

**Table 1.4 Mean Age at Marriage of Men by District and Civil Condition in 2006: All Marriages**

District	All																
	Bachelors who married					Widowers who married			Divorced men who married			Polygamy who married					
	Men	Bachelors	Widowers	Divorced-men	Polygamy	Spinsters	Widows	Divorced-women	Spinsters	Widows	Divorced-women	Spinsters	Widows	Divorced-women	Spinsters	Widows	Divorced-women
<b>Sri Lanka</b>	28.3	28.1	42.6	38.4	27.4	28.1	35.7	33.2	41.0	46.1	43.8	37.3	43.9	39.3	26.1	0.0	34.3
Colombo	29.0	28.6	47.2	42.3	0.0	28.5	38.6	35.2	47.3	49.0	45.0	41.3	46.9	43.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
Gampaha	28.4	28.1	46.8	42.3	38.0	28.0	39.0	35.7	44.7	50.4	47.5	41.9	49.2	41.8	39.0	0.0	37.0
Kalutara	28.3	28.1	42.2	40.6	0.0	28.0	32.5	33.5	40.1	46.4	46.3	38.4	42.1	43.9	0.0	0.0	0.0
Kandy	28.8	28.6	44.0	39.7	0.0	28.6	36.4	34.5	43.0	46.3	43.8	38.4	43.1	41.4	0.0	0.0	0.0
Matale	28.2	27.9	47.2	39.6	0.0	27.9	34.4	35.0	44.0	50.6	47.8	34.1	48.5	37.9	0.0	0.0	0.0
Nuwara eliya	28.3	28.1	40.1	31.8	21.0	28.1	32.0	33.6	39.3	42.6	43.0	30.4	35.0	46.0	21.0	0.0	0.0
Galle	28.4	28.1	41.1	43.1	42.0	28.1	34.6	37.6	38.4	44.6	43.4	42.9	49.3	43.1	0.0	0.0	42.0
Matara	28.7	28.6	45.0	42.4	0.0	28.6	39.2	44.9	45.8	43.6	37.5	40.6	44.0	45.5	0.0	0.0	0.0
Hambantota	28.6	28.4	44.2	40.7	0.0	28.3	40.4	40.5	43.3	47.4	40.4	39.9	41.2	43.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Jaffna	30.5	30.3	43.4	39.9	0.0	30.2	35.6	30.5	42.8	46.5	0.0	39.1	50.5	46.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Kilinochchi	27.6	27.5	38.3	72.0	0.0	27.5	0.0	0.0	37.4	52.0	32.0	0.0	72.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Mannar	28.9	28.8	39.3	37.5	0.0	28.7	30.0	38.0	37.8	43.0	0.0	37.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Vavuniya	30.1	30.0	45.0	40.1	0.0	29.9	38.0	32.5	42.4	62.0	43.7	40.6	41.0	37.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Mullaitivu	28.8	28.5	37.2	37.2	0.0	28.5	35.0	41.0	35.6	40.2	41.2	38.4	28.0	37.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Batticaloa	27.2	26.9	38.5	32.6	0.0	26.9	33.7	27.1	37.9	36.4	42.8	31.7	39.0	33.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Ampara	27.6	27.3	37.8	32.7	0.0	27.2	29.9	28.1	34.6	41.7	43.2	31.3	36.3	34.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Trincomalee	26.9	26.7	39.9	30.9	0.0	26.7	32.2	26.0	37.0	39.1	44.0	27.7	40.0	32.8	0.0	0.0	0.0
Kurunegala	28.2	28.0	42.4	37.7	24.0	28.0	35.7	34.6	40.6	45.6	43.7	36.7	41.3	40.2	24.0	0.0	0.0
Puttalama	27.1	26.8	44.7	36.8	22.0	26.6	38.5	32.8	42.4	53.4	39.3	34.9	44.1	39.1	22.0	0.0	0.0
Anuradhapura	27.5	27.3	39.7	34.7	24.5	27.2	35.5	31.1	37.7	44.0	41.6	33.5	39.7	35.8	24.5	0.0	0.0
Polonnaruwa	27.6	27.4	48.0	33.8	26.3	27.4	37.2	29.8	44.2	58.8	42.3	35.3	32.7	32.1	26.8	0.0	24.0
Badulla	28.1	27.9	39.4	35.0	30.0	27.9	34.3	29.8	38.8	42.2	38.0	33.5	46.0	37.4	30.0	0.0	0.0
Monaragala	27.6	27.4	45.9	41.9	0.0	27.4	38.8	30.0	44.5	48.7	47.0	43.8	46.7	32.6	0.0	0.0	0.0
Ratnapura	28.3	28.2	41.0	38.8	0.0	28.2	29.3	29.3	37.7	53.0	55.0	37.6	46.0	41.6	0.0	0.0	0.0
Kegalle	28.8	28.7	47.3	38.0	0.0	28.6	40.0	31.7	47.7	44.8	52.4	36.1	45.3	38.6	0.0	0.0	0.0