

Table 2.4 : Live births registered by ethnic group of mother and district - 2008

District	All Ethnic Groups	Sinhalese	Sri lanka-Tamil	Indian-Tamil	Sri lanka-Moors	Burgher	Malay	Other
Sri Lanka	373575	271371	37093	16876	46812	645	628	150
Colombo	61331	47319	5076	751	7574	190	315	106
Gampaha	28233	25655	746	136	1443	147	86	20
Kalutara	17500	14539	518	336	2099	1	6	1
Kandy	30610	20741	1378	3295	5122	39	26	9
Matale	10454	7965	527	564	1392	1	5	0
Nuwaraeliya	10823	3119	469	6893	321	15	2	4
Galle	20956	19476	268	131	1077	1	1	2
Matara	14592	13674	214	233	469	0	2	0
Hambantota	9724	9276	49	6	239	1	153	0
Jaffna	7844	4	7808	8	23	1	0	0
Kilinochchi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mannar	1171	10	1027	7	127	0	0	0
Vavuniya	3130	229	2631	10	260	0	0	0
Mullativu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Batticaloa	11108	21	7478	7	3580	22	0	0
Ampara	14506	4781	2580	14	7113	15	3	0
Trincomalee	8512	1772	2263	91	4380	6	0	0
Kurunegala	27039	24041	373	37	2488	88	9	3
Puttalam	15056	10085	935	25	3989	21	1	0
Anuradhapura	16325	14672	109	27	1515	1	0	1
Polonnaruwa	7395	6404	134	27	826	3	1	0
Badulla	17613	13089	627	2875	1002	3	15	2
Monaragala	8072	7542	221	94	212	2	1	0
Ratnapura	20379	17638	1428	822	472	19	0	0
Kegalle	11202	9319	234	487	1089	69	2	2