

TABLE 2. Measures of legal abortion in countries where reporting is incomplete or uncertain, by country and year

| Country | Year | No.* | Rate† | Ratio‡ | Total abortion rate§ | Country | Year | No.* | Rate† | Ratio‡ | Total abortion rate§ |
|------------------------|--------|---------|-------|--------|----------------------|-----------------------------|-------------|-----------|---------|--------|----------------------|
| Eastern Europe | | | | | | East Asia | | | | | |
| Moldova | 2003 | 13,600 | 16 | 37 | 0.5** | China | 2003 | 7,215,400 | 23 | 41 | 0.7** |
| | 2005†† | 30,600 | 35 | 62 | 1.1** | | 1996 | 8,834,200 | 29 | 44 | 0.9** |
| Romania | 2003 | 166,700 | 35 | 78 | 1.0 | Hong Kong | 2003 | 17,400 | 10 | 37 | 0.3 |
| | 2004†† | 134,100 | 28‡‡ | 64 | 0.8 | | 1996 | 25,000 | 15 | 40 | 0.5 |
| | 1999†† | 374,100 | 74 | 150 | 2.2** | Japan | 2003 | 319,800 | 13 | 28 | 0.4 |
| Ukraine | 2003 | 315,800 | 30 | 77 | 0.9** | | 1996 | 338,900 | 13 | 28 | 0.4 |
| | 1999†† | 589,200 | 54 | 110 | 1.6 | Mongolia | 2003 | 10,500 | 16 | 18 | 0.5** |
| Northern Europe | | | | | | | South Korea | 1999†† | 212,300 | 26‡‡ | 38 |
| Ireland§§ | 2003 | 6,300 | 7 | 10 | 0.2 | South/Southeast Asia | | | | | |
| Northern Ireland§§ | 2003 | 1,300 | 4 | 6 | 0.1 | Bangladesh*§ | 2000 | 119,600 | 4 | 3 | 0.1** |
| Southern Europe | | | | | | India | 2001 | 723,100 | 3 | 3 | 0.1** |
| Albania | 2003 | 6,900 | 9 | 15 | 0.3** | | 1996 | 570,900 | 3 | 2 | 0.1** |
| Croatia | 2003 | 5,900 | 7 | 15 | 0.2 | | 2002†* | 2,400,000 | 10 | 9 | 0.3** |
| Macedonia | 2000*† | 11,400 | 25 | 39 | 0.7** | Vietnam | 2003 | 540,400 | 26 | 33 | 0.8** |
| Serbia and Montenegro | 2002 | 33,600 | 15 | 26*‡ | 0.5** | | 1996 | 1,520,000 | 83 | 78 | 2.5** |
| | | | | | | | 2002†† | 367,500 | 20‡‡ | 22 | 0.6 |
| Spain | 2003 | 79,800 | 8 | 18 | 0.2** | | 1997†† | 325,100 | 18‡‡ | 17 | 0.5 |
| | | | | | | Western Asia | | | | | |
| Central Asia | | | | | | Armenia | 2003 | 7,800 | 10 | 22 | 0.3** |
| Kazakhstan | 2003 | 127,200 | 35 | 51 | 1.0** | 2000†† | 61,500 | 81 | 156 | 2.6** | |
| | 1999†† | 176,100 | 47 | 76 | 1.4 | Azerbaijan | 2003 | 12,000 | 6 | 11 | 0.2** |
| Kyrgyzstan | 2003*† | 19,200 | 15‡‡ | 17 | 0.5** | | 2001†† | 244,400 | 116 | 203 | 3.2 |
| | 1997†† | 54,300 | 51 | 27 | 1.5 | Georgia | 2003*† | 13,800 | 14 | 30 | 0.4 |
| Tajikistan | 2003 | 10,500 | 7 | 7 | 0.2** | | 2005†† | 103,700 | 103‡‡ | 224 | 3.1 |
| | | | | | | | 1999†† | 128,600 | 135 | 264 | 3.7 |
| Turkmenistan | 2000†† | 28,500 | 26 | 27 | 0.9 | Turkey | 2003†† | 146,800 | 12‡‡ | 10†‡ | 0.4 |
| | 2002†† | 166,200 | 28 | 28 | 0.9 | | 1998†† | 270,600 | 18‡‡ | 19 | 0.4 |

*Rounded to the nearest 100. †Abortions per 1,000 women aged 15–44. ‡Abortions per 100 live births. §The number of abortions that the average woman would have during her reproductive lifetime, given present age-specific abortion rates. **Estimated by dividing the general abortion rate by 1,000 and multiplying by 30. ††Based on a nationally representative survey of all women aged 15–44, except in South Korea (married women aged 20–44), Vietnam (ever-married women aged 15–49) and Turkey (ever-married women aged 15–44). The estimated number of abortions in South Korea assumes that the rate for married women applies to all women aged 20–44. Data reflect average annual incidence and rates for the three years preceding the survey, except in South Korea, Vietnam and Turkey (preceding five years) and in Ukraine (preceding one year). Total number of abortions was calculated from the abortion rate and may include illegal abortions. ‡‡Estimated by multiplying the total abortion rate by 1,000 and dividing by 30. §§Abortions in England and Wales obtained by women who gave Irish addresses. *†May include spontaneous abortions. *‡Based on live births in 2001. *§Menstrual regulations. †*Based on a survey of health facilities. †‡Abortions obtained by married women per 100 live births to all women. Notes: Estimates are known to be incomplete for all countries except the following, for which the level of completeness is uncertain: Albania, China, Croatia, Japan, Macedonia, Moldova, Mongolia, Romania (2003), Serbia and Montenegro, Spain and Tajikistan. For each country, official statistics precede survey-based estimates where both are available.