

Quality of vital statistics obtained from civil registration

| I. Basis of tabulation | Live births | Deaths | Infant deaths | Late foetal deaths | Marriages | Divorces |
|---|-------------|--------|---------------|--------------------|-----------|----------|
| Present basis of tabulation: | | | | | | |
| - date of occurrence | X | X | X | X | | |
| - date of registration | | | | | X | X |
| How long has the present basis of tabulation been used? | | | | | | |

| II. Estimated completeness of registration | Live births | Deaths | Infant deaths | Late foetal deaths | Marriages | Divorces |
|---|-------------|--------|---------------|--------------------|-----------|----------|
| 90 per cent or more | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| 75-89 per cent | | | | | | |
| 50-74 per cent | | | | | | |
| Under 50 per cent | | | | | | |
| Please specify: | | | | | | |
| (a) Year(s) to which completeness estimate refers | | | | | | |
| (b) Basis of completeness estimate | | | | | | |
| -Demographic analysis | | | | | | |
| -Dual record check | | | | | | |
| -Questions in population census | | | | | | |
| -Questions in sample surveys | | | | | | |
| -Other (specify) | | | | | | |
| -No evaluation | | | | | | |

Please include any reports describing completeness of registration and methods used in arriving at estimated completeness:

Quality of vital statistics obtained from other sources

| Basis of vital statistics estimates is | | | | | | |
|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| - Population censuses (date) | | | | | | |
| - Sample surveys | | | | | | |
| - Population registers | | | | | | |
| - Dual record systems | | | | | | |
| - Other (specify) | | | | | | |

Please include any reports describing the methods used for estimates of vital statistics based on other sources than civil registration:

Additional metadata for selected tables

Table 1.1 - Urban / rural definitions

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| Please state the definition used for urban area and the period of time it has been in use: | |
| Please state the definition used for rural area and the period of time it has been in use: | |

Table 1.6 - Grounds for legally induced abortion

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| <i>Please mark with an "X" the applicable options</i> | X | |
| a) Continuance of pregnancy would involve risk to the life of the pregnant woman greater than if the pregnancy were terminated. | X | |
| b) Continuance of pregnancy would involve risk of injury to the physical health of the pregnant woman greater than if pregnancy were terminated. | X | |
| c) Continuance of pregnancy would involve risk of injury to the mental health of the pregnant woman greater than if pregnancy were terminated. | X | |
| d) Continuance of pregnancy would involve risk of injury to the mental or physical health of the pregnant woman greater than if pregnancy were terminated. | X | |
| e) There is a substantial risk that if the child were born it would suffer from such physical or mental abnormalities as to be seriously handicapped. | | |
| f) Other, please specify. | X | |

Tables 14a, 14b, 15a and 15b - Life tables

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| Do the life tables refer to de Facto population or de Jure population? | In Japan, Both are same. | |
| Was any method used to smoothen the life table? Which one? | Constructing death rate, use Greville. | |
| Was any specific method used to close the life table at older ages (e.g., Gompertz, Makeham, etc.)? Which one? | Gompertz, Makeham. | |
| If any model life table or relational model was used to derive the life table (e.g., Coale-Demeny West, UN South Asian pattern), what model was used? | don't use any model | |
| <i>Please mark with an "X" the applicable options</i> | X | |
| What source of data was used to compute the life tables? | | |
| a) Unadjusted vital registration deaths | X | coverage rate:100% |
| b) Adjusted vital registration deaths | | |
| c) Deaths census information | | |
| d) Life expectancy at birth | | |
| e) Under-five mortality | X | |
| f) Infant mortality | X | |

<http://www.mhlw.go.jp/english/database/db-hw/vs02.html>

Table 22 Minimum legal marriage age

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| Please specify the minimum legal age at which marriage can take place: | Men | Women |
| a) With parental consent | 18 | 16 |
| b) Without parental consent | 20 | 20 |

Legal basis: Civil Code (Act No.89 of 1896) Article 731, 737
<http://www.cas.go.jp/jp/seisaku/hourei/data/CC4.pdf>