



Statistical Portrait of Hispanics in
the United States, 2006

Table 14. Distribution of Hispanics Across States: 2000 and 2006

*Top 10 states are listed in descending order of their share in the
Hispanic population in 2006*

Universe: 2000 and 2006 Hispanic resident population

	Percent, 2006	Percent, 2000	Change, 2000-2006
California	29.5	31.0	-1.5
Texas	18.9	18.9	0.0
Florida	8.2	7.6	0.6
New York	7.1	8.1	-1.0
Illinois	4.3	4.3	-0.1
Arizona	4.1	3.7	0.4
New Jersey	3.1	3.2	-0.1
Colorado	2.1	2.1	0.0
New Mexico	2.0	2.2	-0.2
Georgia	1.6	1.2	0.4
Other states	19.2	17.7	1.5
Total	100.0	100.0	

*Source: Pew Hispanic Center tabulations of 2000 Census (5% IPUMS) and 2006 American
Community Survey (1% IPUMS)*