

Births and Deaths Report Q3 2005

**Ratio of Births to Deaths
Q3 2005**

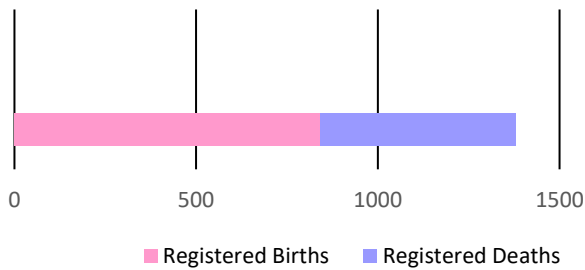


Figure 1

There were **842** births recorded for the third quarter in 2005. The number of births with regards to females were slightly lower than that of males. A significant increase of **9.6 percent** is seen in total births.

The number of registered deaths were **538** for the period under review. This showed a slight decrease of **10.6 percent** in contrast with the same period of the prior year.

Table 1: Monthly Population Change

Month	Births	Deaths	Natural Increase
July	225	152	73
August	295	211	84
September	322	175	147
TOTAL	842	538	304

Table 2: Quarterly Population Change

	Male	Female	Total
Estimated Population at Q2 2005	131,705	141,289	272,9947
Births	435	407	842
Deaths	277	261	538
Estimated Population at Q3 2005	131,794	141,357	273,151

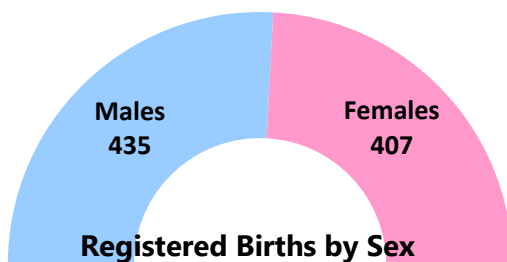


Figure 2

For the third quarter in 2005, there were **407** female registered births and **435** males. For the similar period in 2004, there were **373** males and **395** females.

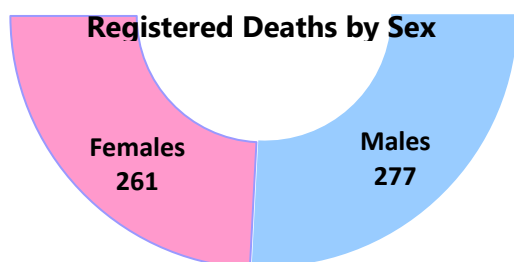


Figure 3

Registered deaths in the period under review for 2005 were reported as follows: males – **277** and females – **261**. In 2004 there were **298** males and **304** females recorded which shows a decrease in both sexes – males dropped to (**7.0 percent**) and in females (**14.1 percent**).

Table: 3 Births by Age of Mother and Father

	Q3 2005		Q3 2004	
Age Group	Age of Mother	Age of Father	Age of Mother	Age of Father
19 and Under	86	16	91	16
20 - 29	433	328	347	252
30 - 39	294	363	218	260
40 - 49	29	105	27	102
50 - 59	0	17	1	11
60 - 69	0	3	0	3
70-79	0	1	0	0
Not Stated	0	9	84	124
TOTAL	842	842	768	768

The average age of a mother giving birth was **27.1** years, with **51.4 percent (433)** of the births coming from mothers in the 20-29 age group.

The number of births from mothers in the 40-49 age group was recorded as **29**, which was 2 lower than that in quarter 3 of 2004.

For the period July to September 2005, the youngest mother was **one 14 years old**, followed by **fourteen 16-year-olds and seventeen 17-year-olds**. Whilst the oldest mother registered was a **45-year-old**.

There were **two 16-year-olds** registered as the youngest fathers, followed by **one 17-year-olds and two 18-year-olds**. Records showed that the oldest father was a **77-year-old** in the third quarter of 2005.

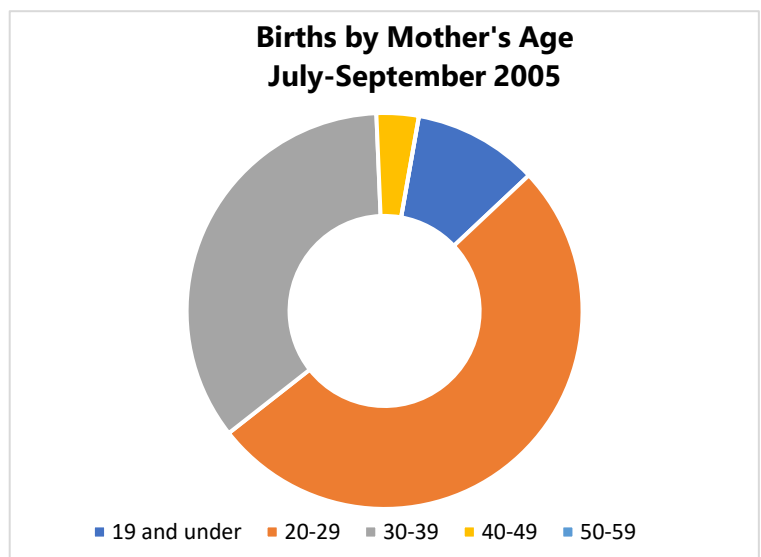
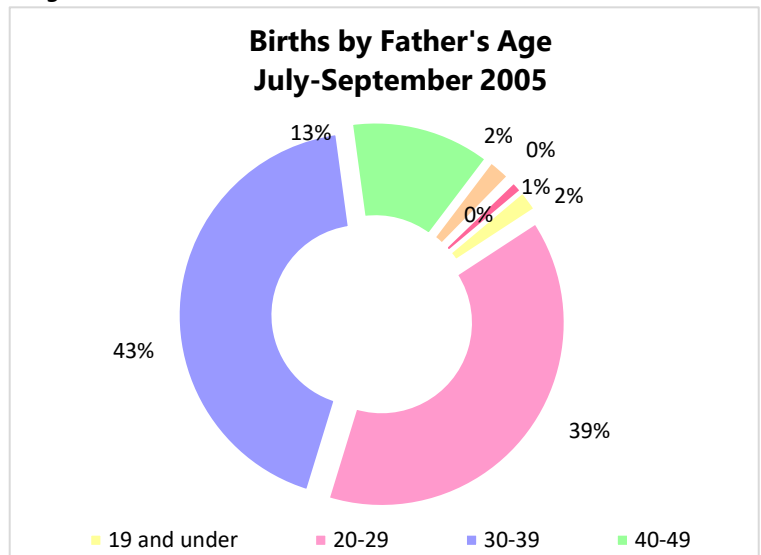


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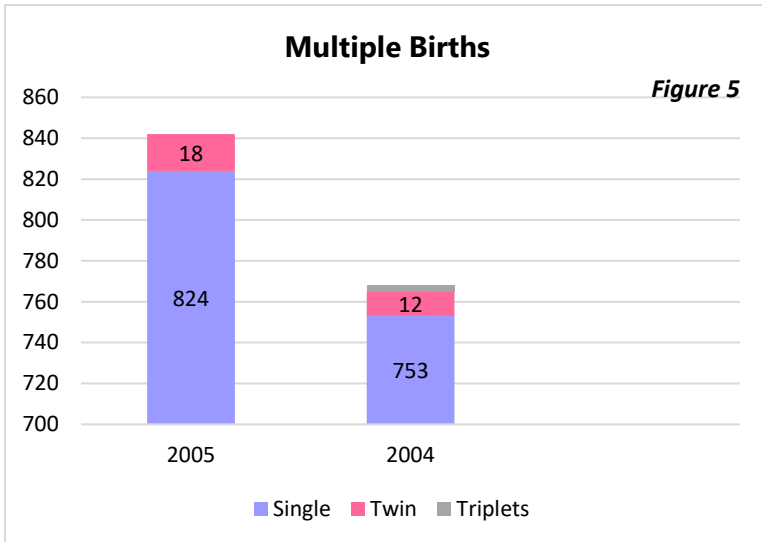


Figure 5

There were **842** single babies registered in the review period. This shows a decrease of **17 percent** compared to quarter 3 in 2004.

The multiple births (set of twins) registered were **18**. A slight increase from **12** during the third quarter of the comparative year 2004.

There were **0** sets of triplets registered in this period, yet 3 sets were noted in 2004.

Figure 6

The number of babies from **St. Michael** recorded were **303** births. This parish recorded the highest number of births with an increase of **8.2 percent** in the third quarter of 2005.

The number of babies that followed came from the parish of **Christ Church** which was recorded at **149** births. Also, observed an increase of **12.0 percent**.

The least number of babies were from **St. Joseph** which recorded **13** births.

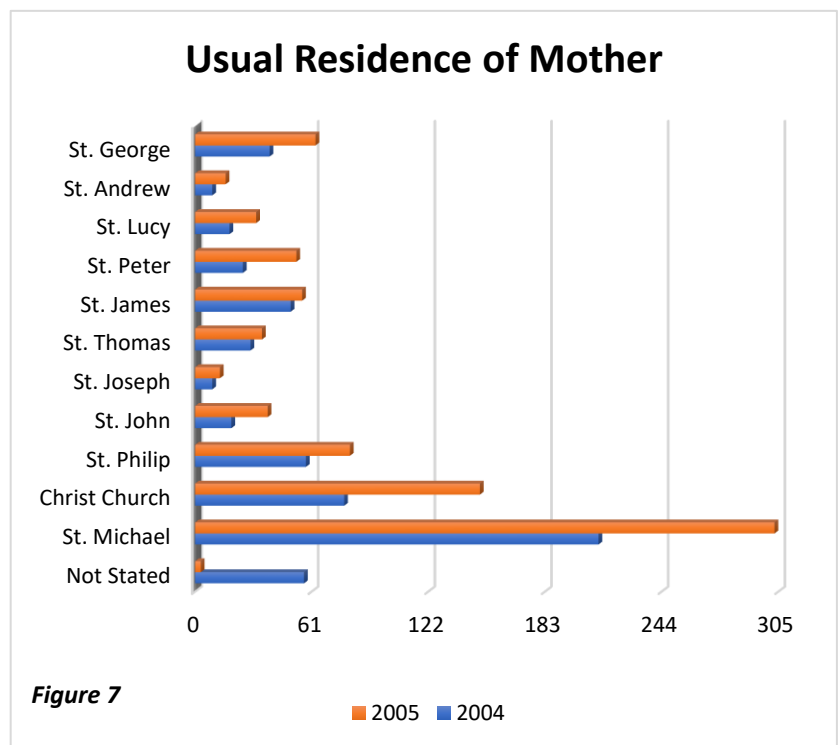


Figure 7

2005 2004

Table: 4 Live Births vs Still-Born

	Q3 2005	Q3 2004
Live Births	842	765
Still-Born	0	3
Total	842	768

There were **0** still births recorded in the third quarter of 2005. There were 3 still births recorded for same period in 2004.

The average age of death during the period was **73.7** years.

The highest age group in registered deaths was seen in the **80-89 (10.6 percent - increase)**, followed by **70-79 (6.6 percent - decrease)**.

In July to September 2005, the larger number of deaths was attributed to males with a record of **277** when compared to **261** females.

With regards to marital status in 2005, the single persons accounted for **34.5 percent** of all deaths, followed by married which stood at **25.6 percent**.

For Q3 of 2005, **St. Michael** had the largest number of registered deaths of **180 (decline of 14.7 percent)**. However, the parish of **St. Joseph** had the least number of registered deaths of **4 (decline of 55.6 percent)** in the same reviewed period.

Table: 5 Deaths by Age Group

Age Group	2005	2004
9 and Under	8	15
10-19	5	7
20-29	4	20
30-39	16	13
40-49	22	37
50-59	33	55
60-69	72	66
70-79	128	137
80-89	156	141
90-99	82	74
100-109	4	8
N/S	8	29
TOTAL	538	602

Table: 6 Deaths by Residence

Parish	2005	2004
St. Michael	180	211
Christ Church	53	78
St. Philip	26	58
St. John	13	19
St. Joseph	4	9
St. Thomas	16	29
St. James	22	50
St. Peter	7	25
St. Lucy	16	18
St. Andrew	6	9
St. George	21	39
Not Stated	174	57
TOTAL	538	602

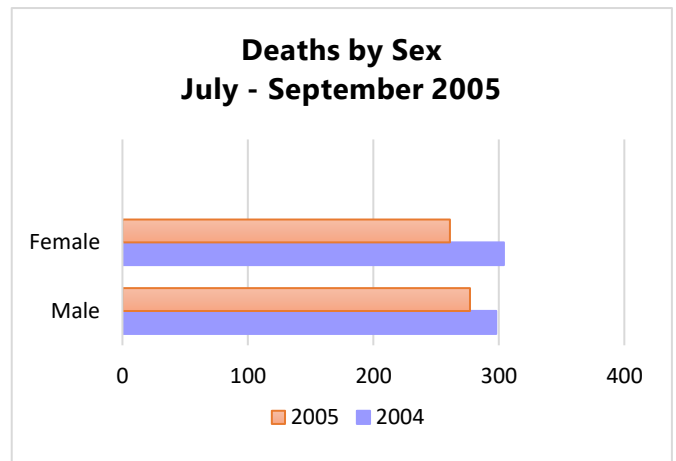


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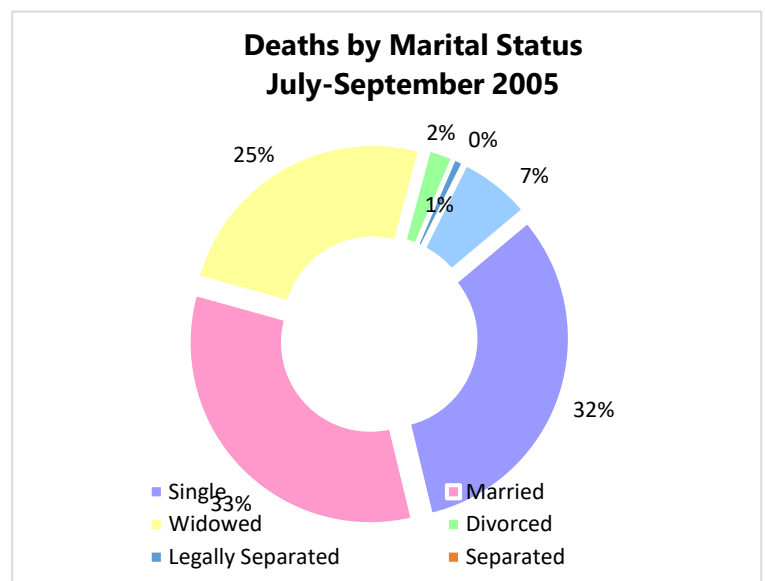


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