

Estimates of stillbirth rate and number, intra-partum stillbirth rate and number and annual rate of reduction between 2000 and 2015: Evidence for Action countries

	Stillbirth rate (per 1,000 total births)		Intrapartum stillbirth rate ¹	Number of stillbirths	Number of intrapartum ¹ stillbirths	Rank for rates 2015 (1=lowest)	Annual rate of reduction (ARR) 2000-2015	Rank for ARR between 2000 and 2015 (1=fastest progressors)
	2000	2015	2015	2015	2015	2015	2015	2015
Ethiopia	39.1	29.7	15.2	96530	49330	173	1.8	=83
Ghana	29.6	22.7	11.6	20840	10650	156	1.8	=83
Malawi	28.7	21.8	11.1	14040	7170	152	1.8	=83
Nigeria	52.3	42.9	21.9	313710	160300	185	1.3	=123
Sierra Leone	39.1	24.4	12.4	5450	2780	=160	3.1	=20
Tanzania	31.6	22.4	11.5	47060	24050	153	2.3	=47

¹Intrapartum stillbirths are those that occur during labour

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Estimated stillbirth rate per 1000 total births, with 186 countries ranked by stillbirth rate in 2015. Also showing average annual rate of change (2000-2015) for national stillbirth rates with 159 countries ranked by rate of change (excluding countries with <10,000 birth per year). Stillbirth defined as foetal death after 28 weeks of gestational age).