

TABLE 2. Number (in 000s) and percentage of married women in the developing world with an unmet need for contraception, by region, 1996 and 2000

Region	No.		%	
	1996	2000	1996	2000
All	101,700	104,086	19	17
Asia (except China)	62,100	61,142	19	16
Sub-Saharan Africa	22,200	23,550	26	24
Latin America/Caribbean	11,200	11,088	17	14
North Africa/Middle East	6,200	8,306	16	16

Note: The total differs from the total in Table 1 because of the exclusion of the Central Asian republics. *Source:* For 1996, see reference 6, Table 1.