

Births and Deaths Report Q4 2000

**Ratio of Births to Deaths
Q4 2000**

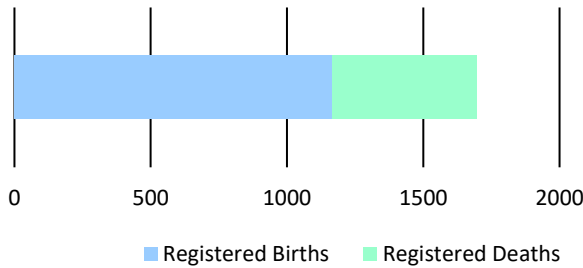


Figure 1

Births for the fourth quarter of 2000 were recorded as **1,166**. The number of births with regards to males were higher than that of the females.

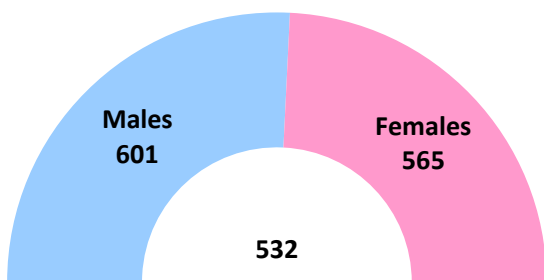
The number of registered deaths were **532** for the period under review.

Table 1: Monthly Population Change

Month	Births	Deaths	Natural Increase
October	401	162	239
November	374	189	185
December	391	181	210
TOTAL	1,166	532	634

Table 2: Quarterly Population Change

	Male	Female	Total
Estimated Population at Q3 2000	129,271	139,550	268,821
Births	601	565	1166
Deaths	249	283	532
Estimated Population at Q4 2000	129,554	139,754	269,308



Registered Births by Sex

Figure 2

For the fourth quarter in 2000, there were **565** female registered births and **601** males.

Registered Deaths by Sex

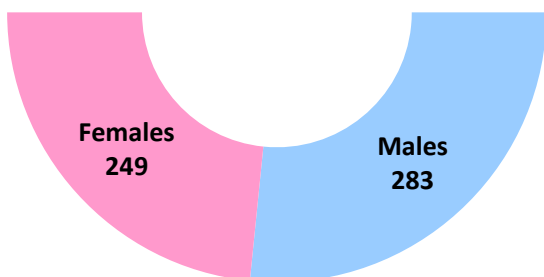


Figure 3

Registered deaths in the period under review for 2000 were reported as follows: males **283** and females – **249**.

Table: 3 Births by Age of Mother and Father

	Q4 2000	
Age Group	Number of Mothers	Number of Fathers
19 and Under	168	28
20 - 29	588	483
30 - 39	373	486
40 - 49	36	143
50 - 59	1	19
60 - 69	0	2
Not Stated	0	5
TOTAL	1,166	1,166

The average age of a mother giving birth was **26.2** years, with **50.4 percent (588)** of the births coming from mothers in the 20-29 age group.

The number of births from mothers in the 19 and under age group was recorded as **168**.

For the period October to December 2000, the youngest mothers (**three – 3**) were **14** years, followed by **nine 15-year-olds**, while the oldest mother registered was **50** years.

There was **one 15-year-old** registered as the youngest fathers, followed by **one 16-year-old**, while the oldest was **67** years.

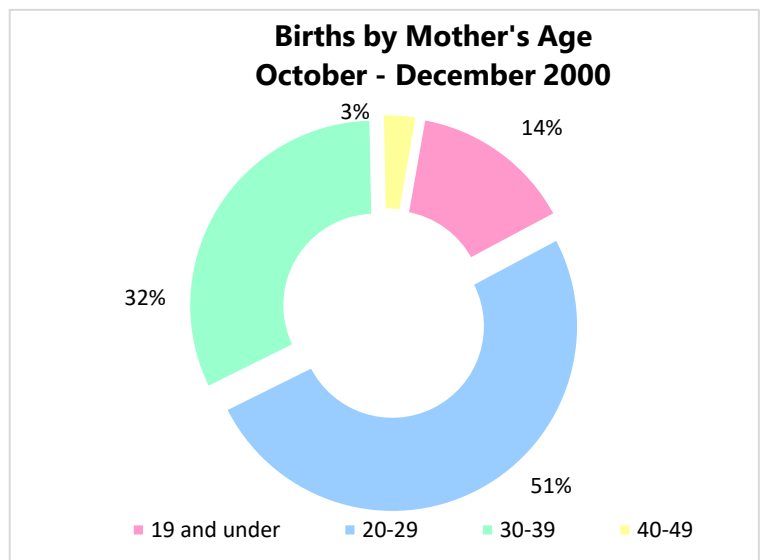


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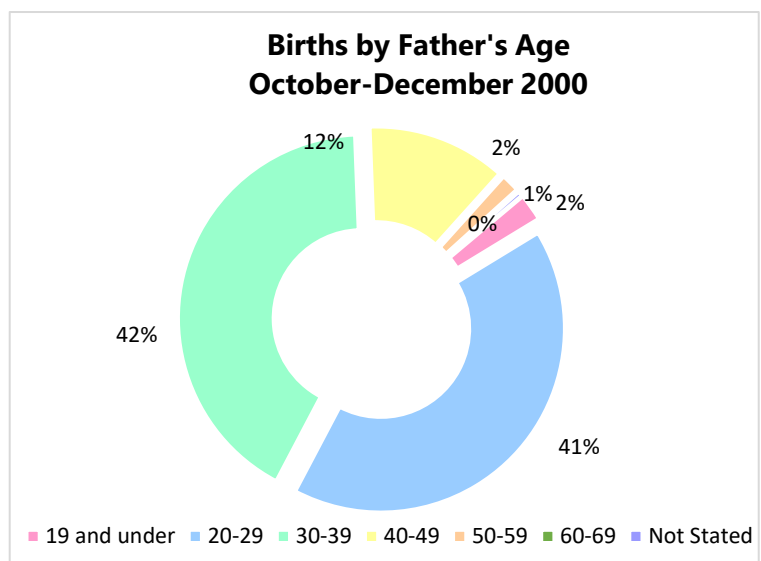
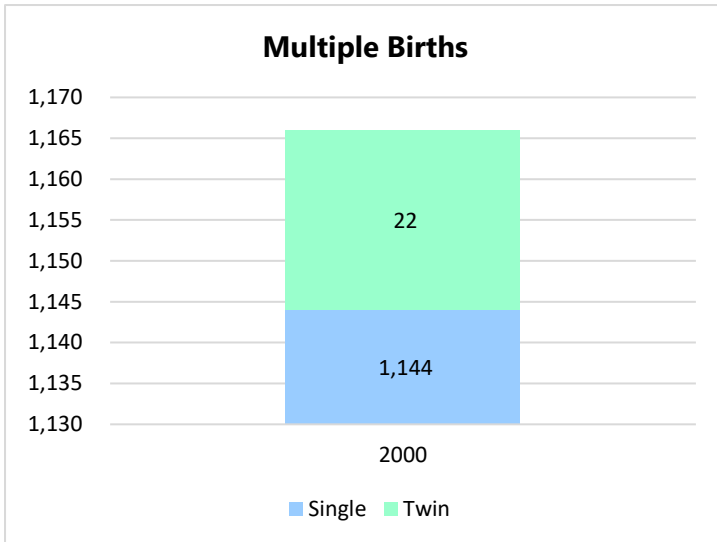


Figure 5



1,144 single births were recorded in the period under review.

The number of twins were registered as **22 (11 sets)**.

No triplets were born in the period under review in 2000.

Figure 6

The number of babies from St. Michael were **460 (39.5 percent)**.

The number of babies for the quarter under review born in **St. John and St. Lucy** both were **32** and **44** respectively.

St. Philip babies represented **9.7 percent** of total births for this quarter.

The least number of babies were recorded from **St. Andrew – 21**.

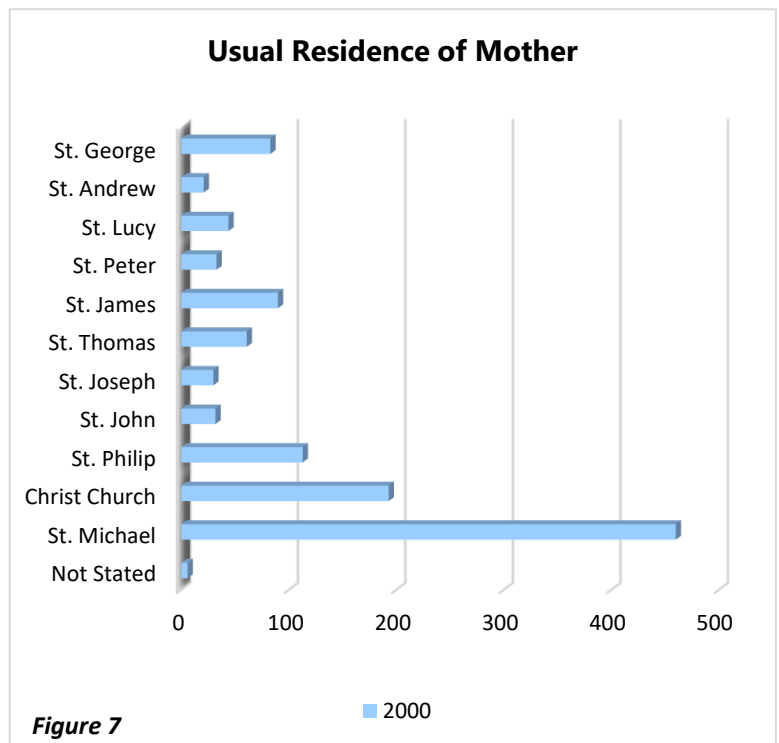


Figure 7

Table: 4 Live Births vs Still-Born

	Q4 2000
Live Births	1,162
Still-Born	4
TOTAL	1,166

There were **4** still-born births recorded in the fourth quarter of 2000.

The average age of death during the period was **69.3** years.

The highest number of registered deaths was seen in the **80-89** age group which represented **28.8 percent**, followed by **70-79** age group (**22 percent**).

For the fourth quarter of 2000, more females died – **283**, when compared to **249**.

In terms of marital status in the last quarter of 2000, married represented **28 percent** followed by single (**26.5 percent**) and widowed (**25.9 percent**).

St. Michael, had the largest number of registered deaths – **215**. However, the least number of deaths recorded in 2000 was in St. Andrew – **10**.

Table: 5 Deaths by Age Group

Age Group	2000
9 and Under	19
10-19	4
20-29	16
30-39	25
40-49	18
50-59	45
60-69	63
70-79	117
80-89	153
90-99	50
100-109	8
Not Stated	14
TOTAL	532

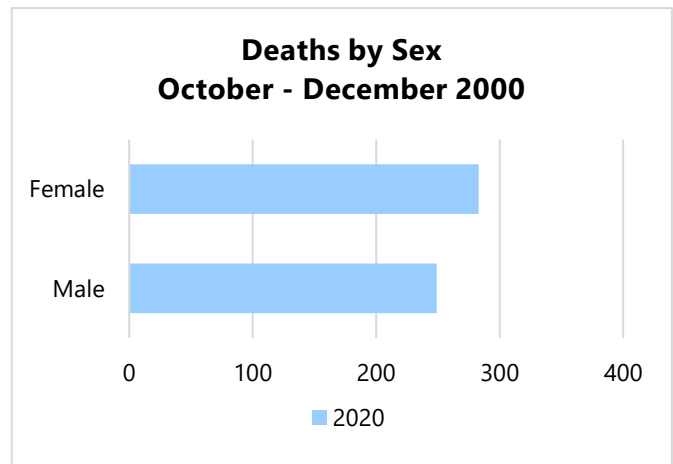


Figure 8

Table: 6 Deaths by Residence

Parish	2000
St. Michael	215
Christ Church	98
St. Philip	41
St. John	19
St. Joseph	15
St. Thomas	30
St. James	38
St. Peter	20
St. Lucy	18
St. Andrew	10
St. George	24
Not Stated	4
TOTAL	532

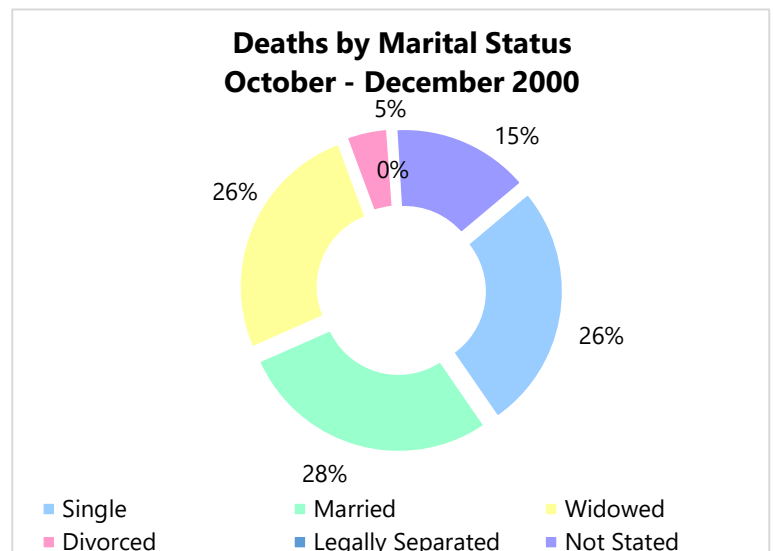


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