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TABLE 194: TYPE OF OFFENCES REPORTED TO POLICE DEPARTMENT

	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
1. Criminal Offences	2,083	2,151	2,077	2,188	2,080	2,443	2,345	2,558	2,517	2,538	2,972	2,600	2,990
1.1 Against the State	47	61	34	27	48	33	60	36	26	31	58	23	30
1.2 Against Justice	7	3	1	4	4	15	6	5	8	6	8	7	4
1.3 Against the Person	517	598	609	578	615	608	646	676	595	615	600	570	628
1.4 Against Property	1,245	1,259	1,186	1,312	1,227	1,398	1,331	1,516	1,624	1,536	1,241	1,724	1,996
1.5 Against Willful Damage	250	216	231	254	182	345	272	274	246	286	682	237	220
1.6 Miscellaneous	17	14	16	13	4	44	30	51	18	64	383	39	112
2. Traffic Offences	4,207	4,310	4,278	4,902	4,156	5,510	6,441	6,336	8,178	10,826	10,985	10,368	16,012
3. Other Offences	1,784	1,965	1,759	1,783	1,788	1,635	1,650	1,701	2,050	1,682	1,776	1,473	1,923
3.1 Order in Public Places	1,510	1,605	1,487	1,551	1,462	1,275	1,391	1,471	1,820	1,338	1,535	1,156	1,624
3.2 Manufacturing of Intoxicating liquor	78	93	109	71	89	81	42	37	33	38	47	67	34
3.3 Arms & Ammunitions	10	13	20	8	14	24	18	25	17	37	5	18	84
3.4 Others	186	254	143	153	223	255	199	168	180	269	189	232	181
4. TOTAL	8,074	8,426	8,114	8,873	8,024	9,588	10,436	10,595	12,745	15,046	15,733	14,441	20,925

TABLE 195: CRIMINAL OFFENCES BY CATEGORY

	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
1. Total criminal cases reported	2,083	2,151	2,077	2,188	2,080	2,443	2,345	2,558	2,517	2,538	2,972	2,600	2,990
2. Rejected	240	318	340	475	415	378	323	544	449	469	269	410	359
3. True	1,843	1,833	1,737	1,713	1,665	2,065	2,022	2,014	2,068	2,069	2,703	2,190	2,631
3.1 Convicted	523	505	413	560	601	588	628	550	524	646	497	652	952
3.2 Acquitted	41	42	15	35	40	39	54	37	30	45	16	41	176
3.3 Undetected	153	291	248	428	367	313	217	194	325	305	96	298	352
3.4 Under Investigation	1,090	889	857	355	389	709	888	1,199	1,002	679	1,119	989	795
3.5 Pending Trial	36	106	204	335	268	416	235	34	187	394	975	210	356

Source: Annual Reports of the Ministry of Police

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TABLE 196: TRAFFIC OFFENCES BY CATEGORY

	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
1. Total traffic cases reported	4,207	4,310	4,278	4,902	4,156	5,510	6,441	6,335	8,178	10,826	10,985	10,368	16,012
2. Rejected	945	1,177	523	1,055	687	576	1,371	1,320	2,213	1,756	1,668	1,896	3,094
3. True	3,262	3,133	3,755	3,847	3,469	4,934	5,070	5,015	5,965	9,070	9,317	8,472	12,918
3.1 Convicted	1,332	1,551	859	2,178	1,990	2,354	2,305	1,649	2,664	3,276	3,825	3,822	4,553
3.2 Acquitted	68	154	24	60	56	83	132	83	82	105	116	119	657
3.3 Undetected	-	7	-	2	2	1	1	-	-	9	1	1	4
3.4 Under Investigation	-	754	2,046	263	648	2,202	2,628	3,283	2,069	563	979	1,907	1,300
3.5 Pending Trial	1,862	667	826	1,344	773	294	4	-	1,150	5,117	4,396	2,623	6,404

TABLE 197: OTHER OFFENCES BY CATEGORY

	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
1. Total other cases reported	1,784	1,965	1,759	1,783	1,792	1,554	1,650	1,701	2,050	1,682	1,776	1,473	1,923
2. Rejected	145	222	171	365	306	137	115	211	151	231	211	242	338
3. True	1,639	1,743	1,588	1,418	1,486	1,417	1,535	1,490	1,899	1,451	1,565	1,231	1,585
3.1 Convicted	955	1,194	926	1,066	1,040	950	959	813	944	921	888	782	981
3.2 Acquitted	57	5	18	36	45	47	54	37	35	59	21	35	48
3.3 Undetected	1	6	10	4	13	1	-	-	-	2	1	8	2
3.4 Under Investigation	378	152	556	141	153	365	475	640	853	227	357	233	174
3.5 Pending Trial	248	386	78	171	235	54	47	-	67	242	298	173	380

Source: Annual Reports of the Ministry of Police

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TABLE 198: TRAFFIC ACCIDENT

Year	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Fadal driver	3	1	3	3	0	n.a.	2	1	2	2	6	14	3
Fadal passengers	5	3	2	4	3	n.a.	6	7	5	1	1	1	5
Fadal pedestrian	8	4	7	7	2	n.a.	2	2	5	5	2	2	7
Seriously injured	15	28	9	15	39	n.a.	21	18	9	9	8	8	18
Slightly injured	33	37	39	69	91	n.a.	35	41	27	28	21	18	26
Accident involving	147	221	227	276	272	n.a.	324	312	347	441	315	264	333
Not stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-
Total	211	294	287	374	407	n.a.	390	381	401	486	353	307	392

TABLE 199: DRIVERS INVOLVED IN ACCIDENTS BY SEX

Sex	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Male	180	265	241	325	362	n.a.	332	336	343	403	301	270	329
Female	31	29	46	49	45	n.a.	58	45	58	83	52	37	63
Total	211	294	287	374	407	n.a.	390	381	401	486	353	307	392

TABLE 200: AGE GROUP OF TRAFFIC OFFENDERS

Age group	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
10-14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	0	0	-
15-17	-	-	-	6	13	n.a.	4	7	2	4	20	18	6
18-29	92	130	146	195	181	n.a.	143	138	158	194	138	123	157
30-39	58	90	67	94	126	n.a.	121	111	53	161	105	92	115
40-49	31	33	39	37	67	n.a.	93	81	31	74	55	49	74
50-59	23	23	17	27	14	n.a.	19	31	25	33	20	16	22
60-69	6	17	17	13	6	n.a.	9	-	13	15	9	8	16
70+	1	1	1	2	-	n.a.	1	-	2	2	6	1	2
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	n.a.	-	13	117	-	-	0	-
Total	211	294	287	374	407	n.a.	390	381	401	486	353	307	392

Source: Ministry of Police Annual Report, 1992 - 2004

Note: n.a - not available

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TABLE 201: FIRE INCIDENTS OCCURRED IN TONGATAPU AND VAVA'U DISTRICTS

	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Nuku'alofa	43	76	55	66	54	64	62	59	58	108	102	135	106
Tongatapu Rural	72	38	39	55	41	73	85	24	26	36	29	60	47
Vava'u District	28	12	17	14	13	29	88	16	14	24	22	45	25
Total	143	126	111	135	108	166	235	99	98	168	153	240	178

TABLE 202: TYPE OF FIRE

	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Total	143	126	111	135	108	166	235	99	98	168	153	240	178
House	46	45	41	49	53	n.a.	60	52	46	72	62	56	53
Bush	81	53	41	49	32	n.a.	134	15	22	61	52	129	68
Other Fires	16	28	29	37	23	n.a.	41	32	30	35	39	55	57
<u>Tongatapu</u>	<u>115</u>	<u>114</u>	<u>94</u>	<u>121</u>	<u>95</u>	<u>137</u>	<u>147</u>	<u>83</u>	<u>84</u>	<u>144</u>	<u>131</u>	<u>195</u>	<u>153</u>
House	35	42	34	47	46	n.a.	42	43	39	62	55	49	46
Bush	66	46	37	41	27	n.a.	66	11	15	48	39	94	53
Other Fires	14	26	23	33	22	n.a.	39	29	30	34	37	52	54
<u>Vava'u</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>88</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>25</u>
House	11	3	7	2	7	n.a.	18	9	7	10	7	7	7
Bush	15	7	4	8	5	n.a.	68	4	7	13	13	35	15
Other Fires	2	2	6	4	1	n.a.	2	3	0	1	2	3	3

Source: Ministry of Police Annual Report, 1992 - 2004

Note: Information are not available by type of fire for the year 1997

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TABLE 203: REGISTERED DIVORCE AND ITS CONDITION BY DIVISION

	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Total													
Cases pending from previous year	70	77	89	88	111	111	138	157	202	149	165	119	125
Petitions issued	104	93	120	94	100	85	119	125	113	111	113	116	104
Total for hearing	174	170	209	182	211	196	257	282	315	260	278	235	229
Petitions heard	97	81	83	68	93	57	94	79	156	83	155	110	107
Petitions withdrawn/struck out	4	9	8	3	7	1	6	1	3	11	4	-	2
Petitions pending for the following year	79	89	118	111	111	138	157	202	156	163	119	125	121
Tongatapu													
Cases pending from previous year	56	69	85	81	101	105	130	150	190	143	158	108	109
Petitions issued	98	86	104	85	93	74	114	117	103	102	90	83	101
Total for hearing	154	155	189	166	194	179	244	267	293	245	248	191	210
Petitions heard	85	70	71	62	82	48	89	76	140	76	136	82	99
Petitions withdrawn/struck out	3	9	8	3	7	1	5	1	3	11	4	-	2
Petitions pending for the following year	69	85	110	101	105	130	150	190	150	156	108	109	109
Vava'u													
Cases pending from previous year	7	2	-	3	6	3	4	4	8	4	6	9	10
Petitions issued	5	2	9	9	7	10	5	7	10	8	15	17	-
Total for hearing	12	4	9	12	13	13	9	11	18	12	21	26	10
Petitions heard	10	4	7	6	10	9	4	3	14	6	12	16	5
Petitions withdrawn/struck out	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Petitions pending for the following year	4	-	2	6	3	4	4	8	4	6	9	10	6
Ha'apai													
Cases pending from previous year	4	4	4	2	2	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	6
Petitions issued	1	3	5	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	4	11	3
Total for hearing	5	7	9	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	5	12	9
Petitions heard	1	3	3	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	4	6	3
Petitions withdrawn/struck out	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Petitions pending for the following year	4	4	6	2	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	6	6
'Eua													
Cases pending from previous year	3	2	-	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	-	1	-
Petitions issued	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	5	-
Total for hearing	3	4	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	4	6	-
Petitions heard	1	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	6	-
Petitions withdrawn/struck out	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Petitions pending for the following year	2	-	-	2	2	2	2	2	1	-	1	-	-
Niuas													
Cases pending from previous year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Petitions issued	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total for hearing	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Petitions heard	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Petitions withdrawn/struck out	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Petitions pending for the following year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Source: Annual Report of the Ministry of Justice

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TABLE 204: MARRIAGE STATISTICS IN TONGA BY AGE GROUP AND DIVISION

Year/age group	Tongatapu		Vava'u		Ha'apai		'Eua		Niuas		Total	
	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f
1992	609		106		45		32		14		806	
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15 - 19	46	122	9	15	2	8	1	8	-	1	58	154
20 - 24	257	283	34	43	15	16	15	10	1	2	322	354
25 - 29	168	123	33	34	18	12	7	11	3	2	229	182
30 - 34	64	38	15	9	2	2	4	3	2	1	87	53
35 - 39	29	23	8	2	1	3	2	-	-	-	40	28
40 - 44	18	6	4	1	2	1	1	-	-	-	25	8
45 - 49	11	4	-	2	1	2	-	-	-	-	12	8
50+	16	10	3	-	4	1	2	-	-	-	25	11
Not Stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	8	8	8
1993	552		107		46		24		9		738	
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15 - 19	38	95	4	17	1	8	-	4	-	3	43	127
20 - 24	212	244	55	50	24	25	9	11	3	5	303	335
25 - 29	177	125	25	27	13	6	9	5	3	-	227	163
30 - 34	62	49	14	10	3	2	4	1	2	-	85	62
35 - 39	26	18	2	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	30	22
40 - 44	13	11	6	1	-	-	-	3	-	-	19	15
45 - 49	10	4	-	-	4	1	-	-	-	-	14	5
50+	14	6	1	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	16	8
Not Stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	1
1994	572		107		46		21		12		758	
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15 - 19	32	98	8	21	1	8	-	3	-	4	41	134
20 - 24	214	223	45	51	16	20	7	6	4	5	286	305
25 - 29	186	151	30	27	17	8	8	5	4	3	245	194
30 - 34	63	52	14	4	5	2	1	2	1	-	84	60
35 - 39	28	19	4	3	1	3	1	2	1	-	35	27
40 - 44	19	13	4	-	1	3	2	3	1	-	27	19
45 - 49	6	4	1	1	2	2	1	-	1	-	11	7
50+	24	8	1	-	3	-	1	-	-	-	29	8
Not Stated	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1995	631		117		58		27		7		840	
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15 - 19	29	101	8	20	2	15	-	4	-	1	39	141
20 - 24	220	238	38	44	21	20	13	13	2	4	294	319
25 - 29	210	179	43	36	19	13	10	6	4	1	286	235
30 - 34	90	69	11	4	9	5	-	2	-	-	110	80
35 - 39	36	25	6	9	3	1	1	1	-	1	46	37
40 - 44	14	9	4	3	2	1	1	-	1	-	22	13
45 - 49	10	5	4	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	14	8
50+	21	4	3	-	2	2	2	-	-	-	28	6
Not Stated	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1

Source: Vital Statistics Bulletin

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TABLE 204(cont'd): MARRIAGE STATISTICS IN TONGA BY AGE GROUP AND DIVISION

Year/age group	Tongatapu		Vava'u		Ha'apai		'Eua		Niuas		Total	
	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f
1996*	575		110		44		17		10		756	
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19	31	88	4	16	-	-	-	-	-	3	35	107
20-24	208	234	37	52	20	22	-	-	3	3	268	311
25-29	181	147	35	26	12	10	-	-	4	2	232	185
30-34	73	52	15	9	7	2	-	-	1	-	96	63
35-39	33	29	7	3	2	1	-	-	1	1	43	34
40-44	13	15	1	2	3	1	-	-	1	-	18	18
45-49	11	7	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	8
50+	25	3	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	4
Not Stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	17	-	-	17	17
1997*	488		116		34		34		9		681	
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19	27	113	7	25	1	5	-	5	-	2	35	150
20-24	182	192	36	39	10	14	13	15	2	4	243	264
25-29	165	114	37	37	9	7	10	7	4	1	225	166
30-34	56	40	17	4	4	5	2	6	1	1	80	56
35-39	33	17	5	5	1	-	5	-	1	1	45	23
40-44	8	2	4	2	4	2	2	1	1	-	19	7
45-49	5	5	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	8
50+	12	5	8	1	4	-	2	-	-	-	26	6
Not stated	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1
1998	585		88		26		30		7		736	
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19	45	112	4	17	-	4	2	6	1	-	52	139
20-24	189	238	28	30	10	13	6	7	1	2	234	290
25-29	180	128	32	26	10	4	17	11	2	2	241	171
30-34	90	57	10	5	2	3	3	4	1	1	106	70
35-39	30	21	8	5	1	1	1	1	2	2	42	30
40-44	21	15	2	3	1	1	1	1	-	-	25	20
45-49	9	7	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	11	9
50+	21	7	3	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	25	7
Not stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1999	606		98		38		21		7		770	
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15 - 19	36	126	5	19	1	5	-	4	-	3	42	157
20 - 24	218	245	31	40	16	21	9	10	1	3	275	319
25 - 29	175	135	31	27	13	8	5	4	3	1	227	175
30 - 34	96	59	17	5	6	2	4	2	2	-	125	68
35 - 39	35	20	3	2	-	1	3	1	1	-	42	24
40 - 44	14	8	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	18	10
45 - 49	9	6	3	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	12	9
50+	23	7	5	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	29	8
Not Stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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TABLE 204(cont'd): MARRIAGE STATISTICS IN TONGA BY AGE GROUP AND DIVISION

Year/age group	Tongatapu		Vava'u		Ha'apai		'Eua		Niuas		Total	
	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f
2000	<u>577</u>		<u>93</u>		<u>48</u>		<u>20</u>		<u>9</u>		<u>747</u>	
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19	43	126	7	25	6	13	6	4	-	1	62	169
20-24	208	220	29	32	12	17	3	6	5	3	257	278
25-29	167	130	30	12	14	12	4	6	2	3	217	163
30-34	80	63	16	15	8	2	2	1	-	1	106	82
35-39	28	17	1	4	3	4	2	1	2	1	36	27
40-44	23	7	2	2	2	-	1	-	-	-	28	9
45-49	8	7	3	2	1	-	-	1	-	-	12	10
50+	20	7	5	1	2	-	2	1	-	-	29	9
Not Stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2001	<u>587</u>		<u>100</u>		<u>50</u>		<u>29</u>		<u>5</u>		<u>771</u>	
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19	25	103	3	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	28	123
20-24	199	243	25	38	-	-	-	-	-	-	224	281
25-29	179	132	37	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	216	159
30-34	105	71	15	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	120	81
35-39	33	25	8	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	41	27
40-44	18	5	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	23	6
45-49	12	5	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	6
50+	16	3	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	4
Not stated	-	-	-	-	50	50	29	29	5	5	84	84
2002	<u>583</u>		<u>88</u>		<u>48</u>		<u>24</u>		<u>7</u>		<u>750</u>	
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19	26	105	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	26	105
20-24	191	236	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	191	236
25-29	170	140	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	170	140
30-34	93	53	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	93	53
35-39	47	28	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	47	28
40-44	29	14	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	29	14
45-49	10	5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	10	5
50+	17	2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	17	2
Not stated	-	-	88	88	48	48	24	24	7	7	167	167
2003	<u>613</u>		<u>84</u>		<u>n/a</u>		<u>n/a</u>		<u>n/a</u>		<u>697</u>	
< 15	-	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-	-
15-19	23	100	3	20	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	26	120
20-24	197	261	28	30	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	225	291
25-29	205	149	27	17	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	232	166
30-34	89	54	11	13	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	100	67
35-39	37	28	8	4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	45	32
40-44	22	11	3	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	25	11
45-49	17	6	3	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	20	6
50+	23	4	1	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	24	4
Not Stated	-	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-	-

Source: Vital Statistics Bulletin

Note: n/a - Not available

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TABLE 204(cont'd): MARRIAGE STATISTICS IN TONGA BY AGE GROUP AND DIVISION

Year/age group	Tongatapu		Vava'u		Ha'apai		'Eua		Niuas		Total	
	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f
2004**	677		n/a		n/a		n/a		n/a		677	
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19	34	107	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	34	107
20-24	237	262	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	237	262
25-29	203	161	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	203	161
30-34	83	76	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	83	76
35-39	59	44	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	59	44
40-44	27	17	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	27	17
45-49	14	6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	14	6
50+	20	4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	20	4
Not Stated	0	0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	0	0

Source: Vital Statistics Bulletin

Note: ** - Provisional data

n/a - Not available

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TABLE 205: KIND OF MARRIAGE IN TONGA BY AGE GROUP

Year/month	First marriage		Re-marriage						Total marriage	
			Divorce		Widow		Total			
	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f
1993	673	670	53	50	12	18	65	68	738	
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15 - 19	42	117	1	9	-	1	1	10	43	127
20 - 24	289	319	13	14	1	2	14	16	303	335
25 - 29	213	151	11	10	3	2	14	12	227	163
30 - 34	72	53	12	6	1	3	13	9	85	62
35 - 39	25	11	4	7	1	4	5	11	30	22
40 - 44	13	11	5	1	1	3	6	4	19	15
45 - 49	12	-	2	3	-	2	2	5	14	5
50+	6	7	5	-	5	1	10	1	16	8
Not Stated	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
1994	686	694	67	59	19	11	86	78	772	
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15 - 19	41	134	-	-	-	-	-	-	41	134
20 - 24	281	311	4	-	1	-	5	-	286	319
25 - 29	234	178	10	14	1	2	11	16	245	194
30 - 34	66	43	17	17	1	-	18	17	84	60
35 - 39	33	16	12	9	-	2	12	11	45	27
40 - 44	13	4	11	12	3	3	14	15	27	19
45 - 49	7	2	1	3	3	2	4	5	11	7
50+	7	2	12	4	10	2	22	6	29	8
Not Stated	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4
1995	758	758	71	73	11	9	82	82	840	
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15 - 19	39	141	-	-	-	-	-	-	39	141
20 - 24	290	314	4	5	-	-	4	5	294	319
25 - 29	274	215	12	18	-	2	12	20	286	235
30 - 34	87	61	20	18	3	1	23	19	110	80
35 - 39	38	19	8	17	-	1	8	18	46	37
40 - 44	14	4	7	8	1	1	8	9	22	13
45 - 49	6	1	6	4	2	3	8	7	14	8
50+	9	2	14	3	5	1	19	4	28	6
Not Stated	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1

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TABLE 205(cont'd): KIND OF MARRIAGE IN TONGA BY AGE GROUP

Year/month	First marriage		Re-marriage				Total marriage		
	m	f	Divorce		Widow		Total		
	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	
1996*	659	677	71	58	26	21	97	79	756
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19	35	117	-	-	-	-	-	-	35 112
20-24	269	315	6	3	-	-	6	3	265 308
25-29	230	168	5	15	3	5	8	20	228 183
30-34	78	55	14	6	3	2	17	8	95 63
35-39	24	14	16	14	4	5	20	19	42 33
40-44	8	5	8	9	1	4	9	13	17 18
45-49	9	2	9	5	4	1	13	6	17 8
50+	6	1	13	6	11	4	24	10	30 4
Not Stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1997*	611	620	52	52	18	9	70	61	681
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19	35	149	-	-	-	-	-	-	35 149
20-24	242	254	3	10	-	-	3	10	245 264
25-29	216	149	8	17	2	2	10	19	226 168
30-34	68	40	11	14	-	2	11	16	79 56
35-39	32	16	11	4	1	2	12	6	44 22
40-44	9	3	8	3	1	1	9	4	18 7
45-49	1	5	3	2	3	1	6	3	7 8
50+	7	2	8	2	11	1	19	3	26 5
Not stated	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 2
1998	659	668	52	55	25	13	77	68	736
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19	52	139	-	-	-	-	-	-	52 139
20-24	231	283	3	6	-	1	3	7	234 290
25-29	227	157	11	13	3	1	14	14	241 171
30-34	94	55	10	14	2	1	12	15	106 70
35-39	28	15	13	12	1	3	14	15	42 30
40-44	13	15	8	2	4	3	12	5	25 20
45-49	7	4	2	2	2	2	4	5	11 9
50+	7	-	5	5	13	2	18	7	25 7
Not stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

SOURCE: Vital Statistics Bulletin, Statistics Department.

Note : * Estimated figures for the Niuaus only.

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TABLE 205(cont'd): KIND OF MARRIAGE IN TONGA BY AGE GROUP

Year/month	First marriage		Re-marriage				Total		Total marriage	
			Divorce		Widow					
	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f
1999	<u>705</u>	<u>711</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>65</u>	<u>59</u>	<u>770</u>	<u>770</u>
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19	41	154	1	-	-	-	1	-	42	154
20-24	269	312	5	4	1	2	6	6	275	318
25-29	215	164	10	10	2	3	12	13	227	177
30-34	111	52	11	16	3	2	14	18	125	70
35-39	33	16	9	6	-	2	9	8	42	24
40-44	12	8	3	1	3	1	6	2	18	10
45-49	10	3	2	5	-	1	2	6	12	9
50+	14	2	7	2	8	4	15	6	29	8
Not Stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2000	<u>671</u>	<u>670</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>65</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>76</u>	<u>77</u>	<u>747</u>	<u>747</u>
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19	62	168	-	1	-	-	-	1	62	169
20-24	255	267	2	10	-	1	2	11	257	278
25-29	200	146	17	17	-	-	17	17	217	163
30-34	95	60	10	20	1	2	11	22	106	82
35-39	28	18	8	7	-	2	8	9	36	27
40-44	17	6	8	3	3	-	11	3	28	9
45-49	4	1	7	4	1	5	8	9	12	10
50+	10	4	8	3	11	2	19	5	29	9
Not stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2001	<u>700</u>	<u>711</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>71</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>771</u>	<u>771</u>
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19	28	123	-	-	-	-	-	-	28	123
20-24	221	274	3	6	-	1	3	7	224	281
25-29	208	144	7	12	1	3	8	15	216	159
30-34	104	64	14	16	2	1	16	17	120	81
35-39	31	14	9	12	1	1	10	13	41	27
40-44	13	3	7	3	3	-	10	3	23	6
45-49	5	4	10	2	-	-	10	2	15	6
50+	6	1	10	2	4	1	14	3	20	4
Not stated	84	84	-	-	-	-	-	-	84	84

SOURCE: Vital Statistics Bulletin, Statistics Department.

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TABLE 205(cont'd): KIND OF MARRIAGE IN TONGA BY AGE GROUP

Year/month	First marriage		Re-marriage				Total marriage			
			Divorce		Widow		Total			
	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f		
2002	509	526	55	47	19	10	60	57	583	583
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19	26	103	-	2	-	-	-	2	26	105
20-24	187	234	4	2	-	-	4	2	191	236
25-29	160	123	10	14	-	3	10	17	170	140
30-34	83	42	7	10	3	1	10	11	93	53
35-39	31	17	12	9	4	2	16	11	47	28
40-44	17	6	9	7	3	1	12	8	29	14
45-49	4	1	5	1	1	3	6	4	10	5
50+	1	-	8	2	8	-	16	2	17	2
Not Stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2003	616	642	67	46	14	9	81	55	697	697
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19	26	118	-	2	-	-	-	2	26	120
20-24	224	286	1	5	-	-	1	5	225	291
25-29	225	153	7	13	-	-	7	13	232	166
30-34	81	56	16	11	3	-	19	11	100	67
35-39	31	22	14	9	0	1	14	10	45	32
40-44	12	3	11	4	2	4	13	8	25	11
45-49	8	2	10	0	2	4	12	4	20	6
50+	9	2	8	2	7	0	15	2	24	4
Not stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2004**	599	609	61	58	17	10	78	68	677	677
< 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19	34	107	-	-	-	-	-	-	34	107
20-24	234	256	2	6	1	-	3	6	237	262
25-29	191	144	12	16	-	1	12	17	203	161
30-34	73	62	7	12	3	2	10	14	83	76
35-39	43	27	14	15	2	2	16	17	59	44
40-44	16	8	10	6	1	3	11	9	27	17
45-49	5	4	7	2	2	-	9	2	14	6
50+	3	1	9	1	8	2	17	3	20	4
Not stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

SOURCE: Vital Statistics Bulletin, Statistics Department.

Note: Year 2002, 2003 and 2004 figures are for Tongatapu only

** - Provisional data

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TABLE 206: NUMBER OF MARRIAGES IN TONGA BY MONTH AND DIVISION

Year/Month	Tongatapu	Vava'u	Ha'apai	'Eua	Niuas	Total
<u>1993</u>	<u>552</u>	<u>107</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>738</u>
January	55	11	7	3	1	77
February	43	8	-	5	-	56
March	39	6	1	1	1	48
April	46	11	7	1	1	66
May	48	5	7	4	-	64
June	54	7	4	4	1	70
July	44	7	7	1	-	59
August	51	4	5	2	3	65
September	35	7	2	1	-	45
October	30	11	4	-	-	45
November	36	12	-	2	-	50
December	71	18	2	-	2	93
<u>1994</u>	<u>586</u>	<u>107</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>772</u>
January	87	11	7	4	1	110
February	45	8	3	2	2	60
March	41	6	3	1	-	51
April	39	11	3	2	-	55
May	44	5	4	1	2	56
June	41	7	-	3	-	51
July	47	7	7	3	3	67
August	47	4	5	3	1	60
September	44	7	3	1	-	55
October	44	11	3	-	1	59
November	36	12	2	-	1	51
December	71	18	6	1	1	97
<u>1995</u>	<u>631</u>	<u>117</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>840</u>
January	81	8	3	3	1	96
February	56	8	8	3	-	75
March	42	11	2	-	-	55
April	34	4	5	1	-	44
May	43	15	1	3	1	63
June	53	19	6	3	2	83
July	55	5	4	1	1	66
August	36	8	5	1	-	50
September	38	10	5	4	1	58
October	47	14	4	2	1	68
November	55	6	4	5	-	70
December	91	9	11	1	-	112

SOURCE: Vital Statistics Bulletin, Statistics Department.

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TABLE 206(cont'd): NUMBER OF MARRIAGES IN TONGA BY MONTH AND DIVISION

Year/Month	Tongatapu	Vava'u	Ha'apai	'Eua	Niuas	Total
<u>1996</u>	<u>575</u>	<u>110</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>758</u>
January	61	10	1	3	1	76
February	41	8	6	2	3	60
March	44	10	2	2	-	58
April	36	11	3	-	4	54
May	53	10	8	1	-	72
June	39	17	6	2	-	64
July	48	4	3	-	-	55
August	48	8	4	1	-	61
September	32	12	3	-	-	47
October	48	9	2	2	2	63
November	48	7	4	2	-	61
December	77	4	2	2	2	87
<u>1997</u>	<u>488</u>	<u>116</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>679</u>
January	54	12	3	6	1	76
February	36	8	3	2	-	49
March	26	6	2	1	1	36
April	40	5	2	-	3	50
May	31	9	2	1	-	43
June	41	13	3	3	-	60
July	44	12	4	4	-	64
August	30	8	4	3	-	45
September	30	7	2	3	-	42
October	43	12	3	3	1	62
November	52	11	3	3	1	70
December	61	13	3	5	-	82
<u>1998</u>	<u>585</u>	<u>88</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>736</u>
January	66	10	4	4	1	85
February	33	5	4	2	1	45
March	50	9	2	-	-	61
April	36	8	3	3	1	51
May	41	8	1	1	-	51
June	36	6	4	4	2	52
July	63	3	1	2	-	69
August	56	9	-	2	1	68
September	47	5	4	1	1	58
October	34	11	1	1	-	47
November	47	8	2	2	-	59
December	76	6	-	8	-	90

SOURCE: Vital Statistics Bulletin, Statistics Department.

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TABLE 206(cont'd): NUMBER OF MARRIAGES IN TONGA BY MONTH AND DIVISION

Year/Month	Tongatapu	Vava'u	Ha'apai	'Eua	Niuas	Total
<u>1999</u>	<u>606</u>	<u>98</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>770</u>
January	60	7	2	3	-	72
February	52	9	3	1	2	67
March	39	4	4	-	-	47
April	48	6	3	1	2	60
May	38	7	-	-	-	45
June	47	11	8	4	1	71
July	50	8	6	3	-	67
August	41	10	-	-	1	52
September	55	7	1	-	-	63
October	39	10	2	4	-	55
November	60	11	2	2	-	75
December	77	8	7	3	1	96
<u>2000</u>	<u>577</u>	<u>93</u>	<u>148</u>	<u>78</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>747</u>
January	57	10	12	2	-	81
February	46	9	-	1	1	57
March	56	4	4	4	1	69
April	34	7	2	-	3	46
May	48	7	2	1	-	58
June	51	6	3	1	-	61
July	40	10	3	-	-	53
August	45	9	3	1	-	58
September	44	7	3	2	1	57
October	38	-	5	2	-	45
November	47	14	6	3	1	71
December	71	10	5	3	2	91
<u>2001</u>	<u>587</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>771</u>
January	63	8	-	-	-	71
February	38	8	-	-	-	46
March	52	8	-	-	-	60
April	38	11	-	-	-	49
May	39	12	-	-	-	51
June	49	11	-	-	-	60
July	63	7	-	-	-	70
August	47	7	-	-	-	54
September	39	3	-	-	-	42
October	29	8	-	-	-	37
November	52	6	-	-	-	58
December	78	11	-	-	-	89
Not Stated	-	-	50	29	5	84

SOURCE: Vital Statistics Bulletin, Statistics Department.

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TABLE 206(cont'd): NUMBER OF MARRIAGES IN TONGA BY MONTH AND DIVISION

Year/Month	Tongatapu	Vava'u	Ha'apai	'Eua	Niuas	Total
<u>2002</u>	<u>583</u>	<u>88</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>750</u>
January	60	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	60
February	32	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	32
March	33	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	33
April	50	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	50
May	56	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	56
June	37	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	37
July	50	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	50
August	41	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	41
September	52	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	52
October	55	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	55
November	42	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	42
December	75	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	75
Not Stated	-	88	48	24	7	167
<u>2003</u>	<u>613</u>	<u>84</u>	<u>n.a.</u>	<u>n.a.</u>	<u>n.a.</u>	<u>697</u>
January	59	10	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	69
February	53	5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	58
March	44	6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	50
April	43	4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	47
May	29	8	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	37
June	50	5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	55
July	44	7	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	51
August	52	5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	57
September	53	6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	59
October	54	6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	60
November	68	9	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	77
December	64	13	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	77
Not Stated	-	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-
<u>2004</u>	<u>677</u>	<u>n.a.</u>	<u>n.a.</u>	<u>n.a.</u>	<u>n.a.</u>	<u>677</u>
January	83	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	83
February	55	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	55
March	41	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	41
April	50	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	50
May	45	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	45
June	54	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	54
July	64	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	64
August	56	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	56
September	52	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	52
October	37	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	37
November	62	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	62
December	78	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	78
Not Stated	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-

SOURCE: Vital Statistics Bulletin, Statistics Department.

Note: n/a - Not available

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TABLE 207: TOTAL DIVORCE IN TONGA BY MONTH AND REASON FOR DIVORCE

Year/Month	Separated > 2 years	Adultery	Unreasonable behaviour	Desertion > 2 yrs	TOTAL
1993	<u>54</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>81</u>
January	3	-	-	1	4
February	5	-	1	3	9
March	4	-	1	-	5
April	1	1	-	2	4
May	3	1	-	-	4
June	1	1	-	1	3
July	9	2	-	1	12
August	3	-	1	1	5
September	7	1	-	0	8
October	9	1	1	1	12
November	2	1	1	2	6
December	7	2	-	-	9
1994	<u>57</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>75</u>
January	3	-	-	1	4
February	4	1	1	-	6
March	4	2	1	-	7
April	3	1	-	-	4
May	2	-	1	-	3
June	5	-	-	-	5
July	8	-	2	-	10
August	6	-	1	1	8
September	11	1	-	-	12
October	3	2	1	-	6
November	4	1	-	-	5
December	4	-	-	1	5
1995	<u>50</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>63</u>
January	7	-	-	-	7
February	4	-	-	-	4
March	2	-	1	-	3
April	3	2	-	-	5
May	4	-	2	-	6
June	1	-	-	-	1
July	1	-	-	-	1
August	7	1	2	-	10
September	6	-	1	-	7
October	7	1	1	-	9
November	5	-	-	-	5
December	3	1	1	-	5

SOURCE: Vital Statistics Bulletin, Statistics Department.

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TABLE 207(cont'd): TOTAL DIVORCE IN TONGA BY MONTH AND REASON FOR DIVORCE

Year/Month	Separated > 2 years	Adultery	Unreason able behaviour	Desertion > 2 yrs	TOTAL
1996	<u>62</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>81</u>
January	5	-	-	-	5
February	8	2	1	-	11
March	8	1	-	1	10
April	3	1	-	-	4
May	5	-	1	-	6
June	8	1	1	-	10
July	3	-	1	-	4
August	2	1	1	-	4
September	4	2	-	-	6
October	9	-	1	1	11
November	5	1	1	-	7
December	1	1	-	-	2
Not stated	1	-	-	-	1
1997	<u>54</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>66</u>
January	4	-	-	-	4
February	-	-	-	-	0
March	3	-	1	-	4
April	8	2	1	-	11
May	7	1	-	-	8
June	7	-	-	-	7
July	4	2	-	-	6
August	2	1	-	-	3
September	7	1	1	-	9
October	5	1	-	-	6
November	4	-	-	-	4
December	3	-	1	-	4
1998	<u>62</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>86</u>
January	3	1	-	-	4
February	5	-	1	-	6
March	5	6	1	-	12
April	6	-	4	-	10
May	11	1	0	-	12
June	12	-	2	-	14
July	8	1	1	-	10
August	1	2	-	-	3
September	3	2	-	-	5
October	5	1	1	-	7
November	-	-	-	-	0
December	3	-	-	-	3

SOURCE: Vital Statistics Bulletin, Statistics Department.

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TABLE 207(cont'd): TOTAL DIVORCE IN TONGA BY MONTH AND REASON FOR DIVORCE

Year/Month	Separated > 2 years	Adultery	Unreasonable behaviour	Desertion > 2 yrs	TOTAL
<u>1999</u>	<u>62</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>86</u>
January	3	1	0	-	4
February	5	-	1	-	6
March	5	6	1	-	12
April	6	-	4	-	10
May	11	1	0	-	12
June	12	-	2	-	14
July	8	1	1	-	10
August	1	2	0	-	3
September	3	2	0	-	5
October	5	1	1	-	7
November	0	-	-	-	0
December	3	-	-	-	3
Not stated	-	-	-	-	0
<u>2000</u>	<u>77</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>113</u>
January	10	1	3	1	15
February	6	1	1	-	8
March	5	4	3	-	12
April	5	1	1	-	7
May	9	1	4	-	14
June	15	-	1	-	16
July	2	-	-	-	2
August	6	1	2	-	9
September	1	-	2	-	3
October	7	3	2	-	12
November	5	1	3	-	9
December	6	-	-	-	6
<u>2001</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>89</u>
January	7	1	2	-	10
February	4	2	2	-	8
March	11	1	2	-	14
April	5	1	1	-	7
May	8	1	1	-	10
June	3	1	2	-	6
July	4	-	2	-	6
August	9	1	2	-	12
September	5	1	-	-	6
October	6	1	1	-	8
November	2	-	-	-	2
December	-	-	-	-	0

SOURCE: Vital Statistics Bulletin, Statistics Department.

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TABLE 207(cont'd): TOTAL DIVORCE IN TONGA BY MONTH AND REASON FOR DIVORCE

Year/Month	Separated > 2 years	Adultery	Unreasonable behaviour	Desertion > 2 yrs	TOTAL
<u>2002</u>	<u>71</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>109</u>
January	8	2	4	-	14
February	7	-	3	-	10
March	7	-	1	-	8
April	9	-	3	-	12
May	4	2	-	1	7
June	7	2	1	-	10
July	3	2	1	2	8
August	6	-	1	-	7
September	2	1	3	-	6
October	11	-	4	-	15
November	3	1	-	1	5
December	4	1	1	1	7
Not stated	-	-	-	-	-
<u>2003</u>	<u>66</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>103</u>
January	4	-	3	-	7
February	5	-	3	-	8
March	4	-	-	2	6
April	5	1	3	-	9
May	5	1	-	-	6
June	7	-	-	-	7
July	8	3	2	2	15
August	6	-	4	-	10
September	12	1	2	1	16
October	7	3	4	-	14
November	3	-	-	-	3
December	-	-	2	-	2
<u>2004</u>	<u>76</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>110</u>
January	3	-	-	-	3
February	8	1	2	-	11
March	10	-	3	1	14
April	4	-	4	1	9
May	3	-	1	-	4
June	10	-	3	-	13
July	6	1	4	1	12
August	2	1	1	-	4
September	8	2	2	-	12
October	5	2	-	-	7
November	13	2	-	-	15
December	4	2	-	-	6

SOURCE: Vital Statistics Bulletin, Statistics Department.

Note: Data for 2004 are provisional

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TABLE 208: TOTAL DIVORCE IN TONGA BY DIVISION AND REASON FOR DIVORCE

Year/Division	Separated > 2 years	Adultery	Unreason able behaviour	Desertion > 2 yrs	TOTAL
1993	<u>54</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>81</u>
Tongatapu	45	9	4	12	70
Vava'u	3	1	-	-	4
Ha'apai	2	-	1	-	3
'Eua	4	-	-	-	4
Niuas	0	-	-	-	0
1994	<u>57</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>75</u>
Tongatapu	47	7	6	3	63
Vava'u	6	-	1	-	7
Ha'apai	2	1	-	-	3
'Eua	1	-	-	-	1
Niuas	1	-	-	-	1
1995	<u>50</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>63</u>
Tongatapu	49	5	8	-	62
Vava'u	1	-	-	-	1
Ha'apai	-	-	-	-	-
'Eua	-	-	-	-	-
Niuas	-	-	-	-	-
1996	<u>62</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>81</u>
Tongatapu	60	10	7	2	79
Vava'u	2	-	-	-	2
Ha'apai	-	-	-	-	-
Eua	-	-	-	-	-
Niuas	-	-	-	-	-
1997	<u>54</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>66</u>
Tongatapu	40	5	3	-	48
Vava'u	10	3	-	-	13
Ha'apai	1	-	1	-	2
'Eua	3	-	-	-	3
Niuas	-	-	-	-	-
1998	<u>63</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>86</u>
Tongatapu	52	13	5	-	70
Vava'u	8	1	3	-	12
Ha'apai	1	-	-	-	1
'Eua	-	-	1	-	1
Niuas	2	-	-	-	2

SOURCE: Vital Statistics Bulletin, Statistics Department.

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TABLE 208(cont'd): TOTAL DIVORCE IN TONGA BY DIVISION AND REASON FOR DIVORCE

Year/Division	Separated > 2 years	Adultery	Unreason able behaviour	Desertion > 2 yrs	TOTAL
<u>1999</u>	<u>62</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>91</u>
Tongatapu	51	8	9	1	69
Vava'u	7	2	7	-	16
Ha'apai	2	-	-	-	2
'Eua	2	1	1	-	4
Niuas	-	-	-	-	-
<u>2000</u>	<u>77</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>113</u>
Tongatapu	59	13	17	1	90
Vava'u	14	-	4	-	18
Ha'apai	2	-	1	-	3
'Eua	1	-	-	-	1
Niuas	1	-	-	-	1
<u>2001</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>89</u>
Tongatapu	56	8	14	-	78
Vava'u	4	1	-	-	5
Ha'apai	2	1	1	-	4
'Eua	2	-	-	-	2
Niuas	-	-	-	-	-
<u>2002</u>	<u>71</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>109</u>
Tongatapu	64	10	21	4	99
Vava'u	6	1	1	1	9
Ha'apai	1	-	-	-	1
'Eua	-	-	-	-	-
Niuas	-	-	-	-	-
<u>2003</u>	<u>66</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>103</u>
Tongatapu	57	8	21	5	91
Vava'u	6	-	-	-	6
Ha'apai	2	-	-	-	2
'Eua	1	1	2	-	4
Niuas	-	-	-	-	-
<u>2004</u>	<u>76</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>110</u>
Tongatapu	69	11	19	3	102
Vava'u	3	-	1	-	4
Ha'apai	3	-	-	-	3
'Eua	1	-	-	-	1
Niuas	-	-	-	-	-

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