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	Total Population		Region of Birth						
	Native born	Foreign born	Mexico	South and East Asia	Caribbean	Central America	South America	Middle East	All other
California	26,900,383	9,856,283	4,271,417	2,976,382	66,665	832,980	229,033	401,669	1,078,137
New York	15,266,122	4,224,175	228,499	934,042	1,027,565	248,134	579,770	145,978	1,060,187
Texas	20,452,127	3,874,847	2,388,968	602,054	58,484	289,820	121,271	75,218	339,032
Florida	14,923,945	3,404,395	257,177	291,736	1,343,385	325,653	586,251	67,947	532,246
Illinois	11,114,206	1,787,358	720,795	405,950	27,809	45,706	52,016	55,539	479,543
New Jersey	6,955,612	1,727,049	115,769	481,598	255,763	123,847	286,224	69,860	393,988
Arizona	5,561,880	938,300	613,724	105,039	7,874	26,415	19,305	24,683	141,260
Massachusetts	5,563,109	934,858	12,305	230,134	130,927	69,839	115,469	38,090	338,094
Georgia	8,773,974	911,770	290,609	200,932	78,008	71,501	54,014	29,774	186,932
Washington	5,743,093	806,131	213,828	300,760	5,401	14,430	16,509	16,708	238,495
Virginia	6,975,674	793,415	53,837	272,476	32,278	122,801	73,171	59,111	179,741
Maryland	4,926,147	707,450	34,358	204,690	65,774	116,957	45,764	26,072	213,835
Pennsylvania	11,784,077	664,202	47,701	220,156	70,591	17,066	40,049	29,657	238,982
North Carolina	8,580,005	642,409	253,038	125,019	24,104	66,259	37,831	18,141	118,017
Michigan	9,423,040	580,382	84,833	165,523	9,709	9,788	8,584	90,774	211,171
Colorado	4,437,508	501,948	249,609	89,927	4,278	21,831	11,294	11,244	113,765
Nevada	2,102,779	497,388	238,140	108,473	14,369	39,221	13,003	12,421	71,761
Connecticut	3,037,935	463,317	25,756	87,680	66,785	26,326	70,080	14,519	172,171
Ohio	11,052,954	432,956	38,538	132,858	10,810	14,565	18,285	26,025	191,875
Oregon	3,427,596	362,464	145,969	86,898	3,351	13,307	9,444	9,872	93,623
Minnesota	4,864,058	356,335	62,366	119,900	4,382	10,992	18,781	11,199	128,715
Indiana	6,120,786	256,006	101,179	64,129	5,609	11,708	6,623	4,953	61,805
Wisconsin	5,374,175	253,793	84,827	75,276	4,423	4,272	6,896	6,051	72,048
Tennessee	5,964,468	250,420	77,786	59,481	8,940	23,760	9,391	19,925	51,137
Hawaii	1,061,841	226,357	5,158	172,190	3,276	1,823	4,125	927	38,858
Utah	2,511,945	224,479	98,752	32,469	1,388	13,083	21,814	6,881	50,092
Missouri	5,699,274	212,331	45,023	62,735	5,198	11,320	6,876	10,101	71,078
South Carolina	4,288,614	191,186	60,476	35,357	8,897	13,984	15,868	3,631	52,973
New Mexico	1,799,767	184,589	130,691	16,898	3,953	4,474	3,588	2,937	22,048
Oklahoma	3,460,619	181,742	86,188	42,254	2,197	11,690	6,040	5,982	27,391
Kansas	2,629,857	172,277	78,961	41,540	2,480	13,969	3,564	5,731	26,032
Louisiana	4,278,769	132,027	18,819	45,245	9,258	25,973	8,209	2,937	21,586
Alabama	4,529,991	131,909	42,759	31,362	6,429	11,763	4,757	6,106	28,733
Rhode Island	919,313	131,475	5,264	16,934	21,403	20,113	11,356	2,354	54,051
Kentucky	4,152,092	117,153	28,507	31,272	6,738	6,140	3,895	5,125	35,476
Iowa	2,889,864	112,693	34,581	34,638	461	7,195	3,535	3,350	28,933
Arkansas	2,746,775	108,615	56,261	19,239	894	10,489	2,361	1,703	17,668
Nebraska	1,677,100	106,332	43,871	20,778	505	11,431	971	7,020	21,756
Idaho	1,435,714	88,102	45,556	12,690	0	1,872	3,239	1,098	23,647
District of Columbia	511,056	80,777	3,853	12,098	9,814	18,997	6,286	2,971	26,758

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Delaware	803,886	69,206	15,254	18,301	7,847	3,559	3,247	1,888	19,110
New Hampshire	1,251,978	63,831	1,032	17,870	3,093	2,280	8,495	2,502	28,559
Mississippi	2,879,113	59,505	19,259	16,024	1,402	6,200	2,607	1,275	12,738
Alaska	643,860	42,433	3,086	21,937	3,036	954	1,636	1,006	10,778
Maine	1,276,040	40,416	157	8,538	992	651	912	1,284	27,882
West Virginia	1,790,071	24,397	4,501	9,244	1,626	429	775	1,189	6,633
Vermont	596,954	24,316	1,326	4,885	258	219	452	399	16,777
Montana	947,579	19,861	2,483	4,910	510	84	1,253	434	10,187
South Dakota	788,706	15,488	2,819	3,908	159	1,364	393	146	6,699
North Dakota	627,162	14,319	1,336	2,819	0	388	0	307	9,469
Wyoming	520,033	12,635	4,298	2,330	324	1,449	408	68	3,758
Total	266,043,626	38,016,102	11,451,299	9,079,578	3,429,422	2,749,071	2,555,720	1,344,782	7,406,230

Note: Middle East consists of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel/Palestine, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Morocco and Sudan.

Source: Pew Hispanic Center tabulations of 2008 American Community Survey (1% IPUMS)