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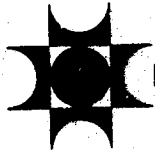
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INTRODUCTION

The 1979 edition of Michigan Health Statistics is a statistical summary of vital events for calendar year 1979. Data relative to population, births, deaths, fetal deaths, marriages, divorces and communicable diseases are included. Although most of the data in this report pertain to events occurring in 1979, some data for prior years have been included to illustrate trends. Most of the tabulations refer to Michigan residents. Some events, however, such as marriages and divorces are tabulated with respect to where the event occurred rather than the residence of the party or parties involved.

As a certain number of Michigan residents either deliver babies or die out of state each year, it is necessary to include data obtained from the certificates of other states in any residence tabulations pertaining to Michigan residents. This report includes all such out-of-state certificates received prior to April 24, 1980, and all in-state certificates and records received prior to March 15, 1980. Although a few records for the calendar year 1979 were received after these filing dates, their exclusion from this report is statistically insignificant.

The 1970 edition of Michigan Health Statistics contained a complete section devoted to population characteristics. Similar data are not available for 1979 and thus the 1979 edition of Michigan Health Statistics does not have a section on population. The reader is referred to the 1970 edition for detailed population characteristics and to the reference appendix of this edition for 1979 county and state population estimates. More detailed population data are available in the Bureau of Management and Budget publication "Population Projections" and in the U.S. Census Bureau P-26 series.

The report is composed of the following sections and appendices:

1. Natality Section,
2. Mortality Section,
3. Marriage and Divorce Section,
4. Reference Appendix.

Comments or suggestions concerning the content and format of this report are always welcome. Any additional needs for data or analyses may be directed to the Office of Vital and Health Statistics. A summary of prepared vital statistics tabula-

tions, Index to Michigan Vital Statistics 1960 to Present, is also available. This index lists the type of tabulations and data available. The Office will make every attempt to comply with requests for data within the limitation of staff and resources.

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TECHNICAL NOTES
DEFINITIONS, RATES AND RATIOS

DEFINITIONS

BIRTH WEIGHT-Weight of fetus or infant at time of delivery (normally recorded in pounds and ounces).

FETAL DEATH-Death prior to the complete expulsion or extraction from its mother of a product of conception, having passed through at least the 20th week of gestation or weighing at least 400 grams; the fetus shows no signs of life such as beating of the heart, pulsation of the umbilical cord, or definite movement of voluntary muscles. (Note: This includes both spontaneous and induced terminations.)

FIRST BIRTH-A live birth where the maternal medical history indicates there were no prior live births to the mother.

GESTATIONAL PERIOD-Number of weeks elapsed between the first day of the last menstrual period and date of delivery.

HEBDOMADAL DEATH-Death occurring to an individual less than 7 days of age.

INFANT DEATH-Death occurring to an individual of less than 1 year of age.

INTERPREGNANCY TIME PERIOD-Birth date minus date of last termination, whether a live birth or fetal death, in months. Time periods of zero length are dropped to exclude 2nd or higher births of multiple deliveries.

LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH-Deaths are grouped into 72 categories dependent upon the underlying cause of death. Ranks are assigned by organizing these categories according to the number of deaths in each category from most frequent to least.

LIFE EXPECTANCY-A hypothetical calculation of the average age at death for a cohort of persons subject to the age-specific mortality rates observed over a given time period.

LIFE TABLE VALUES:

${}_nq_x$ = The proportion of persons in the cohort alive at the beginning of an age interval (x) who will die before reaching the end of that age interval (x+n).

${}_n l_x$ = The number of persons living at the beginning of an age interval (x) out of an original cohort of 100,000.

${}_n d_x$ = The number of persons who would die during an age interval (x to x+n) out of an original cohort of 100,000.

${}_n L_x$ = The number of person-years that would be lived within an indicated age interval (x to x+n) out of an original cohort of 100,000 alive for all or part of the interval.

T_x = The number of person-years that would be lived after the beginning of an age interval (x) by an original cohort of 100,000 until all are assumed to have died.

e_x = The average remaining lifetime (in years) for an individual person who survives to the beginning of an indicated age interval (x).

LIVE BIRTH-A live birth is the complete expulsion or extraction from its mother of a product of conception, irrespective of the duration of pregnancy, 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.

LIVE-BIRTH ORDER-Order number is equal to number of previous live births plus current birth.

LOW-WEIGHT BIRTH-Birth wherein the birth weight is equivalent to 2,500 grams or less (approximately 5 lbs., 8 oz.).

MATERNAL DEATHS-Those deaths wherein the physician has designated a maternal condition as the underlying cause of death.

MEAN-The average of a set of values, equal to the sum of the values divided by the number of values.

MEDIAN-The central value of a distribution of values wherein the same percentage of observations are above this point as are below.

MINOR CIVIL DIVISION-City, Village, or Township.

NEONATAL DEATH-Death occurring to individual less than 28 days of age.

OCCURRENCE-Place where the event actually occurred.

PERINATAL DEATH-Fetal death or death under 1 week of age.

PROBABILITY OF EVENTUALLY DYING FROM A GIVEN CAUSE OF DEATH-The chance of death due to a given cause rather than some competitive cause over the course of a lifetime based on current mortality data and life expectancy techniques.

RACE-Race for mother, father, or decedent is as stated on certificate. Race of child is determined from the race of the parents.

REMAINING YEARS OF LIFE-A hypothetical calculation of the average number of years a cohort of persons will live given that they have reached a specific age and assuming they are subject to the age-specific mortality rates observed over a given time period.

RESIDENCE-Usual place of residence for person to whom event occurred. For births and fetal deaths residence is defined as the mother's usual place of residence.

TOTAL BIRTHS-Live Births and Fetal Deaths.

UNDERLYING CAUSE OF DEATH-That condition giving rise to the chain of events leading to death.

RATES AND RATIOS

AGE-ADJUSTED DEATH RATE-A summary rate of death that is developed using a standard population distribution to improve the comparability of rates for areas or population subgroups with differing age distributions. When calculated by the direct method, as in this report, age-specific death rates for a geographic area or population subgroup are multiplied by the standard population by specific age and the products summed and divided by the total standard population. Age-adjusted death rates represent the mortality experience that would have occurred in a standard population had the age-specific rates of the area or population subgroup been experienced by the standard population. These rates are presented as per 100,000 population.

AGE-SPECIFIC BIRTH RATE- No. of Resident Live Births to Women of a Specific Age divided by Total Female Population of Specific Age x 1,000.

AGE-SPECIFIC DEATH RATE-No. of Deaths in Specific Age Group divided by Total Resident Population in Specific Age Group x 100,000.

AGE-SPECIFIC DEATH RATE BY CAUSE OF DEATH-No. of Deaths in Specific Age Group and from a Specific Cause divided by Total Resident Population in Specific Age Group x 100,000.

AGE-SPECIFIC MARRIAGE RATE-No. of Marriages in Specific Age Group by Sex divided by Total Resident Population in Specific Age and Sex Group x 1,000.

CAUSE-SPECIFIC RATE-No. of Deaths due to a Specific Cause divided by Total Resident Population x 100,000.

COMMUNICABLE DISEASE CASE RATE-No. of Reported Cases (Specific Communicable Diseases) divided by Total Resident Population x 100,000.

CRUDE BIRTH RATE-No. of Resident Live Births divided by Total Resident Population x 1,000.

CRUDE DEATH RATE-No. of Resident Deaths divided by Total Resident Population x 1,000.

DIVORCE RATE-No. of Persons (Divorces and Annulments) divided by Total Resident Population x 1,000.

FERTILITY RATE-No. of Resident Live Births divided by Total Female Population (Ages 15 - 44) x 1,000.

FETAL DEATH RATE-No. of Resident Fetal Deaths divided by Total Resident Live Births and Resident Fetal Deaths x 1,000.

FETAL DEATH RATIO-No. of Resident Fetal Deaths divided by Total Resident Live Births x 1,000.

FIRST MARRIAGE RATE-No. of Marriages to Persons not Previously Married by Sex divided by Total Resident Population by Sex x 1,000.

INFANT MORTALITY RATE-No. of Infant Deaths divided by Total Resident Live Births x 1,000.

LOW-WEIGHT BIRTH RATIO-No. of Low-Weight Births divided by Total Resident Live Births x 1,000.

MARRIAGE RATE-No. of Persons Married divided by Total Resident Population x 1,000.

MATERNAL DEATH RATE-No. of Maternal Deaths divided by Total Resident Live Births x 10,000

NEONATAL DEATH RATE-No. of Neonatal Deaths divided by Total Resident Live Births x 1,000.

NO PRENATAL CARE RATIO-No. of Live Births to Mothers With No Prenatal Care divided by Total Resident Live Births x 1,000.

PERINATAL DEATH RATE-No. of Perinatal Deaths divided by Total Resident Live Births and Resident Fetal Deaths x 1,000.

RATE OF NATURAL INCREASE-(Total Resident Live Births minus Total Resident Deaths) divided by Total Resident Population x 1,000.

TOTAL FERTILITY RATE-Sum of (Age-Specific Birth Rates) x (Number of Years in Age Group) for each Age Group from ages 10-14 through 45-49 years.

RELIABILITY OF RATES-Care should be taken in drawing specific inferences from comparisons of rates for different areas or different periods of time. Rates based on a small number of events or for a small area tend to exhibit considerable variation from time period to time period or place to place. Excessive variation in rates not only negates their utility as estimators of the probability of an event occurring but also their usefulness for comparative purposes. Also, one should recognize the limitations of using unadjusted rates in attempting to attribute rate differences to particular factors. For example, one should not attempt to state that there was a significant difference in rates for two geographic areas for atherosclerosis without first adjusting the rates to negate the effects of differing age distributions in the two areas. Many times there are simply not sufficient data available to adequately adjust rates for all possible compounding factors. For this reason, the reader should exercise diligence and caution while attempting to draw substantive conclusions when comparing vital statistics rates.

QUALIFICATIONS AND LIMITATIONS OF DATA AND CALCULATIONS

UNDERREGISTRATION OF EVENTS

The underregistration of vital events in Michigan is considered to be a minimal problem particularly for births and deaths. Tests of registration completeness conducted in conjunction with the 1950 Census indicate that the registration of births was 98.5 percent complete, and that death registration was even more complete. The number of certificates received too late for inclusion in annual statistical files is insignificant when examining statewide patterns.

GEOGRAPHIC ALLOCATION

The allocation of events on a residence or occurrence basis is for the most part accurate and complete. However, allocations to minor civil divisions are subject to question in some instances. In those cases where the respondent completes the residence item with a mailing address, geographic allocation is sometimes undeterminable and the record receives an unknown minor civil division code.

FETAL DEATHS

Fetal deaths in Michigan include only those conceptions that have passed through 20 weeks gestation or that weigh 400 grams or more. Prior to the introduction of a new reporting form for fetal deaths on September 30, 1978, Michigan law required only the reporting of deaths of fetuses which had passed through 20 weeks gestation. Inadequacies in determining the gestational age of the fetus may have resulted in some underreporting of fetal deaths. The change in definition has had little impact in the number of fetal deaths reported.

COMPARABILITY IN CAUSE OF DEATH STATISTICS

The reader should bear in mind two major limitations in interpreting changes in cause-of-death statistics. Changes in nomenclature and the classification scheme (International Classification of Diseases) and changes in diagnostic practices may seriously affect the comparability of such statistics over time. The classification scheme (ICD) is modified approximately once every ten years to reflect changing medical opinion and practice. The reader is most accurate when comparing cause-of-death certificates which are coded via one revision of the International Classification of Diseases and utilizing the coding practices and procedures in effect at that time.

In order to compare cause-of-death statistics from one revision to the next it is necessary to apply a 'comparability ratio'. Such ratios are developed by comparing the number of deaths assigned to a certain condition or group of conditions under one revision to the number assigned under another revision of the ICD.

In 1979 the 9th Revision of the International Classification of Diseases was introduced for coding causes of death.

LIFE EXPECTANCY

The procedure used to obtain the Michigan life table values is called the iterative method. This is a method which has been developed by Professor Felix Moore of the Department of Biostatistics, School of Public Health, University of Michigan.

For the age group 0-1 the method utilizes the algorithm developed by Greville with no iteration. For all subsequent age groups the method of Greville (Keyfitz) is used with three iterations to improve the estimate of $n_d x$ and $n_q x$. An iteration procedure is also used for $n_l x$ for age groups 75-80 and 80-85 where the accuracy of mortality information is a factor and for obtaining the separation factor for the age group 1-4.

Age-Adjustment Procedure and Population Estimation

The age-adjusted rates for Michigan presented in this report for years 1970-1979 were calculated using Michigan resident mortality data and a revised series of population estimates. Death records with the race not stated were first randomly allocated to the white and other than white groups based on the proportion of Michigan resident deaths in each of the racial categories for that year. Records with sex not stated were randomly assigned to male and female (50 percent each). Records with age not stated were allocated to the age group 85 and over.

The population of Michigan as of April 1, 1970 as enumerated by the U.S. Census Bureau was used for the 1970 population figure in this report. Michigan population estimates for each year from 1971-1979 were developed from projections by age and sex furnished by the Michigan Department of Management and Budget, Office of the Budget, and total population estimates prepared by the U.S. Census Bureau. Race estimates were prepared by the Michigan Department of Public Health, Office of Vital and Health Statistics, by projecting into the 1970's the mean annual rate of change in the race proportions of each age-sex group of the population observed between the 1960 and 1970 censuses.

When the 1980 census counts by race became available revised estimates of the 1979 population of white and other than white persons were calculated. A revised race breakdown of the original 1979 estimate of the total state population was prepared using a revised estimate of the proportion of the state population that was white in 1979. The revised proportion white for 1979 was calculated by interpolating between the proportions white observed in the 1970 and 1980 censuses. The revised estimate of the white population for 1979 was 7,855,431, or 1.1 percent lower than the original estimate of 7,938,823. For the other than white population the revised estimate of 1,351,569 for 1979 is 6.6 percent above the original estimate which was used in this report. Crude birth and death rates for the other than white population for 1979 presented in this report are thus 6.6 percent higher than would be rates based on the revised population estimate. For the white population the crude rates presented for 1979 are

1.1 percent lower than would be rates calculated with the revised population estimate. Since age-adjusted rates are dependent on the age structure of the population these "correction factors" are not strictly applicable to the age-adjusted death rates shown in this report.

In the age-adjustment procedure nineteen age groups were employed including under 1 year, 1-4 years, five year age groups from 5-9 years to age 80-84, and 85 years and over. Age-specific rates for the total population and for each subgroup were applied to the same standard population distributed by age. The resulting "expected deaths" were then summed over the nineteen age groups and divided by the total of the standard population to obtain the age-adjusted rate. The standard population selected was the 1940 United States enumerated population. Comparisons can be made between subgroup rates, between rates in different years, and between rates for Michigan and similarly computed rates for the United States. Rates for the United States were taken from publications by the National Center for Health Statistics, U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services.

NATALITY

SECTION I

Nativity: An Overview 1979

TOTAL RESIDENT BIRTHS	145,668
TOTAL RESIDENT LIVE BIRTHS	144,452
RESIDENT LIVE BIRTHS PER DAY	395.8
TOTAL RESIDENT FETAL DEATHS	1,216
RESIDENT FETAL DEATHS PER DAY	3.3
CRUDE BIRTH RATE	15.7
FERTILITY RATE	71.5
FETAL DEATH RATIO	8.4
FIRST ORDER BIRTHS (PERCENT OF TOTAL LIVE BIRTHS)	41.8
MEDIAN BIRTH WEIGHT IN GRAMS (LIVE BIRTHS)	3,374
MEDIAN BIRTH WEIGHT IN GRAMS (FETAL DEATHS)	1,332
LOW-WEIGHT LIVE BIRTHS	10,178
LOW-WEIGHT BIRTH RATIO	70.5
MEDIAN AGE OF MOTHER (LIVE BIRTHS)	24
MEDIAN AGE OF MOTHER (FETAL DEATHS)	24
LIVE BIRTHS WITH CONGENITAL ANOMALIES	1,228
CONGENITAL ANOMALIES PER 10,000 LIVE BIRTHS	85.0
LIVE BIRTHS WITH NO PRENATAL CARE	897
NO PRENATAL CARE RATIO	6.2
HOME BIRTHS	619
LIVE BORN SETS OF TWINS	1,444
LIVE BORN SETS OF TRIPLETS	20
LIVE BORN MULTIPLE BIRTHS OF FOUR OR MORE	0
MALE LIVE BIRTHS PER 100 FEMALE LIVE BIRTHS	105.4

Between 1900 and 1979 the number of total births has varied considerably. The general trend has been increasing numbers of total births from 1900 through 1957 and declining numbers since that time. According to the annual enumeration of births by local officials in 1900 there were 45,024 total births in Michigan. This figure dropped slightly to 44,722 in 1901 (the lowest total in the century). The number of total births reported increased significantly with the initiation in 1906 of mandatory filing of individual certificates for each Michigan birth. Total births increased during the next two decades, dropped temporarily in 1919, and then leveled off at just over 100,000 between 1924 and 1930. During the first years of the Great Depression, total births declined from 102,596 in 1930 to 83,258 in 1933. Then from 1933 to 1957, excluding the war years of 1944 and 1945, total births increased to a century high peak of 211,642 in 1957. Total births in the next two decades dropped to a post-World War II low of 132,649 in 1976. In each of the past three years, the number of total births increased. The number in 1979 was 145,668. (Table 1.1).

TABLE 1.1 - Total Births, Michigan Residents
Selected Years, 1900-1979

YEAR	TOTAL BIRTHS
1900	45,024
1901	44,722
1910	66,668
1920	96,015
1930	102,596
1933	83,258
1940	101,708
1950	163,150
1957	211,642
1960	198,064
1970	173,727
1971	164,167
1972	148,624
1973	143,232
1974	138,865
1975	135,304
1976	132,649
1977	139,704
1978	140,023
1979	145,668

LIVE BIRTHS

Between 1900 and 1979, the number of live births has varied considerably. The smallest number of live births officially recorded in this century was 43,221 in 1901. The actual number of live births was undoubtedly higher, as a significant percentage of births were not recorded prior to 1906. Figure 1.1 portrays the number of live births for Michigan from 1900 through 1979. Live births, which constitute a large percentage of total births, naturally followed the same pattern of increases and decreases, rising appreciably from 43,699 in 1900 to 208,488 in 1957, the peak year for this century. Between 1957 and 1976, live births decreased by 37 percent to 131,378, the lowest total in 31 years. In 1977, however, live births increased by 5.4 percent, the largest such increase since 1951. The figure in 1978 was up slightly (0.3 percent), and in 1979 the live birth figure of 144,452 was 4.1 percent higher than that of 1978. This is the most live births since 1972.

The national pattern is similar to that observed in Michigan. Live births increased from an estimated 2,718,000 in 1909 to an estimated 4,300,000 in 1957. Since 1957, there has been a general decline in live births. The low point occurred in 1973 when live births in the United States totaled 3,136,965. The 1977 national live birth total was 5.0 percent higher than the 1976 figure, and the number for 1978 was up 0.2 percent. The provisional figure of 3,473,000 for 1979 is 4.2 percent higher than that of 1978.

Another view of the historic pattern in live births may be obtained through examination of changes in the crude birth rate. By considering population size the historic pattern of live births is stabilized (Figure 1.2). The crude birth rate in Michigan ranges from a low of 14.4 in 1976 to a high of 27.4 in 1956. The crude birth rate increased from 22.1 in 1906, the first year for filing birth certificates, to 26.2 in 1916. During the period 1917 to 1933 Michigan's crude birth rate declined steadily, reaching 16.2. The birth rate rose over the next 23 years to a peak in 1956 (27.4). Since 1956, Michigan's crude birth rate has declined. In 1973, a century low rate was observed, replacing the 1933 rate as the lowest recorded for the state. The next three years, in succession,

FIGURE 1.1 Live Births, Michigan Residents, 1900-1979.

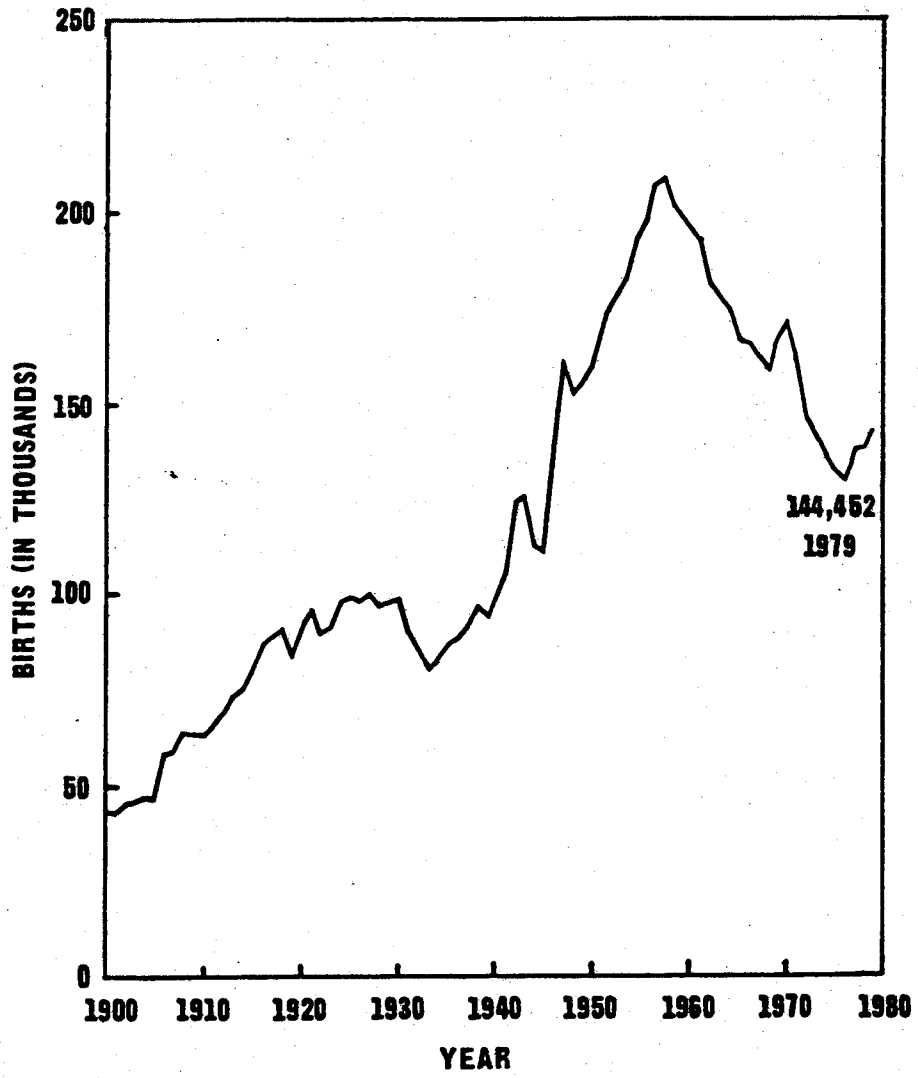
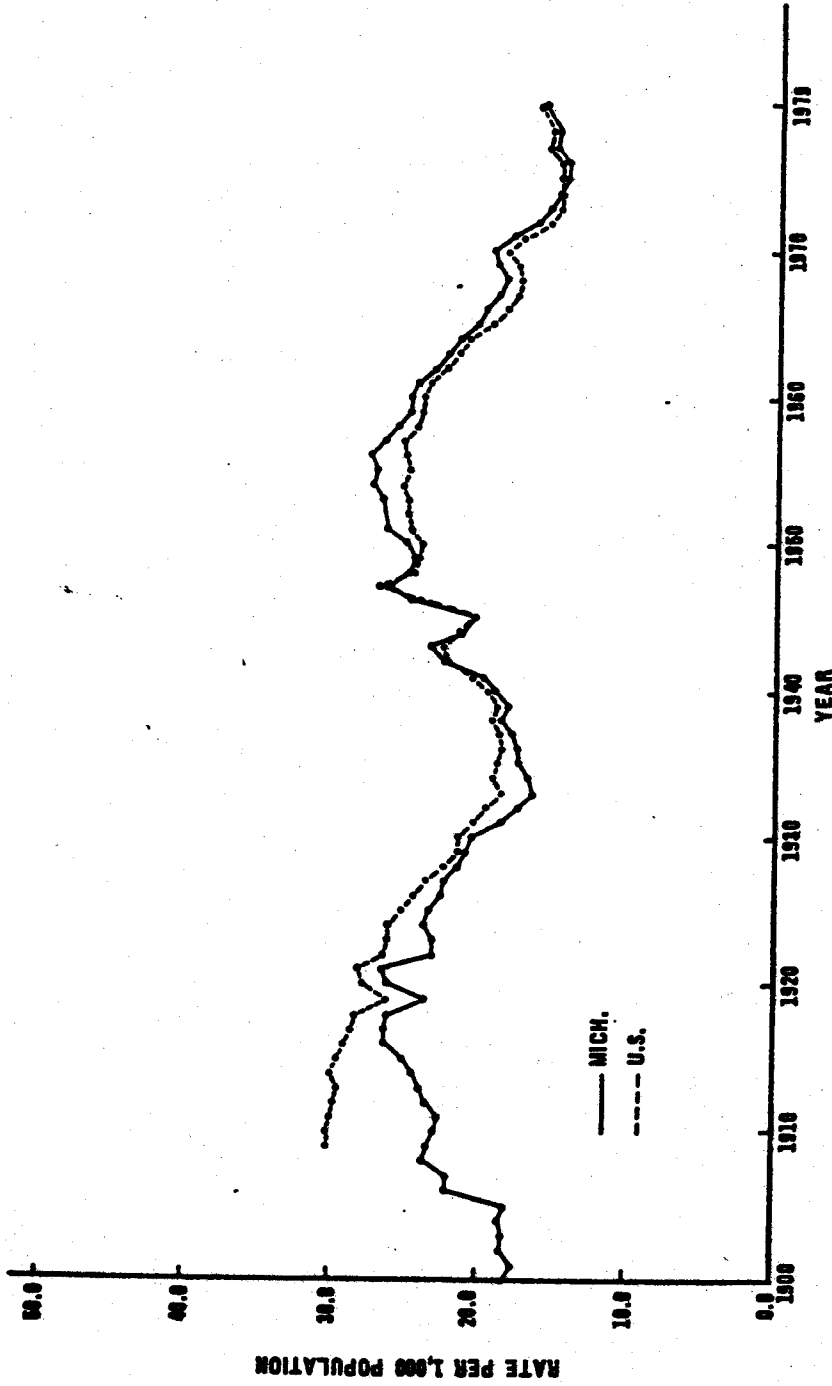


FIGURE 1.2 - Live Birth Rates, Michigan Residents, 1900-1979, and United States Residents 1909-1979



U.S. Rates Prior to 1909 are not Available; U.S. 1979 Figure is Provisional

replaced the prior year figure as the lowest birth rate on record. In 1977, the crude birth rate increased to 15.2. The 5.6 percent increase in the crude birth rate in 1977 was the largest percentage increase in this rate since 1947. The crude birth rate declined slightly in 1978 to 15.1. In 1979 the crude birth rate increased by 4.0 percent to 15.7, the highest rate since 1972.

National statistics follow the same general pattern of rising and falling as observed in Michigan. The highest rate observed nationally over the period 1909 through 1979 was 30.1 in 1910, while the lowest was 14.8, occurring in both 1975 and 1976. United States' live birth rates were above those observed in Michigan without exception from 1909 to 1941. Between 1942 and 1947, national rates were above those for the state twice. National birth rates were below Michigan rates from 1948 through 1974. For the past five years the rate for the nation has been just above that observed in Michigan. In 1979 the provisional rate for the United States was 15.8 (Table 1.2).

TABLE 1.2 - Live Births and Crude Birth Rates, Michigan and United States Residents, Selected Years, 1900-1979

UNITED STATES		YEAR	MICHIGAN	
LIVE BIRTHS	RATE		LIVE BIRTHS	RATE
N/A	N/A	1900	43,699	18.1
2,777,000	30.1	1910	64,109	22.8
2,950,000	27.7	1920	92,245	25.1
2,618,000	21.3	1930	98,882	20.4
2,559,000	19.4	1940	99,106	18.9
3,632,000	24.1	1950	160,055	25.1
4,257,850	23.7	1960	195,056	24.9
4,268,326	23.3	1961	192,825	24.4
4,167,362	22.4	1962	182,790	23.0
4,098,020	21.7	1963	178,871	22.3
4,027,490	21.0	1964	175,103	21.6
3,760,358	19.4	1965	166,464	20.3
3,606,274	18.4	1966	165,794	19.9
3,520,959	17.8	1967	162,756	18.9
3,501,564	17.5	1968	159,058	18.3
3,600,206	17.8	1969	165,760	19.0
3,731,386	18.4	1970	171,667	19.3
3,555,970	17.2	1971	162,244	18.0
3,258,411	15.6	1972	146,854	16.3
3,136,965	14.9	1973	141,550	15.6
3,159,958	14.9	1974	137,414	15.1
3,144,198	14.8	1975	133,931	14.6
3,167,788	14.8	1976	131,378	14.4
3,326,632	15.4	1977	138,416	15.2
3,333,279	15.3	1978	138,802	15.1
3,473,000(Pr.)	15.8(Pr.)	1979	144,452	15.7

FERTILITY

The crude birth rates examined above are useful statistics for gauging overall trends in live births for specific geographic areas. Where attempts are made to interpret such trends, however, crude birth rates can be misleading. These rates do not incorporate specifically the size of the population capable of bearing children. This population subset, generally considered to be women between the ages of 15 through 44, does not always maintain a stable relationship with the total population. A measure for analyzing changing birth patterns that is more exact is the fertility rate. Since the fertility rate relates the number of live births to the female population of childbearing age, valid comparisons for various periods of time and various locations are possible.

A comparison of fertility rates for Michigan with those for the United States is presented in Table 1.3. Some interesting contrasts can be seen between fertility rates and the crude birth rates as presented in Table 1.2. In both the state and the nation the crude birth rates dropped between the years 1950 and 1960 while the fertility rates increased between these two years. While Michigan's crude birth rate was below the United States' rate between 1975 and 1979, the state's fertility rate was higher than the national rate.

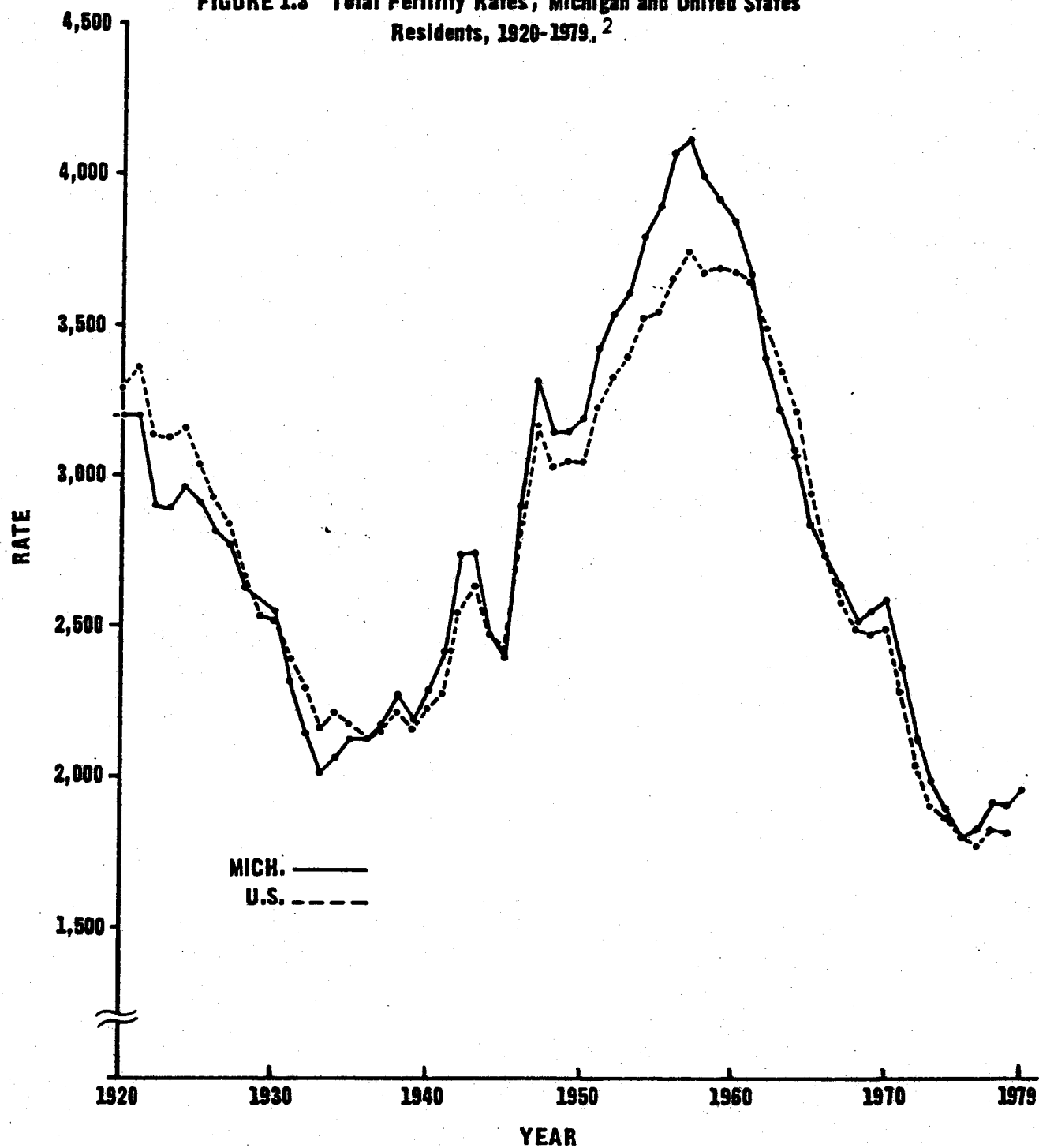
These differences point to the importance of the fertility rate in making comparisons and drawing conclusions. The crude birth rate changes observed understate the recent decline in fecundity for both regions. Since 1960 the crude birth rate in Michigan has dropped 36.9 percent, while the fertility rate in 1979 was 41.9 percent below the 1960 rate. For the United States over this same period the crude birth rate declined 33.3 percent and the fertility rate fell by 42.4 percent. The proportion of the population in the child-bearing ages has increased over this 19 year period.

Figure 1.3 displays the changes in the total fertility rate between 1920 and 1979 for Michigan and the United States. The total fertility rate is a hypothetical measure of the number of live births that would occur to each 1,000 women during their reproductive life, if these women experienced the age-specific birth rates observed in a given year. Michigan's total fertility rate has generally paralleled that of the nation. The Michigan rate dropped from 3,195.5 in 1920 to 2,006.5 in 1933 and then increased between 1933 and 1957, reaching 4,100.0 in the latter year. Since 1957, the total fertility rate in Michigan has declined

TABLE 1.3 - Fertility Rates, Michigan and United States Residents, Selected Years, 1900-1979

FERTILITY RATE UNITED STATES	YEAR	FERTILITY RATE MICHIGAN
---	1900	78.5
126.8	1910	99.0
117.9	1920	111.6
89.2	1930	87.6
79.9	1940	78.9
106.2	1950	110.5
118.0	1960	123.1
117.2	1961	119.0
112.2	1962	110.8
108.5	1963	106.6
105.0	1964	102.6
96.6	1965	95.9
91.3	1966	94.0
87.6	1967	90.8
85.7	1968	87.3
86.5	1969	89.6
87.9	1970	91.7
81.8	1971	84.7
73.4	1972	76.5
69.2	1973	72.1
68.4	1974	70.0
66.7	1975	67.1
65.8	1976	68.7
67.8	1977	71.1
66.6	1978	69.9
68.0(Pr.)	1979	71.5

FIGURE 1.3 Total Fertility Rates,¹ Michigan and United States Residents, 1920-1979.²



¹ Total Fertility Rate is total children to 1,000 Women in their lifetime Assuming Constant Live Birth Rates.

² 1979 Data for U.S. not available.

to a low of 1,798.5 in 1975. Between 1975 and 1979 the total fertility rate for Michigan increased by 8.6 percent. The rate was 1,954.0 in 1979 for Michigan and 1,800.2 in 1978 for the nation.

Since 1973 both Michigan and national total fertility rates have been below 2,000. A total fertility rate of over 2,000 is necessary for replacement of the parents since not all women survive the reproductive years nor do all children survive to adulthood. If the total fertility rate falls below 2,000 for a long period, a natural decrease in population will eventually result. It should be noted that although the total fertility rate has been below 2,000 since 1973 the population of Michigan has not declined. Over the period 1973 through 1979 there were 438,558 persons added to the population of Michigan through the excess of births over deaths!

Zero population growth means that the numbers of deaths and live births are equal so that, apart from migration, the population remains constant. To achieve zero population growth in the short run the birth rate would have to decline by 49 percent or the death rate increase by 96 percent or some combination of those changes must occur.

RACIAL COMPOSITION

In the period 1970 through 1979, the racial composition of live births in Michigan changed. Live births of white persons declined from 83.8 percent of all live births in 1970 to 82.2 percent in 1979. Live births of black persons increased from 15.7 percent of the total in 1970 to 16.6 percent in 1979. Live births of all other races increased from 0.4 percent in 1970 to 1.1 percent in 1979. It should be noted that Indians from India were classified as white before 1978 and among other races in 1978 and 1979. In absolute terms, the numbers of births of black and white infants declined between 1970 and 1976, with an especially sharp decline observed in births of white infants between 1970 and 1972. Since 1976 the number of live births of white and black infants increased by 10.0 percent and 7.4 percent respectively. The number of live births of American Indians and Filipinos increased between 1970 and 1979, as did those in the category of other races (Table 1.4).

Table 1.5 provides a comparison between crude birth rates and fertility rates for whites and other races in Michigan during the decade of the seventies. In 1970 the crude birth rate for other than white persons was 44.6 percent above that for whites. By 1973, this percentage had increased to 62.1 percent. In 1974, the percent dropped sharply to 48.2, and by 1979 it had fallen to 35.6. Paralleling the trends in numbers of live births, the crude birth rates for both groups declined, reaching a low in 1976 and increasing since then. The crude birth rate for white persons in 1979 was 19.0 percent below that observed in 1970 while the rate for the other than white group was 24.1 percent below the rate for 1970. The birth rate in 1979 for white persons was 3.5 percent higher than the rate for 1978, while the increase for persons of other races was slightly less at 3.1 percent.

The fertility rates contained in Table 1.5 reveal that there are important differences in population structure for white persons compared to those of other races. By comparing live births to the respective numbers of women aged 15-44 for these two groups, the relative differences in rates decrease. The fertility rate for other than white persons was 33.1 percent above the rate for white persons in 1970 and 22.6 percent

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 TABLE 1.4 Live Births by Infant's Race or National Origin
 Michigan Residents, 1970-1979

Year	Total All Races	White	Black	American Indian	Chinese	Filipino	Other ²
1970	171,667	143,871	26,957	299	151	91	188
1971	162,244	134,165	27,245	313	135	101	177
1972	146,854	119,787	26,215	316	124	109	197
1973	141,550	114,878	25,741	302	124	121	187
1974	137,414	112,474	23,328	270	116	144	244
1975	133,931	109,718	23,224	294	151	138	226
1976	131,378	107,907	22,349	368	169	166	243
1977	138,416	114,042	23,195	431	157	153	276
1978	138,802	114,217	23,025	377	185	148	672
1979	144,452	118,671	24,010	435	150	160	820

1- Births of unknown race included in total only. Persons of Spanish or of Mexican American descent are included with whites.

2- Includes Japanese, Hawaiian, other Asian or Pacific Islanders. Indians from India were counted as "White" from 1970-1977, and with "Other" in 1978 and 1979.

TABLE 1.5 - Crude Birth Rates and Fertility Rates by Race,¹
Michigan Residents, 1970-1979

WHITE RACE		YEAR	ALL OTHER RACES	
CRUDE BIRTH RATE	FERTILITY RATE		CRUDE BIRTH RATE	FERTILITY RATE
18.4	88.0	1970	26.6	117.1
16.9	80.5	1971	26.0	113.9
15.1	72.0	1972	24.5	107.1
14.5	68.3	1973	23.5	101.6
14.1	66.2	1974	20.9	89.5
13.8	65.8	1975	20.5	89.0
13.6	65.5	1976	19.5	85.4
14.4	68.4	1977	19.9	85.9
14.4	67.4	1978	19.6	83.6
14.9	69.0	1979	20.2	84.6

¹Births of unknown race are excluded.

higher in 1979. Since 1970 the fertility rate for other than white persons has declined 27.8 percent compared with a 21.6 percent drop for white persons. In 1979 the fertility rate for other than white persons increased by 1.2 percent from the rate observed in 1978 while the rate for white persons increased by 2.4 percent.

AGE OF MOTHER

In 1979 50.5 percent of all live births were to women less than 25 years of age. Only 0.5 percent occurred to women 40 or more years of age. The median age of mothers was 24 years. Mothers of other than white infants were younger (median 23 years) than mothers of white children (median 25 years). Approximately 60 percent of the other than white infants were born to women aged 24 or less compared to 48.5 percent of the white infants. This differential is the result of the relatively large percentage of other than white live births to women at ages 15-19 (Table 1.6).

The total number of live births declined by 15.9 percent between 1970 and 1979 (Table 1.7). The largest relative declines occurred in the age groups over 34 and under 20. The age group 20-24 also experienced a decline (22.1 percent) greater than that for women of all ages. The number of live births to women 25-29 was essentially the same in 1979 as in 1970, while there was a 5.1 percent increase in live births to women 30-34 years of age over the decade.

Table 1.7 also provides the age distribution of the childbearing population in 1970 and 1979. Examination of the table shows that the declines in numbers of live births for most age groups occurred despite an increase over the decade in the number of women within those age groups. The largest increase in population occurred in the age group 30-34, the only age group having more live births in 1979 than in 1970. The only group to experience a population decline (28.1 percent) was the 40-44 year age group.

AGE-SPECIFIC LIVE BIRTH RATES

As displayed in Table 1.8, a substantial reduction in the age-specific birth rates for Michigan females across all age groups has occurred since 1970. The greatest relative decrease in birth rates between 1970 and 1979 was for women over 34 years of age. Birth rates for women under 25 and for women 30-34 also declined more than did the birth rate for women of all ages. The decline in the birth rate for women 25-29 years old was 10.3 percent, the smallest decrease observed for any age interval.

Figure 1.4 displays age-specific live birth rates for the period 1970-1979. Birth rates in all age groups dropped during the first half of the decade. For women under 20 and for women over 34 years the birth rates declined consistently throughout the decade,

TABLE.1.6 - Live Births and Percent Distribution by Age of Mother and Race of Child, Michigan Residents, 1979

AGE OF MOTHER	TOTAL		RACE OF CHILD					
			WHITE		ALL OTHER		NOT STATED	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under 15 Years	355	0.2	122	0.1	233	0.9	-	-
15-19 Years	21,239	14.7	15,076	12.7	6,142	24.0	21	10.2
20-24 Years	51,319	35.5	42,318	35.7	8,940	35.0	61	29.6
25-29 Years	46,084	31.9	39,747	33.5	6,259	24.5	78	37.9
30-34 Years	19,962	13.8	16,958	14.3	2,966	11.6	38	18.4
35-39 Years	4,720	3.3	3,827	3.2	890	3.5	3	1.5
40 or More Years	756	0.5	610	0.5	141	0.6	5	2.4
Not Stated	17	0.0	13	0.0	4	0.0	-	-
Total	144,452	100.0	118,671	100.0	25,575	100.0	206	100.0
Median Age at Last Birthday	24	000	25	000	23	000	26	000

Table 1.7 - Live Births and Population of Women by Age,
Michigan Residents, 1970 and 1979

Age Group	Live Births			Population		
	1970	1979	Percent Change	1970	1979	Percent Change
Under 20 Years ¹	30,253	21,594	-28.6	436,204	465,988	+6.8
20-24 Years	65,892	51,319	-22.1	373,905	400,932	+7.2
25-29 Years	46,262	46,084	- 0.4	300,095	333,259	+11.1
30-34 Years	19,003	19,962	+ 5.0	249,275	348,373	+39.8
35-39 Years	7,904	4,720	-40.3	243,579	279,481	+14.7
40 and Over ²	2,341	756	-67.7	268,896	193,268	-28.1
15-44 Years	171,667	144,452	-15.9	1,871,954	2,021,301	+ 8.0

¹Population shown is for females 15-19

²Population shown is for females 40-44

TABLE 1.8 - Age-Specific Live Birth Rates by Race,
Michigan Residents, 1970 and 1979

AGE GROUP	TOTAL			RACE ¹					
				WHITE			ALL OTHER ¹		
	1970	1979	% Change in Rate ⁵	1970	1979	% Change in Rate ⁵	1970	1979	% Change in Rate ⁵
Under 20 ² Years	69.4	46.3	(33.3)	56.9	39.0	(31.5)	154.1	83.8	(45.6)
20-24 Years	176.2	128.0	(27.4)	172.9	125.7	(27.3)	197.3	139.0	(29.5)
25-29 Years	154.2	138.3	(10.3)	156.0	138.1	(11.5)	140.5	137.5	(2.1)
30-34 Years	76.2	57.3	(24.8)	75.6	56.4	(25.4)	80.1	62.1	(22.5)
35-39 Years	32.4	16.9	(47.8)	31.2	16.1	(48.4)	40.9	21.4	(47.7)
40 or Over ³	8.7	3.9	(55.2)	8.1	3.7	(54.3)	12.9	5.2	(59.7)
Total ⁴	91.7	71.5	(22.0)	88.0	69.0	(21.6)	117.1	84.6	(27.8)

¹ Data on race not stated included only in total.

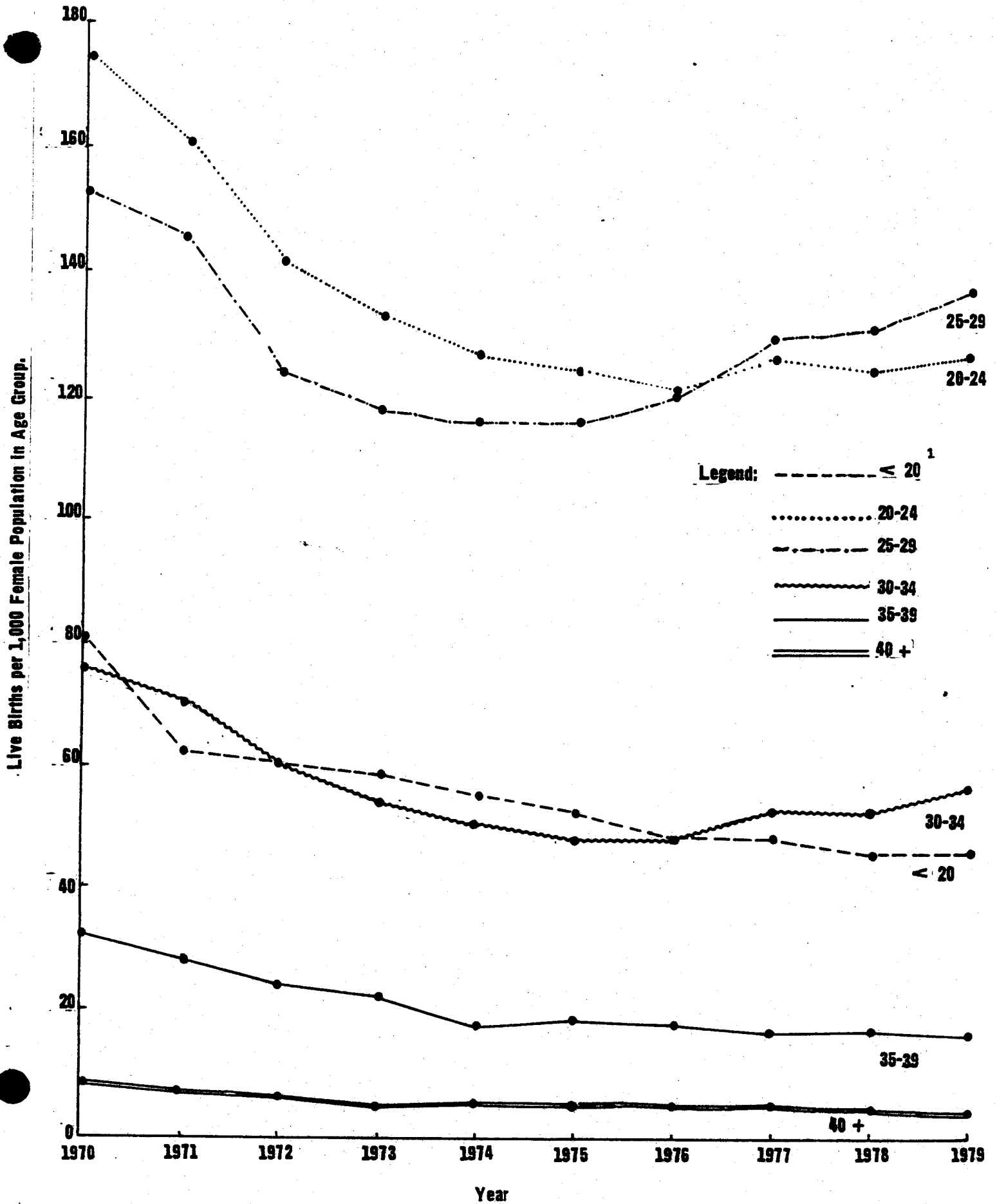
² Age-Specific birth rates for under 20 based on female population 15-19.

³ Age-Specific birth rates for 40 and over based on female population 40-44.

⁴ Total birth rate (fertility rate) based on female population 15-44.

⁵ Parentheses () indicate a decline.

FIGURE 1.4 Age-Specific Live Birth Rates,
Michigan Residents , 1970-1979



¹ Based on live births to women under 20 and population of females 15-19.

with the largest declines occurring early in the decade. Birth rates for women between 25 and 34 have increased since 1975. The birth rate for the 20-24 year age group also increased during the latter part of the decade, although the increase was smaller.

In 1970, women aged 20-24 had the highest birth rate of any age group, 14.3 percent higher than that of women aged 25-29. Since 1977 the birth rate of women in the 25-29 year age group has surpassed that of women aged 20-24. In 1979 the birth rate for the 25-29 year age group was 8.0 percent higher (Table 4.4).

Table 1.8 displays age-specific live birth rates for white women and women of all other races for the years 1970 and 1979. Generally, rates for other than white women were above those for white women. The exception to this is the age group 25-29. In both 1970 and 1979 the live birth rate for other than white women in this age group was slightly below that for white women. Live birth rates declined over these nine years across all ages for both racial categories. The largest relative decreases in these rates were experienced by women of both racial groups who were 35 years or older and by other than white women under 20 years of age. The smallest declines were for women aged 25-29, with the rate for white women in this age group dropping by 11.5 percent and that for other than white women falling by 2.1 percent.

BIRTH ORDER

The percent of live births which are first order births is displayed in Figure 1.5 for Michigan and the United States for the period since 1960. Between 1960 and 1970, the percent of first order births increased from 22.9 to 37.4 in Michigan and by 1979 the percent had increased to 41.8. However, the number of first births declined by 15.9 percent between 1970 and 1976 (Table 1.9). Since 1976 the number of first births has increased 11.9 percent. The trend in first births has been similar for the United States.

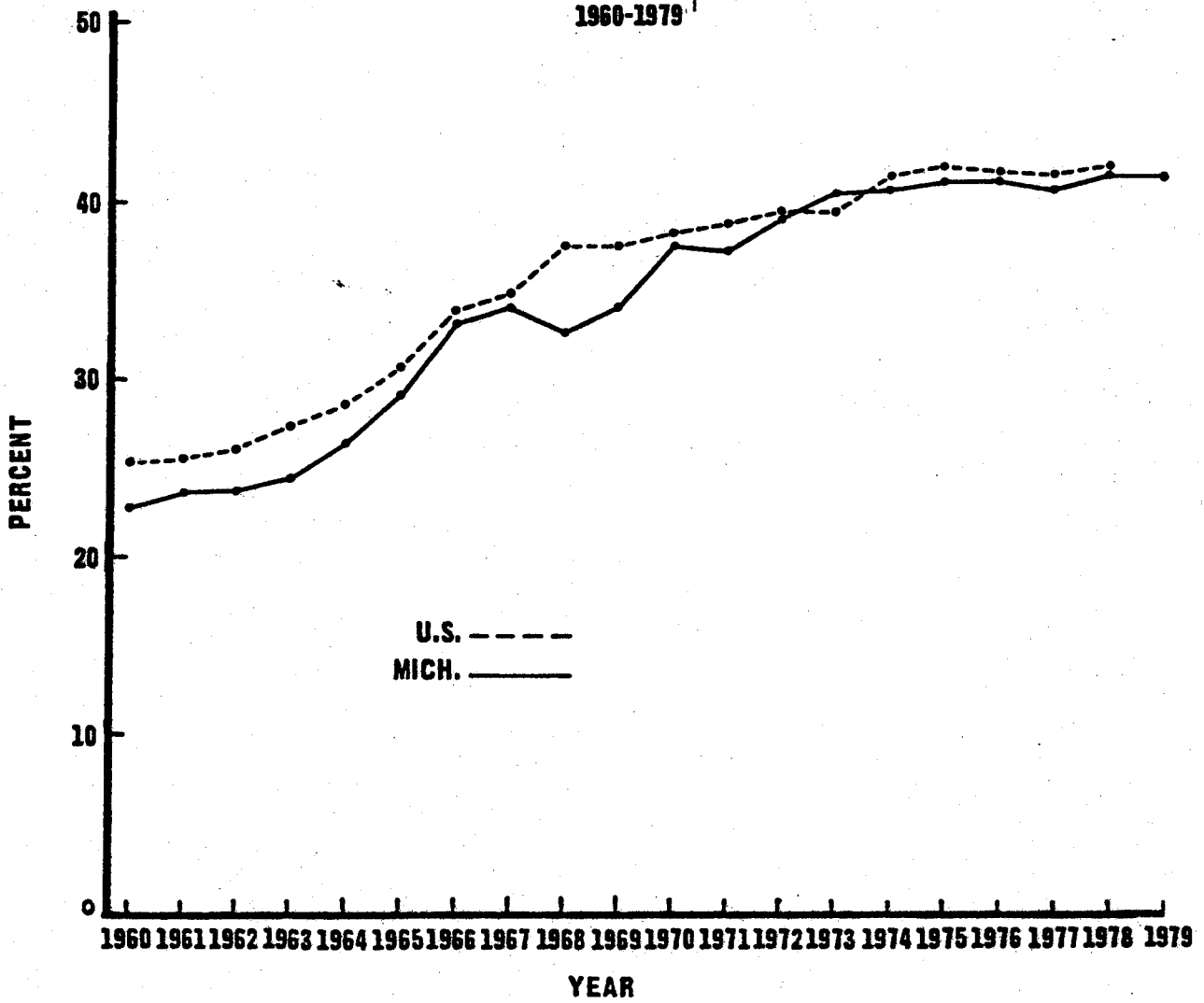
The distribution of Michigan resident live births by live birth order is displayed in Tables 1.10 and 1.11 for the years 1970 and 1979. There has been a considerable shift in recent years toward smaller families. First and second order live births comprised 64.7 percent of all live births in 1970 and 74.1 percent in 1979. On the other hand, 18.8 percent of all live births in 1970 were fourth or higher order live births. In 1979 the figure was 9.3 percent. The greatest relative decline occurred in fifth or higher order live births. These constituted 10.1 percent of all live births in 1970 compared to 3.7 percent in 1979.

Within each age group first and second order births comprised a greater percent of all births in 1979 than in 1970, with the more pronounced shifts occurring in the age groups of older women. For women 30-39 years of age first and second order births comprised 21.3 percent of all births in 1970 and 45.8 percent in 1979. In 1979 30.5 percent of all live births to women 25-29 years of age were first births, compared to 19.5 percent at the beginning of the decade.

The median age of mothers having their first child increased from 21 to 22 between 1970 and 1979. For mothers having their second child, the median age increased from 23 to 25. The median ages for mothers having their third or fourth child each increased by one year between 1970 and 1979.

First births to women 25 years of age or older comprised 17.2 percent of all first births in 1970 and 30.4 percent in 1979. Similarly, second order births to women 25 years or older increased from 38.1 percent of all second order births in 1970 to 52.8

**FIGURE 1.5 First Births as a Percentage of all Live Births,
Michigan and United States Residents,
1960-1979¹**



¹ 1979 Data for U.S. not available.

Table 1.9 - First Births,
Michigan and United States Residents,
Selected Years, 1960-1979

United States		Year	Michigan	
First Births	Percent of All Births		First Births	Percent of All Births
1,090,152	25.6	1960	44,711	22.9
1,157,386	30.8	1965	48,660	29.2
1,430,680	38.3	1970	64,222	37.4
1,375,668	38.7	1971	60,413	37.2
1,289,257	39.6	1972	57,477	39.1
1,243,358	39.6	1973	57,411	40.6
1,314,194	41.6	1974	56,233	40.9
1,319,126	42.0	1975	55,348	41.3
1,324,811	41.8	1976	54,003	41.1
1,387,143	41.7	1977	56,622	40.9
1,401,491	42.0	1978	57,767	41.6
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TABLE 1.10 - Live Births by Live Birth Order and Age of Mother
Michigan Residents, 1970

LIVE BIRTH ORDER	AGE OF MOTHER							MEDIAN AGE AT LAST BIRTHDAY
	UNDER 20 YEARS	20-24 YEARS	25-29 YEARS	30-39 YEARS	40 OR MORE YEARS	NOT STATED	ALL AGES	
First Birth	24,061	29,099	9,017	1,918	119	8	64,222	21
Second Birth	5,221	23,776	13,918	3,817	142	1	46,875	23
Third Birth	813	9,267	12,261	5,551	227	-	28,119	26
Fourth Birth	119	2,623	6,400	5,407	324	2	14,875	28
Fifth Birth or Greater	13	1,060	4,634	10,188	1,527	1	17,424	32
Not Stated	26	67	32	26	2	-	153	23
All Birth Orders	30,253	65,892	46,262	26,907	2,341	12	171,667	24

TABLE 1.11 - Live Births by Live Birth Order and Age of Mother
Michigan Residents, 1979

LIVE BIRTH ORDER	AGE OF MOTHER						TOTAL	MEDIAN AGE AT LAST BIRTHDAY
	UNDER 20 YEARS	20-24 YEARS	25-29 YEARS	30-39 YEARS	40 OR MORE YEARS	NOT STATED		
First Birth.....	17,318	24,713	14,305	4,026	53	9	60,424	22
Second Birth.....	3,656	18,345	17,234	7,286	73	1	46,595	25
Third Birth.....	479	6,099	9,477	6,520	91	4	22,670	27
Fourth Birth.....	47	1,376	3,121	3,445	130	-	8,119	29
Fifth Birth or Greater.....	14	391	1,414	3,080	396	1	5,296	32
Not Stated.....	80	395	533	325	13	2	1,348	26
All Birth Orders...	21,594	51,319	46,084	24,682	756	17	144,452	24

percent in 1979. This change in mother's age at birth is reflective of the emergence since 1977 of the 25-29 age group as the group with the highest age-specific birth rate (Table 1.8).

INTERPREGNANCY TIME PERIOD

In 1970 50 percent of all live births to women with prior terminations were reported as being spaced at least 2 years and 7 months apart. By 1975 the median time span had increased to 2 years and 9 months. In 1976 and 1977 the median value was unchanged. In 1978 the median fell to 2 years and 8 months and for 1979 the median was 2 years and 7 months. This trend is reflective of the changes in age-specific live birth rates of women between the ages of 20 and 34 (see Figure 1.4).

Although the median time span in 1979 is the same as that in 1970, there has been a shift in the distribution of birth spacings over the decade (Table 1.12). Most striking is the increase in relative frequency of births occurring five or more years after termination of the most recent prior pregnancy. In 1970 16.1 percent of women with prior terminations reported this spacing, while in 1979 the percent was 17.9. The other intervals of birth spacings all declined in relative frequency.

In 1979 women having live births whose most recent prior termination was a fetal death had a median time span of 1 year and 9 months between their previous termination and a live birth (Table 1.13). This compares to a median of 2 years 9 months for prior live births. Although 1 to 2 years was the modal time span for both groups, the percent of women with prior fetal deaths in this interval (47.3) was much larger than that for women with prior live births (27.5). The greatest relative difference was associated with time spans of less than one year. A spacing of less than one year was observed for 11.9 percent of all women reporting their most recent prior pregnancy as a fetal death. This compares to 1.7 percent of all women reporting their most recent prior pregnancy as a live birth.

TABLE 1.12 - Live Births to Women Reporting Prior Pregnancy Terminations¹ by Time Span Between Last and Current Termination, Michigan Residents, 1970 and 1979

TIME SPAN IN YEARS	1970		1979	
	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
Total.....	108,516	100.0	85,971	100.0
Less than One.....	3,960	3.6	3,025	3.5
1 < 2.....	34,715	32.0	26,669	31.0
2 < 3.....	26,589	24.5	20,900	24.3
3 < 5.....	25,784	23.8	19,958	23.2
5 or More.....	17,468	16.1	15,419	17.9
Median Time Span.....	2 years 7 months	000	2 years 7 months	000

¹Terminations with time spans of zero years (i.e., second or later births in plural deliveries) and terminations with unknown time spans are excluded.

TABLE 1.13 - Live Births to Women Reporting Prior Pregnancy Terminations¹ by Time Span Between Last and Current Termination and by Whether Prior Termination Resulted in a Live Birth or a Fetal Death², Michigan Residents, 1979

TIME SPAN IN YEARS	TOTAL		PRIOR FETAL DEATHS		PRIOR LIVE BIRTHS	
	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
TOTAL	85,971	100.0	15,356	100.0	70,615	100.0
Less than One	3,025	3.5	1,824	11.9	1,201	1.7
1 < 2	26,669	31.0	7,261	47.3	19,408	27.5
2 < 3	20,900	24.3	2,693	17.5	18,207	25.8
3 < 5	19,958	23.2	2,207	14.4	17,751	25.1
5 or More	15,419	17.9	1,371	8.9	14,048	19.9
Median Time Span	2 years 7 months	000	1 year 9 months	000	2 years 9 months	000

¹Terminations with time spans of zero years (i.e., second or later births in plural deliveries) and terminations with unknown time spans are excluded.

²Fetal death, as defined for the pregnancy history on the birth record, is a fetal death of any gestational age.

PRENATAL CARE

For 55,608 women delivering live born infants in 1979, prenatal care was initiated in the second month of pregnancy. This is 38.5 percent of all women having live births. The most common number of prenatal visits was twelve, and 57.4 percent of all live births were to women receiving 10-14 prenatal visits. Table 1.14 indicates the relationship between the month of pregnancy prenatal care began and the number of prenatal visits. For births in which the mother began receiving care in the first or second month, the median number of visits was 12. The median number of visits is lower as prenatal care begins later.

A total of 111,250 women (77.0 percent) having live births in 1979 started their prenatal care prior to the fourth month of pregnancy. This is slightly higher than the 75.3 percent figure recorded in 1978. The percent of women receiving care prior to the fourth month has increased steadily since 1970 when the figure was 69.0 (Figure 1.6).

There were also small but steady increases in the percent of women receiving care prior to the sixth month of pregnancy over the period 1970-1975. In 1970, 86.0 percent of women delivering live born infants received care prior to the sixth month of pregnancy. By 1975, this had risen to 91.6 percent. The figure remained at that level through 1978 (91.4 percent). In 1979 the figure increased to 92.1 percent.

The time prenatal care began varied with live birth order (Table 1.15). The percent of women who began care during the first trimester was highest for second order live births (79.9) and lowest for fifth or higher order births (62.9). Conversely, the percent of women who began care during the third trimester, or received no care, was lowest (2.6 percent) for second order live births. This figure increased with the number of previous live births. Among women with four or more previous live births, 6.7 percent had received no care by the beginning of the 7th month of the pregnancy.

The percent of mothers having ten or more prenatal visits was 68.3 in 1979, compared to 65.3 percent in 1978. This statistic varied considerable by race. While 71.2 percent of mothers of white infants had at least ten prenatal visits, only 55.1 percent of mothers of other than white infants had that many visits (Table 1.16). The median number of prenatal visits was 11 for mothers of white children and 10 for mothers of other than white children

TABLE 1.14 - Live Births by Month Prenatal Care Began and Number of Prenatal Visits, Michigan Residents, 1979

MONTH CARE BEGAN	TOTAL	NUMBER OF VISITS							MEDIAN NUMBER OF VISITS
		NONE	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20 or OVER	UNKNOWN	
Total	144,452	897	5,794	33,966	82,972	13,266	2,473	5,084	11
No Care	897	897	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
First	16,136	-	122	1,492	10,085	3,265	716	456	12
Second	55,608	-	436	8,028	38,425	6,688	1,072	959	12
Third	39,506	-	659	10,039	25,043	2,505	469	791	11
Fourth	14,779	-	801	6,670	6,357	503	123	325	9
Fifth	7,004	-	909	3,886	1,865	167	36	141	8
Sixth	3,815	-	884	2,176	605	59	26	65	7
Seventh	2,193	-	855	1,108	170	17	5	38	5
Eighth	1,090	-	675	356	34	7	3	15	4
Ninth	427	-	339	30	29	11	1	17	2
Unknown	2,997	-	114	181	359	44	22	2,277	10

FIGURE 1.6 Percent of Women Having Live Births Who Received Care Prior to the 4th Month and the 6th Month of Pregnancy, Michigan Residents, 1970-1979

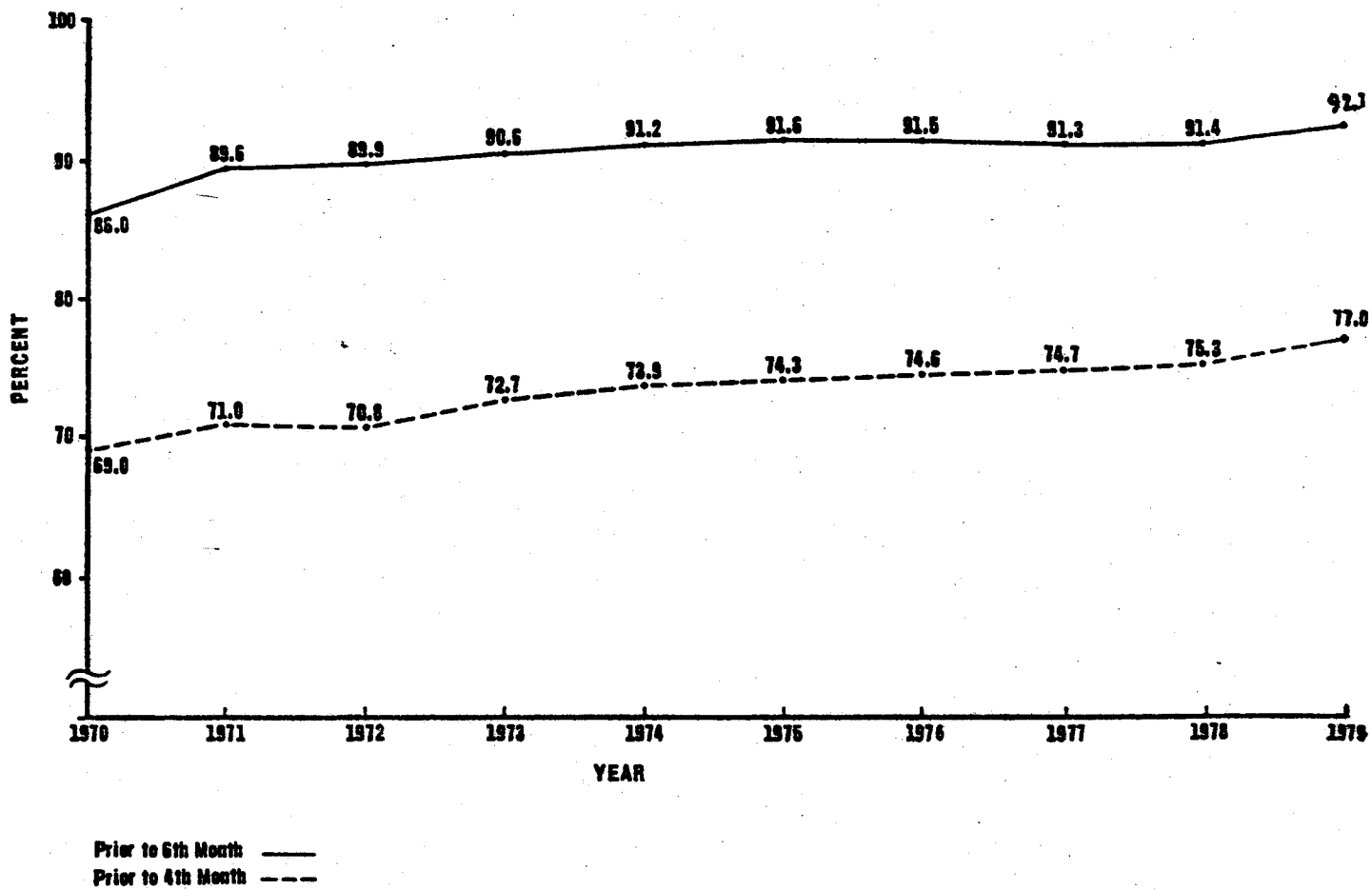


TABLE 1.15 - Live Births by Month of Pregnancy Prenatal Care Began and Live Birth Order, Michigan Residents, 1979

MONTH OF PREGNANCY CARE BEGAN	TOTAL	LIVE BIRTH ORDER					
		1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH OR GREATER	NOT STATED
TOTAL.....	144,452	60,424	46,595	22,670	8,119	5,296	1,348
No Care.....	897	365	222	121	84	87	18
1st Month.....	16,136	6,726	5,581	2,426	797	468	138
2nd Month.....	55,608	23,147	18,845	8,770	2,878	1,525	443
3rd Month.....	39,506	16,469	12,811	6,362	2,249	1,339	276
4th Month.....	14,779	6,217	4,409	2,337	927	783	106
5th Month.....	7,004	3,085	1,869	1,087	488	432	43
6th Month.....	3,815	1,745	980	565	256	233	36
7th Month.....	2,193	960	589	307	161	157	19
8th Month.....	1,090	467	280	162	88	78	15
9th Month.....	427	168	121	74	24	34	6
Not Stated.....	2,997	1,075	888	459	167	160	248
Percentage Beginning Care In First Trimester.....	77.0	76.7	79.9	77.5	73.0	62.9	63.6
Percentage Without Care During First Six Months.....	3.2	3.2	2.6	2.9	4.4	6.7	4.3

TABLE 1.16 - Live Births and Percent Distribution by Number of the Mother's Prenatal Visits and Race of Child, Michigan Residents, 1979

NUMBER OF PRENATAL VISITS	TOTAL		RACE OF CHILD					
			WHITE		ALL OTHER		NOT STATED	
	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
None.....	897	0.6	467	0.4	429	1.7	1	0.5
1-4.....	5,794	4.0	3,494	2.9	2,293	9.0	7	3.4
5-9.....	33,966	23.5	26,674	22.5	7,272	28.4	20	9.7
10-14.....	82,972	57.4	71,344	60.1	11,574	45.3	54	26.2
15-19.....	13,266	9.2	11,280	9.5	1,980	7.7	6	2.9
20 or Over.....	2,473	1.7	1,927	1.6	546	2.1	-	-
Not Stated.....	5,084	3.5	3,485	2.9	1,481	5.8	118	57.3
Total.....	144,452	100.0	118,671	100.0	25,575	100.0	206	100.0
Median Number of Visits..	11	000	11	000	10	000	10	000
Mean Number of Visits	10.7	000	11.0	000	9.9	000	10.2	000

(excluding those having an unknown number of visits). The mean number of prenatal visits was 11.0 for mothers of white infants, 11.1 percent higher than the mean of 9.9 visits for mothers of infants of other races.

In 1979, 897 resident live births or 6.2 of every 1,000 live births occurred with the mother having had no prenatal care. This figure includes only those where it was specified that the mother received no prenatal care. The comparative statistic was 6.4 in 1978 and 12.3 in 1971. Those who received no prenatal care were for the most part younger mothers (median age of 21). Also, the lack of prenatal care is disproportionately high among mothers of other than white infants. The ratio of live births in which the mother received no prenatal care to the total number of live births was 4.3 times as large for other than white infants as for white infants in 1979 (Table 1.17). For other than white infants this rate increased between 1978 and 1979 (14.0 to 16.8), while for white infants it declined (4.8 to 3.9).

TABLE 1.17 - Live Births With No Prenatal Care by Age of Mother and Race of Child, Michigan Residents, 1979

AGE OF MOTHER	TOTAL			RACE OF CHILD					
				WHITE		ALL OTHER		NOT STATED	
	Number	Ratio ¹		Number	Ratio ¹	Number	Ratio ¹	Number	Ratio ¹
Under 15 Years.....	14	39.4		9	73.8	5	21.5	-	*
15-19 Years.....	319	15.0		161	10.7	158	25.7	-	*
20-24 Years.....	305	5.9		164	3.9	141	15.8	-	*
25-29 Years.....	154	3.3		78	2.0	76	12.1	-	*
30-39 Years.....	99	4.0		50	2.4	48	12.4	1	*
40 Years or Over.....	6	7.9		5	8.2	1	*	-	*
Total.....	897	6.2		467	3.9	429	16.8	1	*
Median Age at Last Birthday.....	21	000		21	000	21	000	*	000

¹Ratio per 1,000 live births. Ratio denominator obtained from Table 1.6

BIRTH WEIGHT

The mean weight for all live births was 3,351 grams or approximately 7 pounds 6 ounces.

The median weight was 3,374 grams or about 7 pounds 7 ounces (Table 1.18).

A subgroup of major importance when analyzing birth weight trends is the infant weighing 2,500 grams or less (approximately 5 pounds 8 ounces or less) at birth. Such infants have historically experienced higher mortality in their first year of life than heavier infants. In 1979, approximately 71 of every 1,000 live births weighed 2,500 grams or less (Table 1.19).

The proportion of low birth weight infants varies with the race of the child, the age of the mother, and the amount of prenatal care the mother has received. Note that these three factors are interrelated. Very young mothers and mothers who are not white have fewer prenatal visits; women whose race is not white have higher birth rates in the younger age groups, etc. Tables 1.19 and 1.20 present data on these three variables with respect to birth weight.

The age group with the highest low birth weight ratio (140.8) was the group of mothers under 15 years of age. This ratio was lower for each succeeding age group through age group 25-29 (60.4) then increased for the older age groups to 113.8 for mothers 40 years or older (Table 1.19).

When low birth weight ratios are examined by the number of the mother's prenatal visits even more striking variations are evident. The low birth weight ratio for the highest risk group was 7.2 times that of the group with the lowest ratio. The low birth weight ratio was highest when the mother had no prenatal care (265.3). The ratio declined as the number of prenatal visits increased through 15-19 visits, where the ratio was 36.9. The low birth weight ratio was 57.0 for mothers with 20 or more prenatal visits. It is likely that a very high number of prenatal visits is associated with problems in the pregnancy (Table 1.20). For low birth weight infants the median number of the mothers' prenatal visits was 9, compared to 11 for all infants. The mean number of visits for mothers of low birth weight infants was 8.8, 17.8 percent less than the mean of 10.7 for mothers of all infants. As low birth weight infants are more likely to have been born prematurely, the shorter prenatal period results in a reduction of the potential length of time for prenatal care.

TABLE 1.18 - Live Births by Birth Weight and Race,
Michigan Residents, 1979

WEIGHT AT BIRTH	TOTAL	RACE		
		WHITE	ALL OTHER	NOT STATED
500 Grams or Less.....	214	118	96	-
501-1,000 Grams.....	701	433	267	1
1,001-1,500 Grams.....	862	583	278	1
1,501-2,000 Grams.....	1,945	1,321	621	3
2,001-2,500 Grams.....	6,456	4,375	2,072	9
2,501-3,000 Grams.....	23,264	17,065	6,173	26
3,001-3,500 Grams.....	51,943	42,198	9,679	66
3,501-4,000 Grams.....	42,154	37,145	4,973	36
4,001-4,500 Grams.....	13,617	12,490	1,102	25
4,501 Grams or More.....	3,038	2,821	212	5
Not Stated.....	258	122	102	34
Total.....	144,452	118,671	25,575	206
Mean Weight.....	3,351	3,403	3,108	3,364
Median Weight.....	3,374	3,430	3,161	3,345

TABLE 1.19 - Low Weight¹ Live Births and Low Birthweight Ratios by Age of Mother and Race of Child, Michigan Residents, 1979

AGE OF MOTHER	TOTAL		RACE OF CHILD					
	Number	Ratio ²	WHITE		ALL OTHER		NOT STATED	
			Number	Ratio ²	Number	Ratio ²	Number	Ratio ²
Under 15 Years.....	50	140.8	16	131.1	34	145.9	-	*
15-19 Years.....	2,024	95.3	1,134	75.2	885	144.1	5	238.1
20-24 Years.....	3,598	70.1	2,412	57.0	1,180	132.0	6	98.4
25-29 Years.....	2,785	60.4	2,024	50.9	760	121.4	1	*
30-39 Years.....	1,631	66.1	1,174	56.5	455	118.0	2	*
40 Years or Over.....	86	113.8	68	111.5	18	127.7	-	*
Not Stated.....	4	*	2	*	2	*	-	*
Total.....	10,178	70.5	6,830	57.6	3,334	130.4	14	68.0
Median Age at Last Birthday.....	24	000	24	000	23	000	23	000

¹2,500 grams or less

²Ratio denominator obtained from Table 1.6

TABLE 1.20 - Low Weight¹ Live Births and Low Birthweight Ratios by Prenatal Visits and Race of Child, Michigan Residents, 1979

NUMBER OF PRENATAL VISITS	TOTAL			RACE OF CHILD					
				WHITE		ALL OTHER		NOT STATED	
	NUMBER	RATIO ²		NUMBER	RATIO ²	NUMBER	RATIO ²	NUMBER	RATIO ²
None.....	238	265.3		104	222.7	134	312.4	-	*
1-4.....	1,172	202.3		636	182.0	535	233.3	1	*
5-9.....	3,768	110.9		2,619	98.2	1,148	157.9	1	*
10-14.....	3,632	43.8		2,583	36.2	1,044	90.2	5	92.6
15-19.....	490	36.9		344	30.5	146	73.7	-	*
20 or Over.....	141	57.0		91	47.2	50	91.6	-	*
Not Stated.....	737	145.0		453	130.0	277	187.0	7	59.3
Total.....	10,178	70.5		6,830	57.6	3,334	130.4	14	68.0
Median Number of Visits..	9	000		9	000	8	000	*	000
Mean Number of Visits	8.8	000		9.1	000	8.2	000	*	000

¹2500 grams or less

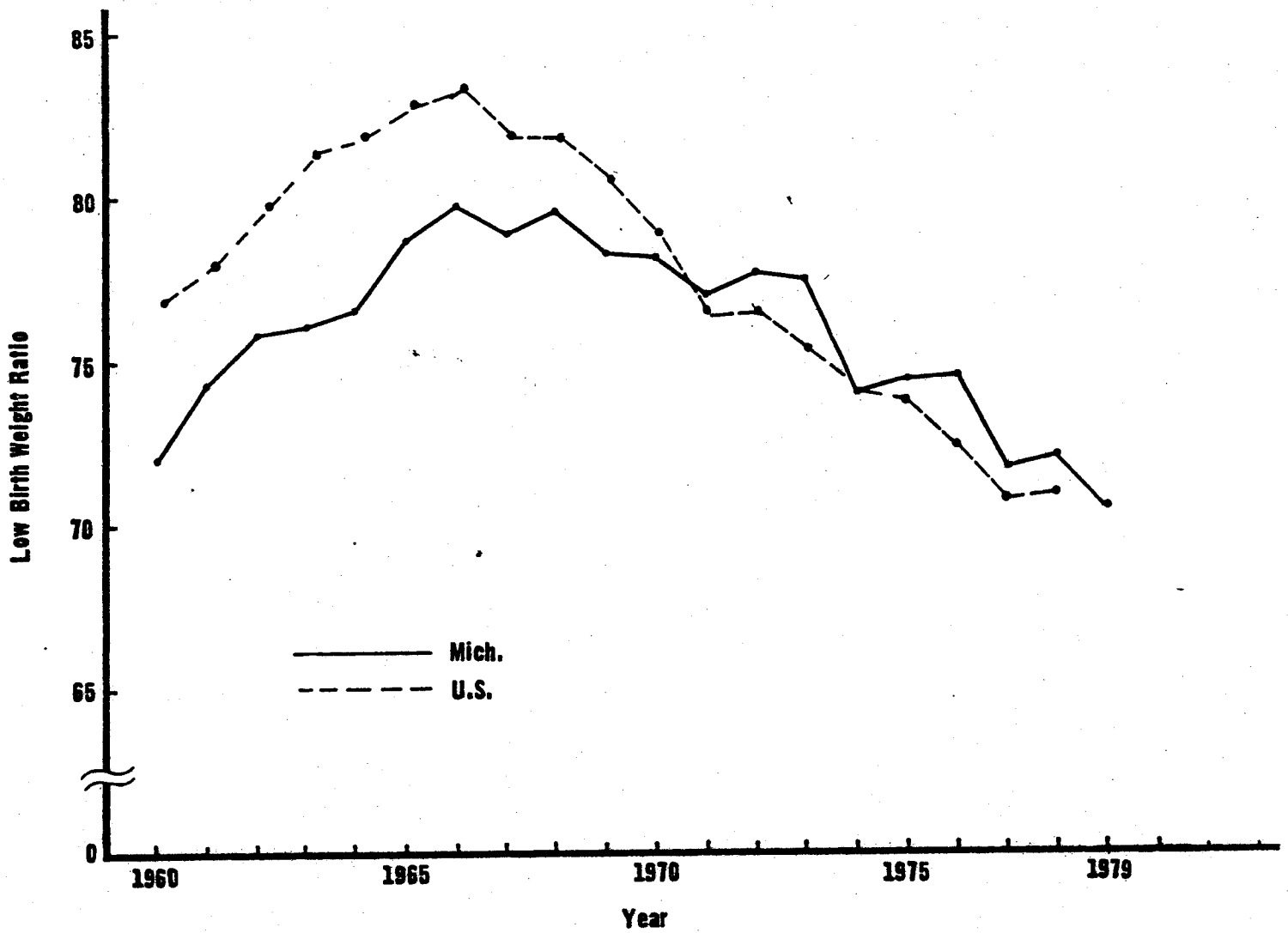
²Ratio denominator obtained from Table 1.6

Other than white infants have a substantially lower mean and median birth weight than white infants (Table 1.18). The low birth weight ratio for other than white infants is 130.4 compared with 57.6 for white infants (Table 1.20). Other than white infants and white infants show similar patterns of rising and falling ratios varying with changes in the age of the mother and frequency of prenatal visits. The low birth weight ratio for other than white infants varied from a high of 312.4 where the mother had no care to a low of 73.7 where the mother had 15-19 visits. The ratio for white infants varied from a high of 222.7 where the mother had no care to a low of 30.5 where the mother had 15-19 prenatal visits (Table 1.20). Overall, the low birth weight ratio for other than white infants was 2.3 times the ratio for white infants. This is associated with a differential in the proportion of mothers having had fewer than 10 prenatal visits. While 25.8 percent of mothers having white infants had less than 10 prenatal visits, the corresponding figure for mothers having other than white infants was 39.1 percent (Table 1.16).

Examination of Table 1.19 reveals that although the low birth weight ratios for white and other than white infants exhibit a similar pattern of variation by age of mother, the ratios for other than white infants vary less. For white infants the ratio associated with mothers under 15 years of age (131.1) is over twice as great as that of mothers in the 25-29 year age group (50.9). For other than white infants this differential is less than 25 percent (145.9 for mothers under 15 vs. 118.0 for mothers 30-39). The ratios for white and other than white infants are similar for mothers under age 15 and for those age 40 or over.

Figure 1.7 displays the low birth weight ratio for Michigan and the United States over the last twenty years. In 1960 this ratio was 72.0 for Michigan. Between 1960 and 1966 the ratio increased, reaching a high for the 20 year period in 1966 (79.8). Since that time the ratio has generally declined. The ratio of 70.5 for 1979 is the lowest ratio in this time period. The pattern for the United States has been similar. The ratio increased from 76.9 in 1960 to 83.3 in 1966, and has since declined. In 1978 the low birth weight ratio for the nation was 70.9. The ratio for the United States was above that for Michigan each year from 1960 through 1970. Since then the ratio for the nation has been the same or lower than that of Michigan.

FIGURE 1.7 Low Birth Weight Ratio, Michigan and United States Residents, 1960-1979.¹



¹ 1979 data for U.S. not available.

SEX OF INFANT

In 1979 51.3 percent of the infants born to Michigan residents were male. The proportion of males to females varies by race. The number of males per 1,000 females was 1,057 for white infants, 1,039 for blacks, 1,033 for American Indians, and 1,007 for infants of all other races (Table 1.21). For each race the low birthweight ratio for females is higher than for males. The ratio of 76.3 for females of all races is 17.7 percent above the corresponding ratio of 64.8 for males.

Table 1.21 - Live Births, Low Weight Live Births, and Low Birthweight Ratios,
by Sex and Race, Michigan Residents, 1979

Race	Live Births			Low Weight Live Births			Low Birthweight Ratios			
	Total ¹	Male	Female	Males per 1,000 Females	Total ¹	Male	Female	Total ¹	Male	Female
Total	144,452	74,107	70,339	1,054	10,178	4,805	5,367	70.5	64.8	76.3
White	118,671	60,981	57,686	1,057	6,830	3,261	3,565	57.6	53.5	61.8
Black	24,010	12,232	11,776	1,039	3,234	1,491	1,741	134.7	121.9	147.8
American Indian	435	221	214	1,033	25	11	14	57.5	49.8	65.4
Other	1,130	567	563	1,007	75	36	39	66.4	63.5	69.3
Unknown	206	106	100	1,060	14	6	8	68.0	56.6	80.0

¹Records with sex not stated are included only in total columns

MOTHER'S EDUCATION

Educational attainment of women having live births in 1979 varied with their age (Table 1.22). Of all Michigan resident live births in 1979 21.9 percent were to women who had not completed high school. The majority (62.3 percent) of mothers aged less than 20 had not completed high school. The percent of mothers with fewer than 4 years of high school dropped to 21.3 for those aged 20-24 and to 9.6 for mothers aged 25-34. This percent increased to 15.5 for mothers aged 35-39 and to 24.6 for mothers 40 years or older. Conversely, age of mother varied with the level of education. The median age of the mother was lowest (20 years) for those with 9 to 11 years of education and highest (29 years) for women with 4 or more years of college.

Birth order varies with the mother's education as well as her age. Table 1.23 indicates that although the median age of mothers increases with educational level, the first birth ratio (first live births per 100 live births) also varies directly with educational attainment. The first birth ratio for mothers with 4 years of college was 46.1 compared to 36.3 for mothers with 8 or fewer years of education. Within each age group there are increases in the first birth ratio as educational level rises beyond the category of 9-11 years of education. For live births to women 20-24 years of age who had completed 4 or more years of college, 84.3 percent were to women with no previous live births, while only 24.4 percent of the live births to women of the same age who had not completed high school were first births. Mothers with 9 to 11 years of education had the lowest or second lowest first birth ratio within each age interval taken separately but the second highest total first birth ratio (43.7). This overall high ratio reflects the fact that a relatively large proportion of births to mothers with 9 to 11 years of education occurred before the age of 20.

TABLE 1.22 - Live Births by Age and Education of Mother,
Michigan Residents, 1979

AGE OF MOTHER	TOTAL	MOTHER'S EDUCATION						PERCENT WITH AT LEAST HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION
		8TH GRADE OR LESS	1-3 YEARS HIGH SCHOOL	4 YEARS HIGH SCHOOL	1-3 YEARS COLLEGE	4 OR MORE YEARS COLLEGE	NOT STATED	
Under 20 Years	21,594	1,201	12,244	7,417	562	2	168	37.0
20-24 Years	51,319	900	10,046	29,801	8,862	1,445	265	78.2
25-29 Years	46,084	592	3,825	20,959	11,941	8,495	272	89.8
30-34 Years	19,962	387	1,537	7,536	4,541	5,841	120	89.8
35-39 Years	4,720	178	552	1,899	913	1,150	28	83.9
40 or More Years	756	72	114	331	117	110	12	73.8
Not Stated	17	-	2	4	5	3	3	70.6
Total	144,452	3,330	28,320	67,947	26,941	17,046	868	77.5
Median Age at Last Birthday	24	22	20	24	26	29	24	000

TABLE 1.23 - First Birth Ratios¹ by Age and Education
of Mother, Michigan Residents, 1979

AGE OF MOTHER	TOTAL	MOTHER'S EDUCATION				
		8TH GRADE OR LESS	1-3 YEARS HIGH SCHOOL	4 YEARS HIGH SCHOOL	1-3 YEARS COLLEGE	4 OR MORE YEARS COLLEGE
Under 20 Years	80.2	74.4	77.3	85.0	91.8	*
20-24 Years	48.2	23.0	24.5	50.0	65.9	84.3
25-29 Years	31.0	12.3	9.3	23.8	34.0	55.8
30-34 Years	17.7	5.4	5.1	13.0	16.9	28.6
35 or More Years	9.9	6.0	3.5	8.0	10.1	17.5
Total	41.8	36.3	43.7	40.2	41.9	46.1

¹First live births per 100 live births. Births where the mother's age and/or education are not stated are included in the total but are not reallocated to specific age and education categories.

CONGENITAL ANOMALIES

One or more congenital anomalies were reported for 1,228 of the 144,452 resident live births in 1979 (Table 1.24). This translates to a rate of 85.0 per 10,000 live births.

In 1979 the 9th Revision of the International Classification of Diseases was introduced for the coding of reported congenital anomalies. Care should be exercised in making comparisons between the reported incidences of specific types of anomalies for years during which different revisions of the ICD were used to classify anomalies. In addition the frequency of reporting of specific anomalies is affected by the reporting schedule. Many conditions may not be apparent at the time the birth certificate is completed and filed.

The most frequently reported categories were ICD 754, certain congenital musculoskeletal deformities (including clubfoot), and ICD 755, other congenital anomalies of limbs (excluding those classified to 754), with 179 and 307 anomalies, respectively. When these categories are combined with the category 756, other congenital musculoskeletal anomalies, the total number of musculoskeletal system anomalies reported increases to 551, or 38.2 percent of all anomalies reported. There were 145 infants born with cleft palate and/or cleft lip.

Congenital anomaly rates by age of mother and race of child are presented in Table 1.25. The highest rates were experienced by mothers under 15 years of age (140.8 per 10,000 live births) and those over 39 years of age (145.5). The rate for the highest risk category, women 40 years or over, was nearly double the rate of the age group with the lowest rate, (75.1 for women 30-34 years). Congenital anomaly rates for white infants and infants of other races showed similar patterns of variation by age of mother, and the overall rates were similar (85.7 for white infants compared to 81.7 for infants of all other races).

Figure 1.8 displays the rate of reported congenital anomalies for Michigan resident live births over the period 1970-1979. The rate rose from 88.3 per ten thousand live births in 1970 to 100.8 in 1973. Since 1973 the rate has declined by 15.7 percent. The rate of 85.0 for 1979 is the lowest of the decade.

TABLE 1.24 - Congenital Anomalies¹ Reported by Type of Anomaly, Michigan Residents, 1979

Type of Anomaly	ICD ³ Number	Number of Conditions ⁴	Rate per 10,000 Live Births
Other congenital anomalies of limbs	755	307	21.3
Certain congenital musculoskeletal deformities	754	179	12.4
Cleft palate and cleft lip	749	145	10.0
Congenital anomalies of genital organs	752	124	8.6
Congenital anomalies of the integument	757	121	8.4
Other congenital musculoskeletal anomalies	756	65	4.5
Other and unspecified congenital anomalies	759	56	3.9
Chromosomal anomalies	758	54	3.7
Congenital anomalies of ear, face and neck	744	51	3.5
Other congenital anomalies of nervous system	742	50	3.5
Spina bifida	741	47	3.3
Other congenital anomalies of heart	746	45	3.1
Other congenital anomalies of upper alimentary tract	750	39	2.7
Other congenital anomalies of digestive system	751	31	2.1
Congenital anomalies of respiratory system	748	28	1.9
Congenital anomalies of urinary system	753	28	1.9
Other congenital anomalies of circulatory system	747	27	1.9
Anencephalus and similar anomalies	740	23	1.6
Congenital anomalies of eye	743	12	0.8
Bulbus cordis anomalies & anomalies of cardiac septal closure	745	12	0.8
At Least One Anomaly ²		1,228	85.0

¹- Indicates anomalies apparent soon after a live birth.

²- Does not equal the sum of anomalies specified because of multiple anomaly occurrences.

³-Ninth Revision International Classification of Diseases, WHO.

⁴-Includes three digit duplicates if fourth digit is different, permitting total counting of distinct conditions.

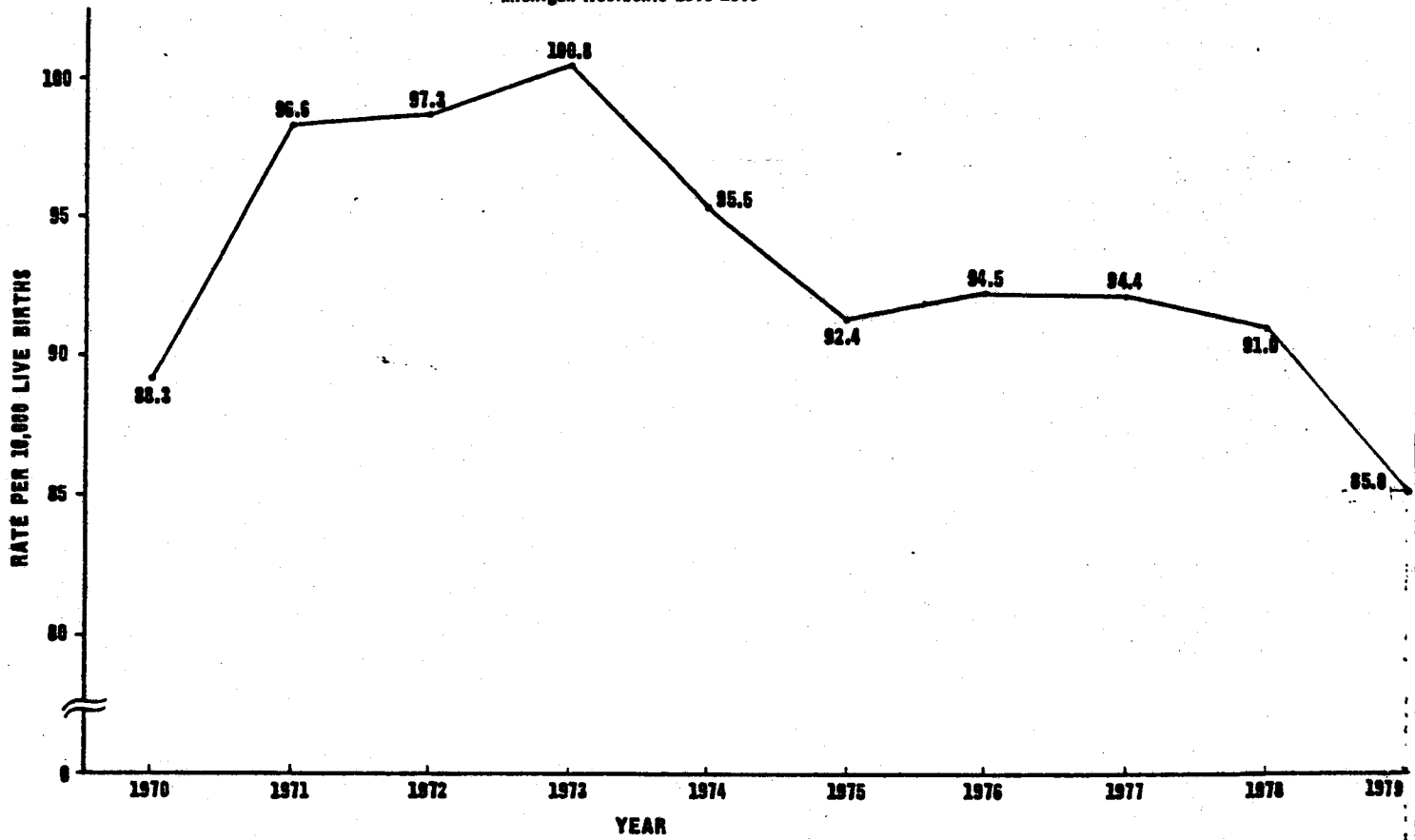
TABLE 1.25 - Live Births With Congenital Anomalies Reported and Congenital Anomaly Rates¹ by Age of Mother and Race of Child, Michigan Residents, 1979

AGE OF MOTHER	TOTAL		RACE OF CHILD					
			WHITE		ALL OTHER		NOT STATED	
	Number	Rate ²	Number	Rate ²	Number	Rate ²	Number	Rate ²
Under 15 Years.....	5	140.8	3	*	2	*	-	*
15-19 Years.....	188	88.5	137	90.9	49	79.8	2	*
20-24 Years.....	439	85.5	362	85.5	77	86.1	-	*
25-29 Years.....	383	83.1	333	83.8	50	79.9	-	*
30-34 Years.....	150	75.1	129	76.1	21	70.8	-	*
35-39 Years.....	52	110.2	42	109.7	10	112.4	-	*
40 Years or Over.....	11	145.5	11	180.3	-	*	-	*
Total.....	1,228	85.0	1,017	85.7	209	81.7	2	*
Median Age at Last Birthday.....	24	000	25	000	23	000	*	000

¹Number of live births with congenital anomalies reported per 10,000 live births

²Rate denominator obtained from Table 1.6

**FIGURE 1.8 Incidence of Congenital Anomalies Reported Per 10,000 Live Births
Michigan Residents 1970-1979**



COMPLICATIONS

The numbers of deliveries with specific types of complications reported are shown in Table 1.26. These data represent entries in three boxes on the live birth certificate: complications of pregnancy, concurrent illnesses or conditions affecting this pregnancy, and complications of labor and/or delivery. It is important to note that these items are under-reported on the birth certificate. Some conditions or procedures, such as obstetrical operations, may be routinely performed by some physicians, and hence not be considered "complications". In addition to valid complications there are also inappropriate terms entered, such as "prematurity", "spontaneous delivery", or "home delivery". These inappropriate terms were omitted in the tabulations of complications shown in Tables 1.26 and 1.27. The total number of deliveries with entries in one or more of the three "complication" boxes was 36,255. Of these, 33,931 (93.6 percent) had one or more valid complications. This is a rate of 23.5 per 100 live births.

It should be noted that in some cases the code used to describe the complication is dependent on the box in which the entry is found, while in other cases the same code is given regardless of the box used. An example of the latter situation is chronic hypertension, which is shown in Table 1.26 under the heading "Concurrent illnesses or conditions affecting this pregnancy" regardless of the box in which it was entered on the birth certificate. Thus, there were 6,831 deliveries (472.9 per 10,000 live births) with one or more entries which were coded to the various categories under the heading "Concurrent illnesses or conditions affecting this pregnancy", while the number of births with one or more entries in the box bearing this title on the birth certificate was only 4,808 (332.8 per 10,000 live births). This latter figure is comparable to the rate of 308.2 reported for 1978 as prior to 1979 specific types of complications were not coded and tabulated. Rates presented for "Concurrent illnesses or conditions affecting this pregnancy", "Complications of pregnancy", and "Complications of Labor and/or Delivery" were derived from the numbers of records with entries in these boxes.

Among the most commonly reported maternal conditions not directly related to the pregnancy were chronic hypertensive disease, diabetes mellitus, and previous cesarean

Table 1.26 - Live Births With Specific Types of Complications Reported,
Michigan Residents, 1979

Type of Complication	Number of Deliveries ¹	Rate per 10,000 Live Births
Concurrent illnesses or conditions affecting this pregnancy	6,831	472.9
Chronic circulatory and genitourinary diseases in mother	1,611	111.5
Chronic rheumatic heart disease	49	3.4
Chronic hypentensive disease	1,072	74.2
Other chronic diseases and congenital anomalies of heart and circulatory system	158	10.9
Chronic diseases of genitourinary system	350	24.2
Other maternal conditions	5,434	376.2
Syphilis	8	0.6
Gonorrhea and other VD, excl. syphilis	89	6.2
Diabetes mellitus	799	55.3
Influenza	21	1.5
Rubella	12	0.8
Injury	43	3.0
Prior operations (excl. previous cesarean section)	179	12.4
Previous cesarean section	2,239	155.0
Narcotic or drug user	255	17.7
Obesity	316	21.9
Hepatitis	27	1.9
Anemia	257	17.8
All other maternal conditions	1,294	89.6
Unknown type of maternal condition	102	7.1
Toxemia of pregnancy	2,217	153.5
Hypertensive disease arising during pregnancy	33	2.3
Pre-eclampsia of pregnancy	1,488	103.0
Eclampsia of pregnancy	50	3.5
Hyperemesis gravidarum	75	5.2
Toxemia superimposed on pre-existing hypertensive cardiovascular disease	78	5.4
Other and unspecified toxemia of pregnancy	622	43.1

Table 1.26 - Live Births With Specific Types of Complications Reported,
Michigan Residents, 1979
(Continued)

Type of Complication	Number of Deliveries ¹	Rate per 10,000 Live Births
Maternal ante- and intrapartum infection	495	34.3
Infections of genital tract	41	2.8
Pyelitis and pyelonephritis	48	3.3
Other infections of urinary tract	104	7.2
Infections of amniotic fluid	160	11.1
Other infections	156	10.8
Difficult labor with disproportion or abnormality of organs and tissues of the pelvis	4,469	309.4
Difficult labor with malposition of fetus	4,447	307.9
Breech presentation	2,895	200.4
Transverse presentation	207	14.3
Brow presentation	63	4.4
Face presentation	87	6.0
Compound or shoulder presentation	62	4.3
Other specified presentation	520	36.0
Unspecified presentation	648	44.9
Difficult labor with abnormality of forces of labor	1,057	73.2
Primary uterine inertia	352	24.4
Secondary uterine inertia	204	14.1
Prolonged second stage	153	10.6
Precipitate birth	241	16.7
Other and unspecified abnormality of forces of labor	120	8.3
Other and unspecified difficult labor	817	56.6
Laceration of pelvic organs	582	40.3
Conditions of placenta and fetal membranes	1,643	113.7
Placenta previa - partial	457	31.6
Placenta previa - complete	20	1.4
Premature separation of placenta - partial	824	57.0
Premature separation of placenta - complete	18	1.2
Placental insufficiency	57	3.9
Delivery complicated by retained placenta	271	18.8

Table 1.25 - Live Births With Specific Types of Complications Reported,
Michigan Residents, 1979
(Continued)

Type of Complication	Number of Deliveries ¹	Rate per 10,000 Live Births
Other and unspecified abnormalities of placenta and fetal membranes	61	4.2
Conditions of umbilical cord	2,824	195.5
Other complications of pregnancy and child birth	9,519	659.0
Incompetent cervix	270	18.7
Premature rupture of membranes	3,364	232.9
Hydramnios	144	10.0
Ectopic pregnancy	10	0.7
Abortion - any type	21	1.5
Destructive operation on live fetus to facilitate birth	19	1.3
Multiple pregnancy	1,255	86.9
Hemorrhage or threatened abortion	652	45.1
RH incompatibility	317	21.9
Anemia of pregnancy	213	14.7
All other complications of pregnancy and childbirth	4,072	281.9
Unknown type of complication of pregnancy and childbirth	102	7.1
Obstetrical operations	14,335	992.4
Antepartum obstetrical procedures	47	3.3
Operations inducing labor or assisting delivery	1,101	76.2
Cesarean section	13,048	903.3
Operations after delivery or abortion	220	15.2
At least one complication	33,931	2,348.9

¹Sum of subcategories may not equal total for category due to the occurrences of multiple complications.

sections, which were reported 1,072, 799, and 2,239 times, respectively, in 1979. Toxemia of pregnancy was reported for 2,217 deliveries (153.5 per 10,000). The most common form was pre-eclampsia of pregnancy, which was reported 103.0 times per 10,000 deliveries. Various forms of difficult labor were reported in 10,790 deliveries (747.0 per 10,000). There were 1,643 deliveries complicated by conditions of the placenta and fetal membranes, and 2,824 by conditions of the umbilical cord. Premature rupture of membranes was reported for 3,364 deliveries. There were 13,048 deliveries reported as Cesarean sections. It should be noted that the type of delivery is not a question on the birth certificate, so that the rate of 903.3 Cesarean sections per 10,000 deliveries undoubtedly understates the true rate.

The distribution by age of mother and race of infant for deliveries with complications reported is shown in Table 1.27. Mothers less than 15 years of age and older mothers were more likely to experience complications. The lowest rate was for mothers 15-19 years of age (22.5 complications per 100 live births). The rate increased to 30.6 for mothers 40 years or over. The median age of mothers with complications reported was 25 years, compared to 24 years for all live births. A similar pattern of variation by age of mother was observed for white and other than white infants. The rate for other than white infants is higher than for white infants in all age groups except the age group under 15 years. Overall the rate for other than white infants is about 20 percent higher (27.2 compared to 22.7).

Table 1.27 - Live Births with Complications Reported and Complication Rates¹
by Age of Mother and Race of Child,
Michigan Residents, 1979

Age of Mother	Total		Race of Child					
			White		All Other		Not Stated	
	Number	Rate ²	Number	Rate ²	Number	Rate ²	Number	Rate ²
Under 15 Years	102	28.7	39	32.0	63	27.0	-	*
15-19 Years	4,769	22.5	3,209	21.3	1,555	25.3	5	23.8
20-24 Years	11,668	22.7	9,336	22.1	2,325	26.0	7	11.5
25-29 Years	10,741	23.3	9,012	22.7	1,722	27.5	7	9.0
30-34 Years	5,035	25.2	4,117	24.3	913	30.8	5	13.2
35-39 Years	1,382	29.3	1,047	27.4	335	37.6	-	*
40 Years or Over	231	30.6	181	29.7	50	35.5	-	*
Unknown	3	*	2	*	1	*	-	*
Total	33,931	23.5	26,943	22.7	6,964	27.2	24	11.7
Median Age at Last Birthday	25	000	25	000	23	000	23	000

¹Number of live births with complications reported per 100 live births

²Rate denominator obtained from Table 1.6

PLACE OF OCCURRENCE

Of some confusion to persons not familiar with vital records data is the difference between occurrence and residence figures. Information on events to residents of Michigan that occur throughout the country and, in some instances, outside its boundaries is collected in order to obtain the full scope of activity for the state population. Of the total 144,452 resident live births, 1,807 occurred outside the state. Information on these events is forwarded to the state of Michigan for statistical purposes only. While only 1.3 percent of the total for the state is involved, statistics for the counties on Michigan's southern and northwestern borders would be strongly affected were this information not available.

Table 1.28 shows the four major geographic areas where Michigan resident live births occur outside the state. These four border areas comprise 91.6 percent of all resident live births that occurred out of state. Live births to Michigan residents occurred in 36 of the 50 states in 1979 and in the District of Columbia.

The number of nonresident live births that occurred in Michigan in 1979 was 595. Information about those events was shared with the appropriate states by the State of Michigan under specific confidentiality guidelines, so that they might have a complete statistical file on their residents. The border areas comprised 77.0 percent of these events, as shown in Table 1.28. There were live births in Michigan to residents of 32 states and at least four foreign countries.

TABLE 1.28 - Michigan Resident Live Births Occurring Outside of Michigan by Place of Occurrence, and Live Births Occurring in Michigan to Non-Michigan Residents by Place of Residence, 1979

GEOGRAPHIC AREA	LIVE BIRTHS TO RESIDENTS OCCURRING OUTSIDE MICHIGAN		LIVE BIRTHS TO NONRESIDENTS OCCURRING IN MICHIGAN	
	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
Total.....	1,807	100.0	595	100.0
Indiana.....	670	37.1	127	21.3
Ohio.....	523	28.9	107	18.0
Wisconsin.....	369	20.4	209	35.1
Canada.....	94	5.2	15	2.5
Other Areas.....	151	8.4	137	23.0

PLACE OF BIRTH

In 1979 99.44 percent of the 143,240 infants born in Michigan were delivered in hospitals. There were 619 infants born at home, and 184 other non-hospital deliveries (Table 1.29). While the percentage of infants not born in hospitals is still very small, the number of home deliveries and other out-of-hospital births has increased in recent years. Between 1973 and 1979 the number of infants born at home increased by 120 percent, while the proportion of all live-born infants who were delivered at home increased from 0.20 percent in 1973 to 0.43 percent in 1979.

ATTENDANT AT BIRTH

Data in Table 1.30 reveal that 99.5 percent of the live births which occurred in Michigan were attended by a physician, either an M.D. or D.O. There were 257 live births attended by the mother's husband, while nurses delivered 137 infants and midwives and nurse-midwives delivered 44 babies. During 1979 there were 66 infants born to unattended women.

Of the 619 infants born in the mother's home 31.0 percent were attended by a physician, while an additional 36.5 percent were attended by the husband.

Table 1.29 Live Births by Place of Delivery,
Michigan Occurrences, 1973-1979

Year	Total	Place of Delivery					
		Hospital		Home		Other and Unknown	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
1973	140,359	139,983	99.73	282	0.20	94	0.07
1974	136,418	136,049	99.73	282	0.21	87	0.06
1975	132,777	132,354	99.68	313	0.24	110	0.08
1976	130,253	129,714	99.59	375	0.29	164	0.13
1977	137,140	136,503	99.54	489	0.36	148	0.11
1978	137,896	137,119	99.44	573	0.42	204	0.15
1979	143,240	142,437	99.44	619	0.43	184	0.13

Table 1.30 Live Births by Place of Delivery and Type of Attendant,
Michigan Occurrences, 1979

Attendant	Place of Delivery									
	Total		Hospital		Home		Other and Unknown			
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent		
Total	143,240	100.0	142,437	100.0	619	100.0	184	100.0		
Physician, M.D.	121,590	84.9	121,340	85.2	160	25.8	90	48.9		
Physician, D.O.	20,967	14.6	20,915	14.7	32	5.2	20	10.9		
Husband	257	0.2	5	0.0	226	36.5	26	14.1		
Nurse	137	0.1	123	0.1	9	1.5	5	2.7		
Midwife	32	0.0	-	-	30	4.8	2	1.1		
Physician's Ass't.	8	0.0	8	0.0	-	-	-	-		
Nurse-Midwife ¹	12	0.0	2	0.0	7	1.1	3	1.6		
Other	170	0.1	42	0.0	96	15.5	32	17.4		
Unattended	66	0.0	2	0.0	58	9.4	6	3.3		
Unknown	1	0.0	-	-	1	0.2	-	-		

1 - May or may not be certified by the American College of Nurse Midwives.

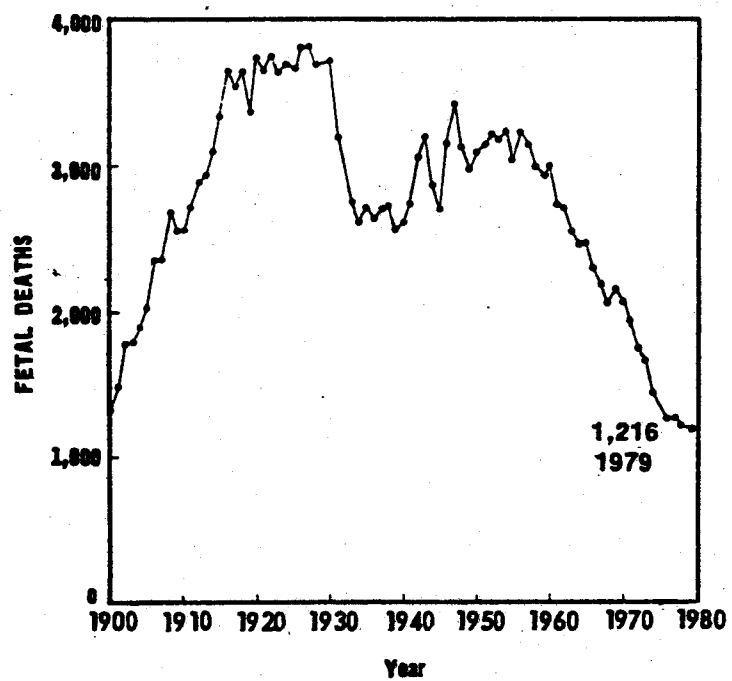
FETAL DEATHS

There were 1,325 fetal deaths reported in 1900 through the death registration system. The number of reported fetal deaths increased from 1900 through 1916. In 1916 there were 3,689 fetal deaths (Figure 1.9). The numbers of such deaths were relatively stable from 1916 through 1930, with the peak year for the period being 1927. This year marked the highest frequency of occurrence in this century with 3,834 fetal deaths. Over the period 1930 through 1939, fetal deaths declined, reaching 2,572. Fetal deaths then increased through 1943, decreased in 1944 and 1945, and increased again to 3,422 in 1947. Fetal deaths numbered between 3,000 and 3,250 in the period 1948 to 1958. In the 1960's and 70's the number of fetal deaths declined sharply. By 1976, the number of fetal deaths fell to 1,271, the lowest number reported in this century. The figure was slightly higher in 1977 (1,288). In 1978 and 1979 new lows of 1,221 and 1,216 were observed, respectively.

Part of the decline in fetal deaths from 1977 to 1978 was due to the introduction of a new reporting form on October 1, 1978. The principal responsibility for reporting a fetal death was shifted from the funeral director to the hospital or other institution where the delivery occurred. Michigan resident fetal deaths numbered 966 in the first nine months of 1977 and 963 in the same period during 1978. There was a significant decline between 1977 and 1978 in the number of fetal deaths reported for the transitional month of October (117 in 1977 and 69 in 1978). In the last two months of 1977 there were 205 fetal deaths reported compared to 189 in the last two months of 1978. This problem of underreporting was addressed, and the fetal death file for 1979 is believed to be complete.

The fetal death ratio for Michigan has declined through most of the twentieth century (Figure 1.10 and Table 4.2). The ratio rose from 30.3 in 1900 to 43.5 in 1905. Through the teens and early twenties, this ratio fluctuated between 38 and 42, never reaching the peak ratio observed in 1905. In 1922, Michigan's fetal death ratio was 42.0. The year 1922 marks a turning point, as fetal death ratios have generally declined since this year. The low ratio of 1900 was first succeeded by a new low

FIGURE 1.9 Fetal Deaths, Michigan Residents, 1900-1979



ratio in 1936 (29.7). Over the next 43 years, new lows have been established repeatedly, as the fetal death ratio continues to decline. The ratio in 1979 was 8.4, the lowest observed in this century.

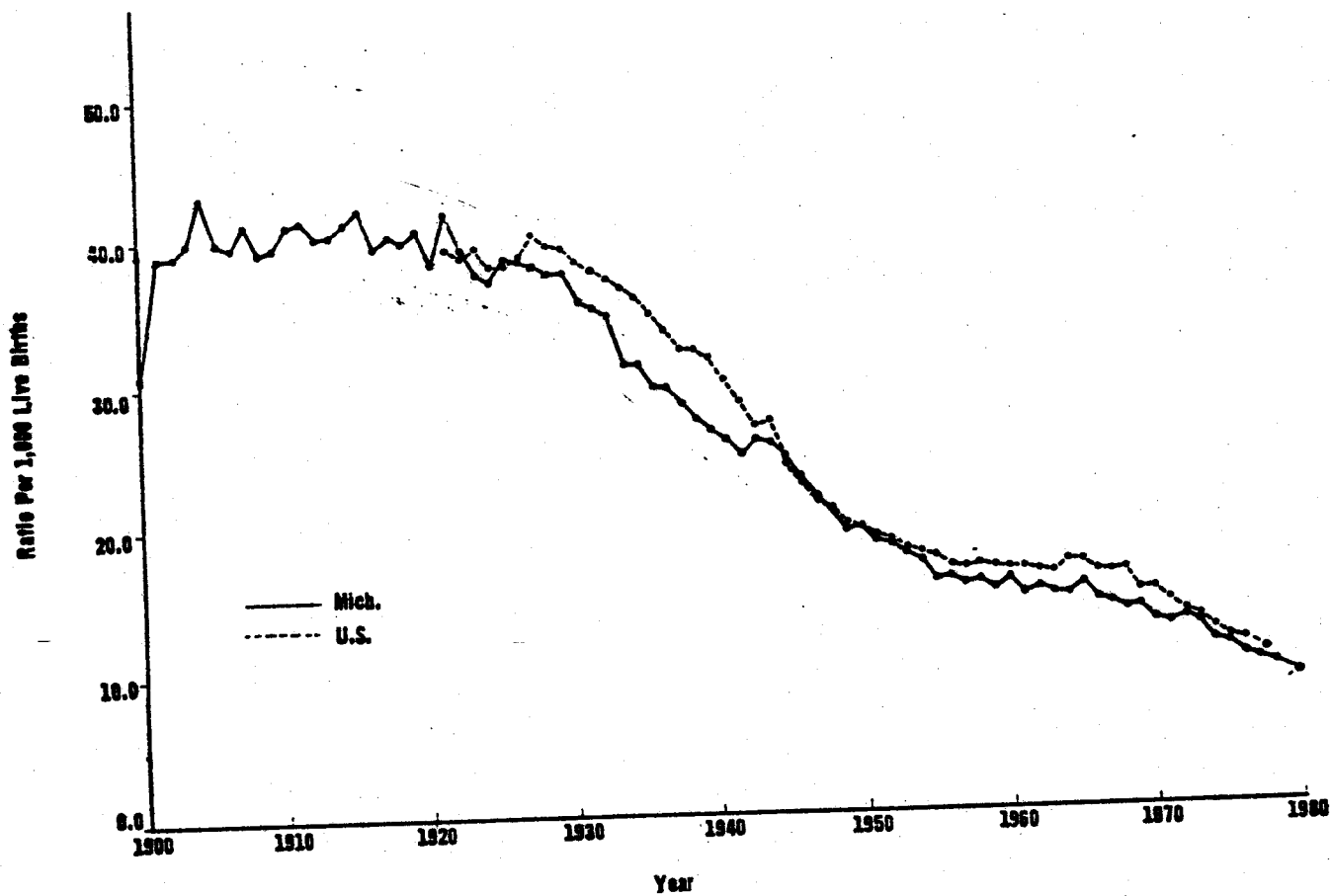
National fetal death data are presented in Figure 1.10 and Table 1.31. Michigan's fetal death ratios have generally been below national ratios. In fact, the United States ratio has been below that for Michigan in only six of the 56 years for which national data are available. The last time the United States ratio was below the Michigan ratio was in 1947. In 1977, the Michigan ratio was 6.1 percent below the national ratio of 9.9. It should be noted that fetal deaths in Michigan are comprised of stillbirths that have passed through 20 weeks gestation. This definition is different from that of some states. (Since October 1 of 1978 stillbirths of fetuses of less than 20 weeks gestation weighing 400 grams or more are also required to be reported as fetal deaths. The impact of this change in definition on the number of fetal deaths reported has been minimal.

CAUSES OF FETAL DEATH

A classification of fetal deaths by underlying cause of death is contained in Table 1.32. This classification is based on the 9th Revision of the International Classification of Diseases which was introduced in 1979. Since major changes were made between the 8th and 9th Revisions of the ICD in the section used for classifying causes of fetal death, comparisons between cause-specific ratios for 1979 and those for previous years require detailed study. Also, since a relatively large number of deaths are allocated to unspecified causes, caution should be exercised in attempting to draw specific inferences regarding causes of death.

In 1979, 325 of the total 1,216 deaths were assigned to the category of "Other and ill-defined conditions originating in the perinatal period" and of these 325 fetal deaths 267 were in the "unspecified" category. Nearly half (44.7 percent) of the fetal deaths for which a cause was stated were attributed to complications of

**FIGURE 1.10 - Fetal Death Ratios, Michigan Residents, 1900-1979,
and United States Residents, 1922- 1977.**



1. U.S. Rates Prior to 1922 are not Available
2. U.S. Rates Prior to 1933 are for Registration Areas Only.

TABLE 1.31 - Fetal Deaths and Fetal Death Ratios,
Michigan and United States Residents, 1900-1979

UNITED STATES		YEAR	MICHIGAN	
FETAL DEATHS	FETAL DEATH RATIOS		FETAL DEATHS	FETAL DEATH RATIOS
---	---	1900	1,325	30.3
---	---	1910	2,559	39.9
70,010 ¹	39.4	1920	3,770	40.9
86,466	39.2	1930	3,714	37.6
73,802	31.3	1940	2,602	26.3
68,261	19.2	1950	3,095	19.3
68,480	16.1	1960	3,008	15.4
52,961	14.2	1970	2,060	12.0
47,818	13.4	1971	1,923	11.9
41,380	12.7	1972	1,770	12.1
38,309	12.2	1973	1,682	11.9
36,281	11.5	1974	1,451	10.6
33,796	10.7	1975	1,373	10.3
33,111	10.5	1976	1,271	9.7
33,053	9.9	1977	1,288	9.3
---	---	1978	1,221	8.8
---	---	1979	1,216	8.4

¹Data for 1922

Table 1.32
Fetal Deaths and Fetal Death Ratios by Underlying Cause of Death,
Michigan Residents, 1979

ICD No. ¹	CAUSE OF DEATH	FREQUENCY	RATIO ²
740	Anencephalus and similar anomalies	26	18.0
742	Other congenital anomalies of nervous system	15	10.4
745	Bulbus cordis anomalies and anomalies of cardiac septal closure	2	1.4
746	Other congenital anomalies of heart	4	2.8
748	Congenital anomalies of respiratory system	1	0.7
749	Cleft palate and cleft lip	1	0.7
753	Congenital anomalies of urinary system	2	1.4
756	Other congenital musculoskeletal anomalies	1	0.7
758	Chromosomal anomalies	2	1.4
759	Other and unspecified congenital anomalies	23	15.9
740-759	All congenital anomalies combined	77	53.3
760	Fetus or newborn affected by maternal conditions which may be unrelated to present pregnancy	69	47.8
761	Fetus or newborn affected by maternal complications of pregnancy	112	77.5
762	Fetus or newborn affected by complications of, placenta, cord and membranes	424	293.5
763	Fetus or newborn affected by other complications of labor and delivery	5	3.5
764	Slow fetal growth and fetal malnutrition	3	2.1
765	Disorders relating to short gestation and unspecified low birthweight	88	60.9
767	Birth trauma	2	1.4
768	Intrauterine hypoxia and birth asphyxia	62	42.9
770	Other respiratory conditions of fetus and newborn	4	2.8
771	Infections specific to the perinatal period	6	4.2
772	Fetal and neonatal hemorrhage	6	4.2
773	Hemolytic disease of fetus or newborn, due to isoimmunization	7	4.8
775	Endocrine and metabolic disturbances specific to the fetus and newborn	20	13.8
776	Hematological disorders of fetus and newborn	2	1.4
777	Perinatal disorders of digestive system	2	1.4
778	Conditions involving the integument and temperature regulation of fetus and newborn	2	1.4
779	Other and ill-defined conditions originating in the perinatal period	325	225.0

1 - Ninth Revision of the International Classification of Diseases.
2 - Ratios per 100,000 resident live births.

placenta, cord, and membranes (ICD 762). This is a group of maternal conditions which includes placenta previa, premature separation of the placenta, placental hemorrhage, and compression of the umbilical cord. Second in frequency was the category maternal complications of pregnancy (ICD 761), which was listed as the cause of 112 fetal deaths. This includes such complications as premature rupture of membranes, multiple pregnancy, and incompetent cervix. Disorders relating to short gestation and unspecified low birthweight were the cause of 88 fetal deaths. Of the 77 deaths caused by congenital anomalies, 26 were attributed to anencephalus or similar anomalies.

AGE OF MOTHER AND RACE OF FETUS

It appears that the younger, the older, and other than white mothers have a greater risk of delivering a stillborn fetus. The rates of fetal loss for mothers under 15 years, 40 years or over, and for the other than white fetus are higher than those for other groups (Table 1.33).

The overall fetal death rate per 1,000 total births (live births plus fetal deaths) was 8.3 in 1979. An association of maternal age with fetal death rates is apparent from Table 1.33. The 25-29 year age group displayed the lowest rate. Progressively older and younger age groups displayed increasingly higher rates. The rate for women 15-19 (9.1) was 28.2 percent higher than the rate for women 25-29 years of age (7.1). The highest rates were experienced by girls under 15 years and by women 40 years or over. The rate for these groups (22.0) was over three times the rate for women in the lowest risk age group. The median age of women whose pregnancy resulted in a fetal death was 24 years, the same as for women having live births.

In 1979 the fetal death rate for white fetuses was 7.0 while the fetal death rate for other races was 84.3 percent higher at 12.9. Rates for other than white fetuses were higher than for white fetuses in all age intervals with sufficient events to calculate rates. The differentials ranged from 39.5 percent for women aged 15 through 19 to 134.5 percent for women aged 25-29.

Table 1.33
Fetal Deaths, Live Births, Total Births, and
Fetal Death Rates by Age of Mother and Race of Fetus,
Michigan Residents, 1979

AGE OF MOTHER AND RACE OF FETUS	FETAL DEATHS	LIVE BIRTHS	TOTAL BIRTHS	RATE PER 1,000 TOTAL BIRTHS
Under 15 Years.....	8	355	363	22.0
White.....	2	122	124	*
Other Than White...	5	233	238	21.0
Not Stated.....	1	-	1	000
15-19 Years.....	196	21,239	21,435	9.1
White.....	123	15,076	15,199	8.1
Other Than White...	70	6,142	6,212	11.3
Not Stated.....	3	21	24	000
20-24 Years.....	393	51,319	51,712	7.6
White.....	277	42,318	42,595	6.5
Other Than White...	110	8,940	9,050	12.2
Not Stated.....	6	61	67	000
25-29 Years.....	331	46,084	46,415	7.1
White.....	231	39,747	39,978	5.8
Other Than White...	86	6,259	6,345	13.6
Not Stated.....	14	78	92	000
30-39 Years.....	212	24,682	24,894	8.5
White.....	162	20,785	20,947	7.7
Other Than White...	43	3,856	3,899	11.0
Not Stated.....	7	41	48	000
40 or Over.....	17	756	773	22.0
White.....	13	610	623	20.9
Other Than White...	2	141	143	*
Not Stated.....	2	5	7	000
Not Stated.....	59	17	76	000
White.....	30	13	43	000
Other Than White...	18	4	22	000
Not Stated.....	11	-	11	000
Total.....	1,216	144,452	145,668	8.3
White.....	838	118,671	119,509	7.0
Other Than White...	334	25,575	25,909	12.9
Not Stated.....	44	206	250	000

INTERPREGNANCY TIME PERIOD FOR FETAL DEATHS

For those women whose pregnancy terminated with a fetal death in 1979, a total of 497 reported the date of the termination of a previous pregnancy. The median interpregnancy time period was 2 years and 5 months, compared to 2 years and 7 months for women having live births in 1979. Table 1.34 presents a comparison of fetal death rates by interpregnancy time span for births in 1979 to women who reported the date of a prior termination. The minimum risk was associated with spacings of between 2 and 3 years (4.2 fetal deaths per 1,000 total births). The risk increased progressively as the length of spacings decreased or increased. The fetal death rate for births with spacings of five or more years was 61.9 percent above the rate of the minimum risk category. The greatest risk of fetal death was associated with spacings of less than one year. For births in this category the fetal death rate (18.8) was four and a half times the rate for the minimum risk category. When comparing interpregnancy time spans for live births and fetal deaths one should be aware that the shorter gestational period associated with fetal deaths results in a correspondingly shorter interpregnancy time span.

Table 1.35 indicates that, as with live births (Table 1.13), the outcome of the immediate prior termination has a strong influence on the interval between pregnancies. For 116 women whose prior termination was a fetal death, the median interpregnancy time span was 1 year and 8 months. For 381 women whose prior termination was a live birth, the median interpregnancy time span was 2 years and 9 months.

As for live births, the median interpregnancy time span for fetal deaths has declined since 1977. In 1977 the median was 2 years and 11 months for fetal deaths. By 1979 the median had declined 17.1 percent, to 2 years and 5 months. For live births the decline was 6.1 percent, from 2 years and 9 months in 1977 to 2 years and 7 months in 1979.

Table 1.34 Fetal Deaths, Live Births, Total Births, and Fetal Death Rates by Interpregnancy Time Span, Michigan Residents Reporting Prior Pregnancy Terminations¹, 1979

Time Span in Years	Fetal Deaths	Live Births	Total Births	Rate per 1,000 Total Births
Less than one	58	3,025	3,083	18.8
1 < 2	150	26,669	26,819	5.6
2 < 3	89	20,900	20,989	4.2
3 < 5	94	19,958	20,052	4.7
5 or More	106	15,419	15,525	6.8
Total	497	85,971	86,468	5.7

1 - Terminations with time spans of zero years (i.e., second or later births in plural deliveries) and terminations with unknown time spans are excluded.

Table 1.35 - Fetal Deaths¹ to Women Reporting Prior Pregnancy Terminations² by Time Span Between Last and Current Termination and by Whether Prior Termination Resulted in a Live Birth or a Fetal Death³, Michigan Residents, 1979

TIME SPAN IN YEARS	TOTAL		PRIOR FETAL DEATH ³		PRIOR LIVE BIRTH	
	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
TOTAL.....	497	100.0	116	100.0	381	100.0
Less Than One.....	58	11.7	25	21.6	33	8.7
1 < 2.....	150	30.2	49	42.2	101	26.5
2 < 3.....	89	17.9	18	15.5	71	18.6
3 < 5.....	94	18.9	13	11.2	81	21.3
5 or More.....	106	21.3	11	9.5	95	24.9
Median Time Span.....	2 yrs. 5 mos.	000	1 yr. 8 mos.	000	2 yrs. 9 mos.	000

- 1 - Fetal deaths of twenty or more weeks gestation.
- 2 - Terminations with time spans of zero years (i.e., second or later births in plural deliveries) and terminations with unknown time spans are excluded.
- 3 - Fetal deaths of any gestational age.

PRENATAL CARE - FETAL DEATHS

Of the 1,216 fetal deaths reported for 1979, 96 or 7.9 percent of the reports indicated that the mother had no prenatal visits. The comparable percent for live births was 0.6. The percent of mothers with fewer than ten prenatal visits was 55.6 for fetal deaths and 28.1 for live births (Table 1.16 and Table 1.36).

The number of prenatal visits varied by race (Table 1.36). Mothers of white fetuses had a mean of 7.7 visits whereas those of other than white fetuses reported a mean of 5.4 visits. Note, however, that the number of prenatal visits was not stated on 16.7 percent of the reports for white fetuses and 21.3 percent of the reports for other than white fetuses.

The fetal death rate varied with the number of prenatal visits (Table 1.37). The rate was 96.7 for mothers with no care, 32.2 for mothers with 1-4 visits, and 11.3 for those with 5-9 visits. The fetal death rate was lowest for mothers with 10-14 visits (2.9), and increased to 3.5 and 4.0 for mothers with 15-19 and 20 or more visits, respectively.

Fetal death rates for white and other than white fetuses exhibited similar patterns of association with the number of prenatal visits (Table 1.37). The overall fetal death rate for other than white fetuses was 84.3 percent higher than for white fetuses. However, when fetal death rates for white and other than white fetuses are compared within prenatal care categories the differentials are reduced. The death rates were similar for white and other than white fetuses born to women who received between 15 and 19 prenatal visits, while the fetal death rate for white fetuses was about one and a half times that for other than white fetuses for fetuses born to women who received from 1 to 4 prenatal visits.

Caution should be exercised in interpreting the above fetal death rates and proportions. Incomplete reporting of the number of visits occurred on 19.9 percent of the fetal death reports compared with 3.5 percent of the live birth records. It should also be kept in mind that fetal deaths are much more likely to occur preterm

Table 1.36
Fetal Deaths by Number of Prenatal Visits and Race,
Michigan Residents, 1979

PRENATAL VISITS	TOTAL			RACE					
				WHITE		ALL OTHER		NOT STATED	
	NUMBER	PERCENT		NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
None.....	96	7.9		36	4.3	58	17.4	2	4.5
1-4.....	193	15.9		133	15.9	56	16.8	4	9.1
5-9.....	387	31.8		285	34.0	98	29.3	4	7.1
10-14.....	242	19.9		198	23.6	43	12.9	1	2.3
15-19.....	46	3.8		37	4.4	7	2.1	2	4.5
20 or Over.....	10	0.8		9	1.1	1	0.3	-	-
Not Stated.....	242	19.9		140	16.7	71	21.3	31	70.5
Total.....	1,216	100.0		838	100.0	334	100.0	44	100.0
Median Number of Visits.	7	000		7	000	5	000	*	000
Mean Number of Visits...	7.1	000		7.7	000	5.4	000	*	000

Table 1.37
Fetal Deaths, Total Births and Fetal Death Rates
by Number of Prenatal Visits and Race¹
Michigan Residents, 1979

Number of Visits	ALL BIRTHS			WHITE BIRTHS			ALL OTHER BIRTHS		
	FETAL DEATHS	TOTAL BIRTHS	FETAL DEATH RATES	FETAL DEATHS	TOTAL BIRTHS	FETAL DEATH RATES	FETAL DEATHS	TOTAL BIRTHS	FETAL DEATH RATES
TOTAL	1,216	145,668	8.3	838	119,509	7.0	334	25,909	12.9
None	96	993	96.7	36	503	71.6	58	487	119.1
1-4	193	5,987	32.2	133	3,627	36.7	56	2,349	23.8
5-9	387	34,353	11.3	285	26,959	10.6	98	7,370	13.3
10-14	242	83,214	2.9	198	71,542	2.8	43	11,617	3.7
15-19	46	13,312	3.5	37	11,317	3.3	7	1,987	3.5
20 or Over	10	2,483	4.0	9	1,936	4.6	1	547	*
Not Stated	242	5,326	000	140	3,625	000	71	1,552	000

1 - Race not stated included in total columns only.

and this affects the possible number of prenatal visits (Table 1.38). In 1979 27.5 percent of the reported fetal deaths occurred before 28 weeks of gestational age, and 52.2 percent occurred before 36 weeks. Incomplete reporting of gestational age occurred on an additional 14.0 percent of the fetal death reports.

The month of pregnancy that prenatal care began was most frequently the second month (Table 1.39). A majority (58.3 percent) of women reported receiving care prior to the fourth month of pregnancy, with 72.1 percent receiving care prior to the sixth month. From 1970 through 1973 there were increases in the percentage of fetal deaths in which the mother received care prior to the fourth and sixth month. These percentages declined between 1973 and 1976, and increased during the past three years (Figure 1.11).

FETAL WEIGHT

Among live births, the percent of infants weighing 2,500 grams or less at birth was 7.0. The comparable percent among fetal deaths was 66.0. The distribution of fetal weight by plurality for fetal deaths is presented in Table 1.40. Note that twin and triplet deliveries are not sets, but are total occurrences and that any given set may have included live births. The percent of single delivery fetal deaths under 2,501 grams was 65.5. The comparable percent for twin deliveries was 75.8.

The fetal weight distribution is strongly associated with gestational age (Table 1.41). The median fetal weight for all fetal deaths was 1,332 grams compared to a median birthweight of 3,374 grams for live births. For deaths of fetuses of 32-35 weeks age, the median was 1,360 grams, while for the normal gestational age range of 36-39 weeks the median weight was only 2,523 grams.

TABLE 1.38 - Fetal Deaths by Gestational Age and Number of Prenatal Visits,
Michigan Residents, 1979

Gestational Age in Completed Weeks	Number	Percent	Median Number of Visits
Under 20	31	2.5	0
20-23	146	12.0	4
24-27	158	13.0	4
28-31	136	11.2	6
32-35	164	13.5	8
36-39	201	16.5	9
40-43	176	14.5	11
44 or more	34	2.8	12
Unknown	170	14.0	1
Total	1,216	100.0	7

TABLE 1.39 - Fetal Deaths by Month Prenatal Care Began
and by Number of Prenatal Visits, Michigan Residents, 1979

MONTH OF PREGNANCY PRENATAL CARE BEGAN	NUMBER OF VISITS							
	TOTAL	NONE	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20 AND OVER	NOT STATED
TOTAL.....	1,216	96	193	387	242	46	10	242
No Care.....	96	96	-	-	-	-	-	-
First Month.....	93	-	6	44	25	8	2	8
Second Month.....	357	-	46	148	118	23	3	19
Third Month.....	259	-	55	106	67	12	3	16
Fourth Month.....	107	-	30	48	21	2	1	5
Fifth Month.....	61	-	29	19	6	-	-	7
Sixth Month.....	22	-	9	13	-	-	-	-
Seventh Month.....	11	-	6	4	-	-	-	1
Eighth Month.....	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	-
Ninth Month.....	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Unknown.....	206	-	8	5	5	1	1	186

FIGURE 1.11 - Percent of Women Having Fetal Deaths Who Received Care Prior to the 4th Month and the 6th Month of Pregnancy, Michigan Residents, 1970-1979

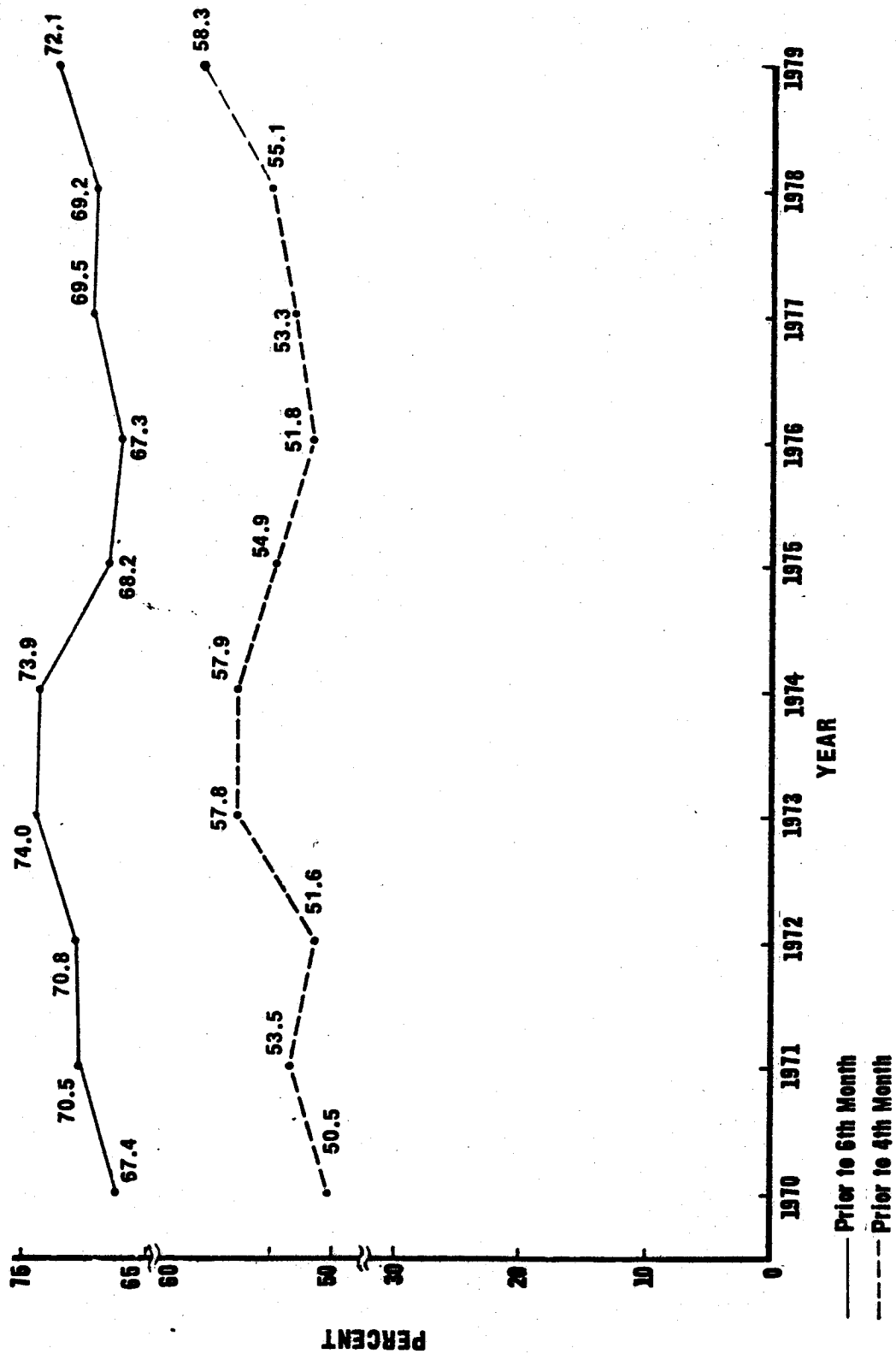


TABLE 1.40 - Fetal Deaths by Fetal Weight and Plurality, Michigan Residents, 1979

WEIGHT	FETAL DEATHS	CUM. %	SINGLE DELIVERY	TWIN DELIVERY	TRIPLET DELIVERY
500 Grams or Less.....	188	15.5	161	21	3
501-1,000 Grams.....	283	38.7	264	15	-
1,001-1,500 Grams.....	139	50.2	130	5	-
1,501-2,000 Grams.....	93	57.8	86	5	-
2,001-2,500 Grams.....	100	66.0	96	4	-
2,501-3,000 Grams.....	94	73.8	86	5	-
3,001-3,500 Grams.....	90	81.7	86	4	-
3,501-4,000 Grams.....	68	86.8	67	1	-
4,001-4,500 Grams.....	34	89.6	34	-	-
4,501-5,000 Grams.....	9	90.3	9	-	-
5,001 Grams and over....	7	90.9	7	-	-
Not Stated.....	111	100.0	100	6	-
Total.....	1,216	100.0	1,126	66	3

1 - Twenty-one fetal deaths of unknown plurality included in total column only.

Table 1.41
Fetal Deaths by Fetal Weight and Gestational Age,
Michigan Residents, 1979

Fetal Weight in Grams	Gestational Age in Completed Weeks									
	Total	Under 20	20-23	24-27	28-31	32-35	36-39	40-43	44 or more	Unknown
Less than 1501	610	28	131	136	107	91	31	6	2	78
1501-2500	193	1	1	4	17	49	66	25	5	25
2501 and over	302	-	1	2	3	14	98	138	24	22
Unknown	111	2	13	16	9	10	6	7	3	45
Total	1,216	31	146	158	136	164	201	176	34	170
Median ¹	1,332	488	454	623	936	1,360	2,523	3,288	3,146	950

1 - Excluding unknown fetal weight.

MORTALITY

SECTION II

MORTALITY: AN OVERVIEW

RESIDENT DEATHS	73,480
CRUDE DEATH RATE	8.0
INFANT DEATHS	1,921
INFANT DEATH RATE	13.3
NEONATAL DEATHS	1,295
NEONATAL DEATH RATE	9.0
PERINATAL DEATHS	2,239
PERINATAL DEATH RATE	15.4
MATERNAL DEATHS	11
MATERNAL DEATH RATE	0.8
DEATHS FROM HEART DISEASE PER DAY	80
DEATHS FROM CANCER PER DAY	42
DEATHS FROM STROKE PER DAY	17
DEATHS FROM ACCIDENTS PER DAY	11
MEDIAN AGE AT DEATH	71 years
MEDIAN AGE AT DEATH FOR MALES	68 years
MEDIAN AGE AT DEATH FOR FEMALES	75 years

MORTALITY: AN OVERVIEW 1979

In 1979 there were 73,480 deaths recorded for Michigan residents, 1,293 fewer than in the previous year. The crude death rate per 1,000 population declined by 1.2 percent, from 8.1 in 1978 to 8.0 in 1979. The age-adjusted death rate declined by 3.2 percent for the total population. Declines were recorded in this rate for each sex-race group. Age-adjusted death rates control for differences or variations in the age composition of the population, and are thus better indicators than crude death rates for showing changes in the risk of dying over a period of time or differences between sex-race groups (see Technical Notes for method of calculation).

Between 1900 and 1979 the number of deaths occurring to Michigan residents increased from 32,453 to 73,480. The 31,472 deaths recorded in 1902 was the lowest number of resident deaths in this century, while the greatest number was recorded in 1972 when total resident deaths numbered 79,210. Although the total number of deaths increased between 1900 and 1979, the increase is due to an increasing population. The crude death rate decreased from 13.4 (per 1,000 population) in 1900 to 8.0 in 1979. The 1979 rate is the lowest crude death rate ever recorded for Michigan. The highest death rate (15.6) was observed in 1918 (Figure 2.1).

A comparison of deaths and crude death rates for Michigan and the United States for the period 1970-1979 is presented in Table 2.1. As Michigan's population is somewhat "younger" than that of the nation, the Michigan rate has consistently been below the United States rate. Both Michigan and national rates were relatively stable between 1970 and 1973, declined in 1974 and 1975, and have dropped but slightly since 1975. Between 1970 and 1979 the number of Michigan resident deaths declined by 3.7 percent, and the crude death rate declined by 7.0 percent. The decline in the age-adjusted death rate was a more dramatic 19.6 percent. Over this period the age-adjusted death rate for the nation declined by a similar amount, 17.8 percent. In 1970 the age-adjusted death rates of Michigan and the United States were very similar (Table 2.6). Between 1971 and 1973 Michigan's rates were slightly higher, and since 1974 Michigan's rates have been below those of the nation. In the past six years Michigan's

age-adjusted death rate has ranged between 1.3 and 2.3 percent below the comparable national figure.

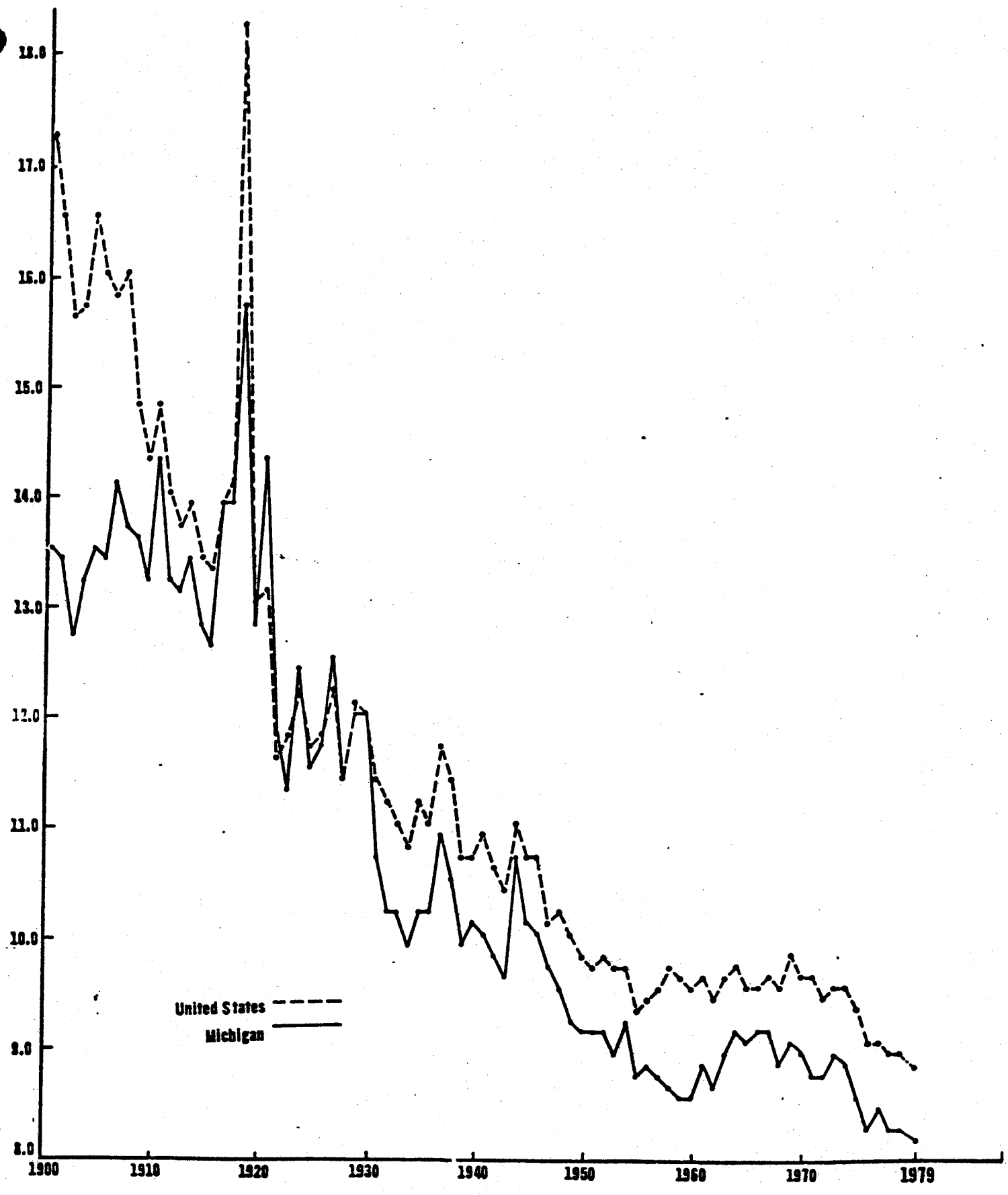
The numbers of deaths by marital status and age for men and women are displayed in Table 2.2. The majority of men were married at the time of death while the majority of women were widows. Men were twice as likely as women to be married at the time of death (59.8 percent compared to 29.7 percent). Conversely, women were over three times as likely to be widows at the time of death as men were to be widowers (53.9 percent compared to 17.0 percent). Among males, 15.2 percent had never been married, while the corresponding figure for females was 10.5 percent. Men were also more likely to be divorced (7.6 percent compared to 5.7 percent).

Table 2.3 presents data on the number of deaths by race for the period 1970-1979. The number of deaths of white persons declined by 4.9 percent over the decade while deaths of black persons increased by 5.2 percent. Reported deaths of American Indians and persons of other races remained fairly constant. It should be noted that reported race data are derived from the death certificates filed by funeral directors. Data from sources where race is self-enumerated, when matched with death data, indicate larger numbers of American Indians and persons of other races than reported as members of those groups on the death certificate.¹ In 1979 deaths of white persons numbered 63,955 and accounted for 87.0 percent of all deaths, while deaths of black persons constituted 12.5 percent of the state total.

Michigan resident deaths in 1979 are tabulated by age, race, and sex in Table 2.4. Of the 73,480 Michigan resident deaths that occurred in 1979, 40,652 (55.3 percent) occurred to males and 32,820 occurred to females (8 records had sex not stated). The median age at death for males was 68 years, compared to a significantly higher figure of 75 years for females. The median age at death was 72 years for whites, compared to 62 years for persons of other races.

¹National Center for Health Statistics, Comparability of Marital Status, Race, Nationality and Country of Origin in the Death Certificate and Matching Census Record: United States, May - August, 1960 (Washington, D.C., 1969).

FIGURE 2.1 - Crude Death Rates, Michigan and United States Residents, 1900-1979¹



¹ 1979 United States rate is provisional

YEAR

TABLE 2.1 - Number of Deaths and Crude Death Rates,
Michigan and United States Residents, 1970-1979

UNITED STATES		YEAR	MICHIGAN	
NO.	RATE		NO.	RATE
1,921,031	9.5	1970	76,321	8.6
1,927,542	9.3	1971	77,395	8.6
1,963,944	9.4	1972	79,210	8.8
1,973,003	9.4	1973	78,522	8.7
1,934,388	9.2	1974	76,143	8.4
1,892,879	8.9	1975	74,522	8.1
1,909,440	8.9	1976	75,801	8.3
1,899,597	8.8	1977	74,144	8.1
1,927,788	8.8	1978	74,773	8.1
1,906,000 Pr.	8.7 Pr.	1979	73,480	8.0

TABLE 2.2 - Deaths by Age, Sex, and Marital Status,
Michigan Residents, 1979

Age	MALES						FEMALES					
	Marital Status						Marital Status					
	Total	Never Married	Divorced	Widower	Married ¹	Unknown	Total	Never Married	Divorced	Widow	Married ¹	Unknown
Under 15	1,566	1,566	-	-	-	-	1,156	1,156	-	-	-	-
15-24	1,373	1,198	21	3	151	-	514	390	7	92	2	
25-34	1,297	472	218	13	591	3	595	164	18	279	2	
35-44	1,442	231	298	20	889	4	831	81	35	538	3	
45-54	3,576	393	604	117	2,448	14	1,999	135	212	1,367	5	
55-64	7,375	592	768	489	5,496	30	4,272	254	390	2,563	7	
65-74	10,086	792	693	1,334	7,227	40	6,590	328	409	2,717	8	
75-84	9,357	665	377	2,563	5,720	32	9,098	438	301	1,745	17	
85+	4,577	286	97	2,375	1,803	16	7,763	485	166	462	7	
Unknown	3	-	-	-	1	2	2	1	1	-	-	
All Ages	40,652	6,195	3,076	6,914	24,326	141	32,820	3,432	1,875	17,699	9,763	51

¹Includes legally separated

Table 2.3
 Number of Deaths by Race¹,
 Michigan Residents, 1970-1979

	All Races	White	Black	American Indian	Other ²
1970	76,321	67,270 ³	8,731	127	54
1971	77,395	67,847	9,259	128	45
1972	79,210	69,598	9,409	126	40
1973	78,522	68,502	9,641	121	54
1974	76,143	66,600	9,233	128	58
1975	74,522	65,191	9,024	118	60
1976	75,801	66,334	9,146	125	70
1977	74,144	64,816	9,038	140	53
1978	74,773	65,149	9,254	152	72
1979	73,480	63,955	9,188	129	75

¹Deaths with race not stated included in total column only.
 Persons of Spanish or of Mexican American descent are included with whites.

²Includes Japanese, Hawaiian, other Asian or Pacific Islander.
 Indians from India were counted as "White" from 1970 - 1977
 and with "Other" in 1978 and 1979.

³Revised.

TABLE 2.4 - Number of Deaths by Age, Race, and Sex,¹
Michigan Residents, 1979

AGE	ALL RACES			WHITE			ALL OTHER			RACE NOT STATED		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
Under 1 Year	1,921	1,099	816	1,352	782	564	562	313	249	7	4	3
1-4 Years	338	189	149	251	146	105	85	42	43	2	1	1
5-9 Years	214	128	86	166	100	66	47	27	20	1	1	-
10-14 Years	255	150	105	212	127	85	41	22	19	2	1	1
15-19 Years	823	614	209	700	521	179	120	91	29	3	2	1
20-24 Years	1,064	759	305	838	597	241	221	158	63	5	4	1
25-29 Years	982	666	316	696	497	199	280	165	115	6	4	2
30-34 Years	910	631	279	608	414	194	299	214	85	3	3	-
35-39 Years	979	613	366	698	429	269	278	182	96	3	2	1
40-44 Years	1,294	829	465	959	609	350	332	218	114	3	2	1
45-49 Years	2,051	1,303	748	1,573	991	582	474	309	165	4	3	1
50-54 Years	3,524	2,273	1,251	2,794	1,819	975	723	450	273	4	4	3
55-59 Years	4,994	3,122	1,872	4,142	2,609	1,533	844	508	336	7	5	3
60-64 Years	6,653	4,253	2,400	5,741	3,684	2,057	896	558	338	8	5	5
65-69 Years	7,852	4,937	2,915	6,882	4,352	2,530	958	577	381	16	11	5
70-74 Years	8,824	5,149	3,675	7,843	4,622	3,221	970	519	451	12	8	4
75-79 Years	9,379	5,161	4,217	8,431	4,647	3,783	934	504	430	11	8	3
80-84 Years	9,077	4,196	4,881	8,386	3,866	4,520	680	327	353	14	10	4
85-89 Years	7,405	3,013	4,391	7,035	2,868	4,166	363	141	222	11	3	8
90 and Over	4,936	1,564	3,372	4,644	1,465	3,179	284	95	189	7	4	3
Not Stated	5	3	2	4	2	2	1	1	-	-	-	-
All Ages	73,480	40,652	32,820	63,955	35,147	28,800	9,392	5,421	3,971	133	84	49
Median Age at Last Birthday	71	68	75	72	69	76	62	60	65	64	63	69

¹Deaths of eight white persons with sex not stated are included only in the total columns.

In 1979, 26,002 or 35.4 percent of all deaths occurred to persons under the age of 65. The proportion dying under age 65 was higher for males than females and higher for other than white persons than white persons. For white persons 37.9 percent of males and 25.7 percent of females died before age 65. For other than white persons 60.1 percent of males and 49.0 percent of females died before age 65.

Unadjusted, age-specific, and age-adjusted death rates by race and sex are presented in Table 2.5. The rate for males of 897.8 was 28.0 percent above that for females while the age-adjusted rate for males was 72.9 percent higher. The population subgroup with the lowest death rate was other than white females (608.4) and the highest rate was experienced by white males (900.0). Age-adjusting the data results in a quite different relationship, however, with the age-adjusted rate being lowest for white females and highest for other than white males.

The age-specific death rates for all males and all females displayed in Figure 2.2 indicate a similar pattern of rising and falling rates across the age intervals presented. The rates for both sexes declined from birth to a low for ages 5-9 years. The rates for 15-19 year olds were much higher than for 10-14 year olds in both sexes. The rates rose, declined and then rose persistently through the terminal age group (85 and over). The rates for males were consistently above those for females with the greatest relative differentials occurring in the ages 15-29 years, where the rates for males were between two and a half and three times those for females.

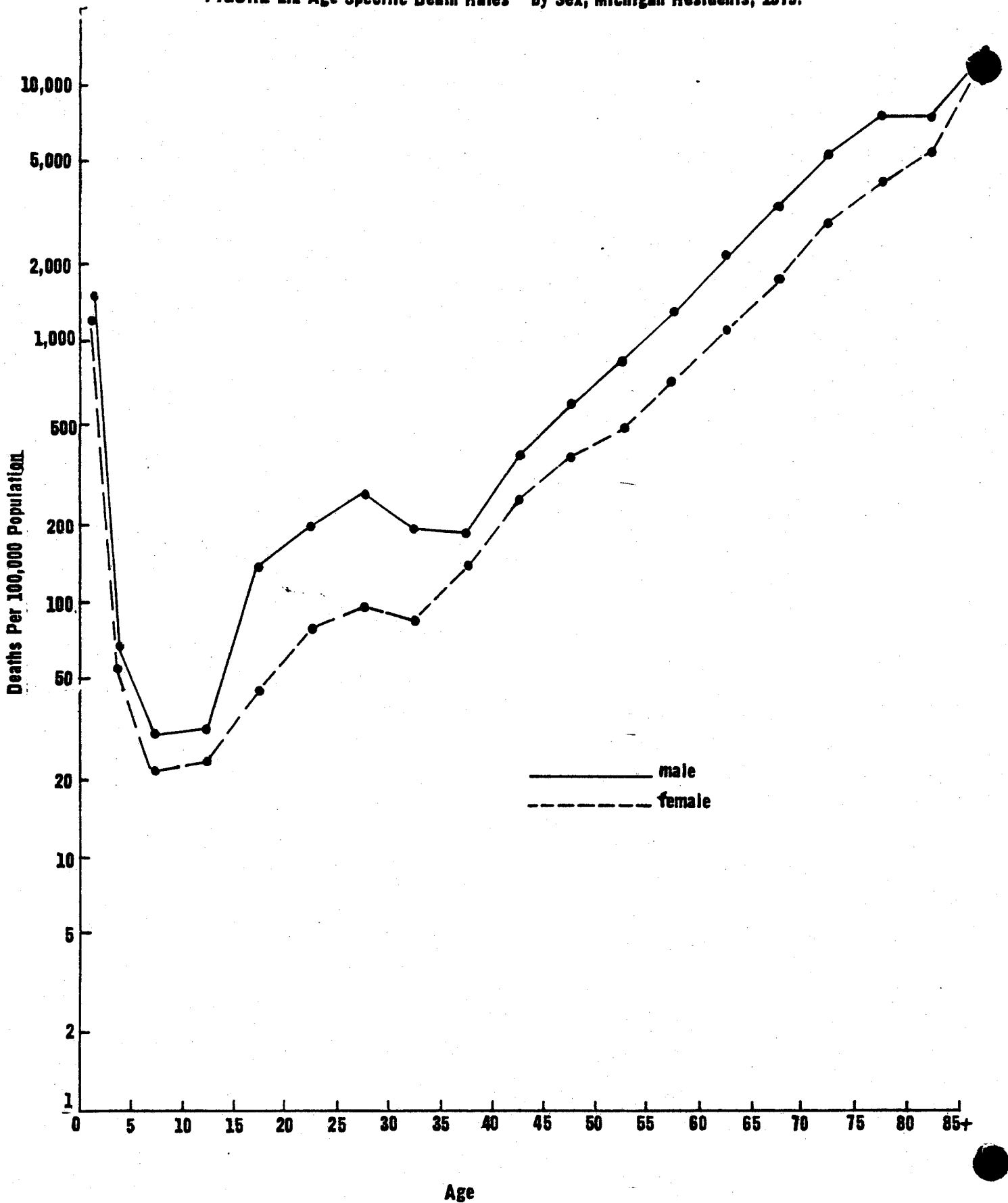
A comparison of 1979 age-specific death rates for males by race is graphically presented in Figure 2.3. Note that the rate for white males increased between ages 10 and 29 and then declined for ages 30-34. The rate for other than white males rose more rapidly between the ages of 20 and 29 years. The only ages prior to age 65 in which the rates for white males were not below those for other than white males were ages 10-19. Beyond age 64 the rates for whites were higher, with the exception of the age group 75-79 years. Between the ages of 25 and 49, rates for other than white males were about 2 to 4 times the rates for white males. The overall death rate

TABLE 2.5 - Death Rates by Age, Race, and Sex,
Michigan Residents, 1979

AGE	ALL RACES			WHITE		OTHER THAN WHITE			
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
	All Ages	798.1	897.8	701.6	807.1	900.0	716.7	741.9	883.8	608.4
Under 1 Year.....	1,409.3	1,578.4	1,232.1	1,229.9	1,385.3	1,065.0	2,177.2	2,431.3	1,924.6
1-4 Years.....	61.8	67.7	55.7	55.9	63.4	48.0	90.2	88.6	91.8
5-9 Years.....	25.8	30.2	21.2	23.5	27.8	19.1	38.9	44.6	33.2
10-14 Years.....	27.6	31.9	23.1	27.3	32.2	22.2	29.1	30.3	27.9
15-19 Years.....	87.8	130.3	44.9	89.3	131.8	46.2	79.7	122.2	38.1
20-24 Years.....	135.6	197.9	76.1	127.9	186.6	71.9	175.6	256.2	97.9
25-29 Years.....	167.1	261.7	94.8	137.9	226.4	69.9	355.7	496.9	252.6
30-34 Years.....	134.4	191.9	80.1	103.2	143.2	64.5	351.0	571.3	178.1
35-39 Years.....	161.0	186.6	131.0	133.0	149.1	113.5	343.4	461.6	231.1
40-44 Years.....	313.0	376.5	240.6	267.1	315.3	211.1	620.6	820.5	422.8
45-49 Years.....	485.0	593.2	368.1	424.9	514.9	327.3	916.9	1,161.3	657.6
50-54 Years.....	673.0	875.5	473.9	605.8	794.4	420.0	1,179.2	1,489.5	877.2
55-59 Years.....	1,010.3	1,313.6	729.4	944.4	1,237.7	673.1	1,536.7	1,917.9	1,181.1
60-64 Years.....	1,640.5	2,208.3	1,126.9	1,600.1	2,161.6	1,091.8	1,958.2	2,577.2	1,402.1
65-69 Years.....	2,574.5	3,467.5	1,792.6	2,580.7	3,517.0	1,769.9	2,530.4	3,134.5	1,959.0
70-74 Years.....	4,140.2	5,559.4	3,049.5	4,131.6	5,664.4	2,975.9	4,210.8	4,775.0	3,704.3
75-79 Years.....	5,642.1	7,748.0	4,233.6	5,522.9	7,644.9	4,117.9	7,004.6	8,842.0	5,626.1
80-84 Years.....	6,545.8	7,729.0	5,784.5	6,564.5	7,771.0	5,795.8	6,323.7	7,266.3	5,643.5
85 and Over.....	13,435.6	13,649.8	13,312.4	14,040.0	14,447.8	13,810.0	7,576.8	6,813.0	8,103.9
Age-Adjusted Rate ¹	573.6	742.1	429.3	548.3	714.5	407.9	745.7	936.6	573.9

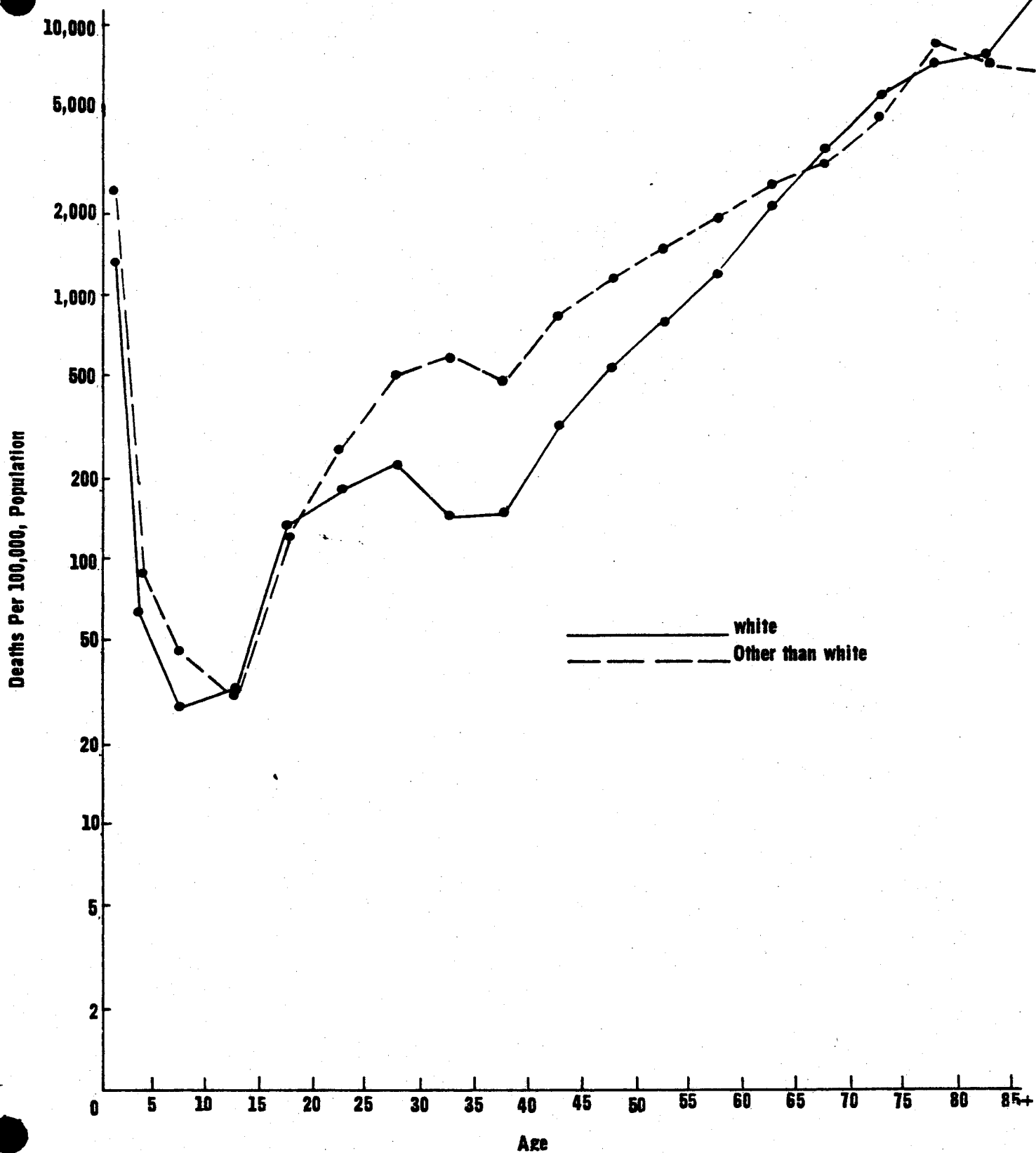
¹Based on age-specific death rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Computed by the direct method, using as the standard population the age distribution of the total population of the United States as enumerated in 1940; see technical notes.

FIGURE 2.2 Age-Specific Death Rates ¹ by Sex, Michigan Residents, 1979.



¹ - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

FIGURE 2.3 Age-Specific Death Rates,¹ by Race, Michigan Resident Males, 1979



1 - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

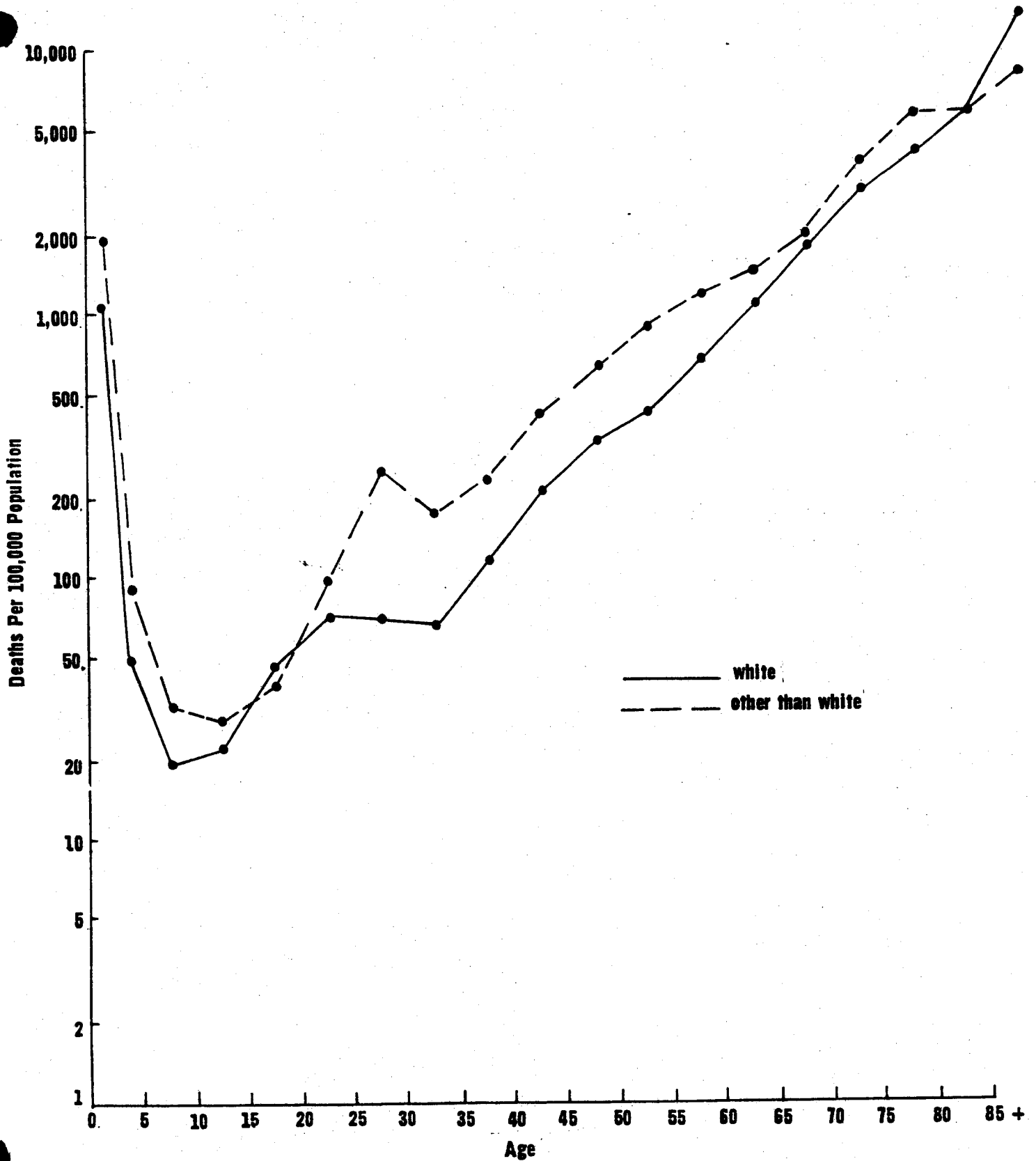
of 883.8 per 100,000 for other than white males was slightly below the rate for white males (900.0). This is a reflection of the younger age distribution of the other than white male population. The age-adjusted death rate for other than white males was 31.1 percent higher than that for white males.

Rates for other than white females were higher than those for white females except in the age group 15-19 and beyond age 79 (Figure 2.4). Between the ages of 25 and 59, the rate for other than white females ranged between 1.8 and 3.6 times the rate for white females. The death rate for all ages was 716.7 for white females and 608.4 for other than white females, reflecting the greater concentration of the white female population in the older age intervals with relatively high death rates. After adjusting for differences in the age distributions of the populations, the rate for other than white females was 40.7 percent higher than that for their white counterparts.

Age-adjusted death rates for other than white persons have been considerably higher than comparable rates for white persons throughout the 1970's (Table 2.6). Age-adjusted rates for other than white males ranged between 30 and 41 percent higher than comparable rates for white males in Michigan. For females this differential is even greater with the rate for other than white women exceeding that for white women by 37 to 51 percent. There has been, however, a small reduction in the size of the differential in the past few years.

Declines have occurred in the 1970's both in Michigan and the United States in age-adjusted death rates in each race-sex subgroup. Michigan's age-adjusted rate for the population as a whole declined by 19.6 percent between 1970 and 1979 while the estimated decline for the United States was 17.8 percent. Relative declines in both Michigan and the United States were slightly greater for the other than white population. Although age-adjusted rates for white females in Michigan are comparable to rates for white females observed nationally, the rates for white males and for other than white males and females in Michigan have generally been somewhat below those for the nation in the past several years.

FIGURE 2.4 Age-Specific Death Rates¹ by Race, Michigan Resident Females, 1979



1 - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

Table 2.6
 AGE-Adjusted Death Rates¹ by Race and Sex,
 Michigan and United States Residents, 1970-1979

Place	Year	ALL RACES			WHITE			OTHER THAN WHITE		
		Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Michigan	1970	713.2	923.7	532.1	680.6	886.3	505.0	963.3	1,207.2	744.7
	1971	704.3	918.1	520.9	668.3	876.0	492.0	972.7	1,226.4	744.1
	1972	711.0	925.6	527.1	676.5	885.4	499.3	958.9	1,215.1	727.7
	1973	695.6	903.1	516.6	659.3	860.2	487.8	953.1	1,212.6	719.5
	1974	658.2	854.4	488.7	626.0	815.6	464.1	882.5	1,128.5	659.5
	1975	630.2	815.5	469.6	600.3	777.2	448.1	838.0	1,085.8	614.5
	1976	619.1	800.1	462.8	590.5	765.4	441.2	815.4	1,042.0	609.3
	1977	600.7	780.7	445.8	574.5	750.9	424.6	781.1	987.6	593.9
	1978	592.3	763.2	446.0	566.3	735.5	423.1	771.5	958.0	604.1
	1979	573.6	742.1	429.3	548.3	714.5	407.9	745.7	936.6	573.9
U.S.	1970	714.3	931.6	532.5	679.6	893.4	501.7	983.4	1,231.4	770.8
	1971	699.9	915.7	521.1	665.8	878.4	490.9	963.6	1,210.7	754.9
	1972	701.8	921.9	520.0	667.6	883.2	490.8	955.4	1,227.2	745.0
	1973	692.9	911.7	513.1	659.3	874.1	483.7	953.1	1,206.7	738.9
	1974	666.2	877.8	492.9	635.4	843.0	466.4	901.3	1,149.1	693.1
	1975	638.3	845.3	469.3	609.8	812.7	445.3	852.4	1,097.5	648.3
	1976	627.5	830.2	462.9	599.9	798.8	439.6	833.7	1,072.1	635.1
	1977	612.3	811.9	450.6	585.4	781.5	427.8	814.0	1,045.9	621.3
	1978	606.1	802.8	447.0	580.2	773.1	425.5	797.6	1,029.6	605.5
	1979	587.4Pr	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

1 - Based on age-specific death rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Computed by the direct method, using as the standard population the age distribution of the total population of the United States as enumerated in 1940; see Technical Notes.

LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH

Deaths assigned to the 10 leading causes accounted for 85.9 percent of all deaths in 1979. Causes of death in 1979 were classified according to the Ninth Revision International Classification of Diseases (ICD-9) published by the World Health Organization. Cause-of-death ranking used in Michigan is identical to that used by the National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS). It is based on the List of 72 Selected Causes of Death, which NCHS constructed by combining titles in the List of 282 Selected Causes of Death. This latter list, which is also used in this publication, was in turn constructed by aggregating the detailed titles of the Ninth Revision.

During the years 1968-1978 the Eighth Revision International Classification of Diseases, Adopted for Use in the United States (ICDA-8) was used to classify causes of death. The introduction of the Ninth Revision resulted in some major changes between 1978 and 1979 in the classification of causes of death. Since the new categories under ICD-9 differ in content from those under ICDA-8, comparability ratios to measure the similarity were developed by NCHS. Table 2.7 presents the numbers of deaths and death rates for the 10 leading causes of death in 1978 and 1979, as well as the comparability ratios between the Ninth Revision categories and the most nearly comparable Eighth Revision categories. Comparability ratios were developed by coding a sample of 1976 deaths using the Ninth Revision, and dividing the estimated number of deaths assigned to a particular cause under the Ninth Revision by the actual number of deaths coded to the most nearly comparable category in accordance with the Eighth Revision. Thus, multiplying the comparability ratio for a cause of death by the death rate for that cause in 1978 yields an adjusted death rate which is an estimate of the death rate that would have resulted from coding 1978 deaths by the Ninth Revision. It should be noted that a comparability ratio of 1.00 does not necessarily indicate that the cause was unaffected by changes in classification and coding procedures because the changes may compensate for each other.

Several of the titles of the leading causes of death in 1979 were altered. The

TABLE 2.7 - Leading Causes of Death and Comparability Ratios,
Michigan Residents, 1978 and 1979

Cause of Death (ICD-9)	Estimated Comparability Ratio ¹	1978		1979		Adjusted 1978 Rate
		Number	Rate	Number	Rate	
Diseases of Heart	1.0126	29,406	320.0	29,296	318.2	324.0
Malignant Neoplasms	1.0026	15,249	165.9	15,409	167.4	166.4
Cerebrovascular Diseases	1.0049	6,520	71.0	6,067	65.9	71.3
Accidents and Adverse Effects	0.9970	3,970	43.2	3,839	41.7	43.1
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases and Allied Conditions ²	---	1,974	21.5	1,934	21.0	---
Pneumonia and Influenza	0.9264	2,003	21.8	1,475	16.0	20.2
Diabetes Mellitus	0.9991	1,551	16.9	1,449	15.7	16.9
Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis ³	1.0110	1,351	14.7	1,367	14.8	14.9
Atherosclerosis ⁴	1.0649	1,146	12.5	1,173	12.7	13.3
Suicide	1.0032	1,132	12.3	1,143	12.4	12.4
Homicide and Legal Intervent. All Causes	1.0057	931	10.1	882	9.6	10.2
		74,773	813.7	73,480	798.1	
Population Estimate, July 1		9,189,000		9,207,000		

¹Source: Monthly Vital Statistics Report, Vol. 28, Number 11, Feb. 29, 1980, published by NCHS.

²The most nearly comparable group of diseases under the 8th Revision is composed of bronchitis, emphysema, asthma, and chronic obstructive lung disease without mention of asthma, bronchitis or emphysema. No single comparability ratio was developed for the 9th Revision category and the most nearly comparable 8th Revision categories. However, for the combined categories of bronchitis, emphysema, and asthma the provisional comparability ratio is 1.0002, and that for the remaining titles (chronic obstructive lung disease without mention of asthma, bronchitis, or emphysema under the 8th Revision and other chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases and allied conditions under the 9th Revision) is 1.0054. Thus, the comparability between the composite categories is quite good. The composite category was not used for ranking causes of death under the 8th Revision and thus appears for the first time among the 10 leading causes of death.

³This category was termed cirrhosis of the liver under the 8th Revision.

⁴This category was termed arteriosclerosis under the 8th Revision.

Eighth Revision categories of accidents, influenza and pneumonia, arteriosclerosis, and cirrhosis of the liver are termed accidents and adverse effects, pneumonia and influenza, atherosclerosis, and chronic liver disease and cirrhosis, respectively, under the Ninth Revision. The ranking of the four leading causes of death did not change between 1978 and 1979. The fifth leading cause of death in 1979, chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases and allied conditions, is a new category comparable to the Eighth Revision categories of bronchitis, emphysema, asthma, and chronic obstructive lung disease without mention of asthma, bronchitis, or emphysema. This latter category was used increasingly by physicians during the 1970's in preference to the more specific categories. During the years in which the Eighth Revision was used, bronchitis, emphysema, and asthma were grouped together for purposes of ranking, and chronic obstructive lung disease without mention of asthma, bronchitis, or emphysema was not used in ranking. The order of the causes ranked sixth to tenth in 1979 is identical to that of the causes ranked fifth to ninth in 1978. The tenth leading cause of death in 1978, homicide, is no longer ranked among the top ten. The number of homicides in 1979 was 882. The percentage of the total deaths resulting from each of the ten principal causes is illustrated in Figure 2.5 for 1979.

Crude death rates in Michigan were lower in 1979 than the comparable adjusted 1978 rates for seven of the ten leading causes. Although no adjusted rate for 1978 for chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases and allied conditions is available, the number of deaths in 1979 (1,934) is lower than the number (1,974) assigned in 1978 to the most nearly comparable categories. In 1979 only the rate for malignant neoplasms increased, while the suicide rate was unchanged.

The order of the 10 leading causes for the United States in 1979 was identical to that for Michigan. Certain differences between the United States figures and those of Michigan should be noted. The overall Michigan death rate was significantly lower than the national rate. The rates for diabetes mellitus and chronic liver disease and cirrhosis, however, were higher than comparative national rates (Table 2.8).

Table 4.8 shows the numbers of deaths and death rates for several major causes

FIGURE 2.5 - Leading Causes of Death, Michigan Residents, 1979

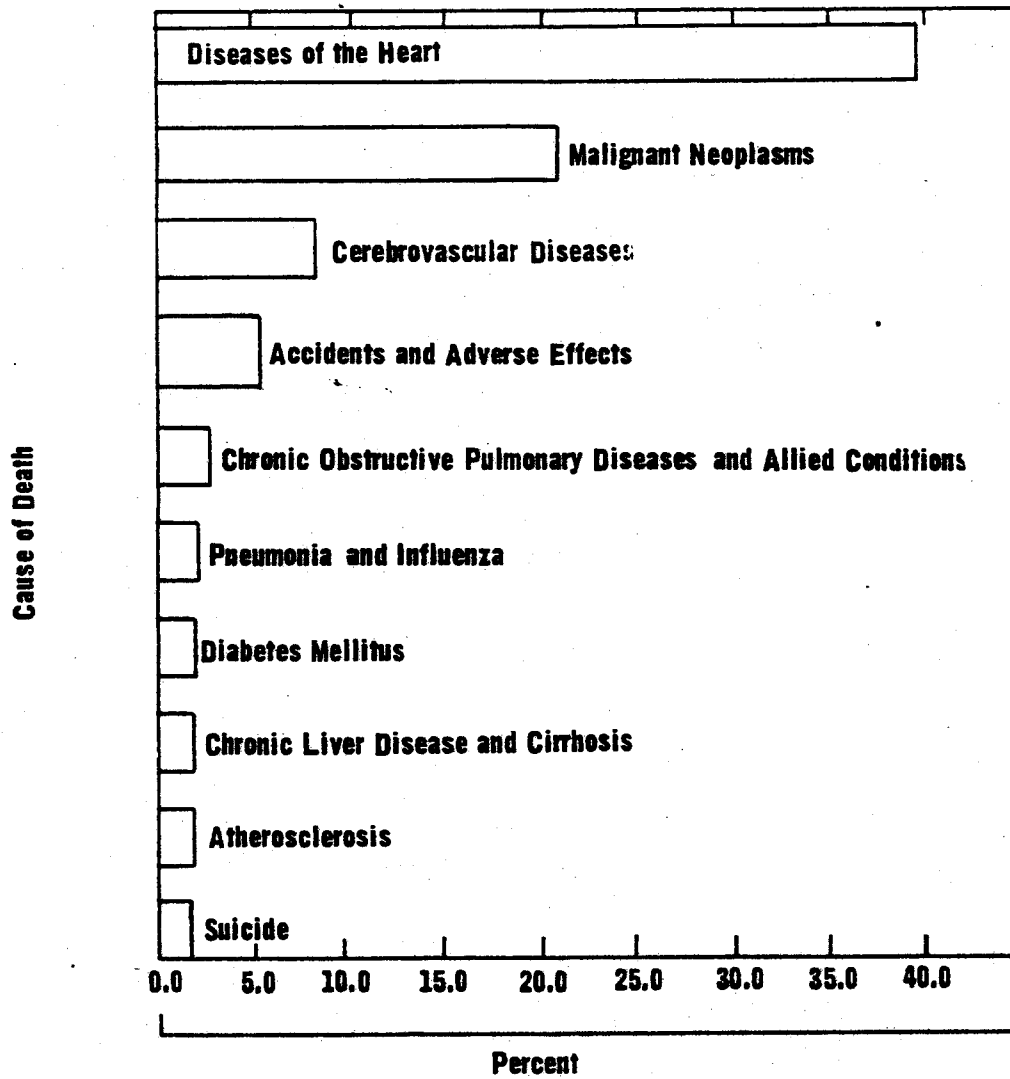


TABLE 2.8 - Leading Causes of Death and Cause-Specific Rates
Michigan and United States Residents, 1979

RANK	CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER OF DEATHS		RATE	
		MICHIGAN	U.S. ¹	MICHIGAN	U.S. ¹
1	Diseases of the Heart	29,296	729,210	318.2	331.3
2	Malignant Neoplasms	15,409	403,780	167.4	183.5
3	Cerebrovascular Diseases	6,067	169,350	65.9	76.9
4	Accidents and Adverse Effects	3,839	105,420	41.7	47.9
5	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases and Allied Conditions	1,934	49,980	21.0	22.7
6	Pneumonia and Influenza	1,475	44,110	16.0	20.0
7	Diabetes Mellitus	1,449	33,060	15.7	15.0
8	Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis	1,367	29,860	14.8	13.6
9	Atherosclerosis	1,173	28,650	12.7	13.0
10	Suicide	1,143	27,640	12.4	12.6
	Sub Total	63,152	1,621,060	685.9	736.5
	All Other Causes	10,328	284,940	112.2	129.7
	Total	73,480	1,906,000	798.1	866.2

¹United States figures are provisional.

for each year during this century. There has been no change in the ranking of the four leading causes over the 30 years since 1950. From 1950 through 1978 the ranking of 5th and 6th have been held by diabetes mellitus and pneumonia and influenza, with pneumonia and influenza ranking 5th in 19 of the 29 years. For the past five years pneumonia and influenza has ranked before diabetes. The 8th leading cause of death in 1979, chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (formerly titled cirrhosis of the liver) was not among the ten leading causes of death in 1950. This cause ranked 10th in 1954 and has been among the ten most frequent causes consistently since 1960. It was the 7th leading cause each year from 1969 through 1978. Atherosclerosis, previously termed arteriosclerosis, has consistently been among the ten leading causes of death, ranking 7th in 1950 and 9th in 1979. Suicide first ranked in the top ten in 1964 when it was the 10th leading cause. During the past six years atherosclerosis and suicide have alternately ranked 8th, 9th, and 10th. In 1979, seven of the ten leading causes of death were chronic conditions, one was an acute disease category, and two were external non-disease groupings.

While the most frequent causes of death among all Michigan residents have changed little in recent years, this does not imply similarity in the leading causes of death among residents at different ages, of different sexes or different races. Table 2.9 presents the five most frequent causes of death by age, sex and race. Careful examination of this table will disclose that major differences in the leading causes of death are associated with these three characteristics. No single cause of death is among the most frequent causes in all categories. Heart disease, malignant neoplasms and accidents have the most widespread significance, being present respectively in 26, 25, and 27 of the 32 age-sex-race groupings. The variation in leading causes of death by age is most evident among deaths to infants under one year. This category has little similarity to any other age group. External causes of death, including accidents, suicide and homicide, are predominant killers among persons 1 through 34 years of age. Among persons 35 years and over, chronic conditions are responsible for the largest percentage of deaths.

Table 2.9
 Leading Causes of Death and Cause-Specific Rates by Age, Sex, and Race,
 Michigan Residents 1979

TOTAL ¹			
AGE	RANK AND CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER	SPECIFIC RATE
All Ages	1. Diseases of the Heart	29,296	318.2
	2. Malignant Neoplasms	15,409	167.4
	3. Cerebrovascular Diseases	6,067	65.9
	4. Accidents and Adverse Effects	3,839	41.7
	5. Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases and Allied Conditions	1,934	21.0
	All Causes	73,480	798.1
Under 1 Year	1. Certain Conditions Originating in the Perinatal Period	1,015	744.6
	2. Congenital Anomalies	344	252.4
	3. Accidents and Adverse Effects	54	39.6
	4. Diseases of the Heart	33	24.2
	5. Pneumonia and Influenza	30	22.0
	All Causes	1,921	1409.3
1-4 Years	1. Accidents and Adverse Effects	125	22.9
	2. Congenital Anomalies	52	9.5
	3. Malignant Neoplasms	31	5.7
	4. Homicide	21	3.8
	5. Pneumonia and Influenza	11	2.0
	All Causes	338	61.8
5-14 Years	1. Accidents and Adverse Effects	243	13.8
	2. Malignant Neoplasms	73	4.2
	3. Homicide	18	1.0
	4. Congenital Anomalies	17	1.0
	5. Diseases of the Heart	14	0.8
	All Causes	469	26.7
15-24 Years	1. Accidents and Adverse Effects	938	54.5
	2. Suicide	256	14.9
	3. Homicide and Legal Intervention	239	13.9
	4. Malignant Neoplasms	117	6.8
	5. Diseases of the Heart	46	2.7
	All Causes	1,887	109.6
25-34 Years	1. Accidents and Adverse Effects	578	45.7
	2. Homicide and Legal Intervention	285	22.5
	3. Suicide	237	18.7
	4. Malignant Neoplasms	172	13.6
	5. Diseases of the Heart	139	11.0
	All Causes	1,892	149.6

Table 2.9
 Leading Causes of Death and Cause-Specific Rates by Age, Sex, and Race,
 Michigan Residents 1979 (cont.)

TOTAL ¹			
AGE	RANK AND CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER	SPECIFIC RATE
35-49 Years	1. Diseases of the Heart	1,122	77.7
	2. Malignant Neoplasms	1,049	72.6
	3. Accidents and Adverse Effects	529	36.6
	4. Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis	305	21.1
	5. Suicide	224	15.5
	All Causes	4,324	299.4
50-64 Years	1. Diseases of the Heart	5,793	407.0
	2. Malignant Neoplasms	4,811	338.0
	3. Cerebrovascular Diseases	736	51.7
	4. Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis	607	42.6
	5. Accidents and Adverse Effects	493	34.6
	All Causes	15,171	1065.8
65 and Over	1. Diseases of the Heart	22,139	2419.8
	2. Malignant Neoplasms	9,152	1000.3
	3. Cerebrovascular Diseases	5,076	554.8
	4. Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases and Allied Conditions	1,459	159.5
	5. Pneumonia and Influenza	1,193	130.4
	All Causes	47,473	5188.8

¹-Note subtotals by race do not add to the grand total as the race was not stated on records for 84 males and 49 females. In addition, the sex was not stated on records for 8 white persons. Age groups do not add to respective totals because records with age not stated are included in the total.

²-Rates may not agree with those shown elsewhere in this section since records of unknown race were randomly assigned to white and other than white before rates were calculated for the other tables, and were not included in calculations for this table.

Table 2.9
 Leading Causes of Death and Cause-Specific Rates by Age, Sex, and Race
 Michigan Residents 1979

WHITE MALES ²			
AGE	RANK AND CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER	SPECIFIC RATE
All Ages	1. Diseases of the Heart	14,452	369.3
	2. Malignant Neoplasms	7,434	190.0
	3. Cerebrovascular	2,312	59.1
	4. Accidents and Adverse Effects	2,262	57.8
	5. Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases and Allied Conditions	1,311	33.5
	All Causes	35,147	898.1
Under 1 Year	1. Certain Conditions Originating in the Perinatal Period	388	682.1
	2. Congenital Anomalies	151	265.5
	3. Accidents	22	38.7
	4. Diseases of the Heart	14	24.6
	5. Pneumonia and Influenza	11	19.3
	All Causes	782	1374.8
1-4 Years	1. Accidents and Adverse Effects	59	25.5
	2. Congenital Anomalies	26	11.2
	3. Malignant Neoplasms	14	6.0
	4. Pneumonia and Influenza	5	2.2
	5. Diseases of the Heart	4	1.7
	All Causes	146	63.0
5-14 Years	1. Accidents and Adverse Effects	121	15.9
	2. Malignant Neoplasms	36	4.7
	3. Congenital Anomalies	9	1.2
	4-6. (See Below)	6	0.8
	All Causes	227	29.8
	Diseases of the Heart, Cerebrovascular Diseases, and Homicide and Legal Intervention are Tied for 4th Rank		
15-24 Years	1. Accidents and Adverse Effects	648	90.2
	2. Suicide	170	23.7
	3. Malignant Neoplasms	70	9.7
	4. Homicide and Legal Intervention	68	9.5
	5. Diseases of the Heart	24	3.3
	All Causes	1,118	155.6
25-34 Years	1. Accidents and Adverse Effects	386	75.3
	2. Suicide	159	31.0
	3. Malignant Neoplasms	74	14.4
	4. Homicide and Legal Intervention	67	13.1
	5. Diseases of the Heart	65	12.7
	All Causes	911	177.7

Table 2.9
 Leading Causes of Death and Cause-Specific Rates by Age, Sex, and Race
 Michigan Residents 1979 (cont.)

WHITE MALES ²			
AGE	RANK AND CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER	SPECIFIC RATE
35-49 Years	1. Diseases of the Heart	692	102.4
	2. Malignant Neoplasms	388	57.4
	3. Accidents and Adverse Effects	324	48.0
	4. Suicide	132	19.5
	5. Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis	116	17.2
	All Causes	2,029	300.3
50-64 Years	1. Diseases of the Heart	3,600	588.8
	2. Malignant Neoplasms	2,257	369.1
	3. Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis	334	54.6
	4. Cerebrovascular Diseases	313	51.2
	5. Accidents and Adverse Effects	280	45.8
	All Causes	8,112	1326.8
65 and Over	1. Diseases of the Heart	10,047	2900.9
	2. Malignant Neoplasms	4,593	1326.1
	3. Cerebrovascular Diseases	1,894	546.9
	4. Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases and Allied Conditions	1,041	300.6
	5. Pneumonia and Influenza	558	161.1
	All Causes	21,820	6300.1

Table 2.9
 Leading Causes of Death and Cause-Specific Rates by Age, Sex, and Race
 Michigan Residents 1979

WHITE FEMALES ²			
AGE	RANK AND CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER	SPECIFIC RATE
All Ages	1. Diseases of the Heart	11,838	294.1
	2. Malignant Neoplasms	6,085	151.2
	3. Cerebrovascular Diseases	3,030	75.3
	4. Accidents and Adverse Effects	1,073	26.7
	5. Atherosclerosis	665	16.5
	All Causes	28,800	715.5
Under 1 Year	1. Certain Conditions Originating in the Perinatal Period	277	516.7
	2. Congenital Anomalies	135	251.8
	3. Accidents and Adverse Effects	17	31.7
	4. Diseases of the Heart	8	14.9
	5. Pneumonia and Influenza	6	11.2
	All Causes	564	1052.0
1-4 Years	1. Accidents and Adverse Effects	39	17.7
	2. Congenital Anomalies	16	7.3
	3. Malignant Neoplasms	11	5.0
	4. Pneumonia and Influenza	4	1.8
	5. Certain Conditions Originating in the Perinatal Period	3	1.4
	All Causes	105	47.6
5-14 Years	1. Accidents and Adverse Effects	74	10.1
	2. Malignant Neoplasms	30	4.1
	3. Congenital Anomalies	7	1.0
	4. Homicide and Legal Intervention	5	0.7
	5. Cerebrovascular Diseases	4	0.5
	All Causes	151	20.7
15-24 Years	1. Accidents and Adverse Effects	219	30.1
	2. Suicide	42	5.8
	3. Homicide and Legal Intervention	34	4.7
	4. Malignant Neoplasms	33	4.5
	5. Diseases of the Heart	13	1.8
	All Causes	420	57.8
25-34 Years	1. Accidents and Adverse Effects	100	17.0
	2. Malignant Neoplasms	70	11.9
	3. Suicide	46	7.8
	4. Diseases of the Heart	30	5.1
	5. Homicide and Legal Intervention	29	4.9
	All Causes	393	66.8

Table 2.9
 Leading Causes of Death and Cause-Specific Rates by Age, Sex, and Race
 Michigan Residents 1979 (cont.)

WHITE FEMALES ²			
AGE	RANK AND CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER	SPECIFIC RATE
35-49 Years	1. Malignant Neoplasms	466	80.0
	2. Diseases of the Heart	180	30.9
	3. Accidents and Adverse Effects	121	20.8
	4. Suicide	64	11.0
	5. Cerebrovascular Diseases	59	10.1
	All Causes	1,201	206.2
50-64 Years	1. Malignant Neoplasms	1,838	282.8
	2. Diseases of the Heart	1,342	206.5
	3. Cerebrovascular Diseases	249	38.3
	4. Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis	140	21.5
	5. Accidents and Adverse Effects	121	18.6
	All Causes	4,565	702.4
65 and Over	1. Diseases of the Heart	10,261	2161.2
	2. Malignant Neoplasms	3,635	765.6
	3. Cerebrovascular Diseases	2,704	569.5
	4. Atherosclerosis	647	136.3
	5. Diabetes Mellitus	584	123.0
	All Causes	21,399	4507.1

Table 2.9
Leading Causes of Death and Cause-Specific Rates by Age, Sex, and Race
Michigan Residents 1979

ALL OTHER MALES ²			
AGE	RANK AND CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER	SPECIFIC RATE
All Ages	1. Diseases of the Heart	1,623	263.9
	2. Malignant Neoplasms	1,085	176.4
	3. Homicide and legal intervention	426	69.3
	4. Accidents and Adverse Effects	344	55.9
	5. Cerebrovascular Diseases	340	55.3
	All Causes	5,421	881.5
Under 1 Year	1. Certain Conditions Originating in the Perinatal Period	190	1475.8
	2. Congenital Anomalies	29	225.3
	3-5. (See Below)	6	46.6
	All Causes	313	2431.3
	Accidents and Adverse Effects, Pneumonia and Influenza, and Meningitis are Tied for 3rd Rank		
1-4 Years	1. Accidents and Adverse Effects	16	33.7
	2. Homicide and Legal Intervention	6	12.7
	3. Congenital Anomalies	5	10.5
	4-5. Diseases of the Heart	2	4.2
	Pneumonia and Influenza	2	4.2
	All Causes	42	88.6
5-14 Years	1. Accidents and Adverse Effects	30	22.5
	2. Malignant Neoplasms	6	4.5
	3. Pneumonia and Influenza	2	1.5
	4-5. (See Below)	1	0.8
	All Causes	49	36.8
Several categories are tied for 4th rank.			
15-24 Years	1. Homicide and Legal Intervention	114	83.5
	2. Accidents and Adverse Effects	49	35.9
	3. Suicide	34	24.9
	4. Malignant Neoplasms	9	6.6
	5. Diseases of the Heart	8	5.9
	All Causes	249	182.4
25-34 Years	1. Homicide and Legal Intervention	146	206.6
	2. Accidents and Adverse Effects	65	92.0
	3. Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis	31	43.9
	4. Suicide	25	35.4
	5. Diseases of the Heart	24	34.0
	All Causes	379	536.4

Table 2.9
 Leading Causes of Death and Cause-Specific Rates by Age, Sex, and Race
 Michigan Residents 1979 (cont.)

ALL OTHER MALES ²			
AGE	RANK AND CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER	SPECIFIC RATE
35-49 Years	1. Diseases of the Heart	173	186.6
	2. Homicide and Legal Intervention	100	107.8
	3. Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis	95	102.5
	4. Malignant Neoplasms	92	99.2
	5. Accidents and Adverse Effects	62	66.9
	All Causes	709	764.6
50-64 Years	1. Diseases of the Heart	523	666.5
	2. Malignant Neoplasms	423	539.1
	3. Cerebrovascular Diseases	103	131.3
	4. Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis	91	116.0
	5. Accidents and Adverse Effects	69	87.9
	All Causes	1,516	1932.0
65 and Over	1. Diseases of the Heart	887	2056.7
	2. Malignant Neoplasms	543	1259.0
	3. Cerebrovascular Diseases	204	473.0
	4. Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases and Allied Conditions	74	171.6
	5. Pneumonia and Influenza	53	122.9
	All Causes	2,163	5,015.3

Table 2.9
Leading Causes of Death and Cause-Specific Rates by Age, Sex, and Race
Michigan Residents 1979

ALL OTHER FEMALES ²			
AGE	RANK AND CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER	SPECIFIC RATE
All Ages	1. Diseases of the Heart	1,334	204.2
	2. Malignant Neoplasms	780	119.4
	3. Cerebrovascular Diseases	379	58.0
	4. Certain Conditions Originating in the Perinatal Period	155	23.7
	5. Accidents and Adverse Effects	141	21.6
	All Causes	3,971	607.9
Under 1 Year	1. Certain Conditions Originating in the Perinatal Period	154	1190.3
	2. Congenital Anomalies	24	185.5
	3. Accidents and Adverse Effects	9	69.6
	4. Pneumonia and Influenza	7	54.1
	5. Diseases of the Heart	6	46.4
	All Causes	249	1924.6
1-4 Years	1. Accidents and Adverse Effects	11	23.5
	2. Homicide and Legal Intervention	10	21.4
	3. Malignant Neoplasms	6	12.8
	4. Congenital Anomalies	5	10.7
	5. Diseases of the Heart	2	4.3
	All Causes	43	91.8
5-14 Years	1. Accidents and Adverse Effects	15	11.4
	2. Homicide and Legal Intervention	6	4.5
	3. Diseases of the Heart	5	3.8
	4-5. (See Below)	1	0.8
	All Causes	39	29.6
	Several categories are tied for 4th rank.		
15-24 Years	1. Homicide and Legal Intervention	23	16.4
	2. Accidents and Adverse Effects	16	11.4
	3. Suicide	9	6.4
	4. Malignant Neoplasms	5	3.6
	5. Complications of Pregnancy, Childbirth and the Puerperium	4	2.8
	All Causes	92	65.5
25-34 Years	1. Homicide and Legal Intervention	43	46.1
	2. Accidents and Adverse Effects	23	24.7
	3. Diseases of the Heart	20	21.4
	4-5. Malignant Neoplasms	16	17.2
	Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis	16	17.2
	All Causes	200	214.5

Table 2.9
 Leading Causes of Death and Cause-Specific Rates by Age, Sex, and Race
 Michigan Residents 1979 (cont.)

ALL OTHER FEMALES ²			
AGE	RANK AND CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER	SPECIFIC RATE
35-49 Years	1. Malignant Neoplasms	102	109.0
	2. Diseases of the Heart	72	76.9
	3. Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis	41	43.8
	4. Cerebrovascular Diseases	33	35.3
	5. Accidents and Adverse Effects	21	22.4
	All Causes	375	400.7
50-64 Years	1. Diseases of the Heart	316	377.6
	2. Malignant Neoplasms	283	338.2
	3. Cerebrovascular Diseases	70	83.7
	4. Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis	41	49.0
	5. Diabetes Mellitus	33	39.4
	All Causes	947	1131.7
65 and Over	1. Diseases of the Heart	912	1800.3
	2. Malignant Neoplasms	367	724.5
	3. Cerebrovascular Diseases	269	531.0
	4. Diabetes Mellitus	75	148.1
	5. Pneumonia and Influenza	44	86.9
	All Causes	2,026	3999.4

DISEASES OF THE HEART

The leading cause of death, heart disease, caused 29,296 Michigan resident deaths in 1979. This is more than the number of deaths from the next five largest causes combined. The number of deaths from heart disease in 1979 was 110 fewer than in 1978. The crude rate of 318.2 deaths per 100,000 population from this cause is slightly lower than the rate of 320.0 in 1978. This apparent decline is somewhat less than the decline that would have been observed if causes of death had been assigned based on the same Revision of the ICD in both 1978 and 1979. Based on an adjusted rate of 324.0 (see Table 2.7) for 1978, the decline in the crude death rate was 1.8 percent between 1978 and 1979.

The median age of persons who died from heart disease was 75 years, compared to a median of 71 years for deaths from all causes. Of the 29,296 deaths due to diseases of the heart, 55.0 percent were to males. The median age at death for males was 71 years compared to 79 years for females. The median age of 72 years for white males exceeded that for other than white males by 6 years. The median age at death for white females was 80 years, 8 years above that for other than white females (Table 2.10).

Table 2.11 presents death rates for diseases of the heart by age, race and sex. Note that the death rate associated with this cause rises markedly with advancing age. Heart disease was the underlying cause of 42 deaths of persons below 5 years of age or about 1.9 percent of all deaths in this age group. In contrast, 50.7 percent of all deaths in the age group 85 and over were attributed to this cause in 1979. The heart disease death rate was 6,808.1 in the 85 and over age group.

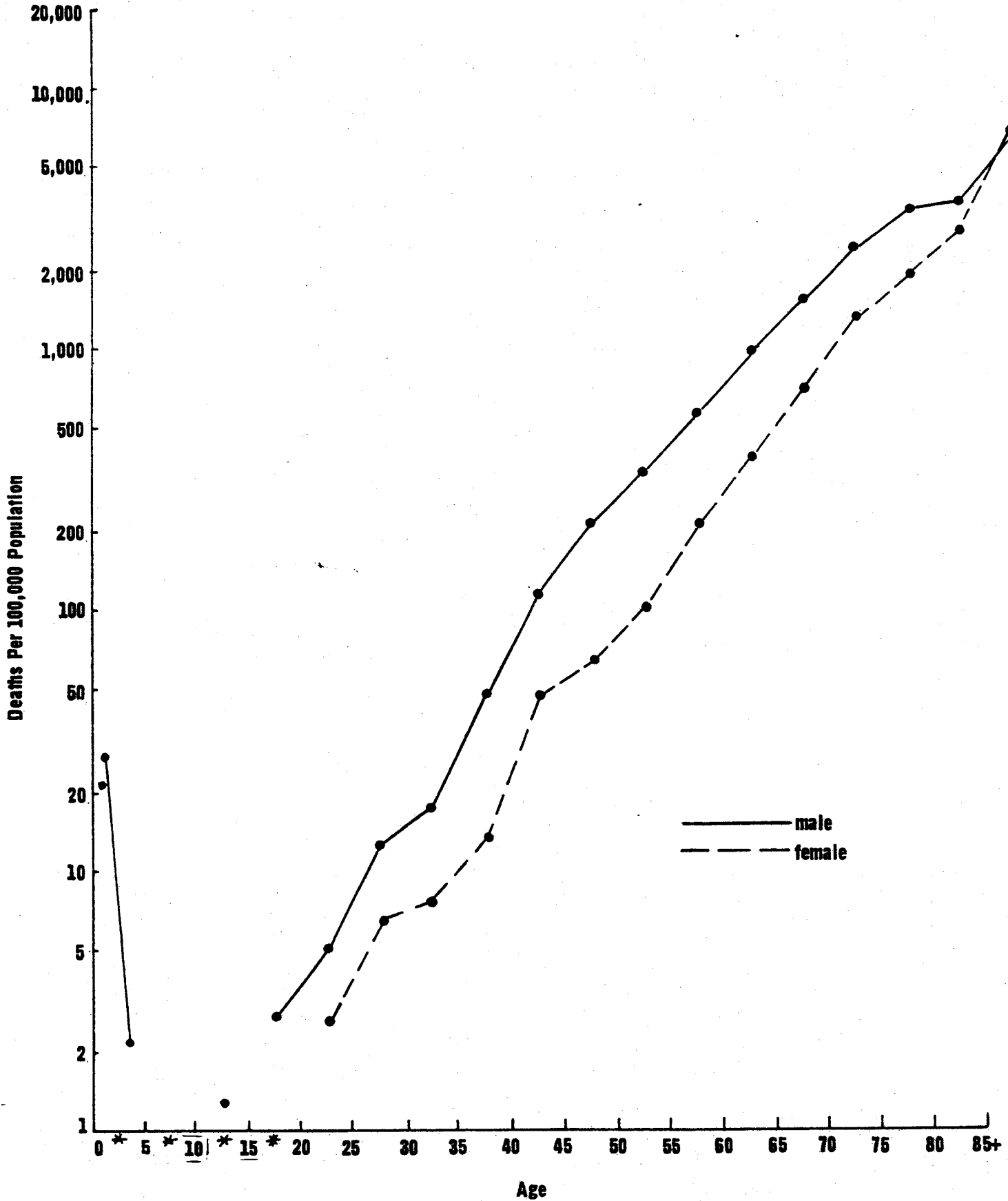
Examination of Table 2.11 reveals that the heart disease death rate for males was substantially higher than that for females in 1979 (355.6 as compared to 281.9 per 100,000 population). The relationship between rates for males and females is graphically displayed in Figure 2.6. Age-specific heart disease death rates for males and females were similar below the age of 20. Rates for males were substantially above those of females between ages 20 and 84. The greatest differentials occurred between the ages of 35 and 64 with rates for males ranging between 2.5 and 3.4 times the corresponding rates for females. The gap between rates for males and females became progressively smaller between ages 65 and 84, and beyond age 85 the heart disease death rate for females exceeded that for males. The age-adjusted death rate for males was 1.9 times that for females.

Table 2.11 - Heart Disease Death Rates by Age, Race, and Sex,
Michigan Residents, 1979

Age	All Races			White			Other Than White		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
	All Ages-Crude Rate	318.2	355.6	281.9	331.7	370.0	294.5	233.6	264.2	204.8
Under 1 Year	24.2	27.2	21.0	19.9	24.6	14.9	42.6	38.8	46.4
1-4 Years	1.6	2.2	*	1.1	*	*	*	*	*
5-9 Years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
10-14 Years	1.1	*	1.3	0.8	*	*	*	*	*
15-19 Years	1.7	2.8	*	1.7	2.5	*	*	*	*
20-24 Years	3.8	5.0	2.7	3.6	4.4	3.0	4.7	8.1	*
25-29 Years	8.8	12.2	6.3	6.5	10.4	3.5	24.1	24.1	24.2
30-34 Years	12.8	17.6	8.3	10.5	14.4	6.7	29.3	42.7	18.9
35-39 Years	28.1	40.8	13.2	25.4	36.0	12.6	45.7	76.1	16.9
40-44 Years	83.9	118.1	45.0	75.6	109.6	36.1	139.8	179.8	100.1
45-49 Years	142.8	216.2	63.5	126.9	196.8	51.1	257.3	357.0	151.4
50-54 Years	226.7	347.4	108.0	209.2	331.4	88.9	358.3	469.0	250.6
55-59 Years	380.7	560.9	213.9	362.8	543.8	195.5	523.7	697.1	362.1
60-64 Years	671.7	984.5	388.8	664.8	993.9	367.0	725.6	909.9	560.0
65-69 Years	1,085.6	1,524.1	701.7	1,100.1	1,573.3	690.4	983.2	1,193.1	784.6
70-74 Years	1,824.7	2,479.0	1,321.8	1,841.3	2,569.6	1,292.3	1,687.8	1,802.0	1,585.2
75-79 Years	2,588.0	3,470.2	1,997.9	2,542.3	3,439.0	1,948.6	3,109.8	3,801.9	2,590.6
80-84 Years	3,160.0	3,601.1	2,876.2	3,179.0	3,636.4	2,887.6	2,934.3	3,212.2	2,733.8
85 and Over	6,808.1	6,611.8	6,921.1	7,139.4	7,024.3	7,204.6	3,596.4	3,078.7	3,953.6
Age-Adjusted Rate ¹	206.8	278.9	144.2	203.7	279.1	139.0	228.0	277.2	182.8

¹Based on age-specific death rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Computed by the direct method, using as the standard population the age distribution of the total population of the United States as enumerated in 1940; see technical notes.

FIGURE 2.6 Age-Specific Heart Disease Death Rates¹ by Sex,
Michigan Residents, 1979



1 - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

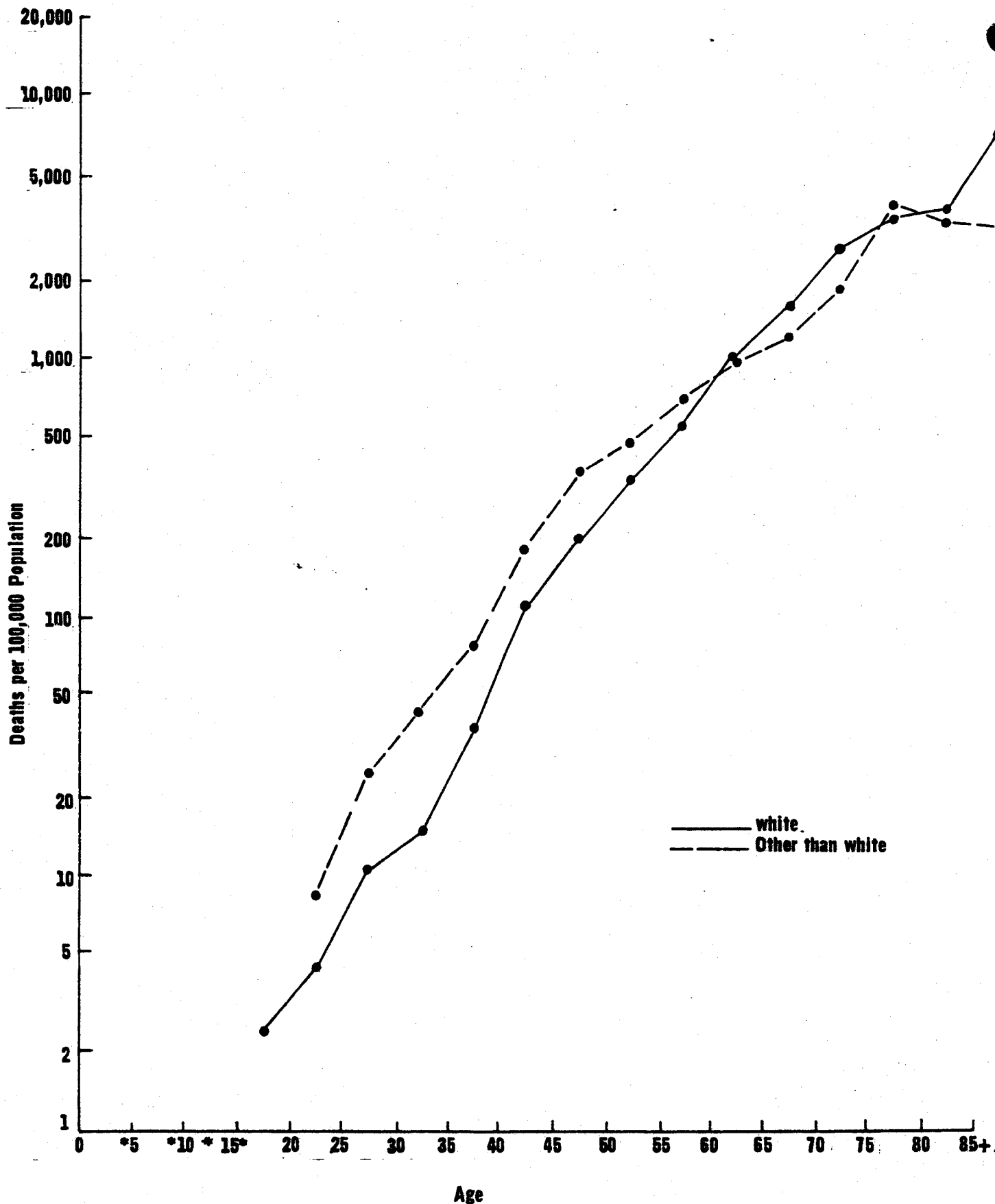
A comparison of 1979 heart disease death rates for males by race is graphically presented in Figure 2.7. Rates for other than white males were higher than those for white males between ages 20 and 59 and lower than rates for white males in all age intervals beyond age 59 except the 75-79 age group. The rate for white males across all ages was 370.0 compared to 264.2 for other than white males. This differential stems largely from the fact that a greater proportion of the white male population was in the older age groups where heart disease death rates were particularly high. The age-adjusted heart disease death rate for white males was 279.1 in 1979, 0.7 percent above the rate of 277.2 for other than white males.

Heart disease death rates for white and other than white females are displayed in Figure 2.8. Rates for other than white females were greater than those for white females between ages 25 and 79, beyond which age the rates for white females exceeded those for other than white females. Although the rate for white females for all ages (294.5) was substantially above the comparable rate for other than white females (204.8), this relationship is reversed when the differing age distributions of the two populations are considered. The age-adjusted rate for other than white females was 182.8 while that for white females was 139.0.

In 1900 the crude heart disease death rate in Michigan was 117.1, the lowest rate of this century. Heart disease death rates rose through the time period 1900-1950 and have remained relatively stable over the last twenty-nine years. The highest observed rate during the century was 343.1 in 1965. The annual rate declined in five of the past seven years. The rate of 318.2 for 1979 was 7.3 percent below the peak rate observed in 1965. The rate for Michigan was consistently close to the national rate until 1946. Since that time the crude rate for Michigan has been well below that of the nation. In 1979 the rate for the nation was an estimated 331.3, 4.1 percent above the rate of death due to heart disease for Michigan (Figure 2.9).

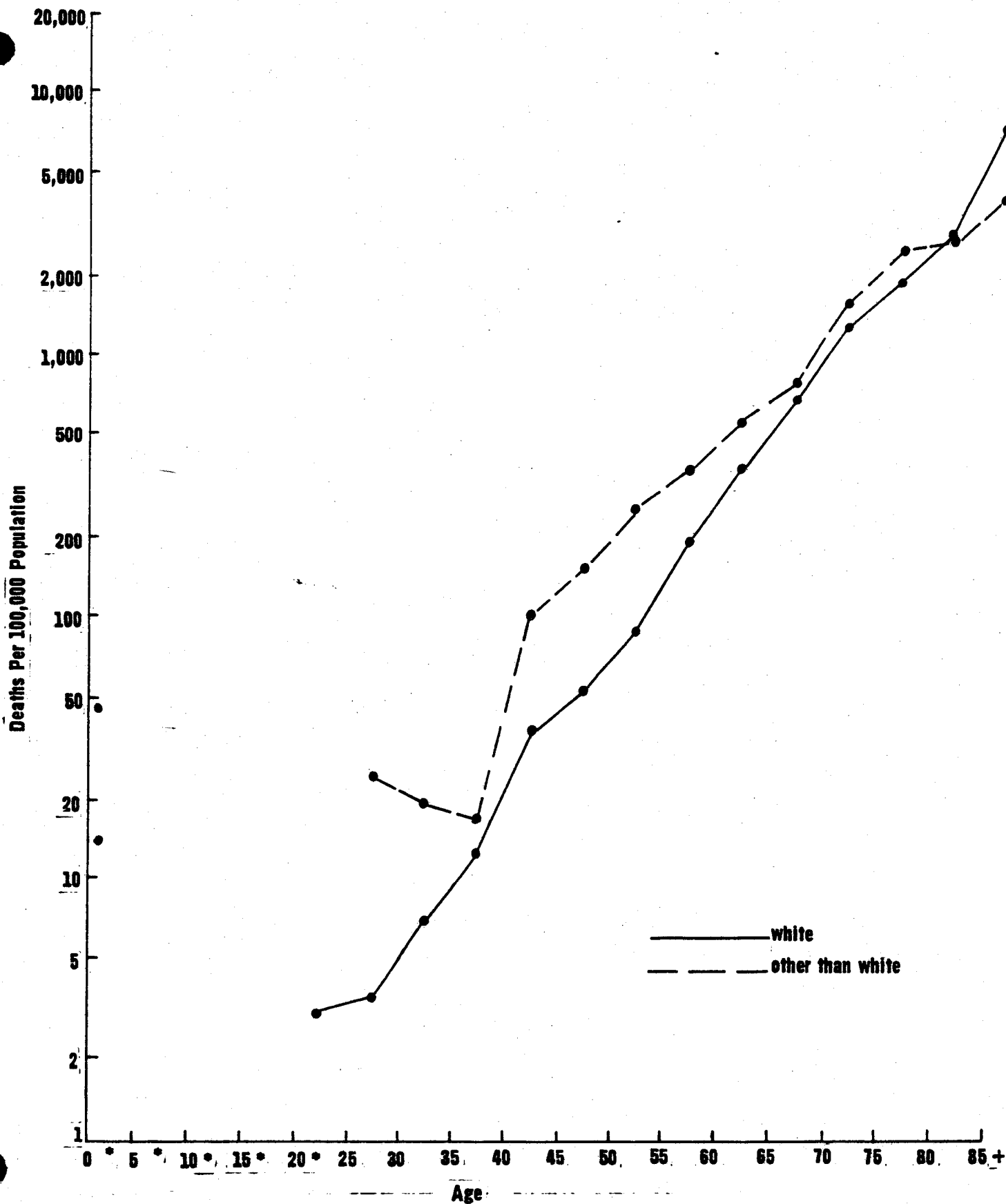
Age-adjusted death rates for diseases of the heart in the 1970's are presented in Table 2.12. These data indicate a downward trend in heart disease death rates for the population as a whole and for each race-sex subgroup individually. Between 1970 and

**FIGURE 2.7 Age-Specific Heart Disease Death Rates¹ by Race,
Michigan Resident Males, 1979**



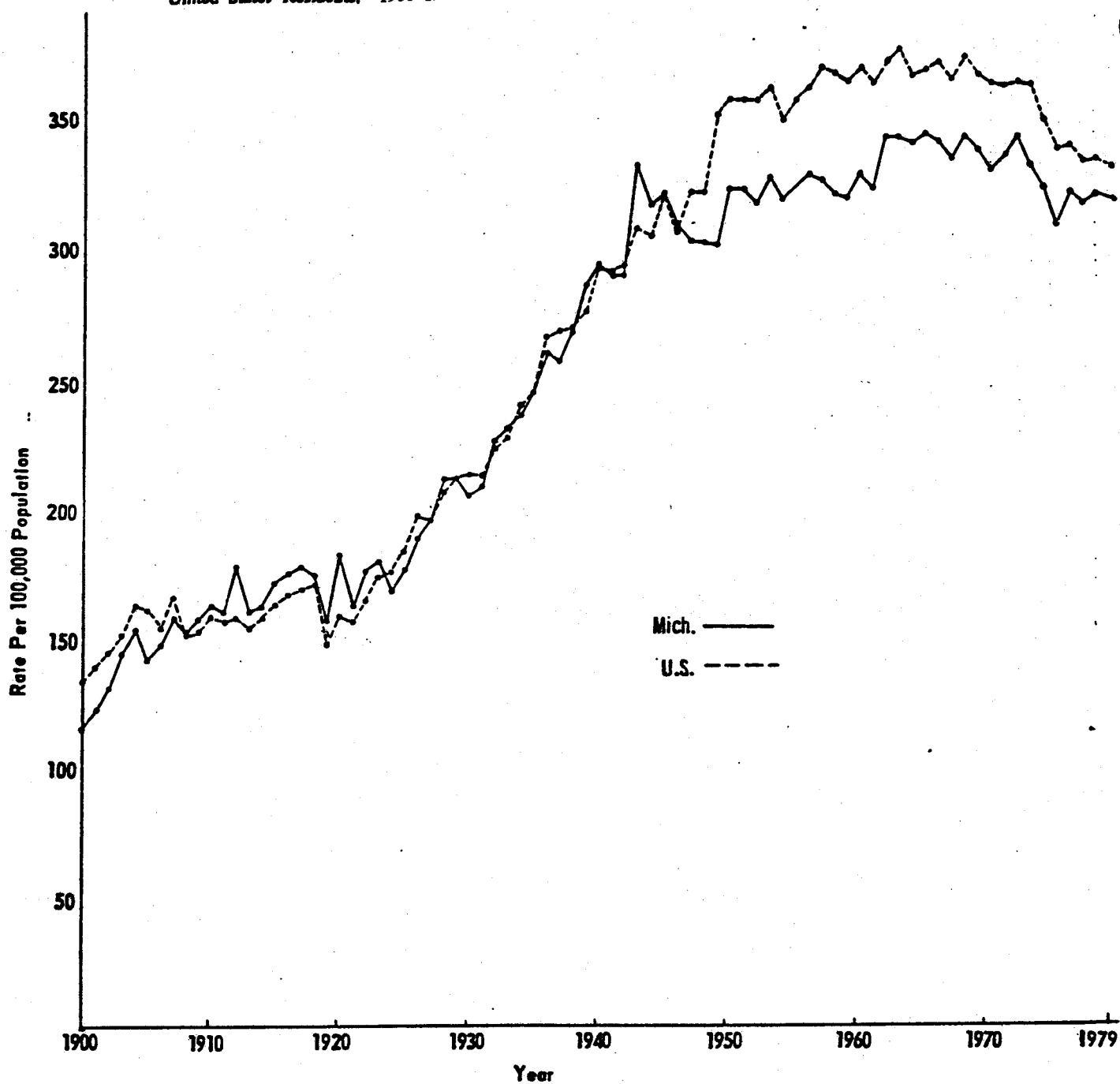
¹ - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

**FIGURE 2.8 Age-Specific Heart Disease Death Rates,¹ by Race,
Michigan Resident Females, 1978**



1 - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

FIGURE 2.9—Heart Disease Death Rates, Michigan and United States Residents,¹ 1900-1979²



¹National rates are from death registration states for 1900-1932 and the United States for 1933-1979; United States 1979 rate is provisional.

²Heart Disease death rates since 1900 are suitable for general comparison over time but detailed study (such as time series) requires special consideration. See Technical Notes.

Table 2.12

Age-Adjusted Heart Disease Death Rates¹ by Race and Sex,
Michigan and United States Residents, 1970-1979

Place	Year	ALL RACES			WHITE			OTHER THAN WHITE		
		Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Michigan	1970	258.0	350.6	178.4	254.4	350.7	172.1	281.0	337.3	230.3
	1971	258.3	356.8	174.2	254.3	356.9	167.2	283.4	340.5	231.4
	1972	259.5	352.7	179.7	255.7	351.7	173.9	284.5	351.7	223.3
	1973	246.3	335.3	170.1	242.3	334.4	164.1	271.5	333.9	214.8
	1974	232.2	314.3	161.6	229.4	315.4	155.9	249.7	299.0	204.8
	1975	218.8	297.8	149.9	217.7	300.4	146.0	223.0	270.8	178.7
	1976	216.8	295.3	148.6	215.1	297.0	144.4	227.8	277.6	181.5
	1977	211.7	288.4	145.1	209.0	289.7	139.4	229.0	273.9	187.3
	1978	209.2	281.8	146.1	206.1	282.5	140.3	231.0	274.5	190.8
	1979	206.8	278.9	144.2	203.7	279.1	139.0	228.0	272.2	182.8
U.S.	1970	253.6	348.5	175.2	249.1	347.6	167.8	288.9	350.8	236.6
	1971	252.0	344.6	175.1	247.4	343.0	168.2	297.3	363.3	242.3
	1972	249.3	344.5	171.6	244.9	343.3	164.7	283.1	349.3	228.5
	1973	244.4	339.3	167.4	239.9	338.1	160.3	279.8	344.7	225.8
	1974	232.7	323.6	159.2	228.8	322.8	152.9	262.8	325.8	210.8
	1975	220.5	308.3	149.7	217.2	308.0	144.2	245.2	307.0	194.6
	1976	216.7	303.3	147.1	213.5	303.0	141.7	241.1	302.8	190.3
	1977	210.4	294.7	142.9	206.8	294.0	137.2	237.9	297.8	185.7
	1978	207.6	289.8	141.8	204.0	288.8	136.5	234.7	295.8	184.7
	1979	203.0	283.0	140.0	200.0	283.0	135.0	230.0	290.0	180.0

1 - Based on age-specific death rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Computed by the direct method, using as the standard population the age distribution of the total population of the United States as enumerated in 1940; see Technical Notes.

1972 the rate for Michigan increased but slightly. Since 1972 the rate has declined each year. The age-adjusted death rate for the nation has declined each year since 1970. Age-adjusted rates have declined by about 20 percent both for Michigan and the nation between 1970 and 1979. The age-adjusted rates for Michigan have been slightly above those for the nation in 8 of the 10 years.

Age-adjusted rates for other than white females have been well above those for white females through the 1970's in both Michigan and the United States. Age-adjusted rates for other than white males have tended to be slightly below those for white males in Michigan and slightly above those for white males nationally.

The most prevalent type of heart disease death is acute myocardial infarction (12,698 deaths in 1979) commonly referred to as a "coronary" (Table 2.13). Almost as frequent is old myocardial infarction and other forms of chronic ischemic heart disease. In 1979 there were 9,187 deaths attributed to this cause. Together, these causes accounted for 75 percent of all Michigan resident deaths from heart disease. Of the remaining 7,411 heart disease deaths, 72 percent were attributed to all other and ill-defined forms of heart disease (4,274 deaths) and heart failure (1,060 deaths).

The probability of eventually dying from heart disease, based on Michigan resident death data from 1977, 1978 and 1979 and population estimates for 1978, is 0.418 for males and 0.439 for females at birth. The chance associated with dying from heart disease increases steadily for both sexes with advancing age as certain competing causes of death become less likely. By age 85, the observed probability is 0.487 for males and 0.525 for females. At all ages the probability of death eventually being caused by heart disease is greater for females. These differentials by sex are smallest between ages 25 and 50. The higher probability for females reflects smaller chances of death due to some cause other than heart disease (Figure 2.10).

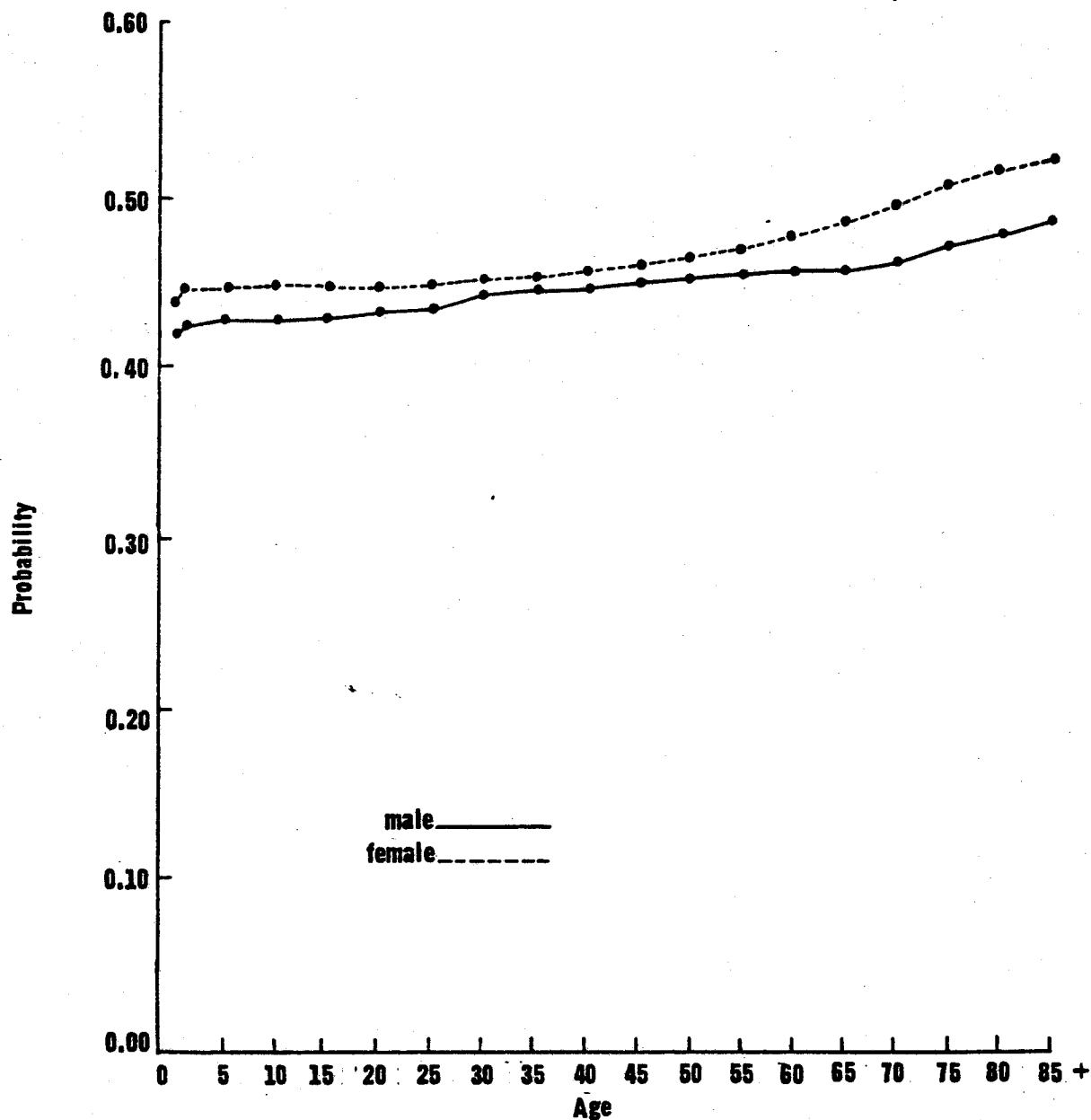
An apparent inconsistency can be noted by review of Figure 2.6 and Figure 2.10. The heart disease mortality rate for males is higher than that for females over nearly all ages yet the chance of eventual death due to heart disease is slightly greater for females at all ages. This paradox is explained by a comparison of these two measures. The

TABLE 2.13 - Deaths Due to Diseases of the Heart by Specific Detailed Cause
Michigan Residents, 1979

282 LIST ¹ NUMBER	CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER OF DEATHS	PERCENT
136	Acute Myocardial Infarction	12,698	43.3
139	Old Myocardial Infarction and Other Forms of Chronic Ischemic Heart Disease	9,187	31.4
148	All other and Ill-Defined Forms of Heart Disease	4,274	14.6
146	Heart Failure	1,060	3.6
133	Hypertensive Heart Disease	744	2.5
140	Diseases of Pulmonary Circulation	429	1.5
144	Aortic Valve Disorders	146	0.5
128	Diseases of Mitral Valve	129	0.4
131	All other Chronic Rheumatic Heart Disease	117	0.4
147	Myocarditis, Unspecified and Myocardial Degeneration	115	0.4
135	Hypertensive Heart and Renal Disease	110	0.4
137	Other Acute and Subacute Forms of Ischemic Heart Disease	59	0.2
143	Mitral Valve Disorders	44	0.2
145	All Other Diseases of Endocardium	41	0.1
130	Diseases of Mitral and Aortic Valves	35	0.1
142	Acute Pericarditis, Acute Myocarditis, and Other Diseases of Pericardium	33	0.1
141	Acute and Subacute Endocarditis	30	0.1
129	Diseases of Aortic Valve	19	0.1
138	Angina Pectoris	16	0.1
127	Acute Rheumatic Fever	10	0.0
	TOTAL	29,296	100.0

¹List of 282 Selected Causes developed by the National Center for Health Statistics for tabulation of Mortality Data coded by the 9th Revision of the International Classification of Diseases, WHO.

FIGURE 2.10 - Probability of Eventually Dying from Heart Disease by Age and Sex, Michigan Residents, 1977-1979 ¹



¹ Note: Should comparisons be desired between this graph and a similar graph contained herein that pertains to some other specified cause of death, differences in scale may be encountered.

cause-specific mortality rate measures the proportion of a population that died from the particular cause over a certain period of time. The probability estimate takes into account the present age-and cause-specific mortality rates and the life expectancy of the population. A greater proportion of all females now alive are expected to live into the older age intervals where they will be subject to the high heart disease mortality rates characteristic of those age groups. The effect of the longer female life span outweighs the effect of the higher mortality rate for males from heart disease.

CANCER

Of 73,480 Michigan resident deaths in 1979, 15,409 were attributed to cancer. Although not the leading cause of death in Michigan or the United States, cancer affects all the human body's major systems and persons of all ages. The frequency of death due to cancer was about one-half that for heart disease across all ages, but the number of cancer deaths below age 60 was about the same as the number of deaths due to heart disease below age 60. The median age at death for cancer was 68, well below the median age of 75 for heart disease deaths (Table 2.14).

Of the 15,409 cancer deaths in 1979 occurring to Michigan residents, 56.7 percent were to males. The median age at death was 68 years for white males and for white females. The median age at death for other than white persons who died of cancer was somewhat lower, 65 for males and 63 for females.

Cancer death rates by age, race and sex are presented in Table 2.15. The cancer death rate across all ages in 1979 was higher for males (188.5) than for females (146.9). The cancer death rates displayed in Figure 2.11 show a strong increase in mortality with advancing age. Age-specific rates for males were higher than those for females in fourteen of the nineteen age groups. Mortality rates were similar for the sexes below age 15. Rates for males were higher between ages 15 and 34. Only in the age groups from 35 through 49 were rates for females appreciably higher than for males. In the first of these age groups (35-39), the rate of cancer mortality for females was double that for males. The relative difference in rates for males and females ages 40-44 was 29 percent and for the 45-49 age group 17 percent. After age 50 the rates for males were greater than those for females. Between ages 50 and 79 the relative differential increased steadily, from 18 percent in the 50-54 year age group to 109 percent in the age group 75-79 years. The age-adjusted cancer rate for males was 46 percent above that for females.

Cancer death rates for white and other than white males recorded in Table 2.15 are graphically displayed in Figure 2.12. Rates for white and other than white males were

Table 2.14
Deaths Due to Cancer by Age, Race, and Sex¹,
Michigan Residents, 1979

AGE	ALL RACES			WHITE			ALL OTHER			RACE NOT STATED		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
Under 1 Year	4	2	2	4	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
1-4 Years	31	14	17	25	14	11	6	-	6	-	-	-
5-9 Years	32	20	12	30	18	12	2	2	-	-	-	-
10-14 Years	41	22	19	36	18	18	5	4	1	-	-	-
15-19 Years	51	35	16	45	30	15	6	5	1	-	-	-
20-24 Years	66	44	22	58	40	18	8	4	4	-	-	-
25-29 Years	75	36	39	62	31	31	13	4	8	-	-	-
30-34 Years	97	50	47	82	43	39	15	5	5	-	-	-
35-39 Years	163	59	104	130	48	82	32	10	8	-	-	-
40-44 Years	281	132	149	226	103	123	55	29	22	-	-	-
45-49 Years	605	290	315	498	237	261	107	53	54	-	-	-
50-54 Years	1,134	609	525	940	498	442	191	108	83	-	-	-
55-59 Years	1,633	890	743	1,385	755	630	248	135	113	-	-	-
60-64 Years	2,044	1,188	856	1,770	1,004	766	267	180	87	-	-	-
65-69 Years	2,292	1,359	933	2,033	1,195	838	256	161	95	-	-	-
70-74 Years	2,162	1,274	888	1,922	1,125	797	238	147	91	-	-	-
75-79 Years	1,963	1,144	818	1,756	1,022	733	205	120	85	-	-	-
80-84 Years	1,436	741	695	1,304	664	640	131	77	54	-	-	-
85-89 Years	937	472	465	880	444	436	55	27	28	-	-	-
90 and Over	362	156	206	334	143	191	25	11	14	-	-	-
Not Stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All Ages	15,409	8,537	6,871	13,520	7,434	6,085	1,865	1,085	780	24	18	6
Median Age at Last Birthday	68	68	67	68	68	68	64	65	63	*	*	*

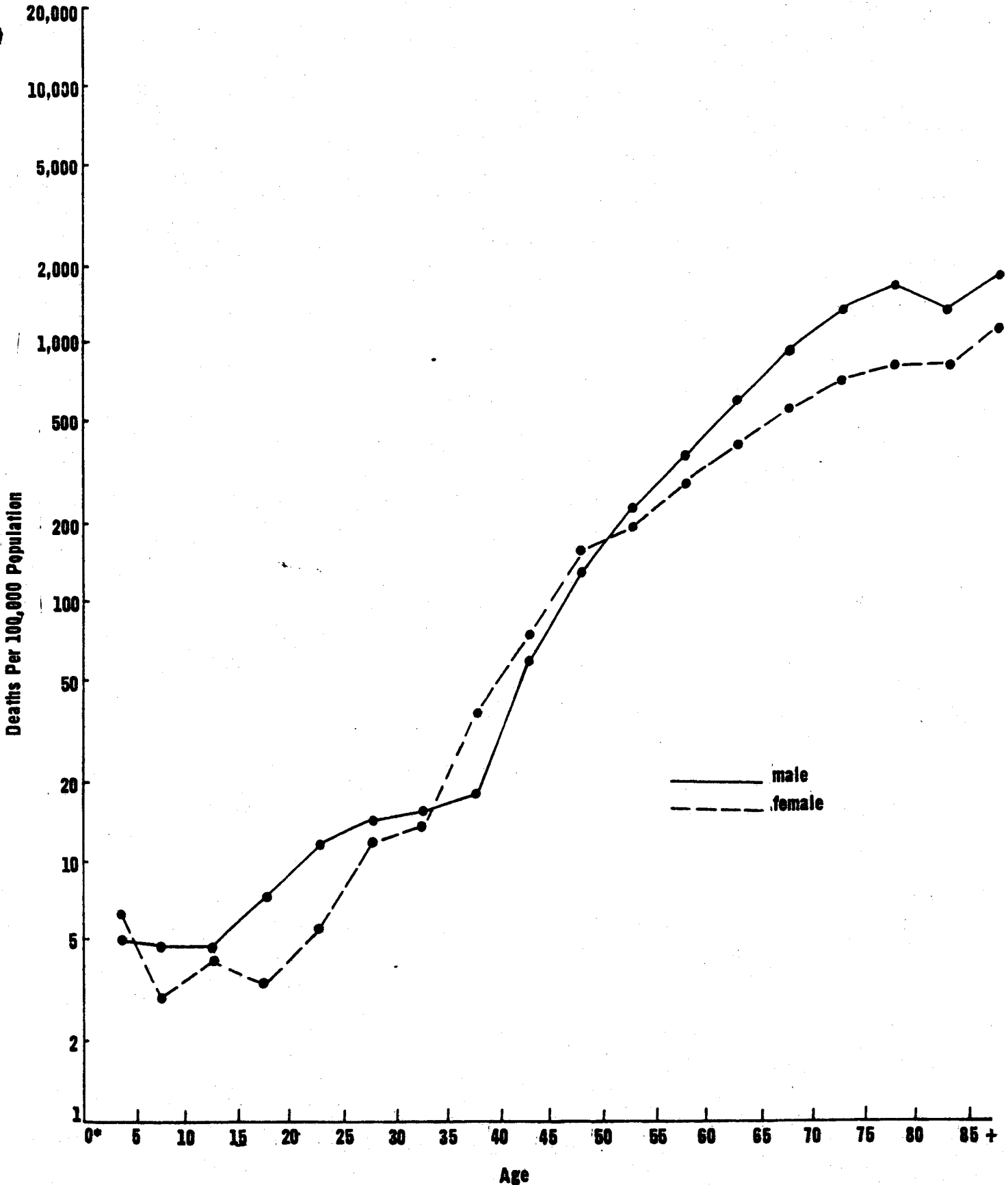
¹The death of one white person with sex not stated is included only in the total columns.

Table 2.15 - Cancer Death Rates by Age, Race, and Sex,
Michigan Residents, 1979

Age	All Races			White			Other Than White		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
	All Ages-Crude Rate	167.4	188.5	146.9	170.6	190.4	151.3	147.3	176.8	119.6
Under 1 Year	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
1-4 Years	5.7	5.0	6.4	5.5	6.0	5.0	6.4	*	12.8
5-9 Years	3.9	4.7	3.0	4.2	5.0	3.5	*	*	*
10-14 Years	4.4	4.7	4.2	4.6	4.5	4.7	3.5	*	*
15-19 Years	5.4	7.4	3.4	5.7	7.6	3.8	4.0	6.7	*
20-24 Years	8.4	11.5	5.5	8.8	12.4	5.3	6.3	*	*
25-29 Years	12.8	14.1	11.7	12.2	14.0	10.8	16.5	15.1	17.6
30-34 Years	14.3	15.2	13.5	13.9	14.8	13.0	17.6	18.7	16.8
35-39 Years	26.8	18.0	37.2	24.9	17.0	34.5	39.5	25.4	53.0
40-44 Years	68.0	60.0	77.1	62.8	53.2	74.0	102.5	108.7	96.4
45-49 Years	143.1	132.0	155.0	134.2	122.8	146.5	207.0	199.2	215.2
50-54 Years	216.6	234.6	198.9	203.8	218.0	189.8	312.7	360.0	266.7
55-59 Years	330.4	374.5	289.5	315.3	357.6	276.1	451.0	508.7	397.2
60-64 Years	504.0	616.9	401.9	493.6	589.7	406.6	585.7	831.4	365.1
65-69 Years	751.5	954.5	573.6	762.4	966.6	585.5	674.8	873.1	487.2
70-74 Years	1,014.4	1,375.5	736.9	1,012.5	1,379.7	735.7	1,030.0	1,344.7	747.4
75-79 Years	1,180.9	1,718.6	821.2	1,150.1	1,683.4	797.1	1,532.5	2,092.8	1,112.1
80-84 Years	1,035.6	1,364.9	823.6	1,020.3	1,334.0	820.5	1,216.5	1,705.8	863.3
85 and Over	1,413.6	1,871.2	1,150.4	1,462.2	1,959.9	1,181.4	942.7	1,111.7	826.1
Age-Adjusted Rate ¹	129.6	157.6	108.0	126.8	154.1	106.2	152.3	187.0	122.3

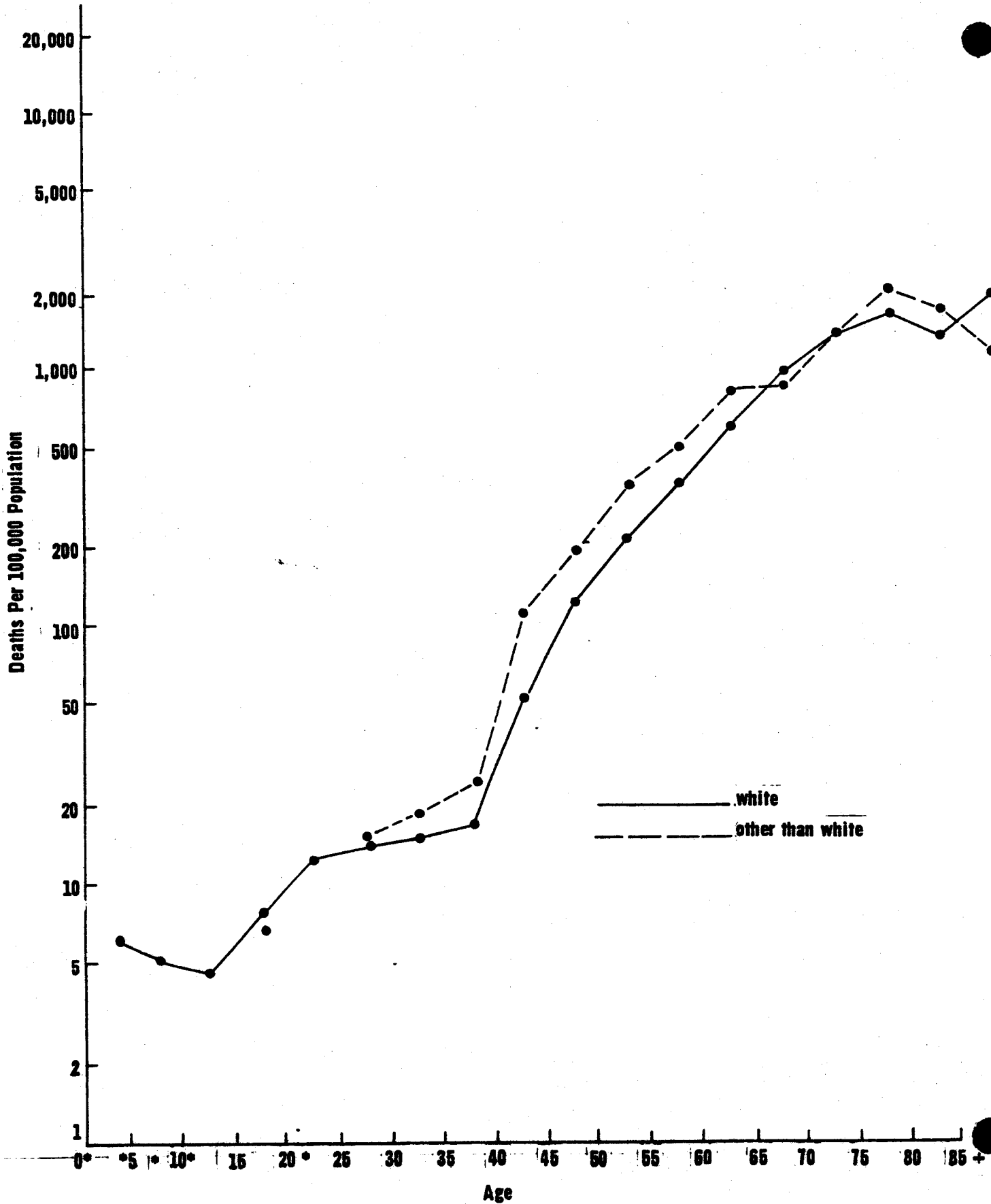
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FIGURE 2.11 - Age-Specific Cancer Death Rates ¹ by Sex,
Michigan Residents, 1979



¹ - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

FIGURE 2.12 Age-Specific Cancer Death Rates¹ by Race, Michigan Resident Males, 1979



1 - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

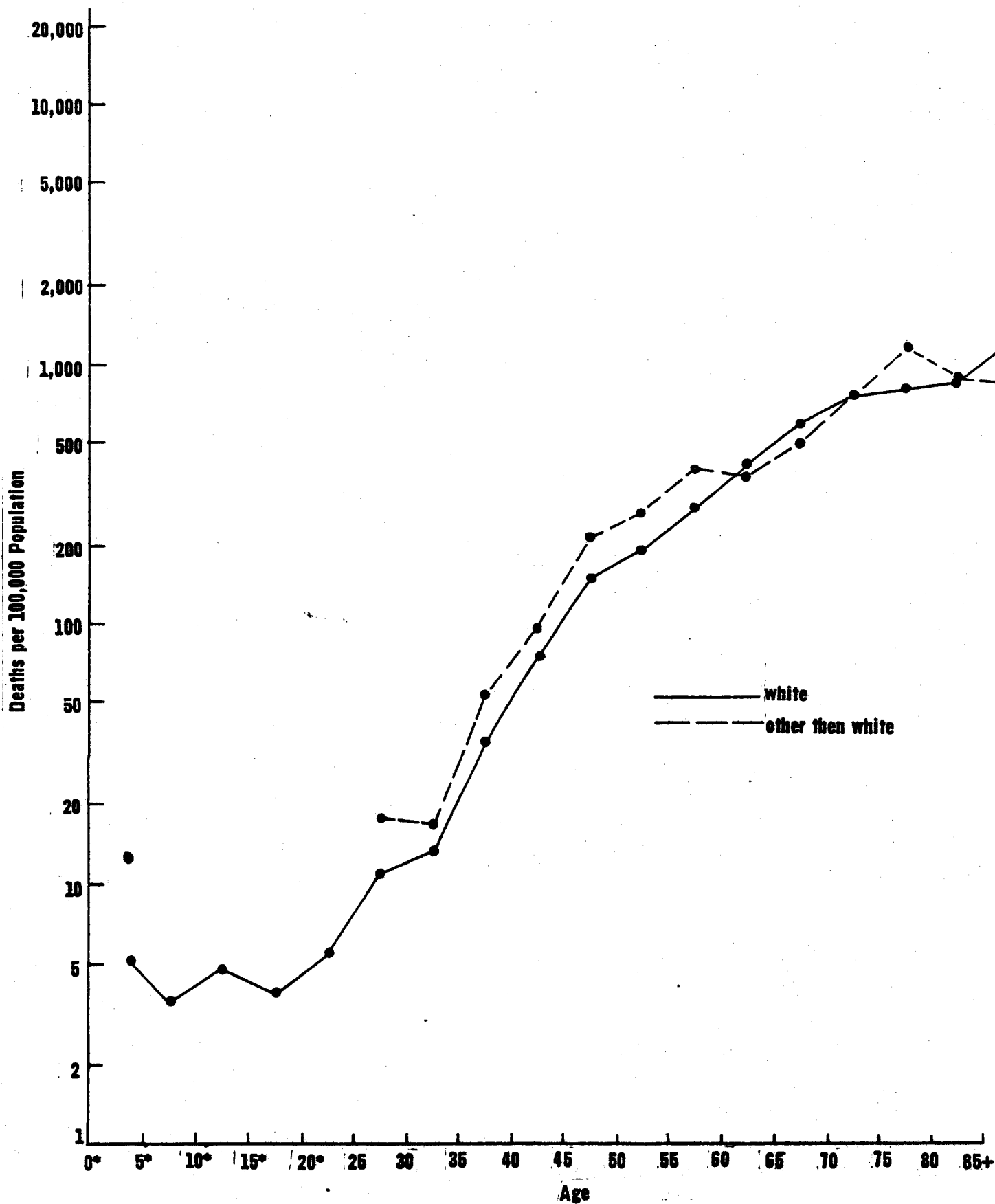
quite similar below age 35. Between ages 35 and 64 rates for other than white males were 40 to 100 percent higher than comparable rates for white males. Rates for white males were higher at ages 65-74 and 85 and over. Although the crude death rate for other than white males was slightly below the comparable rate for white males, the age-adjusted rate for other than white males was 21 percent higher than the age-adjusted rate for white males.

Cancer death rates were also similar for white and other than white females below age 35 (Figure 2.13). Rates for other than white females rose above the rates for white females between ages 35 and 59. Rates for other than white females were also higher between ages 70 and 84. The crude rate for white females was one-quarter higher than the comparable rate for other than white females. The age-adjusted rate for other than white females, however, was 15 percent greater than that for white females.

Cancer death rates have risen steadily since 1900 (Figure 2.14). The rate increased for the fifth consecutive year in 1979 to 167.4, the highest observed in this century. The 1979 rate surpassed the previous high rate of 165.9 in 1978. The lowest observed rate for Michigan was 59.3 in 1902. Michigan's cancer death rate was below the national rate from 1900 through 1915. During the period 1916 through 1946 Michigan was generally at the national rate. Since 1947, the state rate has been consistently below the national cancer death rate. Over the last dozen or so years, the rate for the nation rose faster than did the rate observed in Michigan. The national cancer death rate in 1979 was an estimated 183.5. This is 9.6 percent above the state rate.

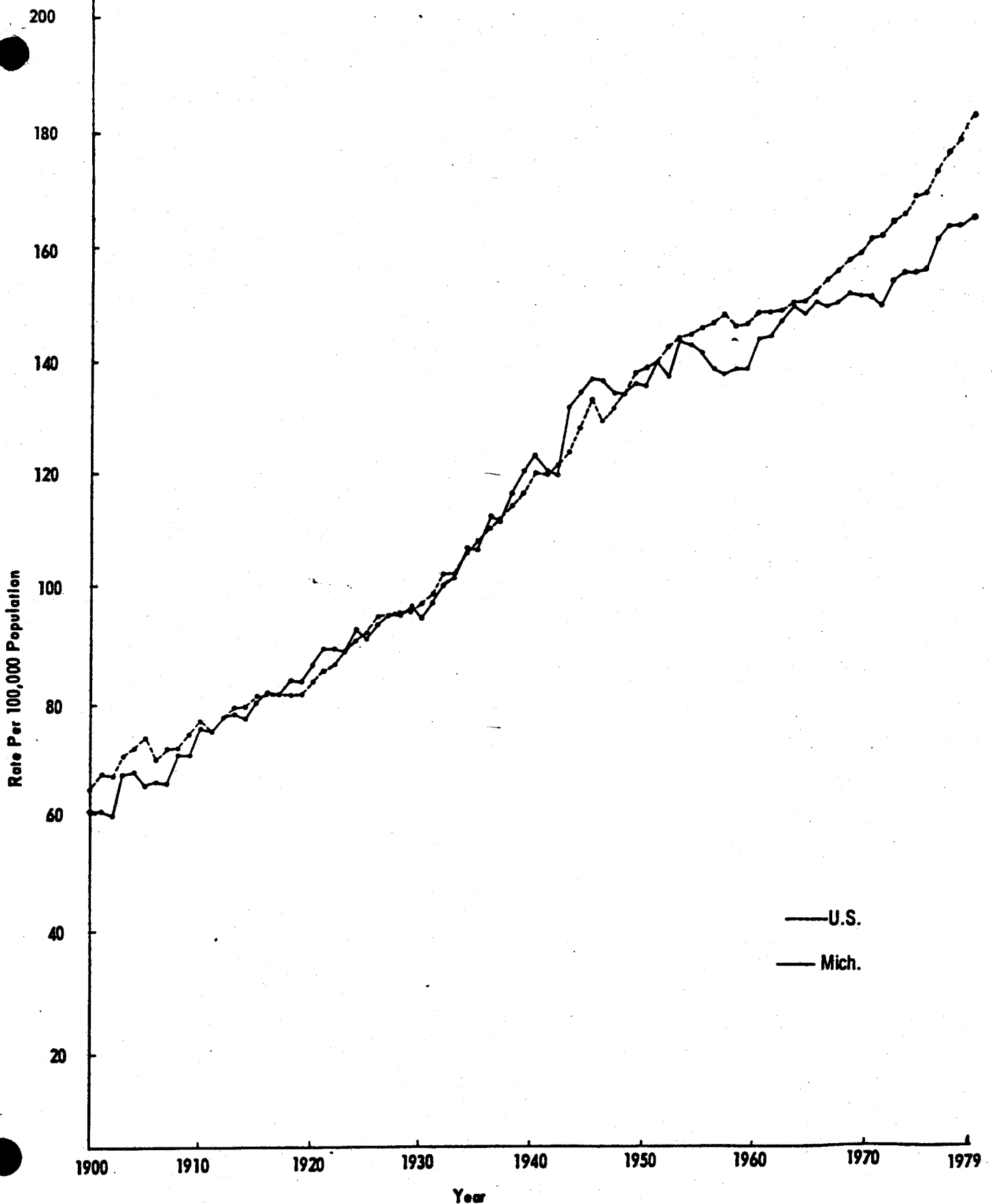
Age-adjusted cancer death rates for the 1970's presented in Table 2.16 show a much closer relationship between Michigan and United States mortality patterns than that indicated by crude mortality rates. Michigan's 1970 age-adjusted rate for the total population was 3.2 percent higher than the comparable U.S. rate. Since 1970, Michigan's age-adjusted cancer death rate has tended to decline while the U.S. rate increased moderately. As a result, Michigan's age-adjusted cancer death rate has been below the comparable national rate since 1974. Michigan's 1979 age-adjusted cancer death rate of 129.6 was 2.8 percent below the provisional figure for the United States.

FIGURE 2.13 Age-Specific Cancer Death Rates¹ by Race, Michigan Resident Females 1979.



1 - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

FIGURE 2.14—Cancer Death Rates, Michigan and United States Residents,¹ 1900-1979²



¹National rates are from Death Registration States for 1900-1932 and the United States for 1933-1979. United States rate for 1979 is provisional.

²Cancer death rates since 1900 are suitable for general comparison over time but detailed study (such as time series) requires special consideration. See Technical notes.

TABLE 2.16

Age-Adjusted Cancer Death Rates¹ by Race and Sex,
Michigan and United States Residents, 1970-1979

Place	Year	ALL RACES			WHITE			OTHER THAN WHITE		
		Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Michigan	1970	134.0	164.2	109.4	131.2	159.6	108.4	159.6	207.5	117.0
	1971	131.2	158.4	109.4	128.1	154.2	107.5	158.6	195.9	124.9
	1972	133.9	162.6	111.3	130.7	159.0	108.9	160.9	193.6	131.9
	1973	133.9	162.4	111.3	130.9	158.3	109.5	159.1	198.2	124.7
	1974	131.6	158.9	110.2	128.9	155.0	108.9	153.6	191.0	120.2
	1975	130.1	156.6	109.3	126.8	151.2	108.2	158.1	203.0	118.4
	1976	131.5	158.0	110.8	128.4	153.1	109.7	156.6	198.4	119.4
	1977	132.0	161.1	109.2	128.5	156.1	107.5	160.6	201.1	124.4
	1978	131.2	158.7	110.2	128.3	154.1	109.0	154.0	195.3	117.8
	1979	129.6	157.6	108.0	126.8	154.1	106.2	152.3	187.0	122.3
U.S.	1970	129.9	157.4	108.8	127.8	154.3	107.6	148.3	185.3	117.6
	1971	130.7	158.5	109.4	127.7	154.6	107.2	160.8	198.7	129.7
	1972	130.7	159.8	108.8	128.3	156.4	107.4	152.2	191.2	120.4
	1973	130.7	160.1	108.7	127.7	156.2	106.8	156.4	195.9	124.3
	1974	131.8	162.3	109.2	129.0	158.3	107.6	156.6	199.0	122.4
	1975	130.9	161.4	108.3	128.1	157.2	106.9	155.0	199.7	118.9
	1976	132.3	163.4	109.4	129.5	159.1	108.2	156.3	202.3	119.3
	1977	133.0	164.5	110.0	130.0	160.0	108.3	159.3	205.4	122.4
	1978	133.8	165.8	110.5	130.8	161.2	109.0	159.1	205.8	121.8
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1 - Based on age-specific death rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Computed by the direct method, using as the standard population the age distribution of the total population of the United States as enumerated in 1940; see Technical Notes.

Table 2.16 also allows a comparison of age-adjusted cancer death rates for white males, white females, other than white males and other than white females. The rates for the other than white groups were consistently higher than those for their white counterparts. Rates for white males and other than white males have increased nationally while the rates in Michigan for these groups have exhibited a slight downward tendency. Age-adjusted rates for white and other than white females were essentially stable both in Michigan and the nation.

The numbers of deaths from cancer for 50 different sites are presented in Table 2.17. Malignant neoplasms of the trachea, bronchus, and lung were the underlying cause of 3,744 deaths, 24.3 percent of all cancer deaths. The second most frequent category of cancer mortality was cancer of other and unspecified parts of the colon (1,332). The total number of deaths attributed to colon cancer was 1,597. Breast cancer caused the death of 1,305 females and was the third leading cause of cancer mortality. Malignant neoplasms of the prostate and the pancreas caused 840 and 799 deaths respectively. There were 30 categories which had at least 100 deaths in 1979.

Based upon 1977 through 1979 death data, the probability of death due to cancer is 0.203 for males and 0.176 for females at birth (Figure 2.15). The probability of eventually dying from cancer is greater for males than for females at all ages. The probability for males rises slowly to a peak of 0.215 by age 45 then drops more rapidly to 0.127 at age 85. Probabilities for females display little change from birth to age 45, then diminish to 0.081 by age 85. This decreasing probability beyond age 45, noting the high cancer mortality rates of older age (Figure 2.11), indicates that age-specific death rates due to competing causes of death increase relatively faster with advancing age.

TABLE 2.17 - Deaths Due to Malignant Neoplasms by Site Affected,
Michigan Residents, 1979

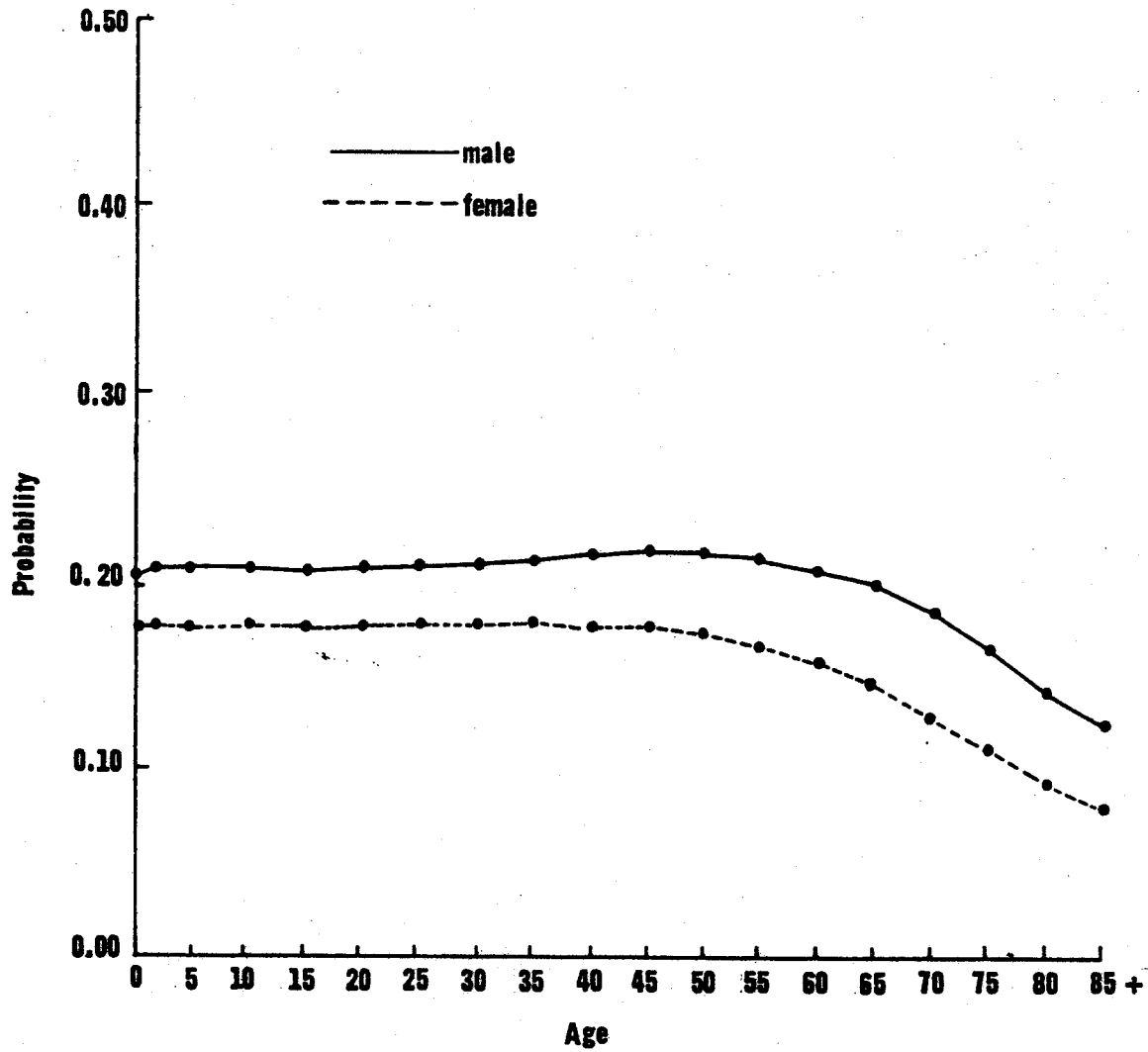
282 LIST ¹ NUMBER	CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER OF DEATHS	PERCENT
57	Malignant Neoplasms of Trachea, Bronchus, and Lung	3,744	24.3
48	Malignant Neoplasms of Other and Unspecified Colon	1,332	8.6
63	Malignant Neoplasms of Female Breast	1,305	8.5
78	Malignant Neoplasms of All Other and Unspecified Sites	1,073	7.0
69	Malignant Neoplasms of Prostate	840	5.5
54	Malignant Neoplasms of Pancreas	799	5.2
42	Malignant Neoplasms of Stomach	596	3.9
72	Malignant Neoplasms of Bladder	418	2.7
67	Malignant Neoplasms of Ovary and Other Uterine Adnexa	386	2.5
75	Malignant Neoplasms of Brain	363	2.4
49	Malignant Neoplasms of Rectum, Rectosigmoid Junction, and Anus	359	2.3
81	Other Malignant Neoplasms of Lymphoid and Histiocytic Tissue	282	1.8
73	Malignant Neoplasms of Kidney and Other and Unspecified Urinary Organs	278	1.8
41	Malignant Neoplasms of Esophagus	277	1.8
82	Multiple Myeloma and Immunoproliferative Neoplasms	274	1.8
84	Myeloid Leukemia	271	1.8
66	Malignant Neoplasms of Other Parts of Uterus	230	1.5
79	Lymphosarcoma and Reticulosarcoma	208	1.3
83	Lymphoid Leukemia	178	1.2
53	Malignant Neoplasms of Gallbladder and Extrahepatic Bile Ducts	175	1.1
65	Malignant Neoplasms of Cervix Uteri	174	1.1
86	Other and Unspecified Leukemia	150	1.0
61	Melanoma of Skin	145	0.9
39	Malignant Neoplasms of Pharynx	140	0.9
56	Malignant Neoplasms of Larynx	137	0.9
46	Malignant Neoplasms of Sigmoid Colon	116	0.8
52	Malignant Neoplasms of Liver not Specified as Primary or Secondary	114	0.7
47	Malignant Neoplasms of Cecum, Appendix, and Ascending Colon	104	0.7
60	Malignant Neoplasms of Connective and Other Soft Tissue	104	0.7
55	Malignant Neoplasms of Retroperitoneum, Peritoneum, and Other and Ill-Defined Sites within the Digestive Organs and Peritoneum	101	0.7
40	Malignant Neoplasms of Other and Ill-Defined Sites within Lip, Oral Cavity, and Pharynx	89	0.6
80	Hodgkin's Disease	86	0.6
38	Malignant Neoplasms of Tongue	84	0.5
50	Malignant Neoplasms of Liver, Primary	68	0.4
59	Malignant Neoplasms of Bone and Articular Cartilage	56	0.4
77	Malignant Neoplasms of Thyroid Gland and Other Endocrine Glands and Related Structures	48	0.3
62	Other Malignant Neoplasms of Skin	45	0.3
58	Malignant Neoplasms of All Other and Ill-Defined Sites within the Respiratory System and Intrathoracic Organs	36	0.2

TABLE 2.17 - Deaths Due to Malignant Neoplasms by Site Affected,
(Continued) Michigan Residents, 1979

282 LIST ¹ NUMBER	CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER OF DEATHS	PERCENT
43	Malignant Neoplasms of Small Intestine, including Duodenum	32	0.2
68	Malignant Neoplasms of Other and Unspecified Female Genital Organs	31	0.2
44	Malignant Neoplasms of Hepatic and Splenic Flexures and Transverse Colon	25	0.2
70	Malignant Neoplasms of Testis	25	0.2
45	Malignant Neoplasms of Descending Colon	20	0.1
85	Monocytic Leukemia	20	0.1
51	Malignant Neoplasms of Intrahepatic Bile Ducts	17	0.1
76	Malignant Neoplasms of Other and Unspecified Parts of Nervous System	15	0.1
64	Malignant Neoplasms of Male Breast	14	0.1
71	Malignant Neoplasms of Penis and Other Male Genital Organs	11	0.1
74	Malignant Neoplasms of Eye	10	0.1
37	Malignant Neoplasms of Lip	4	0.0
	TOTAL	15,409	100.0

¹List of 282 Selected Causes developed by the National Center for Health Statistics for tabulation of Mortality Data coded by the 9th Revision of the International Classification of Diseases, WHO.

FIGURE 2.15 - Probability of Eventually Dying from Cancer by Age and Sex , Michigan Residents, 1977-1979 ¹



¹ Note: Should comparisons be desired between this graph and a similar graph contained herein that pertains to some other specified cause of death, differences in scale may be encountered.

CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE

Deaths due to cerebrovascular disease (stroke) numbered 6,067 in 1979 or 8.3 percent of the 73,480 total Michigan resident deaths. This is 6.9 percent fewer stroke deaths than were observed in 1978 (6,520 deaths). Of the total in 1979, 56.2 percent were to females.

The median age at death from stroke was 79 years (Table 2.18). The median age for females was 81 years, 5 years higher than that for males. Deaths for white persons due to cerebrovascular disease displayed median ages several years higher than those for other than white persons. The median age was 68 years for other than white males and 77 years for white males. The median was 73 years for other than white females. This was 8 years less than that for white females (81 years).

The cerebrovascular disease death rate was 65.9 in 1979. The rate for females (72.9) was significantly higher than the rate for males (58.6). The age-specific death rates recorded in Table 2.19 and displayed in Figure 2.16 indicate that rates for males and females were similar below age 55. The rates for both sexes increased markedly in the older age groups. Rates for males were above those of females from ages 40 through 84. For ages 85 and over the rate for females was above that for males. The crude death rate for females exceeded that for males because of the larger proportion of women in the high risk older age groups. The age-adjusted rate of 42.3 for males was 18.8 percent higher than the age-adjusted rate for females of 35.6 in 1979.

Cerebrovascular disease death rates by age and race from Table 2.19 are graphically displayed in Figures 2.17 and 2.18. Rates for other than white males and females were higher than comparable rates for white persons in all age groups below age 80 with sufficient events to calculate rates. The greatest relative differentials between rates for other than white persons and those for white persons were observed for ages 40-64 years, where the rates for other than white males and females were between 2 and 5 times the comparable rates for their white counterparts. These relative differentials progressively decreased in the older age groups. Rates for white persons were considerably higher than those for other than white persons beyond age 79. Although the crude rates for white males and females were, respectively, 6.5 percent and 29.8 percent higher than rates for

Table 2.18
Deaths Due to Cerebrovascular Disease by Age, Race, and Sex,
Michigan Residents, 1979

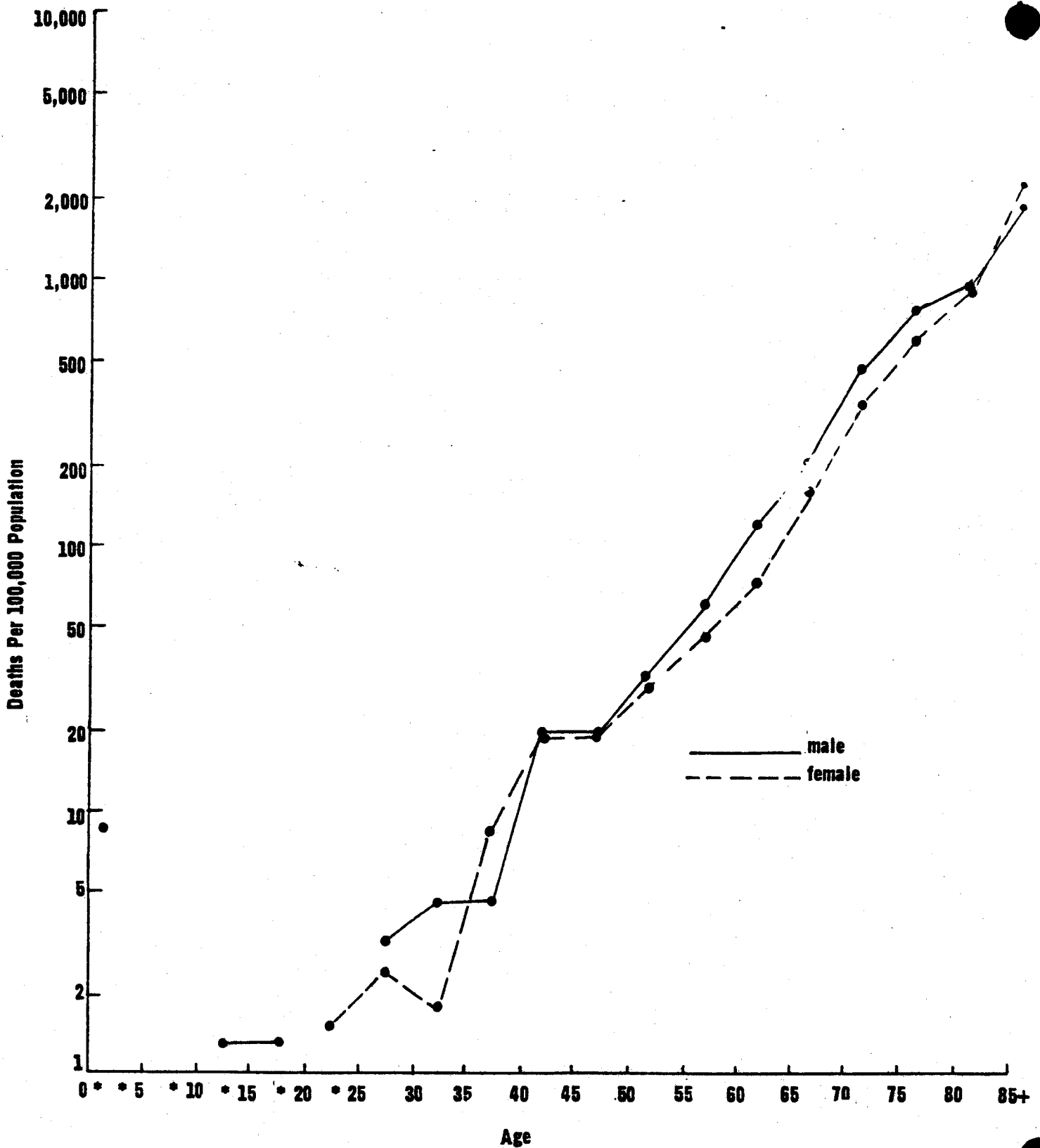
AGE	ALL RACES			WHITE			ALL OTHER			RACE NOT STATED		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
Under 1 Year	7	6	1	5	4	1	2	2	-	-	-	-
1-4 Years	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5-9 Years	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10-14 Years	10	6	4	10	6	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19 Years	6	6	-	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20-24 Years	8	2	6	6	2	4	2	2	2	-	-	-
25-29 Years	16	8	8	10	6	4	6	5	4	1	1	-
30-34 Years	20	14	6	14	9	5	6	2	6	1	6	-
35-39 Years	36	14	22	28	12	16	8	2	12	6	12	-
40-44 Years	75	41	34	54	32	22	21	9	15	15	15	-
45-49 Years	77	41	36	49	28	21	28	13	19	19	19	-
50-54 Years	148	77	71	105	53	52	43	24	19	19	19	-
55-59 Years	239	131	108	182	97	85	56	34	22	22	22	-
60-64 Years	349	208	141	275	163	112	74	45	29	29	29	-
65-69 Years	506	267	239	407	214	193	99	53	46	46	46	-
70-74 Years	752	380	372	647	333	314	102	44	58	58	58	-
75-79 Years	978	456	522	863	408	455	114	48	66	66	66	-
80-84 Years	1,115	447	668	1,038	415	623	77	32	45	45	45	-
85-89 Years	1,015	345	670	968	331	637	46	14	32	32	32	-
90 and Over	710	206	504	675	193	482	35	13	22	22	22	-
Not Stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All Ages	6,067	2,655	3,412	5,342	2,312	3,030	719	340	379	6	3	3
Median Age at Last Birthday	79	76	81	80	77	81	70	68	73	*	*	*

Table 2.19 - Cerebrovascular Disease Death Rates by Age, Race, and Sex, Michigan Residents, 1979

Age	All Races			White			Other Than White		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
	All Ages-Crude Rate	65.9	58.6	72.9	67.4	59.1	75.3	56.8	55.5	58.0
Under 1 Year	5.1	8.6	*	4.5	*	*	*	*	*
1-4 Years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
5-9 Years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
10-14 Years	1.1	1.3	*	1.3	1.5	*	*	*	*
15-19 Years	0.6	1.3	*	0.8	1.5	*	*	*	*
20-24 Years	1.0	*	1.5	0.9	*	*	*	*	*
25-29 Years	2.7	3.1	2.4	2.0	2.7	*	7.6	*	*
30-34 Years	3.0	4.3	1.7	2.4	3.1	1.7	7.0	13.3	*
35-39 Years	5.9	4.3	7.9	5.3	4.2	6.7	9.9	*	14.4
40-44 Years	18.1	18.6	17.6	15.0	16.5	13.2	39.1	33.7	44.5
45-49 Years	18.2	18.7	17.7	13.2	14.5	11.8	54.2	48.9	59.8
50-54 Years	28.3	29.7	26.9	22.7	23.1	22.3	70.0	79.3	61.1
55-59 Years	48.4	55.1	42.1	41.7	45.9	37.7	101.8	128.1	77.3
60-64 Years	86.1	108.0	66.2	76.4	95.4	59.3	161.7	207.8	120.3
65-69 Years	165.9	187.5	147.0	152.4	172.7	134.9	260.9	287.4	235.9
70-74 Years	352.8	410.3	308.7	341.5	410.1	289.8	445.8	411.6	476.4
75-79 Years	588.3	684.4	524.1	565.2	670.1	495.8	852.2	837.1	863.5
80-84 Years	804.1	823.4	791.6	811.6	833.8	797.4	715.0	708.9	719.4
85 and Over	1,877.2	1,641.8	2,012.7	1,973.6	1,743.6	2,103.5	942.7	769.7	1,062.2
Age-Adjusted Rate ¹	38.7	42.3	35.6	36.5	40.3	33.3	55.1	57.1	53.2

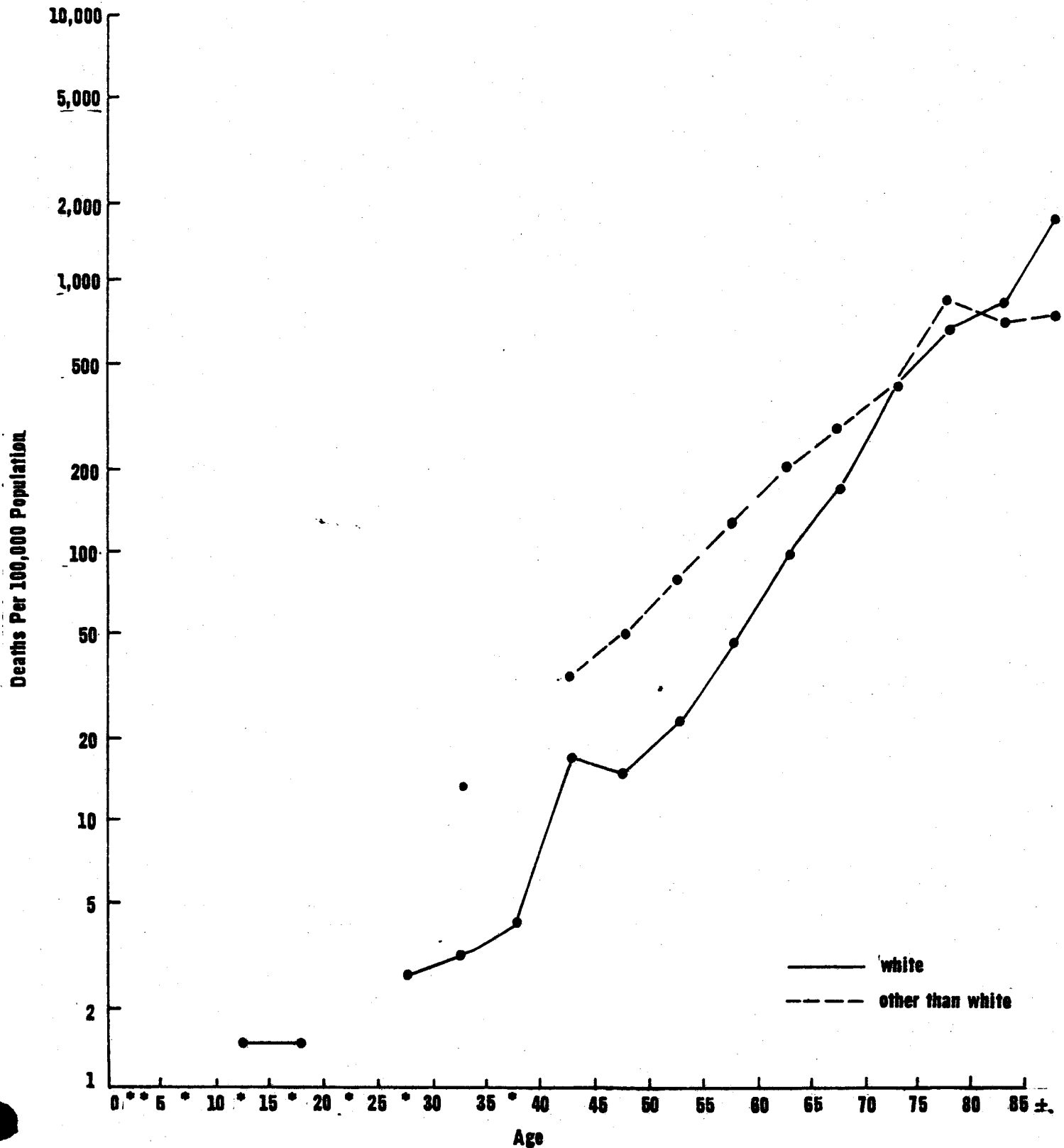
¹Based on age-specific death rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Computed by the direct method, using as the standard population the age distribution of the total population of the United States as enumerated in 1940; see technical notes.

**FIGURE 2.16 Age-Specific Cerebrovascular Disease Death Rates¹ by Sex,
Michigan Residents, 1979**



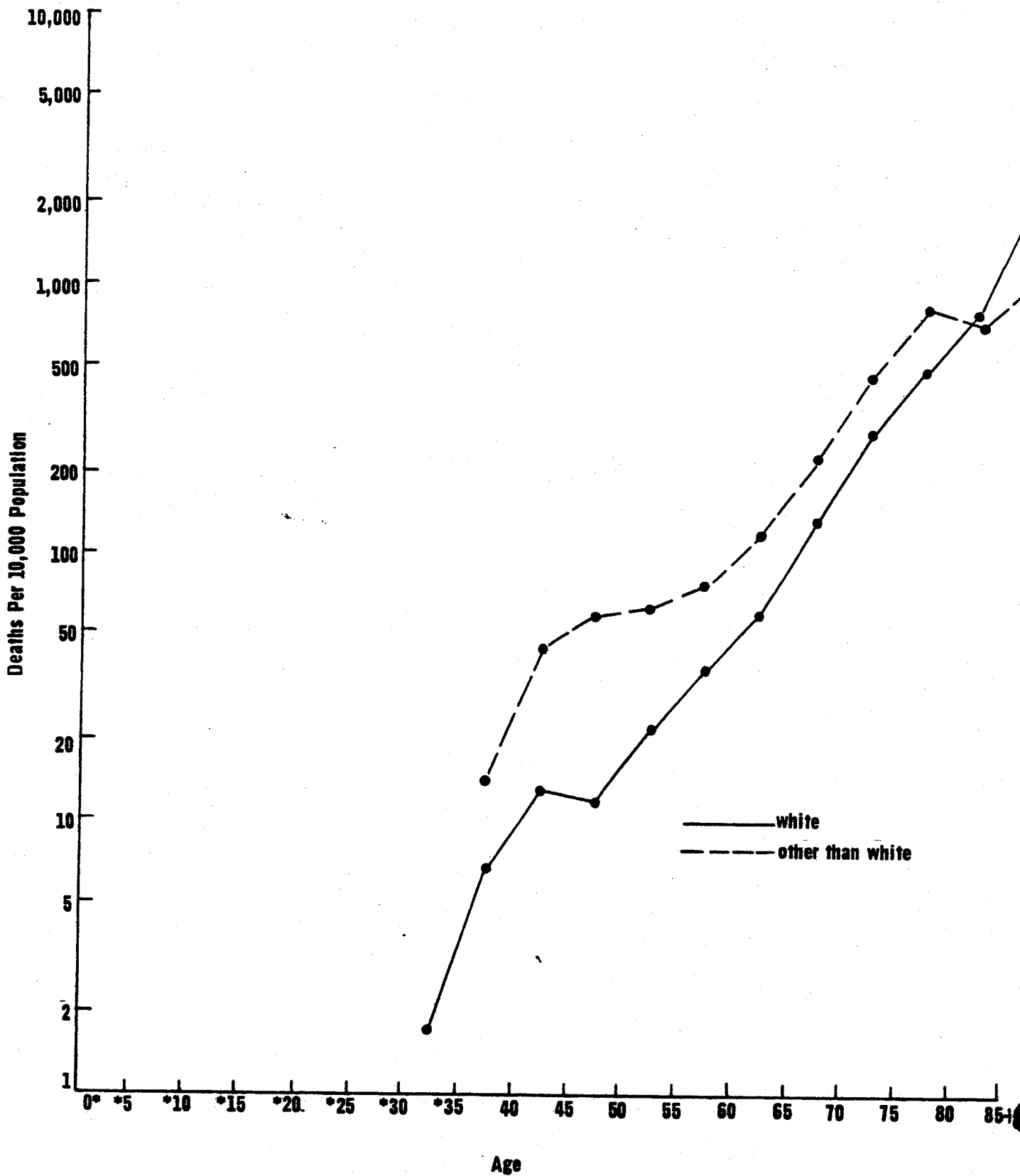
1 - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

**FIGURE 2.17 Age-Specific Cerebrovascular Disease Death Rates¹ by Race,
Michigan Resident Males, 1979**



1 - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

FIGURE 2.18 Age-Specific Cerebrovascular Disease Death Rates¹ by Race, Michigan Resident Females, 1979



¹ - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

other than white persons, age-adjusted rates indicate an opposite relationship. The cerebrovascular disease age-adjusted death rate for other than white males was 41.7 percent higher than that for white males while for other than white females the age-adjusted rate was 59.8 percent higher than that for white females.

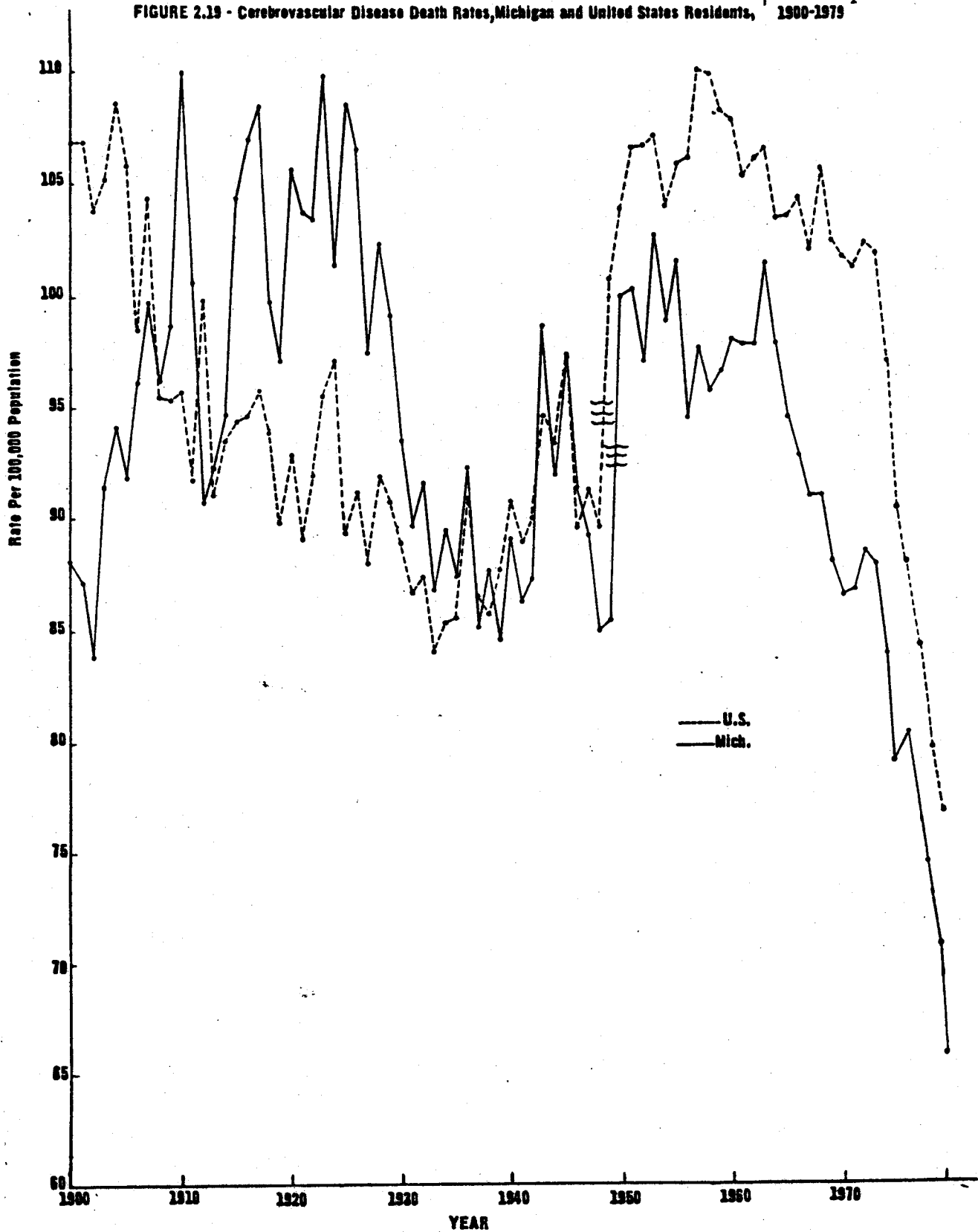
The historic pattern of cerebrovascular disease death rates has been one of strong variation (Figure 2.19). During the time period 1900-1949, the rates in Michigan ranged from a low of 83.9 in 1902 to a high of 110.0 eight years later. The national high and low rates for the years 1900-1948 were, respectively, 108.6 in 1904 and 84.1 in 1933. Rates for Michigan were below national rates from 1900 through 1907 but were generally, and sometimes markedly, higher from 1908 to 1938. Michigan and national rates were very similar over the next eight years, whereupon the Michigan rate slipped below the national rate and has so remained since 1946.

The 6th revision to ICD cause of death coding was adopted in the year 1949 nationally and 1950 in Michigan. This revision resulted in a lack of direct comparability between cerebrovascular disease death rates prior to these dates and those after adoption. Since the significant change in coding procedures in 1950, the cerebrovascular disease death rate in Michigan has ranged from 102.8 in 1953 to a low of 65.9 in 1979. Recent rates over the last sixteen years have shown a clear downward tendency both nationally and in Michigan. In 1979, the Michigan rate was 14.3 percent lower than the provisional United States rate of 76.9.

Age-adjusted rates for cerebrovascular disease deaths by race and sex are presented in Table 2.20. These rates have declined by approximately 40 percent since 1970 for each sex-race group in Michigan. Rates for other than white persons, however, remained substantially above rates for white persons throughout the period. Although Michigan and United States rates followed similar patterns, the state age-adjusted rates were generally lower than comparable national rates. This differential was especially marked for other than white males and females.

Acute but ill-defined cerebrovascular disease was most frequently given as the type of cerebrovascular disease causing death (2,647 deaths). Second in frequency was

FIGURE 2.19 - Cerebrovascular Disease Death Rates, Michigan and United States Residents, ¹ 1900-1979 ²



¹ National rates are from death registration states for 1900-1932 and the United States for 1933-1979; United States rate for 1979 is provisional.

² The comparability of cerebrovascular disease death rates from the 5th revision of ICDA coding procedures with those of the 6th revision is considered weak. The comparability ratio is estimated to be 1.16. The 6th revision was adopted in 1949 for national cause-of-death statistics and in 1950 for Michigan Statistics. The comparability of cerebrovascular disease death rates through the 6th, 7th, 8th, and 9th revisions (1949 to date nationally and 1950 to date in Michigan) is high.

TABLE 2.20

Age-Adjusted Cerebrovascular Disease Death Rates¹ by Race and Sex,
Michigan and United States Residents, 1970-1979

Place	Year	ALL RACES			WHITE			OTHER THAN WHITE		
		Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Michigan	1970	64.0	70.4	58.9	60.7	67.4	55.4	93.8	95.4	91.6
	1971	63.2	71.9	56.2	60.4	69.7	52.9	87.4	89.1	85.9
	1972	62.9	68.8	57.9	60.1	66.0	55.2	85.0	91.0	79.1
	1973	60.8	66.2	56.1	58.2	63.9	53.5	80.4	84.4	77.1
	1974	56.5	62.5	51.4	54.2	60.3	49.1	73.3	78.3	68.4
	1975	51.2	55.9	47.3	49.5	53.9	45.8	64.5	71.4	58.2
	1976	49.3	52.4	46.8	47.5	50.7	44.8	63.0	64.6	61.4
	1977	45.4	49.4	42.0	43.5	47.6	40.1	60.2	64.2	56.8
	1978	42.4	44.9	40.2	40.3	43.2	37.7	59.0	57.1	60.0
	1979	38.7	42.3	35.6	36.5	40.3	33.3	55.1	57.1	53.2
U.S.	1970	66.3	73.2	60.8	61.8	68.8	56.2	107.0	113.5	101.4
	1971	65.7	72.5	60.2	61.5	68.4	56.1	103.1	115.9	101.7
	1972	65.0	72.7	59.1	61.0	68.8	54.9	101.3	107.8	96.0
	1973	63.7	70.4	58.5	59.6	66.3	54.5	99.7	106.7	93.8
	1974	59.9	66.5	54.9	56.4	63.0	51.4	90.9	98.3	84.7
	1975	54.5	60.6	49.8	51.3	57.4	46.8	82.0	89.3	76.1
	1976	51.4	56.8	47.3	48.5	53.7	44.5	77.6	84.6	72.0
	1977	48.2	53.5	44.2	45.3	50.5	41.5	73.4	79.8	68.0
	1978	45.3	49.8	41.8	42.5	46.8	39.3	69.3	76.5	63.4
	1979	42.5	45.3	38.3	39.0	43.2	35.3	65.3	71.5	59.4

1 - Based on age-specific death rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Computed by the direct method, using as the standard population the age distribution of the total population of the United States as enumerated in 1940; see Technical Notes.

cerebral thrombosis and unspecified occlusion of cerebral arteries which caused 1,482 deaths in 1979 (Table 2.21). These two cause of death categories comprised 68.1 percent of all stroke deaths. Intracerebral and other intracranial hemorrhage was the third most frequent condition causing stroke deaths (771 deaths).

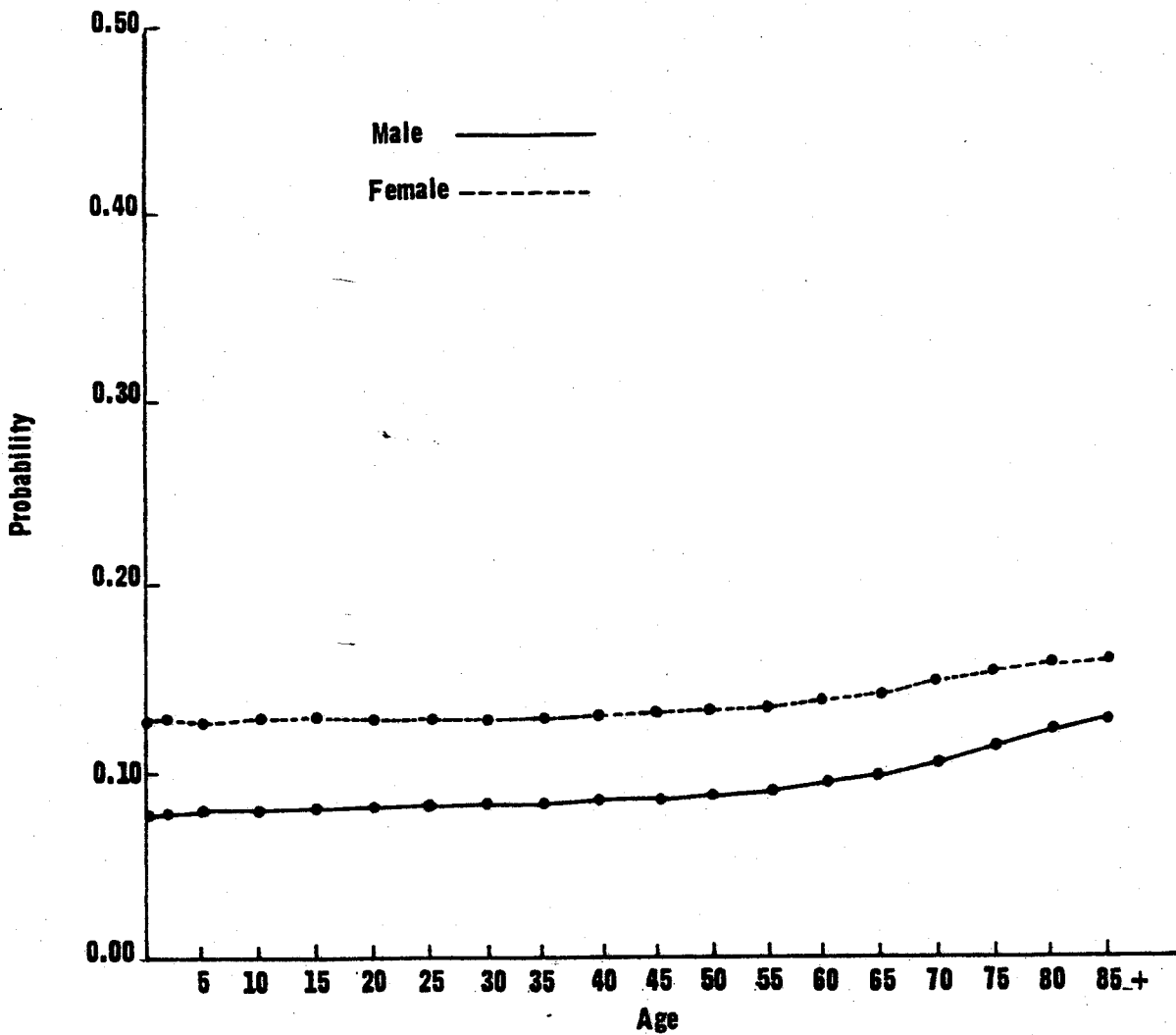
Based upon the mortality experience of 1977 through 1979 in Michigan, at birth a Michigan male faces a 0.079 chance of dying from cerebrovascular disease while the probability for a female at birth is 0.125. For both sexes the probability of eventual death due to this cause increases steadily with advancing age. At all ages females are more likely to eventually die from this cause than are males (Figure 2.20). This results primarily from the higher risks from competing causes for males. At age 60 probabilities for males start rising appreciably, reaching 0.125 by age 85. Data for females reveal a similar tendency, though the increase is somewhat less. The peak probability for females is 0.158 at age 85.

TABLE 2.21 - Deaths Due to Cerebrovascular Diseases by Specific Cause
Michigan Residents, 1979

282 LIST ¹ NUMBER	CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER OF DEATHS	PERCENT
154	Acute but Ill-Defined Cerebrovascular Disease	2,647	43.6
152	Cerebral Thrombosis and Unspecified Occlusion of Cerebral Arteries	1,482	24.4
150	Intracerebral and other Intracranial Hemorrhage	771	12.7
155	Other and Late Effects of Cerebrovascular Diseases	743	12.2
149	Subarachnoid Hemorrhage	285	4.7
151	Occlusion and Stenosis of Precerebral Arteries	91	1.5
153	Cerebral Embolism	48	0.8
	TOTAL	6,067	100.0

¹List of 282 Selected Causes developed by the National Center for Health Statistics for tabulation of Mortality Data coded by the 9th Revision of the International Classification of Diseases, WHO.

FIGURE 2.20 - Probability of Eventually Dying from Cerebrovascular Disease by Age and Sex, Michigan Residents, 1977-1979¹



¹ Note: Should comparisons be desired between this graph and a similar graph contained herein that pertains to some other specified cause of death, differences in scale may be encountered.

ACCIDENTS

About 5.2 percent of all Michigan resident deaths in 1979 were attributed to accidents. The total of 3,839 accidental deaths is 131 fewer than in 1978. The number of deaths from motor vehicle accidents was 1,967 in 1979, 171 fewer than in the previous year. In 1979 over two thirds (68.2 percent) of the total accidental deaths were to males, while 70.8 percent of the deaths from motor vehicle accidents were to males.

The median age at death among accident victims was 34 years (Table 2.22). The median age among males was 31, twelve years lower than the 43 year median for females. This differential is predominantly traceable to the relatively large number of accidental deaths of white males in the younger age intervals. The median age of accidental death for white males was 31 years compared to 36 years for other than white males. For white females who died from accidents the median of 45 years was 11 years higher than that for their other than white counterparts.

Accidental deaths among white males were especially concentrated in the 15-19 year and 20-24 year age ranges. These two age groups accounted for 29 percent of accidental deaths for white males compared to 20 percent or less for all other race/sex categories.

The crude death rate from accidents for males was more than twice as high as that for females. Age-specific accident death rates for males were greater than those for females in all age groups. The differentials between rates for males and females were greatest between ages 15 and 34. In the 25-29 age group, the rate for males was 4.9 times that for females. The age-adjusted death rate for males was 2.6 times that for females (Table 2.23).

Mortality rates by sex contained in Table 2.23 are displayed graphically in Figure 2.21. Although age-specific rates for males are generally much higher than those for females, the patterns of change are quite similar. Mortality rates for children between 5 and 14 years of age were somewhat lower than those for younger children. The rates then rose sharply for both sexes in the 15-19 age group. The rate for females reached an initial peak in the 20-24 year age group while the highest rate for males before age 70 occurred in the 25-29 age group. The rates for both groups generally decreased after this initial peak, remained fairly constant through age 64, and then increased

Table 2.22
Deaths Due to Accidents by Age, Race and Sex,
Michigan Residents, 1979

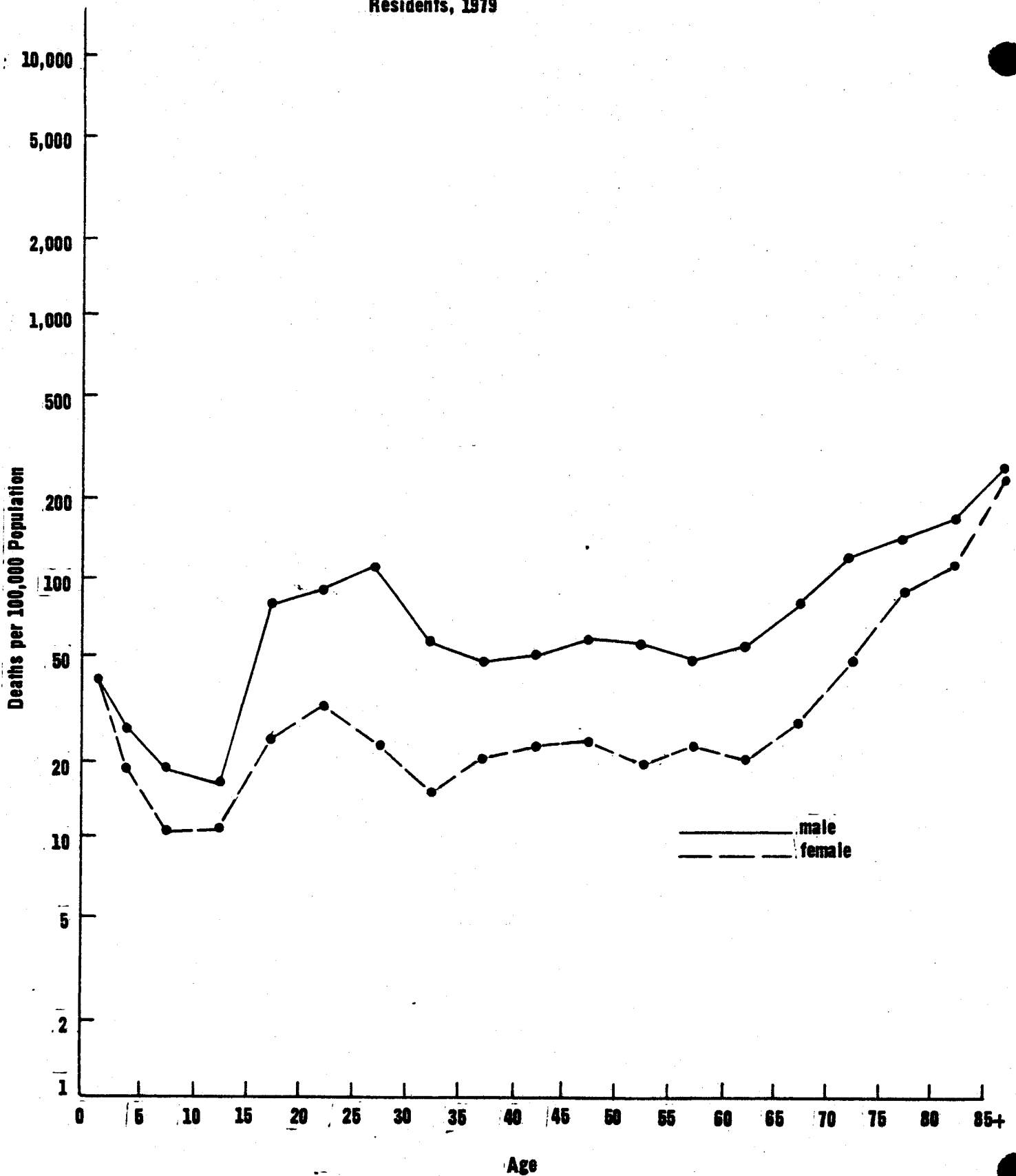
AGE	ALL RACES			WHITE			ALL OTHER			RACE NOT STATED		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
Under 1 Year	54	28	26	39	22	17	15	6	9	-	-	-
1-4 Years	125	75	50	98	59	39	27	16	11	-	-	-
5-9 Years	119	78	41	90	56	34	28	21	7	1	1	-
10-14 Years	124	75	49	105	65	40	17	9	8	2	1	1
15-19 Years	472	360	112	441	336	105	29	23	6	2	2	1
20-24 Years	466	341	125	426	312	114	36	26	10	4	4	1
25-29 Years	347	274	73	300	244	56	45	28	17	2	2	-
30-34 Years	231	181	50	186	142	44	43	37	6	2	2	-
35-39 Years	208	153	55	179	130	49	29	23	6	-	-	-
40-44 Years	150	109	41	127	90	37	23	19	4	-	-	-
45-49 Years	171	125	46	139	104	35	31	20	11	1	1	-
50-54 Years	187	139	48	146	108	38	40	31	9	1	1	-
55-59 Years	164	109	55	136	90	46	28	19	9	-	-	-
60-64 Years	142	101	41	119	82	37	23	19	4	-	-	-
65-69 Years	150	107	43	129	92	37	19	15	4	2	2	-
70-74 Years	158	103	55	145	90	55	13	13	-	-	-	-
75-79 Years	171	89	82	154	77	77	16	11	5	1	1	-
80-84 Years	174	86	88	166	82	84	8	4	4	-	-	-
85-89 Years	129	49	80	122	48	74	7	1	6	1	1	-
90 and Over	97	37	60	88	33	55	8	3	5	-	-	-
Not Stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All Ages	3,839	2,619	1,220	3,335	2,262	1,073	485	344	141	19	13	6
Median Age at Last Birthday	34	31	43	34	31	45	35	36	34	*	*	*

Table 2.23 - Accident Death Rates by Age, Race, and Sex,
Michigan Residents, 1979

Age	All Races			White			Other Than White		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
All Ages-Crude Rate	41.7	57.8	26.1	42.2	58.1	26.8	38.4	56.1	21.7
Under 1 Year	39.6	40.1	39.1	35.3	38.7	31.7	58.1	46.6	69.6
1-4 Years	22.9	26.9	18.7	21.7	25.5	17.7	28.7	33.7	23.5
5-9 Years	14.3	18.4	10.1	12.8	15.7	9.8	23.2	34.7	11.6
10-14 Years	13.4	16.0	10.8	13.7	16.6	10.7	11.8	12.4	11.2
15-19 Years	50.4	76.4	24.0	56.3	84.9	27.2	19.3	30.9	7.9
20-24 Years	59.4	88.9	31.2	65.3	98.0	34.2	28.5	41.9	15.5
25-29 Years	59.0	107.7	21.9	59.3	111.2	19.5	57.2	84.3	37.3
30-34 Years	34.1	55.1	14.4	31.6	49.1	14.6	51.6	101.4	12.6
35-39 Years	34.2	46.6	19.7	34.0	45.0	20.6	35.8	58.3	14.4
40-44 Years	36.3	49.5	21.2	35.3	46.5	22.2	42.9	71.2	*
45-49 Years	40.4	56.9	22.6	37.7	54.4	19.7	60.0	75.2	43.8
50-54 Years	35.7	53.5	18.2	31.8	47.1	16.7	65.1	102.4	28.9
55-59 Years	33.2	45.9	21.4	31.0	42.6	20.2	50.9	71.6	31.6
60-64 Years	35.0	52.4	19.3	33.1	48.0	19.6	50.3	87.8	*
65-69 Years	49.2	75.2	26.4	48.7	74.2	26.6	52.7	81.3	*
70-74 Years	74.1	111.2	45.6	76.3	110.2	50.8	56.3	118.9	*
75-79 Years	102.9	133.6	82.3	101.4	128.1	83.7	119.6	191.8	65.4
80-84 Years	125.5	158.4	104.3	129.8	164.7	107.5	74.3	*	*
85 and Over	245.9	256.3	240.0	253.3	272.9	242.3	174.6	*	216.4
Age-Adjusted Rate ¹	39.6	58.2	22.3	39.7	58.2	22.5	40.6	61.8	21.6

¹Based on age-specific death rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Computed by the direct method, using as the standard population the age distribution of the total population of the United States as enumerated in 1940; see technical notes.

FIGURE 2.21 Age-Specific Accident Death Rates¹ by Sex, Michigan Residents, 1979



1-- Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

continuously beyond that age. The differential in rates between males and females dropped steadily after age 69.

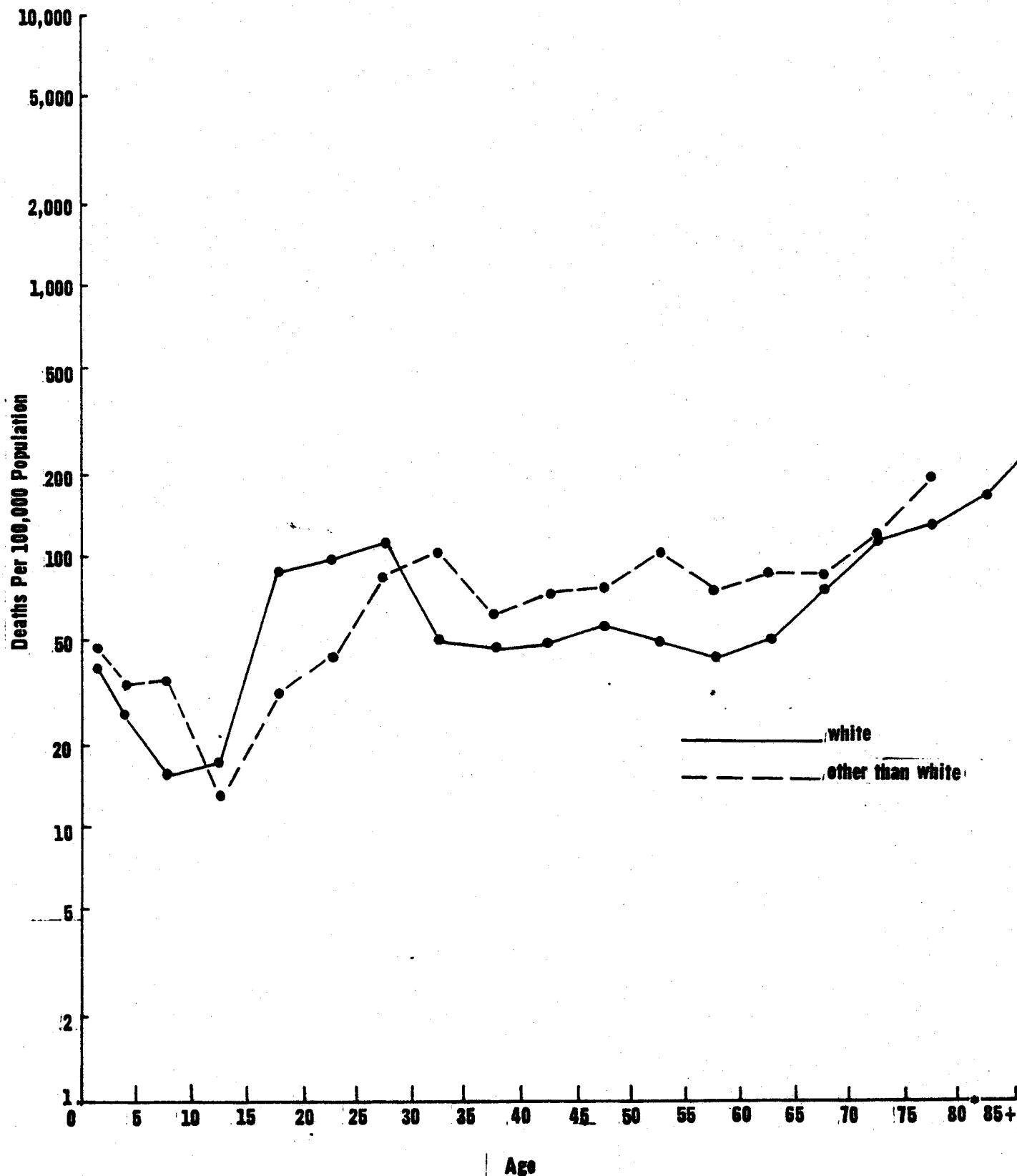
Accident death rates for white and other than white persons were quite similar. Crude rates for white persons were slightly higher than those for other than white persons. The age-adjusted rate for white males was slightly lower than that for other than white males, while for females the relationship was reversed (Table 2.23). Age-specific rates for white and other than white persons are graphically displayed in Figures 2.22 and 2.23. Rates for white males were higher than those for other than white males only from the 10-14 year age group through the 25-29 year age group. The pattern of age-specific rates for females was similar.

Michigan's accident death rate in 1900 was 71.9. The highest rate observed in this century was 103.1 in 1936, and the rate of 41.7 in 1979 is the lowest rate of the century. National rates have varied from 101.8 in 1907 to 46.9 in 1976. Michigan's rates have been below national rates fairly consistently since 1900. The last time Michigan's rate was above that of the United States was in 1955. The accident death rate for Michigan in 1979 was 12.9 percent below the provisional rate of 47.9 for the nation (Figure 2.24).

Michigan's age-adjusted death rates for accidental deaths were also below the comparable national rates in the 1970's (Table 2.24). The age-adjusted rates by race and sex declined for each population subgroup during this period. The most significant declines occurred in the rates for other than white persons. In Michigan the rate for all other than white persons was 19 percent higher than that for white persons in 1970 but only 2 percent higher in 1979. This differential declined nationally from 43 percent in 1970 to 21 percent in 1978.

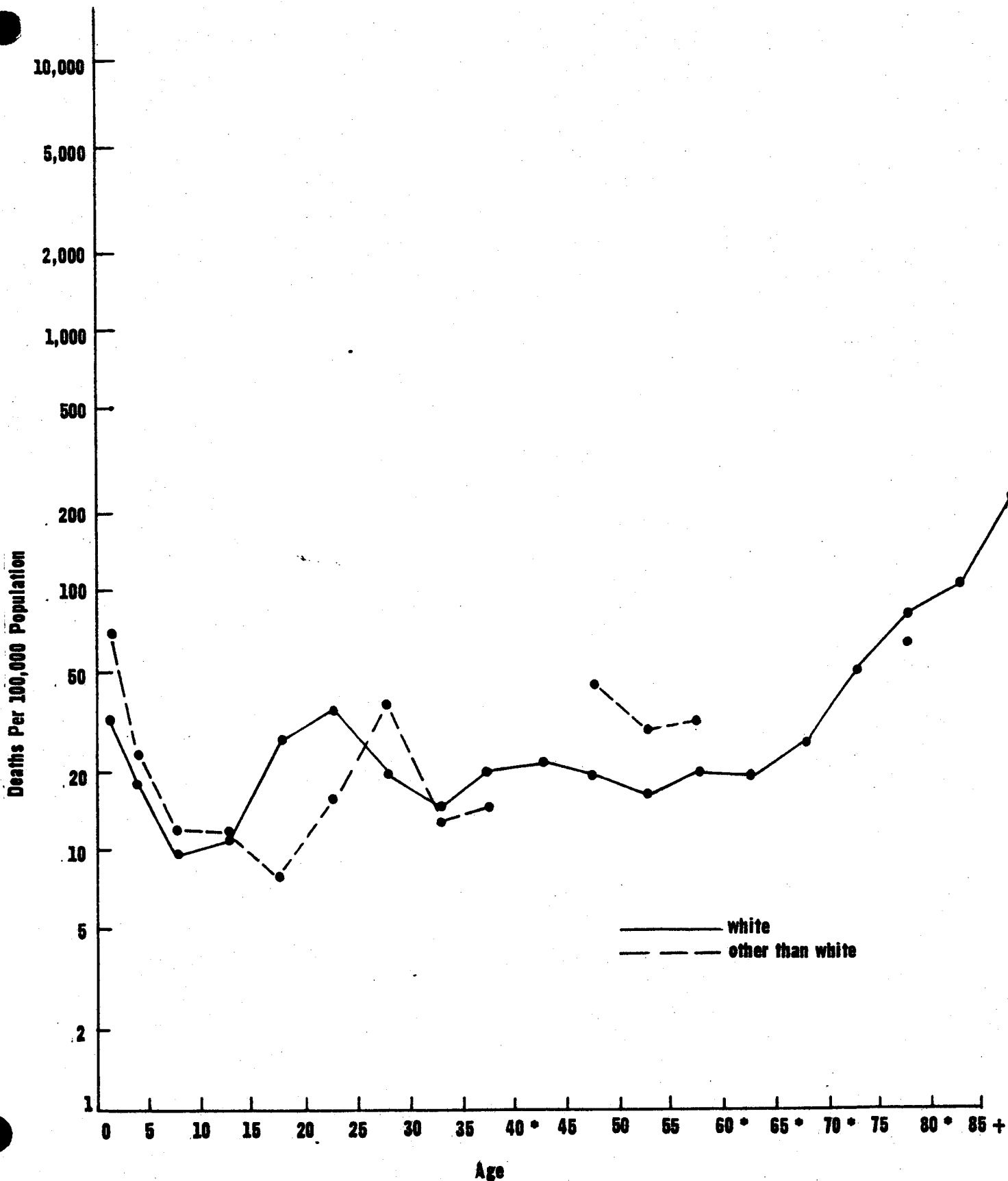
Motor vehicle accidents involving collision with another motor vehicle was the largest single cause of accidental death in 1979, resulting in 816 deaths (Table 2.25). Deaths from all types of motor vehicle traffic accidents accounted for 1,910 deaths in 1979, a decrease of 9.0 percent from the 1978 total of 2,098 deaths. Accidental falls of all types resulted in 549 deaths in 1979. Accidents caused by fires and flames, accidental drownings, and accidental poisonings caused 266, 185, and 159 deaths respectively. Choking on food or

FIGURE 2.22 Age-Specific Accident Death Rates¹ by Race, Michigan Resident Males, 1979



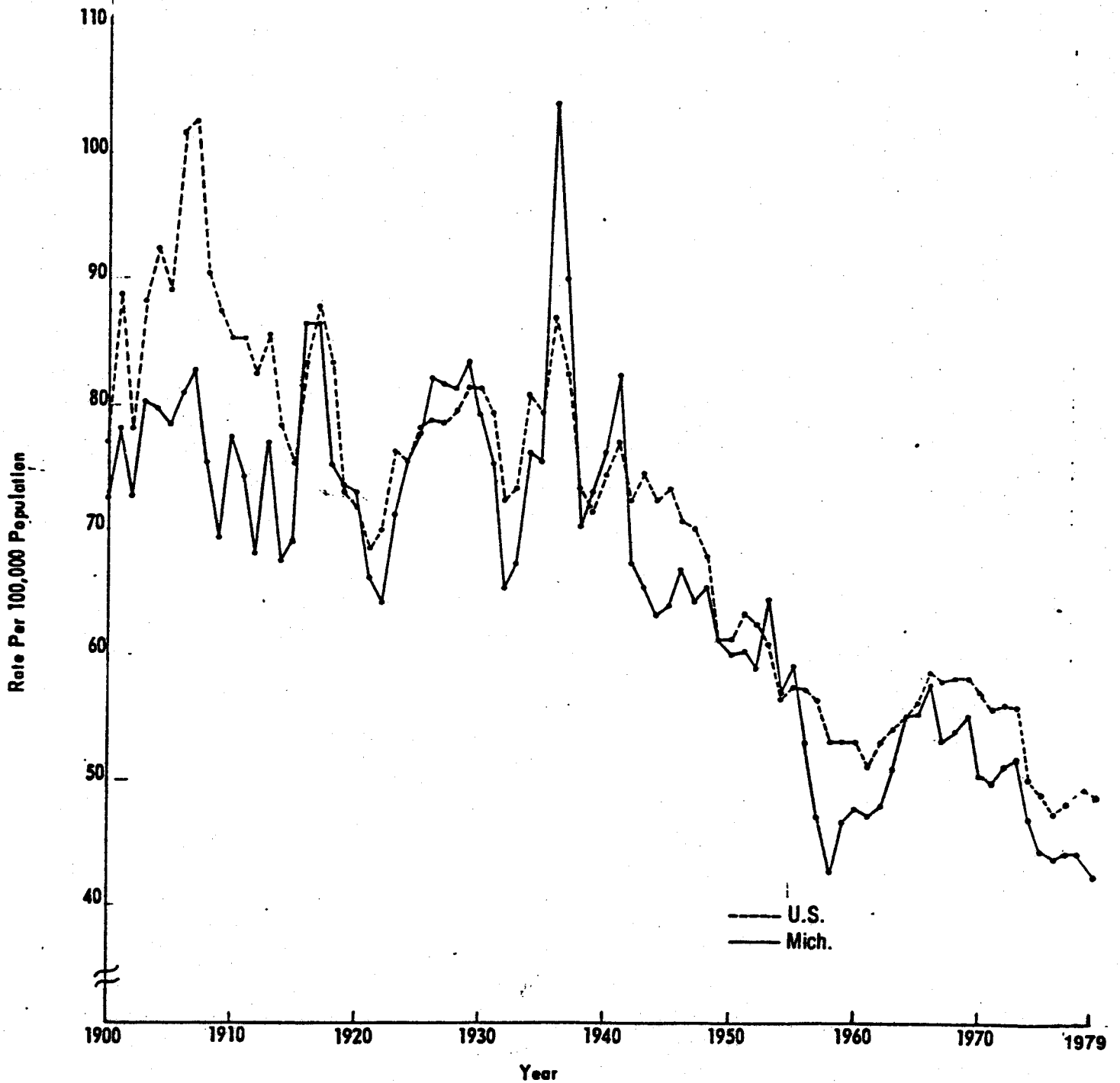
1 - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

FIGURE 2.23 Age-Specific Accident Death Rates¹ by Race, Michigan Resident Females, 1979



¹Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: Vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

FIGURE 2.24—Accident Death Rates, Michigan and United States Residents,¹ 1900-1979²



¹National rates are from death registration states for 1900-1932 and the United States for 1933-1979; U. S. rate for 1979 is provisional.

²Accidental death rates since 1900 are suitable for general comparison over time but detailed study (such as time series) requires special consideration. See Technical Notes.

TABLE 2.24

Age-Adjusted Accident Death Rates¹ by Race and Sex,
Michigan and United States Residents, 1970-1979

Place	Year	ALL RACES			WHITE			OTHER THAN WHITE		
		Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Michigan	1970	48.6	71.5	27.3	47.5	69.8	26.7	56.5	84.9	30.7
	1971	47.8	70.2	26.8	46.8	68.4	26.5	55.0	85.1	27.9
	1972	48.9	73.3	26.1	48.5	72.5	25.9	52.1	80.8	26.0
	1973	49.2	72.8	26.8	48.3	71.5	26.2	55.1	83.3	29.2
	1974	43.8	65.4	23.3	43.4	64.3	23.3	47.6	74.6	22.4
	1975	41.9	62.3	22.6	41.5	61.8	22.3	45.3	67.8	24.9
	1976	40.6	59.8	22.7	40.8	60.0	22.9	40.1	60.6	21.1
	1977	41.4	61.0	23.2	41.5	61.2	23.1	42.3	62.5	23.5
	1978	41.6	61.8	22.9	41.5	62.1	22.5	43.1	64.1	24.5
	1979	39.6	58.2	22.3	39.7	58.2	22.5	40.6	61.8	21.6
U.S.	1970	53.7	80.7	28.2	51.0	76.2	27.2	72.8	115.7	35.1
	1971	52.0	77.1	28.2	49.4	72.9	27.0	71.6	117.7	36.1
	1972	52.0	77.5	28.0	49.8	73.5	27.2	68.2	109.3	33.4
	1973	51.7	77.4	27.4	49.5	73.6	26.4	67.5	106.8	33.2
	1974	46.0	69.4	23.8	44.3	66.6	22.9	58.5	92.3	29.0
	1975	44.8	67.7	23.1	43.1	64.8	22.4	56.9	90.7	27.6
	1976	43.2	64.7	22.7	41.8	62.3	22.2	53.2	84.6	25.8
	1977	43.8	65.5	23.2	42.5	63.2	22.7	53.1	84.5	25.8
	1978	44.3	66.5	23.3	43.3	64.5	22.9	52.6	83.1	26.1
	1979	43.6	65.0	22.8	42.8	63.8	22.6	52.0	82.5	25.8

1 - Based on age-specific death rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Computed by the direct method, using as the standard population the age distribution of the total population of the United States as enumerated in 1940; see Technical Notes.

TABLE 2.25 - Deaths Due to Accidents by Type of Accident,
Michigan Residents, 1979

282 LIST ¹ NUMBER	TYPE OF ACCIDENT	NUMBER OF DEATHS	PERCENT
236	Motor Vehicle Accidents Involving Collision with Another Motor Vehicle	816	21.3
252	Fracture, Cause Unspecified, and Other and Unspecified Falls	385	10.0
237	Motor Vehicle Accidents Involving Collision with Pedestrian	350	9.1
239	Motor Vehicle Accidents Not Involving Collision on Highway	334	8.7
262	All Other Accidents and Late Effects of Accidental Injury	283	7.4
253	Accidents Caused by Fires and Flames	266	6.9
238	Motor Vehicle Accidents Involving Collision With Other Vehicle or Object	242	6.3
255	Accidental Drowning and Submersion	185	4.8
250	Fall From One Level to Another	153	4.0
256	Inhalation and Ingestion of Food or Other Object Causing Obstruction of Respiratory Tract or Suffocation	144	3.8
240	Motor Vehicle Traffic Accidents of Unspecified Nature	134	3.5
246	Accidental Poisoning by Drugs, Medicaments, and Biologicals	80	2.1
248	Accidental Poisoning by Gases and Vapors	70	1.8
249	Misadventures During Medical Care, Abnormal Reactions, and Late Complications	64	1.7
241	Motor Vehicle Nontraffic Accidents	57	1.5
244	Air and Space Transport Accidents	52	1.4
258	Accidents Caused by All Other and Unspecified Firearms	51	1.3
243	Water Transport Accidents	40	1.0
235	Motor Vehicle Accidents Involving Collision with Train	34	0.9
261	Accidents Caused by Electric Current	28	0.7
251	Fall on Same Level	11	0.3
259	Accidents Caused by Explosive Material	10	0.3
234	Railway Accidents	9	0.2
247	Accidental Poisoning by Other Solid or Liquid Substances	9	0.2
260	Accidents Caused by Hot Substance or Object, Caustic or Corrosive Material, Steam, and Exposure to Radiation	8	0.2
257	Accident Caused by Handgun	7	0.2
263	Drugs, Medicaments, and Biological Substances Causing Adverse Effects in Therapeutic Use	7	0.2
242	Other Road Vehicle Accidents	6	0.2
245	Vehicle Accidents Not Elsewhere Classifiable	2	0.1
254	Lightning	2	0.1
	TOTAL	3,839	100.0

¹List of 282 Selected Causes developed by the National Center for Health Statistics for tabulation of Mortality Data coded by the 9th Revision of the International Classification of Diseases, WHO.

other objects was the cause of 144 deaths, while misadventures during medical care, abnormal reactions, and late complications caused 64 deaths. Accidents caused by hand-guns and other firearms resulted in the death of 58 Michigan residents.

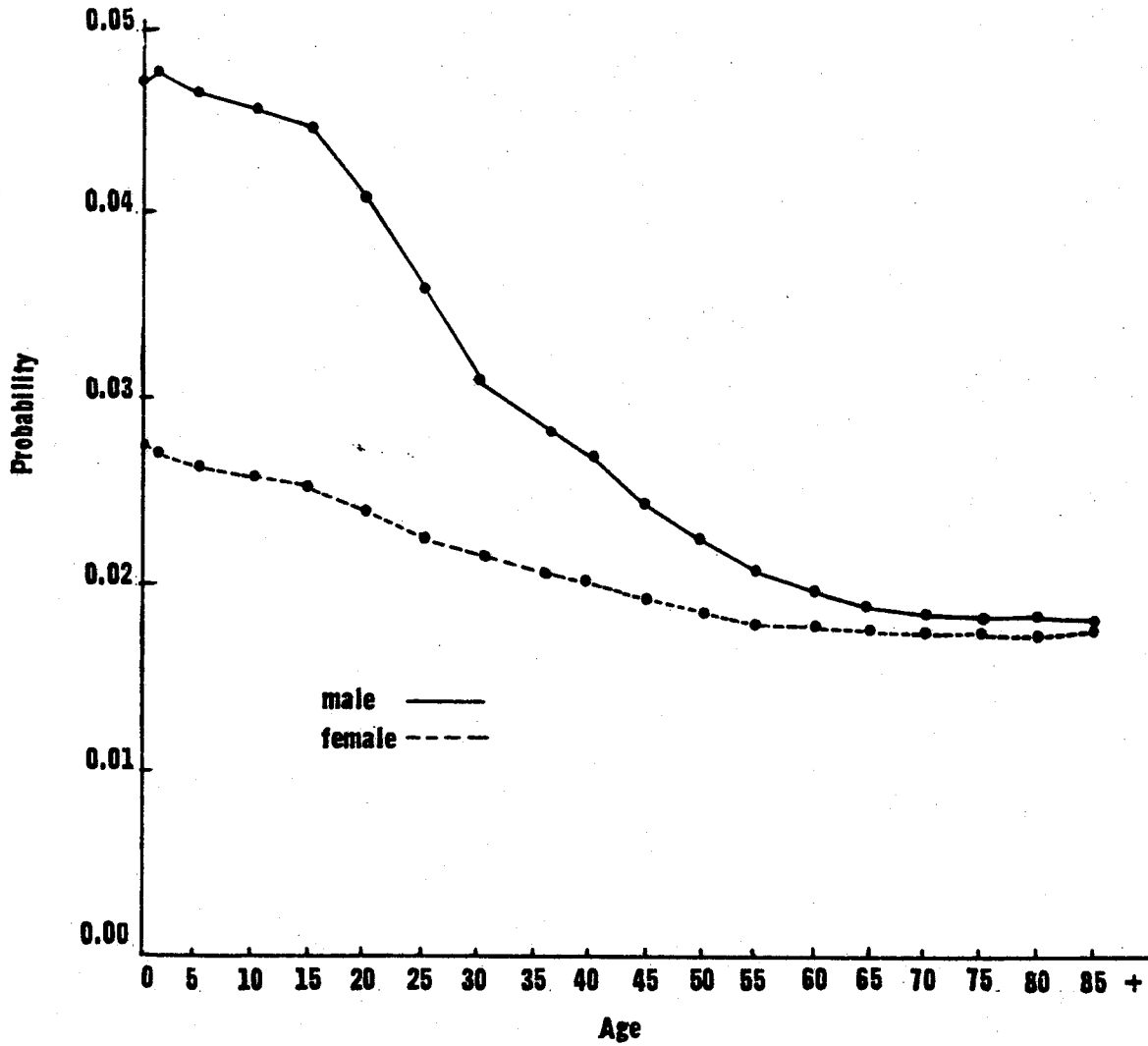
Of the total 3,839 accidental deaths, 1,972 or 52 percent occurred on streets and highways (Table 2.26). The second most common place of occurrence was the home with 800 deaths (21 percent). There were 72 accidental deaths at industrial places and premises, 69 at resident institutions, and 61 in public buildings. Note that the place of injury was not specified for 14 percent of the accidental deaths.

It can be seen from Figure 2.25 that the probability of eventually suffering accidental death is greater in the younger age groups than later in life. According to Michigan mortality data from the years 1977 through 1979 the probability of eventually dying from accidental causes is 0.047 for males and 0.027 for females at birth. Probabilities for males decline slowly through childhood and the teenage years, fall by nearly one third between ages 15 and 30, and thereafter decline more slowly. For females the probabilities decline more moderately and steadily. Probabilities for males remain much higher than for females until about age 55 and slightly higher after that age.

Table 2.26
Deaths Due to Accidents by Place of Injury
Michigan Residents - 1979

PLACE	NUMBER OF DEATHS
Street and Highway	1,972
Home	800
Industrial Place and Premises	72
Resident Institution	69
Public Building	61
Farm	38
Place for Recreation and Sport	26
Mine and Quarry	16
Other Specified Places	264
Place Not Specified	521
TOTAL	3,839

FIGURE 2.25 - Probability of Eventually Dying from Accidental causes by Age and Sex, Michigan Residents, 1977-1979¹



¹ Note: Should comparisons be desired between this graph and a similar graph contained herein that pertains to some other specified cause of death, differences in scale may be encountered.

CHRONIC OBSTRUCTIVE PULMONARY DISEASES AND ALLIED CONDITIONS

The fifth leading cause of death in 1979 was chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases and allied conditions. This group of diseases caused 1,934 Michigan resident deaths, of which 1,426 (73.7 percent) were to males (Table 2.27).

The median age at death of persons who died from these respiratory diseases was 72 years, slightly higher than the median of 71 years for deaths from all causes. However, unlike deaths from all causes where the median for females was substantially higher than for males (75 and 68), the median age of females who died from chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases and allied conditions was lower than that for males (70 years compared to 73 years). The median age for white persons (72 years) was five years higher than that for persons of other races (67 years).

The crude death rate for chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases and allied conditions was 21.0 per 100,000 population. The crude death rate for males was 2.9 times that for females (Table 2.28). Age-specific rates for males and females from Table 2.28 are graphically presented in Figure 2.26. The strong association between chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases and allied conditions and increasing age is clearly evident. Note also that age-specific rates for males are higher than those for females in all age groups. The relative differential between rates for males and females increases steadily with age through ages 75-79, where the rate for males is 6.3 times that for females. The age-adjusted death rate for this group of diseases was 3.4 times as high for males as it was for females (24.9 and 7.4 deaths per 100,000 population respectively).

Age-specific rates for white and other than white persons are displayed in Figure 2.27. Rates were higher for other than white persons prior to age 60, after which they were higher for whites. The age-adjusted death rate from these respiratory diseases for white persons was 26 percent above that for other than white persons.

Table 2.29 presents age-adjusted death rates by sex and race for the 1970's for deaths from this group of respiratory diseases. For the period 1970-1978 the rates are based on deaths from the 8th Revision ICDA categories of bronchitis, emphysema, asthma,

Table 2.27
Deaths Due to Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases and Allied Conditions by
Age, Race, and Sex, Michigan Residents, 1979

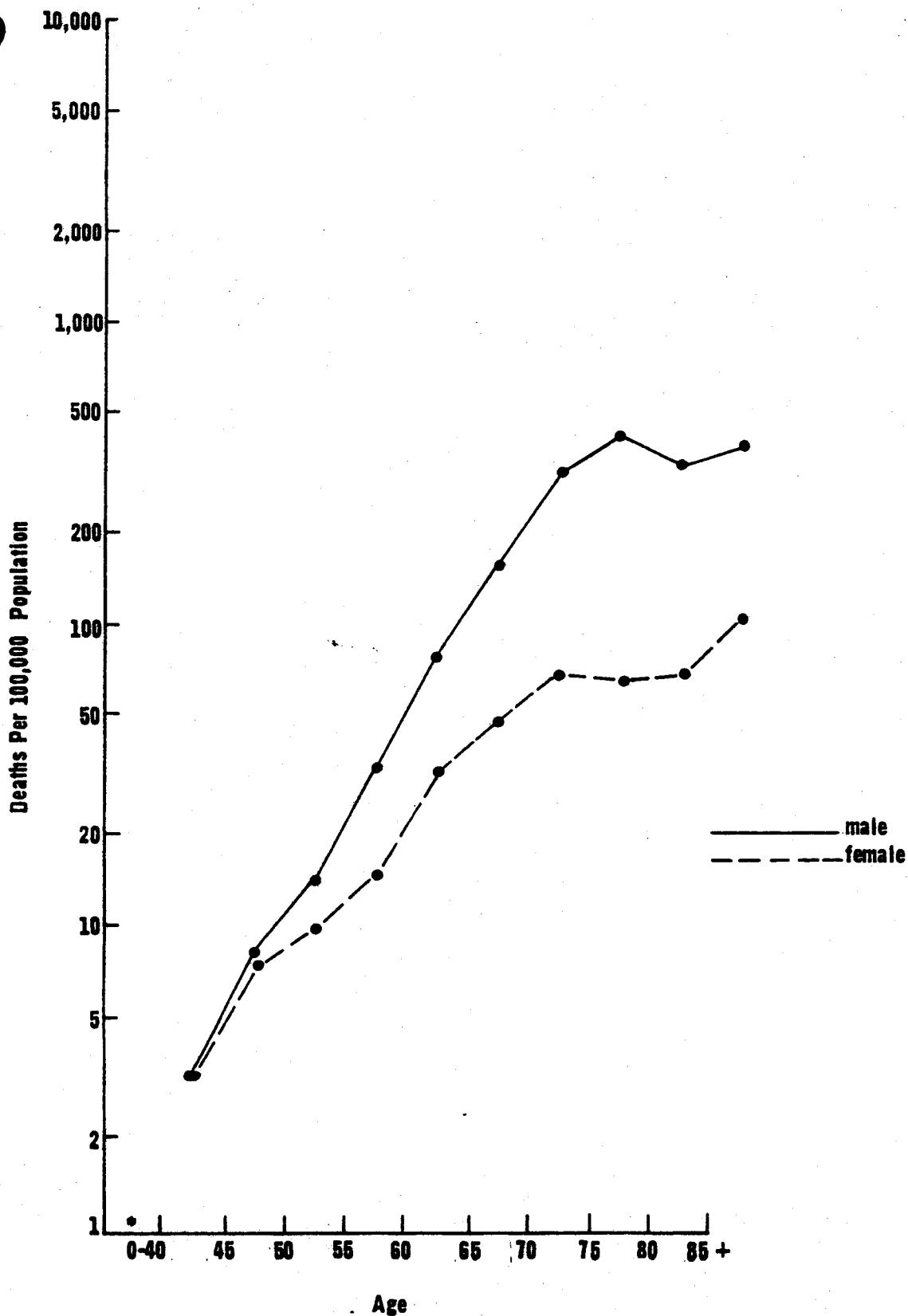
Age	All Races			White			All Others			Race Not Stated		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Under 1 Year	4	3	1	4	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
1-4 Years	2	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5-9 Years	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10-14 Years	2	1	1	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19 Years	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20-24 Years	5	4	1	4	3	1	1	1	-	-	-	-
25-29 Years	6	4	2	2	1	1	4	3	1	-	-	-
30-34 Years	4	2	2	3	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
35-39 Years	5	1	4	4	-	4	1	1	-	-	-	-
40-44 Years	13	7	6	11	5	6	2	2	-	-	-	-
45-49 Years	33	18	15	27	15	12	6	3	3	-	-	-
50-54 Years	63	37	26	49	27	22	14	10	4	-	-	-
55-59 Years	118	80	38	98	67	31	20	13	7	-	-	-
60-64 Years	219	150	69	207	143	64	12	7	5	-	-	-
65-69 Years	299	221	78	279	206	73	20	15	5	-	-	-
70-74 Years	382	300	82	358	280	78	24	20	4	-	-	-
75-79 Years	341	276	65	316	255	61	24	21	3	1	1	-
80-84 Years	244	187	57	228	174	54	15	12	3	-	-	-
85-89 Years	133	96	37	128	92	36	5	4	1	-	-	-
90 and Over	60	36	24	58	34	24	2	2	-	-	-	-
Not Stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All Ages	1,934	1,426	508	1,781	1,311	470	151	114	37	2	1	1
Median Age at Last Birthday	72	73	70	72	73	71	67	70	60	*	*	*

Table 2.28
 Death Rates for Deaths Due to Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases
 and Allied Conditions by Age, Race, and Sex
 Michigan Residents, 1979

Age	All Races			White			Other Than White		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
	All Ages-Crude Rate	21.0	31.5	10.9	22.5	33.5	11.7	11.9	18.5	5.7
0-39 Years	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.8	1.1	*
40-44 Years	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.1 ¹	2.6	3.6	*	*	*
45-49 Years	7.8	8.2	7.4	7.3	7.8	6.7	11.6	*	*
50-54 Years	12.0	14.3	9.9	10.6	11.8	9.4	22.8	33.0	*
55-59 Years	23.9	33.7	14.8	22.3	31.7	13.6	36.4	49.0	24.6
60-64 Years	54.0	77.9	32.4	57.5	83.7	33.9	26.2	32.3	20.7
65-69 Years	98.0	155.2	48.0	104.5	166.2	51.0	52.7	81.3	25.6
70-74 Years	179.2	323.9	68.0	188.4	342.8	72.0	103.9	182.9	*
75-79 Years	205.1	414.3	65.3	207.4	418.4	67.4	179.4	366.2	*
80-84 Years	176.0	344.5	67.6	179.0	351.6	69.1	139.3	265.8	*
85 and Over	210.0	393.3	104.6	223.3	419.3	112.7	81.5	171.0	*
Age-Adjusted Rate ¹	15.0	24.9	7.4	15.3	25.5	7.6	12.1	19.6	5.8

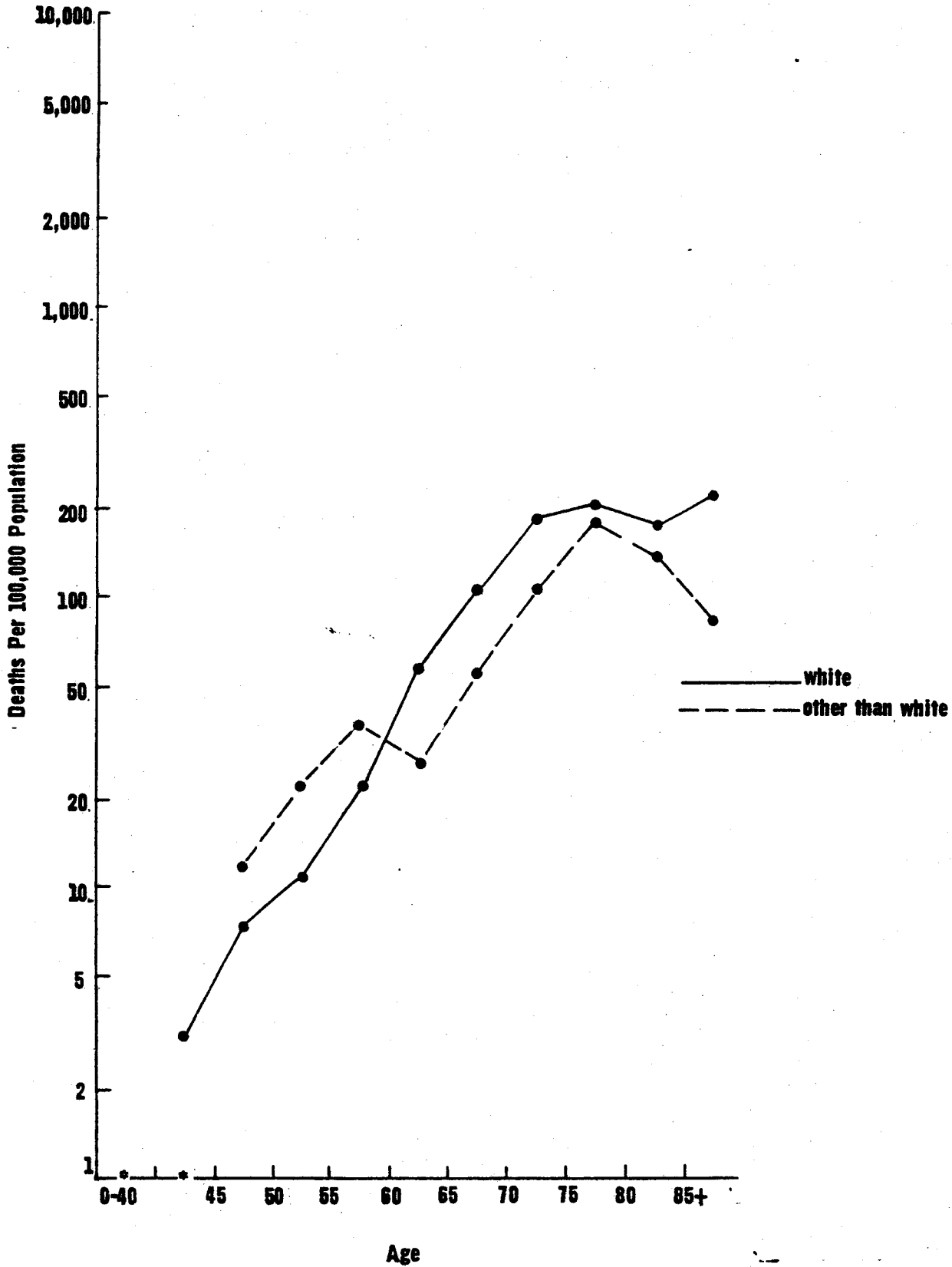
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FIGURE 2.26 - Age-Specific Death Rates ¹ for Deaths due to Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases and Allied Conditions, by Sex, Michigan Residents, 1979



1 - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

FIGURE 2.27 Age-Specific Death Rates¹ for Deaths Due to Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases and Allied Conditions, by Race, Michigan Residents, 1979



1 - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale; vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

TABLE 2.29- Age-Adjusted Death Rates¹ for Deaths Due to Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases and Allied Conditions² by Race and Sex, Michigan Residents, 1970-1979

Year	ALL RACES			WHITE			OTHER THAN WHITE		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
1970	14.1	24.9	5.5	14.2	25.3	5.4	12.2	18.7	6.5
1971	13.8	24.2	5.6	13.7	24.3	5.4	14.0	22.2	6.5
1972	14.9	26.4	5.7	15.2	27.1	5.8	11.2	19.1	4.3
1973	15.4	26.6	6.5	15.6	27.2	6.6	12.2	20.2	5.1
1974	13.7	23.8	5.8	14.1	24.4	6.1	9.6	16.7	3.3
1975	14.2	24.3	6.2	14.4	25.0	6.3	11.1	17.8	5.2
1976	14.4	24.0	6.8	14.6	24.6	6.9	11.6	19.0	5.1
1977	13.8	22.9	6.6	14.2	23.9	6.6	10.2	15.2	5.9
1978	15.3	24.7	8.1	15.5	25.1	8.4	13.0	21.0	6.1
1979	15.0	24.9	7.4	15.3	25.5	7.6	12.1	19.6	5.8

1 - Based on age-specific death rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Computed by the direct method, using as the standard population the age distribution of the total population of the United States as enumerated in 1940; see Technical Notes.

2 - Categories used for 1970-1978 are 8th Revision ICDA codes 490-493 (bronchitis, emphysema, and asthma) and *519.3 (chronic obstructive lung disease-without mention of asthma, bronchitis, or emphysema). For 1979 the 9th Revision ICD codes are 490-496. See Table 2.7 for a description of comparability.

and chronic obstructive lung diseases without mention of asthma, bronchitis, or emphysema (ICDA 490-493, and *519.3). Data for 1979 and for this earlier period are not strictly comparable due to the introduction of the 9th Revision of the ICD in 1979 (see Table 2.7). The age-adjusted death rates for males remained fairly constant over the decade, while for females the rate in 1979 was 35 percent higher than in 1970. The increase in age-adjusted rates for females was due to an even larger increase (41 percent) in rates for white females, while the rate for other than white females was lower in 1979 than in 1970. The age-adjusted death rate for the total population of Michigan from chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases and allied conditions was 15.0 in 1979. This is 34 percent below the provisional United States rate of 22.7.

Of the 1,934 Michigan resident deaths due to chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases and allied conditions, 1,119 (57.9 percent) were classified as chronic airways obstruction, not elsewhere classified. An additional 19 deaths were attributed to bronchiectasis and extrinsic allergic alveolitis. These categories together are comparable to the 8th Revision title chronic obstructive lung disease without mention of asthma, bronchitis, or emphysema, to which 1,053 deaths were attributed in 1978. There were 537 deaths in 1979 due to emphysema, 146 due to bronchitis, and 113 due to asthma (Table 2.30).

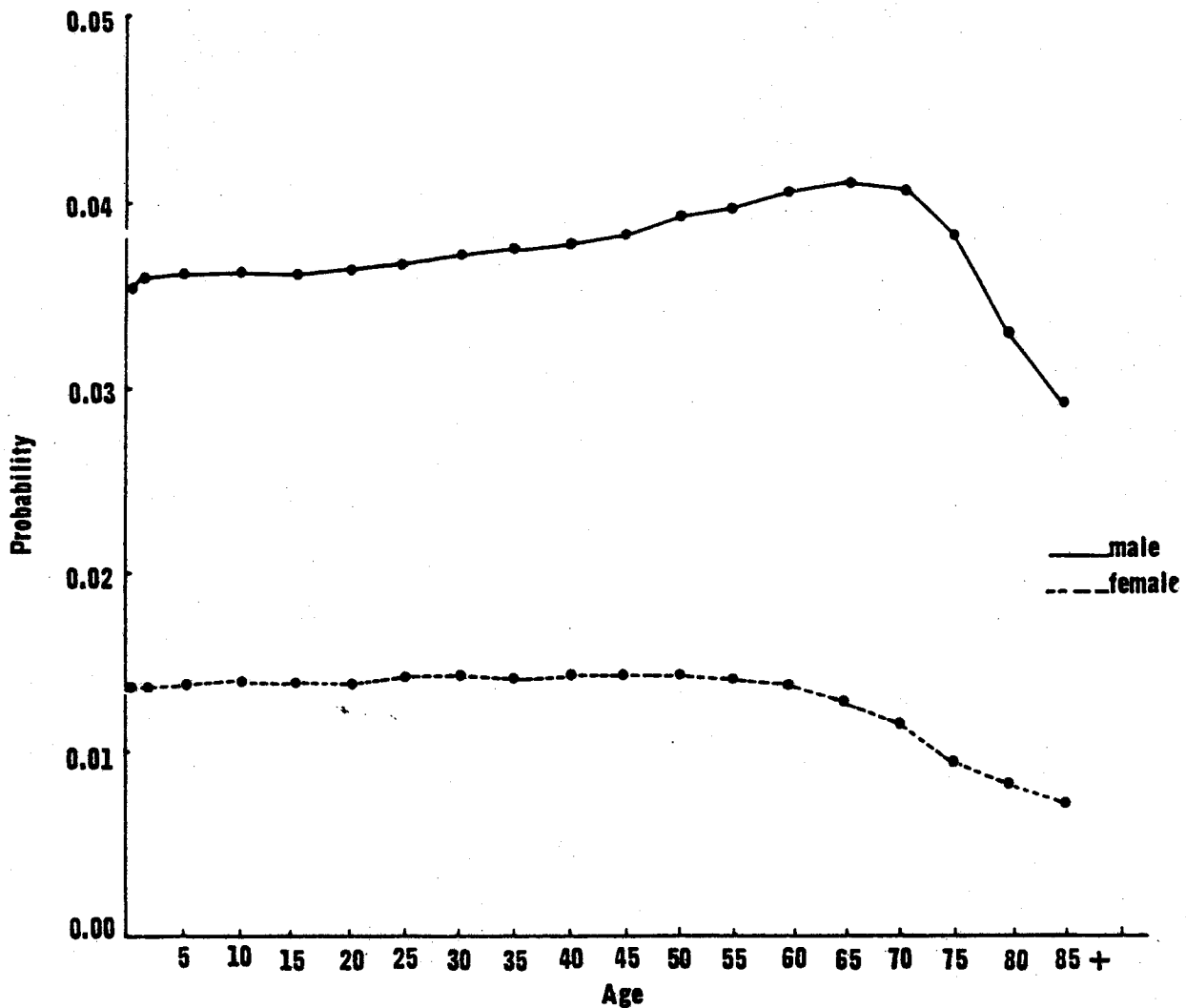
Based on mortality data from 1977-1979, the probability of eventual death due to chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases and allied conditions is 0.036 for males and 0.014 for females at birth. The probability for males increases to a peak of 0.042 at age 65 and then declines in the last few age groups. The probability for females remains stable from birth through age 60 and then declines rapidly in the oldest age groups (Figure 2.28). Between ages 60 and 85 the probability for females declines by 50 percent to 0.007. It should be recalled that these probability estimates are based on mortality data which have been changing rapidly, in part due to changing diagnostic conventions.

TABLE 2.30 - Deaths Due to Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases and Allied Conditions by Specific Cause, Michigan Residents, 1979

282 LIST ¹ NUMBER	CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER OF DEATHS	PERCENT
174	Chronic Airways Obstruction, not elsewhere classified	1,119	57.9
171	Emphysema	537	27.8
170	Chronic Bronchitis	126	6.5
172	Asthma	113	5.8
169	Bronchitis, not Specified as Acute or Chronic	20	1.0
173	Bronchiectasis and Extrinsic Allergic Alveolitis	19	1.0
	TOTAL	1,934	100.0

¹List of 282 Selected Causes developed by the National Center for Health Statistics for tabulation of Mortality Data coded by the 9th Revision of the International Classification of Diseases, WHO.

FIGURE 2.28 Probability of Eventually dying from Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases and Allied Conditions ¹, by Age and Sex, Michigan Residents, 1977-1979 ²



¹ Probabilities are based on deaths in 1977 and 1978 coded to 8th revision ICDA codes 490-493 and * 519.3, and deaths in 1979 coded to 9th Revision ICD codes 490-496.

² Note: Should comparisons be desired between this graph and a similar graph contained herein that pertains to some other specified cause of death, differences in scale may be encountered.

PNEUMONIA AND INFLUENZA

One of every 50 deaths that occurred to Michigan residents in 1979 was due to pneumonia and influenza. There were a total of 1,475 such deaths of which 786 (53.3 percent) were to males.

The overall median age at death in 1979 for those dying from pneumonia and influenza was 80 years (Table 2.31). This is well above the median age of 71 years for all deaths. The median age at death for white persons was significantly higher than that for other than white persons. The median age for white males (79) was 15 years greater than that for other than white males (64), while for white females the median of 84 years exceeded by 13 years that for other than white females. For persons of all races the median for males was 6 years less than for females.

The overall crude death rate for pneumonia and influenza deaths in 1979 was 16.0, compared to a rate of 21.8 in 1978. Part of the decline is due to the introduction of the 9th Revision of the ICD. The adjusted 1978 rate for pneumonia and influenza, which is the estimate of the rate which would result from coding deaths which occurred in 1978 by the 9th Revision of the ICD, is 20.2. The crude rate of 17.4 for males was 18 percent higher than the rate of 14.7 for females. On an age-adjusted basis, this differential increased significantly. The age-adjusted rate for males exceeded that for females by 74 percent (Table 2.32).

The age-specific death rates for males and females given in Table 2.32 are graphically displayed in Figure 2.29. Note the high pneumonia and influenza death rates for both sexes under 1 year of age. Pneumonia and influenza death rates increased rapidly beyond age 54 with rates for males significantly higher than for females.

The crude rates given in Table 2.32 indicate that a greater proportion of the white population died of pneumonia and influenza in 1979 than was the case for the other than white population. On an age-adjusted basis, however, the rate for the other than white group was 64 percent above that for the white group. Age-specific data indicate that the rates for the other than white population were higher from birth to age 80. For ages

TABLE 2.31
Deaths Due to Pneumonia and Influenza by Age, Race, and Sex¹,
Michigan Residents, 1979

AGE	ALL RACES			WHITE			ALL OTHER			RACE NOT STATED		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
Under 1 Year.....	30	17	13	17	11	6	13	6	7	-	-	-
1-4 Years.....	11	7	4	9	5	4	2	2	-	-	-	-
5-9 Years.....	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
10-14 Years.....	5	3	2	4	2	2	1	1	-	-	-	-
15-19 Years.....	5	1	4	4	1	3	1	1	-	-	-	-
20-24 Years.....	7	5	2	5	4	1	2	1	-	-	-	-
25-29 Years.....	6	5	1	6	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
30-34 Years.....	11	7	4	2	2	-	9	5	4	-	-	-
35-39 Years.....	14	12	2	4	3	1	10	9	1	-	-	-
40-44 Years.....	16	8	8	9	3	6	7	5	2	-	-	-
45-49 Years.....	24	17	7	15	9	6	9	8	1	-	-	-
50-54 Years.....	26	14	12	19	10	9	7	4	3	-	-	-
55-59 Years.....	45	28	17	39	25	14	6	3	3	-	-	-
60-64 Years.....	81	49	32	65	40	25	16	9	7	-	-	-
65-69 Years.....	87	55	32	76	46	30	11	9	2	-	-	-
70-74 Years.....	142	88	54	117	73	44	25	15	10	-	-	-
75-79 Years.....	196	122	74	173	109	64	23	13	10	-	-	-
80-84 Years.....	240	117	123	224	110	114	15	7	8	-	-	-
85-89 Years.....	297	150	146	286	145	140	10	4	6	-	-	-
90 and Over.....	231	80	151	218	75	143	13	5	8	-	-	-
Not Stated.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All Ages	1,475	786	688	1,292	678	613	181	107	74	2	1	1
Median Age at Last Birthday	80	77	83	82	79	84	68	64	71	*	*	*

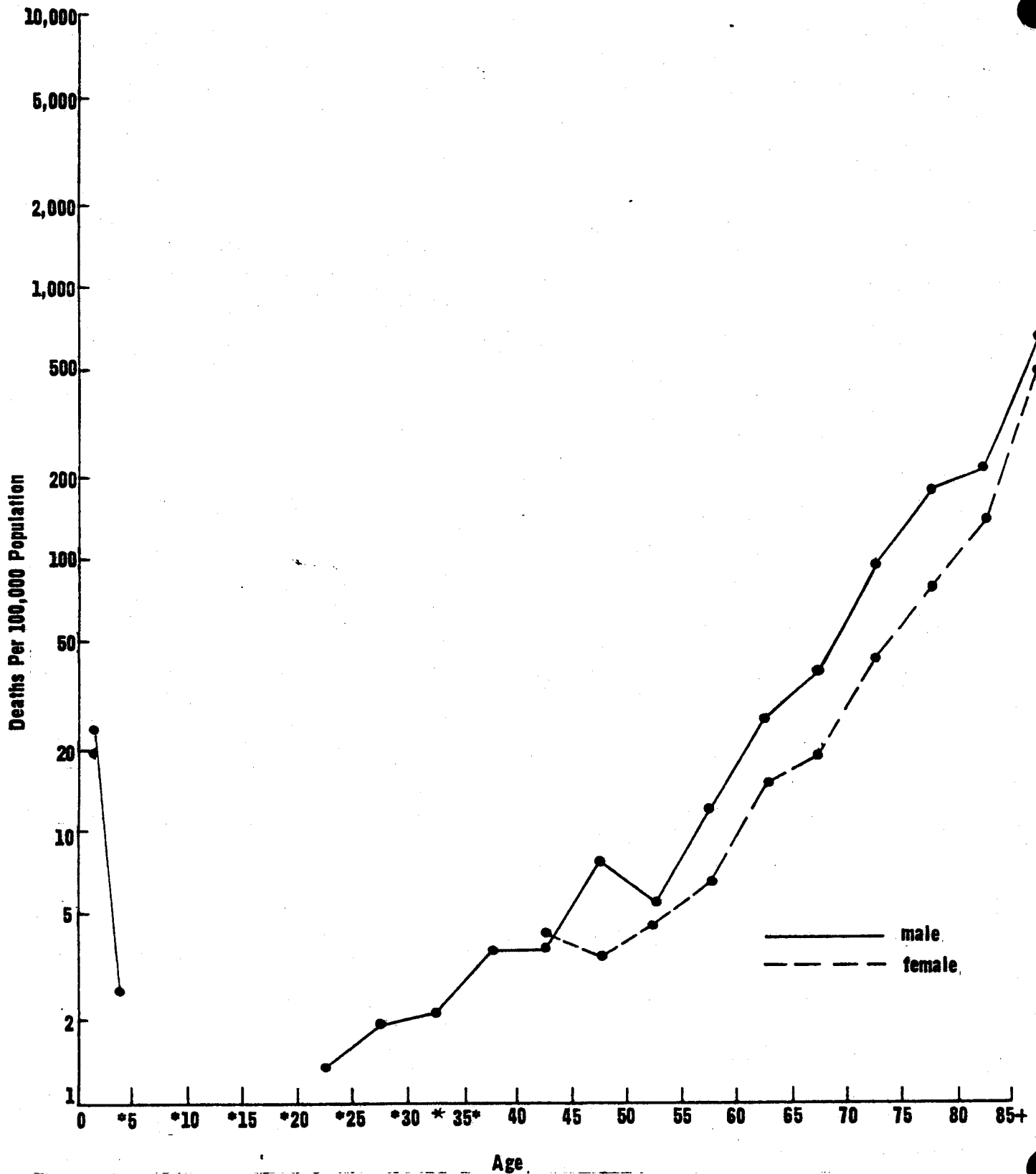
1 - The death of one white person with sex not stated is included only in the total columns.

Table 2.32 - Pneumonia and Influenza Death Rates by Age, Race, and Sex,
Michigan Residents, 1979

Age	All Races			White			Other Than White		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
	All Ages-Crude Rate	16.0	17.4	14.7	16.3	17.4	15.3	14.3	17.4	11.3
Under 1 Year	22.0	24.4	19.5	15.4	19.3	11.2	50.4	46.6	54.1
1-4 Years	2.0	2.5	*	2.2	2.2	*	*	*	*
5-9 Years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
10-14 Years	0.5	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
15-19 Years	0.5	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
20-24 Years	0.9	1.3	*	0.8	*	*	*	*	*
25-29 Years	1.0	2.0	*	1.2	2.3	*	*	*	*
30-34 Years	1.6	2.1	*	*	*	*	10.6	13.3	*
35-39 Years	2.3	3.7	*	*	*	*	12.4	22.8	*
40-44 Years	3.9	3.6	4.1	2.5	*	3.6	13.0	18.7	*
45-49 Years	5.7	7.7	3.4	4.0	4.7	3.4	17.4	30.1	*
50-54 Years	5.0	5.4	4.5	4.1	4.4	3.9	11.4	*	*
55-59 Years	9.1	11.8	6.6	8.9	11.8	6.1	10.9	*	*
60-64 Years	20.0	25.4	15.0	18.1	23.4	13.2	35.0	41.6	29.0
65-69 Years	28.5	38.6	19.7	28.5	37.1	21.0	29.0	48.8	*
70-74 Years	66.6	95.0	44.8	61.6	89.4	40.6	108.2	137.2	82.1
75-79 Years	117.9	183.1	74.3	113.2	179.0	69.6	171.9	226.7	130.8
80-84 Years	173.1	215.5	145.8	175.9	221.0	147.2	139.3	155.1	127.9
85 and Over	574.6	688.3	509.2	606.3	738.7	531.5	267.7	256.6	275.4
Age-Adjusted Rate ¹	9.1	12.0	6.9	8.4	11.1	6.4	13.8	18.2	9.6

¹Based on age-specific death rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Computed by the direct method, using as the standard population the age distribution of the total population of the United States as enumerated in 1940; see technical notes.

**FIGURE 2.29 Age-Specific Pneumonia and Influenza Death Rates ,¹
by Sex, Michigan Residents, 1979**



¹ - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

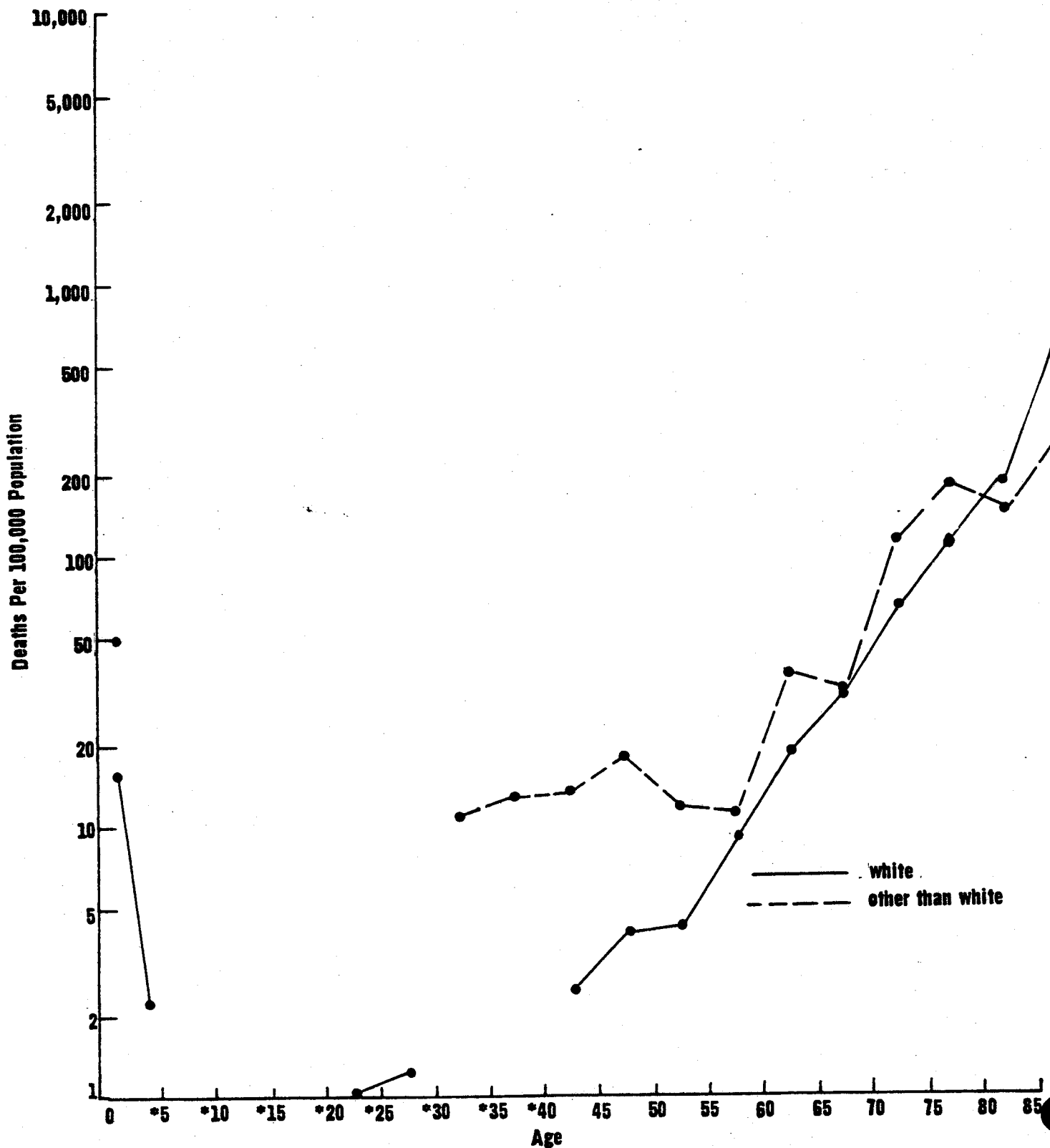
80 and above, pneumonia and influenza death rates were higher for white persons (Figure 2.30).

Pneumonia and influenza death rates have generally declined since 1900 both nationally and in Michigan (Figure 2.31). The annual rate was quite erratic from 1900 through 1940 or 1945. Since that time, the rate has been stable in terms of year to year variation. Michigan's rate of death due to this cause has been below the national rate almost without exception throughout this century. In 1900, the rate in Michigan was 120.3 while the national statistic was 202.1. The peak year for both was 1918 when the rates for the United States and Michigan were 588.5 and 399.8, respectively. In 1977 century low rates of 18.2 for Michigan and 23.7 for the nation were recorded. New low rates for the century were recorded in 1979 for both Michigan (16.0) and the United States (20.0). Although the change in coding classification makes the 1979 rates appear lower than if deaths had been coded by the 8th Revision of the ICDA used for years 1968-1978, the rates for both the state and nation were lower than comparable adjusted rates for 1977 (16.9 for Michigan and 22.0 for the U.S.).

Michigan's age-adjusted rates for pneumonia and influenza have generally been below those for the nation during the 1970's (Table 2.33). Between 1970 and 1979 the age-adjusted rate for Michigan declined by 52 percent. Rates for other than white persons declined more rapidly than rates for white persons. The decline was most dramatic for other than white females for whom the age-adjusted rate dropped from 30.8 in 1970 to 9.6 in 1979, a decline of 69 percent. The declines in rates for other than white males and females were more pronounced in Michigan than for the U.S.

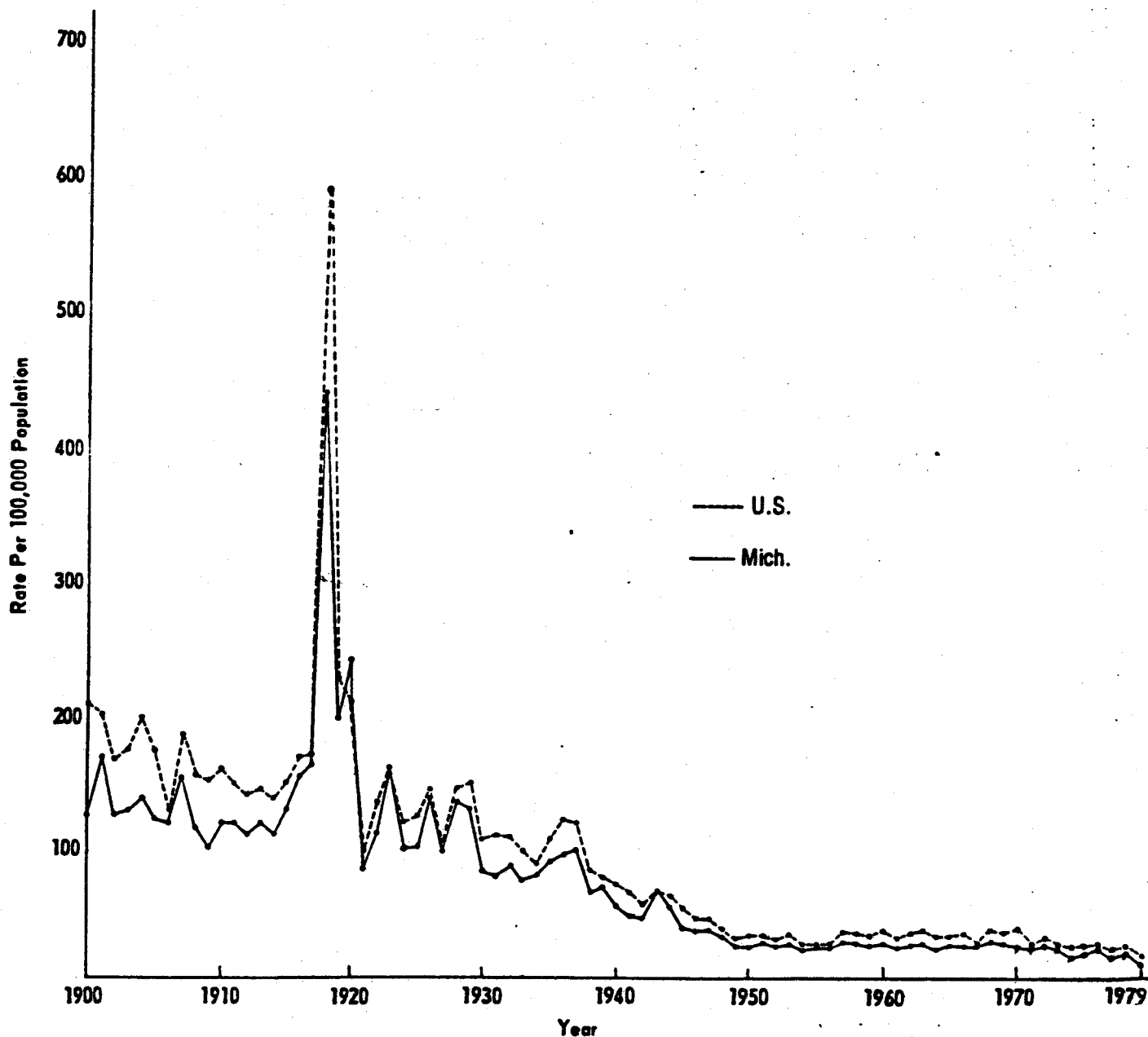
The majority of deaths due to pneumonia and influenza were not attributed to a specific organism. Pneumonia due to other (7 deaths) and unspecified (1,040 deaths) organism accounted for 71.0 percent of all Michigan pneumonia and influenza deaths in 1979 (Table 2.34). Another 16.7 percent of the deaths were due to bronchopneumonia, organism unspecified, and 137 deaths were due to pneumococcal and other bacterial pneumonia (79 and 58 deaths respectively). The three most frequent categories of pneumonia and influenza deaths together accounted for 97.0 percent of all such deaths.

**FIGURE 2.30 Age-Specific Pneumonia and Influenza Death Rates¹,
by Race, Michigan Residents, 1979**



1 - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

**FIGURE 2.31 Pneumonia and Influenza Death Rates,
Michigan and United States Residents,¹ 1900-1979²**



¹National rates are from death registration states for 1900-1932 and the United States for 1933-1979; U. S. rate for 1979 is provisional.

²Pneumonia and influenza death rates since 1900 are suitable for general comparison over time but detailed study (such as time series) requires special consideration. See Technical Notes.

TABLE 2.33

Age-Adjusted Pneumonia and Influenza Death Rates¹ by Race and Sex,
Michigan and United States Residents, 1970-1979²

Place	Year	ALL RACES			WHITE			OTHER THAN WHITE		
		Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Michigan	1970	19.1	24.7	14.5	16.6	21.8	12.3	38.9	48.3	30.8
	1971	17.6	23.8	12.6	15.3	20.5	11.2	35.9	50.2	23.1
	1972	18.7	25.6	13.0	16.8	23.0	11.8	33.2	47.0	21.0
	1973	17.1	21.7	13.3	15.0	19.2	11.6	34.2	42.6	26.9
	1974	13.1	17.2	10.0	11.9	15.2	9.4	22.8	33.0	13.9
	1975	13.5	17.5	10.4	12.5	16.1	9.0	21.1	27.9	15.0
	1976	14.8	18.7	11.6	13.9	17.5	11.1	21.1	27.7	15.0
	1977	11.7	16.1	8.0	10.9	15.1	7.5	17.3	23.9	11.3
	1978	13.4	16.6	10.9	13.0	16.0	10.7	15.5	19.2	12.2
	1979	9.1	12.0	6.9	8.4	11.1	6.4	13.8	18.2	9.6
U.S.	1970	22.1	28.8	16.7	19.8	26.0	15.0	38.1	50.1	27.9
	1971	19.3	24.9	14.8	17.6	22.7	13.6	32.0	43.0	22.8
	1972	20.8	27.6	15.6	19.2	25.4	14.4	32.6	44.5	22.8
	1973	20.1	26.6	15.2	18.5	24.6	14.0	31.4	42.3	22.5
	1974	16.9	22.6	12.8	15.7	21.0	12.0	25.4	35.1	17.5
	1975	16.6	22.5	12.3	15.6	21.0	11.7	23.9	33.5	16.1
	1976	17.4	23.1	13.2	16.3	21.8	12.6	24.4	33.7	17.0
	1977	14.2	19.4	10.4	13.2	18.1	9.8	21.0	29.6	14.0
	1978	15.4	21.0	11.5	14.5	19.6	10.9	21.8	30.9	14.6
	1979	11.1 Pr.	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -

1 - Based on age-specific death rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Computed by the direct method, using as the standard population the age distribution of the total population of the United States as enumerated in 1940; see Technical Notes.

2 - The introduction in 1979 of the 9th Revision of the International Classification of Diseases for coding causes of death resulted in substantial changes in this category, making trend comparisons difficult. The estimated comparability ratio for this category is 0.9264. Note that comparability ratios were developed for comparing crude death rates, and they are not strictly applicable for comparing age-adjusted death rates. For further discussion of comparability ratios see Qualifications and Limitations of Data and Calculations.

TABLE 2.34- Deaths Due to Pneumonia and Influenza by Specific Cause
Michigan Residents, 1979

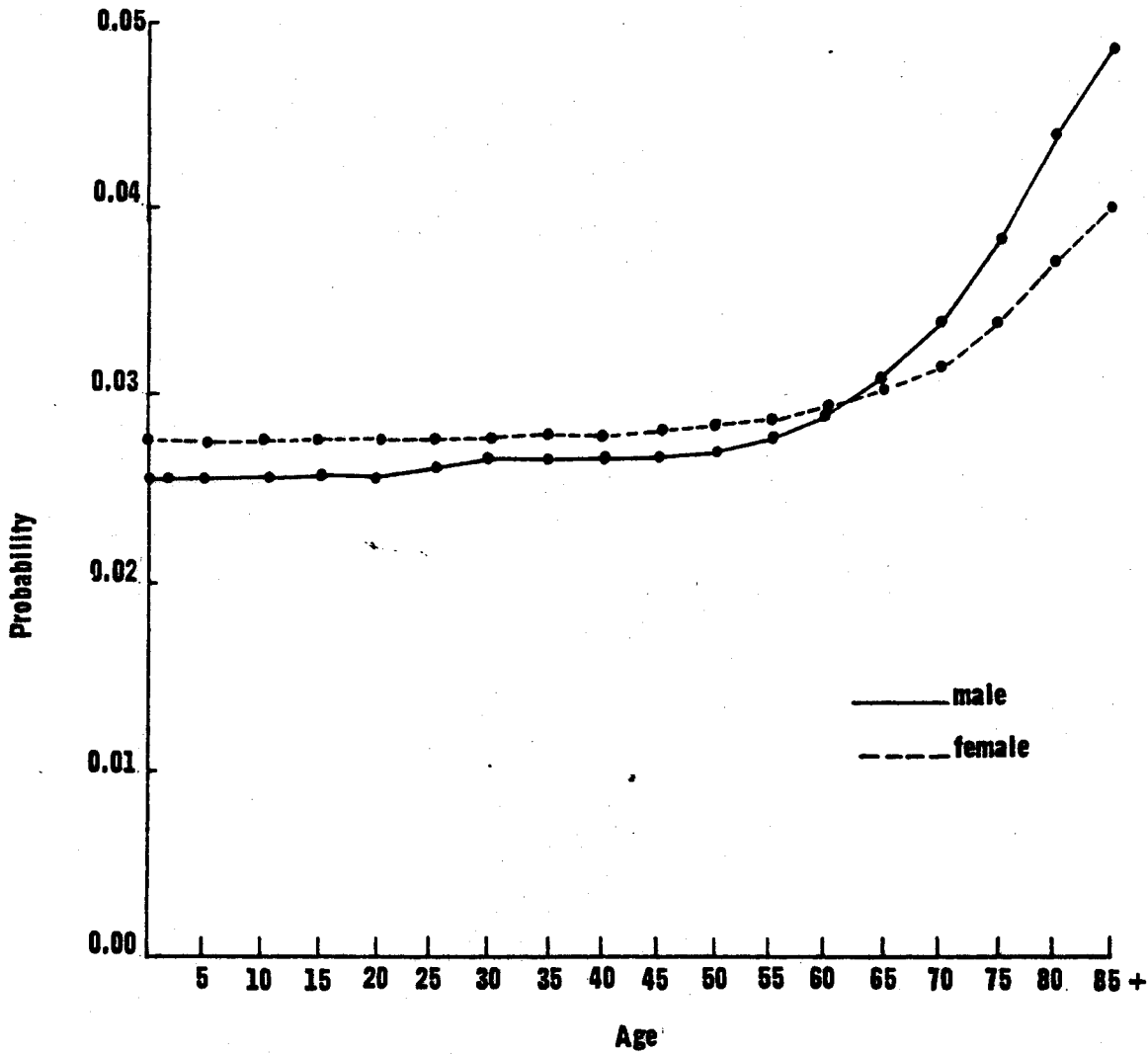
282 LIST ¹ NUMBER	CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER OF DEATHS	PERCENT
167	Pneumonia due to Other and Unspecified Organism	1,047	71.0
166	Bronchopneumonia, Organism Unspecified	247	16.7
165	Pneumococcal and Other Bacterial Pneumonia	137	9.3
164	Viral Pneumonia	23	1.6
168	Influenza	21	1.4
	TOTAL	1,475	100.0

¹List of 282 Selected Causes developed by the National Center for Health Statistics for tabulation of Mortality Data coded by the 9th Revision of the International Classification of Diseases, WHO.

Influenza was directly involved in 1.4 percent of all pneumonia and influenza deaths in 1979, compared to 8.7 percent in 1978 and 1.3 percent in 1977.

The likelihood of eventual death being caused by pneumonia and influenza is a stable 0.028 for females and between 0.026 and 0.027 for males from birth to age 50. The calculated probabilities for each sex slowly increase after this age, with probabilities for males increasing more rapidly than those for females. Based on the Michigan mortality experience of 1977-1979, by age 85 the chances of eventually dying from pneumonia and influenza are 0.048 for males and 0.040 for females (Figure 2.32).

FIGURE 2.32- Probability of Eventually Dying from Pneumonia and Influenza by Age and Sex, Michigan Residents 1977-1979¹



¹ Note: Should comparisons be desired between this graph and a similar graph contained herein that pertains to some other specified cause of death, differences in scale may be encountered.

DIABETES MELLITUS

In 1979 diabetes mellitus caused the death of 1,449 Michigan residents. This is 102 fewer deaths than were caused by this disease in 1978. Deaths to females numbered 857 or 59 percent of all diabetes mellitus deaths. There were 592 diabetes mellitus deaths to males in 1979.

The median age at death for persons dying from diabetes mellitus was 73 years (Table 2.35). This is two years above the median age of all deaths. Males dying from this disease had a median age of 71 years whereas the median for females was 75 years. The median for white males was 71 years compared to 76 for white females. For other than white males the median was 68 years and that for other than white females 69 years.

Diabetes mellitus death rates by age, race, and sex are presented in Table 2.36. The diabetes mellitus crude death rate was 15.7 in 1979. The crude rate for females was 18.3, about 40 percent higher than the rate of 13.1 for males. When age-adjusted rates are examined, however, this differential in rates by sex is greatly diminished. The age-adjusted rate of 11.1 for females was slightly above that of males (10.5).

Age-specific mortality rates for males and females in Table 2.36 are graphically displayed in Figure 2.33. Rates were similar for males and females, and increased steadily with advancing age. Rates for both sexes were below 10 per 100,000 to age 50. At ages above 59 years, rates for females were higher than for males. The greatest differential was in the oldest age group where the rate for females exceeded that for males by 53 percent.

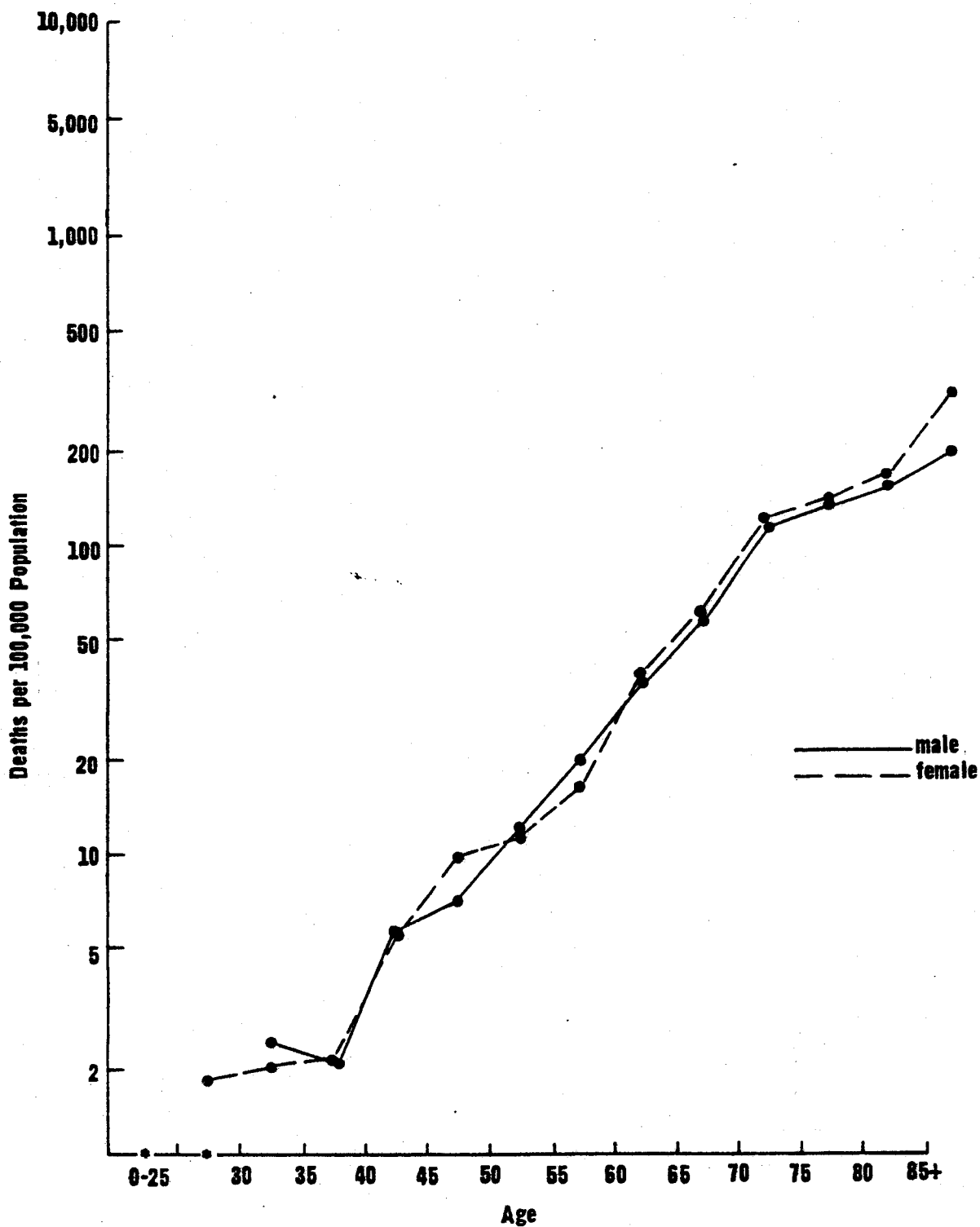
Although the crude diabetes mellitus death rate for white persons was somewhat above that of other than white persons (16.0 compared to 14.0), the age-adjusted rate for the other than white population was 32 percent higher than that for the white population. This differential is due to an elevated rate for other than white females. The age-adjusted rate for this group was 74 percent above that of their white counterparts. The age-adjusted rate for other than white males was 10 percent below that of white males.

Age-specific rates for other than white persons were higher than for white persons in all age groups below age 80 with a sufficient number of events to calculate rates

TABLE 2.35
Deaths Due to Diabetes Mellitus by Age, Race, and Sex,
Michigan Residents, 1979

AGE	ALL RACES			WHITE			ALL OTHER			RACE NOT STATED		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
	Under 1 Year.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1-4 Years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5-9 Years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10-14 Years.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
15-19 Years.....	3	2	3	4	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
20-24 Years.....	5	4	6	10	4	6	3	2	1	2	1	1
25-29 Years.....	10	8	7	12	7	5	3	2	1	2	1	1
30-34 Years.....	15	7	6	11	6	5	2	1	1	1	1	1
35-39 Years.....	13	7	6	16	8	8	6	4	2	2	2	2
40-44 Years.....	22	12	10	25	12	13	9	3	6	6	6	6
45-49 Years.....	34	15	19	43	27	16	15	3	12	12	8	8
50-54 Years.....	58	30	28	73	42	31	21	4	13	13	13	13
55-59 Years.....	85	46	39	123	59	64	24	8	17	17	17	17
60-64 Years.....	144	67	77	148	71	77	32	7	24	24	24	24
65-69 Years.....	172	78	94	203	92	111	19	8	12	12	12	12
70-74 Years.....	235	100	135	191	74	117	14	7	9	9	9	9
75-79 Years.....	210	81	129	198	73	125	15	5	11	11	11	11
80-84 Years.....	212	78	134	139	43	96	2	4	2	2	2	2
85-89 Years.....	154	47	107	73	15	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
90 and Over.....	75	15	60	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Not Stated.....	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All Ages	1,449	592	857	1,272	537	735	177	55	122	-	-	-
Median Age at Last Birthday	73	71	75	74	71	76	68	68	69	*	*	*

FIGURE 2.33 Age Specific Diabetes Mellitus Death Rates¹, by Sex, Michigan Residents, 1979



¹ - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

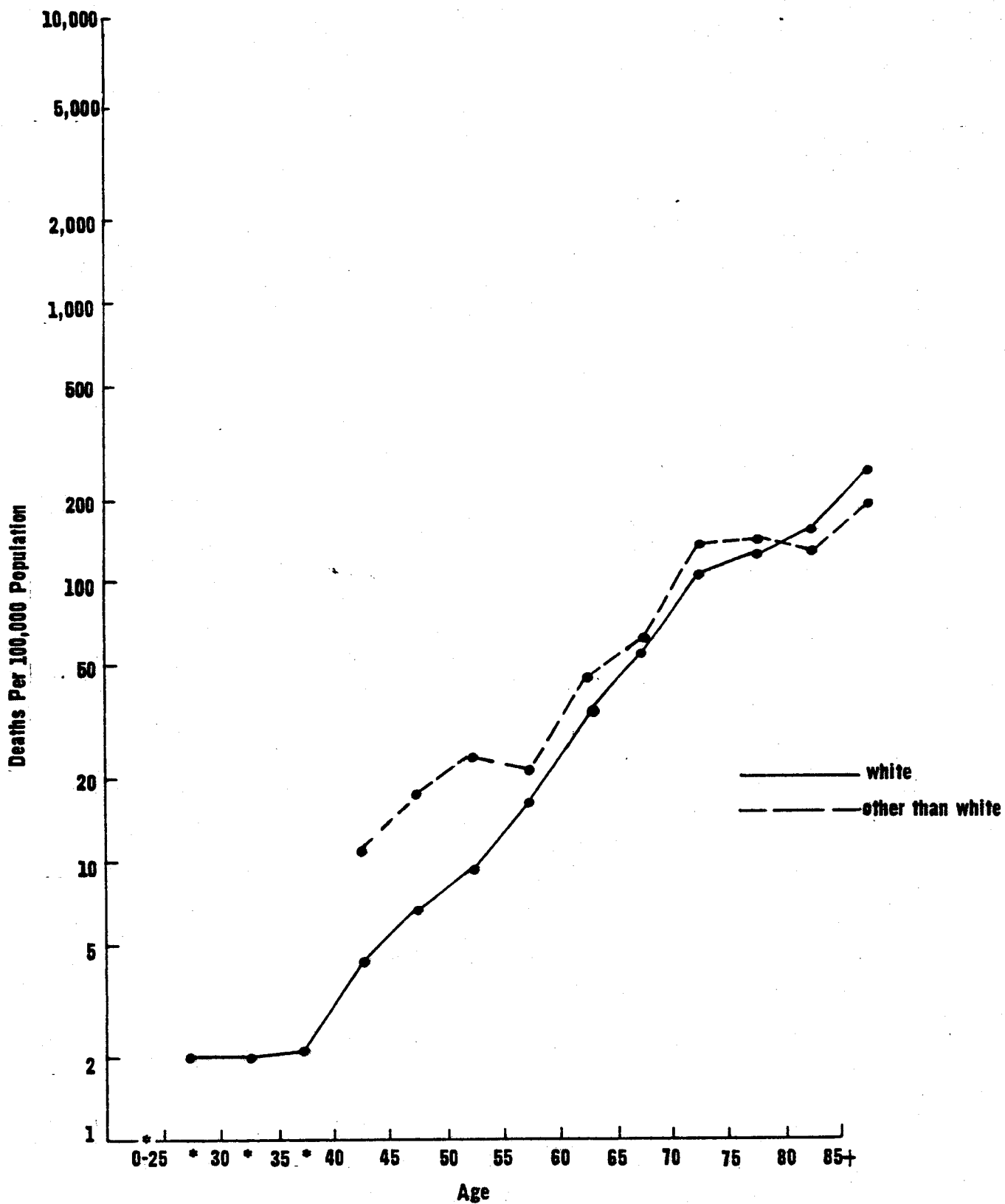
(Figure 2.34). The greatest relative differentials occurred for ages 40 through 54. Rates for other than white females were consistently above those for white females for ages 45 through 79 years (Table 2.36).

Diabetes mellitus death rates in Michigan rose steadily from a low of 9.3 in 1900 to a peak of 29.7 in 1949 (Figure 2.35). Adoption of the 6th revision of the International Classification of Diseases in 1950 caused a significant change in Michigan diabetes death rates. From 22.6 in 1950 the rate dipped somewhat then rose to a peak of 27.0 in 1966. Since then the rate has declined 42 percent to 15.7 in 1979. This is the lowest rate since the 6th revision of the ICD was adopted in 1950, and is 7.1 percent below the 1978 rate of 16.9. The decline in 1979 is the seventh consecutive annual decline in the diabetes mellitus death rate. The national ranges in the first half of this century were from 11.0 in 1900 to 18.3 in 1948 (the year of the adoption of the 6th revision nationally was 1949). The rate for the nation since 1949, though more stable than Michigan's rate, has tended to follow the same pattern. A peak of 19.2 was reached in 1968. Since that time the rate for the nation has declined by 22 percent to a provisional 15.0 in 1979. This is also a record low for the United States since 1949, and represents a decline of 3.2 percent from the rate of 15.5 for 1978.

The diabetes mellitus death rate for the nation was generally above Michigan's rate for the first 25 or so years in this century. Since 1942, Michigan's rate has been above that of the nation. Through the 1960's the differential between the rates for Michigan and the United States was quite large. This has only recently started to diminish. In 1979 Michigan's rate (15.7) was 4.7 percent above the provisional estimate of 15.0 for the United States.

Age-adjusted death rates for diabetes mellitus in the 1970's are presented in Table 2.37. These rates have generally declined both in Michigan and the United States for all population groups. The rate for the total population of Michigan has declined by 46 percent since 1970, and has fallen each year since 1972. The rate for the U.S. has declined each year, falling by 30 percent over the decade. In Michigan, rates for other than white persons experienced a greater absolute and relative decline than those for

Figure 2.24 Age-Specific Diabetes Mellitus Death rates¹, by Race, Michigan Residents, 1979



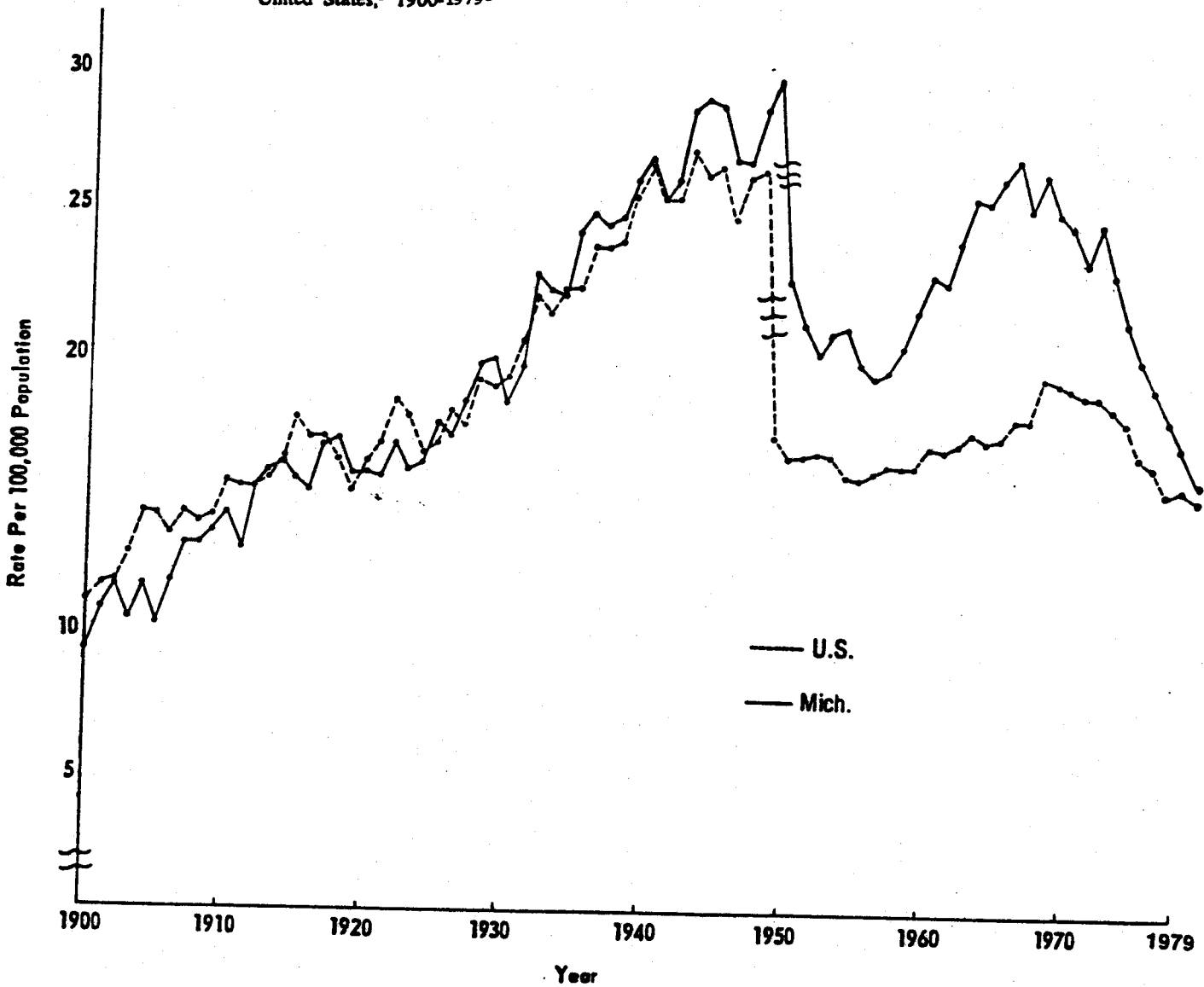
1 - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

Table 2.36 - Diabetes Mellitus Death Rates by Age, Race, and Sex,
Michigan Residents, 1979

Age	All Races			White			Other Than White		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
All Ages-Crude Rate	15.7	13.1	18.3	16.0	13.7	18.3	14.0	8.9	18.7
Under 1 Year	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
1-4 Years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
5-9 Years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
10-14 Years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
15-19 Years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
20-24 Years	0.6	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
25-29 Years	1.7	*	1.8	2.0	*	2.1	*	*	*
30-34 Years	2.2	2.4	2.0	2.0	2.4	1.7	*	*	*
35-39 Years	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	*	*	*
40-44 Years	5.3	5.5	5.2	4.4	4.1	4.8	11.2	15.0	*
45-49 Years	8.0	6.8	9.4	6.7	6.2	7.3	17.4	*	23.9
50-54 Years	11.1	11.6	10.6	9.3	11.8	6.9	24.4	*	38.6
55-59 Years	17.2	19.4	15.2	16.6	19.9	13.6	21.8	*	28.1
60-64 Years	35.5	34.8	36.2	34.2	34.5	33.9	45.9	37.0	53.9
65-69 Years	56.4	54.8	57.8	55.4	57.3	53.8	63.3	38.0	87.2
70-74 Years	110.3	108.0	112.0	106.8	112.6	102.5	138.5	73.2	197.1
75-79 Years	126.3	121.6	129.5	125.0	121.5	127.2	142.0	122.1	157.0
80-84 Years	152.9	143.7	158.8	154.8	146.7	160.0	130.0	110.8	143.9
85 and Over	250.3	187.7	286.3	255.7	196.3	289.2	197.9	*	255.7
Age-Adjusted Rate ¹	10.9	10.5	11.1	10.5	10.6	10.3	13.9	9.5	17.9

¹Based on age-specific death rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Computed by the direct method, using as the standard population the age distribution of the total population of the United States as enumerated in 1940; see technical notes.

FIGURE 2.35—Diabetes Mellitus Death Rates, Michigan and United States,¹ 1900-1979²



¹National rates are from death registration states for 1900-1932 and the United States for 1933-1979; U. S. rate for 1979 is provisional.

²The comparability of diabetes mellitus death rates from the 5th revision of the ICDA coding procedures with those of the 6th revision is considered weak. The comparability ratio is estimated to be .55. The 6th revision was adopted in 1949 for national cause-of-death statistics and in 1950 for Michigan statistics. The comparability of diabetes mellitus disease death rates through the 6th, 7th, 8th, and 9th revisions (1949 to date nationally and 1950 to date in Michigan) is high. General comparison before and after these dates of adoption can be made but detailed study requires special consideration. See Technical Notes.

TABLE 2.37

Age-Adjusted Diabetes Mellitus Death Rates¹ by Race and Sex,
Michigan and United States Residents, 1970 - 1979

Place	Year	ALL RACES			WHITE			OTHER THAN WHITE		
		Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Michigan	1970	20.1	20.8	19.6	18.6	19.9	17.6	34.4	29.2	39.5
	1971	18.8	17.3	19.9	17.4	16.5	17.9	31.2	23.7	38.0
	1972	19.6	18.7	20.2	18.1	17.7	18.4	32.0	27.1	36.6
	1973	17.9	17.2	18.2	16.7	16.2	16.8	28.2	25.0	30.9
	1974	16.0	15.6	16.2	15.5	15.4	15.5	19.7	16.9	22.2
	1975	14.6	14.2	14.7	13.8	13.7	13.8	20.6	18.6	22.3
	1976	13.3	13.0	13.4	12.2	12.0	12.3	21.9	21.0	22.8
	1977	12.5	12.6	12.2	11.7	12.0	11.3	18.8	17.2	20.1
	1978	11.7	11.5	11.7	10.7	11.1	10.2	19.9	15.0	23.9
	1979	10.9	10.5	11.1	10.5	10.6	10.3	13.9	9.5	17.9
U.S.	1970	14.1	13.5	14.4	12.9	12.7	12.8	25.2	20.4	29.3
	1971	13.8	13.2	14.2	12.4	12.4	12.4	27.5	21.7	32.4
	1972	13.6	13.2	13.9	12.2	12.3	12.1	26.0	21.2	30.1
	1973	13.2	12.9	13.3	11.8	12.0	11.6	25.3	21.1	28.6
	1974	12.5	12.2	12.7	11.4	11.5	11.2	23.4	18.8	27.1
	1975	11.6	11.4	11.6	10.4	10.7	10.2	21.7	17.9	24.6
	1976	11.1	10.9	11.1	10.0	10.2	9.7	21.0	17.5	23.7
	1977	10.4	10.5	10.3	9.4	9.8	9.0	19.5	16.3	22.0
	1978	10.4	10.5	10.3	9.4	9.8	9.1	19.0	16.3	21.0
	1979	9.9Pr	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

1 - Based on age-specific death rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Computed by the direct method, using as the standard population the age distribution of the total population of the United States as enumerated in 1940; see Technical Notes.

white persons. At the beginning of the decade age-adjusted rates for other than white males were almost 50 percent above those for white males. In 1979 the rate for other than white males dipped below that of white males. In 1970 the rate for other than white females was over twice that of white females. This differential was still 74 percent in 1979.

The declines in the age-adjusted rates for other than white persons were much greater in Michigan than those observed for these groups nationally. Michigan's rates for other than white persons were substantially higher than comparable rates for the nation in 1970, but have been about the same as those for the nation since 1974. Age-adjusted rates for white persons in Michigan also declined more sharply than comparable rates for the nation. However, they remained higher than those of the nation throughout the period.

In 1979 76.1 percent of all diabetes mellitus deaths were without mention of complication. Diabetes with peripheral circulatory disorders caused 93 deaths, while diabetes with renal manifestations was the cause of an additional 81 deaths. There were 131 deaths in 1979 where acidosis or coma was mentioned with the disease. These are deaths where a diabetic crisis was involved (Table 2.38).

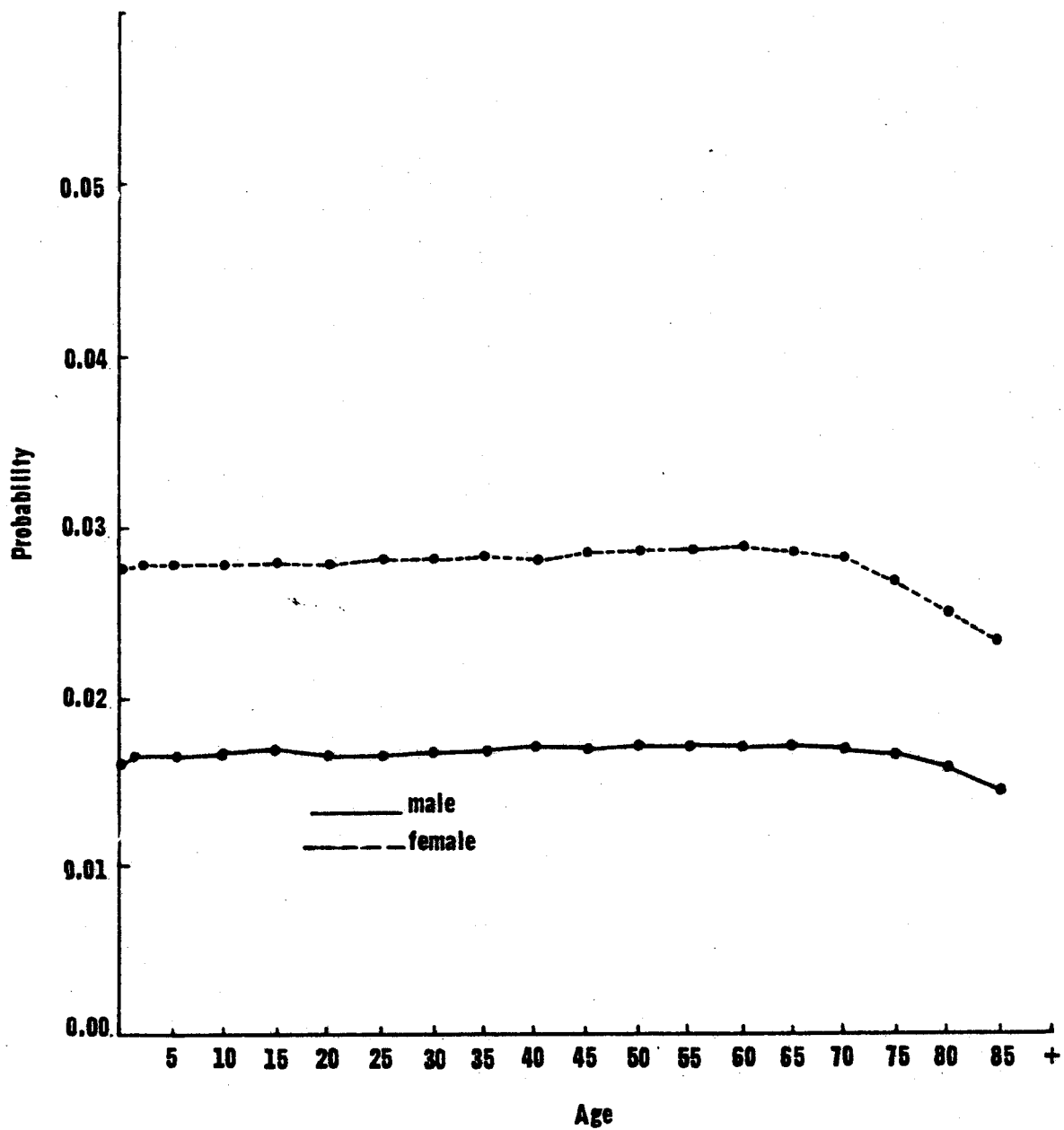
At birth, the probability of eventual death due to diabetes mellitus is 0.016 for males and 0.027 for females (Figure 2.36). The probability of death from diabetes mellitus for females increases slightly from birth to age 60 and declines after that age. Females are less likely to eventually die from this cause at ages 75 and over than when they were born. Although probabilities for males are consistently below those for females, the pattern of change is similar to that for females. The peak probability for males is 0.017 at age 65.

TABLE 2.38 - Deaths Due to Diabetes Mellitus by Detailed Cause
Michigan Residents, 1979

ICD LIST ¹ NUMBER	CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER OF DEATHS	PERCENT
250.0	Diabetes Mellitus without Mention of Complication	1,103	76.1
250.6	Diabetes with Peripheral Circulatory Disorders	93	6.4
250.3	Diabetes with Renal Manifestations	81	5.6
250.1	Diabetes with Ketoacidosis	76	5.2
250.2	Diabetes with Coma	55	3.8
250.7	Diabetes with Other Specified Manifestations	23	1.6
250.4	Diabetes with Ophthalmic Manifestations	8	0.6
250.5	Diabetes with Neurological Manifestations	8	0.6
250.9	Diabetes with Unspecified Complications	2	0.1
	TOTAL	1,449	100.0

¹Detailed List of the 9th Revision of the International Classification of Diseases, WHO.

FIGURE 2.36- Probability of Eventually Dying from Diabetes Mellitus by Age and Sex, Michigan Residents, 1977-1979 ¹



¹ Note: Should comparisons be desired between this graph and a similar graph contained herein that pertains to some other specified cause of death, differences in scale may be encountered.

CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE AND CIRRHOSIS

The 8th leading cause of Michigan resident deaths in 1979 was chronic liver disease and cirrhosis. This category was previously termed cirrhosis of the liver. There were 1,367 deaths attributed to this category in 1979, of which 69.3 percent were to males.

The median age for deaths due to chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (57 years) was 14 years below that for deaths from all causes (Table 2.39). The median age at death for white males and females was 60 years. For other than white males and females the median ages at death were 49 and 50 years, respectively.

Death rates for chronic liver disease and cirrhosis by age, race, and sex are presented in Table 2.40. In 1979 both crude and age-adjusted rates for males were more than twice those for females. Although age-specific rates were higher for males than for females in all age groups, the patterns of change over age were similar. Rates rose quite rapidly for both sexes between ages 25 and 49, increased at a more moderate rate through the age group 65-69 years, and declined in the last few age groups (Figure 2.37).

Crude mortality rates for deaths due to chronic liver disease and cirrhosis for other than white persons were twice those for white persons. Age-adjusted rates for the other than white groups were about three times the rates for the comparable white groups. Age-specific rates for other than white persons were much higher than those for white persons through age 59 (Figure 2.38). The highest age-specific rate for white persons was 59.5 deaths per 100,000 population in the age group 65-69 years. For other than white persons the peak rate (112.2) was reached at a much earlier age (45-49 years).

Cirrhosis of the liver was the cause of death for 7.9 of every 100,000 Michigan residents in 1900. Mortality rates specific to this cause of death rose to a peak of 13.1 in 1916. The relative frequency of cirrhosis of the liver deaths then fell sharply, dropping to 7.4 in 1919. The Michigan rates held stable from this point until 1936 when they began increasing slowly. A peak of 12.4 was reached by 1948. The statistics

TABLE 2.39
Deaths Due to Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis by Age, Race, and Sex,
Michigan Residents, 1979

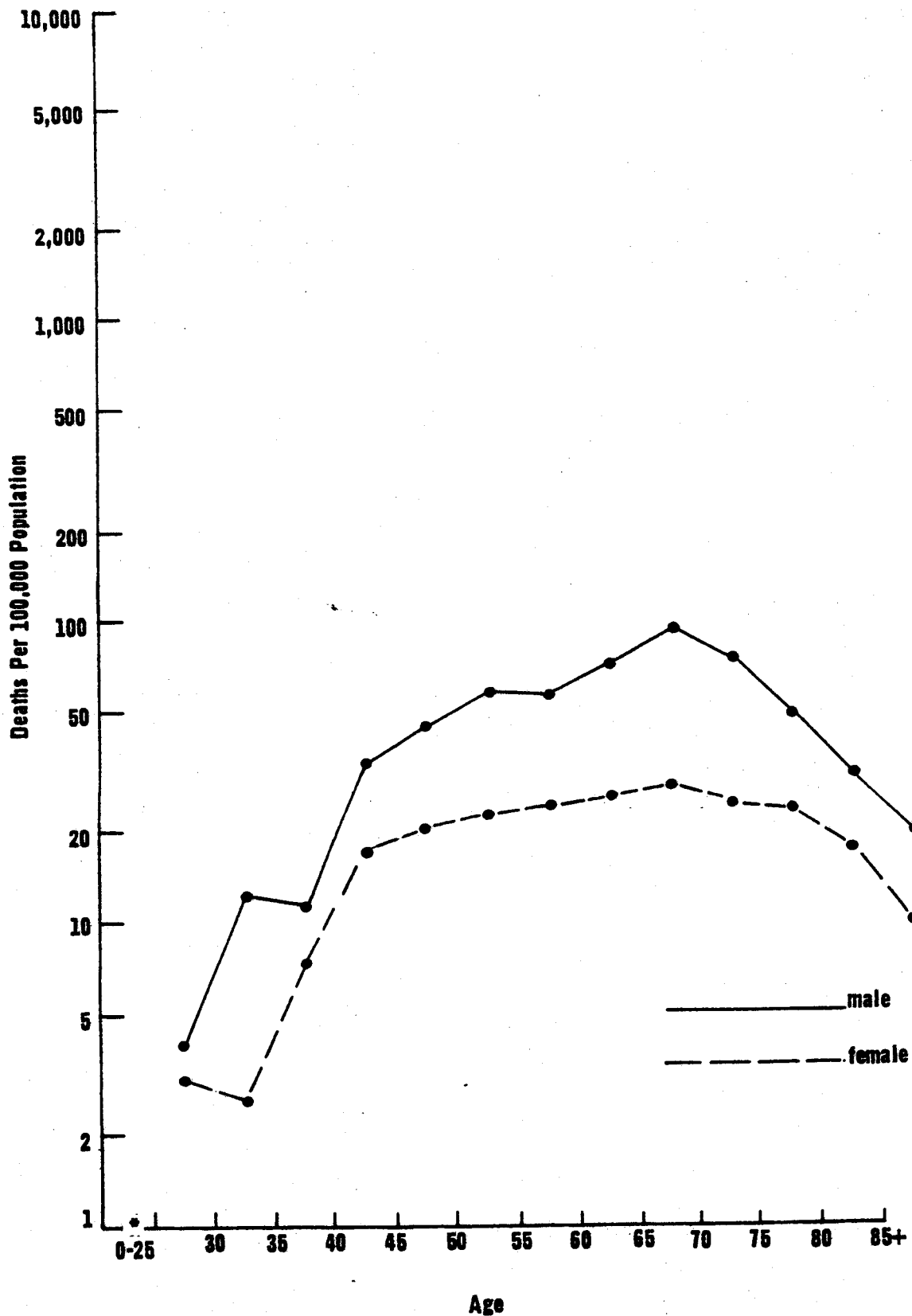
AGE	ALL RACES			WHITE			ALL OTHER			RACE NOT STATED		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
	Under 1 Year.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1-4 Years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5-9 Years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10-14 Years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19 Years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20-24 Years.....	4	2	2	3	1	2	1	1	-	-	-	-
25-29 Years.....	20	10	10	5	3	2	14	6	8	1	1	-
30-34 Years.....	49	40	9	16	15	1	33	25	8	-	-	-
35-39 Years.....	57	37	20	24	17	7	33	20	13	-	-	-
40-44 Years.....	109	76	33	64	44	20	45	32	13	-	-	-
45-49 Years.....	139	98	41	81	55	26	58	43	15	-	-	-
50-54 Years.....	213	151	62	147	104	43	66	47	19	-	-	-
55-59 Years.....	196	133	63	149	100	49	46	33	13	-	-	-
60-64 Years.....	198	141	57	178	130	48	20	11	9	-	-	-
65-69 Years.....	181	134	47	159	120	39	22	14	8	-	-	-
70-74 Years.....	99	68	31	85	59	26	14	9	5	-	-	-
75-79 Years.....	57	33	24	53	32	21	4	1	3	-	-	-
80-84 Years.....	32	17	15	31	17	14	1	-	1	-	-	-
85-89 Years.....	10	6	4	9	5	4	1	1	-	-	-	-
90 and Over.....	3	1	2	3	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Not Stated.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All Ages	1,367	947	420	1,007	703	304	358	243	115	2	1	1
Median Age at Last Birthday	57	56	57	60	60	60	49	49	50	*	*	*

Table 2.40 - Death Rates for Deaths Due to Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis, by Age, Race, and Sex, Michigan Residents 1979

Age	All Races			White			Other Than White		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
	All Ages-Crude Rate	14.8	20.9	9.0	12.7	18.0	7.6	28.2	39.5	17.6
Under 1 Year	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
1-4 Years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
5-9 Years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
10-14 Years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
15-19 Years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
20-24 Years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
25-29 Years	3.4	3.9	3.0	1.2	*	*	17.8	18.1	17.6
30-34 Years	7.2	12.2	2.6	2.7	5.2	*	38.7	66.7	16.8
35-39 Years	9.4	11.3	7.2	4.6	5.9	2.9	40.8	50.7	31.3
40-44 Years	26.4	34.5	17.1	17.8	22.7	12.0	83.9	119.9	48.2
45-49 Years	32.9	44.6	20.2	21.8	28.5	14.6	112.2	161.6	59.8
50-54 Years	40.7	58.2	23.5	31.8	45.3	18.5	107.5	155.2	61.1
55-59 Years	39.7	56.0	24.5	34.1	47.4	21.9	83.7	124.3	45.7
60-64 Years	48.8	73.2	26.8	49.5	76.1	25.4	43.7	50.8	37.3
65-69 Years	59.3	94.1	28.9	59.5	96.8	27.3	58.0	75.9	41.0
70-74 Years	46.5	73.4	25.7	44.7	72.2	24.0	60.6	82.3	41.1
75-79 Years	34.3	49.5	24.1	34.7	52.6	22.8	*	*	*
80-84 Years	23.1	31.3	17.8	24.2	34.2	17.9	*	*	*
85 and Over	14.1	20.9	10.3	14.4	20.2	11.3	*	*	*
Age-Adjusted Rate ¹	14.3	20.5	8.5	11.4	16.7	6.6	34.7	48.7	21.3

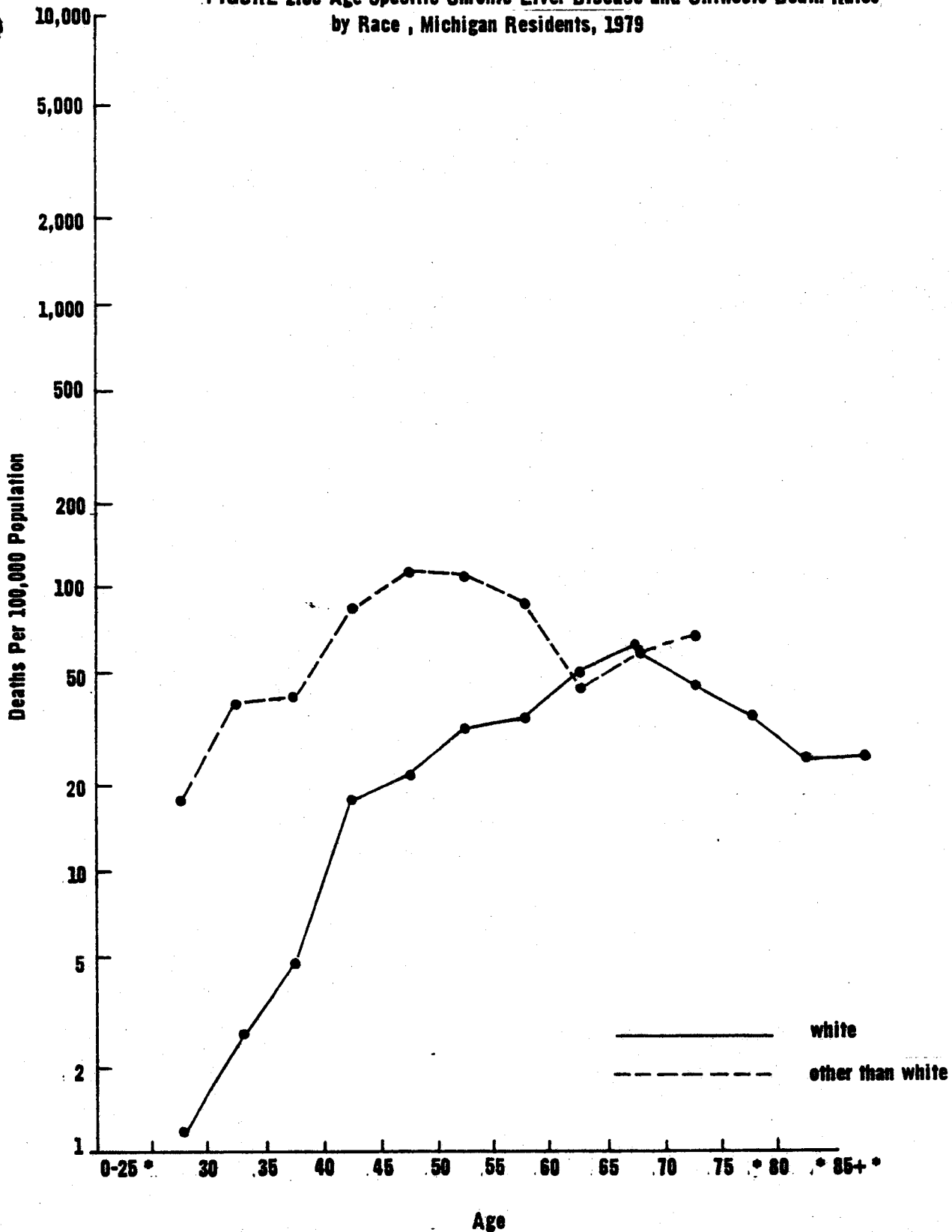
¹Based on age-specific death rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Computed by the direct method, using as the standard population the age distribution of the total population of the United States as enumerated in 1940; see technical notes.

FIGURE 2.37 Age-Specific Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis Death Rates¹ by Sex, Michigan Residents, 1979



¹ - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

**FIGURE 2.38 Age-Specific Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis Death Rates¹
by Race, Michigan Residents, 1979**



¹ - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

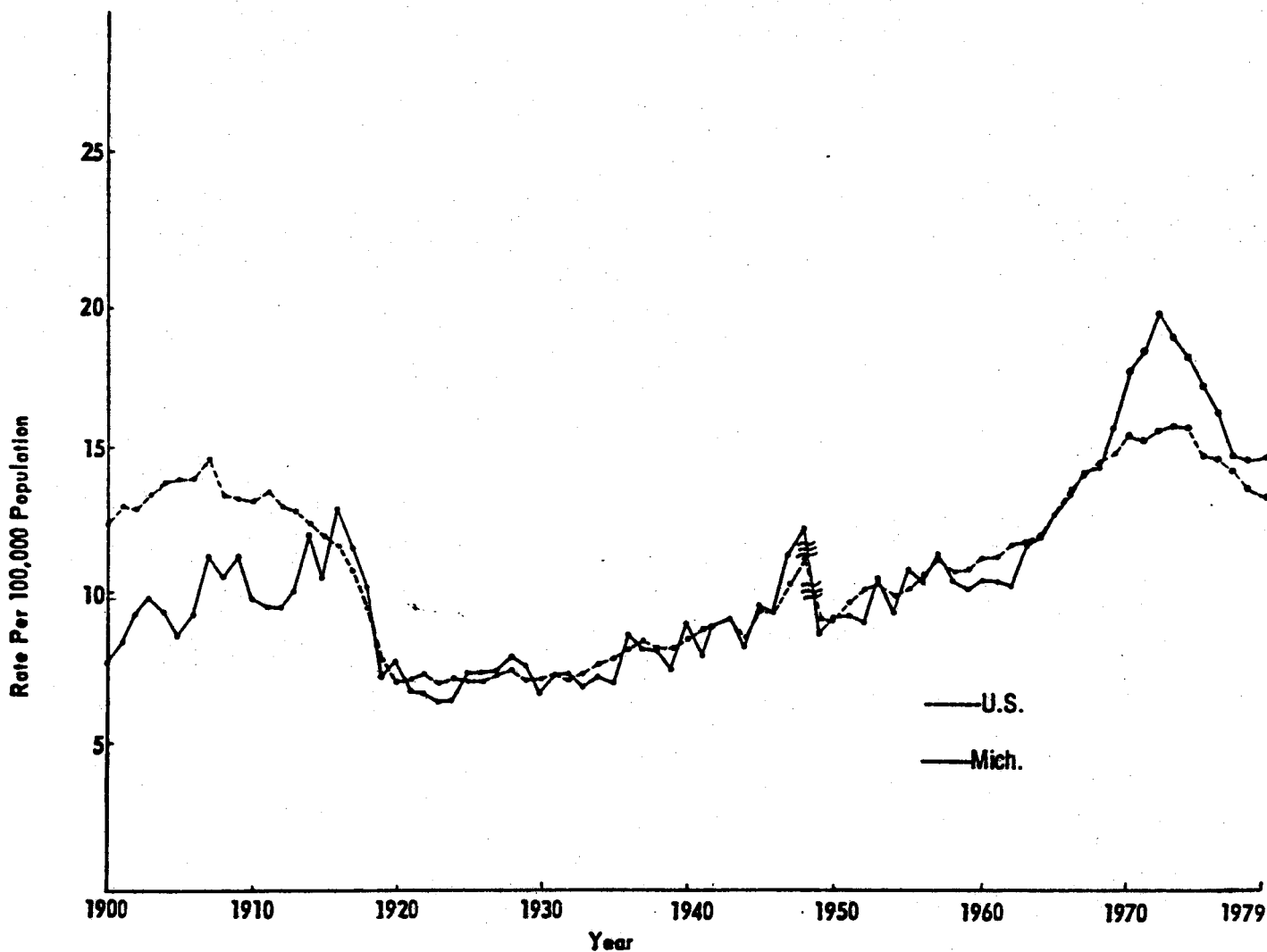
shown in Figure 2.39 after 1948 are not comparable with preceding years, due to a revision of underlying cause of death determination. By isolating the period 1950-1979, this problem can be ignored. Michigan's mortality rate for this disease increased between 1950 and 1972 and has been decreasing since 1972. The rate of 14.7 in 1978 was 25 percent below the rate of 19.7 in 1972. The rate of 14.8 for chronic liver disease and cirrhosis in 1979 is slightly below the adjusted rate of 14.9 for 1978 (see Table 2.7).

The cirrhosis of the liver mortality rate for the United States was well above Michigan's rate early in this century. The highest rate for the nation in the 1900-1948 period occurred in 1907. The rates for Michigan were similar to those of the nation from about 1916 through 1968. Between 1968 and 1972, rates for Michigan rose above those for the nation. The sharp drop in Michigan's rate since 1972 has brought the statistic for the state closer to the national figure. In 1979 the chronic liver disease and cirrhosis death rate of 14.8 for Michigan, nevertheless, was 8.8 percent above the provisional rate of 13.6 for the nation.

Age-adjusted rates by sex and race for chronic liver disease and cirrhosis in the 1970's are recorded in Table 2.41. These rates generally peaked about 1972 in Michigan and have tended to decline since then. For the U.S. the increases observed in the early part of the decade were less pronounced, as were the declines after that time. The rates in Michigan for other than white males have been substantially higher than for all other groups, including the rates for other than white males observed nationally. The rates for other than white females in Michigan have also been considerably higher than the comparable rates for the nation. Rates for white males and females in Michigan remained slightly higher in 1978 than rates for these groups nationally. The age-adjusted rate for the total population of Michigan in 1979 was 16.3 percent above the provisional rate for the United States.

Cirrhosis of the liver without mention of alcohol was the most frequently reported cause of deaths due to chronic liver disease and cirrhosis in 1979, resulting in 710 deaths (Table 2.42). The second largest category was alcoholic cirrhosis of the liver with 337 deaths. There were 164 deaths attributed to other chronic nonalcoholic liver

FIGURE 2.39—Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis¹ Death Rates Michigan and United States Residents, ²1900-1979³



¹ Prior to 1979 termed Cirrhosis of liver.

² National rates are from death registration states for 1900-1932 and the United States for 1932-1979; U. S. rate for 1979 is provisional.

³ The comparability of cirrhosis of the liver death rates from the 5th revision of the ICDA coding procedures with those of the 6th revision is considered weak. The comparability ratio is estimated to be .80. The 6th revision was adopted in 1949 for national cause-of-death statistics and in 1950 for Michigan statistics. The comparability of cirrhosis of the liver death rates through the 6th, 7th, 8th, and 9th revisions (1949 to date nationally and 1950 to date in Michigan) is high. General comparison before and after these dates of adoption can be made but detailed study require special consideration. See Technical Notes.

TABLE 2.41

Age-Adjusted Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis¹ Death Rates² by Race and Sex,
Michigan and United States Residents, 1970-1979

Place	Year	ALL RACES			WHITE			OTHER THAN WHITE		
		Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Michigan	1970	17.7	24.9	11.2	15.5	21.9	9.7	35.0	48.8	22.6
	1971	18.7	25.6	12.3	16.2	22.1	10.8	37.9	53.4	23.9
	1972	19.8	27.8	12.6	17.0	24.4	10.3	41.7	54.9	29.5
	1973	18.9	26.6	11.8	16.4	23.2	10.1	37.8	53.0	23.9
	1974	17.9	25.5	11.0	14.8	21.3	8.8	42.1	58.7	26.7
	1975	17.3	23.5	11.5	14.4	19.9	9.4	38.1	51.2	25.9
	1976	16.1	22.6	10.1	13.7	19.5	8.4	33.7	46.1	21.9
	1977	14.6	20.2	9.5	12.2	17.3	7.5	32.2	41.4	23.5
	1978	14.2	19.1	9.6	12.0	16.4	8.0	29.6	39.3	20.5
	1979	14.3	20.5	8.5	11.4	16.7	6.6	34.7	48.7	21.3
U.S.	1970	14.7	20.2	9.8	13.4	18.8	8.7	23.8	31.3	17.4
	1971	14.7	20.4	9.8	13.5	18.9	8.8	24.3	32.2	17.5
	1972	14.9	20.8	9.6	13.5	19.1	8.6	25.4	35.1	17.2
	1973	15.0	20.9	9.9	13.7	19.3	8.7	25.3	33.9	18.0
	1974	14.8	20.7	9.7	13.4	19.0	8.6	25.0	34.0	17.4
	1975	13.8	19.5	8.9	12.6	17.9	7.9	23.1	32.1	15.5
	1976	13.6	19.1	8.7	12.3	17.5	7.7	23.1	32.3	15.4
	1977	13.1	18.4	8.4	11.8	16.7	7.5	22.5	31.4	15.0
	1978	12.5	17.6	8.1	11.3	16.1	7.2	21.0	29.1	14.3
	1979	12.3Pr.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

1 - For years 1970-1978 this category was termed cirrhosis of the liver.

2 - Based on age-specific death rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Computed by the direct method, using as the standard population the age distribution of the total population of the United States as enumerated in 1940; see Technical Notes.

TABLE 2.42 - Deaths Due to Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis by Detailed Cause
Michigan Residents, 1979

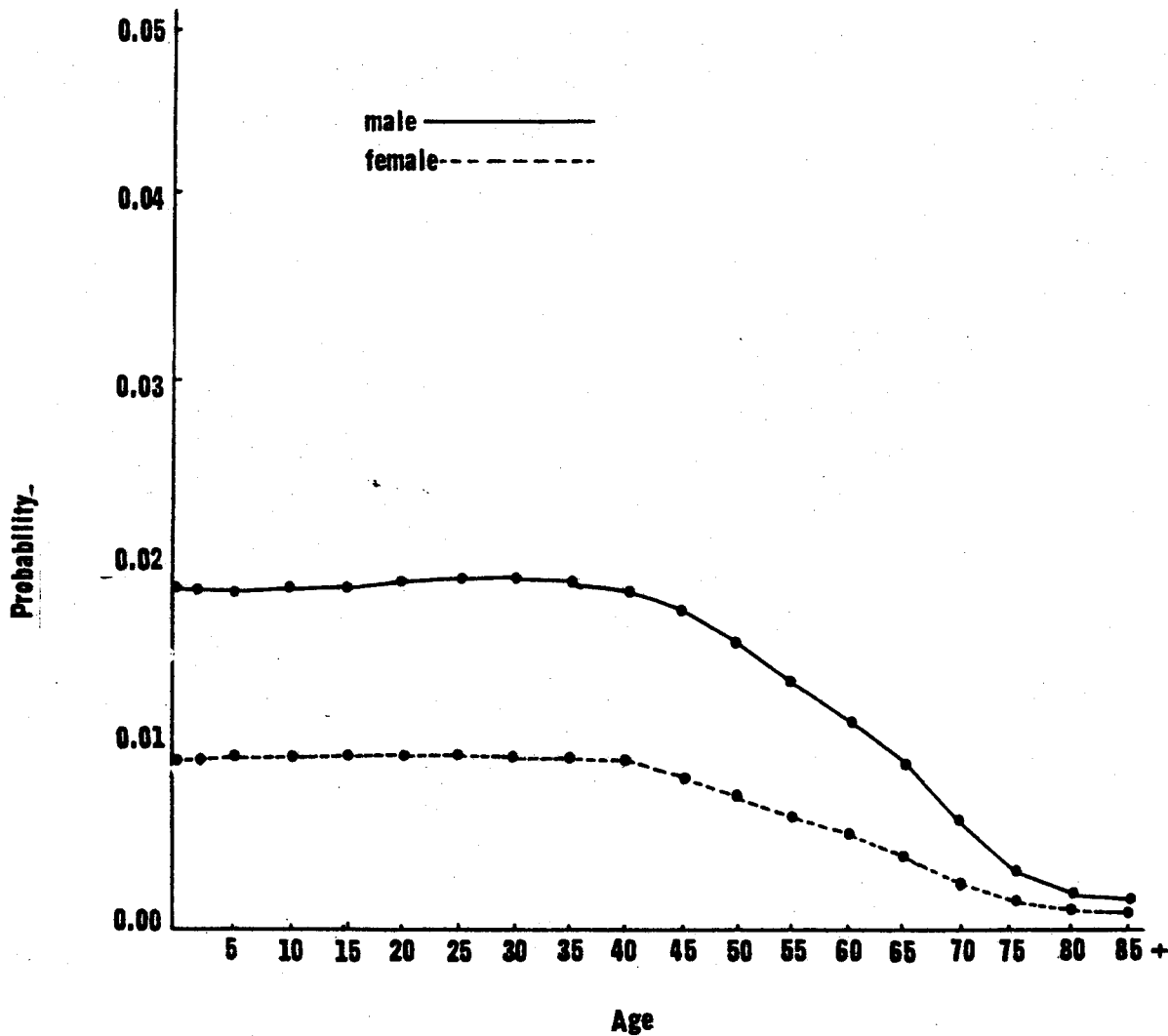
ICD LIST ¹ NUMBER	CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER OF DEATHS	PERCENT
571.5	Cirrhosis of Liver Without Mention of Alcohol	710	51.9
571.2	Alcoholic Cirrhosis of Liver	337	24.7
571.8	Other Chronic Nonalcoholic Liver Disease	164	12.0
571.3	Alcoholic Liver Damage, Unspecified	53	3.9
571.0	Alcoholic Fatty Liver	40	2.9
571.1	Acute Alcoholic Hepatitis	25	1.8
571.4	Chronic Hepatitis	19	1.4
571.6	Biliary Cirrhosis	14	1.0
571.9	Unspecified Chronic Liver Disease Without Mention of Alcohol	5	0.4
	TOTAL	1,367	100.0

¹Detailed List of the 9th Revision of the International Classification of Diseases, WHO.

disease. Including deaths due to alcoholic cirrhosis of the liver, alcoholic fatty liver, acute alcoholic hepatitis, and unspecified alcoholic liver damage, there were 455 deaths with mention of alcohol attributed to the category of chronic liver disease and cirrhosis. The total number of alcohol related deaths in 1979 was 603. This figure includes 10 deaths due to alcoholic psychoses, 104 due to alcohol dependence syndrome, 29 due to nondependent abuse of alcohol, and an additional 5 deaths due to accidental poisoning by alcohol.

The probability of eventually dying from chronic liver disease and cirrhosis, based upon Michigan mortality data from the years 1977-1979, is displayed in Figure 2.40-by age and sex. This graph reveals that the risk for males of dying from a disease in this category is consistently about double that for females. At birth, males have a probability of 0.019 of eventually dying from chronic liver disease and cirrhosis. For females the probability is 0.010. These probabilities remain nearly constant for both sexes through age 40, whereupon the threat of death due to these diseases diminishes with advancing age. By age 85, the risk is 0.001 for females and 0.002 for males.

FIGURE 2.40 - Probability of Eventually Dying from Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis¹ by Age and Sex, Michigan Residents 1977-1979²



¹ This category was termed cirrhosis of the liver in 1977 and 1978.

² Note: Should comparisons be desired between this graph and a similar graph contained herein that pertains to some other specified cause of death, differences in scale may be encountered.

ATHEROSCLEROSIS

There were a total of 1,173 Michigan resident deaths attributed to atherosclerosis in 1979, making this cause the 9th leading cause of death in the state. (Atherosclerosis is the 9th Revision term for the category most nearly comparable to arteriosclerosis under the 8th Revision). Six out of every ten deaths due to this cause in 1979 were to females, while 44.7 percent of all deaths were to females. Only 73 of the 1,173 deaths were to other than white persons. This is 6.2 percent of all atherosclerosis deaths, while 12.8 percent of all deaths were to other than white persons.

The majority of the atherosclerosis deaths were to persons of advanced ages. The median age of all deaths resulting from this disease was 84 years. The median age at death for males was 4 years lower than for females, and the median for other than white persons was 7 years lower than for white persons (Table 2.43).

Atherosclerosis resulted in 12.7 deaths per 100,000 Michigan residents in 1979. Although this is slightly higher than the rate of 12.5 observed for arteriosclerosis in 1978, the apparent increase is wholly due to the change in coding classification from the 8th Revision ICDA to the 9th Revision ICD (see Table 2.7). The 1979 rate of 12.7 is actually 4.5 percent below the adjusted 1978 rate of 13.3.

Deaths to females from this disease were relatively more frequent than for males with crude mortality rates of 15.0 and 10.4 respectively (Table 2.44). The age-adjusted rate for males, however, was 17 percent higher than that for females. Age-specific atherosclerosis death rates rose sharply beyond age 69 for persons of both sexes. Rates for males were generally at or above those for females, except in the oldest age group, where the rate for females exceeded by 23 percent that for males (Figure 2.41).

The crude rate for deaths due to atherosclerosis for white persons was 2.4 times that for other than white persons. However, when the differing age distributions of the two groups are considered, the differential is greatly reduced. The age-adjusted rate of 5.7 for whites is 21 percent above the rate of 4.7 for other than white persons. Age-specific rates were lower for white persons before age 70 and higher for white persons beyond age 79. The largest differential was observed in the oldest age group, where the

TABLE 2.43
Deaths Due to Atherosclerosis by Age, Race, and Sex,
Michigan Residents, 1979

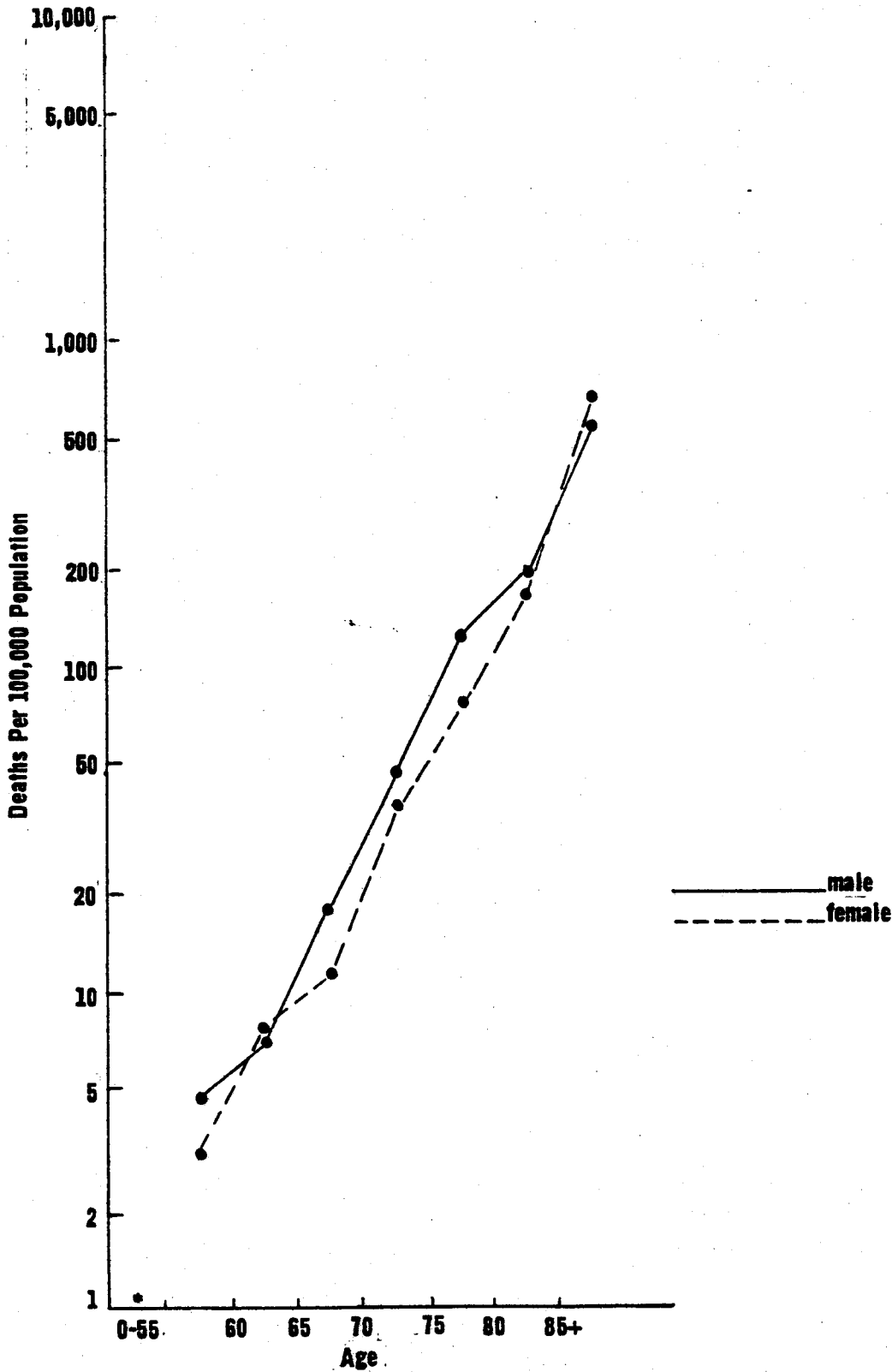
AGE	ALL RACES			WHITE			ALL OTHER			RACE NOT STATED		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
	Under 1 Year.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1-4 Years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5-9 Years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10-14 Years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19 Years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20-24 Years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25-29 Years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
30-34 Years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35-39 Years.....	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
40-44 Years.....	2	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45-49 Years.....	3	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	-	1	-	-
50-54 Years.....	19	11	8	11	7	4	8	4	4	4	-	-
55-59 Years.....	29	13	16	23	10	13	6	3	3	3	-	-
60-64 Years.....	43	25	18	37	22	15	6	3	3	3	-	-
65-69 Years.....	89	43	46	83	40	43	6	3	3	3	-	-
70-74 Years.....	161	83	78	146	75	71	15	8	7	7	-	-
75-79 Years.....	245	104	141	232	96	136	13	8	5	5	-	-
80-84 Years.....	294	106	188	282	104	178	11	2	9	9	-	1
85-89 Years.....	287	79	208	280	76	204	7	3	4	4	-	-
90 and Over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Not Stated.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All Ages	1,173	469	704	1,099	434	665	73	35	38	1	-	1
Median Age at Last Birthday	84	82	86	85	83	86	78	77	78	*	*	*

Table 2.44
Atherosclerosis Death Rates by Age, Race, and Sex,
Michigan Residents, 1979

Age	All Races			White			Other than White		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
All Ages-Crude Rate	12.7	10.4	15.0	13.9	11.1	16.5	5.8	5.7	5.8
0-49 Years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
50-54 Years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
55-59 Years	3.8	4.6	3.1	2.5	3.3	*	14.5	*	*
60-64 Years	7.2	6.8	7.5	6.4	5.9	6.9	13.1	*	*
65-69 Years	14.1	17.6	11.1	13.9	17.8	10.5	15.8	*	*
70-74 Years	41.8	46.4	38.2	43.7	49.0	39.7	26.0	*	*
75-79 Years	96.9	124.6	78.3	95.5	123.2	77.2	112.1	139.5	91.6
80-84 Years	176.7	191.6	167.1	181.4	192.9	174.1	120.7	177.2	79.9
85 and Over	632.3	551.2	678.9	675.9	598.9	719.3	209.5	142.5	255.7
Age-Adjusted Rate ¹	5.6	6.1	5.2	5.7	6.1	5.3	4.7	5.4	4.2

¹Based on age-specific death rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Computed by the direct method, using as the standard population the age distribution of the total population of the United States as enumerated in 1940; see technical notes.

**FIGURE 2.41 Age-specific Atherosclerosis Death Rates¹ by Sex,
Michigan Residents, 1979**



1 - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

rate for white persons was 3.2 times that of other than white persons (Figure 2.42).

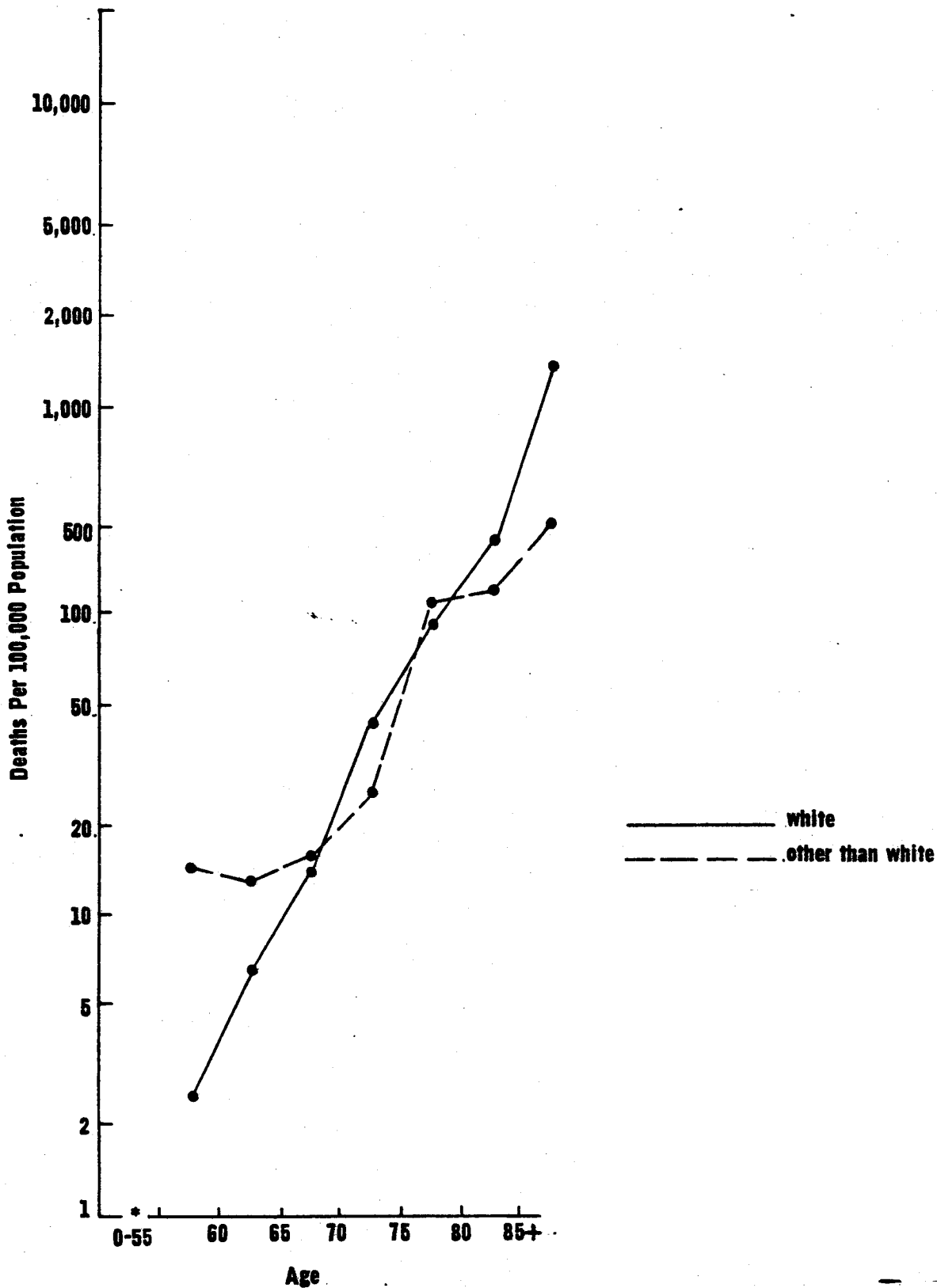
Inspection of arteriosclerosis death rates since 1900 is far less informative than study of the historical data for other causes of death. The classification of this disease has been significantly altered several times since the inception of the ICD codes (see footnote of Figure 2.43). What can be seen in Figure 2.43 is a strong rise from 1900 to 1912. Rates in Michigan and the nation then stabilized and began declining through 1929. A coding revision then breaks comparability with 1930 rates. The arteriosclerosis death rates from 1930 to 1948 show no clear direction. From 1949 to 1967 the rates for the nation held fairly stable while in Michigan the rates dropped and then returned to national levels. Since 1968 the death rates due to arteriosclerosis in Michigan have been below national rates.

Age-adjusted death rates have declined for all population groups in Michigan and the United States through the 1970's (Table 2.45). The rates for Michigan residents were generally lower than those for the nation, with Michigan's rates for other than white persons falling substantially below the comparable rates for the nation. Rates for other than white persons were markedly lower than those for white persons in Michigan and somewhat lower in the nation.

Nearly all atherosclerosis deaths are reported as generalized and/or unspecified as to type. Only 69 of the 1,173 deaths were in other classifications. Of these, 66 were attributed to atherosclerosis of arteries of the extremities (Table 2.46).

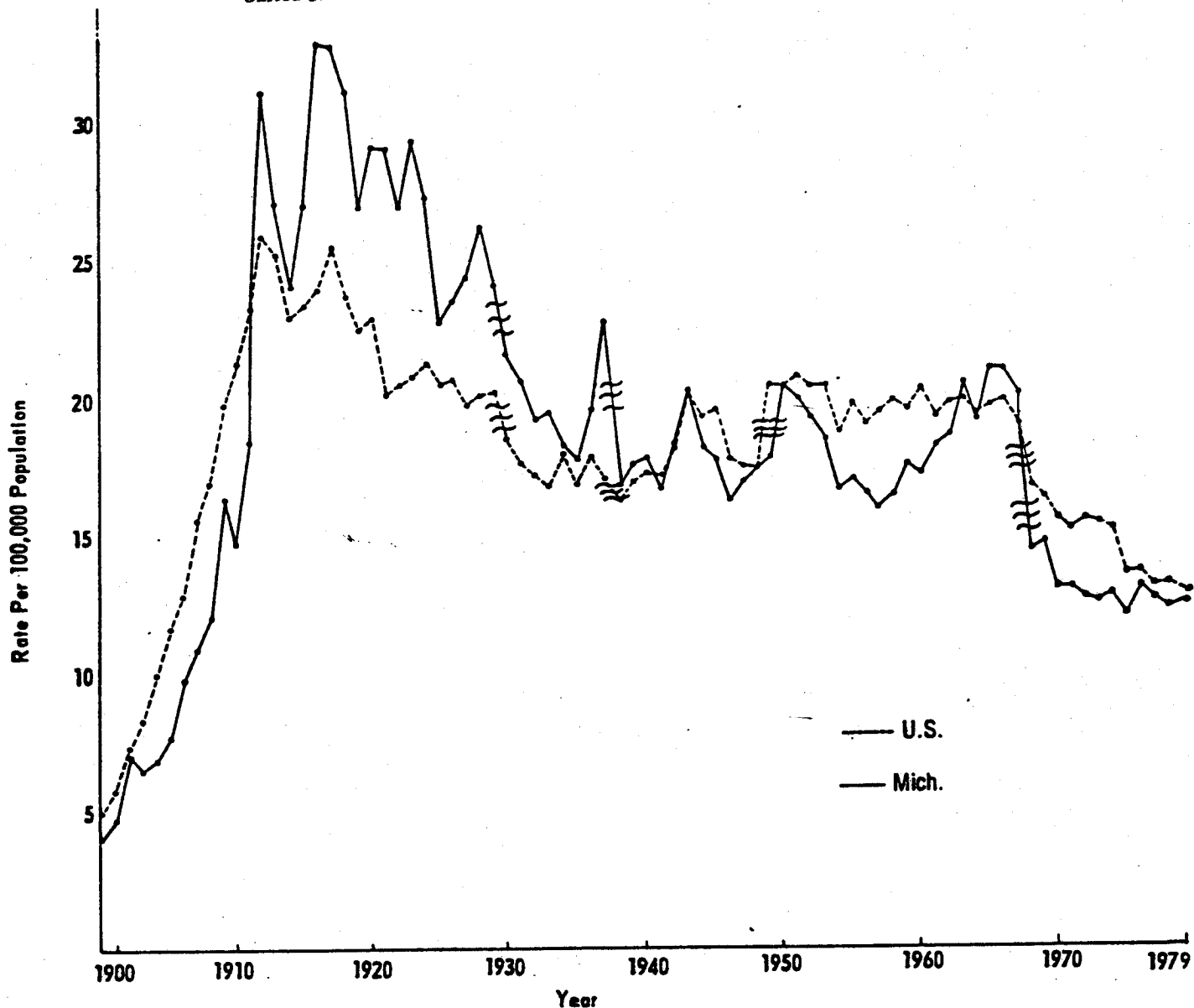
The 1977 through 1979 mortality data for Michigan indicate that females are more likely to eventually die from atherosclerosis than males. At birth, the likelihood for females is 0.028, while for males it is 0.015. These probabilities rise slowly through age 50 and increase rapidly beyond that age. By age 85, the probability of eventually dying from atherosclerosis is 0.050 for females and 0.042 for males (Figure 2.44).

FIGURE 2.42 - Age-Specific Atherosclerosis Death Rates¹ by Race, Michigan Residents, 1979



¹ - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

FIGURE 2.43 - Atherosclerosis¹ Death Rates, Michigan and United States Residents,² 1900-1979.³



1 Prior to 1979 termed Arteriosclerosis

2 National rates are from death registration states for 1900-1932 and the United States for 1933-1979; U. S. rate for 1979 is provisional.

3 Although Michigan and United States arteriosclerosis death rates are comparable for any given year, changes in the International Classification of Diseases over the years have made historic comparison of these rates extremely difficult. Comparability breaks are especially pronounced in the 1930, 1939, 1949 and 1968 revisions. Analysis of arteriosclerosis death rates over the time period 1900-1979 requires detailed study to maintain comparability.

TABLE 2.45

Age-Adjusted Atherosclerosis¹ Death Rates² by Race and Sex,
Michigan and United States Residents, 1970-1979³

Place	Year	ALL RACES			WHITE			OTHER THAN WHITE		
		Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Michigan	1970	8.0	8.8	7.3	8.1	9.0	7.3	6.2	6.4	5.9
	1971	7.9	8.9	7.1	8.1	9.2	7.3	4.6	4.6	4.5
	1972	7.3	8.6	6.4	7.6	9.0	6.6	4.1	4.0	4.1
	1973	7.1	8.1	6.3	7.4	8.6	6.4	4.0	3.4	4.5
	1974	7.0	7.6	6.5	7.3	8.0	6.7	3.8	3.7	3.8
	1975	6.1	6.7	5.6	6.3	6.9	5.8	3.9	4.5	3.3
	1976	6.1	7.1	5.3	6.5	7.6	5.6	2.5	2.8	2.3
	1977	5.9	6.4	5.4	6.1	6.7	5.6	3.1	2.9	3.2
	1978	5.6	6.0	5.2	5.8	6.3	5.4	3.5	3.9	3.3
	1979	5.6	6.1	5.2	5.7	6.1	5.3	4.7	5.4	4.2
U.S.	1970	8.4	9.5	7.5	8.4	9.6	7.5	8.2	9.1	7.5
	1971	8.2	9.0	7.6	8.3	9.1	7.6	7.9	8.4	7.5
	1972	8.2	9.3	7.4	8.2	9.3	7.4	8.4	9.6	7.5
	1973	8.0	8.9	7.3	8.0	9.0	7.2	7.8	8.5	7.2
	1974	7.6	8.6	6.9	7.6	8.7	6.9	7.3	8.2	6.6
	1975	6.6	7.5	5.9	6.6	7.5	5.9	6.1	7.0	5.4
	1976	6.4	7.3	5.8	6.5	7.4	5.8	5.7	6.2	5.3
	1977	6.2	7.1	5.5	6.2	7.2	5.5	5.7	6.4	5.1
	1978	6.0	6.8	5.3	6.0	6.9	5.4	5.6	6.2	5.0
	1979	Pr. 5.6	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

¹For years 1970-1978 the category was termed arteriosclerosis.

² - Based on age-specific death rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Computed by the direct method, using as the standard population the age distribution of the total population of the United States as enumerated in 1940; see Technical Notes.

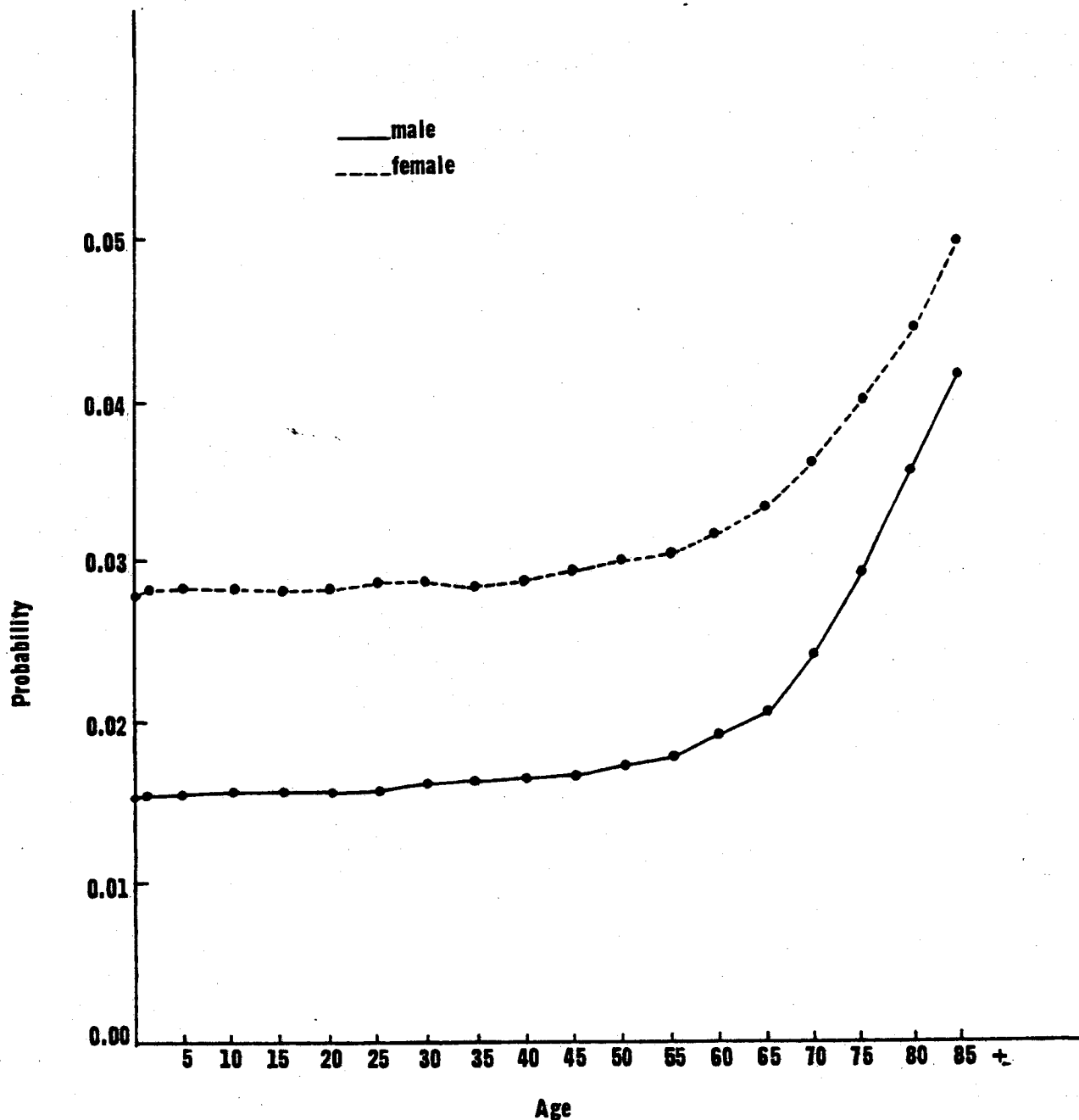
³ - The introduction in 1979 of the 9th Revision of the International Classification of Diseases for coding causes of death resulted in substantial changes in this category, making trend comparisons difficult. The estimated comparability ratio for this category is 1.0649. Note that comparability ratios were developed for comparing crude death rates, and they are not strictly applicable for comparing age-adjusted death rates. For further discussion of comparability ratios see Qualifications and Limitations of Data and Calculations.

TABLE 2.46 - Deaths Due to Atherosclerosis by Detailed Cause,
Michigan Residents, 1979

ICD LIST ¹ NUMBER	CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER OF DEATHS	PERCENT
440.9	Generalized and Unspecified Atherosclerosis	1,104	94.1
440.2	Atherosclerosis of Arteries of the Extremities	66	5.6
440.0	Atherosclerosis of Aorta	1	0.1
440.1	Atherosclerosis of Renal Artery	1	0.1
440.8	Atherosclerosis of Other Specified Arteries	1	0.1
	TOTAL	1,173	100.0

¹Detailed List of the 9th Revision of the International Classification of Diseases, WHO.

FIGURE 2.44 - Probability of Eventually Dying from Atherosclerosis¹ by Age and Sex, Michigan Residents, 1977-1979²



1 This category was termed arteriosclerosis in 1977 and 1978.

2 Note: Should comparisons be desired between this graph and a similar graph contained herein that pertains to some other specified cause of death, differences in scale may be encountered.

SUICIDE

There were a total of 1,143 suicide deaths in 1979, making suicide the 10th leading cause of death. Seventy-four percent of the deaths resulting from suicide were to males. About 88 percent of all suicide deaths were to white persons.

Fifty percent of all suicide deaths occurred at or below the age of 38. The median age of death for males was 37 years, 4 years below that for females. The median ages at death for white males and females were 38 and 43 years respectively. For other than white males the median age at death was 32 years and for other than white females, 36 years (Table 2.47).

The crude suicide death rate in 1979 was 12.4 per 100,000 population. The crude rate for males (18.7) was three times that for females (6.3). Age-specific rates for males were higher in all age groups (Table 2.48 and Figure 2.45). While suicide rates for males were highest among men in their twenties and those aged 65 or over, the rates for females were highest between ages 35 and 64 and declined in the older age groups. The suicide death rate for males 65 or over was nearly 7 times the comparable rate for females (34.7 deaths and 5.1 deaths per 100,000 population, respectively).

The crude suicide death rate for the white population was 18.7 percent higher than that for the other than white population. The age-adjusted rate for white persons was 10.3 percent higher than that for other than white persons. Age-specific rates by race from Table 2.48 are displayed in Figure 2.46. Age-specific rates for white and other than white persons were similar through age 44, beyond which age the rates for white persons were consistently higher. The suicide death rate for the other than white population aged 65 or over was 10.7, well below the comparable rate for white persons of 18.5. For males over age 64 the differential by race was even more pronounced. For white males over age 64 the suicide death rate was about double the comparable rate for other than white males (36.7 compared to 18.5).

The suicide death rates of Michigan and the United States followed a cyclical path from 1900 to 1944. There were two complete cycles of rising then falling rates in that

TABLE 2.47
Deaths Due to Suicide by Age, Race, and Sex,
Michigan Residents, 1979

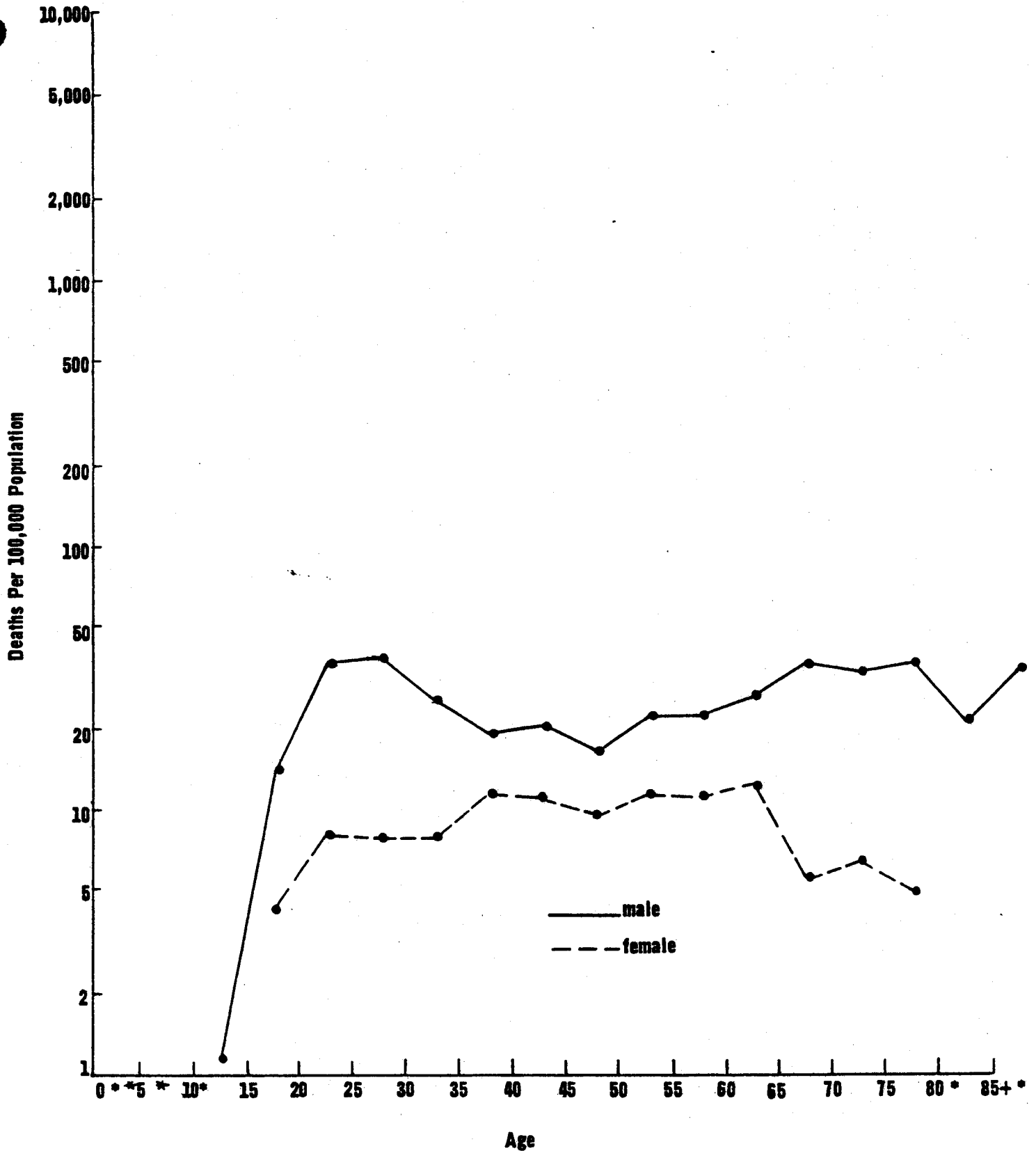
AGE	ALL RACES			WHITE			ALL OTHER			RACE NOT STATED		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
	Under 1 Year.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1-4 Years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5-9 Years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10-14 Years.....	8	5	3	6	4	2	2	1	1	1	-	-
15-19 Years.....	86	67	19	75	59	16	10	7	3	3	-	-
20-24 Years.....	170	138	32	137	111	26	33	27	6	6	-	-
25-29 Years.....	122	96	26	105	83	22	16	13	3	3	-	-
30-34 Years.....	115	88	27	100	76	24	15	12	3	3	-	-
35-39 Years.....	98	65	33	86	58	28	12	7	5	5	-	-
40-44 Years.....	70	48	22	60	42	18	10	6	4	4	-	-
45-49 Years.....	56	37	19	50	32	18	5	5	2	2	-	-
50-54 Years.....	92	61	31	84	55	29	8	6	3	3	-	-
55-59 Years.....	84	55	29	75	49	26	9	6	2	2	-	-
60-64 Years.....	80	53	27	74	49	25	6	4	2	2	-	-
65-69 Years.....	63	54	9	58	50	8	5	4	1	1	-	-
70-74 Years.....	40	32	8	38	30	8	2	2	-	-	-	-
75-79 Years.....	30	25	5	29	24	5	1	1	-	-	-	-
80-84 Years.....	15	12	3	15	12	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
85-89 Years.....	12	11	1	11	10	1	1	1	-	-	-	-
90 and Over.....	2	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Not Stated.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All Ages	1,143	848	295	1,004	745	259	136	102	34	3	1	2
Median Age at Last Birthday	38	37	41	39	38	43	32	32	36	*	*	*

Table 2.48 - Suicide Death Rates by Age, Race, and Sex,
Michigan Residents, 1979

Age	All Races			White			Other Than White		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
	All Ages-Crude Rate	12.4	18.7	6.3	12.7	19.1	6.5	10.7	16.6	5.2
Under 1 Year	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
1-4 Years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
5-9 Years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
10-14 Years	0.9	1.1	*	0.8	*	*	*	*	*
15-19 Years	9.2	14.2	4.1	9.7	15.1	4.1	6.6	9.4	*
20-24 Years	21.7	36.0	8.0	20.8	34.5	7.7	26.1	43.5	9.3
25-29 Years	20.8	37.7	7.8	20.8	37.5	8.0	20.3	39.2	*
30-34 Years	17.0	26.8	7.8	16.9	26.1	8.0	17.6	32.0	*
35-39 Years	16.1	19.8	11.8	16.3	20.1	11.8	14.8	17.8	12.0
40-44 Years	16.9	21.8	11.4	16.7	21.7	10.8	18.6	22.5	*
45-49 Years	13.2	16.8	9.4	13.7	16.6	10.7	9.7	18.8	*
50-54 Years	17.6	23.5	11.7	18.2	24.0	12.5	13.0	19.8	*
55-59 Years	17.0	23.1	11.3	17.1	23.2	11.4	16.4	22.6	*
60-64 Years	19.7	27.5	12.7	20.6	28.7	13.2	13.1	*	*
65-69 Years	20.7	37.9	5.5	21.7	40.3	5.6	13.2	*	*
70-74 Years	18.8	34.6	6.6	20.0	36.7	7.4	*	*	*
75-79 Years	18.0	37.5	5.0	19.0	39.4	5.4	*	*	*
80-84 Years	10.8	22.1	*	11.7	24.1	*	*	*	*
85 and Over	15.2	35.8	*	14.4	36.6	*	*	*	*
Age-Adjusted Rate ¹	12.7	19.5	6.6	12.9	19.6	6.7	11.7	18.6	5.5

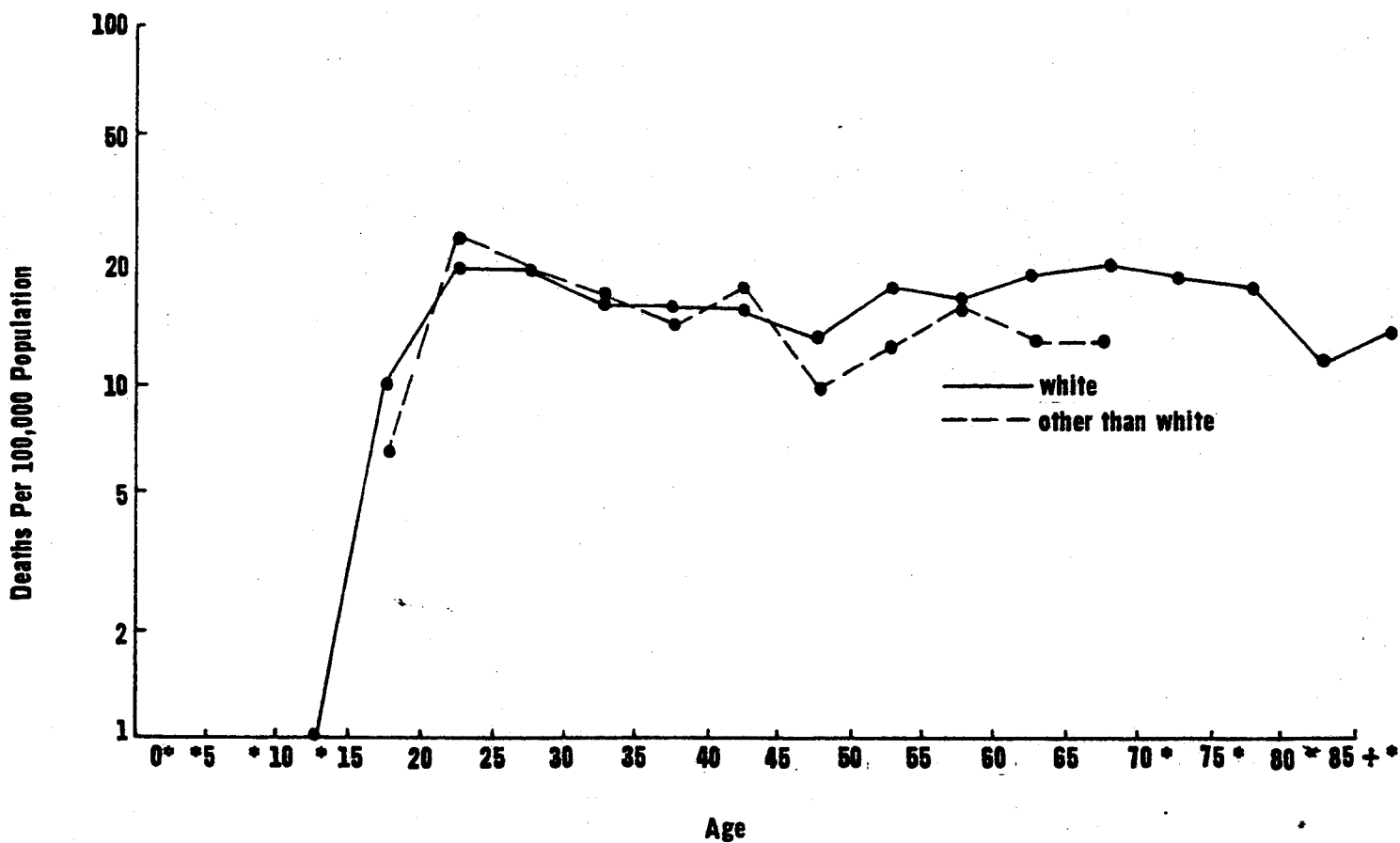
¹Based on age-specific death rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Computed by the direct method, using as the standard population the age distribution of the total population of the United States as enumerated in 1940; see technical notes.

FIGURE 2.45 Age-Specific Suicide Death Rates¹ by Sex, Michigan Residents, 1979



1 - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

**FIGURE 2.46 Age-Specific Suicide Death Rates¹ by Race,
Michigan Residents, 1979**



1 - Note that death rates are shown on a logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

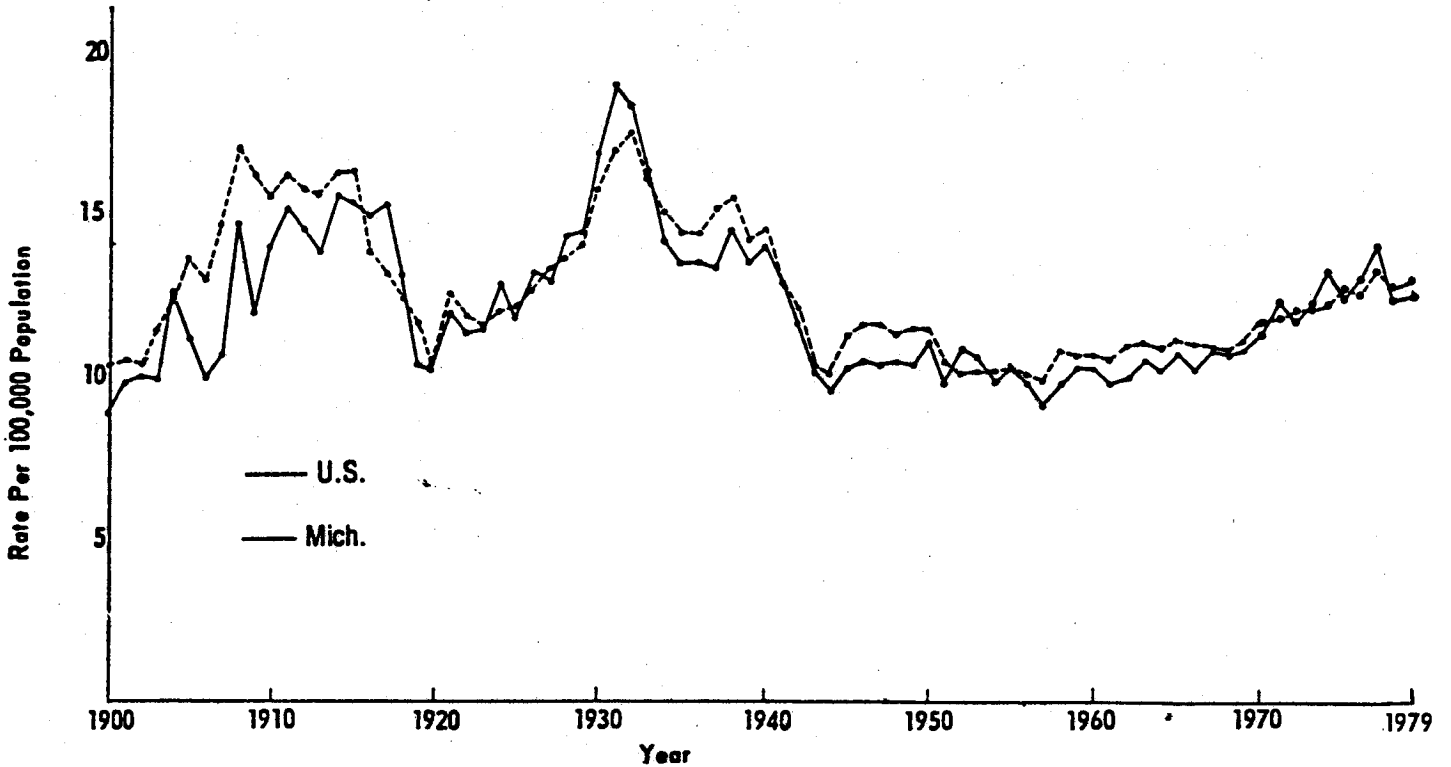
time period. The rates after 1944 held fairly stable for several years then began a slow increase in both Michigan and the United States. There is strong similarity in both the trend and magnitude of Michigan and national rates in this century (Figure 2.47). In 1900 the rate was 8.8 in Michigan, the lowest rate observed. The highest was 18.8 in 1931. For the nation high and low rates were observed in 1932 (17.4) and in 1944 and 1952 (10.0). In 1979 the provisional rate for the United States was 12.6, compared to Michigan's rate of 12.4.

Age-adjusted suicide death rates by race and sex for Michigan and the United States in the 1970's are presented in Table 2.49. Age-adjusted rates for suicide have increased for all major population groups in Michigan except white females. Although rates for other than white persons experienced a more substantial increase than those for white persons between 1970 and 1979, the rates for white persons remained higher than those of their other than white counterparts throughout the period. Rates for the nation were more stable. For white and other than white females the rates showed no clear trend, while there were relatively small increases for white and other than white males. The rates in Michigan for the other than white population were significantly higher than those of the nation. Rates in Michigan for the white population groups were slightly higher than those of the nation.

Suicides in Michigan were predominantly the result of one of four types of self-inflicted injury. Self-inflicted injury by firearms caused 601 deaths in 1979. Hanging, strangulation and suffocation resulted in 170 deaths. Self-inflicted poisoning by gases and vapors resulted in 157 deaths, of which 127 were attributed to motor vehicle exhaust gas and another 26 to other carbon monoxide poisoning. Combined with 105 deaths due to poisoning by drugs, medicaments, and biologicals, these four types of suicide accounted for 90.4 percent of all suicidal deaths to Michigan residents in 1979 (Table 2.50).

Using the Michigan mortality experience of 1977 through 1979, the chance of a male eventually dying from suicide is 0.016 at birth. The risk for females is 0.006. These probabilities hold relatively constant through age 20 then taper slowly with advancing age (Figure 2.48).

FIGURE 2.47—Suicide Death Rates, Michigan and United States Residents,¹ 1900-1979²



¹National rates are from death registration states for 1900-1932 and the United States for 1933-1979; U. S. rate for 1979 is provisional.

²Suicide death rates since 1900 are suitable for general comparison over time but detailed study (such as time series) requires special consideration. See Technical Notes.

TABLE 2.49
Age-Adjusted Suicide Death Rates¹ by Race and Sex,
Michigan and United States Residents, 1970-1979

Place	Year	ALL RACES			WHITE			OTHER THAN WHITE		
		Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Michigan	1970	11.9	17.3	6.9	12.4	17.9	7.4	7.4	12.0	3.2
	1971	13.2	18.4	8.5	13.3	18.5	8.7	11.2	16.6	6.4
	1972	12.3	18.1	7.0	12.8	18.6	7.4	8.6	13.4	4.3
	1973	13.0	19.7	6.9	13.4	20.2	7.2	9.8	15.8	4.4
	1974	13.8	20.1	8.1	14.4	20.9	8.4	9.5	13.9	5.6
	1975	13.3	19.9	7.2	13.7	20.4	7.5	10.2	16.0	4.9
	1976	13.8	20.6	7.5	14.1	21.0	7.7	11.2	17.2	5.9
	1977	14.6	22.5	7.5	15.1	23.2	7.9	10.9	17.9	5.1
	1978	13.0	20.0	6.7	13.2	20.6	6.7	10.8	16.4	6.2
	1979	12.7	19.5	6.6	12.9	19.6	6.7	11.7	18.6	5.5
U.S.	1970	11.8	17.3	6.8	12.4	18.2	7.2	6.5	10.3	3.3
	1971	11.9	17.2	7.1	12.5	18.0	7.5	7.0	10.4	3.9
	1972	12.1	17.9	6.9	12.7	18.5	7.4	7.5	11.9	3.6
	1973	12.0	18.0	6.6	12.6	18.7	7.1	7.2	11.6	3.3
	1974	12.2	18.2	6.7	12.8	19.0	7.1	7.2	11.7	3.3
	1975	12.6	19.0	6.9	13.3	19.8	7.3	7.5	12.1	3.5
	1976	12.3	18.5	6.6	12.9	19.2	7.0	7.6	12.3	3.5
	1977	12.9	19.7	6.8	13.6	20.6	7.2	7.8	12.6	3.7
	1978	12.0	18.5	6.2	12.7	19.2	6.6	7.4	12.2	3.2
	1979	12.0	Pr.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

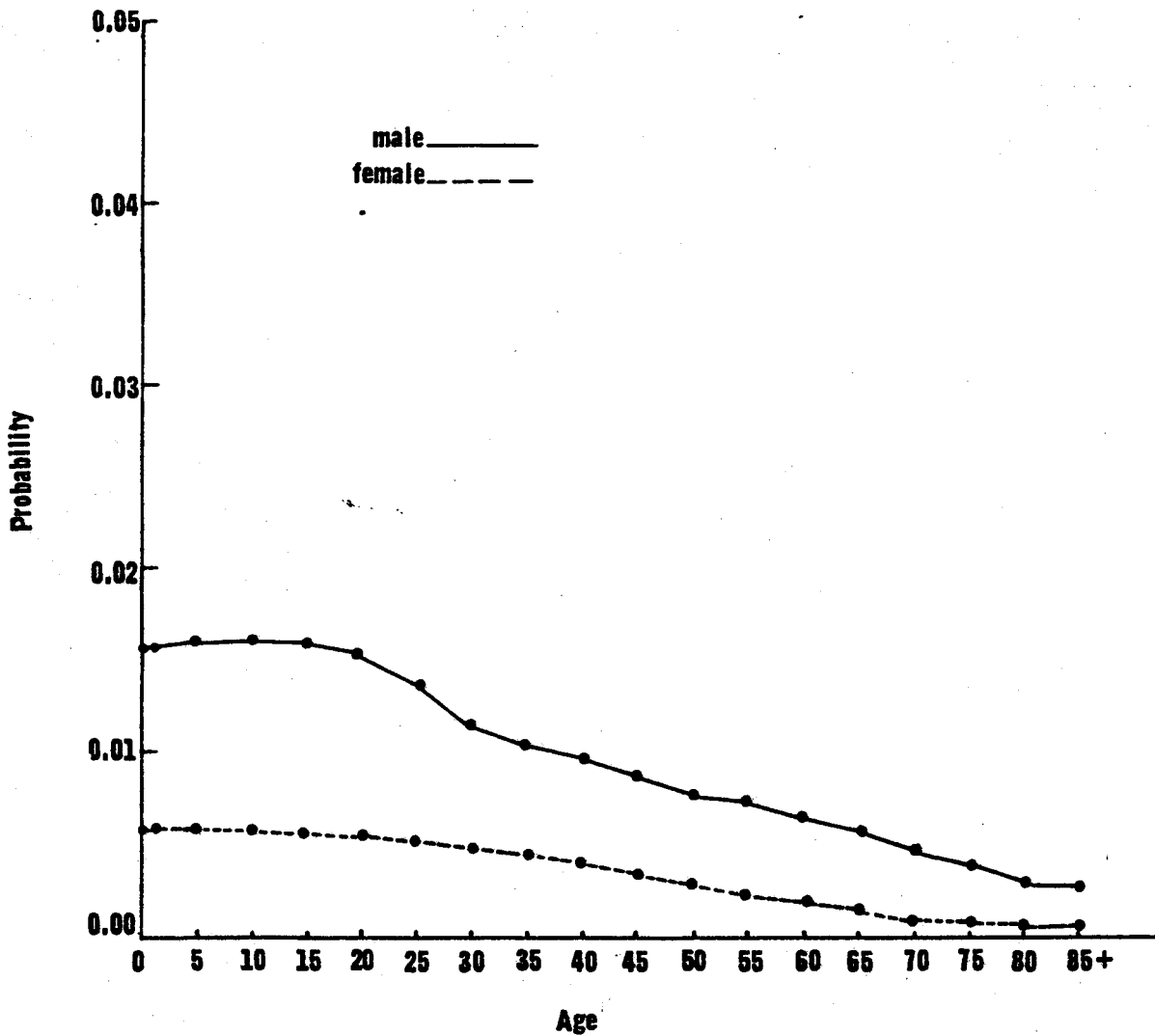
1 - Based on age-specific death rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Computed by the direct method, using as the standard population the age distribution of the total population of the United States as enumerated in 1940; see Technical Notes.

TABLE 2.50 - Deaths Due to Suicide by Method
Michigan Residents, 1979

282 LIST ¹ NUMBER	CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER OF DEATHS	PERCENT
269	Suicide by All Other and Unspecified Firearms	593	51.9
267	Suicide by Hanging, Strangulation, and Suffocation	170	14.9
266	Suicide by Gases and Vapors	157	13.7
264	Suicide by Drugs, Medicaments, and Biologicals	105	9.2
270	Suicide by All Other Means and Late Effects of Self- Inflicted Injury	96	8.4
265	Suicide by Other Solid or Liquid Substances	14	1.2
268	Suicide by Handgun	8	0.7
	TOTAL	1,143	100.0

¹List of 282 Selected Causes developed by the National Center for Health Statistics for tabulation of Mortality Data coded by the 9th Revision of the International Classification of Diseases, WHO.

**FIGURE 2.48 - Probability of Eventually Dying from Suicide by Age and Sex,
Michigan Residents, 1977-1979¹**



¹ Note: Should comparisons be desired between this graph and a similar graph contained herein that pertains to some other specified cause of death, differences in scale may be encountered.

THE PROBABILITY OF EVENTUAL DEATH DUE TO A SPECIFIED CAUSE

While cause-specific death rates are useful in gauging the frequency of death due to certain causes and in making comparisons between areas or populations, they do not relate the risk that the condition imposes on the population with clarity. Mortality data can be used to develop this risk in probabilistic terms. Through the application of life expectancy techniques, a probability of death due to a given cause can be estimated. Such probabilities represent the average risk of eventual death being caused by a specified condition under an assumption that the mortality across all ages that was observed in a time period will remain unchanged through the remaining life of the population. These probabilities can be estimated for any given age attained. The following list relates the probability at birth of dying from the ten leading causes of death based upon Michigan mortality experience for the years 1977 through 1979.

DISEASE CATEGORY	PROBABILITY AT BIRTH OF EVENTUAL DEATH DUE TO CONDITION FOR:	
	<u>Males</u>	<u>Females</u>
Diseases of the Heart	.418	.439
Malignant Neoplasms	.203	.176
Cerebrovascular Diseases	.079	.125
Accidents and Adverse Effects	.047	.027
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease and Allied Conditions	.036	.014
Pneumonia and Influenza	.026	.028
Diabetes Mellitus	.016	.027
Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis	.019	.010
Atherosclerosis	.015	.028
Suicide	.016	.006
All Other Causes	.125	.120
	<u>1.000</u>	<u>1.000</u>

The 1977 through 1979 data would indicate that 87.5 percent of all males and 88.0 percent of all females in Michigan will die from one of the ten leading causes if all things remain constant. Approximately four of every ten people will die from heart

disease. Women face higher risks of death from heart disease, cerebrovascular disease, pneumonia and influenza, diabetes mellitus, and atherosclerosis than do males. At the same time, males are more likely to die from cancer, accidents, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, and allied conditions, chronic liver disease and cirrhosis, and suicide according to the mortality experience in Michigan during 1977 through 1979.

Related to the probability at birth of eventual death due to a given cause is the hypothetical gain in life expectancy that would result if a given cause of death were eliminated. Based on 1977-1979 mortality data, the average number of years of life gained by eliminating deaths due to a major cause is given in the list that follows. Deaths in infancy from all causes are added for comparative purposes.

DISEASE CATEGORY ELIMINATED	YEARS GAINED IN LIFE EXPECTANCY FOR:	
	<u>Males</u>	<u>Females</u>
Diseases of the Heart	4.88	3.34
Malignant Neoplasms	2.68	2.70
Cerebrovascular Diseases	0.62	0.82
Accidents and Adverse Effects	1.46	0.67
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease and Allied Conditions	0.34	0.17
Pneumonia and Influenza	0.23	0.19
Diabetes Mellitus	0.17	0.26
Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis	0.36	0.22
Atherosclerosis	0.06	0.08
Suicide	0.46	0.19
All Causes of Infant Mortality	1.14	0.96

The largest gains in life expectancy would result from the elimination of heart disease and cancer, the two leading causes of death. Considering the number of deaths involved, relatively large gains in life expectancy would result from the elimination of infant mortality, accidents and suicide. Eliminating deaths in the younger age groups, where these causes are concentrated, has a greater impact on the potential number of years of life to be gained than eliminating deaths in the older age groups.

INFANT DEATHS

Of the 73,480 deaths occurring to Michigan residents in 1979, 1,921 occurred to individuals less than one year of age. The frequency of infant deaths in Michigan has declined by 42.8 percent since 1969 when there were 3,356 such deaths (Table 2.51). The number of infant deaths has declined steadily since 1957 with the single exception of 1970. The 1979 figure was 0.5 percent below the number for 1978. Nationally, the number of infant deaths in 1979 was 45,000 (provisional), 40.1 percent below the number in 1969 and 2.1 percent less than the final figure of 45,945 in 1978.

The rate of death for infants under the age of one year has dropped considerably since 1900. In that year there were 157.1 infant deaths for every 1,000 live births. This means that about 16 of every 100 infants did not survive their first year. This rate fell below 100 by 1914 (96.8), to less than 70 by 1927 (67.7), and to less than 50 by 1937 (47.8). During the 1940's the Michigan infant death rate declined from 40.6 in 1940 to 28.9 in 1949. Relative declines in rate slowed considerably in the 1950's and 1960's. It was not until 1971 that the rate dropped below 20 to 19.5. The rate of decline in the 1970's compares favorably with the rate of decline observed before 1950. In 1979, the Michigan infant mortality rate was 13.3 (Figure 2.49).

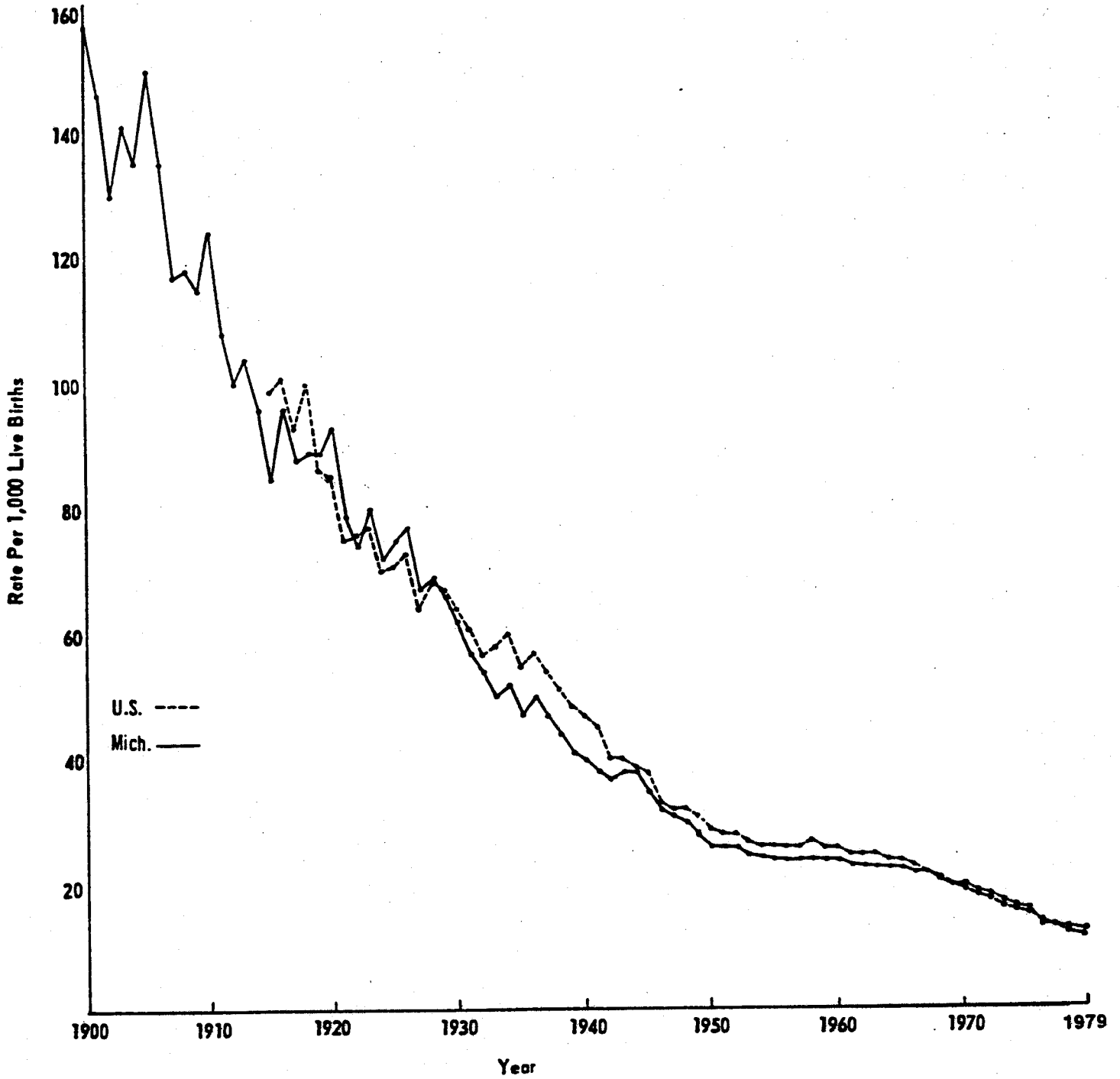
During the period 1915-1928, the rate for Michigan was above that for the United States 9 of 14 years. From 1929 through 1969, Michigan's infant death rate was consistently below the national statistic. From 1970 through 1975 the infant mortality rate in Michigan was slightly higher than the rate for the nation. Since 1976 the rates for the state and nation have been similar. The rate for the United States in 1979 was 13.0 (provisional).

Table 2.52 shows the numbers of infant deaths and infant death rates by age at death for the period 1970-1979. The number of infants that died during the first day of life in 1979 (754) is greater than the number of deaths of infants aged 1-11 months (626). About 67 percent of all infant deaths occurred within the first month

Table 2.51
 Infant Deaths and Infant Mortality Rates,
 Michigan and United States Residents, 1969-1979

UNITED STATES		YEAR	MICHIGAN	
Number	Rate		Number	Rate
75,073	20.9	1969	3,356	20.2
74,667	20.0	1970	3,492	20.3
67,981	19.1	1971	3,157	19.5
60,182	18.5	1972	2,801	19.1
55,581	17.7	1973	2,561	18.1
52,776	16.7	1974	2,387	17.4
50,525	16.1	1975	2,205	16.5
48,265	15.2	1976	1,978	15.1
46,975	14.1	1977	1,945	14.1
45,945	13.8	1978	1,931	13.9
45,000 Pr.	13.0 Pr.	1979	1,921	13.3

FIGURE 2.49-Infant Mortality Rates, Michigan Residents, 1900-1979 and United States Residents,¹ 1915-1979



1 - United States rate for 1979 is provisional.

Table 2.52
 Infant Deaths and Mortality Rates by Age at Death,
 Michigan Residents, 1970-1979

YEAR	AGE AT DEATH									
	TOTAL INFANT DEATHS		UNDER 1 DAY		1 to 6 DAYS		7 to 27 DAYS		28 to 364 DAYS	
	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE
1970	3,492	20.34	1,367	7.96	1,095	6.38	221	1.29	809	4.71
1971	3,157	19.46	1,191	7.34	1,025	6.32	196	1.21	745	4.59
1972	2,801	19.07	1,024	6.97	906	6.17	185	1.26	686	4.67
1973	2,561	18.09	1,131	7.99	579	4.09	192	1.36	659	4.66
1974	2,387	17.37	940	6.84	569	4.14	225	1.64	653	4.75
1975	2,205	16.46	856	6.39	461	3.44	246	1.84	642	4.79
1976	1,978	15.06	829	6.31	402	3.06	193	1.47	554	4.22
1977	1,945	14.05	794	5.74	374	2.70	199	1.44	578	4.18
1978	1,931	13.91	717	5.17	384	2.77	180	1.30	650	4.68
1979	1,921	13.30	754	5.22	356	2.46	185	1.28	626	4.33

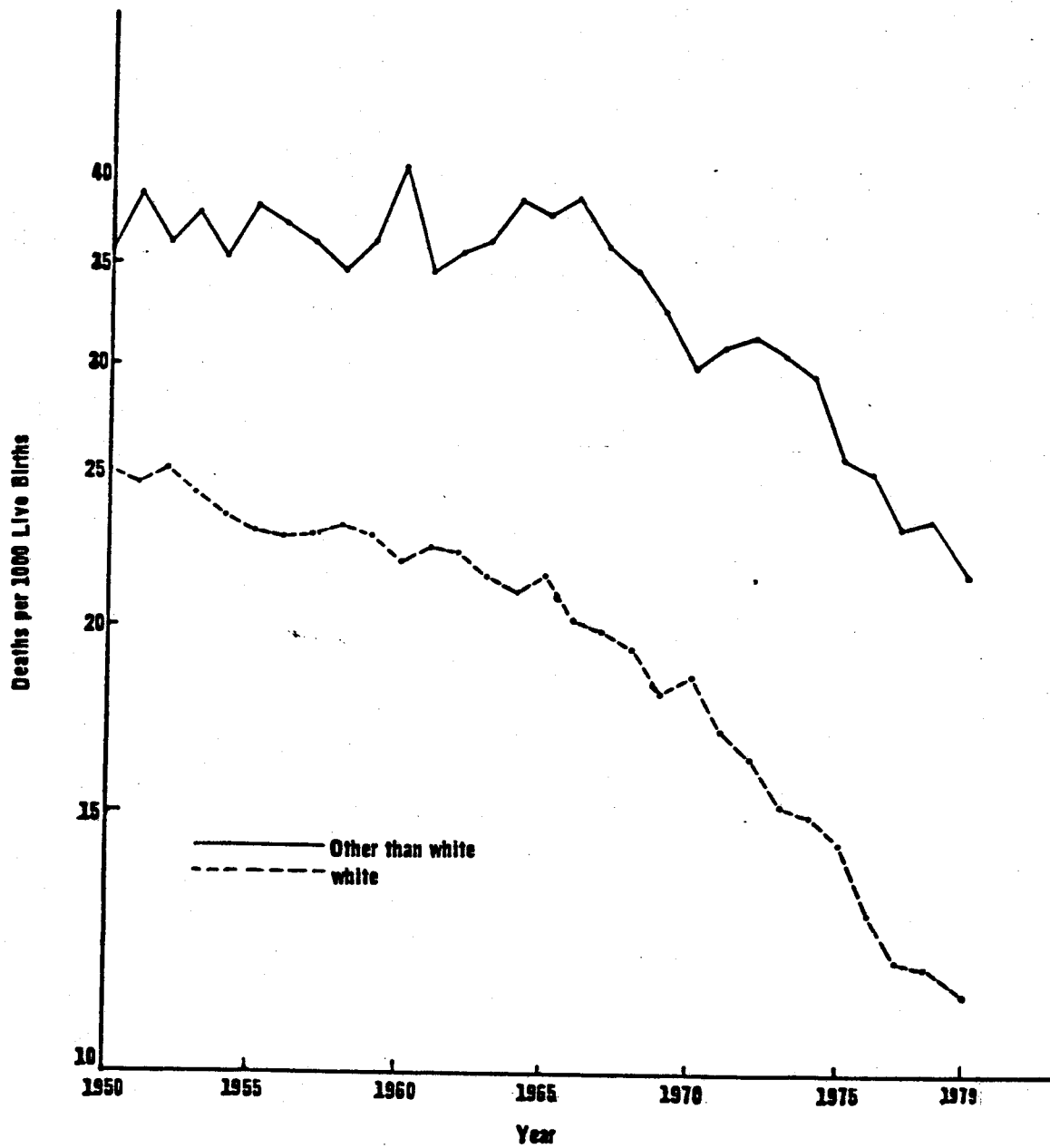
of life in 1979, with about 58 percent in the first week. These percentages were 77 and 71 percent in 1970. A review of Table 2.52 reveals that the 34.6 percent decline in the infant mortality rate since 1970 stems largely from reductions in the rate of death for those less than 7 days of age. The death rate for infants during their first day of life has declined 34.4 percent since 1970, while the death rate for ages 1 through 6 days has declined by 61.4 percent over the last nine years. In contrast, the death rate for infants aged 7 to 27 days actually increased in the mid-1970's before dropping in 1979 to about the 1970 level. Death rates for infants aged 28 to 364 days fell in 1976 and 1977 but increased in 1978 to about the same level as observed in 1970. The death rate for this age group in 1979 declined to 4.33, which is 8.1 percent lower than the comparable rate for 1970.

Infant mortality rates have varied considerably by race. Rates for white and other than white infants since 1950 are graphically displayed in Figure 2.50. Rates for other than white infants were higher throughout the period. Although the rates for both race groups have declined, those for white infants have decreased by a relatively larger amount. As a result, the racial differential in infant mortality rates has increased since 1950. Between 1950 and 1965, the infant mortality rate for white infants declined moderately while that for other than white infants remained relatively stable. Between 1965 and 1970 the rate for white infants declined by 14.7 percent while the rate for other than white infants declined by 20.5 percent. Since 1970, however, the rate for white infants has dropped by 38 percent while for other than white infants the decline was 26 percent. The rate for other than white infants of 35.6 in 1950¹ was 40 percent higher than that for white infants (25.4) whereas in 1979 the rate for other than white infants of 22.0 was 93 percent higher than that for white infants (11.4).

Michigan resident infant deaths in 1979 are listed by cause of death classification and age at death in Table 2.53. Congenital anomalies caused the death of 344

¹Rates for other than whites for 1950-1969 based on deaths of unknown race as well as deaths of races other than white.

Figure 2.50 ¹ Infant Death Rates ² by Race, Michigan Residents, 1950-1979



¹ Note that death rates are shown on a Logarithmic scale: vertical distances represent relative differences in rate rather than absolute differences.

² Other than white rates for 1950-1969 are based on deaths of unknown race as well as deaths of races other than white.

Table 2.53- Infant Deaths by Age at Death and Underlying Cause,
Michigan Residents, 1979

ICD - 9 Code	Cause of Death	Age at Death					
		Total Under 1 Year	Under 1 Day	1-6 Days	7-27 Days	1-5 Months	6-11 Months
8, 9, 535, 555-558	Certain gastrointestinal diseases	13	-	1	-	9	3
38	Septicemia	9	-	-	-	7	2
1-7, 10-37, 39-139	Remainder of infectious and parasitic diseases	13	-	-	2	8	3
320-322	Meningitis	15	-	1	5	6	3
480-487	Pneumonia and influenza	30	2	1	2	18	7
740-759	Congenital anomalies	344	124	80	45	78	17
761	Newborn affected by maternal complications of pregnancy	75	71	3	1	-	-
762	Newborn affected by complications of placenta, cord and membranes	47	43	3	-	1	-
765	Disorders relating to short gestation and unspecified low birthweight	133	123	9	-	1	-
767	Birth trauma	45	4	31	8	2	-
768	Intrauterine hypoxia and birth asphyxia	69	40	18	9	1	1
769	Respiratory distress syndrome	258	103	108	31	13	3
770	Other respiratory conditions of newborn	168	97	31	20	16	4
771	Infections specific to the perinatal period	33	12	14	6	1	-
772	Neonatal hemorrhage	22	6	12	4	-	-
760, 763, 764, 766, 773-779	All other and ill-defined conditions originating in the perinatal period	165	116	25	21	2	1
760-779	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	1,015	615	254	100	37	9
798.0	Sudden infant death syndrome	246	2	1	14	200	29
E800-E949	Accidents and adverse effects	54	-	-	3	27	24
E960-E969	Homicide	8	1	-	-	5	2
Residual	All other causes	174	10	18	14	100	32
	Total	1,921	754	356	185	495	131

infants and was the specific disease category most frequently reported. Respiratory distress syndrome was responsible for 258 infant deaths in 1979, while sudden infant death syndrome was listed as the cause of 246 deaths. Over half (52.8 percent) of all infant deaths were attributed to conditions originating in the perinatal period. This proportion was 81.6 percent for deaths which occurred during the first day, 71.3 percent for deaths of infants at ages 1 through 6 days, and 54.1 percent for deaths of infants 1-3 weeks of age. In contrast, 37 of 495 deaths (7.5 percent) of infants from 1 to 5 months of age were caused by conditions originating in the perinatal period.

The most frequent causes of death during the first day were congenital anomalies (16.4 percent) and disorders relating to short gestation and unspecified low birth-weight (16.3 percent). Respiratory distress syndrome caused 13.7 percent of the deaths under 1 day of age, and 30.3 percent of those to infants 1-6 days of age. The second most frequent cause of deaths to infants aged 1-6 days was congenital anomalies (22.5 percent). For infants who died at 1-3 weeks of age the most frequent causes were congenital anomalies (24.3 percent) and respiratory distress syndrome (16.8 percent). Sudden infant death syndrome was reported as the cause of 40.4 percent of the deaths to infants from 1 to 5 months of age. This cause was also the leading cause of death for infants from 6 to 11 months of age (22.1 percent). The 24 deaths due to accidents to infants aged 6-11 months represent 18.3 percent of the total deaths in this age group, while accidental deaths represent only 2.8 percent of all infant deaths.

Infant deaths and death rates by cause are shown for white and other than white infants in Table 2.54. The most frequent causes of death for white infants were congenital anomalies (289 deaths), sudden infant death syndrome (165 deaths), and respiratory distress syndrome (164 deaths). For other than white infants the order of these causes was reversed, with respiratory distress syndrome, sudden infant death syndrome, and congenital anomalies causing 92, 80, and 53 deaths respectively. While the death rate from all causes combined for other than white infants was 93 percent

Table 2.54- Infant Deaths and Infant Death Rates by Race of Infant and Underlying Cause, Michigan Residents, 1979

ICD - 9 Code	Cause of Death	Race of Infant					
		Total ¹		White		Other Than White	
		Number	Rate ²	Number	Rate ²	Number	Rate ²
8, 9, 535, 555-558	Certain gastrointestinal diseases	13	9.0	8	6.7	5	19.6
38	Septicemia	9	6.2	6	5.1	3	*
1-7, 10-37, 39-139	Remainder of infectious and parasitic diseases	13	9.0	9	7.6	4	*
320-322	Meningitis	15	10.4	8	6.7	7	27.4
480-487	Pneumonia and influenza	30	20.8	17	14.3	13	50.8
740-759	Congenital anomalies	344	238.1	289	243.5	53	207.2
761	Newborn affected by maternal complications of pregnancy	75	51.9	44	37.1	31	121.2
762	Newborn affected by complications of placenta, cord and membranes	47	32.5	41	34.5	6	23.5
765	Disorders relating to short gestation and unspecified low birthweight	133	92.1	80	67.4	52	203.3
767	Birth trauma	45	31.2	34	28.7	11	43.0
768	Intrauterine hypoxia and birth asphyxia	69	47.8	47	39.6	22	86.0
769	Respiratory distress syndrome	258	178.6	164	138.2	92	359.7
770	Other respiratory conditions of newborn	168	116.3	127	107.0	40	156.4
771	Infections specific to the perinatal period	33	22.8	22	18.5	11	43.0
772	Neonatal hemorrhage	22	15.2	15	12.6	7	27.4
760, 763, 764, 766, 773-779	All other and ill-defined conditions originating in the perinatal period	165	114.2	93	78.4	72	281.5
760-779	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	1,015	702.7	667	562.1	344	1,345.1
798.0	Sudden infant death syndrome	246	170.3	165	139.0	80	312.8
E800-E949	Accidents and adverse effects	54	37.4	39	32.9	15	58.7
E960-E969	Homicide	8	5.5	5	4.2	3	*
Residual	All other causes	174	120.5	139	117.1	35	136.9
	Total	1,921	1,329.9	1,352	1,139.3	562	2,197.5

¹Records with race not stated included only in total columns

²Rates per 100,000 live births

above that for white infants, the differential by race was 139 percent for deaths due to certain conditions originating in the perinatal period. Rates for other than white infants were 3 to 4 times those for white infants for deaths due to meningitis, pneumonia and influenza, disorders relating to short gestation and unspecified low birthweight, and for deaths in the categories of newborn affected by maternal complications of pregnancy and all other and ill-defined conditions originating in the perinatal period. The death rates for respiratory distress syndrome and sudden infant death syndrome for other than white infants were 2.6 and 2.3 times, respectively, the comparable rates for white infants. Cause-specific infant death rates for white infants were higher for congenital anomalies and for the category newborn affected by complications of placenta, cord, and membranes.

The infant death rate from all causes for males was 28 percent greater than that for females. This was also the differential for deaths due to certain conditions originating in the perinatal period. The death rate of 33.7 for males for certain gastrointestinal diseases and other infectious and parasitic diseases was 2.4 times the rate of 14.2 for females. The rates for males were from 1.5 to 1.7 times those for females for deaths due to birth trauma, respiratory distress syndrome, other respiratory conditions of newborn, infections specific to the perinatal period, and sudden infant death syndrome. Death rates for accidents and homicide were similar for males and females. The only cause for which the rate was higher for females was neonatal hemorrhage (Table 2.55).

Table 2.55- Infant Deaths and Infant Death Rates by Sex of Infant and Underlying Cause, Michigan Residents, 1979

ICD - 9 Code	Cause of Death	Sex of Infant					
		Total ¹		Male		Female	
		Number	Rate ²	Number	Rate ²	Number	Rate ²
8, 9, 535, 555-558	Certain gastrointestinal diseases	13	9.0	11	14.8	2	*
38	Septicemia	9	6.2	5	6.7	4	*
1-7, 10-37, 39-139	Remainder of infectious and parasitic diseases	13	9.0	9	12.1	4	*
320-322	Meningitis	15	10.4	9	12.1	6	8.5
480-487	Pneumonia and influenza	30	20.8	17	22.9	13	18.5
740-759	Congenital anomalies	344	238.1	181	244.2	160	227.5
761	Newborn affected by maternal complications of pregnancy	75	51.9	42	56.7	33	46.9
762	Newborn affected by complications of placenta, cord and membranes	47	32.5	24	32.4	23	32.7
765	Disorders relating to short gestation and unspecified low birthweight	133	92.1	67	90.4	65	92.4
767	Birth trauma	45	31.2	29	39.1	16	22.7
768	Intrauterine hypoxia and birth asphyxia	69	47.8	37	49.9	32	45.5
769	Respiratory distress syndrome	258	178.6	158	213.2	100	142.2
770	Other respiratory conditions of newborn	168	116.3	107	144.4	61	86.7
771	Infections specific to the perinatal period	33	22.8	20	27.0	13	18.5
772	Neonatal hemorrhage	22	15.2	7	9.4	15	21.3
760, 763, 764, 766, 773-779	All other and ill-defined conditions originating in the perinatal period	165	114.2	90	121.4	74	105.2
760-779	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	1,015	702.7	581	784.0	432	614.2
798.0	Sudden infant death syndrome	246	170.3	153	206.5	93	132.2
E800-E949	Accidents and adverse effects	54	37.4	28	37.8	26	37.0
E960-E969	Homicide	8	5.5	4	*	4	*
Residual	All other causes	174	120.5	101	136.3	72	102.4
	Total	1,921	1,329.9	1,099	1,483.0	816	1,160.1

¹Records with sex not stated included only in total columns
²Rates per 100,000 live births

Infant mortality rates by race are presented in Table 2.56. These data are from a file of merged live birth and infant death information. The rates presented are for Michigan residents born in 1978. Note that this matched file is approximately 97.3 percent complete and, therefore, the rates presented are understated. The rates for black infants (24.2) and American Indian infants (23.9) were more than twice that for white infants (11.3). The rate for infants of other races (7.0) was well below the rate for all infants. The death rate for infants aged less than seven days showed similar variations by race (Table 2.57).

Table 2.56 - Infant Deaths, Live Births, and Infant Death Rates by Race, Michigan Resident Infants Born in 1978

Race	Infant Deaths	Live Births	Infant Death Rate
All Races	1,863	138,802	13.4
White	1,285	114,217	11.3
Black	557	23,025	24.2
American Indian	9	377	23.9
Other Races	7	1,005	7.0
Unknown	5	178	28.1

TABLE 2.57 - Hebdomada1 Deaths¹ and Death Rates² by
Race, Michigan Resident Infants Born in 1978

Race	Hebdomada1 Deaths	Hebdomada1 Death Rate
All Races	1,070	7.7
White	735	6.4
Black	319	13.9
American Indian	6	15.9
Other Races	7	7.0
Unknown	3	*

¹Deaths to infants less than seven days old.

²Per 1,000 live births.

Data from the matched file on infant mortality rates by age of mother and race of child are presented in Table 2.58. Infant death rates display a parabolic relationship with mother's age. The rates are highest for infants born to mothers under age 20. The infant mortality rates of 20.3 and 19.8 for mothers under 15 years old and 15-19 years old respectively are nearly double the rate of 10.3 for mothers aged 25-29 years. The infant mortality rate for mothers 40 or over is about 25 percent higher than that for mothers of all ages combined.

Rates for white and other than white infants generally follow the pattern of association to mother's age, but infant mortality rates for the other than white group are significantly above those for the white group. For babies born in 1978, the rate for other than white infants was more than twice as high as that for white infants. The rate for other than white infants was higher in each age group. The smallest differential was for mothers under age 20 where the rate for other than white infants was one and a half times that of white infants.

Table 2.59 displays the variation in infant death rates according to the number of the mother's prenatal visits. The infant death rate for mothers who had no prenatal care was 64.1, over ten times as high as the low rate of 6.2 for mothers who had 15 to 19 prenatal visits. The rate associated with mothers who had 1-4 visits was 9.2 times the low rate, while the rate associated with mothers who had 5-9 visits was nearly 3 times as high as the low rate. The infant death rate for mothers with 20 or more prenatal visits was 17.7 percent higher than the low rate, reflecting the likelihood that a high number of prenatal visits is connected with a problem pregnancy.

Mothers with fewer than ten prenatal visits had 31.3 percent of all live births but 57.9 percent of all infant deaths. Mothers who had ten or more prenatal visits had 65.3 percent of live births and 32.7 percent of infant deaths. The infant death rate for mothers who had fewer than ten prenatal visits was 24.8. This is 3.7 times the rate of 6.7 for mothers who had ten or more prenatal visits.

TABLE 2.58 - Infant Deaths, Live Births, and Infant Death Rates
by Age of Mother and Race¹ of Infant,
Michigan Resident Infants Born in 1978

AGE OF MOTHER	ALL INFANTS			WHITE INFANTS			ALL OTHER INFANTS		
	INFANT DEATHS	LIVE BIRTHS	INFANT DEATH RATE	INFANT DEATHS	LIVE BIRTHS	INFANT DEATH RATE	INFANT DEATHS	LIVE BIRTHS	INFANT DEATH RATE
All Ages	1,863	138,802	13.4	1,285	114,217	11.3	573	24,407	23.5
Under 15.....	7	345	20.3	1	125	*	6	219	27.4
15-19 years.....	426	21,487	19.8	262	15,203	17.2	161	6,265	25.7
20-24 years.....	683	49,498	13.8	471	40,993	11.5	212	8,444	25.1
25-29 years.....	449	43,744	10.3	336	37,924	8.9	112	5,763	19.4
30-39 years.....	281	22,929	12.3	208	19,342	10.8	73	3,549	20.6
40 or more years	13	779	16.7	5	613	8.2	8	165	48.5
Unknown age.....	4	20	*	2	17	*	1	2	*

¹Race not stated included in total columns only

TABLE 2.59 - Infant Deaths, Live Births, and Infant Death Rates by Prenatal Visits and Race of Infant, Michigan Resident Infants Born in 1978

NUMBER OF VISITS	ALL INFANTS			WHITE INFANTS			ALL OTHER INFANTS ¹		
	INFANT DEATHS	LIVE BIRTHS	INFANT DEATH RATE	INFANT DEATHS	LIVE BIRTHS	INFANT DEATH RATE	INFANT DEATHS	LIVE BIRTHS	INFANT DEATH RATE
TOTAL.....	1,863	138,802	13.4	1,285	114,217	11.3	573	24,407	23.5
0	57	889	64.1	22	548	40.1	35	341	102.6
1-4	370	6,479	57.1	222	4,055	54.7	147	2,418	60.8
5-9	651	36,031	18.1	476	27,727	17.2	173	8,282	20.9
10-14	519	76,426	6.8	400	66,702	6.0	119	9,691	12.3
15-19	73	11,866	6.2	56	10,103	5.5	17	1,757	9.7
20 or Over	17	2,313	7.3	12	1,832	6.6	5	481	10.4
Unknown	176	4,798	36.7	97	3,250	29.8	77	1,437	53.6

¹ Race not stated included in total columns only

The differential in mortality rates between other than white and white infants noted above is significantly altered when comparisons are made within the same range of prenatal visits. While the overall rate for other than white infants was 108 percent higher than that for white infants, for mothers who had 1-4 and 5-9 prenatal visits the rates for other than white infants were 11.2 percent and 21.5 percent higher, respectively, than the comparable rates for white infants. For mothers with fewer than ten prenatal visits, the infant mortality rate for white infants was 22.3 and that for other than white infants 32.2. For mothers with ten or more prenatal visits, the rate for white infants was 6.0 and for other than white infants 11.8. The rate for other than white infants was 44.4 percent higher where the mother had fewer than ten prenatal visits and 96.7 percent higher where the mother had ten or more visits. Both of these racial differentials were less than the overall racial differential of 108 percent. This seemingly paradoxical result is explained by the differing distributions of the white and the other than white births. The overall infant mortality rate for each race is a weighted sum of the infant mortality rates for the different prenatal care categories. The weight for each prenatal care category is the ratio of the number of live births in that category to the total number of live births. Since a greater proportion of the other than white live births are to mothers in the categories with fewer prenatal visits, the higher infant mortality rates in the categories with fewer prenatal visits are more heavily weighted for the other than white population.

When deaths under one week are grouped together with fetal deaths the resultant total is called perinatal deaths. By placing a ceiling of six days for the infant component of perinatal deaths, most accidental and environmental causes of death are eliminated. In 1979, Michigan resident perinatal deaths numbered 2,326 and the perinatal death rate was 16.0. This rate was 16.6 in 1978 and 26.0 in 1970.

As with infant death rates, perinatal mortality rates vary considerably with race, age of mother, and number of prenatal visits. Tables 2.60 and 2.61 show perinatal deaths and rates by age of mother, the number of the mother's prenatal visits, and the race of the fetus or infant for fetal deaths and live births occurring in 1978. As with Tables 2.58 and 2.59 a part of the data, i.e., hebdomadal deaths, are drawn from a merged file of birth and death data. As a result, perinatal deaths and rates are slightly understated. Table 2.60 makes clear the increased risk of death to fetuses and infants of mothers under 20 or age 40 or greater. Minimum risk in 1978 was associated with mothers 25-29 years of age. Table 2.61 indicates that the risk of perinatal death is more than eleven times as great for fetuses and infants whose mothers had fewer than five prenatal visits compared with mothers with ten or more visits. The risk associated with 5-9 prenatal visits is 3.4 times as great as for the lowest risk category (10-14 visits).

The overall perinatal mortality rate for other than white fetuses and infants was nearly twice as high as for whites. The highest perinatal mortality rate for both whites and other than whites was associated with mothers 40 years or over. While for whites the minimum risk was clearly associated with mothers 25-29 years of age, there was little difference by age of mother in the rates for black fetuses and infants born to mothers from 15-39 years of age (Table 2.60).

For both white and other than white fetuses and infants the highest mortality rates were associated with mothers who received less than 5 prenatal visits. Where the mother received no prenatal care the rate for other than whites was 2.3 times the comparable rate for whites. However, for fetuses and infants born to mothers who received 1-4 prenatal visits the rates were similar for whites and other than whites. The differentials by race were also considerably less than the overall differential for fetuses and infants born to mothers who received 5-9, 15-19, or 20 or more visits (Table 2.61).

The median birth weight of infants born in 1978 and dying prior to 1 year of age was 1,758 grams (Table 2.62). The median birth weight of all Michigan resident

TABLE 2.60 - Perinatal Deaths, Total Births, and Perinatal Death Rates by Age of Mother and Race of Infant, Michigan Residents Born in 1978

AGE OF MOTHER	ALL RACES			WHITE			ALL OTHER		
	PERINATAL DEATHS	TOTAL BIRTHS	PERINATAL DEATH RATE	PERINATAL DEATHS	TOTAL BIRTHS	PERINATAL DEATH RATE	PERINATAL DEATHS	TOTAL BIRTHS	PERINATAL DEATH RATE
TOTAL.....	2,291	140,023	16.4	1,586	115,068	13.8	652	24,727	26.4
Under 15..	11	352	31.3	1	126	*	10	225	44.4
15-19.....	417	21,693	19.2	257	15,332	16.8	150	6,333	23.7
20-24.....	776	49,904	15.5	544	41,285	13.2	219	8,545	25.6
25-29.....	602	44,058	13.7	435	38,145	11.4	150	5,840	25.7
30-39.....	429	23,174	18.5	325	19,531	16.6	94	3,595	26.1
40 or More	36	805	44.7	18	627	28.7	17	176	96.6
Unknown...	20	37	540.5	6	22	272.7	12	13	923.1

* Race not stated included in total column only.

TABLE 2.61 - Perinatal Deaths, Total Births, and Perinatal Death Rates by Prenatal Visits and Race¹, Michigan Residents Born in 1978

NUMBER OF VISITS ²	ALL RACES			WHITE			All Other		
	PERINATAL DEATHS	TOTAL BIRTHS	PERINATAL DEATH RATE	PERINATAL DEATHS	TOTAL BIRTHS	PERINATAL DEATH RATE	PERINATAL DEATHS	TOTAL BIRTHS	PERINAT. DEATH RATE
TOTAL.....	2,291	140,023	16.4	1,586	115,068	13.8	652	24,727	26.4
0	106	954	111.1	42	576	72.9	63	377	167.1
1 - 4	448	6,670	67.2	279	4,169	66.9	166	2,492	66.6
5 - 9	758	36,407	20.8	551	27,996	19.7	203	8,386	24.2
10 - 14	465	76,674	6.1	356	66,892	5.3	107	9,747	11.0
15 - 19	87	11,915	7.3	71	10,143	7.0	16	1,766	9.1
20 & over	21	2,327	9.0	16	1,842	8.7	5	485	10.3
Unknown...	406	5,076	80.0	271	3,450	78.6	92	1,474	62.4

¹Race not stated included in total column only.

²Total birth figures are revised.

TABLE 2.62 - Infant Deaths by Birth Weight and Mother's Age,
Michigan Resident Infants Born in 1978

BIRTH WEIGHT IN GRAMS	Total	MOTHER'S AGE							40 or More	Not Stated
		Under 15	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-39	40 or More			
Total	1,863	7	426	683	449	281	13	4		
500 or Less.....	149	-	31	49	41	24	2	2		
501-1,000.....	467	3	107	176	116	63	2	-		
1,001-1,500.....	222	-	50	89	51	32	-	-		
1,501-2,000.....	128	1	31	45	29	20	2	-		
2,001-2,500.....	170	-	43	51	38	34	4	-		
2,501-3,000.....	217	2	58	84	47	26	-	-		
3,001-3,500.....	267	1	62	95	70	39	-	-		
3,501-4,000.....	137	-	24	50	36	26	1	-		
4,001-4,500.....	49	-	8	22	9	10	-	-		
4,501 and Over.....	17	-	6	8	2	1	-	-		
Not Stated.....	40	-	6	14	10	6	2	2		
Median Weight in Grams	1,758	1,793	1,786	1,701	1,700	1,985	1,928	255		

live births in 1978 was 3,374 grams. For all maternal age groups, the median birth weight for infant deaths was below what is considered a normal weight range.

Infant death rates by race, birthweight and age at death are displayed in Table 2.63 for infants born in 1978. While the overall infant death rate for other than white infants was more than double that of white infants, the rates for white and other than white infants were quite similar for the low birthweight categories. For infants weighing 2,501 grams or more the rate for other than white infants exceeded by 53 percent that for white infants. A large part of the difference between infant death rates for white and other than white infants is due to the fact that a greater proportion of the other than white infants were born at weights below 2,501 grams (13.2 percent for other than white infants compared to 5.9 percent for white infants).

The differentials in infant death rates by race for deaths under 28 days and from 28-364 days were similar to that for all infant deaths. In each of the age groups the differentials in infant death rates by race in the different birthweight categories were less than the overall differential. For infants weighing less than 1,501 grams and for those from 1,501-2,500 grams the rates for deaths before 28 days were greater for white infants than for other than white infants (4.4 percent and 54.2 percent respectively). However, this relationship was reversed for deaths from 28-364 days for the same birthweight categories. For deaths of these older infants the rates for other than white infants exceeded those for white infants by 106.9 percent and 71.3 percent respectively for infants weighing less than 1,501 grams and for those weighing 1,501-2,500 grams. It is interesting to note that although the death rates for white infants under 28 days of age were greater than for other than white infants in both of the low weight categories examined, the rate for all low weight infants who died before 28 days was greater for other than white infants (94.7 compared to 93.7). This is the result of a greater proportion of other than white infants being born at weights under 1,501 grams where the infant death rates are much higher.

Table 2.63 - Live Births by Birthweight and Race of Infant and Infant Deaths and Infant Death Rates by Birthweight, Age at Death and Race of Infant, Michigan Resident Infants Born in 1978

Birthweight	Race of Infant	Live Births	Age at Death					
			Total Under 1 Year		Under 28 Days		28-364 Days	
			Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Total	All Races	138,802	1,863	13.4	1,244	9.0	619	4.5
	White	114,217	1,285	11.3	858	7.5	427	3.7
	All Other ¹	24,407	573	23.5	382	15.7	191	7.8
≤ 1500 Grams	All Races	1,747	838	479.7	754	431.6	84	48.1
	White	1,120	529	472.3	490	437.5	39	34.8
	All Other ¹	625	307	491.2	262	419.2	45	72.0
1501-2500 Grams	All Races	8,266	298	36.1	189	22.9	109	13.2
	White	5,660	206	36.4	145	25.6	61	10.8
	All Other ¹	2,594	91	35.1	43	16.6	48	18.5
2501 + Grams	All Races	128,680	687	5.3	266	2.1	421	3.3
	White	107,373	526	4.9	204	1.9	322	3.0
	All Other ¹	21,165	159	7.5	61	2.9	98	4.6
Unknown Birthweight	All Races	109	40	367.0	35	321.1	5	45.9
	White	64	24	375.0	19	296.9	5	78.1
	All Other ¹	23	16	695.7	16	295.7	-	*

¹Race not stated included in total rows only

COMMUNICABLE DISEASE DEATHS

Although comprising a smaller proportion of deaths than they have in the past, communicable disease deaths continue to be a major concern. In 1979, deaths from all infectious and parasitic diseases numbered 553. As can be observed from Table 2.64, over half of these deaths were caused by septicemia (300 deaths). Tuberculosis and viral hepatitis caused 62 and 26 deaths respectively. When death attributed to late effects of tuberculosis are included, the number of deaths from tuberculosis rises to 76.

The distribution of infectious and parasitic disease deaths by age, race, and sex for 1979 is given in Table 2.65, and the corresponding death rates are shown in Table 2.66. Note that infants accounted for 4.9 percent of all infectious and parasitic disease deaths while comprising 2.6 percent of all deaths and that other than white persons accounted for 23.5 percent of all infectious and parasitic disease deaths but only 12.8 percent of deaths from all causes. The death rates were highest for persons aged 65 years and over (35.4 deaths per 100,000 population) and for infants under 1 year (19.8). Rates for males were somewhat higher than for females, and rates for other than white persons were about double those for white persons.

Deaths due to such diseases as diphtheria, scarlet fever, streptococcal sore throat, small pox, typhoid fever, measles, poliomyelitis and others have been virtually eliminated not only in Michigan, but across the nation. Table 4.7 illustrates trends in deaths from the major communicable diseases.

INJURY AT WORK

There were 217 deaths reported as resulting from injuries at work in 1979, 39 fewer than in the previous year. These include all cases in which the underlying cause of death was external and the injury was reported to have occurred at work, whether or not the injury was work-related. Table 2.67 gives the frequency of deaths due to injuries at work by place of occurrence. The most common site was an industrial place or premises, with 67 deaths. Second in frequency were injuries taking

TABLE 2.64 - Deaths From Selected Infectious and Parasitic Diseases
Michigan Residents, 1979

ICD LIST NUMBER	CAUSE OF DEATH	Frequency
038	Septicemia	300
010-018	Tuberculosis	62
070	Viral Hepatitis	26
110-118	Mycoses	22
135	Sarcoidosis	14
137	Late Effects of Tuberculosis	14
036	Meningococcal Infection	12
090-097	Syphilis	9
040.0	Gas Gangrene	8
046	Slow Virus Infection of Central Nervous System	8
053	Herpes Zoster	5
054	Herpes Simplex	5
136.3	Pneumocystosis	5
052	Chickenpox	3
041.1	Staphylococcus	3
Residual 000-139	All Other Infectious and Parasitic Diseases	57
000-139	TOTAL	553

TABLE 2.65 - Deaths Due to Infectious and Parasitic Diseases
by Age, Race, and Sex,¹
Michigan Residents, 1979¹

Age	Total	Male		Female	
		White	Other Than White	White	Other Than White
All Ages	553	224	71	197	59
Under 1 Year	27	13	5	5	4
1-19 Years	27	11	4	9	2
20-44 Years	47	12	13	10	12
45-64 Years	128	52	24	42	10
65 and Over Years	324	136	25	131	31

¹Deaths of one male and one female of unknown race included only in total column.

TABLE 2.66 - Infectious and Parasitic Diseases Death Rates
by Age, Race, and Sex,
Michigan Residents, 1979

Age	Total	Male		Female	
		White	Other Than White	White	Other Than White
All Ages	6.0	5.7	11.5	4.9	9.0
Under 1 Year	19.8	22.9	38.8	9.3	*
1-19 Years	0.8	0.8	*	0.7	*
20-44 Years	1.5	0.9	6.5	0.8	5.3
45-64 Years	6.9	6.5	22.8	5.1	9.2
65 and Over Years	35.4	39.3	58.0	27.6	61.2

Table 2.67
Deaths Due to Injury At Work by Place of Injury
Michigan Residents - 1979

PLACE	NUMBER OF DEATHS
Industrial Place and Premises	67
Street and Highway	51
Public Building	36
Farm	16
Home	9
Mine and Quarry	5
Resident Institution	1
Place for Recreation and Sport	1
Other Specified Places	29
Place Not Specified	2
TOTAL	217

place on streets and highways (51 deaths). There were also 36 deaths from injuries at work occurring in public buildings and 16 from injuries taking place on farms.

The most frequent cause of death associated with injuries at work was motor vehicle traffic accidents, involving 43 deaths or 19.8 percent of all such deaths (Table 2.68). The second most common cause was homicide and legal intervention, accounting for 36 deaths and 16.6 percent of the total. Accidents caused by machinery resulted in 26 deaths, while accidental falls and being struck accidentally by a falling object accounted for 24 and 16 deaths respectively. Accidents caused by an electric current accounted for 11 injury at work deaths, while motor vehicle nontraffic accidents were the cause of an additional 11 deaths. There were also 8 suicide deaths which occurred at work, as well as 8 deaths caused by injuries at work involving air and space transport accidents.

LIFE EXPECTANCY

The life expectancy of a Michigan resident at birth is 73.3 years, based on 1979 mortality data and population estimates. Males demonstrated a significantly shorter longevity than females. In 1979 the years remaining at birth are 70.0 for males and 76.8 for females. This results from the higher mortality rates of males at all ages.

Life expectancies by sex in selected years for Michigan and United States residents are presented in Table 2.69. It can be seen that longevity has increased greatly in Michigan since 1901, by 16.6 years for males and by 21.7 years for females. Females born in Michigan in 1901 could expect to live 1.7 years longer than their male counterparts. By 1950 the differential in life expectancy between the sexes was 5.5 years. This disparity increased to 7.6 years by 1971, remained constant through 1973, and by 1979 had declined to 6.8 years. Between 1971 and 1979 life expectancy for males increased by 2.7 years while for females the increase was 1.9 years.

The life expectancy of Michigan residents was well above that for the nation in 1901, but this differential had virtually disappeared by 1950. In 1978 the

TABLE 2.68 - Deaths Due to Injury at Work by Cause of Death
Michigan Residents, 1979

ICD LIST NUMBER	CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER OF DEATHS	PERCENT
E810-E819	Motor Vehicle Traffic Accidents	43	19.8
E960-E978	Homicide and Legal Intervention	36	16.6
E919	Accidents Caused by Machinery	26	12.0
E880-E888	Accidental Falls	24	11.1
E916	Struck Accidentally by Falling Object	16	7.4
E925	Accidents Caused by Electric Current	11	5.1
E820-E825	Motor Vehicle Nontraffic Accidents	11	5.1
E950-E959	Suicide	8	3.7
E840-E845	Air and Space Transport Accidents	8	3.7
E913	Accidental Mechanical Suffocation	6	2.8
E928	Other and Unspecified Environmental and Accidental	4	1.8
E890-E899	Accident Caused by Fire and Flames (Causes	4	1.8
E923	Accident Caused by Explosive Material	4	1.8
E924,E926	Accident Caused by Hot Substance or Object, Caustic or Corrosive Material, Steam, and Exposure to Radiation	3	1.4
E846-E848	Vehicle Accidents Not Elsewhere Classifiable	2	0.9
E910	Accidental Drowning and Submersion	2	0.9
E850-E858	Accidental Poisoning by Drugs, Medicaments, and Biologicals	2	0.9
E830-E838	Water Transport Accidents	2	0.9
Residual			
E800-E949	All Other Accidents	5	2.3
	TOTAL	217	100.0

TABLE 2.69
 Life Expectancy at Birth by Sex,
 Michigan and United States Residents,
 Selected Years, 1901-1979

UNITED STATES		YEAR	MICHIGAN	
MALE LIFE EXPECTANCY	FEMALE LIFE EXPECTANCY		MALE LIFE EXPECTANCY	FEMALE LIFE EXPECTANCY
47.6	50.6	1901	53.4	55.1
48.4	51.8	1910	53.9	56.2
53.6	54.6	1920	55.1 ¹	56.0 ¹
58.1	61.6	1930	59.8 ¹	62.8 ¹
60.8	65.2	1940	63.4 ¹	67.4 ¹
65.6	71.1	1950	65.7	71.2
66.6	73.1	1960	67.1	73.3
67.1	74.8	1970	67.2	74.6
67.4	75.0	1971	67.3	74.9
67.4	75.1	1972	67.3	74.9
67.6	75.3	1973	67.4	75.0
68.1	75.8	1974	68.0	75.3
68.7	76.5	1975	68.5	75.7
69.0	76.7	1976	69.0	75.9
69.3	77.1	1977	69.3	76.3
69.5	77.2	1978	69.6	76.4
----	----	1979	70.0	76.8

1 - Michigan data for years 1920, 1930, and 1940 are for white persons only.

the life expectancy of males in Michigan was slightly above that for males nationwide, 69.6 years compared to 69.5 years, while longevity for females residing in this state was 0.8 years below the average for the country. Note that females have consistently demonstrated greater longevity than males both in Michigan and the United States.

White persons displayed a life expectancy 5.0 years greater than other than white persons in 1979. The life expectancy of white males was 5.3 years greater than that of males of other races in 1979 compared to a differential of 5.8 years in 1950 (Table 2.70). In 1970 the differential was 7.2 years, due in part to an actual reduction in life expectancy for other than white males between 1960 and 1970. Since 1970 life expectancy for other than white males has increased 7.2 percent, from 61.0 to 65.4 years. This is a reflection of the recent decline in mortality rates for several leading causes of death for this group. The change in the differentials by race for female expectancies has been much more pronounced. In 1950, Michigan resident white females had an average longevity 8.5 years greater than females of all other races. This disparity declined to 4.6 years in 1979.

The expected number of years of life remaining are presented graphically by age, race, and sex in Figure 2.51. The number of years of life remaining for females is greater than that for males throughout life. At age 60 the differential is 4.6 years for white males and white females, and 3.4 years for other than white males and females. Other than white persons display slightly greater life expectancies in the older age intervals than their white counterparts. The average number of years remaining for other than white females surpasses that of white females between ages 75 and 80. Other than white males display a greater expectation than that of white males at ages 60 and over.

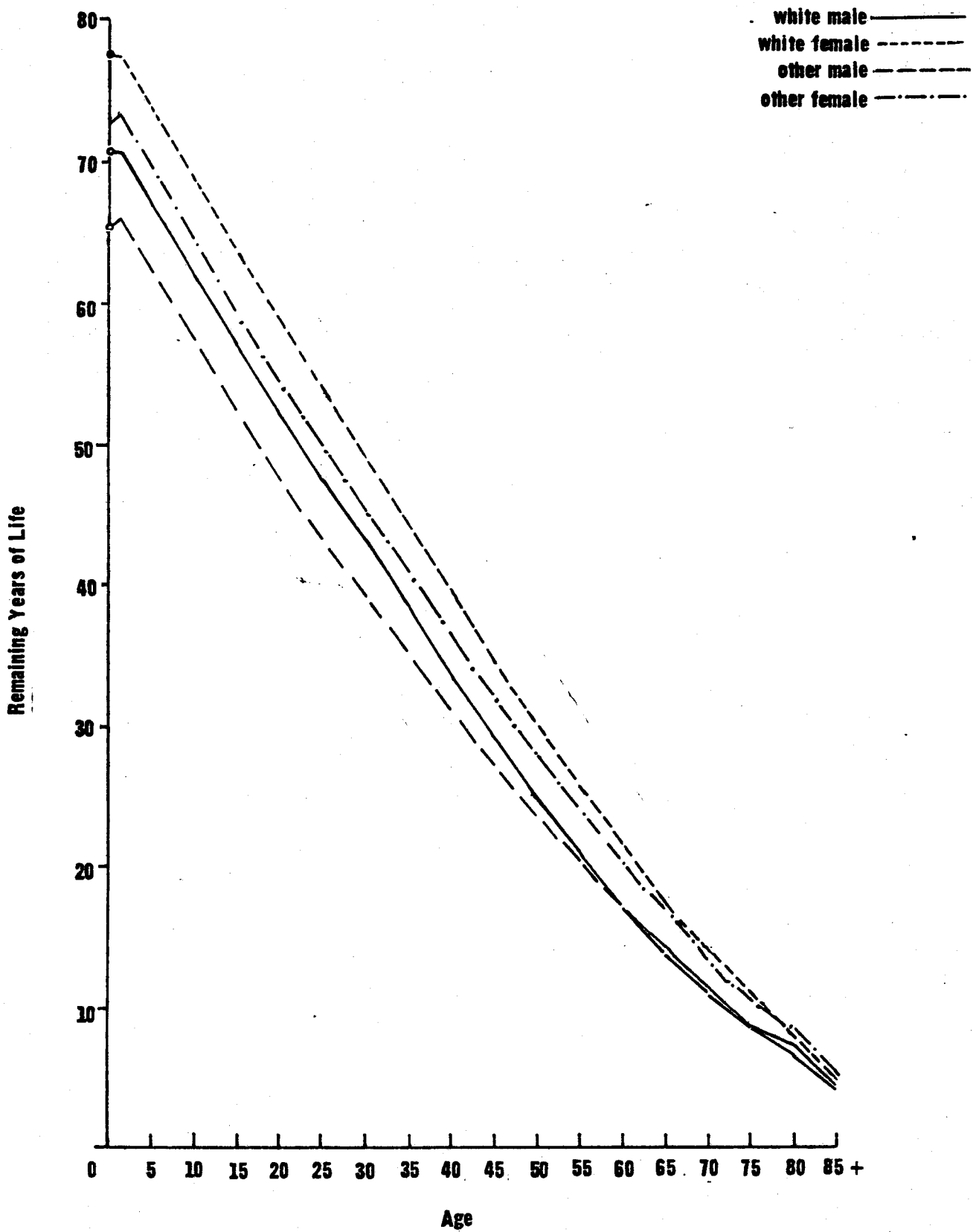
PLACE OF OCCURRENCE

There were 2,051 Michigan resident deaths in 1979 that occurred outside the state. This represents 2.8 percent of all resident deaths. 459 Michigan resident deaths occurred in the state of Florida in 1979. This is 22.4 percent of all resident

TABLE 2.70
 Life Expectancy at Birth by Sex and Race,
 Michigan Residents, Selected Years 1950-1979

POPULATION SUBGROUP	YEAR			
	1950	1960	1970	1979
Total Population	68.3	70.0	70.8	73.3
Total Male	65.7	67.1	67.2	70.0
Total Female	71.2	73.3	74.6	76.8
Total White	68.8	70.5	71.6	74.1
White Male	66.2	67.5	68.2	70.7
White Female	71.9	74.0	75.3	77.5
Total All Other	61.8	65.6	65.0	69.1
All Other Male	60.4	63.6	61.0	65.4
All Other Female	63.4	67.7	69.4	72.9

**FIGURE 2.51 - Remaining Years of Life by Age, Sex, and Race,
Michigan Residents, 1979**



out-of-state deaths, more than in any other area. The border areas of Indiana, Ohio, Wisconsin, and Canada accounted for 42.1 percent of all resident deaths outside Michigan. In addition to the above-mentioned areas, over 50 Michigan resident deaths also occurred in each of the following states: Minnesota, Arizona, Illinois, Texas, and California. Michigan resident deaths occurred in all but four of the 50 states in 1979 (Table 2.71).

Of the non-residents that died in Michigan in 1979, 44.9 percent were from the border areas, 16.4 percent were Floridians and 9.8 percent were from Illinois. Overall, non-residents who died in Michigan represented 42 states and several foreign countries.

TABLE 2.71 - Michigan Resident Deaths Occurring Outside Michigan by Place of Occurrence and Death Occurring in Michigan to Non-Michigan Residents by Place of Residence, 1979

GEOGRAPHIC AREA	DEATHS OF RESIDENTS OCCURRING OUTSIDE MICHIGAN		DEATHS OF NONRESIDENTS OCCURRING IN MICHIGAN	
	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
TOTAL	2,051	100.0	1,071	100.0
Florida	459	22.4	176	16.4
Ohio	348	17.0	165	15.4
Indiana	311	15.2	103	9.6
Wisconsin	149	7.3	160	14.9
Minnesota	70	3.4	6	0.6
Arizona	68	3.3	17	1.6
Illinois	67	3.3	105	9.8
Texas	63	3.1	19	1.8
California	58	2.8	29	2.7
Canada	55	2.7	53	4.9
Other Areas	403	19.6	238	22.2

MARRIAGE & DIVORCE

SECTION III

MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE
AN OVERVIEW 1979

TOTAL MARRIAGES	89,450
TOTAL DIVORCES AND ANNULMENTS	44,242
MARRIAGE RATE ¹	19.4
DIVORCE RATE ¹	9.6
MEDIAN AGE OF THE BRIDE	23
MEDIAN AGE OF THE GROOM	25

¹Number of persons married or divorced per 1,000 population

The number of marriages and divorces occurring in Michigan has increased considerably since 1900. While the frequency of marriage has generally followed the growth of Michigan's population, the rate of persons dissolving their marriages has increased nearly fourfold since 1900. The smallest number of marriages in the years 1900 to 1979 was 23,295 in 1900, while the largest number was 94,486 in 1973. After steep declines in the number of marriages in 1974 and 1975, and a smaller decline in 1976, the number of marriages has increased during each of the past three years. The number of marriages recorded in 1979 was 89,450, an increase of 1.3 percent over the 1978 figure. The number of divorces and annulments has increased from a low of 2,435 in 1900 to a high of 45,029 in 1978. For 1979 there were 44,242 divorces and annulments reported, a decline of 1.7 percent from the figure for 1978.

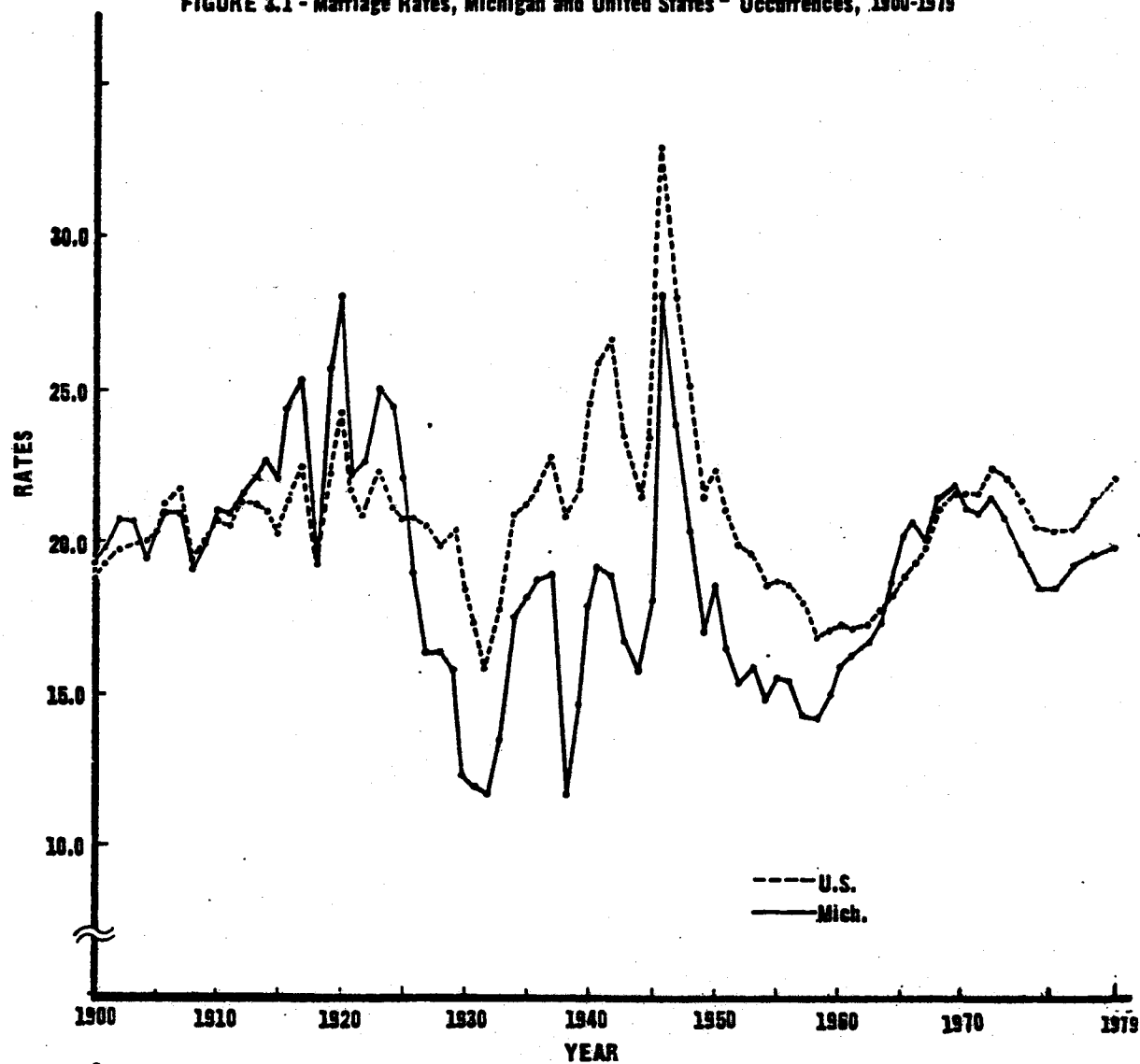
MARRIAGES

Since 1900, there have been noticeable changes in the marriage rates both nationally and in Michigan (Figure 3.1). The marriage rates observed for the state have generally followed the pattern of rising and falling rates observed nationally. Strong historic shifts in rates have been related most notably to the factors of war and the economy. The highest rates observed during this century were for the years immediately following the end of the two World Wars (27.7 in 1919 and 27.6 in 1946). The lowest rates occurred during the Great Depression of the 1930's. The number of persons married each year per 1,000 population was higher in Michigan than in the country for 19 of the 26 years from 1900 through 1925. Since 1926, Michigan's marriage rate has been lower than that of the nation, excepting only the years 1964 through 1969. The marriage rate for Michigan in 1979 was 19.4, up slightly from the 1978 rate of 19.2 (Table 3.1). The provisional rate for the nation in 1979 was 21.5, 10.8 percent above that of Michigan.

Residence of Couples Marrying in Michigan

When presenting statistics of births, deaths and fetal deaths it is possible to provide total resident figures due to an interstate agreement for exchange of nonresident event information. Thus, should a Michigan resident give birth in some other state, the state will forward the information to Michigan. No such agreement exists for marriages.

FIGURE 3.1 - Marriage Rates, Michigan and United States¹ Occurrences, 1900-1979



¹ United States rate for 1979 is Provisional.

TABLE 3.1 - Marriages and Marriage Rates¹, Michigan
United States Occurrences, Selected Years, 1920-1979

UNITED STATES		YEAR	MICHIGAN	
NUMBER	RATE		NUMBER	RATE
1,274,476	23.9	1920	50,805	27.7
1,126,856	18.3	1930	29,482	12.2
1,595,879	24.2	1940	46,342	17.6
1,667,231	22.1	1950	58,180	18.3
1,523,000	17.0	1960	61,090	15.6
1,548,000	16.9	1961	63,320	16.0
1,577,000	17.0	1962	65,002	16.4
1,654,000	17.5	1963	68,160	17.0
1,725,000	18.0	1964	73,911	18.2
1,800,000	18.6	1965	81,247	19.8
1,857,000	19.0	1966	83,903	20.2
1,927,000	19.5	1967	84,363	19.6
2,069,000	20.7	1968	90,984	21.0
2,145,000	21.2	1969	93,392	21.4
2,158,802	21.2	1970	91,933	20.7
2,190,481	21.2	1971	92,134	20.5
2,282,154	22.0	1972	94,447	21.0
2,284,108	21.8	1973	94,486	20.9
2,229,667	21.0	1974	88,023	19.3
2,152,662	20.2	1975	82,856	18.1
2,154,807	20.0	1976	82,753	18.2
2,178,367	20.1	1977	86,088	18.9
2,282,272	20.9	1978 ²	88,333	19.2
2,359,000Pr.	21.5Pr.	1979	89,450	19.4

¹Number of persons married per 1,000 population

²Beginning with 1978, marriage data for the United States include nonlicensed marriages registered in California. If nonlicensed marriages were included in the 1977 total, the marriage rate would increase from 20.1 to 20.4

This is an important consideration when analyzing marriage statistics. The marriage data presented are drawn from all marriages performed in the state regardless of the couples' residence.

Table 3.2 indicates that, in general, most of the couples marrying in Michigan are residents of the state. For marriages occurring in Michigan 97.3 percent of the brides were residents of Michigan, while 94.8 percent of the grooms were residents of the state. These figures are somewhat higher than those for marriages occurring in Michigan in 1970. Over the decade the proportion of marriages where both the bride and groom are not residents has declined substantially. These data indicate that the general characteristics of marriages occurring in Michigan should be representative of marriage patterns for Michigan residents.

There were a total of 2,382 non-resident brides married in Michigan in 1979. The figure for grooms is almost double that of brides, numbering 4,631. Table 3.3 shows the most frequent residences of non-resident brides and grooms married in Michigan. The nearby states of Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and Wisconsin are the states of residence for 43 percent of all non-resident grooms and 53 percent of non-resident brides.

Month of Marriage

The number of marriages occurring in Michigan varies with the seasons. The most popular month for marriages in 1979 was June, with 13.1 percent of all marriage ceremonies being performed during this month. August and September were also popular choices, with 12.2 and 10.8 percent respectively of all marriages. Fewer marriages occurred during the winter months. The lowest figure was for January, with slightly less than one third the number which occurred in June (Table 3.4)

Age at Marriage

Examination of the data in Table 3.5 reveals that females generally marry at a younger age than do males. The number of females who marry before the age of 20 is two and a half times the corresponding frequency for males. Between ages 20 and 24 the numbers of brides and grooms are similar. Among persons 25 and over, males marry more frequently than females. In 1979 the median age of brides marrying in Michigan was 23 years, while the 50th percentile for grooms was 25.

TABLE 3.2 - Marriages by Residence Status of Bride and Groom
Michigan Occurrences, 1970 and 1979

RESIDENCE STATUS	1970		1979	
	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
Both Bride and Groom Residents.....	82,617	89.9	84,171	94.1
Bride Resident, Groom Non-Resident...	3,726	4.1	2,892	3.2
Groom Resident, Bride Non-Resident...	1,046	1.1	643	0.7
Both Bride and Groom Non-Residents...	4,525	4.9	1,739	1.9
Residence Status, Not Stated.....	19	0.0	5	0.0
Total.....	91,933	100.0	89,450	100.0

TABLE 3.3 - Place of Residence of Non-resident Brides and Grooms
Michigan Occurrences, 1979

GEOGRAPHIC AREA	NON-RESIDENT BRIDE	NON-RESIDENT GROOM
California	164	302
Florida	114	229
Illinois	218	449
Indiana	304	490
Minnesota	39	106
New York	63	177
Ohio	456	641
Texas	77	197
Wisconsin	278	402
Other U.S. Places	594	1,374
Foreign Countries	75	264
Total	2,382	4,631

Table 3.4 Marriages by Month,
Michigan Occurrences, 1979

Month	Number	Percent
January	3,858	4.3
February	4,455	5.0
March	5,517	6.2
April	6,189	6.9
May	8,277	9.3
June	11,682	13.1
July	8,210	9.2
August	10,879	12.2
September	9,679	10.8
October	8,175	9.1
November	6,432	7.2
December	6,097	6.8
January - December	89,450	100.0

TABLE 3.5 - Number of Marriages and Marriage Rates¹ by Age and Sex, Michigan Occurrences, 1970 and 1979

AGES	MALES			FEMALES		
	NO. MARRIAGE 1979	RATE 1979	RATE 1970	NO. MARRIAGE 1979	RATE 1979	RATE 1970
Under 20 ²	7,941	16.8	38.9	19,787	42.5	77.6
20-24	34,544	90.1	126.7	35,349	88.2	93.8
25-34	30,073	51.6	36.1	22,419	32.9	22.1
35-44	8,820	16.1	12.7	6,463	13.7	9.7
45 or Over	8,069	6.2	6.6	5,430	3.7	4.4
Not Stated	3	000	000	2	000	000
Total	89,450	19.8	21.1	89,450	19.1	20.3
Median Age at Last Birthday	25	000	000	23	000	000

¹Number of persons married per 1,000 population

²15-19 Population used to obtain rate

Since 1970, there have been significant declines in the marriage rates for both sexes under the age of 25 years. The largest decline observed is for males under the age of 20 years for whom the marriage rate has dipped 57 percent. For persons between the ages of 25 and 44 the rates of marriage have increased since 1970 for both sexes, while rates for persons 45 and over have dropped slightly.

The distribution of marriages by the age of bride and groom is shown in Table 3.6.

The data in Tables 3.7 and 3.8 indicate that there has been a rise in the age at first marriage, and a trend toward a younger age for remarriages among both males and females. Between 1970 and 1979 the median age at first marriage increased from 20 to 21 for brides and from 21 to 23 for grooms. In the same period the median age at remarriage dropped from 33 to 31 for brides and from 36 to 35 for grooms. The most frequent age group for first marriage was 20-24 for males in both 1970 and 1979. Among females, the modal age group in 1970 was under 20 years. For brides, data for 1979 indicate a shift in mode to the 20-24 year age group for first marriages. The most frequent age interval for remarriage among males was 45 years of age or older in 1970 and 35-44 years of age in 1979. For females the most frequent age of remarriage shifted from the 45 and over age group in 1970 to the 25-29 age group in 1979.

Remarriages

These changes in age at remarriage are associated with increases in the frequency of second and higher order marriages. In 1970, the percent of all marriages that were remarriages was 23.4 for brides and 24.2 for grooms. In 1979 comparable percents were 31.5 for brides and 33.6 for grooms. This change in the proportion of all marriages which are remarriages is displayed graphically in Figure 3.2. Between 1960 and 1965, the proportion of remarriages dropped. Since 1965, this proportion has increased. The increase in the period 1972 through 1975 was especially marked for both sexes.

As remarriages can only occur when a prior marriage has been terminated by divorce, annulment or death of a spouse, it is apparent that persons remarrying will be generally older. Tables 3.9 and 3.10 demonstrate that the order of marriage has a strong positive relationship with the age of both brides and grooms. Note, however, the downward shift

Table 3.6 Marriages by Age of Bride and Age of Groom,
Michigan Occurrences, 1979

Age of Groom	Total	Age of Bride													Not Stated
		Under 20	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65-69	70 and Over		
Total	89,450	19,787	35,349	15,165	7,254	3,970	2,493	1,654	1,190	838	717	572	459	2	
Under 20	7,941	6,413	1,389	101	26	10	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	
20-24	34,544	11,113	20,447	2,441	420	98	20	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	
25-29	20,165	1,739	9,856	6,713	1,465	299	72	18	2	-	-	1	-	-	
30-34	9,908	373	2,560	3,677	2,393	690	158	45	9	1	1	-	1	-	
35-39	5,361	96	711	1,402	1,541	1,066	388	120	27	9	1	-	-	-	
40-44	3,459	32	251	503	819	890	641	229	72	12	7	1	2	-	
45-49	2,303	10	76	198	358	508	559	380	149	46	15	4	-	-	
50-54	1,904	6	36	82	155	260	373	446	362	132	38	12	2	-	
55-59	1,332	2	14	28	52	90	191	262	300	229	109	41	14	-	
60-64	970	1	7	11	18	49	70	104	156	225	210	96	23	-	
65-69	678	1	-	5	4	8	16	30	79	122	194	157	62	-	
70 and Over	882	1	1	4	3	2	5	15	33	62	142	260	354	-	
Not Stated	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	

TABLE 3.7 - Age at First Marriage and Remarriage: Bride,
Michigan Occurrences, 1970 and 1979

AGES	1970				1979			
	TOTAL	FIRST MARRIAGE	RE-MARRIAGE	NOT STATED	TOTAL	FIRST MARRIAGE	RE-MARRIAGE	NOT STATED
Under 20..... Percent.....	33,870 36.8	33,384 47.5	437 2.0	49 81.7	19,787 22.1	19,531 31.9	245 0.9	11 52.4
20-24..... Percent.....	35,089 38.2	30,823 43.8	4,260 19.8	6 10.0	35,349 39.5	31,260 51.0	4,086 14.5	3 14.3
25-29..... Percent.....	8,284 9.0	4,079 5.8	4,204 19.5	1 1.7	15,165 17.0	8,059 13.2	7,104 25.2	2 9.5
30-34..... Percent.....	3,862 4.2	995 1.4	2,867 13.3	- -	7,254 8.1	1,595 2.6	5,657 20.1	2 9.5
35-44..... Percent.....	4,956 5.4	636 0.9	4,318 20.0	2 3.3	6,463 7.2	568 0.9	5,894 20.9	1 4.8
45 or Over.... Percent.....	5,867 6.4	396 0.6	5,469 25.4	2 3.3	5,430 6.1	266 0.4	5,162 18.3	2 9.5
Not Stated..... Percent.....	5 0.0	4 0.0	1 0.0	- -	2 0.0	2 0.0	- -	- -
Total..... Percent.....	91,933 100.0	70,317 100.0	21,556 100.0	60 100.0	89,450 100.0	61,281 100.0	28,148 100.0	21 100.0
Median Age at Last Birthday	21	20	33	*	23	21	31	*

TABLE 3.8 - Age at First Marriage and Remarriage: Groom,
Michigan Occurrences, 1970 and 1979

AGES	1970				1979			
	TOTAL	FIRST MARRIAGE	RE-MARRIAGE	NOT STATED	TOTAL	FIRST MARRIAGE	RE-MARRIAGE	NOT STATED
Under 20..... Percent.....	16,962 18.5	16,865 24.2	52 0.2	45 73.8	7,941 8.9	7,906 13.3	25 0.1	10 45.5
20-24..... Percent.....	41,672 45.3	39,249 56.4	2,410 10.8	13 21.3	34,544 38.6	32,501 54.8	2,040 6.8	3 13.6
25-29..... Percent.....	13,811 15.0	9,423 13.5	4,387 19.7	1 1.6	20,165 22.5	13,924 23.5	6,241 20.8	- -
30-34..... Percent.....	5,441 5.9	2,130 3.1	3,310 14.9	1 1.6	9,908 11.1	3,360 5.7	6,545 21.8	3 13.6
35-44..... Percent.....	6,223 6.8	1,264 1.8	4,959 22.3	- -	8,820 9.9	1,169 2.0	7,648 25.4	3 13.6
45 and Over.... Percent.....	7,824 8.5	705 1.0	7,118 32.0	1 1.6	8,069 9.0	495 0.8	7,571 25.2	3 13.6
Not Stated..... Percent.....	- -	- -	- -	- -	3 0.0	1 0.0	2 0.0	- -
Total..... Percent.....	91,933 100.0	69,636 100.0	22,236 100.0	61 100.0	89,450 100.0	59,356 100.0	30,072 100.0	22 100.0
Median Age at Last Birthday	23	21	36	*	25	23	35	*

FIGURE 3.2 - Percent of all Marriages that are Remarriages, Michigan Occurrences, 1960-1979

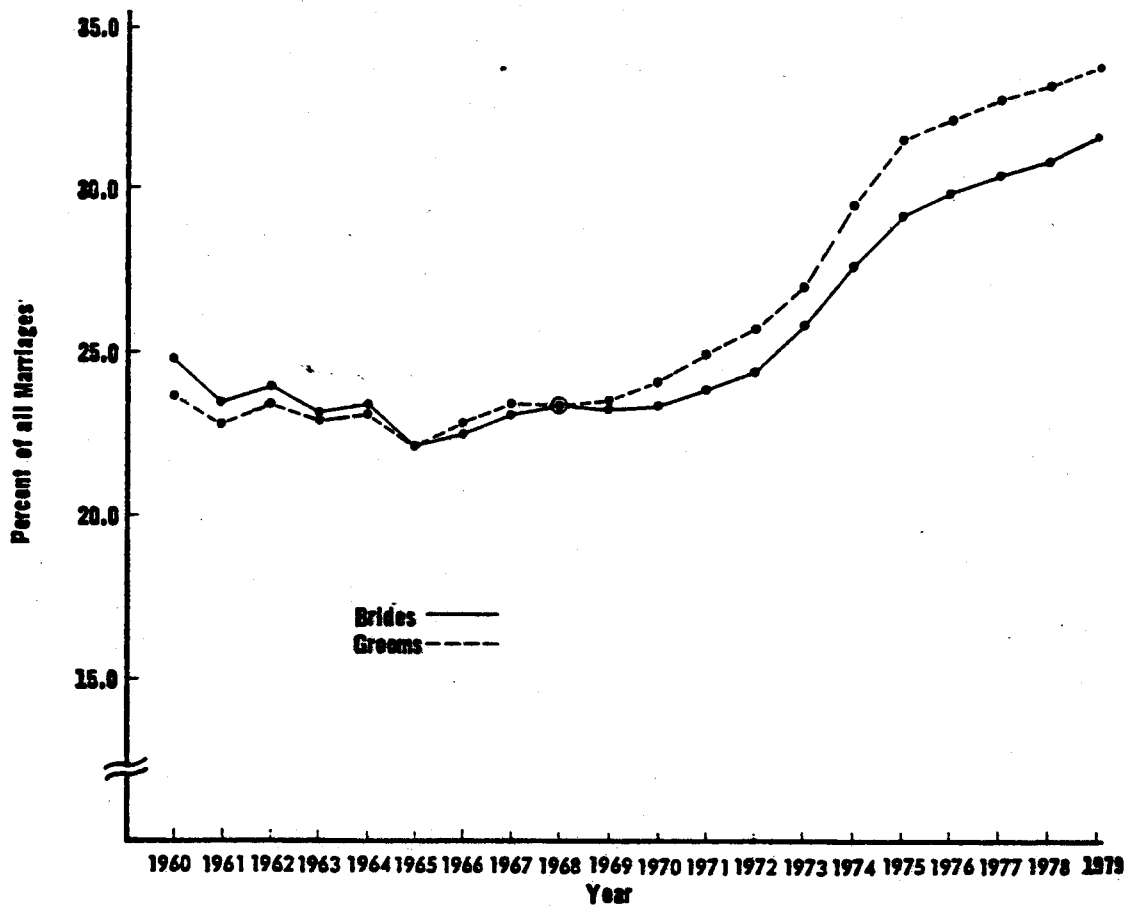


TABLE 3.9 - Remarriages of Brides by Age and Order of Marriage, Michigan Occurrences, 1970 and 1979

AGES	1970					1979						
	ALL MARRIAGES	SECOND MARRIAGES	THIRD MARRIAGES	4TH OR MORE MARRIAGES	ALL MARRIAGES	SECOND MARRIAGES	THIRD MARRIAGES	4TH OR MORE MARRIAGES	ALL MARRIAGES	SECOND MARRIAGES	THIRD MARRIAGES	4TH OR MORE MARRIAGES
All Ages.....	91,933	17,103	3,669	784	89,450	22,278	4,747	1,123				
Under 20.....	33,870	434	3	-	19,787	238	7	-				
20-24.....	35,089	4,030	216	14	35,349	3,876	200	10				
25-29.....	8,284	3,624	518	62	15,165	6,274	745	85				
30-34.....	3,862	2,265	509	93	7,254	4,434	1,031	192				
35-39.....	2,670	1,648	491	117	3,970	2,504	846	218				
40-44.....	2,286	1,443	501	118	2,493	1,522	627	177				
45 OR Over.	5,867	3,658	1,431	380	5,430	3,430	1,291	441				
Not Stated..	5	1	-	-	2	-	-	-				
Median Age at Last Birthday	21	30	40	44	23	30	37	41				

TABLE 3.10 - Remarriages of Grooms by Age and Order of Marriage,
Michigan Occurrences, 1970 and 1979

AGES	1970					1979						
	ALL MARRIAGES	SECOND MARRIAGES	THIRD MARRIAGES	4TH OR MORE MARRIAGES	ALL MARRIAGES	SECOND MARRIAGES	THIRD MARRIAGES	4TH OR MORE MARRIAGES	ALL MARRIAGES	SECOND MARRIAGES	THIRD MARRIAGES	4TH OR MORE MARRIAGES
All Ages.....	91,933	18,074	3,495	667	89,450	23,727	5,163	1,182	89,450	23,727	5,163	1,182
Under 20.....	16,962	50	2	-	7,941	25	-	-	7,941	25	-	-
20-24.....	41,672	2,332	77	1	34,544	1,992	47	1	34,544	1,992	47	1
25-29.....	13,811	4,017	357	13	20,165	5,725	485	31	20,165	5,725	485	31
30-34.....	5,441	2,790	458	62	9,908	5,357	1,048	140	9,908	5,357	1,048	140
35-39.....	3,306	2,009	452	87	5,361	3,362	962	199	5,361	3,362	962	199
40-44.....	2,917	1,799	515	97	3,459	2,136	769	220	3,459	2,136	769	220
45 or Over.	7,824	5,077	1,634	407	8,069	5,128	1,852	591	8,069	5,128	1,852	591
Not Stated..	-	-	-	-	3	2	-	-	3	2	-	-
Median Age at Last Birthday	23	34	43	48	25	33	40	45	25	33	40	45

between 1970 and 1979 in the age distribution for third and higher order marriages. The median age at marriage declined by three years during this period for third marriages and fourth and higher order marriages for both brides and grooms.

The frequency of remarriages among females increased by 30.6 percent between 1970 and 1979, while the number of brides who had been married at least three times previously increased by 43.2 percent. The increases for males were even more dramatic. Total remarriages increased by 35.2 percent and fourth or higher order marriages increased in frequency by 77.2 percent during the decade.

Changes in the frequency of remarriages have varied substantially in different age groups. Among persons under age 25 of both sexes the number of remarriages declined, with the largest relative declines occurring among those under age 20. The number of brides between ages 25 and 29 who had previously been married increased by 69.0 percent between 1970 and 1979, while that of grooms increased 42.3 percent. The largest relative increase in numbers of remarriages for males and females occurred in the age group 30-34 years (97.7 percent for males and 97.3 percent for females). Numbers of remarriages also increased substantially for persons 35-44 years of age. For females 45 and over the number of remarriages declined, while for males the frequency increased.

First Marriages

First marriages are an interesting component of all marriages in that they constitute an event that can never be duplicated. The frequency of first marriages can not be directly affected by rates of divorce or deaths to married persons and as such reflect the propensity of the population as a whole to enter into marital agreements.

There has been a general decline in both the number and rate of first marriages between 1970 and 1979. The number of first marriages dropped 12.9 percent for women and 14.8 percent for men. The rate of first marriages dropped 15.5 percent for women and 18.1 percent for men. This downward trend in the number and rate of first marriages has not been consistent, however. For men and women, the number and rate of first marriages remained fairly constant between 1970 and 1972, dropped between 1972 and 1976, and increased between 1976 and 1979 (Tables 3.11, 3.12, 3.13 and 3.14).

TABLE 3.11 - First Marriages by Age of Bride
Michigan Occurrences, 1970-1979

AGE OF BRIDE	YEAR									
	1979	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973	1972	1971	1970
All Ages	61,281	60,956	59,832	57,860	58,554	63,564	70,076	71,373	70,022	70,317
15-19 Years ¹	19,531	20,858	22,341	23,208	24,723	28,238	32,658	33,948	33,227	33,384
20-24 Years	31,260	30,356	28,893	27,014	26,604	28,153	30,249	30,771	30,646	30,823
25-29 Years	8,059	7,412	6,348	5,634	5,189	5,094	5,036	4,615	4,138	4,079
30-34 Years	1,595	1,469	1,377	1,113	1,075	1,108	1,108	1,048	973	995
35-39 Years	402	418	385	381	422	382	395	403	408	413
40-44 Years	166	165	173	205	177	204	228	217	221	223
45-49 Years	110	104	118	126	132	152	154	139	153	158
50 or Over	156	173	197	177	229	233	247	228	254	238
Not Stated	2	1	-	2	3	-	1	4	2	4

¹Brides under age 15 included in age 15-19

TABLE 3.12 - First Marriages by Age of Groom,
Michigan Occurrences, 1970-1979

AGE OF GROOM	YEAR									
	1979	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973	1972	1971	1970
All Ages	59,356	58,806	57,737	55,962	56,655	61,884	68,682	70,120	69,091	69,636
15-19 Years ¹	7,906	8,267	9,481	10,206	11,188	13,209	15,468	16,416	16,044	16,865
20-24 Years	32,501	32,900	32,269	30,961	31,327	34,283	38,436	39,641	39,692	39,249
25-29 Years	13,924	13,026	11,706	10,916	10,336	10,455	10,596	10,048	9,306	9,423
30-34 Years	3,360	2,996	2,653	2,288	2,157	2,208	2,289	2,139	2,056	2,130
35-39 Years	837	797	747	665	680	716	749	759	794	758
40-44 Years	332	297	324	343	322	339	418	415	454	506
45-49 Years	160	183	198	226	241	260	314	294	317	295
50 or Over	335	340	358	355	404	412	412	408	428	410
Not Stated	1	-	1	2	-	2	-	-	-	-

¹Grooms under age 15 included in age 15-19

TABLE 3.13 - First Marriage Rates¹ by Age of Bride,
Michigan Occurrences, 1970-1979

AGE OF BRIDE	YEAR									
	1979	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973	1972	1971	1970
All Ages	13.1	13.1	12.9	12.5	12.6	13.7	15.2	15.5	15.2	15.5
15-19 Years ²	41.9	44.2	47.1	49.0	52.1	60.2	70.6	75.5	74.0	76.5
20-24 Years	78.0	76.8	74.0	69.9	64.9	71.0	77.8	77.5	77.3	82.4
25-29 Years	24.2	22.4	19.1	16.4	15.1	15.2	15.3	14.9	13.4	13.6
30-34 Years	4.6	4.3	4.2	3.6	3.6	3.8	4.0	4.1	3.8	4.0
35-39 Years	1.4	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7
40-44 Years	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.1	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8
45-49 Years	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.6
50 or Over	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2

¹Number of persons married per 1,000 population

²Brides under 15 included in age 15-19

TABLE 3.14 - First Marriage Rates¹ by Age of Groom,
Michigan Occurrences, 1970-1979

AGE OF GROOM	YEAR									
	1979	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973	1972	1971	1970
All Ages	13.1	13.0	12.8	12.5	12.6	13.8	15.4	15.9	15.7	16.0
15-19 Years ²	16.8	17.6	20.1	21.9	22.6	27.0	32.2	35.8	35.0	38.6
20-24 Years	84.7	87.5	88.4	88.6	76.0	91.1	110.8	116.0	116.3	119.4
25-29 Years	54.7	53.4	47.4	40.7	39.3	38.1	35.9	33.4	31.0	32.1
30-34 Years	10.2	8.7	7.6	6.8	6.8	7.1	7.7	8.6	8.3	8.9
35-39 Years	2.5	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.9	3.1	3.3	3.5	3.3
40-44 Years	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.7	1.4	1.4	1.7	1.6	1.8	2.0
45-49 Years	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.1
50 or Over	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4

¹Number of persons married per 1,000 population

²Grooms under 15 included in age 15-19

Changes in the frequency of first marriages have varied in different age groups.

The greatest decline in first marriages occurred in the under 20 age group for both brides and grooms, and the decline has been consistent over the period 1972-1979. The number of first marriages in the under 20 age group dropped by 41.5 percent for brides and 53.1 percent for grooms between 1970 and 1979 while the corresponding rate for first marriages dropped 45.2 percent for brides and 56.5 percent for grooms. The number and rate of first marriages also declined substantially for grooms in the 20-24 age group. There were significant increases in the number and rate of first marriages of brides and grooms between ages 25 and 34. Since 1970 the number of first marriages has declined for persons aged 40 or over. The increase in the overall rate of first marriages between 1976 and 1979 is due to a rise in the rates of first marriages for brides aged 20 through 34 and grooms aged 25 through 34. This is consistent with the general trend since 1970 for 25-29 year old brides and grooms but a shift in trend for the other age intervals.

Age at First Marriage

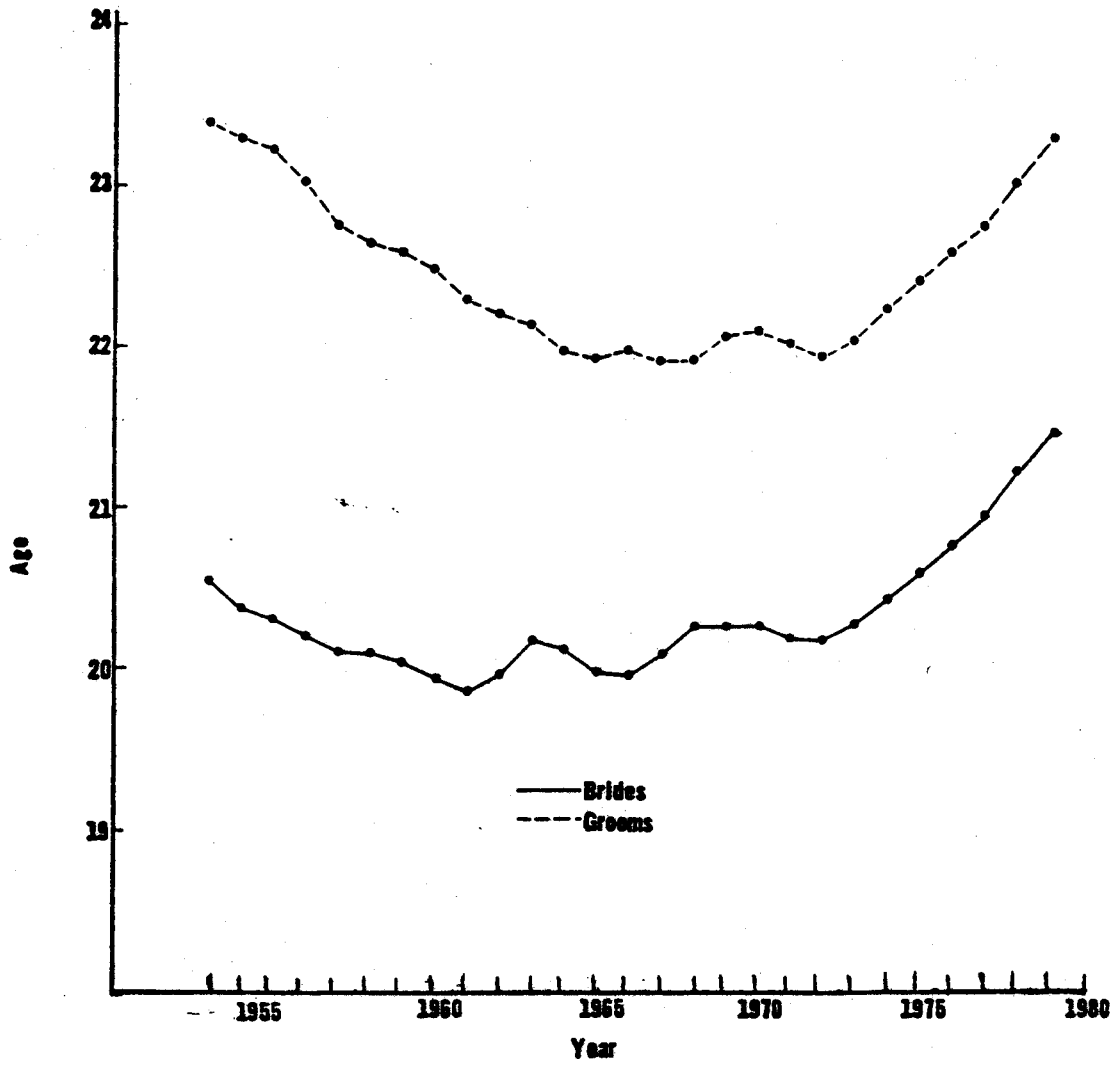
Age at first marriage declined for both brides and grooms between 1953 and the mid-1960's. This decline was greater for males than for females. Grooms were 34 months older than brides at the median in 1953, 23 months older in 1963 and 20 months older in 1968. During the past dozen years, the median age at first marriage has increased by a similar amount for both males and females. Grooms were 21 months older than brides at the median in 1979.

The median age at first marriage in 1979 was 21 years 5 months for brides and 23 years 2 months for grooms. The 1979 figure was the highest median age at first marriage recorded for brides during the period. The grooms' median age in 1979 was below the median observed during the years 1953-1954 but higher than those recorded in the past 23 years (Figure 3.3).

Divorces and Annulments

The number of reported divorces and annulments fell from 45,029 in 1978 to 44,242 in 1979. This constitutes a decline of 1.7 percent and represents only the second decline since 1963. The other decline occurred in 1977 (0.2 percent). In 1978 the number of

**FIGURE 3.3 Median Age at first Marriage by Sex,
Michigan Occurrences, 1953-1979.**



divorces and annulments increased by 4.6 percent. The number of divorces occurring nationally increased by an estimated 3.5 percent in 1979, the seventeenth successive year in which this figure has increased. In both Michigan and the United States the number of divorces in 1979 was more than two and one-half times the figure for 1960 (Table 3.15).

The number of persons divorced in Michigan per thousand population decreased from 9.8 in 1978 to 9.6 in 1979, while the national rate increased from 10.4 to 10.6. Michigan's divorce rate was higher than that for the United States each year from 1900 through 1947. In the following 32 years the Michigan divorce rate has been at or below the national rate 25 times. The lowest rate in this century for Michigan was 2.0 in the years 1900 and 1901 while the lowest national rate was 1.5 in 1900 and 1902. Since 1900 the divorce rates for only two years, 1946 (10.2) and 1978 (9.8) were higher than that for 1979 (Table 3.15 and Figure 3.4). The provisional United States estimate for 1979 was the highest national rate for the 80 years examined.

The number of children under 18 of couples dissolving marriages in 1979 was at least 47,019 (Table 3.16). This is a 21.6 percent increase since 1969. The number of children affected by divorce has steadily increased as a proportion of all children. This ratio increased from 6.5 per 1,000 Michigan children in 1960 to 12.6 in 1970 and 17.2 in 1979 (Table 3.17). The average number of children per divorce has, nonetheless, dropped slightly from 1.4 children in 1970 to 1.1 in 1979. The decline primarily reflects a decline in the proportion of divorces involving three or more children. It should be noted that Michigan live birth data indicate that there has been a decline in the relative proportion of women having third or higher order live births over the past decade. Data for the United States indicate a similar pattern.

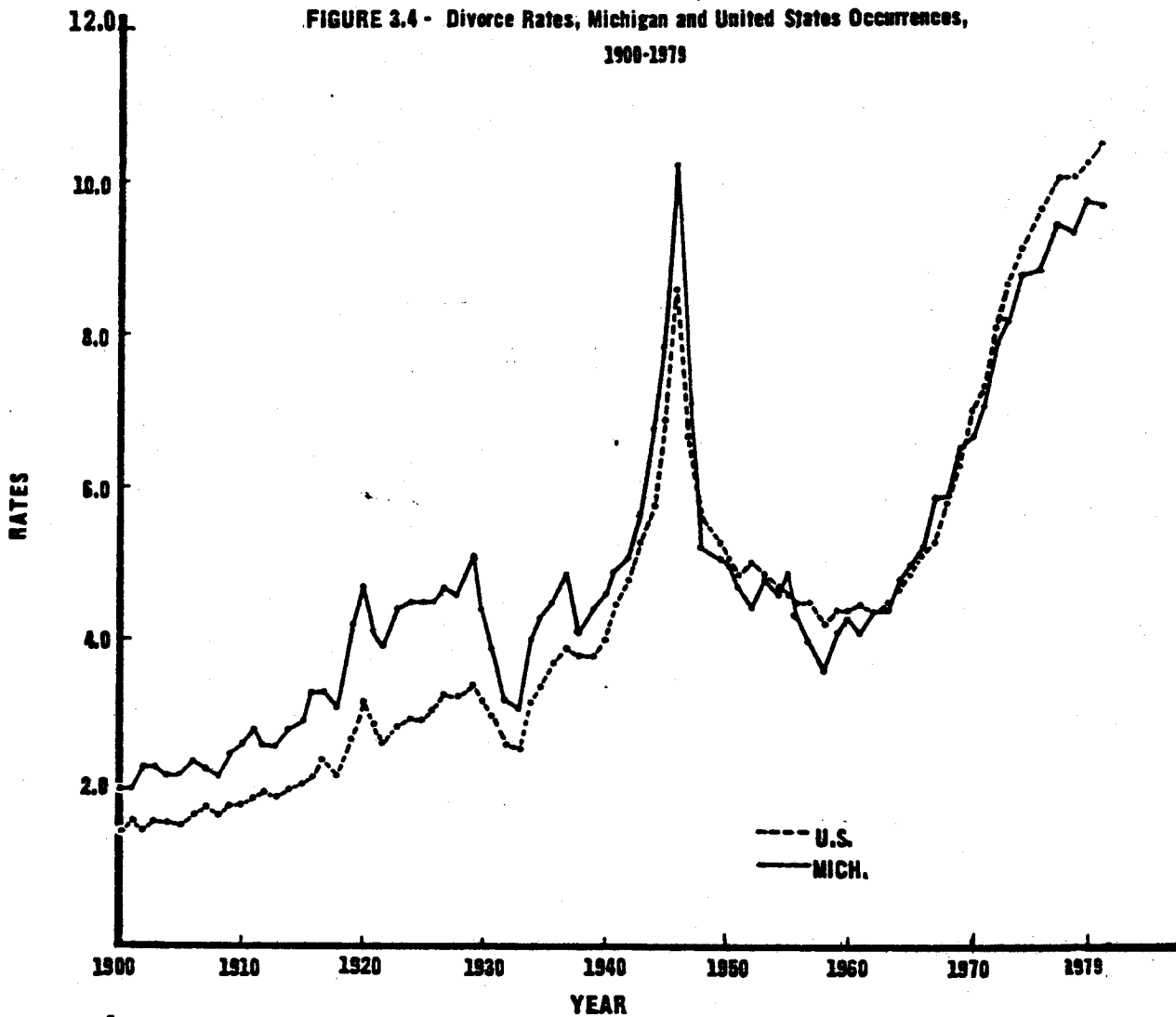
TABLE 3.15 - Number of Divorces and Annulments, and Divorce and Annulment Rates¹, Michigan and United States Occurrences Selected Years, 1920 - 1979

UNITED STATES		YEAR	MICHIGAN	
NUMBER	RATE		NUMBER	RATE
170,505	3.2	1920	8,679	4.7
195,961	3.2	1930	10,639	4.4
264,000	4.0	1940	12,054	4.6
385,144	5.1	1950	15,979	5.0
393,000	4.4	1960	16,565	4.3
414,000	4.5	1961	16,219	4.1
413,000	4.4	1962	17,500	4.4
428,000	4.5	1963	17,479	4.4
450,000	4.7	1964	19,400	4.8
479,000	4.9	1965	20,305	5.0
499,000	5.1	1966	21,727	5.2
523,000	5.3	1967	23,620	5.5
584,000	5.8	1968	25,400	5.9
639,000	6.3	1969	28,347	6.5
708,000	7.0	1970	29,934	6.7
773,000	7.5	1971	31,790	7.1
845,000	8.1	1972	35,505	7.9
915,000	8.7	1973	37,121	8.2
977,000	9.2	1974	39,940 ²	8.8 ²
1,036,000	9.7	1975	40,782	8.9
1,083,000	10.1	1976	43,101	9.5
1,091,000	10.1	1977	43,036	9.4
1,130,000	10.4	1978	45,029	9.8
1,170,000Pr.	10.6Pr.	1979	44,242	9.6

¹Number of persons whose marriages ended in divorce or annulment per 1,000 population

²Estimate

**FIGURE 3.4 - Divorce Rates, Michigan and United States Occurrences,
1900-1979**



¹ United States rate for 1979 is Provisional

TABLE 3.15 - Divorces and Annulments by Children Under 18 Present,
Michigan Occurrences, 1969 and 1979¹

NUMBER OF CHILDREN	DIVORCES AND ANNULMENTS				PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL DIVORCES	
	1969	ESTIMATED TOTAL CHILDREN (MINIMUM) ²	1979	ESTIMATED TOTAL CHILDREN (MINIMUM) ²	1969	1979
Zero.....	11,170	-	16,720	-	39.4	37.9
One.....	6,369	6,369	10,619	10,619	22.5	24.1
Two.....	5,018	10,036	9,280	18,560	17.7	21.0
Three.....	2,956	8,868	3,607	10,821	10.4	8.2
Four.....	1,600	6,400	1,148	4,592	5.6	2.6
Five or More.....	1,233	7,007	452	2,427	4.3	1.0
Not Stated.....	1	-	2,283	-	0.0	5.2
Total.....	28,347	38,680	44,109	47,019	100.0	100.0

¹1979 data exclude 133 divorces and annulments (45 in Arenac and 88 in Menominee) reported too late for inclusion in the computer file.

²Total children for marriages involving 8 or more children under 18 is not available.

Table 3.17 - Estimated Number of Children Involved in Divorces and Annulments, Average Number of Children Per Divorce, and Rate Per 1,000 Children Under 18 years of Age: Michigan and United States, Selected Years 1960 - 1979

MICHIGAN			Year	UNITED STATES		
Estimated Number of Children Involved	Average Number of Children Per Divorce	Rate per 1,000 Under 18 Years of Age		Estimated Number of Children Involved	Average Number of Children Per Divorce	Rate per 1,000 Under 18 Years of Age
19,209	1.15	6.5	1960	463,000	1.18	7.2
40,964	1.37	12.6	1970	870,000	1.23	12.5
43,910	1.38	13.6 ¹	1971	946,000	1.22	13.6
46,538	1.31	14.5	1972	1,021,000	1.21	14.8
48,153	1.18	16.1 ¹	1975	1,123,000	1.08	16.9
49,555	1.15	17.0 ¹	1976	1,117,000	1.03	17.1
47,569	1.11	---	1977	1,095,000	1.00	17.0
48,510	1.08	17.3 ¹	1978	1,147,000	1.02	18.1
47,019	1.07	17.2	1979 ²	---	---	---

¹Revised data

²Michigan data for 1979 exclude 133 divorces and annulments reported too late for inclusion in the statistical file. In addition there were 2,283 records on which the number of children under 18 years of age was not stated.

REFERENCE APPENDIX

SECTION IV

TABLE 4.1

POPULATION, LIVE BIRTHS, DEATHS (ALL AGES, INFANT, NEONATAL, PERINATAL, FETAL,
AND MATERNAL), MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES
MICHIGAN, 1900-1979

(Deaths exclusive of fetal deaths. Perinatal deaths include deaths under 1 week and fetal deaths. Divorces include annulments.)

Year	Population ¹	Live Births	DEATHS							Marriages	Divorces	
			All Ages	Under 1 Year	Under 28 Days ²	28-364 Days	Peri-natal	Fetal	Maternal			
1900	2,420,982	43,699	32,453	6,866					1,325	452	23,295	2,435
1901	2,459,901	43,221	32,834	6,319					1,501	531	24,079	2,448
1902	2,498,820	45,646	31,672	5,949					1,793	468	25,653	2,828
1903	2,537,739	46,020	33,176	6,488					1,814	427	26,029	2,945
1904	2,576,658	47,508	34,494	6,419					1,911	436	26,918	2,808
1905	2,615,578	46,976	34,679	7,054					2,044	416	26,307	2,825
1906	2,654,497	58,599	37,033	7,952					2,358	400	27,519	3,192
1907	2,693,416	59,029	36,701	6,906					2,358	391	27,940	3,107
1908	2,732,335	64,772	36,761	7,697					2,694	440	25,765	3,020
1909	2,771,254	64,323	36,313	7,443					2,540	405	27,353	3,516
1910	2,810,173	64,109	39,913	7,998					2,559	431	29,039	3,716
1911	2,895,997	65,756	38,007	7,131					2,716	451	29,859	4,125
1912	2,981,821	69,537	38,804	6,985					2,906	396	31,694	3,838
1913	3,067,645	73,058	40,827	7,659					2,953	528	33,529	3,978
1914	3,153,469	76,761	39,906	7,431					3,113	507	36,316	4,395
1915	3,239,293	81,100	40,441	6,943					3,357	488	35,527	4,737
1916	3,325,116	87,062	46,047	8,415					3,689	503	40,143	5,540
1917	3,410,940	89,419	47,236	7,916					3,550	586	42,791	5,627
1918	3,496,764	91,261	54,617	8,197					3,686	709	33,260	5,493
1919	3,582,588	84,062	45,636	7,560					3,361	578	45,579	7,469
1920	3,668,412	92,245	51,982	8,587					3,770	795	50,805	8,679
1921	3,785,799	96,035	44,186	7,584					3,669	605	41,508	7,676
1922	3,903,186	90,042	43,817	6,730					3,779	551	43,561	7,591
1923	4,020,573	92,956	49,333	7,477					3,657	583	49,569	8,745
1924	4,137,960	98,187	47,304	7,088	4,119	2,969	6,791	3,703	6,791	636	49,788	9,400
1925	4,255,347	98,983	49,417	7,498	4,022	3,476	6,667	3,670	6,667	629	46,276	9,650
1926	4,372,734	98,289	54,080	7,620	4,054	3,566	6,773	3,816	6,773	631	39,788	9,795
1927	4,490,121	99,940	50,600	6,766	3,915	2,851	6,794	3,834	6,794	667	36,276	10,617
1928	4,607,508	97,462	54,755	6,806	3,739	3,067	6,594	3,701	6,594	603	37,300	10,615
1929	4,724,895	98,695	56,117	6,605	3,777	2,828	6,613	3,710	6,613	617	36,816	12,094
1930	4,842,325	98,882	51,561	6,213	3,624	2,589	6,518	3,714	6,518	597	29,482	10,639
1931	4,883,703	90,547	49,068	5,187	3,084	2,103	5,643	3,220	5,643	539	28,856	9,507
1932	4,925,081	85,254	49,569	4,630	2,798	1,832	5,210	2,980	5,210	493	28,552	7,889
1933	4,966,459	80,482	48,507	4,094	2,591	1,503	4,906	2,776	4,906	447	33,132	7,871
1934	5,007,837	83,944	50,440	4,377	2,717	1,660	4,781	2,607	4,781	450	43,261	10,126
1935	5,049,216	87,403	51,051	4,170	2,550	1,620	4,832	2,717	4,832	438	45,313	10,844
1936	5,090,594	88,457	54,777	4,479	2,647	1,832	4,726	2,625	4,726	425	47,023	11,419
1937	5,131,972	91,566	53,468	4,374	2,700	1,674	4,919	2,707	4,919	326	47,954	12,472
1938	5,173,350	96,962	50,678	4,319	2,734	1,585	4,984	2,732	4,984	345	30,105	10,646
1939	5,214,728	94,432	52,017	3,952	2,594	1,358	4,706	2,572	4,706	280	37,725	11,589
1940	5,256,106	99,105	52,092	4,022	2,629	1,393	4,749	2,602	4,749	292	46,342	12,054
1941	5,437,546	107,438	52,671	4,166	2,687	1,479	4,991	2,769	4,991	298	50,989	13,317
1942	5,538,856	124,068	52,738	4,406	3,091	1,515	5,581	3,067	5,581	260	51,582	14,085
1943	5,577,329	125,441	56,774	4,904	2,979	1,825	5,563	3,213	5,563	237	44,385	15,259
1944	5,577,329	113,586	54,016	4,326	2,784	1,542	5,140	2,874	5,140	198	41,678	18,356
1945	5,435,092	111,557	53,641	4,008	2,670	1,338	4,906	2,703	4,906	166	28,329	21,133
1946	5,708,415	138,572	54,856	4,641	3,323	1,218	5,978	3,168	5,978	163	78,808	29,158
1947	6,059,000	160,275	56,807	5,055	3,677	1,378	6,583	3,422	6,583	173	71,319	31,386
1948	6,195,000	153,726	56,520	4,617	3,352	1,265	5,968	3,132	5,968	120	61,986	16,017
1949	6,352,000	156,469	57,107	4,520	3,232	1,288	5,746	2,994	5,746	105	53,109	16,274
1950	6,371,766	160,055	57,567	4,214	3,043	1,171	5,781	3,095	5,781	91	58,180	15,979
1951	6,545,000	172,451	59,181	4,505	3,296	1,209	6,088	3,158	6,088	94	53,411	15,446
1952	6,708,000	177,835	59,138	4,689	3,414	1,275	6,266	3,224	6,266	82	50,487	14,925
1953	6,852,000	182,968	62,087	4,728	3,369	1,339	6,188	3,180	6,188	79	53,308	16,537
1954	7,024,000	192,104	60,706	4,795	3,560	1,235	6,415	3,249	6,415	94	51,243	16,281
1955	7,236,000	196,294	63,087	4,873	3,707	1,166	6,381	3,029	6,381	81	55,696	17,676
1956	7,516,000	206,068	64,352	5,043	3,796	1,251	6,555	3,245	6,555	66	57,068	16,228
1957	7,803,000	208,488	66,435	5,093	3,884	1,209	6,668	3,154	6,668	79	55,121	15,442
1958	7,866,000	202,690	65,899	4,980	3,789	1,191	6,516	3,101	6,516	69	55,159	14,040
1959	7,960,000	198,301	66,812	4,846	3,674	1,172	6,250	2,928	6,250	72	58,826	16,168
1960	7,823,194	195,056	67,912	4,702	3,580	1,122	6,247	3,008	6,247	75	61,090	16,656
1961	7,903,000	192,825	67,375	4,604	3,475	1,129	5,875	2,735	5,875	78	63,320	16,219
1962	7,939,000	182,790	70,049	4,367	3,251	1,016	5,669	2,703	5,669	56	65,002	17,500
1963	8,030,000	178,871	72,438	4,150	3,109	1,041	5,407	2,540	5,407	71	68,160	17,479
1964	8,100,000	175,103	72,129	4,043	3,071	972	5,293	2,466	5,293	62	73,911	19,400
1965	8,199,283	166,464	73,665	3,936	2,909	1,027	5,139	2,475	5,139	54	81,247	20,305
1966	8,314,070	165,794	74,596	3,751	2,830	921	4,909	2,295	4,909	54	83,903	21,727
1967	8,415,000	162,756	75,360	3,595	2,714	881	4,693	2,195	4,693	52	84,363	23,620
1968	8,475,000	159,058	76,855	3,438	2,617	821	4,476	2,064	4,476	44	90,984	25,400
1969	8,734,000	165,760	76,693	3,356	2,550	806	4,488	2,175	4,488	27	93,392	28,347
1970	8,875,083	171,667	76,321	3,492	2,683	809	4,522	2,060	4,522	29	91,933	29,934
1971	8,996,000	162,244	77,395	3,157	2,612	745	4,139	1,923	4,139	32	92,134	31,790
1972	9,013,475	146,854	79,210	2,801	2,115	686	3,700	1,770	3,700	35	94,447	35,505
1973	9,061,000	141,550	78,522	2,561	1,902	659	3,292	1,682	3,292	26	94,486	37,121
1974	9,098,000	137,414	76,143	2,387	1,734	653	2,960	1,451	2,960	19	88,023	39,940
1975	9,157,000	133,931	74,522	2,205	1,563	642	2,690	1,373	2,690	16	82,856	40,782
1976	9,104,000	131,378	75,801	1,978	1,424	554	2,502	1,271	2,502	14	82,753	43,101
1977	9,129,000	138,416	74,144	1,945	1,367	578	2,456	1,288	2,456	11	86,088	43,036
1978	9,189,000	138,802	74,773	1,931	1,281	450	2,422	1,221	2,422	15	88,333	45,029
1979	9,207,000	144,452	73,480	1,921	1,295	626	2,326	1,216	2,326	11	89,450	44,242

1 - 1900-1942: United States Bureau of Census April 1 Census counts and July 1 estimates.

1943-1944: United States Bureau of Census November 1, 1943 estimate.

1945-1960: United States Bureau of Census April 1 Census counts and July 1 estimates.

1961-1964: University of Michigan Population Studies Center July 1 estimates.

1965-1969: Michigan Center for Health Statistics July 1 estimates.

1970: United States Bureau of Census April 1 Census counts.

1971-1979: United States Bureau of Census Provisional July 1 estimates.

2 - For years prior to 1950 deaths under 1 month of age are included in deaths under 28 days.

3 - Estimate.

TABLE 4.2
LIVE BIRTH RATES, DEATH RATES (ALL AGES, INFANT, NEONATAL, PERINATAL,
AND MATERNAL), FETAL DEATH RATIOS, MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE RATES
MICHIGAN RESIDENTS, 1900-1979

(Birth rate, death rate for all ages, rate of persons married and rate of persons divorced per 1,000 population. Fetal death ratio, mortality rates for deaths under 1 year, under 28 days, and from 28-364 days per 1,000 live births. Maternal mortality rates per 10,000 live births. Perinatal mortality rate is number of deaths under 1 week and fetal deaths per 1,000 live births and fetal deaths.)

Year	Live Births	DEATHS							PERSONS		
		All Ages	Under 1 Year	Under 28 Days ¹	28-364 Days	Peri-natal	Fetal	Maternal	Married	Divorced	
1900	18.1	13.4	157.1					30.3	103.4	19.2	2.0
1901	17.6	13.3	146.2					34.7	122.9	19.6	2.0
1902	18.2	12.6	130.6					39.4	102.8	20.5	2.3
1903	18.1	13.1	141.0					39.4	92.8	20.5	2.3
1904	18.4	13.4	135.1					40.2	91.8	19.3	2.2
1905	18.0	13.3	150.2					43.5	86.6	20.1	2.2
1906	22.1	14.0	135.7					40.2	68.3	20.7	2.4
1907	21.9	13.6	117.0					39.9	66.2	20.7	2.3
1908	23.7	13.5	118.8					41.6	67.9	18.9	2.2
1909	23.2	13.1	115.7					29.5	63.0	19.7	2.5
1910	22.8	14.2	124.8					39.9	67.2	20.7	2.6
1911	22.7	13.1	108.4					41.3	68.6	20.6	2.8
1912	23.3	13.0	100.4					41.8	56.9	21.3	2.6
1913	23.8	13.3	104.8					40.4	72.3	21.9	2.6
1914	24.3	12.7	96.8					40.6	66.0	22.4	2.6
1915	25.0	12.5	85.6					41.4	60.2	21.9	2.9
1916	26.2	13.8	96.7					42.4	57.8	24.1	3.3
1917	26.2	13.8	88.5					39.7	65.5	25.1	3.3
1918	26.1	15.6	89.8					40.4	77.7	19.0	3.1
1919	23.5	12.7	89.9					40.0	68.8	25.4	4.2
1920	25.1	14.2	93.1					40.9	86.2	27.7	4.7
1921	25.4	11.7	79.0					38.2	63.0	21.9	4.1
1922	23.1	11.2	74.7					42.0	61.2	22.3	3.9
1923	23.1	12.3	80.4					39.3	62.7	24.7	4.4
1924	23.7	11.4	72.2	41.9	30.2	66.7		37.7	64.8	24.1	4.5
1925	23.3	11.6	75.7	40.6	35.1	64.9		37.1	63.5	21.7	4.5
1926	22.5	12.4	77.5	41.2	36.3	66.3		38.8	64.2	18.7	4.5
1927	22.3	11.3	67.7	39.2	28.5	65.5		38.4	66.7	16.2	4.7
1928	21.2	11.9	69.8	38.4	31.5	65.2		38.0	61.9	16.2	4.6
1929	20.9	11.9	66.9	38.3	28.7	64.6		37.6	62.5	15.6	5.1
1930	20.4	10.6	62.8	36.6	26.2	63.5		37.6	60.4	12.2	4.4
1931	18.5	10.1	57.3	34.1	23.2	60.2		35.6	59.5	11.8	3.9
1932	17.3	10.1	54.3	32.8	21.5	59.0		35.0	57.8	11.6	3.2
1933	16.2	9.8	50.9	32.2	18.7	56.9		34.5	55.5	13.3	3.1
1934	16.8	10.1	52.1	32.4	19.8	55.2		31.1	53.6	17.3	4.0
1935	17.3	10.1	47.7	29.2	18.5	53.6		31.1	50.1	17.9	4.3
1936	17.4	10.8	50.6	29.9	20.7	51.9		29.7	48.0	18.5	4.5
1937	17.8	10.4	47.8	29.5	18.3	52.2		29.6	35.4	18.7	4.9
1938	18.7	9.8	44.5	28.2	16.3	50.0		28.2	35.6	11.6	4.1
1939	18.1	10.0	41.8	27.5	14.6	48.5		27.2	29.4	14.5	4.4
1940	18.9	9.9	40.6	26.5	14.1	46.7		26.3	29.5	17.6	4.6
1941	19.8	9.7	38.8	25.0	13.8	45.3		25.8	27.7	18.8	4.9
1942	22.4	9.5	37.1	24.9	12.2	43.9		24.7	21.0	18.6	5.1
1943	23.3	10.6	38.3	23.7	14.5	43.2		25.6	18.9	16.5	5.7
1944	21.1	10.0	38.1	24.5	13.6	44.1		25.3	17.4	15.5	6.8
1945	20.5	9.9	35.9	23.9	12.0	42.9		24.2	14.9	17.8	7.8
1946	24.3	9.6	32.8	24.0	8.8	42.2		22.9	11.8	27.6	10.2
1947	24.4	9.4	31.5	22.9	8.6	40.2		21.4	10.8	23.5	7.1
1948	24.8	9.1	30.0	21.8	8.2	38.0		20.4	7.8	20.0	5.2
1949	24.6	9.0	28.9	20.7	8.2	36.0		19.1	6.7	16.7	5.1
1950	25.1	9.0	26.3	19.0	7.3	35.4		19.3	5.7	18.3	5.0
1951	26.3	9.0	26.1	19.1	7.0	34.7		18.3	5.5	16.3	4.7
1952	26.5	8.8	26.4	19.2	7.2	34.6		18.1	4.6	15.1	4.4
1953	26.7	9.1	25.8	18.5	7.3	33.2		17.4	4.3	15.6	4.8
1954	27.3	8.6	25.0	18.5	6.4	32.8		16.9	4.9	14.6	4.6
1955	27.1	8.7	24.8	18.9	5.9	32.0		15.4	3.1	15.4	4.9
1956	27.4	8.6	24.5	18.4	6.1	31.8		15.7	4.1	15.2	4.7
1957	26.7	8.5	24.4	18.6	5.8	31.5		15.1	3.8	14.1	4.0
1958	25.8	8.4	24.6	18.7	5.9	31.7		15.3	3.4	14.0	3.6
1959	24.9	8.4	24.4	18.5	5.9	31.1		14.8	3.6	14.8	4.1
1960	24.9	8.7	24.1	18.4	5.8	31.5		15.4	3.8	15.6	4.3
1961	24.4	8.5	23.9	18.0	5.9	30.0		14.2	4.0	16.0	4.1
1962	23.0	8.8	23.9	17.8	6.1	30.6		14.8	3.1	16.4	4.6
1963	22.3	9.0	23.2	17.4	5.8	29.8		14.2	4.0	17.0	4.4
1964	21.6	8.9	23.1	17.6	5.6	29.8		14.1	3.5	18.2	4.8
1965	20.3	9.0	23.6	17.5	6.2	30.4		14.9	3.2	19.8	5.0
1966	19.9	9.0	23.6	17.5	5.6	29.2		13.8	3.3	20.2	5.2
1967	18.9	8.7	22.1	16.7	5.4	28.4		13.5	3.2	19.6	5.9
1968	18.3	8.9	21.6	16.5	5.2	27.8		13.0	2.8	21.0	5.9
1969	19.0	8.8	20.2	15.4	4.9	26.7		13.1	1.6	21.4	6.5
1970	19.3	8.6	20.3	16.6	4.7	26.0		12.0	1.7	20.7	6.7
1971	18.0	8.6	19.5	14.9	4.6	25.2		11.9	2.0	20.5	7.1
1972	16.3	8.8	19.1	14.4	4.7	24.9		12.1	2.4	21.0	7.1
1973	15.6	8.7	18.1	13.4	4.7	23.7		11.9	1.8	20.9	8.2
1974	15.1	8.4	17.4	12.6	4.8	21.3		10.6	1.4	19.3	8.8
1975	14.6	8.1	16.5	11.7	4.8	19.9		10.3	1.2	18.1	8.9
1976	14.4	8.3	15.1	10.8	4.2	18.9		9.7	1.1	18.2	9.5
1977	15.2	8.1	14.1	9.9	4.2	17.6		9.3	0.8	18.9	9.4
1978	15.1	8.1	13.9	9.2	4.7	16.6		8.8	1.1	18.2	9.8
1979	15.7	8.0	13.3	9.0	4.3	16.1		8.4	0.8	19.4	9.6

1 - For years prior to 1950 deaths under 1 month of age are included in deaths under 28 days.
2 - Estimate.

TABLE 4.3
NUMBER OF LIVE BIRTHS BY AGE OF MOTHER
MICHIGAN RESIDENTS, 1920-1979

YEAR	AGE OF MOTHER									AGE NOT STATED
	ALL AGES ¹	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	
1920	92,740	34	8,129	26,344	26,251	17,521	10,427	3,523	336	175
1921	96,322	39	8,747	26,583	27,292	18,433	11,150	3,572	337	169
1922	90,209	28	8,125	24,575	25,154	17,690	10,584	3,485	343	225
1923	93,066	37	8,725	25,887	25,459	18,072	10,770	3,476	382	258
1924	98,025	38	9,877	28,000	25,781	18,707	11,395	3,682	321	224
1925	99,220	52	10,248	28,116	26,204	18,869	11,406	3,695	379	241
1926	98,781	76	10,496	28,479	25,875	18,444	11,219	3,568	254	269
1927	100,178	59	10,685	29,302	25,707	18,790	11,287	3,722	332	294
1928	97,797	54	10,768	28,895	25,003	17,953	10,913	3,558	315	318
1929	99,134	56	11,312	30,582	25,557	16,957	10,555	3,523	293	299
1930	99,325	60	11,476	29,956	25,861	17,125	10,684	3,582	291	290
1931	90,929	61	10,109	27,255	23,806	15,937	9,905	3,317	302	237
1932	85,736	62	9,297	25,686	22,608	14,988	9,314	3,250	291	240
1933	80,523	52	8,642	23,874	21,618	14,298	8,795	3,173	261	210
1934	83,925	48	9,039	25,458	22,507	14,968	8,391	3,050	259	205
1935	87,446	47	9,808	27,631	22,938	15,026	8,473	3,029	284	210
1936	88,427	53	9,764	28,681	23,584	14,814	8,194	2,866	274	197
1937	91,539	54	10,524	30,532	24,366	15,022	7,949	2,653	242	197
1938	96,963	64	11,024	32,581	26,116	15,690	8,397	2,698	253	140
1939	94,302	51	10,368	31,036	26,095	15,976	8,021	2,416	209	130
1940	99,021	51	10,671	32,960	27,860	16,549	8,146	2,390	202	192
1941	107,458	50	11,309	36,833	31,057	17,132	8,351	2,361	200	155
1942	123,886	66	12,721	43,947	36,034	19,367	8,985	2,445	202	119
1943	125,778	67	11,934	41,627	37,773	21,449	9,980	2,615	184	149
1944	114,700	76	10,113	36,096	33,654	21,094	10,636	2,714	182	135
1945	112,655	73	9,294	32,790	33,143	22,831	11,185	2,970	229	140
1946	139,277	72	10,899	45,999	41,985	25,184	11,811	3,002	223	102
1947	161,085	91	15,594	55,954	47,793	26,296	12,009	3,073	182	93
1948	154,730	95	16,245	53,520	45,059	25,268	11,391	2,888	173	91
1949	157,178	117	16,404	53,608	46,363	25,971	11,565	2,906	181	63
1950	160,955	111	16,310	53,442	48,186	27,422	12,392	2,831	169	92
1951	173,506	104	17,974	57,340	52,044	29,674	13,086	3,040	160	84
1952	178,634	134	17,206	58,012	54,198	31,756	13,680	3,176	220	52
1953	182,810	166	18,510	58,070	54,734	32,948	14,798	3,350	190	44
1954	192,322	208	20,522	50,776	55,962	35,152	15,862	3,598	220	32
1955	196,623	195	21,417	61,952	56,462	35,968	16,554	3,862	196	15
1956	206,226	192	22,808	66,332	58,392	36,870	17,282	4,172	164	14
1957	208,808	190	23,798	67,086	58,424	36,980	17,956	4,160	200	14
1958	202,930	222	23,034	65,834	55,130	36,278	17,692	4,296	196	18
1959	198,576	200	21,922	65,426	53,434	34,934	18,030	4,424	198	8
1960	195,056	186	22,786	65,108	51,842	33,228	17,410	4,288	202	6
1961	192,825	212	23,691	64,336	50,277	32,456	17,067	4,363	203	20
1962	182,790	268	22,702	62,243	47,109	29,817	16,160	4,250	224	17
1963	178,871	210	21,686	62,834	46,063	28,364	15,117	4,359	229	9
1964	175,103	264	22,526	62,196	44,671	26,542	14,509	4,162	220	13
1965	166,464	287	24,653	59,439	40,693	23,767	13,528	3,886	211	20
1966	165,794	310	28,690	60,711	39,225	21,205	11,846	3,547	223	37
1967	162,758	316	27,267	61,541	40,052	19,840	10,479	3,058	178	24
1968	159,058	400	26,390	60,072	41,561	18,613	9,095	2,739	163	25
1969	165,760	421	28,061	63,376	44,615	18,535	8,157	2,433	134	26
1970	171,667	489	29,784	65,892	46,262	19,003	7,904	2,223	118	12
1971	182,244	472	28,480	62,367	43,639	18,259	6,975	1,926	112	14
1972	148,854	503	28,108	54,199	40,442	16,133	5,805	1,555	95	14
1973	141,550	569	27,238	51,284	39,845	15,520	5,163	1,277	62	22
1974	137,414	501	25,977	49,975	40,215	15,317	4,291	1,063	50	25
1975	133,831	463	24,599	48,675	40,061	14,891	4,273	982	54	23
1976	131,378	404	22,593	47,161	41,412	14,893	4,053	799	47	16
1977	138,416	426	22,585	49,740	43,346	17,293	4,178	771	51	26
1978	138,802	345	21,487	49,498	43,744	18,367	4,562	729	50	20
1979	144,452	355	21,239	51,319	46,084	19,962	4,720	715	41	17

¹Total live births for the years 1920 through 1959 differ from figures in Table 4.1 as they are derived from outside sources. Live births by age of mother were not tabulated in Michigan prior to 1950. These data were obtained from the following sources.

YEAR SOURCE
1920-1923 Unpublished Tables from the National Center for Health Statistics
1924-1932 Bureau of the Census publication, *Birth, Stillbirth and Infant Mortality Statistics for Birth Registration Areas of the United States*.
1933-1936 Unpublished Tables from the National Center for Health Statistics.
1937-1949 Bureau of the Census publication, *Vital Statistics of the United States* series.
1950-1959 Department of Health Education and Welfare publication, *Vital Statistics of the United States* series.

TABLE 4.4
LIVE BIRTH RATES BY FIVE YEAR AGE GROUPS OF MOTHER
MICHIGAN RESIDENTS, 1920-1979

(Live Birth Rates are per 1,000 women per year. Total Fertility Rate is total children to 1,000 women in their lifetime assuming constant Live Birth Rates.)

YEAR	AGE OF MOTHER								TOTAL FERTILITY RATE
	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+ ¹	
1920	0.2	55.7	173.1	164.0	124.2	83.8	34.3	3.8	3,195.5
1921	0.2	56.9	167.3	165.5	125.8	84.8	32.8	3.6	3,104.5
1922	0.2	50.8	149.6	149.1	117.3	77.1	30.7	3.5	2,891.5
1923	0.2	52.6	152.6	147.5	116.5	75.4	29.3	3.8	2,889.5
1924	0.2	57.4	160.0	146.1	117.3	76.7	29.9	3.1	2,953.5
1925	0.3	57.4	155.9	145.4	115.2	73.9	28.8	3.5	2,902.0
1926	0.4	56.9	153.3	140.5	109.7	70.1	25.8	3.2	2,804.5
1927	0.3	56.0	153.3	136.8	108.9	68.1	27.0	2.9	2,766.5
1928	0.2	54.8	147.1	130.3	101.5	63.7	25.0	2.6	2,626.0
1929	0.2	55.7	151.5	130.6	93.6	59.6	23.9	2.4	2,587.5
1930	0.3	55.2	145.5	130.2	92.8	58.9	23.7	2.3	2,544.5
1931	0.3	47.8	130.4	118.3	85.3	54.3	21.5	2.3	2,301.0
1932	0.3	43.4	121.5	111.2	79.4	50.8	20.8	2.2	2,148.0
1933	0.2	39.7	111.6	105.2	75.0	47.7	20.0	1.9	2,006.5
1934	0.2	41.0	117.6	108.4	77.8	45.3	18.9	1.8	2,055.0
1935	0.2	43.9	126.2	109.4	77.4	45.5	18.5	2.0	2,115.5
1936	0.2	43.1	129.5	111.4	75.5	43.8	17.3	1.8	2,113.0
1937	0.2	45.9	136.4	113.9	75.9	42.3	15.8	1.6	2,160.0
1938	0.3	47.4	143.9	120.9	78.5	44.4	15.8	1.6	2,264.0
1939	0.2	44.1	135.6	119.6	79.2	42.3	14.0	1.3	2,181.5
1940	0.2	44.9	142.8	126.8	81.5	42.8	13.7	1.2	2,289.5
1941	0.2	48.1	157.8	137.1	81.6	42.5	13.2	1.2	2,408.5
1942	0.3	54.5	186.6	155.3	89.9	44.7	13.4	1.2	2,729.5
1943	0.3	51.6	175.1	159.0	87.1	48.6	14.1	1.1	2,734.5
1944	0.3	44.1	150.5	138.5	83.2	50.6	14.3	1.0	2,462.5
1945	0.3	40.8	135.5	133.4	88.5	52.1	15.4	1.3	2,386.5
1946	0.3	48.3	188.5	165.3	106.2	53.8	15.3	1.2	2,894.5
1947	0.4	69.7	227.3	184.2	108.4	53.6	15.4	1.0	3,300.0
1948	0.4	73.2	215.5	170.0	101.9	49.8	14.2	1.0	3,130.0
1949	0.5	74.6	214.0	171.4	102.5	49.6	14.1	1.0	3,138.5
1950	0.5	74.6	212.0	175.5	106.5	52.3	13.6	0.9	3,179.5
1951	0.4	79.1	229.0	192.2	114.4	53.9	14.1	0.8	3,419.5
1952	0.5	73.5	233.0	202.5	121.7	56.1	14.4	1.1	3,514.0
1953	0.6	76.8	234.5	207.0	125.5	58.7	14.9	0.9	3,594.5
1954	0.7	82.8	246.8	214.1	133.1	61.8	15.6	1.1	3,780.0
1955	0.6	84.1	253.0	218.6	135.4	63.4	16.4	0.9	3,862.0
1956	0.6	87.2	272.4	228.9	138.0	65.0	17.4	0.8	4,051.5
1957	0.6	88.6	277.1	231.8	137.6	66.4	17.0	0.9	4,100.0
1958	0.6	83.6	273.4	221.5	134.3	65.0	17.2	0.9	3,982.5
1959	0.6	77.6	273.3	217.4	128.6	64.4	17.3	0.9	3,900.5
1960	0.5	79.3	273.1	213.0	121.8	61.4	16.6	0.9	3,833.0
1961	0.6	78.1	252.0	200.7	120.2	61.3	16.8	0.9	3,653.0
1962	0.7	70.7	231.5	183.9	111.4	58.9	16.3	0.9	3,371.5
1963	0.5	64.6	222.5	175.9	107.0	55.9	16.6	0.9	3,219.5
1964	0.6	64.2	210.1	167.0	101.0	54.4	15.8	0.9	3,070.0
1965	0.6	67.4	192.0	149.0	91.2	51.5	14.7	0.8	2,836.0
1966	0.7	75.4	187.9	140.7	82.1	45.8	13.4	0.9	2,734.5
1967	0.7	69.0	182.8	140.8	77.6	41.2	11.5	0.7	2,621.5
1968	0.9	64.3	171.5	143.2	73.4	36.3	10.2	0.6	2,502.0
1969	0.9	66.0	174.2	150.8	73.8	33.1	9.1	0.5	2,542.0
1970	1.0	68.2	176.2	154.2	76.2	32.4	8.3	0.4	2,584.5
1971	1.0	63.5	157.3	141.4	71.8	28.8	7.3	0.4	2,357.5
1972	1.0	62.5	136.4	130.7	63.4	23.9	5.8	0.3	2,120.0
1973	1.2	60.1	131.9	120.9	55.8	22.1	4.7	0.2	1,984.5
1974	1.1	55.4	126.0	120.2	52.4	18.1	4.5	0.2	1,889.5
1975	1.0	51.7	118.8	116.8	49.2	17.7	4.3	0.2	1,796.5
1976	0.9	47.7	122.1	120.8	48.7	18.4	4.3	0.2	1,815.5
1977	0.9	47.6	127.4	130.5	52.8	17.6	4.2	0.2	1,906.0
1978	0.7	45.6	125.3	132.3	53.8	17.5	3.9	0.2	1,896.5
1979	0.8	45.6	128.0	138.3	57.3	16.9	3.7	0.2	1,954.0

1 - Age-specific birth rates for 45-49 based on births to women aged 45 and over.
SOURCE: Population figures for 1920-1970 rates are from General Population Characteristics, Michigan, USBC, 1971, with arithmetic extrapolation between census years. 1971-1979 population source, see Table 4.16.

TABLE 4.5
 REPORTED CASES OF CERTAIN COMMUNICABLE DISEASES
 MICHIGAN RESIDENTS, 1900-1979

Year	Diphtheria	Streptococcal Sore Throat (Including Scarlet Fever)	Smallpox	Typhoid Fever	Whooping Cough	Measles	Hepatitis, Infectious and Serum	Tuberculosis (all forms)	Meningococcal Infections	Polio	Syphilis	Gonorrhea	Chancroid
1900	2,704	6,734	694	5,122	3,375	20,356		2,721	654				
1901	2,498	7,726	5,088	3,002	2,955	4,629		2,915	506				
1902	2,993	6,582	7,026	2,456	3,534	11,978		2,658	528				
1903	3,670	5,353	6,341	2,840	4,172	8,941		2,745	525				
1904	3,510	4,088	5,753	3,028	1,779	10,386		2,928	448				
1905	3,159	2,286	2,985	2,774	1,196	6,061		2,590	577				
1906	3,648	3,066	1,240	3,163	1,364	7,403		2,653	533				
1907	2,935	2,514	1,712	1,953	872	12,139		2,699	575				
1908	2,658	3,087	2,306	2,656	1,248	4,775		2,705	487				
1909	3,109	5,153	1,533	2,694	1,054	9,047		3,423	457				
1910	3,433	6,501	3,319	3,361	1,136	13,934		4,415	522	104			
1911	3,76	5,177	898	2,660	1,897	9,639		5,254	478	68			
1912	3,294	4,533	1,127	2,847	1,255	2,834		1,958	88	78			
1913	5,505	4,140	1,995	2,253	929	9,185		1,920	165	56			
1914	5,149	3,769	1,527	2,167	1,822	11,356		2,566	205	49			
1915	4,386	3,402	1,094	1,956	2,258	4,438		3,648	107	85			
1916	5,625	6,932	1,581	2,513	1,837	12,143		7,076	163	57			
1917	8,499	14,322	3,674	1,723	3,211	14,472		4,856	75	91			
1918	6,128	5,944	5,241	1,339	2,563	6,726		3,655	95	121	5,077	7,910	186
1919	7,896	6,269	2,381	1,254	1,829	8,885		4,231	75	155			
1920	10,360	10,280	4,818	1,421	7,171	22,364		4,994	203	67	8,117	11,463	262
1921	12,075	10,803	4,512	1,837	6,696	3,043		5,708	173	483	7,421	9,774	153
1922	8,513	9,687	1,230	1,108	5,642	12,107		5,573	159	43	7,900	9,717	90
1923	7,725	12,858	2,311	962	7,617	30,041		5,471	186	39	10,480	9,597	235
1924	6,011	12,989	4,527	782	4,364	18,290		5,570	157	647	13,000	10,490	183
1925	3,925	12,303	784	962	7,576	10,332		5,785	128	99	14,668	10,650	104
1926	5,377	12,681	549	583	8,776	39,946		5,387	86	107	14,872	10,707	103
1927	4,575	11,011	1,467	591	6,818	8,303		5,406	138	282	15,713	9,318	107
1928	3,724	10,488	1,335	390	9,700	27,039		5,885	276	77	15,323	8,592	100
1929	4,618	14,245	2,410	310	9,340	18,040		6,248	1,864	180	16,806	9,661	233
1930	3,206	11,174	2,375	504	7,937	28,129		5,128	901	208	16,538	8,554	163
1931	1,831	13,023	915	424	11,448	6,212		6,132	293	1,137	14,662	7,843	170
1932	1,188	15,255	222	513	13,091	42,129		7,103	129	112	11,969	6,953	140
1933	1,152	16,419	46	453	11,720	21,654		6,624	86	93	7,891	6,447	85
1934	614	19,238	59	466	11,255	6,528		5,264	53	230	6,483	6,188	132
1935	645	11,849	16	355	13,427	79,051		4,642	113	614	6,416	6,372	110
1936	661	12,650	32	287	14,287	2,453		8,167	120	152	6,401	6,460	133
1937	842	24,798	152	241	11,426	6,154		6,469	87	421	8,708	7,072	244
1938	619	18,362	274	285	14,563	79,400		6,335	69	59	14,684	7,046	341
1939	452	15,836	371	177	8,997	12,948		6,119	46	904	13,144	6,364	286
1940	264	10,366	76	120	11,757	20,206		6,063	49	1,228	9,999	7,650	218
1941	242	8,756	114	147	16,512	70,748		5,371	49	270	11,370	8,767	359
1942	243	7,503	17	74	11,602	8,569		5,720	66	162	12,461	8,753	276
1943	281	5,044	18	115	12,091	51,764		6,546	757	255	15,933	9,523	260
1944	419	8,963	10	78	4,049	26,711		6,419	857	884	17,288	11,987	185
1945	630	9,304	16	59	5,339	6,328	134	5,471	270	215	16,046	12,565	244
1946	385	5,977	3	85	8,116	42,261	34	5,548	185	1,091	18,051	12,635	206
1947	238	4,834	1	77	10,472	9,574	14	6,470	113	646	15,276	10,989	216
1948	126	5,934	—	49	2,668	42,952	9	6,109	107	775	12,100	9,448	365
1949	119	8,852	—	48	4,157	20,279	28	5,953	120	2,909	8,740	9,427	336
1950	84	4,665	—	43	9,184	38,245	48	5,538	133	2,029	8,830	8,678	202
1951	48	8,181	—	33	3,156	15,227	325	6,144	138	1,463	6,532	8,494	187
1952	45	8,325	—	53	1,992	32,941	283	6,152	169	3,912	7,377	7,691	58
1953	12	5,895	—	31	2,932	23,334	868	5,643	151	2,346	5,619	8,780	43
1954	57	5,142	—	30	5,620	40,725	1,419	5,764	150	2,168	4,686	9,940	47
1955	59	5,880	—	24	4,249	23,882	1,244	5,488	170	1,177	4,865	10,306	58
1956	220	7,349	—	56	1,907	41,966	814	5,515	182	656	4,785	9,588	52
1957	130	7,193	—	12	1,363	19,070	657	5,011	175	498	4,571	8,428	97
1958	8	5,380	—	18	1,233	41,448	688	5,587	228	1,228	4,267	8,621	178
1959	3	9,452	—	8	3,001	12,234	1,136	4,743	141	448	3,421	8,033	136
1960	9	9,287	—	14	1,129	36,161	2,113	4,127	169	88	3,647	8,372	112
1961	3	8,347	—	7	639	29,391	4,607	3,638	253	40	3,309	9,505	102
1962	4	8,116	—	12	1,756	25,303	3,280	3,474	139	21	4,331	11,654	75
1963	5	11,964	—	14	1,410	48,752	2,661	3,298	104	18	5,512	11,643	98
1964	1	17,228	—	13	957	30,897	2,472	3,047	80	3	5,220	12,028	106
1965	—	14,622	—	7	612	28,132	2,625	3,069	107	1	5,638	14,319	95
1966	—	13,862	—	7	653	15,251	2,589	3,259	135	1	5,842	15,424	114
1967	1	13,269	—	8	1,058	1,044	1,915	2,951	76	3	5,581	17,088	78
1968	—	10,101	—	1	429	355	2,356	2,618	94	3	5,351	18,153	105
1969	—	8,763	—	6	192	401	3,359	2,133	114	1	3,809	18,534	103
1970	—	11,863	—	14	195	1,834	4,594	1,992	69	2	3,920	20,359	118
1971	1	11,244	—	10	140	2,659	4,828	1,789	64	—	4,800	22,260	93
1972	1	13,304	—	7	116	2,353	4,322	1,632	55	—	4,891	24,750	175
1973	—	24,467	—	14	86	4,552	3,872	1,473	54	—	4,375	31,066	217
1974	—	31,802	—	11	104	2,365	3,599	1,431	54	2	2,722	32,067	171
1975	—	23,777	—	10	98	3,253	2,877	1,271	76	—	1,638	32,583	98
1976	—	24,937	—	10	70	6,139	2,645	1,349	65	—	1,089	34,836	37
1977	—	31,047	—	13	73	1,392	2,686	1,290	51	—	1,185	36,794	61
1978	—	29,759	—	15	47	8,006	2,174	1,260	87	1	1,133	36,647	49
1979	—	30,182	—	14	102	869	2,036	1,052	79	—	1,260	36,624	59

*Meningococcal infections—Prior to 1952 data were for meningococcal meningitis. Tuberculosis, syphilis, gonorrhea and chancroid are resident cases.
 †Effective January 1975, a new diagnostic classification system for tuberculosis was adopted. As a result, case counts and rates prior to 1975 are not directly comparable to the figures in 1975 and later years.

TABLE 4.6
CASE RATES OF CERTAIN REPORTED COMMUNICABLE DISEASES
MICHIGAN RESIDENTS, 1900-1979

(Rates per 100,000 population)

Year	Diphtheria	Streptococcal Sore Throat (Including Scarlat Fever)	Smallpox	Typhoid Fever	Whooping Cough	Measles	Infectious Hepatitis & Serum	Tuberculosis (all forms)	Meningococcal Infections	Poliomyelitis	Syphilis	Gonorrhea	Chancroid
1900	111.8	278.2	28.7	211.6	139.4	840.8		112.4	27.0				
1901	101.5	314.1	206.8	122.0	120.1	188.2		118.5	20.6				
1902	119.8	263.4	263.6	98.3	141.4	479.3		106.4	21.1				
1903	144.6	210.9	249.9	111.9	164.4	352.3		108.2	20.7				
1904	136.2	158.7	223.3	117.5	69.0	403.1		113.6	17.4				
1905	82.5	87.4	114.1	106.1	45.7	231.7		99.0	22.1				
1906	137.4	117.5	45.7	119.2	51.4	278.9		99.9	20.1				
1907	109.0	93.3	63.6	72.5	32.4	450.7		100.2	21.3				
1908	97.3	113.0	84.4	87.2	45.7	174.5		99.0	17.8				
1909	112.2	165.9	55.3	97.2	38.0	326.5		123.5	16.5				
1910	122.2	231.3	118.1	119.6	40.4	495.8		157.1	18.6				
1911	129.9	178.8	31.0	91.8	65.5	332.8		181.4	15.5	3.7			
1912	110.5	152.0	37.8	95.5	42.1	95.0		65.7	3.0	2.6			
1913	179.5	135.0	65.0	73.4	30.3	299.4		62.6	5.4	1.8			
1914	163.3	119.5	48.4	68.7	57.8	360.1		81.4	6.5	1.6			
1915	135.4	105.0	33.8	60.4	69.7	137.0		112.6	3.3	2.9			
1916	169.2	208.5	4.5	75.6	55.2	365.2		212.8	4.9	18.0			
1917	249.2	419.9	107.7	51.5	94.1	424.3		142.4	2.2	2.7			
1918	175.2	170.0	149.9	38.5	73.3	182.4		104.5	2.7	3.5			
1919	220.4	175.0	66.5	35.0	51.1	248.0		118.1	2.1	4.3	141.7	220.8	5.2
1920	282.4	280.2	131.3	38.7	195.5	609.6		136.1	5.5	1.8	221.3	312.5	7.1
1921	318.9	287.7	119.2	48.5	176.9	80.4		150.8	4.6	12.8	196.0	258.2	4.0
1922	218.1	248.2	31.5	28.4	144.5	310.2		142.8	4.1	1.1	202.4	248.9	2.3
1923	192.1	320.1	57.5	24.4	189.5	747.2		136.1	4.6	1.0	260.7	238.7	5.8
1924	145.3	313.9	109.4	18.9	105.5	442.0		134.6	3.8	15.6	314.2	253.5	4.4
1925	92.2	289.1	18.4	22.6	178.0	242.8		135.9	3.0	2.3	344.7	250.5	2.4
1926	123.0	290.0	12.6	13.3	200.7	913.5		123.2	2.2	2.4	340.1	244.9	2.4
1927	101.9	245.2	32.7	12.9	151.8	184.9		120.4	3.1	6.3	349.9	207.5	2.4
1928	80.8	227.6	29.0	8.5	210.5	586.9		127.7	6.0	1.7	332.6	186.5	2.2
1929	97.7	301.5	51.0	6.6	197.7	381.8		132.2	39.4	3.8	351.4	204.5	7.0
1930	66.2	230.8	48.0	10.4	163.9	580.9		105.9	18.6	4.3	341.5	176.6	3.4
1931	37.5	266.7	18.7	8.7	234.4	127.2		125.6	6.0	23.3	300.2	160.6	3.5
1932	24.1	309.7	4.5	10.4	265.8	859.4		144.2	2.6	2.3	243.0	141.4	2.8
1933	23.2	330.6	0.9	9.1	235.0	436.0		133.4	1.7	1.9	154.9	129.8	1.7
1934	12.3	384.2	1.0	9.7	228.9	130.4		105.1	1.1	4.6	129.5	123.6	2.6
1935	12.8	234.7	0.3	7.0	265.9	1,565.8		91.9	2.2	12.2	127.1	126.2	2.2
1936	13.0	248.5	0.6	5.6	280.7	48.2		101.3	2.4	3.0	125.7	126.9	2.6
1937	16.4	483.2	3.0	4.7	222.6	119.9		126.1	1.7	8.2	168.7	137.8	4.8
1938	12.0	354.9	5.2	5.5	281.5	1,534.8		122.5	1.3	1.1	283.8	136.2	6.6
1939	8.7	303.7	7.1	3.4	172.5	248.3		117.3	0.9	17.3	252.0	122.0	5.5
1940	5.0	197.2	1.4	2.3	223.7	384.4		115.3	0.9	23.4	190.2	145.5	4.1
1941	4.5	161.0	2.1	2.7	303.7	1,301.1		98.8	0.9	5.0	209.1	161.2	6.6
1942	4.4	135.5	0.3	1.9	209.5	154.7		103.3	1.2	2.9	225.0	158.0	5.0
1943	5.2	93.8	0.3	2.1	224.8	962.6		121.7	14.1	4.7	296.3	177.1	4.8
1944	7.8	166.7	0.2	1.5	75.9	496.7		119.4	15.9	16.4	321.5	222.9	3.4
1945	11.6	171.2	0.3	1.1	95.2	116.4	2.5	100.7	5.0	4.0	295.2	231.2	4.5
1946	6.7	104.7	0.1	1.5	142.2	740.3	0.6	97.2	3.2	19.1	316.2	221.3	3.6
1947	3.9	79.6	0.0	1.3	172.5	157.8	0.2	106.6	1.9	10.6	251.7	181.1	3.6
1948	2.0	95.8	—	0.8	43.1	693.3	0.1	98.6	1.7	12.5	195.3	152.5	7.5
1949	1.9	139.4	—	0.8	65.4	319.3	0.4	93.7	1.9	45.8	137.6	148.4	5.3
1950	1.3	73.2	—	0.7	144.1	600.2	0.8	86.9	2.1	31.8	138.6	136.2	3.2
1951	0.7	125.0	—	0.5	4.2	232.7	5.0	93.9	2.1	22.4	99.8	129.8	2.9
1952	0.7	124.1	—	0.8	29.7	491.1	4.2	91.7	2.5	58.3	110.0	114.7	0.9
1953	0.2	85.9	—	0.5	42.8	340.5	12.7	82.4	2.2	34.2	82.0	128.3	0.6
1954	0.8	73.2	—	0.4	80.0	579.9	20.2	82.1	2.1	30.9	66.7	141.5	0.7
1955	0.8	81.3	—	0.3	59.7	330.0	17.2	75.8	2.3	16.3	67.2	142.4	0.8
1956	2.9	97.8	—	0.7	25.4	558.4	10.8	73.4	2.4	8.7	63.7	127.7	0.7
1957	1.7	92.2	—	0.2	17.5	244.4	8.4	64.2	2.2	6.4	58.6	108.0	1.2
1958	0.1	68.4	—	0.2	15.7	626.9	8.7	71.0	2.9	15.6	54.2	109.6	2.3
1959	0.0	118.7	—	0.1	37.7	153.7	14.3	59.6	1.8	5.6	43.0	100.9	1.7
1960	0.1	118.7	—	0.2	14.4	462.2	27.0	52.8	2.2	1.1	46.6	107.0	1.4
1961	0.0	105.6	—	0.1	8.1	371.9	58.3	48.6	3.2	0.5	41.9	120.3	1.3
1962	0.1	102.2	—	0.2	22.1	318.7	41.3	43.8	1.8	0.3	54.6	146.8	0.9
1963	0.1	149.0	—	0.2	17.6	607.1	33.1	41.1	1.3	1.0	68.6	137.5	1.2
1964	0.0	212.7	—	0.2	11.8	381.4	30.5	37.6	1.0	0.0	64.4	146.5	1.3
1965	—	178.3	—	0.1	7.5	343.1	32.0	37.4	1.3	0.0	68.8	174.6	1.2
1966	0.0	166.7	—	0.1	7.9	183.4	31.1	39.2	1.6	0.0	70.3	185.5	1.4
1967	0.0	154.0	—	0.1	12.3	12.2	22.2	34.2	0.9	0.0	64.8	198.4	0.9
1968	—	116.4	—	0.0	4.9	4.1	27.2	30.2	1.1	0.0	61.7	209.3	1.2
1969	—	111.8	—	0.1	2.2	4.6	38.5	24.4	1.3	0.0	43.6	212.2	1.2
1970	—	133.7	—	0.2	2.2	20.7	51.8	22.4	0.8	0.0	44.2	229.4	1.3
1971	0.0	125.0	—	0.1	1.6	29.6	53.7	19.9	0.7	—	53.4	247.4	1.0
1972	0.0	147.6	—	0.1	1.3	26.1	48.0	18.1	0.6	0.0	54.3	274.6	1.9
1973	—	270.0	—	0.2	0.9	50.2	42.7	16.3	0.6	—	48.3	343.1	2.4
1974	—	349.5	—	0.1	1.1	25.0	39.6	15.7	0.6	0.0	29.9	352.5	1.9
1975	0.0	259.7	—	0.1	1.1	35.5	31.4	13.9	0.8	—	17.9	355.8	1.1
1976	—	273.9	—	0.1	0.8	67.4	29.1	14.8	0.7	0.0	13.0	382.6	0.4
1977	—	340.1	—	0.1	0.8	15.2	29.4	14.1	0.6	—	13.0	403.0	0.7
1978	—	323.9	—	0.2	0.5	87.1	23.7	13.7	0.9	0.0	12.3	398.8	0.5
1979	—	327.8	—	0.2	1.1	9.4	22.1	11.4	0.9	—	13.7	357.8	0.6

*Meningococcal infections—Prior to 1952 data were for meningococcal meningitis.

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SOURCE: Bureau of Disease Control and Laboratory Services, Division of Epidemiology, Mich. Dept. of Public Health.

TABLE 4.7
 NUMBER OF DEATHS AND DEATH RATES FOR CERTAIN COMMUNICABLE DISEASES
 MICHIGAN RESIDENTS, 1900-1974
 (Rates per 100,000 population)

Year	Diphtheria		Step. Sore Throat Inc. Scarlet Fever		Smallpox		Typhoid Fever		Whooping Cough		Measles		TB of the Respiratory System		Tuberculosis ² (all forms)		Polio		Syphilis ¹		Gonorrhea	
	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate
1900	529	21.9	272	11.2	9	0.4	869	35.9	208	8.6	342	14.1	2,018	83.4	2,500	103.3			88	3.6		
1901	502	20.4	312	12.7	27	1.1	645	26.2	153	6.6	79	3.2	2,152	87.5	2,548	103.6			114	4.6		
1902	504	20.2	277	11.1	42	1.7	608	24.3	269	11.6	238	9.5	2,088	83.6	2,462	98.5			130	5.2		
1903	686	27.0	200	7.9	29	1.1	606	23.9	383	15.1	176	6.9	2,155	84.9	2,562	101.0			101	4.0		
1904	515	20.7	210	8.1	26	1.0	641	24.9	148	5.7	194	7.5	2,306	89.5	2,761	107.2						
1905	478	18.3	123	4.7	74	2.8	636	24.3	131	5.0	123	4.7	2,288	87.5	2,732	104.4			89	3.5		
1906	472	17.7	227	8.6	3	0.1	721	27.2	469	17.7	251	9.5	2,303	86.8	2,727	103.1			89	3.4		
1907	421	15.6	159	5.9	8	0.3	594	22.1	223	8.3	256	9.5	2,338	86.8	2,728	101.3			94	3.6		
1908	343	12.6	194	7.1	11	0.4	687	25.1	305	11.2	121	4.4	2,249	82.3	2,706	99.0			118	4.5		
1909	395	14.3	275	9.9	4	0.1	653	23.6	217	7.8	270	9.7	2,237	80.7	2,629	94.9			127	4.8		
1910	495	17.6	297	10.6	121	4.3	654	23.3	318	11.3	251	8.9	2,273	80.9	2,756	98.1	52	1.9	65	2.3		
1911	473	16.3	208	7.2	7	0.2	551	19.0	254	8.8	200	6.9	2,284	78.9	2,766	95.5	55	1.9	104	3.6		
1912	455	15.6	186	6.2	3	0.1	534	17.9	252	8.5	118	4.0	2,289	76.8	2,744	92.0	48	1.7	90	3.1		
1913	676	22.0	283	9.2	5	0.2	538	17.5	292	9.5	258	8.4	2,243	73.1	2,703	88.1	43	1.5	136	4.6		
1914	507	16.1	177	5.6	2	0.1	400	12.7	304	9.6	180	5.7	2,325	73.7	2,799	88.8	41	1.4	160	5.3		
1915	354	10.9	107	3.3	5	0.2	353	10.9	236	7.3	101	3.1	2,527	78.0	2,986	51.2	36	1.2	163	5.3		
1916	507	15.2	177	5.3	2	0.1	424	12.8	228	6.9	363	10.9	2,573	77.4	3,070	92.3	141	4.6	206	6.7		
1917	851	24.9	340	10.0	9	0.3	386	11.3	360	10.6	259	7.6	2,779	81.5	3,310	97.0	44	1.4	224	7.1		
1918	686	19.6	181	5.2	18	0.5	337	9.6	476	14.2	270	7.7	3,059	87.5	3,712	103.3	58	1.8	290	9.1		
1919	764	21.3	179	5.0	10	0.3	272	7.6	172	4.8	183	5.1	2,620	73.1	3,127	87.3	80	2.2	299	8.2		
1920	888	24.2	305	8.3	14	0.4	297	8.1	511	13.9	436	11.9	2,645	72.1	3,149	85.8	30	0.8	314	8.4		
1921	954	25.2	334	8.8	12	0.3	285	7.5	316	8.3	58	1.5	2,285	60.4	2,736	72.3	100	2.6	226	5.9	14	0.4
1922	620	15.9	217	5.6	20	0.5	192	4.9	232	5.9	232	5.9	2,232	57.2	2,654	68.0	21	0.5	186	4.7	6	0.2
1923	675	16.8	304	7.6	13	0.3	202	5.0	323	8.0	258	6.4	2,410	59.9	2,837	70.6	18	0.5	262	6.8	5	0.1
1924	470	11.4	265	6.4	226	5.5	149	3.6	169	4.1	221	5.3	2,474	59.8	2,952	71.3	116	3.0	271	7.0	13	0.3
1925	358	8.4	208	4.9	22	0.5	157	3.7	260	6.1	69	1.6	2,410	56.6	2,830	66.5	31	0.7	282	6.6	27	0.6
1926	677	15.5	235	5.4	4	0.1	119	2.7	355	8.1	577	13.2	2,601	59.5	3,041	69.5	34	0.8	327	7.5	12	0.3
1927	516	11.5	168	3.7	—	—	64	2.1	201	4.5	67	1.5	2,514	56.0	2,952	65.7	69	1.5	305	6.8	16	0.4
1928	384	8.3	178	3.9	2	0.0	83	1.8	219	4.8	303	6.6	2,647	57.4	3,108	67.5	27	0.6	384	8.4	19	0.4
1929	498	10.5	145	3.1	9	0.2	81	1.7	255	5.4	146	3.1	2,685	56.8	3,140	66.5	50	1.1	397	8.4	19	0.4
1930	299	6.2	130	2.7	9	0.2	87	1.8	176	3.6	231	4.8	2,443	50.5	2,912	60.1	39	0.8	395	8.2	12	0.2
1931	172	3.5	122	2.5	4	0.1	73	1.5	190	3.9	28	0.6	2,263	46.3	2,660	54.5	108	2.2	361	7.4	3	0.1
1932	106	2.2	112	2.3	1	0.0	56	1.1	199	4.0	183	3.7	2,101	42.7	2,463	50.0	23	0.5	377	7.7	2	0.0
1933	112	2.3	157	3.2	—	—	50	1.0	153	3.1	111	2.2	1,996	40.2	2,348	47.3	5	0.1	327	6.6	7	0.1
1934	38	0.8	171	3.4	—	—	65	1.3	141	2.8	36	0.7	1,909	38.1	2,199	43.9	25	0.5	402	8.0	10	0.2
1935	58	1.1	98	1.9	—	—	34	0.7	132	2.6	184	3.6	1,741	34.5	2,044	40.5	32	0.6	393	7.8	3	0.1
1936	52	1.0	114	2.2	—	—	37	0.7	107	2.1	12	0.2	1,816	35.7	2,100	41.3	21	0.4	394	7.7	6	0.1
1937	72	1.4	148	2.9	1	0.0	29	0.6	132	2.6	11	0.2	1,860	36.2	2,119	41.3	11	0.2	401	7.8	8	0.2
1938	44	0.9	87	1.7	—	—	23	0.4	116	2.2	100	1.9	1,633	31.6	1,866	36.1	10	0.2	401	7.8	8	0.2
1939	25	0.5	69	1.3	—	—	25	0.5	76	1.5	29	0.6	1,651	31.7	1,866	36.1	40	0.8	389	7.5	4	0.1
1940	20	0.4	41	0.8	1	0.0	11	0.2	59	1.1	19	0.4	1,547	29.4	1,752	33.3	72	1.4	591	11.2	3	0.0
1941	18	0.3	32	0.6	1	0.0	14	0.3	91	1.7	65	1.2	1,532	28.2	1,723	31.7	18	0.3	537	9.9	1	0.0
1942	24	0.4	23	0.4	—	—	5	0.1	72	1.3	8	0.1	1,630	29.4	1,827	33.0	10	0.2	559	10.1	7	0.1
1943	21	0.4	11	0.2	—	—	9	0.2	101	1.9	89	1.7	1,588	29.5	1,802	33.5	27	0.5	579	10.8	3	0.0
1944	32	0.6	7	0.1	1	0.0	7	0.1	33	0.6	49	0.9	1,544	28.7	1,748	32.5	45	0.8	543	10.1	2	0.0
1945	46	0.8	9	0.2	—	—	3	0.1	36	0.7	10	0.2	1,591	29.3	1,758	32.3	20	0.4	527	9.7	2	0.0
1946	27	0.5	3	0.1	—	—	6	0.1	44	0.8	47	0.8	1,645	28.8	1,843	32.3	89	1.6	547	9.6	—	—
1947	23	0.4	6	0.1	—	—	5	0.1	63	1.0	5	0.1	1,483	24.4	1,643	27.1	29	0.5	502	8.3	3	0.0
1948	8	0.1	1	0.0	—	—	4	0.1	9	0.1	43	0.7	1,395	22.5	1,561	25.2	54	0.9	512	8.3	—	—
1949	11	0.2	4	0.1	—	—	1	0.0	22	0.3	33	0.5	1,254	19.7	1,400	22.0	216	3.4	455	7.2	—	—
1950	2	0.0	1	0.0	—	—	5	0.1	28	0.4	28	0.4	1,134	17.8	1,270	19.9	128	2.0	325	5.1	1	0.0
1951	6	0.1	—	—	—	—	1	0.0	21	0.3	11	0.2	1,049	16.0	1,154	17.6	67	1.0	299	4.6	1	0.0
1952	2	0.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	0.1	17	0.3	689	10.3	775	11.6	213	3.2	174	2.6	2	0.0
1953	2	0.0	1	0.0	—	—	—	—	11	0.2	16	0.2	536	7.8	607	8.9	108	1.6	182	2.7	1	0.0
1954	3	0.0	3	0.0	—	—	—	—	17	0.2	17	0.2	471	6.7	530	7.5	89	1.3	139	2.0	2	0.0
1955	1	0.0	1	0.0	—	—	1	0.0	8	0.1	10	0.1	435	6.0	477	6.6	32	0.4	115	1.6	1	0.0
1956	6	0.1	3	0.0	—	—	—	—	6	0.1	26	0.3	426	5.7	466	6.2	22	0.3	114	1.5	4	0.1
1957	1	0.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	0.1	23	0.3	403	5.2	442	5.7	15	0.2	105	1.3	4	0.1
1958	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	0.0	18	0.2	357	4.5	395	5.0	37	0.5	84	1.1	8	0.1
1959	1	0.0	2	0.0	—	—	1	0.0	5	0.1	11	0.1	335	4.2	370	4.6	17	0.2	84	1.1	4	0.1
1960	2	0.0	1	0.0	—	—	—	—	1	0.0	17	0.2	364	4.7	390	5.0	4	0.1	79	1.0	7	0.1
1961	1	0.0	1	0.0	—	—	—	—	2	0.0	13	0.2	307	3.9	332	4.2	—	—	71	0.9	7	0.1
1962	2	0.0	1	0.0	—	—	—	—	2	0.0	8	0.1	307	3.9	331	4.2	2	0.0	94	1.2	3	0.0
1963	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	27	0.2	276	3.4	299	3.7	1	0.0	72	0.9	1	0.0
1964	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	0.0	11	0.1	288	3.6	315	3.9	1	0.0	66	0.8	3	0.0
1965	—	—</																				

TABLE 4.8
NUMBER OF DEATHS AND DEATH RATES BY SPECIFIED CAUSES
MICHIGAN RESIDENTS, 1900-1979
(Rates per 100,000 Population)

Year	Heart Disease ¹		Cancer (all forms) ²		Cerebrovascular Disease ³		Accidents (all forms) ⁴		Motor Vehicle Accidents ⁵		Diabetes		Pneumonia		Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis ⁶		Atherosclerosis ⁷	
	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate
1900	2,836	117.1	1,460	60.3	2,136	88.2	1,740	71.9			224	9.3	2,388	98.6				
1901	3,040	123.6	1,484	60.3	2,147	87.3	1,901	77.3			264	10.7	2,901	117.9				
1902	3,302	132.1	1,483	59.3	2,097	83.9	1,796	71.9			289	11.6	2,637	105.5				
1903	3,702	145.9	1,694	66.8	2,321	91.5	2,017	79.5			265	10.4	2,607	102.7				
1904	3,981	154.5	1,728	67.1	2,431	94.3	2,035	79.8			298	11.6	2,646	102.7				
1905	3,715	142.0	1,693	64.7	2,405	91.9	2,034	77.8			267	10.2	2,417	92.4				
1906	3,933	148.2	1,736	65.4	2,554	96.2	2,126	80.1			311	11.7	2,621	98.7				
1907	4,269	158.5	1,747	64.9	2,690	99.9	2,209	82.0			352	13.1	3,018	112.0				
1908	4,202	153.8	1,921	70.3	2,630	96.3	2,036	74.5			359	13.1	2,313	84.7				
1909	4,354	157.1	1,948	70.3	2,739	98.8	1,903	68.7			374	13.5	2,265	81.7				
1910	4,581	163.0	2,105	74.9	3,091	110.0	2,158	76.8	49	1.7	398	14.2	2,785	99.1	282	10.0		
1911	4,539	160.2	2,142	74.0	2,916	100.7	2,121	73.2	44	1.5	373	12.9	2,743	95.4				
1912	5,324	178.5	2,291	76.8	2,707	90.8	2,005	67.2	75	2.5	448	15.0	2,796	93.8				
1913	4,908	160.0	2,388	77.8	2,834	92.4	2,333	76.1	132	4.3	483	15.7	3,082	100.5				
1914	5,124	162.5	2,414	76.6	2,993	94.9	2,108	66.8	120	3.8	503	16.0	2,909	92.2				
1915	5,538	171.0	2,567	79.2	3,384	104.5	2,219	68.5	190	5.9	498	15.4	3,229	99.7				
1916	5,819	175.0	2,710	81.5	3,359	107.0	2,853	85.8	257	7.7	500	15.0	3,698	111.2				
1917	6,103	178.9	2,765	81.1	3,703	108.6	2,925	85.8	335	9.8	569	16.7	4,455	130.6				
1918	6,091	174.2	2,931	83.8	3,493	99.9	2,599	74.3	279	8.0	591	16.9	7,238	207.0				
1919	5,651	157.7	2,990	83.5	3,483	97.2	2,612	72.9	328	9.2	559	15.6	4,081	113.9				
1920	6,732	183.5	3,158	86.1	3,876	105.7	2,646	72.1	397	10.8	577	15.7	5,794	157.9				
1921	6,176	163.1	3,375	89.1	3,931	103.8	2,476	65.4	403	10.6	586	15.5	2,849	75.3	261	6.9		
1922	6,897	176.7	3,481	89.2	4,041	103.5	2,475	63.4	529	13.6	650	16.7	3,728	95.5	267	6.8		
1923	7,266	180.7	3,545	88.2	4,420	109.9	2,826	70.3	677	16.8	635	15.8	4,719	117.4	251	6.2		
1924	6,985	168.8	3,824	92.4	4,241	102.5	3,090	74.7	1,001	24.2	661	16.0	3,332	80.5	254	6.2		
1925	7,540	177.2	3,858	90.7	4,623	108.6	3,278	77.0	1,103	25.9	746	17.5	3,294	77.4	319	7.5		
1926	8,281	189.4	4,087	93.5	4,663	106.6	3,357	81.3	1,221	27.9	743	17.0	4,440	101.5	326	7.5		
1927	8,780	195.5	4,264	93.0	4,378	97.5	3,634	80.9	1,389	30.9	819	18.2	3,543	78.9	340	7.6		
1928	9,786	212.4	4,381	95.1	4,718	107.4	3,704	80.4	1,429	31.0	905	19.6	4,518	98.1	373	8.1		
1929	10,185	215.6	4,571	96.7	4,694	99.3	3,913	82.8	1,552	32.8	935	19.8	4,216	89.2	361	7.6		
1930	9,947	205.4	4,572	94.4	4,533	93.6	3,805	78.6	1,572	32.5	880	18.2	3,321	68.6	329	6.8	1,047	21.6
1931	10,206	209.0	4,763	97.5	4,388	89.8	3,630	74.3	1,516	31.0	950	19.5	2,883	59.0	365	7.5	1,005	20.6
1932	11,162	226.6	4,935	100.2	4,518	91.7	3,179	64.5	1,229	25.0	1,121	22.8	3,238	65.7	384	7.8	948	19.2
1933	11,509	231.7	5,055	101.8	4,318	86.9	3,304	66.5	1,278	25.7	1,103	22.2	2,756	55.5	354	7.1	966	19.5
1934	11,824	236.1	5,370	107.2	4,485	89.6	3,774	75.4	1,511	30.2	1,100	22.0	3,466	69.2	378	7.5	914	18.3
1935	12,456	246.7	5,399	106.9	4,420	87.5	3,771	74.7	1,676	33.2	1,228	24.3	3,801	75.3	368	7.3	897	17.8
1936	13,374	262.7	5,752	113.0	4,705	92.4	3,244	103.1	1,924	37.8	1,266	24.9	4,096	80.5	446	8.8	997	19.6
1937	13,213	257.8	5,732	111.7	4,378	85.3	4,580	89.2	2,187	42.6	1,255	24.5	4,098	79.8	430	8.4	1,168	22.8
1938	13,887	268.4	6,059	117.1	4,383	87.8	4,608	69.7	1,490	28.8	1,283	24.8	2,869	55.5	424	8.2	869	16.8
1939	14,898	285.7	6,296	120.7	4,415	84.7	3,761	72.1	1,553	29.8	1,340	26.1	2,803	53.8	387	7.4	918	17.6
1940	15,480	294.5	6,513	123.9	4,690	89.2	3,961	75.4	1,743	33.2	1,408	26.8	2,478	47.1	468	8.9	941	17.9
1941	15,761	289.8	6,551	120.5	4,698	86.4	4,430	81.8	2,156	39.6	1,382	25.4	2,235	41.1	450	8.3	906	16.7
1942	16,016	289.2	6,646	120.0	4,841	87.4	3,685	66.5	1,368	24.7	1,448	26.1	2,349	42.2	535	9.7	1,015	18.3
1943	17,816	311.3	7,127	132.5	5,311	98.8	3,480	66.7	1,025	19.1	1,535	28.5	2,931	54.5	518	9.6	1,092	20.3
1944	17,004	316.2	7,277	135.3	4,954	92.1	3,350	62.3	1,103	20.5	1,554	28.9	2,369	44.1	471	8.8	980	18.2
1945	17,421	320.9	7,486	137.7	5,295	97.4	3,432	63.1	1,199	22.1	1,561	28.7	1,932	35.5	535	9.8	970	17.8
1946	17,691	320.9	7,486	137.4	5,224	91.5	3,776	66.1	1,506	26.4	1,530	26.8	1,891	31.1	554	9.7	933	16.3
1947	18,412	301.4	8,188	134.9	5,426	89.4	3,848	63.4	1,499	24.7	1,618	26.7	2,089	34.4	697	11.5	1,031	17.0
1948	18,726	302.3	8,336	134.6	5,272	85.1	4,017	64.8	1,545	24.9	1,771	28.6	1,853	29.9	771	12.4	1,085	17.5
1949	19,117	301.3	8,697	136.9	5,438	85.6	3,838	60.4	1,493	23.5	1,884	29.7	1,885	29.7	730	11.5	1,135	17.9
1950	20,521	322.1	8,685	136.3	6,376	100.1	3,783	59.4	1,680	26.4	1,438	22.6	1,358	21.3	616	9.7	1,296	20.3
1951	21,118	322.6	9,187	140.4	6,579	100.5	3,916	59.8	1,806	27.6	1,374	21.0	1,619	24.7	569	8.7	1,312	20.0
1952	21,247	316.8	9,256	138.0	6,521	97.2	3,901	58.2	1,815	27.1	1,339	20.0	1,571	23.4	599	8.9	1,296	19.3
1953	22,425	327.3	9,904	144.5	7,045	102.8	4,375	63.8	2,051	29.9	1,419	20.7	1,538	22.4	715	10.4	1,270	18.5
1954	22,362	318.4	10,105	143.9	7,964	99.1	3,548	56.2	1,916	27.3	1,469	19.9	1,380	19.6	677	9.6	1,170	16.7
1955	23,440	323.9	10,297	142.3	7,362	101.7	4,213	58.2	2,129	29.4	1,415	19.6	1,538	21.3	805	11.1	1,237	17.1
1956	24,461	328.1	10,489	139.6	7,114	94.7	4,225	52.2	1,826	24.3	1,443	19.2	1,723	22.9	788	10.5	1,251	16.6
1957	25,369	325.1	10,810	138.5	7,537	95.8	3,643	46.7	1,680	21.5	1,510	19.4	2,045	26.2	861	11.0	1,248	16.0
1958	25,215	320.6	10,946	139.2	7,547	95.9	3,306	42.0	1,466	18.6	1,595	20.3	2,076	26.4	818	10.4	1,300	16.5
1959	25,323	318.1	11,113	139.6	7,700	96.7	3,666	46.1	1,587	19.9	1,715	21.5	1,810	22.7	815	10.2	1,403	17.6
1960	25,728	328.9	11,331	144.8	7,882	98.2	3,688	47.1	1,710	21.9	1,784	22.8	2,002	25.6	840	10.7	1,352	17.3
1961	25,519	322.9	11,476	145.2	7,745	98.0	3,692	46.7	1,656	21.0	1,778	22.5	1,692	21.4	858	10.9	1,448	18.3
1962	27,226	342.9	11,752	148.0	7,783	98.0	3,758	47.3	1,668	21.0	1,908	24.0	1,824	23.0	859	10.8	1,477	18.6
1963	27,483	342.3	12,078	150.4	8,168	101.7	4,033	50.2	2,005	25.0	2,049	25.5	1,995	24.8	958	11.9	1,652	20.6
1964	27,496	339.5	12,087	149.2	7,940	98.0	4,416	54.5	2,286	28.2	2,055	25.4	1,714	21.2	995	12.3	1,559	19.2
1965	28,134	343.1	12,419	151.5	7,769	94.8	4,494	54.8	2,271	27.7	2,153	26.3	1,987	24.2	1,068	13.0	1,726	21.1
1966	28,757	340.1	12,506	150.4	7,732	93.0	4,737	57.0	2,407	29.0	2,263	27.0	2,026	24.4	1,152	13.9	1,745	21.0
1967	28,757	331.8	13,030	151.2	7,846	91.1	4,519	52.4	2,265	26.3	2,182	25.3	1,973	22.9	1,240	14.4	1,730	20.1
1968	29,480	342.1	13,292	153.2	7,913	91.2	4,603	53.1										

TABLE 4.9
SELECTED VITAL STATISTICS BY COUNTY
MICHIGAN RESIDENTS, 1979

COUNTY	Population Estimate	Live Births	Low Weight Live Births	Deaths	Infant Deaths	Neonatal Deaths	Percentage Deaths	Fetal Deaths	Marriages ¹	Divorces ¹
STATE	9,207,000	144,452	10,178	73,480	1,921	1,295	2,326	1,216	89,450	44,242
Alcona	9,200	95	6	116	3	3	2	-	63	38
Alger	9,900	133	11	92	2	1	2	1	87	-
Allegan	75,800	1,272	76	564	11	8	18	12	799	396
Alpena	33,300	497	22	270	1	1	8	8	366	143
Antrim	16,700	258	8	144	1	-	-	-	154	74
Arenac	14,000	225	12	130	1	1	1	1	111	43
Benzie	8,700	137	10	95	2	1	3	2	78	41
Berrien	43,200	726	39	348	6	5	11	6	400	214
Branch	120,100	1,882	98	961	19	11	27	17	1,247	519
Calhoun	11,000	169	10	122	3	1	3	2	121	2
Charlevoix	166,700	2,904	224	1,508	34	24	39	22	1,780	980
Chippewa	38,800	648	44	353	12	9	16	8	495	237
Cheboygan	139,300	2,155	156	1,216	25	12	29	20	1,589	924
Chippewa	45,700	773	49	425	15	10	11	2	412	256
Clare	19,600	353	18	166	3	2	2	-	202	146
Clare	20,300	290	17	234	10	4	8	5	219	88
Clinton	29,300	429	19	278	-	-	1	1	347	84
Crawford	22,900	323	19	266	4	3	5	2	251	99
Delta	55,500	863	44	336	12	8	12	5	432	226
Dickinson	9,400	178	11	89	2	2	4	2	107	60
Delta	39,600	616	34	360	4	2	4	2	364	117
Dickinson	25,600	360	15	281	6	6	9	5	310	85
Eaton	83,900	1,216	67	489	20	12	11	7	790	430
Emmet	22,100	358	20	182	3	3	7	4	286	118
Genesee	451,300	7,848	673	3,191	122	87	152	77	4,775	2,768
Gladwin	19,200	275	18	181	3	2	2	1	158	67
Goebic	19,600	216	10	264	3	1	4	3	235	46
Gd. Traverse	30,300	891	60	414	13	8	17	9	696	336
Gratiot	39,700	690	36	359	8	4	7	3	405	-
Hillsdale	40,100	671	33	340	8	5	11	7	450	214
Houghton	36,100	492	27	454	2	1	1	-	306	115
Huron	35,800	575	14	378	3	2	5	3	372	120
Ingham	270,800	4,626	283	1,613	46	27	61	37	3,162	1,677
Ionia	49,700	905	55	436	13	8	15	9	554	233
Iosco	30,100	575	30	278	3	3	5	2	276	61
Iron	14,700	192	7	180	5	3	6	5	165	44
Isabella	51,800	748	33	306	11	7	8	2	458	248
Jackson	149,400	2,177	116	1,195	28	24	26	14	1,508	848
Kalamazoo	207,800	3,080	214	1,361	36	24	42	24	2,338	1,419
Kalamazoo	12,200	215	9	90	2	1	4	3	146	58
Kalamazoo	441,600	8,132	515	3,434	111	78	106	38	5,427	2,156
Kalamazoo	2,300	26	2	28	-	-	-	-	15	10
Kalamazoo	7,200	111	8	110	1	1	1	-	57	24
Kalamazoo	69,200	1,170	54	450	12	8	22	15	647	320
Kalamazoo	14,100	197	10	114	-	-	-	-	132	35
Leelanau	86,900	1,476	59	701	13	8	17	11	920	533
Leelanau	99,200	1,463	90	561	17	11	16	9	779	423
Leelanau	7,000	97	4	60	-	-	-	2	74	20
Leelanau	10,800	149	8	107	1	1	3	3	100	7
Leelanau	706,700	9,374	575	4,407	103	73	134	67	6,702	3,258
Manistee	22,000	280	13	246	4	1	2	1	214	113
Marquette	75,500	1,443	71	510	20	13	19	9	747	333
Mason	24,900	391	19	235	6	6	7	2	295	98
Macostea	35,000	492	26	251	9	5	9	5	283	146
Manistee	27,300	395	14	236	2	1	3	2	317	88
Midland	71,100	1,186	61	407	10	7	10	4	755	330
Missaukee	10,000	175	6	98	3	-	2	2	112	46
Monroe	131,600	2,054	113	930	17	14	19	9	1,294	613
Montcalm	46,100	805	26	461	9	6	11	7	529	246
Montcalm	7,700	111	7	80	1	-	1	1	91	-
Muskegon	158,800	2,604	180	1,337	32	20	39	26	1,644	869
Newaygo	33,600	522	35	300	8	4	7	4	323	126
Oakland	1,020,200	14,174	872	6,879	145	103	226	131	9,912	5,661
Oceana	21,100	356	7	209	-	-	1	1	214	75
Ogemaw	16,200	249	19	205	6	3	5	3	169	65
Ontonagon	10,000	125	6	117	2	2	3	1	101	30
Oscoda	18,100	329	17	214	4	2	4	2	182	-
Oscoda	7,200	105	5	84	1	1	1	-	83	22
Otsego	15,100	274	19	142	4	1	5	4	151	70
Ottawa	154,600	2,711	122	869	32	19	34	19	1,433	522
Presque Isle	14,200	217	12	134	3	3	4	1	117	42
Roscommon	16,200	220	10	200	4	4	7	3	171	70
Saginaw	226,700	3,941	323	1,643	54	30	48	22	2,341	289
St. Clair	134,200	2,059	127	1,213	30	20	35	18	1,149	672
St. Joseph	32,100	907	62	474	15	9	16	7	526	253
Sanilac	39,800	624	35	398	4	3	9	6	333	134
Schoolcraft	8,700	130	6	106	2	1	2	1	175	95
Shiawassee	70,900	1,289	70	507	21	16	20	7	698	365
Tuscola	55,700	950	55	404	12	7	13	7	544	229
Van Buren	62,500	1,172	69	537	12	6	16	11	658	587
Washtenaw	253,900	3,876	230	1,288	46	36	73	41	2,717	1,649
Wayne	2,358,600	36,609	3,521	22,472	625	424	707	341	18,583	9,954
Westford	22,500	425	36	257	5	3	2	1	324	133
County Not Stated		21	2	20	9	8	53	44	-	-

1 - By county of occurrence rather than county of residence.

TABLE 4.10

SELECTED VITAL STATISTICS RATES BY COUNTY
MICHIGAN RESIDENTS, 1979

AREA	Live Births	Low Weight ³ Live Births	Deaths	Infant Deaths	Neonatal Deaths	Perinatal Deaths	Fetal ¹ Deaths	Marriages ²	Divorces ²
STATE	15.7	70.5	8.0	13.3	9.0	16.0	8.4	19.4	9.6
Alcona	10.3	63.2	12.6	31.6	31.6	21.1	-	13.7	8.3
Alger	13.4	82.7	9.3	15.0	7.5	14.9	7.5	17.6	-
Allegan	16.8	59.7	7.4	8.6	6.3	14.0	9.4	21.1	10.4
Alpena	14.9	44.3	8.1	2.0	2.0	15.8	16.1	22.0	8.6
Antrim	15.4	31.0	8.6	3.9	-	-	-	18.4	8.9
Arenac	16.1	53.3	9.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	15.9	6.4
Baraga	15.7	73.0	10.9	7.3	7.3	21.6	14.6	17.9	9.4
Barry	16.8	53.7	8.1	8.3	6.9	15.0	8.3	18.5	9.9
Bay	15.7	52.1	8.0	10.1	5.8	14.2	9.0	20.8	8.6
Benzie	15.4	59.2	11.1	17.8	5.9	17.5	11.8	22.0	0.4
Berrien	17.4	77.1	9.0	11.7	8.3	13.3	7.6	2.4	11.8
Branch	16.7	67.9	9.1	18.5	13.9	24.4	12.3	25.5	12.2
Calhoun	15.5	72.4	8.7	11.6	5.6	13.3	9.3	22.8	13.3
Cass	16.9	63.4	9.3	19.4	12.9	14.2	2.6	18.0	11.2
Charlevoix	18.0	51.0	8.5	8.5	5.7	5.7	-	20.6	14.9
Cheboygan	14.3	58.6	11.5	34.5	13.8	27.1	17.2	21.6	8.7
Chippewa	14.6	44.3	9.5	-	-	2.3	2.3	23.7	5.7
Clare	13.5	58.8	11.1	12.4	9.3	15.4	6.2	21.0	8.3
Clinton	15.5	51.0	6.1	13.9	9.3	13.8	5.8	15.6	8.1
Crawford	18.9	61.8	9.5	11.2	11.2	22.2	11.2	22.8	12.8
Delta	15.6	55.2	9.1	6.5	3.2	6.5	3.2	18.4	5.9
Dickinson	14.1	41.7	11.0	16.7	16.7	24.7	13.9	24.2	6.6
Eaton	14.5	55.1	5.8	16.4	9.9	9.0	1.6	18.8	10.3
Emmet	16.2	55.1	8.2	8.4	8.4	19.3	11.2	25.9	10.7
Genesee	17.4	85.8	7.1	15.5	11.1	19.2	9.8	21.2	12.3
Gladwin	14.3	65.5	9.4	10.9	7.3	7.2	3.6	16.5	7.0
Gogebic	11.0	46.3	13.5	13.9	4.6	18.3	13.9	24.0	4.7
Gd. Traverse	17.7	67.3	8.2	14.6	9.0	18.9	10.1	27.7	13.4
Gratiot	17.4	52.1	9.0	11.6	5.8	10.1	4.3	20.4	-
Hillsdale	16.7	49.2	8.5	11.9	7.5	16.2	10.4	22.4	10.7
Houghton	13.6	54.9	12.6	4.1	2.0	2.0	-	17.0	6.4
Huron	16.1	24.3	10.6	5.2	3.5	8.7	5.2	20.8	6.7
Ingham	17.1	42.3	6.0	9.9	5.8	13.1	8.0	23.4	12.4
Ionia	18.2	60.8	8.8	14.4	8.8	16.4	9.9	22.3	9.4
Iosco	19.1	52.2	9.2	5.2	5.2	8.7	3.2	18.3	4.1
Iron	12.1	25.5	12.2	26.0	15.6	30.5	26.0	22.4	6.0
Isabella	14.4	44.1	5.9	14.7	9.4	10.7	2.7	17.7	9.6
Jackson	14.6	55.3	8.0	12.9	11.0	16.4	6.4	20.2	11.4
Kalamazoo	14.8	69.5	6.5	11.7	7.8	15.1	7.8	22.5	13.7
Kalkaska	17.6	41.3	7.4	9.3	4.7	18.3	16.0	23.9	9.5
Kent	18.4	63.1	7.8	13.6	9.6	13.0	4.7	24.6	9.6
Keweenaw	11.3	76.7	12.2	-	-	-	-	13.0	8.7
Lake	15.4	72.1	15.3	9.0	9.0	9.0	-	15.8	6.7
Lapeer	16.9	46.2	6.5	10.3	6.8	18.6	12.8	18.7	9.2
Leelanau	14.0	50.3	8.1	-	-	-	-	18.7	5.0
Lenawee	17.0	40.0	8.1	8.8	5.4	11.4	7.5	21.2	12.3
Livingston	14.7	61.5	5.5	11.6	7.3	10.9	6.2	15.7	8.5
Luce	13.9	41.2	8.6	-	-	20.2	20.6	21.1	5.7
Mackinac	13.8	53.7	9.9	6.7	6.7	19.7	20.1	18.5	1.3
Macomb	13.3	61.3	6.2	11.0	7.8	14.2	7.1	19.0	9.2
Manistee	12.7	46.4	11.2	14.3	3.6	7.1	3.6	19.5	10.3
Marquette	10.1	49.2	6.7	13.9	9.0	13.1	6.2	19.8	8.8
Mason	15.7	48.6	9.4	15.3	15.3	17.8	5.1	23.7	7.9
Mecosta	14.1	52.8	7.2	18.3	10.2	18.1	10.2	16.2	8.3
Menominee	14.5	35.4	8.6	5.1	2.5	7.6	5.1	23.2	6.4
Midland	16.7	51.1	5.7	8.4	5.9	8.4	3.4	21.2	9.3
Missaukee	17.5	34.3	9.8	28.6	-	11.3	11.4	22.4	9.2
Monroe	15.6	55.7	7.1	8.3	6.8	9.2	4.4	19.7	9.3
Montcalm	17.5	22.3	10.1	11.2	7.5	13.5	8.7	23.0	10.7
Montmorency	14.4	63.1	10.4	9.0	-	8.9	9.0	23.6	-
Muskegon	16.4	69.1	8.4	12.3	7.7	14.8	10.0	20.7	10.9
Newaygo	15.5	67.3	8.9	15.3	7.7	13.3	7.7	19.2	7.5
Oakland	13.9	61.5	6.7	10.2	7.3	15.7	9.2	19.4	11.1
Oceana	16.9	19.7	9.9	-	-	2.8	2.8	20.3	7.1
Ogemaw	15.4	76.3	12.7	24.1	12.0	19.8	12.0	20.9	8.0
Ontonagon	12.5	48.0	11.7	16.0	16.0	23.8	8.0	20.2	6.0
Osceola	18.2	51.7	11.8	12.2	6.1	12.1	6.1	20.1	-
Oscoda	14.6	47.6	11.7	9.5	9.5	9.5	-	23.1	6.1
Otsego	18.1	69.3	9.4	14.6	3.6	18.0	14.6	20.0	9.3
Ottawa	17.5	45.0	5.6	11.8	7.0	12.5	7.0	18.5	6.8
Presque Isle	15.3	55.3	9.4	13.8	13.8	18.3	4.6	16.5	5.9
Roscommon	13.6	45.5	12.3	18.2	18.2	31.4	13.6	21.1	8.6
Saginaw	17.4	82.0	7.2	13.7	7.6	12.1	5.6	20.7	2.5
St. Clair	15.3	61.7	9.0	14.6	9.7	16.9	8.7	17.1	9.3
St. Joseph	17.4	68.4	9.1	16.5	9.9	17.5	7.7	20.1	9.7
Sanilac	15.7	56.1	10.0	6.4	4.8	14.3	9.6	16.7	7.0
Schoolcraft	14.9	46.2	12.2	15.4	7.7	15.3	7.7	40.2	21.8
Shiawassee	18.2	54.3	7.2	16.3	12.4	15.4	5.4	19.7	10.3
Tuscola	17.1	57.9	7.3	12.6	7.4	13.6	7.4	19.5	8.2
Van Buren	18.8	58.9	8.6	10.2	5.1	13.5	9.4	21.1	18.8
Washtenaw	15.3	59.3	5.1	11.9	9.3	18.6	10.6	21.4	12.1
Wayne	15.5	96.2	9.5	17.1	11.6	19.1	9.3	16.1	8.1
Wexford	18.9	84.7	11.4	11.8	7.1	4.7	2.4	28.8	11.8

1 - By county of occurrence rather than county of residence.

2 - Rate of persons per population rather than events per population.

3 - Ratio per 1,000 live births.

TABLE 4.11
LIVE BIRTHS WITH SELECTED RISK FACTORS BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE,
MICHIGAN RESIDENTS, 1979

AREA	Complications Reported		Congenital Anomalies Reported		4th Birth or Higher		Mother's Education 11th Grade or Less		Inadequate Prenatal Care		Mothers Under 18 Years of Age	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
STATE	33,931	23.5	1,228	0.9	13,415	9.3	31,650	21.9	11,431	7.9	7,629	5.3
Alcona	15	15.8	-	-	10	10.5	21	22.1	4	4.2	4	4.2
Alger	11	8.3	-	-	18	13.5	28	21.1	18	13.5	8	6.0
Alligen	230	18.1	5	0.4	137	10.8	277	21.8	88	6.9	55	4.3
Alpena	74	14.9	1	0.2	36	7.2	87	17.5	43	8.7	24	4.8
Antrim	32	12.4	3	1.2	31	12.0	53	20.5	16	6.2	10	3.9
Arenac	42	18.7	3	1.3	24	10.7	55	24.4	17	7.6	13	5.8
Baraga	39	28.5	4	2.9	13	9.5	23	16.8	16	11.7	9	6.6
Barry	285	39.3	18	2.5	51	7.0	140	19.3	53	7.3	37	5.1
Bay	391	20.8	20	1.1	179	9.5	389	20.7	87	4.6	92	4.9
Benzie	22	13.0	2	1.2	13	7.7	41	24.3	8	4.7	8	4.7
Berrien	773	26.6	30	1.0	319	11.0	877	30.2	307	10.6	265	9.1
Branch	115	17.7	8	1.2	60	9.3	174	26.9	79	12.2	40	6.2
Calhoun	586	27.2	39	1.8	152	7.1	518	24.0	209	9.7	151	7.0
Cass	238	30.8	7	0.9	67	8.7	229	29.6	115	14.9	70	9.1
Charlevoix	110	31.2	5	1.4	26	7.4	66	18.7	28	7.9	20	5.7
Cheboygan	85	29.3	7	2.4	25	8.6	67	23.1	17	5.9	18	6.2
Chippewa	35	8.2	2	0.5	37	8.6	85	19.8	49	11.4	26	6.1
Clare	61	18.9	1	0.3	29	9.0	87	26.9	45	13.9	18	5.6
Clinton	214	24.8	9	1.0	90	10.4	113	13.1	42	4.9	32	3.7
Crawford	38	21.3	-	-	25	14.0	44	24.7	15	8.4	10	5.6
Delta	87	14.1	3	0.5	68	11.0	92	14.9	32	5.2	32	5.2
Dickinson	66	18.3	3	0.8	19	5.3	52	14.4	24	6.7	6	1.7
Easton	339	27.9	12	1.0	94	7.7	166	13.7	67	5.5	47	3.9
Emmet	120	33.5	6	1.7	40	11.2	54	15.1	31	8.7	9	2.5
Genesee	1,962	25.0	49	0.6	767	9.8	1,989	25.3	544	6.9	491	6.3
Gladwin	65	23.6	4	1.5	33	12.0	59	21.5	22	8.0	9	3.3
Gogebic	55	25.5	3	1.4	30	13.9	33	15.3	14	6.5	5	2.3
Gd. Traverse	111	12.5	3	0.3	70	7.9	105	11.8	32	3.6	31	3.5
Gratiot	124	18.0	2	0.3	60	8.7	132	19.1	41	5.9	27	3.9
Hillsdale	194	28.9	11	1.6	60	8.9	152	22.7	79	11.8	42	6.5
Houghton	122	24.8	8	1.6	64	17.1	67	13.6	26	5.3	16	3.3
Huron	102	17.7	5	0.9	88	15.3	88	15.3	41	7.1	27	4.7
Ingham	1,135	24.5	34	0.7	397	8.6	900	19.5	244	5.3	225	4.9
Ionia	189	20.9	8	0.9	103	11.4	223	24.6	68	7.5	51	5.6
Iosco	187	32.5	2	0.3	36	6.3	100	17.4	39	6.8	30	5.2
Iron	36	18.8	3	1.6	14	7.3	40	20.8	8	4.2	13	6.8
Isabella	176	23.5	9	1.2	64	8.6	107	14.3	112	15.0	24	3.2
Jackson	419	19.2	20	0.9	189	8.7	433	19.9	204	9.4	107	4.9
Kalamazoo	724	23.5	26	0.9	267	8.7	595	19.3	186	6.0	145	4.7
Kalamazoo	24	11.2	-	-	26	12.1	51	23.7	14	6.5	13	6.0
Kent	1,297	15.8	42	0.5	628	7.7	1,484	18.2	327	4.0	369	4.5
Keeweenaw	6	23.1	-	-	3	11.5	-	-	3	11.5	-	-
Lake	27	24.3	3	2.7	19	17.1	36	32.4	20	18.0	11	9.9
Lapeer	258	22.1	8	0.7	118	10.1	212	18.1	50	4.3	42	3.6
Leelanau	36	18.3	2	1.0	20	10.2	22	11.2	4	2.0	7	3.6
Lenawee	355	24.1	17	1.2	154	10.4	333	22.6	174	11.8	79	5.4
Livingston	387	26.5	17	1.2	155	10.6	214	14.6	114	7.8	37	2.5
Livest	21	21.6	3	3.1	8	8.2	35	36.1	10	10.3	9	9.3
Macatawa	32	21.5	2	1.3	18	12.1	34	22.8	17	11.4	14	9.4
Macomb	2,180	23.3	59	0.6	730	7.6	1,534	16.4	359	6.0	267	2.8
Manistee	51	18.2	2	0.7	25	8.9	55	19.6	25	8.9	12	4.3
Marquette	458	31.7	20	1.4	86	6.0	184	12.8	103	7.1	52	3.6
Mason	51	13.0	1	0.3	35	9.0	69	17.6	17	4.3	14	3.6
Mcosta	141	28.7	12	2.4	35	7.1	82	16.7	31	6.3	22	4.5
Mercurine	125	31.6	3	0.8	33	8.4	61	15.4	20	5.1	13	3.3
Midland	310	26.1	10	0.8	91	7.7	176	14.8	37	3.1	51	4.3
Missaukee	43	24.6	3	1.7	16	9.1	39	22.3	9	5.1	8	4.6
Monroe	521	25.4	11	0.5	184	9.0	507	24.7	324	15.8	125	6.1
Montcalm	157	19.5	10	1.2	77	9.6	192	23.9	108	13.4	42	5.2
Montmorency	12	10.8	1	0.9	10	9.0	26	23.4	13	11.7	9	8.1
Muskegon	567	21.8	22	0.8	235	10.6	621	23.8	198	7.6	163	6.3
Neewaygo	131	25.1	3	0.6	52	10.0	125	23.9	81	15.5	29	5.6
Oakland	2,955	20.8	101	0.7	1,034	7.3	2,281	16.1	643	4.5	456	3.2
Oceana	82	23.0	13	3.7	34	9.6	96	27.0	26	7.3	21	5.9
Ogemaw	46	18.5	9	3.6	23	9.2	69	27.7	16	6.4	7	2.8
Ontonagon	24	19.2	-	-	16	12.8	25	20.0	14	11.2	9	7.2
Oscoda	98	29.8	4	1.2	26	7.9	68	20.7	20	6.1	12	3.6
Oscoda	15	14.3	1	1.0	12	11.4	40	38.1	8	7.6	3	2.9
Otsego	64	23.4	4	1.5	30	10.9	43	15.7	13	4.7	6	2.2
Ottawa	374	13.8	23	0.8	226	8.3	421	15.5	96	3.5	97	3.6
Preque Isle	36	16.6	3	1.4	21	9.7	30	13.8	17	7.8	12	5.5
Roscommon	46	20.9	3	1.4	21	9.5	58	26.4	14	6.4	10	4.5
Saginaw	756	19.2	21	0.5	353	9.0	886	22.5	317	8.0	278	7.1
St. Clair	694	33.7	19	0.9	193	9.4	457	22.2	161	7.8	88	4.3
St. Joseph	219	24.1	15	1.7	89	9.8	282	28.9	96	10.6	39	4.3
Sanilac	215	34.5	10	1.6	57	9.1	124	19.9	80	12.8	28	4.5
Schoolcraft	116	12.3	2	1.5	11	8.5	34	26.2	8	6.2	6	4.6
Schwansee	276	21.4	13	1.0	146	11.3	280	21.7	101	7.8	57	4.4
Tuscola	297	31.3	22	2.3	87	9.2	197	20.7	71	7.5	60	6.3
Van Buren	269	23.0	6	0.5	122	10.4	402	34.3	155	13.2	89	7.6
Washtenaw	1,166	30.1	29	0.7	279	7.2	568	14.7	206	5.3	137	3.5
Washtenaw	9,395	25.7	299	0.8	3,969	10.8	10,341	28.2	4,015	11.0	2,560	7.0
Wayne	94	22.1	3	0.7	38	8.9	107	25.2	25	5.9	18	4.2
Unknown	5	23.8	-	-	1	-	8	38.1	1	-	1	-

1 - Births in which the mother received no care prior to the third trimester, or had five or fewer prenatal visits.

TABLE 4.12
Live Births by Age of Mother, by County,
Michigan Residents, 1979

AREA	Total	Fertility Rate	AGE OF MOTHER												40 or Over	Age Not Stated
			Under 15	15	16	17	18	19	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39			
STATE	144,452	71.5	353	1,001	2,285	3,988	6,113	7,852	21,239	51,319	46,084	19,962	4,720	756	17	
Alcona	95	61.7	-	2	-	2	2	3	9	47	23	10	5	1	-	
Alger	133	89.8	-	1	2	5	6	5	19	44	52	11	5	2	-	
Allegan	1,272	76.7	1	4	18	32	55	70	179	465	417	175	29	6	-	
Alpena	497	71.4	-	1	10	13	22	20	66	200	161	58	10	2	-	
Antrim	258	76.0	1	2	3	4	12	18	39	93	84	32	7	2	-	
Arenac	225	89.9	-	2	6	5	8	20	41	94	63	21	5	1	-	
Baraga	137	92.6	-	1	2	6	10	14	33	43	38	20	3	-	-	
Barry	726	84.1	3	3	16	15	35	53	122	256	234	86	22	3	-	
Bay	1,882	75.5	4	10	28	50	81	113	282	662	637	244	43	10	-	
Benzie	169	86.7	-	-	4	4	5	12	25	54	58	24	8	-	-	
Berrien	2,904	78.0	15	35	87	128	131	168	549	1,032	834	366	96	11	1	
Branch	648	81.8	4	2	12	22	33	38	107	295	140	76	22	4	-	
Calhoun	2,155	73.9	5	18	42	86	116	140	402	826	636	233	43	10	-	
Cass	773	87.4	1	9	23	37	40	49	158	234	234	70	26	6	-	
Charlevoix	353	78.3	2	3	4	11	7	16	41	151	105	37	12	4	1	
Cheboygan	290	75.3	1	2	7	8	14	15	46	114	68	49	9	3	-	
Chippewa	429	56.5	-	2	7	17	21	31	78	160	130	46	13	2	-	
Clare	323	82.4	1	1	5	11	11	24	52	146	81	33	9	1	-	
Clinton	863	69.9	-	1	11	20	22	45	99	295	275	141	42	10	1	
Crawford	178	105.5	1	2	2	5	10	20	29	61	53	27	5	2	-	
Delta	616	82.1	-	5	6	21	23	32	87	225	205	73	21	5	-	
Dickinson	360	76.6	-	-	3	3	18	22	46	149	109	47	5	4	-	
Eaton	1,216	60.6	1	2	11	33	43	51	140	416	431	177	48	3	-	
Emmet	358	81.3	-	-	4	5	14	14	37	120	125	55	18	3	-	
Genesee	7,848	78.5	28	63	145	255	415	487	1,365	3,019	2,278	917	192	49	-	
Gladwin	275	74.6	-	2	3	4	12	18	39	110	72	46	5	3	-	
Gogebic	216	67.7	-	-	1	4	13	17	35	67	72	27	13	2	-	
Gd. Traverse	891	83.7	2	8	9	12	30	44	103	296	325	132	26	7	-	
Gratiot	690	78.2	-	2	9	16	29	42	98	270	226	74	19	3	-	
Hillsdale	671	85.9	3	2	13	24	34	36	109	287	170	77	24	1	-	
Houghton	492	74.0	-	-	4	12	20	25	61	171	150	72	32	6	-	
Huron	575	82.0	1	2	7	17	30	26	82	206	195	68	17	5	1	
Ingham	4,626	63.5	10	27	60	128	175	248	638	1,622	1,512	690	136	16	2	
Ion'e	905	91.2	-	6	14	31	45	52	148	366	285	82	18	6	-	
Iosco	575	77.0	-	1	10	19	24	51	105	243	165	52	9	1	-	
Iron	192	84.3	1	1	5	6	6	9	27	73	63	18	8	2	-	
Isabella	748	46.6	1	2	4	17	32	24	79	311	242	89	23	2	1	
Jackson	2,177	69.9	-	14	34	59	103	126	336	804	698	271	55	13	-	
Kalamazoo	3,080	57.0	5	14	51	75	109	136	385	1,030	1,081	492	75	11	1	
Kalkaska	215	85.5	-	3	5	5	13	16	42	82	62	16	11	2	-	
Kent	8,132	75.6	22	51	110	186	329	399	1,075	2,961	2,751	1,080	210	33	-	
Keeweenaw	26	60.0	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	11	9	4	-	1	-	
Lake	111	88.0	-	-	3	8	6	12	29	39	30	10	3	-	-	
Lapeer	1,170	76.2	-	4	14	24	53	79	174	431	390	129	40	6	-	
L'Isleau	197	80.5	-	1	3	3	3	9	19	61	78	28	11	-	-	
Leaves	1,476	80.3	1	9	19	50	56	77	211	566	443	200	44	11	-	
Livingston	1,463	64.7	1	4	8	24	39	44	121	480	509	268	68	15	1	
Luce	97	70.6	-	1	4	6	7	22	42	22	9	2	2	-	-	
Mackinac	149	70.3	-	1	3	10	6	7	27	55	42	19	4	-	-	
Macomb	9,374	59.0	8	28	83	148	249	384	892	3,154	3,406	1,528	342	44	-	
Manistee	280	72.2	-	2	6	4	14	13	39	116	89	25	10	1	-	
Marquette	1,443	75.2	1	7	11	33	51	100	202	594	451	156	27	12	-	
Mason	391	75.8	-	1	3	10	10	28	52	150	128	45	14	2	-	
Mercola	492	53.1	2	3	4	13	30	21	71	205	152	50	11	1	-	
Menominee	395	74.1	-	2	6	5	18	32	63	151	114	55	10	2	-	
Midland	1,186	78.3	-	6	17	28	33	45	129	415	406	202	32	2	-	
Missaukee	175	85.7	-	-	2	6	11	18	37	66	47	20	4	1	-	
Monroe	2,054	71.9	-	8	39	78	95	117	337	749	625	252	64	7	-	
Montcalm	805	89.9	-	3	12	27	48	48	138	368	200	77	18	4	-	
Montmorency	111	91.4	-	1	4	4	5	8	22	43	33	8	4	1	-	
Muskegon	2,604	79.4	12	31	58	62	123	159	433	1,034	781	276	58	10	-	
Nawasgo	522	74.4	1	2	12	14	15	39	82	204	161	60	13	1	-	
Oakland	14,174	64.7	11	54	115	276	441	566	1,452	4,218	3,092	2,723	616	60	2	
Oceana	356	88.2	-	2	5	14	22	26	69	130	94	47	14	2	-	
Ogemaw	249	78.7	-	1	2	4	16	25	48	96	77	22	5	1	-	
Ontonagon	125	63.8	1	2	3	3	11	10	29	37	41	14	1	2	-	
Oscoda	329	84.3	-	-	6	6	15	20	47	134	96	37	14	1	-	
Oscoda	105	78.0	-	-	1	2	5	9	17	41	32	9	6	1	-	
Otsego	274	93.4	-	2	-	4	8	22	36	105	90	38	4	1	-	
Ottawa	2,711	73.5	2	13	20	62	87	120	302	901	1,037	379	78	12	-	
Presque Isle	217	88.5	1	-	3	8	9	12	32	79	69	29	6	1	-	
Roscommon	220	85.9	-	2	2	2	12	14	36	88	55	31	9	1	-	
Saginaw	3,941	82.7	18	42	83	135	161	220	641	1,379	1,283	513	92	15	-	
St. Clair	2,059	76.5	1	8	27	52	89	130	306	801	627	254	59	11	-	
St. Joseph	907	81.5	1	4	12	22	42	59	139	365	275	98	21	7	1	
Sanilac	624	80.5	-	5	4	19	37	50	115	244	182	66	13	3	1	
Schoolcraft	130	79.7	-	1	3	2	13	12	31	49	33	11	6	-	-	
Shiawassee	1,289	88.5	-	10	15	32	58	59	174	505	387	177	40	6	-	
Tuscola	950	75.5	3	5	20	32	35	48	140	366	320	90	28	3	-	
Van Buren	1,172	87.4	6	11	25	47	70	81	234	443	332	131	21	5	-	
Washtenaw	3,876	54.1	4	17	42	74	100	178	411	1,066	1,426	741	201	25	2	
Wayne	36,609	73.8	168	401	782	1,209	1,835	2,166	6,393	13,010	10,749	4,754	1,315	218	2	
Wexford	425	85.9	-	-	7	11	18	35	71	135	125	59	13	2	-	
County Not Stated	21	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	9	6	4	-	-	-	

TABLE 4.13
VITAL STATISTICS BY SELECTED CITIES¹
MICHIGAN RESIDENTS, 1979

Area	Live Births By Residence Number	Deaths By Residence Number	Infant Deaths By Residence		Fetal Deaths By Residence	
			Number	Rate	Number	Ratio
Allen Park	348	305	5	14.4	1	2.9
Ann Arbor	1,325	456	16	12.1	9	6.8
Battle Creek	821	462	12	14.6	7	8.5
Bay City	718	463	7	9.7	5	7.0
Birmingham	274	214	1	3.6	3	10.9
Dearborn	1,040	999	15	14.4	5	4.8
Dearborn Heights	746	524	7	9.4	4	5.4
Detroit	20,639	13,745	439	21.3	212	10.3
East Detroit	454	370	7	15.4	2	4.4
East Lansing	478	117	4	8.4	3	6.3
Ferndale	439	254	7	15.9	5	11.4
Flint	3,742	1,519	69	18.4	39	10.4
Garden City	523	217	3	5.7	3	5.7
Grand Rapids	3,511	1,903	61	17.4	16	4.6
Hamtramck	311	334	5	16.1	-	-
Highland Park	470	326	13	27.7	-	-
Holland (Pt.)	445	212	9	20.2	9	20.2
Inkster	605	271	5	8.3	8	13.2
Jackson	756	532	8	10.6	4	5.3
Kalamazoo	1,468	663	22	14.8	12	8.1
Lansing (Pt.)	2,821	968	28	9.9	11	3.9
Lincoln Park	684	424	15	21.9	1	1.5
Livonia	1,093	655	11	10.1	3	2.7
Madison Heights	569	241	5	8.8	8	14.1
Midland (Pt.)	569	214	4	7.0	1	1.8
Muskegon	882	474	13	14.7	9	10.2
Oak Park	456	304	3	6.6	4	8.8
Pontiac	1,853	683	31	16.7	22	11.9
Portage	463	152	4	8.6	2	4.3
Port Huron	623	421	17	27.3	2	3.2
Roseville	845	384	9	10.7	5	5.9
Royal Oak	968	618	9	9.3	9	9.3
Saginaw	1,773	780	23	13.0	8	4.5
St. Clair Shores	755	704	9	11.9	3	4.0
Southfield	788	709	8	10.2	7	8.9
Southgate	434	226	9	20.7	1	2.3
Sterling Heights	1,575	411	15	9.5	6	3.8
Taylor	1,341	443	12	8.9	10	7.5
Troy	921	303	7	7.6	6	6.5
Warren	1,824	1,083	18	9.9	14	7.7
Westland	1,388	495	15	10.8	13	9.4
Wyandotte	553	337	1	1.8	5	9.0
Wyoming	1,043	359	12	11.5	6	5.8
Ypsilanti	595	191	13	21.8	9	15.1

1 - 25,000 population or over in 1970 census.

TABLE 4.14
Number of Deaths by Underlying Cause and County of Residence,
Michigan, 1979

AREA	All Causes	Tuberculosis All Forms	All Other Infectious and Parasitic Diseases	MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS									Diabetes Mellitus	Nutritional Deficiencies	MAJOR CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASES					
				Total	Digestive Organs and Peritoneum	Respiratory and Intrathoracic Organs	Breast	Genital Organs	Urinary Organs	Leukemia	Other	Total			Disease of the Heart	Hypertension with or without Renal Disease	Cerebrovascular Diseases	Artherosclerosis	Other Disease of arteries, arterioles, and capillaries	
STATE	73,480	62	491	15,409	4,135	3,917	1,319	1,697	696	619	3,026	1,449	83	37,622	29,296	269	6,067	1,173	817	
Alcona	116	-	-	27	8	7	3	2	-	-	7	3	-	58	38	-	15	2	3	
Alger	92	-	-	14	7	2	-	1	-	-	3	1	-	50	40	-	6	2	2	
Allegan	564	1	3	125	31	35	12	17	4	9	21	12	-	261	196	-	49	9	7	
Alpena	270	-	1	62	20	14	1	5	5	2	15	5	-	143	115	-	21	2	5	
Antrim	144	-	-	43	10	9	4	9	2	1	8	3	1	74	49	3	12	7	3	
Arenac	130	-	-	30	7	11	-	2	2	1	7	6	1	65	51	-	9	4	1	
Baraga	95	-	-	21	4	9	2	2	-	1	5	4	-	51	44	-	3	2	2	
Barry	368	-	1	73	15	19	7	10	4	2	16	8	1	132	132	-	34	7	2	
Bay	961	2	4	217	50	41	17	13	11	8	77	17	-	575	411	-	72	20	10	
Benzie	122	-	-	30	11	6	2	2	3	1	5	2	-	62	38	4	10	6	4	
Berrien	1,508	1	7	279	64	92	23	25	11	8	56	27	2	817	615	13	131	44	14	
Branch	353	-	-	75	27	17	8	6	1	1	15	12	-	163	116	2	30	10	5	
Calhoun	1,216	-	9	260	65	61	20	23	16	9	66	31	-	627	479	7	108	17	19	
Cass	425	1	1	100	25	20	12	15	5	3	20	9	-	203	155	-	38	5	5	
Charlevoix	166	-	1	40	8	9	3	7	2	3	8	3	-	72	50	1	13	5	3	
Cheboygan	234	1	2	52	19	18	3	1	4	2	5	3	-	110	82	-	18	10	-	
Chippewa	278	-	-	63	21	15	3	7	2	1	14	7	1	139	112	2	18	5	2	
Clare	266	1	4	57	17	19	3	3	3	1	14	3	-	153	136	-	13	-	4	
Clinton	336	1	2	73	15	13	7	7	2	8	21	8	1	172	137	-	25	7	3	
Crawford	89	-	-	22	8	7	-	2	1	1	3	1	-	46	34	-	9	2	1	
Delta	360	-	1	84	24	18	11	9	2	3	17	9	-	178	120	1	38	12	7	
Dickinson	281	-	-	55	18	12	5	7	3	1	9	5	1	169	123	2	30	13	1	
Eaton	489	-	4	115	35	14	11	17	7	6	25	4	5	233	168	2	38	19	6	
Emmet	182	-	1	41	8	11	2	10	-	1	9	2	-	93	72	-	17	1	3	
Genesee	3,191	2	23	656	168	179	53	80	35	21	120	78	2	1,547	1,183	10	295	35	24	
Gladwin	181	-	1	49	11	15	2	5	1	1	14	6	-	89	75	1	10	3	-	
Gogebic	264	-	2	44	15	9	6	4	-	3	7	6	1	161	134	2	20	1	4	
G. Traveras	414	-	8	79	20	23	9	8	6	1	12	7	-	203	140	1	39	16	7	
Gratiot	359	-	-	67	18	15	4	7	5	1	17	7	-	197	133	1	49	6	8	
Hillsdale	340	-	2	72	20	20	5	9	2	3	13	11	-	162	126	-	23	10	3	
Houghton	454	-	5	67	27	11	4	6	3	2	14	11	1	279	224	1	45	3	6	
Huron	378	-	-	69	19	16	4	14	2	1	13	10	-	229	169	1	49	7	3	
Ingham	1,613	1	11	354	121	78	25	41	12	12	65	34	2	806	632	7	122	25	20	
Ionia	436	-	1	85	27	19	8	9	2	4	16	11	-	236	167	-	53	10	6	
Iosco	278	-	2	56	11	18	8	7	3	-	9	4	-	157	123	1	24	3	6	
Iron	180	-	2	33	12	6	4	5	-	2	4	6	2	101	78	-	19	3	1	
Isabella	306	-	3	53	11	11	3	4	4	5	15	4	-	40	177	4	40	7	2	
Jackson	1,395	1	3	270	59	70	33	27	14	16	51	22	-	603	449	5	105	33	11	
Kalamazoo	1,361	2	11	289	78	74	30	28	12	15	52	21	7	681	522	5	111	23	20	
Kalamazoo	90	-	-	24	3	6	1	2	2	1	9	-	-	49	37	-	8	2	2	
Kalamazoo	3,434	5	29	720	186	150	60	83	32	46	163	63	2	1,763	1,287	11	361	76	33	
Kalamazoo	28	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	16	13	-	3	-	-	
Kalamazoo	110	-	-	25	7	8	-	7	-	1	2	3	-	66	44	-	16	3	1	
Kalamazoo	450	-	4	94	22	26	5	8	12	2	19	11	-	231	166	1	43	17	4	
Kalamazoo	114	-	2	28	6	6	4	2	3	1	6	2	-	62	44	-	12	5	1	
Lenawee	701	2	2	150	39	40	20	14	9	4	24	19	-	357	256	2	74	14	11	
Livingston	541	-	5	110	30	31	8	10	12	2	17	9	3	261	198	3	46	7	7	
Luce	60	-	-	19	4	4	1	4	1	2	3	2	-	30	23	-	3	3	1	
Macatawa	107	-	1	20	4	8	1	2	1	-	4	3	1	57	33	1	18	5	-	
Macomb	4,407	1	34	1,015	264	259	99	98	47	41	207	82	4	2,267	1,837	8	305	77	40	
Manistee	246	-	-	42	10	10	2	2	5	1	12	3	2	150	92	1	39	16	2	
Marquette	510	-	5	103	34	25	12	9	2	3	18	6	-	258	210	1	34	7	6	
Mason	235	-	-	55	18	13	2	11	2	2	7	8	-	124	104	-	14	4	2	
Mecosta	251	-	2	52	7	12	3	8	4	-	18	8	-	114	88	-	21	4	1	
Memphis	236	-	-	40	10	7	8	10	-	2	3	7	-	144	115	-	13	11	5	
Midland	407	-	2	89	21	27	8	10	2	5	16	2	-	219	162	1	41	10	5	
Missaukee	98	-	-	16	-	5	2	4	1	1	3	2	1	61	49	-	10	-	2	
Monroe	930	-	3	194	56	53	14	14	7	11	39	22	2	484	379	2	80	14	9	
Montcalm	461	-	3	79	25	17	1	8	5	5	18	8	-	248	186	3	45	10	4	
Montmorency	80	-	1	21	6	4	1	2	3	-	5	3	-	41	26	-	14	1	-	
Muskegon	1,337	1	4	287	93	69	23	32	9	11	50	29	1	697	534	4	116	24	19	
Nevsaygo	300	-	3	78	17	18	5	10	7	5	16	6	-	145	100	2	26	12	5	
Oakland	6,879	2	35	1,542	391	369	160	159	52	74	337	126	11	3,536	2,820	20	539	74	83	
Oceana	209	-	1	37	12	11	1	5	-	1	7	6	1	118	88	-	25	2	3	
Ogemaw	205	-	-	47	18	6	1	8	3	1	10	4	-	106	79	-	18	5	4	
Ontonagon	117	-	1	18	6	3	1	-	-	1	7	1	-	71	52	-	10	7	2	
Osceola	214	-	2	42	10	8	3	7	1	1	12	4	-	121	88	1	29	3	-	
Oscoda	84	-	-	19	3	8	3	1	1	-	3	1	-	47	31	1	10	2	3	
Otsego	142	-	1	35	8	6	1	5	2	-	13	4	-	73	59	-	5	4	5	
Ottawa	869	-	6	168	54	37	15	16	11	7	28	16	-	453	325	3	92	24	9	
Presque Isle	134	-	2	28	8	8	-	6	-	1	5	3	-	76	60	1	13	1	1	
Roscommon	200	-	-	37	8	9	3	3	1	1	12	5	-	107	90	-	11	3	3	
Saginaw	1,643	3	8	325	84	89	34	41	7	9	61	32	1	831	617	9	152	35	18	
St. Clair	1,213	1	6	229	61	61	19	14	15	6	53	39	2	624	471	8	102	23	20	
St. Joseph	474	1	3	98	27	34														

TABLE 4.14
 Number of Deaths by Underlying Cause and County of Residence,
 Michigan, 1979 (continued)

STATE	Pneumonia and Influenza	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease and allied cond.	Ulcer of Stomach and Duodenum	Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis	Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome and Nephrosis	Complications of Pregnancy, Childbirth, and the Puerperium	Congenital Anomalies	Certain Conditions originating in the Perinatal Period	Symptoms, Signs, and ill-defined Conditions	All Other Diseases	ACCIDENTS			Suicide	Homicide and Legal Intervention	All Other External Causes
											Total	Motor Vehicle	All Other Accidents and Adverse Affects			
Alcona	5	1	.	2	.	.	1	2	.	8	4	4	.	4	.	.
Alger	1	6	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	4	7	4	.	3	.	.
Allegan	19	13	5	2	6	.	5	7	13	47	33	18	15	10	2	.
Alpena	8	3	.	3	5	.	.	.	.	18	17	12	5	3	.	2
Antrim	1	3	1	.	1	.	.	1	.	10	6	4	2	.	.	.
Arenac	3	4	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	5	10	6	4	1	.	.
Baraga	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	2	7	6	2	4	.	.	.
Barry	5	23	.	4	4	.	3	4	2	21	27	15	12	6	.	.
Bay	19	14	3	15	6	.	.	8	4	49	55	37	18	12	8	1
Benzie	1	4	1	1	2	.	.	1	.	11	6	4	2	.	.	.
Berrien	33	44	2	21	7	.	.	.	1	113	68	42	46	18	16	1
Branch	7	16	1	2	1	.	8	5	1	35	22	9	13	5	.	.
Calhoun	25	33	4	24	11	.	5	11	10	84	61	29	32	13	8	.
Cass	13	15	3	3	1	.	2	11	4	28	23	14	9	5	3	.
Charlevoix	3	5	.	3	.	.	1	2	.	13	20	5	15	3	.	.
Cheboygan	3	7	.	3	4	.	.	4	2	22	8	5	3	11	.	.
Chippewa	5	9	1	2	5	.	1	4	1	12	12	3	9	6	3	.
Clare	1	6	1	3	4	.	.	2	1	12	12	9	3	6	1	.
Clinton	8	5	2	2	2	.	1	8	1	21	20	12	8	5	2	.
Crawford	1	2	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	8	5	1	1	1	.	.
Delta	10	9	1	6	3	.	.	2	3	21	22	10	12	7	2	2
Dickinson	3	6	.	3	.	.	2	3	4	11	16	8	8	2	.	.
Eaton	10	11	3	.	6	.	6	7	7	31	38	24	14	6	1	.
Emmet	6	5	1	4	2	.	2	.	.	12	10	4	6	2	.	.
Genesee	55	83	7	56	30	1	30	66	24	232	180	103	77	62	50	7
Gladwin	3	3	.	4	1	.	1	1	.	8	17	11	6	2	.	.
Gogebic	6	3	1	2	.	.	2	1	2	19	9	3	6	4	1	.
Gd. Traverse	16	19	.	4	5	.	5	6	2	18	44	25	19	4	2	1
Gratiot	16	8	.	3	2	.	3	3	2	27	20	14	6	4	.	.
Hillsdale	9	16	2	3	2	.	3	4	2	21	20	9	11	10	1	.
Houghton	18	6	1	8	5	.	1	.	.	31	12	4	8	7	2	.
Huron	7	11	1	2	4	.	.	2	1	22	19	12	7	1	.	.
Ingham	34	52	3	16	11	1	9	22	16	116	86	32	54	25	11	3
Ionia	5	6	1	9	6	.	5	5	3	32	21	17	4	7	1	.
Iosco	1	5	.	8	2	.	1	3	2	18	14	8	6	4	.	.
Iron	2	4	1	3	1	.	3	1	1	15	3	3	.	2	.	.
Isabella	7	13	1	4	2	.	5	5	2	16	9	5	4	5	.	.
Jackson	31	49	3	17	5	.	10	19	2	67	61	34	27	26	7	.
Kalamazoo	32	56	5	14	7	.	14	20	14	86	79	49	30	21	7	.
Kalkaska	2	1	1	1	.	.	2	1	.	2	4	3	1	3	.	.
Kent	67	87	13	45	25	1	32	64	31	231	189	93	96	45	18	4
Keeweenaw	1	1	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.
Lake	2	2	.	4	1	.	1	.	.	4	1	1	1	1	.	.
Lapeer	7	8	3	8	4	.	5	4	2	24	36	19	17	7	2	.
Leelanau	4	3	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	6	2	1	1	1	.	.
Lenawee	10	18	3	10	5	.	6	6	3	60	39	23	16	7	3	1
Liveston	15	20	3	8	3	.	4	8	3	31	44	27	17	9	2	3
Lucas	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	5	3	4	3	.	.	.
Mackinac	1	.	.	2	.	.	2	.	.	11	5	4	3	.	.	.
Macomb	74	102	11	76	47	1	39	55	19	254	189	102	87	95	40	2
Manistee	3	6	.	2	1	.	1	1	1	18	12	6	6	4	.	.
Marquette	8	15	1	9	7	.	3	12	2	30	39	19	20	12	.	.
Mason	5	5	.	3	.	.	2	3	.	8	15	7	8	6	1	.
Mecosta	14	15	2	5	4	.	2	2	2	11	17	10	7	1	.	.
Monroe	4	4	.	5	.	.	2	1	1	10	15	11	4	2	1	.
Midland	7	9	1	4	3	.	4	5	2	30	20	11	9	8	2	.
Missaukee	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	3	2	1	1	.	.
Monroe	11	28	4	12	6	.	7	9	3	60	62	35	27	15	4	2
Montcalm	15	16	.	5	7	.	2	5	6	28	32	21	11	6	1	.
Montmorency	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	4	.	4	2	.	.
Muskegon	29	36	2	17	15	.	10	12	5	92	70	33	37	18	11	1
Nevsayo	4	8	1	5	7	.	2	4	3	11	21	8	13	1	.	.
Oakland	147	207	20	95	49	1	48	73	28	390	381	204	177	122	54	12
Oceana	2	6	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	18	16	11	5	1	.	.
Ogemaw	4	8	.	3	2	.	1	2	1	13	11	7	4	3	.	.
Ontonagon	.	3	.	4	.	.	.	2	.	9	7	3	4	1	.	.
Oscoda	5	7	2	3	.	.	2	.	.	10	10	7	3	1	1	.
Cascade	.	4	.	2	1	.	2	1	1	2	7	5	2	.	.	.
Otsego	5	1	.	2	.	.	2	1	1	8	7	4	3	2	.	.
Ottawa	15	19	4	5	7	.	11	13	21	62	60	40	20	8	1	.
Presque Isle	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	3	.	6	6	4	2	4	.	.
Roscommon	3	12	1	.	2	.	2	2	.	15	14	7	7	2	3	.
Saginaw	26	47	4	29	12	.	6	31	12	96	115	52	63	26	35	4
St. Clair	21	43	2	25	6	.	10	16	6	93	71	39	32	15	2	2
St. Joseph	7	16	1	6	4	.	6	6	1	32	27	18	9	8	3	.
Sanilac	7	7	1	3	3	.	4	2	3	19	21	11	10	9	1	.
Schoolcraft	1	3	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	6	7	3	4	5	.	.
Shiawassee	17	18	.	7	2	.	8	9	1	33	33	19	14	11	3	.
Tuscola	10	10	.	2	4	.	3	5	1	27	30	18	12	3	.	.
Tuscola	17	20	2	7	4	.	2	4	7	36	43	23	20	7	4	.
Van Buren	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Washtenaw	34	34	2	17	6	.	14	27	9	100	89	45	44	33	6	2
Wayne	428	503	68	665	196	6	137	363	137	1,489	926	389	537	324	546	70
Westford	6	8	.	4	1	.	1	2	2	20	12	9	3	2	.	1
County Not Stated	1	.	.	1	.	.	3	6	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1

Table 4.15

REPORTED CASES OF COMMUNICABLE DISEASES BY COUNTY
MICHIGAN RESIDENTS, 1975

AREA	Total	Gonorrhea	Chicken Pox	Streptococcal Sore Throat (Including Scarlet Fever)	Hepatitis (Infectious and Serum)	Rubella	Syphilis	Scarlet Fever	Mumps	Tuberculosis ²	Measles	Dysentery Bacillary (Shigella)	Whooping Cough	Meningococcal Infections	All Other ³
STATE	107,659	36,624	30,320	30,182	2,036	1,260	1,260	1,115	1,067	1,052	869	426	102	79	1,267
Alcona	11	3	6	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Alger	31	5	11	9	-	2	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Allegan	590	58	223	242	20	8	1	3	10	7	-	2	-	-	-
Alpena	64	23	15	23	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	15
Antrim	48	3	28	12	4	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Arenac	224	2	15	198	2	-	2	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	2
Baraga	52	1	42	-	-	3	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	4
Barry	469	47	128	271	1	4	1	12	2	-	-	1	1	-	4
Bay	877	165	280	302	12	53	1	24	12	10	9	4	1	1	4
Benzie	54	5	19	19	7	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
Berrien	1,442	1,137	70	44	68	7	22	30	7	28	-	5	-	-	24
Branon	459	73	127	101	2	88	1	4	9	6	4	1	41	-	2
Calhoun	1,032	407	346	128	48	30	5	3	6	12	20	-	-	1	26
Cass	230	45	108	41	12	7	5	1	2	3	3	-	-	-	3
Charlevoix	19	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	1
Cheboygan	108	14	53	27	5	2	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-
Chippewa	112	22	14	12	2	-	2	-	2	6	51	-	-	-	1
Clare	214	9	191	8	2	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Clinton	305	30	197	50	11	2	-	4	5	2	-	-	-	-	3
Crawford	314	6	229	68	2	5	1	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-
Delta	215	41	81	67	1	2	2	7	2	3	4	-	-	1	4
Dickinson	201	15	146	28	1	4	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	3
Eaton	838	86	207	472	11	6	3	5	11	6	25	-	2	-	4
Emet	70	13	41	9	1	1	-	-	1	-	1	3	-	-	-
Genesee	5,898	3,016	1,780	662	114	30	55	86	25	27	31	15	5	3	49
Gladwin	46	2	32	10	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gogebic	175	11	5	76	-	5	-	-	-	-	77	-	-	-	1
Gd. Traverse	210	47	85	61	7	1	3	-	2	3	-	-	-	-	1
Gratiot	386	27	317	28	3	-	1	-	7	1	1	-	-	-	1
Hillsdale	305	60	183	26	6	2	6	2	3	9	4	-	-	-	3
Houghton	253	34	86	120	1	4	-	1	2	1	3	-	-	-	1
Huron	156	7	122	9	6	5	-	-	3	1	3	-	-	-	-
Ingham	7,383	1,863	825	4,282	119	44	31	53	18	32	93	10	2	5	6
Ionia	401	30	278	49	5	9	4	13	7	-	3	1	-	1	1
Iosco	572	5	235	313	1	6	3	-	-	4	1	-	1	-	3
Iron	261	1	188	51	-	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	1	-	15
Isabella	187	50	66	48	8	2	1	7	-	1	-	-	-	-	4
Jackson	1,152	591	254	252	8	14	10	9	4	5	1	-	-	1	3
Kalamazoo	3,203	1,192	1,225	481	58	3	13	40	9	17	12	1	1	1	151
Kalamazoo	69	6	34	18	1	1	1	-	2	1	4	-	-	-	1
Kent	16,805	2,179	836	13,462	69	1	46	48	18	44	31	11	3	12	45
Keweenaw	12	5	6	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lake	32	18	1	5	3	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lapeer	371	36	253	17	8	7	3	30	7	3	3	-	-	-	4
Leelanau	26	-	15	8	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leauvee	894	113	619	67	14	15	6	9	10	8	13	5	-	-	12
Livingston	1,295	53	699	481	14	14	1	3	17	3	7	-	-	-	3
Luce	39	4	17	9	2	2	-	-	4	-	1	-	-	-	-
MacKinnac	44	12	24	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	3
Macomb	3,723	496	1,705	782	149	313	21	66	23	52	45	9	1	3	58
Manistee	126	15	75	23	5	2	-	2	2	-	2	-	-	-	-
Marquette	793	75	341	317	7	4	2	8	3	3	6	3	-	1	21
Mason	205	37	137	27	-	-	-	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	-
Mecosta	651	53	122	262	8	194	-	4	2	1	5	-	-	-	-
Merominec	164	11	127	19	-	2	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	1
Midland	160	58	60	28	1	4	-	1	2	2	-	-	-	-	3
Missaukee	150	7	45	26	2	65	-	-	3	-	1	-	-	-	1
Monroe	1,211	163	710	248	24	3	15	8	7	10	12	-	-	1	10
Montcalm	304	56	176	50	3	2	1	3	9	-	1	-	-	-	3
Montmorency	17	2	4	4	1	-	1	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-
Muskegon	1,645	785	477	163	37	39	10	24	12	20	27	33	-	1	17
Newaygo	205	31	104	48	2	10	1	4	1	2	-	-	1	-	-
Oakland	9,886	1,888	4,627	2,176	258	85	87	123	91	73	50	51	9	10	358
Oceana	95	11	52	3	14	3	2	5	-	-	-	4	-	-	1
Ogemaw	17	7	-	-	6	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Ontonagon	74	3	54	13	1	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Oscoda	26	13	8	3	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oscoda	20	3	5	11	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Otsego	106	7	47	43	-	7	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ottawa	1,253	261	760	157	29	2	5	5	18	4	1	2	1	2	6
Presque Isle	108	4	85	5	4	1	-	1	4	1	2	-	-	-	1
Roscommon	32	11	6	6	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Saginaw	2,058	1,369	255	252	56	3	37	24	10	28	8	7	-	-	9
St. Clair	1,180	383	479	148	30	7	5	15	13	12	53	3	1	-	31
St. Joseph	521	51	361	58	4	16	1	4	6	10	7	-	-	1	2
Saukic	41	15	12	9	-	2	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-
Schoolcraft	133	10	9	113	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-
Shiawassee	603	61	413	89	11	3	1	4	8	3	2	-	-	-	5
Tuscola	490	81	334	17	15	1	3	20	5	3	1	-	-	-	2
Van Buren	874	115	392	218	74	9	6	14	11	9	1	1	3	1	28
Washtenaw	1,369	1,134	32	35	28	1	37	20	55	19	2	2	-	2	2
Wayne	30,939	17,801	7,298	2,130	388	87	783	355	543	541	230	228	26	28	301
Wixford	310	19	243	28	1	1	1	4	7	2	2	1	1	-	-
State Homes	16	-	3	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-

1 - 640 of these were serum hepatitis.

2 - Effective January, 1975, a new diagnostic classification system for tuberculosis was adopted. As a result, direct comparison of case counts and rates between 1975 and preceding years will not be possible.

3 - Includes:

Meningitis, Aseptic	592	Staphylococcal Infections	96	Malaria	12	Diarrhea Epidemic Infants (under 1 year)	1
Meningitis, Excluding Aseptic	169	Encephalitis Infections	55	Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever	3	Leprosy	1
Ringworm	156	Typhoid Fever	14	Psittacosis	3	Tetanus	1
Meningitis, Influenzal	148	Dysentery Amebic	13	Congenital Rubella	3		

TABLE 4.16

NUMBER OF DEATHS BY CAUSE
MICHIGAN RESIDENTS, 1979

ICD LIST NUMBER	CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER	ICD LIST NUMBER	CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER
I. INFECTIOUS AND PARASITIC DISEASES (001-139)					
003	Other salmonella infections-----	1	182	Malignant neoplasm of body of uterus-----	114
008	Intestinal infections due to other organisms-----	6	183	Malignant neoplasm of ovary and other uterine adnexa-----	386
009	Ill-defined intestinal infections-----	9	184	Malignant neoplasm of other and unspecified female genital organs-----	31
011	Pulmonary tuberculosis-----	47	185	Malignant neoplasm of prostate-----	840
013	Tuberculosis of meninges and central nervous system-----	2	186	Malignant neoplasm of testis-----	25
015	Tuberculosis of bones and joints-----	1	187	Malignant neoplasm of penis and other male genital organs-----	11
017	Tuberculosis of other organs-----	1	188	Malignant neoplasm of bladder-----	418
018	Miliary tuberculosis-----	11	189	Malignant neoplasm of kidney and other and unspecified urinary organs-----	278
027	Other zoonotic bacterial diseases-----	2	190	Malignant neoplasm of eye-----	10
035	Erysipelas-----	1	191	Malignant neoplasm of brain-----	363
036	Meningococcal infection-----	12	192	Malignant neoplasm of other and unspecified parts of nervous system-----	15
037	Tetanus-----	1	193	Malignant neoplasm of thyroid gland-----	34
038	Septicemia-----	300	194	Malignant neoplasm of other endocrine glands and related structures-----	14
039	Actinomycotic infections-----	1	195	Malignant neoplasm of other and ill-defined sites-----	104
040	Other bacterial diseases-----	8	199	Malignant neoplasm without specification of site-----	969
041	Bacterial infection in conditions classified elsewhere and of unspecified site-----	8	200	Lymphosarcoma and reticulosarcoma-----	208
046	Slow virus infection of central nervous system-----	8	201	Hodgkin's disease-----	86
047	Meningitis due to enterovirus-----	2	202	Other malignant neoplasm of lymphoid and histiocytic tissue-----	282
048	Other enterovirus diseases of central nervous system-----	1	203	Multiple myeloma and immunoproliferative neoplasm-----	274
049	Other non-arthropod-borne viral diseases of central nervous system-----	8	204	Lymphoid leukemia-----	178
052	Chickenpox-----	3	205	Myeloid leukemia-----	271
053	Herpes zoster-----	5	206	Monocytic leukemia-----	20
054	Herpes simplex-----	5	207	Other specified leukemia-----	15
070	Viral hepatitis-----	26	208	Leukemia of unspecified cell type-----	135
075	Infectious mononucleosis-----	1	211	Benign neoplasm of other parts of digestive system-----	8
078	Other diseases due to viruses and chlamydiae-----	3	212	Benign neoplasm of respiratory and intrathoracic organs-----	1
079	Viral infection in conditions classified elsewhere and of unspecified site-----	8	213	Benign neoplasm of bone and articular cartilage-----	3
090	Congenital syphilis-----	2	215	Other benign neoplasm of connective and other soft tissue-----	2
093	Cardiovascular syphilis-----	3	218	Uterine leiomyoma-----	1
094	Neurosyphilis-----	4	220	Benign neoplasm of ovary-----	1
112	Candidiasis-----	13	225	Benign neoplasm of brain and other parts of nervous system-----	24
114	Coccidioidomycosis-----	1	226	Benign neoplasm of thyroid gland-----	1
117	Other mycoses-----	8	227	Benign neoplasm of other endocrine glands and related structures-----	11
135	Sarcoidosis-----	14	228	Hemangioma and lymphangioma, any site-----	2
136	Other and unspecified infectious and parasitic diseases-----	11	235	Neoplasm of uncertain behaviour of digestive and respiratory systems-----	5
137	Late effects of tuberculosis-----	14	237	Neoplasm of uncertain behaviour of endocrine glands and nervous system-----	12
138	Late effects of acute poliomyelitis-----	2	238	Neoplasm of uncertain behaviour of other and unspecified sites and tissues-----	36
			239	Neoplasm of unspecified nature-----	108
II. NEOPLASMS (140-239)					
140	Malignant neoplasm of lip-----	4	242	Thyrototoxicosis with or without goitre-----	11
141	Malignant neoplasm of tongue-----	84	244	Acquired hypothyroidism-----	15
142	Malignant neoplasm of major salivary glands-----	17	250	Diabetes mellitus-----	1,449
143	Malignant neoplasm of gum-----	3	251	Other disorders of pancreatic internal secretion-----	1
144	Malignant neoplasm of floor of mouth-----	18	252	Disorders of parathyroid gland-----	1
145	Malignant neoplasm of other and unspecified parts of mouth-----	51	253	Disorders of the pituitary gland and it's hypothalamic control-----	7
146	Malignant neoplasm of oropharynx-----	32	254	Diseases of the thymus gland-----	1
147	Malignant neoplasm of nasopharynx-----	20	255	Disorders of the adrenal glands-----	16
148	Malignant neoplasm of hypopharynx-----	34	259	Other endocrine disorders-----	2
149	Malignant neoplasm of other and ill-defined sites within the lip oral cavity and pharynx-----	54	260	Koashiorkor-----	1
150	Malignant neoplasm of oesophagus-----	277	261	Nutritional marasmus-----	7
151	Malignant neoplasm of stomach-----	596	263	Other and unspecified protein-calorie malnutrition-----	71
152	Malignant neoplasm of small intestine, including duodenum-----	32	269	Other nutritional deficiencies-----	4
153	Malignant neoplasm of colon-----	1,597	270	Disorders of amino-acid transport and metabolism-----	2
154	Malignant neoplasm of rectum, rectosigmoid junction and anus-----	359	271	Disorders of carbohydrate transport and metabolism-----	2
155	Malignant neoplasm of liver and intrahepatic bile ducts-----	199	272	Disorders of lipid metabolism-----	26
156	Malignant neoplasm of gallbladder and extrahepatic bile ducts-----	175	273	Disorders of plasma protein metabolism-----	15
157	Malignant neoplasm of pancreas-----	799	274	Gout-----	3
158	Malignant neoplasm of retroperitoneum and peritoneum-----	18	275	Disorders of mineral metabolism-----	8
159	Malignant neoplasm of other and ill-defined sites within the digestive organs and peritoneum-----	83	276	Disorder of fluid electrolyte and acid-base balance-----	133
160	Malignant neoplasm of nasal cavities, middle ear and accessory sinuses-----	19	277	Other and unspecified disorders of metabolism-----	46
161	Malignant neoplasm of larynx-----	137	278	Obesity and other hyperalimentation-----	45
162	Malignant neoplasm of trachea, bronchus and lung-----	3,744	279	Disorders involving the immune mechanism-----	3
163	Malignant neoplasm of pleura-----	6	280	Iron deficiency anaemias-----	3
164	Malignant neoplasm of thymus, heart and mediastinum-----	11	281	Other deficiency anaemias-----	6
170	Malignant neoplasm of the bone and articular cartilage-----	56	282	Hereditary haemolytic anaemias-----	19
171	Malignant neoplasm of connective and other soft tissue-----	104	283	Acquired haemolytic anaemias-----	11
172	Malignant melanoma of skin-----	165			
173	Other malignant neoplasm of skin-----	45			
174	Malignant neoplasm of female breast-----	1,305			
175	Malignant neoplasm of male breast-----	14			
179	Malignant neoplasm of uterus, part unspecified-----	115			
180	Malignant neoplasm of cervix uteri-----	174			
181	Malignant neoplasm of placenta-----	1			
III. ENDOCRINE, NUTRITIONAL AND METABOLIC DISEASES AND IMMUNITY DISORDERS (240-279)					
IV. DISEASES OF BLOOD AND BLOOD-FORMING ORGANS (280-289)					

TABLE 4.16
NUMBER OF DEATHS BY CAUSE
MICHIGAN RESIDENTS, 1979 (continued)

ICD LIST NUMBER	CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER	ICD LIST NUMBER	CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER
536	Disorders of function of stomach-----	5			
537	Other disorders of stomach and duodenum-----	24			
540	Acute appendicitis-----	27			
541	Appendicitis, unqualified-----	2			
543	Other diseases of appendix-----	1			
550	Inguinal hernia-----	10			
551	Other hernia of abdominal cavity, with gangrene-----	2			
552	Other hernia abdominal cavity with obstruction, without mention of gangrene-----	18			
553	Other hernia of abdominal cavity without mention of obstruction or gangrene-----	28			
555	Regional enteritis-----	12			
556	Idiopathic proctocolitis-----	10			
557	Vascular insufficiency of intestine-----	154			
558	Other noninfective gastroenteritis and colitis-----	34			
560	Intestinal obstruction without mention of hernia-----	159			
562	Diverticula of intestine-----	124			
564	Functional digestive disorders, not elsewhere classified-----	6			
566	Abscess of anal and rectal regions-----	6			
567	Peritonitis-----	54			
568	Other disorders of peritoneum-----	6			
569	Other disorders of intestine-----	50			
570	Acute and subacute necrosis of liver-----	13			
571	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis-----	1,367			
572	Liver abscess and sequelae of chronic liver disease-----	110			
573	Other disorders of liver-----	35			
574	Cholelithiasis-----	40			
575	Other disorders of gallbladder-----	49			
576	Other disorders of biliary tract-----	33			
577	Diseases of pancreas-----	109			
578	Gastrointestinal haemorrhage-----	164			
579	Intestinal malabsorption-----	11			
I. DISEASES OF THE GENITOURINARY SYSTEM (580-629)					
580	Acute glomerulonephritis-----	6			
581	Nephrotic syndrome-----	9			
582	Chronic glomerulonephritis-----	60			
583	Nephritis and nephritis and nephropathy, not specified as acute or chronic-----	14			
584	Acute renal failure-----	78			
585	Chronic renal failure-----	141			
586	Renal failure, unspecified-----	287			
587	Renal sclerosis, unspecified-----	2			
588	Disorders resulting from impaired renal function-----	4			
590	Infections of kidney-----	76			
591	Hydronephrosis-----	5			
592	Calculus of kidney and ureter-----	13			
593	Other disorders of kidney and ureter-----	34			
595	Cystitis-----	7			
596	Other disorders of bladder-----	6			
597	Urethritis, not sexually transmitted, and urethral syndrome-----	3			
598	Urethral stricture-----	2			
599	Other disorders of urethra and urinary tract-----	125			
600	Hypertrophy of prostate-----	19			
602	Other disorders of prostate-----	9			
611	Other disorders of breast-----	2			
614	Inflammatory disease of ovary, fallopian tube, pelvic cellular tissue and peritoneum-----	7			
618	Genital prolapse-----	1			
619	Fistulae involving female genital tract-----	1			
621	Disorders of uterus, not elsewhere classified-----	1			
623	Noninflammatory disorders of vagina-----	2			
624	Disorders of menstruation and other abnormal bleeding from female genital tract-----	1			
II. COMPLICATIONS OF PREGNANCY, CHILDBIRTH, AND THE PUERPERIUM (630-676)					
633	Ectopic pregnancy-----	2			
636	Illegally induced abortion-----	1			
642	Hypertension complicating pregnancy-----	1			
648	Other current conditions in the mother classifiable elsewhere but complicating pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium-----	1			
666	Postpartum haemorrhage-----	1			
669	Other complications of labour and delivery, not elsewhere classified-----	1			
670	Major puerperal infections-----	1			
671	Venous complications in pregnancy and the puerperium-----	1			
673	Obstetrical pulmonary embolism-----	2			
			682	Other cellulitis and abscess-----	18
			683	Acute lymphadenitis-----	1
			686	Other local infections of skin and subcutaneous tissue-----	4
			692	Contact dermatitis and related conditions-----	1
			694	Bullous dermatoses-----	3
			695	Erythematous conditions-----	4
			705	Disorders of sweat glands-----	1
			707	Chronic ulcer of skin-----	60
			710	Diffuse diseases of connective tissue-----	68
			711	Arthropathy associated with infections-----	2
			714	Rheumatoid arthritis and other inflammatory polyarthropathies-----	44
			715	Osteoarthritis and allied disorders-----	16
			716	Other and unspecified arthropathies-----	8
			718	Other disarrangement of joint-----	1
			719	Other and unspecified disorder of joint-----	3
			720	Ankylosing spondylitis and other inflammatory spondylopathies-----	2
			721	Spondylosis and allied disorders-----	6
			722	Intervertebral disc disorders-----	1
			724	Other and unspecified disorder of back-----	1
			726	Peripheral neuropathies and allied syndromes-----	1
			728	Disorders of muscle, ligament and fascia-----	5
			729	Other disorders of soft tissues-----	1
			730	Osteomyelitis, perlostitis and other infections involving bone-----	3
			731	Osteitis deformans and osteopathies associated with other disorders classified elsewhere-----	1
			733	Other disorders of bone and cartilage-----	5
			737	Curvature of spine-----	4
			738	Other acquired deformity-----	2
			740	Anencephalus and similar anomalies-----	24
			741	Spina bifida-----	12
			742	Other congenital anomalies of nervous system	53
			745	Bulbus cordis anomalies and anomalies of cardiac septal closure-----	79
			746	Other congenital anomalies of heart-----	126
			747	Other congenital anomalies of circulatory system-----	49
			748	Congenital anomalies of respiratory system-----	26
			750	Other congenital anomalies of upper alimentary tract-----	2
			751	Other congenital anomalies of digestive system-----	16
			752	Congenital anomalies of genital organs-----	1
			753	Congenital anomalies of urinary system-----	34
			754	Certain congenital musculoskeletal deformities-----	1
			755	Other congenital anomalies of limb-----	1
			756	Other congenital musculoskeletal anomalies-----	30
			757	Congenital anomalies of the integument-----	4
			758	Chromosomal anomalies-----	38
			759	Other and unspecified congenital anomalies-----	43
			760	Fetus or newborn affected by maternal conditions which may be unrelated to present pregnancy-----	1
			761	Fetus or newborn affected by maternal complications of pregnancy-----	75
			762	Fetus or newborn affected by complications of placenta, cord and membranes-----	47
			763	Fetus or newborn affected by other complications of labour and delivery-----	9
			764	Slow fetal growth and fetal malnutrition-----	5
			765	Disorders relating to short gestation and unspecified low birthweight-----	134
			767	Birth trauma-----	45
			768	Intrauterine hypoxia and birth asphyxia-----	70
			769	Respiratory distress syndrome-----	260
			770	Other respiratory conditions of fetus and newborn-----	171
			771	Infections specific to the perinatal period-----	33
			772	Fetal and neonatal haemorrhage-----	22
			773	Haemolytic disease of fetus or newborn-----	2
			774	Other perinatal jaundice-----	1
			775	Endocrine and metabolic disturbances specific to the fetus and newborn-----	5
			776	Haematological disorders of fetus and newborn-----	4
			777	Perinatal disorders of digestive system-----	14

TABLE 4.16
NUMBER OF DEATHS BY CAUSE
MICHIGAN RESIDENTS, 1979 (continued)

ICD LIST NUMBER	CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER	ICD LIST NUMBER	CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER
778	Conditions involving the integument and temperature regulation of fetus and newborn- Other and ill-defined conditions originating in the perinatal period-----	8 116	E864	Accidental poisoning by other and unspecified solid and liquid substances-----	1
779			E868	Accidental poisoning by other utility gas distributed by pipeline-----	1
 XVI. SYMPTOMS, SIGNS AND ILL-DEFINED CONDITIONS (780-799)					
780	General symptoms-----	8	E869	Accidental poisoning by other gases and vapours-----	4
782	Symptoms involving skin and other integumentary tissue-----	1	E870	Accidental cut puncture, perforation or haemorrhage during medical care-----	3
785	Symptoms involving cardiovascular system-----	19	E871	Foreign object left in body during procedure	1
786	Symptoms involving respiratory system and other chest symptoms-----	5	E878	Surgical operation and other surgical procedures as the cause of abnormal reaction of patient, or of later complication, without mention of misadventure at the time of operation-----	51
788	Symptoms involving urinary system-----	1	E879	Other procedures, without mention of misadventure at the time of procedure, as the cause of abnormal reaction of patient, or of later complication-----	9
789	Other symptoms involving abdomen and pelvis-----	1	E880	Fall on or from stairs or steps-----	73
790	Non-specific findings on examination of blood-----	1	E881	Fall on or from ladders or scaffolding-----	11
797	Senility without mention of psychosis-----	20	E882	Fall from or out of building or other structure-----	22
798	Sudden death, cause unknown-----	254	E883	Fall into hole or other opening in surface-----	5
799	Other ill-defined and unknown causes of morbidity and mortality-----	144	E884	Other fall from one level to another-----	42
 XVII. EXTERNAL CAUSES OF INJURY AND POISONING (E800-E999)					
E800	Railway accident involving collision with rolling stock-----	1	E885	Fall on same level from slipping, tripping, or stumbling-----	11
E804	Fall in, on, or from railway train-----	1	E887	Fracture, cause specified-----	144
E805	Hit by rolling stock-----	7	E888	Other and unspecified fall-----	241
E810	Motor vehicle traffic accident involving collision with train-----	34	E890	Conflagration in private dwelling-----	237
E812	Other motor vehicle traffic accident involving collision with another motor vehicle-----	816	E891	Conflagration in other and unspecified building or structure-----	9
E813	Motor vehicle traffic accident involving collision with other vehicle-----	50	E893	Accident caused by ignition of clothing-----	3
E814	Motor vehicle traffic accident collision with pedestrian-----	350	E894	Ignition of highly inflammable material-----	3
E815	Other motor vehicle traffic accident involving collision on the highway-----	192	E895	Accident caused by controlled fire in private dwelling-----	1
E816	Motor vehicle traffic accident due to loss of control, without collision on the highway-----	306	E897	Accident caused by controlled fire not in building or structure-----	1
E817	Noncollision motor vehicle traffic accident while boarding or alighting-----	1	E898	Accident caused by other specified fire and flames-----	7
E818	Other noncollision motor vehicle traffic accident-----	27	E899	Accident caused by unspecified fire-----	5
E819	Motor vehicle traffic accident of unspecified nature-----	134	E900	Excessive heat-----	2
E820	Nontraffic accident involving motor driven and vehicle-----	5	E901	Excessive cold-----	25
E821	Nontraffic accident involving other off-road motor vehicle-----	1	E904	Hunger, thirst, exposure, neglect-----	21
E822	Other motor vehicle nontraffic accident involving collision with moving object-----	30	E907	Lightning-----	2
E823	Other motor vehicle nontraffic accident involving collision with stationary object-----	5	E908	Cataclysmic storms, and floods resulting from storms-----	185
E825	Other and unspecified nature-----	16	E910	Accidental drowning and submersion-----	92
E826	Pedal cycle accident-----	5	E911	Inhalation and ingestion of food causing obstruction of respiratory tract or suffocation-----	52
E828	Accident involving animal being ridden-----	1	E912	Inhalation and ingestion of other object causing obstruction of respiratory tract or suffocation-----	44
E830	Accident to watercraft causing submersion-----	18	E913	Accidental mechanical suffocation-----	46
E831	Accident to watercraft causing other injury-----	1	E916	Struck accidentally by falling object-----	8
E832	Other accidental submersion or drowning in water transport accident-----	18	E917	Striking against or struck accidentally by objects or persons-----	5
E835	Other and unspecified fall in water transport-----	1	E918	Caught accidentally in or between objects-----	38
E838	Other and unspecified water transport accident-----	2	E919	Accidents caused by machinery-----	3
E840	Accident to powered aircraft at take off or landing-----	11	E920	Accidents caused by cutting and piercing instruments or objects-----	1
E841	Accident to powered aircraft, other and unspecified-----	37	E921	Accidents caused by explosion of pressure vessel-----	58
E844	Other specified air transport accidents-----	4	E922	Accident caused by firearm missile-----	10
E846	Accidents involving powered vehicles used solely within the building and premises of an industrial or commercial establishment-----	2	E923	Accident caused by explosive material-----	8
E850	Accidental poisoning by analgesics, antipyretics, antirheumatics-----	16	E924	Accident caused by hot substance or object caustic or corrosive material and steam-----	28
E851	Accidental poisoning by barbiturates-----	1	E925	Accident caused by electric current-----	2
E852	Accidental poisoning by other sedatives and hypnotics-----	1	E928	Other and unspecified environmental and accidental causes-----	57
E853	Accidental poisoning by tranquilizers-----	3	E929	Late effects of accidental injury-----	7
E854	Accidental poisoning by other psychotropic agents-----	2	E947	Other and unspecified drugs and medicaments-----	119
E855	Accidental poisoning by other drugs acting on central and autonomic nervous systems-----	5	E950	Suicide and self inflicted poisoning by solid or liquid substances-----	3
E858	Accidental poisoning by other drugs-----	52	E951	Suicide and self inflicted poisoning by gases in domestic use-----	154
E860	Accidental poisoning by alcohol, not elsewhere classified-----	5	E952	Suicide and self inflicted poisoning by other gases and vapours-----	170
E861	Accidental poisoning by cleansing and polishing agents, disinfectants, paints, and varnishes-----	1	E953	Suicide and self inflicted injury by hanging, strangulation, and suffocation-----	26
E862	Accidental poisoning by petroleum products, other solvents and their vapours not elsewhere classified-----	2	E954	Suicide and self inflicted injury by submersion (drowning)-----	602
			E955	Suicide and self inflicted injury by firearms and explosives-----	20
			E956	Suicide and self inflicted injury by cutting and piercing instruments-----	20
			E957	Suicide and self inflicted injuries by jumping from high places-----	29
			E958	Suicide and self inflicted injury by other and unspecified means-----	2
			E960	Fight, brawl, rape-----	1
			E962	Assault by poisoning-----	1
			E963	Assault by hanging and strangulation-----	36
			E964	Assault by submersion (drowning)-----	3
			E965	Assault by firearms and explosives-----	538
			E966	Assault by cutting and piercing instrument-----	154

TABLE 4. 16
NUMBER OF DEATHS BY CAUSE
MICHIGAN RESIDENTS, 1979 (continued)

ICD LIST NUMBER	CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER
E967	Child battering and other maltreatment-----	10
E968	Assault by other and unspecified means-----	111
E969	Late effects of injury purposely inflicted by other person-----	1
E970	Injury due to legal intervention by firearms-----	24
E980	Poisoning by solid or liquid substances undetermined whether accidentally or purposely inflicted-----	46
E982	Poisoning by other gases undetermined whether accidentally or purposely inflicted-----	10
E983	Hanging, strangulation, or suffocation undetermined whether accidentally or purposely inflicted-----	1
E984	Submersion (drowning) undetermined whether accidentally or purposely inflicted-----	19
E985	Injury by firearms and explosives undeter- mined whether accidentally or purposely inflicted-----	12
E987	Falling from high place undetermined whether accidentally or purposely inflicted-----	5
E988	Injury by other and unspecified means undetermined whether accidentally or purposely inflicted-----	29
TOTAL-----		73,480

TABLE 4.17 POPULATION BY AGE, RACE, AND SEX, MICHIGAN, 1979¹

AGE	ALL RACES				WHITE				OTHER THAN WHITE					
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
Under 1 Year . . .	136,308	69,755	66,553	110,495	56,881	53,614	25,813	12,874	12,938					
1 - 4 Years . . .	546,613	279,121	267,492	452,372	231,707	220,665	94,241	47,414	46,827					
5 - 9 Years . . .	830,236	423,751	406,486	709,378	363,162	346,216	120,858	60,589	60,269					
10 - 14 Years . . .	924,494	469,994	454,500	780,304	397,428	382,877	144,190	72,566	71,624					
15 - 19 Years . . .	937,325	471,337	465,988	786,811	396,869	389,941	150,515	74,468	76,047					
20 - 24 Years . . .	784,513	383,581	400,932	658,111	321,513	336,598	126,402	62,068	64,335					
25 - 29 Years . . .	587,773	254,515	333,259	509,053	221,312	287,741	78,720	33,203	45,518					
30 - 34 Years . . .	677,107	328,734	348,373	591,914	291,276	300,638	85,193	37,458	47,735					
35 - 39 Years . . .	607,972	328,491	279,481	527,010	289,064	237,946	80,962	39,427	41,535					
40 - 44 Years . . .	413,429	220,161	193,268	359,773	193,471	166,303	53,656	26,690	26,966					
45 - 49 Years . . .	422,853	219,660	203,193	371,156	193,054	178,102	51,697	26,607	25,091					
50 - 54 Years . . .	523,607	259,636	263,971	462,208	229,358	232,850	61,399	30,278	31,121					
55 - 59 Years . . .	494,295	237,659	256,637	439,306	211,119	228,188	54,989	26,540	28,449					
60 - 64 Years . . .	405,557	192,589	212,969	359,800	170,938	188,863	45,757	21,651	24,106					
65 - 69 Years . . .	304,994	142,380	162,614	267,055	123,940	143,114	37,939	18,440	19,500					
70 - 74 Years . . .	213,131	92,618	120,513	190,024	81,686	108,338	23,107	10,932	12,175					
75 - 79 Years . . .	166,231	66,624	99,607	152,854	60,890	91,964	13,377	5,734	7,643					
80 - 84 Years . . .	138,670	54,289	84,381	127,901	49,775	78,12	10,769	4,514	6,255					
85 and Over . . .	91,890	33,561	58,329	83,298	30,053	53,244	8,592	3,508	5,084					
TOTAL	9,207,000	4,528,456	4,678,544	7,938,823	3,913,495	4,025,328	1,268,177	614,961	653,217					

¹Sum of subpopulations may not equal totals due to rounding.

Estimates by age and sex were developed from the unpublished total state population provisional estimate for July 1, 1979 and from projected population subgroup proportions as developed by the Michigan Department of Management and Budget, Bureau of Budget. Estimates by race were developed by the Office of Vital and Health Statistics. See Technic Notes.

Table 4.18
Population Changes by County
Michigan Residents, 1969-1979

STATE	Population Estimate July 1, 1969 ¹	Population Estimate July 1, 1979 ¹	Net Change, 1969-1979	Percent Change	Natural Increase	Estimated Net Migration
	8,736,000	9,207,000	473,000	5.4	695,773	-222,773
Alcona	6,400	9,200	2,800	43.8	-112	2,912
Alger	8,200	9,900	1,700	20.7	280	1,420
Allegan	63,300	75,800	12,500	19.7	6,191	6,309
Alpena	30,200	33,300	3,100	10.3	2,150	950
Antrim	11,500	16,700	5,200	45.2	571	4,629
Arenac	10,600	14,000	3,400	32.1	626	2,774
Baraga	7,700	8,700	1,000	13.0	303	697
Benzie	34,500	43,200	8,700	25.2	2,768	5,932
Bay	115,700	120,100	4,400	3.8	9,797	-5,397
Benzie	8,300	11,000	2,700	32.5	170	2,530
Berrien	162,800	166,700	3,900	2.4	14,182	-10,282
Branch	35,600	38,800	3,200	9.0	2,162	1,038
Calhoun	141,200	139,300	-1,900	-1.3	9,944	-11,844
Cass	40,100	45,700	5,600	14.0	3,145	2,455
Charlevoix	16,500	19,600	3,100	18.8	1,011	2,089
Cheboygan	15,500	20,300	4,800	31.0	1,061	3,739
Chippewa	32,200	29,300	-2,900	-9.0	3,566	-6,466
Clare	14,800	23,900	9,100	61.5	535	8,565
Clinton	47,100	55,500	8,400	17.8	4,992	3,408
Crawford	6,200	9,400	3,200	51.6	393	2,807
Delta	35,200	39,600	4,400	12.5	1,889	2,511
Dickinson	23,700	25,600	1,900	8.0	197	1,703
Eaton	65,300	83,900	18,600	28.5	6,212	12,388
Emmet	17,600	22,100	4,500	25.6	1,092	3,408
Genesee	443,700	451,300	7,600	1.7	46,839	-39,239
Gladwin	12,000	19,200	7,200	60.0	641	6,559
Gogebic	20,200	19,600	-600	-3.0	-525	-75
Gd. Traverse	39,800	50,300	10,500	26.4	3,390	7,110
Gratiot	39,000	39,700	700	1.8	3,293	-2,593
Hillsdale	36,000	40,100	4,100	11.4	2,575	1,525
Houghton	33,700	36,100	2,400	7.1	211	2,189
Huron	33,100	35,800	2,700	8.2	1,323	1,177
Ingham	257,000	270,800	13,800	5.3	28,576	-14,776
Ionia	45,700	49,700	4,000	8.8	4,200	-200
Iosco	22,500	30,100	7,600	33.8	2,968	4,632
Iron	13,700	14,700	1,000	7.3	-635	1,635
Isabella	40,400	51,800	11,400	28.5	4,219	7,181
Jackson	142,000	149,400	7,400	4.9	10,125	-2,725
Kalamazoo	194,800	207,800	13,000	6.7	16,359	-3,359
Kalkaska	5,500	12,200	6,700	134.5	516	6,184
Kent	408,600	441,600	33,000	8.1	33,742	-2,742
Kevenaw	2,100	2,300	200	9.5	-90	290
Lake	4,800	7,200	2,400	50.0	-160	2,560
Lapeer	51,000	69,200	18,200	35.7	3,908	12,292
Leelanau	10,000	14,100	4,100	41.0	390	3,710
Lenawee	80,700	86,900	6,200	7.7	7,481	-1,281
Livingston	54,100	99,200	45,100	83.4	6,295	38,805
Luce	7,000	7,000	0	-	270	-270
MacKinnac	9,600	10,800	1,200	12.5	316	884
Macomb	617,400	706,700	89,300	14.5	58,967	30,333
Manistee	19,600	22,000	2,400	12.2	328	2,072
Marquette	62,600	75,600	13,000	20.8	7,134	5,866
Mason	22,100	24,900	2,800	12.7	793	2,007
Mecosta	26,100	35,000	8,900	34.1	2,267	6,633
Menominee	23,600	27,300	3,700	15.7	627	3,073
Midland	61,800	71,100	9,300	15.0	7,483	1,817
Missaukee	6,700	10,000	3,300	49.3	321	2,779
Monroe	115,400	131,600	16,200	14.0	11,180	5,020
Montcalm	40,100	46,100	6,000	15.0	3,095	2,905
Montmorency	4,500	7,700	3,200	71.1	79	3,121
Muskegon	155,700	158,800	3,100	2.0	12,345	-9,245
Newaygo	26,800	33,600	6,800	25.4	1,874	4,926
Oakland	880,400	1,020,200	139,800	15.9	74,167	65,633
Oceana	16,900	21,100	4,200	24.9	1,378	2,822
Ogemaw	10,500	16,200	5,700	54.3	201	5,499
Ontonagon	10,400	10,000	-400	-3.8	389	-789
Oscoda	15,200	18,100	2,900	19.1	998	1,902
Oscoda	4,300	7,200	2,900	67.4	-52	2,952
Oshtemo	10,300	15,100	4,800	46.6	1,134	3,666
Oshtemo	122,300	154,600	32,300	26.4	13,920	18,380
Presque Isle	12,500	14,200	1,700	13.6	686	1,014
Roscommon	8,700	16,200	7,500	86.2	-203	7,703
Saginaw	219,200	226,700	7,500	3.8	21,990	-13,490
St. Clair	117,600	134,200	16,600	14.1	8,665	7,935
St. Joseph	46,200	52,100	5,900	12.8	3,904	1,996
Sauville	34,100	39,800	5,700	16.7	1,984	3,716
Schoolcraft	7,900	8,700	800	10.1	181	619
Shiawassee	62,100	70,900	8,800	14.2	6,589	2,211
Tuscola	48,900	55,700	6,800	13.9	4,259	2,541
Van Buren	55,300	62,500	7,200	13.0	4,399	2,801
Washtenaw	221,400	253,908	31,508	14.2	25,109	6,391
Wayne	2,670,800	2,358,600	-312,200	-11.7	164,424	-476,624
Westland	19,400	22,500	3,100	16.0	1,277	1,823
County Not Stated	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	-21	N.A.

Note: County population estimates are rounded to nearest hundred and state total is rounded to nearest thousand, so sum of county figures may not equal state totals.

TABLE 4.19 -- Abridged Life Table, Michigan Residents, 1979

AGE	$q_x(1)^1$	$l_x(2)^1$	$ndx(3)^1$	$nL_x(4)^1$	$T_x(5)^1$	$e_x(6)$
0-1	0.01409	100000.	1409.	98751.	7334614.	73.3
1-5	0.00247	98591.	243.	393759.	7235863.	73.4
5-10	0.00129	96347.	127.	491387.	6842104.	69.6
10-15	0.00134	96220.	135.	490827.	6350717.	64.7
15-20	0.00439	95085.	430.	489460.	5859890.	59.7
20-25	0.00676	97655.	660.	486705.	5370430.	55.0
25-30	0.00832	96995.	807.	482955.	4883725.	50.4
30-35	0.00670	96188.	644.	479322.	4400770.	45.8
35-40	0.00803	95544.	767.	475976.	3921449.	41.0
40-45	0.01554	94777.	1473.	470512.	3445472.	36.4
45-50	0.02393	93305.	2237.	461252.	2974961.	31.9
50-55	0.03313	91067.	3017.	448233.	2513709.	27.6
55-60	0.04936	88050.	4346.	430136.	2065475.	23.5
60-65	0.07900	83704.	6612.	403035.	1635340.	19.5
65-70	0.12135	77092.	9355.	363350.	1232305.	16.0
70-75	0.18810	67737.	12741.	307715.	868954.	12.8
75-80	0.24704	54996.	13586.	240782.	561239.	10.2
80-85	0.28051	41410.	11616.	177444.	320457.	7.7
85+	1.00000	29794.	29794.	143013.	143013.	4.8

¹Definitions of life table values are contained in the Technical Notes.

TABLE 4.20 -- Abridged Life Table for Males, Michigan Residents, 1979

AGE	$q_x(1)^1$	$l_x(2)^1$	$ndx(3)^1$	$nL_x(4)^1$	$T_x(5)^1$	$e_x(6)^1$
0-1	0.01578	100000.	1578.	98614.	6998751.	70.0
1-5	0.00271	98422.	266.	393036.	6900137.	70.1
5-10	0.00151	98155.	148.	490369.	6507101.	66.3
10-15	0.00160	98007.	156.	489747.	6016732.	61.4
15-20	0.00650	97251.	636.	487833.	5526985.	56.5
20-25	0.00965	97215.	957.	483812.	5039152.	51.8
25-30	0.01300	96255.	1251.	478151.	4555341.	47.3
30-35	0.00956	95007.	907.	472686.	4077189.	42.9
35-40	0.00930	94099.	874.	468484.	3604503.	38.3
40-45	0.01867	93225.	1740.	462150.	3136019.	33.6
45-50	0.02926	91455.	2676.	451163.	2673869.	29.2
50-55	0.04290	88809.	3609.	435089.	2222706.	25.0
55-60	0.06375	84999.	5418.	412397.	1787617.	21.0
60-65	0.10498	79591.	8354.	378268.	1375220.	17.3
65-70	0.16015	71227.	11406.	328926.	996952.	14.0
70-75	0.24461	59821.	14633.	263187.	668025.	11.2
75-80	0.32312	45156.	14601.	188436.	404837.	9.0
80-85	0.32126	30587.	9627.	127132.	216401.	7.1
85+	1.00000	20760.	20760.	89264.	89264.	4.2

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TABLE 4.21 -- Abridged Life Table for Females, Michigan Residents, 1979

AGE	$q_x(1)^1$	$l_x(2)^1$	$ndx(3)^1$	$nL_x(4)^1$	$T_x(5)^1$	$ex(6)^1$
0-1	0.01232	100000.	1232.	48896.	7661143.	76.8
1-5	0.00223	98766.	220.	394516.	7582297.	76.8
5-10	0.00106	98548.	104.	492454.	7187781.	72.9
10-15	0.00116	98444.	114.	491459.	6695327.	68.0
15-20	0.00225	98330.	220.	491154.	6203368.	63.1
20-25	0.00380	98110.	373.	489668.	5712214.	58.2
25-30	0.00474	97737.	462.	487534.	5222546.	53.4
30-35	0.00400	97275.	389.	485439.	4735011.	48.7
35-40	0.00653	96886.	633.	483009.	4249573.	43.9
40-45	0.01197	96254.	1152.	478619.	3766564.	39.1
45-50	0.01825	95102.	1735.	471368.	3287945.	34.6
50-55	0.02344	93367.	2168.	461683.	2816558.	30.2
55-60	0.03567	91174.	3270.	448267.	2354875.	25.8
60-65	0.05491	87904.	4827.	428264.	1906608.	21.7
65-70	0.08605	83082.	7149.	398779.	1478324.	17.8
70-75	0.14210	75933.	10790.	353803.	1074545.	14.2
75-80	0.19175	65143.	12491.	295014.	725742.	11.1
80-85	0.25279	52653.	13310.	230080.	430728.	8.2
85+	1.00000	39343.	39343.	200648.	200648.	5.1

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TABLE 4.22 -- Abridged Life Table for Whites, Michigan Residents, 1979

AGE	$q_x(1)^1$	$l_x(2)^1$	$ndx(3)^1$	$nL_x(4)^1$	$T_x(5)^1$	$ex(6)^1$
0-1	0.01230	100000.	1230.	98913.	7405632.	74.1
1-5	0.00224	98770.	221.	394534.	7306719.	74.0
5-10	0.00116	98544.	116.	492428.	6912186.	70.1
10-15	0.00137	98433.	134.	491898.	6419758.	65.2
15-20	0.00446	98294.	436.	490502.	5927854.	60.3
20-25	0.00638	97861.	624.	487742.	5437357.	55.6
25-30	0.00686	97237.	668.	484487.	4949565.	50.9
30-35	0.00515	96564.	497.	481593.	4465079.	46.2
35-40	0.00664	96071.	637.	478925.	3983485.	41.5
40-45	0.01328	95434.	1267.	474284.	3504561.	36.7
45-50	0.02104	94167.	1981.	466194.	3030277.	32.2
50-55	0.02987	92186.	2753.	454497.	2564082.	27.8
55-60	0.04622	89433.	4133.	437628.	2109586.	23.6
60-65	0.07714	85300.	6580.	411183.	1671957.	19.6
65-70	0.12164	78720.	9575.	370996.	1260775.	16.0
70-75	0.18771	69145.	12979.	314120.	889779.	12.9
75-80	0.24248	56166.	13619.	246572.	575659.	10.2
80-85	0.28130	42547.	11966.	182308.	329087.	7.7
85+	1.00000	30579.	30579.	146779.	146779.	4.8

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TABLE 4.23 -- Abridged Life Table for White Males, Michigan Residents, 1979

AGE	$q_x(1)^1$	$l_x(2)^1$	$ndx(3)^1$	$nL_x(4)^1$	$T_x(5)^1$	$e_x(6)^1$
0-1	0.01385	100000.	1385.	48789.	7070215.	70.7
1-5	0.00254	98615.	250.	393845.	6971427.	70.7
5-10	0.00139	98365.	137.	491447.	6577581.	66.9
10-15	0.00161	98228.	156.	490850.	6086134.	62.0
15-20	0.00657	98070.	644.	488894.	5595283.	57.1
20-25	0.00429	97426.	905.	484457.	5106389.	52.4
25-30	0.01126	96521.	1066.	479840.	4621432.	47.9
30-35	0.00714	95434.	681.	475390.	4141592.	43.4
35-40	0.00744	94754.	704.	472173.	3666202.	38.7
40-45	0.01566	94050.	1472.	466911.	3194029.	34.0
45-50	0.02545	92577.	2355.	457425.	2727118.	29.5
50-55	0.03900	90222.	3514.	442909.	2269694.	25.2
55-60	0.06018	86703.	5217.	421488.	1826784.	21.1
60-65	0.10290	81486.	8344.	387855.	1405297.	17.2
65-70	0.16228	73102.	11663.	337277.	1017441.	13.9
70-75	0.24858	61234.	15223.	268730.	680164.	11.1
75-80	0.31945	46016.	14700.	192268.	411434.	8.9
80-85	0.32265	31317.	10111.	130100.	219166.	7.0
85+	1.00000	21206.	21206.	89066.	89066.	4.2

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TABLE 4.24 -- Abridged Life Table for White Females, Michigan Residents, 1979

AGE	$q_x(1)^1$	$l_x(2)^1$	$ndx(3)^1$	$nL_x(4)^1$	$T_x(5)^1$	$e_x(6)^1$
0-1	0.01065	100000.	1065.	99046.	7747191.	77.5
1-5	0.00192	98935.	190.	395264.	7648145.	77.3
5-10	0.00096	98745.	94.	493466.	7252881.	73.5
10-15	0.00111	98651.	109.	493009.	6759415.	68.5
15-20	0.00231	98541.	227.	492190.	6266406.	63.6
20-25	0.00354	98314.	353.	490713.	5774216.	58.7
25-30	0.00349	97951.	342.	488445.	5263503.	53.9
30-35	0.00323	97620.	315.	487357.	4744558.	49.1
35-40	0.00566	97305.	551.	485296.	4307201.	44.3
40-45	0.01051	96755.	1016.	481442.	3821905.	39.5
45-50	0.01625	95738.	1555.	475001.	3340463.	34.9
50-55	0.02060	94183.	1954.	466333.	2865462.	30.4
55-60	0.03315	92225.	3057.	454063.	2399128.	26.0
60-65	0.05325	89168.	4748.	434829.	1945066.	21.8
65-70	0.08501	84420.	7176.	405408.	1510237.	17.9
70-75	0.13890	77244.	10724.	360497.	1104829.	14.3
75-80	0.18704	66516.	12441.	302045.	744332.	11.2
80-85	0.25330	54075.	13647.	236310.	442237.	8.2
85+	1.00000	40376.	40376.	205927.	205927.	5.1

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TABLE 4.25 -- Abridged Life Table for All Other, Michigan Residents, 1979

AGE	qx(1) ¹	lx(2) ¹	ndx(3) ¹	nLx(4) ¹	Tx(5) ¹	ex(6) ¹
0-1	0.02177	100000.	2177.	98060.	6907946.	69.1
1-5	0.00361	47623.	352.	390423.	6809936.	69.6
5-10	0.00195	47470.	189.	486832.	6419513.	65.9
10-15	0.00146	97281.	142.	486093.	5932681.	61.0
15-20	0.00394	97140.	387.	484878.	5446588.	56.1
20-25	0.00675	96753.	646.	481920.	4961710.	51.3
25-30	0.01764	95406.	1691.	475469.	4479790.	46.7
30-35	0.01740	44215.	1639.	466954.	4004321.	42.5
35-40	0.01704	42576.	1577.	459176.	3537367.	38.2
40-45	0.03060	40999.	2784.	448532.	3078191.	33.8
45-50	0.04487	82215.	3958.	431608.	2629659.	29.8
50-55	0.05734	84257.	4831.	409612.	2198051.	26.1
55-60	0.07408	79427.	5884.	382851.	1788439.	22.5
60-65	0.09346	73543.	6873.	350964.	1405588.	19.1
65-70	0.11933	66670.	7956.	314369.	1034624.	15.8
70-75	0.19135	58714.	11234.	266771.	740255.	12.6
75-80	0.29750	47480.	14125.	201631.	473484.	10.0
80-85	0.27116	33355.	9044.	143007.	271854.	8.2
85+	1.00000	24311.	24311.	128847.	128847.	5.3

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TABLE 4.26 -- Abridged Life Table for Other Males, Michigan Residents, 1979

AGE	qx(1) ¹	lx(2) ¹	ndx(3) ¹	nLx(4) ¹	Tx(5) ¹	ex(6) ¹
0-1	0.02432	100000.	2432.	97844.	6543562.	65.4
1-5	0.00354	97568.	345.	389454.	6445718.	66.1
5-10	0.00223	97223.	216.	485521.	6056263.	62.3
10-15	0.00152	97007.	147.	484745.	5570742.	57.4
15-20	0.00610	96860.	590.	483048.	5085997.	52.5
20-25	0.01274	96269.	1226.	478645.	4602949.	47.8
25-30	0.02457	95043.	2334.	469668.	4124304.	43.4
30-35	0.02817	92704.	2611.	456958.	3654636.	39.4
35-40	0.02284	90098.	2057.	445540.	3197679.	35.5
40-45	0.04027	88041.	3545.	431907.	2752139.	31.3
45-50	0.05651	84446.	4774.	411000.	2320232.	27.5
50-55	0.07190	79722.	5731.	384694.	1904232.	23.9
55-60	0.09165	73491.	6781.	353504.	1524532.	20.6
60-65	0.12122	67210.	8147.	316060.	1171028.	17.4
65-70	0.14564	59063.	8602.	274365.	854968.	14.5
70-75	0.21433	50461.	10815.	226456.	560603.	11.5
75-80	0.36094	39646.	14304.	161806.	354147.	8.9
80-85	0.30380	25336.	7647.	105909.	192341.	7.6
85+	1.00000	17639.	17639.	66432.	66432.	4.9

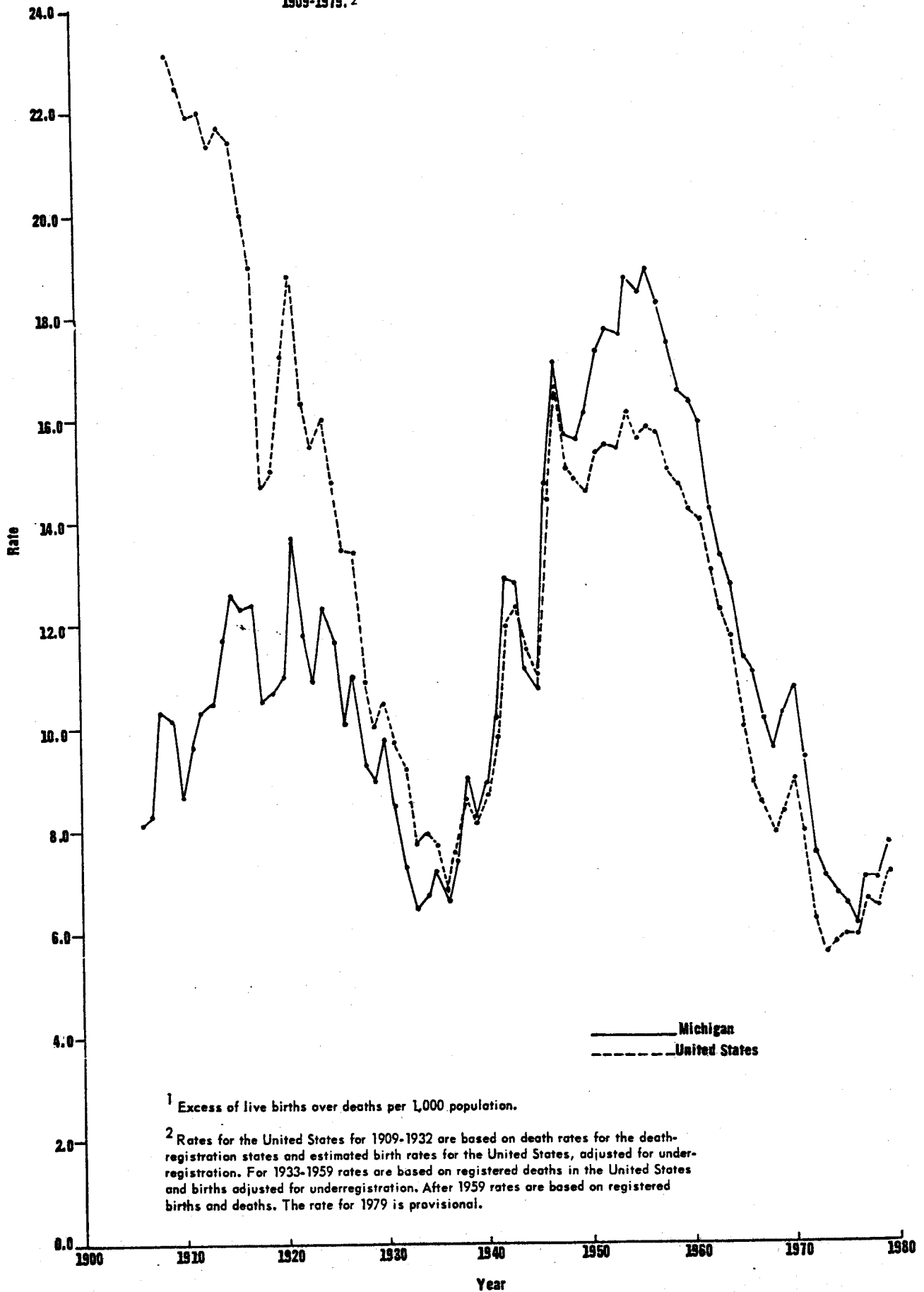
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TABLE 4.27 -- Abridged Life Table for Other Females, Michigan Residents, 1979

AGE	$q_x(1)^1$	$l_x(2)^1$	$ndx(3)^1$	$nLx(4)^1$	$Tx(5)^1$	$ex(6)^1$
0-1	0.01425	100000.	1925.	98275.	7288652.	72.9
1-5	0.00367	98075.	359.	391385.	7190377.	73.3
5-10	0.00166	97716.	162.	488134.	6748992.	69.6
10-15	0.00140	97554.	136.	487434.	6310858.	64.7
15-20	0.00191	97418.	186.	486696.	5823424.	59.8
20-25	0.00469	97232.	475.	485188.	5336728.	54.9
25-30	0.01256	96757.	1215.	480826.	4851541.	50.1
30-35	0.00887	95542.	947.	475568.	4370715.	45.7
35-40	0.01150	94695.	1084.	470988.	3895147.	41.1
40-45	0.02094	93607.	1960.	463527.	3424159.	36.6
45-50	0.03238	91647.	2967.	451204.	2960632.	32.3
50-55	0.04296	88650.	3810.	434274.	2509429.	28.3
55-60	0.05741	84871.	4872.	412504.	2075155.	24.5
60-65	0.06741	79949.	5424.	386872.	1662645.	20.8
65-70	0.09370	74574.	6987.	356670.	1275773.	17.1
70-75	0.17024	67587.	11505.	310595.	919103.	13.6
75-80	0.24642	56042.	13819.	245632.	608508.	10.9
80-85	0.24641	42262.	10414.	184524.	362876.	8.6
85+	1.00000	31844.	31844.	178352.	178352.	5.6

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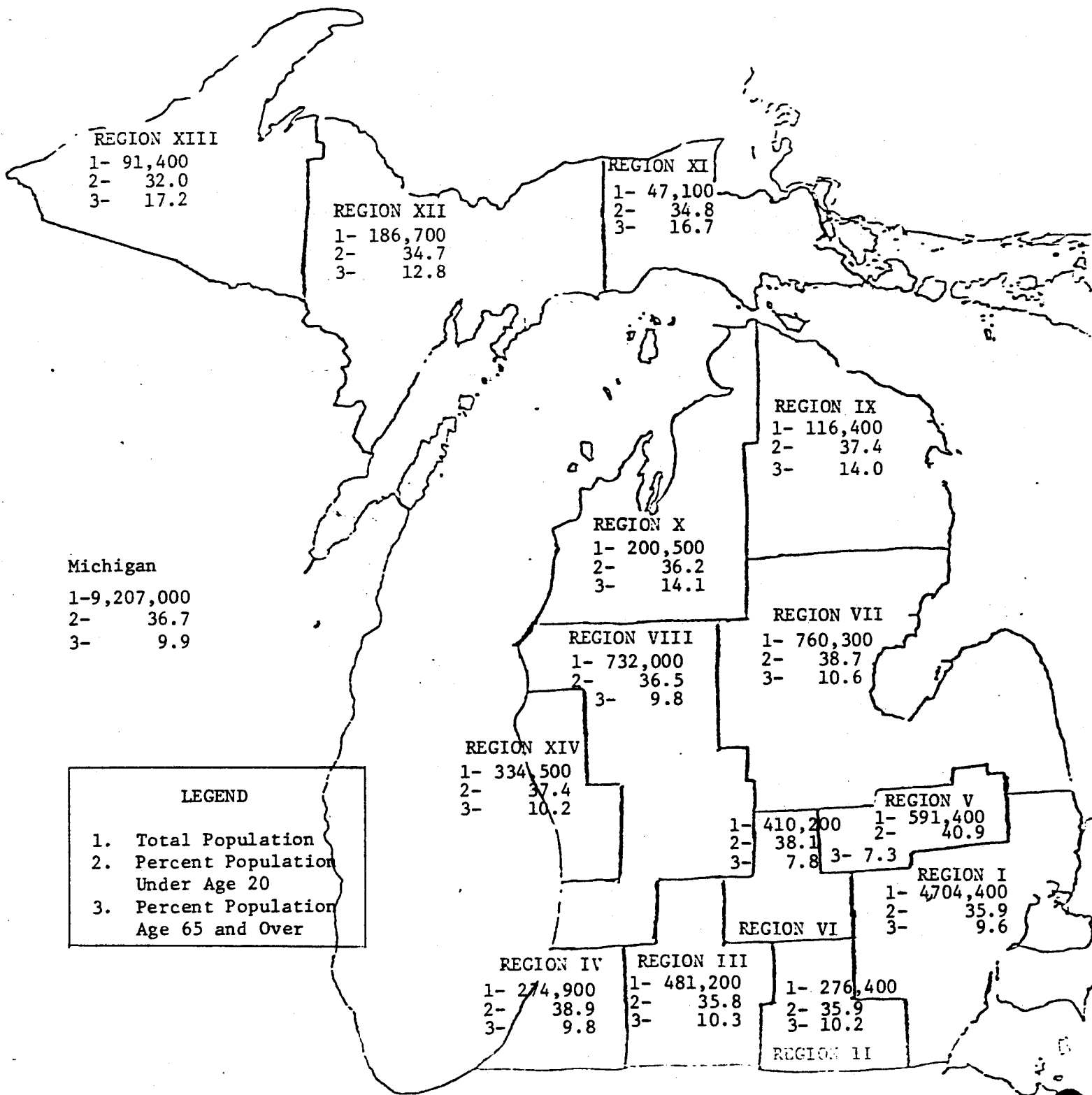
FIGURE 4.1- Rate of Natural Increase,¹ Michigan 1906-1979, and the United States, 1909-1979.²



¹ Excess of live births over deaths per 1,000 population.

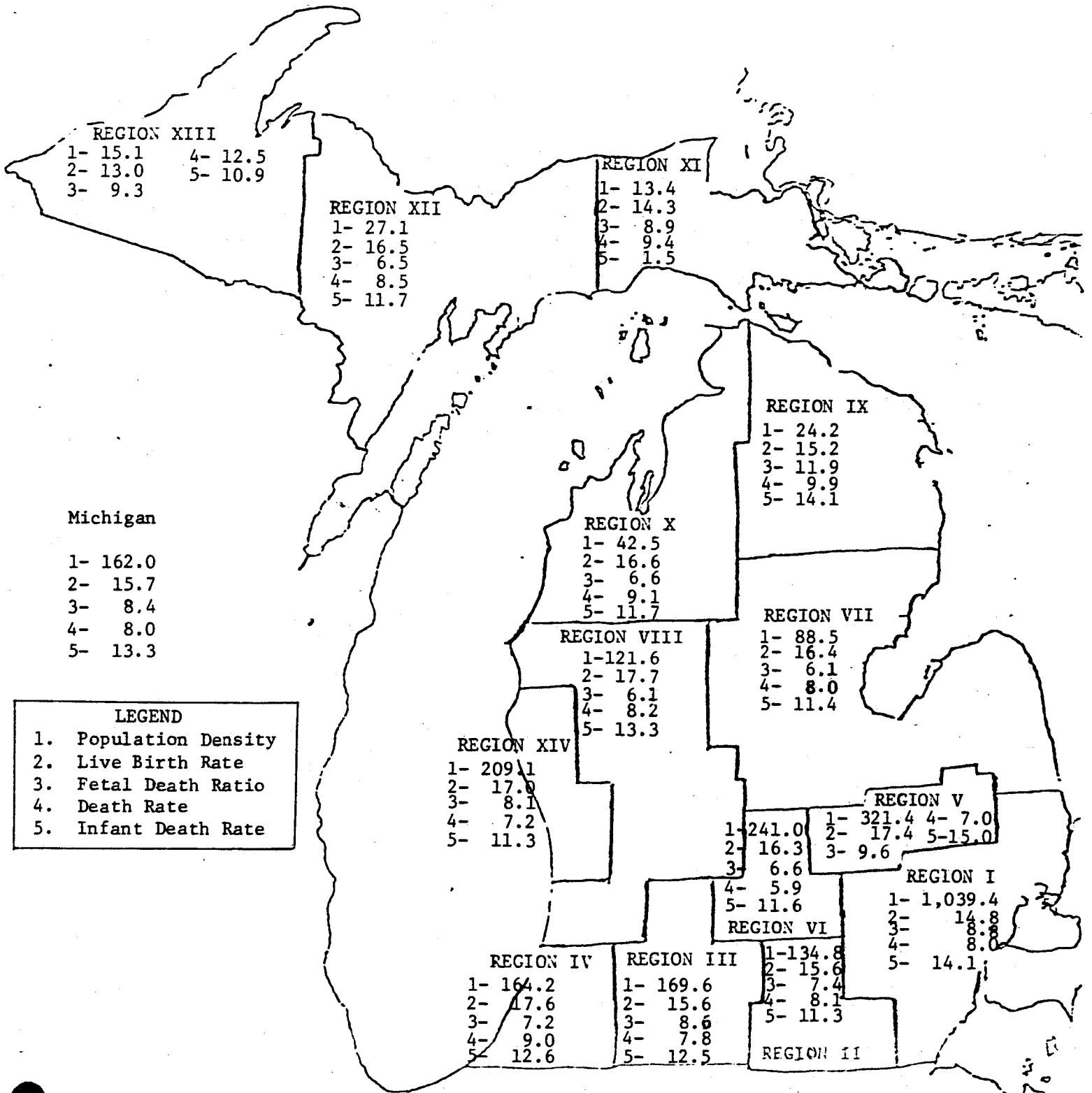
² Rates for the United States for 1909-1932 are based on death rates for the death-registration states and estimated birth rates for the United States, adjusted for under-registration. For 1933-1959 rates are based on registered deaths in the United States and births adjusted for underregistration. After 1959 rates are based on registered births and deaths. The rate for 1979 is provisional.

FIGURE 4.2 Total Population, Percent Under Age 20 and Percent Age 65 and over by Region,¹ Michigan, 1979



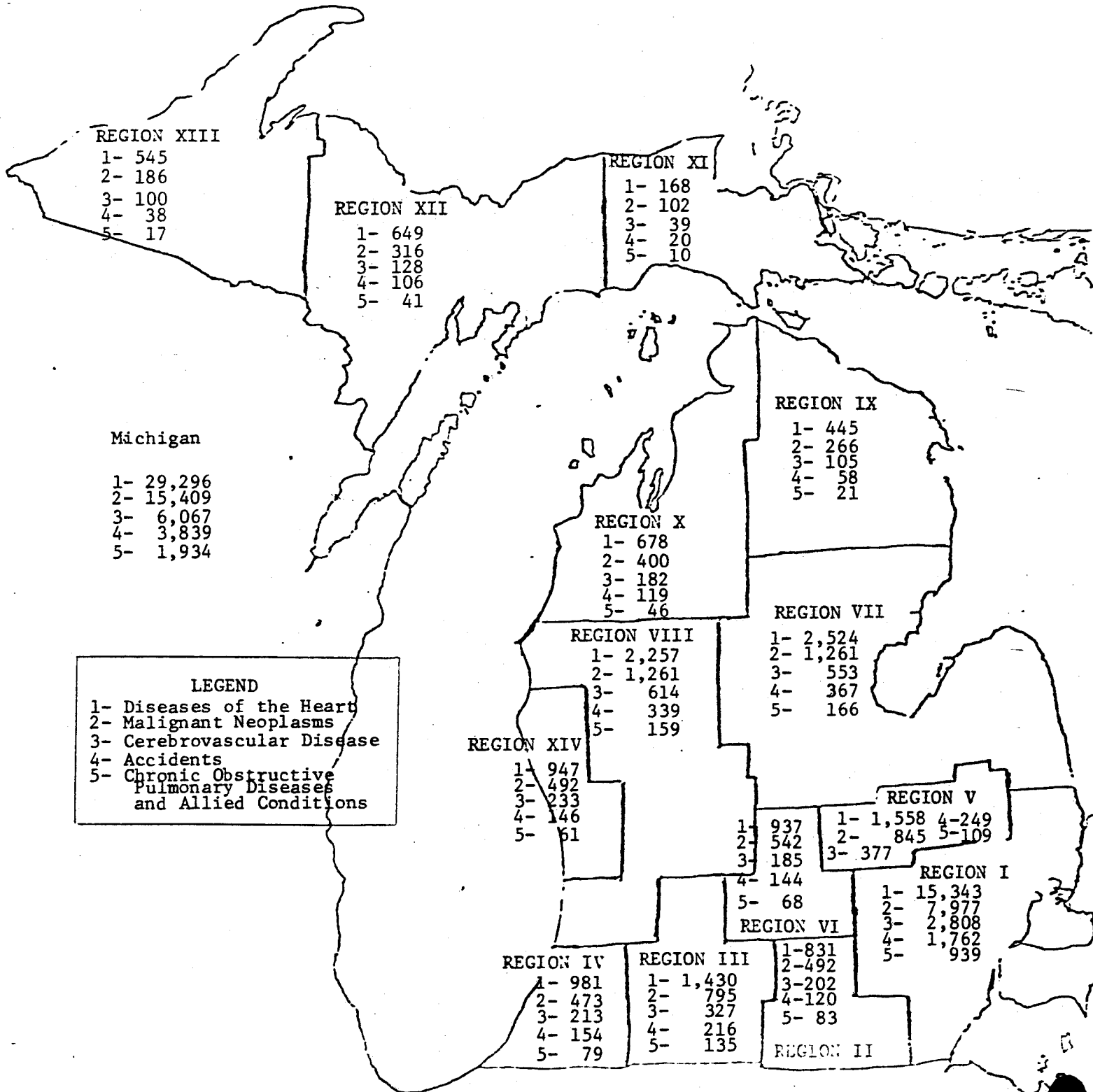
¹ State Planning and Development Regions - August, 1973

FIGURE 4.3 Population Density, Live Birth Rates, Fetal Death Ratios, Death Rates and Infant Mortality Rates by Region¹, Michigan Residents, 1979



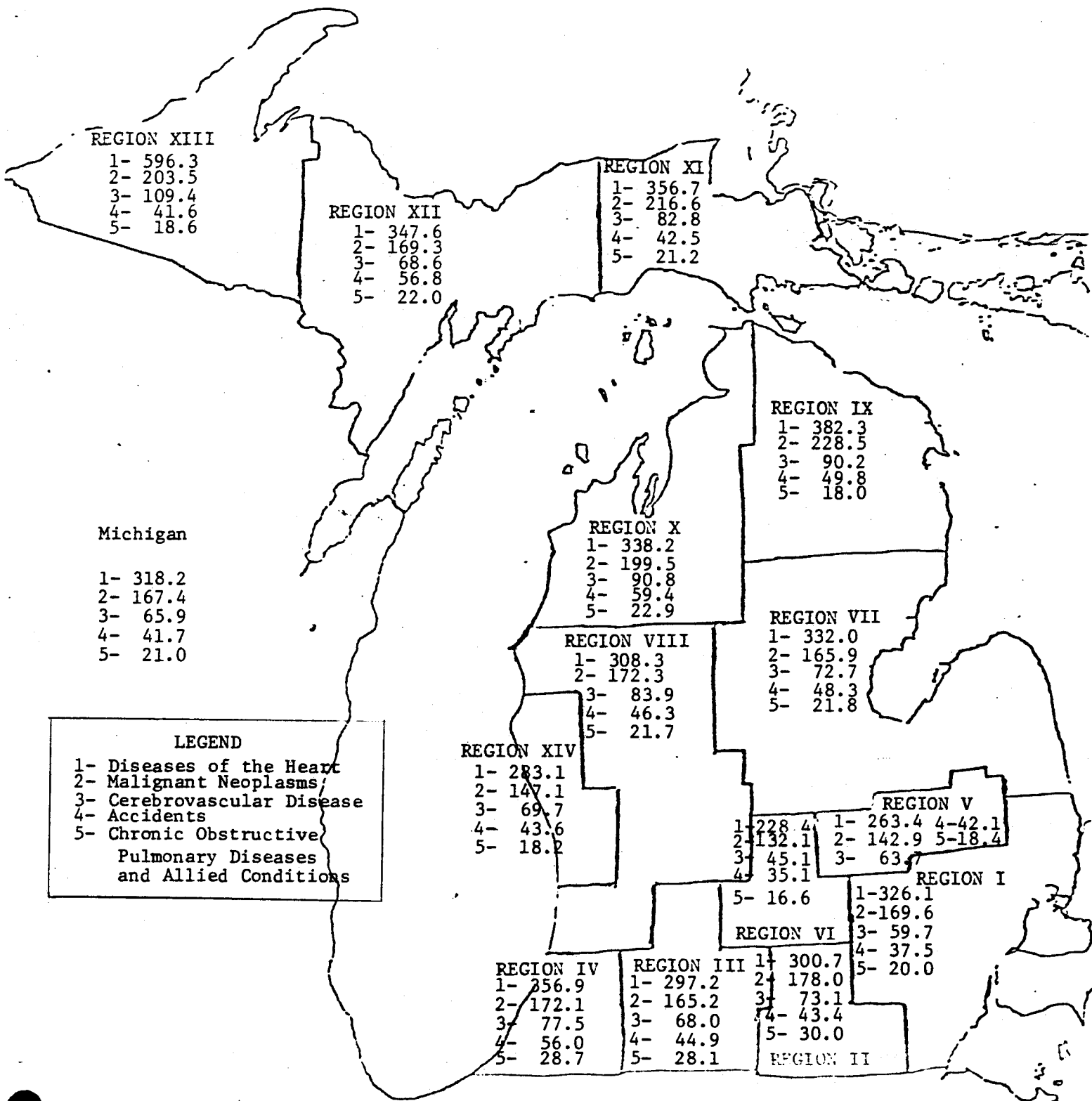
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FIGURE 4.4 Leading Causes of Death; Number of Deaths by Region¹, Michigan Residents, 1979



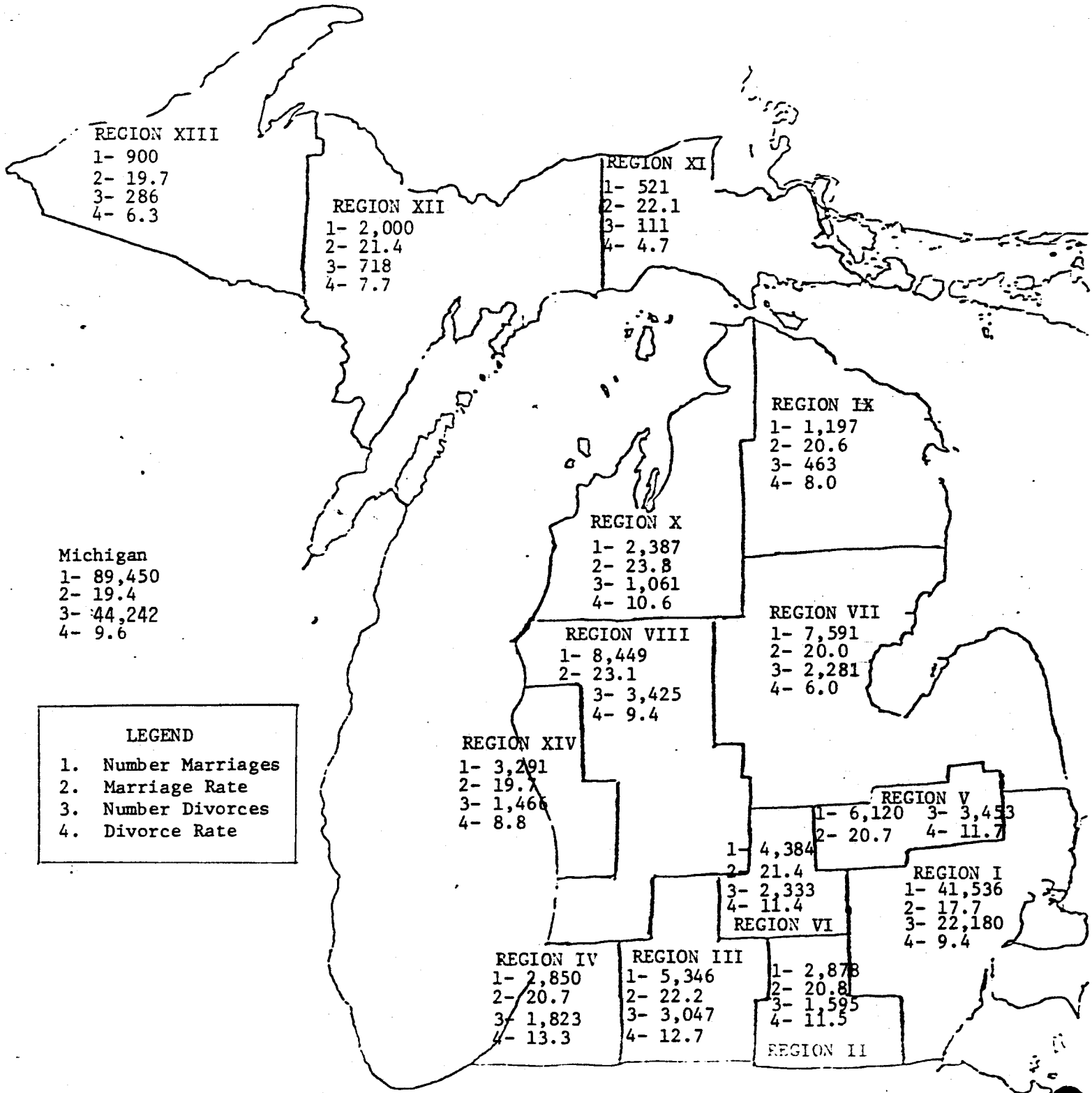
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FIGURE 4.5 Leading Causes of Death; Death Rates by Region¹, Michigan Residents, 1979



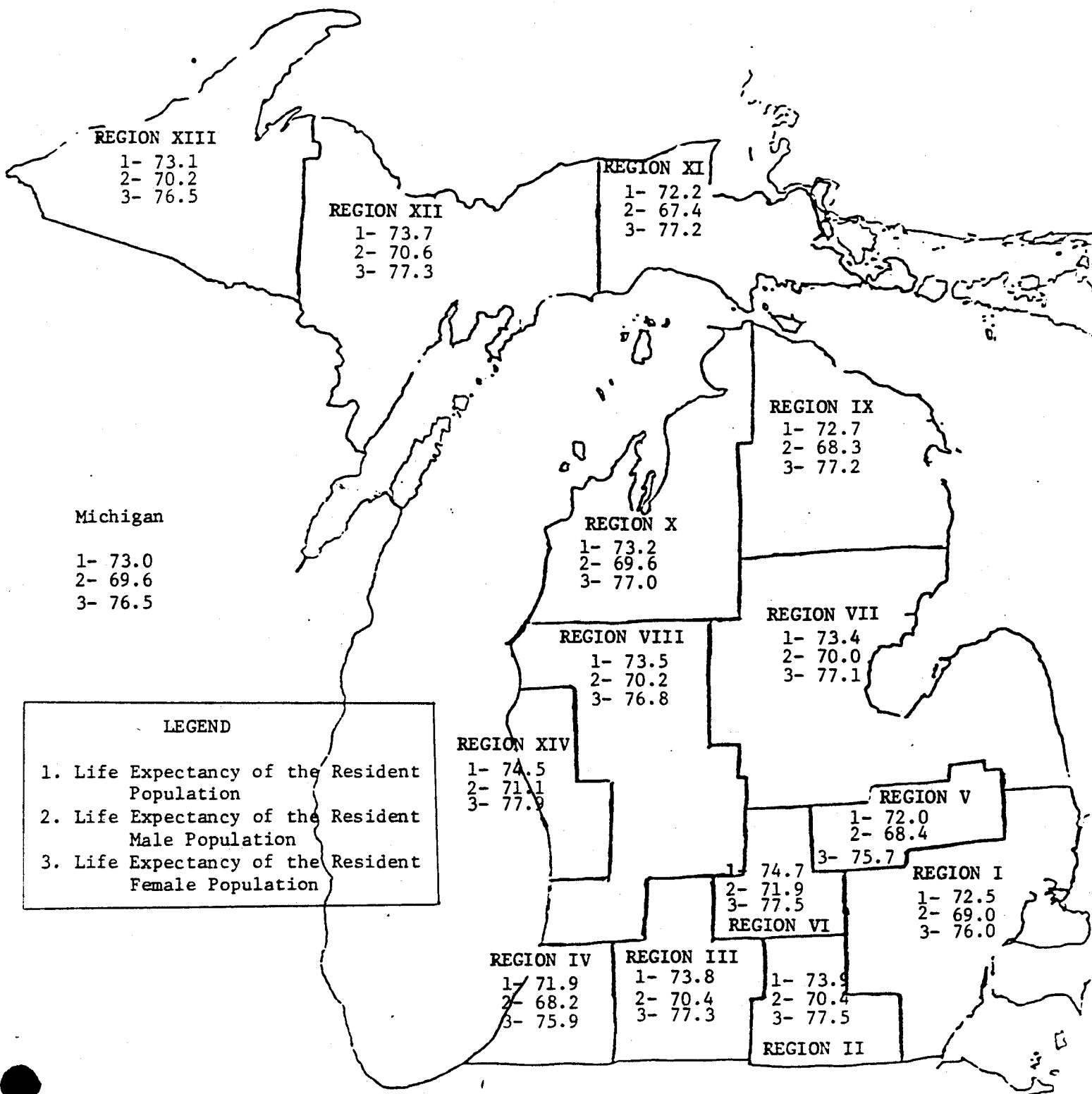
¹ State Planning and Development Regions - August, 1973

FIGURE 4.6 Marriages and Marriage Rates, Divorces and Divorce Rates by Region¹. Michigan Residents, 1979



¹ State Planning and Development Regions - August, 1973

FIGURE 4.7 Life Expectancy at Birth By Sex By Region¹
Michigan Residents, 1977-1979



¹State Planning and Development Regions - August, 1973



STATE OF MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

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CERTIFICATE OF LIVE BIRTH

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CHILD - NAME (FIRST) (MIDDLE) (LAST)	
1. CHILD	1. CHILD - NAME (FIRST) (MIDDLE) (LAST)
2. PLACE	2. SEX: THIS BIRTH - SINGLE, TWIN, TRIPLET, ETC (SPECIFY) 3a. IF NOT SINGLE - BORN 1ST 2ND, 3RD, ETC (SPECIFY) 3b. DATE OF BIRTH 4a. (MO) 4b. (DAY) 4c. (YEAR) 4d. HOUR M
5a. PLACE	5. HOSPITAL NAME - IF NOT HOSPITAL, VEIN STREET AND NUMBER: 5b. CITY, VILLAGE, OR TOWNSHIP OF BIRTH 5c. COUNTY OF BIRTH
6a. CERTIFICATION	I CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE NAMED CHILD WAS BORN ALIVE AT THE PLACE AND TIME AND ON THE DATE STATED ABOVE. 6a. SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____ 6b. NAME AND TITLE OF ATTENDANT AT BIRTH IF OTHER THAN CERTIFIER
6c. CERTIFICATION	6c. CERTIFIER NAME AND TITLE (PRINT OR TYPE) _____ MAILING ADDRESS (ST. NO., CITY OR VILLAGE, STATE, ZIP) _____ 6d. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE _____ DATE RECEIVED BY LOCAL REGISTRAR - (MO., DAY, YEAR) _____
8a. MOTHER	8. MOTHER - MAIDEN NAME (FIRST) (MIDDLE) (LAST) 8a. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER 8b. AGE (AT TIME OF THIS BIRTH) 8c. STATE OF BIRTH - NAME COUNTRY IF NOT USA 8d.
8e. MOTHER	8e. RESIDENCE (Check one box and specify) <input type="checkbox"/> INSIDE CITY LIMITS OF _____ COUNTY STATE <input type="checkbox"/> INSIDE VILLAGE LIMITS OF _____ COUNTY STATE <input type="checkbox"/> TWP OF _____ COUNTY STATE
9a. FATHER	9. FATHER - NAME (FIRST) (MIDDLE) (LAST) 9a. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER 9b. AGE (AT TIME OF THIS BIRTH) 9c. STATE OF BIRTH - NAME COUNTRY IF NOT USA 9d.
10a. FATHER	10. I CERTIFY THAT THE PERSONAL INFORMATION PROVIDED ON THIS CERTIFICATE IS CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF. 10a. SIGNATURE (PARENT OR OTHER INFORMANT) _____ DATE: _____ 10b. RELATION TO CHILD

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CHILD		BIRTHWEIGHT _____ grams		ESTIMATED WEEKS GESTATION _____		APGAR SCORE 1 MIN _____ 5 MIN _____		HAVE EYES OF CHILD BEEN TREATED WITH ONE PERCENT SOLUTION OF SILVER NITRATE? 14. 1. <input type="checkbox"/> YES 2. <input type="checkbox"/> NO 9. <input type="checkbox"/> UNKNOWN					
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19. FATHER		RACE 1. <input type="checkbox"/> WHITE <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY) _____ 2. <input type="checkbox"/> BLACK _____ 3. <input type="checkbox"/> AM. INDIAN _____		EDUCATION. (SPECIFY ONLY HIGHEST GRADE COMPLETED; CHECK ONLY ONE BOX) ELEMENTARY OR SECONDARY 0 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 6 <input type="checkbox"/> 8 <input type="checkbox"/> 10 <input type="checkbox"/> 12 <input type="checkbox"/> COLLEGE 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 3 <input type="checkbox"/> 5+ <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/>									
23a. PREGNANCY HISTORY		PRIOR DELIVERIES		THIS PREGNANCY									
23a. Now living		LIVE BIRTHS (Do not include this Child)		OTHER TERMINATIONS (Spontaneous and induced)		DATE LAST NORMAL MENSES 24. MO DAY YR		MONTH OF PREGNANCY PRENATAL CARE BEGAN 25.		TOTAL PRENATAL VISITS 26.		ATTENDANT AT BIRTH 1. <input type="checkbox"/> MD. 2. <input type="checkbox"/> D.O. 3. <input type="checkbox"/> NURSE 4. <input type="checkbox"/> MIDWIFE 5. <input type="checkbox"/> NURSE-MIDWIFE <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY) _____	
23b. Now dead		Number _____		Number _____		27. <input type="checkbox"/> NONE							
23c. Date of last live birth (Month, Year)		None <input type="checkbox"/>		None <input type="checkbox"/>		28. <input type="checkbox"/> NONE							
23c. Date of last live birth (Month, Year)		None <input type="checkbox"/>		None <input type="checkbox"/>		29. <input type="checkbox"/> NONE							
23c. Date of last live birth (Month, Year)		None <input type="checkbox"/>		None <input type="checkbox"/>		30. _____							

FIGURE 4.9
MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
REPORT OF FETAL DEATH
 (TYPE OR PRINT IN INK)

REPORT NUMBER _____

FETUS	DATE OF DELIVERY (MONTH, DAY, YEAR)	HOUR	SEX OF FETUS 1 MALE 2 FEMALE 3 UNIDENTIFIABLE	THIS DELIVERY SINGLE TWIN ETC (SPECIFY)	1 WITH SIMILAR BIRTH 1ST 2ND ETC (SPECIFY)	FETUS DIED BEFORE LABOR DURING LABOR OR DELIVERY UNKNOWN (SPECIFY) BEFORE DURING UNKNOWN	WEIGHT OF FETUS	PHYSICIAN'S ESTIMATE OF GESTATION WEEKS			
	IMMEDIATE CAUSE PART I FETAL OR MATERNAL CONDITION DIRECTLY CAUSING FETAL DEATH 181 _____ DUE TO OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF _____ SPECIFY FETAL OR MATERNAL						ENTER ONLY ONE CAUSE PER LINE FOR (a) (b) OR (c) 1 SPECIFY FETAL OR MATERNAL				
CAUSE OF FETAL DEATH	IMMEDIATE CAUSE 182 _____ DUE TO OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF _____ SPECIFY FETAL OR MATERNAL						SPECIFY FETAL OR MATERNAL				
	IMMEDIATE CAUSE 183 _____ DUE TO OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF _____ SPECIFY FETAL OR MATERNAL						SPECIFY FETAL OR MATERNAL				
MOTHER	PART II OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS OF FETUS OR MOTHER CONTRIBUTING TO FETAL DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO CAUSE GIVEN IN PART I						ALTOPS? (SPECIFY YES OR NO) 8 YES 9 NO				
	70						ATTENDANT AT BIRTH 1 NURSE MIDWIFE 2 NURSE 3 MIDWIFE 4 OTHER (SPECIFY)				
FATHER	AGE (AT TIME OF DELIVERY)	RESIDENCE - STATE IF OUTSIDE USA ENTER COUNTRY	RESIDENCE - COUNTY	RESIDENCE - CITY AND STATE	RESIDENCE - ZIP CODE	LIMITS OF RESIDENCE					
	10	11a	11b	11c	11d	11e					
MEDICAL AND PREGNANCY HISTORY INFORMATION	RACE 1 WHITE 2 BLACK 3 AM INDIAN 4 OTHER (SPECIFY)	EDUCATION (SPECIFY ONLY HIGHEST GRADE COMPLETED CHECK ALL THAT APPLY) 0 NONE 1 ELEMENTARY OR SECONDARY 2 COLLEGE 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12			EDUCATION (SPECIFY ONLY HIGHEST GRADE COMPLETED CHECK ALL THAT APPLY) 0 NONE 1 ELEMENTARY OR SECONDARY 2 COLLEGE 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12						
	12	13			14						
PLACE	DATE LAST NORMAL MENSTRUATION BEGAN (MONTH, DAY, YEAR)	MONTH OF PREGNANCY CARE BEGAN	PRENATAL VISITS	PRIOR PREGNANCIES							
	17	18a	18b	19							
COMPLICATIONS OF PREGNANCY (DESCRIBE)				LIVE BIRTHS		OTHER TERMINATIONS					
19				20		21					
CONCURRENT ILLNESSES OR CONDITIONS AFFECTING PREGNANCY (DESCRIBE)				NUMBER NOW LIVING		NUMBER NOW DEAD		BEFORE 20 COMPLETED WEEKS		AFTER 20 COMPLETED WEEKS	
20				22a		22b		22c		22d	
COMPLICATIONS OF LABOR AND/OR DELIVERY (DESCRIBE)				DATE OF LAST LIVE BIRTH		DATE OF LAST OTHER TERMINATION		DATE OF LAST LIVE BIRTH		DATE OF LAST OTHER TERMINATION	
21				23a		23b		23c		23d	
CONGENITAL MALFORMATIONS OR ANOMALIES OF FETUS (DESCRIBE)				23a (MONTH) (YEAR)		23b (MONTH) (YEAR)		23c (MONTH) (YEAR)		23d (MONTH) (YEAR)	
22				23e		23f		23g		23h	
HOSPITAL WHERE FETUS WAS DELIVERED IF NOT HOSPITAL - GIVE ADDRESS OF PERSON COMPLETING REPORT				CITY VILLAGE OR TOWNSHIP OF DELIVERY				COUNTY OF DELIVERY			
24a				24b				24c			
NAME OF PERSON COMPLETING REPORT (TYPE OR PRINT)				DATE REPORT COMPLETED				DATE REPORT RECEIVED BY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH			
25				26 (MONTH) (DAY) (YEAR)				27 (MONTH) (DAY) (YEAR)			

SAMPLE COPY

INSTRUCTIONS

Michigan Public Act 368 of 1978 requires the reporting of the death of a fetus which has completed 20 weeks of gestation or weighs at least 400 grams to the state registrar within 5 days after delivery. Responsibility for filing fetal death reports lies with the following: 1) the institution where the fetus is delivered; 2) the attending physician if delivered outside an institution; 3) the medical examiner, when investigation by the medical examiner is required.

As these reports are necessary in the development of important statistical health measures for the state, including fetal and perinatal mortality, and the analysis of various variables associated to fetal death outcomes, it is important that each report be as accurate and complete as is possible.

DO NOT REPORT THE NAME OF THE BIOLOGICAL PARENTS, OR OTHER INFORMATION WHICH WOULD MAKE IT POSSIBLE TO IDENTIFY EITHER PARENT.

Fig. 4.10

LF _____

CF _____

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STATE OF MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

STATE FILE NUMBER _____

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

IF DEATH OCCURRED IN INSTITUTION, SEE MANUAL REGARDING COMPLETION OF RESIDENCE ITEMS

PARENTS

CONDITIONS IF ANY WHICH GAVE RISE TO IMMEDIATE CAUSE STATING THE UNDERLYING CAUSE LAST

CAUSE OF DEATH

CERTIFIER

DISPOSITION

B-36a (4/78)

1 DECEDENT NAME FIRST MIDDLE LAST				2 SEX		3 DATE OF DEATH (Mo., Day, Yr.)	
4 RACE - (e.g., White, Black, American Indian, etc.) (Specify)		5a AGE - Last Birthday (Yrs.)		5b UNDER 1 YEAR MOS DAYS		5c UNDER 1 DAY HOURS MINS	
6 DATE OF BIRTH (Mo., Day, Yr.)				7a COUNTY OF DEATH			
7b LOCATION OF DEATH (Check one and specify) <input type="checkbox"/> INSIDE CITY LIMITS OF <input type="checkbox"/> INSIDE VILLAGE LIMITS OF <input type="checkbox"/> TWP OF				7c HOSPITAL OR OTHER INSTITUTION - Name (if not in either, give street and number)			
8 STATE OF BIRTH (if not in U.S.A. name country)		9 CITIZEN		10 MARRIED NEVER MARRIED WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify)		11 SURVIVING SPOUSE (if wife, give maiden name)	
12 SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER				13 DISABILITY OCCASION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired)		14b KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY	
15a CURRENT RESIDENCE - STATE		15b COUNTY		15c LOCALITY LIMITS OF (Specify) <input type="checkbox"/> INSIDE CITY LIMITS OF <input type="checkbox"/> INSIDE VILLAGE LIMITS OF <input type="checkbox"/> TWP OF		15d STREET AND NUMBER	
16 FATHER - NAME FIRST MIDDLE LAST		17 MOTHER - NAME FIRST MIDDLE LAST		18a (Signature) 18b MARITAL ADDRESS STREET (or P.O. Box) CITY OR TOWN STATE ZIP			
19 IMMEDIATE CAUSE (ENTER ONLY ONE CAUSE PER LINE FOR (a), (b), AND (c).)							
PART I (a) DUE TO, OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF: Interval between onset and death							
(b) DUE TO, OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF: Interval between onset and death							
(c) DUE TO, OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF: Interval between onset and death							
20 PART II: OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS - Conditions contributing to death but not related to cause given in PART I				21 AUTOPSY (Specify Yes or No)		22 WAS CASE REFERRED TO MEDICAL EXAMINER? (Specify Yes or No)	
23a PLACE OF DEATH (Home, Nursing Home, Hospital, Ambulance) (Specify)				23b IF HOSP. OR INST., indicate DOA, OP, Emer. Rm., Inpatient (Specify)		24a <input type="checkbox"/> This case reviewed and determined not to be a medical examiner's case <input type="checkbox"/> On the basis of examination and/or investigation, in my opinion death occurred at the time, date and place and due to the cause(s) stated.	
23c (Signature and Title)				24b (Signature and Title)			
23b DATE SIGNED (Mo., Day, Yr.)		23c HOUR OF DEATH		24b DATE SIGNED (Mo., Day, Yr.)		24c HOUR OF DEATH	
23d NAME OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN IF OTHER THAN CERTIFIER (Type or Print)				24d ON		24e AT	
25 NAME AND ADDRESS OF CERTIFIER (PHYSICIAN OR MEDICAL EXAMINER) (Type or Print)							
26a ACC. SUICIDE MOM. NATURAL OR PENDING INVEST. (Specify)		26b DATE OF INJURY (Mo., Day, Yr.)		26c HOUR OF INJURY		26d DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED	
26e INJURY AT WORK (Specify Yes or No)		26f PLACE OF INJURY - At home, farm, street, factory, office building, etc. (Specify)				26g LOCATION STREET OR R.F.D. NO. CITY, VILLAGE, OR TOWNSHIP STATE	
27a BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL, OTHER (Specify)		27b CEMETERY OR CREMATORY - NAME				27c LOCATION CITY, VILLAGE, OR TOWNSHIP STATE	
27d DATE (Mo., Day, Yr.)		28a NAME OF FACILITY				28b ADDRESS OF FACILITY	
28c FUNERAL SERVICE LICENSEE (Signature)				29a REGISTRAR (Signature)		29b DATE RECEIVED BY REGISTRAR (Mo., Day, Yr.)	

Michigan Public Act 343 of 1925, as amended, requires that the attending physician, or in the absence of an attending physician, a medical examiner shall fill out and sign the medical certificate of death within 48 hours after death.

The funeral director is responsible for completing all other portions of the certificate and obtaining a burial or removal permit prior to disposing of the body or removing from the registration district where the death occurred.

MDPH

FIGURE 4.11

Marriage License
COUNTY, MICHIGAN

To any person legally authorized to solemnize marriage in the State of Michigan,
Greeting:

Marriage must be solemnized within 30 days of date of issue in the State of Michigan between _____ and _____

Full name of male _____ Date of birth _____ Age at last birthday _____ Date of birth _____
 Full name of female _____ Date of birth _____ Age at last birthday _____ Date of birth _____

Residence No. _____ Street _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
 Birthdate—city and state _____
 Occupation _____
 Number of times previously married _____
 Father's full name _____
 Mother's maiden name _____

Notice given (if a widow) _____ and whose parents or guardian's consent, in case she has not attained the age of eighteen years, has been filed in my office. An affidavit has been filed in this office, as provided by Public Act No. 128, Laws of 1961, as amended, by which it appears that said statements are true.

In witness whereof, I have signed and sealed these presents, this _____ day of _____ A. D. 19 _____

L.S. _____
County Clerk

Deputy County Clerk _____

Certificate of Marriage

This marriage license VOID 30 days after date of issue.

Between Mr. _____ and M. _____
 I hereby certify that, in accordance with the above license, the persons herein mentioned were joined in marriage by me, at _____ county of _____ MICHIGAN, on the _____ day of _____ A. D. 19 _____ in the presence of _____ and _____
 Full name _____ of _____ Residence—city and state _____
 Full name _____ of _____ Residence—city and state _____
 Signature of magistrate or clergyman _____ Official title _____
 Post office address _____

THIS ORIGINAL must be returned, WITHIN TEN DAYS AFTER THE MARRIAGE, to the COUNTY CLERK, who issued the same, under severe penalty. This provision must be complied with to insure a PROPER LEGAL RECORD of the marriage.

This space reserved for heading.

Except for alterations, spaces left blank must be completed by typewriter or printed legibly. Act 94, P.A. 1966

8138 ORIGINAL*

No. _____ 19 _____

LICENSE AND CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE

_____ and _____

CLERK'S OFFICE

County of _____

Received for record the _____ day of _____ A. D. 19 _____ and recorded in liber _____ of marriages, on page _____

_____ Clerk

***THIS ORIGINAL must be returned WITHIN TEN DAYS AFTER THE MARRIAGE, to the County Clerk who issued the same, under severe penalty. This provision must be complied with to insure a PROPER LEGAL RECORD of the marriage. THE DUPLICATE must be delivered to one of the parties joined in marriage.**

RECORD OF
DIVORCE OR ANNULMENT

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

STATE FILE NO. _____
DOCKET NO. _____

COUNTY _____

HUSBAND-NAME		FIRST	MIDDLE	LAST
1. USUAL RESIDENCE-STREET ADDRESS		LOCALITY: <input type="checkbox"/> INSIDE CITY LIMITS OF: <input type="checkbox"/> INSIDE VILLAGE LIMITS OF: AND SPECIFY <input type="checkbox"/> TWP. OF:		
2A. COUNTY	2C. STATE	2D. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR FOREIGN COUNTRY)	4. DATE OF BIRTH (MO., DAY, YR.)	
WIFE-NAME		FIRST	MIDDLE	LAST
5A. USUAL RESIDENCE-STREET ADDRESS		LOCALITY: <input type="checkbox"/> INSIDE CITY LIMITS OF: <input type="checkbox"/> INSIDE VILLAGE LIMITS OF: AND SPECIFY <input type="checkbox"/> TWP. OF:		
6A. COUNTY	6C. STATE	6D. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR FOREIGN COUNTRY)	8. DATE OF BIRTH (MO., DAY, YR.)	
9A. PLACE OF THIS MARRIAGE-CITY	9B. COUNTY	9C. STATE (IF NOT IN U.S. SAME COUNTY)	10. DATE OF THIS MARRIAGE (MO., DAY, YR.)	11. DATE COUPLE SEPARATED (MO., DAY, YR.)
11A. NUMBER OF CHILDREN EVER BORN ALIVE OF THIS MARRIAGE (SPECIFY)	11B. CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN THIS FAMILY (SPECIFY)		11C. FATHER-HUSBAND, WIFE, BOTH, OTHER (SPECIFY)	
12A. ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER-NAME (TYPE OR PRINT)	12B. ADDRESS STREET OR R.F.		12C. VILLAGE	12D. STATE
12E. ZIP				
13. I CERTIFY THAT THE MARRIAGE OF THE ABOVE NAMED PERSONS WAS DISSOLVED ON		13A. MONTH	13B. DAY	13C. YEAR
14A. COUNTY OF DECREE		14B. TYPE OF DECREE-DIVORCE, DISSOLUTION OF ANNULMENT (SPECIFY)		14C. DATE OF ENTRY (MO., DAY, YEAR)
14D. SIGNATURE OF CERTIFYING OFFICIAL		14E. TITLE OF OFFICIAL		14F. _____
INFORMATION FOR STATISTICAL PURPOSES ONLY				
15. NUMBER OF THIS MARRIAGE FIRST, SECOND, ETC. (SPECIFY)		16. IF PREVIOUSLY MARRIED HOW MANY ENDED BY DEATH DIVORCE OR ANNULMENT (SPECIFY IF NONE)		17. EDUCATION - SPECIFY HIGHEST GRADE COMPLETED
				ELEMENTARY OR SECONDARY COLLEGE
				0 2 4 6 8 10 12 1 3 5 5+
				0 2 4 6 8 10 12 2 4 6 5+
18. NUMBER OF THIS MARRIAGE FIRST, SECOND, ETC. (SPECIFY)		19. IF PREVIOUSLY MARRIED HOW MANY ENDED BY DEATH DIVORCE OR ANNULMENT (SPECIFY IF NONE)		20. EDUCATION - SPECIFY HIGHEST GRADE COMPLETED
				ELEMENTARY OR SECONDARY COLLEGE
				0 2 4 6 8 10 12 1 3 5 5+
				0 2 4 6 8 10 12 2 4 6 5+

Names and Ages of All Children in Family

Name..... Age.....
 Name..... Age.....
 Name..... Age.....
 Name..... Age.....
 Name..... Age.....
 Name..... Age.....