

TABLE B.10	LIVE BIRTHS OCCURRED BY AGE OF MOTHER AND LIVE BIRTH ORDER, 2016 & 2017	ISLAND OF MAURITIUS
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AGE GROUP	2016							2017								
	LIVE BIRTH ORDER							LIVE BIRTH ORDER								
	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	4th.	5th.	6+	TOTAL	%	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	4th.	5th.	6+	TOTAL	%
15-19	843	183	11	1	1	-	1,039	8.5	855	187	12	5	-	-	1,059	8.4
20-24	1,563	900	224	34	4	-	2,725	22.3	1,522	813	249	42	8	-	2,634	21.0
25-29	1,827	1,385	435	129	25	8	3,809	31.2	1,922	1,373	468	145	39	11	3,958	31.5
30-34	1,000	1,217	500	125	35	31	2,908	23.8	1,019	1,290	470	130	44	28	2,981	23.7
35-39	404	517	343	108	40	21	1,433	11.7	402	608	413	103	47	26	1,599	12.7
40-44	57	93	59	32	18	10	269	2.2	74	90	75	36	19	19	313	2.5
45-49	9	2	-	2	-	1	14	0.1	13	4	6	-	3	2	28	0.2
ALL AGES	5,703	4,297	1,572	431	123	71	12,197	100.0	5,807	4,365	1,693	461	160	86	12,572	100.0

SOURCE : STATISTICS MAURITIUS

Notes: 1. Age group 15 - 19 includes 24 live births occurred to mothers aged less than 15 years in 2016 and 30 in 2017.

2. Overall, an average of 25 and 27 livebirths occurred to mothers less than 15 years during the period 2008-2012 and 2013-2017 respectively.

3. Live births occurring to mothers less than 15 years have been included in the age group (15-19) whilst those occurring to mothers aged 50 years and above in the age group (45 - 49). Births for age "Not stated" and birth order "Not stated" have been prorated.