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The Current Population Survey (CPS) conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau for the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) is the primary source of labor force data for the entire nation. Although information on the labor force and unemployment are central to the CPS, extensive data on the social, economic, and demographic characteristics of the population are also collected through supplemental questions in the Annual Social and Economic Survey (ASEC). Estimates in this report are from the ASEC to the 2007 Current Population Survey.

### DATA LIMITATIONS

The survey's estimation procedure uses independent samples for each state. It inflates sample-weighted results to independent national estimates of the civilian non-institutional population by age, sex, race, and Hispanic origin. Because of the unique sample design and weighting procedures used in the March Supplement of the CPS, the population estimate for California is not consistent with population estimates produced by either the U.S. Census Bureau or the California Department of Finance (DOF).<sup>1</sup> It is important to mention that the sample design and methods of weighting the CPS data are geared toward producing estimates for the entire nation, so data for states are not as reliable as national data.

Since the primary purpose of the CPS is to gather labor force data, the sampling procedure used to determine the size of the survey is based on the Coefficient of Variation (CV) of the level of unemployment. This procedure ensures the allocation of a sample big enough to maintain a certain level of CV on national monthly estimates of the unemployment level and unemployment rate. However, it limits the reliability of demographic information such as age, sex, race/ethnicity, and other variables closely correlated with labor force variables. More detailed information on the sampling method is available at "Technical Paper 63RV: Current Population Survey - Design & Methodology," issued March 2002 at <http://www.census.gov/prod/2002pubs/tp63rv.pdf>

All estimates developed from the CPS are subject to sampling error. The magnitude of error is inversely related to the size of the population being estimated. Estimates for the nation are better (i.e., have smaller errors) than those for the state. Estimates for a large segment of a state (e.g., total employed) are better than for a smaller segment (e.g., employment in retail trade). Differences in an estimate over time may be due to sampling error rather than actual change. Data items with broad confidence intervals indicate large sampling errors. Estimates of 100,000 persons or less have large standard errors and are denoted with *italic type*.

Estimates for a given year may differ from earlier years by more than what can be attributed to real changes in population characteristics. Beginning in 2002, CPS estimates were based on the 2000 census-based population controls. From 1994 to 2001, population controls were based on 1990 census data, making comparability to 2002 and subsequent years difficult. According to the Census Bureau, differences could be disproportionately greater for certain subpopulation groups than for the total population. The use of summary measures—such as means, medians, and percentages—is recommended.

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<sup>1</sup>The CPS and DOF estimates are not expected to be the same. The CPS estimate is for the civilian non-institutional population including military personnel living off-base or in civilian housing on-base. The DOF estimate is for the entire resident population of the state.

## USER'S NOTE

Beginning in 2003, persons can report more than one race in the CPS. As a result, data on race in 2007 are directly comparable only to those collected from 2003 to 2006 but not to those in previous years. In 2003, the CPS also introduced the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) based on the Census 2000 industry and occupation codes. The new classification system affected almost all industry and occupation variables. For details on differences between the NAICS and SIC (Standard Industrial Classification) classifications, go to: <http://www.bls.gov/cps/cpsoccind.htm>.

Race/ethnicity tables were constructed using mutually exclusive categories. The response to the Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin question took priority when determining race/ethnicity, resulting in Hispanic and non-Hispanic categories. The non-Hispanic categories are as follows:

- White, non-Hispanic
- Black, non-Hispanic
- Asian, non-Hispanic
- American Indian & Alaskan Native, non-Hispanic
- Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, non-Hispanic
- Two or More Races, non-Hispanic

The Hispanic category includes persons of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin who may be of any race. For all tables in this report except for Table 1, race/ethnic groups do not add up to the total population because only major race categories and Hispanic origin were examined.

To assist in determining the size of the sampling error for an estimate, 90 percent confidence intervals were calculated for selected data items and included in Appendix A.

More information on the Annual Social and Economic Survey (March Supplement) of the Current Population Survey can be obtained from <http://www.census.gov/aprd/techdoc/cps/cpsmar06.pdf>.

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## I. General Population Characteristics

California's estimated population in March 2007 was 36.2 million (Table 1). This represents an increase of almost 268,000 people over the CPS March 2006 estimate or about 734 additional persons per day. Non-Hispanics represented 63.9 percent of the population and Hispanics accounted for the remaining 36.1 percent.

The traditional working age group—persons age 18 to 64—were estimated to be 63.1 percent of the population. Children under age 18 comprised slightly over a quarter of the population (26.4 percent) and age 65 or older were 10.4 percent (Table 2). Of children under age 18, Hispanics represented the largest group (47 percent), followed by Whites (33.7 percent). Over 64 percent of Whites were in the working age group, followed by Hispanics at 60.6 percent. Almost two-thirds (63.6 percent) of persons age 65 and over were White.

The sex distribution of the total estimated population was 49.8 percent male and 50.2 percent female, giving a male-female sex ratio of 99 males for every 100 females (Table 2). Hispanics had the highest male-female ratio (106.1 males for every 100 females) while Asians had the lowest (90.8 males per 100 females). The median age for all race/ethnic groups in California was 34, ranging from 41 for Whites to 27 for Hispanics (Figure 1). Among children under 18, there were more males than females in all race/ethnic groups except Asians. Among seniors age 65 and over, however, women outnumbered men in every race/ethnic group.

Over three-quarters of the estimated population in 2007 were age 15 and over (Table 3). Of those persons, more than two-thirds (67.2 percent) reported ever having been married and 32.8 percent were single. Of the ever married, 75.6 percent said that they were currently married, 13.9 percent were divorced, 7.1 percent were widowed, and 3.4 percent were separated. Men comprised 56.7 percent of those who had never been married and 45.8 of those who had ever been married. For women, 43.3 percent reported never having been married and 54.2 percent of those ever having been married.

Over two-thirds of persons age 30 to 59 were married (69.7 percent); separated (68.5 percent); or divorced (68.2 percent). As age increased, the likelihood of never having been married decreased and the percentage widowed increased (Table 4).

About two-thirds of persons in each race/ethnic group between the ages of 30 and 59 were married. Hispanics had the highest percentage, 17 percent, of married persons under age 30 (Table 5).

Whites had the highest percentage of persons age 15 and over who were ever married at 72.1 percent. Blacks had the highest proportion of never-married persons at 43.1 percent and also the highest percentage of divorced, 15.1 percent (Table 6). Between 15 and 44 years of age, 56.1 percent of males had never married, making them more likely to be single than females, 45.1 percent (Table 7). For persons age 65 and over, females were more likely to be widowed, 40.3 percent, than were males, 10.1 percent (Table 8).

In 2007, California had an estimated 12.8 million households with an average household size of 2.8 (Table 9). About a quarter of Hispanics (25.5 percent) lived in households of six or more persons, compared with 13.8 percent of Blacks, 10.7 percent of Asians, and 6.4 percent of Whites.

For persons age 65 and over, the most common living arrangement was a two-person household (Table 10). Of women age 75 and over, 43.1 percent lived alone, compared to 19.4 percent living in households of three or more persons. Females comprised 78 percent of those age 75 and over living alone but only 59 percent of those living in households of three or more persons.



Two-person households were the most common household living arrangement (28.7 percent) and households containing six or more persons were the least common with less than 6 percent (Table 11). Two-person households were not the most common arrangement for persons, however. More persons (22.8 percent) lived in four-person households, followed by two-person households (20.8 percent).

Owner-occupied households were more likely to consist of two persons (31.3 percent); renter-occupied households were more likely to have only one person (32.5 percent). For all households, 58 percent were owner occupied and 42 percent were renter occupied. By household size, the percentage of renter occupied was higher than the percentage of owner occupied only for single-person households. Average household size was 2.9 for owner-occupied households and 2.6 for renter occupied (Table 12).

Almost 69 percent of households consisted of two or more related persons, with nonfamily households accounting for the additional 31 percent (Table 13). About three-fourths (74.1 percent) of family households were married-couple families, 18.6 percent were headed by female householders with no husband present, and 7.2 percent by male householders with no wife present. Females (14.3 percent) were more likely than males (10 percent) to live in one-person households.

In March 2007, an estimated 9.6 million children under age 18 were living in California (Table 14). Three-quarters of these children lived with both parents, 21.3 percent lived with one parent, and 3.8 percent lived with neither parent or their status was unknown. Children living with their mothers accounted for 85.9 percent of those living in single-parent households.

**Table 1. Persons by Race/Ethnicity**

<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>White</b>	15,765,005	43.5%
<b>Hispanic</b>	13,076,066	36.1%
<b>Asian</b>	4,222,874	11.7%
<b>Black</b>	2,218,889	6.1%
<b>American Indian and Alaskan Native</b>	128,356	0.4%
<b>Hawaiian/Pacific Islander</b>	205,026	0.6%
<b>Two or More</b>	591,406	1.6%
<b>Total*</b>	<b>36,207,622</b>	<b>100%</b>

\* Total civilian non-institutional population. Includes members of the military living off military bases or living in civilian housing on base.

**Table 2. Persons by Age, Race/Ethnicity, and Sex**

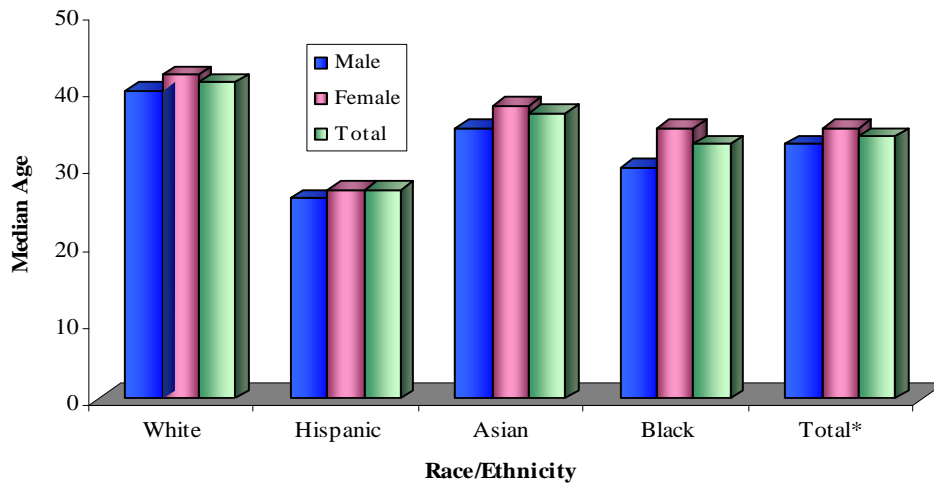
	1,692,437	1,529,601	3,222,038	2,290,160	2,211,859	4,502,019	436,006	448,289	884,296
	1,621,673	1,563,701	3,185,374	2,032,863	1,760,399	3,793,262	548,296	530,980	1,079,275
	1,894,764	1,883,181	3,777,945	1,473,101	1,292,384	2,765,484	485,491	555,226	1,040,717
	1,557,022	1,625,024	3,182,046	654,917	709,746	1,364,663	341,749	418,231	759,980
	1,011,011	1,386,592	2,397,603	281,278	369,360	650,638	198,482	260,125	458,606
	<b>7,776,907</b>	<b>7,988,099</b>	<b>15,765,005</b>	<b>6,732,318</b>	<b>6,343,747</b>	<b>13,076,066</b>	<b>2,010,023</b>	<b>2,212,851</b>	<b>4,222,874</b>
	<b>40</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>37</b>

————Table 2. Continued————

	328,307	327,362	655,669	4,881,734	4,689,298	9,571,032
	269,962	238,506	508,468	4,603,154	4,215,346	8,818,500
	230,845	266,378	497,223	4,163,808	4,086,235	8,250,043
	167,335	189,889	357,223	2,788,519	3,007,736	5,796,255
	71,041	129,264	200,306	1,579,151	2,192,640	3,771,792
	<b>1,067,490</b>	<b>1,151,399</b>	<b>2,218,889</b>	<b>18,016,366</b>	<b>18,191,256</b>	<b>36,207,622</b>
	<b>30</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>34</b>

\*Total includes all race/ethnic groups.

**Figure 1. Median Age by Race/Ethnicity and Sex**



\*Total includes all race/ethnic groups.

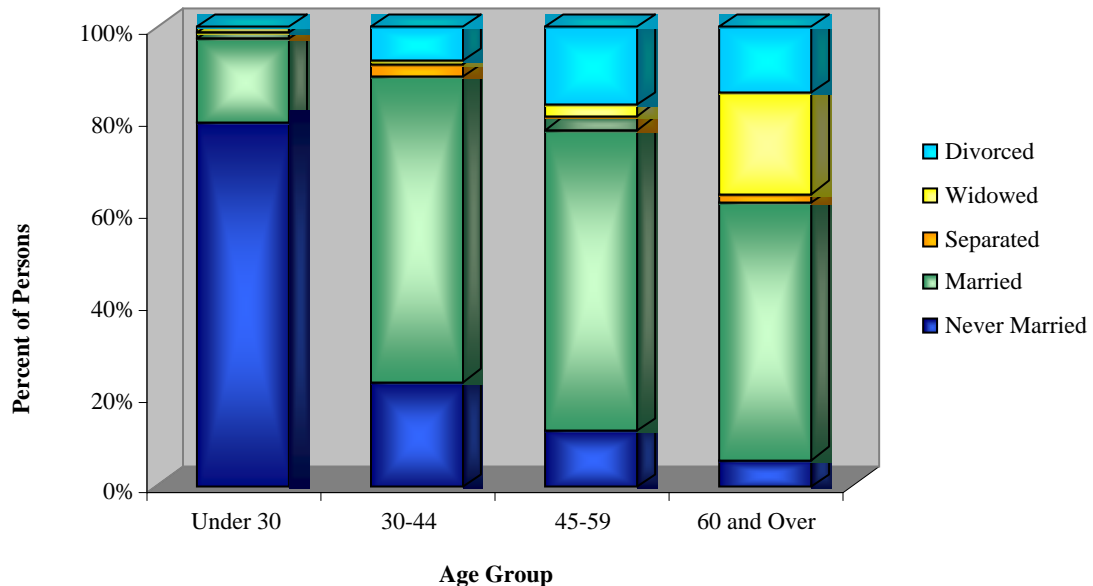
**Table 3. Persons (15+) by Marital Status and Sex**

	5,270,555	37.7%	4,031,532	28.1%	9,302,088	32.8%
	8,727,221	62.3%	10,309,251	71.9%	19,036,472	67.2%
	7,255,696	51.8%	7,131,118	49.7%	14,386,814	50.8%
	217,692	1.6%	429,773	3.0%	647,465	2.3%
	208,168	1.5%	1,150,445	8.0%	1,358,613	4.8%
	1,045,665	7.5%	1,597,915	11.1%	2,643,580	9.3%
	<b>13,997,778</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>14,340,783</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>28,338,560</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Table 4. Persons (15+) by Marital Status and Age**

	6,306,500	1,832,858	862,152	300,577	9,302,088
	1,666,282	6,231,670	6,247,032	4,891,489	19,036,472
	1,457,050	5,359,762	4,661,576	2,908,426	14,386,814
	107,854	233,115	210,562	95,935	647,465
	3,005	40,842	169,402	1,145,364	1,358,613
	98,373	597,951	1,205,492	741,764	2,643,580
	<b>7,972,781</b>	<b>8,064,529</b>	<b>7,109,184</b>	<b>5,192,066</b>	<b>28,338,560</b>

**Figure 2. Distribution of Persons (15+) by Marital Status and Age Group**

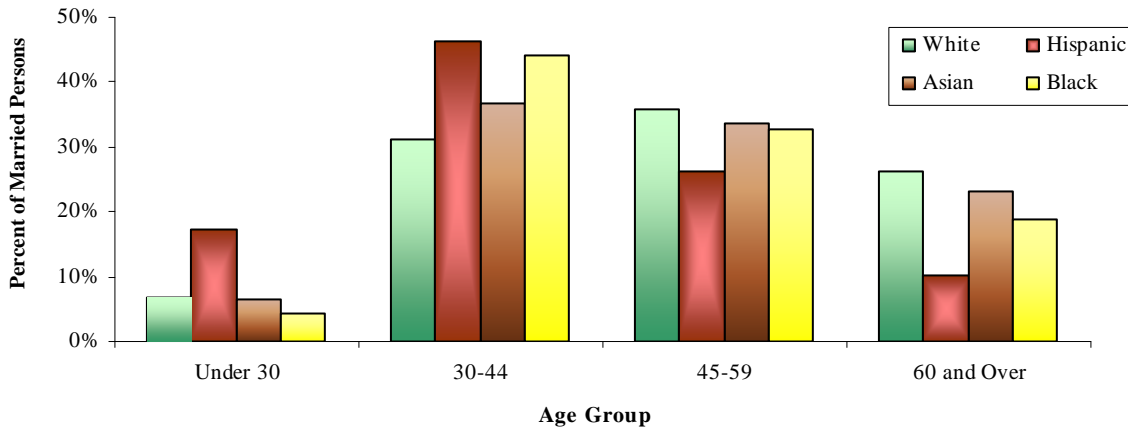


**Table 5. Married Persons (15+) by Age and Race/Ethnicity**

Race/Ethnicity	Under 30	30-44	45-59	60 and Over	Total
<b>White</b>	470,525	2,132,503	2,445,423	1,804,136	6,852,587
<b>Hispanic</b>	805,374	2,167,786	1,238,007	482,339	4,693,507
<b>Asian</b>	132,066	755,191	691,463	472,322	2,051,042
<b>Black</b>	23,694	234,509	173,301	99,134	530,638
<b>Total*</b>	<b>1,457,050</b>	<b>5,359,762</b>	<b>4,661,576</b>	<b>2,908,426</b>	<b>14,386,814</b>

\*Total includes all race/ethnic groups.

**Figure 3. Distribution of Married Persons (15+) by Age Group and Race/Ethnicity**

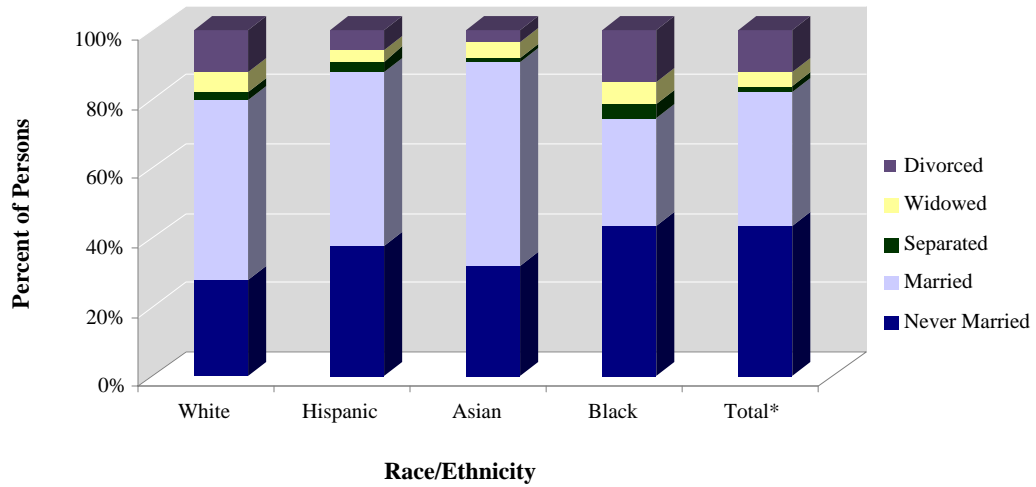


**Table 6. Persons (15+) by Marital Status and Race/Ethnicity**

Marital Status	White	Hispanic	Asian	Black	Total*
<b>Never Married</b>	3,679,695	3,485,716	1,111,975	732,892	9,302,088
<b>Ever Married</b>	9,500,636	5,814,845	2,376,463	966,081	19,036,472
<b>Married</b>	6,852,587	4,693,507	2,051,042	530,638	14,386,814
<b>Separated</b>	244,674	279,108	37,311	75,177	647,465
<b>Widowed</b>	762,062	309,716	157,531	104,150	1,358,613
<b>Divorced</b>	1,641,313	532,514	130,579	256,116	2,643,580
<b>Total</b>	<b>13,180,331</b>	<b>9,300,561</b>	<b>3,488,438</b>	<b>1,698,974</b>	<b>28,338,560</b>

\* Total includes all race/ethnic groups.

**Figure 4. Distribution of Persons (15+) by Marital Status and Race/Ethnicity**



\*Total includes all race/ethnic groups.

**Table 7. Never Married Persons (15-44) by Age and Sex**

Age Group	Male			Female		
	Never Married	Total	Percent of Age	Never Married	Total	Percent of Age
15-19	1,427,219	1,453,410	98.2%	1,252,161	1,312,359	95.4%
20-24	1,235,961	1,390,109	88.9%	922,624	1,220,833	75.6%
25-29	884,058	1,363,589	64.8%	584,477	1,232,482	47.4%
30-34	435,502	1,259,192	34.6%	350,036	1,288,497	27.2%
35-39	394,334	1,447,318	27.2%	229,317	1,377,012	16.7%
40-44	246,265	1,321,726	18.6%	177,405	1,370,783	12.9%

**Table 8. Persons (65+) Widowed by Age and Sex**

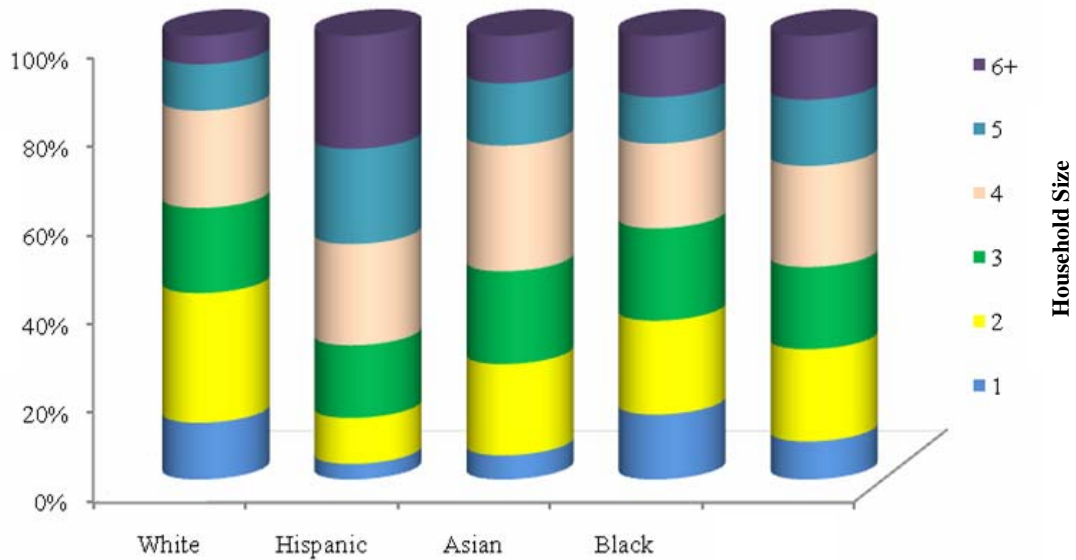
Age Group	Male			Female		
	Widowed	Total	Percent of Age	Widowed	Total	Percent of Age
65-74	57,737	867,641	6.7%	262,469	1,057,638	24.8%
75+	101,388	711,510	14.2%	621,775	1,135,002	54.8%

**Table 9. Persons by Household Size and Race/Ethnicity**

	2,019,333	461,348	230,427	325,334	3,111,481
	4,606,038	1,353,163	868,155	469,098	7,522,971
	3,028,302	2,143,490	883,792	462,112	6,714,957
	3,457,896	2,982,486	1,196,205	423,446	8,248,707
	1,644,531	2,806,036	593,150	233,141	5,400,559
	1,008,904	3,329,542	451,146	305,757	5,208,948
	<b>15,765,005</b>	<b>13,076,066</b>	<b>4,222,874</b>	<b>2,218,889</b>	<b>36,207,622</b>
	<b>6,775,064</b>	<b>3,459,197</b>	<b>1,417,126</b>	<b>881,957</b>	<b>12,821,453</b>
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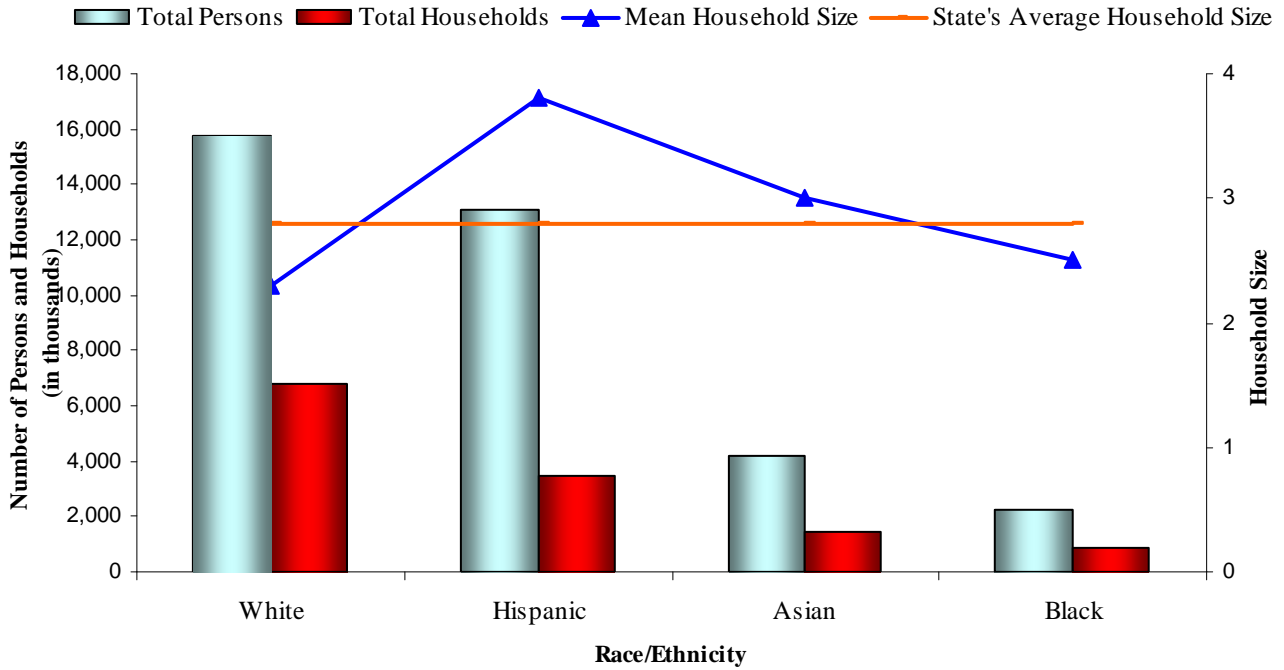
\*Total includes all race/ethnic groups.

**Figure 5. Distribution of Persons by Household Size and Race/Ethnicity**



\*Total includes all race/ethnic groups.

**Figure 6. Mean Household Size by Race/Ethnicity**



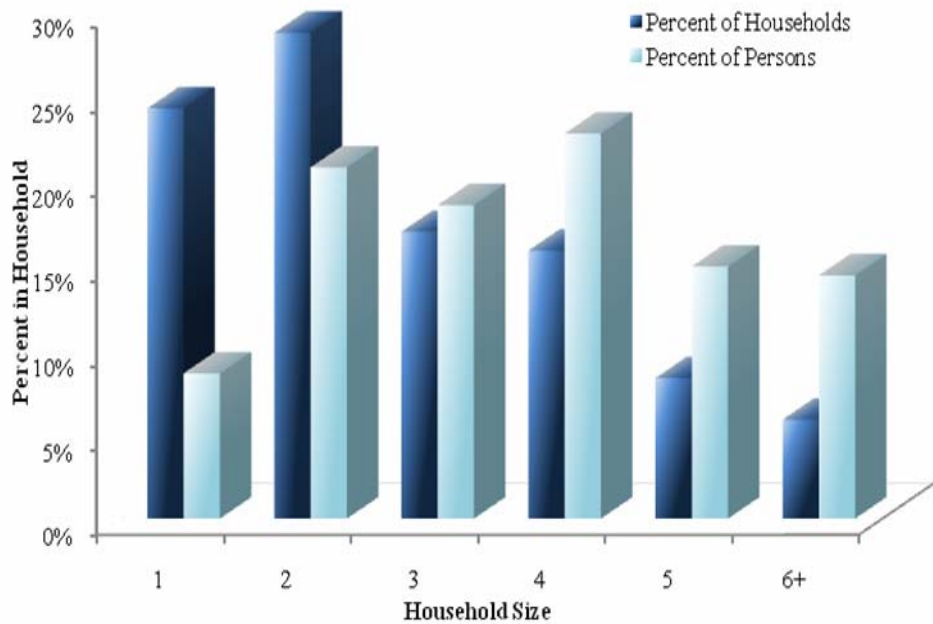
**Table 10. Persons (65+) by Age, Sex, and Household Size**

Age Group	Sex	Household Size			
		1	2	3+	Total
65-74	Male	152,231	485,984	229,426	867,641
	Female	270,101	487,435	300,103	1,057,639
	% Female	64.0%	50.1%	56.7%	54.9%
75+	Male	137,906	420,321	153,283	711,510
	Female	488,960	425,537	220,506	1,135,003
	% Female	78.0%	50.3%	59.0%	61.5%
<b>Total</b>		<b>1,049,198</b>	<b>1,819,277</b>	<b>903,318</b>	<b>3,771,793</b>

**Table 11. Households and Persons by Household Size**

Household Size	Households		Persons	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
1	3,111,481	24.3%	3,111,481	8.6%
2	3,685,439	28.7%	7,522,971	20.8%
3	2,176,235	17.0%	6,714,957	18.5%
4	2,033,109	15.9%	8,248,707	22.8%
5	1,065,295	8.3%	5,400,559	14.9%
6+	749,895	5.8%	5,208,948	14.4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,821,453</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>36,207,622</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

**Figure 7. Distribution of Households and Persons by Household Size**

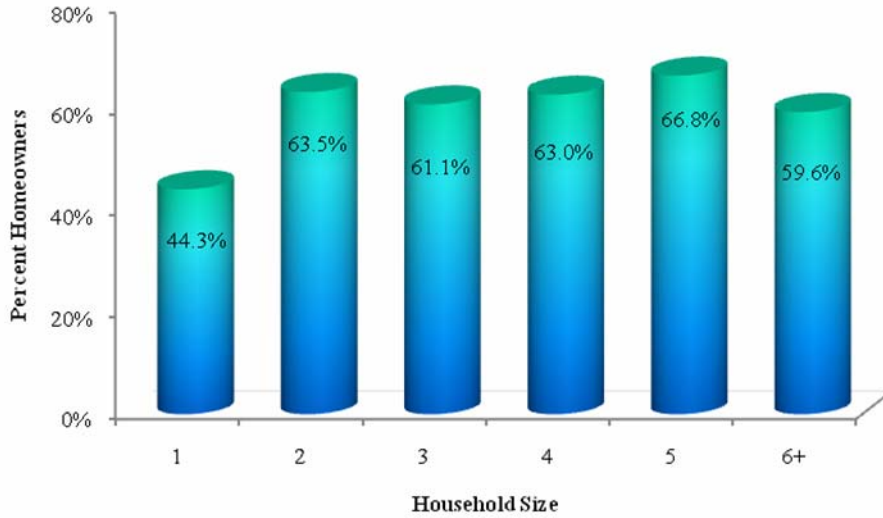


**Table 12. Households by Housing Tenure and Household Size**

Housing Tenure	Household Size						Total	Mean
	1	2	3	4	5	6+		
<b>Owner Occupied</b>	1,379,537	2,341,044	1,329,100	1,280,771	711,120	446,574	7,488,146	2.9
<b>Renter Occupied</b>	1,731,943	1,344,395	847,134	752,338	354,175	303,321	5,333,307	2.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,111,481</b>	<b>3,685,439</b>	<b>2,176,235</b>	<b>2,033,109</b>	<b>1,065,295</b>	<b>749,895</b>	<b>12,821,453</b>	<b>2.8</b>



**Figure 8. Homeownership Rates by Household Size**



**Table 13. Households by Household Type and Presence of Related Children\***

Household Type		Number	Percent	
<b>One Person</b>	Male	1,278,022	10.0%	
	Female	1,833,459	14.3%	
<b>2+ Persons, Related</b>	<b>Married Couple</b>	With Children	3,547,452	27.7%
		Without Children	2,982,167	23.3%
	<b>Male Householder, No Spouse Present</b>	With Children	349,415	2.7%
		Without Children	289,062	2.3%
	<b>Female Householder, No Spouse Present</b>	With Children	1,031,063	8.0%
		Without Children	612,042	4.8%
<b>2+ Persons, Unrelated</b>		898,771	7.0%	
<b>Total</b>		<b>12,821,453</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	

\*Includes children related to the householder

**Table 14. Persons (0-17) by Age and Presence of Parents in Family**

Age Group	Both Parents	Father Only	Mother Only	Neither/Unknown	Total
<b>0-4</b>	2,046,428	45,244	387,910	52,111	2,531,692
<b>5-9</b>	1,948,313	65,175	444,292	65,536	2,523,317
<b>10-14</b>	2,079,438	87,723	557,607	89,285	2,814,053
<b>15-17</b>	1,101,842	88,111	359,269	152,748	1,701,971
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,176,022</b>	<b>286,252</b>	<b>1,749,078</b>	<b>359,681</b>	<b>9,571,032</b>

## II. Health and Health Insurance

In 2007, the percentage of California's estimated 36.2 million persons who reported their health as good to excellent was 89.4 percent (Table 15). Just over a third of Californians age 65 and over (34.1 percent) reported their health as fair to poor, compared to 10.4 percent of persons age 18 to 64 and just 2 percent of those under age 18. The percentage of persons reporting their health as excellent declined from 47.5 percent for those under 18 to 10.9 percent of persons age 65 and over. Less than 2 percentage points separated men who reported their health as good to excellent (90.2 percent) from women (88.6 percent).

As educational attainment increased, self-reported health status increased as well. For persons who were not high school graduates, 74.5 percent reported their health as good to excellent, compared to 82.1 percent of high school graduates; 85.6 percent of persons with some college or an Associate degree; 92.1 percent of Bachelor degree holders; and 92.5 percent of those with a Master's degree or higher (Table 15). The native born (90.3 percent) were more likely to report their health as good to excellent than were the foreign born (86.9 percent). Persons living in poverty were less likely than those not living in poverty to report their health as very good to excellent.

Of California's estimated 36.2 million population, 6.8 million—or 18.8 percent—did not have health insurance. Men were less likely to have health insurance (78.8 percent) than were women, 83.7 percent (Table 16). The positive effects of Medicare—the federal program for the elderly and disabled—were evident with those aged 65 and over having the lowest rates of uninsured persons at only 2.7 percent. Almost a third of Hispanics (31.1 percent) lacked health insurance coverage; Whites (10.1 percent) had the lowest percentage. For persons age 25 and over, higher levels of educational attainment were associated with higher levels of health insurance coverage: only 6.2 percent of those with a Master's degree or higher did not have health insurance, compared to 37.1 of those with less than a high school education. About a third of the foreign born (32.9 percent) and of persons below poverty (32 percent) had no health insurance. Among the estimated 6.8 million persons lacking health insurance, 80.4 percent were age 18 to 64; 56.3 were male; and 60 percent were Hispanic.

Private health insurance accounted for 62.6 percent of those with health insurance (Table 17). Medicaid was the next most common type of coverage at 16 percent.

As expected, there were age differences in the type of government-sponsored health insurance coverage (Tables 18 through 21). Of the estimated 5.8 million Californians covered by Medicaid, 50.9 percent were under age 18, compared to only 10.8 percent of those age 65 or over. For military coverage, 57.2 percent were between the ages of 18 and 64, 24.2 percent were under 18 and 18.6 percent, age 65 and over. Medicare accounted for 87.3 percent of persons age 65 and over.

**Table 15. Self-Reported Health Status by Selected Characteristics**

Selected Characteristics	Total Number	Percent				
		Excellent	Very Good	Good	Fair	Poor
<b>Total Population*</b>	<b>36,207,622</b>	<b>33.3%</b>	<b>30.9%</b>	<b>25.2%</b>	<b>7.7%</b>	<b>2.9%</b>
<b>Age Group</b>						
<b>Under 18</b>	9,571,032	47.5%	30.3%	20.2%	1.7%	0.3%
<b>18-64</b>	22,864,798	31.1%	32.4%	26.1%	7.7%	2.7%
<b>65+</b>	3,771,792	10.9%	22.7%	32.3%	23.2%	10.9%
<b>Sex</b>						
<b>Male</b>	18,016,366	34.2%	30.7%	25.3%	7.2%	2.7%
<b>Female</b>	18,191,256	32.5%	31.0%	25.1%	8.3%	3.1%
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
<b>White</b>	15,765,005	36.7%	31.6%	20.3%	8.0%	3.3%
<b>Hispanic</b>	13,076,066	29.0%	30.6%	31.1%	7.2%	2.1%
<b>Asian</b>	4,222,874	34.3%	29.9%	25.9%	7.5%	2.3%
<b>Black</b>	2,218,889	29.3%	30.5%	25.8%	8.7%	5.7%
<b>Educational Attainment (Persons Age 25+)</b>						
<b>Not a High School Graduate</b>	4,428,276	14.7%	23.6%	36.2%	17.7%	7.8%
<b>High School Graduate</b>	5,413,516	21.3%	28.7%	32.1%	12.4%	5.5%
<b>Some College or Associate Degree</b>	6,027,247	26.2%	33.2%	26.2%	10.3%	4.0%
<b>Bachelor's Degree (BA/BS)</b>	4,765,065	36.3%	35.4%	20.4%	6.3%	1.6%
<b>Master's Degree or Higher</b>	2,327,745	39.3%	35.5%	17.7%	5.4%	2.1%
<b>Nativity</b>						
<b>Native Born</b>	26,228,070	36.7%	31.4%	22.2%	6.9%	2.8%
<b>Foreign Born</b>	9,979,553	24.4%	29.5%	33.0%	9.9%	3.2%
<b>Poverty Status</b>						
<b>Below Poverty</b>	4,474,280	27.1%	29.7%	27.8%	10.7%	4.7%
<b>At or Above Poverty</b>	31,733,342	34.2%	31.0%	24.8%	7.3%	2.7%

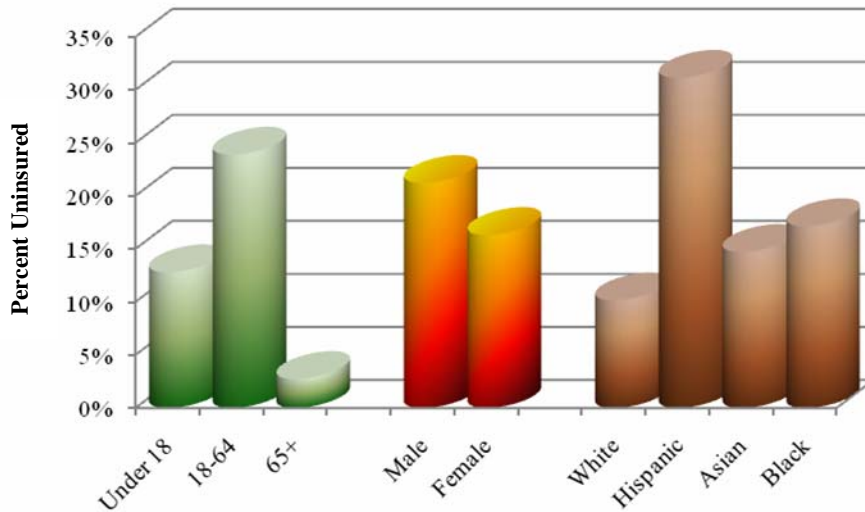
\*Total includes all persons

**Table 16. Persons with Health Insurance Coverage Status (2006) by Selected Characteristics**

<b>Selected Characteristics</b>	<b>Covered</b>	<b>Not Covered</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Percent Not Covered</b>
<b>Total Population*</b>	<b>29,416,819</b>	<b>6,790,803</b>	<b>36,207,622</b>	<b>18.8%</b>
<b>Age Group</b>				
<b>Under 18</b>	8,345,935	1,225,097	9,571,032	12.8%
<b>18-64</b>	17,401,873	5,462,925	22,864,798	23.9%
<b>65+</b>	3,669,011	102,781	3,771,792	2.7%
<b>Sex</b>				
<b>Male</b>	14,193,055	3,823,311	18,016,366	21.2%
<b>Female</b>	15,223,764	2,967,492	18,191,256	16.3%
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>				
<b>White</b>	14,165,981	1,599,024	15,765,005	10.1%
<b>Hispanic</b>	9,004,438	4,071,628	13,076,066	31.1%
<b>Asian</b>	3,602,087	620,787	4,222,874	14.7%
<b>Black</b>	1,838,612	380,276	2,218,889	17.1%
<b>Educational Attainment (Persons Age 25+)</b>				
<b>Not a High School Graduate</b>	2,784,423	1,643,853	4,428,276	37.1%
<b>High School Graduate</b>	4,189,189	1,224,327	5,413,516	22.6%
<b>Some College or Associate Degree</b>	5,163,609	863,638	6,027,247	14.3%
<b>Bachelor's Degree (BA/BS)</b>	4,241,192	523,873	4,765,065	11.0%
<b>Master's Degree or Higher</b>	2,183,799	143,946	2,327,745	6.2%
<b>Nativity</b>				
<b>Native Born</b>	22,723,628	3,504,441	26,228,070	13.4%
<b>Foreign Born</b>	6,693,191	3,286,362	9,979,553	32.9%
<b>Poverty Status</b>				
<b>Below Poverty</b>	3,043,717	1,430,563	4,474,280	32.0%
<b>At or Above Poverty</b>	26,373,102	5,360,240	31,733,342	16.9%

\*Total includes all persons

**Figure 9. Percent Uninsured by Demographic Characteristics  
(n=6,790,803)**



**Table 17. Persons with Health Insurance (2006) by Type**

Health Plan Type	Number	Percent of Total
CHAMPUS, CHAMPVA, VA, or Military	940,042	2.6%
Medicaid (“Medi-Cal”)	5,775,226	16.0%
Medicare	3,998,119	11.0%
Private	22,679,183	62.6%
<b>Any Plan</b>	<b>29,416,819</b>	<b>81.2%</b>

**Table 18. Persons with Medicaid (“Medi-Cal”) Coverage (2006) by Age and Sex**

Age Group	Male	Percent of Age	Female	Percent of Age	Total	Percent of Age
Under 18	1,507,010	30.9%	1,431,145	30.5%	2,938,155	30.7%
18-34	362,103	7.9%	552,161	13.1%	914,264	10.4%
35-49	300,466	7.2%	368,588	9.0%	669,054	8.1%
50-64	261,344	9.4%	370,104	12.3%	631,448	10.9%
65+	233,537	14.8%	388,767	17.7%	622,304	16.5%
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,664,460</b>	<b>14.8%</b>	<b>3,110,766</b>	<b>17.1%</b>	<b>5,775,226</b>	<b>16.0%</b>

**Table 19. Persons with CHAMPUS, CHAMPVA, VA, or Military Health Care Coverage (2006) by Age and Sex**

Age Group	Male	Percent of Age	Female	Percent of Age	Total	Percent of Age
Under 18	115,730	2.4%	111,550	2.4%	227,280	2.4%
18-64	293,743	2.5%	243,801	2.2%	537,544	2.4%
65+	88,088	5.6%	87,131	4.0%	175,219	4.6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>497,560</b>	<b>2.8%</b>	<b>442,482</b>	<b>2.4%</b>	<b>940,042</b>	<b>2.6%</b>

**Table 20. Persons with Medicare Health Insurance Coverage\* (2006) by Age and Sex**

Age Group	Male	Percent of Age	Female	Percent of Age	Total	Percent of Age
0-64	237,843	1.4%	268,649	1.7%	506,491	1.6%
65-74	758,911	87.5%	950,416	89.9%	1,709,327	88.8%
75+	682,377	95.9%	1,099,924	96.9%	1,782,301	96.5%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,679,131</b>	<b>9.3%</b>	<b>2,318,988</b>	<b>12.7%</b>	<b>3,998,119</b>	<b>11.0%</b>

\*Only includes the non-institutional population. By design, the CPS excludes the institutional population and so underestimates the number of persons covered by Medicare.

**Table 21. Persons with Private Health Insurance Coverage (2006) by Age and Sex**

Age Group	Male	Percent of Age	Female	Percent of Age	Total	Percent of Age
0-17	2,846,510	58.3%	2,809,826	59.9%	5,656,335	59.1%
18-34	2,633,676	57.2%	2,561,530	60.8%	5,195,206	58.9%
35-49	2,822,953	67.8%	2,959,988	72.4%	5,782,941	70.1%
50-64	1,996,753	71.6%	2,126,347	70.7%	4,123,100	71.1%
65+	875,355	55.4%	1,046,246	47.7%	1,921,601	50.9%
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,175,247</b>	<b>62.0%</b>	<b>11,503,936</b>	<b>63.2%</b>	<b>22,679,183</b>	<b>62.6%</b>

### III. Mobility

Between March 2006 and March 2007, approximately 13 percent of Californians age 1 and over moved (Table 23). Almost three-quarters (73.2 percent) moved within the same county; 16.4 percent moved to a different county in the same state; 6.9 percent from a different state; and 3.4 percent from abroad.

As a whole, movers were younger than nonmovers with the highest rates of moving having occurred among people age 21 to 34 (Table 23). The median age of movers was 26, compared to 36 for nonmovers. Males were more likely to have moved than females. Blacks were the race/ethnic group most likely to have moved, followed by Hispanics. The most mobile groups were never-married persons (17.9 percent), followed by those separated (16.5 percent) and divorced (15.2 percent).

The effects of educational attainment on the distribution of movers were inconsistent as shown in Table 23. However, unemployed persons were significantly more likely to have moved than employed persons—22.3 percent compared to 13.9 percent. Home ownership also was highly correlated with mobility: only 7.2 percent of owners moved, compared to 22.6 percent of renters.

Approximately half of persons age 1 and over moving to California were from other U.S. regions in the West (Table 24). Slightly more females (50.6 percent) than males (49.4 percent) moved to California from another state; the reverse was true for persons moving to another state from California—52 percent of males, compared to 48 percent of females (Table 25). Family households were more likely to have moved than nonfamily households.

**Table 22. Type of Move for Persons Moving**

Type of Move*	Number	Percent
From Abroad	160,865	3.4%
From a Different State	323,275	6.9%
Different County, Same State	773,023	16.4%
Same County	3,442,213	73.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,699,377</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

\*Applies only to persons age 1 and over living in California in March 2006

**Table 23. Persons by Mobility Status and Selected Characteristics**

<b>Characteristic</b>	<b>Nonmover</b>	<b>Mover</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Percent Moved</b>
<b>Total Population*</b>	<b>31,007,766</b>	<b>4,699,377</b>	<b>35,707,143</b>	<b>13.2%</b>
<b>1-20</b>	9,040,227	1,587,546	10,627,773	14.9%
<b>21-34</b>	5,658,807	1,602,474	7,261,281	22.1%
<b>35-49</b>	7,294,596	955,447	8,250,043	11.6%
<b>50-64</b>	5,367,217	429,039	5,796,255	7.4%
<b>65+</b>	3,646,920	124,872	3,771,792	3.3%
<b>Median Age</b>	36	26	34	
<b>Sex</b>				
<b>Male</b>	15,331,889	2,426,928	17,758,818	13.7%
<b>Female</b>	15,675,877	2,272,449	17,948,326	12.7%
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>				
<b>White</b>	13,769,242	1,867,258	15,636,499	11.9%
<b>Hispanic</b>	10,966,392	1,836,266	12,802,657	14.3%
<b>Asian</b>	3,643,457	526,554	4,170,010	12.6%
<b>Black</b>	1,845,500	340,362	2,185,862	15.6%
<b>Nativity</b>				
<b>Native Born</b>	22,267,320	3,463,605	25,730,925	13.5%
<b>Foreign Born</b>	8,740,446	1,235,772	9,976,218	12.4%
<b>Marital Status (Persons Age 15+)</b>				
<b>Never Married</b>	7,633,554	1,668,534	9,302,088	17.9%
<b>Married</b>	12,995,122	1,391,692	14,386,814	9.7%
<b>Separated</b>	540,421	107,044	647,465	16.5%
<b>Widowed</b>	1,263,590	95,024	1,358,613	7.0%
<b>Divorced</b>	2,240,845	402,735	2,643,580	15.2%
<b>Educational Attainment (Persons Age 25+)</b>				
<b>Not a High School Graduate</b>	3,917,010	511,266	4,428,276	11.5%
<b>High School Graduate</b>	4,793,917	619,599	5,413,516	11.4%
<b>Some College or Associate Degree</b>	5,414,577	612,670	6,027,247	10.2%
<b>Bachelor's Degree (BA/BS)</b>	4,224,724	540,341	4,765,065	11.3%
<b>Master's Degree or Higher</b>	2,091,670	236,075	2,327,745	10.1%
<b>Employment Status (Persons Age 16+)</b>				
<b>Employed</b>	14,826,350	2,397,798	17,224,148	13.9%
<b>Unemployed</b>	756,243	216,908	973,151	22.3%
<b>Housing Tenure (Persons Age 1+)</b>				
<b>Owner Occupied</b>	20,342,117	1,586,716	21,928,833	7.2%
<b>Renter Occupied</b>	10,665,649	3,112,661	13,778,310	22.6%

\*Applies only to persons age 1 and over living in California in March 2006



**Table 24. Persons Moving to California by U.S. Region of Former Residence**

To California: From Other States in:	Number	Percent
	Midwest	23,059
Northeast	49,128	15.2%
South	87,876	27.2%
West	163,213	50.5%
<b>Total*</b>	<b>323,275</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

\*Applies only to persons age 1 and over living in California in March 2006

**Table 25. Persons (by Sex) and Households Moving To/From California From/To Other States**

Characteristics	To: California From: Another State		From: California To: Another State	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Total Movers*</b>	<b>323,275</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>410,533</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
Male	159,832	49.4%	213,349	52.0%
Female	163,443	50.6%	197,183	48.0%
<b>Households</b>	<b>120,208</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>148,843</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
Family Household	65,646	54.6%	84,247	56.6%
Nonfamily Household	54,562	45.4%	64,596	43.4%

\*Applies only to persons age 1 and over living in California in March 2006

**Table 26. Persons Moving To/From California From/To Other States by Age**

Age Group	To: California From: Another State		From: California To: Another State	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
1-20	86,755	26.8%	121,788	29.7%
21-34	124,983	38.7%	142,722	34.8%
35-49	61,721	19.1%	86,062	21.0%
50+	49,816	15.4%	59,960	14.6%
<b>Total*</b>	<b>323,275</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>410,533</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

\*Applies only to persons age 1 and over living in California in March 2006

#### IV. Foreign Born

An estimated 10 million Californians were foreign born, representing 27.6 percent of the population (Table 27). Less than 10 percent of the foreign born were under age 20 while over a third of the native-born population were under 20. Over half (55.4 percent) of the foreign born were Hispanic, followed by Asians (26.5 percent). Only 15.6 percent of the foreign born were White, compared to 54.2 percent of the native born (Table 28).

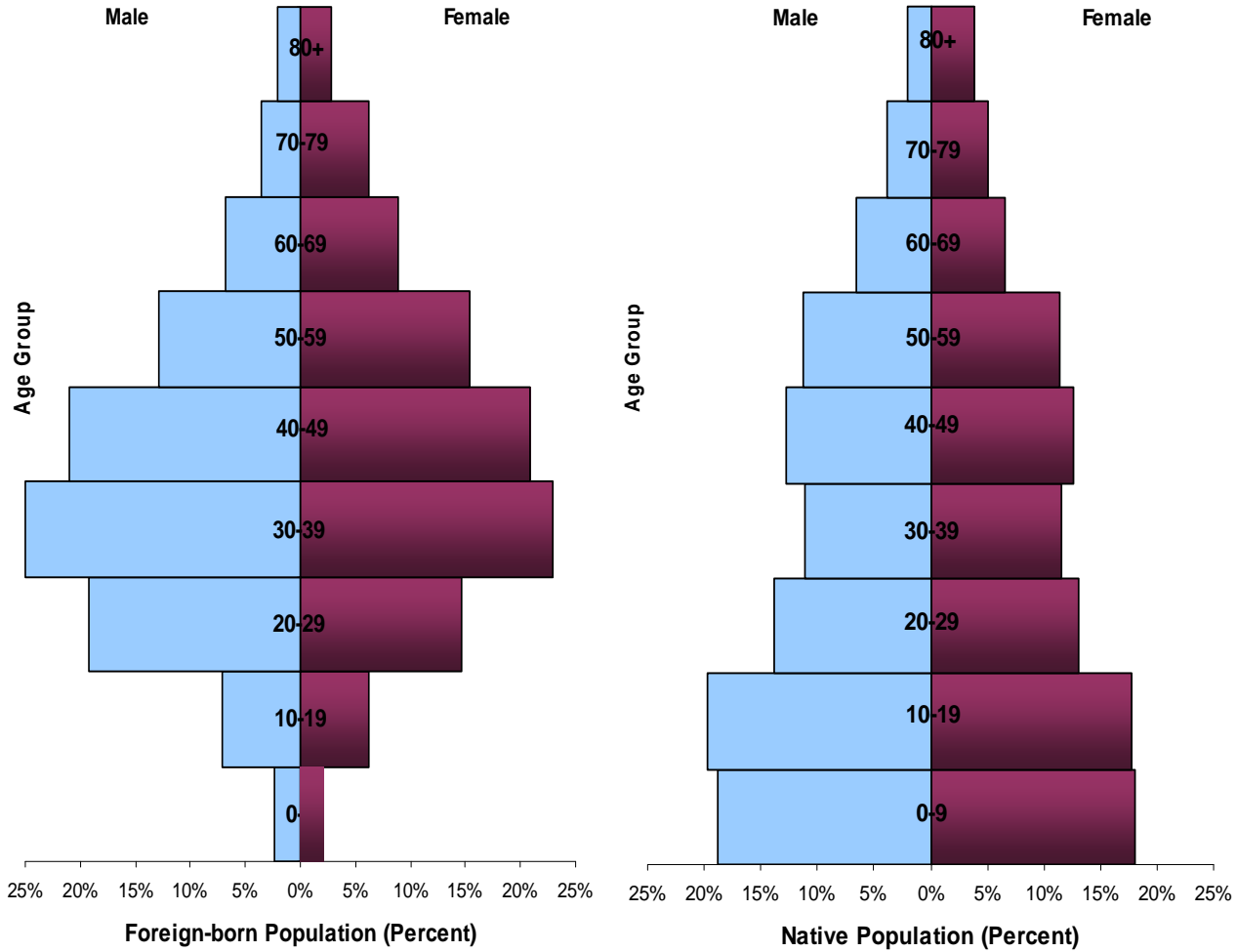
Two regions—North America (47.5 percent) and Asia (28.5 percent)—accounted for the nativity of about three-quarters of the foreign born (Table 29; Appendix D). Mexico was the leading country of birth with 45.9 percent of the estimated 10 million foreign born, followed distantly by the Philippines at 7 percent (Table 30). The countries accounting for most of those born in Asia were the Philippines (27.2 percent), China (14.2 percent), Vietnam (12.7 percent), India (11.4 percent), and Korea (9.4 percent).

In March 2007, about half of California's foreign-born population had arrived in the U.S. 1990 or later (Table 31). Almost a quarter had been here since before 1980. The longer a person has lived in the U.S., the more likely it is for that person to have become a citizen—73.8 percent of the foreign born who arrived before 1975 were naturalized, compared to the 11.3 percent who entered the U.S. after 1995. At 78.4 percent, the Vietnamese had the highest rate of naturalization, compared to only 25.1 percent of Mexicans.

**Table 27. Persons by Age, Sex, and Nativity**

Age Group	Foreign Born			Native		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
0-9	117,733	105,161	222,893	2,439,374	2,392,741	4,832,116
10-19	354,597	309,562	664,159	2,560,294	2,355,368	4,915,663
20-29	962,713	729,913	1,692,626	1,790,984	1,723,403	3,514,387
30-39	1,252,450	1,138,528	2,390,978	1,454,060	1,526,981	2,981,041
40-49	1,048,547	1,039,712	2,088,259	1,667,942	1,669,511	3,337,454
50-59	645,178	761,250	1,406,428	1,463,888	1,505,665	2,969,553
60-69	343,623	442,525	786,148	854,863	863,754	1,718,617
70-79	177,416	308,380	485,796	510,436	666,841	1,177,277
80+	105,595	136,670	242,266	266,672	515,291	781,964
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,007,852</b>	<b>4,971,700</b>	<b>9,979,553</b>	<b>13,008,514</b>	<b>13,219,556</b>	<b>26,228,070</b>

**Figure 10. Distribution of Persons by Age, Sex, and Nativity**



**Table 28. Persons by Race/Ethnicity and Nativity**

Race/Ethnicity	Native	Foreign Born		Total
		Naturalized	Noncitizen	
White	14,209,741	849,982	705,282	15,765,005
Hispanic	7,544,558	1,535,574	3,995,933	13,076,066
Asian	1,579,795	1,544,827	1,098,253	4,222,874
Black	2,103,978	53,235	61,676	2,218,889
<b>Total*</b>	<b>26,228,070</b>	<b>4,067,362</b>	<b>5,912,190</b>	<b>36,207,622</b>

\*Total includes all race/ethnic groups.

**Table 29. Foreign-Born Persons by Region of Birth**

Region of Birth	Number	Percent
Oceania	62,277	0.6%
Caribbean	57,339	0.6%
Africa	127,841	1.3%
South America	224,395	2.2%
Middle East	526,178	5.3%
Europe	550,778	5.5%
Central America	776,384	7.8%
Asia	2,848,003	28.5%
North America	4,739,145	47.5%
Elsewhere	67,209	0.7%
<b>Total*</b>	<b>9,979,549</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

\*Totals may be slightly different due to rounding.

**Table 30. Foreign-Born Persons by Country of Birth\* and Citizenship Status**

Country of Birth*	Naturalized		Noncitizen	Total Foreign Born
	Number	Percent		
Mexico	1,151,260	25.1%	3,428,149	4,579,409
Philippines	484,054	62.5%	290,994	775,047
China	251,478	62.4%	151,645	403,123
El Salvador	133,687	35.4%	244,008	377,695
Vietnam	284,340	78.4%	78,138	362,478
Elsewhere	1,762,543	50.6%	1,719,257	3,481,801
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,067,362</b>	<b>40.8%</b>	<b>5,912,190</b>	<b>9,979,553</b>

\*Top five countries

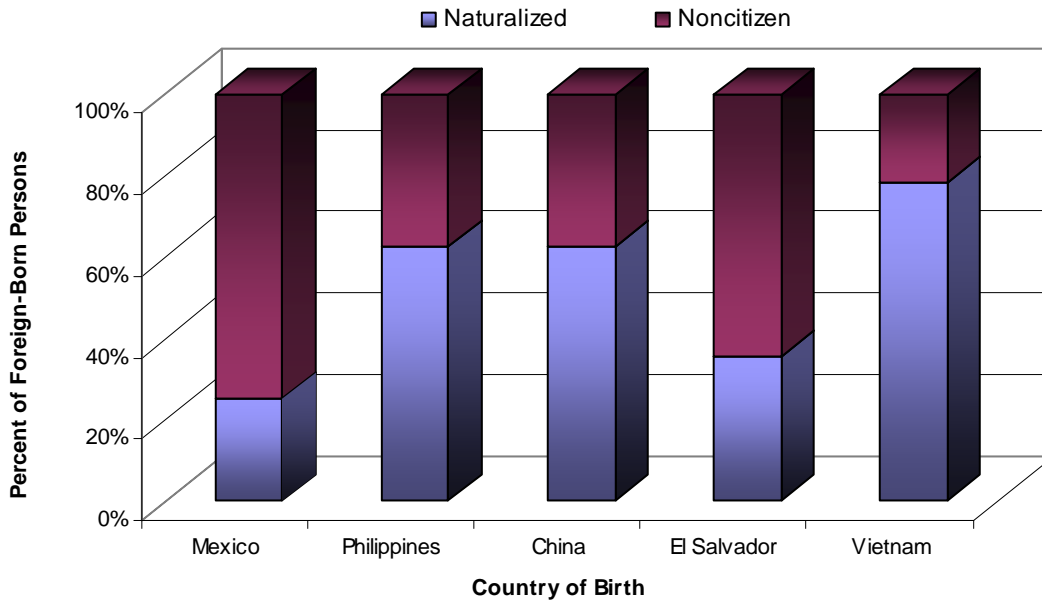
**Table 31. Foreign-Born Persons by Year of Entry and Citizenship Status**

Year of Entry	Naturalized		Noncitizen	Total Foreign Born
	Number	Percent		
Before 1975	1,118,612	73.8%	397,525	1,516,137
1975 - 1979	547,787	68.0%	257,603	805,389
1980 - 1985	869,369	59.2%	599,028	1,468,397
1986 - 1989*	588,687	46.6%	674,303	1,262,990
1990 - 1995	575,830	34.0%	1,115,668	1,691,498
1996 - 1999	236,326	19.5%	977,146	1,213,473
2000 - 2007**	130,752	6.5%	1,890,917	2,021,669
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,067,363</b>	<b>40.8%</b>	<b>5,912,190</b>	<b>9,979,553</b>

\*Includes those wrongly reported as Not In Universe (NIU)

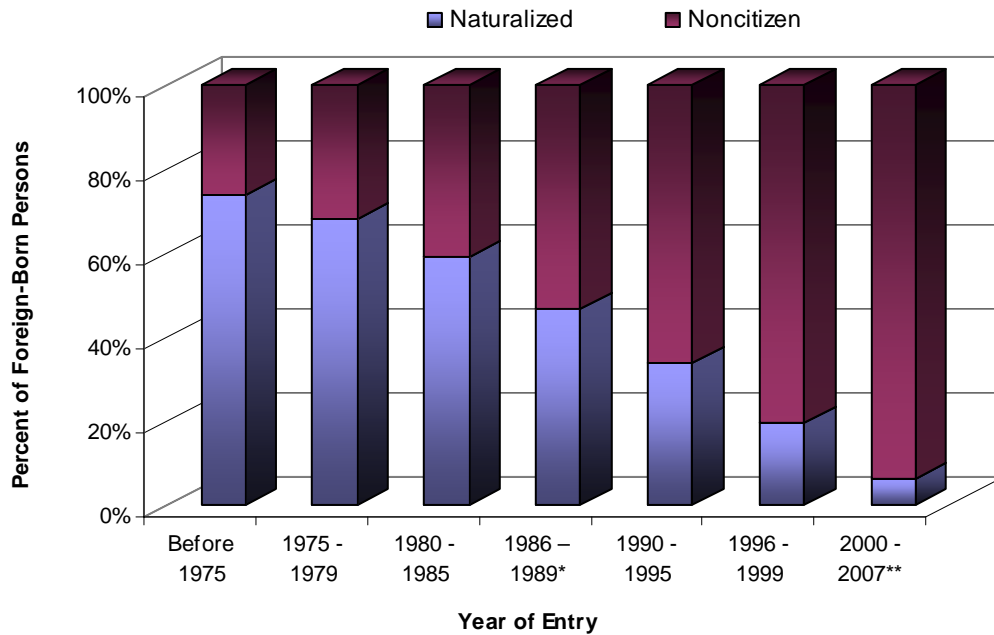
\*\*Through March 2007

**Figure 11. Distribution of Foreign-Born Persons by Country of Birth\* and Citizenship Status**



\*Top five countries

**Figure 12. Distribution of Foreign-Born Persons by Year of Entry and Citizenship Status**



\*Includes those wrongly reported as Not In Universe (NIU)

\*\*Through March 2007

## V. Educational Attainment

In 2007, almost 81 percent of the estimated 23 million Californians age 25 and over had a high school diploma or higher, including nearly 31 percent with a Bachelor's degree or higher and just slightly over 10 percent with a Master's degree or higher (Table 32). Significant differences in educational attainment existed by race/ethnicity. Of the 4.4 million persons who had not earned a high school diploma, 70.7 percent were Hispanic—by far the largest group—followed distantly by Whites with 17 percent. For persons with a Bachelor's degree or higher, over half (61.4 percent) were White, followed by Asians (21.2 percent). Of Whites, 93.2 percent had a high school diploma or higher—the highest percentage—followed by Blacks (90 percent). Over half of Asians (51.7 percent) and 39 percent of Whites had a Bachelor's degree or higher.

In addition to race/ethnic differences in educational attainment, significant disparities existed by nativity: foreign-born persons, particularly noncitizens, had lower levels of educational attainment. About half of the foreign born who were not citizens (50.1 percent) and slightly over a quarter of naturalized citizens (25.5 percent) had less than a high school education, compared to less than 8 percent of U.S. native born (Table 33). Slightly more females (81.1 percent) than males (80.3 percent) had attained at least a high school diploma (Table 34) with the reverse being true with slightly more males than females (31.7 and 30.1 percent respectively) having a Bachelor's degree or higher (Table 35).

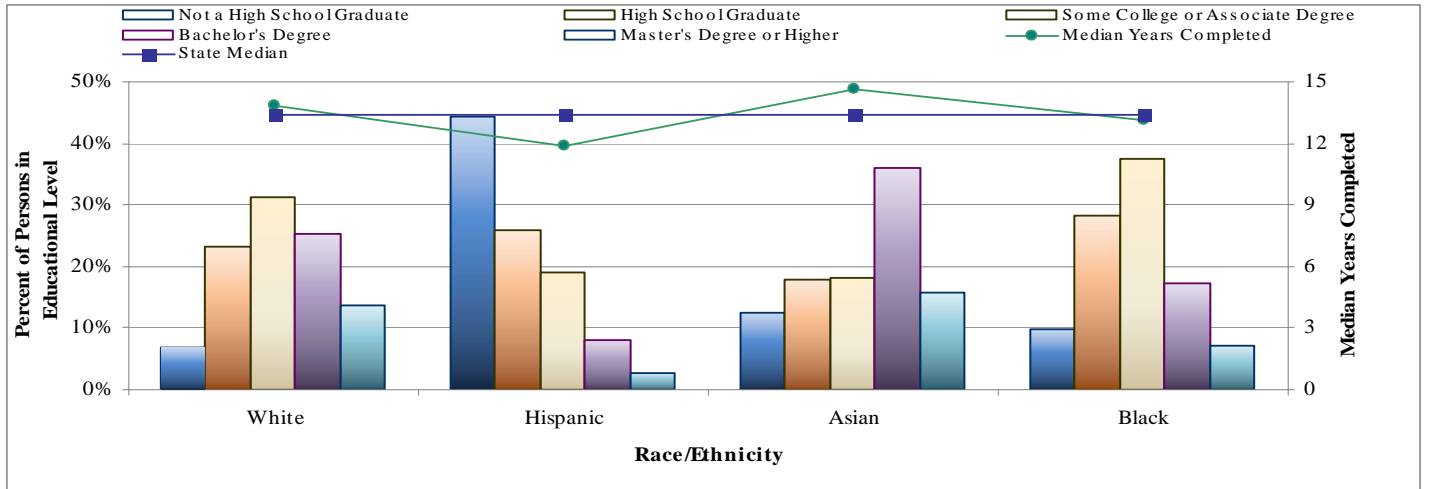
A strong correlation between educational attainment and higher personal income is evident in Figure 15. Although about a third of persons with less than a high school diploma had annual income less than \$10,000, less than 5 percent of persons with a Master's degree or higher had an income that low. Conversely, over a quarter of persons with an annual income of \$60,000 or more had Master's degrees or higher—as did over a third of those with a Bachelor's degree—but only about 2 percent of persons with less than a high school education had an income that high. Regardless of sex or race/ethnicity, higher levels of educational attainment were correlated with higher median incomes (Tables 38 and 39). Given the same level of educational attainment, men still had higher incomes than women (Figure 17).

**Table 32. Persons (25+) by Educational Attainment and Race/Ethnicity**

<b>Educational Attainment</b>	<b>White</b>	<b>Hispanic</b>	<b>Asian</b>	<b>Black</b>	<b>Total*</b>
<b>Not a High School Graduate</b>	755,018	3,129,944	361,905	130,794	4,428,276
<b>High School Graduate</b>	2,575,523	1,834,835	519,628	375,634	5,413,516
<b>Some College or Associate Degree</b>	3,474,933	1,356,833	525,406	499,030	6,027,247
<b>Bachelor's Degree</b>	2,812,069	569,062	1,048,041	231,419	4,765,065
<b>Master's Degree or Higher</b>	1,544,487	184,399	456,318	96,881	2,327,745
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,162,031</b>	<b>7,075,073</b>	<b>2,911,298</b>	<b>1,333,758</b>	<b>22,961,850</b>
<b>Median Years Completed</b>	<b>13.8</b>	<b>11.9</b>	<b>14.6</b>	<b>13.1</b>	<b>13.4</b>
<b>Average Years Completed</b>	<b>14.2</b>	<b>10.6</b>	<b>14.1</b>	<b>13.6</b>	<b>13.0</b>

\*Total includes all race/ethnic groups.

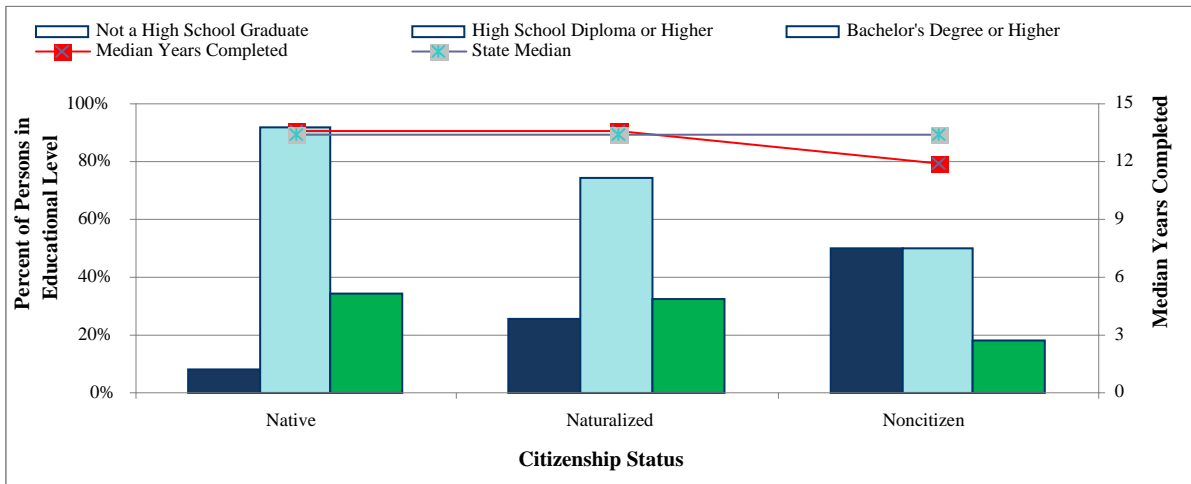
**Figure 13. Distribution of Persons (25+) by Educational Attainment and Race/Ethnicity**



**Table 33. Persons (25+) by Educational Attainment and Nativity**

Educational Attainment	Foreign Born			Total
	Native	Naturalized	Noncitizen	
Not a High School Graduate	1,153,158	958,574	2,316,544	4,428,276
High School Graduate	3,647,315	829,301	936,900	5,413,516
Some College or Associate Degree	4,746,274	742,204	538,770	6,027,247
Bachelor's Degree	3,359,512	832,239	573,314	4,765,065
Master's Degree or Higher	1,680,357	390,768	256,620	2,327,745
<b>Total</b>	<b>14,586,616</b>	<b>3,753,085</b>	<b>4,622,149</b>	<b>22,961,850</b>
Median Years Completed	13.6	13.6	11.9	13.4
Average Years Completed	14.0	12.6	10.3	13.0

**Figure 14. Distribution of Persons (25+) by Educational Attainment and Nativity**



**Table 34. Persons (25+) Reporting a High School Diploma or Higher by Age and Sex**

Age Group	Male	Percent of Age	Female	Percent of Age	Total	Percent of Age
25-34	2,046,875	78.0%	2,065,386	81.9%	4,112,262	79.9%
35-49	3,349,831	80.5%	3,380,672	82.7%	6,730,503	81.6%
50-64	2,347,361	84.2%	2,500,147	83.1%	4,847,508	83.6%
65+	1,209,534	76.6%	1,633,767	74.5%	2,843,301	75.4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,953,602</b>	<b>80.3%</b>	<b>9,579,971</b>	<b>81.1%</b>	<b>18,533,574</b>	<b>80.7%</b>

**Table 35. Persons (25+) Reporting a BA/BS Degree or Higher by Age and Sex**

Age Group	Male	Percent of Age	Female	Percent of Age	Total	Percent of Age
25-34	754,714	28.8%	915,676	36.3%	1,670,390	32.5%
35-49	1,290,860	31.0%	1,344,785	32.9%	2,635,645	31.9%
50-64	1,013,810	36.4%	915,022	30.4%	1,928,832	33.3%
65+	473,905	30.0%	384,039	17.5%	857,944	22.7%
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,533,288</b>	<b>31.7%</b>	<b>3,559,522</b>	<b>30.1%</b>	<b>7,092,810</b>	<b>30.9%</b>

**Table 36. Persons (25+) with a BA/BS Degree or Higher by Degree Type and Sex**

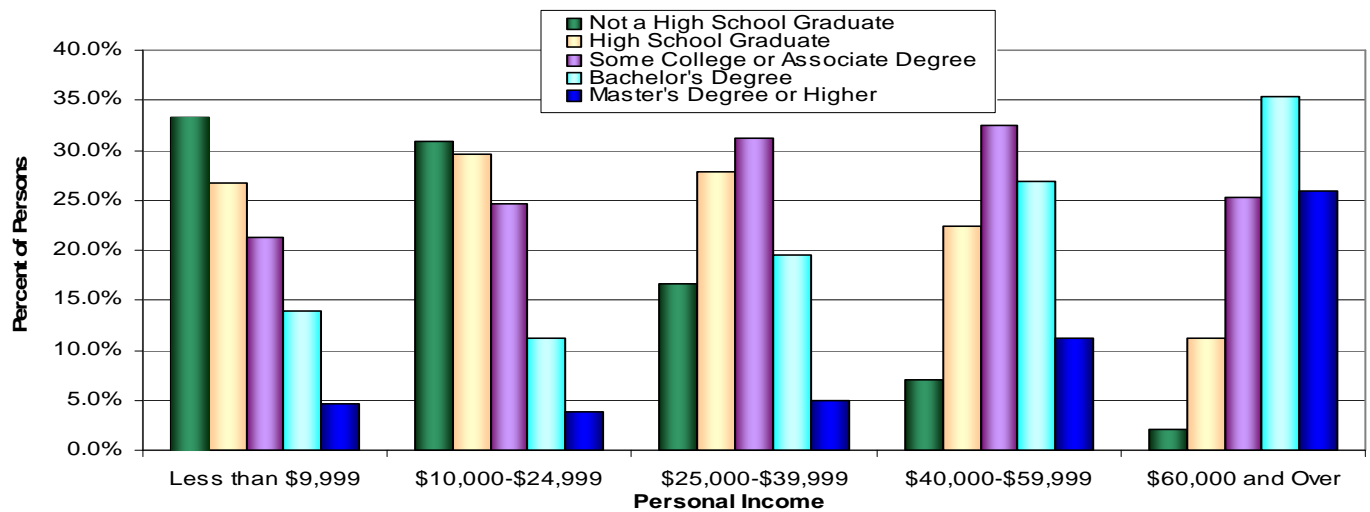
Highest Degree Attained	Male	Female	Total
Bachelor's (BA, BS, AB, etc.)	2,275,983	2,489,082	4,765,065
Master's (MA, MS, MBA, etc.)	772,861	823,066	1,595,927
Professional or Doctorate (PhD, MD, LLB, etc.)	484,444	247,375	731,818
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,533,288</b>	<b>3,559,522</b>	<b>7,092,810</b>



**Table 37. Persons (25+) by Educational Attainment and Personal Income (2006)**

Educational Attainment	Less than \$9,999	\$10,000-\$24,999	\$25,000-\$39,999	\$40,000-\$59,999	\$60,000 and Over	Total	Median Income
Not a High School Graduate	1,683,923	1,787,761	614,877	233,738	107,977	4,428,276	\$12,500
High School Graduate	1,354,190	1,712,294	1,029,847	749,113	568,073	5,413,516	\$20,517
Some College or Associate Degree	1,082,142	1,428,661	1,151,505	1,086,839	1,278,100	6,027,247	\$30,010
Bachelor's Degree	708,858	648,294	721,089	896,539	1,790,286	4,765,065	\$42,316
Master's Degree or Higher	238,263	223,175	181,567	373,092	1,311,648	2,327,745	\$68,026
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,067,376</b>	<b>5,800,185</b>	<b>3,698,885</b>	<b>3,339,320</b>	<b>5,056,084</b>	<b>22,961,850</b>	<b>\$26,112</b>

**Figure 15. Distribution of Persons (25+) by Educational Attainment and Personal Income (2006)**

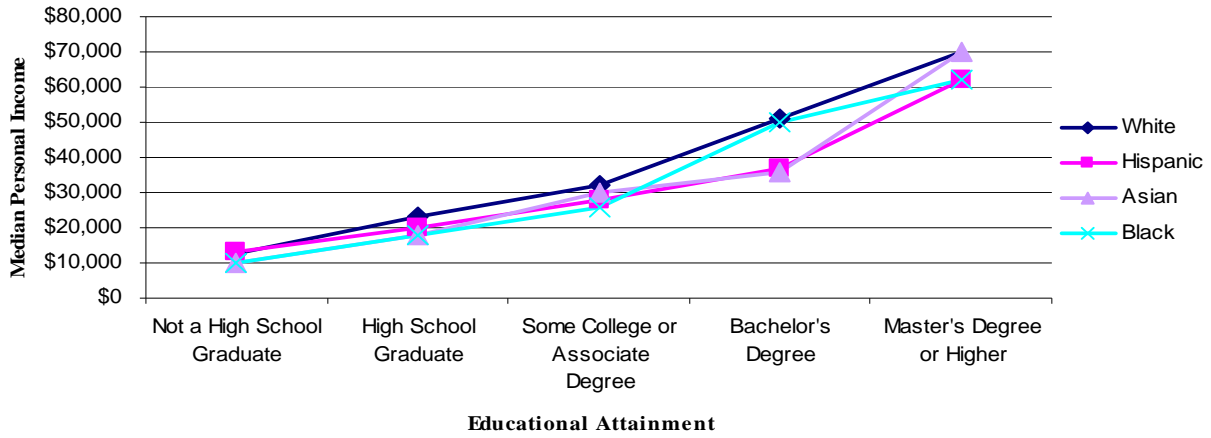


**Table 38. Median Personal Income (2006) for Persons (25+) by Educational Attainment and Race/Ethnicity**

Educational Attainment	Median Personal Income				
	White	Hispanic	Asian	Black	Total*
Not a High School Graduate	\$12,811	\$13,000	\$10,000	\$10,146	\$12,500
High School Graduate	\$23,049	\$20,000	\$17,706	\$17,680	\$20,517
Some College or Associate Degree	\$31,919	\$28,000	\$29,850	\$26,000	\$30,010
Bachelor's Degree	\$50,824	\$37,001	\$36,048	\$50,050	\$45,316
Master's Degree or Higher	\$70,180	\$62,080	\$70,000	\$62,000	\$68,026
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$35,000</b>	<b>\$19,000</b>	<b>\$27,862</b>	<b>\$26,000</b>	<b>\$26,112</b>

\*Total includes all race/ethnic groups.

**Figure 16. Median Personal Income (2006) for Persons (25+) by Educational Attainment and Race Ethnicity**



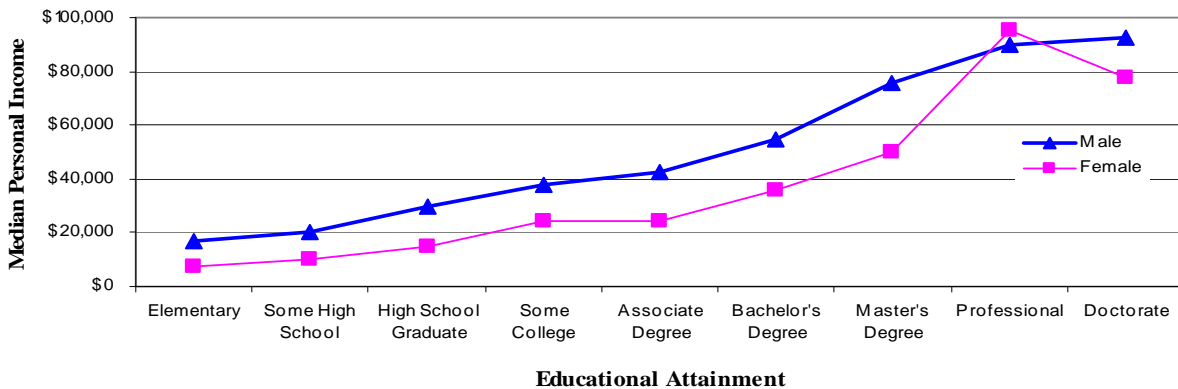
**Table 39. Median Personal Income (2006) for Persons (25+) by Educational Attainment and Sex**

Educational Attainment	Median Personal Income		
	Male	Female**	Total
Elementary	\$17,000	\$7,435	\$11,286
Some High School	\$20,000	\$10,272	\$14,265
High School Graduate	\$29,425	\$15,000	\$20,517
Some College	\$38,118	\$24,262	\$30,000
Associate Degree	\$42,500	\$24,000	\$31,300
Bachelor's Degree	\$55,022	\$36,000	\$45,316
Master's Degree	\$75,816	\$50,000	\$60,000
Professional*	\$90,050	\$95,200	\$92,270
Doctorate	\$92,301	\$77,500	\$89,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$35,000</b>	<b>\$19,361</b>	<b>\$26,112</b>

\*Professional degrees include MD, DDS, DVM, LLB, and JD.

\*\* Patterns in income by gender are the same for all educational attainment levels except "Professional Degree." This pattern change may be attributed to smaller samples for females than males.

**Figure 17. Median Personal Income (2006) for Persons (25+) by Educational Attainment and Sex**



## VI. Labor Force Characteristics

Of the estimated 27.7 million persons age 16 and over in 2007, the CPS estimated that 18.2 million (65.7 percent) were in the civilian labor force (Table 40). Of the 34.3 percent not in the civilian labor force, 63.3 percent were female. However, females comprised 44.3 percent of persons in the civilian labor force and males 55.7 percent. At all ages, more males than females were in the civilian labor force.

As with gender, civilian labor force participation rates differed by race/ethnicity. Hispanics had the highest participation rate (68.9 percent), followed by Asians and Whites (both at 65 percent) and Blacks (56.6 percent) (Table 41). Blacks had the highest percentage of unemployed persons (10.4 percent), followed by Hispanics (6.2 percent). The percentage unemployed for Asians (4.5 percent) and Whites (4.3 percent) were similar.

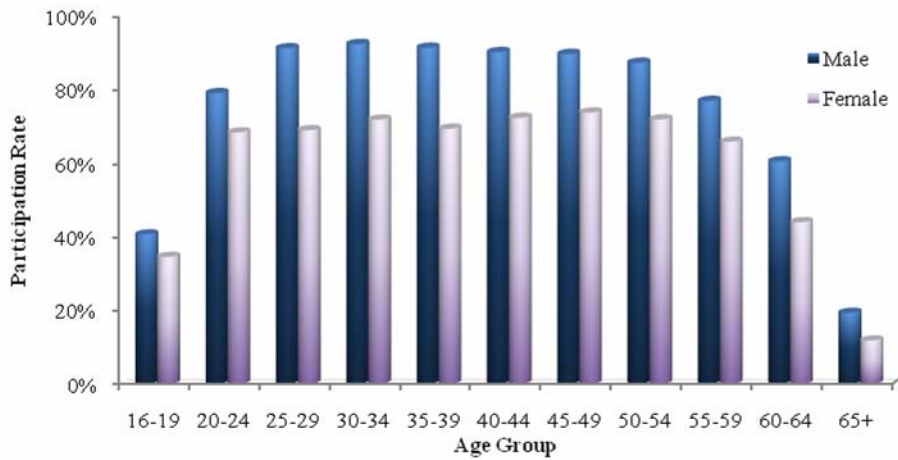
By major industrial groups, about a fifth of employed persons worked in the educational and health services group (20.2 percent), followed by the wholesale and retail trade (14.1 percent) as shown in Table 42. Mining (0.1 percent) had the fewest persons employed but had the second-highest median income (\$51,000); only the public administration group had a higher median income (\$53,000). Persons employed in financial activities had the highest average income, \$74,054, followed by the information industrial group, \$66,058 (Table 42). By major occupational classification, management, business, and financial occupations had the highest median (\$60,000) and average income (\$81,991).

Overall, median family income in 2006 was \$62,005. Families with no employed persons had the lowest median family income (\$25,134) and families with three or more employed persons had the highest (\$95,303).

**Table 40. Persons (16+) by Age, Civilian Labor Force Participation, and Sex**

Age group	In Civilian Labor Force			Not in Labor Force		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
16-19	471,593	361,486	833,079	688,651	685,262	1,373,913
20-24	1,088,754	835,274	1,924,028	286,413	385,559	671,972
25-29	1,228,908	848,966	2,077,874	115,750	380,615	496,365
30-34	1,148,606	926,898	2,075,504	92,623	361,599	454,222
35-39	1,316,707	955,041	2,271,748	121,885	420,264	542,149
40-44	1,180,658	990,363	2,171,021	126,270	377,116	503,386
45-49	1,244,665	988,428	2,233,093	140,851	350,013	490,864
50-54	1,002,043	872,981	1,875,024	144,061	339,742	483,803
55-59	741,851	694,557	1,436,408	221,112	359,635	580,747
60-64	411,516	325,806	737,322	267,937	415,016	682,953
65+	304,617	257,583	562,200	1,274,534	1,935,058	3,209,592
<b>Total</b>	<b>10,139,916</b>	<b>8,057,382</b>	<b>18,197,298</b>	<b>3,480,087</b>	<b>6,009,879</b>	<b>9,489,966</b>

**Figure 18. Persons (16+) by Age, Civilian Labor Force Participation Rate, and Sex**



**Table 41. Persons (16+) by Employment Status and Race/Ethnicity**

Civilian Labor Force	White	Hispanic	Asian	Black	Total*
<b>Employed</b>	8,039,330	5,824,512	2,126,064	836,319	17,224,148
<b>Unemployed</b>	360,931	386,864	99,889	96,609	973,151
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,400,261</b>	<b>6,211,376</b>	<b>2,225,953</b>	<b>932,928</b>	<b>18,197,299</b>
<b>Percent Unemployed</b>	<b>4.3%</b>	<b>6.2%</b>	<b>4.5%</b>	<b>10.4%</b>	<b>5.3%</b>
<b>Civilian Labor Force Participation Rate</b>	<b>65%</b>	<b>68.9%</b>	<b>65.1%</b>	<b>56.6%</b>	<b>65.7%</b>

\*Total includes all race/ethnic groups.

**Table 42. Persons (16+, Employed\*) by Major Industrial Group and Mean and Median Earnings (2006)**

Major Industry Group	Employed		Earnings	
	Number	Percent	Mean	Median
<b>Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, and Hunting</b>	259,849	1.5%	\$37,676	\$20,000
<b>Construction</b>	1,506,148	8.7%	\$42,033	\$30,000
<b>Educational and Health Services</b>	3,478,441	20.2%	\$43,915	\$32,000
<b>Financial Activities</b>	1,231,162	7.1%	\$74,054	\$49,000
<b>Information</b>	535,755	3.1%	\$66,058	\$50,000
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	1,500,603	8.7%	\$28,806	\$18,000
<b>Manufacturing</b>	1,737,106	10.1%	\$51,432	\$37,559
<b>Mining</b>	19,942	0.1%	\$53,186	\$51,000
<b>Other Services</b>	795,812	4.6%	\$28,414	\$20,800
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	2,157,598	12.5%	\$59,973	\$42,000
<b>Public Administration</b>	751,637	4.4%	\$59,877	\$53,000
<b>Transportation and Utilities</b>	816,105	4.7%	\$41,216	\$36,000
<b>Wholesale and Retail Trade</b>	2,433,990	14.1%	\$36,735	\$25,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>17,224,148</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>\$46,801</b>	<b>\$32,000</b>

\*Includes both full and part-time employees.

**Table 43. Persons (16+, Employed\*) by Major Occupational Group and Mean & Median Earnings (2006)**

Major Occupation Group	Employed		Earnings	
	Number	Percent	Mean	Median
Construction and Extraction Occupations	1,193,533	6.9%	\$33,532	\$28,001
Farming, Fishing and Forestry Occupations	179,616	1.0%	\$20,145	\$18,000
Installations, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	578,311	3.4%	\$40,619	\$39,000
Management, Business and Financial Occupations	2,787,583	16.2%	\$81,991	\$60,000
Office and Administrative Support Occupations	2,231,922	13.0%	\$31,896	\$28,000
Production Occupations	884,166	5.1%	\$31,258	\$24,000
Professional and Related Occupations	3,589,447	20.8%	\$61,538	\$50,000
Sales and Related Occupations	2,053,092	11.9%	\$47,416	\$30,000
Service Occupations	2,774,488	16.1%	\$23,508	\$17,200
Transportation And Material Moving Occupations	951,990	5.5%	\$29,554	\$25,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>17,224,148</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>\$46,801</b>	<b>\$32,000</b>

\*Includes both full and part-time employees.

**Table 44. Families by Number of Persons Employed\* and Median Family Income (2006)**

Number of Persons Employed	Families	Percent	Median Family Income
Zero	1,365,009	15.5%	\$25,134
One	3,104,257	35.2%	\$50,000
Two	3,394,686	38.5%	\$86,674
Three or More	947,249	10.8%	\$95,303
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,811,202</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>\$62,005</b>

\*Includes all civilians age 15 and over who were either “at work” or were “with a job but not at work.”

## VII. Income

**Personal Income:** Median personal income in 2006 for females, \$15,000, was significantly lower than that of males, \$27,619 (Table 45). Of the 7 percent of persons with personal income of \$100,000 or more, only 30.6 percent were female, compared to 69.4 percent male. Conversely, females comprised 63.8 percent of workers at the lowest level of personal income (less than \$10,000 per year).

Of the estimated 3.8 million Californians age 65 and over, slightly more than three-quarters of both males and females received Social Security (Table 46). However, 7.7 percent of females received Supplemental Security Income, compared to 4.6 percent of males. Mean and median personal income were significantly higher for males age 65 and over than for females (Table 47).

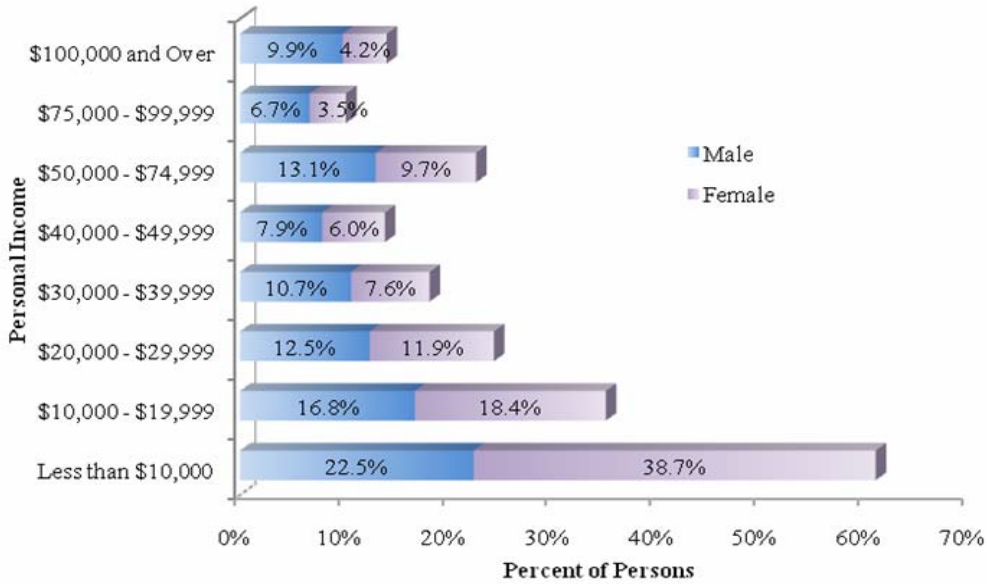
**Family Income:** Of the estimated 8.8 million families in 2007, 41.9 percent had incomes of \$75,000 or more and 30.7 percent had incomes less than \$40,000 (Table 48). By race/ethnicity of the householder, significantly more White (52.9 percent) and Asian (51.1 percent) families had incomes of \$75,000 or more than did Black (33.4 percent) and Hispanic (23.5 percent) families. Conversely, Hispanics (44.3 percent) and Blacks (38.9 percent) had the highest percentage of families with incomes of less than \$40,000; White (22.5 percent) and Asian families (24.2 percent) had the lowest percentages. Families with White (\$79,313) and Asian (\$77,000) head of household had median incomes above the state median of \$62,005; Black (\$53,370) and Hispanic (\$44,400) headed families were below. Families with four persons had the highest median income and those with two members had the lowest (Table 49).

**Household Income:** A quarter of the estimated 12.8 million households (25.2 percent) had income of \$100,000 or more; 29.3 percent earned between \$50,000 and \$100,000; and 45.5 percent were below \$50,000 (Table 48). Households headed by persons less than 35 years of age and by persons age 65 or over had median income below the state median of \$55,000 (Table 50). Households consisting of four persons had the highest median income (\$75,000) and one-person households had the lowest (\$29,576) as shown in Table 51.

**Table 45. Persons (15+) by Personal Income (2006) and Sex**

Personal Income	Male	Female	Total	
			Number	Percent
Less than \$10,000	3,146,131	5,548,250	8,694,382	30.7%
\$10,000 - \$19,999	2,356,133	2,632,994	4,989,126	17.6%
\$20,000 - \$29,999	1,746,350	1,713,535	3,459,884	12.2%
\$30,000 - \$39,999	1,495,493	1,084,838	2,580,331	9.1%
\$40,000 - \$49,999	1,106,742	866,606	1,973,347	7.0%
\$50,000 - \$74,999	1,826,744	1,384,376	3,211,121	11.3%
\$75,000 - \$99,999	939,070	500,721	1,439,791	5.1%
\$100,000 and Over	1,381,115	609,463	1,990,578	7.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>13,997,778</b>	<b>14,340,783</b>	<b>28,338,560</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>Mean</b>	<b>\$44,224</b>	<b>\$27,068</b>	<b>\$35,542</b>	
<b>Median</b>	<b>\$27,619</b>	<b>\$15,000</b>	<b>\$20,009</b>	

**Figure 19. Distribution of Persons (15+) by Personal Income (2006) and Sex**



**Table 46. Persons (65+) by Sex and Receipt of Social Security and Supplemental Security Income (2006)**

Source of Income (2006)	Male	Percent of Males 65+	Female	Percent of Females 65+	Total	Percent of Persons 65+
Social Security	1,214,922	76.9%	1,676,221	76.4%	2,891,142	76.7%
Supplemental Security	72,331	4.6%	167,844	7.7%	240,175	6.4%

**Table 47. Persons (65+) by Selected Types of Income Received (2006) and Sex**

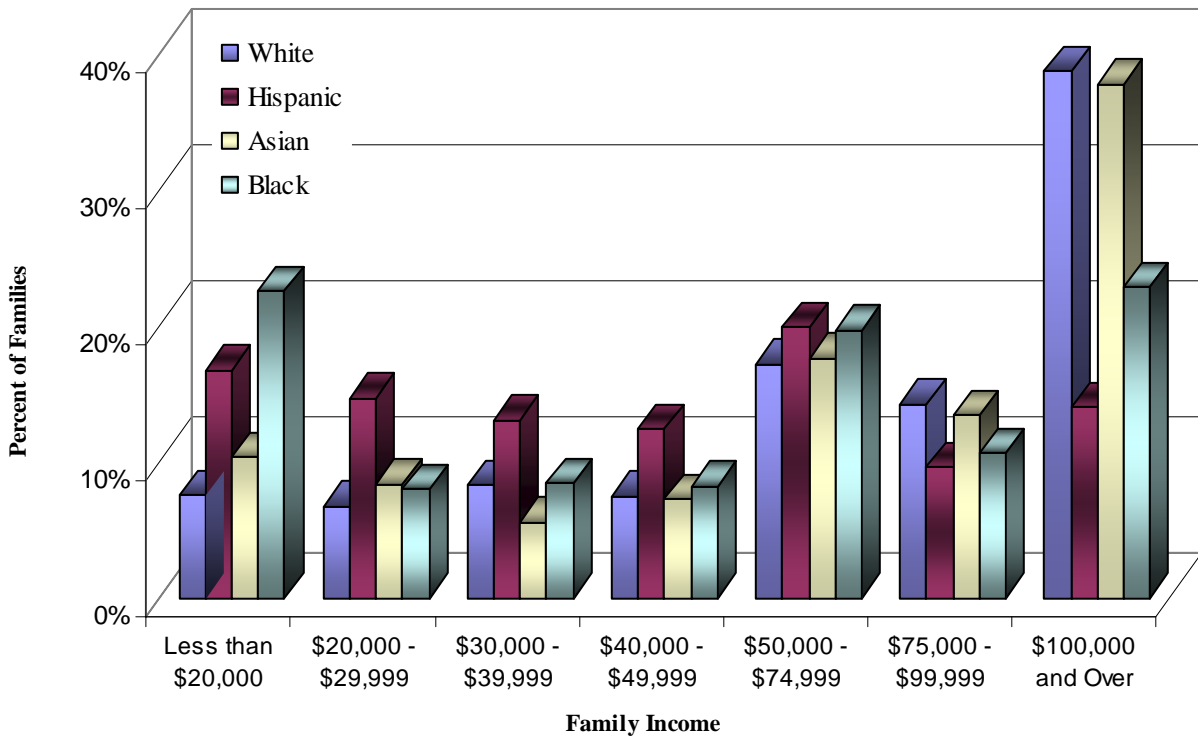
Source of Income (2006)	Male		Female		Total	
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
Social Security	\$13,442	\$13,422	\$10,517	\$10,000	\$11,728	\$11,520
Supplemental Security	\$7,516	\$8,760	\$5,747	\$6,000	\$6,280	\$6,600
Total Personal Income	\$34,488	\$21,391	\$22,270	\$13,062	\$27,386	\$16,002

**Table 48. Households by Household Income (2006) and Families by Family Income (2006) and Race/Ethnicity of Householder**

	315,247	470,780	112,642	117,458	1,038,011	2,143,288
	282,258	412,469	91,247	41,698	839,493	1,335,158
	344,773	366,277	60,329	43,940	830,357	1,187,434
	310,888	348,213	78,754	42,510	791,346	1,162,480
	718,921	559,284	191,840	102,461	1,622,102	2,290,885
	595,113	269,313	146,337	55,457	1,103,698	1,468,625
	1,616,533	393,688	412,349	119,124	2,586,194	3,233,584
	<b>4,183,733</b>	<b>2,820,026</b>	<b>1,093,498</b>	<b>522,648</b>	<b>8,811,202</b>	<b>12,821,453</b>
	<b>\$106,329</b>	<b>\$57,563</b>	<b>\$94,647</b>	<b>\$74,635</b>	<b>\$86,893</b>	<b>\$77,274</b>
	<b>\$79,313</b>	<b>\$44,400</b>	<b>\$77,000</b>	<b>\$53,370</b>	<b>\$62,005</b>	<b>\$55,000</b>

\*Total includes all race/ethnic groups.

**Figure 20. Distribution of Families by Family Income (2006) and Race/Ethnicity of Householder**





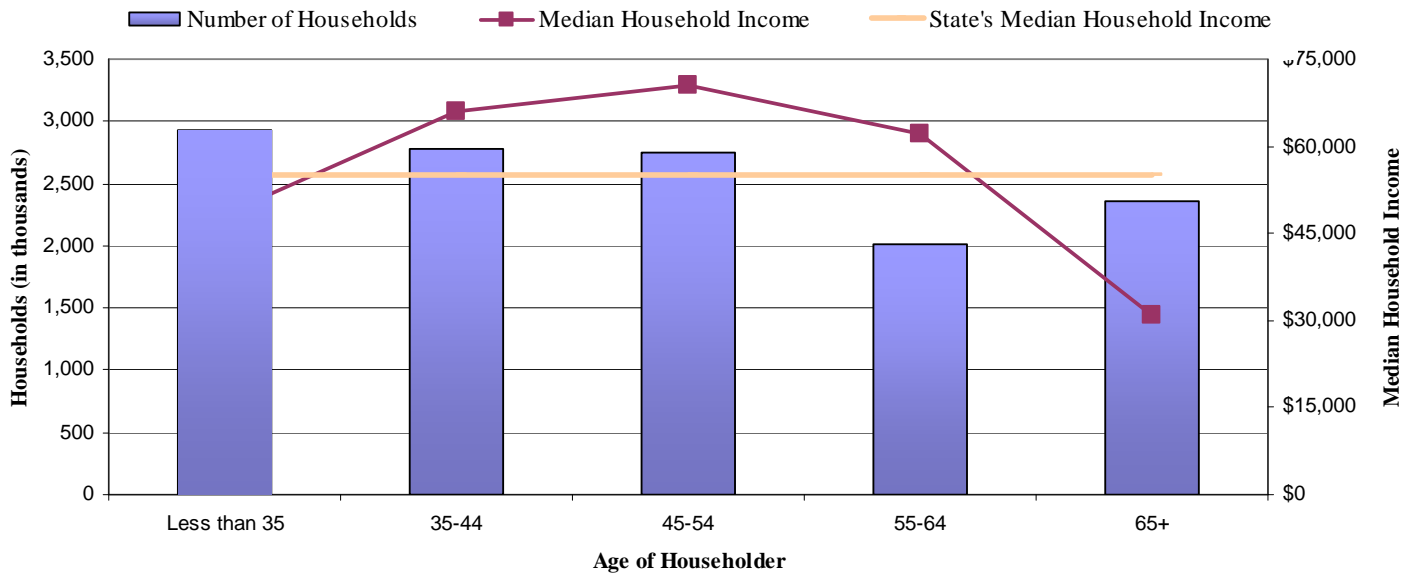
**Table 49. Families by Size of Family and Mean and Median Family Income (2006)**

Family Size	Families		Family Income	
	Number	Percent	Mean	Median
2	3,220,110	36.5%	\$82,552	\$56,001
3	1,987,345	22.6%	\$85,567	\$62,750
4	1,939,734	22.0%	\$98,733	\$73,596
5	1,003,603	11.4%	\$86,536	\$63,600
6+	660,409	7.5%	\$77,814	\$60,002
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,811,202</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>\$86,893</b>	<b>\$62,005</b>

**Table 50. Households by Age of Householder and Mean and Median Household Income (2006)**

Age of Householder	Households		Household Income	
	Number	Percent	Mean	Median
Less than 35	2,936,208	22.9%	\$64,748	\$48,400
35-44	2,773,928	21.6%	\$92,980	\$66,000
45-54	2,747,955	21.4%	\$90,733	\$70,584
55-64	2,010,939	15.7%	\$88,911	\$62,239
65+	2,352,423	18.3%	\$48,717	\$30,924
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,821,453</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>\$77,274</b>	<b>\$55,000</b>

**Figure 21. Median Household Income (2006) by Age of Householder**



**Table 51. Households by Size of Household and Mean and Median Household Income (2006)**

Household Size	Households		Household Income	
	Number	Percent	Mean	Median
1	3,111,481	24.3%	\$44,282	\$29,576
2	3,685,439	28.7%	\$83,883	\$58,752
3	2,176,235	17.0%	\$87,244	\$65,010
4	2,033,109	15.9%	\$99,147	\$75,000
5	1,065,295	8.3%	\$87,845	\$65,000
6+	749,895	5.8%	\$78,425	\$61,443
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,821,453</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>\$77,274</b>	<b>\$55,000</b>

**Table 52. Households by Selected Types of Household Income Sources (2006)**

Number of Households with Persons Who Received Income from	Households		Household Income	
	Households	Percent of All Households	Mean	Median
Wage and Salary	9,815,323	34.4%	\$76,017	\$55,021
Farm and Non-Farm Self Employment*	1,793,549	6.3%	\$45,844	\$25,000
Unemployment Compensation	597,170	2.1%	\$4,618	\$3,000
Worker's Compensation	193,826	0.7%	\$10,431	\$8,520
Social Security	2,943,728	10.3%	\$14,670	\$13,062
Supplemental Security Income (SSI)	623,346	2.2%	\$8,904	\$8,520
Veterans' Payments	157,347	0.6%	\$12,746	\$7,260
Disability Benefits	280,377	1.0%	\$11,548	\$8,400
Retirement or Pension Income	1,432,298	5.0%	\$20,192	\$14,400
Interest	6,438,226	22.6%	\$4,882	\$432
Dividends	2,631,572	9.2%	\$5,420	\$1,000
Rental or Property Income*	1,147,351	4.0%	\$11,674	\$3,000
Child Support Payments	379,829	1.3%	\$6,541	\$4,200
Alimony Payments	75,090	0.3%	\$12,937	\$6,000

\* Self-employment and rental income can be positive or negative.

## VIII. Poverty

The overall poverty rate in 2007 was estimated to be 12.4 percent (Table 53) but it varied significantly by race/ethnicity. Blacks had the highest percentage living below poverty (21 percent), which was almost three times higher than Whites at 7.1 percent. Almost 80 percent of Whites (the state's largest race/ethnic group) lived at 200 percent or higher of the poverty level, compared to slightly over half of Hispanics (the second-largest group). The poverty rate for females, 13.2 percent, was greater than that for males, 11.5 percent (Table 54). By age group, children under the age of 18 were more likely than any other age group to live in poverty.

Like gender and age, poverty rates varied significantly by family type. Married-couple families comprised almost three-quarters of California's estimated 8.8 million families in 2007, but only 6.1 percent of the families living in poverty (Table 55). Female-headed families who made up 18.6 percent of families—the next largest family type—were the most likely to have lived in poverty at 23.1 percent. Male-headed households, only 7.2 percent of all family households, made up about 9 percent of families living in poverty. Only 3.8 percent of families without children lived below poverty but 14.4 percent of families with children lived in poverty.

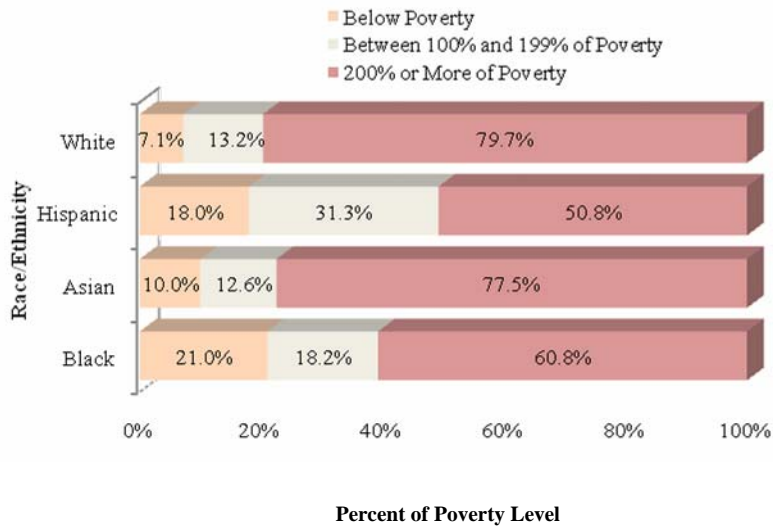
**Table 53. Persons by Race/Ethnicity and Poverty Level Status\***

<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>	<b>Below Poverty</b>	<b>100%&lt;X&lt;200%</b>	<b>200% and Up</b>	<b>Poverty Rate</b>
<b>White</b>	1,124,660	2,076,952	12,563,393	7.1%
<b>Hispanic</b>	2,348,528	4,086,388	6,641,149	18.0%
<b>Asian</b>	420,489	530,790	3,271,595	10.0%
<b>Black</b>	466,280	404,582	1,348,026	21.0%
<b>Total**</b>	<b>4,474,280</b>	<b>7,212,144</b>	<b>24,521,198</b>	<b>12.4%</b>

\*Poverty status is determined for all persons except institutionalized persons, persons in military group quarters, in college dormitories, and for unrelated individuals under age 15. Poverty status is designated for the current year, 2007 but is calculated on the previous year's income, 2006.

\*\*Total includes all race/ethnic groups.

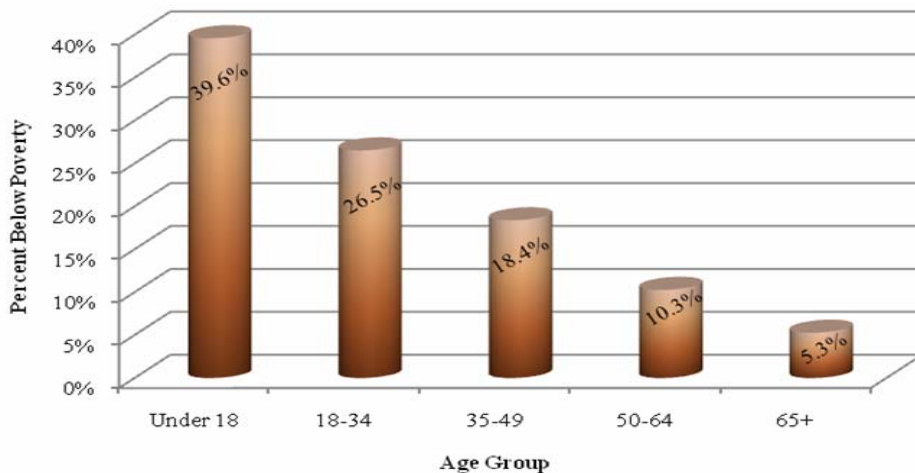
**Figure 22. Percentage of Persons by Poverty Status and Race/Ethnicity**



**Table 54. Persons Below the Poverty Level by Age and Sex**

Age Group	Male	Percent of Age	Female	Percent of Age	Total	Percent of Age
0-17	916,543	18.8%	854,707	18.2%	1,771,250	18.5%
18-34	520,409	11.3%	665,997	15.8%	1,186,406	13.5%
35-49	372,914	9.0%	448,978	11.0%	821,892	10.0%
50-64	186,681	6.7%	272,463	9.1%	459,145	7.9%
65+	82,872	5.2%	152,715	7.0%	235,587	6.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,079,420</b>	<b>11.5%</b>	<b>2,394,861</b>	<b>13.2%</b>	<b>4,474,280</b>	<b>12.4%</b>

**Figure 23. Distribution of Persons Below the Poverty Level by Age**



**Table 55. Families by Poverty Status and Family Type**

Poverty Status	Total Families		Married-Couple Families		Other Families				
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Male Householder, No Wife Present		Female Householder, No Husband Present		
					Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
<b>Below Poverty</b>	856,128	9.7%	400,906	6.1%	76,154	11.9%	379,068	23.1%	
<b>Between 100 and 149% of Poverty</b>	757,535	8.6%	483,803	7.4%	54,554	8.5%	219,177	13.3%	
<b>150% and Above of Poverty</b>	7,197,538	81.7%	5,644,908	86.5%	507,769	79.5%	1,044,860	63.6%	
<b>Total</b>	<b>With Children</b>	<b>4,927,930</b>	<b>55.9%</b>	<b>3,547,452</b>	<b>54.3%</b>	<b>349,415</b>	<b>54.7%</b>	<b>1,031,063</b>	<b>62.8%</b>
	<b>W/O Children</b>	<b>3,883,272</b>	<b>44.1%</b>	<b>2,982,167</b>	<b>45.7%</b>	<b>289,062</b>	<b>45.3%</b>	<b>612,042</b>	<b>37.2%</b>
	<b>Total</b>	<b>8,811,202</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>6,529,619</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>638,477</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>1,643,105</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

**Table 56. Families by Poverty Status and Presence of Related Children**

Poverty Status		Total Families	
		Number	Percent
<b>Below Poverty</b>	<b>With Children</b>	707,356	8.0%
	<b>W/O Children</b>	148,772	1.7%
<b>Between 100 and 149% of Poverty</b>	<b>With Children</b>	526,043	6.0%
	<b>W/O Children</b>	231,492	2.6%
<b>150% and Above of Poverty</b>	<b>With Children</b>	3,694,531	41.9%
	<b>W/O Children</b>	3,503,007	39.8%
<b>Total</b>	<b>With Children</b>	<b>4,927,930</b>	<b>55.9%</b>
	<b>W/O Children</b>	<b>3,883,272</b>	<b>44.1%</b>
	<b>Total</b>	<b>8,811,202</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

**Appendix A. Standard Errors and Confidence Intervals for Selected Characteristics**

I. GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS	Estimate	a	b	California f-factor	Adjusted		SE	CI at 90%		SE*90%CL (SE*1.645)	Error (%)
					a	b		Lower	Upper		
<b>Race/Ethnicity (All persons)</b>											
White	15,765,005	-0.000011	3,222	1.25	-0.00011	4,028	189,095	15,453,944	16,076,066	311,061	1.97%
Hispanic	13,076,066	-0.000130	5,617	1.25	-0.00019	7,021	241,959	12,678,043	13,474,089	398,023	3.04%
Asian	4,222,874	-0.000270	5,617	1.25	-0.00019	7,021	161,804	3,956,707	4,489,041	266,167	6.30%
Black	2,218,889	-0.000097	5,617	1.25	-0.00019	7,021	120,919	2,019,977	2,417,801	198,912	8.96%
American Indian & Alaskan Native	128,356	-0.000270	5,617	1.25	-0.00019	7,021	29,967	79,060	177,652	49,296	38.41%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	205,026	-0.000270	5,617	1.25	-0.00019	7,021	37,833	142,790	267,262	62,236	30.36%
Two or More Races	591,406	-0.000270	5,617	1.25	-0.00019	7,021	63,909	486,276	696,536	105,130	17.78%
<b>Martial Status (Persons 15 years and over)</b>											
Total	28,338,560	-0.000011	3,222	1.25	-0.00011	4,028	156,556	28,081,025	28,596,095	257,535	0.91%
Never Married	9,302,088	-0.000011	3,222	1.25	-0.00011	4,028	166,756	9,027,775	9,576,401	274,313	2.95%
Married	14,386,814	-0.000011	3,222	1.25	-0.00011	4,028	186,665	14,079,751	14,693,877	307,063	2.13%
Separated	647,465	-0.000011	3,222	1.25	-0.00011	4,028	50,605	564,220	730,710	83,245	12.86%
Widowed	1,358,613	-0.000011	3,222	1.25	-0.00011	4,028	72,566	1,239,242	1,477,984	119,371	8.79%
Divorced	2,643,580	-0.000011	3,222	1.25	-0.00011	4,028	99,333	2,480,177	2,806,983	163,403	6.18%
<b>Children in Family (Persons less than 18 years old)</b>											
Living with both parents	7,176,022	-0.000009	2,652	1.25	-0.00009	3,315	138,052	6,948,927	7,403,117	227,095	3.16%
Living with father only	286,252	-0.000009	2,652	1.25	-0.00009	3,315	30,682	235,780	336,724	50,472	17.63%
Living with mother only	1,749,078	-0.000009	2,652	1.25	-0.00009	3,315	74,278	1,626,891	1,871,265	122,187	6.99%
Neither/Unknown	359,681	-0.000009	2,652	1.25	-0.00009	3,315	34,358	303,162	416,200	56,519	15.71%

Housing Tenure (All households)	Estimate	a	b	California f-factor	Adjusted		SE	CI at 90%		SE*90%CL (SE*1.645)	Error (%)	
					a	b		Lower	Upper			
<b>Total</b>												
Owner Occupied	7,488,146	-0.000005	1,052	1.25	-0.00004	1,315	88,339	7,342,829	7,633,463	145,317	1.94%	
Renter Occupied	5,333,307	-0.000005	1,052	1.25	-0.00004	1,315	77,310	5,206,132	5,460,482	127,175	2.38%	
<b>Household Type (All households)</b>												
One person household – Male	1,278,022	-0.000005	1,052	1.25	-0.00004	1,315	47,838	1,754,765	1,912,153	78,694	4.29%	
Female	1,833,459	-0.000005	1,052	1.25	-0.00004	1,315	40,263	1,211,790	1,344,254	66,232	5.18%	
2+ Persons Related	8,811,201	-0.000005	1,052	1.25	-0.00004	1,315	93,583	8,657,257	8,965,145	153,944	1.75%	
Married Couple – w/ Children	3,547,452	-0.000005	1,052	1.25	-0.00004	1,315	64,856	3,440,763	3,654,141	106,689	3.01%	
w/o Children	2,982,167	-0.000005	1,052	1.25	-0.00004	1,315	59,979	2,883,501	3,080,833	98,666	3.31%	
Female Headed – w/ Children	349,415	-0.000005	1,052	1.25	-0.00004	1,315	21,331	314,325	384,505	35,090	10.04%	
w/o Children	289,062	-0.000005	1,052	1.25	-0.00004	1,315	19,418	257,119	321,005	31,943	11.05%	
Male Headed – w/ Children	1,031,063	-0.000005	1,052	1.25	-0.00004	1,315	36,292	971,363	1,090,763	59,700	5.79%	
w/o Children	612,042	-0.000005	1,052	1.25	-0.00004	1,315	28,128	565,771	658,313	46,271	7.56%	
2+ Persons Unrelated	898,771	-0.000005	1,052	1.25	-0.00004	1,315	33,948	842,927	954,615	55,844	6.21%	
<b>II. HEALTH AND INSURANCE (All persons)</b>												
Covered	29,416,819	-0.000009	2,652	1.25	-0.00009	3,315	134,267	29,195,949	29,637,689	220,870	0.75%	
Not covered	6,790,803	-0.000009	2,652	1.25	-0.00009	3,315	135,187	6,568,421	7,013,185	222,382	3.27%	
<b>III. MOBILITY (Persons 1 year and over)</b>												
From Abroad	160,865	-0.000014	3,965	1.25	-0.00014	4,956	28,173	114,520	207,210	46,345	28.81%	
From a Different State	323,275	-0.000014	3,965	1.25	-0.00014	4,956	39,848	257,725	388,825	65,550	20.28%	
Different County, Same State	773,023	-0.000014	3,965	1.25	-0.00014	4,956	61,231	672,298	873,748	100,725	13.03%	
Same County	3,442,213	-0.000014	3,965	1.25	-0.00014	4,956	124,230	3,237,854	3,646,572	204,359	5.94%	

IV. FOREIGN BORN* (All persons)	Estimate	a	b	California f-factor	Adjusted		SE	CI at 90%		SE*90%CL (SE*1.645)	Error (%)
					a	b		Lower	Upper		
Total	9,979,553	0.0000143	4,189	1.25	-0.00015	5,236	194,107	9,660,247	10,298,859	319,306	3.20%
Naturalized	4,067,363	0.0000143	4,189	1.25	-0.00015	5,236	137,386	3,841,363	4,293,363	226,000	5.56%
Noncitizen	5,912,190	0.0000143	4,189	1.25	-0.00015	5,236	160,748	5,647,759	6,176,621	264,431	4.47%
<b>V. EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT (Persons 25 years and over)</b>											
<b>By Race/Ethnicity</b>											
Total**	22,961,850	-0.000005	1,206	1.25	-0.00004	1,508	111,361	22,778,660	23,145,040	183,190	0.80%
White	11,162,031	-0.000005	1,206	1.25	-0.00004	1,508	107,599	10,985,030	11,339,032	177,001	1.59%
Hispanic	7,075,073	-0.000027	922	1.25	-0.00003	1,153	80,881	6,942,024	7,208,122	133,049	1.88%
Asian	2,911,298	-0.000069	1,101	1.25	-0.00004	1,376	60,669	2,811,498	3,011,098	99,800	3.43%
Black	1,333,758	-0.000031	1,364	1.25	-0.00005	1,705	46,790	1,256,789	1,410,727	76,969	5.77%
<b>By Nativity</b>											
Foreign Born (Total)*	8,375,234	0.0000065	1,568	1.25	-0.00005	1,960	112,123	8,190,792	8,559,676	184,442	2.20%
Not a High School Graduate	3,275,118	0.0000065	1,568	1.25	-0.00005	1,960	76,360	3,149,505	3,400,731	125,613	3.84%
High School Graduate	1,766,201	0.0000065	1,568	1.25	-0.00005	1,960	57,363	1,671,840	1,860,562	94,361	5.34%
Some College or AA	1,280,974	0.0000065	1,568	1.25	-0.00005	1,960	49,199	1,200,042	1,361,906	80,932	6.32%
BA/BS	1,405,553	0.0000065	1,568	1.25	-0.00005	1,960	51,442	1,320,930	1,490,176	84,623	6.02%
Master's or Higher	647,388	0.0000065	1,568	1.25	-0.00005	1,960	35,295	589,327	705,449	58,061	8.97%
Native (Total)	14,586,616	-0.000005	1,206	1.25	-0.00004	1,508	114,127	14,398,876	14,774,356	187,740	1.29%
Not a High School Graduate	1,153,158	-0.000005	1,206	1.25	-0.00004	1,508	41,017	1,085,686	1,220,630	67,472	5.85%
High School Graduate	3,647,315	-0.000005	1,206	1.25	-0.00004	1,508	70,270	3,531,721	3,762,909	115,594	3.17%
Some College or AA	4,746,274	-0.000005	1,206	1.25	-0.00004	1,508	78,778	4,616,685	4,875,863	129,589	2.73%
BA/BS	3,359,512	-0.000005	1,206	1.25	-0.00004	1,508	67,742	3,248,077	3,470,947	111,435	3.32%
Master's or Higher	1,680,357	-0.000005	1,206	1.25	-0.00004	1,508	49,134	1,599,531	1,761,183	80,826	4.81%

\*For the foreign born 'a' and 'b' parameters are multiplied by 1.3

\*\*Total includes all race/ethnic groups



VI. LABOR FORCE	Estimate	a	b	California f-factor	Adjusted		SE	CI at 90%		SE*90%CL (SE*1.645)	Error (%)
					a	b		Lower	Upper		
<b>Persons in Labor Force (Civilian 16 years and over)</b>											
Total	18,197,298	-0.000016	3,068	1.25	-0.00011	3,835	185,189	17,892,662	18,501,934	304,636	1.67%
Male	10,139,916	-0.000032	2,971	1.25	-0.00010	3,714	164,273	9,869,687	10,410,145	270,229	2.66%
Female	8,057,382	-0.000031	2,782	1.25	-0.00010	3,478	147,343	7,815,003	8,299,761	242,379	3.01%
<b>Persons Employed (Employed civilians 16 years and over)</b>											
Total*	17,224,148	-0.000016	3,068	1.25	-0.00011	3,835	185,088	16,919,679	17,528,617	304,469	1.77%
White	8,039,330	-0.000016	3,068	1.25	-0.00011	3,835	154,608	7,784,999	8,293,661	254,331	3.16%
Hispanic	5,824,512	-0.000141	3,455	1.25	-0.00012	4,319	145,120	5,585,789	6,063,235	238,723	4.10%
Asian	2,126,064	-0.000346	3,198	1.25	-0.00011	3,998	89,409	1,978,986	2,273,142	147,078	6.92%
Black	836,319	-0.000151	3,455	1.25	-0.00012	4,319	59,392	738,619	934,019	97,700	11.68%
<b>VII. INCOME</b>											
<b>Personal Income (Persons 15 and over)</b>											
	28,338,560	-0.000005	1,249	1.25	-0.00004	1,561	95,930	28,180,755	28,496,365	157,805	0.56%
<b>Family Income (All families)</b>											
Total*	8,811,202	-0.000005	1,140	1.25	-0.00004	1,425	97,283	8,651,171	8,971,233	160,031	1.82%
White	4,183,733	-0.000005	1,140	1.25	-0.00004	1,425	72,558	4,064,374	4,303,092	119,359	2.85%
Hispanic	2,820,026	-0.000036	1,245	1.25	-0.00004	1,556	63,583	2,715,432	2,924,620	104,594	3.71%
Asian	1,093,498	-0.000078	1,245	1.25	-0.00004	1,556	40,617	1,026,683	1,160,313	66,815	6.11%
Black	522,648	-0.000029	1,245	1.25	-0.00004	1,556	28,311	476,077	569,219	46,571	8.91%
<b>Household Income (All households)</b>											
	12,821,453	-0.000005	1,140	1.25	-0.00004	1,425	108,276	12,643,339	12,999,567	178,114	1.39%

\*Total includes all other races and ethnic groups

VIII. POVERTY STATUS	Estimate	a	b	California f-factor	Adjusted		SE	CI at 90%		SE*90%CL (SE*1.645)	Error (%)
					a	b		Lower	Upper		
					<b>Persons</b> (Persons 15 years and over)						
Below Poverty*	4,474,280	-0.000018	5,282	1.25	-0.00018	6,603	160,771	4,209,811	4,738,749	264,469	5.91%
White	1,124,660	-0.000018	5,282	1.25	-0.00018	6,603	84,807	985,153	1,264,167	139,507	12.40%
Hispanic	2,348,528	-0.000123	5,282	1.25	-0.00018	6,603	120,368	2,150,523	2,546,533	198,005	8.43%
Asian	420,489	-0.000254	5,282	1.25	-0.00018	6,603	52,380	334,324	506,654	86,165	20.49%
Black	466,280	-0.000092	5,282	1.25	-0.00018	6,603	55,123	375,603	556,957	90,677	19.45%
<b>Families</b> (All families)											
Total Families	8,811,202	0.000052	1,243	1.25	0.00007	1,554	136,883	8,586,030	9,036,374	225,172	2.56%
Below Poverty	856,128	0.000052	1,243	1.25	0.00007	1,554	37,119	795,067	917,189	61,061	7.13%
Families with Children	707,356	0.000052	1,243	1.25	0.00007	1,554	33,639	652,020	762,692	55,336	7.82%
Families without Children	148,772	0.000052	1,243	1.25	0.00007	1,554	15,251	123,684	173,860	25,088	16.86%
Between 100 to 150% of Poverty	757,535	0.000052	1,243	1.25	0.00007	1,554	34,847	700,212	814,858	57,323	7.57%
Families with Children	526,043	0.000052	1,243	1.25	0.00007	1,554	28,902	478,499	573,587	47,544	9.04%
Families without Children	231,492	0.000052	1,243	1.25	0.00007	1,554	19,057	200,143	262,841	31,349	13.54%
Above 150% of Poverty	7,197,538	0.000052	1,243	1.25	0.00007	1,554	120,625	6,999,109	7,395,967	198,429	2.76%
Families with Children	3,694,531	0.000052	1,243	1.25	0.00007	1,554	81,410	3,560,611	3,828,451	133,920	3.62%
Families without Children	3,503,007	0.000052	1,243	1.25	0.00007	1,554	78,996	3,373,058	3,632,956	129,949	3.71%

\*Total includes all other races and ethnic groups

## **Appendix B: Major Changes in the Current Population Survey Since 1985**

**2005:** Every ten years, the CPS sample is redesigned to reflect the results of the most recent decennial census. As of March 2005, the sample was in the middle of being redesigned, with about 55 percent of the sample based on the 2000 census and the balance on the 1990 census. In 2005, the substate identifiers were also updated to reflect the most current metropolitan-area definitions using the June 30, 2003, metropolitan-core-based statistical area definitions.

**2004:** Population controls were updated to reflect revised estimates of net international migration for 2000 through 2003. This resulted in a decrease in the estimated size of the non-institutionalized civilian population, labor force, and employment levels.

**2003:** In addition to the name change from Annual Demographic to Annual Social and Economic Supplement, modifications to existing CPS variables were made and new variables were introduced. In 2003, persons were able to report more than one race. As a result, the old race variables were replaced with new ones. Again beginning this year, CPS began using the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) based on the Census 2000 industry and occupation codes. The new classification system affected all industry and occupation variables.

**2002:** The 2002 CPS Annual Demographic File (ADF) contained the expanded sample of state estimates of children's health insurance coverage that was implemented in 2001. The expanded sample accounts for the addition of about 34,500 households nationwide and 1,231 households for California in 2002. The 2002 ADF also used weights based on Census 2000 population controls, instead of the 1990 population controls used in previous years. Using 2000-based weights affects weighted frequencies, which are noticeable when comparing 2002 to earlier years.

**2001:** The Census Bureau expanded the sample size to improve state estimates of children's health insurance coverage in the winter of 2001-02. These data were released in autumn of 2002. The original September 2001 sample file was revised because of a weight adjustment. This report contains only data from the original revised sample file released December 2001.

**1996:** The sample size taken in Los Angeles County was significantly reduced. The March survey for the first time contained a question on self-reported health status of the respondents.

**1994:** The independent national population controls used for age, sex, race, and Hispanic origin were prepared by projecting forward the population as enumerated in the 1990 decennial census adjusted for the 1990 census undercount. Most estimates in the profile were affected by these changes.

**1990:** The sample reduction from 1989 was restored.

**1989:** The sample size for California was reduced by approximately 38 percent.

**1985:** Controls for the Hispanic population were introduced for the first time. These controls included an estimate of illegal immigrants.

**Appendix C: Sample Size of California Portion of the March Supplement  
to the Current Population Survey, 1987-2007**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Households</b>	<b>Persons</b>
<b>1987</b>	4,739	13,349
<b>1988</b>	4,790	13,540
<b>1989</b>	2,949	7,997
<b>1990</b>	4,945	14,437
<b>1991</b>	5,011	14,894
<b>1992</b>	5,018	14,846
<b>1993</b>	4,923	14,732
<b>1994</b>	4,639	14,018
<b>1995</b>	4,590	13,579
<b>1996</b>	4,377	12,904
<b>1997</b>	4,496	13,113
<b>1998</b>	4,465	13,188
<b>1999</b>	4,525	13,214
<b>2000</b>	4,453	13,325
<b>2001</b>	4,338	12,966
<b>2002</b>	5,569	16,857
<b>2003</b>	5,600	16,779
<b>2004</b>	5,389	16,269
<b>2005</b>	5,834	17,459
<b>2006</b>	6,519	19,737
<b>2007</b>	6,461	19,517

### Appendix D. Country of Birth of the Foreign Born by Region

<b>Region of Birth</b>	<b>Country of Birth</b>	<b>Foreign Born</b>
<b>Africa</b>	Cameroon	1,710
	Egypt	23,736
	Ethiopia	29,535
	Eritrea	2,047
	Ghana	1,720
	Kenya	4,113
	Morocco	5,373
	Nigeria	16,854
	Somalia	5,001
	South Africa	18,494
	Uganda	1,547
	Africa, Not Specified	17,711
	Africa, Total	127,841
	<b>Asia</b>	Afghanistan
Bangladesh		11,921
Myanmar (Burma)		8,655
Cambodia		30,025
China		403,123
Hong Kong		59,941
India		323,412
Indonesia		60,187
Japan		100,398
Korea		268,411
Laos		50,355
Malaysia		16,725
Pakistan		16,588
Philippines		775,047
Russia		63,558
Singapore		5,861
Sri Lanka		6,842
Taiwan		151,712
Thailand		41,683
USSR		36,221
Vietnam		362,478
Asia, Not Specified		31,647
Asia, Total	2,848,003	
<b>Caribbean</b>	Cuba	35,594
	Dominica	1,507
	Dominican Republic	1,368
	Haiti	6,844
	Jamaica	5,004
	Trinidad and Tobago	3,250
	Guana	3,772
	Caribbean, Total	57,339

<b>Central America</b>	Belize	38,792
	Costa Rica	22,706
	El Salvador	377,695
	Guatemala	206,240
	Honduras	55,929
	Nicaragua	60,113
	Panama	14,909
	Central America, Total	776,384
<b>Europe</b>	Austria	20,829
	Belgium	5,450
	Bulgaria	11,596
	Czechoslovakia	4,575
	Denmark	12,189
	Finland	2,661
	France	25,469
	Germany	88,063
	Greece	5,823
	Hungary	10,007
	Ireland	16,741
	Italy	32,453
	Netherlands	18,684
	Poland	10,159
	Portugal	45,984
	Romania	28,422
	Spain	10,847
	Sweden	17,177
	Switzerland	21,232
	United Kingdom	23,773
	England	61,519
	Scotland	11,033
	Yugoslavia	4,417
	Slovakia	3,179
	Croatia	6,974
	Serbia	5,205
	Latvia	4,854
	Ukraine	32,865
	Europe, Not Specified	8,598
	Europe, Total	539,182
<b>Middle East</b>	Armenia	103,966
	Cyprus	3,052
	Iran	271,957
	Iraq	37,092
	Israel	34,477
	Jordan	11,179
	Lebanon	28,122
	Suadi Arabia	5,445
	Syria	26,065
	Turkey	4,823
		526,178

<b>North America</b>	Canada	116,981
	Mexico	4,579,409
	Americas, Not Specified	42,755
	North America, Total	4,739,145
<b>Oceania</b>	Australia	18,990
	Fiji	18,967
	New Zealand	4,545
	Tonga	3,356
	Samoa	10,068
	Oceania, Not Specified	6,351
	Oceania, Total	62,277
<b>South America</b>	Argentina	45,646
	Bolivia	5,770
	Brazil	31,001
	Chile	6,362
	Columbia	27,361
	Ecuador	7,676
	Peru	91,824
	Venezuela	2,888
	South America, Not Specified	5,867
	South America, Total	224,395
<b>Elsewhere</b>	Elsewhere	67,209
<b>Total Foreign Born</b>		9,979,553