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Washington State: Three Alternative Child Support Tables

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Alternative Child Support Tables

Purpose and Assumptions

This document includes three alternative child support tables.

1. The existing Washington economic table extended to monthly net income of \$12,000.
2. An updated table using more recent data and the Rothbarth methodology to measure child-rearing expenditures.
3. An updated table using more recent data and the Engel methodology to measure child-rearing expenditures.

A side-by-side comparison of order amounts for one through five children from all three updated tables is provided at the end of this document.

EXTENSION OF EXISTING WASHINGTON TABLE

The current child support table is presumptive for combined monthly net incomes up to \$5,000. The table also includes advisory obligations for combined monthly net incomes up to \$7,000. PSI extended the existing table to \$12,000 in combined monthly net income.

Economic Basis and Assumptions underlying Existing Table

The existing table is partially based on a recommended Income Shares table developed through the 1983-87 National Child Support Guidelines Project.¹ The National Guidelines Project table was developed using the following assumptions and data.

1. Estimates of child-rearing expenditures developed by Dr. Thomas Espenshade of the Urban Institute from family expenditures data collected in 1972-73 surveys.²
2. The estimates were updated to 1986 price levels.
3. It excludes child care expenses, the child's health insurance premium and the child's uninsured, extraordinary health care expenses.
4. It includes ordinary medical expenses (e.g., band-aids) of \$100 per child per year.
5. It is age-adjusted based on the assumption that teenagers (ages 12-17 years old) cost 23.7 percent more than younger children.

Based on our analysis, it appears that several modifications were made to the Guidelines Project table in Washington State's adoption of it.

¹ National Center for State Courts, *Development of Guidelines for Child Support Orders, Part I, Final Report*, Report to U.S. Office of Child Support Enforcement, Williamsburg, Virginia (March 1987), Table 16, page II-79.

² Thomas J. Espenshade, *Investing in Children: New Estimates of Parental Expenditures*, Urban Institute Press: Washington, D.C. (1984).



1. The lowest amounts in the National Guidelines Project table, which were to be applied at combined net incomes of \$467 per month, were applied at net combined incomes of \$600 per month in the Washington State Schedule.³
2. The amounts in the National Guidelines Project table were applied to higher incomes in the Washington State Schedule until combined net income reached \$2,700 per month. This effectively made the Washington State Schedule higher than the National Guidelines Project table at combined net incomes below \$2,700 per month. After net incomes of \$2,700 per month, the Washington State Schedule does not track as closely to the National Guidelines Project table. (The Washington State Schedule is lower.)
3. The highest amount in the Washington State Schedule is 85 percent of the highest amount in the National Guidelines Project table. In the 1980s, some states considered an 85 percent adjustment to account for the nonresidential parent's direct expenditures on the child during standard visitation.
4. Based on the above, it is plausible that Washington State adjusted higher income amounts for standard visitation. However, it does not appear that the adjustment was made to lower incomes (i.e., combined net incomes below \$2,700 per month).
5. It does not appear that there was an adjustment to the Guidelines Project table to account for ordinary medical expenses being 5 percent of the basic support obligation, which is the definition provided in the current Washington State Schedule. It appears that the Guidelines Project table assumption of \$100 per child in ordinary medical expenses was not altered.

ALTERNATIVE UPDATED CHILD SUPPORT TABLES

PSI developed two alternative, updated tables based on estimates of child-rearing expenditures using recent data. Dr. David Betson, Professor of Economics, University of Notre Dame developed the estimates using the Rothbarth and Engel methodologies from expenditures data collected from families surveyed in 1996-99.⁴ In turn, the estimates were updated to 2005 price levels.

Economic Methodologies

An economic methodology is necessary to separate the children's and the adults' shares of family expenditures since many items purchased for family consumption cannot be discretely attributed to one or the other (e.g., electricity for the home, a loaf of bread). Both the Rothbarth and Engel methodologies are marginal cost approaches in that they compare expenditures between two equally well off families—one with children and the other without children. The difference is considered to be child-rearing expenditures.

³ Some of the difference may result from adjustments for changes in price level between when the National Guidelines Project table was developed and the development of the Washington State schedule. The National Guidelines Project table was developed using 1986 price levels. We could not determine the exact year that the Washington State schedule was developed, but it was some time between 1987 and 1991. As a reference point, price levels increased by 24 percent from 1986 to 1991.

⁴ David M. Betson, *Alternative Estimates of the Cost of Children from the 1980-86 Consumer Expenditure Survey*, Report to U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, University of Wisconsin Institute for Research on Poverty, Madison, Wisconsin (1990) and David M. Betson, "Chapter 5: Parental Expenditures on Children," in Judicial Council of California, *Review of Statewide Uniform Child Support Guidelines*, San Francisco, California, (2001).

The proxies for equally well off families differ between the Rothbarth and Engel methodologies. The Rothbarth methodology relies on percent of expenditures devoted to adult clothing and the Engel methodology relies on food shares. Economists know the Rothbarth methodology understates actual child-rearing expenditures and the Engel methodology overstates actual child-rearing expenditures. In fact, an economic group evaluating child-rearing expenditures for the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services to provide information for state guidelines reviews suggests that the Rothbarth and Engel estimators, respectively, form the lower and upper bound of actual child-rearing expenditures; and any amount between them is an appropriate level for state child support guidelines.⁵

Major Assumptions Underlying Alternative Tables

The following assumptions were used to develop the updated Rothbarth and Engel tables.

1. *Start at \$1,000 per month.* The tables start at combined monthly net income of \$1,000, which is approximately 125 percent of the current federal poverty guideline for a single individual. The 2005 federal poverty guideline is \$798 per month for one person.⁶
2. *End at \$12,000 per month.* The tables end at combined net incomes of \$12,000 per month, although economic evidence is available up to net incomes of about \$14,500 per month.
3. *Tables exclude day care expenses.* Day care expenses are excluded from the tables because actual day care expenses are factored into the child support calculation in the worksheet.
4. *Tables exclude child's health insurance premium.* Health insurance premiums are excluded from the tables because actual health insurance premiums are factored into the child support calculation in the worksheet.
5. *Tables exclude uninsured, child's extraordinary health care expenses.* Uninsured, extraordinary health care expenses are excluded from the tables because the actual amount is factored into the child support calculation in the worksheet.
6. *Tables include ordinary medical expenses (e.g., band-aids).* Ordinary health care expenses (e.g., band-aids, over-the-counter medicines) are included in the tables. They are \$250 per year per child for the reference family, which approximates average out-of-pocket health care related expenses for children.⁷ (As an aside, the amount is somewhat less per child for larger families.)
7. *Tables do not discern between younger and older children.* The division of the table into two categories for younger (0-11 years old) and older (12-18 years old) children is eliminated. The tables consider average child-rearing expenditures for children ages 0 through 17 years old.

⁵Lewin/ICF, *Estimates of Expenditures on Children and Child Support Guidelines*, Report to the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Washington, DC (October 1990).

⁶Federal Register, Vol. 70, No. 33, February 18, 2005, pp. 8373-8375.

⁷Marie McCormick, Robin Weinick, Anne Elixhauser, et al., "Annual Report on Access to and Utilization of Health Care for Children and Youth in the United States—2000." *Ambulatory Pediatrics*, 1(1): January-February 2001. (Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality 01-R036).

Existing Economic Table Extended to Combined Monthly Net Income of \$12,000

Washington State Child Support Schedule Economic Table

Monthly Basic Support Obligation Per Child

(KEY: A=AGE 0-11 B=AGE 12-18)

COMBINED MONTHLY NET INCOME	One Child Family		Two Children Family		Three Children Family		Four Children Family		Five Children Family	
	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B
600.00	133	164	103	127	86	106	73	90	63	78
700.00	155	191	120	148	100	124	85	105	74	91
800.00	177	218	137	170	115	142	97	120	84	104
900.00	199	246	154	191	129	159	109	135	95	118
1000.00	220	272	171	211	143	177	121	149	105	130
1100.00	242	299	188	232	157	194	133	164	116	143
1200.00	264	326	205	253	171	211	144	179	126	156
1300.00	285	352	221	274	185	228	156	193	136	168
1400.00	307	379	238	294	199	246	168	208	147	181
1500.00	327	404	254	313	212	262	179	221	156	193
1600.00	347	428	269	333	225	278	190	235	166	205
1700.00	367	453	285	352	238	294	201	248	175	217
1800.00	387	478	300	371	251	310	212	262	185	228
1900.00	407	503	316	390	264	326	223	275	194	240
2000.00	427	527	331	409	277	342	234	289	204	252
2100.00	447	552	347	429	289	358	245	303	213	264
2200.00	467	577	362	448	302	374	256	316	223	276
2300.00	487	601	378	467	315	390	267	330	233	288
2400.00	506	626	393	486	328	406	278	343	242	299
2500.00	526	650	408	505	341	421	288	356	251	311
2600.00	534	661	416	513	346	428	293	362	256	316
2700.00	542	670	421	520	351	435	298	368	259	321
2800.00	549	679	427	527	356	440	301	372	262	324
2900.00	556	686	431	533	360	445	305	376	266	328
3000.00	561	693	436	538	364	449	308	380	268	331
3100.00	566	699	439	543	367	453	310	383	270	334
3200.00	569	704	442	546	369	457	312	386	272	336
3300.00	573	708	445	549	371	459	314	388	273	339
3400.00	574	710	446	551	372	460	315	389	274	340
3500.00	575	711	447	552	373	461	316	390	275	341
3600.00	577	712	448	553	374	462	317	391	276	342
3700.00	578	713	449	554	375	463	318	392	277	343
3800.00	581	719	452	558	377	466	319	394	278	344
3900.00	596	736	463	572	386	477	326	404	284	352
4000.00	609	753	473	584	395	488	334	413	291	360
4100.00	623	770	484	598	404	500	341	422	298	368
4200.00	638	788	495	611	413	511	350	431	305	377
4300.00	651	805	506	625	422	522	357	441	311	385
4400.00	664	821	516	637	431	532	364	449	317	392
4500.00	677	836	525	649	438	542	371	458	323	400
4600.00	689	851	535	661	446	552	377	467	329	407
4700.00	701	866	545	673	455	562	384	475	335	414
4800.00	713	882	554	685	463	572	391	483	341	422
4900.00	726	897	564	697	470	581	398	491	347	429
5000.00	738	912	574	708	479	592	404	500	353	437
5100.00	751	928	584	720	487	602	411	509	359	443
5200.00	763	943	593	732	494	611	418	517	365	451
5300.00	776	959	602	744	503	621	425	525	371	458
5400.00	788	974	612	756	511	632	432	533	377	466
5500.00	800	989	622	768	518	641	439	542	383	473
5600.00	812	1004	632	779	527	651	446	551	389	480
5700.00	825	1019	641	791	535	661	452	559	395	488
5800.00	837	1035	650	803	543	671	459	567	401	495

Existing Economic Table Extended to Combined Monthly Net Income of \$12,000

Washington State Child Support Schedule Economic Table

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(KEY: A=AGE 0-11 B=AGE 12-18)

COMBINED MONTHLY NET INCOME	One Child Family		Two Children Family		Three Children Family		Four Children Family		Five Children Family	
	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B
5900.00	850	1050	660	815	551	681	466	575	407	502
6000.00	862	1065	670	827	559	691	473	584	413	509
6100.00	875	1081	680	839	567	701	479	593	418	517
6200.00	887	1096	689	851	575	710	486	601	424	524
6300.00	899	1112	699	863	583	721	493	609	430	532
6400.00	911	1127	709	875	591	731	500	617	436	539
6500.00	924	1142	718	887	599	740	506	626	442	546
6600.00	936	1157	728	899	607	750	513	635	448	554
6700.00	949	1172	737	911	615	761	520	643	454	561
6800.00	961	1188	747	923	623	770	527	651	460	568
6900.00	974	1203	757	935	631	780	533	659	466	575
7000.00	986	1218	767	946	639	790	540	668	472	583
7100.00	998	1233	776	958	647	800	547	677	478	591
7200.00	1009	1248	785	971	654	809	554	684	484	598
7300.00	1021	1262	794	982	662	818	560	693	490	605
7400.00	1033	1276	803	993	670	828	567	701	496	613
7500.00	1044	1290	812	1004	677	837	574	709	502	620
7600.00	1055	1305	821	1015	685	846	581	718	507	627
7700.00	1067	1319	830	1026	692	855	587	726	513	634
7800.00	1078	1333	839	1037	700	865	594	734	519	642
7900.00	1089	1346	848	1048	707	874	601	742	525	649
8000.00	1100	1360	857	1059	714	883	607	750	531	656
8100.00	1112	1374	865	1069	722	892	614	759	536	663
8200.00	1123	1387	874	1080	729	901	620	767	542	670
8300.00	1134	1401	882	1091	736	910	627	775	548	677
8400.00	1144	1414	891	1101	743	919	633	783	553	684
8500.00	1155	1428	899	1112	750	928	640	791	559	691
8600.00	1166	1441	908	1122	758	936	646	799	565	698
8700.00	1177	1454	916	1133	765	945	653	807	570	705
8800.00	1187	1467	925	1143	772	954	659	815	576	712
8900.00	1198	1481	933	1153	779	962	665	822	582	719
9000.00	1208	1493	941	1163	786	971	672	830	587	726
9100.00	1219	1506	949	1173	792	980	678	838	593	732
9200.00	1229	1519	957	1183	799	988	684	846	598	739
9300.00	1239	1532	966	1193	806	996	691	854	604	746
9400.00	1250	1545	974	1203	813	1005	697	861	609	753
9500.00	1260	1557	982	1213	820	1013	703	869	614	759
9600.00	1270	1570	989	1223	826	1021	709	877	620	766
9700.00	1280	1582	997	1233	833	1030	716	884	625	773
9800.00	1290	1594	1005	1242	840	1038	722	892	631	779
9900.00	1300	1606	1013	1252	846	1046	728	900	636	786
10000.00	1310	1619	1021	1262	853	1054	734	907	641	793
10100.00	1319	1631	1028	1271	859	1062	740	915	647	799
10200.00	1329	1643	1036	1281	866	1070	746	922	652	806
10300.00	1339	1655	1044	1290	872	1078	752	930	657	812
10400.00	1348	1666	1051	1299	879	1086	758	937	662	819
10500.00	1358	1678	1059	1308	885	1094	764	944	668	825
10600.00	1367	1690	1066	1318	891	1102	770	952	673	832
10700.00	1377	1701	1073	1327	898	1109	776	959	678	838
10800.00	1386	1713	1081	1336	904	1117	782	966	683	844
10900.00	1395	1724	1088	1345	910	1125	788	974	688	851
11000.00	1404	1736	1095	1354	916	1132	794	981	693	857
11100.00	1413	1747	1102	1363	922	1140	799	988	698	863

Existing Economic Table Extended to Combined Monthly Net Income of \$12,000

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COMBINED MONTHLY NET INCOME	One Child Family		Two Children Family		Three Children Family		Four Children Family		Five Children Family	
	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B
11200.00	1422	1758	1110	1371	928	1147	805	995	703	869
11300.00	1431	1769	1117	1380	934	1155	811	1002	708	876
11400.00	1440	1780	1124	1389	940	1162	817	1009	714	882
11500.00	1449	1791	1131	1398	946	1170	822	1017	719	888
11600.00	1458	1802	1138	1406	952	1177	828	1024	723	894
11700.00	1467	1813	1145	1415	958	1184	834	1031	728	900
11800.00	1475	1823	1151	1423	964	1191	839	1038	733	906
11900.00	1484	1834	1158	1431	970	1199	845	1045	738	912
12000.00	1492	1844	1165	1440	975	1206	851	1051	743	919

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Updated Schedule of Basic Child Support Obligations

Betson-Rothbarth

COMBINED ADJUSTED NET INCOME	ONE CHILD	TWO CHILDREN	THREE CHILDREN	FOUR CHILDREN	FIVE CHILDREN
1000.00	261	184	142	119	104
1100.00	286	202	156	130	115
1200.00	311	220	169	142	125
1300.00	337	238	183	153	135
1400.00	362	256	197	165	145
1500.00	387	274	211	176	155
1600.00	411	290	223	186	164
1700.00	433	305	234	196	172
1800.00	456	320	245	205	181
1900.00	478	335	257	215	189
2000.00	502	350	269	225	198
2100.00	526	368	282	236	208
2200.00	551	385	296	247	218
2300.00	576	402	309	259	228
2400.00	601	420	323	270	238
2500.00	624	435	334	280	246
2600.00	646	450	346	289	255
2700.00	669	466	357	299	263
2800.00	692	481	369	308	271
2900.00	715	496	380	318	280
3000.00	738	512	393	328	289
3100.00	760	528	405	338	298
3200.00	783	544	417	349	307
3300.00	804	558	428	358	315
3400.00	814	564	431	361	317
3500.00	823	570	435	363	320
3600.00	833	575	438	366	322
3700.00	843	581	442	369	325
3800.00	852	587	445	372	327
3900.00	862	592	448	375	330
4000.00	873	599	452	378	333
4100.00	885	606	457	382	336
4200.00	897	612	461	386	339
4300.00	909	619	466	389	343
4400.00	921	626	470	393	346
4500.00	933	633	474	397	349
4600.00	945	640	479	400	352
4700.00	957	647	483	404	356
4800.00	968	654	487	408	359
4900.00	976	659	491	411	361
5000.00	982	664	495	414	364
5100.00	989	668	498	417	367
5200.00	995	673	502	420	369
5300.00	1002	677	505	423	372
5400.00	1008	682	509	426	375
5500.00	1015	686	513	429	377
5600.00	1021	691	516	432	380
5700.00	1028	695	520	435	382
5800.00	1039	702	524	439	386

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Updated Schedule of Basic Child Support Obligations

Betson-Rothbarth

COMBINED ADJUSTED NET INCOME	ONE CHILD	TWO CHILDREN	THREE CHILDREN	FOUR CHILDREN	FIVE CHILDREN
5900.00	1049	708	529	442	389
6000.00	1060	715	534	446	393
6100.00	1071	721	538	450	396
6200.00	1082	728	543	454	400
6300.00	1093	734	548	458	403
6400.00	1103	741	552	462	406
6500.00	1114	747	557	466	410
6600.00	1125	754	562	470	414
6700.00	1138	762	568	475	418
6800.00	1150	770	574	480	422
6900.00	1163	779	579	485	426
7000.00	1175	787	585	489	431
7100.00	1188	795	591	494	435
7200.00	1200	803	597	499	439
7300.00	1213	811	603	504	444
7400.00	1225	819	609	509	448
7500.00	1235	825	613	513	451
7600.00	1241	830	617	516	454
7700.00	1248	835	621	519	457
7800.00	1255	840	624	522	459
7900.00	1262	845	628	525	462
8000.00	1268	849	632	528	465
8100.00	1275	854	635	531	468
8200.00	1282	859	639	535	470
8300.00	1289	864	643	538	473
8400.00	1298	870	647	541	476
8500.00	1307	876	651	545	479
8600.00	1316	882	655	548	482
8700.00	1326	888	660	552	485
8800.00	1335	894	664	555	489
8900.00	1344	900	668	559	492
9000.00	1354	906	672	562	495
9100.00	1363	911	677	566	498
9200.00	1372	917	681	569	501
9300.00	1382	923	685	573	504
9400.00	1391	929	689	576	507
9500.00	1400	935	693	580	510
9600.00	1410	941	698	583	513
9700.00	1419	947	702	587	516
9800.00	1428	953	706	590	520
9900.00	1436	958	709	593	522
10000.00	1442	962	712	595	524
10100.00	1448	965	714	597	525
10200.00	1454	969	716	599	527
10300.00	1460	972	719	601	529
10400.00	1465	976	721	603	531
10500.00	1471	979	723	605	532
10600.00	1477	983	726	607	534
10700.00	1483	986	728	609	536

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Updated Schedule of Basic Child Support Obligations

Betson-Rothbarth

COMBINED ADJUSTED NET INCOME	ONE CHILD	TWO CHILDREN	THREE CHILDREN	FOUR CHILDREN	FIVE CHILDREN
10800.00	1489	990	730	611	537
10900.00	1495	993	733	613	539
11000.00	1500	997	735	615	541
11100.00	1506	1000	737	616	543
11200.00	1512	1004	740	618	544
11300.00	1518	1007	742	620	546
11400.00	1524	1011	744	622	548
11500.00	1529	1014	746	624	549
11600.00	1535	1018	749	626	551
11700.00	1541	1021	751	628	553
11800.00	1547	1025	753	630	554
11900.00	1553	1028	756	632	556
12000.00	1559	1032	758	634	558

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Updated Schedule of Basic Child Support Obligations

Betson-Engel

COMBINED ADJUSTED NET INCOME	ONE CHILD	TWO CHILDREN	THREE CHILDREN	FOUR CHILDREN	FIVE CHILDREN
1000.00	285	206	160	132	115
1100.00	314	227	176	146	126
1200.00	342	247	191	159	138
1300.00	371	268	207	172	149
1400.00	399	288	223	185	160
1500.00	428	309	239	198	172
1600.00	456	329	255	211	183
1700.00	484	350	271	224	194
1800.00	512	370	286	237	206
1900.00	540	390	302	251	217
2000.00	568	410	318	264	229
2100.00	596	430	334	277	240
2200.00	624	450	350	290	251
2300.00	652	470	366	303	263
2400.00	679	490	382	316	274
2500.00	707	510	397	329	286
2600.00	735	531	413	343	297
2700.00	764	552	430	356	309
2800.00	793	572	446	370	321
2900.00	822	593	463	383	332
3000.00	850	614	479	397	344
3100.00	879	635	495	410	356
3200.00	908	656	512	424	368
3300.00	932	673	525	435	377
3400.00	948	684	533	442	383
3500.00	965	696	542	449	389
3600.00	982	707	550	456	395
3700.00	999	718	558	463	401
3800.00	1016	730	567	470	407
3900.00	1032	741	575	477	413
4000.00	1048	752	583	484	419
4100.00	1062	762	591	490	425
4200.00	1076	773	599	496	430
4300.00	1090	783	606	503	436
4400.00	1104	793	614	509	441
4500.00	1120	804	623	516	448
4600.00	1136	816	631	523	454
4700.00	1152	827	640	531	460
4800.00	1169	839	649	538	466
4900.00	1185	850	658	545	473
5000.00	1201	862	667	552	479
5100.00	1217	874	675	560	485
5200.00	1224	878	679	562	488
5300.00	1229	881	681	564	489
5400.00	1233	884	683	566	491
5500.00	1238	887	684	567	492
5600.00	1242	890	686	569	493
5700.00	1247	892	688	571	495
5800.00	1251	895	690	572	496

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5900.00	1256	898	692	574	498
6000.00	1260	901	694	575	499
6100.00	1273	910	701	581	504
6200.00	1293	924	712	590	512
6300.00	1313	939	724	600	520
6400.00	1333	953	735	609	528
6500.00	1353	968	747	619	537
6600.00	1373	982	758	628	545
6700.00	1393	997	770	638	553
6800.00	1414	1011	781	647	561
6900.00	1434	1026	793	657	570
7000.00	1453	1040	803	666	577
7100.00	1466	1050	811	672	583
7200.00	1480	1060	819	678	588
7300.00	1494	1070	826	685	594
7400.00	1508	1079	834	691	599
7500.00	1521	1089	841	697	605
7600.00	1535	1099	849	704	610
7700.00	1549	1109	857	710	616
7800.00	1562	1119	864	716	621
7900.00	1576	1129	872	723	627
8000.00	1590	1139	880	729	632
8100.00	1604	1149	887	735	638
8200.00	1617	1159	895	742	643
8300.00	1631	1169	903	748	649
8400.00	1644	1179	910	754	654
8500.00	1656	1188	917	760	659
8600.00	1668	1197	924	766	664
8700.00	1680	1205	931	772	669
8800.00	1692	1214	938	777	674
8900.00	1704	1223	945	783	679
9000.00	1716	1232	952	789	684
9100.00	1728	1241	959	795	689
9200.00	1740	1250	966	801	694
9300.00	1752	1259	973	807	699
9400.00	1764	1267	980	812	705
9500.00	1776	1276	987	818	710
9600.00	1788	1285	994	824	715
9700.00	1800	1294	1001	830	720
9800.00	1812	1303	1008	836	725
9900.00	1824	1312	1015	841	730
10000.00	1836	1321	1022	847	735
10100.00	1848	1329	1029	853	740
10200.00	1860	1338	1036	859	745
10300.00	1871	1347	1043	865	750
10400.00	1883	1356	1050	871	755
10500.00	1895	1364	1057	876	760
10600.00	1906	1372	1063	881	764
10700.00	1917	1380	1069	886	768

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10800.00	1927	1387	1075	891	772
10900.00	1938	1395	1080	895	776
11000.00	1949	1402	1086	900	781
11100.00	1959	1410	1092	905	785
11200.00	1970	1417	1098	910	789
11300.00	1981	1425	1104	915	793
11400.00	1992	1433	1109	919	797
11500.00	2002	1440	1115	924	801
11600.00	2013	1448	1121	929	806
11700.00	2024	1455	1127	934	810
11800.00	2035	1463	1132	939	814
11900.00	2045	1471	1138	943	818
12000.00	2056	1478	1144	948	822

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	Existing		Extended		New Measurements		Existing		Extended		New Measurements		Existing		Extended		New Measurements		Existing		Extended		New Measurements	
	A	B	Rothbarth	Engel	A	B	Rothbarth	Engel	A	B	Rothbarth	Engel	A	B	Rothbarth	Engel	A	B	Rothbarth	Engel	A	B	Rothbarth	Engel
	(Age 0-11)	(Age 12-18)			(Age 0-11)	(Age 12-18)			(Age 0-11)	(Age 12-18)			(Age 0-11)	(Age 12-18)			(Age 0-11)	(Age 12-18)			(Age 0-11)	(Age 12-18)		
1000	220	272	261	285	171	211	184	206	143	177	142	160	121	149	119	132	105	130	104	115				
1100	242	299	286	314	188	232	202	227	157	194	156	176	133	164	130	146	116	143	115	126				
1200	264	326	311	342	205	253	220	247	171	211	169	191	144	179	142	159	126	156	125	138				
1300	285	352	337	371	221	274	238	268	185	228	183	207	156	193	153	172	136	168	135	149				
1400	307	379	362	399	238	294	256	288	199	246	197	223	168	208	165	185	147	181	145	160				
1500	327	404	387	428	254	313	274	309	212	262	211	239	179	221	176	198	156	193	155	172				
1600	347	428	411	456	269	333	290	329	225	278	223	255	190	235	186	211	166	205	164	183				
1700	367	453	433	484	285	352	305	350	238	294	234	271	201	248	196	224	175	217	172	194				
1800	387	478	456	512	300	371	320	370	251	310	245	286	212	262	205	237	185	228	181	206				
1900	407	503	478	540	316	390	335	390	264	326	257	302	223	275	215	251	194	240	189	217				
2000	427	527	502	568	331	409	350	410	277	342	269	318	234	289	225	264	204	252	198	229				
2100	447	552	526	596	347	429	368	430	289	358	282	334	245	303	236	277	213	264	208	240				
2200	467	577	551	624	362	448	385	450	302	374	296	350	256	316	247	290	223	276	218	251				
2300	487	601	576	652	378	467	402	470	315	390	309	366	267	330	259	303	233	288	228	263				
2400	506	626	601	679	393	486	420	490	328	406	323	382	278	343	270	316	242	299	238	274				
2500	526	650	624	707	408	505	435	510	341	421	334	397	288	356	280	329	251	311	246	286				
2600	534	661	646	735	416	513	450	531	346	428	346	413	293	362	289	343	256	316	255	297				
2700	542	670	669	764	421	520	466	552	351	435	357	430	298	368	299	356	259	321	263	309				
2800	549	679	692	793	427	527	481	572	356	440	369	446	301	372	308	370	262	324	271	321				
2900	556	686	715	822	431	533	496	593	360	445	380	463	305	376	318	383	266	328	280	332				
3000	561	693	738	850	436	538	512	614	364	449	393	479	308	380	328	397	268	331	289	344				
3100	566	699	760	879	439	543	528	635	367	453	405	495	310	383	338	410	270	334	298	356				
3200	569	704	783	908	442	546	544	656	369	457	417	512	312	386	349	424	272	336	307	368				
3300	573	708	804	932	445	549	558	673	371	459	428	525	314	388	358	435	273	339	315	377				
3400	574	710	814	948	446	551	564	684	372	460	431	533	315	389	361	442	274	340	317	383				
3500	575	711	823	965	447	552	570	696	373	461	435	542	316	390	363	449	275	341	320	389				
3600	577	712	833	982	448	553	575	707	374	462	438	550	317	391	366	456	276	342	322	395				
3700	578	713	843	999	449	554	581	718	375	463	442	558	318	392	369	463	277	343	325	401				
3800	581	719	852	1016	452	558	587	730	377	466	445	567	319	394	372	470	278	344	327	407				
3900	596	736	862	1032	463	572	592	741	386	477	448	575	326	404	375	477	284	352	330	413				
4000	609	753	873	1048	473	584	599	752	395	488	452	583	334	413	378	484	291	360	333	419				
4100	623	770	885	1062	484	598	606	762	404	500	457	591	341	422	382	490	298	368	336	425				
4200	638	788	897	1076	495	611	612	773	413	511	461	599	350	431	386	496	305	377	339	430				
4300	651	805	909	1090	506	625	619	783	422	522	466	606	357	441	389	503	311	385	343	436				
4400	664	821	921	1104	516	637	626	793	431	532	470	614	364	449	393	509	317	392	346	441				
4500	677	836	933	1120	525	649	633	804	438	542	474	623	371	458	397	516	323	400	349	448				
4600	689	851	945	1136	535	661	640	816	446	552	479	631	377	467	400	523	329	407	352	454				
4700	701	866	957	1152	545	673	647	827	455	562	483	640	384	475	404	531	335	414	356	460				
4800	713	882	968	1169	554	685	654	839	463	572	487	649	391	483	408	538	341	422	359	466				

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	A	B	Rothbarth	Engel	A	B	Rothbarth	Engel	A	B	Rothbarth	Engel	A	B	Rothbarth	Engel	A	B	Rothbarth	Engel	A	B	Rothbarth	Engel
	(Age 0-11)	(Age 12-18)			(Age 0-11)	(Age 12-18)			(Age 0-11)	(Age 12-18)			(Age 0-11)	(Age 12-18)			(Age 0-11)	(Age 12-18)			(Age 0-11)	(Age 12-18)		
4900	726	897	976	1185	564	697	659	850	470	581	491	658	398	491	411	545	347	429	361	473				
5000	738	912	982	1201	574	708	664	862	479	592	495	667	404	500	414	552	353	437	364	479				
5100	751	928	989	1217	584	720	668	874	487	602	498	675	411	509	417	560	359	443	367	485				
5200	763	943	995	1224	593	732	673	878	494	611	502	679	418	517	420	562	365	451	369	488				
5300	776	959	1002	1229	602	744	677	881	503	621	505	681	425	525	423	564	371	458	372	489				
5400	788	974	1008	1233	612	756	682	884	511	632	509	683	432	533	426	566	377	466	375	491				
5500	800	989	1015	1238	622	768	686	887	518	641	513	684	439	542	429	567	383	473	377	492				
5600	812	1004	1021	1242	632	779	691	890	527	651	516	686	446	551	432	569	389	480	380	493				
5700	825	1019	1028	1247	641	791	695	892	535	661	520	688	452	559	435	571	395	488	382	495				
5800	837	1035	1039	1251	650	803	702	895	543	671	524	690	459	567	439	572	401	495	386	496				
5900	850	1050	1049	1256	660	815	708	898	551	681	529	692	466	575	442	574	407	502	389	498				
6000	862	1065	1060	1260	670	827	715	901	559	691	534	694	473	584	446	575	413	509	393	499				
6100	875	1081	1071	1273	680	839	721	910	567	701	538	701	479	593	450	581	418	517	396	504				
6200	887	1096	1082	1293	689	851	728	924	575	710	543	712	486	601	454	590	424	524	400	512				
6300	899	1112	1093	1313	699	863	734	939	583	721	548	724	493	609	458	600	430	532	403	520				
6400	911	1127	1103	1333	709	875	741	953	591	731	552	735	500	617	462	609	436	539	406	528				
6500	924	1142	1114	1353	718	887	747	968	599	740	557	747	506	626	466	619	442	546	410	537				
6600	936	1157	1125	1373	728	899	754	982	607	750	562	758	513	635	470	628	448	554	414	545				
6700	949	1172	1138	1393	737	911	762	997	615	761	568	770	520	643	475	638	454	561	418	553				
6800	961	1188	1150	1414	747	923	770	1011	623	770	574	781	527	651	480	647	460	568	422	561				
6900	974	1203	1163	1434	757	935	779	1026	631	780	579	793	533	659	485	657	466	575	426	570				
7000	986	1218	1175	1453	767	946	787	1040	639	790	585	803	540	668	489	666	472	583	431	577				
7100	998	1233	1188	1466	776	958	795	1050	647	800	591	811	547	677	494	672	478	591	435	583				
7200	1009	1248	1200	1480	785	971	803	1060	654	809	597	819	554	684	499	678	484	598	439	588				
7300	1021	1262	1213	1494	794	982	811	1070	662	818	603	826	560	693	504	685	490	605	444	594				
7400	1033	1276	1225	1508	803	993	819	1079	670	828	609	834	567	701	509	691	496	613	448	599				
7500	1044	1290	1235	1521	812	1004	825	1089	677	837	613	841	574	709	513	697	502	620	451	605				
7600	1055	1305	1241	1535	821	1015	830	1099	685	846	617	849	581	718	516	704	507	627	454	610				
7700	1067	1319	1248	1549	830	1026	835	1109	692	855	621	857	587	726	519	710	513	634	457	616				
7800	1078	1333	1255	1562	839	1037	840	1119	700	865	624	864	594	734	522	716	519	642	459	621				
7900	1089	1346	1262	1576	848	1048	845	1129	707	874	628	872	601	742	525	723	525	649	462	627				
8000	1100	1360	1268	1590	857	1059	849	1139	714	883	632	880	607	750	528	729	531	656	465	632				
8100	1112	1374	1275	1604	865	1069	854	1149	722	892	635	887	614	759	531	735	536	663	468	638				
8200	1123	1387	1282	1617	874	1080	859	1159	729	901	639	895	620	767	535	742	542	670	470	643				
8300	1134	1401	1289	1631	882	1091	864	1169	736	910	643	903	627	775	538	748	548	677	473	649				
8400	1144	1414	1298	1644	891	1101	870	1179	743	919	647	910	633	783	541	754	553	684	476	654				
8500	1155	1428	1307	1656	899	1112	876	1188	750	928	651	917	640	791	545	760	559	691	479	659				
8600	1166	1441	1316	1668	908	1122	882	1197	758	936	655	924	646	799	548	766	565	698	482	664				
8700	1177	1454	1326	1680	916	1133	888	1205	765	945	660	931	653	807	552	772	570	705	485	669				

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	A	B	Rothbarth	Engel	A	B	Rothbarth	Engel	A	B	Rothbarth	Engel	A	B	Rothbarth	Engel	A	B	Rothbarth	Engel	A	B	Rothbarth	Engel
	(Age 0-11)	(Age 12-18)			(Age 0-11)	(Age 12-18)			(Age 0-11)	(Age 12-18)			(Age 0-11)	(Age 12-18)			(Age 0-11)	(Age 12-18)			(Age 0-11)	(Age 12-18)		
8800	1187	1467	1335	1692	925	1143	894	1214	772	954	664	938	659	815	555	777	576	712	489	674				
8900	1198	1481	1344	1704	933	1153	900	1223	779	962	668	945	665	822	559	783	582	719	492	679				
9000	1208	1493	1354	1716	941	1163	906	1232	786	971	672	952	672	830	562	789	587	726	495	684				
9100	1219	1506	1363	1728	949	1173	911	1241	792	980	677	959	678	838	566	795	593	732	498	689				
9200	1229	1519	1372	1740	957	1183	917	1250	799	988	681	966	684	846	569	801	598	739	501	694				
9300	1239	1532	1382	1752	966	1193	923	1259	806	996	685	973	691	854	573	807	604	746	504	699				
9400	1250	1545	1391	1764	974	1203	929	1267	813	1005	689	980	697	861	576	812	609	753	507	705				
9500	1260	1557	1400	1776	982	1213	935	1276	820	1013	693	987	703	869	580	818	614	759	510	710				
9600	1270	1570	1410	1788	989	1223	941	1285	826	1021	698	994	709	877	583	824	620	766	513	715				
9700	1280	1582	1419	1800	997	1233	947	1294	833	1030	702	1001	716	884	587	830	625	773	516	720				
9800	1290	1594	1428	1812	1005	1242	953	1303	840	1038	706	1008	722	892	590	836	631	779	520	725				
9900	1300	1606	1436	1824	1013	1252	958	1312	846	1046	709	1015	728	900	593	841	636	786	522	730				
10000	1310	1619	1442	1836	1021	1262	962	1321	853	1054	712	1022	734	907	595	847	641	793	524	735				
10100	1319	1631	1448	1848	1028	1271	965	1329	859	1062	714	1029	740	915	597	853	647	799	525	740				
10200	1329	1643	1454	1860	1036	1281	969	1338	866	1070	716	1036	746	922	599	859	652	806	527	745				
10300	1339	1655	1460	1871	1044	1290	972	1347	872	1078	719	1043	752	930	601	865	657	812	529	750				
10400	1348	1666	1465	1883	1051	1299	976	1356	879	1086	721	1050	758	937	603	871	662	819	531	755				
10500	1358	1678	1471	1895	1059	1308	979	1364	885	1094	723	1057	764	944	605	876	668	825	532	760				
10600	1367	1690	1477	1906	1066	1318	983	1372	891	1102	726	1063	770	952	607	881	673	832	534	764				
10700	1377	1701	1483	1917	1073	1327	986	1380	898	1109	728	1069	776	959	609	886	678	838	536	768				
10800	1386	1713	1489	1927	1081	1336	990	1387	904	1117	730	1075	782	966	611	891	683	844	537	772				
10900	1395	1724	1495	1938	1088	1345	993	1395	910	1125	733	1080	788	974	613	895	688	851	539	776				
11000	1404	1736	1500	1949	1095	1354	997	1402	916	1132	735	1086	794	981	615	900	693	857	541	781				
11100	1413	1747	1506	1959	1102	1363	1000	1410	922	1140	737	1092	799	988	616	905	698	863	543	785				
11200	1422	1758	1512	1970	1110	1371	1004	1417	928	1147	740	1098	805	995	618	910	703	869	544	789				
11300	1431	1769	1518	1981	1117	1380	1007	1425	934	1155	742	1104	811	1002	620	915	708	876	546	793				
11400	1440	1780	1524	1992	1124	1389	1011	1433	940	1162	744	1109	817	1009	622	919	714	882	548	797				
11500	1449	1791	1529	2002	1131	1398	1014	1440	946	1170	746	1115	822	1017	624	924	719	888	549	801				
11600	1458	1802	1535	2013	1138	1406	1018	1448	952	1177	749	1121	828	1024	626	929	723	894	551	806				
11700	1467	1813	1541	2024	1145	1415	1021	1455	958	1184	751	1127	834	1031	628	934	728	900	553	810				
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