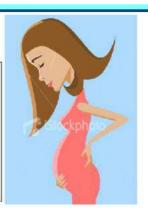


Monthly Fetal Development









One Month

Your baby is an **embryo** consisting of two layers of cells from which all her organs and body parts will develop.



Two Months

Your baby is now about the size of a kidney bean and is constantly moving. He has distinct, slightly webbed fingers.



Three Months

By now your baby is about 3 inches long and weighs nearly an ounce. Her tiny, unique fingerprints are now in place.



Four Months

Your baby is now about 5 inches long and weighs 5 ounces. His skeleton is starting to harden from rubbery cartilage to bone.



Five Months

Eyebrows and eyelids are now in place. Your baby would now be more than 10 inches long if you stretched out her legs.



Six Months

Your baby weighs about a **pound and a half**. His wrinkled skin is starting to **smooth out** as he puts on baby fat,



Seven Months

By now, your baby weighs about 3 pounds and is more than 15 inches long. She can open and close her eyes and follow a light.



Eight Months

Your baby now weighs about 4 3/4 pounds. His layers of fat are filling him out, making him rounder, and his lungs are well developed.



Nine Months

The **average baby** is more than 19 inches long and weighs nearly 7 pounds now, but **babies vary** widely in size at this stage

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