## MOTHER'S DAY 14 MAY FIG. 1 - PROPORTION OF MALE AND FEMALE LIVE **BIRTHS IN ANGUILLA, IN 2022** Male Female 48.0% 52.0% FIG. 2 - NUMBER OF LIVE BIRTHS IN ANGUILLA. FROM 2010 TO 2022 250.0 NUMBER OF LIVE BIRTHS Number of Live Births 200.0 Average (2010 - 2022) 150.0 100.0 50.0 0.0 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2020 2020 2022 YEAR

## **BIRTHS IN ANGUILLA**

This article was created by the Anguilla Statistics Department (ASD), in recognition of Mother's Day, which is celebrated every year on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of May, in Anguilla. This day is celebrated to honor motherhood, maternal bonds and the influence of mothers in society. This article provides a statistical summary of live births in Anguilla. The data in this article were supplied by Anguilla's Judicial Department.

In 2022, Anguilla had a total of 125 live births. Figure 1 shows the proportion of male and female live births, in 2022. There were more live male births than live female births, in 2022 (52.0% males and 48.0% females).

Figure 2 shows the number of live births in Anguilla, from 2010 to 2022. From 2010 to 2022, Anguilla had a total of 1,986 live births. Hence, the mean/average number of live births from 2010 to 2022 was 153 per year. The total number of live births was above the average from 2010 to 2013, as well as 2015 and 2021. The total number of live births was below the average in all other years (2014, 2016 to 2020, and 2022).

In 2010, Anguilla had a total of 182 live births. This indicates a 31.3% decrease in the number of live births in 2010 over 2022. The highest number of live births from 2010 to 2022 was recorded in 2012 (192). The lowest number of live births from 2010 to 2022 was recorded in 2018 (114).

The number of live births fluctuated from 2010 to 2022. There was a steady increase in the number of live births from 2010 to 2012 (5.5%). The number of live births decreased steadily from 2012 to 2014 (21.4%). There was a 9.3% increase in the number of live births from 2014 to 2015; an 18.2% decrease from 2015 to 2016, a 7.4% increase from 2016 to 2017, and there was a 21.4% decrease from 2017 to 2018. The number of live births increased steadily from 2018 to 2021 (37.7%). This was followed by a 20.4% decrease in the number of live births, from 2021 to 2022.