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Data table for Figure 2. Age of mother at first birth, by birth cohort of mother:
United States, 1910, 1935, and 1960

Birth cohort	Age of mother in years			
	15–19	20–24	25–29	30–49
1910	29.6	42.1	18.3	10.0
1935	31.3	43.5	18.3	6.9
1960	24.5	32.6	24.2	18.7

SOURCE: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System.

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Data table for Figure 3. Percent distribution of the number of children ever born, by birth cohort of mother: United States, 1910, 1935, and 1960

Number of children ever born	Birth cohort		
	1910	1935	1960
0	21.5	8.45	16.28
1	21.81	9.96	18.31
2	22.49	21.98	34.98
3	13.63	22.47	19.22
4 or more	20.57	37.14	11.21

SOURCE: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System.