

Table 2.15 : Average birth weight (grams) by district of usual residence and age of mother - 2021

| Race | All Ages | Less than 15 | 15-19 | 20-24 | 25-29 | 30-34 | 35-39 | 40-44 | 45-49 | 50 & above | Not Stated |
|------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Sri Lanka | 2,905.4 | 2,510.0 | 2,754.9 | 2,858.4 | 2,921.6 | 2,933.8 | 2,912.4 | 2,849.1 | 2,700.7 | 2,577.5 | 2,734.4 |
| Colombo | 2,945.5 | 2,659.7 | 2,836.9 | 2,915.5 | 2,953.7 | 2,970.1 | 2,938.7 | 2,883.5 | 2,708.7 | 2,678.9 | 2,582.5 |
| Gampaha | 2,944.5 | - | 2,819.7 | 2,922.9 | 2,950.6 | 2,962.1 | 2,945.8 | 2,893.1 | 2,640.3 | 2,568.3 | - |
| Kalutara | 2,935.5 | - | 2,791.4 | 2,892.7 | 2,949.7 | 2,970.8 | 2,927.4 | 2,864.0 | 2,680.3 | 2,731.3 | 2,075.0 |
| Kandy | 2,876.4 | 2,500.0 | 2,702.7 | 2,821.6 | 2,892.2 | 2,898.5 | 2,904.0 | 2,768.6 | 2,601.0 | 2,446.9 | 2,450.0 |
| Matale | 2,894.6 | - | 2,768.5 | 2,846.0 | 2,919.7 | 2,922.5 | 2,898.0 | 2,764.3 | 2,685.0 | - | - |
| Nuwara Eliya | 2,726.6 | 2,630.0 | 2,564.4 | 2,668.6 | 2,738.5 | 2,755.3 | 2,744.1 | 2,721.7 | 2,350.8 | - | 2,895.0 |
| Galle | 2,939.9 | 3,500.0 | 2,774.9 | 2,873.2 | 2,960.6 | 2,967.4 | 2,941.9 | 2,916.9 | 2,696.6 | 2,325.0 | - |
| Matara | 2,939.0 | 2,150.0 | 2,704.9 | 2,880.1 | 2,951.4 | 2,964.7 | 2,951.9 | 2,905.1 | 2,775.7 | - | - |
| Hambantota | 2,944.4 | - | 2,790.4 | 2,868.8 | 2,947.2 | 2,987.1 | 2,948.9 | 2,940.7 | 2,683.9 | 2,349.0 | 2,640.0 |
| Jaffna | 2,959.4 | - | 2,809.9 | 2,920.0 | 2,989.9 | 3,001.0 | 2,935.5 | 2,794.4 | 2,718.2 | 2,495.9 | - |
| Mannar | 2,964.2 | 1,930.0 | 2,793.0 | 2,936.3 | 3,012.7 | 2,989.5 | 2,912.9 | 2,896.1 | 2,767.7 | - | - |
| Vavuniya | 2,947.5 | - | 2,806.6 | 2,886.8 | 2,966.3 | 2,967.3 | 3,009.5 | 2,950.6 | 2,835.0 | 2,695.0 | - |
| Mullaitivu | 2,956.7 | - | 2,887.0 | 2,890.1 | 2,998.5 | 3,007.6 | 2,905.2 | 2,870.8 | 2,650.0 | - | - |
| Killinochchi | 2,963.8 | - | 2,867.3 | 2,908.2 | 2,983.3 | 2,987.8 | 2,984.1 | 3,043.2 | 2,590.0 | - | - |
| Batticaloa | 2,867.6 | - | 2,714.5 | 2,818.7 | 2,914.5 | 2,915.8 | 2,871.5 | 2,817.9 | 2,830.9 | 2,475.0 | - |
| Ampara | 2,955.5 | 2,492.5 | 2,855.0 | 2,917.8 | 2,969.6 | 2,987.0 | 2,960.1 | 2,942.9 | 2,532.5 | 2,260.0 | - |
| Trincomalee | 2,901.8 | 1,640.0 | 2,732.9 | 2,837.6 | 2,929.5 | 2,966.6 | 2,914.9 | 2,850.6 | 2,739.0 | 2,420.0 | 3,620.0 |
| Kurunegala | 2,848.9 | 2,680.0 | 2,657.7 | 2,812.0 | 2,867.8 | 2,870.8 | 2,843.1 | 2,800.6 | 2,832.4 | 2,785.0 | - |
| Puttalam | 2,954.2 | 3,020.0 | 2,825.7 | 2,916.7 | 2,984.4 | 2,981.1 | 2,956.2 | 2,878.1 | 2,787.9 | 3,080.0 | 2,780.0 |
| Anuradhapura | 2,909.3 | - | 2,763.6 | 2,873.2 | 2,919.2 | 2,941.3 | 2,920.4 | 2,849.4 | 2,724.5 | - | - |
| Polonnaruwa | 2,904.4 | - | 2,829.5 | 2,859.8 | 2,917.5 | 2,929.1 | 2,931.1 | 2,771.1 | 2,632.1 | - | - |
| Badulla | 2,852.2 | 2,260.0 | 2,661.8 | 2,794.6 | 2,865.1 | 2,887.1 | 2,862.9 | 2,830.5 | 2,623.7 | - | - |
| Monaragala | 2,883.7 | 2,350.0 | 2,729.4 | 2,836.6 | 2,894.3 | 2,905.3 | 2,925.0 | 2,806.4 | 2,732.4 | - | - |
| Ratnapura | 2,859.0 | 2,388.8 | 2,690.5 | 2,817.3 | 2,872.0 | 2,885.5 | 2,870.4 | 2,803.3 | 2,759.1 | - | 2,620.0 |
| Kegalle | 2,886.3 | - | 2,752.2 | 2,852.3 | 2,907.0 | 2,898.5 | 2,891.4 | 2,805.2 | 2,785.3 | 2,546.3 | - |
| Abroad | 2,697.2 | - | - | 3,720.0 | 1,665.0 | 2,734.0 | 3,555.0 | - | - | - | - |
| Not Stated | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

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