

Table III.3. Governments with policies to reduce adolescent fertility, 1996–2013

Year	By level of development					
	Number of countries			Percentage		
	Yes	No	Total	Yes	No	Total
<i>World</i>						
1996	76	51	127	60	40	100
2005	138	42	180	77	23	100
2013	175	20	195	90	10	100
<i>More developed regions</i>						
1996	16	15	31	52	48	100
2005	26	18	44	59	41	100
2013	37	11	48	77	23	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>						
1996	60	36	96	63	38	100
2005	112	24	136	82	18	100
2013	138	9	147	94	6	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>						
1996	18	12	30	60	40	100
2005	36	9	45	80	20	100
2013	48	0	48	100	0	100

Table III.3. (Continued)

Year	By major area					
	Number of countries			Percentage		
	Yes	No	Total	Yes	No	Total
<i>Africa</i>						
1996	24	14	38	63	37	100
2005	40	10	50	80	20	100
2013	52	1	53	98	2	100
<i>Asia</i>						
1996	16	13	29	55	45	100
2005	31	12	43	72	28	100
2013	39	9	48	81	19	100
<i>Europe</i>						
1996	13	15	28	46	54	100
2005	22	17	39	56	44	100
2013	33	10	43	77	23	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>						
1996	18	6	24	75	25	100
2005	31	0	31	100	0	100
2013	33	0	33	100	0	100
<i>Northern America</i>						
1996	2	0	2	100	0	100
2005	2	0	2	100	0	100
2013	2	0	2	100	0	100
<i>Oceania</i>						
1996	3	3	6	50	50	100
2005	12	3	15	80	20	100
2013	16	0	16	100	0	100