

TABLE 1. Percentage of 20–24-year-old women in Africa, Latin America and the Caribbean who were married as adolescents, by age and country

Country	Year of survey	% married		
		By age 15	By age 18	By age 20
South and East Africa				
Ethiopia	2000	19.1	49.1	64.7
Kenya	2003	5.6	37.8	70.8
Malawi	2000	10.2	46.9	72.9
Mozambique	2003	18.4	55.9	74.9
Namibia	2000	8.3	34.3	58.3
Rwanda	2000	2.1	19.5	41.6
South Africa	1998	1.1	7.9	14.2
Tanzania	2003	4.3	22.1	39.2
Uganda	2001–2002	17.5	62.9	87.5
Zambia	2001–2002	7.8	42.1	63.3
Zimbabwe	1999	4.6	28.7	52.9
West Africa				
Benin	2001	7.5	36.7	58.5
Burkina Faso	2003	6.2	62.2	90.2
Cameroon	2004	16.5	47.2	64.0
Côte d'Ivoire	1998–1999	14.3	49.7	76.2
Gabon	2000	10.8	33.6	48.9
Ghana	2003	10.4	48.0	79.8
Guinea	1999	27.5	64.5	78.8
Mali	2001	24.5	65.4	80.9
Niger	1998	39.5	86.6	95.9
Nigeria	2003	30.0	67.6	86.8
Togo	1998	14.3	49.7	77.6
Latin America/Caribbean				
Brazil	1996	4.4	23.7	38.8
Colombia	2000	4.1	21.4	37.1
Dom. Republic	2002	9.6	31.0	45.4
Guatemala	1998–1999	9.3	34.3	55.4
Haiti	2000	5.3	24.1	43.0
Nicaragua	2001	16.0	50.3	65.6
Peru	2003	2.6	17.0	27.9

Sources: Demographic and Health Surveys for the years shown.