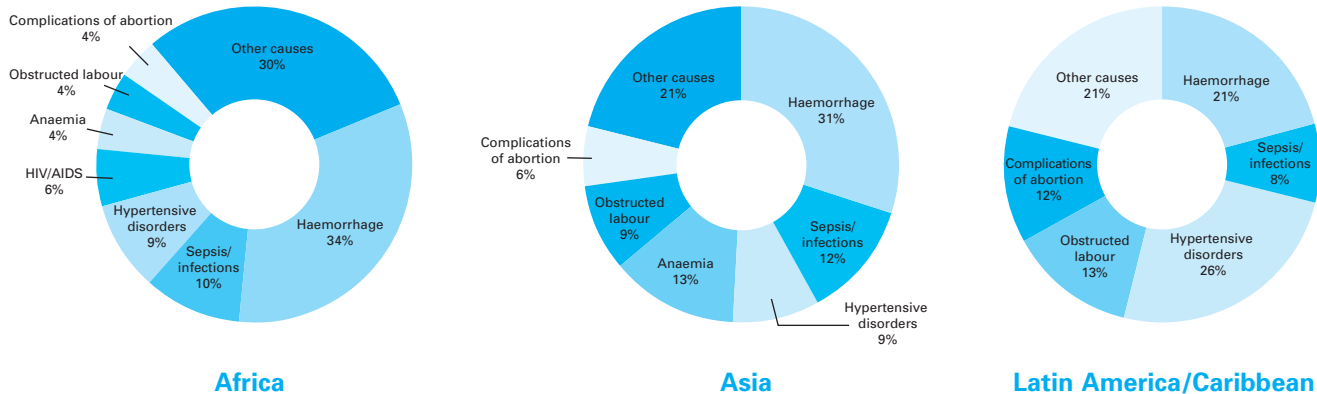


Figure 1.5

Direct causes of maternal deaths, 1997–2002*



* Data refer to the most recent year available during the period specified. Percentages may not total 100% because of rounding.

Source: Khan, Khalid S., et al., 'WHO Analysis of Causes of Maternal Death: A systematic review', *The Lancet*, vol. 367, no. 9516, 1 April 2006, p.1069.