

Table 33 Family units in private households classified by family cycle (youngest child) and number of children

Family cycle	Number of children in family unit								Total family units	Number of children
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7+		
	Number of family units									
Husband and wife (or couple) without children										
Wife under 45 years of age	50,398	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	50,398	—
Wife aged 45 - 64 years	49,942	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	49,942	—
Wife aged 65 years and over	45,062	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	45,062	—
Total	145,402	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	145,402	—
Husband and wife (or couple) with children										
Youngest child under 5 years of age	—	40,359	52,655	39,202	22,853	11,085	5,499	4,369	176,022	478,118
" " aged 5-9 years	—	9,107	30,318	31,174	21,228	9,893	4,352	2,487	108,559	342,982
" " aged 10-14 years	—	9,356	27,005	25,242	13,655	5,180	1,967	827	83,232	237,649
" " aged 15 years and over	—	59,034	42,435	19,931	7,048	2,023	664	167	131,302	247,229
Total	—	117,856	152,413	115,549	64,784	28,181	12,482	7,850	499,115	1,305,978
Lone father with children										
Youngest child under 5 years of age	—	476	354	240	169	79	40	45	1,403	3,577
" " aged 5-9 years	—	306	522	438	296	162	72	50	1,846	5,465
" " aged 10-14 years	—	530	842	651	345	144	43	32	2,587	6,766
" " aged 15 years and over	—	8,311	3,299	1,171	374	128	34	14	13,331	20,865
Total	—	9,623	5,017	2,500	1,184	513	189	141	19,167	36,673
Lone mother with children										
Youngest child under 5 years of age	—	5,711	4,041	2,589	1,514	736	361	337	15,289	36,077
" " aged 5-9 years	—	3,329	3,501	2,538	1,497	697	327	209	12,098	30,963
" " aged 10-14 years	—	2,770	3,551	2,435	1,294	481	195	122	10,848	26,842
" " aged 15 years and over	—	34,960	14,009	4,822	1,484	508	163	60	56,006	87,332
Total	—	46,770	25,102	12,384	5,789	2,422	1,046	728	94,241	181,214
Total family units	145,402	174,249	182,532	130,433	71,757	31,116	13,717	8,719	757,925	1,523,865