

Table 8-3
Live births, by weeks of gestation and geography — Females

Weeks of gestation	Place of residence of mother						
	Canada	Newfoundland and Labrador	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario
	number						
Total	179,527	2,230	716	4,306	3,443	41,143	67,625
42 weeks or more	990	7	9	41	13	129	237
37 to 41 weeks	165,221	2,034	663	3,951	3,193	38,141	62,344
37 to 39 weeks	91,020	1,094	380	2,019	1,629	21,873	34,892
40 to 41 weeks	74,201	940	283	1,932	1,564	16,268	27,452
Less than 37 weeks	13,244	187	44	314	237	2,850	5,030
28 to 36 weeks	12,491	172	43	297	226	2,672	4,777
28 to 31 weeks	1,106	15	5	27	19	202	427
32 to 33 weeks	1,566	20	12	47	25	297	636
34 to 36 weeks	9,819	137	26	223	182	2,173	3,714
20 to 27 weeks	728	11	1	17	11	166	252
20 to 23 weeks	219	4	1	5	2	58	52
24 to 27 weeks	509	7	0	12	9	108	200
Less than 20 weeks	25	4	0	0	0	12	1
Not stated	72	2	0	0	0	23	14
	percent						
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
42 weeks or more	0.6	0.3	1.3	1.0	0.4	0.3	0.4
37 to 41 weeks	92.0	91.2	92.6	91.8	92.7	92.7	92.2
37 to 39 weeks	50.7	49.1	53.1	46.9	47.3	53.2	51.6
40 to 41 weeks	41.3	42.2	39.5	44.9	45.4	39.5	40.6
Less than 37 weeks	7.4	8.4	6.1	7.3	6.9	6.9	7.4
28 to 36 weeks	7.0	7.7	6.0	6.9	6.6	6.5	7.1
28 to 31 weeks	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.6
32 to 33 weeks	0.9	0.9	1.7	1.1	0.7	0.7	0.9
34 to 36 weeks	5.5	6.1	3.6	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.5
20 to 27 weeks	0.4	0.5	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4
20 to 23 weeks	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
24 to 27 weeks	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Less than 20 weeks	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Not stated	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0

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Weeks of gestation	Place of residence of mother								
	Canada	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia	Yukon	Northwest Territories	Nunavut	Unknown
	number								
Total	179,527	7,472	6,479	24,063	21,122	169	357	401	1
42 weeks or more	990	221	84	111	115	10	10	3	0
37 to 41 weeks	165,221	6,695	5,900	22,004	19,485	143	321	347	0
37 to 39 weeks	91,020	3,261	2,897	12,175	10,343	83	150	224	0
40 to 41 weeks	74,201	3,434	3,003	9,829	9,142	60	171	123	0
Less than 37 weeks	13,244	548	495	1,948	1,502	16	26	46	1
28 to 36 weeks	12,491	518	460	1,828	1,410	16	26	45	1
28 to 31 weeks	1,106	45	39	170	141	0	7	9	0
32 to 33 weeks	1,566	56	56	246	164	2	3	2	0
34 to 36 weeks	9,819	417	365	1,412	1,105	14	16	34	1
20 to 27 weeks	728	30	34	116	89	0	0	1	0
20 to 23 weeks	219	11	14	46	26	0	0	0	0
24 to 27 weeks	509	19	20	70	63	0	0	1	0
Less than 20 weeks	25	0	1	4	3	0	0	0	0
Not stated	72	8	0	0	20	0	0	5	0
	percent								
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
42 weeks or more	0.6	3.0	1.3	0.5	0.5	5.9	2.8	0.7	0.0
37 to 41 weeks	92.0	89.6	91.1	91.4	92.2	84.6	89.9	86.5	0.0
37 to 39 weeks	50.7	43.6	44.7	50.6	49.0	49.1	42.0	55.9	0.0
40 to 41 weeks	41.3	46.0	46.3	40.8	43.3	35.5	47.9	30.7	0.0
Less than 37 weeks	7.4	7.3	7.6	8.1	7.1	9.5	7.3	11.5	100.0
28 to 36 weeks	7.0	6.9	7.1	7.6	6.7	9.5	7.3	11.2	100.0
28 to 31 weeks	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.0	2.0	2.2	0.0
32 to 33 weeks	0.9	0.7	0.9	1.0	0.8	1.2	0.8	0.5	0.0
34 to 36 weeks	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.9	5.2	8.3	4.5	8.5	100.0
20 to 27 weeks	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0
20 to 23 weeks	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
24 to 27 weeks	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0
Less than 20 weeks	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Not stated	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.2	0.0

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for the tables".

Source(s): Statistics Canada, Canadian Vital Statistics, Birth Database (CANSIM table 102-4512).