| INDICATOR: | Trends in distribution of births by race/ethnicity, 1990-2001 |
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| DEFINITION: | The percent of total live births for selected race/ethnic groups over time |
| NUMERATOR: | Number of live births, by race/ethnicity, by place of residence, in a calendar year |
| DENOMINATOR: | Total number of live births, by place of residence, in a calendar year |

HEALTHY PEOPLE 2010 OBJECTIVE:
None
RISK FACTORS:
Not applicable

|  | California Births |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | Asian |  | African American |  | Hispanic |  | Native American |  | Filipino/Pacific Islander* |  | White |  | Other/Unknown |  | Total Births |
| Year | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number |
| 1990 | 41,269 | 6.7\% | 48,137 | 7.9\% | 245,314 | 40.1\% | 2,632 | 0.4\% | 14,786 | 2.4\% | 256,555 | 41.9\% | 2,973 | 0.5\% | 611,666 |
| 1991 | 42,343 | 7.0\% | 46,780 | 7.7\% | 257,827 | 42.3\% | 2,643 | 0.4\% | 14,874 | 2.4\% | 242,562 | 39.8\% | 2,199 | 0.4\% | 609,228 |
| 1992 | 43,322 | 7.2\% | 45,514 | 7.6\% | 263,339 | 43.8\% | 2,681 | 0.4\% | 15,217 | 2.5\% | 228,431 | 38.0\% | 2,334 | 0.4\% | 600,838 |
| 1993 | 42,432 | 7.3\% | 43,861 | 7.5\% | 262,065 | 44.8\% | 2,747 | 0.5\% | 15,006 | 2.6\% | 215,885 | 36.9\% | 2,487 | 0.4\% | 584,483 |
| 1994 | 42,758 | 7.5\% | 41,481 | 7.3\% | 257,463 | 45.4\% | 2,694 | 0.5\% | 15,052 | 2.7\% | 204,756 | 36.1\% | 2,830 | 0.5\% | 567,034 |
| 1995 | 54,475 | 9.9\% | 39,166 | 7.1\% | 253,726 | 46.0\% | 2,735 | 0.5\% | 2,763 | 0.5\% | 196,277 | 35.6\% | 2,084 | 0.4\% | 551,226 |
| 1996 | 54,164 | 10.1\% | 37,029 | 6.9\% | 254,674 | 47.3\% | 2,642 | 0.5\% | 2,778 | 0.5\% | 185,255 | 34.4\% | 2,088 | 0.4\% | 538,628 |
| 1997 | 53,855 | 10.3\% | 35,957 | 6.9\% | 248,795 | 47.5\% | 2,582 | 0.5\% | 2,779 | 0.5\% | 177,347 | 33.8\% | 2,859 | 0.5\% | 524,174 |
| 1998 | 52,718 | 10.1\% | 35,200 | 6.8\% | 247,796 | 47.5\% | 2,587 | 0.5\% | 2,818 | 0.5\% | 176,598 | 33.9\% | 3,548 | 0.7\% | 521,265 |
| 1999 | 54,206 | 10.5\% | 34,136 | 6.6\% | 249,253 | 48.1\% | 2,501 | 0.5\% | 2,840 | 0.5\% | 172,108 | 33.2\% | 3,029 | 0.6\% | 518,073 |
| 2000 | 58,876 | 11.1\% | 32,302 | 6.1\% | 257,958 | 48.6\% | 1,975 | 0.4\% | 2,376 | 0.4\% | 168,406 | 31.7\% | 3,138 | 0.6\% | 531,285 |
| 2001 | 51,009 | 9.7\% | 32,469 | 6.2\% | 260,996 | 49.5\% | 2,229 | 0.4\% | 10,417 | 2.0\% | 166,772 | 31.6\% | 3,479 | 0.7\% | 527,371 |

Note: * Filipinos are combined into Asian category after 1994.
Source: California Department of Health Services, Center for Health Statistics, Vital Statistics, 1990-2001

