

Table 28. Household Income Distribution by Region of Birth: 2005

Universe: 2005 Households

	1st quintile (\$0-\$18,999)	2nd quintile (\$19,000-\$35,999)	3rd quintile (\$36,000-\$56,499)	4th quintile (\$56,500-\$89,599)	5th quintile (\$89,600+)	Total
Total native born	19,513,333	19,747,568	19,898,396	20,198,690	20,113,663	99,471,650
Total foreign born	3,228,939	3,400,137	3,052,040	2,747,589	2,839,488	15,268,193
Mexico	1,041,203	1,292,172	967,285	621,535	291,185	4,213,380
South and East Asia	574,958	511,278	602,244	731,819	1,054,801	3,475,100
Caribbean	414,896	350,192	302,757	266,731	218,135	1,552,711
Central America	201,578	278,527	236,104	179,821	105,392	1,001,422
South America	170,655	226,532	228,500	204,468	177,216	1,007,371
Middle East	119,443	96,252	99,256	99,093	154,719	568,763
All Other	706,206	645,184	615,894	644,122	838,040	3,449,446
Percent Distribution						
Total native born	19.6	19.9	20.0	20.3	20.2	100.0
Total foreign born	21.1	22.3	20.0	18.0	18.6	100.0
Mexico	24.7	30.7	23.0	14.8	6.9	100.0
South and East Asia	16.5	14.7	17.3	21.1	30.4	100.0
Caribbean	26.7	22.6	19.5	17.2	14.0	100.0
Central America	20.1	27.8	23.6	18.0	10.5	100.0
South America	16.9	22.5	22.7	20.3	17.6	100.0
Middle East	21.0	16.9	17.5	17.4	27.2	100.0
All Other	20.5	18.7	17.9	18.7	24.3	100.0

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) Quintiles are based upon 2005 total household income distribution. Figures based on reported incomes, not adjusted incomes.

Source: Pew Hispanic Center tabulations of 2005 American Community Survey