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PREFACE

This report, Utah's Vital Statistics: Marriages and Divorces, 1998, is published by the Office of Vital Records and Statistics, Utah Department of Health. Its purpose is to provide a consistent and convenient data resource for planners, students, researchers, public officials, private business and the general public.

The summary tables of this report contain trends and historical data for both Utah and the United States. However, starting in 1996 detailed data¹ on marriages and divorces were not collected from the states participating in the Vital Statistics Cooperative Program. The 1994 data year is the last publication of the "Annual Summary of Births, Marriages, Divorces, and Deaths: United States (Year)" of the Monthly Vital Statistics Report series referenced in this report. The national data for 1996 through 1998 is obtained from the "Births, Marriages, Divorces, and Deaths for December 1998". Because the detailed data for the U.S. is no longer available, there are Summary Tables in this report that compare detailed data for Utah and the U.S. that cannot be updated.

The reference section of this report contains tables on marriages and dissolutions of marriage that occurred in 1998, and data are tabulated for the state, local health districts, counties and various other demographic categories.

Insufficient responses to specific items on marriage and dissolution of marriage records can make corresponding statistical data unreliable. When this occurs the data are not published although the data from prior years may be published. The technical appendix contains information on the sources, quality and limitations of data.



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1998 Summary Tables:
Marriages and Divorces



Table 1. Estimated midyear population, marriage numbers and rates and divorce numbers and rates: Utah and United States, 1940, 1950, 1960-1998

Year	Estimated midyear population ¹	Marriages			Divorces		
		Number	Utah rate	U.S. rate	Number	Utah rate	U.S. rate
1940	552,800	8,254	15.0	12.1	1,500	2.7	2.0
1950	696,000	7,110	10.2	11.1	2,107	3.0	2.6
1960	900,000	7,202	8.0	8.5	2,167	2.4	2.2
1961	936,000	7,401	7.9	8.5	2,360	2.5	2.3
1962	958,000	7,751	8.1	8.5	2,480	2.6	2.2
1963	974,000	8,263	8.5	8.8	2,659	2.7	2.3
1964	978,000	8,525	8.7	9.0	2,895	3.0	2.4
1965	991,000	8,736	8.8	9.3	2,872	2.9	2.5
1966	1,009,000	9,623	9.5	9.5	3,090	3.1	2.5
1967	1,019,000	10,220	10.0	9.7	3,288	3.2	2.6
1968	1,029,000	11,558	11.2	10.4	3,390	3.3	2.9
1969	1,047,000	11,633	11.1	10.6	3,841	3.7	3.2
1970	1,066,000	11,938	11.2	10.6	3,912	3.7	3.5
1971	1,101,000	12,497	11.4	10.6	4,419	4.0	3.7
1972	1,135,000	13,911	12.3	10.9	4,876	4.3	4.0
1973	1,169,000	14,840	12.7	10.8	5,137	4.4	4.3
1974	1,197,000	15,164	12.7	10.5	5,670	4.7	4.6
1975	1,234,000	14,858	12.0	10.0	6,130	5.0	4.8
1976	1,272,000	14,664	11.5	9.9	6,170	4.9	5.0
1977	1,316,000	15,017	11.4	9.9	6,941	5.3	5.0
1978	1,364,000	16,489	12.1	10.3	7,175	5.3	5.1
1979	1,416,000	16,713	11.8	10.4	7,594	5.4	5.3
1980	1,474,000	17,079	11.6	10.6	7,957	5.4	5.2
1981	1,515,000	18,346	12.1	10.6	8,259	5.5	5.3
1982	1,558,000	18,427	11.8	10.6	8,413	5.4	5.0
1983	1,595,000	18,429	11.6	10.5	8,559	5.4	4.9
1984	1,662,000	17,990	10.8	10.5	8,295	5.0	5.0
1985	1,643,000	17,521	10.7	10.1	8,871	5.4	5.0
1986	1,663,000	17,134	10.3	10.0	8,610	5.2	4.9
1987	1,678,000	16,759	10.0	9.9	9,012	5.4	4.8
1988	1,690,000	17,376	10.3	9.7	8,079	4.8	4.7
1989	1,706,000	18,598	10.9	9.7	8,110	4.8	4.7
1990	1,729,000	19,427	11.2	9.8	8,950	5.2	4.7
1991	1,775,000	19,472	11.0	9.4	8,800	5.0	4.7
1992	1,822,000	19,983	11.0	9.3	9,406	5.2	4.8
1993	1,866,000	20,181	10.8	9.0	8,794	4.7	4.6
1994	1,916,000	20,926	10.9	9.1	8,977	4.7	4.6
1995	1,959,351	21,469	11.0	8.9	8,857	4.5	4.4
1996	2,002,400	22,578	11.3	8.8	8,789	4.4	4.3
1997	2,048,753	22,900	11.2	8.9	9,065	4.4	4.3
1998	2,083,238	22,612	10.9	8.3	8,851	4.2	4.2

¹Population source: Utah Population Estimates Committee data published by Demographic and Economic Analysis; Table: "County Population Estimates and Percent Change;" Utah Data Guide; Winter 1999. Note: Population estimates prior to 1995 are rounded. In 1996, the Utah Population Estimates Committee changed its convention on rounded estimates.

Notes: The annual totals of Utah marriages for 1940, 1950, 1961-1969, and 1978-1981 were the number reported; all other years represent the number of transcripts received. The annual totals of divorces for 1940, 1950, 1960-1972, 1974-1976, and 1978-1981 were the number reported; all other years represent the number of transcripts received.

U.S. marriage and divorce rates for 1997 and 1998 are provisional. Source: National Center for Health Statistics; Births, Marriages, Divorces and Deaths: Provisional Data for 1998; Monthly Vital Statistics Report, Vol. 47, No. 21; Hyattsville MD; July 6, 1999. U.S. marriage and divorce rates for 1995 to 1996 are provisional. Source: National Center for Health Statistics; Births, Marriages, Divorces and Deaths: Provisional Data for 1997; Monthly Vital Statistics Report, Vol. 46, No. 12; Hyattsville MD; July 28, 1998 (1991 to 1994 data are provisional and are published in prior volumes of Nos. 12 or 13). U.S. marriage rates for 1989-1990 are final--source: National Center for Health Statistics; Advance Report of Final Marriage Statistics, 1989 and 1990; Monthly Vital Statistics Report, Vol. 43, No. 12(S) p. 7; Hyattsville MD; July 14, 1995. U.S. divorce rates for 1989-1990 are final--source: National Center for Health Statistics; Advance Report of Final Divorce Statistics, 1989 and 1990; Monthly Vital Statistics Report, Vol. 43, No. 9(S) p. 9; Hyattsville MD; March 22, 1995. Other U.S. rates are from previous final reports.

Data are updated in summary tables each year and may not agree with prior reports in this series.

Table 2. Marriage numbers and rates by health district, county of occurrence: Utah, 1995, 1996 and 1998

District and county	1-Jul-95			1-Jul-96			1-Jul-97			1-Jul-98		
	Popula- tion Esti- mates ¹	Marriages		Popula- tion Esti- mates ¹	Marriages		Popula- tion Esti- mates ¹	Marriages		Popula- tion Esti- mates ¹	Marriages	
		Number	Rate		Number	Rate		Number	Rate		Number	Rate
Total	1,959,351	21,469	11.0	2,002,400	22,578	11.3	2,048,753	22,900	11.2	2,083,238	22,612	10.9
Bear River	120,975	1,441	11.9	123,403	1,467	11.9	126,209	1,602	12.7	129,027	1,564	12.1
Box Elder	38,910	261	6.7	39,484	268	6.8	40,235	317	7.9	40,996	292	7.1
Cache	80,259	1,168	14.6	82,098	1,180	14.4	84,186	1,267	15.1	86,240	1,262	14.6
Rich	1,806	12	6.6	1,821	19	10.4	1,788	18	10.1	1,791	10	5.6
Central Utah	59,299	1,266	21.3	60,981	1,358	22.3	62,563	1,132	18.1	63,925	1,140	17.8
Juab	7,149	51	7.1	7,444	68	9.1	7,702	47	6.1	7,978	63	7.9
Millard	11,931	72	6.0	11,958	86	7.2	12,068	68	5.6	12,054	88	7.3
Piute	1,424	11	7.7	1,508	19	12.6	1,534	20	13.0	1,583	14	8.8
Sanpete	19,240	969	50.4	19,999	1,007	50.4	20,581	826	40.1	21,244	790	37.2
Sevier	17,257	142	8.2	17,682	159	9.0	18,238	148	8.1	18,629	159	8.5
Wayne	2,298	21	9.1	2,390	19	8.0	2,440	23	9.4	2,437	26	10.7
Davis	216,020	2,170	10.0	219,644	2,208	10.1	224,307	2031	9.1	229,529	2,156	9.4
Salt Lake	806,280	10,122	12.6	818,860	10,655	13.0	830,627	10368	12.5	837,710	10,132	12.1
Southeastern	53,635	446	8.3	54,247	488	9.0	54,943	456	8.3	54,830	413	7.5
Carbon	21,054	177	8.4	21,420	198	9.2	21,643	169	7.8	21,547	156	7.2
Emery	10,735	76	7.1	10,811	85	7.9	10,929	86	7.9	10,939	83	7.6
Grand	8,352	115	13.8	8,801	115	13.1	8,830	117	13.3	8,887	91	10.2
San Juan	13,494	78	5.8	13,215	90	6.8	13,541	84	6.2	13,457	83	6.2
Southwest	110,883	1,308	11.8	116,874	1,327	11.4	121,992	1307	10.7	125,432	1,428	11.4
Beaver	5,350	54	10.1	5,607	58	10.3	5,742	46	8.0	5,678	42	7.4
Garfield	4,308	37	8.6	4,386	42	9.6	4,525	45	9.9	4,517	44	9.7
Iron	26,866	175	6.5	28,032	201	7.2	29,338	164	5.6	30,477	182	6.0
Kane	5,884	55	9.3	5,957	45	7.6	6,039	48	7.9	6,155	60	9.7
Washington	68,475	987	14.4	72,892	981	13.5	76,348	1,004	13.2	78,605	1,100	14.0
Summit	22,367	309	13.8	23,562	329	14.0	24,675	280	11.3	25,630	291	11.4
Tooele	29,547	263	8.9	30,493	221	7.2	31,997	232	7.3	33,569	239	7.1
Uintah Basin	38,652	357	9.2	39,111	334	8.5	39,792	347	8.7	39,525	424	10.7
Daggett	768	27	35.2	803	16	19.9	753	16	21.2	713	27	37.9
Duchesne	13,549	133	9.8	14,032	103	7.3	14,402	116	8.1	14,376	140	9.7
Uintah	24,335	197	8.1	24,276	215	8.9	24,637	215	8.7	24,436	257	10.5
Utah County	307,741	1,897	6.2	317,881	2,426	7.6	330,803	3,314	10.0	340,816	3,092	9.1
Wasatch	12,179	126	10.3	12,585	102	8.1	12,925	138	10.7	13,653	135	9.9
Weber-Morgan	181,773	1,764	9.7	184,759	1,663	9.0	187,920	1692	9.0	189,592	1,598	8.4
Morgan	6,497	52	8.0	6,693	48	7.2	6,875	21	3.1	7,086	48	6.8
Weber	175,276	1,712	9.8	178,066	1,615	9.1	181,045	1,671	9.2	182,506	1,550	8.5

¹Population source: Utah's Population Estimates Committee data published by Demographic and Economic Analysis; Table: "County Population Estimates and Percent Change;" Utah Data Guide; Winter 1999.

Table 3. First marriages and remarriages, numbers and rates: Utah, 1962-1998

Year	First marriages				Remarriages			
	Number		Rate		Number		Rate	
	Bride	Groom	Bride	Groom	Bride	Groom	Bride	Groom
1962	6,393	6,327	6.7	6.6	1,254	1,317	1.3	1.4
1963	7,061	7,006	7.2	7.2	1,192	1,241	1.2	1.3
1964	7,157	7,072	7.3	7.2	1,299	1,384	1.3	1.4
1965	7,326	7,301	7.4	7.4	1,291	1,322	1.3	1.3
1966	7,672	7,633	7.6	7.6	1,323	1,360	1.3	1.3
1967	8,779	8,642	8.6	8.5	1,431	1,568	1.4	1.5
1968	9,560	9,518	9.3	9.2	1,596	1,706	1.6	1.7
1969	9,759	9,808	9.3	9.4	1,598	1,592	1.5	1.5
1970	10,069	10,163	9.4	9.5	1,719	1,686	1.6	1.6
1971	10,502	10,624	9.5	9.6	1,820	1,814	1.7	1.6
1972	11,639	11,770	10.3	10.4	2,041	2,068	1.8	1.8
1973	12,414	12,504	10.6	10.7	2,280	2,278	2.0	1.9
1974	12,363	12,458	10.3	10.4	2,639	2,630	2.2	2.2
1975	11,989	12,040	9.7	9.8	2,693	2,713	2.2	2.2
1976	11,728	11,807	9.2	9.3	2,748	2,778	2.2	2.2
1977	12,008	12,030	9.1	9.1	2,726	2,793	2.1	2.1
1978	12,800	12,783	9.4	9.4	3,248	3,363	2.4	2.5
1979	12,846	12,776	9.1	9.0	3,552	3,700	2.5	2.6
1980	12,911	12,890	8.8	8.7	3,812	3,902	2.6	2.6
1981	12,953	12,957	8.5	8.6	4,638	4,710	3.1	3.1
1982	12,837	12,890	8.2	8.3	5,321	5,343	3.4	3.4
1983	12,851	12,832	8.1	8.0	5,329	5,416	3.3	3.4
1984	12,151	12,376	7.3	7.4	5,636	5,488	3.4	3.3
1985	11,971	12,171	7.3	7.4	5,491	5,305	3.3	3.2
1986	11,493	11,559	6.9	7.0	5,494	5,457	3.3	3.3
1987	11,379	11,525	6.8	6.9	5,341	5,131	3.2	3.1
1988	11,604	11,768	6.9	7.0	5,523	5,412	3.3	3.2
1989	12,660	12,771	7.4	7.5	5,813	5,718	3.4	3.4
1990	13,256	13,401	7.7	7.8	5,951	5,851	3.4	3.4
1991	13,236	13,402	7.5	7.6	6,049	5,920	3.4	3.3
1992	13,709	13,560	7.5	7.4	6,095	6,188	3.3	3.4
1993	13,728	13,912	7.4	7.5	6,176	6,045	3.3	3.2
1994	14,589	14,667	7.6	7.7	6,072	6,038	3.2	3.2
1995	15,040	14,944	7.7	7.6	6,099	6,162	3.1	3.1
1996	15,990	15,899	8.0	7.9	6,392	6,408	3.2	3.2
1997	16,492	16,590	8.0	8.1	6,121	6,084	3.0	3.0
1998	16,184	16,361	7.8	7.9	6,124	6,023	2.9	2.9

Notes: All marriages with order not stated are omitted.

Rates are per 1,000 population.

Table 4. Marriage rates: United States and Mountain States 1980 and 1985-1998

United States and Mountain States	Year														
	1980	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
United States	10.6	10.1	10.0	9.9	9.7	9.7	9.8	9.4	9.3	9.0	9.1	8.9	8.8	8.9	8.3
Mountain	21.3	18.3	17.9	18.6	18.0	17.6	18.1	17.3	16.9	17.2	17.8	17.4	N.A.	16.5	N.A.
Montana	10.6	8.7	8.2	8.1	8.4	8.4	8.6	8.9	8.8	8.4	8.1	7.6	N.A.	7.5	N.A.
Idaho	14.2	12.2	11.9	11.5	11.2	13.3	13.9	13.9	13.5	12.7	13.4	13.3	N.A.	12.5	N.A.
Wyoming	14.6	10.6	10.3	9.6	9.8	10.1	10.7	10.5	10.5	9.8	10.1	10.7	N.A.	10.2	N.A.
Colorado	12.1	10.4	10.0	9.7	9.6	9.7	9.8	10.0	9.7	9.5	9.4	9.2	N.A.	8.7	N.A.
New Mexico	12.8	10.7	9.2	9.3	8.7	8.6	8.8	8.4	8.2	7.8	7.4	9.0	N.A.	9.2	N.A.
Arizona	11.1	11.2	11.0	10.7	10.2	9.9	10.0	10.0	9.5	9.9	9.0	9.2	N.A.	8.8	N.A.
Utah	11.6	10.6	10.3	10.0	9.8	10.9	11.2	10.6	11.0	11.1	10.7	11.1	N.A.	10.0	N.A.
Nevada	142.8	113.7	113.0	122.7	114.5	100.6	99.0	89.1	86.1	88.7	96.3	88.1	N.A.	80.4	N.A.

Notes: Data year 1994 was the last year the National Center for Health Statistics published the Annual Summary of Births, Marriages, Divorces, and Deaths of the Monthly Vital Statistics series. The source for the U.S. (including the Mountain States numbers used for calculating rates) for 1995, 1996 and 1997 provisional data is: National Center for Health Statistics; Births, Marriages, Divorces, and Deaths for 1997; Monthly Vital Statistics Report, Vol. 46, No. 12; Hyattsville MD; July 28, 1998. Sources for the 1991, 1992, 1993 and 1994 provisional data are: National Center for Health Statistics; Annual Summary of Births, Marriages, Divorces and Deaths: United States, (1991, 1992, 1993 or 1994); Monthly Vital Statistics Report Vol. (40, 41, 42 or 43), No. 13; Hyattsville MD. The source for other provisional data are prior volumes of the annual summary. The last final data are for years 1989 and 1990--source: National Center for Health Statistics; Advance Report of Final Marriage Statistics, 1989 and 1990; Monthly Vital Statistics Report, Vol. 43, No. 12(S), p. 9; Hyattsville MD; July 14, 1995. The source for other final data are prior volumes of the final report. See the original sources to observe rates with footnotes.

Population source: Bureau of the Census; Table: "General Profile;" USA (Year); Geographic area (State). Internet site: http://www.census.gov/population/estimates/county/co-99-1/99C1_49.txt

*The Utah rates may not match the Utah rates in other tables. See the reference in "Notes" to locate the source of the data.

Table 5. Median age of bride and groom by order of marriage: Utah and United States, 1965-1998

Year	Utah marriages						U.S. Marriages			
	Median Bride			Median Groom			Median Bride		Median Groom	
	Total marriage	First marriage	Second marriage	Total marriage	First marriage	Second marriage	Total marriage	First marriage	Total marriages	First marriage
1965	20.5	20.0	29.4	22.8	22.3	32.8	21.4	20.4	23.6	22.5
1966	20.4	19.9	29.4	22.9	22.4	33.7	21.5	20.3	23.8	22.6
1967	20.5	20.1	29.4	22.8	22.2	33.7	21.4	20.5	23.8	22.6
1968	20.6	20.2	29.9	22.7	22.1	33.6	21.5	20.6	23.6	22.4
1969	20.5	20.1	28.8	22.6	22.2	32.6	21.6	20.6	23.5	22.4
1970	20.0	20.0	28.0	22.0	22.0	32.0	21.7	20.6	23.6	22.5
1971	20.0	19.0	28.0	22.0	22.0	32.0	21.7	20.5	23.7	22.5
1972	20.0	20.0	28.0	22.0	22.0	32.0	21.7	20.5	23.8	22.4
1973	20.0	20.0	28.0	20.0	22.0	32.0	21.9	20.6	24.1	22.5
1974	20.0	20.0	28.0	22.0	22.0	31.0	22.0	20.6	24.2	22.5
1975	20.0	20.0	28.0	22.0	22.0	31.0	22.4	20.8	24.7	22.7
1976	20.0	20.0	28.0	22.0	22.0	31.0	22.7	21.0	25.0	22.9
1977	21.0	20.0	28.0	22.0	22.0	31.0	22.9	21.1	25.2	23.0
1978	21.0	20.0	28.0	23.0	22.0	31.0	23.2	21.4	25.5	23.2
1979	21.0	20.0	28.0	23.0	22.0	31.0	23.4	21.6	25.8	23.4
1980	22.0	20.0	28.0	23.0	22.0	31.0	23.7	21.8	25.9	23.6
1981	21.0	20.0	28.0	23.0	22.0	31.0	24.1	22.0	26.3	23.9
1982	21.0	20.0	28.0	24.0	22.0	31.0	24.4	22.3	26.7	24.1
1983	22.0	20.0	29.0	24.0	22.0	32.0	24.8	22.5	27.0	24.4
1984	22.0	20.0	29.0	24.0	23.0	33.0	25.0	22.8	27.2	24.6
1985	22.0	21.0	29.0	24.0	23.0	32.0	25.3	23.0	27.5	24.8
1986	23.0	21.0	30.0	25.0	23.0	33.0	25.7	23.3	27.8	25.1
1987	23.0	21.0	30.0	25.0	23.0	33.0	25.9	23.6	28.0	25.3
1988	23.0	21.0	30.0	25.0	23.0	34.0	26.1	23.7	28.1	25.5
1989	23.0	21.0	31.0	25.0	23.0	34.0	26.4	23.9	28.4	25.7
1990	23.0	21.0	31.0	25.0	23.0	34.0	26.7	24.0	28.7	25.9
1991	23.0	21.0	31.0	25.0	23.0	34.0	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
1992	23.0	22.0	34.0	25.0	23.9	37.2	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
1993	23.0	21.9	33.9	25.0	24.0	37.5	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
1994	23.0	22.0	34.0	24.0	23.9	37.6	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
1995	23.0	21.0	32.0	24.0	23.0	35.0	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
1996	23.0	21.0	32.0	25.0	23.0	35.0	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
1997	23.0	21.0	33.0	24.0	23.0	35.0	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
1998	23.0	21.0	32.0	24.0	23.0	36.0	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.

Notes: U.S. data for 1991 through 1998 are not available. U.S. data for 1989 and 1990 are final----source: National Center for Health Statistics; Advance Report of Final Marriage Statistics, 1989 and 1990; Monthly Vital Statistics Report, Vol. 43, No. 12(S), p. 16; Hyattsville MD; July 14, 1995. The sources of other final data are final reports of prior volumes.

Table 6. Marriages by type of officiant, percent: Utah, 1968-1998

Year	Officiant			Not stated ¹
	Total	Religious	Civil	
1970	100.0	79.6	20.1	0.3
1971	100.0	79.7	20.1	0.2
1972	100.0	83.3	16.5	0.2
1973	100.0	83.1	16.5	0.4
1974	100.0	82.4	17.6	0.1
1975	100.0	82.7	17.3	0.0
1976	100.0	82.2	17.7	0.1
1977	100.0	83.0	17.0	0.0
1978	100.0	81.4	18.6	0.0
1979	100.0	81.6	18.4	0.0
1980	100.0	81.2	18.8	0.0
1981	100.0	75.9	24.1	--
1982	100.0	73.3	26.7	0.0
1983	100.0	72.7	27.3	0.0
1984	100.0	71.3	28.7	0.0
1985	100.0	70.6	29.4	0.0
1986	100.0	70.0	30.0	0.0
1987	100.0	72.8	27.2	0.0
1988	100.0	73.2	25.8	1.0
1989	100.0	73.9	26.0	0.1
1990	100.0	73.4	26.5	0.1
1991	100.0	72.8	27.1	0.1
1992	100.0	74.2	25.8	0.1
1993	100.0	73.7	26.1	0.2
1994	100.0	74.3	25.6	0.1
1995	100.0	74.2	25.6	0.2
1996	100.0	74.2	25.8	0.0
1997	100.0	75.2	24.6	0.2
1998	100.0	75.9	23.9	0.2

¹The 0.0 means the percent is less than 0.1 and the dash means there are no occurrences.

Table 7. Educational level of bride and marriage order, percent: Utah, 1970-1998

Level of education completed	Year													
	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
First Marriages														
Less than high school graduation	18.1	19.1	19.3	17.8	19.0	19.4	19.4	17.9	16.0	15.3	15.3	16.5	15.5	13.7
High school graduate	31.3	32.6	31.3	31.9	32.4	31.9	31.6	33.3	35.1	34.8	34.5	35.8	36.2	35.2
One or more years of college	50.5	48.3	49.4	50.3	48.6	48.7	49.0	48.8	48.9	49.9	50.2	47.6	48.3	51.1
Remarriages														
Less than high school graduation	26.1	25.4	23.2	20.6	18.4	22.8	21.5	18.5	15.4	17.8	16.9	17.0	17.6	16.9
High school graduate	43.1	43.8	42.1	44.1	44.7	41.7	40.6	44.5	43.0	45.4	45.9	47.9	48.8	48.8
One or more years of college	30.8	30.8	34.7	35.3	36.9	35.5	37.9	37.0	41.6	36.8	37.2	35.1	33.6	34.3

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Level of education completed	Year															
	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	
First Marriages																
Less than high school graduation	13.7	14.3	16.1	15.5	13.9	11.6	11.5	11.6	10.3	9.5	9.9	9.5	9.7	9.3	7.0	
High school graduate	35.1	34.9	32.7	31.6	32.1	32.2	32.6	30.2	29.7	29.7	29.4	30.2	29.9	29.1	29.8	
One or more years of college	51.2	50.7	51.3	52.9	54.0	56.2	55.8	58.2	60.0	60.8	60.8	60.3	60.4	61.6	63.2	
Remarriages																
Less than high school graduation	16.5	16.3	17.9	14.2	14.4	12.1	12.4	11.5	10.8	10.9	9.6	8.7	8.0	8.9	6.5	
High school graduate	46.7	45.0	45.2	46.0	44.0	45.2	43.5	41.7	42.0	39.0	39.5	39.9	40.1	38.2	38.9	
One or more years of college	36.8	38.7	37.0	39.8	41.6	42.7	44.1	46.8	47.2	50.1	50.9	51.4	51.9	52.9	54.6	

Note: Education "unknown" is omitted from calculations.

Table 8. Marriages by health district, county of residence and age of bride: Utah, 1998

County	Total	Age of bride						
		Under 15	15	16	17	18	19	20 and over
Total	22,612	8	35	173	442	1,348	2,315	18,291
Bear River	1,564	0	3	10	44	101	199	1,207
Box Elder	292	0	2	7	22	22	38	201
Cache	1,262	0	1	3	22	78	159	999
Rich	10	0	0	0	0	1	2	7
Central Utah	1,140	2	2	19	29	82	153	853
Juab	63	0	0	1	5	4	9	44
Millard	88	1	0	4	2	14	8	59
Piute	14	0	0	0	0	1	1	12
Sanpete	790	1	2	8	12	44	115	608
Sevier	159	0	0	6	8	16	19	110
Wayne	26	0	0	0	2	3	1	20
Davis	2,156	0	1	8	32	125	241	1,749
Salt Lake	10,132	2	11	43	134	468	961	8,513
Southeastern	413	0	0	7	14	28	33	331
Carbon	156	0	0	4	2	9	16	125
Emery	83	0	0	1	5	10	9	58
Grand	91	0	0	0	1	3	1	86
San Juan	83	0	0	2	6	6	7	62
Southwest	1,428	1	4	29	35	109	165	1,085
Beaver	42	0	0	2	2	4	5	29
Garfield	44	0	0	2	1	3	6	32
Iron	182	1	0	4	10	18	15	134
Kane	60	0	0	0	0	3	6	51
Washington	1,100	0	4	21	22	81	133	839
Summit	291	0	0	2	2	6	10	271
Tooele	239	0	0	4	8	20	22	185
Uintah Basin	424	0	0	11	25	50	44	294
Daggett	27	0	0	0	0	1	1	25
Duchesne	140	0	0	5	14	20	16	85
Uintah	257	0	0	6	11	29	27	184
Utah County	3,092	1	9	24	76	236	337	2,409
Wasatch	135	0	0	0	2	6	10	117
Weber-Morgan	1,598	2	5	16	41	117	140	1,277
Morgan	48	0	0	0	2	5	2	39
Weber	1,550	2	5	16	39	112	138	1,238

Table 9. Marriages where bride is less than 20 years of age by health district and county of residence, number and percent: Utah, 1998

County	Total	Number	Percent
Total	22,612	4,321	19.1
Bear River	1,564	357	22.8
Box Elder	292	91	31.2
Cache	1,262	263	20.8
Rich	10	3	30.0
Central Utah	1,140	287	25.2
Juab	63	19	30.2
Millard	88	29	33.0
Piute	14	2	14.3
Sanpete	790	182	23.0
Sevier	159	49	30.8
Wayne	26	6	23.1
Davis	2,156	407	18.9
Salt Lake	10,132	1,619	16.0
Southeastern	413	82	19.9
Carbon	156	31	19.9
Emery	83	25	30.1
Grand	91	5	5.5
San Juan	83	21	25.3
Southwest	1,428	343	24.0
Beaver	42	13	31.0
Garfield	44	12	27.3
Iron	182	48	26.4
Kane	60	9	15.0
Washington	1,100	261	23.7
Summit	291	20	6.9
Tooele	239	54	22.6
Uintah Basin	424	130	30.7
Daggett	27	2	7.4
Duchesne	140	55	39.3
Uintah	257	73	28.4
Utah County	3,092	683	22.1
Wasatch	135	18	13.3
Weber-Morgan	1,598	321	20.1
Morgan	48	9	18.8
Weber	1,550	312	20.1

Note: Marriages with county of residence not stated are omitted from calculations but are included in the total.

Table 10. Marriages to persons under 20 and divorces to persons married at less than 20 years of age: Utah and the United States, 1970-1998

Year and gender	Utah				United States			
	Marriages Persons under 20 years of age		Divorces to persons who were married at less than 20 years of age		Marriages of persons under 20 years of age		Divorces to persons who were married at less than 20 years of age	
	Number	Percent of total	Number	Percent of total	Number	Percent of total	Number	Percent of total
1970 Male	2,453	20.5	653	18.0		13.7		19.3
1970 Female	5,115	42.8	1,446	39.8		32.5		46.1
1971 Male	2,630	21.0	877	21.0		13.9		19.0
1971 Female	5,429	43.4	1,821	43.6		32.7		45.3
1972 Male	3,014	21.6	1,117	22.9		14.8		19.3
1972 Female	6,020	43.3	1,821	43.6		33.2		44.6
1973 Male	2,972	20.0	1,164	22.7		14.4		19.3
1973 Female	6,221	41.9	2,249	43.8		32.2		44.5
1974 Male	2,886	19.0	1,279	22.9		14.2		19.5
1974 Female	6,149	40.5	2,631	44.6		31.5		43.8
1975 Male	2,606	17.5	1,318	22.3		13.0		19.1
1975 Female	5,726	38.5	2,631	44.6		29.2		43.3
1976 Male	2,400	16.3	1,300	21.8		11.9		18.9
1976 Female	542	37.7	2,563	43.0		27.3		42.5
1977 Male	2,367	15.7	1,575	22.6		10.8		18.6
1977 Female	5,515	36.7	2,919	42.0		25.7		42.2
1978 Male	2,393	14.6	1,517	21.6		10.0		19.3
1978 Female	5,817	35.5	2,899	41.2		24.1		42.8
1979 Male	2,338	14.0	1,589	21.1		9.2		18.4
1979 Female	5,798	34.7	3,078	40.8		22.5		41.0
1980 Male	2,166	12.7	1,531	19.6		8.5		18.0
1980 Female	5,521	32.5	3,016	38.9		21.1		39.9
1981 Male	2,181	12.1	1,592	19.7		7.7		17.0
1981 Female	5,533	30.8	3,153	39.0		19.2		38.3
1982 Male	1,853	10.0	1,567	18.6		6.9		16.1
1982 Female	5,215	28.3	3,106	36.9		17.8		36.6
1983 Male	1,608	8.7	1,531	17.9		6.3		15.4
1983 Female	4,812	26.1	3,051	35.7		16.4		35.1
1984 Male	1,478	8.2	1,387	16.7		5.9		14.9
1984 Female	4,449	24.7	2,828	34.1		15.2		34.0
1985 Male	1,477	8.4	1,459	16.4		5.3		14.2
1985 Female	4,385	25.0	3,015	34.0		13.9		32.6
1986 Male	1,348	7.9	1,362	15.8		5.0		13.7
1986 Female	4,018	23.5	2,820	32.8		13.1		31.7
1987 Male	1,289	7.7	1,302	14.5		4.5		12.8
1987 Female	3,793	22.6	2,949	32.7		12.1		30.4
1988 Male	1,324	7.6	1,156	14.3		4.5		12.4
1988 Female	3,947	22.7	2,554	31.6		11.8		29.6
1989 Male	1,411	7.6	932	11.5		4.5		12.1
1989 Female	4,234	22.8	2,239	27.6		11.6		28.5
1990 Male	1,584	8.2	1,148	12.8		4.3		11.7
1990 Female	4,446	22.9	2,625	29.3		10.9		27.6
1991 Male	1,497	7.7	1,118	12.7		N.A.		N.A.
1991 Female	4,296	22.1	2,473	28.1		N.A.		N.A.
1992 Male	1,476	7.4	1,180	12.5		N.A.		N.A.
1992 Female	4,305	21.5	2,588	27.5		N.A.		N.A.
1993 Male	1,477	7.3	1,097	12.5		N.A.		N.A.
1993 Female	4,261	21.1	2,400	27.3		N.A.		N.A.
1994 Male	1,623	7.8	1,030	11.5		N.A.		N.A.
1994 Female	4,733	22.6	2,312	25.8		N.A.		N.A.
1995 Male	1,660	7.7	976	11.0		N.A.		N.A.
1995 Female	4,684	21.8	2,305	26.0		N.A.		N.A.
1996 Male	1,625	7.2	1,003	11.4		N.A.		N.A.
1996 Female	4,783	21.2	2,278	25.9		N.A.		N.A.
1997 Male	1,519	6.6	982	10.8		N.A.		N.A.
1997 Female	4,683	20.4	2,287	25.2		N.A.		N.A.
1998 Male	1,523	6.7	N.A.	N.A.		N.A.		N.A.
1998 Female	4,321	19.1	N.A.	N.A.		N.A.		N.A.

Notes: United States data are from states included in model registration areas (MRA) only. Divorce data include only those states with at least 75 percent completeness of reporting for age of husband and wife. Percent of total for U.S. marriages are final for 1989 and 1990--source: National Center for Health Statistics; Advance Report of Final Marriage Statistics, 1989 and 1990: Monthly Vital Statistics Report; Vol. 43 No. 12(S), Table 8, p. 14; Hyattsville MD; July 14, 1995. Percent of total for U.S. divorces are final for 1989 and 1990--source National Center for Health Statistics; Advance Report of Final Divorce statistics, 1989 and 1990: Monthly Vital statistics Report; Vol. 43 No. 9(S), Table 8, p. 17; Hyattsville MD; March 22, 1995. See other final reports for U.S. marriage/divorce data for previous years not referenced here.

Table 11. Marriage and divorce rates, Utah and United States, 1960 and 1970-1998

Year	Utah			United States		
	Marriages	Divorces		Marriages	Divorces	
	Rate	Rate	Ratio	Rate	Rate	Ratio
	per 1,000 population	per 1,000 population	per 1,000 married women ¹	per 1,000 population	per 1,000 population ²	per 1,000 married women ³
1960	8.0	2.4	10.9	8.5	2.2	13.4
1970	11.2	3.7	16.8	10.6	3.5	14.9
1971	11.4	4.0	18.3	10.6	3.7	15.8
1972	12.3	4.3	19.6	10.9	4.0	17.0
1973	12.7	4.4	20.0	10.8	4.3	18.2
1974	12.7	4.7	21.6	10.5	4.6	19.3
1975	12.0	5.0	22.6	10.0	4.8	20.3
1976	11.5	4.9	34.4	9.9	5.0	21.1
1977	11.4	5.3	24.0	9.9	5.0	21.1
1978	12.1	5.3	24.0	10.3	5.1	21.9
1979	11.8	5.4	24.4	10.4	5.3	22.8
1980	11.6	5.4	25.1	10.6	5.2	22.6
1981	12.1	5.5	25.1	10.6	5.3	22.6
1982	11.8	5.4	24.9	10.6	5.0	21.7
1983	11.6	5.4	24.8	10.5	4.9	21.3
1984	10.8	5.0	23.8	10.5	5.0	21.5
1985	10.7	5.4	25.1	10.1	5.0	21.7
1986	10.3	5.2	24.1	10.0	4.9	21.2
1987	10.0	5.4	25.0	9.9	4.8	20.8
1988	10.3	4.8	22.2	9.7	4.7	20.7
1989	10.9	4.8	22.0	9.7	4.7	20.4
1990	11.2	5.2	24.2	9.8	4.7	20.9
1991	11.0	5.0	23.3	9.4	4.7	N.A.
1992	11.0	5.2	24.2	9.3	4.8	N.A.
1993	10.8	4.7	21.9	9.0	4.6	N.A.
1994	10.9	4.7	21.7	9.1	4.6	N.A.
1995	11.0	4.5	N.A.	8.9	4.4	19.8
1996	11.3	4.4	N.A.	8.8	4.3	19.5
1997	11.2	4.4	N.A.	8.9	4.3	19.8
1998	10.9	4.2	N.A.	8.3	4.2	N.A.

¹The source for Utah married women 15 years and over: Bureau of the Census; Item Number 27: "Sex by marital status, universe: persons 15 years and over; Summary Tape File 3A, 1990.

²The source for U.S. 1995 through 1997 provisional data: National Center for Health Statistics; "Births, Marriages, Divorces, and Deaths for (Year); Vol. (#), No. 12; Monthly Vital Statistics Reports; July. The source for U.S. 1991 through 1994 provisional data: National Center for Health Statistics; "Annual Summary of Births, Marriages, Divorces and Deaths: United States (Year), Vol. (#), No. 13; October. The source for final data prior to 1991: National Center for Health Statistics; "Advance Report of final Divorce Statistics, 1989 and 1990"; Monthly Vital Statistics Report, Vol. (#), No. (#) Supplement; Hyattsville MD.

³Bureau of the Census; Table: "Marital status of people 18 years old and older by sex"; Annual Demographic Survey; March Current Population Survey Supplement (Year).

Table 12. Divorce and annual rates: United States and mountain states, 1979-1998

United States and mountain states	Year									
	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	
United States	5.3	5.2	5.3	5.0	4.9	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.8	
Mountain	7.3	7.6	N.A.	N.A.	7.1	6.9	7.0	N.A.	N.A.	
Montana	6.5	6.3	6.3	5.7	5.6	5.3	5.2	5.3	5.1	
Idaho	6.9	7.0	7.0	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.1	5.9	
Wyoming	7.8	8.5	8.5	7.8	7.7	7.3	7.5	7.0	6.5	
Colorado	5.8	6.4	6.6	6.1	6.2	5.8	5.9	5.8	5.6	
New Mexico	7.8	8.0	N.A.	N.A.	8.5	7.9	9.1	N.A.	N.A.	
Arizona	7.6	7.3	7.5	7.0	6.7	6.6	6.6	7.0	7.0	
Utah	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.3	5.0	5.3	5.2	5.3	
Nevada	15.4	17.3	17.6	14.9	15.0	15.2	14.2	13.9	13.8	

continued

United States and mountain states	Year											
	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	
United States	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.6	4.6	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.2	
Mountain	6.6	6.3	6.5	5.4	6.0	5.7	5.8	4.7	N.A.	4.7	N.A.	
Montana	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.4	5.2	5.1	4.9	4.8	N.A.	4.6	N.A.	
Idaho	6.0	6.3	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.2	5.8	N.A.	5.9	N.A.	
Wyoming	6.9	6.6	6.9	7.0	6.9	6.5	6.5	6.7	N.A.	6.2	N.A.	
Colorado	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.7	5.6	5.4	5.1	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	
New Mexico	5.3	5.9	6.1	5.6	6.2	6.2	6.0	6.7	N.A.	5.6	N.A.	
Arizona	7.1	6.4	6.8	6.6	6.7	6.2	5.8	6.6	N.A.	5.8	N.A.	
Utah	4.6	4.8	5.2	4.7	5.3	4.8	4.7	4.6	N.A.	4.5	N.A.	
Nevada	14.1	11.9	10.8	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	9.0	8.1	N.A.	10.4	N.A.	

Population source: Bureau of the Census; Table: "General Profile;" USA (Year); Geographic area (State).

Notes: Data year 1994 was the last year the National Center for Health Statistics published the Annual Summary of Births, Marriages, Divorces, and Deaths of the Monthly Vital Statistics series. The source for the U.S. (including the Mountain States) for 1996, 1997 and 1998 provisional data are: National Center for Health Statistics; Births, Marriages, Divorces, and Deaths for 1998; Monthly Vital Statistics Report, Vol. 47, No. 21; Hyattsville MD; July 6, 1999.

Sources for the 1991 through 1995 provisional data are: National Center for Health Statistics; Annual Summary of Births, Marriages, Divorces and Deaths: United States, (1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, or 1995); Monthly Vital Statistics Report Vol. (40, 41, 42, 43 or 44), No. 13; Hyattsville MD. The source for other provisional data are prior volumes of the annual summary. The last final data are for years 1989 and 1990--source: National Center for Health Statistics; Advance Report of Final Marriage Statistics, 1989 and 1990; Monthly Vital Statistics Report, Vol. 43, No. 12(S), p. 9; Hyattsville MD; July 14, 1995. The source for other final data are prior volumes of the final report. See the original sources to observe rates with footnotes.

*The Utah rates may not match the Utah rates in other tables. See the reference in "Notes" to locate the source of the data and the limitations.

Table 13. Divorces by health district, county of occurrence, number and rate: Utah, 1998

District and county	1998 Population	Number	Rate
Total	2,083,238	8,849	4.2
Bear River	129,027	479	3.7
Box Elder	40,996	163	4.0
Cache	86,240	313	3.6
Rich	1,791	3	1.7
Central Utah	63,925	279	4.4
Juab	7,978	43	5.4
Millard	12,054	51	4.2
Piute	1,583	7	4.4
Sanpete	21,244	88	4.1
Sevier	18,629	89	4.8
Wayne	2,437	1	0.4
Davis	229,529	1,037	4.5
Salt Lake	837,710	3,319	4.0
Southeastern	54,830	259	4.7
Carbon	21,547	137	6.4
Emery	10,939	42	3.8
Grand	8,887	52	5.9
San Juan	13,457	28	2.1
Southwest	125,432	669	5.3
Beaver	5,678	17	3.0
Garfield	4,517	19	4.2
Iron	30,477	132	4.3
Kane	6,155	35	5.7
Washington	78,605	466	5.9
Summit	25,630	98	3.8
Tooele	33,569	173	5.2
Uintah Basin	39,525	147	3.7
Daggett	713	2	2.8
Duchesne	14,376	49	3.4
Uintah	24,436	96	3.9
Utah County	340,816	1,302	3.8
Wasatch	13,653	40	2.9
Weber-Morgan	189,592	1,047	5.5
Morgan	7,086	28	4.0
Weber	182,506	1,019	5.6

Rates are per 1,000 population and are not computed for less than seven events.

Table 14. Divorces by median age of husband and wife and order of marriage: Utah and United States, 1970-1998

Year	Utah divorces					
	Husband			Wife		
	Total marriages	First marriage	Second marriage	Total marriages	First marriage	Second marriage
1970	30.5	28.0	37.0	28.0	26.0	33.0
1971	30.0	28.0	36.0	27.0	25.0	33.0
1972	30.0	28.0	36.0	28.0	25.0	33.0
1973	30.0	27.0	37.0	27.0	25.0	33.0
1974	30.0	27.0	35.0	27.0	25.0	33.0
1975	30.0	28.0	35.0	28.0	25.0	32.0
1976	30.0	28.0	35.0	28.0	26.0	32.0
1977	30.0	27.0	36.0	28.0	25.0	33.0
1978	31.0	28.0	36.0	28.0	26.0	33.0
1979	30.0	28.0	35.0	28.0	26.0	33.0
1980	31.0	29.0	36.0	28.0	26.0	33.0
1981	31.0	29.0	35.0	28.0	26.0	33.0
1982	31.0	29.0	36.0	29.0	26.0	33.0
1983	32.0	29.0	36.0	29.0	27.0	33.0
1984	32.0	29.0	37.0	30.0	27.0	34.0
1985	32.0	29.0	36.0	30.0	27.0	33.0
1986	33.0	30.0	37.0	30.0	27.0	34.0
1987	33.0	30.0	37.0	30.0	28.0	34.0
1988	33.0	30.0	38.0	31.0	28.0	34.0
1989	35.0	31.0	38.0	33.0	29.0	35.0
1990	34.0	31.0	38.0	31.0	29.0	34.0
1991	34.0	31.0	39.0	32.0	29.0	35.0
1992	34.0	31.0	39.0	32.0	28.0	36.0
1993	34.0	31.0	39.0	32.0	29.0	35.0
1994	35.0	31.0	39.0	32.0	28.0	36.0
1995	35.0	31.0	39.0	33.0	28.0	36.0
1996	36.0	31.0	40.0	33.0	29.0	37.0
1997	35.0	31.0	40.0	35.0	21.0	33.0
1998	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.

continued

Year	United States divorces					
	Husband			Wife		
	Total marriages	First marriage	Second marriage	Total marriages	First marriage	Second marriage
1970	32.9	30.5	39.9	29.8	27.7	36.5
1971	32.9	30.5	40.0	29.8	27.7	36.5
1972	32.6	30.4	39.4	29.8	27.9	36.2
1973	32.4	30.4	39.3	29.7	27.8	36.0
1974	32.2	30.2	38.7	29.5	27.7	35.4
1975	32.2	30.1	38.3	29.5	27.9	35.1
1976	32.3	30.2	38.2	29.7	28.1	34.9
1977	32.4	30.5	38.0	29.9	28.2	34.6
1978	32.0	30.5	36.9	29.7	28.3	33.9
1979	32.5	30.8	37.3	30.1	28.6	34.4
1980	32.7	31.0	37.3	30.3	28.8	34.3
1981	33.1	31.4	37.4	30.6	29.1	34.5
1982	33.6	31.7	38.0	31.1	29.5	35.0
1983	34.0	32.1	38.3	31.5	29.8	35.5
1984	34.3	32.2	38.5	31.7	30.0	35.7
1985	34.4	32.2	38.5	31.9	30.0	36.0
1986	34.6	32.4	39.2	32.1	30.2	36.1
1987	34.9	32.6	39.5	32.5	30.5	36.4
1988	35.1	32.7	39.7	32.6	30.6	36.6
1989	35.4	32.9	40.2	32.9	30.9	36.8
1990	35.6	33.2	40.4	33.2	31.1	37.3
1991	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
1992	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
1993	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
1994	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
1995	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
1996	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
1997	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
1998	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.

Note: U.S. data for 1991 through 1998 is not available. U.S. data for 1989 and 1990 are final-source: National Center for Health Statistics; Advance Report of Final Divorce Statistics, 1989 and 1990; Monthly Vital Statistics Report, Vol. 43, No. 9(S), p. 16; Hyattsville MD; March 22, 1995.

Table 15. Mean numbers for children per divorce and rates for involved children under 18 years of age: Utah and United States, 1960 and 1968-1998

Year	Number of children involved	Average number of children per divorce		Involved children per 1,000 children under 18 years of age	
	Utah	Utah	U.S.	Utah	U.S.
1960	2,900	1.3	1.2	7.1	7.2
1970	5,068	1.3	1.2	10.8	12.5
1971	5,396	1.2	1.2	11.1	13.6
1972	6,426	1.3	1.2	13.9	14.7
1973	6,510	1.3	1.2	14.1	15.7
1974	6,749	1.2	1.1	14.3	16.2
1975	6,998	1.1	1.1	14.5	16.7
1976	6,942	1.1	1.0	14.1	16.9
1977	7,784	1.1	1.0	13.7	16.7
1978	8,221	1.2	1.0	15.6	17.7
1979	8,221	1.1	1.0	15.0	18.4
1980	8,825	1.1	1.0	16.3	17.3
1981	9,418	1.1	1.0	16.8	18.7
1982	9,705	1.2	0.9	16.8	17.6
1983	10,100	1.2	0.9	17.1	17.4
1984	9,557	1.2	0.9	15.9	17.2
1985	10,751	1.2	0.9	17.7	17.3
1986	10,043	1.2	0.9	16.3	16.8
1987	11,064	1.2	0.9	17.8	16.3
1988	9,940	1.2	0.9	15.9	16.4
1989	10,257	1.3	0.9	16.2	16.8
1990	11,621	1.3	0.9	18.4	16.8
1991	10,860	1.2	N.A.	16.9	N.A.
1992	11,286	1.2	N.A.	17.3	N.A.
1993	10,721	1.2	N.A.	16.2	N.A.
1994	10,383	1.2	N.A.	15.5	N.A.
1995	9,827	1.1	N.A.	14.6	N.A.
1996	9,726	1.1	N.A.	14.3	N.A.
1997	9,940	1.1	N.A.	14.5	N.A.
1998	9,612	1.1	N.A.	13.9	N.A.

Note: U.S. data for 1991 through 1998 are not available. U.S. data for 1989 and 1990 are final-source: National Center for Health Statistics; Advance Report of Final Divorce Statistics, 1989 and 1990: Monthly Vital Statistics Report, Vol. 43, No. 9(S), p. 12; Hyattsville MD; March 22, 1995. Population source: Demographic and Economic Analysis, Governor's Office of Planning and Budget.

Table 16. Median duration of marriage prior to divorce or annulment by divorce registration area: United States and mountain states, 1980-1998

United States and mountain states	Year						
	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
United States	6.8	7.0	7.0	7.0	6.9	6.8	6.9
Mountain							
Montana	5.7	5.3	6.1	5.5	5.5	6.0	6.0
Idaho	5.1	5.2	5.0	5.3	5.1	5.4	5.6
Wyoming	4.8	5.0	4.7	5.0	5.0	5.2	5.5
Utah	5.0	5.1	5.2	5.3	5.4	5.3	5.6

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United States and mountain states	Year						
	1986	1987	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991-1998
United States	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.1	7.2	7.2	N.A.
Mountain							
Montana	6.0	6.3	6.3	6.7	7.0	6.9	N.A.
Idaho	5.6	5.7	5.7	6.3	6.0	6.2	N.A.
Wyoming	5.5	5.9	5.9	6.3	6.4	6.5	N.A.
Utah	5.6	5.7	5.7	6.0	6.2	6.2	N.A.

Note: U.S. data for 1991 through 1998 are not available. U.S. Data for 1989 and 1990 are final--source: National Center for Health Statistics; Advance Report of Final Divorce Statistics, 1989 and 1990; Monthly Vital Statistics Report, Vol. 43, No. 9(S), p. 20; Hyattsville MD; March 22, 1995.

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Table R1. Marriages by county of occurrence and month: Utah, 1998

County	Total	Month											
		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Total	22,612	1,062	1,310	1,682	1,575	1,915	2,811	2,057	3,204	2,103	1,592	1,550	1,751
Beaver	42	3	2	1	2	3	4	4	5	3	8	7	0
Box Elder	292	14	21	28	20	20	34	27	25	27	31	23	22
Cache	1,262	68	55	94	63	99	189	113	194	107	88	83	109
Carbon	156	4	7	6	10	15	23	15	22	22	4	12	16
Daggett	27	2	1	3	4	2	1	6	2	1	3	1	1
Davis	2,156	115	115	159	150	210	283	166	311	195	140	155	157
Duchesne	140	10	7	11	7	9	17	14	18	9	10	16	12
Emery	83	5	5	8	5	7	13	8	8	13	3	2	6
Garfield	44	4	4	2	4	0	7	5	5	4	3	3	3
Grand	91	8	3	9	11	8	14	7	10	10	4	4	3
Iron	182	10	14	11	7	15	10	17	24	19	18	21	16
Juab	63	4	1	3	5	5	8	5	8	8	4	2	10
Kane	60	3	2	7	4	8	7	3	7	6	7	2	4
Millard	88	7	4	8	6	5	10	10	7	9	7	8	7
Morgan	48	3	1	2	3	6	4	3	12	6	1	2	5
Piute	14	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	2	2	0	3	3
Rich	10	0	0	0	2	1	3	2	2	0	0	0	0
Salt Lake	10,132	484	576	737	724	880	1,222	896	1,525	953	729	642	764
San Juan	83	1	6	5	6	5	9	12	12	6	7	9	5
Sanpete	790	23	31	72	52	58	116	66	159	49	41	61	62
Sevier	159	10	6	10	11	17	26	19	19	12	6	10	13
Summit	291	18	16	23	12	19	35	26	38	51	23	18	12
Tooele	239	8	17	18	13	24	33	23	26	25	20	17	15
Uintah	257	13	13	15	19	23	35	25	31	29	18	19	17
Utah	3,092	67	220	217	230	216	397	322	422	276	221	222	282
Wasatch	135	7	14	8	8	12	13	19	17	18	7	5	7
Washington	1,100	72	68	108	87	106	110	85	119	89	67	91	98
Wayne	26	1	1	0	4	4	7	2	1	1	2	2	1
Weber	1,550	98	100	114	106	138	181	156	173	153	120	110	101

Table R2a. Marriages by county of residence of groom and county of residence of bride: Utah, 1998

County of residence groom	County of residence bride															
	Tot al	Be aver	Bo xe lde r	Ca ch e	Ca r bo n	Da g ge tt	Da vi s	Du ch es ne	Em ery	Gar fi eld	Gr and	Ir on	Ju ab	Ka ne	Mill ard	Mo rg an
Total	22,612	63	429	854	193	5	2,272	163	98	32	50	357	73	50	114	71
Beaver	73	45	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	1	0	5	0
Box Elder	388	0	296	23	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cache	861	0	27	606	3	0	21	2	4	1	0	1	2	0	0	2
Carbon	193	0	1	0	158	0	2	2	10	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Daggett	6	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Davis	2,187	1	14	20	2	0	1,587	2	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	15
Duchesne	158	0	0	2	0	0	2	118	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
Emery	90	0	0	0	8	0	2	0	63	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Garfield	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	2	0	3	1	0
Grand	47	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	45	0	0	0	0	0
Iron	356	3	0	1	1	0	3	0	0	2	0	296	1	1	2	0
Juab	75	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	45	0	1	0
Kane	50	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	36	1	0
Millard	117	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	75	0
Morgan	53	1	1	1	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27
Piute	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Rich	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salt Lake	8,164	0	20	39	11	0	238	7	5	1	1	8	2	1	6	3
San Juan	68	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Sanpete	198	0	3	2	0	0	6	1	2	0	0	0	4	0	2	0
Sevier	198	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	3	0
Summit	208	0	0	2	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Tooele	300	0	3	2	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1
Uintah	237	0	0	4	0	0	2	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Utah	3,025	4	8	25	6	0	70	4	1	2	1	8	8	1	6	0
Wasatch	114	0	2	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Washington	769	3	4	5	0	0	3	0	2	0	0	14	2	1	1	0
Wayne	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Weber	1,862	1	24	21	2	0	196	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	12
Out of state	2,736	3	25	90	1	1	107	14	7	0	3	16	5	5	9	7

Table R2b. Marriages by county of residence of groom and county of residence of bride: Utah, 1998

County of residence groom	County of residence bride														
	Piute	Rich	Salt Lake	San Juan	Sanpete	Sevier	Summit	Tooele	Uintah	Utah	Wasatch	Washington	Wayne	Weber	Out of state
Total	13	16	8,273	71	194	193	206	283	242	3,102	111	811	20	1,866	2,387
Beaver	0	0	6	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	6
Box Elder	0	0	14	0	1	0	0	1	0	6	1	2	0	26	9
Cache	0	1	50	1	2	2	1	3	5	34	2	4	1	24	62
Carbon	0	0	6	1	1	0	1	1	0	4	0	0	1	0	4
Daggett	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Davis	0	1	230	0	4	3	3	4	1	43	3	6	1	172	71
Duchesne	0	0	7	0	0	2	0	0	14	8	0	1	0	1	1
Emery	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	1	3
Garfield	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	0	0	1
Grand	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Iron	0	0	7	0	3	5	0	0	0	4	0	18	0	2	7
Juab	0	0	5	0	4	1	0	1	0	12	0	0	0	0	1
Kane	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	3
Millard	0	0	4	0	1	1	0	1	1	10	1	2	0	0	14
Morgan	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	10	4
Piute	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Rich	0	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2
Salt Lake	2	0	7,254	2	13	5	20	26	8	235	4	25	1	52	175
San Juan	0	0	1	54	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	2	0	0	2
Sanpete	0	0	18	0	124	5	0	0	0	20	1	0	0	2	8
Sevier	2	0	7	1	8	149	0	0	0	8	2	2	2	1	6
Summit	0	0	18	0	0	0	164	0	0	6	6	1	0	0	2
Tooele	0	0	39	0	0	1	0	226	0	8	1	0	0	3	8
Uintah	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	198	8	0	2	0	0	7
Utah	0	1	200	4	22	5	3	5	6	2,316	11	13	0	18	277
Wasatch	0	0	7	0	1	0	5	0	2	9	75	1	0	0	8
Washington	0	0	19	1	0	2	0	0	0	10	0	670	1	0	31
Wayne	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	1	0	1	0	1	13	0	0
Weber	0	1	49	0	0	0	3	3	0	12	0	4	0	1,497	35
Out of state	0	4	315	7	10	7	5	10	5	335	4	47	0	56	1,638

Table R3a. Marriages by age of groom and bride: Utah, 1998

Age of groom	Age of bride											
	Total	Under	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Total	22,612	8	35	173	442	1,348	2,315	2,927	2,423	1,601	1,501	1,160
15	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	22	0	1	8	9	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
17	93	2	2	12	28	32	13	1	1	0	1	0
18	492	3	10	42	102	170	94	24	20	7	4	3
19	815	1	8	36	95	227	232	121	37	22	13	5
20	1,089	0	5	29	66	218	273	282	108	42	18	11
21	2,401	0	3	16	49	221	463	584	568	203	140	52
22	2,979	1	4	9	34	215	542	752	555	359	222	123
23	2,128	1	1	3	21	107	280	420	369	269	268	165
24	1,574	0	0	5	13	45	157	263	244	210	213	168
25	1,186	0	0	3	9	37	91	153	171	132	134	154
26	958	0	0	3	6	18	52	92	105	99	135	111
27	843	0	0	2	2	15	31	64	69	70	86	79
28	718	0	0	1	4	11	17	52	43	55	76	67
29	620	0	1	0	2	6	14	24	42	36	54	55
30	506	0	0	1	1	9	17	20	27	20	35	31
31	487	0	0	1	0	3	12	20	16	13	22	33
32	416	0	0	1	0	2	5	16	18	18	20	29
33	366	0	0	0	0	1	4	12	5	14	10	18
34	373	0	0	0	0	2	3	7	6	8	9	17
35	323	0	0	0	0	1	0	7	7	5	8	8
36	314	0	0	0	1	3	2	2	4	5	6	10
37	289	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	2	5	3
38	293	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	2	2	6	4
39	279	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	2	4	2	2
40	232	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	2	2	4
41	217	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	2
42	205	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
43	179	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
44	203	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	4	0
45-49	777	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	2	2
50-54	489	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1
55-59	244	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
60-64	176	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
65 and over	324	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Not stated	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

Table R3b. Marriages by age of groom and bride: Utah, 1998

Age of groom	Age of bride												
	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
Total	919	714	650	579	453	426	391	352	292	302	271	284	257
15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	2	0
19	11	2	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
20	13	5	4	4	2	1	3	1	1	0	2	0	0
21	34	24	9	13	7	4	6	0	1	0	0	0	0
22	68	33	17	14	8	8	5	2	2	2	0	3	0
23	85	44	26	27	16	8	5	4	1	1	1	1	2
24	100	50	31	24	14	12	7	5	5	1	1	2	1
25	100	46	45	35	20	15	12	7	8	1	4	1	0
26	79	86	44	34	19	17	19	8	5	5	5	6	3
27	94	79	71	55	21	26	14	12	8	13	4	12	3
28	70	63	64	51	40	28	17	11	8	12	9	5	5
29	50	59	59	48	35	29	32	17	6	7	11	5	8
30	50	38	46	38	29	39	20	18	6	12	10	12	9
31	39	44	44	36	45	21	32	27	18	14	9	10	9
32	25	28	33	31	26	24	25	34	18	14	8	6	7
33	19	25	22	30	26	25	30	21	20	17	17	10	7
34	13	21	27	25	19	22	22	36	18	26	21	10	11
35	16	7	23	27	14	22	23	19	24	27	18	20	15
36	14	17	18	17	10	26	15	16	20	22	15	28	12
37	3	6	13	16	28	15	19	18	20	17	18	13	19
38	10	6	10	13	20	15	15	17	17	14	20	18	16
39	6	6	8	8	13	20	17	20	14	15	20	15	12
40	1	6	12	5	3	8	13	4	13	13	7	18	12
41	4	5	3	3	5	4	4	14	14	13	6	12	13
42	1	2	4	5	1	9	6	5	7	12	10	11	17
43	2	3	5	0	4	6	3	7	7	4	7	12	9
44	2	0	1	4	8	6	7	7	7	16	8	11	11
45-49	6	4	6	10	12	10	14	15	16	15	29	27	41
50-54	2	1	2	3	4	2	5	5	6	2	5	11	10
55-59	0	1	1	1	3	2	1	0	1	2	1	2	2
60-64	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	4	1	2
65 and over	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Not stated	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Table R3c. Marriages by age of groom and bride: Utah, 1998

Age of groom	Age of bride											Not stated	
	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60-64		65 and over
Total	242	241	175	207	200	163	140	619	315	199	102	185	1
15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
21	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
23	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
24	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	2	1	2	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
26	1	2	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
27	5	1	1	1	1	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	0
28	1	2	0	1	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	1	0
29	2	5	6	3	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
30	3	4	2	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
31	4	4	3	1	2	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0
32	8	3	5	6	0	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0
33	6	6	8	4	3	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
34	12	6	5	3	4	7	4	6	3	0	0	0	0
35	6	6	2	7	2	3	2	4	0	0	0	0	0
36	10	11	6	6	0	5	5	7	1	0	0	0	0
37	17	13	3	12	9	6	4	5	1	0	0	0	0
38	9	16	10	10	10	4	1	17	3	0	0	0	0
39	15	18	14	8	10	7	2	12	3	2	1	0	0
40	22	17	15	9	15	1	4	18	4	0	0	0	0
41	14	13	10	12	13	12	7	23	6	0	0	0	0
42	14	13	12	17	16	12	6	17	4	1	0	0	0
43	18	12	9	14	13	9	7	23	3	1	0	0	0
44	10	9	10	13	13	10	9	28	5	0	0	1	0
45-49	38	49	30	51	50	46	37	199	47	14	1	3	0
50-54	16	19	13	21	21	24	34	137	101	30	8	2	1
55-59	5	7	3	2	9	5	6	54	62	58	12	3	0
60-64	0	2	3	0	2	4	3	31	37	46	22	14	0
65 and over	2	0	0	1	2	1	0	18	31	46	58	161	0
Not stated	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Table R4a. Marriages, first of both bride and groom by age: Utah, 1998

Age of groom	Age of bride											
	Total	Under 15	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Total	14,456	8	32	161	405	1,252	2,151	2,677	2,135	1,328	1,186	838
Under 15	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	22	0	1	8	9	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
17	90	2	2	12	27	31	12	1	1	0	1	0
18	464	3	10	39	98	166	91	24	17	7	4	1
19	759	1	8	33	90	219	222	116	33	19	9	3
20	1,006	0	5	29	65	208	258	265	97	35	14	9
21	2,238	0	3	15	45	209	446	564	538	187	129	46
22	2,777	1	2	8	26	206	520	728	519	333	207	110
23	1,878	1	0	3	17	97	268	403	346	246	233	131
24	1,317	0	0	5	12	38	143	231	215	181	179	143
25	923	0	0	3	6	31	80	134	146	111	114	121
26	658	0	0	3	5	11	37	77	86	72	98	77
27	529	0	0	2	2	10	23	50	50	53	66	52
28	398	0	0	0	2	6	12	35	28	35	53	38
29	281	0	1	0	1	5	10	15	19	17	27	35
30	218	0	0	0	0	4	10	11	10	13	16	19
31	185	0	0	0	0	1	5	4	12	2	12	18
32	152	0	0	0	0	1	4	7	8	6	10	12
33	87	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	2	5	3	8
34	80	0	0	0	0	2	1	5	3	2	1	6
35	80	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	4	2	3	1
36	63	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	1	2	3
37	47	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
38	40	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	2
39	30	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	1
40	31	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
41	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1
42	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
43	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
44	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
45-49	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
50-54	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
55-59	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
60-64	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
65 and over	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0

Table R4b. Marriages, first of both bride and groom by age: Utah, 1998

Age of groom	Age of bride															
	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
Total	593	386	317	235	157	131	96	79	60	50	29	32	25	15	16	9
Under 15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
19	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	11	3	3	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
21	25	15	5	5	1	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
22	61	22	14	6	5	2	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
23	64	30	12	14	9	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	81	34	20	15	9	5	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	71	36	27	18	11	3	2	4	3	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
26	58	57	32	15	10	5	6	2	1	1	2	1	1	0	0	1
27	64	48	39	30	8	12	5	3	3	2	0	2	2	0	1	0
28	44	39	36	22	16	11	8	4	2	1	3	1	0	1	0	0
29	20	33	34	19	15	12	10	4	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
30	29	22	20	18	11	16	6	5	1	2	1	2	1	0	0	0
31	18	18	17	19	17	12	10	8	4	5	0	1	0	0	1	0
32	10	8	15	12	11	9	8	13	8	5	1	1	1	0	1	1
33	8	6	5	6	6	9	4	2	7	5	3	0	2	1	1	0
34	3	3	13	10	4	4	3	5	3	5	4	1	0	0	1	0
35	4	1	10	8	6	4	6	8	5	4	3	3	2	0	1	1
36	7	3	7	6	1	6	4	2	4	2	0	3	5	1	1	0
37	2	1	4	4	7	2	6	3	1	4	2	4	2	3	0	0
38	3	2	2	4	7	1	3	3	2	1	1	2	0	0	0	0
39	3	0	0	1	0	4	1	6	3	2	1	1	0	0	1	2
40	1	1	0	1	0	1	2	0	2	4	2	2	2	3	4	2
41	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	2	2	0	3	0	0	1
42	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	2	2	1	4	2	0
43	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
44	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
45-49	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	5	2	2	1	0
50-54	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
55-59	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
60-64	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
65 and over	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Table R4c. Marriages, first of both bride and groom by age: Utah, 1998

Age of groom	Age of bride								
	41	42	43	44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65 and over
Total	9	5	4	5	14	7	3	3	3
Under 15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
31	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
34	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
35	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
36	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
38	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
39	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
40	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
41	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
42	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
43	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
44	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
45-49	1	0	0	3	4	0	0	0	0
50-54	1	1	1	0	4	1	0	0	0
55-59	0	0	1	0	0	2	2	0	0
60-64	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
65 and over	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2

Table R5. Marriages occurring in Utah by state of residence of bride and groom: Utah, 1998

State	Bride	Groom	State	Bride	Groom
Total	22,612	22,612	Nebraska	19	18
Alabama	7	8	Nevada	141	162
Alaska	31	30	New Hampshire	3	6
Arizona	120	147	New Jersey	10	10
Arkansas	5	4	New Mexico	44	49
California	269	379	New York	27	37
Colorado	135	161	North Carolina	21	24
Connecticut	9	10	North Dakota	5	3
Delaware	1	2	Ohio	21	25
District of Columbia	6	5	Oklahoma	19	16
Florida	41	57	Oregon	64	79
Georgia	28	27	Pennsylvania	16	13
Hawaii	12	11	Rhode Island	2	2
Idaho	461	539	South Carolina	9	14
Illinois	28	45	South Dakota	2	4
Indiana	20	20	Tennessee	17	20
Iowa	13	12	Texas	143	139
Kansas	15	17	Utah	20,225	19,876
Kentucky	5	5	Vermont	3	2
Louisiana	11	14	Virginia	33	51
Maine	4	2	Washington	132	154
Maryland	13	17	West Virginia	1	2
Massachusetts	13	14	Wisconsin	13	15
Michigan	26	25	Wyoming	144	151
Minnesota	23	25			1
Mississippi	3	1	Puerto Rico	1	40
Missouri	36	26	Canada	30	3
Montana	44	42	Mexico	6	5
			Western hemisphere	13	43
			Rest of world	66	3
			Not stated	3	0

Table R6. Marriages by age and previous marital status of bride and groom: Utah, 1998

Age	Previous marital status											
	Total		Never married		Divorced		Annulled		Widowed		Other and not stated	
	Bride	Groom	Bride	Groom	Bride	Groom	Bride	Groom	Bride	Groom	Bride	Groom
Total	22,612	22,612	16,184	16,361	5,538	5,442	149	128	437	453	304	228
Under 15	8	8	8	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	35	35	32	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2
16	173	173	167	165	0	3	0	0	0	1	6	4
17	442	442	428	412	3	20	0	1	0	0	11	9
18	1,348	1,348	1,312	1,271	10	57	1	2	0	1	25	17
19	2,315	2,315	2,258	2,188	24	95	2	7	2	0	29	25
20	2,927	2,927	2,825	2,746	74	160	5	5	1	3	22	13
21	2,423	2,423	2,277	2,223	105	163	9	7	0	5	32	25
22	1,601	1,601	1,443	1,431	131	152	9	2	2	5	16	11
23	1,501	1,501	1,318	1,303	153	181	7	2	4	4	19	11
24	1,160	1,160	947	961	192	182	10	5	1	3	10	9
25	919	919	689	719	203	169	5	10	2	4	20	17
26	714	714	491	482	198	206	5	3	5	4	15	19
27	650	650	402	429	224	202	7	3	7	8	10	8
28	579	579	316	358	234	209	5	5	8	0	16	7
29	453	453	223	243	213	196	5	6	6	4	6	4
30	426	426	195	218	211	197	7	1	2	2	11	8
31	391	391	148	174	224	210	6	3	9	2	4	2
32	352	352	122	163	207	176	7	6	8	4	8	3
33	292	292	90	122	194	163	3	3	4	2	1	2
34	302	302	90	107	199	186	2	5	7	2	4	2
35	271	271	53	92	201	170	7	2	8	6	2	1
36	284	284	68	92	204	180	6	3	3	7	3	2
37	257	257	50	70	195	176	3	3	7	6	2	2
38	242	242	31	54	196	177	5	5	8	4	2	2
39	241	241	45	47	187	184	2	3	6	6	1	1
40	175	175	25	40	138	127	4	3	6	4	2	1
41	207	207	19	35	180	165	3	3	4	4	1	0
42	200	200	21	24	162	165	2	1	13	8	2	2
43	163	163	12	21	139	133	1	1	9	5	2	3
44	140	140	11	23	117	104	1	5	9	8	2	0
45-49	619	619	39	71	508	489	13	7	48	42	11	10
50-54	315	315	18	18	257	234	3	8	35	52	2	3
55-59	199	199	5	8	145	120	1	3	47	67	1	1
60-64	102	102	3	4	58	49	3	2	37	46	1	1
65 and over	184	184	2	5	51	41	0	3	129	134	2	1
Not stated	2	2	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

Table R-7. Marriages by age and race of bride and groom: Utah, 1998

Age	Race											
	Total		White		Black		Native American		Other race		Not stated	
	Bride	Groom	Bride	Groom	Bride	Groom	Bride	Groom	Bride	Groom	Bride	Groom
Total	22,612	22,612	21,540	21,502	114	241	201	191	531	480	226	198
15	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	22	22	22	21	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
17	93	93	89	88	1	0	2	3	1	1	0	1
18	492	492	473	472	2	2	7	5	5	8	5	5
19	815	815	778	774	5	5	10	8	15	25	7	3
20	1,089	1,089	1,051	1,050	8	7	6	5	15	17	9	10
21	2,401	2,401	2,340	2,341	7	14	19	10	26	26	9	10
22	2,979	2,979	2,891	2,899	5	10	11	12	52	45	20	13
23	2,128	2,128	2,036	2,046	7	13	12	16	53	41	20	12
24	1,574	1,574	1,509	1,506	2	7	13	11	36	40	14	10
25	1,186	1,186	1,130	1,119	9	18	8	12	28	28	11	9
26	958	958	905	903	3	12	9	9	28	22	13	12
27	843	843	801	788	4	10	10	7	20	27	8	11
28	718	718	670	665	2	12	6	5	29	26	11	10
29	620	620	587	577	5	13	5	2	18	21	5	7
30	506	506	470	464	4	8	6	10	20	15	6	9
31	487	487	458	445	4	13	6	8	16	15	3	6
32	416	416	383	382	4	11	10	4	13	10	6	9
33	366	366	337	337	2	11	8	5	17	9	2	4
34	373	373	356	346	2	8	6	5	8	12	1	2
35	323	323	297	298	3	9	4	4	13	8	6	4
36	314	314	292	289	1	8	4	7	10	7	7	3
37	289	289	265	269	5	7	4	4	10	7	5	2
38	293	293	271	268	5	6	3	4	8	7	6	8
39	279	279	258	265	2	3	4	3	12	6	3	2
40	232	232	215	212	1	6	3	7	9	7	4	0
41	217	217	205	208	3	3	1	0	6	3	2	3
42	205	205	197	196	1	2	1	1	3	3	3	3
43	179	179	167	169	2	2	2	3	2	3	6	2
44	203	203	186	188	5	4	3	5	6	3	3	3
45-49	777	777	726	725	3	8	8	10	25	22	15	12
50-54	489	489	466	468	4	6	4	3	9	7	6	5
55-59	244	244	228	235	0	1	2	0	11	5	3	3
60-64	176	176	166	167	2	2	3	3	3	3	2	1
65 and over	324	324	314	321	1	0	1	0	4	0	4	3
Not stated	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1

Table R8. Marriages by race of bride and groom: Utah, 1998

Race of bride	Race of groom					
	Total	White	Black	Native American	Other race	Not stated
Total	22,612	21,502	241	191	480	198
White	21,540	20,981	159	113	215	72
Black	114	47	59	1	6	1
Native American	201	117	5	73	5	1
Other race	531	265	12	3	249	2
Not stated	226	92	6	1	5	122

Table R9. Marriages by previous marital status, education and race of bride: Utah, 1998

Previous marital status and education	Race					Not stated
	Total	White	Black	Native American	Other race	
Total	22,612	21,551	114	204	539	200
Total	22,612	21,551	114	204	539	200
Under 12	1,465	1,400	2	34	11	18
12	6,951	6,624	38	85	146	56
Over 12	13,129	12,608	56	65	321	77
Unknown	1,067	919	18	20	61	49
Not previously married						
Total	14,382	13,676	79	135	364	124
Under 12	951	905	2	26	6	12
12	4,059	3,857	33	48	89	30
Over 12	8,608	8,269	31	43	219	44
Unknown	764	645	13	18	50	38
Divorced						
Total	5,537	5,335	21	44	85	52
Under 12	343	331	0	5	1	6
12	2,081	2,014	1	23	29	14
Over 12	2,908	2,802	18	16	49	23
Unknown	205	188	2	0	6	9
Annulment						
Total	149	143	0	0	4	2
Under 12	9	9	0	0	0	0
12	45	42	0	0	2	1
Over 12	87	84	0	0	2	1
Unknown	8	8	0	0	0	0
Widowed						
Total	437	422	2	4	9	0
Under 12	30	30	0	0	0	0
12	170	164	0	2	4	0
Over 12	225	218	1	1	5	0
Unknown	12	10	1	1	0	0
Other and not stated						
Total	2,107	1,975	12	21	77	22
Under 12	132	125	0	3	4	0
12	596	547	4	12	22	11
Over 12	1,301	1,235	6	5	46	9
Unknown	78	68	2	1	5	2

Table R10: Marriages by previous marital status, education and race of groom: Utah, 1998

Previous marital status and education	Race					Not stated
	Total	White	Black	Native American	Other race	
Total						
Total	22,612	21,502	241	191	480	198
Under 12	1,211	1,148	11	17	25	10
12	7,539	7,170	82	93	152	42
Over 12	12,891	12,346	132	63	258	92
Unknown	971	838	16	18	45	54
Not previously married						
Total	15,351	14,607	150	138	334	122
Under 12	821	777	7	12	19	6
12	5,003	4,754	52	71	102	24
Over 12	8,868	8,524	78	40	175	51
Unknown	659	552	13	15	38	41
Divorced						
Total	4,739	4,519	67	40	62	51
Under 12	258	247	3	3	4	1
12	1,728	1,658	23	16	17	14
Over 12	2,556	2,432	39	19	37	29
Unknown	197	182	2	2	4	7
Annulment						
Total	105	103	0	1	1	0
Under 12	4	3	0	0	1	0
12	32	31	0	1	0	0
Over 12	66	66	0	0	0	0
Unknown	3	3	0	0	0	0
Widowed						
Total	458	446	2	3	5	2
Under 12	18	17	0	1	0	0
12	139	137	0	1	1	0
Over 12	278	273	2	0	3	0
Unknown	23	19	0	1	1	2
Other and not stated						
Total	1,959	1,827	22	9	78	23
Under 12	110	104	1	1	1	3
12	637	590	7	4	32	4
Over 12	1,123	1,051	13	4	43	12
Unknown	89	82	1	0	2	4

Table R11. Marriages by previous marital status of bride and groom and type of officiant: Utah, 1998

Previous marital status	Total	Officiant				
		Cath- olic	Jewish	L.D.S.	Protes- tant	Any other religion
Total Bride	22,612	186	7	14,976	1,877	65
Not previously married	15,098	133	6	11,176	963	33
Divorced	4,830	18	1	2,103	613	21
Annulment	133	0	0	68	9	1
Widowed	444	3	0	290	46	2
Other and not stated	2,107	32	0	1,339	246	8
Total Groom	22,612	186	7	14,976	1,877	65
Not previously married	15,351	130	6	11,220	1,005	36
Divorced	4,739	23	1	2,141	588	22
Annulment	105	2	0	53	8	1
Widowed	458	1	0	313	56	1
Other and not stated	1,959	30	0	1,249	220	5

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PREVIOUS MARITAL STATUS	Religious	County	Justice of	Civil	Officiant	
	Not Stated	Clerk	Judge	Peace	Not Stated	Not Stated
Total Bride	61	1,499	2,675	1,028	204	34
Not previously married	48	668	1,437	494	110	30
Divorced	9	624	934	430	74	3
Annulment	0	15	22	13	4	1
Widowed	2	27	46	24	4	0
Other and not stated	2	165	236	67	12	0
Total Groom	61	1,499	2,675	1,028	204	34
Not previously married	50	735	1,505	527	106	31
Divorced	7	585	881	404	84	3
Annulment	0	12	24	5	0	0
Widowed	1	21	39	21	5	0
Other and not stated	3	146	226	71	9	0

Table R12. Marriages by resident status of couples marrying and type of officiant: Utah, 1998

Residence status	Officiant					
	Total	Catholic	Jewish	L.D.S.	Protestant	Any other religion
Total	22,612	186	7	14,976	1,877	65
Groom resident Bride resident	19,127	158	3	12,258	1,666	52
Groom resident Bride nonresident	749	3	0	656	15	2
Groom nonresident Bride resident	1,098	9	0	893	61	5
Groom nonresident Bride nonresident	1,638	16	4	1,169	135	6

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Residence status	Religious Not Stated	County Clerk	Judge	Justice of Peace	Civil Not Stated	Officiant Not Stated
Total	61	1,499	2,675	1,028	204	34
Groom resident Bride resident	52	1,381	2,470	885	173	29
Groom resident Bride nonresident	1	21	26	21	3	1
Groom nonresident Bride resident	4	33	58	26	6	3
Groom nonresident Bride nonresident	4	64	121	96	22	1

Table R13. Marriages where bride is under 20 years by resident status of couples marrying and type of officiant: Utah, 1998

Residence status	Total	Officiant				
		Catholic	Jewish	L.D.S.	Protestant	Any other religion
Total	4,332	19	0	3,214	204	10
Groom resident Bride resident	3,821	18	0	2,766	195	10
Groom resident Bride nonresident	124	0	0	111	1	0
Groom nonresident Bride resident	153	0	0	133	5	0
Groom nonresident Bride nonresident	234	1	0	204	3	0

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Residence status	Religion not stated	Officiant				
		County clerk	Judge	Justice of Peace	Civil not stated	Officiant not stated
Total	16	216	405	202	38	8
Groom resident Bride resident	14	205	395	176	36	6
Groom resident Bride nonresident	0	3	0	8	0	1
Groom nonresident Bride resident	1	5	4	3	1	1
Groom nonresident Bride nonresident	1	3	6	15	1	0

**Table R14. Dissolutions of marriage by county of occurrence and month:
Utah, 1998**

County	Total	Month											
		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Total	8,849	733	756	796	694	684	826	735	780	688	770	612	775
Beaver	17	2	1	2	3	0	2	0	0	4	2	1	0
Box Elder	163	20	19	14	8	7	16	16	9	17	12	11	14
Cache	313	36	25	27	28	27	25	31	21	16	27	22	28
Carbon	137	8	10	8	11	13	11	10	11	15	15	10	15
Daggett	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Davis	1,037	83	103	92	77	78	117	80	77	90	73	74	93
Duchesne	49	4	3	5	3	3	6	7	8	1	1	0	8
Emery	42	4	6	1	5	8	3	3	3	0	6	2	1
Garfield	19	0	3	0	1	2	1	2	4	2	1	2	1
Grand	52	5	5	2	5	2	3	5	2	7	5	2	9
Iron	132	4	11	10	12	10	13	12	17	11	10	11	11
Juab	43	3	3	8	4	3	5	2	5	1	0	5	4
Kane	35	5	0	2	2	3	3	3	6	0	5	4	2
Millard	51	2	5	4	3	2	5	5	6	4	5	4	6
Morgan	28	2	0	4	1	3	1	2	3	4	2	1	5
Plute	7	0	3	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0
Rich	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Salt Lake	3,319	274	282	312	207	272	314	270	312	261	300	229	286
San Juan	28	2	0	1	3	2	1	5	3	3	1	2	5
Sanpete	88	11	5	18	8	5	7	4	6	8	6	5	5
Sevier	89	6	7	9	12	4	9	5	9	7	10	5	6
Summit	98	7	8	9	7	11	9	4	7	8	7	9	12
Tooele	173	9	20	23	19	12	19	17	6	14	10	9	15
Uintah	96	8	8	1	12	3	12	5	8	11	11	9	8
Utah	1,302	104	118	119	135	93	118	110	109	115	109	90	82
Wasatch	40	4	4	4	4	2	1	4	6	1	5	3	2
Washington	466	45	28	33	47	30	42	48	29	40	57	30	37
Wayne	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Weber	1,019	84	79	87	77	89	81	85	113	46	90	68	120

Table R15. Dissolutions of marriage occurring in Utah by state in which marriage was performed and type of decree: Utah, 1998

State	Decree					State	Decree				
	Total	Divorce	Annul- ment	Other	Not stated		Total	Divorce	Annul- ment	Other	Not stated
Total	8,849	8,599	248	1	1	New Jersey	2	2	0	0	0
						New Mexico	7	7	0	0	0
Alaska	4	4	0	0	0	New York	8	8	0	0	0
Arizona	33	33	0	0	0	North Carolina	9	9	0	0	0
California	73	72	1	0	0	North Dakota	1	1	0	0	0
Colorado	27	27	0	0	0	Ohio	6	6	0	0	0
Connecticut	3	2	1	0	0	Oklahoma	2	2	0	0	0
Florida	9	8	1	0	0	Oregon	16	15	0	1	0
Georgia	1	1	0	0	0	Pennsylvania	3	3	0	0	0
Hawaii	3	3	0	0	0	South Carolina	2	2	0	0	0
Idaho	24	24	0	0	0	Tennessee	4	4	0	0	0
Illinois	10	10	0	0	0	Texas	22	22	0	0	0
Indiana	3	2	1	0	0	Utah	8,323	8,088	234	0	1
Iowa	2	2	0	0	0	Virginia	7	6	1	0	0
Kansas	1	1	0	0	0	Washington	19	18	1	0	0
Kentucky	7	6	1	0	0	West Virginia	1	1	0	0	0
Louisiana	1	1	0	0	0	Wisconsin	1	1	0	0	0
Maryland	4	4	0	0	0	Wyoming	13	13	0	0	0
Massachusetts	4	3	1	0	0						
Michigan	2	2	0	0	0	Puerto Rico	1	1	0	0	0
Minnesota	6	6	0	0	0						
Mississippi	1	1	0	0	0	Canada	2	2	0	0	0
Missouri	4	4	0	0	0						
Montana	5	5	0	0	0	Mexico	4	4	0	0	0
Nebraska	2	2	0	0	0						
Nevada	28	27	1	0	0	Western Countries	1	1	0	0	0
New Hampshire	1	1	0	0	0						
						Rest of World	18	17	1	0	0
						Not stated	119	115	4	0	0

Table R16. Dissolutions of marriage by duration of marriage in years and type of decree: Utah, 1998

Duration of marriage in years	Type of decree				
	Total	Divorces	Annulments	Other	Not stated
Total	8,849	8,599	248	1	1
Under 1	787	640	147	0	0
1	866	800	66	0	0
2	889	875	13	1	0
3	764	757	7	0	0
4	628	625	3	0	0
5	577	572	5	0	0
6	465	465	0	0	0
7	410	410	0	0	0
8	383	380	3	0	0
9	290	290	0	0	0
10	264	263	1	0	0
11	257	257	0	0	0
12	235	235	0	0	0
13	196	196	0	0	0
14	148	148	0	0	0
15	157	157	0	0	0
16	157	157	0	0	0
17	125	125	0	0	0
18	136	136	0	0	0
19	125	125	0	0	0
20-24	454	453	1	0	0
25-29	216	216	0	0	0
30-34	109	109	0	0	0
35-39	53	53	0	0	0
40 and over	158	155	2	0	1

Table R17a. Dissolutions of marriage by age of husband and wife: Utah, 1998

Age of husband	Age of wife												
	Total	Under 15	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
Total	8,851	1	2	1	13	47	129	202	271	316	323	322	335
17	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	9	0	0	1	0	3	4	1	0	0	0	0	0
19	38	0	0	0	3	11	11	5	2	4	1	0	0
20	83	0	0	0	1	9	23	27	8	3	4	2	0
21	131	0	0	0	3	3	28	33	30	19	9	1	1
22	197	0	0	0	0	4	20	42	40	45	21	9	5
23	230	0	0	0	1	5	15	32	43	34	46	14	14
24	301	0	1	0	3	3	11	18	42	62	51	46	23
25	294	0	0	0	0	3	5	8	28	42	50	52	37
26	289	0	0	0	1	1	2	9	17	25	39	54	46
27	327	0	0	0	0	1	1	8	16	29	27	51	50
28	289	0	1	0	0	1	1	2	9	9	23	26	40
29	293	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	7	10	13	17	30
30	279	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	4	4	7	12	23
31	299	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	8	3	6	9	14
32	268	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	5	2	6	14
33	291	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	4	6	10
34	248	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	3	3	1	5
35	295	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	3	4	6
36	300	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	2	3
37	272	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	2
38	272	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	2	1	2
39	275	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	3	1
40	233	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0
41	229	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
42	234	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
43	221	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
44	208	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
45-49	812	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0
50-54	501	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
55-59	281	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
60-64	157	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
65 and over	165	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Not stated	529	0	0	0	1	0	3	3	7	7	6	4	4

Table R17b. Dissolutions of marriage by age of husband and wife: Utah, 1998

Age of husband	Age of wife												
	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38
Total	331	323	283	274	280	291	253	252	269	295	263	277	251
17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
20	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
21	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
22	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
23	3	5	1	2	2	0	1	2	1	0	1	1	0
24	15	4	4	1	3	0	4	2	0	0	0	0	0
25	26	14	9	2	2	5	2	2	0	1	0	0	1
26	31	22	15	8	5	3	4	0	1	1	0	0	3
27	48	32	21	10	8	4	4	3	2	2	0	1	1
28	47	42	29	12	11	9	4	3	1	2	1	2	0
29	35	45	27	24	19	16	5	5	3	5	3	1	1
30	27	35	42	38	18	11	12	6	4	8	2	5	1
31	19	20	35	37	44	24	19	9	11	5	4	3	3
32	15	17	24	28	31	23	21	13	15	9	4	6	5
33	7	17	16	26	30	32	33	21	16	18	14	3	5
34	11	11	13	17	27	30	17	25	24	14	8	5	4
35	10	9	5	15	18	25	29	27	29	23	23	12	9
36	3	7	8	9	15	21	22	32	31	34	32	20	11
37	4	5	6	8	12	14	13	14	23	35	32	20	16
38	3	5	6	7	6	13	14	15	26	23	21	34	21
39	4	4	3	4	6	14	6	8	14	24	25	30	30
40	1	6	3	2	2	11	2	9	14	17	20	29	23
41	2	1	4	1	5	5	6	7	6	15	12	19	22
42	1	4	0	9	1	4	1	10	8	7	9	17	14
43	4	1	1	1	1	3	5	8	9	6	8	8	13
44	0	1	0	0	1	6	3	5	3	8	7	7	18
45-49	2	1	2	5	4	11	12	15	17	15	17	30	29
50-54	2	0	0	0	1	0	8	0	8	5	4	7	8
55-59	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	3	0	1	3	5	1
60-64	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	1	3	1	0	3
65 and over	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	0
Not stated	8	12	9	6	5	6	3	5	2	12	11	11	8

Table R17c. Dissolutions of marriage by age of husband and wife: Utah, 1998

Age of husband	Age of wife											Not stated
	39	40	41	42	43	44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65 and over	
Total	244	241	212	185	186	161	679	368	177	87	87	620
17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
23	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
25	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4
26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
27	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	7
28	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
29	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	18
30	3	0	1	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	8
31	2	1	1	1	1	3	3	0	0	0	0	10
32	1	0	4	2	1	2	3	1	1	0	0	10
33	7	1	1	1	1	0	3	1	0	0	0	13
34	3	7	1	1	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	8
35	8	6	6	2	2	0	5	1	0	0	0	15
36	11	7	4	0	3	4	6	3	1	1	1	6
37	13	8	4	3	4	3	13	6	1	0	0	10
38	11	16	12	3	7	2	5	3	0	0	0	11
39	23	21	7	7	3	6	15	4	0	1	0	8
40	16	19	15	8	11	5	10	0	0	1	0	6
41	32	20	16	18	14	1	11	3	1	0	0	6
42	21	27	24	18	15	4	25	3	0	0	0	10
43	20	21	19	19	15	15	20	5	2	1	0	14
44	13	22	15	20	18	16	28	8	1	0	0	7
45-49	30	33	47	52	60	66	273	53	11	2	1	21
50-54	13	15	22	17	16	19	166	125	30	5	1	26
55-59	5	5	5	5	4	7	52	93	59	13	3	11
60-64	0	3	1	1	1	0	18	34	43	26	7	10
65 and over	2	1	0	2	1	2	5	15	22	35	71	5
Not stated	7	6	5	1	6	2	15	9	4	2	3	336

Table R18. Divorces and annulments by number of dependent children under 18 years of age and type of decree: Utah, 1998

Number of children	Type of decree				
	Total	Divorces	Annulments	Other	Not stated
Total	8,849	8,599	248	1	1
None	3,643	3,452	189	1	1
One	1,865	1,856	9	0	0
Two	1,672	1,655	17	0	0
Three	741	736	5	0	0
Four	312	309	3	0	0
Five	94	93	1	0	0
Six	46	46	0	0	0
Seven	14	14	0	0	0
Eight and over	11	11	0	0	0
Not stated	446	422	24	0	0
Unknown	5	5	0	0	0

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TECHNICAL APPENDIX

In 1957, the National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS), United States Department of Health and Human Services defined registration areas for the collection of marriage and divorce statistics. These areas were referred to as the Marriage Registration Area (MRA) and the Divorce Registration Area (DRA). Membership was voluntary for all states and the main requirement was central maintenance of marriage and divorce records. The MRA and DRA provided uniformity of data collection to provide detailed data for marriage and divorce studies at the national level.

The State of Utah participated in both the MRA and DRA programs. In 1996 NCHS stopped the collection of detailed data from marriage and divorce records, but continues to collect counts of marriages performed and divorces granted from all vital registration areas of the United States. The Office of Vital Records and Statistics, Utah Department of Health, continues to collect the detailed data and to publish Utah's Vital Statistics: Marriages and Divorces series. The following information will help users understand how marriage and divorce data are collected in the State of Utah.

Title 26, Chapter 2, Section 24 of the Utah Code Annotated, 1953 requires marriages occurring in the state to be registered with the state registrar. Divorce or annulment reporting is required under Title 26, Chapter 2, Section 25 of the Utah Code Annotated, 1953. The divorce statute specifies that the decree of divorce become absolute (final) at the expiration of three months from the date the decree is entered, unless an appeal of the court, for good cause, orders a different date, but not more than six months thereafter. In most instances, the divorce certificate is completed at the time the decree is entered and the date the decree becomes final is 90 days later. The record is then transmitted to this office. For some decrees, during the intervening 90 days, an appeal is filed and the final date is delayed or the decree may be set aside and never becomes final. Occasionally this office is notified of these changes. However, it is difficult, particularly at the end of the year, to reflect all of these changes so that there are complete statistical tabulations.

Data for the Reference Tables of this report are tabulated directly from the records. The form used for reporting marriages was revised in 1996 and is shown in Figure A. The Certificate of Divorce, Annulment or Dissolution of Marriage, Figure B was revised in 1995 and is being used in Utah's counties for submitting final divorce and annulment records to the Office of Vital Records and Statistics.

Figure A

Figure B

