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						Proportion (%) of population with haemoglobin below:										General	Line		
						70	100	110	115	120	130								
N	2003	SAC: Total	B	9.00- 15.99	2485				12.1			126	11	B	4926	*			
		SAC by sex	F	9.00- 15.99	NS				11.6										
		SAC by sex	M	9.00- 15.99	NS				12.5										
		SAC by sex and province: Central	F	9.00- 15.99	NS				5.0										
		SAC by sex and province: Eastern	F	9.00- 15.99	NS				12.7										
		SAC by sex and province: North Central	F	9.00- 15.99	NS				11.9										
		SAC by sex and province: North Western	F	9.00- 15.99	NS				20.5										
		SAC by sex and province: Northern	F	9.00- 15.99	NS				23.2										
		SAC by sex and province: Sabaragamuwa	F	9.00- 15.99	NS				7.8										
		SAC by sex and province: Southern	F	9.00- 15.99	NS				11.9										
		SAC by sex and province: Uva	F	9.00- 15.99	NS				12.2										
		SAC by sex and province: Western	F	9.00- 15.99	NS				6.9										
		SAC by sex and province: Central	M	9.00- 15.99	NS				8.3										
		SAC by sex and province: Eastern	M	9.00- 15.99	NS				14.5										
		SAC by sex and province: North Central	M	9.00- 15.99	NS				10.0										
		SAC by sex and province: North Western	M	9.00- 15.99	NS				14.4										
		SAC by sex and province: Northern	M	9.00- 15.99	NS				31.8										
		SAC by sex and province: Sabaragamuwa	M	9.00- 15.99	NS				11.1										
		SAC by sex and province: Southern	M	9.00- 15.99	NS				7.5										
		SAC by sex and province: Uva	M	9.00- 15.99	NS				5.1										
		SAC by sex and province: Western	M	9.00- 15.99	NS				7.8										
		SAC by province: Central	B	9.00- 15.99	NS				6.3			131	10						
		SAC by province: Eastern	B	9.00- 15.99	NS				13.6			124	10						
		SAC by province: North Central	B	9.00- 15.99	NS				11.0			125	10						
		SAC by province: North Western	B	9.00- 15.99	NS				16.4			125	10						
		SAC by province: Northern	B	9.00- 15.99	NS				28.3			119	12						
		SAC by province: Sabaragamuwa	B	9.00- 15.99	NS				9.6			127	10						
		SAC by province: Southern	B	9.00- 15.99	NS				9.3			127	10						
		SAC by province: Uva	B	9.00- 15.99	NS				8.6			130	11						
		SAC by province: Western	B	9.00- 15.99	NS				7.4			128	10						
N	2001	Women: Total	F	NS	6321									B	4972	*	1		
		Pre-SAC: Total	B	0.50- 4.99	1749	0.3		29.9			115	13						2	
		SAC: Total	B	5.00- 10.99	2437	0.0		20.9			123	11						3	
		Adolescents: Total	B	11.00- 18.99	3081	0.0					129	13						4	
		Women by physiological status: NPW: Total	F	15.00- 49.99	4625	0.0				31.6		124	14						5

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N	2001	Women by physiological status: PW: Total	F	NS	1696			29.3						B	4972		6
		NPW by age	F	15.00- 19.99	315					28.9	126	13					7
		NPW by age	F	20.00- 24.99	752					26.3	126	13					8
		NPW by age	F	25.00- 29.99	710					24.7	127	13					9
		NPW by age	F	30.00- 34.99	737					29.8	125	13					10
		NPW by age	F	35.00- 39.99	823					33.7	123	14					11
		NPW by age	F	40.00- 44.99	736					36.7	123	15					12
		NPW by age	F	45.00- 49.99	544					42.5	121	15					13
		NPW by area: Urban	F	15.00- 49.99	506					30.3	124	11					14
		NPW by area: Rural	F	15.00- 49.99	3851					31.4	124	13					15
		NPW by area: Estate	F	15.00- 49.99	268					37.2	123	22					16
		NPW by province: Western	F	15.00- 49.99	1417					29.5	125	12					17
		NPW by province: Southern	F	15.00- 49.99	562					35.8	123	13					18
		NPW by province: Central	F	15.00- 49.99	863					27.7	126	16					19
		NPW by province: Sabaragamuwa	F	15.00- 49.99	385					31.0	125	13					20
		NPW by province: Uva	F	15.00- 49.99	363					31.1	125	17					21
		NPW by province: North Central	F	15.00- 49.99	400					38.6	122	14					22
		NPW by province: North Western	F	15.00- 49.99	635					34.3	124	13					23
		PW by age	F	NS- 14.99	4			100.0			103	7					24
		PW by age	F	15.00- 19.99	150			32.7			115	13					25
		PW by age	F	20.00- 24.99	408			30.4			116	13					26
		PW by age	F	25.00- 29.99	463			28.3			116	13					27
		PW by age	F	30.00- 34.99	321			29.9			116	13					28
		PW by age	F	35.00- 39.99	112			32.1			115	12					29
		PW by age	F	40.00-NS	21			38.1			113	16					30
		PW by gestational age: 1st trimester	F	NS	166			13.9			122	13					31
		PW by gestational age: 2nd trimester	F	NS	849			33.5			114	12					32
		PW by gestational age: 3rd trimester	F	NS	453			29.8			117	14					33
		PW by pregnancy number: 1	F	NS	602			26.1			117	12					34
		PW by pregnancy number: 2	F	NS	494			30.0			116	13					35
		PW by pregnancy number: 3	F	NS	258			34.9			113	14					36
		PW by pregnancy number: 4	F	NS	88			33.0			115	14					37
		PW by pregnancy number: 5	F	NS	28			64.3			107	15					38
		PW by pregnancy number: 6	F	NS	7			71.4			99	16					39
		PW by pregnancy number: 8	F	NS	1			0.0			128						40
		PW by pregnancy number: 9	F	NS	1			0.0			114						41

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						70	100	110	115	120	130						
N	2001	PW by area: Urban	F	NS	272			24.6				117	12	B	4972		42
		PW by area: Rural	F	NS	1154			30.8				116	13				43
		PW by area: Estate	F	NS	53			49.1				111	18				44
		PW by province: Western	F	NS	502			29.3				116	13				45
		PW by province: Southern	F	NS	200			23.5				118	13				46
		PW by province: Central	F	NS	138			30.4				115	13				47
		PW by province: Sabaragamuwa	F	NS	107			37.4				114	13				48
		PW by province: Uva	F	NS	127			42.5				114	16				49
		PW by province: North Central	F	NS	210			29.5				116	12				50
		PW by province: North Western	F	NS	195			28.7				116	12				51
		Pre-SAC by sex	F	0.50- 4.99	928			30.6				115	13				52
		Pre-SAC by sex	M	0.50- 4.99	820			29.0				115	13				53
		Pre-SAC by age	B	0.50- 0.99	194			57.6				107	15				54
		Pre-SAC by age	B	1.00- 1.99	424			38.3				112	13				55
		Pre-SAC by age	B	2.00- 2.99	355			29.7				115	13				56
		Pre-SAC by age	B	3.00- 3.99	404			21.4				118	11				57
		Pre-SAC by age	B	4.00- 4.99	372			15.1				119	11				58
		Pre-SAC by area: Urban	B	0.50- 4.99	209			33.4				114	14				59
		Pre-SAC by area: Rural	B	0.50- 4.99	1401			29.9				115	13				60
		Pre-SAC by area: Estate	B	0.50- 4.99	139			24.4				117	14				61
		Pre-SAC by province: Western	B	0.50- 4.99	553			27.3				115	13				62
		Pre-SAC by province: Southern	B	0.50- 4.99	215			30.6				114	12				63
		Pre-SAC by province: Central	B	0.50- 4.99	325			31.2				115	14				64
		Pre-SAC by province: Sabaragamuwa	B	0.50- 4.99	123			25.0				117	11				65
		Pre-SAC by province: Uva	B	0.50- 4.99	167			32.8				113	13				66
		Pre-SAC by province: North Central	B	0.50- 4.99	130			40.1				112	12				67
		Pre-SAC by province: North Western	B	0.50- 4.99	236			28.0				115	12				68
		SAC by sex	F	5.00- 10.99	1280			20.1				124	11				69
		SAC by sex	M	5.00- 10.99	1157			21.9				123	11				70
		SAC by age	B	5.00- 5.99	426			26.9				121	11				71
		SAC by age	B	6.00- 6.99	368			24.6				122	11				72
		SAC by age	B	7.00- 7.99	391			20.1				124	11				73
		SAC by age	B	8.00- 8.99	428			20.3				124	12				74
		SAC by age	B	9.00- 9.99	419			16.7				125	10				75
		SAC by age	B	10.00- 10.99	404			17.3				125	11				76
		SAC by area: Urban	B	5.00- 10.99	263			25.0				122	11				77

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N	2001	SAC by area: Rural	B	5.00- 10.99	1965				21.1			123	11	B	4972		78
		SAC by area: Estate	B	5.00- 10.99	208				14.3			130	12			79	
		SAC by province: Western	B	5.00- 10.99	668				20.8			123	11			80	
		SAC by province: Southern	B	5.00- 10.99	297				18.2			123	10			81	
		SAC by province: Central	B	5.00- 10.99	494				15.3			126	11			82	
		SAC by province: Sabaragamuwa	B	5.00- 10.99	209				21.6			122	11			83	
		SAC by province: Uva	B	5.00- 10.99	214				28.6			124	13			84	
		SAC by province: North Central	B	5.00- 10.99	213				22.8			122	12			85	
		SAC by province: North Western	B	5.00- 10.99	341				25.4			122	11			86	
		Adolescents by sex	F	11.00- 18.99	1716							126	12			87	
		Adolescents by sex	M	11.00- 18.99	1365							133	14			88	
		Adolescents by age	B	11.00- 11.99	457			14.3				124	10			89	
		Adolescents by age	B	12.00- 12.99	404					24.3		127	10			90	
		Adolescents by age	B	13.00- 13.99	394					21.6		128	12			91	
		Adolescents by age	B	14.00- 14.99	393					21.1		128	13			92	
		Adolescents by age	B	15.00- 15.99	360							131	14			93	
		Adolescents by age	B	16.00- 16.99	395							133	14			94	
		Adolescents by age	B	17.00- 17.99	330							134	16			95	
		Adolescents by age	B	18.00- 18.99	348							126	13			96	
		Adolescents by area: Urban	B	11.00- 18.99	266							126	13			97	
		Adolescents by area: Rural	B	11.00- 18.99	2586							129	13			98	
		Adolescents by area: Estate	B	11.00- 18.99	229							133	14			99	
		Adolescents by province: Western	B	11.00- 18.99	813							128	13			100	
		Adolescents by province: Southern	B	11.00- 18.99	419							128	12			101	
		Adolescents by province: Central	B	11.00- 18.99	596							131	14			102	
		Adolescents by province: Sabaragamuwa	B	11.00- 18.99	320							129	12			103	
Adolescents by province: Uva	B	11.00- 18.99	242							131	14	104					
Adolescents by province: North Central	B	11.00- 18.99	255							127	13	105					
Adolescents by province: North Western	B	11.00- 18.99	438							128	13	106					
L	1999 P	Colombo: Girls by area and helminthic infection: Urb	F	14.00- 18.99	186						131	14	NS	4807	*		
		Colombo: Girls by area and helminthic infection: Urb	F	14.00- 18.99	185						131	14					
		Colombo: Girls by area and helminthic infection: Rur	F	14.00- 18.99	24						131	10					
		Colombo: Girls by area and helminthic infection: Rur	F	14.00- 18.99	201						129	11					
L	1997	SAC: Total	B	NS	743					84.0		NS	1727	*			

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L	1997	SAC by sex	F	NS	331						86.0	110	9	NS	1727		
		SAC by sex	M	NS	412						83.0	111	9				
N	1994 -1995	NPW: Total	F	NS	1267	0.6					44.6	120	15	B	2692		107
		PW	F	NS	88	1.1		38.6									
		Pre-SAC: Total	B	0.25- 4.99	1995	1.2		44.8				110	15				108
		SAC: Total	B	5.00- 10.99	652	0.2		27.3			58.4	116	13				109
		Adolescents: Total	B	11.00- 18.99	708	0.0					36.0	123	14				
		NPW by area: urban	F	NS	620						39.7	121	13				
		NPW by area: rural	F	NS	481						45.9	120	15				
		NPW by area: estate	F	NS	165						59.4	112	20				
		NPW by province: Western	F	NS	260						47.3	120	14				
		NPW by province: Central	F	NS	233						48.9	118	19				
		NPW by province: Southern	F	NS	199						49.2	119	15				
		NPW by province: North Western	F	NS	141						47.9	118	13				
		NPW by province: North Central	F	NS	109						46.8	118	15				
		NPW by province: Uva	F	NS	173						31.2	124	15				
		NPW by province: Sabaragamuwa	F	NS	152						38.1	121	13				
		Pre-SAC by province: Western	B	0.25- 4.99	368			47.3				109	15				
		Pre-SAC by province: Central	B	0.25- 4.99	403			36.2				113	15				
		Pre-SAC by province: Southern	B	0.25- 4.99	296			47.6				109	13				
		Pre-SAC by province: North Western	B	0.25- 4.99	233			56.7				104	18				
		Pre-SAC by province: North Central	B	0.25- 4.99	183			54.6				107	15				
		Pre-SAC by province: Uva	B	0.25- 4.99	274			36.1				115	14				
		Pre-SAC by province: Sabaragamuwa	B	0.25- 4.99	238			42.9				100	16				
		SAC by province: Western	B	5.00- 10.99	99			27.3			55.6	119	15				
		SAC by province: Central	B	5.00- 10.99	170			27.6			55.9	117	13				
		SAC by province: Southern	B	5.00- 10.99	99			27.3			61.6	115	12				
		SAC by province: North Western	B	5.00- 10.99	85			36.5			71.8	111	14				
		SAC by province: North Central	B	5.00- 10.99	50			40.0			60.0	114	14				
		SAC by province: Uva	B	5.00- 10.99	84			19.0			50.0	120	13				
		SAC by province: Sabaragamuwa	B	5.00- 10.99	65			15.4			56.9	118	10				
		Adolescents by sex	F	11.00- 18.99	365						40.0						
		Adolescents by sex	M	11.00- 18.99	304						31.6						
		Adolescents by province: Western	B	11.00- 18.99	109						53.2	119	15				
		Adolescents by province: Central	B	11.00- 18.99	136						31.6	125	14				

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N	1994 -1995	Adolescents by province: Southern	B	11.00- 18.99	129					27.9	123	13	B	2692			
		Adolescents by province: North Western	B	11.00- 18.99	78					52.6	118	16					
		Adolescents by province: North Central	B	11.00- 18.99	47					44.7	121	12					
		Adolescents by province: Uva	B	11.00- 18.99	116					23.3	127	14					
		Adolescents by province: Sabaragamuwa	B	11.00- 18.99	93					31.2	124	15					
L	1990P	Colombo: Female SAC	F	14.00- 18.99	93					3.7		A	1004	*			
L	1990	Galle: PW	F	NS	236			56.4			106	18	A	4038	*	110	

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Reference No: 4926

General Notes: *Facility based study (140 state schools and 4 private schools, grade 5 students) sampling: multi-stage stratified sample. Stratification by province (all 9 provinces included), functional type of school and schools from urban/rural areas selected in proportion to size of the population in the province; adjustment for altitude; mean age 9.6 yrs.*

Reference No: 4972

General Notes: *Partly facility based study (antenatal clinics); sampling: multistage stratified sampling method, the whole country except the Northern and Eastern Provinces was divided into 7 zones and served as the primary strata, all eligible children and women in each selected housing unit were included, as the number of pregnant women selected from the households was not sufficient, they were also selected from the clinics, a total of 4709 households were enrolled including 1763 preschool children, 2472 primary school children, 3081 adolescents, 4666 non-pregnant women and 218 pregnant women (plus 1479 pregnant women from the clinics); adjustment for altitude.*

Line note 1 Prevalence value calculated; prevalence of anaemia 31.0% (Hb <110 g/L PW, Hb <120 g/L NPW).

Line note 2 Median Hb: 116 g/L; disaggregated data by nutritional status, zone.

Line note 3 Median Hb: 124 g/L; disaggregated data by nutritional status, zone.

Line note 4 Prevalence of anaemia 22.3% (Hb <115 g/L both sexes 11 yrs, Hb <120 g/L both sexes 12-14 yrs, females 15-18 yrs, Hb <130 g/L males 15-18 yrs); median Hb: 129 g/L; disaggregated data by body mass index, zone.

Line note 5 Median Hb: 125 g/L; disaggregated data by food consumption, dietary knowledge, illness, education, occupational status, body mass index, zone.

Line note 6 Disaggregated data by food consumption, dietary knowledge, antenatal care, supplements, zone.

Line note 7 Median Hb: 126 g/L.

Line note 8 Median Hb: 127 g/L.

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Line note 10 Median Hb: 126 g/L.

Line note 11 Median Hb: 124 g/L.

Line note 12 Median Hb: 124 g/L.

Line note 13 Median Hb: 122 g/L.

Line note 14 Median Hb: 125 g/L.

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Line note 18 Median Hb: 123 g/L.

Line note 19 Median Hb: 128 g/L.

Line note 20 Median Hb: 125 g/L.

Line note 21 Median Hb: 127 g/L.

Line note 22 Median Hb: 123 g/L.

Line note 23 Median Hb: 124 g/L.

Line note 24 Pregnant women selected from antenatal clinics; median Hb: 106 g/L.

Line note 25 Pregnant women selected from antenatal clinics; median Hb: 115 g/L.

Line note 26 Pregnant women selected from antenatal clinics; median Hb: 117 g/L.

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Line note 28 Pregnant women selected from antenatal clinics; median Hb: 115 g/L.

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Line note 62 Median Hb: 116 g/L.
Line note 63 Median Hb: 115 g/L.
Line note 64 Median Hb: 114 g/L.
Line note 65 Median Hb: 118 g/L.
Line note 66 Median Hb: 115 g/L.
Line note 67 Median Hb: 113 g/L.
Line note 68 Median Hb: 116 g/L.
Line note 69 Median Hb: 124 g/L.
Line note 70 Median Hb: 124 g/L.

Line note 71	Median Hb: 121 g/L.
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Line note 81	Median Hb: 123 g/L.
Line note 82	Median Hb: 126 g/L.
Line note 83	Median Hb: 124 g/L.
Line note 84	Median Hb: 125 g/L.
Line note 85	Median Hb: 123 g/L.
Line note 86	Median Hb: 122 g/L.
Line note 87	Prevalence of anaemia 25.7% (Hb <115 g/L 11 yrs, Hb <120 g/L 12-18 yrs); median Hb: 126 g/L.
Line note 88	Prevalence of anaemia 18.1% (Hb <115 g/L 11 yrs, Hb <120 g/L 12-14 yrs, Hb <130 g/L 15-18 yrs); median Hb: 132 g/L.
Line note 89	Median Hb: 125 g/L.
Line note 90	Median Hb: 127 g/L.
Line note 91	Median Hb: 128 g/L.
Line note 92	Median Hb: 128 g/L.
Line note 93	Prevalence of anaemia 25.9% (Hb <120 g/L females, Hb <130 g/L males); median Hb: 131 g/L.
Line note 94	Prevalence of anaemia 21.3% (Hb <120 g/L females, Hb <130 g/L males); median Hb: 134 g/L.
Line note 95	Prevalence of anaemia 21.9% (Hb <120 g/L females, Hb <130 g/L males); median Hb: 134 g/L.
Line note 96	Prevalence of anaemia 30.8% (Hb <120 g/L females, Hb <130 g/L males); median Hb: 126 g/L.
Line note 97	Prevalence of anaemia 26.3% (Hb <115 g/L both sexes 11 yrs, Hb <120 g/L both sexes 12-14 yrs, females 15-18 yrs, Hb <130 g/L males 15-18 yrs); median Hb: 126 g/L.
Line note 98	Prevalence of anaemia 22.2% (Hb <115 g/L both sexes 11 yrs, Hb <120 g/L both sexes 12-14 yrs, females 15-18 yrs, Hb <130 g/L males 15-18 yrs); median Hb: 129 g/L.
Line note 99	Prevalence of anaemia 19.3% (Hb <115 g/L both sexes 11 yrs, Hb <120 g/L both sexes 12-14 yrs, females 15-18 yrs, Hb <130 g/L males 15-18 yrs); median Hb: 134 g/L.
Line note 100	Prevalence of anaemia 22.3% (Hb <115 g/L both sexes 11 yrs, Hb <120 g/L both sexes 12-14 yrs, females 15-18 yrs, Hb <130 g/L males 15-18 yrs); median Hb: 127 g/L.
Line note 101	Prevalence of anaemia 23.5% (Hb <115 g/L both sexes 11 yrs, Hb <120 g/L both sexes 12-14 yrs, females 15-18 yrs, Hb <130 g/L males 15-18 yrs); median Hb: 128 g/L.
Line note 102	Prevalence of anaemia 19.9% (Hb <115 g/L both sexes 11 yrs, Hb <120 g/L both sexes 12-14 yrs, females 15-18 yrs, Hb <130 g/L males 15-18 yrs); median Hb: 131 g/L.
Line note 103	Prevalence of anaemia 18.8% (Hb <115 g/L both sexes 11 yrs, Hb <120 g/L both sexes 12-14 yrs, females 15-18 yrs, Hb <130 g/L males 15-18 yrs); median Hb: 128 g/L.
Line note 104	Prevalence of anaemia 22.2% (Hb <115 g/L both sexes 11 yrs, Hb <120 g/L both sexes 12-14 yrs, females 15-18 yrs, Hb <130 g/L males 15-18 yrs); median Hb: 132 g/L.
Line note 105	Prevalence of anaemia 27.0% (Hb <115 g/L both sexes 11 yrs, Hb <120 g/L both sexes 12-14 yrs, females 15-18 yrs, Hb <130 g/L males 15-18 yrs); median Hb: 127 g/L.
Line note 106	Prevalence of anaemia 24.7% (Hb <115 g/L both sexes 11 yrs, Hb <120 g/L both sexes 12-14 yrs, females 15-18 yrs, Hb <130 g/L males 15-18 yrs); median Hb: 128 g/L.

Reference No: 4807

General Notes: *Facility based study (schools) in Colombo (urban area) and about 30 km from Colombo (rural area); sampling: design not explained, 576 girls in the urban area and 339 girls in the rural area were selected for study; n=383 and n= 231 girls in the urban and rural area respectively gave stool samples for analysis; majority of children are of low socioeconomic status; only mean Hb values for disaggregated data.*

Reference No: 1727

General Notes: *Facility based study (4 primary schools, grade 1-5) in Moneragala District.*

Reference No: 2692

Line note 107 Disaggregated data by pregnancy number.

Line note 108 Disaggregated data by nutritional status.

Line note 109 Disaggregated data by school attendance.

Reference No: 1004

General Notes: *Facility based study (3 schools) in Colombo District.*

Reference No: 4038

General Notes: *Facility based study (antenatal clinic of the University Obstetric Clinic); Hb determination at first antenatal visit.*

Line note 110 Prevalence of iron deficiency anaemia 43.2% (Hb <110 g/L+serum ferritin <12 µg/L).

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