

20.—Distribution of Deaths in the Registration Area, by certain Age-Groups, 1921-1925.

Age-groups.	Deaths at each age.									
	Male.					Female.				
	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925.
Under 1 year.....	8,558	8,175	7,914	6,960	6,912	6,335	6,081	5,908	5,415	5,257
1 year.....	1,089	1,043	1,037	926	848	927	864	954	783	750
2 years.....	501	497	475	452	410	409	452	407	361	367
3 years.....	385	321	341	343	292	341	290	281	307	279
4 years.....	314	275	233	279	242	291	257	223	237	214
Total under 5.....	10,527	10,314	10,000	8,960	8,704	8,303	7,944	7,773	7,103	6,867
5-9 years.....	1,166	1,048	934	852	854	979	890	884	792	639
10-14 years.....	674	681	673	662	677	611	600	555	606	542
15-19 years.....	866	821	861	814	802	741	736	760	735	719
20-24 years.....	947	941	893	889	907	946	980	920	915	942
25-29 years.....	1,043	996	992	930	859	1,034	1,042	980	916	910
30-34 years.....	999	1,015	1,000	903	854	1,049	1,083	1,022	988	907
35-39 years.....	1,259	1,223	1,243	1,140	1,076	1,220	1,221	1,234	1,145	1,066
40-44 years.....	1,250	1,287	1,331	1,280	1,269	1,072	1,129	1,101	1,088	1,087
45-49 years.....	1,340	1,362	1,349	1,392	1,404	1,065	1,174	1,177	1,141	1,143
50-54 years.....	1,488	1,523	1,550	1,532	1,570	1,287	1,257	1,281	1,318	1,253
55-59 years.....	1,720	1,892	1,972	1,767	1,861	1,336	1,421	1,538	1,396	1,431
60-64 years.....	2,111	2,191	2,386	2,317	2,322	1,651	1,729	1,968	1,803	1,854
65-69 years.....	2,269	2,583	2,732	2,713	2,818	1,972	2,016	2,199	2,120	2,240
70-74 years.....	2,539	2,769	2,834	2,799	2,903	2,181	2,279	2,429	2,347	2,464
75-79 years.....	2,368	2,509	2,620	2,626	2,784	2,132	2,404	2,570	2,276	2,425
80-89 years.....	2,963	3,203	3,446	3,278	3,353	3,004	3,329	3,565	3,308	3,511
90 years+.....	502	570	599	588	586	699	705	773	768	781
Stated ages.....	36,331	36,938	37,435	35,342	35,602	31,282	31,939	32,629	30,765	30,781
Age not stated.....	80	106	82	73	79	29	45	36	17	15
Total all ages.....	36,411	37,044	37,517	35,415	35,681	31,311	31,984	32,665	30,782	30,796

21.—Percentage Distribution of Deaths in the Registration Area, by certain Age-Groups, 1921-1925.

Age-groups.	Total.					Male.					Female.				
	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925.
Under 1 year.....	22.0	20.7	19.7	15.7	18.3	23.6	22.1	21.1	19.7	19.4	20.3	19.0	18.1	17.6	17.1
1-4 years.....	6.3	5.8	5.6	5.6	5.1	6.2	5.8	5.6	5.7	5.0	6.3	5.8	5.7	5.5	5.2
Total under 5 yrs.....	28.3	26.5	25.4	24.3	23.5	29.8	27.9	26.7	25.4	24.4	26.5	24.9	23.8	23.1	22.3
5-9 years.....	3.2	2.8	2.6	2.5	2.2	3.2	2.8	2.5	2.4	2.4	3.1	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.1
10-14 years.....	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.9	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.7	2.0	1.8
15-19 years.....	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.2	2.4	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.3
20-24 years.....	2.8	2.8	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.5	3.0	3.1	2.8	3.0	3.1
25-29 years.....	3.1	3.0	2.8	2.6	2.7	2.9	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.6	3.0	3.3	3.0	3.0	3.0
30-34 years.....	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.6	3.4	3.4	3.1	3.2	2.9
35-39 years.....	3.7	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.2	3.6	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.0	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.5
40-44 years.....	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.5
45-49 years.....	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.4	3.7	3.6	3.7	3.7
50-54 years.....	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.3	4.3	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.3	4.4	4.1	3.9	3.9	4.3	4.1
55-59 years.....	4.5	4.8	5.0	4.8	5.0	4.7	5.1	5.3	5.0	5.2	4.3	4.4	4.7	4.5	4.6
60-64 years.....	5.6	5.7	6.1	6.2	6.3	5.8	5.9	6.4	6.6	6.5	5.3	5.4	5.7	5.9	6.0
65-69 years.....	6.3	6.7	7.0	7.3	7.6	6.2	7.0	7.3	7.7	7.9	6.3	6.3	6.7	6.9	7.3
70-74 years.....	7.0	7.3	7.5	7.8	8.1	7.0	7.5	7.6	7.9	8.2	7.0	7.1	7.4	7.6	8.0
75-79 years.....	6.7	7.1	7.4	7.4	7.8	6.5	6.8	7.0	7.4	7.8	6.8	7.5	7.9	7.4	7.9
80-89 years.....	8.8	9.5	10.0	10.0	10.3	8.2	8.7	9.2	9.3	9.4	9.8	10.4	10.9	10.8	11.4
90 years and over.....	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.1	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.7	1.6	2.2	2.2	2.4	2.5	2.5
Total for all stated ages.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Death Rates by Age-Groups.—The death rate per 1,000 persons living in each group are shown in Table 22 for the years 1921-24. The calculations are made on the assumption that the age constitution of the estimated population of the later years is the same as that of the ascertained population of the census year. In view of the shortness of the period under consideration, this assumption is approximately accurate.

In this table, as well as in the preceding table, will be noted a declining death rate at the earlier ages, a stationary death rate between 35 and 55, and an increasing