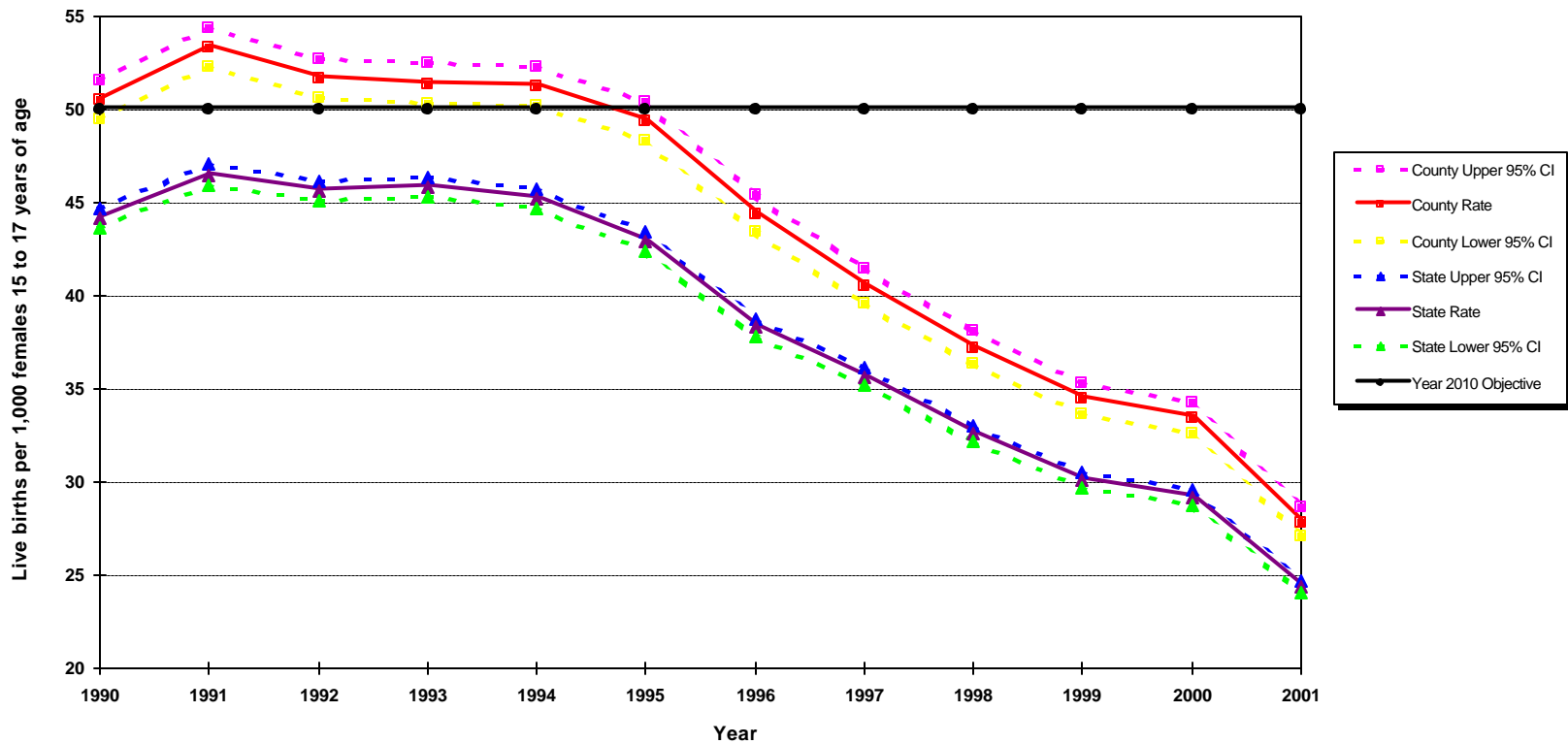


Live Births per 1,000 Adolescent Females 15 to 17 Years of Age California vs. Los Angeles County, 1990 - 2001



Year 2010 Objective: Reduce pregnancies among girls aged 17 and younger to no more than 50 per 1,000 adolescents.

Note: This indicator addresses live births as opposed to pregnancies.

Prior to 2000, "Fertility Rate among teen girls" was labeled as "Teen Birth Rate"

Sources: California Department of Health Services, Center for Health Statistics, Vital Statistics, 1990-2001

Denominator data: California Department of Finance, "Race/Ethnic Population with Age and Sex Detail, 1970-2040,"

Sacramento, California, December 1998