



JRALIZATIONS FISCAL YEAR 1999

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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 3, p. A.3-7.) 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 1999, immigrants naturalizing under the general provisions accounted for 85 percent of those for whom the nationality law provision was reported (Table 44). (Provision of the law was not reported for 11 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 1999 with naturalization law provision reported, 4 percent naturalized under the special provisions (Table 44). 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.

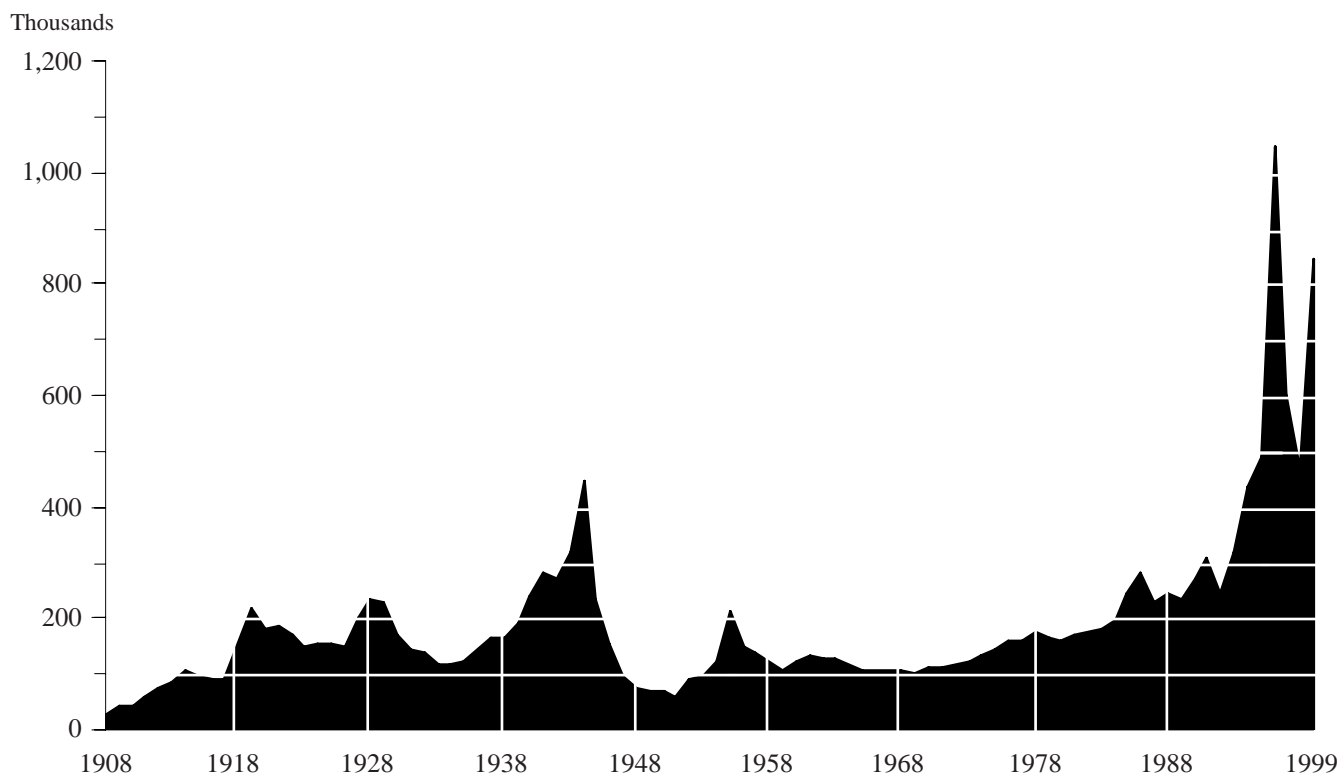
Every applicant for naturalization (age 18 and over) must file an application, Form N-400, Application to File Petition for Naturalization. All aliens filing these applications who meet the preliminary documentary requirements must be interviewed by INS officers to determine their eligibility to naturalize. 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.

Nearly 840,000 people were naturalized during 1999.

Data Overview

The INS naturalized 839,944 persons in fiscal year 1999. This number represents an 81 percent increase over naturalizations in 1998 (463,060) and primarily reflects improvements in application processing. During most of the 1990s, INS naturalization application processing did not keep pace with the volume of applications received. As a consequence, caution should be exercised in drawing conclusions from these data regarding recent trends in naturalization and in the characteristics of persons naturalizing.

Chart J
Persons Naturalized: Fiscal Years 1908-99



Source: 1961-99, Table 43; 1908-60, previous *Yearbooks*.

Between 1908 and 1991, the number of persons naturalizing each year exceeded 300,000 only once, in 1944 during World War II (Chart J and Table 43). The increase in naturalizations during the 1990s is attributable to a number of factors:

- ◆ In fiscal year 1992, the INS initiated a “Green Card Replacement Program,” which by requiring long-term permanent residents to replace their permanent resident alien cards with new and more counterfeit-resistant cards, led some to naturalize instead.
- ◆ In 1994, the first of the 2.7 million illegal aliens who were granted legal permanent resident status under the provisions of the Immigration Reform and Control Act (IRCA) of 1986 became eligible to naturalize.
- ◆ During 1994-96, legislation was passed restricting public benefits for non-citizens, including Proposition 187 in California in 1994, and the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Act and the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act (IIRIRA) in 1996.

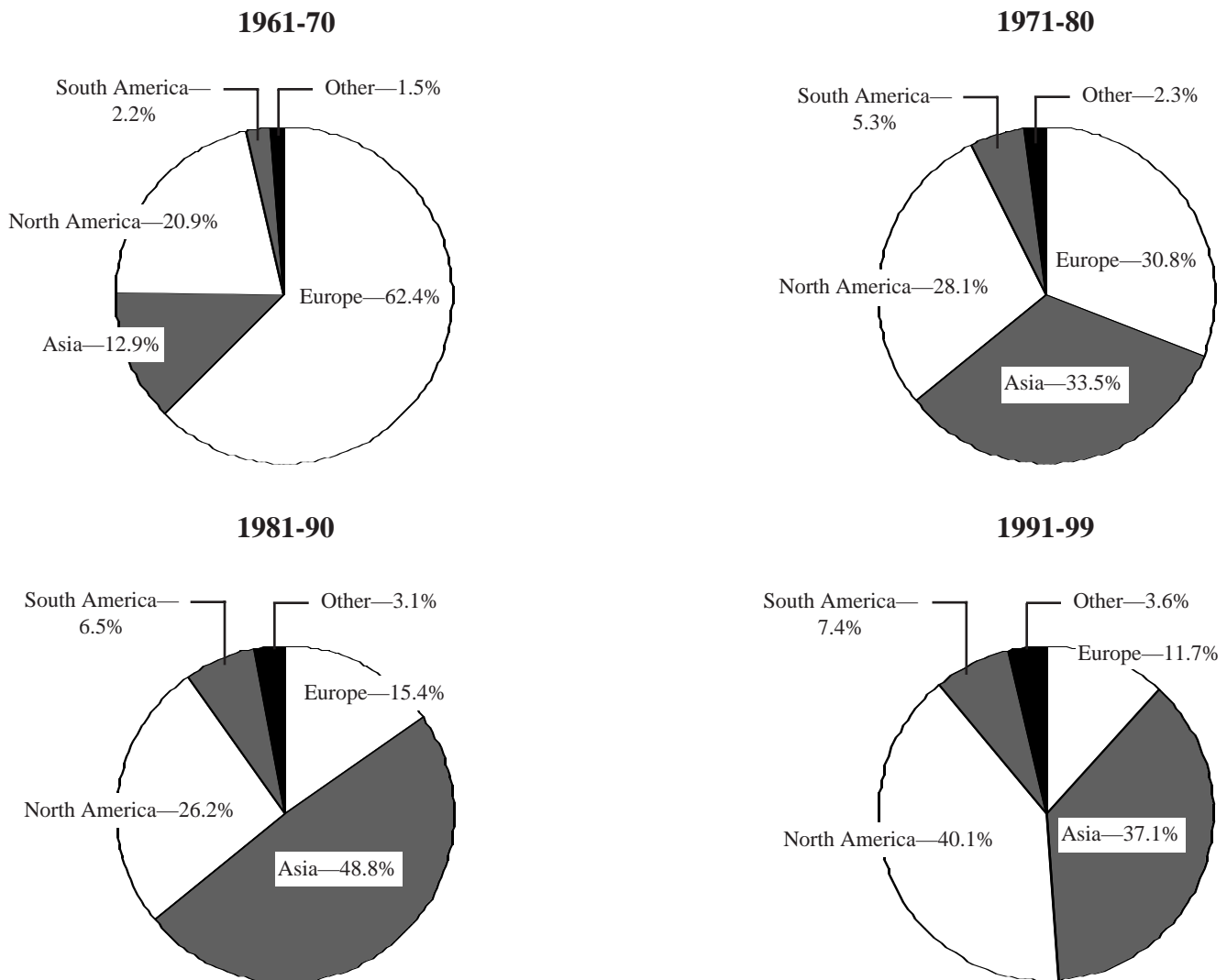
- ◆ In 1995, the INS implemented the Citizenship USA initiative, which was designed to streamline the naturalization process and greatly increased naturalizations during 1996.

Region and country of birth (Tables 49-53)

The number of persons naturalizing each year lags behind the number immigrating by at least five years due to the five-year residency requirement for naturalization for most legal immigrants. Until the 1970s, the majority of persons naturalizing were born in Europe because country quotas in immigration law favored those countries. The regional origin of persons immigrating and naturalizing shifted from Europe to Asia following the elimination of the country quotas in amendments to the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA) of 1965 and the arrival of Indochinese refugees in the 1970s. Asian immigrants also had historically higher rates of naturalization than Europeans. Between 1976 and 1995, Asia was the leading region of birth among persons naturalized.

Increases in legal immigration from North American countries, especially following the Immigration Reform and Control Act (IRCA) of 1986, reduced Asia’s share of naturalizations. During the 1991-99 period, the proportion

Chart K
Persons Naturalized by Decade and Selected Region of Birth: Fiscal Years 1961-99



Source: 1999, Table 51; 1961-98, previous *Yearbooks*.

of persons naturalizing who were born in Asian countries fell to 37.1 percent, while the proportion from North America climbed to 40.1 percent (Chart K). North America became the leading region of birth of persons naturalizing in 1996. In 1999, nearly one-half (46 percent) of new citizens were born in North America compared to 32.6 percent in Asian countries and 12.1 percent in Europe.

Mexico was the leading country of birth of persons naturalizing in 1999 with 207,750 or 24.7 percent of the total. Other major countries of birth for naturalizing citizens were Vietnam (53,316), the Philippines (38,944), the People's Republic of China (38,409), India (30,710), Jamaica (28,604), Cuba (25,467), the Dominican Republic (23,089), El Salvador (22,991), and Haiti (19,550) (Table 51).

Immigration Reform and Control Act

Aliens legalized under IRCA accounted for 152,319 naturalizations, or 18 percent of all naturalized citizens, in 1999. The majority of IRCA-legalized aliens who naturalized (70 percent) were born in Mexico. By the end of 1999, 25 percent of the 2.7 million IRCA-legalized aliens had naturalized.

Years in immigrant status

The median number of years of residence between the date of legal permanent residence and the date of naturalization was 10 years among aliens who naturalized in 1999. In recent years, the median has fluctuated between 8 and 9 years. African, Asian, European, and South American born immigrants who naturalized in 1999

Table G
Median Years of Residence by Year of Naturalization and Region of Birth:
Selected Fiscal Years 1965-99

Region of birth	1999	1995	1990	1985	1980	1975	1970	1965
Persons naturalized	10	9	8	8	8	7	8	7
Africa	8	6	7	7	7	6	6	6
Asia	8	7	7	7	7	6	6	6
Europe	8	9	10	9	10	8	9	7
North America	10	14	11	13	11	9	7	9
Oceania	10	11	10	8	8	7	9	8
South America	10	10	9	8	9	10	7	7

spent a median of 8 years in immigrant status compared with 10 years for North Americans (Table G). IRCA immigrants naturalized earlier than non-IRCA immigrants in 1999 (9 years vs. 11 years, respectively).

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 *Statistical Yearbook* are obtained from information reported on Form N-400, the application for naturalization for persons ages 18 and over. Until 1998, the data also included information from Form N-600, the application for certificate of citizenship for children.

The N-600 is optional and used to provide evidence of citizenship for children under age 18 who automatically derive or acquire citizenship through their parents. The N-600 data may have represented as many as 3 to 4 percent of the naturalizations reported annually through 1997.

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 1999 naturalization data do not reflect the current demand to naturalize because of a continuing 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 was higher in 1996 and 1997 than in previous years. This is because the Central Index System (CIS), the source of data for about 100,000 cases in 1996 and about 60,000 cases in 1997, does not maintain information on state and metropolitan area of intended residence, marital status, occupation, provision of naturalization law, country of former allegiance, and gender in some instances. In 1996, cases with information supplied by the CIS came from areas where INS offices use manual coding systems, that is primarily states and metropolitan areas with low concentrations of immigrants.

**TABLE 43. PETITIONS FOR NATURALIZATIONS FILED, PERSONS NATURALIZED,
AND PETITIONS FOR NATURALIZATIONS DENIED
FISCAL YEARS 1907-99**

Year	Petitions filed ¹	Persons naturalized				Petitions denied
		Total	Civilian	Military	Not reported	
1907-99	20,273,347	17,239,737	16,179,716	671,318	388,703	1,568,880
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
1991-99	6,962,969	4,731,104	4,344,724	28,106	358,274	1,030,026
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

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

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 44. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY GENERAL AND SPECIAL NATURALIZATION PROVISIONS
FISCAL YEARS 1994-99**

Naturalization provisions	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
Total naturalized	434,107	488,088	1,044,689	598,225	463,060	839,944
General provisions	367,960	445,835	890,949	513,139	424,018	712,624
Special provisions	40,284	32,196	36,793	22,155	16,362	30,837
Persons married to U.S. citizens	25,935	23,384	28,501	21,139	15,112	29,889
Children, including adopted children, of U.S. citizen parents	7,848	4,709	6,948	439	95	18
Military	6,194	3,862	1,261	538	964	712
Persons who served in the U.S. armed forces for 3 years	1,090	926	633	358	357	295
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	232	377	427	159	96	76
Lodge Act enlistees	3	1	1	-	-	-
Persons honorably discharged from the U.S. armed forces following service in World War II	1	-	-	2	-	1
Natives of the Philippines who served honorably in the Philippine Army during World War II	4,868	2,558	200	19	511	340
Other	307	241	83	39	191	218
Surviving spouses of citizen members of the armed forces of the United States	8	3	1	1	-	3
Employees of nonprofit organizations engaged in disseminating information promoting U.S. interests	2	1	-	1	-	1
Persons who served on certain U.S. vessels	29	20	21	10	16	72
Nationals but not citizens of the United States .	18	18	20	3	77	86
Philippine citizens who entered the United States prior to May 1, 1934, and have resided continuously in the United States	-	-	-	-	1	1
Certain inhabitants of the Virgin Islands who renounced Danish citizenship	-	-	-	-	-	-
Former U.S. citizens who lost citizenship by marriage	64	21	22	20	93	50
Former U.S. citizens who lost citizenship by entering the armed forces of foreign countries during World War II	2	3	1	1	-	-
Persons naturalized under private law	8	6	3	3	2	2
Persons who perform ministerial or priestly functions of a religious order in the United States	176	169	15	-	2	3
Not reported	25,863	10,057	116,947	62,931	22,680	96,483

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 45. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY SELECTED NATURALIZATION PROVISIONS
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF FORMER ALLEGIANCE
FISCAL YEAR 1999**

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	839,944	712,624	30,837	29,889	18	712	218	96,483
Europe	97,396	91,751	4,186	4,129	7	27	23	1,459
Albania	504	428	65	65	-	-	-	11
Andorra	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Armenia	5,769	5,715	52	51	-	-	1	2
Austria	215	198	13	13	-	-	-	4
Azerbaijan	783	771	10	9	-	-	1	2
Belarus	1,850	1,829	19	18	-	1	-	2
Belgium	246	224	18	18	-	-	-	4
Bosnia-Herzegovina	243	226	12	12	-	-	-	5
Bulgaria	369	299	58	58	-	-	-	12
Croatia	356	314	39	39	-	-	-	3
Czech Republic	32	31	1	1	-	-	-	-
Czechoslovakia ¹	335	291	37	37	-	-	-	7
Denmark	201	186	13	13	-	-	-	2
Estonia	64	53	10	8	-	-	2	1
Finland	139	123	10	10	-	-	-	6
France	2,028	1,782	212	211	-	-	1	34
Georgia	118	112	6	6	-	-	-	-
Germany	3,702	3,434	224	217	-	4	3	44
Greece	1,865	1,749	97	97	-	-	-	19
Hungary	746	644	84	80	-	2	2	18
Iceland	47	43	4	3	-	1	-	-
Ireland	3,111	2,972	114	107	-	7	-	25
Italy	3,772	3,548	188	187	-	-	1	36
Kazakhstan	185	164	18	18	-	-	-	3
Kyrgyzstan	33	30	3	3	-	-	-	-
Latvia	371	351	16	16	-	-	-	4
Lithuania	281	232	46	46	-	-	-	3
Luxembourg	12	11	1	1	-	-	-	-
Macedonia	212	177	31	31	-	-	-	4
Malta	65	61	4	4	-	-	-	-
Moldova	1,211	1,191	17	17	-	-	-	3
Monaco	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	842	789	39	38	-	1	-	14
Norway	137	124	9	9	-	-	-	4
Poland	11,519	10,820	488	486	-	2	-	211
Portugal	5,227	5,113	55	52	-	1	2	59
Romania	2,919	2,593	255	255	-	-	-	71
Russia	10,752	10,173	446	440	-	-	6	133
San Marino	9	9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Slovak Republic	90	74	14	14	-	-	-	2
Slovenia	38	30	8	8	-	-	-	-
Soviet Union ¹	6,565	6,064	120	114	5	-	1	381
Spain	1,055	931	65	65	-	-	-	59
Sweden	343	315	23	23	-	-	-	5
Switzerland	472	396	64	64	-	-	-	12
Tajikistan	170	166	4	3	-	-	1	-
Turkmenistan	16	14	2	2	-	-	-	-
Ukraine	11,816	11,576	219	214	2	2	1	21
United Kingdom	13,869	12,861	808	803	-	4	1	200
Uzbekistan	1,220	1,205	14	14	-	-	-	1
Yugoslavia ¹	1,470	1,307	131	129	-	2	-	32
Asia	247,346	228,424	14,597	14,051	7	493	46	4,325
Afghanistan	2,638	2,466	112	112	-	-	-	60
Bahrain	21	19	2	2	-	-	-	-
Bangladesh	2,093	1,876	180	180	-	-	-	37

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 45. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY SELECTED NATURALIZATION PROVISIONS
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF FORMER ALLEGIANCE
FISCAL YEAR 1999—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	4	2	1	1	-	-	-	1
Brunei	7	7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burma	676	581	89	89	-	-	-	6
Cambodia	6,975	6,743	128	123	-	3	2	104
China, People's Republic	33,662	31,425	1,617	1,609	3	2	3	620
Cyprus	145	124	19	19	-	-	-	2
Hong Kong	2,825	2,627	151	151	-	-	-	47
India	26,232	24,437	1,354	1,345	-	4	5	441
Indonesia	1,211	1,106	94	94	-	-	-	11
Iran	16,913	16,226	532	529	-	1	2	155
Iraq	3,025	2,848	152	152	-	-	-	25
Israel	2,907	2,496	342	341	-	-	1	69
Japan	2,945	2,797	119	117	-	2	-	29
Jordan	2,638	2,072	529	529	-	-	-	37
Korea	16,372	15,588	600	592	1	2	5	184
Kuwait	261	183	73	73	-	-	-	5
Laos	8,675	8,396	73	71	-	1	1	206
Lebanon	3,931	3,364	523	522	-	1	-	44
Malaysia	761	672	81	80	-	-	1	8
Maldives	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mongolia	6	4	2	2	-	-	-	-
Nepal	119	107	12	12	-	-	-	-
Oman	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-
Pakistan	6,104	5,356	610	609	-	-	1	138
Philippines	35,206	29,145	5,269	4,791	-	469	9	792
Qatar	7	5	2	2	-	-	-	-
Saudi Arabia	79	59	19	19	-	-	-	1
Singapore	239	202	32	32	-	-	-	5
Sri Lanka	787	725	58	57	-	1	-	4
Syria	1,855	1,546	284	283	-	-	1	25
Taiwan	11,349	10,585	631	626	-	1	4	133
Thailand	3,653	3,412	184	184	-	-	-	57
Turkey	1,491	1,236	217	214	-	2	1	38
United Arab Emirates.....	17	16	1	1	-	-	-	-
Vietnam	51,055	49,542	473	456	3	4	10	1,040
Yemen	459	428	30	30	-	-	-	1
Africa	17,368	14,898	1,915	1,891	1	18	5	555
Algeria	209	148	55	55	-	-	-	6
Angola	43	41	1	1	-	-	-	1
Benin	12	9	3	3	-	-	-	-
Botswana	5	4	-	-	-	-	-	1
Burkina Faso	7	5	2	2	-	-	-	-
Burundi	7	5	2	2	-	-	-	-
Cameroon	140	117	20	20	-	-	-	3
Cape Verde	806	757	45	45	-	-	-	4
Central African Republic	3	1	2	2	-	-	-	-
Chad	6	4	2	2	-	-	-	-
Comoros	2	1	1	1	-	-	-	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	107	92	14	13	-	1	-	1
Congo, Republic	39	29	10	10	-	-	-	-
Cote d'Ivoire	104	74	28	26	-	2	-	2
Djibouti	6	5	1	1	-	-	-	-
Egypt	2,205	1,833	316	314	-	2	-	56
Equatorial Guinea	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eritrea	602	571	26	25	-	-	1	5
Ethiopia	2,411	2,227	103	102	-	-	1	81
Gabon	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gambia, The	68	55	11	11	-	-	-	2

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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	
Ghana	1,243	1,065	104	102	-	2	-	74
Guinea	32	23	9	9	-	-	-	-
Guinea-Bissau	6	4	-	-	-	-	-	2
Kenya	430	371	35	34	-	1	-	24
Lesotho	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liberia	790	706	44	41	-	3	-	40
Libya	105	86	15	15	-	-	-	4
Madagascar	12	6	4	4	-	-	-	2
Malawi	19	17	2	2	-	-	-	-
Mali	27	20	7	7	-	-	-	-
Mauritania	11	10	1	1	-	-	-	-
Mauritius	41	36	5	5	-	-	-	-
Morocco	675	447	209	208	-	1	-	19
Mozambique	24	22	1	1	-	-	-	1
Namibia	10	10	-	-	-	-	-	-
Niger	329	274	42	42	-	-	-	13
Nigeria	3,108	2,489	487	483	-	2	2	132
Rwanda	9	9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sao Tome and Principe	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senegal	159	116	26	23	1	2	-	17
Seychelles	11	9	2	2	-	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	442	383	44	43	-	1	-	15
Somalia	793	774	13	13	-	-	-	6
South Africa	1,232	1,111	100	100	-	-	-	21
Sudan	269	213	47	47	-	-	-	9
Swaziland	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tanzania	238	212	21	21	-	-	-	5
Togo	31	20	11	11	-	-	-	-
Tunisia	97	77	19	18	-	1	-	1
Uganda	199	189	7	7	-	-	-	3
Zambia	118	106	10	9	-	-	1	2
Zimbabwe	112	101	8	8	-	-	-	3
Oceania	2,174	1,994	154	148	-	6	-	26
Australia	472	432	36	35	-	1	-	4
Fiji	686	640	43	42	-	1	-	3
Kiribati	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Marshall Islands	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	1
Micronesia, Federated States	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nauru	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Zealand	315	274	37	36	-	1	-	4
Palau	15	12	3	1	-	2	-	-
Papua New Guinea	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Samoa	253	227	24	24	-	-	-	2
Solomon Islands	7	6	1	1	-	-	-	-
Tonga	412	392	9	8	-	1	-	11
Tuvalu	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
North America	349,817	330,551	6,634	6,455	2	130	47	12,632
Canada	10,274	9,406	665	650	-	11	4	203
Mexico	193,709	183,625	2,467	2,394	-	50	23	7,617
Caribbean	95,703	90,430	2,176	2,124	1	40	11	3,097
Antigua-Barbuda	962	911	25	25	-	-	-	26
Bahamas, The	646	544	24	24	-	-	-	78
Barbados	2,283	2,218	42	40	-	2	-	23
Cuba	19,891	18,696	196	193	-	1	2	999
Dominica	856	798	40	38	-	2	-	18
Dominican Republic	18,802	18,027	517	514	-	3	-	258

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**TABLE 45. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY SELECTED NATURALIZATION PROVISIONS
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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
Grenada	1,402	1,349	28	27	-	1	-	25
Haiti	17,400	16,198	274	268	1	2	3	928
Jamaica	24,165	22,966	660	637	-	21	2	539
St. Kitts-Nevis	880	844	19	18	-	1	-	17
St. Lucia	627	596	22	22	-	-	-	9
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	905	876	19	19	-	-	-	10
Trinidad and Tobago	6,884	6,407	310	299	-	7	4	167
Central America	50,131	47,090	1,326	1,287	1	29	9	1,715
Belize	1,940	1,866	35	30	-	5	-	39
Costa Rica	1,927	1,750	108	107	-	-	1	69
El Salvador	22,176	21,299	286	276	-	5	5	591
Guatemala	10,601	10,169	197	195	-	1	1	235
Honduras	4,694	4,280	256	251	1	3	1	158
Nicaragua	5,954	5,224	207	202	-	5	-	523
Panama	2,839	2,502	237	226	-	10	1	100
South America	47,383	42,650	3,011	2,972	1	31	7	1,722
Argentina	2,959	2,697	134	134	-	-	-	128
Bolivia	1,379	1,256	85	82	1	2	-	38
Brazil	3,644	3,091	358	356	-	2	-	195
Chile	1,680	1,530	79	76	-	1	2	71
Colombia	11,023	9,618	889	877	-	9	3	516
Ecuador	7,205	6,771	263	260	-	3	-	171
Guyana	9,288	8,975	252	245	-	5	2	61
Paraguay	180	149	25	25	-	-	-	6
Peru	7,171	6,150	652	646	-	6	-	369
Suriname	111	92	13	13	-	-	-	6
Uruguay	560	495	29	29	-	-	-	36
Venezuela	2,183	1,826	232	229	-	3	-	125
U.S. possessions	70	45	22	3	-	3	16	3
Stateless and not reported	78,390	2,311	318	240	-	4	74	75,761

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

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 46. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF FORMER ALLEGIANCE
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Region and country of former allegiance	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
All countries	270,101	308,058	240,252	314,681	434,107	488,088	1,044,689	598,225	463,060	839,944
Europe	37,264	37,808	30,781	42,162	63,915	69,005	108,966	66,810	61,055	97,396
Albania	91	80	109	98	125	122	340	399	342	504
Andorra	6	3	5	3	6	5	5	2	-	1
Armenia	X	X	6	136	645	1,240	3,524	4,151	4,701	5,769
Austria	83	113	100	199	281	284	347	171	160	215
Azerbaijan	X	X	-	-	4	32	233	321	346	783
Belarus	X	X	-	1	7	198	657	856	983	1,850
Belgium	147	170	151	193	264	223	291	149	164	246
Bosnia-Herzegovina	X	X	-	4	25	31	47	48	28	243
Bulgaria	160	225	171	165	250	240	493	288	226	369
Croatia	X	X	-	33	144	242	496	222	192	356
Czech Republic	X	X	-	-	6	5	11	16	6	32
Czechoslovakia ¹	916	843	676	629	683	587	558	323	228	335
Denmark	153	177	126	162	255	225	279	159	165	201
Estonia	17	33	14	20	62	63	78	56	51	64
Finland	83	85	91	103	135	137	152	82	106	139
France	1,091	1,413	1,124	1,239	1,758	1,518	2,257	1,281	1,250	2,028
Georgia	X	X	-	1	8	24	94	81	72	118
Germany	2,395	2,197	1,901	2,554	3,706	3,546	4,245	2,588	2,345	3,702
Greece	2,270	1,820	1,769	2,135	2,596	2,114	2,769	1,645	1,268	1,865
Hungary	743	814	608	624	824	844	936	488	502	746
Iceland	25	23	37	34	38	38	37	29	31	47
Ireland	742	746	738	1,079	1,659	1,928	3,010	1,682	1,392	3,111
Italy	2,453	1,976	1,618	3,495	5,703	4,032	4,617	2,282	2,383	3,772
Kazakhstan	X	X	-	2	35	27	32	42	61	185
Kyrgyzstan	X	X	-	-	-	2	3	3	19	33
Latvia	55	52	53	64	131	193	371	200	201	371
Liechtenstein	1	3	2	1	5	4	2	3	2	-
Lithuania	71	71	50	85	119	230	273	156	143	281
Luxembourg	6	16	9	12	11	8	19	7	3	12
Macedonia	X	X	X	X	52	197	329	214	140	212
Malta	72	77	56	74	98	44	113	44	35	65
Moldova	X	X	-	7	61	190	520	711	636	1,211
Monaco	2	4	5	3	9	4	3	1	-	1
Netherlands	410	508	378	471	714	727	1,015	577	480	842
Norway	115	141	107	129	176	160	217	107	86	137
Poland	5,972	5,493	4,681	5,551	7,036	8,030	13,200	7,553	5,643	11,519
Portugal	2,491	1,848	1,884	3,978	6,106	3,925	6,173	3,769	4,658	5,227
Romania	2,914	3,471	2,457	2,699	3,454	3,316	4,451	2,573	2,063	2,919
Russia	X	X	31	315	1,240	3,846	8,909	7,172	6,535	10,752
San Marino	4	6	3	8	4	8	-	2	2	9
Slovak Republic	X	X	-	-	2	21	44	33	43	90
Slovenia	X	X	-	3	8	23	22	8	18	38
Soviet Union ²	2,847	2,822	1,600	2,126	4,444	8,407	13,414	5,855	4,239	6,565
Spain	535	436	462	615	812	778	1,714	671	827	1,055
Sweden	166	208	186	228	317	261	335	201	197	343
Switzerland	302	357	310	393	574	451	505	290	296	472
Tajikistan	X	X	-	2	1	1	43	24	39	170
Turkmenistan	X	X	-	-	1	2	8	5	6	16
Ukraine	X	X	11	173	793	3,375	8,392	6,415	7,173	11,816
United Kingdom	8,286	9,935	7,800	10,158	15,753	14,823	20,052	11,378	9,351	13,869
Uzbekistan	X	X	-	-	10	62	436	329	291	1,220
Yugoslavia ²	1,640	1,642	1,452	2,158	2,765	2,212	2,895	1,148	927	1,470
Asia	124,256	160,367	121,965	145,318	186,963	182,570	267,334	169,698	143,927	247,346
Afghanistan	1,141	1,392	1,047	1,539	1,994	2,014	3,936	1,724	1,693	2,638
Bahrain	12	11	12	9	18	17	21	6	7	21
Bangladesh	696	874	967	942	1,175	1,291	5,120	3,122	1,161	2,093

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**TABLE 46. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF FORMER ALLEGIANCE
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Region and country of former allegiance	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
Bhutan	3	8	6	9	10	7	-	3	1	4
Brunei	7	12	12	8	11	7	6	3	8	7
Burma	597	827	454	469	757	780	1,085	484	373	676
Cambodia	3,525	4,786	2,749	3,149	4,125	3,605	5,077	4,936	5,321	6,975
China, People's Republic	13,563	16,783	13,488	16,851	22,018	20,917	30,656	17,552	14,737	33,662
Cyprus	185	167	170	188	194	170	212	106	112	145
Hong Kong	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	542	2,825
India	11,499	12,961	13,413	16,506	20,886	18,331	28,932	18,812	16,003	26,232
Indonesia	350	603	309	408	532	569	883	462	530	1,211
Iran	5,973	10,411	6,778	7,029	10,054	11,659	17,326	10,553	9,936	16,913
Iraq	1,855	1,641	1,196	1,522	1,772	1,609	2,157	1,519	1,951	3,025
Israel	2,102	2,789	2,376	2,609	3,241	2,821	3,577	1,918	1,543	2,907
Japan	736	938	621	989	1,427	1,415	1,803	1,108	1,800	2,945
Jordan	2,408	2,493	2,297	2,678	2,901	2,556	3,019	1,795	1,586	2,638
Korea	10,500	12,266	8,297	9,611	12,313	15,445	24,693	13,996	9,866	16,372
Kuwait	247	301	299	344	426	350	380	234	177	261
Laos	3,329	3,594	3,052	3,945	5,638	4,064	7,845	8,092	7,218	8,675
Lebanon	2,797	3,570	2,881	3,402	4,611	4,159	4,978	2,796	2,308	3,931
Malaysia	426	477	388	418	513	424	580	377	339	761
Maldives	-	1	1	1	-	3	-	2	-	1
Mongolia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	6
Nepal	37	56	43	48	62	55	88	52	73	119
Oman	2	2	7	5	5	5	1	1	2	2
Pakistan	3,330	3,670	3,350	3,777	4,539	4,883	10,278	6,430	3,450	6,104
Philippines	25,936	33,714	28,579	33,864	40,711	37,645	45,210	28,075	23,809	35,206
Qatar	7	6	15	17	14	11	17	7	6	7
Saudi Arabia	63	91	94	139	132	112	119	79	60	79
Singapore	162	180	145	157	209	170	237	123	116	239
Sri Lanka	335	464	333	445	531	514	756	486	436	787
Syria	1,146	1,480	1,200	1,312	1,809	1,776	2,148	1,370	1,125	1,855
Taiwan	6,895	10,876	6,408	7,384	10,757	10,007	12,431	6,489	5,317	11,349
Thailand	1,145	1,379	962	1,169	1,645	1,675	3,399	1,808	1,825	3,653
Turkey	1,214	1,349	1,124	1,229	1,655	1,559	1,885	1,341	1,120	1,491
United Arab Emirates	6	2	7	13	20	11	10	5	7	17
Vietnam	22,027	29,603	18,357	22,427	29,486	31,432	47,625	33,349	29,125	51,055
Yemen	-	590	528	706	772	502	844	443	243	459
Africa	8,770	10,230	9,628	11,293	15,719	17,702	21,842	13,862	11,070	17,368
Algeria	95	111	102	120	173	177	208	138	123	209
Angola	58	30	35	50	77	38	57	55	45	43
Benin	8	10	13	10	6	13	9	4	11	12
Botswana	-	1	4	1	3	2	5	5	-	5
Burkina Faso	2	2	1	5	7	7	9	6	7	7
Burundi	3	1	10	4	10	6	4	5	2	7
Cameroon	38	48	75	105	171	164	195	129	104	140
Cape Verde	272	178	226	216	518	524	457	347	491	806
Central African Republic	2	6	2	4	1	6	4	1	1	3
Chad	2	5	2	1	2	1	2	2	3	6
Comoros	1	2	-	2	2	-	1	-	-	2
Congo, Democratic Republic ³	55	50	48	68	86	81	131	60	61	107
Congo, Republic ³	9	4	2	4	5	1	4	2	8	39
Cote d'Ivoire	14	27	36	47	76	77	139	89	75	104
Djibouti	1	6	7	7	5	8	5	3	2	6
Egypt	1,945	2,644	2,098	2,045	2,616	2,625	3,486	2,021	1,354	2,205
Equatorial Guinea	2	4	2	1	2	2	5	2	1	2
Eritrea	X	X	X	-	69	371	541	399	488	602
Ethiopia	1,370	1,453	1,505	1,858	2,359	2,558	2,563	1,813	1,727	2,411
Gabon	1	4	2	-	-	1	2	1	1	3
Gambia, The	13	19	11	18	26	51	82	39	40	68
Ghana	714	669	692	722	1,110	1,557	2,519	1,418	1,024	1,243

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**TABLE 46. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF FORMER ALLEGIANCE
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Region and country of former allegiance	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
Guinea	15	7	7	3	10	8	23	22	26	32
Guinea-Bissau	1	2	3	1	6	3	6	1	2	6
Kenya	257	273	237	307	360	335	458	350	271	430
Lesotho	2	3	3	3	5	6	4	4	6	4
Liberia	283	356	359	455	613	728	794	657	536	790
Libya	137	135	147	142	158	196	137	112	81	105
Madagascar	6	10	15	3	13	12	21	8	11	12
Malawi	13	11	16	13	32	29	23	14	20	19
Mali	5	2	5	9	8	17	23	25	17	27
Mauritania	3	2	2	3	1	6	3	4	1	11
Mauritius	15	11	13	14	22	18	42	23	22	41
Morocco	320	365	396	482	687	653	937	483	343	675
Mozambique	30	24	22	24	43	22	18	27	15	24
Namibia	6	6	7	11	12	8	6	10	6	10
Niger	22	-	-	-	6	211	263	116	207	329
Nigeria	1,415	1,775	1,862	2,378	3,772	4,541	5,368	3,292	1,911	3,108
Rwanda	-	5	5	3	3	9	8	6	3	9
Sao Tome and Principe	-	-	1	-	2	2	-	1	1	3
Senegal	58	30	41	61	74	75	226	211	103	159
Seychelles	20	20	18	17	10	15	12	13	5	11
Sierra Leone	163	194	187	292	396	561	566	396	376	442
Somalia	90	107	122	130	154	211	248	157	288	793
South Africa	697	883	650	830	1,145	798	956	559	589	1,232
Sudan	68	79	99	129	138	177	258	216	174	269
Swaziland	3	8	4	4	2	5	3	1	8	2
Tanzania	187	221	180	187	227	192	347	171	145	238
Togo	13	16	13	17	23	19	29	17	14	31
Tunisia	55	78	68	123	85	112	129	80	67	97
Uganda	124	131	118	133	172	239	267	195	134	199
Zambia	65	111	65	113	110	108	113	74	68	118
Zimbabwe	92	91	90	118	106	116	126	78	52	112
Oceania	881	1,045	891	1,208	1,726	1,731	2,676	1,620	1,464	2,174
Australia	110	116	140	230	321	271	454	275	256	472
Fiji	374	477	398	544	705	698	1,336	628	484	686
Kiribati	1	1	-	1	1	1	3	3	2	1
Marshall Islands	-	-	-	-	2	4	5	3	1	2
Micronesia, Federated States ...	2	-	2	3	3	5	5	1	7	3
Nauru	2	1	1	4	3	3	-	1	-	3
New Zealand	116	191	110	178	262	254	336	214	193	315
Palau	23	23	22	15	11	2	2	6	14	15
Papua New Guinea	2	3	1	3	2	7	9	3	-	1
Samoa ⁴	150	142	102	131	189	207	267	149	206	253
Solomon Islands	1	2	27	11	46	54	2	6	7	7
Tonga	100	89	86	86	170	213	257	330	291	412
Tuvalu	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	1	3	2
Vanuatu	-	-	2	-	10	11	-	-	-	2
North America	64,730	71,838	56,710	87,751	130,108	172,513	454,954	257,027	201,717	349,817
Canada	3,644	4,441	4,067	6,662	9,128	7,949	10,324	6,094	6,012	10,274
Mexico	17,564	22,066	12,880	23,630	46,186	79,614	217,418	134,494	109,065	193,709
Caribbean	34,320	34,025	32,272	47,061	57,915	55,515	155,178	78,263	59,607	95,703
Antigua-Barbuda	339	478	376	439	617	658	899	714	808	962
Bahamas, The	161	151	156	140	234	208	628	303	248	646
Barbados	970	852	669	855	1,423	1,270	2,394	1,873	1,137	2,283
Cuba	10,291	9,554	7,763	15,109	16,421	17,481	62,168	12,860	15,114	19,891
Dominica	399	550	308	285	381	399	694	535	642	856
Dominican Republic	5,984	6,368	8,464	12,274	11,415	9,934	27,293	19,450	11,324	18,802
Grenada	459	456	421	552	815	722	1,564	1,136	601	1,402
Haiti	5,009	4,436	3,993	5,202	7,997	7,876	24,556	15,667	10,168	17,400

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**TABLE 46. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF FORMER ALLEGIANCE
FISCAL YEARS 1990-99—Continued**

Region and country of former allegiance	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
Jamaica	6,762	6,838	6,765	7,976	12,216	11,049	24,270	18,746	14,468	24,165
St. Kitts-Nevis	265	699	307	372	581	557	539	540	661	880
St. Lucia	204	286	194	236	377	400	549	429	402	627
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	279	324	254	328	533	477	1,005	737	415	905
Trinidad and Tobago	3,198	3,033	2,602	3,293	4,905	4,484	8,619	5,273	3,619	6,884
Central America	9,202	11,306	7,491	10,398	16,879	29,435	72,034	38,176	27,033	50,131
Belize	389	499	304	381	636	856	1,765	1,280	951	1,940
Costa Rica	589	792	547	672	1,063	1,145	2,603	1,488	1,077	1,927
El Salvador	2,410	3,653	2,056	3,057	5,675	13,667	33,240	17,818	12,160	22,176
Guatemala	1,280	1,832	1,086	1,682	3,001	5,159	13,383	7,522	5,444	10,601
Honduras	1,259	1,306	1,248	1,713	2,208	2,943	7,494	4,022	2,651	4,694
Nicaragua	1,520	1,732	1,100	1,500	2,442	3,930	10,614	4,178	3,306	5,954
Panama	1,755	1,492	1,150	1,393	1,854	1,735	2,935	1,868	1,444	2,839
South America	19,548	20,928	19,982	26,464	34,988	38,058	79,918	39,475	26,733	47,383
Argentina	1,466	1,850	1,237	1,611	2,488	2,700	5,040	2,112	1,608	2,959
Bolivia	471	519	423	571	810	1,168	2,066	980	812	1,379
Brazil	674	683	679	922	1,342	1,278	2,685	2,192	1,927	3,644
Chile	866	920	713	862	1,203	1,295	2,775	1,291	959	1,680
Colombia	5,540	5,513	6,439	9,976	12,299	12,724	26,115	10,911	6,730	11,023
Ecuador	2,052	2,215	1,857	2,703	3,951	5,366	14,206	7,129	4,539	7,205
Guyana	4,306	4,826	4,717	4,938	6,043	5,584	10,618	7,008	4,479	9,288
Paraguay	127	133	138	175	257	236	420	140	104	180
Peru	2,829	3,088	2,633	3,274	4,740	5,889	12,073	5,898	4,191	7,171
Suriname	33	34	45	26	90	58	129	59	42	111
Uruguay	433	400	371	577	670	678	1,289	599	385	560
Venezuela	751	747	730	829	1,095	1,082	2,502	1,156	957	2,183
U.S. possessions	52	53	51	76	105	134	136	35	61	70
Stateless and not reported	14,600	5,789	244	409	583	6,375	108,863	49,698	17,033	78,390

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 47. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY SEX, MARITAL STATUS, AND MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP
FISCAL YEARS 1994-99**

Sex, marital status, and occupation	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
Total	434,107	488,088	1,044,689	598,225	463,060	839,944
Male	205,671	230,754	457,273	257,587	195,882	342,480
Single	51,822	56,388	95,692	58,362	39,547	72,738
Married	130,586	154,808	305,398	173,683	137,575	232,925
Widowed	2,346	3,025	5,867	3,156	4,253	4,851
Divorced	13,617	14,989	25,213	12,732	9,506	16,846
Separated	136	146	262	124	28	101
Unknown	7,164	1,398	24,841	9,530	4,973	15,019
Female	221,367	253,698	522,101	303,497	254,958	432,635
Single	46,115	52,613	105,353	66,901	49,659	83,596
Married	138,276	160,816	307,329	179,593	149,125	264,044
Widowed	10,858	16,736	38,507	21,821	31,359	33,360
Divorced	17,544	21,703	47,370	24,905	20,156	34,034
Separated	147	237	547	319	64	289
Unknown	8,427	1,593	22,995	9,958	4,595	17,312
Not reported	7,069	3,636	65,315	37,141	12,220	64,829
Major occupation group:						
Professional, technical, and kindred workers	37,415	42,337	60,597	37,137	32,821	66,366
Managers and administrators (except farm) ...	27,949	36,177	51,878	31,078	23,055	40,154
Sales workers	17,537	22,261	37,936	25,907	19,345	39,110
Clerical	42,216	55,704	110,737	53,604	35,602	60,389
Craftsmen and kindred workers	18,467	23,677	46,848	30,176	19,007	33,701
Operatives and laborers	48,835	67,327	126,673	79,936	63,888	107,827
Farming, forestry, and fishing workers	2,277	2,927	6,578	5,158	3,638	5,884
Service workers	35,114	47,618	98,133	71,387	46,991	84,235
Homemakers, children, and others with no occupation reported	204,297	190,060	505,309	263,842	218,713	402,278

**TABLE 48. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY STATE OF RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEARS 1990-99**

State of residence	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
Total	270,101	308,058	240,252	314,681	434,107	488,088	1,044,689	598,225	463,060	839,944
Alabama	590	798	598	719	954	860	1,002	644	658	1,132
Alaska	607	463	793	530	648	675	4	757	995	633
Arizona	2,152	2,090	3,037	2,548	3,894	4,059	6,838	3,767	4,105	8,737
Arkansas	388	413	380	405	615	163	6	809	244	442
California	61,736	125,661	52,411	68,100	118,567	171,285	378,014	187,432	154,793	284,071
Colorado	1,414	2,004	1,402	2,732	3,171	3,753	5,168	3,560	3,230	8,552
Connecticut	3,895	4,221	5,070	6,125	5,460	6,409	8,122	8,452	7,351	8,064
Delaware	301	310	289	423	695	600	650	464	648	844
District of Columbia	613	569	786	773	1,091	1,496	1,920	1,098	1,024	1,621
Florida	22,978	23,281	21,129	26,628	35,186	31,372	123,368	28,768	30,926	67,567
Georgia	2,952	3,414	2,299	4,185	5,437	5,418	6,603	5,958	6,274	9,717
Hawaii	5,077	3,955	4,475	4,960	4,659	5,174	6,090	3,994	4,493	3,600
Idaho	481	247	208	255	299	336	2	769	853	1,028
Illinois	19,868	11,637	10,891	17,394	17,946	20,694	48,746	28,096	16,804	36,742
Indiana	1,085	1,014	1,323	1,395	1,738	1,430	678	2,388	2,404	1,747
Iowa	609	489	374	578	837	970	5	244	191	73
Kansas	899	681	911	1,085	1,059	1,131	7	1,733	2,208	3,461
Kentucky	514	338	567	534	775	677	10	1,074	586	1,041
Louisiana	1,882	1,145	1,709	2,016	1,667	2,714	3,247	2,415	2,478	2,701
Maine	342	280	400	584	473	639	41	343	544	340
Maryland	5,114	3,663	4,620	9,864	9,572	11,251	1,259	3,691	9,615	9,699
Massachusetts	5,923	4,810	7,381	6,574	14,739	11,803	14,762	8,158	10,568	21,672
Michigan	5,295	4,282	2,616	6,091	7,798	8,170	12,658	5,766	7,100	7,966
Minnesota	2,126	1,862	1,850	1,921	2,528	760	6	3,296	4,331	6,507
Mississippi	301	300	315	426	385	393	410	442	378	624
Missouri	1,267	890	1,453	1,379	1,236	1,440	14	2,226	2,156	2,376
Montana	197	87	127	165	81	117	1	165	165	214
Nebraska	376	339	432	4,411	4,147	2,999	4	259	717	407
Nevada	1,209	1,026	1,533	1,518	1,937	2,894	24	7,963	4,414	3,427
New Hampshire	300	303	357	387	926	559	489	430	645	1,078
New Jersey	17,969	15,052	16,598	18,495	24,587	28,770	44,351	32,406	21,301	8,294
New Mexico	820	386	495	665	697	643	5	511	649	1,507
New York	44,619	44,808	43,447	55,519	67,282	68,611	169,428	95,595	47,456	104,048
North Carolina	1,362	1,856	2,172	2,397	2,089	2,073	11	2,873	3,463	3,427
North Dakota	132	163	119	159	137	192	-	188	166	80
Ohio	3,037	3,184	2,669	3,382	4,432	3,263	5,106	4,447	5,859	5,509
Oklahoma	1,167	1,458	876	1,092	1,286	1,806	8	1,168	613	3,198
Oregon	1,736	1,867	1,994	2,146	2,475	1,810	23	1,464	2,307	5,165
Pennsylvania	4,218	4,323	3,839	7,236	9,644	9,665	9,652	7,327	9,997	14,094
Rhode Island	1,970	927	1,043	1,720	2,302	1,535	2	2,951	2,642	2,884
South Carolina	761	713	670	675	1,387	1,032	713	1,086	1,334	1,093
South Dakota	87	117	62	85	114	103	1	173	159	14
Tennessee	1,002	1,043	979	1,039	1,364	634	14	1,275	1,255	2,617
Texas	24,529	16,266	17,631	26,403	25,148	32,209	57,970	39,172	30,862	58,849
Utah	866	585	649	950	1,163	1,417	22	2,850	1,421	2,296
Vermont	175	200	219	221	369	523	9	321	360	126
Virginia	5,606	5,353	4,662	7,141	7,103	10,542	13,724	6,803	8,589	11,808
Washington	3,519	3,289	4,307	5,741	6,878	11,063	12,228	14,668	12,991	11,174
West Virginia	176	261	137	205	229	318	3	218	265	307
Wisconsin	477	1,499	681	6	17	874	5	1,371	1,894	3,132
Wyoming	72	57	50	43	86	127	127	145	121	151
U.S. territories and possessions										
Guam	1,146	1,318	987	1,131	1,445	1,464	1	1,458	1,117	780
Northern Mariana Is.	-	17	24	32	37	53	-	46	33	27
Puerto Rico	1,054	853	1,947	1,852	1,484	4	3	368	1,650	2,202
U.S. Virgin Islands	180	1,449	538	752	1,113	1,204	2	914	1,834	1,593
Unknown	2,930	442	3,721	889	22,719	7,912	111,133	63,266	23,824	99,486

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 49. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH
AND STATE OF RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 1999**

State of residence	All countries	China, People's Rep.	Colombia	Cuba	Dominican Republic	El Salvador	Guatemala	Haiti	India	Iran
Total	839,944	38,409	13,168	25,467	23,089	22,991	11,031	19,550	30,710	18,268
Alabama	1,132	74	13	2	3	7	3	3	132	31
Alaska	633	18	16	2	19	5	1	-	12	4
Arizona	8,737	199	57	13	11	129	85	3	200	98
Arkansas	442	22	2	6	1	19	6	-	29	10
California	284,071	13,502	1,140	1,058	73	13,936	6,311	102	5,496	11,682
Colorado	8,552	436	52	16	16	99	55	7	197	158
Connecticut	8,064	551	205	28	174	32	33	164	483	73
Delaware	844	91	13	1	13	4	3	18	117	13
District of Columbia	1,621	52	22	11	46	266	29	21	16	28
Florida	67,567	572	3,977	16,096	2,167	571	603	6,062	1,148	393
Georgia	9,717	516	153	68	49	98	65	121	883	253
Hawaii	3,600	395	6	-	2	-	7	5	9	15
Idaho	1,028	48	8	-	1	6	7	-	12	5
Illinois	36,742	1,296	257	102	51	217	679	162	3,120	316
Indiana	1,747	144	10	1	3	7	7	5	169	36
Iowa	73	3	-	-	-	2	-	-	7	-
Kansas	3,461	213	18	2	2	60	16	4	165	61
Kentucky	1,041	77	8	3	1	7	5	4	94	19
Louisiana	2,701	152	43	62	18	38	83	6	144	39
Maine	340	26	2	2	5	3	-	-	13	4
Maryland	9,699	1,191	94	18	95	492	100	84	747	343
Massachusetts	21,672	1,296	297	71	1,318	281	240	1,771	729	241
Michigan	7,966	407	31	29	17	17	20	12	655	82
Minnesota	6,507	535	22	10	12	26	19	3	259	79
Mississippi	624	40	10	3	2	5	2	-	88	6
Missouri	2,376	227	11	14	4	15	11	17	182	54
Montana	214	14	-	2	-	1	-	-	4	-
Nebraska	407	10	-	-	-	1	3	-	2	1
Nevada	3,427	112	20	75	-	39	63	1	78	42
New Hampshire	1,078	55	19	-	29	10	10	24	67	20
New Jersey	8,294	438	301	155	468	104	64	281	1,002	64
New Mexico	1,507	49	12	7	3	18	27	1	40	19
New York	104,048	5,501	2,413	544	11,507	1,463	739	7,193	3,050	1,031
North Carolina	3,427	113	50	20	21	65	16	8	330	68
North Dakota	80	1	1	-	1	2	-	-	2	1
Ohio	5,509	596	39	7	13	12	19	8	534	74
Oklahoma	3,198	67	26	11	6	19	41	5	234	140
Oregon	5,165	327	17	10	1	56	41	3	122	111
Pennsylvania	14,094	1,143	195	51	245	38	48	201	1,440	156
Rhode Island	2,884	111	178	7	487	22	143	48	49	16
South Carolina	1,093	53	33	6	5	9	6	2	135	15
South Dakota	14	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Tennessee	2,617	157	20	9	11	27	13	10	227	77
Texas	58,849	1,279	436	135	57	2,146	490	28	2,187	728
Utah	2,296	168	23	3	10	50	19	2	31	36
Vermont	126	9	2	1	-	-	-	1	7	1
Virginia	11,808	541	118	30	43	829	145	31	695	505
Washington	11,174	933	34	13	9	72	34	9	377	156
West Virginia	307	27	1	1	1	-	1	-	45	13
Wisconsin	3,132	71	11	6	7	18	9	2	148	39
Wyoming	151	12	2	-	-	-	1	-	7	1
U.S. territories and possessions										
Guam	780	22	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	-
No. Mariana Islands	27	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Puerto Rico	2,202	25	106	224	1,373	14	9	2	9	-
U.S. Virgin Islands	1,593	2	-	-	101	-	-	8	35	-
Unknown	99,486	4,487	2,644	6,532	4,588	1,634	698	3,107	4,743	911

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 49. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH
AND STATE OF RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 1999—Continued**

State of residence	Jamaica	Korea	Mexico	Philippines	Poland	Soviet Union	Taiwan	Ukraine	Vietnam	Other
Total	28,604	17,738	207,750	38,944	13,127	11,300	11,215	12,190	53,316	243,077
Alabama	20	67	135	58	9	3	32	9	99	432
Alaska	3	58	75	169	11	-	4	6	20	210
Arizona	9	77	5,547	227	62	85	54	22	395	1,464
Arkansas	-	5	105	32	1	1	2	-	43	158
California	450	7,174	111,640	18,880	527	1,932	6,034	2,577	23,977	57,580
Colorado	21	256	2,776	218	126	207	88	142	865	2,817
Connecticut	993	84	82	174	840	97	59	177	341	3,474
Delaware	48	24	86	38	12	8	20	8	25	302
District of Columbia	135	7	21	47	4	1	2	2	75	836
Florida	6,887	314	2,813	1,340	318	269	165	222	1,289	22,361
Georgia	595	372	1,135	204	37	159	170	107	1,096	3,636
Hawaii	8	332	74	1,542	5	2	53	1	304	840
Idaho	-	17	529	37	15	21	1	32	62	227
Illinois	262	808	11,732	1,782	4,757	867	299	1,012	846	8,177
Indiana	11	42	430	85	56	32	24	35	102	548
Iowa	-	-	8	3	3	1	3	2	11	30
Kansas	9	58	1,175	72	6	20	43	90	652	795
Kentucky	7	28	68	49	7	23	12	19	148	462
Louisiana	10	38	118	103	4	9	24	4	664	1,142
Maine	7	10	8	22	6	-	2	11	25	194
Maryland	404	554	124	395	70	4	174	347	496	3,967
Massachusetts	636	200	110	213	419	430	197	487	1,750	10,986
Michigan	100	127	659	212	388	150	125	102	547	4,286
Minnesota	26	64	344	117	54	2	45	192	1,005	3,693
Mississippi	6	17	54	61	3	2	7	1	133	184
Missouri	21	62	225	131	17	102	42	22	383	836
Montana	1	2	22	16	1	6	2	1	8	134
Nebraska	-	-	19	346	1	-	1	-	7	16
Nevada	6	52	1,510	453	11	5	18	2	73	867
New Hampshire	13	33	20	40	15	8	32	20	52	611
New Jersey	331	272	121	664	385	78	157	105	214	3,090
New Mexico	4	5	827	54	5	23	12	1	135	265
New York	11,744	1,584	1,043	1,784	2,032	2,703	676	3,873	1,160	44,008
North Carolina	64	130	453	116	41	37	69	24	409	1,393
North Dakota	1	7	14	10	1	1	-	-	2	36
Ohio	64	111	174	166	117	262	117	364	363	2,469
Oklahoma	8	72	1,037	116	8	-	29	10	625	744
Oregon	4	156	1,209	197	40	12	67	137	1,013	1,642
Pennsylvania	512	581	284	348	416	378	155	1,078	1,622	5,203
Rhode Island	22	23	26	37	52	40	9	46	32	1,536
South Carolina	22	30	82	77	11	18	13	6	118	452
South Dakota	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	5
Tennessee	13	92	235	99	22	20	26	25	336	1,198
Texas	200	537	35,683	1,218	115	221	656	96	4,286	8,351
Utah	1	38	536	53	13	78	38	9	307	881
Vermont	-	-	1	1	-	4	5	-	12	82
Virginia	113	833	243	819	47	122	204	32	1,474	4,984
Washington	28	696	1,151	1,021	103	87	259	260	2,166	3,766
West Virginia	8	6	12	22	3	1	5	1	7	153
Wisconsin	22	34	548	66	69	302	33	8	140	1,599
Wyoming	2	5	73	10	2	1	-	-	-	35
U.S. territories and possessions										
Guam	2	53	9	591	2	-	18	-	5	73
No. Mariana Islands	-	-	-	21	-	-	1	-	-	3
Puerto Rico	-	2	47	3	-	-	-	-	-	388
U.S. Virgin Islands	12	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	2	1,429
Unknown	4,739	1,587	22,298	4,381	1,858	2,466	931	462	3,393	28,027

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 50. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH
AND SELECTED METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA OF RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 1999**

Metropolitan statistical area ¹	All countries	China, People's Republic	Colombia	Cuba	Dominican Rep.	El Salvador	Guatemala	Haiti	India	Iran
Total	839,944	38,409	13,168	25,467	23,089	22,991	11,031	19,550	30,710	18,268
Los Angeles-Long Beach, CA	136,345	5,599	614	768	40	10,725	4,945	47	1,461	7,922
New York, NY	87,873	4,770	1,983	471	10,821	761	550	5,985	1,857	418
Chicago, IL	37,367	1,289	258	98	49	217	688	163	3,133	314
Miami, FL	33,177	159	2,134	13,939	1,343	287	322	2,841	114	74
Orange County, CA	26,967	580	158	75	5	500	302	2	683	1,230
Riverside-San Bernardino, CA	21,946	228	122	102	7	739	417	18	351	199
Washington, DC-MD-VA	19,688	1,523	228	46	164	1,673	283	114	1,254	871
San Jose, CA	18,758	1,006	25	20	-	220	55	4	805	665
Houston, TX	17,761	721	232	50	22	1,407	212	14	951	247
Boston-Lawrence-Lowell-Brockton, MA	16,239	1,120	249	60	1,230	242	217	1,696	559	188
San Francisco, CA	15,453	3,568	56	23	3	815	197	11	225	287
San Diego, CA	14,622	214	44	15	6	67	68	8	119	311
Dallas, TX	14,017	255	102	40	6	486	170	4	663	316
Oakland, CA	13,205	1,414	40	12	2	364	87	3	733	371
Fort Lauderdale, FL	11,109	109	756	568	234	94	74	1,321	198	54
Nassau-Suffolk, NY	10,965	330	382	57	576	687	179	1,010	816	567
Philadelphia, PA-NJ	10,816	925	119	29	150	22	15	196	1,143	106
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA	7,547	781	21	9	5	40	19	4	305	135
Atlanta, GA	7,414	409	122	53	40	75	49	105	611	209
Orlando, FL	6,622	74	452	309	293	65	58	570	226	94
Phoenix-Mesa, AZ	5,994	153	44	11	9	113	73	3	163	79
Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI	5,807	487	19	9	11	23	14	3	229	73
Denver, CO	5,636	231	32	10	11	66	39	-	122	119
Detroit, MI	5,475	240	18	4	2	5	5	8	499	41
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton, FL	5,236	81	258	434	116	41	44	947	93	34
Ventura, CA	5,037	133	27	7	2	99	83	1	97	125
Fort Worth-Arlington, TX	4,542	51	23	7	1	51	29	1	145	55
Portland-Vancouver, OR-WA	4,153	270	16	9	-	30	32	3	99	100
Sacramento, CA	4,132	231	6	4	1	49	15	1	152	87
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	3,819	32	174	555	101	34	35	75	142	41
San Antonio, TX	3,780	55	30	5	6	30	27	-	86	30
Hartford, CT	3,671	191	74	16	47	7	5	18	212	30
Honolulu, HI	3,117	389	5	-	2	-	5	5	8	10
Salinas, CA	2,932	21	6	1	1	40	4	1	16	17
Baltimore, MD	2,884	285	16	3	11	20	8	14	229	77
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, TX	2,838	3	1	1	1	6	1	-	5	-
Providence-Warwick-Pawtucket, RI	2,817	111	175	7	484	22	142	48	49	15
Fresno, CA	2,709	28	1	1	1	30	11	-	107	20
Santa Cruz-Watsonville, CA	2,689	214	3	5	-	20	4	-	191	67
Las Vegas, NV	2,605	70	18	71	-	2	33	1	44	30
Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Lompoc, CA	2,394	52	9	3	-	32	27	-	21	43
Cleveland-Lorain-Elyria, OH	2,243	161	8	1	6	7	9	2	196	22
Austin-San Marcos, TX	2,049	122	10	10	5	36	15	5	131	41
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk-Danbury, CT	2,028	58	91	8	66	13	20	122	108	16
Stockton-Lodi, CA	2,016	52	1	2	-	8	6	-	84	10
New Bedford-Fall River-Attleboro, MA	2,013	14	4	-	10	4	8	5	29	5
Vallejo-Fairfield-Napa, CA	1,937	32	3	2	-	59	12	3	61	21
Oklahoma City, OK	1,809	45	11	8	3	8	30	-	159	98
Brownsville-Harlingen-San Benito, TX	1,769	1	1	2	1	5	2	1	2	-
Salt Lake City-Ogden, UT	1,769	131	19	3	4	34	11	1	24	33
Other MSA	85,234	4,346	1,108	621	1,082	828	561	1,002	5,503	1,310
Non-MSA	31,919	734	284	442	1,549	313	173	124	1,098	273
Unknown	95,000	4,311	2,576	6,461	4,560	1,470	641	3,040	4,399	768

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**TABLE 50. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH
AND SELECTED METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA OF RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 1999—Continued**

Metropolitan statistical area ¹	Jamaica	Korea	Mexico	Philip- pines	Poland	Soviet Union	Taiwan	Ukraine	Vietnam	Other
Total	28,604	17,738	207,750	38,944	13,127	11,300	11,215	12,190	53,316	243,077
Los Angeles-Long Beach, CA	276	4,582	52,118	7,294	186	1,250	3,129	1,459	6,120	27,810
New York, NY	10,349	1,275	885	1,333	1,540	2,427	496	3,661	578	37,713
Chicago, IL	261	815	12,108	1,812	4,933	888	290	1,056	817	8,178
Miami, FL	1,949	32	449	165	33	78	25	57	52	9,124
Orange County, CA	22	1,003	9,740	1,043	63	57	716	34	6,284	4,470
Riverside-San Bernardino, CA	52	285	13,322	1,282	41	18	270	7	794	3,692
Washington, DC-MD-VA	509	1,180	305	800	76	29	263	109	1,824	8,437
San Jose, CA	11	310	5,117	1,405	40	126	832	91	4,960	3,066
Houston, TX	90	91	7,754	498	44	47	275	30	1,994	3,082
Boston-Lawrence-Lowell-Brockton, MA	520	146	82	164	162	346	162	398	1,334	7,364
San Francisco, CA	16	177	1,577	1,808	27	246	227	583	963	4,644
San Diego, CA	18	99	7,900	1,695	45	59	82	120	1,170	2,582
Dallas, TX	54	249	7,503	212	36	156	204	43	947	2,571
Oakland, CA	20	245	2,592	1,451	50	69	374	72	1,308	3,998
Fort Lauderdale, FL	2,760	46	167	132	59	40	18	49	113	4,317
Nassau-Suffolk, NY	1,115	197	83	310	326	34	119	51	89	4,037
Philadelphia, PA-NJ	470	552	145	347	310	276	115	944	1,152	3,800
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA	14	421	324	687	79	71	225	194	1,538	2,675
Atlanta, GA	548	262	599	120	32	142	137	98	874	2,929
Orlando, FL	782	70	334	217	21	11	42	7	454	2,543
Phoenix-Mesa, AZ	5	60	3,426	171	55	78	46	12	341	1,152
Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI	20	53	219	93	49	3	36	187	852	3,427
Denver, CO	9	180	1,580	136	77	179	58	126	752	1,909
Detroit, MI	72	68	311	129	345	127	77	81	97	3,346
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton, FL	697	19	283	104	57	32	16	25	85	1,870
Ventura, CA	8	61	2,938	422	19	6	55	1	142	811
Fort Worth-Arlington, TX	9	36	2,614	76	4	8	40	6	565	821
Portland-Vancouver, OR-WA	7	150	507	155	38	20	57	149	1,052	1,459
Sacramento, CA	10	58	812	363	18	32	31	165	644	1,453
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	187	45	497	117	56	9	11	15	255	1,438
San Antonio, TX	6	35	2,748	127	17	3	14	15	125	421
Hartford, CT	562	34	21	56	598	50	19	102	204	1,425
Honolulu, HI	8	321	38	1,232	4	2	50	1	301	736
Salinas, CA	1	43	2,274	173	-	3	3	1	79	248
Baltimore, MD	108	246	26	121	40	2	35	266	115	1,262
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, TX	1	2	2,762	28	-	-	1	-	-	26
Providence-Warwick-Pawtucket, RI	20	23	25	30	47	40	9	46	32	1,492
Fresno, CA	1	6	1,647	46	1	16	5	6	48	734
Santa Cruz-Watsonville, CA	3	49	353	379	9	16	209	7	673	487
Las Vegas, NV	5	34	1,202	329	8	3	16	-	47	692
Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Lompoc, CA	-	30	1,550	133	10	1	15	9	42	417
Cleveland-Lorain-Elyria, OH	34	29	50	47	95	172	20	233	87	1,064
Austin-San Marcos, TX	6	38	734	37	6	-	77	1	271	504
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk-Danbury, CT	270	19	30	51	72	12	12	25	70	965
Stockton-Lodi, CA	2	6	876	262	-	2	3	1	178	523
New Bedford-Fall River-Attleboro, MA	4	7	6	10	5	3	1	4	22	1,872
Vallejo-Fairfield-Napa, CA	4	20	676	626	4	1	11	4	63	335
Oklahoma City, OK	4	43	498	57	3	-	19	1	447	375
Brownsville-Harlingen-San Benito, TX	-	2	1,717	4	-	-	-	-	-	31
Salt Lake City-Ogden, UT	-	30	335	43	12	73	28	9	294	685
Other MSA	1,809	1,958	18,238	4,541	1,516	1,496	1,115	1,142	7,619	29,439
Non-MSA	230	584	14,339	1,884	233	115	233	73	1,280	7,958
Unknown	4,666	1,412	21,314	4,187	1,626	2,426	892	414	3,169	26,668

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

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 51. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 1999**

Region and country of birth	Total	Occupation									No occupation or not reported ¹
		Total	Professional specialty	Executive, administrative, and managerial	Sales	Administrative support	Precision production, craft, and repair	Operators, fabricators, and laborers	Farming, forestry, and fishing	Service	
All countries	839,944	436,037	66,366	40,154	39,110	60,389	32,072	107,827	5,884	84,235	403,907
Europe	101,318	45,461	11,406	5,445	3,742	6,149	3,411	7,888	178	7,242	55,857
Albania	599	281	38	12	27	26	22	58	1	97	318
Andorra	3	3	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Armenia	3,190	1,484	170	128	214	345	192	260	4	171	1,706
Austria	232	104	24	27	12	13	1	11	-	16	128
Azerbaijan	878	412	97	33	39	48	30	75	-	90	466
Belarus	1,869	685	228	43	49	113	53	92	-	107	1,184
Belgium	294	148	39	40	20	16	6	13	-	14	146
Bosnia-Herzegovina	300	164	35	13	16	21	11	46	-	22	136
Bulgaria	498	245	84	36	29	14	12	34	-	36	253
Croatia	358	188	36	28	14	16	28	34	1	31	170
Czech Republic	27	18	4	3	1	2	3	2	-	3	9
Czechoslovakia ²	548	262	58	43	18	38	22	41	1	41	286
Denmark	239	138	37	25	12	25	6	15	2	16	101
Estonia	82	38	9	4	5	5	5	4	-	6	44
Finland	159	72	21	13	7	12	4	7	-	8	87
France	1,903	971	253	223	110	143	35	64	7	136	932
Georgia	147	69	32	10	2	8	4	6	-	7	78
Germany	4,169	1,996	388	391	203	350	99	302	6	257	2,173
Gibraltar	5	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	3
Greece	2,355	850	176	139	70	62	87	129	1	186	1,505
Hungary	884	427	125	66	28	49	38	59	-	62	457
Iceland	50	27	7	5	3	5	2	2	-	3	23
Ireland	3,414	1,794	476	259	111	248	195	197	8	300	1,620
Italy	4,393	1,811	275	317	149	216	182	321	8	343	2,582
Kazakhstan	226	129	25	11	14	19	7	25	1	27	97
Kyrgyzstan	32	19	6	1	-	2	3	4	-	3	13
Latvia	383	168	70	9	11	26	13	29	1	9	215
Lithuania	313	150	49	12	14	16	8	26	-	25	163
Luxembourg	15	6	1	-	2	2	1	-	-	-	9
Macedonia	212	103	8	8	4	9	8	32	1	33	109
Malta	93	43	8	6	-	9	4	4	-	12	50
Moldova	1,155	495	134	45	33	75	36	80	-	92	660
Monaco	8	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	4
Netherlands	700	355	87	80	33	52	13	47	5	38	345
Norway	161	74	20	19	9	8	4	8	1	5	87
Poland	13,127	6,075	981	399	380	530	693	1,731	13	1,348	7,052
Portugal	5,843	2,131	411	157	107	181	179	707	52	337	3,712
Romania	3,275	1,623	386	152	111	188	172	317	6	291	1,652
Russia	10,351	4,850	1,725	405	374	644	253	750	14	685	5,501
San Marino	7	3	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	4
Slovak Republic	81	51	15	5	1	8	3	8	-	11	30
Slovenia	36	20	4	3	3	1	3	2	-	4	16
Soviet Union ²	11,300	4,199	1,247	351	342	615	291	725	5	623	7,101
Spain	1,241	507	124	68	50	78	31	83	5	68	734
Sweden	354	174	51	44	20	24	4	16	-	15	180
Switzerland	506	269	70	62	21	45	9	26	1	35	237
Tajikistan	167	90	17	4	11	16	3	15	-	24	77
Turkmenistan	27	13	7	1	-	-	-	1	-	4	14
Ukraine	12,190	4,914	1,456	390	379	743	331	820	10	785	7,276
United Kingdom	10,016	5,449	1,585	1,236	555	945	203	429	22	474	4,567
Uzbekistan	1,142	547	136	27	44	80	40	81	1	138	595
Yugoslavia ²	1,761	811	167	92	84	57	61	149	-	201	950
Asia	273,924	137,082	30,621	16,593	13,825	18,972	8,134	26,995	624	21,318	136,842
Afghanistan	2,752	1,273	126	125	302	183	65	245	2	225	1,479
Bahrain	32	17	5	5	2	3	-	-	1	1	15
Bangladesh	2,280	1,358	225	214	264	148	36	226	6	239	922
Bhutan	3	2	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1

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**TABLE 51. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP
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FISCAL YEAR 1999—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	Occupation									No occupation or not reported ¹
		Total	Professional specialty	Executive, administration, and managerial	Sales	Administrative support	Precision production, craft, and repair	Operators, fabricators, and laborers	Farming, forestry, and fishing	Service	
Brunei	13	8	2	1	1	1	2	-	-	1	5
Burma	889	498	90	48	54	95	34	112	3	62	391
Cambodia	7,140	2,744	296	121	230	338	278	1,036	12	433	4,396
China, People's Republic	38,409	19,821	7,231	2,323	1,447	2,055	1,087	2,393	41	3,244	18,588
Cyprus	190	97	27	19	5	12	11	13	-	10	93
Hong Kong	6,624	3,544	874	561	373	733	127	379	4	493	3,080
India	30,710	15,682	5,260	2,530	1,823	2,068	499	2,226	45	1,231	15,028
Indonesia	1,464	886	230	111	86	191	30	108	2	128	578
Iran	18,268	8,352	1,941	1,776	1,217	1,268	441	826	21	862	9,916
Iraq	3,230	1,346	184	156	193	141	86	362	1	223	1,884
Israel	2,917	1,409	391	353	187	169	76	113	8	112	1,508
Japan	3,178	1,620	246	394	201	290	42	154	30	263	1,558
Jordan	2,467	1,024	158	255	196	106	48	139	3	119	1,443
Korea	17,738	7,649	1,143	1,794	1,013	1,116	386	1,088	22	1,087	10,089
Kuwait	597	291	81	47	55	35	10	31	-	32	306
Laos	9,188	4,622	427	159	219	520	470	2,258	34	535	4,566
Lebanon	4,226	1,794	405	369	264	228	154	185	3	186	2,432
Macau	197	105	24	7	13	21	3	17	1	19	92
Malaysia	885	521	179	109	45	74	13	38	-	63	364
Maldives	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Mongolia	7	4	1	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	3
Nepal	143	89	19	14	9	9	4	15	1	18	54
Oman	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Pakistan	6,572	3,236	690	595	556	404	107	583	8	293	3,336
Philippines	38,944	21,516	4,928	1,517	2,078	4,274	919	3,106	139	4,555	17,428
Qatar	27	13	4	3	2	1	-	3	-	-	14
Saudi Arabia	152	68	20	15	10	2	1	17	-	3	84
Singapore	294	173	55	32	13	40	6	10	-	17	121
Sri Lanka	883	558	213	82	43	95	17	47	1	60	325
Syria	2,344	760	187	139	100	78	62	104	2	88	1,584
Taiwan	11,215	5,765	1,916	1,418	575	966	91	347	12	440	5,450
Thailand	4,046	2,342	393	269	226	389	130	382	8	545	1,704
Turkey	2,025	750	182	130	92	63	63	92	2	126	1,275
United Arab Emirates.....	44	24	8	2	3	5	1	2	-	3	20
Vietnam	53,316	26,838	2,448	877	1,841	2,810	2,826	10,282	210	5,544	26,478
Yemen	512	281	10	22	86	41	8	54	2	58	231
Africa	20,401	12,225	3,256	1,602	1,257	1,522	402	1,988	24	2,174	8,176
Algeria	277	168	61	34	10	12	3	17	1	30	109
Angola	99	45	6	3	5	2	1	15	-	13	54
Benin	35	22	11	1	1	3	1	3	-	2	13
Botswana	4	2	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2
Burkina Faso	8	4	-	-	1	-	-	3	-	-	4
Burundi	6	5	1	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	1
Cameroon	181	134	56	22	8	13	-	12	-	23	47
Cape Verde	849	357	87	15	16	19	12	163	-	45	492
Central African Republic	4	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2
Chad	6	5	1	2	-	-	-	1	-	1	1
Comoros	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Congo, Democratic Republic	127	82	20	4	11	16	3	12	-	16	45
Congo, Republic	42	29	11	4	1	4	-	3	-	6	13
Cote d'Ivoire	121	82	14	11	6	10	6	19	-	16	39
Djibouti	9	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	6
Egypt	2,687	1,211	328	207	154	141	46	140	8	187	1,476
Equatorial Guinea	5	3	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	2
Eritrea	567	378	39	21	61	44	12	104	-	97	189
Ethiopia	2,611	1,767	253	157	255	265	70	403	4	360	844
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	2	2	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Gabon	5	3	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	2
Gambia, The	69	48	13	7	4	9	2	6	-	7	21

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FISCAL YEAR 1999—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	Occupation									No occupation or not reported ¹
		Total	Professional specialty	Executive, administrative, and managerial	Sales	Administrative support	Precision production, craft, and repair	Operators, fabricators, and laborers	Farming, forestry, and fishing	Service	
Ghana	1,548	975	255	78	74	113	21	170	1	263	573
Guinea	42	28	5	4	1	3	2	4	-	9	14
Guinea-Bissau	168	136	33	14	17	25	7	21	-	19	32
Kenya	699	399	122	81	44	64	10	43	-	35	300
Lesotho	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liberia	848	554	121	59	42	90	10	48	1	183	294
Libya	153	78	21	13	4	9	4	22	-	5	75
Madagascar	16	12	3	3	1	2	-	2	-	1	4
Malawi	37	20	3	5	3	2	2	1	-	4	17
Mali	32	23	7	2	3	2	-	8	-	1	9
Mauritania	12	8	4	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	4
Mauritius	41	25	8	4	3	7	1	1	-	1	16
Morocco	854	481	78	91	64	51	17	70	-	110	373
Mozambique	59	37	9	3	4	7	3	6	2	3	22
Namibia	10	8	1	1	-	3	-	-	-	3	2
Niger	608	359	142	41	35	39	3	41	-	58	249
Nigeria	3,125	2,107	842	254	140	202	51	246	2	370	1,018
Rwanda	9	6	4	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	3
Sao Tome and Principe	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
Senegal	188	114	22	14	14	13	7	28	-	16	74
Seychelles	13	6	2	1	-	-	1	-	-	2	7
Sierra Leone	487	332	116	26	31	35	12	36	-	76	155
Somalia	816	479	56	22	64	60	34	164	-	79	337
South Africa	1,418	805	255	205	91	133	19	55	1	46	613
St. Helena	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sudan	281	171	34	28	14	20	9	44	1	21	110
Swaziland	5	3	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	2
Tanzania	354	190	50	43	23	31	7	19	1	16	164
Togo	35	24	7	2	4	3	1	5	-	2	11
Tunisia	129	74	15	15	13	8	6	6	-	11	55
Uganda	348	210	60	45	23	24	13	26	1	18	138
Western Sahara	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
Zambia	168	94	27	26	4	16	3	10	-	8	74
Zimbabwe	174	109	45	30	6	16	3	4	1	4	65
Oceania	2,385	1,389	255	171	152	229	73	258	19	232	996
American Samoa	75	37	2	-	4	8	1	12	-	10	38
Australia	342	198	74	48	24	23	2	14	1	12	144
Christmas Island	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Cook Islands	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	7
Fiji	775	474	49	47	74	85	34	82	6	97	301
French Polynesia	142	62	23	10	4	8	6	7	-	4	80
Guam	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Kiribati	3	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
Marshall Islands	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Micronesia, Federated States	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
Nauru	3	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2
New Caledonia	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
New Zealand	317	206	70	41	16	32	6	28	4	9	111
Niue	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Northern Mariana Islands	2	2	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Palau	19	12	2	1	2	3	1	1	1	1	7
Papua New Guinea	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
Samoa	257	141	20	10	13	28	9	36	-	25	116
Solomon Islands	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tonga	423	245	14	13	12	42	12	75	7	70	178
Tuvalu	2	2	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Vanuatu	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
North America	385,605	211,982	17,134	13,394	16,702	28,703	18,303	65,842	4,954	46,950	173,623
Canada	9,353	4,748	1,413	950	526	787	181	501	23	367	4,605

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**TABLE 51. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP
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Region and country of birth	Total	Occupation									No occupation or not reported ¹	
		Total	Professional specialty	Executive, administrative, and managerial	Sales	Administrative support	Precision production, craft, and repair	Operators, fabricators, and laborers	Farming, forestry, and fishing	Service		
Greenland	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mexico	207,750	121,169	5,683	6,666	7,370	14,401	11,911	49,202	4,567	21,369	86,581	
St. Pierre and Miquelon	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	
United States	28	5	-	1	-	1	-	2	-	1	23	
Caribbean	115,245	54,237	7,416	3,560	5,773	8,302	3,662	8,593	173	16,758	61,008	
Anguilla	165	106	14	8	15	16	16	8	2	27	59	
Antigua-Barbuda	1,103	619	79	27	53	115	80	83	1	181	484	
Aruba	86	60	11	7	12	11	1	8	-	10	26	
Bahamas, The	796	355	64	30	55	83	17	29	2	75	441	
Barbados	2,558	1,473	202	88	149	304	112	154	1	463	1,085	
Bermuda	84	37	5	5	4	13	2	3	1	4	47	
British Virgin Islands	205	100	9	10	13	26	8	11	1	22	105	
Cayman Islands	137	107	18	3	4	12	6	7	-	57	30	
Cuba	25,467	8,062	993	904	1,147	1,347	686	1,470	33	1,482	17,405	
Dominica	977	570	86	35	63	77	67	78	4	160	407	
Dominican Republic	23,089	9,428	913	566	1,252	1,343	558	2,147	19	2,630	13,661	
Grenada	1,532	953	129	39	108	145	91	109	1	331	579	
Guadeloupe	61	35	5	3	5	6	6	3	-	7	26	
Haiti	19,550	10,219	1,337	343	736	916	460	2,015	54	4,358	9,331	
Jamaica	28,604	15,904	2,549	1,045	1,558	2,643	1,022	1,793	33	5,261	12,700	
Martinique	22	11	2	2	2	3	-	-	-	2	11	
Montserrat	190	92	18	4	5	15	19	6	-	25	98	
Netherlands Antilles	89	50	11	3	8	8	4	6	-	10	39	
Puerto Rico	2	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	
St. Kitts-Nevis	995	618	57	40	70	108	85	69	9	180	377	
St. Lucia	708	419	49	23	36	84	59	42	5	121	289	
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	999	621	95	32	58	103	52	78	-	203	378	
Trinidad and Tobago	7,732	4,357	766	337	413	915	311	467	7	1,141	3,375	
Turks and Caicos Islands	83	35	2	6	5	7	-	7	-	8	48	
U.S. Virgin Islands	11	5	2	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	6	
Central America	53,227	31,821	2,621	2,217	3,033	5,212	2,549	7,543	191	8,455	21,406	
Belize	2,079	1,151	179	85	100	267	65	145	4	306	928	
Costa Rica	2,087	1,014	166	93	99	174	85	159	4	234	1,073	
El Salvador	22,991	15,088	919	955	1,329	2,313	1,295	3,985	100	4,192	7,903	
Guatemala	11,031	6,810	536	463	529	1,014	613	1,760	43	1,852	4,221	
Honduras	5,294	2,774	223	152	275	390	230	692	20	792	2,520	
Nicaragua	6,651	3,335	332	336	506	661	191	596	11	702	3,316	
Panama	3,094	1,649	266	133	195	393	70	206	9	377	1,445	
South America	54,363	27,623	3,644	2,921	3,407	4,780	1,734	4,783	79	6,275	26,740	
Argentina	3,366	1,705	387	307	196	259	118	203	4	231	1,661	
Bolivia	1,461	939	134	102	117	165	62	124	4	231	522	
Brazil	4,114	1,960	393	338	257	272	92	220	12	376	2,154	
Chile	1,892	1,001	174	140	108	177	74	145	6	177	891	
Colombia	13,168	6,263	770	601	779	953	357	1,289	21	1,493	6,905	
Ecuador	8,411	3,981	316	297	459	699	333	1,020	3	854	4,430	
French Guiana	2	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	
Guyana	10,366	5,782	559	356	781	1,231	368	821	8	1,658	4,584	
Paraguay	193	107	20	11	7	16	7	17	1	28	86	
Peru	8,308	4,376	578	482	472	765	258	788	17	1,016	3,932	
Suriname	130	67	12	5	8	12	4	8	-	18	63	
Uruguay	689	321	53	56	38	46	22	45	1	60	368	
Venezuela	2,263	1,120	248	226	184	185	39	103	2	133	1,143	
Stateless	67	8	1	1	-	1	-	4	-	1	59	
Unknown and not reported	1,881	267	49	27	25	33	15	69	6	43	1,614	

¹ Includes homemakers, students, unemployed or retired persons, and others not reporting or with an unknown occupation. ² Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 52. PERSONS NATURALIZED IN FISCAL YEAR 1999 BY CALENDAR YEAR OF ENTRY
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH**

Region and country of birth	Total	1999 and 1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992	1991	1990	1989	1988	1987	Before 1987	Un-known or not reported
All countries	839,944	280	314	857	8,279	17,800	75,709	105,590	60,379	109,114	98,039	35,075	29,547	296,391	2,570
Europe	101,318	62	54	109	1,083	2,845	15,183	23,133	10,862	6,373	5,461	2,914	1,862	31,044	333
Albania	599	2	-	3	23	59	88	226	135	16	2	2	2	41	-
Andorra	3	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Armenia	3,190	1	-	-	14	34	134	468	757	376	377	499	99	427	4
Austria	232	-	1	-	3	3	6	13	2	9	9	8	3	174	1
Azerbaijan	878	-	1	1	5	24	314	304	169	22	14	6	2	11	5
Belarus	1,869	-	-	-	10	70	543	825	188	104	74	15	2	31	7
Belgium	294	-	-	-	3	8	14	31	16	17	10	18	8	167	2
Bosnia-Herzegovina	300	1	1	1	8	30	217	7	2	7	6	-	2	15	3
Bulgaria	498	1	1	2	27	53	118	116	42	47	16	16	7	52	-
Croatia	358	-	-	1	10	19	51	53	23	30	12	15	2	141	1
Czech Republic	27	-	-	-	2	1	2	4	3	3	3	1	2	6	-
Czechoslovakia ¹	548	-	-	1	7	31	48	63	36	34	38	41	29	219	1
Denmark	239	-	-	-	1	3	11	15	7	10	8	7	6	171	-
Estonia	82	-	1	2	3	4	23	18	6	6	6	2	-	11	-
Finland	159	-	-	-	5	1	10	12	10	8	9	2	2	99	1
France	1,903	1	5	1	36	77	144	244	121	95	78	77	87	927	10
Georgia	147	-	-	-	4	11	45	37	22	7	1	7	1	12	-
Germany	4,169	-	1	1	42	59	119	252	114	122	112	98	78	3,156	15
Gibraltar	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	4	-
Greece	2,355	2	-	1	21	32	88	139	129	90	107	133	64	1,545	4
Hungary	884	-	-	2	25	36	76	167	65	43	70	45	28	323	4
Iceland	50	-	-	-	1	1	2	6	3	-	-	-	2	35	-
Ireland	3,414	-	-	-	9	49	372	1,016	177	236	293	133	121	1,002	6
Italy	4,393	-	2	7	35	77	118	196	90	115	111	90	73	3,456	23
Kazakhstan	226	-	1	1	8	12	89	59	24	18	8	1	-	4	1
Kyrgyzstan	32	-	-	-	3	-	13	9	4	2	-	1	-	-	-
Latvia	383	-	-	-	7	13	98	133	39	24	11	3	2	52	1
Lithuania	313	-	2	-	8	27	73	68	41	13	11	7	1	62	-
Luxembourg	15	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	10	1
Macedonia	212	3	-	2	8	15	17	25	20	14	12	4	1	91	-
Malta	93	-	-	-	2	2	2	9	1	6	2	-	1	68	-
Moldova	1,155	-	1	3	8	19	395	394	208	54	24	2	2	40	5
Monaco	8	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	2	-	3	-
Netherlands	700	-	-	1	5	5	22	35	24	26	24	21	22	513	2
Norway	161	-	-	1	2	3	6	6	9	6	8	5	7	108	-
Poland	13,127	3	2	12	118	337	2,359	3,392	1,251	1,063	1,049	451	360	2,703	27
Portugal	5,843	1	1	-	13	33	92	139	104	189	139	96	129	4,889	18
Romania	3,275	3	1	8	104	150	361	504	533	384	227	125	108	750	17
Russia	10,351	26	20	28	178	488	2,668	3,425	1,663	663	518	122	54	456	42
San Marino	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	-
Slovak Republic	81	-	1	-	4	7	13	16	1	9	7	6	1	16	-
Slovenia	36	-	-	-	2	6	3	7	1	2	2	1	-	12	-
Soviet Union ¹	11,300	6	3	8	56	234	1,866	4,100	2,349	962	706	270	78	637	25
Spain	1,241	-	2	1	14	19	59	69	41	48	64	28	28	864	4
Sweden	354	-	-	1	2	5	7	19	14	12	10	12	12	258	2
Switzerland	506	2	1	2	10	23	35	64	24	33	19	19	18	256	-
Tajikistan	167	1	-	-	3	-	63	79	15	2	-	-	-	4	-
Turkmenistan	27	-	-	1	-	2	14	8	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Ukraine	12,190	3	2	8	90	447	3,265	4,643	1,576	799	681	137	39	442	58
United Kingdom	10,016	6	3	8	96	200	515	1,051	526	498	478	337	332	5,930	36
Uzbekistan	1,142	-	-	-	7	24	403	428	175	49	24	7	8	14	3
Yugoslavia ¹	1,761	-	1	1	39	91	202	236	101	98	79	42	38	829	4
Asia	273,924	123	154	376	4,022	8,517	42,100	51,077	28,529	22,906	15,571	11,625	9,586	78,355	983
Afghanistan	2,752	-	-	1	32	55	253	545	249	219	185	150	149	903	11
Bahrain	32	-	-	-	-	1	11	8	-	2	2	-	-	6	-
Bangladesh	2,280	1	-	2	57	105	329	506	485	493	87	56	43	108	8
Bhutan	3	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Brunei	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	1	2	-	-	-	5	-
Burma	889	-	-	3	40	50	141	192	117	59	34	30	25	195	3

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TABLE 52. PERSONS NATURALIZED IN FISCAL YEAR 1999 BY CALENDAR YEAR OF ENTRY AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH—Continued

Region and country of birth	Total	1999 and 1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992	1991	1990	1989	1988	1987	Before 1987	Unknown or not reported
Cambodia	7,140	-	-	1	54	67	91	119	91	113	164	265	105	6,052	18
China, People's Rep.	38,409	32	48	46	503	1,399	13,554	8,154	2,842	1,694	1,348	1,026	832	6,743	188
Cyprus	190	2	-	-	5	12	15	30	13	9	12	4	11	77	-
Hong Kong	6,624	1	1	4	104	205	1,111	2,046	997	479	382	274	112	894	14
India	30,710	7	10	54	425	787	4,092	5,255	2,675	2,809	1,656	1,329	1,219	10,267	125
Indonesia	1,464	1	-	1	21	51	83	315	121	201	137	59	73	398	3
Iran	18,268	2	3	13	137	278	965	1,980	1,733	1,663	2,272	1,718	1,497	5,967	40
Iraq	3,230	-	-	2	58	93	685	1,134	267	105	52	34	31	762	7
Israel	2,917	2	1	10	79	180	410	780	311	222	146	110	96	561	9
Japan	3,178	2	1	-	13	32	72	243	113	98	93	73	81	2,348	9
Jordan	2,467	4	2	12	125	227	454	478	230	186	111	57	50	525	6
Korea	17,738	11	17	13	115	236	795	1,395	1,083	1,490	1,335	1,323	1,185	8,673	67
Kuwait	597	-	1	3	47	81	160	141	40	33	23	13	8	42	5
Laos	9,188	-	-	3	19	43	83	210	290	342	402	526	550	6,686	34
Lebanon	4,226	1	2	9	170	294	652	978	469	356	237	195	110	737	16
Macau	197	-	-	-	3	2	28	60	25	11	5	4	7	52	-
Malaysia	885	-	-	1	18	38	103	185	99	69	59	66	36	210	1
Maldives	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mongolia	7	-	-	-	1	4	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Nepal	143	-	-	-	6	9	35	44	111	6	6	6	2	18	-
Oman	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Pakistan	6,572	-	-	15	225	305	968	1,282	720	1,202	382	259	215	967	32
Philippines	38,944	46	53	132	1,166	2,552	5,919	7,856	4,471	3,943	2,364	1,779	1,381	7,122	160
Qatar	27	-	-	1	1	5	3	9	1	4	1	-	-	2	-
Saudi Arabia	152	-	-	1	12	24	31	25	15	12	5	3	3	19	2
Singapore	294	1	-	2	4	7	40	58	24	29	18	16	12	80	3
Sri Lanka	883	-	-	-	10	40	149	216	136	90	48	27	28	133	6
Syria	2,344	-	1	6	102	128	331	429	249	201	158	182	58	494	5
Taiwan	11,215	2	4	8	167	373	2,071	3,757	1,433	748	518	317	289	1,496	32
Thailand	4,046	2	2	4	47	83	195	258	227	258	388	199	190	2,179	14
Turkey	2,025	2	1	11	77	99	158	321	166	157	124	105	54	745	5
United Arab Emirates	44	-	-	-	1	3	5	10	7	1	5	3	3	6	-
Vietnam	53,316	4	7	17	165	634	8,054	11,876	8,768	5,550	2,774	1,404	1,119	12,785	159
Yemen	512	-	-	1	13	14	53	177	48	49	37	11	12	96	1
Africa	20,401	11	10	67	666	1,121	2,849	3,779	2,115	2,447	1,602	949	720	3,929	136
Algeria	277	-	1	3	32	31	45	55	10	14	14	11	5	55	1
Angola	99	-	-	-	2	1	3	7	6	5	9	4	8	53	1
Benin	35	-	-	-	4	5	6	9	3	2	1	-	1	4	-
Botswana	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	2	-
Burkina Faso	8	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	1	3	1	-	-	-
Burundi	6	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1
Cameroon	181	-	-	1	10	11	28	34	22	40	8	10	2	12	3
Cape Verde	849	-	-	-	14	26	39	79	48	58	53	41	36	454	1
Central African Rep.	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-
Chad	6	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
Comoros	3	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	127	-	-	-	-	7	37	19	11	10	7	4	2	30	-
Congo, Republic	42	-	-	-	2	6	9	2	5	2	4	2	3	7	-
Cote d'Ivoire	121	-	-	-	6	17	13	24	14	18	10	5	-	14	-
Djibouti	9	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	1	2	1	-	-	2	-
Egypt	2,687	2	2	13	107	203	394	541	291	294	151	106	75	500	8
Equatorial Guinea	5	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Eritrea	567	-	-	-	9	13	56	94	97	68	36	25	23	138	8
Ethiopia	2,611	2	-	3	30	74	357	558	407	335	275	92	97	357	24
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Gabon	5	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
Gambia, The	69	-	-	-	5	5	7	9	5	20	8	2	3	4	1
Ghana	1,548	-	-	5	61	59	132	203	149	263	175	94	81	314	12
Guinea	42	-	-	-	3	4	8	5	6	8	4	1	1	2	-
Guinea-Bissau	168	-	-	1	5	7	22	30	11	20	4	6	4	46	12
Kenya	699	-	1	1	10	17	60	112	63	83	56	45	27	220	4

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**TABLE 52. PERSONS NATURALIZED IN FISCAL YEAR 1999 BY CALENDAR YEAR OF ENTRY
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	1999 and 1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992	1991	1990	1989	1988	1987	Before 1987	Un-known or not reported
Lesotho	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liberia	848	-	-	1	13	30	149	139	57	100	96	50	43	162	8
Libya	153	-	-	2	6	8	24	23	26	13	11	3	5	31	1
Madagascar	16	-	1	-	1	5	-	2	1	2	-	1	-	3	-
Malawi	37	-	-	-	-	1	3	7	3	4	1	1	4	13	-
Mali	32	-	-	-	3	7	4	3	3	5	4	-	-	3	-
Mauritania	12	-	-	1	-	-	4	3	-	1	-	1	-	2	-
Mauritius	41	-	-	-	-	2	2	8	5	3	1	2	2	16	-
Morocco	854	1	2	10	75	95	130	142	116	84	29	30	21	116	3
Mozambique	59	-	-	-	1	4	3	11	8	7	4	4	-	17	-
Namibia	10	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	2	-	1	-	-	4	-
Niger	608	-	1	2	18	52	92	126	42	70	38	45	34	87	1
Nigeria	3,125	2	1	14	139	229	391	493	257	486	314	188	101	493	17
Rwanda	9	-	-	-	-	-	3	4	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Sao Tome and Principe	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senegal	188	2	-	1	15	10	9	16	17	69	14	8	6	21	-
Seychelles	13	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	2	-	7	-
Sierra Leone	487	-	-	-	13	31	62	89	42	57	63	28	29	66	7
Somalia	816	-	-	-	7	22	386	289	50	21	11	6	5	15	4
South Africa	1,418	-	-	2	27	55	168	362	183	127	96	61	55	276	6
St. Helena	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sudan	281	1	-	2	19	31	78	63	25	25	11	6	3	15	2
Swaziland	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	1	-	-	1	-
Tanzania	354	-	-	1	8	14	40	52	32	43	27	10	10	116	1
Togo	35	-	-	-	3	5	7	2	5	-	2	3	2	6	-
Tunisia	129	-	-	2	3	12	16	36	21	7	5	1	5	18	3
Uganda	348	-	-	-	2	6	24	55	31	38	22	27	13	127	3
Western Sahara	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zambia	168	-	-	-	5	5	11	28	12	21	15	12	6	52	1
Zimbabwe	174	-	1	2	2	7	15	35	20	16	14	8	7	44	3
Oceania	2,385	1	7	4	37	65	141	214	149	256	184	123	90	1,094	20
American Samoa	75	-	4	4	2	2	3	2	6	5	4	3	3	28	9
Australia	342	-	1	-	5	7	13	23	12	21	13	6	5	234	2
Christmas Island	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Cook Islands	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	1	-	1	1	2	-
Fiji	775	-	-	-	10	22	69	96	83	63	61	49	48	269	5
French Polynesia	142	-	-	-	1	5	3	15	5	9	4	5	2	90	3
Guam	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Kiribati	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-
Marshall Islands	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Micronesia, Federated States	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Nauru	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
New Caledonia	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
New Zealand	317	-	-	-	5	13	24	36	14	22	18	13	7	164	1
Niue	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Mariana Is.	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Palau	19	-	2	-	-	-	1	1	-	4	-	1	-	10	-
Papua New Guinea	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-
Samoa	257	-	-	-	12	12	12	18	6	47	31	12	7	100	-
Solomon Islands	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Tonga	423	-	-	-	2	4	15	17	20	80	51	33	16	185	-
Tuvalu	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
North America	385,605	49	73	181	1,319	3,289	11,009	20,490	14,571	70,837	70,605	16,963	14,923	160,374	922
Canada	9,353	5	4	6	85	168	489	686	420	445	426	254	255	6,066	44
Greenland	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Mexico	207,750	7	28	56	439	1,078	2,641	6,459	4,008	50,398	50,069	8,821	7,280	75,930	536
St. Pierre and Miquelon	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
United States	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	3	-	1	2	18	1

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 52. PERSONS NATURALIZED IN FISCAL YEAR 1999 BY CALENDAR YEAR OF ENTRY
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	1999 and 1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992	1991	1990	1989	1988	1987	Before 1987	Un-known or not reported
Caribbean	115,245	24	21	83	509	1,446	5,359	7,723	7,103	11,048	6,878	5,192	5,001	64,652	206
Anguilla	165	-	-	1	1	2	1	5	3	4	6	6	3	133	-
Antigua-Barbuda	1,103	-	-	-	3	11	29	53	71	77	102	52	66	636	3
Aruba	86	-	-	-	2	1	2	3	3	3	7	2	1	62	-
Bahamas, The	796	-	-	3	4	16	28	33	47	101	106	36	43	370	9
Barbados	2,558	1	1	-	3	17	53	113	113	119	162	104	132	1,732	8
Bermuda	84	-	-	-	-	-	6	5	3	1	6	3	3	57	-
British Virgin Is.	205	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	1	4	3	1	6	186	1
Cayman Islands	137	-	-	-	-	1	3	19	6	23	41	5	3	36	-
Cuba	25,467	2	2	8	65	377	1,958	1,733	1,527	1,035	762	777	285	16,899	37
Dominica	977	1	2	2	10	27	76	110	74	90	84	48	51	402	-
Dominican Republic	23,089	6	7	19	101	283	950	2,182	1,334	1,638	1,266	1,118	927	13,222	36
Grenada	1,532	-	-	1	3	11	51	87	121	116	132	75	104	830	1
Guadeloupe	61	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	5	4	6	3	37	-
Haiti	19,550	7	2	14	67	171	663	380	1,170	4,502	1,352	877	1,013	9,304	28
Jamaica	28,604	4	5	26	181	355	980	1,920	1,728	2,354	2,202	1,590	1,886	15,321	52
Martinique	22	-	-	-	-	2	2	3	-	2	1	-	-	12	-
Montserrat	190	-	-	1	-	-	4	10	16	13	14	5	6	120	1
Netherlands Antilles	89	-	-	-	-	1	1	5	4	5	2	5	3	63	-
Puerto Rico	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis.....	995	-	-	-	2	9	40	78	75	71	61	52	51	554	2
St. Lucia	708	1	-	-	6	14	41	76	49	70	60	48	43	298	2
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	999	-	-	1	3	10	28	87	97	89	78	61	79	464	2
Trinidad and Tobago	7,732	2	2	7	57	137	437	811	652	698	416	307	290	3,892	24
Turks and Caicos Islands	83	-	-	-	-	1	3	5	6	27	11	13	3	14	-
U.S. Virgin Islands	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	8	-
Central America	53,227	13	20	36	286	597	2,520	5,621	3,038	8,943	13,232	2,695	2,385	13,706	135
Belize	2,079	-	-	1	5	13	45	113	106	255	333	155	158	890	5
Costa Rica	2,087	-	2	5	17	38	92	142	97	170	185	88	63	1,177	11
El Salvador	22,991	1	6	4	63	129	998	2,827	1,178	4,049	7,320	1,146	1,032	4,172	66
Guatemala	11,031	1	8	10	43	81	439	979	518	2,267	2,842	577	501	2,755	10
Honduras	5,294	2	-	7	68	125	338	558	368	853	752	265	270	1,673	15
Nicaragua	6,651	2	-	8	41	134	450	760	555	1,088	1,603	335	258	1,404	13
Panama	3,094	7	4	1	49	77	158	242	216	261	197	129	103	1,635	15
South America	54,363	31	15	116	819	1,593	4,370	6,844	4,118	6,252	4,560	2,459	2,341	20,706	139
Argentina	3,366	1	-	6	36	82	293	605	215	352	267	110	122	1,270	7
Bolivia	1,461	1	-	2	22	47	138	213	123	250	171	78	57	349	10
Brazil	4,114	7	3	8	84	175	345	431	293	682	267	241	172	1,392	14
Chile	1,892	1	-	2	18	50	124	149	84	177	191	100	91	899	6
Colombia	13,168	8	5	40	281	464	1,129	1,425	865	1,481	1,103	529	539	5,272	27
Ecuador	8,411	4	1	20	62	131	392	690	398	678	696	319	258	4,748	14
French Guiana	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Guyana	10,366	3	1	3	46	105	675	1,643	1,112	943	770	579	683	3,783	20
Paraguay	193	-	-	1	4	14	14	29	20	19	15	6	7	64	-
Peru	8,308	5	2	25	208	380	943	1,257	783	1,325	805	364	290	1,892	29
Suriname	130	1	-	-	-	10	16	22	13	17	13	4	6	28	-
Uruguay	689	-	-	1	7	16	50	81	35	71	74	27	24	298	5
Venezuela	2,263	-	3	8	51	119	251	298	177	257	188	102	92	710	7
Stateless	67	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	3	1	1	3	-	52	5
Unknown or not reported	1,881	3	1	4	332	370	56	53	32	42	55	39	25	837	32

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

**TABLE 53. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH, AGE, AND SEX
FISCAL YEAR 1999**

Age and sex	All countries	China, People's Republic	Colombia	Cuba	Dominican Republic	El Salvador	Guatemala	Haiti	India	Iran
Total	839,944	38,409	13,168	25,467	23,089	22,991	11,031	19,550	30,710	18,268
Under 18 years	680	77	23	6	22	5	16	16	30	5
18-19 years	4,782	327	75	65	166	188	69	59	228	61
20-24 years	65,022	2,724	1,040	1,465	2,515	2,602	835	1,237	2,821	1,008
25-29 years	86,350	2,588	1,043	1,695	2,788	2,703	1,003	1,624	2,849	1,140
30-34 years	110,018	3,336	1,546	1,882	3,063	3,238	1,446	1,979	3,833	1,615
35-39 years	126,092	7,083	2,299	2,342	3,269	4,302	2,114	2,887	4,833	2,388
40-44 years	108,286	5,380	1,937	1,728	2,719	3,628	1,806	3,327	4,095	2,454
45-49 years	82,351	3,356	1,431	1,851	2,071	2,401	1,380	2,617	3,507	2,188
50-54 years	64,102	2,709	1,125	1,936	1,574	1,460	928	1,628	2,581	1,608
55-59 years	49,997	1,906	869	2,550	1,363	814	508	1,261	1,779	1,112
60-64 years	43,074	1,785	647	2,526	1,208	537	316	1,000	1,444	1,099
65-69 years	34,541	1,872	437	2,378	870	342	224	732	1,104	1,190
70-74 years	26,511	1,867	306	1,868	653	303	148	518	713	990
75-79 years	19,414	1,668	177	1,364	409	200	116	306	527	798
80 years and over	18,703	1,730	213	1,808	399	268	122	359	366	612
Not reported	21	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Male	342,480	16,201	3,977	8,682	6,545	9,162	4,442	7,363	13,498	8,565
Under 18 years	163	5	3	1	6	3	5	1	8	1
18-19 years	1,812	128	28	27	49	61	23	11	82	36
20-24 years	25,228	1,212	346	543	714	903	288	373	1,123	518
25-29 years	34,809	962	354	626	789	1,023	403	478	1,097	500
30-34 years	48,798	1,044	480	722	827	1,510	638	713	1,490	633
35-39 years	56,034	3,055	732	894	922	1,911	981	1,166	2,243	1,113
40-44 years	46,377	2,564	596	672	773	1,557	791	1,338	1,961	1,178
45-49 years	33,975	1,495	438	673	621	958	512	1,074	1,612	1,114
50-54 years	25,805	1,263	327	710	470	544	348	684	1,133	817
55-59 years	19,149	897	220	807	413	278	187	500	842	493
60-64 years	16,162	805	175	803	387	160	97	425	690	471
65-69 years	12,834	799	122	755	241	84	69	274	523	578
70-74 years	9,298	713	73	581	158	77	32	171	303	472
75-79 years	6,643	648	46	421	93	46	34	89	235	369
80 years and over	5,389	611	37	447	82	47	34	66	156	272
Not reported	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Female	432,635	19,145	7,230	12,313	12,439	12,999	6,206	10,220	13,309	9,198
Under 18 years	219	60	1	2	4	1	3	2	10	1
18-19 years	2,461	177	28	28	84	117	41	27	97	25
20-24 years	34,111	1,296	482	638	1,326	1,544	505	656	1,267	468
25-29 years	44,863	1,416	501	770	1,453	1,526	549	886	1,397	603
30-34 years	54,170	1,987	852	871	1,682	1,620	762	1,079	1,868	932
35-39 years	61,647	3,376	1,236	1,057	1,782	2,259	1,061	1,503	2,033	1,206
40-44 years	54,482	2,395	1,086	744	1,522	1,993	972	1,744	1,637	1,202
45-49 years	42,456	1,605	810	858	1,118	1,401	829	1,340	1,452	1,004
50-54 years	33,353	1,235	643	943	836	875	552	811	1,110	759
55-59 years	26,408	859	523	1,214	723	514	310	624	696	588
60-64 years	22,902	858	373	1,213	601	355	206	463	573	604
65-69 years	18,567	974	252	1,169	471	237	144	378	443	584
70-74 years	14,979	1,043	186	992	377	211	110	296	341	490
75-79 years	10,927	886	106	755	230	144	78	178	231	414
80 years and over	11,075	977	151	1056	230	202	84	233	154	318
Not reported	15	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unknown sex	64,829	3,063	1,961	4,472	4,105	830	383	1,967	3,903	505
Percent distribution	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	40.8	42.2	30.2	34.1	28.3	39.9	40.3	37.7	44.0	46.9
Female	51.5	49.8	54.9	48.3	53.9	56.5	56.3	52.3	43.3	50.4
Unknown	7.7	8.0	14.9	17.6	17.8	3.6	3.5	10.1	12.7	2.8

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**TABLE 53. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH, AGE, AND SEX
FISCAL YEAR 1999—Continued**

Age and sex	Jamaica	Korea	Mexico	Philippines	Poland	Soviet Union ¹	Taiwan	Ukraine	Vietnam	Other
Total	28,604	17,738	207,750	38,944	13,127	11,300	11,215	12,190	53,316	243,077
Under 18 years	32	32	28	35	2	19	13	5	24	290
18-19 years	86	259	402	211	113	68	189	83	467	1,666
20-24 years	2,027	1,992	11,194	2,627	1,295	866	1,620	795	7,486	18,873
25-29 years	3,028	2,282	21,297	4,333	1,520	838	804	850	10,696	23,269
30-34 years	3,340	1,733	38,335	4,776	1,443	928	896	827	6,681	29,121
35-39 years	3,914	1,985	37,371	5,427	1,663	1,264	2,556	988	4,317	35,090
40-44 years	3,721	2,165	28,096	5,411	1,846	1,297	2,183	1,116	3,917	31,460
45-49 years	3,157	1,449	18,661	3,744	1,783	1,122	1,389	1,015	4,191	25,038
50-54 years	2,696	1,097	13,721	2,613	1,171	1,038	555	997	3,975	20,690
55-59 years	2,129	1,100	10,902	1,687	734	590	285	443	3,774	16,191
60-64 years	1,568	1,039	8,672	1,772	570	895	186	1,286	2,526	13,998
65-69 years	1,167	813	6,707	1,964	401	623	171	929	2,189	10,428
70-74 years	794	658	4,711	1,834	267	735	145	1,209	1,321	7,471
75-79 years	512	549	3,873	1,468	192	514	109	846	900	4,886
80 years and over	433	585	3,773	1,042	127	503	114	801	851	4,597
Not reported	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	1	9
Male	8,774	6,908	94,520	12,619	4,850	4,771	4,544	5,279	25,041	96,739
Under 18 years	4	13	4	6	-	5	4	4	12	78
18-19 years	23	119	111	77	40	30	90	39	196	642
20-24 years	625	924	3,567	1,118	475	421	807	364	3,325	7,582
25-29 years	846	1,086	8,982	1,639	614	382	311	380	5,244	9,093
30-34 years	957	653	21,126	1,289	477	422	277	338	3,291	11,911
35-39 years	1,185	582	19,887	1,687	635	520	930	434	2,042	15,115
40-44 years	1,200	742	13,453	1,694	679	565	977	496	1,550	13,591
45-49 years	995	537	8,383	1,257	693	488	520	477	1,681	10,447
50-54 years	883	460	5,548	916	464	479	242	460	1,936	8,121
55-59 years	678	449	3,987	583	271	234	123	185	2,044	5,958
60-64 years	533	463	3,083	527	193	347	67	589	1,295	5,052
65-69 years	391	345	2,294	549	128	274	62	401	1,142	3,803
70-74 years	243	212	1,567	487	83	281	54	518	645	2,628
75-79 years	130	160	1,430	487	60	177	45	295	367	1,511
80 years and over	81	163	1,096	303	38	146	35	299	271	1,205
Not reported	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Female	15,911	9,626	102,099	23,151	6,815	5,866	5,968	6,533	27,015	126,592
Under 18 years	2	9	5	9	1	13	1	1	5	89
18-19 years	45	107	269	99	51	35	84	42	255	850
20-24 years	1,114	925	6,863	1,278	654	409	721	416	3,938	9,611
25-29 years	1,760	1,029	11,220	2,379	699	426	457	450	5,172	12,170
30-34 years	1,934	967	16,147	3,104	768	467	563	462	3,247	14,858
35-39 years	2,189	1,260	16,376	3,314	855	664	1,427	527	2,190	17,332
40-44 years	2,030	1,264	13,661	3,203	981	655	1,061	593	2,280	15,459
45-49 years	1,728	790	9,509	2,161	929	586	785	507	2,404	12,640
50-54 years	1,465	556	7,330	1,487	581	514	281	516	1,951	10,908
55-59 years	1,144	598	5,967	988	397	327	154	243	1,658	8,881
60-64 years	832	522	4,654	1,081	326	498	111	657	1,192	7,783
65-69 years	631	437	3,585	1,276	240	315	103	497	1,008	5,823
70-74 years	446	425	2,535	1,232	158	415	87	656	640	4,339
75-79 years	303	362	1,911	893	108	284	60	499	513	2,972
80 years and over	288	375	2,062	647	67	258	73	467	561	2,872
Not reported	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	1	5
Unknown sex	3,919	1,204	11,131	3,174	1,462	663	703	378	1,260	19,746
Percent distribution	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	30.7	38.9	45.5	32.4	36.9	42.2	40.5	43.3	47.0	39.8
Female	55.6	54.3	49.1	59.4	51.9	51.9	53.2	53.6	50.7	52.1
Unknown	13.7	6.8	5.4	8.2	11.1	5.9	6.3	3.1	2.4	8.1

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

**TABLE 54. PERSONS NATURALIZED BY AGE AND SEX
FISCAL YEARS 1990-99**

Age and sex	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
Total	270,101	308,058	240,252	314,681	434,107	488,088	1,044,689	598,225	463,060	839,944
Under 18 years ¹	6,539	8,345	7,105	8,854	9,814	7,294	15,159	22,104	840	680
18-19 years	6,453	8,529	5,751	6,812	8,728	8,864	14,543	10,903	3,660	4,782
20-24 years	31,778	36,753	25,790	31,357	41,618	41,764	74,432	45,494	32,941	65,022
25-29 years	40,288	45,079	34,207	37,957	49,404	50,632	101,607	64,781	45,190	86,350
30-34 years	46,984	54,872	42,074	47,913	61,786	65,856	140,715	87,657	59,242	110,018
35-39 years	40,927	48,707	36,459	45,436	62,349	70,654	152,774	90,061	63,357	126,092
40-44 years	27,745	33,381	25,108	33,471	49,136	59,132	129,105	74,287	53,772	108,286
45-49 years	16,877	20,622	16,155	23,969	37,313	45,120	97,817	53,640	39,606	82,351
50-54 years	12,785	15,492	11,883	18,854	29,030	33,934	73,562	38,714	31,492	64,102
55-59 years	9,439	11,779	9,610	17,165	25,678	30,558	63,648	31,198	26,344	49,997
60-64 years	7,638	9,596	8,738	14,664	20,879	24,666	53,554	24,634	23,936	43,074
65-69 years	5,522	7,323	8,614	12,979	17,139	20,153	45,430	19,096	21,201	34,541
70-74 years	2,970	4,052	5,275	8,642	11,763	14,653	34,408	12,307	20,806	26,511
75-79 years	1,679	2,049	2,376	4,314	5,856	8,408	20,203	10,909	17,906	19,414
80 years and over	1,231	1,173	1,103	2,273	3,595	6,277	18,216	12,436	22,461	18,703
Not reported	11,246	306	4	21	19	123	9,516	4	306	21
Male	127,847	151,620	120,430	155,910	205,671	230,754	457,273	257,587	195,882	342,480
Under 18 years ¹	2,969	3,900	3,499	4,428	4,768	3,369	4,900	3,467	189	163
18-19 years	2,892	3,878	2,503	3,244	4,024	4,051	5,745	3,846	1,487	1,812
20-24 years	14,944	17,836	12,271	15,032	19,342	19,531	30,519	18,578	13,325	25,228
25-29 years	19,088	22,059	16,836	18,572	23,323	24,029	44,839	29,479	19,530	34,809
30-34 years	22,828	28,049	21,667	24,405	30,001	32,571	68,239	42,615	28,126	48,798
35-39 years	20,275	24,911	18,927	23,259	30,638	35,442	73,244	42,631	29,734	56,034
40-44 years	13,288	16,568	12,447	16,741	23,780	28,961	59,595	33,849	24,310	46,377
45-49 years	7,918	10,056	7,906	11,483	17,377	21,395	43,716	23,708	17,263	33,975
50-54 years	5,706	7,368	5,394	8,461	12,761	15,221	30,748	16,457	13,253	25,805
55-59 years	4,197	5,496	4,298	7,591	11,042	13,318	25,957	12,853	10,579	19,149
60-64 years	3,342	4,462	4,176	6,783	9,108	10,947	21,880	10,064	9,406	16,162
65-69 years	2,478	3,442	5,150	7,106	8,594	8,898	17,963	7,710	8,223	12,834
70-74 years	1,334	1,916	3,337	5,096	6,280	6,708	13,203	4,801	7,619	9,298
75-79 years	762	1,007	1,445	2,566	3,059	3,805	7,290	3,852	6,345	6,643
80 years and over	561	563	572	1,130	1,567	2,439	5,566	3,677	6,416	5,389
Not reported	5,265	109	2	13	7	69	3,869	-	77	4
Female	127,096	150,140	114,273	157,980	221,367	253,698	522,101	303,497	254,958	432,635
Under 18 years ¹	3,018	3,747	3,240	4,228	4,743	3,430	5,237	3,593	207	219
18-19 years	3,126	4,463	3,044	3,543	4,428	4,715	7,435	5,049	2,014	2,461
20-24 years	14,859	18,183	12,807	16,278	21,357	22,031	39,255	25,020	18,633	34,111
25-29 years	18,805	22,104	16,600	19,334	25,388	26,319	50,775	33,152	24,379	44,863
30-34 years	21,636	25,815	19,478	23,445	30,886	32,935	65,448	42,484	29,800	54,170
35-39 years	18,602	22,907	16,673	22,110	30,776	34,823	72,136	44,868	32,208	61,647
40-44 years	13,050	16,196	12,091	16,643	24,530	29,825	63,013	38,026	28,206	54,482
45-49 years	8,083	10,207	7,905	12,427	19,334	23,438	48,737	28,051	21,418	42,456
50-54 years	6,370	7,865	6,255	10,335	15,851	18,433	37,853	20,670	17,367	33,353
55-59 years	4,724	6,106	5,138	9,537	14,255	16,953	33,451	17,005	14,930	26,408
60-64 years	3,860	4,990	4,413	7,840	11,471	13,510	28,032	13,457	13,872	22,902
65-69 years	2,730	3,777	3,356	5,850	8,342	11,072	24,373	10,514	12,383	18,567
70-74 years	1,455	2,061	1,859	3,529	5,315	7,828	18,859	6,911	12,583	14,979
75-79 years	829	1,009	896	1,741	2,714	4,536	11,621	6,518	11,164	10,927
80 years and over	624	590	516	1,134	1,967	3,798	11,582	8,179	15,566	11,075
Not reported	5,325	120	2	6	10	52	4,294	-	228	15
Unknown sex	15,158	6,298	5,549	791	7,069	3,636	65,315	37,141	12,220	64,829
Percent distribution	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	47.3	49.2	50.1	49.5	47.4	47.3	43.8	43.1	42.3	40.8
Female	47.1	48.7	47.6	50.2	51.0	52.0	50.0	50.7	55.1	51.5
Unknown	5.6	2.0	2.3	.3	1.6	.7	6.2	6.2	2.6	7.7
Median age ¹	35	35	36	37	38	39	40	38	42	40
Male	35	35	36	36	37	38	39	38	41	40
Female	36	35	36	37	38	39	40	39	43	40

¹ Data prior to 1998 may include children under age 18 who derived or acquired citizenship.

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