 65 years of age and over. The sampling error of a given frequency of marriages or divorces in a particular State can be calculated from the formula

$$\bar{\sigma}(x_{ij}) = \sqrt{\frac{N_i(N_i - n_i)p_{ij}q_{ij}}{n_i - 1}}$$

where

- i = a State or registration area
- j = a subclass, such as an age group of brides
- N_i = the final count of events reported by State i (table 1-5 or 2-3)
- n_i = the number of sample records in State i (table 4-5 or 4-6)
- p_{ij} = estimated proportion of all cases with the characteristic j to be studied for State i (shown in table 4-7 or 4-8 as a percent under "1 or 99," "2 or 98," "3 or 97," etc.)
- $q_{ij} = 1 - p_{ij}$
- $x_{ij} = N_i p_{ij}$, the estimated frequency of the characteristic under study.

In this formula, when the number of sample records, n_i , is the same as the total marriages, N_i , the numerator becomes zero, and there is no sampling error for States that have all their records processed. Because the values of p_{ij} and q_{ij} are complementary, their product ($p_{ij}q_{ij}$) remains the same if their values are reversed. For instance, the estimated sampling error for an estimate of 5 percent is the same as the sampling error for 95 percent. Therefore, the sampling error for both values is listed in one column in tables 4-7 and 4-8 under the heading "5 or 95."

For example, to calculate the sampling error for previously divorced South Dakota brides

- $N_i = 8,013$, the final count of South Dakota marriages (table 1-5)
- $n_i = 4,001$, the number of sample records for South Dakota (table 4-5)
- $x_{ij} = 2,160$, the estimated frequency of previously divorced South Dakota brides (table 1-29)
- p_{ij} = the number of previously divorced South Dakota brides expressed as a percent of all marriages: $2,160/8,013 = .27$ or 27 percent
- $q_{ij} = 1 - p_{ij} = .73$ or 73 percent

and,

$$\bar{\sigma}(2,160) = \sqrt{\frac{8,013(4,012)(.27)(.73)}{4,000}} = 40$$

So chances are 68 out of 100 that the actual number of previously divorced South Dakota brides is between 2,120 and 2,200 ($2,160 \pm 40$).

The estimated sampling error for the MRA can be computed from the formula

$$\bar{\sigma}(x_i) = \sqrt{\sum_{k=1}^{43} \frac{N_k(N_k - n_k)}{n_k - 1} p_{kj} q_{kj}}$$

where

43 refers to the 42 States and the District of Columbia in the MRA

N_k = the final count of events reported by the k th MRA State

n_k = the number of sample records in the same State

p_{kj} = the estimated percent of all cases in State k with the characteristic j

$q_{kj} = 1 - p_{kj}$

Using the same formula, sampling errors for the DRA shown in table 4-8 were computed by summing over the 31 States in the DRA.

Many of the tables in this volume show percent distributions rather than frequencies. The sampling error for such a percent can be computed by dividing the sampling error found in table 4-7 or 4-8 by the estimated total number of events for the area. For example, table 1-11 shows that 4.0 percent of Minnesota brides were previously widowed. In table 4-7 under the column "4 or 96" the Minnesota sampling error is 112. Divide 112 by 36,320, the estimated number of marriages in Minnesota as shown in the stub of the same table. The result is 0.3 percent, the sampling error for an estimated 4 percent of 1983 Minnesota marriages. Thus chances are about 68 out of 100 that the actual percent of previously widowed Minnesota brides is 4.0 ± 0.3 , or between 3.7 and 4.3 percent.

The following formula is used to compute a sampling error for the proportion of events in a subclass of a subgroup, where the number of events in the subgroup is also subject to sampling error:

$$\bar{\sigma}\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) = \left(\frac{1}{y}\right) \sqrt{\bar{\sigma}^2(x) - \left(\frac{x}{y}\right)^2 \bar{\sigma}^2(y)}$$

where

y = the estimated frequency of the subgroup

x = the estimated frequency of the subclass of the subgroup

$\bar{\sigma}(y)$ = the sampling error of y from table 4-7 or 4-8

$\bar{\sigma}(x)$ = the sampling error of x from table 4-7 or 4-8.

To illustrate, for the sampling error for the proportion of all previously married Massachusetts brides who were 20-24 years of age, let

x = 980 previously married Massachusetts brides who were 20-24 years of age (table 1-33)

y = 12,220 previously married Massachusetts brides

$\frac{x}{y} = .080$

$\bar{\sigma}(x) = \bar{\sigma}(980) = 93$ from "2 or 98" in table 4-7, as x is .02 of all Massachusetts brides ($x/N = 980/48,860 = .02$)

$\bar{\sigma}(y) = \bar{\sigma}(12,220) = 287$ from "25 or 75" in table 4-7, as y is .25 of all Massachusetts brides ($y/N = 12,220/48,860 = .25$)

and,

$$\bar{\sigma}\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) = \left(\frac{1}{12,220}\right) \sqrt{93^2 - (.080)^2 (287)^2}$$

= .007 or 0.7 percentage points.

So chances are 68 out of 100 that the actual proportion of previously married Massachusetts brides who were 20-24 years of age is $.080 \pm .007$, or between 7.3 percent and 8.7 percent.

The statistical significance of the difference between two proportions may be tested by the following formula:

$$\frac{(x_1/y_1) - (x_2/y_2)}{\sqrt{\bar{\sigma}^2(x_1/y_1) + \bar{\sigma}^2(x_2/y_2)}}$$

where the x 's and y 's represent the same subgroups as above, but of two populations, and where the denominator, under the square root sign, represents the sampling error of the difference between the proportions x_1/y_1 and x_2/y_2 shown in the numerator of the formula. If this ratio is 2 or larger, the difference between proportions is considered significant at the .05 level.

For example, 8.0 percent of previously married brides in Massachusetts were 20-24 years of age, with a sampling error of 0.7 percentage points. Using the same procedure for previously married brides in Minnesota, .109 or 10.9 percent were 20-24 years of age, with a sampling error of .010 or 1.0 percentage point. Substituting these values in the formula above gives the following results:

$$\frac{.109 - .080}{\sqrt{(.010)^2 + (.007)^2}} = \frac{.029}{.012} = 2.4$$

Because the difference between the proportions divided by the sampling error is greater than 2, this difference of 2.9 percentage points between remarried brides in Massachusetts and those in Minnesota is expected to occur by chance less than once in 20 times; the difference is statistically significant at the .05 level.

Information not reported

Nonresponse errors in marriage and divorce data may arise from any of the following three sources.

1. The item is not on the certificate of a particular reporting area. For example, the item "color" was removed from the 1971 revision of the Massachusetts marriage record.
2. Sometimes when a State revises its form to include additional items, copies of the old form are used by registration offices until their supply is exhausted.
3. Although the item may be on the form, there may be no response, or the response may be illegible or unusable.

Items not answered for any of these three reasons are tabulated as "not stated." Tables 4-9 and 4-10 show the proportions of not-stated cases for specified characteristics of marriages and divorces for 1983. A major proportion of the not-stated cases for the MRA and DRA was due to the absence of items on some of the reporting forms (not reportable). On the divorce records, personal information (age, race, etc.) typically has been less completely reported than information about the dissolved marriage or about the type of decree.

Other sources of error

Inconsistent responses.—Occasionally, for both marriages and divorces, the responses to related items are inconsistent. For example, the previous marital status of the bride or groom, as shown on the marriage certificate, may not be consistent with the stated number of times married or number of this marriage. Such differences are reconciled before tabulation.

Ambiguous wording of items.—Some of the items are worded so that they do not yield information easily classified in standardized categories. This often leads to errors in classification, most frequently of geographic place names (residence, place of marriage, and place of birth) and of previous marriages.

Microfilm errors.—Errors in the arrangement of the records received on microfilm in NCHS sometimes occur when numbers on the records are out of sequence, missing, or duplicated, or when records that are not part of the universe being sampled are erroneously included in the file.

Processing errors.—Errors may arise in coding, keying, or tabulating the data. However, 100 percent of sample

coding was verified; data already on computer tape were edited for impossible codes and for inconsistencies.

In general, for most of the data from 1960 onward, the completeness and year-to-year consistency are evidence of the basic reliability and coverage of the marriage- and divorce-registration systems.

COMPUTATION OF RATES**Population bases**

The rates shown in this report were computed on the basis of population statistics prepared by the U.S. Bureau of the Census. Rates for the census years 1940-1980 are based on the population enumerated as of April 1 in the censuses of those years. Rates for all other years are based on the estimated midyear (July 1) population for the respective years. Rates are based on population estimates including Armed Forces stationed in the United States but excluding Armed Forces abroad, except divorce rates for 1941-46 which are based on populations including Armed Forces abroad.

Beginning in 1980, rates by previous marital status for the MRA were based on the unmarried population 15 years and over rather than 14 years and over, which had been the standard until 1980. Marriages of brides and grooms under 15 years of age were included in data for the MRA totals and the youngest age group.

The resident population for the United States for 1920-83 and for the MRA and DRA for 1957-83 is shown in tables 4-11 and 4-12. The sources for these populations are shown in table B.

The resident population estimate for 1983 for each State is shown in table 4-13. The unmarried population by age, marital status, and sex for the MRA is shown in table 4-14, and the married population by age and sex for the DRA is shown in table 4-15.

Rates for 1971-79, except those by marital status, have been revised based on revised population estimates which are consistent with the 1980 census levels and therefore may differ from rates published in the volumes for those years. The 1980 census counted about 5.5 million more persons than had been estimated for April 1, 1980. The revised estimates for the United States are published by the U.S. Bureau of the Census in the *Current Population Reports*, Series P-25, Number 917. Population estimates by month are based on data published in the *Current Population Reports*, Series P-25, Number 899. Unpublished revised estimates for States were obtained from the U.S. Bureau of the Census.

Table B. Sources for Resident Population: United States, 1920-83, and States in Marriage and Divorce-Registration Area, 1957-83

Area and year	Source
United States	
1983 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 965, Mar. 1985.
1982 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 949, May 1984.
1981 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 929, May 1983.
1980 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>U.S. Census of Population: 1980, General Population Characteristics</i> , PC(80)-1, A1-A52, 1983.
1971-79 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 917, July 1982.
1970 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>U.S. Census of Population: 1970, Number of Inhabitants</i> , Final Report, PC(1)-A1, United States Summary, 1971.
1969 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 441, Mar. 19, 1970.
1968 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 416, Feb. 17, 1969.
1967 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 385, Feb. 14, 1968.
1966 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 352, Nov. 18, 1966.
1960-65 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 321, Nov. 30, 1965.
1951-59 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 310, June 30, 1965.
1940-50 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 499, May 1973.
1920-39 -----	National Office of Vital Statistics, <i>Vital Statistics Rates in the United States, 1900-1940, 1947</i> .
States in marriage- and divorce- registration areas	
1983 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 970, June 1985.
1982 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 951, May 1984.
1981 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 930, April 1983.
1980 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>U.S. Census of Population: 1980, General Population Characteristics</i> , PC(80)-1, A1-A52, 1983.
1970 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>U.S. Census of Population: 1970, Number of Inhabitants</i> , Final Report, PC(1)-A1, United States Summary, 1971.
1971-79 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, unpublished data.
1969 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 436, Jan. 7, 1970.
1968 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 414, Jan. 28, 1969.
1967 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 380, Nov. 24, 1967.
1965-66 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 354, Dec. 8, 1966.
1964 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 324, Jan. 20, 1966.
1963 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 289, Aug. 31, 1964.
1962 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 273, Oct. 4, 1963.
1961 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 239, Dec. 13, 1961.
1960 -----	National Office of Vital Statistics, <i>Vital Statistics Rates in the United States, 1900-1940, 1947</i> .
1959 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 212, Jan. 26, 1960.
1958 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 208, Dec. 7, 1959.
1957 -----	U.S. Bureau of the Census, <i>Current Population Reports</i> , Series P-25, No. 186, Oct. 27, 1958.

Table 4-1. Sources of Marriage and Divorce Data: United States, 1867-1983

Time period	Marriage	Divorce ¹
1867-86 -----	Estimates prepared by National Office of Vital Statistics based on results of field survey covering 20-year period conducted in 1887-88 by the U.S. Department of Labor.	Numbers and detailed statistics (legal grounds, duration of marriage, number of children reported, etc.) obtained in field survey covering 20-year period conducted in 1887-88 by the U.S. Department of Labor.
1887-1906 -----	Estimates based on data from field survey covering 20-year period conducted in 1906-07 by the U.S. Bureau of the Census.	Numbers and detailed statistics (legal grounds, duration of marriage, number of children reported, etc.) obtained in field survey covering 20-year period conducted in 1906-07 by the U.S. Bureau of the Census.
1907-15 -----	Estimates prepared by Bureau of the Census based on records from selected States.	Same as for marriage.
1916 -----	Numbers collected through mail survey conducted in 1917-18 by Bureau of the Census.	Numbers and detailed statistics collected through mail survey conducted in 1917-18 by Bureau of the Census.
1917-21 -----	Estimates prepared by Bureau of the Census based on records from selected States.	Same as for marriage.
1922-32 -----	Annual collection by Bureau of the Census through mail query to States with central files and to counties in the remaining States.	Numbers and detailed statistics collected annually by Bureau of the Census through mail query to States with central files and to counties in the remaining States.
1933-36 -----	Estimates by S. A. Stouffer and L. M. Spencer on basis of data available from selected States (<i>American Journal of Sociology</i> , January 1939).	Same as for marriage.
1937-40 -----	Estimates based on transcript returns and mail surveys of State and county offices conducted by Bureau of the Census. Some detailed statistics for 1940 based on transcript program.	Same as for marriage.
1941-43 -----	Estimates based on data from published State reports and from files of Bureau of the Census and Federal Home Loan Bank Board.	Same as for marriage.
1944-47 -----	Estimates based on figures for marriages and marriage licenses obtained by National Office of Vital Statistics from State and local registration offices.	Estimates based on figures for divorces and annulments obtained by National Office of Vital Statistics from State and local registration offices.
1948-56 -----	Estimates based on figures for marriages and marriage licenses obtained by National Office of Vital Statistics from State and local registration offices; detailed statistics based on pretabulated data provided by State offices of vital statistics.	Estimates based on figures for divorces and annulments obtained by National Office of Vital Statistics from State and local registration offices; detailed statistics based on pretabulated data provided by State offices of vital statistics.
1957 -----	Estimates based on figures for marriages and marriage licenses obtained by National Office of Vital Statistics from State and local registration offices; detailed statistics based on pretabulated data provided by States participating in the marriage-registration area (MRA).	Same as for 1948-56.
1958-59 -----	Same as for 1957.	Estimates based on figures for divorces and annulments obtained by National Office of Vital Statistics from State and local registration offices; detailed statistics based on pretabulated data provided by States participating in the divorce-registration area (DRA).
1960 -----	Statistics prepared in the National Center for Health Statistics from nationwide probability samples of marriage records designed to provide estimates for the United States, the four regions, the marriage-registration area, and each registration State. Totals of either marriages or marriage licenses by county and by month also tabulated in each State. These and totals estimated from samples were checked for consistency.	Statistics prepared in the National Center for Health Statistics from nationwide probability samples of divorce records. Records in the sample provided statistics on absolute decrees of divorce and annulment for the United States, the four regions, the divorce-registration area, and each registration State. Totals for each State by county also tabulated in each State. These and totals estimated from samples were checked for consistency.
1961-69 -----	Statistics prepared in the National Center for Health Statistics for the MRA and each MRA State from probability samples of the marriage records collected by each MRA State. Pretabulated totals of marriages or marriage licenses by county and by month, reported for all States, used to compute totals for the United States, four regions, and nine geographic divisions; also, for MRA States, checked for consistency with totals estimated from sample records.	Statistics prepared in the National Center for Health Statistics for the DRA and each DRA State from probability samples of the records of absolute divorces and annulments collected by each DRA State. Pretabulated totals by county, reported for all States, used to compute totals for the United States, four regions, and nine geographic divisions; also, for DRA States, checked for consistency with totals estimated from sample records.
1970 -----	Statistics prepared in the National Center for Health Statistics for the United States (excluding Arizona, New Mexico, and Oklahoma), the MRA, each MRA State, and eight nonregistration States from probability samples of the marriage records collected by each MRA State and each of the eight nonregistration States. Pretabulated totals of marriages or marriage licenses by county and by month, reported for all States, used to compute totals for the United States, four regions, and nine geographic divisions. For MRA States and the eight nonregistration States, these totals were checked for consistency with totals estimated from sample records.	Same as for 1961-69.
1971 -----	Same as for 1961-69.	Same as for 1961-69.
1972-74 -----	Same as for 1961-69 except for Florida. In 1972, 1973, and 1974 Florida sent a computer tape of items precoded for all marriages in that State.	Same as for 1961-69.
1975 -----	Same as for 1961-69 except for Florida, Maine, Missouri, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New York (excluding New York City), Rhode Island, South Carolina, and Vermont. These States sent tapes of items precoded for all marriages.	Same as for 1961-69 except for Missouri, Nebraska, New York, Rhode Island, South Carolina, and Vermont. These States sent tapes of items precoded for all divorces.
1976-79 -----	Same as for 1975, except Virginia in 1976 and Illinois and Montana in 1977 were added to the group of States submitting precoded data-tapes.	Same as for 1975, except Virginia in 1976 and Illinois in 1977 were added to the group of States submitting precoded data-tapes.
1980 -----	Statistics prepared in the National Center for Health Statistics for the United States (excluding Arizona, New Mexico, and Oklahoma), the MRA, each MRA State, and five nonregistration States from probability samples of the marriage records collected by each MRA State and each of the five nonregistration States. Pretabulated totals of marriages or marriage licenses by county and by month, reported for all States, used to compute totals for the United States, four regions, and nine geographic divisions. For MRA States and the five nonregistration States, these totals were checked for consistency with totals estimated from sample records.	Same as for 1976-79.
1981-83 -----	Same as for 1976-79.	Same as for 1976-79.

¹Includes reported annulments.

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Table 4-2. Years Central Files of Marriage and Divorce Records Were Established and Years Areas Were Admitted to the Marriage- and Divorce-Registration Areas: 1983

[The marriage-registration area was established January 1, 1957, and the divorce-registration area, January 1, 1958]

Area	Marriages		Divorces		Area	Marriages		Divorces	
	Central files established	Admitted to the MRA	Central files established	Admitted to the DRA		Central files established	Admitted to the MRA	Central files established	Admitted to the DRA
Alabama-----	1908	1957	1908	1958	Nebraska-----	1909	1957	1909	1958
Alaska-----	1913	1957	1949	1958	Nevada-----	1968	(2)	1968	(2)
Arizona-----	(1)	(2)	(1)	(2)	New Hampshire-----	1858	1957	1881	1979
Arkansas-----	1917	(2)	1923	(2)	New Jersey-----	1848	1957	1795	(2)
California-----	1905	1957	1962	(2)	New Mexico-----	(1)	(2)	(1)	(2)
Colorado-----	1968	1979	1968	(2)	New York (excl. N.Y.C.)-----	1880	1957	1963	1969
Connecticut-----	1897	1957	1947	1968	New York City-----	1847	1965	1963	
Delaware-----	1913	1957	1935	1981	North Carolina-----	1962	1964	1958	(2)
District of Columbia-----	1811	1961	1802	(2)	North Dakota-----	1925	(2)	1949	(2)
Florida-----	1927	1957	1927	(2)	Ohio-----	1949	1957	1949	1962
Georgia-----	1952	1957	1952	1958	Oklahoma-----	(1)	(2)	(1)	(2)
Hawaii-----	1896	1957	1951	1958	Oregon-----	1907	1957	1925	1958
Idaho-----	1947	1957	1947	1958	Pennsylvania-----	1906	1957	1943	1958
Illinois-----	1962	1964	1962	1968	Rhode Island-----	1852	1957	1962	1963
Indiana-----	1959	1881	(1)	(2)	South Carolina-----	1950	1971	1962	1971
Iowa-----	1880	1957	1914	1958	South Dakota-----	1905	1957	1905	1958
Kansas-----	1913	1957	1951	1959	Tennessee-----	1945	1957	1945	1958
Kentucky-----	1958	1959	1958	1969	Texas-----	1966	(2)	1968	(2)
Louisiana-----	1937	1957	1942	(2)	Utah-----	1919	1957	1953	1958
Maine-----	1892	1957	1892	(2)	Vermont-----	1857	1957	1896	1968
Maryland-----	1914	1957	1914	1959	Virginia-----	1853	1957	1918	1958
Massachusetts-----	1841	1961	1882	1979	Washington-----	1968	(2)	1968	(2)
Michigan-----	1867	1957	1897	1961	West Virginia-----	1921	1965	1967	(2)
Minnesota-----	1958	1971	1970	(2)	Wisconsin-----	1907	1957	1907	1958
Mississippi-----	1926	1957	1926	(2)	Wyoming-----	1941	1957	1941	1958
Missouri-----	1948	1968	1948	1961	Puerto Rico-----	1931	1957	1931	(2)
Montana-----	1943	1957	1943	1958	Virgin Islands-----	1953	1957	1953	1958

1 Not yet established.

2 Not yet admitted.

3 California was admitted to the DRA in 1968 but ceased to participate in 1978.

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Table 4-3. Items of Statistical Information Coded From Marriage Records of Each Marriage-Registration State, Puerto Rico, and Virgin Islands: 1983

["X" or footnote indicates the item is coded]

Area	Items concerning marriage		Items concerning bride and groom							
	Date	Type of ceremony performed	State of residence	State of birth	Date of birth or age	Race	Number of this marriage	Education	If previously married, last marriage ended	
									By death or divorce	Date
Alabama	X	(1)	X	(2)	X	X	(3)		(4)	
Alaska	X	(1)	(2)	(2)	X	X	(3)		X	
California	X	(1)	X	X	X		X	X	X	X
Colorado	X	X	X	(2)	X				(4)	X
Connecticut	X	(1)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Delaware	X	(1)	X	X	X	X	X		(4)	
District of Columbia	X	(1)	(2)		X		(3)			
Florida	X	(1)	X	X	X	X	X		X	X
Georgia	X	(1)	X	(2)	X	X	(3)		X	X
Hawaii	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Idaho	X	(1)	X	X	X	X			(4)	
Illinois	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Indiana	X	(1)	X	X	X	X	(3)		X	
Iowa	X		X	X	X					
Kansas	X	(1)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Kentucky	X		X	X	X	X	(3)		X	
Louisiana	X	(1)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Maine	X	(1)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Maryland	X	(1)	(2)	X	X				(4)	
Massachusetts	X	(1)	X	X	X		X		(4)	
Michigan	X	(1)	X	X	X		(3)			
Minnesota	X	X	X	X	X	X	(3)		X	X
Mississippi	X	X	X	X	X	X	(3)	X	X	X
Missouri	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	(4)	X
Montana	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Nebraska	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
New Hampshire	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
New Jersey	X	(1)	X	(2)	X	X	(3)		(4)	
New York	X	(1)	X	(2)	X		X		(4)	(5)
North Carolina	X	(1)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Ohio	X		X	X	X		(3)			
Oregon	X	(1)	X	X	X	X			(4)	(5)
Pennsylvania	X	(1)	X	(2)	X	X	(3)		X	X
Rhode Island	X	X	(2)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
South Carolina	X	(1)	X	X	X	X	X			
South Dakota	X	X	X	X	X	X	(3)		(4)	
Tennessee	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Utah	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Vermont	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Virginia	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	(4)	X
West Virginia	X	X	X	X	X	X	(3)		X	
Wisconsin	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Wyoming	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Puerto Rico	X	(1)	X	X	X	X	(3)		(4)	
Virgin Islands	X	X	(2)	(2)	X	X	X	X	X	X

1 Item is inferred from the signature of the officiant.

2 Item does not specifically request State, but State or city was reported on most records; major cities were allocated to appropriate States.

3 Number of previous marriages.

4 Previous marital status or similar information on certificate.

5 Item requests date only if last marriage ended by divorce.

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Table 4-4. Items of Statistical Information Coded From Divorce or Annulment Records of Divorce-Registration States and Virgin Islands: 1983

["X" or footnote indicates the item is coded]

Area	Items concerning marriage			Items concerning divorce				Items concerning husband and wife						
	State of this marriage	Date of this marriage	Number of children ever born alive of this marriage	Children under 18 in this family	Date couple separated	Petitioner	Date of divorce	Date of birth or age	Race	Number of this marriage	Education	State of residence	If previously married, how many ended by	
													Death	Divorce
Alabama	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Alaska	X	X	(1)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Connecticut	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Delaware	X	X		X		X	X	X	X	X		X		
Georgia	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Hawaii	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Idaho	X	X	(2)	(4)	X	X	X	X	X	X		X		
Illinois	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Iowa	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Kansas	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Kentucky	X	X		X		X	X	X	X	X		X		
Maryland	X	X	(1)	X		X	X	X	X	X		X		
Massachusetts		X	X	X		X	X	X		X		X		
Michigan	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Missouri	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Montana	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Nebraska	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
New Hampshire	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X
New York	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Ohio	(2)	X		X		X	X	X		X		X		
Oregon	X	X	(3)	(5)		X	X	X	X	X		X		
Pennsylvania	X	X	(3)	X		X	X	X	X	X		X		
Rhode Island	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
South Carolina	X	X		X		X	X	X	X	X		X		
South Dakota	X	X		X		X	X	X	X			X		
Tennessee	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Utah	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Vermont	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Virginia	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Wisconsin	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Wyoming	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Virgin Islands	X	X	(1)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X

1 Total number of living children.

2 Item does not specifically request State, but State or city was reported on most records; major cities were allocated to appropriate States.

3 Number of children by this marriage.

4 Number of children affected by decree.

5 Date of birth of children of this marriage.

Table 4-5. Sampling Rates and Sample Size: Marriage-Registration Area, Each Registration State, Puerto Rico, and Virgin Islands, 1983

Area and stratum	Sampling rate	Number of sample records	Estimated number of events ¹	Area and stratum	Sampling rate	Number of sample records	Estimated number of events ¹
Marriage-registration area ² -----	...	743,754	1,890,791	Stratum 3—Con.			
Stratum 1 -----	All records	627,117	627,117	Oregon -----	1/5	4,657	23,285
Alaska -----	All records	6,553	6,553	Utah -----	1/5	3,885	18,425
Delaware -----	All records	5,579	5,579	West Virginia -----	1/5	3,186	15,930
District of Columbia -----	All records	5,338	5,338	Stratum 4 -----	1/10	44,314	443,140
Florida -----	All records	118,964	118,964	Alabama -----	1/10	4,744	47,440
Illinois -----	All records	103,734	103,734	Colorado -----	1/10	3,815	36,150
Maine -----	All records	12,479	12,479	Iowa -----	1/10	2,677	26,770
Missouri -----	All records	53,258	53,258	Kentucky -----	1/10	3,752	37,520
Montana -----	All records	8,092	8,092	Louisiana -----	1/10	4,318	43,180
Nebraska -----	All records	13,703	13,703	Maryland -----	1/10	4,712	47,120
New Hampshire -----	All records	10,972	10,972	Massachusetts -----	1/10	4,886	48,860
New York -----	All records	159,321	159,321	Minnesota -----	1/10	3,632	36,320
Rhode Island -----	All records	8,053	8,053	Mississippi -----	1/10	2,689	26,890
South Carolina -----	All records	53,686	53,686	North Carolina -----	1/10	5,213	52,130
Vermont -----	All records	5,595	5,595	Wisconsin -----	1/10	4,076	40,760
Virginia -----	All records	61,790	61,790	Stratum 5 -----	1/20	33,420	668,400
Stratum 2 -----	1/2	14,127	28,254	California -----	1/20	7,821	152,420
Hawaii -----	1/2	7,025	14,050	Georgia -----	1/20	3,641	72,820
South Dakota -----	1/2	4,001	8,002	Indiana -----	1/20	2,702	54,040
Wyoming -----	1/2	3,101	6,202	Michigan -----	1/20	3,947	78,940
Stratum 3 -----	1/5	24,776	123,880	New Jersey -----	1/20	3,092	61,840
Connecticut -----	1/5	5,393	26,915	Ohio -----	1/20	4,985	99,900
Idaho -----	1/5	2,686	13,430	Pennsylvania -----	1/20	4,607	92,140
Kansas -----	1/5	5,179	25,895	Tennessee -----	1/20	2,815	56,300
				Puerto Rico -----	1/10	2,966	29,660
				Virgin Islands -----	All records	1,327	1,327

¹ Number of sample records weighted by reciprocal of sampling rate.² Excludes Puerto Rico and Virgin Islands.

Table 4-6. Sampling Rates and Sample Size: Divorce-Registration Area, Each Registration State, and Virgin Islands, 1983

Area and stratum	Sampling rate	Number of sample records	Estimated number of events ¹	Area and stratum	Sampling rate	Number of sample records	Estimated number of events ¹
Divorce-registration area ² -----	...	272,014	572,949	Stratum 3-----	1/5	19,339	96,695
Stratum 1 -----	All records	210,108	210,108	Kansas -----	1/5	2,456	12,280
Alaska -----	All records	3,925	3,925	Kentucky -----	1/5	3,419	17,085
Delaware -----	All records	3,060	3,060	Maryland -----	1/5	3,219	16,095
Illinois -----	All records	50,350	50,350	Massachusetts -----	1/5	3,706	18,530
Missouri -----	All records	25,904	25,904	Oregon -----	1/5	3,237	16,185
Nebraska -----	All records	6,234	6,234	Wisconsin -----	1/5	3,302	16,510
New Hampshire -----	All records	4,808	4,808	Stratum 4 -----	1/10	16,538	165,380
New York -----	All records	64,154	64,154	Alabama -----	1/10	2,530	25,300
Rhode Island -----	All records	3,525	3,525	Georgia -----	1/10	3,287	32,870
South Carolina -----	All records	13,601	13,601	Michigan -----	1/10	3,806	38,060
South Dakota -----	All records	2,554	2,554	Pennsylvania -----	1/10	4,022	40,220
Vermont -----	All records	2,575	2,575	Tennessee -----	1/10	2,893	28,930
Virginia -----	All records	25,437	25,437	Stratum 5 -----	1/20	2,706	54,120
Wyoming -----	All records	3,983	3,983	Ohio -----	1/20	2,706	54,120
Stratum 2 -----	1/2	23,323	46,646	Virgin Islands -----	All records	313	313
Connecticut -----	1/2	6,049	12,098				
Hawaii -----	1/2	2,292	4,584				
Idaho -----	1/2	3,116	6,232				
Iowa -----	1/2	5,293	10,586				
Montana -----	1/2	2,336	4,672				
Utah -----	1/2	4,237	8,474				

¹ Number of sample records weighted by reciprocal of sampling rate.² Excludes divorces in Virgin Islands.

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Table 4-7. Sampling Error of Estimated Number of Marriages, Expressed as Percent of Area Total: Marriage-Registration Area, Each Registration State, Puerto Rico, and Virgin Islands, 1983

[Figures for Alaska, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Illinois, Maine, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New York, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Vermont, Virginia, and Virgin Islands have no sampling errors since all records were tabulated]

Area	All marriages	Sampling error of estimated frequency, expressed as percent of area total										
		1 or 99	2 or 98	3 or 97	4 or 96	5 or 95	7 or 93	10 or 90	15 or 85	20 or 80	25 or 75	50
Marriage-registration area ¹	1,890,791	413	581	709	814	905	1,060	1,246	1,483	1,861	1,798	2,077
Alabama	47,440	65	92	112	128	143	167	198	233	262	283	327
Alaska	6,553	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
California ²	152,420	169	238	290	334	371	434	511	608	681	737	851
Colorado	36,150	57	80	97	112	124	145	171	203	228	247	285
Connecticut	26,915	33	46	56	64	71	83	98	117	131	142	164
Delaware	5,579	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
District of Columbia	5,338	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Florida	118,964	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Georgia	72,820	118	166	202	233	259	303	356	424	475	514	593
Hawaii	14,050	12	17	20	23	26	30	36	42	47	51	59
Idaho	13,430	23	32	40	45	50	59	69	83	93	100	118
Illinois	103,734	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Indiana	54,040	101	142	173	198	221	258	304	361	405	438	506
Iowa	26,770	49	69	84	96	107	125	147	175	196	213	245
Kansas	25,895	32	45	55	63	70	82	96	115	129	139	161
Kentucky	37,520	58	81	99	114	126	148	174	207	232	251	290
Louisiana	43,180	62	87	106	122	136	159	187	223	249	270	312
Maine	12,479	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maryland	47,120	66	92	112	129	144	168	198	236	263	285	329
Massachusetts	48,860	66	93	113	130	144	169	199	236	265	287	331
Michigan	78,940	122	171	209	240	267	312	367	437	490	530	612
Minnesota	36,320	57	80	97	112	124	146	171	204	228	247	285
Mississippi	26,890	49	69	84	97	107	126	148	176	197	213	246
Missouri	53,258	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montana	8,092	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nebraska	13,703	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
New Hampshire	10,972	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
New Jersey	61,840	108	152	185	212	236	276	325	387	433	469	542
New York	159,321	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
North Carolina	52,130	68	96	117	134	149	175	205	245	274	297	342
Ohio	99,900	137	193	235	270	300	352	414	492	551	597	689
Oregon	23,285	30	43	52	60	67	78	92	109	122	133	153
Pennsylvania	92,140	132	185	226	259	288	337	397	472	529	573	661
Rhode Island	8,053	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
South Carolina	53,686	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
South Dakota	8,002	9	13	15	18	20	23	27	32	36	39	45
Tennessee	56,300	103	145	177	203	228	265	311	370	415	449	519
Utah	18,425	27	38	46	53	59	69	82	97	109	118	136
Vermont	5,595	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Virginia	61,790	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
West Virginia	15,930	25	35	43	49	55	64	76	90	101	109	126
Wisconsin	40,760	60	85	103	119	132	155	182	216	242	262	303
Wyoming	6,202	8	11	13	15	17	20	24	28	31	34	39
Puerto Rico	29,660	79	111	135	155	172	202	237	283	317	343	396
Virgin Islands	1,327	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

¹Excludes Puerto Rico and Virgin Islands.²Sampling errors computed excluding nonlicensed marriages; see text.

Table 4-8. Sampling Error of Estimated Number of Divorces and Annulments, Expressed as Percent of Area Total: Divorce-Registration Area, Each Registration State, and Virgin Islands, 1983

[Figures for Alaska, Delaware, Illinois, Missouri, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New York, Rhode Island, South Carolina, South Dakota, Vermont, Virginia, Wyoming, and Virgin Islands, have no sampling errors since all records were tabulated]

Area	All divorces and annulments	Sampling error of estimated frequency, expressed as percent of area total										
		1 or 99	2 or 98	3 or 97	4 or 96	5 or 95	7 or 93	10 or 90	15 or 85	20 or 80	25 or 75	50
Divorce-registration area ¹ -----	572,949	171	241	294	337	375	439	516	614	688	745	860
Alabama -----	25,300	47	67	81	93	104	121	143	170	190	206	238
Alaska -----	3,925	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Connecticut -----	12,098	11	15	19	21	24	28	33	39	44	47	55
Delaware -----	3,080	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Georgia -----	32,870	55	77	94	108	120	141	165	197	220	239	275
Hawaii -----	4,584	7	9	12	13	15	17	20	24	27	29	34
Idaho -----	6,232	8	11	13	15	17	20	23	28	31	34	39
Illinois -----	60,360	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Iowa -----	10,586	10	14	18	20	22	26	31	37	41	45	51
Kansas -----	12,280	22	31	38	43	48	56	66	79	88	95	110
Kentucky -----	17,095	26	36	44	51	57	66	78	93	104	112	130
Maryland -----	16,095	26	36	44	50	56	66	77	92	103	111	128
Massachusetts -----	18,530	27	38	46	53	59	69	81	97	109	118	136
Michigan -----	38,060	58	82	100	114	127	149	175	209	234	253	292
Missouri -----	25,904	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montana -----	4,672	7	9	11	13	14	17	20	24	26	29	33
Nebraska -----	6,234	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
New Hampshire -----	4,806	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
New York -----	64,154	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ohio -----	54,120	101	142	173	199	221	259	304	362	406	439	507
Oregon -----	16,185	25	36	43	50	55	65	76	91	102	110	127
Pennsylvania -----	40,220	60	84	102	118	131	153	180	214	240	260	300
Rhode Island -----	3,525	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
South Carolina -----	13,801	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
South Dakota -----	2,564	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tennessee -----	28,930	52	73	88	102	113	132	155	185	207	224	259
Utah -----	8,474	9	13	16	18	20	24	28	33	37	40	46
Vermont -----	2,676	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Virginia -----	25,437	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wisconsin -----	16,510	26	36	44	50	56	66	77	92	103	111	128
Wyoming -----	3,983	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Virgin Islands -----	313	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

¹Excludes divorces in Virgin Islands.

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Table 4-9. Percent of Marriage Records on Which Specified Characteristics Were Not Stated: Marriage-Registration Area, Each Registration State, Puerto Rico, and Virgin Islands, 1983

Area	All marriages	Characteristics																	Type of ceremony performed
		Race		Marriage order		Previous marital status		Number of this marriage		Resident status in place where married		Interval since last marriage ended		Nativity status in State where married		Education			
		Bride	Groom	Bride	Groom	Bride	Groom	Bride	Groom	Bride	Groom	Bride	Groom	Bride	Groom	Bride	Groom		
Marriage-registration area ¹	1,890,791	36.2	36.1	2.3	2.3	6.9	6.9	5.1	5.1	0.1	0.1	49.4	49.8	0.7	0.6	65.1	65.1	9.5	
Alabama	47,440	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	-	0.0	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.1	100.0	100.0	0.5	
Alaska	8,553	4.1	4.2	0.4	0.3	2.0	1.7	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.7	100.0	100.0	0.2	0.4	100.0	100.0	0.6	
California	152,420	100.0	100.0	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	15.2	16.2	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.7	
Colorado	36,150	100.0	100.0	0.4	0.8	0.4	0.8	239.4	238.2	0.1	0.1	4.5	5.8	0.4	0.2	100.0	100.0	0.5	
Connecticut	26,915	0.6	1.3	0.2	0.5	0.9	1.2	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.4	100.0	100.0	0.4	0.3	4.2	4.6	0.7	
Delaware	5,579	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.0	-	0.0	100.0	100.0	0.2	
District of Columbia	5,338	100.0	100.0	-	-	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	0.3	
Florida	118,964	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	7.3	8.5	0.1	0.0	100.0	100.0	0.0	
Georgia	72,820	0.7	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.6	0.2	0.8	0.5	0.1	0.0	48.5	46.9	0.2	0.4	100.0	100.0	0.5	
Hawaii	14,050	0.0	0.1	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	0.4	0.4	0.0	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Idaho	13,430	2.5	2.8	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.1	245.6	244.0	-	-	100.0	100.0	-	-	100.0	100.0	0.2	
Illinois	103,734	3.6	3.5	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.8	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	8.2	9.7	0.0	0.1	45.5	45.4	0.0	
Indiana	54,040	29.3	28.7	1.1	0.5	1.5	0.8	4.9	3.8	0.1	0.1	100.0	100.0	5.0	3.4	100.0	100.0	0.9	
Iowa	26,770	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	-	-	100.0	100.0	0.2	0.2	100.0	100.0	100.0	
Kansas	25,895	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	-	0.0	3.4	4.0	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.3	
Kentucky	37,520	0.6	0.7	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.1	1.8	1.4	-	-	100.0	100.0	0.4	0.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	
Louisiana	43,180	0.1	0.1	4.3	4.3	5.8	5.4	4.4	4.4	0.1	-	22.8	22.2	1.2	1.3	29.6	29.6	19.9	
Maine	12,479	0.3	0.2	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	0.4	0.2	-	0.0	3.0	2.9	-	
Maryland	47,120	100.0	100.0	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.0	232.8	235.3	0.6	0.6	100.0	100.0	0.2	0.1	100.0	100.0	0.1	
Massachusetts	48,860	100.0	100.0	0.0	-	0.3	0.3	0.1	-	-	0.0	100.0	100.0	0.1	0.0	100.0	100.0	0.1	
Michigan	78,940	100.0	100.0	-	-	332.3	334.7	-	-	-	-	100.0	100.0	0.3	0.2	100.0	100.0	0.4	
Minnesota	36,320	7.0	8.4	22.0	21.4	22.4	21.5	31.8	31.8	0.1	0.1	74.8	73.7	0.5	0.5	100.0	100.0	0.7	
Mississippi	26,890	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	0.0	10.1	13.4	0.2	-	2.8	2.8	-	
Missouri	53,258	4.5	4.4	4.1	4.0	5.0	4.8	5.5	5.4	1.0	1.0	45.7	46.1	4.1	4.0	25.8	25.6	2.8	
Montana	8,092	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	-	7.6	9.8	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	
Nebraska	13,703	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	6.2	7.0	0.0	-	0.0	0.1	-	
New Hampshire	10,972	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	-	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	-	0.2	0.1	-	
New Jersey	61,840	0.5	0.4	0.0	-	0.1	-	0.0	0.0	-	-	100.0	100.0	0.1	0.2	100.0	100.0	0.3	
New York	159,321	100.0	100.0	0.1	0.0	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.0	66.4	66.0	0.1	0.0	100.0	100.0	0.2	
North Carolina	52,130	0.1	0.0	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	-	-	1.6	1.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.5	
Ohio	99,900	100.0	100.0	0.2	0.2	335.0	335.2	0.2	0.2	0.0	-	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	
Oregon	23,285	3.5	3.7	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.5	239.4	239.4	0.2	0.2	28.5	28.5	0.2	0.2	100.0	100.0	0.2	
Pennsylvania	92,140	0.8	0.8	2.6	2.5	2.7	2.8	2.6	2.7	0.3	0.4	14.1	13.8	0.5	0.5	100.0	100.0	0.7	
Rhode Island	8,053	0.0	0.0	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	-	
South Carolina	53,696	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	341.7	341.2	0.0	0.0	-	-	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	100.0	0.1	
South Dakota	8,002	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	-	-	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	100.0	0.2	
Tennessee	56,300	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.4	1.1	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.0	0.2	8.4	9.1	0.1	0.2	2.3	2.5	0.7	
Utah	18,425	2.0	2.0	1.0	0.9	1.5	1.3	1.4	1.2	0.1	0.1	7.7	7.6	0.5	0.4	5.4	5.5	0.1	
Vermont	5,595	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	-	-	4.4	4.6	-	-	0.8	0.8	0.0	
Virginia	61,790	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	6.8	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	
West Virginia	15,930	-	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.1	-	100.0	100.0	0.1	0.1	100.0	100.0	1.0	
Wisconsin	40,760	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	-	-	0.3	0.6	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	
Wyoming	6,202	0.7	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.0	-	10.8	12.2	0.1	0.0	14.7	14.9	0.1	
Puerto Rico	29,660	100.0	100.0	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.8	0.6	100.0	100.0	0.1	0.2	100.0	100.0	0.6	
Virgin Islands	1,327	100.0	100.0	0.5	0.5	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	84.8	84.1	1.1	1.1	100.0	100.0	0.4	

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² Not reportable for remarriages in four registration States. For these States, total marriages include the following percentages of remarriages: Colorado, 38.9 percent of brides, 37.4 percent of grooms; Idaho, 45.3 percent of brides, 43.9 percent of grooms; Maryland, 32.5 percent of brides, 35.3 percent of grooms; Oregon, 39.0 percent of brides, 38.9 percent of grooms.

³ Not reportable for remarriages in three registration States. For these States, total marriages include the following percentages of remarriages: Michigan, 32.3 percent of brides, 34.7 percent of grooms; Ohio, 34.8 percent of brides, 35.0 percent of grooms; South Carolina, 41.7 percent of brides, 41.2 percent of grooms.

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Table 4-10. Percent of Divorce and Annulment Records on Which Specified Characteristics Were Not Stated: Divorce-Registration Area, Each Registration State, and Virgin Islands, 1983

Area	All divorces and annulments	Characteristics																
		Age				Race		Education		Number of this marriage		Petitioner	State where marriage was performed	Month of marriage	Children under 18 in this family	Duration of—		
		At decree		At marriage												Marriage	Marriage to separation	Separation to decree
		Husband	Wife	Husband	Wife	Husband	Wife	Husband	Wife	Husband	Wife							
Divorce-registration area ¹	572,949	11.8	12.3	12.4	13.0	25.4	25.5	44.6	44.3	15.1	14.9	1.9	4.8	1.3	2.5	1.5	44.8	44.7
Alabama	25,300	20.4	20.7	20.9	21.3	14.5	14.7	32.4	31.6	22.7	22.6	8.7	14.3	14.6	13.3	13.6	25.0	24.3
Alaska	3,925	2.9	3.0	3.7	3.8	8.7	8.9	13.3	12.7	11.5	11.2	3.7	0.4	0.8	3.8	0.9	12.8	12.2
Connecticut	12,098	2.8	3.5	3.4	4.3	5.1	4.9	8.7	8.1	5.5	5.5	2.9	0.3	0.6	2.1	0.9	15.3	15.1
Delaware	3,080	3.2	4.2	3.9	5.0	2.1	2.1	100.0	100.0	3.3	3.5	0.8	0.3	0.3	1.7	0.8	100.0	100.0
Georgia	32,870	5.1	6.1	6.1	7.1	7.2	7.4	23.6	22.9	12.5	12.0	1.7	1.7	1.3	1.2	1.4	100.0	100.0
Hawaii	4,584	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.0	0.2	0.2	3.4	2.1	0.7	0.2	0.1	—	0.2	—	0.1	4.8	4.5
Idaho	6,232	2.3	2.6	3.1	3.5	4.0	3.9	100.0	100.0	2.3	2.7	0.0	0.5	0.9	1.2	0.9	10.9	15.5
Illinois	50,350	0.7	0.7	0.9	1.1	5.0	5.1	10.1	9.5	5.7	5.8	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.9	0.4	18.3	18.1
Iowa	10,686	0.8	0.6	1.0	0.9	0.5	0.5	1.6	1.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.3	12.3	12.0
Kansas	12,280	1.2	1.4	1.5	2.0	0.2	0.2	1.8	1.4	0.4	0.4	—	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.7	8.8	8.6
Kentucky	17,095	0.8	1.1	1.6	2.2	9.1	9.2	100.0	100.0	12.2	12.5	7.1	0.2	0.8	2.4	1.0	100.0	100.0
Maryland	16,095	3.1	3.4	3.7	4.3	3.3	3.4	100.0	100.0	3.4	3.4	0.6	0.6	0.2	2.7	1.0	100.0	100.0
Massachusetts	18,530	16.4	16.2	17.3	17.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	3.1	3.2	0.1	100.0	0.7	0.6	1.2	100.0	100.0
Michigan	38,080	25.4	26.2	25.8	26.7	100.0	100.0	55.1	55.0	48.3	48.1	2.7	0.9	0.7	1.1	0.8	8.7	8.4
Missouri	25,904	2.9	3.8	3.5	4.4	2.2	2.2	6.1	5.8	2.7	2.7	0.9	0.1	0.6	0.3	0.7	4.1	3.7
Montana	4,672	2.4	2.7	2.9	3.3	0.9	0.7	3.2	2.5	1.3	1.3	1.6	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.5	10.4	10.0
Nebraska	6,234	0.8	1.1	1.0	1.3	0.1	0.1	1.6	1.2	0.3	0.2	0.0	—	0.1	0.0	0.3	5.7	5.7
New Hampshire	4,806	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.7	100.0	100.0	1.0	0.9	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.2	5.7	5.6
New York	64,154	2.6	3.4	3.2	4.0	1.6	1.7	4.1	4.0	1.8	1.9	1.8	0.9	0.3	0.0	0.7	6.5	6.4
Ohio	54,120	61.4	61.6	61.5	61.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	61.0	60.8	0.8	4.0	0.4	0.6	0.5	100.0	100.0
Oregon	16,185	0.9	1.2	2.5	2.8	21.5	21.6	100.0	100.0	13.0	6.7	0.3	1.5	1.5	12.0	1.8	100.0	100.0
Pennsylvania	40,220	14.6	15.2	16.1	16.6	16.6	17.0	100.0	100.0	15.0	15.5	4.7	1.3	1.7	12.7	2.0	100.0	100.0
Rhode Island	3,525	0.7	1.2	1.7	2.3	2.4	2.6	7.1	6.9	2.5	2.6	0.3	0.4	0.3	1.2	1.3	33.2	33.0
South Carolina	13,601	0.8	1.4	1.2	2.1	0.4	0.5	100.0	100.0	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.8	0.3	0.6	100.0	100.0
South Dakota	2,554	77.9	78.0	77.9	78.0	68.7	67.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	0.2	0.5	0.2	1.0	0.1	100.0	100.0
Tennessee	28,930	2.5	2.8	3.4	4.3	0.9	1.0	43.9	43.2	1.9	1.7	1.6	1.0	1.0	0.7	1.5	15.8	15.2
Utah	8,474	9.5	10.8	11.2	12.4	35.4	35.2	44.0	44.1	35.8	35.4	1.2	1.5	2.1	3.6	2.4	35.4	34.9
Vermont	2,675	0.3	0.1	0.5	0.2	1.0	1.0	2.1	2.3	1.1	1.0	—	—	—	0.0	0.2	1.2	1.2
Virginia	25,437	0.6	0.9	0.8	1.2	0.1	0.1	2.0	2.0	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.3	1.9	1.7
Wisconsin	16,510	0.2	0.5	0.6	0.9	0.4	0.4	3.1	2.6	0.7	0.7	2.7	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.5	8.8	8.6
Wyoming	3,983	11.8	12.5	12.3	13.0	27.7	27.7	30.9	30.1	28.8	28.9	0.1	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.7	24.7	24.5
Virgin Islands	313	9.3	14.7	10.5	16.0	47.0	47.0	55.6	53.7	47.9	45.7	7.3	1.3	1.0	3.5	1.6	37.7	37.7

¹ Not stated data include not reportable (item was not on record of entire reporting area) and not completed (item was on the record but not filled in). Figures exclude data for Virgin Islands.

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Table 4-11. Total Resident Population: United States, 1920-83

[Population enumerated as of April 1 for 1940, 1950, 1960, 1970, and 1980, and estimated as of July 1 for all other years. Figures include Armed Forces stationed in the United States]

Year	Population ¹	Year	Population ¹
1983	234,023,000	1951	153,310,000
1982	231,786,000	1950	150,697,361
1981	229,346,000	1949	148,665,000
1980	226,545,803	1948	146,093,000
1979	224,567,000	1947	143,446,000
1978	222,095,000	1946	140,054,000
1977	219,760,000	1945	132,481,000
1976	217,563,000	1944	132,885,000
1975	215,465,000	1943	134,245,000
1974	213,342,000	1942	133,920,000
1973	211,357,000	1941	133,121,000
1972	209,284,000	1940	131,669,275
1971	206,827,000	1939	130,879,718
1970	203,211,926	1938	129,824,939
1969	201,921,000	1937	128,824,829
1968	199,861,000	1936	128,053,180
1967	197,863,000	1935	127,250,232
1966	195,857,000	1934	126,373,773
1965	193,818,000	1933	125,578,763
1964	191,371,000	1932	124,840,471
1963	188,658,000	1931	124,039,648
1962	185,890,000	1930	123,076,741
1961	183,057,000	1929	121,769,939
1960	179,323,175	1928	120,501,115
1959	176,513,000	1927	119,036,062
1958	173,320,000	1926	117,399,225
1957	170,371,000	1925	115,831,963
1956	167,306,000	1924	114,113,463
1955	164,308,000	1923	111,949,945
1954	161,164,000	1922	110,054,778
1953	158,242,000	1921	108,541,489
1952	155,687,000	1920	106,466,420

¹Estimated populations including Armed Forces abroad are 141,389,000 (1946), 139,928,000 (1945), 138,397,000 (1944), 136,739,000 (1943), 134,860,000 (1942), and 133,402,000 (1941).

Sources: Published and unpublished data from the U.S. Bureau of the Census; see text.

Table 4-12. Population of Marriage- and Divorce-Registration Areas, 1957-83

[Population enumerated as of April 1 for 1960, 1970, and 1980, and estimated as of July 1 for all other years. Figures include Armed Forces stationed in the area. The MRA was established on January 1, 1957, and the DRA, on January 1, 1958]

Year	Marriage-registration area		Divorce-registration area	
	Number of States ¹	Population residing in area	Number of States	Population residing in area
1983	42	202,360,000	31	129,379,000
1982	42	200,841,000	31	128,871,000
1981	42	199,377,000	31	128,530,000
1980	42	197,398,412	30	127,247,926
1979	42	196,090,000	30	126,864,000
1978	41	191,650,000	28	119,630,000
1977	41	189,045,000	29	141,380,000
1976	41	188,512,000	29	140,313,000
1975	41	187,053,000	29	139,266,000
1974	41	185,568,000	29	138,238,000
1973	41	184,184,000	29	137,435,000
1972	41	182,735,000	29	136,855,000
1971	41	180,880,000	29	135,554,000
1970	39	171,627,358	28	131,088,058
1969	39	170,521,000	28	130,272,000
1968	39	169,000,000	26	107,913,000
1967	38	162,741,000	22	73,547,000
1966	38	161,321,000	22	72,620,000
1965	38	159,610,000	22	72,131,000
1964	37	147,713,000	22	71,293,000
1963	35	130,156,000	22	70,415,000
1962	35	128,137,000	21	68,728,000
1961	35	126,227,000	20	58,291,000
1960	33	112,879,852	18	45,333,985
1959	32	110,909,000	17	44,175,000
1958	30	105,674,000	14	38,190,000
1957	30	103,498,000	...	...

¹District of Columbia is not included in number of States, but it is represented in all data shown for 1961-83.

Source: Published and unpublished data from the U.S. Bureau of the Census; see text.

Table 4-13. Estimated Total Resident Population: United States, Each Region, Division, and State, Puerto Rico, and Virgin Islands, July 1, 1983

[Figures include Armed Forces stationed in each area and exclude those stationed outside the United States. Due to rounding to the nearest thousand, detailed figures may not add to totals]

Area	Population
United States ¹	234,023,000
Regions and divisions:	
Northeast	49,502,000
New England	12,486,000
Middle Atlantic	37,016,000
Midwest ²	58,891,000
East North Central	41,478,000
West North Central	17,413,000
South	79,637,000
South Atlantic	38,852,000
East South Central	14,931,000
West South Central	25,854,000
West	45,993,000
Mountain	12,348,000
Pacific	33,645,000
New England:	
Maine	1,145,000
New Hampshire	958,000
Vermont	525,000
Massachusetts	5,763,000
Rhode Island	956,000
Connecticut	3,139,000
Middle Atlantic:	
New York	17,663,000
New Jersey	7,464,000
Pennsylvania	11,889,000
East North Central:	
Ohio	10,736,000
Indiana	5,472,000
Illinois	11,474,000
Michigan	9,050,000
Wisconsin	4,746,000
West North Central:	
Minnesota	4,144,000
Iowa	2,904,000
Missouri	4,963,000
North Dakota	681,000
South Dakota	699,000
Nebraska	1,596,000
Kansas	2,426,000
South Atlantic:	
Delaware	606,000
Maryland	4,299,000
District of Columbia	623,000
Virginia	5,556,000
West Virginia	1,962,000
North Carolina	6,076,000
South Carolina	3,256,000
Georgia	5,732,000
Florida	10,742,000
East South Central:	
Kentucky	3,713,000
Tennessee	4,676,000
Alabama	3,961,000
Mississippi	2,581,000
West South Central:	
Arkansas	2,325,000
Louisiana	4,440,000
Oklahoma	3,310,000
Texas	15,779,000
Mountain:	
Montana	815,000
Idaho	987,000
Wyoming	516,000
Colorado	3,146,000
New Mexico	1,399,000
Arizona	2,970,000
Utah	1,618,000
Nevada	897,000
Pacific:	
Washington	4,302,000
Oregon	2,658,000
California	25,186,000
Alaska	481,000
Hawaii	1,018,000
Puerto Rico	3,267,000
Virgin Islands	103,800

¹Excludes Puerto Rico and Virgin Islands.

²Formerly North Central Region.

Table 4-14. Estimated Unmarried Resident Population 15 Years of Age and Over, by Age, Marital Status, and Sex: Marriage-Registration Area, July 1, 1983

[Figures include Armed Forces stationed in the United States and exclude those stationed outside the United States. Due to rounding to the nearest thousand, detailed figures may not add to totals]

Marital status and age	Men	Women
Total, 15 years of age and over ¹	29,079,000	35,488,000
15-19 years	8,218,000	7,614,000
15-17 years	4,801,000	4,532,000
18-19 years	3,417,000	3,082,000
20-24 years	7,047,000	5,633,000
25-29 years	4,047,000	3,139,000
30-34 years	2,376,000	2,129,000
35-39 years	1,424,000	1,561,000
40-44 years	965,000	1,270,000
45-49 years	716,000	1,026,000
50-54 years	778,000	1,129,000
55-59 years	641,000	1,354,000
60-64 years	617,000	1,733,000
65 years and over	2,258,000	8,898,000
Single, 15 years of age and over ¹	23,121,000	19,096,000
15-19 years	8,212,000	7,598,000
15-17 years	4,801,000	4,532,000
18-19 years	3,411,000	3,066,000
20-24 years	6,900,000	5,319,000
25-29 years	3,549,000	2,355,000
30-34 years	1,587,000	1,149,000
35-39 years	765,000	534,000
40-44 years	418,000	329,000
45-49 years	295,000	250,000
50-54 years	304,000	233,000
55-59 years	237,000	199,000
60-64 years	218,000	273,000
65 years and over	543,000	859,000
Previously married (widowed and divorced), 15 years of age and over ¹	5,959,000	16,392,000
15-19 years	7,000	16,000
20-24 years	148,000	314,000
25-29 years	504,000	784,000
30-34 years	689,000	980,000
35-39 years	658,000	1,027,000
40-44 years	537,000	942,000
45-49 years	421,000	777,000
50-54 years	474,000	896,000
55-59 years	404,000	1,156,000
60-64 years	400,000	1,461,000
65 years and over	1,716,000	8,038,000
Widowed, 15 years of age and over ²	1,681,000	9,147,000
15-44 years	51,000	342,000
45-64 years	389,000	2,160,000
65 years and over	1,242,000	6,644,000
Divorced, 15 years of age and over ²	3,590,000	5,301,000
15-19 years	7,000	14,000
20-24 years	126,000	269,000
25-29 years	448,000	601,000
30-34 years	597,000	779,000
35-39 years	567,000	792,000
40-44 years	466,000	696,000
45-49 years	323,000	507,000
50-54 years	348,000	427,000
55-59 years	243,000	376,000
60-64 years	179,000	314,000
65 years and over	287,000	523,000

¹Figures exclude data for Iowa.

²Figures exclude data for Iowa, Michigan, Ohio, and South Carolina.

Source: Figures prepared by the U.S. Bureau of the Census consistent with population estimates published in *Current Population Reports*, Series P-25, No. 965.

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Table 4-15. Estimated Married Resident Population 15 Years of Age and Over, by Age, Marital Status, and Sex:
Divorce-Registration Area, July 1, 1983

[Figures include Armed Forces stationed in the United States and exclude those stationed outside the United States. Figures exclude data for Michigan, Ohio, and South Dakota. Due to rounding to the nearest thousand, detailed figures may not add to totals]

Age	Men	Women
Total, 15 years of age and over	24,774,000	25,336,000
15-19 years	66,000	256,000
20-24 years	1,160,000	1,921,000
25-29 years	2,538,000	3,145,000
30-34 years	3,103,000	3,369,000
35-39 years	2,908,000	3,003,000
40-44 years	2,641,000	2,498,000
45-49 years	2,183,000	2,181,000
50-54 years	2,116,000	2,077,000
55-59 years	2,253,000	2,185,000
60-64 years	2,004,000	1,785,000
65 years and over	3,903,000	2,917,000

Source: Figures prepared by the U.S. Bureau of the Census consistent with population estimates published in *Current Population Reports*, Series P-25, No. 965.