INDICATOR: Fertility rate among girls (continued)

Births to adolescent females 15 to 17 years of age

|      |        | С    | alifornia               |       | County |      |                         |       |  |
|------|--------|------|-------------------------|-------|--------|------|-------------------------|-------|--|
|      |        |      | 95% Confidence Interval |       |        |      | 95% Confidence Interval |       |  |
| Year | Number | Rate | Lower                   | Upper | Number | Rate | Lower                   | Upper |  |
| 1990 | 24,828 | 44.2 | 43.7                    | 44.7  | 8,814  | 50.6 | 49.5                    | 51.6  |  |
| 1991 | 25,914 | 46.5 | 45.9                    | 47.0  | 9,078  | 53.4 | 52.3                    | 54.4  |  |
| 1992 | 25,967 | 45.6 | 45.1                    | 46.2  | 8,808  | 51.6 | 50.6                    | 52.7  |  |
| 1993 | 26,301 | 45.8 | 45.3                    | 46.4  | 8,629  | 51.4 | 50.3                    | 52.4  |  |
| 1994 | 26,378 | 45.2 | 44.7                    | 45.8  | 8,576  | 51.3 | 50.2                    | 52.3  |  |
| 1995 | 25,821 | 42.9 | 42.4                    | 43.4  | 8,369  | 49.4 | 48.4                    | 50.4  |  |
| 1996 | 24,047 | 38.3 | 37.8                    | 38.8  | 7,741  | 44.4 | 43.4                    | 45.4  |  |
| 1997 | 23,064 | 35.7 | 35.2                    | 36.1  | 7,237  | 40.5 | 39.6                    | 41.5  |  |
| 1998 | 21,630 | 32.6 | 32.2                    | 33.0  | 6,770  | 37.2 | 36.3                    | 38.1  |  |
| 1999 | 20,209 | 30.1 | 29.7                    | 30.5  | 6,293  | 34.4 | 33.6                    | 35.3  |  |
| 2000 | 18,887 | 27.2 | 26.9                    | 27.6  | 5,801  | 30.8 | 30.1                    | 31.6  |  |

|      | DENOMINATOR:<br>Females 15-17 |         | NUMERATOR: Births to 15-17 year olds |                                  |                               |                                   |                                   |                                   |  |  |
|------|-------------------------------|---------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|--|
| Year | State                         | County  | State Births,<br>15 year olds        | State<br>Births, 16<br>year olds | State Births,<br>17 year olds | County<br>Births, 15<br>year olds | County<br>Births, 16<br>year olds | County<br>Births, 17<br>year olds |  |  |
| 1990 | 561,743                       | 174,335 | 3,807                                | 7,898                            | 13,123                        | 1,341                             | 2,808                             | 4,665                             |  |  |
| 1991 | 557,492                       | 170,138 | 3,952                                | 8,545                            | 13,417                        | 1,380                             | 3,030                             | 4,668                             |  |  |
| 1992 | 569,137                       | 170,568 | 4,070                                | 8,547                            | 13,350                        | 1,339                             | 2,918                             | 4,551                             |  |  |
| 1993 | 573,941                       | 167,905 | 4,279                                | 8,641                            | 13,381                        | 1,383                             | 2,827                             | 4,419                             |  |  |
| 1994 | 583,290                       | 167,270 | 4,335                                | 8,701                            | 13,342                        | 1,419                             | 2,771                             | 4,386                             |  |  |
| 1995 | 602,236                       | 169,393 | 4,182                                | 8,560                            | 13,079                        | 1,386                             | 2,775                             | 4,208                             |  |  |
| 1996 | 627,740                       | 174,348 | 3,886                                | 8,093                            | 12,068                        | 1,251                             | 2,655                             | 3,835                             |  |  |
| 1997 | 646,663                       | 178,522 | 3,645                                | 7,557                            | 11,862                        | 1,143                             | 2,421                             | 3,673                             |  |  |
| 1998 | 663,642                       | 181,901 | 3,215                                | 7,094                            | 11,321                        | 1,002                             | 2,227                             | 3,541                             |  |  |
| 1999 | 671,509                       | 182,713 | 2,876                                | 6,671                            | 10,662                        | 922                               | 2,069                             | 3,302                             |  |  |
| 2000 | 693,330                       | 188,148 | 2,735                                | 6,012                            | 10,140                        | 879                               | 1,855                             | 3,067                             |  |  |

Note: This indicator addresses live births as opposed to pregnancies.

Previous years, "Fertility Rate among teen girls" was labeled as "Teen Birth Rate"

Sources: California Department of Health Services, Center for Health Statistics, Vital Statistics, 1990-2000

Denominator data: California Department of Finance, "Race/Ethnic Population with Age and Sex Detail, 1970-2040,"

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