

**Table 2.5.1 : Live births registered by age of mother and ethnicity of mother - 2018**

Ethnicity of mother	Age of Mother										
	Total	Less than 15	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50 & above	Not stated
<b>All ethnic group</b>	<b>328,409</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>11,211</b>	<b>58,157</b>	<b>102,527</b>	<b>94,012</b>	<b>50,454</b>	<b>10,829</b>	<b>966</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>117</b>
Sinhalese	227,589	22	6,415	35,005	70,416	69,642	37,327	7,913	728	75	46
Sri lanka-Tamil	38,415	3	1,926	7,848	12,069	9,995	5,286	1,144	107	20	17
Indian-Tamil	14,377	4	685	2,791	4,628	3,954	1,837	402	31	7	38
Sri lanka-Moors	46,618	3	2,159	12,273	14,968	10,007	5,781	1,317	98	2	10
Burgher	372	-	3	60	119	113	67	9	1	-	-
Malay	450	-	13	94	156	128	45	14	-	-	-
Other	221	-	5	36	80	63	27	10	-	-	-
Foreigners	354	-	5	49	88	109	82	20	1	-	-
Race Unknown	13	-	-	1	3	1	2	-	-	-	6