

Table 5. Average Annual Probabilities of Widowhood Per 1,000 Married Persons 14 to 69 Years Old Married Once, by Number of Years in First Marriage, Race, and Sex: 1960 to 1966, 1950 to 1959, and 1940 to 1949

(Numbers in thousands)

Period, year of first marriage, and sex	All races			White			Negro		
	Number married	Widowed in period		Number married	Widowed in period		Number married	Widowed in period	
		Number widowed	Per 1,000 married		Number widowed	Per 1,000 married		Number widowed	Per 1,000 married
1960 TO 1966 ¹									
Men									
1st to 5th year.....	39,813	21	1	35,840	13	(Z)	3,611	8	2
6th to 10th year.....	35,766	42	1	32,471	29	1	2,924	13	4
11th to 15th year.....	35,900	56	2	32,893	45	1	2,647	11	4
16th to 20th year.....	36,067	68	2	33,253	60	2	2,443	7	3
21st to 25th year.....	31,104	87	3	28,950	62	2	1,851	22	12
26th to 30th year.....	23,004	92	4	21,341	78	4	1,475	13	9
31st to 56th year.....	34,251	309	9	32,089	265	8	1,927	41	21
Women									
1st to 5th year.....	42,221	88	2	36,975	69	2	4,708	18	4
6th to 10th year.....	37,567	80	2	33,284	56	2	3,804	24	6
11th to 15th year.....	37,295	127	3	33,599	102	3	3,264	25	8
16th to 20th year.....	37,310	204	6	33,891	173	5	3,020	29	10
21st to 25th year.....	32,424	220	7	29,766	191	6	2,362	20	9
26th to 30th year.....	24,346	296	12	22,391	268	12	1,815	27	15
31st to 56th year.....	43,141	985	23	40,408	905	22	2,430	67	28
1950 TO 1959 ¹									
Men									
1st to 5th year.....	56,667	49	1	51,378	39	1	4,644	10	2
6th to 10th year.....	54,675	53	1	50,026	45	1	4,121	8	2
11th to 15th year.....	49,396	79	2	45,654	66	1	3,275	13	4
16th to 20th year.....	38,685	62	2	35,858	47	1	2,496	14	6
21st to 25th year.....	26,356	91	3	24,436	80	3	1,754	10	6
26th to 30th year.....	18,814	45	2	17,654	42	2	1,052	3	3
31st to 49th year.....	16,606	60	4	15,453	52	3	984	8	8
Women									
1st to 5th year.....	59,789	124	2	53,308	100	2	5,817	24	4
6th to 10th year.....	58,408	139	2	52,690	110	2	5,121	29	6
11th to 15th year.....	53,129	218	4	48,353	176	4	4,280	41	10
16th to 20th year.....	42,214	218	5	38,657	190	5	3,264	28	9
21st to 25th year.....	30,619	253	8	28,264	227	8	2,204	26	12
26th to 30th year.....	24,211	282	12	22,638	253	11	1,391	23	16
31st to 49th year.....	28,222	472	17	26,312	429	16	1,663	42	25
1940 TO 1949 ¹									
Men									
1st to 5th year.....	55,193	96	2	50,402	77	2	4,273	19	4
6th to 10th year.....	42,645	72	2	39,274	60	2	3,030	13	4
11th to 15th year.....	28,849	49	2	26,656	43	2	2,014	6	3
16th to 20th year.....	20,499	84	4	19,130	73	4	1,244	6	5
21st to 25th year.....	12,929	53	4	12,036	48	4	795	4	6
26th to 30th year.....	4,433	22	5	4,072	19	5	307	3	9
31st to 39th year.....	472	-	-	415	-	-	40	-	-
Women									
1st to 5th year.....	61,405	281	5	55,316	252	5	5,538	26	5
6th to 10th year.....	48,105	189	4	43,666	169	4	4,118	20	5
11th to 15th year.....	34,700	174	5	31,801	154	5	2,737	19	7
16th to 20th year.....	27,655	197	7	25,711	179	7	1,736	18	10
21st to 25th year.....	20,971	138	7	19,511	118	6	1,256	19	15
26th to 30th year.....	10,169	120	12	9,426	110	12	657	7	11
31st to 39th year.....	1,953	41	21	1,758	40	23	174	1	(B)

- Represents zero.

B Base too small to show derived figures (see text).

Z Less than 0.5 per 1,000.

¹Persons married once who began specified year of first marriage during this period.