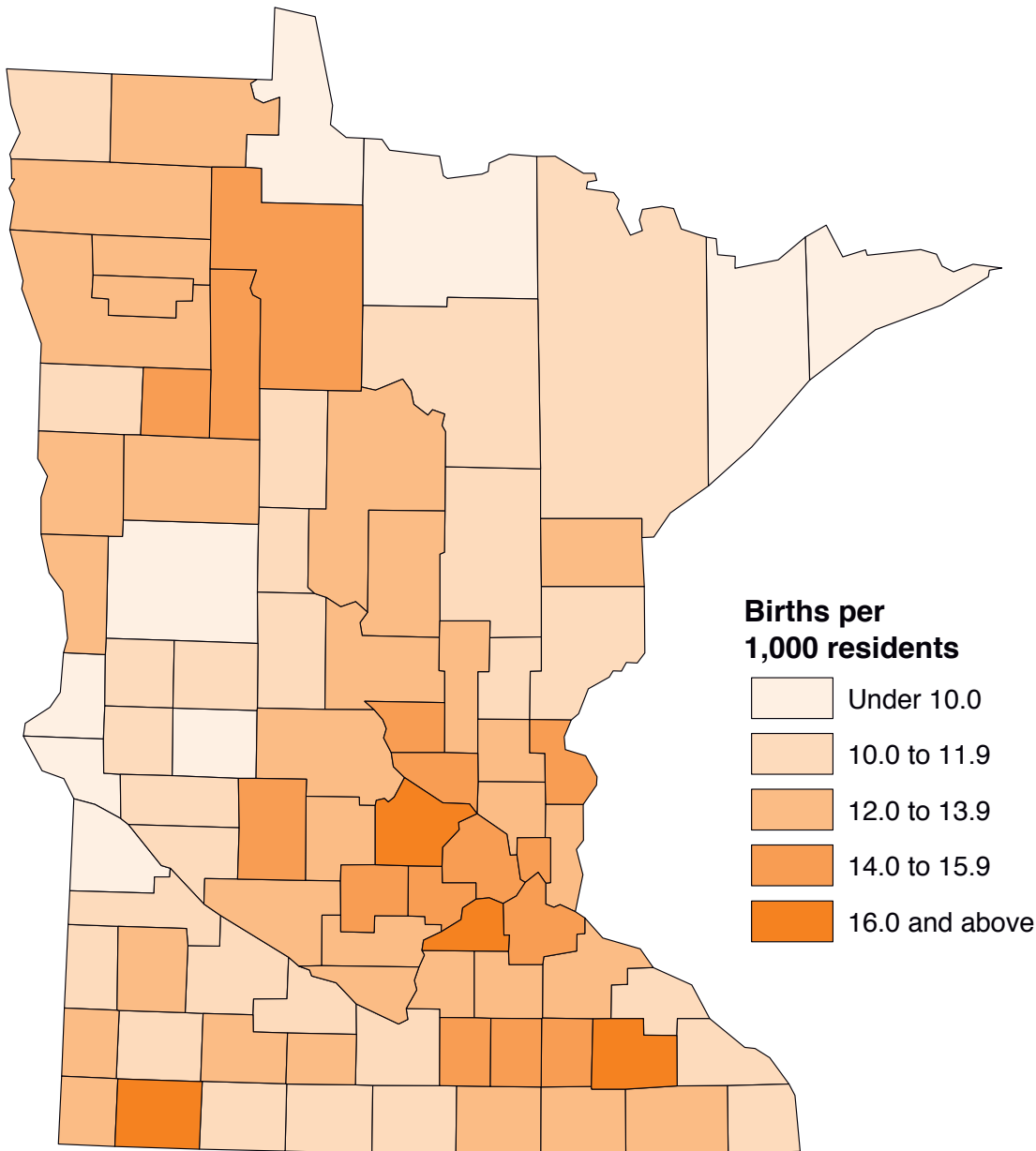


Birth Rates, 2004

The highest birth rates are found in the ring counties around the Twin Cities. Higher rates can also be found in Olmsted, Nobles and other counties in rural Minnesota with larger ethnic minority populations, who tend to have larger families.



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