2015 ALABAMA ESTIMATED POPULATION 
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### VITAL STATISTICS SUMMARY

**DURING EACH DAY IN ALABAMA**

**THERE WERE AN AVERAGE OF:**

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\(^1\)Per 1,000 population. \(^2\)Per 1,000 live births. \(^3\)Per 1,000 females 15-44.

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\(^1\)Per 1,000 female teenage population. \(^2\)Percent of live births to teenagers. \(^3\)Per 1,000 live births to teenagers.

### FAST FACTS FOR BIRTHS

- Oldest Father: 72
- Youngest Father: 14
- Oldest Mother: 53
- Youngest Mother: 12
- Largest Live Birth: 13 lbs. 10 oz.
- Highest Live Birth Order: 14 (13 Liveborn Brothers and Sisters)
- Day Most Births Occurred On: September 10 (252 Births)
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### MOST POPULAR NAMES FOR BABIES

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