

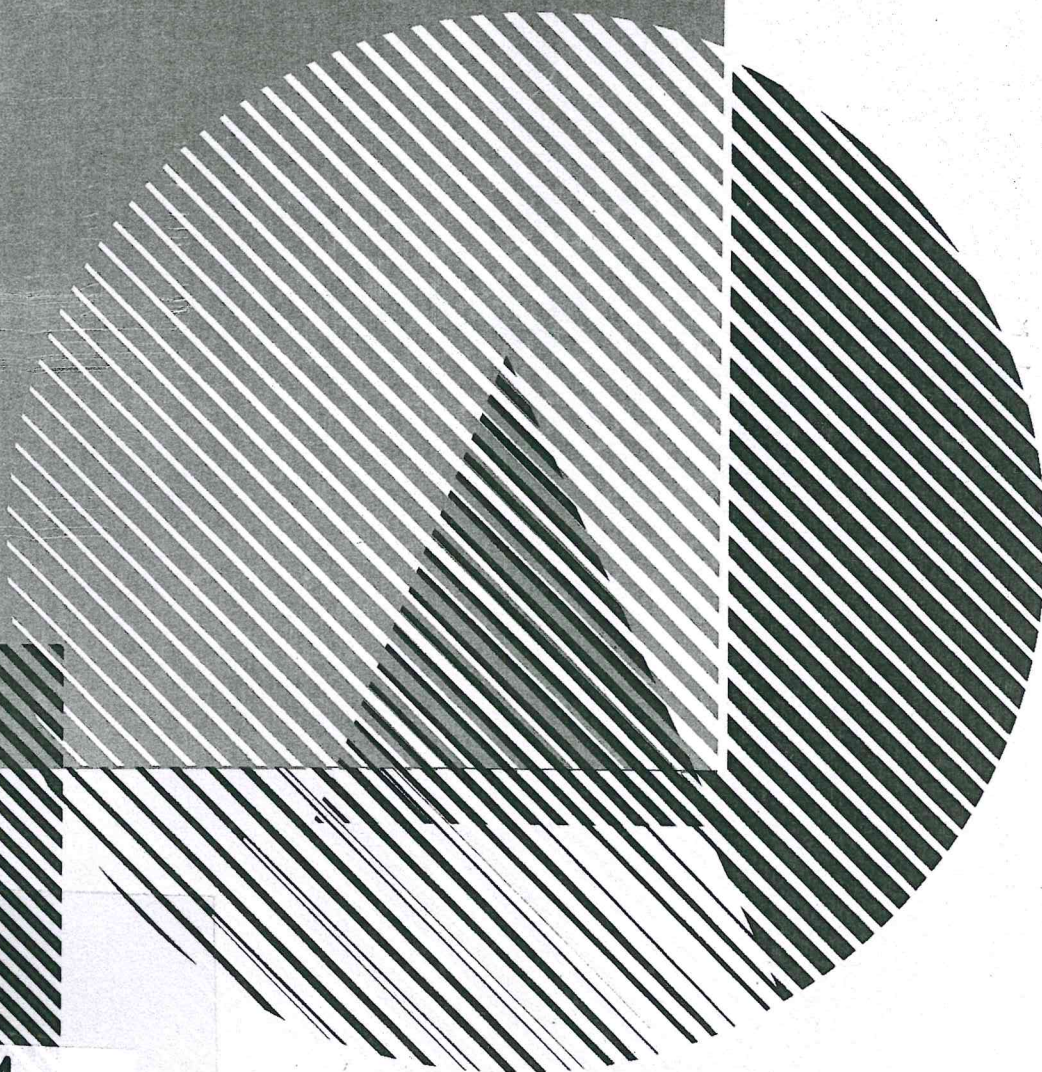
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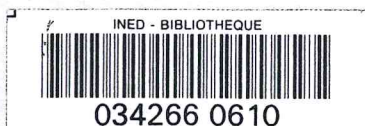
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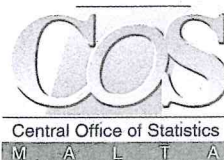
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13. BIRTH RATES SPECIFIC FOR AGE OF MOTHER

Age of mother	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
15 - 49	57.3	58.3	54.2	50.7	48.5	52.9	51.8	48.2
15 - 19	11.9	12.3	13.1	10.9	10.3	17.2	17.2	16.5
20 - 24	85.1	87.6	82.5	77.1	67.0	73.7	80.0	68.0
25 - 29	158.5	160.1	153.8	142.7	140.9	158.0	145.2	131.8
30 - 34	100.8	113.8	99.8	99.2	98.5	104.4	98.9	98.6
35 - 39	44.0	40.5	42.4	39.3	38.2	39.9	40.9	37.3
40 - 44	8.3	10.0	9.0	8.2	8.3	8.7	8.1	8.6
45 - 49	0.3	-	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.3	0.2

14. MEAN NUMBER OF LIVE BIRTHS PER MARRIAGE COHORT

Census 1995

MALTESE ISLANDS

Year of first marriage	Mean Number of live births	Year of first marriage	Mean Number of live births
1915	6.9	1955	3.7
1920	7.1	1960	3.0
1925	6.9	1965	2.7
1930	6.3	1970	2.4
1935	6.1	1975	2.0
1940	6.1	1980	1.4
1945	5.1	1985	1.8
1950	4.5	1995	1.9