

SUMMARY

Characteristics of the U.S. foreign-born population: 2016

% of the foreign-born population, unless otherwise noted

Population, region of birth, nativity and years in the U.S.

Population (#)	43,681,654
Born in Mexico	26.5 %
Citizen	48.7 %

Race

White alone, not Hispanic	18.1 %
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Language use

Speaking English at least very well (ages 5 and older)	51.0 %
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Age and gender

Median age (in years)	44
Female	51.5 %

Marital Status and fertility

Married (ages 18 and older)	60.3 %
Women ages 15-44 giving birth in past year	7.4 %

Educational attainment and enrollment (highest degree completed, ages 25 and older)

High school graduate or less	51.3 %
Two-year degree/Some college	18.7 %
Bachelor's degree or more	30.0 %

Work (ages 16 and older)

In labor force (among civilian population)	66.1 %
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Earnings and income (ages 16 and older)

Median annual personal earnings (in 2016 dollars, among those with earnings)	\$30,000
Median annual household income (in 2016 dollars)	\$53,200

Poverty and health insurance

Living in poverty	19.7 %
Uninsured	20.4 %

Homeownership and household characteristics

In family households	82.3 %
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Region and top five states of residence

West	34.5 %
California	24.5 %
South	33.0 %
Texas	10.8 %
Florida	9.7 %
Northeast	21.4 %
New York	10.4 %
New Jersey	4.6 %
Midwest	11.1 %

Source: Pew Research Center tabulations of 2016 American Community Survey (1% IPUMS).
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Population, by nativity and citizenship status: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population

	Total population	Percent of population	Percent of foreign born
U.S. born	279,445,861	86.5 %	--
Foreign born	43,681,654	13.5	100.0 %
Citizen	21,266,342	6.6	48.7
Non-citizen	22,415,312	6.9	51.3
Total	323,127,515	100.0 %	--

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Foreign born, by region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 foreign-born resident population

Mexico	11,568,060	26.5 %
South and East Asia	11,731,584	26.9
Europe/Canada	5,785,135	13.2
Caribbean	4,300,022	9.8
Central America	3,463,389	7.9
South America	2,927,145	6.7
Middle East	1,875,264	4.3
Sub-Saharan Africa	1,769,778	4.1
All other	261,277	0.6
Total	43,681,654	100.0 %

Note: Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

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Population, by nativity, race and ethnicity: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population

	Total population	U.S.-born population	Foreign-born population	Percent foreign born
Hispanic	57,389,751	37,794,339	19,595,412	34.1 %
White alone, not Hispanic	197,486,695	189,591,066	7,895,629	4.0
Black alone, not Hispanic	39,808,784	36,148,782	3,660,002	9.2
Asian alone, not Hispanic	17,362,286	5,792,881	11,569,405	66.6
Other, not Hispanic	11,079,999	10,118,793	961,206	8.7
Total	323,127,515	279,445,861	43,681,654	13.5 %

Note: "Other, not Hispanic" includes persons reporting single races not listed separately and persons reporting more than one race.

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Racial self-identification, by nativity: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population

	TOTAL		U.S. BORN		FOREIGN BORN	
One race	312,791,170	96.8 %	270,062,196	96.6 %	42,728,974	97.8 %
White	234,627,780	72.6	214,494,183	76.8	20,133,597	46.1
Black or African American	40,954,190	12.7	37,014,326	13.2	3,939,864	9.0
American Indian and Alaska Native	2,676,979	0.8	2,510,930	0.9	166,049	0.4
Asian	17,577,855	5.4	5,949,758	2.1	11,628,097	26.6
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	591,268	0.2	462,502	0.2	128,766	0.3
Some Other Race	16,363,098	5.1	9,630,497	3.4	6,732,601	15.4
Two or More Races	10,336,345	3.2	9,383,665	3.4	952,680	2.2
Total	323,127,515	100.0 %	279,445,861	100.0 %	43,681,654	100.0 %

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Foreign born, by region of birth and years in the U.S.: 2016

Universe: 2016 foreign-born resident population

	0 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	Over 20 years	Total
Mexico	894,277	1,064,343	1,883,563	2,194,847	5,531,030	11,568,060
South and East Asia	2,570,872	1,540,301	1,336,562	1,341,145	4,942,704	11,731,584
Europe/Canada	799,190	466,759	585,730	777,732	3,155,724	5,785,135
Caribbean	716,847	537,425	478,284	471,876	2,095,590	4,300,022
Central America	537,321	464,419	564,448	525,275	1,371,926	3,463,389
South America	502,748	296,515	477,523	475,538	1,174,821	2,927,145
Middle East	517,855	275,393	186,669	200,543	694,804	1,875,264
Sub-Saharan Africa	465,346	312,156	303,487	276,464	412,325	1,769,778
All other	58,648	41,880	28,887	34,867	96,995	261,277
Total	7,063,104	4,999,191	5,845,153	6,298,287	19,475,919	43,681,654

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

Mexico	7.7 %	9.2 %	16.3 %	19.0 %	47.8 %	100.0 %
South and East Asia	21.9	13.1	11.4	11.4	42.1	100.0
Europe/Canada	13.8	8.1	10.1	13.4	54.5	100.0
Caribbean	16.7	12.5	11.1	11.0	48.7	100.0
Central America	15.5	13.4	16.3	15.2	39.6	100.0
South America	17.2	10.1	16.3	16.2	40.1	100.0
Middle East	27.6	14.7	10.0	10.7	37.1	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	26.3	17.6	17.1	15.6	23.3	100.0
All other	22.4	16.0	11.1	13.3	37.1	100.0
All	16.2 %	11.4 %	13.4 %	14.4 %	44.6 %	100.0 %

Note: Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

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Language spoken at home and English-speaking ability, by age, nativity and region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population ages 5 and older

	YOUNGER THAN 18				18 AND OLDER			
	LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ONLY ENGLISH AT HOME			Total	LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ONLY ENGLISH AT HOME			Total
	Only English spoken at home	English spoken very well	English spoken less than very well		Only English spoken at home	English spoken very well	English spoken less than very well	
All U.S. born	41,297,820	8,588,533	1,733,533	51,619,886	189,682,957	15,697,083	3,025,325	208,405,365
All foreign born	437,864	1,101,384	666,136	2,205,384	6,460,438	14,113,341	20,596,990	41,170,769
Mexico	11,695	316,979	152,719	481,393	428,003	2,908,902	7,703,630	11,040,535
South and East Asia	162,831	262,464	181,699	606,994	1,226,960	4,683,388	5,112,765	11,023,113
Europe/Canada	101,820	106,448	36,493	244,761	2,212,012	1,952,665	1,344,827	5,509,504
Caribbean	40,088	109,953	72,862	222,903	1,262,117	1,004,030	1,792,685	4,058,832
Central America	29,986	85,430	101,629	217,045	199,557	820,459	2,190,810	3,210,826
South America	12,953	67,210	41,967	122,130	439,436	1,078,806	1,264,681	2,782,923
Middle East	12,614	92,148	43,626	148,388	211,560	803,928	683,611	1,699,099
Sub-Saharan Africa	57,118	54,888	32,620	144,626	365,164	788,388	452,101	1,605,653
All other	8,759	5,864	2,521	17,144	115,629	72,775	51,880	240,284
Total	41,735,684	9,689,917	2,399,669	53,825,270	196,143,395	29,810,424	23,622,315	249,576,134

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	80.0 %	16.6 %	3.4 %	100.0 %	91.0 %	7.5 %	1.5 %	100.0 %
All foreign born	19.9	49.9	30.2	100.0	15.7	34.3	50.0	100.0
Mexico	2.4	65.8	31.7	100.0	3.9	26.3	69.8	100.0
South and East Asia	26.8	43.2	29.9	100.0	11.1	42.5	46.4	100.0
Europe/Canada	41.6	43.5	14.9	100.0	40.1	35.4	24.4	100.0
Caribbean	18.0	49.3	32.7	100.0	31.1	24.7	44.2	100.0
Central America	13.8	39.4	46.8	100.0	6.2	25.6	68.2	100.0
South America	10.6	55.0	34.4	100.0	15.8	38.8	45.4	100.0
Middle East	8.5	62.1	29.4	100.0	12.5	47.3	40.2	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	39.5	38.0	22.6	100.0	22.7	49.1	28.2	100.0
All other	51.1	34.2	14.7	100.0	48.1	30.3	21.6	100.0
All	77.5 %	18.0 %	4.5 %	100.0 %	78.6 %	11.9 %	9.5 %	100.0 %

Note: Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

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Language spoken at home and English-speaking ability among foreign born, by years in the U.S. and age:

Universe: 2016 foreign-born resident population ages 5 and older

Years in the U.S.	YOUNGER THAN 18				18 AND OLDER			
	LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ONLY ENGLISH AT HOME				LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ONLY ENGLISH AT HOME			
	Only English spoken at home	English spoken very well	English spoken less than very well	Total	Only English spoken at home	English spoken very well	English spoken less than very well	Total
0 to 5 years	134,080	419,726	494,806	1,048,612	686,757	1,711,017	3,311,217	5,708,991
6 to 10 years	142,236	376,382	105,668	624,286	458,019	1,470,308	2,446,578	4,374,905
11 to 15 years	128,994	262,941	57,196	449,131	601,002	1,875,328	2,919,692	5,396,022
16 to 20 years	32,554	42,335	8,466	83,355	782,177	2,240,949	3,191,806	6,214,932
Over 20 years	—	—	—	—	3,932,483	6,815,739	8,727,697	19,475,919
Total	437,864	1,101,384	666,136	2,205,384	6,460,438	14,113,341	20,596,990	41,170,769
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION								
0 to 5 years	12.8 %	40.0 %	47.2 %	100.0 %	12.0 %	30.0 %	58.0 %	100.0 %
6 to 10 years	22.8	60.3	16.9	100.0	10.5	33.6	55.9	100.0
11 to 15 years	28.7	58.5	12.7	100.0	11.1	34.8	54.1	100.0
16 to 20 years	39.1	50.8	10.2	100.0	12.6	36.1	51.4	100.0
Over 20 years	—	—	—	—	20.2	35.0	44.8	100.0
All	19.9 %	49.9 %	30.2 %	100.0 %	15.7 %	34.3 %	50.0 %	100.0 %

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Median age in years, by sex, nativity and region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population

	Total	Male	Female
All U.S. born	36	34	37
All foreign born	44	43	45
Mexico	42	41	42
South and East Asia	44	44	45
Europe/Canada	52	51	54
Caribbean	48	46	49
Central America	39	38	41
South America	45	44	46
Middle East	42	43	42
Sub-Saharan Africa	39	39	38
All other	43	43	43
All	37	36	39

Note: Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

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Generations and age, by nativity and region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population

	Millennial (ages 20-35)	Gen X (ages 36-51)	Boomer (ages 52-70)	Silent/Greatest (ages 71 and older)	Adult population (ages 18 and older)	Total
All U.S. born	60,237,608	51,428,389	62,893,254	25,802,789	208,405,365	279,445,861
All foreign born	10,846,603	14,459,390	11,144,500	4,005,066	41,170,769	43,681,654
Mexico	3,177,979	4,596,499	2,494,010	583,976	11,040,535	11,568,060
South and East Asia	2,912,734	3,688,634	3,153,848	1,077,875	11,023,113	11,731,584
Europe/Canada	1,029,550	1,436,619	1,788,637	1,180,884	5,509,504	5,785,135
Caribbean	881,794	1,258,876	1,324,263	527,558	4,058,832	4,300,022
Central America	1,054,359	1,271,159	671,812	144,860	3,210,826	3,463,389
South America	699,225	970,444	819,614	245,059	2,782,923	2,927,145
Middle East	480,774	542,099	477,597	164,317	1,699,099	1,875,264
Sub-Saharan Africa	544,220	610,374	348,866	61,470	1,605,653	1,769,778
All other	65,968	84,686	65,853	19,067	240,284	261,277
Total	71,084,211	65,887,779	74,037,754	29,807,855	249,576,134	323,127,515

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	21.6 %	18.4 %	22.5 %	9.2 %	74.6 %	100.0 %
All foreign born	24.8	33.1	25.5	9.2	94.3	100.0
Mexico	27.5	39.7	21.6	5.0	95.4	100.0
South and East Asia	24.8	31.4	26.9	9.2	94.0	100.0
Europe/Canada	17.8	24.8	30.9	20.4	95.2	100.0
Caribbean	20.5	29.3	30.8	12.3	94.4	100.0
Central America	30.4	36.7	19.4	4.2	92.7	100.0
South America	23.9	33.2	28.0	8.4	95.1	100.0
Middle East	25.6	28.9	25.5	8.8	90.6	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	30.8	34.5	19.7	3.5	90.7	100.0
All other	25.2	32.4	25.2	7.3	92.0	100.0
All	22.0 %	20.4 %	22.9 %	9.2 %	77.2 %	100.0 %

Note: Millennials are defined as anyone born between 1981 and 1996, and anyone born from 1997 onward will be part of a new generation. Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

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Nativity, by sex and age: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population

Age (years)	FOREIGN BORN				U.S. BORN			
	Male	Percent of all foreign born	Female	Percent of all foreign born	Male	Percent of all U.S. born	Female	Percent of all U.S. born
Younger than 18	1,261,953	2.9 %	1,248,932	2.9 %	36,411,183	13.0 %	34,629,313	12.4 %
18 and older	19,908,243	45.6	21,262,526	48.7	101,479,481	36.3	106,925,884	38.3
Younger than 5	152,812	0.3	152,689	0.3	9,962,412	3.6	9,458,198	3.4
5 to 9	289,375	0.7	289,230	0.7	10,239,056	3.7	9,693,654	3.5
10 to 14	423,375	1.0	421,774	1.0	10,141,365	3.6	9,715,073	3.5
15 to 19	767,506	1.8	729,334	1.7	10,174,855	3.6	9,699,208	3.5
20 to 24	1,216,229	2.8	1,097,002	2.5	10,231,037	3.7	9,715,392	3.5
25 to 29	1,714,407	3.9	1,652,051	3.8	9,728,630	3.5	9,538,345	3.4
30 to 34	2,136,080	4.9	2,076,896	4.8	8,758,683	3.1	8,707,792	3.1
35 to 39	2,290,850	5.2	2,315,078	5.3	8,138,771	2.9	8,164,035	2.9
40 to 44	2,298,038	5.3	2,391,459	5.5	7,574,047	2.7	7,662,170	2.7
45 to 49	2,191,365	5.0	2,266,316	5.2	8,189,184	2.9	8,323,779	3.0
50 to 54	1,949,309	4.5	2,023,814	4.6	8,768,288	3.1	9,052,955	3.2
55 to 59	1,611,591	3.7	1,738,185	4.0	8,936,367	3.2	9,383,559	3.4
60 to 64	1,335,948	3.1	1,512,642	3.5	8,082,147	2.9	8,816,863	3.2
65 to 69	1,015,996	2.3	1,223,146	2.8	6,880,133	2.5	7,625,451	2.7
70 to 74	693,891	1.6	924,639	2.1	4,616,381	1.7	5,517,188	2.0
75 to 79	499,747	1.1	694,523	1.6	3,206,121	1.1	3,935,135	1.4
80 to 84	326,040	0.7	482,710	1.1	2,138,171	0.8	2,944,876	1.1
85 to 89	170,743	0.4	318,331	0.7	1,278,974	0.5	2,071,206	0.7
90 and older	86,894	0.2	201,639	0.5	646,042	0.2	1,530,318	0.5
Total	21,170,196	48.5 %	22,511,458	51.5 %	137,890,664	49.3 %	141,555,197	50.7 %

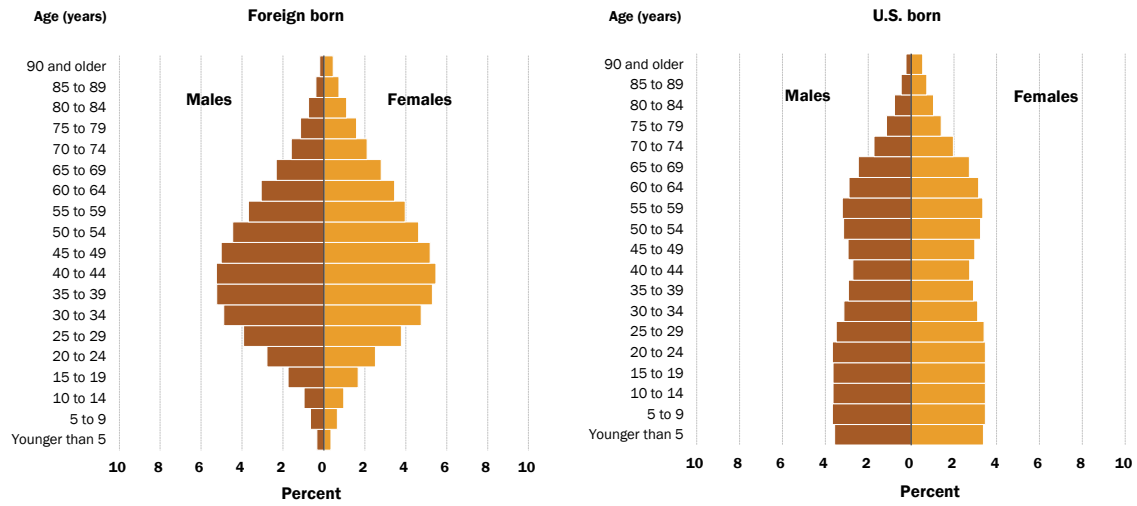
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Age and gender distributions for nativity groups: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population



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Marital status, by nativity and region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population ages 18 and older

	Now married	Separated	Divorced	Widowed	Never married	Total
All U.S. born	99,682,219	4,022,350	25,448,997	13,043,998	66,207,801	208,405,365
All foreign born	24,839,136	1,196,887	3,409,120	2,188,551	9,537,075	41,170,769
Mexico	6,688,171	446,697	754,506	421,521	2,729,640	11,023,638
South and East Asia	7,461,419	146,031	633,746	584,824	2,197,093	10,899,283
Europe/Canada	3,434,021	85,173	586,191	528,034	876,085	5,571,017
Caribbean	1,911,707	207,194	561,903	263,280	1,114,748	3,943,438
Central America	1,619,641	124,273	241,364	105,030	1,120,518	3,166,538
South America	1,572,623	96,504	341,937	123,433	648,426	2,747,244
Middle East	1,132,999	24,470	119,065	90,210	332,355	1,605,288
Sub-Saharan Africa	876,843	61,567	152,878	57,233	457,127	1,539,442
All other	141,707	4,978	17,530	14,986	61,083	217,328
Total	124,521,355	5,219,237	28,858,117	15,232,549	75,744,876	249,576,134

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	47.8 %	1.9 %	12.2 %	6.3 %	31.8 %	100.0 %
All foreign born	60.3	2.9	8.3	5.3	23.2	100.0
Mexico	60.6	4.0	6.8	3.8	24.7	100.0
South and East Asia	67.7	1.3	5.7	5.3	19.9	100.0
Europe/Canada	62.3	1.5	10.6	9.6	15.9	100.0
Caribbean	47.1	5.1	13.8	6.5	27.5	100.0
Central America	50.4	3.9	7.5	3.3	34.9	100.0
South America	56.5	3.5	12.3	4.4	23.3	100.0
Middle East	66.7	1.4	7.0	5.3	19.6	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	54.6	3.8	9.5	3.6	28.5	100.0
All other	59.0	2.1	7.3	6.2	25.4	100.0
All	49.9 %	2.1 %	11.6 %	6.1 %	30.3 %	100.0 %

Note: Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

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Fertility in the past year, by nativity and region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population defined for women ages 15 to 44

	Women giving birth in past year	% of women giving birth in past year	Share of total births among foreign-born women in past year
All U.S. born	3,170,333	5.9 %	---
All foreign born	759,601	7.4	100.0 %
Mexico	227,567	7.8	30.0
South and East Asia	200,263	6.9	26.4
Europe/Canada	66,897	6.5	8.8
Caribbean	61,906	7.1	8.1
Central America	69,371	7.9	9.1
South America	42,028	6.0	5.5
Middle East	35,465	8.9	4.7
Sub-Saharan Africa	51,719	10.5	6.8
All other	4,385	7.0	0.6
Total	3,929,934	6.2 %	---

Note: Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

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Fertility in the past year, by marital status, nativity and region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population defined for women ages 15 to 44 giving birth in the last 12 months

	WOMEN GIVING BIRTH IN PAST YEAR		Percent unmarried
	All	Unmarried	
All U.S. born	3,170,333	1,270,037	40.1 %
All foreign born	759,601	184,516	24.3
Mexico	227,567	78,771	34.6
South and East Asia	200,263	16,652	8.3
Europe/Canada	66,897	8,511	12.7
Caribbean	61,906	24,691	39.9
Central America	69,371	28,549	41.2
South America	42,028	9,850	23.4
Middle East	35,465	1,109	3.1
Sub-Saharan Africa	51,719	14,398	27.8
All other	4,385	1,985	45.3
Total	3,929,934	1,454,553	37.0 %

Note: Unmarried women includes those who were never married or are divorced, separated or widowed. Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

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Educational attainment, by nativity and region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population ages 25 and older

	Less than 9th grade	9th to 12th grade	High school graduate	Two-year degree/ Some college	Bachelor's degree	Advanced degree	Total
All U.S. born	4,719,441	11,751,137	50,757,653	56,170,210	35,797,029	21,220,141	180,415,611
All foreign born	7,020,504	3,990,184	8,555,881	7,125,809	6,550,391	4,899,559	38,142,328
Mexico	3,817,476	1,900,920	2,579,373	1,287,274	467,656	170,178	10,222,877
South and East Asia	940,692	617,398	1,555,078	1,768,296	2,959,783	2,355,543	10,196,790
Europe/Canada	325,222	281,324	1,133,365	1,222,368	1,128,689	1,114,727	5,205,695
Caribbean	487,355	412,047	1,170,988	945,330	502,052	269,488	3,787,260
Central America	985,355	432,382	766,963	474,945	191,543	77,208	2,928,396
South America	215,270	166,948	703,928	650,963	515,432	314,606	2,567,147
Middle East	127,153	85,479	307,265	317,120	409,639	319,689	1,566,345
Sub-Saharan Africa	107,164	75,824	283,952	400,989	331,510	248,038	1,447,477
All other	14,817	17,862	54,969	58,524	44,087	30,082	220,341
Total	11,739,945	15,741,321	59,313,534	63,296,019	42,347,420	26,119,700	218,557,939

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	2.6 %	6.5 %	28.1 %	31.1 %	19.8 %	11.8 %	100.0 %
All foreign born	18.4	10.5	22.4	18.7	17.2	12.8	100.0
Mexico	37.3	18.6	25.2	12.6	4.6	1.7	100.0
South and East Asia	9.2	6.1	15.3	17.3	29.0	23.1	100.0
Europe/Canada	6.2	5.4	21.8	23.5	21.7	21.4	100.0
Caribbean	12.9	10.9	30.9	25.0	13.3	7.1	100.0
Central America	33.6	14.8	26.2	16.2	6.5	2.6	100.0
South America	8.4	6.5	27.4	25.4	20.1	12.3	100.0
Middle East	8.1	5.5	19.6	20.2	26.2	20.4	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	7.4	5.2	19.6	27.7	22.9	17.1	100.0
All other	6.7	8.1	24.9	26.6	20.0	13.7	100.0
All	5.4 %	7.2 %	27.1 %	29.0 %	19.4 %	12.0 %	100.0 %

Note: "High school graduate" includes persons who have attained a high school diploma or its equivalent, such as a General Educational Development (GED) certificate. Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

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School enrollment and enrollment rate, by nativity: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population ages 3 through 4

U.S. born	3,802,042	48.2 %
In household with foreign-born head	747,477	45.5
In household with U.S.-born head	3,052,702	48.9
Foreign born	82,035	46.9
Total	3,884,077	48.2 %

Universe: 2016 resident population ages 5 through 17

U.S. born	50,042,329	96.9 %
In household with foreign-born head	9,792,911	97.5
In household with U.S.-born head	40,098,185	96.9
Foreign born	2,092,769	94.9
Total	52,135,098	96.9 %

Note: School enrollment consists of both private and public schools.

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High school dropouts and dropout rate, by nativity and region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population ages 16 through 19

All U.S. born	611,614	3.8 %
All foreign born	81,278	6.4
Mexico	29,374	8.6
South and East Asia	6,835	2.1
Europe/Canada	3,522	2.6
Caribbean	7,066	5.5
Central America	24,932	19.1
South America	2,096	2.6
Middle East	3,427	5.6
Sub-Saharan Africa	3,321	5.0
All other	***	***
Total	692,892	4.0 %

Note: The symbol *** indicates insufficient number of observations to provide a reliable estimate. Dropouts are people not enrolled in school and who have not attained a high school diploma or an equivalent credential, such as a General Educational Development (GED) certificate. Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

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College enrollment and enrollment rate, by nativity and region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population

AGES 18 TO 24			AGES 25 AND OLDER		
All U.S. born	11,856,849	42.4 %	All U.S. born	7,473,249	4.1 %
All foreign born	1,353,035	44.7	All foreign born	1,754,063	4.6
Mexico	198,584	24.3	Mexico	215,743	2.1
South and East Asia	559,566	67.7	South and East Asia	584,371	5.7
Europe/Canada	168,657	55.5	Europe/Canada	198,242	3.8
Caribbean	94,480	34.8	Caribbean	177,488	4.7
Central America	49,554	17.5	Central America	77,097	2.6
South America	105,630	49.0	South America	163,192	6.4
Middle East	83,435	62.8	Middle East	138,422	8.8
Sub-Saharan Africa	83,820	53.0	Sub-Saharan Africa	191,011	13.2
All other	9,309	46.7	All other	8,497	3.9
Total	13,209,884	42.6 %	Total	9,227,312	4.2 %

Note: "Enrolled in college" includes persons who are currently attending undergraduate, graduate or professional school. Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

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Employment status, by nativity and region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 civilian resident population ages 16 and older

	In labor force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment rate	Not in labor force
All U.S. born	134,408,706	126,479,705	7,929,001	5.9 %	37.6 %
All foreign born	27,523,976	26,143,723	1,380,253	5.0	33.9
Mexico	7,701,488	7,320,756	380,732	4.9	31.2
South and East Asia	7,125,603	6,829,154	296,449	4.2	36.0
Europe/Canada	3,218,496	3,088,971	129,525	4.0	42.1
Caribbean	2,673,187	2,491,790	181,397	6.8	35.0
Central America	2,403,633	2,278,579	125,054	5.2	26.5
South America	1,968,521	1,869,325	99,196	5.0	29.9
Middle East	1,028,571	953,668	74,903	7.3	40.4
Sub-Saharan Africa	1,238,641	1,155,771	82,870	6.7	23.8
All other	165,836	155,709	10,127	6.1	31.4
Total	161,932,682	152,623,428	9,309,254	5.7 %	37.0 %

Note: Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

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Occupation, by nativity: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population ages 16 and older who worked in the past five years

Occupation Group	U.S. born	Foreign born	Total population
Management and business	23,295,769	3,574,077	26,869,846
Science and engineering	7,679,621	2,167,928	9,847,549
Legal, community and social services	4,576,481	478,041	5,054,522
Education, arts and media	13,507,238	1,755,678	15,262,916
Health care	12,355,063	2,383,612	14,738,675
Food preparation and serving	9,633,447	2,308,099	11,941,546
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance	5,514,993	2,470,367	7,985,360
Other services	9,697,262	1,802,113	11,499,375
Sales	17,690,193	2,594,457	20,284,650
Office and administrative support	21,972,215	2,732,154	24,704,369
Farming, fishing and forestry	897,430	617,863	1,515,293
Construction and extraction	7,252,633	2,416,884	9,669,517
Installation, repair and production	13,464,827	3,150,348	16,615,175
Transportation and material moving	10,218,694	2,205,290	12,423,984
Military	569,961	33,403	603,364
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	1,532,973	330,069	1,863,042
Total	159,858,800	31,020,383	190,879,183

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

Management and business	14.6 %	11.5 %	14.1 %
Science and engineering	4.8	7.0	5.2
Legal, community and social services	2.9	1.5	2.6
Education, arts and media	8.4	5.7	8.0
Health care	7.7	7.7	7.7
Food preparation and serving	6.0	7.4	6.3
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance	3.4	8.0	4.2
Other services	6.1	5.8	6.0
Sales	11.1	8.4	10.6
Office and administrative support	13.7	8.8	12.9
Farming, fishing and forestry	0.6	2.0	0.8
Construction and extraction	4.5	7.8	5.1
Installation, repair and production	8.4	10.2	8.7
Transportation and material moving	6.4	7.1	6.5
Military	0.4	0.1	0.3
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	1.0	1.1	1.0
Total	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %

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Occupation, by region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 foreign-born resident population ages 16 and older who worked in the past five years

Occupation Group	Mexico	South and East Asia	Europe/Canada	Caribbean	Central America	South America	Middle East	Sub-Saharan Africa	All other
Management and business	445,370	1,308,987	743,210	259,882	140,838	290,486	197,598	153,301	34,405
Science and engineering	90,468	1,303,954	369,257	70,735	29,071	108,576	106,943	76,159	12,765
Legal, community and social services	59,750	124,956	94,525	61,345	24,313	46,685	24,404	37,051	5,012
Education, arts and media	213,398	570,459	410,442	137,015	62,401	156,442	111,642	77,087	16,792
Health care	201,968	865,025	322,539	410,836	80,866	143,498	101,542	247,009	10,329
Food preparation and serving	894,746	526,590	163,575	181,437	269,360	139,830	58,273	61,253	13,035
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance	1,166,451	191,718	132,002	241,774	456,665	207,714	19,315	46,797	7,931
Other services	324,756	578,632	198,985	247,390	118,012	134,361	62,804	125,598	11,575
Sales	522,834	777,500	363,767	248,955	152,504	213,489	186,616	108,908	19,884
Office and administrative support	557,714	767,080	383,762	343,185	178,176	251,877	97,930	133,309	19,121
Farming, fishing and forestry	524,713	21,201	9,077	7,978	45,421	5,299	1,110	2,202	***
Construction and extraction	1,340,091	96,441	173,943	146,121	452,176	156,411	25,398	18,319	7,984
Installation, repair and production	1,264,622	658,811	259,556	256,960	331,630	187,925	73,998	100,489	16,357
Transportation and material moving	774,801	314,233	175,869	299,770	239,211	150,219	87,372	151,191	12,624
Military	3,195	10,817	4,883	4,802	2,080	2,923	***	3,558	***
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	77,334	72,137	21,389	56,929	36,885	19,628	22,674	20,454	2,639
Total	8,462,211	8,188,541	3,826,781	2,975,114	2,619,609	2,215,363	1,178,422	1,362,685	191,657
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION									
Management and business	5.3 %	16.0 %	19.4 %	8.7 %	5.4 %	13.1 %	16.8 %	11.2 %	18.0 %
Science and engineering	1.1	15.9	9.6	2.4	1.1	4.9	9.1	5.6	6.7
Legal, community and social services	0.7	1.5	2.5	2.1	0.9	2.1	2.1	2.7	2.6
Education, arts and media	2.5	7.0	10.7	4.6	2.4	7.1	9.5	5.7	8.8
Health care	2.4	10.6	8.4	13.8	3.1	6.5	8.6	18.1	5.4
Food preparation and serving	10.6	6.4	4.3	6.1	10.3	6.3	4.9	4.5	6.8
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance	13.8	2.3	3.4	8.1	17.4	9.4	1.6	3.4	4.1
Other services	3.8	7.1	5.2	8.3	4.5	6.1	5.3	9.2	6.0
Sales	6.2	9.5	9.5	8.4	5.8	9.6	15.8	8.0	10.4
Office and administrative support	6.6	9.4	10.0	11.5	6.8	11.4	8.3	9.8	10.0
Farming, fishing and forestry	6.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	1.7	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.4
Construction and extraction	15.8	1.2	4.5	4.9	17.3	7.1	2.2	1.3	4.2
Installation, repair and production	14.9	8.0	6.8	8.6	12.7	8.5	6.3	7.4	8.5
Transportation and material moving	9.2	3.8	4.6	10.1	9.1	6.8	7.4	11.1	6.6
Military	<0.05	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	0.9	0.9	0.6	1.9	1.4	0.9	1.9	1.5	1.4
Total	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %

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Detailed occupation, by nativity: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population ages 16 and older who worked in the past five years

Occupation Group	U.S. born	Foreign born	Total population
Management	15,779,196	2,428,363	18,207,559
Business operations	4,190,901	558,058	4,748,959
Financial	3,325,672	587,656	3,913,328
Computer and mathematical	3,816,942	1,236,243	5,053,185
Architecture and engineering	2,619,899	600,522	3,220,421
Life, physical and social sciences	1,242,780	331,163	1,573,943
Community and social services	2,796,005	316,379	3,112,384
Legal	1,780,476	161,662	1,942,138
Education, training and library	10,071,134	1,243,474	11,314,608
Arts, design, entertainment, sports and media	3,436,104	512,204	3,948,308
Health care practitioners and technical	8,824,795	1,556,138	10,380,933
Health care support	3,530,268	827,474	4,357,742
Protective service	3,638,371	303,403	3,941,774
Food preparation and serving	9,633,447	2,308,099	11,941,546
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance	5,514,993	2,470,367	7,985,360
Personal care and service	6,058,891	1,498,710	7,557,601
Sales	17,690,193	2,594,457	20,284,650
Office and administrative support	21,972,215	2,732,154	24,704,369
Farming, fishing and forestry	897,430	617,863	1,515,293
Construction trades	7,042,870	2,393,670	9,436,540
Extraction workers	209,763	23,214	232,977
Installation, maintenance and repair workers	4,880,973	804,388	5,685,361
Production	8,583,854	2,345,960	10,929,814
Transportation and material moving	10,218,694	2,205,290	12,423,984
Military	569,961	33,403	603,364
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	1,532,973	330,069	1,863,042
Total	159,858,800	31,020,383	190,879,183

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

Management	9.9 %	7.8 %	9.5 %
Business operations	2.6	1.8	2.5
Financial	2.1	1.9	2.1
Computer and mathematical	2.4	4.0	2.6
Architecture and engineering	1.6	1.9	1.7
Life, physical and social sciences	0.8	1.1	0.8
Community and social services	1.7	1.0	1.6
Legal	1.1	0.5	1.0
Education, training and library	6.3	4.0	5.9
Arts, design, entertainment, sports and media	2.1	1.7	2.1
Health care practitioners and technical	5.5	5.0	5.4
Health care support	2.2	2.7	2.3
Protective service	2.3	1.0	2.1
Food preparation and serving	6.0	7.4	6.3
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance	3.4	8.0	4.2
Personal care and service	3.8	4.8	4.0
Sales	11.1	8.4	10.6
Office and administrative support	13.7	8.8	12.9
Farming, fishing and forestry	0.6	2.0	0.8
Construction trades	4.4	7.7	4.9
Extraction workers	0.1	0.1	0.1
Installation, maintenance and repair workers	3.1	2.6	3.0
Production	5.4	7.6	5.7
Transportation and material moving	6.4	7.1	6.5
Military	0.4	0.1	0.3
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	1.0	1.1	1.0
Total	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %

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Detailed occupation, by region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 foreign-born resident population ages 16 and older who worked in the past five years

Occupation Group	Mexico	South and East Asia	Europe/Canada	Caribbean	Central America	South America	Middle East	Sub-Saharan Africa	All other
Management	346,514	820,958	527,049	172,722	100,951	200,247	143,235	95,273	21,414
Business operations	55,624	213,491	113,528	45,009	25,117	44,738	27,481	25,956	7,114
Financial	43,232	274,538	102,633	42,151	14,770	45,501	26,882	32,072	5,877
Computer and mathematical	38,981	824,279	178,114	36,938	14,164	52,680	44,319	41,035	5,733
Architecture and engineering	37,354	309,555	111,614	24,683	10,255	38,415	42,782	21,898	3,966
Life, physical and social sciences	14,133	170,120	79,529	9,114	4,652	17,481	19,842	13,226	3,066
Community and social services	47,105	80,576	46,425	46,156	18,727	31,779	12,425	30,139	3,047
Legal	12,645	44,380	48,100	15,189	5,585	14,906	11,979	6,912	1,965
Education, training and library	151,818	418,822	268,674	105,320	40,257	103,894	84,074	59,800	10,815
Arts, design, entertainment, sports and media	61,580	151,637	141,768	31,695	22,144	52,548	27,568	17,287	5,977
Health care practitioners and technical	87,494	693,161	242,387	172,171	36,125	84,089	83,201	150,004	7,506
Health care support	114,474	171,864	80,152	238,665	44,741	59,409	18,341	97,005	2,823
Protective service	47,107	54,591	37,086	70,036	21,212	24,088	14,292	33,332	1,659
Food preparation and serving	894,746	526,590	163,575	181,437	269,360	139,830	58,273	61,253	13,035
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance	1,166,451	191,718	132,002	241,774	456,665	207,714	19,315	46,797	7,931
Personal care and service	277,649	524,041	161,899	177,354	96,800	110,273	48,512	92,266	9,916
Sales	522,834	777,500	363,767	248,955	152,504	213,489	186,616	108,908	19,884
Office and administrative support	557,714	767,080	383,762	343,185	178,176	251,877	97,930	133,309	19,121
Farming, fishing and forestry	524,713	21,201	9,077	7,978	45,421	5,299	1,110	2,202	862
Construction trades	1,321,570	95,726	172,763	145,861	450,718	156,096	25,333	18,142	7,461
Extraction workers	18,521	***	1,180	***	1,458	***	***	***	***
Installation, maintenance and repair workers	291,541	113,481	92,221	95,417	93,326	67,637	26,756	21,203	2,806
Production	973,081	545,330	167,335	161,543	238,304	120,288	47,242	79,286	13,551
Transportation and material moving	774,801	314,233	175,869	299,770	239,211	150,219	87,372	151,191	12,624
Military	3,195	10,817	4,883	4,802	2,080	2,923	***	3,558	***
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	77,334	72,137	21,389	56,929	36,885	19,628	22,674	20,454	2,639
Total	8,462,211	8,188,541	3,826,781	2,975,114	2,619,609	2,215,363	1,178,422	1,362,685	191,657
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION									
Management	4.1 %	10.0 %	13.8 %	5.8 %	3.9 %	9.0 %	12.2 %	7.0 %	11.2 %
Business operations	0.7	2.6	3.0	1.5	1.0	2.0	2.3	1.9	3.7
Financial	0.5	3.4	2.7	1.4	0.6	2.1	2.3	2.4	3.1
Computer and mathematical	0.5	10.1	4.7	1.2	0.5	2.4	3.8	3.0	3.0
Architecture and engineering	0.4	3.8	2.9	0.8	0.4	1.7	3.6	1.6	2.1
Life, physical and social sciences	0.2	2.1	2.1	0.3	0.2	0.8	1.7	1.0	1.6
Community and social services	0.6	1.0	1.2	1.6	0.7	1.4	1.1	2.2	1.6
Legal	0.1	0.5	1.3	0.5	0.2	0.7	1.0	0.5	1.0
Education, training and library	1.8	5.1	7.0	3.5	1.5	4.7	7.1	4.4	5.6
Arts, design, entertainment, sports and media	0.7	1.9	3.7	1.1	0.8	2.4	2.3	1.3	3.1
Health care practitioners and technical	1.0	8.5	6.3	5.8	1.4	3.8	7.1	11.0	3.9
Health care support	1.4	2.1	2.1	8.0	1.7	2.7	1.6	7.1	1.5
Protective service	0.6	0.7	1.0	2.4	0.8	1.1	1.2	2.4	0.9
Food preparation and serving	10.6	6.4	4.3	6.1	10.3	6.3	4.9	4.5	6.8
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance	13.8	2.3	3.4	8.1	17.4	9.4	1.6	3.4	4.1
Personal care and service	3.3	6.4	4.2	6.0	3.7	5.0	4.1	6.8	5.2
Sales	6.2	9.5	9.5	8.4	5.8	9.6	15.8	8.0	10.4
Office and administrative support	6.6	9.4	10.0	11.5	6.8	11.4	8.3	9.8	10.0
Farming, fishing and forestry	6.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	1.7	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.4
Construction trades	15.6	1.2	4.5	4.9	17.2	7.0	2.1	1.3	3.9
Extraction workers	0.2	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.1	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.3
Installation, maintenance and repair workers	3.4	1.4	2.4	3.2	3.6	3.1	2.3	1.6	1.5
Production	11.5	6.7	4.4	5.4	9.1	5.4	4.0	5.8	7.1
Transportation and material moving	9.2	3.8	4.6	10.1	9.1	6.8	7.4	11.1	6.6
Military	<0.05	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	0.9	0.9	0.6	1.9	1.4	0.9	1.9	1.5	1.4
Total	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %

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Industry, by nativity: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population ages 16 and older who worked in the past five years

Industry	U.S. born	Foreign born	Total population
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and mining	2,742,852	823,944	3,566,796
Utilities	1,340,487	124,720	1,465,207
Construction	9,321,561	2,723,491	12,045,052
Manufacturing - durable and nondurable goods	15,140,857	3,385,949	18,526,806
Wholesale and retail trade, transportation, warehousing	29,889,790	5,228,541	35,118,331
Information and communications	3,297,985	491,868	3,789,853
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	10,100,880	1,613,165	11,714,045
Business services	17,242,167	4,043,454	21,285,621
Educational, health and social services	36,548,405	5,858,250	42,406,655
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodations, food services	16,448,052	3,621,847	20,069,899
Other services (except public administration)	7,376,269	1,993,324	9,369,593
Public administration	7,778,133	709,602	8,487,735
Active-duty military	1,098,389	72,159	1,170,548
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	1,532,973	330,069	1,863,042
Total	159,858,800	31,020,383	190,879,183

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

Agriculture, forestry, fishing and mining	1.7 %	2.7 %	1.9 %
Utilities	0.8	0.4	0.8
Construction	5.8	8.8	6.3
Manufacturing - durable and nondurable goods	9.5	10.9	9.7
Wholesale and retail trade, transportation, warehousing	18.7	16.9	18.4
Information and communications	2.1	1.6	2.0
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	6.3	5.2	6.1
Business services	10.8	13.0	11.2
Educational, health and social services	22.9	18.9	22.2
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodations, food services	10.3	11.7	10.5
Other services (except public administration)	4.6	6.4	4.9
Public administration	4.9	2.3	4.4
Active-duty military	0.7	0.2	0.6
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	1.0	1.1	1.0
Total	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %

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Industry, by region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population ages 16 and older who worked in the past five years

Industry	Mexico	South and East Asia	Europe/ Canada	Caribbean	Central America	South America	Middle East	Saharan Africa	All other
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and mining	643,164	48,573	35,875	11,144	53,799	17,551	5,072	6,941	1,825
Utilities	28,175	34,585	19,789	14,736	7,135	10,369	5,482	3,760	***
Construction	1,410,515	149,332	242,706	170,854	482,363	190,407	44,167	23,955	9,192
Manufacturing - durable and nondurable goods	1,117,760	1,003,544	377,506	193,558	268,957	198,137	93,503	111,513	21,471
Wholesale and retail trade, transportation, warehousing	1,228,841	1,336,843	625,597	611,995	398,122	396,856	304,530	290,956	34,801
Information and communications	53,888	185,665	106,541	44,160	22,396	35,781	22,919	15,760	4,758
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	209,056	566,236	278,327	166,177	82,522	149,627	77,634	69,843	13,743
Business services	986,463	1,234,537	576,214	295,376	359,024	291,220	137,537	136,692	26,391
Educational, health and social services	810,442	1,865,032	894,555	818,567	280,680	432,445	259,290	460,409	36,830
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodations, food services	1,236,397	885,365	334,393	313,527	373,183	236,787	111,822	105,415	24,958
Other services (except public administration)	548,337	555,154	196,856	173,041	212,860	177,132	58,891	62,582	8,471
Public administration	103,168	227,186	109,086	93,970	36,524	53,747	33,676	47,452	4,793
Active-duty military	8,671	24,352	7,947	11,080	5,159	5,676	1,225	6,953	1,096
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	77,334	72,137	21,389	56,929	36,885	19,628	22,674	20,454	2,639
Total	8,462,211	8,188,541	3,826,781	2,975,114	2,619,609	2,215,363	1,178,422	1,362,685	191,657

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

Agriculture, forestry, fishing and mining	7.6 %	0.6 %	0.9 %	0.4 %	2.1 %	0.8 %	0.4 %	0.5 %	1.0 %
Utilities	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.4
Construction	16.7	1.8	6.3	5.7	18.4	8.6	3.7	1.8	4.8
Manufacturing - durable and nondurable goods	13.2	12.3	9.9	6.5	10.3	8.9	7.9	8.2	11.2
Wholesale and retail trade, transportation, warehousing	14.5	16.3	16.3	20.6	15.2	17.9	25.8	21.4	18.2
Information and communications	0.6	2.3	2.8	1.5	0.9	1.6	1.9	1.2	2.5
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	2.5	6.9	7.3	5.6	3.2	6.8	6.6	5.1	7.2
Business services	11.7	15.1	15.1	9.9	13.7	13.1	11.7	10.0	13.8
Educational, health and social services	9.6	22.8	23.4	27.5	10.7	19.5	22.0	33.8	19.2
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodations, food services	14.6	10.8	8.7	10.5	14.2	10.7	9.5	7.7	13.0
Other services (except public administration)	6.5	6.8	5.1	5.8	8.1	8.0	5.0	4.6	4.4
Public administration	1.2	2.8	2.9	3.2	1.4	2.4	2.9	3.5	2.5
Active-duty military	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.5	0.6
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	0.9	0.9	0.6	1.9	1.4	0.9	1.9	1.5	1.4
Total	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %

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Detailed industry, by nativity: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population ages 16 and older who worked in the past five years

Industry	U.S. born	Foreign born	Total population
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	1,906,202	730,667	2,636,869
Mining	836,650	93,277	929,927
Utilities	1,340,487	124,720	1,465,207
Construction	9,321,561	2,723,491	12,045,052
Manufacturing - nondurable goods	5,808,019	1,494,073	7,302,092
Manufacturing - durable goods	9,332,838	1,891,876	11,224,714
Wholesale trade	3,918,511	812,526	4,731,037
Retail trade	19,347,251	2,943,027	22,290,278
Transportation and warehousing	6,624,028	1,472,988	8,097,016
Information and communications	3,297,985	491,868	3,789,853
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	10,100,880	1,613,165	11,714,045
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, waste management services	17,242,167	4,043,454	21,285,621
Educational, health and social services	36,548,405	5,858,250	42,406,655
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodations, and food services	16,448,052	3,621,847	20,069,899
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Total	159,858,800	31,020,383	190,879,183

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	1.2 %	2.4 %	1.4 %
Mining	0.5	0.3	0.5
Utilities	0.8	0.4	0.8
Construction	5.8	8.8	6.3
Manufacturing - nondurable goods	3.6	4.8	3.8
Manufacturing - durable goods	5.8	6.1	5.9
Wholesale trade	2.5	2.6	2.5
Retail trade	12.1	9.5	11.7
Transportation and warehousing	4.1	4.7	4.2
Information and communications	2.1	1.6	2.0
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	6.3	5.2	6.1
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, waste management services	10.8	13.0	11.2
Educational, health and social services	22.9	18.9	22.2
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodations, and food services	10.3	11.7	10.5
Other services (except public administration)	4.6	6.4	4.9
Public administration	4.9	2.3	4.4
Active-duty military	0.7	0.2	0.6
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	1.0	1.1	1.0
Total	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %

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Detailed industry, by region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population ages 16 and older who worked in the past five years

Industry	Mexico	South and East Asia	Europe/Canada	Caribbean	Central America	South America	Middle East	Sub-Saharan Africa	All other
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	599,345	30,883	23,433	9,971	50,314	9,093	2,530	4,331	***
Mining	43,819	17,690	12,442	1,173	3,485	8,458	2,542	2,610	1,058
Utilities	28,175	34,585	19,789	14,736	7,135	10,369	5,482	3,760	***
Construction	1,410,515	149,332	242,706	170,854	482,363	190,407	44,167	23,955	9,192
Manufacturing - nondurable goods	585,632	344,146	123,194	94,703	148,601	92,251	37,177	57,333	11,036
Manufacturing - durable goods	532,128	659,398	254,312	98,855	120,356	105,886	56,326	54,180	10,435
Wholesale trade	248,218	203,312	92,215	72,380	71,174	62,931	35,570	19,195	7,531
Retail trade	673,748	819,316	359,900	306,482	208,594	208,908	197,778	150,958	17,343
Transportation and warehousing	306,875	314,215	173,482	233,133	118,354	125,017	71,182	120,803	9,927
Information and communications	53,888	185,665	106,541	44,160	22,396	35,781	22,919	15,760	4,758
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	209,056	566,236	278,327	166,177	82,522	149,627	77,634	69,843	13,743
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, waste management services	986,463	1,234,537	576,214	295,376	359,024	291,220	137,537	136,692	26,391
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Total	8,462,211	8,188,541	3,826,781	2,975,114	2,619,609	2,215,363	1,178,422	1,362,685	191,657

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	7.1 %	0.4 %	0.6 %	0.3 %	1.9 %	0.4 %	0.2 %	0.3 %	0.4 %
Mining	0.5	0.2	0.3	<0.05	0.1	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.6
Utilities	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.4
Construction	16.7	1.8	6.3	5.7	18.4	8.6	3.7	1.8	4.8
Manufacturing - nondurable goods	6.9	4.2	3.2	3.2	5.7	4.2	3.2	4.2	5.8
Manufacturing - durable goods	6.3	8.1	6.6	3.3	4.6	4.8	4.8	4.0	5.4
Wholesale trade	2.9	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.7	2.8	3.0	1.4	3.9
Retail trade	8.0	10.0	9.4	10.3	8.0	9.4	16.8	11.1	9.0
Transportation and warehousing	3.6	3.8	4.5	7.8	4.5	5.6	6.0	8.9	5.2
Information and communications	0.6	2.3	2.8	1.5	0.9	1.6	1.9	1.2	2.5
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	2.5	6.9	7.3	5.6	3.2	6.8	6.6	5.1	7.2
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, waste management services	11.7	15.1	15.1	9.9	13.7	13.1	11.7	10.0	13.8
Educational, health and social services	9.6	22.8	23.4	27.5	10.7	19.5	22.0	33.8	19.2
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodations, and food services	14.6	10.8	8.7	10.5	14.2	10.7	9.5	7.7	13.0
Other services (except public administration)	6.5	6.8	5.1	5.8	8.1	8.0	5.0	4.6	4.4
Public administration	1.2	2.8	2.9	3.2	1.4	2.4	2.9	3.5	2.5
Active-duty military	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.5	0.6
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	0.9	0.9	0.6	1.9	1.4	0.9	1.9	1.5	1.4
Total	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %

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Persons, by personal earnings, nativity and region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population ages 16 and older with positive earnings

	Less than \$20,000	\$20,000 to \$49,999	\$50,000 or more	Total
All U.S. born	44,582,204	49,689,833	46,745,482	141,017,519
All foreign born	8,918,572	11,029,832	8,101,622	28,050,026
Mexico	3,009,376	3,781,337	1,034,083	7,824,796
South and East Asia	1,898,376	2,271,454	3,141,887	7,311,717
Europe/Canada	791,075	1,015,630	1,554,045	3,360,750
Caribbean	928,016	1,123,639	616,240	2,667,895
Central America	932,254	1,157,027	333,045	2,422,326
South America	627,051	814,543	568,970	2,010,564
Middle East	303,277	317,623	413,943	1,034,843
Sub-Saharan Africa	388,326	484,014	374,270	1,246,610
All other	40,821	64,565	65,139	170,525
Total	53,500,776	60,719,665	54,847,104	169,067,545

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	31.6 %	35.2 %	33.1 %	100.0 %
All foreign born	31.8	39.3	28.9	100.0
Mexico	38.5	48.3	13.2	100.0
South and East Asia	26.0	31.1	43.0	100.0
Europe/Canada	23.5	30.2	46.2	100.0
Caribbean	34.8	42.1	23.1	100.0
Central America	38.5	47.8	13.7	100.0
South America	31.2	40.5	28.3	100.0
Middle East	29.3	30.7	40.0	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	31.2	38.8	30.0	100.0
All other	23.9	37.9	38.2	100.0
All	31.6 %	35.9 %	32.4 %	100.0 %

Note: Due to the way in which the IPUMS adjusts annual incomes, these data will differ from those that might be provided by the U.S. Census Bureau. Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

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Median personal earnings, by nativity and region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population ages 16 and older with positive earnings

All U.S. born	\$ 32,000
All foreign born	30,000
Mexico	23,900
South and East Asia	40,000
Europe/Canada	45,000
Caribbean	27,000
Central America	23,400
South America	30,000
Middle East	36,000
Sub-Saharan Africa	30,000
All other	37,500
All	\$ 32,000

Note: Due to the way in which the IPUMS adjusts annual incomes, these data will differ from those that might be provided by the U.S. Census Bureau. Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

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Full-time, year-round workers, by personal earnings, nativity and region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population defined for persons ages 16 and older who worked at least 35 hours per week and at least 48 weeks in the past year

	Less than \$20,000	\$20,000 to \$49,999	\$50,000 or more	Total
All U.S. born	8,838,942	39,542,856	42,686,640	91,068,438
All foreign born	2,973,890	9,017,474	7,370,956	19,362,320
Mexico	1,239,126	3,266,965	949,932	5,456,023
South and East Asia	492,523	1,758,418	2,857,550	5,108,491
Europe/Canada	148,766	735,086	1,401,020	2,284,872
Caribbean	348,872	942,511	573,375	1,864,758
Central America	370,739	1,000,498	306,978	1,678,215
South America	181,484	652,967	514,523	1,348,974
Middle East	66,477	232,684	370,402	669,563
Sub-Saharan Africa	113,700	377,464	340,810	831,974
All other	12,203	50,881	56,366	119,450
Total	11,812,832	48,560,330	50,057,596	110,430,758

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	9.7 %	43.4 %	46.9 %	100.0 %
All foreign born	15.4	46.6	38.1	100.0
Mexico	22.7	59.9	17.4	100.0
South and East Asia	9.6	34.4	55.9	100.0
Europe/Canada	6.5	32.2	61.3	100.0
Caribbean	18.7	50.5	30.7	100.0
Central America	22.1	59.6	18.3	100.0
South America	13.5	48.4	38.1	100.0
Middle East	9.9	34.8	55.3	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	13.7	45.4	41.0	100.0
All other	10.2	42.6	47.2	100.0
All	10.7 %	44.0 %	45.3 %	100.0 %

Note: Due to the way in which the IPUMS adjusts annual incomes, these data will differ from those that might be provided by the U.S. Census Bureau. Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

Source: Pew Research Center tabulations of 2016 American Community Survey (1% IPUMS).
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Median personal earnings for full-time, year-round workers, by nativity and region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population defined for persons ages 16 and older who worked at least 35 hours per week and at least 48 weeks in the past year

All U.S. born	\$ 45,600
All foreign born	38,000
Mexico	28,000
South and East Asia	55,000
Europe/Canada	60,000
Caribbean	35,000
Central America	28,200
South America	40,000
Middle East	55,000
Sub-Saharan Africa	40,000
All other	45,000
All	\$ 45,000

Note: Due to the way in which the IPUMS adjusts annual incomes, these data will differ from those that might be provided by the U.S. Census Bureau. Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

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Households, by Income, Nativity and Region of Birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 households

	1st quintile (Up to \$23,600)	2nd quintile (\$23,601-\$45,000)	3rd quintile (\$45,001-\$72,000)	4th quintile (\$72,001-\$116,000)	5th quintile (\$116,001+)	Total
All U.S. born	19,994,431	20,395,410	20,077,166	20,315,620	20,268,867	101,051,494
All foreign born	3,819,514	3,930,427	3,391,167	3,193,203	3,474,248	17,808,559
Mexico	1,109,658	1,375,386	1,032,111	723,818	336,969	4,577,942
South and East Asia	755,778	665,669	712,394	933,885	1,455,107	4,522,833
Europe/Canada	539,253	492,035	467,272	515,693	755,390	2,769,643
Caribbean	496,191	438,427	365,203	298,597	221,167	1,819,585
Central America	306,802	366,888	276,875	208,238	123,598	1,282,401
South America	230,391	252,383	243,178	232,236	224,496	1,182,684
Middle East	212,373	147,807	125,605	120,905	192,515	799,205
Sub-Saharan Africa	157,004	178,858	152,975	138,207	133,721	760,765
All other	12,064	12,974	15,554	21,624	31,285	93,501
Total	23,813,945	24,325,837	23,468,333	23,508,823	23,743,115	118,860,053

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	19.8 %	20.2 %	19.9 %	20.1 %	20.1 %	100.0 %
All foreign born	21.4	22.1	19.0	17.9	19.5	100.0
Mexico	24.2	30.0	22.5	15.8	7.4	100.0
South and East Asia	16.7	14.7	15.8	20.6	32.2	100.0
Europe/Canada	19.5	17.8	16.9	18.6	27.3	100.0
Caribbean	27.3	24.1	20.1	16.4	12.2	100.0
Central America	23.9	28.6	21.6	16.2	9.6	100.0
South America	19.5	21.3	20.6	19.6	19.0	100.0
Middle East	26.6	18.5	15.7	15.1	24.1	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	20.6	23.5	20.1	18.2	17.6	100.0
All other	12.9	13.9	16.6	23.1	33.5	100.0
All	20.0 %	20.5 %	19.7 %	19.8 %	20.0 %	100.0 %

Note: Quintiles are based upon 2016 total household income distribution. Due to the way in which the IPUMS adjusts annual incomes, these data will differ from those that might be provided by the U.S. Census Bureau. Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan. The household population excludes persons living in institutions, college dormitories and other group quarters. Households are classified by the nativity and region of birth of the household head.

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Median household income, by nativity and region of birth: 2016

All U.S. born	\$ 58,000
All foreign born	53,200
Mexico	41,500
South and East Asia	78,000
Europe/Canada	65,000
Caribbean	44,000
Central America	43,000
South America	56,000
Middle East	53,000
Sub-Saharan Africa	52,000
All other	81,950
All	\$ 57,000

Note: Due to the way in which the IPUMS adjusts annual incomes, these data will differ from those that might be provided by the U.S. Census Bureau. Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan. The household population excludes persons living in institutions, college dormitories and other group quarters. Households are classified by the nativity and region of birth of the household head.

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Poverty, by age, nativity and region of birth: 2016

Based on 2016 poverty universe*

	PERSONS IN POVERTY			
	Younger than 18	18 to 64	65 and older	Total
All U.S. born	13,925,741	25,277,318	3,811,364	43,014,423
All foreign born	715,760	6,703,613	1,096,903	8,516,276
Mexico	197,773	2,393,707	223,441	2,814,921
South and East Asia	129,494	1,393,846	269,916	1,793,256
Europe/Canada	43,637	463,235	213,736	720,608
Caribbean	77,062	628,276	186,586	891,924
Central America	90,467	772,929	55,096	918,492
South America	33,896	376,172	69,627	479,695
Middle East	88,492	341,334	52,406	482,232
Sub-Saharan Africa	51,283	296,104	22,069	369,456
All other	3,656	38,010	4,026	45,692
Total	14,641,501	31,980,931	4,908,267	51,530,699

	POVERTY RATE (%)			
	Younger than 18	18 to 64	65 and older	Total
All U.S. born	19.8 %	15.7 %	9.2 %	15.8 %
All foreign born	28.8	19.7	16.8	19.7
Mexico	37.7	24.2	21.4	24.6
South and East Asia	18.4	15.5	14.6	15.5
Europe/Canada	16.0	12.5	12.5	12.6
Caribbean	32.1	19.8	22.5	21.0
Central America	36.6	26.5	21.4	26.8
South America	23.7	16.1	16.7	16.5
Middle East	50.6	24.2	19.4	26.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	31.9	20.4	17.3	21.3
All other	17.5	19.1	11.6	18.0
All	20.1 %	16.4 %	10.2 %	16.3 %

Note: *Poverty status is determined for individuals in housing units and noninstitutional group quarters. The poverty universe excludes children under age 15 who are not related to the householder, people living in institutional group quarters and people living in college dormitories or military barracks. Due to the way in which the IPUMS assigns poverty values, these data will differ from those that might be provided by the U.S. Census Bureau. Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

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Persons without health insurance, by age, nativity and citizenship: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population

PERSONS WITHOUT HEALTH INSURANCE				
	Younger than 18	18 to 64	65 and older	Total
All U.S. born	2,827,673	16,803,679	132,086	19,763,438
All foreign born	438,559	8,200,546	258,670	8,897,775
Citizen	35,681	1,568,165	35,698	1,639,544
Non-citizen	402,878	6,632,381	222,972	7,258,231
Total	3,266,232	25,004,225	390,756	28,661,213

UNINSURED RATE (%)				
	Younger than 18	18 to 64	65 and older	Total
All U.S. born	4.0 %	10.1 %	0.3 %	7.1 %
All foreign born	17.5	23.7	3.9	20.4
Citizen	5.4	10.0	0.7	7.7
Non-citizen	21.8	35.2	13.1	32.4
All	4.4 %	12.5 %	0.8 %	8.9 %

Note: These data reflect insurance coverage prior to the implementation of the employer insurance mandate of the Affordable Care Act.

Source: Pew Research Center tabulations of 2016 American Community Survey (1% IPUMS).

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Type of health insurance, by nativity and citizenship: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population

	Private	Public	Both private and public	No coverage
All U.S. born	157,790,327	66,678,945	35,213,151	19,763,438
All foreign born	21,599,148	10,206,328	2,978,403	8,897,775
Citizen	11,794,714	5,473,684	2,358,400	1,639,544
Non-citizen	9,804,434	4,732,644	620,003	7,258,231
Total	179,389,475	76,885,273	38,191,554	28,661,213

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	56.5 %	23.9 %	12.6 %	7.1 %
All foreign born	49.4	23.4	6.8	20.4
Citizen	55.5	25.7	11.1	7.7
Non-citizen	43.7	21.1	2.8	32.4
All	55.5 %	23.8 %	11.8 %	8.9 %

Note: These data reflect insurance coverage prior to the implementation of the employer insurance mandate of the Affordable Care Act. Private health insurance includes employer-provided insurance, union-provided insurance, plans purchased by individuals from private insurance companies and TRICARE or other military health care. Public health insurance includes the federal insurance programs Medicare, Medicaid and Department of Veterans Affairs insurance. For more details, see https://usa.ipums.org/usa-action/variables/HCOVPUB#description_section.

Source: Pew Research Center tabulations of 2016 American Community Survey (1% IPUMS).
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Housing tenure, by nativity and region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 households

	Owner-occupied	Renter-occupied	Percent owner-occupied
All U.S. born	65,999,019	35,052,475	65.3 %
All foreign born	9,103,507	8,705,052	51.1
Mexico	2,120,711	2,457,231	46.3
South and East Asia	2,618,501	1,904,332	57.9
Europe/Canada	1,835,940	933,703	66.3
Caribbean	794,400	1,025,185	43.7
Central America	453,731	828,670	35.4
South America	570,251	612,433	48.2
Middle East	389,208	409,997	48.7
Sub-Saharan Africa	272,146	488,619	35.8
All other	48,619	44,882	52.0
Total	75,102,526	43,757,527	63.2 %

Note: The household population excludes persons living in institutions, college dormitories and other group quarters. Households are classified by the nativity and region of birth of the household head. Owner-occupied includes housing units that may have not yet been fully purchased and may be under a mortgage. Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

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Homeownership among foreign-born heads of households, by years in U.S.: 2016

Universe: 2016 foreign-born heads of households

	Household heads	Number of homeowners	Percent owning home
0 to 5 years	1,744,193	296,738	17.0 %
6 to 10 years	1,582,058	475,088	30.0
11 to 15 years	2,110,769	814,576	38.6
16 to 20 years	2,616,273	1,247,075	47.7
Over 20 years	9,755,266	6,270,030	64.3
Total	17,808,559	9,103,507	51.1 %

Note: The household population excludes persons living in institutions, college dormitories and other group quarters.

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Persons, by household type, nativity and region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 household population

	FAMILY HOUSEHOLD				Total
	Married couple	Female householder	Male householder	Non-family household	
All U.S. born	160,742,710	40,623,525	11,676,675	59,001,545	272,044,455
All foreign born	27,755,806	5,076,899	2,543,079	7,627,397	43,003,181
Mexico	7,349,868	1,408,279	824,266	1,823,138	11,405,551
South and East Asia	8,338,878	976,895	532,241	1,689,145	11,537,159
Europe/Canada	3,799,152	402,307	162,422	1,311,795	5,675,676
Caribbean	2,134,617	971,524	295,178	630,775	4,232,094
Central America	1,859,862	499,060	296,715	762,943	3,418,580
South America	1,802,574	394,122	169,742	530,365	2,896,803
Middle East	1,310,455	143,752	119,805	280,465	1,854,477
Sub-Saharan Africa	990,577	256,948	134,435	349,432	1,731,392
All other	169,823	24,012	8,275	49,339	251,449
Total	188,498,516	45,700,424	14,219,754	66,628,942	315,047,636

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	59.1 %	14.9 %	4.3 %	21.7 %	100.0 %
All foreign born	64.5	11.8	5.9	17.7	100.0
Mexico	64.4	12.3	7.2	16.0	100.0
South and East Asia	72.3	8.5	4.6	14.6	100.0
Europe/Canada	66.9	7.1	2.9	23.1	100.0
Caribbean	50.4	23.0	7.0	19.6	100.0
Central America	54.4	14.6	8.7	22.3	100.0
South America	62.2	13.6	5.9	18.3	100.0
Middle East	70.7	7.8	6.5	15.1	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	57.2	14.8	7.8	20.2	100.0
All other	67.5	9.5	3.3	19.6	100.0
All	59.8 %	14.5 %	4.5 %	21.1 %	100.0 %

Note: The household population excludes persons living in institutions, college dormitories and other group quarters. Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

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Households, by type, nativity and region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 households

	FAMILY HOUSEHOLD				Total
	Married couple	Female householder	Male householder	Non-family household	
All U.S. born	47,204,573	11,062,519	3,492,595	39,291,807	101,051,494
All foreign born	9,865,789	2,261,350	850,963	4,830,457	17,808,559
Mexico	2,656,213	663,546	270,958	967,225	4,577,942
South and East Asia	2,881,951	388,653	160,755	1,091,474	4,522,833
Europe/Canada	1,457,596	204,090	69,344	1,038,613	2,769,643
Caribbean	745,955	409,899	100,727	563,004	1,819,585
Central America	616,432	212,977	92,922	360,070	1,282,401
South America	613,951	171,512	60,028	337,193	1,182,684
Middle East	489,576	57,467	42,596	209,566	799,205
Sub-Saharan Africa	350,632	123,779	50,638	235,516	760,765
All other	53,283	9,427	2,995	27,796	93,501
Total	57,070,362	13,323,869	4,343,558	44,122,264	118,860,053

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	46.7 %	10.9 %	3.5 %	38.9 %	100.0 %
All foreign born	55.4	12.7	4.8	27.1	100.0
Mexico	58.0	14.9	5.9	21.1	100.0
South and East Asia	63.7	8.6	3.6	24.1	100.0
Europe/Canada	52.6	7.4	2.5	37.5	100.0
Caribbean	41.0	22.5	5.5	30.9	100.0
Central America	48.1	16.6	7.2	28.1	100.0
South America	51.9	14.5	5.1	28.5	100.0
Middle East	61.3	7.2	5.3	26.2	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	46.1	16.3	6.7	31.0	100.0
All other	57.0	10.1	3.2	29.7	100.0
All	48.0 %	11.2 %	3.7 %	37.1 %	100.0 %

Note: The household population excludes persons living in institutions, college dormitories and other group quarters. Households are classified by the nativity and region of birth of the household head. Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

Source: Pew Research Center tabulations of 2016 American Community Survey (1% IPUMS).

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Households, by family size, nativity and region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 family households

	Two-person families	Three- or four-person families	Five-person families or more	Total
All U.S. born	30,977,066	23,768,845	7,013,776	61,759,687
All foreign born	3,953,397	6,011,931	3,012,774	12,978,102
Mexico	747,259	1,755,952	1,480,971	3,984,182
South and East Asia	1,149,236	1,780,847	602,747	3,532,830
Europe/Canada	958,800	699,979	171,753	1,830,532
Caribbean	471,115	636,529	247,497	1,355,141
Central America	235,265	513,878	304,608	1,053,751
South America	312,102	454,837	138,050	904,989
Middle East	189,573	269,863	141,639	601,075
Sub-Saharan Africa	157,349	249,671	148,621	555,641
All other	23,354	28,814	20,113	72,281
Total	34,930,463	29,780,776	10,026,550	74,737,789

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	50.2 %	38.5 %	11.4 %	100.0 %
All foreign born	30.5	46.3	23.2	100.0
Mexico	18.8	44.1	37.2	100.0
South and East Asia	32.5	50.4	17.1	100.0
Europe/Canada	52.4	38.2	9.4	100.0
Caribbean	34.8	47.0	18.3	100.0
Central America	22.3	48.8	28.9	100.0
South America	34.5	50.3	15.3	100.0
Middle East	31.5	44.9	23.6	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	28.3	44.9	26.7	100.0
All other	32.3	39.9	27.8	100.0
All	46.7 %	39.8 %	13.4 %	100.0 %

Note: The household population excludes persons living in institutions, college dormitories and other group quarters. Households are classified by the nativity and region of birth of the household head. Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

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Living arrangements of children, by nativity and region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population ages 17 and younger

	Parent householder	Grandparent householder	Other	Total
All U.S. born	62,288,773	5,835,983	2,915,740	71,040,496
All foreign born	2,103,389	126,291	281,205	2,510,885
Mexico	422,169	35,136	70,220	527,525
South and East Asia	608,445	29,195	70,831	708,471
Europe/Canada	248,427	7,123	20,081	275,631
Caribbean	192,264	21,580	27,346	241,190
Central America	184,322	16,064	52,177	252,563
South America	120,881	8,454	14,887	144,222
Middle East	163,509	3,017	9,639	176,165
Sub-Saharan Africa	147,137	4,254	12,734	164,125
All other	16,235	1,468	3,290	20,993
Total	64,392,162	5,962,274	3,196,945	73,551,381

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	87.7 %	8.2 %	4.1 %	100.0 %
All foreign born	83.8	5.0	11.2	100.0
Mexico	80.0	6.7	13.3	100.0
South and East Asia	85.9	4.1	10.0	100.0
Europe/Canada	90.1	2.6	7.3	100.0
Caribbean	79.7	8.9	11.3	100.0
Central America	73.0	6.4	20.7	100.0
South America	83.8	5.9	10.3	100.0
Middle East	92.8	1.7	5.5	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	89.6	2.6	7.8	100.0
All other	77.3	7.0	15.7	100.0
All	87.5 %	8.1 %	4.3 %	100.0 %

Note: Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

Source: Pew Research Center tabulations of 2016 American Community Survey (1% IPUMS).

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Foreign-born population, by region: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population

	Foreign-born population	Total population	Percent foreign born
Northeast	9,361,994	56,209,510	16.7 %
Midwest	4,858,120	67,941,431	7.2
South	14,397,865	122,319,574	11.8
West	15,063,675	76,657,000	19.7
Total	43,681,654	323,127,515	13.5 %

Note: For details on the states included in each region, see https://usa.ipums.org/usa-action/variables/REGION#description_section.

Source: Pew Research Center tabulations of 2016 American Community Survey (1% IPUMS).
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Nativity, by state: 2016

Universe: 2016 resident population

	Foreign-born population	U.S.-born population	Total population	Percent foreign born
California	10,680,264	28,569,753	39,250,017	27.2 %
Texas	4,707,859	23,154,737	27,862,596	16.9
New York	4,542,675	15,202,614	19,745,289	23.0
Florida	4,237,561	16,374,878	20,612,439	20.6
New Jersey	2,006,279	6,938,190	8,944,469	22.4
Illinois	1,772,722	11,028,817	12,801,539	13.8
Massachusetts	1,126,192	5,685,693	6,811,885	16.5
Georgia	1,034,063	9,276,308	10,310,371	10.0
Virginia	1,022,197	7,389,611	8,411,808	12.2
Washington	1,019,317	6,268,683	7,288,000	14.0
Arizona	941,067	5,990,004	6,931,071	13.6
Maryland	916,926	5,099,521	6,016,447	15.2
Pennsylvania	867,992	11,916,235	12,784,227	6.8
North Carolina	786,374	9,360,414	10,146,788	7.7
Michigan	664,438	9,263,862	9,928,300	6.7
Nevada	586,288	2,353,770	2,940,058	19.9
Colorado	540,451	5,000,094	5,540,545	9.8
Connecticut	521,392	3,055,060	3,576,452	14.6
Ohio	500,582	11,113,791	11,614,373	4.3
Minnesota	449,202	5,070,750	5,519,952	8.1
Oregon	396,341	3,697,124	4,093,465	9.7
Indiana	346,182	6,286,871	6,633,053	5.2
Tennessee	331,868	6,319,326	6,651,194	5.0
Wisconsin	302,089	5,476,620	5,778,709	5.2
Hawaii	261,166	1,167,391	1,428,557	18.3
Missouri	254,189	5,838,811	6,093,000	4.2
Utah	248,529	2,802,688	3,051,217	8.1
South Carolina	239,281	4,721,838	4,961,119	4.8
Oklahoma	220,159	3,703,402	3,923,561	5.6
Kansas	213,203	2,694,086	2,907,289	7.3
New Mexico	195,247	1,885,768	2,081,015	9.4
Louisiana	185,740	4,495,926	4,681,666	4.0
Iowa	161,688	2,973,005	3,134,693	5.2
Alabama	159,193	4,704,107	4,863,300	3.3
Kentucky	151,671	4,285,303	4,436,974	3.4
Rhode Island	149,365	907,061	1,056,426	14.1
Nebraska	139,219	1,767,897	1,907,116	7.3
Arkansas	133,593	2,854,655	2,988,248	4.5
Idaho	94,614	1,588,526	1,683,140	5.6
District of Columbia	90,560	590,610	681,170	13.3
Delaware	90,006	862,059	952,065	9.5
New Hampshire	74,192	1,260,497	1,334,689	5.6
Mississippi	58,840	2,929,886	2,988,726	2.0
Alaska	56,561	685,333	741,894	7.6
Maine	50,609	1,280,870	1,331,479	3.8
West Virginia	31,974	1,799,128	1,831,102	1.7
South Dakota	30,664	834,790	865,454	3.5
North Dakota	23,942	734,011	757,953	3.2
Vermont	23,298	601,296	624,594	3.7
Montana	23,250	1,019,270	1,042,520	2.2
Wyoming	20,580	564,921	585,501	3.5
Total	43,681,654	279,445,861	323,127,515	13.5 %

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Universe: 2016 foreign-born resident population

	Foreign born	Mexico	South and East Asia	Europe/Canada	Caribbean	Central America	South America	Middle East	Sub-Saharan Africa	All other
California	10,680,264	4,242,112	3,583,290	875,696	73,044	909,394	252,120	528,843	136,803	78,962
Texas	4,707,859	2,582,126	899,110	236,671	103,885	401,853	142,272	113,017	214,844	14,081
New York	4,542,675	238,325	1,136,819	816,340	1,134,295	292,127	569,431	181,464	159,192	14,682
Florida	4,237,561	267,071	385,866	533,537	1,752,305	391,366	752,926	98,535	48,421	7,534
New Jersey	2,006,279	123,385	599,634	323,179	327,852	170,334	295,812	98,485	65,033	2,565
Illinois	1,772,722	655,372	475,063	381,347	29,669	50,037	60,350	66,868	48,912	5,104
Massachusetts	1,126,192	15,115	302,688	261,306	182,982	94,327	122,451	55,519	87,954	3,850
Georgia	1,034,063	257,282	282,251	112,297	91,817	92,657	65,729	30,303	98,953	2,774
Virginia	1,022,197	51,283	376,630	117,457	30,992	185,662	96,227	84,887	76,340	2,719
Washington	1,019,317	252,099	395,420	205,244	5,263	30,238	18,841	33,501	58,365	20,346
Arizona	941,067	507,799	155,948	127,889	16,903	33,130	19,835	47,306	26,099	6,158
Maryland	916,926	35,530	267,234	99,712	67,068	189,239	63,965	38,900	153,302	1,976
Pennsylvania	867,992	57,891	295,142	192,578	128,260	31,464	52,024	48,135	60,025	2,473
North Carolina	786,374	233,372	197,219	101,798	35,758	91,086	49,317	28,039	46,685	3,100
Michigan	664,438	82,505	215,677	172,138	16,653	13,767	16,607	121,560	23,053	2,478
Nevada	586,288	234,235	161,901	59,669	22,995	53,362	19,055	13,332	17,557	4,182
Colorado	540,451	232,541	119,647	84,197	5,812	22,414	21,952	18,264	28,908	6,716
Connecticut	521,392	29,658	113,888	136,891	86,321	33,821	75,224	20,974	22,527	2,088
Ohio	500,582	37,332	178,656	130,521	12,826	19,998	18,248	42,871	57,972	2,158
Minnesota	449,202	74,108	166,557	55,001	9,608	16,298	22,124	12,895	90,621	1,990
Oregon	396,341	139,927	115,013	78,468	4,084	15,695	9,988	15,821	9,697	7,648
Indiana	346,182	107,995	114,980	49,248	7,283	21,303	9,999	12,051	21,228	2,095
Tennessee	331,868	96,860	85,335	47,189	12,053	30,226	11,132	24,347	23,131	1,595
Wisconsin	302,069	87,624	101,984	55,340	4,929	8,476	10,330	16,622	15,785	4,888
Hawaii	261,166	6,453	201,863	13,640	1,164	**	4,201	2,455	**	30,455
Missouri	254,189	41,974	85,902	57,092	8,723	15,063	7,096	18,433	17,275	2,631
Utah	248,529	102,260	48,282	33,954	1,546	16,454	24,342	8,640	4,464	8,587
South Carolina	239,281	68,248	51,767	52,094	10,287	25,973	17,500	6,866	5,835	**
Oklahoma	220,159	103,932	55,769	20,642	2,704	13,618	7,758	6,610	5,560	3,566
Kansas	213,203	88,732	61,471	20,912	4,177	16,782	5,612	7,192	7,992	**
New Mexico	195,247	138,469	21,377	20,985	1,333	1,883	5,170	2,919	2,868	**
Louisiana	185,740	29,529	52,559	18,752	8,463	50,585	9,881	7,968	6,866	1,137
Iowa	161,688	43,657	52,737	27,058	2,014	12,571	2,981	3,619	15,896	1,155
Alabama	159,193	50,156	45,976	20,644	8,212	12,976	6,182	7,880	6,402	**
Kentucky	151,671	26,061	46,506	25,522	11,698	10,136	5,579	10,406	14,651	1,112
Rhode Island	149,365	3,543	23,853	41,627	34,684	10,976	12,675	3,425	17,466	1,116
Nebraska	139,219	52,181	35,458	11,078	4,066	15,006	3,977	6,381	10,854	**
Arkansas	133,593	57,913	29,843	11,848	2,850	16,765	2,586	1,401	4,880	5,507
Idaho	94,614	48,780	15,813	17,978	1,048	1,684	4,127	3,271	**	**
District of Columbia	90,560	4,103	14,595	16,848	6,487	21,734	9,221	4,375	12,617	**
Delaware	90,006	16,277	28,972	10,239	9,767	5,888	5,805	2,393	10,366	**
New Hampshire	74,192	2,836	27,318	24,444	4,004	1,073	6,139	4,226	4,016	**
Mississippi	58,840	17,236	17,567	7,921	2,538	5,563	2,765	3,512	1,367	**
Alaska	56,561	5,219	31,484	10,516	4,078	**	1,736	1,036	1,132	1,046
Maine	50,609	**	11,471	21,653	1,765	1,614	1,196	1,913	10,069	**
West Virginia	31,974	2,486	11,109	7,512	1,474	1,610	1,457	2,495	3,028	**
South Dakota	30,664	3,568	10,107	3,889	**	3,836	**	1,838	5,845	**
North Dakota	23,942	4,179	6,085	5,281	1,823	**	**	**	5,449	**
Vermont	23,298	**	6,549	12,037	**	**	**	**	1,399	**
Montana	23,250	**	7,115	12,019	**	1,043	**	1,285	**	**
Wyoming	20,580	7,194	4,084	5,237	**	**	1,259	**	**	**
Total	43,681,654	11,568,060	11,731,584	5,785,135	4,300,022	3,463,389	2,927,145	1,875,264	1,769,778	261,277

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Share of foreign born, by state and region of birth: 2016

Universe: 2016 foreign-born resident population

	Percent of foreign born	Region of Birth								
		Mexico	South and East Asia	Europe/ Canada	Caribbean	Central America	South America	Middle East	Sub-Saharan Africa	All other
California	24.5 %	36.7 %	30.5 %	15.1 %	1.7 %	26.3 %	8.6 %	28.2 %	7.7 %	30.2 %
Texas	10.8	22.3	7.7	4.1	2.4	11.6	4.9	6.0	12.1	5.4
New York	10.4	2.1	9.7	14.1	26.4	8.4	19.5	9.7	9.0	5.6
Florida	9.7	2.3	3.3	9.2	40.8	11.3	25.7	5.3	2.7	2.9
New Jersey	4.6	1.1	5.1	5.6	7.6	4.9	10.1	5.3	3.7	1.0
Illinois	4.1	5.7	4.0	6.6	0.7	1.4	2.1	3.6	2.8	2.0
Massachusetts	2.6	0.1	2.6	4.5	4.3	2.7	4.2	3.0	5.0	1.5
Georgia	2.4	2.2	2.4	1.9	2.1	2.7	2.2	1.6	5.6	1.1
Virginia	2.3	0.4	3.2	2.0	0.7	5.4	3.3	4.5	4.3	1.0
Washington	2.3	2.2	3.4	3.5	0.1	0.9	0.6	1.8	3.3	7.8
Arizona	2.2	4.4	1.3	2.2	0.4	1.0	0.7	2.5	1.5	2.4
Maryland	2.1	0.3	2.3	1.7	1.6	5.5	2.2	2.1	8.7	0.8
Pennsylvania	2.0	0.5	2.5	3.3	3.0	0.9	1.8	2.6	3.4	0.9
North Carolina	1.8	2.0	1.7	1.8	0.8	2.6	1.7	1.5	2.6	1.2
Michigan	1.5	0.7	1.8	3.0	0.4	0.4	0.6	6.5	1.3	0.9
Nevada	1.3	2.0	1.4	1.0	0.5	1.5	0.7	0.7	1.0	1.6
Colorado	1.2	2.0	1.0	1.5	0.1	0.6	0.7	1.0	1.6	2.6
Connecticut	1.2	0.3	1.0	2.4	2.0	1.0	2.6	1.1	1.3	0.8
Ohio	1.1	0.3	1.5	2.3	0.3	0.6	0.6	2.3	3.3	0.8
Minnesota	1.0	0.6	1.4	1.0	0.2	0.5	0.8	0.7	5.1	0.8
Oregon	0.9	1.2	1.0	1.4	0.1	0.5	0.3	0.8	0.5	2.9
Indiana	0.8	0.9	1.0	0.9	0.2	0.6	0.3	0.6	1.2	0.8
Tennessee	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.3	0.9	0.4	1.3	1.3	0.6
Wisconsin	0.7	0.8	0.9	1.0	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.9	0.9	0.4
Hawaii	0.6	0.1	1.7	0.2	<0.05	<0.05	0.1	0.1	<0.05	11.7
Missouri	0.6	0.4	0.7	1.0	0.2	0.4	0.2	1.0	1.0	1.0
Utah	0.6	0.9	0.4	0.6	<0.05	0.5	0.8	0.5	0.3	3.3
South Carolina	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.9	0.2	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.3
Oklahoma	0.5	0.9	0.5	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	1.4
Kansas	0.5	0.8	0.5	0.4	0.1	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.1
New Mexico	0.4	1.2	0.2	0.4	<0.05	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1
Louisiana	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.2	1.5	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4
Iowa	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	<0.05	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.9	0.4
Alabama	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.3
Kentucky	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.6	0.8	0.4
Rhode Island	0.3	<0.05	0.2	0.7	0.8	0.3	0.4	0.2	1.0	0.4
Nebraska	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.3	0.6	0.1
Arkansas	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.3	2.1
Idaho	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.3	<0.05	<0.05	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.4
District of Columbia	0.2	<0.05	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.6	0.3	0.2	0.7	0.2
Delaware	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.6	0.1
New Hampshire	0.2	<0.05	0.2	0.4	0.1	<0.05	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1
Mississippi	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1
Alaska	0.1	<0.05	0.3	0.2	0.1	<0.05	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.4
Maine	0.1	<0.05	0.1	0.4	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.1	0.6	0.1
West Virginia	0.1	<0.05	0.1	0.1	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.1	0.2	0.3
South Dakota	0.1	<0.05	0.1	0.1	<0.05	0.1	<0.05	0.1	0.3	0.1
North Dakota	0.1	<0.05	0.1	0.1	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.3	0.1
Vermont	0.1	<0.05	0.1	0.2	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.1	0.1
Montana	0.1	<0.05	0.1	0.2	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.1	<0.05	<0.05
Wyoming	<0.05	0.1	<0.05	0.1	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.1	<0.05	0.1
Total	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %

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