

Table IV.10
Life Expectancy at birth and at Age 65 by Race and Sex: United States,
Selected Calendar Years

| Calendar Year | All Races | | | White | | | Black | | |
|------------------|------------|------|--------|------------|------|--------|------------|------|--------|
| | Both Sexes | Male | Female | Both Sexes | Male | Female | Both Sexes | Male | Female |
| At Birth | | | | | | | | | |
| 1950 | 68.2 | 65.6 | 71.1 | 69.1 | 66.5 | 72.2 | 60.8 | 59.1 | 62.9 |
| 1980 | 73.7 | 70.0 | 77.4 | 74.4 | 70.7 | 78.1 | 68.1 | 63.8 | 72.5 |
| 1985 | 74.7 | 71.1 | 78.2 | 75.3 | 71.8 | 78.7 | 69.3 | 65.0 | 73.4 |
| 1990 | 75.4 | 71.8 | 78.8 | 76.1 | 72.7 | 79.4 | 69.1 | 64.5 | 73.6 |
| 1995 | 75.8 | 72.5 | 78.9 | 76.5 | 73.4 | 79.6 | 69.6 | 65.2 | 73.9 |
| 2000 | 76.8 | 74.1 | 79.3 | 77.3 | 74.7 | 79.9 | 71.8 | 68.2 | 75.1 |
| 2001 | 76.9 | 74.2 | 79.4 | 77.4 | 74.8 | 79.9 | 72.0 | 68.4 | 75.2 |
| 2002 | 76.9 | 74.3 | 79.5 | 77.4 | 74.9 | 79.9 | 72.1 | 68.6 | 75.4 |
| 2003 | 77.1 | 74.5 | 79.6 | 77.6 | 75.0 | 80.0 | 72.3 | 68.8 | 75.6 |
| 2004 | 77.5 | 74.9 | 79.9 | 79.9 | 75.4 | 80.4 | 72.8 | 69.3 | 76.0 |
| 2005 | 77.4 | 74.9 | 79.9 | 79.9 | 75.4 | 80.4 | 72.8 | 69.3 | 76.1 |
| 2006 | 77.7 | 75.1 | 80.2 | 78.2 | 75.7 | 80.6 | 73.2 | 69.7 | 76.5 |
| At age 65 | | | | | | | | | |
| 1950 | 13.9 | 12.8 | 15.0 | NA | 12.8 | 15.1 | 13.9 | 12.9 | 14.9 |
| 1980 | 16.4 | 14.1 | 18.3 | 16.5 | 14.2 | 18.4 | 15.1 | 13.0 | 16.8 |
| 1985 | 16.7 | 14.5 | 18.5 | 16.8 | 14.5 | 18.7 | 15.2 | 13.0 | 16.9 |
| 1990 | 17.2 | 15.1 | 18.9 | 17.3 | 15.2 | 19.1 | 15.4 | 13.2 | 17.2 |
| 1995 | 17.4 | 15.6 | 18.9 | 17.6 | 15.7 | 19.1 | 15.6 | 13.6 | 17.1 |
| 2000 | 17.6 | 16.0 | 19.0 | 17.7 | 16.1 | 19.1 | 16.1 | 14.1 | 17.5 |
| 2001 | 17.7 | 16.2 | 19.0 | 17.8 | 16.3 | 19.1 | 16.2 | 14.2 | 17.6 |
| 2002 | 17.8 | 16.2 | 19.1 | 17.9 | 16.3 | 19.2 | 16.3 | 14.4 | 17.7 |
| 2003 | 17.9 | 16.4 | 19.2 | 18.0 | 16.5 | 19.3 | 16.4 | 14.5 | 17.9 |
| 2004 | 18.2 | 16.7 | 19.5 | 18.3 | 16.8 | 19.5 | 16.7 | 14.8 | 18.2 |
| 2005 | 18.2 | 16.8 | 19.5 | 18.3 | 16.9 | 19.5 | 16.8 | 14.9 | 18.2 |
| 2006 | 18.5 | 17.0 | 19.7 | 18.6 | 17.1 | 19.8 | 17.1 | 15.1 | 18.6 |

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