

Table 1.27  
Age-Adjusted U.S. Death Rates and Trends for the Top 15 Cancer Sites<sup>a</sup> by Race/Ethnicity

Males								
All Races			White			Black		
	Rate <sup>b</sup> 2013-2017	APC <sup>c</sup> 2008-2017		Rate <sup>b</sup> 2013-2017	APC <sup>c</sup> 2008-2017		Rate <sup>b</sup> 2013-2017	APC <sup>c</sup> 2008-2017
All Sites	189.5	-1.8*	All Sites	189.6	-1.7*	All Sites	227.3	-2.7*
Lung and Bronchus	49.3	-3.8*	Lung and Bronchus	49.4	-3.7*	Lung and Bronchus	58.8	-4.3*
Prostate	19.1	-2.2*	Prostate	17.9	-2.0*	Prostate	37.9	-3.7*
Colon and Rectum	16.6	-2.2*	Colon and Rectum	16.2	-2.2*	Colon and Rectum	23.2	-2.8*
Pancreas	12.7	0.3*	Pancreas	12.7	0.4*	Pancreas	14.9	-0.2
Liver & IBD <sup>f</sup>	9.6	1.7*	Liver & IBD <sup>f</sup>	9.0	2.0*	Liver & IBD <sup>f</sup>	13.2	1.1*
Leukemia	8.6	-1.8*	Leukemia	8.9	-1.6*	Stomach	7.8	-3.2*
Urinary Bladder	7.5	-0.4*	Urinary Bladder	8.0	-0.3*	Myeloma	7.5	-0.6
Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma	7.1	-2.0*	Esophagus	7.4	-0.7*	Leukemia	7.0	-2.7*
Esophagus	7.0	-1.2*	Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma	7.4	-2.0*	Kidney and Renal Pelvis	5.4	-0.8
Kidney and Renal Pelvis	5.4	-1.1*	Brain and ONS <sup>f</sup>	5.8	0.5*	Urinary Bladder	5.3	0.0
Brain and ONS <sup>f</sup>	5.4	0.4	Kidney and Renal Pelvis	5.6	-1.0*	Esophagus	5.3	-5.1*
Myeloma	4.1	-0.5*	Melanoma of the Skin	4.1	-2.7*	Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma	5.2	-1.6*
Stomach	4.1	-2.3*	Myeloma	3.9	-0.5*	Oral Cavity and Pharynx	4.5	-2.0*
Oral Cavity and Pharynx	3.9	0.9*	Oral Cavity and Pharynx	3.9	1.3*	Brain and ONS <sup>f</sup>	3.2	0.5
Melanoma of the Skin	3.5	-2.9*	Stomach	3.6	-2.3*	Larynx	3.0	-3.2*
Asian/Pacific Islander			American Indian/Alaska Native <sup>d</sup>			Hispanic <sup>e</sup>		
	Rate <sup>b</sup> 2013-2017	APC <sup>c</sup> 2008-2017		Rate <sup>b</sup> 2013-2017	APC <sup>c</sup> 2008-2017		Rate <sup>b</sup> 2013-2017	APC <sup>c</sup> 2008-2017
All Sites	117.3	-1.8*	All Sites	173.1	-1.5*	All Sites	136.2	-1.6*
Lung and Bronchus	29.3	-2.9*	Lung and Bronchus	40.1	-3.8*	Lung and Bronchus	24.2	-4.0*
Liver & IBD <sup>f</sup>	13.5	-1.5*	Colon and Rectum	19.4	-0.2	Prostate	15.8	-2.2*
Colon and Rectum	11.5	-2.4*	Prostate	18.7	-1.8	Colon and Rectum	14.2	-2.0*
Prostate	8.6	-1.7*	Liver & IBD <sup>f</sup>	14.8	1.5	Liver & IBD <sup>f</sup>	13.3	0.7*
Pancreas	8.2	-0.4	Pancreas	10.3	1.8	Pancreas	9.4	-0.7
Stomach	6.7	-3.4*	Kidney and Renal Pelvis	8.2	-1.8	Stomach	6.4	-2.4*
Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma	4.9	-0.7*	Stomach	6.3	-1.5	Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma	5.9	-1.6*
Leukemia	4.8	-0.5	Esophagus	6.2	-0.4	Leukemia	5.8	-1.4*
Oral Cavity and Pharynx	3.1	1.2	Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma	5.5	0.7	Kidney and Renal Pelvis	5.0	0.2
Urinary Bladder	2.8	-0.9	Leukemia	5.1	-4.2	Urinary Bladder	3.9	0.2
Esophagus	2.8	-1.0	Urinary Bladder	4.2	1.3	Esophagus	3.7	-2.6*
Kidney and Renal Pelvis	2.6	-2.2*	Myeloma	3.6	0.5	Brain and ONS <sup>f</sup>	3.5	0.9*
Brain and ONS <sup>f</sup>	2.6	1.3	Oral Cavity and Pharynx	3.5	0.5	Myeloma	3.4	-0.4
Myeloma	2.0	-1.4	Brain and ONS <sup>f</sup>	2.8	-2.2	Oral Cavity and Pharynx	2.4	0.4
Soft Tissue including Heart	1.0	-0.3	Larynx	1.7	-	Larynx	1.4	-3.0*

Source: US Mortality Files, National Center for Health Statistics, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

<sup>a</sup> Top 15 cancer sites selected based on 2013-2017 age-adjusted rates for the race/ethnic group.

<sup>b</sup> Rates are per 100,000 and age-adjusted to the 2000 US Std Population (19 age groups - Census P25-1130).

<sup>c</sup> The APC is the Annual Percent Change over the time interval.

Trends are based on rates age-adjusted to the 2000 US Std Population (19 age groups - Census P25-1130).

<sup>d</sup> Rates for American Indian/Alaska Native are based on the Purchased/Referred Care Delivery Area (PRCDA) counties.

<sup>e</sup> Hispanic is not mutually exclusive from whites, blacks, Asian/Pacific Islanders, and American Indians/Alaska Natives.

<sup>f</sup> IBD = Intrahepatic Bile Duct. ONS = Other Nervous System.

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

- Statistic not shown. Rate based on less than 16 cases for the time interval. Trend based on less than 10 cases for at least one year within the time interval.