

Table 2.8 : SEX RATIO AT BIRTH AND LIVE BIRTHS OCCURRED IN HOSPITAL AND HOME BY DISTRICT - 1997

District	Total	Male	Female	Proportion of male	Legitimacy		Hospital births
				births per 100 female births	Births	Illegitimacy Births	
Sri Lanka	333219	170403	162816	104.7	329637	3582	317903
Colombo	56008	28646	27362	104.7	55805	203	55974
Gampaha	23771	12243	11528	106.2	23577	194	23727
Kalutara	15404	7847	7557	103.8	15220	184	15156
Kandy	27340	13939	13401	104.0	27065	275	26187
Matale	8063	4112	3951	104.1	8007	56	8058
Nuwaraeliya	10817	5650	5167	109.3	10679	138	7728
Galle	17988	9327	8661	107.7	17710	278	17706
Matara	14907	7667	7240	105.9	14462	445	14886
Hambantota	7478	3780	3698	102.2	7284	194	7452
Jaffna	7476	3841	3635	105.7	7476	0	7457
Kilinochchi	3093	1547	1546	100.1	3093	0	2720
Mannar	2072	1034	1038	99.6	2038	34	1957
Vavuniya	2753	1392	1361	102.3	2753	0	2752
Mullativu	4910	2488	2422	102.7	4910	0	4895
Batticaloa	9078	4638	4440	104.5	9078	0	5471
Ampara	10724	5515	5209	105.9	10723	1	7614
Trincomalee	7993	4121	3872	106.4	7920	73	7136
Kurunegala	22271	11238	11033	101.9	22201	70	22261
Puttalam	14080	7199	6881	104.6	13875	205	14055
Anuradhapura	14764	7581	7183	105.5	14643	121	13918
Polonnaruwa	5014	2596	2418	107.4	4955	59	4984
Badulla	16165	8024	8141	98.6	15986	179	15541
Monaragala	5700	2874	2826	101.7	5561	139	5236
Ratnapura	15918	8226	7692	106.9	15393	525	15883
Kegalle	9432	4878	4554	107.1	9223	209	9149