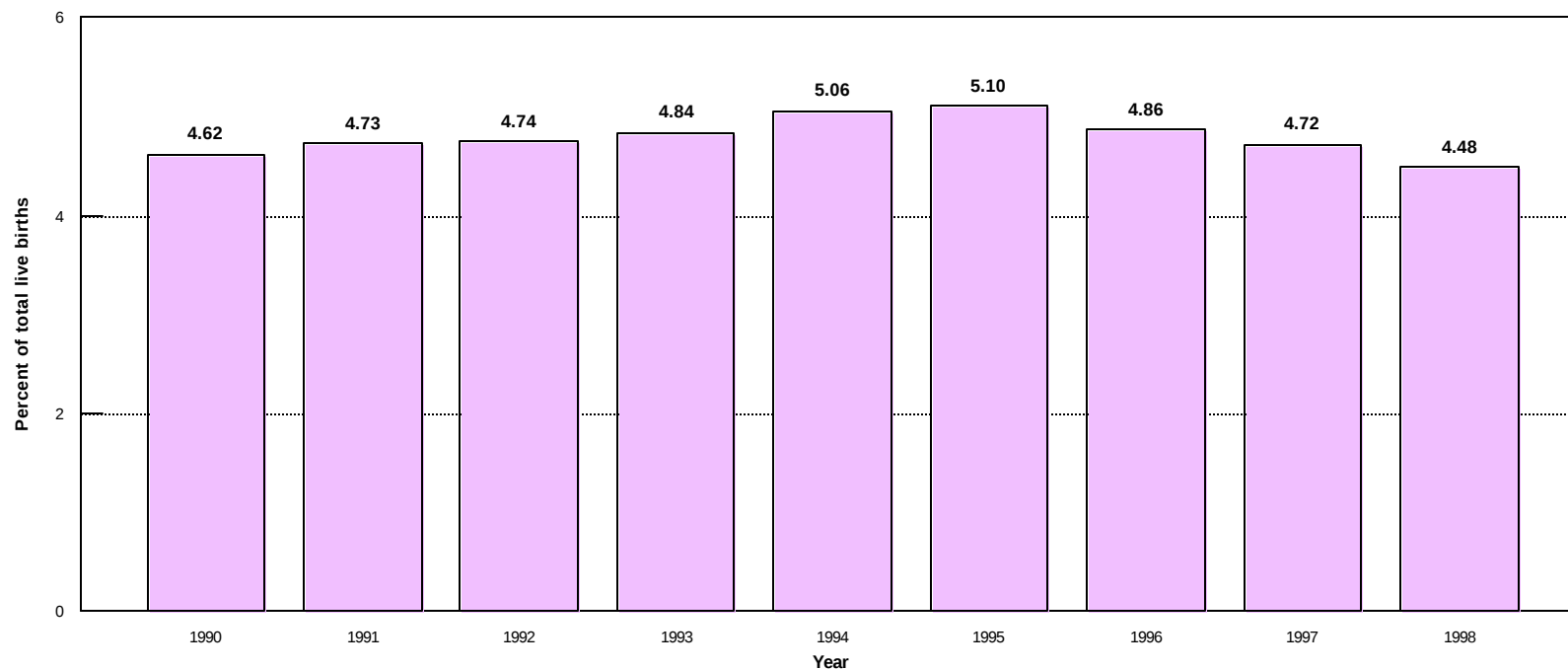


Live Births to Mothers Less Than 18 Years Old as Percent of Total Live Births

Los Angeles County, 1990 - 1998



	Year																	
	1990		1991		1992		1993		1994		1995		1996		1997		1998	
Live Births	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
< 18	9,330	4.62	9,591	4.73	9,362	4.74	9,179	4.84	9,120	5.06	8,919	5.10	8,218	4.86	7,645	4.72	7,107	4.48
Total	202,124	100.00	202,737	100.00	197,415	100.00	189,706	100.00	180,394	100.00	174,862	100.00	168,973	100.00	162,036	100.00	158,604	100.00

Source: 1990-1998 birth records from the California Department of Health Services, Center for Health Statistics