



Table 25. Median Personal Earnings by Region of Birth: 2005

Universe: 2005 Household Population with positive earnings

	Median Earnings (\$)
Total native born	28,000
Total foreign born	23,000
Mexico	17,000
South and East Asia	30,000
Caribbean	24,000
Central America	19,000
South America	24,000
Middle East	30,000
All Other	30,000

Note: 1) Middle East includes Afghanistan, Cyprus, Iran, Iraq, Israel, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Libya, Morocco, and Sudan.
2) Based on reported earnings, not adjusted earnings
Source: *Pew Hispanic Center tabulations of 2005 American Community Survey*