

Table XXIII-1  
STOMACH CANCER (Invasive)

TRENDS IN SEER INCIDENCE<sup>a</sup> AND U.S. MORTALITY<sup>b</sup> USING THE JOINPOINT REGRESSION PROGRAM, 1973-1999  
WITH UP TO THREE JOINPOINTS BY RACE AND SEX

	All Races		Whites		Blacks	
	Year	APC	Year	APC	Year	APC
<u>SEER Cancer Incidence<sup>a</sup></u>						
Sex - Male and Female	1973-99	-1.6★	1973-99	-2.0★	1973-99	-1.2★
Sex - Male	1973-99	-1.6★	1973-99	-1.9★	1973-99	-1.4★
Sex - Female	1973-96	-1.9★	1973-99	-2.2★	1973-99	-0.7★
	1996-99	2.2				
<u>U.S. Cancer Mortality<sup>b</sup></u>						
Sex - Male and Female	1973-87	-2.6★	1973-87	-2.8★	1973-87	-1.8★
	1987-90	-0.2	1987-90	-0.6	1987-90	1.1
	1990-99	-2.8★	1990-99	-3.1★	1990-99	-2.4★
Sex - Male	1973-80	-3.0★	1973-78	-3.4★	1973-91	-1.2★
	1980-91	-1.8★	1978-93	-2.2★	1991-99	-2.6★
	1991-99	-3.2★	1993-99	-3.8★		
Sex - Female	1973-87	-2.8★	1973-87	-3.1★	1973-99	-1.2★
	1987-90	-0.4	1987-90	-0.8		
	1990-99	-2.5★	1990-99	-2.9★		

The APC is the Annual Percent Change based on rates age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. standard population by 5-year age groups using the Joinpoint Regression Program.

<sup>a</sup> Trends are from the SEER 9 areas.

<sup>b</sup> Trends are from the NCHS public use data file.

★ The APC is significantly different from zero ( $p < .05$ ).

Table XXIII-2  
STOMACH CANCER (Invasive)

SEER INCIDENCE RATES, AGE-ADJUSTED AND AGE-SPECIFIC RATES\$, BY RACE AND SEX

	All Races			Whites			Blacks		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
<u>AGE-ADJUSTED RATES</u>									
<u>YEAR OF DIAGNOSIS:</u>									
1973	13.1	19.4	8.6	12.2	18.0	8.1	21.2	33.2	12.3
1974	12.7	18.3	8.6	11.6	16.9	7.9	18.7	27.0	12.5
1975	11.7	17.1	7.8	10.7	16.0	7.0	17.0	24.8	11.5
1976	12.2	17.5	8.3	11.2	16.0	7.7	15.8	23.5	10.1
1977	11.5	16.6	7.9	10.3	15.0	7.0	17.3	24.6	11.7
1978	11.5	16.5	7.9	10.3	15.0	7.0	17.6	22.9	13.5
1979	12.0	17.4	8.2	10.7	15.5	7.5	18.5	28.2	11.7
1980	11.3	17.1	7.2	10.3	15.7	6.6	15.1	26.3	7.3
1981	11.1	16.6	7.4	10.1	15.1	6.7	17.6	27.9	10.3
1982	10.9	16.3	7.1	9.7	14.6	6.3	19.0	31.2	10.2
1983	10.9	15.8	7.4	9.5	13.6	6.6	18.0	27.8	11.2
1984	10.6	15.3	7.3	9.4	13.9	6.4	16.4	21.6	12.5
1985	10.2	15.1	6.9	8.9	13.3	6.0	16.4	23.5	11.4
1986	10.2	15.0	6.8	9.0	13.5	5.9	16.5	23.4	11.9
1987	10.2	15.1	6.8	9.0	13.3	6.0	17.0	26.5	10.7
1988	10.2	15.6	6.5	8.8	13.7	5.5	16.3	24.9	10.1
1989	10.0	15.3	6.3	8.8	13.6	5.3	15.8	23.2	10.7
1990	9.3	13.8	6.2	8.0	12.0	5.2	14.5	22.0	9.4
1991	9.7	14.2	6.6	8.3	12.4	5.5	16.4	25.4	10.5
1992	9.2	13.4	6.2	8.0	11.8	5.2	13.9	19.7	9.8
1993	9.0	13.6	5.8	7.7	11.6	4.9	14.4	23.4	8.3
1994	9.1	13.7	5.7	7.8	11.8	4.8	15.1	24.3	8.8
1995	8.4	12.5	5.3	7.3	11.3	4.4	13.2	18.1	9.7
1996	8.5	12.6	5.5	7.3	10.9	4.6	14.7	22.4	9.1
1997	8.6	12.6	5.7	7.2	10.8	4.5	15.6	21.4	11.2
1998	8.5	12.0	5.9	7.1	10.4	4.7	14.6	18.5	11.6
1999	8.4	11.8	5.9	7.2	10.2	4.9	12.4	16.3	9.7
<u>AGE-ADJUSTED RATES, 1995-99</u>									
<u>AGE AT DIAGNOSIS:</u>									
All ages	8.5	12.3	5.6	7.2	10.7	4.6	14.1	19.3	10.3
Under 65	3.0	4.1	1.9	2.5	3.5	1.5	5.0	7.0	3.4
65 and over	46.6	69.1	31.6	40.0	60.7	26.2	77.0	104.5	58.0
All ages (world std.) <sup>ø</sup>	5.1	7.4	3.3	4.3	6.3	2.7	8.4	11.9	5.8
<u>AGE-SPECIFIC RATES, 1995-99</u>									
<u>AGE AT DIAGNOSIS:</u>									
0-4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5-9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10-14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20-24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25-29	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
30-34	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.6	-	-	-
35-39	1.4	1.6	1.1	0.9	1.2	0.6	2.9	-	-
40-44	2.6	3.2	2.1	2.2	2.7	1.7	4.3	5.8	-
45-49	4.3	5.9	2.7	3.4	4.6	2.1	8.0	11.7	-
50-54	7.3	10.0	4.7	6.3	9.2	3.6	13.5	16.9	10.6
55-59	12.5	18.1	7.3	10.8	15.7	6.1	17.1	24.3	11.3
60-64	19.9	29.0	11.6	16.8	24.7	9.4	34.2	52.6	20.2
65-69	28.3	41.4	17.1	24.1	35.7	14.1	41.3	67.5	20.8
70-74	39.9	60.0	24.3	33.5	51.2	19.5	65.0	94.4	44.0
75-79	52.3	78.5	33.7	45.5	69.7	28.3	82.8	119.4	58.5
80-84	63.0	90.3	46.8	54.0	78.8	39.4	112.1	149.9	91.0
85+	72.2	108.0	57.0	62.7	98.9	48.1	129.9	129.0	130.3

<sup>\$</sup> SEER 9 areas. Rates are per 100,000 and are age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. standard population by 5-year age groups, unless noted.

<sup>ø</sup> SEER 9 areas. Rates are per 100,000 and are age-adjusted to the world standard population.

Statistic not shown. Rate based on less than 25 cases for the time interval.

Table XXIII-3  
STOMACH CANCER (Invasive)

U.S. DEATH RATES, AGE-ADJUSTED AND AGE-SPECIFIC RATES<sup>a</sup>, BY RACE AND SEX

	All Races			Whites			Blacks		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
<u>AGE-ADJUSTED RATES</u>									
YEAR OF DEATH:									
1973	9.1	13.0	6.3	8.5	12.2	5.9	14.4	20.8	9.6
1974	8.8	12.7	6.1	8.2	11.8	5.7	14.6	21.6	9.5
1975	8.5	12.3	5.9	7.9	11.4	5.6	13.9	21.0	8.6
1976	8.3	12.0	5.7	7.7	11.2	5.4	13.5	20.2	8.6
1977	7.9	11.5	5.4	7.3	10.7	5.0	13.4	19.5	9.0
1978	7.7	11.0	5.5	7.0	10.2	5.1	12.6	18.7	8.3
1979	7.6	11.0	5.2	7.0	10.2	4.8	12.9	18.7	8.7
1980	7.4	10.6	5.1	6.8	9.8	4.8	12.2	18.3	8.0
1981	7.3	10.6	5.0	6.7	9.8	4.6	12.5	18.1	8.6
1982	7.0	10.3	4.9	6.5	9.4	4.5	12.2	19.2	7.4
1983	6.8	9.9	4.8	6.2	9.0	4.4	12.3	18.4	8.1
1984	6.8	9.9	4.7	6.0	9.1	4.3	11.9	17.9	7.9
1985	6.5	9.5	4.4	6.0	8.8	4.1	11.5	17.0	7.8
1986	6.4	9.4	4.2	5.8	8.6	3.8	11.4	17.4	7.4
1987	6.2	9.1	4.2	5.6	8.3	3.8	11.3	17.0	7.5
1988	6.1	8.8	4.2	5.5	7.9	3.8	11.0	17.0	7.1
1989	6.2	9.2	4.2	5.6	8.3	3.8	11.5	17.7	7.3
1990	6.1	8.9	4.2	5.5	8.0	3.7	11.4	17.2	7.7
1991	6.0	8.9	4.0	5.4	8.0	3.6	11.5	17.6	7.6
1992	5.6	8.1	3.9	5.0	7.3	3.4	10.7	15.5	7.6
1993	5.6	8.2	3.9	5.0	7.3	3.4	10.7	16.1	7.2
1994	5.4	7.9	3.7	4.8	7.0	3.3	10.3	15.2	7.0
1995	5.4	7.7	3.7	4.7	6.9	3.2	10.4	14.8	7.5
1996	5.2	7.4	3.6	4.6	6.6	3.1	10.1	14.9	6.9
1997	5.0	7.2	3.4	4.4	6.3	3.0	9.7	14.5	6.6
1998	4.9	6.8	3.4	4.3	6.1	3.0	9.4	13.5	6.6
1999	4.7	6.6	3.3	4.1	5.8	2.8	9.4	13.5	6.6
<u>AGE-ADJUSTED RATES, 1995-99</u>									
AGE AT DEATH:									
All ages	5.0	7.1	3.5	4.4	6.3	3.0	9.8	14.2	6.8
Under 65	1.6	2.2	1.1	1.4	1.9	0.9	3.2	4.7	2.0
65 and over	28.5	41.1	20.3	25.5	37.1	18.0	55.4	79.8	40.6
All ages (world std.) <sup>ö</sup>	2.9	4.1	2.0	2.5	3.6	1.7	5.7	8.3	3.8
<u>AGE-SPECIFIC RATES, 1995-99</u>									
AGE AT DEATH:									
0-4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5-9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10-14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20-24	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	-	-
25-29	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.6
30-34	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.8	0.9	0.8
35-39	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.5	1.7	2.0	1.4
40-44	1.4	1.7	1.1	1.1	1.4	0.9	2.7	3.6	1.9
45-49	2.4	3.2	1.7	2.0	2.7	1.4	4.7	7.1	2.8
50-54	4.1	5.8	2.6	3.5	4.9	2.1	8.4	12.5	5.1
55-59	6.8	9.8	4.1	5.8	8.5	3.4	13.1	20.0	7.7
60-64	10.6	15.3	6.4	9.0	12.9	5.4	21.0	33.9	11.3
65-69	15.4	22.4	9.6	13.8	20.1	8.3	27.3	41.2	17.0
70-74	22.2	32.1	14.5	19.6	28.5	12.6	44.3	65.7	29.5
75-79	30.0	43.5	20.5	26.7	38.9	18.1	59.4	87.9	41.4
80-84	40.2	58.6	29.5	36.4	53.1	26.6	78.1	117.9	57.5
85+	54.2	76.9	45.0	49.1	71.0	40.3	107.0	136.1	94.9

<sup>a</sup> NCHS public use data file. Rates are per 100,000 and are age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. standard population by 5-year age groups, unless noted.

<sup>ö</sup> NCHS public use data file. Rates are per 100,000 and are age-adjusted to the world standard population. Statistic not shown. Rate based on less than 25 cases for the time interval.

Table XXIII-4  
STOMACH CANCER (Invasive)

SURVIVAL RATES, BY RACE, SEX, DIAGNOSIS YEAR, STAGE AND AGE

	All Races			Whites			Blacks		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
<b>5-YR RELATIVE SURVIVAL RATES</b>									
<b>YEAR OF DIAGNOSIS:</b>									
1960-63 <sup>a</sup>	-	-	-	11	10	13	8	5	14
1970-73 <sup>a</sup>	-	-	-	13	12	14	13	15	10
1974-76 <sup>b</sup>	15.4	14.2	17.3	14.7	13.5	16.6	16.5	15.9	17.6
1977-79 <sup>b</sup>	16.4	15.0	18.6	15.7	14.1	18.2	15.0	14.9	15.2
1980-82 <sup>b</sup>	17.7	16.6	19.5	16.5	15.6	18.0	19.4	18.5	21.3
1983-85 <sup>b</sup>	17.4	15.9	19.7	16.2	14.6	18.8	18.9	18.5	19.6
1986-88 <sup>b</sup>	20.1	17.2	25.1	19.1	16.2	24.1	19.3	15.3	25.7
1989-91 <sup>b</sup>	21.1	17.5	26.8	18.4	15.1	24.1	24.8	22.3	28.8
1992-98 <sup>b</sup>	22.0 <sup>U</sup>	20.8 <sup>U</sup>	24.0 <sup>U</sup>	20.9 <sup>U</sup>	19.5 <sup>U</sup>	23.4 <sup>U</sup>	20.0	19.2	21.1
<b>1992-98<sup>b</sup></b>									
ALL STAGES	22.0	20.8	24.0	20.9	19.5	23.4	20.0	19.2	21.1
LOCALIZED	58.9	58.8	59.0	55.7	55.1	56.5	55.0	53.5 <sup>↑</sup>	57.6 <sup>↑</sup>
REGIONAL	22.0	20.9	24.0	21.2	20.1	23.7	20.9	22.6	18.8
DISTANT	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.4	2.6	1.6	1.5	1.7
UNSTAGED	12.8	11.4	14.1	12.4	10.9	14.0	14.5	14.3	14.5
<b>STAGE DISTRIBUTION (%) 1992-98<sup>b</sup></b>									
ALL STAGES									
Number of cases	11,794	7,353	4,441	8,389	5,322	3,067	1,514	907	607
Percent	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
LOCALIZED	22	21	24	22	21	25	22	20	24
REGIONAL	30	32	28	29	31	26	28	29	27
DISTANT	33	35	31	34	35	31	35	38	32
UNSTAGED	14	13	17	15	13	18	15	13	18
<b>5-YR RELATIVE SURVIVAL RATES, 1992-98<sup>b</sup></b>									
<b>AGE AT DIAGNOSIS:</b>									
<45	27.6	24.6	32.4	28.8	24.0	37.9	27.3	27.4 <sup>↑</sup>	27.9 <sup>↑</sup>
45-54	20.8	18.1	28.1	20.2	17.4	28.7	18.1	14.6	28.3 <sup>↑</sup>
55-64	22.7	21.5	25.5	21.4	20.1	24.8	21.9	21.4	23.4 <sup>↑</sup>
65-74	22.9	21.8	24.9	21.2	20.7	22.3	21.0	19.0	24.5
75+	19.8	19.1	20.4	19.1	17.5	20.6	13.5	13.8	13.5
Under 65	23.1	21.0	27.8	22.3	19.8	28.3	22.6	20.9	26.7
65 and over	21.4	20.7	22.3	20.2	19.4	21.3	17.7	17.3	18.3

<sup>a</sup> Rates are based on End Results data from a series of hospital registries and one population-based registry.  
<sup>b</sup> Rates are from the SEER 9 areas. They are based on data from population-based registries in Connecticut, New Mexico, Utah, Iowa, Hawaii, Atlanta, Detroit, Seattle-Puget Sound and San Francisco-Oakland. Rates are based on follow-up of patients into 1999.

The difference in rates between 1974-76 and 1992-98 is statistically significant ( $p<.05$ ).  
The standard error of the survival rate is between 5 and 10 percentage points.  
The standard error of the survival rate is greater than 10 percentage points.  
Statistic could not be calculated.

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Table XXIII-5  
STOMACH CANCER (Invasive)

INCIDENCE, DEATH, AND SURVIVAL RATES◊

By Year of Diagnosis/Death

All Races, Males and Females

Year of Diagnosis/Death

	1975	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
<b>Incidence</b>																					
SEER <sup>a</sup>	11.7	11.3	11.1	10.9	10.9	10.6	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.0	9.3	9.7	9.2	9.0	9.1	8.4	8.5	8.6	8.5	8.4
<b>Mortality</b>																					
U.S. <sup>b</sup>	8.5	7.4	7.3	7.0	6.8	6.8	6.5	6.4	6.2	6.1	6.2	6.1	6.0	5.6	5.6	5.4	5.4	5.2	5.0	4.9	4.7
SEER <sup>a</sup>	9.6	8.0	8.1	7.8	7.3	7.6	7.2	6.8	6.6	6.5	6.4	6.5	6.1	6.1	5.8	5.8	5.5	5.1	5.2	5.0	5.1
<b>Relative Survival Rates (SEER<sup>a</sup>)</b>																					
1-year	37.3	42.0	41.0	43.7	45.7	42.2	43.6	45.0	43.7	47.0	46.3	46.4	44.6	47.0	45.4	46.2	47.3	47.0	46.4	48.6	
2-year	25.0	26.7	26.3	29.1	29.6	25.8	28.5	28.9	27.4	32.6	31.6	32.4	30.6	32.3	30.8	33.5	32.3	32.7	33.8		
3-year	19.6	20.8	21.8	23.0	22.9	20.7	22.2	23.3	21.8	26.3	25.4	25.3	25.2	26.2	24.4	26.9	27.3	27.5			
4-year	17.4	18.1	19.1	20.5	19.3	18.1	19.5	21.3	19.4	22.6	22.4	22.8	22.7	23.8	21.4	24.4	24.0				
5-year	15.1	16.6	17.7	18.8	17.4	16.8	18.0	20.1	18.6	21.6	21.1	20.6	21.4	22.6	19.9	22.6					
6-year	13.6	16.2	16.6	18.2	16.2	16.3	17.0	19.2	17.8	20.5	20.1	18.9	20.0	21.5	19.0						
7-year	13.4	15.4	16.0	17.4	15.8	15.6	16.8	19.1	16.1	19.8	18.8	18.3	19.6	20.1							
8-year	12.6	14.4	15.3	16.8	15.5	14.9	16.1	18.7	15.6	19.5	18.5	17.9	19.0								
9-year	12.4	14.0	14.7	16.8	15.1	14.6	15.8	18.1	14.8	19.4	17.9	17.0									
10-year	11.9	14.0	14.7	16.8	15.1	14.0	15.1	17.6	14.1	18.7	17.2										
11-year	11.0	13.7	14.2	16.1	14.9	13.8	15.0	16.9	13.4	18.5											
12-year	10.5	12.9	14.0	15.7	14.8	13.2	15.0	16.9	13.2												
13-year	10.2	12.9	14.0	15.7	14.8	13.2	15.0	16.5													
14-year	10.0	12.9	14.0	15.7	14.3	13.2	15.0														
15-year	9.3	12.9	14.0	14.9	13.8	13.2															
16-year	9.3	12.9	14.0	14.0	13.0																
17-year	9.0	12.9	13.9	13.6																	
18-year	8.5	12.2	13.3																		
19-year	8.5	11.8																			
20-year	8.4																				
21-year	7.7																				
22-year	7.7																				
23-year	6.9																				
24-year	6.9																				

<sup>a</sup> Rates are from the SEER 9 areas.

<sup>b</sup> Rates are from the NCHS public use data file.

◊ Incidence and death rates are per 100,000 and are age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. standard population by 5-year age groups.

Survival rates are relative rates expressed as percents.

Table XXIII-6  
STOMACH CANCER (Invasive)

INCIDENCE, DEATH, AND SURVIVAL RATES◊

By Year of Diagnosis/Death

All Races, Males

Year of Diagnosis/Death

	1975	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
<b>Incidence</b>																					
SEER <sup>a</sup>	17.1	17.1	16.6	16.3	15.8	15.3	15.1	15.0	15.1	15.6	15.3	13.8	14.2	13.4	13.6	13.7	12.5	12.6	12.6	12.0	11.8
<b>Mortality</b>																					
U.S. <sup>b</sup>	12.3	10.6	10.6	10.3	9.9	9.9	9.5	9.4	9.1	8.8	9.2	8.9	8.9	8.1	8.2	7.9	7.7	7.4	7.2	6.8	6.6
SEER <sup>a</sup>	14.0	11.3	11.9	11.6	10.3	11.0	10.9	10.3	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.9	9.2	8.8	8.6	8.4	8.0	7.6	7.8	6.9	6.7
<b>Relative Survival Rates (SEER<sup>a</sup>)</b>																					
1-year	36.8	41.7	39.3	45.4	46.2	39.8	42.9	42.3	42.4	46.0	47.0	46.2	42.5	45.4	44.3	46.2	48.1	45.0	46.9	49.9	
2-year	24.5	25.3	25.1	29.4	29.2	24.2	27.7	26.6	24.9	30.4	30.5	31.3	26.9	30.1	28.6	32.6	32.3	29.1	32.5		
3-year	18.1	19.8	21.4	23.0	22.0	18.8	21.0	20.9	19.4	23.9	23.2	24.0	21.3	24.4	23.1	26.0	26.5	24.4			
4-year	16.3	16.7	18.1	20.6	17.8	16.5	18.4	18.6	16.8	19.7	19.2	20.9	18.4	22.1	20.5	23.7	23.2				
5-year	14.2	14.5	16.6	18.9	16.2	15.4	16.1	17.4	15.6	18.4	18.0	18.3	16.4	20.9	18.7	21.7					
6-year	12.3	13.8	15.2	18.7	14.6	14.9	15.1	16.5	15.3	17.6	17.0	17.2	14.6	19.4	19.4	17.5					
7-year	12.2	13.2	14.6	18.0	13.6	14.2	14.5	16.2	13.6	16.8	15.5	16.5	13.7	18.4							
8-year	11.7	12.9	13.6	17.3	13.5	13.4	13.8	16.1	12.8	16.6	15.1	16.0	13.0								
9-year	11.5	12.5	13.0	17.3	13.1	13.2	13.6	15.6	12.4	16.2	14.3	15.2									
10-year	10.9	12.3	13.0	17.3	13.1	13.2	12.6	15.3	11.9	16.1	13.8										
11-year	10.0	11.8	12.6	17.1	13.1	12.6	12.2	14.9	11.0	16.0											
12-year	9.3	10.5	12.2	16.6	13.1	11.9	12.2	14.9	11.0												
13-year	9.0	10.5	12.2	16.6	13.1	11.9	12.2	14.9													
14-year	9.0	10.5	12.2	16.6	12.3	11.9	12.2														
15-year	7.9	10.5	12.2	16.1	12.2	11.8															
16-year	7.7	10.4	12.2	14.5	11.6																
17-year	7.2	10.4	12.2	13.8																	
18-year	6.9	10.2	12.2																		
19-year	6.4	10.1																			
20-year	6.4																				
21-year	6.4																				
22-year	6.4																				
23-year	6.1																				
24-year	5.7																				

<sup>a</sup> Rates are from the SEER 9 areas.

<sup>b</sup> Rates are from the NCHS public use data file.

◊ Incidence and death rates are per 100,000 and are age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. standard population by 5-year age groups.

Survival rates are relative rates expressed as percents.

Table XXIII-7  
STOMACH CANCER (Invasive)

INCIDENCE, DEATH, AND SURVIVAL RATES◊

By Year of Diagnosis/Death

All Races, Females

Year of Diagnosis/Death

	1975	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
<b>Incidence</b>																					
SEER <sup>a</sup>	7.8	7.2	7.4	7.1	7.4	7.3	6.9	6.8	6.8	6.5	6.3	6.2	6.6	6.2	5.8	5.7	5.3	5.5	5.7	5.9	5.9
<b>Mortality</b>																					
U.S. <sup>b</sup>	5.9	5.1	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.4	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.3
SEER <sup>a</sup>	6.6	5.6	5.5	5.2	5.2	5.2	4.7	4.5	4.4	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.2	3.8	3.9	3.7	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.8	
<b>Relative Survival Rates (SEER<sup>a</sup>)</b>																					
1-year	38.1	42.7	43.9	40.7	44.7	45.9	44.6	49.5	45.7	48.6	45.2	46.7	48.0	49.7	47.2	46.3	45.9	50.3	45.5	46.7	
2-year	25.8	29.4	28.1	28.5	30.2	28.1	29.9	32.8	31.6	36.3	33.5	34.1	36.3	36.0	34.6	35.0	32.2	38.5	35.9		
3-year	22.1	22.6	22.4	23.0	24.3	23.7	24.2	27.3	25.7	30.5	29.2	27.3	31.3	29.2	26.7	28.6	28.7	32.7			
4-year	19.1	20.6	20.7	20.3	21.6	20.6	21.3	25.7	23.8	27.5	27.9	25.8	29.4	26.6	22.8	25.6	25.3				
5-year	16.5	20.3	19.5	18.8	19.3	18.9	20.9	24.7	23.5	27.2	26.7	24.2	29.2	25.4	21.9	24.1					
6-year	15.7	20.3	18.9	17.5	18.8	18.3	20.1	23.7	21.9	25.5	25.7	21.6	28.2	25.0	21.7						
7-year	15.2	19.2	18.2	16.5	18.8	17.7	20.1	23.7	20.3	24.9	24.6	21.1	28.2	22.9							
8-year	14.2	17.2	18.0	16.0	18.5	17.0	19.6	23.0	20.3	24.4	24.4	21.0	28.2								
9-year	13.7	16.6	17.6	15.5	18.2	16.6	19.3	22.2	18.8	24.4	24.3	19.9									
10-year	13.5	16.6	17.6	15.1	18.2	15.2	19.1	21.2	17.5	23.2	23.3										
11-year	12.4	16.6	16.7	14.4	17.3	15.2	19.1	20.0	17.1	22.9											
12-year	12.3	16.6	16.7	14.1	17.2	15.2	19.1	19.8	16.7												
13-year	11.8	16.5	16.7	14.1	17.2	15.2	19.1	18.6													
14-year	11.6	16.5	16.7	13.7	17.2	15.2	19.1														
15-year	11.3	16.5	15.7	13.2	16.3	15.2															
16-year	11.3	16.5	15.6	13.2	15.1																
17-year	11.3	16.5	15.4	13.2																	
18-year	10.7	15.5	14.6																		
19-year	10.7	14.5																			
20-year	10.7																				
21-year	9.5																				
22-year	9.5																				
23-year	8.0																				
24-year	8.0																				

<sup>a</sup> Rates are from the SEER 9 areas.

<sup>b</sup> Rates are from the NCHS public use data file.

◊ Incidence and death rates are per 100,000 and are age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. standard population by 5-year age groups.

Survival rates are relative rates expressed as percents.

Table XXIII-8  
STOMACH CANCER (Invasive)

Percent Diagnosed With Cancer In 10, 20 and 30 Years and In Remaining Lifetime,  
Given Cancer Free At Current Age By Race and Sex

Lifetime Risk (Percent) of Being Diagnosed (12 SEER Areas) With Cancer and  
Lifetime Risk (Percent) of Dying (Total U.S.) From Cancer

1997-1999

All Races

Current Age	Males				Females			
	+10 yrs	+20 yrs	+30 yrs	Eventually	+10 yrs	+20 yrs	+30 yrs	Eventually
0	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.27	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.80
10	0.00	0.00	0.02	1.28	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.80
20	0.00	0.02	0.07	1.29	0.00	0.02	0.04	0.81
30	0.01	0.06	0.20	1.30	0.01	0.04	0.11	0.81
40	0.05	0.18	0.49	1.31	0.03	0.10	0.24	0.80
50	0.14	0.46	0.90	1.30	0.07	0.21	0.45	0.79
60	0.34	0.82	1.17	1.26	0.15	0.40	0.66	0.76

Lifetime Risk of Being Diagnosed = 1.27%      Lifetime Risk of Being Diagnosed = 0.80%  
Lifetime Risk of Dying = 0.64%      Lifetime Risk of Dying = 0.43%

Whites

Current Age	Males				Females			
	+10 yrs	+20 yrs	+30 yrs	Eventually	+10 yrs	+20 yrs	+30 yrs	Eventually
0	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.65
10	0.00	0.00	0.02	1.11	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.66
20	0.00	0.02	0.05	1.11	0.00	0.01	0.03	0.66
30	0.01	0.05	0.17	1.12	0.01	0.03	0.09	0.66
40	0.04	0.16	0.42	1.13	0.02	0.08	0.19	0.66
50	0.13	0.40	0.78	1.12	0.06	0.17	0.36	0.64
60	0.29	0.70	1.00	1.07	0.12	0.32	0.54	0.61

Lifetime Risk of Being Diagnosed = 1.10%      Lifetime Risk of Being Diagnosed = 0.65%  
Lifetime Risk of Dying = 0.58%      Lifetime Risk of Dying = 0.38%

Blacks

Current Age	Males				Females			
	+10 yrs	+20 yrs	+30 yrs	Eventually	+10 yrs	+20 yrs	+30 yrs	Eventually
0	0.00	0.00	0.01	1.36	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.12
10	0.00	0.01	0.03	1.39	0.00	0.00	0.02	1.14
20	0.01	0.03	0.09	1.40	0.00	0.02	0.06	1.15
30	0.02	0.09	0.26	1.43	0.02	0.06	0.16	1.15
40	0.07	0.25	0.63	1.46	0.04	0.14	0.33	1.15
50	0.19	0.60	1.08	1.50	0.10	0.30	0.63	1.16
60	0.48	1.05	1.39	1.53	0.21	0.58	0.96	1.16

Lifetime Risk of Being Diagnosed = 1.36%      Lifetime Risk of Being Diagnosed = 1.12%  
Lifetime Risk of Dying = 0.96%      Lifetime Risk of Dying = 0.70%

Table XXIII-9  
STOMACH CANCER (Invasive)  
AGE-ADJUSTED SEER INCIDENCE AND U.S. DEATH RATES  
 By Race/Ethnicity and Sex

Incidence<sup>i</sup>

	Rate 1992-1999 Rate per 100,000 persons			Trend 1992-1999 EAPC (%)		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
<b>RACE/ETHNICITY</b>						
All Races	9.3	13.5	6.3	-1.3*	-2.1*	-0.4
White	7.9	11.7	5.2	-1.6*	-2.3*	-1.0
White Hispanic	13.4	18.5	9.8	-2.5*	-2.6	-2.5
White Non-Hispanic	7.0	10.6	4.4	-2.1*	-2.8*	-1.5
Black	13.9	19.6	9.9	-0.7	-2.9	2.1
Asian/Pacific Islander	18.5	24.9	13.6	-3.0*	-2.7*	-3.0*
Amer Ind/Alaska Nat	10.4	13.9	7.7	6.2	-	-
Hispanic <sup>o</sup>	12.8	17.6	9.3	-2.5*	-2.7	-2.4

Mortality<sup>♦</sup>

	Rate 1992-1999 Rate per 100,000 persons			Trend 1992-1999 EAPC (%)		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
<b>RACE/ETHNICITY</b>						
All Races	5.2	7.5	3.6	-2.8*	-3.2*	-2.5*
White	4.6	6.6	3.2	-3.0*	-3.4*	-2.8*
White Hispanic	7.3	9.9	5.5	-3.0*	-3.5*	-2.5
White Non-Hispanic	4.3	6.3	2.9	-3.0*	-3.3*	-3.0*
Black	10.1	14.7	7.0	-2.1*	-2.3*	-1.9*
Asian/Pacific Islander	10.3	13.4	7.9	-3.3*	-3.4*	-3.0*
Amer Ind/Alaska Nat	5.2	6.9	3.9	-1.2	-2.0	0.2
Hispanic <sup>o</sup>	7.0	9.5	5.2	-3.1*	-3.6*	-2.6

The EAPC is the Estimated Annual Percent Change over the time interval.  
 - Statistic not shown. Rate based on less than 25 cases for the time interval. Trend based on less than 10 cases for at least one year within the time interval.

<sup>i</sup> Incidence data are from the 12 SEER areas (San Francisco, Connecticut, Detroit, Hawaii, Iowa, New Mexico, Seattle, Utah, Atlanta, San Jose-Monterey, Los Angeles, and Alaska Native Registry).

<sup>o</sup> Hispanic is not mutually exclusive from whites, blacks, Asian Pacific Islanders, and American Indians/Alaska Natives. Incidence data for Hispanics does not include cases from Detroit, Hawaii and Alaska Native Registry. For mortality, information is included for all states except Connecticut, Oklahoma, New York, and New Hampshire.

<sup>♦</sup> Mortality data are analyzed from a public use file provided by the National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS).

\* The EAPC is significantly different from zero ( $p < .05$ ).

Table XXIII-10  
STOMACH CANCER (Invasive)

AGE-ADJUSTED SEER INCIDENCE RATES\$ AND SEER DEATH RATESä  
By Registry, Race and Sex

	All Races			Whites			Blacks		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
<b>SEER INCIDENCE RATES\$, 1995-99</b>									
REGISTRY									
11 registries	9.1	13.0	6.2	7.7	11.3	5.1	13.8	18.7	10.2
9 registries	8.5	12.3	5.6	7.2	10.7	4.6	14.1	19.3	10.3
San Francisco-Oakland	9.4	13.3	6.6	7.8	11.2	5.2	14.4	20.3	10.0
Connecticut	9.2	13.6	6.0	8.8	13.0	5.7	16.0	23.1	11.6
Metropolitan Detroit	9.8	14.3	6.6	8.5	12.9	5.5	14.6	19.6	10.8
Hawaii	15.7	21.2	10.9	10.1	13.6	6.9	-	-	-
Iowa	5.8	9.2	3.3	5.7	9.0	3.2	-	-	-
New Mexico	7.9	10.5	6.0	7.5	10.1	5.5	-	-	-
Seattle-Puget Sound	7.3	11.0	4.6	6.6	10.2	3.8	12.1	15.6	-
Utah	5.6	7.7	4.0	5.5	7.5	4.0	-	-	-
Metropolitan Atlanta	7.3	10.6	5.1	5.2	8.1	3.3	13.8	18.7	10.4
San Jose-Monterey	9.0	12.6	6.2	7.6	10.8	5.0	-	-	-
Los Angeles	11.1	15.6	7.9	9.5	13.3	6.6	13.0	17.5	9.9
<b>SEER DEATH RATESä, 1995-99</b>									
REGISTRY									
11 registries	5.5	7.9	3.8	4.7	6.8	3.2	8.7	12.1	6.3
9 registries	5.2	7.4	3.6	4.3	6.3	2.9	8.8	12.0	6.5
San Francisco-Oakland	6.0	8.6	4.1	4.9	7.2	3.2	10.7	14.7	7.7
Connecticut	5.5	7.8	3.8	5.3	7.5	3.7	9.8	14.7	6.6
Metropolitan Detroit	5.4	7.8	3.9	4.7	7.1	3.2	8.2	10.6	6.3
Hawaii	9.9	12.8	7.3	5.9	6.9	5.1	-	-	-
Iowa	3.2	5.1	1.9	3.1	4.8	1.8	-	-	-
New Mexico	5.7	7.5	4.2	5.3	7.0	3.9	-	-	-
Seattle-Puget Sound	4.4	6.6	2.9	4.0	6.2	2.5	7.2	-	-
Utah	3.7	4.7	3.0	3.5	4.4	2.8	-	-	-
Metropolitan Atlanta	4.8	7.3	3.2	3.5	5.8	2.1	9.1	12.4	7.0
San Jose-Monterey	5.9	8.5	4.0	4.8	7.0	3.3	-	-	-
Los Angeles	6.6	9.4	4.7	5.7	8.1	4.0	8.3	12.0	5.7

Note: San Jose-Monterey and Los Angeles are new SEER areas as of 1992 and their data are only used in tables where indicated.  
\$ SEER 9 areas. Incidence rates are per 100,000 and are age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. standard population by 5-year age groups.

ä NCHS public use data file. Death rates are per 100,000 and are age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. standard population by 5-year age groups.

- Statistic could not be calculated or populations are inadequate.

Table XXIII-11  
STOMACH CANCER (Invasive)

AVERAGE ANNUAL AGE-ADJUSTED CANCER DEATH<sup>a</sup> RATES BY STATE, 1995-99

All Races, Males and Females

State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD	State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD
TOTAL U.S.	5.0	0.02							
High Five States									
Hawaii	9.9 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.42	(01)	98.0					
District of Columbia	8.7 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.55	(02)	74.0					
Rhode Island	6.9 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.35	(03)	38.0					
Alaska	6.5 <sup>*</sup>	0.67	(04)	30.0					
New Jersey	6.4 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.12	(05)	28.0					
Low Five States									
Idaho	3.6 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.26	(47)	-28.0					
Nebraska	3.6 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.20	(48)	-28.0					
Montana	3.6 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.28	(49)	-28.0					
Vermont	3.5 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.35	(50)	-30.0					
Iowa	3.2 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.14	(51)	-36.0					
State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD	State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD
Alabama	4.7	0.15	(25)	-6.0	Montana	3.6 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.28	(49)	-28.0
Alaska	6.5 <sup>*</sup>	0.67	(04)	30.0	Nebraska	3.6 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.20	(48)	-28.0
Arizona	4.2 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.14	(35)	-16.0	Nevada	4.5	0.25	(31)	-10.0
Arkansas	4.8	0.19	(22)	-4.0	New Hampshire	4.3	0.28	(34)	-14.0
California	5.6 <sup>⊕</sup>	0.06	(10)	12.0	New Jersey	6.4 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.12	(05)	28.0
Colorado	4.1 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.16	(36)	-18.0	New Mexico	5.7	0.28	(08)	14.0
Connecticut	5.5	0.17	(13)	10.0	New York	6.2 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.08	(07)	24.0
Delaware	5.3	0.39	(15)	6.0	North Carolina	4.7	0.12	(24)	-6.0
District of Columbia	8.7 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.55	(02)	74.0	North Dakota	4.7	0.36	(23)	-6.0
Florida	4.9	0.07	(19)	-2.0	Ohio	4.6 <sup>⊕</sup>	0.09	(27)	-8.0
Georgia	4.8	0.13	(20)	-4.0	Oklahoma	3.9 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.15	(42)	-22.0
Hawaii	9.9 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.42	(01)	98.0	Oregon	3.9 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.15	(41)	-22.0
Idaho	3.6 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.26	(47)	-28.0	Pennsylvania	5.1	0.08	(17)	2.0
Illinois	5.3	0.10	(14)	6.0	Rhode Island	6.9 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.35	(03)	38.0
Indiana	3.7 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.11	(45)	-26.0	South Carolina	5.5	0.18	(12)	10.0
Iowa	3.2 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.14	(51)	-36.0	South Dakota	4.1 <sup>*</sup>	0.32	(38)	-18.0
Kansas	3.6 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.16	(46)	-28.0	Tennessee	4.6	0.13	(29)	-8.0
Kentucky	4.7	0.16	(26)	-6.0	Texas	5.2	0.08	(16)	4.0
Louisiana	6.2 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.18	(06)	24.0	Utah	3.7 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.23	(44)	-26.0
Maine	4.6	0.26	(28)	-8.0	Vermont	3.5 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.35	(50)	-30.0
Maryland	5.6 <sup>⊕</sup>	0.16	(09)	12.0	Virginia	4.8	0.13	(21)	-4.0
Massachusetts	5.6 <sup>⊕</sup>	0.13	(11)	12.0	Washington	4.3 <sup>⊕</sup>	0.13	(33)	-14.0
Michigan	4.5 <sup>⊕</sup>	0.10	(30)	-10.0	West Virginia	4.3	0.20	(32)	-14.0
Minnesota	4.0 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.13	(39)	-20.0	Wisconsin	4.1 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.12	(37)	-18.0
Mississippi	5.0	0.20	(18)	0.0	Wyoming	3.9 <sup>*</sup>	0.42	(43)	-22.0
Missouri	4.0 <sup>⊕*</sup>	0.12	(40)	-20.0					

<sup>a</sup> NCHS public use data file. Rates are per 100,000 and are age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. standard population by 5-year age groups.

SE Standard error of the rate.

PD Percent difference between state rate and total U.S. rate.

Absolute percent difference between state rate and total U.S. rate is 15% or more.

Difference between state rate and total U.S. rate is statistically significant ( $p \leq .0002$ ).

Table XXIII-12  
STOMACH CANCER (Invasive)

AVERAGE ANNUAL AGE-ADJUSTED CANCER DEATH<sup>a</sup> RATES BY STATE, 1995-99

All Races, Males

State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD	State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD
TOTAL U.S.	7.1	0.04							
High Five States									
Hawaii	12.8 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.70	(01)	80.3					
District of Columbia	12.5 <sup>⊕</sup> *	1.07	(02)	76.1					
Rhode Island	10.9 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.71	(03)	53.5					
Alaska	9.1*	1.20	(04)	28.2					
Louisiana	9.1 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.35	(05)	28.2					
Low Five States									
Indiana	5.0 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.21	(47)	-29.6					
Vermont	4.8 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.63	(48)	-32.4					
Wyoming	4.8*	0.72	(49)	-32.4					
Idaho	4.7 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.45	(50)	-33.8					
Utah	4.7 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.40	(51)	-33.8					
State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD	State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD
Alabama	6.8	0.29	(24)	-4.2	Montana	5.6*	0.54	(41)	-21.1
Alaska	9.1*	1.20	(04)	28.2	Nebraska	5.2 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.38	(45)	-26.8
Arizona	5.7 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.24	(39)	-19.7	Nevada	6.1	0.45	(35)	-14.1
Arkansas	6.4	0.34	(31)	-9.9	New Hampshire	6.8	0.56	(25)	-4.2
California	7.8 <sup>⊕</sup>	0.12	(11)	9.9	New Jersey	9.0 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.23	(06)	26.8
Colorado	5.6 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.29	(40)	-21.1	New Mexico	7.5	0.49	(15)	5.6
Connecticut	7.8	0.33	(12)	9.9	New York	8.7 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.15	(07)	22.5
Delaware	7.0	0.69	(21)	-1.4	North Carolina	6.7	0.23	(27)	-5.6
District of Columbia	12.5 <sup>⊕</sup> *	1.07	(02)	76.1	North Dakota	7.2	0.69	(17)	1.4
Florida	6.9	0.13	(23)	-2.8	Ohio	6.7	0.17	(26)	-5.6
Georgia	7.0	0.25	(20)	-1.4	Oklahoma	5.4 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.28	(43)	-23.9
Hawaii	12.8 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.70	(01)	80.3	Oregon	5.8 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.29	(38)	-18.3
Idaho	4.7 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.45	(50)	-33.8	Pennsylvania	7.4	0.16	(16)	4.2
Illinois	7.8	0.19	(13)	9.9	Rhode Island	10.9 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.71	(03)	53.5
Indiana	5.0 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.21	(47)	-29.6	South Carolina	8.3*	0.36	(08)	16.9
Iowa	5.1 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.28	(46)	-28.2	South Dakota	5.3*	0.56	(44)	-25.4
Kansas	5.4 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.31	(42)	-23.9	Tennessee	6.7	0.26	(28)	-5.6
Kentucky	6.3	0.29	(33)	-11.3	Texas	7.0	0.15	(19)	-1.4
Louisiana	9.1 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.35	(05)	28.2	Utah	4.7 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.40	(51)	-33.8
Maine	7.2	0.52	(18)	1.4	Vermont	4.8 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.63	(48)	-32.4
Maryland	8.0	0.30	(10)	12.7	Virginia	6.9	0.25	(22)	-2.8
Massachusetts	8.2 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.26	(09)	15.5	Washington	6.4	0.25	(32)	-9.9
Michigan	6.5	0.19	(30)	-8.5	West Virginia	6.6	0.41	(29)	-7.0
Minnesota	5.8 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.25	(37)	-18.3	Wisconsin	6.3	0.24	(34)	-11.3
Mississippi	7.5	0.39	(14)	5.6	Wyoming	4.8*	0.72	(49)	-32.4
Missouri	6.0 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.23	(36)	-15.5					

<sup>a</sup> NCHS public use data file. Rates are per 100,000 and are age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. standard population by 5-year age groups.

SE Standard error of the rate.

PD Percent difference between state rate and total U.S. rate.

\* Absolute percent difference between state rate and total U.S. rate is 15% or more.

<sup>⊕</sup> Difference between state rate and total U.S. rate is statistically significant ( $p \leq .0002$ ).

Table XXIII-13  
STOMACH CANCER (Invasive)

AVERAGE ANNUAL AGE-ADJUSTED CANCER DEATH<sup>a</sup> RATES BY STATE, 1995-99

All Races, Females

State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD	State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD
TOTAL U.S.	3.5	0.02							
High Five States									
Hawaii	7.3 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.49	(01)	108.6					
District of Columbia	6.1 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.59	(02)	74.3					
New Jersey	4.5 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.13	(03)	28.6					
New York	4.5 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.09	(04)	28.6					
New Mexico	4.2*	0.32	(05)	20.0					
Low Five States									
Vermont	2.4*	0.38	(47)	-31.4					
Kansas	2.4 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.17	(48)	-31.4					
Nebraska	2.3 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.22	(49)	-34.3					
Montana	2.2 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.29	(50)	-37.1					
Iowa	1.9 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.14	(51)	-45.7					
State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD	State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD
Alabama	3.3	0.16	(25)	-5.7	Montana	2.2 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.29	(50)	-37.1
Alaska	4.1*	0.72	(08)	17.1	Nebraska	2.3 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.22	(49)	-34.3
Arizona	3.0	0.16	(31)	-14.3	Nevada	3.1	0.29	(29)	-11.4
Arkansas	3.6	0.21	(17)	2.9	New Hampshire	2.5*	0.28	(46)	-28.6
California	4.0 <sup>⊕</sup>	0.07	(10)	14.3	New Jersey	4.5 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.13	(03)	28.6
Colorado	3.0	0.18	(34)	-14.3	New Mexico	4.2*	0.32	(05)	20.0
Connecticut	3.8	0.19	(12)	8.6	New York	4.5 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.09	(04)	28.6
Delaware	3.8	0.43	(14)	8.6	North Carolina	3.4	0.13	(20)	-2.9
District of Columbia	6.1 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.59	(02)	74.3	North Dakota	2.8*	0.36	(39)	-20.0
Florida	3.3	0.08	(24)	-5.7	Ohio	3.1	0.10	(28)	-11.4
Georgia	3.4	0.14	(22)	-2.9	Oklahoma	2.7 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.16	(40)	-22.9
Hawaii	7.3 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.49	(01)	108.6	Oregon	2.5 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.16	(45)	-28.6
Idaho	2.8*	0.30	(38)	-20.0	Pennsylvania	3.4	0.09	(19)	-2.9
Illinois	3.6	0.10	(16)	2.9	Rhode Island	4.2*	0.35	(06)	20.0
Indiana	2.7 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.13	(42)	-22.9	South Carolina	3.6	0.19	(15)	2.9
Iowa	1.9 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.14	(51)	-45.7	South Dakota	3.2	0.38	(27)	-8.6
Kansas	2.4 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.17	(48)	-31.4	Tennessee	3.2	0.14	(26)	-8.6
Kentucky	3.5	0.18	(18)	0.0	Texas	3.9 <sup>⊕</sup>	0.09	(11)	11.4
Louisiana	4.2 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.19	(07)	20.0	Utah	3.0	0.27	(33)	-14.3
Maine	2.8*	0.27	(36)	-20.0	Vermont	2.4*	0.38	(47)	-31.4
Maryland	4.0	0.17	(09)	14.3	Virginia	3.4	0.14	(21)	-2.9
Massachusetts	3.8	0.14	(13)	8.6	Washington	2.8 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.14	(37)	-20.0
Michigan	3.1 <sup>⊕</sup>	0.11	(30)	-11.4	West Virginia	2.9*	0.22	(35)	-17.1
Minnesota	2.7 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.14	(41)	-22.9	Wisconsin	2.5 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.13	(44)	-28.6
Mississippi	3.3	0.21	(23)	-5.7	Wyoming	3.0	0.50	(32)	-14.3
Missouri	2.6 <sup>⊕</sup> *	0.12	(43)	-25.7					

<sup>a</sup> NCHS public use data file. Rates are per 100,000 and are age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. standard population by 5-year age groups.

SE Standard error of the rate.

PD Percent difference between state rate and total U.S. rate.

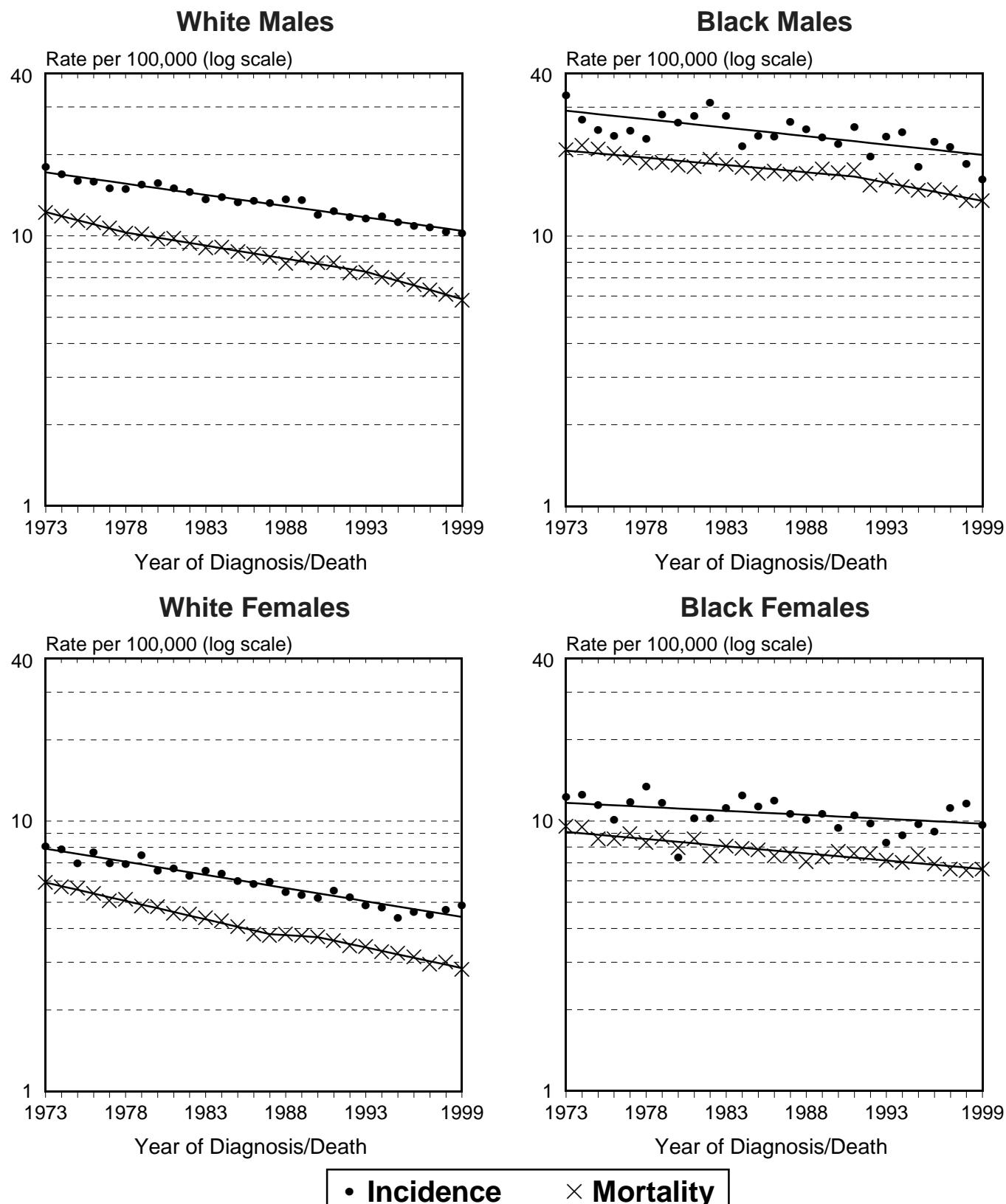
Absolute percent difference between state rate and total U.S. rate is 15% or more.

Difference between state rate and total U.S. rate is statistically significant ( $p \leq .0002$ ).

Figure XXIII-1

# SEER Incidence and U.S. Death Rates<sup>+</sup>

## Stomach



<sup>+</sup> Source: SEER 9 areas and NCHS public use data file. Rates are age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. standard million population by 5-year age groups. Regression lines are calculated using the Joinpoint Regression Program.