

## 1. International statistics

### 1.1. Number of officially reported abortions related to country population between years

1921–2015

Country	Time interval	Period (years)	Total no. of abortions <sup>[1]</sup>	Estimated population in 2016 <sup>[2]</sup>	Abortion percentage
Russia	1957-2013	56	205,001,230	143,447,649	142.9%
<b>Romania*</b>	<b>1958-2014</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>22,638,755*</b>	<b>19,436,144</b>	<b>116.5%</b>
Estonia	1963-2014	51	1,307,358	1,310,684	99.7%
USSR	1921-1991	70	282,813,855	293,000,000	96.5%
Belarus	1960-2013	53	8,647,148	9,488,066	91.1%
Bulgaria	1953-2013	60	5,825,217	7,121,584	81.8%
Hungary	1949-2014	65	6,256,285	9,836,739	63.6%
Ukraine	1980-2013	33	25,123,472	44,715,602	56.2%
Georgia	1975-2014	39	2,153,975	3,988,946	54.0%
Greenland	1967-2012	45	30,227	56,191	53.8%
<b>Moldova</b>	<b>1960-2014</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>2,098,089</b>	<b>4,065,623</b>	<b>51.6%</b>
Cuba	1968-2012	44	4,963,733	11,391,367	43.6%
Lithuania	1980-2014	34	1,074,881	2,863,013	37.5%
Latvia	1986-2014	28	709,962	1,962,496	36.2%
Kazakhstan	1983-2013	30	6,202,507	17,750,079	34.9%
Czech Rep,	1953-2013	60	3,469,250	10,545,829	32.9%
Croatia	1965-2013	48	1,384,811	4,232,009	32.7%
Serbia	1985-2013	28	2,783,482	8,830,215	31.5%
Japan	1949-2013	64	38,602,345	126,437,991	30.5%
Yugoslavia	1955-1991	36	7,155,535	23,720,000	30.2%
Vietnam	1976-2012	36	26,734,408	93,988,222	28.4%
Slovakia	1958-2013	55	1,469,821	5,427,972	27.1%
Armenia	1980-2014	34	804,622	3,022,234	26.6%
China	1963-2012	49	350,046,418	1,379,452,584	25.4%
Macedonia	1980-2012	32	521,249	2,079,841	25.1%
Kyrgyzstan	1980-2013	33	1,446,511	5,990,849	24.1%
Guadelupe	1976-2013	37	112,282	469,588	23.9%
Slovenia	1955-2012	57	488,482	2,068,522	23.6%
Czechoslovakia	1953-1992	39	3,676,501	15,600,000	23.6%
Reunion	1976-2013	37	163,589	864,441	18.9%
Martinique	1976-2013	37	74,754	396,392	18.9%
Montenegro	1985-2012	27	112,823	625,955	18.0%
Uzbekistan	1971-2013	42	5,363,743	30,114,249	17.8%
South Korea	1961-2010	49	8,680,733	50,427,232	17.2%
USA	1926-2015	89	55,371,152	323,045,798	17.1%
Azerbaijan	1973-2014	41	1,677,906	9,816,069	17.1%
Albania	1975-2012	37	489,596	2,900,488	16.9%

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Denmark	1939-2014	75	950,177	5,680,836	16.7%
Poland	1955-2013	58	6,388,040	38,601,686	16.5%
Sweden	1939-2014	75	1,580,422	9,818,715	16.1%
Nagorno-Karabakh	1996-2012	16	22,064	146,573	15.1%
Bosnia Herzegovina	1980-1990	10	566,353	3,805,923	14.9%
Mongolia	1984-2013	29	440,941	2,984,798	14.8%
French Guiana	1984-2013	29	37,664	272,448	13.8%
UK	1958-2014	56	8,462,039	64,930,265	13.0%
<b>World no. of abortions / world population</b>	<b>1921-2015</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>959,993,900</b>	<b>7,397,335,515</b>	<b>13.0%</b>
Norway	1954-2014	60	677,507	5,244,053	12.9%
Finland	1951-2013	62	684,119	5,514,549	12.4%
Turkmenistan	1989-2012	23	632,704	5,408,853	11.7%
France	1936-2013	77	7,247,042	64,543,321	11.2%
Singapore	1970-2013	43	630,596	5,654,062	11.2%
East Germany	1948-1989	41	1,744,200	16,110,000	10.8%
New Zealand	1964-2014	50	484,463	4,548,412	10.7%
Canada	1970-2013	43	3,701,104	36,127,865	10.2%
Mayotte	1992-2013	21	23,693	243,531	9.7%
Island	1960-2013	53	31,784	330,701	9.6%
Netherlands	1970-2013	43	1,601,564	16,954,656	9.4%
Italy	1978-2013	35	5,589,918	59,799,485	9.3%
Australia	1970-2015	45	2,226,048	24,153,605	9.2%
Serbia and Montenegro	1992-2005	13	941,652	10,830,000	8.7%
New Caledonia	1997-2013	16	21,846	264,915	8.2%
Israel	1979-2014	35	656,736	8,133,703	8.1%
Tadjikistan	1989-2014	25	688,359	8,583,626	8.0%
Hong Kong	1973-2011	38	568,304	7,319,590	7.8%
Seychelles	1986-2013	27	7,439	96,772	7.7%
Transnistria	2000-2012	12	34,635	505,153	6.9%
Guyana	1970-2007	37	45,746	768,997	5.9%
Tunisia	1965-2009	44	656,702	11,319,554	5.8%
Switzerland	1966-2012	46	467,869	8,342,502	5.6%
Jersey Island	1990-2014	24	5,467	99,500	5.5%
Germany	1944-2015	71	4,256,544	80,685,185	5.3%
Bermude	1983-2013	30	2,705	61,818	4.4%
Spain	1941-2012	71	1,887,649	46,090,727	4.1%
Barbados	1984-2006	22	11,526	284,644	4.0%

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Greece	1970-2008	38	433,248	10,935,545	4.0%
Belgium	1979-2011	32	413,818	11,338,649	3.6%
Puerto Rico	1991-2010	19	112,482	3,681,900	3.1%
Costa Rica	1995-2010	15	137,568	4,834,630	2.8%
Bahrain	1997-2013	16	34,319	1,387,865	2.5%
South Africa	1975-2014	39	1,333,794	54,755,401	2.4%
Belize	1985-1996	11	8,609	363,440	2.4%
Feroe	1966-2013	47	1,117	48,221	2.3%
Guernsey	1997-2012	15	1,446	65,849	2.2%
Dominican Rep,	1995-2005	10	221,990	10,593,607	2.1%
Turkey	1993-2012	19	1,470,238	79,184,553	1.9%
India	1972-2012	40	22,263,303	1,319,594,932	1.7%
St, Helena	1985-1990	5	61	3,958	1.5%
Portugal	1984-2014	30	148,166	10,325,192	1.4%
Guam	2000-2014	14	2,281	171,083	1.3%

**Data sources:**

[1] Summary of Reported Abortions Worldwide, through August 2015, compiled by Wm. Robert Johnston, online at

<http://www.johnstonsarchive.net/policy/abortion/wrjp3314.html>.

[2] Current world population, 2016 estimates based on “United Nations, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, Population Division (2015). World Population Prospects: The 2015 Revision.”, online at

[http://www.geohive.com/earth/population\\_now.aspx](http://www.geohive.com/earth/population_now.aspx).

**Note:**

These numbers are only estimated; the result obtained by multiplying estimates must be understood only as an indicator of what could be, not as something that actually is.

\* This number has been obtained based on data from Table 2.1.