

Supplementary Table SIII Sources and twin rates by country for 1980–1985.

Country	TWIN rate	# years/surveys	Outside range	Source
AUS	10.1	6		United Nations Population Division
AUT	8.9	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
BDI	13.2	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
BEL	10.9	4		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
BEN	25.6	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
BFA	17.1	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
BGR	6.5	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
BHR	4.4	6		United Nations Population Division
BLR	6.9	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
BRA	8.5	2		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
CAN	9.4	6		Imaizumi, Y. (2014). "Trends of Twinning Rates in Ten Countries, 1972-1996." <i>Acta Genet Med Gemellol</i> 46(4): 209-218. https://doi.org/10.1017/S0001566000000441
CHE	9.7	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
CHL	9.4	6		United Nations Population Division
CHN	6.1	1		China Fertility Survey 1982
CIV	22.0	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
CMR	22.6	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
COD	18.0	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
COG	21.7	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
COL	8.2	1		Smits, J. & Monden, C. W. S. Twinning across the Developing World. <i>PLoS ONE</i> 6, doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0025239.
COM	21.7	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
CUB	6.6	6		United Nations Population Division
CYP	9.8	6		United Nations Population Division
CZE	9.3	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
DEU	9.5	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
DMA	7.5	1	1987	United Nations Population Division
DNK	10.4	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
ECU	9.6	1		Smits, J. & Monden, C. W. S. Twinning across the Developing World. <i>PLoS ONE</i> 6, doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0025239.
EGY	17.7	1		Smits, J. & Monden, C. W. S. Twinning across the Developing World. <i>PLoS ONE</i> 6, doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0025239.
ERI	14.7	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
ESH	12.1	1		Smits, J. & Monden, C. W. S. Twinning across the Developing World. <i>PLoS ONE</i> 6, doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0025239.
ESP	8.2	4		United Nations Population Division
EST	8.0	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
ETH	12.5	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
FIN	10.7	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)

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FRA	10.1	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
GAB	19.3	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
GBR	10.1	5		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
GHA	21.5	1		Multiple Indicator Cluster Surveys
GIN	23.2	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
GMB	15.8	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
GRC	9.5	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
GTM	4.4	1	1989	United Nations Population Division
GUM	7.9	4		United Nations Population Division
HKG	7.2	6		Imaizumi, Y. (2014). "Trends of Twinning Rates in Ten Countries, 1972-1996." <i>Acta Genet Med Gemellol</i> 46(4): 209-218. https://doi.org/10.1017/S0001566000000441
HRV	9.8	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
HTI	14.1	1		Smits, J. & Monden, C. W. S. Twinning across the Developing World. <i>PLoS ONE</i> 6, doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0025239.
HUN	10.4	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
IND	7.2	1		Smits, J. & Monden, C. W. S. Twinning across the Developing World. <i>PLoS ONE</i> 6, doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0025239.
IRL	10.7	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
ISL	10.1	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
ISR	10.0	4		United Nations Population Division
ITA	9.2	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
JAM	7.7	5		United Nations Population Division
JPN	6.5	6		Imaizumi, Y. (2014). "Trends of Twinning Rates in Ten Countries, 1972-1996." <i>Acta Genet Med Gemellol</i> 46(4): 209-218. https://doi.org/10.1017/S0001566000000441
KAZ	7.2	1	1987	United Nations Population Division
KEN	14.3	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
KOR	5.0	3		United Nations Population Division
LBR	19.4	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
LBY	4.1	1		United Nations Population Division
LKA	6.3	1		United Nations Population Division
LSO	12.9	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
LTU	7.7	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
LUX	9.4	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
LVA	7.1	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
MAC	5.3	3		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
MAR	12.1	1		Smits, J. & Monden, C. W. S. Twinning across the Developing World. <i>PLoS ONE</i> 6, doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0025239.
MDA	8.5	1	1987	United Nations Population Division
MDG	9.6	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
MEX	9.5	1		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
MKD	8.5	1	1989	United Nations Population Division
MLI	15.8	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
MLT	10.6	6		United Nations Population Division
MOZ	18.8	1		Demographic and Health Surveys

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MRT	15.8	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
MWI	18.9	1		Multiple Indicator Cluster Surveys
NAM	13.7	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
NER	16.7	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
NGA	18.5	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
NLD	11.0	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
NOR	9.7	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
NZL	10.5	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
PAK	9.7	1		Smits, J. & Monden, C. W. S. Twinning across the Developing World. <i>PLoS ONE</i> 6, doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0025239.
PAN	7.4	6		United Nations Population Division
POL	9.5	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
PRI	7.5	6		United Nations Population Division
PRT	7.9	6		United Nations Population Division
PRY	9.9	1		Smits, J. & Monden, C. W. S. Twinning across the Developing World. <i>PLoS ONE</i> 6, doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0025239.
QAT	2.5	2		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
RUS	8.2	2		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
RWA	14.1	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
SDN	14.9	1		Smits, J. & Monden, C. W. S. Twinning across the Developing World. <i>PLoS ONE</i> 6, doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0025239.
SEN	17.6	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
SGP	6.4	6		United Nations Population Division
SLE	18.6	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
SLV	9.1	6		United Nations Population Division
SVK	8.7	1	1988	United Nations Population Division
SVN	10.8	1		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
SWE	9.5	6		National Bureau of Statistics (via Jan Hoem)
SWZ	13.8	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
TCD	14.8	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
TGO	21.6	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
THA	6.8	1		Smits, J. & Monden, C. W. S. Twinning across the Developing World. <i>PLoS ONE</i> 6, doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0025239.
TJK	3.7	1	1989	United Nations Population Division
TTO	7.5	3		United Nations Population Division
TUN	14.3	1		Smits, J. & Monden, C. W. S. Twinning across the Developing World. <i>PLoS ONE</i> 6, doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0025239.
TUR	9.9	1		Smits, J. & Monden, C. W. S. Twinning across the Developing World. <i>PLoS ONE</i> 6, doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0025239.
TZA	17.7	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
UGA	16.0	1		Demographic and Health Surveys
URY	8.3	4		United Nations Population Division
USA	9.9	6		National Bureau of Statistics (or Ministry)
VEN	7.4	1	1987	United Nations Population Division
YEM	9.8	1		

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				Smits, J. & Monden, C. W. S. Twinning across the Developing World. <i>PLoS ONE</i> 6 , doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0025239.
ZAF	10.3			Demographic and Health Surveys
ZMB	18.0			Demographic and Health Surveys
ZWE	15.8			Demographic and Health Surveys