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PREFACE

This is the fifth annual Population Report which provides a quick reference on estimates of some demographic indicators and Vital Statistics performance in Botswana.

Selected Demographic Indicators cover fertility, mortality, population distribution by districts, special age groups and population density. Vital Statistics performance includes births, deaths and marriages data registered from January 1996 to December 1996 by the Department of Civil Registration.

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BACKGROUND

Demographic Indicators

This part of the report presents population statistics provided by the 1981 and 1991 census as well as the 1996 projections. Censuses and surveys are the main sources of data in Botswana. The statistics include a summary of fertility, mortality, population distribution or density by district/village and special age groups. The information is essential for assessment of the country's social and economic status. It is also useful in the development of programmes aimed at improving the formulation and implementation of the various policies for planning purposes. More information on the census is available in most CSO census publications like the Administrative/Technical Report and the Guide to villages of Botswana.

Civil Registration

The Botswana Civil Registration Act dates back to the beginning of the 19th Century, when it was for Non-Africans , but was amended in 1968 to cover all races. The amendment, made registration of all events compulsory in eleven areas but optional in other parts of the country. The compulsory registration areas comprised four urban districts (Gaborone, Francistown, Lobatse and Selibe-Phikwe) and seven large villages (Molepolole, Kanye, Serowe, Mochudi, Mahalapye, Maun and Kasane). These areas contributed 34 percent to the total population of Botswana in 1991.

The Department of Civil Registration is responsible for registering and keeping records of all births, deaths and marriages occurring in Botswana, and for issuing the corresponding certificates for all registered events. The Department serves as the sole source of registered vital statistics on a yearly basis.

Vital statistics are extracted from the vital events registration forms by the Demography Unit of the Central Statistics Office (CSO).The process of computerisation is expected to take off by the end of 1999. Analysis of this information by the CSO started in 1986.

It is the Botswana Government endeavour to improve the National Civil Registration system, which is hoped to complement the census information. Births, Marriages and Deaths statistics from the Department of Civil Registration are analysed.

The major setback is the failure of most people to register vital events as they occur. This resulted in low registration of vital events as it appears throughout the tables. Furthermore, some administrative procedures pose problem towards data extraction because the same form is the basis for issuing various vital registration certificates. Therefore, these statistics would not be reliable to estimate vital rates. It is however, hoped that with the computerisation of the registration system, the above drawbacks will be reduced.

As a result of low registrations of births and deaths experienced, the Department of Civil Registration tried to improve the registration in the 1980s by posting some of its own registration staff to the compulsory registration areas. They were expected to visit all health institutions daily to register all births and deaths occurring at the institutions. In the optional registration areas, the District Commissioner's Office continued to be responsible for the registration of births and deaths and the dispatch of registration forms to the central office.

In another attempt to improve civil registration system, the Department of Civil Registration embarked on a pilot project where events are registered immediately after they occur, and the certificates issued at district of occurrence. This project which started in 1992, covered Francistown, Serowe, Kanye and Gumare. Births and deaths are the only events covered by the project, because of poor registration. The data from this project is provided to the CSO in computer diskettes for direct use on the computer.

SUMMARY ANALYSIS

SELECTED DEMOGRAPHIC INDICATORS

Population and Vital Statistics

Table 1.1 shows that the number of Botswana citizens abroad increased from 42,069 in 1981 to 42,256 in 1996. Non-citizens in Botswana increased from 15,667 in 1981 to 33,309 in 1996. The number of households in Botswana almost doubled from 170,833 in 1981 to 338,103 in 1996 but their corresponding average household sizes reduced from 5.5 persons per household in 1981 to 4.5 in 1996

There was an improvement in all mortality indicators; Crude Death Rate (CDR), Infant Mortality Rate (IMR), and Childhood Mortality Rate (CMR), during the period 1981 to 1996. Crude Death Rate dropped from 13.0 to 10.9 deaths per 1,000 population during that period. Furthermore, Infant Mortality Rate declined from 71.0 deaths per 1,000 births in 1981 to 42.0 in 1996. On the other hand, Life Expectancy at Birth increased from 56.2 years in 1981 to 66.7 years in 1996.

Total Fertility Rate (TFR) declined from 6.6 in 1981 to 4.0 live births per woman in 1996 while population annual growth rate dropped from 3.4 to 2.2 percent over the same period. This may be attributed to the high rates of urbanisation and partly to the increase in labour force participation rates among women, migration, increased family planing use and socio-economic reasons.

Density

The cities and towns of Botswana are the most densely populated areas in Botswana as shown on Table 1.2. The North West, Ghanzi and Kgalagadi districts which are on the western side of the country have an average population density of one person per square kilometre. Central district had a density of three people per square kilometre.

Age Groups

Based on Table 1.3 Central District had the highest number of estimated population of all age groups in Bostwana, with a total population of 449,262 people in 1996. This may be due to the size of this district. Gaborone and Southern followed with 174,583 and 160,338 respectively.

Population by village/town

Gaborone, the capital city, had the highest number of people over the period 1981 to 1996, and Francistown City being second. In 1991 Molepolole had the highest number of people amongst all the villages.

BIRTHS

Birth registration consists of completing either a '*Notice of Live Birth*' form if the registration is done immediately (within a year), or '*Notice of Live Birth*' together with 'Late Registration of Birth' form, if the registration is done a year after birth.

When the forms arrive at the Department of Civil Registration, the names and other particulars of both the mother and the child are entered into a general register and the forms are filed and stored according to the district and year of registration. Birth Certificates are subsequently issued. There is a nominal payment of 50 thebe (P0.50) for a Birth Certificate.

The following analysis covers the occurrences and registration of births in 1996.

Occurrences

District of occurrence

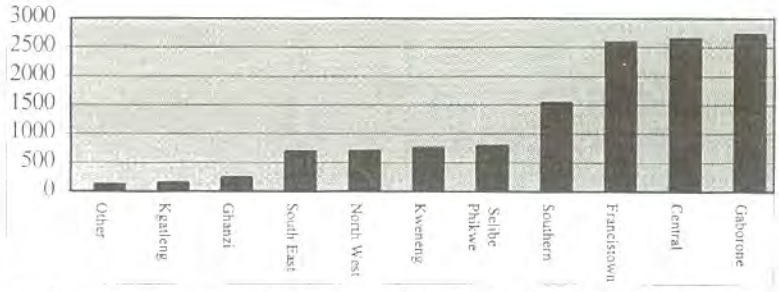
The highest number of registered births occurring in 1996 were in Gaborone as presented on Table 2.1, recording 21 percent of the total registered births. Almost all of these births were registered through the pilot project. Central District followed with 20 percent, with the project still contributing the largest number. Lobatse Orapa and Kgalagadi showed nothing at all. This could be due to the fact that at the time of data extraction nothing was yet filed or possibly received on the said districts. Chart 1 illustrates birth occurrences by district.

Month of occurrence

Birth occurrences as shown on Table2.2 occurred mostly in the third quarter of 1996. The fourth quarter registered the least number of births.

Chart 1

Births occurring by district of occurrence



Age of mother and marital status.

Most births, about 82 percent, occurred to single mothers as indicated on Table 2.3. This occurrence of more births to single mothers supports findings of the 1991 Census, where over 50 percent of the births that occurred were to single mothers.

Table 2.3 shows that most of the recorded births (95%) occurred to females in the age group 15 to 39 years . The proportion of births increased with age until age group 20-24, thereafter decreased with an increase in the age of mother. The highest number of births registered occurred to mothers in the age group 20-24 years, with a record of 31 percent.

Registrations

District of registration

Table 2.4 shows that the highest number of births were registered in Central District followed by Gaborone, recording 22 and 18 percent respectively. It has been observed that more male births were registered than females.

Month of registration

It is indicated on Table 2.5 that monthly registration do not show any noticeable change for all the months throughout the year. The lowest number (1128) of births were registered in November and the highest (2259) were registered in May.

Age and marital status of mother

The majority of the registered births , as shown on Tables 2.6, were born to mothers aged 15-34 years. The highest number recorded was to the mothers aged 20-24 years. This shows a consistent relationship between births occurrence by age of mother and registration by age of mother.

Further more, 71 percent of the registered births were born to single mothers, while the other 29 percent were born to married ones.

Observation

A common observation on the non-project figures in 1996 was that there were more births registered in the year than occurring. The most probable explanation is the legislation, which allows for compulsory and voluntary

registration areas. This may also be due to lack of knowledge by the society at large on the importance of registration of births. As such most people do not register births immediately when they occur. People register later when they are forced to produce Births Certificates at places like schools in order to enrol their children and at the insurance companies for claims.

DEATHS

Deaths registration is done by completing the "*Notice of death by a medical professional*" called "*Form B5*", for deaths occurring in institutions and "Form B4" for those occurring outside institutions.

The following analysis however covers occurrences and registrations of deaths extracted from the death records in the Department of Civil Registration from January 1996 to December 1996. It must be noted that at the time of analysis the pilot project figures were not yet ready. This has an effect on districts covered by the project like Francistown.

Occurrences

District of occurrence and residence

Majority of the deaths occurring in 1996 as shown on Table 2.7 occurred in Central District which contributed 19 percent. North West followed with 18 percent, followed by Kweneng with 18 percent.

Month of occurrence

Table 2.8 shows that death occurrences during the year 1996 mostly occurred during the last quarter, with the highest number recorded in December, probably resulting from accidents which are associated with the holiday seasons. The lowest number in a month was recorded in February and March. There were more male than female deaths, in each month throughout the year.

Age at death

As indicated on Table 2.9, more deaths were reported in the age group of 25-34 years than any age group. Those aged 65 and above followed with more deaths. In all age groups male deaths were more than females.

Exact place of occurrence and form type.

The deaths occurring in the institutions as shown on Table 2.10 accounted for 68 percent of all deaths. Form B5 was the most common form type making 82 percent as indicated on Table 2.11. Also, it is shown that most deaths occurred in institutions.

Cause of death

As shown on Table 2.12, the major cause of deaths, was the circulatory system which caused 15 percent of all deaths. Diseases of the skin and subcutaneous tissues as well as those of the muscular-skeletal system and connective tissues caused the least number of deaths, accounting for four and zero deaths respectively.

Registrations

District of registration

Central District registered 24 percent of all registered deaths. This was the highest proportion, followed by Kweneng with 19 percent as shown on Table 2.13.

Month of registration

Deaths were evenly registered throughout the year (Table 2.14), with a minimum of 253 (3%) deaths registered in July and a maximum of 875 (11%) deaths registered in March.

Age at death

Table 2.15 shows that the highest number of registered deaths, were to the age group 25-34 years registering 1,561 deaths out of 8,126 deaths, followed by the adults aged 65 years and above with 1,383 deaths

Exact place of death and form-type

The number of deaths occurring in health facilities as Table 2.16 indicates, constituted 68 percent of the total number of registered deaths in Botswana. Table 2.17 shows that deaths reported by a medical practitioner (through a form called Doctor-B5) made 89 percent of all reported deaths. Form B5 is completed when registering those deaths occurring in health institutions.

Cause of death

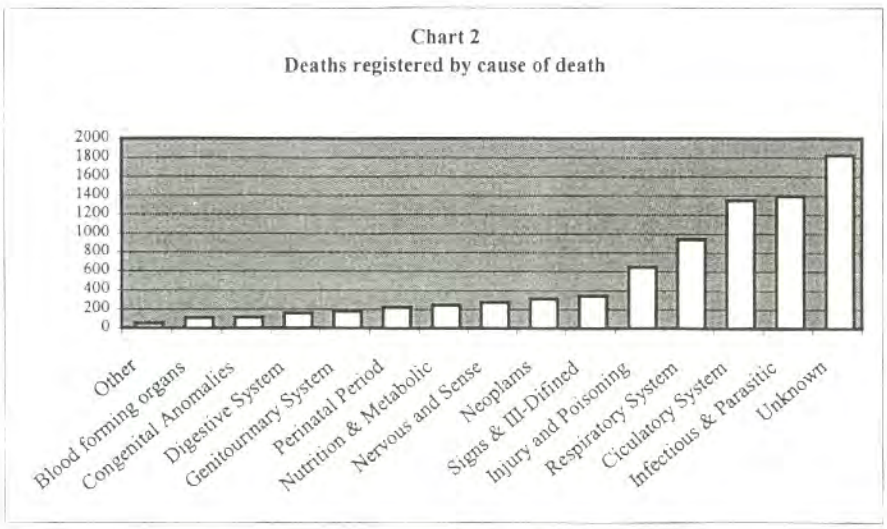
A substantial proportion of the registered deaths are caused by Infectious & Parasitic diseases, diseases of the Circulatory system, Tables 2.18 and Chart 2 support this fact.

Observation

Like in the case of births, there were more deaths being registered than deaths occurring in 1996. For example out of 8,126 deaths registered 1,068 (13%) occurred in the year (1996).

Comparison of the project and non-project data

The available data for the four project districts show that pilot project registration is doing well when compared to the non-project ones. The project proved to be doing well by registering in four areas a number exceeding those registered through the non-project system in all other districts.



MARRIAGES

Registered marriage in Botswana, takes place on the basis of the sanctioning by either the church or the court. In both cases, marriage may be arranged through Banns, that is, the usual practice of proclaiming the names of the candidates for a period of fourteen days before formalising marriage, or by a special licence which expedites the marriage process. Processed marriage registration forms are subsequently dispatched to the Department of Civil Registration for issuance of a marriage certificate.

The system was also intended to provide detailed statistics on marriages in the country, which may, in conjunction with other information, help to explain fertility behaviour in Botswana. The following analysis covers occurrences and registrations of marriages extracted from the records in the Department of Civil Registration for the period January 1996 to December 1996.

District of registration

Most marriages as shown in Table 2.19, are registered in urban areas and those districts with large urban villages. For instance Gaborone, Francistown, Selibe-Phikwe, Southern and Central registered 71 percent of all marriages.

Month of registration

Most of the marriages for the year 1996 as shown on Table 2.19, were registered during the period of August through December. The highest number was registered in December. This may be attributed to the long holiday season. It is also a time when the weather is suitable for out-door activities like marriage ceremonies.

Marriage type

It is evident from Table 2.20 that Court Banns, are the most common type of marriage, making 73 percent of the total marriages..

Age of husband/wife at marriage

Marriages to males as indicated on Table 2.21 and Charts 3 and 4 occur mostly to bachelors aged between 25 to 44 years. This age group made 83 percent of marriages in 1996. On the other hand Table 2.22 and Chart 4 show that marriages to females occur mostly to spinsters, aged between 20-39 years making 87 percent of marriages in 1996.

Chart 3
Marriage by age of Husband

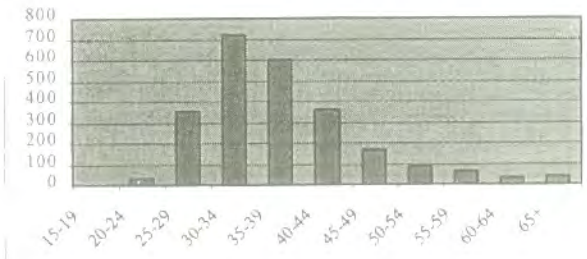
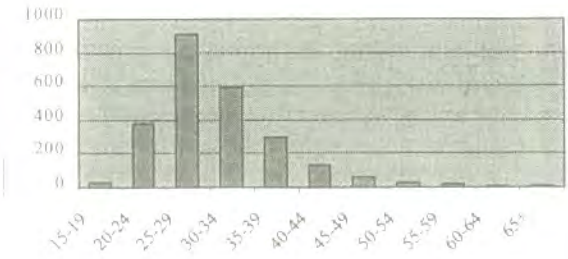


Chart 4
Marriages by age of Wife



Occupation of husband/wife and marriage type

The data on Table 2.23 suggest that male professionals have a greater tendency of marrying than other types of occupations among males, whereas Table 2.24 shows that more female service workers marry than any other occupations among females.

Residence

The highest percent of these husbands (20 %) and wives (19 %) were living in Gaborone at the time of marriage.

TABLE 1.1 POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS FOR THE YEARS 1981 THROUGH 1991

INDICATOR	1981	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
De-facto Population							
Male	443,104	634,400	650,088	666,945	684,751	701,603	720,207
Female	479,923	692,396	708,551	724,300	739,885	757,225	775,786
Total	941,027	1,326,796	1,358,639	1,391,245	1,424,636	1,458,828	1,495,993
Total Land Area (Square km)	581,730	581,730	581,730	581,730	581,730	581,730	581,730
Density	1.6	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.6
Citizens abroad	42,069	37,497	38,377	39,309	40,284	41,258	42,256
Non-citizens in Botswana	15,667	29,557	30,250	30,985	31,754	32,522	33,309
Population below 15 yrs	440,834	567,470	580,782	594,892	609,649	632,634	603,806
Population above 65 yrs	47,933	65,454	66,949	68,159	69,825	71,540	73,304
Urban Population	159,614	606,328	627,664	649,750	672,614	696,282	720,783
Rural Population	781,413	720,468	730,256	741,162	752,800	763,570	775,210
Number of Households	170,833	276,209	287,567	299,056	311,922	324,749	338,103
Average Size of Household	5.5	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.5
Live births	45,026	52,351	52,416	52,437	52,598	52,759	52,921
Crude birth rate (a)	47.8	39.4	38.6	37.7	36.9	33.7	32.4
Total fertility rate (b)	6.6	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.0
Deaths	12,835	15,221	15,344	15,578	15,822	15,926	16,031
Crude death rate (a)	13.0	11.5	11.3	11.2	11.1	11.0	10.9
Infant mortality rate (c)							
Male	80.9	47.9	46.6	45.4	44.2	43.0	41.9
Female	62.2	46.1	44.9	43.7	42.5	41.4	40.3
Total	71.0	48.0	46.7	45.5	44.3	43.1	42.0
Life expectancy at birth (years)							
Male	52.1	63.3	63.6	63.9	64.2	64.5	64.8
Female	59.0	67.1	67.4	67.6	67.9	68.1	68.4
Total	56.2	65.3	65.6	65.9	66.1	66.4	66.7
Annual Rate of Natural Increase	3.4	2.8	2.7	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.2
Annual Rate of Population Growth	4.6	3.5	3.3	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.5

Notes: *(a) - Birth/Death per 1,000 population.*
(b) - Average live births per female.
(c) - Deaths per 1,000 live births.
1981 and 1991 are census figures.
Figures for 1992 onwards are projections based on the 1991 census data.

Table 1.2 POPULATION DENSITY BY DISTRICT, BY YEAR AND AREA (SQ KMs) OF THE DISTRICTS

District		1971	1981	1991	1996	Area (Sq.Km)
Gaborone		111.2	353.0	789.8	1033.0	169
Francistown		266.9	393.2	825.9	1064.2	79
Lobatse		294.9	453.2	620.3	694.6	42
Selebe-Phikwe		105.2	589.4	795.4	891.6	50
Orapa		71.9	307.6	519.2	589.6	17
Jwaneng*			55.7	111.9	142.1	100
Sowa**				14.0	18.8	159
Southern						
Ngwaketse		2.6	3.8	4.9	5.5	26,467
Barolong		10.0	14.1	16.7	9.8	2,003
South-East		11.3	13.7	24.5	29.2	1,780
Kweneng		1.8	3.3	4.7	5.2	35,890
Kgatleng		3.9	5.6	7.3	7.9	7,960
Centrai						
Serowe/Palapye		1.8	2.6	4.1	4.6	31,319
C. Mahalapye		3.4	4.8	5.8	6.2	16,463
C. Bobonong		2.4	3.3	3.8	4.0	14,204
C. Boteti		0.7	0.8	1.1	1.2	33,716
C. Tutume		1.0	1.6	2.2	2.4	46,018
North East		5.0	7.2	8.5	9.2	5,120
North-West						
Ngamiland South.		..	..	..		
Ngamiland North	***	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.9	109,130
Chobe		0.3	0.4	0.7	0.8	20,800
Ghanzi		0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	115,000
Kgalagadi						
Kgalagadi South		0.3	0.5	0.6	0.7	32,800
Kgalagadi North.	***	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	72,400
Total		**1.0**	**1.6**	**2.3**	2.6	**581,730**

* *established in 1981*

** *established in 1991*

*** *include South.*

1971, 1981 and 1991are census years/figures

1996 are projected figures

TABLE 1.3 PROJECTED POPULATION IN 1996 AND SPECIAL AGE GROUPS

DISTRICT	Population in 1996	AGE GROUP 0-4	5-14	15-19	15-49 Male	15-49 Female	15-64 Male	15-64 Female
Gaborone	**174,583**	14,641	23,457	18,696	58,700	52,573	62,104	54,438
Francistown	**84,075**	9,699	13,924	8,720	23,336	23,830	25,239	25,255
Lobatse	**29,172**	3,485	5,726	3,684	9,077	9,517	10,083	10,231
Selibe Phikwe	**44,581**	5,093	8,705	5,347	16,189	14,130	17,231	14,635
Orapa	**10,023**	971	2,291	961	3,692	2,893	3,932	2,952
Jwaneng	**14,212**	1,386	2,268	1,403	4,873	3,960	5,210	4,076
Sowa Town	**2,992**	171	230	177	1,491	655	1,568	666
Southern	**160,338**	**25,725**	**49,493**	**20,044**	**29,367**	**39,212**	**34,596**	**45,765**
Ngwaketse	**140,697**	22,623	43,360	17,465	25,450	34,414	29,992	40,207
Barolong	**19,641**	3,102	6,133	2,579	3,917	4,799	4,604	5,558
South East	**51,911**	**6,371**	**12,132**	**6,276**	**12,044**	**13,815**	**13,557**	**15,716**
Kweneng	**185,953**	**29,300**	**54,419**	**23,123**	**40,382**	**48,335**	**46,075**	**55,181**
Kweneng East	**154,527**	23,711	44,735	19,498	34,378	40,529	39,102	46,223
Kweneng West	**31,426**	5,589	9,684	3,625	6,004	7,806	6,974	8,958
Kgatleng	**62,832**	**9,496**	**17,870**	**8,231**	**13,100**	**15,674**	**15,292**	**18,497**
Central	**449,262**	**73,972**	**133,429**	**54,020**	**85,937**	**108,478**	**100,819**	**127,865**
C. Serowe Palapye	**143,195**	22,229	40,318	16,965	28,023	34,746	32,798	40,758
Central Mahalapye	**101,729**	16,529	31,026	12,404	20,387	24,541	24,046	28,983
Central Bobonong	**57,093**	9,631	17,908	7,495	10,762	13,906	12,652	16,312
Central Boteti	**38,825**	6,559	10,736	4,175	7,985	9,587	9,204	11,062
Central Tutume	**108,420**	19,024	33,442	12,982	18,780	25,698	22,120	30,749
North East	**47,124**	**8,245**	**15,153**	**5,728**	**7,609**	**10,796**	**9,008**	**13,112**
North West	**118,197**	**18,965**	**31,417**	**12,648**	**27,108**	**29,616**	**31,201**	**34,069**
Ngamiland	**61,179**	9,793	16,763	7,004	14,855	15,704	17,015	18,007
Okavango	**40,790**	7,209	11,530	3,691	6,708	9,973	8,150	11,667
Chobe	**16,228**	1,962	3,123	1,953	5,546	3,939	6,037	4,394
Ghanzi	**26,778**	**4,484**	**6,651**	**2,989**	**6,948**	**6,879**	**7,873**	**7,782**
Kgalagadi South	**21,685**	**3,192**	**6,134**	**2,751**	**5,307**	**5,584**	**5,948**	**6,261**
Kgalagadi North	**12,230**	**1,732**	**3,569**	**1,454**	**2,839**	**3,053**	**3,265**	**3,502**
Total	**1,495,993**	**216,929**	**386,868**	**176,251**	**348,000**	**389,000**	**393,000**	**440,000**

TABLE 1.4 TOTAL POPULATION BY MAJOR TOWN /VILLAGE FOR THE YEARS 1981 TO 1996

Classification	Village/Town	1981	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Capital City	Gaborone	59,657	133,468	140,542	148,553	156,724	165,343	174,583
Other towns	Francistown	31,065	65,244	68,637	72,206	75,960	79,910	84,075
	Selibe-Phikwe	29,469	39,772	40,687	41,623	42,580	43,559	44,581
	Lobatse	19,034	26,052	26,651	27,264	27,891	28,533	29,172
	Jwaneng	5,567	11,188	11,736	12,311	12,915	13,547	14,212
	Orapa	5,227	8,827	9,057	9,292	9,534	9,781	10,023
	Sowa Town	-	2,228	2,364	2,508	2,661	2,823	2,992
Largest Urban villages	Molepolole	20,565	36,930	37,927	38,951	40,003	41,083	42,169
	Kanye	20,215	31,354	31,918	32,493	33,078	33,673	34,202
	Serowe	23,661	30,264	30,567	30,872	3,181	31,493	31,782
	Mahalapye	20,712	28,078	28,499	28,927	29,361	29,801	30,294
	Maun	14,925	26,768	27,196	27,659	28,101	28,495	28,969
	Mochudi	18,386	25,542	26,053	26,574	27,105	27,647	28,224
Other Villages	Ramotswa	13,009	18,683	19,412	20,324	21,421	22,385	23,047
	Palapye	9,593	17,362	17,744	18,134	18,533	18,941	19,322
	Mogoditshane	3,125	14,246	14,958	15,706	16,492	17,316	18,159
	Thamaga	6,520	13,026	13,326	13,632	13,946	14,266	14,617
	Tlokweng	6,653	12,501	13,214	13,927	14,484	15,208	16,254
	Moshupa	6,612	11,444	11,696	11,953	12,252	12,485	12,787
	Tonota	6,566	11,129	11,240	11,353	11,466	11,581	11,704
	Tutume	3,736	10,070	10,362	10,663	10,972	11,290	11,637
	Letlhakane	5,169	8,583	8,978	9,391	9,823	10,275	10,730
	Bobonong	4,711	7,708	7,831	7,957	8,084	8,213	8,332
	Gabane	2,688	5,975	6,083	6,192	6,303	6,417	6,523
	Ghanzi	3,281	5,550	5,766	5,991	6,225	6,468	6,727
	Kasane	2,190	4,336	4,574	4,826	5,092	5,372	5,664
	Total	**941,027**	**1,326,796**	**1,358,639**	**1,391,246**	**1,424,636**	**1,458,828**	**1,495,993**

NOTES: 1981 and 1991 are census figures.
Figures for 1992 onwards are projections based on the 1991 census.
- Sowa Town was not a town by the 1981 census

TABLE 2.1 BIRTHS OCCURRING IN 1996 BY DISTRICT OF OCCURRENCE AND SEX OF CHILD .

	Non-Project			*Project*			*Grand Total*			
DISTRICT	**Male**	**Female**	**Total**	**Male**	**Female**	**Total**	**Male**	**Female**	**Total**	**Percent**
Gaborone	1308	1418	**2,726**	-	-	-	1,308	1,418	**2,726**	*21.0*
Francistown	1	3	**4**	1304	1276	**2,580**	1,305	1,279	**2,584**	*19.9*
Lobatse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	*0.0*
Selibe Phikwe	381	408	**789**	-	-	-	381	408	**789**	*6.1*
Orapa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	*0.0*
Jwaneng	72	53	**125**	-	-	-	72	53	**125**	*1.0*
Southern	**289**	**283**	**572**	**488**	**478**	**966**	777	761	**1,538**	*11.9*
Ngwaketse	288	280	**568**	488	478	**966**	776	758	**1,534**	*11.8*
Barolong	1	3	**4**	-	-	-	1	3	**4**	*0.0*
South East	**361**	**333**	**694**	-	-	-	361	333	**694**	*5.3*
Kweneng	**394**	**366**	**760**	-	-	-	394	366	**760**	*5.9*
Kgatleng	79	76	**155**	-	-	-	79	76	**155**	*1.2*
Central	**614**	**552**	**1,166**	**751**	**732**	**1,483**	1,365	1,284	**2,649**	*20.4*
Central-Serowe	66	60	**126**	751	732	**1,483**	817	792	**1,609**	*12.4*
Central-Mahalapye	434	374	**808**	-	-	-	434	374	**808**	*6.2*
Central-Bobonong	7	10	**17**	-	-	-	7	10	**17**	*0.1*
Central-Boteti	4	6	**10**	-	-	-	4	6	**10**	*0.1*
Central-Tutume	103	102	**205**	-	-	-	103	102	**205**	*1.6*
North-East	**2**	**3**	**5**	-	-	-	2	3	**5**	*0.0*
North West	**224**	**195**	**419**	**144**	**144**	**288**	368	339	**707**	*5.4*
Ngamiland	132	130	**262**	144	144	**288**	276	274	**550**	*4.2*
Chobe	92	65	**157**	-	-	-	92	65	**157**	*1.2*
Ghanzi	**126**	**118**	***244***	-	-	-	126	118	**244**	*1.9*
Kgalagadi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	*0.0*
Total	**3,851**	**3,808**	**7,659**	**2,687**	**2,630**	**5,317**	**6,538**	**6,438**	**12,976**	*100.0*
Percent	*29.7*	*29.3*	*59.0*	*20.7*	*20.3*	*41.0*	*50.4*	*49.6*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.2 BIRTHS OCCURRING IN 1996 BY MONTH OF OCCURRENCE AND SEX OF CHILD.

	Non-Project			*Project*			*Grand Total*			
MONTH	**Male**	**Female**	**Total**	**Male**	**Female**	**Total**	**Male**	**Female**	**Total**	**Percent**
January	341	312	**653**	362	369	731	703	681	**1,384**	*10.7*
February	388	413	**801**	354	345	**699**	742	758	**1,500**	*11.6*
March	372	359	**731**	303	297	**600**	675	656	**1,331**	*10.3*
April	340	294	**634**	288	278	**566**	628	572	**1,200**	*9.2*
May	416	437	**853**	375	320	**695**	791	757	**1,548**	*11.9*
June	401	430	**831**	295	307	**602**	696	737	**1,433**	*11.0*
July	323	320	**643**	249	245	**494**	572	565	**1,137**	*8.8*
August	313	312	**625**	213	224	**437**	526	536	**1,062**	*8.2*
September	395	391	**786**	163	156	**319**	558	547	**1,105**	*8.5*
October	253	238	**491**	64	70	**134**	317	308	**625**	*4.8*
November	199	197	**396**	12	6	**18**	211	203	**414**	*3.2*
December	110	105	**215**	9	13	**22**	119	118	**237**	*1.8*
Total	**3,851**	**3,808**	**7,659**	**2,687**	**2,630**	**5,317**	**6,538**	**6,438**	**12,976**	*100.0*
Percent	*29.7*	*29.3*	*59.0*	*20.7*	*20.3*	*41.0*	*50.4*	*49.6*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.3 BIRTHS OCCURRING IN 1996 BY AGE AND MARITAL STATUS OF MOTHER.

	Non-Project			*Project*			*Grand Total*			
Age Group	**Married**	**Single**	**Total**	**Married**	**Single**	**Total**	**Married**	**Single**	**Total**	**Percent**
<15	1	6	7	-	9	**9**	1	15	**16**	*0.1*
15-19	28	1307	**1,335**	3	983	**986**	31	2,290	**2,321**	*17.9*
20-24	160	2166	**2,326**	33	1,608	**1,641**	193	3,774	**3,967**	*30.6*
25-29	408	1243	**1,651**	167	959	**1,126**	575	2,202	**2,777**	*21.4*
30-34	516	705	**1,221**	210	576	**786**	726	1,281	**2,007**	*15.5*
35-39	350	374	**724**	170	353	**523**	520	727	**1,247**	*9.6*
40-44	141	140	**281**	74	139	**213**	215	279	**494**	*3.8*
45-49	13	12	**25**	12	13	**25**	25	25	**50**	*0.4*
50+	3	5	**8**	-	3	**3**	3	8	**11**	*0.1*
Unknown	17	64	**81**	-	5	**5**	17	69	**86**	*0.7*
Total	**1,637**	**6,022**	**7,659**	**669**	**4,648**	**5,317**	**2,306**	**10,670**	**12,976**	*100.0*
Percent	*12.6*	*46.4*	*59.0*	*5.2*	*35.8*	*41.0*	*17.8*	*82.2*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.4 BIRTHS REGISTERED IN 1996 BY DISTRICT OF REGISTRATION AND SEX OF CHILD.

	Non-Project			*Project*			*Grand Total*			
DISTRICT	**Males**	**Females**	**Total**	**Male**	**Female**	**Total**	**Male**	**Female**	**Total**	**Percent**
Gaborone	1931	2046	**3,977**	-	-	-	1,931	2,046	**3,977**	18.4
Francistown	41	38	**79**	1304	1276	**2,580**	1,345	1,314	**2,659**	12.3
Lobatse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0
Selibe Phikwe	716	709	**1,425**	-	-	-	716	709	**1,425**	6.6
Orapa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0
Jwaneng	132	94	**226**	-	-	-	132	94	**226**	1.0
Southern	**1,211**	**1,232**	**2,443**	**488**	**478**	**966**	1,699	1,710	**3,409**	15.7
Ngwaketse	1210	1229	**2,439**	488	478	**966**	1,698	1,707	**3,405**	15.7
Barolong	1	3	**4**	-	-	-	1	3	**4**	0.0
South East	**466**	**455**	**921**	-	-	-	466	455	**921**	4.3
Kweneng	**1042**	**1088**	**2,130**	-	-	-	1,042	1,088	**2,130**	9.8
Kgatleng	**231**	**243**	**474**	-	-	-	231	243	**474**	100.0
Central	**1,722**	**1,616**	**3,338**	**751**	**732**	**1,483**	2,473	2,348	**4,821**	22.3
Central-Serowe	214	208	**422**	751	732	**1,483**	965	940	**1,905**	8.8
Central-Mahalapye	1107	998	**2,105**	-	-	-	1,107	998	**2,105**	9.7
Central-Bobonong	103	96	**199**	-	-	-	103	96	**199**	0.9
Central-Boteti	58	84	**142**	-	-	-	58	84	**142**	0.7
Central-Tutume	240	230	**470**	-	-	-	240	230	**470**	2.2
North-East	**44**	**47**	**91**	-	-	-	44	47	**91**	0.4
North West	**497**	**434**	**931**	**144**	**144**	**288**	641	578	**1,219**	5.6
Ngamiland	304	303	**607**	144	144	**288**	448	447	**895**	4.1
Chobe	193	131	**324**	-	-	-	193	131	**324**	1.5
Ghanzi	**159**	**152**	**311**	-	-	-	159	152	**311**	1.4
Kgalagadi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0
Total	**8,192**	**8,154**	**16,346**	**2,687**	**2,630**	**5,317**	**10,879**	**10,784**	**21,663**	100.0
Percent	*37.8*	*37.6*	*75.5*	*12.4*	*12.1*	*24.5*	*50.2*	*49.8*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.5 BIRTHS REGISTERED IN 1996 BY MONTH OF REGISTRATION AND SEX OF CHILD.

	Non-Project			*Project*			*Grand Total*			
MONTH	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Percent
January	689	674	**1,363**	362	369	**731**	1,051	1,043	**2,094**	*9.7*
February	673	689	**1,362**	354	345	**699**	1,027	1,034	**2,061**	*9.5*
March	677	684	**1,361**	303	297	**600**	980	981	**1,961**	*9.1*
April	641	610	**1,251**	288	278	**566**	929	888	**1,817**	*8.4*
May	785	779	**1,564**	375	320	**695**	1,160	1,099	**2,259**	*10.2*
June	777	806	**1,583**	295	307	**602**	1,072	1,113	**2,185**	*10.1*
July	691	711	**1,402**	249	245	**494**	940	956	**1,896**	*8.8*
August	719	677	**1,396**	213	224	**437**	932	901	**1,833**	*8.5*
September	801	820	**1,621**	163	156	**319**	964	976	**1,940**	*9.0*
October	618	601	**1,219**	64	70	**134**	682	671	**1,353**	*6.2*
November	561	549	**1,110**	12	6	**18**	573	555	**1,128**	*5.2*
December	555	559	**1,114**	9	13	**22**	564	572	**1,136**	*5.2*
Total	**8,187**	**8,159**	**16,346**	**2,687**	**2,630**	**5,317**	**10,874**	**10,789**	**21,663**	*100.0*
Percent	*37.8*	*37.7*	*75.5*	*12.4*	*12.1*	*24.5*	*50.2*	*49.8*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.6 BIRTHS REGISTERED IN 1996 BY AGE AND MARITAL STATUS OF MOTHER.

	Non-Project			*Project*			*Grand Total*			
Age Group	Married	Single	Total	Married	Single	Total	Married	Single	Total	Percent
<15	2	12	**14**	-	9	**9**	2	21	**23**	0.1
15-19	401	2414	**2,815**	3	983	**986**	404	3,397	**3,801**	17.5
20-24	1157	3818	**4,975**	33	1,608	**1,641**	1,190	5,426	**6,616**	30.5
25-29	1412	2180	**3,592**	167	959	**1,126**	1,579	3,139	**4,718**	21.8
30-34	1279	1248	**2,527**	210	576	**786**	1,489	1,824	**3,313**	15.3
35-39	853	676	**1,529**	170	353	**523**	1,023	1,029	**2,052**	9.5
40-44	381	255	**636**	74	139	**213**	455	394	**849**	3.9
45-49	75	38	**113**	12	13	**25**	87	51	**138**	0.6
50+	13	14	**27**	-	3	**3**	13	17	**30**	0.1
Unknown	40	78	**118**	-	5	**5**	40	83	**123**	0.6
Total	**5,613**	**10,733**	**16,346**	**669**	**4,648**	**5,317**	**6,282**	**15,381**	**21,663**	100.0
Percent	*25.9*	*49.5*	*75.5*	*3.1*	*21.5*	*24.5*	*29.0*	*71.0*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.7 DEATHS OCCURRING IN 1996 BY DISTRICT AND SEX OF DECEASED (NON PROJECT)

DISTRICT	Male	Female	Total	Percent
Gaborone	68	44	**112**	*10.5*
Francistown	4	4	**8**	*0.7*
Lobatse	44	16	**60**	*5.6*
Selibe Phikwe	15	14	**29**	*2.7*
Orapa	10	6	**16**	*1.5*
Jwaneng	2	-	**2**	*0.2*
Southern	**24**	**18**	**42**	*3.9*
Ngwaketse	22	14	**36**	*3.4*
Barolong	2	4	**6**	*0.6*
South East	**28**	**18**	**46**	*4.3*
Kweneng	**106**	**82**	**188**	*17.6*
Kgatleng	**66**	**48**	**114**	*10.7*
Central	**126**	**73**	**199**	*18.6*
Central-Serowe	26	12	**38**	*3.6*
Central-Mahalapye	52	32	**84**	*7.9*
Central-Bobonong	12	3	**15**	*1.4*
Central-Boteti	22	12	**34**	*3.2*
Central-Tutume	14	14	**28**	*2.6*
North-East	**6**	**14**	**20**	*1.9*
North West	**97**	**98**	**195**	*18.3*
Ngamiland	88	87	**175**	*16.4*
Chobe	9	11	**20**	*1.9*
Ghanzi	**8**	**6**	**14**	*1.3*
Kgalagadi	**12**	**11**	**23**	*2.2*
Total	**616**	**452**	**1,068**	*100.0*
Percent	*57.7*	*42.3*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.8 DEATHS OCCURRING IN 1996 BY MONTH OF OCCURRENCE AND SEX OF DECEASED (NON-PPROJECT)

MONTH	Male	Female	Total	Percent
January	14	4	**18**	*1.7*
February	4	12	**16**	*1.5*
March	8	8	**16**	*1.5*
April	16	10	**26**	*2.4*
May	13	12	**25**	*2.3*
June	31	27	**58**	*5.4*
July	34	15	**49**	*4.6*
August	26	26	**52**	*4.9*
September	52	30	**82**	*7.7*
October	54	54	**108**	*10.1*
November	98	79	**177**	*16.6*
December	266	175	**441**	*41.3*
Total	**616**	**452**	**1,068**	*100.0*
Percent	*57.7*	*42.3*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.9 DEATHS OCCURRING IN 1996 BY AGE AND SEX OF THE DECEASED (NON- PROJECT)

AGE GROUP	Male	Female	Total	Percent
0	82	74	**156**	*14.6*
1-4	36	24	**60**	*5.6*
5-14	24	11	**35**	*3.3*
15-24	32	29	**61**	*5.7*
25-34	101	93	**194**	*18.2*
35-44	90	56	**146**	*13.7*
45-54	57	38	**95**	*8.9*
55-64	63	42	**105**	*9.8*
65+	119	73	**192**	*18.0*
Unknown	12	12	**24**	*2.2*
Total	**616**	**452**	**1,068**	*100.0*
Percent	57.7	42.3	100.0	

TABLE 2.10 DEATHS OCCURRING IN 1996 BY EXACT PLACE OF DEATH AND SEX OF THE DECEASED (NON - PROJECT)

EXACT PLACE	Male	Female	Total	Percent
Home or village	229	112	**341**	*31.9*
Health Facility	387	340	**727**	*68.1*
Other or unknown	-	-	-	-
Total	**616**	**452**	**1,068**	*100.0*
Percent	*57.7*	*42.3*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.11 DEATHS OCCURRING IN 1996 BY FORM TYPE AND SEX OF THE DECEASED (NON - PROJECT)

FORM TYPE	Male	Female	Total	Percent
Ordinary B4	103	61	**164**	*15.4*
Doctor B5	500	381	**881**	*82.5*
Late Annexed	13	10	**23**	*2.2*
Unknown	-	-	-	-
Total	**616**	**452**	**1,068**	*100.0*
Percent	*57.7*	*42.3*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.12 DEATHS OCCURING IN 1996 BY CAUSE OF DEATH AND AGE GROUP OF THE DECEASED (NON-PROJECT).

CAUSE	<1	1-4	5-14	15-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Unknown	Total	Percent
Infectious & Parasitic	10	16	8	8	28	18	12	24	16	8	148	*13.9*
Neoplams	-	2	-	-	6	2	4	10	16	-	40	*3.7*
Endocrime Nutrition & Metabolic & Immunity Disorders	8	10	-	-	1	6	4	4	6	2	41	*3.8*
Diseases of blood forming-forming organs	-	-	2	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	6	*0.6*
Mental Disorders	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	2	6	*0.6*
Diseases of the Nervous System and sense Organs	12	2	-	-	8	4	-	2	2	-	30	*2.8*
Diseases of the Ciculatory System	4	2	2	12	32	22	24	21	40	4	163	*15.3*
Diseases of the Respiratory System	64	16	2	2	10	12	8	4	24	2	144	*13.5*
Diseases of the Digestive System	-	2	-	-	8	4	2	2	8	-	26	*2.4*
Diseases of the Genitourinary System	2	2	-	-	-	4	6	-	12	-	26	*2.4*
Complications of Pregnancy,Child-Birth and the Peurperium	2	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	6	*0.6*
Diseases of the Skin and Subcutaneous Tissues	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	4	*0.4*
Diseases of Muscular-Skeletal System and Connective Tissues	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congenital Anomalies	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	2	-	2	10	*0.9*
Certain Conditions Originating in the Perinatal Period	38	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	42	*3.9*
Symptoms,Signs and Ill-Difined Conditions	-	-	2	-	4	-	2	-	4	-	12	*1.1*
Injury and Poisoning	-	2	10	22	13	12	4	2	4	-	69	*6.5*
Unknown	14	6	7	15	74	58	25	34	58	4	295	*27.6*
Total	**156**	**60**	**35**	**61**	**194**	**146**	**95**	**105**	**192**	**24**	**1,068**	*100.0*
Percent	*14.6*	*5.6*	*3.3*	*5.7*	*18.2*	*13.7*	*8.9*	*9.8*	*18.0*	*2.2*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.14 DEATHS REGISTERED IN 1996 BY MONTH OF OCCURRENCE AND SEX OF THE DECEASED (NON - PROJEC

MONTH	Male	Female	Total	Percent
January	420	294	**714**	*8.8*
February	426	282	**708**	*8.7*
March	518	357	**875**	*10.8*
April	463	333	**796**	*9.8*
May	404	239	**643**	*7.9*
June	183	123	**306**	*3.8*
July	164	89	**253**	*3.1*
August	355	242	**597**	*7.3*
September	369	300	**669**	*8.2*
October	497	372	**869**	*10.7*
November	501	341	**842**	*10.4*
December	524	317	**841**	*10.3*
Not-known	11	2	**13**	*0.2*
Total	**4,835**	**3,291**	**8,126**	*100.0*
Percent	*59.5*	*40.5*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.15 DEATHS REGISTERED IN 1996 BY AGE AND SEX THE DECEASED (NON - PROJECT)

AGE	Male	Female	Total	Percent
0	470	422	**892**	*11.0*
1-4	265	226	**491**	*6.0*
5-14	149	103	**252**	*3.1*
15-24	251	335	**586**	*7.2*
25-34	919	642	**1,561**	*19.2*
35-44	846	438	**1,284**	*15.8*
45-54	511	244	**755**	*9.3*
55-64	443	246	**689**	*8.5*
65+	853	530	**1,383**	*17.0*
Unknown	128	105	**233**	*2.9*
Total	**4,835**	**3,291**	**8,126**	*100.0*
Percent	*59.5*	*40.5*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.16 DEATHS REGISTERED IN 1996 BY EXACT PLACE DEATH AND SEX OF THE DECEASED (NON - PROJE

EXACT PLACE	Male	Female	Total	Percent
Home or Village	1628	946	**2,574**	*31.7*
Health Facility	3205	2343	**5,548**	*68.3*
Other or Unknown	2	2	**4**	*0.0*
Total	**4,835**	**3,291**	**8,126**	*100.0*
Percent	*59.5*	*40.5*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.17 DEATHS REGISTERED IN 1996 BY FORM TYPE AND SEX OF THE DECEASED (NON - PROJECT)

FORM TYPE	Male	Female	Total	Percent
Ordinary B4	405	268	**673**	*8.3*
Doctor B5	4274	2965	**7,239**	*89.1*
Late Annexd	156	58	**214**	*2.6*
Not-known	-	-	-	-
Total	**4,835**	**3,291**	**8,126**	*100.0*
Percent	*59.5*	*40.5*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.18 DEATHS REGISTERED IN 1996 BY CAUSE OF DEATH AND AGE GROUP OF DECEASED (NON-PROJECT).

					AGE							
CAUSE OF DEATH	**0**	**1-4**	**5-14**	**15-24**	**25-34**	**35-44**	**45-54**	**55-64**	**65-98**	**Unknown**	**Total**	**Percent**
Infectious & Parasitic	112	139	43	111	275	234	138	110	172	57	**1,391**	*17.1*
Neoplasm	-	4	2	-	26	24	39	69	137	6	**307**	*3.8*
Endocrime Nutritional & Metabolic diseases & Immunity Disorders	61	66	4	4	14	18	18	18	31	8	**242**	*3.0*
Diseases of blood forming-forming organs	12	10	4	18	20	15	13	8	9	-	**109**	*1.3*
Mental Disorders	-	-	-	2	-	4	2	-	2	4	**14**	*0.2*
Diseases of the Nervous System and sense Organs	39	14	11	28	63	47	27	19	21	6	**275**	*3.4*
Diseases of the Ciculatory System	27	27	46	123	273	229	159	132	299	36	**1,351**	*16.6*
Diseases of the Respiratory System	302	110	26	20	126	107	64	40	109	38	**942**	*11.6*
Diseases of the Digestive System	7	2	12	5	22	29	20	16	40	2	**155**	*1.9*
Diseases of the Genitourinary System	7	6	-	8	26	43	23	14	46	2	**175**	*2.2*
Complications of Pregnancy,Child-Birth and the Peurperium	4	2	-	2	4	6	-	-	-	-	**18**	*0.2*
Diseases of the Skin and Subcutaneous Tissues	2	-	-	4	6	2	-	4	-	-	**18**	*0.2*
Diseases of Muscular-Skeletal System and Connective Tissues	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congenital Anomalies	8	2	-	8	41	16	4	15	12	6	**112**	*1.4*
Certain Conditions Originating in the Perinatal Period	175	18	4	2	-	2	-	-	-	18	**219**	*2.7*
Symptoms,Signs and III-Difined Conditions	40	12	10	32	66	62	32	37	42	4	**337**	*4.1*
Injury and Poisoning	10	22	53	115	191	98	62	33	51	6	**641**	*7.9*
Unknown	86	57	37	104	408	348	154	174	412	40	**1,820**	*22.4*
Total	**892**	**491**	**252**	**586**	**1,561**	**1,284**	**755**	**689**	**1,383**	**233**	**8,126**	*100.0*
Percent	*11.0*	*6.0*	*3.1*	*7.2*	*19.2*	*15.8*	*9.3*	*8.5*	*17.0*	*2.9*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.19 REGISTERED MARRIAGES IN 1996 BY DISTRICT AND MONTH OF REGISTRATION

	MONTH													
DISTRICT	**January**	**February**	**March**	**April**	**May**	**June**	**July**	**August**	**September**	**October**	**November**	**December**	**Total**	**Percent**
Gaborone	23	33	23	33	44	26	24	44	51	53	43	98	**495**	*20.1*
Francistown	17	12	13	19	23	14	30	24	34	32	31	65	**314**	*12.7*
Lobatse	5	3	4	9	15	3	3	11	14	8	15	22	**112**	*4.5*
Selibe Phikwe	9	12	13	9	7	10	7	23	12	11	18	33	**164**	*6.7*
Orapa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jwaneng	-	3	1	1	4	2	3	2	6	3	4	5	**34**	*1.4*
Southern	**3**	**10**	**14**	**19**	**15**	**15**	**11**	**31**	**29**	**40**	**45**	**63**	**295**	*12.0*
Ngwaketse	3	8	12	13	11	11	8	28	27	35	40	55	**251**	*10.2*
Barolong	-	2	2	6	4	4	3	3	2	5	5	8	**44**	*1.8*
South-East	3	1	4	7	3	4	8	12	15	2	7	31	- **97**	*3.9*
Kweneng	8	2	10	13	11	5	6	18	13	27	23	54	**190**	*7.7*
Kgatleng	12	7	2	1	2	-	2	5	9	13	11	23	**87**	*3.5*
Central	**38**	**28**	**26**	**23**	**25**	**19**	**20**	**57**	**50**	**43**	**61**	**92**	**482**	*19.6*
Serowe/Palapye	22	12	14	7	12	6	10	31	26	17	36	53	**246**	*10.0*
Central-Mahalapye	12	12	10	8	10	10	8	18	18	17	15	32	**170**	*6.9*
Central-Bobonong	-	-	-	2	1	1	1	5	2	4	7	5	**28**	*1.1*
Central-Boteti	1	3	2	2	-	1	-	1	-	2	3	-	**15**	*0.6*
Central-Tutume	3	1	-	4	2	1	1	2	4	3	-	2	**23**	*0.9*
North-East	-	1	-	-	2	1	-	1	2	2	2	2	**13**	*0.5*
North West	**5**	**6**	**3**	**8**	**4**	**5**	**8**	**18**	**16**	**13**	**17**	**28**	**131**	*5.3*
Ngamiland	3	4	2	7	4	5	7	16	16	12	14	27	**117**	*4.7*
Chobe	2	2	1	1	-	-	1	2	-	1	3	1	**14**	*0.6*
Ghanzi	-	-	1	1	-	-	2	3	1	-	1	6	**15**	*0.6*
Kgalagadi	3	1	4	9	4	-	3	1	1	3	1	5	**35**	*1.4*
TOTAL	**126**	**125**	**118**	**152**	**159**	**104**	**127**	**250**	**253**	**250**	**279**	**527**	**2,464**	*100.0*
Percent	*5.1*	*4.8*	*4.8*	*6.2*	*6.5*	*4.2*	*5.2*	*10.1*	*10.3*	*10.1*	*11.3*	*21.4*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.20 NUMBER OF MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN 1996 BYDISTRICT OF REGISTRATION AND MARRIAGE TY

	MARRIAGE TYPE					
DISTRICT	Church Banns	Church Licence	Court Banns	Court Licence	Total	Percent
Gaborone	38	8	372	77	495	*20.1*
Francistown	17	3	247	47	314	*12.7*
Lobatse	12	2	98	-	112	*4.5*
Selibe Phikwe	7	-	146	11	164	*6.7*
Orapa	-	-	-	-	-	
Jwaneng	-	-	31	3	34	*1.4*
Southern	63	-	216	16	295	*12.0*
Ngwaketse	58	-	178	15	251	*10.2*
Barolong	5	-	38	1	44	*1.8*
South-East	48	5	32	12	97	*3.9*
Kweneng	56	5	117	12	190	*7.7*
Kgatleng	13	-	60	14	87	*3.5*
Central	74	6	362	40	482	*19.6*
Serowe/Palapye	33	5	186	22	246	*10.0*
Central-Mahalapye	30	1	129	10	170	*6.9*
Central-Bobonong	2	-	23	3	28	*1.1*
Central-Boteti	1	-	13	1	15	*0.6*
Central-Tutume	8	-	11	4	23	*0.9*
North-East	7	-	6	-	13	*0.5*
North West	18	3	93	17	131	*5.3*
Ngamiland	17	2	88	10	117	*4.7*
Chobe	1	1	5	7	14	*0.6*
Ghanzi	3	-	12	-	15	*0.6*
Kgalagadi	10	-	17	8	35	*1.4*
Total	366	32	1,809	257	2,464	*100.0*
Percent	*14.9*	*1.3*	*73.4*	*10.4*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.21 NUMBER OF MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN 1996 BY AGE GROUP OF HUSBAND AND PREVIOUS MARRITAL STATUS

	MARRITAL STATUS						
AGE GROUP	Bachelor	Married	Divorced	Separated	Widowed	Total	Percent
15-19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20-24	29	-	-	-	-	**29**	*1.2*
25-29	353	-	2	-	-	**355**	*14.4*
30-34	715	-	6	-	2	**723**	*29.3*
35-39	573	-	25	1	3	**602**	*24.4*
40-44	316	-	34	-	7	**357**	*14.5*
45-49	124	-	40	-	2	**166**	*6.7*
50-54	60	-	22	-	7	**89**	*3.6*
55-59	44	-	19	-	5	**68**	*2.8*
60-64	21	-	5	-	6	**32**	*1.3*
65+	29	-	6	-	8	**43**	*1.7*
Total	**2,264**	-	**159**	**1**	**40**	**2,464**	*100.0*
Percent	*91.9*	-	*6.5*	*0.0*	*1.6*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.22 NUMBER OF MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN 1996 BY AGE GROUP OF WIFE AND PREVIOUS MARRITAL STATUS

	MARRITAL STATUS					
AGE GROUP	Spinster	Divorced	Separated	Widow	Total	Percent
15-19	28	-	1	-	**29**	*1.2*
20-24	373	1	-	-	**374**	*15.2*
25-29	901	3	-	3	**907**	*36.8*
30-34	589	4	-	-	**593**	*24.1*
35-39	281	14	-	1	**296**	*12.0*
40-44	116	10	1	1	**128**	*5.2*
45-49	57	2	-	1	**60**	*2.4*
50-54	30	2	-	1	**33**	*1.3*
55-59	19	2	-	-	**21**	*0.9*
60-64	8	1	-	-	**9**	*0.4*
65+	14	-	-	-	**14**	*0.6*
Total	**2,416**	**39**	**2**	7	**2,464**	*100.0*
Percent	*98.1*	*1.6*	*0.1*	*0.3*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.23 NUMBER OF MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN 1996 BY OCCUPATION OF HUSBAND AND MARRIAGE TYPE

	MARRIAGE TYPE					
OCCUPATION OF HUSBAN	Church Banns	Church Licence	Court Banns	Court Licence	Total	Percent
Professionals	134	10	352	75	**571**	*23.2*
Managers	51	6	285	61	**403**	*16.4*
Clerks	7	-	47	10	**64**	*2.6*
Sales-Workers	25	7	165	24	**221**	*9.0*
Service-Workers	14	1	61	4	**80**	*3.2*
Agriculture-Workers	29	-	148	12	**189**	*7.7*
Production-Workers	39	7	310	28	**384**	*15.6*
Construction	19	-	131	11	**161**	*6.5*
Transport	32	-	191	21	**244**	*9.9*
Not Stated	5	-	49	3	**57**	*2.3*
Unclassified	11	1	70	8	**90**	*3.7*
Total	**366**	**32**	**1,809**	**257**	**2,464**	*100.0*
Percent	*14.9*	*1.3*	*73.4*	*10.4*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.24 NUMBER OF MARRIAGES REGSTERED IN 1996 BY OCCUPATION OF WIFE AND MARRIAGE TYPE

	MARRIAGE TYPE					
OCCUPATION OF WIFE	Church Banns	Church Licence	Court Banns	Court Licence	Total	Percent
Professionals	142	13	365	84	**604**	*24.5*
Managers	14	3	76	20	**113**	*4.6*
Clerks	50	1	165	41	**257**	*10.4*
Sales-Workers	22	3	167	27	**219**	*8.9*
Service-Workers	119	10	772	66	**967**	*39.2*
Agriculture-Workers	-	-	24	1	**25**	*1.0*
Production-Workers	10	1	53	2	**66**	*2.7*
Construction	-	-	4	1	**5**	*0.2*
Transport	-	-	1	2	**3**	*0.1*
Not Stated	1	-	2	-	**3**	*0.1*
Unclassified	8	1	180	13	**202**	*8.2*
Total	**366**	**32**	**1,809**	**257**	**2,464**	*100.0*
Percent	*14.9*	*1.3*	*73.4*	*10.4*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.25 MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN 1996 BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE OF HUSBAND AT MARRIAGE TIME AND AGE GROUP.

	AGE GROUP												
DISTRICT	**15-19**	**20-24**	**25-29**	**30-34**	**35-39**	**40-44**	**45-49**	**50-54**	**55-59**	**60-64**	**65+**	**Total**	**Percent**
Gaborone	-	10	111	148	121	62	29	12	7	5	1	**506**	*20.5*
Francistown	-	1	29	58	35	27	15	16	8	4	3	**196**	*8.0*
Lobatse	-	2	9	25	22	12	8	2	4	2	2	**88**	*3.6*
Selibe Phikwe	-	1	25	39	42	21	13	4	8	1	3	**157**	*6.4*
Orapa	-	-	9	15	16	3	3	-	-	-	-	**46**	*1.9*
Jwaneng	-	-	6	13	14	8	4	1	2	-	-	**48**	*1.9*
Southern	-	**1**	**20**	**56**	**63**	**57**	**27**	**11**	**14**	**2**	**9**	**260**	*10.6*
Ngwaketse	-	1	19	48	51	51	26	10	12	2	7	**227**	*9.2*
Barolong	-	-	1	8	12	6	1	1	2	-	2	**33**	*1.3*
South-East	-	1	6	26	18	17	7	-	2	-	-	**77**	*3.1*
Kweneng	-	2	36	100	63	37	12	13	4	8	5	**280**	*11.4*
Kgatleng	-	1	9	18	13	9	7	2	-	-	3	**62**	*2.5*
Central	-	**3**	**55**	**144**	**117**	**60**	**28**	**19**	**13**	**9**	**16**	**464**	*18.8*
Serowe/Palapye	-	2	24	62	51	22	11	11	6	2	6	**197**	*8.0*
Central-Mahalapye	-	-	6	33	27	23	12	6	5	5	5	**122**	*5.0*
Central-Bobonong	-	-	7	11	10	4	1	1	2	2	3	**41**	*1.7*
Central-Boteti	-	-	8	6	6	2	2	-	-	-	-	**24**	*1.0*
Central-Tutume	-	1	10	32	23	9	2	1	-	-	2	**80**	*3.2*
North-East	-	-	4	14	7	4	1	-	-	-	-	**30**	*1.2*
North West	-	**2**	**22**	**45**	**43**	**27**	**7**	**7**	**5**	**1**	**1**	**160**	*6.5*
Ngamiland	-	2	18	38	36	20	6	6	5	1	1	**133**	*5.4*
Chobe	-	-	4	7	7	7	1	1	-	-	-	**27**	*1.1*
Ghanzi	-	2	3	4	4	2	1	2	-	-	-	**18**	*0.7*
Kgalagadi	-	2	4	13	16	7	1	-	1	-	-	**44**	*1.8*
N/Kown	-	1	7	5	8	4	3	2	-	-	3	**33**	*1.1*
Total	-	**29**	**355**	**723**	**602**	**357**	**166**	**89**	**68**	**32**	**43**	**2,464**	*100.0*
Percent	-	*1.2*	*14.4*	*29.4*	*24.4*	*14.5*	*6.7*	*3.6*	*2.8*	*1.3*	*1.7*	*100.0*	

TABLE 2.26 MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN 1996 BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE OF WIFE AT MARRIAGE TIME AND AGE GROUP.

	AGE GROUP												
DISTRICT	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65+	Total	Percent
Gaborone	4	84	192	102	51	24	6	4	1	1	2	**471**	*19.1*
Francistown	-	17	76	45	26	16	4	3	2	2	-	**191**	*7.8*
Lobatse	-	8	19	16	11	7	4	3	-	-	-	**68**	*2.8*
Selibe Phikwe	2	26	43	30	20	3	5	2	-	-	-	**131**	*5.3*
Orapa	1	1	6	6	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	**16**	*0.6*
Jwaneng	-	4	9	9	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	**27**	*1.1*
Southern	**2**	**55**	**109**	**72**	**36**	**12**	**13**	**6**	**7**	-	**5**	**317**	*12.9*
Ngwaketse	2	47	95	67	29	9	11	5	6	-	5	**276**	*11.2*
Barolong	-	8	14	5	7	3	2	1	1	-	-	**41**	*1.7*
South-East	-	14	38	28	16	5	1	-	1	-	1	**104**	*4.2*
Kweneng	7	41	92	66	33	14	9	7	3	2	3	**277**	*11.2*
Kgatleng	2	5	26	17	10	2	2	2	1	1	1	**69**	*2.8*
Central	**9**	**86**	**198**	**132**	**60**	**29**	**12**	**6**	**4**	**3**	**1**	**540**	*21.9*
Serowe/Palapye	2	34	79	49	23	12	6	2	-	1	-	**208**	*8.4*
Central-Mahalapye	3	22	44	41	20	14	4	3	3	-	1	**155**	*6.3*
Central-Bobonong	2	16	20	10	5	1	1	-	1	1	-	**57**	*2.3*
Central-Boteti	1	2	16	2	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	**26**	*1.1*
Central-Tutume	1	12	39	30	8	1	1	1	-	1	-	**94**	*3.8*
North-East	-	**4**	**16**	**6**	**4**	**1**	**1**	-	-	-	**1**	**33**	*1.3*
North West	**1**	**16**	**57**	**45**	**17**	**7**	**3**	-	**2**	-	-	**148**	*6.0*
Ngamiland	1	14	48	41	14	7	3	-	2	-	-	**130**	*5.3*
Chobe	-	2	9	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	**18**	*0.7*
Ghanzi	-	3	12	6	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	**25**	*1.0*
Kgalagadi	-	9	13	11	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	**38**	*1.5*
N/Known	1	-	3	2	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	**9**	*0.4*
Total	**29**	**373**	**909**	**593**	**295**	**128**	**60**	**33**	**21**	**9**	**14**	**2,464**	*100.0*
Percent	*1.2*	*15.1*	*36.9*	*24.1*	*12.0*	*5.2*	*2.4*	*1.3*	*0.9*	*0.4*	*0.6*	*100.0*	

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