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INTRODUCTION

The *Statistical Yearbook of the Immigration and Naturalization Service* (INS) presents information on migrants who apply for different legal statuses and immigration law enforcement activities during each fiscal year. Sections I-V focus on the major legal status categories available to aliens in the United States including temporary and permanent residence, refugee status, asylum, and naturalization. Section VI focuses on enforcement actions including apprehensions of persons who violated immigration law; investigations involving criminal cases, work site enforcement, fraud, and anti-smuggling activities; and removal of aliens refused admission or apprehended within the United States.

Sections I-V — Legal Status Categories

Immigrants (Section I) are aliens who have been granted lawful permanent residence in the United States. They are commonly referred to as “green card” recipients. Refugees (Section II) and asylees (Section III) are aliens who seek residence in the United States to avoid persecution in their country of nationality. Refugees are aliens who apply for admission while outside the United States. One year after their arrival, they are eligible to apply for permanent residence. Some aliens apply for asylum at a port of entry while seeking admission to the United States. Other aliens apply for asylum at some point after their entry to the United States. They are eligible to apply for lawful permanent residence one year after they are granted asylum. Refugees and asylees may stay in the United States indefinitely without becoming permanent residents as long as they do not violate immigration law.

Temporary admissions refer to arrivals of aliens who are authorized to stay in the United States for a limited period of time. These aliens are also known as nonimmigrants. Temporary admissions (Section IV) include aliens arriving in the United States with nonimmigrant visas, aliens from countries that qualify under the Visa Waiver Program, aliens in specialty occupations (H-1B) approved to work in the United States, and aliens paroled into the United States for humanitarian and other reasons. Although most nonimmigrants enter the United States as tourists, some come to work, study, or engage in cultural exchange programs. Aliens admitted for temporary residence may become eligible for adjustment of status to permanent residence. Naturalizations (Section V) refer to lawful permanent residents ages 18 and over who become U.S. citizens. Most immigrants are eligible to apply for naturalization within five years after becoming lawful permanent residents.

The data measure flows of aliens in each legal status category during a fiscal year. Combining data on annual flows with annual data on emigration, mortality, and transitions to other legal statuses makes it possible to estimate the population in each category at one point in time. Producing accurate estimates for these populations is challenging because not all of the needed information is collected or readily available. The most recent estimates of alien populations by the INS, including unauthorized immigrants and legal permanent residents, are available from the INS website (www.INS.usdoj.gov). The Census Bureau is the primary source of information on the total foreign-born population in the United States at one point in time (see www.census.gov). Census data distinguish U.S. citizens from noncitizens but not legal from unauthorized immigrants.

The data for each section come from application or event based automated systems. Data on immigrants, refugees, asylees, and naturalizations are obtained from application based case management systems that compile information supplied by aliens on forms they are required to submit when they apply for a particular legal status. The data consist of applications that reached certain administrative milestones during a fiscal year, such as the date of receipt or approval. A count of applications is equivalent to a count of applicants since these legal statuses are essentially once in a lifetime events.

Data for temporary admissions, excluding H-1B petition workers, are obtained from an information system that maintains a record of certain nonimmigrant arrivals to the United States. Admissions are recorded for all foreign nationals arriving from every country, except for most short-term visitors from Mexico and Canada. The number of Mexican and Canadian short-term admissions not included is estimated at nearly 200 million a year. Counts of admissions in this section refer to arrivals rather than individuals. The number of arrivals exceeds the number of individuals entering the United States because many nonimmigrants enter and leave more than once during a fiscal year.

Section VI — Enforcement Activities

The INS takes action to enforce immigration law at the borders of the United States, in the interior of the country, and at designated sites outside the United States. Certain enforcement activities are executed principally or in whole by the INS, *e.g.*, apprehension of aliens. Some activities must be coordinated with other law enforcement entities. For example, prosecutions in criminal courts are principally the responsibility of U.S. Attorneys. In some cases the determination of which aliens are to be removed from the United States is primarily the responsibility of the Executive Office for Immigration Review, a separate agency under the Department of Justice. Under certain circumstances the INS is empowered to make that decision.

Data on apprehensions, voluntary departures, drug seizures, prosecutions, fines, and accomplishments of the Border Patrol and Investigations Programs are obtained from a workload performance system that collects aggregated data from INS offices each month. Data on alien removals are obtained from a deportable alien case tracking system. These data systems measure events that occurred during the fiscal year. A small but significant number of aliens are involved in more than one enforcement event during the year. For example, an individual alien may be apprehended more than once during the year.

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HIGHLIGHTS



This edition of the *Statistical Yearbook* provides immigration data for fiscal year 2001 as well as related historical information. The major areas covered include: immigrants admitted for legal permanent residence; refugees approved and admitted; asylee cases received and approved; nonimmigrants admitted (*e.g.*, tourists, students, *etc.*); parolees admitted; specialty worker petitions approved; aliens naturalized; and deportable aliens located and removed.

Refugee arrivals declined for the second consecutive year in fiscal year 2001, representing the lowest level since fiscal year 1987. Nonimmigrant admissions declined for the first time since 1984. Immigrants, persons naturalized, asylum cases received, and deportable aliens located increased.

Highlights for 2001 include:

- ✿ Legal immigration in 2001 (1,064,318) was higher than in 2000 (849,807) due primarily to efforts to reduce the applications backlog at the INS.
 - ✿ Thirty-eight percent of all immigrants were born in North America (19 percent in Mexico) and 33 percent were born in Asia.
 - ✿ Sixty-five percent of all immigrants intended to reside in six states: California, New York, Florida, Texas, Illinois, and New Jersey.
 - ✿ Nearly one of five immigrants intended to reside in New York City or Los Angeles.
 - ✿ Bosnia-Herzegovina again surpassed all other countries for refugee arrivals with 14,593 (21 percent). The republics of the former Soviet Union accounted for 15,500 (22 percent).
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- ✿ INS Asylum Officers approved 43 percent of asylum cases adjudicated in 2001, the second highest percentage since 1987 (54 percent).
 - ✿ Nearly half of all nonimmigrant admissions in 2001 (32.8 million) were from four countries — Japan (15.4 percent), the United Kingdom (14.9), Mexico (13.2), and Germany (5.3).
 - ✿ The largest proportion of H-1B petition workers approved (331,206) was born in India (48 percent); the second largest proportion was born in the People's Republic of China (9 percent).
 - ✿ The INS naturalized 608,225 persons in fiscal year 2001; forty-one percent were born in Asian countries, followed by 33 percent from North American countries.
 - ✿ California was the intended residence of 33 percent of persons naturalizing, followed by New York with 16 percent.
 - ✿ The number of deportable aliens located during 2001 declined 24 percent to 1.4 million.
 - ✿ More than 71,000 criminal aliens were removed; Mexico lead all countries of nationality with more than 57,000 (80 percent).

I. IMMIGRANTS

This section presents information on the number and characteristics of persons who come to the United States for permanent residence, including persons arriving with that status and those adjusting to permanent resident status after entry.

Immigrants, as defined by U.S. immigration law, are persons lawfully admitted for permanent residence in the United States. Other terms used in INS reports to refer to immigrants include: aliens who are granted legal permanent residence; aliens admitted for legal permanent residence; immigrants admitted; and admissions. (See Appendix 2.)

Aliens wishing to become lawful permanent residents follow one of two paths depending on their residence at the time of application. Aliens living abroad apply for an immigrant visa at a consular office of the Department of State. Once issued a visa, they may enter the United States and become legal immigrants when they pass through the port of entry. Aliens already living in the United States, including certain undocumented immigrants, temporary workers, foreign students, and refugees, file an application for adjustment of status to lawful permanent residence with the INS. At the time they apply for adjustment of status, they may also apply for work permits. Adjustment of status applicants are granted lawful permanent residence at the time their applications are approved. New legal immigrants are automatically authorized to work and should receive permanent resident cards (“green cards”) soon after becoming lawful permanent residents.

U.S. Immigration Program

U.S. law gives preferential immigration status to persons with a close family relationship with a U.S. citizen or lawful permanent resident, persons with needed job skills, or persons who qualify as refugees. Other categories usually account for few admissions. An exception occurred during 1989-92 when over 2.6 million former illegal aliens gained permanent resident status through the legalization provisions of the Immigration and Reform and Control Act (IRCA) of 1986.

Worldwide immigration subject to numerical limits

The Immigration Act of 1990 specified a worldwide level of immigration for certain categories of immigrants with an annual limit that could range between 421,000 and 675,000 depending on admissions in the previous year. These categories and their limits include family-sponsored preferences (226,000 to 480,000), employment-based preferences

(140,000), and diversity immigrants (55,000). The family preference limit is equal to the larger of either 226,000 or a calculation consisting of 480,000 minus 1) the previous year’s total of immediate relatives of U.S. citizens, 2) two numerically small categories of children, and 3) certain categories of aliens paroled into the United States in the second preceding fiscal year plus any unused employment preferences from the previous year (see Appendix 1). The employment preference limit can be higher than 140,000 if family preferences go unused in the previous year.

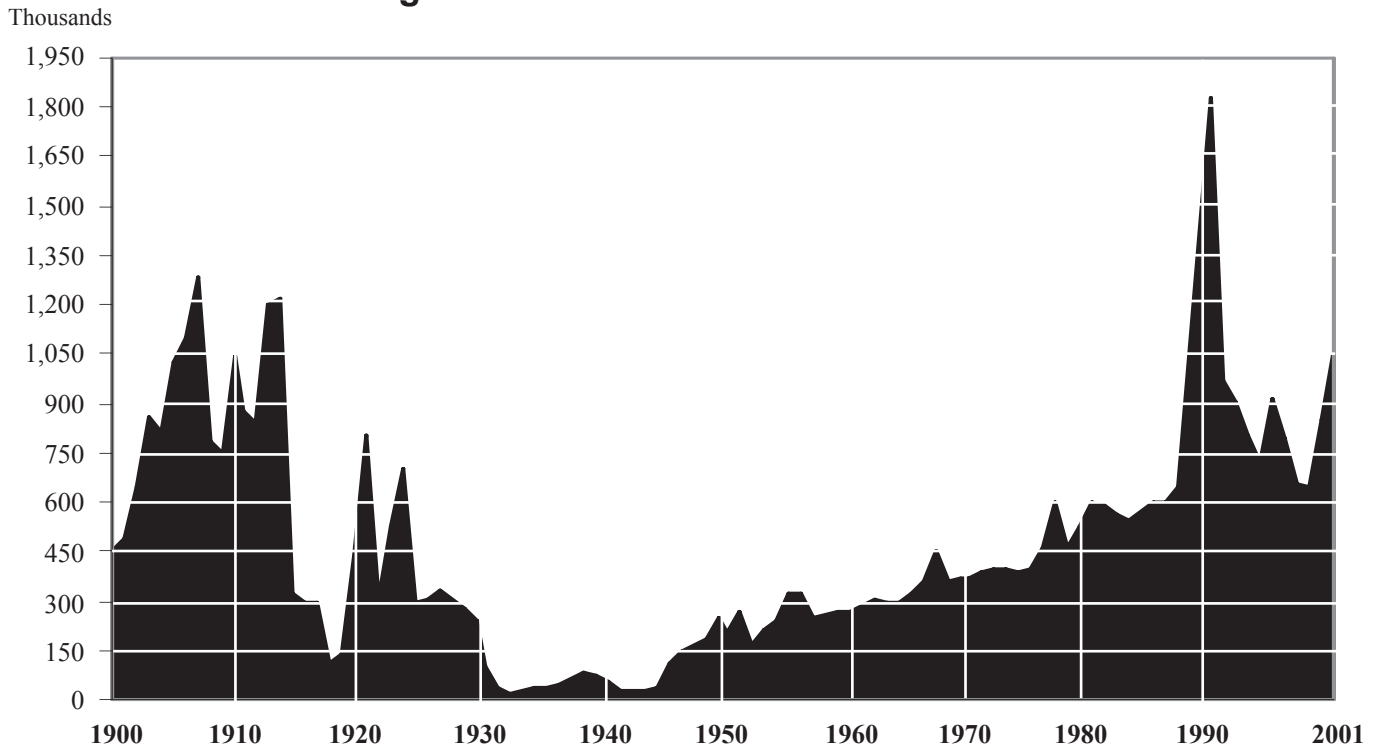
Other categories of immigrants, for example, asylees, are also subject to some form of numerical or time bound limitation. However, these categories typically involve small numbers of aliens and are covered under other sections of immigration law.

Preference immigrants

Family sponsored preferences consist of four categories: unmarried sons and daughters of U.S. citizens and their children; spouses, children, and unmarried sons and daughters of lawful permanent residents; married sons and daughters of U.S. citizens and their spouses and children; and brothers and sisters, including spouses and children, of U.S. citizens ages 21 and over. The employment-based preferences consist of five categories: priority workers; professionals with advanced degrees or aliens of exceptional ability; skilled workers, professionals (without advanced degrees), and needed unskilled workers; special immigrants (e.g., ministers, religious workers, and employees of the U.S. government abroad); and employment creation immigrants or “investors”. Spouses and children are also included in the employment preference limit. The 2001 limits are shown in Appendix 1.

The Department of State is responsible for determining the annual limits and visa allocation for preference immigration. A per-country limit is also calculated annually and is limited to 7 percent of the annual total; the limit for dependent areas is 2 percent of the annual total. The maximum number of visas allowed under the preference system in 2001 was 418,074—226,000 for family-sponsored immigrants and 192,074 for employ-

Chart A
Immigrants Admitted: Fiscal Years 1900-2001



Source: Table 1. See Appendix 2 for fiscal year definitions.

ment-based immigrants. Within these overall limits, no more than 29,265 preference visas could be issued to persons born in any independent country and no more than 8,361 to natives of a dependent area.

Diversity Program

A total of 55,000 visas are available annually to nationals of certain countries under the Diversity Program. However, beginning in fiscal year 1999, the limit could be reduced to 50,000 to allow 5,000 visas for use under the Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act (NACARA) program. In 2001, the Diversity Program limit was 50,000. Nationals of countries with more than 50,000 numerically-limited admissions during the preceding 5 years are excluded from participating in the Diversity Program. Each of the eligible countries is assigned to one of 6 regions and limits are determined by the INS for each region. The limits are calculated annually using a formula based on immigrant admissions during the preceding 5 years and the population total of the region. The maximum visa limit per country is 3,850.

Immigration exempt from worldwide numerical limits

Immigration usually totals much more than the annual worldwide limit for preference and diversity immigrants because some major categories are exempt from the limits.

These categories include:

- ◆ Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens;
- ◆ Refugee and asylee adjustments;
- ◆ Certain parolees from the Soviet Union and Indochina;
- ◆ Cancellation of removal; and
- ◆ Aliens who applied for adjustment of status after having unlawfully resided in the United States since January 1, 1982 and certain special agricultural workers. (The application period ended on November 30, 1988; most recipients of this status gained permanent resident status in fiscal years 1989-92.)

Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens are not subject to any numerical limitation. This has been the single largest category of immigrants since 1986 excluding aliens granted legal permanent residence under IRCA.

Refugees are eligible to adjust to legal permanent resident status after 1 year of residence in the United States without regard to numerical limit. The number of aliens admitted as refugees to the United States each year, however, is established by the President in consultation with Congress (see Refugee section). Recent ceilings on

Table A
Class of Admission of Legal Immigrants: Fiscal Years 1989-2001
 (Percent of total)

Year	Total	Immediate relative of U.S. citizen	Family preference	Employment preference	Refugee/Asylee	IRCA/ Legalization dependent	Diversity	Other
1989	100	20	20	5	8	44	NA	3
1990	100	15	14	4	6	57	NA	4
1991	100	13	12	3	8	61	NA	3
1992	100	24	22	12	12	22	3	4
1993	100	28	25	16	14	9	4	4
1994	100	31	26	15	15	5	5	2
1995	100	31	33	12	16	1	7	1
1996	100	33	32	13	14	1	6	1
1997	100	40	27	11	14	Z	6	1
1998	100	43	29	12	8	Z	7	1
1999	100	40	34	9	7	Z	7	1
2000	100	41	28	13	8	Z	6	4
2001	100	42	22	17	10	Z	4	5

NA Not available. Z Rounds to less than .05 percent.

refugee admissions were 78,000 in 1999, 90,000 in 2000, and 80,000 in 2001. Asylees must also wait 1 year after they are granted asylum to apply for lawful permanent residence. Until 1992, there was a limit of 5,000 adjustments per year. The Immigration Act of 1990 increased the limit to 10,000.

More than 1 million immigrants were granted legal permanent resident status during 2001.

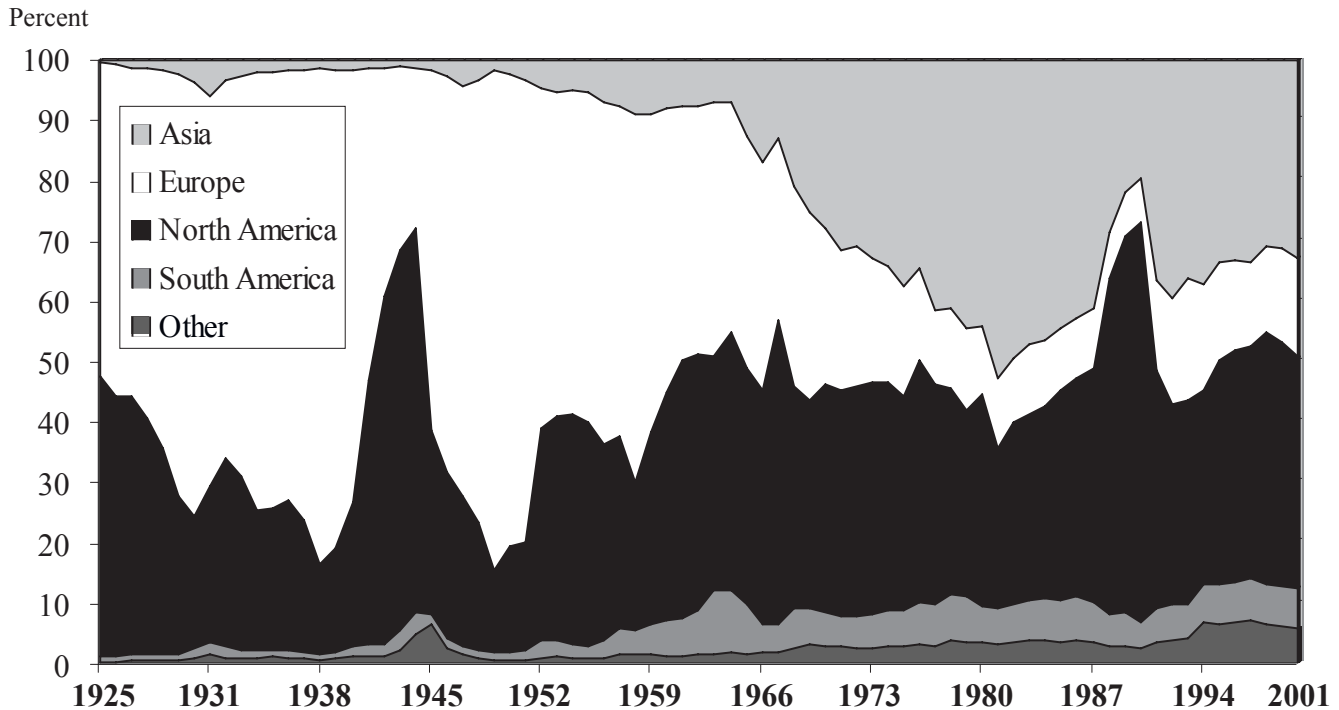
Data Overview

The number of immigrants admitted for lawful permanent residence in the United States in 2001 was 1,064,318 (see Chart A). Included in this total were 411,059 aliens previously living abroad who obtained immigrant visas through the U.S. Department of State and became lawful permanent residents upon entry into the United States. The remaining 653,259 legal immigrants, including former undocumented immigrants, refugees, and asylees, had been living in the United States an average of three years and adjusted status through the INS. Not included in 2001 legal immigration figures are aliens whose adjustment of status applications were pending a decision at the INS at the end of the year.

Highlights

- ◆ The number of persons granted lawful permanent residence in the U.S. increased to 1,064,318 in fiscal year 2001 from 849,807 in fiscal year 2000 (see Chart A). This increase of 215,000 was concentrated almost entirely among adjustments of status and reflects efforts to address the application backlog at INS. At the end of fiscal year 2001 there were 970,000 adjustment of status cases pending a decision.
- ◆ Sixty-four percent of all legal immigrants in fiscal year 2001 were family sponsored, 17 percent were admitted under employment preferences, 10 percent were admitted as refugees or asylees, and 3 percent were admitted under Sections 202 and 203 of the Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act (NACARA) of 1997. The classes of admission with the greatest increases in legal immigration between 2000 and 2001 were spouses of U.S. citizens, employment preferences, and refugees.
- ◆ In 2001, as in 2000, the leading country of origin for legal immigrants was Mexico (206,426). India (70,290) replaced the People's Republic of China (56,426) as the second leading sending country, followed by the Philippines (53,154), and Vietnam (35,531). These five countries represented 40 percent of all immigrants in 2001.

Chart B
Legal Immigrants by Region of Birth: Fiscal Years 1925-2001



NOTE: See Glossary for fiscal year definitions. Source: 1991-2001, Table 3; 1925-90, previous *Yearbooks*.

- ◆ The primary destination states for legal immigrants in 2001, as in every year since 1971, were California (282,957), New York (114,116), Florida (104,715), Texas (86,315), New Jersey (59,920), and Illinois (48,296). These six states accounted for 65 percent of all legal immigrants in 2001.

Understanding the Data

Data Collection

Aliens arriving from outside the United States (new arrivals) generally must have a valid immigrant visa issued by the U.S. Department of State to be admitted for legal permanent residence. Aliens already in the United States in a temporary status who are eligible to become legal permanent residents (adjustments) are granted immigrant status by the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service. The source of information on new arrivals is the immigrant visa (*OF-155, Immigrant Visa and Alien Registration*, U.S. Department of State). Information on adjustments comes from the form granting legal permanent resident status (*I-181, Memorandum of Creation of Record of Lawful Permanent Residence*, U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service). Immigrant applications from both sources are processed through the Computer Linked Applicant Information System (CLAIMS). Immigrant

records for fiscal year 2001 were identified in CLAIMS based on the date the decision was made to grant lawful permanent residence.

Limitations of Data

The number of immigrants admitted for legal permanent residence in a year is not the same as the number of net migrants who entered the United States in that year. The reasons for the difference in counts are:

- 1) Immigrant adjustments are reported in the year the aliens adjust their status to lawful permanent residence and not in the year they migrate to the United States in a temporary or other (refugee or asylee) status.
- 2) Some migrants (such as parolees, refugees, and asylees) may never be counted as lawful permanent residents even though they reside permanently in the United States (they are not required to adjust to permanent resident status).
- 3) Information on emigration (aliens permanently departing the United States) and information on net illegal immigration is not available (see Data Gaps section).
- 4) Missing values were a problem especially for adjustment of status cases for certain variables including occupation, nonimmigrant class of entry, and nonimmigrant year of entry.

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TABLE 1. IMMIGRATION TO THE UNITED STATES: FISCAL YEARS 1820 - 2001

Year	Number	Year	Number	Year	Number	Year	Number
1820 - 2001	67,153,749						
1820	8,385						
1821-30	143,439	1871-80	2,812,191	1921-30	4,107,209	1971-80	4,493,314
1821	9,127	1871	321,350	1921	805,228	1971	370,478
1822	6,911	1872	404,806	1922	309,556	1972	384,685
1823	6,354	1873	459,803	1923	522,919	1973	400,063
1824	7,912	1874	313,339	1924	706,896	1974	394,861
1825	10,199	1875	227,498	1925	294,314	1975	386,194
1826	10,837	1876	169,986	1926	304,488	1976	398,613
1827	18,875	1877	141,857	1927	335,175	1976, TQ ¹	103,676
1828	27,382	1878	138,469	1928	307,255	1977	462,315
1829	22,520	1879	177,826	1929	279,678	1978	601,442
1830	23,322	1880	457,257	1930	241,700	1979	460,348
						1980	530,639
1831-40	599,125	1881-90	5,246,613	1931-40	528,431	1981-90	7,338,062
1831	22,633	1881	669,431	1931	97,139	1981	596,600
1832	60,482	1882	788,992	1932	35,576	1982	594,131
1833	58,640	1883	603,322	1933	23,068	1983	559,763
1834	65,365	1884	518,592	1934	29,470	1984	543,903
1835	45,374	1885	395,346	1935	34,956	1985	570,009
1836	76,242	1886	334,203	1936	36,329	1986	601,708
1837	79,340	1887	490,109	1937	50,244	1987	601,516
1838	38,914	1888	546,889	1938	67,895	1988	643,025
1839	68,069	1889	444,427	1939	82,998	1989	1,090,924
1840	84,066	1890	455,302	1940	70,756	1990	1,536,483
1841-50	1,713,251	1891-1900	3,687,564	1941-50	1,035,039	1991-2000	9,095,417
1841	80,289	1891	560,319	1941	51,776	1991	1,827,167
1842	104,565	1892	579,663	1942	28,781	1992	973,977
1843	52,496	1893	439,730	1943	23,725	1993	904,292
1844	78,615	1894	285,631	1944	28,551	1994	804,416
1845	114,371	1895	258,536	1945	38,119	1995	720,461
1846	154,416	1896	343,267	1946	108,721	1996	915,900
1847	234,968	1897	230,832	1947	147,292	1997	798,378
1848	226,527	1898	229,299	1948	170,570	1998	654,451
1849	297,024	1899	311,715	1949	188,317	1999	646,568
1850	369,980	1900	448,572	1950	249,187	2000	849,807
1851-60	2,598,214	1901-10	8,795,386	1951-60	2,515,479	2001	1,064,318
1851	379,466	1901	487,918	1951	205,717		
1852	371,603	1902	648,743	1952	265,520		
1853	368,645	1903	857,046	1953	170,434		
1854	427,833	1904	812,870	1954	208,177		
1855	200,877	1905	1,026,499	1955	237,790		
1856	200,436	1906	1,100,735	1956	321,625		
1857	251,306	1907	1,285,349	1957	326,867		
1858	123,126	1908	782,870	1958	253,265		
1859	121,282	1909	751,786	1959	260,686		
1860	153,640	1910	1,041,570	1960	265,398		
1861-70	2,314,824	1911-20	5,735,811	1961-70	3,321,677		
1861	91,918	1911	878,587	1961	271,344		
1862	91,985	1912	838,172	1962	283,763		
1863	176,282	1913	1,197,892	1963	306,260		
1864	193,418	1914	1,218,480	1964	292,248		
1865	248,120	1915	326,700	1965	296,697		
1866	318,568	1916	298,826	1966	323,040		
1867	315,722	1917	295,403	1967	361,972		
1868	138,840	1918	110,618	1968	454,448		
1869	352,768	1919	141,132	1969	358,579		
1870	387,203	1920	430,001	1970	373,326		

¹ Transition quarter, July 1 through September 30, 1976.

NOTE: The numbers shown are as follows: from 1820-67, figures represent alien passengers arrived at seaports; from 1868-92 and 1895-97, immigrant aliens arrived; from 1892-94 and 1898-2001, immigrant aliens admitted for permanent residence. From 1892-1903, aliens entering by cabin class were not counted as immigrants. Land arrivals were not completely enumerated until 1908. See Glossary for fiscal year definitions.

**TABLE 2. IMMIGRATION BY REGION AND SELECTED COUNTRY OF LAST RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEARS 1820 - 2001**

Region and country of last residence ¹	1820	1821 - 30	1831 - 40	1841 - 50	1851 - 60	1861 - 70	1871 - 80	1881 - 90
All countries	8,385	143,439	599,125	1,713,251	2,598,214	2,314,824	2,812,191	5,246,613
Europe	7,690	98,797	495,681	1,597,442	2,452,577	2,065,141	2,271,925	4,735,484
Austria-Hungary	²	²	²	²	²	7,800	72,969	353,719
Austria	²	²	²	²	²	7,124 ³	63,009	226,038
Hungary	²	²	²	²	²	484 ³	9,960	127,681
Belgium	¹	²⁷	²²	^{5,074}	^{4,738}	^{6,734}	^{7,221}	^{20,177}
Czechoslovakia	⁴	⁴	⁴	⁴	⁴	⁴	⁴	⁴
Denmark	20	169	1,063	539	3,749	17,094	31,771	88,132
France	371	8,497	45,575	77,262	76,358	35,986	72,206	50,464
Germany	968	6,761	152,454	434,626	951,667	787,468	718,182	1,452,970
Greece	-	20	49	16	31	72	210	2,308
Ireland ⁵	3,614	50,724	207,381	780,719	914,119	435,778	436,871	655,482
Italy	30	409	2,253	1,870	9,231	11,725	55,759	307,309
Netherlands	49	1,078	1,412	8,251	10,789	9,102	16,541	53,701
Norway-Sweden	³	⁹¹	^{1,201}	^{13,903}	^{20,931}	^{109,298}	^{211,245}	^{568,362}
Norway	⁶	⁶	⁶	⁶	⁶	⁶	^{95,323}	^{176,586}
Sweden	⁶	⁶	⁶	⁶	⁶	⁶	^{115,922}	^{391,776}
Poland	⁵	¹⁶	³⁶⁹	¹⁰⁵	^{1,164}	^{2,027}	^{12,970}	^{51,806}
Portugal	³⁵	¹⁴⁵	⁸²⁹	⁵⁵⁰	^{1,055}	^{2,658}	^{14,082}	^{16,978}
Romania	⁷	⁷	⁷	⁷	⁷	⁷	¹¹ ⁷	^{6,348}
Soviet Union	14	75	277	551	457	2,512	39,284	213,282
Spain	139	2,477	2,125	2,209	9,298	6,697	5,266	4,419
Switzerland	31	3,226	4,821	4,644	25,011	23,286	28,293	81,988
United Kingdom ^{5 8}	^{2,410}	^{25,079}	^{75,810}	^{267,044}	^{423,974}	^{606,896}	^{548,043}	^{807,357}
Yugoslavia	⁹	⁹	⁹	⁹	⁹	⁹	⁹	⁹
Other Europe	-	3	40	79	5	8	1,001	682
Asia	6	30	55	141	41,538	64,759	124,160	69,942
China ¹⁰	¹	²	⁸	³⁵	^{41,397}	^{64,301}	^{123,201}	^{61,711}
Hong Kong	¹¹	¹¹	¹¹	¹¹	¹¹	¹¹	¹¹	¹¹
India	¹	⁸	³⁹	³⁶	⁴³	⁶⁹	¹⁶³	²⁶⁹
Iran	¹²	¹²	¹²	¹²	¹²	¹²	¹²	¹²
Israel	¹³	¹³	¹³	¹³	¹³	¹³	¹³	¹³
Japan	¹⁴	¹⁴	¹⁴	¹⁴	¹⁴	¹⁸⁶	¹⁴⁹	^{2,270}
Korea	¹⁵	¹⁵	¹⁵	¹⁵	¹⁵	¹⁵	¹⁵	¹⁵
Philippines	¹⁶	¹⁶	¹⁶	¹⁶	¹⁶	¹⁶	¹⁶	¹⁶
Turkey	¹	²⁰	⁷	⁵⁹	⁸³	¹³¹	⁴⁰⁴	^{3,782}
Vietnam	¹¹	¹¹	¹¹	¹¹	¹¹	¹¹	¹¹	¹¹
Other Asia	3	-	1	11	15	72	243	1,910
America	387	11,564	33,424	62,469	74,720	166,607	404,044	426,967
Canada & Newfoundland ^{17 18}	²⁰⁹	^{2,277}	^{13,624}	^{41,723}	^{59,309}	^{153,878}	^{383,640}	^{393,304}
Mexico ¹⁸	¹	^{4,817}	^{6,599}	^{3,271}	^{3,078}	^{2,191}	^{5,162}	^{1,913}
Caribbean	164	3,834	12,301	13,528	10,660	9,046	13,957	29,042
Cuba	¹²	¹²	¹²	¹²	¹²	¹²	¹²	¹²
Dominican Republic	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰
Haiti	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰
Jamaica	²¹	²¹	²¹	²¹	²¹	²¹	²¹	²¹
Other Caribbean	¹⁶⁴	^{3,834}	^{12,301}	^{13,528}	^{10,660}	^{9,046}	^{13,957}	^{29,042}
Central America	2	105	44	368	449	95	157	404
El Salvador	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰
Other Central America	²	¹⁰⁵	⁴⁴	³⁶⁸	⁴⁴⁹	⁹⁵	¹⁵⁷	⁴⁰⁴
South America	11	531	856	3,579	1,224	1,397	1,128	2,304
Argentina	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰
Colombia	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰
Ecuador	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰	²⁰
Other South America	¹¹	⁵³¹	⁸⁵⁶	^{3,579}	^{1,224}	^{1,397}	^{1,128}	^{2,304}
Other America	²²	²²	²²	²²	²²	²²	²²	²²
Africa	1	16	54	55	210	312	358	857
Oceania	1	2	9	29	158	214	10,914	12,574
Not specified ²²	300	33,030	69,902	53,115	29,011	17,791	790	789

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 2. IMMIGRATION BY REGION AND SELECTED COUNTRY OF LAST RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEARS 1820 - 2001—Continued**

Region and country of last residence ¹	1891 - 1900	1901 - 10	1911 - 20	1921 - 30	1931 - 40	1941 - 50	1951 - 60	1961 - 70
All countries	3,687,564	8,795,386	5,735,811	4,107,209	528,431	1,035,039	2,515,479	3,321,677
Europe	3,555,352	8,056,040	4,321,887	2,463,194	347,566	621,147	1,325,727	1,123,492
Austria-Hungary	592,707 ²³	2,145,266 ²³	896,342 ²³	63,548	11,424	28,329	103,743	26,022
Austria	234,081 ³	668,209 ³	453,649	32,868	3,563	24,860 ²⁴	67,106	20,621
Hungary	181,288 ³	808,511 ³	442,693	30,680	7,861	3,469	36,637	5,401
Belgium	18,167 ⁴	41,635 ⁴	33,746 ⁴	15,846	4,817	12,189	18,575	9,192
Czechoslovakia			3,426 ⁴	102,194	14,393	8,347	918	3,273
Denmark	50,231	65,285	41,983	32,430	2,559	5,393	10,984	9,201
France	30,770	73,379	61,897	49,610	12,623	38,809	51,121	45,237
Germany	505,152 ²³	341,498 ²³	143,945 ²³	412,202	114,058 ²⁴	226,578 ²⁴	477,765	190,796
Greece	15,979	167,519	184,201	51,084	9,119	8,973	47,608	85,969
Ireland ⁵	388,416	339,065	146,181	211,234	10,973	19,789	48,362	32,966
Italy	651,893	2,045,877	1,109,524	455,315	68,028	57,661	185,491	214,111
Netherlands	26,758	48,262	43,718	26,948	7,150	14,860	52,277	30,606
Norway-Sweden	321,281	440,039	161,469	165,780	8,700	20,765	44,632	32,600
Norway	95,015	190,505	66,395	68,531	4,740	10,100	22,935	15,484
Sweden	226,266	249,534	95,074	97,249	3,960	10,665	21,697	17,116
Poland	96,720 ²³		4,813 ²³	227,734	17,026	7,571	9,985	53,539
Portugal	27,508	69,149	89,732	29,994	3,329	7,423	19,588	76,065
Romania	12,750	53,008	13,311	67,646	3,871	1,076	1,039	2,531
Soviet Union	505,290 ²³	1,597,306 ²³	921,201 ²³	61,742	1,370	571	671	2,465
Spain	8,731	27,935	68,611	28,958	3,258	2,898	7,894	44,659
Switzerland	31,179	34,922	23,091	29,676	5,512	10,547	17,675	18,453
United Kingdom ^{5 8}	271,538	525,950	341,408	339,570	31,572	139,306	202,824	213,822
Yugoslavia			1,888 ⁹	49,064	5,835	1,576	8,225	20,381
Other Europe	282	39,945	31,400	42,619	11,949	8,486	16,350	11,604
Asia	74,862	323,543	247,236	112,059	16,595	37,028	153,249	427,642
China ¹⁰	14,799	20,605	21,278	29,907	4,928	16,709	9,657	34,764
Hong Kong							15,541 ¹¹	75,007
India	68	4,713	2,082	1,886	496	1,761	1,973	27,189
Iran				241 ¹²	195	1,380	3,388	10,339
Israel						476 ¹³	25,476	29,602
Japan	25,942	129,797	83,837	33,462	1,948	1,555	46,250	39,988
Korea						107 ¹⁵	6,231	34,526
Philippines					528 ¹⁶	4,691	19,307	69,376
Turkey	30,425	157,369	134,066	33,824	1,065	798	3,519	10,142
Vietnam							335 ¹¹	4,340
Other Asia	3,628	11,059	5,973	12,739	7,435	9,551	21,572	63,369
America	38,972	361,888	1,143,671	1,516,716	160,037	354,804	996,944	1,716,374
Canada & Newfoundland ^{17 18}	3,311	179,226	742,185	924,515	108,527	171,718	377,952	413,310
Mexico ¹⁸	971	49,642	219,004	459,287	22,319	60,589	299,811	453,937
Caribbean	33,066	107,548	123,424	74,899	15,502	49,725	123,091	470,213
Cuba				15,901 ¹²	9,571	26,313	78,948	208,536
Dominican Republic					1,150 ²⁰	5,627	9,897	93,292
Haiti					191 ²⁰	911	4,442	34,499
Jamaica							8,869 ²¹	74,906
Other Caribbean	33,066	107,548	123,424	58,998	4,590	16,874	20,935 ²¹	58,980
Central America	549	8,192	17,159	15,769	5,861	21,665	44,751	101,330
El Salvador					673 ²⁰	5,132	5,895	14,992
Other Central America	549	8,192	17,159	15,769	5,188	16,533	38,856	86,338
South America	1,075	17,280	41,899	42,215	7,803	21,831	91,628	257,940
Argentina					1,349 ²⁰	3,338	19,486	49,721
Colombia					1,223 ²⁰	3,858	18,048	72,028
Ecuador					337 ²⁰	2,417	9,841	36,780
Other South America	1,075	17,280	41,899	42,215	4,894	12,218	44,253	99,411
Other America				31 ²²	25	29,276	59,711	19,644
Africa	350	7,368	8,443	6,286	1,750	7,367	14,092	28,954
Oceania	3,965	13,024	13,427	8,726	2,483	14,551	12,976	25,122
Not specified ²²	14,063	33,523 ²⁵	1,147	228	-	142	12,491	93

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 2. IMMIGRATION BY REGION AND SELECTED COUNTRY OF LAST RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEARS 1820 - 2001—Continued**

Region and country of last residence ¹	1971 - 80	1981 - 90	1991 - 2000	1998	1999	2000	2001	Total 182 years, 1820-2001
All countries	4,493,314	7,338,062	9,095,417	654,451	646,568	849,807	1,064,318	67,153,749
Europe	800,368	761,550	1,359,737	92,911	94,373	133,362	177,833	38,638,630
Austria-Hungary	16,028	24,885	24,882	1,435	1,518	2,024	2,318	4,369,982 ^{23,24}
Austria	9,478	18,340	15,500	610	727	997	1,004	1,845,450 ^{2,3}
Hungary	6,550	6,545	9,382	825	791	1,027	1,314	1,678,456 ^{2,3}
Belgium	5,329	7,066	7,090	557	522	827	1,002	218,648
Czechoslovakia	6,023	7,227	9,816	931	895	1,415	1,921	157,538 ⁴
Denmark	4,439	5,370	6,079	447	387	556	741	377,232
France	25,069	32,353	35,820	2,961	2,664	4,093	5,431	828,838
Germany	74,414	91,961	92,606	6,923	7,442	12,372	22,093	7,198,164 ^{23,24}
Greece	92,369	38,377	26,759	1,183	4,061	5,138	1,966	732,629
Ireland ⁵	11,490	31,969	56,950	907	806	1,279	1,550	4,783,633
Italy	129,368	67,254	62,722	1,966	1,681	2,695	3,377	5,439,207
Netherlands	10,492	12,238	13,308	1,036	881	1,466	1,895	389,435
Norway-Sweden	10,472	15,182	17,893	1,344	1,284	1,977	2,561	2,166,408
Norway	3,941	4,164	5,178	327	358	513	588	759,485 ⁶
Sweden	6,531	11,018	12,715	1,017	926	1,464	1,973	1,261,496 ⁶
Poland	37,234	83,252	163,747	8,202	8,487	9,773	12,355	782,438 ²³
Portugal	101,710	40,431	22,916	1,523	1,078	1,402	1,654	525,831
Romania	12,393	30,857	51,203	4,833	5,417	6,521	6,224	262,268 ⁷
Soviet Union	38,961	57,677	462,874	28,984	32,740	43,807	55,099	3,961,679 ²³
Spain	39,141	20,433	17,157	1,185	1,074	1,406	1,889	304,194
Switzerland	8,235	8,849	11,841	1,090	885	1,349	1,796	373,076
United Kingdom ^{5,8}	137,374	159,173	151,866	10,170	8,663	14,532	20,258	5,291,274
Yugoslavia	30,540	18,762	66,557	7,264	7,077	12,213	21,937	224,765
Other Europe	9,287	8,234	57,651	9,970	6,811	8,517	11,766	251,391
Asia	1,588,178	2,738,157	2,795,672	212,799	193,061	255,860	337,566	9,152,418
China ¹⁰	124,326	346,747	419,114	41,034	29,579	41,861	50,821	1,384,311
Hong Kong	113,467	98,215	109,779	7,379	6,533	7,199	10,307	422,316 ¹¹
India	164,134	250,786	363,060	34,288	28,355	39,072	65,916	884,692
Iran	45,136	116,172	68,556	4,945	5,042	6,505	8,063	253,470 ¹²
Israel	37,713	44,273	39,397	2,546	2,538	3,893	4,925	181,862 ¹³
Japan	49,775	47,085	67,942	5,647	4,770	7,730	10,464	540,650 ¹⁴
Korea	267,638	333,746	164,166	13,691	12,301	15,214	19,933	826,347 ¹⁵
Philippines	354,987	548,764	503,945	33,176	29,590	40,587	50,870	1,581,468 ¹⁶
Turkey	13,399	23,233	38,212	4,016	2,472	2,713	3,477	454,016
Vietnam	172,820	280,782	286,145	16,534	19,164	25,340	34,648	779,070 ¹¹
Other Asia	244,783	648,354	735,356	49,543	52,717	65,746	78,142	1,844,216
America	1,982,735	3,615,225	4,486,806	298,156	312,324	397,201	473,351	18,027,705
Canada & Newfoundland ^{17,18}	169,939	156,938	191,987	14,295	12,948	21,475	30,203	4,517,775
Mexico ¹⁸	640,294	1,655,843	2,249,421	130,661	146,436	171,748	204,844	6,342,994 ¹⁹
Caribbean	741,126	872,051	978,787	72,948	70,386	85,875	96,958	3,778,922
Cuba	264,863	144,578	169,322	15,415	13,289	19,322	26,073	944,105 ¹²
Dominican Republic	148,135	252,035	335,251	20,267	17,745	17,441	21,256	866,643 ²⁰
Haiti	56,335	138,379	179,644	13,316	16,459	22,004	22,535	436,936 ²⁰
Jamaica	137,577	208,148	169,227	14,819	14,449	15,654	15,099	613,826 ²¹
Other Caribbean	134,216	128,911	125,343	9,131	8,444	11,454	11,995	917,412
Central America	134,640	468,088	526,915	35,368	41,441	62,708	73,063	1,419,606
El Salvador	34,436	213,539	215,798	14,329	14,416	22,332	31,054	521,519 ²⁰
Other Central America	100,204	254,549	311,117	21,039	27,025	40,376	42,009	898,087
South America	295,741	461,847	539,656	44,884	41,112	55,392	68,279	1,858,224
Argentina	29,897	27,327	26,644	1,649	1,578	2,485	3,459	161,221 ²⁰
Colombia	77,347	122,849	128,499	11,618	9,769	14,191	16,333	440,185 ²⁰
Ecuador	50,077	56,315	76,592	6,840	8,903	7,658	9,694	242,053 ²⁰
Other South America	138,420	255,356	307,921	24,777	20,862	31,058	38,793	1,014,765
Other America	995	458	40	-	1	3	4	110,184
Africa	80,779	176,893	354,939	37,494	33,740	40,969	50,209	739,293
Oceania	41,242	45,205	55,845	4,403	4,299	5,962	7,253	267,720
Not specified ²²	12	1,032	42,418	8,688	8,771	16,453	18,106	327,983

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 2. IMMIGRATION BY REGION AND SELECTED COUNTRY OF LAST RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEARS 1820 - 2001—Continued**

- ¹ Data for years prior to 1906 relate to country whence alien came; data from 1906-79 and 1984-99 are for country of last permanent residence; and data for 1980-83 refer to country of birth. Because of changes in boundaries, changes in lists of countries, and lack of data for specified countries for various periods, data for certain countries, especially for the total period 1820-1999, are not comparable throughout. Data for specified countries are included with countries to which they belonged prior to World War I.
- ² Data for Austria and Hungary not reported until 1861.
- ³ Data for Austria and Hungary not reported separately for all years during the period.
- ⁴ No data available for Czechoslovakia until 1920.
- ⁵ Prior to 1926, data for Northern Ireland included in Ireland.
- ⁶ Data for Norway and Sweden not reported separately until 1871.
- ⁷ No data available for Romania until 1880.
- ⁸ Since 1925, data for United Kingdom refer to England, Scotland, Wales, and Northern Ireland.
- ⁹ In 1920, a separate enumeration was made for the Kingdom of Serbs, Croats, and Slovenes. Since 1922, the Serb, Croat, and Slovene Kingdom recorded as Yugoslavia.
- ¹⁰ Beginning in 1957, China includes Taiwan. As of January 1, 1979, the United States has recognized the People's Republic of China.
- ¹¹ Data not reported separately until 1952.
- ¹² Data not reported separately until 1925.
- ¹³ Data not reported separately until 1949.
- ¹⁴ No data available for Japan until 1861.
- ¹⁵ Data not reported separately until 1948.
- ¹⁶ Prior to 1934, Philippines recorded as insular travel.
- ¹⁷ Prior to 1920, Canada and Newfoundland recorded as British North America. From 1820-98, figures include all British North America possessions.
- ¹⁸ Land arrivals not completely enumerated until 1908.
- ¹⁹ No data available for Mexico from 1886-94.
- ²⁰ Data not reported separately until 1932.
- ²¹ Data for Jamaica not collected until 1953. In prior years, consolidated under British West Indies, which is included in "Other Caribbean."
- ²² Included in countries "Not specified" until 1925.
- ²³ From 1899-1919, data for Poland included in Austria-Hungary, Germany, and the Soviet Union.
- ²⁴ From 1938-45, data for Austria included in Germany.
- ²⁵ Includes 32,897 persons returning in 1906 to their homes in the United States.

NOTE: From 1820-67, figures represent alien passengers arrived at seaports; from 1868-91 and 1895-97, immigrant aliens arrived; from 1892-94 and 1898-2001, immigrant aliens admitted for permanent residence. From 1892-1903, aliens entering by cabin class were not counted as immigrants. Land arrivals were not completely enumerated until 1908. For recent changes in geographic definitions for Hong Kong, and the former Czechoslovakia, Soviet Union, and Yugoslavia, see Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.

See Glossary for fiscal year definitions. For this table, fiscal year 1843 covers 9 months ending September 1843; fiscal years 1832 and 1850 cover 15 months ending December 31 of the respective years; and fiscal year 1868 covers 6 months ending June 30, 1868.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 3. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH □
FISCAL YEARS 1991-2001 □**

Region and country of birth	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
All countries	1,827,167	973,977	904,292	804,416	720,461	915,900	798,378	654,451	646,568	849,807	1,064,318
Europe	135,234	145,392	158,254	160,916	128,185	147,581	119,871	90,793	92,672	132,480	175,371
Albania	142	682	1,400	1,489	1,420	4,007	4,375	4,221	3,699	4,756	4,363
Andorra	1	2	2	2	-	5	3	-	-	5	1
Armenia	X	6,145	6,287	3,984	1,992	2,441	2,094	1,146	1,257	1,259	1,786
Austria	589	701	549	499	518	554	487	291	231	409	527
Azerbaijan	X	1,640	2,943	2,844	1,885	1,991	1,450	504	746	1,054	1,169
Belarus	X	3,233	4,702	5,420	3,791	4,268	3,062	981	1,326	2,207	2,909
Belgium	525	780	657	516	569	651	554	421	428	679	818
Bosnia-Herzegovina	X	15	159	521	4,061	6,499	6,392	4,212	5,442	11,828	23,640
Bulgaria	623	1,049	1,029	981	1,797	2,066	2,774	3,735	4,172	4,925	4,411
Croatia	X	77	370	412	608	810	720	549	584	1,078	2,862
Czech Republic	X	X	-	11	72	165	186	144	145	244	308
Czechoslovakia ¹	1,156	1,181	990	642	599	561	395	342	319	671	867
Denmark	601	764	735	606	551	608	429	457	368	541	716
Estonia	23	194	191	272	205	280	285	128	142	241	348
Finland	333	525	544	471	476	602	376	314	309	378	499
France	2,450	3,288	2,864	2,715	2,505	3,079	2,568	2,352	2,209	3,465	4,608
Georgia	X	426	429	652	710	1,157	812	295	311	495	789
Germany	6,509	9,888	7,312	6,992	6,237	6,748	5,723	5,472	5,201	7,638	9,886
Germany, East	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Germany, West	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Gibraltar	1	4	5	6	7	6	3	1	4	5	5
Greece	2,079	1,858	1,884	1,440	1,309	1,452	1,049	863	727	970	1,181
Hungary	1,534	1,304	1,091	880	900	1,183	949	809	698	1,025	1,273
Iceland	117	156	164	140	125	182	119	111	79	129	136
Ireland	4,767	12,226	13,590	17,256	5,315	1,731	1,001	944	812	1,315	1,522
Italy	2,619	2,592	2,487	2,305	2,231	2,501	1,982	1,831	1,530	2,489	3,142
Kazakhstan	X	506	628	750	840	1,089	1,025	540	723	1,509	2,315
Kyrgyzstan	X	134	124	226	209	280	287	111	189	396	588
Latvia	86	419	668	762	651	736	615	370	444	552	712
Liechtenstein	3	1	3	-	2	1	1	1	1	1	4
Lithuania	157	353	529	663	767	1,080	812	1,191	1,149	1,354	1,735
Luxembourg	21	25	14	24	15	32	28	21	11	26	34
Macedonia	X	X	X	367	666	863	783	785	571	794	924
Malta	83	85	52	75	72	52	54	59	43	55	57
Moldova	X	1,705	2,646	2,260	1,856	1,849	1,347	562	754	1,273	2,077
Monaco	5	4	-	3	5	4	4	6	5	12	9
Netherlands	1,283	1,586	1,430	1,239	1,196	1,423	1,059	917	777	1,351	1,687
Norway	486	665	608	459	420	478	372	298	308	462	553
Poland	19,199	25,504	27,846	28,048	13,824	15,772	12,038	8,469	8,798	10,114	11,818
Portugal	4,524	2,748	2,081	2,169	2,615	2,984	1,665	1,536	1,071	1,372	1,651
Romania	8,096	6,500	5,601	3,444	4,871	5,801	5,545	5,112	5,686	6,879	6,649
Russia	X	8,857	12,079	15,249	14,560	19,668	16,632	11,529	12,347	17,110	20,413
San Marino	1	-	2	-	2	3	-	-	-	-	1
Slovak Republic	X	X	10	221	503	663	629	491	493	549	812
Slovenia	X	8	50	67	65	77	62	57	58	76	142
Soviet Union ²	56,980	4,653	7,369	6,954	6,784	3,513	2,944	6,336	5,058	3,332	2,735
Spain	1,849	1,631	1,388	1,418	1,321	1,659	1,241	1,043	874	1,264	1,726
Sweden	1,080	1,463	1,393	1,140	976	1,251	958	823	822	1,269	1,692
Switzerland	696	1,023	972	877	881	1,006	1,063	828	649	1,039	1,304
Tajikistan	X	186	336	568	706	634	311	66	104	157	187
Turkmenistan	X	34	48	68	84	121	99	44	65	100	94
Ukraine	X	14,383	18,316	21,010	17,432	21,079	15,696	7,448	10,123	15,810	20,975
United Kingdom	13,903	19,973	18,783	16,326	12,427	13,624	10,708	9,018	7,690	13,385	18,436
Uzbekistan	X	1,712	2,664	3,435	3,645	4,687	3,312	601	1,223	1,659	2,035
Yugoslavia ²	2,713	2,504	2,230	2,038	2,907	3,605	2,793	2,408	1,897	2,774	6,240
Asia	358,533	356,955	358,047	292,589	267,931	307,807	265,810	219,696	199,411	265,400	349,776
Afghanistan	2,879	2,685	2,964	2,344	1,424	1,263	1,129	831	878	1,012	1,207
Bahrain	58	81	93	87	78	76	80	53	70	106	119
Bangladesh	10,676	3,740	3,291	3,434	6,072	8,221	8,681	8,621	6,046	7,215	7,171
Bhutan	2	1	2	2	2	8	6	6	4	3	5

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**TABLE 3. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEARS 1991-2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Brunei	15	17	26	14	14	20	6	19	16	16	27
Burma	946	816	849	938	1,233	1,320	1,085	1,371	1,204	1,201	1,383
Cambodia	3,251	2,573	1,639	1,404	1,492	1,568	1,638	1,439	1,400	2,142	2,473
China, People's Rep.	33,025	38,907	65,578	53,985	35,463	41,728	41,147	36,884	32,204	45,652	56,426
Cyprus	243	262	229	204	188	187	148	119	107	162	218
Hong Kong	10,427	10,452	9,161	7,731	7,249	7,834	5,577	5,275	4,917	5,419	8,321
India	45,064	36,755	40,121	34,921	34,748	44,859	38,071	36,482	30,237	42,046	70,290
Indonesia	2,223	2,916	1,767	1,367	1,020	1,084	906	1,020	1,187	1,774	2,541
Iran	19,569	13,233	14,841	11,422	9,201	11,084	9,642	7,883	7,203	8,519	10,497
Iraq	1,494	4,111	4,072	6,025	5,596	5,481	3,244	2,220	3,372	5,134	4,985
Israel	4,181	5,104	4,494	3,425	2,523	3,126	2,448	1,991	1,858	2,806	3,776
Japan	5,049	11,028	6,908	6,093	4,837	6,011	5,097	5,138	4,217	7,094	9,619
Jordan	4,259	4,036	4,741	3,990	3,649	4,445	4,171	3,255	3,274	3,909	4,593
Korea	26,518	19,359	18,026	16,011	16,047	18,185	14,239	14,268	12,840	15,830	20,742
Kuwait	861	989	1,129	1,065	961	1,202	837	749	803	1,018	1,270
Laos	9,950	8,696	7,285	5,089	3,936	2,847	1,935	1,612	854	1,380	1,416
Lebanon	6,009	5,838	5,465	4,319	3,884	4,382	3,568	3,290	3,040	3,674	4,601
Macao	267	320	334	287	373	453	277	276	294	270	342
Malaysia	1,860	2,235	2,026	1,480	1,223	1,414	1,051	1,011	994	1,556	2,445
Maldives	1	-	2	-	1	1	1	1	-	1	9
Mongolia	2	6	8	21	17	17	22	26	41	46	103
Nepal	174	212	257	257	312	431	447	476	453	617	949
Oman	5	24	21	32	31	25	36	25	40	51	55
Pakistan	20,355	10,214	8,927	8,698	9,774	12,519	12,967	13,094	13,496	14,535	16,448
Philippines	63,596	61,022	63,457	53,535	50,984	55,876	49,117	34,466	31,026	42,474	53,154
Qatar	56	59	88	51	60	79	70	60	78	97	125
Saudi Arabia	552	584	616	668	788	1,164	815	703	763	1,063	1,185
Singapore	535	774	798	542	399	561	460	389	358	671	1,108
Sri Lanka	1,377	1,081	1,109	989	960	1,277	1,128	1,085	903	1,123	1,507
Syria	2,837	2,940	2,933	2,426	2,362	3,072	2,269	2,840	2,056	2,374	3,368
Taiwan	13,274	16,344	14,329	10,032	9,377	13,401	6,745	7,097	6,714	9,040	12,171
Thailand	7,397	7,090	6,654	5,489	5,136	4,310	3,094	3,102	2,381	3,785	4,291
Turkey	2,528	2,488	2,204	1,840	2,947	3,657	3,145	2,682	2,219	2,613	3,229
United Arab Emirates	164	172	196	286	317	343	329	329	310	436	461
Vietnam	55,307	77,735	59,614	41,345	41,752	42,067	38,519	17,649	20,393	26,747	35,531
Yemen	1,547	2,056	1,793	741	1,501	2,209	1,663	1,859	1,161	1,789	1,615
Africa	36,179	27,086	27,783	26,712	42,456	52,889	47,791	40,660	36,700	44,731	53,948
Algeria	269	407	360	364	650	1,059	717	804	789	907	878
Angola	132	107	92	75	81	125	75	66	57	88	95
Benin	24	10	21	18	23	38	48	47	59	62	76
Botswana	3	19	13	13	16	21	18	12	5	13	24
Burkina Faso	8	16	11	16	17	17	13	14	17	48	68
Burundi	16	11	13	14	26	36	59	51	16	28	79
Cameroon	452	236	262	305	506	803	898	691	826	865	795
Cape Verde	973	757	936	810	968	1,012	920	814	909	1,083	872
Cen. African Rep.	8	8	15	7	2	27	10	6	3	4	11
Chad	9	4	3	9	11	13	18	8	24	23	45
Comoros	-	2	3	1	2	3	3	-	-	3	2
Congo, Dem. Rep. ³	238	196	233	237	355	433	414	155	88	124	148
Congo, Republic ³	22	9	10	11	11	23	31	118	190	191	313
Cote d'Ivoire	347	259	250	268	289	432	430	364	305	439	605
Djibouti	21	14	14	10	25	19	18	15	6	14	23
Egypt	5,602	3,576	3,556	3,392	5,648	6,186	5,031	4,831	4,429	4,461	5,182
Equatorial Guinea	5	2	1	1	1	1	2	7	1	5	3
Eritrea	X	X	85	468	992	828	948	641	326	383	544
Ethiopia	5,127	4,602	5,191	3,887	5,960	6,086	5,904	4,205	4,272	4,061	5,106
Gabon	11	9	5	11	13	29	24	21	4	18	32
Gambia, The	159	93	76	93	153	207	176	227	183	232	391
Ghana	3,330	1,867	1,604	1,458	3,152	6,606	5,105	4,458	3,714	4,344	4,031
Guinea	84	104	102	97	152	220	158	46	6	3	11
Guinea-Bissau	14	8	1	-	2	3	24	165	134	204	274
Kenya	1,185	953	1,065	1,017	1,419	1,666	1,387	1,696	1,412	2,210	2,514

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**TABLE 3. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEARS 1991-2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Lesotho	4	15	5	8	10	11	6	4	5	9	6
Liberia	1,292	999	1,050	1,762	1,929	2,206	2,216	1,617	1,358	1,575	2,285
Libya	314	286	343	166	216	250	171	166	156	181	224
Madagascar	23	41	32	27	42	43	33	42	26	33	61
Malawi	68	72	53	55	56	58	72	39	41	61	70
Mali	63	55	51	55	94	124	97	83	72	109	120
Mauritania	9	2	9	10	22	26	51	78	24	88	117
Mauritius	64	61	83	65	67	84	44	37	38	54	84
Morocco	1,601	1,316	1,176	1,074	1,726	1,783	2,359	2,410	2,971	3,626	4,968
Mozambique	74	54	56	44	50	59	48	39	31	41	48
Namibia	14	29	37	24	35	30	22	24	13	30	54
Niger	1	2	4	8	10	102	837	283	12	30	1,341
Nigeria	7,912	4,551	4,448	3,950	6,818	10,221	7,038	7,746	6,769	7,853	8,291
Reunion	-	1	3	-	2	3	1	-	-	-	-
Rwanda	12	10	25	16	41	118	170	52	98	73	148
Sao Tome and Principe	4	7	-	1	6	4	2	3	6	8	1
Senegal	869	337	178	213	506	641	435	373	370	555	665
Seychelles	32	30	23	22	18	16	15	5	10	18	18
Sierra Leone	951	693	690	698	919	1,918	1,884	955	976	1,590	1,884
Somalia	458	500	1,088	1,737	3,487	2,170	4,005	2,629	1,710	2,465	3,026
South Africa	1,854	2,516	2,197	2,144	2,560	2,966	2,093	1,904	1,580	2,833	4,100
St. Helena	2	1	4	-	3	1	-	-	-	1	2
Sudan	679	675	714	651	1,645	2,172	2,030	1,161	1,354	1,538	1,655
Swaziland	5	8	10	7	20	16	11	8	8	12	18
Tanzania	500	352	426	357	524	553	399	339	316	481	477
Togo	33	45	41	52	83	157	222	246	254	388	489
Tunisia	275	216	167	149	189	228	163	200	150	308	440
Uganda	538	437	415	391	383	422	400	355	250	423	459
Western Sahara ..	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	1	-	1	3
Zambia	228	210	225	198	222	226	262	213	143	211	296
Zimbabwe	261	296	308	246	299	385	274	186	184	323	476
Oceania	6,236	5,169	4,902	4,592	4,695	5,309	4,344	3,935	3,676	5,136	6,113
American Samoa	2	-	1	-	1	2	-	4	11	7	28
Australia	1,678	2,238	2,320	2,049	1,751	1,950	1,630	1,147	1,112	2,059	2,830
Christmas Island ..	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Cocos Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Cook Islands	8	6	4	2	2	5	4	1	3	3	4
Fiji	1,349	807	854	1,007	1,491	1,847	1,549	1,717	1,601	1,487	1,457
French Polynesia	31	24	28	19	25	15	21	14	9	14	17
Kiribati	13	15	4	4	5	6	5	4	-	3	-
Marshall Islands ..	2	4	2	1	5	3	3	6	3	3	2
Micronesia, Federated States	6	11	11	7	7	5	2	4	2	5	9
Nauru	1	2	1	3	2	2	-	-	-	3	-
New Caledonia	3	8	2	7	3	11	-	4	3	3	6
New Zealand	793	967	1,052	918	727	800	655	628	527	972	1,214
Niue	1	-	1	2	1	-	3	1	3	-	2
Northern Mariana Islands	6	3	3	-	4	4	3	3	7	6	1
Palau	70	47	42	21	9	9	8	6	2	3	3
Papua New Guinea	20	17	15	22	13	17	15	10	14	22	27
Pitcairn Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Samoa ⁴	561	314	200	227	237	215	138	147	91	184	171
Solomon Islands ..	2	1	3	5	2	2	1	5	2	7	7
Tonga	1,685	703	348	293	403	416	303	230	283	351	328
Tuvalu	-	-	3	-	2	-	-	1	-	2	1
Vanuatu	5	1	-	-	1	-	1	2	2	2	5
Wallis and Futuna Islands	-	1	6	5	4	-	1	1	-	-	1

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**TABLE 3. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEARS 1991-2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
North America	1,210,981	384,047	301,380	272,226	231,526	340,540	307,488	252,996	271,365	344,805	407,888
Canada	13,504	15,205	17,156	16,068	12,932	15,825	11,609	10,190	8,864	16,210	21,933
Greenland	8	2	3	1	2	2	1	-	-	-	4
Mexico	946,167	213,802	126,561	111,398	89,932	163,572	146,865	131,575	147,573	173,919	206,426
St. Pierre and Miquelon	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
United States	70	66	60	47	57	51	38	31	29	35	63
Caribbean	140,139	97,413	99,438	104,804	96,788	116,801	105,299	75,521	71,683	88,198	103,546
Anguilla	56	46	23	31	26	36	19	26	20	27	55
Antigua-Barbuda	944	619	554	438	374	406	393	297	456	431	463
Aruba	56	62	36	24	27	28	26	23	14	25	29
Bahamas, The	1,062	641	686	589	585	768	641	602	401	768	931
Barbados	1,460	1,091	1,184	897	734	1,043	829	726	720	783	910
Bermuda	146	153	156	118	111	103	75	63	63	72	99
British Virgin Islands	137	174	166	137	98	87	93	55	76	67	70
Cayman Islands	23	40	16	30	26	24	35	28	18	31	24
Cuba	10,349	11,791	13,666	14,727	17,937	26,466	33,587	17,375	14,132	20,831	27,703
Dominica	982	809	683	507	591	797	746	283	41	96	93
Dominican Rep.	41,405	41,969	45,420	51,189	38,512	39,604	27,053	20,387	17,864	17,536	21,313
Grenada	979	848	827	595	583	787	755	655	667	655	645
Guadeloupe	34	50	49	41	48	52	52	30	54	51	84
Haiti	47,527	11,002	10,094	13,333	14,021	18,386	15,057	13,449	16,532	22,364	27,120
Jamaica	23,828	18,915	17,241	14,349	16,398	19,089	17,840	15,146	14,733	16,000	15,393
Martinique	25	25	17	20	11	23	20	20	23	20	22
Montserrat	143	104	102	69	83	99	99	65	80	71	61
Netherlands Antilles	40	37	65	48	58	76	43	61	35	53	116
Puerto Rico	5	1	1	-	1	2	1	2	3	3	4
St. Kitts-Nevis	830	626	544	370	360	357	377	405	463	504	466
St. Lucia	766	654	634	449	403	582	531	509	529	601	678
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	808	687	657	524	349	606	581	414	444	500	563
Trinidad and Tobago	8,407	7,008	6,577	6,292	5,424	7,344	6,409	4,852	4,283	6,660	6,665
Turks and Caicos Islands	121	59	39	26	27	35	37	46	27	46	33
U.S. Virgin Is.	6	2	1	1	1	1	-	2	5	3	6
Central America	111,093	57,558	58,162	39,908	31,814	44,289	43,676	35,679	43,216	66,443	75,914
Belize	2,377	1,020	1,035	772	644	786	664	496	572	760	939
Costa Rica	2,341	1,480	1,368	1,205	1,062	1,504	1,330	1,204	886	1,324	1,744
El Salvador	47,351	26,191	26,818	17,644	11,744	17,903	17,969	14,590	14,606	22,578	31,272
Guatemala	25,527	10,521	11,870	7,389	6,213	8,763	7,785	7,759	7,308	9,970	13,567
Honduras	11,451	6,552	7,306	5,265	5,496	5,870	7,616	6,463	4,809	5,939	6,615
Nicaragua	17,842	8,949	7,086	5,255	4,408	6,903	6,331	3,521	13,389	24,029	19,896
Panama	4,204	2,845	2,679	2,378	2,247	2,560	1,981	1,646	1,646	1,843	1,881
South America	79,934	55,308	53,921	47,377	45,666	61,769	52,877	45,394	41,585	56,074	68,888
Argentina	3,889	3,877	2,824	2,318	1,762	2,456	1,964	1,511	1,393	2,331	3,328
Bolivia	3,006	1,510	1,545	1,404	1,332	1,913	1,734	1,513	1,448	1,772	1,826
Brazil	8,133	4,755	4,604	4,491	4,558	5,891	4,583	4,401	3,902	6,959	9,505
Chile	2,842	1,937	1,778	1,640	1,534	1,706	1,443	1,240	1,092	1,712	1,947
Colombia	19,702	13,201	12,819	10,847	10,838	14,283	13,004	11,836	9,966	14,498	16,730
Ecuador	9,958	7,286	7,324	5,906	6,397	8,321	7,780	6,852	8,904	7,685	9,706
Falkland Islands ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1
French Guiana	2	2	6	10	4	5	6	1	5	13	8
Guyana	11,666	9,064	8,384	7,662	7,362	9,489	7,257	3,963	3,300	5,746	8,303
Paraguay	538	514	668	789	559	615	304	275	217	342	408
Peru	16,237	9,868	10,447	9,177	8,066	12,871	10,853	10,154	8,438	9,613	11,131
Suriname	178	238	211	190	213	211	191	143	141	257	245
Uruguay	1,161	716	568	516	414	540	429	368	271	430	545
Venezuela	2,622	2,340	2,743	2,427	2,627	3,468	3,328	3,136	2,508	4,716	5,205
Born on board ship	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unknown or not rep.	70	18	5	4	2	5	197	977	1,159	1,181	2,334

¹ Prior to 1993, data include independent republics; beginning in 1993, data are for unknown republic only. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. ² Prior to 1992, data include independent republics; beginning in 1992, data are for unknown republic only. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. ³ In May 1997 Zaire was formally recognized as the Democratic Republic of the Congo; the Congo is referred to by its conventional name, the Republic of the Congo. ⁴ In August 1997 Western Samoa was formally recognized as Samoa (Independent State). - Represents zero. X Not applicable.

**TABLE 4. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY TYPE AND SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION
FISCAL YEARS 1994-2001**

Type and class of admission	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Total, all immigrants	804,416	720,461	915,900	798,378	654,451	646,568	849,807	1,064,318
New arrivals	490,429	380,291	421,405	380,719	357,037	401,775	407,402	411,059
Adjustments	313,987	340,170	494,495	417,659	297,414	244,793	442,405	653,259
Total, IRCA legalization	6,022	4,267	4,635	2,548	955	8	421	263
Residents since 1982	4,436	3,124	3,286	1,439	954	4	413	246
Special Agricultural Workers	1,586	1,143	1,349	1,109	1	4	8	17
Total, non-legalization	798,394	716,194	911,265	795,830	653,496	646,560	849,386	1,064,055
Preference immigrants	335,252	323,458	411,673	303,938	268,997	273,700	342,304	411,338
Family-sponsored immigrants	211,961	238,122	294,174	213,331	191,480	216,883	235,280	232,143
Unmarried sons/daughters of U.S. citizens ¹	13,181	15,182	20,909	22,536	17,717	22,392	27,707	27,098
Spouses of alien residents ¹	115,000	144,535	182,834	113,681	88,488	108,007	124,595	112,260
Married sons/daughters of U.S. citizens ²	22,191	20,876	25,452	21,943	22,257	24,040	22,833	24,878
Siblings of U.S. citizens ²	61,589	57,529	64,979	55,171	63,018	62,444	60,145	67,907
Employment-based immigrants ^{2,3}	123,291	85,336	117,499	90,607	77,517	56,817	107,024	179,195
Priority workers	21,053	17,339	27,501	21,810	21,408	14,898	27,706	41,801
Professionals with advanced degrees or aliens of exceptional ability	14,432	10,475	18,462	17,059	14,384	8,581	20,304	42,620
Skilled workers, professionals, other workers	76,956	50,245	62,756	42,596	34,317	27,966	49,736	86,058
Special immigrants	10,406	6,737	7,844	7,781	6,584	5,086	9,052	8,523
Employment creation	444	540	936	1,361	824	286	226	193
Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens ⁴	249,764	220,360	300,430	321,008	283,368	258,584	347,870	443,035
Spouses	145,247	123,238	169,760	170,263	151,172	127,988	197,525	270,545
Children ⁵	48,147	48,740	63,971	76,631	70,472	69,113	82,726	91,526
Orphans	8,200	9,384	11,316	12,596	14,867	16,037	18,120	19,087
Parents	56,370	48,382	66,699	74,114	61,724	61,483	67,619	80,964
Refugees and asylees	121,434	114,664	128,565	112,158	52,193	42,852	65,941	108,506
Refugee adjustments	115,451	106,827	118,528	102,052	44,645	39,495	59,083	97,305
Asylee adjustments	5,983	7,837	10,037	10,106	7,548	3,357	6,858	11,201
Other immigrants	91,944	57,712	70,597	58,726	48,938	71,424	93,271	101,176
Amerasians (P.L. 100-202)	2,822	939	956	738	346	239	943	376
Cancellation of removal ⁶	2,220	3,168	5,812	4,628	428	9,032	12,349	22,506
Children born abroad to alien residents ⁴	1,883	1,894	1,660	1,432	902	978	1,009	929
Cuban/Haitian entrants (P.L. 99-603)	47	42	29	10	2	2	2	-
Diversity	X	40,301	58,245	49,360	45,499	47,571	50,945	42,015
Diversity transition	41,056	6,944	545	14	X	X	X	X
Haitian Refugee Immigration Fairness Act (HRIFA)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	10,111
Legalization dependents	34,074	277	184	64	21	-	55	37
Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act (NACARA), Sec. 202 entrants (P.L. 105-100)	X	X	X	X	1	11,267	23,641	18,926
Parolees, Polish/Hungarian (P.L. 104-208)	X	X	X	20	64	105	39	19
Parolees, Soviet/Indochinese (P.L. 101-267)	8,253	3,086	2,269	1,844	1,225	1,827	3,163	5,468
Registered nurses and their families (P.L. 101-238)	304	69	16	1	1	-	1	-
Registry, entry prior to 1/1/72	671	469	362	195	176	166	269	274
Other	614	523	519	420	273	237	855	515

¹ Includes children. ² Includes spouses and children. ³ Includes immigrants issued third preference, sixth preference, and special immigrant visas prior to fiscal year 1992. ⁴ Effective in fiscal year 1992, under the Immigration Act of 1990, children born abroad to alien residents are included with immediate relatives of U.S. citizens for calculating the annual limit of family-sponsored preference immigrants. ⁵ Includes orphans. ⁶ Was suspension of deportation prior to April 1, 1997; changed by the implementation of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act (IIRIRA) of 1996.

- Represents zero. X Not applicable.

**TABLE 5. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY TYPE AND CLASS OF ADMISSION
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Type and class of admission	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Principals	Derivatives	Total	Principals	Derivatives	Total	Principals	Derivatives
Total, all immigrants	1,064,318	806,475	257,843	411,059	290,140	120,919	653,259	516,335	136,924
Total, subject to world-wide numerical limits ¹	453,390	252,736	200,654	240,315	119,681	120,634	213,075	133,055	80,020
Family-sponsored preferences	232,143	150,014	82,129	158,835	84,304	74,531	73,308	65,710	7,598
Legalization dependents	37	37	-	10	10	-	27	27	-
Employment-based preferences	179,195	83,150	96,045	41,410	16,936	24,474	137,785	66,214	71,571
Diversity	42,015	19,535	22,480	40,060	18,431	21,629	1,955	1,104	851
Total, family-sponsored preferences	232,143	150,014	82,129	158,835	84,304	74,531	73,308	65,710	7,598
Total, family 1st preference	27,098	20,933	6,165	17,486	12,074	5,412	9,612	8,859	753
1st preference, unmarried sons/daughters of U.S. citizens	20,933	20,933	-	12,074	12,074	-	8,859	8,859	-
Self-petitioning (B16)	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2	-
New arrivals (F11)	12,074	12,074	-	12,074	12,074	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (F16)	8,857	8,857	-	-	-	-	8,857	8,857	-
1st preference, children of A11, F11, F16	6,165	-	6,165	5,412	-	5,412	753	-	753
New arrivals (F12)	5,412	-	5,412	5,412	-	5,412	-	-	-
Adjustments (F17)	753	-	753	-	-	-	753	-	753
Total, family 2nd preference	112,260	97,884	14,376	57,930	46,044	11,886	54,330	51,840	2,490
<i>Total, subject to country limitations</i>	<i>51,769</i>	<i>46,741</i>	<i>5,028</i>	<i>17,688</i>	<i>13,301</i>	<i>4,387</i>	<i>34,081</i>	<i>33,440</i>	<i>641</i>
<i>Total, exempt from country limitations</i>	<i>60,491</i>	<i>51,143</i>	<i>9,348</i>	<i>40,242</i>	<i>32,743</i>	<i>7,499</i>	<i>20,249</i>	<i>18,400</i>	<i>1,849</i>
2nd preference, spouses of alien residents	38,228	38,228	-	12,933	12,933	-	25,295	25,295	-
Subject to country limitations	25,809	25,809	-	6,990	6,990	-	18,819	18,819	-
New arrivals, self-petitioning (B21)	4	4	-	4	4	-	-	-	-
New arrivals, conditional (C21)	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
New arrivals (F21)	6,985	6,985	-	6,985	6,985	-	-	-	-
Adjustments, self-petitioning (B26)	212	212	-	-	-	-	212	212	-
Adjustments, conditional (C26)	11	11	-	-	-	-	11	11	-
Adjustments (F26)	18,596	18,596	-	-	-	-	18,596	18,596	-
Exempt from country limitations	12,419	12,419	-	5,943	5,943	-	6,476	6,476	-
Adjustments, self-petitioning (BX6)	31	31	-	-	-	-	31	31	-
Adjustments, conditional (CX6)	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
New arrivals (FX1)	5,943	5,943	-	5,943	5,943	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (FX6)	6,444	6,444	-	-	-	-	6,444	6,444	-
2nd preference, children of alien residents	40,604	40,560	44	20,135	20,134	1	20,469	20,426	43
Subject to country limitations	20,965	20,932	33	6,312	6,311	1	14,653	14,621	32
New arrivals (B23)	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
New arrivals, conditional (C22)	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
New arrivals (F22)	6,310	6,310	-	6,310	6,310	-	-	-	-
Adjustments, self-petitioning (B27)	85	85	-	-	-	-	85	85	-
Adjustments, self-petitioning (B28)	32	-	32	-	-	-	32	-	32
Adjustments, conditional (C27)	4	4	-	-	-	-	4	4	-
Adjustments (F27)	14,532	14,532	-	-	-	-	14,532	14,532	-
Exempt from country limitations	19,639	19,628	11	13,823	13,823	-	5,816	5,805	11
New arrivals (FX2)	13,823	13,823	-	13,823	13,823	-	-	-	-
Adjustments, self-petitioning (BX7)	20	20	-	-	-	-	20	20	-
Adjustments, self-petitioning (BX8)	11	-	11	-	-	-	11	-	11
Adjustments (FX7)	5,785	5,785	-	-	-	-	5,785	5,785	-
2nd preference, children of 2nd preference spouse, or child	7,689	-	7,689	5,665	-	5,665	2,024	-	2,024
Subject to country limitations	4,995	-	4,995	4,386	-	4,386	609	-	609
New arrivals (F23)	4,386	-	4,386	4,386	-	4,386	-	-	-
Adjustments (F28)	609	-	609	-	-	-	609	-	609
Exempt from country limitations	2,694	-	2,694	1,279	-	1,279	1,415	-	1,415
New arrivals (FX3)	1,279	-	1,279	1,279	-	1,279	-	-	-
Adjustments, conditional (CX8)	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Adjustments (FX8)	1,414	-	1,414	-	-	-	1,414	-	1,414

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**TABLE 5. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY TYPE AND CLASS OF ADMISSION
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Type and class of admission	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Principals	Derivatives	Total	Principals	Derivatives	Total	Principals	Derivatives
2nd preference, unmarried sons and daughters of alien residents ²	19,096	19,096	-	12,977	12,977	-	6,119	6,119	-
New arrivals (F24)	12,977	12,977	-	12,977	12,977	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (F29)	6,119	6,119	-	-	-	-	6,119	6,119	-
2nd preference, children of B29, F24, F29 ²	6,643	-	6,643	6,220	-	6,220	423	-	423
New arrivals (F25)	6,220	-	6,220	6,220	-	6,220	-	-	-
Adjustments, conditional (C20)	11	-	11	-	-	-	11	-	11
Adjustments (F20)	412	-	412	-	-	-	412	-	412
Total, family 3rd preference	24,878	7,456	17,422	21,626	5,971	15,655	3,252	1,485	1,767
3rd preference, married sons/daughters of U.S. citizens	7,456	7,456	-	5,971	5,971	-	1,485	1,485	-
New arrivals (F31)	5,970	5,970	-	5,970	5,970	-	-	-	-
New arrivals, conditional (C31)	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Adjustments, conditional (C36)	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2	-
Adjustments (F36)	1,483	1,483	-	-	-	-	1,483	1,483	-
3rd preference, spouses of A31, F31, F36	6,496	-	6,496	5,645	-	5,645	851	-	851
New arrivals (F32)	5,645	-	5,645	5,645	-	5,645	-	-	-
Adjustments (F37)	851	-	851	-	-	-	851	-	851
3rd preference, children of A31,F31,F36	10,926	-	10,926	10,010	-	10,010	916	-	916
New arrivals (F33)	10,010	-	10,010	10,010	-	10,010	-	-	-
Adjustments, conditional (C38)	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Adjustments (F38)	915	-	915	-	-	-	915	-	915
Total, family 4th preference	67,907	23,741	44,166	61,793	20,215	41,578	6,114	3,526	2,588
4th preference, brothers or sisters of U.S. citizens	23,741	23,741	-	20,215	20,215	-	3,526	3,526	-
New arrivals (F41)	20,215	20,215	-	20,215	20,215	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (F46)	3,526	3,526	-	-	-	-	3,526	3,526	-
4th preference, spouses of F41 and F46	16,766	-	16,766	15,603	-	15,603	1,163	-	1,163
New arrivals (F42)	15,603	-	15,603	15,603	-	15,603	-	-	-
Adjustments (F47)	1,163	-	1,163	-	-	-	1,163	-	1,163
4th preference, children of F41 and F46	27,400	-	27,400	25,975	-	25,975	1,425	-	1,425
New arrivals (F43)	25,975	-	25,975	25,975	-	25,975	-	-	-
Adjustments (F48)	1,425	-	1,425	-	-	-	1,425	-	1,425
Legalization dependents	37	37	-	10	10	-	27	27	-
Spouses of Legalized aliens	22	22	-	7	7	-	15	15	-
New arrivals (LB1)	7	7	-	7	7	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (LB6)	15	15	-	-	-	-	15	15	-
Children of LB1, LB6	15	15	-	3	3	-	12	12	-
New arrivals (LB2)	3	3	-	3	3	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (LB7)	12	12	-	-	-	-	12	12	-
Total, employment-based preferences	179,195	83,150	96,045	41,410	16,936	24,474	137,785	66,214	71,571
Total, employment 1st preference	41,801	17,062	24,739	12,088	4,998	7,090	29,713	12,064	17,649
1st preference, aliens with extraordinary ability	3,376	3,376	-	1,059	1,059	-	2,317	2,317	-
New arrivals (E11)	1,059	1,059	-	1,059	1,059	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (E16)	2,317	2,317	-	-	-	-	2,317	2,317	-
1st preference, outstanding professors or researchers ...	3,903	3,903	-	581	581	-	3,322	3,322	-
New arrivals (E12)	581	581	-	581	581	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (E17)	3,322	3,322	-	-	-	-	3,322	3,322	-
1st preference, multinational executives or managers ..	9,783	9,783	-	3,358	3,358	-	6,425	6,425	-
New arrivals (E13)	3,358	3,358	-	3,358	3,358	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (E18)	6,425	6,425	-	-	-	-	6,425	6,425	-
1st preference, spouses of E11, E16, E12, E17, E13, E18	12,474	-	12,474	3,404	-	3,404	9,070	-	9,070
New arrivals (E14)	3,404	-	3,404	3,404	-	3,404	-	-	-
Adjustments (E19)	9,070	-	9,070	-	-	-	9,070	-	9,070
1st preference, children of E11, E16, E12, E17, E13, E18	12,265	-	12,265	3,686	-	3,686	8,579	-	8,579
New arrivals (E15)	3,686	-	3,686	3,686	-	3,686	-	-	-
Adjustments (E10)	8,579	-	8,579	-	-	-	8,579	-	8,579

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Type and class of admission	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Principals	Derivatives	Total	Principals	Derivatives	Total	Principals	Derivatives
Total, employment 2nd preference	42,620	20,623	21,997	6,535	3,232	3,303	36,085	17,391	18,694
2nd preference, professionals holding advanced degrees	20,623	20,623	-	3,232	3,232	-	17,391	17,391	-
New arrivals (E21)	3,232	3,232	-	3,232	3,232	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (E26)	17,390	17,390	-	-	-	-	17,390	17,390	-
Adjustments (ES6)	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
2nd preference, spouses of E21, E26	16,142	-	16,142	2,335	-	2,335	13,807	-	13,807
New arrivals (E22)	2,335	-	2,335	2,335	-	2,335	-	-	-
Adjustments (E27)	13,807	-	13,807	-	-	-	13,807	-	13,807
2nd preference, children of E21, E26	5,855	-	5,855	968	-	968	4,887	-	4,887
New arrivals (E23)	968	-	968	968	-	968	-	-	-
Adjustments (E28)	4,887	-	4,887	-	-	-	4,887	-	4,887
Total, employment 3rd preference	86,058	41,540	44,518	20,576	8,033	12,543	65,482	33,507	31,975
Total, skilled workers, professionals, and their families	81,363	39,451	41,912	19,084	7,711	11,373	62,279	31,740	30,539
3rd preference, skilled workers	19,320	19,320	-	3,634	3,634	-	15,686	15,686	-
New arrivals (E31)	3,634	3,634	-	3,634	3,634	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (E36)	15,686	15,686	-	-	-	-	15,686	15,686	-
3rd preference, professionals with baccalaureate degrees	20,115	20,115	-	4,077	4,077	-	16,038	16,038	-
New arrivals (E32)	4,077	4,077	-	4,077	4,077	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (E37)	16,038	16,038	-	-	-	-	16,038	16,038	-
3rd preference, spouses of E31, E36, E32, E37	23,822	-	23,822	4,958	-	4,958	18,864	-	18,864
New arrivals (E34)	4,958	-	4,958	4,958	-	4,958	-	-	-
Adjustments (E39)	18,864	-	18,864	-	-	-	18,864	-	18,864
3rd preference, children of E31, E36, E32, E37	18,087	-	18,087	6,415	-	6,415	11,672	-	11,672
New arrivals (E35)	6,415	-	6,415	6,415	-	6,415	-	-	-
Adjustments (E30)	11,672	-	11,672	-	-	-	11,672	-	11,672
3rd preference, Chinese Student Protection Act	19	16	3	-	-	-	19	16	3
Principals, adjustments (EC6)	16	16	-	-	-	-	16	16	-
Spouses, adjustments (EC7)	3	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	3
Total, unskilled workers and their families	4,695	2,089	2,606	1,492	322	1,170	3,203	1,767	1,436
3rd preference, needed unskilled workers	2,089	2,089	-	322	322	-	1,767	1,767	-
New arrivals (EW3)	322	322	-	322	322	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (EW8)	1,767	1,767	-	-	-	-	1,767	1,767	-
3rd preference, spouses of EW3, EW8	1,057	-	1,057	309	-	309	748	-	748
New arrivals (EW4)	309	-	309	309	-	309	-	-	-
Adjustments (EW9)	748	-	748	-	-	-	748	-	748
3rd preference, children of EW3, EW8	1,549	-	1,549	861	-	861	688	-	688
New arrivals (EW5)	861	-	861	861	-	861	-	-	-
Adjustments (EW0)	688	-	688	-	-	-	688	-	688
Total, employment 4th preference, special immigrants	8,523	3,858	4,665	2,147	655	1,492	6,376	3,203	3,173
Total, International Broadcasting Bureau of the Broadcasting Board of Governors (IBCB of BBG)	2	1	1	-	-	-	2	1	1
Adjustments, alien entering the United States to work as broadcaster or for a grantee for the IBCB of BBG (BC6)	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Adjustments, spouse of BC6 (BC7)	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Total, ministers, spouses, and children	3,137	1,250	1,887	656	184	472	2,481	1,066	1,415
Ministers	1,250	1,250	-	184	184	-	1,066	1,066	-
New arrivals (SD1)	184	184	-	184	184	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (SD6)	1,066	1,066	-	-	-	-	1,066	1,066	-
Spouses of ministers	733	-	733	150	-	150	583	-	583
New arrivals (SD2)	150	-	150	150	-	150	-	-	-
Adjustments (SD7)	583	-	583	-	-	-	583	-	583

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Type and class of admission	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Principals	Derivatives	Total	Principals	Derivatives	Total	Principals	Derivatives
Children of ministers	1,154	-	1,154	322	-	322	832	-	832
New arrivals (SD3)	322	-	322	322	-	322	-	-	-
Adjustments (SD8)	832	-	832	-	-	-	832	-	832
Total, employees of U.S. government abroad, spouses and children	954	302	652	947	298	649	7	4	3
Employees of U.S. government abroad (SE1)	302	302	-	298	298	-	4	4	-
New arrivals (SE1)	298	298	-	298	298	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (SE6)	4	4	-	-	-	-	4	4	-
Spouses of employees of U.S. government abroad (SE2)	220	-	220	218	-	218	2	-	2
New arrivals (SE2)	218	-	218	218	-	218	-	-	-
Adjustments (SE7)	2	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	2
Children of employees of U.S. government abroad (SE3)	432	-	432	431	-	431	1	-	1
New arrivals (SE3)	431	-	431	431	-	431	-	-	-
Adjustments (SE8)	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Total, Panama Canal Act (P.L. 96-70)	16	6	10	13	5	8	3	1	2
Certain former employees of the PC Co. and CZ government (SF1)	3	3	-	3	3	-	-	-	-
Accompanying spouses or children of SF1 or SF6 (SF2)	4	-	4	4	-	4	-	-	-
Certain former employees of U.S. government in Panama CZ (SG1)	2	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (SG6)	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Accompanying spouses or children of SG1 (SG2)	4	-	4	4	-	4	-	-	-
Adjustments (SG7)	2	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	2
Total, retired employees of international organizations and their families	476	180	296	27	3	24	449	177	272
Retired employees of international organizations	180	180	-	3	3	-	177	177	-
New arrivals (SK1)	3	3	-	3	3	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (SK6)	177	177	-	-	-	-	177	177	-
Accompanying spouses of SK1 or SK6	46	-	46	1	-	1	45	-	45
New arrivals (SK2)	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
Adjustments (SK7)	45	-	45	-	-	-	45	-	45
Unmarried children of SK1 or SK6	248	-	248	23	-	23	225	-	225
New arrivals (SK3)	23	-	23	23	-	23	-	-	-
Adjustments (SK8)	225	-	225	-	-	-	225	-	225
Surviving spouses of employees of international organizations	2	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	2
Adjustments (SK9)	2	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	2
Total, juvenile court dependents	556	556	-	15	15	-	541	541	-
New arrivals (SL1)	15	15	-	15	15	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (SL6)	541	541	-	-	-	-	541	541	-
Total, aliens serving in U.S. Armed Forces, spouses, and children	47	14	33	4	2	2	43	12	31
Served in U.S. Armed Forces for 12 years (eligible after 10/1/91)	11	11	-	1	1	-	10	10	-
New arrivals (SM1)	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (SM6)	10	10	-	-	-	-	10	10	-
Served in U.S. Armed Forces for 12 years (eligible as of 10/1/91)	3	3	-	1	1	-	2	2	-
New arrivals (SM4)	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (SM9)	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2	-
Spouses of SM1, SM4, SM6, SM9	22	-	22	1	-	1	21	-	21
New arrivals (SM2)	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
Adjustments (SM7)	21	-	21	-	-	-	21	-	21
Spouse or child of SM4, SM9	3	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	3
Adjustments (SM0)	3	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	3

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Type and class of admission	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Principals	Derivatives	Total	Principals	Derivatives	Total	Principals	Derivatives
Children of SM1, SM4, SM6, SM9	8	-	8	1	-	1	7	-	7
New arrivals (SM3)	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
Adjustments (SM8)	7	-	7	-	-	-	7	-	7
Total, Members of a civilian component accompanying a force entering in accordance with the provisions of the NATO Status of Force Agreement (NATO-6)	6	2	4	-	-	-	6	2	4
Adjustments, certain retired NATO-6 civilian employees (SN6)	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2	-
Adjustments, accompanying spouse of an immigrant classified as SN1 or SN6 (SN7)	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Adjustments, certain unmarried sons or daughters of NATO-6 civilian employees (SN8)	3	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	3
Total, religious workers and their families	3,328	1,546	1,782	484	147	337	2,844	1,399	1,445
Religious workers	1,546	1,546	-	147	147	-	1,399	1,399	-
New arrivals (SR1)	147	147	-	147	147	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (SR6)	1,399	1,399	-	-	-	-	1,399	1,399	-
Spouses of SR1 or SR6	747	-	747	95	-	95	652	-	652
New arrivals (SR2)	95	-	95	95	-	95	-	-	-
Adjustments (SR7)	652	-	652	-	-	-	652	-	652
Children of SR1 or SR6	1,035	-	1,035	242	-	242	793	-	793
New arrivals (SR3)	242	-	242	242	-	242	-	-	-
Adjustments (SR8)	793	-	793	-	-	-	793	-	793
Lost citizenship through marriage	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
New arrivals (SC1)	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Total, employment 5th preference	193	67	126	64	18	46	129	49	80
5th preference, employment creation, not in targeted area	34	34	-	8	8	-	26	26	-
New arrivals, conditional (C51)	8	8	-	8	8	-	-	-	-
Adjustments, conditional (C56)	26	26	-	-	-	-	26	26	-
5th preference, spouses of C51, C56, R51	27	-	27	7	-	7	20	-	20
New arrivals, conditional (C52)	7	-	7	7	-	7	-	-	-
Adjustments, conditional (C57)	20	-	20	-	-	-	20	-	20
5th preference, children of C51, C56, R51	47	-	47	19	-	19	28	-	28
New arrivals, conditional (C53)	19	-	19	19	-	19	-	-	-
Adjustments, conditional (C58)	28	-	28	-	-	-	28	-	28
5th preference, employment creation, targeted area	33	33	-	10	10	-	23	23	-
New arrivals, conditional (I51)	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
New arrivals, conditional (T51)	9	9	-	9	9	-	-	-	-
Adjustments, conditional (I56)	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Adjustments, conditional (T56)	22	22	-	-	-	-	22	22	-
5th preference, spouses of T51, T56	19	-	19	6	-	6	13	-	13
New arrivals, conditional (T52)	6	-	6	6	-	6	-	-	-
Adjustments, conditional (T57)	13	-	13	-	-	-	13	-	13
5th preference, children of T51, T56	33	-	33	14	-	14	19	-	19
New arrivals, conditional (T53)	14	-	14	14	-	14	-	-	-
Adjustments, conditional (I58)	2	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	2
Adjustments, conditional (T58)	17	-	17	-	-	-	17	-	17
Total, diversity	42,015	19,535	22,480	40,060	18,431	21,629	1,955	1,104	851
Principals	19,535	19,535	-	18,431	18,431	-	1,104	1,104	-
New arrivals (DV1)	18,431	18,431	-	18,431	18,431	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (DV6)	1,104	1,104	-	-	-	-	1,104	1,104	-
Spouses of DV1, DV6	10,509	-	10,509	10,048	-	10,048	461	-	461
New arrivals (DV2)	10,048	-	10,048	10,048	-	10,048	-	-	-
Adjustments (DV7)	461	-	461	-	-	-	461	-	461
Children of DV1, DV6	11,971	-	11,971	11,581	-	11,581	390	-	390
New arrivals (DV3)	11,581	-	11,581	11,581	-	11,581	-	-	-
Adjustments (DV8)	390	-	390	-	-	-	390	-	390

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Type and class of admission	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Principals	Derivatives	Total	Principals	Derivatives	Total	Principals	Derivatives
Total, not subject to world-wide numerical limits ³	610,928	553,739	57,189	170,744	170,459	285	440,184	383,280	56,904
Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens	443,035	442,957	78	169,054	169,051	3	273,981	273,906	75
Children born abroad to alien residents	929	929	-	929	929	-	-	-	-
Amerasians	376	102	274	376	102	274	-	-	-
Employees of U.S. businesses in Hong Kong and their families	14	6	8	13	5	8	1	1	-
IRCA legalization adjustments	263	263	-	-	-	-	263	263	-
Refugee and asylee adjustments	108,506	58,055	50,451	-	-	-	108,506	58,055	50,451
Other adjustments	57,433	51,055	6,378	-	-	-	57,433	51,055	6,378
Other new arrivals	372	372	-	372	372	-	-	-	-
Total, immediate relatives of U.S. citizens ³	443,035	442,957	78	169,054	169,051	3	273,981	273,906	75
Total, spouses of U.S. citizens	270,545	270,545	-	58,575	58,575	-	211,970	211,970	-
New arrivals, conditional (CR1)	30,381	30,381	-	30,381	30,381	-	-	-	-
New arrivals, self-petitioning (IB1)	52	52	-	52	52	-	-	-	-
New arrivals (IR1)	28,061	28,061	-	28,061	28,061	-	-	-	-
New arrivals, widow(er) (IW1)	81	81	-	81	81	-	-	-	-
Adjustments, conditional (CF1)	15,812	15,812	-	-	-	-	15,812	15,812	-
Adjustments, conditional (CR6)	67,432	67,432	-	-	-	-	67,432	67,432	-
Adjustments, self-petitioning (IB6)	1,287	1,287	-	-	-	-	1,287	1,287	-
Adjustments, entered as fiance(ee) (IF1)	3,616	3,616	-	-	-	-	3,616	3,616	-
Adjustments (IR6)	123,557	123,557	-	-	-	-	123,557	123,557	-
Adjustments, widow(er) (IW6)	265	265	-	-	-	-	265	265	-
Adjustments, spouse of U.S.C. , presumed LPR, Northern Mariana Islands (MR6)	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Total, children of U.S. citizens	72,439	72,361	78	37,496	37,493	3	34,943	34,868	75
New arrivals, Amerasian child of U.S.C. (AR1)	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
New arrivals, conditional (CR2)	4,742	4,742	-	4,742	4,742	-	-	-	-
New arrivals, self-petitioning child (IB2)	14	14	-	14	14	-	-	-	-
New arrivals, child of IB1 (IB3)	3	-	3	3	-	3	-	-	-
New arrivals (IR2)	32,711	32,711	-	32,711	32,711	-	-	-	-
New arrivals, entered as child or widow(er) (IW2)	25	25	-	25	25	-	-	-	-
Adjustments, entered as a child of a fiance(e), conditional (CF2)	1,938	1,938	-	-	-	-	1,938	1,938	-
Adjustments, conditional (CR7)	3,933	3,933	-	-	-	-	3,933	3,933	-
Adjustments (IB7)	258	258	-	-	-	-	258	258	-
Adjustments, self-petitioning child (IB8)	75	-	75	-	-	-	75	-	75
Adjustments, entered as a child of a fiance(e) IF1 (IF2)	420	420	-	-	-	-	420	420	-
Adjustments (IR7)	28,268	28,268	-	-	-	-	28,268	28,268	-
Adjustments, Amerasian child of U.S.C. (AR6)	5	5	-	-	-	-	5	5	-
Adjustments, entered as child or widow(er) (IW7)	46	46	-	-	-	-	46	46	-
Total, orphans	19,087	19,087	-	19,008	19,008	-	79	79	-
Orphans adopted abroad	13,652	13,652	-	13,598	13,598	-	54	54	-
New arrivals (IR3)	13,598	13,598	-	13,598	13,598	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (IR8)	54	54	-	-	-	-	54	54	-
Orphans to be adopted	5,435	5,435	-	5,410	5,410	-	25	25	-
New arrivals (IR4)	5,410	5,410	-	5,410	5,410	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (IR9)	25	25	-	-	-	-	25	25	-
Total, parents of adult U.S. citizens	80,964	80,964	-	53,975	53,975	-	26,989	26,989	-
New arrivals (IR5)	53,975	53,975	-	53,975	53,975	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (IR0)	26,989	26,989	-	-	-	-	26,989	26,989	-
Children born abroad to alien residents (NA3)	929	929	-	929	929	-	-	-	-

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Type and class of admission	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Principals	Derivatives	Total	Principals	Derivatives	Total	Principals	Derivatives
Total Amerasians (P.L. 100-202)	376	102	274	376	102	274	-	-	-
Amerasians, born in Vietnam from									
1/1/62-1/1/76 (AM1)	102	102	-	102	102	-	-	-	-
Spouses or children of AM1 or AM6 (AM2)	195	-	195	195	-	195	-	-	-
Mothers, guardians, or next-of-kin of AM1 or AM6 (AM3)	79	-	79	79	-	79	-	-	-
Total, employees of U.S. businesses in Hong Kong and their families	14	6	8	13	5	8	1	1	-
New arrivals, employees of U.S. businesses in									
Hong Kong (HK1)	5	5	-	5	5	-	-	-	-
New arrivals, spouses of HK1, HK6 (HK2)	6	-	6	6	-	6	-	-	-
New arrivals, children of HK1, HK6 (HK3)	2	-	2	2	-	2	-	-	-
Adjustments, employees of U.S. businesses in Hong Kong (HK6)	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Total, IRCA legalization adjustments	263	263	-	-	-	-	263	263	-
Entered without inspection before 1/1/82 (W16)	221	221	-	-	-	-	221	221	-
Entered as nonimmigrant and overstayed before 1/1/82 (W26)	25	25	-	-	-	-	25	25	-
Special Agriculture Workers (SAW), working in 1984, 1985, and 1986 (S16)	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2	-
Special Agriculture Workers (SAW), working in 1986 (S26)	15	15	-	-	-	-	15	15	-
Total, refugee and asylee adjustments	108,506	58,055	50,451	-	-	-	108,506	58,055	50,451
Total, Cuban refugees (P.L. 89-732)	21,207	20,411	796	-	-	-	21,207	20,411	796
Cuban refugees (CU6)	20,411	20,411	-	-	-	-	20,411	20,411	-
Non-Cuban spouses or children of Cuban refugees (CU7)	796	-	796	-	-	-	796	-	796
Total, Indochinese refugees (P.L. 95-145)	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Indochinese refugees (IC6)	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Hungarian refugee (P.L. 85-559) (M93)	3	3	-	-	-	-	3	3	-
Refugee parolees (P.L. 95-412) (R86)	4	4	-	-	-	-	4	4	-
Total, refugees (P.L. 96-212)	76,090	31,062	45,028	-	-	-	76,090	31,062	45,028
Refugees (RE6)	31,062	31,062	-	-	-	-	31,062	31,062	-
Spouses of refugees (RE7)	15,927	-	15,927	-	-	-	15,927	-	15,927
Children of refugees (RE8)	29,047	-	29,047	-	-	-	29,047	-	29,047
Other persons deriving refugee status (RE9)	54	-	54	-	-	-	54	-	54
Total, asylees (P.L. 96-212)	11,201	6,574	4,627	-	-	-	11,201	6,574	4,627
Subject to annual limit	10,111	6,169	3,942	-	-	-	10,111	6,169	3,942
Asylees (AS6)	6,169	6,169	-	-	-	-	6,169	6,169	-
Spouses of asylees (AS7)	1,533	-	1,533	-	-	-	1,533	-	1,533
Children of asylees (AS8)	2,409	-	2,409	-	-	-	2,409	-	2,409
Not subject to annual limit	1,090	405	685	-	-	-	1,090	405	685
Iraq national asylees processed in Guam (Sec.128, P.L. 105-277)	1,090	405	685	-	-	-	1,090	405	685
Iraqi adjusting under P.L. 105-277 (GA6)	405	405	-	-	-	-	405	405	-
Spouse of GA6 (GA7)	197	-	197	-	-	-	197	-	197
Child of GA6 (GA8)	488	-	488	-	-	-	488	-	488
Total, other adjustments	57,433	51,055	6,378	-	-	-	57,433	51,055	6,378
Cancellation of removal	22,506	22,506	-	-	-	-	22,506	22,506	-
Subject to annual limit	3,157	3,157	-	-	-	-	3,157	3,157	-
Other than crewmen (Sec.244, P.L.89-236) (Z13)	3,085	3,085	-	-	-	-	3,085	3,085	-
Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) (Crime Bill, P.L. 102-322) (Z14)	72	72	-	-	-	-	72	72	-
Not subject to annual limit	19,349	19,349	-	-	-	-	19,349	19,349	-
Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act (NACARA) (Sec.203, P.L. 105-100) (Z15)	19,349	19,349	-	-	-	-	19,349	19,349	-
Cuban/Haitian entrants (P.L.99-603) (CH6)	6	6	-	-	-	-	6	6	-

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**TABLE 5. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY TYPE AND CLASS OF ADMISSION
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Type and class of admission	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Principals	Derivatives	Total	Principals	Derivatives	Total	Principals	Derivatives
Haitian Refugee Immigration Fairness Act (HRIFA) (P.L. 105-277)	10,111	8,185	1,926	-	-	-	10,111	8,185	1,926
Haitian adjusting under P.L. 105-277 (HA6)	5,452	5,452	-	-	-	-	5,452	5,452	-
Spouse of HA6 (HA7)	527	-	527	-	-	-	527	-	527
Child of HA6 (HA8)	932	-	932	-	-	-	932	-	932
Unmarried son or daughter of HA6 (HA9)	55	-	55	-	-	-	55	-	55
Haitian adjusting under P.L. 105-277, Sec. 902(b)(1)(b) (HB6)	2,540	2,540	-	-	-	-	2,540	2,540	-
Spouse of HB6 (HB7)	190	-	190	-	-	-	190	-	190
Child of HB6 (HB8)	209	-	209	-	-	-	209	-	209
Unmarried son or daughter of HB6 (HB9)	4	-	4	-	-	-	4	-	4
Haitian adjusting under P.L. 105-277, Sec. 902(b)(1)(C)(i) (HC6)	150	150	-	-	-	-	150	150	-
Spouse of HC6 (HC7)	3	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	3
Child of HC6 (HC8)	3	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	3
Unmarried son or daughter of HC6 (HC9)	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Haitian adjusting under P.L. 105-277, Sec. 902(b)(1)(b)(C)(ii) (HD6)	18	18	-	-	-	-	18	18	-
Spouse of HD6 (HD7)	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Haitian adjusting under P.L. 105-277, Sec. 902(b)(1)(C)(iii) (HE6)	25	25	-	-	-	-	25	25	-
Unmarried son or daughter of HE6 (HE9)	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Individuals born under diplomatic status in U.S. (DS1)	8	8	-	-	-	-	8	8	-
Nicaraguan/Cuban (NACARA) (Sec. 202, P.L. 105-100)	18,926	14,474	4,452	-	-	-	18,926	14,474	4,452
Nicaraguan/Cuban adjusting under NACARA (NC6)	14,474	14,474	-	-	-	-	14,474	14,474	-
Spouse of NC6 (NC7)	845	-	845	-	-	-	845	-	845
Child of NC6 (NC8)	3,589	-	3,589	-	-	-	3,589	-	3,589
Unmarried son/daughter of NC6 (NC9)	18	-	18	-	-	-	18	-	18
Parolees, Polish/Hungarian (PH6)	19	19	-	-	-	-	19	19	-
Parolees, Soviet/Indochinese (LA6)	5,468	5,468	-	-	-	-	5,468	5,468	-
Private bill (Z43)	115	115	-	-	-	-	115	115	-
Section 249, P.L. 89-236, entered before 7/1/24 (Z33)	3	3	-	-	-	-	3	3	-
Section 249, P.L. 89-236, entered 7/1/24-6/28/40 (Z03)	3	3	-	-	-	-	3	3	-
Section 249, P.L. 89-236, entered 6/29/40-1/1/72 (Z66)	268	268	-	-	-	-	268	268	-
Total, other new arrivals	372	372	-	372	372	-	-	-	-
American Indians born in Canada (S13)	270	270	-	270	270	-	-	-	-
Total, children born subsequent to issuance of visa ...	102	102	-	102	102	-	-	-	-
Parent's visa type is employment-based preference (XA3)	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Parent's visa type is employment-based preference (XE3)	15	15	-	15	15	-	-	-	-
Parent's visa type is family-sponsored preference (XF3)	37	37	-	37	37	-	-	-	-
Parent's visa type is not family-sponsored, employment-based or immediate relative (XN3)	45	45	-	45	45	-	-	-	-
Parent's visa type is immediate relative (XR3)	4	4	-	4	4	-	-	-	-

¹ World-wide numerical limits include family-sponsored preferences, legalization dependents, employment-based preferences, and diversity programs.

² Subject to country limitations.

³ Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens in previous editions of the *Statistical Yearbook* are included with admissions not subject to a numerical cap. Immediate relatives may immigrate without limit but the number affects the limit set for family-sponsored preference immigrants.

NOTE: Symbol enclosed in parentheses is the visa or adjustment code.

- Represents zero.

TABLE 6. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY CLASS OF ADMISSION AND REGION AND FOREIGN STATE OF CHARGEABILITY UNDER THE PREFERENCE CATEGORIES FISCAL YEAR 2001

Region and foreign state of chargeability	Total	Family-sponsored preferences					Employment-based preferences					
		Total	1st pref.	2nd pref.	3rd pref.	4th pref.	Total	1st pref.	2nd pref.	3rd pref.	4th pref.	5th pref.
All countries	411,338	232,143	27,098	112,260	24,878	67,907	179,195	41,801	42,620	86,058	8,523	193
Europe	25,876	7,371	983	1,636	2,991	1,761	18,505	8,939	1,927	7,093	537	9
Albania	226	184	29	31	124	-	42	6	4	31	1	-
Armenia	187	61	14	27	19	1	126	26	6	91	3	-
Austria	107	12	1	2	3	6	95	56	11	25	3	-
Azerbaijan	46	12	10	2	-	-	34	12	8	14	-	-
Belarus	125	18	4	13	-	1	107	39	21	45	2	-
Belgium	270	17	1	4	4	8	253	158	26	58	11	-
Bosnia-Herzegovina	64	22	1	6	-	15	42	13	11	18	-	-
Bulgaria	334	49	17	10	20	2	285	103	54	127	1	-
Croatia	130	33	4	2	9	18	97	12	30	53	2	-
Czech Republic	29	7	3	2	-	2	22	10	3	9	-	-
Czechoslovakia ¹	98	14	7	4	3	-	84	46	13	25	-	-
Denmark	189	15	1	7	1	6	174	103	21	47	3	-
Estonia	9	-	-	-	-	-	9	2	-	7	-	-
Finland	145	12	-	5	5	2	133	83	10	33	7	-
France	1,537	138	31	31	48	28	1,399	865	159	353	22	-
Georgia	60	8	1	2	5	-	52	17	8	25	2	-
Germany	1,918	156	37	43	42	34	1,762	1,093	192	432	43	2
Gibraltar	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
Greece	281	95	17	20	21	37	186	54	47	75	10	-
Hungary	217	26	7	7	2	10	191	65	27	90	9	-
Iceland	25	4	3	1	-	-	21	12	6	3	-	-
Ireland	348	25	4	6	1	14	323	179	22	105	17	-
Italy	818	148	31	45	23	49	670	281	64	301	24	-
Kazakhstan	50	8	2	3	2	1	42	23	3	16	-	-
Kyrgyzstan	9	1	1	-	-	-	8	5	-	2	1	-
Latvia	57	10	2	3	5	-	47	6	3	38	-	-
Liechtenstein	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
Lithuania	90	38	6	5	26	1	52	11	5	34	2	-
Luxembourg	7	-	-	-	-	-	7	7	-	-	-	-
Macedonia	194	141	5	24	27	85	53	12	3	38	-	-
Malta	18	5	-	5	-	-	13	9	-	3	1	-
Moldova	61	11	6	1	3	1	50	17	5	28	-	-
Monaco	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
Netherlands	511	47	7	7	13	20	464	282	51	120	10	1
Norway	101	9	3	2	2	2	92	60	15	15	2	-
Poland	5,601	4,177	393	918	2,222	644	1,424	135	82	1,126	80	1
Portugal	662	324	8	69	16	231	338	25	9	301	3	-
Romania	829	292	34	44	100	114	537	109	93	281	54	-
Russia	1,699	114	47	46	19	2	1,585	676	293	578	38	-
Slovak Republic	98	27	4	10	12	1	71	16	7	47	1	-
Slovenia	14	3	1	1	1	-	11	3	1	7	-	-
Soviet Union ¹	74	8	3	2	-	3	66	28	14	21	3	-
Spain	330	49	9	19	7	14	281	131	33	96	21	-
Sweden	429	25	8	9	2	6	404	288	35	75	4	2
Switzerland	405	27	5	8	6	8	378	257	34	82	5	-
Tajikistan	4	1	-	-	1	-	3	1	-	2	-	-
Turkmenistan	4	1	1	-	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	-
Ukraine	612	115	49	43	19	4	497	161	69	216	51	-
United Kingdom	6,352	667	141	99	147	280	5,685	3,346	388	1,858	90	3
Uzbekistan	69	9	6	2	1	-	60	21	6	32	1	-
Yugoslavia ¹	430	206	19	46	30	111	224	72	34	108	10	-

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Region and foreign state of chargeability	Total	Family-sponsored preferences					Employment-based preferences					
		Total	1st pref.	2nd pref.	3rd pref.	4th pref.	Total	1st pref.	2nd pref.	3rd pref.	4th pref.	5th pref.
Asia	146,298	81,119	6,845	16,091	10,575	47,608	65,179	10,800	20,861	30,879	2,520	119
Afghanistan	245	182	59	59	31	33	63	3	-	51	8	1
Bahrain	53	23	2	1	3	17	30	3	4	20	3	-
Bangladesh	2,808	2,054	68	920	104	962	754	73	199	425	57	-
Brunei	10	8	2	-	-	6	2	-	2	-	-	-
Burma	611	542	29	69	60	384	69	11	13	27	18	-
Cambodia	400	360	67	52	45	196	40	3	1	13	23	-
China, People's Republic	23,719	10,173	680	2,288	1,687	5,518	13,546	3,774	6,408	3,288	40	36
Cyprus	50	9	1	2	1	5	41	9	8	23	1	-
Hong Kong	5,722	4,816	196	381	252	3,987	906	186	147	543	25	5
India	36,284	15,121	372	1,516	1,177	12,056	21,163	1,965	11,063	7,852	276	7
Indonesia	595	277	29	66	14	168	318	74	52	151	40	1
Iran	3,467	2,231	298	583	174	1,176	1,236	137	146	940	13	-
Iraq	505	378	72	106	107	93	127	14	11	84	13	5
Israel	1,138	231	64	38	45	84	907	399	91	355	61	1
Japan	2,988	218	18	143	23	34	2,770	1,461	154	1,090	64	1
Jordan	1,546	1,325	81	311	229	704	221	42	26	137	16	-
Korea	8,144	2,775	304	637	357	1,477	5,369	995	324	3,027	1,015	8
Kuwait	431	276	44	93	45	94	155	16	26	106	7	-
Laos	127	109	34	24	26	25	18	3	2	7	6	-
Lebanon	1,917	1,454	198	386	185	685	463	54	70	307	32	-
Macau	118	90	9	5	2	74	28	3	5	20	-	-
Malaysia	778	254	17	58	1	178	524	82	80	346	16	-
Maldives	2	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mongolia	27	-	-	-	-	-	27	6	-	20	1	-
Nepal	368	59	10	24	7	18	309	28	28	237	16	-
Oman	19	11	-	-	1	10	8	3	1	4	-	-
Pakistan	7,428	5,240	328	1,065	545	3,302	2,188	234	337	1,440	168	9
Philippines	23,842	15,357	1,836	5,239	3,919	4,363	8,485	183	160	7,777	360	5
Qatar	31	18	1	9	-	8	13	2	4	7	-	-
Saudi Arabia	237	113	11	21	5	76	124	21	30	71	2	-
Singapore	380	51	2	12	3	34	329	131	61	128	9	-
Sri Lanka	654	233	18	20	26	169	421	50	59	274	38	-
Syria	1,348	966	93	187	99	587	382	19	65	273	25	-
Taiwan	6,561	3,601	301	425	346	2,529	2,960	599	1,110	1,116	95	40
Thailand	791	493	113	113	18	249	298	29	41	189	39	-
Turkey	790	178	29	66	13	70	612	125	94	375	18	-
United Arab Emirates	213	153	2	6	3	142	60	11	10	39	-	-
Vietnam	11,622	11,425	1,335	1,118	901	8,071	197	49	27	107	14	-
Yemen	329	313	122	48	121	22	16	3	2	10	1	-
Africa	8,433	3,993	855	1,449	343	1,346	4,440	1,026	472	2,300	634	8
Algeria	87	24	2	18	3	1	63	16	14	29	4	-
Angola	22	11	2	9	-	-	11	1	1	6	3	-
Benin	15	3	-	2	-	1	12	4	1	4	3	-
Botswana	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	3	-	-	-
Burkina Faso	10	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	8	2	-
Burundi	2	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
Cameroon	87	21	8	13	-	-	66	15	6	22	23	-
Cape Verde	287	282	40	162	26	54	5	-	-	5	-	-
Central African Republic	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
Chad	6	2	-	2	-	-	4	-	-	-	4	-

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		Total	1st pref.	2nd pref.	3rd pref.	4th pref.	Total	1st pref.	2nd pref.	3rd pref.	4th pref.	5th pref.
Comoros	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Congo, Dem. Rep.	16	4	1	1	1	1	12	1	2	2	7	-
Congo, Republic	35	6	2	3	-	1	29	10	10	3	6	-
Cote d'Ivoire	60	26	9	12	-	5	34	7	3	15	9	-
Djibouti	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	1	-	-
Egypt	1,432	881	41	100	83	657	551	127	74	236	114	-
Eritrea	81	74	12	58	-	4	7	2	-	3	2	-
Ethiopia	471	381	50	293	10	28	90	10	7	35	38	-
Gambia, The	51	20	7	11	2	-	31	3	-	27	1	-
Ghana	654	512	198	191	55	68	142	12	19	68	43	-
Guinea-Bissau ...	25	8	3	5	-	-	17	-	3	7	7	-
Kenya	462	189	15	27	4	143	273	50	27	123	73	-
Liberia	219	178	95	46	11	26	41	1	3	16	21	-
Libya	41	19	-	3	4	12	22	4	9	9	-	-
Madagascar	9	1	-	-	-	1	8	4	-	3	1	-
Malawi	20	8	1	-	5	2	12	7	1	4	-	-
Mali	17	6	2	3	1	-	11	-	2	7	2	-
Mauritania	11	-	-	-	-	-	11	1	4	6	-	-
Mauritius	21	5	-	-	-	5	16	7	1	6	2	-
Morocco	276	108	15	81	6	6	168	32	22	98	16	-
Mozambique	16	7	5	1	-	1	9	5	1	3	-	-
Namibia	16	1	1	-	-	-	15	3	1	11	-	-
Niger	127	37	11	22	2	2	90	24	15	30	21	-
Nigeria	1,132	540	158	243	58	81	592	71	87	344	89	1
Rwanda	3	1	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-
Senegal	72	39	12	24	1	2	33	3	3	18	9	-
Sierra Leone	255	195	105	46	19	25	60	3	2	44	11	-
Somalia	25	14	3	10	-	1	11	-	6	2	3	-
South Africa	1,674	144	27	15	35	67	1,530	483	69	903	69	6
Sudan	84	30	9	19	-	2	54	17	20	9	8	-
Swaziland	7	1	-	-	-	1	6	1	1	4	-	-
Tanzania	138	65	4	9	1	51	73	27	5	31	10	-
Togo	21	6	2	3	-	1	15	1	5	6	3	-
Tunisia	40	6	1	3	-	2	34	8	12	12	2	-
Uganda	169	79	8	4	11	56	90	18	19	46	6	1
Western Sahara ..	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zambia	104	38	1	4	4	29	66	23	5	30	8	-
Zimbabwe	125	19	4	5	1	9	106	23	9	60	14	-
Oceania	1,575	663	53	89	99	422	912	459	56	349	48	-
Australia	707	55	11	8	16	20	652	358	45	225	24	-
Cook Islands	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fiji	488	466	21	36	56	353	22	3	1	15	3	-
Micronesia, Federated States	2	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
New Zealand	241	34	8	4	5	17	207	93	9	100	5	-
Papua New Guinea	5	1	-	1	-	-	4	1	-	1	2	-
Samoa	36	23	5	3	9	6	13	4	-	1	8	-
Tonga	95	82	8	37	12	25	13	-	1	6	6	-
North America ...	92,799	76,236	13,044	45,175	7,227	10,790	16,563	4,818	782	9,559	1,399	5
Canada	7,488	672	172	96	157	247	6,816	3,769	623	2,286	138	-
Mexico	39,622	35,038	3,075	23,654	3,781	4,528	4,584	804	69	3,242	466	3
St. Pierre and Miquelon	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-

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**TABLE 6. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY CLASS OF ADMISSION AND REGION AND FOREIGN STATE OF CHARGEABILITY UNDER THE PREFERENCE CATEGORIES
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Region and foreign state of chargeability	Total	Family-sponsored preferences					Employment-based preferences					
		Total	1st pref.	2nd pref.	3rd pref.	4th pref.	Total	1st pref.	2nd pref.	3rd pref.	4th pref.	5th pref.
Caribbean	31,825	29,833	7,589	15,253	2,617	4,374	1,992	170	55	1,320	447	-
Anguilla	41	41	-	3	-	38	-	-	-	-	-	-
Antigua-Barbuda	211	190	61	45	10	74	21	1	1	11	8	-
Aruba	11	8	-	2	-	6	3	2	-	-	1	-
Bahamas, The ...	78	50	26	21	3	-	28	5	3	18	2	-
Barbados	295	219	80	50	30	59	76	7	3	56	10	-
Bermuda	12	1	-	-	-	1	11	5	2	4	-	-
British Virgin Is.	23	21	1	8	-	12	2	-	-	1	1	-
Cayman Islands	5	2	-	2	-	-	3	1	-	-	2	-
Cuba	2,415	2,360	667	688	972	33	55	7	1	4	43	-
Dominica	10	7	4	1	1	1	3	-	2	1	-	-
Dominican Rep.	9,512	9,362	990	6,803	338	1,231	150	24	4	76	46	-
Grenada	270	211	85	33	5	88	59	3	-	53	3	-
Guadeloupe	18	13	6	5	-	2	5	1	1	3	-	-
Haiti	8,813	8,677	2,320	5,374	430	553	136	4	5	59	68	-
Jamaica	6,471	5,873	2,509	1,808	494	1,062	598	51	15	376	156	-
Martinique	4	2	-	-	-	2	2	1	-	-	1	-
Montserrat	21	14	5	6	-	3	7	-	-	6	1	-
Netherlands Antilles	33	22	5	1	5	11	11	4	1	1	5	-
St. Kitts-Nevis....	269	264	136	26	3	99	5	-	-	5	-	-
St. Lucia	291	263	66	70	23	104	28	2	-	17	9	-
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	230	178	73	35	17	53	52	-	1	44	7	-
Trinidad and Tobago	2,789	2,052	553	272	286	941	737	52	16	585	84	-
Turks and Caicos Islands	3	3	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Central America	13,862	10,693	2,208	6,172	672	1,641	3,169	75	35	2,709	348	2
Belize	359	330	99	88	59	84	29	-	-	11	18	-
Costa Rica	272	148	36	36	24	52	124	21	2	72	29	-
El Salvador	7,000	5,220	927	3,401	150	742	1,780	7	11	1,707	55	-
Guatemala	3,071	2,423	468	1,454	156	345	648	30	9	543	66	-
Honduras	2,034	1,707	464	865	156	222	327	8	1	290	28	-
Nicaragua	560	507	124	247	67	69	53	3	4	37	9	-
Panama	566	358	90	81	60	127	208	6	8	49	143	2
South America	22,329	14,804	3,113	4,278	2,846	4,567	7,525	1,904	295	4,734	582	10
Argentina	1,023	266	60	36	68	102	757	291	56	350	57	3
Bolivia	808	271	54	93	32	92	537	19	2	509	7	-
Brazil	2,413	350	84	128	44	94	2,063	697	56	1,119	190	1
Chile	493	248	33	53	20	142	245	99	11	121	14	-
Colombia	3,786	2,752	468	837	324	1,123	1,034	302	47	560	125	-
Ecuador	3,344	2,564	341	1,094	348	781	780	36	10	700	34	-
French Guiana	5	3	1	1	1	-	2	1	-	1	-	-
Guyana	5,534	5,307	1,581	1,003	1,593	1,130	227	17	7	141	61	1
Paraguay	132	57	5	15	9	28	75	11	4	52	8	-
Peru	3,351	2,493	376	893	269	955	858	56	52	713	37	-
Suriname	117	73	11	17	29	16	44	4	-	37	3	-
Uruguay	162	90	12	22	8	48	72	25	4	40	3	-
Venezuela	1,161	330	87	86	101	56	831	346	46	391	43	5
No country limitations	34,752	34,752	-	34,752	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unknown or not reported	79,276	13,205	2,205	8,790	797	1,413	66,071	13,855	18,227	31,144	2,803	42

¹ Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 7. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY TYPE OF ADMISSION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
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Region and country of birth	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits
All countries	1,064,318	453,390	610,928	411,059	240,315	170,744	653,259	213,075	440,184
Europe	175,371	54,381	120,990	52,683	31,658	21,025	122,688	22,723	99,965
Albania	4,363	3,548	815	3,917	3,471	446	446	77	369
Andorra	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Armenia	1,786	608	1,178	579	363	216	1,207	245	962
Austria	527	230	297	172	101	71	355	129	226
Azerbaijan	1,169	210	959	262	156	106	907	54	853
Belarus	2,909	651	2,258	735	489	246	2,174	162	2,012
Belgium	818	426	392	292	181	111	526	245	281
Bosnia-Herzegovina	23,640	131	23,509	176	69	107	23,464	62	23,402
Bulgaria	4,411	3,197	1,214	3,259	2,676	583	1,152	521	631
Croatia	2,862	216	2,646	177	101	76	2,685	115	2,570
Czech Republic	308	80	228	140	45	95	168	35	133
Czechoslovakia ²	867	185	682	141	56	85	726	129	597
Denmark	716	294	422	244	122	122	472	172	300
Estonia	348	52	296	75	33	42	273	19	254
Finland	499	219	280	166	89	77	333	130	203
France	4,608	2,268	2,340	1,445	1,014	431	3,163	1,254	1,909
Georgia	789	232	557	226	127	99	563	105	458
Germany	9,886	3,633	6,253	3,237	1,822	1,415	6,649	1,811	4,838
Gibraltar	5	2	3	2	-	2	3	2	1
Greece	1,181	433	748	423	190	233	758	243	515
Hungary	1,273	413	860	368	164	204	905	249	656
Iceland	136	56	80	60	25	35	76	31	45
Ireland	1,522	567	955	491	305	186	1,031	262	769
Italy	3,142	1,125	2,017	805	462	343	2,337	663	1,674
Kazakhstan	2,315	360	1,955	1,036	247	789	1,279	113	1,166
Kyrgyzstan	588	73	515	94	65	29	494	8	486
Latvia	712	199	513	203	123	80	509	76	433
Liechtenstein	4	3	1	3	3	-	1	-	1
Lithuania	1,735	1,102	633	1,086	941	145	649	161	488
Luxembourg	34	17	17	15	6	9	19	11	8
Macedonia	924	368	556	546	277	269	378	91	287
Malta	57	26	31	24	12	12	33	14	19
Moldova	2,077	250	1,827	344	200	144	1,733	50	1,683
Monaco	9	2	7	1	1	-	8	1	7
Netherlands	1,687	772	915	571	339	232	1,116	433	683
Norway	553	155	398	200	57	143	353	98	255
Poland	11,818	6,824	4,994	5,357	4,137	1,220	6,461	2,687	3,774
Portugal	1,651	897	754	437	321	116	1,214	576	638
Romania	6,649	3,187	3,462	4,251	2,333	1,918	2,398	854	1,544
Russia	20,413	4,292	16,121	7,191	1,722	5,469	13,222	2,570	10,652
San Marino	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Slovak Republic	812	398	414	389	267	122	423	131	292
Slovenia	142	27	115	19	10	9	123	17	106
Soviet Union ²	2,735	320	2,415	12	6	6	2,723	314	2,409
Spain	1,726	506	1,220	456	170	286	1,270	336	934
Sweden	1,692	644	1,048	579	306	273	1,113	338	775
Switzerland	1,304	654	650	462	301	161	842	353	489
Tajikistan	187	44	143	44	35	9	143	9	134
Turkmenistan	94	32	62	39	28	11	55	4	51
Ukraine	20,975	3,708	17,267	4,864	2,923	1,941	16,111	785	15,326
United Kingdom	18,436	9,338	9,098	5,618	3,837	1,781	12,818	5,501	7,317
Uzbekistan	2,035	506	1,529	519	408	111	1,516	98	1,418
Yugoslavia ²	6,240	901	5,339	931	522	409	5,309	379	4,930

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Region and country of birth	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits
Asia	349,776	195,813	153,963	170,154	102,079	68,075	179,622	93,734	85,888
Afghanistan	1,207	340	867	679	280	399	528	60	468
Bahrain	119	92	27	50	45	5	69	47	22
Bangladesh	7,171	4,783	2,388	5,312	3,702	1,610	1,859	1,081	778
Bhutan	5	1	4	2	1	1	3	-	3
Brunei	27	16	11	9	7	2	18	9	9
Burma	1,383	894	489	953	780	173	430	114	316
Cambodia	2,473	551	1,922	1,599	332	1,267	874	219	655
China, People's Republic	56,426	32,083	24,343	23,763	11,811	11,952	32,663	20,272	12,391
Cyprus	218	103	115	72	34	38	146	69	77
Hong Kong	8,321	6,821	1,500	5,930	5,611	319	2,391	1,210	1,181
India	70,290	54,531	15,759	28,034	20,288	7,746	42,256	34,243	8,013
Indonesia	2,541	989	1,552	822	476	346	1,719	513	1,206
Iran	10,497	4,364	6,133	5,770	2,989	2,781	4,727	1,375	3,352
Iraq	4,985	638	4,347	1,488	457	1,031	3,497	181	3,316
Israel	3,776	1,730	2,046	1,341	705	636	2,435	1,025	1,410
Japan	9,619	4,109	5,510	4,034	2,071	1,963	5,585	2,038	3,547
Jordan	4,593	1,700	2,893	3,377	1,363	2,014	1,216	337	879
Korea	20,742	11,288	9,454	6,489	3,090	3,399	14,253	8,198	6,055
Kuwait	1,270	601	669	621	378	243	649	223	426
Laos	1,416	158	1,258	191	93	98	1,225	65	1,160
Lebanon	4,601	2,136	2,465	2,759	1,511	1,248	1,842	625	1,217
Macau	342	303	39	289	275	14	53	28	25
Malaysia	2,445	1,183	1,262	541	358	183	1,904	825	1,079
Maldives	9	2	7	2	2	-	7	-	7
Mongolia	103	36	67	27	8	19	76	28	48
Nepal	949	650	299	360	303	57	589	347	242
Oman	55	43	12	38	33	5	17	10	7
Pakistan	16,448	9,975	6,473	10,968	7,289	3,679	5,480	2,686	2,794
Philippines	53,154	27,681	25,473	32,674	18,831	13,843	20,480	8,850	11,630
Qatar	125	66	59	64	39	25	61	27	34
Saudi Arabia	1,185	772	413	681	550	131	504	222	282
Singapore	1,108	610	498	324	205	119	784	405	379
Sri Lanka	1,507	1,070	437	648	497	151	859	573	286
Syria	3,368	1,500	1,868	1,917	1,142	775	1,451	358	1,093
Taiwan	12,171	8,445	3,726	5,256	4,358	898	6,915	4,087	2,828
Thailand	4,291	1,030	3,261	1,366	573	793	2,925	457	2,468
Turkey	3,229	1,626	1,603	1,581	1,029	552	1,648	597	1,051
United Arab Emirates ..	461	363	98	331	285	46	130	78	52
Vietnam	35,531	12,115	23,416	18,442	9,917	8,525	17,089	2,198	14,891
Yemen	1,615	415	1,200	1,350	361	989	265	54	211
Africa	53,948	26,315	27,633	27,558	20,416	7,142	26,390	5,899	20,491
Algeria	878	503	375	494	395	99	384	108	276
Angola	95	34	61	28	16	12	67	18	49
Benin	76	35	41	26	24	2	50	11	39
Botswana	24	16	8	9	7	2	15	9	6
Burkina Faso	68	20	48	20	14	6	48	6	42
Burundi	79	4	75	6	2	4	73	2	71
Cameroon	795	444	351	481	362	119	314	82	232
Cape Verde	872	303	569	477	259	218	395	44	351
Central African Republic	11	3	8	3	1	2	8	2	6
Chad	45	13	32	11	6	5	34	7	27
Comoros	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2	-
Congo, Dem. Republic	148	25	123	1	1	-	147	24	123
Congo, Republic	313	168	145	194	139	55	119	29	90
Cote d'Ivoire	605	150	455	210	108	102	395	42	353
Djibouti	23	6	17	8	3	5	15	3	12

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	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits
Egypt	5,182	2,806	2,376	2,989	2,089	900	2,193	717	1,476
Equatorial Guinea	3	-	3	1	-	1	2	-	2
Eritrea	544	158	386	292	132	160	252	26	226
Ethiopia	5,106	2,714	2,392	3,420	2,541	879	1,686	173	1,513
Gabon	32	3	29	7	1	6	25	2	23
Gambia, The	391	76	315	68	29	39	323	47	276
Ghana	4,031	1,872	2,159	2,393	1,607	786	1,638	265	1,373
Guinea	11	-	11	3	-	3	8	-	8
Guinea-Bissau	274	59	215	78	43	35	196	16	180
Kenya	2,514	1,346	1,168	1,118	978	140	1,396	368	1,028
Lesotho	6	-	6	-	-	-	6	-	6
Liberia	2,285	679	1,606	762	547	215	1,523	132	1,391
Libya	224	99	125	114	61	53	110	38	72
Madagascar	61	22	39	25	11	14	36	11	25
Malawi	70	34	36	20	13	7	50	21	29
Mali	120	35	85	40	22	18	80	13	67
Mauritania	117	17	100	16	12	4	101	5	96
Mauritius	84	44	40	26	18	8	58	26	32
Morocco	4,968	3,443	1,525	3,529	3,234	295	1,439	209	1,230
Mozambique	48	20	28	15	8	7	33	12	21
Namibia	54	25	29	18	9	9	36	16	20
Niger	1,341	507	834	436	363	73	905	144	761
Nigeria	8,291	4,072	4,219	4,994	3,429	1,565	3,297	643	2,654
Rwanda	148	33	115	33	30	3	115	3	112
Sao Tome and Principe	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Senegal	665	166	499	269	103	166	396	63	333
Seychelles	18	1	17	6	1	5	12	-	12
Sierra Leone	1,884	1,046	838	1,253	935	318	631	111	520
Somalia	3,026	330	2,696	444	311	133	2,582	19	2,563
South Africa	4,100	2,809	1,291	1,258	969	289	2,842	1,840	1,002
St. Helena	2	-	2	1	-	1	1	-	1
Sudan	1,655	816	839	918	748	170	737	68	669
Swaziland	18	12	6	6	6	-	12	6	6
Tanzania	477	268	209	204	155	49	273	113	160
Togo	489	336	153	345	327	18	144	9	135
Tunisia	440	106	334	104	55	49	336	51	285
Uganda	459	208	251	161	125	36	298	83	215
Western Sahara	3	1	2	1	1	-	2	-	2
Zambia	296	185	111	110	90	20	186	95	91
Zimbabwe	476	241	235	113	76	37	363	165	198
Oceania	6,113	2,750	3,363	2,717	1,762	955	3,396	988	2,408
American Samoa	28	5	23	17	4	13	11	1	10
Australia	2,830	1,172	1,658	997	553	444	1,833	619	1,214
Cook Islands	4	1	3	1	1	-	3	-	3
Fiji	1,457	951	506	1,093	874	219	364	77	287
French Polynesia	17	5	12	1	-	1	16	5	11
Marshall Islands	2	1	1	-	-	-	2	1	1
Micronesia, Federated States	9	3	6	2	1	1	7	2	5
New Caledonia	6	1	5	4	1	3	2	-	2
New Zealand	1,214	443	771	475	252	223	739	191	548
Niue	2	-	2	1	-	1	1	-	1
Northern Mariana Is.	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Palau	3	-	3	1	-	1	2	-	2
Papua New Guinea	27	7	20	9	6	3	18	1	17
Samoa	171	40	131	25	13	12	146	27	119
Solomon Islands	7	2	5	1	1	-	6	1	5
Tonga	328	119	209	90	56	34	238	63	175
Tuvalu	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Vanuatu	5	-	5	-	-	-	5	-	5
Wallis and Futuna Is.	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1

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Region and country of birth	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits
North America	407,888	145,337	262,551	130,570	68,653	61,917	277,318	76,684	200,634
Canada	21,933	11,407	10,526	5,339	4,070	1,269	16,594	7,337	9,257
Greenland	4	1	3	1	-	1	3	1	2
Mexico	206,426	81,058	125,368	63,453	26,693	36,760	142,973	54,365	88,608
St. Pierre and Miquelon	2	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-
United States	63	27	36	22	16	6	41	11	30
Caribbean	103,546	35,987	67,559	45,517	30,467	15,050	58,029	5,520	52,509
Anguilla	55	41	14	47	37	10	8	4	4
Antigua-Barbuda	463	221	242	216	165	51	247	56	191
Aruba	29	11	18	8	6	2	21	5	16
Bahamas, The	931	163	768	90	42	48	841	121	720
Barbados	910	364	546	273	185	88	637	179	458
Bermuda	99	17	82	34	8	26	65	9	56
British Virgin Islands	70	31	39	49	27	22	21	4	17
Cayman Islands	24	8	16	7	6	1	17	2	15
Cuba	27,703	2,868	24,835	3,701	2,812	889	24,002	56	23,946
Dominica	93	21	72	6	3	3	87	18	69
Dominican Republic ..	21,313	10,702	10,611	14,874	9,591	5,283	6,439	1,111	5,328
Grenada	645	297	348	270	185	85	375	112	263
Guadeloupe	84	32	52	44	20	24	40	12	28
Haiti	27,120	10,105	17,015	13,519	9,241	4,278	13,601	864	12,737
Jamaica	15,393	6,961	8,432	8,914	5,635	3,279	6,479	1,326	5,153
Martinique	22	7	15	5	5	-	17	2	15
Montserrat	61	23	38	15	10	5	46	13	33
Netherlands Antilles ..	116	51	65	39	36	3	77	15	62
Puerto Rico	4	-	4	1	-	1	3	-	3
St. Kitts-Nevis	466	270	196	314	231	83	152	39	113
St. Lucia	678	295	383	346	248	98	332	47	285
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	563	261	302	201	134	67	362	127	235
Trinidad and Tobago ...	6,665	3,230	3,435	2,541	1,838	703	4,124	1,392	2,732
Turks and Caicos Islands	33	6	27	1	1	-	32	5	27
U.S. Virgin Islands	6	2	4	2	1	1	4	1	3
Central America	75,914	16,855	59,059	16,236	7,405	8,831	59,678	9,450	50,228
Belize	939	410	529	326	221	105	613	189	424
Costa Rica	1,744	399	1,345	426	130	296	1,318	269	1,049
El Salvador	31,272	8,489	22,783	6,814	3,599	3,215	24,458	4,890	19,568
Guatemala	13,567	3,821	9,746	3,877	1,210	2,667	9,690	2,611	7,079
Honduras	6,615	2,449	4,166	3,103	1,396	1,707	3,512	1,053	2,459
Nicaragua	19,896	635	19,261	930	405	525	18,966	230	18,736
Panama	1,881	652	1,229	760	444	316	1,121	208	913
South America	68,888	28,172	40,716	26,869	15,474	11,395	42,019	12,698	29,321
Argentina	3,328	1,447	1,881	829	554	275	2,499	893	1,606
Bolivia	1,826	1,012	814	649	378	271	1,177	634	543
Brazil	9,505	3,977	5,528	1,716	853	863	7,789	3,124	4,665
Chile	1,947	647	1,300	556	233	323	1,391	414	977
Colombia	16,730	4,578	12,152	5,433	2,439	2,994	11,297	2,139	9,158
Ecuador	9,706	4,136	5,570	5,277	2,673	2,604	4,429	1,463	2,966
Falkland Islands	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
French Guiana	8	7	1	4	4	-	4	3	1
Guyana	8,303	5,686	2,617	6,321	4,947	1,374	1,982	739	1,243
Paraguay	408	205	203	151	84	67	257	121	136
Peru	11,131	4,363	6,768	4,690	2,634	2,056	6,441	1,729	4,712
Suriname	245	139	106	104	84	20	141	55	86
Uruguay	545	205	340	125	80	45	420	125	295
Venezuela	5,205	1,770	3,435	1,013	511	502	4,192	1,259	2,933
Unknown or not reported	2,334	622	1,712	508	273	235	1,826	349	1,477

¹ World-wide numerical limits include family-sponsored preferences, legalization dependents, employment-based preferences, and diversity programs.

² Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.

- Represents zero.

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Region and country of birth	Total	Family-sponsored preferences	Employment-based preferences	Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens				Refugee and asylee adjustments	Diversity program	Cancellation of removal	Other
				Total	Spouses	Children	Parents				
All countries	1,064,318	232,143	179,195	443,035	270,545	91,526	80,964	108,506	42,015	22,506	36,918
Europe	175,371	7,947	28,481	59,236	41,414	13,201	4,621	55,825	17,952	687	5,243
Albania	4,363	190	63	692	435	61	196	114	3,295	8	1
Andorra	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Armenia	1,786	63	187	700	464	81	155	321	358	15	142
Austria	527	15	179	254	230	15	9	37	36	-	6
Azerbaijan	1,169	16	46	215	126	30	59	476	148	2	266
Belarus	2,909	21	170	535	268	208	59	1,548	460	1	174
Belgium	818	22	377	380	329	27	24	7	27	-	5
Bosnia-Herzegovina	23,640	25	67	203	169	14	20	23,303	39	2	1
Bulgaria	4,411	51	535	1,091	562	389	140	57	2,611	56	10
Croatia	2,862	33	143	300	244	29	27	2,337	40	9	-
Czech Republic	308	7	42	227	202	15	10	1	31	-	-
Czechoslovakia ¹	867	17	136	663	617	32	14	14	32	4	1
Denmark	716	13	256	417	382	20	15	1	25	-	4
Estonia	348	-	19	172	122	49	1	93	33	3	28
Finland	499	13	193	279	256	10	13	-	13	-	1
France	4,608	166	1,937	2,295	2,040	189	66	14	165	2	29
Georgia	789	6	92	317	219	64	34	178	134	1	61
Germany	9,886	186	2,638	4,861	4,280	398	183	1,345	809	5	42
Gibraltar	5	-	2	3	2	-	1	-	-	-	-
Greece	1,181	104	283	726	562	47	117	12	46	8	2
Hungary	1,273	34	287	812	686	77	49	19	92	19	10
Iceland	136	4	43	78	57	18	3	-	9	-	2
Ireland	1,522	30	432	946	867	54	25	1	105	-	8
Italy	3,142	175	893	1,992	1,699	132	161	15	57	3	7
Kazakhstan	2,315	9	91	1,020	275	717	28	659	260	-	276
Kyrgyzstan	588	1	9	121	89	25	7	305	63	-	89
Latvia	712	13	80	304	214	85	5	175	106	1	33
Liechtenstein	4	-	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lithuania	1,735	39	92	547	390	121	36	69	971	2	15
Luxembourg	34	3	12	17	17	-	-	-	2	-	-
Macedonia	924	150	86	415	278	70	67	114	132	25	2
Malta	57	5	18	29	26	2	1	2	3	-	-
Moldova	2,077	13	67	279	143	102	34	1,322	170	1	225
Monaco	9	-	2	7	6	1	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	1,687	50	689	900	822	52	26	8	33	-	7
Norway	553	11	134	396	362	31	3	1	10	-	1
Poland	11,818	4,375	2,427	4,754	3,262	680	812	71	22	97	72
Portugal	1,651	350	533	745	533	64	148	-	14	5	4
Romania	6,649	300	934	3,211	1,794	1,037	380	119	1,953	125	7
Russia	20,413	142	2,595	9,992	4,087	5,333	572	4,758	1,555	41	1,330
San Marino	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Slovak Republic	812	34	127	403	335	52	16	5	237	3	3
Slovenia	142	4	18	55	46	6	3	60	5	-	-
Soviet Union ¹	2,735	17	273	530	406	62	62	1,621	30	51	213
Spain	1,726	48	443	1,171	1,032	65	74	39	15	1	9
Sweden	1,692	28	549	1,035	972	53	10	9	67	-	4
Switzerland	1,304	30	534	601	535	46	20	39	90	-	10
Tajikistan	187	2	6	30	18	5	7	100	36	-	13
Turkmenistan	94	1	4	28	22	5	1	28	27	-	6
Ukraine	20,975	129	830	4,193	2,034	1,834	325	11,130	2,749	25	1,919
United Kingdom	18,436	758	8,447	8,997	8,011	658	328	9	132	8	85
Uzbekistan	2,035	12	87	308	221	56	31	1,099	407	3	119
Yugoslavia ¹	6,240	232	371	987	663	80	244	4,190	298	161	1

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				Total	Spouses	Children	Parents				
Asia	349,776	83,521	106,332	132,247	75,709	23,408	33,130	19,992	5,958	360	1,366
Afghanistan	1,207	205	70	605	434	38	133	257	65	4	1
Bahrain	119	36	54	26	23	2	1	-	2	-	1
Bangladesh	7,171	2,078	1,196	2,156	1,173	295	688	204	1,509	18	10
Bhutan	5	-	1	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brunei	27	10	6	11	10	1	-	-	-	-	-
Burma	1,383	496	116	306	175	11	120	181	282	2	-
Cambodia	2,473	433	64	1,821	1,015	574	232	75	54	2	24
China, People's Republic ..	56,426	9,705	22,361	23,497	9,381	6,117	7,999	812	16	15	20
Cyprus	218	10	80	113	100	2	11	2	13	-	-
Hong Kong	8,321	5,401	1,372	1,195	919	144	132	247	47	1	58
India	70,290	15,443	39,010	14,714	7,631	1,325	5,758	942	78	46	57
Indonesia	2,541	286	517	1,432	1,085	115	232	111	186	2	7
Iran	10,497	2,377	1,654	4,678	2,023	245	2,410	1,364	333	37	54
Iraq	4,985	399	195	1,283	803	44	436	3,060	44	4	-
Israel	3,776	262	1,330	1,996	1,566	190	240	12	138	7	31
Japan	9,619	267	3,644	5,484	5,016	289	179	1	198	1	24
Jordan	4,593	1,347	321	2,850	1,778	499	573	11	32	15	17
Korea	20,742	2,929	8,353	9,420	5,432	2,487	1,501	3	6	8	23
Kuwait	1,270	324	244	562	498	60	4	37	33	6	64
Laos	1,416	134	23	728	587	41	100	520	1	4	6
Lebanon	4,601	1,484	610	2,404	1,574	237	593	38	42	11	12
Macau	342	257	45	38	23	9	6	-	1	-	1
Malaysia	2,445	269	883	1,038	872	58	108	210	31	5	9
Maldives	9	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	6
Mongolia	103	-	28	61	42	18	1	5	8	-	1
Nepal	949	61	447	296	239	27	30	2	142	1	-
Oman	55	15	13	11	9	2	-	1	15	-	-
Pakistan	16,448	5,225	3,217	6,105	3,335	1,480	1,290	320	1,533	23	25
Philippines	53,154	15,635	12,042	25,228	13,837	5,311	6,080	89	4	96	60
Qatar	125	23	40	56	34	22	-	1	3	1	1
Saudi Arabia	1,185	287	331	330	245	79	6	70	154	3	10
Singapore	1,108	62	528	481	414	40	27	9	20	-	8
Sri Lanka	1,507	234	708	412	298	21	93	19	128	5	1
Syria	3,368	971	495	1,519	965	133	421	327	34	13	9
Taiwan	12,171	3,786	4,655	3,700	2,657	372	671	1	4	12	13
Thailand	4,291	538	442	2,585	1,968	388	229	653	50	9	14
Turkey	3,229	182	836	1,563	1,209	153	201	32	608	1	7
United Arab Emirates	461	191	104	90	62	28	-	3	68	-	5
Vietnam	35,531	11,841	273	12,271	7,720	1,964	2,587	10,351	1	7	787
Yemen	1,615	316	24	1,177	552	587	38	22	75	1	-
Africa	53,948	4,150	6,665	20,514	14,084	3,384	3,046	6,906	15,499	150	64
Algeria	878	28	97	328	278	12	38	46	378	-	1
Angola	95	14	15	58	52	4	2	3	5	-	-
Benin	76	3	15	26	25	1	-	15	17	-	-
Botswana	24	2	10	8	5	2	1	-	4	-	-
Burkina Faso	68	-	13	35	30	2	3	13	7	-	-
Burundi	79	1	1	11	8	2	1	64	2	-	-
Cameroon	795	24	100	303	194	65	44	44	320	3	1
Cape Verde	872	293	8	559	272	172	115	1	2	9	-
Central African Republic	11	-	2	8	6	-	2	-	1	-	-
Chad	45	3	5	14	11	2	1	18	5	-	-
Comoros	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	148	5	19	45	35	7	3	77	1	1	-
Congo, Republic	313	7	37	111	68	28	15	34	124	-	-
Cote d'Ivoire	605	30	54	401	305	90	6	52	66	2	-
Djibouti	23	-	3	8	3	-	5	9	3	-	-
Egypt	5,182	877	804	2,203	1,616	226	361	136	1,125	22	15

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				Total	Spouses	Children	Parents				
Equatorial Guinea.....	3	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eritrea	544	78	12	350	200	44	106	36	68	-	-
Ethiopia	5,106	394	125	1,500	804	373	323	881	2,194	9	3
Gabon	32	-	2	29	25	4	-	-	1	-	-
Gambia, The	391	25	35	241	198	30	13	61	16	13	-
Ghana	4,031	526	224	2,070	1,359	543	168	81	1,122	4	4
Guinea	11	-	-	10	8	-	2	1	-	-	-
Guinea-Bissau	274	8	23	182	149	27	6	31	28	2	-
Kenya	2,514	170	425	830	693	84	53	332	751	2	4
Lesotho	6	-	-	5	4	1	-	-	-	-	1
Liberia	2,285	206	56	608	273	210	125	976	417	20	2
Libya	224	30	45	117	91	10	16	8	24	-	-
Madagascar	61	1	11	39	28	8	3	-	10	-	-
Malawi	70	5	24	32	25	2	5	4	5	-	-
Mali	120	7	14	76	69	7	-	8	14	1	-
Mauritania	117	-	9	32	29	3	-	68	8	-	-
Mauritius	84	6	32	32	27	1	4	7	6	-	1
Morocco	4,968	115	245	1,520	1,314	77	129	1	3,083	4	-
Mozambique	48	6	12	27	23	2	2	1	2	-	-
Namibia	54	2	23	28	25	3	-	1	-	-	-
Niger	1,341	44	127	762	571	64	127	70	336	2	-
Nigeria	8,291	577	807	3,866	2,272	683	911	300	2,688	41	12
Rwanda	148	1	3	9	7	2	-	106	29	-	-
Sao Tome and Principe	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senegal	665	44	55	479	372	92	15	19	67	-	1
Seychelles	18	-	-	17	13	2	2	-	1	-	-
Sierra Leone	1,884	203	77	622	253	232	137	215	766	1	-
Somalia	3,026	17	18	207	130	33	44	2,484	295	5	-
South Africa	4,100	155	2,423	1,265	1,011	118	136	11	231	2	13
St. Helena	2	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Sudan	1,655	34	63	242	163	33	46	593	719	-	4
Swaziland	18	2	9	4	4	-	-	2	1	-	-
Tanzania	477	65	115	200	160	11	29	9	88	-	-
Togo	489	6	15	108	93	12	3	44	315	1	-
Tunisia	440	9	56	328	312	5	11	6	41	-	-
Uganda	459	61	110	208	162	27	19	35	37	6	2
Western Sahara	3	1	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zambia	296	41	102	110	103	6	1	1	42	-	-
Zimbabwe	476	23	184	233	199	21	13	2	34	-	-
Oceania	6,113	702	1,373	3,324	2,803	302	219	19	675	7	13
American Samoa	28	4	1	23	13	6	4	-	-	-	-
Australia	2,830	63	1,005	1,647	1,478	149	20	2	104	-	9
Cook Islands	4	1	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fiji	1,457	478	23	487	327	40	120	15	450	4	-
French Polynesia	17	-	5	12	10	1	1	-	-	-	-
Marshall Islands	2	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Micronesia, Federated States	9	1	2	6	4	2	-	-	-	-	-
New Caledonia	6	-	-	4	3	1	-	-	1	-	1
New Zealand	1,214	37	301	770	711	47	12	-	105	-	1
Niue	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Mariana Islands ...	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Palau	3	-	-	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-
Papua New Guinea	27	1	4	20	15	5	-	-	2	-	-
Samoa	171	24	13	128	83	13	32	-	3	1	2
Solomon Islands	7	-	2	3	3	-	-	2	-	-	-
Tonga	328	93	16	207	145	32	30	-	10	2	-
Tuvalu	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	5	-	-	5	2	3	-	-	-	-	-
Wallis and Futuna Islands ...	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-

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				Total	Spouses	Children	Parents				
North America	407,888	119,778	24,800	186,887	109,591	43,468	33,828	24,696	728	20,930	30,069
Canada	21,933	756	10,568	10,147	8,499	1,488	160	14	83	8	357
Greenland	4	-	1	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-
Mexico	206,426	73,738	7,291	122,496	71,752	25,841	24,903	67	4	2,241	589
St. Pierre and Miquelon	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United States	63	3	23	21	16	1	4	2	1	-	13
Caribbean	103,546	32,674	2,756	32,799	17,677	9,838	5,284	23,448	556	123	11,190
Anguilla	55	39	1	14	3	9	2	-	1	-	-
Antigua-Barbuda	463	201	20	234	142	65	27	-	-	7	1
Aruba	29	7	4	17	15	2	-	-	-	-	1
Bahamas, The	931	99	48	485	352	116	17	3	16	5	275
Barbados	910	237	120	540	388	114	38	-	7	3	3
Bermuda	99	3	12	81	67	14	-	1	2	-	-
British Virgin Islands	70	27	4	39	12	19	8	-	-	-	-
Cayman Islands	24	3	5	16	6	8	2	-	-	-	-
Cuba	27,703	2,378	61	1,143	553	321	269	22,687	429	8	997
Dominica	93	17	4	72	54	9	9	-	-	-	-
Dominican Republic	21,313	10,445	244	10,524	6,066	2,920	1,538	13	12	25	50
Grenada	645	229	68	347	227	90	30	-	-	1	-
Guadeloupe	84	25	7	40	18	20	2	2	40	3	7
Haiti	27,120	9,908	197	6,448	2,314	2,476	1,658	735	-	24	9,808
Jamaica	15,393	6,141	818	8,395	4,657	2,551	1,187	4	2	17	16
Martinique	22	3	3	14	9	5	-	-	1	-	1
Montserrat	61	15	8	37	21	6	10	-	-	1	-
Netherlands Antilles	116	34	17	57	41	10	6	-	-	-	8
Puerto Rico	4	-	-	4	2	1	1	-	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	466	259	10	190	91	73	26	-	1	4	2
St. Lucia	678	258	36	380	235	90	55	1	1	1	1
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	563	190	70	301	206	67	28	-	1	-	1
Trinidad and Tobago	6,665	2,149	998	3,397	2,182	844	371	2	83	24	12
Turks and Caicos Islands ..	33	6	-	21	13	8	-	-	-	-	6
U.S. Virgin Islands	6	1	1	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	1
Central America	75,914	12,607	4,159	21,421	11,645	6,299	3,477	1,165	84	18,558	17,920
Belize	939	359	46	514	316	138	60	2	5	6	7
Costa Rica	1,744	190	185	1,286	966	256	64	26	23	9	25
El Salvador	31,272	6,257	2,230	7,675	4,215	1,573	1,887	195	-	14,784	131
Guatemala	13,567	2,857	947	5,621	2,561	2,502	558	456	15	3,590	81
Honduras	6,615	1,992	432	3,916	2,127	1,261	528	124	25	96	30
Nicaragua	19,896	554	73	1,219	677	315	227	350	8	61	17,631
Panama	1,881	398	246	1,190	783	254	153	12	8	12	15
South America	68,888	15,832	11,207	39,366	25,759	7,647	5,960	936	1,131	298	118
Argentina	3,328	304	1,075	1,855	1,422	187	246	17	67	3	7
Bolivia	1,826	298	700	776	474	188	114	15	14	12	11
Brazil	9,505	431	3,353	5,444	4,320	829	295	34	193	29	21
Chile	1,947	279	359	1,256	903	200	153	27	9	7	10
Colombia	16,730	3,042	1,532	11,842	7,778	2,402	1,662	217	4	77	16
Ecuador	9,706	2,731	1,127	5,454	2,936	1,365	1,153	40	278	51	25
Falkland Islands	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	8	5	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Guyana	8,303	5,374	302	2,590	1,361	572	657	12	10	13	2
Paraguay	408	61	140	197	139	35	23	1	4	4	1
Peru	11,131	2,696	1,206	6,279	3,890	1,098	1,291	399	460	77	14
Suriname	245	81	55	101	76	15	10	2	3	3	-
Uruguay	545	98	102	331	242	35	54	5	5	3	1
Venezuela	5,205	432	1,254	3,239	2,217	720	302	167	84	19	10
Unknown or not reported	2,334	213	337	1,461	1,185	116	160	132	72	74	45

¹ Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.
- Represents zero.

**TABLE 9. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF LAST PERMANENT RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Region and country of last permanent residence	Total	Family-sponsored preferences	Employment-based preferences	Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens				Refugee and asylee adjustments	Diversity programs	Cancellation of removal	Other ¹
				Total	Spouses	Children	Parents				
All countries	1,064,318	232,143	179,195	443,035	270,545	91,526	80,964	108,506	42,015	22,506	36,918
Europe	177,833	8,996	29,125	59,946	41,867	13,220	4,859	56,168	17,698	680	5,220
Albania	3,802	154	44	640	390	58	192	112	2,842	9	1
Armenia	1,831	64	175	714	455	50	209	338	342	14	184
Austria	1,004	39	189	324	267	19	38	410	36	-	6
Azerbaijan	697	9	22	129	86	16	27	310	61	1	165
Belarus	2,753	17	169	432	254	131	47	1,489	465	6	175
Belgium	1,002	42	449	445	384	29	32	32	30	-	4
Bosnia-Herzegovina	3,830	19	30	167	135	15	17	3,594	17	2	1
Bulgaria	4,281	51	490	1,054	540	386	128	55	2,566	54	11
Croatia	7,259	32	118	297	242	28	27	6,776	22	14	-
Czech Republic	310	6	26	223	199	17	7	21	33	-	1
Czechoslovakia ²	824	20	86	641	593	34	14	36	38	3	-
Denmark	741	20	254	423	388	24	11	9	31	-	4
Estonia	398	1	20	179	129	48	2	121	43	2	32
Finland	498	14	200	272	248	12	12	1	10	-	1
France	5,431	302	2,278	2,609	2,281	209	119	20	196	3	23
Georgia	603	2	67	271	205	47	19	116	85	1	61
Germany	22,093	482	3,003	5,532	4,729	457	346	12,080	953	6	37
Gibraltar	5	-	4	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Greece	1,966	166	273	830	661	57	112	181	506	8	2
Hungary	1,314	37	270	795	679	79	37	81	103	19	9
Iceland	145	4	44	87	64	19	4	-	8	-	2
Ireland	1,550	50	435	951	866	57	28	1	105	-	8
Italy	3,377	193	833	2,117	1,808	152	157	140	86	2	6
Kazakhstan	1,345	5	57	274	208	50	16	554	192	-	263
Kyrgyzstan	572	1	7	110	78	24	8	314	57	-	83
Latvia	756	13	71	293	219	64	10	231	107	1	40
Liechtenstein	6	-	4	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lithuania	1,706	36	81	506	386	95	25	76	991	2	14
Luxembourg	52	6	18	21	20	-	1	4	3	-	-
Macedonia	1,518	156	81	419	281	72	66	694	135	31	2
Malta	99	12	9	35	28	3	4	38	5	-	-
Moldova	2,027	6	49	261	123	98	40	1,357	142	2	210
Monaco	12	-	5	7	6	1	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	1,895	98	738	949	865	52	32	60	44	-	6
Norway	588	23	127	415	371	37	7	5	16	-	2
Poland	12,355	4,365	2,224	5,541	3,115	1,626	800	50	11	96	68
Portugal	1,654	360	511	763	547	67	149	-	11	5	4
Romania	6,224	288	741	3,064	1,679	1,025	360	113	1,889	122	7
Russia	21,688	135	2,412	10,559	4,015	6,040	504	5,794	1,333	45	1,410
San Marino	6	1	1	3	3	-	-	-	1	-	-
Slovak Republic	787	33	123	384	319	46	19	17	224	3	3
Slovenia	147	3	15	55	47	6	2	68	6	-	-
Soviet Union ²	1,255	11	95	396	304	49	43	529	16	36	172
Spain	1,889	70	444	1,249	1,104	69	76	86	27	1	12
Sweden	1,973	60	676	1,135	1,047	56	32	17	80	-	5
Switzerland	1,796	41	683	663	589	45	29	292	110	-	7
Tajikistan	90	2	2	20	12	2	6	54	3	-	9
Turkmenistan	47	-	2	21	17	4	-	14	8	-	2
Ukraine	20,371	104	723	3,256	1,978	962	316	11,491	2,801	29	1,967
United Kingdom	20,258	1,218	9,411	9,224	8,108	656	460	31	282	9	83
Uzbekistan	1,820	8	54	255	178	48	29	1,052	331	3	117
Yugoslavia ²	9,183	217	282	933	614	79	240	7,304	295	151	1

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**TABLE 9. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF LAST PERMANENT RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of last permanent residence	Total	Family-sponsored preferences	Employment-based preferences	Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens				Refugee and asylee adjustments	Diversity programs	Cancellation of removal	Other ¹
				Total	Spouses	Children	Parents				
Asia	337,566	81,306	99,527	129,014	73,480	23,206	32,328	19,214	6,823	352	1,330
Afghanistan	412	38	11	166	144	4	18	171	22	3	1
Bahrain	203	30	79	80	69	5	6	-	13	-	1
Bangladesh	6,901	2,044	1,079	2,119	1,151	295	673	200	1,432	17	10
Bhutan	3	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brunei	21	10	4	7	6	-	1	-	-	-	-
Burma	1,030	355	82	250	138	12	100	96	245	2	-
Cambodia	2,151	325	48	1,669	921	570	178	35	53	2	19
China, People's Republic ..	50,821	8,049	19,945	22,010	8,948	6,080	6,982	776	8	13	20
Cyprus	251	15	84	132	112	9	11	6	14	-	-
Hong Kong	10,307	6,843	1,393	1,869	1,143	153	573	92	50	1	59
India	65,916	14,739	36,074	14,006	7,281	1,318	5,407	929	65	46	57
Indonesia	2,312	254	469	1,355	1,045	108	202	53	172	1	8
Iran	8,063	1,930	1,096	4,045	1,716	222	2,107	662	266	35	29
Iraq	2,873	265	107	942	569	32	341	1,522	33	4	-
Israel	4,925	293	1,703	2,294	1,822	207	265	24	576	11	24
Japan	10,464	312	3,973	5,927	5,334	379	214	5	223	2	22
Jordan	5,129	1,391	367	3,116	1,956	514	646	173	53	14	15
Korea	19,933	2,859	7,679	9,360	5,378	2,506	1,476	2	2	8	23
Kuwait	1,075	172	304	422	341	28	53	29	68	4	76
Laos	867	96	12	646	527	38	81	105	1	3	4
Lebanon	4,277	1,406	479	2,304	1,468	236	600	31	34	12	11
Macau	435	310	42	79	37	11	31	1	2	-	1
Malaysia	2,132	239	779	962	817	49	96	101	36	5	10
Maldives	7	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	6
Mongolia	85	-	21	51	36	15	-	4	9	-	-
Nepal	919	66	422	294	229	26	39	1	135	1	-
Oman	209	42	121	26	20	4	2	-	20	-	-
Pakistan	16,922	5,301	2,976	6,452	3,415	1,511	1,526	675	1,469	23	26
Philippines	50,870	15,485	11,038	24,130	12,973	5,161	5,996	62	1	94	60
Qatar	239	43	61	99	59	13	27	1	33	1	1
Saudi Arabia	2,717	408	685	554	404	77	73	608	451	4	7
Singapore	1,990	83	1,247	595	497	47	51	8	50	-	7
Sri Lanka	1,239	203	539	368	257	20	91	19	104	5	1
Syria	3,556	916	458	1,514	982	130	402	617	31	13	7
Taiwan	12,510	4,023	4,431	4,023	2,658	358	1,007	1	7	12	13
Thailand	4,738	560	488	2,507	1,900	370	237	1,102	49	9	23
Turkey	3,477	196	769	1,533	1,181	157	195	357	614	1	7
United Arab Emirates	1,241	395	359	265	172	37	56	11	208	-	3
Vietnam	34,648	11,327	82	11,742	7,255	1,955	2,532	10,713	-	5	779
Yemen	1,698	283	21	1,097	515	549	33	22	274	1	-
Africa	50,209	3,879	5,620	19,378	13,055	3,363	2,960	6,720	14,411	142	59
Algeria	737	26	47	268	220	12	36	43	352	-	1
Angola	54	2	10	34	28	6	-	5	3	-	-
Benin	202	3	5	27	26	1	-	159	7	-	1
Botswana	58	8	13	28	21	4	3	-	9	-	-
Burkina Faso	102	1	13	38	33	3	2	47	3	-	-
Burundi	46	1	1	8	7	1	-	36	-	-	-
Cameroon	725	26	76	278	165	67	46	33	308	3	1
Cape Verde	847	284	5	546	266	172	108	1	2	9	-
Central African Republic ..	9	-	2	7	6	-	1	-	-	-	-
Chad	22	2	6	9	8	1	-	4	1	-	-
Comoros	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	107	4	13	33	24	6	3	55	1	1	-
Congo, Republic	235	4	22	80	52	16	12	23	106	-	-
Cote d'Ivoire	1,562	54	63	428	313	105	10	448	567	2	-
Djibouti	28	-	-	18	6	1	11	10	-	-	-
Egypt	5,356	830	693	2,215	1,636	238	341	531	1,052	22	13
Equatorial Guinea	3	-	-	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-
Eritrea	379	47	8	251	130	41	80	30	43	-	-

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**TABLE 9. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF LAST PERMANENT RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of last permanent residence	Total	Family-sponsored preferences	Employment-based preferences	Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens				Refugee and asylee adjustments	Diversity programs	Cancellation of removal	Other ¹
				Total	Spouses	Children	Parents				
Ethiopia	4,634	370	105	1,371	672	354	345	739	2,037	9	3
Gabon	40	2	1	36	32	4	-	-	1	-	-
Gambia, The	468	37	39	253	192	42	19	108	18	13	-
Ghana	4,075	521	186	2,001	1,280	552	169	290	1,069	4	4
Guinea	11	-	-	7	7	-	-	4	-	-	-
Guinea-Bissau	376	10	26	194	141	39	14	125	19	2	-
Kenya	4,561	141	324	874	677	128	69	2,424	793	2	3
Lesotho	10	-	2	7	5	2	-	-	-	-	1
Liberia	1,487	175	51	541	238	187	116	293	408	18	1
Libya	125	12	20	71	50	6	15	12	10	-	-
Madagascar	53	-	5	33	22	8	3	3	12	-	-
Malawi	55	-	18	28	25	1	2	6	3	-	-
Mali	106	8	15	64	59	5	-	8	10	1	-
Mauritania	92	-	3	27	25	2	-	56	6	-	-
Mauritius	54	5	14	25	23	-	2	6	3	-	1
Morocco	4,761	113	172	1,400	1,208	75	117	1	3,071	4	-
Mozambique	21	1	4	15	11	2	2	1	-	-	-
Namibia	38	-	6	26	23	3	-	1	5	-	-
Niger	1,321	45	137	744	549	69	126	62	332	1	-
Nigeria	7,851	575	660	3,763	2,183	679	901	162	2,644	37	10
Rwanda	78	1	1	7	6	1	-	48	21	-	-
Sao Tome and Principe	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senegal	705	43	40	473	363	96	14	84	64	-	1
Seychelles	21	-	4	13	9	2	2	-	4	-	-
Sierra Leone	1,091	177	66	537	224	199	114	80	230	1	-
Somalia	482	5	3	50	43	3	4	393	26	5	-
South Africa	4,056	179	2,355	1,249	980	118	151	11	248	1	13
St. Helena	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Sudan	850	25	38	199	130	30	39	192	391	-	5
Swaziland	27	2	8	7	7	-	-	9	1	-	-
Tanzania	399	50	67	169	133	10	26	29	83	-	1
Togo	488	6	16	103	88	12	3	42	320	1	-
Tunisia	392	5	33	313	298	5	10	3	38	-	-
Uganda	397	20	61	181	143	27	11	99	30	6	-
Western Sahara	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zambia	248	41	65	105	82	5	18	3	34	-	-
Zimbabwe	359	17	98	217	181	21	15	1	26	-	-
Oceania	7,253	889	1,908	3,686	3,091	331	264	30	721	7	12
American Samoa	41	7	1	33	19	6	8	-	-	-	-
Australia	3,744	202	1,460	1,915	1,706	155	54	7	152	-	8
Cook Islands	3	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fiji	1,427	464	25	469	308	43	118	11	454	4	-
French Polynesia	12	-	1	11	10	1	-	-	-	-	-
Guam	20	-	11	1	1	-	-	7	-	-	1
Kiribati	4	-	1	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-
Marshall Islands	4	-	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Micronesia, Federated States	6	-	2	4	3	1	-	-	-	-	-
Nauru	2	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
New Caledonia	8	-	-	5	4	-	1	-	2	-	1
New Zealand	1,357	118	359	778	713	49	16	-	101	-	1
Niue	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Mariana Islands	118	-	2	116	83	26	7	-	-	-	-
Palau	9	-	3	6	5	1	-	-	-	-	-
Papua New Guinea	28	-	6	19	13	3	3	3	-	-	-
Samoa	156	18	19	114	73	13	28	-	3	1	1
Solomon Islands	5	-	-	3	3	-	-	2	-	-	-
Tonga	299	80	16	192	136	27	29	-	9	2	-
Tuvalu	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	7	-	-	7	3	4	-	-	-	-	-
Wallis and Futuna Islands	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-

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**TABLE 9. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF LAST PERMANENT RESIDENCE
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Region and country of last permanent residence	Total	Family-sponsored preferences	Employment-based preferences	Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens				Refugee and asylee adjustments	Diversity programs	Cancellation of removal	Other ¹
				Total	Spouses	Children	Parents				
North America	405,072	120,294	28,993	187,889	110,644	43,220	34,025	23,441	1,059	20,749	22,647
Canada	30,203	1,983	14,983	12,411	10,334	1,542	535	38	415	10	363
Greenland	2	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Mexico	204,844	73,272	7,234	121,627	71,263	25,577	24,787	83	3	2,126	499
St. Pierre and Miquelon	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Caribbean	96,958	32,445	2,679	32,511	17,467	9,816	5,228	22,137	556	122	6,508
Anguilla	59	37	-	21	8	10	3	-	1	-	-
Antigua-Barbuda	507	218	23	258	158	68	32	-	-	7	1
Aruba	27	2	2	22	20	1	1	-	-	-	1
Bahamas, The	865	117	52	501	368	114	19	7	16	5	167
Barbados	979	244	158	560	393	117	50	4	7	3	3
Bermuda	134	4	21	103	88	14	1	1	5	-	-
British Virgin Islands	117	47	18	52	21	20	11	-	-	-	-
Cayman Islands	41	8	7	25	18	6	1	-	-	-	1
Cuba	26,073	2,279	55	1,080	517	312	251	21,373	422	8	856
Dominica	97	17	11	68	51	10	7	-	1	-	-
Dominican Republic	21,256	10,422	247	10,475	6,013	2,932	1,530	18	15	25	54
Grenada	626	217	61	347	227	95	25	-	-	1	-
Guadeloupe	62	19	3	30	14	11	5	2	2	3	3
Haiti	22,535	9,877	175	6,363	2,244	2,475	1,644	721	-	24	5,375
Jamaica	15,099	6,040	765	8,255	4,562	2,530	1,163	4	4	16	15
Martinique	20	7	1	12	7	5	-	-	-	-	-
Montserrat	48	12	6	29	19	3	7	-	-	1	-
Netherlands Antilles	177	52	30	88	61	12	15	-	-	-	7
Puerto Rico	10	1	1	7	7	-	-	1	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	444	245	9	181	85	73	23	-	3	4	2
St. Lucia	673	256	35	378	238	87	53	1	1	1	1
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	528	178	71	277	189	68	20	-	1	-	1
Trinidad and Tobago	6,533	2,136	928	3,349	2,139	843	367	5	78	24	13
Turks and Caicos Islands ..	35	7	-	21	14	7	-	-	-	-	7
U.S. Virgin Islands	13	3	-	9	6	3	-	-	-	-	1
Central America	73,063	12,594	4,095	21,338	11,579	6,284	3,475	1,183	85	18,491	15,277
Belize	986	363	61	538	333	141	64	5	5	8	6
Costa Rica	1,873	238	185	1,335	1,008	258	69	47	26	8	34
El Salvador	31,054	6,219	2,174	7,603	4,164	1,565	1,874	192	-	14,743	123
Guatemala	13,466	2,838	910	5,591	2,533	2,497	561	451	13	3,568	95
Honduras	6,590	1,985	432	3,896	2,102	1,260	534	124	26	92	35
Nicaragua	17,152	543	69	1,161	631	314	216	349	7	60	14,963
Panama	1,942	408	264	1,214	808	249	157	15	8	12	21
South America	68,279	15,751	11,095	38,944	25,357	7,562	6,025	960	1,117	298	114
Argentina	3,459	344	1,181	1,841	1,384	186	271	22	62	3	6
Bolivia	1,811	296	684	779	474	191	114	15	14	12	11
Brazil	9,446	477	3,295	5,393	4,262	815	316	35	195	30	21
Chile	1,906	279	344	1,231	885	202	144	27	11	6	8
Colombia	16,333	2,963	1,458	11,608	7,601	2,379	1,628	211	3	76	14
Ecuador	9,694	2,731	1,111	5,462	2,935	1,369	1,158	42	272	51	25
French Guiana	7	4	1	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Guyana	7,858	5,183	219	2,429	1,256	561	612	4	8	13	2
Paraguay	470	64	198	199	141	35	23	1	3	4	1
Peru	10,905	2,656	1,139	6,172	3,799	1,089	1,284	391	458	77	12
Suriname	254	93	54	99	71	13	15	4	1	3	-
Uruguay	521	94	87	320	235	37	48	13	3	3	1
Venezuela	5,615	567	1,324	3,409	2,314	684	411	195	87	20	13
Unknown or not reported	18,106	1,028	2,927	4,178	3,051	624	503	1,973	186	278	7,536

¹ Includes persons entering under the Amerasian, former H-1 registered nurse, Cuban/Haitian entrant, Soviet and Indochinese parolee, and 1972 Registry provisions.

² Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 10. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED WHO WERE ADJUSTED TO PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS
BY SELECTED STATUS AT ENTRY AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
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Region and country of birth	Total	Visitors for business	Visitors for pleasure	Students ¹	Temporary workers ¹	Fiancées ²	Intracompany transferees ¹	Refugees and parolees	Entered without inspection	Other visitors	Unknown and not reported
All countries	653,259	7,355	94,659	21,769	85,227	17,263	16,279	84,162	2,485	3,144	320,916
Europe	122,688	955	15,754	3,067	11,416	4,714	5,459	51,934	61	1,432	27,896
Albania	446	5	127	41	13	26	1	19	6	9	199
Andorra	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Armenia	1,207	32	385	15	106	21	16	92	-	13	527
Austria	355	4	55	18	56	18	52	34	-	10	108
Azerbaijan	907	6	100	5	27	12	1	385	-	5	366
Belarus	2,174	12	103	21	128	78	5	1,518	-	37	272
Belgium	526	2	58	24	135	18	86	8	1	11	183
Bosnia-Herzegovina	23,464	5	65	23	47	8	5	22,087	-	4	1,220
Bulgaria	1,152	20	241	128	304	47	16	11	-	54	331
Croatia	2,685	5	103	31	84	22	7	2,205	-	5	223
Czech Republic	168	6	83	9	28	2	3	2	-	5	30
Czechoslovakia ³	726	22	279	53	71	25	15	10	-	21	230
Denmark	472	5	69	25	77	20	83	1	-	13	179
Estonia	273	5	68	9	20	11	1	89	-	7	63
Finland	333	4	31	24	58	28	62	-	-	17	109
France	3,163	21	437	171	676	104	495	15	5	100	1,139
Georgia	563	7	178	24	49	9	4	126	-	9	157
Germany	6,649	63	835	281	1,029	268	665	1,312	2	156	2,038
Gibraltar	3	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1
Greece	758	15	283	80	143	8	15	6	1	10	197
Hungary	905	14	330	54	154	26	19	5	-	29	274
Iceland	76	-	17	7	19	1	10	-	-	1	21
Ireland	1,031	11	273	18	121	55	153	5	5	16	374
Italy	2,337	21	628	126	319	64	121	14	4	38	1,002
Kazakhstan	1,279	13	90	28	51	79	12	651	-	13	342
Kyrgyzstan	494	7	23	6	7	33	1	303	-	2	112
Latvia	509	1	101	19	59	48	2	144	-	18	117
Liechtenstein	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Lithuania	649	17	217	22	57	41	9	52	-	41	193
Luxembourg	19	1	3	2	3	-	8	-	1	-	1
Macedonia	378	3	95	12	34	6	-	85	1	6	136
Malta	33	2	7	-	6	-	5	2	-	-	11
Moldova	1,733	5	46	7	40	52	7	1,306	-	2	268
Monaco	8	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	6
Netherlands	1,116	15	136	33	290	76	184	8	-	29	345
Norway	353	4	53	43	52	18	45	7	-	10	121
Poland	6,461	84	3,015	186	474	128	47	58	2	65	2,402
Portugal	1,214	13	528	22	35	16	24	13	1	2	560
Romania	2,398	49	784	128	508	132	42	15	5	31	704
Russia	13,222	159	1,596	396	1,797	1,327	225	4,530	4	237	2,951
San Marino	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Slovak Republic	423	5	162	27	67	27	5	3	-	26	101
Slovenia	123	-	20	7	10	4	2	53	-	2	25
Soviet Union ³	2,723	30	292	39	192	106	24	1,381	-	37	622
Spain	1,270	16	265	124	195	38	75	9	2	31	515
Sweden	1,113	13	134	163	148	49	173	6	1	26	400
Switzerland	842	9	102	61	173	23	147	35	1	22	269
Tajikistan	143	-	18	2	5	2	-	89	-	1	26
Turkmenistan	55	2	8	3	2	3	2	17	1	-	17
Ukraine	16,111	80	860	127	485	818	43	10,882	2	65	2,749
United Kingdom	12,818	118	1,876	319	2,808	768	2,510	52	10	166	4,191
Uzbekistan	1,516	9	126	14	46	22	10	1,032	-	7	250
Yugoslavia ³	5,309	15	449	89	205	27	21	3,257	6	23	1,217
Asia	179,622	3,282	27,999	13,494	62,291	7,988	4,780	14,646	151	1,134	43,857
Afghanistan	528	4	79	4	9	62	8	84	2	1	275
Bahrain	69	1	16	7	27	1	3	-	-	-	14

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Region and country of birth	Total	Visitors for business	Visitors for pleasure	Students ¹	Temporary workers ¹	Fiancées ²	Intracompany transferees ¹	Refugees and parolees	Entered without inspection	Other visitors	Unknown and not reported
Bangladesh	1,859	19	305	180	619	7	16	6	3	10	694
Bhutan	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Brunei	18	-	3	4	6	1	1	-	-	-	3
Burma	430	8	96	30	63	17	3	78	1	3	131
Cambodia	874	9	214	14	28	89	4	50	1	2	463
China, People's Republic	32,663	1,320	4,505	4,126	13,961	1,258	1,053	71	28	589	5,752
Cyprus	146	-	28	37	41	3	8	1	-	1	27
Hong Kong	2,391	28	466	311	754	38	112	239	1	1	441
India	42,256	296	2,923	1,062	30,297	827	1,072	52	31	146	5,550
Indonesia	1,719	25	482	202	279	100	58	109	2	3	459
Iran	4,727	41	1,125	339	468	182	50	944	5	29	1,544
Iraq	3,497	3	113	16	93	55	12	1,709	1	2	1,493
Israel	2,435	43	864	142	405	19	175	7	-	42	738
Japan	5,585	19	560	1,236	875	312	401	38	3	60	2,081
Jordan	1,216	46	424	169	154	34	7	9	-	8	365
Korea	14,253	313	4,492	2,209	2,107	269	760	4	10	50	4,039
Kuwait	649	9	138	107	110	17	6	14	-	3	245
Laos	1,225	10	164	21	9	276	1	344	4	1	395
Lebanon	1,842	50	602	163	219	126	23	13	6	10	630
Macau	53	-	8	6	22	-	3	-	-	-	14
Malaysia	1,904	31	433	213	489	46	84	205	-	4	399
Maldives	7	-	-	1	-	-	-	6	-	-	-
Mongolia	76	3	19	16	12	9	-	1	-	1	15
Nepal	589	22	94	107	173	17	3	-	-	5	168
Oman	17	-	4	2	5	-	1	1	-	-	4
Pakistan	5,480	91	1,133	320	1,455	173	114	69	24	25	2,076
Philippines	20,480	505	4,959	219	5,581	2,270	236	91	18	39	6,562
Qatar	61	1	9	15	21	1	-	-	-	-	14
Saudi Arabia	504	4	93	58	129	5	31	52	-	-	132
Singapore	784	10	108	71	244	24	133	9	-	8	177
Sri Lanka	859	13	114	91	339	11	33	1	1	8	248
Syria	1,451	54	519	96	128	78	2	96	-	11	467
Taiwan	6,915	123	1,354	1,015	2,472	49	270	2	1	20	1,609
Thailand	2,925	64	660	292	179	308	23	483	4	4	908
Turkey	1,648	54	445	265	347	20	35	9	-	31	442
United Arab Emirates	130	1	23	18	43	4	14	-	1	-	26
Vietnam	17,089	53	321	286	118	1,278	21	9,841	4	16	5,151
Yemen	265	9	103	24	10	2	4	8	-	1	104
Africa	26,390	834	6,706	1,926	3,043	746	712	4,917	62	218	7,226
Algeria	384	13	121	28	36	16	12	3	-	9	146
Angola	67	2	34	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	22
Benin	50	3	8	5	5	2	3	10	-	3	11
Botswana	15	-	-	3	9	-	-	-	-	-	3
Burkina Faso	48	4	9	6	3	2	-	13	-	-	11
Burundi	73	1	2	7	1	2	-	40	-	2	18
Cameroon	314	4	59	70	38	14	5	12	2	5	105
Cape Verde	395	4	290	8	-	40	-	1	-	-	52
Central African Rep.	8	-	2	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
Chad	34	-	4	1	5	-	-	16	-	-	8
Comoros	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Dem. Rep.	147	3	23	7	10	3	2	21	-	1	77
Congo, Republic ...	119	4	34	15	10	2	5	19	-	-	30
Cote d'Ivoire	395	22	160	30	19	5	1	40	1	6	111
Djibouti	15	-	1	-	-	-	3	9	-	-	2
Egypt	2,193	107	911	95	381	20	53	54	1	21	550
Equatorial Guinea	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eritrea	252	10	99	14	4	6	2	16	-	2	99

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Region and country of birth	Total	Visitors for business	Visitors for pleasure	Students ¹	Temporary workers ¹	Fiances-(ees) ²	Intracompany transferees ¹	Refugees and parolees	Entered without inspection	Other visitors	Unknown and not reported
Ethiopia	1,686	29	352	138	47	43	5	382	8	11	671
Gabon	25	1	10	4	2	2	-	-	-	-	6
Gambia, The	323	27	114	67	-	-	1	34	-	2	78
Ghana	1,638	94	499	114	109	93	3	30	18	14	664
Guinea	8	-	2	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	2
Guinea-Bissau	196	26	69	23	5	4	-	4	3	-	62
Kenya	1,396	28	213	325	185	21	24	292	-	11	297
Lesotho	6	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Liberia	1,523	26	352	58	16	6	1	745	2	8	309
Libya	110	1	20	12	29	15	-	-	1	2	30
Madagascar	36	-	14	6	4	5	1	-	-	-	6
Malawi	50	-	7	10	11	2	5	-	-	1	14
Mali	80	7	21	9	8	3	-	1	-	1	30
Mauritania	101	3	9	10	4	1	-	3	-	-	71
Mauritius	58	2	8	4	15	4	6	3	-	-	16
Morocco	1,439	54	585	170	118	48	16	7	1	19	421
Mozambique	33	1	7	4	7	3	-	1	-	-	10
Namibia	36	-	5	-	15	2	4	-	-	2	8
Niger	905	48	252	54	75	50	4	50	1	4	367
Nigeria	3,297	157	1,035	220	289	193	28	169	18	14	1,174
Rwanda	115	-	1	2	2	-	-	71	-	1	38
Sao Tome and Principe	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Senegal	396	30	153	58	18	9	5	10	-	3	110
Seychelles	12	1	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Sierra Leone	631	15	236	26	15	15	-	180	1	2	141
Somalia	2,582	3	38	10	9	9	-	2,154	4	-	355
South Africa	2,842	49	407	87	1,244	67	460	3	-	39	486
St. Helena	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Sudan	737	5	68	19	25	4	7	462	-	5	142
Swaziland	12	-	-	2	4	-	-	2	-	3	1
Tanzania	273	6	56	54	45	4	6	8	-	9	85
Togo	144	12	53	13	1	2	1	22	-	-	40
Tunisia	336	10	169	12	29	5	7	3	-	4	97
Uganda	298	9	74	42	47	5	10	23	-	1	87
Western Sahara	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Zambia	186	4	29	32	49	5	7	1	-	5	54
Zimbabwe	363	9	78	42	88	14	25	1	1	8	97
Oceania	3,396	56	1,002	176	559	227	323	12	1	54	986
American Samoa	11	-	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	6
Australia	1,833	25	355	77	410	165	243	9	1	38	510
Cook Islands	3	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Fiji	364	3	196	23	8	11	1	-	-	1	121
French Polynesia	16	-	7	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	5
Marshall Islands	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Micronesia, Federated States	7	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
New Caledonia	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
New Zealand	739	22	178	34	130	47	78	1	-	15	234
Niue	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Mariana Islands	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Palau	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Papua New Guinea	18	-	3	1	1	1	-	1	-	-	11
Samoa	146	1	89	14	5	-	-	1	-	-	36
Solomon Islands	6	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	3
Tonga	238	5	161	25	2	2	-	-	-	-	43
Tuvalu	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	5	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Wallis and Futuna Islands	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1

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Region and country of birth	Total	Visitors for business	Visitors for pleasure	Students ¹	Temporary workers ¹	Fiances- (ees) ²	Intracompany trans- ferees ¹	Refugees and parolees	Entered without inspection	Other visitors	Unknown and not reported
North America	277,318	1,240	27,684	1,550	5,193	2,559	3,524	12,475	2,024	151	220,918
Canada	16,594	42	1,348	389	3,270	967	2,705	51	15	52	7,755
Greenland	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Mexico	142,973	351	11,818	246	863	740	633	65	1,113	37	127,107
United States	41	1	3	2	4	2	1	3	-	2	23
Caribbean	58,029	484	10,581	703	808	552	114	11,412	82	37	33,256
Anguilla	8	-	4	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Antigua-Barbuda	247	4	152	12	3	3	-	-	-	-	73
Aruba	21	-	8	2	1	2	-	-	-	-	8
Bahamas, The	841	3	118	44	31	5	4	9	-	2	625
Barbados	637	9	387	24	16	6	17	-	-	3	175
Bermuda	65	1	20	4	7	1	1	-	-	-	31
British Virgin Is.	21	1	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9
Cayman Islands	17	-	8	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	7
Cuba	24,002	58	451	14	52	95	6	10,656	1	7	12,662
Dominica	87	3	35	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	45
Dominican Rep.	6,439	136	2,269	88	193	196	18	26	31	7	3,475
Grenada	375	5	226	11	6	4	-	-	1	-	122
Guadeloupe	40	-	10	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	29
Haiti	13,601	48	1,207	52	23	38	2	702	27	1	11,501
Jamaica	6,479	127	2,734	243	283	163	37	8	19	15	2,850
Martinique	17	-	5	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	8
Montserrat	46	1	27	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	15
Netherlands											
Antilles	77	-	18	4	5	-	4	1	-	-	45
Puerto Rico	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
St. Kitts-Nevis	152	4	81	11	2	1	-	-	-	-	53
St. Lucia	332	8	204	10	17	7	-	-	-	1	85
St. Vincent and the Grenadines ..	362	5	212	7	10	2	1	4	-	-	121
Trinidad and Tobago	4,124	71	2,390	167	153	28	24	3	3	1	1,284
Turks & Caicos Is.	32	-	4	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	26
U.S. Virgin Is.	4	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Central America ..	59,678	362	3,934	210	248	298	71	944	814	23	52,774
Belize	613	10	264	12	10	1	-	-	-	-	316
Costa Rica	1,318	66	611	25	39	46	23	2	-	9	497
El Salvador	24,458	54	609	39	44	49	6	23	500	1	23,133
Guatemala	9,690	72	818	30	34	48	28	10	125	2	8,523
Honduras	3,512	58	452	39	42	61	2	3	52	3	2,800
Nicaragua	18,966	48	698	22	25	33	6	905	136	4	17,089
Panama	1,121	54	482	43	54	60	6	1	1	4	416
South America	42,019	954	15,101	1,446	2,563	965	1,434	86	184	131	19,155
Argentina	2,499	30	692	106	324	41	127	18	3	19	1,139
Bolivia	1,177	24	324	32	35	7	4	-	39	2	710
Brazil	7,789	94	3,088	396	750	149	587	12	20	28	2,665
Chile	1,391	28	535	40	120	32	46	1	2	10	577
Colombia	11,297	318	4,516	342	405	365	252	15	25	23	5,036
Ecuador	4,429	101	1,340	79	87	68	23	10	19	8	2,694
French Guiana	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Guyana	1,982	36	797	53	55	48	15	11	7	3	957
Paraguay	257	10	86	5	18	4	3	-	-	-	131
Peru	6,441	173	2,096	137	262	173	50	11	61	12	3,466
Suriname	141	3	63	11	5	1	-	-	-	-	58
Uruguay	420	5	180	6	28	4	6	4	7	-	180
Venezuela	4,192	132	1,383	239	474	73	321	4	1	26	1,539
Unknown or not reported	1,826	34	413	110	162	64	47	92	2	24	878

¹ Includes spouses and children. ² Includes children. ³ Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.
- Represents zero.

TABLE 11. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED IN FISCAL YEAR 2001, BY CALENDAR YEAR OF ENTRY, TYPE OF ADMISSION, AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH

Region and country of birth	Total	New arrivals 2000-2001	Adjustments										Before 1991	Un-known
			2000-2001	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992	1991		
All countries	1,064,318	411,059	89,279	53,662	72,910	37,678	20,862	16,605	12,127	9,411	9,142	6,958	29,680	294,945
Europe	175,371	52,683	14,384	18,729	34,872	13,878	4,143	2,314	1,358	926	889	841	2,413	27,941
Albania	4,363	3,917	52	51	35	26	26	25	10	7	2	1	5	206
Andorra	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Armenia	1,786	579	113	63	119	53	55	61	55	47	51	30	19	541
Austria	527	172	83	61	53	27	7	8	7	2	3	1	9	94
Azerbaijan	1,169	262	43	112	174	117	33	27	18	4	8	3	5	363
Belarus	2,909	735	148	331	982	311	52	32	16	12	5	2	13	270
Belgium	818	292	136	82	53	26	27	6	12	2	1	2	4	175
Bosnia-Herzegovina...	23,640	176	81	4,113	12,818	5,140	551	86	36	17	12	10	50	550
Bulgaria	4,411	3,259	264	114	143	95	67	44	24	20	12	17	39	313
Croatia	2,862	177	77	351	1,610	366	34	34	9	2	5	11	19	167
Czech Republic	308	140	23	29	30	18	24	10	1	1	-	1	-	31
Czechoslovakia ¹	867	141	68	82	104	90	69	44	12	7	2	4	15	229
Denmark	716	244	115	79	31	24	15	11	7	1	2	2	8	177
Estonia	348	75	25	39	74	30	16	10	2	1	2	4	3	67
Finland	499	166	80	56	39	13	13	4	6	3	-	2	6	111
France	4,608	1,445	843	409	252	168	89	51	35	12	12	8	55	1,229
Georgia	789	226	48	73	134	56	33	14	26	8	13	6	1	151
Germany	9,886	3,237	1,213	1,015	1,266	472	185	110	61	49	37	21	100	2,120
Gibraltar	5	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Greece	1,181	423	148	89	76	71	49	33	25	9	7	7	52	192
Hungary	1,273	368	140	113	83	119	89	33	17	11	17	5	27	251
Iceland	136	60	24	8	9	5	2	1	1	-	1	-	1	24
Ireland	1,522	491	189	99	62	46	18	25	27	15	11	4	18	517
Italy	3,142	805	405	176	132	109	64	50	35	11	16	5	70	1,264
Kazakhstan	2,315	1,036	108	141	414	178	33	21	4	12	1	-	2	365
Kyrgyzstan	588	94	23	41	243	56	12	1	2	-	-	-	-	116
Latvia	712	203	55	71	138	54	25	15	8	8	7	-	5	123
Liechtenstein	4	3	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lithuania	1,735	1,086	74	68	103	62	52	40	18	19	8	13	7	185
Luxembourg	34	15	8	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	4
Macedonia	924	546	17	57	58	37	21	11	6	1	1	1	14	154
Malta	57	24	7	6	3	2	-	3	-	-	-	1	-	11
Moldova	2,077	344	76	260	851	192	23	14	9	8	5	4	2	289
Monaco	9	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Netherlands	1,687	571	303	171	88	68	36	17	10	11	2	8	21	381
Norway	553	200	77	41	41	19	14	4	5	3	2	5	6	136
Poland	11,818	5,357	944	363	344	357	332	253	158	174	241	265	964	2,066
Portugal	1,651	437	268	59	64	64	34	44	36	27	19	11	104	484
Romania	6,649	4,251	418	260	218	190	205	148	64	42	30	78	90	655
Russia	20,413	7,191	2,114	1,968	3,418	1,386	512	311	160	101	111	93	84	2,964
San Marino	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Slovak Republic	812	389	67	65	40	31	35	34	24	9	5	2	6	105
Slovenia	142	19	11	17	36	16	3	3	4	-	-	-	1	32
Soviet Union ¹	2,735	12	200	469	793	305	86	60	37	29	36	22	42	644
Spain	1,726	456	201	143	99	67	53	16	16	14	9	11	38	603
Sweden	1,692	579	204	146	116	81	63	37	20	8	2	1	13	422
Switzerland	1,304	462	207	119	116	67	45	20	9	9	4	5	11	230
Tajikistan	187	44	1	11	53	32	8	3	2	3	-	-	-	30
Turkmenistan	94	39	3	5	7	13	5	1	2	-	1	-	-	18
Ukraine	20,975	4,864	862	2,540	6,722	2,038	508	242	121	76	86	57	69	2,790
United Kingdom	18,436	5,618	3,574	1,611	1,058	680	394	220	129	94	45	54	285	4,674
Uzbekistan	2,035	519	54	258	649	189	49	30	16	9	5	5	12	240
Yugoslavia ¹	6,240	931	187	2,292	916	310	77	47	56	28	49	59	118	1,170
Asia	349,776	170,154	53,404	17,759	20,419	12,253	9,271	7,283	5,095	3,493	3,314	2,624	7,156	37,551
Afghanistan	1,207	679	38	62	69	6	19	5	3	5	5	8	18	290
Bahrain	119	50	25	9	5	4	1	7	1	3	-	1	3	10
Bangladesh	7,171	5,312	476	122	117	80	74	83	57	78	77	42	68	585

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TABLE 11. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED IN FISCAL YEAR 2001, BY CALENDAR YEAR OF ENTRY, TYPE OF ADMISSION, AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH—Continued

Region and country of birth	Total	New arrivals 2000-2001	Adjustments											
			2000-2001	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992	1991	Before 1991	Un-known
Bhutan	5	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Brunei	27	9	5	2	2	3	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	2
Burma	1,383	953	59	37	49	57	13	26	12	13	4	8	34	118
Cambodia	2,473	1,599	98	46	48	71	57	16	17	9	4	4	32	472
China, People's Republic	56,426	23,763	10,810	2,743	2,075	2,163	2,475	2,148	1,630	1,270	997	808	506	5,038
Cyprus	218	72	39	14	19	14	5	5	2	5	2	1	12	28
Hong Kong	8,321	5,930	630	204	313	126	138	109	113	51	64	63	179	401
India	70,290	28,034	22,153	5,263	3,866	2,483	1,384	817	459	259	244	192	465	4,671
Indonesia	2,541	822	312	181	214	139	130	83	55	31	37	16	84	437
Iran	10,497	5,770	607	486	772	327	148	161	103	76	64	61	464	1,458
Iraq	4,985	1,488	88	271	659	1,134	396	44	14	8	7	11	35	830
Israel	3,776	1,341	613	218	170	140	112	92	73	68	66	55	194	634
Japan	9,619	4,034	1,368	545	487	367	247	199	179	109	64	40	80	1,900
Jordan	4,593	3,377	135	86	96	64	93	79	38	36	28	21	168	372
Korea	20,742	6,489	3,918	956	1,366	1,311	921	602	460	401	410	410	759	2,739
Kuwait	1,270	621	79	57	41	35	24	16	21	14	14	11	103	234
Laos	1,416	191	165	77	62	63	192	55	55	27	20	20	96	393
Lebanon	4,601	2,759	294	179	112	91	61	47	47	26	30	20	250	685
Macao	342	289	13	6	2	2	5	5	5	2	-	1	2	10
Malaysia	2,445	541	470	195	286	86	95	75	50	48	26	34	210	329
Maldives	9	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Mongolia	103	27	15	13	12	12	4	3	-	6	1	-	-	10
Nepal	949	360	144	46	61	55	50	52	12	18	16	9	11	115
Oman	55	38	7	2	2	2	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	1
Pakistan	16,448	10,968	1,230	537	367	272	222	192	184	95	103	97	349	1,832
Philippines	53,154	32,674	4,999	1,718	1,187	929	852	1,426	851	449	544	352	1,874	5,299
Qatar	125	64	15	2	6	1	6	6	-	3	-	2	8	12
Saudi Arabia	1,185	681	107	61	43	50	31	36	22	8	8	10	24	104
Singapore	1,108	324	245	91	100	57	35	17	17	12	13	6	20	171
Sri Lanka	1,507	648	325	84	65	42	40	22	23	15	8	7	51	177
Syria	3,368	1,917	186	144	155	106	70	39	74	35	89	27	135	391
Taiwan	12,171	5,256	2,186	461	376	477	498	351	245	153	134	133	472	1,429
Thailand	4,291	1,366	369	243	265	159	311	191	159	64	79	60	216	809
Turkey	3,229	1,581	332	220	182	146	88	74	47	22	32	24	87	394
United Arab Emirates	461	331	42	14	9	10	11	5	4	4	-	5	3	23
Vietnam	35,531	18,442	790	2,350	6,746	1,146	449	171	57	65	104	49	131	5,031
Yemen	1,615	1,350	16	14	13	22	12	23	5	3	20	15	13	109
Africa	53,948	27,558	2,806	2,796	4,079	3,379	1,679	1,037	708	530	454	430	1,641	6,851
Algeria	878	494	44	43	33	29	19	14	18	13	17	12	18	124
Angola	95	28	3	6	5	6	8	4	-	1	1	1	13	19
Benin	76	26	10	5	13	2	2	1	1	1	2	3	2	8
Botswana	24	9	4	1	4	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	2
Burkina Faso	68	20	3	8	13	8	4	2	-	-	-	1	2	7
Burundi	79	6	1	12	29	3	1	3	2	-	2	-	1	19
Cameroon	795	481	36	34	27	19	11	12	15	7	5	6	32	110
Cape Verde	872	477	12	43	27	32	19	16	17	4	3	3	109	110
Central African Rep. ...	11	3	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	3	2
Chad	45	11	2	4	12	5	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	7
Comoros	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Dem. Rep. ...	148	1	9	7	13	6	12	10	14	2	-	2	10	62
Congo, Republic	313	194	11	17	24	6	9	5	5	-	2	2	7	31
Cote d'Ivoire	605	210	13	27	41	24	27	24	33	24	14	13	34	121
Djibouti	23	8	1	-	10	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Egypt	5,182	2,989	348	225	294	224	177	111	61	43	46	61	117	486
Equatorial Guinea	3	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eritrea	544	292	16	31	32	17	10	15	8	5	2	4	9	103
Ethiopia	5,106	3,420	62	289	149	81	49	76	50	42	51	45	122	670

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TABLE 11. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED IN FISCAL YEAR 2001, BY CALENDAR YEAR OF ENTRY, TYPE OF ADMISSION, AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH—Continued

Region and country of birth	Total	New arrivals 2000-2001	Adjustments											
			2000-2001	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992	1991	Before 1991	Un-known
Gabon	32	7	2	7	1	3	2	3	1	1	-	-	-	5
Gambia, The	391	68	13	7	35	29	25	48	13	24	18	12	18	81
Ghana	4,031	2,393	143	157	178	121	93	71	32	28	24	25	74	692
Guinea	11	3	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3
Guinea-Bissau	274	78	7	6	22	21	13	18	11	9	3	3	25	58
Kenya	2,514	1,118	127	109	160	294	156	82	54	40	33	14	70	257
Lesotho	6	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Liberia	2,285	762	36	200	431	181	21	22	41	19	19	52	202	299
Libya	224	114	24	15	12	5	7	2	2	1	1	2	6	33
Madagascar	61	25	9	4	3	6	1	3	1	-	2	-	1	6
Malawi	70	20	11	4	3	5	4	1	2	2	-	4	5	9
Mali	120	40	6	3	9	4	8	2	6	4	3	3	9	23
Mauritania	117	16	7	6	7	3	4	2	2	1	1	1	1	66
Mauritius	84	26	11	11	6	8	7	1	2	2	-	1	-	9
Morocco	4,968	3,529	132	173	233	131	107	62	54	26	14	13	84	410
Mozambique	48	15	6	1	4	3	2	3	1	1	-	-	4	8
Namibia	54	18	12	9	5	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	7
Niger	1,341	436	74	74	125	90	36	22	11	11	15	7	72	368
Nigeria	8,291	4,994	295	267	421	347	200	112	76	56	59	49	304	1,111
Rwanda	148	33	-	13	23	32	2	-	4	3	1	1	1	35
Sao Tome and Principe	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Senegal	665	269	38	35	30	20	28	26	19	22	16	16	42	104
Seychelles	18	6	-	2	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
Sierra Leone	1,884	1,253	33	41	137	47	33	18	11	13	22	42	85	149
Somalia	3,026	444	18	174	580	1,114	271	43	7	47	19	1	17	291
South Africa	4,100	1,258	957	386	382	274	180	91	49	35	23	6	31	428
St. Helena	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Sudan	1,655	918	16	119	318	31	31	41	18	7	9	3	31	113
Swaziland	18	6	-	-	4	1	2	-	1	1	-	-	2	1
Tanzania	477	204	45	24	30	22	16	11	13	9	6	6	19	72
Togo	489	345	5	10	20	12	9	18	14	9	2	2	9	34
Tunisia	440	104	48	68	73	39	9	5	4	1	1	-	2	86
Uganda	459	161	30	38	44	13	22	15	13	5	7	7	23	81
Western Sahara	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Zambia	296	110	36	21	15	18	18	6	8	4	4	4	8	44
Zimbabwe	476	113	88	57	38	36	16	16	13	5	6	2	12	74
Oceania	6,113	2,717	704	464	297	199	133	80	52	37	45	25	167	1,193
American Samoa	28	17	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	8
Australia	2,830	997	514	285	164	89	69	32	18	13	9	4	14	622
Cook Islands	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Fiji	1,457	1,093	22	44	45	23	8	14	11	5	13	6	37	136
French Polynesia	17	1	4	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	9
Marshall Islands	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Micronesia, Federated States ..	9	2	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
New Caledonia	6	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
New Zealand	1,214	475	139	102	68	53	32	8	11	6	2	9	23	286
Niue	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Mariana Is.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Palau	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Papua New Guinea ..	27	9	1	2	4	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	9
Samoa	171	25	11	15	11	11	7	9	4	4	5	1	23	45
Solomon Islands	7	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2
Tonga	328	90	9	14	4	21	15	15	7	9	14	5	67	58
Tuvalu	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4
Wallis and Futuna Islands	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1

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Region and country of birth	Total	New arrivals 2000-2001	Adjustments											
			2000-2001	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992	1991	Before 1991	Un-known
North America	407,888	130,570	12,898	10,224	9,827	5,524	3,498	4,142	3,508	3,219	3,399	2,318	15,661	203,100
Canada	21,933	5,339	3,645	1,827	1,162	686	377	119	43	19	12	1	25	8,678
Greenland	4	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Mexico	206,426	63,453	3,613	1,500	1,161	1,157	999	1,160	990	825	836	865	4,683	125,184
St. Pierre and Miquelon	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United States	63	22	6	3	7	6	3	3	-	1	1	-	2	9
Caribbean	103,546	45,517	1,354	5,258	6,888	3,201	1,705	2,210	1,735	1,441	1,936	965	4,739	26,597
Anguilla	55	47	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	2
Antigua-Barbuda	463	216	14	8	14	8	8	12	4	16	9	11	77	66
Aruba	29	8	1	3	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	3	11
Bahamas, The	931	90	22	28	23	23	21	21	14	34	20	13	59	563
Barbados	910	273	49	23	20	24	19	16	16	21	58	29	200	162
Bermuda	99	34	1	3	2	1	3	2	1	3	1	-	4	44
British Virgin Islands	70	49	1	2	1	1	-	2	1	1	-	-	2	10
Cayman Islands	24	7	-	1	-	2	1	1	4	-	-	2	1	5
Cuba	27,703	3,701	148	4,219	5,924	2,263	613	624	116	98	57	34	641	9,265
Dominica	93	6	10	4	7	6	1	2	1	3	2	2	5	44
Dominican Rep.	21,313	14,874	207	264	294	281	334	489	301	208	104	82	409	3,466
Grenada	645	270	21	13	13	10	8	15	13	23	13	9	117	120
Guadeloupe	84	44	2	1	1	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	32
Haiti	27,120	13,519	118	171	173	136	133	331	503	623	1,435	541	948	8,489
Jamaica	15,393	8,914	347	324	210	195	280	404	430	221	142	158	965	2,803
Martinique	22	5	1	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	10
Montserrat	61	15	-	-	2	3	-	1	3	2	5	2	18	10
Netherlands Antilles	116	39	8	1	2	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	10	46
Puerto Rico	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
St. Kitts-Nevis	466	314	5	5	8	4	2	6	4	7	7	2	54	48
St. Lucia	678	346	24	26	18	23	14	9	3	21	17	9	84	84
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	563	201	29	11	11	14	11	5	11	19	13	11	115	112
Trinidad and Tobago	6,665	2,541	344	150	162	199	255	267	306	135	52	58	1,022	1,174
Turks and Caicos Is.	33	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	27
U.S. Virgin Islands ..	6	2	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Central America	75,914	16,236	4,279	1,636	609	474	414	650	740	933	614	487	6,212	42,630
Belize	939	326	20	15	17	18	32	37	21	15	18	12	101	307
Costa Rica	1,744	426	105	99	137	100	57	86	62	41	44	38	72	477
El Salvador	31,272	6,814	612	98	77	67	52	42	37	69	44	34	239	23,087
Guatemala	13,567	3,877	345	99	66	63	62	59	57	69	48	44	400	8,378
Honduras	6,615	3,103	185	82	71	56	58	34	34	32	50	43	170	2,697
Nicaragua	19,896	930	2,929	1,147	156	102	69	334	493	678	378	289	5,083	7,308
Panama	1,881	760	83	96	85	68	84	58	36	29	32	27	147	376
South America	68,888	26,869	4,905	3,511	3,255	2,339	2,070	1,701	1,364	1,184	1,016	707	2,565	17,402
Argentina	3,328	829	370	197	106	88	83	97	66	66	49	44	175	1,158
Bolivia	1,826	649	280	64	45	17	24	28	13	20	30	24	105	527
Brazil	9,505	1,716	1,593	932	788	602	544	330	158	118	116	106	413	2,089
Chile	1,947	556	136	118	120	64	68	39	41	37	46	53	126	543
Colombia	16,730	5,433	784	1,199	1,197	784	603	423	324	271	247	175	477	4,813
Ecuador	9,706	5,277	516	182	242	181	174	141	128	100	92	70	252	2,351
Falkland Islands	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	8	4	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Guyana	8,303	6,321	100	76	73	90	137	123	99	33	40	45	237	929
Paraguay	408	151	49	20	14	16	10	7	6	4	7	12	23	89
Peru	11,131	4,690	558	334	320	253	203	172	292	290	157	78	512	3,272
Suriname	245	104	10	3	2	4	6	19	9	6	2	2	24	54
Uruguay	545	125	56	10	20	28	22	12	8	14	11	9	46	184
Venezuela	5,205	1,013	452	376	328	212	195	310	220	225	219	89	175	1,391
Unknown or not reported	2,334	508	178	179	161	106	68	48	42	22	25	13	77	907

¹ Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.

NOTE: The year of entry for new arrivals is the year entering as an immigrant. The year of entry for adjustments is the latest year of entry as a nonimmigrant or the latest year of entry in another temporary status.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 13. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY LEADING COUNTRY OF BIRTH, AGE, AND SEX
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Age and sex	All countries	Mexico	India	China, People's Republic	Philippines	Vietnam	El Salvador	Cuba	Haiti	Bosnia-Herzegovina
Total	1,064,318	206,426	70,290	56,426	53,154	35,531	31,272	27,703	27,120	23,640
Under 5 years	41,795	3,766	1,667	5,106	1,740	1,795	348	654	1,209	410
5-9 years	55,042	9,944	2,763	1,608	2,973	1,453	587	1,657	1,583	1,615
10-14 years	74,351	19,259	2,927	2,828	3,431	2,014	1,264	2,001	1,930	2,308
15-19 years	95,498	26,670	3,442	2,479	4,652	2,976	2,519	1,702	2,592	2,420
20-24 years	83,832	18,627	4,053	1,686	3,488	3,453	2,293	1,674	2,233	2,082
25-29 years	147,682	33,191	14,526	4,848	6,446	5,115	4,306	3,184	3,283	2,411
30-34 years	164,879	30,808	16,641	9,859	7,568	5,027	6,680	4,025	3,858	2,679
35-39 years	118,606	17,653	6,992	9,100	5,146	3,484	4,851	4,157	3,321	2,902
40-44 years	79,685	10,340	4,044	4,402	3,797	2,799	2,882	2,341	2,236	2,662
45-49 years	57,335	7,098	3,432	3,130	2,966	2,436	1,959	1,969	1,558	1,918
50-54 years	41,011	5,806	2,852	2,143	2,803	1,614	1,146	1,645	850	1,014
55-59 years	29,999	6,096	2,385	1,724	2,350	1,147	706	1,089	617	461
60-64 years	27,136	6,083	1,880	2,390	2,287	837	613	664	536	346
65-69 years	20,997	5,029	1,281	2,639	1,790	630	430	402	461	239
70-74 years	13,333	2,942	737	1,459	1,003	400	318	257	399	124
75-79 years	6,741	1,641	367	619	456	169	193	130	274	30
80 years and over	3,955	836	202	304	193	128	101	126	120	19
Unknown age	2,441	637	99	102	65	54	76	26	60	-
Male	476,876	81,174	35,268	22,773	21,164	14,417	14,918	14,365	13,622	12,292
Under 5 years	18,945	1,928	746	450	921	830	166	319	590	229
5-9 years	27,957	5,042	1,439	814	1,506	726	311	840	793	865
10-14 years	37,973	9,834	1,519	1,451	1,775	1,001	648	1,075	948	1,186
15-19 years	48,220	13,465	1,785	1,292	2,336	1,477	1,318	858	1,250	1,300
20-24 years	34,508	8,923	920	517	1,224	996	1,049	798	1,034	1,079
25-29 years	59,968	13,790	5,110	1,449	1,791	1,613	2,197	1,544	1,637	1,217
30-34 years	74,673	9,430	10,648	3,741	2,702	2,035	3,563	2,148	2,131	1,347
35-39 years	53,895	4,269	4,387	4,480	2,042	1,498	2,242	2,334	1,895	1,474
40-44 years	34,825	2,438	2,117	1,996	1,487	1,109	1,217	1,310	1,209	1,384
45-49 years	25,248	1,808	1,758	1,455	1,109	1,002	854	1,003	793	1,053
50-54 years	17,832	1,506	1,420	1,002	1,127	686	493	860	439	572
55-59 years	12,208	1,808	1,205	735	922	505	258	569	251	235
60-64 years	10,776	2,122	930	893	918	368	230	300	205	176
65-69 years	8,889	2,095	647	1,235	708	270	135	190	168	112
70-74 years	5,595	1,299	339	767	358	174	89	113	124	49
75-79 years	2,766	756	178	306	136	57	67	50	88	10
80 years and over	1,489	386	89	137	68	44	37	40	43	4
Unknown age	1,109	275	31	53	34	26	44	14	24	-
Female	587,187	125,222	35,011	33,642	31,949	21,105	16,348	13,329	13,498	11,332
Under 5 years	22,842	1,837	920	4,656	819	964	182	335	619	181
5-9 years	27,069	4,901	1,324	794	1,466	726	276	817	790	749
10-14 years	36,357	9,423	1,407	1,376	1,652	1,013	615	926	982	1,121
15-19 years	47,256	13,204	1,656	1,186	2,314	1,499	1,200	843	1,342	1,116
20-24 years	49,305	9,701	3,130	1,169	2,263	2,457	1,244	875	1,199	1,001
25-29 years	87,685	19,394	9,415	3,399	4,653	3,501	2,108	1,639	1,646	1,193
30-34 years	90,165	21,371	5,992	6,118	4,854	2,991	3,114	1,876	1,727	1,331
35-39 years	64,677	13,379	2,604	4,618	3,097	1,984	2,609	1,821	1,426	1,428
40-44 years	44,845	7,901	1,927	2,405	2,308	1,689	1,665	1,031	1,027	1,276
45-49 years	32,070	5,289	1,674	1,675	1,849	1,433	1,105	965	765	865
50-54 years	23,171	4,299	1,432	1,141	1,675	928	653	785	411	441
55-59 years	17,785	4,288	1,180	989	1,428	642	448	519	366	224
60-64 years	16,355	3,961	949	1,497	1,369	469	383	363	331	169
65-69 years	12,101	2,934	633	1,401	1,081	360	295	212	293	127
70-74 years	7,736	1,643	398	691	645	226	229	144	275	75
75-79 years	3,972	885	189	311	320	112	126	80	186	20
80 years and over	2,465	450	113	167	125	83	64	86	77	15
Unknown age	1,331	362	68	49	31	28	32	12	36	-
Unknown sex	255	30	11	11	41	9	6	9	-	16
Percent distribution	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	44.8	39.3	50.2	40.4	39.8	40.6	47.7	51.9	50.2	52.0
Female	55.2	60.7	49.8	59.6	60.1	59.4	52.3	48.1	49.8	47.9
Unknown	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z

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**TABLE 13. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY LEADING COUNTRY OF BIRTH, AGE, AND SEX
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Age and sex	Canada	Dominican Republic	Ukraine	Korea	Russia	Nicaragua	United Kingdom	Colombia	Pakistan	Jamacia
Total	21,933	21,313	20,975	20,742	20,413	19,896	18,436	16,730	16,448	15,393
Under 5 years	739	606	1,825	2,082	3,733	62	469	571	840	519
5-9 years	2,159	1,497	2,173	835	1,592	410	1,078	844	1,107	1,082
10-14 years	1,775	2,013	1,843	1,263	1,608	1,380	1,028	964	1,376	1,520
15-19 years	1,486	2,471	1,762	1,737	1,355	3,190	857	1,354	1,708	1,984
20-24 years	1,331	1,938	1,629	776	1,333	2,380	933	1,442	1,458	1,221
25-29 years	2,822	2,592	2,034	2,166	2,046	1,934	2,170	1,923	2,069	1,547
30-34 years	3,408	2,927	1,924	2,849	1,768	2,403	3,699	2,266	2,191	1,752
35-39 years	2,927	2,251	1,650	2,341	1,660	2,480	3,076	2,171	1,572	1,609
40-44 years	2,178	1,487	1,494	2,323	1,436	2,111	1,985	1,469	1,122	1,251
45-49 years	1,475	1,063	1,016	1,565	1,020	1,435	1,181	1,073	906	937
50-54 years	830	790	860	763	721	832	883	807	605	704
55-59 years	383	551	452	501	470	508	471	567	438	486
60-64 years	174	439	838	485	666	317	253	453	439	278
65-69 years	104	286	529	411	367	170	130	324	279	185
70-74 years	48	202	515	300	339	109	62	260	180	131
75-79 years	26	117	227	182	154	49	56	124	67	77
80 years and over	30	44	179	114	113	55	67	73	51	60
Unknown age	38	39	25	49	32	71	38	45	40	50
Male	10,543	9,760	9,676	8,959	8,357	9,358	10,454	6,208	8,564	6,886
Under 5 years	398	300	1,003	1,133	1,890	31	246	294	432	275
5-9 years	1,095	739	1,117	436	751	209	558	417	580	520
10-14 years	897	1,026	921	661	807	704	506	491	731	745
15-19 years	721	1,240	932	934	700	1,605	435	668	887	929
20-24 years	521	845	636	297	398	1,118	440	480	590	594
25-29 years	1,187	1,188	810	476	589	1,057	1,181	594	1,008	742
30-34 years	1,639	1,364	867	958	632	1,114	2,188	775	1,346	796
35-39 years	1,455	1,022	773	1,011	629	1,102	1,846	736	935	730
40-44 years	1,034	648	648	1,045	541	955	1,191	482	570	518
45-49 years	741	440	440	772	403	661	712	352	459	354
50-54 years	434	333	368	425	267	351	534	272	300	268
55-59 years	206	207	174	226	171	210	296	204	191	173
60-64 years	90	155	357	191	228	107	152	150	208	91
65-69 years	58	111	240	142	149	48	72	117	140	65
70-74 years	28	68	243	111	125	29	32	92	98	34
75-79 years	14	42	80	72	42	10	29	40	37	18
80 years and over	6	16	56	48	25	11	20	27	31	11
Unknown age	19	16	11	21	10	36	16	17	21	23
Female	11,384	11,552	11,287	11,783	12,049	10,535	7,976	10,520	7,882	8,507
Under 5 years	341	306	821	949	1,843	31	223	277	408	244
5-9 years	1,064	758	1,055	399	840	201	520	427	527	562
10-14 years	875	987	922	602	800	676	521	473	645	775
15-19 years	764	1,231	830	803	654	1,585	422	686	821	1,055
20-24 years	810	1,093	991	479	935	1,261	493	962	867	627
25-29 years	1,635	1,404	1,221	1,690	1,456	876	989	1,329	1,061	805
30-34 years	1,769	1,563	1,056	1,891	1,136	1,288	1,509	1,491	844	956
35-39 years	1,471	1,229	877	1,330	1,029	1,378	1,228	1,434	637	879
40-44 years	1,144	839	845	1,278	895	1,156	793	987	552	733
45-49 years	734	623	575	793	617	774	469	721	447	583
50-54 years	396	457	492	338	453	481	349	535	305	436
55-59 years	177	344	278	275	299	298	175	363	247	313
60-64 years	83	284	480	294	438	210	101	303	231	187
65-69 years	46	175	288	269	218	122	58	207	139	120
70-74 years	20	134	272	189	214	80	30	168	82	97
75-79 years	12	75	147	110	112	39	27	83	30	59
80 years and over	24	28	123	66	88	44	47	46	20	49
Unknown age	19	22	14	28	22	35	22	28	19	27
Unknown sex	6	1	12	-	7	3	6	2	2	-
Percent distribution	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	48.1	45.8	46.1	43.2	40.9	47.0	56.7	37.1	52.1	44.7
Female	51.9	54.2	53.8	56.8	59.0	53.0	43.3	62.9	47.9	55.3
Unknown	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z

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**TABLE 13. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY LEADING COUNTRY OF BIRTH, AGE, AND SEX
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Age and sex	Guatemala	Taiwan	Poland	Peru	Iran	Germany	Ecuador	Japan	Other
Total	13,567	12,171	11,818	11,131	10,497	9,886	9,706	9,619	252,082
Under 5 years	1,670	183	322	250	125	759	362	197	9,786
5-9 years	295	400	519	425	253	1,063	570	290	14,267
10-14 years	656	587	752	679	423	336	718	306	17,162
15-19 years	1,328	1,015	1,198	999	790	348	1,062	323	21,079
20-24 years	1,111	458	955	847	596	763	886	510	23,676
25-29 years	1,690	1,344	1,581	1,389	852	1,284	1,212	2,215	37,502
30-34 years	2,213	2,664	1,399	1,490	1,232	1,811	1,179	2,259	38,300
35-39 years	1,700	1,877	1,158	1,196	1,173	1,568	917	1,514	28,160
40-44 years	1,086	1,120	1,067	969	862	774	675	820	19,953
45-49 years	694	1,057	955	753	812	380	502	475	13,570
50-54 years	402	591	759	546	681	317	416	331	9,300
55-59 years	235	237	441	432	640	188	345	131	5,948
60-64 years	175	223	324	378	582	140	267	92	4,977
65-69 years	121	209	195	319	567	55	238	49	3,558
70-74 years	93	105	90	221	461	27	186	44	2,321
75-79 years	32	40	40	134	279	15	92	13	1,138
80 years and over	28	29	36	63	150	48	49	30	707
Unknown age	38	32	27	41	19	10	30	20	678
Male	6,483	5,138	5,154	4,752	4,867	4,504	4,421	2,594	120,205
Under 5 years	780	100	161	126	67	371	178	91	4,890
5-9 years	143	202	275	206	128	568	295	152	7,230
10-14 years	322	321	373	343	220	180	346	153	8,789
15-19 years	705	527	634	502	429	150	554	155	10,432
20-24 years	581	191	339	334	262	172	367	77	9,726
25-29 years	852	399	540	511	316	448	538	277	16,907
30-34 years	1,141	1,076	622	605	563	859	594	473	19,316
35-39 years	777	768	558	494	599	813	430	392	14,204
40-44 years	477	455	458	419	424	394	301	268	9,730
45-49 years	296	458	438	342	351	199	205	213	6,577
50-54 years	153	282	340	217	282	149	168	175	4,409
55-59 years	97	98	169	192	249	83	116	72	2,586
60-64 years	60	93	111	138	247	66	102	44	2,044
65-69 years	40	84	70	136	277	26	92	20	1,442
70-74 years	27	50	32	88	219	11	75	15	906
75-79 years	12	19	9	54	152	5	27	3	453
80 years and over	4	8	9	23	72	9	22	9	234
Unknown age	16	7	16	22	10	1	11	5	330
Female	7,079	7,033	6,662	6,375	5,627	5,376	5,285	7,025	131,814
Under 5 years	890	83	161	123	58	385	184	106	4,896
5-9 years	152	198	244	218	125	493	275	138	7,030
10-14 years	334	266	379	336	203	156	372	153	8,367
15-19 years	623	488	564	497	361	198	508	168	10,638
20-24 years	529	267	616	513	334	591	519	433	13,946
25-29 years	838	945	1,041	877	536	836	674	1,938	20,586
30-34 years	1,070	1,588	776	885	669	952	585	1,786	18,977
35-39 years	923	1,109	600	701	574	755	487	1,122	13,948
40-44 years	608	665	609	550	438	380	374	552	10,218
45-49 years	398	599	516	411	460	181	297	262	6,990
50-54 years	248	309	419	329	397	168	248	156	4,890
55-59 years	138	139	272	240	391	105	229	59	3,359
60-64 years	115	130	213	240	335	74	165	48	2,933
65-69 years	81	125	125	183	290	28	146	29	2,116
70-74 years	66	55	58	133	242	16	111	29	1,414
75-79 years	20	21	31	80	127	10	65	10	685
80 years and over	24	21	27	40	78	39	27	21	473
Unknown age	22	25	11	19	9	9	19	15	348
Unknown sex	5	-	2	4	3	6	-	-	63
Percent distribution	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	47.8	42.2	43.6	42.7	46.4	45.6	45.5	27.0	47.7
Female	52.2	57.8	56.4	57.3	53.6	54.4	54.5	73.0	52.3
Unknown	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z

- Represents zero. Z Rounds to less than .05 percent.

**TABLE 14. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY MARITAL STATUS, AGE, AND SEX
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Age and sex	Total	Single	Married	Widowed	Divorced	Separated	Unknown
Total	1,064,318	392,828	627,479	21,632	14,308	1,089	6,982
Under 5 years	41,795	41,445	-	-	-	-	350
5-9 years	55,042	54,213	-	-	-	-	829
10-14 years	74,351	73,236	88	-	9	-	1,018
15-19 years	95,498	90,915	3,305	-	45	-	1,233
20-24 years	83,832	40,170	42,889	21	131	13	608
25-29 years	147,682	27,999	118,370	70	668	53	522
30-34 years	164,879	26,450	136,133	185	1,457	130	524
35-39 years	118,606	15,135	100,516	310	2,096	107	442
40-44 years	79,685	7,878	68,770	453	2,142	125	317
45-49 years	57,335	4,652	49,393	759	2,183	125	223
50-54 years	41,011	2,818	34,660	1,365	1,883	149	136
55-59 years	29,999	1,949	24,204	2,185	1,424	140	97
60-64 years	27,136	1,667	20,601	3,578	1,097	121	72
65-69 years	20,997	1,247	14,902	4,112	597	73	66
70-74 years	13,333	936	8,114	3,882	327	37	37
75-79 years	6,741	523	3,415	2,642	135	11	15
80 years and over	3,955	338	1,448	2,060	91	5	13
Unknown age	2,441	1,257	671	10	23	-	480
Male	476,876	203,286	261,967	2,730	4,976	367	3,550
Under 5 years	18,945	18,761	-	-	-	-	184
5-9 years	27,957	27,513	-	-	-	-	444
10-14 years	37,973	37,423	47	-	5	-	498
15-19 years	48,220	46,954	586	-	18	-	662
20-24 years	34,508	21,807	12,309	9	43	4	336
25-29 years	59,968	17,321	42,056	10	267	20	294
30-34 years	74,673	16,316	57,314	37	655	57	294
35-39 years	53,895	8,744	43,890	56	912	59	234
40-44 years	34,825	3,782	29,930	66	829	49	169
45-49 years	25,248	1,831	22,479	98	692	45	103
50-54 years	17,832	886	16,163	107	576	41	59
55-59 years	12,208	458	11,144	157	368	38	43
60-64 years	10,776	336	9,760	352	272	24	32
65-69 years	8,889	217	7,979	482	162	17	32
70-74 years	5,595	137	4,810	527	100	7	14
75-79 years	2,766	77	2,207	433	40	5	4
80 years and over	1,489	61	1,005	395	26	1	1
Unknown age	1,109	662	288	1	11	-	147
Female	587,187	189,471	365,402	18,902	9,330	722	3,360
Under 5 years	22,842	22,680	-	-	-	-	162
5-9 years	27,069	26,693	-	-	-	-	376
10-14 years	36,357	35,798	41	-	4	-	514
15-19 years	47,256	43,947	2,717	-	27	-	565
20-24 years	49,305	18,356	30,575	12	88	9	265
25-29 years	87,685	10,672	76,295	60	401	33	224
30-34 years	90,165	10,125	78,795	148	802	73	222
35-39 years	64,677	6,384	56,604	254	1,183	48	204
40-44 years	44,845	4,096	38,828	387	1,313	76	145
45-49 years	32,070	2,821	26,900	661	1,491	80	117
50-54 years	23,171	1,930	18,493	1,258	1,307	108	75
55-59 years	17,785	1,491	13,058	2,028	1,056	102	50
60-64 years	16,355	1,331	10,838	3,226	824	97	39
65-69 years	12,101	1,030	6,921	3,630	435	56	29
70-74 years	7,736	799	3,304	3,355	227	30	21
75-79 years	3,972	446	1,207	2,209	95	6	9
80 years and over	2,465	277	443	1,665	65	4	11
Unknown age	1,331	595	383	9	12	-	332
Unknown sex	255	71	110	-	2	-	72
Percent distribution	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	44.8	51.7	41.7	12.6	34.8	33.7	50.8
Female	55.2	48.2	58.2	87.4	65.2	66.3	48.1
Unknown	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z

- Represents zero. Z Rounds to less than .05 percent.

**TABLE 15. IMMIGRANT-ORPHANS ADOPTED BY U.S. CITIZENS BY SEX,
AGE, AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Region and country of birth	Total	Sex			Age				
		Male	Female	Unknown	Under 1 year	1-4 years	5-9 years	Over 9 years	Unknown
All countries	19,087	7,017	12,069	1	8,379	8,233	1,531	917	27
Europe	7,637	3,738	3,899	-	1,738	4,380	1,016	501	2
Albania	17	7	10	-	-	12	-	5	-
Armenia	25	10	15	-	22	3	-	-	-
Azerbaijan	16	7	9	-	4	12	-	-	-
Belarus	129	51	78	-	30	82	9	8	-
Bosnia-Herzegovina	2	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Bulgaria	288	141	147	-	4	204	66	14	-
Croatia	2	1	1	-	-	2	-	-	-
Estonia	10	6	4	-	-	1	1	8	-
Georgia	15	6	9	-	6	4	2	3	-
Germany	3	1	2	-	-	-	-	2	1
Hungary	13	6	7	-	3	9	1	-	-
Kazakhstan	664	284	380	-	250	320	75	19	-
Latvia	26	13	13	-	1	21	3	1	-
Lithuania	30	18	12	-	2	24	2	2	-
Moldova	47	23	24	-	16	22	2	7	-
Poland	89	49	40	-	4	47	32	6	-
Portugal	2	-	2	-	-	1	-	1	-
Romania	781	413	368	-	201	430	105	45	-
Russia	4,210	2,008	2,202	-	957	2,388	514	351	-
Slovak Republic	24	10	14	-	1	16	7	-	-
Soviet Union ¹	2	-	2	-	-	1	1	-	-
Spain	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Ukraine	1,227	672	555	-	235	772	194	25	1
United Kingdom	9	5	4	-	-	5	2	2	-
Uzbekistan	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Yugoslavia ¹	4	3	1	-	2	2	-	-	-
Asia	8,642	1,974	6,668	-	5,041	3,205	249	141	6
Afghanistan	3	2	1	-	1	1	-	1	-
Bangladesh	8	1	7	-	4	2	1	1	-
Burma	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Cambodia	384	141	243	-	232	123	15	13	1
China, People's Rep.	4,629	166	4,463	-	2,173	2,348	84	23	1
Hong Kong	26	19	7	-	4	20	2	-	-
India	540	126	414	-	225	250	46	19	-
Indonesia	8	4	4	-	-	4	-	4	-
Iran	11	3	8	-	6	2	-	2	1
Japan	38	15	23	-	31	5	1	1	-
Jordan	2	1	1	-	2	-	-	-	-
Korea	1,863	1,029	834	-	1,736	114	7	5	1
Lebanon	16	7	9	-	15	1	-	-	-
Mongolia	3	2	1	-	1	1	1	-	-
Nepal	4	-	4	-	1	1	2	-	-
Pakistan	27	14	13	-	11	5	-	11	-
Philippines	220	94	126	-	12	127	47	33	1
Singapore	2	2	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
Sri Lanka	4	2	2	-	4	-	-	-	-
Taiwan	44	18	26	-	28	9	1	6	-
Thailand	75	38	37	-	3	46	19	7	-
Turkey	3	2	1	-	1	2	-	-	-
Vietnam	730	286	444	-	551	143	23	12	1
Africa	343	160	183	-	51	110	92	90	-
Algeria	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Botswana	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Cameroon	4	1	3	-	1	-	-	3	-
Cape Verde	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Chad	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-

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**TABLE 15. IMMIGRANT-ORPHANS ADOPTED BY U.S. CITIZENS BY SEX,
AGE, AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	Sex			Age				
		Male	Female	Unknown	Under 1 year	1-4 years	5-9 years	Over 9 years	Unknown
Congo, Republic	6	4	2	-	-	-	3	3	-
Cote d'Ivoire	2	1	1	-	-	2	-	-	-
Egypt	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Eritrea	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
Ethiopia	160	77	83	-	30	42	51	37	-
Gambia, The	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	-
Ghana	17	9	8	-	2	3	7	5	-
Kenya	13	5	8	-	1	8	2	2	-
Liberia	50	21	29	-	-	16	18	16	-
Madagascar	5	4	1	-	1	1	3	-	-
Malawi	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
Morocco	8	2	6	-	2	2	2	2	-
Namibia	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Niger	2	-	2	-	-	1	-	1	-
Nigeria	33	14	19	-	3	20	2	8	-
Rwanda	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	-
Senegal	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Sierra Leone	10	4	6	-	-	2	3	5	-
South Africa	14	10	4	-	8	6	-	-	-
Tanzania	2	-	2	-	-	1	1	-	-
Uganda	3	2	1	-	-	3	-	-	-
Zambia	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
Oceania	19	9	10	-	8	1	3	7	-
American Samoa	3	2	1	-	3	-	-	-	-
Fiji	7	3	4	-	1	1	3	2	-
Samoa	3	1	2	-	3	-	-	-	-
Tonga	6	3	3	-	1	-	-	5	-
North America	2,015	931	1,083	1	1,302	439	133	126	15
Canada	2	2	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Mexico	105	42	62	1	22	39	19	15	10
Caribbean	266	126	140	-	39	92	58	73	4
Antigua-Barbuda	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
Barbados	2	1	1	-	1	-	-	1	-
Dominican Republic ..	16	9	7	-	4	5	3	4	-
Grenada	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Guadeloupe	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Haiti	187	92	95	-	33	77	42	34	1
Jamaica	55	22	33	-	1	7	13	31	3
St. Lucia	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	2	1	1	-	-	1	-	1	-
Central America	1,642	761	881	-	1,241	307	55	38	1
Belize	6	2	4	-	3	-	2	1	-
Costa Rica	8	3	5	-	3	3	1	1	-
El Salvador	8	1	7	-	-	5	2	-	1
Guatemala	1,601	745	856	-	1,233	287	49	32	-
Honduras	4	1	3	-	-	2	-	2	-
Nicaragua	11	6	5	-	2	6	1	2	-
Panama	4	3	1	-	-	4	-	-	-
South America	429	204	225	-	238	97	38	52	4
Bolivia	35	17	18	-	16	16	2	1	-
Brazil	33	17	16	-	5	7	7	13	1
Chile	4	2	2	-	1	1	1	-	1
Colombia	261	124	137	-	205	25	16	15	-
Ecuador	51	27	24	-	8	36	4	2	1
Guyana	18	5	13	-	-	3	3	12	-
Paraguay	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Peru	22	10	12	-	3	7	4	7	1
Suriname	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Venezuela	3	1	2	-	-	1	1	1	-
Unknown or not reported	2	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-

¹ Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.
- Represents zero.

**TABLE 16. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY LEADING COUNTRY OF BIRTH AND
STATE OF INTENDED RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

State of intended residence	All countries	Mexico	India	China, People's Republic	Philippines	Vietnam	El Salvador	Cuba	Haiti	Bosnia-Herzegovina
Total	1,064,318	206,426	70,290	56,426	53,154	35,531	31,272	27,703	27,120	23,640
Alabama	2,257	313	215	182	68	106	3	17	4	47
Alaska	1,401	126	11	51	366	22	19	1	4	13
Arizona	16,362	7,932	584	459	459	490	138	128	10	1,139
Arkansas	2,572	1,148	136	101	113	115	97	5	-	4
California	282,957	97,293	16,512	17,312	23,177	13,025	11,938	546	77	1,058
Colorado	12,494	4,107	786	648	229	612	123	19	28	280
Connecticut	12,148	177	1,001	654	339	263	74	64	409	502
Delaware	1,850	166	270	182	118	35	32	8	75	1
District of Columbia	3,043	46	53	136	88	69	752	8	26	38
Florida	104,715	3,596	1,782	1,113	1,933	1,178	725	21,729	17,136	1,767
Georgia	19,431	2,531	1,743	836	446	1,242	218	104	167	1,030
Hawaii	6,313	116	21	530	3,341	228	4	1	-	-
Idaho	2,296	942	62	108	64	59	5	9	10	296
Illinois	48,296	11,821	4,961	2,323	2,967	596	184	127	112	2,364
Indiana	6,010	944	575	485	306	151	57	19	18	324
Iowa	5,029	1,053	268	190	110	291	44	3	5	1,477
Kansas	4,030	1,195	414	230	138	354	64	12	9	57
Kentucky	4,548	260	289	240	114	181	14	389	7	864
Louisiana	3,778	247	200	210	130	519	43	107	26	47
Maine	1,186	9	30	71	52	46	7	4	4	95
Maryland	22,060	507	1,831	1,648	993	507	2,014	35	235	61
Massachusetts	28,965	227	2,332	2,450	313	1,405	990	92	1,822	471
Michigan	21,528	1,003	2,978	1,433	662	470	41	207	24	1,435
Minnesota	11,166	772	795	643	266	637	81	19	22	433
Mississippi	1,340	160	130	109	110	89	7	18	3	5
Missouri	7,616	419	543	575	270	474	38	54	28	1,494
Montana	488	30	15	36	20	7	1	-	1	-
Nebraska	3,850	1,370	216	121	86	246	74	25	3	184
Nevada	9,618	3,308	184	324	1,218	134	339	540	6	294
New Hampshire	2,595	35	305	157	172	105	12	-	16	270
New Jersey	59,920	1,098	9,154	3,262	2,905	500	2,316	1,361	1,788	333
New Mexico	5,207	3,575	78	129	83	116	16	117	2	12
New York	114,116	2,065	4,942	8,071	2,218	792	3,732	512	4,531	1,425
North Carolina	13,918	2,103	1,021	710	419	652	265	94	25	361
North Dakota	558	17	23	19	19	10	1	3	2	147
Ohio	14,725	633	1,651	1,126	452	358	48	35	31	646
Oklahoma	3,492	877	284	149	108	330	21	13	6	13
Oregon	9,638	1,985	611	557	297	704	75	123	25	255
Pennsylvania	21,441	1,031	2,904	1,858	518	1,159	91	109	186	704
Rhode Island	2,820	40	70	129	51	28	81	4	65	3
South Carolina	2,882	231	288	165	178	85	24	1	5	16
South Dakota	671	23	17	53	28	13	4	1	1	130
Tennessee	6,257	703	444	298	388	343	39	58	9	309
Texas	86,315	43,524	4,313	2,623	2,260	3,772	3,644	452	44	982
Utah	5,247	1,103	122	249	99	205	71	12	8	548
Vermont	954	4	38	71	16	50	2	2	3	240
Virginia	26,876	804	2,970	1,400	1,214	1,093	2,565	72	44	486
Washington	23,085	2,518	1,301	1,272	1,406	1,533	85	24	20	725
West Virginia	737	31	106	80	41	19	4	-	-	5
Wisconsin	8,477	2,007	645	494	247	96	31	25	9	250
Wyoming	308	70	23	9	22	3	3	-	-	-
U.S. territories and possessions										
Guam	1,722	-	9	50	1,406	9	-	-	-	-
Northern Mariana Islands	113	-	1	19	75	2	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	3,459	125	3	69	5	-	14	395	12	-
U.S. Virgin Islands	1,327	1	28	2	5	2	2	-	17	-
Armed Services Posts	96	5	1	5	22	1	-	-	-	-
Unknown	15	-	1	-	4	-	-	-	-	-

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**TABLE 16. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY LEADING COUNTRY OF BIRTH AND
STATE OF INTENDED RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

State of intended residence	Canada	Dominican Republic	Ukraine	Korea	Russia	Nicaragua	United Kingdom	Colombia	Pakistan	Jamacia
Total	21,933	21,313	20,975	20,742	20,413	19,896	18,436	16,730	16,448	15,393
Alabama	96	8	40	53	89	19	78	27	40	21
Alaska	94	55	29	79	89	2	17	12	2	6
Arizona	597	21	62	118	198	64	349	84	75	13
Arkansas	71	3	18	30	42	24	65	9	9	1
California	3,509	82	3,948	7,235	3,472	5,076	4,077	1,163	2,387	299
Colorado	458	12	259	249	425	41	416	91	104	14
Connecticut	385	280	210	153	317	68	438	356	280	721
Delaware	40	12	21	137	23	4	60	21	37	32
District of Columbia	27	54	17	26	49	69	56	43	33	54
Florida	1,953	1,439	571	296	773	10,712	1,595	5,302	581	4,560
Georgia	651	83	179	583	329	192	623	299	374	327
Hawaii	120	4	6	286	29	2	36	12	8	4
Idaho	72	-	60	9	39	5	39	21	2	-
Illinois	670	63	1,053	853	812	103	638	323	1,228	204
Indiana	273	24	102	97	194	51	166	53	77	34
Iowa	111	5	38	96	163	16	53	13	29	5
Kansas	114	10	28	52	88	37	70	34	77	6
Kentucky	175	15	86	78	77	19	117	46	66	19
Louisiana	139	19	46	50	65	111	119	59	103	22
Maine	168	8	17	17	65	1	49	9	4	9
Maryland	279	152	330	958	640	293	363	256	551	505
Massachusetts	704	1,538	633	315	933	69	720	415	269	354
Michigan	1,119	51	269	299	560	33	547	74	473	82
Minnesota	389	24	340	204	474	48	168	116	111	38
Mississippi	76	3	27	26	43	7	30	15	49	10
Missouri	207	14	189	105	213	18	153	57	152	31
Montana	116	2	13	6	36	1	19	9	1	-
Nebraska	90	4	73	47	60	23	50	48	17	5
Nevada	273	24	28	126	52	190	119	93	58	9
New Hampshire	191	59	71	56	98	7	122	61	26	12
New Jersey	596	3,427	877	1,644	1,084	456	843	2,445	1,298	1,161
New Mexico	110	5	17	32	67	8	64	46	28	4
New York	1,148	10,394	3,778	1,893	2,837	504	1,417	2,652	3,294	5,727
North Carolina	807	65	314	240	427	218	513	200	224	76
North Dakota	70	3	11	4	19	-	9	1	4	1
Ohio	608	61	682	224	587	65	419	130	198	118
Oklahoma	92	6	40	62	69	13	87	25	111	14
Oregon	260	3	872	216	396	36	184	44	55	5
Pennsylvania	614	329	1,047	668	759	80	572	244	313	355
Rhode Island	44	423	37	10	69	8	53	136	13	20
South Carolina	239	18	89	41	105	29	128	88	36	24
South Dakota	25	-	55	14	29	5	11	4	2	-
Tennessee	279	14	131	120	164	34	172	64	94	14
Texas	1,640	138	416	838	852	630	1,193	814	1,890	210
Utah	229	12	78	61	141	27	116	55	30	12
Vermont	111	3	7	25	30	1	50	6	5	6
Virginia	466	66	212	1,084	503	334	533	253	1,282	141
Washington	1,057	8	3,333	679	1,435	54	449	68	146	21
West Virginia	43	5	23	11	32	-	41	11	37	7
Wisconsin	282	19	173	135	328	55	197	97	140	58
Wyoming	22	-	11	6	16	1	8	5	21	-
U.S. territories and possessions										
Guam	5	-	2	76	-	1	3	1	3	-
Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	7	1,854	3	13	6	31	14	213	1	-
U.S. Virgin Islands	7	388	1	1	3	-	8	6	-	19
Armed Services Posts ...	3	4	3	5	6	-	-	-	-	1
Unknown	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	2

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**TABLE 16. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY LEADING COUNTRY OF BIRTH AND
STATE OF INTENDED RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

State of intended residence	Guatemala	Taiwan	Poland	Peru	Iran	Germany	Ecuador	Japan	Brazil	Other
Total	13,567	12,171	11,818	11,131	10,497	9,886	9,706	9,619	9,505	242,577
Alabama	33	17	10	3	27	65	15	37	15	609
Alaska	24	6	15	11	1	15	2	14	10	305
Arizona	169	109	53	65	166	208	32	91	47	2,502
Arkansas	39	10	3	12	12	31	11	14	9	440
California	6,013	6,768	445	2,016	4,901	1,944	615	3,632	1,332	43,105
Colorado	85	88	75	92	100	188	34	154	70	2,707
Connecticut	256	50	652	286	78	121	251	84	315	3,364
Delaware	24	13	12	11	14	26	9	9	16	442
District of Columbia	70	7	4	51	22	32	3	38	32	1,140
Florida	698	172	351	2,197	309	822	994	243	2,176	18,012
Georgia	140	197	68	135	228	312	54	165	173	6,002
Hawaii	4	65	14	11	11	39	5	585	36	795
Idaho	3	6	4	23	4	74	6	27	14	333
Illinois	459	270	4,158	147	298	386	382	287	30	1,615
Indiana	81	28	56	29	40	96	20	65	180	10,327
Iowa	48	26	6	8	17	103	11	28	13	799
Kansas	57	35	15	25	36	34	17	22	13	787
Kentucky	51	22	12	15	71	129	20	63	31	1,078
Louisiana	80	47	15	22	23	45	17	36	26	1,205
Maine	13	6	10	7	12	24	2	22	13	412
Maryland	342	261	74	388	419	182	140	110	195	7,791
Massachusetts	518	182	315	175	158	314	115	230	1,355	9,551
Michigan	111	149	276	31	152	462	20	179	101	8,287
Minnesota	114	50	39	47	93	116	106	64	39	4,918
Mississippi	10	9	4	8	13	23	1	16	18	321
Missouri	85	80	22	37	85	161	13	49	37	2,013
Montana	7	1	5	5	2	13	2	9	5	126
Nebraska	101	16	4	15	14	46	4	32	16	860
Nevada	167	75	21	77	69	61	17	96	46	1,670
New Hampshire	9	30	24	10	9	45	13	17	46	617
New Jersey	652	700	1,726	1,949	206	323	2,069	322	968	14,457
New Mexico	26	27	10	19	29	75	12	28	13	459
New York	795	686	2,369	1,349	469	732	4,029	947	752	40,056
North Carolina	149	88	47	81	123	265	66	140	122	4,103
North Dakota	2	1	-	-	5	15	-	2	-	170
Ohio	82	156	140	74	104	244	42	185	78	5,548
Oklahoma	43	32	6	50	105	60	12	21	21	822
Oregon	136	58	29	55	113	110	13	178	51	2,192
Pennsylvania	167	133	262	108	105	305	107	115	171	6,427
Rhode Island	303	5	42	21	8	24	14	8	40	1,071
South Carolina	33	33	14	8	29	105	11	47	24	788
South Dakota	14	1	5	-	2	21	-	7	1	205
Tennessee	39	45	30	36	88	102	14	103	53	2,070
Texas	622	799	118	386	764	557	161	286	337	12,050
Utah	59	58	17	123	62	89	31	69	132	1,429
Vermont	5	3	14	8	6	36	3	5	12	192
Virginia	436	227	42	722	604	256	114	184	155	8,614
Washington	85	253	50	76	217	242	27	392	76	5,533
West Virginia	8	5	4	6	3	22	5	8	2	178
Wisconsin	83	49	111	52	69	160	21	58	63	2,523
Wyoming	-	2	10	5	-	12	-	5	1	53
U.S. territories and possessions										
Guam	-	13	-	2	1	1	1	79	3	57
Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	12
Puerto Rico	14	-	4	41	1	11	23	1	17	582
U.S. Virgin Islands	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	4	828
Armed Services Posts	1	2	5	1	-	2	-	8	-	21
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 17. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY STATE OF INTENDED RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEARS 1993-2001**

State of intended residence	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Total	904,292	804,417	720,461	915,900	798,378	654,451	646,568	849,807	1,064,318
Alabama	2,298	1,837	1,900	1,782	1,613	1,608	1,275	1,904	2,257
Alaska	1,286	1,129	1,049	1,280	1,060	1,008	1,058	1,374	1,401
Arizona	9,778	9,141	7,700	8,900	8,632	6,211	8,667	11,980	16,362
Arkansas	1,312	1,031	934	1,494	1,428	914	940	1,596	2,572
California	260,090	208,498	166,482	201,529	203,305	170,126	161,247	217,753	282,957
Colorado	6,650	6,825	7,713	8,895	7,506	6,513	6,984	8,216	12,494
Connecticut	10,966	9,537	9,240	10,874	9,528	7,780	7,887	11,346	12,148
Delaware	1,132	984	1,051	1,377	1,148	1,063	1,026	1,570	1,850
District of Columbia	3,608	3,204	3,047	3,784	3,373	2,377	2,134	2,542	3,043
Florida	61,423	58,093	62,023	79,461	82,318	59,965	57,484	98,391	104,715
Georgia	10,213	10,032	12,381	12,608	12,623	10,445	9,404	14,778	19,431
Hawaii	8,528	7,746	7,537	8,436	6,867	5,465	4,299	6,056	6,313
Idaho	1,270	1,559	1,612	1,825	1,447	1,504	1,906	1,922	2,296
Illinois	46,744	42,400	33,898	42,517	38,128	33,163	36,971	36,180	48,296
Indiana	4,539	3,725	3,590	4,692	3,892	3,981	3,557	4,128	6,010
Iowa	2,626	2,163	2,260	3,037	2,766	1,655	1,780	3,052	5,029
Kansas	3,225	2,902	2,434	4,303	2,829	3,184	3,263	4,582	4,030
Kentucky	2,182	2,036	1,857	2,019	1,939	2,017	1,537	2,989	4,548
Louisiana	3,725	3,366	3,000	4,092	3,319	2,193	2,048	3,016	3,778
Maine	838	829	814	1,028	817	709	568	1,133	1,186
Maryland	16,899	15,937	15,055	20,732	19,090	15,561	15,605	17,705	22,060
Massachusetts	25,011	22,882	20,523	23,085	17,317	15,869	15,180	23,483	28,965
Michigan	14,913	12,728	14,135	17,253	14,727	13,943	13,650	16,773	21,528
Minnesota	7,438	7,098	8,111	8,977	8,233	6,981	5,956	8,671	11,166
Mississippi	906	815	757	1,073	1,118	701	698	1,083	1,340
Missouri	4,644	4,362	3,990	5,690	4,190	3,588	4,171	6,053	7,616
Montana	509	447	409	449	375	299	309	493	488
Nebraska	1,980	1,595	1,831	2,150	2,270	1,267	1,439	2,230	3,850
Nevada	4,045	4,051	4,306	5,874	6,541	6,106	8,305	7,827	9,618
New Hampshire	1,263	1,144	1,186	1,512	1,143	1,010	999	2,001	2,595
New Jersey	50,285	44,083	39,729	63,303	41,184	35,091	34,095	40,013	59,920
New Mexico	3,409	2,936	2,758	5,780	2,610	2,199	2,445	3,973	5,207
New York	151,209	144,354	128,406	154,095	123,716	96,559	96,979	106,061	114,116
North Carolina	6,892	6,204	5,617	7,011	5,935	6,415	5,792	9,251	13,918
North Dakota	601	635	483	606	535	472	314	420	558
Ohio	10,703	9,184	8,585	10,237	8,189	7,697	6,855	9,263	14,725
Oklahoma	2,942	2,728	2,792	3,511	3,157	2,273	2,376	4,586	3,492
Oregon	7,250	6,784	4,923	7,554	7,699	5,909	5,233	8,543	9,638
Pennsylvania	16,964	15,971	15,065	16,938	14,553	11,942	13,514	18,148	21,441
Rhode Island	3,168	2,907	2,609	3,098	2,543	1,976	2,058	2,526	2,820
South Carolina	2,195	2,110	2,165	2,151	2,446	2,125	1,773	2,267	2,882
South Dakota	543	570	495	519	490	356	356	465	671
Tennessee	4,287	3,608	3,392	4,343	4,357	2,806	2,584	4,882	6,257
Texas	67,380	56,158	49,963	83,385	57,897	44,428	49,393	63,840	86,315
Utah	3,266	2,951	2,831	4,250	2,840	3,360	3,564	3,710	5,247
Vermont	709	658	535	654	627	513	497	810	954
Virginia	16,451	15,342	16,319	21,375	19,277	15,686	15,144	20,087	26,876
Washington	17,147	18,180	15,862	18,833	18,656	16,920	13,046	18,486	23,085
West Virginia	689	663	540	583	418	375	392	573	737
Wisconsin	5,168	5,328	4,919	3,607	3,175	3,724	3,043	5,057	8,477
Wyoming	263	217	252	280	252	159	253	248	308
U.S. territories and possessions									
Guam	3,072	2,531	2,419	2,820	2,083	1,835	1,729	1,556	1,722
Marshall Islands	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Mariana Islands	158	120	171	176	103	103	150	122	113
Puerto Rico	7,614	10,463	7,160	8,560	4,884	3,251	3,048	2,649	3,459
U.S. Virgin Islands	1,610	1,426	1,511	1,384	1,110	979	1,480	1,328	1,327
Armed Services Posts	-	-	-	-	-	88	105	116	96
Other or unknown	276	209	135	119	100	4	3	-	15

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 18. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY LEADING COUNTRY OF BIRTH AND LEADING METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA OF INTENDED RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Metropolitan statistical area ¹	All countries	Mexico	India	China, People's Republic	Philippines	Vietnam	El Salvador	Cuba	Haiti	Bosnia-Herzegovina
Total	1,064,318	206,426	70,290	56,426	53,154	35,531	31,272	27,703	27,120	23,640
Los Angeles-Long Beach, CA	98,997	33,427	1,924	5,383	7,981	2,330	8,625	315	26	26
New York, NY	92,361	1,752	3,156	6,862	1,725	357	1,478	196	3,887	251
Miami, FL	48,797	514	163	204	257	35	323	18,425	5,740	12
Chicago, IL	44,888	11,165	4,616	2,135	2,750	507	177	116	103	2,102
Washington, DC-MD-VA-WV	39,815	887	3,818	2,280	1,458	1,320	5,045	60	213	172
San Jose, CA	28,715	3,523	5,694	3,117	1,891	3,390	188	16	-	322
Houston, TX	26,687	9,447	1,446	1,137	686	1,702	2,302	145	19	258
Orange County, CA	23,506	7,588	1,001	847	1,382	3,351	667	37	-	28
San Diego, CA	22,319	10,558	539	698	2,590	967	88	35	4	49
Oakland, CA	21,250	2,862	3,215	2,527	2,361	993	437	24	2	362
Boston, MA-NH	20,591	153	1,569	1,979	176	946	867	65	1,592	423
San Francisco, CA	18,729	1,389	1,139	3,324	2,274	631	651	37	35	98
Dallas, TX	18,611	6,453	1,714	758	376	817	862	131	12	288
Riverside-San Bernardino, CA	18,434	11,304	359	323	1,088	289	567	59	5	46
Fort Lauderdale, FL	16,214	266	299	158	185	73	156	616	4,235	19
Newark, NJ	15,801	176	1,350	634	546	114	791	326	1,369	142
Atlanta, GA	15,425	1,197	1,406	703	223	1,082	165	83	162	981
Philadelphia, PA-NJ	14,796	658	2,012	1,262	409	885	38	48	181	87
Detroit, MI	14,736	479	2,315	921	473	140	20	16	10	757
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA	14,217	568	1,116	1,012	939	1,138	32	12	7	408
Bergen-Passaic, NJ	13,248	337	1,125	468	676	39	287	100	40	113
Middlesex-Somerset-Hunterdon, NJ	12,477	178	4,522	1,215	590	68	128	54	42	20
Phoenix-Mesa, AZ	11,977	5,079	491	344	360	415	119	123	8	1,056
Nassau-Suffolk, NY	11,679	142	1,023	472	298	55	2,232	22	590	7
Sacramento, CA	10,590	1,573	680	386	622	566	53	6	-	97
Jersey City, NJ	9,996	141	855	316	660	72	1,014	861	75	11
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton, FL	9,445	388	126	96	178	62	76	598	3,805	19
Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI	9,266	491	715	556	228	504	73	15	17	261
Portland-Vancouver, OR-WA	8,969	926	567	484	247	674	48	124	25	365
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	8,557	483	371	188	307	426	26	929	252	817
Las Vegas, NV-AZ	7,919	2,637	100	243	981	96	291	537	6	296
Denver, CO	7,880	2,320	515	396	130	525	76	14	18	221
Orlando, FL	7,263	276	269	136	197	276	58	424	1,275	235
El Paso, TX	6,340	5,938	22	30	31	2	16	3	-	-
Fort Worth-Arlington, TX	6,236	2,663	299	123	103	580	79	12	3	272
Baltimore, MD	5,649	92	519	518	263	110	152	11	36	26
Ventura, CA	5,268	2,967	193	166	398	88	92	3	-	2
St. Louis, MO-IL	4,935	125	387	417	152	237	1	6	7	1,363
Honolulu, HI	4,870	45	20	498	2,382	219	2	1	-	-
Fresno, CA	4,661	3,063	308	37	156	54	101	1	-	2
Austin-San Marcos, TX	4,476	1,364	335	235	82	293	82	99	7	85
Raleigh-Durham-Chapel Hill, NC	4,310	379	521	312	111	86	92	12	4	29
Cleveland-Lorain-Elyria, OH	4,209	109	367	220	124	78	12	7	5	302
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, TX	4,132	3,795	8	9	138	3	18	5	1	-
Hartford, CT	4,009	45	365	180	95	115	10	20	16	346
Milwaukee-Waukesha, WI	3,970	893	405	208	95	47	17	18	1	197
Columbus, OH	3,946	165	469	333	67	63	10	14	16	52
Salt Lake City-Ogden, UT	3,879	676	109	198	76	197	48	10	2	548
San Antonio, TX	3,825	2,369	122	112	126	97	40	31	2	20
Salinas, CA	3,748	2,770	42	38	297	44	112	1	-	4
Other MSA	189,443	39,182	13,696	9,494	8,514	7,500	1,802	2,562	2,943	9,214
Non-MSA	52,023	20,369	1,884	1,726	4,679	871	624	318	314	828
Unknown	234	80	9	8	21	2	2	-	8	1

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TABLE 18. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY LEADING COUNTRY OF BIRTH AND LEADING METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA OF INTENDED RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued

Metropolitan statistical area ¹	Canada	Dominican Republic	Ukraine	Korea	Russia	Nicaragua	United Kingdom	Colombia	Pakistan	Jamaica
Total	21,933	21,313	20,975	20,742	20,413	19,896	18,436	16,730	16,448	15,393
Los Angeles-Long Beach, CA	807	25	429	3,840	641	2,927	1,015	458	563	167
New York, NY	537	9,787	3,020	1,533	2,339	447	1,022	2,066	2,677	5,059
Miami, FL	160	743	62	29	113	9,807	127	2,642	124	1,040
Chicago, IL	590	59	996	736	699	97	568	290	1,181	197
Washington, DC-MD-VA-WV	454	216	239	1,426	766	679	599	446	1,500	468
San Jose, CA	418	3	170	665	512	211	517	68	338	10
Houston, TX	362	91	71	194	235	296	499	452	976	103
Orange County, CA	282	8	81	1,137	188	177	353	133	259	14
San Diego, CA	412	9	118	438	227	43	371	119	64	16
Oakland, CA	314	13	179	396	393	387	451	59	363	27
Boston, MA-NH	476	789	304	241	651	57	542	278	198	253
San Francisco, CA	343	5	353	227	449	669	576	93	111	10
Dallas, TX	554	11	212	348	283	113	306	121	532	61
Riverside-San Bernardino, CA	231	4	36	174	91	380	129	82	128	32
Fort Lauderdale, FL	410	243	76	45	114	302	264	1,193	187	2,110
Newark, NJ	200	601	225	166	253	87	273	806	253	470
Atlanta, GA	527	68	147	504	274	164	460	261	330	290
Philadelphia, PA-NJ	300	231	772	583	470	154	356	160	277	334
Detroit, MI	718	12	170	146	294	11	345	46	391	49
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA	652	1	1,683	457	713	45	306	49	112	12
Bergen-Passaic, NJ	85	1,248	247	1,010	323	32	121	799	140	378
Middlesex-Somerset-Hunterdon, NJ	128	551	201	171	214	75	185	207	376	81
Phoenix-Mesa, AZ	495	18	27	92	97	61	259	64	48	8
Nassau-Suffolk, NY	103	537	105	211	200	42	153	440	406	441
Sacramento, CA	138	-	2,266	90	543	67	132	30	142	6
Jersey City, NJ	41	788	47	90	84	111	86	476	257	37
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton, FL	230	73	26	12	57	191	185	385	25	589
Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI	279	20	318	160	402	28	142	93	103	37
Portland-Vancouver, OR-WA	201	3	1,456	194	564	23	149	28	67	6
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	366	103	105	73	99	53	245	357	41	128
Las Vegas, NV-AZ	220	24	16	113	36	153	104	77	43	9
Denver, CO	237	8	208	142	309	31	246	62	91	7
Orlando, FL	155	157	39	41	86	72	235	387	103	290
El Paso, TX	21	4	2	26	5	3	14	6	6	3
Fort Worth-Arlington, TX	134	12	23	72	62	21	82	56	130	13
Baltimore, MD	124	31	203	414	224	8	115	41	234	135
Ventura, CA	103	-	9	46	48	25	102	28	43	4
St. Louis, MO-IL	107	5	136	72	128	5	93	38	97	13
Honolulu, HI	81	2	4	271	19	2	23	11	6	4
Fresno, CA	28	8	66	13	27	17	17	6	20	-
Austin-San Marcos, TX	120	2	17	58	108	86	111	43	97	6
Raleigh-Durham-Chapel Hill, NC	381	15	62	67	118	26	190	46	89	23
Cleveland-Lorain-Elyria, OH	103	17	425	42	235	18	97	31	49	47
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, TX	20	2	-	4	-	3	5	10	2	3
Hartford, CT	132	84	84	45	77	14	75	79	115	384
Milwaukee-Waukesha, WI	83	8	105	41	134	24	68	42	95	32
Columbus, OH	138	24	136	49	98	12	77	24	42	21
Salt Lake City-Ogden, UT	118	7	63	44	98	18	68	39	25	9
San Antonio, TX	81	5	26	43	43	38	45	44	28	5
Salinas, CA	34	1	6	31	20	6	22	11	1	-
Other MSA	6,530	4,081	4,412	2,815	4,979	1,175	4,620	2,528	2,525	1,687
Non-MSA	2,161	553	789	898	1,267	400	1,289	419	438	262
Unknown	9	3	3	7	4	3	2	1	-	3

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TABLE 18. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY LEADING COUNTRY OF BIRTH AND LEADING METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA OF INTENDED RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued

Metropolitan statistical area ¹	Guatemala	Taiwan	Poland	Peru	Iran	Germany	Ecuador	Japan	Brazil	Other
Total	13,567	12,171	11,818	11,131	10,497	9,886	9,706	9,619	9,505	242,577
Los Angeles-Long Beach, CA	4,458	2,673	138	926	2,149	437	420	1,401	423	15,063
New York, NY	477	484	1,935	1,020	232	455	3,665	802	599	34,541
Miami, FL	317	39	26	1,110	46	87	467	36	719	5,430
Chicago, IL	433	248	4,120	141	282	310	378	252	144	9,496
Washington, DC-MD-VA-WV	753	418	69	1,054	876	252	195	216	304	13,632
San Jose, CA	44	1,725	45	100	595	343	10	460	108	4,232
Houston, TX	319	366	33	160	285	126	101	61	114	4,701
Orange County, CA	347	615	40	214	779	127	56	426	111	3,258
San Diego, CA	140	190	46	99	343	192	18	364	183	3,399
Oakland, CA	161	728	57	176	303	181	11	229	124	3,915
Boston, MA-NH	402	142	120	134	112	247	58	196	972	6,649
San Francisco, CA	209	351	43	171	195	287	17	390	165	4,487
Dallas, TX	136	232	36	101	286	96	29	72	97	3,574
Riverside-San Bernardino, CA	351	243	22	145	98	90	50	70	60	1,978
Fort Lauderdale, FL	71	14	58	529	47	76	210	40	683	3,535
Newark, NJ	213	172	383	452	43	89	781	39	435	4,412
Atlanta, GA	89	185	54	111	213	227	45	127	162	5,185
Philadelphia, PA-NJ	79	80	198	70	75	168	51	67	98	4,693
Detroit, MI	31	87	229	13	92	249	11	116	48	6,547
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA	40	220	38	51	205	143	11	316	59	3,872
Bergen-Passaic, NJ	66	95	789	777	82	71	269	151	154	3,226
Middlesex-Somerset-Hunterdon, NJ	75	255	214	190	32	65	118	33	106	2,383
Phoenix-Mesa, AZ	143	88	41	48	138	146	23	68	36	2,082
Nassau-Suffolk, NY	233	105	279	249	168	72	326	79	68	2,621
Sacramento, CA	15	79	15	24	160	61	8	55	39	2,737
Jersey City, NJ	129	29	130	431	15	25	805	57	182	2,171
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton, FL	72	14	54	127	27	67	63	12	175	1,713
Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI	83	38	34	40	89	89	96	48	32	4,275
Portland-Vancouver, OR-WA	110	65	21	35	103	99	9	130	35	2,211
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	40	28	108	150	59	178	74	34	134	2,383
Las Vegas, NV-AZ	126	60	18	59	55	48	14	86	43	1,428
Denver, CO	50	42	45	65	84	85	22	103	46	1,782
Orlando, FL	32	24	13	122	47	58	112	35	275	1,834
El Paso, TX	14	9	1	4	2	44	3	3	8	120
Fort Worth-Arlington, TX	22	50	10	34	57	69	6	22	26	1,201
Baltimore, MD	53	33	36	53	115	69	19	40	39	1,936
Ventura, CA	97	45	11	41	82	33	8	49	20	565
St. Louis, MO-IL	59	39	16	12	41	112	6	25	18	1,218
Honolulu, HI	3	64	10	4	9	20	5	501	25	639
Fresno, CA	22	20	1	8	17	16	1	9	5	638
Austin-San Marcos, TX	41	77	7	24	64	64	4	51	41	873
Raleigh-Durham-Chapel Hill, NC	45	52	13	15	55	71	21	27	50	1,398
Cleveland-Lorain-Elyria, OH	13	32	89	24	20	70	4	28	16	1,625
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, TX	6	5	-	7	-	3	1	9	1	74
Hartford, CT	18	18	388	135	28	37	19	12	42	1,031
Milwaukee-Waukesha, WI	37	14	49	22	41	49	6	24	19	1,196
Columbus, OH	17	56	21	16	32	51	5	56	20	1,862
Salt Lake City-Ogden, UT	38	41	12	80	55	68	16	48	89	1,079
San Antonio, TX	27	12	10	20	25	37	5	13	9	390
Salinas, CA	13	11	2	14	16	15	3	26	11	197
Other MSA	2,232	1,237	1,391	1,255	1,402	2,938	920	1,513	1,792	44,504
Non-MSA	564	217	295	265	121	872	131	592	338	8,539
Unknown	2	5	5	4	-	2	-	-	3	47

¹ Ranked by the number of immigrants. See Glossary for definition of metropolitan statistical area.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 19. IMMIGRANTS AND IMMIGRANT BENEFICIARIES OF OCCUPATIONAL PREFERENCES
ADMITTED BY TYPE OF ADMISSION AND OCCUPATION
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Occupation	All immigrants	Employment-based principals							All other immigrants
		Total	1st pref.	2nd pref.	3rd pref. (skilled worker or professional)	3rd pref. (other workers)	4th pref.	5th pref.	
All occupations	1,064,318	83,145	17,062	20,623	39,451	2,089	3,855	65	981,173
Professional specialty and technical occupations	83,839	46,415	5,879	16,611	21,092	31	2,799	3	37,424
Architects and surveyors	6,403	2,151	227	987	929	2	6	-	4,252
Counselors (educational and vocational)	127	25	4	8	13	-	-	-	102
Engineers and mapping scientists	16,089	12,525	1,021	6,327	5,174	-	2	1	3,564
Aerospace engineers	63	33	7	15	11	-	-	-	30
Agricultural engineers	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Chemical engineers, including nuclear and petrochemical	147	123	33	60	30	-	-	-	24
Civil engineers	196	150	12	66	71	-	1	-	46
Electrical and electronic engineers	3,606	3,150	208	1,704	1,238	-	-	-	456
Industrial engineers	479	324	26	176	122	-	-	-	155
Mechanical engineers, including marine engineers and naval architects	532	465	55	222	188	-	-	-	67
Metallurgical and materials engineers, including mining	6,320	5,349	355	2,492	2,501	-	-	1	971
Engineers, unspecified or not elsewhere classified ..	4,745	2,931	325	1,592	1,013	-	1	-	1,814
Health assessment and treating occupations	7,693	4,939	34	46	4,854	5	-	-	2,754
Nurses	6,108	3,728	22	9	3,693	4	-	-	2,380
Pharmacists, dieticians, physician's assistants, and therapists (other than physical therapists)	554	302	12	35	254	1	-	-	252
Physical therapists	1,031	909	-	2	907	-	-	-	122
Health diagnosing or treating occupations	6,053	1,340	241	880	213	-	4	2	4,713
Doctors	4,040	1,019	210	755	50	-	2	2	3,021
Dentists, optometrists, podiatrists, and other health diagnosing or treating occupations	2,013	321	31	125	163	-	2	-	1,692
Lawyers and judges	992	81	14	47	19	-	1	-	911
Librarians, archivists, and curators	79	30	3	18	9	-	-	-	49
Mathematical and computer scientists	12,712	10,092	419	4,220	5,447	4	2	-	2,620
Natural scientists	4,582	3,585	1,891	1,533	161	-	-	-	997
Life scientists	2,135	1,795	879	847	69	-	-	-	340
Physical scientists	2,447	1,790	1,012	686	92	-	-	-	657
Social, recreation, and religious workers	3,668	2,855	4	22	54	2	2,773	-	813
Social scientists and urban planners	534	205	75	85	44	-	1	-	329
Teachers, college and university	3,884	1,430	682	617	129	-	2	-	2,454
Teachers, except college and university	4,821	492	68	86	334	4	-	-	4,329
Technologists and technicians	12,073	5,115	203	1,665	3,228	11	8	-	6,958
Writers, artists, entertainers, and athletes	4,129	1,550	993	70	484	3	-	-	2,579
Athletes and related workers	288	204	138	8	57	1	-	-	84
Editors, reporters, public relation specialists, and announcers	153	90	17	9	64	-	-	-	63
Performers	117	70	62	2	6	-	-	-	47
Writers, artists, and composers	3,571	1,186	776	51	357	2	-	-	2,385
Executive, administrative, and managerial occupations	27,833	14,139	9,128	1,412	3,489	32	42	36	13,694
Administrative support occupations, including clerical	16,133	671	52	50	476	20	73	-	15,462
Sales occupations	15,684	668	74	62	493	29	8	2	15,016

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**TABLE 19. IMMIGRANTS AND IMMIGRANT BENEFICIARIES OF OCCUPATIONAL PREFERENCES
ADMITTED BY TYPE OF ADMISSION AND OCCUPATION
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Occupation	All immigrants	Employment-based principals							All other immigrants
		Total	1st pref.	2nd pref.	3rd pref. (skilled worker or professional)	3rd pref. (other workers)	4th pref.	5th pref.	
Farming, forestry, and fishing occupations	9,140	219	5	3	182	28	1	-	8,921
Agricultural occupations, including horticultural and marine life	8,663	210	5	3	175	26	1	-	8,453
Fishers, hunters, and trappers	266	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	264
Forestry and logging occupations	211	7	-	-	5	2	-	-	204
Operators, fabricators, and laborers	34,033	854	6	8	697	128	15	-	33,179
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	20,421	492	3	4	382	90	13	-	19,929
Machine operators and tenders, except precision	7,373	272	1	4	247	19	1	-	7,101
Transportation and material moving occupations	6,239	90	2	-	68	19	1	-	6,149
Precision, production, craft, and repair occupations	14,837	2,812	75	88	2,587	58	4	-	12,025
Construction trades	2,861	531	4	-	523	4	-	-	2,330
Extractive occupations	263	145	61	66	17	-	1	-	118
Mechanics and repairers	2,177	626	3	2	616	5	-	-	1,551
Precision production occupations	9,536	1,510	7	20	1,431	49	3	-	8,026
Service occupations	38,727	4,886	43	22	4,018	751	52	-	33,841
Cleaning and building service occupations, except private household	3,548	215	-	2	110	103	-	-	3,333
Food and beverage preparation and service occupations, except private household	6,133	2,515	12	6	2,457	40	-	-	3,618
Health service occupations	1,311	126	3	5	100	18	-	-	1,185
Personal service occupations	1,135	166	9	1	134	22	-	-	969
Private household service occupations	26,152	1,855	18	6	1,213	567	51	-	24,297
Protective service occupations	448	9	1	2	4	1	1	-	439
Military occupations	76	3	1	-	-	1	1	-	73
No occupation	420,357	1,096	88	139	432	139	297	1	419,261
Homemakers	120,808	282	23	21	150	82	6	-	120,526
Students or children	256,618	479	54	107	113	24	180	1	256,139
Retirees	3,364	48	1	-	-	-	47	-	3,316
Unemployed	39,567	287	10	11	169	33	64	-	39,280
Unknown or not reported	403,659	11,382	1,711	2,228	5,985	872	563	23	392,277

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 20. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Region and country of birth	Total	Occupation				
		Total	Professional specialty and technical	Executive, administrative, and managerial	Sales	Administrative support
All countries	1,064,318	240,226	83,839	27,833	15,684	16,133
Europe	175,371	50,848	15,634	6,549	2,591	3,645
Albania	4,363	1,854	540	32	166	151
Andorra	1	-	-	-	-	-
Armenia	1,786	272	138	13	11	21
Austria	527	198	76	67	10	14
Azerbaijan	1,169	256	90	15	26	24
Belarus	2,909	700	247	10	56	64
Belgium	818	249	124	81	7	17
Bosnia-Herzegovina	23,640	10,154	495	140	442	316
Bulgaria	4,411	1,782	739	76	131	210
Croatia	2,862	1,146	131	32	51	33
Czech Republic	308	93	33	20	5	15
Czechoslovakia ¹	867	160	61	36	7	20
Denmark	716	277	98	101	15	15
Estonia	348	61	12	8	6	10
Finland	499	177	81	56	4	8
France	4,608	1,365	606	502	50	56
Georgia	789	172	85	9	7	18
Germany	9,886	3,051	1,183	812	165	357
Gibraltar	5	2	1	1	-	-
Greece	1,181	347	160	50	22	17
Hungary	1,273	321	163	40	12	43
Iceland	136	39	17	11	2	2
Ireland	1,522	494	199	165	9	43
Italy	3,142	776	295	213	26	42
Kazakhstan	2,315	383	107	22	27	46
Kyrgyzstan	588	115	25	2	5	9
Latvia	712	146	56	9	12	24
Liechtenstein	4	-	-	-	-	-
Lithuania	1,735	595	168	29	66	64
Luxembourg	34	13	4	5	-	4
Macedonia	924	139	39	7	13	7
Malta	57	21	7	5	1	2
Moldova	2,077	379	87	14	18	26
Monaco	9	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	1,687	550	229	210	22	32
Norway	553	193	85	48	17	22
Poland	11,818	3,351	1,196	104	114	237
Portugal	1,651	328	37	32	14	15
Romania	6,649	2,276	1,098	107	156	304
Russia	20,413	3,545	1,748	284	178	338
San Marino	1	-	-	-	-	-
Slovak Republic	812	243	83	34	11	29
Slovenia	142	38	11	9	2	3
Soviet Union ¹	2,735	481	197	31	28	41
Spain	1,726	461	244	105	17	30
Sweden	1,692	495	187	178	28	35
Switzerland	1,304	429	186	143	12	36
Tajikistan	187	49	14	-	3	6
Turkmenistan	94	30	12	3	-	6
Ukraine	20,975	4,428	1,367	135	257	350
United Kingdom	18,436	5,979	2,372	2,440	219	366
Uzbekistan	2,035	460	160	21	34	47
Yugoslavia ¹	6,240	1,775	341	82	107	70

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**TABLE 20. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	Occupation				
		Total	Professional specialty and technical	Executive, administrative, and managerial	Sales	Administrative support
Asia	349,776	102,083	50,406	13,141	6,959	5,468
Afghanistan	1,207	163	51	13	20	5
Bahrain	119	24	13	6	-	2
Bangladesh	7,171	1,993	661	75	385	98
Bhutan	5	2	1	-	-	-
Brunei	27	5	3	-	-	-
Burma	1,383	478	138	69	101	27
Cambodia	2,473	426	46	17	187	6
China, People's Republic	56,426	18,195	10,090	2,475	433	827
Cyprus	218	98	57	19	1	9
Hong Kong	8,321	3,130	1,054	938	168	468
India	70,290	27,073	19,935	3,062	842	643
Indonesia	2,541	543	262	142	33	46
Iran	10,497	2,592	1,141	360	285	169
Iraq	4,985	1,158	163	55	81	36
Israel	3,776	930	455	240	54	51
Japan	9,619	2,132	702	816	86	150
Jordan	4,593	1,029	306	186	95	56
Korea	20,742	3,634	1,481	746	255	322
Kuwait	1,270	289	124	63	25	20
Laos	1,416	188	22	3	7	3
Lebanon	4,601	839	334	124	67	42
Macau	342	117	33	35	8	11
Malaysia	2,445	768	396	174	34	37
Maldives	9	-	-	-	-	-
Mongolia	103	15	7	4	2	2
Nepal	949	308	157	21	18	21
Oman	55	6	1	1	3	-
Pakistan	16,448	4,004	1,476	950	144	85
Philippines	53,154	13,346	6,501	988	1,137	1,276
Qatar	125	12	8	1	-	-
Saudi Arabia	1,185	81	43	15	5	8
Singapore	1,108	355	196	99	7	18
Sri Lanka	1,507	514	289	79	13	41
Syria	3,368	534	221	46	41	17
Taiwan	12,171	4,102	2,362	842	294	400
Thailand	4,291	873	237	151	113	118
Turkey	3,229	1,074	522	157	75	108
United Arab Emirates	461	23	15	5	-	-
Vietnam	35,531	10,856	882	156	1,932	340
Yemen	1,615	174	21	8	8	6
Africa	53,948	15,914	5,626	1,440	1,315	1,999
Algeria	878	317	139	29	17	37
Angola	95	20	10	3	1	2
Benin	76	27	12	2	1	4
Botswana	24	2	2	-	-	-
Burkina Faso	68	14	6	3	2	2
Burundi	79	19	5	-	1	1
Cameroon	795	225	121	21	6	23
Cape Verde	872	97	11	1	6	1
Central African Republic	11	2	1	-	-	1
Chad	45	14	3	1	3	2
Comoros	2	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	148	27	13	2	1	2
Congo, Republic	313	88	33	7	6	16
Cote d'Ivoire	605	69	22	3	14	7
Djibouti	23	6	-	-	-	1
Egypt	5,182	1,426	703	232	94	163
Equatorial Guinea	3	1	-	-	-	1

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**TABLE 20. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP
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FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	Occupation				
		Total	Professional specialty and technical	Executive, administrative, and managerial	Sales	Administrative support
Eritrea	544	77	21	5	4	14
Ethiopia	5,106	1,377	323	32	170	227
Gabon	32	6	2	-	-	1
Gambia, The	391	80	6	8	15	6
Ghana	4,031	1,220	448	39	122	98
Guinea	11	1	1	-	-	-
Guinea-Bissau	274	38	11	3	2	3
Kenya	2,514	718	287	82	60	152
Lesotho	6	1	1	-	-	-
Liberia	2,285	576	105	28	51	77
Libya	224	43	28	7	1	2
Madagascar	61	10	4	2	-	2
Malawi	70	21	10	3	1	2
Mali	120	25	6	1	5	3
Mauritania	117	19	7	3	1	-
Mauritius	84	38	16	13	1	2
Morocco	4,968	1,907	437	70	92	237
Mozambique	48	14	6	1	-	4
Namibia	54	20	12	3	-	1
Niger	1,341	335	142	22	27	52
Nigeria	8,291	2,804	1,228	226	314	402
Rwanda	148	34	5	1	3	6
Sao Tome and Principe	1	-	-	-	-	-
Senegal	665	122	40	10	15	20
Seychelles	18	4	2	1	-	-
Sierra Leone	1,884	613	176	17	49	87
Somalia	3,026	714	43	6	75	37
South Africa	4,100	1,275	660	379	47	101
St. Helena	2	1	-	-	1	-
Sudan	1,655	577	188	21	43	97
Swaziland	18	4	2	1	1	-
Tanzania	477	158	58	28	12	21
Togo	489	223	49	2	12	33
Tunisia	440	83	34	14	7	4
Uganda	459	155	64	33	17	16
Western Sahara	3	1	-	-	-	-
Zambia	296	117	46	34	7	17
Zimbabwe	476	149	77	41	8	12
Oceania	6,113	1,815	681	420	121	179
American Samoa	28	8	3	1	-	1
Australia	2,830	907	423	271	42	69
Cook Islands	4	1	-	-	-	-
Fiji	1,457	421	69	32	52	70
French Polynesia	17	3	1	2	-	-
Marshall Islands	2	-	-	-	-	-
Micronesia, Federated States	9	2	-	1	-	-
New Caledonia	6	2	-	-	-	2
New Zealand	1,214	406	168	106	22	33
Niue	2	1	-	-	-	1
Northern Mariana Islands	1	-	-	-	-	-
Palau	3	-	-	-	-	-
Papua New Guinea	27	6	4	1	-	1
Samoa	171	14	3	5	3	-
Solomon Islands	7	1	-	1	-	-
Tonga	328	42	9	-	2	2
Tuvalu	1	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	5	-	-	-	-	-
Wallis and Futuna Islands	1	1	1	-	-	-

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**TABLE 20. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP
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FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	Occupation				
		Total	Professional specialty and technical	Executive, administrative, and managerial	Sales	Administrative support
North America	407,888	55,349	7,638	4,509	3,454	3,484
Canada	21,933	5,263	2,457	2,055	138	153
Greenland	4	2	-	-	-	1
Mexico	206,426	13,182	842	690	352	403
St. Pierre and Miquelon	2	1	-	-	-	-
United States	63	12	5	4	-	1
Caribbean	103,546	26,754	3,527	1,097	2,167	2,215
Anguilla	55	20	-	2	1	3
Antigua-Barbuda	463	123	18	9	11	8
Aruba	29	6	1	2	-	-
Bahamas, The	931	126	29	8	17	8
Barbados	910	191	30	18	19	22
Bermuda	99	25	11	5	-	-
British Virgin Islands	70	16	3	-	-	3
Cayman Islands	24	1	-	-	-	1
Cuba	27,703	7,408	1,084	223	586	649
Dominica	93	6	-	-	-	1
Dominican Republic	21,313	4,794	703	183	424	546
Grenada	645	138	22	12	6	7
Guadeloupe	84	10	2	4	1	-
Haiti	27,120	7,714	733	279	699	373
Jamaica	15,393	4,302	531	143	272	385
Martinique	22	4	2	-	-	1
Montserrat	61	11	6	2	-	1
Netherlands Antilles	116	13	5	5	1	-
Puerto Rico	4	2	-	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	466	147	11	13	5	19
St. Lucia	678	137	21	10	6	10
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	563	130	23	11	9	14
Trinidad and Tobago	6,665	1,427	292	168	110	164
Turks and Caicos Islands	33	2	-	-	-	-
U.S. Virgin Islands	6	1	-	-	-	-
Central America	75,914	10,135	807	663	797	711
Belize	939	93	20	7	4	17
Costa Rica	1,744	260	70	37	22	14
El Salvador	31,272	3,283	149	140	197	107
Guatemala	13,567	1,134	129	90	90	78
Honduras	6,615	986	130	56	93	143
Nicaragua	19,896	4,035	227	307	367	299
Panama	1,881	344	82	26	24	53
South America	68,888	13,832	3,697	1,693	1,224	1,330
Argentina	3,328	758	326	188	40	78
Bolivia	1,826	377	81	33	11	35
Brazil	9,505	2,047	696	468	80	121
Chile	1,947	369	136	55	23	46
Colombia	16,730	2,665	767	271	249	112
Ecuador	9,706	1,945	396	94	301	251
Falkland Islands	1	1	-	-	-	1
French Guiana	8	3	3	-	-	-
Guyana	8,303	2,423	341	138	190	324
Paraguay	408	74	17	5	1	2
Peru	11,131	2,148	514	187	259	269
Suriname	245	34	12	4	-	3
Uruguay	545	102	26	20	10	6
Venezuela	5,205	886	382	230	60	82
Unknown or not reported	2,334	385	157	81	20	28

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**TABLE 20. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP
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FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Occupation				No occupation ²	Unknown
	Precision production, craft, and repair	Operator, fabricator, and laborer	Farming, forestry, and fishing	Service		
All countries	14,837	34,033	9,140	38,727	420,433	403,659
Europe	4,546	8,650	559	8,674	63,992	60,531
Albania	151	185	137	492	2,019	490
Andorra	-	-	-	-	-	1
Armenia	16	18	1	54	496	1,018
Austria	3	2	-	26	135	194
Azerbaijan	12	32	-	57	325	588
Belarus	67	129	3	124	1,287	922
Belgium	2	6	1	11	274	295
Bosnia-Herzegovina.....	1,646	4,804	28	2,283	8,357	5,129
Bulgaria	99	69	26	432	1,602	1,027
Croatia	150	452	3	294	1,002	714
Czech Republic	5	2	-	13	90	125
Czechoslovakia ¹	10	7	1	18	159	548
Denmark	3	2	1	42	158	281
Estonia	5	5	-	15	155	132
Finland	3	3	-	22	132	190
France	22	21	3	105	1,405	1,838
Georgia	9	19	1	24	220	397
Germany	94	72	6	362	3,548	3,287
Gibraltar	-	-	-	-	2	1
Greece	15	34	7	42	297	537
Hungary	7	11	-	45	286	666
Iceland	2	1	1	3	57	40
Ireland	13	25	3	37	287	741
Italy	19	22	1	158	692	1,674
Kazakhstan	40	56	2	83	1,313	619
Kyrgyzstan	12	31	-	31	258	215
Latvia	8	12	-	25	274	292
Liechtenstein	-	-	-	-	3	1
Lithuania	38	31	7	192	636	504
Luxembourg	-	-	-	-	13	8
Macedonia	12	21	1	39	235	550
Malta	1	5	-	-	15	21
Moldova	57	92	4	81	1,079	619
Monaco	-	-	-	-	3	6
Netherlands	4	14	6	33	445	692
Norway	3	3	1	14	126	234
Poland	703	269	223	505	3,382	5,085
Portugal	79	67	22	62	446	877
Romania	96	113	13	389	2,449	1,924
Russia	199	318	4	476	10,043	6,825
San Marino	-	-	-	-	-	1
Slovak Republic.....	33	12	3	38	270	299
Slovenia	1	7	-	5	47	57
Soviet Union ¹	50	73	-	61	839	1,415
Spain	19	9	3	34	385	880
Sweden	5	12	1	49	429	768
Switzerland	13	5	2	32	423	452
Tajikistan	10	4	1	11	74	64
Turkmenistan	2	3	-	4	26	38
Ukraine	497	850	16	956	9,592	6,955
United Kingdom	103	132	13	334	5,374	7,083
Uzbekistan	33	50	2	113	782	793
Yugoslavia ¹	175	540	12	448	2,046	2,419

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AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Occupation				No occupation ²	Unknown
	Precision production, craft, and repair	Operator, fabricator, and laborer	Farming, forestry, and fishing	Service		
Asia	3,281	7,421	5,221	10,186	148,211	99,482
Afghanistan	15	21	1	37	463	581
Bahrain	-	-	-	3	67	28
Bangladesh	68	44	57	605	4,161	1,017
Bhutan	-	-	-	1	-	3
Brunei	-	1	-	1	12	10
Burma	12	46	4	81	445	460
Cambodia	43	36	19	72	1,289	758
China, People's Republic	219	1,401	1,847	903	21,451	16,780
Cyprus	4	-	-	8	29	91
Hong Kong	45	115	1	341	3,677	1,514
India	228	161	1,161	1,041	29,839	13,378
Indonesia	1	11	-	48	754	1,244
Iran	154	117	23	343	4,595	3,310
Iraq	127	468	2	226	2,378	1,449
Israel	38	22	5	65	1,297	1,549
Japan	28	5	4	341	2,728	4,759
Jordan	8	199	34	145	2,544	1,020
Korea	264	188	12	366	8,678	8,430
Kuwait	5	15	1	36	552	429
Laos	21	73	31	28	406	822
Lebanon	52	17	9	194	1,868	1,894
Macau	4	6	1	19	185	40
Malaysia	21	5	3	98	702	975
Maldives	-	-	-	-	4	5
Mongolia	-	-	-	-	34	54
Nepal	10	7	7	67	340	301
Oman	-	-	-	1	44	5
Pakistan	96	59	184	1,010	9,378	3,066
Philippines	192	868	912	1,472	24,717	15,091
Qatar	-	1	-	2	75	38
Saudi Arabia	1	3	-	6	882	222
Singapore	2	7	1	25	389	364
Sri Lanka	13	9	-	70	399	594
Syria	51	14	16	128	1,456	1,378
Taiwan	17	29	11	147	4,085	3,984
Thailand	20	32	23	179	1,557	1,861
Turkey	60	24	6	122	1,026	1,129
United Arab Emirates	1	-	-	2	385	53
Vietnam	1,459	3,314	838	1,935	14,399	10,276
Yemen	2	103	8	18	921	520
Africa	1,020	1,116	211	3,187	19,150	18,884
Algeria	13	9	6	67	248	313
Angola	-	1	-	3	18	57
Benin	1	1	-	6	25	24
Botswana	-	-	-	-	15	7
Burkina Faso	-	-	-	1	17	37
Burundi	3	7	-	2	27	33
Cameroon	4	6	6	38	352	218
Cape Verde	2	35	3	38	393	382
Central African Republic	-	-	-	-	4	5
Chad	-	1	-	4	13	18
Comoros	-	-	-	-	2	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	2	6	-	1	26	95
Congo, Republic	3	5	-	18	141	84
Cote d'Ivoire	2	3	-	18	245	291
Djibouti	1	3	-	1	13	4
Egypt	32	42	14	146	1,886	1,870
Equatorial Guinea	-	-	-	-	1	1

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 20. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Occupation				No occupation ²	Unknown
	Precision production, craft, and repair	Operator, fabricator, and laborer	Farming, forestry, and fishing	Service		
Eritrea	1	12	1	19	131	336
Ethiopia	110	96	18	401	1,635	2,094
Gabon	-	1	-	2	8	18
Gambia, The	3	9	-	33	115	196
Ghana	102	58	22	331	1,283	1,528
Guinea	-	-	-	-	1	9
Guinea-Bissau	3	5	-	11	91	145
Kenya	12	22	13	90	1,067	729
Lesotho	-	-	-	-	-	5
Liberia	29	73	5	208	886	823
Libya	-	-	-	5	95	86
Madagascar	-	-	-	2	22	29
Malawi	-	-	2	3	28	21
Mali	-	1	-	9	30	65
Mauritania	-	4	-	4	11	87
Mauritius	-	-	-	6	16	30
Morocco	368	149	34	520	1,524	1,537
Mozambique	-	1	-	2	7	27
Namibia	1	2	-	1	15	19
Niger	16	13	4	59	282	724
Nigeria	86	58	56	434	3,071	2,416
Rwanda	2	7	-	10	71	43
Sao Tome and Principe	-	-	-	-	-	1
Senegal	7	5	-	25	232	311
Seychelles	-	1	-	-	6	8
Sierra Leone	49	37	3	195	886	385
Somalia	59	297	5	192	1,331	981
South Africa	13	10	7	58	1,483	1,342
St. Helena	-	-	-	-	1	-
Sudan	21	98	6	103	696	382
Swaziland	-	-	-	-	7	7
Tanzania	4	9	3	23	152	167
Togo	57	14	-	56	136	130
Tunisia	3	5	1	15	97	260
Uganda	3	7	-	15	106	198
Western Sahara	1	-	-	-	-	2
Zambia	6	-	1	6	89	90
Zimbabwe	1	3	1	6	113	214
Oceania	64	151	46	153	1,718	2,580
American Samoa	-	1	2	-	9	11
Australia	20	19	2	61	771	1,152
Cook Islands	-	1	-	-	-	3
Fiji	20	102	20	56	578	458
French Polynesia	-	-	-	-	4	10
Marshall Islands	-	-	-	-	2	-
Micronesia, Federated States	1	-	-	-	3	4
New Caledonia	-	-	-	-	2	2
New Zealand	18	16	12	31	254	554
Niue	-	-	-	-	-	1
Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	-	-	-	1
Palau	-	-	-	-	2	1
Papua New Guinea	-	-	-	-	8	13
Samoa	-	1	1	1	24	133
Solomon Islands	-	-	-	-	2	4
Tonga	5	11	9	4	58	228
Tuvalu	-	-	-	-	-	1
Vanuatu	-	-	-	-	1	4
Wallis and Futuna Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 20. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Occupation				No occupation ²	Unknown
	Precision production, craft, and repair	Operator, fabricator, and laborer	Farming, forestry, and fishing	Service		
North America	4,774	14,744	2,706	14,040	161,718	190,821
Canada	91	116	6	247	8,191	8,479
Greenland	-	-	-	1	1	1
Mexico	865	6,464	1,169	2,397	91,052	102,192
St. Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	1	1	-
United States	-	-	-	2	27	24
Caribbean	2,763	5,479	1,287	8,219	39,859	36,933
Anguilla	2	2	1	9	26	9
Antigua-Barbuda	8	2	2	65	138	202
Aruba	-	2	-	1	4	19
Bahamas, The	1	10	-	53	388	417
Barbados	11	9	1	81	214	505
Bermuda	2	-	1	6	30	44
British Virgin Islands	1	-	-	9	34	20
Cayman Islands	-	-	-	-	14	9
Cuba	924	2,412	77	1,453	9,157	11,138
Dominica	1	-	-	4	19	68
Dominican Republic	318	1,472	275	873	10,684	5,835
Grenada	15	5	6	65	197	310
Guadeloupe	2	-	-	1	48	26
Haiti	1,165	1,223	739	2,503	10,282	9,124
Jamaica	82	158	156	2,575	5,850	5,241
Martinique	-	-	-	1	7	11
Montserrat	1	-	-	1	14	36
Netherlands Antilles	-	1	-	1	53	50
Puerto Rico	-	1	-	1	-	2
St. Kitts-Nevis	18	12	3	66	182	137
St. Lucia	14	8	13	55	266	275
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	14	6	-	53	133	300
Trinidad and Tobago	184	154	13	342	2,107	3,131
Turks and Caicos Islands	-	1	-	1	9	22
U.S. Virgin Islands	-	1	-	-	3	2
Central America	1,055	2,685	244	3,173	22,587	43,192
Belize	4	25	-	16	249	597
Costa Rica	18	49	7	43	577	907
El Salvador	341	807	102	1,440	6,949	21,040
Guatemala	110	376	58	203	4,063	8,370
Honduras	55	230	34	245	2,822	2,807
Nicaragua	524	1,128	43	1,140	7,158	8,703
Panama	3	70	-	86	769	768
South America	1,129	1,919	395	2,445	25,161	29,895
Argentina	45	31	5	45	913	1,657
Bolivia	80	47	6	84	727	722
Brazil	133	86	21	442	2,642	4,816
Chile	28	21	4	56	556	1,022
Colombia	90	926	19	231	5,727	8,338
Ecuador	295	190	94	324	4,339	3,422
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	3	2
Guyana	305	314	212	599	4,023	1,857
Paraguay	10	3	6	30	128	206
Peru	106	251	26	536	3,964	5,019
Suriname	4	7	1	3	116	95
Uruguay	9	5	-	26	119	324
Venezuela	24	38	1	69	1,904	2,415
Unknown or not reported	23	32	2	42	483	1,466

¹ Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. ² Includes homemakers, students, unemployed or retired persons. - Represents zero.

II. REFUGEES

This section presents information on persons who are admitted to the United States because of persecution abroad, including the number and characteristics of persons applying, approved, arriving, and adjusting to lawful permanent resident status.

A *refugee is an alien outside the United States who is unable or unwilling to return to his or her country of nationality because of persecution or a well-founded fear of persecution.* (See Appendix 2, p. A.2-11.)

This definition of refugee is set forth in 101(a)(42) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA), as amended by the Refugee Act of 1980, and conforms to the international definition of refugee found in the 1951 Convention relating to the Status of Refugees. In addition, the INA allows the President to designate certain nationalities who may be processed for refugee status within their homelands.

U.S. Refugee Program

The United States has resettled refugees for more than 50 years. The Displaced Persons Act of 1948 brought 400,000 Eastern Europeans to the United States. Between 1953 and 1956, the Refugee Relief Act resulted in more than 200,000 arrivals from what were then “Iron Curtain” countries. These early programs relied on immigrant visa channels to bring refugees to the United States. Beginning with the Soviet invasion of Hungary in 1956, however, U.S. refugee programs began to rely increasingly on the Attorney General’s parole authority, culminating in the parole of several hundred thousand Indochinese following the fall of South Vietnam in 1975. It was not until the enactment of the Refugee Act of 1980 that refugees entered the United States in a statutory status.

Chart C depicts initial refugee admissions and adjustments to lawful permanent resident status for the period 1946-2001. Under the INA, refugees may apply for lawful permanent resident status one year after arrival in the United States. This graph demonstrates the time lag between initial admission and adjustment to immigrant status. At the onset of parole programs there generally were no mechanisms for adjustment to permanent status, thus creating a recurring need for special legislation. The

Refugee Act of 1980 addressed this situation by including an adjustment provision. Some refugees do not apply for adjustment for several years while others never apply.

Admission ceilings

At the beginning of each fiscal year, the President, after consultation with the Congress, sets a worldwide refugee admissions ceiling. During the year, changes in the need for resettlement may require an increase in this overall limit on refugee admissions or a reallocation of the geographic or regional subceilings within the worldwide ceiling. For fiscal year 2001, the admissions subceilings were adjusted as follows:

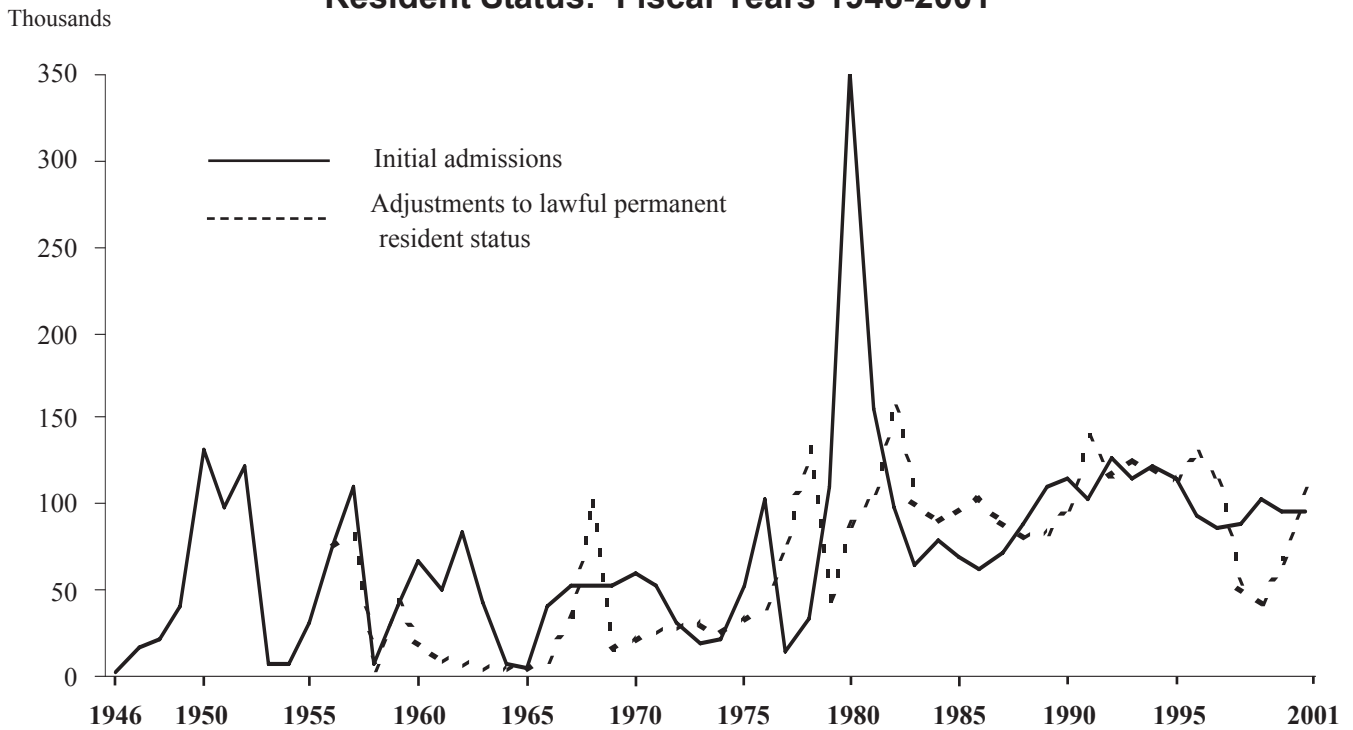
Geographic region of origin	Initial ceiling	Final ceiling
Total	80,000	80,000
Africa	20,000	21,000
East Asia	6,000	6,000
Europe	37,000	37,000
Latin America / Caribbean	3,000	3,500
Near East / South Asia	10,000	12,500
Unallocated	4,000	-

- Represents zero.

The authorized ceiling was decreased from 90,000 in 2000 to 80,000 in 2001. An unallocated and unfunded reserve of 4,000 admissions numbers was placed in the 2001 ceiling to be used if needed and if funding to support these admissions could be found within existing Department of State and Health and Human Services appropriations.

The regional subceiling for East Asia includes certain Vietnamese Amerasians, who enter the United States with immigrant visas. Although these aliens are immigrants rather than refugees, they are included in the refugee

Chart C
Refugee and Asylee Initial Admissions and Adjustments to Lawful Permanent Resident Status: Fiscal Years 1946-2001



Major refugee programs

1949-53	Displaced Persons Act	1978-84	Indochinese Refugee Adjustment Act	3/75-3/80	Indochinese refugees paroled
1954-57	Refugee Relief Act began			1980	Refugee-Parolee adjustments
11/56-7/58	Hungarians paroled	2/70-3/80	Refugee-Parolees admitted	4/80	Refugee Act admissions began
1959	Hungarian adjustments began	1/59-3/80	Cubans paroled	1981	Refugee Act adjustments began
1966-80	Refugee conditional entrants	1967	Cuban adjustments began	4/80-10/80	Mariel boatlift
				1985-87	Mariel adjustments

NOTE: For the period 1946-56, admissions to lawful permanent resident status and initial admissions were the same. See Glossary for fiscal year definitions. Source: Tables 23, 24, 27, and 32.

ceiling since they are eligible for refugee benefits in the United States. Only 379 Amerasians, including their family members, entered the United States in fiscal year 2001. They are included in the immigrant rather than the refugee tables in the *Statistical Yearbook*. Admissions under the Amerasian program are declining, since most of the eligible persons have already been identified and entered the United States.

Criteria for refugee status

During fiscal year 2001, refugees were interviewed and approved for admission to the United States by officers from 12 overseas offices. To qualify for admission to the

United States as a refugee, each applicant must meet all of the following criteria: be a refugee as set forth in section 101(a)(42) of the INA; be of special humanitarian concern to the United States; be admissible under the INA; and not be firmly resettled in any foreign country. Spouses and minor children of qualifying refugees derive status and also enter the United States as refugees, either accompanying or following to join the principal refugee. Occasionally, family members arrive in the United States as nonimmigrants independently of the principal refugee's admission. In such cases, they are processed for derivative refugee status without leaving the country. In 2001, 35 persons entered the United States this way.

Table B
Refugee-Status Applications Filed and Approved, and Refugees Admitted, by Selected Nationality: Fiscal Year 2001

Nationality	Refugee applications filed	Refugee applications approved	Refugee arrivals
All nationalities ¹	103,499	66,198	68,925
Bosnia-Herzegovina	15,814	14,854	14,593
Somalia	14,244	5,978	4,951
Ukraine	11,367	7,376	7,172
Iran.....	8,533	6,003	6,590
Sudan	7,782	6,003	5,959
Cuba.....	7,434	2,767	2,944
Liberia	6,068	2,189	3,429
Russia	5,623	3,924	4,454
Ethiopia	4,773	1,697	1,429
Afghanistan	4,076	3,505	2,930
Sierra Leone	3,579	1,249	2,004
Iraq.....	3,570	2,458	2,473
Moldova.....	2,209	1,576	1,168
Belarus.....	1,490	979	971
Uzbekistan	1,065	816	681
Croatia	1,004	1,171	1,020
Armenia	749	685	27
South Africa	554	485	-
Kazakhstan	437	287	291
Azerbaijan	379	331	449
Other.....	2,749	1,865	5,390

¹ Totals are incomplete for applications filed and applications approved because of missing data on Vietnamese.
Source: Tables 22 and 24. - Represents zero.

Special program for applicants from the former Soviet Union

Beginning in 1990, administrative processing of refugee applicants residing in the former Soviet Union was shifted to the United States. Applicants from the former Soviet Union have been required to submit an initial questionnaire to the State Department's Washington Processing Center (WPC) in Rosslyn, Virginia. The WPC established interview eligibility based on information supplied on the initial questionnaires and scheduled interviews in Moscow. On the day of their interview, applicants submitted completed refugee applications to INS officers in Moscow. Since 1990, those applications were counted as filed on the interview date. Fiscal year 2000 was the last year for this process; the processing of applicants returned to the Moscow office effective in 2001.

Data Overview

Applications (Tables B, 21-22)

The number of applications for refugee status filed with the INS increased by approximately 13 percent between fiscal year 2000 (92,000) and 2001 (103,000) (Table 21). The leading countries of chargeability of the applicants were Bosnia-Herzegovina, with 15 percent of the applications, Somalia (14), Ukraine (11), Iran (8), and Sudan (8) (Table B and Table 22). Among the nationalities on Table B with at least 1,000 applications filed, the largest percentage increases in 2001 over 2000 were Ethiopia (197), Somalia (94), Afghanistan (93), Sudan (60), Iran (40), and Liberia (40). The corresponding increase for nationals of the former Soviet Union was 64 percent. The largest percentage decreases were in applications filed by nationals of Croatia (-51), Bosnia-Herzegovina (-44),

Cuba (-18), and Iraq (-14). Overall, among the five geographic regions of chargeability, applications filed by nationals from Africa and Asia increased 61 and 23 percent, respectively, in contrast to Europe and North America which decreased about 9 and 18 percent, respectively over 2000.

Approvals (Tables B, 21-23)

The total number of refugees approved for admission to the United States remained virtually the same in 2001 (66,198) as in 2000 (66,546) (Table 23). Bosnia-Herzegovina continued as the leading country for approvals despite a 24 percent decline from 2000. Nationals from the republics of the former Soviet Union had more than 16,000 applications approved in 2001 (Table 22). The other leading countries were Ukraine, Iran, Sudan, and Somalia. These countries, including the republics of the former Soviet Union (excluding Ukraine), Afghanistan, Cuba, Iraq, and Liberia, accounted for 91 percent of all refugee approvals in 2001.

Of nationals from countries with more than 1,000 approvals, Afghanistan (125 percent), Sudan (48), Ethiopia (39), and Iran (10) experienced the highest growth in approvals in 2001. On the other hand, nationals from Croatia (-56 percent), Liberia (-48), Sierra Leone (-45), and Iraq (-22) exhibited significant decreases in 2001.

All Vietnamese refugee processing centers outside Vietnam were closed at the end of 1997. Residents of former refugee camps were asked to return to Vietnam. Their cases are processed through a special program called the Resettlement Opportunity for Vietnamese Returnees (ROVR) in Vietnam. The number of cases approved by the ROVR program in 2001 was 243.

Dependents

Refugee statistics include spouses and children who are cleared to join principal refugees already in the United States, and they count against the annual ceiling. Overall, 2.1 percent of the applications and 2.0 percent of the approvals were family reunification cases. Just four countries account for 68 percent of the applications and 76 percent of the approvals: Bosnia-Herzegovina, Iraq, Somalia, and Yugoslavia.

Arrivals (Tables B, 23-24)

Refugee arrivals into the United States decreased from 72,143 in fiscal year 2000 to 68,925 in fiscal year 2001 (Tables B, 23, and 24). This decrease was largely due to

More than 68,000 refugees arrived in the United States during 2001.

the decreases in refugee arrivals from Bosnia-Herzegovina and Croatia. The leading countries for refugee arrivals in 2001 were Bosnia-Herzegovina (14,593), Ukraine (7,172), Iran (6,590), Sudan (5,959), and Somalia (4,951)—comprising 57 percent of the total. Nationals from the former Soviet Union (15,527) accounted for 23 percent.¹ The time lag between approval of a refugee application and the refugee's arrival in the United States may be several months or more. After approval, refugees must undergo health and security clearances, have sponsorship and placement arranged, and in some cases go through orientation and English language training. This time lag accounts for the discrepancies between approval and arrival figures in any given year.

Understanding the Data

Data Collection

The Immigration and Naturalization Service collects data on refugees at three points during processing: when they apply for refugee status abroad; when they are admitted to the United States; and when they adjust to lawful permanent resident status. The INS overseas offices collect data on applicants for refugee status. Each office completes INS Form G-319, *Report of Applicants for Refugee Status under Section 207*, which reports refugee casework by the country to which each applicant is chargeable.

Both the Bureau for Refugee Programs (Department of State) and the Office of Refugee Resettlement (Department of Health and Human Services) collect data on refugees admitted to the United States. The Bureau for Refugee Programs collects data through the Intergovernmental Organization for Migration, which is a nongovernmental organization that arranges the transportation of refugees to the United States. The Office of Refugee Resettlement, responsible for the disbursement of funds for refugee benefits, collects detailed data on the characteristics of refugees at the time they are initially admitted to the United States.

¹ Ukraine is included in the former Soviet Union. The leading countries listed in the text plus the former Soviet Union accounted for 69 percent of all refugee arrivals in fiscal year 2001.

The Immigration and Naturalization Service collects data on refugees adjusting to lawful permanent resident status as part of its immigrant data series gathered by the Computer Linked Application Information Management Systems (CLAIMS). The data collected include demographic variables as well as immigration-oriented variables (see Immigrants section). The adjustment stage is the only point in the refugee process where the INS collects detailed information about the characteristics of refugees.

Limitations of Data

After careful consideration of the reporting requirements and limitations of data collected by the INS, it was decided that the *INS Statistical Yearbook* would present refugee arrival statistics from the Bureau for Refugee Programs, Department of State. This source counts the actual number of refugees arriving in the United States in each fiscal year. Comparison of refugee arrival data from editions of the *Yearbook* prior to 1996 with the present edition must be

made with caution. From 1987 to 1995 refugee arrival data presented in the *Yearbook* were derived from the INS's Nonimmigrant Information System (NIIS). This system compiles refugee arrival data by country of citizenship on a monthly basis from INS Form I-94, *Arrival/Departure Record* (see Nonimmigrants section). However, since this system records each entry of a person with nonimmigrant status, a refugee traveling abroad and returning to the United States may be counted more than once during a fiscal year.

As indicated in the footnotes to Tables 21-23, refugee data on the status of applications for Vietnam are incomplete. Data account only for Vietnamese processed by the Resettlement Opportunity for Vietnamese Returnees (ROVR) program. Data are not available for refugees processed under other Vietnamese in-country programs that dealt with former reeducation camp detainees and adult children of formerly admitted refugees. Admissions of refugees from Vietnam were 2,730 in 2001.

Refugee detailed tables are located at the end of the Asylées text section.

III. ASYLEES

This section presents information on persons who come to the United States to seek asylum from persecution abroad, including the number and characteristics of persons who filed, were granted asylum, and adjusted to lawful permanent resident status.

An asylee is an alien in the United States who is unable or unwilling to return to his or her country of nationality because of persecution or a well-founded fear of persecution. (See Appendix 2, p. A.2-2.)

An asylee must meet the same criteria as a refugee; the only difference is the location of the person upon application—the potential asylee is in the United States or applying for admission at a port of entry, and the potential refugee is outside the United States. The Immigration and Nationality Act, as amended by the Refugee Act of 1980, regulates U.S. asylum policy as well as governing refugee procedures. The Act, for the first time, established a statutory basis for granting asylum in the United States consistent with the 1951 Convention Relating to the Status of Refugees.

U.S. Asylum Program

Filing of claims

Any alien physically present in the United States or at a port of entry may request asylum in the United States. According to the Refugee Act, current immigration status, whether legal or illegal, is not relevant to an applicant's asylum claim. Aliens may apply for asylum in one of two ways: with an INS asylum officer; or, if apprehended, with an immigration judge as part of a removal hearing. Traditionally, aliens who appeared at ports of entry without proper documents and requested asylum were referred for exclusion hearings; however, the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act (IIRIRA) of 1996 made major revisions to the procedure, effective on April 1, 1997. Under the new law, such aliens are referred to asylum officers for credible fear interviews. These interviews are not formal asylum hearings. The purpose of the interviews is to determine whether aliens have credible fear of persecution or torture and are thus eligible to apply for asylum or withholding of removal before an immigration judge. In credible fear interviews, aliens only need to show that there is a significant possibility that they might establish eligibility for asylum. To be granted

asylum, aliens must show they have been persecuted in the past or have a well-founded fear of persecution. An alien may request that an immigration judge review a negative determination by the INS on a credible fear claim. The data reported in this section pertain only to asylum cases filed with INS asylum officers. Aliens denied asylum by the INS may renew asylum claims with an immigration judge once they are in removal proceedings.

Adjudication of claims

On April 2, 1991 the Asylum Officer Corps (AOC) assumed responsibility within the INS for the adjudication of asylum claims that were filed with the INS. Before that date, examiners had heard such claims in INS district offices. During fiscal year 2001, asylum officers worked from eight sites in the United States—Arlington (Va), Chicago, Houston, Los Angeles, Miami, New York City, Newark (NJ), and San Francisco. Asylum officers traveled to other INS offices to interview applicants who did not live near these locations.

In March 1994 the INS published proposed regulations designed to streamline the asylum decision process, discourage the filing of frivolous claims, and in cases of claims that do not appear to meet the standards for granting asylum, integrate the work of asylum officers with the work of the immigration judges in the Executive Office for Immigration Review (EOIR), an independent Justice Department agency. The final asylum reform regulations were published in December 1994, and took effect on January 4, 1995.

Under asylum reform, the INS standard is to conduct the asylum interview within 43 days after the claim is filed, and to identify and grant those cases that have merit (generally in 60 days from the date of filing the application). If the INS asylum officer does not grant the claim, the applicant is referred immediately for removal proceedings before EOIR (unless the alien is still in a legal status). The immigration

judge may grant the claim or may issue a denial and an order of removal. Under this system, INS asylum officers issue relatively few denials, but an interview followed by a referral to EOIR represents the asylum officer's judgment that the application is not readily grantable. The INS will issue a denial (and cannot refer the case) when the applicant is still in a legal status. An applicant who fails without good cause to keep a scheduled appointment for an asylum interview is referred immediately to EOIR for removal proceedings, one type of case closure.

Beginning in 1997, the AOC also began conducting credible fear interviews as required by IIRIRA and interviewing applicants for refugee status at INS overseas locations.

More than 63,200 applications for asylum in the United States were received during 2001.

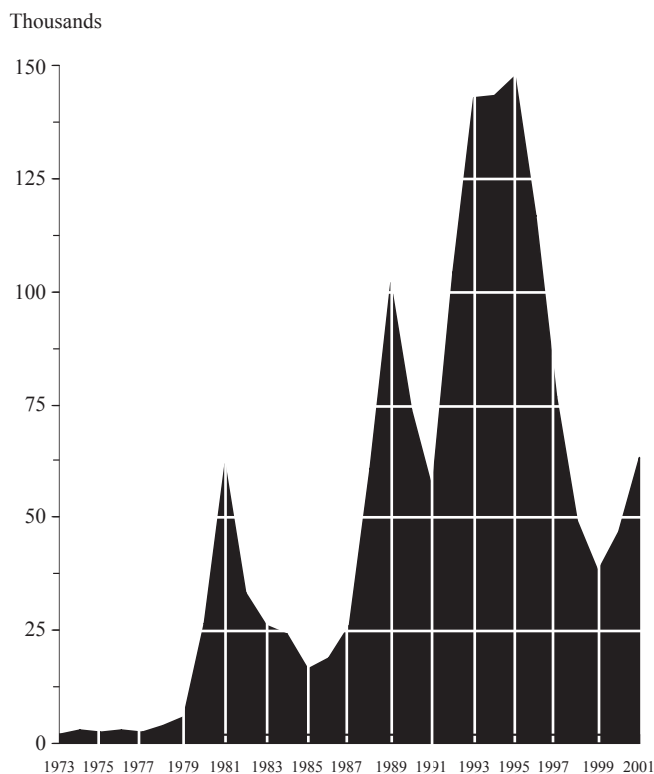
Data Overview

Applications filed (Chart D, Tables 25, 27)

The annual number of asylum applications (cases) filed with the INS has fluctuated greatly since the effective date of the Refugee Act of 1980, as shown in Chart D. In fiscal year 2001, 63,230 asylum cases were filed or reopened (received) involving 87,263 principals, spouses, and children. The number of cases increased by 36 percent in 2001 from 46,657 in 2000 (Table 25) while the number of individuals included in these cases grew in 2001 by 41 percent.

In fiscal year 2001, 59,369 new claims (cases) for asylum were filed with the INS. Principals from Mexico made the most new claims (8,980), followed by the People's Republic of China (8,137), Colombia (7,307), Haiti (5,036), and Armenia (2,239) (Table 27). New claims in 2001 grew the most from Mexico (5,225), Colombia (4,575), and the People's Republic of China (2,392). The largest declines in new claims were experienced by nationals of Somalia (-591) and El Salvador (-280). Principals from the former Soviet Union filed 4,558 new claims, 17 percent more than in 2000; 49 percent were from Armenia and 17 percent from Russia. A male was the principal in nearly 64 percent (37,712) of the new claims filed.

Chart D
Asylum Applications Received by the INS:
Fiscal Years 1973-2001



NOTE: See Glossary for fiscal year definitions. Source: Table 25.

Nearly 5,000 asylum cases were reopened in 2001 (including 1,080 cases that were both new and reopened during the year).

The number of reopened cases in fiscal year 2001 was about 74 percent of the cases reopened in 2000. Cases that were administratively closed are automatically reopened when aliens apply for renewal of their employment authorization. These reopened cases were applications filed prior to the asylum reforms of 1995, where the cases were administratively closed due to a failure to appear for the asylum interview. An interview is automatically rescheduled at the same time the cases are reopened. Some of these reopened cases may qualify under the terms of the American Baptist Churches (ABC) vs. Thornburgh settlement, the result of a class action lawsuit permitting many nationals of El Salvador and Guatemala to file or renew their claims for asylum.

With respect to principals, spouses, and children on applications filed (new and reopened) during 2001, the largest increases were from Colombia (9,261) and Mexico (8,022). On the other hand, nationals from Somalia (-694), El Salvador (-334), and Cuba (-325) experienced the largest decreases. About 57 percent of all individuals involved in new or reopened claims are male.

Trends in asylum applications filed by nationals from Central America

For over a decade, nationals from Central America dominated the annual number of asylum applications filed in the United States. From 1986 to 1992, Central Americans filed about half of all asylum applications. By 1993 and 1994 that percentage had fallen to about 40 percent of total applications filed. Then, the number of applicants from Central America surged to new heights in the next two years, with well over half of all asylum applicants. Beginning in 1997, the numbers started a sharp decline largely due to the termination of the filing period under the terms of the *American Baptist Churches vs. Thornburgh* settlement. As a result, Central American principals accounted for only about 3 percent of new claims and 5 percent of claims filed and reopened in 2001.

During the 1990s, the trend in asylum claims filed or reopened from Central America has been driven in large part by ABC cases. Under the terms of this 1991 class action lawsuit settlement agreement [*American Baptist Churches vs. Thornburgh*, 760 F. Supp. 796 (N.D. Cal. 1991)], many nationals of El Salvador and Guatemala were allowed to file or renew their claims for asylum. Nationals of Guatemala had a filing deadline of March 31, 1992, which was the peak year for claims from this country (although the INS allowed them to file until January 3, 1995). The 187,000 Salvadorans who had registered for Temporary Protected Status (TPS) in 1991 became eligible to file for asylum at the expiration of their TPS period in 1992. They were later granted additional time under deferred enforced departure periods which extended until December 1994, and they ultimately had until January 31, 1996 to apply for asylum under the ABC agreement. The number of ABC claims filed by principals from El Salvador surged during fiscal year 1996 before the filing deadline. These claims are heard under the pre-reform regulations as well as other stipulations of the settlement agreement. Applications filed after the ABC filing deadline were processed as reform filings, except those ABC cases that were closed by the EOIR or federal courts

and were not previously filed with the INS. Under the settlement, once the INS identifies the latter cases, they are treated as ABC filings instead of reform filings. During 2001, 573 cases were identified as either filed or reopened as ABC cases, compared with 722 in 2000.

On November 19, 1997 the Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act (NACARA) was signed into law. Section 203 of the NACARA permits certain Guatemalans, Salvadorans, and nationals of former Soviet bloc countries to apply for suspension of deportation or special rule cancellation of removal under the more generous standards in effect before the 1996 immigration law. Individuals granted relief under NACARA 203 are permitted to remain in the United States as lawful permanent resident aliens. All persons eligible for ABC benefits with asylum applications pending with the INS, also are eligible to apply for the NACARA benefits with the INS Asylum Program. Certain qualifying family members may also apply for NACARA benefits. In fiscal year 2001 there were 30,107 applications filed under NACARA 203 provisions compared to almost 57,000 in 2000. There were 18,012 cases granted and 72,121 pending applications at the end of the fiscal year compared to about 9,000 and 62,000, respectively, in 2000.

Cases completed (Tables 25, 27, 28)

During fiscal year 2001, the Asylum Officer Corps completed work on 67,935 claims and adjudicated about 69 percent (47,043) of them (Table 25). The remaining 31 percent were administratively closed or referred to an immigration judge with or without an interview prior to the expiration of the filing deadline. The number of cases approved in 2001 was 20,306, representing 43 percent of the cases adjudicated. The corresponding approval rate was 44 percent in 2000. The cases approved represented 28,728 individuals—principals, spouses, and children (Tables 27 and 28). The principals on the cases approved were in rank order by nationality: Colombia (5,672 granted cases), the People's Republic of China (4,803), Armenia (1,432), Burma (1,312), and Somalia (1,248) (Table 27).

There are special procedures for adjudicating cases based on coercive population control. Section 601 of the IIRIRA stipulates that a person qualifies as a refugee or asylee persecuted for political opinion if forced to undergo, has a well founded fear of being compelled to undergo, or resists a coercive population-control

procedure. It sets a combined annual ceiling of 1,000 persons who may be granted refugee or asylee status under this provision. Both the INS and the Executive Office for Immigration Review (EOIR) grant conditional asylee status to qualified applicants each year under this provision—status that is not subject to the 1,000 annual ceiling (currently, there are more than 1,000 conditional grants in a year). At the beginning of a new fiscal year, the INS Asylum Division issues 1,000 final grants—counted toward the annual ceiling of the previous year—to those who have received a conditional asylee status from either agency in previous fiscal years. The selection criterion for final grants is the date of the conditional grants. Those who received their conditional grants earlier would receive their final grants first. At the beginning of fiscal year 2002, the INS issued the 1,000 fiscal year 2001 final grants for asylum status to 337 individuals who received their conditional grants from the INS, 629 whose conditional grants were made by immigration judges, and 34 whose conditional grants were made by the Board of Immigration Appeals. The People’s Republic of China was the country of origin of all grants. No one was granted refugee status in fiscal year 2001 based on coercive population-control measures.

Cases pending

The number of asylum cases pending adjudication decreased about 1 percent between the beginning (335,000) and the end (331,000) of fiscal year 2001. Of total pending cases, approximately 286,000 will potentially qualify the asylum applicants for lawful permanent residence under NACARA or the Haitian Refugee Immigration Fairness Act (HRIFA) of 1998. Cases filed by nationals of El Salvador (49 percent of total pending), Guatemala (29), Haiti (5), and Nicaragua (4), accounted for about 87 percent of the pending cases as of the end of September 2001. The ABC cases, which also can be handled under the NACARA provisions, comprised 97 percent of the Salvadoran and Guatemalan cases filed, and 76 percent of all pending cases as of the end of September 2001. As many as 13,000 Nicaraguan and 2,000 Cuban nationals with pending cases also will be eligible for NACARA benefits. Not more than 14,000 Haitian nationals with pending cases are eligible for benefits under HRIFA.

Credible fear interviews

During fiscal year 2001, 12,961 aliens appeared at ports of entry without proper documents and requested asylum.

Most of these aliens were subsequently referred to asylum officers for credible fear interviews. Nationals of the People’s Republic of China submitted the most applications (3,818), followed by Colombia (2,199), Haiti (1,061), and Sri Lanka (974). These four countries accounted for about 62 percent of all applications in 2001. Some applicants change their mind and decide to withdraw their request for a credible fear interview before an interview takes place. The Asylum Officer Corps made 12,258 credible fear determinations in 2001, and found sufficient evidence of credible fear in 95 percent of the cases. These cases were referred to immigration judges for adjudication.

Understanding the Data

Data Collection

Prior to April 1, 1991, data on asylum applicants reflect cases filed with INS district directors and, subsequently, cases filed with INS asylum officers on Form I-589 (*Request for Asylum in the United States*). A centralized, automated data system (Refugee, Asylum, and Parole System—RAPS) supports the processing of the existing caseload and new asylum applications. The system supports case tracking, schedules and controls interviews, and generates management and statistical reports. The system reports asylum casework by nationality and other characteristics of asylum applicants. Data can be reported by case or by the number of persons covered, since a case may include more than one person. Data on asylum applicants have been collected by the INS for selected nationalities since July 1980, and for all nationalities since June 1983.

As with refugees, the Immigration and Naturalization Service collects data on asylees adjusting to lawful permanent resident status in the Computer Linked Application Information Management Systems (CLAIMS) (see Immigrants section). Adjustment to immigrant status was the only point at which detailed characteristics of asylees were collected prior to 1992. The RAPS system provides data on selected characteristics of asylum seekers and asylees at an earlier time.

The number of asylum applications filed is defined here as the sum of new applications received and applications reopened during the year. Tables 27 and 28 show the number of applications that were reopened during the year.

Most of these are cases that had been closed earlier without a decision. The tabulations also show the number of cases referred to immigration judges, with and without an interview. A referral due to failure to keep an appointment for an interview without good cause is considered comparable, for statistical purposes, to a closed case. The approval rate is calculated as the number of cases granted/approved divided by the number of cases adjudicated, which is defined as the cases granted/approved, denied, and referred to EOIR following an interview (including referrals under the filing deadline).

The data on credible fear claims are collected in the Asylum Pre-screening System (APSS). These data are not stored in RAPS and are not reflected in the detailed tables for this section.

Limitations of Data

The statistics shown here for fiscal year 2001 differ slightly from preliminary statistics released by the INS Asylum Division in October 2001. The data presented in this section were tabulated from the RAPS system eleven months after the close of fiscal year 2001 and incorporate late additions and corrections to the database. These data revisions affected prior years, particularly 2000. Therefore, numbers cited in this section for 2000 do not necessarily match the corresponding numbers in the fiscal year 2000 *Yearbook*. Since asylum claimants can reopen a case, some of the decisions categorized in the detailed tables in this edition of the *Yearbook* are possibly a change from a completion category in some previous fiscal year. In addition, technical limitations of the data file used to produce these tables preclude a precise count of the number

of pending applications at either the beginning of a fiscal year or the end of the year. That is because reopened cases in the data file do not indicate the date the cases were previously considered complete.

Data on applicants for asylum collected by the Immigration and Naturalization Service historically have covered only cases filed with the INS. Information has not been available on cases filed by aliens after the INS has placed the alien in removal proceedings before an immigration judge in the Executive Office for Immigration Review (EOIR). The two agencies are working to integrate their data systems to provide these data in the future. Asylum was granted by EOIR to approximately 9,800 individuals in 2001; therefore, the total number of individuals granted asylum by both agencies was about 38,500, compared to 32,000 in 2000.

Principal applicants whose asylum applications are successful can apply for their spouses and minor children, whether they are in the United States or abroad, and these relatives also receive status as asylees. The RAPS system collects information on the spouses and children of asylum applicants only if they are included on the principal's application. Information regarding relatives whose principals petition for them after receiving asylum is collected by CLAIMS and is not included in any table in this publication. The data collected by the INS at the time asylees adjust to permanent resident status include all aliens who adjust regardless of whether they were granted asylum by the INS, immigration judges, or the Board of Immigration Appeals. Adjustment data also include all spouses and children of persons granted asylum.

TABLE 21. REFUGEE-STATUS APPLICATIONS: FISCAL YEARS 1980-2001

Year	Applications filed during year	Applications approved during year	Applications denied during year	Applications otherwise closed during year
1980 (April-Sept.)	95,241	89,580	6,149	1,197
1981-85	527,315	427,831	85,170	15,564
1981	178,273	155,291	15,322	3,998
1982	76,150	61,527	14,943	6,631
1983	92,522	73,645	20,255	2,489
1984	99,636	77,932	16,220	604
1985	80,734	59,436	18,430	1,842
1986-90	584,005	389,094	98,395	44,029
1986	67,310	52,081	9,679	3,362
1987	85,823	61,529	13,911	6,126
1988	105,024	80,282	11,821	5,632
1989	190,597	95,505	33,179	4,005
1990	135,251	99,697	29,805	24,904
1991-95	670,245	513,391	100,779	71,323
1991	123,492	107,962	12,644	5,700
1992	133,786	115,330	14,886	6,780
1993	127,676	106,026	20,280	5,107
1994	142,068	105,137	20,557	19,485
1995	143,223	78,936	32,412	34,251
1996-2000 ¹	606,816	377,427	120,147	100,467
1996	155,868	74,491	26,317	59,589
1997	122,741	77,600	22,725	17,270
1998	124,777	73,198	31,001	6,768
1999	111,576	85,592	19,094	6,358
2000 ¹	91,854	66,546	21,010	10,482
2001 ¹	103,499	66,198	19,812	7,479

¹ Data for Vietnam are incomplete. Data represent only Vietnamese processed by the Resettlement Opportunity for Vietnamese Returnees (ROVR) Program. Data are unavailable for refugees processed under other Vietnam in-country programs that dealt with former reeducation camp detainees and adult children of formerly admitted refugees.

NOTE: Data for applications pending at the beginning and end of the fiscal year are not shown in this *Yearbook* edition. For that information, pertaining to fiscal years 1980-2000, consult the 2000 edition of the *Statistical Yearbook*. The Refugee Act of 1980 went into effect April 1, 1980.

**TABLE 22. REFUGEE-STATUS APPLICATIONS BY GEOGRAPHIC AREA AND COUNTRY OF CHARGEABILITY
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Geographic area and country of chargeability	Applications filed during year	Applications approved during year	Applications denied during year	Applications otherwise closed during year
All countries	103,499	66,198	19,812	7,479
Europe	41,112	32,686	9,025	2,756
Albania	3	-	-	-
Armenia	749	685	34	-
Azerbaijan	379	331	26	-
Belarus	1,490	979	148	-
Bosnia-Herzegovina	15,814	14,854	6,211	2,648
Croatia	1,004	1,171	58	100
Estonia	94	55	17	-
Georgia	114	101	6	-
Kazakhstan	437	287	60	-
Kyrgyzstan	320	209	64	-
Latvia	190	124	13	-
Lithuania	16	9	4	-
Moldova	2,209	1,576	268	-
Poland	6	4	-	-
Russia	5,623	3,924	552	-
Tajikistan	24	16	2	-
Turkmenistan	12	12	-	-
Ukraine	11,367	7,376	1,464	-
Uzbekistan	1,065	816	97	1
Yugoslavia ¹	196	157	1	7
Asia	16,606	12,268	3,226	540
Afghanistan	4,076	3,505	329	58
Bahrain	10	10	-	-
Burma	33	28	3	-
China, People's Republic	6	4	1	1
Iran	8,533	6,003	1,923	140
Iraq	3,570	2,458	854	338
Kuwait	1	-	-	-
Lebanon	2	-	1	-
Pakistan	1	-	1	-
Sri Lanka	6	6	-	-
Syria	8	8	-	-
Thailand	1	1	-	-
Vietnam ²	330	244	86	-
Yemen	29	1	28	3
Africa	38,305	18,441	4,534	2,510
Algeria	31	9	21	1
Angola	17	18	2	14
Benin	1	-	-	-
Burundi	161	122	11	4
Cameroon	-	1	-	-
Central African Republic	1	1	-	1
Chad	3	2	-	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	315	240	19	30
Congo, Republic	29	3	-	1
Cote d'Ivoire	3	-	-	3
Djibouti	-	12	1	4
Egypt	10	8	-	-
Equatorial Guinea	4	2	-	2

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 22. REFUGEE-STATUS APPLICATIONS BY GEOGRAPHIC AREA AND COUNTRY OF CHARGEABILITY
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Geographic area and country of chargeability	Applications filed during year	Applications approved during year	Applications denied during year	Applications otherwise closed during year
Eritrea	199	62	22	6
Ethiopia	4,773	1,697	385	232
Gambia, The	1	-	-	4
Ghana	12	2	-	3
Guinea-Bissau	7	4	-	-
Kenya	2	-	-	-
Liberia	6,068	2,189	995	684
Libya	-	5	-	-
Mauritania	2	2	-	-
Morocco	1	-	-	-
Namibia	-	4	-	-
Nigeria	140	82	23	21
Rwanda	202	97	54	11
Sierra Leone	3,579	1,249	330	187
Somalia	14,244	5,978	1,729	628
South Africa	554	485	50	19
Sudan	7,782	6,003	730	637
Tanzania	13	13	-	-
Togo	102	108	156	18
Tunisia	19	17	2	-
Uganda	13	9	4	-
Zimbabwe	17	17	-	-
North America	7,434	2,767	3,021	1,673
Caribbean	7,434	2,767	3,021	1,673
Cuba	7,434	2,767	3,021	1,673
South America	1	1	-	-
Colombia	1	1	-	-
Not reported	41	35	6	-

¹ Data are for unknown republic and exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.

² Data for Vietnam are incomplete. Data represent only Vietnamese processed by the Resettlement Opportunity for Vietnamese Returnees (ROVR) Program. Data are unavailable for refugees processed under other Vietnam in-country programs that dealt with former reeducation camp detainees and adult children of formerly admitted refugees.

NOTE: Data for applications pending at the beginning and end of the fiscal year are not shown in this *Yearbook* edition. For that information, pertaining to prior fiscal years, consult prior editions of the *Yearbook*.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 23. REFUGEE APPROVALS AND ARRIVALS BY GEOGRAPHIC AREA OF CHARGEABILITY
FISCAL YEARS 1997-2001**

Geographic area of chargeability	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Authorized admissions ¹	78,000	83,000	91,000	90,000	80,000
Africa	7,000	7,000	13,000	18,000	21,000
East Asia	10,000	14,000	10,500	8,000	6,000
Europe	52,500	54,000	61,000	44,500	37,000
Latin America/Caribbean	4,000	4,000	2,250	3,500	3,500
Near East/South Asia	4,500	4,000	4,250	10,000	12,500
Unallocated Reserve	-	-	-	6,000	-
Approvals	77,600	73,198	85,592	66,546 ²	66,198 ²
Africa	7,854	8,437	15,581	20,014	18,402
East Asia	6,810	12,881	6,728	941 ²	277 ²
Europe	56,379	46,671	55,666	32,355	32,686
Latin America/Caribbean	1,860	1,208	2,796	2,896	2,768
Near East/South Asia	4,539	3,937	4,725	10,266	12,030
Not reported	158	64	96	74	35
Arrivals ³	69,276	76,181	85,076	72,143	68,925
Africa	6,069	6,665	13,036	17,560	19,016
East Asia ³	7,781	10,475	9,963	3,557	3,346
Europe	48,450	54,260	55,877	37,664	31,526
Latin America/Caribbean	2,986	1,587	2,110	3,233	2,973
Near East/South Asia	3,990	3,194	4,090	10,129	12,064

¹ Data are for authorized final ceiling admissions.

² Data for Vietnam are incomplete. Data represent only Vietnamese processed by the Resettlement Opportunity for Vietnamese Returnees (ROVR) Program. Data are unavailable for refugees processed under other Vietnam in-country programs that dealt with former reeducation camp detainees and adult children of formerly admitted refugees.

³ Amerasians from Vietnam are not included as refugee arrivals because they enter the United States on immigrant visas. The number of Amerasians was 809 in fiscal year 1997, 373 in 1998, 241 in 1999, 1,004 in 2000, and 379 in 2001.

NOTE: The geographic areas used in this table are unique in the yearbook and are based on the classification used by the Department of State in its reports on refugees. The corresponding country composition of the geographic areas used is also based on the same Department of State classification. To illustrate the differences between the classifications used in this table and in others such as table 22 and table 24, consider North African countries Morocco, Algeria, Tunisia, Libya, and Egypt. In table 23, these countries are classified as part of Near East/South Asia while in tables 22 and 24 they are included under Africa. We adopted the Department of State classification in this table to make approvals data consistent with authorized admissions and arrivals data.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 24. REFUGEE ARRIVALS INTO THE UNITED STATES
BY COUNTRY OF CHARGEABILITY
FISCAL YEARS 1995-2001**

Country of chargeability	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
All countries ¹	98,520	74,791	69,276	76,181	85,076	72,143	68,925
Europe	45,703	41,617	48,450	54,260	55,877	37,664	31,526
Albania	51	23	9	3	8	1	3
Armenia	NA	NA	NA	NA	35	20	27
Azerbaijan	NA	NA	NA	NA	210	259	449
Belarus	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,008	1,050	971
Bosnia-Herzegovina	9,870	12,030	21,357	30,906	22,699	19,033	14,593
Bulgaria	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Croatia	-	-	-	-	1,660	2,995	1,020
Czechoslovakia ²	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
Estonia	NA	NA	NA	NA	71	81	57
Georgia	-	-	-	-	50	30	49
Kazakhstan	NA	NA	NA	NA	412	284	291
Kyrgyzstan	NA	NA	NA	NA	140	147	116
Latvia	NA	NA	NA	NA	167	103	125
Lithuania	NA	NA	NA	NA	20	16	40
Macedonia	-	-	-	-	3	2	2
Moldova	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,035	1,056	1,168
Poland	39	11	6	2	3	1	4
Romania	24	16	3	-	2	4	-
Russia	NA	NA	NA	NA	4,386	3,723	4,454
Slovenia	-	-	-	-	2	-	2
Soviet Union ³	35,716	29,536	27,072	23,349	194	282	133
Tajikistan	NA	NA	NA	NA	9	24	9
Turkmenistan	NA	NA	NA	NA	16	1	7
Ukraine	NA	NA	NA	NA	8,649	7,334	7,172
Uzbekistan	NA	NA	NA	NA	818	693	681
Yugoslavia ³	-	-	3	-	14,280	524	153
Asia ¹	40,420	22,131	11,771	13,669	14,041	13,622	15,356
Afghanistan	4	-	-	88	365	1,709	2,930
Bahrain	-	-	-	-	-	5	3
Burma	36	11	182	186	295	637	543
Cambodia	1	-	-	-	-	-	23
China, People's Republic	-	1	-	-	1	1	12
India	-	4	6	-	-	-	-
Indonesia	-	-	-	1	26	14	5
Iran	978	1,256	1,305	1,699	1,750	5,145	6,590
Iraq	3,482	2,528	2,679	1,407	1,955	3,158	2,473
Jordan	-	-	-	-	-	5	-
Kuwait	-	-	-	-	-	13	-
Laos	3,675	2,201	939	-	19	64	22
Lebanon	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Malaysia	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Maldives	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
Pakistan	-	-	-	-	-	6	3
Sri Lanka	-	-	-	-	5	4	2
Syria	-	-	-	-	2	18	8
Thailand	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Vietnam ¹	32,244	16,130	6,660	10,288	9,622	2,841	2,730
Yemen	-	-	-	-	1	1	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 24. REFUGEE ARRIVALS INTO THE UNITED STATES
BY COUNTRY OF CHARGEABILITY
FISCAL YEARS 1995-2001—Continued**

Country of chargeability	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Africa	4,779	7,502	6,069	6,665	13,048	17,624	19,070
Algeria	-	-	-	-	12	57	31
Angola	1	2	-	-	-	2	34
Burkina Faso	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Burundi	8	8	33	24	223	165	109
Cameroon	2	1	19	15	9	7	5
Central African Republic	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Chad	-	-	45	41	22	2	2
Congo, Democratic Republic ⁴	85	38	45	52	42	1,354	260
Congo, Republic ⁴	-	-	-	-	27	11	6
Cote d' Ivoire	-	-	-	1	5	-	1
Djibouti	-	-	16	15	8	-	12
Egypt	-	-	-	-	-	6	8
Equatorial Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	12	-
Eritrea	-	14	7	9	32	94	109
Ethiopia	239	194	197	152	1,873	1,347	1,429
Gambia, The	-	-	16	50	13	13	5
Ghana	9	1	4	-	5	3	2
Guinea	-	-	-	-	6	1	4
Kenya	-	6	-	13	2	11	13
Liberia	52	46	231	1,494	2,495	2,620	3,429
Libya	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Madagascar	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Mauritania	-	-	-	-	1	-	202
Namibia	-	-	-	-	-	5	1
Nigeria	-	34	7	312	625	50	85
Rwanda	88	118	100	86	153	345	94
Sierra Leone	48	13	57	176	675	1,128	2,004
Somalia	2,506	6,436	4,974	2,951	4,320	6,026	4,951
South Africa	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Sudan	1,705	575	277	1,252	2,393	3,833	5,959
Tanzania	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Togo	25	1	30	15	93	511	280
Tunisia	-	-	-	3	-	2	10
Uganda	10	10	9	2	12	18	12
Zambia	-	4	-	-	-	-	-
Zimbabwe	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
North America	7,618	3,539	2,986	1,587	2,109	3,233	2,968
Caribbean	7,618	3,537	2,986	1,587	2,109	3,233	2,968
Cuba	6,133	3,498	2,911	1,587	2,018	3,184	2,944
Haiti	1,485	39	75	-	91	49	24
Central America	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Nicaragua	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
South America	-	2	-	-	1	-	5
Argentina	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Peru	-	2	-	-	1	-	-

¹ Amerasians from Vietnam are not included as refugee arrivals because they enter the United States on immigrant visas. The number of Amerasians was 809 in fiscal year 1997, 373 in 1998, 241 in 1999, 1,004 in 2000, and 379 in 2001. ² Data include independent and unknown republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. ³ Data are for unknown republic only. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. For the former Soviet Union, data are not available for independent republics prior to 1999. The Department of State includes Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania with the republics of the former Soviet Union. ⁴ In May 1997 Zaire was formally recognized as the Democratic Republic of the Congo; the Congo is referred to by its conventional name, the Republic of the Congo. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.

NOTE: Prior to 1996, refugee arrival data were derived from the Nonimmigrant Information System of the Immigration and Naturalization Service. Beginning in fiscal year 1996, arrival data for all years are from the Bureau for Refugee Programs, Department of State. Any comparison of refugee arrival data prior to 1996 must be made with caution. Arrivals may be higher than approvals because of the arrival of persons approved in previous years.

- Represents zero. NA Not available.

**TABLE 25. ASYLUM CASES FILED WITH INS DISTRICT DIRECTORS AND ASYLUM OFFICERS
FISCAL YEARS 1973-2001**

Year	Cases received ¹	Cases completed ²	Cases approved	Cases denied	Cases adjudicated ³	Percent approved ⁴
1973-2001	1,476,289	1,136,081	170,794	242,751	628,763	27
1973	1,913	1,510	380	1,130	1,510	25
1974	2,716	2,769	294	2,475	2,769	11
1975	2,432	1,664	562	1,102	1,664	34
1976-80	42,173	10,847	4,990	5,857	10,847	46
1976	2,733	1,914	590	1,324	1,914	31
1976, TQ ⁵	896	370	97	273	370	26
1977	2,529	1,939	754	1,185	1,939	39
1978	3,702	2,312	1,218	1,094	2,312	53
1979	5,801	2,312	1,227	1,085	2,312	53
1980	26,512	2,000	1,104	896	2,000	55
1981-85	161,872	124,142	25,162	73,928	99,090	25
1981	61,568	4,521	1,175	3,346	4,521	26
1982	33,296	11,326	3,909	7,255	11,164	35
1983	26,091	25,447	7,215	16,811	24,026	30
1984	24,295	54,320	8,278	32,344	40,622	20
1985	16,622	28,528	4,585	14,172	18,757	24
1986-90	281,048	310,071	24,067	75,621	99,688	24
1986	18,889	45,792	3,359	7,882	11,241	30
1987	26,107	44,785	4,062	3,454	7,516	54
1988	60,736	68,357	5,531	8,582	14,113	39
1989	101,679	102,795	6,942	31,547	38,489	18
1990	73,637	48,342	4,173	24,156	28,329	15
1991-95	593,609	205,161	31,661	70,055	137,307	23
1991	56,310	16,552	2,108	4,167	6,275	34
1992	103,964	21,996	3,919	6,506	10,425	38
1993	142,680	31,970	5,053	17,610	22,664	22
1994	143,225	46,527	8,133	28,183	36,336	22
1995	147,430	88,116	12,448	13,589	61,607	20
1996-2000	327,296	411,982	63,372	11,016	228,845	28
1996 ⁶	116,877	104,885	13,537	2,355	61,697	22
1997 ⁶	76,668	116,751	10,195	2,305	52,665	19
1998 ⁶	49,047	79,488	9,931	3,012	42,407	23
1999 ⁶	38,047	52,614	13,158	1,614	34,204	38
2000 ⁶	46,657	58,244	16,551	1,730	37,872	44
2001	63,230	67,935	20,306	1,567	47,043	43

¹ Beginning in 1992, includes cases newly filed and cases reopened.

² Includes approvals, denials, cases otherwise closed, cases referred to an immigration judge (interviewed and not interviewed), and cases referred to an immigration judge because the alien failed to meet the filing deadline.

³ Includes approvals, denials, cases referred to an immigration judge following an interview, and cases referred to an immigration judge because the alien failed to meet the filing deadline.

⁴ Cases approved divided by cases adjudicated.

⁵ The three-month period—July 1 through September 30, 1976—between fiscal year 1976 and fiscal year 1977. At that time, the fiscal year definition was changed from July 1-June 30 to October 1-September 30.

⁶ Data for 1996-2000 have been updated.

NOTE: The Refugee Act of 1980 went into effect April 1, 1980. Data for fiscal years 1982 and 1983 have been estimated due to changes in the reporting procedures during those two periods. Since April 1, 1991, authority to decide most asylum claims has resided with the INS Asylum Officer Corps. See Glossary for fiscal year definitions.

TABLE 26. NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS GRANTED ASYLUM BY INS ASYLUM OFFICERS BY NATIONALITY FISCAL YEARS 1995-2001

Nationality	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
All nationalities	17,374	18,596	16,208	13,011	17,841	22,860	28,728
Europe	3,420	4,545	2,300	2,549	2,735	3,675	4,010
Albania	145	439	379	541	402	425	527
Armenia	406	337	248	312	377	1,137	1,432
Azerbaijan	75	128	83	161	150	265	373
Belarus	14	10	20	26	31	63	77
Belgium	-	1	-	2	-	1	2
Bosnia-Herzegovina	289	199	41	20	23	24	32
Bulgaria	58	43	56	72	62	79	53
Croatia	59	59	47	38	40	36	11
Czechoslovakia ¹	2	1	3	1	-	-	-
Estonia	2	-	3	7	-	7	11
France	5	1	-	-	-	-	2
Georgia	81	72	62	67	121	140	112
Germany	2	4	1	1	1	3	1
Greece	9	5	-	1	1	5	-
Hungary	25	13	4	2	1	6	3
Ireland	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Italy	2	1	-	-	-	1	-
Kazakhstan	17	15	17	27	18	51	24
Kyrgyzstan	6	5	12	4	11	17	17
Latvia	6	17	7	3	1	11	7
Lithuania	6	-	-	3	2	1	10
Macedonia	11	10	31	22	3	8	30
Moldova	15	12	6	3	2	13	22
Netherlands	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Norway	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Poland	10	12	2	6	1	2	1
Portugal	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Romania	181	77	53	45	38	39	95
Russia	577	471	382	434	559	630	542
San Marino	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Slovak Republic	4	-	2	3	4	-	2
Slovenia	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Soviet Union ¹	68	128	59	63	15	4	5
Spain	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
Sweden	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Switzerland	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Tajikistan	10	11	6	15	17	18	5
Turkmenistan	-	3	17	13	2	9	17
Ukraine	218	215	196	142	98	94	103
United Kingdom	1	2	9	5	4	2	3
Uzbekistan	62	42	37	54	32	62	128
Yugoslavia ¹	1,052	2,210	517	453	718	521	359
Asia	5,185	5,366	8,668	3,380	5,808	7,732	10,405
Afghanistan	330	221	284	296	339	269	333
Bahrain	-	-	-	1	-	3	3
Bangladesh	349	251	121	105	123	88	78
Bhutan	1	2	1	-	4	15	15
Burma	215	153	180	269	348	341	1,312
Cambodia	41	7	10	124	145	61	15
China, People's Republic	533	430	485	666	1,189	3,354	4,803
Hong Kong	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
India	1,081	1,683	869	395	392	647	842
Indonesia	6	6	3	15	1,545	937	615
Iran	784	592	414	708	779	874	876
Iraq	199	951	5,778	179	206	386	643
Israel	12	16	7	1	6	15	17

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 26. NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS GRANTED ASYLUM BY INS ASYLUM OFFICERS BY NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEARS 1995-2001—Continued**

Nationality	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Japan	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Jordan	53	21	19	25	33	22	56
Korea	9	7	5	3	-	-	1
Kuwait	38	22	8	13	23	9	7
Laos	33	17	14	18	18	15	9
Lebanon	91	78	37	64	48	27	50
Malaysia	-	5	1	5	15	26	19
Mongolia	-	-	-	-	1	5	6
Nepal	16	4	3	17	13	18	19
Oman	-	4	-	-	-	1	-
Pakistan	506	448	268	280	371	378	408
Philippines	52	37	17	19	28	17	2
Qatar	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Saudi Arabia	3	6	1	7	9	4	10
Singapore	7	1	1	5	3	4	11
Sri Lanka	69	32	46	53	42	56	96
Syria	679	307	35	44	34	30	27
Taiwan	-	1	-	-	6	6	2
Thailand	3	-	-	5	-	-	1
Turkey	31	15	27	20	32	53	74
United Arab Emirates	-	-	-	-	2	3	2
Vietnam	4	5	6	10	13	16	7
Yemen	40	44	28	33	41	51	39
Africa	4,349	4,066	3,074	4,937	7,138	7,269	6,330
Algeria	98	81	79	184	143	66	34
Angola	3	8	4	12	35	57	51
Benin	2	-	1	-	8	1	1
Burkina Faso	3	2	2	1	6	9	4
Burundi	98	92	57	43	52	29	52
Cameroon	159	95	79	155	244	336	322
Cape Verde	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Central African Republic	-	-	-	3	1	2	5
Chad	7	8	2	13	20	16	11
Comoros	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Congo, Democratic Republic ²	213	135	139	208	215	223	149
Congo, Republic ²	9	5	5	110	266	260	241
Cote d' Ivoire	49	30	15	12	17	25	43
Djibouti	-	-	-	-	1	4	3
Egypt	196	139	130	355	402	468	468
Equatorial Guinea	-	-	-	2	-	2	-
Eritrea	12	34	45	103	169	203	142
Ethiopia	1,093	822	451	541	1,089	1,409	1,132
Gabon	4	1	2	1	3	3	2
Gambia, The	62	75	56	42	45	24	32
Ghana	67	28	19	16	12	19	7
Guinea	37	39	15	53	48	94	157
Guinea-Bissau	-	-	-	-	2	4	1
Kenya	40	18	27	70	107	96	122
Lesotho	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Liberia	614	703	477	495	669	678	760
Libya	20	6	7	10	12	21	5
Malawi	-	-	-	2	5	-	1
Mali	14	9	6	2	9	4	2
Mauritania	273	403	105	139	101	93	94
Mauritius	29	24	2	3	-	1	-
Morocco	5	1	4	5	6	7	8
Mozambique	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Namibia	-	4	-	-	-	1	-
Niger	78	66	87	109	99	50	31

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 26. NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS GRANTED ASYLUM BY INS ASYLUM OFFICERS BY NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEARS 1995-2001—Continued**

Nationality	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Nigeria	126	120	99	145	119	44	29
Rwanda	145	69	101	85	108	96	58
Senegal	24	10	7	9	21	15	15
Sierra Leone	70	61	25	157	183	218	302
Somalia	285	531	701	1,315	2,353	1,982	1,248
South Africa	7	15	4	-	6	7	2
Sudan	397	343	266	404	441	508	522
Swaziland	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Tanzania	6	5	-	9	4	5	18
Togo	57	54	34	49	57	62	82
Tunisia	-	1	5	2	1	2	3
Uganda	36	28	15	71	55	115	117
Zambia	1	-	-	2	-	-	8
Zimbabwe	10	-	1	-	3	8	42
Oceania	51	35	8	2	35	79	341
Australia	-	1	-	-	1	-	1
Fiji	51	34	8	2	34	79	340
North America	3,324	3,814	1,762	1,689	1,331	1,370	1,668
Canada	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Mexico	79	43	32	36	56	39	48
Caribbean	1,274	2,114	1,019	601	444	875	1,278
Bahamas, The	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
Barbados	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Cuba	524	631	313	196	252	118	76
Dominica	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
Dominican Republic	-	-	-	2	1	-	3
Haiti	746	1,483	699	394	187	754	1,195
Jamaica	2	-	7	6	1	-	-
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	2	-	-	1	2	-	3
Central America	1,971	1,657	711	1,052	831	456	339
Belize	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Costa Rica	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
El Salvador	234	198	182	388	296	146	158
Guatemala	1,062	892	349	468	433	275	148
Honduras	192	140	51	49	64	13	15
Nicaragua	481	420	128	146	29	20	17
Panama	2	7	1	1	9	-	-
South America	889	596	317	395	710	2,668	5,857
Argentina	3	-	-	-	-	2	3
Bolivia	22	12	-	-	11	7	3
Brazil	16	15	4	27	45	19	27
Chile	8	5	1	4	21	9	6
Colombia	104	91	48	108	229	2,470	5,672
Ecuador	15	-	-	2	4	3	13
Guyana	14	1	2	2	-	-	-
Paraguay	-	-	6	-	2	-	2
Peru	683	469	245	222	374	131	88
Suriname	5	-	1	15	6	1	-
Uruguay	-	-	1	1	-	3	2
Venezuela	19	3	9	14	18	23	41
Stateless	147	122	53	48	75	63	114
Unknown	9	52	26	11	9	4	3

¹ Data are for unknown republic only. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.

² In May 1997 Zaire was formally recognized as the Democratic Republic of the Congo; the Congo is referred to by its conventional name, the Republic of the Congo.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 27. ASYLUM CASES FILED WITH INS ASYLUM OFFICERS BY NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Nationality	Cases filed during year ¹	Cases reopened during year ²	Cases granted during year	Percent approved ³	Individuals granted asylum during year	Cases denied during year
All nationalities	59,369	3,861	20,306	43	28,728	1,567
Europe	7,267	249	2,753	44	4,010	250
Albania	1,418	13	326	27	527	50
Armenia	2,239	32	983	49	1,432	81
Austria	-	-	-	-	-	-
Azerbaijan	518	4	264	68	373	6
Belarus	137	3	59	51	77	2
Belgium	1	1	2	-	2	-
Bosnia-Herzegovina	63	-	23	43	32	9
Bulgaria	131	5	48	53	53	8
Croatia	11	2	8	47	11	1
Czech Republic	2	-	-	-	-	-
Czechoslovakia ⁴	16	7	-	-	-	-
Estonia	24	-	6	35	11	1
Finland	1	-	-	-	-	-
France	10	-	-	-	2	-
Georgia	193	6	81	41	112	3
Germany	8	1	-	-	1	-
Greece	6	-	-	-	-	1
Hungary	9	7	3	75	3	-
Ireland	3	-	-	-	2	-
Italy	2	-	-	-	-	1
Kazakhstan	55	1	18	36	24	4
Kyrgyzstan	66	-	12	23	17	1
Latvia	50	2	6	16	7	2
Lithuania	24	1	6	40	10	1
Macedonia	111	2	22	39	30	-
Moldova	41	-	16	52	22	-
Netherlands	2	-	-	-	1	-
Poland	14	25	1	6	1	3
Portugal	4	2	-	-	-	-
Romania	174	9	69	55	95	3
Russia	794	49	349	52	542	31
Slovak Republic	5	3	1	11	2	-
Slovenia	2	-	-	-	-	-
Soviet Union ⁴	-	16	-	-	5	-
Spain	-	-	-	-	1	-
Sweden	2	-	-	-	-	-
Switzerland	2	-	-	-	-	-
Tajikistan	9	-	3	60	5	-
Turkmenistan	23	-	10	48	17	2
Ukraine	251	18	84	40	103	15
United Kingdom	6	1	-	-	3	-
Uzbekistan	232	2	88	48	128	6
Yugoslavia ⁴	608	37	265	45	359	19
Asia	16,422	1,008	8,273	57	10,405	426
Afghanistan	280	9	203	83	333	-
Bahrain	2	-	2	100	3	-
Bangladesh	103	115	44	41	78	5
Bhutan	22	-	15	79	15	-
Burma	1,407	4	1,235	87	1,312	22
Cambodia	143	-	11	23	15	7
China, People's Republic ...	8,137	460	4,087	55	4,803	125
Cyprus	1	-	-	-	-	-
Hong Kong	1	-	1	25	3	1
India	1,870	174	754	52	842	30
Indonesia	1,684	14	412	29	615	139
Iran	934	21	608	71	876	21

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 27. ASYLUM CASES FILED WITH INS ASYLUM OFFICERS BY NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Nationality	Cases filed during year ¹	Cases reopened during year ²	Cases granted during year	Percent approved ³	Individuals granted asylum during year	Cases denied during year
Iraq	577	6	374	81	643	20
Israel	25	4	9	35	17	2
Japan	1	-	-	-	-	-
Jordan	58	6	26	54	56	3
Korea	3	2	-	-	1	-
Kuwait	11	-	4	100	7	-
Laos	14	6	6	25	9	5
Lebanon	69	9	27	47	50	5
Malaysia	33	5	16	64	19	2
Mongolia	20	-	4	33	6	1
Nepal	56	3	16	43	19	1
Oman	1	-	-	-	-	-
Pakistan	406	93	232	63	408	9
Philippines	141	37	1	2	2	11
Qatar	3	-	3	100	4	-
Saudi Arabia	13	-	3	38	10	1
Singapore	4	1	5	83	11	1
Sri Lanka	122	7	63	52	96	1
Syria	41	7	17	47	27	2
Taiwan	4	-	-	-	2	2
Thailand	18	7	1	50	1	1
Turkey	124	9	59	62	74	4
United Arab Emirates	3	-	1	100	2	-
Vietnam	18	1	5	42	7	2
Yemen	73	8	29	46	39	3
Africa	11,195	359	5,059	56	6,330	417
Algeria	64	5	31	58	34	3
Angola	75	2	31	49	51	4
Benin	6	1	1	20	1	-
Burkina Faso	9	1	4	57	4	-
Burundi	94	2	43	49	52	8
Cameroon	563	9	290	61	322	18
Cape Verde	-	2	-	-	-	-
Central African Republic	13	-	3	50	5	-
Chad	28	-	11	48	11	-
Comoros	1	-	1	100	1	-
Congo, Dem. Republic	247	2	117	50	149	7
Congo, Republic	423	6	186	54	241	11
Cote d'Ivoire	88	16	36	51	43	3
Djibouti	1	-	-	-	3	1
Egypt	524	15	271	52	468	29
Eritrea	215	5	122	60	142	5
Ethiopia	1,472	29	934	69	1,132	39
Gabon	2	-	2	67	2	-
Gambia, The	50	19	19	51	32	-
Ghana	9	23	6	27	7	-
Guinea	626	17	144	31	157	16
Guinea-Bissau	11	2	1	14	1	-
Kenya	135	1	63	62	122	2
Liberia	1,238	69	641	59	760	173
Libya	7	-	4	67	5	-
Malawi	1	-	1	50	1	-
Mali	13	19	2	29	2	-
Mauritania	1,096	10	91	16	94	5
Mauritius	6	-	-	-	-	-
Morocco	11	1	4	50	8	1
Niger	56	8	23	55	31	2
Nigeria	51	26	24	41	29	2
Rwanda	77	3	45	63	58	4

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 27. ASYLUM CASES FILED WITH INS ASYLUM OFFICERS BY NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Nationality	Cases filed during year ¹	Cases reopened during year ²	Cases granted during year	Percent approved ³	Individuals granted asylum during year	Cases denied during year
Senegal	41	12	15	47	15	2
Seychelles	1	-	-	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	875	13	251	37	302	19
Somalia	1,795	22	1,005	70	1,248	7
South Africa	25	1	2	14	2	-
Sudan	643	7	411	73	522	31
Swaziland	2	-	1	50	3	-
Tanzania	34	1	10	42	18	-
Togo	201	2	75	57	82	12
Tunisia	12	-	3	50	3	1
Uganda	287	7	109	51	117	6
Zambia	10	-	3	60	8	1
Zimbabwe	57	1	23	56	42	5
Oceania	461	8	168	39	341	39
Australia	2	-	-	-	1	-
Fiji	457	8	168	40	340	39
Palau	1	-	-	-	-	-
Tonga	1	-	-	-	-	-
North America	15,957	2,001	1,231	11	1,668	263
Canada	6	-	-	-	3	1
Mexico	8,980	183	29	Z	48	10
Caribbean	5,218	140	959	34	1,278	45
Bahamas, The	3	-	-	-	1	-
Barbados	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cuba	162	19	62	61	76	10
Dominica	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dominican Republic	3	-	2	50	3	-
Grenada	-	-	-	-	-	1
Haiti	5,036	86	893	33	1,195	34
Jamaica	12	19	-	-	-	-
St Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	2	16	2	50	3	-
Central America	1,753	1,678	243	13	339	207
Belize	6	3	1	20	1	-
Costa Rica	6	1	-	-	-	-
El Salvador	725	746	103	11	158	153
Guatemala	941	786	121	14	148	37
Honduras	50	85	8	10	15	17
Nicaragua	24	55	10	71	17	-
Panama	1	2	-	-	-	-
South America	7,776	218	2,744	55	5,857	167
Argentina	28	2	2	13	3	-
Bolivia	7	4	2	15	3	1
Brazil	109	29	26	39	27	3
Chile	10	-	2	50	6	-
Colombia	7,307	50	2,617	56	5,672	152
Ecuador	31	52	6	23	13	2
Guyana	2	29	-	-	-	-
Paraguay	5	-	2	67	2	-
Peru	178	37	51	33	88	7
Suriname	1	11	-	-	-	-
Uruguay	6	3	2	100	2	-
Venezuela	92	1	34	50	41	2
Stateless	170	14	77	48	114	5
Unknown	121	4	1	1	3	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 27. ASYLUM CASES FILED WITH INS ASYLUM OFFICERS BY NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Nationality	Individuals denied asylum during year	Cases referred to immigration judge, past filing deadline ⁵	Cases otherwise closed during year ⁶	Cases referred to immigration judge, not interviewed	Cases referred to immigration judge, interviewed
All nationalities	2,537	11,193	17,695	3,197	13,977
Europe	418	647	553	221	2,553
Albania	91	175	47	19	670
Armenia	142	112	31	66	812
Austria	-	-	-	-	1
Azerbaijan	9	34	14	29	87
Belarus	2	7	4	5	47
Belgium	-	-	1	1	-
Bosnia-Herzegovina	14	1	6	2	20
Bulgaria	13	5	22	2	29
Croatia	1	1	3	-	7
Czech Republic	-	-	-	-	1
Czechoslovakia ⁴	-	1	12	2	3
Estonia	1	1	1	1	9
Finland	-	-	-	1	-
France	-	-	4	1	2
Georgia	4	43	6	10	69
Germany	2	-	3	1	3
Greece	5	-	1	1	4
Hungary	-	1	7	-	-
Ireland	-	-	1	1	1
Italy	4	-	2	-	-
Kazakhstan	5	4	-	1	24
Kyrgyzstan	5	9	-	3	30
Latvia	6	6	3	2	23
Lithuania	2	3	1	1	5
Macedonia	-	11	7	1	23
Moldova	-	3	-	-	12
Netherlands	-	-	1	-	1
Poland	6	5	42	2	7
Portugal	-	1	2	-	1
Romania	5	13	49	2	41
Russia	47	82	86	25	215
Slovak Republic	-	1	3	-	7
Slovenia	-	-	1	-	1
Soviet Union ⁴	-	-	38	-	-
Spain	-	-	-	-	-
Sweden	-	-	-	-	-
Switzerland	-	-	-	2	-
Tajikistan	-	-	1	-	2
Turkmenistan	2	1	-	-	8
Ukraine	17	36	37	13	75
United Kingdom	-	-	2	1	2
Uzbekistan	7	9	2	6	82
Yugoslavia ⁴	28	82	113	20	229
Asia	637	1,760	1,147	568	4,006
Afghanistan	-	18	13	4	24
Bahrain	-	-	-	-	-
Bangladesh	12	11	74	7	47
Bhutan	-	1	-	1	3
Burma	28	33	40	16	132
Cambodia	22	4	2	2	25
China, People's Republic ..	188	1,044	546	262	2,159
Cyprus	-	1	-	-	-
Hong Kong	3	-	-	-	2
India	35	115	184	44	552
Indonesia	184	359	15	42	518
Iran	32	56	32	23	177

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 27. ASYLUM CASES FILED WITH INS ASYLUM OFFICERS BY NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Nationality	Individuals denied asylum during year	Cases referred to immigration judge, past filing deadline ⁵	Cases otherwise closed during year ⁶	Cases referred to immigration judge, not interviewed	Cases referred to immigration judge, interviewed
Iraq	32	8	6	5	61
Israel	3	3	5	-	12
Japan	-	-	-	-	1
Jordan	4	5	5	2	14
Korea	-	2	1	1	1
Kuwait	-	-	2	1	-
Laos	5	1	23	-	12
Lebanon	11	6	10	5	19
Malaysia	3	6	4	-	1
Mongolia	4	4	-	3	3
Nepal	1	8	3	-	12
Oman	-	-	-	-	-
Pakistan	21	33	95	9	96
Philippines	19	12	42	117	17
Qatar	-	-	-	-	-
Saudi Arabia	1	2	2	-	2
Singapore	1	-	-	-	-
Sri Lanka	1	5	5	2	52
Syria	5	2	7	3	15
Taiwan	5	2	-	-	-
Thailand	1	-	5	13	-
Turkey	7	8	15	2	24
United Arab Emirates	3	-	1	-	-
Vietnam	2	1	-	1	4
Yemen	4	10	10	3	21
Africa	541	980	474	443	2,653
Algeria	7	4	9	-	15
Angola	6	4	1	3	24
Benin	-	-	-	-	4
Burkina Faso	-	-	1	-	3
Burundi	8	11	4	2	26
Cameroon	25	27	15	6	143
Cape Verde	-	-	3	-	-
Central African Republic	-	-	-	-	3
Chad	-	3	-	1	9
Comoros	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Dem. Republic	7	25	5	8	84
Congo, Republic	12	40	14	18	108
Cote d'Ivoire	3	12	16	2	19
Djibouti	1	1	-	-	1
Egypt	50	19	13	9	203
Eritrea	6	19	3	4	57
Ethiopia	50	89	45	25	299
Gabon	-	-	-	-	1
Gambia, The	-	6	11	5	12
Ghana	1	1	31	-	15
Guinea	20	85	20	39	221
Guinea-Bissau	-	2	2	-	4
Kenya	2	17	2	1	20
Liberia	202	29	63	18	248
Libya	-	-	-	-	2
Malawi	1	-	-	-	1
Mali	-	1	10	-	4
Mauritania	5	112	45	64	361
Mauritius	-	1	1	-	-
Morocco	1	1	1	-	2
Niger	4	4	8	2	13
Nigeria	2	5	33	2	28
Rwanda	10	1	1	1	21

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 27. ASYLUM CASES FILED WITH INS ASYLUM OFFICERS BY NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Nationality	Individuals denied asylum during year	Cases referred to immigration judge, past filing deadline ⁵	Cases otherwise closed during year ⁶	Cases referred to immigration judge, not interviewed	Cases referred to immigration judge, interviewed
Senegal	3	7	11	-	8
Seychelles	-	-	-	-	1
Sierra Leone	27	197	31	52	209
Somalia	7	207	52	156	225
South Africa	1	1	2	-	11
Sudan	47	6	12	12	118
Swaziland	-	1	-	-	-
Tanzania	-	6	-	1	8
Togo	14	7	7	-	38
Tunisia	1	-	-	-	2
Uganda	6	27	1	8	70
Zambia	1	-	-	1	1
Zimbabwe	11	2	1	3	11
Oceania	61	40	21	4	179
Australia	-	-	2	-	1
Fiji	61	40	19	4	178
Palau	-	-	-	-	-
Tonga	-	-	-	-	-
North America	422	7,111	15,205	1,815	2,939
Canada	1	1	-	-	2
Mexico	18	6,371	316	1,268	408
Caribbean	70	250	224	206	1,594
Bahamas, The	-	-	1	-	2
Barbados	-	-	1	-	-
Cuba	12	4	48	9	25
Dominica	-	1	-	-	-
Dominican Republic	-	1	2	-	1
Grenada	1	-	-	-	-
Haiti	57	242	129	195	1,561
Jamaica	-	2	23	2	3
St Lucia	-	-	2	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	-	-	18	-	2
Central America	333	489	14,665	341	935
Belize	-	2	-	3	2
Costa Rica	-	2	3	2	1
El Salvador	250	256	11,541	169	392
Guatemala	60	216	3,024	160	496
Honduras	22	11	54	5	41
Nicaragua	-	1	40	2	3
Panama	1	1	3	-	-
South America	448	577	276	140	1,529
Argentina	-	10	8	1	4
Bolivia	3	5	1	-	5
Brazil	4	22	60	4	15
Chile	-	1	2	3	1
Colombia	414	479	80	106	1,410
Ecuador	2	9	45	2	9
Guyana	-	-	37	-	3
Paraguay	-	-	-	-	1
Peru	19	39	27	22	59
Suriname	-	1	11	-	1
Uruguay	-	-	2	-	-
Venezuela	6	11	3	2	21
Stateless	10	22	16	6	55
Unknown	-	56	3	-	63

¹ Cases filed and reopened in the same year are included only with cases filed. ² Cases reopened that were filed in a prior fiscal year. ³ The number of cases granted divided by the sum of cases granted, denied, referred under filing deadline, and referred to an immigration judge following an interview. ⁴ Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. ⁵ These cases referred because they were filed after the applicants had been in the United States for a year. ⁶ Include ABC interview no show cases. See Asylum section of text.

- Represents zero. Z Rounds to less than .5 percent.

**TABLE 28. ASYLUM CASES FILED WITH INS ASYLUM OFFICERS BY
ASYLUM OFFICE AND STATE OF RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Asylum office and state of residence	Cases filed during year ¹	Cases reopened during year ²	Cases granted during year	Percent approved ³	Individuals granted asylum during year	Cases denied during year
Total	59,369	3,861	20,306	43	28,728	1,567
Asylum office:						
Arlington	4,602	395	2,471	61	3,316	210
Chicago	3,521	233	628	28	924	180
Houston	2,175	132	715	40	963	150
Los Angeles	18,184	808	6,392	41	8,170	318
Miami	12,423	315	3,552	48	6,793	175
Newark	5,349	858	1,611	32	2,094	161
New York	4,629	968	1,329	32	1,736	171
San Francisco	8,486	152	3,608	53	4,732	202
State:						
Alabama	55	16	16	55	22	2
Alaska	18	2	13	93	21	-
Arizona	204	13	41	46	55	2
Arkansas	29	15	3	13	5	6
California	24,237	869	8,441	42	11,066	484
Colorado	432	24	150	42	194	21
Connecticut	210	38	89	46	108	9
Delaware	29	22	18	40	26	4
District of Columbia	284	15	200	71	245	15
Florida	12,063	319	3,492	48	6,642	177
Georgia	785	96	237	57	365	19
Hawaii	26	2	4	50	5	1
Idaho	15	1	3	50	4	-
Illinois	532	27	186	38	270	38
Indiana	121	8	45	46	64	13
Iowa	147	26	13	13	24	11
Kansas	77	14	10	17	16	4
Kentucky	326	14	13	14	18	4
Louisiana	31	1	15	42	23	4
Maine	28	1	4	57	7	-
Maryland	1,924	95	1,052	59	1,340	90
Massachusetts	760	126	163	43	226	25
Michigan	628	27	269	47	449	36
Minnesota	483	32	157	52	214	42
Mississippi	28	2	9	33	13	3
Missouri	129	12	26	26	39	6
Montana	15	-	1	50	1	1
Nebraska	208	44	29	13	42	11
Nevada	178	24	65	42	97	7
New Hampshire	45	3	3	21	7	-
New Jersey	715	333	310	41	437	37
New Mexico	15	1	4	57	12	-
New York	7,088	1,194	2,044	30	2,609	183
North Carolina	256	56	139	56	195	23
North Dakota	7	-	1	100	3	-
Ohio	1,078	31	86	17	109	21
Oklahoma	49	2	18	38	30	9
Oregon	143	5	44	56	63	4
Pennsylvania	1,086	57	349	35	456	70
Rhode Island	72	32	12	30	15	7
South Carolina	48	6	17	71	28	-
South Dakota	11	4	5	38	12	-
Tennessee	714	18	186	37	215	11
Texas	786	76	328	45	452	82
Utah	124	4	40	49	81	5
Vermont	10	1	4	100	10	-
Virginia	1,277	108	804	63	1,125	61
Washington	621	17	128	55	169	13
West Virginia	2	1	2	50	5	-
Wisconsin	100	7	52	50	79	5
Wyoming	2	1	1	50	5	1
Guam	882	18	963	84	1,004	-
Puerto Rico	22	1	1	50	5	-
U.S. Virgin Islands	214	-	1	25	1	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 28. ASYLUM CASES FILED WITH INS ASYLUM OFFICERS BY
ASYLUM OFFICE AND STATE OF RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Asylum office and state of residence	Individuals denied asylum during year	Cases referred to immigration judge, past filing deadline ⁴	Cases otherwise closed during year ⁵	Cases referred to immigration judge, not interviewed	Cases referred to immigration judge, interviewed
Total	2,537	11,193	17,695	3,197	13,977
Asylum office:					
Arlington	324	399	2,645	102	957
Chicago	260	246	718	280	1,211
Houston	218	158	1,657	200	770
Los Angeles	500	6,093	5,092	1,745	2,770
Miami	437	704	551	305	2,914
Newark	257	939	2,656	212	2,336
New York	248	1,009	3,745	143	1,625
San Francisco	293	1,645	631	210	1,394
State:					
Alabama	3	1	22	1	10
Alaska	-	-	4	-	1
Arizona	6	16	22	1	30
Arkansas	6	5	9	4	10
California	739	7,612	5,394	1,808	3,764
Colorado	26	25	60	46	160
Connecticut	13	27	192	5	68
Delaware	4	4	43	1	19
District of Columbia ...	19	16	387	6	52
Florida	437	709	550	302	2,872
Georgia	28	67	129	25	93
Hawaii	3	2	1	1	1
Idaho	-	1	3	-	2
Illinois	60	49	88	19	221
Indiana	14	12	45	5	28
Iowa	11	22	88	20	56
Kansas	4	14	36	12	30
Kentucky	6	12	27	29	63
Louisiana	6	2	19	-	15
Maine	-	1	5	-	2
Maryland	131	170	810	38	471
Massachusetts	41	45	811	10	147
Michigan	65	27	56	14	242
Minnesota	63	20	36	15	85
Mississippi	5	1	4	1	14
Missouri	10	20	41	10	48
Montana	1	-	-	-	-
Nebraska	15	31	170	19	152
Nevada	10	38	159	12	46
New Hampshire	1	4	6	-	7
New Jersey	62	109	1,766	33	298
New Mexico	-	1	5	-	2
New York	280	1,504	3,299	269	3,006
North Carolina	41	17	189	10	70
North Dakota	-	1	-	-	-
Ohio	29	79	138	132	335
Oklahoma	14	9	25	3	11
Oregon	4	10	54	4	20
Pennsylvania	94	207	142	37	385
Rhode Island	8	2	126	3	19
South Carolina	-	1	14	1	6
South Dakota	-	2	4	3	6
Tennessee	19	66	21	80	246
Texas	116	47	1,488	58	267
Utah	11	7	42	8	30
Vermont	-	-	-	-	-
Virginia	106	138	1,090	30	275
Washington	17	21	41	42	72
West Virginia	-	-	-	-	2
Wisconsin	5	8	8	4	39
Wyoming	4	-	-	-	-
Guam	-	10	21	76	176
Puerto Rico	-	1	2	-	-
U.S. Virgin Islands	-	-	3	-	3

¹ Cases filed and reopened in the same year are included only with cases filed. ² Cases reopened that were filed in a prior fiscal year. ³ The number of cases granted divided by the sum of cases granted, denied, referred under filing deadline, and referred to an immigration judge following an interview. ⁴ These cases referred because they were filed after the applicants had been in the United States for a year. ⁵ Include ABC interview no show cases. See Asylum section of text.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 29. REFUGEES AND ASYLEES GRANTED LAWFUL PERMANENT
RESIDENT STATUS BY ENACTMENT
FISCAL YEARS 1946-2001**

Enactment	Total	1946-50	1951-60	1961-70	1971-80
Total	3,601,400	213,347	492,371	212,843	539,447
Presidential Directive of 12/22/45	40,324	40,324	X	X	X
Displaced Persons Act of 6/25/48	409,696	173,023	236,669	4	X
Orphan Act of 7/29/53	466	X	466	X	X
Refugee Relief Act of 8/7/53	189,025	X	188,993	28	2
Refugee-Escaper Act of 9/11/57	29,462	X	24,263	5,199	X
Hungarian Refugee Act of 7/25/58	30,755	X	30,491	258	2
Azores & Netherlands Refugee Act of 9/2/58	22,213	X	10,057	12,156	X
Refugee Relatives Act of 9/22/59	1,820	X	1,432	388	X
Fair Share Refugee Act of 7/14/60	19,800	X	X	19,714	82
Refugee Conditional Entrants Act of 10/3/65	142,103	X	X	39,149	102,625
Cuban Adjustment Act of 11/2/66	631,775	X	X	135,947	252,119
Indochinese Refugee Act of 10/28/77	175,169	X	X	X	137,309
Refugee Parolee Act of 10/5/78	139,294	X	X	X	46,058
Refugee Act of 1980, 3/17/80	1,769,498	X	X	X	1,250
Refugees	1,617,790	X	X	X	X
Asylees	151,708	X	X	X	1,250

Enactment	1981-90	1991-2000	2001
Total	1,013,620	1,021,266	108,506
Presidential Directive of 12/22/45	X	X	X
Displaced Persons Act of 6/25/48	X	X	X
Orphan Act of 7/29/53	X	X	X
Refugee Relief Act of 8/7/53	2	X	X
Refugee-Escaper Act of 9/11/57	X	X	X
Hungarian Refugee Act of 7/25/58	1	X	3
Azores & Netherlands Refugee Act of 9/2/58	X	X	X
Refugee Relatives Act of 9/22/59	X	X	X
Fair Share Refugee Act of 7/14/60	3	1	X
Refugee Conditional Entrants Act of 10/3/65	329	X	X
Cuban Adjustment Act of 11/2/66	105,898	116,604	21,207
Indochinese Refugee Act of 10/28/77	37,752	107	1
Refugee Parolee Act of 10/5/78	92,971	265	X
Refugee Act of 1980, 3/17/80	776,664	904,289	87,295
Refugees	734,259	807,437	76,094
Asylees	42,405	96,852	11,201

NOTE: See Glossary for fiscal year definitions.

X Not applicable.

**TABLE 30. REFUGEES AND ASYLEES GRANTED LAWFUL PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS
BY REGION AND SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEARS 1946-2001**

Region and country of birth	Total	1946-50	1951-60	1961-70	1971-80	1981-90	1991-2000	2000	2001
All countries	3,601,400	213,347	492,371	212,843	539,447	1,013,620	1,021,266	65,941	108,506
Europe	1,433,124	211,983	456,146	55,235	71,858	155,512	426,565	33,106	55,825
Albania	7,443	29	1,409	1,952	395	289	3,255	66	114
Armenia	2,482	X	X	X	X	X	2,161	114	321
Austria	17,557	4,801	11,487	233	185	424	390	18	37
Azerbaijan	12,548	X	X	X	X	X	12,072	455	476
Belarus	26,129	X	X	X	X	X	24,581	1,227	1,548
Belgium	87	NA	NA	NA	21	33	26	5	7
Bosnia-Herzegovina	60,894	X	X	X	X	X	37,591	11,627	23,303
Bulgaria	7,247	139	1,138	1,799	1,238	1,197	1,679	38	57
Croatia	4,144	X	X	X	X	X	1,807	689	2,337
Czech Republic	4	X	X	X	X	X	3	3	1
Czechoslovakia ¹	37,996	8,449	10,719	5,709	3,646	8,204	1,255	8	14
Denmark	25	NA	NA	NA	1	5	18	1	1
Estonia	12,225	7,143	4,103	16	2	25	843	57	93
Finland	17	NA	NA	NA	2	5	10	-	-
France	563	NA	NA	NA	139	268	142	13	14
Georgia	2,771	X	X	X	X	X	2,593	134	178
Germany	103,806	36,633	62,860	665	143	851	1,309	435	1,345
Gibraltar	1	NA	NA	NA	1	-	-	-	-
Greece	31,550	124	28,568	586	478	1,408	374	5	12
Hungary	76,474	6,086	55,740	4,044	4,358	4,942	1,285	9	19
Iceland	4	NA	NA	NA	2	2	-	-	-
Ireland	21	NA	NA	NA	8	6	6	1	1
Italy	63,664	642	60,657	1,198	346	394	412	7	15
Kazakistan	4,928	X	X	X	X	X	4,269	472	659
Kyrgystan	1,553	X	X	X	X	X	1,248	174	305
Latvia	41,250	21,422	16,783	49	16	48	2,757	134	175
Liechtenstein	1	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	1	-	-
Lithuania	28,625	18,694	8,569	72	23	37	1,161	55	69
Luxembourg	2	NA	NA	NA	-	2	-	-	-
Macedonia	251	X	X	X	X	X	137	34	114
Malta	13	NA	NA	NA	6	5	-	-	2
Moldova	13,039	X	X	X	X	X	11,717	729	1,322
Monaco	1	NA	NA	NA	1	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	17,665	129	14,336	3,134	8	14	36	3	8
Norway	19	NA	NA	NA	4	7	7	1	1
Poland	210,391	78,529	81,323	3,197	5,882	33,889	7,500	57	71
Portugal	5,078	12	3,650	1,361	21	21	13	-	-
Romania	75,832	4,180	12,057	7,158	6,812	29,798	15,708	68	119
Russia	65,162	X	X	X	X	X	60,404	3,985	4,758
San Marino	1	NA	NA	NA	1	-	-	-	-
Slovak Republic	36	X	X	X	X	X	31	5	5
Slovenia	157	X	X	X	X	X	97	18	60
Soviet Union ²	240,771	14,072	30,059	871	31,309	72,306	90,533	2,443	1,621
Spain	10,896	1	246	4,114	5,317	736	443	41	39
Sweden	29	NA	NA	NA	3	NA	17	3	9
Switzerland	97	NA	NA	NA	12	NA	46	12	39
Tajikistan	2,646	X	X	X	X	X	2,546	47	100
Turkmenistan	438	X	X	X	X	X	410	40	28
Ukraine	120,869	X	X	X	X	X	109,739	7,742	11,130
United Kingdom	379	NA	NA	NA	58	192	120	10	9
Uzbekistan	20,638	X	X	X	X	X	19,539	965	1,099
Yugoslavia ²	94,955	9,816	44,755	18,299	11,297	324	6,274	1,156	4,190
Unknown Europe	9,750	1,082	7,687	778	123	80	-	-	-
Asia	1,348,537	1,106	33,422	19,895	210,683	712,092	351,347	13,342	19,992
Afghanistan	33,471	-	1	-	542	22,946	9,725	113	257

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**TABLE 30. REFUGEES AND ASYLEES GRANTED LAWFUL PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS
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Region and country of birth	Total	1946-50	1951-60	1961-70	1971-80	1981-90	1991-2000	2000	2001
Bahrain	5	NA	NA	NA	-	NA	5	-	-
Bangladesh	772	NA	NA	NA	2	NA	566	95	204
Bhutan	2	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	2	1	-
Burma	972	NA	NA	NA	70	NA	721	51	181
Cambodia	128,266	-	-	-	7,739	114,064	6,388	36	75
China ³	47,744	319	12,008	5,308	13,760	7,928	7,608	487	813
Cyprus	59	NA	NA	NA	48	NA	9	-	2
Hong Kong	9,446	-	1,076	2,128	3,468	1,916	611	36	247
India	3,527	NA	NA	NA	41	NA	2,544	466	942
Indonesia	17,830	-	8,253	7,658	222	1,385	201	14	111
Iran	73,182	118	192	58	364	46,773	24,313	956	1,364
Iraq	40,257	-	130	119	6,851	7,540	22,557	3,483	3,060
Israel	264	NA	NA	NA	76	NA	176	5	12
Japan	4,551	3	3,803	554	56	110	24	4	1
Jordan	432	NA	NA	NA	88	NA	333	10	11
Korea	4,646	-	3,116	1,316	65	120	26	6	3
Kuwait	517	NA	NA	NA	11	NA	469	16	37
Laos	202,439	-	-	-	21,690	142,964	37,265	708	520
Lebanon	1,661	NA	NA	NA	595	NA	1,028	30	38
Macau	32	NA	NA	NA	29	NA	3	-	-
Malaysia	784	NA	NA	NA	189	NA	385	30	210
Maldives	2	NA	NA	NA	-	NA	2	-	-
Mongolia	36	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	31	3	5
Nepal	35	NA	NA	NA	1	NA	32	1	2
Oman	8	NA	NA	NA	1	5	1	1	1
Pakistan	1,990	NA	NA	NA	20	NA	1,650	134	320
Philippines	1,270	NA	NA	NA	213	NA	968	22	89
Qatar	19	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	18	-	1
Saudia Arabia	960	NA	NA	NA	10	NA	880	52	70
Singapore	50	NA	NA	NA	28	NA	13	-	9
Sri Lanka	397	NA	NA	NA	24	NA	354	16	19
Syria	6,439	4	119	383	1,336	2,145	2,125	149	327
Thailand	54,940	-	15	13	1,241	30,259	22,759	810	653
Turkey	7,199	603	1,427	1,489	1,193	1,896	559	28	32
United Arab Emirates ..	62	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	59	1	3
Vietnam	691,936	-	2	7	150,266	324,453	206,857	5,576	10,351
Yemen	135	NA	NA	NA	22	11	80	2	22
Unknown Asia	12,200	59	3,280	862	422	7,577	-	-	-
Africa	90,969	20	1,768	5,486	2,991	22,149	51,649	3,365	6,906
Algeria	190	NA	NA	NA	1	5	138	23	46
Angola	353	NA	NA	NA	4	255	91	2	3
Benin	35	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	20	6	15
Botswana	94	NA	NA	NA	NA	85	9	-	-
Burkina Faso	29	NA	NA	NA	2	-	14	9	13
Burundi	220	NA	NA	NA	NA	8	148	18	64
Cameroon	355	NA	NA	NA	NA	9	302	16	44
Cape Verde.....	24	NA	NA	NA	4	13	6	-	1
Central African Rep. ...	5	NA	NA	NA	1	1	3	-	-
Chad	68	NA	NA	NA	7	-	43	14	18
Congo, Democratic Republic ⁴	1,200	NA	NA	NA	7	192	924	46	77
Congo, Republic ⁴	61	NA	NA	NA	1	1	25	8	34
Cote d' Ivoire	173	NA	NA	NA	1	1	119	14	52
Djibouti	48	NA	NA	NA	NA	19	20	1	9
Egypt	9,213	8	1,354	5,396	1,473	426	420	26	136
Equatorial Guinea	2	NA	NA	NA	-	2	-	-	-
Eritrea	644	X	X	X	X	X	608	7	36

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**TABLE 30. REFUGEES AND ASYLEES GRANTED LAWFUL PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS
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Region and country of birth	Total	1946-50	1951-60	1961-70	1971-80	1981-90	1991-2000	2000	2001
Ethiopia ⁵	38,658	NA	61	2	1,307	18,542	17,865	270	881
Gabon	7	NA	NA	NA	NA	1	6	-	-
Gambia, The	115	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	54	15	61
Ghana	650	NA	NA	NA	3	135	431	46	81
Guinea	66	NA	NA	NA	NA	15	50	2	1
Guinea-Bissau	67	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	36	14	31
Kenya.....	1,870	NA	NA	NA	4	87	1,447	241	332
Lesotho	39	NA	NA	NA	1	29	9	-	-
Liberia	4,926	NA	NA	NA	2	109	3,839	273	976
Libya	976	NA	NA	NA	14	363	591	5	8
Madagascar	1	NA	NA	NA	-	1	-	-	-
Malawi	68	NA	NA	NA	8	33	23	-	4
Mali	20	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	12	1	8
Mauritania	280	NA	NA	NA	NA	1	211	64	68
Mauritius	27	NA	NA	NA	1	NA	19	1	7
Morocco	38	NA	NA	NA	3	11	23	1	1
Mozambique	107	NA	NA	NA	3	72	31	-	1
Namibia	112	NA	NA	NA	3	71	37	-	1
Niger	98	NA	NA	NA	NA	1	27	-	70
Nigeria	763	NA	NA	NA	6	14	443	78	300
Reunion	1	NA	NA	NA	-	1	-	-	-
Rwanda	498	NA	NA	NA	-	3	389	52	106
Sao Tome and Principe	1	NA	NA	NA	-	1	-	-	-
Senegal	60	NA	NA	NA	1	NA	40	10	19
Seychelles	15	NA	NA	NA	NA	12	3	-	-
Sierra Leone	510	NA	NA	NA	2	21	272	42	215
Somalia	19,397	NA	NA	NA	6	70	16,837	1,817	2,484
South Africa	505	NA	NA	NA	14	285	195	1	11
Sudan	6,527	NA	NA	NA	4	739	5,191	210	593
Swaziland	4	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	2	1	2
Tanzania	50	NA	NA	NA	2	7	32	17	9
Togo	159	NA	NA	NA	1	NA	114	-	44
Tunisia	14	NA	NA	NA	1	NA	7	-	6
Uganda	833	NA	NA	NA	58	301	439	12	35
Zambia	109	NA	NA	NA	3	53	52	-	1
Zimbabwe	61	NA	NA	NA	3	24	32	2	2
Unknown Africa	623	12	353	88	40	130	-	-	-
Oceania	472	7	75	21	37	22	291	24	19
American Samoa	1	NA	NA	NA	1	-	-	-	-
Australia	30	NA	NA	NA	21	NA	7	-	2
Fiji	295	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	280	24	15
French Polynesia	1	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1	-	-
Guam	2	NA	NA	NA	2	-	-	-	-
New Caledonia	2	NA	NA	NA	1	NA	1	-	-
New Zealand	6	NA	NA	NA	2	4	-	-	-
Papua New Guinea	5	NA	NA	NA	2	3	-	-	-
Soloman Islands	2	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	2
Wallis and Futuna Islands	2	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	2	-	-
Unknown Oceania	126	7	75	21	8	15	-	-	-
North America	717,564	163	831	132,068	252,633	121,840	185,333	15,233	24,696
Canada	190	NA	NA	NA	96	NA	80	11	14
Greenland	2	NA	NA	NA	1	1	-	-	-
Mexico	685	NA	NA	NA	202	NA	416	51	67
St. Pierre and Miquelon	1	NA	NA	NA	1	-	-	-	-
United States	27	NA	NA	NA	5	NA	20	3	2
Caribbean	675,287	3	6	131,557	251,825	114,213	154,235	14,715	23,448
Anguilla	5	NA	NA	NA	-	5	-	-	-

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**TABLE 30. REFUGEES AND ASYLEES GRANTED LAWFUL PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS
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FISCAL YEARS 1946-2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	1946-50	1951-60	1961-70	1971-80	1981-90	1991-2000	2000	2001
Antigua-Barbuda	1	NA	NA	NA	1	-	-	-	-
Bahamas, The	850	NA	NA	NA	1	832	14	-	3
Barbados	5	NA	NA	NA	1	4	-	-	-
Bermuda	7	NA	NA	NA	5	-	1	1	1
British Virgin Islands	1	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1	-	-
Cayman Islands	11	NA	NA	NA	9	NA	2	-	-
Cuba	663,746	3	6	131,557	251,514	113,367	144,612	14,362	22,687
Dominica	10	NA	NA	NA	4	NA	6	-	-
Dominican Republic	358	NA	NA	NA	152	NA	193	23	13
Grenada	2	NA	NA	NA	1	NA	1	-	-
Guadeloupe	2	NA	NA	NA	-	NA	-	-	2
Haiti	10,185	NA	NA	NA	86	NA	9,364	322	735
Jamaica	51	NA	NA	NA	25	NA	22	5	4
Martinique	4	NA	NA	NA	1	NA	3	1	-
Montserrat	2	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	2	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	4	NA	NA	NA	3	NA	1	-	-
Puerto Rico	5	NA	NA	NA	NA	3	2	1	-
St. Kitts and Nevis	4	NA	NA	NA	3	1	-	-	-
St. Lucia	3	NA	NA	NA	1	1	-	-	1
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	14	NA	NA	NA	13	NA	1	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	11	NA	NA	NA	4	NA	5	-	2
Turks and Caicos Is.	6	NA	NA	NA	1	NA	5	-	-
Central America	39,015	1	1	4	289	6,973	30,582	453	1,165
Belize	16	NA	NA	NA	8	NA	6	1	2
Costa Rica	297	NA	NA	NA	51	NA	220	14	26
El Salvador	5,697	-	-	1	45	1,383	4,073	76	195
Guatemala	2,536	NA	NA	NA	47	NA	2,033	139	456
Honduras	1,243	NA	NA	NA	69	NA	1,050	63	124
Nicaragua	28,458	1	1	3	27	5,590	22,486	149	350
Panama	768	NA	NA	NA	42	NA	714	11	12
Unknown N. America	2,357	159	824	507	214	653	-	-	-
South America	10,252	32	74	123	1,244	1,986	5,857	813	936
Argentina	243	NA	NA	NA	101	NA	125	27	17
Bolivia	116	NA	NA	NA	10	NA	91	13	15
Brazil	186	NA	NA	NA	16	NA	136	33	34
Chile	1,154	-	5	4	415	532	171	22	27
Colombia	1,916	NA	NA	NA	217	350	1,132	215	217
Ecuador	383	NA	NA	NA	149	NA	194	30	40
Guyana	43	NA	NA	NA	7	NA	24	2	12
Paraguay	12	NA	NA	NA	4	NA	7	3	1
Peru	3,289	NA	NA	NA	132	251	2,507	278	399
Suriname	61	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	59	3	2
Uruguay	64	NA	NA	NA	43	NA	16	4	5
Venezuela	2,052	NA	NA	NA	83	407	1,395	183	167
Unknown S. America ..	733	32	69	119	67	446	-	-	-
Unknown or not reported	482	36	55	15	1	19	224	58	132

¹ Prior to 1993, data include independent republics; beginning in 1993, data are for unknown republic only.

² Prior to 1992, data include independent republics; beginning in 1992, data are for unknown republic only.

³ Includes People's Republic of China and Taiwan.

⁴ In May 1997 Zaire was formally recognized as the Democratic Republic of the Congo; the Congo is referred to by its conventional name, the Republic of the Congo.

⁵ Prior to 1993, data include Eritrea.

NOTE: See Glossary for fiscal year definitions.

- Represents zero. NA Not available. X Not applicable.

**TABLE 31. REFUGEES AND ASYLEES GRANTED LAWFUL PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS BY AGE AND SEX
FISCAL YEARS 1994-2001**

Age and sex	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Total	121,434	114,664	128,565	112,158	52,193	42,852	65,941	108,506
Under 5 years	5,181	4,509	4,303	3,424	1,589	1,281	1,769	3,369
5-9 years	10,198	9,163	9,525	8,721	4,146	3,164	5,276	9,276
10-14 years	9,451	9,287	10,737	9,963	4,510	3,541	5,700	9,616
15-19 years	9,596	8,076	8,153	7,669	3,976	3,331	5,369	9,865
20-24 years	13,115	13,199	14,210	11,573	4,814	3,618	4,944	8,955
25-29 years	11,148	11,491	14,009	12,816	5,997	4,631	7,422	11,130
30-34 years	9,978	9,433	11,897	11,900	5,952	4,241	7,466	12,668
35-39 years	8,420	7,860	9,226	8,867	4,745	3,664	6,709	12,032
40-44 years	8,031	7,546	8,620	7,806	3,611	2,929	5,045	9,345
45-49 years	7,827	7,707	9,078	7,402	3,201	2,584	4,210	7,269
50-54 years	5,969	5,574	6,467	5,654	2,453	2,327	3,333	4,971
55-59 years	6,064	5,862	6,663	4,994	2,003	1,778	2,038	2,866
60-64 years	5,053	4,594	4,846	3,704	1,736	1,924	2,293	2,710
65-69 years	4,945	4,267	4,587	3,238	1,346	1,469	1,691	1,896
70-74 years	3,143	2,905	3,062	2,001	957	1,140	1,220	1,478
75-79 years	1,649	1,502	1,494	1,077	561	609	852	567
80 years and over	1,641	1,676	1,674	1,335	592	607	598	488
Unknown age	25	13	14	14	3	14	6	5
Male	61,790	59,023	67,386	59,598	27,793	21,977	34,231	56,104
Under 5 years	2,660	2,279	2,198	1,798	804	662	895	1,751
5-9 years	5,259	4,776	4,950	4,496	2,115	1,618	2,652	4,765
10-14 years	4,841	4,835	5,619	5,105	2,435	1,826	2,922	4,960
15-19 years	5,067	4,282	4,342	4,020	2,088	1,742	2,863	5,206
20-24 years	6,987	7,190	7,590	6,207	2,519	1,828	2,494	4,551
25-29 years	6,290	6,457	8,196	7,389	3,480	2,570	4,038	5,746
30-34 years	5,415	5,274	6,832	7,060	3,466	2,370	4,266	6,799
35-39 years	4,176	3,901	4,867	4,806	2,625	1,942	3,606	6,465
40-44 years	3,748	3,582	4,135	3,910	1,844	1,425	2,594	4,811
45-49 years	4,019	3,816	4,538	3,776	1,637	1,297	2,135	3,755
50-54 years	3,168	3,034	3,575	3,142	1,329	1,184	1,682	2,604
55-59 years	2,860	2,839	3,325	2,598	1,069	868	1,045	1,460
60-64 years	2,421	2,289	2,375	1,896	835	883	1,093	1,276
65-69 years	2,306	2,112	2,313	1,669	707	765	835	906
70-74 years	1,321	1,209	1,305	915	412	537	567	670
75-79 years	644	575	626	408	237	253	328	216
80 years and over	592	569	591	396	190	200	214	162
Unknown age	16	4	9	7	1	7	2	1
Female	59,633	55,638	61,178	52,517	24,245	20,847	31,653	52,333
Under 5 years	2,519	2,230	2,105	1,626	777	618	870	1,613
5-9 years	4,937	4,387	4,574	4,221	2,022	1,543	2,621	4,501
10-14 years	4,608	4,452	5,118	4,854	2,059	1,713	2,770	4,650
15-19 years	4,527	3,794	3,811	3,645	1,878	1,585	2,502	4,646
20-24 years	6,128	6,009	6,620	5,359	2,278	1,788	2,445	4,398
25-29 years	4,857	5,034	5,813	5,418	2,502	2,054	3,375	5,380
30-34 years	4,563	4,159	5,065	4,839	2,464	1,870	3,195	5,861
35-39 years	4,243	3,958	4,359	4,060	2,111	1,719	3,098	5,563
40-44 years	4,282	3,964	4,485	3,890	1,753	1,503	2,448	4,530
45-49 years	3,808	3,891	4,540	3,625	1,556	1,286	2,075	3,512
50-54 years	2,801	2,540	2,892	2,511	1,119	1,142	1,647	2,366
55-59 years	3,204	3,023	3,338	2,394	927	909	992	1,403
60-64 years	2,632	2,304	2,471	1,806	897	1,040	1,196	1,432
65-69 years	2,639	2,155	2,274	1,568	636	704	856	989
70-74 years	1,822	1,696	1,757	1,086	543	603	652	808
75-79 years	1,005	926	868	669	321	356	523	351
80 years and over	1,049	1,107	1,083	939	401	407	384	326
Unknown age	9	9	5	7	1	7	4	4
Unknown sex	11	3	1	43	155	28	57	69
Percent distribution	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	50.9	51.5	52.4	53.1	53.3	51.3	51.9	51.7
Female	49.1	48.5	47.6	46.8	46.5	48.6	48.0	48.2
Unknown	Z	Z	Z	Z	.3	.1	.1	.1

Z Rounds to less than .05 percent.

**TABLE 32. REFUGEES AND ASYLEES GRANTED LAWFUL PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS
BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEARS 1992-2001**

Region and country of birth	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
All countries	117,037	127,343	121,434	114,664	128,565	112,158	52,193	42,852	65,941	108,506
Europe	42,721	53,195	54,978	46,998	51,977	39,795	19,048	21,801	33,106	55,825
Albania	539	1,198	733	314	154	76	56	44	66	114
Armenia	479	329	342	214	182	213	158	130	114	321
Austria	90	54	25	15	15	20	6	16	18	37
Azerbaijan	1,551	2,790	2,668	1,594	1,446	1,000	196	372	455	476
Belarus	3,008	4,480	5,156	3,421	3,480	2,486	557	766	1,227	1,548
Belgium	1	2	2	-	3	4	2	6	5	7
Bosnia-Herzegovina	-	-	337	3,818	6,246	6,205	4,060	5,298	11,627	23,303
Bulgaria	562	303	138	105	100	69	33	20	38	57
Croatia	-	2	11	117	236	287	211	254	689	2,337
Czech Republic	X	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1
Czechoslovakia ¹	319	119	41	36	21	31	9	12	8	14
Denmark	-	1	-	2	9	1	1	-	1	1
Estonia	155	125	176	83	98	89	18	33	57	93
Finland	2	3	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-
France	13	15	10	7	24	18	3	5	13	14
Georgia	255	213	392	383	591	425	100	100	134	178
Germany	94	82	84	61	90	79	55	115	435	1,345
Greece	28	39	65	50	33	11	8	8	5	12
Hungary	229	80	37	28	40	24	14	7	9	19
Ireland	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	1
Italy	105	32	11	7	17	14	7	6	7	15
Kazakhstan	460	544	595	600	624	612	152	210	472	659
Kyrgyzstan	123	114	210	155	177	200	49	46	174	305
Latvia	315	493	568	387	359	272	69	126	134	175
Lithuania	157	228	214	151	136	85	27	33	55	69
Macedonia	X	X	4	20	20	19	32	8	34	114
Malta	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Moldova	1,588	2,546	2,154	1,597	1,415	1,043	272	373	729	1,322
Netherlands	2	7	3	-	-	3	5	8	3	8
Norway	-	-	-	1	2	1	-	1	1	1
Poland	1,512	731	334	245	183	143	54	36	57	71
Portugal	-	4	2	3	1	1	-	-	-	-
Romania	4,971	3,654	1,199	592	447	322	116	63	68	119
Russia	7,122	8,965	10,359	8,176	9,745	6,985	2,225	2,842	3,985	4,758
Slovak Republic	X	-	-	2	4	9	6	5	5	5
Slovenia	X	-	-	11	17	18	16	17	18	60
Soviet Union ²	3,824	6,126	5,719	5,060	3,303	2,589	5,524	4,394	2,443	1,621
Spain	50	37	55	33	46	29	31	25	41	39
Sweden	2	1	-	-	3	1	3	4	3	9
Switzerland	4	3	2	1	3	4	3	4	12	39
Tajikistan	167	301	534	654	535	239	24	45	47	100
Turkmenistan	30	40	50	71	78	66	10	25	40	28
Ukraine	13,347	16,977	19,366	14,937	16,636	12,137	3,641	4,956	7,742	11,130
United Kingdom	7	7	17	9	11	12	9	4	10	9
Uzbekistan	1,550	2,475	3,211	3,258	4,144	2,885	292	759	965	1,099
Yugoslavia ²	58	75	154	778	1,301	1,068	993	625	1,156	4,190
Asia	53,422	51,783	45,768	43,314	42,076	30,835	11,745	9,300	13,342	19,992
Afghanistan	2,082	2,233	1,665	616	369	356	137	54	113	257
Bahrain	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Bangladesh	10	7	19	36	50	91	159	84	95	204
Bhutan	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Burma	19	78	114	136	101	82	79	45	51	181
Cambodia	1,695	808	557	268	210	163	62	39	36	75
China, People's Republic	884	1,153	774	803	845	692	898	429	486	812
Cyprus	-	-	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
Hong Kong	193	90	82	48	47	19	5	16	36	247
India	34	103	133	323	485	462	373	118	466	942
Indonesia	13	16	41	62	30	8	4	1	14	111
Iran	3,093	3,875	2,186	1,245	1,212	1,447	754	1,030	956	1,364
Iraq	365	1,856	4,400	3,848	3,802	1,774	1,001	1,835	3,483	3,060
Israel	10	20	29	34	32	25	6	5	5	12
Japan	5	3	4	2	-	-	1	1	4	1
Jordan	15	42	48	64	58	46	21	14	10	11

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**TABLE 32. REFUGEES AND ASYLEES GRANTED LAWFUL PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS
BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEARS 1992-2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Korea	-	1	3	5	4	3	2	1	6	3
Kuwait	13	114	94	63	74	46	29	9	16	37
Laos	8,026	6,547	4,482	3,364	2,155	1,363	1,110	383	708	520
Lebanon	140	204	88	48	77	68	39	16	30	38
Macau	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
Malaysia	88	37	49	44	15	16	-	13	30	210
Maldives	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mongolia	3	4	4	2	3	7	-	3	3	5
Nepal	-	3	-	5	7	12	1	3	1	2
Oman	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Pakistan	129	185	181	197	194	280	130	54	134	320
Philippines	221	122	103	80	80	68	16	7	22	89
Qatar	6	2	5	3	1	-	-	1	-	1
Saudi Arabia	19	24	75	126	280	135	79	57	52	70
Singapore	2	-	1	1	1	5	1	-	-	9
Sri Lanka	22	62	33	30	42	46	27	17	16	19
Syria	96	115	34	258	208	146	707	160	149	327
Taiwan	10	1	-	2	2	1	-	2	1	1
Thailand	4,048	3,724	3,076	2,932	1,940	1,112	1,134	380	810	653
Turkey	16	79	156	58	42	35	21	15	28	32
United Arab Emirates	2	15	7	9	4	9	5	1	1	3
Vietnam	32,155	30,249	27,318	28,595	29,700	22,297	4,921	4,503	5,576	10,351
Yemen	5	9	4	4	6	19	22	4	2	22
Africa	4,480	5,944	6,078	7,527	5,464	7,651	4,225	2,184	3,365	6,906
Algeria	-	2	3	3	16	46	33	12	23	46
Angola	25	13	7	4	11	4	2	1	2	3
Benin	1	-	-	-	1	1	1	1	6	15
Botswana	5	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burkina Faso	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	9	13
Burundi	5	4	6	4	17	41	43	6	18	64
Cameroon	-	12	14	33	68	89	55	12	16	44
Cape Verde	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Central African Republic	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Chad	1	3	2	3	4	2	1	12	14	18
Congo, Democratic Republic ³	72	109	113	130	175	146	55	21	46	77
Congo, Republic ³	1	-	-	2	-	4	2	2	8	34
Cote d'Ivoire	-	3	15	19	24	19	20	3	14	52
Djibouti	2	3	6	-	-	-	7	-	1	9
Egypt	18	35	37	29	66	71	54	32	26	136
Eritrea	X	43	200	204	68	45	27	14	7	36
Ethiopia	3,268	3,682	2,530	1,802	985	1,056	507	183	270	881
Gabon	-	-	-	-	1	3	1	1	-	-
Gambia, The	-	1	-	-	2	10	23	3	15	61
Ghana	16	35	37	54	56	67	42	14	46	81
Guinea	1	2	7	7	21	10	-	-	2	1
Guinea-Bissau	-	-	-	-	-	3	14	5	14	31
Kenya	42	42	98	165	171	291	234	131	241	332
Lesotho	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liberia	25	239	851	855	700	505	225	124	273	976
Libya	143	172	27	28	24	13	4	-	5	8
Malawi	3	-	4	2	-	2	2	1	-	4
Mali	-	1	-	-	-	4	4	2	1	8
Mauritania	1	7	4	10	10	35	64	16	64	68
Mauritius	2	1	3	1	5	4	-	2	1	7
Morocco	1	3	3	1	5	1	2	2	1	1
Mozambique	9	16	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Namibia	6	17	5	-	-	-	3	-	-	1
Niger	-	-	-	-	-	27	-	-	-	70
Nigeria	9	14	21	26	40	80	112	43	78	300
Rwanda	1	4	8	13	84	140	34	53	52	106
Senegal	2	2	-	1	7	9	3	4	10	19
Sierra Leone	3	2	4	25	44	78	52	18	42	215
Somalia	330	885	1,572	3,095	1,700	3,607	2,270	1,279	1,817	2,484
South Africa	33	37	6	23	9	7	1	1	1	11
Sudan	369	443	402	935	1,089	1,119	287	153	210	593
Swaziland	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2

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**TABLE 32. REFUGEES AND ASYLEES GRANTED LAWFUL PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS
BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEARS 1992-2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Tanzania	3	1	-	1	3	3	1	-	1	9
Togo	1	2	5	8	17	52	22	7	17	44
Tunisia	1	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	6
Uganda	64	87	79	36	24	46	15	22	12	35
Zambia	4	10	3	7	6	3	1	1	-	1
Zimbabwe	4	6	2	-	9	5	1	-	2	2
Oceania	9	34	23	63	56	59	20	2	24	19
Australia	-	2	1	-	2	-	-	1	-	2
Fiji	8	31	22	61	54	59	20	1	24	15
French Polynesia	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Caledonia	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soloman Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Wallis and Futuna Islands	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
North America	15,962	15,926	14,204	16,265	28,070	32,898	16,372	9,086	15,233	24,696
Canada	5	8	10	5	3	12	6	6	11	14
Mexico	29	29	15	37	47	60	41	33	51	67
United States	-	1	-	-	1	8	2	2	3	2
Caribbean	9,969	11,700	12,672	14,888	26,597	31,479	15,480	8,730	14,715	23,448
Bahamas, The	2	4	-	1	2	1	-	1	-	3
Bermuda	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
British Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cayman Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Cuba	9,919	11,603	11,998	12,355	22,542	30,377	14,915	8,588	14,362	22,687
Dominica	-	4	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Dominican Republic	27	18	8	22	19	26	18	18	23	13
Grenada	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Guadeloupe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Haiti	16	68	664	2,502	4,028	1,074	537	122	322	735
Jamaica	1	3	1	4	3	-	2	1	5	4
Martinique	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-
Montserrat	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
St. Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	-	-	-	2	1	-	2	-	-	2
Turks and Caicos Islands	4	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Central America	5,959	4,188	1,507	1,335	1,422	1,339	843	315	453	1,165
Belize	-	-	1	2	2	-	-	-	1	2
Costa Rica	31	29	20	8	18	20	10	6	14	26
El Salvador	743	811	275	283	262	198	129	47	76	195
Guatemala	169	210	131	158	234	327	264	105	139	456
Honduras	105	165	81	119	119	109	108	48	63	124
Nicaragua	4,668	2,892	966	727	766	666	316	103	149	350
Panama	243	81	33	38	21	19	16	6	11	12
South America	442	461	383	497	922	890	712	417	813	936
Argentina	15	4	9	11	13	12	13	13	27	17
Bolivia	3	6	10	9	17	10	12	5	13	15
Brazil	7	11	9	10	18	16	14	8	33	34
Chile	16	17	8	10	21	14	12	13	22	27
Colombia	74	63	70	102	116	154	171	121	215	217
Ecuador	6	25	25	11	15	10	30	28	30	40
Guyana	-	4	3	3	-	7	4	-	2	12
Paraguay	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	1	3	1
Peru	74	176	153	241	568	489	338	117	278	399
Suriname	27	16	2	4	3	1	-	1	3	2
Uruguay	-	4	2	1	-	3	-	-	4	5
Venezuela	220	135	91	95	150	173	118	110	183	167
Unknown or not reported	1	-	-	-	-	30	71	62	58	132

¹ Prior to 1993, data include independent republics; beginning in 1993, data are for unknown republic only. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. ² Prior to 1992, data include independent republics; beginning in 1992, data are for unknown republic only. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. ³ On May 30, 1997, Zaire was formally recognized as the Democratic Republic of the Congo. With this change of Zaire, the Congo is shown in the long form, Republic of the Congo.
- Represents zero. X Not applicable.

**TABLE 33. REFUGEES AND ASYLEES GRANTED LAWFUL PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH AND SELECTED METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA OF RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Metropolitan statistical area ¹	All countries	Bosnia-Herzegovina	Cuba	Ukraine	Vietnam	Russia	Yugoslavia ²	Iraq	Somalia
Total	108,506	23,303	22,687	11,130	10,351	4,758	4,190	3,060	2,484
Miami, FL	16,182	10	14,971	10	12	14	8	1	-
New York, NY	7,493	230	114	1,413	42	948	1,108	3	8
Chicago, IL.....	4,350	2,067	85	364	177	182	259	88	13
Sacramento, CA	3,749	93	4	1,913	148	367	6	-	-
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA	3,703	406	7	1,362	373	308	54	90	221
Portland-Vancouver, OR-WA	3,086	364	117	1,193	202	339	53	10	34
Atlanta, GA	2,624	977	69	61	642	40	98	107	158
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	2,250	814	809	37	233	3	102	13	-
Phoenix-Mesa, AZ	2,126	1,046	120	3	214	4	118	140	60
Los Angeles-Long Beach, CA	2,091	18	214	55	64	63	23	7	4
Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI	2,080	254	10	140	100	135	31	42	444
Detroit, MI	1,907	749	15	54	32	36	124	593	1
St. Louis, MO-IL	1,897	1,357	6	35	73	21	96	54	14
Washington, DC-MD-VA-WV	1,820	158	43	36	323	73	34	114	140
Boston, MA-NH	1,807	415	51	118	408	143	82	42	52
Houston, TX	1,586	252	123	13	678	25	54	30	56
San Jose, CA	1,575	311	15	55	703	81	13	2	6
Philadelphia, PA-NJ	1,278	79	20	385	188	131	34	15	1
San Diego, CA	1,193	48	24	48	260	28	108	373	41
Dallas, TX	1,149	280	112	28	305	15	28	104	18
Orange County, CA	1,112	23	26	4	726	17	5	3	7
Louisville, KY-IN	1,104	426	367	15	72	9	33	54	28
Salt Lake City-Ogden, UT	1,091	547	10	23	58	21	73	95	31
Des Moines, IA	1,028	741	3	7	42	4	34	3	37
Oakland, CA	1,028	362	12	76	232	67	5	1	2
Jacksonville, FL	1,022	618	65	34	53	19	30	14	1
Las Vegas, NV-AZ	1,020	293	483	1	6	3	37	-	-
Utica-Rome, NY	964	632	5	76	32	2	27	3	-
Denver, CO	943	221	10	134	170	110	38	18	38
Fort Lauderdale, FL	919	18	469	17	17	15	18	1	-
Grand Rapids-Muskegon-Holland, MI	917	545	69	1	98	7	61	4	34
Orlando, FL	831	233	339	13	91	8	22	5	3
Fort Worth-Arlington, TX	828	271	12	1	269	2	63	32	34
Jersey City, NJ	828	8	726	7	23	6	7	-	1
Columbus, OH	814	50	14	69	19	17	13	16	412
Cleveland-Lorain-Elyria, OH	778	300	5	208	-	71	28	3	-
Spokane, WA	717	111	6	216	10	144	14	1	-
Newark, NJ	708	141	255	54	6	29	34	4	-
San Francisco, CA	686	92	16	198	73	107	3	7	-
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton, FL	678	18	535	9	8	-	15	-	-
Waterloo-Cedar Falls, IA	655	614	-	-	1	-	6	-	-
Milwaukee-Waukesha, WI	611	194	15	63	4	15	46	-	3
Nashville, TN	601	163	23	5	58	-	5	192	48
Kansas City, MO-KS	586	154	44	4	120	9	11	48	78
Springfield, MA	586	29	-	201	29	78	2	-	-
Tacoma, WA	579	1	2	312	64	55	-	2	-
Bergen-Passaic, NJ	568	103	67	56	4	77	80	5	-
Greensboro--Winston-Salem--High Point, NC	562	170	37	-	160	14	40	-	11
Rochester, NY	546	117	131	84	26	13	20	-	71
Hartford, CT	541	346	19	16	8	19	62	-	4
Other MSA	18,126	5,026	1,731	1,639	2,379	729	795	648	271
Non-MSA	2,571	807	262	264	316	135	130	73	99
Unknown	12	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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TABLE 33. REFUGEES AND ASYLEES GRANTED LAWFUL PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH AND SELECTED METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA OF RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued

Metropolitan statistical area ¹	Croatia	Soviet Union ²	Belarus	Iran	Germany ³	Moldova	Uzbeki- stan	Liberia	Other
Total	2,337	1,621	1,548	1,364	1,345	1,322	1,099	976	14,931
Miami, FL	4	11	-	2	3	1	7	1	1,127
New York, NY	25	332	315	76	27	78	589	177	2,008
Chicago, IL.....	285	238	82	49	96	25	15	29	296
Sacramento, CA	8	43	256	20	12	402	75	1	401
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA	22	136	67	37	25	87	16	6	486
Portland-Vancouver, OR-WA	19	41	56	16	25	173	43	2	399
Atlanta, GA	90	8	9	26	55	23	10	13	238
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	121	-	-	5	62	-	-	-	51
Phoenix-Mesa, AZ	101	8	-	40	41	-	10	17	204
Los Angeles-Long Beach, CA	13	39	2	291	2	4	7	15	1,270
Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI	15	27	68	8	16	78	-	159	553
Detroit, MI	48	11	13	6	47	5	10	5	158
St. Louis, MO-IL	42	4	5	11	73	1	3	5	97
Washington, DC-MD-VA-WV	17	21	4	101	13	-	2	69	672
Boston, MA-NH	70	161	29	3	41	18	4	24	146
Houston, TX	19	7	2	19	10	1	-	26	271
San Jose, CA	18	37	3	83	20	3	8	-	217
Philadelphia, PA-NJ	37	33	58	1	2	38	21	91	144
San Diego, CA	1	4	8	39	7	2	5	-	197
Dallas, TX	12	7	5	41	15	-	11	19	149
Orange County, CA	3	1	2	43	2	-	-	1	249
Louisville, KY-IN	12	6	6	14	16	-	2	-	44
Salt Lake City-Ogden, UT	45	6	4	13	38	7	3	-	117
Des Moines, IA	21	-	2	-	42	2	-	15	75
Oakland, CA	10	14	4	25	20	-	6	10	182
Jacksonville, FL	90	3	-	9	40	1	4	2	39
Las Vegas, NV-AZ	91	-	-	20	10	-	-	-	76
Utica-Rome, NY	17	-	120	4	23	-	-	-	23
Denver, CO	17	14	23	13	12	2	5	4	114
Fort Lauderdale, FL	6	9	1	4	3	-	3	-	338
Grand Rapids-Muskegon-Holland, MI	14	-	-	-	48	-	-	3	33
Orlando, FL	36	-	1	1	12	-	-	-	67
Fort Worth-Arlington, TX	33	-	-	8	18	3	-	5	77
Jersey City, NJ	-	3	3	-	-	-	1	2	41
Columbus, OH	13	13	17	7	7	2	10	4	131
Cleveland-Lorain-Elyria, OH	64	9	20	1	15	2	9	10	33
Spokane, WA	15	30	42	-	10	8	7	-	103
Newark, NJ	17	18	2	2	14	12	5	32	83
San Francisco, CA	-	29	39	5	8	10	16	2	81
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton, FL	6	-	-	4	1	-	-	1	81
Waterloo-Cedar Falls, IA	17	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	8
Milwaukee-Waukesha, WI	96	15	19	4	1	-	10	5	121
Nashville, TN	18	-	-	15	4	-	-	2	68
Kansas City, MO-KS	27	-	-	9	5	-	4	-	73
Springfield, MA	7	7	31	8	1	75	10	-	108
Tacoma, WA	-	20	12	-	-	78	6	-	27
Bergen-Passaic, NJ	25	32	11	7	7	2	-	2	90
Greensboro--Winston-Salem--High Point, NC	34	1	-	4	9	-	-	15	67
Rochester, NY	8	1	3	1	16	12	-	-	43
Hartford, CT	4	1	8	2	10	1	-	6	35
Other MSA	569	190	186	260	280	145	145	192	2,941
Non-MSA	55	29	9	7	70	21	17	4	273
Unknown	-	2	1	-	2	-	-	-	6

¹ Ranked by the number of refugees and asylees. See Glossary for definition of metropolitan statistical area. ² Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. ³ Mostly refugee children.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 34. REFUGEES AND ASYLEES GRANTED LAWFUL PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS
BY STATE OF RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEARS 1992-2001**

State of residence	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Total	117,037	127,343	121,434	114,664	128,565	112,158	52,193	42,852	65,941	108,506
Alabama	94	118	106	67	95	56	48	38	119	148
Alaska	56	62	47	20	72	28	26	41	23	55
Arizona	608	973	708	628	333	289	106	398	1,517	2,366
Arkansas	99	150	111	91	96	94	45	2	14	62
California	38,261	39,516	29,284	26,104	20,233	23,046	8,309	7,190	9,068	13,160
Colorado	1,114	1,106	1,186	1,296	1,416	1,102	553	408	519	1,079
Connecticut	1,111	1,116	904	956	864	552	169	371	591	1,142
Delaware	39	47	51	37	59	17	23	12	21	44
District of Columbia	408	355	413	445	506	457	188	5	67	186
Florida	14,035	14,344	14,108	14,527	23,535	28,672	14,093	7,214	13,324	22,774
Georgia	1,467	1,765	2,287	2,672	2,645	3,206	769	1,010	1,694	2,781
Hawaii	245	241	239	240	208	70	8	6	10	38
Idaho	169	146	217	190	387	126	55	270	204	519
Illinois	4,411	3,906	4,122	5,060	5,040	3,798	1,471	1,698	3,090	4,785
Indiana	248	457	463	424	585	410	394	161	213	738
Iowa	445	654	467	733	851	1,020	180	233	929	1,974
Kansas	691	623	655	473	755	359	136	264	221	233
Kentucky	348	286	267	430	486	394	808	391	1,460	1,686
Louisiana	938	660	614	376	909	577	219	103	103	363
Maine	141	131	127	135	257	219	80	13	77	278
Maryland	2,275	1,497	2,774	2,244	2,136	1,716	935	190	590	926
Massachusetts	3,461	4,303	3,824	3,639	3,445	2,496	793	712	1,431	2,732
Michigan	1,916	2,596	2,594	2,979	3,001	1,597	1,250	2,226	1,799	3,377
Minnesota	2,338	2,678	2,989	3,635	3,787	3,210	1,696	839	1,433	2,588
Mississippi	120	66	75	38	116	130	41	35	19	57
Missouri	692	1,029	1,338	1,303	1,733	1,027	516	1,161	1,262	2,457
Montana	61	61	42	15	48	19	20	13	16	22
Nebraska	143	663	490	574	362	726	36	65	555	724
Nevada	377	400	297	411	444	572	263	460	410	1,026
New Hampshire	227	155	144	185	257	236	86	59	156	431
New Jersey	2,603	3,188	2,680	2,058	3,665	2,068	826	915	1,535	2,724
New Mexico	166	215	196	179	282	195	102	100	234	239
New York	14,097	16,986	20,846	19,721	24,625	13,638	8,430	9,197	9,192	10,576
North Carolina	684	887	1,162	863	884	764	422	274	571	1,361
North Dakota	49	180	311	138	271	281	183	47	144	270
Ohio	2,734	2,378	2,254	1,791	1,668	1,362	664	481	903	2,215
Oklahoma	404	258	419	418	487	133	62	144	145	180
Oregon	1,746	2,619	1,935	766	1,813	1,958	760	497	1,157	2,194
Pennsylvania	3,827	3,748	3,313	3,125	2,712	2,261	711	1,564	1,393	2,565
Rhode Island	488	385	321	287	284	91	71	68	69	112
South Carolina	74	150	120	154	142	173	55	90	50	108
South Dakota	176	213	326	279	200	130	76	39	155	301
Tennessee	668	869	942	1,152	1,030	1,140	331	229	983	1,172
Texas	3,957	4,862	4,576	4,272	6,415	2,749	982	742	1,951	4,301
Utah	363	441	500	414	650	135	612	606	573	1,109
Vermont	68	67	70	112	177	183	103	99	139	293
Virginia	1,891	1,766	2,258	2,054	2,544	1,914	1,096	495	942	1,895
Washington	5,063	6,018	6,330	4,793	5,271	6,305	2,874	1,310	3,454	6,769
West Virginia	-	6	3	6	10	2	5	9	3	19
Wisconsin	1,302	1,868	1,814	2,052	561	329	418	205	1,174	1,010
Wyoming	3	1	4	1	4	4	-	-	4	1
U.S. territories and possessions										
Guam	16	1	-	13	14	7	4	1	-	2
Puerto Rico	120	133	109	84	194	114	90	152	232	336
U.S. Virgin Islands	-	-	-	5	1	1	-	-	3	2
Other	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1

- Represents zero.

IV. TEMPORARY ADMISSIONS

This section presents information on the number and characteristics of persons who come to the United States on a temporary basis (nonimmigrants), with subsections on parolees—persons allowed temporary entrance under special circumstances, and H-1B workers—persons allowed temporary entrance to perform services in “specialty occupations.”

Nonimmigrants

A nonimmigrant is an alien admitted to the United States for a specified purpose and temporary period but not for permanent residence.

(See Appendix 2, p. A.2-8.)

Although the typical nonimmigrant is a tourist who visits for a few days to several months, there are numerous classes of nonimmigrant admission, ranging from students to ambassadors. More than 32.8 million nonimmigrant

admissions were counted during fiscal year 2001. This represents a decrease of nearly 866 thousand since 2000, or 2.6 percent. This is the first annual decrease since the early 1980s.

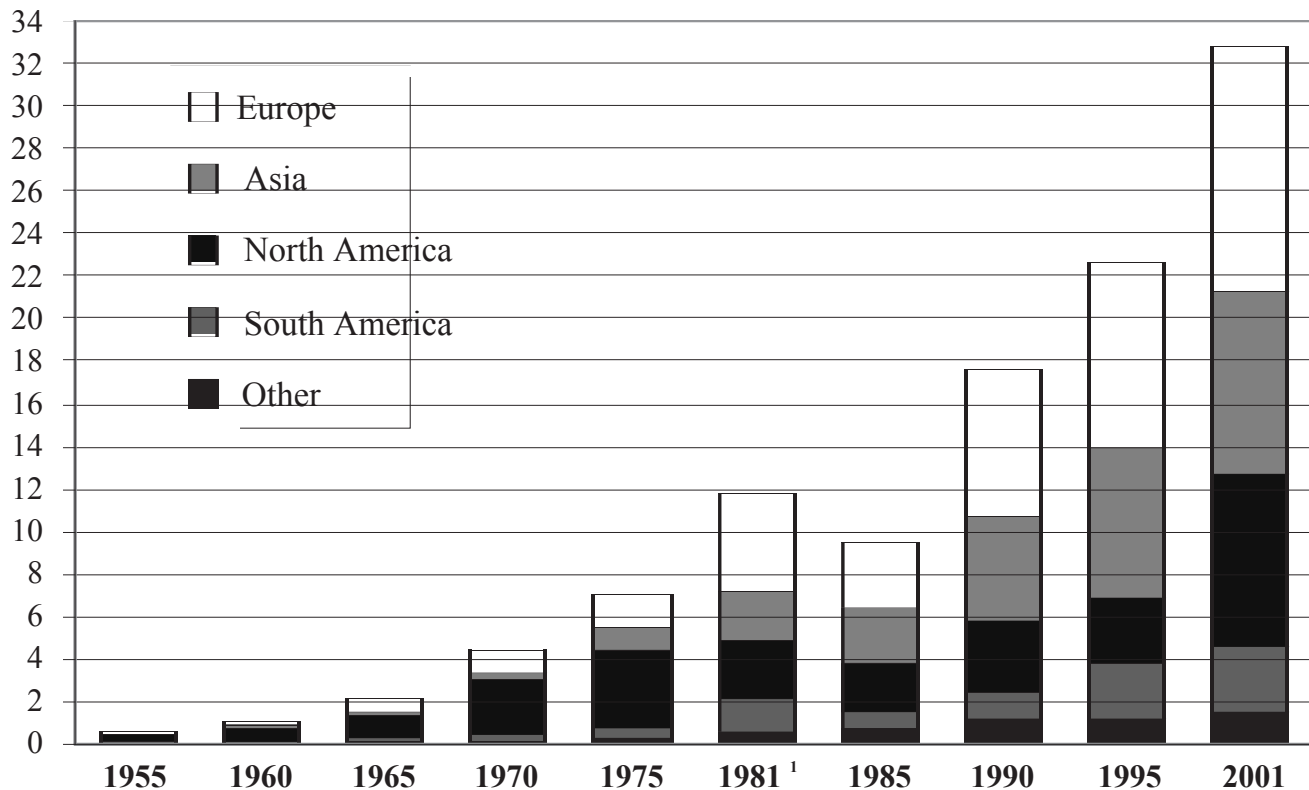
The September 11 terrorist attacks

The September 11 terrorist attacks had a substantial impact on the arrival of temporary visitors to the United States during 2001. Though the attacks occurred late in the fiscal year, the immediate reduction in arrivals of temporary

Chart E

Nonimmigrants Admitted by Region of Last Residence: Selected Fiscal Years 1955-2001

Millions



¹ No data available for 1980. NOTE: See Glossary for fiscal year definitions.

Source: 2001, 1995, 1990, 1985, and 1981, Table 35; 1955-75, previous *Yearbooks*.

visitors had a significant effect on the annual total. The impact is seen even more acutely during fiscal year 2002. While the decrease in total admissions for fiscal year 2001 was 2.6 percent, preliminary data for 2002 indicate an approximate 14 percent decline. Further information will be shown in the next edition of the *Statistical Yearbook*.

U.S. Nonimmigrant Program

Nonimmigrants were first defined in the Immigration Act of 1819, but the Act of 1855 was the first to require the reporting of “temporary arrivals” separately. The Act of 1924 defined several classes of admission that have been expanded in subsequent legislation. Though “tourists” (temporary visitors for pleasure) have consistently been by far the most numerous nonimmigrant class of admission to the United States, a wide variety of temporary visitors now fall within the nonimmigrant classification. Second in volume to tourists are business people coming to the United States to engage in commercial transactions (though not for employment in this country). (See Table 37.)

Nonimmigrant categories (Tables 35-38, 41, 43)

Other categories of admission make up a much smaller share of the nonimmigrant total, such as foreign students and temporary workers. Temporary workers are admitted to the United States with “specialty occupations” (such as computer systems analysts and programmers) or to perform temporary services or labor when persons capable of performing such services or labor cannot be found in this country (such as agricultural laborers). Others who are granted authorization to work temporarily in the United States include: exchange visitors who enter to study, teach, or conduct research; intracompany transferees, to render managerial or executive services in the United States to international firms or corporations; and industrial trainees. Though not strictly considered as employed in the United States, treaty traders and treaty investors enter temporarily to conduct trade or to invest substantially in enterprises under the provisions of treaties of commerce and navigation between the United States and foreign states.

Nonimmigrants also include several types of temporary visitors who are connected in some way with a foreign government or who represent an international organization. Ambassadors, public ministers, diplomats, and consular officers serve temporarily in this country, bringing with them members of their immediate families as well as personal employees, attendants, and servants. Officers and employees of international organizations such as the United

Nations add to the list of nonimmigrant visitors entering the United States each year.

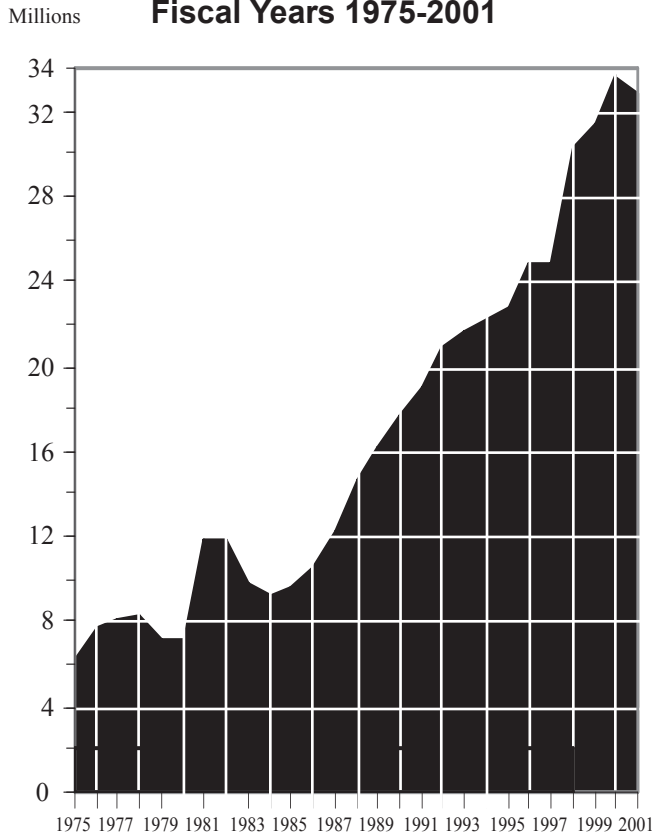
New classes of nonimmigrant admission were established in prior years that resulted in entries starting in 2001 (Table 37). The Nursing Relief for Disadvantaged Areas Act of 1999 (see Appendix 2) established nonimmigrant entry for a limited number of nurses to fill short-term needs in medically underserved areas in the United States. The Legal Immigration Family Equity (LIFE) Act of 2000 and its amendments (see Appendix 2) authorized nonimmigrant admission to allow the spouse or child of a U.S. citizen to complete processing for permanent resident status while in the United States. Similar nonimmigrant admission was granted to a spouse or child (or dependent of a spouse or child) of a legal permanent resident who has had a petition for an immigrant visa pending for more than 3 years. The Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act of 2000 (see Appendix 2) authorized nonimmigrant admission to an individual (and spouse, child, or parent) who is or has been the victim of a severe form of trafficking. Also, this enactment authorized admission to an individual (and spouse, child, or parent) who has suffered substantial physical or mental abuse as a victim of a criminal activity.

The Glossary (Appendix 2) contains a detailed definition of nonimmigrants, a listing of each of the nonimmigrant classes of admission, and a detailed definition of each class.

Admission policy

The U.S. government has an “open door” policy for most nonimmigrant classes of admission. There is no set limit on the total number of admissions each year; indeed, tourists (the majority of nonimmigrants) are encouraged to visit as a boon to the U.S. economy. The only exception is on the number of petitions approved for initial employment for certain categories of temporary workers. Annual ceilings have been set by U.S. law on the number of petitions approved each year for admission categories H-1B (specialty occupations—see page 134) and H-2B (occupations in which persons providing services or labor cannot be found in this country). Regulations govern additional areas such as the grounds for nonimmigrant admission, length and extension of stay, employment in the United States, accompaniment by family members, travel restrictions within the United States, and change of admission status. For example, ambassadors are allowed to

Chart F
Nonimmigrants Admitted:
Fiscal Years 1975-2001



NOTE: Data estimated for last quarter of 1979 and no data available for 1980 and 1997. See Glossary for fiscal year definitions.
 Source: Table 35 and previous *Yearbooks*.

remain in the United States for the duration of their service, students to complete their studies, visitors for business for a maximum of 6 months (plus 6-month extensions), and aliens in transit through the United States for not more than 29 days (with no extensions).

In response the terrorist attacks in September 2001 the INS initiated the policy of inspecting transit aliens who had previously not been inspected, but rather had waited in secure U.S. airport “transit lounges” for their connecting flights through the United States from one foreign country to another. This policy has greatly increased the count of aliens in transit without visas (and to a much more limited extent, counts for visitors for business and pleasure (Table 37)) because this admission classification is most often used for inspection of transit lounge aliens. While this policy change had a minimal affect on the count of aliens in transit without visas during fiscal year 2001, the impact on the count for fiscal year 2002 is expected to be substantial.

Employment, family members

(Tables 36-38, 41, 43)

Most types of nonimmigrants are not allowed employment while in the United States, though exceptions may be granted, for example to students and to family members of international representatives. On the other hand, temporary workers come to the United States expressly for purposes of employment. Most nonimmigrant aliens may bring immediate family members with them; the exception is transit aliens other than foreign government officials. Some nonimmigrant aliens are prohibited from changing to another nonimmigrant category while in this country: transit aliens (except certain diplomats); crewmen; Visa Waiver Program visitors; fiance(e)s coming to the United States to marry U.S. citizens; visitors under a special program to provide certain critical information to Federal or State courts; and certain exchange visitors, non-agricultural workers, industrial trainees, vocational students, NATO personnel, and Irish Peace process aliens.

Country of citizenship	Visa Waiver visitors to Guam, fiscal year 2001	
	For pleasure	For business
Total	109,400	2,202
Korea	78,543	1,661
Taiwan ¹	25,125	298
Hong Kong	1,995	22
United Kingdom	1,213	19
Japan	270	3
Australia	181	18
Malaysia	111	-
Indonesia	103	12
Nauru	78	3
Singapore	74	74
New Zealand	52	1
Burma ²	40	1
Papua New Guinea ...	25	2
Solomon Islands	8	2
Vanuatu	8	2
Brunei	-	-
Samoa	-	-
Unknown	1,574	57

¹ Includes 6,940 pleasure and 36 business admissions from the People’s Republic of China, which is not in the Guam Visa Waiver program.

² Removed from the program in January 2001.

- Represents zero.

Visa Waiver Program (Table 37)

The Visa Waiver Program, established by the Immigration Reform and Control Act (IRCA) of 1986 and made permanent by the Visa Waiver Permanent Program Act of 2000, permits certain nonimmigrants from qualified countries entry to the United States on a temporary basis without nonimmigrant visas. The program (see Appendix 2, p. A.2-14) extends only to approved countries that offer a reciprocal waiver of visas to U.S. citizens and adhere to other statutory and regulatory requirements. These include development of machine-readable passports and the condition that designation in the program will not compromise U.S. law enforcement or national security. Entry is limited to the visitor for pleasure and for business classes, with admission not to exceed 90 days. During fiscal year 2001, 29 countries were members of the Visa Waiver Program. Entries for current participant countries during fiscal year 2000 and 2001 are shown in Table C. Data for business and pleasure are not available separately for 2000 and 2001 due to the expiration of the Visa Waiver Pilot Program before it was made permanent. From May 1 through October 30, 2000 all visa waiver entries were inspected using parole provisions and were not differentiated as to visitors for business or pleasure.

Guam Visa Waiver Program

Under the Visa Waiver Program, certain visitors from designated countries may visit Guam for up to 15 days without first having to obtain nonimmigrant visitor visas. Guam Visa Waiver entries were not affected by the May through October 2000 period of expiration. The table on the preceding page shows the countries participating in this program and entries for fiscal year 2001.

North American Free-Trade Agreement

(Tables 36-38, 41, 43)

In December 1992, the Presidents of the United States and Mexico and the Prime Minister of Canada signed an agreement, enacted in December 1993, known as the North American Free-Trade Agreement (NAFTA). This law superseded the United States-Canada Free-Trade Agreement, and established a special, reciprocal trading relationship among the United States, Canada, and Mexico. This agreement extended to the citizens of Mexico (with certain stipulations) and Canada the nonimmigrant class of admission exclusively for business people entering the United States to engage in activities at a "professional" level. Additionally, the agreement facilitates entry for Mexican as well as Canadian citizens

seeking temporary entry as visitors for business, treaty traders and treaty investors, and intracompany transferees. Entries under NAFTA began in February 1994. Data for fiscal year 2001 are shown for NAFTA in Table 37.

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to the United States during 2001.**

Data Overview

Recent trends in admission (Tables 35, 37)

As noted, the fiscal year 2001 total of more than 32.8 million nonimmigrant arrivals represents a decrease of nearly 866 thousand (2.6 percent) from fiscal year 2000. Total nonimmigrant admissions numbered about 6.3 million during 1975 and steadily increased to about 11.8 million in both 1981 and 1982. The number stabilized at about 9.5 million from 1983 to 1985 (recording a low in 1984), then began a steady increase that continued from 1985 to 2000. The decrease from 2000 to 2001 is the first since 1983-84 (Chart F).

Due to multiple entry each year of some aliens (especially among certain categories such as students) and the method of data collection, nonimmigrant admission data represent arrival events rather than individuals (see Data Collection section).

Class of admission (Tables 35-38, 41, 43)

Of the 32.8 million nonimmigrant admissions in fiscal year 2001, a large majority (89.6 percent) entered as visitors for pleasure (tourists) or visitors for business. Nearly 340,000 persons entered as exchange visitors to study, teach, or conduct research in the United States, bringing with them some 49,600 spouses and children (Chart G and Table 38). There were nearly 699,000 foreign student admissions recorded, entering to pursue a full course of study (predominantly in academic institutions) in addition to more than 43,000 spouse and children admissions (Chart H and Table 36).

More than 239,000 representatives of foreign governments (less than 1 percent of total entries) entered the United States as nonimmigrants in 2001. This figure consists of: more than 131,000 foreign government officials (including

Table C
Nonimmigrants Admitted Under the Visa Waiver Program by Country of Citizenship:
Fiscal Years 2000-01

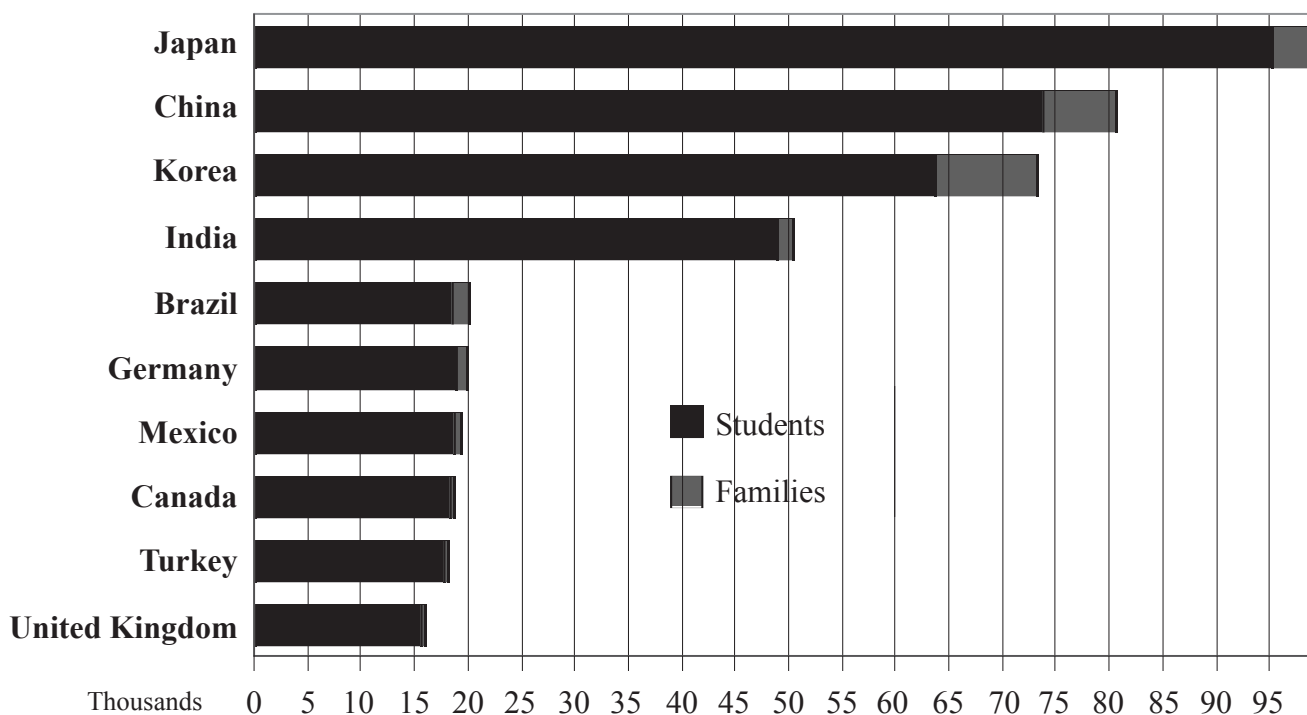
Country of citizenship	2001	2000	Change	
			Number	Percent
All Visa Waiver countries	16,364,966	17,697,919	-1,332,953	-7.5
Japan	4,752,952	4,942,818	-189,866	-3.8
United Kingdom	4,487,264	4,563,621	-76,357	-1.7
Germany	1,525,268	1,893,534	-368,266	-19.4
France	1,075,677	1,193,256	-117,579	-9.9
Italy	670,751	737,641	-66,890	-9.1
Netherlands	538,968	623,088	-84,120	-13.5
Australia.....	478,689	519,176	-40,487	-7.8
Argentina	443,047	410,915	32,132	7.8
Spain	369,544	394,170	-24,626	-6.2
Ireland	345,681	338,793	6,888	2.0
Switzerland	291,765	322,935	-31,170	-9.7
Sweden	273,100	317,515	-44,415	-14.0
Belgium	197,660	234,136	-36,476	-15.6
New Zealand	168,417	171,403	-2,986	-1.7
Austria	153,008	190,194	-37,186	-19.6
Denmark	143,559	151,417	-7,858	-5.2
Norway	134,515	139,728	-5,213	-3.7
Finland	86,796	99,266	-12,470	-12.6
Portugal	72,402	66,779	5,623	8.4
Singapore	68,434	66,521	1,913	2.9
Uruguay	40,933	33,625	7,308	21.7
Iceland	21,648	24,462	-2,814	-11.5
Slovenia	13,155	16,119	-2,964	-18.4
Luxembourg	8,243	11,141	-2,898	-26.0
Liechtenstein	1,365	1,392	-27	-1.9
Monaco	586	677	-91	-13.4
Andorra	573	723	-150	-20.7
Brunei	568	615	-47	-7.6
San Marino	398	531	-133	-25.0
Unknown	217,637	231,728	-14,091	-6.1

NOTE: Data include entries under the Guam Visa Waiver Program. Data for business and pleasure are not available separately due to temporary expiration of the Visa Waiver Program from May through October 2000.

ambassadors, public ministers, career diplomats, and consular officers), family members, and attendants; more than 94,000 foreign representatives to international

organizations (including families and attendants); and nearly 14,000 officials serving the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) (including family members).

Chart G
Nonimmigrants Admitted as Students and Their Families from Top Ten Countries of Citizenship: Fiscal Year 2001



NOTE: China includes the People's Republic of China and Taiwan. Source: Table 36.

Country of citizenship (Tables 36, 38-40, 42)

Nearly half of all nonimmigrants arriving in 2001 were citizens of one of four countries: Japan (15.4 percent), the United Kingdom (15.1), Mexico (11.3), and Germany (5.3). Tourists far outnumbered other classes of entry for almost every country of citizenship (Chart I). More than 94 percent of Japanese nonimmigrants were tourists (visitors for business or pleasure), compared to 90 percent of citizens of France, and 81 percent of Chinese (the People's Republic of China and Taiwan).

Port of entry (Table 39)

Just as four countries dominated nonimmigrant admissions to the United States in 2001, so did four ports of entry. Miami (13.2 percent), New York (12.2), Los Angeles (10.8), and Honolulu (5.8) together accounted for 42 percent of all entrants. The share of all four ports decreased in 2001, indicating a continuing dispersement of arrivals to other ports within the United States since 1996.

State of destination (Tables 41, 42)

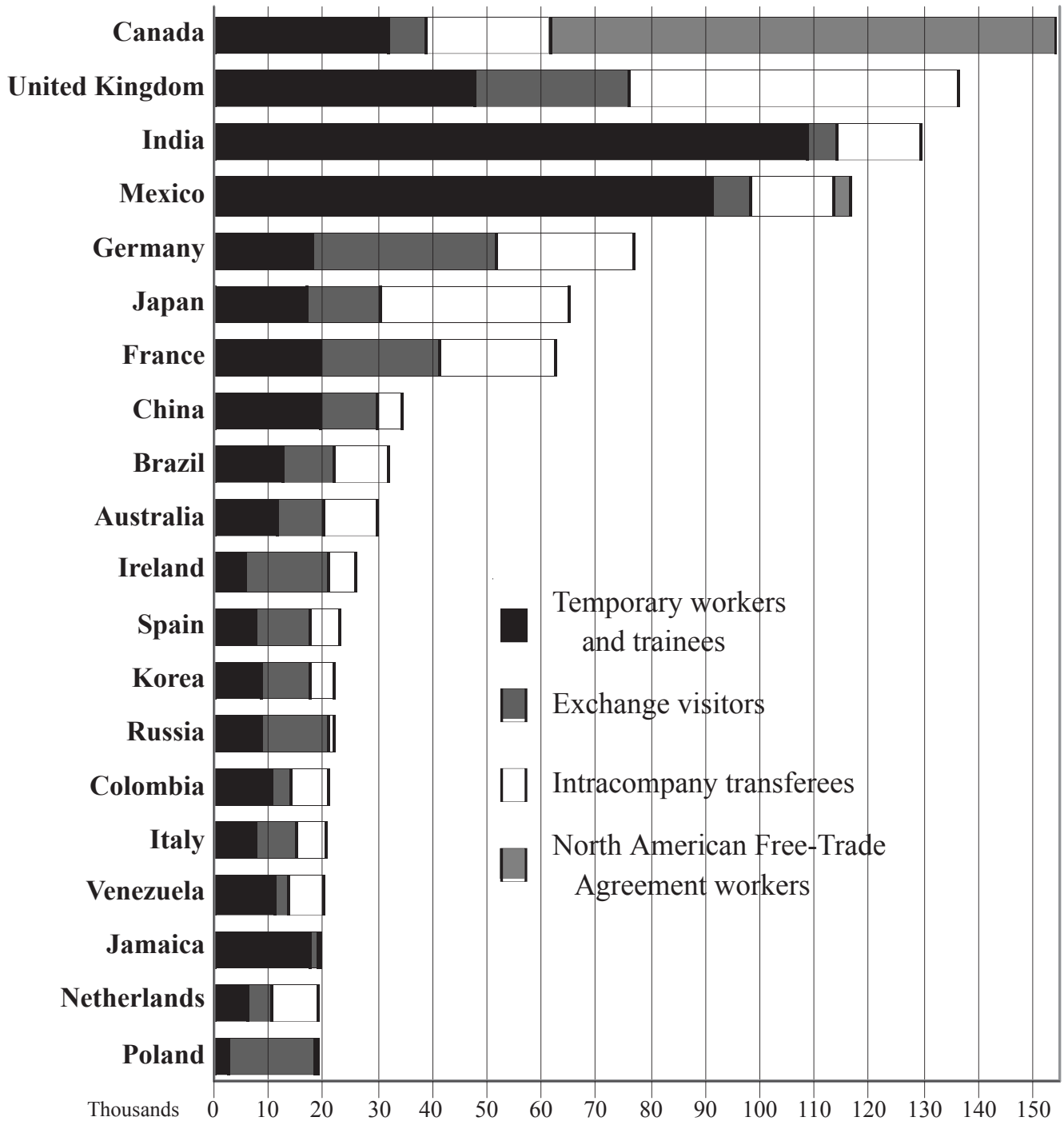
Five states were most often the destination of temporary visitors to the United States: Florida (17.1 percent of total admissions, 25 percent from the United Kingdom), California (13.8 percent of the total, more than 14 percent from Japan and nearly 14 percent from Mexico), New York (12 percent of the total, 19 percent from the United Kingdom), Texas (6.1 percent of the total, more than 57 percent from Mexico), and Hawaii (5.7 percent of the total, nearly 85 percent from Japan).

Gender and age (Table 43)

The largest age group for all nonimmigrant admissions is 25-39 years, with more than 36 percent. Males account for 53.1 percent of total nonimmigrant admissions; more than 85 percent of intracompany transferees; nearly 77 percent of temporary workers and trainees; more than 73 percent of foreign government officials; and nearly 71 percent of foreign information media.

Chart H

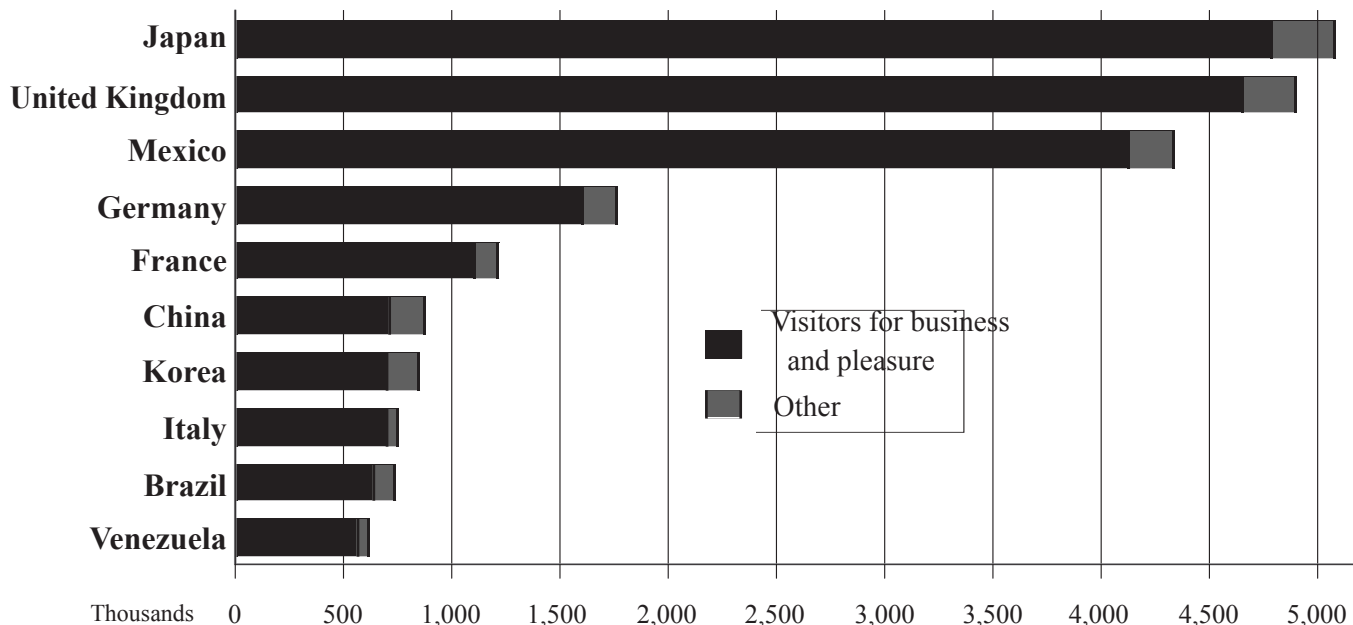
Nonimmigrants Admitted as Temporary Workers, Intracompany Transferees, and Exchange Visitors from Top Twenty Countries of Citizenship: Fiscal Year 2001



NOTE: China includes the People's Republic of China and Taiwan. "Temporary workers and trainees" includes admission classes H, O, P, Q, and R (see Nonimmigrant Admission section of text). Also, see Glossary for definitions of nonimmigrant classes of admission.

Source: Table 38.

Chart I
Nonimmigrants Admitted by Selected Class of Admission from Top Ten Countries of Citizenship: Fiscal Year 2001



NOTE: China includes the People's Republic of China and Taiwan.

Source: Table 36.

Parolees

A parolee is an alien, appearing to be inadmissible to the inspecting officer, allowed to enter the United States under urgent humanitarian reasons or when that alien's entry is determined to be for significant public benefit.

(See Appendix 2, p. A.2-9.)

Authority to grant parole

The Attorney General has the authority to allow the temporary admission of an alien on a case-by-case basis who may appear inadmissible but who enters the United States for urgent humanitarian reasons or when that alien's entry is determined to be for significant public benefit. Parole does not constitute formal admission to the United States. It confers only temporary status, and parolees are required to leave when the conditions supporting their admission are ended.

U.S. Parole Program

Parolees are treated as nonimmigrants at port processing, but their numbers are not reported in the nonimmigrant admission data (Tables 35-43). They are classified into six categories: deferred inspections; port-of-entry paroles; advance paroles; humanitarian, public interest, and

overseas parolees. To simplify presentation, some of these categories are combined in Table D. In fiscal years 1998 and 1999, more than 200,000 parole admissions were authorized annually. In fiscal year 2000 the number was nearly 300,000, but it dropped in fiscal year 2001 to about 274,000.

Nearly 274,000 parolees were admitted to the United States during 2001.

Categories of parole

Deferred inspection is used when an alien does not appear to be clearly admissible based on the evidence at hand. The parole is issued and an appointment is made for the alien to appear at another INS office, where more information is available and the inspection can be completed. These cases are usually resolved within 2 weeks, and the alien is admitted in the appropriate category. Parole may also be granted by advance application to an INS District Office. Advance parole is

Table D
Parolees Admitted by Selected Class of Admission from Top Five Countries of Citizenship:
Fiscal Years 1998-2001

Class of admission/ country of citizenship	1998	1999	2000	2001
All parolees	234,545	263,755	299,851	273,914
Deferred inspections	10,108	9,608	10,272	12,677
Mexico	1,786	1,806	1,773	2,089
Cuba	212	399	362	1,540
Canada	822	851	991	951
China ¹	333	349	347	645
United Kingdom	480	445	556	526
Other	6,475	5,758	6,243	6,926
Port-of-entry and district advance parolees	177,701	204,364	247,664	221,290
Mexico	57,019	52,557	51,632	44,146
Canada	13,219	17,228	19,344	17,506
India	6,188	7,539	14,896	14,693
China ¹	8,962	9,967	15,497	13,377
United Kingdom	9,348	12,456	15,177	12,101
Other	82,965	104,617	131,118	119,467
Humanitarian, public interest, and overseas parolees	46,736	49,783	41,915	39,947
Mexico	21,476	19,801	18,340	12,060
Cuba	13,888	17,209	9,188	10,862
Canada	2,376	2,153	2,072	2,569
Ukraine ²	704	1,582	1,290	1,601
Honduras	75	88	315	1,076
Other	8,217	8,950	10,710	11,779

¹ Includes the People's Republic of China and Taiwan. ² Totals for the former Soviet Union were 2,281 in 1998, 3,814 in 1999, 2,745 in 2000, and 3,477 in 2001.

issued to an alien residing legally in the United States in other than permanent resident status who has an unexpected need to travel abroad and return, and whose conditions of stay do not otherwise allow for readmission if he/she departs. Most commonly, parole is extended at ports of entry. These parole admissions comprised 72 percent of all paroles in fiscal year 2001. These cases are most common at the land border ports and often involve the reentry of lawful permanent residents who are not carrying their documents. Again, these cases are typically resolved rapidly when the documents are produced.

The more exceptional instances of parole arise in emergencies or special situations. People may be admitted under humanitarian parole to receive medical treatment or because they are injured or acutely ill. They may be

brought to the United States under public interest parole to take part in legal proceedings as witnesses or defendants, or as part of a special overseas program undertaken in an agreement with another government. The latter category is the only one that may result in a long-term admission to the United States.

Country of citizenship

Table D displays the total number of parolees admitted from fiscal year 1998 through fiscal year 2001 by the three major categories of parole. Within each category, the five countries accounting for the largest number of parole admissions in fiscal year 2001 are shown. Parole admissions declined by 8.6 percent in fiscal year 2001, reversing the upward trend observed since the mid-1990s. In most years our neighboring countries, Canada and

Table E
Parolees Admitted by Selected Category of Parole from Selected Country of Citizenship:
Fiscal Years 1998-2001

Class of admission/ country of citizenship	1998	1999	2000	2001
All selected parole categories	46,736	49,783	41,915	39,947
Overseas parolees	1,072	2,130	3,345	3,159
Ukraine	144	601	640	685
Cuba	107	181	103	399
Russia	159	372	304	316
Vietnam	101	138	176	202
China ¹	47	20	135	184
Moldova	6	71	104	136
Cambodia	9	10	39	122
Other	499	737	1,844	1,115
Humanitarian parolees (medical and related reasons)	25,141	22,571	22,933	18,374
Mexico	18,292	16,106	15,948	9,291
Canada	1,802	1,620	1,704	1,957
Honduras	66	68	291	1,034
El Salvador	742	1,077	699	935
Cuba.....	234	260	325	903
Other	4,005	3,440	3,966	4,254
Public interest parolees (legal and related reasons) ..	20,523	25,082	15,637	18,414
Cuba	13,547	16,768	8,760	9,574
Mexico	3,092	3,581	2,300	2,718
Ukraine	493	874	504	725
Canada	543	516	319	578
Russia	483	547	280	443
Other	2,365	2,796	3,474	4,376

¹ Includes the People's Republic of China and Taiwan.

Mexico, account for the largest number of parolees in the deferred inspections and port-of-entry/district advance categories, but in 2001, Cuba placed second to Mexico in deferred inspections. Deferred inspections increased from about 10,000 to more than 12,000 in 2001. The significant decline in the use of parole came in the port-of-entry category and was observed among most countries, including Mexico and others with many parole admissions.

Table E presents more detail for the same years regarding admissions under the overseas and humanitarian parole categories, in which admissions dropped, and the public interest category, which increased. More than 61 percent of the humanitarian paroles granted in fiscal year 2001 for medical and related reasons were from Canada and Mexico.

The rest came in small numbers from many other countries. A number of the annual admissions under public interest parole for legal and related reasons are also from Canada and Mexico, but the increase in this category was spread over many countries. The largest number of public interest parolees continued to be Cubans admitted under the 1994 migration agreement with Cuba. Most of the parolees from Vietnam, Cambodia, and the former Soviet Union arrived under special legislation after being denied refugee status. ¹ These persons are allowed to adjust to immigrant status after one year of residence in the United States.

¹ The Foreign Operations Act of November 21, 1989. This provision is commonly known as the Lautenberg Amendment.

Notes on parole data

Several changes were made in the presentation of the parole data in fiscal year 2000 and continued in fiscal year 2001. The corresponding changes were made retroactively in the data for fiscal years 1998 and 1999 in Tables D and E. First, the data for the independent republics of the former Soviet Union are no longer combined. This affects the ranking of the countries in the tables, since the former Soviet Union as a whole accounted for a significant share of the paroles in some categories. Second, the practice of combining the humanitarian and public interest parolees from countries with special programs into the overseas parole category is no longer being followed, and the data are presented without this editing step. Most Cubans admitted under the 1994 migration agreement are now being classified under public interest parole, but Cubans appear in other parole categories as well. Parolees from Vietnam and the republics of the former Soviet Union may be classified under overseas or public interest parole. Third, from May 1 through the end of October 2000, the public interest parole authority was used to admit more than 9 million temporary visitors after the Visa Waiver Pilot Program expired without being reauthorized. Although procedures were adopted to distinguish these paroles from ordinary public interest paroles in the data, analysis indicates that the distinction was not made correctly in every case. For this reason, interpretation of the public interest parole data for fiscal year 2000 and to a lesser extent fiscal year 2001 should be made with caution.

Understanding the Data

Data Collection

The Nonimmigrant Information System (NIIS) is designed to provide for each nonimmigrant entry a record of legal admission and departure. The system also produces statistics for such variables as age, country of citizenship, class of admission, visa-issuing post, port of entry, and destination in the United States.

As mentioned, many nonimmigrants enter and leave the United States more than once each year, and the NIIS system records each entry (and departure) separately. The data system records each arrival/departure event via collection of a separate INS Form I-94; thus, admission data represent each arrival event during the year rather than the actual number of individuals admitted. Nonimmigrants in several classes of admission often enter (and leave) many times in any given year, especially students, intracompany transferees, and visitors for business.

A description of the principal steps in the process of nonimmigrant admission to the United States is useful for understanding the data produced by the NIIS system. A nonimmigrant visa is secured at a U.S. Consulate abroad (except for those entering under the Visa Waiver Program—see Visa Waiver Program section). These visas may be valid for multiple visits to the United States. Prior to departing for the United States, nonimmigrants are screened initially by the transportation company to ensure that their documents are in order. During the trip, INS Form I-94 is distributed to non-U.S. citizens.

At the port of entry, each arriving nonimmigrant presents a visa, which usually is stamped in the passport, and a completed INS Form I-94 to an immigration inspector. Among other actions, the inspector checks the form for completeness, determines the length of admission, and stamps the class of admission and port of entry on the form. The arrival portion is torn off and sent to a central data processing facility. The matching departure section of the form, usually stapled into the passport, is the nonimmigrant's proof of legal admission to the United States. This section of INS Form I-94, collected at departure, also is sent to the data processing facility where it is processed and matched electronically to the arrival section of the form.

Other temporary visitors

The Nonimmigrant Information System also includes information on parolees, (see Parolees section), withdrawals, stowaways, and refugees. Data for these classes of admission are not shown in the nonimmigrant tables but are included in summary in footnotes to the appropriate tables.

Temporary visitor information not collected

The Nonimmigrant Information System does not include data for permanent resident aliens returning after short visits abroad or for most of the millions of citizens of Canada and Mexico who cross the border for brief periods of time. Most aliens entering the United States from Canada or Mexico do not require documentation in the NIIS system. Canadians may travel for business or pleasure without travel restrictions for a period of 6 months without obtaining nonimmigrant visas. Mexicans crossing the border frequently may apply for border crossing cards, which can be used for admission to the United States for business or pleasure within 25 miles of the Southwestern border for a period not to exceed 72 hours.

Limitations of Data

A new data system was developed and put into place in mid-1996. While the new system introduced needed improvements in many of the data processing functions, start-up difficulties produced less complete capture of some data elements for fiscal year 1996, such as port of entry and state of intended destination. As noted, data for fiscal year 1997 do not appear in this edition due to data inconsistencies resulting from the reengineering of both the data entry and data base management components of the Nonimmigrant Information System.

The tables on parole admissions in fiscal year 1998 reflect a later edition of the data than was available for production of the report entitled, *Use of the Attorney General's Parole Authority Under the Immigration and Nationality Act: Fiscal Years 1997-1998*.

Missing information

There are gaps in the historical nonimmigrant data series due to the unavailability of arrival and departure records for July to September 1979, all of 1980, and for most characteristics for 1981 and 1982. Country of last residence and class of admission are the only variables available for 1981 and 1982. No reliable data are available for 1997.

H-1B Temporary Workers

An H-1B temporary worker is an alien admitted to the United States to perform services in "specialty occupations," based on professional education, skills, and/or equivalent experience. (See Appendix 2, p. A.2-13.)

H-1B Program

The INS is responsible for the processing and approval of H-1B petitions submitted by domestic employers and their representatives on behalf of nonimmigrant workers seeking temporary employment within the United States. The H-1B nonimmigrant classification permits foreign professionals to enter the United States on a temporary basis to work in their field of expertise.

Under the H-1B program, specialty workers are permitted to be employed for as long as three years initially with extensions not exceeding three years. The maximum stay is six years. In order to perform services in a specialty occupation, an employee must meet one of the following criteria: 1) hold a United States baccalaureate or higher degree as required by the specialty occupation from an

accredited college or university; 2) possess a foreign degree determined to be equivalent to a United States baccalaureate or higher degree as required by the specialty occupation from an accredited college or university; 3) have any required license or other official permission to practice the occupation (for example, architect, surveyor, physical therapist) in the state in which employment is sought; or 4) have, as determined by the INS, the equivalent of the degree required by the specialty occupation acquired through a combination of education, training, and/or experience. Specialty occupations include computer systems analysts and programmers, physicians, professors, engineers, and accountants.

In order to sponsor a foreign worker under the H-1B program, an employer must first file an application with the Department of Labor specifying the job, the salary, and the length and site of employment. In addition, the employer must agree to pay the prevailing salary and provide proof that the pay is fair. Once the Department of Labor certifies the application, U.S. employers file the petition with the INS to sponsor an alien worker as an H-1B nonimmigrant. This petition may be filed to sponsor an alien for an initial period of H-1B employment or to extend the authorized stay of an alien as an H-1B nonimmigrant. Additionally, an employer may file the petition to sponsor an alien who currently has status as an H-1B nonimmigrant working for another employer or to seek an amendment of a previously approved petition. In the case of a petition to amend a previously approved petition, no corresponding request might be made to extend the authorized stay of the beneficiary. For example, an employer may file an amended petition notifying the INS of a different location where the beneficiary will be employed or a material change in the beneficiary's job duties. Therefore, the total number of approved petitions exceeds the actual number of aliens who are provided nonimmigrant status as H-1B.

The Immigration and Naturalization Act, as amended by the Immigration Act of 1990 and the American Competitiveness and Workforce Improvement Act of 1998 (ACWIA), regulates H-1B policy as well as guides H-1B procedures. Under ACWIA, the annual ceiling of H-1B petitions valid for initial employment was increased from 65,000 to 115,000 in fiscal years 1999 and 2000 and 107,500 in 2001. The enactment of the American Competitiveness in the Twenty-first Century Act (AC21) in October 2000 raised the limit on petitions in fiscal year 2001 from 107,500 to 195,000.

Data Overview

Petitions filed and approved (Table F)

The terms initial employment and continuing employment are used throughout this section on H-1B petitions to identify two types of petitions. Petitions for initial employment are filed for first-time H-1B employment with employers, only some of which are applied to the annual cap.² Continuing employment petitions refer to extensions, sequential employment, and concurrent employment, which are filed for aliens already in the United States. Extensions are filed for H-1B workers intending to work beyond the initial 3-year period up to six years, the maximum period permissible under law during fiscal year 2001.³ Sequential employment refers to petitions for workers transferring between H-1B employers within the six-year period. Finally, petitions for concurrent employment are filed for H-1B workers intending to work simultaneously for a second or subsequent H-1B employer.

More than 342,000 H-1B petitions were filed and more than 331,000 approved during 2001.

The number of H-1B petitions filed in fiscal year 2001 was approximately 342,000, of which 202,000 or 59 percent were for initial employment.⁴ The remaining 140,000 or 41 percent were for extensions of status, and sequential or concurrent employment. The corresponding numbers for fiscal year 2000 were 299,000 petitions filed, of which 165,000 (55 percent) were for initial and 134,000 (45 percent) were for continuing employment. However, while the number of petitions filed increased by 14 percent in 2001 over 2000, applications filed were down by 9 percent in the fourth quarter of fiscal year 2001 in relation to the same period in 2000. In September, the number filed was down 46 percent below the level of September 2000.

² H-1B petitions approved for initial employment with non-exempt employers, adjusted for multiple petitions for individuals and revocations, count against the annual cap.

³ Enactment of AC21 amended the 6-year limitation for certain aliens (Public Law 106.313, Sec. 104(c) and 106).

⁴ The number of petitions counting against the cap was 164,000. This number excludes multiple petitions of individuals as well as petitions for employment with institutions of higher education and certain non-profit organizations.

**Table F
H-1B Petitions Filed and Approved by Type:
Fiscal Year 2001**

Type of petition	Petitions filed	Petitions approved
All petitions	342,035	331,206
Initial beneficiaries	201,543	201,079 ¹
Aliens outside U.S.	111,565	115,759 ¹
Aliens in U.S.	89,978	85,320 ¹
Continuing beneficiaries	140,492	130,127

¹ Petitions approved in fiscal year 2001 that may have qualified as counting towards the numerical limit of 195,000 based on rules existing prior to the enactment of AC21 and before adjustment for multiple petitions and revocations.

During the same period, the INS approved about 331,000 H-1B petitions submitted by employers on behalf of alien workers. In some cases, more than one U.S. employer submitted a petition on behalf of an individual H-1B worker (multiple petitions); therefore, the number of approved petitions exceeds the number of individual H-1B workers. The references in the tables and chart to beneficiaries represent petitions approved (rather than individual workers approved). In fiscal year 2000, approximately 258,000 petitions were approved.

Of the petitions approved in fiscal year 2001, about 201,000 petitions or 61 percent were for initial employment.⁵ Approximately 42 percent of the beneficiaries of initial employment were in the United States in another nonimmigrant status.⁶ The corresponding number of petitions for continuing employment was 130,000.⁷ In fiscal year 2000, 53 and 47

⁵ AC21 raised the cap on initial employment from 65,000 to 195,000 in fiscal years 2002 and 2003. In addition, under AC21 petitions filed for initial employment after March 22, 2000 (when the INS has enough petitions to reach the 115,000 cap in fiscal year 2000) and before September 1, 2000, regardless of when approved, do not count towards the fiscal year cap. Initial employment applications filed in September 2000 count against the fiscal year 2001 cap.

⁶ In a report covering May 1998 to July 1999 an estimated 58 percent of aliens already in the United States in a nonimmigrant status were here as academic students. The report, *Characteristics of Specialty Occupation Workers (H-1B)—May 1998 to July 1999*, is available at the H-1B and statistical reports section of the INS website.

⁷ Neither AC21 nor prior legislation established a cap on H-1B petitions for continuing employment.

Table G. Profile of H-1B Beneficiaries by Top Ten Countries of Birth: Fiscal Year 2001

Country of birth	All beneficiaries	Initial beneficiaries (percent)	Continuing beneficiaries (percent)	Initial and continuing beneficiaries				
				Median age (years)	Median income (dollars ¹)	Bachelor's degree or higher (percent ¹)	Master's degree or higher (percent ¹)	Computer-related occupation (percent ¹)
All countries	331,206	61	39	29	55,000	98	42	58
India	161,561	56	44	28	55,000	99	35	85
China, People's Rep.	27,331	62	38	32	57,500	100	81	44
Canada	12,726	72	28	33	70,000	94	37	30
Philippines	10,389	70	30	31	44,765	99	12	34
United Kingdom	9,682	63	37	33	70,000	91	33	24
Korea	6,468	69	31	33	48,000	98	57	21
Pakistan	6,313	62	38	29	52,440	99	40	59
Japan	5,902	62	38	30	39,520	97	34	12
Taiwan	5,808	59	41	30	50,000	99	72	33
Russia	4,589	63	37	31	55,000	99	65	52

¹ Based on all beneficiaries with known level of income, education, or occupation.

percent of the petitions approved were for initial and continuing beneficiaries, respectively.

The number of H-1B petitions approved presented in this section and the number of H-1B temporary workers admissions reported previously in the Nonimmigrants section are not comparable because they measure different populations. Petitions approved pertain to H-1B petitions authorizing temporary employment for specialty workers, whether they are in the United States or overseas, while admissions represent H-1B workers arriving from abroad. H-1B petitions can be approved for aliens changing nonimmigrant status without leaving the United States. Most significantly, H-1B workers can be admitted multiple times using a single petition, and admitted with a petition approved in a prior fiscal year.

Common characteristics of beneficiaries

The typical H-1B beneficiary whose petition was approved in fiscal year 2001 had the following characteristics: born in India; 29 years old; holding a bachelor's degree; working in a computer-related occupation; and receiving

an annual compensation of \$55,000. Forty-one percent of all beneficiaries were born in India, had either a bachelor's or master's degree, and were employed in a computer-related occupation. ⁸ The beneficiaries continuing in H-1B status were two years older and earned \$15,000 more annually than the typical initial beneficiaries.

Profile of beneficiaries by country of birth
(Table G)

Beneficiaries from India continue to dominate the H-1B program in fiscal year 2001, representing nearly half of the total. A distant second are beneficiaries from the People's Republic of China, accounting for 8 percent. In fiscal year 2000, approximately 49 percent and 9 percent of beneficiaries were from India and the People's Republic of China, respectively.

As indicated in Chart J and Table G, 81 and 72 percent of beneficiaries born in the People's Republic of China and Taiwan, respectively had at least a master's degree, the

⁸ Every percentage shown about H-1B beneficiaries is based on the total number of reported values for a particular characteristic.

Table H. Profile of H-1B Beneficiaries by Top Ten Occupations: Fiscal Year 2001

Occupation	All beneficiaries	Initial and continuing beneficiaries		
		Initial beneficiaries (percent)	Continuing beneficiaries (percent)	Leading country of birth (percent)
All occupations	331,206	61	39	India (49)
Computer-related	191,397	58	42	India (71)
Architecture, engineering, and surveying	40,388	63	37	India (28)
Administrative specializations	23,794	65	35	India (17)
Education	17,431	67	33	PRC (16)
Managers and officials n.e.c.	12,423	65	35	India (14)
Medicine and health	11,334	59	41	India (20)
Life sciences	6,492	64	36	PRC (27)
Social sciences	6,145	69	31	India (13)
Mathematics and physical sciences	5,772	63	37	PRC (25)
Miscellaneous professional, technical, and managerial	5,662	65	35	India (16)

highest percent among countries listed. On the other hand, 12 and 20 percent of beneficiaries born in the Philippines and South Africa, respectively, had a master's degree or higher.

The youngest beneficiaries, with a median age of 28, were born in India while the oldest, with a median age of 33, were born in Canada, the United Kingdom, and Korea. In fiscal year 2000, the median age of Indians was also 28 years. The median age of beneficiaries in all countries was 29 years, the same as in fiscal year 2000.

Median income ranged from about \$40,000 for beneficiaries born in Japan to \$70,000 for beneficiaries born in Canada and the United Kingdom. The median income was \$55,000 for beneficiaries from all countries, 4 percent higher than the overall median income in fiscal year 2000.

Ninety-eight percent of beneficiaries of all countries held a bachelor's degree or higher, and 42 percent at least a master's degree. The corresponding percents in fiscal year 2000 were 98 and 41.

Eight-five percent of beneficiaries born in India had a computer-related occupation. For beneficiaries of all countries, the percentage was 58, identical to fiscal year 2000. Of the top ten countries, only beneficiaries from India and Pakistan (59) exceeded the average percentage. Without India, the percentage of beneficiaries employed in computer-related occupations drops to 32 percent.

Profile of beneficiaries by occupation
(Table H)

Seventy-one percent of H-1B beneficiaries in computer-related occupations were born in India. In no other occupation did a country have a majority of beneficiaries. Other characteristics of beneficiaries in computer-related occupations were a median age of 28 and a median income of \$58,000. Additionally, 35 percent held at least a master's degree and 74 percent were employed in computer systems design and related services.

Besides computer-related occupations, India-born beneficiaries held the lead in other numerically-significant occupations: architecture, engineering, and surveying

**Table H. Profile of H-1B Beneficiaries by Top Ten Occupations:
Fiscal Year 2001—Continued**

Occupation	Initial and continuing beneficiaries			
	Median age (years)	Median income (dollars ¹)	Master's degree or higher (percent ¹)	Leading industry (percent ¹)
All occupations	29	55,000	42	Computer systems design and related services (47)
Computer-related	28	58,000	35	Computer systems design and related services (74)
Architecture, engineering, and surveying	30	60,000	47	Architectural, engineering, and related services (25)
Administrative specializations	30	44,806	35	Accounting, tax preparation, bookkeeping, and payroll services (18)
Education	34	35,232	75	Colleges, universities, and professional schools (67)
Managers and officials n.e.c.	33	65,000	36	Computer systems design and related services (14)
Medicine and health	32	45,000	68	General medical and surgical hospitals (25)
Life sciences	33	38,000	85	Scientific research and development services (38)
Social sciences	29	45,000	45	Management, scientific, and technical consulting services (13)
Mathematics and physical sciences	32	55,000	79	Scientific research and development services (28)
Miscellaneous professional, technical, and managerial	30	54,000	48	Securities and commodity contracts intermediation and brokerage (13)

¹ Based on all beneficiaries with known level of income, education, or occupation.

Note: n.e.c. represents not elsewhere classified. PRC represents People's Republic of China.

(28 percent); administrative specializations (17 percent); managers and officials not elsewhere classified (14 percent); and medicine and health (20 percent).

Besides computer-related occupations and computer systems design and related services, close relationships existed between other occupations and industries. Sixty-seven percent of educators were employed in colleges, universities, and professional schools, and 80 percent of beneficiaries in law and jurisprudence were employed in legal services.

Profile of beneficiaries by industry

(Table I)

Information on the industries employing H-1B workers is reported for the first time in this edition of *Statistical Yearbook*.

Forty-seven percent of all beneficiaries were employed in computer systems design and related services. Seventy-five percent of these beneficiaries were born in India. The median age of these beneficiaries was 28, earning a median income of \$56,500. Additionally, 33 percent held at least a master's degree and 92 percent were in computer-related occupations.

The least compensated beneficiaries, with a median income of \$37,000, were employed in colleges, universities, and professional schools and the most compensated, with a median income of \$75,000, were employed in securities, and commodity contracts intermediation and brokerage.

Ninety-three percent of H-1B employees in colleges, universities, and professional schools held at least a

Table I. Profile of H-1B Beneficiaries by Top Ten Industries: Fiscal Year 2001

Industry (NAICS code)	All beneficiaries	Initial and continuing beneficiaries		
		Initial beneficiaries (percent)	Continuing beneficiaries (percent)	Leading country of birth (percent)
All industries ¹	331,206	61	39	India (49)
Computer systems design and related services (5415)	141,267	60	40	India (75)
Colleges, universities, and professional schools (6113)	15,372	64	36	PRC (24)
Management, scientific, and technical consulting services (5416)	12,721	61	39	India (54)
Architectural, engineering, and related services (5413)	12,148	67	33	India (26)
Telecommunications (5133)	9,638	51	49	India (39)
Scientific research and development services (5417)	6,929	60	40	PRC (24)
Semiconductor and other electronic component manufacturing (3344)	6,171	54	46	India (36)
Communications equipment manufacturing (3342)	4,383	58	42	India (36)
Accounting, tax preparation, bookkeeping, and payroll services (5412)	4,213	64	36	India (17)
Securities and commodity contracts intermediation and Brokerage (5231)	3,676	56	44	India (21)

master's degree, the highest of any top ten industry. The lowest percent was 33 in computer systems design and related services.

Annual compensation by age and occupation of beneficiaries (Table J)

For all beneficiaries, median annual compensation was \$55,000, with a peak at \$60,000 for workers in their thirties.

For any occupation and age group the highest compensated beneficiaries, at a median level of approximately \$115,000, were in law and jurisprudence occupations and were between 25 and 29 years old. The lowest, compensated at about \$26,000, were religion and theology workers under age 25.

Education by occupation of beneficiaries (Table K)

Ninety-eight and 42 percent of all beneficiaries held at

least a bachelor's or master's degree, respectively. Three percent had a professional degree and another 7 percent had a doctorate degree. These percents were nearly the same in fiscal year 2000, except 41 percent held at least a bachelor's or master's degree then.

For beneficiaries in computer-related occupations, 65 percent had no more than a bachelor's degree and 33 percent no more than a master's degree.

Annual compensation by education and occupation of beneficiaries (Table L)

Beneficiaries with a bachelor's degree—the most numerous group—had a median income of \$53,000, 6 percent higher than in fiscal year 2000. Their income was the lowest of all education levels.

Beneficiaries with at most a master's degree fared better. Their median income was \$60,000, \$3,000 more than in fiscal year 2000. Median compensation for H-1B workers

Table I. Profile of H-1B Beneficiaries by Top Ten Industries: Fiscal Year 2001—Continued

Industry (NAICS code)	Initial and continuing beneficiaries			
	Median age (years)	Median income (dollars ¹)	Master's degree or higher (percent ¹)	Leading occupation (percent ¹)
All industries ¹	29	55,000	42	Computer-related (58)
Computer systems design and related services (5415)	28	56,500	33	Computer-related (92)
Colleges, universities, and professional schools (6113)	34	36,999	93	Education (69)
Management, scientific, and technical consulting services (5416)	28	55,000	41	Administrative specializations (22)
Architectural, engineering, and related services (5413)	30	50,000	42	Architecture, engineering, and surveying (75)
Telecommunications (5133)	29	69,000	48	Computer-related (60)
Scientific research and development services (5417)	32	55,291	81	Life sciences (32)
Semiconductor and other electronic component manufacturing (3344)	29	71,000	65	Architecture, engineering, and surveying (65)
Communications equipment manufacturing (3342)	29	68,000	58	Computer-related (65)
Accounting, tax preparation, bookkeeping, and payroll services (5412)	29	43,000	36	Administrative specializations (88)
Securities and commodity contracts intermediation and Brokerage (5231)	28	75,000	45	Computer-related (28)

¹ Based on all beneficiaries with known level of income, education, or occupation.

Note: NAICS refers to North American Industry Classification System. For additional information on NAICS codes, visit the website of the National Technical Information Service at <http://www.ntis.gov>. PRC represents People's Republic of China.

with professional degrees and doctorates increased in fiscal year 2001 over fiscal year 2000 by \$1,000, to \$65,000, and by \$5,000, to \$55,000, respectively.

Understanding the Data

Data Collection

Petitions for obtaining H-1B nonimmigrant status for alien workers are submitted by their prospective employers on INS form I-129 (*Petition for a Nonimmigrant Worker*) and the addendum I-129W (*H-1B Data Collection and Filing Fee Exemption*). The petitions are mailed to one of four INS Service Centers for processing, depending on the location of the sponsoring employer: St. Albans, Vermont; Lincoln, Nebraska; Dallas Texas; and Laguna Niguel, California.

Upon receipt, each petition is stamped with its date of arrival at the Service Center. File assembly clerks create a paper file that contains the original petition as well as all supporting documentation. This file becomes the official file of record for all activities connected with the petition.

Biographical data such as name, date of birth, and country of birth are entered from the petition by data entry clerks into the Computer-Linked Application Information Management System (CLAIMS3) case-tracking system. The computer system generates a unique number for the file, known as a receipt number. The files are distributed to adjudicators after being sorted into potential cap and non-cap cases.

Table J. Median Annual Compensation of H-1B Beneficiaries by Age and Top Ten Occupations: Fiscal Year 2001

Occupation	All beneficiaries	Median compensation by age of beneficiary (dollars)						
		All ages	Under 25 years	25-29 years	30-34 years	35-39 years	40 years and older	Unknown age
All occupations	329,849 ¹	55,000	50,000	55,000	60,000	60,000	57,500	52,000
Computer-related	190,990	58,000	50,000	56,790	62,000	65,000	65,000	55,000
Architecture, engineering, and surveying	40,225	60,000	52,000	60,000	64,099	65,000	65,000	57,600
Administrative specializations	23,681	44,806	37,000	44,000	50,000	48,000	43,900	42,935
Education	17,313	35,232	29,000	33,000	35,648	36,703	38,000	34,000
Managers and officials n.e.c.	12,379	65,000	36,000	50,000	70,000	80,000	80,000	60,000
Medicine and health	11,229	45,000	35,670	40,000	49,691	66,560	58,240	39,000
Life sciences	6,461	38,000	30,451	36,135	37,280	38,582	42,000	35,000
Social sciences	6,094	45,000	42,000	45,000	50,000	45,300	40,113	50,000
Mathematics and physical sciences	5,758	55,000	46,000	52,996	56,900	58,000	60,000	64,150
Miscellaneous professional, technical, and managerial	5,640	54,000	45,000	52,000	60,000	60,000	55,000	57,500

¹ Less than the 331,206 shown in Table H by 1,357 petitions with annual compensation unknown. Note: n.e.c. represents not elsewhere classified.

After being received, the files are reviewed by adjudicators who determine whether they have adequate information in the file on which to base a decision to approve or deny the petition. If sufficient evidence is available, a decision is made by the adjudicator and then the corresponding information is entered into the tracking system. Otherwise, additional information is sought by the adjudicator from the sponsoring employer. A response from the employer must be made within a set period of time or the petition will be denied.

After petitions have been adjudicated, the associated paper files are forwarded for storage to the INS records center in Harrisonburg, Virginia.

Limitations of Data

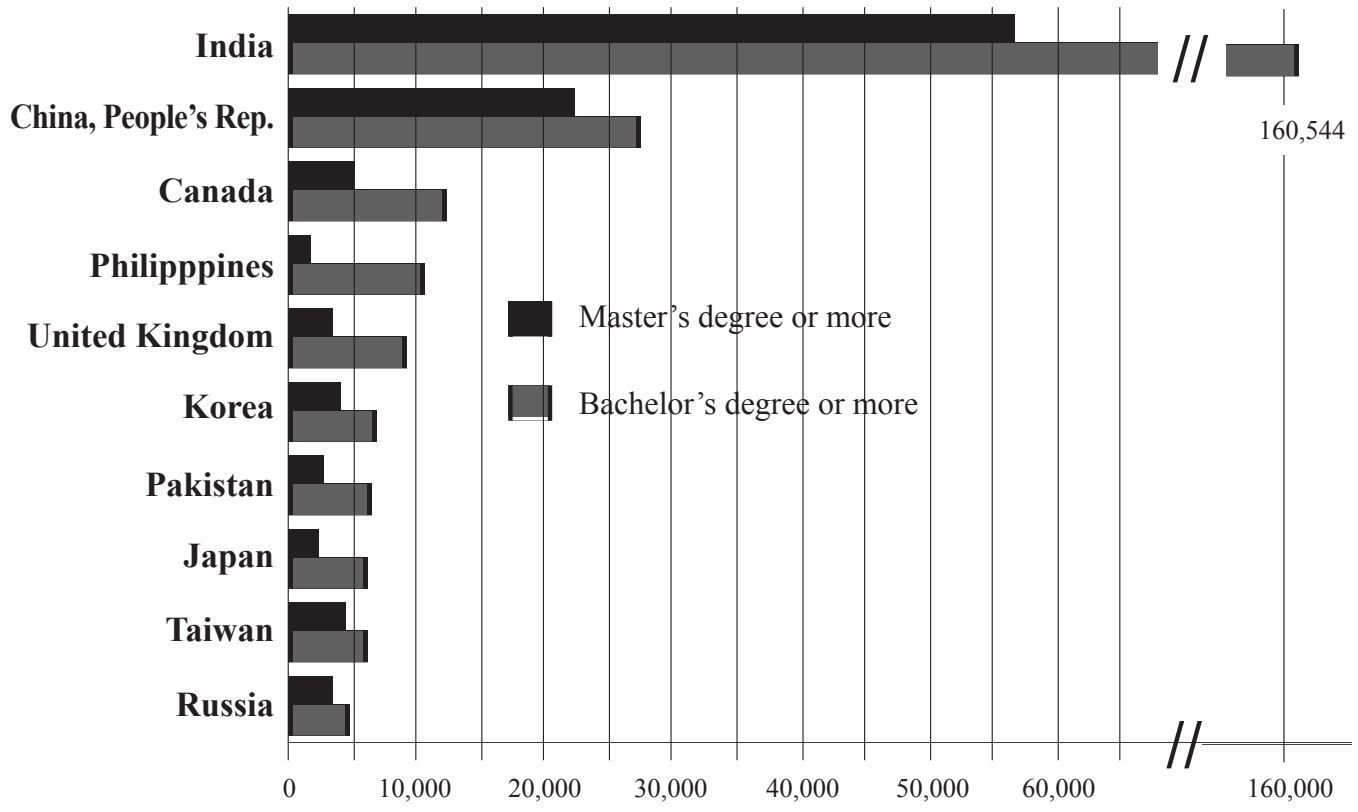
Historical data on H-1B petitions filed and approved is incomplete before fiscal year 2000. The availability of comprehensive H-1B data does not begin until fiscal

year 2000,⁹ a direct response to the aforementioned ACWIA.

The tables in this report have been tabulated from an extract file created at headquarters from INS service center files. Errors in this extract file could have occurred in several ways. For example, petition data might have been inaccurate on petitions, miskeyed into computers at the service centers, or improperly transferred electronically between the service centers and headquarters. Very little editing has been done in this report. Impossible or very improbable values have been defined as unknown. Examples are beneficiaries younger than 16 (except for fashion models) or those beneficiaries working without compensation.

⁹ The reports, *Characteristics of Specialty Occupation Workers (H-1B)—Fiscal Year 2000 and Fiscal Year 2001*, are available at the H-1B and statistical reports section of the INS website.

Chart J
H-1B Beneficiaries from Top Ten Countries of Birth by Level of Education:
Fiscal Year 2001



Industry data was collected using the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS). Unlike country of birth, age, education, and occupation, INS does not verify the NAICS code because the sponsor does not provide supporting documentation.

In fiscal year 2001 the percentage of petitions with unknown information improved notably, especially with respect to education and annual compensation. The

percentage of petitions approved with missing data went from 8.5 percent in fiscal year 2000 to .1 of 1 percent in fiscal year 2001 for education, and from 8.7 percent to .4 of 1 percent for compensation. For the other characteristics, the percentages of approved petitions with missing data remained low: age (.3 of 1 percent); country of birth (.2 of 1 percent); and major occupation (.4 of 1 percent). In contrast, the percent of missing data for industry in its first year of availability was 9.0 percent.

Table K. H-1B Beneficiaries by Education and Top Ten Occupations: Fiscal Year 2001

Occupation	All beneficiaries	Education of beneficiary						Unknown
		Less than Bachelor's degree	Bachelor's degree	Master's degree	Professional degree	Doctorate degree		
All occupations	331,206	5,608	187,735	102,996	9,859	24,610	398	
Computer-related	191,397	1,757	123,410	62,464	298	3,322	146	
Architecture, engineering, and surveying	40,388	992	20,508	14,764	257	3,819	48	
Administrative specializations	23,794	511	14,904	7,970	201	201	7	
Education	17,431	83	4,297	3,353	1,365	8,307	26	
Managers and officials n.e.c.	12,423	731	7,214	3,895	155	413	15	
Medicine and health	11,334	52	3,537	851	5,691	1,187	16	
Life sciences	6,492	36	955	1,199	526	3,769	7	
Social sciences	6,145	111	3,257	2,443	35	280	19	
Mathematics and physical sciences	5,772	28	1,179	1,653	84	2,820	8	
Miscellaneous professional, technical, and managerial	5,662	118	2,849	2,249	135	310	1	

Note: n.e.c. represents not elsewhere classified.

Table L. Median Annual Compensation of H-1B Beneficiaries by Education and Top Ten Occupations: Fiscal Year 2001

Occupation	All beneficiaries	Median compensation by education of beneficiary						
		All education levels (dollars)	Less than Bachelor's degree (dollars)	Bachelor's degree (dollars)	Master's degree (dollars)	Professional degree (dollars)	Doctorate degree (dollars)	Unknown (dollars)
All occupations	329,849 ¹	55,000	63,817	53,000	60,000	65,000	55,000	50,000
Computer-related	190,990	58,000	63,000	55,000	60,000	66,000	80,000	55,000
Architecture, engineering, and surveying	40,225	60,000	68,640	55,000	63,000	75,000	75,000	55,000
Administrative specializations	23,681	44,806	50,000	40,000	52,000	60,000	82,002	39,000
Education	17,313	35,232	29,050	31,910	34,505	36,998	40,000	32,656
Managers and officials n.e.c.	12,379	65,000	50,000	55,000	75,330	83,000	102,000	43,000
Medicine and health	11,229	45,000	35,000	40,000	40,000	85,000	38,980	47,206
Life sciences	6,461	38,000	36,000	34,000	40,000	34,000	39,000	40,000
Social sciences	6,094	45,000	36,400	40,000	54,000	50,000	72,300	90,000
Mathematics and physical sciences	5,758	55,000	55,000	50,000	52,530	67,000	61,200	44,000
Miscellaneous professional, technical, and managerial ..	5,640	54,000	50,000	45,757	65,000	49,586	67,000	64,000

¹ Less than the 331,206 shown in Table H by 1,357 petitions with annual compensation unknown.

Note: n.e.c. represents not elsewhere classified.

**TABLE 35. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION
AND REGION AND SELECTED COUNTRY OF LAST RESIDENCE
SELECTED FISCAL YEARS 1981-2001**

Region and country of last residence	All classes ¹ (in thousands)					Visitors for pleasure (in thousands)				
	1981	1985	1990 ²	1995 ²	2001 ²	1981	1985	1990 ²	1995 ²	2001 ²
All countries	11,757	9,540	17,574	22,641	32,824	9,515	6,609	13,418	17,612	29,420
Europe	4,537	3,129	6,875	8,777	11,518	3,601	2,048	5,383	7,012	10,854
Armenia	X	X	X	5	10	X	X	X	4	8
Austria	58	48	108	170	153	49	34	87	146	144
Azerbaijan	X	X	X	1	3	X	X	X	1	2
Belarus	X	X	X	3	7	X	X	X	2	4
Belgium	118	67	137	203	223	91	39	95	153	213
Bosnia-Herzegovina	X	X	X	1	6	X	X	X	Z	5
Bulgaria	1	2	7	9	19	1	1	5	4	9
Croatia	X	X	X	10	18	X	X	X	5	11
Czech Republic	X	X	X	18	51	X	X	X	12	42
Czechoslovakia ³	5	6	16	18	12	3	4	12	13	11
Denmark	62	59	105	111	149	45	36	75	78	141
Finland	42	37	107	70	89	31	24	83	47	82
France	441	358	742	919	1,078	341	226	566	738	1,017
Georgia	X	X	X	2	4	X	X	X	1	2
Germany ⁴	754	⁴	⁴	1,818	1,631	618	⁴	⁴	1,550	1,541
Germany, East	⁴	5	7	⁴	⁴	⁴	3	5	⁴	⁴
Germany, West	⁴	537	1,186	⁴	⁴	⁴	373	969	⁴	⁴
Greece	66	51	61	62	68	37	34	43	44	57
Hungary	13	13	23	41	60	10	10	15	29	51
Iceland	11	8	14	17	26	9	5	10	14	24
Ireland	102	73	108	154	349	88	55	81	126	327
Italy	264	240	402	527	603	189	155	308	427	572
Kazakhstan	X	X	X	4	5	X	X	X	1	3
Luxembourg	5	5	10	17	14	4	3	8	15	14
Macedonia	X	X	X	2	5	X	X	X	1	3
Moldova	X	X	X	1	2	X	X	X	Z	1
Netherlands	217	139	291	400	494	165	82	214	308	477
Norway	84	71	114	105	148	50	41	80	71	137
Poland	41	46	72	54	142	34	40	55	36	114
Portugal	33	26	40	52	85	23	18	30	40	81
Romania	6	5	15	15	42	3	3	10	8	28
Russia	X	X	X	116	112	X	X	X	33	72
Slovak Republic	X	X	X	17	22	X	X	X	11	13
Slovenia	X	X	X	2	14	X	X	X	1	13
Soviet Union ⁵	10	6	86	3	Z	4	2	53	1	Z
Spain	144	103	245	305	372	109	64	183	248	345
Sweden	174	121	299	216	294	135	71	230	142	274
Switzerland	183	155	296	386	375	150	110	236	321	358
Ukraine	X	X	X	22	27	X	X	X	10	14
United Kingdom	1,669	923	2,338	2,857	4,718	1,388	598	1,899	2,342	4,580
Uzbekistan	X	X	X	2	9	X	X	X	1	7
Yugoslavia ⁵	X	X	X	9	12	X	X	X	7	9
Other Europe	6	6	10	45	66	4	1	3	30	49
Asia	2,290	2,627	4,937	7,000	8,548	1,704	1,866	3,830	5,666	7,642
Bangladesh	4	4	6	13	16	2	2	4	8	11
China ⁶	111	183	329	614	721	53	83	187	378	596
Hong Kong	75	101	176	223	204	54	64	111	162	183
India	88	85	125	155	419	57	52	75	75	253
Indonesia	21	32	47	74	87	11	19	28	44	61
Iran	17	40	18	11	11	12	33	16	9	9
Israel	131	115	175	215	358	102	80	128	160	334
Japan	1,372	1,555	3,298	4,380	4,933	1,155	1,277	2,846	3,986	4,757
Jordan	17	14	19	13	24	8	7	13	8	19
Korea	77	91	235	612	737	29	26	120	427	623
Kuwait	15	22	18	21	26	8	10	12	13	20
Lebanon	26	19	13	10	23	16	12	10	7	20
Malaysia	33	40	44	67	78	21	19	27	40	64
Pakistan	28	28	41	40	73	18	17	27	27	59
Philippines	100	107	143	171	273	60	59	76	85	181
Saudi Arabia	57	60	53	68	84	27	31	33	45	66
Singapore	27	37	54	97	135	19	23	32	61	120
Thailand	21	28	45	94	95	12	15	25	59	72
Turkey	18	16	34	46	107	11	9	20	27	83
United Arab Emirates	6	11	12	23	44	3	6	7	14	36
Other Asia	35	24	31	65	100	18	14	15	39	73

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 35. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION
AND REGION AND SELECTED COUNTRY OF LAST RESIDENCE
SELECTED FISCAL YEARS 1981-2001—Continued**

Region and country of last residence	All classes ¹ (in thousands)					Visitors for pleasure (in thousands)				
	1981	1985	1990 ²	1995 ²	2001 ²	1981	1985	1990 ²	1995 ²	2001 ²
Africa	225	177	186	228	406	130	101	105	137	332
Egypt	34	27	27	30	55	21	16	16	16	46
Kenya	6	6	8	11	23	4	3	4	6	16
Liberia	6	6	5	2	3	4	4	4	1	2
Morocco	8	7	11	12	21	5	4	7	8	17
Nigeria	54	44	22	17	39	25	25	11	10	34
Senegal	3	3	5	6	13	1	1	2	3	11
South Africa	61	40	40	85	125	45	26	26	59	107
Other Africa	52	45	67	66	128	23	22	34	35	100
Oceania	379	365	679	611	747	315	282	562	478	700
Australia	230	255	466	428	518	188	195	380	327	487
Fiji	5	6	6	6	8	4	4	4	4	7
New Zealand ⁷	109	90	177	139	171	95	74	153	115	162
Other Oceania	34	14	31	37	49	27	9	25	31	45
North America	2,817	2,189	3,245	3,091	8,124	2,480	1,664	2,463	2,240	6,691
Canada	135	154	216	252	446	75	79	119	127	292
Mexico	1,768	945	1,348	1,214	4,333	1,634	773	1,061	893	4,154
Caribbean	614	774	1,231	1,088	1,440	526	584	963	831	1,350
Antigua-Barbuda	9	12	25	22	24	7	9	16	15	23
Aruba	Z	Z	14	24	23	Z	Z	10	19	23
Bahamas, The	172	231	345	266	370	163	211	332	234	364
Barbados	19	24	47	49	56	15	17	34	36	53
British Virgin Islands	4	5	16	15	32	3	4	8	9	31
Cayman Islands	5	24	38	38	53	4	18	31	31	52
Cuba	7	10	34	10	29	5	8	33	8	27
Dominica	19	6	16	17	17	16	4	11	12	15
Dominican Republic	78	87	189	186	206	65	57	137	138	194
Guadeloupe	9	5	8	11	9	8	4	6	9	9
Haiti	43	79	72	56	72	30	56	57	43	68
Jamaica	112	126	213	201	273	93	74	132	130	238
Netherlands Antilles	27	38	48	40	38	23	27	31	32	37
St. Lucia	4	4	11	12	18	3	2	7	8	16
Trinidad and Tobago	81	90	99	82	144	70	71	81	64	135
Turks and Caicos Islands	4	6	9	9	17	3	4	7	8	16
Other Caribbean	16	16	33	50	60	12	12	20	35	51
Central America	300	316	449	536	900	245	228	320	387	837
Belize	11	11	18	21	32	8	8	12	15	30
Costa Rica	43	58	86	123	177	36	41	62	91	165
El Salvador	39	50	66	87	219	33	38	46	63	211
Guatemala	83	71	124	135	206	74	53	91	99	195
Honduras	47	55	80	60	106	32	37	52	37	92
Nicaragua	25	17	16	38	51	20	14	13	28	45
Panama	52	54	59	73	110	42	38	43	54	98
Other North America	1	Z	Z	1	1,005	Z	Z	Z	1	58
South America	1,449	832	1,343	2,481	3,055	1,256	606	1,016	1,978	2,831
Argentina	227	89	175	383	524	206	66	136	320	503
Bolivia	23	17	21	25	44	18	10	14	16	39
Brazil	201	200	393	847	731	164	148	300	710	664
Chile	62	40	75	154	188	48	28	54	117	173
Colombia	206	164	164	238	435	173	123	122	174	400
Ecuador	82	53	75	100	168	71	42	57	77	149
Guyana	11	11	10	14	20	8	7	6	9	18
Paraguay	8	6	9	19	21	6	3	6	14	19
Peru	72	59	124	145	221	60	44	97	98	197
Uruguay	21	10	21	46	71	17	7	16	37	68
Venezuela	530	173	264	500	626	481	122	199	400	594
Other South America	Z	Z	Z	Z	7	Z	Z	Z	Z	7
Unknown	60	221	308	453	426	30	40	60	101	370

¹ Excludes classes of admission processed in the Nonimmigrant Information System in the following years: for all countries — 1985 - 64,487 parolees, 3,239 withdrawals and stowaways, and 68,044 refugees; 1990 - 90,265 parolees, 19,984 withdrawals and stowaways, and 110,197 refugees; 1995 - 113,542 parolees, 21,567 withdrawals and stowaways, and 95,576 refugees; 2001 - 273,914 parolees, 23,749 withdrawals and stowaways, and 110,573 refugees. ² Includes admissions under the Visa Waiver Pilot Program. For 2001, data are for business and pleasure, not available separately due to temporary expiration of the Visa Waiver Program during October 2000. See Nonimmigrant section of text. ³ Prior to 1993, data include independent republics; beginning in 1993, data are for unknown republic only. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. ⁴ Prior to fiscal year 1982 and after fiscal year 1990, data for East and West Germany are included in Germany. ⁵ Prior to 1992, data include independent republics; beginning in 1992, data are for unknown republic only. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. ⁶ Includes People's Republic of China and Taiwan. A total of 588,299 nonimmigrant visas were issued to these two countries in fiscal year 2001: 242,547 to Taiwan and 345,752 to People's Republic of China. (SOURCE: U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Visa Office.) ⁷ Prior to fiscal year 1985, data for Niue are included in New Zealand.

NOTE: Totals may not add due to rounding.

X Not applicable. Z Less than 500 admissions.

**TABLE 36. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Region and country of citizenship	All classes ^{1, 2}	Foreign government officials ³	Temporary visitors for business and pleasure ²	Transit aliens ⁴	Treaty traders and investors ³	Students	Spouses and children of students	Temporary workers and trainees ⁵	Spouses and children of temp. workers and trainees ⁵
All countries	32,824,088	131,313	29,419,601	456,174	178,534	698,595	43,326	592,994	146,427
Europe	12,447,982	41,156	11,404,589	75,743	78,292	134,472	4,067	156,646	31,128
Albania	8,670	161	7,223	35	5	656	16	109	31
Andorra	624	12	579	1	-	15	-	4	-
Armenia	10,539	65	8,558	69	-	189	14	181	195
Austria	172,554	453	159,583	466	1,101	2,174	50	2,411	252
Azerbaijan	2,698	207	1,685	18	7	182	16	60	29
Belarus	8,391	67	5,023	55	5	290	9	448	353
Belgium	220,158	703	202,550	404	1,429	1,948	45	2,716	522
Bosnia-Herzegovina	8,845	103	7,505	41	15	474	5	161	25
Bulgaria	23,322	281	11,515	1,848	11	3,547	130	1,576	491
Croatia	21,880	272	14,301	3,634	32	1,136	19	618	141
Czech Republic	53,042	364	42,646	409	38	1,531	29	1,112	224
Czechoslovakia ⁶	12,897	87	11,220	97	17	235	7	245	42
Denmark	167,737	502	152,027	1,660	911	1,557	56	2,031	461
Estonia	8,730	314	6,328	382	9	375	14	193	45
Finland	103,646	752	90,158	321	1,682	1,143	22	1,187	283
France	1,209,366	3,985	1,092,952	2,148	10,325	14,570	308	19,430	3,098
Georgia	3,931	296	2,062	226	17	233	5	173	36
Germany	1,750,044	3,370	1,598,709	3,495	24,245	18,375	360	17,810	2,578
Gibraltar	197	-	191	1	-	-	-	1	-
Greece	75,060	580	61,109	4,656	70	4,094	30	1,778	146
Holy See	171	109	50	1	-	1	-	5	-
Hungary	62,761	347	52,441	1,555	16	1,792	47	1,425	406
Iceland	28,068	152	25,119	124	3	1,016	221	477	107
Ireland	403,595	676	370,510	563	775	1,775	24	5,437	487
Italy	738,185	1,691	689,836	4,129	5,676	8,436	182	7,647	954
Kazakhstan	5,859	401	3,396	126	1	608	72	138	59
Kyrgyzstan	1,595	211	773	7	-	162	4	21	6
Latvia	12,483	267	7,004	2,137	20	474	14	323	89
Liechtenstein	1,588	10	1,459	-	4	42	2	15	-
Lithuania	18,352	292	11,891	692	2	584	18	422	139
Luxembourg	9,678	71	9,031	16	27	170	8	84	10
Macedonia	5,700	143	3,904	238	4	344	12	158	51
Malta	8,543	63	8,127	60	-	60	2	44	11
Moldova	2,489	126	1,206	32	2	218	12	107	35
Monaco	710	13	643	1	1	15	1	16	-
Netherlands	593,856	980	556,222	2,566	3,284	3,778	70	5,817	929
Norway	159,331	805	141,049	3,276	1,992	3,663	109	1,720	291
Poland	150,232	485	119,359	5,782	68	3,134	70	2,476	549
Portugal	106,728	359	99,725	1,233	23	1,545	67	874	112
Romania	49,568	568	33,774	4,393	27	2,818	296	1,700	728
Russia	126,564	2,143	80,282	5,939	42	5,800	493	8,376	3,578
San Marino	448	3	417	2	-	2	-	-	-
Slovak Republic	24,187	332	14,376	619	34	1,043	23	748	139
Slovenia	15,108	169	13,755	140	118	313	5	132	12
Soviet Union ⁶	488	-	415	18	-	1	-	9	11
Spain	435,258	1,749	391,567	1,313	2,292	8,693	198	7,632	827
Sweden	326,357	2,035	288,645	1,390	2,894	8,583	113	4,931	887
Switzerland	344,706	968	319,306	570	2,421	7,070	199	3,381	654
Tajikistan	472	11	204	6	-	100	4	1	-
Turkmenistan	523	19	341	2	-	32	-	3	-
Ukraine	33,017	557	18,376	4,311	12	1,568	104	1,793	965
United Kingdom	4,892,119	12,404	4,645,438	14,062	18,623	15,498	463	47,592	9,852
Uzbekistan	8,945	335	7,205	89	2	503	21	97	58
Yugoslavia ⁶	17,967	88	12,819	385	10	1,907	78	801	230
Asia	9,087,371	41,299	7,843,782	174,741	86,665	395,511	29,361	196,647	79,168
Afghanistan	1,983	1	1,666	10	-	31	10	27	12
Bahrain	4,671	216	3,452	12	2	808	61	10	3
Bangladesh	21,107	494	14,401	198	15	2,517	246	1,465	627
Bhutan	395	5	207	9	-	62	8	22	5
Brunei	934	77	712	2	1	16	6	18	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 36. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of citizenship	All classes ^{1, 2}	Foreign government officials ³	Temporary visitors for business and pleasure ²	Transit aliens ⁴	Treaty traders and investors ³	Students	Spouses and children of students	Temporary workers and trainees ⁵	Spouses and children of temp. workers and trainees ⁵
Burma	3,044	11	1,643	567	-	454	9	99	20
Cambodia	4,277	74	3,608	53	6	190	4	73	9
China ⁷	861,930	1,725	701,655	21,512	4,191	73,823	6,632	19,332	5,868
Cyprus	12,064	65	7,714	106	-	2,846	20	364	25
Hong Kong	121,934	25	106,393	4,213	23	7,248	51	2,480	143
India	567,775	1,251	306,767	14,289	102	48,809	1,601	108,478	50,508
Indonesia	96,961	1,279	66,805	11,118	36	11,727	387	2,589	472
Iran	20,268	6	16,974	69	55	852	98	499	364
Iraq	3,071	10	2,263	32	1	36	10	201	251
Israel	373,429	6,777	333,923	1,028	3,454	5,054	362	6,575	2,552
Japan	5,070,436	10,786	4,782,742	6,836	68,612	95,201	3,353	16,626	3,734
Jordan	33,548	969	26,806	268	7	2,522	212	818	378
Korea	841,863	3,402	691,422	27,311	8,226	63,646	9,452	8,534	4,201
Kuwait	19,756	647	14,060	45	2	4,146	583	42	7
Laos	2,557	37	1,947	45	1	76	-	43	2
Lebanon	32,321	198	26,155	287	12	2,709	37	1,140	209
Macau	1,272	-	971	30	-	223	1	31	4
Malaysia	96,211	821	77,791	2,977	33	6,225	238	3,200	482
Maldives	194	26	90	16	-	24	3	-	-
Mongolia	3,176	168	1,789	66	3	423	42	95	19
Nepal	8,251	174	4,379	584	1	1,493	155	739	205
Oman	3,693	211	2,226	36	-	906	121	17	2
Pakistan	95,595	387	73,199	425	561	7,496	371	5,743	3,307
Philippines	315,184	1,700	213,584	75,127	523	2,550	139	7,208	3,690
Qatar	3,769	234	2,344	5	1	844	164	6	3
Saudi Arabia	66,721	3,620	48,661	210	14	8,765	3,573	217	87
Singapore	109,881	2,445	95,404	341	45	5,299	175	2,047	558
Sri Lanka	16,368	294	11,622	441	42	1,429	102	1,025	342
Syria	14,399	35	12,166	155	3	630	41	398	187
Thailand	95,415	793	70,588	3,744	267	13,146	184	1,970	243
Turkey	121,780	1,024	88,901	2,231	417	17,624	475	4,272	592
United Arab Emirates	17,247	930	11,759	39	4	3,957	360	35	11
Vietnam	21,016	241	14,971	290	5	1,268	23	178	38
Yemen	2,875	141	2,022	14	-	436	52	31	8
Africa	465,646	9,405	363,278	9,498	188	28,287	1,682	14,034	4,277
Algeria	7,516	96	6,017	254	1	224	11	214	62
Angola	4,267	193	2,951	48	3	597	34	45	7
Benin	1,558	134	998	35	-	122	8	21	5
Botswana	2,448	169	1,205	75	1	586	24	53	2
Burkina Faso	1,657	53	1,123	38	-	131	7	29	7
Burundi	906	28	482	79	-	130	1	3	-
Cameroon	7,784	219	5,450	243	13	618	24	257	47
Cape Verde	5,575	20	5,289	42	1	39	-	23	14
Central African Republic	356	30	210	21	-	31	-	7	3
Chad	538	57	287	36	-	38	2	4	-
Comoros	63	5	13	1	-	8	3	-	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	133	1	104	12	-	4	1	6	4
Congo, Republic	4,372	302	3,246	153	-	183	8	92	11
Cote d'Ivoire	5,453	148	4,035	48	3	526	31	147	12
Djibouti	377	17	282	37	1	4	-	-	-
Egypt	61,828	2,822	50,260	464	21	1,796	255	1,355	555
Equatorial Guinea	157	18	102	2	-	8	-	-	-
Eritrea	1,590	83	1,304	24	-	69	1	5	2
Ethiopia	9,367	107	7,205	766	1	370	22	165	16
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	8	-	7	1	-	-	-	-	-
Gabon	1,219	106	735	24	3	129	3	6	1
Gambia, The	3,178	138	2,521	9	3	265	5	38	5
Ghana	24,929	279	20,885	303	1	1,438	112	431	106
Guinea	6,620	188	5,638	50	1	234	2	98	4
Guinea-Bissau	85	3	66	1	-	4	-	1	-
Kenya	23,754	141	15,480	340	4	5,177	237	813	103
Lesotho	326	14	181	10	1	25	-	12	5

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Region and country of citizenship	All classes ^{1, 2}	Foreign government officials ³	Temporary visitors for business and pleasure ²	Transit aliens ⁴	Treaty traders and investors ³	Students	Spouses and children of students	Temporary workers and trainees ⁵	Spouses and children of temp. workers and trainees ⁵
Liberia	3,449	15	2,822	18	5	353	28	34	8
Libya	449	2	297	9	-	9	1	7	6
Madagascar	1,059	96	629	42	-	45	4	26	2
Malawi	1,637	71	1,012	27	-	211	29	20	3
Mali	5,737	61	4,810	36	-	319	5	140	7
Mauritania	1,455	98	818	15	-	253	6	22	8
Mauritius	2,798	47	2,027	76	-	209	5	66	15
Morocco	26,159	526	20,369	460	41	2,668	35	627	110
Mozambique	1,161	155	650	75	-	68	9	15	7
Namibia	1,272	110	806	22	1	60	3	23	6
Niger	2,075	23	1,474	13	4	262	2	72	30
Nigeria	48,476	521	40,463	213	4	2,807	110	1,343	356
Reunion	31	1	27	-	-	-	-	1	-
Rwanda	1,410	151	850	121	-	127	7	33	3
Sao Tome and Principe	69	10	40	1	-	4	-	2	-
Senegal	14,845	228	12,388	170	3	668	10	284	26
Seychelles	391	9	330	9	-	19	-	5	-
Sierra Leone	2,762	28	2,167	24	1	124	6	70	11
Somalia	1,003	1	917	26	-	25	-	4	-
South Africa	129,704	819	103,787	4,109	43	2,064	125	6,449	2,445
St. Helena	101	-	101	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sudan	4,576	78	3,709	46	3	310	29	43	32
Swaziland	421	73	205	24	-	37	-	4	-
Tanzania	6,769	163	4,194	149	1	1,385	46	171	36
Togo	2,565	50	1,755	26	6	472	11	12	7
Tunisia	9,161	229	7,255	141	12	594	8	139	38
Uganda	5,641	310	3,793	153	-	484	22	235	35
Western Sahara	16	-	16	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zambia	4,996	111	3,289	109	1	542	109	49	24
Zimbabwe	9,394	48	6,202	268	5	1,412	281	313	91
Oceania	794,840	6,144	723,503	5,524	1,634	5,164	180	15,404	3,374
American Samoa	1,212	19	1,072	30	-	35	2	39	5
Australia	548,795	5,049	496,196	1,994	1,608	3,766	100	11,229	2,485
Christmas Island	11	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cocos Islands	4	-	1	-	-	2	-	1	-
Cook Islands	34	-	31	-	-	1	-	1	-
Fiji	8,553	56	6,641	1,437	1	142	19	49	32
French Polynesia	836	2	802	4	1	7	1	6	2
Guam	54	-	46	6	1	1	-	-	-
Kiribati	1,003	24	548	392	-	10	-	5	-
Marshall Islands	7,428	37	7,361	27	-	3	-	-	-
Micronesia, Federated States	16,391	33	16,350	2	-	2	-	-	-
Nauru	229	14	198	9	-	-	-	2	-
New Caledonia	182	-	181	-	-	1	-	-	-
New Zealand	195,875	753	180,942	1,036	22	1,061	47	3,979	843
Niue	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Mariana Islands	51	-	51	-	-	-	-	-	-
Palau	6,583	8	6,569	4	-	-	-	-	-
Papua New Guinea	673	31	457	93	-	28	11	4	-
Pitcairn Islands	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Samoa	1,590	12	1,482	37	-	41	-	18	-
Solomon Islands	170	5	118	29	-	1	-	-	-
Tonga	4,531	69	4,171	142	1	58	-	57	7
Tuvalu	338	20	87	227	-	1	-	-	-
Vanuatu	271	12	162	55	-	4	-	14	-
Wallis and Futuna Islands	24	-	24	-	-	-	-	-	-
North America	6,767,816	14,514	6,172,241	103,842	7,481	70,833	3,081	158,184	14,666
Canada	249,681	489	29,714	1,490	3,704	18,659	651	31,727	7,516
Greenland	79	1	64	4	-	-	-	3	-
Mexico	4,334,330	3,177	4,118,209	48,383	3,354	18,502	1,520	90,969	5,319
St. Pierre and Miquelon	37	-	29	1	-	2	1	3	1
United States	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Region and country of citizenship	All classes ^{1, 2}	Foreign government officials ³	Temporary visitors for business and pleasure ²	Transit aliens ⁴	Treaty traders and investors ³	Students	Spouses and children of students	Temporary workers and trainees ⁵	Spouses and children of temp. workers and trainees ⁵
Caribbean	1,318,529	6,246	1,226,912	23,164	193	22,645	595	25,890	1,070
Anguilla	3,676	26	3,431	42	1	158	-	8	2
Antigua-Barbuda	21,190	277	20,198	121	2	384	2	91	3
Aruba	8,956	6	8,729	12	10	139	1	20	8
Bahamas, The	351,417	1,388	345,295	462	10	3,241	134	488	33
Barbados	51,914	839	48,463	480	6	1,082	16	562	29
Bermuda	3,107	1	2,018	21	3	634	40	115	19
British Virgin Islands	7,672	10	7,299	31	-	320	5	2	1
Cayman Islands	27,741	2	26,782	102	1	795	18	4	7
Cuba	30,860	228	28,723	232	9	41	8	769	19
Dominica ⁸	13,180	112	11,597	659	1	386	4	257	12
Dominican Republic ⁸	207,985	800	193,676	4,145	37	1,861	44	3,797	447
Grenada	11,902	173	10,555	664	2	311	4	90	6
Guadeloupe	625	-	618	-	-	5	-	1	-
Haiti	83,158	168	77,911	2,529	7	1,096	29	580	23
Jamaica	277,978	1,117	241,401	7,961	34	6,403	196	17,138	226
Martinique	903	1	886	2	2	7	-	3	-
Montserrat	1,324	-	1,275	9	-	23	-	11	2
Netherlands Antilles	7,918	1	7,615	32	7	222	1	25	3
Puerto Rico	347	2	247	13	1	38	6	20	7
St. Kitts-Nevis	14,566	217	13,567	147	2	501	6	54	4
St. Lucia	18,491	198	17,060	477	-	512	13	89	9
St. Vincent & the Grenadines	12,349	99	9,767	2,081	-	212	5	74	7
Trinidad and Tobago	148,170	561	137,199	2,859	50	3,966	59	1,676	191
Turks and Caicos Islands	12,923	17	12,444	73	8	305	4	16	12
U.S. Virgin Islands	177	3	156	10	-	3	-	-	-
Central America	865,158	4,601	797,311	30,800	230	11,025	314	9,592	760
Belize	30,996	439	28,757	611	3	806	32	122	12
Costa Rica	166,671	606	152,921	5,608	110	1,718	88	1,394	266
El Salvador	216,974	701	208,731	3,564	23	1,315	28	1,202	105
Guatemala	198,935	1,009	186,712	3,409	12	2,191	85	3,495	147
Honduras	104,414	639	89,772	9,259	38	1,593	39	1,867	72
Nicaragua	50,521	206	44,113	4,306	9	740	18	392	28
Panama	96,647	1,001	86,305	4,043	35	2,662	24	1,120	130
South America	3,110,089	18,106	2,778,365	78,169	3,986	62,216	4,800	50,890	13,398
Argentina	541,483	2,127	505,629	461	1,221	7,161	644	8,080	1,800
Bolivia	44,516	651	38,899	1,651	73	1,381	52	491	82
Brazil	733,941	3,636	639,810	24,951	150	18,852	1,059	12,296	3,404
Chile	190,034	2,230	168,668	6,010	42	2,625	454	2,220	529
Colombia	470,210	2,026	412,820	8,488	2,127	11,758	1,098	10,492	2,924
Ecuador	166,955	1,640	144,193	11,638	55	3,610	142	1,597	401
Falkland Islands	19	-	19	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	35	-	35	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guyana	25,519	188	22,561	1,585	5	307	10	215	32
Paraguay	19,254	554	16,340	947	37	625	17	172	61
Peru	232,877	1,051	198,820	17,532	51	3,925	359	3,917	770
Suriname	6,171	139	5,456	206	62	121	7	23	6
Uruguay	72,454	807	67,572	505	17	594	60	582	132
Venezuela	606,621	3,057	557,543	4,195	146	11,257	898	10,805	3,257
Unknown	150,344	689	133,843	8,657	288	2,112	155	1,189	416

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Region and country of citizenship	International representatives ³	Representatives of foreign information media ³	Exchange visitors	Spouses and children of exchange visitors	Fian-ces(ees) of U.S. citizens ⁹	Intra-company transferees	Spouses and children of intra-company transferees	NATO officials ³	North American Free-Trade Agreement workers ³	Spouses and children of NAFTA workers ³
All countries	94,109	34,488	339,848	49,587	27,121	328,480	144,911	13,805	95,486	21,509
Europe	35,327	19,296	210,123	13,035	7,216	162,672	63,645	10,317	-	-
Albania	103	8	249	10	39	8	8	4	-	-
Andorra	8	-	3	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
Armenia	127	10	954	52	35	40	50	-	-	-
Austria	542	422	2,445	192	23	1,957	482	1	-	-
Azerbaijan	54	-	377	28	16	12	6	1	-	-
Belarus	191	-	1,653	74	176	24	22	-	-	-
Belgium	1,337	397	1,816	273	30	3,655	1,750	583	-	-
Bosnia-Herzegovina	69	7	379	19	14	21	4	3	-	-
Bulgaria	349	57	3,134	162	86	80	44	4	-	-
Croatia	165	116	1,191	61	26	120	39	8	-	-
Czech Republic	245	122	5,669	187	31	260	152	21	-	-
Czechoslovakia ⁶	24	21	760	35	2	67	35	3	-	-
Denmark	938	334	2,380	266	21	2,880	1,320	391	-	-
Estonia	73	17	873	46	19	30	11	1	-	-
Finland	790	246	1,783	310	23	3,412	1,528	-	-	-
France	5,345	1,556	21,489	1,657	145	21,433	10,893	22	-	-
Georgia	74	5	713	54	7	19	8	3	-	-
Germany	3,143	3,648	33,598	1,822	303	25,479	8,741	4,357	-	-
Gibraltar	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Greece	390	173	1,157	108	18	351	87	311	-	-
Holy See	3	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Hungary	373	186	3,109	457	29	383	159	32	-	-
Iceland	158	17	322	146	8	110	87	1	-	-
Ireland	693	291	15,295	155	72	5,237	1,592	12	-	-
Italy	2,473	847	7,259	572	82	5,526	1,782	1,087	-	-
Kazakhstan	97	8	750	43	88	46	25	-	-	-
Kyrgyzstan	49	2	267	20	49	16	8	-	-	-
Latvia	124	20	1,839	28	54	63	25	1	-	-
Liechtenstein	19	2	11	3	-	14	7	-	-	-
Lithuania	80	27	4,010	48	57	52	29	6	-	-
Luxembourg	66	10	56	11	1	95	18	4	-	-
Macedonia	94	29	670	38	8	4	-	1	-	-
Malta	50	6	64	5	2	42	6	-	-	-
Moldova	96	-	521	21	92	13	8	-	-	-
Monaco	19	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	1,797	669	4,691	309	116	8,492	3,463	665	-	-
Norway	731	191	2,004	302	33	1,828	904	432	-	-
Poland	408	275	15,628	502	200	684	327	190	-	-
Portugal	434	144	907	108	30	733	226	202	-	-
Romania	293	141	4,041	290	179	206	90	10	-	-
Russia	2,141	238	12,235	1,149	2,385	1,084	653	14	-	-
San Marino	22	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Slovak Republic	169	52	6,324	123	29	107	60	6	-	-
Slovenia	83	14	277	20	5	51	14	-	-	-
Soviet Union ⁶	3	-	12	4	13	-	2	-	-	-
Spain	1,876	806	9,476	869	56	5,701	1,855	346	-	-
Sweden	1,427	501	4,189	438	77	7,309	2,920	9	-	-
Switzerland	719	502	2,724	401	33	4,175	1,574	7	-	-
Tajikistan	20	-	120	4	1	1	-	-	-	-
Turkmenistan	17	-	99	4	3	-	2	1	-	-
Ukraine	394	16	3,018	251	1,405	148	86	2	-	-
United Kingdom	6,134	7,065	28,016	1,247	1,007	60,615	22,508	1,571	-	-
Uzbekistan	72	17	409	42	56	21	14	2	-	-
Yugoslavia ⁶	226	81	1,151	69	32	65	20	2	-	-
Asia	18,640	8,500	59,007	25,796	12,484	72,837	40,681	1,114	-	-
Afghanistan	29	1	11	4	160	8	2	-	-	-
Bahrain	39	8	40	14	2	3	1	-	-	-
Bangladesh	465	21	266	158	4	65	64	4	-	-
Bhutan	61	-	12	2	1	-	-	1	-	-
Brunei	69	-	6	-	1	12	13	-	-	-

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Burma	144	-	50	11	10	13	10	1	-	-
Cambodia	33	-	62	15	142	3	5	-	-	-
China ⁷	1,631	636	10,383	5,218	2,121	4,570	2,436	144	-	-
Cyprus	95	9	734	25	3	43	14	1	-	-
Hong Kong	132	117	468	26	34	431	121	19	-	-
India	3,408	191	5,374	2,052	1,007	15,531	7,965	92	-	-
Indonesia	510	73	719	278	109	506	337	14	-	-
Iran	401	3	261	219	341	59	39	6	-	-
Iraq	107	2	18	10	120	3	1	1	-	-
Israel	479	245	4,132	1,837	41	4,348	2,543	69	-	-
Japan	2,503	5,489	13,411	5,784	316	34,821	20,188	14	-	-
Jordan	250	10	802	216	64	90	51	6	-	-
Korea	989	1,143	8,856	6,788	325	4,465	2,976	108	-	-
Kuwait	98	4	66	16	3	16	20	1	-	-
Laos	79	1	30	11	283	2	-	-	-	-
Lebanon	316	45	726	109	164	123	63	9	-	-
Macau	-	-	5	-	4	-	-	-	-	-
Malaysia	457	74	1,177	225	67	1,647	782	13	-	-
Maldives	29	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mongolia	97	11	384	54	7	11	7	-	-	-
Nepal	196	-	175	62	23	34	25	1	-	-
Oman	63	-	69	34	1	7	-	-	-	-
Pakistan	917	32	1,043	475	335	545	563	13	-	-
Philippines	2,652	127	1,194	222	2,920	2,464	862	42	-	-
Qatar	38	1	112	14	-	1	-	1	-	-
Saudi Arabia	234	3	435	521	5	165	201	9	-	-
Singapore	252	30	710	209	34	1,599	725	6	-	-
Sri Lanka	514	2	197	76	12	168	92	2	-	-
Syria	124	1	339	119	132	14	27	-	-	-
Thailand	336	58	2,799	144	577	339	205	17	-	-
Turkey	538	142	3,286	716	45	676	310	515	-	-
United Arab Emirates	50	1	56	31	4	4	1	2	-	-
Vietnam	236	20	528	80	3,063	46	25	3	-	-
Yemen	69	-	65	21	4	5	7	-	-	-
Africa	12,680	382	12,292	1,900	897	4,108	2,363	78	-	-
Algeria	411	13	138	14	19	28	14	-	-	-
Angola	175	-	67	24	-	63	58	2	-	-
Benin	165	-	46	19	3	1	1	-	-	-
Botswana	75	6	218	27	1	6	-	-	-	-
Burkina Faso	235	-	26	5	2	-	-	1	-	-
Burundi	176	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cameroon	604	17	139	47	20	41	36	1	-	-
Cape Verde	45	-	25	3	50	1	3	-	-	-
Central African Republic	48	-	2	2	-	1	-	1	-	-
Chad	88	-	14	7	3	1	1	-	-	-
Comoros	31	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Republic	280	-	51	12	6	15	8	-	-	-
Cote d'Ivoire	341	13	106	12	8	20	2	1	-	-
Djibouti	33	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Egypt	671	80	2,198	709	23	365	228	8	-	-
Equatorial Guinea	9	-	6	7	1	1	2	1	-	-
Eritrea	53	1	35	2	7	-	3	-	-	-
Ethiopia	432	1	136	22	35	27	17	2	-	-
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gabon	188	-	16	-	2	2	4	-	-	-
Gambia, The	163	-	9	1	4	6	8	2	-	-
Ghana	598	39	456	70	121	40	14	5	-	-
Guinea	321	5	56	8	8	2	2	-	-	-
Guinea-Bissau	9	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Kenya	592	17	535	104	39	81	79	6	-	-
Lesotho	67	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Region and country of citizenship	International representatives ³	Representatives of foreign information media ³	Exchange visitors	Spouses and children of exchange visitors	Fiancées(ees) of U.S. citizens ⁹	Intra-company transferees	Spouses and children of intra-company transferees	NATO officials ³	North American Free-Trade Agreement workers ³	Spouses and children of NAFTA workers ³
Liberia	112	2	16	6	17	5	3	-	-	-
Libya	95	-	5	4	12	2	-	-	-	-
Madagascar	155	1	49	1	4	5	-	-	-	-
Malawi	154	-	89	14	-	4	3	-	-	-
Mali	295	2	48	7	4	-	2	1	-	-
Mauritania	220	-	11	2	-	1	1	-	-	-
Mauritius	273	-	41	9	2	21	7	-	-	-
Morocco	447	29	518	56	101	98	54	5	-	-
Mozambique	119	2	52	7	-	1	-	1	-	-
Namibia	125	1	92	12	3	8	-	-	-	-
Niger	67	7	52	11	6	25	12	1	-	-
Nigeria	814	21	574	146	230	516	261	8	-	-
Reunion	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rwanda	61	-	52	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sao Tome and Principe	11	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senegal	748	23	220	8	15	22	13	3	-	-
Seychelles	17	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	266	5	29	-	24	2	-	-	-	-
Somalia	16	-	3	-	8	2	-	1	-	-
South Africa	673	85	4,690	342	84	2,499	1,466	19	-	-
St. Helena	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sudan	288	1	24	5	3	3	-	1	-	-
Swaziland	52	-	21	2	-	3	-	-	-	-
Tanzania	353	3	215	32	7	8	4	1	-	-
Togo	164	-	38	8	3	10	1	-	-	-
Tunisia	407	-	194	29	8	84	20	1	-	-
Uganda	372	-	206	12	5	7	4	3	-	-
Western Sahara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zambia	262	1	448	32	4	6	7	1	-	-
Zimbabwe	304	7	298	54	4	75	25	2	-	-
Oceania	2,255	911	11,788	1,043	374	12,334	5,176	14	-	-
American Samoa	3	-	3	-	2	2	-	-	-	-
Australia	1,462	741	8,594	734	270	10,117	4,435	9	-	-
Christmas Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cocos Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cook Islands	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fiji	80	4	40	-	22	17	5	1	-	-
French Polynesia	1	-	5	-	-	4	1	-	-	-
Guam	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kiribati	15	-	4	-	-	3	1	-	-	-
Marshall Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Micronesia, Federated States	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nauru	5	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Caledonia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Zealand	619	164	3,114	301	73	2,186	732	2	-	-
Niue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Palau	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Papua New Guinea	34	-	7	1	1	4	2	-	-	-
Pitcairn Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Samoa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Solomon Islands	9	-	5	2	-	1	-	-	-	-
Tonga	10	-	5	1	5	-	-	2	-	-
Tuvalu	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	13	-	6	4	1	-	-	-	-	-
Wallis and Futuna Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
North America	9,457	2,199	20,993	3,442	3,984	42,519	15,931	1,803	95,486	21,509
Canada	2,640	155	6,872	797	1,244	22,838	6,835	681	92,915	20,739
Greenland	-	-	6	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Mexico	1,913	1,063	6,894	1,760	1,252	15,723	7,712	719	2,571	770
St. Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United States	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Caribbean	2,440	611	3,582	520	1,119	1,675	643	244	-	-
Anguilla	-	-	4	-	2	1	-	1	-	-
Antigua-Barbuda	68	-	22	3	4	6	2	6	-	-
Aruba	1	16	6	-	1	5	2	-	-	-
Bahamas, The	107	6	55	6	5	104	14	64	-	-
Barbados	171	19	119	32	2	62	24	6	-	-
Bermuda	5	147	6	-	5	72	20	-	-	-
British Virgin Islands	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cayman Islands	5	-	8	-	-	10	3	4	-	-
Cuba	408	15	58	10	281	10	13	5	-	-
Dominica ⁸	9	12	44	7	31	11	7	1	-	-
Dominican Republic ⁸	315	300	761	123	395	472	221	49	-	-
Grenada	48	-	18	7	1	13	7	2	-	-
Guadeloupe	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Haiti	189	24	200	29	116	35	31	20	-	-
Jamaica	470	42	1,871	215	232	343	116	45	-	-
Martinique	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montserrat	-	-	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	-	5	2	-	1	3	1	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	-	-	6	3	-	1	3	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	38	3	7	-	4	4	5	-	-	-
St. Lucia	58	-	31	2	5	29	6	2	-	-
St. Vincent & the Grenadines	60	2	10	2	3	18	4	3	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	484	18	324	78	31	464	163	29	-	-
Turks and Caicos Islands	3	1	21	3	-	9	1	5	-	-
U.S. Virgin Islands	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
Central America	2,464	370	3,639	365	369	2,282	741	159	-	-
Belize	68	2	53	18	13	47	11	1	-	-
Costa Rica	642	123	1,784	155	51	868	304	31	-	-
El Salvador	361	82	294	28	70	267	87	49	-	-
Guatemala	429	73	594	74	52	429	175	29	-	-
Honduras	338	40	324	36	89	200	64	16	-	-
Nicaragua	267	9	232	19	41	95	16	13	-	-
Panama	359	41	358	35	53	376	84	20	-	-
South America	15,390	3,113	24,441	4,234	1,898	33,547	16,783	402	-	-
Argentina	2,212	380	3,710	746	55	5,076	2,163	8	-	-
Bolivia	694	27	248	22	26	140	64	5	-	-
Brazil	2,866	708	9,429	1,272	236	10,079	5,067	108	-	-
Chile	1,483	496	1,848	431	47	1,921	995	28	-	-
Colombia	2,314	609	3,342	498	797	7,087	3,700	72	-	-
Ecuador	779	55	1,225	171	169	703	437	27	-	-
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guyana	289	12	52	21	68	60	22	5	-	-
Paraguay	155	28	177	16	11	85	26	2	-	-
Peru	2,149	200	1,713	198	365	1,251	508	45	-	-
Suriname	85	-	18	-	1	20	26	-	-	-
Uruguay	1,123	98	306	88	6	403	154	5	-	-
Venezuela	1,241	500	2,373	771	117	6,722	3,621	97	-	-
Unknown	360	87	1,204	137	268	463	332	77	-	-

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All countries	8	2,691	4,540	318	29	11	17	34	132
Europe	-	86	100	2	14	1	2	6	47
Albania	-	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Andorra	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Armenia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Austria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Azerbaijan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Belarus	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Belgium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bosnia-Herzegovina	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bulgaria	-	3	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Croatia	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Czech Republic	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Czechoslovakia ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Denmark	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Estonia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Finland	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
France	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	7
Georgia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Germany	-	1	1	-	3	-	-	-	6
Gibraltar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Greece	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Holy See	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hungary	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Iceland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ireland	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Italy	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	4
Kazakhstan	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kyrgyzstan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Latvia	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Liechtenstein	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lithuania	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Luxembourg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Macedonia	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malta	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Moldova	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Monaco	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	6
Norway	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Poland	-	32	57	-	1	-	1	3	1
Portugal	-	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Romania	-	5	7	-	-	-	1	1	-
Russia	-	8	3	-	1	-	-	-	-
San Marino	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Slovak Republic	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Slovenia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soviet Union ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Sweden	-	1	-	2	-	1	-	-	5
Switzerland	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Tajikistan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Turkmenistan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ukraine	-	4	7	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	-	9	1	-	4	-	-	2	8
Uzbekistan	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yugoslavia ⁶	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Asia	8	549	442	85	8	7	5	12	22
Afghanistan	-	2	9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahrain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bangladesh	-	45	52	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bhutan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brunei	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-

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Burma	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cambodia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
China ⁷	2	25	23	2	-	-	-	1	-
Cyprus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hong Kong	-	6	2	1	-	-	1	-	-
India	2	226	73	41	1	1	2	4	-
Indonesia	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Iran	-	8	13	1	-	-	-	-	-
Iraq	-	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Israel	-	1	7	-	2	-	-	-	-
Japan	-	2	1	-	1	1	-	-	15
Jordan	-	16	49	11	1	-	1	1	-
Korea	-	9	5	-	-	4	-	-	1
Kuwait	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Laos	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lebanon	-	5	11	3	-	-	-	-	-
Macau	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malaysia	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Maldives	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mongolia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nepal	-	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oman	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pakistan	1	69	107	-	-	1	-	2	3
Philippines	2	106	51	18	-	-	-	2	1
Qatar	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Saudi Arabia	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Singapore	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sri Lanka	-	3	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Syria	-	9	13	5	-	-	1	-	-
Thailand	1	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Turkey	-	4	7	1	2	-	-	2	-
United Arab Emirates	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
Vietnam	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Yemen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Africa	-	91	186	8	1	-	-	1	10
Algeria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Angola	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Benin	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Botswana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burkina Faso	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burundi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cameroon	-	1	7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cape Verde	-	1	12	7	-	-	-	-	-
Central African Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chad	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Comoros	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Republic	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cote d'Ivoire	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Djibouti	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Egypt	-	6	11	-	-	-	-	-	1
Equatorial Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eritrea	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ethiopia	-	17	25	-	-	-	-	1	-
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gabon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gambia, The	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ghana	-	12	19	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guinea	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guinea-Bissau	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kenya	-	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lesotho	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Liberia	-	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Libya	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Madagascar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malawi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mali	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mauritania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mauritius	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Morocco	-	6	5	-	1	-	-	-	3
Mozambique	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Namibia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Niger	-	7	7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nigeria	-	27	61	-	-	-	-	-	1
Reunion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rwanda	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sao Tome and Principe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senegal	-	5	11	-	-	-	-	-	-
Seychelles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Somalia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Africa	-	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Helena	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sudan	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Swaziland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tanzania	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Togo	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tunisia	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Uganda	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Western Sahara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zambia	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	5
Zimbabwe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oceania	-	10	4	-	-	-	-	-	4
American Samoa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Australia	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	4
Christmas Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cocos Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cook Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fiji	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Polynesia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guam	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kiribati	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marshall Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Micronesia, Federated States	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nauru	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Caledonia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Zealand	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Niue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Palau	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Papua New Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pitcairn Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Samoa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Solomon Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tonga	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tuvalu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wallis and Futuna Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
North America	-	1,810	3,579	219	5	2	9	13	14
Canada	-	4	1	-	1	1	-	-	8
Greenland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mexico	-	1,389	2,937	181	3	1	2	6	1
St. Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United States	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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**TABLE 36. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of citizenship	Spouses and children of U.S. citizens, immigrant visa pending ¹⁰	Spouses of legal permanent residents, immigrant visa pending ¹⁰	Children of legal permanent residents, immigrant visa pending ¹⁰	Dependent children of spouse or accompanying children, immigrant visa pending ¹⁰	Victims of severe form of trafficking ¹⁰	Spouses, children, parents of victims of severe form of trafficking ¹⁰	Victims of criminal activity ¹⁰	Spouses, children, and parents of victims of criminal activity ¹⁰	Other and unknown
Caribbean	-	379	557	25	1	-	7	6	5
Anguilla	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Antigua-Barbuda	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aruba	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahamas, The	-	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barbados	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Bermuda	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
British Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cayman Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cuba	-	18	6	7	-	-	-	-	-
Dominica ⁸	-	10	16	4	-	-	0	0	-
Dominican Republic ⁸	-	207	325	4	-	-	5	1	-
Grenada	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guadeloupe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Haiti	-	73	92	2	-	-	1	1	2
Jamaica	-	67	94	4	-	-	1	2	-
Martinique	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montserrat	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	-	1	3	3	-	-	-	-	-
St. Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Vincent & the Grenadines	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	-	1	12	1	-	-	-	1	3
Turks and Caicos Islands	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
U.S. Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Central America	-	38	84	13	-	-	-	1	-
Belize	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Costa Rica	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
El Salvador	-	14	41	12	-	-	-	-	-
Guatemala	-	12	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Honduras	-	5	21	1	-	-	-	1	-
Nicaragua	-	5	12	-	-	-	-	-	-
Panama	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
South America	-	120	192	1	1	1	-	1	35
Argentina	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	9
Bolivia	-	4	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brazil	-	5	10	-	1	1	-	-	1
Chile	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	4
Colombia	-	16	38	-	-	-	-	1	3
Ecuador	-	51	62	-	-	-	-	-	-
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guyana	-	35	51	1	-	-	-	-	-
Paraguay	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peru	-	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	18
Suriname	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Uruguay	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Venezuela	-	5	16	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unknown	-	25	37	3	-	-	1	1	-

¹ Excludes the following classes of admission processed in the Nonimmigrant Information System: for all countries — 273,914 parolees; 23,749 withdrawals and stowaways; and 110,573 refugees. ² Includes admissions under the Visa Waiver Program. Data for business and pleasure not available separately due to temporary expiration of the Visa Waiver Program during October 2000. See Nonimmigrant section of text. ³ Includes spouses and unmarried minor (or dependent) children. ⁴ Includes foreign government officials and their spouses and unmarried minor (or dependent) children in transit. ⁵ Excludes workers (and their spouses and children) under the North American Free-Trade Agreement (shown separately). ⁶ Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. ⁷ Includes People's Republic of China and Taiwan. A total of 588,299 nonimmigrant visas were issued to these two countries in fiscal year 2001: 242,547 to Taiwan and 345,752 to People's Republic of China. (SOURCE: U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Visa Office.) ⁸ Due to misreporting, reliable counts by country of citizenship are not available; therefore, data are given the same distribution as for country of last residence. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. The number of nonimmigrant visas issued in fiscal year 2001 for Dominica was 2,002; the Dominican Republic, 52,738. (SOURCE: U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Visa Office.) ⁹ Includes minor children of fiances(ees). ¹⁰ Admissions under the Legal Immigration Family Equity (LIFE) Act of 2000 and the Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act of 2000 began in June 2001 (see Glossary).

NOTE: See Glossary for detailed descriptions of classes of admission. - Represents zero.

**TABLE 37. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY CLASS OF ADMISSION
SELECTED FISCAL YEARS 1985-2001**

Class of admission ¹	1985	1990	1995	1998	1999	2000	2001
All classes ²	9,539,880	17,574,055	22,640,540	30,174,627	31,446,054	33,690,082	32,824,088
Foreign government officials and families	90,190	96,689	103,606	126,543	133,005	138,230	131,313
Ambassadors, public ministers, career diplomatic or consular officers (A1)	21,168	22,018	23,259	26,710	28,374	28,012	26,683
Other foreign government officials or employees (A2)	67,084	72,511	78,299	97,706	102,466	107,751	102,478
Attendants, servants, or personal employees of A1 and A2 classes (A3)	1,938	2,160	2,048	2,127	2,165	2,467	2,152
Temporary visitors	8,405,409	16,079,666	20,886,872	27,667,580	28,696,911	30,511,125	29,419,601
For business (B1)	1,796,819	2,661,338	3,275,336	4,413,440	4,592,540	"	"
Visa Waiver, business	X	294,065	942,539	1,959,552	2,145,967	"	"
For pleasure (B2)	6,608,590	13,418,328	17,611,536	23,254,140	24,104,371	"	"
Visa Waiver, pleasure	X	4,528,112	9,407,256	13,833,078	14,393,071	"	"
Transit aliens	236,537	306,156	320,333	365,607	385,768	437,671	456,174
Aliens in transit (C1)	138,957	153,801	168,602	200,593	205,621	215,084	214,814
Aliens in transit to the U.N. (C2)	1,804	1,296	903	2,137	2,400	3,009	2,785
Foreign government officials and families in transit (C3)	7,010	6,190	9,099	12,239	12,371	10,713	8,960
Transit without visa (C4)	88,766	144,869	141,729	150,638	165,376	208,865	229,615
Treaty traders and investors and families	96,489	147,536	131,777	144,572	151,353	168,214	178,534
Treaty traders (E1)	65,406	78,658	53,557	50,817	50,521	51,241	51,443
Treaty investors (E2)	31,083	68,878	78,220	93,755	100,832	116,973	127,091
Students	257,069	326,264	364,220	564,683	567,146	659,081	698,595
Academic students (F1)	251,234	319,467	356,585	553,865	557,688	648,793	688,970
Vocational students (M1)	5,835	6,797	7,635	10,818	9,458	10,288	9,625
Spouses and children of students	28,427	28,943	31,260	33,837	36,641	40,872	43,326
Academic students (F2)	27,747	28,490	30,849	33,062	36,004	40,179	42,544
Vocational students (M2)	680	453	411	775	637	693	782
Representatives (and families) to international organizations	57,203	61,449	71,982	86,129	91,829	97,555	94,109
Principals of recognized foreign governments (G1)	8,316	8,256	9,319	11,790	11,378	11,708	11,948
Other representatives of recognized foreign governments (G2)	6,989	8,110	9,497	11,495	12,675	14,373	10,947
Representatives of nonrecognized foreign governments (G3)	271	376	290	388	365	415	356
International organization officers or employees (G4)	40,397	43,104	51,410	60,946	65,743	69,375	69,215
Attendants, servants, or personal employees of representatives (G5)	1,230	1,603	1,466	1,510	1,668	1,684	1,643
Temporary workers and trainees ³	74,869	139,587	196,760	371,653	457,346	543,950	592,994
Registered nurses (H1A) ⁴	X	X	6,512	551	534	565	627
Specialty occupations (H1B) ⁵	47,322	100,446	117,574	240,947	302,326	355,605	384,191
Registered nurses participating in the Nursing Relief for Disadvantaged Areas Act (H1C) ⁶	X	X	X	X	X	X	29
Performing services unavailable in the United States (H2)	24,544	35,973	25,587	52,203	68,187	84,754	100,082
Agricultural workers (H2A)	X	18,219	11,394	27,308	32,372	33,292	27,695

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 37. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY CLASS OF ADMISSION
SELECTED FISCAL YEARS 1985-2001—Continued**

Class of admission ¹	1985	1990	1995	1998	1999	2000	2001
Nonagricultural workers (H2B)	X	17,754	14,193	24,895	35,815	51,462	72,387
Industrial trainees (H3)	3,003	3,168	2,787	3,157	3,462	3,208	3,245
Workers with extraordinary ability/achievement (O1) ⁷	X	X	5,974	12,221	15,946	21,746	25,685
Workers accompanying and assisting in performance of O1 workers (O2) ⁷	X	X	1,813	2,802	3,248	3,627	3,834
Internationally recognized athletes or entertainers (P1) ⁷	X	X	22,397	34,447	36,228	40,920	42,430
Artists or entertainers in reciprocal exchange programs (P2) ⁷	X	X	660	3,089	3,772	4,227	3,877
Artists or entertainers in culturally unique programs (P3) ⁷	X	X	5,315	9,452	8,471	11,230	9,484
Workers in international cultural exchange programs (Q1) ⁷	X	X	1,399	1,921	2,466	2,447	2,089
Workers in Irish Peace Process Cultural and Training Program (Q2) ⁸	X	X	X	X	X	279	299
Workers in religious occupations (R1) ⁷	X	X	6,742	10,863	12,687	15,342	17,122
Spouses and children of temporary workers and trainees ³	12,632	28,687	46,380	86,866	109,681	128,993	146,427
Spouses and children of H1, H2, and H3 workers (H4)	12,632	28,687	43,247	81,796	102,774	120,212	135,907
Spouses and children of O1 and O2 workers (O3) ⁷	X	X	751	1,668	2,568	3,546	4,540
Spouses and children of P1, P2, and P3 workers (P4) ⁷	X	X	592	1,052	1,245	1,304	1,575
Spouses and children of Q2 workers (Q3) ⁸	X	X	X	X	-	1	1
Spouses and children of R1 workers (R2) ⁷	X	X	1,790	2,350	3,094	3,930	4,404
Representatives (and families) of foreign information media (I1)	16,753	20,252	24,220	28,888	31,917	33,918	34,488
Exchange visitors (J1)	110,942	174,247	201,095	250,959	275,519	304,225	339,848
Spouses and children of exchange visitors (J2)	30,271	40,397	39,269	41,771	43,841	47,518	49,587
Fiances(ees) of U.S. citizens (K1)	6,975	6,545	7,793	12,306	15,940	20,558	23,634
Children of fiances(ees) of U.S. citizens (K2)	832	673	768	1,442	2,268	3,113	3,487
Intracompany transferees (L1)	65,349	63,180	112,124	203,255	234,443	294,658	328,480
Spouses and children of intracompany transferees (L2)	41,533	39,375	61,621	99,196	111,891	132,105	144,911
NATO officials and families (N1-7)	8,323	8,333	8,579	12,376	12,992	14,133	13,805
Parents or children of international organization special immigrants (N8-9)	X	X	8	75	75	47	69
Professional workers, U.S.-Canada Free- Trade Agreement (TC) ⁹	X	5,293	X	X	X	X	7
Spouses and children of U.S.-Canada Free- Trade Agreement workers (TB) ⁹	X	594	X	X	X	X	62
Professional workers, North American Free- Trade Agreement (TN) ⁹	X	X	23,904	59,061	68,354	91,279	95,479
Spouses and children of North American Free-Trade Agreement workers (TD) ⁹	X	X	7,202	17,816	19,087	22,181	21,447

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 37. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY CLASS OF ADMISSION
SELECTED FISCAL YEARS 1985-2001—Continued**

Class of admission ¹	1985	1990	1995	1998	1999	2000	2001
Legal Immigration Family Equity (LIFE) Act ¹⁰	X	X	X	X	X	X	7,557
Spouses of U.S. citizens with petition for immigrant visa pending (K3)	X	X	X	X	X	X	1
Children of U.S. citizens with petition for immigrant visa pending (K4)	X	X	X	X	X	X	7
Spouses of legal permanent residents with petition for immigrant visa pending (V1)	X	X	X	X	X	X	2,691
Children of legal permanent residents with petition for immigrant visa pending (V2)	X	X	X	X	X	X	4,540
Dependent children of spouse or children who are accompanying or following to join the principal beneficiary with petition for immigrant visa pending (V3)	X	X	X	X	X	X	318
Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act ¹⁰	X	X	X	X	X	X	96
Individuals in U.S. who are or have been victims of a severe form of trafficking (T1)	X	X	X	X	X	X	29
Spouses of victims of severe form of trafficking (T2)	X	X	X	X	X	X	11
Children of victims of severe form of trafficking (T3)	X	X	X	X	X	X	-
Parents of victims of severe form of trafficking (T4)	X	X	X	X	X	X	5
Individuals who have suffered substantial physical or mental abuse as victims of criminal activity (U1)	X	X	X	X	X	X	17
Spouses of victims of criminal activity (U2)	X	X	X	X	X	X	28
Children of victims of criminal activity (U3)	X	X	X	X	X	X	5
Parents of victims of criminal activity (U4)	X	X	X	X	X	X	1
Unknown	77	189	767	12	47	656	58

¹ See Glossary for detailed descriptions of classes of admission. ² Excludes classes of admission processed in the Nonimmigrant Information System in the following years: for all countries—1985 - 64,487 parolees (R1-3), 3,239 withdrawals (R4) and stowaways (R5), and 68,044 refugees (RF); 1990 - 90,265 parolees (R1-3), 19,984 withdrawals (R4) and stowaways (R5), and 110,197 refugees (RF); 1995 - 113,542 parolees, 21,567 withdrawals (WD) and stowaways (ST), and 95,576 refugees (RE); 1998 - 234,545 parolees, 14,539 withdrawals (WD) and stowaways (ST), and 88,581 refugees (RE); 1999 - 263,755 parolees, 19,756 withdrawals (WD) and stowaways (ST), and 102,805 refugees (RE); 2000 - 299,851 parolees, 23,584 withdrawals (WD) and stowaways (ST), and 100,011 refugees (RE); 2001 - 273,914 parolees, 23,749 withdrawals (WD) and stowaways (ST), and 110,573 refugees (RE). ³ Excludes admissions under the U.S.-Canada Free-Trade Agreement and the North American Free-Trade Agreement (shown separately). ⁴ Admissions began October 1, 1990 (fiscal year 1991). This classification ended during fiscal year 1995; entries subsequent to that represent readmissions of individuals who were previously admitted under this classification. ⁵ Prior to October 1, 1991 (fiscal year 1992), H1B admissions were termed “Distinguished merit or ability.” ⁶ Admissions under the Nursing Relief for Disadvantaged Areas Act of 1999 began in January 2001 (see Glossary). ⁷ Admissions began in April 1992. ⁸ Admissions under the Irish Peace Process Cultural and Training Program began in April 2000 (see Glossary). ⁹ Admissions under the U.S.-Canada Free-Trade Agreement began January 1989 and ended December 31, 1993. Admissions under the North American Free-Trade Agreement began January 1, 1994. ¹⁰ Admissions under the Legal Immigration Family Equity (LIFE) Act of 2000 and the Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act of 2000 began in June 2001 (see Glossary). ¹¹ Data for business and pleasure not available separately due to temporary expiration of the Visa Waiver Program from May through October 2000. See Nonimmigrant section of text.

NOTE: “Family,” “immediate family,” and “spouse and children” are defined as spouse and unmarried minor (or dependent) children.

- Represents zero. X Not applicable.

**TABLE 38. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED AS TEMPORARY WORKERS, EXCHANGE VISITORS, AND INTRACOMPANY TRANSFEREES BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Region and country of citizenship	Total	Registered nurses (H1A)	Workers with specialty occupations (H1B)	Nurses, Nursing Relief Act of 1999 (H1C)	Other temporary workers (H2)		Industrial trainees (H3)	Exchange visitors (J1)	Intra-company transferees (L1)
					Agricultural (H2A)	Non-agricultural (H2B)			
All countries	1,356,808	627	384,191	29	27,695	72,387	3,245	339,848	328,480
Europe	529,441	146	111,382	16	148	3,411	1,218	210,123	162,672
Albania	366	-	82	-	-	10	-	249	8
Andorra	9	-	4	-	-	-	-	3	2
Armenia	1,175	-	133	-	-	12	4	954	40
Austria	6,813	3	1,382	-	2	219	12	2,445	1,957
Azerbaijan	449	-	48	-	-	-	-	377	12
Belarus	2,125	-	347	-	-	7	-	1,653	24
Belgium	8,187	3	2,120	-	1	57	16	1,816	3,655
Bosnia-Herzegovina	561	-	117	-	-	5	-	379	21
Bulgaria	4,790	-	1,144	-	-	137	7	3,134	80
Croatia	1,929	-	475	1	-	7	4	1,191	120
Czech Republic	7,041	-	535	1	-	159	4	5,669	260
Czechoslovakia ¹	1,072	-	96	-	-	24	3	760	67
Denmark	7,291	-	1,620	1	6	13	20	2,380	2,880
Estonia	1,096	-	140	-	-	9	6	873	30
Finland	6,382	-	813	-	-	26	6	1,783	3,412
France	62,352	17	15,597	-	1	153	217	21,489	21,433
Georgia	905	-	114	-	-	-	-	713	19
Germany	76,887	14	13,968	4	-	155	141	33,598	25,479
Gibraltar	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	-
Greece	3,286	2	1,316	-	-	3	5	1,157	351
Holy See	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Hungary	4,917	4	932	-	-	35	26	3,109	383
Iceland	909	1	282	-	-	1	1	322	110
Ireland	25,969	5	3,106	2	6	135	65	15,295	5,237
Italy	20,432	7	5,503	-	1	77	80	7,259	5,526
Kazakhstan	934	-	94	-	-	1	2	750	46
Kyrgyzstan	304	-	15	-	-	-	-	267	16
Latvia	2,225	1	150	-	-	85	2	1,839	63
Liechtenstein	40	-	14	-	-	-	-	11	14
Lithuania	4,484	1	281	-	4	34	3	4,010	52
Luxembourg	235	1	78	-	-	-	-	56	95
Macedonia	832	-	79	-	-	11	-	670	4
Malta	150	-	17	1	-	-	2	64	42
Moldova	641	1	77	-	-	1	-	521	13
Monaco	17	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	1
Netherlands	19,000	4	4,430	1	9	101	40	4,691	8,492
Norway	5,552	1	1,218	-	-	15	20	2,004	1,828
Poland	18,788	4	1,237	-	52	232	41	15,628	684
Portugal	2,514	2	696	-	-	9	10	907	733
Romania	5,947	5	1,355	-	1	38	5	4,041	206
Russia	21,695	11	4,964	-	1	134	20	12,235	1,084
San Marino	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Slovak Republic	7,179	-	444	-	-	68	8	6,324	107
Slovenia	460	-	89	-	-	9	-	277	51
Soviet Union ¹	21	-	4	-	-	-	-	12	-
Spain	22,809	3	5,639	-	1	36	50	9,476	5,701
Sweden	16,429	8	3,559	-	4	92	42	4,189	7,309
Switzerland	10,280	4	2,689	-	2	49	45	2,724	4,175
Tajikistan	122	-	-	-	-	-	-	120	1
Turkmenistan	102	-	2	-	-	-	-	99	-
Ukraine	4,959	-	1,212	1	-	18	9	3,018	148
United Kingdom	136,223	44	32,456	4	57	1,218	275	28,016	60,615
Uzbekistan	527	-	57	-	-	1	22	409	21
Yugoslavia ¹	2,017	-	639	-	-	15	5	1,151	65

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 38. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED AS TEMPORARY WORKERS, EXCHANGE VISITORS, AND INTRACOMPANY TRANSFEREES BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of citizenship	Total	Registered nurses (H1A)	Workers with specialty occupations (H1B)	Nurses, Nursing Relief Act of 1999 (H1C)	Other temporary workers (H2)		Industrial trainees (H3)	Exchange visitors (J1)	Intra-company transferees (L1)
					Agricultural (H2A)	Non-agricultural (H2B)			
Asia	328,491	272	178,411	3	69	1,893	1,076	59,007	72,837
Afghanistan	46	-	17	-	-	-	-	11	8
Bahrain	53	-	10	-	-	-	-	40	3
Bangladesh	1,796	2	1,389	-	-	1	2	266	65
Bhutan	34	-	2	-	-	1	-	12	-
Brunei	36	-	18	-	-	-	-	6	12
Burma	162	-	58	-	-	-	-	50	13
Cambodia	138	-	5	-	-	-	-	62	3
China ²	34,285	21	17,192	-	1	49	69	10,383	4,570
Cyprus	1,141	-	315	-	-	1	6	734	43
Hong Kong	3,379	5	2,144	-	-	3	5	468	431
India	129,383	166	104,543	1	6	377	62	5,374	15,531
Indonesia	3,814	5	2,136	-	4	298	6	719	506
Iran	819	-	443	-	-	2	-	261	59
Iraq	222	-	146	-	-	-	-	18	3
Israel	15,055	5	5,118	-	-	11	45	4,132	4,348
Japan	64,858	13	13,049	2	1	387	702	13,411	34,821
Jordan	1,710	3	759	-	-	1	1	802	90
Korea	21,855	7	6,887	-	-	93	28	8,856	4,465
Kuwait	124	-	34	-	-	-	-	66	16
Laos	75	-	6	-	6	-	-	30	2
Lebanon	1,989	3	845	-	-	7	4	726	123
Macau	36	-	31	-	-	-	-	5	-
Malaysia	6,024	6	3,004	-	-	15	75	1,177	1,647
Maldives	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-
Mongolia	490	-	36	-	13	-	-	384	11
Nepal	948	3	425	-	4	65	2	175	34
Oman	93	-	14	-	-	-	-	69	7
Pakistan	7,331	18	5,313	-	-	10	6	1,043	545
Philippines	10,866	6	5,556	-	2	509	19	1,194	2,464
Qatar	119	-	4	-	-	-	-	112	1
Saudi Arabia	817	1	134	-	29	17	2	435	165
Singapore	4,356	4	1,913	-	-	4	8	710	1,599
Sri Lanka	1,390	-	932	-	-	4	1	197	168
Syria	751	-	281	-	-	1	-	339	14
Thailand	5,108	1	1,556	-	2	19	5	2,799	339
Turkey	8,234	3	3,958	-	-	16	28	3,286	676
United Arab Emirates	95	-	28	-	-	1	-	56	4
Vietnam	752	-	83	-	1	1	-	528	46
Yemen	101	-	27	-	-	-	-	65	5
Africa	30,434	13	8,573	-	899	809	95	12,292	4,108
Algeria	380	-	195	-	-	-	-	138	28
Angola	175	-	4	-	-	-	16	67	63
Benin	68	-	15	-	-	1	-	46	1
Botswana	277	-	19	-	-	1	-	218	6
Burkina Faso	55	-	9	-	-	-	-	26	-
Burundi	10	-	1	-	-	-	1	7	-
Cameroon	437	-	197	-	-	-	1	139	41
Cape Verde	49	-	1	-	-	-	-	25	1
Central African Republic	10	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	1
Chad	19	-	2	-	-	-	-	14	1
Comoros	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	7	-	4	-	-	-	-	1	-
Congo, Republic	158	-	10	-	-	-	-	51	15
Cote d'Ivoire	273	-	69	-	-	1	-	106	20

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**TABLE 38. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED AS TEMPORARY WORKERS, EXCHANGE VISITORS, AND INTRACOMPANY TRANSFEREES BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of citizenship	Total	Registered nurses (H1A)	Workers with specialty occupations (H1B)	Nurses, Nursing Relief Act of 1999 (H1C)	Other temporary workers (H2)		Industrial trainees (H3)	Exchange visitors (J1)	Intra-company transferees (L1)
					Agricultural (H2A)	Non-agricultural (H2B)			
Djibouti	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
Egypt	3,918	2	1,014	-	-	8	5	2,198	365
Equatorial Guinea	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	1
Eritrea	40	-	4	-	-	-	-	35	-
Ethiopia	328	-	102	-	-	1	1	136	27
Gabon	24	-	6	-	-	-	-	16	2
Gambia, The	53	-	34	-	-	1	-	9	6
Ghana	927	-	274	-	-	2	-	456	40
Guinea	156	-	17	-	-	-	-	56	2
Guinea-Bissau	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kenya	1,429	-	476	-	-	3	1	535	81
Lesotho	23	-	3	-	-	7	-	11	-
Liberia	55	-	22	-	-	-	1	16	5
Libya	14	-	5	-	-	-	-	5	2
Madagascar	80	-	16	-	-	-	1	49	5
Malawi	113	-	5	-	-	-	-	89	4
Mali	188	-	27	-	-	-	-	48	-
Mauritania	34	-	14	-	-	-	-	11	1
Mauritius	128	-	57	-	-	-	1	41	21
Morocco	1,243	-	493	-	-	1	1	518	98
Mozambique	68	-	10	-	-	1	-	52	1
Namibia	123	-	8	-	5	3	-	92	8
Niger	149	-	44	-	-	-	2	52	25
Nigeria	2,433	1	868	-	-	-	4	574	516
Reunion	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	-
Rwanda	85	-	-	-	-	1	-	52	-
Sao Tome and Principe	3	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-
Senegal	526	-	147	-	-	-	-	220	22
Seychelles	7	-	4	-	-	-	-	2	-
Sierra Leone	101	-	51	-	-	-	-	29	2
Somalia	9	-	3	-	-	-	-	3	2
South Africa	13,638	9	3,701	-	893	756	59	4,690	2,499
Sudan	70	-	40	-	-	-	-	24	3
Swaziland	28	-	2	-	-	1	-	21	3
Tanzania	394	-	124	-	1	-	-	215	8
Togo	60	-	7	-	-	-	-	38	10
Tunisia	417	-	129	-	-	3	-	194	84
Uganda	448	1	91	-	-	3	-	206	7
Zambia	503	-	36	-	-	1	-	448	6
Zimbabwe	686	-	208	-	-	14	1	298	75
Oceania	39,526	14	9,499	-	416	1,916	56	11,788	12,334
American Samoa	44	-	3	-	-	-	-	3	2
Australia	29,940	9	7,473	-	92	1,022	45	8,594	10,117
Christmas Island	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cocos Islands	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Fiji	106	-	8	-	-	2	4	40	17
French Polynesia	15	-	4	-	-	-	-	5	4
Kiribati	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	3
Nauru	3	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-
New Zealand	9,279	5	2,002	-	324	891	6	3,114	2,186
Papua New Guinea	15	-	2	-	-	-	1	7	4
Samoa	18	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Solomon Islands	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	1
Tonga	62	-	3	-	-	-	-	5	-
Tuvalu	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
Vanuatu	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-

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FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of citizenship	Total	Registered nurses (H1A)	Workers with specialty occupations (H1B)	Nurses, Nursing Relief Act of 1999 (H1C)	Other temporary workers (H2)		Industrial trainees (H3)	Exchange visitors (J1)	Intra-company transferees (L1)
					Agricultural (H2A)	Non-agricultural (H2B)			
North America	317,182	127	37,554	4	25,664	62,673	294	20,993	42,519
Canada	154,352	27	16,454	1	524	5,593	66	6,872	22,838
Greenland	10	-	1	-	-	-	-	6	1
Mexico	116,157	86	14,423	1	21,569	41,852	133	6,894	15,723
St. Pierre and Miquelon	3	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	-
Caribbean	31,147	12	3,693	2	3,517	10,503	50	3,582	1,675
Anguilla	13	-	6	-	-	-	-	4	1
Antigua-Barbuda	119	-	43	-	-	19	-	22	6
Aruba	31	-	8	-	-	3	-	6	5
Bahamas, The	647	-	330	-	1	5	-	55	104
Barbados	743	-	182	-	-	68	-	119	62
Bermuda	193	-	94	-	-	1	-	6	72
British Virgin Islands	5	-	2	-	-	-	-	3	-
Cayman Islands	22	-	2	-	-	-	-	8	10
Cuba	837	-	15	-	-	4	1	58	10
Dominica ³	312	-	29	-	-	158	1	44	11
Dominican Republic ³	5,030	-	803	-	10	841	20	761	472
Grenada	121	-	47	-	-	27	-	18	13
Guadeloupe	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Haiti	815	-	150	-	-	16	6	200	35
Jamaica	19,352	10	1,006	1	3,503	9,318	4	1,871	343
Martinique	5	-	1	-	1	1	-	2	-
Montserrat	15	-	10	-	-	-	-	1	3
Netherlands Antilles	30	-	17	-	-	4	-	2	3
Puerto Rico	27	-	19	-	-	-	-	6	1
St. Kitts-Nevis	65	-	41	-	-	-	-	7	4
St. Lucia	149	-	77	-	-	-	-	31	29
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	102	-	20	-	-	23	-	10	18
Trinidad and Tobago	2,464	2	779	1	1	14	18	324	464
Turks and Caicos Islands	46	-	12	-	1	1	-	21	9
U.S. Virgin Islands	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Central America	15,513	2	2,982	-	54	4,723	45	3,639	2,282
Belize	222	-	82	-	3	6	-	53	47
Costa Rica	4,046	1	827	-	4	241	34	1,784	868
El Salvador	1,763	1	304	-	3	316	2	294	267
Guatemala	4,518	-	561	-	8	2,656	2	594	429
Honduras	2,391	-	362	-	7	1,256	3	324	200
Nicaragua	719	-	116	-	29	70	1	232	95
Panama	1,854	-	730	-	-	178	3	358	376
South America	108,878	55	38,251	6	465	1,483	502	24,441	33,547
Argentina	16,866	6	5,735	1	3	145	100	3,710	5,076
Bolivia	879	-	328	-	-	5	3	248	140
Brazil	31,804	15	9,857	2	11	341	222	9,429	10,079
Chile	5,989	3	1,531	-	67	95	19	1,848	1,921
Colombia	20,921	13	7,892	1	1	244	85	3,342	7,087
Ecuador	3,525	1	1,235	-	4	67	6	1,225	703
Guyana	327	-	145	-	-	1	5	52	60
Paraguay	434	-	134	-	-	-	-	177	85
Peru	6,881	2	2,443	-	377	178	17	1,713	1,251
Suriname	61	1	17	-	-	-	-	18	20
Uruguay	1,291	2	468	2	-	1	8	306	403
Venezuela	19,900	12	8,466	-	2	406	37	2,373	6,722
Unknown	2,856	-	521	-	34	202	4	1,204	463

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**TABLE 38. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED AS TEMPORARY WORKERS, EXCHANGE VISITORS, AND INTRACOMPANY TRANSFEREES BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of citizenship	Workers with extraordinary ability or achievement (O1)	Workers accompanying and assisting in performance of O1 workers (O2)	Internationally recognized athletes or entertainers (P1)	Artists or entertainers in reciprocal exchange programs (P2)	Artists or entertainers in culturally unique programs (P3)	Workers in international cultural exchange programs (Q1) ⁴	Workers in religious occupations (R1)	North American Free-Trade Agreement workers (TN)
All countries	25,685	3,834	42,430	3,877	9,484	2,388	17,122	95,486
Europe	14,981	1,356	15,387	201	3,095	1,389	3,916	-
Albania	9	-	7	-	-	-	1	-
Andorra	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Armenia	15	-	7	-	2	-	8	-
Austria	288	6	379	3	88	1	28	-
Azerbaijan	-	-	11	-	-	-	1	-
Belarus	22	4	56	-	4	-	8	-
Belgium	225	24	182	2	49	-	37	-
Bosnia-Herzegovina	11	1	1	-	15	-	11	-
Bulgaria	59	1	182	5	33	-	8	-
Croatia	45	-	20	-	25	1	40	-
Czech Republic	64	1	318	5	7	-	18	-
Czechoslovakia ¹	8	1	85	-	19	-	9	-
Denmark	230	22	63	-	8	1	47	-
Estonia	17	2	14	-	1	-	4	-
Finland	91	7	174	1	25	-	44	-
France	1,586	87	1,022	6	220	304	220	-
Georgia	15	-	30	-	10	-	4	-
Germany	1,661	38	1,153	21	121	252	282	-
Gibraltar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Greece	203	3	85	4	126	2	29	-
Holy See	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-
Hungary	87	2	148	3	91	2	95	-
Iceland	52	13	115	-	-	-	12	-
Ireland	314	43	1,003	6	325	170	257	-
Italy	1,096	41	435	-	28	137	242	-
Kazakhstan	19	1	15	-	-	-	6	-
Kyrgyzstan	-	-	2	-	-	1	3	-
Latvia	14	-	32	1	27	-	11	-
Liechtenstein	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Lithuania	21	-	30	-	17	-	31	-
Luxembourg	3	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
Macedonia	8	-	2	1	55	-	2	-
Malta	4	-	4	1	-	-	15	-
Moldova	2	3	16	-	1	-	6	-
Monaco	2	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
Netherlands	572	20	398	9	61	5	167	-
Norway	147	2	83	2	27	164	41	-
Poland	150	14	330	17	145	-	254	-
Portugal	81	9	33	3	4	-	27	-
Romania	75	1	110	-	47	-	63	-
Russia	530	30	2,091	10	476	1	108	-
San Marino	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Slovak Republic.....	32	1	83	2	73	-	37	-
Slovenia	20	-	9	-	5	-	-	-
Soviet Union ¹	-	-	3	-	-	-	2	-
Spain	496	84	655	2	309	18	339	-
Sweden	472	54	565	3	47	1	84	-
Switzerland	365	5	92	-	9	2	119	-
Tajikistan	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Turkmenistan	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Ukraine	76	5	262	4	117	-	89	-
United Kingdom.....	5,758	827	5,037	88	416	325	1,087	-
Uzbekistan	3	-	8	-	3	-	3	-
Yugoslavia ¹	33	4	34	2	59	-	10	-

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Region and country of citizenship	Workers with extraordinary ability or achievement (O1)	Workers accompanying and assisting in performance of O1 workers (O2)	Internationally recognized athletes or entertainers (P1)	Artists or entertainers in reciprocal exchange programs (P2)	Artists or entertainers in culturally unique programs (P3)	Workers in international cultural exchange programs (Q1) ⁴	Workers in religious occupations (R1)	North American Free-Trade Agreement workers (TN)
Asia	3,504	744	2,112	148	2,682	394	5,339	-
Afghanistan	2	-	-	-	5	-	3	-
Bahrain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bangladesh	13	-	2	-	11	1	44	-
Bhutan	-	-	-	-	1	-	18	-
Brunei	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burma	9	-	-	-	-	-	32	-
Cambodia	-	-	51	-	10	-	7	-
China ²	301	110	614	29	482	48	416	-
Cyprus	34	-	2	2	-	-	4	-
Hong Kong	57	182	6	3	5	37	33	-
India	666	161	73	18	1,085	11	1,309	-
Indonesia	16	3	4	3	27	33	54	-
Iran	11	7	7	1	20	-	8	-
Iraq	9	27	2	1	6	-	10	-
Israel	562	43	276	11	76	4	424	-
Japan	754	30	451	11	360	200	666	-
Jordan	29	-	1	2	3	-	19	-
Korea	240	43	295	24	240	15	662	-
Kuwait	6	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
Laos	-	-	4	-	3	-	24	-
Lebanon	76	49	33	-	84	-	39	-
Macau	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malaysia	18	5	10	4	2	1	60	-
Maldives	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mongolia	4	2	8	-	4	1	27	-
Nepal	6	1	5	-	-	15	213	-
Oman	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Pakistan	163	17	6	3	127	1	79	-
Philippines	191	36	155	19	18	1	696	-
Qatar	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Saudi Arabia	14	-	10	2	-	-	8	-
Singapore	62	3	12	2	1	-	38	-
Sri Lanka	13	-	5	-	6	-	64	-
Syria	26	7	43	2	26	-	12	-
Thailand	40	1	15	2	27	25	277	-
Turkey	173	16	17	7	27	1	26	-
United Arab Emirates	3	1	-	-	-	-	2	-
Vietnam	1	-	3	1	26	-	62	-
Yemen	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Africa	422	72	948	22	548	333	1,300	-
Algeria	4	2	5	-	5	-	3	-
Angola	1	-	11	1	1	-	11	-
Benin	1	-	1	1	-	-	2	-
Botswana	7	-	4	-	-	19	3	-
Burkina Faso	-	1	-	-	15	-	4	-
Burundi	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Cameroon	11	2	7	1	11	1	26	-
Cape Verde	-	-	11	1	5	-	5	-
Central African Republic	-	-	-	-	2	-	3	-
Chad	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
Comoros	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Congo, Republic	4	-	54	1	6	-	17	-
Cote d'Ivoire	2	-	26	1	40	-	8	-
Djibouti	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Egypt	59	5	21	1	43	1	196	-

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Region and country of citizenship	Workers with extraordinary ability or achievement (O1)	Workers accompanying and assisting in performance of O1 workers (O2)	Internationally recognized athletes or entertainers (P1)	Artists or entertainers in reciprocal exchange programs (P2)	Artists or entertainers in culturally unique programs (P3)	Workers in international cultural exchange programs (Q1) ⁴	Workers in religious occupations (R1)	North American Free-Trade Agreement workers (TN)
Equatorial Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eritrea	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ethiopia	3	-	29	-	-	-	29	-
Gabon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gambia, The	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
Ghana	26	1	20	1	16	-	91	-
Guinea	1	2	1	-	74	-	3	-
Guinea-Bissau	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Kenya	24	-	181	1	14	35	78	-
Lesotho	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
Liberia	1	-	-	-	-	-	10	-
Libya	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Madagascar	-	-	5	-	-	-	4	-
Malawi	1	-	1	-	-	-	13	-
Mali	4	16	14	1	77	-	1	-
Mauritania	4	-	-	-	2	-	2	-
Mauritius	1	-	1	-	-	-	6	-
Morocco	26	-	35	1	4	55	11	-
Mozambique	-	1	2	-	-	1	-	-
Namibia	-	-	-	-	-	3	4	-
Niger	3	-	7	-	-	-	16	-
Nigeria	27	2	112	1	52	3	273	-
Reunion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rwanda	-	-	1	-	24	-	7	-
Sao Tome and Principe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senegal	10	15	57	3	50	-	2	-
Seychelles	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Sierra Leone	-	-	1	-	13	-	5	-
Somalia	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Africa	183	25	296	6	19	194	308	-
Sudan	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-
Swaziland	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Tanzania	-	-	6	-	-	1	39	-
Togo	2	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
Tunisia	4	-	2	-	1	-	-	-
Uganda	8	-	5	-	43	3	81	-
Zambia	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	-
Zimbabwe	2	-	29	1	24	16	18	-
Oceania	1,579	175	999	18	63	3	666	-
American Samoa	-	-	1	-	-	-	35	-
Australia	1,275	137	732	18	25	3	398	-
Christmas Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cocos Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fiji	1	-	6	-	1	-	27	-
French Polynesia	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Kiribati	3	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
Nauru	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Zealand	293	38	252	-	23	-	145	-
Papua New Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Samoa	-	-	2	-	-	-	15	-
Solomon Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tonga	6	-	4	-	-	-	44	-
Tuvalu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	-	-	-	-	14	-	-	-
North America	2,464	1,172	18,926	3,406	1,971	239	3,690	95,486
Canada	1,245	374	2,573	3,189	151	91	1,439	92,915
Greenland	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mexico	745	136	10,249	104	155	139	1,377	2,571
St. Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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**TABLE 38. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED AS TEMPORARY WORKERS, EXCHANGE VISITORS, AND INTRACOMPANY TRANSFEREES BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of citizenship	Workers with extraordinary ability or achievement (O1)	Workers accompanying and assisting in performance of O1 workers (O2)	Internationally recognized athletes or entertainers (P1)	Artists or entertainers in reciprocal exchange programs (P2)	Artists or entertainers in culturally unique programs (P3)	Workers in international cultural exchange programs (Q1) ⁴	Workers in religious occupations (R1)	North American Free-Trade Agreement workers (TN)
Caribbean	311	642	4,941	90	1,618	7	504	-
Anguilla	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Antigua-Barbuda	-	-	2	-	23	-	4	-
Aruba	-	-	7	-	2	-	-	-
Bahamas, The	13	-	112	3	-	-	24	-
Barbados	7	1	271	2	11	-	20	-
Bermuda	-	1	4	-	-	-	15	-
British Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cayman Islands	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
Cuba	5	2	248	2	480	6	6	-
Dominica ³	-	-	59	-	1	-	9	-
Dominican Republic ³	48	3	1,824	12	32	-	204	-
Grenada	1	1	1	-	9	-	4	-
Guadeloupe	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Haiti	5	-	45	7	280	-	71	-
Jamaica	192	631	1,868	35	487	1	82	-
Martinique	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montserrat	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	-
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	-	-	5	-	7	-	1	-
St. Lucia	-	1	7	1	-	-	3	-
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	3	-	26	-	-	-	1	-
Trinidad and Tobago	37	1	458	28	286	-	51	-
Turks and Caicos Islands	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
U.S. Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Central America	163	18	1,163	23	47	2	370	-
Belize	5	1	5	-	-	-	20	-
Costa Rica	57	6	113	7	19	-	85	-
El Salvador	15	7	467	3	6	-	78	-
Guatemala	27	3	129	6	20	-	83	-
Honduras	11	1	175	5	1	-	46	-
Nicaragua	8	-	143	1	-	-	24	-
Panama	40	-	131	1	1	2	34	-
South America	2,686	296	3,880	73	1,053	26	2,114	-
Argentina	752	53	852	4	96	3	330	-
Bolivia	32	2	55	1	35	-	30	-
Brazil	485	80	488	23	239	11	522	-
Chile	208	21	135	5	17	-	119	-
Colombia	364	56	1,217	10	96	2	511	-
Ecuador	33	1	49	2	103	-	96	-
Guyana	1	9	23	-	7	-	24	-
Paraguay	11	2	2	1	-	-	22	-
Peru	178	10	133	9	315	5	250	-
Suriname	3	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Uruguay	55	5	23	1	1	1	15	-
Venezuela	564	57	903	17	144	4	193	-
Unknown	49	19	178	9	72	4	97	-

¹ Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. ² Includes People's Republic of China and Taiwan. The number of nonimmigrant visas issued in fiscal year 2001 for People's Republic of China were: no H1A, 9,076 H1Bs, no H2As, 20 H2Bs, 50 H3s, 7,579 J1s, 1,091 L1s, 196 O1s, 72 O2s, 577 P1s, 3 P2s, 302 P3s, 37 Q1s, and 38 R1s. The number of nonimmigrant visas issued in fiscal year 2001 for Taiwan were: no H1As, 2,906 H1Bs, no H2As, 4 H2Bs, 10 H3s, 1,403 J1s, 298 L1s, 21 O1s, 14 O2s, 14 P1s, no P2s, 213 P3s, 1 Q1, and 129 R1s. (SOURCE: U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Visa Office.) ³ Due to misreporting, reliable counts by country of citizenship are not available; therefore, data were given the same distribution as for country of last residence (see Notice of Special Geographic Definitions). The number of nonimmigrant visas issued in fiscal year 2001 for Dominica was 2,002; the Dominican Republic, 52,738. (SOURCE: U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Visa Office.) ⁴ Includes 299 Q-2 workers admitted under the Irish Peace Process Cultural and Training Program Act of 1998.

NOTE: See Glossary for detailed descriptions of classes of admission. - Represents zero.

**TABLE 39. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED PORT OF ENTRY
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FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Region and country of citizenship	All ports ¹	Agana	Atlanta	Boston	Chicago	Dallas	Honolulu	Houston
All countries	32,824,088	1,260,181	1,072,151	688,694	1,760,031	698,745	1,910,512	889,834
Europe	12,447,982	8,304	624,588	536,242	1,013,860	201,673	45,850	256,477
Albania	8,670	-	134	826	925	133	1	29
Andorra	624	-	64	17	20	-	-	11
Armenia	10,539	1	111	289	284	101	-	17
Austria	172,554	89	7,305	5,574	19,339	2,743	602	1,778
Azerbaijan	2,698	1	152	59	232	52	1	194
Belarus	8,391	3	429	261	1,156	53	-	53
Belgium	220,158	76	19,741	9,885	25,444	13,071	186	2,983
Bosnia-Herzegovina	8,845	-	505	387	1,545	125	11	101
Bulgaria	23,322	7	733	1,272	3,028	402	16	400
Croatia	21,880	22	992	833	2,142	267	27	840
Czech Republic	53,042	17	2,405	1,758	5,748	832	98	693
Czechoslovakia ²	12,897	3	538	358	1,236	183	17	121
Denmark	167,737	95	4,701	6,201	18,006	2,681	625	4,133
Estonia	8,730	2	211	270	1,051	78	6	55
Finland	103,646	37	3,346	3,841	11,476	4,868	304	1,625
France	1,209,366	572	58,708	41,504	60,753	18,616	6,996	43,814
Georgia	3,931	-	230	151	420	31	-	80
Germany	1,750,044	690	152,545	61,799	179,699	40,947	5,320	24,700
Gibraltar	197	-	1	8	5	1	1	-
Greece	75,060	18	1,690	6,666	5,365	949	62	1,925
Holy See	171	-	6	3	12	2	1	2
Hungary	62,761	15	1,985	1,711	5,752	706	69	670
Iceland	28,068	1	95	3,903	212	79	14	116
Ireland	403,595	85	31,900	50,627	34,791	2,966	1,300	2,832
Italy	738,185	201	21,472	25,741	52,866	12,199	933	9,568
Kazakhstan	5,859	-	226	287	508	139	7	260
Kyrgyzstan	1,595	-	53	42	199	35	2	44
Latvia	12,483	-	436	448	1,729	156	16	348
Liechtenstein	1,588	-	175	79	110	115	6	9
Lithuania	18,352	2	562	542	4,763	84	2	139
Luxembourg	9,678	2	356	373	763	209	22	120
Macedonia	5,700	-	167	150	783	72	6	16
Malta	8,543	-	102	111	223	67	19	71
Moldova	2,489	-	520	66	187	16	3	20
Monaco	710	-	30	50	29	11	-	15
Netherlands	593,856	213	36,824	18,096	49,400	5,503	1,223	15,098
Norway	159,331	63	3,472	5,244	14,073	1,266	593	8,865
Poland	150,232	22	2,496	3,336	44,478	1,031	82	1,460
Portugal	106,728	162	1,618	11,825	2,902	793	322	968
Romania	49,568	5	1,870	1,408	5,619	576	33	892
Russia	126,564	83	2,424	4,406	11,191	1,071	571	3,317
San Marino	448	1	11	7	15	8	-	1
Slovak Republic.....	24,187	11	812	695	2,303	278	27	232
Slovenia	15,108	5	662	447	1,460	147	39	346
Soviet Union ²	488	-	11	23	45	11	4	18
Spain	435,258	66	23,846	10,179	23,825	5,281	219	8,895
Sweden	326,357	135	6,500	12,596	59,410	4,468	1,138	4,211
Switzerland	344,706	199	26,707	16,463	24,363	17,240	1,308	2,703
Tajikistan	472	-	10	5	92	4	1	2
Turkmenistan	523	-	8	5	128	10	-	31
Ukraine	33,017	7	1,328	1,064	3,819	301	43	931
United Kingdom	4,892,119	5,372	202,763	223,724	326,687	60,425	23,543	110,477
Uzbekistan	8,945	-	43	35	301	62	8	44
Yugoslavia ²	17,967	21	557	592	2,948	209	23	204
Asia	9,087,371	1,223,496	105,949	64,050	480,908	162,926	1,783,747	86,846
Afghanistan	1,983	1	18	16	57	14	1	2
Bahrain	4,671	-	122	492	446	101	24	116

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Region and country of citizenship	All ports ¹	Agana	Atlanta	Boston	Chicago	Dallas	Honolulu	Houston
Bangladesh	21,107	51	313	559	1,390	321	140	438
Bhutan	395	-	4	6	17	2	6	1
Brunei	934	4	3	16	32	10	33	8
Burma	3,044	56	19	11	86	22	75	43
Cambodia	4,277	10	43	43	125	36	44	15
China ³	861,930	41,096	1,647	1,116	26,393	5,409	32,875	3,756
Cyprus	12,064	2	170	887	1,039	156	8	164
Hong Kong	121,934	4,158	183	226	12,459	1,078	3,821	223
India	567,775	443	20,818	21,782	61,049	13,296	1,313	12,072
Indonesia	96,961	1,186	430	706	3,177	1,337	4,567	806
Iran	20,268	3	576	493	1,240	459	37	506
Iraq	3,071	-	44	47	415	21	2	48
Israel	373,429	62	4,594	8,425	10,930	3,239	253	2,588
Japan	5,070,436	1,041,294	49,341	3,138	228,181	108,006	1,665,430	46,418
Jordan	33,548	5	1,049	1,053	6,130	565	18	933
Korea	841,863	106,672	15,266	4,262	62,031	16,736	54,355	1,980
Kuwait	19,756	3	237	1,147	4,438	220	8	508
Laos	2,557	1	45	15	165	47	65	13
Lebanon	32,321	11	976	2,682	2,081	529	11	1,107
Macau	1,272	40	-	1	58	7	56	2
Malaysia	96,211	413	392	801	4,575	1,393	2,791	640
Maldives	194	-	8	1	7	7	23	1
Mongolia	3,176	18	20	9	558	73	83	46
Nepal	8,251	65	162	176	501	98	116	41
Oman	3,693	-	85	117	432	110	2	292
Pakistan	95,595	46	1,953	2,042	10,154	2,352	138	4,272
Philippines	315,184	26,878	948	716	5,093	1,435	7,354	2,233
Qatar	3,769	-	70	204	564	83	4	271
Saudi Arabia	66,721	16	1,162	2,899	2,359	800	72	2,787
Singapore	109,881	514	318	898	5,927	1,308	4,866	592
Sri Lanka	16,368	39	823	609	1,100	257	198	169
Syria	14,399	27	408	641	1,434	136	5	376
Thailand	95,415	314	571	600	5,761	1,507	4,538	333
Turkey	121,780	11	2,538	4,964	17,718	1,031	63	1,950
United Arab Emirates	17,247	12	271	2,046	1,966	357	15	899
Vietnam	21,016	45	170	160	589	259	337	105
Yemen	2,875	-	152	44	231	109	-	92
Africa	465,646	168	39,642	14,185	23,399	9,202	556	12,364
Algeria	7,516	2	285	315	378	145	1	642
Angola	4,267	-	302	107	62	44	-	768
Benin	1,558	-	65	24	76	10	-	43
Botswana	2,448	-	492	129	192	32	4	17
Burkina Faso	1,657	-	48	20	30	8	-	12
Burundi	906	-	22	19	27	19	-	9
Cameroon	7,784	-	665	285	562	220	3	211
Cape Verde	5,575	-	45	544	9	1	-	6
Central African Republic	356	-	16	8	9	4	-	6
Chad	538	-	16	1	10	14	-	47
Comoros	63	-	5	1	-	-	2	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	133	-	3	4	12	4	-	-
Congo, Republic	4,372	1	238	111	225	135	-	60
Cote d'Ivoire	5,453	-	249	155	226	84	1	73
Djibouti	377	-	26	4	8	8	-	2
Egypt	61,828	48	1,517	1,612	2,642	588	31	1,420
Equatorial Guinea	157	-	6	-	15	11	-	7
Eritrea	1,590	-	74	42	97	34	-	28
Ethiopia	9,367	5	284	135	285	153	6	71
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	8	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Gabon	1,219	-	50	10	23	12	-	39

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Region and country of citizenship	All ports ¹	Agana	Atlanta	Boston	Chicago	Dallas	Honolulu	Houston
Gambia, The	3,178	-	168	45	56	24	2	10
Ghana	24,929	12	819	575	970	351	21	288
Guinea	6,620	2	107	115	92	28	6	50
Guinea-Bissau	85	-	1	3	1	1	-	1
Kenya	23,754	1	1,323	1,350	1,964	1,259	13	1,257
Lesotho	326	-	42	15	15	-	-	-
Liberia	3,449	1	101	98	160	41	-	16
Libya	449	-	15	24	36	9	-	11
Madagascar	1,059	-	69	16	38	15	6	53
Malawi	1,637	-	297	49	170	47	-	19
Mali	5,737	-	107	34	71	20	-	30
Mauritania	1,455	-	61	18	36	10	-	21
Mauritius	2,798	-	126	82	123	24	38	29
Morocco	26,159	2	578	1,006	896	259	20	343
Mozambique	1,161	-	214	9	48	14	-	4
Namibia	1,272	-	265	32	47	16	-	13
Niger	2,075	-	110	58	68	40	1	125
Nigeria	48,476	7	2,838	1,428	3,185	1,766	24	4,005
Reunion	31	-	-	1	1	1	-	5
Rwanda	1,410	-	70	87	106	34	1	7
Sao Tome and Principe	69	-	7	4	1	-	-	6
Senegal	14,845	-	202	167	194	78	-	75
Seychelles	391	-	24	16	18	7	3	13
Sierra Leone	2,762	1	123	72	84	42	3	30
Somalia	1,003	-	41	27	59	7	1	4
South Africa	129,704	80	24,372	3,818	6,923	2,167	331	1,357
St. Helena	101	-	2	-	3	-	-	-
Sudan	4,576	-	75	114	340	83	1	47
Swaziland	421	-	53	7	21	2	-	2
Tanzania	6,769	-	312	240	485	166	3	412
Togo	2,565	-	70	36	259	83	-	18
Tunisia	9,161	-	365	238	485	110	7	267
Uganda	5,641	3	258	401	476	298	6	122
Western Sahara	16	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Zambia	4,996	3	678	94	392	139	1	73
Zimbabwe	9,394	-	1,341	380	687	534	19	190
Oceania	794,840	23,159	3,319	6,530	19,640	6,916	74,141	4,363
American Samoa	1,212	11	-	-	6	2	584	3
Australia	548,795	3,474	2,562	5,012	14,199	5,818	44,556	3,354
Christmas Island	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cocos Islands	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cook Islands	34	-	-	-	1	-	5	-
Fiji	8,553	160	6	6	23	6	1,258	5
French Polynesia	836	-	4	-	6	3	152	2
Guam	54	36	-	-	1	-	1	-
Kiribati	1,003	53	2	3	3	1	573	7
Marshall Islands	7,428	789	2	-	5	-	6,505	5
Micronesia, Federated States	16,391	11,590	-	1	2	5	4,627	35
Nauru	229	133	-	-	-	-	11	-
New Caledonia	182	2	-	2	3	1	46	-
New Zealand	195,875	649	727	1,490	5,335	1,061	12,370	872
Niue	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Northern Mariana Islands	51	4	1	1	3	2	-	1
Palau	6,583	6,103	2	1	4	5	244	68
Papua New Guinea	673	43	5	5	24	3	75	-
Pitcairn Island	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Samoa	1,590	20	2	-	1	-	1,060	1
Solomon Islands	170	17	1	2	-	4	38	-
Tonga	4,531	45	1	7	12	3	1,943	-
Tuvalu	338	12	-	-	6	1	45	-
Vanuatu	271	18	2	-	4	1	46	10
Wallis and Futuna Islands	24	-	2	-	2	-	1	-

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Region and country of citizenship	All ports ¹	Agana	Atlanta	Boston	Chicago	Dallas	Honolulu	Houston
North America	6,767,816	385	176,173	59,551	132,663	221,864	1,672	426,109
Canada	249,681	159	1,445	2,925	4,893	3,322	784	3,343
Greenland	79	-	5	-	4	-	-	2
Mexico	4,334,330	135	101,469	1,249	118,283	193,808	531	284,491
St. Pierre and Miquelon	37	-	1	9	1	-	-	-
United States	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Caribbean	1,318,529	42	15,170	54,903	3,521	1,339	178	2,339
Anguilla	3,676	-	2	3	5	-	1	-
Antigua-Barbuda	21,190	-	9	18	13	10	2	1
Aruba	8,956	4	127	37	77	39	-	60
Bahamas, The	351,417	1	4,687	47,888	229	79	5	47
Barbados	51,914	-	169	160	44	30	23	62
Bermuda	3,107	5	321	232	23	14	16	9
British Virgin Islands	7,672	1	9	3	6	8	2	-
Cayman Islands	27,741	-	532	17	20	22	1	386
Cuba	30,860	-	150	36	88	98	-	188
Dominica ⁴	13,179	6	13	59	23	35	1	16
Dominican Republic ⁴	207,986	10	192	929	340	490	45	189
Grenada	11,902	-	49	38	16	5	3	28
Guadeloupe	625	-	3	-	3	3	-	9
Haiti	83,158	2	73	761	101	62	1	34
Jamaica	277,978	3	8,242	4,036	2,067	178	30	978
Martinique	903	-	6	2	5	2	-	1
Montserrat	1,324	-	2	49	2	1	-	2
Netherlands Antilles	7,918	-	21	8	19	8	2	13
Puerto Rico	347	-	2	-	6	6	5	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	14,566	-	10	23	22	21	-	2
St. Lucia	18,491	4	153	126	51	10	3	72
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	12,349	-	20	27	19	3	3	14
Trinidad and Tobago	148,170	6	250	298	230	206	33	208
Turks and Caicos Islands	12,923	-	128	153	111	9	2	20
U.S. Virgin Islands	177	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Central America	865,158	49	58,083	465	5,961	23,395	179	135,934
Belize	30,996	1	38	23	66	3,861	4	10,233
Costa Rica	166,671	13	11,379	124	2,690	8,306	55	17,029
El Salvador	216,974	3	20,644	66	221	4,551	25	40,801
Guatemala	198,935	4	13,806	80	2,275	5,114	45	29,117
Honduras	104,414	1	280	79	175	793	5	22,926
Nicaragua	50,521	-	201	16	139	329	4	7,213
Panama	96,647	27	11,735	77	395	441	41	8,615
South America	3,110,089	619	117,099	3,971	75,330	93,590	2,144	98,142
Argentina	541,483	56	20,481	555	25,175	4,943	240	2,668
Bolivia	44,516	2	212	72	316	526	15	359
Brazil	733,941	394	36,205	1,103	36,210	30,133	1,370	17,706
Chile	190,034	17	8,155	518	1,983	15,979	92	1,253
Colombia	470,210	31	14,198	554	1,655	2,197	107	25,379
Ecuador	166,955	11	423	131	727	766	29	16,044
Falkland Islands	19	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
French Guiana	35	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Guyana	25,519	2	65	105	39	43	1	39
Paraguay	19,254	3	96	22	330	1,337	10	247
Peru	232,877	84	14,697	215	1,236	13,986	152	16,496
Suriname	6,171	-	19	10	29	4	-	17
Uruguay	72,454	5	946	53	5,988	1,615	40	307
Venezuela	606,621	14	21,602	633	1,639	22,061	88	17,627
Unknown	150,344	4,050	5,381	4,165	14,231	2,574	2,402	5,533

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**TABLE 39. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED PORT OF ENTRY
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Region and country of citizenship	Los Angeles	Miami	Newark	New York	Orlando	San Francisco	Washington, DC	Other ⁵
All countries	3,537,575	4,324,213	1,737,379	4,005,412	736,872	1,713,307	926,345	7,562,837
Europe	945,648	1,146,407	1,183,893	2,103,216	595,865	643,827	634,473	2,507,659
Albania	166	238	524	3,504	14	54	602	1,520
Andorra	47	150	14	222	11	19	5	44
Armenia	5,503	106	179	2,014	6	523	623	782
Austria	14,576	25,453	6,991	34,187	931	10,783	17,090	25,113
Azerbaijan	160	91	47	848	7	81	430	343
Belarus	296	107	375	3,443	13	301	932	969
Belgium	8,061	12,998	23,442	45,964	1,470	6,706	26,405	23,726
Bosnia-Herzegovina	306	200	1,023	1,307	54	285	679	2,317
Bulgaria	1,541	1,447	2,741	5,868	97	869	1,830	3,071
Croatia	1,632	2,215	2,135	3,806	78	1,159	2,115	3,617
Czech Republic	3,856	4,617	6,842	11,930	80	2,860	4,233	7,073
Czechoslovakia ²	826	1,069	2,643	2,748	24	640	762	1,729
Denmark	16,120	12,907	29,859	14,489	2,678	10,613	9,690	34,939
Estonia	352	755	1,140	2,939	88	334	581	868
Finland	5,383	9,864	6,698	27,364	942	6,655	3,809	17,434
France	131,663	122,501	93,505	233,270	3,726	82,995	74,814	235,929
Georgia	163	168	95	1,342	5	132	653	461
Germany	122,906	158,210	166,989	218,361	15,424	113,732	131,645	357,077
Gibraltar	11	53	-	16	57	7	2	35
Greece	3,498	4,805	2,731	30,191	383	3,031	3,607	10,139
Holy See	2	34	24	25	1	3	19	37
Hungary	4,732	6,933	2,157	20,404	290	2,914	5,934	8,489
Iceland	263	377	286	5,220	4,059	158	104	13,181
Ireland	32,822	11,116	41,573	110,113	12,081	16,210	5,929	49,250
Italy	59,094	132,596	97,229	173,071	3,399	36,206	28,208	85,402
Kazakhstan	341	126	145	1,365	59	226	808	1,362
Kyrgyzstan	79	41	18	453	-	55	278	296
Latvia	796	836	1,418	3,860	105	331	665	1,339
Liechtenstein	138	208	156	273	17	80	43	179
Lithuania	700	681	2,406	4,704	172	311	980	2,304
Luxembourg	853	1,145	596	1,851	192	631	930	1,635
Macedonia	134	296	724	1,682	29	87	681	873
Malta	767	2,420	216	1,036	706	299	268	2,238
Moldova	48	47	142	688	8	42	280	422
Monaco	53	72	28	286	12	26	21	77
Netherlands	36,445	84,785	57,376	74,384	17,246	26,048	54,349	116,866
Norway	11,318	13,528	36,565	12,072	2,629	7,540	5,366	36,737
Poland	4,509	5,816	20,948	43,397	453	3,639	4,677	13,888
Portugal	4,494	11,698	29,075	22,346	548	3,643	2,841	13,493
Romania	3,060	4,557	1,295	13,175	135	1,913	3,237	11,793
Russia	10,783	4,379	2,751	53,484	181	7,549	8,896	15,478
San Marino	31	63	75	124	-	20	10	82
Slovak Republic	1,182	1,687	4,309	6,436	51	855	2,142	3,167
Slovenia	1,705	1,815	1,138	2,606	39	1,026	1,232	2,441
Soviet Union ²	47	29	25	101	1	30	13	130
Spain	15,956	113,317	33,344	113,078	3,321	12,204	16,541	55,186
Sweden	21,886	27,051	51,611	56,180	4,230	14,839	10,384	51,718
Switzerland	31,147	52,048	32,907	64,187	4,364	22,959	10,219	37,892
Tajikistan	20	9	11	160	-	19	99	40
Turkmenistan	110	10	11	99	1	9	53	48
Ukraine	2,014	1,461	1,379	9,312	83	1,295	3,607	6,373
United Kingdom	381,816	308,286	414,761	651,379	515,271	240,107	183,327	1,244,181
Uzbekistan	122	163	76	7,402	3	142	275	269
Yugoslavia ²	1,115	823	1,145	4,450	91	632	1,550	3,607
Asia	1,555,174	128,956	280,389	911,827	16,822	890,697	169,905	1,225,679
Afghanistan	169	9	166	463	5	180	243	639
Bahrain	322	388	111	472	335	105	666	971
Bangladesh	1,944	341	1,366	9,355	79	676	1,394	2,740

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**TABLE 39. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED PORT OF ENTRY
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Region and country of citizenship	Los Angeles	Miami	Newark	New York	Orlando	San Francisco	Washington, DC	Other ⁵
Bhutan	44	3	13	159	-	42	33	65
Brunei	233	37	66	155	21	76	79	161
Burma	1,084	76	153	445	9	520	164	281
Cambodia	2,611	23	124	346	2	388	96	371
China ³	265,486	7,697	28,009	61,304	258	199,952	3,295	183,637
Cyprus	631	812	640	3,986	205	288	693	2,383
Hong Kong	36,462	1,209	4,666	9,879	139	20,618	245	26,568
India	47,463	17,952	43,884	130,300	2,062	70,570	33,245	91,526
Indonesia	36,342	2,857	3,573	9,581	116	15,039	1,480	15,764
Iran	4,148	355	674	2,070	133	1,599	1,655	6,320
Iraq	161	25	72	685	14	84	172	1,281
Israel	27,298	30,115	95,903	134,044	1,686	10,416	4,656	39,220
Japan	641,472	28,561	47,774	245,528	2,394	331,053	51,136	580,710
Jordan	1,941	994	1,790	9,088	184	1,086	2,382	6,330
Korea	232,257	5,789	11,282	109,562	254	113,204	24,652	83,561
Kuwait	1,095	787	165	5,749	698	341	1,257	3,103
Laos	1,343	5	29	77	-	269	114	369
Lebanon	3,877	1,810	2,207	4,990	240	925	2,214	8,661
Macau	456	4	42	52	-	309	1	244
Malaysia	36,854	936	9,455	5,848	288	14,672	854	16,299
Maldives	25	2	22	52	1	4	13	28
Mongolia	633	23	53	275	-	689	254	442
Nepal	1,492	342	249	2,083	13	718	579	1,616
Oman	171	219	109	294	128	79	599	1,056
Pakistan	5,362	1,720	5,990	42,065	541	3,179	5,163	10,618
Philippines	103,663	6,569	5,796	21,439	362	54,573	1,600	76,525
Qatar	283	87	68	378	124	99	597	937
Saudi Arabia	3,693	1,671	987	22,241	5,437	1,037	14,006	7,554
Singapore	32,465	948	6,421	12,025	172	25,854	1,355	16,218
Sri Lanka	3,384	403	1,434	3,115	71	871	1,120	2,775
Syria	1,951	411	1,035	3,006	122	335	881	3,631
Thailand	40,954	689	2,168	6,326	67	12,373	2,585	16,629
Turkey	5,605	14,630	2,633	51,533	204	3,700	6,336	8,864
United Arab Emirates	1,384	347	683	753	407	393	2,950	4,764
Vietnam	10,240	76	419	1,328	10	4,264	724	2,290
Yemen	176	34	158	776	41	117	417	528
Africa	21,672	20,355	23,532	168,183	4,787	9,482	39,019	79,100
Algeria	462	302	441	1,289	20	360	1,152	1,722
Angola	34	281	1,028	1,039	48	51	251	252
Benin	18	74	58	650	1	16	296	227
Botswana	44	76	60	652	37	39	402	272
Burkina Faso	47	49	80	916	-	16	267	164
Burundi	18	14	198	259	-	2	172	147
Cameroon	248	258	396	1,630	9	148	2,078	1,071
Cape Verde	9	41	170	4,661	1	5	27	56
Central African Republic	6	6	18	117	-	5	104	57
Chad	3	4	42	192	-	3	100	106
Comoros	-	1	6	31	-	-	7	10
Congo, Democratic Republic	2	6	10	28	-	7	14	43
Congo, Republic	64	111	345	1,756	10	46	733	537
Cote d'Ivoire	118	123	198	2,395	9	87	966	769
Djibouti	8	2	91	76	-	7	93	52
Egypt	4,915	1,708	2,753	31,544	418	1,289	4,186	7,157
Equatorial Guinea	7	40	16	24	1	-	14	16
Eritrea	123	23	58	334	13	89	381	294
Ethiopia	227	106	2,665	592	18	187	3,340	1,293
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	-	2	-	4	-	-	-	-
Gabon	80	20	43	436	-	16	324	166
Gambia, The	14	32	88	1,651	3	15	341	729
Ghana	503	309	1,291	11,003	70	166	2,008	6,543

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**TABLE 39. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED PORT OF ENTRY
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Region and country of citizenship	Los Angeles	Miami	Newark	New York	Orlando	San Francisco	Washington, DC	Other ^s
Guinea	80	438	234	4,138	2	29	725	574
Guinea-Bissau	-	6	7	47	-	1	8	9
Kenya	904	603	2,475	3,286	304	486	1,789	6,740
Lesotho	10	9	11	162	-	1	32	29
Liberia	17	27	95	1,905	2	7	325	654
Libya	27	11	11	154	2	22	31	96
Madagascar	31	33	64	198	4	27	284	221
Malawi	41	32	29	324	6	10	257	356
Mali	27	47	112	4,299	2	21	571	396
Mauritania	40	17	41	787	1	17	248	158
Mauritius	234	178	134	517	55	181	347	730
Morocco	938	1,081	576	14,127	202	496	1,450	4,185
Mozambique	14	47	72	551	5	13	88	82
Namibia	30	36	52	423	23	17	107	211
Niger	57	52	137	868	10	35	161	353
Nigeria	2,064	1,390	2,479	16,329	329	734	5,017	6,881
Reunion	2	3	2	3	-	2	1	10
Rwanda	47	17	245	260	2	15	218	301
Sao Tome and Principe	1	5	13	18	2	-	3	9
Senegal	123	222	562	11,308	1	62	978	873
Seychelles	41	46	22	36	19	20	23	103
Sierra Leone	80	47	197	799	7	52	760	465
Somalia	25	4	106	175	1	17	106	430
South Africa	7,775	10,075	3,528	34,852	2,586	3,522	2,922	25,396
St. Helena	1	14	2	4	10	-	4	61
Sudan	258	61	282	1,509	54	111	1,028	613
Swaziland	13	22	6	196	1	-	41	57
Tanzania	205	150	535	1,274	89	109	935	1,854
Togo	31	28	66	1,278	-	25	305	366
Tunisia	933	1,469	431	1,762	54	537	1,034	1,469
Uganda	190	142	385	1,290	36	85	859	1,090
Western Sahara	-	-	15	-	-	-	-	-
Zambia	103	112	174	1,869	74	61	441	782
Zimbabwe	380	343	377	2,156	246	213	665	1,863
Oceania	419,234	18,222	11,456	62,772	1,584	53,639	12,746	77,119
American Samoa	580	1	4	6	-	2	3	10
Australia	274,478	14,058	8,656	52,852	1,215	48,295	8,477	61,789
Christmas Island	2	-	2	1	-	-	1	5
Cocos Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Cook Islands	23	1	-	1	-	-	-	3
Fiji	6,152	69	17	113	5	171	24	538
French Polynesia	583	8	3	8	-	47	6	14
Guam	1	6	-	2	-	-	1	6
Kiribati	245	35	3	17	-	25	27	9
Marshall Islands	40	2	7	6	-	15	-	52
Micronesia, Federated States	26	-	22	3	-	21	3	56
Nauru	53	1	2	21	-	-	-	8
New Caledonia	121	2	1	-	-	-	1	3
New Zealand	133,281	3,958	2,700	9,630	362	4,850	4,163	14,427
Niue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Mariana Islands	3	11	3	3	-	3	4	12
Palau	37	2	12	2	-	49	2	52
Papua New Guinea	360	28	9	62	1	19	13	26
Pitcairn Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Samoa	476	3	-	9	-	5	3	10
Solomon Islands	88	2	1	7	-	2	2	6
Tonga	2,303	15	3	12	1	128	11	47
Tuvalu	258	6	1	2	-	1	4	2
Vanuatu	116	10	7	12	-	6	-	39
Wallis and Futuna Islands	8	4	3	3	-	-	1	-

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**TABLE 39. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED PORT OF ENTRY
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Region and country of citizenship	Los Angeles	Miami	Newark	New York	Orlando	San Francisco	Washington, DC	Other ⁵
North America	445,032	1,167,299	97,160	367,012	64,338	95,307	54,373	3,458,878
Canada	4,521	4,587	3,437	7,403	399	5,683	2,695	204,085
Greenland	4	6	6	14	-	1	2	35
Mexico	328,630	229,142	50,018	86,413	34,125	73,715	18,469	2,813,852
St. Pierre and Miquelon	1	2	3	-	-	-	2	18
United States	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Caribbean	5,713	557,462	20,449	238,140	18,676	810	5,978	393,809
Anguilla	2	157	7	64	-	-	1	3,434
Antigua-Barbuda	36	4,676	547	1,729	4	3	99	14,043
Aruba	9	5,145	49	330	7	12	5	3,055
Bahamas, The	353	127,137	623	1,906	9,898	56	98	158,410
Barbados	173	21,594	165	14,865	47	14	528	14,040
Bermuda	60	340	228	565	10	19	18	1,247
British Virgin Islands	15	161	5	67	2	2	-	7,391
Cayman Islands	33	21,003	108	201	1,620	1	7	3,790
Cuba	919	25,678	173	1,460	52	88	90	1,840
Dominica ⁴	73	3,645	424	2,151	2	11	12	6,708
Dominican Republic ⁴	590	78,763	10,538	54,873	67	125	116	60,719
Grenada	34	2,202	72	4,963	9	11	60	4,412
Guadeloupe	21	192	3	21	2	6	1	361
Haiti	124	58,296	300	14,688	84	22	103	8,507
Jamaica	2,492	117,797	6,411	70,785	6,675	127	231	57,926
Martinique	9	512	10	49	1	5	2	299
Montserrat	2	238	39	154	4	-	3	828
Netherlands Antilles	14	5,646	26	132	7	4	1	2,017
Puerto Rico	36	46	10	15	1	59	3	158
St. Kitts-Nevis	40	481	32	224	5	4	3	13,699
St. Lucia	66	3,462	250	5,334	14	8	43	8,895
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	59	3,076	44	3,471	9	7	75	5,522
Trinidad and Tobago	511	66,208	353	59,666	125	189	4,417	15,470
Turks and Caicos Islands	40	11,001	32	417	31	37	59	883
U.S. Virgin Islands	2	6	-	10	-	-	3	155
Central America	106,163	376,098	23,247	35,042	11,138	15,098	27,227	47,079
Belize	1,754	11,634	125	277	19	448	30	2,483
Costa Rica	11,135	83,864	12,524	5,534	1,933	1,247	1,397	9,441
El Salvador	50,070	46,334	1,839	17,446	44	8,662	19,858	6,410
Guatemala	32,057	79,496	1,867	7,912	5,552	2,997	4,541	14,072
Honduras	3,742	64,963	789	2,638	93	654	898	6,378
Nicaragua	2,260	36,464	253	441	35	848	386	1,932
Panama	5,145	53,343	5,850	794	3,462	242	117	6,363
South America	132,848	1,817,684	133,235	378,566	52,026	10,159	8,999	185,677
Argentina	26,250	333,781	2,921	100,033	435	1,681	1,612	20,652
Bolivia	1,084	38,206	260	915	54	138	281	2,076
Brazil	52,860	308,754	48,840	127,644	37,340	1,988	2,023	31,371
Chile	13,902	109,007	1,791	21,022	838	2,097	878	12,502
Colombia	9,776	332,203	17,430	32,104	4,478	1,331	922	27,845
Ecuador	4,103	96,560	23,333	15,918	1,609	479	287	6,535
Falkland Islands	-	14	-	3	-	-	1	-
French Guiana	-	27	-	1	-	3	1	1
Guyana	67	6,690	162	13,480	61	23	273	4,469
Paraguay	853	12,227	198	2,966	23	59	49	834
Peru	18,861	122,416	18,026	11,247	968	1,093	729	12,671
Suriname	42	5,200	44	263	16	24	33	470
Uruguay	1,820	40,267	471	16,253	86	221	964	3,418
Venezuela	3,230	412,332	19,759	36,717	6,118	1,022	946	62,833
Unknown	17,967	25,290	7,714	13,836	1,450	10,196	6,830	28,725

¹ Excludes the following classes of admission processed in the Nonimmigrant Information System: for all countries — 273,914 parolees; 23,749 withdrawals and stowaways; and 110,573 refugees. ² Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. ³ Includes People's Republic of China and Taiwan. A total of 588,299 nonimmigrant visas were issued to these two countries in fiscal year 2001: 242,547 to Taiwan and 345,752 to People's Republic of China. (SOURCE: U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Visa Office.) ⁴ Due to misreporting, reliable counts by country of citizenship are not available; therefore, data were given the same distribution as for country of last residence (see Notice of Special Geographic Definitions). The number of nonimmigrant visas issued in fiscal year 2001 for Dominica was 2,002; the Dominican Republic, 52,738. (SOURCE: U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Visa Office.) ⁵ Includes unknown port of entry.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 40. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY AGE AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Region and country of citizenship	All ages ¹	Under 15 years	15 - 19 years	20 - 24 years	25 - 34 years	35 - 44 years	45 - 64 years	65 years and over	Unknown
All countries	32,824,088	2,980,359	1,543,397	2,567,412	8,156,249	6,855,169	8,638,250	2,047,188	36,064
Europe	12,447,982	991,065	575,348	877,296	2,893,025	2,749,100	3,584,548	773,423	4,177
Albania	8,670	491	398	706	1,692	1,532	2,787	1,051	13
Andorra	624	42	28	53	216	107	130	48	-
Armenia	10,539	583	513	929	1,701	2,127	3,336	1,334	16
Austria	172,554	9,131	8,124	13,758	44,737	40,113	48,595	8,062	34
Azerbaijan	2,698	170	235	363	707	539	584	92	8
Belarus	8,391	1,452	844	1,586	1,528	1,081	1,569	323	8
Belgium	220,158	13,323	9,054	15,252	54,025	54,195	62,919	11,354	36
Bosnia-Herzegovina	8,845	532	447	944	1,899	1,126	3,043	832	22
Bulgaria	23,322	715	1,273	4,892	6,277	3,286	5,392	1,466	21
Croatia	21,880	857	1,112	2,608	6,429	4,205	5,599	1,049	21
Czech Republic	53,042	1,804	2,258	10,251	15,921	7,955	12,800	1,994	59
Czechoslovakia ²	12,897	607	574	1,823	3,384	2,182	3,678	639	10
Denmark	167,737	11,168	6,578	12,769	42,395	37,733	49,429	7,605	60
Estonia	8,730	481	449	1,734	2,691	1,621	1,558	188	8
Finland	103,646	6,045	4,560	6,482	27,423	26,208	29,473	3,439	16
France	1,209,366	86,931	76,159	95,452	295,032	249,016	339,634	66,819	323
Georgia	3,931	193	266	439	1,167	834	839	181	12
Germany	1,750,044	93,163	87,567	109,388	403,581	425,530	524,424	106,009	382
Gibraltar	197	32	7	20	35	40	50	13	-
Greece	75,060	3,085	2,253	5,611	19,153	15,435	22,138	7,247	138
Holy See	171	-	-	-	4	34	72	61	-
Hungary	62,761	2,781	2,535	7,496	20,115	9,379	17,312	3,085	58
Iceland	28,068	2,535	1,092	2,119	6,389	5,982	8,271	1,672	8
Ireland	403,595	30,222	17,988	52,019	110,076	76,435	94,586	22,110	159
Italy	738,185	33,797	24,492	41,895	233,405	170,098	195,075	39,218	205
Kazakhstan	5,859	608	543	820	1,553	1,074	1,117	130	14
Kyrgyzstan	1,595	96	181	212	415	329	317	41	4
Latvia	12,483	459	863	2,663	3,241	2,323	2,534	388	12
Liechtenstein	1,588	98	62	133	483	352	413	47	-
Lithuania	18,352	664	700	5,204	4,104	3,135	3,823	700	22
Luxembourg	9,678	700	478	606	2,083	2,268	2,996	546	1
Macedonia	5,700	372	410	890	1,372	816	1,393	439	8
Malta	8,543	868	340	807	1,850	1,495	2,644	513	26
Moldova	2,489	138	208	345	729	504	504	59	2
Monaco	710	72	51	42	118	157	206	64	-
Netherlands	593,856	35,160	19,708	36,488	149,144	139,496	180,275	33,422	163
Norway	159,331	12,086	6,781	12,411	38,151	33,326	48,980	7,521	75
Poland	150,232	6,542	9,070	30,980	32,564	22,539	37,041	11,307	189
Portugal	106,728	6,559	4,672	8,217	26,457	23,391	29,587	7,746	99
Romania	49,568	1,812	1,417	5,616	15,961	6,826	12,960	4,892	84
Russia	126,564	7,273	6,579	12,967	30,482	28,160	34,859	6,136	108
San Marino	448	33	23	26	130	88	125	23	-
Slovak Republic	24,187	822	1,333	7,549	5,893	3,169	4,637	751	33
Slovenia	15,108	848	769	1,882	4,352	3,223	3,631	400	3
Soviet Union ²	488	44	13	27	78	77	179	69	1
Spain	435,258	23,840	20,087	28,948	142,766	95,263	102,875	21,211	268
Sweden	326,357	22,100	13,566	26,465	82,018	66,192	100,650	15,192	174
Switzerland	344,706	22,571	13,882	27,258	82,431	75,484	100,713	22,246	121
Tajikistan	472	18	78	76	91	85	117	6	1
Turkmenistan	523	22	76	51	158	118	88	8	2
Ukraine	33,017	1,737	1,898	3,300	8,400	7,052	8,613	1,980	37
United Kingdom	4,892,119	544,168	221,045	271,521	951,259	1,090,467	1,462,472	350,101	1,086
Uzbekistan	8,945	389	501	921	1,930	2,130	2,797	272	5
Yugoslavia ²	17,967	826	1,208	2,282	4,830	2,768	4,709	1,322	22
Asia	9,087,371	687,754	329,992	860,243	2,664,442	1,723,546	2,263,684	549,290	8,420
Afghanistan	1,983	234	161	292	444	320	402	124	6
Bahrain	4,671	667	481	828	878	873	863	72	9
Bangladesh	21,107	1,936	1,071	2,129	5,518	3,863	5,663	879	48
Bhutan	395	18	26	52	155	90	50	2	2

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Region and country of citizenship	All ages ¹	Under 15 years	15 - 19 years	20 - 24 years	25 - 34 years	35 - 44 years	45 - 64 years	65 years and over	Unknown
Brunei	934	101	41	81	227	242	213	29	-
Burma	3,044	104	119	354	786	639	794	243	5
Cambodia	4,277	200	191	348	1,059	1,087	1,171	216	5
China ³	861,930	43,913	26,555	53,310	248,782	203,513	223,225	60,988	1,644
Cyprus	12,064	531	642	2,696	3,307	1,800	2,468	604	16
Hong Kong	121,934	5,696	4,848	10,618	34,621	30,437	27,188	8,372	154
India	567,775	33,659	11,450	63,990	217,680	74,846	129,195	35,768	1,187
Indonesia	96,961	5,641	5,960	12,941	26,856	16,320	25,423	3,680	140
Iran	20,268	1,383	719	1,027	3,896	3,650	6,432	3,100	61
Iraq	3,071	327	123	180	547	481	975	423	15
Israel	373,429	29,730	16,363	36,955	85,316	64,287	113,484	26,834	460
Japan	5,070,436	386,401	183,520	521,319	1,518,074	879,579	1,277,957	302,211	1,375
Jordan	33,548	3,478	1,997	3,287	8,154	6,305	8,390	1,854	83
Korea	841,863	86,304	29,661	51,871	227,311	205,703	193,344	46,374	1,295
Kuwait	19,756	2,864	1,809	3,553	4,233	3,513	3,400	356	28
Laos	2,557	133	103	236	427	514	794	345	5
Lebanon	32,321	2,149	1,411	3,102	8,958	5,669	8,014	2,927	91
Macao	1,272	96	119	172	313	220	285	67	-
Malaysia	96,211	6,793	3,237	9,002	28,323	23,314	22,353	3,086	103
Maldives	194	12	14	25	60	50	32	1	-
Mongolia	3,176	226	434	369	751	787	537	67	5
Nepal	8,251	370	307	1,145	2,513	1,908	1,768	219	21
Oman	3,693	411	306	699	1,131	668	418	53	7
Pakistan	95,595	11,522	5,898	9,797	21,695	16,473	24,900	5,100	210
Philippines	315,184	23,236	9,619	18,325	80,916	79,260	81,528	21,678	622
Qatar	3,769	592	380	616	992	759	382	34	14
Saudi Arabia	66,721	13,547	5,371	7,820	15,455	13,727	9,205	1,401	195
Singapore	109,881	8,858	3,041	7,714	33,361	29,612	24,332	2,891	72
Sri Lanka	16,368	1,116	551	1,169	4,311	3,586	4,349	1,230	56
Syria	14,399	1,030	551	1,033	3,347	2,647	4,038	1,693	60
Thailand	95,415	5,062	4,657	10,662	26,084	19,011	25,933	3,832	174
Turkey	121,780	5,893	5,521	16,474	38,630	22,121	26,982	6,001	158
United Arab Emirates	17,247	2,508	1,504	3,778	4,713	2,550	1,826	330	38
Vietnam	21,016	711	1,007	1,882	3,970	2,437	4,804	6,159	46
Yemen	2,875	302	224	392	648	685	567	47	10
Africa	465,646	35,018	22,523	41,767	115,592	107,963	120,084	21,604	1,095
Algeria	7,516	344	173	368	2,156	1,739	2,248	461	27
Angola	4,267	403	295	549	1,074	1,147	724	52	23
Benin	1,558	97	69	145	319	437	453	30	8
Botswana	2,448	162	116	505	783	468	367	42	5
Burkina Faso	1,657	71	73	153	463	473	401	15	8
Burundi	906	66	64	137	182	240	204	11	2
Cameroon	7,784	492	319	696	2,410	1,800	1,825	211	31
Cape Verde	5,575	541	336	470	1,193	1,329	1,227	461	18
Central African Republic	356	27	29	24	97	89	80	10	-
Chad	538	47	19	70	155	122	119	6	-
Comoros	63	3	2	4	16	27	11	-	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	133	14	12	14	34	33	24	2	-
Congo, Republic	4,372	475	240	292	902	1,164	1,187	96	16
Cote d'Ivoire	5,453	371	312	575	1,444	1,489	1,177	62	23
Djibouti	377	28	23	42	90	91	86	15	2
Egypt	61,828	5,055	2,738	5,690	13,936	12,290	18,003	3,988	128
Equatorial Guinea	157	16	10	14	39	42	25	10	1
Eritrea	1,590	113	38	84	411	317	489	131	7
Ethiopia	9,367	652	394	638	2,363	1,892	2,812	563	53
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	8	-	-	1	4	1	1	1	-
Gabon	1,219	93	74	142	365	314	218	11	2
Gambia, The	3,178	259	178	292	694	825	802	117	11
Ghana	24,929	1,692	1,123	2,053	5,969	6,968	6,298	775	51
Guinea	6,620	533	362	513	1,813	1,850	1,442	82	25
Guinea-Bissau	85	4	4	5	23	24	23	2	-
Kenya	23,754	1,588	1,279	3,856	6,117	4,372	5,709	759	74

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Region and country of citizenship	All ages ¹	Under 15 years	15 - 19 years	20 - 24 years	25 - 34 years	35 - 44 years	45 - 64 years	65 years and over	Unknown
Lesotho	326	22	19	31	62	87	98	7	-
Liberia	3,449	236	115	259	904	912	792	223	8
Libya	449	63	16	27	107	71	120	44	1
Madagascar	1,059	42	43	85	255	219	381	34	-
Malawi	1,637	119	99	161	364	419	420	49	6
Mali	5,737	382	405	516	1,993	1,380	964	77	20
Mauritania	1,455	49	61	191	492	373	266	20	3
Mauritius	2,798	158	105	280	634	549	875	191	6
Morocco	26,159	1,846	1,459	3,248	6,588	4,428	7,185	1,317	88
Mozambique	1,161	92	58	105	233	414	243	16	-
Namibia	1,272	106	50	118	318	388	264	27	1
Niger	2,075	159	125	170	489	529	528	74	1
Nigeria	48,476	4,010	2,180	2,241	9,635	14,193	13,985	2,135	97
Reunion	31	3	2	1	4	5	9	7	-
Rwanda	1,410	114	67	133	360	418	292	17	9
Sao Tome and Principe	69	2	7	3	11	24	17	4	1
Senegal	14,845	703	684	1,249	3,960	3,924	3,999	300	26
Seychelles	391	33	12	41	92	119	77	16	1
Sierra Leone	2,762	208	157	152	607	651	831	151	5
Somalia	1,003	116	76	88	252	214	210	41	6
South Africa	129,704	10,244	6,245	9,982	33,641	29,595	32,324	7,496	177
St. Helena	101	4	3	9	40	34	10	1	-
Sudan	4,576	516	234	275	872	982	1,407	271	19
Swaziland	421	21	21	39	99	125	104	12	-
Tanzania	6,769	407	348	1,018	1,657	1,317	1,773	231	18
Togo	2,565	107	92	347	797	677	489	47	9
Tunisia	9,161	398	344	1,364	2,601	1,700	2,379	345	30
Uganda	5,641	373	203	530	1,468	1,508	1,403	133	23
Western Sahara	16	6	9	-	1	-	-	-	-
Zambia	4,996	503	312	684	1,539	1,067	789	93	9
Zimbabwe	9,394	830	690	1,088	2,465	2,098	1,895	312	16
Oceania	794,840	57,583	30,682	59,957	195,829	164,657	240,918	44,901	313
American Samoa	1,212	77	47	127	248	234	384	95	-
Australia	548,795	39,910	21,412	41,734	133,562	114,229	166,632	31,135	181
Christmas Island	11	1	-	-	2	6	-	2	-
Cocos Islands	4	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	-
Cook Islands	34	1	2	5	7	5	12	2	-
Fiji	8,553	623	326	789	2,058	1,663	2,616	462	16
French Polynesia	836	123	61	69	179	201	165	38	-
Guam	54	10	4	6	15	8	8	3	-
Kiribati	1,003	34	17	72	248	297	300	30	5
Marshall Islands	7,428	1,227	667	908	1,282	1,255	1,806	274	9
Micronesia, Federated States	16,391	1,493	1,319	1,835	3,468	3,273	4,362	625	16
Nauru	229	29	6	19	66	35	68	4	2
New Caledonia	182	24	12	9	36	34	60	7	-
New Zealand	195,875	13,074	6,195	13,358	51,458	39,693	60,638	11,398	61
Niue	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Northern Mariana Islands	51	9	2	3	9	7	14	7	-
Palau	6,583	548	397	480	1,521	1,889	1,551	191	6
Papua New Guinea	673	49	19	32	161	225	178	9	-
Pitcairn Island	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Samoa	1,590	70	36	115	332	336	537	160	4
Solomon Islands	170	16	7	7	42	43	51	4	-
Tonga	4,531	239	133	324	930	1,043	1,413	438	11
Tuvalu	338	8	8	35	120	95	66	5	1
Vanuatu	271	14	12	25	75	82	52	10	1
Wallis and Futuna Islands	24	3	-	4	8	3	5	1	-
North America	6,767,816	880,799	393,061	496,357	1,557,305	1,394,276	1,580,685	449,452	15,881
Canada	249,681	18,803	9,495	22,607	81,198	65,630	48,718	2,758	472
Greenland	79	8	11	6	12	17	17	7	1
Mexico	4,334,330	643,036	270,839	322,418	997,054	833,252	978,055	279,375	10,301

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Region and country of citizenship	All ages ¹	Under 15 years	15 - 19 years	20 - 24 years	25 - 34 years	35 - 44 years	45 - 64 years	65 years and over	Unknown
St. Pierre and Miquelon	37	4	1	3	5	9	11	4	-
United States	2	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Caribbean	1,318,529	139,646	68,210	89,097	297,819	316,354	320,962	83,700	2,741
Anguilla	3,676	362	244	392	886	880	760	147	5
Antigua-Barbuda	21,190	1,881	834	1,369	5,129	5,551	5,555	838	33
Aruba	8,956	1,138	577	627	1,677	2,022	2,461	448	6
Bahamas, The	351,417	48,059	19,303	25,105	83,051	83,649	77,253	14,219	778
Barbados	51,914	4,886	2,411	2,845	10,460	13,278	14,930	3,031	73
Bermuda	3,107	152	267	334	667	713	788	181	5
British Virgin Islands	7,672	936	410	629	1,910	1,679	1,811	285	12
Cayman Islands	27,741	4,246	1,819	2,255	5,945	5,766	6,353	1,325	32
Cuba	30,860	495	233	463	2,241	2,223	10,348	14,787	70
Dominica ⁴	13,179	1,227	701	914	3,088	3,237	3,231	739	42
Dominican Republic ⁴	207,986	20,747	11,440	14,464	45,671	50,071	52,131	13,015	447
Grenada	11,902	1,041	694	906	3,108	2,910	2,673	547	23
Guadeloupe	625	82	61	55	112	120	163	28	4
Haiti	83,158	6,789	3,148	3,346	15,912	23,282	24,118	6,332	231
Jamaica	277,978	28,371	14,226	18,938	68,822	69,467	61,865	15,678	611
Martinique	903	119	53	56	143	196	284	51	1
Montserrat	1,324	75	50	78	358	299	404	55	5
Netherlands Antilles	7,918	999	461	443	1,451	1,839	2,320	398	7
Puerto Rico	347	15	16	24	144	62	68	16	2
St. Kitts-Nevis	14,566	1,039	586	1,161	3,550	4,050	3,706	446	28
St. Lucia	18,491	1,540	899	1,531	5,348	4,795	3,849	495	34
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	12,349	730	417	909	4,211	3,272	2,424	364	22
Trinidad and Tobago	148,170	13,209	8,630	10,911	30,552	34,034	40,741	9,847	246
Turks and Caicos Islands	12,923	1,493	722	1,333	3,353	2,907	2,674	418	23
U.S. Virgin Islands	177	15	8	9	30	52	52	10	1
Central America	865,158	79,301	44,505	62,226	181,217	179,013	232,922	83,608	2,366
Belize	30,996	4,031	1,967	2,962	7,581	6,932	5,994	1,453	76
Costa Rica	166,671	15,657	10,178	13,036	38,712	38,938	40,422	9,289	439
El Salvador	216,974	15,973	7,763	11,533	38,154	39,365	68,167	35,421	598
Guatemala	198,935	21,314	11,260	15,807	42,195	40,246	50,074	17,508	531
Honduras	104,414	9,598	4,898	7,650	22,948	23,745	28,109	7,153	313
Nicaragua	50,521	2,881	2,566	4,072	10,035	11,628	14,375	4,811	153
Panama	96,647	9,847	5,873	7,166	21,592	18,159	25,781	7,973	256
South America	3,110,089	315,359	184,478	220,795	698,892	687,212	803,714	194,215	5,424
Argentina	541,483	52,909	33,294	41,898	136,676	105,415	139,572	31,491	228
Bolivia	44,516	4,762	2,986	3,612	9,544	9,708	10,988	2,797	119
Brazil	733,941	62,552	51,861	59,839	165,619	169,922	187,760	35,204	1,184
Chile	190,034	18,443	8,870	10,087	41,083	44,387	54,963	11,871	330
Colombia	470,210	52,880	25,094	29,876	98,553	110,938	117,224	34,101	1,544
Ecuador	166,955	18,830	11,307	13,737	34,199	34,852	42,482	11,151	397
Falkland Islands	19	-	1	2	8	4	4	-	-
French Guiana	35	11	2	1	6	5	7	3	-
Guyana	25,519	2,032	1,113	1,426	4,667	7,013	7,809	1,439	20
Paraguay	19,254	1,645	1,645	1,649	4,180	4,266	4,866	959	44
Peru	232,877	20,201	9,931	14,957	54,154	48,749	62,089	22,262	534
Suriname	6,171	503	226	308	1,134	1,425	2,094	465	16
Uruguay	72,454	6,876	3,922	5,546	17,085	14,699	18,732	5,524	70
Venezuela	606,621	73,715	34,226	37,857	131,984	135,829	155,124	36,948	938
Unknown	150,344	12,781	7,313	10,997	31,164	28,415	44,617	14,303	754

¹ Excludes the following classes of admission processed in the Nonimmigrant Information System: for all countries — 273,914 parolees; 23,749 withdrawals and stowaways; and 110,573 refugees. ² Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. ³ Includes People's Republic of China and Taiwan. A total of 588,299 nonimmigrant visas were issued to these two countries in fiscal year 2001: 242,547 to Taiwan and 345,752 to People's Republic of China. (SOURCE: U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Visa Office.) ⁴ Due to misreporting, reliable counts by country of citizenship are not available; therefore, data were given the same distribution as for country of last residence. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. The number of nonimmigrant visas issued in fiscal year 2001 for Dominica was 2,002; the Dominican Republic, 52,738. (SOURCE: U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Visa Office.)

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 41. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION
AND STATE OF INTENDED DESTINATION
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

State of intended residence	All classes ^{1, 2}	Foreign government officials ³	Temporary visitors for business and pleasure ²	Transit aliens ⁴	Treaty traders and investors ³	Students	Spouses and children of students	Temporary workers and trainees ⁵	Spouses and children of temp. workers and trainees ⁵
Total	32,824,088	131,313	29,419,601	456,174	178,534	698,595	43,326	592,994	146,427
Alabama	57,588	1,257	40,271	1,040	2,024	5,071	392	2,582	551
Alaska	86,682	317	82,172	645	401	383	29	473	63
Arizona	395,462	1,402	363,239	163	1,487	10,204	828	5,214	1,708
Arkansas	29,628	60	18,835	20	237	2,833	244	5,232	315
California	4,535,130	11,062	4,069,203	14,693	32,818	120,786	5,206	97,640	31,958
Colorado	332,960	782	293,279	153	975	7,322	830	11,552	1,992
Connecticut	209,658	634	158,091	512	3,224	10,529	515	8,327	2,908
Delaware	29,726	237	22,795	220	332	1,496	116	1,335	438
District of Columbia	332,552	22,727	258,131	416	596	7,737	268	4,439	415
Florida	5,599,402	12,159	5,302,124	65,357	19,361	47,812	3,380	51,688	12,533
Georgia	407,618	3,228	337,697	1,318	5,824	12,561	850	18,283	3,696
Hawaii	1,884,491	2,782	1,858,190	5,734	2,187	9,292	460	1,180	255
Idaho	21,077	52	15,280	8	154	1,298	90	2,062	216
Illinois	750,064	2,567	646,574	758	7,570	24,033	1,893	20,342	6,501
Indiana	125,013	168	92,851	94	2,337	12,665	948	3,098	1,001
Iowa	40,371	87	27,371	21	219	5,717	485	1,407	595
Kansas	55,861	745	41,108	26	286	6,250	413	2,360	697
Kentucky	64,092	186	45,076	49	3,202	4,162	319	4,093	702
Louisiana	200,848	1,192	174,363	7,577	432	6,427	438	3,992	523
Maine	41,037	30	30,961	602	109	1,876	59	2,366	132
Maryland	273,658	7,604	199,720	1,139	1,648	11,063	771	9,663	2,902
Massachusetts	737,890	1,969	593,710	1,632	3,311	50,990	2,378	25,295	6,275
Michigan	334,355	494	244,675	455	8,173	18,598	1,709	14,761	5,184
Minnesota	144,377	323	114,230	171	635	8,166	495	5,501	1,718
Mississippi	24,600	572	15,521	451	248	1,976	197	3,606	196
Missouri	91,180	584	66,806	49	657	8,762	626	4,974	1,157
Montana	18,402	20	14,696	16	56	895	27	696	79
Nebraska	24,543	105	17,882	14	173	3,090	231	859	273
Nevada	905,902	815	894,006	188	481	2,600	118	2,691	369
New Hampshire	57,164	67	43,283	141	301	3,114	183	3,643	707
New Jersey	695,506	1,568	570,790	2,751	10,439	15,756	1,167	32,643	11,850
New Mexico	158,919	1,239	150,183	17	239	1,759	174	805	194
New York	3,939,340	15,936	3,537,436	9,065	23,854	82,874	3,439	90,140	11,015
North Carolina	212,422	637	158,657	340	3,670	8,849	782	16,399	2,337
North Dakota	8,145	11	5,874	-	16	843	70	368	92
Ohio	227,917	691	168,955	233	5,063	16,669	1,570	8,144	2,959
Oklahoma	61,255	339	44,903	26	266	8,414	592	2,208	564
Oregon	110,320	175	86,477	621	1,452	7,696	446	3,152	1,158
Pennsylvania	356,791	1,064	275,690	2,500	2,763	25,713	1,860	11,913	3,527
Rhode Island	44,745	474	34,830	183	270	4,629	125	1,130	224
South Carolina	91,399	209	71,999	537	2,861	4,138	227	3,274	545
South Dakota	8,677	1	6,180	-	59	816	78	803	64
Tennessee	105,501	155	82,802	72	2,103	5,974	473	4,889	937
Texas	2,012,615	7,912	1,803,388	14,001	11,510	38,974	3,052	41,266	11,321
Utah	98,115	409	84,306	27	240	5,523	498	2,558	361
Vermont	43,992	52	37,091	10	129	1,726	40	1,534	117
Virginia	338,932	10,488	249,546	804	3,377	15,234	1,602	16,009	4,242
Washington	341,325	1,767	281,980	3,954	2,801	17,339	694	9,963	3,697
West Virginia	13,789	43	9,116	11	280	2,429	193	314	131
Wisconsin	107,698	152	82,446	64	616	7,929	551	3,337	1,036
Wyoming	13,470	11	10,610	3	41	416	26	1,056	48
Guam	1,078,831	666	1,070,991	2,308	1,460	319	13	655	152
Marshall Islands	24	-	15	-	2	4	-	-	-
Northern Mariana Islands	13	-	8	-	-	-	-	3	-
Puerto Rico	183,667	1,313	168,653	3,361	535	1,385	76	2,524	447
U.S. Virgin Islands	32,403	28	30,960	460	33	247	4	285	30
Unknown	4,726,946	11,746	4,313,575	311,164	4,997	15,232	1,076	18,268	3,320

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 41. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION
AND STATE OF INTENDED DESTINATION
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

State of intended residence	International representatives ³	Representatives of foreign information media ³	Exchange visitors	Spouses and children of exchange visitors	Fian-ces(ees) of U.S. citizens ⁹	Intra-company transferees	Spouses and children of intra-company transferees	NATO officials ³	North American Free-Trade Agreement workers	Spouses and children of NAFTA workers
Total	94,109	34,488	339,848	49,587	27,121	328,480	144,911	13,805	95,486	21,509
Alabama	44	35	1,458	369	131	940	515	554	263	65
Alaska	15	141	798	33	153	390	238	34	356	32
Arizona	43	351	3,037	495	452	2,512	1,500	221	1,605	661
Arkansas	5	10	982	119	117	291	117	24	93	34
California	772	5,698	43,392	7,395	5,177	47,024	21,960	837	14,042	3,517
Colorado	90	202	6,883	878	485	3,623	1,733	179	1,521	352
Connecticut	418	228	7,697	880	342	8,693	4,569	48	1,545	416
Delaware	16	11	1,071	140	61	800	401	6	173	59
District of Columbia	20,747	3,370	10,799	490	87	1,205	211	361	473	45
Florida	997	3,625	12,416	1,569	1,630	41,383	16,771	893	3,924	1,432
Georgia	131	513	6,562	1,106	524	8,631	4,016	340	1,604	528
Hawaii	350	856	1,170	283	321	607	345	44	324	82
Idaho	5	34	1,050	79	111	253	141	3	167	45
Illinois	174	535	13,429	2,171	920	12,963	5,483	125	2,944	658
Indiana	28	225	4,322	855	262	3,368	1,971	19	564	207
Iowa	8	25	2,526	495	158	497	310	7	290	113
Kansas	11	17	1,779	229	168	720	427	83	400	121
Kentucky	22	48	2,007	336	132	2,075	1,284	40	269	81
Louisiana	56	174	2,102	441	166	1,566	819	47	435	88
Maine	13	50	3,286	73	122	211	116	7	876	147
Maryland	17,460	876	10,785	2,767	596	2,958	1,551	276	1,403	372
Massachusetts	389	562	23,384	4,254	863	11,485	4,733	96	5,320	1,133
Michigan	63	366	9,057	1,738	754	13,835	7,312	48	6,069	964
Minnesota	39	76	5,715	793	472	3,158	1,334	28	1,168	333
Mississippi	8	19	1,098	121	70	209	92	39	128	42
Missouri	53	102	3,678	591	299	1,284	681	63	633	163
Montana	2	35	1,249	64	76	132	29	1	296	33
Nebraska	2	11	934	194	100	312	131	9	173	23
Nevada	26	650	1,855	78	260	628	273	123	531	150
New Hampshire	18	20	3,061	144	152	985	429	21	641	246
New Jersey	2,136	535	11,122	1,342	957	19,101	9,147	165	2,802	881
New Mexico	62	68	1,313	265	117	239	151	1,604	333	78
New York	32,569	9,435	49,590	4,597	2,360	42,770	13,409	433	8,343	1,137
North Carolina	47	102	7,284	1,487	357	5,553	2,828	119	2,221	653
North Dakota	5	8	416	38	32	96	37	5	199	33
Ohio	55	166	8,777	1,288	562	6,975	3,806	125	1,386	449
Oklahoma	14	135	1,678	303	184	700	460	137	225	63
Oregon	28	85	3,172	512	410	2,403	1,357	11	810	289
Pennsylvania	145	183	14,390	2,136	772	7,888	3,518	154	1,971	479
Rhode Island	7	10	1,647	156	89	480	180	70	164	63
South Carolina	24	35	3,262	395	112	2,039	1,199	28	349	138
South Dakota	16	33	491	30	30	14	4	2	32	24
Tennessee	17	150	3,365	636	245	1,877	1,078	20	532	140
Texas	577	707	11,844	2,878	1,931	34,408	17,166	2,357	6,297	1,990
Utah	70	201	1,877	289	188	696	366	74	262	124
Vermont	6	15	2,151	84	57	306	165	3	426	75
Virginia	13,057	682	7,873	1,217	865	5,902	2,732	2,856	1,818	502
Washington	166	432	4,666	870	1,004	4,392	2,152	184	3,927	1,234
West Virginia	12	7	697	78	68	183	128	2	81	15
Wisconsin	15	59	6,828	547	295	2,014	922	15	626	206
Wyoming	8	33	886	34	38	89	51	4	90	18
Guam	17	249	26	4	47	1,427	488	8	-	-
Marshall Islands	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Puerto Rico	35	231	229	36	67	3,178	1,389	26	128	23
U.S. Virgin Islands	4	3	80	19	11	148	62	3	7	9
Unknown	3,012	2,059	8,600	1,166	1,162	12,864	2,624	824	14,225	743

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 41. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION
AND STATE OF INTENDED DESTINATION
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

State of intended residence	Spouses and children of U.S. citizens, immigrant visa pending ⁷	Spouses of legal permanent residents, immigrant visa pending ⁷	Children of legal permanent residents, immigrant visa pending ⁷	Dependent children of spouse or accompanying children, immigrant visa pending ⁷	Victims of severe form of trafficking ⁷	Spouses, children, parents of victims of severe form of trafficking ⁷	Victims of criminal activity ⁷	Spouses, children, and parents of victims of criminal activity ⁷	Other and unknown
Total	8	2,691	4,540	318	29	16	17	34	127
Alabama	-	9	17	-	-	-	-	-	-
Alaska	-	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Arizona	-	112	217	8	1	1	-	1	-
Arkansas	-	17	41	1	1	-	-	-	-
California	3	626	1,204	100	3	1	4	4	5
Colorado	-	49	80	-	-	-	-	-	-
Connecticut	-	33	46	1	2	-	-	-	-
Delaware	-	8	10	1	-	-	-	-	-
District of Columbia	-	15	9	5	3	-	-	-	3
Florida	-	122	196	22	1	1	1	1	4
Georgia	-	61	129	12	-	2	-	1	1
Hawaii	1	14	10	4	-	-	-	-	-
Idaho	-	7	20	2	-	-	-	-	-
Illinois	-	148	245	16	-	1	3	6	5
Indiana	-	7	22	-	1	-	-	-	-
Iowa	-	13	22	5	-	-	-	-	-
Kansas	-	7	14	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kentucky	1	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Louisiana	-	4	3	3	-	-	-	-	-
Maine	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Maryland	-	28	54	7	1	2	-	-	12
Massachusetts	1	40	56	8	1	3	1	-	1
Michigan	-	31	62	6	-	-	-	-	1
Minnesota	-	12	9	-	-	1	-	-	-
Mississippi	-	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Missouri	-	8	10	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nebraska	-	7	19	-	-	1	-	-	-
Nevada	-	16	39	4	-	-	-	-	1
New Hampshire	-	3	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Jersey	-	174	163	4	4	2	3	3	1
New Mexico	-	28	49	2	-	-	-	-	-
New York	-	367	526	21	5	-	2	4	13
North Carolina	-	30	61	7	1	-	-	-	1
North Dakota	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ohio	-	12	26	4	1	-	-	1	-
Oklahoma	-	12	30	-	-	1	-	-	1
Oregon	-	22	40	4	-	-	-	-	1
Pennsylvania	-	44	61	16	-	-	-	3	1
Rhode Island	-	7	7	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Carolina	-	9	15	3	-	-	-	-	1
South Dakota	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tennessee	-	10	26	-	-	-	-	-	-
Texas	-	351	658	26	-	-	-	-	1
Utah	1	10	33	-	1	-	-	-	1
Vermont	-	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virginia	-	32	56	1	-	-	-	4	33
Washington	1	41	46	13	-	-	1	-	1
West Virginia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Wisconsin	-	16	23	-	1	-	-	-	-
Wyoming	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guam	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marshall Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	-	9	20	-	-	-	1	1	-
U.S. Virgin Islands	-	3	4	3	-	-	-	-	-
Unknown	-	98	136	9	1	-	1	5	39

¹ Excludes the following classes of admission processed in the Nonimmigrant Information System: for all countries — 282,317 parolees; 23,749 withdrawals and stowaways; and 110,573 refugees. ² Includes admissions under the Visa Waiver Pilot program. Data for ³ business and pleasure not available separately due to temporary expiration of the Visa Waiver Program during October 2000. See Nonimmigrant section of text. ⁴ Includes spouses and unmarried minor (or dependent) children. ⁵ Includes foreign government officials and their spouses and unmarried minor (or dependent) children in transit. ⁶ Excludes workers (and their spouses and children) under the North American Free-Trade Agreement (shown separately). ⁷ Includes minor children of fiances(ees). ⁸ Admissions under the Legal Immigration Family Equity (LIFE) Act of 2000 and the Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act of 2000 began in June 2001 (see Glossary). NOTE: See Glossary for detailed descriptions of classes of admission. - Represents zero.

**TABLE 42. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP
AND STATE OF DESTINATION
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

State of destination	All countries ¹	Europe								
		Austria	Belgium	Denmark	France	Germany	Ireland	Italy	Netherlands	Norway
Total	32,824,088	172,554	220,158	167,737	1,209,366	1,750,044	403,595	738,185	593,856	159,331
Alabama	57,588	408	353	393	1,707	7,950	441	1,489	1,678	546
Alaska	86,682	1,220	575	334	1,709	10,269	568	1,299	2,117	645
Arizona	395,462	1,903	2,788	1,985	13,739	25,885	2,977	4,897	5,744	1,433
Arkansas	29,628	139	160	136	814	2,053	168	339	479	72
California	4,535,130	25,420	28,244	29,741	203,870	243,548	47,198	96,664	78,256	21,424
Colorado	332,960	2,027	2,647	2,248	9,851	24,588	2,683	4,994	7,541	1,812
Connecticut	209,658	1,294	1,990	2,203	9,529	16,825	5,148	6,934	4,932	1,868
Delaware	29,726	117	390	217	1,182	2,628	615	630	926	123
District of Columbia	332,552	2,827	4,404	3,805	18,048	22,128	3,840	8,564	8,327	2,840
Florida	5,599,402	30,393	26,030	17,865	136,955	290,429	54,326	104,182	105,306	25,231
Georgia	407,618	2,805	5,291	3,595	16,460	35,226	4,636	8,846	11,120	1,767
Hawaii	1,884,491	2,077	861	1,518	9,656	17,793	2,024	2,748	2,992	1,508
Idaho	21,077	142	149	166	706	1,986	221	361	618	207
Illinois	750,064	6,035	7,628	5,628	28,931	54,788	19,376	22,185	16,540	3,841
Indiana	125,013	801	1,247	953	5,300	11,067	1,263	2,571	2,989	665
Iowa	40,371	204	291	580	1,853	3,693	335	719	895	520
Kansas	55,861	257	247	443	1,333	3,745	283	653	741	236
Kentucky	64,092	309	473	663	2,518	5,772	1,392	861	1,263	431
Louisiana	200,848	1,786	3,297	1,913	14,819	14,170	1,911	6,888	6,276	3,115
Maine	41,037	285	507	345	2,761	3,791	896	693	1,266	403
Maryland	273,658	1,590	2,690	2,568	14,450	16,492	4,212	5,839	5,474	1,937
Massachusetts	737,890	4,505	8,013	4,950	37,186	50,396	42,712	22,720	16,048	4,529
Michigan	334,355	2,716	3,165	1,655	12,865	46,313	2,112	7,415	8,327	1,417
Minnesota	144,377	983	1,260	1,961	5,366	12,176	2,080	2,921	4,628	3,814
Mississippi	24,600	151	210	201	884	1,974	285	461	459	841
Missouri	91,180	488	1,025	641	3,315	7,554	957	1,902	1,781	455
Montana	18,402	173	124	240	895	2,171	216	265	599	348
Nebraska	24,543	173	125	213	588	2,325	267	300	475	149
Nevada	905,902	4,037	4,919	2,449	24,193	37,906	5,542	11,089	9,690	2,009
New Hampshire	57,164	331	447	534	3,216	4,957	1,720	938	1,651	346
New Jersey	695,506	3,117	7,282	5,584	29,826	42,481	13,873	20,089	13,361	3,540
New Mexico	158,919	334	452	333	2,235	7,188	397	822	1,040	268
New York	3,939,340	32,941	38,052	26,369	245,709	257,304	100,387	181,294	90,399	20,969
North Carolina	212,422	1,592	2,096	2,262	7,468	20,124	1,953	5,133	4,298	1,095
North Dakota	8,145	61	49	141	213	938	52	120	177	953
Ohio	227,917	1,703	2,657	1,371	9,215	21,187	1,935	5,082	5,610	1,057
Oklahoma	61,255	370	292	269	1,431	3,888	238	604	847	438
Oregon	110,320	613	656	886	3,429	8,399	1,547	1,276	2,568	921
Pennsylvania	356,791	2,622	3,728	3,391	20,536	32,493	7,402	12,287	8,569	2,269
Rhode Island	44,745	377	353	434	2,017	3,035	1,756	1,696	944	247
South Carolina	91,399	777	1,218	595	5,664	14,779	1,653	1,976	1,865	462
South Dakota	8,677	59	50	91	161	1,157	93	160	221	436
Tennessee	105,501	686	966	759	3,455	8,647	1,201	1,863	2,950	808
Texas	2,012,615	3,940	8,816	6,449	38,147	58,837	7,388	17,917	23,191	13,141
Utah	98,115	1,104	987	765	4,006	7,543	552	1,808	2,123	1,349
Vermont	43,992	345	377	239	3,790	3,119	1,058	736	906	276
Virginia	338,932	1,929	3,012	2,630	15,806	25,179	3,780	5,218	7,370	2,518
Washington	341,325	1,967	2,419	3,876	9,430	21,233	3,487	4,924	8,091	4,486
West Virginia	13,789	78	118	74	689	1,388	89	344	305	122
Wisconsin	107,698	830	1,080	1,563	4,932	12,655	1,207	2,877	2,868	1,378
Wyoming	13,470	100	163	129	616	1,325	97	338	216	128
Guam	1,078,831	69	60	80	450	514	62	151	142	36
Marshall Islands	24	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-
Northern Mariana Islands	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	183,667	625	927	513	8,521	5,159	608	3,699	7,566	800
U.S. Virgin Islands	32,403	190	190	838	2,426	981	212	661	1,007	152
Unknown	4,726,946	20,529	34,608	17,952	204,495	209,891	42,164	136,743	98,084	16,950

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**TABLE 42. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP
AND STATE OF DESTINATION
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

State of destination	Europe					Asia				
	Poland	Spain	Sweden	Switzerland	United Kingdom	China ²	India	Israel	Japan	Korea
Total	150,232	435,258	326,357	344,706	4,892,119	861,930	567,775	373,429	5,070,436	841,863
Alabama	275	792	773	488	7,896	1,677	1,711	583	4,473	1,541
Alaska	218	913	491	3,764	17,850	4,455	694	702	14,607	1,770
Arizona	839	2,113	4,020	3,634	47,626	5,938	6,179	2,189	18,575	5,363
Arkansas	100	182	229	199	3,128	887	879	64	1,234	543
California	8,889	39,605	51,741	55,729	555,068	294,258	105,538	51,888	649,278	218,503
Colorado	1,346	2,869	4,357	4,562	61,095	4,980	5,502	1,738	16,523	5,645
Connecticut	5,292	3,145	3,996	2,806	43,838	4,706	9,651	2,681	8,460	4,095
Delaware	178	428	773	424	6,776	959	1,594	154	1,212	789
District of Columbia	1,384	6,407	5,278	3,949	50,284	8,531	4,653	4,053	24,531	8,699
Florida	8,834	88,336	48,453	59,128	1,410,006	18,942	26,477	35,198	128,020	16,797
Georgia	1,466	4,664	5,276	4,997	63,314	8,476	13,526	3,848	25,572	11,840
Hawaii	410	962	3,564	4,021	38,592	31,167	1,372	654	1,599,279	51,403
Idaho	83	327	302	224	2,736	611	494	202	2,215	652
Illinois	31,202	11,786	11,538	9,167	103,176	23,586	29,693	8,520	53,065	24,777
Indiana	975	1,971	1,667	1,049	16,529	4,616	5,364	724	14,212	5,580
Iowa	217	439	655	306	3,525	2,240	1,869	235	3,075	1,972
Kansas	170	435	438	426	4,898	2,046	2,866	403	2,630	1,415
Kentucky	253	893	669	510	7,925	1,923	2,454	232	12,596	1,805
Louisiana	957	4,680	3,434	2,774	29,085	4,147	3,115	1,482	11,353	3,243
Maine	390	608	596	776	11,621	477	402	405	1,530	571
Maryland	1,456	4,534	3,337	2,145	38,662	9,603	11,689	5,615	11,214	9,340
Massachusetts	3,996	11,112	11,223	11,845	170,361	19,549	21,659	14,313	43,924	16,282
Michigan	3,115	3,304	5,529	2,412	41,259	11,710	17,643	2,329	35,030	12,127
Minnesota	700	1,686	4,091	1,819	18,933	4,710	6,354	1,229	10,278	3,357
Mississippi	197	286	457	201	3,229	603	937	171	794	495
Missouri	534	1,364	1,135	798	11,175	4,341	3,934	1,767	5,798	3,304
Montana	188	128	294	393	3,734	828	191	84	2,031	329
Nebraska	103	286	244	171	2,105	1,061	1,025	168	2,341	785
Nevada	1,842	6,047	5,163	6,996	185,169	22,246	2,782	7,810	271,220	19,401
New Hampshire	475	987	934	947	16,968	1,317	2,124	686	1,875	1,081
New Jersey	12,490	9,179	8,663	7,692	98,881	27,245	56,292	17,280	33,076	28,604
New Mexico	174	734	645	746	5,809	894	710	519	3,402	463
New York	31,803	100,720	57,796	66,507	750,299	80,775	65,606	138,951	295,825	71,491
North Carolina	1,083	2,286	6,055	2,370	41,296	5,454	7,010	1,436	11,177	4,571
North Dakota	84	47	125	106	909	214	278	17	364	114
Ohio	2,080	2,521	2,880	2,139	29,323	9,743	13,215	2,358	26,832	6,794
Oklahoma	184	481	665	427	5,766	2,460	2,206	272	3,307	1,732
Oregon	326	946	1,463	1,018	12,155	5,697	3,648	1,145	24,857	5,925
Pennsylvania	3,982	5,584	6,412	3,598	65,237	11,803	16,893	5,524	18,056	11,468
Rhode Island	395	674	997	505	7,428	1,035	1,126	458	1,501	1,305
South Carolina	416	1,065	1,187	1,601	22,024	1,455	2,113	557	4,646	1,392
South Dakota	64	52	128	149	1,166	406	304	24	1,021	282
Tennessee	544	997	1,666	1,194	20,024	2,819	2,988	525	12,021	3,099
Texas	3,001	14,582	11,950	7,870	143,130	32,488	38,927	8,528	52,611	24,167
Utah	608	1,456	1,706	1,709	11,741	3,498	1,066	475	15,409	3,489
Vermont	254	431	614	777	17,889	517	393	369	1,899	516
Virginia	1,688	4,246	5,303	2,739	58,805	8,150	17,392	2,751	17,344	12,508
Washington	1,139	2,897	5,361	3,591	47,547	21,337	7,576	3,817	70,858	19,373
West Virginia	63	208	111	103	2,168	517	634	48	1,826	300
Wisconsin	2,003	1,694	2,071	1,474	12,543	3,865	4,299	935	6,423	3,465
Wyoming	223	109	182	286	3,540	206	104	65	1,143	95
Guam	19	52	90	150	3,598	32,102	377	47	912,143	96,513
Marshall Islands	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-
Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Puerto Rico	283	10,891	1,077	1,147	11,160	296	686	413	1,072	241
U.S. Virgin Islands	19	268	296	333	4,992	36	286	90	160	32
Unknown	11,222	71,849	28,257	49,815	538,125	108,326	31,275	36,697	576,517	110,420

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**TABLE 42. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP
AND STATE OF DESTINATION
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State of destination	Asia	Oceania		North America		Caribbean				Cen. Am.
	Philip- pines	Australia	New Zealand	Canada	Mexico	Bahamas, The	Dominican Republic	Jamaica	Trinidad & Tobago	Costa Rica
Total	315,184	548,795	195,875	249,681	4,334,330	351,417	207,986	277,978	148,170	166,671
Alabama	638	740	236	853	4,592	672	87	264	145	262
Alaska	795	5,973	708	734	3,760	56	125	57	136	142
Arizona	1,806	5,147	1,283	3,828	190,281	199	414	415	155	1,003
Arkansas	206	464	389	337	8,773	90	57	24	47	125
California	105,030	146,954	57,447	31,947	632,243	1,192	1,892	3,670	1,790	14,095
Colorado	845	10,852	3,254	3,791	97,100	324	496	731	144	1,201
Connecticut	1,357	3,653	927	4,152	5,858	249	812	4,913	842	805
Delaware	353	395	80	444	1,377	53	78	378	128	124
District of Columbia	1,826	6,380	1,797	2,041	12,044	731	900	1,369	1,378	1,616
Florida	19,741	25,879	7,685	12,797	292,049	276,738	54,289	120,236	37,505	60,845
Georgia	1,799	5,483	1,403	4,055	42,384	4,314	1,100	6,511	1,825	3,790
Hawaii	6,329	38,166	10,985	1,118	3,401	80	32	88	66	175
Idaho	110	756	295	622	2,826	11	9	16	7	140
Illinois	10,108	12,700	3,103	7,190	95,898	870	984	2,103	644	2,027
Indiana	832	2,124	556	1,890	10,395	241	183	301	205	515
Iowa	265	848	296	969	3,381	50	47	63	44	105
Kansas	281	843	299	1,164	15,977	48	77	70	50	385
Kentucky	420	963	260	861	6,659	173	94	94	94	168
Louisiana	2,936	4,202	1,222	1,206	21,090	745	387	595	952	1,904
Maine	316	733	241	3,978	807	22	101	562	59	90
Maryland	3,087	3,871	1,034	3,630	7,666	996	637	4,530	3,668	928
Massachusetts	2,742	11,360	2,702	12,328	16,077	677	4,918	4,722	1,703	1,636
Michigan	2,817	4,755	1,039	12,896	28,214	821	355	2,185	393	516
Minnesota	1,412	2,827	783	3,321	9,202	467	106	330	226	769
Mississippi	307	292	90	382	3,592	125	68	366	65	307
Missouri	933	1,950	718	1,678	10,268	295	199	451	179	750
Montana	84	731	187	879	804	7	7	11	6	22
Nebraska	129	544	168	412	3,897	115	25	38	21	66
Nevada	5,103	13,782	3,948	1,535	173,795	807	631	381	382	1,368
New Hampshire	246	955	304	1,892	1,149	83	161	1,935	55	57
New Jersey	13,314	7,923	1,837	6,937	15,526	1,213	9,714	8,101	5,681	7,557
New Mexico	178	1,189	342	668	122,161	24	31	42	34	149
New York	20,852	66,344	14,372	26,279	104,090	4,470	51,778	62,903	54,273	9,619
North Carolina	1,122	3,218	1,002	5,067	24,241	1,842	566	1,037	559	1,957
North Dakota	116	200	118	802	407	9	7	5	32	19
Ohio	1,641	3,360	881	4,016	13,376	503	531	831	363	1,521
Oklahoma	283	996	295	834	14,818	208	43	197	177	213
Oregon	1,156	2,830	1,125	2,258	5,706	63	42	68	52	673
Pennsylvania	2,595	6,517	1,608	5,899	12,711	1,108	1,357	3,559	1,700	1,265
Rhode Island	259	713	288	597	1,483	120	833	354	145	78
South Carolina	522	1,022	304	1,130	5,810	487	121	1,018	388	457
South Dakota	298	173	56	152	277	20	2	7	9	19
Tennessee	558	2,138	470	1,607	10,387	1,019	184	629	252	596
Texas	10,053	15,928	3,727	14,499	1,155,579	1,511	1,736	2,544	3,472	6,497
Utah	419	3,172	1,155	1,501	10,226	44	100	55	39	311
Vermont	139	668	280	1,359	517	139	71	600	58	160
Virginia	4,758	5,897	1,390	4,804	11,903	726	692	1,558	1,252	1,170
Washington	4,861	10,495	3,445	9,627	12,487	110	151	185	165	548
West Virginia	154	211	55	270	426	72	14	54	43	24
Wisconsin	599	2,216	705	1,586	9,750	153	174	332	117	495
Wyoming	43	529	182	367	1,503	13	5	27	26	40
Guam	5,635	2,428	511	136	53	1	3	2	4	2
Marshall Islands	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Mariana Islands	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	728	539	205	220	20,012	334	31,353	965	1,695	3,109
U.S. Virgin Islands	113	321	160	41	402	101	2,129	817	1,270	63
Unknown	71,934	95,446	57,923	36,092	1,074,919	45,876	37,078	34,679	23,450	34,193

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**TABLE 42. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP
AND STATE OF DESTINATION
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

State of destination	Central America		South America							Other ³
	El Salvador	Guatemala	Argentina	Brazil	Chile	Colombia	Ecuador	Peru	Venezuela	
Total	216,974	198,935	541,483	733,941	190,034	470,210	166,955	232,877	606,621	3,391,040
Alabama	173	459	312	836	230	816	129	262	475	10,233
Alaska	50	73	256	581	119	187	54	61	277	8,338
Arizona	672	853	1,246	2,637	1,230	1,114	332	931	1,210	22,879
Arkansas	575	455	253	464	85	242	62	97	170	4,908
California	61,295	38,991	39,050	61,436	16,300	18,832	6,888	20,075	14,785	456,356
Colorado	1,182	1,123	3,296	6,419	1,324	1,759	438	1,365	2,907	27,401
Connecticut	533	1,425	3,200	4,399	1,001	2,836	1,271	1,791	1,561	28,680
Delaware	70	82	155	784	176	251	99	124	306	4,154
District of Columbia	4,893	2,416	5,932	6,571	2,979	3,920	1,636	3,378	2,795	75,398
Florida	26,906	59,314	253,977	280,458	73,311	262,728	71,918	92,158	383,637	556,323
Georgia	3,847	4,862	5,521	9,320	2,344	8,202	1,297	3,318	6,900	56,618
Hawaii	46	158	1,585	3,663	569	319	111	399	437	44,163
Idaho	85	84	126	442	91	90	40	220	68	2,637
Illinois	1,369	5,780	8,296	14,104	2,839	4,802	1,971	2,453	4,079	97,282
Indiana	374	628	954	3,010	393	1,342	349	602	1,142	19,434
Iowa	195	143	398	782	249	301	93	155	363	8,001
Kansas	241	198	427	984	171	759	166	237	461	9,358
Kentucky	187	219	495	996	195	329	226	203	537	7,977
Louisiana	1,371	2,080	2,445	4,295	957	1,991	691	620	3,145	29,569
Maine	26	19	116	356	51	145	65	87	237	4,703
Maryland	9,149	2,767	3,226	5,523	2,029	3,161	1,117	3,015	2,227	58,550
Massachusetts	5,079	3,849	7,311	17,618	2,820	6,698	1,463	2,276	6,881	109,707
Michigan	328	496	1,536	7,325	582	1,227	296	610	1,768	45,753
Minnesota	641	513	1,276	2,146	639	1,104	302	541	1,128	28,298
Mississippi	125	460	168	452	96	211	58	139	751	3,710
Missouri	340	299	1,030	1,895	343	623	243	392	751	15,575
Montana	6	7	116	212	47	100	41	87	50	1,767
Nebraska	238	244	305	600	102	326	59	96	229	4,025
Nevada	1,637	1,706	4,981	10,992	2,226	2,084	569	1,629	3,034	44,802
New Hampshire	79	43	305	714	123	371	108	163	381	6,506
New Jersey	5,063	4,547	8,568	12,932	2,696	14,037	9,070	10,701	5,371	106,163
New Mexico	130	213	340	412	223	326	173	172	208	4,739
New York	20,227	11,098	71,762	114,517	19,480	38,831	23,386	19,706	42,286	509,870
North Carolina	2,077	1,261	1,789	3,453	918	2,452	810	1,187	1,971	27,134
North Dakota	13	16	63	142	30	48	10	12	26	1,108
Ohio	340	689	1,524	4,802	742	1,576	557	798	2,652	39,512
Oklahoma	162	458	495	1,196	109	797	268	517	1,745	11,567
Oregon	258	402	615	1,180	525	335	241	334	271	14,711
Pennsylvania	483	907	3,580	5,956	1,650	2,809	884	1,347	3,604	55,398
Rhode Island	144	1,404	301	675	152	631	101	148	367	9,669
South Carolina	190	287	702	1,403	294	1,323	288	255	810	9,143
South Dakota	17	36	33	159	15	32	10	15	19	1,304
Tennessee	652	965	747	2,342	514	686	236	279	948	13,080
Texas	24,735	14,460	12,839	21,143	5,011	16,632	4,694	8,191	21,685	152,599
Utah	577	567	2,047	2,532	991	687	282	1,061	1,028	9,927
Vermont	29	48	196	558	130	149	51	107	416	3,812
Virginia	12,293	3,560	3,508	4,806	1,476	3,420	1,435	4,651	2,981	68,284
Washington	1,163	692	1,616	3,531	1,097	1,354	405	1,031	831	44,122
West Virginia	13	19	88	229	36	129	28	42	154	2,543
Wisconsin	189	349	888	2,056	560	794	241	377	809	17,146
Wyoming	19	19	61	141	52	71	19	43	46	1,199
Guam	2	3	42	284	16	15	4	56	4	22,975
Marshall Islands	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	11
Northern Mariana Islands	-	4	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	3
Puerto Rico	586	1,194	5,936	1,931	1,934	7,200	784	1,723	15,342	32,193
U.S. Virgin Islands	66	27	447	246	131	100	36	39	528	12,197
Unknown	25,834	25,964	75,002	97,296	37,631	48,906	30,850	42,601	59,827	427,526

¹ Excludes the following classes of admission processed in the Nonimmigrant Information System: for all countries — 273,914 parolees; 23,749 withdrawals and stowaways; and 110,573 refugees. ² Includes People's Republic of China and Taiwan. A total of 588,299 nonimmigrant visas were issued to these two countries in fiscal year 2001: 242,547 to Taiwan and 345,752 to People's Republic of China. (SOURCE: U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Visa Office.) ³ Includes unknown country of citizenship. - Represents zero.

**TABLE 43. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION, AGE, AND SEX
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Age and sex	All classes ^{1,2}	Foreign government officials ³	Temporary visitors for business and pleasure ²	Transit aliens ⁴	Treaty traders and investors ³	Students	Spouses and children of students	Temporary workers and trainees ⁵	Spouses and children of temp. workers and trainees ⁵
Total	32,824,088	131,313	29,419,601	456,174	178,534	698,595	43,326	592,994	146,427
Under 5 years	702,691	2,552	626,064	8,317	4,773	1,805	6,530	1,309	16,189
5-9 years	1,025,249	2,957	943,097	6,997	7,641	1,347	5,283	586	18,120
10-14 years	1,252,419	2,799	1,182,560	8,937	6,983	6,049	2,716	894	11,509
15-19 years	1,543,397	2,904	1,345,398	18,121	4,804	94,055	1,178	6,155	6,657
20-24 years	2,567,412	5,872	1,999,997	52,091	2,278	292,415	3,337	48,756	14,046
25-29 years	4,024,307	13,105	3,338,040	84,401	11,237	194,550	11,020	175,814	29,598
30-34 years	4,131,942	17,447	3,560,196	74,100	26,085	69,048	7,688	155,943	21,514
35-39 years	3,682,573	19,636	3,276,959	60,401	31,570	20,545	2,787	90,700	13,192
40-44 years	3,172,596	18,677	2,892,258	49,710	27,602	8,003	1,177	50,406	6,865
45-49 years	2,699,267	16,717	2,509,133	36,614	20,311	3,819	570	29,006	3,801
50-54 years	2,518,031	13,688	2,383,805	24,667	17,753	2,135	364	16,417	2,464
55-59 years	1,937,430	8,451	1,861,184	14,053	10,649	935	208	8,743	1,213
60-64 years	1,483,522	3,803	1,451,035	7,517	4,270	491	133	3,989	464
65 years and over	2,047,188	2,444	2,018,353	9,417	2,417	2,447	269	3,557	566
Unknown age	36,064	261	31,522	831	161	951	66	719	229
Male	17,428,259	95,919	15,330,942	306,840	124,586	381,862	12,499	453,247	33,501
Under 5 years	349,708	1,356	310,350	4,367	2,489	994	3,282	894	8,094
5-9 years	506,554	1,514	464,906	3,585	3,880	742	2,689	361	9,105
10-14 years	619,667	1,455	584,236	4,595	3,449	3,451	1,369	528	5,647
15-19 years	705,329	1,499	607,574	8,907	2,298	50,653	489	3,990	3,166
20-24 years	1,141,885	3,767	850,200	29,535	1,248	154,898	249	34,040	686
25-29 years	2,004,350	8,874	1,603,249	55,395	7,095	108,692	1,058	129,004	977
30-34 years	2,343,219	12,729	1,976,276	52,728	17,556	40,659	1,146	118,387	1,744
35-39 years	2,219,969	15,159	1,937,938	45,202	23,072	11,836	802	71,987	1,599
40-44 years	1,913,421	14,447	1,709,796	38,273	20,850	4,395	521	41,506	998
45-49 years	1,562,897	12,914	1,423,497	27,495	15,553	1,960	339	24,539	567
50-54 years	1,375,797	10,687	1,277,314	18,172	13,380	1,079	215	14,002	388
55-59 years	999,533	6,579	943,282	9,419	8,331	481	116	7,432	223
60-64 years	720,686	2,923	697,121	4,289	3,448	284	73	3,354	92
65 years and over	952,719	1,870	934,730	4,449	1,863	1,354	130	2,790	177
Unknown age	12,525	146	10,473	429	74	384	21	433	38
Female	14,789,003	33,428	13,522,464	142,748	51,574	307,774	30,196	133,435	111,329
Under 5 years	337,546	1,169	301,226	3,866	2,226	776	3,143	389	7,877
5-9 years	496,165	1,401	456,573	3,374	3,667	594	2,506	218	8,792
10-14 years	608,111	1,313	574,481	4,284	3,444	2,495	1,306	352	5,740
15-19 years	812,947	1,368	714,747	9,117	2,459	42,189	672	2,089	3,432
20-24 years	1,386,821	2,032	1,116,861	22,092	1,007	133,991	3,051	14,262	13,236
25-29 years	1,961,622	4,100	1,683,206	27,987	4,045	83,672	9,835	45,293	28,351
30-34 years	1,725,970	4,496	1,527,257	20,304	8,276	27,482	6,433	36,087	19,576
35-39 years	1,403,498	4,243	1,284,676	14,236	8,170	8,385	1,947	17,729	11,455
40-44 years	1,203,777	3,946	1,130,809	10,612	6,414	3,456	631	8,265	5,796
45-49 years	1,084,764	3,510	1,036,907	8,378	4,473	1,769	222	4,107	3,188
50-54 years	1,090,772	2,757	1,057,368	5,939	4,007	1,002	144	2,132	2,043
55-59 years	894,777	1,705	876,137	4,332	2,095	428	87	1,163	968
60-64 years	727,363	812	719,025	3,119	740	191	56	561	360
65 years and over	1,040,524	511	1,030,208	4,869	512	1,032	132	674	375
Unknown age	14,346	65	12,983	239	39	312	31	114	140
Unknown sex	606,826	1,966	566,195	6,586	2,374	8,959	631	6,312	1,597
Percent distribution	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	53.1	73.0	52.1	67.3	69.8	54.7	28.8	76.4	22.9
Female	45.1	25.5	46.0	31.3	28.9	44.1	69.7	22.5	76.0
Unknown	1.8	1.5	1.9	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.1	1.1

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**TABLE 43. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION, AGE, AND SEX
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Age and sex	International representatives ³	Representatives of foreign information media ³	Exchange visitors	Spouses and children of exchange visitors	Fian- ces(ees) of U.S. citizens ⁶	Intra- company transferees	Spouses and children of intra- company transferees	NATO officials ³	North American Free-Trade Agreement workers	Spouses and children of NAFTA workers
Total	94,109	34,488	339,848	49,587	27,121	328,480	144,911	13,805	95,486	21,509
Under 5 years	1,301	303	1,117	7,537	465	722	19,162	664	138	3,108
5-9 years	1,599	365	291	7,078	1,027	393	23,086	695	90	3,624
10-14 years	1,987	314	601	4,721	1,106	268	16,262	674	69	2,823
15-19 years	2,091	241	44,846	2,309	1,366	305	9,348	582	40	1,484
20-24 years	2,220	945	123,926	1,531	5,839	4,519	3,209	801	4,424	510
25-29 years	5,430	4,832	63,658	6,248	7,224	43,898	11,023	1,454	20,521	1,722
30-34 years	10,216	7,680	45,533	8,687	4,638	78,191	18,916	1,845	21,172	2,414
35-39 years	12,067	7,131	24,753	5,449	2,564	75,363	17,655	1,845	17,180	2,247
40-44 years	12,939	4,926	14,165	2,786	1,430	54,662	11,446	1,775	11,979	1,369
45-49 years	14,039	3,262	8,744	1,419	707	33,721	6,805	1,398	8,048	878
50-54 years	13,812	2,218	5,341	737	381	21,619	4,644	1,044	6,105	649
55-59 years	10,266	1,280	2,880	452	152	10,280	2,199	561	3,438	371
60-64 years	4,032	568	1,497	251	59	2,912	612	244	1,416	167
65 years and over	1,995	378	2,024	316	120	1,375	427	212	721	102
Unknown age	115	45	472	66	43	252	117	11	145	41
Male	54,929	24,300	182,362	15,734	6,553	279,985	40,173	8,536	66,296	6,845
Under 5 years	632	173	548	3,817	213	537	9,684	341	92	1,538
5-9 years	754	169	158	3,552	520	241	11,737	353	55	1,741
10-14 years	970	151	315	2,352	520	171	8,133	350	39	1,366
15-19 years	978	115	17,520	1,079	415	175	4,602	278	23	748
20-24 years	858	507	57,255	281	916	3,168	709	411	2,754	92
25-29 years	2,178	2,971	35,901	660	1,529	32,424	461	859	12,762	151
30-34 years	5,042	5,046	29,291	1,383	1,090	63,566	1,181	1,120	13,870	230
35-39 years	6,913	5,245	17,184	1,170	555	66,008	1,253	1,178	12,444	294
40-44 years	7,603	3,772	9,700	663	334	49,216	953	1,244	8,873	206
45-49 years	8,564	2,558	5,875	377	186	30,628	656	988	5,971	181
50-54 years	8,876	1,778	3,600	158	131	20,074	351	748	4,654	147
55-59 years	7,136	1,030	2,173	90	73	9,622	182	398	2,877	61
60-64 years	3,021	467	1,219	57	26	2,756	95	162	1,234	46
65 years and over	1,358	298	1,441	81	40	1,233	146	104	597	37
Unknown age	46	20	182	14	5	166	30	2	51	7
Female	38,034	9,699	154,370	33,207	20,014	44,859	103,504	5,103	28,373	14,346
Under 5 years	654	129	556	3,621	244	176	9,295	317	45	1,518
5-9 years	838	190	129	3,431	493	149	11,137	334	35	1,831
10-14 years	1,010	159	280	2,287	558	94	7,991	321	27	1,404
15-19 years	1,101	121	27,034	1,194	928	128	4,652	299	17	715
20-24 years	1,345	420	65,870	1,239	4,810	1,320	2,478	372	1,644	414
25-29 years	3,198	1,812	27,250	5,535	5,571	11,109	10,486	579	7,623	1,552
30-34 years	5,094	2,538	15,830	7,210	3,445	13,871	17,599	714	7,142	2,170
35-39 years	5,021	1,797	7,247	4,237	1,940	8,566	16,292	650	4,591	1,925
40-44 years	5,169	1,070	4,240	2,075	1,073	4,800	10,413	512	3,013	1,142
45-49 years	5,289	658	2,699	1,008	509	2,657	6,070	389	2,021	686
50-54 years	4,743	402	1,644	566	240	1,232	4,244	283	1,391	491
55-59 years	2,990	229	643	352	74	511	1,994	157	520	305
60-64 years	930	93	246	189	31	113	506	72	160	116
65 years and over	600	68	543	228	76	112	273	102	120	63
Unknown age	52	13	159	35	22	21	74	2	24	14
Unknown sex	1,146	489	3,116	646	554	3,636	1,234	166	817	318
Percent distribution	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	58.4	70.5	53.7	31.7	24.2	85.2	27.7	61.8	69.4	31.8
Female	40.4	28.1	45.4	67.0	73.8	13.7	71.4	37.0	29.7	66.7
Unknown	1.2	1.4	.9	1.3	2.0	1.1	.9	1.2	.9	1.5

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 43. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION, AGE, AND SEX
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of citizenship	Spouses and children of U.S. citizens, immigrant visa pending	Spouses of legal permanent residents, immigrant visa pending	Children of legal permanent residents, immigrant visa pending	Dependent children of spouse or accompanying children, immigrant visa pending	Victims of severe form of trafficking	Spouses, children, parents of victims of severe form of trafficking	Victims of criminal activity	Spouses, children, and parents of victims of criminal activity	Other and unknown
Total	8	2,691	4,540	318	29	16	17	34	127
Under 5 years	-	17	496	114	-	1	-	5	2
5-9 years	-	26	878	66	-	-	-	3	-
10-14 years	-	19	1,043	70	-	-	-	11	4
15-19 years	-	33	1,411	50	5	-	-	11	3
20-24 years	3	158	512	10	9	2	-	2	-
25-29 years	1	487	21	2	10	3	3	1	4
30-34 years	2	565	29	4	3	4	5	1	16
35-39 years	-	479	34	1	-	2	3	-	10
40-44 years	1	367	31	-	-	2	3	-	17
45-49 years	1	234	15	-	1	1	2	-	21
50-54 years	-	156	9	-	-	-	-	-	23
55-59 years	-	83	21	-	-	1	-	-	10
60-64 years	-	43	9	-	-	-	-	-	10
65 years and over	-	18	20	1	1	-	1	-	7
Unknown age	-	6	11	-	-	-	-	-	-
Male	2	551	2,336	147	16	5	4	16	73
Under 5 years	-	8	247	48	-	1	-	2	1
5-9 years	-	8	449	32	-	-	-	3	-
10-14 years	-	9	521	35	-	-	-	4	1
15-19 years	-	15	768	27	1	-	-	6	3
20-24 years	1	17	279	5	7	1	-	1	-
25-29 years	-	94	9	-	5	1	-	-	1
30-34 years	-	152	12	-	1	1	1	-	8
35-39 years	-	108	13	-	-	-	2	-	7
40-44 years	-	54	9	-	-	-	-	-	8
45-49 years	1	33	5	-	1	-	-	-	9
50-54 years	-	25	4	-	-	-	-	-	14
55-59 years	-	13	6	-	-	1	-	-	8
60-64 years	-	7	6	-	-	-	-	-	6
65 years and over	-	5	7	-	1	-	1	-	7
Unknown age	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Female	6	2,108	2,161	168	13	11	10	16	53
Under 5 years	-	9	241	65	-	-	-	3	1
5-9 years	-	17	422	34	-	-	-	-	-
10-14 years	-	9	513	34	-	-	-	6	3
15-19 years	-	17	636	23	4	-	-	5	-
20-24 years	2	138	229	5	2	1	-	-	-
25-29 years	1	389	12	2	5	2	3	1	3
30-34 years	2	406	17	3	2	3	4	1	8
35-39 years	-	365	20	1	-	2	-	-	3
40-44 years	1	307	21	-	-	2	1	-	9
45-49 years	-	199	10	-	-	1	2	-	12
50-54 years	-	131	5	-	-	-	-	-	8
55-59 years	-	70	15	-	-	-	-	-	2
60-64 years	-	36	3	-	-	-	-	-	4
65 years and over	-	13	12	1	-	-	-	-	-
Unknown age	-	2	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unknown sex	-	32	43	3	-	-	3	2	1
Percent distribution	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	25.0	20.5	51.5	46.2	55.2	31.3	23.5	47.1	57.5
Female	75.0	78.3	47.6	52.8	44.8	68.8	58.8	47.1	41.7
Unknown	-	1.2	.9	.9	-	-	17.6	5.9	.8

¹ Excludes the following classes of admission processed in the Nonimmigrant Information System: for all countries — 273,914 parolees; 23,749 withdrawals and stowaways; and 110,573 refugees. ² Includes admissions under the Visa Waiver Program. Data for business and pleasure not available separately due to temporary expiration of the Visa Waiver Program during October 2000. See Nonimmigrant section of text. ³ Includes spouses and unmarried minor (or dependent) children. ⁴ Includes foreign government officials and their spouses and unmarried minor (or dependent) children in transit. ⁵ Excludes workers (and their spouses and children) under the North American Free-Trade Agreement (shown separately). ⁶ Includes minor children of fiances(ees).

NOTE: See Glossary for detailed descriptions of classes of admission. - Represents zero.

**TABLE 44. H-1B BENEFICIARIES BY OCCUPATION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Region and country of birth	Total	Computer-related	Fashion models	Managers and officials n.e.c.	Miscellaneous professional and managerial	Administrative specializations	Architecture, engineering, and surveying	Art	Education
All countries	331,206	191,397	910	12,423	5,662	23,794	40,388	3,425	17,431
Europe	41,316	12,180	509	3,589	1,340	3,981	6,739	827	4,504
Albania	101	18	1	3	4	24	19	-	11
Andorra	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Armenia	255	91	-	10	4	21	40	5	29
Austria	324	74	6	44	7	32	38	8	53
Azerbaijan	64	26	-	3	1	12	9	-	3
Belarus	351	236	5	6	8	14	32	2	17
Belgium	549	99	19	70	21	68	85	5	84
Bosnia-Herzegovina	119	35	-	12	4	8	28	1	11
Bulgaria	1,034	374	4	38	30	127	169	16	81
Croatia	278	84	5	16	7	28	42	2	34
Czech Republic	126	26	3	8	4	16	18	2	21
Czechoslovakia ¹	235	71	19	14	5	27	22	3	27
Denmark	485	122	20	59	16	64	92	12	32
Estonia	83	30	6	6	-	9	7	1	5
Finland	258	40	12	37	6	30	42	3	37
France	4,151	1,023	37	476	190	576	659	60	383
Georgia	120	31	-	8	2	14	12	4	15
Germany	4,205	825	45	446	147	382	724	112	628
Gibraltar	3	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Greece	552	119	2	28	22	52	74	4	111
Hungary	482	142	11	19	11	36	52	9	99
Iceland	63	11	4	8	4	6	10	-	8
Ireland	1,018	291	3	115	38	117	165	19	79
Italy	1,496	280	17	146	57	140	298	34	194
Kazakhstan	122	46	-	4	7	17	14	-	13
Kyrgyzstan	27	10	-	1	1	3	4	-	1
Latvia	102	46	2	4	4	10	10	2	6
Liechtenstein	3	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Lithuania	237	93	12	3	5	25	24	8	20
Luxembourg	21	2	-	2	-	4	4	1	2
Macedonia	86	27	1	6	3	9	16	-	13
Malta	18	2	-	2	-	2	9	-	1
Moldova	105	67	1	4	2	9	10	1	4
Monaco	6	-	-	2	-	-	1	2	-
Netherlands	1,036	219	23	163	51	117	165	22	102
Norway	324	80	14	49	10	31	68	13	10
Poland	976	318	15	29	22	60	166	8	132
Portugal	179	35	2	13	8	23	37	2	33
Romania	1,457	532	5	33	31	65	329	8	155
Russia	4,589	2,367	39	124	81	295	454	27	432
Slovak Republic	218	74	10	10	9	27	23	1	19
Slovenia	48	15	3	3	2	1	4	-	9
Soviet Union ¹	387	203	-	14	7	15	49	2	44
Spain	1,351	185	20	118	47	124	184	34	345
Sweden	1,023	243	45	114	37	158	172	30	64
Switzerland	799	175	12	82	30	81	129	31	79
Tajikistan	13	9	-	-	-	2	1	-	-
Turkmenistan	8	1	-	2	-	1	-	-	2
Ukraine	1,510	884	8	28	24	75	157	11	118
United Kingdom	9,682	2,285	70	1,186	357	964	1,922	309	880
Uzbekistan	125	53	-	8	1	17	16	3	9
Yugoslavia ¹	511	161	8	12	12	41	134	10	48

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**TABLE 44. H-1B BENEFICIARIES BY OCCUPATION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	Computer-related	Fashion models	Managers and officials n.e.c.	Miscellaneous professional and managerial	Administrative specializations	Architecture, engineering, and surveying	Art	Education
Asia	245,442	167,592	50	4,653	2,691	14,073	26,570	1,805	8,243
Afghanistan	17	7	-	-	-	2	-	1	2
Bahrain	40	20	-	1	1	5	4	-	-
Bangladesh	1,749	916	-	30	26	94	400	3	107
Bhutan	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Brunei	9	4	-	-	-	2	1	-	-
Burma	128	37	-	3	2	13	19	-	12
Cambodia	19	6	-	1	-	3	3	-	1
China, People's Republic	27,331	12,009	1	482	473	1,999	4,865	102	2,736
Cyprus	177	49	-	17	3	23	38	3	21
Hong Kong	2,205	756	3	81	64	470	377	77	64
India	161,561	136,646	1	1,729	905	4,078	11,255	159	1,648
Indonesia	2,183	821	1	68	69	469	495	84	42
Iran	1,431	375	-	52	20	94	389	20	129
Iraq	273	50	-	11	4	34	105	4	16
Israel	1,903	619	16	241	56	187	258	53	169
Japan	5,902	699	19	365	330	1,269	692	375	688
Jordan	526	158	-	11	6	48	130	3	57
Korea	6,468	1,360	1	299	149	688	1,609	436	824
Kuwait	256	101	-	5	6	33	63	1	9
Laos	16	7	-	-	-	2	2	-	1
Lebanon	758	228	1	37	23	51	169	15	65
Macau	43	12	-	2	1	8	13	-	-
Malaysia	2,532	916	1	117	57	364	711	57	61
Maldives	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mongolia	35	7	-	1	2	10	3	-	4
Nepal	555	306	-	24	18	50	60	3	31
Oman	13	3	-	-	1	4	2	-	1
Pakistan	6,313	3,694	-	214	66	472	844	11	172
Philippines	10,389	3,563	3	281	95	1,812	1,546	52	507
Qatar	16	7	-	1	-	-	4	-	-
Saudi Arabia	159	64	-	6	5	13	27	-	17
Singapore	1,118	364	2	95	36	160	216	25	69
Sri Lanka	999	461	-	30	23	86	150	4	108
Syria	376	52	-	13	4	14	59	-	24
Taiwan	5,808	1,891	1	191	128	946	1,195	201	366
Thailand	1,367	492	-	65	24	200	312	83	46
Turkey	2,292	634	-	169	82	323	483	27	221
United Arab Emirates	57	34	-	3	2	4	6	-	1
Vietnam	371	205	-	8	9	39	56	5	18
Yemen	44	18	-	-	1	4	9	1	5
Africa	7,936	2,676	33	481	199	991	1,095	74	781
Algeria	186	72	-	12	2	9	40	1	26
Angola	11	3	-	1	1	-	3	1	2
Benin	23	9	-	1	-	1	7	-	1
Botswana	20	3	-	1	-	5	5	2	1
Burkina Faso	7	1	-	-	1	2	-	-	2
Burundi	4	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	1
Cameroon	131	29	-	5	4	11	32	1	18
Cape Verde	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Central African Republic	2	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-

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**TABLE 44. H-1B BENEFICIARIES BY OCCUPATION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	Computer-related	Fashion models	Managers and officials n.e.c.	Miscellaneous professional and managerial	Administrative specializations	Architecture, engineering, and surveying	Art	Education
Chad	6	4	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Comoros	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Congo, Democratic Republic	17	2	-	1	1	3	4	-	-
Congo, Republic	27	7	-	2	2	3	5	-	4
Cote d'Ivoire	59	12	-	-	4	12	9	-	15
Djibouti	6	3	-	2	-	-	1	-	-
Egypt	994	301	1	35	12	99	199	8	87
Eritrea	18	3	-	-	-	5	-	-	6
Ethiopia	141	51	-	1	2	11	23	-	21
Gabon	9	2	-	-	-	1	4	-	-
Gambia, The	19	7	-	1	1	4	1	-	3
Ghana	376	91	1	13	10	64	40	4	65
Guinea-Bissau	20	4	-	1	1	5	3	-	1
Kenya	644	178	2	42	25	105	62	8	69
Lesotho	4	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2
Liberia	32	9	-	-	1	6	5	-	3
Libya	31	15	-	-	-	2	9	-	1
Madagascar	13	3	-	1	-	2	2	-	3
Malawi	29	10	1	1	-	8	3	-	1
Mali	16	7	-	1	-	-	5	-	2
Mauritania	7	4	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
Mauritius	48	20	1	3	1	5	8	2	1
Morocco	348	135	-	25	6	33	43	2	45
Mozambique	27	9	-	2	1	4	3	-	4
Namibia	21	11	-	3	-	1	2	-	1
Niger	233	91	-	9	9	26	19	1	22
Nigeria	829	302	2	22	25	98	74	5	80
Reunion	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Rwanda	4	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	1
Sao Tome and Principe	2	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Senegal	95	23	2	4	7	21	14	-	12
Seychelles	4	3	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	55	8	-	1	4	4	11	-	17
Somalia	19	7	-	1	1	-	6	-	3
South Africa	2,516	961	20	229	54	321	318	31	159
Sudan	81	23	-	3	-	4	25	-	10
Swaziland	4	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Tanzania	145	58	1	9	1	22	18	2	10
Togo	22	8	-	-	1	7	-	-	6
Tunisia	109	36	-	9	2	11	16	1	16
Uganda	116	32	1	11	3	7	15	-	11
Zambia	117	38	-	5	5	16	22	2	8
Zimbabwe	284	74	1	21	9	48	35	3	40
Oceania	3,121	936	33	332	106	363	399	77	338
Australia	2,273	688	26	255	80	275	271	52	251
Cook Islands	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fiji	27	9	-	1	-	5	7	1	1
French Polynesia	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Kiribati	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Zealand	805	233	7	75	26	81	119	24	85
Papua New Guinea	10	4	-	1	-	1	1	-	1
Samoa	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Solomon Islands	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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**TABLE 44. H-1B BENEFICIARIES BY OCCUPATION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	Computer-related	Fashion models	Managers and officials n.e.c.	Miscellaneous professional and managerial	Administrative specializations	Architecture, engineering, and surveying	Art	Education
North America	19,438	5,364	136	1,790	634	2,231	3,234	283	2,367
Canada	12,726	3,844	120	1,275	389	1,295	1,948	141	1,378
Greenland	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Mexico	3,987	969	6	321	120	503	859	79	629
United States	39	26	-	2	-	4	1	-	2
Caribbean	1,741	370	7	107	74	290	249	40	237
Antigua-Barbuda	13	3	-	1	-	1	3	-	-
Aruba	10	3	1	-	1	1	1	-	-
Bahamas, The	126	14	-	5	3	30	24	2	21
Barbados	100	25	1	8	5	17	12	2	15
Bermuda	42	10	-	-	2	10	4	1	7
British Virgin Islands	4	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Cayman Islands	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cuba	46	13	1	2	1	3	12	-	8
Dominican Republic	232	47	1	18	12	33	39	20	17
Grenada	22	7	-	-	-	5	3	-	1
Guadeloupe	3	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Haiti	64	12	-	3	2	19	6	2	4
Jamaica	542	114	2	35	23	97	59	6	84
Martinique	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Montserrat	11	1	-	2	-	1	3	-	2
Netherlands Antilles	17	3	1	3	-	4	2	1	1
St. Kitts-Nevis	24	9	-	2	2	5	4	-	-
St. Lucia	27	8	-	1	2	5	5	-	1
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	23	6	-	2	-	4	5	-	5
Trinidad and Tobago	429	90	-	24	20	55	66	5	70
Central America	943	155	3	85	51	139	176	23	120
Belize	53	8	-	5	-	12	4	1	14
Costa Rica	207	28	-	21	9	30	34	4	38
El Salvador	111	16	-	12	6	17	25	1	11
Guatemala	161	20	1	13	7	24	23	8	13
Honduras	138	24	-	15	12	24	33	1	18
Nicaragua	59	5	-	5	6	9	10	-	9
Panama	214	54	2	14	11	23	47	8	17
South America	13,269	2,372	144	1,526	679	2,099	2,209	349	1,160
Argentina	1,725	252	22	202	95	254	233	59	186
Bolivia	150	17	1	18	7	33	33	2	14
Brazil	2,900	786	89	291	127	396	400	60	181
Chile	469	63	2	67	22	55	68	10	77
Colombia	3,703	488	16	401	199	592	767	117	345
Ecuador	472	79	-	57	22	103	80	11	28
Falkland Islands	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Guyana	141	26	-	14	5	19	18	-	33
Paraguay	50	12	1	5	4	7	5	2	6
Peru	1,039	174	4	121	64	174	138	19	111
Suriname	30	6	-	3	1	6	7	1	1
Uruguay	167	22	3	18	10	24	23	2	29
Venezuela	2,422	447	6	329	123	436	436	66	149
Unknown ²	684	277	5	52	13	56	142	10	38

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 44. H-1B BENEFICIARIES BY OCCUPATION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Entertainment and recreation	Law and jurisprudence	Life sciences	Mathematics and physical sciences	Medicine and health	Museum, library, and archival sciences	Religion and theology	Social sciences	Writing	Unknown
All countries	772	1,614	6,492	5,772	11,334	336	83	6,145	1,888	1,340
Europe	292	452	1,838	1,568	1,458	102	24	1,259	397	257
Albania	-	3	4	2	2	1	-	8	1	-
Andorra	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Armenia	5	4	4	8	16	1	1	6	6	4
Austria	2	9	16	9	11	2	1	10	1	1
Azerbaijan	-	-	4	1	2	-	-	2	1	-
Belarus	-	1	5	15	4	-	-	4	1	1
Belgium	2	9	31	17	16	1	-	16	3	3
Bosnia-Herzegovina	1	1	1	2	11	-	-	1	1	2
Bulgaria	15	9	39	34	36	-	-	49	9	4
Croatia	1	-	12	10	25	2	-	7	3	-
Czech Republic	2	1	7	5	8	1	-	3	1	-
Czechoslovakia ¹	2	1	14	9	11	-	1	7	1	1
Denmark	2	1	15	18	6	-	-	20	5	1
Estonia	-	-	5	4	2	2	-	6	-	-
Finland	2	1	19	5	4	-	1	14	1	4
France	13	61	189	159	57	13	2	192	44	17
Georgia	4	2	4	3	11	-	-	7	3	-
Germany	15	67	240	194	145	18	-	136	47	34
Gibraltar	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Greece	4	3	27	32	45	-	1	22	4	2
Hungary	6	4	14	12	49	1	-	12	2	3
Iceland	-	-	2	4	2	-	-	2	1	1
Ireland	5	15	52	28	32	1	4	31	13	10
Italy	14	24	84	61	46	6	-	67	17	11
Kazakhstan	2	4	4	4	3	-	-	3	-	1
Kyrgyzstan	-	1	2	1	-	-	-	2	-	1
Latvia	2	1	2	2	4	-	1	4	-	2
Liechtenstein	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Lithuania	1	1	11	5	13	1	-	13	2	-
Luxembourg	1	-	3	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
Macedonia	-	1	1	3	2	-	1	1	1	1
Malta	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Moldova	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	2	1	-
Monaco	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Netherlands	4	9	51	39	27	2	-	28	8	6
Norway	2	4	5	6	11	-	-	8	4	9
Poland	10	6	48	34	86	1	-	21	11	9
Portugal	-	3	9	1	3	-	-	8	1	1
Romania	8	7	20	48	174	1	-	27	7	7
Russia	42	26	198	241	102	5	-	110	26	20
Slovak Republic	1	1	11	13	10	-	1	6	1	1
Slovenia	-	-	5	4	-	-	-	2	-	-
Soviet Union ¹	3	2	11	16	9	-	-	9	-	3
Spain	9	17	89	29	41	2	1	64	29	13
Sweden	6	12	27	38	20	-	1	39	12	5
Switzerland	4	22	68	34	16	2	-	24	4	6
Tajikistan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Turkmenistan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
Ukraine	13	10	46	59	30	2	-	29	10	6
United Kingdom	83	104	417	342	330	36	7	215	111	64
Uzbekistan	-	2	1	4	4	-	-	6	1	-
Yugoslavia ¹	6	3	20	11	26	1	1	12	2	3

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**TABLE 44. H-1B BENEFICIARIES BY OCCUPATION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Entertainment and recreation	Law and jurisprudence	Life sciences	Mathematics and physical sciences	Medicine and health	Museum, library, and archival sciences	Religion and theology	Social sciences	Writing	Unknown
Asia	270	529	3,589	3,212	7,234	134	34	3,180	949	634
Afghanistan	-	1	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-
Bahrain	-	-	-	2	3	-	-	4	-	-
Bangladesh	1	8	27	29	76	-	-	27	1	4
Bhutan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brunei	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burma	-	-	5	2	28	-	-	5	-	2
Cambodia	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	2	-
China, People's Republic	37	95	1,739	1,457	624	29	3	516	102	62
Cyprus	1	2	3	4	4	-	-	8	-	1
Hong Kong	8	7	38	55	90	5	1	76	23	10
India	52	81	683	705	2,305	19	5	827	146	317
Indonesia	3	1	17	29	15	2	-	56	2	9
Iran	-	9	43	36	224	2	1	24	5	8
Iraq	-	-	4	7	30	-	-	3	3	2
Israel	13	49	48	40	70	3	1	62	4	14
Japan	64	67	310	94	147	27	3	386	333	34
Jordan	-	2	10	13	73	-	-	11	-	4
Korea	34	59	221	204	201	18	5	224	107	29
Kuwait	-	1	4	3	22	-	-	8	-	-
Laos	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	2	-
Lebanon	1	4	10	9	121	1	1	14	2	6
Macau	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	2	1	-
Malaysia	11	13	36	39	50	3	-	69	7	20
Maldives	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Mongolia	-	-	1	-	3	1	-	2	1	-
Nepal	-	3	15	6	22	-	-	13	2	2
Oman	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
Pakistan	2	17	34	52	591	6	-	100	18	20
Philippines	7	38	63	72	2,016	4	6	225	51	48
Qatar	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-
Saudi Arabia	-	3	1	1	18	-	-	4	-	-
Singapore	7	20	16	20	19	2	-	47	18	2
Sri Lanka	1	3	29	31	53	-	2	15	1	2
Syria	1	-	7	6	189	-	2	2	3	-
Taiwan	23	26	163	186	123	8	3	236	100	21
Thailand	2	2	14	26	33	1	-	57	3	7
Turkey	2	16	38	73	60	2	1	143	8	10
United Arab Emirates	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	3	1	-
Vietnam	-	2	5	7	8	-	-	7	2	-
Yemen	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	1	1	-
Africa	11	82	168	174	850	15	4	212	37	53
Algeria	-	-	3	9	5	-	-	3	2	2
Angola	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Benin	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-
Botswana	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-
Burkina Faso	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Burundi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cameroon	-	1	5	3	11	-	-	9	1	1
Cape Verde	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Central African Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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**TABLE 44. H-1B BENEFICIARIES BY OCCUPATION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Entertainment and recreation	Law and jurisprudence	Life sciences	Mathematics and physical sciences	Medicine and health	Museum, library, and archival sciences	Religion and theology	Social sciences	Writing	Unknown
Chad	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Comoros	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	-	-	1	-	3	-	-	2	-	-
Congo, Republic	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-
Cote d'Ivoire	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	3	-	-
Djibouti	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Egypt	-	4	10	21	186	2	-	18	4	7
Eritrea	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-
Ethiopia	-	1	5	8	10	-	-	5	3	-
Gabon	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Gambia, The	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Ghana	1	2	8	10	51	1	1	13	-	1
Guinea-Bissau	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	2	-
Kenya	3	14	20	20	56	-	-	36	3	1
Lesotho	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Liberia	-	-	-	-	5	-	1	-	1	1
Libya	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-
Madagascar	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Malawi	-	-	3	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Mali	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Mauritania	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mauritius	-	-	2	3	1	-	-	1	-	-
Morocco	-	3	15	10	16	1	-	10	1	3
Mozambique	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	1	-
Namibia	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	1
Niger	1	4	1	6	38	1	-	4	-	1
Nigeria	-	14	18	17	154	-	1	12	2	3
Reunion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rwanda	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sao Tome and Principe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senegal	-	-	-	3	3	1	-	4	1	-
Seychelles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	-	-	-	-	4	1	-	3	1	1
Somalia	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
South Africa	6	28	41	36	215	8	1	50	12	26
Sudan	-	-	4	3	7	-	-	1	1	-
Swaziland	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Tanzania	-	1	4	3	11	-	-	5	-	-
Togo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tunisia	-	1	4	5	2	-	-	5	-	1
Uganda	-	2	5	4	19	-	-	4	1	1
Zambia	-	2	3	3	6	-	-	6	-	1
Zimbabwe	-	3	14	4	20	-	-	9	1	2
Oceania	20	91	106	80	121	10	2	76	19	12
Australia	12	66	75	57	81	5	1	52	17	9
Cook Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fiji	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
French Polynesia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Kiribati	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Zealand	8	25	29	22	37	5	1	23	2	3
Papua New Guinea	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Samoa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Solomon Islands	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-

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**TABLE 44. H-1B BENEFICIARIES BY OCCUPATION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Entertainment and recreation	Law and jurisprudence	Life sciences	Mathematics and physical sciences	Medicine and health	Museum, library, and archival sciences	Religion and theology	Social sciences	Writing	Unknown
North America	86	220	471	534	1,066	54	12	580	239	137
Canada	57	156	333	395	781	44	5	344	163	58
Greenland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mexico	16	29	82	68	76	4	3	123	59	41
United States	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-
Caribbean	10	16	35	53	153	5	3	60	9	23
Antigua-Barbuda	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	1	-	-
Aruba	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	1
Bahamas, The	3	3	1	5	10	-	-	4	1	-
Barbados	1	-	1	2	10	-	-	-	-	1
Bermuda	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	3	-	1
British Virgin Islands	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cayman Islands	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Cuba	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Dominican Republic	2	1	3	3	21	1	-	7	3	4
Grenada	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	1
Guadeloupe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Haiti	-	-	2	-	11	-	1	2	-	-
Jamaica	2	5	13	20	40	3	1	25	4	9
Martinique	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montserrat	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
St. Lucia	1	1	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	1	6	9	19	40	1	1	16	1	5
Central America	3	19	21	17	53	1	1	53	8	15
Belize	-	1	3	4	-	-	-	1	-	-
Costa Rica	1	3	7	4	7	-	-	17	2	2
El Salvador	-	4	2	1	7	-	-	5	1	3
Guatemala	-	2	2	3	22	-	-	16	4	3
Honduras	-	-	4	1	2	-	1	2	-	1
Nicaragua	-	2	-	2	4	1	-	5	-	1
Panama	2	7	3	2	11	-	-	7	1	5
South America	92	229	307	188	580	20	6	824	245	240
Argentina	16	45	67	40	75	5	4	106	43	21
Bolivia	-	1	3	1	6	-	-	11	1	2
Brazil	29	63	59	47	72	5	1	207	55	32
Chile	-	5	25	4	20	1	-	26	14	10
Colombia	21	42	80	43	219	2	-	210	73	88
Ecuador	-	4	13	8	11	-	-	43	6	7
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guyana	-	-	2	4	10	-	-	6	1	3
Paraguay	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	4	1	1
Peru	6	11	23	16	82	2	1	66	8	19
Suriname	-	-	2	-	3	-	-	-	-	-
Uruguay	1	2	9	3	7	1	-	8	4	1
Venezuela	19	56	24	21	74	4	-	137	39	56
Unknown ²	1	11	13	16	25	1	1	14	2	7

¹ Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics.

² Includes one stateless beneficiary with an occupation in museum, library, and archival sciences.

Note: n.e.c. represents not elsewhere classified.

- Represents zero.

V. NATURALIZATIONS

This section presents information on the number and characteristics of persons who naturalize in the United States.

Naturalization refers to the conferring of U.S. citizenship, by any means, upon a person after birth. (See Appendix 2, p. A.2-8.) There are five ways of becoming a U.S. citizen: naturalization in a court ceremony; naturalization through an administrative hearing; derivation through the naturalization of parents; acquisition at birth abroad to citizen parents; and legislation conferring citizenship upon certain groups of persons (see Limitations of Data). As part of the naturalization process, applicants pledge an oath of allegiance to the United States, thereby renouncing allegiance to their former countries of nationality.

U.S. Naturalization Program

To naturalize, an immigrant must fulfill certain requirements set forth in the Immigration and Nationality Act concerning age, lawful admission, and residence in the United States. These general naturalization provisions specify that an alien must: be at least 18 years of age; have been lawfully admitted to the United States for permanent residence; and have resided in the country continuously for at least 5 years. Additional requirements include the ability to speak, read, and write the English language; knowledge of the U.S. government and U.S. history; and good moral character. In fiscal year 2001, immigrants naturalizing under the general provisions accounted for 92 percent of those for whom the nationality law provision was reported (Table 46). (Provision of the law was not reported for 5 percent of naturalizations.)

The special provisions of naturalization law exempt aliens from one or more of the requirements of the general provisions. Spouses and children of U.S. citizens and military classes constitute the main categories of special naturalization. The majority of people naturalizing as spouses of U.S. citizens may do so in 3 years rather than the 5 years prescribed under the general provisions. Of all new citizens in 2001 with naturalization law provision reported, 8 percent naturalized under the special provisions

(Table 46). Children who immigrate with their parents generally do not apply to naturalize, but derive U.S. citizenship through the naturalization of their parents. Children adopted by U.S. citizens are eligible for administrative naturalization by the INS. These children may be naturalized in court ceremonies prior to reaching age 18—there are no residency requirements. Under certain conditions, aliens who served honorably during war time and other conflicts may naturalize without prior admission to permanent resident status. Also, they need not have resided in the United States for a particular length of time. Aliens with lawful permanent resident status who have served honorably in the Armed Forces of the United States also are entitled to certain exemptions from the general naturalization requirements.

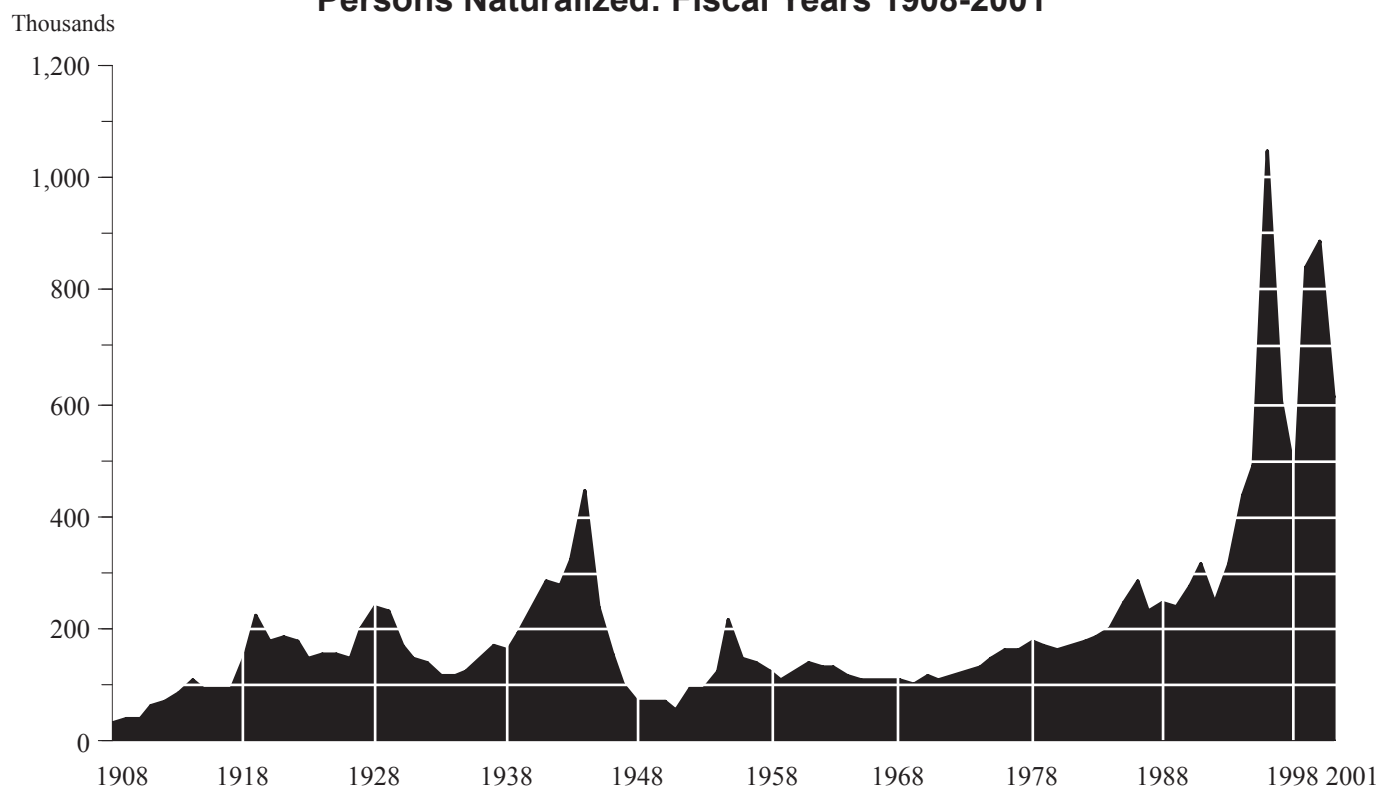
Every applicant for naturalization (age 18 and over) must file an application, Form N-400, *Application for Naturalization*. All aliens filing these applications who meet the preliminary documentary requirements must be interviewed by INS officers to determine their eligibility to naturalize. During the interview the officer discerns the applicant's knowledge and understanding of the English language, as well as of the history and government of the United States. Recently, applicants have been allowed to take standardized tests that are used to determine knowledge and reading and writing capabilities. Those applicants found qualified are scheduled for an oath ceremony before a judge or district director.

More than 608,000 people were naturalized during 2001.

Data Overview

The INS naturalized 608,205 persons in fiscal year 2001. This figure was less than the number of naturalizations in

Chart K
Persons Naturalized: Fiscal Years 1908-2001



Source: 1961-2001, Table 45; 1908-60, previous *Yearbooks*.

2000 (888,788) and 1999 (839,944) but greater than the number in 1998 (463,060) and 1997 (598,225). These fluctuations are due primarily to an application backlog and related workflow issues since the number of applications submitted for naturalization declined from 1997 to 2001. Because the impact of the backlog with respect to the annual number of naturalizations and demographic composition of new citizens cannot be determined with certainty, caution should be exercised in drawing conclusions from the data.

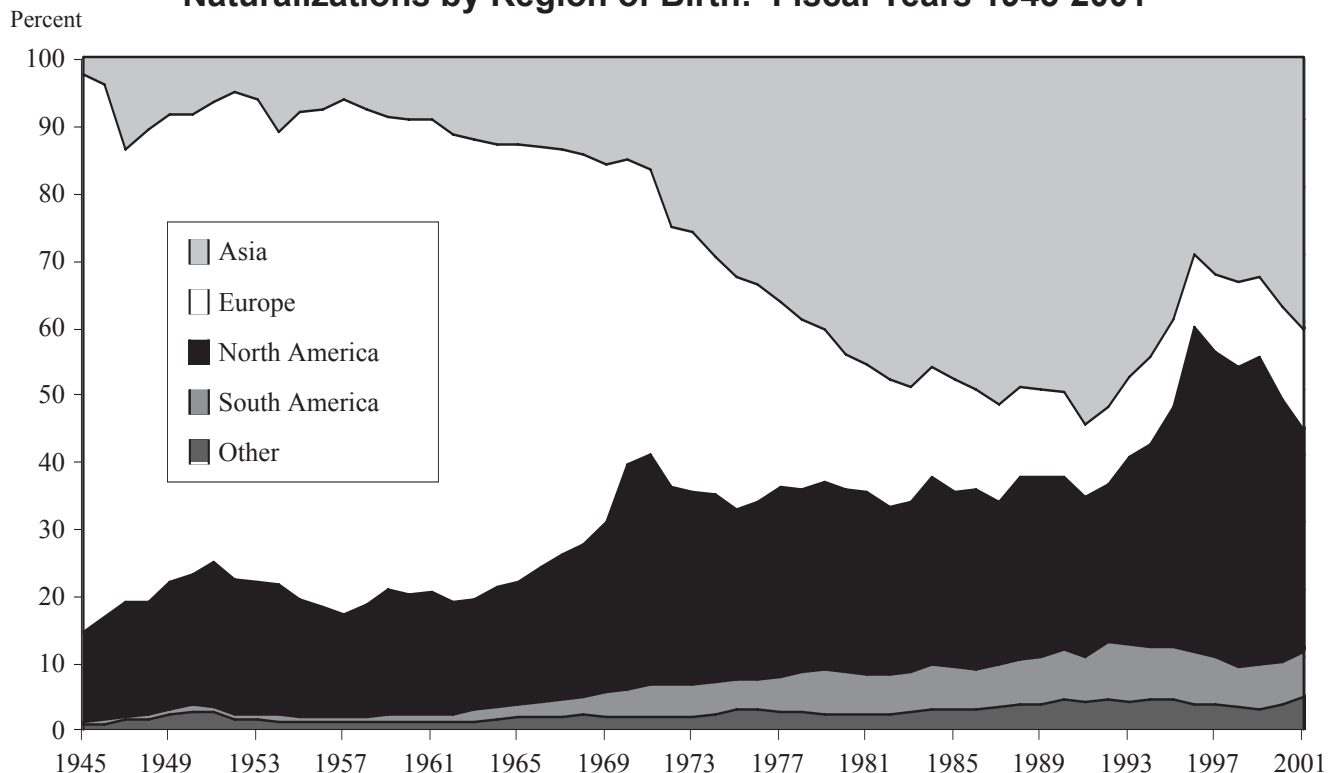
Between 1908 and 1990, the number of persons naturalizing each year exceeded 300,000 only twice, in 1943 and 1944, during World War II (Chart K and Table 45). Since 1990, naturalizations have exceeded 300,000 in every year except 1992. Naturalizations rose sharply during the 1990s due to several factors. A mandatory Green Card Replacement program put into effect in 1992 led some permanent residents to naturalize who otherwise might not have done so. In 1994, the first of the 2.7 million illegal aliens who were granted legal permanent residence under the provisions of the Immigration Reform and Control Act (IRCA) of 1986 became eligible to

naturalize. Also during the mid 1990s, an unknown number of immigrants naturalized in response to legislative efforts restricting public benefits for the noncitizen population, including Proposition 187 in California (1994), the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Act (1996), and the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act (IIRIRA, 1996).

Region and country of birth (Tables 49; 52-56)

Until the 1970s, the majority of persons naturalizing were born in Europe because the country quotas in immigration law favored those countries (Chart L). Once the quotas ended with the INA amendments in 1965, the regional origin of persons immigrating and naturalizing shifted from European to Asian countries. Asian immigrants also had historically higher naturalization rates than other immigrants. Between 1976 and 1995, Asia was the leading region of birth among persons naturalizing. Increased legal immigration from North American countries, especially due to IRCA, reduced Asia's share of naturalizations. In 1996, 49 percent of persons becoming U.S. citizens were born in North American countries compared to 29 percent in Asian countries. Between 1997 and 2001, North

Chart L
Naturalizations by Region of Birth: Fiscal Years 1945-2001



Source: 1992-2001, Table 48; 1945-91, previous *Yearbooks*.

America's share of naturalizations declined. By 2001, Asia was the leading region of birth of persons naturalizing. Forty-one percent of persons naturalized in 2001 were born in Asian countries compared to 33 percent from North American countries.

Mexico was the leading country of birth of persons naturalizing in 2001. However, the number of new Mexican-born citizens decreased to 103,234 (17 percent of the total) in 2001 from 189,705 (21 percent of the total) in 2000 as the number of IRCA legalized aliens naturalizing declined (see the Immigration Reform and Control Act section below). Other major countries of birth for persons naturalizing in 2001 were Vietnam (41,596), the Philippines (35,431), the People's Republic of China (34,423), India (34,311), Korea (18,053), the Dominican Republic (15,010), Jamaica (13,978), Iran (13,881), and El Salvador (13,663). These ten sending countries (including Mexico) represented 53 percent of new citizens in 2001.

State and metropolitan area of residence
(Tables 51-53)

California was the residence of 203,415 or 33 percent of persons naturalizing in 2001 followed by New York with

99,022, or 16 percent. Other top states of residence included Florida, Texas, Illinois, and New Jersey. These six states were home to 75 percent of new citizens in 2001. They were the same top destination states for legal immigrants in 2001.

Ten metropolitan areas accounted for the residence of 52 percent of persons naturalizing in 2001. These areas included New York, NY (85,377), Los Angeles, CA (77,331), Chicago, IL (30,087), Houston, TX (21,102), Miami, FL (20,587), Orange County, CA (19,940), Oakland, CA (19,247), San Jose, CA (15,884), San Diego, CA (14,252), and San Francisco, CA (13,462).

Immigration Reform and Control Act (IRCA)

Aliens legalized under IRCA accounted for 74,869 naturalizations, or 12 percent of all naturalized citizens in fiscal year 2001. The annual number of naturalizations among IRCA legalized aliens peaked in 1996 (227,905). Of all IRCA legalized aliens who naturalized in 2001, 68 percent were born in Mexico. By the end of 2001, 889,033 or 33 percent of the total 2.7 million IRCA legalized aliens had naturalized.

Table M
Median Years of Residence by Year of Naturalization and Region of Birth:
Selected Fiscal Years 1965-2001

Region of birth	2001	2000	1995	1990	1985	1980	1975	1970	1965
Persons naturalized	9	10	9	8	8	8	7	8	7
Africa	10	8	6	7	7	7	6	6	6
Asia	8	8	7	7	7	7	6	6	6
Europe	7	8	9	10	9	10	8	9	7
North America	11	11	14	11	13	11	9	7	9
Oceania	10	11	11	10	8	8	7	9	8
South America	9	10	10	9	8	9	10	7	7

Years in immigrant status

The median number of years of residence between the date of legal permanent residence and the date of naturalization was 9 years among aliens who naturalized in 2001. European immigrants spent the least time in immigrant status (7 years), followed by immigrants from Asia (8 years), South America (9 years), Africa and Oceania (10 years), and North America (11 years) (Table M).

Understanding the Data

Data Collection

The INS compiles two types of data on naturalizations: workload statistics and demographic statistics on the characteristics of persons who naturalize. Workload data include the number of naturalization applications received, the number of petitions filed, and the number of aliens approved for naturalization during a fiscal year.

Demographic data come from the naturalization application and include: date and country of birth, gender, marital status, state and metropolitan area of residence, occupation, date of admission for permanent residence, and section of naturalization law. These data are obtained from either an automated case-tracking system in operation in the larger INS offices, manually coded records from the smaller offices, and, if not otherwise available, from the Central Index System (CIS) of INS.

Limitations of Data

Data on naturalization shown in the *INS Statistical Yearbook* are obtained from information reported on Form N-400, the application for naturalization for persons ages 18

and over. Beginning in 2001, persons ages 17 and under are excluded from *Yearbook* tables since nearly all the data for persons in this age group come from applications for certificates of citizenship. The N-600 form is used to provide evidence of citizenship for children under age 18 who derive or acquire citizenship through their parents. The N-643 form is used for adopted children. Most N-600 records were excluded beginning in 1998.

Aliens who become U.S. citizens through the legislative process also are not covered in the naturalization data collected by the INS. A recent example of the legislative procedure occurred upon the dissolution of the Trust Territory of the Pacific through which the Northern Mariana Islands became a commonwealth of the United States, making its residents U.S. citizens.

The 2001 naturalization data do not necessarily reflect the demand to naturalize because of the backlog of applications pending a decision. The demographic characteristics of aliens whose cases were in the backlog are unknown.

In addition, the number of cases with missing data has increased since 1995. This is largely because the Central Index System (CIS), the source of data for approximately 5 percent of naturalization records in 2001 (a higher percentage in earlier years), does not maintain information on state and metropolitan area of intended residence, marital status, occupation, provision of naturalization law, country of former allegiance, and, in some instances, gender. Cases with information supplied by the CIS come from areas where INS offices use manual coding systems, that is, primarily states and metropolitan areas with low concentrations of immigrants.

**TABLE 45. PETITIONS FOR NATURALIZATIONS FILED, PERSONS NATURALIZED,
AND PETITIONS FOR NATURALIZATIONS DENIED
FISCAL YEARS 1907-2001**

Year	Petitions filed ¹	Persons naturalized				Petitions denied
		Total	Civilian	Military	Not reported	
1907-2001	21,235,909	18,736,730	17,571,183	672,906	492,641	2,186,876
1907-10	164,036	111,738	111,738	-	-	17,702
1911-20	1,381,384	1,128,972	884,672	244,300	-	118,725
1921-30	1,884,277	1,773,185	1,716,979	56,206	-	165,493
1931-40	1,637,113	1,518,464	1,498,573	19,891	-	45,792
1941-50	1,938,066	1,987,028	1,837,229	149,799	-	64,814
1951-60	1,230,483	1,189,946	1,148,241	41,705	-	27,569
1961-70	1,142,985	1,120,263	1,084,195	36,068	-	23,557
1961	138,718	132,450	130,731	1,719	-	3,175
1962	129,682	127,307	124,972	2,335	-	3,557
1963	121,170	124,178	121,618	2,560	-	2,436
1964	113,218	112,234	109,629	2,605	-	2,309
1965	106,813	104,299	101,214	3,085	-	2,059
1966	104,853	103,059	100,498	2,561	-	2,029
1967	108,369	104,902	102,211	2,691	-	2,008
1968	103,085	102,726	100,288	2,438	-	1,962
1969	102,317	98,709	93,251	5,458	-	2,043
1970	114,760	110,399	99,783	10,616	-	1,979
1971-80	1,556,307	1,464,772	1,397,846	66,926	-	27,978
1971	109,897	108,407	98,858	9,549	-	2,028
1972	121,883	116,215	107,740	8,475	-	1,837
1973	126,929	120,740	112,944	7,796	-	1,708
1974	136,175	131,655	124,807	6,848	-	2,210
1975	149,399	141,537	135,323	6,214	-	2,300
1976	157,932	142,504	136,873	5,631	-	2,231
1976, TQ	41,220	48,218	46,705	1,513	-	568
1977	186,354	159,873	154,568	5,305	-	2,845
1978	168,854	173,535	168,409	5,126	-	3,894
1979	165,434	164,150	158,276	5,874	-	3,987
1980	192,230	157,938	153,343	4,595	-	4,370
1981-90	2,375,727	2,214,265	2,155,519	28,317	30,429	47,224
1981	171,073	166,317	162,227	4,090	-	4,316
1982	201,507	173,688	170,071	3,617	-	3,994
1983	187,719	178,948	175,678	3,196	74	3,160
1984	286,440	197,023	192,113	2,965	1,945	3,373
1985	305,981	244,717	238,394	3,266	3,057	3,610
1986	290,732	280,623	275,352	2,901	2,370	5,980
1987	232,988	227,008	224,100	2,402	506	6,771
1988	237,752	242,063	239,541	2,296	226	4,304
1989	227,692	233,777	231,198	1,954	625	5,200
1990	233,843	270,101	246,845	1,630	21,626	6,516
1991-2000	7,423,885	5,619,892	5,159,520	28,945	431,427	1,429,696
1991	206,668	308,058	299,373	1,804	6,881	6,268
1992	342,269	240,252	222,519	5,702	12,031	19,293
1993	522,298	314,681	303,211	7,069	4,401	39,931
1994	543,353	434,107	402,050	6,194	25,863	40,561
1995	959,963	488,088	474,169	3,862	10,057	46,067
1996	1,277,403	1,044,689	926,481	1,261	116,947	229,842
1997	1,412,712	598,225	534,756	538	62,931	130,676
1998	932,957	463,060	439,416	964	22,680	137,395
1999	765,346	839,944	742,749	712	96,483	379,993
2000	460,916	888,788	814,796	839	73,153	399,670
2001	501,646	608,205	576,671	749	30,785	218,326

¹ The numbers of petitions filed do not include the estimates of applications where the fee has not been received or the application has not been entered into automated processing systems.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 46. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY GENERAL AND SPECIAL NATURALIZATION PROVISIONS
FISCAL YEARS 1996-2001**

Naturalization provisions	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Total naturalized	1,044,689	598,225	463,060	839,944	888,788	608,205
General provisions	890,949	513,139	424,018	712,624	768,043	533,536
Special provisions	36,793	22,155	16,362	30,837	47,592	43,884
Persons married to U.S. citizens	28,501	21,139	15,112	29,889	45,781	43,039
Children, including adopted children, of U.S. citizen parents	6,948	439	95	18	775	3
Military	1,261	538	964	712	839	749
Persons who served in the U.S. armed forces for 3 years	633	358	357	295	416	496
Persons who served in the U.S. armed forces during World War I, World War II, the Korean hostilities, the Vietnam hostilities, or the Grenada campaign	427	159	96	76	221	81
Lodge Act enlistees	1	-	-	-	2	-
Persons honorably discharged from the U.S. armed forces following service in World War II	-	2	-	1	3	3
Natives of the Philippines who served honorably in the Philippine Army during World War II	200	19	511	340	197	169
Other	83	39	191	218	197	93
Surviving spouses of citizen members of the armed forces of the United States	1	1	-	3	-	1
Employees of nonprofit organizations engaged in disseminating information promoting U.S. interests	-	1	-	1	1	-
Persons who served on certain U.S. vessels	21	10	16	72	88	17
Nationals but not citizens of the United States Philippine citizens who entered the United States prior to May 1, 1934, and have resided continuously in the United States	20	3	77	86	77	63
Certain inhabitants of the Virgin Islands who renounced Danish citizenship	-	-	-	-	-	-
Former U.S. citizens who lost citizenship by marriage	22	20	93	50	16	4
Former U.S. citizens who lost citizenship by entering the armed forces of foreign countries during World War II	1	1	-	-	3	-
Persons naturalized under private law	3	3	2	2	1	-
Persons who perform ministerial or priestly functions of a religious order in the United States	15	-	2	3	9	8
Not reported	116,947	62,931	22,680	96,483	73,153	30,785

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 47. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY SELECTED NATURALIZATION PROVISIONS
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF FORMER ALLEGIANCE
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Region and country of former allegiance	Total naturalized	General provisions	Special provisions					Not reported
			Total	Married to U.S. citizens	Children of U.S. parents	Military	Other	
All countries	608,205	533,536	43,884	43,039	3	749	93	30,785
Europe	89,667	83,655	5,425	5,381	-	39	5	587
Albania	1,014	909	97	96	-	1	-	8
Andorra	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Armenia	2,757	2,633	118	116	-	-	2	6
Austria	274	258	16	16	-	-	-	-
Azerbaijan	700	685	14	14	-	-	-	1
Belarus	1,977	1,926	47	47	-	-	-	4
Belgium	266	244	20	20	-	-	-	2
Bosnia-Herzegovina	2,875	2,824	36	35	-	1	-	15
Bulgaria	1,122	976	136	134	-	2	-	10
Croatia	530	486	44	44	-	-	-	-
Czech Republic	61	55	6	6	-	-	-	-
Czechoslovakia ¹	318	278	36	36	-	-	-	4
Denmark	219	204	14	14	-	-	-	1
Estonia	96	85	10	10	-	-	-	1
Finland	109	106	3	3	-	-	-	-
France	1,983	1,696	273	271	-	2	-	14
Georgia	389	369	18	18	-	-	-	2
Germany	2,836	2,633	178	169	-	9	-	25
Greece	1,506	1,359	139	138	-	1	-	8
Hungary	747	624	110	108	-	2	-	13
Iceland	39	39	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ireland	4,403	4,304	82	79	-	3	-	17
Italy	2,833	2,636	184	183	-	1	-	13
Kazakhstan	397	367	27	26	-	1	-	3
Kyrgyzstan	85	68	16	16	-	-	-	1
Latvia	355	338	17	17	-	-	-	-
Liechtenstein	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lithuania	399	336	61	61	-	-	-	2
Luxembourg	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Macedonia	407	335	69	69	-	-	-	3
Malta	55	51	2	2	-	-	-	2
Moldova	1,022	996	23	23	-	-	-	3
Netherlands	644	590	47	46	-	1	-	7
Norway	139	126	12	12	-	-	-	1
Poland	11,041	10,294	675	674	-	1	-	72
Portugal	2,768	2,666	80	79	-	1	-	22
Romania	3,294	2,793	457	454	-	3	-	44
Russia	10,266	9,510	692	690	-	2	-	64
Slovak Republic	301	248	51	50	-	1	-	2
Slovenia	38	33	5	5	-	-	-	-
Soviet Union ¹	2,012	1,865	60	60	-	-	-	87
Spain	674	595	70	70	-	-	-	9
Sweden	382	349	29	28	-	1	-	4
Switzerland	530	454	73	72	-	-	1	3
Tajikistan	404	399	3	3	-	-	-	2
Turkmenistan	32	31	1	1	-	-	-	-
Ukraine	11,785	11,374	383	383	-	-	-	28
United Kingdom	11,306	10,482	760	752	-	6	2	64
Uzbekistan	2,549	2,507	37	37	-	-	-	5
Yugoslavia ¹	1,720	1,511	194	194	-	-	-	15
Asia	236,037	210,994	21,369	21,000	1	359	9	3,674
Afghanistan	1,874	1,657	183	182	-	-	1	34
Bahrain	10	9	1	1	-	-	-	-
Bangladesh	4,303	3,580	702	699	-	3	-	21

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 47. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY SELECTED NATURALIZATION PROVISIONS
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF FORMER ALLEGIANCE
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of former allegiance	Total naturalized	General provisions	Special provisions					Not reported
			Total	Married to U.S. citizens	Children of U.S. parents	Military	Other	
Bhutan	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brunei	4	3	1	1	-	-	-	-
Burma	842	733	104	103	-	1	-	5
Cambodia	3,506	3,186	273	272	-	1	-	47
China, People's Republic	32,853	30,100	2,540	2,532	-	6	2	213
Cyprus	152	124	27	27	-	-	-	1
Hong Kong	2,640	2,403	224	223	-	1	-	13
India	32,378	29,276	2,941	2,934	-	7	-	161
Indonesia	1,077	938	134	134	-	-	-	5
Iran	13,151	12,202	862	861	-	1	-	87
Iraq	3,283	3,047	213	213	-	-	-	23
Israel	3,443	2,996	424	424	-	-	-	23
Japan	2,219	2,074	131	131	-	-	-	14
Jordan	3,698	2,664	1,004	1,003	-	1	-	30
Korea	17,368	16,469	775	759	-	15	1	124
Kuwait	129	98	27	27	-	-	-	4
Laos	6,321	4,777	41	39	-	1	1	1,503
Lebanon	3,486	2,822	637	637	-	-	-	27
Malaysia	940	810	123	123	-	-	-	7
Maldives	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Mongolia	3	1	2	2	-	-	-	-
Nepal	202	170	28	28	-	-	-	4
Pakistan	8,404	6,869	1,454	1,454	-	-	-	81
Philippines	33,925	27,988	5,315	4,997	1	315	2	622
Qatar	7	4	2	2	-	-	-	1
Saudi Arabia	73	54	17	17	-	-	-	2
Singapore	267	227	37	37	-	-	-	3
Sri Lanka	781	701	76	76	-	-	-	4
Syria	1,924	1,517	390	390	-	-	-	17
Taiwan	9,965	9,067	833	829	-	3	1	65
Thailand	3,661	3,368	258	258	-	-	-	35
Turkey	1,619	1,339	260	259	-	1	-	20
United Arab Emirates.....	13	11	2	2	-	-	-	-
Vietnam	40,744	39,023	1,243	1,239	-	3	1	478
Yemen	769	685	84	84	-	-	-	-
Africa	22,016	18,477	3,136	3,074	-	61	1	403
Algeria	409	304	101	101	-	-	-	4
Angola	28	25	2	2	-	-	-	1
Benin	21	16	4	4	-	-	-	1
Botswana	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burkina Faso	10	7	3	3	-	-	-	-
Burundi	13	9	4	4	-	-	-	-
Cameroon	281	218	56	54	-	2	-	7
Cape Verde	575	522	49	49	-	-	-	4
Central African Republic	3	2	1	1	-	-	-	-
Chad	9	7	2	2	-	-	-	-
Comoros	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Congo, Democratic Republic	95	80	12	12	-	-	-	3
Congo, Republic	91	77	13	13	-	-	-	1
Cote d'Ivoire	146	97	46	46	-	-	-	3
Djibouti	6	4	2	2	-	-	-	-
Egypt	3,559	2,882	641	638	-	2	1	36
Eritrea	764	685	75	75	-	-	-	4
Ethiopia	2,596	2,369	174	169	-	5	-	53
Gabon	5	4	1	1	-	-	-	-
Gambia, The	71	60	10	10	-	-	-	1
Ghana	1,727	1,450	217	199	-	18	-	60

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**TABLE 47. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY SELECTED NATURALIZATION PROVISIONS
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF FORMER ALLEGIANCE
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of former allegiance	Total naturalized	General provisions	Special provisions					Not reported
			Total	Married to U.S. citizens	Children of U.S. parents	Military	Other	
Guinea	66	48	17	16	-	1	-	1
Guinea-Bissau	4	2	2	2	-	-	-	-
Kenya	474	407	61	60	-	1	-	6
Lesotho	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liberia	703	611	52	49	-	3	-	40
Libya	97	74	23	23	-	-	-	-
Madagascar	17	14	2	2	-	-	-	1
Malawi	21	17	4	4	-	-	-	-
Mali	43	34	9	9	-	-	-	-
Mauritania	16	14	1	1	-	-	-	1
Mauritius	39	33	6	6	-	-	-	-
Morocco	1,035	703	315	311	-	4	-	17
Mozambique	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	1
Namibia	6	5	-	-	-	-	-	1
Niger	72	55	14	12	-	2	-	3
Nigeria	4,280	3,415	769	754	-	15	-	96
Rwanda	59	57	-	-	-	-	-	2
Sao Tome and Principe	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Senegal	230	183	43	42	-	1	-	4
Seychelles	18	15	3	3	-	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	468	380	71	66	-	5	-	17
Somalia	1,143	1,104	29	29	-	-	-	10
South Africa	1,327	1,182	130	130	-	-	-	15
Sudan	731	657	67	67	-	-	-	7
Swaziland	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tanzania	220	201	18	18	-	-	-	1
Togo	60	51	9	8	-	1	-	-
Tunisia	117	87	30	30	-	-	-	-
Uganda	140	119	21	20	-	1	-	-
Zambia	83	72	11	11	-	-	-	-
Zimbabwe	122	106	16	16	-	-	-	-
Oceania	2,653	2,392	243	238	-	4	1	18
Australia	611	549	61	61	-	-	-	1
Fiji	1,159	1,045	111	110	-	-	1	3
Marshall Islands	3	2	1	1	-	-	-	-
Micronesia, Federated States	4	1	2	1	-	1	-	1
Nauru	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Zealand	393	355	37	36	-	1	-	1
Palau	4	2	1	1	-	-	-	1
Papua New Guinea	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Samoa	183	163	15	14	-	1	-	5
Solomon Islands	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tonga	289	269	15	14	-	1	-	5
Tuvalu	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
North America	194,310	181,527	8,939	8,698	1	231	9	3,844
Canada	9,950	9,112	764	755	-	9	-	74
Mexico	99,331	93,026	3,784	3,709	1	67	7	2,521
Caribbean	55,466	52,068	2,713	2,619	-	93	1	685
Antigua-Barbuda	453	427	17	15	-	2	-	9
Bahamas, The	355	318	28	27	-	1	-	9
Barbados	867	810	48	43	-	4	1	9
Cuba	10,662	10,342	198	189	-	9	-	122
Dominica	376	338	29	26	-	3	-	9
Dominican Republic	13,958	13,323	548	541	-	7	-	87
Grenada	549	518	27	25	-	2	-	4
Haiti	9,878	9,110	566	550	-	16	-	202

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**TABLE 47. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY SELECTED NATURALIZATION PROVISIONS
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF FORMER ALLEGIANCE
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of former allegiance	Total naturalized	General provisions	Special provisions				Not reported	
			Total	Married to U.S. citizens	Children of U.S. parents	Military		Other
Jamaica	13,009	11,998	850	817	-	33	-	161
St. Kitts-Nevis	288	272	12	9	-	3	-	4
St. Lucia	366	320	40	38	-	2	-	6
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	386	363	22	20	-	2	-	1
Trinidad and Tobago	4,319	3,929	328	319	-	9	-	62
Central America	29,563	27,321	1,678	1,615	-	62	1	564
Belize	995	945	38	29	-	9	-	12
Costa Rica	1,097	948	120	119	-	1	-	29
El Salvador	13,336	12,634	474	463	-	11	-	228
Guatemala	6,100	5,700	284	276	-	7	1	116
Honduras	3,099	2,744	303	297	-	6	-	52
Nicaragua	3,416	3,063	263	254	-	9	-	90
Panama	1,520	1,287	196	177	-	19	-	37
South America	40,079	34,934	4,608	4,550	1	53	4	537
Argentina	2,129	1,926	180	178	-	2	-	23
Bolivia	856	743	104	103	-	1	-	9
Brazil	3,869	3,289	532	526	-	4	2	48
Chile	1,098	976	109	108	-	1	-	13
Colombia	10,137	8,582	1,395	1,381	-	13	1	160
Ecuador	6,192	5,617	488	477	-	10	1	87
Guyana	6,555	6,151	368	359	-	9	-	36
Paraguay	152	127	24	24	-	-	-	1
Peru	6,255	5,200	929	920	-	9	-	126
Suriname	105	86	19	17	-	2	-	-
Uruguay	425	387	33	33	-	-	-	5
Venezuela	2,306	1,850	427	424	1	2	-	29
U.S. possessions	91	38	43	2	-	1	40	10
Stateless and not reported	23,352	1,519	121	96	-	1	24	21,712

¹ Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 48. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEARS 1992-2001**

Region and country of birth ¹	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
All countries	240,252	314,681	434,107	488,088	1,044,689	598,225	463,060	839,944	888,788	608,205
Europe	27,143	37,774	56,449	63,602	109,607	67,783	58,836	101,318	121,273	89,431
Albania	92	88	109	103	348	419	351	599	826	1,032
Andorra	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	3	1	1
Armenia	12	136	641	1,215	2,957	3,037	2,530	3,190	2,569	1,972
Austria	92	194	281	291	382	181	153	232	290	271
Azerbaijan	-	-	3	27	160	263	350	878	1,318	946
Belarus	-	1	3	89	393	727	833	1,869	3,063	2,008
Belgium	142	191	254	233	343	179	166	294	363	299
Bosnia-Herzegovina	-	2	18	29	44	50	33	300	1,745	2,759
Bulgaria	166	168	247	256	627	356	263	498	847	1,170
Croatia	-	3	52	168	470	212	184	358	501	519
Czech Republic	-	-	1	5	4	10	4	27	58	47
Czechoslovakia ²	677	643	712	692	733	434	315	548	658	492
Denmark	120	155	243	230	341	165	165	239	286	227
Estonia	11	16	58	72	91	52	52	82	108	105
Finland	90	103	138	138	186	94	110	159	201	115
France	981	1,140	1,630	1,413	2,340	1,261	1,125	1,903	2,285	1,745
Georgia	-	2	4	25	70	101	76	147	407	415
Germany	1,938	2,591	3,763	3,658	4,664	2,946	2,517	4,169	4,522	3,212
Gibraltar	4	5	4	4	5	5	1	5	3	1
Greece	1,751	2,106	2,577	2,135	3,162	1,885	1,553	2,355	2,270	1,676
Hungary	616	649	855	868	1,159	568	531	884	1,074	877
Iceland	36	31	37	37	43	38	32	50	52	44
Ireland	731	1,067	1,677	1,959	3,284	1,835	1,444	3,414	5,454	4,441
Italy	1,608	3,502	5,702	4,065	5,117	2,445	2,522	4,393	4,436	2,987
Kazakhstan	-	2	36	21	32	46	58	226	437	429
Kyrgyzstan	-	2	-	2	1	1	18	32	87	81
Latvia	50	66	138	186	336	202	194	383	484	360
Liechtenstein	3	2	-	3	3	-	1	-	-	1
Lithuania	46	82	117	241	271	180	155	313	355	405
Luxembourg	5	7	10	8	21	9	4	15	11	9
Macedonia	-	-	-	89	298	204	137	212	310	394
Malta	57	78	102	53	123	51	39	93	116	63
Moldova	-	5	42	135	390	621	574	1,155	1,573	959
Monaco	2	1	2	5	3	1	1	8	-	4
Netherlands	320	399	613	657	976	475	397	700	813	549
Norway	110	129	171	160	265	112	92	161	192	126
Poland	4,699	5,592	7,062	8,092	14,047	8,037	5,911	13,127	16,405	11,661
Portugal	1,802	3,880	5,882	3,809	6,525	4,278	4,663	5,843	4,756	2,780
Romania	2,489	2,750	3,503	3,408	5,242	3,043	2,244	3,275	3,586	3,521
Russia	375	440	1,242	3,367	8,245	8,200	5,981	10,351	12,919	9,413
San Marino	2	-	2	2	-	1	1	7	6	1
Slovak Republic	-	-	2	16	20	26	35	81	200	243
Slovenia	-	1	5	20	19	13	17	36	43	42
Soviet Union ³	1,338	2,168	4,865	10,338	20,137	9,286	6,987	11,300	9,195	4,576
Spain	461	618	817	837	2,079	756	905	1,241	1,073	724
Sweden	184	230	316	260	404	218	203	354	373	321
Switzerland	304	399	557	453	605	329	301	506	655	517
Tajikistan	-	1	-	8	7	15	35	167	406	369
Turkmenistan	-	-	1	1	6	5	5	27	73	60
Ukraine	9	141	583	2,715	6,959	5,971	6,952	12,190	16,849	11,828
United Kingdom	4,366	5,791	8,410	8,479	12,185	6,900	6,375	10,016	11,739	8,059
Uzbekistan	-	-	6	46	208	243	236	1,142	3,084	2,493
Yugoslavia ³	1,453	2,197	2,956	2,479	3,276	1,297	1,004	1,761	2,196	2,082
Asia	125,376	149,432	193,842	190,205	307,451	193,591	153,951	273,924	331,136	247,185
Afghanistan	1,052	1,548	1,995	2,031	4,141	1,839	1,736	2,752	2,843	1,947
Bahrain	12	10	16	22	27	10	19	32	41	47
Bangladesh	974	961	1,190	1,323	5,407	3,577	1,211	2,280	3,323	4,419
Bhutan	-	-	1	1	-	3	1	3	3	4

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**TABLE 48. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEARS 1992-2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth ¹	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Brunei	14	14	12	8	9	5	9	13	15	8
Burma	485	558	875	872	1,335	578	443	889	1,131	1,079
Cambodia	2,713	3,102	4,132	3,619	5,202	5,180	5,348	7,140	5,292	3,489
China, People's Republic	13,616	16,943	22,331	21,564	34,320	20,947	16,145	38,409	54,534	34,423
Cyprus	171	187	196	176	250	113	129	190	205	185
Hong Kong	3,203	3,807	6,534	5,690	8,660	4,752	2,927	6,624	8,101	5,274
India	13,452	16,527	20,940	18,558	33,113	21,206	17,060	30,710	42,198	34,311
Indonesia	318	434	580	624	1,106	575	609	1,464	2,487	1,247
Iran	6,787	7,033	10,041	11,761	19,278	11,434	10,739	18,268	19,251	13,881
Iraq	1,203	1,545	1,808	1,609	2,309	1,621	2,033	3,230	5,217	3,451
Israel	2,250	2,448	3,039	2,645	3,537	2,034	1,444	2,917	3,581	2,974
Japan	634	1,002	1,440	1,462	2,188	1,283	1,847	3,178	3,757	2,369
Jordan	2,263	2,597	2,797	2,385	3,236	1,820	1,510	2,467	3,252	2,883
Korea	8,330	9,681	12,367	15,709	27,969	16,056	10,305	17,738	23,858	18,053
Kuwait	313	360	449	465	705	404	308	597	905	766
Laos	3,080	3,994	5,630	4,315	10,621	8,630	7,734	9,188	7,163	6,507
Lebanon	2,888	3,392	4,592	4,171	5,441	3,041	2,391	4,226	4,939	3,556
Macau	69	108	190	127	225	117	87	197	255	200
Malaysia	394	423	522	443	690	428	370	885	1,374	1,034
Maldives	1	-	1	4	-	1	-	2	1	1
Mongolia	1	1	1	1	-	-	1	7	15	9
Nepal	44	46	70	60	119	78	82	143	204	205
Oman	3	4	5	7	1	5	6	1	7	8
Pakistan	3,359	3,776	4,529	4,912	11,251	7,266	3,572	6,572	8,726	8,375
Philippines	28,587	33,925	40,777	37,870	51,346	30,898	24,872	38,944	46,563	35,431
Qatar	21	21	19	14	34	16	12	27	35	37
Saudi Arabia	105	149	158	126	193	147	80	152	310	247
Singapore	153	162	204	172	292	171	143	294	405	306
Sri Lanka	332	457	537	522	917	547	460	883	1,001	836
Syria	1,222	1,350	1,820	1,825	2,510	1,638	1,466	2,344	2,802	2,158
Taiwan	6,275	7,235	10,387	9,565	12,114	6,455	4,862	11,215	13,200	9,076
Thailand	946	1,129	1,634	1,707	3,912	2,287	1,986	4,046	5,225	4,104
Turkey	1,148	1,271	1,663	1,591	2,181	1,575	1,547	2,025	2,072	1,795
United Arab Emirates	8	14	26	17	26	45	13	44	79	84
Vietnam	18,422	22,520	29,555	31,728	51,910	36,178	30,185	53,316	55,934	41,596
Yemen	528	698	779	504	876	631	259	512	832	810
Africa	9,731	11,539	16,073	18,495	26,970	15,996	12,467	20,401	25,850	24,312
Algeria	103	126	183	188	275	173	143	277	427	469
Angola	39	59	98	68	122	91	73	99	113	86
Benin	12	28	28	37	14	24	24	35	23	19
Botswana	1	1	4	2	8	5	-	4	8	7
Burkina Faso	1	100	290	168	8	4	3	8	16	10
Burundi	1	7	6	5	7	3	2	6	13	15
Cameroon	74	106	175	175	264	164	149	181	286	299
Cape Verde	222	215	500	529	634	573	542	849	736	581
Central African Republic	2	1	2	6	4	2	1	4	4	3
Chad	-	3	2	2	3	3	4	6	9	12
Comoros	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	3	-	1
Congo, Democratic Republic ⁴	53	75	100	91	187	81	68	127	138	115
Congo, Republic ⁴	1	5	7	5	5	3	11	42	58	90
Cote d'Ivoire	37	47	78	76	164	107	84	121	184	171
Djibouti	5	8	5	8	5	5	5	9	10	9
Egypt	2,115	2,065	2,620	2,671	3,877	2,238	1,498	2,687	3,492	3,786
Equatorial Guinea	2	2	4	5	10	2	1	5	3	-
Eritrea	-	-	54	343	518	393	443	567	824	756
Ethiopia	1,506	1,866	2,375	2,626	3,397	1,994	1,844	2,611	2,774	2,765
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	1	6	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
Gabon	-	-	4	3	7	3	2	5	8	5
Gambia, The	11	17	26	53	98	50	40	69	81	71
Ghana	710	735	1,145	1,578	2,905	1,588	1,073	1,548	2,035	1,832

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**TABLE 48. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEARS 1992-2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth ¹	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Guinea	8	4	6	5	9	24	31	42	71	67
Guinea-Bissau	2	1	5	154	3	74	206	168	20	6
Kenya	258	342	419	429	695	496	399	699	933	734
Lesotho	3	3	3	5	5	4	5	1	5	3
Liberia	361	453	609	745	1,104	719	557	848	1,027	782
Libya	145	155	170	205	211	130	95	153	181	171
Madagascar	15	3	12	13	27	16	12	16	30	25
Malawi	16	24	40	35	40	22	35	37	50	39
Mali	6	6	11	16	30	29	19	32	48	51
Mauritania	2	3	1	8	9	3	1	12	13	19
Mauritius	14	16	29	13	37	29	23	41	60	38
Morocco	422	519	731	689	1,174	555	415	854	1,198	1,248
Mozambique	26	25	59	37	53	40	30	59	68	29
Namibia	4	10	7	6	8	9	5	10	13	15
Niger	-	-	3	6	489	218	321	608	556	183
Nigeria	1,847	2,289	3,464	4,645	6,248	3,537	1,963	3,125	4,135	4,355
Reunion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Rwanda	6	4	4	11	10	5	4	9	31	62
Sao Tome and Principe	-	2	1	-	2	1	1	3	3	1
Senegal	42	67	72	87	260	223	107	188	218	251
Seychelles	20	19	17	18	12	16	7	13	27	18
Sierra Leone	192	297	398	578	782	492	420	487	600	518
Somalia	120	130	154	211	306	171	306	816	1,247	1,168
South Africa	657	833	1,192	884	1,217	661	676	1,418	1,967	1,472
St. Helena	1	1	-	2	2	1	2	1	1	1
Sudan	94	116	133	165	308	218	140	281	515	741
Swaziland	4	4	3	7	3	-	5	5	11	3
Tanzania	198	211	254	223	447	220	189	354	420	334
Togo	12	17	22	20	32	20	18	35	58	57
Tunisia	66	106	101	109	164	87	90	129	168	157
Uganda	131	157	206	277	409	264	206	348	430	297
Western Sahara	-	-	2	1	-	1	-	2	1	-
Zambia	67	124	122	120	183	105	90	168	228	158
Zimbabwe	96	126	117	132	178	99	79	174	274	207
Oceania	1,015	1,276	1,763	1,817	3,312	1,812	1,613	2,385	2,685	2,594
American Samoa	47	71	103	122	148	38	63	75	80	97
Australia	126	209	282	250	438	261	203	342	436	392
Christmas Island	2	-	2	2	1	2	-	2	-	-
Cocos Islands	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Cook Islands	1	2	5	5	30	9	3	8	3	4
Fiji	399	545	711	704	1,392	711	493	775	924	1,180
French Polynesia	109	24	26	23	113	47	103	142	128	-
Guam	-	1	-	4	2	1	-	1	1	41
Kiribati	-	1	3	3	4	4	2	3	3	3
Marshall Islands	-	-	4	4	6	5	1	2	2	3
Micronesia, Federated States ...	2	3	3	5	6	1	7	2	3	4
Nauru	1	3	2	3	-	1	-	3	5	1
New Caledonia	2	2	1	2	4	2	1	4	3	4
New Zealand	104	173	238	245	342	222	196	317	421	347
Niue	1	-	-	-	8	1	-	1	1	-
Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	3	2	1	-	-	2	-	3
Palau	22	17	11	2	2	10	17	19	17	7
Papua New Guinea	2	1	3	8	13	2	-	3	8	7
Pitcairn Island	1	3	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Samoa ⁵	102	129	188	206	319	155	219	257	282	195
Solomon Islands	6	2	4	4	2	1	3	1	1	2
Tonga	87	86	171	220	453	336	299	423	366	301
Tuvalu	-	3	2	1	-	2	3	2	-	1
Vanuatu	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	1
Wallis and Futuna Islands	-	-	-	-	27	-	-	-	-	-

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TABLE 48. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEARS 1992-2001—Continued

Region and country of birth ¹	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
North America	56,905	87,931	130,345	175,216	506,767	273,954	208,192	385,605	347,193	200,939
Canada	4,025	6,505	8,684	7,597	11,663	6,639	5,545	9,353	11,365	7,551
Greenland	2	1	5	1	4	4	-	1	-	1
Mexico	12,873	23,615	46,169	81,655	254,988	142,569	112,442	207,750	189,705	103,234
St. Pierre and Miquelon	1	8	5	-	-	1	2	1	-	-
United States	31	37	71	16	42	22	20	28	44	38
Caribbean	32,478	47,372	58,569	56,480	163,709	84,834	62,678	115,245	93,291	59,602
Anguilla	24	64	88	57	41	64	86	165	67	38
Antigua-Barbuda	375	438	627	668	1,415	886	932	1,103	946	478
Aruba	26	31	80	42	107	66	38	86	85	41
Bahamas, The	165	141	238	223	671	337	265	796	591	394
Barbados	671	858	1,432	1,304	2,488	1,960	1,173	2,558	1,891	914
Bermuda	18	43	54	80	75	39	54	84	90	58
British Virgin Islands	57	86	122	62	43	102	136	205	134	48
Cayman Islands	17	37	47	55	36	288	152	137	23	15
Cuba	7,750	15,064	16,380	17,511	63,234	13,155	15,331	25,467	15,661	11,393
Dominica	288	273	405	434	1,040	621	677	977	717	372
Dominican Republic	8,494	12,303	11,390	9,999	29,459	21,092	11,916	23,089	25,176	15,010
Grenada	420	565	829	736	1,681	1,223	663	1,532	1,172	610
Guadeloupe	10	20	29	137	383	21	19	61	32	14
Haiti	3,988	5,190	7,989	7,884	25,012	16,477	10,416	19,550	14,428	10,408
Jamaica	6,710	7,911	12,252	11,156	25,458	20,253	15,040	28,604	22,567	13,978
Martinique	11	5	14	7	23	14	11	22	23	21
Montserrat	41	61	118	91	181	141	124	190	130	86
Netherlands Antilles	28	41	36	29	61	62	51	89	79	34
Puerto Rico	2	4	4	5	6	5	4	2	4	1
St. Kitts-Nevis	331	390	612	575	983	714	771	995	713	331
St. Lucia	195	241	393	418	824	638	531	708	610	392
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	249	334	540	492	1,112	827	475	999	832	440
Trinidad and Tobago	2,588	3,249	4,874	4,487	9,288	5,803	3,784	7,732	7,265	4,484
Turks and Caicos Islands	9	3	8	19	70	41	19	83	43	40
U.S. Virgin Islands	11	20	8	9	18	5	10	11	12	2
Central America	7,495	10,393	16,842	29,467	76,361	39,885	27,505	53,227	52,788	30,513
Belize	305	384	635	874	1,831	1,353	988	2,079	1,802	1,015
Costa Rica	547	668	1,055	1,138	2,759	1,574	1,103	2,087	1,895	1,146
El Salvador	2,061	3,038	5,643	13,702	35,478	18,273	12,267	22,991	24,073	13,663
Guatemala	1,080	1,685	3,001	5,093	13,933	7,914	5,534	11,031	11,488	6,281
Honduras	1,249	1,714	2,215	2,954	7,881	4,318	2,752	5,294	5,188	3,257
Nicaragua	1,103	1,501	2,437	3,950	11,135	4,409	3,359	6,651	5,426	3,564
Panama	1,150	1,403	1,856	1,756	3,344	2,044	1,502	3,094	2,916	1,587
South America	19,969	26,464	35,014	38,072	84,520	42,282	27,550	54,363	58,009	42,288
Argentina	1,242	1,602	2,481	2,714	5,457	2,247	1,651	3,366	3,432	2,211
Bolivia	417	575	803	1,186	2,367	1,093	845	1,461	1,375	908
Brazil	661	906	1,322	1,254	2,961	2,360	1,947	4,114	4,524	3,935
Chile	716	867	1,206	1,315	3,068	1,427	1,002	1,892	1,888	1,205
Colombia	6,451	9,985	12,309	12,823	27,483	11,645	7,024	13,168	14,018	10,872
Ecuador	1,855	2,701	3,965	5,381	14,547	7,463	4,674	8,411	9,487	6,571
Falkland Islands	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-
French Guiana	2	1	2	1	-	1	-	2	10	1
Guyana	4,726	4,964	6,081	5,499	11,223	7,544	4,575	10,366	10,820	7,052
Paraguay	129	173	259	230	491	248	112	193	214	166
Peru	2,645	3,285	4,754	5,921	12,884	6,352	4,353	8,308	8,958	6,675
Suriname	46	26	87	59	134	74	45	130	163	113
Uruguay	368	581	667	679	1,372	622	397	689	693	472
Venezuela	710	798	1,078	1,009	2,533	1,205	925	2,263	2,426	2,107
Born on board ship	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Stateless	-	-	-	-	-	44	28	67	42	23
Unknown	113	265	621	681	6,061	2,763	423	1,881	2,600	1,432

¹ In previous editions of the *Statistical Yearbook*, data were for countries of former allegiance. ² Prior to 1993, data include independent republics; beginning in 1993, data are for unknown republic only. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. ³ Prior to 1992, data include independent republics; beginning in 1992, data are for unknown republic only. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. ⁴ In May 1997 Zaire was formally recognized as the Democratic Republic of the Congo; the Congo is referred to by its conventional name, the Republic of the Congo. ⁵ In August 1997 Western Samoa was formally recognized as Samoa (Independent State).

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 49. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY SEX, MARITAL STATUS, AND MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP
FISCAL YEARS 1996-2001**

Sex, marital status, and occupation	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Total	1,044,689	598,225	463,060	839,944	888,788	608,205
Male	457,273	257,587	195,882	342,480	391,787	283,754
Single	95,692	58,362	39,547	72,738	91,475	69,676
Married	305,398	173,683	137,575	232,925	260,102	187,489
Widowed	5,867	3,156	4,253	4,851	4,270	2,959
Divorced	25,213	12,732	9,506	16,846	21,434	17,537
Separated	262	124	28	101	93	73
Unknown	24,841	9,530	4,973	15,019	14,413	6,020
Female	522,101	303,497	254,958	432,635	452,523	308,502
Single	105,353	66,901	49,659	83,596	91,939	61,650
Married	307,329	179,593	149,125	264,044	284,614	198,707
Widowed	38,507	21,821	31,359	33,360	25,855	17,635
Divorced	47,370	24,905	20,156	34,034	34,740	24,986
Separated	547	319	64	289	179	142
Unknown	22,995	9,958	4,595	17,312	15,196	5,382
Unknown sex	65,315	37,141	12,220	64,829	44,478	15,949
Major occupation group:						
Professional, technical, and kindred workers	60,597	37,137	32,821	66,366	85,876	57,729
Managers and administrators (except farm)	51,878	31,078	23,055	40,154	47,006	31,518
Sales workers	37,936	25,907	19,345	39,110	44,765	29,673
Clerical	110,737	53,604	35,602	60,389	67,789	34,169
Craftsmen and kindred workers	46,848	30,176	19,007	33,701	33,121	19,903
Operatives and laborers	126,673	79,936	63,888	107,827	107,747	66,087
Farming, forestry, and fishing workers	6,578	5,158	3,638	5,884	5,203	3,543
Service workers	98,133	71,387	46,991	84,235	91,231	56,737
Homemakers, children, and others with no occupation reported	505,309	263,842	218,713	402,278	406,050	X
No occupation ¹	X	X	X	X	X	289,916
Unknown	X	X	X	X	X	18,930

¹ Includes homemakers, students, children, retirees, and unemployed persons.

X Not applicable.

**TABLE 50. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY STATE OF RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEARS 1992-2001**

State of residence	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Total	240,252	314,681	434,107	488,088	1,044,689	598,225	463,060	839,944	888,788	608,205
Alabama	598	719	954	860	1,002	644	658	1,132	1,553	409
Alaska	793	530	648	675	4	757	995	633	668	710
Arizona	3,037	2,548	3,894	4,059	6,838	3,767	4,105	8,737	10,755	8,245
Arkansas	380	405	615	163	6	809	244	442	241	132
California	52,411	68,100	118,567	171,285	378,014	187,432	154,793	284,071	300,662	203,415
Colorado	1,402	2,732	3,171	3,753	5,168	3,560	3,230	8,552	6,138	4,233
Connecticut	5,070	6,125	5,460	6,409	8,122	8,452	7,351	8,064	7,100	5,009
Delaware	289	423	695	600	650	464	648	844	1,281	697
District of Columbia	786	773	1,091	1,496	1,920	1,098	1,024	1,621	1,394	956
Florida	21,129	26,628	35,186	31,372	123,368	28,768	30,926	67,567	68,882	48,752
Georgia	2,299	4,185	5,437	5,418	6,603	5,958	6,274	9,717	12,423	3,229
Hawaii	4,475	4,960	4,659	5,174	6,090	3,994	4,493	3,600	4,372	2,885
Idaho	208	255	299	336	2	769	853	1,028	437	357
Illinois	10,891	17,394	17,946	20,694	48,746	28,096	16,804	36,742	39,327	32,390
Indiana	1,323	1,395	1,738	1,430	678	2,388	2,404	1,747	2,750	2,581
Iowa	374	578	837	970	5	244	191	73	622	1,058
Kansas	911	1,085	1,059	1,131	7	1,733	2,208	3,461	2,194	2,343
Kentucky	567	534	775	677	10	1,074	586	1,041	667	402
Louisiana	1,709	2,016	1,667	2,714	3,247	2,415	2,478	2,701	1,882	686
Maine	400	584	473	639	41	343	544	340	390	367
Maryland	4,620	9,864	9,572	11,251	1,259	3,691	9,615	9,699	4,918	5,414
Massachusetts	7,381	6,574	14,739	11,803	14,762	8,158	10,568	21,672	23,062	17,632
Michigan	2,616	6,091	7,798	8,170	12,658	5,766	7,100	7,966	14,829	6,116
Minnesota	1,850	1,921	2,528	760	6	3,296	4,331	6,507	4,277	5,709
Mississippi	315	426	385	393	410	442	378	624	475	270
Missouri	1,453	1,379	1,236	1,440	14	2,226	2,156	2,376	3,228	2,633
Montana	127	165	81	117	1	165	165	214	62	75
Nebraska	432	4,411	4,147	2,999	4	259	717	407	990	1,548
Nevada	1,533	1,518	1,937	2,894	24	7,963	4,414	3,427	960	3,333
New Hampshire	357	387	926	559	489	430	645	1,078	485	819
New Jersey	16,598	18,495	24,587	28,770	44,351	32,406	21,301	8,294	29,955	26,776
New Mexico	495	665	697	643	5	511	649	1,507	104	786
New York	43,447	55,519	67,282	68,611	169,428	95,595	47,456	104,048	138,504	99,022
North Carolina	2,172	2,397	2,089	2,073	11	2,873	3,463	3,427	9,036	3,876
North Dakota	119	159	137	192	-	188	166	80	146	200
Ohio	2,669	3,382	4,432	3,263	5,106	4,447	5,859	5,509	5,834	3,647
Oklahoma	876	1,092	1,286	1,806	8	1,168	613	3,198	210	1,920
Oregon	1,994	2,146	2,475	1,810	23	1,464	2,307	5,165	4,247	4,191
Pennsylvania	3,839	7,236	9,644	9,665	9,652	7,327	9,997	14,094	13,269	8,396
Rhode Island	1,043	1,720	2,302	1,535	2	2,951	2,642	2,884	719	1,066
South Carolina	670	675	1,387	1,032	713	1,086	1,334	1,093	1,683	696
South Dakota	62	85	114	103	1	173	159	14	170	203
Tennessee	979	1,039	1,364	634	14	1,275	1,255	2,617	2,022	1,260
Texas	17,631	26,403	25,148	32,209	57,970	39,172	30,862	58,849	55,800	43,396
Utah	649	950	1,163	1,417	22	2,850	1,421	2,296	793	1,836
Vermont	219	221	369	523	9	321	360	126	348	332
Virginia	4,662	7,141	7,103	10,542	13,724	6,803	8,589	11,808	12,507	7,426
Washington	4,307	5,741	6,878	11,063	12,228	14,668	12,991	11,174	14,499	8,793
West Virginia	137	205	229	318	3	218	265	307	47	285
Wisconsin	681	6	17	874	5	1,371	1,894	3,132	4,236	2,960
Wyoming	50	43	86	127	127	145	121	151	191	135
U.S. territories and possessions										
American Samoa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	91
Guam	987	1,131	1,445	1,464	1	1,458	1,117	780	76	283
Northern Mariana Is.	24	32	37	53	-	46	33	27	-	-
Puerto Rico	1,947	1,852	1,484	4	3	368	1,650	2,202	539	708
U.S. Virgin Islands	538	752	1,113	1,204	2	914	1,834	1,593	344	304
Armed Forces posts	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Unknown	3,721	889	22,719	7,912	111,133	63,266	23,824	99,486	76,485	27,211

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 51. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH
AND STATE OF RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

State of residence	All countries	Mexico	Vietnam	Philippines	China, People's Rep.	India	Korea	Dominican Republic	Jamaica	Iran
Total	608,205	103,234	41,596	35,431	34,423	34,311	18,053	15,010	13,978	13,881
Alabama	409	26	39	18	24	53	22	1	4	13
Alaska	710	60	22	170	9	10	87	21	5	2
Arizona	8,245	4,315	425	290	197	290	79	13	14	135
Arkansas	132	21	11	9	3	19	4	-	1	4
California	203,415	58,780	19,695	17,301	13,126	7,837	7,985	84	329	8,681
Colorado	4,233	1,014	443	115	168	138	156	12	24	77
Connecticut	5,009	71	150	141	206	380	46	113	512	63
Delaware	697	39	18	29	48	90	35	7	44	18
District of Columbia	956	7	91	26	43	15	5	24	34	25
Florida	48,752	1,604	1,191	1,266	595	1,216	279	1,480	4,359	345
Georgia	3,229	236	473	74	160	352	181	11	141	79
Hawaii	2,885	49	161	1,280	196	20	296	4	19	11
Idaho	357	135	27	20	10	6	8	-	-	5
Illinois	32,390	6,985	804	1,893	1,238	3,578	847	50	183	271
Indiana	2,581	395	129	137	193	268	50	14	17	41
Iowa	1,058	173	295	22	51	59	17	2	2	17
Kansas	2,343	615	423	87	109	154	61	6	12	56
Kentucky	402	21	41	27	15	41	18	1	6	13
Louisiana	686	29	164	33	35	47	9	5	6	8
Maine	367	2	25	18	22	11	2	2	5	3
Maryland	5,414	65	270	237	330	434	239	44	206	219
Massachusetts	17,632	96	1,512	215	1,310	888	184	1,186	319	254
Michigan	6,116	243	329	189	280	588	103	26	43	66
Minnesota	5,709	199	615	113	191	179	46	16	19	54
Mississippi	270	20	51	18	22	36	3	-	4	3
Missouri	2,633	224	396	154	164	183	68	15	18	49
Montana	75	11	2	8	2	-	7	-	-	-
Nebraska	1,548	383	443	194	42	36	9	2	5	19
Nevada	3,333	862	74	614	142	88	70	12	7	54
New Hampshire	819	10	75	24	32	70	21	34	6	15
New Jersey	26,776	263	317	2,152	1,259	3,704	1,133	1,480	674	211
New Mexico	786	349	65	22	20	46	6	1	3	11
New York	99,022	1,126	925	2,710	8,839	5,158	2,688	8,387	5,412	831
North Carolina	3,876	380	482	111	241	402	124	43	59	67
North Dakota	200	1	29	9	1	14	4	1	3	-
Ohio	3,647	109	234	118	300	499	98	25	32	67
Oklahoma	1,920	362	395	84	59	175	55	2	8	89
Oregon	4,191	613	767	204	279	193	148	2	9	112
Pennsylvania	8,396	189	861	174	627	1,001	400	132	217	107
Rhode Island	1,066	13	11	17	44	16	9	158	8	9
South Carolina	696	48	69	44	41	73	21	5	6	11
South Dakota	203	19	18	14	5	8	8	1	1	-
Tennessee	1,260	86	147	53	60	99	47	9	10	32
Texas	43,396	15,303	5,188	1,789	1,593	3,155	614	88	231	848
Utah	1,836	350	240	57	77	49	37	8	-	55
Vermont	332	4	33	7	25	24	7	-	2	3
Virginia	7,426	147	695	495	300	560	512	38	91	289
Washington	8,793	618	1,582	831	456	425	547	5	18	162
West Virginia	285	11	16	19	27	39	4	-	7	16
Wisconsin	2,960	315	104	90	159	188	36	8	19	28
Wyoming	135	53	-	7	8	2	3	-	-	1
U.S. territories and possessions										
Guam	283	2	-	210	8	2	30	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	708	17	5	4	19	1	1	391	1	1
U.S. Virgin Islands	304	-	4	2	-	6	-	35	4	-
Armed Forces posts	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Unknown	27,302	6,166	1,015	1,486	1,013	1,386	583	1,006	819	331

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 51. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH
AND STATE OF RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

State of residence	El Salvador	Ukraine	Poland	Cuba	Colombia	Haiti	Russia	Taiwan	Pakistan	Other
Total	13,663	11,828	11,661	11,393	10,872	10,408	9,413	9,076	8,375	201,599
Alabama	2	2	5	2	8	2	2	21	8	157
Alaska	10	10	6	3	10	2	26	2	3	252
Arizona	100	37	54	17	38	7	49	54	34	2,097
Arkansas	2	-	1	2	1	-	1	2	8	43
California	7,740	2,448	551	445	860	102	2,145	5,020	1,307	48,979
Colorado	49	90	79	6	42	6	146	61	29	1,578
Connecticut	22	98	377	26	168	178	119	24	125	2,190
Delaware	-	6	16	1	14	45	9	5	18	255
District of Columbia	100	1	4	5	9	12	12	3	8	532
Florida	366	200	373	8,709	3,443	4,125	213	173	330	18,485
Georgia	18	49	21	16	44	37	42	38	77	1,180
Hawaii	7	2	4	2	14	5	12	73	3	727
Idaho	6	9	1	-	1	-	5	5	-	119
Illinois	117	845	4,244	90	248	91	483	211	844	9,368
Indiana	27	29	67	10	18	7	27	40	48	1,064
Iowa	13	7	4	2	7	-	16	12	10	349
Kansas	30	36	19	6	13	12	24	31	45	604
Kentucky	1	18	4	7	3	5	7	6	3	165
Louisiana	3	3	4	9	10	6	3	8	15	289
Maine	2	6	2	-	3	1	8	6	1	248
Maryland	245	121	32	13	53	60	124	74	163	2,485
Massachusetts	206	378	279	44	225	972	497	190	138	8,739
Michigan	4	76	169	17	29	19	98	78	131	3,628
Minnesota	18	128	20	8	23	13	119	26	43	3,879
Mississippi	2	-	6	1	3	-	2	3	6	90
Missouri	20	54	24	16	17	39	60	48	56	1,028
Montana	-	1	-	-	1	-	4	-	-	39
Nebraska	30	10	4	9	3	-	14	1	1	343
Nevada	100	12	31	84	22	6	17	22	26	1,090
New Hampshire	11	6	6	5	9	10	21	10	17	437
New Jersey	280	440	1,202	378	1,074	658	510	406	552	10,083
New Mexico	6	-	6	8	1	1	11	4	9	217
New York	1,198	5,133	2,822	343	2,804	3,022	3,179	753	2,071	41,621
North Carolina	45	28	33	25	64	11	32	63	53	1,613
North Dakota	-	2	3	3	3	7	3	3	1	113
Ohio	8	121	50	12	30	8	107	56	60	1,713
Oklahoma	7	14	13	2	11	-	11	25	33	575
Oregon	37	100	33	16	12	4	106	59	29	1,468
Pennsylvania	26	523	171	35	118	145	290	101	144	3,135
Rhode Island	9	22	24	1	61	19	15	4	9	617
South Carolina	7	9	22	3	20	1	11	3	4	298
South Dakota	2	7	3	-	1	-	6	-	-	110
Tennessee	10	21	12	2	7	4	6	22	18	615
Texas	1,869	127	150	118	427	55	207	749	1,139	9,746
Utah	43	26	9	4	27	4	21	27	18	784
Vermont	-	3	7	-	1	-	4	5	3	204
Virginia	298	60	27	19	71	31	82	99	294	3,318
Washington	47	293	71	7	27	19	295	201	55	3,134
West Virginia	1	1	3	-	1	1	3	3	6	127
Wisconsin	6	92	67	7	18	1	64	31	62	1,665
Wyoming	2	2	1	-	1	-	5	1	1	48
U.S. territories and possessions										
Guam	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	6	-	23
Puerto Rico	7	-	4	88	40	2	-	1	1	125
U.S. Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2	249
Armed Forces posts	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unknown	504	122	521	767	713	650	140	207	314	9,559

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 52. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH
AND SELECTED METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA OF RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Metropolitan statistical area ¹	All countries	Mexico	Vietnam	Philippines	China, People's Republic	India	Korea	Dominican Republic	Jamaica	Iran
Total	608,205	103,234	41,596	35,431	34,423	34,311	18,053	15,010	13,978	13,881
New York, NY	85,377	962	529	2,315	8,077	3,777	2,352	7,908	4,710	406
Los Angeles-Long Beach, CA	77,331	22,527	3,620	5,289	4,043	1,239	4,979	20	150	4,746
Chicago, IL	30,087	6,428	674	1,766	1,076	3,362	774	47	171	243
Houston, TX	21,102	6,446	2,917	830	851	1,437	194	49	148	417
Miami, FL	20,587	249	29	170	128	72	27	859	1,095	60
Orange County, CA	19,940	4,881	6,443	791	407	557	1,127	5	10	1,095
Oakland, CA	19,247	2,335	1,433	2,465	2,860	1,929	444	6	29	604
San Jose, CA	15,884	2,173	4,006	1,561	1,467	1,395	357	4	17	610
San Diego, CA	14,252	4,869	1,699	2,069	409	212	180	14	40	477
San Francisco, CA	13,462	797	522	1,668	2,939	354	235	8	15	357
Boston, MA-NH	12,145	64	996	140	1,122	542	136	635	236	196
Riverside-San Bernardino, CA	10,551	5,818	535	671	122	229	215	7	29	116
Washington, DC-MD-VA-WV	10,047	116	765	404	458	679	535	79	220	444
Fort Lauderdale, FL	9,445	125	94	162	110	194	46	193	2,053	57
Nassau-Suffolk, NY	8,648	57	103	260	429	926	269	409	428	376
Bergen-Passaic, NJ	7,713	80	7	646	241	750	795	567	215	94
Dallas, TX	7,494	1,769	827	189	364	924	201	13	24	211
Newark, NJ	6,383	34	45	412	233	521	87	196	281	35
Philadelphia, PA-NJ	6,300	97	648	176	473	791	389	72	187	71
Sacramento, CA	6,298	960	833	487	371	459	103	6	13	202
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA	6,156	273	1,088	577	392	336	321	1	7	143
Phoenix-Mesa, AZ	5,827	2,561	372	222	171	239	65	13	14	119
Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI	5,070	126	516	90	157	147	38	14	18	51
Middlesex-Somerset-Hunterdon, NJ	4,872	36	59	349	452	1,435	107	207	57	31
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	4,570	252	493	213	90	260	63	105	161	75
Detroit, MI	4,435	114	93	128	164	450	68	8	32	39
Orlando, FL	4,377	168	290	179	104	193	54	185	338	70
Jersey City, NJ	4,174	44	49	402	119	463	49	427	16	13
Portland-Vancouver, OR-WA	3,790	308	798	166	241	173	143	2	7	105
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton, FL	3,588	143	58	80	35	92	20	66	395	29
Fresno, CA	3,193	1,990	48	97	52	251	20	1	1	38
Ventura, CA	3,012	1,546	79	302	68	85	69	2	3	138
Las Vegas, NV-AZ	2,900	748	64	524	114	61	65	12	7	47
Denver, CO	2,828	642	383	60	93	90	107	5	13	56
Fort Worth-Arlington, TX	2,723	695	679	74	54	163	46	2	8	52
Atlanta, GA	2,640	126	406	42	135	274	152	10	124	72
Stockton-Lodi, CA	2,478	922	171	386	56	223	12	1	1	18
Honolulu, HI	2,394	35	148	973	190	18	284	4	18	9
Vallejo-Fairfield-Napa, CA	2,030	562	47	688	33	103	22	-	4	37
Austin-San Marcos, TX	2,012	426	267	59	123	202	43	1	8	73
Salinas, CA	1,825	1,226	50	147	27	26	45	1	4	12
San Antonio, TX	1,753	889	101	111	39	73	36	3	5	32
Bakersfield, CA	1,714	1,103	6	181	17	120	44	-	1	9
Hartford, CT	1,673	18	75	34	51	114	10	25	275	25
Kansas City, MO-KS	1,593	191	233	72	81	138	61	11	9	44
Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Lompoc, CA	1,552	957	15	76	37	26	20	1	3	26
St. Louis, MO-IL	1,497	69	160	83	118	135	55	4	12	23
Baltimore, MD	1,471	13	64	64	96	158	103	6	50	46
Modesto, CA	1,459	824	21	33	18	89	5	1	-	77
Providence-Fall River-Warwick, RI-MA	1,435	14	25	21	53	30	9	157	11	9
Other MSA	72,683	12,869	6,350	3,724	3,343	5,488	1,575	1,528	1,315	1,084
Non-MSA	16,126	6,053	598	1,286	490	898	290	102	168	106
Unknown	28,062	6,504	1,065	1,517	1,030	1,409	607	1,008	822	356

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**TABLE 52. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH
AND SELECTED METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA OF RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Metropolitan statistical area ¹	El Salvador	Ukraine	Poland	Cuba	Colombia	Haiti	Russia	Taiwan	Pakistan	Other
Total	13,663	11,828	11,661	11,393	10,872	10,408	9,413	9,076	8,375	201,599
New York, NY	612	4,905	2,327	279	2,362	2,550	2,961	573	1,611	36,161
Los Angeles-Long Beach, CA	5,518	1,090	154	263	396	32	811	2,318	321	19,815
Chicago, IL	108	822	4,202	81	229	87	459	174	807	8,577
Houston, TX	1,502	48	55	54	297	30	85	397	673	4,672
Miami, FL	166	46	24	7,494	1,805	1,638	57	34	73	6,561
Orange County, CA	282	40	76	34	116	4	66	494	109	3,403
Oakland, CA	440	172	83	17	62	7	198	696	243	5,224
San Jose, CA	127	130	54	20	26	2	242	753	109	2,831
San Diego, CA	67	110	44	20	62	12	181	141	52	3,594
San Francisco, CA	443	526	59	21	46	21	336	279	62	4,774
Boston, MA-NH	166	310	124	26	147	835	421	133	94	5,822
Riverside-San Bernardino, CA	367	10	30	38	62	14	23	104	63	2,098
Washington, DC-MD-VA-WV	614	49	40	20	100	74	133	133	356	4,828
Fort Lauderdale, FL	71	46	77	375	751	1,014	38	21	82	3,936
Nassau-Suffolk, NY	564	65	343	26	336	389	82	131	320	3,135
Bergen-Passaic, NJ	55	139	508	37	373	20	219	77	66	2,824
Dallas, TX	170	49	34	26	32	2	69	183	218	2,189
Newark, NJ	86	85	271	73	318	479	79	117	79	2,952
Philadelphia, PA-NJ	12	457	147	15	68	126	208	66	103	2,194
Sacramento, CA	90	305	16	5	15	-	185	66	108	2,074
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA	29	190	56	6	19	14	151	178	50	2,325
Phoenix-Mesa, AZ	85	21	41	13	30	7	41	43	26	1,744
Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI	14	123	14	5	20	12	117	22	40	3,546
Middlesex-Somerset-Hunterdon, NJ	21	91	177	23	73	18	87	129	175	1,345
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	21	24	106	313	180	91	23	23	27	2,050
Detroit, MI	1	68	137	2	15	5	65	33	114	2,899
Orlando, FL	37	8	25	125	293	382	13	31	98	1,784
Jersey City, NJ	106	39	97	235	228	33	34	12	131	1,677
Portland-Vancouver, OR-WA	23	139	29	15	7	4	170	46	26	1,388
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton, FL	30	17	45	198	224	707	17	12	17	1,403
Fresno, CA	46	17	1	1	8	1	4	8	16	593
Ventura, CA	35	1	11	3	15	1	12	42	10	590
Las Vegas, NV-AZ	84	13	27	84	20	6	16	22	19	967
Denver, CO	36	80	35	3	28	4	126	40	25	1,002
Fort Worth-Arlington, TX	25	7	18	9	19	5	9	26	91	741
Atlanta, GA	12	44	15	14	35	32	40	36	64	1,007
Stockton-Lodi, CA	29	1	1	-	5	-	3	9	78	562
Honolulu, HI	5	1	4	2	13	5	9	67	3	606
Vallejo-Fairfield-Napa, CA	55	6	3	5	4	1	4	9	26	421
Austin-San Marcos, TX	34	6	8	7	17	6	12	70	58	592
Salinas, CA	30	1	-	1	3	-	13	3	1	235
San Antonio, TX	24	5	7	10	22	3	12	8	19	354
Bakersfield, CA	55	-	1	2	1	-	1	6	9	158
Hartford, CT	4	47	202	11	41	16	40	7	46	632
Kansas City, MO-KS	15	36	9	14	12	31	20	28	44	544
Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Lompoc, CA	21	9	3	2	6	-	11	11	1	327
St. Louis, MO-IL	4	41	14	2	8	14	49	30	40	636
Baltimore, MD	13	92	12	3	10	2	48	12	67	612
Modesto, CA	18	-	2	-	6	-	3	3	4	355
Providence-Fall River-Warwick, RI-MA	9	22	28	3	62	21	14	4	13	930
Other MSA	592	1,089	1,170	494	969	893	1,135	859	1,033	27,173
Non-MSA	173	63	170	91	154	100	115	141	137	4,991
Unknown	517	123	525	773	722	658	146	216	318	9,746

¹ Ranked by number of persons naturalized. See Glossary for definition of metropolitan statistical area. - Represents zero.

**TABLE 53. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Region and country of birth	Total	Occupation									No occupation ¹	Unknown
		Total	Professional specialty and technical	Executive, administrative, and managerial	Sales	Administrative support	Precision production, craft, and repair	Operators, fabricators, and laborers	Farming, forestry, and fishing	Service		
All countries	608,205	299,359	57,729	31,518	29,673	34,169	19,903	66,087	3,543	56,737	289,916	18,930
Europe	89,431	40,998	11,579	5,389	3,554	4,485	3,129	5,963	127	6,772	45,509	2,924
Albania	1,032	526	66	28	48	30	42	113	1	198	470	36
Andorra	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Armenia	1,972	829	164	93	119	143	87	133	-	90	1,116	27
Austria	271	124	35	22	11	15	16	8	-	17	139	8
Azerbaijan	946	364	98	25	44	41	24	69	-	63	555	27
Belarus	2,008	638	215	51	43	97	44	83	1	104	1,304	66
Belgium	299	155	55	48	15	15	2	7	-	13	138	6
Bosnia-Herzegovina	2,759	1,541	310	111	151	164	114	375	2	314	1,128	90
Bulgaria	1,170	656	250	69	53	65	28	98	1	92	468	46
Croatia	519	257	66	29	25	28	26	34	1	48	250	12
Czech Republic	47	24	6	4	5	2	2	2	-	3	21	2
Czechoslovakia ²	492	231	71	30	27	27	15	21	2	38	247	14
Denmark	227	116	38	36	16	8	4	3	-	11	100	11
Estonia	105	46	14	5	5	5	3	9	-	5	57	2
Finland	115	51	17	15	5	7	2	1	-	4	62	2
France	1,745	837	292	210	85	87	9	29	2	123	838	70
Georgia	415	167	64	23	14	18	8	17	-	23	239	9
Germany	3,212	1,405	382	296	159	217	64	109	5	173	1,688	119
Gibraltar	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Greece	1,676	700	164	145	48	37	65	75	3	163	940	36
Hungary	877	398	123	55	33	42	29	59	4	53	446	33
Iceland	44	15	5	2	1	2	1	2	1	1	27	2
Ireland	4,441	2,597	594	448	194	309	334	264	5	449	1,608	236
Italy	2,987	1,358	246	297	125	129	100	174	9	278	1,566	63
Kazakhstan	429	188	46	18	16	18	15	35	-	40	223	18
Kyrgyzstan	81	38	12	1	2	3	4	8	-	8	41	2
Latvia	360	157	67	11	14	20	4	23	-	18	191	12
Liechtenstein	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Lithuania	405	197	63	23	13	19	11	28	1	39	184	24
Luxembourg	9	3	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	6	-
Macedonia	394	216	20	13	13	14	28	63	-	65	170	8
Malta	63	31	3	2	3	1	3	4	-	15	31	1
Moldova	959	392	135	24	30	65	24	40	-	74	547	20
Monaco	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	1
Netherlands	549	266	76	62	29	41	10	20	2	26	264	19
Norway	126	62	23	24	2	2	4	3	1	3	60	4
Poland	11,661	6,121	932	437	452	536	809	1,572	17	1,366	5,212	328
Portugal	2,780	1,258	93	108	88	135	142	446	36	210	1,474	48
Romania	3,521	1,867	605	187	135	167	190	288	5	290	1,527	127
Russia	9,413	4,008	1,726	409	346	433	158	379	3	554	5,041	364
San Marino	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Slovak Republic	243	131	25	12	10	11	12	29	1	31	101	11
Slovenia	42	21	8	4	3	1	-	3	-	2	20	1
Soviet Union ²	4,576	1,891	811	203	150	200	104	197	1	225	2,553	132
Spain	724	353	123	68	28	29	17	40	2	46	348	23
Sweden	321	140	44	40	19	23	3	5	-	6	171	10
Switzerland	517	277	97	85	21	32	9	10	-	23	222	18
Tajikistan	369	134	31	12	17	19	4	18	-	33	217	18
Turkmenistan	60	26	9	3	2	4	-	3	-	5	27	7
Ukraine	11,828	4,238	1,464	394	316	536	280	567	3	678	7,224	366
United Kingdom	8,059	3,998	1,424	1,011	426	497	143	175	15	307	3,747	314
Uzbekistan	2,493	876	221	58	91	111	51	137	-	207	1,523	94
Yugoslavia ²	2,082	1,072	246	137	101	80	85	183	3	237	973	37
Asia	247,185	113,478	28,544	13,861	12,998	12,711	5,362	21,730	444	17,828	125,737	7,970
Afghanistan	1,947	736	82	110	193	77	39	98	4	133	1,185	26
Bahrain	47	22	7	3	5	5	1	-	-	1	22	3
Bangladesh	4,419	2,140	300	264	528	188	43	371	5	441	2,200	79

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**TABLE 53. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP
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FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	Occupation									No occupation ¹	Unknown	
		Total	Professional specialty and technical	Executive, administrative, and managerial	Sales	Administrative support	Precision production, craft, and repair	Operators, fabricators, and laborers	Farming, forestry, and fishing	Service			
Bhutan	4	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
Brunei	8	6	2	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1
Burma	1,079	506	109	36	64	78	35	126	-	58	-	545	28
Cambodia	3,489	1,506	132	73	164	154	130	628	11	214	1,923	60	60
China, People's Rep.	34,423	16,432	5,528	1,822	1,436	1,373	575	2,033	18	3,647	16,989	1,002	1,002
Cyprus	185	98	36	24	9	4	7	5	-	13	72	15	15
Hong Kong	5,274	2,367	643	322	300	484	77	202	4	335	2,664	243	243
India	34,311	17,612	6,088	2,831	2,153	2,112	373	2,623	64	1,368	15,411	1,288	1,288
Indonesia	1,247	603	170	108	56	88	20	53	1	107	584	60	60
Iran	13,881	5,164	1,601	1,046	875	527	199	401	11	504	8,417	300	300
Iraq	3,451	1,608	186	142	324	122	128	500	5	201	1,796	47	47
Israel	2,974	1,317	371	376	213	121	66	82	2	86	1,600	57	57
Japan	2,369	1,074	228	261	138	132	22	68	11	214	1,231	64	64
Jordan	2,883	1,098	214	264	231	71	49	163	5	101	1,732	53	53
Korea	18,053	6,656	1,361	1,770	945	850	267	569	17	877	11,021	376	376
Kuwait	766	343	100	77	67	39	9	24	-	27	400	23	23
Laos	6,507	2,552	227	54	127	189	255	1,375	28	297	3,844	111	111
Lebanon	3,556	1,439	326	354	240	118	129	106	-	166	2,041	76	76
Macau	200	95	20	14	8	17	1	17	-	18	102	3	3
Malaysia	1,034	567	215	95	52	80	17	35	1	72	426	41	41
Maldives	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Mongolia	9	5	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	4	-	-
Nepal	205	97	27	11	12	13	2	13	-	19	97	11	11
Oman	8	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	-
Pakistan	8,375	3,768	782	706	787	375	92	711	11	304	4,393	214	214
Philippines	35,431	18,454	5,735	970	1,757	2,997	752	2,601	95	3,547	14,613	2,364	2,364
Qatar	37	17	9	4	2	1	1	-	-	-	19	1	1
Saudi Arabia	247	102	26	29	22	10	4	8	-	3	142	3	3
Singapore	306	150	52	39	19	22	1	7	-	10	146	10	10
Sri Lanka	836	422	193	57	58	45	4	20	-	45	379	35	35
Syria	2,158	782	208	141	137	58	63	104	2	69	1,355	21	21
Taiwan	9,076	3,817	1,406	842	451	546	73	142	7	350	4,955	304	304
Thailand	4,104	2,068	343	232	228	258	88	288	2	629	1,935	101	101
Turkey	1,795	837	195	179	116	53	56	121	1	116	915	43	43
United Arab Emirates	84	24	12	1	9	1	-	1	-	-	58	2	2
Vietnam	41,596	18,529	1,597	555	1,137	1,447	1,773	8,100	138	3,782	22,170	897	897
Yemen	810	463	10	48	132	55	10	135	1	72	339	8	8
Africa	24,312	13,076	3,684	1,681	1,442	1,264	323	2,079	14	2,589	10,059	1,177	1,177
Algeria	469	262	83	47	12	20	10	53	-	37	196	11	11
Angola	86	46	8	8	2	6	3	12	-	7	36	4	4
Benin	19	12	4	2	-	1	-	3	-	2	6	1	1
Botswana	7	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	1	1
Burkina Faso	10	5	1	1	-	-	1	1	-	1	5	-	-
Burundi	15	6	4	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	6	3	3
Cameroon	299	169	81	18	8	17	4	12	-	29	102	28	28
Cape Verde	581	260	13	19	16	20	15	122	-	55	313	8	8
Central African Rep.	3	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chad	12	6	1	2	1	-	-	1	-	1	6	-	-
Comoros	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Congo, Dem. Rep.	115	61	15	4	7	9	5	11	-	10	50	4	4
Congo, Republic	90	48	14	3	3	6	1	10	-	11	38	4	4
Cote d'Ivoire	171	110	29	5	10	10	3	24	1	28	55	6	6
Djibouti	9	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	8	-	-
Egypt	3,786	1,862	520	336	233	144	64	250	2	313	1,830	94	94
Eritrea	756	431	51	19	83	42	8	92	-	136	294	31	31
Ethiopia	2,765	1,553	209	127	292	184	43	346	-	352	1,100	112	112
Gabon	5	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-
Gambia, The	71	41	9	7	6	3	2	5	-	9	26	4	4
Ghana	1,832	993	259	69	88	93	29	137	1	317	698	141	141

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AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	Occupation									No occupation ¹	Unknown
		Total	Professional specialty and technical	Executive, administrative, and managerial	Sales	Administrative support	Precision production, craft, and repair	Operators, fabricators, and laborers	Farming, forestry, and fishing	Service		
Guinea	67	36	6	4	5	1	-	11	-	9	26	5
Guinea-Bissau	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	1
Kenya	734	374	115	86	30	58	6	37	-	42	303	57
Lesotho	3	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Liberia	782	398	109	26	16	56	13	46	-	132	327	57
Libya	171	64	15	8	12	9	5	10	-	5	102	5
Madagascar	25	12	3	2	3	2	-	-	-	2	11	2
Malawi	39	16	5	6	1	1	-	1	-	2	20	3
Mali	51	32	6	5	1	1	1	8	1	9	18	1
Mauritania	19	16	7	3	1	1	-	2	-	2	3	-
Mauritius	38	18	6	5	-	4	-	-	-	3	19	1
Morocco	1,248	697	116	121	107	57	17	102	1	176	516	35
Mozambique	29	14	2	5	1	2	-	1	-	3	14	1
Namibia	15	8	4	-	1	2	-	-	-	1	6	1
Niger	183	81	35	11	9	6	2	6	-	12	98	4
Nigeria	4,355	2,636	1,163	229	207	216	27	282	1	511	1,408	311
Rwanda	62	34	9	4	5	2	-	3	-	11	23	5
Sao Tome and Principe	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senegal	251	147	29	27	19	16	5	31	1	19	92	12
Seychelles	18	7	1	1	1	3	-	-	-	1	9	2
Sierra Leone	518	273	84	31	24	28	6	27	-	73	202	43
Somalia	1,168	524	67	26	64	48	10	216	-	93	622	22
South Africa	1,472	740	289	220	66	80	13	27	4	41	657	75
St. Helena	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sudan	741	427	97	52	35	29	12	140	1	61	299	15
Swaziland	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
Tanzania	334	159	42	40	34	18	3	10	-	12	156	19
Togo	57	34	11	7	3	5	1	3	-	4	21	2
Tunisia	157	90	26	15	11	7	7	7	-	17	61	6
Uganda	297	166	53	29	10	26	5	22	-	21	110	21
Zambia	158	81	28	21	5	18	-	1	1	7	68	9
Zimbabwe	207	114	48	28	8	12	2	7	-	9	85	8
Oceania	2,594	1,272	277	166	117	178	69	218	14	233	1,232	90
American Samoa	97	47	1	4	2	11	1	16	1	11	45	5
Australia	392	187	91	41	15	16	7	6	2	9	195	10
Cocos Islands	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Cook Islands	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	1
Fiji	1,180	590	81	62	70	88	38	113	2	136	549	41
French Polynesia	41	19	4	-	2	4	-	4	-	5	22	-
Kiribati	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
Marshall Islands	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-
Micronesia, Fed. States	4	2	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	1
Nauru	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
New Caledonia	4	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-
New Zealand	347	176	73	40	11	21	3	11	2	15	156	15
Northern Mariana Is.	3	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
Palau	7	2	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	4	1
Papua New Guinea	7	2	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	5	-
Samoa	195	95	13	8	5	19	8	25	-	17	92	8
Solomon Islands	2	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Tonga	301	145	12	10	12	17	11	40	7	36	149	7
Tuvalu	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Vanuatu	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
North America	200,939	108,817	10,419	7,947	8,978	12,267	9,715	32,174	2,881	24,436	86,831	5,291
Canada	7,551	3,569	1,331	895	415	413	115	167	8	225	3,694	288
Greenland	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Mexico	103,234	58,334	3,506	3,413	3,872	5,323	6,473	22,199	2,642	10,906	43,262	1,638
United States	38	19	9	3	2	1	1	1	-	2	19	-

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**TABLE 53. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP □
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Region and country of birth	Total	Occupation									No occupation ¹	Unknown
		Total	Professional specialty and technical	Executive, administrative, and managerial	Sales	Administrative support	Precision production, craft, and repair	Operators, fabricators, and laborers	Farming, forestry, and fishing	Service		
Caribbean	59,602	29,959	4,113	2,368	3,035	4,273	1,701	5,627	87	8,755	27,204	2,439
Anguilla	38	14	6	-	2	1	1	1	-	3	23	1
Antigua-Barbuda	478	254	48	13	23	46	21	28	-	75	201	23
Aruba	41	23	2	3	3	7	2	1	-	5	14	4
Bahamas, The	394	205	53	19	27	37	10	18	-	41	166	23
Barbados	914	485	85	43	32	101	34	52	-	138	361	68
Bermuda	58	24	6	5	2	4	2	1	1	3	29	5
British Virgin Islands	48	22	3	-	1	5	2	3	-	8	23	3
Cayman Islands	15	5	1	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	9	1
Cuba	11,393	5,096	833	610	468	867	409	1,080	22	807	5,929	368
Dominica	372	199	38	11	27	26	22	30	-	45	146	27
Dominican Republic ..	15,010	6,846	478	532	948	791	328	1,863	15	1,891	7,806	358
Grenada	610	331	57	20	26	44	34	44	-	106	248	31
Guadeloupe	14	9	2	1	-	-	2	1	-	3	5	-
Haiti	10,408	5,751	636	242	484	631	229	1,193	30	2,306	4,311	346
Jamaica	13,978	7,593	1,294	565	695	1,156	424	956	13	2,490	5,557	828
Martinique	21	7	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	4	12	2
Montserrat	86	34	7	1	-	8	3	2	-	13	46	6
Netherlands Antilles ..	34	19	7	4	-	3	-	2	-	3	15	-
Puerto Rico	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	331	167	35	7	12	27	15	22	1	48	145	19
St. Lucia	392	222	35	11	26	27	27	31	1	64	147	23
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	440	238	37	17	20	36	13	28	1	86	178	24
Trinidad and Tobago ..	4,484	2,390	447	257	237	451	122	263	3	610	1,817	277
Turks and Caicos Is. ...	40	23	2	5	1	3	1	5	-	6	15	2
U.S. Virgin Islands	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
Central America	30,513	16,935	1,460	1,268	1,654	2,257	1,425	4,179	144	4,548	12,652	926
Belize	1,015	506	82	50	32	98	29	88	2	125	455	54
Costa Rica	1,146	565	101	62	53	80	41	101	5	122	550	31
El Salvador	13,663	8,087	529	516	776	947	719	2,180	69	2,351	5,261	315
Guatemala	6,281	3,549	256	231	289	423	336	991	41	982	2,567	165
Honduras	3,257	1,713	137	135	170	214	147	442	14	454	1,428	116
Nicaragua	3,564	1,760	212	181	227	337	127	301	11	364	1,647	157
Panama	1,587	755	143	93	107	158	26	76	2	150	744	88
South America	42,288	21,590	3,208	2,463	2,566	3,252	1,293	3,896	62	4,850	19,224	1,474
Argentina	2,211	1,136	293	226	147	137	61	117	3	152	1,027	48
Bolivia	908	459	82	60	47	70	26	52	1	121	410	39
Brazil	3,935	1,965	424	373	215	239	69	225	9	411	1,860	110
Chile	1,205	620	156	83	66	74	36	95	3	107	536	49
Colombia	10,872	5,425	772	530	643	737	326	1,118	16	1,283	5,079	368
Ecuador	6,571	3,398	242	297	388	497	296	881	4	793	2,993	180
French Guiana	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Guyana	7,052	3,770	399	276	465	713	252	619	11	1,035	2,980	302
Paraguay	166	90	13	13	8	10	11	13	-	22	71	5
Peru	6,675	3,378	472	344	402	566	174	656	10	754	3,043	254
Suriname	113	59	15	7	7	11	1	4	-	14	44	10
Uruguay	472	227	44	42	24	28	16	38	-	35	230	15
Venezuela	2,107	1,063	296	212	154	170	25	78	5	123	950	94
Stateless	23	5	1	-	1	-	-	2	-	1	18	-
Unknown & not reported	1,433	123	17	11	17	12	12	25	1	28	1,306	4

¹ Includes homemakers, students, children, and unemployed or retired persons. ² Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 54. PERSONS NATURALIZED IN FISCAL YEAR 2001 BY CALENDAR YEAR OF ENTRY
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH**

Region and country of birth	Total	2001 and 2000	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992	1991	1990	Before 1990	Un-known
All countries	608,205	158	196	2,079	16,772	23,581	88,116	76,513	57,127	42,799	27,177	59,705	213,761	221
Europe	89,431	30	32	292	1,943	3,429	18,678	18,432	8,658	7,554	3,923	3,342	23,091	27
Albania	1,032	-	-	6	48	192	454	118	56	79	47	2	30	-
Andorra	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Armenia	1,972	-	-	2	55	70	309	191	134	168	278	159	606	-
Austria	271	-	-	-	3	7	17	9	19	17	12	7	179	1
Azerbaijan	946	1	-	3	14	40	259	329	134	90	43	13	20	-
Belarus	2,008	-	1	1	21	55	650	731	184	181	67	45	72	-
Belgium	299	-	1	-	4	9	30	26	24	15	13	18	159	-
Bosnia-Herzegovina	2,759	-	-	7	17	162	1,383	902	243	11	7	8	19	-
Bulgaria	1,170	-	-	15	64	119	626	154	75	39	23	18	37	-
Croatia	519	-	2	1	18	18	142	79	46	34	13	21	145	-
Czech Republic	47	-	1	-	2	1	11	4	3	6	-	4	15	-
Czechoslovakia ¹	492	-	-	2	12	24	48	39	40	33	18	35	241	-
Denmark	227	-	1	1	-	3	11	8	19	23	12	6	143	-
Estonia	105	-	-	-	10	7	22	27	6	6	4	5	17	1
Finland	115	-	-	2	2	2	9	8	5	4	4	4	77	-
France	1,745	-	1	6	62	96	194	133	155	140	98	92	767	1
Georgia	415	2	-	1	4	28	159	149	31	20	8	5	8	-
Germany	3,212	1	2	2	37	74	214	143	123	171	99	99	2,242	5
Gibraltar	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Greece	1,676	-	-	7	36	49	118	83	91	61	55	68	1,108	-
Hungary	877	1	-	5	39	73	122	82	79	73	40	45	316	2
Iceland	44	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	3	2	3	2	31	-
Ireland	4,441	-	2	6	6	23	145	1,083	717	938	182	246	1,092	1
Italy	2,987	3	-	12	47	56	155	128	115	95	76	72	2,225	3
Kazakhstan	429	1	1	2	17	17	150	141	45	21	15	11	8	-
Kyrgyzstan	81	1	-	-	5	11	27	22	9	4	1	1	-	-
Latvia	360	-	-	-	8	11	115	86	46	29	15	15	35	-
Liechtenstein	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lithuania	405	-	1	2	31	30	149	75	28	34	18	4	33	-
Luxembourg	9	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	7	-
Macedonia	394	-	1	3	23	25	94	61	34	29	8	13	103	-
Malta	63	-	-	-	3	2	3	1	-	1	4	4	45	-
Moldova	959	-	-	3	14	28	271	317	140	98	49	19	20	-
Monaco	4	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-
Netherlands	549	1	-	-	9	18	21	27	20	25	17	21	390	-
Norway	126	-	-	-	1	2	9	4	4	10	3	2	91	-
Poland	11,661	1	1	25	291	346	1,713	2,371	1,739	1,405	675	665	2,427	2
Portugal	2,780	-	1	6	23	24	131	81	59	70	76	142	2,167	-
Romania	3,521	2	1	21	209	294	1,250	390	214	151	174	176	638	1
Russia	9,413	8	6	54	278	533	3,036	2,817	1,002	669	346	233	430	1
San Marino	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Slovak Republic	243	-	-	7	11	19	73	48	20	7	6	11	41	-
Slovenia	42	-	-	-	1	3	9	10	7	-	1	2	9	-
Soviet Union ¹	4,576	-	1	12	70	173	1,229	1,009	461	601	362	215	440	3
Spain	724	1	-	2	15	41	48	39	39	33	26	26	453	1
Sweden	321	-	-	2	5	12	22	16	9	18	13	14	210	-
Switzerland	517	-	-	4	27	18	57	46	35	43	28	26	233	-
Tajikistan	369	-	-	1	1	3	49	205	68	30	7	4	1	-
Turkmenistan	60	-	-	-	1	3	16	25	8	3	1	-	3	-
Ukraine	11,828	1	4	42	172	364	3,505	4,282	1,173	1,019	394	306	564	2
United Kingdom	8,059	6	3	14	138	179	431	599	617	741	442	368	4,520	1
Uzbekistan	2,493	-	-	8	23	25	637	991	413	212	102	25	57	-
Yugoslavia ¹	2,082	-	1	7	66	138	550	343	166	95	38	63	613	2
Asia	247,185	79	100	875	8,602	11,340	43,104	37,046	30,107	19,926	13,397	13,884	68,659	66
Afghanistan	1,947	-	-	4	56	87	200	157	187	209	108	123	816	-
Bahrain	47	-	-	-	5	5	6	8	1	6	8	3	5	-

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**TABLE 54. PERSONS NATURALIZED IN FISCAL YEAR 2001 BY CALENDAR YEAR OF ENTRY
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Region and country of birth	Total	2001 and 2000	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992	1991	1990	Before 1990	Un-known
Bangladesh	4,419	1	2	20	346	327	1,639	651	406	207	301	328	191	-
Bhutan	4	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-
Brunei	8	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	1	1	-	-	2	-
Burma	1,079	1	-	10	52	67	379	166	103	69	35	40	157	-
Cambodia	3,489	2	1	8	132	110	160	123	57	42	44	51	2,759	-
China, People's Rep.	34,423	8	9	149	1,185	1,637	5,938	6,939	7,977	2,364	1,154	803	6,254	6
Cyprus	185	-	-	-	5	16	16	23	20	20	11	12	62	-
Hong Kong	5,274	-	-	24	190	295	1,204	981	640	501	295	232	912	-
India	34,311	5	11	91	1,269	1,686	6,725	4,961	3,944	2,560	1,657	2,000	9,397	5
Indonesia	1,247	-	-	2	57	66	96	102	113	162	93	121	435	-
Iran	13,881	-	4	37	359	476	1,640	1,396	1,231	990	748	929	6,068	3
Iraq	3,451	-	-	14	97	129	905	849	513	373	101	69	401	-
Israel	2,974	-	1	18	122	189	440	493	338	345	181	168	677	2
Japan	2,369	2	1	3	32	33	79	107	114	182	82	90	1,644	-
Jordan	2,883	1	3	28	266	326	552	403	307	207	130	105	555	-
Korea	18,053	12	9	35	245	330	1,352	1,482	1,163	1,098	970	1,428	9,924	5
Kuwait	766	-	2	16	77	86	199	125	100	51	15	21	73	1
Laos	6,507	-	1	5	14	28	131	212	317	309	293	270	4,922	5
Lebanon	3,556	3	2	32	224	352	773	535	377	267	171	185	635	-
Macau	200	-	-	-	5	10	67	32	23	12	5	4	42	-
Malaysia	1,034	1	-	4	35	49	107	102	123	132	98	79	304	-
Maldives	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mongolia	9	-	-	-	-	2	5	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Nepal	205	-	-	2	10	14	56	24	28	14	13	12	32	-
Oman	8	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	1	-	-	-	3	-
Pakistan	8,375	2	8	48	616	704	2,046	1,233	800	560	417	776	1,165	-
Philippines	35,431	29	29	176	1,833	2,328	6,442	5,488	4,421	3,397	2,214	2,343	6,700	31
Qatar	37	-	-	1	6	4	9	4	5	1	1	2	4	-
Saudi Arabia	247	1	1	2	27	24	56	35	25	16	18	8	34	-
Singapore	306	-	-	2	8	18	29	31	37	31	18	23	109	-
Sri Lanka	836	-	1	1	25	62	216	151	120	76	35	51	98	-
Syria	2,158	-	1	18	174	204	438	358	208	145	79	110	423	-
Taiwan	9,076	2	5	45	309	580	2,080	1,596	1,128	864	528	404	1,534	1
Thailand	4,104	1	2	15	106	106	217	206	216	178	169	265	2,623	-
Turkey	1,795	3	2	9	93	146	494	193	137	130	69	89	430	-
United Arab Emirates	84	-	-	-	3	7	24	17	7	5	5	4	12	-
Vietnam	41,596	5	5	55	591	798	8,226	7,780	4,808	4,258	3,289	2,670	9,104	7
Yemen	810	-	-	1	26	34	158	79	110	142	42	66	152	-
Africa	24,312	5	16	165	1,258	1,944	7,588	2,916	2,330	1,666	1,004	1,406	4,012	2
Algeria	469	-	1	8	49	58	184	45	30	30	5	12	47	-
Angola	86	-	-	1	2	8	7	13	2	2	3	9	39	-
Benin	19	-	-	-	2	3	2	2	2	2	-	2	4	-
Botswana	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	6	-
Burkina Faso	10	-	-	-	1	-	1	4	1	1	-	-	1	-
Burundi	15	-	-	-	1	2	7	1	-	-	-	1	3	-
Cameroon	299	-	-	3	20	33	104	49	25	14	6	16	29	-
Cape Verde	581	-	-	7	11	22	61	50	37	44	30	26	292	1
Central African Rep.	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Chad	12	-	-	-	1	2	5	2	2	-	-	-	-	-
Comoros	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	115	-	-	1	2	8	25	17	22	6	7	9	18	-
Congo, Republic	90	-	-	1	2	6	24	13	10	4	7	7	16	-
Cote d'Ivoire	171	-	1	1	20	21	36	29	22	13	8	10	10	-
Djibouti	9	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	1	2	-	1	1	-
Egypt	3,786	1	-	30	279	341	1,468	474	289	204	127	182	391	-
Eritrea	756	-	-	3	19	47	226	59	78	54	50	50	170	-
Ethiopia	2,765	-	2	9	81	140	1,030	201	287	227	148	173	466	1
Gabon	5	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	1	-	-	-	-
Gambia, The	71	-	-	1	4	4	19	9	3	5	10	4	12	-

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**TABLE 54. PERSONS NATURALIZED IN FISCAL YEAR 2001 BY CALENDAR YEAR OF ENTRY
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	2001 and 2000	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992	1991	1990	Before 1990	Un-known
Ghana	1,832	-	1	8	98	167	567	180	135	101	68	138	369	-
Guinea	67	-	-	2	8	10	20	9	2	5	4	3	4	-
Guinea-Bissau	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	1	1	1	-
Kenya	734	-	-	3	25	36	140	83	86	70	45	50	196	-
Lesotho	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Liberia	782	-	2	4	26	35	154	116	116	63	30	51	185	-
Libya	171	-	-	4	11	18	38	23	15	10	9	3	40	-
Madagascar	25	-	-	-	2	1	3	6	5	2	2	2	2	-
Malawi	39	-	-	-	1	3	8	3	3	1	1	1	18	-
Mali	51	-	-	-	5	5	21	5	5	3	4	1	2	-
Mauritania	19	1	-	-	1	-	12	-	1	1	1	-	2	-
Mauritius	38	-	-	-	2	2	9	4	1	5	3	4	8	-
Morocco	1,248	-	4	24	144	147	406	123	98	81	41	49	131	-
Mozambique	29	-	1	-	-	1	6	2	2	2	2	3	10	-
Namibia	15	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	2	2	-	2	5	-
Niger	183	-	-	1	1	15	23	26	24	21	9	18	45	-
Nigeria	4,355	-	3	31	265	404	1,363	516	342	275	142	322	692	-
Rwanda	62	-	-	-	-	11	40	7	3	-	-	-	1	-
Sao Tome and Principe	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senegal	251	-	-	-	10	41	88	18	13	4	4	42	31	-
Seychelles	18	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	3	2	1	1	8	-
Sierra Leone	518	-	-	1	26	54	133	75	42	42	23	39	83	-
Somalia	1,168	-	-	3	12	80	381	218	320	102	18	9	25	-
South Africa	1,472	2	1	7	45	96	315	245	149	154	104	67	287	-
St. Helena	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Sudan	741	-	-	4	28	55	404	124	48	16	15	21	26	-
Swaziland	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
Tanzania	334	-	-	-	8	11	66	48	29	22	19	19	112	-
Togo	57	-	-	-	3	8	29	5	5	1	2	-	4	-
Tunisia	157	-	-	5	12	13	43	20	8	12	7	4	33	-
Uganda	297	-	-	1	14	13	36	34	21	28	21	31	98	-
Zambia	158	-	-	2	9	7	30	23	15	8	12	13	39	-
Zimbabwe	207	-	-	-	8	14	44	28	21	23	13	10	46	-
Oceania	2,594	11	7	12	77	103	341	309	186	142	135	206	1,061	4
American Samoa	97	9	6	9	4	5	1	8	3	4	-	3	43	2
Australia	392	-	-	-	13	13	24	18	16	26	18	15	249	-
Cocos Islands	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Cook Islands	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	-
Fiji	1,180	-	-	1	35	60	256	207	107	64	69	68	313	-
French Polynesia	41	-	-	-	1	-	4	5	3	1	4	2	21	-
Kiribati	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-
Marshall Islands	3	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Micronesia, Federated States	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	1
Nauru	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
New Caledonia	4	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
New Zealand	347	-	-	-	8	12	26	43	35	26	26	16	155	-
Northern Mariana Is.	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	-
Palau	7	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	6	-
Papua New Guinea	7	-	-	-	1	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	3	-
Samoa	195	1	1	2	7	8	15	14	10	6	9	31	90	1
Solomon Islands	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Tonga	301	-	-	-	7	4	9	12	11	13	8	70	167	-
Tuvalu	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
North America	200,939	26	25	414	3,152	4,370	12,515	12,375	12,004	10,270	6,827	37,218	101,639	104
Canada	7,551	3	2	19	147	208	510	532	543	502	365	360	4,354	6
Greenland	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-

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**TABLE 54. PERSONS NATURALIZED IN FISCAL YEAR 2001 BY CALENDAR YEAR OF ENTRY
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	2001 and 2000	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992	1991	1990	Before 1990	Un-known
Mexico	103,234	7	11	111	1,383	1,674	3,007	3,413	3,769	3,595	2,217	27,478	56,498	71
United States	38	-	-	-	2	-	2	5	4	-	1	4	20	-
Caribbean	59,602	11	8	205	1,057	1,664	7,025	6,458	4,913	3,508	2,788	4,725	27,222	18
Anguilla	38	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	5	1	29	-
Antigua-Barbuda ...	478	-	-	1	9	7	12	28	33	34	29	46	279	-
Aruba	41	-	-	-	-	-	7	2	1	-	2	4	25	-
Bahamas, The	394	-	-	2	13	10	21	23	20	12	21	58	214	-
Barbados	914	-	-	1	14	22	58	73	62	42	30	57	554	1
Bermuda	58	-	-	-	1	-	3	5	1	1	-	4	43	-
British Virgin Is.	48	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	45	-
Cayman Islands	15	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	-
Cuba	11,393	3	-	22	90	284	2,959	1,276	871	500	401	339	4,641	7
Dominica	372	-	1	4	10	15	47	49	34	29	21	20	142	-
Dominican Rep.	15,010	-	1	50	169	276	872	1,690	1,260	1,235	720	1,023	7,713	1
Grenada	610	-	-	3	6	19	49	77	59	38	24	47	288	-
Guadeloupe	14	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	1	1	8	-
Haiti	10,408	4	3	32	269	332	1,009	1,268	927	198	487	1,779	4,099	1
Jamaica	13,978	2	3	74	340	462	1,330	1,220	1,102	915	725	949	6,851	5
Martinique	21	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	2	3	1	1	11	-
Montserrat	86	-	-	-	-	1	7	10	4	3	4	10	47	-
Netherlands														
Antilles	34	-	-	-	1	-	4	2	1	3	1	3	19	-
Puerto Rico	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	331	-	-	1	3	6	26	16	27	11	24	25	191	1
St. Lucia	392	-	-	-	12	18	34	38	41	34	24	25	165	1
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	440	-	-	-	5	14	53	53	37	36	24	39	179	-
Trinidad and Tobago	4,484	2	-	15	112	197	525	625	431	410	238	280	1,648	1
Turks and Caicos Islands	40	-	-	-	2	1	2	1	-	2	3	14	15	-
U.S. Virgin Islands	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
Central America	30,513	5	4	79	563	824	1,971	1,967	2,774	2,665	1,456	4,651	13,545	9
Belize	1,015	-	-	2	9	19	39	47	47	48	58	181	564	1
Costa Rica	1,146	1	-	11	30	46	85	67	68	57	46	101	634	-
El Salvador	13,663	1	-	18	161	235	731	829	1,353	1,387	589	2,259	6,098	2
Guatemala	6,281	-	-	11	100	132	376	342	583	512	252	1,174	2,796	3
Honduras	3,257	-	-	14	109	144	249	286	307	278	184	414	1,270	2
Nicaragua	3,564	-	1	13	107	173	364	288	278	280	227	430	1,402	1
Panama	1,587	3	3	10	47	75	127	108	138	103	100	92	781	-
South America	42,288	7	16	321	1,727	2,391	5,386	4,962	3,809	3,227	1,874	3,624	14,936	8
Argentina	2,211	2	-	6	76	114	252	191	200	209	102	179	880	-
Bolivia	908	-	-	6	32	54	128	111	77	66	38	84	312	-
Brazil	3,935	1	1	35	206	261	540	444	386	270	162	479	1,149	1
Chile	1,205	-	-	7	44	49	96	111	89	80	43	95	590	1
Colombia	10,872	-	7	104	539	696	1,260	1,018	884	778	428	951	4,204	3
Ecuador	6,571	1	5	33	173	224	566	555	483	496	285	544	3,206	-
French Guiana	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Guyana	7,052	-	-	21	101	222	1,092	1,335	764	587	414	377	2,139	-
Paraguay	166	-	-	1	5	16	21	17	9	18	14	12	53	-
Peru	6,675	2	2	75	381	537	1,044	848	687	571	279	686	1,561	2
Suriname	113	-	-	2	4	11	24	20	7	10	3	3	29	-
Uruguay	472	-	-	2	10	30	49	44	36	22	13	53	213	-
Venezuela	2,107	1	1	29	156	177	314	268	187	120	93	161	599	1
Stateless	23	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	1	-	1	17	1
Unknown	1,433	-	-	-	13	4	502	472	33	13	17	24	346	9

¹ Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.
- Represents zero.

**TABLE 55. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH, AGE, AND SEX
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Age and sex	All countries	Mexico	Vietnam	Philippines	China, People's Republic	India	Korea	Dominican Republic	Jamaica	Iran
Total	608,205	103,234	41,596	35,431	34,423	34,311	18,053	15,010	13,978	13,881
18-19 years ¹	7,204	621	912	304	459	473	394	196	94	184
20-24 years	53,928	7,474	4,124	2,595	2,914	3,479	2,097	1,970	1,104	924
25-29 years	70,986	11,598	8,339	4,104	2,767	3,843	2,162	2,201	1,801	865
30-34 years	84,530	18,270	6,482	5,367	3,654	4,834	2,039	1,984	1,711	1,339
35-39 years	92,810	18,838	3,526	5,637	5,962	5,695	2,040	2,172	1,949	1,777
40-44 years	77,241	14,145	2,590	4,963	4,273	4,361	2,370	1,618	1,910	1,901
45-49 years	59,415	9,997	2,790	3,704	3,201	3,456	1,824	1,204	1,420	1,622
50-54 years	46,662	7,330	3,311	2,289	2,261	2,553	1,227	1,117	1,319	1,197
55-59 years	34,846	5,362	3,059	1,534	2,000	1,901	1,141	882	966	871
60-64 years	27,928	3,647	2,451	1,383	1,666	1,430	979	669	692	809
65-69 years	21,771	2,546	1,820	1,426	1,811	1,133	810	444	459	806
70-74 years	15,707	1,637	1,264	1,164	1,605	639	485	315	319	778
75-79 years	9,612	1,119	610	696	1,137	347	303	163	150	550
80 years and over	5,563	650	318	265	713	167	182	75	84	258
Unknown age	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Male	283,754	55,688	20,316	13,225	15,052	16,393	7,769	6,054	5,398	6,595
18-19 years ¹	3,229	213	420	165	221	207	192	82	41	90
20-24 years	24,068	2,797	1,904	1,243	1,434	1,626	1,022	747	416	477
25-29 years	31,927	5,183	4,208	1,725	1,161	1,678	1,141	876	658	377
30-34 years	40,122	10,974	3,350	1,694	1,141	1,768	886	778	623	591
35-39 years	46,019	11,626	1,776	2,042	2,528	2,814	654	909	751	819
40-44 years	37,929	8,202	1,067	1,880	2,086	2,250	909	695	767	953
45-49 years	28,526	5,660	1,119	1,353	1,510	1,779	794	537	583	885
50-54 years	21,887	3,808	1,508	869	1,043	1,343	560	462	516	644
55-59 years	15,978	2,684	1,687	562	897	1,004	523	342	372	371
60-64 years	12,338	1,891	1,300	505	714	760	420	270	286	343
65-69 years	9,434	1,212	913	462	802	576	345	188	192	337
70-74 years	6,550	730	643	379	698	338	179	111	112	332
75-79 years	3,738	480	288	243	479	169	80	40	60	261
80 years and over	2,009	228	133	103	338	81	64	17	21	115
Female	308,502	44,739	20,941	21,311	18,824	16,891	9,881	8,150	7,994	7,119
18-19 years ¹	3,824	396	488	136	232	256	195	111	43	94
20-24 years	28,612	4,443	2,183	1,280	1,434	1,752	1,026	1,164	657	439
25-29 years	37,359	6,121	4,052	2,256	1,571	2,083	968	1,219	1,077	479
30-34 years	42,573	6,984	3,081	3,560	2,469	2,972	1,103	1,106	1,011	732
35-39 years	44,787	6,945	1,714	3,490	3,356	2,748	1,341	1,149	1,130	941
40-44 years	37,459	5,667	1,500	2,943	2,107	1,973	1,409	852	1,065	924
45-49 years	29,353	4,122	1,646	2,250	1,625	1,576	994	604	782	713
50-54 years	23,421	3,267	1,783	1,358	1,173	1,133	648	586	741	536
55-59 years	17,634	2,398	1,351	936	1,073	812	593	475	534	493
60-64 years	14,640	1,565	1,136	844	921	604	535	344	380	454
65-69 years	11,564	1,178	895	927	979	494	447	220	243	458
70-74 years	8,582	765	613	751	885	267	295	179	189	439
75-79 years	5,451	534	316	428	641	150	214	100	83	281
80 years and over	3,243	354	183	152	358	71	113	41	59	136
Unknown sex	15,949	2,807	339	895	547	1,027	403	806	586	167
Percent distribution	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	46.7	53.9	48.8	37.3	43.7	47.8	43.0	40.3	38.6	47.5
Female	50.7	43.3	50.3	60.1	54.7	49.2	54.7	54.3	57.2	51.3
Unknown sex	2.6	2.7	.8	2.5	1.6	3.0	2.2	5.4	4.2	1.2

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 55. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH, AGE, AND SEX
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Age and sex	El Salvador	Ukraine	Poland	Cuba	Colombia	Haiti	Russia	Taiwan	Pakistan	Other
Total	13,663	11,828	11,661	11,393	10,872	10,408	9,413	9,076	8,375	201,599
18-19 years ¹	153	135	170	83	111	61	122	320	123	2,289
20-24 years	1,752	960	1,271	612	897	985	857	1,478	934	17,501
25-29 years	1,914	971	1,557	1,156	1,025	1,482	872	875	1,236	22,218
30-34 years	1,837	1,026	1,422	1,378	1,290	1,367	1,001	768	1,364	27,397
35-39 years	2,262	1,053	1,413	1,574	1,974	1,544	1,059	1,602	1,503	31,230
40-44 years	2,024	1,108	1,406	1,028	1,679	1,471	1,057	1,423	1,123	26,791
45-49 years	1,447	912	1,367	812	1,169	1,163	914	1,053	817	20,543
50-54 years	876	967	1,129	910	846	698	834	666	424	16,708
55-59 years	522	418	669	957	655	540	630	232	283	12,224
60-64 years	331	1,149	500	779	461	413	718	220	222	9,409
65-69 years	214	956	392	724	307	307	499	169	171	6,777
70-74 years	161	970	211	617	237	208	408	139	111	4,439
75-79 years	91	736	112	408	136	112	270	79	39	2,554
80 years and over	79	467	42	355	85	57	172	52	25	1,517
Unknown age	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Male	6,365	5,316	4,969	5,751	4,338	4,738	3,796	3,892	4,330	93,769
18-19 years ¹	58	62	71	51	54	28	57	168	48	1,001
20-24 years	678	447	531	303	394	363	405	818	437	8,026
25-29 years	870	438	735	606	437	589	344	407	551	9,943
30-34 years	1,008	501	604	782	501	616	381	295	635	12,994
35-39 years	1,127	473	628	943	837	751	437	566	807	15,531
40-44 years	1,008	497	608	585	685	743	429	636	649	13,280
45-49 years	714	446	589	430	439	585	370	419	482	9,832
50-54 years	418	449	469	475	330	353	344	238	265	7,793
55-59 years	209	178	280	444	263	260	274	98	158	5,372
60-64 years	129	474	185	338	176	176	255	86	115	3,915
65-69 years	76	430	141	285	99	146	190	59	95	2,886
70-74 years	38	459	82	242	71	75	166	51	59	1,785
75-79 years	17	289	35	161	28	40	90	28	20	930
80 years and over	15	173	11	106	24	13	54	23	9	481
Female	7,051	6,425	6,277	5,150	6,038	5,290	5,540	5,056	3,852	101,973
18-19 years ¹	93	73	96	30	54	26	65	150	69	1,217
20-24 years	1,049	510	705	298	467	590	444	641	476	9,054
25-29 years	1,008	526	765	531	550	850	523	456	662	11,662
30-34 years	800	522	784	565	729	707	611	468	708	13,661
35-39 years	1,087	571	729	582	1,058	760	608	1,015	671	14,892
40-44 years	987	606	748	402	919	684	620	768	447	12,838
45-49 years	714	458	731	329	679	528	538	616	320	10,128
50-54 years	442	511	613	401	477	318	482	415	142	8,395
55-59 years	304	235	362	444	363	241	354	129	113	6,424
60-64 years	194	666	297	387	255	216	457	126	97	5,162
65-69 years	133	519	233	388	185	144	307	109	68	3,637
70-74 years	114	501	120	349	150	120	240	85	48	2,472
75-79 years	69	440	69	231	99	64	175	50	16	1,491
80 years and over	57	287	25	213	53	42	116	28	15	940
Unknown sex	247	87	415	492	496	380	77	128	193	5,857
Percent distribution	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	46.6	44.9	42.6	50.5	39.9	45.5	40.3	42.9	51.7	46.5
Female	51.6	54.3	53.8	45.2	55.5	50.8	58.9	55.7	46.0	50.6
Unknown sex	1.8	.7	3.6	4.3	4.6	3.7	.8	1.4	2.3	2.9

¹ Beginning in fiscal year 2001, small numbers of persons age 17 and under were excluded since 18 is the minimum age for naturalization.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 56. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY AGE AND SEX
FISCAL YEARS 1992-2001**

Age and sex	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Total	240,252	314,681	434,107	488,088	1,044,689	598,225	463,060	839,944	888,788	608,205
Under 18 years ¹	7,105	8,854	9,814	7,294	15,159	22,104	840	680	575	X
18-19 years	5,751	6,812	8,728	8,864	14,543	10,903	3,660	4,782	7,297	7,204
20-24 years	25,790	31,357	41,618	41,764	74,432	45,494	32,941	65,022	76,701	53,928
25-29 years	34,207	37,957	49,404	50,632	101,607	64,781	45,190	86,350	99,620	70,986
30-34 years	42,074	47,913	61,786	65,856	140,715	87,657	59,242	110,018	118,489	84,530
35-39 years	36,459	45,436	62,349	70,654	152,774	90,061	63,357	126,092	136,651	92,810
40-44 years	25,108	33,471	49,136	59,132	129,105	74,287	53,772	108,286	117,154	77,241
45-49 years	16,155	23,969	37,313	45,120	97,817	53,640	39,606	82,351	89,163	59,415
50-54 years	11,883	18,854	29,030	33,934	73,562	38,714	31,492	64,102	69,574	46,662
55-59 years	9,610	17,165	25,678	30,558	63,648	31,198	26,344	49,997	51,411	34,846
60-64 years	8,738	14,664	20,879	24,666	53,554	24,634	23,936	43,074	41,879	27,928
65-69 years	8,614	12,979	17,139	20,153	45,430	19,096	21,201	34,541	31,634	21,771
70-74 years	5,275	8,642	11,763	14,653	34,408	12,307	20,806	26,511	23,750	15,707
75-79 years	2,376	4,314	5,856	8,408	20,203	10,909	17,906	19,414	15,297	9,612
80 years and over	1,103	2,273	3,595	6,277	18,216	12,436	22,461	18,703	9,593	5,563
Unknown age	4	21	19	123	9,516	4	306	21	-	2
Male	120,430	155,910	205,671	230,754	457,273	257,587	195,882	342,480	391,787	283,754
Under 18 years ¹	3,499	4,428	4,768	3,369	4,900	3,467	189	163	122	X
18-19 years	2,503	3,244	4,024	4,051	5,745	3,846	1,487	1,812	3,181	3,229
20-24 years	12,271	15,032	19,342	19,531	30,519	18,578	13,325	25,228	32,411	24,068
25-29 years	16,836	18,572	23,323	24,029	44,839	29,479	19,530	34,809	42,173	31,927
30-34 years	21,667	24,405	30,001	32,571	68,239	42,615	28,126	48,798	53,425	40,122
35-39 years	18,927	23,259	30,638	35,442	73,244	42,631	29,734	56,034	64,342	46,019
40-44 years	12,447	16,741	23,780	28,961	59,595	33,849	24,310	46,377	54,353	37,929
45-49 years	7,906	11,483	17,377	21,395	43,716	23,708	17,263	33,975	40,307	28,526
50-54 years	5,394	8,461	12,761	15,221	30,748	16,457	13,253	25,805	30,604	21,887
55-59 years	4,298	7,591	11,042	13,318	25,957	12,853	10,579	19,149	21,930	15,978
60-64 years	4,176	6,783	9,108	10,947	21,880	10,064	9,406	16,162	17,695	12,338
65-69 years	5,150	7,106	8,594	8,898	17,963	7,710	8,223	12,834	12,899	9,434
70-74 years	3,337	5,096	6,280	6,708	13,203	4,801	7,619	9,298	9,403	6,550
75-79 years	1,445	2,566	3,059	3,805	7,290	3,852	6,345	6,643	5,696	3,738
80 years and over	572	1,130	1,567	2,439	5,566	3,677	6,416	5,389	3,246	2,009
Unknown age	2	13	7	69	3,869	-	77	4	-	-
Female	114,273	157,980	221,367	253,698	522,101	303,497	254,958	432,635	452,523	308,502
Under 18 years ¹	3,240	4,228	4,743	3,430	5,237	3,593	207	219	177	X
18-19 years	3,044	3,543	4,428	4,715	7,435	5,049	2,014	2,461	3,791	3,824
20-24 years	12,807	16,278	21,357	22,031	39,255	25,020	18,633	34,111	40,296	28,612
25-29 years	16,600	19,334	25,388	26,319	50,775	33,152	24,379	44,863	52,517	37,359
30-34 years	19,478	23,445	30,886	32,935	65,448	42,484	29,800	54,170	60,136	42,573
35-39 years	16,673	22,110	30,776	34,823	72,136	44,868	32,208	61,647	66,460	44,787
40-44 years	12,091	16,643	24,530	29,825	63,013	38,026	28,206	54,482	57,661	37,459
45-49 years	7,905	12,427	19,334	23,438	48,737	28,051	21,418	42,456	44,794	29,353
50-54 years	6,255	10,335	15,851	18,433	37,853	20,670	17,367	33,353	35,343	23,421
55-59 years	5,138	9,537	14,255	16,953	33,451	17,005	14,930	26,408	26,150	17,634
60-64 years	4,413	7,840	11,471	13,510	28,032	13,457	13,872	22,902	21,483	14,640
65-69 years	3,356	5,850	8,342	11,072	24,373	10,514	12,383	18,567	16,564	11,564
70-74 years	1,859	3,529	5,315	7,828	18,859	6,911	12,583	14,979	12,838	8,582
75-79 years	896	1,741	2,714	4,536	11,621	6,518	11,164	10,927	8,633	5,451
80 years and over	516	1,134	1,967	3,798	11,582	8,179	15,566	11,075	5,680	3,243
Unknown age	2	6	10	52	4,294	-	228	15	-	-
Unknown sex	5,549	791	7,069	3,636	65,315	37,141	12,220	64,829	44,478	15,949
Percent distribution	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	50.1	49.5	47.4	47.3	43.8	43.1	42.3	40.8	44.1	46.7
Female	47.6	50.2	51.0	52.0	50.0	50.7	55.1	51.5	50.9	50.7
Unknown sex	2.3	.3	1.6	.7	6.2	6.2	2.6	7.7	5.0	2.6
Median age ¹	36	37	38	39	40	38	42	40	40	39
Male	36	36	37	38	39	38	41	40	40	39
Female	36	37	38	39	40	39	43	40	40	39

¹ Data prior to 1998 may include children under age 18 who derived or acquired citizenship. Beginning in fiscal year 2001, small numbers of persons age 17 and under were excluded since 18 is the minimum age for naturalization. - Represents zero. X Not applicable.

VI. ENFORCEMENT

This section provides information about actions taken by the Immigration and Naturalization Service to prevent illegal entry into the United States and to apprehend and remove deportable aliens from the United States.

Enforcement of Immigration Laws

The Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) has the initial responsibility of determining who may be admitted to the United States. The INS also has the responsibility of enforcing immigration laws within the United States and on the borders. These responsibilities include locating and arresting aliens who are in violation of the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA), *i.e.*, aliens attempting an illegal entry, aliens who successfully complete an illegal entry, and aliens who entered the United States legally but have since lost their legal status. The arrests are known as apprehensions. Almost all of the work involved in locating and arresting aliens is done by either Border Patrol agents or Investigations special agents. Immigration inspectors work to prevent the entry of inadmissible aliens at a port of entry. The custody and processing of apprehended aliens and certain aliens refused entry are a joint effort involving arresting agents, INS attorneys, and detention and deportation officers. Aliens refused admission or apprehended may be removed from the United States as described below.

The September 11 terrorist attacks

The September 11 terrorist attacks did not have a significant impact on the statistics reported in this section because they occurred late in the fiscal year. The more extensive effects on data for fiscal year 2002 will be reported in the next edition of the *Statistical Yearbook*.

Border Patrol

The primary mission of the U.S. Border Patrol is to secure the 8,000 miles of land and water boundaries of the United States between ports of entry. The major objectives of the Border Patrol are to prevent illegal entry into the United States, interdict drug smugglers and other criminals, and compel those persons seeking admission to present themselves legally at ports of entry for inspection. The

INS “prevention through deterrence” strategy calls for deploying Border Patrol agents along the border to prevent and deter illegal entry, rather than apprehending undocumented immigrants after they have entered the United States. Border Patrol operations are divided into 21 sectors. The southwest border covers four states (California, Arizona, New Mexico, and Texas) and divides into nine sectors: San Diego and El Centro in California; Yuma and Tucson in Arizona; El Paso sector covering New Mexico and the western-most portion of Texas; and Marfa, Del Rio, Laredo, and McAllen in Texas. The remaining 12 sectors are: Livermore, California; New Orleans, Louisiana; Miami, Florida; Havre, Montana; Blaine and Spokane in Washington; Grand Forks, North Dakota; Buffalo, New York; Swanton, Vermont; Detroit, Michigan; Ramey, Puerto Rico; and Houlton, Maine.

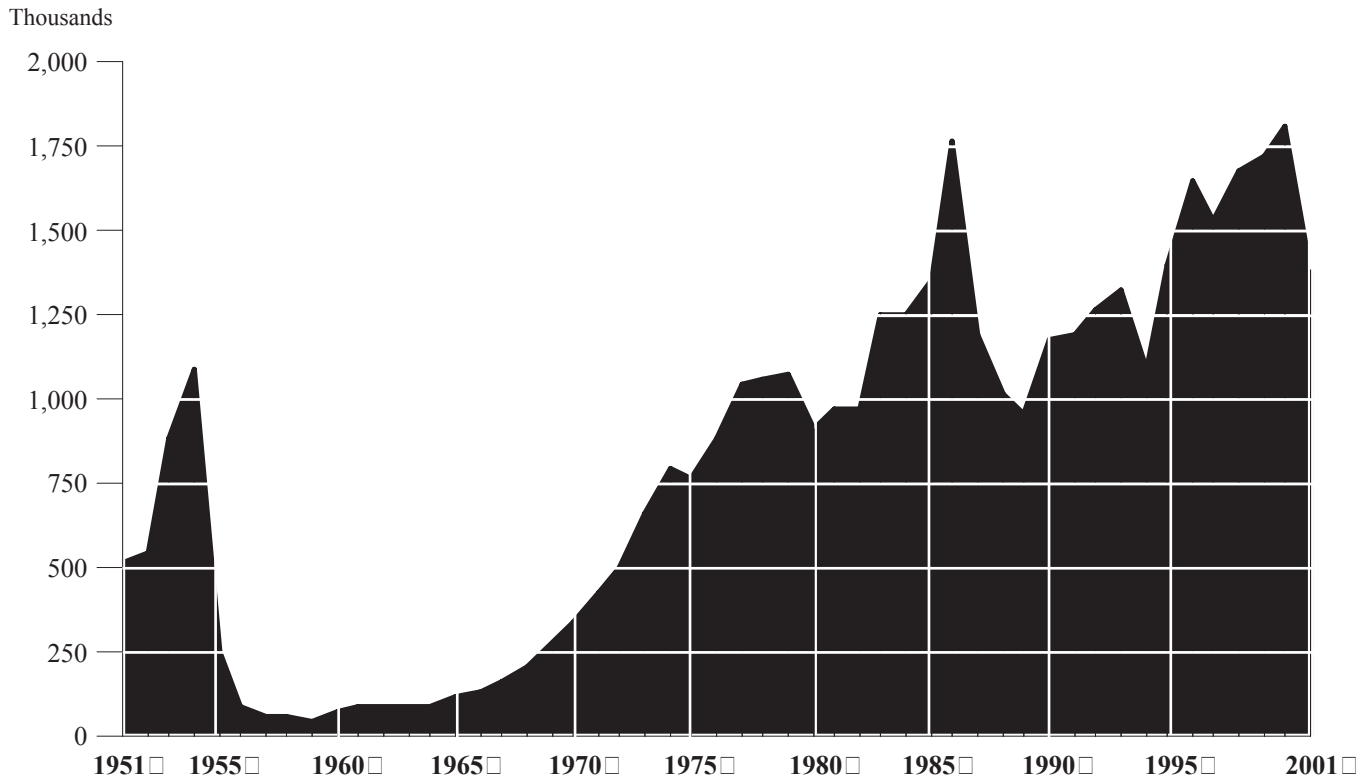
Investigations Program

The Investigations Program focuses on the enforcement of immigration laws within the interior of the United States. Special agents plan and conduct investigations of persons and events subject to the administrative and criminal provisions of the INA. Agents use both traditional and modern technological methods, including forensic science, to investigate violations of immigration law and aliens involved in criminal activities. They often work as team members in multi-agency task forces against terrorism, violent crime, document fraud, narcotic trafficking, and various forms of organized crime. They also seek to identify aliens who are incarcerated and deportable as a result of their criminal convictions. In addition, agents monitor and inspect work sites to apprehend unauthorized alien workers and to impose sanctions against employers who knowingly employ them. Apprehensions at places of employment may result in removal from the workplace and also can result in removal from the United States.

Inspections Program

Immigration inspectors determine the admissibility of aliens who have arrived at a designated port of entry.

Chart M
Aliens Apprehended: Fiscal Years 1951-2001



Source: Tables 57 and 58. See Glossary for fiscal year definitions.

There are approximately 300 such ports in the United States. Inspectors may permit most inadmissible aliens the opportunity to withdraw their application for admission or, in some cases, inspectors will refer an alien to an immigration judge for removal proceedings. Since April 1997, inspectors have had the authority to order certain aliens removed under expedited removal proceedings without further hearings or review by an immigration judge. The expedited removal order carries the same penalties as a removal order issued by an immigration judge. Immigration inspectors also prepare cases for criminal prosecution by United States Attorneys, including cases involving alien smuggling, document fraud, and attempted illegal entry.

Detention and Removal Program

Officers and staff of the Detention and Removal Program are responsible for monitoring the cases of aliens in removal proceedings. In addition, the program provides detention funding and positions in most Border Patrol sectors. Officers assume custodial responsibility for alien detainees providing for their needs including food, shelter,

medical care, access to counsel, and recreation. The officers determine appropriate release conditions and facilitate release of detained aliens on parole, bond, and recognizance or pursuant to orders of supervision where appropriate. Officers enforce the departure from the United States of deportable and inadmissible aliens under final removal orders. This activity requires securing travel documents and related liaison with foreign governments, making travel arrangements, and providing escorts as required.

***More than 71,000 criminal aliens
were removed during 2001.***

The Removal Process

Removal proceedings encompass the actions that lead to the formal removal of an alien from the United States when the presence of that alien is deemed inconsistent with the public welfare. The INS has several options in removing an alien from the United States. Traditionally,

these options included deportation, voluntary departure, and exclusion; however, the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act (IIRIRA) of 1996 made major revisions to these procedures that were effective on April 1, 1997. Deportation and exclusion proceedings were consolidated as removal proceedings (with voluntary departure continuing as an option at government convenience). The most significant change was the new authority for expedited removals.

Most removal proceedings are conducted before an immigration judge. Possible outcomes of an immigration hearing include removal, adjustment to a legal status, or a termination of proceedings. Some aliens abscond before or after the hearing. Decisions of the immigration judge can be appealed to the Board of Immigration Appeals.

Under expedited removal an immigration officer may determine that an arriving alien is inadmissible because the alien engaged in fraud or misrepresentation or because the alien lacks proper documents. The officer can order the alien removed without further hearing or review unless the alien states a fear of persecution or an intention to apply for asylum. Officers refer aliens who make such pleas to an asylum officer and the case may eventually be argued before an immigration judge.

The penalties associated with formal removal include not only the removal but possible fines, imprisonment for up to 10 years, and a bar to future legal entry (the bar is permanent for aggravated felons and up to 20 years for other aliens). The imposition and extent of these penalties depend upon the circumstances of the case.

Voluntary departure

In some cases, an apprehended alien may be offered a voluntary departure. This procedure is common with non-criminal aliens who are apprehended by the Border Patrol during an attempted illegal entry. Aliens agree that their entry was illegal, waive their right to a hearing, remain in custody, and are removed under supervision. Some aliens apprehended within the United States agree to voluntarily depart and pay the expense of departing. These departures may be granted by an immigration judge or, in some circumstances, by an INS District Director. Aliens who have agreed to a voluntary departure can be legally admitted in the future without penalty. Although such departures are called “voluntary departures,” they are required and verified.

Data Overview: Apprehensions

(Tables 57-60)

Aliens are apprehended under two INS programs—Border Patrol and Investigations. The largest of these programs by far is the Border Patrol. In fiscal year 2001, the INS apprehended 1,387,486 aliens. Of this number, the Border Patrol made 1,266,213 apprehensions, of which 98 percent were made along the southwest border. During the fiscal year 1986-2001 period, the Border Patrol accounted for 91 to 97 percent of total apprehensions, and Investigations for 3 to 9 percent. Technically, the Inspections Program does not apprehend aliens and their interceptions of inadmissible aliens are not reported in the apprehension statistics.

Southwest border apprehensions (Table 59)

Southwest border apprehensions were an all-time record 1,615,844 in fiscal year 1986 and then decreased 3 consecutive years immediately following enactment of the Immigration Reform and Control Act (IRCA) of 1986. This legislation allowed 2.7 million formerly illegal aliens to become legal immigrants, established sanctions against employers who hire illegal aliens, and authorized an increase in the size of the Border Patrol. The number of apprehensions reached a low of 852,506 in 1989 and has generally increased since then. The only years with annual decreases were 1994, 1997, and 2001. The number of southwest border apprehensions in 2000 set a new record high at 1,643,679, and declined to 1,235,717 in 2001, a 25 percent decrease compared to fiscal year 2000.

Border Operations (Tables 59, 60)

Several major INS operations have had an impact on apprehensions over the years. These operations typically deploy agents nearer the border at strategic locations in order to deter illegal entry. The number of apprehensions tends to decrease in the targeted areas and increase in surrounding sectors.

The first initiative was Operation Hold-the-Line, in El Paso, beginning in September 1993. The second, Operation Gatekeeper, began in San Diego in October 1994. These two sectors accounted for two out of every three apprehensions along the southwest border in fiscal year 1993. The percentage dropped to 50 percent of the total in 1995, and was approximately 18 percent in fiscal year 2001.

The number of apprehensions in El Centro, CA and Tucson, AZ, the sectors east of San Diego, increased

following introduction of Operation Gatekeeper. The number of apprehensions in Tucson increased from 139,473 in fiscal year 1994 to 616,346 in 2000 and then declined to 449,675 in 2001. El Centro increased from 27,654 in fiscal year 1994 to 238,126 in 2000 and then declined to 172,852 in 2001. McAllen surpassed El Paso as the leading sector in number of apprehensions in Texas following Operation Hold-the-Line in 1994, going from 124,251 in 1994 to 243,793 in 1997. Reacting to the increases, the INS began a new operation in McAllen in August 1997 called Operation Rio Grande. Apprehensions declined to 107,843 in fiscal year 2001, a 56 percent decrease compared to 1997.

Nationality (Table 58)

Nationals of 194 countries were apprehended in fiscal year 2001—aliens from Mexico predominated, accounting for 95 percent of the total. The next largest source countries were El Salvador, Honduras, Guatemala, the Dominican Republic, Canada, Cuba, Brazil, Colombia, Jamaica, Ecuador, Haiti, and the People's Republic of China.

Data Overview: Investigations

(Table 61)

Investigations work is composed of four major categories—criminal, work site enforcement, fraud, and anti-smuggling.

Criminal

Criminal cases have historically represented the largest proportion of the total Investigations workload. In fiscal year 2001 they account for 92 percent of cases completed. These cases have steadily increased over the years from 46,236 cases in 1994 to 100,044 in 1999, an increase of 116 percent. In fiscal year 2001 completed criminal investigations decreased by 11 percent. The targets of these investigations include large-scale organizations engaged in ongoing criminal activity in violation of Title 8 or Title 18, U.S.C. or similar laws, including those pertaining to narcotics and terrorism. Criminal cases also include individual aliens convicted of a crime or crimes rendering them subject to INS action, aliens arrested for the commission of an aggravated felony, aliens involved in activities considered contrary to the security of the United States, and aliens included in certain immoral classes. Defendants prosecuted in 2001 decreased 22 percent compared to the number in 2000, and the number of defendants convicted was down 25 percent.

Work site enforcement

The focus of work site enforcement is employers of aliens who are not authorized to work. Immigration law prohibits the unlawful employment of aliens and provides for penalties and fines against employers who hire, recruit, or refer aliens for employment for a fee. Employer cases may involve criminal or administrative investigations as well as general inspections. Employer cases may also originate as referrals from the Department of Labor. Total work site cases completed dropped annually from 7,053 cases in fiscal year 1992 to 5,149 cases in 1996, then rose to a high of 7,788 in 1998. In fiscal year 2001 completed cases dropped to 1,595. The number of arrests rose significantly from 7,554 in fiscal year 1994 to 17,552 in 1997, an increase of 132 percent. The number of arrests declined sharply in the next four years, dropping to 418 in 2001. In addition, the number of warnings to employers in 2001 decreased 40 percent compared to the number issued in 2000. Notices of intent to fine decreased 44 percent, and the number of final orders was down by 57 percent.

Fraud investigations

Fraud investigations seek to penetrate fraud schemes of all sizes and complexity that are used to violate immigration and related laws, or used to shield the true status of illegal aliens in order to obtain entitlement benefits from federal, state, or local agencies. Fraud cases completed in fiscal year 2001 decreased less than 1 percent compared to 2000. Of the 3,721 fraud cases completed in fiscal year 2001, 65 percent pertained to individuals involved in immigration fraud, 5 percent to large-scale organizations, 15 percent to facilitators, 12 percent to civil document fraud (INA, Sec. 274C), and the remaining 3 percent to special projects and entitlement fraud. The majority of fraud cases involved immigration fraud stemming from aliens misrepresenting themselves through the misuse or absence of documents.

Smuggling investigations

INS smuggling investigations include the detection, apprehension, and prosecution of alien smuggling operations. The targets of these investigations are persons or entities who bring, transport, harbor, or smuggle illegal aliens into or within the United States. The targets include violators with a substantial volume of smuggled aliens or revenues from the smuggling activity, *e.g.*, organized conspiracies consisting of four or more persons, individuals such as freelance operators who smuggle infrequently or independently, and non-

professional violators who smuggle relatives, household employees, or employees of small businesses. The INS completed 2,885 smuggling investigations cases in fiscal year 2001, a 13 percent decrease from the 3,309 cases completed in 2000. In 2001, the INS arrested 32,429 smuggled aliens, a 52 percent decrease from the high of 68,203 in 1995.

Data Overview: Detention

The INS detained approximately 209,000 aliens during fiscal year 2001. Approximately 103,000 of these detainees had criminal records. The average daily detention population was 20,441. Although 50 percent of all detainees were aliens from Mexico, their relatively short stays in detention meant that they accounted for only 23 percent of detention bed-days. The other leading countries were Cuba (11 percent of bed-days), El Salvador (7 percent), the People’s Republic of China (6 percent), Honduras (5 percent), Guatemala (4 percent), Jamaica (4 percent), the Dominican Republic (3 percent), Vietnam (3 percent), and Haiti (2 percent).

Data Overview: Removals

(Tables 62-69)

The most complete picture of adverse actions involving individual aliens includes aliens who withdraw their application for admission when presented with evidence of their inadmissibility, aliens who are allowed to voluntarily depart, and aliens who are formally removed with consequent penalties. The following table summarizes the activities in fiscal year 2001:

	Number of aliens
Withdrew application for admission	413,272
Accepted offer of voluntary departure	1,253,782
Formally removed (with penalties)	176,984

Withdrawal of application for admission and other actions at ports of entry

An immigration inspector makes the decision to permit a withdrawal of an application for admission at a port of entry. The inspector also has the authority to place an arriving alien in expedited removal proceedings (discussed below). The INS has very little data on the characteristics of those who are permitted to withdraw. In addition to withdrawals and expedited removal actions, inspectors referred an additional 9,904 aliens to hearings before an immigration judge during fiscal year 2001.

Voluntary departure (Tables 62, 63, 69)

More than 96 percent of voluntary departures involve aliens who are apprehended by the Border Patrol and removed quickly. This statistic includes recidivists and thus is a measure of events rather than unique individuals. The INS does not currently have a centralized automated information system with the characteristics of most of these aliens. From 1997 through 1999 the INS compiled data about the approximately 65,000 aliens a year who admitted that they had been in the United States illegally for longer than 3 days and agreed to a witnessed departure. Of this group, approximately 99 percent were aliens from Mexico; their median age was 24 years, and 92 percent were male. These aliens are probably similar to the rest of the voluntary departures but they have been in the United States for a longer period; 26 percent had been here longer than a year and another 38 percent had been here longer than a month but less than one year. One other characteristic distinguishes this longer-staying group (but not all voluntary departures)—the INS located 25 percent of these aliens in institutions (generally, county jails). Those found in incarceration were granted a witnessed voluntary departure because their crimes were minor or local authorities declined to prosecute.

Formal removal (Tables 62-68)

In fiscal year 2001, the number of formal removals decreased about 5 percent from fiscal year 2000. This decrease resulted from a decrease of almost 19 percent in expedited removals. Non-expedited removals increased almost 8 percent. The following table illustrates the impact of expedited removals (a subset of total removals):

Fiscal year	Total removals	Expedited removals
2001	176,984	69,730
2000	185,475	85,784
1999	180,614	89,129
1998	173,146	76,078
1997	114,432	23,242
1996	69,680	X
1995	50,924	X
1994	45,674	X

X Not applicable.

Expedited removal

Expedited removals were 39 percent of all formal removals in fiscal year 2001. Expedited removal procedures allow the INS to quickly remove certain inadmissible aliens from the United States. In fiscal year 2001, the INS used these procedures with aliens arriving at ports of entry who illegally attempted to gain admission by fraud or misrepresentation, or with no entry documents, or by using counterfeit, altered, or otherwise fraudulent or improper documents. Aliens placed in the expedited removal process have the opportunity to claim a fear of persecution, or an intention to apply for asylum, or they may claim to have certain legal status in the United States. All cases are reviewed by a supervisor and aliens who have made certain claims may be referred to an asylum officer and ultimately to an immigration judge.

Inspectors determined that about 510,000 arriving aliens in fiscal year 2001 were inadmissible. Of these about 215,000 were inadmissible for reasons that made them subject to expedited removal. However, 128,000 of those aliens were allowed to withdraw their application for admission. The remaining 87,000 were placed in expedited removal. Only about 13,000 of these aliens expressed a fear of being returned; they were referred to an asylum officer. About 95 percent of those 13,000 aliens were found to have a credible fear of persecution, and were taken out of the expedited removal process, and scheduled for hearings before an immigration judge.

Aliens from Mexico accounted for over 86 percent of expedited removals in fiscal year 2001. The next largest countries are the Dominican Republic, Brazil, Jamaica, Guatemala, and Peru (all with less than two percent of total expedited removals). Approximately 80 percent of all expedited removals occurred at ports of entry in one of four southwest Districts: San Diego, CA (51 percent); Phoenix, AZ (15); Harlingen, TX (8); and El Paso, TX (5).

Country of nationality (Table 65)

Aliens with a formal removal came from 180 countries in fiscal year 2001; 41 countries had more than 100 aliens removed from the United States. However, just 9 countries accounted for almost 93 percent of all formal removals. These 9 countries have been the top countries for several years with approximately 88 percent or more of all formal removals each year since 1993.

Country	Number removed	Number of criminals
Mexico	141,133	57,144
Honduras	4,338	1,314
Guatemala	4,235	1,094
Dominican Republic	3,935	2,135
El Salvador	3,722	1,812
Colombia	2,182	1,455
Jamaica	2,008	1,292
Brazil	1,645	79
Canada	1,097	633

Criminal activity (Table 65)

The passage of the Immigration Reform and Control Act in 1986 helped the INS focus on the removal of those aliens determined to be the greatest threat to society. In fiscal year 1986 the INS removed 1,978 aliens for criminal violations (about 3 percent of all removals). The removal of criminal aliens has increased greatly since then. The 2001 removal of 71,597 criminals is the largest total ever. The countries that account for most of the removals also account for 94 percent of criminals the INS removed from the United States in 2001. They have been the leading countries in this category for several years, with 91 percent or more of all criminals removed each year since 1993. The INS continues to increase cooperation with other law enforcement agencies by using the Institutional Removal Program to insure that criminal aliens in incarceration are placed in removal proceedings. The program seeks to eliminate or minimize the time an alien must be detained by the INS after release from prison and before removal. In 2001, the INS removed 30,216 criminal aliens using this program.

The ten most common categories of crime in fiscal year 2001 include:

Crime	Number removed	Percent of total crimes
Dangerous drugs	29,356	41
Immigration	12,585	18
Assault	6,580	9
Burglary	2,671	4
Robbery	2,640	4
Larceny	1,787	2
Sexual assault	1,741	2
Family offenses	1,422	2
Traffic offenses	1,344	2
Forgery	1,220	2

Administrative reason for removal

(Tables 64, 66-68)□

The administrative reason for removal is the primary charge cited by an immigration judge in the order to remove an alien. There are more than 100 charges that might form the basis for a removal in 2001, but most fall into one of three main categories. Aliens who were present in the United States after making an illegal entry account for 27 percent of all aliens formally removed. Those who attempted entry without proper documents, or through fraud or misrepresentation, account for 43 percent. Aliens with criminal charges account for 22 percent. A criminal alien, as defined in the previous section, may not have a criminal charge as the reason for removal if, for example, the immigration judge did not have appropriate documents from the relevant criminal justice system. This distribution is very different than the years before 1998 because of the large number of expedited removal cases; those cases are classified as attempting entry.

Immigration status at entry to the United States

At least 48 percent of all aliens with a formal removal attempted (and perhaps completed) an illegal entry between designated ports of entry. Approximately 40 percent attempted to enter at a port of entry without proper documents or through fraud or misrepresentation. The remainder made legal entries but then failed to maintain status; parolees, tourists, and legal permanent residents are the largest groups in this category.

Aliens removed from the interior

The INS defines “interior” removals as the removals of aliens who had been in the United States for longer than 3 days. In fiscal year 2001, at least 86,000 formal removals met this definition—about 55 percent of all formal removals with a known length of stay in the United States. In addition, as noted previously, about 60,000 aliens were allowed an escorted voluntary departure from the interior. Another 7,000 had other types of voluntary departure. Approximately 44,000 aliens with formal removals had been in the United States for longer than a year. Aliens apprehended in work site operations and subsequently removed from the United States are a subset of aliens removed from the interior. There were about 1,500 such aliens formally removed in 2001.

Gender and age

The median age of aliens with a formal removal in fiscal year 2001 was 28 years. The median age of women who

were removed in 2001 was 26 years. Between 1992 and 1995 the proportion of women was about 6 percent. The proportion of women rose to 12 percent in 1996, and increased steadily to 24 percent in 2000. In 2001 the proportion of women declined to 21 percent. Most of the increase is attributable to women from Mexico who attempted entry without proper documents or through fraud. In 1996 the special “Port Court” processing at the San Diego ports provided the resources necessary to put more arriving aliens into proceedings than had been possible before. This special processing continued until the implementation of expedited removal procedures in April 1997. In either case, larger numbers of women were intercepted as they attempted entry in the San Diego area. Women are 43 percent of all expedited removals.

Understanding the Data

Data Collection

Apprehension and voluntary departure

Apprehension data are collected on INS Form I-213, *Record of Deportable/Inadmissible Alien*. Much of the data collected establishes the identity of the individual and the circumstances of the apprehension. Some demographic data are available, including country of birth, country of citizenship, gender, date of birth, and marital status. However, the Performance Analysis System (PAS) (the principal automated data system for a variety of INS workload measures) captures only aggregated data on country of citizenship, location of apprehension, status at entry, length of time in the United States, and limited information on employment status. Individual INS offices report these data once a month. Statistics on the number of voluntary departures also are based on data captured on Form I-213. The data on most voluntary departures are aggregated and reported in PAS. The only data element collected is whether the alien was a Mexican national.

Voluntary departure (interior)

Data on aliens granted a voluntary departure who had been in the United States for longer than 3 days are collected from the Form I-213s for those aliens. The data capture for this special subset of aliens is not aggregated to the office level but rather maintained at the individual alien level.

Individuals detained, removed

The data on individuals detained or removed with a formal order of removal or given a voluntary departure under

docket control are more extensive. These data are collected via the INS' automated Deportable Alien Control System (DACS). The data captured include immigration status, type of entry into the United States, reasons for removal, history of criminal activity, limited employment information, and basic demographic information such as date of birth, gender, marital status, country of birth, country of citizenship, and country to which deported. In general, these data are entered in DACS over a period of time that begins with the placing of an apprehended alien in docket control. In some INS offices most of the data entry is done at the time of case closure (removal, adjustment of status, *etc.*).

Other data

Data on drug seizures, accomplishments of the Border Patrol, accomplishments of the Investigations Program, prosecutions, fines, convictions, and judicial activities are captured in PAS. As noted above, these are aggregated data updated once a month by INS offices.

Limitations of Data

Case tracking

The INS' current data systems cannot link an apprehension to its final disposition (removal, adjustment of status, *etc.*). Therefore, analysts should use caution when comparing apprehension and removal data. Apprehended aliens who choose to use the available appeals procedures will spend several months and perhaps several years in the process before final disposition of their cases. In other words, aliens apprehended in any given fiscal year are quite likely to be removed (or adjusted to legal status, *etc.*) in some future fiscal year. In addition, INS statistics on apprehensions and removals relate to events, not individuals. For example, if an alien has been apprehended three times during the fiscal year, that individual will appear three times in the apprehension statistics.

Time lags in data entry

The data on removals under docket control (formal removals) reported in this and other editions of the *Statistical Yearbook* should be used cautiously. One problem is the time lag in reporting removals. The data in this *Yearbook* have been adjusted to reflect the actual year of removal. The data for each fiscal year require updating, and cannot be considered complete for at least 3 years.

Changes in definitions

Another area of caution involves changes in definitions across years. For example, the INS has expanded the information about the crimes of aliens removed in recent years. This change allows the INS to more accurately count the number of criminals that it removes. The statistics in this *Yearbook* reflect these changes and update the data on criminals from fiscal year 1990 onward.

Changes in definitions and new reporting requirements may also explain some of the variations in the data concerning Investigations activities. In particular, there have been significant changes in the reporting requirements for anti-smuggling and work site enforcement activities.

Tracking system for work site enforcement

Another historical problem has been the difficulty in providing the number of work site apprehensions that have resulted in deportation or removal from the United States. Until 1997, an adequate tracking system did not exist to track the number of aliens removed from the United States who were arrested during work site enforcement operations. Currently, the Deportable Alien Control System (DACS) and the Interior Voluntary Returns (IVR) systems provide data but there have been data collection problems associated with the new data entry requirements.

TABLE 57. DEPORTABLE ALIENS LOCATED: FISCAL YEARS 1925-2001 □

Year	Deportable aliens located ¹	Year	Deportable aliens located ¹
1925-2001	43,120,367	1981-90	11,883,328
1925-30	128,484	1981	975,780
1931-40	147,457	1982	970,246
1941-50	1,377,210	1983	1,251,357
1951-60	3,598,949	1984	1,246,981
1961-70	1,608,356	1985	1,348,749
1961	88,823	1986	1,767,400
1962	92,758	1987	1,190,488
1963	88,712	1988	1,008,145
1964	86,597	1989	954,243
1965	110,371	1990	1,169,939
1966	138,520	1991-2000	14,667,599
1967	161,608	1991	1,197,875
1968	212,057	1992	1,258,481
1969	283,557	1993	1,327,261
1970	345,353	1994	1,094,719
1971-80	8,321,498	1995	1,394,554
1971	420,126	1996	1,649,986
1972	505,949	1997	1,536,520
1973	655,968	1998	1,679,439
1974	788,145	1999	1,714,035
1975	766,600	2000	1,814,729
1976	875,915	2001	1,387,486
1976, TQ ²	221,824		
1977	1,042,215		
1978	1,057,977		
1979	1,076,418		
1980	910,361		

¹ Aliens apprehended were first recorded in 1925. Until 1960 those statistics did not include crewmen who violated the conditions of their stay in the United States because their vessel did not leave the United States within 29 days. Beginning in 1960 the statistics for apprehensions include the counts of those crewmen. For purposes of statistical reporting there is no difference between the terms “apprehension” and “deportable alien located”. ² The three-month period—July 1 through September 30, 1976—between fiscal year 1976 and fiscal year 1977.

NOTE: See Glossary for fiscal year definitions.

**TABLE 58. DEPORTABLE ALIENS LOCATED BY STATUS AT ENTRY
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Region and country of nationality	All located	Visitor	Crew- man	Student	Temporary worker		Immi- grant	Stow- away	In transit without visa	Entry without inspection (EWI)
					Agricul- ture	Other				
All countries	1,387,486	11,208	229	568	463	5,284	11,860	205	435	1,357,234
Europe	3,596	1,280	33	75	25	363	556	3	13	1,248
Albania	252	15	-	3	-	9	9	-	-	216
Armenia	53	24	-	-	-	11	6	-	-	12
Austria	19	12	-	-	-	1	4	-	-	2
Azerbaijan	12	5	-	-	-	2	3	1	-	1
Belarus	17	3	-	3	-	5	2	-	-	4
Belgium	17	9	-	-	-	2	3	-	-	3
Bosnia-Herzegovina	27	3	-	1	-	18	4	-	-	1
Bulgaria	150	29	2	7	-	5	4	-	-	103
Croatia	7	2	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	1
Czech Republic	73	63	-	1	-	3	-	-	-	6
Czechoslovakia ¹	99	70	-	1	1	6	4	-	-	17
Denmark	9	8	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Estonia	18	15	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Finland	8	2	-	1	-	3	2	-	-	-
France	78	40	1	3	-	15	7	-	-	12
Georgia	73	30	-	4	-	4	3	-	-	32
Germany	172	70	1	2	1	22	42	-	1	33
Gibraltar	3	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Greece	33	12	-	1	-	5	12	-	-	3
Hungary	133	96	-	1	1	2	8	-	-	25
Iceland	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Ireland	55	18	-	2	-	9	15	-	4	7
Italy	109	38	2	-	1	15	33	-	4	16
Kazakhstan	45	37	-	2	-	3	-	-	-	3
Kyrgyzstan	5	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Latvia	13	9	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	-
Liechtenstein	42	11	4	4	-	2	2	-	-	19
Lithuania	2	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Macedonia	32	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Moldova	6	4	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Monaco	16	4	-	-	-	3	5	-	-	4
Netherlands	3	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Norway	49	23	-	-	-	14	10	-	-	2
Poland	9	1	-	4	-	1	3	-	-	-
Portugal	549	107	10	4	8	15	54	-	-	351
Romania	130	24	-	2	-	5	86	-	2	11
Russia	121	31	4	-	-	15	20	-	-	51
Slovak Republic	312	159	3	12	5	52	36	2	-	43
Slovenia	49	13	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	34
Spain	2	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Sweden	33	16	-	-	-	3	9	-	-	5
Switzerland	22	11	1	-	1	3	4	-	-	2
Tajikistan	9	5	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	2
Turkmenistan	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ukraine	175	41	1	1	-	23	18	-	-	91
United Kingdom	387	148	-	8	3	63	110	-	2	53
Uzbekistan	41	28	-	2	-	3	3	-	-	5
Yugoslavia ¹	125	26	1	2	1	15	29	-	-	51

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 58. DEPORTABLE ALIENS LOCATED BY STATUS AT ENTRY □
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF NATIONALITY □
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued □**

Region and country of nationality	All located	Visitor	Crew-man	Student	Temporary worker		Immigrant	Stow-away	In transit without visa	Entry without inspection (EWI)
					Agriculture	Other				
Asia	6,813	1,846	101	184	82	819	1,419	6	8	2,348
Afghanistan	45	6	-	-	1	7	8	-	-	23
Bahrain	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bangladesh	109	47	3	6	-	5	17	-	-	31
Bhutan	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brunei	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burma	17	6	6	-	-	1	3	-	-	1
Cambodia	159	5	-	-	2	74	70	-	1	7
China, People's Republic	1,297	189	7	26	4	104	69	1	3	894
Cyprus	6	3	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-
Hong Kong	35	15	-	1	-	2	11	-	-	6
India	711	181	11	13	6	24	77	-	-	399
Indonesia	362	232	22	20	-	18	8	-	-	62
Iran	169	40	-	10	1	22	39	-	-	57
Iraq	74	5	-	2	4	30	26	-	-	7
Israel	250	186	-	6	-	7	11	-	-	40
Japan	81	45	-	4	1	4	9	-	-	18
Jordan	225	74	-	15	-	13	49	2	1	71
Korea	451	138	-	9	-	30	80	1	1	192
Kuwait	17	3	-	1	2	1	3	-	1	6
Laos	246	2	-	-	-	119	121	-	-	4
Lebanon	133	48	1	4	-	10	20	-	-	50
Macau	2	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-
Malaysia	72	44	1	7	-	4	1	-	-	15
Maldives	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Mongolia	8	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Nepal	9	6	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
Oman	6	1	-	1	-	-	3	-	-	1
Pakistan	440	196	13	14	3	27	33	-	-	154
Philippines	611	115	16	3	39	43	331	1	1	62
Qatar	7	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Saudi Arabia	36	19	1	11	-	2	1	-	-	2
Singapore	9	4	-	3	-	1	-	-	-	1
Sri Lanka	204	89	2	4	7	7	6	-	-	89
Syria	87	22	-	3	8	5	14	-	-	35
Taiwan	54	14	1	4	-	4	8	-	-	23
Thailand	122	23	-	2	-	25	64	-	-	8
Turkey	124	43	17	8	-	5	12	1	-	38
United Arab Emirates	3	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vietnam	594	15	-	1	4	219	318	-	-	37
Yemen	33	16	-	2	-	5	5	-	-	5
Africa	2,090	860	17	190	17	209	290	8	1	498
Algeria	21	9	1	-	-	1	4	-	-	6
Angola	44	26	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	15
Benin	5	2	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1
Botswana	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Burkina Faso	7	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	4
Burundi	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2
Cameroon	39	21	-	5	1	1	2	-	-	9
Cape Verde	84	20	2	-	-	5	52	2	-	3

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**TABLE 58. DEPORTABLE ALIENS LOCATED BY STATUS AT ENTRY
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of nationality	All located	Visitor	Crew- man	Student	Temporary worker		Immi- grant	Stow- away	In transit without visa	Entry without inspection (EWI)
					Agricul- ture	Other				
Central African Republic	5	2	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-
Chad	22	12	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	5
Congo, Democratic Rep. ...	37	7	1	1	-	6	15	-	-	7
Congo, Republic	34	17	-	2	-	3	1	-	-	11
Cote d'Ivoire	31	15	-	5	-	4	2	-	-	5
Djibouti	14	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Egypt	223	84	7	8	-	12	12	-	-	100
Eritrea	16	1	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	11
Ethiopia	75	20	-	3	-	24	18	-	-	10
Gabon	4	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	1
Gambia, The	61	33	-	8	-	1	9	-	-	10
Ghana	111	52	-	5	-	13	17	2	-	22
Guinea	55	29	-	5	-	3	2	-	-	16
Guinea-Bissau	5	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
Kenya	104	39	1	36	3	12	8	-	-	5
Lesotho	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liberia	79	34	-	3	-	16	17	1	-	8
Libya	7	5	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-
Malawi	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mali	19	13	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	5
Mauritania	11	2	-	3	-	3	1	-	-	2
Morocco	119	68	1	12	1	8	12	1	-	16
Namibia	5	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Niger	18	6	-	1	-	-	4	-	-	7
Nigeria	395	138	-	53	1	32	62	1	1	107
Rwanda	5	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	2
Senegal	66	30	-	4	1	8	11	-	-	12
Seychelles	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	51	19	-	1	-	4	3	-	-	24
Somalia	40	9	-	1	-	12	5	-	-	13
South Africa	51	23	1	1	9	5	3	-	-	9
Sudan	42	9	-	1	1	14	8	-	-	9
Swaziland	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Tanzania	45	19	2	6	-	3	5	-	-	10
Togo	8	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	3
Tunisia	48	26	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	19
Uganda	39	23	-	9	-	5	1	-	-	1
Western Sahara	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Zambia	10	8	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Zimbabwe	25	12	-	8	-	1	2	1	-	1
Oceania	342	198	2	5	3	35	69	1	1	28
Australia	54	33	-	-	1	9	5	-	-	6
Fiji	85	51	-	2	-	6	22	-	1	3
French Polynesia	3	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
Kiribati	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Marshall Islands	5	2	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-
Micronesia, Federated States.....	47	38	-	-	1	4	2	-	-	2
New Zealand	44	25	1	1	1	4	8	-	-	4
Palau	6	4	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-

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**TABLE 58. DEPORTABLE ALIENS LOCATED BY STATUS AT ENTRY
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEAR 2001—Continued**

Region and country of nationality	All located	Visitor	Crew- man	Student	Temporary worker		Immi- grant	Stow- away	In transit without visa	Entry without inspection (EWI)
					Agricul- ture	Other				
Papau New Guinea	3	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
Samoa	30	15	-	2	-	4	7	-	-	2
Solomon Islands	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tonga	63	27	1	-	-	2	23	1	-	9
North America	1,365,366	5,656	54	71	325	3,577	8,852	171	407	1,346,253
Canada	4,470	1,763	-	7	31	86	147	-	3	2,433
Mexico	1,315,678	2,425	7	10	196	2,157	4,886	68	375	1,305,554
Caribbean	13,634	1,114	30	48	58	1,119	3,093	79	15	8,078
Anguilla	3	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Antigua-Barbuda	55	15	-	1	-	13	14	1	-	11
Aruba	4	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2
Bahamas, The	142	53	1	3	4	12	27	-	-	42
Barbados	79	26	-	1	-	2	47	-	-	3
Bermuda	9	4	-	-	-	2	3	-	-	-
British Virgin Islands	17	2	-	-	-	1	9	-	-	5
Cuba	4,312	31	-	3	15	740	423	38	-	3,062
Dominica	26	8	1	-	-	1	13	-	-	3
Dominican Republic	5,113	201	10	19	6	95	1,232	30	13	3,507
Grenada	33	15	-	2	-	2	11	-	-	3
Guadeloupe	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
Haiti	1,383	82	1	1	-	66	243	1	1	988
Jamaica	1,963	459	15	9	29	158	868	9	1	415
Martinique	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Montserrat	7	1	-	-	-	1	5	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	13	2	-	1	-	7	3	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	27	7	-	-	-	1	17	-	-	2
St. Lucia	34	14	1	-	2	1	12	-	-	4
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	30	11	1	-	2	3	10	-	-	3
Trinidad and Tobago	377	179	-	7	-	13	151	-	-	27
Turks and Caicos Islands	3	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Central America	31,584	354	17	6	40	215	726	24	14	30,188
Belize	174	31	-	2	1	11	32	-	-	97
Costa Rica	352	51	1	1	-	7	20	-	-	272
El Salvador	11,688	69	2	-	6	61	340	2	1	11,207
Guatemala	7,434	85	3	1	16	50	100	-	1	7,178
Honduras	10,803	36	7	2	9	55	113	21	12	10,548
Nicaragua	990	38	4	-	2	18	73	-	-	855
Panama	143	44	-	-	6	13	48	1	-	31
South America	9,276	1,366	21	43	11	281	674	16	5	6,859
Argentina	230	139	1	2	1	21	20	-	-	46
Bolivia	91	34	-	-	-	2	14	-	-	41
Brazil	3,485	231	1	1	1	28	23	-	2	3,198
Chile	238	57	2	2	1	5	27	1	-	143
Colombia	2,084	495	4	20	5	145	275	12	1	1,127
Ecuador	1,944	65	2	4	1	15	74	2	-	1,781
Guyana	277	53	1	9	-	26	146	-	-	42
Paraguay	17	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	14
Peru	604	146	9	1	1	13	55	-	1	378
Suriname	10	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Uruguay	49	27	-	-	-	5	5	-	-	12
Venezuela	247	109	1	4	1	20	35	1	1	75
Unknown or not reported	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 59. DEPORTABLE ALIENS LOCATED BY PROGRAM, BORDER PATROL SECTOR, AND INVESTIGATIONS DISTRICT
FISCAL YEARS 1995-2001**

Program, Border Patrol sector, and Investigations District	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Program:							
All programs	1,394,554	1,649,986	1,536,520	1,679,439	1,714,035	1,814,729	1,387,486
Border Patrol	1,324,202	1,549,876	1,412,953	1,555,776	1,579,010	1,676,438	1,266,213
Investigations	70,352	100,110	123,567	123,663	135,025	138,291	121,273
Border Patrol sector:							
All southwest sectors	1,271,390	1,507,020	1,368,707	1,516,680	1,537,000	1,643,679	1,235,717
San Diego, CA	524,231	483,815	283,889	248,092	182,267	151,681	110,075
EL Centro, CA	37,317	66,873	146,210	226,695	225,279	238,126	172,852
Yuma, AZ	20,894	28,310	30,177	76,195	93,388	108,747	78,385
Tucson, AZ	227,529	305,348	272,397	387,406	470,449	616,346	449,675
EL Paso, TX	110,971	145,929	124,376	125,035	110,857	115,696	112,857
Marfa, TX	11,552	13,214	12,692	14,509	14,952	13,689	12,087
Del Rio, TX	76,490	121,137	113,280	131,058	156,653	157,178	104,875
Laredo, TX	93,305	131,841	141,893	103,433	114,004	108,973	87,068
McAllen, TX	169,101	210,553	243,793	204,257	169,151	133,243	107,843
All other sectors	52,812	42,856	44,246	39,096	42,010	32,759	30,496
Blaine, WA	4,067	2,224	2,684	2,403	2,421	2,581	2,089
Buffalo, NY	1,634	2,090	2,065	1,640	1,666	1,570	1,434
Detroit, MI	1,424	1,304	1,500	1,768	1,838	2,057	2,106
Grand Forks, ND	1,451	1,334	1,978	905	656	562	921
Havre, MT	1,456	1,483	2,813	1,145	1,448	1,568	1,305
Houlton, ME	293	247	309	307	461	489	685
Livermore, CA	17,956	12,756	10,607	11,633	11,198	6,205	5,211
Miami, FL	11,981	8,258	8,305	6,065	6,961	6,237	5,962
New Orleans, LA	5,389	8,642	9,094	8,008	10,777	6,478	5,033
Ramey, PR	3,218	1,454	896	1,244	1,405	1,731	1,952
Spokane, WA	1,992	1,352	2,331	2,176	1,308	1,324	1,335
Swanton, VT	1,951	1,712	1,664	1,802	1,871	1,957	2,463
Investigations District:							
All districts	70,352	100,110	123,567	123,663	135,025	138,291	121,273
Anchorage, AK	410	311	329	293	324	353	217
Atlanta, GA	1,585	1,997	2,748	2,584	2,607	2,786	3,300
Baltimore, MD	773	1,026	1,003	1,095	1,059	809	1,032
Boston, MA	1,738	2,059	2,071	2,547	2,447	2,620	2,543
Buffalo, NY	1,679	2,606	2,602	3,168	3,475	3,366	3,209
Chicago, IL	2,533	2,924	3,625	2,275	2,406	3,335	3,519
Cleveland, OH	835	814	1,407	1,027	827	710	895
Dallas, TX	3,935	7,882	10,502	10,948	10,387	11,387	8,046
Denver, CO	2,765	4,168	3,785	3,606	4,824	11,671	9,990
Detroit, MI	654	660	689	682	437	442	552
EL Paso, TX	1,609	2,176	3,014	4,801	6,272	6,377	5,022
Harlingen, TX	458	368	437	2,373	804	713	491
Helena, MT	228	506	1,284	741	775	622	642
Honolulu, HI	487	384	479	602	1,678	453	418
Houston, TX	2,567	5,588	9,743	9,487	8,459	7,678	6,436
Kansas City, MO	1,044	1,373	1,972	1,575	2,132	2,626	3,574
Los Angeles, CA	9,258	9,309	11,476	8,691	9,775	10,334	9,087
Miami, FL	1,523	1,844	3,207	3,197	3,423	3,047	3,086
New Orleans, LA	1,848	2,006	3,240	3,252	2,791	4,083	4,064
New York, NY	4,162	4,801	5,962	6,589	7,029	5,238	4,105
Newark, NJ	760	1,209	1,304	1,095	464	1,046	1,063
Omaha, NE	704	818	1,581	1,974	2,491	3,956	3,632
Philadelphia, PA	1,388	1,426	1,890	1,967	1,721	1,658	1,815
Phoenix, AZ	6,611	15,393	10,600	13,844	19,604	18,703	12,317
Portland, ME	125	135	139	109	91	131	176
Portland, OR	1,464	2,122	3,348	2,875	2,115	1,919	1,618
San Antonio, TX	2,546	3,166	4,975	7,179	7,972	9,078	7,943
San Diego, CA	3,748	4,381	4,595	4,745	4,368	3,357	4,573
San Francisco, CA	6,287	12,986	19,047	13,636	17,509	13,687	11,243
San Juan, PR	1,326	1,454	1,009	696	1,010	1,376	1,521
Seattle, WA	3,283	2,188	2,277	2,681	2,676	2,474	3,076
St. Paul, MN	1,221	1,230	1,628	1,881	2,032	1,712	1,473
Washington, DC	798	800	1,599	1,448	1,041	544	595

**TABLE 60. PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF THE BORDER PATROL
FISCAL YEARS 1995-2001**

Activities and accomplishments	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Persons processed by the Border Patrol ¹	1,336,518	1,561,234	1,422,829	1,566,984	1,591,969	1,689,195	1,277,576
Deportable aliens located by the Border Patrol	1,324,202	1,549,876	1,412,953	1,555,776	1,579,010	1,676,438	1,266,213
Mexican aliens	1,293,508	1,523,141	1,387,650	1,522,918	1,534,515	1,636,883	1,224,046
Working in agriculture	4,487	2,684	3,521	3,270	1,599	1,330	1,248
Working in trades, crafts, industry, and service	12,552	9,413	10,146	6,616	2,383	2,167	2,678
Seeking employment	1,185,761	1,405,314	1,279,923	1,398,892	1,422,970	1,525,422	1,107,550
Canadian aliens	3,463	2,746	2,935	2,329	2,724	2,211	2,539
All others	27,231	23,989	22,368	30,529	41,771	37,344	39,628
Smugglers of aliens located	12,796	13,458	12,523	13,908	15,755	14,406	8,720
Aliens located who were smuggled into the United States	102,591	122,233	124,605	174,514	221,522	236,782	112,927
Seizures (conveyances)	9,327	11,129	11,792	14,401	16,803	17,269	5,892
Value of seizures (millions of dollars)	2,012	1,256	1,095	1,405	2,004	1,945	1,581
Narcotics	1,965	1,209	1,046	1,340	1,919	1,848	1,519
Other	46	47	49	64	86	97	62

¹ Includes deportable aliens located and non-deportable (e.g., U.S. citizens and legal permanent resident aliens).

NOTE: Data for aliens previously expelled, aliens located with previous criminal records, conveyances examined, and persons questioned shown in previous Yearbooks are not available starting in fiscal year 1990. Data for narcotics for fiscal year 1995 and for other for 1992-94 and 1996-97 have been revised.

**TABLE 61. PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF THE INS INVESTIGATIONS PROGRAM
FISCAL YEARS 1995-2001**

Activities and accomplishments	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Criminal investigations: ¹							
Cases completed	45,619	54,065	74,612	87,093	100,044	90,519	89,222
Defendants prosecuted	1,965	1,468	1,436	2,195	2,754	3,802	2,962
Defendants convicted	1,590	1,254	1,166	1,704	2,409	3,022	2,253
Employer investigations: ²							
Cases completed	5,283	5,149	7,537	7,788	3,898	1,966	1,595
Warnings	550	668	733	642	383	282	169
Notice of Intent to Fine	1,055	1,019	862	1,023	417	178	100
Final orders	909	808	777	535	297	180	78
Arrests	10,014	14,164	17,552	13,914	2,849	953	418
Fraud investigations: ³							
Cases completed	6,455	4,369	4,843	4,613	4,300	3,733	3,721
Defendants prosecuted	389	613	332	447	509	483	397
Defendants convicted	257	339	190	310	338	259	214
Smuggling investigations: ⁴							
Cases completed	5,358	2,643	1,171	2,033	2,043	3,309	2,885
Smugglers arrested	8,580	4,699	3,381	2,812	4,253	4,139	3,139
Smuggled aliens arrested	68,203	43,243	35,084	45,128	41,364	46,001	32,429
Defendants prosecuted	2,636	3,360	2,287	1,830	1,951	2,618	2,124
Defendants convicted	NA	2,838	1,737	1,183	1,199	1,474	1,174
Entered without inspection/status violators: ⁵							
Cases completed	23,624	33,138	33,910	25,407	27,085	38,311	25,301
Aliens arrested	8,793	15,365	13,702	11,337	13,879	14,963	11,162

¹ Criminal alien cases include large-scale organizations engaged in ongoing criminal activity and individual aliens convicted of crimes such as terrorism or drug trafficking.

² Employer investigations target employers of unauthorized aliens and include criminal investigations, administrative investigations, auxiliary investigations, INS Headquarters Investigation Project, and Department of Labor ESA-91.

³ Fraud investigations seek to penetrate fraud schemes of all sizes and degrees of complexity which are used to violate immigration and related laws or to shield the true status of illegal aliens in order to obtain entitlement benefits. The fraud schemes may be related to marriage fraud, immigration benefit fraud, employer sanctions document fraud, other document fraud, and entitlement fraud.

⁴ At the start of fiscal year 1996, Performance Analysis System (PAS) Anti-smuggling reporting was merged with PAS Investigations. Smuggling cases involve those which target persons or entities who bring, transport, harbor, or smuggle illegal aliens into or within the United States.

⁵ Includes Entry Without Inspection (EWI), such as stowaways, or landed crewmen who were ordered detained on board, and status violators. The latter category pertains to alien apprehensions for violating the terms of admission, e.g., staying longer in the United States than permitted. Frequently, such aliens are not themselves investigative targets, but are located during other investigations.

NA Not available.

**TABLE 62. ALIENS EXPELLED
FISCAL YEARS 1892-2001**

Year	Formal removals ¹	Voluntary departures ²
1892-2001	2,800,366	38,904,735
1892-1900	25,642	NA
1901-10	119,769	NA
1911-20	206,021	NA
1921-30	281,464	72,233
1931-40	185,303	93,330
1941-50	141,112	1,470,925
1951-60	150,472	3,883,660
1961-70	101,205	1,334,528
1961	8,181	52,383
1962	8,025	54,164
1963	7,763	69,392
1964	9,167	73,042
1965	10,572	95,263
1966	9,680	123,683
1967	9,728	142,343
1968	9,590	179,952
1969	11,030	240,958
1970	17,469	303,348
1971-80	240,217	7,246,812
1971	18,294	370,074
1972	16,883	450,927
1973	17,346	568,005
1974	19,413	718,740
1975	24,432	655,814
1976	29,226	765,094
1976, TQ	9,245	190,280
1977	31,263	867,015
1978	29,277	975,515
1979	26,825	966,137
1980	18,013	719,211
1981-90	232,830	9,961,912
1981	17,379	823,875
1982	15,216	812,572
1983	19,211	931,600
1984	18,696	909,833
1985	23,105	1,041,296
1986	24,592	1,586,320
1987	24,336	1,091,203
1988	25,829	911,790
1989	34,427	830,890
1990	30,039	1,022,533
1991-2000	939,347	13,587,553
1991	33,189	1,061,105
1992	43,671	1,105,829
1993	42,542	1,243,410
1994	45,674	1,029,107
1995	50,924	1,313,764
1996	69,680	1,573,428
1997	114,432	1,440,684
1998	173,146	1,570,127
1999	180,614	1,574,559
2000	185,475	1,675,540
2001	176,984	1,253,782

¹ Formal removals include deportations, exclusions, and removals. See text for further information about the different types of formal removals.

² Voluntary departures includes aliens under docket control required to depart and voluntary departures not under docket control; first recorded in 1927.

NOTE: See Glossary for fiscal year definitions.

NA Not available.

**TABLE 63. ALIENS EXPELLED BY REGION AND DISTRICT OFFICE
FISCAL YEAR 2001**

Region and district office	Formal removals ¹	Voluntary departures ²
All regions	176,984	1,253,782
Eastern Region	26,851	11,837
Atlanta, GA	3,491	189
Baltimore, MD	516	62
Boston, MA	1,008	84
Buffalo, NY	1,829	415
Cleveland, OH	517	343
Detroit, MI	528	1,235
Miami, FL	4,572	2,648
Newark, NJ	2,028	247
New Orleans, LA	3,916	508
New York, NY	4,282	348
Philadelphia, PA	2,437	287
Portland, ME	238	2,989
San Juan, PR	833	2,371
Washington, DC	656	111
Central Region	49,848	415,917
Chicago, IL	2,632	590
Dallas, TX	5,458	4,720
Denver, CO	3,840	1,053
El Paso, TX	10,630	121,528
Harlingen, TX	7,348	99,292
Helena, MT	447	1,378
Houston, TX	8,184	1,740
Kansas City, MO	2,508	667
Omaha, NE	1,058	1,857
St. Paul, MN	990	442
San Antonio, TX	6,753	182,650
Western Region	100,285	826,028
Anchorage, AK	47	33
Honolulu, HI	331	83
Los Angeles, CA	9,554	3,897
Phoenix, AZ	29,162	535,161
Portland, OR	1,235	376
San Diego, CA	52,482	279,292
San Francisco, CA	4,706	4,572
Seattle, WA	2,768	2,614

¹ Formal removals include deportations, exclusions, and removals. See text for further information about the different types of formal removals. □

² Voluntary departures include aliens under docket control required to depart and voluntary departures not under docket control. □

**TABLE 64. ALIENS REMOVED BY ADMINISTRATIVE REASON FOR REMOVAL
FISCAL YEARS 1991-2001**

Year	Total	Attempted entry without proper documents or through fraud or misrepresentation	Criminal	Failed to maintain status	Previously removed, ineligible for reentry
1991	33,189	3,058	14,475	1,135	735
1992	43,671	3,630	20,098	1,076	1,008
1993	42,542	2,968	22,470	783	913
1994	45,674	3,482	24,581	716	1,052
1995	50,924	5,822	25,684	611	1,432
1996	69,680	15,412	27,655	708	2,005
1997	114,432	35,737	34,113	1,031	3,302
1998	173,146	79,290	35,946	986	7,103
1999	180,614	91,807	41,910	776	9,277
2000	185,475	89,723	40,957	715	11,638
2001	176,984	76,023	39,912	692	10,624

Year	Present without authorization ¹	Security	Smuggling or aiding illegal entry	Other	Unknown
1991	13,347	7	28	191	213
1992	17,403	31	177	57	191
1993	15,018	54	208	95	33
1994	15,500	57	218	51	17
1995	17,069	34	196	63	13
1996	23,522	36	275	49	18
1997	39,297	30	385	522	15
1998	48,477	15	497	816	16
1999	34,768	9	403	1,649	15
2000	40,066	13	483	1,866	14
2001	47,601	11	498	1,608	15

¹ Includes those aliens charged under the statutes previous to April 1, 1997 as "entered without inspection".

NOTE: The administrative reason for formal removal is the legal basis for removal. Some aliens who are criminals may be removed under a different administrative reason (or charge) for the convenience of the government. Removals include those actions known as deportation and exclusion prior to the revision of law that was effective April 1, 1997.

**TABLE 65. ALIENS REMOVED BY CRIMINAL STATUS AND REGION
AND COUNTRY OF NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEARS 1996-2001**

Region and country of nationality ¹	1996			1997			1998		
	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal
All countries	69,680	38,015	31,665	114,432	53,214	61,218	173,146	60,965	112,181
Europe	1,056	458	598	1,657	544	1,113	1,956	715	1,241
Albania	13	5	8	48	4	44	74	6	68
Armenia	10	1	9	11	2	9	36	4	32
Austria	10	2	8	6	2	4	9	4	5
Azerbaijan	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Belarus	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2
Belgium	9	5	4	6	3	3	12	3	9
Bosnia-Herzegovina	2	-	2	2	1	1	4	2	2
Bulgaria	28	4	24	44	6	38	81	9	72
Croatia	5	3	2	20	1	19	8	5	3
Czech Republic	-	-	-	3	-	3	4	1	3
Czechoslovakia ³	14	4	10	62	5	57	155	16	139
Denmark	5	2	3	9	2	7	8	1	7
Estonia	1	1	-	5	-	5	5	2	3
Finland	3	1	2	2	1	1	5	4	1
France	55	21	34	72	19	53	78	24	54
Georgia	-	-	-	5	1	4	5	-	5
Germany	116	45	71	122	41	81	150	62	88
Greece	21	15	6	39	26	13	29	13	16
Hungary	11	5	6	32	4	28	38	16	22
Iceland	2	1	1	1	1	-	4	2	2
Ireland	20	7	13	43	12	31	45	17	28
Italy	70	31	39	117	50	67	99	47	52
Kazakhstan	2	1	1	5	-	5	-	-	-
Kyrgyzstan	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	1
Latvia	2	1	1	2	-	2	3	1	2
Lithuania	5	1	4	8	3	5	14	4	10
Luxembourg	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Macedonia	2	-	2	7	1	6	7	1	6
Malta	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Moldova	-	-	-	4	-	4	-	-	-
Monaco	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Netherlands	36	20	16	34	13	21	39	22	17
Norway	2	1	1	11	5	6	10	4	6
Poland	81	22	59	151	36	115	167	43	124
Portugal	45	37	8	69	49	20	96	79	17
Romania	36	7	29	95	15	80	95	18	77
Russia	38	9	29	80	23	57	95	29	66
Slovak Republic	1	-	1	12	1	11	10	2	8
Slovenia	-	-	-	1	-	1	3	-	3
Soviet Union ³	15	6	9	13	5	8	17	9	8
Spain	43	18	25	51	19	32	61	22	39
Sweden	15	3	12	19	3	16	18	3	15
Switzerland	8	3	5	11	4	7	13	6	7
Tajikistan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ukraine	12	5	7	38	8	30	35	3	32
United Kingdom	280	152	128	346	157	189	372	209	163
Uzbekistan	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yugoslavia ³	34	16	18	50	20	30	47	20	27
Asia	1,632	397	1,235	2,428	658	1,770	2,887	760	2,127
Afghanistan	14	3	11	9	3	6	17	5	12
Bahrain	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Bangladesh	35	5	30	62	8	54	82	12	70

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 65. ALIENS REMOVED BY CRIMINAL STATUS AND REGION
AND COUNTRY OF NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEARS 1996-2001—Continued**

Region and country of nationality ¹	1996			1997			1998		
	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal
Brunei	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burma	1	-	1	6	2	4	2	-	2
Cambodia	4	-	4	10	-	10	21	2	19
China, People's Republic	517	40	477	488	46	442	571	79	492
Cyprus	-	-	-	2	1	1	1	-	1
Hong Kong	14	10	4	21	10	11	20	13	7
India	148	20	128	293	33	260	371	52	319
Indonesia	12	3	9	15	7	8	33	2	31
Iran	44	20	24	61	30	31	58	26	32
Iraq	2	2	-	12	-	12	13	5	8
Israel	54	34	20	132	66	66	87	35	52
Japan	42	11	31	93	14	79	53	13	40
Jordan	37	20	17	106	43	63	88	33	55
Korea	81	35	46	123	57	66	184	56	128
Kuwait	8	5	3	8	3	5	10	5	5
Laos	7	-	7	12	2	10	7	1	6
Lebanon	41	22	19	53	27	26	51	25	26
Macau	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malaysia	5	2	3	18	8	10	34	10	24
Maldives	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mongolia	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	3
Nepal	4	2	2	3	1	2	8	3	5
Oman	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pakistan	165	30	135	273	65	208	390	74	316
Philippines	209	87	122	411	171	240	508	227	281
Qatar	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Saudi Arabia	-	-	-	4	2	2	7	5	2
Singapore	13	3	10	4	-	4	7	5	2
Sri Lanka	52	1	51	48	2	46	62	5	57
Syria	18	4	14	16	9	7	33	12	21
Taiwan	17	7	10	26	11	15	25	8	17
Thailand	52	14	38	49	15	34	61	22	39
Turkey	18	8	10	40	13	27	53	14	39
United Arab Emirates	-	-	-	2	1	1	3	1	2
Vietnam	8	3	5	12	3	9	12	7	5
Yemen	9	5	4	16	5	11	9	2	7
Africa	891	491	400	1,185	510	675	1,442	591	851
Algeria	24	6	18	19	5	14	31	7	24
Angola	1	1	-	3	1	2	3	-	3
Benin	9	9	-	12	10	2	7	6	1
Botswana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burkina Faso	1	1	-	1	-	1	12	1	11
Burundi	1	1	-	2	-	2	3	1	2
Cameroon	10	3	7	14	4	10	23	5	18
Cape Verde	20	13	7	24	21	3	33	27	6
Central African Republic	-	-	-	2	1	1	1	1	-
Chad	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Congo, Democratic Republic ⁴	8	1	7	21	7	14	14	2	12
Congo, Republic ⁴	1	1	-	4	-	4	5	1	4
Cote d'Ivoire	17	3	14	26	5	21	49	10	39
Djibouti	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	1
Egypt	34	19	15	50	15	35	65	22	43
Equatorial Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Eritrea	1	-	1	-	-	-	2	2	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 65. ALIENS REMOVED BY CRIMINAL STATUS AND REGION
AND COUNTRY OF NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEARS 1996-2001—Continued**

Region and country of nationality ¹	1996			1997			1998		
	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal
Ethiopia	19	9	10	40	18	22	37	16	21
Gabon	5	2	3	2	1	1	-	-	-
Gambia, The	11	4	7	32	8	24	34	11	23
Ghana	147	47	100	167	44	123	199	57	142
Guinea	12	6	6	20	3	17	57	9	48
Kenya	16	6	10	19	6	13	22	5	17
Lesotho	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liberia	33	15	18	45	20	25	49	35	14
Libya	1	1	-	3	1	2	3	1	2
Madagascar	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-
Malawi	-	-	-	3	-	3	1	-	1
Mali	11	6	5	17	2	15	28	4	24
Mauritania	1	-	1	2	-	2	3	1	2
Mauritius	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Morocco	25	12	13	40	16	24	36	14	22
Mozambique	-	-	-	3	1	2	-	-	-
Namibia	2	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Niger	43	22	21	46	27	19	37	17	20
Nigeria	315	246	69	395	253	142	491	284	207
Rwanda	3	1	2	3	-	3	3	-	3
Senegal	17	3	14	42	2	40	55	12	43
Seychelles	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	19	10	9	24	6	18	22	8	14
Somalia	8	1	7	23	2	21	22	1	21
South Africa	32	11	21	27	11	16	36	16	20
Sudan	10	6	4	18	8	10	10	3	7
Swaziland	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Tanzania	6	2	4	7	1	6	7	2	5
Togo	12	10	2	11	3	8	7	3	4
Tunisia	2	2	-	5	3	2	11	2	9
Uganda	1	-	1	7	1	6	6	-	6
Zambia	2	1	1	1	1	-	3	1	2
Zimbabwe	7	6	1	2	1	1	10	2	8
Oceania	103	35	68	148	73	75	160	78	82
Australia	14	4	10	17	7	10	37	11	26
Fiji	24	7	17	20	10	10	29	14	15
French Polynesia	11	3	8	19	4	15	5	2	3
Kiribati	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marshall Islands	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Micronesia, Federated States	10	6	4	11	7	4	8	7	1
New Zealand	23	2	21	29	8	21	28	5	23
Palau	5	3	2	11	10	1	10	9	1
Papua New Guinea	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	-
Samoa ⁵	4	1	3	15	8	7	7	5	2
Tonga	11	9	2	25	18	7	34	24	10
Tuvalu	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Vanuatu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
North America	63,618	35,039	28,579	104,868	49,260	55,608	162,356	56,682	105,674
Canada	595	447	148	708	397	311	910	524	386
Mexico	51,002	28,943	22,059	86,238	40,950	45,288	139,392	47,945	91,447
United States	-	-	-	2	1	1	2	1	1
Caribbean	3,964	3,135	829	5,592	3,914	1,678	5,509	3,705	1,804
Anguilla	1	1	-	-	-	-	4	2	2
Antigua-Barbuda	17	15	2	26	18	8	38	27	11

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 65. ALIENS REMOVED BY CRIMINAL STATUS AND REGION
AND COUNTRY OF NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEARS 1996-2001—Continued**

Region and country of nationality ¹	1996			1997			1998		
	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal
Aruba	2	2	-	3	3	-	4	4	-
Bahamas, The	77	67	10	59	48	11	82	68	14
Barbados	37	33	4	50	43	7	51	45	6
Bermuda	8	7	1	8	5	3	6	3	3
British Virgin Islands	2	1	1	6	3	3	2	1	1
Cayman Islands	1	1	-	2	2	-	2	1	1
Cuba	70	64	6	76	66	10	33	26	7
Dominica	28	16	12	38	23	15	27	18	9
Dominican Republic	1,956	1,487	469	2,694	1,971	723	2,518	1,705	813
Grenada	12	12	-	16	9	7	25	17	8
Guadeloupe	-	-	-	2	2	-	1	-	1
Haiti	333	220	113	488	264	224	514	313	201
Jamaica	1,189	1,009	180	1,801	1,235	566	1,854	1,224	630
Martinique	2	1	1	1	1	-	1	1	-
Montserrat	3	3	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Netherlands Antilles	2	2	-	3	1	2	6	4	2
St. Kitts-Nevis	13	10	3	21	17	4	20	15	5
St. Lucia	12	12	-	21	13	8	27	22	5
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	12	12	-	24	20	4	22	13	9
Trinidad and Tobago	186	159	27	251	169	82	265	190	75
Turks and Caicos Islands	1	1	-	2	1	1	6	5	1
Central America	8,057	2,514	5,543	12,328	3,998	8,330	16,543	4,507	12,036
Belize	106	76	30	129	93	36	181	114	67
Costa Rica	73	33	40	151	39	112	162	42	120
El Salvador	2,493	1,071	1,422	3,900	1,581	2,319	5,348	1,772	3,576
Guatemala	2,106	494	1,612	3,531	836	2,695	5,152	1,018	4,134
Honduras	2,769	619	2,150	3,878	1,171	2,707	5,145	1,236	3,909
Nicaragua	419	141	278	599	177	422	411	215	196
Panama	91	80	11	140	101	39	144	110	34
South America	2,373	1,591	782	4,140	2,166	1,974	4,326	2,135	2,191
Argentina	31	19	12	68	28	40	71	43	28
Bolivia	53	22	31	153	21	132	189	25	164
Brazil	127	30	97	329	37	292	349	48	301
Chile	63	27	36	101	46	55	113	52	61
Colombia	1,324	1,120	204	2,043	1,513	530	1,812	1,367	445
Ecuador	247	100	147	509	141	368	658	150	508
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Guyana	140	75	65	221	125	96	252	147	105
Paraguay	6	-	6	10	1	9	7	1	6
Peru	223	111	112	448	155	293	595	178	417
Suriname	2	-	2	8	3	5	5	2	3
Uruguay	16	12	4	16	12	4	30	11	19
Venezuela	141	75	66	234	84	150	244	110	134
Stateless	2	1	1	1	-	1	1	-	1
Unknown or not reported	5	3	2	5	3	2	18	4	14

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**TABLE 65. ALIENS REMOVED BY CRIMINAL STATUS AND REGION
AND COUNTRY OF NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEARS 1996-2001—Continued**

Region and country of nationality ¹	1999			2000			2001		
	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal
All countries	180,614	70,006	110,608	185,475	71,541	113,934	176,984	71,597	105,387
Europe	2,002	875	1,127	2,401	926	1,475	2,476	870	1,606
Albania	79	13	66	93	7	86	104	14	90
Armenia	22	14	8	13	9	4	28	10	18
Austria	18	10	8	8	4	4	16	4	12
Azerbaijan	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Belarus	-	-	-	1	1	-	3	-	3
Belgium	12	10	2	19	13	6	12	5	7
Bosnia-Herzegovina	1	-	1	3	3	-	8	5	3
Bulgaria	49	10	39	42	11	31	41	14	27
Croatia	7	4	3	9	4	5	9	1	8
Czech Republic	5	3	2	5	1	4	16	2	14
Czechoslovakia ³	122	19	103	132	25	107	128	25	103
Denmark	12	8	4	12	4	8	10	3	7
Estonia	10	1	9	14	2	12	15	1	14
Finland	8	3	5	5	2	3	6	2	4
France	76	36	40	103	32	71	96	34	62
Georgia	6	5	1	24	8	16	27	8	19
Germany	126	64	62	180	87	93	137	56	81
Greece	33	25	8	44	31	13	33	18	15
Hungary	44	7	37	41	12	29	85	17	68
Iceland	3	-	3	1	-	1	-	-	-
Ireland	32	15	17	39	16	23	54	16	38
Italy	116	71	45	131	82	49	126	70	56
Kazakhstan	8	2	6	6	-	6	1	1	-
Kyrgyzstan	3	-	3	4	1	3	1	1	-
Latvia	11	4	7	11	-	11	16	3	13
Lithuania	22	3	19	33	4	29	36	5	31
Luxembourg	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	1	1
Macedonia	15	2	13	14	3	11	22	-	22
Malta	2	2	-	1	-	1	2	2	-
Moldova	-	-	-	3	3	-	4	-	4
Monaco	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	43	26	17	71	42	29	72	38	34
Norway	4	2	2	15	6	9	11	5	6
Poland	240	51	189	330	70	260	355	81	274
Portugal	125	105	20	128	107	21	108	83	25
Romania	73	26	47	69	13	56	86	24	62
Russia	91	33	58	114	21	93	92	48	44
Slovak Republic	16	3	13	19	9	10	20	3	17
Slovenia	7	1	6	5	-	5	8	1	7
Soviet Union ³	16	11	5	15	9	6	6	3	3
Spain	49	30	19	58	19	39	60	23	37
Sweden	16	3	13	28	6	22	27	6	21
Switzerland	11	4	7	16	5	11	12	3	9
Tajikistan	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ukraine	53	11	42	71	10	61	121	15	106
United Kingdom	376	222	154	413	227	186	360	186	174
Uzbekistan	3	-	3	16	-	16	31	4	27
Yugoslavia ³	36	16	20	41	17	24	68	29	39
Asia	2,965	1,010	1,955	3,306	1,003	2,303	3,158	1,003	2,155
Afghanistan	28	20	8	5	3	2	10	3	7
Bahrain	2	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Bangladesh	55	15	40	76	8	68	68	15	53

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**TABLE 65. ALIENS REMOVED BY CRIMINAL STATUS AND REGION
AND COUNTRY OF NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEARS 1996-2001—Continued**

Region and country of nationality ¹	1999			2000			2001		
	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal
Brunei	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Burma	1	1	-	8	-	8	4	3	1
Cambodia	17	-	17	10	-	10	18	2	16
China, People's Republic	418	107	311	538	99	439	492	114	378
Cyprus	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2
Hong Kong	18	13	5	23	7	16	19	13	6
India	337	72	265	451	81	370	375	71	304
Indonesia	76	9	67	189	8	181	222	14	208
Iran	75	47	28	47	19	28	38	20	18
Iraq	5	4	1	10	5	5	6	2	4
Israel	126	42	84	158	56	102	129	33	96
Japan	85	27	58	102	39	63	111	56	55
Jordan	82	37	45	100	47	53	81	47	34
Korea	238	122	116	259	90	169	263	109	154
Kuwait	10	6	4	5	3	2	10	4	6
Laos	2	-	2	10	2	8	9	5	4
Lebanon	70	24	46	66	32	34	49	17	32
Macau	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Malaysia	55	9	46	67	15	52	87	15	72
Maldives	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	-
Mongolia	-	-	-	4	1	3	7	1	6
Nepal	5	2	3	8	3	5	12	2	10
Oman	3	1	2	-	-	-	3	1	2
Pakistan	395	60	335	286	78	208	332	57	275
Philippines	545	297	248	491	281	210	457	284	173
Qatar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Saudi Arabia	5	2	3	9	3	6	16	8	8
Singapore	10	4	6	15	7	8	27	9	18
Sri Lanka	75	10	65	127	12	115	68	7	61
Syria	22	3	19	22	9	13	28	7	21
Taiwan	39	14	25	35	20	15	43	27	16
Thailand	64	31	33	79	34	45	73	31	42
Turkey	70	17	53	63	25	38	67	10	57
United Arab Emirates	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2
Vietnam	13	8	5	8	5	3	8	7	1
Yemen	12	2	10	26	7	19	18	7	11
Africa	1,489	618	871	1,507	616	891	1,422	568	854
Algeria	23	6	17	34	10	24	19	7	12
Angola	1	-	1	10	2	8	8	4	4
Benin	5	5	-	5	3	2	2	2	-
Botswana	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Burkina Faso	3	-	3	1	-	1	3	1	2
Burundi	1	-	1	3	-	3	2	-	2
Cameroon	31	11	20	25	5	20	13	5	8
Cape Verde	49	44	5	32	28	4	46	36	10
Central African Republic	-	-	-	2	2	-	2	1	1
Chad	3	-	3	1	1	-	3	1	2
Congo, Democratic Republic ⁴	17	1	16	20	7	13	6	3	3
Congo, Republic ⁴	12	2	10	12	-	12	12	-	12
Cote d'Ivoire	43	13	30	27	8	19	24	10	14
Djibouti	1	-	1	-	-	-	3	-	3
Egypt	80	16	64	93	24	69	91	15	76
Equatorial Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eritrea	-	-	-	2	1	1	5	-	5
Ethiopia	45	19	26	17	9	8	21	12	9

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**TABLE 65. ALIENS REMOVED BY CRIMINAL STATUS AND REGION
AND COUNTRY OF NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEARS 1996-2001—Continued**

Region and country of nationality ¹	1999			2000			2001		
	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal
Gabon	1	-	1	1	-	1	2	1	1
Gambia, The	32	11	21	34	12	22	40	15	25
Ghana	199	49	150	231	48	183	214	47	167
Guinea	65	8	57	57	11	46	55	11	44
Kenya	42	15	27	45	17	28	45	18	27
Lesotho	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liberia	38	22	16	45	34	11	42	30	12
Libya	1	-	1	2	2	-	2	2	-
Madagascar	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	1
Malawi	1	-	1	3	-	3	1	1	-
Mali	23	5	18	56	6	50	42	2	40
Mauritania	4	1	3	4	-	4	4	1	3
Mauritius	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Morocco	43	21	22	48	25	23	32	17	15
Mozambique	1	1	-	1	1	-	1	1	-
Namibia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Niger	32	23	9	26	18	8	24	12	12
Nigeria	464	278	186	451	272	179	408	239	169
Rwanda	5	-	5	5	-	5	-	-	-
Senegal	45	14	31	46	14	32	64	14	50
Seychelles	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Sierra Leone	37	11	26	21	7	14	33	10	23
Somalia	30	3	27	48	11	37	32	7	25
South Africa	47	20	27	37	17	20	33	14	19
Sudan	12	3	9	6	3	3	8	2	6
Swaziland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tanzania	7	2	5	11	2	9	10	5	5
Togo	12	6	6	8	3	5	9	4	5
Tunisia	13	1	12	8	2	6	13	3	10
Uganda	11	4	7	15	7	8	17	8	9
Zambia	4	2	2	6	2	4	10	1	9
Zimbabwe	6	1	5	7	1	6	17	3	14
Oceania	182	103	79	227	124	103	298	139	159
Australia	38	13	25	42	12	30	90	18	72
Fiji	42	20	22	27	12	15	34	15	19
French Polynesia	2	1	1	-	-	-	3	2	1
Kiribati	1	-	1	1	1	-	1	1	-
Marshall Islands	-	-	-	3	3	-	4	4	-
Micronesia, Federated States	18	18	-	28	28	-	35	35	-
New Zealand	19	5	14	45	9	36	60	12	48
Palau	2	2	-	8	8	-	9	8	1
Papua New Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Samoa ⁵	16	12	4	13	11	2	10	8	2
Tonga	44	32	12	60	40	20	50	35	15
Tuvalu	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Vanuatu	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
North America	168,746	65,027	103,719	172,356	66,636	105,720	162,920	66,823	96,097
Canada	1,023	535	488	1,018	495	523	1,097	633	464
Mexico	149,605	54,994	94,611	150,393	56,467	93,926	141,133	57,144	83,989
United States	2	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Caribbean	6,449	4,590	1,859	6,580	4,527	2,053	7,192	4,296	2,896
Anguilla	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	-
Antigua-Barbuda	41	33	8	33	27	6	35	26	9

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**TABLE 65. ALIENS REMOVED BY CRIMINAL STATUS AND REGION
AND COUNTRY OF NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEARS 1996-2001—Continued**

Region and country of nationality ¹	1999			2000			2001		
	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal
Aruba	2	1	1	5	2	3	3	3	-
Bahamas, The	88	64	24	123	107	16	108	92	16
Barbados	70	65	5	59	49	10	48	34	14
Bermuda	7	7	-	5	4	1	12	10	2
British Virgin Islands	3	2	1	3	3	-	8	6	2
Cayman Islands	2	-	2	2	-	2	4	1	3
Cuba	83	74	9	85	70	15	84	77	7
Dominica	28	22	6	20	12	8	24	13	11
Dominican Republic	3,208	2,341	867	3,396	2,244	1,152	3,935	2,135	1,800
Grenada	28	21	7	30	21	9	22	12	10
Guadeloupe	2	1	1	1	-	1	1	-	1
Haiti	464	301	163	461	372	89	451	352	99
Jamaica	2,027	1,378	649	1,925	1,346	579	2,008	1,292	716
Martinique	1	1	-	1	1	-	7	1	6
Montserrat	8	7	1	3	3	-	2	2	-
Netherlands Antilles	2	2	-	5	4	1	4	4	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	14	13	1	19	18	1	19	19	-
St. Lucia	27	20	7	30	20	10	23	13	10
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	29	19	10	21	13	8	35	18	17
Trinidad and Tobago	310	214	96	349	207	142	354	181	173
Turks and Caicos Islands	5	4	1	3	3	-	4	4	-
Central America	11,667	4,906	6,761	14,364	5,146	9,218	13,498	4,750	8,748
Belize	186	137	49	169	124	45	178	107	71
Costa Rica	212	70	142	313	55	258	383	64	319
El Salvador	3,989	2,059	1,930	4,531	2,059	2,472	3,722	1,812	1,910
Guatemala	3,369	1,053	2,316	4,149	1,158	2,991	4,235	1,094	3,141
Honduras	3,349	1,204	2,145	4,600	1,383	3,217	4,338	1,314	3,024
Nicaragua	397	254	143	450	257	193	487	250	237
Panama	165	129	36	152	110	42	155	109	46
South America	5,206	2,366	2,840	5,637	2,230	3,407	6,689	2,191	4,498
Argentina	97	56	41	138	40	98	245	54	191
Bolivia	195	28	167	88	24	64	236	16	220
Brazil	626	51	575	1,077	70	1,007	1,645	79	1,566
Chile	127	66	61	153	48	105	198	59	139
Colombia	2,074	1,531	543	2,051	1,409	642	2,182	1,455	727
Ecuador	785	174	611	861	188	673	910	165	745
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guyana	288	132	156	239	88	151	130	41	89
Paraguay	21	-	21	14	1	13	12	1	11
Peru	735	197	538	720	218	502	787	174	613
Suriname	8	5	3	5	5	-	4	1	3
Uruguay	35	15	20	47	14	33	48	11	37
Venezuela	215	111	104	244	125	119	291	134	157
Stateless	3	1	2	8	-	8	4	-	4
Unknown or not reported	21	6	15	33	6	27	17	3	14

¹ Country is defined as nationality for sovereign states and country of birth for dependencies. ² Criminal status includes those cases in which INS has evidence of a conviction. ³ Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. ⁴ In May 1997 Zaire was formally recognized as the Democratic Republic of the Congo; the Congo is referred to by its conventional name, the Republic of the Congo. ⁵ In August 1997 Western Samoa was formally recognized as Samoa (Independent State).

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 66. ALIENS EXCLUDED BY ADMINISTRATIVE REASON FOR EXCLUSION
FISCAL YEARS 1892-1990**

Year	Total	Subversive or anarchist	Criminal or narcotics violations	Immoral	Mental or physical defect	Likely to become public charge	Stowaway	Attempted entry without inspection or without proper documents	Contract laborer	Unable to read (over 16 years of age)	Other
1892-1990	650,252	1,369	17,465	8,209	82,590	219,399	16,240	204,943	41,941	13,679	44,417
1892-1900	22,515	-	65	89	1,309	15,070	-	-	5,792	-	190
1901-10	108,211	10	1,681	1,277	24,425	63,311	-	-	12,991	-	4,516
1911-20	178,109	27	4,353	4,824	42,129	90,045	1,904	-	15,417	5,083	14,327
1921-30	189,307	9	2,082	1,281	11,044	37,175	8,447	94,084	6,274	8,202	20,709
1931-40	68,217	5	1,261	253	1,530	12,519	2,126	47,858	1,235	258	1,172
1941-50	30,263	60	1,134	80	1,021	1,072	3,182	22,441	219	108	946
1951-60	20,585	1,098	2,017	361	956	149	376	14,657	13	26	932
1961-70	4,831	128	383	24	145	27	175	3,706	-	2	241
1971-80	8,455	32	814	20	31	31	30	7,237	-	-	260
1981-90	19,759	NA	3,675	NA	NA	NA	NA	14,960	-	-	1,124
1981	659	NA	152	NA	NA	NA	NA	486	-	-	21
1982	698	NA	183	NA	NA	NA	NA	478	-	-	37
1983	979	NA	205	NA	NA	NA	NA	728	-	-	46
1984	1,089	NA	160	NA	NA	NA	NA	870	-	-	59
1985	1,747	NA	297	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,351	-	-	99
1986	2,278	NA	270	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,904	-	-	104
1987	1,994	NA	426	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,423	-	-	145
1988	2,693	NA	482	NA	NA	NA	NA	2,043	-	-	168
1989	3,893	NA	712	NA	NA	NA	NA	2,973	-	-	208
1990	3,729	NA	788	NA	NA	NA	NA	2,704	-	-	237

NOTE: From 1941-53, figures represent all exclusions at sea and air ports and exclusions of aliens seeking entry for 30 days or longer at land ports. After 1953, includes aliens excluded after formal hearings. See Glossary for fiscal year definitions.

- Represents zero. NA Not available.

**TABLE 67. ALIENS DEPORTED BY ADMINISTRATIVE REASON FOR REMOVAL
FISCAL YEARS 1908-80**

Year	Total	Subversive or anarchist	Criminal violations	Immoral	Narcotics violations	Mental or physical defect	Previously excluded or deported	Failed to maintain or comply with conditions of nonimmigrant status	Entered without proper documents	Entered without inspection or by false statements	Public charge	Unable to read (over 16 years of age)	Other
1908-80	812,915	1,528	48,330	16,582	8,339	27,305	41,022	124,465	154,896	334,889	22,556	16,762	16,241
1908-10	6,888	-	236	784	-	3,228	-	-	-	1,106	474	-	1,060
1911-20	27,912	353	1,209	4,324	-	6,364	178	-	-	4,128	9,086	704	1,566
1921-30	92,157	642	8,383	4,238	374	8,936	1,842	5,556	31,704	5,265	10,703	5,977	8,537
1931-40	117,086	253	16,597	4,838	1,108	6,301	9,729	14,669	45,480	5,159	1,886	8,329	2,737
1941-50	110,849	17	8,945	759	822	1,560	17,642	13,906	14,288	50,209	143	1,746	812
1951-60	129,887	230	6,742	1,175	947	642	4,002	25,260	35,090	54,457	225	5	1,112
1961-70	96,374	15	3,694	397	1,462	236	3,601	31,334	11,831	43,561	8	-	235
1971-80	231,762	18	2,524	67	3,626	38	4,028	33,740	16,503	171,004	31	1	182
1971	17,639	2	286	9	232	7	476	4,140	2,979	9,483	4	-	21
1972	16,266	2	266	7	307	3	487	3,966	2,710	8,486	6	-	26
1973	16,842	7	226	7	395	7	594	3,989	2,247	9,342	4	-	24
1974	18,824	3	191	7	396	7	440	3,839	2,086	11,839	2	-	14
1975	23,438	-	225	4	583	6	526	3,649	1,896	16,529	1	-	19
1976	27,998	1	272	8	464	2	481	3,782	1,185	21,777	1	1	24
1976, TQ	8,927	-	83	2	110	-	141	1,007	271	7,304	3	-	6
1977	30,228	3	285	6	372	3	315	3,150	1,066	25,012	1	-	15
1978	28,371	-	220	4	314	1	236	2,543	871	24,165	5	-	12
1979	25,888	-	264	9	265	2	202	1,901	707	22,525	3	-	10
1980	17,341	-	206	4	188	-	130	1,774	485	14,542	1	-	11

NOTE: Deportation statistics by administrative reason for removal were not available prior to fiscal year 1908. See Glossary for fiscal year definitions.
- Represents zero.

**TABLE 68. ALIENS DEPORTED BY ADMINISTRATIVE REASON FOR REMOVAL
FISCAL YEARS 1981-90**

Year	Total	Convictions for criminal or narcotics violations	Related to criminal or narcotics violations	Entered without inspection	Violation of nonimmigrant status	Other
1981-90	213,071	30,630	1,972	155,405	15,982	9,082
1981	16,720	310	54	13,601	1,959	796
1982	14,518	413	64	11,554	1,796	691
1983	18,232	863	93	14,318	1,958	1,000
1984	17,607	981	80	14,082	1,702	762
1985	21,358	1,551	151	16,957	1,916	783
1986	22,314	1,708	165	17,812	1,865	764
1987	22,342	4,111	274	15,833	1,273	851
1988	23,136	5,474	308	15,337	996	1,021
1989	30,534	7,036	343	20,706	1,265	1,184
1990	26,310	8,183	440	15,205	1,252	1,230

NOTE: The definition of which aliens counted as criminal aliens changed in 1990. See Enforcement section of text.

**TABLE 69. ALIENS UNDER DOCKET CONTROL REQUIRED TO DEPART BY CRIMINAL STATUS
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEARS 1996-2001**

Region and country of nationality ¹	1996			1997			1998		
	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal
All countries	4,631	481	4,150	7,378	733	6,645	9,515	1,200	8,315
Europe	337	9	328	513	24	489	460	24	436
Albania	3	-	3	2	-	2	5	-	5
Armenia	15	-	15	32	3	29	10	1	9
Austria	3	1	2	1	-	1	2	-	2
Azerbaijan	-	-	-	2	-	2	-	-	-
Belarus	-	-	-	3	-	3	3	-	3
Belgium	3	-	3	3	1	2	-	-	-
Bosnia-Herzegovina	1	-	1	2	-	2	1	-	1
Bulgaria	29	-	29	44	1	43	20	1	19
Croatia	2	-	2	3	-	3	5	1	4
Czech Republic	1	-	1	2	-	2	5	-	5
Czechoslovakia ³	6	-	6	16	-	16	42	-	42
Denmark	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	1
Estonia	-	-	-	1	-	1	4	-	4
Finland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
France	17	-	17	14	-	14	13	1	12
Georgia	1	-	1	4	1	3	6	-	6
Germany	19	-	19	33	-	33	24	1	23
Greece	5	-	5	4	1	3	6	-	6
Hungary	6	-	6	13	1	12	9	-	9
Iceland	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ireland	5	-	5	4	1	3	3	-	3
Italy	14	1	13	10	1	9	4	3	1
Kazakhstan	-	-	-	5	-	5	1	-	1
Kyrgyzstan	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
Latvia	2	-	2	1	-	1	2	-	2
Lithuania	1	-	1	11	-	11	8	-	8
Macedonia	2	-	2	1	-	1	1	-	1
Moldova	-	-	-	3	-	3	1	-	1
Netherlands	7	-	7	8	-	8	4	-	4
Norway	3	-	3	1	-	1	2	-	2
Poland	38	-	38	49	1	48	47	3	44
Portugal	2	1	1	11	1	10	11	2	9
Romania	37	-	37	67	1	66	50	-	50
Russia	30	1	29	36	1	35	61	1	60
Slovak Republic	4	-	4	10	-	10	9	-	9
Slovenia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soviet Union ³	4	-	4	3	-	3	7	-	7
Spain	6	-	6	13	2	11	4	-	4
Sweden	5	1	4	2	-	2	8	2	6
Switzerland	2	-	2	1	-	1	5	-	5
Tajikistan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Turkmenistan	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2
Ukraine	14	-	14	23	1	22	20	-	20
United Kingdom	36	4	32	40	6	34	36	7	29
Uzbekistan	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Yugoslavia ³	12	-	12	33	1	32	17	1	16
Asia	514	15	499	791	27	764	860	54	806
Afghanistan	2	1	1	8	1	7	52	1	51
Bahrain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bangladesh	15	-	15	19	-	19	37	3	34

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**TABLE 69. ALIENS UNDER DOCKET CONTROL REQUIRED TO DEPART BY CRIMINAL STATUS
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEARS 1996-2001—Continued**

Region and country of nationality ¹	1996			1997			1998		
	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal
Burma	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Cambodia	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	3
China, People's Republic	35	3	32	66	1	65	58	7	51
Cyprus	1	-	1	1	-	1	2	-	2
Hong Kong	8	-	8	8	-	8	2	-	2
India	41	1	40	78	-	78	74	3	71
Indonesia	4	-	4	10	-	10	15	-	15
Iran	11	-	11	32	1	31	24	5	19
Iraq	1	-	1	3	-	3	2	-	2
Israel	17	1	16	28	2	26	28	1	27
Japan	18	1	17	19	1	18	13	1	12
Jordan	15	-	15	32	2	30	24	2	22
Korea	25	2	23	42	3	39	45	4	41
Kuwait	2	1	1	1	1	-	2	-	2
Laos	4	-	4	6	3	3	7	1	6
Lebanon	16	1	15	20	2	18	10	1	9
Malaysia	7	-	7	6	-	6	17	2	15
Mongolia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nepal	1	-	1	1	-	1	5	1	4
Oman	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pakistan	18	-	18	71	2	69	64	3	61
Philippines	185	1	184	180	4	176	152	8	144
Saudi Arabia	1	-	1	1	-	1	8	3	5
Singapore	1	1	-	-	-	-	7	-	7
Sri Lanka	45	-	45	118	3	115	142	3	139
Syria	2	-	2	11	-	11	6	-	6
Taiwan	9	-	9	6	-	6	4	1	3
Thailand	16	-	16	12	-	12	17	1	16
Turkey	9	-	9	5	1	4	16	1	15
United Arab Emirates	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vietnam	3	2	1	4	-	4	1	1	-
Yemen	1	-	1	3	-	3	21	-	21
Africa	109	3	106	274	14	260	391	16	375
Algeria	2	-	2	1	-	1	6	-	6
Angola	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	4
Benin	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Burkina Faso	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2
Burundi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cameroon	6	-	6	1	-	1	5	1	4
Cape Verde	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	2	5
Central African Republic	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
Chad	-	-	-	14	-	14	19	-	19
Congo, Democratic Republic ⁴	10	-	10	30	1	29	36	-	36
Congo, Republic ⁴	-	-	-	4	-	4	4	-	4
Cote d'Ivoire	3	-	3	6	-	6	3	-	3
Djibouti	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	4
Egypt	7	1	6	17	-	17	20	1	19
Eritrea	-	-	-	5	-	5	18	-	18
Ethiopia	7	-	7	25	-	25	39	2	37
Gabon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gambia, The	2	-	2	4	-	4	-	-	-
Ghana	5	-	5	10	2	8	11	2	9

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**TABLE 69. ALIENS UNDER DOCKET CONTROL REQUIRED TO DEPART BY CRIMINAL STATUS
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEARS 1996-2001—Continued**

Region and country of nationality ¹	1996			1997			1998		
	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal
Guinea	1	-	1	2	-	2	4	-	4
Guinea-Bissau	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kenya	5	-	5	4	-	4	18	-	18
Lesotho	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liberia	3	-	3	3	-	3	3	-	3
Libya	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Madagascar	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malawi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mali	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	-	2
Mauritania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Morocco	3	1	2	5	-	5	7	1	6
Namibia	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
Niger	2	-	2	2	-	2	5	-	5
Nigeria	7	-	7	23	3	20	32	6	26
Rwanda	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Senegal	1	-	1	7	-	7	4	-	4
Sierra Leone	5	-	5	12	-	12	1	-	1
Somalia	23	-	23	52	3	49	78	-	78
South Africa	10	1	9	16	1	15	10	1	9
Sudan	1	-	1	20	2	18	32	-	32
Tanzania	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	1
Togo	-	-	-	2	1	1	3	-	3
Tunisia	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	6
Uganda	1	-	1	3	1	2	3	-	3
Zambia	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
Zimbabwe	3	-	3	1	-	1	2	-	2
Oceania	41	3	38	47	2	45	40	1	39
Australia	4	-	4	5	-	5	16	-	16
Cook Islands	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fiji	10	2	8	16	-	16	9	1	8
French Polynesia	9	-	9	11	1	10	4	-	4
Kiribati	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Micronesia, Federated States	2	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-
New Zealand	4	-	4	6	-	6	4	-	4
Palau	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
Papua New Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Samoa ⁵	5	-	5	6	-	6	-	-	-
Solomon Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2
Tonga	3	-	3	1	-	1	4	-	4
Vanuatu	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
North America	3,415	436	2,979	5,336	627	4,709	7,289	1,057	6,232
Canada	64	3	61	81	8	73	88	21	67
Mexico	2,487	350	2,137	3,820	494	3,326	5,261	864	4,397
Caribbean	297	56	241	459	90	369	561	83	478
Antigua-Barbuda	2	-	2	4	1	3	3	2	1
Aruba	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahamas, The	2	1	1	4	1	3	6	-	6
Barbados	1	1	-	3	-	3	2	1	1
Bermuda	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	-	2
British Virgin Islands	-	-	-	2	-	2	4	-	4
Cuba	21	12	9	25	15	10	30	21	9

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**TABLE 69. ALIENS UNDER DOCKET CONTROL REQUIRED TO DEPART BY CRIMINAL STATUS
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEARS 1996-2001—Continued**

Region and country of nationality ¹	1996			1997			1998		
	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal
Dominica	9	-	9	22	2	20	8	1	7
Dominican Republic	179	21	158	287	42	245	373	32	341
Grenada	2	-	2	-	-	-	6	-	6
Guadeloupe	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2
Haiti	13	2	11	13	2	11	25	2	23
Jamaica	32	17	15	51	20	31	63	18	45
Montserrat	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	2	-	2	1	-	1	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	4	-	4	6	-	6	2	-	2
St. Lucia	4	-	4	7	-	7	3	-	3
St. Vincent and the Grenadines ...	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	25	2	23	30	6	24	32	6	26
Central America	567	27	540	976	35	941	1,379	89	1,290
Belize	7	-	7	6	1	5	14	4	10
Costa Rica	7	1	6	16	-	16	23	2	21
El Salvador	186	6	180	399	13	386	575	38	537
Guatemala	145	6	139	270	9	261	435	20	415
Honduras	153	9	144	187	7	180	292	21	271
Nicaragua	54	1	53	86	1	85	31	3	28
Panama	15	4	11	12	4	8	9	1	8
South America	208	14	194	406	38	368	470	47	423
Argentina	8	-	8	10	1	9	23	1	22
Bolivia	8	-	8	30	1	29	24	-	24
Brazil	27	-	27	72	2	70	59	1	58
Chile	9	2	7	15	2	13	20	4	16
Colombia	43	6	37	84	19	65	119	18	101
Ecuador	28	3	25	61	2	59	86	4	82
Guyana	7	1	6	9	7	2	8	2	6
Paraguay	1	-	1	-	-	-	4	1	3
Peru	52	1	51	103	3	100	89	11	78
Suriname	2	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	1
Uruguay	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	2
Venezuela	22	-	22	22	1	21	35	5	30
Stateless	1	1	-	2	1	1	3	-	3
Unknown or not reported	6	-	6	9	-	9	2	1	1

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 69. ALIENS UNDER DOCKET CONTROL REQUIRED TO DEPART BY CRIMINAL STATUS
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEARS 1996-2001—Continued**

Region and country of nationality ¹	1999			2000			2001		
	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal
All countries	8,317	1,175	7,142	7,272	1,350	5,922	6,645	1,430	5,215
Europe	414	38	376	368	44	324	283	40	243
Albania	8	-	8	25	1	24	6	-	6
Armenia	13	2	11	8	3	5	7	1	6
Austria	1	-	1	1	-	1	3	2	1
Azerbaijan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Belarus	1	-	1	3	-	3	3	-	3
Belgium	4	1	3	1	-	1	2	-	2
Bosnia-Herzegovina	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bulgaria	22	-	22	10	1	9	5	1	4
Croatia	2	-	2	2	-	2	-	-	-
Czech Republic	2	-	2	14	-	14	9	-	9
Czechoslovakia ³	45	2	43	22	1	21	20	3	17
Denmark	2	1	1	1	1	-	1	-	1
Estonia	7	4	3	1	-	1	1	-	1
Finland	3	1	2	-	-	-	1	-	1
France	14	-	14	8	1	7	3	-	3
Georgia	2	-	2	11	1	10	6	1	5
Germany	24	5	19	16	2	14	15	1	14
Greece	3	-	3	7	5	2	3	-	3
Hungary	7	1	6	9	1	8	25	-	25
Iceland	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ireland	5	2	3	3	1	2	4	-	4
Italy	14	1	13	4	-	4	8	3	5
Kazakhstan	7	1	6	9	-	9	2	-	2
Kyrgyzstan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Latvia	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	1
Lithuania	3	-	3	1	-	1	5	-	5
Macedonia	4	-	4	4	-	4	1	-	1
Moldova	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
Netherlands	4	1	3	2	1	1	3	-	3
Norway	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Poland	41	3	38	40	3	37	32	5	27
Portugal	11	1	10	6	3	3	4	3	1
Romania	30	1	29	24	2	22	19	2	17
Russia	58	6	52	45	5	40	19	4	15
Slovak Republic	2	-	2	1	-	1	8	1	7
Slovenia	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soviet Union ³	5	1	4	3	-	3	-	-	-
Spain	3	-	3	4	2	2	4	1	3
Sweden	2	-	2	3	-	3	1	1	-
Switzerland	4	-	4	5	-	5	1	-	1
Tajikistan	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
Turkmenistan	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Ukraine	19	-	19	18	-	18	10	1	9
United Kingdom	29	3	26	38	7	31	31	6	25
Uzbekistan	3	-	3	3	1	2	3	2	1
Yugoslavia ³	8	1	7	13	1	12	16	2	14
Asia	688	55	633	590	55	535	457	54	403
Afghanistan	23	-	23	6	-	6	-	-	-
Bahrain	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
Bangladesh	34	1	33	18	-	18	4	-	4

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**TABLE 69. ALIENS UNDER DOCKET CONTROL REQUIRED TO DEPART BY CRIMINAL STATUS
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEARS 1996-2001—Continued**

Region and country of nationality ¹	1999			2000			2001		
	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal
Burma	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cambodia	3	-	3	2	1	1	-	-	-
China, People's Republic	58	3	55	48	2	46	38	1	37
Cyprus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hong Kong	3	-	3	4	-	4	6	1	5
India	92	8	84	56	2	54	44	4	40
Indonesia	7	-	7	22	1	21	23	-	23
Iran	18	2	16	18	5	13	15	1	14
Iraq	6	1	5	1	1	-	1	-	1
Israel	17	4	13	33	3	30	50	3	47
Japan	7	2	5	18	-	18	15	3	12
Jordan	25	2	23	22	3	19	20	2	18
Korea	51	7	44	57	5	52	46	6	40
Kuwait	3	-	3	4	-	4	3	1	2
Laos	5	2	3	4	1	3	4	4	-
Lebanon	11	2	9	13	3	10	9	-	9
Malaysia	14	3	11	14	-	14	16	2	14
Mongolia	-	-	-	2	-	2	1	-	1
Nepal	3	1	2	3	1	2	-	-	-
Oman	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	1
Pakistan	68	3	65	53	8	45	32	1	31
Philippines	110	8	102	86	9	77	60	14	46
Saudi Arabia	5	-	5	4	-	4	5	-	5
Singapore	1	-	1	-	-	-	3	1	2
Sri Lanka	67	1	66	41	2	39	26	1	25
Syria	9	-	9	8	2	6	5	-	5
Taiwan	10	-	10	13	-	13	2	1	1
Thailand	17	1	16	17	1	16	12	4	8
Turkey	16	1	15	13	1	12	9	1	8
United Arab Emirates	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
Vietnam	3	2	1	6	4	2	5	2	3
Yemen	1	1	-	2	-	2	1	-	1
Africa	253	23	230	114	20	94	120	28	92
Algeria	7	-	7	1	-	1	1	-	1
Angola	3	-	3	4	-	4	4	-	4
Benin	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
Burkina Faso	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burundi	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Cameroon	2	-	2	3	1	2	5	-	5
Cape Verde	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Central African Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chad	5	-	5	-	-	-	1	-	1
Congo, Democratic Republic ⁴	6	-	6	1	-	1	2	-	2
Congo, Republic ⁴	5	-	5	-	-	-	2	-	2
Cote d'Ivoire	3	-	3	-	-	-	1	-	1
Djibouti	1	-	1	1	-	1	2	-	2
Egypt	27	4	23	17	3	14	9	1	8
Eritrea	9	-	9	1	-	1	-	-	-
Ethiopia	25	1	24	5	-	5	3	1	2
Gabon	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gambia, The	1	-	1	2	-	2	2	1	1
Ghana	13	4	9	13	-	13	2	1	1

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**TABLE 69. ALIENS UNDER DOCKET CONTROL REQUIRED TO DEPART BY CRIMINAL STATUS
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEARS 1996-2001—Continued**

Region and country of nationality ¹	1999			2000			2001		
	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal
Guinea	4	2	2	1	-	1	2	2	-
Guinea-Bissau	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Kenya	8	1	7	2	-	2	3	1	2
Lesotho	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2
Liberia	1	-	1	3	2	1	2	-	2
Libya	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
Madagascar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malawi	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	1
Mali	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	-	2
Mauritania	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	1
Morocco	2	-	2	2	1	1	7	1	6
Namibia	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Niger	6	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nigeria	42	9	33	21	7	14	25	13	12
Rwanda	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senegal	7	-	7	7	3	4	7	4	3
Sierra Leone	7	-	7	-	-	-	1	-	1
Somalia	27	-	27	-	-	-	3	-	3
South Africa	9	-	9	12	-	12	7	-	7
Sudan	13	-	13	2	-	2	4	1	3
Tanzania	3	-	3	1	-	1	3	-	3
Togo	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2
Tunisia	3	1	2	1	-	1	7	-	7
Uganda	4	-	4	3	2	1	2	1	1
Zambia	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Zimbabwe	2	1	1	6	-	6	2	1	1
Oceania	47	2	45	33	5	28	42	7	35
Australia	12	-	12	9	1	8	5	-	5
Cook Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fiji	17	-	17	8	-	8	8	-	8
French Polynesia	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
Kiribati	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Micronesia, Federated States	1	1	-	2	2	-	5	4	1
New Zealand	10	-	10	8	-	8	7	1	6
Palau	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Papua New Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Samoa ⁵	6	1	5	2	1	1	12	1	11
Solomon Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tonga	-	-	-	3	1	2	3	-	3
Vanuatu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
North America	6,390	990	5,400	5,820	1,170	4,650	5,420	1,250	4,170
Canada	102	27	75	92	21	71	64	12	52
Mexico	4,833	741	4,092	4,264	913	3,351	4,132	1,038	3,094
Caribbean	546	135	411	570	134	436	564	103	461
Antigua-Barbuda	3	-	3	3	1	2	-	-	-
Aruba	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahamas, The	7	1	6	2	1	1	5	3	2
Barbados	4	1	3	-	-	-	3	2	1
Bermuda	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
British Virgin Islands	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cuba	34	19	15	25	20	5	24	18	6

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 69. ALIENS UNDER DOCKET CONTROL REQUIRED TO DEPART BY CRIMINAL STATUS
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEARS 1996-2001—Continued**

Region and country of nationality ¹	1999			2000			2001		
	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal	Total	Criminal ²	Non- criminal
Dominica	7	1	6	2	-	2	1	1	-
Dominican Republic	351	67	284	425	62	363	433	40	393
Grenada	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	1
Guadeloupe	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Haiti	21	6	15	17	10	7	10	3	7
Jamaica	78	38	40	65	28	37	59	27	32
Montserrat	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	2	-	2	2	-	2	1	-	1
St. Lucia	4	1	3	1	-	1	3	2	1
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	-	-	-	3	1	2	4	2	2
Trinidad and Tobago	33	-	33	24	11	13	19	4	15
Central America	909	87	822	894	102	792	660	97	563
Belize	12	2	10	4	1	3	6	2	4
Costa Rica	21	-	21	19	2	17	16	4	12
El Salvador	419	47	372	351	48	303	155	40	115
Guatemala	313	19	294	327	22	305	272	24	248
Honduras	106	13	93	166	20	146	184	14	170
Nicaragua	27	3	24	13	5	8	17	7	10
Panama	11	3	8	14	4	10	10	6	4
South America	511	67	444	344	56	288	322	51	271
Argentina	21	6	15	8	3	5	11	2	9
Bolivia	12	3	9	10	-	10	12	1	11
Brazil	54	3	51	45	6	39	58	2	56
Chile	19	2	17	10	1	9	22	3	19
Colombia	98	27	71	70	19	51	91	19	72
Ecuador	96	10	86	45	3	42	51	5	46
Guyana	13	5	8	7	2	5	9	6	3
Paraguay	2	-	2	2	-	2	1	-	1
Peru	147	9	138	105	11	94	51	10	41
Suriname	2	-	2	3	-	3	-	-	-
Uruguay	6	-	6	4	-	4	1	-	1
Venezuela	41	2	39	35	11	24	15	3	12
Stateless	12	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unknown or not reported	2	-	2	3	-	3	1	-	1

¹ Country is defined as nationality for sovereign states and country of birth for dependencies.

² Criminal status includes those cases in which INS has evidence of a conviction.

³ Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.

⁴ In May 1997 Zaire was formally recognized as the Democratic Republic of the Congo; the Congo is referred to by its conventional name, the Republic of the Congo.

⁵ In August 1997 Western Samoa was formally recognized as Samoa (Independent State).

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 70. SERVICE PARTICIPATION IN THE CONTROL OF MARIJUANA, NARCOTICS,
AND DANGEROUS DRUG TRAFFIC
FISCAL YEARS 1990-2001**

Year and seizure	Type of contraband					Total
	Marijuana (lbs.)	Heroin (ozs.)	Cocaine (ozs.)	Dangerous drug pills (units)	Other	
1990:						
Number of seizures	4,759	577	1,847	164	388	7,735
Amount seized	441,125.9	6,193.0	832,419.0	73,249	X	X
Estimated value of seizures (millions of dollars)	335	56	1,334	Z	14	1,739
1991:						
Number of seizures	4,983	403	1,624	133	289	7,432
Amount seized	388,104.3	3,717.3	877,419.5	160,431	X	X
Estimated value of seizures (millions of dollars)	331	32	1,225	Z	6	1,593
1992:						
Number of seizures	6,162	285	1,265	93	276	8,081
Amount seized	587,512.5	6,859.6	796,681.0	362,199	X	X
Estimated value of seizures (millions of dollars)	552	70	1,009	3	2	1,636
1993:						
Number of seizures	7,846	269	1,219	112	364	9,810
Amount seized	683,687.3	5,976.3	847,745.8	75,965	X	X
Estimated value of seizures (millions of dollars)	584	38	1,566	Z	16	2,204
1994:						
Number of seizures	7,149	281	977	116	412	8,935
Amount seized	676,409.3	5,792.0	792,470.5	104,658	X	X
Estimated value of seizures (millions of dollars)	573	23	1,523	Z	34	2,154
1995:						
Number of seizures	6,713	271	924	134	371	8,413
Amount seized	724,523.7	13,205.5	1,362,257.8	250,970	X	X
Estimated value of seizures (millions of dollars)	623	41	2,215	Z	37	2,915
1996:						
Number of seizures	6,844	230	768	173	286	8,301
Amount seized	752,822.2	8,629.6	574,556.0	331,165	X	X
Estimated value of seizures (millions of dollars)	621	96	834	1	23	1,575
1997:						
Number of seizures	7,715	178	649	142	338	9,022
Amount seized	873,193.4	3,182.5	421,113.8	1,982,769	X	X
Estimated value of seizures (millions of dollars)	720	15	637	1	31	1,405
1998:						
Number of seizures	8,524	256	1,228	136	402	10,546
Amount seized	1,121,452.0	3,120.4	559,036.4	335,439	X	X
Estimated value of seizures (millions of dollars)	903	16	940	1	29	1,889
1999:						
Number of seizures	10,049	271	1,130	303	440	12,193
Amount seized	1,429,358.0	3,794.2	785,549.7	553,734	X	X
Estimated value of seizures (millions of dollars)	1,146	22	1,321	2	37	2,527
2000:						
Number of seizures	9,914	225	1,020	470	514	12,143
Amount seized	1,597,395.0	5,487.1	567,341.3	1,426,547	X	X
Estimated value of seizures (millions of dollars)	1,289	32	946	5	41	2,314
2001:						
Number of seizures	9,201	190	1,074	378	544	11,387
Amount seized	1,449,946.7	6,564.8	446,330.7	700,151	X	X
Estimated value of seizures (millions of dollars)	1,144	40	744	2	28	2,015

NOTE: Starting in 1990, the reporting of opium seizures is combined with heroin, and hashish is combined with marijuana.

X Not applicable. Z Rounds to less than \$500,000.

**TABLE 71. PROSECUTIONS, FINES, AND IMPRISONMENT FOR IMMIGRATION
AND NATIONALITY VIOLATIONS
FISCAL YEARS 1995-2001**

Action taken	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Prosecutions:							
Total disposed of	17,035	16,115	19,180	23,826	22,491	22,926	24,316
Convictions	12,075	12,121	16,184	21,480	20,471	20,751	21,055
Acquittals	124	108	24	65	58	96	92
Dismissals ¹	4,836	3,886	2,972	2,281	1,962	2,079	3,169
Prosecutions for immigration violations:							
Disposed of	15,337	14,223	17,807	22,857	21,588	22,071	23,374
Convictions	11,110	11,014	15,219	20,768	19,753	20,007	20,297
Acquittals	94	107	22	60	52	81	88
Dismissals ¹	4,133	3,102	2,566	2,029	1,783	1,983	2,989
Prosecution for nationality violations:							
Disposed of	328	176	212	171	206	211	196
Convictions	113	133	164	129	173	181	168
Acquittals	5	-	1	-	-	1	-
Dismissals ¹	210	43	47	42	33	29	28
Prosecutions for other violations:							
Disposed of	1,370	1,716	1,161	798	697	644	746
Convictions	852	974	801	583	545	563	590
Acquittals	25	1	1	5	6	14	4
Dismissals ¹	493	741	359	210	146	67	152
Aggregate fines and imprisonment:							
Fines (dollars)	955,054	1,131,709	760,209	776,622	1,275,604	4,795,872	12,498,608
Immigration violations	609,480	959,214	310,893	437,547	692,477	3,677,297	468,718
Nationality violations	13,695	3,195	11,579	7,870	10,575	74,545	26,025
Other violations	331,879	169,300	437,737	331,205	572,552	1,044,030	12,003,865
Imprisonment (years)	7,161	6,947	11,353	12,030	14,843	19,003	17,863
Immigration violations	5,234	5,436	8,059	10,455	12,922	16,109	14,786
Nationality violations	52	64	77	116	180	101	121
Other violations	1,875	1,447	3,217	1,459	1,741	2,793	2,956

¹ Dismissed or otherwise closed.

NOTE: Data for fiscal years 1995-2000 presented in the last edition of the *Yearbook* have been updated and corrected.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 72. CONVICTIONS FOR IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY VIOLATIONS
FISCAL YEARS 1995-2001**

Violations	1995 ¹	1996 ¹	1997 ¹	1998 ¹	1999 ¹	2000 ¹	2001
All violations	12,075	12,121	16,184	21,480	20,471	20,751	21,055
Immigration violations	11,110	11,014	15,219	20,768	19,753	20,007	20,297
Entry of aliens illegally	7,430	6,331	9,703	15,032	13,503	12,703	13,369
Reentry of deported aliens	1,475	2,331	2,859	3,149	3,623	4,759	4,315
Bringing in, transporting, harboring illegal aliens	758	1,295	1,182	1,103	1,403	1,700	1,680
Fraud and false statements to obtain or confer immigration benefits	45	43	74	73	51	35	107
Fraud, forgery, misuse of visas, alien registration, and other documents	301	251	202	308	359	359	319
Fraud, forgery, misuse of identification documents	1,032	681	1,127	1,032	765	363	432
Employing unauthorized aliens, peonage, false attestations for employment	52	48	48	48	24	49	19
Other immigration violations	17	34	24	23	25	39	56
Naturalization violations	113	133	164	129	173	181	168
False representation as citizens of United States	76	101	105	81	99	93	129
Fraud, forgery, misuse of citizen naturalization papers	9	14	22	16	31	3	4
Fraud, forgery, misuse of U.S. passports ..	28	18	37	32	42	85	35
Other naturalization violations	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Other violations	852	974	801	583	545	563	590
Racketeering	443	662	342	313	263	199	185
Money laundering and financial fraud	15	3	1	25	3	29	10
Weapons trafficking, unlawful possession by aliens	32	16	29	27	39	64	84
Drug trafficking	272	222	378	146	186	175	226
Obstructing justice	46	29	26	33	15	39	57
Alien prostitution	5	13	4	7	3	4	6
Other violations	39	29	21	32	36	53	22

¹ Data for fiscal years 1995-2000 have been revised due to recategorized statutes and adjusted classification for various violation codes.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 73. WRITS OF HABEAS CORPUS, JUDICIAL REVIEW OF ORDERS OF DEPORTATION, AND
DECLARATORY JUDGEMENTS IN EXCLUSION AND DEPORTATION CASES
FISCAL YEARS 1995-2001**

Action taken	1995	1996	1997 ¹	1998 ²	1999	2000 ³	2001
<i>Writs of habeas corpus:</i>							
Total disposed of	436	421	584	631	932	1,281	1,501
Favorable to U.S. government	353	353	466	452	664	961	1,157
Unfavorable to U.S. government	23	27	21	59	137	214	210
Withdrawn or otherwise closed	60	41	97	120	131	106	134
Total pending end of year	532	596	766	907	1,399	2,111	2,613
<i>Judicial review of orders of deportation (Section 106, INA):</i>							
Total disposed of	823	796	1,201	1,297	978	1,648	1,691
Favorable to U.S. government	668	659	933	934	808	1,273	1,314
Unfavorable to U.S. government	101	93	80	74	104	128	178
Withdrawn or otherwise closed	54	44	188	289	66	247	199
Total pending end of year	848	869	1,405	1,762	2,290	2,629	2,393
<i>Declaratory judgements:</i>							
Total disposed of	158	143	184	482	277	211	328
Favorable to U.S. government	115	114	104	142	194	174	236
Unfavorable to U.S. government	19	14	16	23	5	12	13
Withdrawn or otherwise closed	24	15	64	317	78	25	79
Involving claims of U.S. nationality (8 U.S.C. 1503)	10	5	15	142	13	24	62
Favorable to U.S. government	4	5	7	39	11	19	23
Unfavorable to U.S. government	4	-	1	13	1	2	1
Withdrawn or otherwise closed	2	-	7	90	1	3	38
Involving exclusion or deportation	148	138	169	340	264	187	266
Favorable to U.S. government	111	109	97	103	183	155	213
Unfavorable to U.S. government	17	14	15	10	4	10	12
Withdrawn or otherwise closed	20	15	57	227	77	22	41

¹ Includes complete counts from the New York District office beginning in fiscal year 1997; in prior years, only actions taken at the Brooklyn Office were reported.

² Counts for fiscal year 1998 were revised and are higher than those shown in previous *Yearbooks* due to an audit at the New York District Office.

³ Beginning in fiscal year 2000, data include the Dallas, TX and Phoenix, AZ districts.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 74. PRIVATE IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY BILLS
INTRODUCED AND LAWS ENACTED 77TH THROUGH
107TH CONGRESS**

Congress	Bills introduced	Laws enacted
107th Congress	85	1
106th Congress	121	19
105th Congress	67	9
104th Congress	27	2
103rd Congress	50	4
102nd Congress	71	11
101st Congress	127	7
100th Congress	194	20
99th Congress	347	15
98th Congress	454	33
97th Congress	728	42
96th Congress	902	83
95th Congress	1,024	138
94th Congress	1,023	99
93rd Congress	1,085	63
92nd Congress	2,866	62
91st Congress	6,266	113
90th Congress	7,293	218
89th Congress	5,285	279
88th Congress	3,647	196
87th Congress	3,592	544
86th Congress	3,069	488
85th Congress	4,364	927
84th Congress	4,474	1,227
83rd Congress	4,797	753
82nd Congress	3,669	729
81st Congress	2,811	505
80th Congress	1,141	121
79th Congress	429	14
78th Congress	163	12
77th Congress	430	22

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PREFERENCE IMMIGRATION LIMITS: FISCAL YEAR 2001

The Immigration Act of 1990 (P.L. 101-649) restructured the immigrant categories of admission and made other modifications to the Immigration and Nationality Act. The 1990 Act divided the preference classes into two general categories: family-sponsored and employment-based. Limits on the number of visas issued in these two categories are determined annually.

Family-sponsored limits — The worldwide level for family-sponsored preferences is calculated as:

480,000

minus the number of aliens who were issued visas or adjusted to lawful permanent residence in the previous fiscal year as

- 1) immediate relatives of U.S. citizens;
- 2) children born subsequent to the issuance of a visa to an accompanying parent;
- 3) children born abroad to lawful permanent residents on temporary trips abroad; and
- 4) certain categories of aliens paroled into the United States in the second preceding fiscal year (1999)

plus unused employment preferences in the previous fiscal year.

The 1990 Act specifies that the family-sponsored limit may not fall below a minimum of 226,000 in any year. The number of lawful permanent residents issued visas or who adjusted in fiscal year 2000 under categories 1-3 listed above was 353,011. The number of unused employment-based visas in 2000 was 31,098. The exact number of parolees in 1999 was unknown but INS estimates it was far less than the 67,913 that would have been needed in order that the limit exceed 226,000 ($480,000 - 353,011 + 31,098$). The 2001 family-sponsored limit, therefore, was set to 226,000. The limits for each of the family-sponsored preferences and their descriptions are shown on the following page.

Employment-based limits — The 1990 Act specifies that the worldwide limit on employment-based preference immigrants is equal to 140,000 plus unused family-sponsored preference visas in the previous year. The limit for fiscal year 2001 was set to 192,074 ($140,000 + 52,074$ unused family preference visas in 2000).

Per-country limits — The per-country limit on preference immigration for independent countries is set to 7 percent of the total family and employment limits ($226,000 + 192,074 = 418,074$), while dependent areas are limited to 2 percent of the total. The 2001 limit for independent foreign states was 29,265 (7 percent of 418,074) and the limit for dependencies was 8,361 (2 percent of 418,074).

Diversity limits — The annual limit for 2001 is 50,000. The limit was set at 55,000 effective in fiscal year 1995, but reduced to 50,000 if necessary beginning in fiscal year 1999 to allow 5,000 visas for use under the Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act of 1997 (NACARA) program.

CATEGORIES OF IMMIGRANTS INCLUDED IN WORLD-WIDE ANNUAL LIMIT SPECIFIED IN SECTION 201 OF THE IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY ACT: FISCAL YEAR 2001 LIMITS

PREFERENCE	DESCRIPTION	UNADJUSTED LIMIT	LIMIT
Family-sponsored immigrants		480,000 ¹	480,000 ¹
Family-sponsored preferences		226,000	226,000
First	Unmarried sons and daughters of U.S. citizens and their children	23,400 ²	23,400 ²
Second	Spouses, children, and unmarried sons and daughters of permanent resident aliens	114,200 ³	114,200 ³
Third	Married sons and daughters of U.S. citizens	23,400 ³	23,400 ³
Fourth	Brothers and sisters of U.S. citizens (at least 21 years of age)	65,000 ³	65,000 ³
Immediate relatives of adult U.S. citizens (spouses, children, and parents) and children born abroad to alien residents		Not limited ¹	Not limited ¹
Employment-based preferences		140,000	192,074
First	Priority workers	40,040	54,933 ³
Second	Professionals with advanced degrees or aliens of exceptional ability	40,040	54,933 ³
Third	Skilled workers, professionals, needed unskilled workers	40,040	54,933 ³
Fourth	Special immigrants	9,940	13,637
Fifth	Employment creation ("Investors")	9,940	13,637
Diversity		55,000	50,000

Note: The annual limits are adjusted based on visa usage in the previous year.

¹ The number of immediate relatives of U.S. citizens included in these figures is assumed to be 254,000. Immediate relatives may enter without any limitation; however, the limit for family-sponsored preference immigrants in a fiscal year is equal to 480,000 minus the number of immediate relatives admitted in the preceding year. The limit of family-sponsored preference visas cannot fall below a minimum of 226,000—the worldwide limit of 480,000 minus 254,000.

² Plus unused family 4th preference visas.

³ Visas not used in higher preferences may be used in these categories.

GLOSSARY

Acquired Citizenship — Citizenship conferred at birth on children born abroad to a U.S. citizen parent(s).

Adoption — See Orphan.

Adjustment to Immigrant Status — Procedure allowing certain aliens already in the United States to apply for immigrant status. Aliens admitted to the United States in a nonimmigrant, refugee, or parolee category may have their status changed to that of lawful permanent resident if they are eligible to receive an immigrant visa and one is immediately available. In such cases, the alien is counted as an immigrant as of the date of adjustment, even though the alien may have been in the United States for an extended period of time.

Agricultural Worker — As a nonimmigrant class of admission, an alien coming temporarily to the United States to perform agricultural labor or services, as defined by the Secretary of Labor.

Alien — Any person not a citizen or national of the United States.

Amerasian Act — Public Law 97-359 (Act of 10/22/82) provides for the immigration to the United States of certain Amerasian children. In order to qualify for benefits under this law, an alien must have been born in Cambodia, Korea, Laos, Thailand, or Vietnam after December 31, 1950, and before October 22, 1982, and have been fathered by a U.S. citizen.

Amerasian (Vietnam) — Immigrant visas are issued to Amerasians under Public Law 100-202 (Act of 12/22/87), which provides for the admission of aliens born in Vietnam after January 1, 1962, and before January 1, 1976, if the alien was fathered by a U.S. citizen. Spouses, children, and parents or guardians may accompany the alien.

Application Support Centers — INS Offices fingerprint applicants for immigration benefits. Some INS applications, such as the *Application for Naturalization* or

the *Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status*, require the INS to conduct a FBI fingerprint background check on the applicant. Most applicants that require a background check will be scheduled to appear at a specific Application Support Center (ASC) or Designated Law Enforcement Agency (DLEA) for fingerprinting.

Apprehension — The arrest of a removable alien by the Immigration and Naturalization Service. Each apprehension of the same alien in a fiscal year is counted separately.

Asylee — An alien in the United States or at a port of entry who is found to be unable or unwilling to return to his or her country of nationality, or to seek the protection of that country because of persecution or a well-founded fear of persecution. Persecution or the fear thereof must be based on the alien's race, religion, nationality, membership in a particular social group, or political opinion. For persons with no nationality, the country of nationality is considered to be the country in which the alien last habitually resided. Asylees are eligible to adjust to lawful permanent resident status after one year of continuous presence in the United States. These immigrants are limited to 10,000 adjustments per fiscal year.

Beneficiaries — Aliens on whose behalf a U.S. citizen, lawful permanent resident, or employer have filed a petition for such aliens to receive immigration benefits from the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service. Beneficiaries generally receive a lawful status as a result of their relationship to a U.S. citizen, lawful permanent resident, or U.S. employer.

Border Crosser — An alien resident of the United States reentering the country after an absence of less than six months in Canada or Mexico, or a nonresident alien entering the United States across the Canadian border for stays of no more than six months or across the Mexican border for stays of no more than 72 hours.

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Border Patrol Sector — Any one of 21 geographic areas into which the United States is divided for the Immigration and Naturalization Service's Border Patrol activities.

Business Nonimmigrant — An alien coming temporarily to the United States to engage in commercial transactions which do not involve gainful employment in the United States, i.e., engaged in international commerce on behalf of a foreign firm, not employed in the U.S. labor market, and receives no salary from U.S. sources.

Cancellation of Removal — A discretionary benefit adjusting an alien's status from that of deportable alien to one lawfully admitted for permanent residence. Application for cancellation of removal is made during the course of a hearing before an immigration judge.

Certificate of Citizenship — Identity document proving U.S. citizenship. Certificates of citizenship are issued to derivative citizens and to persons who acquired U.S. citizenship (see definitions for Acquired and Derivative Citizenship).

Child — Generally, an unmarried person under 21 years of age who is: a child born in wedlock; a stepchild, provided that the child was under 18 years of age at the time that the marriage creating the stepchild relationship occurred; a legitimated child, provided that the child was legitimated while in the legal custody of the legitimating parent; a child born out of wedlock, when a benefit is sought on the basis of its relationship with its mother, or to its father if the father has or had a bona fide relationship with the child; a child adopted while under 16 years of age who has resided since adoption in the legal custody of the adopting parents for at least 2 years; or an orphan, under 16 years of age, who has been adopted abroad by a U.S. citizen or has an immediate-relative visa petition submitted in his/her behalf and is coming to the United States for adoption by a U.S. citizen.

Country of —

Birth: The country in which a person is born.

Chargeability: The independent country to which an immigrant entering under the preference system is accredited for purposes of numerical limitations.

Citizenship: The country in which a person is born (and has not renounced or lost citizenship) or naturalized and to which that person owes allegiance and by which he or she is entitled to be protected.

Former Allegiance: The previous country of citizenship of a naturalized U.S. citizen or of a person who derived U.S. citizenship.

(Last) Residence: The country in which an alien habitually resided prior to entering the United States.

Nationality: The country of a person's citizenship or country in which the person is deemed a national.

Crewman — A foreign national serving in a capacity required for normal operations and service on board a vessel or aircraft. Crewmen are admitted for twenty-nine days, with no extensions. Two categories of crewmen are defined in the INA: D1, departing from the United States with the vessel or aircraft on which he arrived or some other vessel or aircraft; and D2, departing from Guam with the vessel on which he arrived.

Criminal Removal — The deportation, exclusion, or removal of an alien who has 1) been charged under a section of the Immigration and Nationality Act that requires a criminal conviction and that charge is the basis for the removal or 2) a criminal conviction noted in the Deportable Alien Control System (DACS) for a crime that renders the alien removable. An alien with an appropriate criminal conviction is considered a criminal alien regardless of the section of law under which the alien was removed.

Cuban/Haitian Entrant — Status accorded 1) Cubans who entered illegally or were paroled into the United States between April 15, 1980, and October 10, 1980, and

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2) Haitians who entered illegally or were paroled into the country before January 1, 1981. Cubans and Haitians meeting these criteria who have continuously resided in the United States since before January 1, 1982, and who were known to the INS before that date, may adjust to permanent residence under a provision of the Immigration Control and Reform Act of 1986.

Deferred Inspection — See Parolee.

Departure Under Safeguards — The departure of an illegal alien from the United States which is physically observed by an Immigration and Naturalization Service official.

Deportable Alien — An alien in and admitted to the United States subject to any grounds of removal specified in the Immigration and Nationality Act. This includes any alien illegally in the United States, regardless of whether the alien entered the country by fraud or misrepresentation or entered legally but subsequently lost legal status.

Deportation — The formal removal of an alien from the United States when the alien has been found removable for violating the immigration laws. Deportation is ordered by an immigration judge without any punishment being imposed or contemplated. Prior to April 1997 deportation and exclusion were separate removal procedures. The Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 consolidated these procedures. After April 1, 1997, aliens in and admitted to the United States may be subject to removal based on deportability.

Derivative Citizenship — Citizenship conveyed to children through the naturalization of parents or, under certain circumstances, to foreign-born children adopted by U.S. citizen parents, provided certain conditions are met.

District — Geographic areas into which the United States and its territories are divided for the Immigration and Naturalization Service's field operations or one of three overseas offices located in Rome, Bangkok, and Mexico

City. Each District Office, headed by a District Director, has a specified service area that may include part of a state, an entire state, or many states. District Offices are where most INS field staff are located. District Offices are responsible for providing certain immigration services and benefits to people resident in their service area, and for enforcing immigration laws in that jurisdiction. Certain applications are filed directly with District Offices, many kinds of interviews are conducted at these Offices, and INS staff is available to answer questions, provide forms, etc.

Diversity — A category of immigrants replacing the earlier categories for nationals of underrepresented countries and countries adversely "affected" by the Immigration and Nationality Act Amendments of 1965 (P.L. 89-236). The annual limit on diversity immigration was 40,000 during fiscal years 1992-94, under a transitional diversity program, and 55,000 beginning in fiscal year 1995, under a permanent diversity program.

Docket Control — The INS mechanism for tracking the case status of potentially removable aliens.

Employer Sanctions — The employer sanctions provision of the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986 prohibits employers from hiring, recruiting, or referring for a fee aliens known to be unauthorized to work in the United States. Violators of the law are subject to a series of civil fines for violations or criminal penalties when there is a pattern or practice of violations.

Exchange Visitor — An alien coming temporarily to the United States as a participant in a program approved by the Secretary of State for the purpose of teaching, instructing or lecturing, studying, observing, conducting research, consulting, demonstrating special skills, or receiving training.

Exclusion — Prior to the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996, exclusion was the formal term for denial of an alien's entry into the United

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States. The decision to exclude an alien was made by an immigration judge after an exclusion hearing. Since April 1, 1997, the process of adjudicating inadmissibility may take place in either an expedited removal process or in removal proceedings before an immigration judge.

Expedited Removal — The Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 authorized the INS to quickly remove certain inadmissible aliens from the United States. The authority covers aliens who are inadmissible because they have no entry documents or because they have used counterfeit, altered, or otherwise fraudulent or improper documents. The authority covers aliens who arrive in, attempt to enter, or have entered the United States without having been admitted or paroled by an immigration officer at a port-of-entry. The INS has the authority to order the removal, and the alien is not referred to an immigration judge except under certain circumstances after an alien makes a claim to lawful status in the United States or demonstrates a credible fear of persecution if returned to his or her home country.

Fiance(e)s of U.S. Citizen — A nonimmigrant alien coming to the United States to conclude a valid marriage with a U.S. citizen within ninety days after entry.

Files Control Office — An Immigration and Naturalization Service field office—either a district (including INS overseas offices) or a suboffice of that district—where alien case files are maintained and controlled.

Fiscal Year — Currently, the twelve-month period beginning October 1 and ending September 30. Historically, until 1831 and from 1843-49, the twelve-month period ending September 30 of the respective year; from 1832-42 and 1850-67, ending December 31 of the respective year; from 1868-1976, ending June 30 of the respective year. The transition quarter (TQ) for 1976 covers the three-month period, July-September 1976.

Foreign Government Official — As a nonimmigrant class of admission, an alien coming temporarily to the United States who has been accredited by a foreign government to function as an ambassador, public minister, career diplomatic or consular officer, other accredited official, or an attendant, servant or personal employee of an accredited official, and all above aliens' spouses and unmarried minor (or dependent) children.

Foreign Information Media Representative — As a nonimmigrant class of admission, an alien coming temporarily to the United States as a bona fide representative of foreign press, radio, film, or other foreign information media and the alien's spouse and unmarried minor (or dependent) children.

Foreign State of Chargeability — The independent country to which an immigrant entering under the preference system is accredited. No more than 7 percent of the family-sponsored and employment-based visas may be issued to natives of any one independent country in a fiscal year. No one dependency of any independent country may receive more than 2 percent of the family-sponsored and employment-based visas issued. Since these limits are based on visa issuance rather than entries into the United States, and immigrant visas are valid for 6 months, there is not total correspondence between these two occurrences. Chargeability is usually determined by country of birth. Exceptions are made to prevent the separation of family members when the limitation for the country of birth has been met.

General Naturalization Provisions — The basic requirements for naturalization that every applicant must meet, unless a member of a special class. General provisions require an applicant to be at least 18 years of age and a lawful permanent resident with five years of continuous residence in the United States, have been physically present in the country for half that period, and have established good moral character for at least that period.

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Geographic Area of Chargeability — Any one of five regions—Africa, East Asia, Latin America and the Caribbean, Near East and South Asia, and the former Soviet Union and Eastern Europe—into which the world is divided for the initial admission of refugees to the United States. Annual consultations between the Executive Branch and the Congress determine the ceiling on the number of refugees who can be admitted to the United States from each area. Beginning in fiscal year 1987, an unallocated reserve was incorporated into the admission ceilings.

H-1B Beneficiary — A specialty worker whose petition to work in the United States has been approved by the Immigration and Naturalization Service.

H-1B Petition — An application form used by employers seeking permission for an alien to work temporarily in the United States. An H-1B petition must be approved by the Immigration and Naturalization Service before an alien specialty worker is authorized to begin or continue working in the United States. This requirement is true regardless of whether the alien is residing overseas or within the United States at the time of application. After a petition is approved, an H-1B worker is said to be a beneficiary.

Hemispheric Ceilings — Statutory limits on immigration to the United States in effect from 1968 to October 1978. Mandated by the Immigration and Nationality Act Amendments of 1965, the ceiling on immigration from the Eastern Hemisphere was set at 170,000, with a per-country limit of 20,000. Immigration from the Western Hemisphere was held to 120,000, without a per-country limit until January 1, 1977. The Western Hemisphere was then made subject to a 20,000 per country limit. Effective October 1978, the separate hemisphere limits were abolished in favor of a worldwide limit.

Immediate Relatives — Certain immigrants who because of their close relationship to U.S. citizens are exempt from the numerical limitations imposed on immigration to the United States. Immediate relatives

are: spouses of citizens, children (under 21 years of age and unmarried) of citizens, and parents of citizens 21 years of age or older.

Immigrant — See Permanent Resident Alien

Immigration Act of 1990 — Public Law 101-649 (Act of November 29, 1990), increased the limits on lawful immigration to the United States, revised all grounds for exclusion and deportation, authorized temporary protected status to aliens of designated countries, revised and established new nonimmigrant admission categories, revised and extended the Visa Waiver Pilot Program, and revised naturalization authority and requirements.

Immigration Judge — An attorney appointed by the Attorney General to act as an administrative judge within the Executive Office for Immigration Review. They are qualified to conduct specified classes of proceedings, including removal proceedings.

INA — See Immigration and Nationality Act.

Immigration and Nationality Act — The Act (INA), which, along with other immigration laws, treaties, and conventions of the United States, relates to the immigration, temporary admission, naturalization, and removal of aliens.

Immigration Marriage Fraud Amendments of 1986 — Public Law 99-639 (Act of 11/10/86), was passed in order to deter immigration-related marriage fraud. Its major provision stipulates that aliens deriving their immigrant status based on a marriage of less than two years are conditional immigrants. To remove their conditional status the immigrants must apply at an Immigration and Naturalization Service office during the 90-day period before their second-year anniversary of receiving conditional status. If the aliens cannot show that the marriage through which the status was obtained was and is a valid one, their conditional immigrant status may be terminated and they may become deportable.

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Immigration Reform and Control Act (IRCA) of 1986 — Public Law 99-603 (Act of 11/6/86), was passed in order to control and deter illegal immigration to the United States. Its major provisions stipulate legalization of undocumented aliens who had been continuously unlawfully present since 1982, legalization of certain agricultural workers, sanctions for employers who knowingly hire undocumented workers, and increased enforcement at U.S. borders.

Inadmissible — An alien seeking admission at a port of entry who does not meet the criteria in the INA for admission. The alien may be placed in removal proceedings or, under certain circumstances, allowed to withdraw his or her application for admission.

Industrial Trainee — See Temporary Worker.

International Representative — As a nonimmigrant class of admission, an alien coming temporarily to the United States as a principal or other accredited representative of a foreign government (whether officially recognized or not recognized by the United States) to an international organization, an international organization officer or employee, and all above aliens' spouses and unmarried minor (or dependent) children.

Intracompany Transferee — An alien, employed for at least one continuous year out of the last three by an international firm or corporation, who seeks to enter the United States temporarily in order to continue to work for the same employer, or a subsidiary or affiliate, in a capacity that is primarily managerial, executive, or involves specialized knowledge, and the alien's spouse and minor unmarried children.

IRCA — See Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986.

Irish Peace Process Cultural and Training Program Act of 1998 — Amended the INA to establish new nonimmigrant classes (Q2 and Q3) to allow temporary admission to young people (and their spouses and minor

children) of disadvantaged areas in Northern Ireland and certain counties of the Republic of Ireland for the purpose of developing job skills and conflict resolution abilities, so that those young people can return to their homes better able to contribute toward economic regeneration and the Irish peace process. Period of temporary admission not to exceed 36 months; program repealed, effective October 1, 2005.

Labor Certification — Requirement for U.S. employers seeking to employ certain persons whose immigration to the United States is based on job skills or nonimmigrant temporary workers coming to perform services for which qualified authorized workers are unavailable in the United States. Labor certification is issued by the Secretary of Labor and contains attestations by U.S. employers as to the numbers of U.S. workers available to undertake the employment sought by an applicant, and the effect of the alien's employment on the wages and working conditions of U.S. workers similarly employed. Determination of labor availability in the United States is made at the time of a visa application and at the location where the applicant wishes to work.

Legal Immigration Family Equity (LIFE) Act of 2000 — Public Law 106-553 (Act of 12/21/2000) temporarily reinstated Section 245(i) of the INA to allow persons who were qualified for permanent resident status but had immigration status violations to pay a penalty fee and apply for adjustment of status at an INS office; these persons were required to have been beneficiaries of an immigrant petition or labor certification filed no later than April 30, 2001. Application for adjustment of status was also allowed for certain persons who had filed for class membership in one of three lawsuits challenging the implementation of IRCA legalization by INS. The Act also created nonimmigrant classes of admission allowing entry of spouses and children (and dependent children of spouses and children) of U.S. citizens and permanent resident aliens who had had petitions for immigrant visas pending for three years or more; adjustment to permanent resident status is afforded when the immigrant visa has been approved.

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Legalization Dependents — A maximum of 55,000 visas were issued to spouses and children of aliens legalized under the provisions of the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986 in each of fiscal years 1992-94.

Legalized Aliens — Certain illegal aliens who were eligible to apply for temporary resident status under the legalization provision of the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986. To be eligible, aliens must have continuously resided in the United States in an unlawful status since January 1, 1982, not be excludable, and have entered the United States either 1) illegally before January 1, 1982, or 2) as temporary visitors before January 1, 1982, with their authorized stay expiring before that date or with the Government's knowledge of their unlawful status before that date. Legalization consists of two stages—temporary and then permanent residency. In order to adjust to permanent status aliens must have had continuous residence in the United States, be admissible as an immigrant, and demonstrate at least a minimal understanding and knowledge of the English language and U.S. history and government.

Medical and Legal Parolee — See Parolee.

Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs) — MSAs consist of a core area with a large population and adjacent communities having a high degree of social and economic integration with the core. They are defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB). MSAs are generally counties (cities and towns in New England) containing at least one city or urbanized area with a population of at least 50,000 and a total metropolitan population of at least 100,000 (75,000 in New England). MSAs of one million or more population may be recognized as Consolidated Metropolitan Statistical Areas (CMSAs). Primary Metropolitan Statistical Areas (PSMAs) are component areas within MSAs. New England County Metropolitan Areas (NECMAs) are the county based metropolitan alternative of the New England states for the city and town based MSAs and CMSAs.

Migrant — A person who leaves his/her country of origin to seek residence in another country.

NACARA — Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act, Public Law 105-100 (Act of 11/19/97). Pertains to certain Central American and other aliens who were long-term illegal residents in the United States when hardship relief rules were made more stringent by the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act (IIRIRA). Provisions: 1) allowed approximately 150,000 Nicaraguans and 5,000 Cubans adjustment to permanent resident status without having to make any hardship showing; 2) allowed approximately 200,000 Salvadorans and 50,000 Guatemalans as well as certain aliens from the former Soviet Union to seek hardship relief under more lenient hardship rules than existed prior to IIRIRA amendments.

National — A person owing permanent allegiance to a state.

NATO Official — As a nonimmigrant class of admission, an alien coming temporarily to the United States as a member of the armed forces or as a civilian employed by the armed forces on assignment with a foreign government signatory to NATO (North Atlantic Treaty Organization), and the alien's spouse and unmarried minor (or dependent) children.

Naturalization — The conferring, by any means, of citizenship upon a person after birth.

Naturalization Application — The form used by a lawful permanent resident to apply for U.S. citizenship. The application is filed with the Immigration and Naturalization Service at the Service Center with jurisdiction over the applicant's place of residence.

Nonimmigrant — An alien who seeks temporary entry to the United States for a specific purpose. The alien

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must have a permanent residence abroad (for most classes of admission) and qualify for the nonimmigrant classification sought. The nonimmigrant classifications include: foreign government officials, visitors for business and for pleasure, aliens in transit through the United States, treaty traders and investors, students, international representatives, temporary workers and trainees, representatives of foreign information media, exchange visitors, fiance(e)s of U.S. citizens, intracompany transferees, NATO officials, religious workers, and some others. Most nonimmigrants can be accompanied or joined by spouses and unmarried minor (or dependent) children.

Nonpreference Category — Nonpreference visas were available to qualified applicants not entitled to a visa under the preferences until the category was eliminated by the Immigration Act of 1990. Nonpreference visas for persons not entitled to the other preferences had not been available since September 1978 because of high demand in the preference categories. An additional 5,000 nonpreference visas were available in each of fiscal years 1987 and 1988 under a provision of the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986. This program was extended into 1989, 1990, and 1991 with 15,000 visas issued each year. Aliens born in countries from which immigration was adversely affected by the Immigration and Nationality Act Amendments of 1965 (Public Law 89-236) were eligible for the special nonpreference visas.

North American Free-Trade Agreement (NAFTA) — Public Law 103-182 (Act of 12/8/93), superseded the United States-Canada Free-Trade Agreement as of 1/1/94. It continues the special, reciprocal trading relationship between the United States and Canada (see United States-Canada Free-Trade Agreement), and establishes a similar relationship with Mexico.

Numerical Limit, Exempt from — Those aliens accorded lawful permanent residence who are exempt from the provisions of the flexible numerical limit of

675,000 set by the Immigration Act of 1990. Exempt categories include immediate relatives of U.S. citizens, refugees, asylees (limited to 10,000 per year by section 209(b) of the Immigration and Nationality Act), Amerasians, aliens adjusted under the legalization provisions of the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, and certain parolees from the former Soviet Union and Indochina.

Nursing Relief Act of 1989 — Public Law 101-238 (Act of 12/18/89), provides for the adjustment to permanent resident status of certain nonimmigrants who as of September 1, 1989, had H-1 nonimmigrant status as registered nurses; who had been employed in that capacity for at least 3 years; and whose continued nursing employment meets certain labor certification requirements.

Nursing Relief for Disadvantaged Areas Act of 1999 — Public Law 106-95 (Act of 11/12/1999), enacted as a short-term solution for nursing shortages in a limited number of medically underserved areas. Established a new nonimmigrant class of admission (H-1C) for temporary admission of 500 nurses annually for 4 years in health professional shortage areas. Sets forth admission requirements, including a maximum 3-year stay. Petitioning hospitals have to be in shortage areas defined by the Department of Health and Human Services, have at least 190 acute care beds, and have specified percentages of Medicare and Medicaid patients. Subject to fewer restrictions than the previous, expired H-1A provisions.

Occupation — For an alien entering the United States or adjusting without a labor certification, occupation refers to the employment held in the country of last lawful residence or in the United States. For an alien with a labor certification, occupation is the employment for which certification has been issued.

Orphan — For immigration purposes, a child whose parents have died or disappeared, or who has been

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abandoned or otherwise separated from both parents. An orphan may also be a child whose sole or surviving parent is incapable of providing that child with proper care and who has, in writing, irrevocably released the child for emigration and adoption. In order to qualify as an immediate relative, the orphan must be under the age of sixteen at the time a petition is filed on his or her behalf. To enter the United States, an orphan must have been adopted abroad by a U.S. citizen (and spouse, if married) or be coming to the United States for adoption by a citizen.

Panama Canal Act Immigrants — Three categories of special immigrants established by Public Law 96-70 (Act of 9/27/79): 1) certain former employees of the Panama Canal Company or Canal Zone Government, their spouses and accompanying children; 2) certain former employees of the U.S. Government in the Panama Canal Zone who are Panamanian nationals, their spouses and children; and 3) certain former employees of the Panama Canal Company or Canal Zone Government on April 1, 1979, their spouses and children. The Act provides for admission of a maximum of 15,000 immigrants, at a rate of no more than 5,000 each year.

Parolee — A parolee is an alien, appearing to be inadmissible to the inspecting officer, allowed into the United States for urgent humanitarian reasons or when that alien's entry is determined to be for significant public benefit. Parole does not constitute a formal admission to the United States and confers temporary status only, requiring parolees to leave when the conditions supporting their parole cease to exist. Types of parolees include:

- 1) *Deferred inspection*: authorized at the port upon alien's arrival; may be conferred by an immigration inspector when aliens appear at a port of entry with documentation, but after preliminary examination, some question remains about their admissibility which can best be answered at their point of destination.
- 2) *Advance parole*: authorized at an INS District office in advance of alien's arrival; may be issued to aliens residing in the United States in other than lawful

permanent resident status who have an unexpected need to travel and return, and whose conditions of stay do not otherwise allow for readmission to the United States if they depart.

3) *Port-of-entry parole*: authorized at the port upon alien's arrival; applies to a wide variety of situations and is used at the discretion of the supervisory immigration inspector, usually to allow short periods of entry. Examples include allowing aliens who could not be issued the necessary documentation within the required time period, or who were otherwise inadmissible, to attend a funeral and permitting the entry of emergency workers, such as fire fighters, to assist with an emergency.

4) *Humanitarian parole*: authorized at INS headquarters for "urgent humanitarian reasons" specified in the law. It is used in cases of medical emergency and comparable situations.

5) *Public interest parole*: authorized at INS headquarters for "significant public benefit" specified in the law. It is generally used for aliens who enter to take part in legal proceedings.

6) *Overseas parole*: authorized at an INS District or suboffice while the alien is still overseas; designed to constitute long-term admission to the United States. In recent years, most of the aliens the INS has processed through overseas parole have arrived under special legislation or international migration agreements.

Per-Country Limit — The maximum number of family-sponsored and employment-based preference visas that can be issued to citizens of any country in a fiscal year. The limits are calculated each fiscal year depending on the total number of family-sponsored and employment-based visas available. No more than 7 percent of the visas may be issued to natives of any one independent country in a fiscal year; no more than 2 percent may be issued to any one dependency of any independent country. The per-country limit does not indicate, however, that a country is entitled to the maximum number of visas each year, just that it cannot receive more than that number. Because of the combined workings of

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the preference system and per-country limits, most countries do not reach this level of visa issuance.

Permanent Resident Alien — An alien admitted to the United States as a lawful permanent resident. Permanent residents are also commonly referred to as immigrants; however, the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA) broadly defines an immigrant as any alien in the United States, except one legally admitted under specific nonimmigrant categories (INA section 101(a)(15)). An illegal alien who entered the United States without inspection, for example, would be strictly defined as an immigrant under the INA but is not a permanent resident alien. Lawful permanent residents are legally accorded the privilege of residing permanently in the United States. They may be issued immigrant visas by the Department of State overseas or adjusted to permanent resident status by the Immigration and Naturalization Service in the United States.

Port of Entry — Any location in the United States or its territories that is designated as a point of entry for aliens and U.S. citizens. All district and files control offices are also considered ports, since they become locations of entry for aliens adjusting to immigrant status.

Pre-inspection — Complete immigration inspection of airport passengers before departure from a foreign country. No further immigration inspection is required upon arrival in the United States other than submission of INS Form I-94 for nonimmigrant aliens.

Preference System (prior to fiscal year 1992) — The six categories among which 270,000 immigrant visa numbers were distributed each year during the period 1981-91. This preference system was amended by the Immigration Act of 1990, effective fiscal year 1992. (see Preference System—Immigration Act of 1990). The six categories were: 1) unmarried sons and daughters (over 21 years of age) of U.S. citizens (20 percent); 2) spouses and unmarried sons and daughters of aliens lawfully admitted for permanent residence (26 percent); 3) members of the professions or persons of exceptional

ability in the sciences and arts (10 percent); 4) married sons and daughters of U.S. citizens (10 percent); 5) brothers and sisters of U.S. citizens over 21 years of age (24 percent); and 6) needed skilled or unskilled workers (10 percent). A nonpreference category, historically open to immigrants not entitled to a visa number under one of the six preferences just listed, had no numbers available beginning in September 1978.

Preference System (Immigration Act of 1990) — The nine categories since fiscal year 1992 among which the family-sponsored and employment-based immigrant preference visas are distributed. The family-sponsored preferences are: 1) unmarried sons and daughters of U.S. citizens; 2) spouses, children, and unmarried sons and daughters of permanent resident aliens; 3) married sons and daughters of U.S. citizens; 4) brothers and sisters of U.S. citizens. The employment-based preferences are: 1) priority workers (persons of extraordinary ability, outstanding professors and researchers, and certain multinational executives and managers); 2) professionals with advanced degrees or aliens with exceptional ability; 3) skilled workers, professionals (without advanced degrees), and needed unskilled workers; 4) special immigrants; and 5) employment creation immigrants (investors).

Principal Alien — The alien who applies for immigrant status and from whom another alien may derive lawful status under immigration law or regulations (usually spouses and minor unmarried children).

Refugee — Any person who is outside his or her country of nationality who is unable or unwilling to return to that country because of persecution or a well-founded fear of persecution. Persecution or the fear thereof must be based on the alien's race, religion, nationality, membership in a particular social group, or political opinion. People with no nationality must generally be outside their country of last habitual residence to qualify as a refugee. Refugees are subject to ceilings by geographic area set annually by the President in

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consultation with Congress and are eligible to adjust to lawful permanent resident status after one year of continuous presence in the United States.

Refugee Approvals — The number of refugees approved for admission to the United States during a fiscal year. Immigration and Naturalization Service officers in overseas offices make refugee approvals.

Refugee Arrivals — The number of refugees the Immigration and Naturalization Service initially admits to the United States through ports of entry during a fiscal year.

Refugee Authorized Admissions — The maximum number of refugees allowed to enter the United States in a given fiscal year. As set forth in the Refugee Act of 1980 (Public Law 96-212) the President determines the annual figure after consultations with Congress.

Refugee-Parolee — A qualified applicant for conditional entry, between February 1970 and April 1980, whose application for admission to the United States could not be approved because of inadequate numbers of seventh preference visas. As a result, the applicant was paroled into the United States under the parole authority granted the Attorney General.

Regional Offices — The three INS Regional Offices that supervise the work of INS Districts and Border Patrol Sectors. The Regional Directors report to the Executive Associate Commissioner for Field Operations in INS Headquarters, Washington, DC. The three Regional Offices are located in (Eastern Region) Burlington, VT, (Central Region) Dallas, TX, and (Western Region) Laguna Niguel, CA.

Registry Date — Aliens who have continuously resided in the United States since January 1, 1972, are of good moral character, and are not inadmissible, are eligible to adjust to lawful permanent resident status under the registry provision. Before the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986 amended the date, aliens had to have been in the country continuously since June 30, 1948, to qualify.

Removal — The expulsion of an alien from the United States. This expulsion may be based on grounds of inadmissibility or deportability.

Required Departure — See Voluntary Departure.

Resettlement — Permanent relocation of refugees in a place outside their country of origin to allow them to establish residence and become productive members of society there. Refugee resettlement is accomplished with the direct assistance of private voluntary agencies working with the Department of Health and Human Services Office of Refugee Resettlement.

Safe Haven — Temporary refuge given to migrants who have fled their countries of origin to seek protection or relief from persecution or other hardships, until they can return to their countries safely or, if necessary until they can obtain permanent relief from the conditions they fled.

Service Centers — Five offices established to handle the filing, data entry, and adjudication of certain applications for immigration services and benefits. The applications are mailed to INS Service Centers—Service Centers are not staffed to receive walk-in applications or questions.

Special Agricultural Workers (SAW) — Aliens who performed labor in perishable agricultural commodities for a specified period of time and were admitted for temporary and then permanent residence under a provision of the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986. Up to 350,000 aliens who worked at least 90 days in each of the 3 years preceding May 1, 1986 were eligible for Group I temporary resident status. Eligible aliens who qualified under this requirement but applied after the 350,000 limit was met and aliens who performed labor in perishable agricultural commodities for at least 90 days during the year ending May 1, 1986 were eligible for Group II temporary resident status. Adjustment to permanent resident status is essentially automatic for both groups; however, aliens in Group I were eligible on December 1, 1989 and those in Group II were eligible one year later on December 1, 1990.

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Special Immigrants — Certain categories of immigrants who were exempt from numerical limitation before fiscal year 1992 and subject to limitation under the employment-based fourth preference beginning in 1992; persons who lost citizenship by marriage; persons who lost citizenship by serving in foreign armed forces; ministers of religion and other religious workers, their spouses and children; certain employees and former employees of the U.S. Government abroad, their spouses and children; Panama Canal Act immigrants; certain foreign medical school graduates, their spouses and children; certain retired employees of international organizations, their spouses and children; juvenile court dependents; and certain aliens serving in the U.S. Armed Forces, their spouses and children.

Special Naturalization Provisions — Provisions covering special classes of persons whom may be naturalized even though they do not meet all the general requirements for naturalization. Such special provisions allow: 1) wives or husbands of U.S. citizens to file for naturalization after three years of lawful permanent residence instead of the prescribed five years; 2) a surviving spouse of a U.S. citizen who served in the armed forces to file his or her naturalization application in any district instead of where he/she resides; and 3) children of U.S. citizen parents to be naturalized without meeting certain requirements or taking the oath, if too young to understand the meaning. Other classes of persons who may qualify for special consideration are former U.S. citizens, servicemen, seamen, and employees of organizations promoting U.S. interests abroad.

Stateless — Having no nationality.

Stowaway — An alien coming to the United States surreptitiously on an airplane or vessel without lawful status of admission. Such an alien is subject to denial of formal admission and return to the point of embarkation by the transportation carrier.

Student — As a nonimmigrant class of admission, an alien coming temporarily to the United States to pursue a

full course of study in an approved program in either an academic (college, university, seminary, conservatory, academic high school, elementary school, other institution, or language training program) or a vocational or other recognized nonacademic institution.

Suboffices — Offices found in some Districts that serve a portion of the District's jurisdiction. A Suboffice, headed by an Officer-in-Charge, provides many services and enforcement functions. Their locations are determined, in part, to increase convenience to INS' customers.

Subject to the Numerical Limit — Categories of lawful immigrants subject to annual limits under the provisions of the flexible numerical limit of 675,000 set by the Immigration Act of 1990. The largest categories are: family-sponsored preferences; employment-based preferences; and diversity immigrants.

Temporary Protected Status (TPS) — Establishes a legislative basis for allowing a group of persons temporary refuge in the United States. Under a provision of the Immigration Act of 1990, the Attorney General may designate nationals of a foreign state to be eligible for TPS with a finding that conditions in that country pose a danger to personal safety due to ongoing armed conflict or an environmental disaster. Grants of TPS are initially made for periods of 6 to 18 months and may be extended depending on the situation. Removal proceedings are suspended against aliens while they are in Temporary Protected Status.

Temporary Resident — See Nonimmigrant.

Temporary Worker — An alien coming to the United States to work for a temporary period of time. The Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986 and the Immigration Act of 1990, as well as other legislation, revised existing classes and created new classes of nonimmigrant admission. Nonimmigrant temporary worker classes of admission are as follows:

1) H-1A—registered nurses (valid from 10/1/1990 through 9/30/1995);

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- 2) H-1B—workers with “specialty occupations” admitted on the basis of professional education, skills, and/or equivalent experience;
- 3) H-1C—registered nurses to work in areas with a shortage of health professionals under the Nursing Relief for Disadvantaged Areas Act of 1999;
- 4) H-2A—temporary agricultural workers coming to the United States to perform agricultural services or labor of a temporary or seasonal nature when authorized workers are unavailable in the United States;
- 5) H-2B—temporary non-agricultural workers coming to the United States to perform temporary services or labor if unemployed persons capable of performing the service or labor cannot be found in the United States;
- 6) H-3—aliens coming temporarily to the United States as trainees, other than to receive graduate medical education or training;
- 7) O-1, O-2, O-3—temporary workers with extraordinary ability or achievement in the sciences, arts, education, business, or athletics; those entering solely for the purpose of accompanying and assisting such workers; and their spouses and children;
- 8) P-1, P-2, P-3, P-4—athletes and entertainers at an internationally recognized level of performance; artists and entertainers under a reciprocal exchange program; artists and entertainers under a program that is “culturally unique”; and their spouses and children;
- 9) Q-1, Q-2, Q-3—participants in international cultural exchange programs; participants in the Irish Peace Process Cultural and Training Program; and spouses and children of Irish Peace Process participants;
- 10) R-1, R-2—temporary workers to perform work in religious occupations and their spouses and children.

See other sections of this Glossary for definitions of Exchange Visitor, Intracompany Transferee, and U.S.-Canada or North American Free-Trade Agreement classes of nonimmigrant admission.

Transit Alien — An alien in immediate and continuous transit through the United States, with or without a visa,

including, 1) aliens who qualify as persons entitled to pass in transit to and from the United Nations Headquarters District and foreign countries and 2) foreign government officials and their spouses and unmarried minor (or dependent) children in transit.

Transition Quarter — The three-month period—July 1 through September 30, 1976—between fiscal year 1976 and fiscal year 1977. At that time, the fiscal year definition shifted from July 1-June 30 to October 1-September 30.

Transit Without Visa (TWOV) — A transit alien traveling without a nonimmigrant visa under section 233 of the INA. An alien admitted under agreements with a transportation line, which guarantees his immediate and continuous passage to a foreign destination. (See Transit Alien.)

Treaty Trader or Investor — As a nonimmigrant class of admission, an alien coming to the United States, under the provisions of a treaty of commerce and navigation between the United States and the foreign state of such alien, to carry on substantial trade or to direct the operations of an enterprise in which he/she has invested a substantial amount of capital, and the alien’s spouse and unmarried minor children.

Underrepresented Countries, Natives of — The Immigration Amendments of 1988, Public Law 101-658 (Act of 11/5/88) allowed for 10,000 visas to be issued to natives of underrepresented countries in each of fiscal years 1990 and 1991. Under-represented countries are defined as countries that received less than 25 percent of the maximum allowed under the country limitations (20,000 for independent countries and 5,000 for dependencies) in fiscal year 1988. (See Diversity.)

United States-Canada Free-Trade Agreement — Public Law 100-449 (Act of 9/28/88) established a special, reciprocal trading relationship between the United States and Canada. It provided two new classes of nonimmigrant admission for temporary visitors to the

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United States-Canadian citizen business persons and their spouses and unmarried minor children. Entry is facilitated for visitors seeking classification as visitors for business, treaty traders or investors, intracompany transferees, or other business people engaging in activities at a professional level. Such visitors are not required to obtain nonimmigrant visas, prior petitions, labor certifications, or prior approval but must satisfy the inspecting officer they are seeking entry to engage in activities at a professional level and that they are so qualified. The United States-Canada Free-Trade Agreement was superseded by the North American Free-Trade Agreement (NAFTA) as of 1/1/94.

Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act of 2000 — Public Law 106-386 (Act of 10/28/2000), enacted to combat trafficking in persons, especially into the sex trade, slavery, and involuntary servitude, and to reauthorize certain Federal programs to prevent violence against immigrant women and children. Created nonimmigrant classes of admission allowing temporary status to individuals (and spouses, children, and parents) in the United States who are or have been victims of a severe form of trafficking or who have suffered substantial physical or mental abuse as victims of criminal activity. Afforded the same immigrant benefits as refugees, with allowance for adjustment to permanent resident status.

Visa Waiver Program — Allows citizens of certain selected countries, traveling temporarily to the United States under the nonimmigrant admission classes of visitors for pleasure and visitors for business, to enter the United States without obtaining nonimmigrant visas. Admission is for no more than 90 days. The program was instituted by the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986 (entries began 7/1/88). Under the Guam Visa Waiver Pilot Program, certain visitors from designated countries may visit Guam only for up to 15 days without first having to obtain nonimmigrant visitor visas. The Visa Waiver Program was made permanent in 2000.

Voluntary Departure — The departure of an alien from the United States without an order of removal. The departure may or may not have been preceded by a hearing before an immigration judge. An alien allowed to voluntarily depart concedes removability but does not have a bar to seeking admission at a port-of-entry at any time. Failure to depart within the time granted results in a fine and a ten-year bar to several forms of relief from deportation.

Withdrawal — An arriving alien's voluntary retraction of an application for admission to the United States in lieu of a removal hearing before an immigration judge or an expedited removal. Withdrawals are not included in nonimmigrant admission data.

DATA SOURCES

DATA SERIES	FORM NUMBER AND TITLE
<i>Immigrants</i>	OF-155 — (State Dept.) Immigrant Visa and Alien Registration
◆ New arrivals (except children born subsequent to issuance of immigrant visa to accompanying alien parents; children born to lawful permanent resident aliens during temporary visits abroad; and American Indians born in Canada)	OF-230 — (State Dept.) Application for Immigrant Visa and Alien Registration
◆ Adjustments (and special new arrival cases listed above)	I-181 — Memorandum of Creation of Record of Lawful Permanent Residence
<i>Naturalizations</i>	N-400 — Application to File Petition for Naturalization
	N-402 — Application to File Petition for Naturalization in Behalf of Child
	N-405 — Petition for Naturalization
	N-480 — Naturalization Petitions Recommended to be Granted
	N-600 — Application for Certificate of Citizenship
	N-643 — Application for Certificate of Citizenship on Behalf of an Adopted Child
<i>Nonimmigrants</i>	I-94 — Arrival-Departure Record
	I-94W — Nonimmigrant Visa Waiver Program Arrival-Departure Record
<i>H-1B Workers</i>	I-129 — Petition for a Nonimmigrant Worker (also used for other classifications)
	I-129W — H-1B Data Collection and Filing Fee Exemption
<i>Required Departures</i>	— Deportable Alien Control System
<i>Removals</i>	I-259 — Notice to Detain, Deport, Remove, or Present Aliens
	I-275 — Withdrawal of Application /Consular Notification
	I-296 — Notice to Alien Ordered Removed
	— Deportable Alien Control System
<i>Performance Analysis</i>	G-23 — Report of Field Operations
<i>Refugees</i>	G-319 — Report of Applicants for Refugee Status under Section 207, INA
	I-94 — Arrival-Departure Record
	I-590 — Registration for Classification as Refugee
<i>Asylees</i>	I-589 — Request for Asylum and Withholding of Removal
<i>Apprehensions</i>	I-213 — Record of Deportable/Inadmissible Alien

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6. Immigrants admitted by class of admission and foreign state of chargeability under the preference categories	
7. Immigrants admitted by type of admission and country of birth	
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13. Immigrants admitted by country of birth, age, and sex	
14. Immigrants admitted by marital status, age, and sex	
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20. Immigrants admitted by major occupation group and country of birth	

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21. Refugee-status applications (historical ¹)	
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23. Refugee approvals and arrivals by geographic area of chargeability (historical ¹)	
24. Refugee arrivals into the United States by country of chargeability (historical ¹)	
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26. Number of individuals granted asylum by INS Asylum Officers by nationality (historical ¹)	
27. Asylum cases filed with INS Asylum Officers by nationality	

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2000	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992	1991
<u>IMMIGRANTS</u>									
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	NA
6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	5
7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	6
8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	7
9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	8
10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	9
11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	10
12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	11
13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	12
14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	13
15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	14
16	16	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	16
17	17	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	17
18	18	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	18
19	19	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	19
20	20	21	21	21	21	21	21	21	20
<u>REFUGEES, ASYLEES</u>									
21	21	22	22	22	22	23	23	23	24
22	22	23	23	23	23	24	24	24	25
23	23	24	24	24	24	25	25	25	26
24	24	25	25	25	25	26	26	26	27
25	25	27	27	27	27	28	28	28	NA
26	26	28	28	28	28	29	29	29	NA
27	27	29	29	29	29	30	30	30	NA

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- 28. Asylum cases filed with INS Asylum Officers by asylum office and state of residence
- 29. Refugees and asylees granted lawful permanent resident status by enactment (historical ¹)
- 30. Refugees and asylees granted lawful permanent resident status by country of birth (historical ¹)
- 31. Refugees and asylees granted lawful permanent resident status by age and sex (historical ¹)
- 32. Refugees and asylees granted lawful permanent resident status by country of birth (historical ¹)
- 33. Refugees and asylees granted lawful permanent resident status by selected country of birth and selected metropolitan statistical area of residence
- 34. Refugees and asylees granted lawful permanent resident status by state of residence (historical ¹)

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- 35. Nonimmigrants admitted by class of admission and country of last residence (historical ¹)
- 36. Nonimmigrants admitted by class of admission and country of citizenship
- 37. Nonimmigrants admitted by class of admission (historical ¹)
- 38. Nonimmigrants admitted as temporary workers, exchange visitors, and intracompany transferees by country of citizenship
- 39. Nonimmigrants admitted by port of entry and country of citizenship
- 40. Nonimmigrants admitted by age and country of citizenship
- 41. Nonimmigrants admitted by class of admission and state of destination
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- 43. Nonimmigrants admitted by selected class of admission, age, and sex
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- 51. Persons naturalized by country of birth and state of residence
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TABLE GENEALOGY

2000	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992	1991
<u>REFUGEES, ASYLEES</u>									
28	28	30	30	30	30	31	31	31	NA
29	29	31	31	31	31	32	32	32	29
30	30	32	32	32	32	33	33	33	30
31	31	33	33	33	33	34	34	34	31
32	32	34	34	34	34	35	35	35	32
33	33	35	35	35	36	37	37	37	34
34	34	36	36	36	35	36	36	36	33
<u>TEMPORARY ADMISSIONS</u>									
35	35	37	37	37	37	38	38	38	35
36	36	38	38	38	38	39	39	39	36
37	37	39	39	39	39	40	40	40	37
38	38	40	40	40	40	41	41	41	38
39	39	41	41	41	41	42	42	42	39
40	40	42	42	42	42	43	43	43	40
41	41	43	43	43	43	44	44	44	NA
42	42	44	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
43	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
²	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
<u>NATURALIZATIONS</u>									
46	43	45	44	44	44	45	45	45	41
47	44	46	45	45	45	46	46	46	46
48	45	47	46	46	46	47	47	47	43
49	46 ³	48 ³	47 ³	47 ³	47 ³	48 ³	48 ³	48 ³	44 ³
50	47	49	48	48	48	49	49	49	45
51	50	50	49	49	49	50	50	50	46
52	49	51	50 ³	50 ³	50 ³	51 ³	51 ³	51 ³	47 ³
53	50	52	51 ³	51 ³	51 ³	52 ³	52 ³	52 ³	48 ³
54	51	53	52 ³	52 ³	52 ³	53 ³	53 ³	53 ³	49 ³

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TABLE GENEALOGY

2000	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992	1991
55	52	54	53	53	53	54	54	54	50
56	53	55	54 ³	54 ³	54 ³	55 ³	55 ³	55 ³	51 ³
57	54	56	55	55	55	56	56	56	52
<u>ENFORCEMENT</u>									
58	55	57	56	58 ⁴	58 ⁴	59 ⁴	59 ⁴	59 ⁴	55 ⁴
59	56	58	57	59	59	60	60	60	56
60	57	59	58	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
61	58	60	59	73	73	74	74	74	68
62	59	61	60	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
63	60	62	61	58 ⁵	58 ⁵	59 ⁵	59 ⁵	59 ⁵	55 ⁵
64	61	63	62	71 ⁵	71 ⁵	72 ⁵	72 ⁵	72 ⁵	66 ⁵
65	62	64	63	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
66	63	66	65	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
67	64	67	66	60	60	61	61	61	57
68	65	68	67	65	65	66	66	66	61
69	66	69	68	66	66	67	67	67	61
70	67	70	69	63	63	64	64	64	59
71	68	71	70	72	72	73	73	73	67
<u>LITIGATION, LEGAL ACTIVITY, LEGISLATION</u>									
72	69	72	71	74	74	75	76	76	70
73	70	73	72	75	75	76	77	77	71
74	71	74	73	76	76	77	78	78	72
75	72	75	74	77	77	78	79	79	73

¹ Historical tables show data for a number of years, which may vary in each edition of the *Yearbook*. ² For fiscal year 2000 data are for initial (Table 44) and continuing (Table 45) H-1B beneficiaries. ³ Data are for country of former allegiance. ⁴ Deportable aliens located are referred to as apprehended prior to 1997. ⁵ Formal removals are defined as aliens deported and excluded prior to 1997.

NA Not available.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL GEOGRAPHIC DEFINITIONS

Changes in the political and geographical definitions of the Soviet Union, Yugoslavia, Czechoslovakia, and Ethiopia have led to inconsistencies in the reporting of data. Information for these republics and the independent states emerging from them are presented in this edition of the *INS Statistical Yearbook* as follows:

Soviet Union — On January 1, 1992, the United States formally recognized 12 independent republics within the former Soviet Union: Armenia; Azerbaijan; Belarus; Georgia; Kazakhstan; Kyrgyzstan; Moldova; Russia; Tajikistan; Turkmenistan; Ukraine; and Uzbekistan. The Soviet Union has officially dissolved as an independent state. The independent republics have been assigned nationality codes in the various INS data bases and data are presented for them when available. However, a code has been retained for the Soviet Union because data for some data series are not available for the independent republics and continue to be reported for the Soviet Union.

Yugoslavia — On April 7, 1992, the United States formally recognized three independent states within the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia: Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, and Slovenia. On February 9, 1994, Macedonia was recognized as an independent state. Montenegro and Serbia have asserted the formation of a joint independent state, but this entity has not been formally recognized as a state by the United States. In the view of the United States, the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia has officially dissolved and no successor state represents its continuation. The independent states have been assigned nationality codes in the various INS data bases and data are presented for them when available. However, a code has been retained for Yugoslavia because data for some data series are not available for the independent states and continue to be reported for Yugoslavia.

Czechoslovakia — On January 1, 1993, the United States formally recognized two independent republics within the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic (CSFR, or Czechoslovakia): the Czech Republic and Slovak Republic (Slovakia). Czechoslovakia has officially dissolved as an independent republic. The independent republics have been assigned nationality codes in the various INS data bases and data are presented for them when available. However, a code has been retained for Czechoslovakia because data for some data series are not available for the independent republics and continue to be reported for Czechoslovakia.

Ethiopia / Eritrea — On April 27, 1993, the United States formally recognized Eritrea as a sovereign country, independent of Ethiopia. Data for Ethiopia exclude Eritrea unless otherwise indicated. Name changes for the following countries are reflected in this edition of the *INS Statistical Yearbook*:

Zaire — On May 30, 1997, Zaire was formally recognized as the Democratic Republic of the Congo. This country is shown as Congo, Democratic Republic.

Congo — The conventional long form name for the Congo is the Republic of the Congo. With the change of Zaire to the Democratic Republic of the Congo, the long form names are used for both countries. Congo is shown as Congo, Republic.

Hong Kong — On December 19, 1984, the United Kingdom and China signed a joint declaration on the question of sovereignty over Hong Kong. Under that declaration, China resumed the exercise of sovereignty over Hong Kong on July 1, 1997. Since the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region government enjoys a high degree of political and economic autonomy, Hong Kong continues to be shown separately.

Western Samoa — On August 4, 1997, Western Samoa was formally recognized as Samoa. This country is shown as Samoa.

People's Republic of China / Taiwan — Though officially considered by the United States as part of the People's Republic of China, Taiwan retains a statistical code and is shown separately unless otherwise noted.

In addition, there are known cross-reporting problems for certain pairs of countries with similar names or historical associations. These pairs of countries are: the People's Republic of China and Taiwan; the Dominican Republic and Dominica; Nigeria and Niger; Australia and Austria; Netherlands and Netherlands Antilles; and Mauritania and Mauritius. For each pair, persons from one country may be reported as being from the other country.