

Estimated New Cancer Cases and Deaths by Sex, United States, 2005

	Estimated New Cases			Estimated Deaths		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Mouth	10,070	5,370	4,700	1,890	1,100	790
Esophagus	14,520	11,220	3,300	13,570	10,530	3,040
Stomach	21,860	13,510	8,350	11,550	6,770	4,780
Colon	104,950	48,290	56,660	56,290	28,540	27,750
Rectum	40,340	23,530	16,810			
Pancreas	32,180	16,100	16,080	31,800	15,820	15,980
Lung & Bronchus	172,570	93,010	79,560	163,510	90,490	73,020
Melanoma-skin	59,580	33,580	26,000	7,770	4,910	2,860
Breast	212,930	1,690	211,240	40,870	460	40,410
Uterine Cervix	10,370		10,370	3,710		3,710
Ovary	22,220		22,220	16,210		16,210
Prostate	232,090	232,090		30,350	30,350	
Testis	8,010	8,010		390	390	
Urinary bladder	63,210	47,010	16,200	13,180	8,970	4,210
Kidney & Renal pelvis	36,160	22,490	13,670	12,660	8,020	4,640
Brain & other Nervous system	18,500	10,620	7,880	12,760	7,280	5,480
Thyroid	25,690	6,500	19,190	1,490	630	860
Lymphoma	63,740	33,050	30,690	20,610	10,930	9,680
Leukemia	34,810	19,640	15,170	22,570	12,540	110,030

Rounded to the nearest 10

Estimated deaths for colon and rectum cancers are combined.

Source: Estimates of new cases are based on incidence rates from 1979 to 2001, National Cancer Institute's Surveillance, Epidemiology and End Results program, nine oldest registries. Estimates of deaths are based on data from US Mortality Public Use Data Tapes, 1969 to 2002, National Center for Health Statistics, Center for Disease Control and Prevention, 2004.

Estimated New Cases* - MALES				Estimated Deaths - MALES			
Prostate	232,090	33%		Lung and Bronchus	90,490	31%	
Lung and Bronchus	93,010	13%		Prostate	30,350	10%	
Colon and Rectum	71,820	10%		Colon and Rectum	28,540	10%	
Urinary Bladder	47,010	7%		Pancreas	15,820	5%	
Melanoma of the Skin	33,580	5%		Leukemia	12,540	4%	
Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma	29,070	4%		Esophagus	10,530	4%	
Kidney and Renal Pelvis	22,490	3%		Liver and Intrahepatic Bile Duct	10,330	3%	
Leukemia	19,640	3%		Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma	10,150	3%	
Oral Cavity and Pharynx	19,100	3%		Urinary Bladder	8,970	3%	
Pancreas	16,100	2%		Kidney and Renal Pelvis	8,020	3%	
All Sites	710,040	100%		All Sites	295,280	100%	

Estimated New Cases* - FEMALES				Estimated Deaths - FEMALES			
Breast	211,240	32%		Lung and Bronchus	73,020	27%	
Lung and Bronchus	79,560	12%		Breast	401,410	15%	
Colon and Rectum	73,470	11%		Colon and Rectum	25,750	10%	
Uterine Corpus	40,880	6%		Ovary	16,210	6%	
Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma	27,320	4%		Pancreas	15,980	6%	
Melanoma of the Skin	26,000	4%		Leukemia	10,030	4%	
Ovary	22,220	3%		Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma	9,050	3%	
Thyroid	19,190	3%		Uterine Corpus	7,310	3%	
Urinary Bladder	16,200	2%		Multiple Myeloma	5,640	2%	
Pancreas	16,080	2%		Brian and Other Nervous System	5,480	2%	
All Sites	662,870	100%		All Sites	275,000	100%	

*Exclude basal and squamous cell skin cancers and insitu carcinoma except urinary bladder. Estimates are rounded to the nearest 10. Note: percentage may not total 100% due to rounding.
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Fifteen Leading Causes of Death, United States, 2002

Rank	Causes of Death	Number of Deaths	Percent (% Total Dea
	All Causes	2,443,387	
1	Heart diseases	696,947	28.5
2	Cancer	557,271	22.8
3	Cerebrovascular diseases	162,672	6.7
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases	124,816	5.1
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	106,742	4.4
6	Diabetes Mellitus	73,249	3
7	Influenza & Pneumonia	65,681	2.7
8	Alzheimer disease	58,866	2.4
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome, & nephrosis	40,974	1.7
10	Septicemia	33,865	1.4
11	Intentional self-harm (suicide)	31,655	1.3
12	Chronic liver disease & cirrhosis	27,257	1.1
13	Hypertension and hypertensive renal disease	20,261	0.8
14	Assault (homicide)	17,638	0.7
15	Parkinson disease	16,959	0.7
	All other & ill-defined causes	408,534	

*Rates are per 100,000 population and age-adjusted to the 2000 US standard population. Note: Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding. Symptoms, signs, and abnormalities and pneumonitis due to solids and liquids were excluded from the cause of death ranking order. Source: US Mortality Public Use Data Tape, 2002, National Center for Health Statistics, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 2004.

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