

SUMMARY

Characteristics of the U.S. foreign-born population: 2017

% of the foreign-born population, unless otherwise noted

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

Population (#)	44,406,371
Born in Mexico	25.3 %
Citizen	49.4 %

Race

White alone, not Hispanic	17.8 %
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Language use

Speaking English at least very well (ages 5 and older)	52.2 %
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Age and gender

Median age (in years)	44
Female	51.7 %

Marital Status and fertility

Married (ages 18 and older)	60.9 %
Women ages 15-44 giving birth in past year	7.5 %

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

High school graduate or less	50.0 %
Two-year degree/Some college	18.8 %
Bachelor's degree or more	31.2 %

Work (ages 16 and older)

In labor force (among civilian population)	66.0 %
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Earnings and income (ages 16 and older)

Median annual personal earnings (in 2017 dollars, among those with earnings)	\$30,000
Median annual household income (in 2017 dollars)	\$56,000

Poverty and health insurance

Living in poverty	15.2 %
Uninsured	19.9 %

Homeownership and household characteristics

In family households	73.1 %
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Region and top five states of residence

West	34.0 %
California	23.9 %
South	33.5 %
Texas	10.9 %
Florida	9.8 %
Northeast	21.3 %
New York	10.2 %
New Jersey	4.6 %
Midwest	11.3 %

Source: Pew Research Center tabulations of 2017 American Community Survey (1% IPUMS).
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Population, by nativity and citizenship status: 2017

Universe: 2017 resident population

	Total population	Percent of population	Percent of foreign born
U.S. born	281,312,807	86.4 %	--
Foreign born	44,406,371	13.6	100.0 %
Citizen	21,946,708	6.7	49.4
Non-citizen	22,459,663	6.9	50.6
Total	325,719,178	100.0 %	--

Source: Pew Research Center tabulations of 2017 American Community Survey (1% IPUMS).
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Foreign born, by region of birth: 2017

Universe: 2017 foreign-born resident population

Mexico	11,236,543	25.3 %
South and East Asia	12,180,847	27.4
Europe/Canada	5,850,245	13.2
Caribbean	4,405,841	9.9
Central America	3,507,296	7.9
South America	3,219,623	7.3
Middle East	1,829,494	4.1
Sub-Saharan Africa	1,928,329	4.3
All other	248,153	0.6
Total	44,406,371	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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58,837,861 39,185,124 33.4 %

Population, by nativity, race and ethnicity: 2017

Universe: 2017 resident population

	Total population	U.S.-born population	Foreign-born population	Percent foreign born
Hispanic	58,837,861	39,185,124	19,652,737	33.4 %
White alone, not Hispanic	197,297,394	189,378,482	7,918,912	4.0
Black alone, not Hispanic	40,127,928	36,290,798	3,837,130	9.6
Asian alone, not Hispanic	18,004,800	5,984,026	12,020,774	66.8
Other, not Hispanic	11,451,195	10,474,377	976,818	8.5
Total	325,719,178	281,312,807	44,406,371	13.6 %

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: 2017

Universe: 2017 resident population

	TOTAL		U.S. BORN		FOREIGN BORN	
One race	314,954,706	96.7 %	271,534,878	96.5 %	43,419,828	97.8 %
White	235,548,109	72.3	215,354,691	76.6	20,193,418	45.5
Black or African American	41,420,756	12.7	37,279,236	13.3	4,141,520	9.3
American Indian and Alaska Native	2,692,131	0.8	2,520,248	0.9	171,883	0.4
Asian	18,213,552	5.6	6,142,059	2.2	12,071,493	27.2
Native Hawaiian and other Pacific Islander	582,344	0.2	463,426	0.2	118,918	0.3
Some other race	16,497,814	5.1	9,775,218	3.5	6,722,596	15.1
Two or more races	10,764,472	3.3	9,777,929	3.5	986,543	2.2
Total	325,719,178	100.0 %	281,312,807	100.0 %	44,406,371	100.0 %

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Country of birth: 2017

Universe: 2017 foreign-born resident population (Countries are listed in descending order of the size of the foreign-born population in each year.)

Mexico	11,236,543	25.3 %	Lebanon	124,248	0.3 %	Lithuania	35,389	0.1 %
China	2,860,642	6.4	Spain	118,404	0.3	Grenada	35,128	0.1
India	2,605,027	5.9	Ireland	114,725	0.3	Singapore	34,754	0.1
Philippines	2,001,879	4.5	South Africa	114,577	0.3	Belgium	34,692	0.1
El Salvador	1,385,122	3.1	Turkey	110,517	0.2	Dominica	34,169	0.1
Vietnam	1,361,852	3.1	Bosnia and Herzegovina	110,486	0.2	Kuwait	32,835	0.1
Cuba	1,289,159	2.9	Chile	108,458	0.2	Azores Islands	32,727	0.1
Dominican Republic	1,163,124	2.6	Panama	108,071	0.2	Bahamas	32,520	0.1
Korea	1,069,113	2.4	Syria	107,198	0.2	Congo	31,398	0.1
Guatemala	951,501	2.1	Somalia	103,749	0.2	Tanzania	30,951	0.1
Canada	805,248	1.8	Indonesia	99,173	0.2	Czech Republic	30,241	0.1
Colombia	794,870	1.8	Liberia	96,269	0.2	Uganda	28,962	0.1
Jamaica	741,782	1.7	Albania	96,162	0.2	Denmark	28,783	0.1
Haiti	689,749	1.6	Armenia	95,896	0.2	Kazakhstan	28,148	0.1
Honduras	643,896	1.5	Afghanistan	95,500	0.2	New Zealand	27,959	0.1
Germany	553,121	1.2	Australia	88,043	0.2	Ivory Coast	27,295	0.1
Peru	462,932	1.0	Netherlands	84,666	0.2	Micronesia	27,068	0.1
Brazil	458,213	1.0	Saudi Arabia	84,078	0.2	West Indies, other	25,717	0.1
Ecuador	447,538	1.0	Morocco	83,394	0.2	Macedonia	24,587	0.1
Poland	416,183	0.9	Asia, other	82,079	0.2	St Vincent & The Grenadines	24,294	0.1
Russia	407,146	0.9	Costa Rica	78,977	0.2	Gambia	24,268	0.1
Pakistan	401,017	0.9	Malaysia	74,062	0.2	Norway	23,858	0.1
Iran	379,938	0.9	Jordan	73,759	0.2	Latvia	23,704	0.1
Ukraine	358,601	0.8	Bolivia	72,829	0.2	Georgia	23,302	0.1
Venezuela	352,245	0.8	Belarus	65,657	0.1	Togo	22,786	0.1
Japan	348,704	0.8	Bulgaria	65,046	0.1	Zimbabwe	22,337	0.1
Nigeria	347,599	0.8	Yemen Arab Republic North	62,306	0.1	Marshall Islands	22,319	0.1
United Kingdom, other	323,740	0.7	Uzbekistan	61,837	0.1	United Arab Emirates	21,966	<0.05
Italy	323,320	0.7	Hungary	61,190	0.1	Algeria	21,690	<0.05
England	294,232	0.7	Cameroon	60,915	0.1	Paraguay	20,837	<0.05
Nicaragua	273,965	0.6	Former USSR/Russia, other	60,879	0.1	Montenegro	20,317	<0.05
Guyana	263,024	0.6	Scotland	60,250	0.1	Finland	19,395	<0.05
Thailand	253,847	0.6	Caribbean, other	59,483	0.1	Slovakia	18,587	<0.05
Bangladesh	243,969	0.5	Barbados	57,205	0.1	Antigua & Barbuda	17,921	<0.05
Ethiopia	243,893	0.5	Zaire	54,675	0.1	Americas, other	17,414	<0.05
Trinidad & Tobago	235,590	0.5	Bhutan	54,670	0.1	Tonga	17,374	<0.05
Iraq	226,616	0.5	Sudan	51,051	0.1	Azerbaijan	16,755	<0.05
Egypt	190,251	0.4	Belize	48,350	0.1	Northern Ireland	15,785	<0.05
France	190,244	0.4	Austria	48,104	0.1	Czechoslovakia	15,640	<0.05
Laos	183,238	0.4	Sri Lanka	48,008	0.1	Zambia	13,878	<0.05
Argentina	182,530	0.4	Moldova	47,896	0.1	Rwanda	13,786	<0.05
Romania	164,648	0.4	Eritrea	47,490	0.1	Libya	12,805	<0.05
Nepal	154,895	0.3	Fiji	47,084	0.1	Kirghizia	12,581	<0.05
Myanmar	154,790	0.3	Cape Verde	46,573	0.1	Other	11,441	<0.05
Ghana	152,996	0.3	Uruguay	46,537	0.1	South America, other	9,610	<0.05
Africa, other	150,589	0.3	Sweden	44,589	0.1	Kosovo	9,159	<0.05
Cambodia	149,128	0.3	Croatia	40,093	0.1	South Sudan	9,076	<0.05
Kenya	144,454	0.3	Serbia	40,013	0.1	Tunisia	8,769	<0.05
Israel/Palestine	142,573	0.3	Yugoslavia	37,893	0.1	Bermuda	7,182	<0.05
Portugal	134,537	0.3	Switzerland	36,265	0.1	Samoa	6,865	<0.05
Greece	130,446	0.3	Sierra Leone	36,150	0.1	Iceland	3,864	<0.05
Total	44,406,371	100.0 %						

Note: China includes Taiwan and Hong Kong.

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Foreign born, by region of birth and years in the U.S.: 2017

Universe: 2017 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	939,626	851,094	1,606,087	2,243,325	5,596,411	11,236,543
South and East Asia	2,666,772	1,575,718	1,339,859	1,429,498	5,169,000	12,180,847
Europe/Canada	858,675	424,458	531,440	776,255	3,259,417	5,850,245
Caribbean	737,764	587,950	471,118	501,471	2,107,538	4,405,841
Central America	588,122	396,829	532,508	542,667	1,447,170	3,507,296
South America	646,935	291,615	406,636	574,854	1,299,583	3,219,623
Middle East	528,481	262,741	160,606	200,274	677,392	1,829,494
Sub-Saharan Africa	544,183	330,181	316,146	290,997	446,822	1,928,329
All other	65,810	32,656	27,755	30,162	91,770	248,153
Total	7,576,368	4,753,242	5,392,155	6,589,503	20,095,103	44,406,371

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Mexico	8.4 %	7.6 %	14.3 %	20.0 %	49.8 %	100.0 %
South and East Asia	21.9	12.9	11.0	11.7	42.4	100.0
Europe/Canada	14.7	7.3	9.1	13.3	55.7	100.0
Caribbean	16.7	13.3	10.7	11.4	47.8	100.0
Central America	16.8	11.3	15.2	15.5	41.3	100.0
South America	20.1	9.1	12.6	17.9	40.4	100.0
Middle East	28.9	14.4	8.8	10.9	37.0	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	28.2	17.1	16.4	15.1	23.2	100.0
All other	26.5	13.2	11.2	12.2	37.0	100.0
All	17.1 %	10.7 %	12.1 %	14.8 %	45.3 %	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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Language spoken at home and English-speaking ability, by age, nativity and region of birth: 2017

Universe: 2017 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	41,300,975	8,620,820	1,662,308	51,584,103	191,036,790	16,185,626	3,105,926	210,328,342
All foreign born	441,897	1,105,570	711,634	2,259,101	6,756,865	14,704,318	20,365,755	41,826,938
Mexico	11,755	269,960	144,613	426,328	460,232	2,978,535	7,319,866	10,758,633
South and East Asia	163,428	293,424	168,938	625,790	1,334,734	4,971,470	5,152,936	11,459,140
Europe/Canada	89,581	104,470	38,117	232,168	2,282,027	1,996,029	1,307,596	5,585,652
Caribbean	47,532	114,431	80,597	242,560	1,270,374	1,024,917	1,845,827	4,141,118
Central America	27,348	87,135	121,087	235,570	199,551	873,223	2,167,997	3,240,771
South America	14,254	83,416	59,801	157,471	455,209	1,174,280	1,408,943	3,038,432
Middle East	13,364	77,822	49,002	140,188	208,703	795,413	651,181	1,655,297
Sub-Saharan Africa	66,672	70,823	45,277	182,772	426,774	829,234	462,235	1,718,243
All other	7,963	4,089	4,202	16,254	119,261	61,217	49,174	229,652
Total	41,742,872	9,726,390	2,373,942	53,843,204	197,793,655	30,889,944	23,471,681	252,155,280

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	80.1 %	16.7 %	3.2 %	100.0 %	90.8 %	7.7 %	1.5 %	100.0 %
All foreign born	19.6	48.9	31.5	100.0	16.2	35.2	48.7	100.0
Mexico	2.8	63.3	33.9	100.0	4.3	27.7	68.0	100.0
South and East Asia	26.1	46.9	27.0	100.0	11.6	43.4	45.0	100.0
Europe/Canada	38.6	45.0	16.4	100.0	40.9	35.7	23.4	100.0
Caribbean	19.6	47.2	33.2	100.0	30.7	24.7	44.6	100.0
Central America	11.6	37.0	51.4	100.0	6.2	26.9	66.9	100.0
South America	9.1	53.0	38.0	100.0	15.0	38.6	46.4	100.0
Middle East	9.5	55.5	35.0	100.0	12.6	48.1	39.3	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	36.5	38.7	24.8	100.0	24.8	48.3	26.9	100.0
All other	49.0	25.2	25.9	100.0	51.9	26.7	21.4	100.0
All	77.5 %	18.1 %	4.4 %	100.0 %	78.4 %	12.3 %	9.3 %	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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Language spoken at home and English-speaking ability among foreign born, by years in the U.S. and age:

Universe: 2017 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			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	
0 to 5 years	151,529	468,936	562,161	1,182,626	749,140	1,889,421	3,434,849	6,073,410
6 to 10 years	135,557	355,142	95,344	586,043	501,512	1,430,068	2,235,619	4,167,199
11 to 15 years	125,373	240,383	47,351	413,107	569,034	1,779,501	2,630,513	4,979,048
16 to 20 years	29,438	41,109	6,778	77,325	820,167	2,426,283	3,265,728	6,512,178
Over 20 years	—	—	—	—	4,117,012	7,179,045	8,799,046	20,095,103
Total	441,897	1,105,570	711,634	2,259,101	6,756,865	14,704,318	20,365,755	41,826,938

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

0 to 5 years	12.8 %	39.7 %	47.5 %	100.0 %	12.3 %	31.1 %	56.6 %	100.0 %
6 to 10 years	23.1	60.6	16.3	100.0	12.0	34.3	53.6	100.0
11 to 15 years	30.3	58.2	11.5	100.0	11.4	35.7	52.8	100.0
16 to 20 years	38.1	53.2	8.8	100.0	12.6	37.3	50.1	100.0
Over 20 years	—	—	—	—	20.5	35.7	43.8	100.0
All	19.6 %	48.9 %	31.5 %	100.0 %	16.2 %	35.2 %	48.7 %	100.0 %

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Median age in years, by sex, nativity and region of birth: 2017

Universe: 2017 resident population

	Total	Male	Female
All U.S. born	36	34	37
All foreign born	44	43	45
Mexico	42	42	43
South and East Asia	44	44	45
Europe/Canada	52	51	54
Caribbean	48	47	49
Central America	40	38	41
South America	45	44	46
Middle East	42	42	42
Sub-Saharan Africa	38	39	38
All other	42	41	43
All	38	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: 2017

Universe: 2017 resident population

	Millennial (ages 21-36)	Gen X (ages 37-52)	Boomer (ages 53-71)	Silent/Greatest (ages 72 and older)	Adult population (ages 18 and older)	Total
All U.S. born	60,042,010	51,362,729	62,467,369	24,227,374	210,328,342	281,312,807
All foreign born	11,178,726	14,562,798	11,085,857	3,844,765	41,826,938	44,406,371
Mexico	3,095,530	4,425,281	2,390,976	557,610	10,758,633	11,236,543
South and East Asia	3,121,935	3,789,565	3,183,868	1,046,861	11,459,140	12,180,847
Europe/Canada	1,084,087	1,476,521	1,795,895	1,115,787	5,585,652	5,850,245
Caribbean	895,537	1,330,949	1,310,754	500,051	4,141,118	4,405,841
Central America	1,058,306	1,232,238	691,199	146,257	3,240,771	3,507,296
South America	772,914	1,073,433	660,973	250,992	3,038,432	3,219,623
Middle East	482,106	533,906	432,823	152,781	1,655,297	1,829,494
Sub-Saharan Africa	600,102	620,360	361,623	58,939	1,718,243	1,928,329
All other	68,209	80,545	57,746	15,487	229,652	248,153
Total	71,220,736	65,925,527	73,553,226	28,072,139	252,155,280	325,719,178

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	21.3 %	18.3 %	22.2 %	8.6 %	74.8 %	100.0 %
All foreign born	25.2	32.8	25.0	8.7	94.2	100.0
Mexico	27.5	39.4	21.3	5.0	95.7	100.0
South and East Asia	25.6	31.1	26.1	8.6	94.1	100.0
Europe/Canada	18.5	25.2	30.7	19.1	95.5	100.0
Caribbean	20.3	30.2	29.8	11.3	94.0	100.0
Central America	30.2	35.1	19.7	4.2	92.4	100.0
South America	24.0	33.3	26.7	7.8	94.4	100.0
Middle East	26.4	29.2	23.7	8.4	90.5	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	31.1	32.2	18.8	3.1	89.1	100.0
All other	27.5	32.5	23.3	6.2	92.5	100.0
All	21.9 %	20.2 %	22.6 %	8.6 %	77.4 %	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: 2017

Universe: 2017 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	1,306,393	2.9 %	1,273,040	2.9 %	36,333,179	12.9 %	34,651,286	12.3 %
18 and older	20,127,153	45.3	21,699,785	48.9	102,604,519	36.5	107,723,823	38.3
Younger than 5	161,611	0.4	158,721	0.4	9,944,397	3.5	9,455,965	3.4
5 to 9	310,724	0.7	299,733	0.7	9,910,193	3.5	9,597,147	3.4
10 to 14	443,776	1.0	427,792	1.0	10,440,953	3.7	9,845,697	3.5
15 to 19	761,769	1.7	740,233	1.7	10,184,372	3.6	9,697,388	3.4
20 to 24	1,183,370	2.7	1,071,738	2.4	10,125,513	3.6	9,647,710	3.4
25 to 29	1,676,017	3.8	1,622,603	3.7	10,017,705	3.6	9,713,081	3.5
30 to 34	2,114,742	4.8	2,088,394	4.7	8,892,542	3.2	8,747,739	3.1
35 to 39	2,295,505	5.2	2,374,492	5.3	8,414,903	3.0	8,375,901	3.0
40 to 44	2,304,948	5.2	2,422,070	5.5	7,544,381	2.7	7,593,406	2.7
45 to 49	2,202,767	5.0	2,308,437	5.2	8,145,100	2.9	8,273,278	2.9
50 to 54	2,012,721	4.5	2,062,093	4.6	8,515,931	3.0	8,776,062	3.1
55 to 59	1,672,829	3.8	1,800,565	4.1	8,869,802	3.2	9,395,976	3.3
60 to 64	1,391,277	3.1	1,579,973	3.6	8,316,036	3.0	8,987,615	3.2
65 to 69	1,041,955	2.3	1,258,733	2.8	6,950,853	2.5	7,681,943	2.7
70 to 74	739,046	1.7	968,302	2.2	5,166,497	1.8	5,931,100	2.1
75 to 79	511,847	1.2	736,845	1.7	3,420,966	1.2	4,178,889	1.5
80 to 84	335,185	0.8	519,732	1.2	2,145,119	0.8	2,947,706	1.0
85 to 89	174,525	0.4	317,090	0.7	1,264,677	0.4	2,028,467	0.7
90 and older	98,932	0.2	215,279	0.5	667,758	0.2	1,500,039	0.5
Total	21,433,546	48.3 %	22,972,825	51.7 %	138,937,698	49.4 %	142,375,109	50.6 %

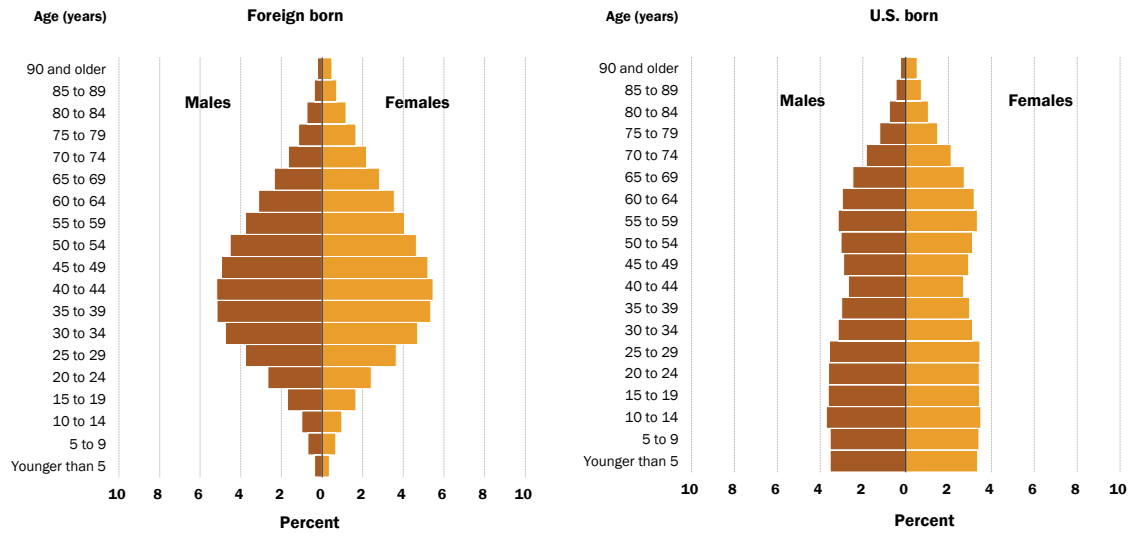
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Age and gender distributions for nativity groups: 2017

Universe: 2017 resident population



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FOREIGN BORN

	Female	Male
Younger than 5	0.4	0.4
5 to 9	0.7	0.7
10 to 14	1.0	1.0
15 to 19	1.7	1.7
20 to 24	2.4	2.7
25 to 29	3.7	3.8
30 to 34	4.7	4.8
35 to 39	5.3	5.2
40 to 44	5.5	5.2
45 to 49	5.2	5.0
50 to 54	4.6	4.5
55 to 59	4.1	3.8
60 to 64	3.6	3.1
65 to 69	2.8	2.3
70 to 74	2.2	1.7
75 to 79	1.7	1.2
80 to 84	1.2	0.8
85 to 89	0.7	0.4
90 and older	0.5	0.2

U.S. BORN

	Female	Male
Younger than 5	3.4	3.5
5 to 9	3.4	3.5
10 to 14	3.5	3.7
15 to 19	3.4	3.6
20 to 24	3.4	3.6
25 to 29	3.5	3.6
30 to 34	3.1	3.2
35 to 39	3.0	3.0
40 to 44	2.7	2.7
45 to 49	2.9	2.9
50 to 54	3.1	3.0
55 to 59	3.3	3.2
60 to 64	3.2	3.0
65 to 69	2.7	2.5
70 to 74	2.1	1.8
75 to 79	1.5	1.2
80 to 84	1.0	0.8
85 to 89	0.7	0.4
90 and older	0.5	0.2

Marital status, by nativity and region of birth: 2017

Universe: 2017 resident population ages 18 and older

	Now married	Separated	Divorced	Widowed	Never married	Total
All U.S. born	101,054,102	3,877,053	25,412,959	12,896,497	67,087,731	210,328,342
All foreign born	25,477,930	1,204,977	3,479,457	2,243,978	9,420,596	41,826,938
Mexico	6,596,194	436,758	736,395	416,840	2,572,446	10,758,633
South and East Asia	7,829,678	147,101	637,541	618,687	2,226,133	11,459,140
Europe/Canada	3,477,297	87,527	576,639	539,035	905,154	5,585,652
Caribbean	1,976,967	214,609	594,787	259,636	1,095,119	4,141,118
Central America	1,690,837	136,828	257,390	103,846	1,051,870	3,240,771
South America	1,750,799	93,724	373,609	136,413	683,887	3,038,432
Middle East	1,072,361	24,143	126,789	92,549	339,455	1,655,297
Sub-Saharan Africa	939,707	61,207	157,544	64,581	495,204	1,718,243
All other	144,090	3,080	18,763	12,391	51,328	229,652
Total	126,532,032	5,082,030	28,892,416	15,140,475	76,508,327	252,155,280

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	48.0 %	1.8 %	12.1 %	6.1 %	31.9 %	100.0 %
All foreign born	60.9	2.9	8.3	5.4	22.5	100.0
Mexico	61.3	4.1	6.8	3.9	23.9	100.0
South and East Asia	68.3	1.3	5.6	5.4	19.4	100.0
Europe/Canada	62.3	1.6	10.3	9.7	16.2	100.0
Caribbean	47.7	5.2	14.4	6.3	26.4	100.0
Central America	52.2	4.2	7.9	3.2	32.5	100.0
South America	57.6	3.1	12.3	4.5	22.5	100.0
Middle East	64.8	1.5	7.7	5.6	20.5	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	54.7	3.6	9.2	3.8	28.8	100.0
All other	62.7	1.3	8.2	5.4	22.4	100.0
All	50.2 %	2.0 %	11.5 %	6.0 %	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: 2017

Universe: 2017 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	3,131,479	5.8 %	--
All foreign born	779,042	7.5	100.0 %
Mexico	212,126	7.7	27.2
South and East Asia	208,217	7.0	26.7
Europe/Canada	72,432	7.1	9.3
Caribbean	64,027	7.0	8.2
Central America	72,356	8.1	9.3
South America	49,809	6.5	6.4
Middle East	38,565	9.9	5.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	56,615	10.5	7.3
All other	4,895	8.0	0.6
Total	3,910,521	6.1 %	--

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: 2017

Universe: 2017 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	3,131,479	1,218,973	38.9 %
All foreign born	779,042	181,477	23.3
Mexico	212,126	69,273	32.7
South and East Asia	208,217	17,915	8.6
Europe/Canada	72,432	10,745	14.8
Caribbean	64,027	26,786	41.8
Central America	72,356	30,356	42.0
South America	49,809	11,815	23.7
Middle East	38,565	1,308	3.4
Sub-Saharan Africa	56,615	12,199	21.5
All other	4,895	1,080	22.1
Total	3,910,521	1,400,450	35.8 %

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: 2017

Universe: 2017 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	4,507,913	11,412,016	51,122,103	56,676,873	36,737,931	22,006,636	182,463,472
All foreign born	6,739,967	3,865,472	8,828,745	7,302,831	6,900,470	5,209,419	38,846,904
Mexico	3,614,974	1,821,804	2,573,193	1,315,356	496,981	180,572	10,002,880
South and East Asia	963,063	613,447	1,658,057	1,776,222	3,084,850	2,541,747	10,637,386
Europe/Canada	288,138	260,750	1,175,926	1,251,624	1,160,632	1,159,185	5,296,255
Caribbean	475,804	399,490	1,229,054	939,529	543,426	282,022	3,869,325
Central America	935,368	433,867	764,460	513,572	230,353	88,198	2,965,818
South America	236,505	170,718	770,347	734,902	580,725	329,030	2,822,227
Middle East	108,277	76,003	304,185	295,805	400,616	334,656	1,519,542
Sub-Saharan Africa	106,249	71,131	300,807	418,653	359,485	262,992	1,519,317
All other	11,589	18,262	52,716	57,168	43,402	31,017	214,154
Total	11,247,880	15,277,488	59,950,848	63,979,704	43,638,401	27,216,055	221,310,376

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	2.5 %	6.3 %	28.0 %	31.1 %	20.1 %	12.1 %	100.0 %
All foreign born	17.4	10.0	22.7	18.8	17.8	13.4	100.0
Mexico	36.1	18.2	25.7	13.1	5.0	1.8	100.0
South and East Asia	9.1	5.8	15.6	16.7	29.0	23.9	100.0
Europe/Canada	5.4	4.9	22.2	23.6	21.9	21.9	100.0
Caribbean	12.3	10.3	31.8	24.3	14.0	7.3	100.0
Central America	31.5	14.6	25.8	17.3	7.8	3.0	100.0
South America	8.4	6.0	27.3	26.0	20.6	11.7	100.0
Middle East	7.1	5.0	20.0	19.5	26.4	22.0	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	7.0	4.7	19.8	27.6	23.7	17.3	100.0
All other	5.4	8.5	24.6	26.7	20.3	14.5	100.0
All	5.1 %	6.9 %	27.1 %	28.9 %	19.7 %	12.3 %	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: 2017

Universe: 2017 resident population ages 3 through 4

U.S. born	3,825,198	48.1 %
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In household with foreign-born head	749,858	46.4
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In household with U.S.-born head	3,073,934	48.5
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Foreign born	92,457	50.3
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Total	3,917,655	48.1 %

Universe: 2017 resident population ages 5 through 17

U.S. born	49,983,635	96.9 %
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In household with foreign-born head	9,852,991	97.5
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In household with U.S.-born head	39,968,557	96.8
.....		
Foreign born	2,136,816	94.6
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Total	52,120,451	96.8 %

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

Source: Pew Research Center tabulations of 2017 American Community Survey (1% IPUMS).

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High school dropouts and dropout rate, by nativity and region of birth: 2017

Universe: 2017 resident population ages 16 through 19

All U.S. born	593,333	3.7 %
All foreign born	79,119	6.2
Mexico	27,586	8.8
South and East Asia	8,202	2.5
Europe/Canada	4,077	3.2
Caribbean	8,643	6.5
Central America	22,482	17.1
South America	3,903	4.3
Middle East	1,543	2.6
Sub-Saharan Africa	2,562	3.1
All other	***	1.5
Total	672,452	3.9 %

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: 2017

Universe: 2017 resident population

AGES 18 TO 24			AGES 25 AND OLDER		
All U.S. born	11,775,897	42.3 %	All U.S. born	7,277,876	4.0 %
All foreign born	1,360,219	45.6	All foreign born	1,752,038	4.5
Mexico	198,184	26.2	Mexico	208,776	2.1
South and East Asia	549,041	66.8	South and East Asia	593,553	5.6
Europe/Canada	157,047	54.3	Europe/Canada	200,475	3.8
Caribbean	107,713	39.6	Caribbean	183,200	4.7
Central America	50,091	18.2	Central America	78,334	2.6
South America	106,147	49.1	South America	166,368	5.9
Middle East	83,777	61.7	Middle East	125,249	8.2
Sub-Saharan Africa	100,820	50.7	Sub-Saharan Africa	187,118	12.3
All other	7,399	47.7	All other	8,965	4.2
Total	13,136,116	42.6 %	Total	9,029,914	4.1 %

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: 2017

Universe: 2017 civilian resident population ages 16 and older

	In labor force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment rate	Not in labor force
All U.S. born	135,747,996	128,360,067	7,387,929	5.4 %	37.5 %
All foreign born	27,944,658	26,697,190	1,247,468	4.5	34.0
Mexico	7,442,803	7,115,758	327,045	4.4	31.6
South and East Asia	7,420,783	7,136,449	284,334	3.8	35.9
Europe/Canada	3,282,495	3,156,502	125,993	3.8	41.8
Caribbean	2,772,011	2,612,855	159,156	5.7	34.0
Central America	2,394,337	2,289,651	104,686	4.4	27.4
South America	2,141,194	2,042,807	98,387	4.6	30.2
Middle East	1,012,169	951,095	61,074	6.0	39.8
Sub-Saharan Africa	1,317,065	1,238,766	78,299	5.9	24.8
All other	161,801	153,307	8,494	5.2	30.1
Total	163,692,654	155,057,257	8,635,397	5.3 %	36.9 %

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: 2017

Universe: 2017 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	24,061,445	3,766,151	27,827,596
Science and engineering	7,925,026	2,293,564	10,218,590
Legal, community and social services	4,651,054	501,731	5,152,785
Education, arts and media	13,680,295	1,822,168	15,502,463
Health care	12,533,874	2,460,109	14,993,983
Food preparation and serving	9,607,912	2,255,745	11,863,657
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance	5,557,999	2,413,531	7,971,530
Other services	9,839,229	1,860,929	11,700,158
Sales	17,401,227	2,602,731	20,003,958
Office and administrative support	21,953,959	2,761,036	24,714,995
Farming, fishing and forestry	906,113	577,090	1,483,203
Construction and extraction	7,383,653	2,470,720	9,854,373
Installation, repair and production	13,424,241	3,109,011	16,533,252
Transportation and material moving	10,341,439	2,300,402	12,641,841
Military	569,834	31,949	601,783
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	1,414,996	295,281	1,710,277
Total	161,252,296	31,522,148	192,774,444

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

Management and business	14.9 %	11.9 %	14.4 %
Science and engineering	4.9	7.3	5.3
Legal, community and social services	2.9	1.6	2.7
Education, arts and media	8.5	5.8	8.0
Health care	7.8	7.8	7.8
Food preparation and serving	6.0	7.2	6.2
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance	3.4	7.7	4.1
Other services	6.1	5.9	6.1
Sales	10.8	8.3	10.4
Office and administrative support	13.6	8.8	12.8
Farming, fishing and forestry	0.6	1.8	0.8
Construction and extraction	4.6	7.8	5.1
Installation, repair and production	8.3	9.9	8.6
Transportation and material moving	6.4	7.3	6.6
Military	0.4	0.1	0.3
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	0.9	0.9	0.9
Total	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %

Note: Occupations are the kind of work that people do on the job. Industry is the kind of business conducted by an employing organization.

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Occupation, by region of birth: 2017

Universe: 2017 foreign-born resident population ages 16 and older who worked in the past five years

Occupation group	Region of Birth								
	Mexico	South and East Asia	Europe/ Canada	Caribbean	Central America	South America	Middle East	Sub-Saharan Africa	All other
Management and business	467,052	1,406,265	776,306	266,712	155,319	311,492	187,461	156,776	38,768
Science and engineering	101,004	1,360,599	373,687	83,873	38,689	115,694	118,665	88,146	13,207
Legal, community and social services	62,209	129,335	95,962	66,837	32,291	48,352	20,041	41,941	4,763
Education, arts and media	214,577	592,845	402,134	150,851	69,119	177,234	114,100	83,875	17,433
Health care	191,960	900,511	334,836	418,821	87,118	149,792	100,356	262,524	14,191
Food preparation and serving	848,172	541,717	155,084	175,489	253,916	154,373	58,660	59,448	8,886
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance	1,080,142	199,000	129,798	237,784	441,235	233,922	21,498	61,541	8,611
Other services	334,776	597,976	213,535	256,132	109,348	148,506	62,594	127,702	10,360
Sales	491,892	809,033	345,540	255,131	161,396	242,326	164,658	117,509	15,246
Office and administrative support	542,007	767,533	388,106	340,318	199,309	260,595	107,075	135,336	20,757
Farming, fishing and forestry	479,327	21,232	9,350	11,951	43,236	6,191	***	3,564	1,664
Construction and extraction	1,331,894	107,357	184,408	176,011	430,846	189,955	23,147	22,472	4,630
Installation, repair and production	1,223,914	649,090	256,220	279,924	322,078	187,362	67,656	107,462	15,305
Transportation and material moving	772,432	336,960	187,682	320,852	248,788	164,659	95,677	162,996	10,356
Military	4,528	11,168	4,589	4,919	1,623	3,076	***	1,647	***
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	73,327	74,285	21,320	39,993	26,507	20,035	18,674	20,199	***
Total	8,219,213	8,504,906	3,878,557	3,085,598	2,620,818	2,413,564	1,161,017	1,453,138	185,337
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION									
Management and business	5.7 %	16.5 %	20.0 %	8.6 %	5.9 %	12.9 %	16.1 %	10.8 %	20.9 %
Science and engineering	1.2	16.0	9.6	2.7	1.5	4.8	10.2	6.1	7.1
Legal, community and social services	0.8	1.5	2.5	2.2	1.2	2.0	1.7	2.9	2.6
Education, arts and media	2.6	7.0	10.4	4.9	2.6	7.3	9.8	5.8	9.4
Health care	2.3	10.6	8.6	13.6	3.3	6.2	8.6	18.1	7.7
Food preparation and serving	10.3	6.4	4.0	5.7	9.7	6.4	5.1	4.1	4.8
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance	13.1	2.3	3.3	7.7	16.8	9.7	1.9	4.2	4.6
Other services	4.1	7.0	5.5	8.3	4.2	6.2	5.4	8.8	5.6
Sales	6.0	9.5	8.9	8.3	6.2	10.0	14.2	8.1	8.2
Office and administrative support	6.6	9.0	10.0	11.0	7.6	10.8	9.2	9.3	11.2
Farming, fishing and forestry	5.8	0.2	0.2	0.4	1.6	0.3	<0.05	0.2	0.9
Construction and extraction	16.2	1.3	4.8	5.7	16.4	7.9	2.0	1.5	2.5
Installation, repair and production	14.9	7.6	6.6	9.1	12.3	7.8	5.8	7.4	8.3
Transportation and material moving	9.4	4.0	4.8	10.4	9.5	6.8	8.2	11.2	5.6
Military	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	<0.05	0.1	0.1
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	0.9	0.9	0.5	1.3	1.0	0.8	1.6	1.4	0.5
Total	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %

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Statistical Portrait of the Foreign-Born Population in the United States, 2017

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Detailed occupation, by nativity: 2017

Universe: 2017 resident population ages 16 and older who worked in the past five years

Occupation group	U.S. born	Foreign born	Total population
Management	16,324,983	2,556,598	18,881,581
Business operations	4,366,381	593,570	4,959,951
Financial	3,370,081	615,983	3,986,064
Computer and mathematical	3,979,062	1,325,066	5,304,128
Architecture and engineering	2,684,988	623,127	3,308,115
Life, physical and social sciences	1,260,976	345,371	1,606,347
Community and social services	2,873,861	330,862	3,204,723
Legal	1,777,193	170,869	1,948,062
Education, training and library	10,194,697	1,317,806	11,512,503
Arts, design, entertainment, sports and media	3,485,598	504,362	3,989,960
Health care practitioners and technical	9,063,002	1,605,929	10,668,931
Health care support	3,470,872	854,180	4,325,052
Protective service	3,718,637	317,547	4,036,184
Food preparation and serving	9,607,912	2,255,745	11,863,657
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance	5,557,999	2,413,531	7,971,530
Personal care and service	6,120,592	1,543,382	7,663,974
Sales	17,401,227	2,602,731	20,003,958
Office and administrative support	21,953,959	2,761,036	24,714,995
Farming, fishing and forestry	906,113	577,090	1,483,203
Construction trades	7,190,424	2,444,867	9,635,291
Extraction workers	193,229	25,853	219,082
Installation, maintenance and repair workers	4,809,537	802,660	5,612,197
Production	8,614,704	2,306,351	10,921,055
Transportation and material moving	10,341,439	2,300,402	12,641,841
Military	569,834	31,949	601,783
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	1,414,996	295,281	1,710,277
Total	161,252,296	31,522,148	192,774,444

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

Management	10.1 %	8.1 %	9.8 %
Business operations	2.7	1.9	2.6
Financial	2.1	2.0	2.1
Computer and mathematical	2.5	4.2	2.8
Architecture and engineering	1.7	2.0	1.7
Life, physical and social sciences	0.8	1.1	0.8
Community and social services	1.8	1.0	1.7
Legal	1.1	0.5	1.0
Education, training and library	6.3	4.2	6.0
Arts, design, entertainment, sports and media	2.2	1.6	2.1
Health care practitioners and technical	5.6	5.1	5.5
Health care support	2.2	2.7	2.2
Protective service	2.3	1.0	2.1
Food preparation and serving	6.0	7.2	6.2
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance	3.4	7.7	4.1
Personal care and service	3.8	4.9	4.0
Sales	10.8	8.3	10.4
Office and administrative support	13.6	8.8	12.8
Farming, fishing and forestry	0.6	1.8	0.8
Construction trades	4.5	7.8	5.0
Extraction workers	0.1	0.1	0.1
Installation, maintenance and repair workers	3.0	2.5	2.9
Production	5.3	7.3	5.7
Transportation and material moving	6.4	7.3	6.6
Military	0.4	0.1	0.3
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	0.9	0.9	0.9
Total	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %

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"Statistical Portrait of the Foreign-Born Population in the United States, 2017"

Detailed occupation, by region of birth: 2017

Universe: 2017 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	362,847	879,245	546,873	174,975	114,265	218,446	139,630	95,929	24,388
Business operations	60,715	235,306	120,034	46,750	21,191	48,575	24,431	27,587	8,981
Financial	43,490	291,714	109,399	44,987	19,863	44,471	23,400	33,260	5,399
Computer and mathematical	42,616	875,687	187,091	44,323	19,145	53,699	48,343	47,840	6,322
Architecture and engineering	40,968	315,150	111,134	27,787	12,811	40,490	47,995	22,842	3,950
Life, physical and social sciences	17,420	169,762	75,462	11,763	6,733	21,505	22,327	17,464	2,935
Community and social services	46,446	80,096	51,057	49,497	24,537	31,105	12,079	33,426	2,619
Legal	15,763	49,239	44,905	17,340	7,754	17,247	7,962	8,515	2,144
Education, training and library	156,382	450,357	264,074	120,007	50,086	121,245	85,733	60,795	9,127
Arts, design, entertainment, sports and media	58,195	142,488	138,060	30,844	19,033	55,989	28,367	23,080	8,306
Health care practitioners and technical	82,615	718,468	247,735	168,653	45,012	85,777	86,320	161,445	9,904
Health care support	109,345	182,043	87,101	250,168	42,106	64,015	14,036	101,079	4,287
Protective service	52,390	48,719	43,212	75,490	18,636	26,804	15,036	33,669	3,591
Food preparation and serving	848,172	541,717	155,084	175,489	253,916	154,373	58,660	59,448	8,886
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance	1,080,142	199,000	129,798	237,784	441,235	233,922	21,498	61,541	8,611
Personal care and service	282,386	549,257	170,323	180,642	90,712	121,702	47,558	94,033	6,769
Sales	491,892	809,033	345,540	255,131	161,396	242,326	164,658	117,509	15,246
Office and administrative support	542,007	767,533	388,106	340,318	199,309	260,595	107,075	135,336	20,757
Farming, fishing and forestry	479,327	21,232	9,350	11,951	43,236	6,191	575	3,564	1,664
Construction trades	1,313,222	106,804	182,420	175,197	428,169	189,230	23,061	22,167	4,597
Extraction workers	18,672	***	1,988	***	2,677	***	***	***	***
Installation, maintenance and repair workers	282,552	118,785	90,089	100,051	92,236	64,632	26,378	22,977	4,960
Production	941,362	530,305	166,131	179,873	229,842	122,730	41,278	84,485	10,345
Transportation and material moving	772,432	338,960	187,682	320,852	248,788	184,659	95,677	162,996	10,356
Military	4,528	11,168	4,589	4,919	1,623	3,076	***	1,647	***
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	73,327	74,285	21,320	39,993	26,507	20,035	18,674	20,199	***
Total	8,219,213	8,504,906	3,878,557	3,085,598	2,620,818	2,413,564	1,161,017	1,453,138	185,337
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION									
Management	4.4 %	10.3 %	14.1 %	5.7 %	4.4 %	9.1 %	12.0 %	6.6 %	13.2 %
Business operations	0.7	2.8	3.1	1.5	0.8	2.0	2.1	1.9	4.8
Financial	0.5	3.4	2.8	1.5	0.8	1.8	2.0	2.3	2.9
Computer and mathematical	0.5	10.3	4.8	1.4	0.7	2.2	4.2	3.3	3.4
Architecture and engineering	0.5	3.7	2.9	0.9	0.5	1.7	4.1	1.6	2.1
Life, physical and social sciences	0.2	2.0	1.9	0.4	0.3	0.9	1.9	1.2	1.6
Community and social services	0.6	0.9	1.3	1.6	0.9	1.3	1.0	2.3	1.4
Legal	0.2	0.6	1.2	0.6	0.3	0.7	0.7	0.6	1.2
Education, training and library	1.9	5.3	6.8	3.9	1.9	5.0	7.4	4.2	4.9
Arts, design, entertainment, sports and media	0.7	1.7	3.6	1.0	0.7	2.3	2.4	1.6	4.5
Health care practitioners and technical	1.0	8.4	6.4	5.5	1.7	3.6	7.4	11.1	5.3
Health care support	1.3	2.1	2.2	8.1	1.6	2.7	1.2	7.0	2.3
Protective service	0.6	0.6	1.1	2.4	0.7	1.1	1.3	2.3	1.9
Food preparation and serving	10.3	6.4	4.0	5.7	9.7	6.4	5.1	4.1	4.8
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance	13.1	2.3	3.3	7.7	16.8	9.7	1.9	4.2	4.6
Personal care and service	3.4	6.5	4.4	5.9	3.5	5.0	4.1	6.5	3.7
Sales	6.0	9.5	8.9	8.3	6.2	10.0	14.2	8.1	8.2
Office and administrative support	6.6	9.0	10.0	11.0	7.6	10.8	9.2	9.3	11.2
Farming, fishing and forestry	5.8	0.2	0.2	0.4	1.6	0.3	<0.05	0.2	0.9
Construction trades	16.0	1.3	4.7	5.7	16.3	7.8	2.0	1.5	2.5
Extraction workers	0.2	<0.05	0.1	<0.05	0.1	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Installation, maintenance and repair workers	3.4	1.4	2.3	3.2	3.5	2.7	2.3	1.6	2.7
Production	11.5	6.2	4.3	5.8	8.8	5.1	3.6	5.8	5.6
Transportation and material moving	9.4	4.0	4.8	10.4	9.5	6.8	8.2	11.2	5.6
Military	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	<0.05	0.1	0.1
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	0.9	0.9	0.5	1.3	1.0	0.8	1.6	1.4	0.5
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: 2017

Universe: 2017 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	2,677,030	771,852	3,448,882
Utilities	1,385,853	135,581	1,521,434
Construction	9,635,796	2,813,911	12,449,707
Manufacturing - durable and nondurable goods	15,223,981	3,412,492	18,636,473
Wholesale and retail trade, transportation, warehousing	29,849,516	5,333,820	35,183,336
Information and communications	3,242,736	508,438	3,751,174
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	10,220,922	1,686,616	11,907,538
Business services	17,756,638	4,130,013	21,886,651
Educational, health and social services	36,893,140	6,096,402	42,989,542
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodations, food services	16,433,126	3,575,197	20,008,323
Other services (except public administration)	7,520,349	1,956,570	9,476,919
Public administration	7,897,916	739,805	8,637,721
Active-duty military	1,100,297	66,170	1,166,467
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	1,414,996	295,281	1,710,277
Total	161,252,296	31,522,148	192,774,444

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

Agriculture, forestry, fishing and mining	1.7 %	2.4 %	1.8 %
Utilities	0.9	0.4	0.8
Construction	6.0	8.9	6.5
Manufacturing - durable and nondurable goods	9.4	10.8	9.7
Wholesale and retail trade, transportation, warehousing	18.5	16.9	18.3
Information and communications	2.0	1.6	1.9
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	6.3	5.4	6.2
Business services	11.0	13.1	11.4
Educational, health and social services	22.9	19.3	22.3
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodations, food services	10.2	11.3	10.4
Other services (except public administration)	4.7	6.2	4.9
Public administration	4.9	2.3	4.5
Active-duty military	0.7	0.2	0.6
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	0.9	0.9	0.9
Total	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %

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Industry, by region of birth: 2017

Universe: 2017 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	589,272	48,078	33,988	15,312	50,635	16,752	5,842	7,263	4,710
Utilities	28,955	43,388	20,099	15,278	9,090	7,630	4,469	5,740	***
Construction	1,416,540	165,367	254,820	202,436	462,188	229,514	44,392	31,042	7,612
Manufacturing - durable and nondurable goods	1,101,108	1,042,181	390,371	218,599	248,776	189,465	88,872	115,135	17,985
Wholesale and retail trade, transportation, warehousing	1,206,296	1,376,582	616,919	624,883	425,049	446,144	286,399	319,101	32,447
Information and communications	50,927	191,368	104,997	42,985	18,184	46,544	23,978	22,639	6,816
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	195,481	615,133	297,736	173,705	92,627	163,973	69,807	65,772	12,382
Business services	931,262	1,268,875	601,846	314,210	354,556	326,822	152,535	153,335	26,572
Educational, health and social services	834,975	1,964,716	909,349	840,281	312,649	442,274	271,067	481,623	39,468
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodations, food services	1,167,015	924,427	315,880	304,288	361,640	264,103	108,134	109,685	20,025
Other services (except public administration)	507,695	540,394	188,028	187,295	215,197	192,269	52,890	64,213	8,589
Public administration	109,457	225,691	115,971	95,295	40,460	60,489	32,977	53,468	5,997
Active-duty military	6,903	24,421	7,233	11,038	3,260	7,550	***	3,923	***
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	73,327	74,285	21,320	39,993	26,507	20,035	18,674	20,199	***
Total	8,219,213	8,504,906	3,878,557	3,085,598	2,620,818	2,413,564	1,161,017	1,453,138	185,337

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

Agriculture, forestry, fishing and mining	7.2 %	0.6 %	0.9 %	0.5 %	1.9 %	0.7 %	0.5 %	0.5 %	2.5 %
Utilities	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5
Construction	17.2	1.9	6.6	6.6	17.6	9.5	3.8	2.1	4.1
Manufacturing - durable and nondurable goods	13.4	12.3	10.1	7.1	9.5	7.9	7.7	7.9	9.7
Wholesale and retail trade, transportation, warehousing	14.7	16.2	15.9	20.3	16.2	18.5	24.7	22.0	17.5
Information and communications	0.6	2.3	2.7	1.4	0.7	1.9	2.1	1.6	3.7
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	2.4	7.2	7.7	5.6	3.5	6.8	6.0	4.5	6.7
Business services	11.3	14.9	15.5	10.2	13.5	13.5	13.1	10.6	14.3
Educational, health and social services	10.2	23.1	23.4	27.2	11.9	18.3	23.3	33.1	21.3
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodations, food services	14.2	10.9	8.1	9.9	13.8	10.9	9.3	7.5	10.8
Other services (except public administration)	6.2	6.4	4.8	6.1	8.2	8.0	4.6	4.4	4.6
Public administration	1.3	2.7	3.0	3.1	1.5	2.5	2.8	3.7	3.2
Active-duty military	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.5
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	0.9	0.9	0.5	1.3	1.0	0.8	1.6	1.4	0.5
Total	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %

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Industry	U.S. born	Foreign born	Total population
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	1,894,326	671,550	2,565,876
Mining	782,704	100,302	883,006
Utilities	1,385,853	135,581	1,521,434
Construction	9,635,796	2,813,911	12,449,707
Manufacturing - nondurable goods	5,805,540	1,482,831	7,288,371
Manufacturing - durable goods	9,418,441	1,929,661	11,348,102
Wholesale trade	3,887,941	800,856	4,688,797
Retail trade	19,056,813	2,923,442	21,980,255
Transportation and warehousing	6,904,762	1,609,522	8,514,284
Information and communications	3,242,736	508,438	3,751,174
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	10,220,922	1,686,616	11,907,538
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, waste management services	17,756,638	4,130,013	21,886,651
Educational, health and social services	36,893,140	6,096,402	42,989,542
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodations, and food services	16,433,126	3,575,197	20,008,323
Other services (except public administration)	7,520,349	1,956,570	9,476,919
Public administration	7,897,916	739,805	8,637,721
Active-duty military	1,100,297	66,170	1,166,467
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	1,414,996	295,281	1,710,277
Total	161,252,296	31,522,148	192,774,444
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	1.2 %	2.1 %	1.3 %
Mining	0.5	0.3	0.5
Utilities	0.9	0.4	0.8
Construction	6.0	8.9	6.5
Manufacturing - nondurable goods	3.6	4.7	3.8
Manufacturing - durable goods	5.8	6.1	5.9
Wholesale trade	2.4	2.5	2.4
Retail trade	11.8	9.3	11.4
Transportation and warehousing	4.3	5.1	4.4
Information and communications	2.0	1.6	1.9
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	6.3	5.4	6.2
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, waste management services	11.0	13.1	11.4
Educational, health and social services	22.9	19.3	22.3
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodations, and food services	10.2	11.3	10.4
Other services (except public administration)	4.7	6.2	4.9
Public administration	4.9	2.3	4.5
Active-duty military	0.7	0.2	0.6
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	0.9	0.9	0.9
Total	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %

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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	542,876	31,053	18,429	12,473	46,629	9,072	3,459	4,787	2,772
Mining	46,396	17,025	15,559	2,839	4,006	7,680	2,383	2,476	1,938
Utilities	28,955	43,388	20,099	15,278	9,090	7,630	4,469	5,740	***
Construction	1,416,540	165,367	254,820	202,436	462,188	229,514	44,392	31,042	7,612
Manufacturing - nondurable goods	565,268	360,865	121,882	112,700	141,030	85,194	30,421	55,410	10,061
Manufacturing - durable goods	535,840	681,316	268,489	105,899	107,746	104,271	58,451	59,725	7,924
Wholesale trade	230,818	214,361	84,803	67,226	65,192	72,942	33,040	28,086	4,388
Retail trade	637,521	838,421	346,182	302,819	218,956	237,463	171,922	152,065	18,093
Transportation and warehousing	337,957	323,800	185,934	254,838	140,901	135,739	81,437	138,950	9,966
Information and communications	50,927	191,368	104,997	42,985	18,184	46,544	23,978	22,639	6,816
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	195,481	615,133	297,736	173,705	92,627	163,973	69,807	65,772	12,382
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, waste management services	931,262	1,268,875	601,846	314,210	354,556	326,822	152,535	153,335	26,572
Educational, health and social services	834,975	1,964,716	909,349	840,281	312,649	442,274	271,067	481,623	39,468
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodations, and food services	1,167,015	924,427	315,880	304,288	361,640	264,103	108,134	109,685	20,025
Other services (except public administration)	507,695	540,394	188,028	187,295	215,197	192,269	52,890	64,213	8,589
Public administration	109,457	225,691	115,971	95,295	40,460	60,489	32,977	53,468	5,997
Active-duty military	6,903	24,421	7,233	11,038	3,260	7,550	***	3,923	***
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	73,327	74,285	21,320	39,993	26,507	20,035	18,674	20,199	***
Total	8,219,213	8,504,906	3,878,557	3,085,598	2,620,818	2,413,564	1,161,017	1,453,138	185,337

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	6.6 %	0.4 %	0.5 %	0.4 %	1.8 %	0.4 %	0.3 %	0.3 %	1.5 %
Mining	0.6	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	1.0
Utilities	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5
Construction	17.2	1.9	6.6	6.6	17.6	9.5	3.8	2.1	4.1
Manufacturing - nondurable goods	6.9	4.2	3.1	3.7	5.4	3.5	2.6	3.8	5.4
Manufacturing - durable goods	6.5	8.0	6.9	3.4	4.1	4.3	5.0	4.1	4.3
Wholesale trade	2.8	2.5	2.2	2.2	2.5	3.0	2.8	1.9	2.4
Retail trade	7.8	9.9	8.9	9.8	8.4	9.8	14.8	10.5	9.8
Transportation and warehousing	4.1	3.8	4.8	8.3	5.4	5.6	7.0	9.6	5.4
Information and communications	0.6	2.3	2.7	1.4	0.7	1.9	2.1	1.6	3.7
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	2.4	7.2	7.7	5.6	3.5	6.8	6.0	4.5	6.7
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, waste management services	11.3	14.9	15.5	10.2	13.5	13.5	13.1	10.6	14.3
Educational, health and social services	10.2	23.1	23.4	27.2	11.9	18.3	23.3	33.1	21.3
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodations, and food services	14.2	10.9	8.1	9.9	13.8	10.9	9.3	7.5	10.8
Other services (except public administration)	6.2	6.4	4.8	6.1	8.2	8.0	4.6	4.4	4.6
Public administration	1.3	2.7	3.0	3.1	1.5	2.5	2.8	3.7	3.2
Active-duty military	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.5
Unemployed, no work experience in past five years	0.9	0.9	0.5	1.3	1.0	0.8	1.6	1.4	0.5
Total	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %

Note: The symbol *** indicates insufficient number of observations to provide a reliable estimate. Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan. Occupations are the kind of work that people do on the job. Industry is the kind of business conducted by an employing organization.

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Persons, by personal earnings, nativity and region of birth: 2017

Universe: 2017 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	43,283,863	50,101,419	49,309,095	142,694,377
All foreign born	8,301,375	11,430,563	8,826,576	28,558,514
Mexico	2,587,613	3,857,591	1,132,258	7,577,462
South and East Asia	1,845,618	2,334,586	3,433,126	7,613,330
Europe/Canada	748,404	1,022,353	1,641,546	3,412,303
Caribbean	886,561	1,239,494	672,489	2,798,544
Central America	843,207	1,186,930	398,954	2,429,091
South America	654,748	906,420	629,610	2,190,778
Middle East	293,787	302,724	434,229	1,030,740
Sub-Saharan Africa	402,790	524,636	410,408	1,337,834
All other	38,647	55,829	73,956	168,432
Total	51,585,238	61,531,982	58,135,671	171,252,891

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	30.3 %	35.1 %	34.6 %	100.0 %
All foreign born	29.1	40.0	30.9	100.0
Mexico	34.1	50.9	14.9	100.0
South and East Asia	24.2	30.7	45.1	100.0
Europe/Canada	21.9	30.0	48.1	100.0
Caribbean	31.7	44.3	24.0	100.0
Central America	34.7	48.9	16.4	100.0
South America	29.9	41.4	28.7	100.0
Middle East	28.5	29.4	42.1	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	30.1	39.2	30.7	100.0
All other	22.9	33.1	43.9	100.0
All	30.1 %	35.9 %	33.9 %	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: 2017

Universe: 2017 resident population ages 16 and older with positive earnings

All U.S. born	\$ 34,000
All foreign born	30,000
Mexico	25,000
South and East Asia	41,000
Europe/Canada	46,000
Caribbean	28,000
Central America	25,000
South America	30,000
Middle East	40,000
Sub-Saharan Africa	30,000
All other	40,000
All	\$ 33,000

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: 2017

Universe: 2017 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	8,269,615	39,885,819	45,044,983	93,200,417
All foreign born	2,597,009	9,355,821	8,050,258	20,003,088
Mexico	999,015	3,337,279	1,051,638	5,387,932
South and East Asia	452,390	1,794,813	3,123,376	5,370,579
Europe/Canada	133,821	726,542	1,473,978	2,334,341
Caribbean	317,552	1,061,076	623,345	2,001,973
Central America	342,353	1,028,686	367,638	1,738,677
South America	180,027	731,423	582,662	1,494,112
Middle East	62,496	219,564	387,673	669,733
Sub-Saharan Africa	100,948	413,585	374,268	888,801
All other	8,407	42,853	65,680	116,940
Total	10,866,624	49,241,640	53,095,241	113,203,505

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	8.9 %	42.8 %	48.3 %	100.0 %
All foreign born	13.0	46.8	40.2	100.0
Mexico	18.5	61.9	19.5	100.0
South and East Asia	8.4	33.4	58.2	100.0
Europe/Canada	5.7	31.1	63.1	100.0
Caribbean	15.9	53.0	31.1	100.0
Central America	19.7	59.2	21.1	100.0
South America	12.0	49.0	39.0	100.0
Middle East	9.3	32.8	57.9	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	11.4	46.5	42.1	100.0
All other	7.2	36.6	56.2	100.0
All	9.6 %	43.5 %	46.9 %	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 for full-time, year-round workers, by nativity and region of birth: 2017

Universe: 2017 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	\$ 48,000
All foreign born	40,000
Mexico	30,000
South and East Asia	60,000
Europe/Canada	60,000
Caribbean	35,000
Central America	30,000
South America	40,000
Middle East	58,000
Sub-Saharan Africa	40,000
All other	56,000
All	\$ 45,400

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: 2017

Universe: 2017 households

	1st quintile (Up to \$24,170)	2nd quintile (\$24,171-\$46,700)	3rd quintile (\$46,701-\$75,000)	4th quintile (\$75,001-\$120,000)	5th quintile (\$120,001+)	Total
All U.S. born	20,194,131	20,172,134	20,996,471	20,298,586	20,242,279	101,903,601
All foreign born	3,818,687	3,872,253	3,610,204	3,249,538	3,608,484	18,159,166
Mexico	1,065,577	1,328,711	1,082,949	690,746	352,234	4,520,217
South and East Asia	778,083	663,721	771,178	966,298	1,523,961	4,703,241
Europe/Canada	539,565	482,318	483,298	522,761	767,096	2,795,038
Caribbean	504,124	434,328	385,177	306,963	237,348	1,867,940
Central America	291,311	365,163	301,481	217,706	131,638	1,307,299
South America	246,029	274,328	278,144	252,971	237,439	1,288,911
Middle East	202,067	127,155	130,935	129,066	182,145	771,388
Sub-Saharan Africa	179,441	182,358	158,442	144,777	142,468	807,486
All other	12,490	14,171	18,600	18,230	34,155	97,646
Total	24,012,818	24,044,387	24,606,675	23,548,124	23,850,763	120,062,767

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	19.8 %	19.8 %	20.6 %	19.9 %	19.9 %	100.0 %
All foreign born	21.0	21.3	19.9	17.9	19.9	100.0
Mexico	23.6	29.4	24.0	15.3	7.8	100.0
South and East Asia	16.5	14.1	16.4	20.5	32.4	100.0
Europe/Canada	19.3	17.3	17.3	18.7	27.4	100.0
Caribbean	27.0	23.3	20.6	16.4	12.7	100.0
Central America	22.3	27.9	23.1	16.7	10.1	100.0
South America	19.1	21.3	21.6	19.6	18.4	100.0
Middle East	26.2	16.5	17.0	16.7	23.6	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	22.2	22.6	19.6	17.9	17.6	100.0
All other	12.8	14.5	19.0	18.7	35.0	100.0
All	20.0 %	20.0 %	20.5 %	19.6 %	19.9 %	100.0 %

Note: Quintiles are based upon 2017 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.

Source: Pew Research Center tabulations of 2017 American Community Survey (1% IPUMS).

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Median household income, by nativity and region of birth: 2017

All U.S. born	\$ 60,000
All foreign born	56,000
Mexico	44,000
South and East Asia	80,400
Europe/Canada	68,000
Caribbean	46,200
Central America	46,300
South America	58,000
Middle East	58,000
Sub-Saharan Africa	52,730
All other	81,000
All	\$ 60,000

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: 2017

Based on 2017 poverty universe*

	PERSONS IN POVERTY			
	Younger than 18	18 to 64	65 and older	Total
All U.S. born	12,995,790	19,593,706	3,503,011	36,092,507
All foreign born	674,574	4,939,043	1,047,972	6,661,589
Mexico	155,932	1,755,319	217,498	2,128,749
South and East Asia	118,143	1,021,737	260,729	1,400,609
Europe/Canada	42,489	324,921	198,840	566,250
Caribbean	65,693	474,173	175,932	715,798
Central America	87,290	503,548	53,940	644,778
South America	45,304	290,754	70,176	406,234
Middle East	75,310	280,483	48,519	404,312
Sub-Saharan Africa	82,010	265,383	19,889	367,282
All other	2,403	22,725	2,449	27,577
Total	13,670,364	24,532,749	4,550,983	42,754,096

	POVERTY RATE (%)			
	Younger than 18	18 to 64	65 and older	Total
All U.S. born	18.5 %	12.1 %	8.2 %	13.2 %
All foreign born	26.5	14.3	15.4	15.2
Mexico	33.2	18.4	19.9	19.1
South and East Asia	16.5	11.0	13.2	11.7
Europe/Canada	16.3	8.6	11.6	9.8
Caribbean	25.2	14.7	20.7	16.5
Central America	33.5	17.3	18.2	18.6
South America	25.1	11.4	15.4	12.7
Middle East	43.5	20.5	18.2	22.3
Sub-Saharan Africa	39.9	17.1	14.6	19.4
All other	13.3	11.7	7.9	11.4
All	18.7 %	12.5 %	9.2 %	13.4 %

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: 2017

Universe: 2017 resident population

	PERSONS WITHOUT HEALTH INSURANCE			
	Younger than 18	18 to 64	65 and older	Total
All U.S. born	3,048,556	17,342,217	160,729	20,551,502
All foreign born	474,784	8,105,780	259,380	8,839,944
Citizen	38,221	1,652,755	44,279	1,735,255
Non-citizen	436,563	6,453,025	215,101	7,104,689
Total	3,523,340	25,447,997	420,109	29,391,446

	UNINSURED RATE (%)			
	Younger than 18	18 to 64	65 and older	Total
All U.S. born	4.3 %	10.4 %	0.4 %	7.3 %
All foreign born	18.4	23.2	3.7	19.9
Citizen	5.8	10.2	0.9	7.9
Non-citizen	22.8	34.4	12.2	31.6
All	4.8 %	12.6 %	0.8 %	9.0 %

Source: Pew Research Center tabulations of 2017 American Community Survey (1% IPUMS).

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Type of health insurance, by nativity and citizenship: 2017

Universe: 2017 resident population

	Private	Public	Both private and public	No coverage
All U.S. born	158,279,565	67,171,678	35,310,062	20,551,502
All foreign born	22,142,769	10,385,453	3,038,205	8,839,944
Citizen	12,144,590	5,670,885	2,395,978	1,735,255
Non-citizen	9,998,179	4,714,568	642,227	7,104,689
Total	180,422,334	77,557,131	38,348,267	29,391,446

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	56.3 %	23.9 %	12.6 %	7.3 %
All foreign born	49.9	23.4	6.8	19.9
Citizen	55.3	25.8	10.9	7.9
Non-citizen	44.5	21.0	2.9	31.6
All	55.4 %	23.8 %	11.8 %	9.0 %

Note: 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.

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Housing tenure, by nativity and region of birth: 2017

Universe: 2017 households

	Owner-occupied	Renter-occupied	Percent owner-occupied
All U.S. born	67,259,482	34,644,119	66.0 %
All foreign born	9,519,183	8,639,983	52.4
Mexico	2,186,648	2,333,569	48.4
South and East Asia	2,804,202	1,899,039	59.6
Europe/Canada	1,860,399	934,639	66.6
Caribbean	803,036	1,064,904	43.0
Central America	512,250	795,049	39.2
South America	632,838	656,073	49.1
Middle East	377,188	394,200	48.9
Sub-Saharan Africa	293,417	514,069	36.3
All other	49,205	48,441	50.4
Total	76,778,665	43,284,102	63.9 %

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.: 2017

Universe: 2017 foreign-born heads of households

	Household heads	Number of homeowners	Percent owning home
0 to 5 years	1,888,213	358,446	19.0 %
6 to 10 years	1,540,786	502,759	32.6
11 to 15 years	1,936,666	777,536	40.1
16 to 20 years	2,730,518	1,333,044	48.8
Over 20 years	10,062,983	6,547,398	65.1
Total	18,159,166	9,519,183	52.4 %

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: 2017

Universe: 2017 household population

	FAMILY HOUSEHOLD				Total
	Married couple	Female householder	Male householder	Non-family household	
All U.S. born	162,512,362	40,112,406	11,865,659	59,385,388	273,875,815
All foreign born	28,334,159	5,177,501	2,579,944	7,664,522	43,756,126
Mexico	7,167,808	1,380,058	766,232	1,787,784	11,101,882
South and East Asia	8,707,188	978,431	562,979	1,741,061	11,989,659
Europe/Canada	3,835,046	395,537	182,708	1,332,463	5,745,754
Caribbean	2,200,365	972,958	297,483	864,104	4,334,910
Central America	1,924,915	545,368	313,530	676,738	3,460,551
South America	1,995,309	431,260	197,202	560,751	3,184,522
Middle East	1,259,618	154,637	103,402	289,387	1,807,044
Sub-Saharan Africa	1,081,483	299,712	143,694	366,795	1,891,684
All other	162,427	19,540	12,714	45,439	240,120
Total	190,846,521	45,289,907	14,445,603	67,049,910	317,631,941

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	59.3 %	14.6 %	4.3 %	21.7 %	100.0 %
All foreign born	64.8	11.8	5.9	17.5	100.0
Mexico	64.6	12.4	6.9	16.1	100.0
South and East Asia	72.6	8.2	4.7	14.5	100.0
Europe/Canada	66.7	6.9	3.2	23.2	100.0
Caribbean	50.8	22.4	6.9	19.9	100.0
Central America	55.6	15.8	9.1	19.6	100.0
South America	62.7	13.5	6.2	17.6	100.0
Middle East	69.7	8.6	5.7	16.0	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	57.2	15.8	7.6	19.4	100.0
All other	67.6	8.1	5.3	18.9	100.0
All	60.1 %	14.3 %	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: 2017

Universe: 2017 households

	FAMILY HOUSEHOLD				Total
	Married couple	Female householder	Male householder	Non-family household	
All U.S. born	47,824,543	10,886,596	3,554,915	39,637,547	101,903,601
All foreign born	10,127,153	2,302,757	847,672	4,881,584	18,159,166
Mexico	2,630,762	670,170	258,937	960,348	4,520,217
South and East Asia	3,032,871	396,149	161,081	1,113,140	4,703,241
Europe/Canada	1,471,116	200,370	73,949	1,049,603	2,795,038
Caribbean	762,226	422,879	96,744	586,091	1,867,940
Central America	651,718	232,430	94,446	328,705	1,307,299
South America	687,901	182,381	68,181	350,448	1,288,911
Middle East	458,606	61,290	35,904	215,588	771,388
Sub-Saharan Africa	374,198	129,521	54,736	249,031	807,486
All other	57,755	7,567	3,694	28,630	97,646
Total	57,951,696	13,189,353	4,402,587	44,519,131	120,062,767

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	46.9 %	10.7 %	3.5 %	38.9 %	100.0 %
All foreign born	55.8	12.7	4.7	26.9	100.0
Mexico	58.2	14.8	5.7	21.2	100.0
South and East Asia	64.5	8.4	3.4	23.7	100.0
Europe/Canada	52.6	7.2	2.6	37.6	100.0
Caribbean	40.8	22.6	5.2	31.4	100.0
Central America	49.9	17.8	7.2	25.1	100.0
South America	53.4	14.2	5.3	27.2	100.0
Middle East	59.5	7.9	4.7	27.9	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	46.3	16.0	6.8	30.8	100.0
All other	59.1	7.7	3.8	29.3	100.0
All	48.3 %	11.0 %	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.

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Households, by family size, nativity and region of birth: 2017

Universe: 2017 family households

	Two-person families	Three- or four-person families	Five-person families or more	Total
All U.S. born	31,411,048	23,762,333	7,092,673	62,266,054
All foreign born	4,110,370	6,144,314	3,022,898	13,277,582
Mexico	761,341	1,734,864	1,404,871	3,901,076
South and East Asia	1,204,833	1,860,940	631,785	3,697,558
Europe/Canada	971,681	697,147	177,331	1,846,159
Caribbean	498,638	644,385	244,793	1,387,816
Central America	238,850	542,828	316,632	1,098,310
South America	347,597	502,992	155,291	1,005,880
Middle East	182,057	251,369	137,616	571,042
Sub-Saharan Africa	168,596	254,951	159,827	583,374
All other	25,219	31,824	18,907	75,950
Total	35,521,418	29,906,647	10,115,571	75,543,636

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	50.4 %	38.2 %	11.4 %	100.0 %
All foreign born	31.0	46.3	22.8	100.0
Mexico	19.5	44.5	36.0	100.0
South and East Asia	32.6	50.3	17.1	100.0
Europe/Canada	52.6	37.8	9.6	100.0
Caribbean	35.9	46.4	17.6	100.0
Central America	21.7	49.4	28.8	100.0
South America	34.6	50.0	15.4	100.0
Middle East	31.9	44.0	24.1	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	28.9	43.7	27.4	100.0
All other	33.2	41.9	24.9	100.0
All	47.0 %	39.6 %	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: 2017

Universe: 2017 resident population ages 17 and younger

	Parent householder	Grandparent householder	Other	Total
All U.S. born	62,210,045	5,824,338	2,950,082	70,984,465
All foreign born	2,154,862	122,916	301,655	2,579,433
Mexico	380,656	29,738	67,516	477,910
South and East Asia	624,163	30,158	67,386	721,707
Europe/Canada	237,169	6,232	21,192	264,593
Caribbean	208,988	22,810	32,925	264,723
Central America	192,562	17,586	56,377	266,525
South America	154,296	8,194	18,701	181,191
Middle East	163,313	2,275	8,609	174,197
Sub-Saharan Africa	178,545	4,940	26,601	210,086
All other	15,170	983	2,348	18,501
Total	64,364,907	5,947,254	3,251,737	73,563,898

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION

All U.S. born	87.6 %	8.2 %	4.2 %	100.0 %
All foreign born	83.5	4.8	11.7	100.0
Mexico	79.7	6.2	14.1	100.0
South and East Asia	86.5	4.2	9.3	100.0
Europe/Canada	89.6	2.4	8.0	100.0
Caribbean	78.9	8.6	12.4	100.0
Central America	72.2	6.6	21.2	100.0
South America	85.2	4.5	10.3	100.0
Middle East	93.8	1.3	4.9	100.0
Sub-Saharan Africa	85.0	2.4	12.7	100.0
All other	82.0	5.3	12.7	100.0
All	87.5 %	8.1 %	4.4 %	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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Foreign-born population, by region: 2017

Universe: 2017 resident population

	Foreign-born population	Total population	Percent foreign born
Northeast	9,438,443	56,470,581	16.7 %
Midwest	5,013,626	68,179,351	7.4
South	14,861,290	123,658,624	12.0
West	15,093,012	77,410,622	19.5
Total	44,406,371	325,719,178	13.6 %

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

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Nativity, by state: 2017

Universe: 2017 resident population

	Foreign-born population	U.S.-born population	Total population	Percent foreign born
California	10,620,982	28,915,671	39,536,653	26.9 %
Texas	4,848,984	23,455,612	28,304,596	17.1
New York	4,525,241	15,324,158	19,849,399	22.8
Florida	4,370,118	16,614,282	20,984,400	20.8
New Jersey	2,048,953	6,956,691	9,005,644	22.8
Illinois	1,824,508	10,977,515	12,802,023	14.3
Massachusetts	1,152,495	5,707,324	6,859,819	16.8
Washington	1,066,967	6,338,776	7,405,743	14.4
Georgia	1,059,476	9,369,903	10,429,379	10.2
Virginia	1,052,296	7,417,724	8,470,020	12.4
Arizona	931,480	6,084,790	7,016,270	13.3
Maryland	926,665	5,125,512	6,052,177	15.3
Pennsylvania	880,079	11,925,458	12,805,537	6.9
North Carolina	822,648	9,450,771	10,273,419	8.0
Michigan	705,183	9,257,128	9,962,311	7.1
Nevada	594,400	2,403,639	2,998,039	19.8
Colorado	554,728	5,052,426	5,607,154	9.9
Ohio	528,107	11,130,502	11,658,609	4.5
Connecticut	525,813	3,062,371	3,588,184	14.7
Minnesota	487,955	5,088,651	5,576,606	8.8
Oregon	402,068	3,740,708	4,142,776	9.7
Indiana	349,282	6,317,536	6,666,818	5.2
Tennessee	345,874	6,370,110	6,715,984	5.2
Wisconsin	287,136	5,508,347	5,795,483	5.0
Utah	272,168	2,829,665	3,101,833	8.8
Missouri	259,067	5,854,465	6,113,532	4.2
Hawaii	258,997	1,168,541	1,427,538	18.1
South Carolina	240,462	4,783,907	5,024,369	4.8
Oklahoma	225,048	3,705,816	3,930,864	5.7
Kansas	200,835	2,712,288	2,913,123	6.9
New Mexico	194,938	1,893,132	2,088,070	9.3
Louisiana	186,969	4,497,364	4,684,333	4.0
Alabama	175,012	4,699,735	4,874,747	3.6
Kentucky	173,489	4,280,700	4,454,189	3.9
Iowa	157,279	2,988,432	3,145,711	5.0
Nebraska	150,308	1,769,768	1,920,076	7.8
Arkansas	141,894	2,862,385	3,004,279	4.7
Rhode Island	141,713	917,926	1,059,639	13.4
District of Columbia	103,730	590,242	693,972	14.9
Idaho	95,020	1,621,923	1,716,943	5.5
Delaware	94,024	867,915	961,939	9.8
New Hampshire	85,218	1,257,577	1,342,795	6.3
Mississippi	64,716	2,919,384	2,984,100	2.2
Alaska	56,617	683,178	739,795	7.7
Maine	48,187	1,287,720	1,335,907	3.6
North Dakota	33,020	722,373	755,393	4.4
South Dakota	30,946	838,720	869,666	3.6
Vermont	30,744	592,913	623,657	4.9
West Virginia	29,885	1,785,972	1,815,857	1.6
Montana	24,171	1,026,322	1,050,493	2.3
Wyoming	20,476	558,839	579,315	3.5
Total	44,406,371	281,312,807	325,719,178	13.6 %

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Foreign born, by state and region of birth: 2017

Universe: 2017 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	10,620,982	4,079,391	3,684,030	911,831	71,408	874,124	279,514	499,373	142,482	78,829
Texas	4,848,984	2,536,761	934,819	251,234	106,560	462,673	163,918	142,800	238,911	11,308
New York	4,525,241	210,339	1,170,087	804,934	1,128,436	280,391	593,858	158,694	162,747	15,755
Florida	4,370,118	263,381	396,548	529,829	1,792,642	389,212	858,157	82,161	50,832	7,356
New Jersey	2,048,953	122,971	632,994	303,155	351,040	136,290	336,319	83,238	80,767	2,179
Illinois	1,824,508	659,035	476,842	398,767	29,002	62,102	55,588	82,802	54,987	5,383
Massachusetts	1,152,495	8,810	319,682	265,496	184,599	81,318	141,178	48,582	98,277	4,553
Washington	1,066,967	237,996	433,522	214,019	12,596	32,752	25,854	38,313	58,901	13,014
Georgia	1,059,476	243,242	298,405	116,599	102,986	97,464	70,923	37,529	87,919	4,409
Virginia	1,052,296	49,264	381,531	120,139	34,586	192,643	90,436	91,011	89,874	2,812
Arizona	931,480	503,579	161,998	128,482	14,521	31,036	21,302	36,692	27,696	6,174
Maryland	926,665	40,366	274,903	98,173	72,569	183,122	67,364	35,158	150,948	4,062
Pennsylvania	880,079	55,693	303,079	186,629	132,441	36,291	59,125	45,830	58,687	2,304
North Carolina	822,648	237,569	204,919	111,848	35,077	102,149	52,505	28,320	47,253	3,008
Michigan	705,183	76,973	231,274	167,789	18,105	18,206	18,656	133,619	38,432	2,129
Nevada	594,400	228,269	178,185	50,249	27,758	59,218	15,507	14,785	18,091	2,338
Colorado	554,728	234,816	123,545	89,161	11,558	17,795	20,093	19,311	33,991	4,458
Ohio	528,107	49,870	190,055	130,359	19,905	19,501	20,980	36,441	58,946	2,050
Connecticut	525,813	32,434	115,961	138,266	85,156	30,804	88,720	13,255	19,947	1,270
Minnesota	487,955	61,530	164,766	69,145	5,151	18,178	19,923	14,634	131,476	3,152
Oregon	402,068	138,391	124,853	78,838	7,151	10,178	9,000	13,196	14,790	5,671
Indiana	349,282	101,437	112,700	49,673	6,648	25,059	13,348	12,855	26,515	1,047
Tennessee	345,874	88,278	90,456	44,174	11,155	36,994	14,251	34,461	24,913	1,192
Wisconsin	287,136	75,540	112,150	55,242	3,973	9,862	6,588	9,213	13,990	***
Utah	272,168	102,190	53,496	41,548	2,692	20,313	29,660	5,628	8,839	7,802
Missouri	259,067	42,104	91,669	56,417	7,180	16,210	12,440	12,072	18,436	2,539
Hawaii	258,997	5,255	205,882	18,229	1,855	***	3,405	1,881	***	20,738
South Carolina	240,462	60,790	55,991	51,683	10,796	22,822	22,013	7,362	7,218	1,787
Oklahoma	225,048	100,055	60,020	16,805	3,739	14,897	8,648	8,517	7,066	5,301
Kansas	200,835	75,244	60,652	17,111	4,678	19,822	6,974	3,804	9,980	2,570
New Mexico	194,938	132,771	22,488	14,692	3,363	6,622	7,057	4,607	2,933	***
Louisiana	186,969	30,006	56,193	18,530	12,735	46,030	10,324	4,647	8,305	***
Alabama	175,012	49,351	50,310	23,126	5,143	22,480	7,899	5,502	9,720	1,481
Kentucky	173,489	32,077	48,404	30,821	13,854	9,665	6,848	6,252	23,526	2,042
Iowa	157,279	37,481	60,489	17,720	4,580	10,558	4,269	7,560	12,698	1,924
Nebraska	150,308	53,259	38,199	12,348	5,094	17,155	3,640	8,433	11,872	***
Arkansas	141,894	56,814	33,482	10,629	1,797	21,372	3,938	4,143	2,324	7,395
Rhode Island	141,713	2,047	26,571	30,428	30,272	21,681	11,701	3,816	15,034	***
District of Columbia	103,730	5,989	19,226	22,325	6,245	21,197	8,507	5,113	14,535	***
Idaho	95,020	47,956	15,479	18,764	***	2,059	3,678	2,368	3,314	1,186
Delaware	94,024	17,462	29,521	10,208	11,200	8,848	4,545	4,830	6,828	***
New Hampshire	85,218	3,372	29,846	31,332	5,213	***	4,201	5,919	4,085	***
Mississippi	64,716	19,806	20,525	8,953	3,773	4,994	2,638	2,366	1,203	***
Alaska	56,617	2,916	30,100	11,109	1,601	1,947	2,833	1,002	1,363	3,746
Maine	48,187	***	11,892	19,834	2,008	1,529	3,690	1,891	7,059	***
North Dakota	33,020	4,635	9,272	7,103	***	***	2,878	2,183	5,475	***
South Dakota	30,946	4,573	7,210	6,130	1,146	3,698	***	***	6,739	***
Vermont	30,744	***	9,466	15,702	***	***	1,601	***	2,311	***
West Virginia	29,885	***	9,020	8,565	***	1,349	1,142	3,714	4,523	***
Montana	24,171	5,326	5,051	10,849	***	***	***	***	***	***
Wyoming	20,476	7,866	3,089	5,153	***	2,317	***	***	***	***
Total	44,406,371	11,236,543	12,180,847	5,850,245	4,405,841	3,507,296	3,219,623	1,829,494	1,928,329	248,153

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Share of foreign born, by state and region of birth: 2017

Universe: 2017 foreign-born resident population

	Percent of foreign born	Mexico	South and East Asia	Europe/ Canada	Caribbean	Central America	South America	Middle East	Sub-Saharan Africa	All other
California	23.9 %	36.3 %	30.2 %	15.6 %	1.6 %	24.9 %	8.7 %	27.3 %	7.4 %	31.8 %
Texas	10.9	22.6	7.7	4.3	2.4	13.2	5.1	7.8	12.4	4.6
New York	10.2	1.9	9.6	13.8	25.6	8.0	18.4	8.7	8.4	6.3
Florida	9.8	2.3	3.3	9.1	40.7	11.1	26.7	4.5	2.6	3.0
New Jersey	4.6	1.1	5.2	5.2	8.0	3.9	10.4	4.5	4.2	0.9
Illinois	4.1	5.9	3.9	6.8	0.7	1.8	1.7	4.5	2.9	2.2
Massachusetts	2.6	0.1	2.6	4.5	4.2	2.3	4.4	2.7	5.1	1.8
Washington	2.4	2.1	3.6	3.7	0.3	0.9	0.8	2.1	3.1	5.2
Georgia	2.4	2.2	2.4	2.0	2.3	2.8	2.2	2.1	4.6	1.8
Virginia	2.4	0.4	3.1	2.1	0.8	5.5	2.8	5.0	4.7	1.1
Arizona	2.1	4.5	1.3	2.2	0.3	0.9	0.7	2.0	1.4	2.5
Maryland	2.1	0.4	2.3	1.7	1.6	5.2	2.1	1.9	7.8	1.6
Pennsylvania	2.0	0.5	2.5	3.2	3.0	1.0	1.8	2.5	3.0	0.9
North Carolina	1.9	2.1	1.7	1.9	0.8	2.9	1.6	1.5	2.5	1.2
Michigan	1.6	0.7	1.9	2.9	0.4	0.5	0.6	7.3	2.0	0.9
Nevada	1.3	2.0	1.5	0.9	0.6	1.7	0.5	0.8	0.9	0.9
Colorado	1.2	2.1	1.0	1.5	0.3	0.5	0.6	1.1	1.8	1.8
Ohio	1.2	0.4	1.6	2.2	0.5	0.6	0.7	2.0	3.1	0.8
Connecticut	1.2	0.3	1.0	2.4	1.9	0.9	2.8	0.7	1.0	0.5
Minnesota	1.1	0.5	1.4	1.2	0.1	0.5	0.6	0.8	6.8	1.3
Oregon	0.9	1.2	1.0	1.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.7	0.8	2.3
Indiana	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.2	0.7	0.4	0.7	1.4	0.4
Tennessee	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.3	1.1	0.4	1.9	1.3	0.5
Wisconsin	0.6	0.7	0.9	0.9	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.7	0.2
Utah	0.6	0.9	0.4	0.7	0.1	0.6	0.9	0.3	0.5	3.1
Missouri	0.6	0.4	0.8	1.0	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.7	1.0	1.0
Hawaii	0.6	<0.05	1.7	0.3	<0.05	<0.05	0.1	0.1	<0.05	8.4
South Carolina	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.9	0.2	0.7	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.7
Oklahoma	0.5	0.9	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.4	2.1
Kansas	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.5	1.0
New Mexico	0.4	1.2	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2
Louisiana	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.3	1.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.1
Alabama	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.6	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.6
Kentucky	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	1.2	0.8
Iowa	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.7	0.8
Nebraska	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.1	0.5	0.6	0.1
Arkansas	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.2	<0.05	0.6	0.1	0.2	0.1	3.0
Rhode Island	0.3	<0.05	0.2	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.2	0.8	0.1
District of Columbia	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.8	0.2
Idaho	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.3	<0.05	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.5
Delaware	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.2
New Hampshire	0.2	<0.05	0.2	0.5	0.1	<0.05	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.1
Mississippi	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2
Alaska	0.1	<0.05	0.2	0.2	<0.05	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.5
Maine	0.1	<0.05	0.1	0.3	<0.05	<0.05	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.1
North Dakota	0.1	<0.05	0.1	0.1	<0.05	<0.05	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.1
South Dakota	0.1	<0.05	0.1	0.1	<0.05	0.1	<0.05	<0.05	0.3	0.1
Vermont	0.1	<0.05	0.1	0.3	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.1	0.1	<0.05
West Virginia	0.1	<0.05	0.1	0.1	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.2	0.2	0.2
Montana	0.1	<0.05	<0.05	0.2	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.1
Wyoming	<0.05	0.1	<0.05	0.1	<0.05	0.1	<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 %

Note: States and D.C. are listed in descending order of number of foreign born in 2017. 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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