

**Table IV.1. Government views on the level of under-five mortality,
1996–2013**

Year	By level of development					
	Number of countries			Percentage		
	Acceptable	Unacceptable	Total	Acceptable	Unacceptable	Total
<i>World</i>						
1996	26	87	113	23	77	100
2005	53	138	191	28	72	100
2013	69	128	197	35	65	100
<i>More developed regions</i>						
1996	13	15	28	46	54	100
2005	32	16	48	67	33	100
2013	36	13	49	73	27	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>						
1996	13	72	85	15	85	100
2005	21	122	143	15	85	100
2013	33	115	148	22	78	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>						
1996	0	34	34	0	100	100
2005	0	49	49	0	100	100
2013	0	49	49	0	100	100

Table IV.1. (Continued)

Year	By major area					
	Number of countries			Percentage		
	Acceptable	Unacceptable	Total	Acceptable	Unacceptable	Total
<i>Africa</i>						
1996	2	39	41	5	95	100
2005	2	51	53	4	96	100
2013	4	50	54	7	93	100
<i>Asia</i>						
1996	8	17	25	32	68	100
2005	10	37	47	21	79	100
2013	17	31	48	35	65	100
<i>Europe</i>						
1996	13	11	24	54	46	100
2005	30	13	43	70	30	100
2013	32	12	44	73	27	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>						
1996	3	16	19	16	84	100
2005	5	27	32	16	84	100
2013	10	23	33	30	70	100
<i>Northern America</i>						
1996	0	1	1	0	100	100
2005	1	1	2	50	50	100
2013	1	1	2	50	50	100
<i>Oceania</i>						
1996	0	3	3	0	100	100
2005	5	9	14	36	64	100
2013	5	11	16	31	69	100