

TABLE 36A :—AVERAGE AGE OF WIFE AT MARRIAGE AND PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION OF MARRIAGES CLASSIFIED BY WIFE'S AGE AT MARRIAGE AND BY BROAD OCCUPATIONAL CLASSIFICATION, DISTINGUISHING CATHOLICS AND OTHER RELIGIOUS DENOMINATIONS.—*Calculated from Table 36.*

DURATION OF MARRIAGE—UNDER ONE YEAR

BROAD OCCUPATIONAL CLASSIFICATION	Average Age of Wife at Marriage	AGE OF WIFE AT MARRIAGE									All Ages
		15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50 and over		
Agriculture	29.1	5.4	23.7	29.8	24.7	10.6	3.7	1.2	0.8	100.0	
Catholics	29.0	5.5	23.7	30.0	24.9	10.5	3.4	1.2	0.7	100.0	
Other Religious Denominations ...	30.3	5.2	23.8	25.9	20.0	12.4	9.0	1.7	2.1	100.0	
Fishermen	27.8	—	36.0	34.0	16.0	14.0	—	—	—	100.0	
Catholics	27.9	—	34.7	34.7	16.3	14.3	—	—	—	100.0	
Other Religious Denominations ...	22.9	—	100.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	100.0	
Manufacturing Occupations	27.2	8.5	34.0	31.0	15.8	6.4	2.4	1.2	0.7	100.0	
Catholics	27.1	8.6	34.4	31.0	15.4	6.4	2.3	1.2	0.7	100.0	
Other Religious Denominations ...	29.2	4.9	22.5	31.4	26.5	6.9	5.9	1.0	1.0	100.0	
Commercial and Finance	28.2	4.8	26.3	36.4	20.6	8.8	2.0	0.4	0.8	100.0	
Catholics	28.1	5.2	25.1	37.5	21.1	8.4	1.6	0.5	0.7	100.0	
Other Religious Denominations ...	28.7	1.5	35.0	28.5	16.8	11.7	5.1	—	1.5	100.0	
Professional Occupations	28.1	3.2	26.1	40.3	21.3	5.9	2.4	0.6	0.2	100.0	
Catholics	27.9	3.5	25.2	41.6	21.9	5.5	1.6	0.7	—	100.0	
Other Religious Denominations ...	29.1	1.4	31.5	32.9	17.8	8.2	6.8	—	1.4	100.0	
Public Administration and Defence ...	26.9	6.9	34.6	35.4	15.5	4.8	1.6	0.6	0.6	100.0	
Catholics	26.8	6.8	35.4	35.5	15.4	3.9	1.7	0.7	0.5	100.0	
Other Religious Denominations ...	29.4	7.5	20.0	32.5	17.5	20.0	—	—	2.5	100.0	
Personal Service	28.5	4.5	27.5	35.0	17.9	8.9	4.0	1.5	0.7	100.0	
Catholics	28.5	4.6	27.1	35.2	18.2	8.9	3.8	1.5	0.8	100.0	
Other Religious Denominations ...	28.2	—	50.0	25.0	—	12.5	12.5	—	—	100.0	
Clerks	28.3	0.8	24.7	43.1	22.0	6.3	2.2	0.5	0.3	100.0	
Catholics	28.1	0.7	26.2	43.5	21.6	5.3	2.0	0.3	0.3	100.0	
Other Religious Denominations ...	29.5	1.6	17.5	41.3	23.8	11.1	3.2	1.6	—	100.0	
Transport and Communication	27.0	8.3	36.9	28.4	15.4	7.5	2.5	0.6	0.4	100.0	
Catholics	27.0	8.2	37.1	28.6	15.1	7.4	2.6	0.6	0.3	100.0	
Other Religious Denominations ...	28.3	10.0	30.0	23.3	23.3	10.0	—	—	3.3	100.0	
Other Gainful Occupations	26.4	10.6	41.6	24.7	14.0	5.4	1.7	0.8	1.2	100.0	
Catholics	26.3	10.8	41.7	24.6	14.1	5.3	1.7	0.8	1.0	100.0	
Other Religious Denominations ...	31.3	—	35.0	30.0	10.0	10.0	—	—	15.0	100.0	
Retired and not Gainfully Occupied ...	28.0	14.1	39.3	21.4	7.3	6.5	2.3	4.2	5.0	100.0	
Catholics	27.6	15.5	39.5	21.4	6.7	6.3	2.1	4.6	3.8	100.0	
Other Religious Denominations ...	32.6	—	37.5	20.8	12.5	8.3	4.2	—	16.7	100.0	
TOTAL	28.0	6.6	29.5	31.1	19.9	8.3	2.8	1.1	0.8	100.0	
Catholics	28.0	6.8	29.6	31.2	19.9	8.1	2.7	1.1	0.7	100.0	
Other Religious Denominations ...	29.7	3.8	26.9	29.1	19.7	11.2	6.1	0.9	2.4	100.0	