

#### 4.40 Numerical and percentage distribution of deaths by age group and sex, 1961, 1966 and 1971 (concluded)

Age group	Distribution									% change in death rate 1961-71
	1961			1966			1971			
	No.	%	Rate <sup>a</sup>	No.	%	Rate <sup>a</sup>	No.	%	Rate <sup>a</sup>	
Female										
Under 1 year	5,493	9.4	23.7	3,822	6.2	20.2	2,644	4.0	15.1	-36.3
1-4 years	844	1.4	1.0	775	1.3	0.9	551	0.8	0.8	-20.0
5-9 "	405	0.7	0.4	480	0.8	0.4	424	0.7	0.4	-
10-14 "	278	0.5	0.3	318	0.5	0.3	365	0.6	0.3	-
15-19 "	322	0.6	0.5	467	0.8	0.5	579	0.9	0.6	+20.0
20-24 "	342	0.6	0.6	403	0.7	0.5	559	0.9	0.6	-
25-29 "	418	0.7	0.7	384	0.6	0.6	485	0.7	0.6	-14.3
30-34 "	562	1.0	0.9	564	0.9	0.9	565	0.9	0.9	-
35-39 "	880	1.5	1.4	845	1.4	1.3	815	1.2	1.3	-7.1
40-44 "	1,099	1.9	2.0	1,293	2.1	2.0	1,290	2.0	2.1	+5.0
45-49 "	1,617	2.8	3.2	1,823	2.9	3.3	1,901	2.9	3.0	-6.2
50-54 "	2,237	3.8	5.3	2,434	3.9	5.0	2,480	3.8	4.6	-13.2
55-59 "	2,749	4.7	8.0	3,115	5.0	7.7	3,477	5.3	7.2	-10.0
60-64 "	3,725	6.4	12.8	4,064	6.6	12.2	4,345	6.6	11.0	-14.1
65-69 "	5,304	9.1	21.4	5,393	8.7	19.5	5,614	8.6	17.3	-19.2
70-74 "	7,058	12.1	34.2	7,063	11.4	30.9	7,138	10.9	28.3	-17.3
75-79 "	8,290	14.2	59.2	8,695	14.0	53.9	8,930	13.6	48.1	-18.7
80-84 "	7,871	13.5	101.2	9,048	14.6	93.6	9,763	14.9	82.4	-18.6
85 years and over	8,782	15.1	192.2	10,964	17.7	183.4	13,524	20.7	163.3	-15.0
Total, all ages	58,276	100.0	6.5	61,950	100.0	6.2	65,449	100.0	6.1	-6.2
	1961		1966		1971					
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female				
Average age at death	59.7	63.1	62.0	65.9	63.3	68.2				
Median age at death <sup>a</sup>	67.9	72.2	68.4	73.5	68.5	74.7				

<sup>a</sup>Per 1,000 population per age group.

<sup>b</sup>The age above and below which half of the total number of annual deaths occurred.

#### 4.41 Deaths and rate per 100,000 population according to the International Abbreviated List of 50 Causes, 1975

Abbreviated "B" List No.	Detailed List No.	Cause (eighth revision)	Deaths	Rate per 100,000 population
1	000	Cholera	—	—
2	001	Typhoid fever	—	—
3	004,006	Bacillary dysentery and amoebiasis	6	—
4	008,009	Enteritis and other diarrhoeal diseases	248	1.1
5	010-012	Tuberculosis of respiratory system	168	0.7
6	013-019	Other tuberculosis, including late effects	110	0.5
7	020	Plague	—	—
8	032	Diphtheria	2	—
9	033	Whooping cough	9	—
10	034	Streptococcal sore throat and scarlet fever	1	—
11	036	Meningococcal infection	39	0.2
12	040-043	Acute poliomyelitis	—	—
13	050	Smallpox	—	—
14	055	Measles	7	—
15	080-083	Typhus and other rickettsioses	—	—
16	084	Malaria	—	—
17	090-097	Syphilis and its sequelae	21	0.1
18	Remainder of 000-136	All other infective and parasitic diseases	424	1.9
19	140-209	Malignant neoplasms, including neoplasms of lymphatic and haematopoietic tissue	34,019	149.2
20	210-239	Benign neoplasms and neoplasms of unspecified nature	362	1.6
21	250	Diabetes mellitus	3,163	13.9
22	260-269	Avitaminoses and other nutritional deficiency	177	0.8
23	280-285	Anaemias	336	1.5
24	320	Meningitis	110	0.5
25	390-392	Active rheumatic fever	24	0.1
26	393-398	Chronic rheumatic heart disease	1,137	5.0
27	400-404	Hypertensive disease	1,394	6.1
28	410-414	Ischaemic heart disease	50,638	222.1
29	420-429	Other forms of heart disease	4,280	18.8
30	430-438	Cerebrovascular disease	16,434	72.1
31	470-474	Influenza	597	2.6
32	480-486	Pneumonia	5,454	23.9
33	490-493	Bronchitis, emphysema and asthma	3,051	13.4
34	531-533	Peptic ulcer	735	3.2
35	540-543	Appendicitis	82	0.4
36	550-553, 560	Intestinal obstruction and hernia	621	2.7
37	571	Cirrhosis of liver	2,725	12.0
38	580-584	Nephritis and nephrosis	628	2.8
39	600	Hyperplasia of prostate	148	0.6
40	640-645	Abortion	3	—
41	630-639	Other complications of pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium	24	0.1
42	650-678	Congenital anomalies	1,635	7.2