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## PERINATAL DEATHS, 1978

## MAIN FEATURES

Perinatal deaths (stillbirths plus deaths in the first 4 weeks of life) continued to decline in 1978. Though part of the decline in numbers is attributable to lower birth rates, the perinatal death rate (perinatal deaths per 1,000 births) has also progressively declined over the last 6 years, from 23.34 in 1973 to 17.47 in 1978 (a fall of 25 per cent).

Fewer deaths occurred in 1978 than in 1973 in all groups of causes except 'Infections of foetus and newborn' which, like deaths from congenital malformations, fluctuates from year to year. The largest decrease over the 6 years has been in 'Conditions of placenta and umbilical cord'. Nevertheless these still account for 23 per cent of all perinatal deaths.

The most significant improvement has been in 'Chronic circulatory and genito-urinary disease in mother' where the number of perinatal deaths in 1978 was only 33 per cent of that in 1973. While these conditions would probably be more prevalent in older mothers, and some of the fall could be attributed to the decrease in births at the older ages, rates for these conditions per 1,000 births to mothers aged under 30 years have also fallen by 57 per cent.

'Haemolytic disease of newborn', where the number of deaths in 1978 was only 40 per cent of that in 1973, was also a significant factor in the overall decrease.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES

## Introduction

Perinatal deaths comprise foetal deaths (stillbirths) and neonatal deaths (deaths within 28 days of birth). Statistics have been compiled from Certificates of Cause of Perinatal Death supplied by medical practitioners to the Registrar of Births, Deaths and Marriages in each State or Territory during 1978.

2. Causes of perinatal death have been tabulated according to the "P List of 100 Causes for Tabulation of Perinatal Mortality" of the Eighth Revision (1965) of the International Classification of Diseases published by the World Health Organisation (W.H.O.). Particulars relate to the underlying cause of death which W.H.O. has defined as the disease in, or injury to, mother or child which initiated the train of morbid events leading directly to the death. Accidental and violent deaths are classified according to the external cause, that is, to the circumstances of the accident or violence which produced the fatal injury rather than to the nature of the injury.

3. The full list of categories which make up the W.H.O. "P List" is shown in Table 6 of this publication. The omission of a category from the full list of causes in

other tables indicates that no deaths were classified as due to that cause during 1978.

4. With the exception of Table 1, deaths where sex of child was indeterminate have been included with males. There were 3 foetal deaths and 2 neonatal deaths of indeterminate sex registered in 1978.

## Definitions

5. The following definitions have been used in constructing the tabulations:

*Perinatal death* is a foetal death or neonatal death, as defined below.

*Live birth* is the complete expulsion or extraction from its mother of a product of conception, irrespective of the period of gestation, which, after such separation, breathes or shows any other evidence of life such as beating of the heart, pulsation of the umbilical cord or definite movement of voluntary muscles, whether or not the umbilical cord has been cut or the placenta is attached.

*Foetal death* relates to any child born after the twentieth week of gestation or any foetus of 400 grams weight or more at delivery, which did not, at any time after being born, breathe or show any other sign of life.

*Neonatal death* relates to any child born alive (as defined under live birth above) who dies within 28 days after birth.

*Period of gestation* is measured from the first day of the last normal menstrual period to the date of birth and is expressed in completed weeks.

6. The perinatal period so defined exceeds that recommended by W.H.O. for international use, in which only foetal deaths after 28 weeks gestation and early neonatal deaths (within 7 days after birth) are included. Care should therefore be taken in comparing figures in this publication with those for other countries.

## Related publications

7. Other ABS publications which may be of interest include:

*Births* (3301.0)  
*Deaths* (3302.0)  
*Causes of Death* (3303.0)

8. All current publications produced by the ABS are listed in the *Catalogue of Publications* (1101.0) which is available free of charge from any ABS office.

## Symbols and other usages

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## SECTION I. PERINATAL DEATHS

TABLE 1. PERINATAL DEATHS BY STATE OR TERRITORY OF REGISTRATION, TIME OF CESSATION OF HEARTBEAT AND SEX (a), AUSTRALIA, 1978

<i>Time of cessation of heartbeat</i>	<i>Sex</i>	<i>N.S.W.</i>	<i>Vic.</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>S.A.</i>	<i>W.A.</i>	<i>Tas.</i>	<i>N.T.</i>	<i>A.C.T.</i>	<i>Australia</i>
NUMBERS										
Before delivery –										
Before labour commenced	M	232	203	85	62	56	32	12	8	690
	F	218	163	87	49	48	22	11	18	616
During labour	M	88	83	32	21	32	7	10	5	278
	F	115	67	38	23	22	8	2	5	280
Not known whether before or during labour	M	31	35	19	6	16	4	5	4	120
	F	32	23	14	4	16	2	2	–	93
Total	M	351	321	136	89	104	43	27	17	1,088
	F	365	253	139	76	86	32	15	23	989
After delivery	M	410	237	171	83	84	31	22	28	1,066
	F	275	188	128	48	71	26	13	17	766
Total (a)(b)	M	768	558	307	177	191	76	49	45	2,171
	F	646	441	269	130	163	60	28	41	1,778
	P	1,414	1,000	577	310	354	136	77	86	3,954
RATES (c)										
Before delivery –										
Before labour commenced	M	5.8	6.7	4.8	6.5	5.2	9.2	8.4	3.5	5.9
	F	5.7	5.6	5.2	5.4	4.8	6.5	8.5	8.3	5.6
During labour	M	2.2	2.7	1.8	2.2	3.0	2.0	7.0	2.2	2.4
	F	3.0	2.3	2.3	2.5	2.2	2.4	1.5	2.3	2.5
Not known whether before or during labour	M	0.8	1.2	1.1	0.6	1.5	1.2	3.5	1.7	1.0
	F	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.4	1.6	0.6	1.5	–	0.8
Total	M	8.8	10.5	7.6	7.3	9.7	12.4	18.8	7.4	9.4
	F	9.5	8.8	8.3	8.3	8.6	9.5	11.5	10.6	9.0
After delivery	M	10.3	7.9	9.6	8.7	7.9	9.0	15.6	12.2	9.3
	F	7.2	6.6	7.7	5.3	7.1	7.8	10.1	8.0	7.1
Total (a)(b)	M	19.2	18.3	17.1	18.5	17.7	21.8	34.2	19.5	18.8
	F	16.8	15.3	16.0	14.2	16.2	17.7	21.5	19.0	16.1
	P	18.0	16.8	16.6	16.6	17.0	19.8	28.2	19.2	17.5

(a) Figures relating to indeterminate sex are included with total persons (P). (b) Includes those not known if before or after delivery. (c) Rates are per 1,000 of total births registered except for deaths occurring after delivery, which are per 1,000 of live births registered (for details of births used in calculating rates see Table 12).

TABLE 2. PERINATAL DEATHS BY STATE OR TERRITORY OF REGISTRATION, AUSTRALIA, 1973 TO 1978

<i>Year</i>	<i>N.S.W.</i>	<i>Vic.</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>S.A.</i>	<i>W.A.</i>	<i>Tas.</i>	<i>N.T.</i>	<i>A.C.T.</i>	<i>Australia</i>
NUMBERS									
1973	2,133	1,491	878	429	534	181	99	104	5,849
1974	2,093	1,507	846	464	492	157	117	92	5,768
1975	1,692	1,259	702	337	422	166	85	81	4,744
1976	1,674	1,125	710	402	418	143	81	101	4,654
1977	1,442	1,025	604	337	365	118	124	81	4,096
1978	1,414	1,000	577	310	354	136	77	86	3,954
RATES (a)									
1973	24.14	21.95	22.83	20.77	25.70	24.38	34.75	25.07	23.34
1974	24.00	22.50	22.11	22.73	24.02	20.99	40.92	20.86	23.25
1975	20.71	20.11	19.12	16.70	20.51	23.48	39.26	18.37	20.15
1976	21.10	18.36	19.97	20.98	19.99	21.02	30.55	22.28	20.22
1977	18.31	17.06	17.16	17.34	17.51	17.34	47.38	17.29	17.93
1978	18.01	16.82	16.61	16.55	17.01	19.80	28.16	19.22	17.47

(a) Rates are per 1,000 of total births registered.

TABLE 3. PERINATAL DEATHS BY CAUSE (ABBREVIATED), NUMBERS AND RATES, AUSTRALIA, 1973 TO 1978

Cause of death		1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
NUMBERS							
P1 - P4	Chronic circulatory and genito-urinary disease in mother	82	53	53	48	41	27
P5 - P11	Other maternal conditions unrelated to pregnancy	257	239	203	188	145	155
P12 - P17	Toxaemias of pregnancy	369	343	302	268	256	257
P18 - P20	Maternal ante- and intrapartum infection	70	53	36	40	25	45
P21 - P23	Difficult labour with abnormality of bones, organs or tissues of pelvis	26	23	24	18	8	15
P24 - P26	Difficult labour with disproportion	16	26	10	13	11	5
P27 - P29	Difficult labour with malposition of foetus	116	104	78	62	62	63
P30 - P32	Difficult labour with abnormality of forces of labour	23	20	19	14	9	9
P33 - P35	Difficult labour with other and unspecified complications	42	30	25	19	22	24
P36 - P41	Other complications of pregnancy and child-birth	980	984	857	843	724	640
P42 - P46	Conditions of placenta	1,011	998	851	789	674	692
P47 - P49	Conditions of umbilical cord	348	338	258	248	263	234
P50 - P52	Birth injury without mention of cause	58	57	24	34	42	50
P53 - P56	Haemolytic disease of newborn	128	97	82	68	49	51
P57 - P60	Anoxic and hypoxic conditions not elsewhere classified	602	645	471	487	401	406
P61 - P68	Other conditions of foetus and newborn	592	618	480	444	360	344
P69 - P80	Congenital anomalies	908	954	804	910	818	781
P81 - P88	Infections of foetus and newborn	36	52	53	52	61	53
P89 - P94	Other diseases of foetus and newborn	162	120	105	100	112	98
P95 - P100	External causes of injury to newborn	23	14	9	9	13	5
All causes		5,849	5,768	4,744	4,654	4,096	3,954
RATES (a)							
P1 - P4	Chronic circulatory and genito-urinary disease in mother	0.33	0.21	0.23	0.21	0.18	0.12
P5 - P11	Other maternal conditions unrelated to pregnancy	1.03	0.96	0.86	0.82	0.63	0.68
P12 - P17	Toxaemias of pregnancy	1.47	1.38	1.28	1.16	1.12	1.14
P18 - P20	Maternal ante- and intrapartum infection	0.28	0.21	0.15	0.17	0.11	0.20
P21 - P23	Difficult labour with abnormality of bones, organs or tissues of pelvis	0.10	0.09	0.10	0.08	0.04	0.07
P24 - P26	Difficult labour with disproportion	0.06	0.10	0.04	0.06	0.05	0.02
P27 - P29	Difficult labour with malposition of foetus	0.46	0.42	0.33	0.27	0.27	0.28
P30 - P32	Difficult labour with abnormality of forces of labour	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.06	0.04	0.04
P33 - P35	Difficult labour with other and unspecified complications	0.17	0.12	0.11	0.08	0.10	0.11
P36 - P41	Other complications of pregnancy and child-birth	3.91	3.97	3.64	3.66	3.17	2.83
P42 - P46	Conditions of placenta	4.03	4.02	3.61	3.43	2.95	3.06
P47 - P49	Conditions of umbilical cord	1.39	1.36	1.10	1.08	1.15	1.03
P50 - P52	Birth injury without mention of cause	0.23	0.23	0.10	0.15	0.18	0.22
P53 - P56	Haemolytic disease of newborn	0.51	0.39	0.35	0.30	0.21	0.23
P57 - P60	Anoxic and hypoxic conditions not elsewhere classified	2.40	2.60	2.00	2.12	1.76	1.79
P61 - P68	Other conditions of foetus and newborn	2.36	2.49	2.04	1.93	1.58	1.52
P69 - P80	Congenital anomalies	3.62	3.85	3.42	3.95	3.58	3.45
P81 - P88	Infections of foetus and newborn	0.14	0.21	0.23	0.23	0.27	0.23
P89 - P94	Other diseases of foetus and newborn	0.65	0.48	0.45	0.43	0.49	0.43
P95 - P100	External causes of injury to newborn	0.09	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.06	0.02
All causes		23.34	23.25	20.15	20.22	17.93	17.47

(a) Rates are per 1,000 of total births registered in each year.

TABLE 4. PERINATAL DEATHS BY CAUSE (ABBREVIATED), PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL, STATE OR TERRITORY OF USUAL RESIDENCE OF MOTHER, AUSTRALIA, 1978

Cause of death	State or Territory of usual residence								
	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Australia
P1 - P4	0.9	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.3	1.4	2.7	1.3	0.7
P5 - P11	3.5	3.8	6.3	2.0	2.8	3.5	8.1	3.9	3.9
P12 - P17	6.8	8.4	6.5	5.2	3.9	5.0	1.4	2.6	6.5
P18 - P20	1.6	1.0	1.4	0.7	-	0.7	-	1.3	1.1
P21 - P23	0.6	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.7	-	-	0.4
P24 - P26	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	-	-	-	-	0.1
P27 - P29	1.6	2.1	1.2	2.0	0.8	-	2.7	1.3	1.6
P30 - P32	0.2	0.2	-	-	0.6	-	2.7	-	0.2
P33 - P35	0.4	0.5	0.5	1.3	0.6	1.4	2.7	-	0.6
P36 - P41	13.8	23.8	14.3	13.7	12.6	10.6	9.5	21.1	16.2
P42 - P46	19.0	14.9	20.5	16.7	17.4	12.1	5.4	27.6	17.5
P47 - P49	7.1	5.0	5.1	4.9	5.6	9.2	1.4	6.6	5.9
P50 - P52	1.3	0.1	1.0	2.6	3.6	0.7	2.7	1.3	1.3
P53 - P56	1.5	0.8	1.4	2.0	0.8	2.1	-	2.6	1.3
P57 - P60	10.8	9.5	8.2	9.5	11.5	21.3	12.2	1.3	10.3
P61 - P68	9.3	2.2	8.2	15.4	16.0	9.9	24.3	6.6	8.7
P69 - P80	17.0	23.9	20.6	20.6	19.3	17.7	13.5	19.7	19.8
P81 - P88	1.7	0.9	1.2	0.3	2.0	-	6.8	-	1.3
P89 - P94	2.8	2.2	2.6	2.3	1.7	2.1	4.1	2.6	2.5
P95 - P100	0.1	-	0.2	-	-	1.4	-	-	0.1
All causes	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

TABLE 5. PERINATAL DEATH RATES (a) BY CAUSE (ABBREVIATED), AGE OF MOTHER, AUSTRALIA, 1978

Cause of death	Age of mother (years)							Total
	Under 20	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40 and over		
P1 - P4	0.1	-	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.1	
P5 - P11	1.4	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.7	1.6	0.7	
P12 - P17	1.7	1.0	0.9	1.2	2.3	4.9	1.1	
P18 - P20	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.2	-	-	0.2	
P21 - P23	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	-	0.1	
P24 - P26	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	
P27 - P29	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4	1.1	0.3	
P30 - P32	-	-	0.1	-	-	1.1	-	
P33 - P35	2.8	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	-	0.1	
P36 - P41	3.6	2.8	2.8	3.3	3.6	4.4	2.8	
P42 - P46	1.1	1.0	0.9	1.0	4.1	8.2	3.1	
P47 - P49	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	1.9	3.8	1.0	
P50 - P52	1.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	-	0.2	
P53 - P56	2.6	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.7	1.6	1.8	
P57 - P60	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.5	-	0.2	
P61 - P68	3.9	3.3	3.2	3.5	4.5	5.4	3.5	
P69 - P80	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	1.6	0.2	
P81 - P88	9.6	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	-	0.4	
P89 - P94	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
P95 - P100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
All causes	21.6	15.9	15.7	18.3	22.9	34.8	17.5	

(a) Rates are per 1,000 of total births registered in each age group (for details of births used in calculating rates see Table 13).

TABLE 6. PERINATAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, STATE OR TERRITORY OF USUAL RESIDENCE OF MOTHER AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978

Cause of death	Sex	State or Territory of usual residence									Australia
		N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.		
P1-P4 Chronic circulatory and genito-urinary disease in mother -	M	9	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	18	
P 1 Chronic rheumatic heart disease	F	4	3	1	-	-	1	-	-	9	
P 2 Chronic hypertension	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
P 3 Other chronic disease of circulatory system	M	8	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	10	
P 4 Chronic disease of genito-urinary system	F	4	3	1	-	-	1	-	-	9	
	M	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	
	F	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
P5-P11 Other maternal conditions unrelated to pregnancy -	M	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	1	7	
P 5 Syphilis	F	29	23	18	4	6	4	4	1	89	
P 6 Diabetes mellitus	M	22	15	18	2	4	1	2	2	66	
P 7 Rubella	F	-	-	8	-	-	-	1	-	9	
P 8 Injury to mother	M	6	3	2	2	1	-	2	-	15	
P 9 Operation of mother	F	5	2	1	-	-	1	-	1	10	
P10 Chemical substances transmitted through placenta	M	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	6	
P11 Other maternal conditions	F	7	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	12	
	M	1	6	1	-	2	2	-	-	16	
	F	-	3	-	1	1	-	-	-	10	
	M	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	3	
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	
P12-P17 Toxaemias of pregnancy -	F	16	13	7	2	3	2	3	-	46	
P12 Renal disease arising during pregnancy	M	15	7	9	1	2	-	-	1	35	
P13 Pre-eclampsia of pregnancy	F	53	45	23	9	9	5	1	1	146	
P14 Eclampsia of pregnancy	M	44	38	14	7	5	2	-	1	111	
P15 Toxaemia unspecified	F	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	3	
P16 Hyperemesis gravidarum	M	50	45	15	9	8	5	1	1	134	
P17 Other toxaemia of pregnancy	F	36	37	13	6	5	2	-	1	100	
	M	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	4	
	F	3	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	4	
	M	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	4	
	F	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	5	
	M	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
P18-P20 Maternal ante- and intrapartum infection -	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
P18 Pyelitis and pyelonephritis of pregnancy	F	10	6	2	1	-	1	-	1	21	
P19 Other infections of genito-urinary tract during pregnancy	M	13	4	6	1	-	-	-	-	24	
P20 Other	F	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	
	M	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	
	F	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	3	
	M	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	4	
	F	9	4	1	-	-	1	-	-	15	
	M	12	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	17	

TABLE 6. PERINATAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, STATE OR TERRITORY OF USUAL RESIDENCE OF MOTHER AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978 - continued

Cause of death	Sex	State or Territory of usual residence									
		N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Australia	
P21-P23	Difficult labour with abnormality of bones, organs or tissues of pelvis -	M	3	1	1	1	2	1	-	-	9
		F	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
P21	With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	M	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2
		F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P22	With other or unspecified birth injury	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P23	Without mention of birth injury	M	2	1	1	1	2	-	-	-	7
		F	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
P24-P26	Difficult labour with disproportion -	M	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	4
		F	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P24	With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		F	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P25	With other or unspecified birth injury	M	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
		F	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
P26	Without mention of birth injury	M	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
		F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P27-P29	Difficult labour with malposition of foetus -	M	13	16	1	4	2	-	-	-	39
		F	10	5	6	2	1	2	1	1	24
P27	With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	M	4	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	10
		F	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
P28	With other or unspecified birth injury	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P29	Without mention of birth injury	M	9	12	1	3	2	-	1	-	29
		F	10	4	6	2	1	-	-	1	23
P30-P32	Difficult labour with abnormality of forces of labour -	M	3	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	7
		F	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
P30	With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	M	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	3
		F	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
P31	With other or unspecified birth injury	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P32	Without mention of birth injury	M	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
		F	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
P33-P35	Difficult labour with other and unspecified complications -	M	3	4	1	1	2	-	1	-	12
		F	3	1	2	3	-	2	1	-	12
P33	With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	M	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
		F	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
P34	With other or unspecified birth injury	M	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
		F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P35	Without mention of birth injury	M	2	4	-	-	2	-	-	-	11
		F	2	1	1	1	2	1	-	-	10
P36-P41	Other complications of pregnancy and child-birth -	M	105	136	38	22	19	9	4	9	342
		F	93	99	44	20	26	6	3	7	298
P36	Incompetent cervix	M	33	36	6	5	5	1	3	1	90
		F	30	25	15	4	6	-	2	2	84
P37	Premature rupture of membranes	M	38	27	9	4	4	2	1	3	88
		F	28	24	15	4	4	2	1	2	80
P38	Hydramnios	M	4	4	6	1	-	2	-	-	17
		F	6	3	1	1	-	-	-	1	12
P39	Ectopic pregnancy	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P40	Multiple pregnancy	M	19	50	8	7	8	1	-	2	95
		F	19	37	10	9	10	1	-	-	86
P41	Other complications of pregnancy or childbirth	M	11	19	9	5	2	3	-	3	52
		F	10	10	3	2	6	3	-	2	36

TABLE 6. PERINATAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, STATE OR TERRITORY OF USUAL RESIDENCE OF MOTHER AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978 - continued

Cause of death	Sex	State or Territory of usual residence									Australia
		N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.		
P42-P46	Conditions of placenta -	M	151	83	61	22	37	11	1	11	377
		F	122	64	56	29	25	6	3	10	315
P42	Placenta praevia	M	23	8	5	-	7	1	-	2	46
		F	8	7	8	1	3	-	-	2	29
P43	Premature separation of placenta	M	87	33	30	12	21	5	1	5	194
		F	67	29	24	15	11	1	1	3	151
P44	Placental infarction	M	1	22	5	1	1	-	-	-	30
		F	1	14	5	-	-	1	-	2	23
P45	Other conditions of placenta	M	7	10	2	-	1	-	-	1	21
		F	3	3	-	-	1	-	-	1	10
P46	Placental insufficiency, unspecified	M	33	10	19	9	1	2	-	1	86
		F	43	11	19	13	7	5	-	3	102
P47-P49	Conditions of umbilical cord -	M	52	27	10	10	12	4	1	2	118
		F	50	22	19	5	8	9	-	3	116
P47	Compression of cord	M	4	5	-	2	2	-	-	-	13
		F	3	4	3	-	-	2	-	-	12
P48	Prolapse of cord	M	12	6	3	2	-	-	-	1	24
		F	8	2	2	-	-	2	-	-	15
P49	Other	M	36	16	7	6	10	4	1	1	81
		F	39	16	14	5	7	5	-	3	89
P50-P52	Birth injury without mention of cause -	M	11	1	5	6	6	-	1	-	30
		F	7	-	5	2	7	1	1	1	20
P50	To brain or spinal cord	M	10	-	5	4	6	-	1	-	26
		F	7	-	4	3	5	1	1	-	15
P51	Other or unspecified birth injury	M	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	3
		F	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1
P52	Termination of pregnancy without mention of cause	M	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2
		F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P53-P56	Haemolytic disease of newborn -	M	9	3	4	4	2	3	-	1	26
		F	12	5	4	2	1	-	-	1	25
P53	With Rh incompatibility	M	4	2	2	3	1	2	-	-	14
		F	7	3	3	1	1	-	-	1	16
P54	With ABO incompatibility	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P55	With other or unspecified blood incompatibility	M	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
		F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P56	Without mention of cause	M	5	1	2	1	1	-	-	1	11
		F	5	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	9
P57-P60	Anoxic and hypoxic conditions not elsewhere classified -	M	84	56	26	10	26	16	5	-	223
		F	71	38	21	19	15	14	4	1	183
P57	Hyaline membrane disease and respiratory distress syndrome	M	35	23	15	4	10	6	2	-	95
		F	22	8	9	6	7	9	1	1	63
P58	Intra-uterine anoxia	M	22	29	4	4	3	3	2	-	67
		F	22	22	7	13	1	-	1	-	66
P59	Asphyxia of newborn, unspecified	M	13	1	1	1	5	3	1	-	25
		F	14	3	2	-	4	2	1	-	26
P60	Other anoxic and hypoxic conditions not elsewhere classified	M	14	3	6	1	8	4	-	-	36
		F	13	5	3	-	3	3	1	-	28

TABLE 6. PERINATAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, STATE OR TERRITORY OF USUAL RESIDENCE OF MOTHER AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978 - continued

Cause of death	Sex	State or Territory of usual residence									Australia
		N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.		
P61-P68 Other conditions of foetus and newborn -	M	70	12	28	35	30	8	11	5	199	
	F	64	10	19	12	27	6	7	-	145	
P61 Immaturity, unqualified	M	26	-	10	12	11	2	3	1	65	
	F	16	1	4	2	8	2	-	-	33	
P62 Foetal blood loss before birth	M	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	3	
	F	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
P63 Post-maturity	M	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	
	F	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	
P64 Haemorrhagic disease of newborn	M	3	2	-	5	1	-	-	-	14	
	F	1	-	1	1	-	2	2	1	5	
P65 Cold injury syndrome	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
P66 Other conditions of foetus	M	5	3	2	-	-	1	-	-	11	
	F	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	
P67 Maceration	M	4	-	1	2	3	-	2	-	12	
	F	4	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	7	
P68 Other foetal death of unknown cause	M	29	6	14	16	15	5	4	3	92	
	F	40	7	11	9	19	2	6	-	94	
P69-P80 Congenital anomalies -	M	129	125	76	42	35	12	5	9	433	
	F	116	111	42	21	34	13	5	6	348	
P69 Anencephalus	M	17	24	11	7	7	2	1	2	71	
	F	32	27	12	6	11	3	2	2	95	
P70 Spina bifida	M	8	16	8	4	3	-	-	-	39	
	F	10	17	6	2	6	-	1	1	43	
P71 Congenital hydrocephalus	M	14	12	4	1	3	-	3	-	37	
	F	11	8	3	2	3	1	-	-	28	
P72 Other congenital anomalies of central nervous system and eye	M	3	3	2	2	1	1	-	-	11	
	F	2	3	2	1	-	2	-	-	10	
P73 Congenital anomalies of circulatory system	M	32	22	18	10	11	4	1	1	99	
	F	20	13	12	-	8	2	1	1	62	
P74 Congenital anomalies of respiratory system	M	4	1	2	3	1	1	-	-	12	
	F	5	3	1	4	1	-	-	-	14	
P75 Congenital anomalies of digestive system	M	2	2	3	2	-	-	-	1	10	
	F	5	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	
P76 Congenital anomalies of genito-urinary system	M	9	14	5	6	1	1	-	-	36	
	F	3	2	-	2	1	3	-	1	12	
P77 Congenital anomalies of musculoskeletal system	M	6	10	2	-	1	-	-	1	20	
	F	2	7	4	-	-	-	1	-	11	
P78 Down's disease	M	5	7	4	1	1	1	-	-	19	
	F	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	
P79 Other congenital syndromes affecting multiple systems	M	26	14	16	5	6	2	-	3	72	
	F	21	22	5	4	4	2	-	-	58	
P80 Other and unspecified congenital anomalies	M	3	-	1	1	1	-	-	1	7	
	F	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	

TABLE 6. PERINATAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, STATE OR TERRITORY OF USUAL RESIDENCE OF MOTHER AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978 - *continued*

Cause of death	Sex	State or Territory of usual residence									Australia
		N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.		
P81-P88 Infections of foetus and newborn -	M	15	4	5	-	4	-	4	-	-	32
	F	9	5	2	1	3	-	1	-	-	21
P81 Diarrhoeal disease	M	4	2	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	9
	F	4	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	7
P82 Listeriosis	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	F	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P83 Tetanus	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P84 Septicaemia	M	10	2	-	-	3	-	3	-	-	18
	F	5	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	8
P85 Viral diseases	M	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P86 Congenital syphilis	M	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	3
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2
P87 Toxoplasmosis	M	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P88 Other infective and parasitic diseases	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	F	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
P89-P94 Other diseases of foetus and newborn -	M	23	8	5	5	2	3	2	2	2	48
	F	17	14	10	2	4	-	1	-	2	50
P89 Diseases of thyroid gland	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P90 Cystic fibrosis (mucoviscidosis)	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P91 Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P92 Pneumonia	M	4	3	1	1	-	-	2	-	-	-
	F	3	7	3	-	-	1	2	-	-	12
P93 Other specified conditions	M	14	4	2	2	1	-	1	-	-	14
	F	11	7	1	1	3	-	-	1	-	24
P94 Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	M	5	1	2	2	1	1	-	-	-	12
	F	3	-	6	1	1	-	-	-	-	11
P95-P100 External causes of injury to newborn -	M	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	3
	F	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	2
P95 Excessive heat	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P96 Excessive cold	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P97 Hunger, thirst, exposure and neglect	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P98 Inhalation and ingestion of food causing obstruction or suffocation	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P99 Accidental mechanical suffocation	M	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
	F	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P100 Other external causes	M	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	3
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All causes	M	775	555	306	178	195	79	46	42	2,176	
	F	664	434	266	128	162	62	28	34	1,778	

TABLE 7. PERINATAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, AGE OF MOTHER AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978

NOTE. Categories of the International Classification for which no deaths were recorded in 1978 are omitted from this table.

Cause of death	Sex	Age of mother (years)										Total
		Under 15	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50 and over	Not stated	
P1-P4 Chronic circulatory and genito-urinary disease in mother -	M	-	1	-	10	7	-	-	-	-	-	18
	F	-	-	2	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	9
P 2 Chronic hypertension	M	-	-	-	5	5	-	1	-	-	-	10
	F	-	-	2	3	2	1	1	-	-	-	9
P 3 Other chronic disease of circulatory system	M	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
P 4 Chronic disease of genito-urinary system	M	-	1	-	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	7
P5-P11 Other maternal conditions unrelated to pregnancy -	M	-	18	22	28	15	4	2	-	-	-	89
	F	1	8	24	21	8	3	1	-	-	-	66
P 5 Syphilis	M	-	6	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	9
	F	-	3	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	9
P 6 Diabetes mellitus	M	-	4	2	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	15
	F	-	-	3	3	2	1	1	-	-	-	10
P 8 Injury to mother	M	-	4	4	4	3	-	1	-	-	-	16
	F	-	2	5	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	10
P 9 Operation of mother	M	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
	F	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
P11 Other maternal conditions	M	-	4	11	17	11	3	-	-	-	-	46
	F	1	3	11	14	5	-	1	-	-	-	35
P12-P17 Toxaemias of pregnancy -	M	-	15	42	44	27	10	6	-	-	2	146
	F	-	18	28	29	20	13	3	-	-	-	111
P12 Renal disease arising during pregnancy	M	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	3
	F	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
P13 Pre-eclampsia of pregnancy	M	-	14	39	38	25	10	6	-	-	-	134
	F	-	17	26	25	18	11	3	-	-	2	100
P14 Eclampsia of pregnancy	M	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
	F	-	1	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	4
P15 Toxaemia unspecified	M	-	-	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	5
	F	-	-	1	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
P16 Hyperemesis gravidarum	M	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
	F	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
P18-P20 Maternal ante- and intrapartum infection -	M	-	2	3	12	4	-	-	-	-	-	21
	F	-	2	6	11	5	-	-	-	-	-	24
P18 Pyelitis and pyelonephritis of pregnancy	M	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	3
	F	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	3
P19 Other infections of genito-urinary tract during pregnancy	M	-	-	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	3
	F	-	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
P20 Other	M	-	1	2	9	3	-	-	-	-	-	15
	F	-	1	4	8	4	-	-	-	-	-	17
P21-P23 Difficult labour with abnormality of bones, organs or tissues of pelvis -	M	-	1	4	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	9
	F	-	-	1	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	6
P21 With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	M	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
	F	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
P23 Without mention of birth injury	M	-	1	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	7
	F	-	-	1	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	6
P24-P26 Difficult labour with disproportion -	M	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
	F	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
P24 With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	M	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
	F	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
P25 With other or unspecified birth injury	M	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P26 Without mention of birth injury	M	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3

TABLE 7. PERINATAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, AGE OF MOTHER AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978 - *continued*

Cause of death	Sex	Age of mother (years)										Total	
		Under 15	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50 and over	Not stated		
P27-P29													
Difficult labour with malposition of foetus -	M	-	4	10	12	11	2	-	-	-	-	-	39
	F	-	2	7	8	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	24
P27 With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	M	-	2	3	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	10
	F	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P29 Without mention of birth injury	M	-	2	7	9	9	2	-	-	-	-	-	29
	F	-	1	7	8	3	2	2	-	-	-	-	23
P30-P32													
Difficult labour with abnormality of forces of labour -	M	-	-	1	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
	F	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
P30 With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	M	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
	F	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P32 Without mention of birth injury	M	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
	F	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
P33-P35													
Difficult labour with other and unspecified complications -	M	-	-	4	2	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
	F	-	-	4	4	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	12
P33 With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	M	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
	F	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P34 With other or unspecified birth injury	M	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
	F	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P35 Without mention of birth injury	M	-	-	4	2	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	11
	F	-	-	2	4	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	10
P36-P41													
Other complications of pregnancy and child-birth -	M	-	30	94	119	72	19	4	-	-	-	-	342
	F	1	23	72	118	61	18	4	-	-	-	-	298
P36 Incompetent cervix	M	-	7	17	25	30	10	-	-	-	-	-	90
	F	1	1	14	26	18	4	1	-	-	-	-	84
P37 Premature rupture of membranes	M	-	5	32	43	14	9	2	-	-	-	-	68
	F	-	8	25	24	16	6	1	-	-	-	-	86
P38 Hydramnios	M	-	-	6	7	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	80
	F	-	-	3	2	6	-	1	-	-	-	-	17
P40 Multiple pregnancy	M	-	12	25	39	16	2	-	-	-	-	-	12
	F	-	11	22	35	16	2	-	-	-	-	-	95
P41 Other complications of pregnancy or child-birth	M	-	6	14	22	7	3	-	-	-	-	-	86
	F	-	3	8	14	9	1	-	-	-	-	-	52
P42-P46													
Conditions of placenta -	M	1	37	117	121	67	20	9	-	-	-	-	36
	F	1	31	80	113	59	22	5	1	-	-	-	377
P42 Placenta praevia	M	-	-	17	8	8	3	-	-	-	-	-	315
	F	-	2	5	11	10	1	-	-	-	-	-	46
P43 Premature separation of placenta	M	1	24	64	57	34	8	2	-	-	-	-	29
	F	1	14	39	57	25	11	2	1	-	-	-	194
P44 Placental infarction	M	-	3	7	10	7	1	1	-	-	-	-	151
	F	-	3	7	8	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	30
P45 Other conditions of placenta	M	-	1	3	11	2	3	1	-	-	-	-	23
	F	-	3	2	2	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	21
P46 Placental insufficiency, unspecified	M	-	9	26	25	16	5	5	-	-	-	-	10
	F	-	9	27	35	19	8	2	-	-	-	-	86
P47-P49													
Conditions of umbilical cord -	M	-	10	36	39	19	10	4	-	-	-	-	102
	F	-	12	36	35	21	9	4	-	-	-	-	118
P47 Compression of cord	M	-	-	6	4	2	-	3	-	-	-	-	116
	F	-	1	5	2	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	13
P48 Prolapse of cord	M	-	2	3	14	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	12
	F	-	3	3	5	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	24
P49 Other	M	-	8	27	21	14	8	3	-	-	-	-	15
	F	-	8	28	28	15	8	2	-	-	-	-	81
													89

TABLE 7. PERINATAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, AGE OF MOTHER AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978 - *continued*

Cause of death	Sex	Age of mother (years)										Total
		Under 15	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50 and over	Not stated	
P50-P52 Birth injury without mention of cause -	M	-	3	10	9	6	1	-	-	-	1	30
	F	-	1	6	7	4	1	-	-	-	1	20
P50 To brain or spinal cord	M	-	2	8	9	5	1	-	-	-	1	26
	F	-	1	4	5	3	1	-	-	-	1	15
P51 Other or unspecified birth injury	M	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	3
	F	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
P52 Termination of pregnancy without mention of cause	M	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
	F	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
P53-P56 Hemolytic disease of newborn -	M	-	-	4	8	9	4	-	-	-	1	26
	F	-	-	1	7	7	9	1	-	-	-	25
P53 With Rh incompatibility	M	-	-	1	2	6	4	-	-	-	1	14
	F	-	-	-	4	7	-	-	-	-	-	16
P55 With other or unspecified blood incompatibility	M	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
	F	-	-	3	5	3	-	-	-	-	-	11
P56 Without mention of cause	M	-	-	2	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	9
	F	-	-	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	4
P57-P60 Anoxic and hypoxic conditions not elsewhere classified -	M	-	28	74	72	30	10	2	-	-	7	223
	F	-	23	57	60	30	7	1	-	-	5	183
P57 Hyaline membrane disease and respiratory distress syndrome	M	-	13	39	29	7	4	2	-	-	1	95
	F	-	10	21	17	11	1	-	-	-	2	67
P58 Intra-uterine anoxia	M	-	7	17	23	15	3	-	-	-	2	66
	F	-	5	9	8	3	-	-	-	-	2	25
P59 Asphyxia of newborn, unspecified	M	-	3	9	14	5	3	-	-	-	-	26
	F	-	-	13	7	7	1	-	-	-	2	36
P60 Other anoxic and hypoxic conditions not elsewhere classified	M	-	31	50	70	31	9	3	-	-	5	199
	F	1	16	32	40	40	14	-	-	-	2	145
P61-P68 Other conditions of foetus and newborn -	M	-	13	12	23	12	3	-	-	-	2	65
	F	-	2	11	7	7	6	-	-	-	-	33
P61 Immaturity, unqualified	M	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	3
	F	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2
P62 Foetal blood loss before birth	M	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
	F	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P63 Post-maturity	M	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
	F	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
P64 Haemorrhagic disease of newborn	M	-	2	3	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
	F	1	-	2	2	-	1	-	-	-	1	14
P66 Other conditions of foetus	M	-	1	4	2	3	1	-	-	-	-	5
	F	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	11
P67 Maceration	M	-	-	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	1	4
	F	-	2	1	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	12
P68 Other foetal death of unknown cause	M	-	15	23	32	14	3	3	-	-	2	92
	F	-	12	18	30	28	5	-	-	-	1	94
P69-P80 Congenital anomalies -	M	-	38	123	154	82	21	7	-	-	8	433
	F	-	38	104	114	58	25	3	-	-	6	348
P69 Anencephalus	M	-	10	20	24	11	5	-	-	-	1	71
	F	-	12	33	29	18	2	-	-	-	1	95
P70 Spina bifida	M	-	4	16	12	5	2	-	-	-	-	39
	F	-	5	8	21	5	2	-	-	-	-	43
P71 Congenital hydrocephalus	M	-	2	12	12	8	3	-	-	-	2	37
	F	-	4	9	8	4	3	-	-	-	-	28
P72 Other congenital anomalies of central nervous system and eye	M	-	-	3	4	3	1	-	-	-	-	11
	F	-	-	9	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	10
P73 Congenital anomalies of circulatory system	M	-	11	26	32	21	3	1	-	-	5	99
	F	-	7	17	17	12	6	1	-	-	2	62

TABLE 7. PERINATAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, AGE OF MOTHER AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978 — *continued*

Cause of death	Sex	Age of mother (years)									Not stated	Total	
		Under 15	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50 and over			
P74	M	—	—	2	6	2	—	1	—	—	—	1	12
	F	—	2	2	3	2	4	—	—	—	—	1	14
P75	M	—	1	3	2	3	—	1	—	—	—	—	10
	F	—	4	15	9	6	1	1	—	—	—	—	36
P76	M	—	2	4	7	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	12
	F	—	1	3	9	5	—	1	—	—	—	—	20
P77	M	—	2	4	7	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	11
	F	—	1	4	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	19
P78	M	—	—	1	—	4	4	2	—	—	—	—	3
	F	—	4	19	33	13	2	—	—	—	—	—	72
P79	M	—	6	13	19	11	7	2	—	—	—	1	58
	F	—	—	2	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	7
P80	M	—	1	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	5
	F	—	5	9	8	5	—	3	—	—	—	—	32
P81-P88	M	—	2	8	5	4	2	—	—	—	—	2	21
	F	—	1	2	4	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	9
P81	M	—	1	1	2	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	7
	F	—	2	5	4	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
P82	M	—	1	4	2	1	—	2	—	—	—	1	18
	F	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8
P84	M	—	2	5	4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
	F	—	1	4	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
P85	M	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2
	F	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
P88	M	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
	F	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
P89-P94	M	—	6	15	19	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	4
	F	—	5	14	17	8	3	—	—	—	—	—	3
P90	M	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	48
	F	—	2	3	3	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	50
P92	M	—	1	2	5	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
	F	—	1	3	12	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	12
P93	M	—	3	6	8	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	14
	F	—	1	9	8	4	2	—	—	—	—	—	24
P94	M	—	1	6	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	F	—	2	3	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
P95-P100	M	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11
	F	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
P98	M	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
	F	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
P99	M	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	F	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
P100	M	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
	F	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
All causes	M	1	230	621	735	396	111	40	—	—	—	42	2,176
	F	4	182	489	595	339	122	23	1	—	—	23	1,778

TABLE 8. PERINATAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, WEIGHT AT BIRTH AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978

NOTE. Categories of the International Classification for which no deaths were recorded in 1978 are omitted from this table.

Cause of death	Sex	Weight at birth (grams)											Total	
		499 or less	500-999	1,000-1,499	1,500-1,999	2,000-2,499	2,500-2,999	3,000-3,499	3,500-3,999	4,000-4,499	4,500-4,999	5,000 or more		Not stated
P1-P4 Chronic circulatory and genito-urinary disease in mother -	M	2	5	3	1	3	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	18
	F	-	2	1	3	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	9
P 2 Chronic hypertension	M	1	3	3	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	10
	F	-	2	1	3	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	9
P 3 Other chronic disease of circulatory system	M	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
	F	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
P 4 Chronic disease of genito-urinary system	M	7	21	15	12	2	7	8	6	2	-	1	1	89
P5-P11 Other maternal conditions unrelated to pregnancy -	F	2	19	6	9	4	11	8	3	1	2	-	1	66
P 5 Syphilis	M	-	2	2	2	1	2	2	3	-	-	-	-	9
	F	-	2	1	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	9
P 6 Diabetes mellitus	M	-	1	2	2	1	-	4	2	2	-	1	-	15
	F	-	1	1	-	1	1	2	-	1	2	-	1	10
P 8 Injury to mother	M	2	3	1	2	3	2	2	1	-	-	-	1	10
	F	1	4	2	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	16
P 9 Operation of mother	M	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
	F	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
P11 Other maternal conditions	M	5	13	9	6	4	3	2	3	-	-	-	1	46
	F	1	12	2	5	2	5	5	3	-	-	-	-	35
F12-P17 Toxaemias of pregnancy -	M	7	33	34	21	18	10	12	4	3	2	2	-	146
	F	4	30	20	14	8	14	12	7	2	2	-	2	111
P12 Renal disease arising during pregnancy	M	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3
	F	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
P13 Pre-eclampsia of pregnancy	M	7	28	31	19	18	9	11	4	3	2	2	-	134
	F	3	24	17	13	8	14	12	7	-	-	-	2	100
P14 Eclampsia of pregnancy	M	-	1	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	4
	F	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
P15 Toxaemia unspecified	M	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
	F	-	4	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
P16 Hyperemesis gravidarum	M	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P18-P20 Maternal ante- and intrapartum infection -	M	3	8	3	2	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	1	21
	F	2	12	4	-	1	2	1	2	-	-	-	-	24
P18 Pyelitis and pyelonephritis of pregnancy	M	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
	F	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
P19 Other infections of genito-urinary tract during pregnancy	M	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3
	F	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
P20 Other	M	3	6	1	2	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	15
	F	1	9	3	-	1	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	17
P21-P23 Difficult labour with abnormality of bones, organs or tissues of pelvis -	M	2	4	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	9
	F	1	3	-	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	6
P21 With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
P23 Without mention of birth injury	M	2	4	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	6
	F	1	3	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	6
F24-P26 Difficult labour with disproportion -	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	1	-	4
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
P24 With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
P25 With other or unspecified birth injury	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
P26 Without mention of birth injury	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	3

TABLE 8. PERINATAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, WEIGHT AT BIRTH AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978 - continued

Cause of death	Sex	Weight at birth (grams)											Total		
		499 or less	500-999	1,000-1,499	1,500-1,999	2,000-2,499	2,500-2,999	3,000-3,499	3,500-3,999	4,000-4,499	4,500-4,999	5,000 or more		Not stated	
P27-P29 Difficult labour with malposition of foetus -	M	2	5	6	4	1	4	8	5	1	2	-	-	1	39
P27 With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	F	-	5	-	1	5	5	5	2	-	-	-	-	1	24
P29 Without mention of birth injury	F	-	-	3	1	-	-	4	1	1	-	-	-	-	10
P29	M	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P30-P32 Difficult labour with abnormality of forces of labour -	M	2	5	3	3	1	4	4	4	-	2	-	-	1	29
P30 With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	F	-	5	-	1	5	5	4	2	-	-	-	-	1	23
P30	M	-	-	1	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
P32 Without mention of birth injury	F	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
P32	M	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
P32	F	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
P33-P35 Difficult labour with other and unspecified complications -	M	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P33 With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	F	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
P33	M	-	2	1	1	-	1	1	3	4	1	-	1	1	12
P34 With other or unspecified birth injury	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	-	-	-	-	12
P35 Without mention of birth injury	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
P35	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
P36-P41 Other complications of pregnancy and child-birth -	M	-	2	1	1	-	-	1	2	4	1	-	1	-	11
P36 Incompetent cervix	F	62	163	54	26	15	10	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	10
P36	M	68	136	33	25	17	5	3	2	-	3	-	5	342	
P37 Premature rupture of membranes	F	24	54	7	2	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	8	
P37	M	22	51	6	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	
P37	F	10	43	17	9	3	3	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	
P38 Hydramnios	M	16	31	13	9	5	1	1	-	-	2	-	-	88	
P38	F	2	3	1	6	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	80	
P38	M	1	3	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	17	
P40 Multiple pregnancy	F	23	40	17	7	4	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	12	
P40	M	27	33	10	8	4	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	
P41 Other complications of pregnancy or child-birth	F	3	23	12	2	6	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	
P41	M	2	18	4	4	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	
P41	F	37	116	48	54	41	28	28	12	4	-	2	-	36	
P42 Placenta praevia	M	38	95	42	33	32	34	21	11	3	-	2	7	377	
P42	F	7	16	11	3	2	3	4	-	-	-	-	6	315	
P42	M	4	9	7	1	3	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	46	
P43 Premature separation of placenta	F	22	74	25	30	16	9	8	5	1	-	-	-	1	
P43	M	24	69	19	14	8	4	11	1	-	-	-	-	29	
P44 Placental infarction	F	2	8	4	5	3	4	2	1	-	-	-	-	4	
P44	M	2	8	4	3	3	4	2	1	-	-	-	-	1	
P45 Other conditions of placenta	F	3	1	2	4	2	5	1	2	-	-	-	-	1	
P45	M	2	4	1	2	4	2	5	1	-	-	-	-	23	
P46 Placental insufficiency, unspecified	F	2	1	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21
P46	M	4	14	7	14	16	10	9	5	3	-	-	-	10	
P47-P49 Conditions of umbilical cord -	F	5	15	8	15	17	21	9	6	3	-	2	2	86	
P47 Compression of cord	M	1	16	9	8	13	18	23	21	8	-	-	3	102	
P47	F	2	17	7	10	10	25	28	10	4	-	1	2	118	
P47	M	-	3	-	-	1	2	3	1	3	-	-	-	116	
P48 Prolapse of cord	F	-	1	1	-	4	2	2	1	-	-	-	-	13	
P48	M	-	9	3	2	1	-	3	5	-	-	-	-	12	
P49 Other	F	-	8	-	1	-	3	5	-	-	-	-	-	1	
P49	M	1	4	6	6	11	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	24	
P49	F	2	8	6	10	9	19	22	8	3	-	1	1	81	
	F	2	8	6	10	9	19	22	8	3	-	1	1	89	

TABLE 8. PERINATAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, WEIGHT AT BIRTH AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978 - continued

Cause of death	Sex	Weight at birth (grams)											Total	
		499 or less	500-999	1,000-1,499	1,500-1,999	2,000-2,499	2,500-2,999	3,000-3,499	3,500-3,999	4,000-4,499	4,500-4,999	5,000 or more		Not stated
P50-P52 Birth injury without mention of cause -	M	-	12	7	1	-	4	2	1	-	-	-	2	30
	F	-	9	4	2	3	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	20
P50 To brain or spinal cord	M	-	10	6	1	-	4	2	1	-	-	-	1	26
	F	-	6	4	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	15
P51 Other or unspecified birth injury	M	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
	F	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	3
P52 Termination of pregnancy without mention of cause	M	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
P53-P56 Haemolytic disease of newborn -	M	2	5	3	1	6	3	4	1	1	-	-	-	26
	F	-	4	2	3	4	4	5	1	-	-	-	2	25
P53 With Rh incompatibility	M	1	2	3	1	4	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	14
	F	-	4	2	2	4	2	-	1	-	-	-	1	16
P55 With other or unspecified blood incompatibility	M	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
	F	1	3	-	-	2	1	3	-	1	-	-	-	11
P56 Without mention of cause	M	-	-	-	-	-	2	5	-	-	-	-	-	9
	F	-	-	-	1	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	1
P57-P60 Anoxic and hypoxic conditions not elsewhere classified -	M	7	41	43	24	24	34	23	11	6	-	-	10	223
	F	4	43	28	19	18	28	19	16	4	1	-	3	183
P57 Hyaline membrane disease and respiratory distress syndrome	M	2	19	28	14	12	10	3	-	1	-	-	-	95
	F	1	22	15	10	8	11	7	1	-	-	-	1	63
P58 Intra-uterine anoxia	M	3	10	9	7	8	11	11	2	4	-	-	2	67
	F	2	10	9	7	9	12	9	5	2	1	-	-	66
P59 Asphyxia of newborn, unspecified	M	1	7	4	3	1	5	2	1	1	-	-	-	25
	F	1	8	3	1	2	3	4	4	-	-	-	-	26
P60 Other anoxic and hypoxic conditions not elsewhere classified	M	1	5	2	-	3	8	7	8	-	-	-	-	36
	F	-	3	1	1	2	6	5	6	2	-	-	2	28
P61-P68 Other conditions of foetus and newborn -	M	18	76	35	19	10	8	10	6	2	-	-	12	199
	F	12	37	18	18	10	14	16	3	5	-	-	6	145
P61 Immaturity, unqualified	M	12	36	11	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	65
	F	4	24	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33
P62 Foetal blood loss before birth	M	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	3
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P63 Post-maturity	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	2
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P64 Haemorrhagic disease of newborn	M	-	3	5	-	-	1	2	1	1	-	-	-	14
	F	-	-	-	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	5
P66 Other conditions of foetus	M	-	1	2	1	2	2	-	2	1	-	-	-	11
	F	-	1	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
P67 Maceration	M	1	2	2	2	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	12
	F	1	-	3	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	7
P68 Other foetal death of unknown cause	M	8	34	15	13	6	4	5	1	-	-	-	6	92
	F	13	12	9	14	8	14	14	3	4	-	-	3	94
P69-P80 Congenital anomalies -	M	12	27	45	67	69	61	75	51	7	2	2	15	433
	F	7	44	43	55	54	59	46	21	7	-	-	11	348
P69 Anencephalus	M	6	12	16	12	11	6	3	2	-	-	-	3	71
	F	1	23	20	20	10	6	6	5	-	-	-	4	95
P70 Spina bifida	M	-	1	4	3	3	6	9	10	1	1	-	1	39
	F	-	3	2	2	2	13	11	7	2	-	-	1	43
P71 Congenital hydrocephalus	M	-	2	5	5	8	4	7	3	2	-	1	-	37
	F	-	4	4	4	5	5	4	-	2	-	-	-	28
P72 Other congenital anomalies of central nervous system and eye	M	1	-	1	-	1	2	1	2	1	-	-	1	11
	F	3	1	-	-	1	3	-	1	-	-	-	1	10
P73 Congenital anomalies of circulatory system	M	-	-	5	5	10	13	33	25	2	1	1	4	99
	F	-	2	3	4	10	15	18	5	3	-	1	1	62

TABLE 8. PERINATAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, WEIGHT AT BIRTH AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978 - *continued*

Cause of death	Sex	Weight at birth (grams)											Not stated	Total		
		499 or less	500-999	1,000-1,499	1,500-1,999	2,000-2,499	2,500-2,999	3,000-3,499	3,500-3,999	4,000-4,499	4,500-4,999	5,000 or more				
P74	Congenital anomalies of respiratory system	M	-	2	2	1	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	12
		F	-	3	-	4	1	2	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	14
P75	Congenital anomalies of digestive system	M	1	-	-	2	2	1	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	10
		F	-	-	2	3	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
P76	Congenital anomalies of genito-urinary system	M	-	-	1	15	8	7	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	36
		F	-	-	1	2	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
P77	Congenital anomalies of musculoskeletal system	M	-	-	1	3	2	2	8	4	-	-	-	-	-	20
		F	1	1	1	2	1	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	11
P78	Down's disease	M	1	2	-	2	4	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19
		F	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	3
P79	Other congenital syndromes affecting multiple systems	M	2	7	10	16	16	9	5	2	-	-	-	-	-	72
		F	1	6	9	11	18	7	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	58
P80	Other and unspecified congenital anomalies	M	1	1	-	2	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
		F	1	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
P81-P88	Infections of foetus and newborn -	M	-	5	5	5	5	5	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	32
		F	-	4	4	3	3	5	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	21
P81	Diarrhoeal disease	M	-	4	3	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	9
		F	-	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
P82	Listeriosis	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P84	Septicaemia	M	-	1	2	4	3	4	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	18
		F	-	-	2	2	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8
P85	Viral diseases	M	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
P86	Congenital syphilis	M	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
		F	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
P88	Other infective and parasitic diseases	M	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
		F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
P89-P94	Other diseases of foetus and newborn -	M	-	2	3	3	3	9	8	7	3	-	-	-	-	48
		F	-	3	4	3	6	12	13	2	1	-	-	-	-	50
P90	Cystic fibrosis (mucoviscidosis)	M	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P92	Pneumonia	M	-	-	1	-	-	1	4	2	1	-	-	-	-	3
		F	-	-	3	1	3	2	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	14
P93	Other specified conditions	M	-	2	2	3	3	5	2	3	1	-	-	-	-	24
		F	-	3	1	2	2	6	8	3	1	-	-	-	-	24
P94	Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	M	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	2	1	-	-	-	-	4
		F	-	-	-	-	1	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	11
P95-P100	External causes of injury to newborn -	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
		F	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
P98	Inhalation and ingestion of food causing obstruction or suffocation	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
		F	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P99	Accidental mechanical suffocation	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P100	Other external causes	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
		F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
	All causes	M	165	539	314	253	220	205	210	139	43	10	8	70	2,176	
		F	146	466	218	200	176	221	184	83	26	4	3	51	1,778	

TABLE 9. PERINATAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, PERIOD OF GESTATION AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978  
 NOTE. Categories of the International Classification for which no deaths were recorded in 1978 are omitted from this table.

Cause of death	Sex	Period of gestation (weeks)										Total
		15-19	20-23	24-27	28-30	31-33	34-36	37-39	40-42	43 and over	Not stated	
P1-P4 Chronic circulatory and genito-urinary disease in mother -	M	-	2	4	4	2	2	4	-	-	-	18
P 2 Chronic hypertension	F	-	-	-	-	3	2	3	1	-	-	9
	M	-	1	1	4	1	1	2	-	-	10	
	F	-	-	-	-	3	2	3	1	-	9	
P 3 Other chronic disease of circulatory system	M	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
P 4 Chronic disease of genito-urinary system	M	-	1	2	-	1	1	2	-	-	7	
P5-P11 Other maternal conditions unrelated to pregnancy -	M	-	18	10	9	10	26	7	7	-	89	
P 5 Syphilis	F	-	5	14	5	7	12	12	9	-	66	
	M	-	2	-	-	-	5	-	1	-	9	
	F	-	2	-	1	-	2	2	1	-	9	
P 6 Diabetes mellitus	M	-	-	-	2	3	6	2	2	-	15	
	F	-	1	-	-	1	5	1	1	-	10	
P 8 Injury to mother	F	-	3	2	1	1	6	1	1	-	16	
	M	-	-	4	2	2	-	2	-	-	10	
P 9 Operation of mother	M	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	
P11 Other maternal conditions	M	-	11	8	6	5	9	4	3	-	46	
	F	-	2	10	2	3	5	6	7	-	35	
P12-P17 Toxaemias of pregnancy -	M	-	4	22	19	38	22	23	17	-	146	
	F	-	3	20	15	20	15	24	14	-	111	
P12 Renal disease arising during pregnancy	M	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	
	F	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	
P13 Pre-eclampsia of pregnancy	M	-	4	18	16	37	20	21	17	-	134	
	F	-	3	15	13	17	14	24	14	-	100	
P14 Eclampsia of pregnancy	M	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	-	-	4	
	F	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	4	
P15 Toxaemia unspecified	M	-	-	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	4	
	F	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	4	
P16 Hyperemesis gravidarum	M	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	5	
P18-P20 Maternal ante- and intrapartum infection -	M	-	8	5	2	2	1	2	1	-	21	
	F	-	3	11	3	1	2	1	3	-	24	
P18 Pyelitis and pyelonephritis of pregnancy	M	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	3	
	F	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	3	
P19 Other infections of genito-urinary tract during pregnancy	M	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	3	
	F	-	-	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	4	
P20 Other	M	-	6	4	-	1	1	2	1	-	15	
	F	-	3	7	3	-	1	-	1	-	17	
P21-P23 Difficult labour with abnormality of bones, organs or tissues of pelvis -	M	-	1	2	1	-	-	-	3	-	9	
P21 With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	6	
P23 Without mention of birth injury	M	-	1	5	-	-	-	2	-	-	7	
	F	-	1	2	1	-	-	1	-	-	6	
P24-P26 Difficult labour with disproportion -	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	4	
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	
P24 With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	
P25 With other or unspecified birth injury	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
P26 Without mention of birth injury	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	3	

TABLE 9. PERINATAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, PERIOD OF GESTATION AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978 - continued

Cause of death	Sex	Period of gestation (weeks)										43 and over	Not stated	Total		
		15-19	20-23	24-27	28-30	31-33	34-36	37-39	40-42							
P27-P29	M	-	1	8	3	2	4	3	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	F	-	-	4	2	-	4	4	10	-	-	-	-	1	39	
P27	M	-	-	4	2	-	4	4	10	-	-	-	-	-	24	
	F	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	1	10	
P29	M	-	1	7	1	-	4	3	11	-	-	-	-	1	1	
	F	-	-	4	2	-	4	3	11	-	-	-	-	-	29	
P30-P32	M	-	-	-	-	3	-	4	9	-	-	-	-	-	23	
	F	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	2	7		
P30	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2		
	F	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	3		
P32	M	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1		
	F	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4		
P33-P35	M	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1		
	F	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	7	1	-	-	-	12		
P33	M	-	-	4	-	-	-	2	3	3	-	-	-	12		
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1		
P34	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1		
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1		
P35	M	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	6	1	-	-	-	11		
	F	-	-	4	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	10		
P36-P41	M	-	91	137	52	21	17	13	7	2	-	-	-	342		
	F	-	101	104	35	24	16	11	5	-	-	2	-	298		
P36	M	-	38	43	5	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	90		
	F	-	40	31	10	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	84		
P37	M	-	22	34	16	8	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	88		
	F	-	24	28	10	9	6	3	-	-	-	-	-	80		
P38	M	-	2	2	4	1	2	4	2	1	-	-	-	17		
	F	-	3	1	1	1	4	1	4	1	-	-	-	12		
P40	M	-	20	36	17	6	7	4	4	1	-	-	-	95		
	F	-	27	28	10	11	4	3	2	1	-	1	-	86		
P41	M	-	9	22	10	2	3	4	1	1	-	-	-	52		
	F	-	7	16	4	2	4	1	2	-	-	-	-	36		
P42-P46	M	1	52	81	53	39	52	53	42	1	3	-	-	377		
	F	-	49	70	32	24	47	49	37	5	2	-	-	446		
P42	M	-	9	14	11	2	7	3	1	-	-	-	-	315		
	F	-	4	11	5	1	3	4	1	-	-	-	-	29		
P43	M	-	36	61	28	25	22	10	11	-	1	-	-	194		
	F	-	40	46	17	14	15	14	5	-	-	-	-	151		
P44	M	-	4	1	5	4	7	8	4	-	1	-	-	30		
	F	-	2	1	2	1	6	7	4	-	-	-	-	23		
P45	M	-	4	1	1	1	6	7	4	-	-	-	-	21		
	F	-	2	3	1	2	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	10		
P46	M	1	3	4	8	7	12	26	23	1	1	-	-	86		
	F	-	3	9	7	6	23	24	23	5	2	-	-	102		
P47-P49	M	-	2	11	9	4	14	32	45	1	1	-	-	118		
	F	-	3	10	10	4	19	25	43	1	1	-	-	116		
P47	M	-	1	-	1	-	1	2	8	-	-	-	-	13		
	F	-	-	-	2	-	2	3	5	-	-	-	-	12		
P48	M	-	1	8	4	1	2	2	6	-	-	-	-	24		
	F	-	3	5	-	4	3	2	2	-	-	-	-	15		
P49	M	-	-	3	4	3	11	28	31	1	-	-	-	81		
	F	-	-	5	8	4	14	20	36	1	1	-	-	89		

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Cause of death	Sex	Period of gestation (weeks)										Total
		15-19	20-23	24-27	28-30	31-33	34-36	37-39	40-42	43 and over	Not stated	
P50-P52 Birth injury without mention of cause -	M	-	3	7	8	1	1	3	4	1	2	30
	F	-	-	7	5	2	3	2	1	-	-	20
P50 To brain or spinal cord	M	-	1	7	7	1	1	3	4	1	-	26
	F	-	-	4	5	2	2	2	-	-	-	15
P51 Other or unspecified birth injury	M	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3
	F	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P52 Termination of pregnancy without mention of cause	M	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	3
	F	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
P53-P56 Haemolytic disease of newborn -	M	-	2	6	4	8	2	3	1	-	-	26
	F	-	-	6	2	3	9	5	-	-	-	25
P53 With Rh incompatibility	M	-	-	4	3	3	1	2	1	-	-	14
	F	-	-	6	2	1	5	2	-	-	-	16
P55 With other or unspecified blood incompatibility	M	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
	F	-	2	2	1	4	1	-	-	-	-	11
P56 Without mention of cause	M	-	-	-	-	2	4	3	-	-	-	9
	F	-	-	-	-	2	4	3	-	-	-	9
P57-P60 Anoxic and hypoxic conditions not elsewhere classified -	M	1	9	35	38	25	35	32	37	1	10	223
	F	-	7	30	28	20	23	28	42	2	3	183
P57 Hyaline membrane disease and respiratory distress syndrome	M	-	3	19	30	12	14	10	2	-	5	95
	F	-	3	16	18	7	10	5	4	-	-	63
P58 Intra-uterine anoxia	M	1	2	4	7	9	13	16	12	1	2	67
	F	-	2	4	7	10	8	13	20	1	-	66
P59 Asphyxia of newborn, unspecified	M	-	3	4	7	10	8	13	20	1	2	25
	F	-	2	8	1	3	1	7	-	-	-	25
P60 Other anoxic and hypoxic conditions not elsewhere classified	M	-	1	7	2	3	2	1	6	1	3	26
	F	-	2	4	3	1	7	5	16	-	1	36
P61-P68 Other conditions of foetus and newborn -	M	-	28	68	29	16	3	9	12	-	-	28
	F	-	15	30	22	9	18	18	12	3	7	199
P61 Immaturity, unqualified	M	-	18	34	8	2	19	25	18	-	7	145
	F	-	10	16	6	-	-	1	-	-	2	65
P62 Foetal blood loss before birth	M	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	1	33
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
P63 Post-maturity	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
P64 Haemorrhagic disease of newborn	M	-	1	2	5	-	-	4	1	-	1	14
	F	-	-	-	1	1	1	2	-	-	-	5
P66 Other conditions of foetus	M	-	1	1	3	-	2	2	3	-	-	11
	F	-	-	1	3	1	-	2	3	-	1	4
P67 Maceration	M	-	-	1	2	1	2	3	2	-	-	12
	F	-	-	1	2	1	-	3	2	-	2	7
P68 Other foetal death of unknown cause	M	-	8	30	13	10	14	7	5	1	4	92
	F	-	5	13	10	7	18	22	16	-	3	94
P69-P80 Congenital anomalies -	M	-	10	18	21	44	94	108	122	5	11	433
	F	-	2	19	21	52	74	61	110	5	4	348
P69 Anencephalus	M	-	4	5	8	13	15	13	11	2	-	71
	F	-	-	2	11	29	19	13	17	4	-	95
P70 Spina bifida	M	-	-	1	3	3	3	12	16	1	-	39
	F	-	-	3	1	1	3	8	26	1	-	43
P71 Congenital hydrocephalus	M	-	1	1	2	5	8	6	5	-	-	28
	F	-	-	1	1	-	3	14	7	11	-	37
P72 Other congenital anomalies of central nervous system and eye	M	-	1	1	1	-	1	4	3	-	-	11
	F	-	-	3	1	-	1	1	3	-	-	10
P73 Congenital anomalies of circulatory system	M	-	-	1	3	3	12	30	45	1	4	99
	F	-	-	-	1	1	11	12	35	-	2	62

TABLE 9. PERINATAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, PERIOD OF GESTATION AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978 - *continued*

Cause of death	Sex	Period of gestation (weeks)								43 and over	Not stated	Total
		15-19	20-23	24-27	28-30	31-33	34-36	37-39	40-42			
P74 Congenital anomalies of respiratory system	M	-	-	1	2	1	6	-	-	1	1	12
	F	1	-	-	-	2	5	1	4	-	-	14
P75 Congenital anomalies of digestive system	M	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	6	-	-	10
	F	-	-	-	-	1	3	3	-	-	-	7
P76 Congenital anomalies of genito-urinary system	M	-	-	-	-	6	15	9	5	-	1	36
	F	-	-	-	2	5	4	1	-	-	-	12
P77 Congenital anomalies of musculoskeletal system	F	-	-	-	1	1	5	6	6	-	1	20
	M	-	2	-	1	1	1	3	5	-	-	11
P78 Down's disease	F	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	8	-	1	19
	M	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	3
P79 Other congenital syndromes affecting multiple systems	F	-	2	7	2	12	18	18	11	-	2	72
	M	-	1	6	4	9	15	9	13	-	1	58
P80 Other and unspecified congenital anomalies	M	-	-	1	-	2	1	2	-	-	1	7
	F	-	-	1	-	1	2	-	1	-	-	5
P81-P88 Infections of foetus and newborn -	M	-	-	2	8	4	8	6	4	-	-	32
	F	-	-	4	3	2	6	3	2	-	1	21
P81 Diarrhoeal disease	M	-	-	1	5	1	2	-	-	-	-	9
	F	-	-	2	3	-	1	1	-	-	-	7
P82 Listeriosis	F	-	-	1	2	3	4	5	3	-	-	18
P84 Septicaemia	M	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
	F	-	-	1	2	3	4	5	3	-	-	18
P85 Viral diseases	M	-	-	1	-	1	3	2	1	-	-	8
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	2
P86 Congenital syphilis	M	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
	F	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2
P88 Other infective and parasitic diseases	F	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	3
P89-P94 Other diseases of foetus and newborn -	M	-	-	1	1	5	5	10	14	1	11	48
	F	-	1	1	5	-	13	10	15	-	5	50
P90 Cystic fibrosis (mucoviscidosis)	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
P92 Pneumonia	M	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	5	1	3	12
	F	-	-	-	3	-	6	2	3	-	-	14
P93 Other specified conditions	M	-	-	1	4	4	4	5	7	-	2	24
	F	-	1	1	2	-	5	6	7	-	2	24
P94 Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	M	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	2	-	6	12
	F	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	4	-	3	11
P95-P100 External causes of injury to newborn -	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3
	F	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2
P98 Inhalation and ingestion of food causing obstruction or suffocation	F	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P99 Accidental mechanical suffocation	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
P100 Other external causes	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
All causes	M	2	231	420	260	225	301	321	345	16	55	2,176
	F	-	190	337	191	171	266	267	316	13	27	1,778

TABLE 10. NEONATAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, AGE AT DEATH AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978

NOTE. Categories of the International Classification for which two deaths were recorded in 1978 are omitted from this table.

Cause of death	Sex	Age at death														Total under 28 days (b)				
		Hours							Days						Weeks					
		0	1	2	3-5	6-11	12-23	Not known (a)	Total under 1 day	1	2	3	4	5	6		Total under 1 week	1	2	3
P1-P4 Chronic circulatory and genito-urinary disease in mother -	M	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	3	-	-	-	3
P 4 Chronic disease of genito-urinary system	M	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	3	-	-	-	3
P5-P11 Other maternal conditions unrelated to pregnancy -	F	7	2	2	3	3	5	-	22	4	1	-	-	1	-	27	2	-	-	29
P 6 Diabetes mellitus	M	4	2	3	-	-	3	-	12	2	-	-	2	1	-	17	-	-	-	17
P 6 Diabetes mellitus	F	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	4
P 8 Injury to mother	M	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	4
P 8 Injury to mother	F	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	3
P 9 Operation of mother	M	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	1
P11 Other maternal conditions	M	6	-	1	2	3	4	-	16	3	1	-	-	-	-	20	-	-	-	20
P11 Other maternal conditions	F	4	1	2	-	-	2	-	9	1	-	1	1	-	12	-	-	-	-	12
P12-P17 Toxaemias of pregnancy -	M	5	2	2	1	2	6	-	18	5	1	2	-	3	1	30	5	-	-	35
P12 Renal disease arising during pregnancy	M	1	2	-	4	3	5	-	15	8	-	1	1	2	-	27	-	-	-	27
P13 Pre-eclampsia of pregnancy	F	5	1	-	1	2	6	-	15	4	1	2	-	2	-	24	5	-	-	29
P13 Pre-eclampsia of pregnancy	M	1	2	-	4	2	5	-	14	6	-	1	2	-	23	-	-	-	-	23
P14 Eclampsia of pregnancy	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	2	-	-	-	2
P14 Eclampsia of pregnancy	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
P15 Toxaemia unspecified	M	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	2
P15 Toxaemia unspecified	F	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2
P16 Hyperemesis gravidarum	M	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
P18-P20 Maternal ante- and intrapartum infection -	M	3	2	2	1	1	2	-	11	1	-	1	-	-	13	-	-	-	-	13
P18-P20 Maternal ante- and intrapartum infection -	F	3	1	1	2	-	2	-	9	1	1	1	-	1	13	1	-	-	-	14
P18 Pyelitis and pyelonephritis of pregnancy	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
P19 Other infections of genito-urinary tract during pregnancy	M	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	3
P20 Other	M	3	2	-	1	1	1	-	8	-	-	1	-	-	9	-	-	-	-	9
P20 Other	F	3	1	1	2	-	2	-	9	1	1	1	-	1	13	1	-	-	-	14
P21-P23 Difficult labour with abnormality of bones, organs or tissues of pelvis -	M	2	1	-	1	1	1	-	6	-	1	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	7
P21-P23 Difficult labour with abnormality of bones, organs or tissues of pelvis -	F	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	3
P21 With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	M	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
P23 Without mention of birth injury	F	2	1	-	1	1	-	-	5	-	1	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	6
P24-P26 Difficult labour with disproportion -	M	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	3
P24-P26 Difficult labour with disproportion -	F	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
P25 With other or unspecified birth injury	M	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
P25 With other or unspecified birth injury	F	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1

(a) Under 1 day but number of hours not known. (b) Includes under 1 month but number of days not known.

TABLE 10. NEONATAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, AGE AT DEATH AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978 - continued

Cause of death	Sex	Hours								Age at death							Total under 1 week	Weeks			Total under 28 days (b)
		0	1	2	3-5	6-11	12-23	Not known (a)	Total under 1 day	Days						1		2	3		
										1	2	3	4	5	6						
P27-P29 Difficult labour with malposition of foetus -	M	5	2	1	2	3	1	-	14	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	19	3	-	-	22
	F	5	1	-	2	1	1	-	10	3	1	-	-	-	-	14	-	-	-	14	
P27 With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	M	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	4	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	6	2	-	-	8
	F	4	-	1	1	3	1	-	10	2	1	-	-	-	-	13	1	-	-	14	
P29 Without mention of birth injury	M	5	1	-	2	1	1	-	10	3	1	-	-	-	-	14	-	-	-	14	
	F	1	-	-	1	1	1	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	5	
P30-P32 Difficult labour with abnormality of forces of labour -	M	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	2	
	F	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	3	
P30 With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	M	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	3	
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	
P32 Without mention of birth injury	M	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2	
	F	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	
P33-P35 Difficult labour with other and unspecified complications -	M	-	-	-	2	1	2	-	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	6	
	F	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	5	
P33 With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	M	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	
	F	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	
P34 With other or unspecified birth injury	M	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	
	F	-	-	-	2	-	2	-	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	5	
P35 Without mention of birth injury	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3	
	F	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3	
P36-P41 Other complications of pregnancy and child-birth -	M	48	32	14	23	17	14	-	148	10	2	6	6	3	-	175	3	3	1	182	
	F	40	24	12	18	20	7	1	122	13	7	2	4	3	1	152	2	1	1	156	
P36 Incompetent cervix	M	14	8	7	5	2	3	-	39	2	-	1	1	-	-	43	-	-	-	43	
	F	14	9	3	4	5	2	1	38	2	2	1	-	-	1	44	1	-	-	45	
P37 Premature rupture of membranes	M	14	12	2	6	3	3	-	35	3	-	3	-	-	47	1	1	1	50		
	F	12	8	4	7	3	1	-	35	3	3	-	2	-	43	-	-	-	43		
P38 Hydramnios	M	3	-	-	-	1	2	-	6	-	-	1	-	-	7	-	-	-	7		
	F	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	1	-	4		
P40 Multiple pregnancy	M	13	8	4	9	6	3	-	43	2	1	1	3	2	-	52	1	1	-	54	
	F	13	7	1	3	8	2	-	34	6	2	1	4	1	-	48	1	-	1	50	
P41 Other complications of pregnancy or child-birth	M	4	4	1	3	5	3	-	20	3	1	-	2	-	26	1	1	-	28		
	F	1	-	4	3	3	1	-	12	2	-	-	-	-	14	-	-	-	14		
P42-P46 Conditions of placenta -	M	29	13	12	7	13	8	-	82	9	5	-	-	-	96	2	3	1	102		
	F	16	11	6	4	8	7	-	52	4	2	1	1	1	61	2	1	-	64		
P42 Placenta praevia	M	4	1	2	1	6	1	-	15	3	3	-	-	-	21	1	2	-	24		
	F	2	-	-	1	-	3	-	6	1	1	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	9		
P43 Premature separation of placenta	M	20	11	9	5	6	4	-	55	6	2	-	-	-	63	1	1	-	65		
	F	14	9	5	3	8	2	-	41	3	-	-	1	-	45	2	1	-	48		
P44 Placental infarction	M	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2		
	F	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3		
P45 Other conditions of placenta	M	3	1	-	1	1	3	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	9		
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	3	-	-	1	10		
P46 Placental insufficiency, unspecified	M	5	1	2	1	-	1	-	10	1	-	-	-	-	12	1	1	-	14		
	F	5	-	-	2	3	-	-	10	-	-	1	-	-	11	-	-	-	11		
P47-P49 Conditions of umbilical cord -	M	3	-	1	-	-	1	-	5	1	-	-	-	-	7	1	1	-	9		
	F	1	-	-	-	1	2	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	4		
P48 Prolapse of cord	M	2	1	1	1	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	5		
	F	4	-	-	1	1	-	-	6	-	-	1	-	-	7	-	-	-	7		

(a) Under 1 day but number of hours not known. (b) Includes under 1 month but number of days not known.

TABLE 10. NEONATAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, AGE AT DEATH AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978 - continued

Cause of death	Sex	Age at death														Total under 1 week	Weeks			Total under 28 days (b)
		Hours							Days								1	2	3	
		0	1	2	3-5	6-11	12-23	Not known (a)	Total under 1 day	1	2	3	4	5	6					
P50-P52 Birth injury without mention of cause -	M	1	2	-	-	7	3	-	13	5	4	1	1	1	-	25	-	1	-	26
	F	-	1	-	1	1	5	-	8	3	2	2	-	1	-	16	-	-	1	17
P50 To brain or spinal cord	M	1	-	-	-	7	3	-	11	5	4	1	1	1	-	23	-	1	-	24
	F	-	1	-	1	-	5	-	7	3	2	2	-	-	-	14	-	-	1	15
P51 Other or unspecified birth injury	M	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
	F	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	2
P53-P56 Haemolytic disease of newborn -	M	5	-	-	1	1	1	-	9	2	1	-	-	-	-	12	-	-	-	12
	F	3	1	1	1	1	-	-	7	3	-	-	-	-	-	10	1	-	-	11
P53 With Rh incompatibility	M	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	5
	F	3	-	1	1	1	-	-	6	3	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	9
P55 With other or unspecified blood incompatibility	M	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
	F	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	6
P56 Without mention of cause	M	3	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
	F	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	2
P57-P60 Anoxic and hypoxic conditions not elsewhere classified -	M	13	5	2	15	13	30	3	81	35	9	4	2	2	-	133	8	1	2	144
	F	13	3	3	10	14	17	-	60	22	9	4	-	5	-	100	4	1	-	105
P57 Hyaline membrane disease and respiratory distress syndrome	M	5	2	-	11	10	20	-	48	29	5	3	2	1	-	88	5	1	1	95
	F	4	-	2	6	13	11	-	36	15	4	4	-	-	-	59	2	1	-	62
P58 Intra-uterine anoxia	M	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3
	F	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3
P59 Asphyxia of newborn, unspecified	M	3	3	2	3	2	2	2	17	3	1	1	-	-	-	23	1	-	1	25
	F	7	3	-	2	1	1	-	14	3	3	-	-	1	-	25	1	-	-	26
P60 Other anoxic and hypoxic conditions not elsewhere classified	M	2	-	-	1	1	8	1	13	3	3	-	-	-	-	19	2	-	-	21
	F	2	-	1	1	-	4	-	8	4	1	-	-	-	-	13	1	-	-	14
P61-P68 Other conditions of foetus and newborn -	M	22	13	8	8	9	6	-	66	6	4	2	1	1	-	80	3	-	1	84
	F	8	7	4	1	4	5	-	29	2	3	2	-	1	-	37	1	1	-	39
P61 Immaturity, unqualified	M	20	11	6	7	8	3	-	55	3	1	1	1	-	-	61	1	-	-	62
	F	6	6	3	1	3	5	-	24	1	1	1	-	1	-	28	1	1	-	30
P62 Foetal blood loss before birth	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
P64 Haemorrhagic disease of newborn	M	1	1	1	-	1	2	-	6	2	3	1	-	-	-	12	1	-	1	14
	F	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	5
P66 Other conditions of foetus	M	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	4	1	-	-	-	1	-	6	1	-	-	7
	F	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3
P69-P80 Congenital anomalies -	M	47	42	12	15	19	27	-	162	25	18	13	9	8	3	238	32	17	19	306
	F	37	16	7	12	12	11	1	96	24	14	12	8	6	6	166	28	10	7	211
P69 Anencephalus	M	5	3	2	1	-	2	-	13	2	-	-	-	2	-	17	-	-	-	17
	F	10	5	1	2	2	3	-	23	1	1	-	1	-	1	27	-	-	-	27
P70 Spina bifida	M	3	2	1	-	3	2	-	11	-	3	-	-	-	2	16	6	4	2	28
	F	3	1	-	-	1	1	-	6	1	2	3	1	2	1	16	8	3	5	32
P71 Congenital hydrocephalus	M	6	1	-	-	1	1	-	8	-	1	-	-	-	9	2	2	1	-	14
	F	4	2	-	1	-	1	-	8	-	1	-	-	-	9	1	-	-	-	10
P72 Other congenital anomalies of central nervous system and eye	M	2	1	-	-	-	1	-	4	-	-	-	1	1	-	6	-	2	-	8
	F	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	2	-	-	-	-	4	1	1	-	-	6
P73 Congenital anomalies of circulatory system	M	5	3	1	2	7	9	-	27	13	7	10	4	2	-	63	18	3	9	93
	F	-	-	-	3	3	3	-	9	10	8	7	4	3	2	43	12	2	1	58

(a) Under 1 day but number of hours not known. (b) Includes under 1 month but number of days not known.

TABLE 10. NEONATAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, AGE AT DEATH AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978 - continued

Cause of death	Sex	Age at death															Total under 28 days (b)				
		Hours						Days						Weeks							
		0	1	2	3-5	6-11	12-23	Not known (a)	Total under 1 day	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total under 1 week		1	2	3	
P74	Congenital anomalies of respiratory system	M	4	4	1	1	-	1	-	11	-	-	-	-	1	-	12	-	-	-	12
F	5	3	2	-	-	1	1	12	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	-	-	-	14	
P75	Congenital anomalies of digestive system	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	1	-	5	2	1	2	10	
F	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	5	2	1	2	7	
P76	Congenital anomalies of genito-urinary system	M	7	8	4	4	3	2	28	2	2	-	-	-	-	32	1	-	1	34	
F	3	4	2	-	3	-	-	8	2	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	10		
P77	Congenital anomalies of musculoskeletal system	M	2	4	-	1	1	2	10	2	1	1	1	1	17	-	1	-	18		
F	-	2	-	-	1	1	-	2	3	2	-	-	-	7	1	-	-	8			
P78	Down's disease	M	-	1	-	-	1	-	2	3	-	-	-	1	7	1	-	-	8		
F	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	7	1	3	3	14			
P79	Other congenital syndromes affecting multiple systems	M	12	14	3	6	3	6	44	3	2	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	2		
F	8	3	2	5	2	1	-	21	2	-	1	1	1	50	2	1	1	54			
P80	Other and unspecified congenital anomalies	M	1	1	-	-	1	1	4	-	-	-	-	1	27	3	4	1	35		
F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	4			
P81-P88	Infections of foetus and newborn -	M	-	1	-	-	2	3	6	2	2	1	1	1	13	13	2	2	2		
F	-	-	-	1	1	2	-	4	1	-	1	1	-	1	8	10	3	-	30		
P81	Diarrhoeal disease	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	3	4	1	1	9		
F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	3	2	-	7			
P82	Listeriosis	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	3	2	-	7		
P84	Septicaemia	M	-	-	-	2	3	-	5	1	2	-	-	-	9	7	1	1	18		
F	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	1	-	1	-	-	4	3	1	-	8			
P85	Viral diseases	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2		
P86	Congenital syphilis	M	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2		
F	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1			
P88	Other infective and parasitic diseases	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2		
F	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	3			
P89-P94	Other diseases of foetus and newborn -	M	2	2	1	1	2	4	12	5	4	2	1	1	26	4	5	9	44		
F	3	4	2	1	-	4	-	14	10	1	2	2	-	31	8	3	5	47			
P90	Cystic fibrosis (mucoviscidosis)	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1		
P92	Pneumonia	M	-	-	-	1	2	3	3	4	2	1	-	-	6	2	1	3	12		
F	-	-	1	1	1	2	-	7	4	2	1	2	-	11	2	-	1	14			
P93	Other specified conditions	M	1	1	1	1	2	3	4	2	1	-	1	1	15	1	2	2	20		
F	3	4	1	-	2	-	10	4	1	1	-	-	-	16	3	1	1	21			
P94	Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	M	1	1	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	1	5	1	2	4	12		
F	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	-	-	-	1	4	2	2	3	11			
P95-P100	External causes of injury to newborn -	M	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3		
F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1			
P98	Inhalation and ingestion of food causing obstruction or suffocation	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1		
F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1			
P99	Accidental mechanical suffocation	M	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1		
P100	Other external causes	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3		
All causes	M	196	121	59	83	96	115	3	673	115	54	33	21	21	6	923	76	33	36	1,068	
F	141	76	39	61	68	69	2	456	96	41	28	21	20	12	674	57	20	15	766		

(a) Under 1 day but number of hours not known. (b) Includes under 1 month but number of days not known.

TABLE 11. FOETAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, TIME OF CESSATION OF HEARTBEAT AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978  
NOTE. Categories of the International Classification for which no deaths were recorded in 1978 are omitted from this table.

Cause of death	Sex	Heartbeat ceased					Total	During labour	Before delivery but unknown if before or during labour	Unknown if before or after delivery	Total
		Time dead in utero									
		Under 1 day	1-6 days	1-3 weeks	4 weeks or more	Not stated					
P1-P4 Chronic circulatory and genito-urinary disease in mother -	M	2	9	-	-	1	12	2	1	-	15
P 2 Chronic hypertension	F	2	3	1	-	1	7	2	1	-	9
	M	2	7	-	-	-	9	1	-	-	10
	F	2	3	1	-	1	7	1	1	-	9
P 3 Other chronic disease of circulatory system	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P 4 Chronic disease of genito-urinary system	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P5-P11 Other maternal conditions unrelated to pregnancy -	M	9	12	14	3	8	46	7	7	-	60
P 5 Syphilis	F	7	16	8	2	1	34	10	3	2	49
	M	-	1	5	-	2	8	-	1	-	9
	F	1	4	3	-	-	8	1	-	-	9
P 6 Diabetes mellitus	M	1	2	4	1	2	10	-	1	-	11
	F	2	1	-	1	-	4	2	-	-	6
P 8 Injury to mother	M	5	2	2	-	1	10	3	-	-	13
	F	2	3	3	-	-	8	1	-	-	9
P 9 Operation of mother	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	F	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	2
P11 Other maternal conditions	M	3	7	3	2	3	18	4	4	-	26
	F	2	7	2	1	1	13	6	2	2	23
P12-P17 Toxaemias of pregnancy -	M	17	46	15	2	5	85	23	2	1	111
	F	9	31	15	-	3	58	17	8	1	84
P12 Renal disease arising during pregnancy	M	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
	F	-	1	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
P13 Pre-eclampsia of pregnancy	M	16	45	14	1	5	81	21	2	1	105
	F	8	27	14	-	3	52	17	7	1	77
P14 Eclampsia of pregnancy	M	1	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	3
	F	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
P15 Toxaemia unspecified	M	-	1	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	2
	F	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	3
P16-P20 Maternal ante- and intrapartum infection -	M	-	3	2	-	-	5	1	2	-	8
	F	-	5	2	2	1	8	2	-	-	10
P18 Pyelitis and pyelonephritis of pregnancy	M	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
	F	-	2	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	3
P19 Other infections of genito-urinary tract during pregnancy	F	-	1	-	2	-	3	1	-	-	4
P20 Other	M	-	1	2	-	-	3	1	2	-	6
	F	-	2	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	3
P21-P23 Difficult labour with abnormality of bones, organs or tissues of pelvis -	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2
P21 With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	3
P23 Without mention of birth injury	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
P24-P26 Difficult labour with disproportion -	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	3
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	3
P24 With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
P26 Without mention of birth injury	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
P27-P29 Difficult labour with malposition of foetus -	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	3
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	-	1	17
P27 With birth injury to brain or spinal cord	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	1	10
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2
P29 Without mention of birth injury	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	-	1	15
	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	-	1	9

TABLE 11. FOETAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, TIME OF CESSATION OF HEARTBEAT AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978 - continued

Cause of death	Sex	Heartbeat ceased					Total	During labour	Before delivery but unknown if before or during labour	Unknown if before or after delivery	Total
		Before labour commenced									
		Under 1 day	1-6 days	1-3 weeks	4 weeks or more	Not stated					
P30-P32 Difficult labour with abnormality of forces of labour -	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P32 Without mention of birth injury	M	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2	
P33-P35 Difficult labour with other and unspecified complications -	M	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	6	
P35 Without mention of birth injury	F	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	7	
	M	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	6	
P36-P41 Other complications of pregnancy and child-birth -	M	25	25	11	-	12	73	49	36	2	160
P36 Incompetent cervix	F	15	24	9	-	10	57	21	6	1	142
P36	F	7	3	-	-	-	10	21	15	1	47
P37 Premature rupture of membranes	M	6	4	-	-	6	16	14	8	1	39
P37	F	9	7	1	-	1	18	17	3	-	38
P38 Hydramnios	M	1	3	2	-	2	11	20	5	1	37
P38	F	1	2	3	-	-	6	4	-	-	10
P40 Multiple pregnancy	M	3	5	8	-	10	26	3	12	-	41
P40	F	1	6	4	-	3	14	14	5	3	36
P41 Other complications of pregnancy or child-birth	F	4	6	1	-	1	13	4	6	1	24
P42-P46 Conditions of placenta -	M	47	74	43	8	12	184	64	23	4	222
P42 Placenta praevia	F	37	71	38	7	13	166	60	24	1	251
P42	M	3	6	3	-	-	11	8	2	1	275
P43 Premature separation of placenta	F	5	3	1	-	1	7	12	2	1	22
P43	M	38	21	7	3	5	74	8	3	-	20
P44 Placental infarction	F	14	25	8	1	6	54	39	14	2	129
P44	M	1	11	13	3	2	30	-	-	-	103
P45 Other conditions of placenta	F	2	11	6	-	2	21	-	-	-	30
P45	M	1	7	4	-	1	14	-	-	-	21
P46 Placental insufficiency, unspecified	F	1	3	3	-	1	7	1	3	-	18
P46	M	4	32	19	1	3	59	12	4	1	76
P47-P49 Conditions of umbilical cord -	F	15	29	20	6	5	75	16	8	-	99
P47 Compression of cord	M	8	33	23	3	4	71	25	8	-	104
P47	F	9	27	28	1	1	66	35	4	-	105
P48 Prolapse of cord	M	1	3	1	-	1	6	7	-	-	13
P48	F	3	2	2	1	-	8	3	1	-	12
P49 Other	F	-	-	2	-	2	4	8	3	-	15
P49	M	1	30	20	-	1	52	8	2	-	11
P50-P52 Birth injury without mention of cause -	F	5	25	26	3	1	61	10	5	-	76
P50 To brain or spinal cord	M	-	-	-	-	-	1	24	1	-	82
P51 Other or unspecified birth injury	F	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	3
P51	M	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
P52 Terraination of pregnancy without mention of cause	F	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
P52	M	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
P53-P56 Haemolytic disease of newborn -	F	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	2
P53 With Rh incompatibility	M	2	4	5	-	-	11	1	2	-	14
P53	F	2	3	4	-	1	10	3	1	-	14
P56 Without mention of cause	M	-	2	4	-	-	6	1	2	-	9
P56	F	1	1	3	-	1	6	1	-	-	7
	M	2	1	1	-	-	4	-	-	-	5
	F	1	2	1	-	-	4	2	1	-	7

TABLE 11. FOETAL DEATHS BY CAUSE, TIME OF CESSATION OF HEARTBEAT AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978 - continued

Cause of death	Sex	Heartbeat ceased					Total	During labour	Before delivery but unknown if before or during labour	Unknown if before or after delivery	Total	
		Before labour commenced										
		Under 1 day	1-6 days	1-3 weeks	4 weeks or more	Not stated						
P57-P60	Anoxic and hypoxic conditions not elsewhere classified -	M	3	32	20	4	7	66				
		F	7	22	20	4	3	56				
P57	Hyaline membranes disease and respiratory distress syndrome	F	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	5	1	79
		F	-	-	-	-	-	-		7	2	78
P58	Intra-uterine anoxia	M	2	27	15	-	-	54	-	1	-	1
		F	7	16	16	4	6	54	5	4	1	64
P60	Other anoxic and hypoxic conditions not elsewhere classified	M	1	5	5	-	1	46	10	6	1	63
		F	-	6	4	-	-	12	2	1	-	15
P61-P68	Other conditions of foetus and newborn -	M	9	25	35	4	9	82	12	15	6	115
		F	8	30	25	9	12	84	10	7	5	106
P61	Immaturity, unqualified	M	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	2	3
		F	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
P62	Foetal blood loss before birth	M	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
		M	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	2
P63	Post-maturity	M	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	2
		F	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
P66	Other conditions of foetus	M	1	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	4
		F	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1
P67	Maceration	M	-	5	6	-	-	11	-	1	-	12
		F	-	1	2	2	2	7	-	-	-	7
P68	Other foetal death of unknown cause	M	8	20	26	4	9	67	9	14	2	92
		F	8	29	22	7	10	76	7	6	5	94
P69-P80	Congenital anomalies -	M	8	25	14	2	10	52	19	16	5	127
		F	15	24	15	3	8	65	51	16	5	137
P69	Anencephalus	M	5	8	3	-	2	18	27	9	-	54
		F	6	13	3	-	4	26	33	5	4	68
P70	Spina bifida	M	1	2	1	-	-	4	6	1	-	11
		F	-	1	1	-	-	2	8	1	-	11
P71	Congenital hydrocephalus	M	-	4	3	2	1	10	11	2	-	23
		F	3	3	3	-	2	11	5	2	-	18
P72	Other congenital anomalies of central nervous system and eye	M	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	3
		F	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
P73	Congenital anomalies of circulatory system	M	-	1	1	2	-	4	-	-	-	4
		F	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	2	-	6
P76	Congenital anomalies of genito-urinary system	M	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	2	-	4
		F	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	2
P77	Congenital anomalies of musculoskeletal system	M	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	2
		F	2	-	-	-	1	3	2	-	-	5
P78	Down's disease	M	-	1	-	-	-	1	4	-	-	5
		F	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
P79	Other congenital syndromes affecting multiple systems	M	2	5	5	-	-	12	2	3	1	18
		F	2	5	5	1	1	14	3	5	1	23
P80	Other and unspecified congenital anomalies	M	-	2	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	3
		F	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	3
P81-P88	Infections of foetus and newborn -	M	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	3
		M	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	3
P86	Congenital syphilis	M	2	2	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	4
P85-P94	Other diseases of foetus and newborn -	M	1	1	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	4
		F	1	1	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	4
P93	Other specified conditions	M	2	2	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	4
		F	1	1	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	4
All cases		M	132	291	182	26	61	692	278	121	17	1,086
		F	112	258	164	28	54	616	280	93	23	1,012

## SECTION II. BIRTHS REGISTERED (FOR USE IN CALCULATING RATES)

TABLE 12. BIRTHS BY STATE OR TERRITORY OF REGISTRATION AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978

Births	Sex	State or Territory of registration									Australia
		N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.		
Live births	M	39,698	30,202	17,771	9,496	10,657	3,438	1,407	2,295	114,964	
	F	38,075	28,659	16,694	9,062	9,954	3,350	1,285	2,138	109,217	
Stillbirths (a)	M	358	322	136	96	107	45	27	17	1,108	
	F	371	253	141	82	92	34	15	24	1,012	
Total	M	40,056	30,524	17,907	9,592	10,764	3,483	1,434	2,312	116,072	
	F	38,446	28,912	16,835	9,144	10,046	3,384	1,300	2,162	110,229	

(a) Includes those where it was not known if the heartbeat ceased before or after delivery.

TABLE 13. BIRTHS BY AGE OF MOTHER AND SEX, AUSTRALIA, 1978

Births	Sex	Age of mother (years)										Total
		Under 15	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50 and over	Not stated	
Live births	M	74	9,793	35,509	43,173	20,403	5,125	831	47	3	6	114,964
	F	68	9,180	33,636	41,104	19,394	4,918	870	40	1	6	109,217
Stillbirths (a)	M	1	121	297	359	225	68	28	-	-	9	1,108
	F	-	111	270	337	198	71	18	1	-	6	1,012
Total	M	75	9,914	35,806	43,532	20,628	5,193	859	47	3	15	116,072
	F	68	9,291	33,906	41,441	19,592	4,989	888	41	1	12	110,229

(a) Includes those where it was not known if the heartbeat ceased before or after delivery.