

Table 27. Median Personal Earnings for Full-time, Year-round Workers by Region of Birth: 2005

Universe: 2005 Household Population who worked at least 48 weeks and 35 hours per week in the past year

	Median Earnings (\$)
Total native born	38,000
Total foreign born	30,000
Mexico	21,000
South and East Asia	40,000
Caribbean	30,000
Central America	23,000
South America	30,000
Middle East	45,000
All Other	42,000

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*