

**Table 2.16 : Average birth weight (grams) by registered district, sector and sex - 2021**

District	Total				Urban				Rural			Estate		
	Total	Male	Female	Sex Unidentified	Total	Male	Female	Sex Unidentified	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<i>Sri Lanka</i>	<i>2,905.4</i>	<i>2,941.5</i>	<i>2,867.5</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>2,903.7</i>	<i>2,939.5</i>	<i>2,866.0</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>2,908.9</i>	<i>2,945.4</i>	<i>2,870.3</i>	<i>2,160.5</i>	<i>2,272.5</i>	<i>2,048.5</i>
Colombo	2,939.2	2,969.5	2,907.4	-	2,938.7	2,968.9	2,907.2	-	2,947.2	2,980.4	2,911.8	-	-	-
Gampaha	2,938.8	2,969.5	2,906.2	-	2,958.0	2,988.0	2,926.5	-	2,924.5	2,955.8	2,890.9	-	-	-
Kalutara	2,933.7	2,958.6	2,907.4	-	2,934.3	2,959.1	2,908.1	-	2,649.9	2,705.1	2,604.6	-	-	-
Kandy	2,874.0	2,902.9	2,843.6	-	2,874.6	2,903.8	2,843.8	-	2,835.2	2,834.0	2,836.4	2,299.0	-	2,299.0
Matale	2,894.4	2,941.5	2,844.4	-	2,893.5	2,946.3	2,837.2	-	2,895.9	2,933.6	2,856.1	-	-	-
Nuwara Eliya	2,720.6	2,757.5	2,682.8	-	2,696.2	2,733.7	2,658.4	-	2,790.9	2,824.9	2,755.1	-	-	-
Galle	2,939.7	2,982.2	2,894.4	-	2,929.7	2,973.6	2,882.6	-	2,957.2	2,997.4	2,914.8	-	-	-
Matara	2,941.5	2,979.9	2,900.9	-	2,961.3	2,998.3	2,921.0	-	2,888.0	2,927.5	2,849.5	-	-	-
Hambantota	2,942.6	2,982.0	2,898.3	-	2,926.5	2,967.6	2,880.2	-	3,006.8	3,039.3	2,970.3	-	-	-
Jaffna	2,954.8	2,989.9	2,918.2	-	2,955.9	2,992.4	2,918.1	-	2,950.9	2,981.2	2,918.6	-	-	-
Mannar	2,978.4	3,020.8	2,934.9	-	-	-	-	-	2,978.4	3,020.8	2,934.9	-	-	-
Vavuniya	2,947.7	2,979.2	2,914.2	-	2,875.8	2,750.0	2,893.7	-	2,947.9	2,979.3	2,914.3	-	-	-
Mullaitivu	2,949.2	2,991.6	2,900.9	-	-	-	-	-	2,949.2	2,991.6	2,900.9	-	-	-
Killinochchi	2,975.5	2,999.0	2,950.9	-	-	-	-	-	2,975.5	2,999.0	2,950.9	-	-	-
Batticaloa	2,862.7	2,896.3	2,827.2	-	2,896.4	2,933.7	2,858.0	-	2,746.3	2,774.1	2,714.2	-	-	-
Ampara	2,960.4	3,002.5	2,913.5	-	2,942.5	2,984.6	2,897.6	-	2,978.3	3,019.8	2,930.2	-	-	-
Trincomalee	2,902.4	2,941.7	2,863.1	-	2,894.1	2,933.7	2,854.5	-	2,910.9	2,949.9	2,871.9	-	-	-
Kurunegala	2,832.6	2,870.3	2,792.4	-	2,789.2	2,821.7	2,754.8	-	2,913.9	2,960.8	2,863.5	-	-	-
Puttalam	2,957.1	3,000.0	2,912.9	-	2,961.1	3,007.5	2,913.4	-	2,942.3	2,972.7	2,911.2	-	-	-
Anuradhapura	2,907.1	2,947.1	2,864.7	-	2,909.7	2,948.6	2,868.2	-	2,900.6	2,943.3	2,856.0	-	-	-
Polonnaruwa	2,898.4	2,943.1	2,850.7	-	-	-	-	-	2,898.4	2,943.1	2,850.7	-	-	-
Badulla	2,855.5	2,894.1	2,815.5	-	2,867.8	2,911.2	2,822.5	-	2,845.2	2,879.8	2,809.8	2,218.6	2,120.0	2,350.0
Monaragala	2,873.0	2,912.9	2,831.1	-	-	-	-	-	2,873.0	2,912.9	2,831.1	-	-	-
Ratnapura	2,868.7	2,905.9	2,829.8	-	2,833.8	2,870.3	2,795.3	-	2,886.5	2,924.2	2,847.3	-	-	-
Kegalle	2,887.1	2,921.4	2,851.7	-	2,887.1	2,936.6	2,838.7	-	2,888.6	2,912.0	2,863.3	2,092.4	2,425.0	1,759.8

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