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I transmit herewith Volume IV of the Reports on Population, based on data from the Sixteenth Decennial Census. This census was taken as of April 1, 1940, under the act providing for the Fifteenth and subsequent decennial censuses, approved June 18, 1929.

This volume, which is printed in four parts, presents the general characteristics of the population cross-classified by age for the United States as of April 1, 1940. The subjects included are citizenship, marital status, relationship to head of household, school attendance, highest grade of school completed, and employment status. Part 1 constitutes a summary for the United States, Part 2 presents statistics for the several States, arranged alphabetically, from Alabama to Louisiana; Part 3, from Maine to North Dakota; and Part 4, from Ohio to Wyoming.

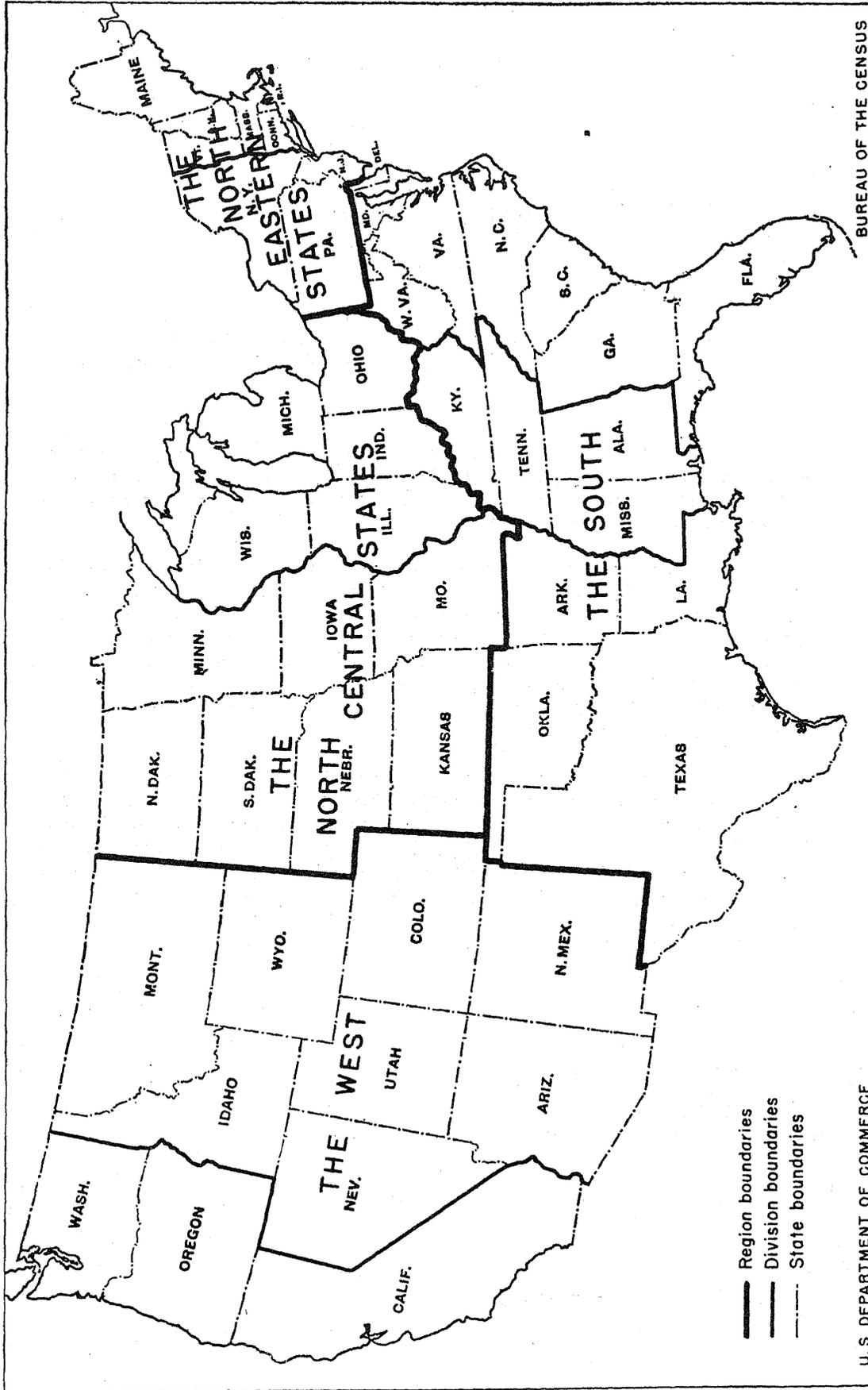
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MAP OF THE UNITED STATES SHOWING REGIONS, DIVISIONS, AND STATES



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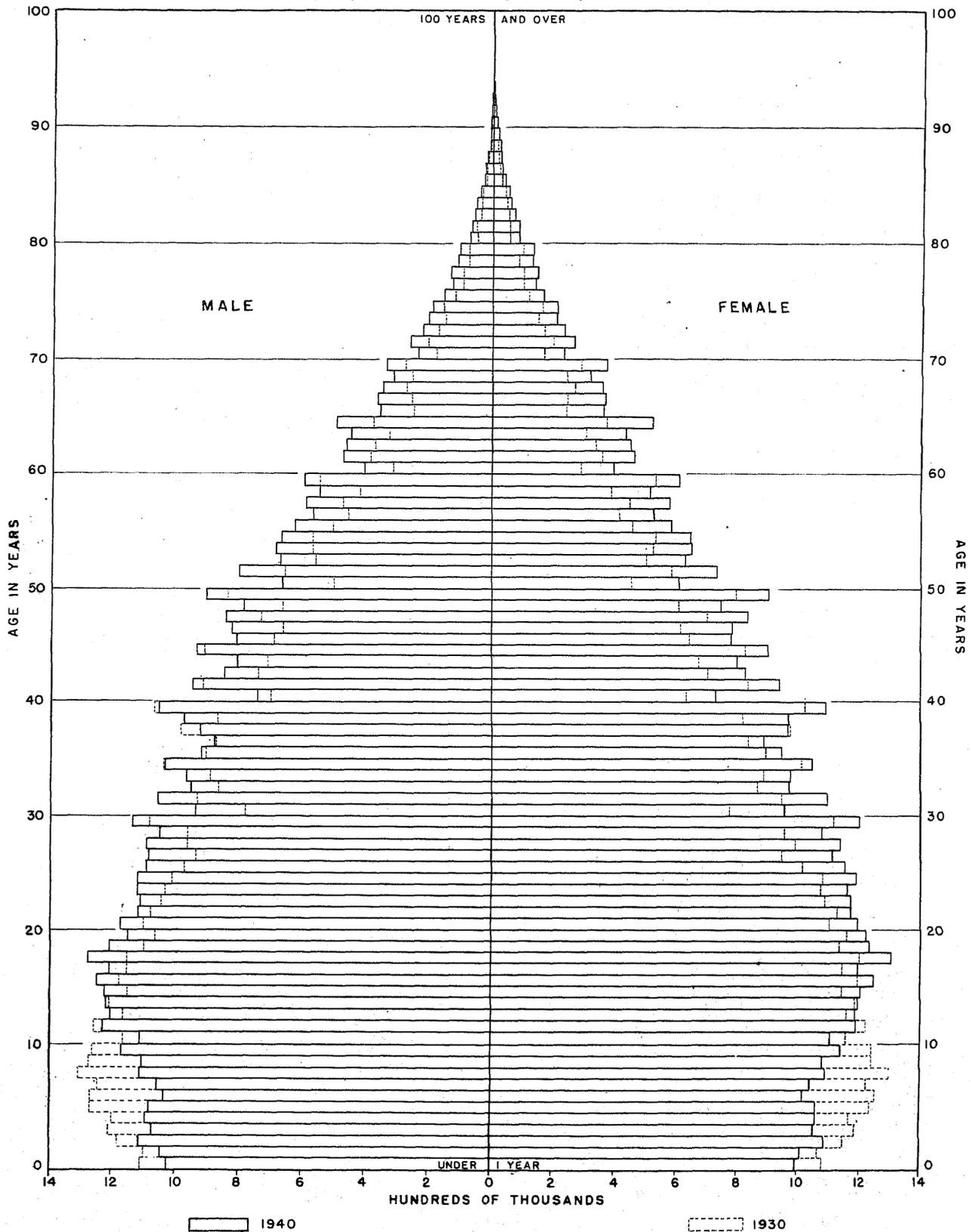
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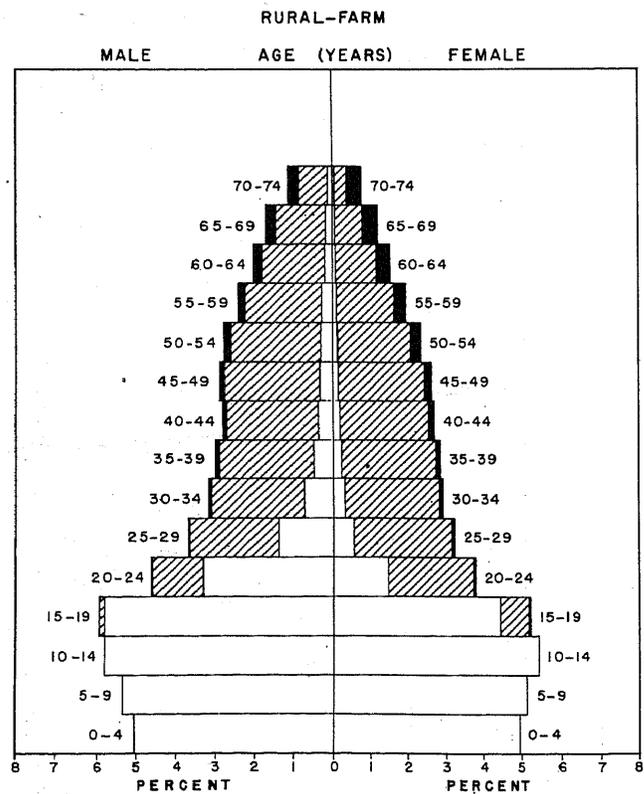
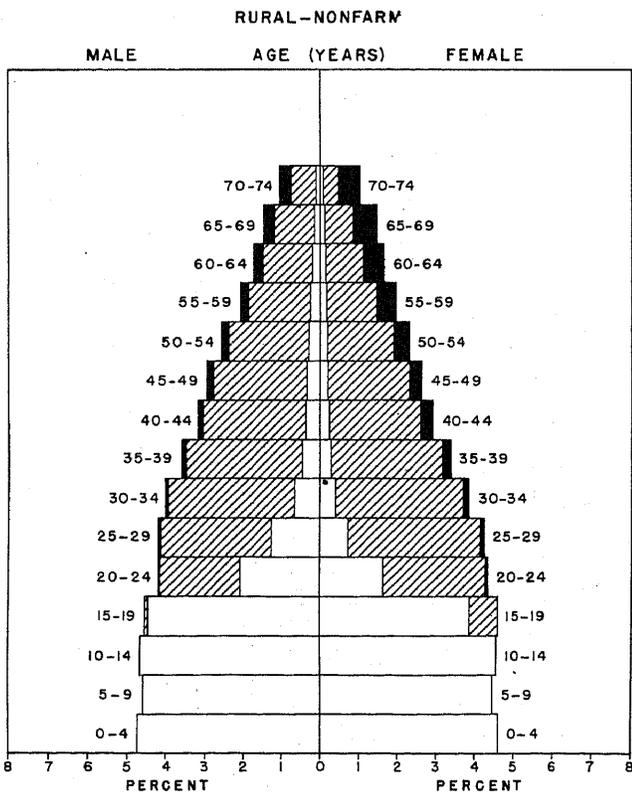
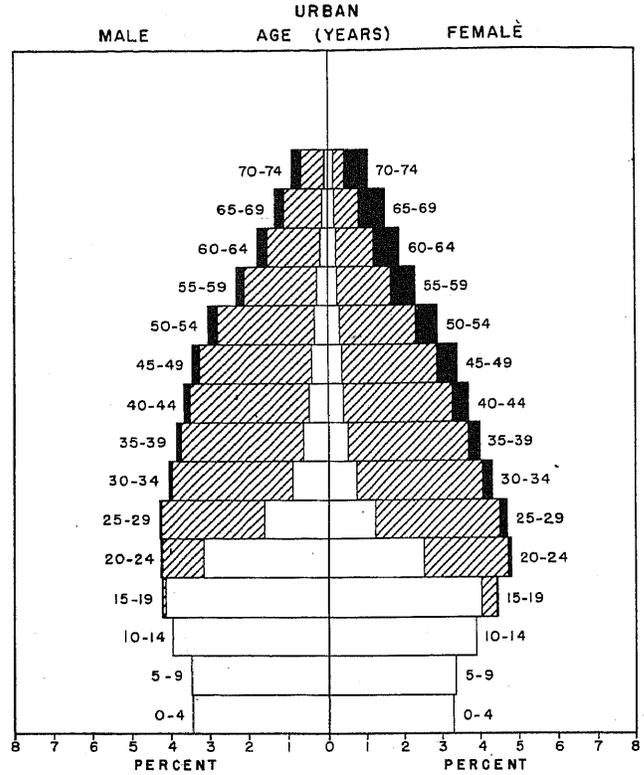
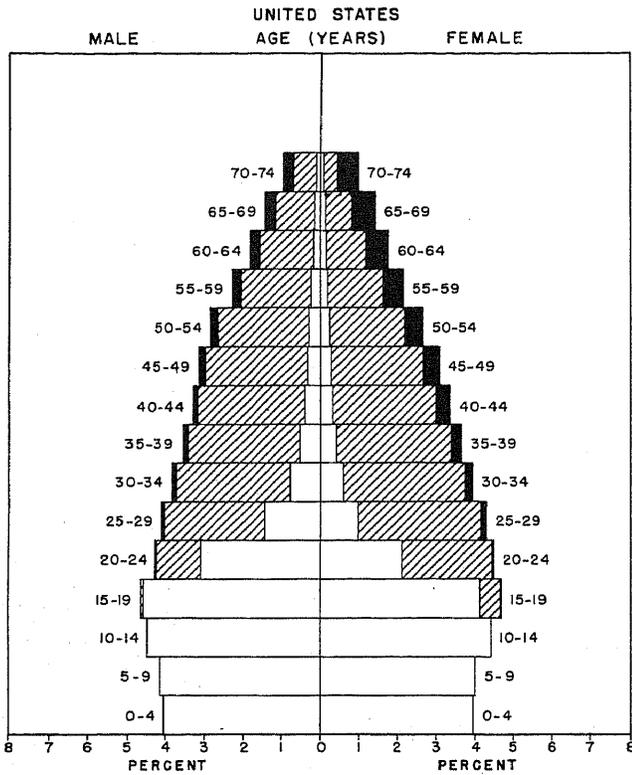
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(Percentages based on population of all ages)



SINGLE



MARRIED



WIDOWED AND DIVORCED



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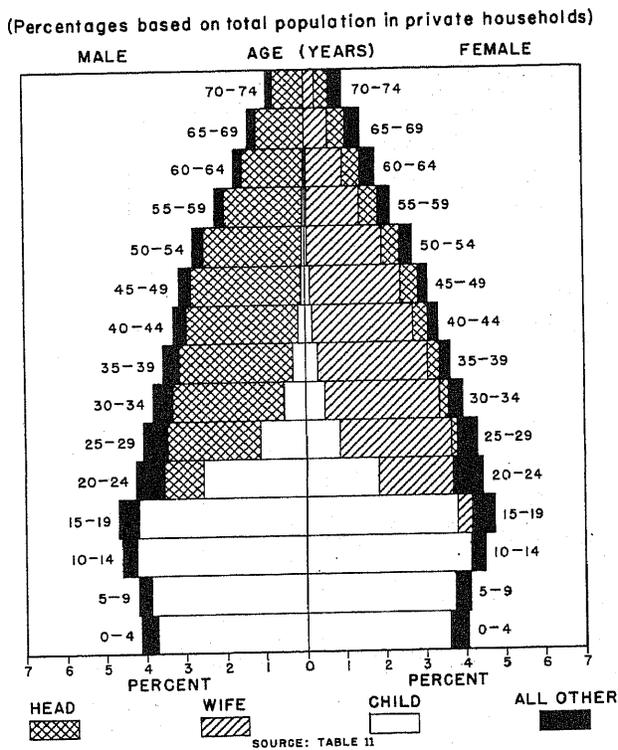


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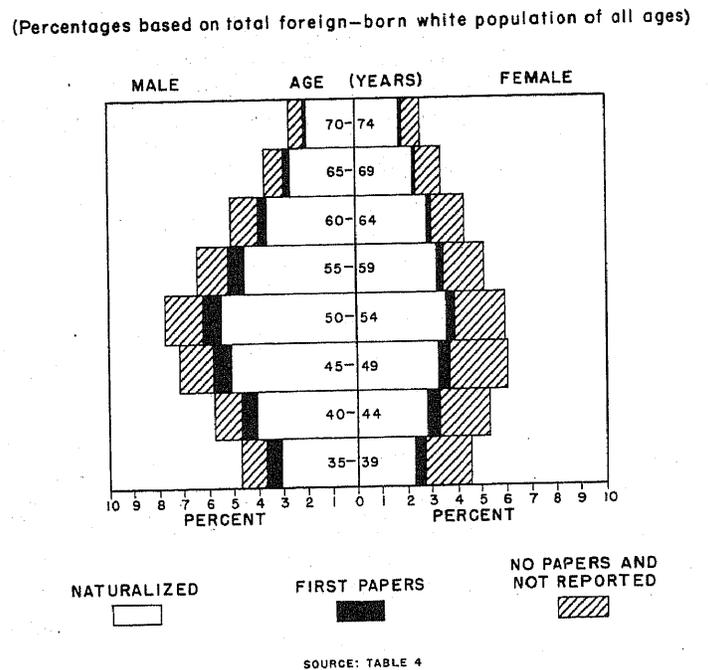


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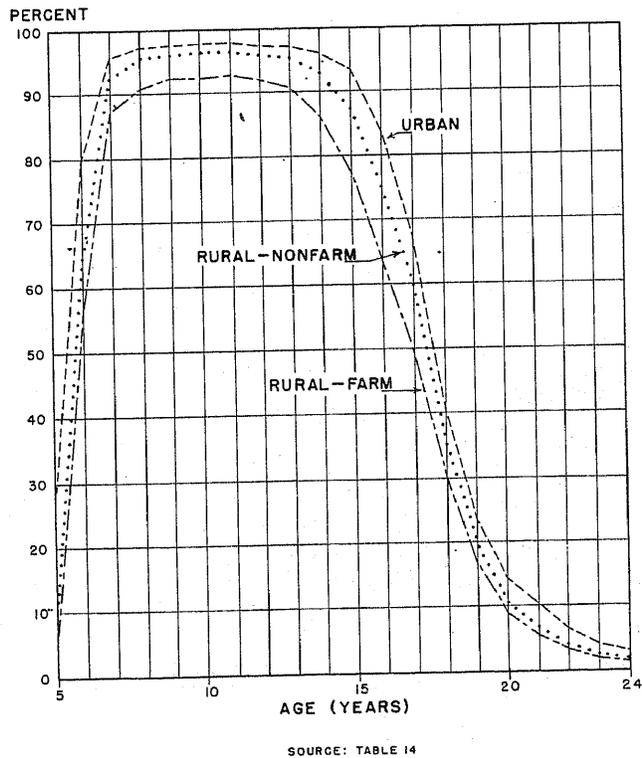


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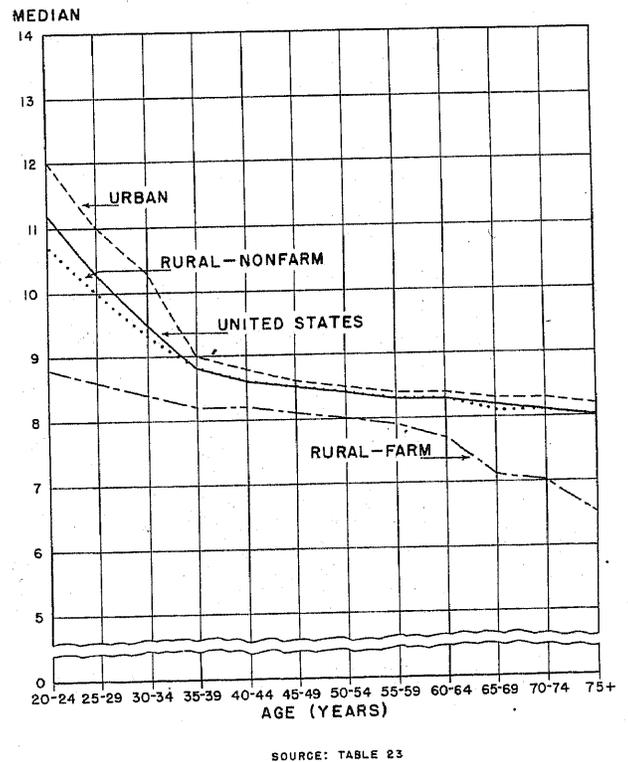
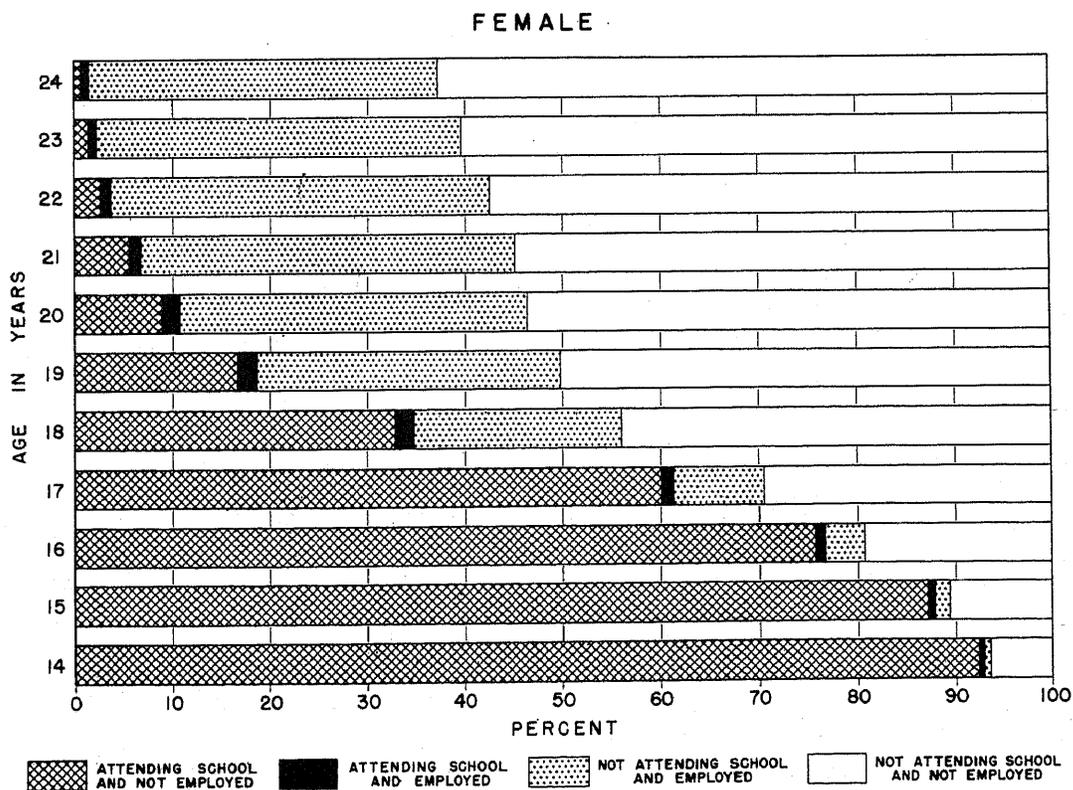
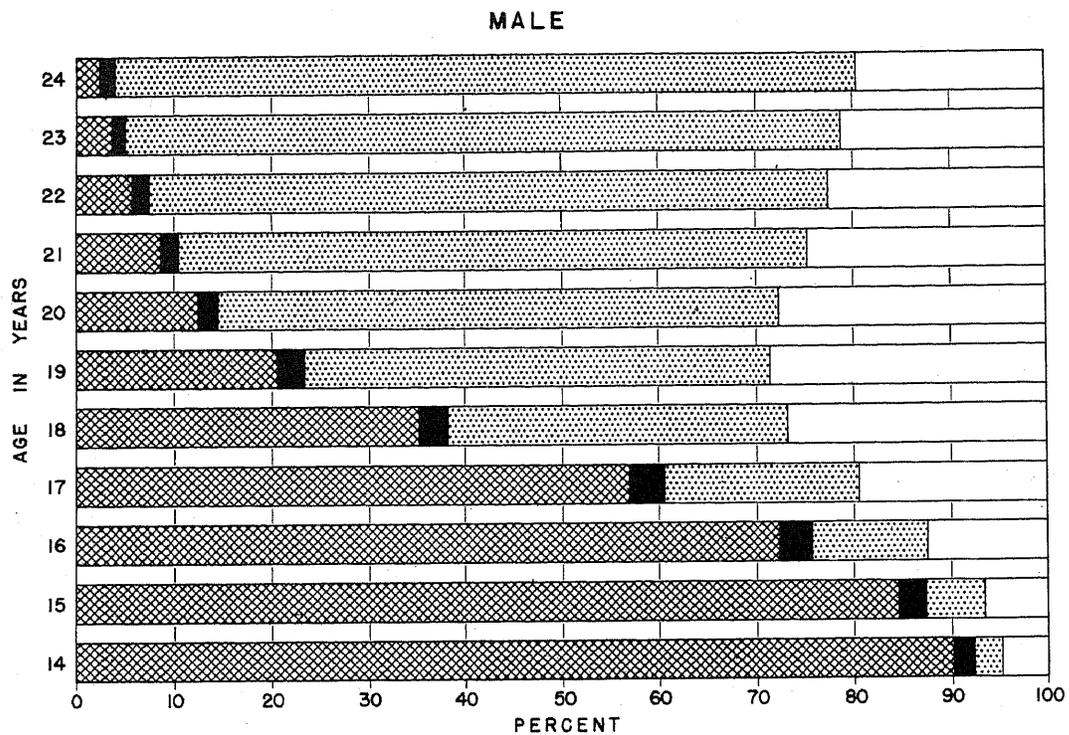


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