

Nonimmigrants Admitted by Selected Country of Citizenship and State of Intended Destination: Fiscal Year 2000

State of intended residence	All countries <sup>1</sup>	Europe													
		Austria	Belgium	Denmark	France	Germany	Ireland	Italy	Netherlands	Norway	Poland	Spain	Sweden	Switzerland	United Kingdom
<b>Total</b>	<b>33,690,082</b>	<b>212,725</b>	<b>257,942</b>	<b>177,622</b>	<b>1,323,674</b>	<b>2,139,077</b>	<b>404,135</b>	<b>807,129</b>	<b>681,894</b>	<b>165,592</b>	<b>145,196</b>	<b>464,150</b>	<b>375,390</b>	<b>388,898</b>	<b>4,984,031</b>
Alabama	55,020	404	501	409	1,726	8,763	405	1,227	1,558	494	226	714	780	540	7,599
Alaska	88,177	1,476	596	380	2,021	12,349	406	1,420	2,233	623	172	1,059	549	3,842	19,099
Arizona	414,403	2,046	3,744	1,889	17,326	26,826	3,339	5,631	7,048	1,529	844	2,153	4,359	3,842	50,560
Arkansas	29,521	148	190	157	977	2,346	150	384	449	106	113	252	270	238	3,273
California	4,709,415	33,053	34,578	31,257	239,255	313,449	47,782	106,549	97,936	22,185	8,894	42,619	56,864	64,567	577,505
Colorado	336,446	2,498	3,142	2,317	10,909	28,996	2,818	5,073	10,089	2,051	1,173	2,899	5,174	5,133	66,262
Connecticut	207,113	1,318	1,904	2,118	9,958	16,959	4,967	7,202	5,361	1,860	4,850	3,267	4,584	3,259	45,039
Delaware	30,759	115	472	277	1,373	3,020	589	750	1,018	127	179	470	753	455	7,428
District of Columbia	342,484	3,206	5,138	3,323	19,407	22,647	3,302	9,607	9,526	2,711	1,542	6,832	5,626	4,093	51,179
Florida	5,864,828	38,826	35,459	20,052	146,923	382,037	60,020	115,102	125,248	26,033	9,324	96,801	57,813	69,135	1,439,513
Georgia	428,738	3,574	6,186	3,806	18,255	43,007	4,491	10,790	13,442	2,002	1,638	5,325	6,563	5,491	65,410
Hawaii	1,989,970	2,585	1,347	1,894	11,892	24,480	2,115	4,355	3,591	1,791	634	1,295	4,679	4,813	40,608
Idaho	21,274	126	157	173	781	2,306	229	358	746	165	72	590	288	232	2,744
Illinois	783,932	7,487	8,408	6,742	31,176	62,636	18,840	24,947	18,122	4,296	30,902	12,867	13,979	11,086	106,085
Indiana	123,150	996	1,079	835	5,074	12,664	1,223	2,722	2,782	649	873	1,756	1,906	1,155	17,305
Iowa	41,222	277	345	557	1,752	4,073	339	883	1,061	619	175	504	742	383	3,737
Kansas	53,046	232	212	475	1,475	3,750	356	648	746	213	146	410	519	403	4,920
Kentucky	61,962	324	454	612	2,407	6,122	1,240	839	1,178	340	269	705	694	532	7,508
Louisiana	200,905	2,448	3,290	1,996	16,987	18,109	1,737	4,983	5,849	2,774	752	3,569	3,624	3,058	26,774
Maine	42,141	333	458	338	2,891	4,882	747	755	1,273	409	329	575	645	823	12,663
Maryland	263,306	1,979	2,767	2,639	13,976	17,231	2,983	6,244	5,692	1,875	1,331	4,386	3,350	2,246	38,133
Massachusetts	757,345	5,239	8,702	5,258	38,868	60,337	40,951	25,069	17,848	4,732	3,663	12,002	12,364	12,767	176,477
Michigan	350,005	2,839	3,764	1,702	14,623	51,098	2,126	8,160	9,653	1,532	3,236	3,736	6,295	2,695	45,180
Minnesota	151,623	1,125	1,279	1,981	5,894	13,539	2,097	3,229	5,010	4,098	713	2,167	5,103	2,022	20,281
Mississippi	23,235	116	242	174	791	2,060	235	404	561	633	106	214	466	182	3,126
Missouri	91,894	505	1,349	855	3,441	8,705	912	2,091	1,993	500	505	1,583	1,270	955	11,239
Montana	18,620	244	201	301	903	2,542	185	287	737	296	130	153	339	426	3,727
Nebraska	23,526	128	137	184	589	2,304	193	279	447	120	94	312	304	208	2,053
Nevada	903,489	4,981	5,201	2,521	24,997	51,629	4,792	11,878	10,547	2,072	1,409	5,883	5,965	8,845	157,250
New Hampshire	57,143	372	484	579	3,300	5,244	1,786	952	1,742	315	363	985	924	845	18,456
New Jersey	694,496	3,526	7,197	5,395	31,046	47,667	13,788	22,239	14,155	3,494	11,751	9,483	9,843	8,120	99,324
New Mexico	139,425	364	479	380	2,526	7,964	510	964	1,199	315	178	686	711	792	5,758
New York	4,250,362	43,423	45,921	30,025	275,790	352,049	101,187	217,200	108,442	22,744	31,712	118,529	71,605	75,068	776,799
North Carolina	215,958	1,637	2,428	2,308	7,777	21,898	2,104	5,614	4,452	1,195	1,046	2,509	6,985	2,516	42,162
North Dakota	8,301	38	73	122	227	1,089	34	117	274	737	68	97	159	102	1,098
Ohio	238,019	1,843	3,020	1,420	9,492	23,962	2,187	5,842	6,190	1,163	1,775	2,715	3,418	2,599	31,813
Oklahoma	57,170	439	325	221	1,559	4,291	248	662	833	514	145	507	605	567	5,280
Oregon	113,497	657	681	945	3,651	9,130	1,261	1,341	2,810	901	353	963	1,612	1,161	12,467
Pennsylvania	345,907	2,686	3,686	2,706	21,338	34,604	7,056	11,841	8,781	2,277	3,309	5,202	6,333	3,586	64,734
Rhode Island	44,402	462	285	453	2,335	3,225	1,585	1,811	944	258	409	628	937	436	7,645
South Carolina	93,785	896	1,366	647	5,953	16,719	1,745	1,928	2,121	550	391	942	1,325	1,655	22,985
South Dakota	8,831	54	57	94	242	1,385	92	165	273	428	55	41	131	162	1,526
Tennessee	109,466	790	1,266	748	3,858	9,745	1,447	2,002	3,261	1,012	586	1,234	1,749	1,316	20,517
Texas	1,900,839	4,449	8,455	5,903	38,240	63,579	7,224	19,157	23,563	12,545	2,856	14,451	12,802	7,774	135,499
Utah	91,641	789	987	727	4,085	7,745	542	1,618	2,157	1,056	231	1,336	1,454	1,590	11,412
Vermont	42,573	364	458	218	4,034	3,349	1,000	651	920	284	222	427	665	880	17,059
Virginia	330,533	2,048	3,125	2,601	15,642	26,225	3,087	5,301	8,108	2,573	1,589	4,297	6,150	3,055	60,079
Washington	336,989	2,169	2,850	3,825	10,685	23,893	3,479	5,146	9,020	4,988	1,059	3,082	6,035	3,886	49,311
West Virginia	14,263	85	139	103	755	1,501	136	303	354	153	54	202	167	85	2,234

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	China <sup>2</sup>	India	Israel	Japan	Korea	Philippines	Australia	New Zealand	Canada	Mexico	The Bahamas	Dominican Republic	Jamaica	Trinidad and Tobago
<b>Total</b>	<b>900,749</b>	<b>542,743</b>	<b>354,904</b>	<b>5,253,325</b>	<b>807,198</b>	<b>274,498</b>	<b>590,496</b>	<b>199,300</b>	<b>238,588</b>	<b>4,128,097</b>	<b>363,134</b>	<b>206,969</b>	<b>275,210</b>	<b>145,070</b>
Alabama	1,641	1,733	472	3,598	1,481	472	743	240	821	4,190	590	96	342	148
Alaska	4,787	758	727	13,220	1,639	569	5,988	752	814	3,484	129	41	46	60
Arizona	6,086	5,403	1,999	19,178	5,188	1,955	5,303	1,288	4,033	197,852	140	425	276	181
Arkansas	889	682	107	1,285	526	214	388	193	440	8,562	125	34	30	72
California	315,322	99,151	49,012	671,013	221,505	92,098	172,503	60,246	31,402	582,836	1,275	1,743	3,546	1,836
Colorado	5,532	5,368	1,763	17,209	5,893	756	12,280	2,888	3,840	83,717	231	314	496	120
Connecticut	4,756	8,801	2,409	8,698	3,826	1,176	3,868	926	3,524	5,587	241	831	4,425	792
Delaware	986	1,459	114	1,167	767	301	434	73	483	1,483	59	54	244	138
District of Columbia	8,137	4,838	4,356	24,285	8,803	2,158	6,786	1,879	1,982	12,007	746	932	1,194	1,307
Florida	18,992	26,326	31,676	145,309	15,590	18,913	27,791	7,299	12,680	285,790	284,137	54,780	127,457	39,373
Georgia	8,509	12,877	3,837	27,207	11,812	1,700	6,162	1,546	3,992	45,344	4,682	1,011	5,928	1,639
Hawaii	44,957	1,613	617	1,651,685	56,847	5,790	45,758	15,439	1,013	3,403	45	58	101	73
Idaho	720	427	212	2,427	666	155	859	273	542	2,334	12	6	5	9
Illinois	24,777	29,067	9,137	59,418	25,123	8,591	13,960	3,518	7,414	96,122	928	993	1,972	677
Indiana	4,084	4,603	642	14,195	4,567	740	1,895	515	1,875	10,906	315	191	352	181
Iowa	2,313	1,862	263	3,017	1,945	213	986	280	1,003	3,149	47	48	47	32
Kansas	1,954	2,300	481	2,698	1,329	267	900	253	1,060	14,351	55	52	66	55
Kentucky	1,731	2,416	224	12,040	1,750	333	1,007	276	896	7,189	340	67	128	90
Louisiana	4,515	2,944	1,571	9,867	3,493	3,011	4,597	1,276	1,118	20,990	851	452	529	724
Maine	374	382	452	1,615	602	288	682	238	3,982	796	32	66	178	35
Maryland	9,244	11,162	4,922	11,740	8,693	2,856	3,920	1,009	3,797	7,237	931	579	4,134	3,403
Massachusetts	18,620	20,748	13,032	45,496	16,456	2,931	12,505	2,817	11,098	17,407	644	3,999	3,523	1,677
Michigan	11,132	17,388	2,265	34,714	10,050	2,554	5,279	1,041	14,249	33,223	561	352	1,953	539
Minnesota	5,095	5,900	1,083	11,481	3,291	1,371	3,042	770	3,657	9,031	346	113	329	241
Mississippi	621	791	138	894	376	270	237	112	461	4,206	160	71	348	77
Missouri	4,283	3,442	1,925	6,160	3,133	708	1,812	669	1,689	10,063	461	180	462	172
Montana	735	204	57	2,084	271	66	766	237	694	713	8	5	13	5
Nebraska	932	1,167	145	2,623	698	123	526	92	458	3,494	87	35	34	23
Nevada	21,304	2,481	6,554	294,024	15,551	4,139	15,095	3,565	1,548	162,998	879	619	399	300
New Hampshire	1,056	1,771	621	1,865	1,073	235	902	245	1,724	1,101	64	169	1,711	55
New Jersey	29,860	54,201	16,228	36,373	27,996	11,451	7,714	1,665	6,207	14,507	1,117	8,916	7,726	5,396
New Mexico	811	601	607	3,024	467	192	963	285	583	102,204	13	42	37	30
New York	79,750	67,570	134,887	297,550	70,610	19,248	73,601	15,436	24,640	100,762	4,503	52,215	59,851	52,611
North Carolina	5,180	6,784	1,375	11,467	4,536	1,145	3,449	992	5,303	24,624	1,748	507	939	535
North Dakota	218	214	14	398	125	111	217	88	899	332	-	1	10	17
Ohio	9,576	12,850	2,345	29,019	6,303	1,780	3,647	882	4,122	13,886	528	537	782	339
Oklahoma	2,371	2,003	248	3,103	1,597	207	786	205	832	13,169	211	34	145	151
Oregon	5,620	3,526	1,141	26,683	5,671	1,080	2,859	1,157	2,289	5,647	27	42	65	61
Pennsylvania	11,015	16,467	5,269	17,424	11,246	2,465	6,101	1,569	5,818	12,219	932	1,023	3,211	1,615
Rhode Island	945	1,039	401	1,644	1,258	281	793	276	562	1,427	107	756	285	117
South Carolina	1,533	2,028	442	4,854	1,301	456	1,000	325	1,306	5,650	447	138	923	322
South Dakota	355	251	28	1,271	266	59	196	72	160	303	4	8	6	5
Tennessee	2,796	2,942	558	12,063	2,896	604	2,525	489	1,701	10,746	895	146	513	217
Texas	31,543	33,234	7,581	51,925	22,269	9,149	15,631	3,596	14,934	1,079,241	1,686	1,571	2,313	2,883
Utah	3,244	949	494	15,896	3,091	437	2,795	1,006	1,425	9,107	47	127	65	35
Vermont	477	348	273	1,904	413	127	598	235	1,521	513	62	43	470	26
Virginia	8,428	15,985	2,591	17,000	11,858	4,661	5,831	1,382	4,707	11,302	783	694	1,410	1,099
Washington	21,701	6,875	3,796	61,361	18,615	4,398	10,399	3,404	10,130	10,731	100	143	165	178
West Virginia	471	628	63	2,097	211	103	300	96	300	487	37	14	50	52

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State of intended residence	Central America			South America							Other <sup>3</sup>
	Costa Rica	El Salvador	Guatemala	Argentina	Brazil	Chile	Colombia	Ecuador	Peru	Venezuela	
<b>Total</b>	<b>171,981</b>	<b>181,395</b>	<b>180,537</b>	<b>546,706</b>	<b>762,559</b>	<b>210,773</b>	<b>472,456</b>	<b>135,913</b>	<b>226,377</b>	<b>572,989</b>	<b>3,420,660</b>
Alabama	272	155	411	316	783	238	662	158	228	392	9,492
Alaska	82	41	95	191	592	171	186	47	50	225	7,258
Arizona	1,360	551	729	1,242	2,842	1,144	1,125	276	837	1,078	22,776
Arkansas	153	472	299	222	531	99	239	52	105	166	4,583
California	15,266	50,658	34,712	33,645	61,175	17,764	19,773	5,449	17,738	14,655	458,599
Colorado	1,317	863	839	3,335	6,495	1,361	1,520	391	1,457	2,519	27,408
Connecticut	735	424	1,111	2,802	4,198	994	2,944	1,023	1,313	1,484	27,579
Delaware	143	43	68	250	867	163	320	48	68	254	3,747
District of Columbia	1,861	3,858	2,205	5,333	6,964	3,032	3,959	1,382	3,140	2,945	80,256
Florida	63,812	26,666	56,161	254,729	292,898	82,122	255,426	57,149	91,920	363,297	602,249
Georgia	3,543	3,073	4,195	5,786	10,064	2,340	6,500	1,036	3,021	7,668	55,286
Hawaii	240	58	141	2,042	4,719	689	390	127	704	313	47,069
Idaho	115	43	55	92	412	94	69	53	153	64	2,510
Illinois	2,114	1,159	5,299	9,263	15,894	2,890	4,929	1,631	2,440	4,017	95,026
Indiana	471	348	563	983	2,909	459	888	270	522	1,274	18,383
Iowa	122	131	197	395	906	205	253	80	129	273	7,879
Kansas	290	221	214	430	988	176	784	174	224	480	8,739
Kentucky	193	170	325	325	1,065	130	262	121	204	382	7,074
Louisiana	2,011	1,256	2,025	2,782	5,044	1,290	1,807	741	741	2,670	28,650
Maine	73	22	40	129	320	87	97	35	55	252	4,188
Maryland	802	6,806	2,122	3,031	5,623	2,249	2,936	1,005	2,828	2,098	55,347
Massachusetts	1,495	3,783	3,144	7,864	17,271	2,934	6,720	1,205	1,916	7,129	108,654
Michigan	498	293	375	1,715	7,914	602	1,179	251	595	1,597	43,047
Minnesota	746	481	466	1,320	2,194	704	1,016	316	486	1,066	28,540
Mississippi	155	104	210	155	391	83	191	51	101	411	3,311
Missouri	352	237	295	918	1,771	335	570	240	395	719	15,000
Montana	18	11	21	89	174	34	69	26	35	55	1,759
Nebraska	63	140	208	246	573	92	310	47	104	247	3,707
Nevada	1,655	1,209	1,767	4,312	10,408	2,165	1,779	401	1,435	2,846	48,086
New Hampshire	101	50	44	258	717	112	385	61	85	348	6,043
New Jersey	8,001	4,140	3,557	7,156	13,289	2,996	16,480	7,458	8,138	5,401	101,495
New Mexico	172	107	242	328	438	215	296	94	163	144	4,541
New York	10,713	16,523	9,360	82,123	129,153	23,093	45,616	21,066	17,944	44,484	526,559
North Carolina	2,074	1,376	1,148	1,854	3,708	893	2,180	626	891	1,720	26,273
North Dakota	15	11	14	75	119	25	50	11	6	21	1,075
Ohio	1,467	284	636	1,522	4,783	936	1,581	417	798	2,574	38,986
Oklahoma	197	103	362	440	1,106	138	695	266	391	1,335	10,879
Oregon	520	238	404	550	1,147	594	315	202	296	198	15,232
Pennsylvania	1,249	410	736	2,998	6,110	1,509	2,653	775	1,135	3,326	50,493
Rhode Island	70	134	1,279	309	669	167	746	74	104	335	9,211
South Carolina	396	118	233	639	1,386	362	926	251	215	597	8,714
South Dakota	13	14	26	39	122	11	27	3	12	17	858
Tennessee	587	449	727	841	2,464	620	646	192	298	1,009	13,011
Texas	7,068	19,567	14,101	11,135	21,158	5,301	15,781	3,999	7,435	18,911	142,330
Utah	336	449	473	1,689	2,423	865	623	210	652	848	8,626
Vermont	86	19	34	166	405	82	124	29	58	300	3,729
Virginia	1,090	9,047	2,797	3,034	4,883	1,535	3,145	1,288	3,960	2,954	65,189
Washington	557	830	604	1,619	3,037	1,088	1,249	407	792	785	44,597
West Virginia	30	15	16	65	213	33	107	14	49	110	2,431

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Wisconsin	110,311	925	1,110	1,635	5,536	14,149	1,043	2,868	3,530	1,469	1,535	1,606	2,169	1,602	13,223
Wyoming	13,187	139	269	105	771	1,540	87	359	273	163	105	132	229	281	3,296
U.S. territories and possessions:															
Guam	1,049,375	73	37	88	419	532	56	196	140	59	14	67	107	134	3,378
Marshall Islands	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Northern Mariana Islands	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	193,144	695	1,260	505	7,589	5,382	532	3,772	9,576	760	306	11,774	894	1,345	13,092
U.S. Virgin Islands	30,387	169	299	1,225	1,825	1,309	198	723	974	209	53	325	303	389	4,955
Unknown	4,792,501	25,005	40,383	19,422	218,352	242,035	42,152	132,491	106,058	18,595	10,737	66,832	32,210	55,526	547,252

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<sup>2</sup> Includes People's Republic of China and Taiwan. A total of 594,689 nonimmigrant visas were issued to these two countries in fiscal year 2000: 279,153 to Taiwan and 315,536 to the People's Republic of China. (SOURCE: U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Visa Office.)

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**Nonimmigrants Admitted by Selected Country of Citizenship and State of Intended Destination: Fiscal Year 2000**

State of intended residence	Asia						Oceania		North America		Caribbean			
	China <sup>2</sup>	India	Israel	Japan	Korea	Philippines	Australia	New Zealand	Canada	Mexico	The Bahamas	Dominican Republic	Jamaica	Trinidad and Tobago
<b>Total</b>	<b>900,749</b>	<b>542,743</b>	<b>354,904</b>	<b>5,253,325</b>	<b>807,198</b>	<b>274,498</b>	<b>590,496</b>	<b>199,300</b>	<b>238,588</b>	<b>4,128,097</b>	<b>363,134</b>	<b>206,969</b>	<b>275,210</b>	<b>145,070</b>
Wisconsin	3,914	4,007	973	6,571	3,316	583	2,170	728	1,744	9,848	132	200	313	109
Wyoming	173	84	63	1,389	115	28	590	182	220	1,268	9	8	18	16
U.S. territories and possessions:														
Guam	39,751	335	65	905,325	76,332	5,683	2,032	520	138	43	-	4	2	2
Marshall Islands	1	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Northern Mariana Islands	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	2	-	-	2
Puerto Rico	538	633	457	975	235	730	503	170	211	22,180	370	32,327	1,060	1,784
U.S. Virgin Islands	263	242	60	97	25	115	276	110	59	325	69	1,678	669	948
Unknown	106,130	30,878	34,132	643,700	103,502	54,452	88,545	54,474	26,488	1,038,008	50,184	37,479	33,914	22,486

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**Nonimmigrants Admitted by Selected Country of Citizenship and State of Intended Destination: Fiscal Year 2000**

State of intended residence	Central America			South America							Other <sup>3</sup>
	Costa Rica	El Salvador	Guatemala	Argentina	Brazil	Chile	Colombia	Ecuador	Peru	Venezuela	
<b>Total</b>	<b>171,981</b>	<b>181,395</b>	<b>180,537</b>	<b>546,706</b>	<b>762,559</b>	<b>210,773</b>	<b>472,456</b>	<b>135,913</b>	<b>226,377</b>	<b>572,989</b>	<b>3,420,660</b>
Wisconsin	433	126	348	888	2,144	531	665	180	309	772	16,907
Wyoming	15	9	22	50	125	42	50	10	38	24	890
U.S. territories and possessions:											
Guam	10	-	4	22	157	23	12	6	54	1	13,554
Marshall Islands	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	5
Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Puerto Rico	2,909	682	1,237	6,041	2,397	1,947	7,196	683	1,644	12,941	35,812
U.S. Virgin Islands	35	55	22	432	273	95	95	16	55	396	11,021
Unknown	33,880	23,363	23,819	78,491	94,147	42,914	53,910	23,790	47,911	52,861	435,993

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