

**TABLE 2 Number and Percent Distribution of Marriages by Age Group of Bride and Groom: 2003**

<b>Age Group</b>	<b>Bride</b>		<b>Groom</b>	
	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent</b>
Total	593,553	100.0	593,553	100.0
Under 20	80,085	13.5	19,829	3.3
20 - 24	235,351	39.7	185,610	31.3
25 - 29	152,719	25.7	191,627	32.3
30 - 34	63,908	10.8	97,265	16.4
35 - 39	28,845	4.9	43,067	7.3
40 - 44	15,000	2.5	22,826	3.8
45 - 49	8,124	1.4	12,903	2.2
50 and Over	9,288	1.6	20,216	3.4
Not Stated	233	0.0	210	0.0