



Births - Method of Delivery

Data are for the U.S.

- Number of vaginal deliveries: 2,642,892
- Number of Cesarean deliveries: 1,284,339
- Percent of all deliveries by Cesarean: 32.7%

Source: [Births: Final Data for 2013, table 21](#) [PDF - 1.8 MB]

More data

- [Birth Data](#)
- [Births in the United States, 2013 \(http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/data/databriefs/db175.htm\)](http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/data/databriefs/db175.htm)
- [Changes in Cesarean Delivery Rates by Gestational Age: United States, 1996–2011](#)
- [Primary Cesarean Delivery Rates, by State: Results From the Revised Birth Certificate, 2006–2012 \[PDF - 274 KB\]](#) [PDF%20-%20274%20KB]%20%3C/a%3E)
- [Trends in Low-risk Cesarean Delivery in the United States, 1990–2013](#) [PDF - 423 KB]
- [VitalStats - Online data tool](#)

Related Links

[Vital Statistics downloadable public use data files](#)

[American College of Nurse Midwives \(http://www.midwife.org\)](http://www.midwife.org)

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