TEMPORARY ADMISSIONS, FISCAL YEAR 2002

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6. TEMPORARY ADMISSIONS

This section presents information on the number and characteristics of persons who come to the United States on a temporary basis (nonimmigrants), with subsections on parolees—persons allowed temporary entrance under special circumstances, and H-1B workers—persons allowed temporary entrance to perform services in "specialty occupations."

Nonimmigrants

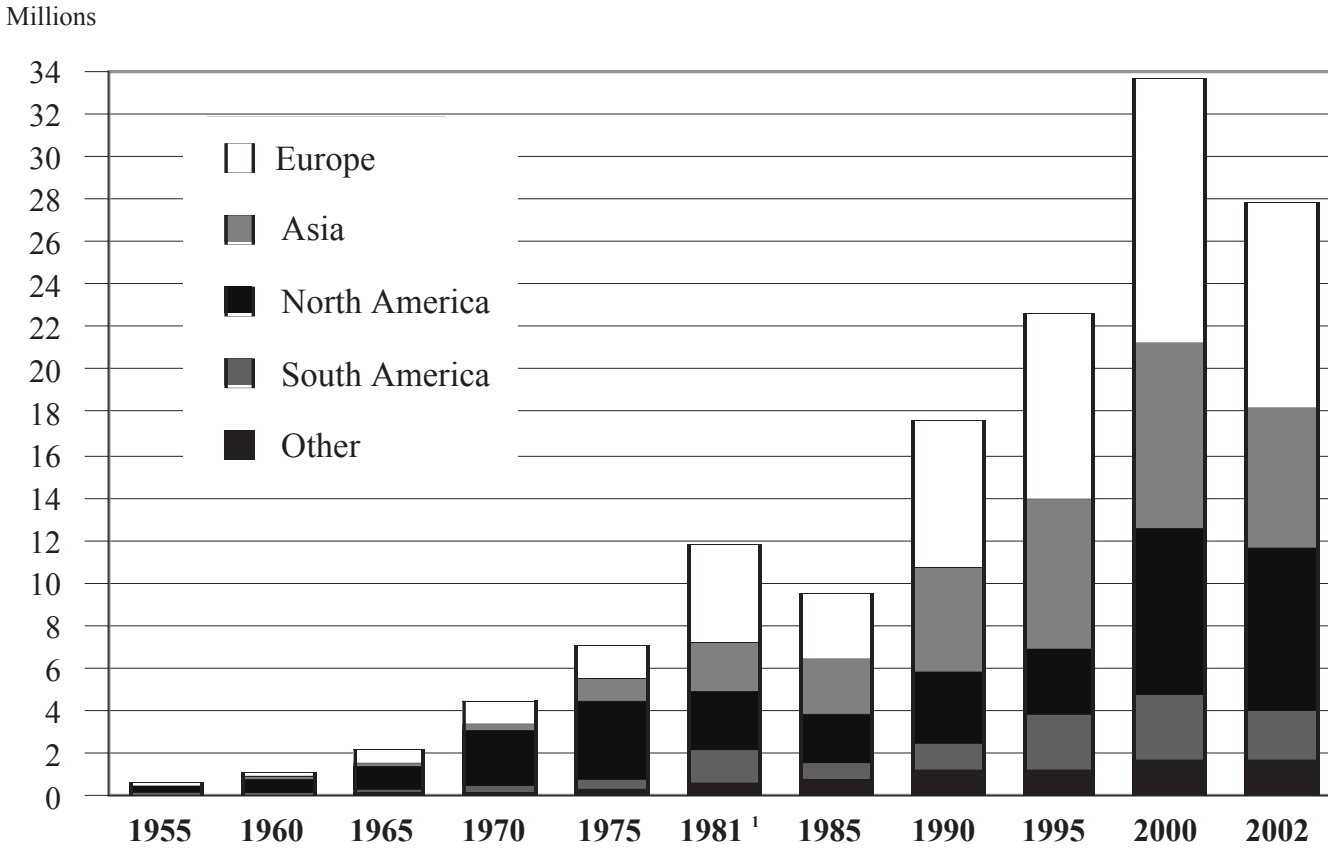
A nonimmigrant is an alien admitted to the United States for a specified purpose and temporary period but not for permanent residence. (See Glossary)

Although the typical nonimmigrant is a tourist who visits the United States for a few days to several months, there are numerous classes of nonimmigrant admission, ranging from students to ambassadors. More than 27.9 million nonimmigrant admissions were counted in the Immigration and Naturalization Service's Nonimmigrant Information System during fiscal year 2002. This represents a decrease of more than 4.9 million since 2001, or 15.0 percent. This is the second consecutive annual decrease, and the largest percent decrease since 1982-83.

Issuance and collection of an INS Form I-94 is the basis of the nonimmigrant admission counts. Such counts include all air arrivals execpt Canadian and Mexican citizens who

Chart E

Nonimmigrants Admitted by Region of Last Residence: Selected Fiscal Years 1955-2002



[1] No data available for 1980. NOTE: See Glossary for fiscal year definitions.
Source: 2002, 1995, 1990, 1985, and 1981, Table 24; 1955-75, previous *Yearbooks*.

arrive as visitors for business or pleasure (B1 and B2 classes). These travellers may be required to submit an I-94 at the discretion of the immigration inspector. Most citizens of Canada and Mexico who cross land borders for brief periods of time do not require an I-94 (use of the I-94 has been increased in recent years for Mexican admissions; see Table 24). Therefore, millions of Canadian and Mexican visitors are not represented in these admission counts (see Data Collection section). It is estimated that there were more than 192 million nonimmigrant admissions during fiscal year 2002. The vast majority of these are Canadian and Mexican commuters crossing the border for business or pleasure, typically to shop or to visit family and friends.

Due to multiple entry each year of some aliens (especially among certain categories such as students) and the method of data collection, I-94 documented nonimmigrant admission data represent arrival events rather than individuals (see Data Collection section).

The September 11 terrorist attacks

Due mainly to the continuing global economic downturn, nonimmigrant arrivals during fiscal year 2001 were approximately the same as for 2000 until the September 11 terrorist attacks. The impact of the attacks on foreign travel to the United States was immediate and substantial. This was reflected in the severe reduction of arrivals during September, resulting in a small dercease between 2000 and 2001 (-2.6 percent). The full impact of the attacks can be seen on arrivals for fiscal year 2002—during the first several months admissions were measurably below levels for the previous year, recovering slowly as time passed, but never equaling the total for the previous year.

U.S. Nonimmigrant Program

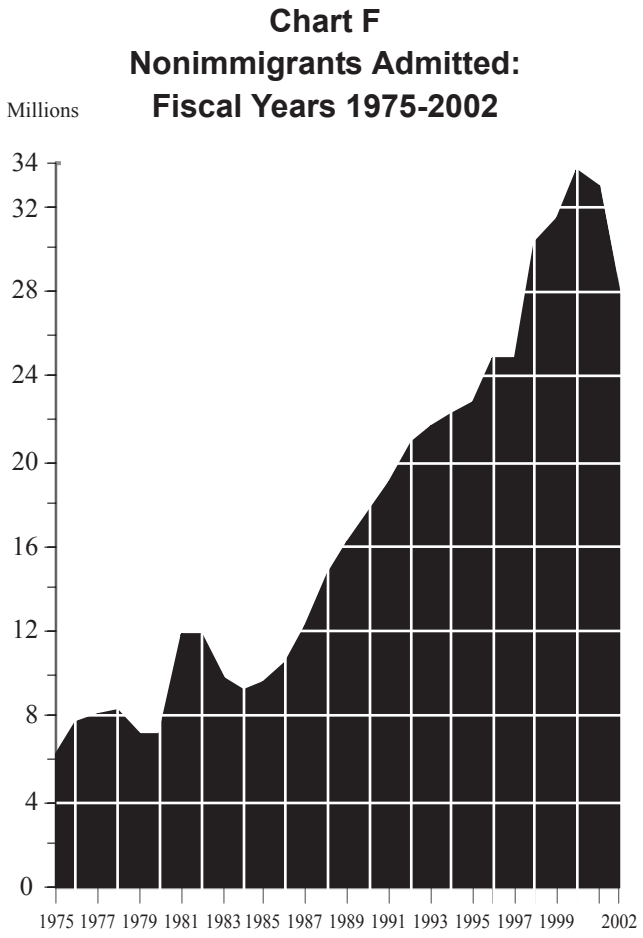
Nonimmigrants were first defined in the Immigration Act of 1819, but the Act of 1855 was the first to require the reporting of "temporary arrivals" separately. The Act of 1924 defined several classes of admission that have been expanded in subsequent legislation. Though "tourists" (temporary visitors for pleasure) have consistently been by far the most numerous nonimmigrant class of admission to the United States, a wide variety of temporary visitors now fall within the nonimmigrant classification. Second in volume to tourists are business people coming to the United States to engage in commercial transactions (though not for employment in this country). (See Table 26.)

Nonimmigrant categories *(Tables 24-27, 30, 32)*

Other categories of admission make up a much smaller share of the nonimmigrant total, such as foreign students and temporary workers. Temporary workers are admitted to the United States with "specialty occupations" (such as computer systems analysts and programmers) or to perform temporary services or labor when persons capable of performing such services or labor cannot be found in this country (such as agricultural laborers). Others who are granted authorization to work temporarily in the United States include: exchange visitors who enter to study, teach, or conduct research; intracompany transferees, to render managerial or executive services in the United States to international firms or corporations; entertainers and athletes; and industrial trainees. Though not strictly considered as employed in the United States, treaty traders and treaty investors enter temporarily to conduct trade or to invest substantially in enterprises under the provisions of treaties of commerce and navigation between the United States and foreign states.

Nonimmigrants also include several types of temporary visitors who are connected in some way with a foreign government or who represent an international organization. Ambassadors, public ministers, diplomats, and consular officers serve temporarily in this country, bringing with them members of their immediate families as well as personal employees, attendants, and servants. Officers and employees of international organizations such as the United Nations add to the list of nonimmigrant visitors entering the United States each year.

Recently designated classes of nonimmigrant admission were established in prior years that resulted in entries starting in 2001 and reflect a complete year of admissions in 2002 (Table 26). The Nursing Relief for Disadvantaged Areas Act of 1999 (see Glossary) established nonimmigrant entry for a limited number of nurses to fill short-term needs in medically underserved areas in the United States. The Legal Immigration Family Equity (LIFE) Act of 2000 and its amendments (see Glossary) authorized nonimmigrant admission to allow the spouse or child of a U.S. citizen to complete processing for permanent resident status while in the United States. Similar nonimmigrant admission was granted to a spouse or child (or dependent of a spouse or child) of a legal permanent resident who has had a petition for an immigrant visa pending for more than 3 years. The Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act of 2000 (see Glossary) authorized nonimmigrant admission to an individual (and spouse, child, or parent) who is or has been the victim of a severe



NOTE: Data estimated for last quarter of 1979 and no data available for 1980 and 1997. See Glossary for fiscal year definitions.
Source: Table 24 and previous *Yearbooks*.

form of trafficking. Also, this enactment authorized admission to an individual (and spouse, child, or parent) who has suffered substantial physical or mental abuse as a victim of a criminal activity.

The Glossary contains a detailed definition of nonimmigrants, a listing of each of the nonimmigrant classes of admission, and a detailed definition of each class.

Admission policy

The U.S. government has an "open door" policy for most nonimmigrant classes of admission. There is no set limit on the total number of admissions each year; indeed, tourists (the majority of nonimmigrants) are encouraged to visit as a boon to the U.S. economy. There are exceptions for the number of petitions approved for initial employment for certain categories of temporary workers as well as numerical limitations on a few other categories. Annual ceilings have been set by U.S. law on the number of petitions approved each year for admission categories H-1B (specialty occupations—see the H-1B Temporary Workers section) and H-2B (occupations in which persons providing services or labor cannot be found in this country). Aliens suffering physical or mental abuse as a result of being a victim of criminal activity are limited to 10,000 persons per year who may be issued visas or otherwise provided nonimmigrant status; victims of severe forms of trafficking (and dependent family members), 5,000 per year; Mexican workers (and spouses and children) qualifying under the North American Free-Trade Agreement, 5,500 per year (limit will be removed in 2004); participants in the Irish Peace Process Program, 4,000 admissions per year; registered nurses in the Nursing Relief for Disadvantaged Areas Program, 500 visas issued per year; and visitors (and immediate family members) under a special program to provide certain critical information to federal or state courts, 250 per year.

Regulations govern additional areas such as the grounds for nonimmigrant admission, length and extension of stay, employment in the United States, accompaniment by family members, travel restrictions within the United States, and change of admission status. For example, ambassadors are allowed to remain in the United States for the duration of their service, students to complete their studies, visitors for business for a maximum of 6 months (plus 6-month extensions), and aliens in transit through the United States for not more than 29 days (with no extensions).

In response to the terrorist attacks in September 2001 the INS initiated the policy of inspecting transit aliens who previously had not been inspected, but rather had waited in secure U.S. airport "transit lounges" for their connecting flights through the United States from one foreign country to another. This policy has greatly increased the count of aliens in transit without visas because this admission classification is most often used for inspection of transit lounge aliens. While this policy change had a minimal effect on the count of aliens in transit without visas during fiscal year 2001, the impact on the count for 2002 was substantial—an increase of 66 percent over 2001 (Table 26).

Employment, family members

(Tables 25-27, 30, 32)

Most types of nonimmigrants are not allowed employment while in the United States, though exceptions may be granted, for example, to students and to family members of international representatives. On the other hand, temporary workers come to the United States expressly for purposes of

employment. Most nonimmigrant aliens may bring immediate family members with them; the exception is transit aliens other than foreign government officials. Some nonimmigrant aliens are prohibited from changing to another nonimmigrant category while in this country: transit aliens (except certain diplomats); crewmen; Visa Waiver Program visitors; fiance(e)s coming to the United States to marry U.S. citizens; visitors under a special program to provide certain critical information to federal or state courts; and certain exchange visitors, non-agricultural workers, industrial trainees, vocational students, NATO personnel, and Irish Peace Process aliens.

Visa Waiver Program *(Tables 26, F)*

The Visa Waiver Program was established by the Immigration Reform and Control Act (IRCA) of 1986 and made permanent by the Visa Waiver Permanent Program Act of 2000. This program permits entry to the United States on a temporary basis without nonimmigrant visas for certain nonimmigrants from qualified countries. The program (see Glossary) extends only to approved countries that offer a reciprocal waiver of visas to U.S. citizens and adhere to other statutory and regulatory requirements. These include development of machine-readable passports and the condition that designation in the program will not compromise U.S. law enforcement or national security. Entry is limited to the visitor for pleasure and for business classes, with admission not to exceed 90 days. At the beginning of fiscal year 2002, 29 countries were members of the Visa Waiver Program. Argentina was removed in February 2002. Entries for current participant countries during fiscal year 2001 and 2002 are shown in Table F. Data for business and pleasure are not available separately for 2001 due to the expiration of the Visa Waiver Pilot Program before it was made permanent. From May 1 through October 30, 2000 all visa waiver entries were inspected using parole provisions and were not differentiated as to visitors for business or pleasure.

Guam Visa Waiver Program

Under the Visa Waiver Program, certain visitors from designated countries may visit Guam for up to 15 days without first having to obtain nonimmigrant visitor visas. The table below shows the countries participating in this program and entries for fiscal year 2002.

Country of citizenship	Visa Waiver visitors to Guam, fiscal year 2002	
	For pleasure	For business
Total	115,609	1,451
Korea	94,919	1,291
Taiwan [1]	15,929	51
Hong Kong	2,234	27
United Kingdom	832	5
Japan	185	2
Australia	140	7
Indonesia	123	8
Malaysia	68	12
Singapore	56	23
New Zealand	43	3
Papua New Guinea	23	2
Solomon Islands	25	-
Nauru	12	1
Vanuatu	6	-
Brunei	-	-
Samoa	-	2
Unknown	1,014	17

[1] Includes 4,572 pleasure and 21 business admissions miscoded as the People's Republic of China, which is not in the Guam Visa Waiver program. - Represents zero.

North American Free-Trade Agreement *(Tables 25-27, 30, 32)*

In December 1992, the Presidents of the United States and Mexico and the Prime Minister of Canada signed an agreement, enacted in December 1993, known as the North American Free-Trade Agreement (NAFTA) (see Glossary). This law superseded the United States-Canada Free-Trade Agreement, and established a special, reciprocal trading relationship among the United States, Canada, and Mexico. This agreement extended to the citizens of Mexico (with certain stipulations) and Canada the nonimmigrant class of admission exclusively for business people entering the United States to engage in activities at a "professional" level. Additionally, the agreement facilitates entry for Mexican as well as Canadian citizens seeking temporary entry as visitors for business, treaty traders and treaty investors, and intracompany transferees. Entries under NAFTA began in February 1994. Data for fiscal year 2002 are shown for NAFTA in Table 26.

Data Overview

Recent trends in admission *(Tables 24, 26)*

As noted, the fiscal year 2002 total of more than 27.9

Table F
Nonimmigrants Admitted Under the Visa Waiver Program by Country of Citizenship: Fiscal Years 2001-02

Country of citizenship	2002			2001, total [1]	Change (total)	
	Pleasure	Business	Total		Number	Percent
All Visa Waiver admissions	**11,182,774**	**2,047,227**	**13,230,001**	**16,582,603**	**-3,352,602**	**-20.2**
United Kingdom	3,405,697	533,982	3,939,679	4,487,264	-547,585	-12.2
Japan	2,986,224	361,863	3,348,087	4,752,952	-1,404,865	-29.6
Germany	946,029	262,098	1,208,127	1,525,268	-317,141	-20.8
France	756,731	176,122	932,853	1,075,677	-142,824	-13.3
Italy	413,565	101,570	515,135	670,751	-155,616	-23.2
Netherlands	386,663	100,011	486,674	538,968	-52,294	-9.7
Australia	355,499	89,890	445,389	478,689	-33,300	-7.0
Spain	299,118	50,927	350,045	369,544	-19,499	-5.3
Ireland	260,141	37,356	297,497	345,681	-48,184	-13.9
Switzerland	188,627	39,673	228,300	291,765	-63,465	-21.8
Sweden	142,142	56,390	198,532	273,100	-74,568	-27.3
New Zealand	161,372	25,909	187,281	168,417	18,864	11.2
Belgium	123,410	42,876	166,286	197,660	-31,374	-15.9
Denmark	90,353	34,466	124,819	143,559	-18,740	-13.1
Norway	84,593	26,120	110,713	134,515	-23,802	-17.7
Austria	83,769	23,867	107,636	153,008	-45,372	-29.7
Argentina [2]	79,446	10,249	89,695	443,047	-353,352	-79.8
Finland	48,615	22,727	71,342	86,796	-15,454	-17.8
Portugal	49,480	7,771	57,251	72,402	-15,151	-20.9
Singapore	31,969	17,823	49,792	68,434	-18,642	-27.2
Uruguay	33,032	2,673	35,705	40,933	-5,228	-12.8
Iceland	14,342	3,391	17,733	21,648	-3,915	-18.1
Slovenia	5,166	1,785	6,951	13,155	-6,204	-47.2
Luxembourg	4,840	1,161	6,001	8,243	-2,242	-27.2
Liechtenstein	825	171	996	1,365	-369	-27.0
Andorra	330	56	386	573	-187	-32.6
Monaco	344	33	377	586	-209	-35.7
Brunei	233	70	303	568	-265	-46.7
San Marino	252	27	279	398	-119	-29.9
Unknown [3]	229,967	16,170	246,137	217,637	28,500	13.1

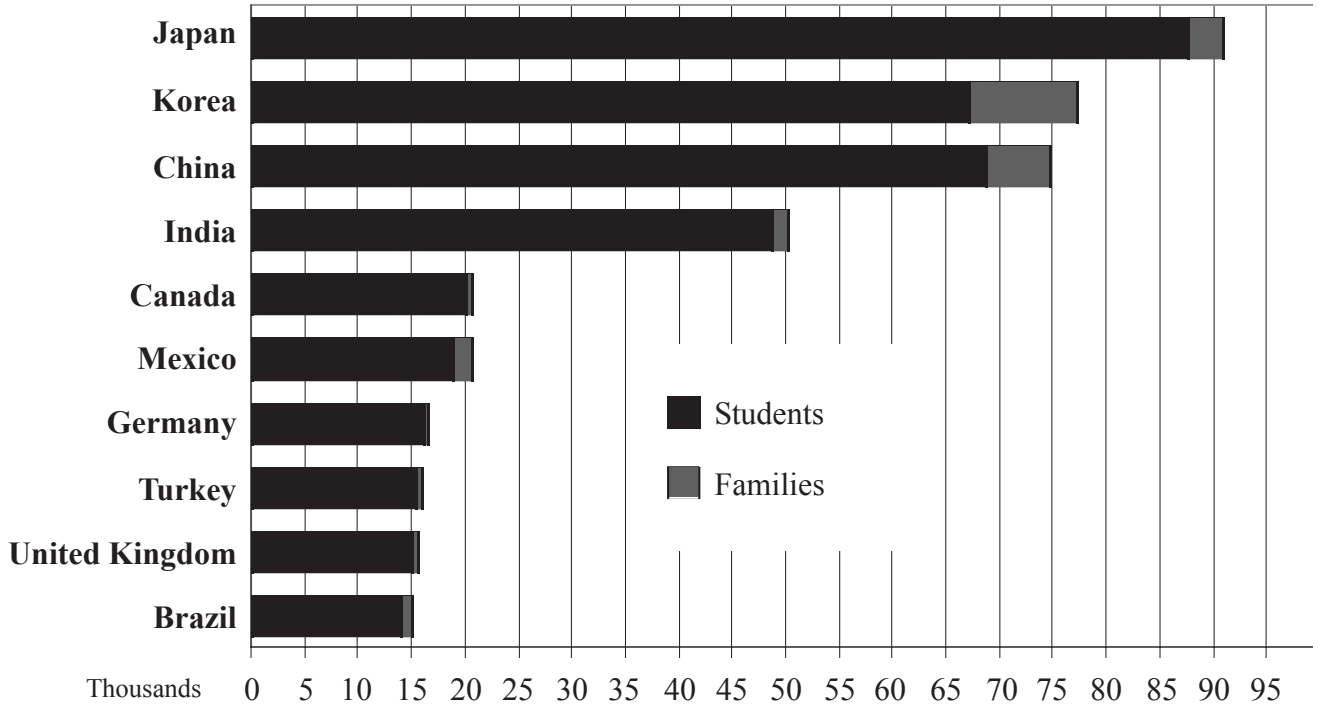
[1] Data for business and pleasure are not available separately due to temporary expiration of the Visa Waiver Program from May through October 2000.

[2] Removed from the Visa Waiver Program in February 2002.

[3] Includes Guam Visa Waiver Program admissions for countries not shown.

NOTE: Data include entries under the Guam Visa Waiver Program.

Chart G
Nonimmigrants Admitted as Students and Their Families from Top 10 Countries of Citizenship: Fiscal Year 2002



NOTE: China includes the People's Republic of China and Taiwan. Source: Table 25.

million I-94 documented nonimmigrant admissions represents a decrease of more than 4.9 million (15.0 percent) from fiscal year 2001. Total nonimmigrant admissions numbered about 6.3 million during 1975 and steadily increased to about 11.8 million in both 1981 and 1982. The number stabilized at about 9.5 million from 1983 to 1985 (recording a low in 1984), then began a steady increase that continued from 1985 to 2000. The decrease from 2000 to 2001 was the first since 1983-84, with the decrease from 2001 to 2002 continuing that trend (Chart F).

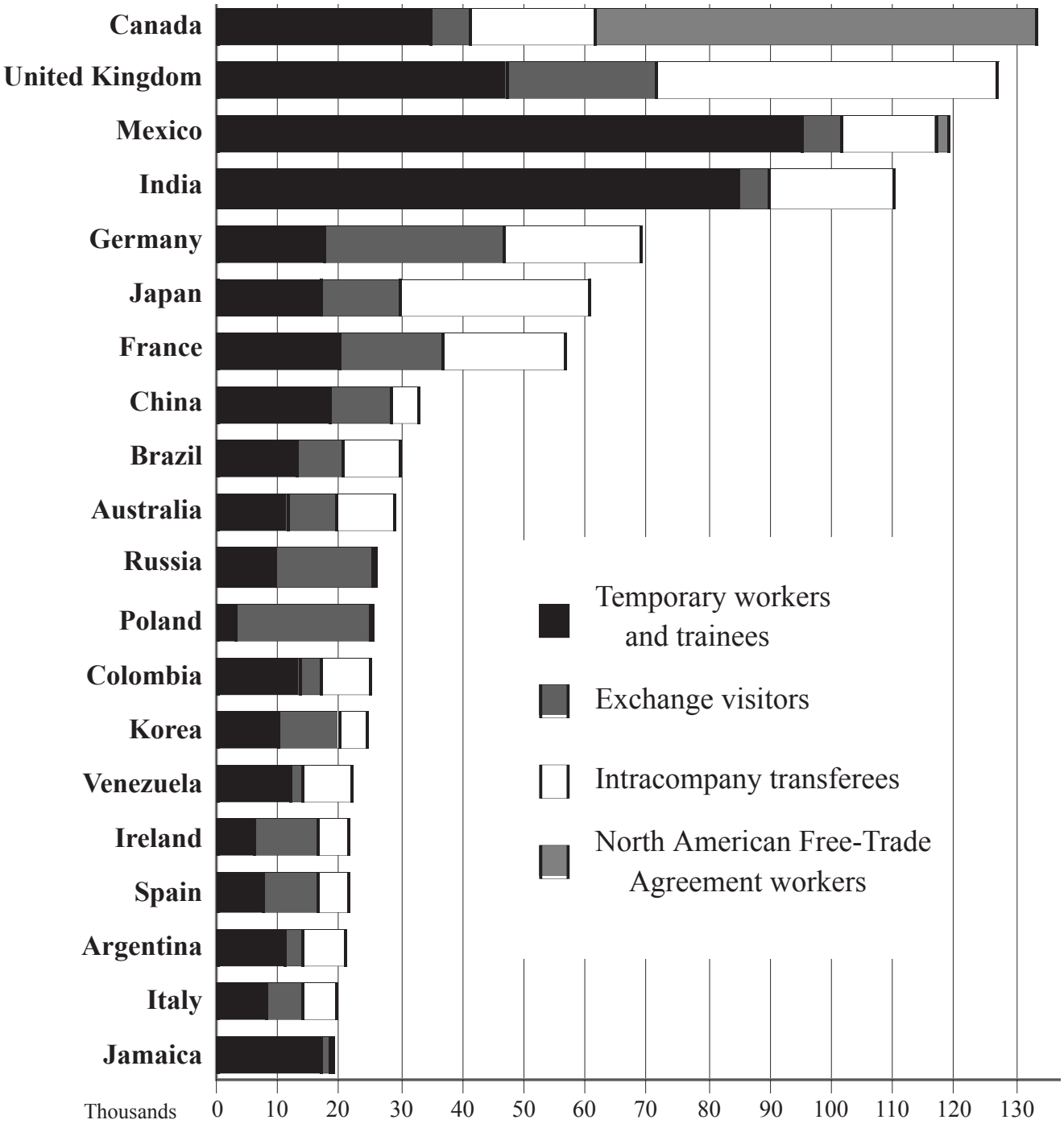
More than 27.9 million I-94 documented nonimmigrants were admitted to the United States in 2002.

Class of admission *(Tables 24-27, 30, 32)*
Of the 27.9 million nonimmigrant admissions in fiscal year 2002, a large majority (87.2 percent) entered as visitors for pleasure (tourists) or visitors for business. There were more than 646,000 foreign student admissions recorded, entering to pursue a full course of study (predominantly in academic institutions) in addition to more than 41,000 associated spouse and children admissions (Chart G and Table 25). Nearly 326,000 persons entered as exchange visitors to study, teach, or conduct research in the United States, bringing with them nearly 45,000 spouses and children (Chart H and Table 27).

Nearly 253,000 representatives of foreign governments (less than 1 percent of total entries) entered the United States as nonimmigrants in 2002. This figure consists of: nearly 141,000 foreign government officials (including ambassadors, public ministers, career diplomats, and consular officers), family members, and attendants; more than 99,000 foreign representatives to international organizations (including families and attendants); and nearly 13,000 officials serving the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) (including family members).

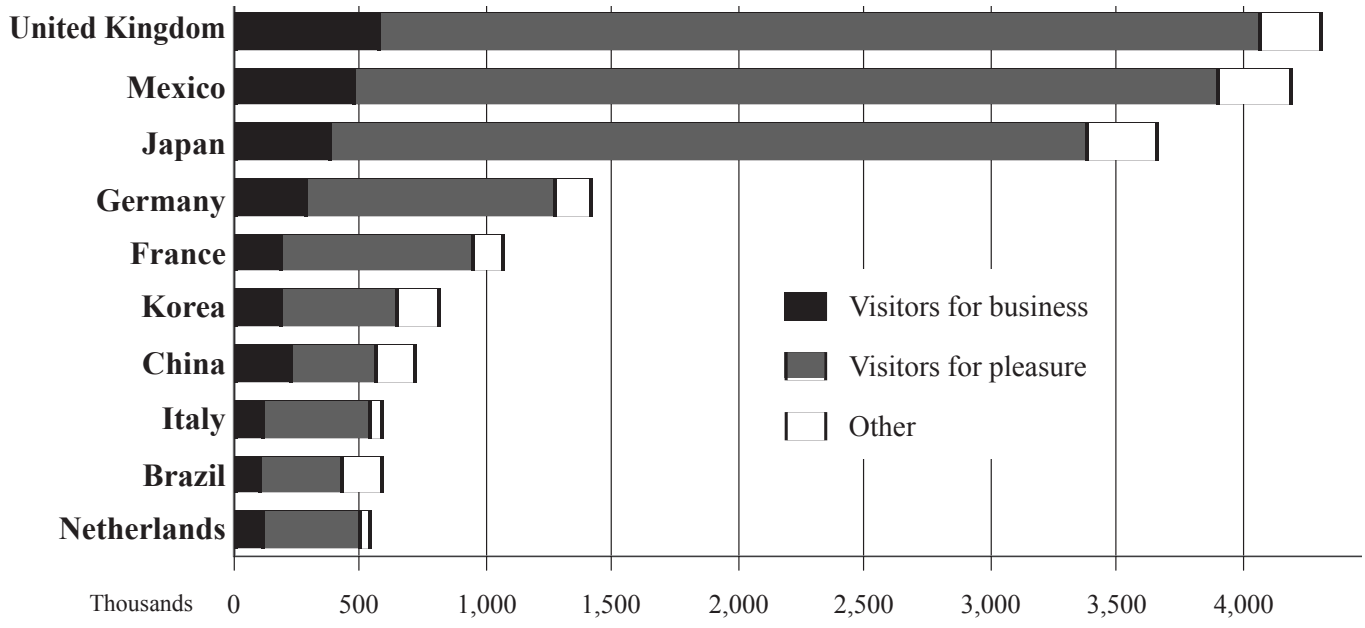
Country of citizenship *(Tables 25, 27-29, 31)*
Nearly half of all nonimmigrants arriving in fiscal year 2002 were citizens of one of four countries: the United Kingdom (15.4 percent), Mexico (15.0), Japan (13.1), and

Chart H
Nonimmigrants Admitted as Temporary Workers, Intracompany Transferees, and Exchange Visitors from Top 20 Countries of Citizenship: Fiscal Year 2002



NOTE: China includes the People's Republic of China and Taiwan. "Temporary workers and trainees" includes admission classes H, O, P, Q, and R (see Nonimmigrant Admission section of text). Also, see Glossary for definitions of nonimmigrant classes of admission.
Source: Table 27.

Chart I
Nonimmigrants Admitted by Selected Class of Admission from Top 10 Countries of Citizenship: Fiscal Year 2002



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Germany (5.0). Both the United Kingdom and Mexico surpassed Japan in total admissions for the first time in 2002.[1] Though all four countries sent fewer arrivals during 2002 than in 2001 Japan showed the largest percent decrease, at -28.0 percent (more than 1.4 million fewer). Other countries with a significant number of arrivals that showed a decrease of 20 percent or more between 2001 and 2002 were Argentina (-53.0 percent), Sweden (-26.0), Switzerland and Brazil (-21.1), and Italy (-20.1). Countries with a significant number of arrivals that showed an increase include Honduras (12.4 percent), New Zealand and Poland (9.0), and Ecuador (6.3). New Zealand was the only country that exhibited an increase in Visa Waiver Program admissions (11.2 percent).

Port of entry *(Table 28)*

Just as four countries dominated nonimmigrant admissions to the United States in 2002, so did four ports of entry. Miami (13.5 percent), New York and Los Angeles (10.8), and Honolulu (5.3) together accounted for 40 percent of all entrants. The share of these four ports decreased slightly in 2002, due almost entirely to a significant reduction for New York (12.2 percent in 2001).

While total admissions declined significantly from fiscal year 2001 to 2002, several ports with substantial numbers of admissions showed increases, including Philadelphia (18.6 percent), El Paso (14.1), Nogales (7.4), and Houston (4.5). New York and Newark, NJ each were down about 25 percent.

State of destination *(Tables 30, 31)*

Five states were most often the destination of temporary visitors to the United States: Florida (16.1 percent of total admissions, 27 percent from the United Kingdom); California (12.9 percent of the total, 17 percent from Mexico and 13 percent from the United Kingdom); New York (10.2 percent of the total, 19 percent from the United Kingdom); Texas (6.7 percent of the total, 59 percent from Mexico); and Hawaii (5.3 percent of the total, 83 percent from Japan).

Gender and age *(Table 32)*

The largest 5-year age group for all nonimmigrant

[1] Increased use since 1997 of the INS Form I-94 for inspection of Mexican nationals has increased counts for Mexico.

Table G
Parolees Admitted by Selected Class of Admission from Top Five Countries of Citizenship: Fiscal Years 1998-2002

Class of admission/ country of citizenship	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
All parolees	**234,545**	**263,755**	**299,851**	**273,914**	**244,834**
Deferred inspections	**10,108**	**9,608**	**10,272**	**12,677**	**6,722**
Mexico	1,786	1,806	1,773	2,089	967
Canada	822	851	991	951	665
Cuba	212	399	362	1,540	320
United Kingdom	480	445	556	526	310
China [1]	333	349	347	645	206
Other	6,475	5,758	6,243	6,926	4,254
Advance parolees	**8,344**	**7,955**	**6,039**	**22,795**	**28,557**
Mexico	1,729	629	469	2,012	3,799
Canada	1,985	2,058	1,610	2,769	3,106
India	248	225	313	2,074	2,572
China [1]	269	353	474	2,280	2,514
United Kingdom	420	570	495	1,779	1,971
Other	3,693	4,120	2,678	11,881	14,595
Port of entry parolees	**169,357**	**196,409**	**241,625**	**198,495**	**171,114**
Mexico	55,290	51,928	51,163	42,134	30,663
Canada	11,234	15,170	17,734	14,737	13,090
India	5,940	7,314	14,583	12,619	11,750
China [1]	8,693	9,614	15,023	11,097	9,816
Cuba	940	2,773	5,066	6,492	8,341
Other	87,260	109,610	138,056	111,416	97,454
Humanitarian, public interest, and overseas parolees	46,736	49,783	41,915	39,947	38,441

[1] Includes the People's Republic of China and Taiwan.

admissions during fiscal year 2002 is 30-34 years, with nearly 13 percent of the total. For females the predominant age group is 25-29 years (12.9 percent of females); for males 30-34 (13.4 percent of males). Males account for 53.3 percent of total nonimmigrant admissions; more than 85 percent of intracompany transferees; nearly 76 percent of visitors for business; 75 percent of temporary workers and trainees; more than 73 percent of foreign government officials; and more than 70 percent of foreign information media. Females show a slight edge in arrivals as visitors for pleasure (51 percent) and for a category with fewer arrivals—the Legal Immigration Family Equity (LIFE) Act (60 percent).

Parolees

A parolee is an alien, appearing to be inadmissible to the inspecting officer, allowed to enter the United States under urgent humanitarian reasons or when that alien's entry is determined to be for significant public benefit.

(See Glossary)

Authority to grant parole

The Attorney General has the authority to allow the temporary admission of an alien on a case-by-case basis who may appear inadmissible but who enters the United

Table H
Parolees Admitted by Selected Category of Parole from Selected Country of Citizenship: Fiscal Years 1998-2002

Class of admission/ country of citizenship	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
All selected parole categories	**46,736**	**49,783**	**41,915**	**39,947**	**38,441**
Overseas parolees	**1,072**	**2,130**	**3,345**	**3,159**	**2,508**
Cuba	107	181	103	399	788
Ukraine	144	601	640	685	370
Russia	159	372	304	316	219
Mexico	86	112	92	59	203
Vietnam	101	138	176	202	88
Moldova	6	71	104	136	80
China [1]	47	20	135	184	79
Cambodia	9	10	39	122	69
Other	413	625	1,752	1,056	612
Humanitarian parolees (medical and related reasons)	**25,141**	**22,571**	**22,933**	**18,374**	**16,708**
Mexico	18,292	16,106	15,948	9,291	6,312
Cuba	234	260	325	903	2,310
Honduras	66	68	291	1,034	1,739
El Salvador	742	1,077	699	935	1,724
Canada	1,802	1,620	1,704	1,957	1,345
Other	4,005	3,440	3,966	4,254	3,278
Public interest parolees (legal and related reasons)	**20,523**	**25,082**	**15,637**	**18,414**	**19,225**
Cuba	13,547	16,768	8,760	9,574	12,772
Mexico	3,092	3,581	2,300	2,718	2,550
Canada	543	516	319	578	465
Ukraine	493	874	504	725	447
Russia	483	547	280	443	349
Other	2,365	2,796	3,474	4,376	2,642

[1] Includes the People's Republic of China and Taiwan.

States for urgent humanitarian reasons or when that alien's entry is determined to be for significant public benefit. Parole does not constitute formal admission to the United States. It confers only temporary status, and parolees are required to leave when the conditions supporting their admission are ended.

U.S. Parole Program

Parolees are treated as nonimmigrants at port processing, but their numbers are not reported in the nonimmigrant admission data (Tables 24-32). They are classified into six categories: deferred inspections; port-of-entry paroles; advance paroles; humanitarian; public interest; and overseas paroles. To simplify presentation, some of these categories are combined in Table G. In fiscal year 2002 the total number of parole entries was slightly less than 245,000, continuing a decline from the record high of nearly 300,000 reached in fiscal year 2000.

Categories of parole

Deferred inspection is used when an alien does not appear to be clearly admissible based on the evidence at hand. The parole is issued and an appointment is made for the alien to appear at another INS office, where more

Nearly 245,000 parolees were admitted to the United States during 2002.

information is available and the inspection can be completed. These cases are usually resolved within two weeks, and, if admissible, the alien is admitted in the appropriate category. Parole may also be granted by advance application to an INS District Office. Advance parole is issued to an alien residing legally in the United States in other than lawful permanent resident status who has an unexpected need to travel abroad and return, and whose conditions of stay do not otherwise allow for readmission after temporary departure. Most commonly, parole is extended at ports of entry. These parole admissions comprised 70 percent of all paroles in fiscal year 2002. These cases are most common at the land border ports and often involve the reentry of lawful permanent residents who are not carrying their documents. Again, these cases are typically resolved rapidly when the documents are produced.

The more exceptional instances of parole arise in emergencies or special situations. People may be admitted under humanitarian parole to receive medical treatment or because they are injured or acutely ill. They may be brought to the United States under public interest parole to take part in legal proceedings as witnesses or defendants, or as part of a special overseas program undertaken in an agreement with another government. The latter category is the only one that may result in a long-term admission to the United States.

Country of citizenship

Table G displays the total number of parolees admitted from fiscal year 1998 through fiscal year 2002 by major categories of parole. Within the deferred inspections, advance parole, and port-of-entry categories, the 5 countries accounting for the largest number of parole admissions in fiscal year 2002 are shown. Total parole admissions declined by 10.6 percent in fiscal year 2002 compared to fiscal year 2001, and by 18.3 percent compared to the all-time high reached in fiscal year 2000. As in previous years our neighboring countries, Canada and Mexico, account for the largest number of paroles in the deferred inspections, port-of-entry, and advance parole categories.

Deferred inspections decreased by nearly half in 2002 compared to 2001, while advance paroles increased to more than 28,000, more than four times the level observed in 2000 and earlier years. The growth in the use of advance parole is thought to be caused in part by the backlog of applications for adjustment to lawful permanent resident status in 2001 and 2002. In addition, tightened security measures taken following September 11, 2001 may have been partly responsible for the drop in the use of deferred inspection and the increase in advance paroles by aliens wanting to ensure their readmission after departure. The major decline in the use of parole came in the port-of-entry category (a 29.2 percent decline since 2000) and was observed among most countries, including Mexico and others with many parole admissions.

Table H presents more detail for the same years regarding admissions in the overseas and humanitarian parole categories, in which admissions fell, and the public interest parole category, which increased slightly. Cubans accounted for two-thirds of the public interest parole admissions and were also the largest single nationality in the overseas parole category. Most Cubans continued to be admitted under the 1994 migration agreement with Cuba. Many of the overseas paroles were extended to persons from Ukraine, Russia, and other former Soviet republics; if the former Soviet Union were counted as one country, it would have been the largest in the overseas parole category, with 803 admissions in fiscal year 2002. Most of the parolees from Vietnam, Cambodia, and the former Soviet Union arrived under special legislation after being denied refugee status.[2] These persons are allowed to adjust to immigrant status after one year of residence in the United States.

More than 46 percent of the humanitarian parole admissions granted in fiscal year 2002 for medical and related reasons were from Canada and Mexico, and humanitarian parole was also used to admit significant numbers from Honduras and El Salvador. The rest came in small numbers from many other countries. A number of the annual admissions under public interest parole for legal and related reasons are also from Canada and Mexico, but the major increase in this category in 2002 was among Cubans. If counted as one country, the former Soviet Union had 1,073 public interest parole admissions.

[2] The Foreign Operations Act of November 21, 1989. This provision is commonly known as the Lautenberg Amendment.

Notes on the parole data

Several changes were made in the presentation of the parole data in fiscal year 2000 and continued in subsequent years. The corresponding changes were made retroactively in the data for fiscal years 1998 and 1999 in Tables G and H. First, the data for the independent republics of the former Soviet Union are no longer combined. This affects the ranking of the countries in the tables, since the former Soviet Union as a whole accounted for a significant share of the paroles in some categories. Second, the practice of combining the humanitarian and public interest parolees from countries with special programs into the overseas parole category is no longer being followed, and the data are presented without this editing step. Most Cubans admitted under the 1994 migration agreement are now being classified under public interest parole, but Cubans appear in significant numbers in other parole categories as well. Parolees from Vietnam and the republics of the former Soviet Union may be classified under overseas or public interest parole. Third, from May 1 through the end of October 2000, the public interest parole authority was used to admit more than 9 million temporary visitors after the Visa Waiver Pilot Program expired without being reauthorized. Although procedures were adopted to distinguish these paroles from ordinary public interest paroles in the data, analysis indicates that the distinction was not made correctly in every case. For this reason, interpretation of the public interest parole data for fiscal year 2000, and to a lesser extent fiscal year 2001, should be made with caution.

Understanding the Data

Data Collection

The Nonimmigrant Information System (NIIS) is designed to provide for each nonimmigrant entry a record of legal admission and departure. The system also produces statistics for such variables as age, gender, country of citizenship, class of admission, visa-issuing post, port of entry, and destination in the United States.

As mentioned, many nonimmigrants enter and leave the United States more than once each year, and the NIIS system records each entry (and departure) separately. The data system records each arrival/departure event via collection of a separate INS Form I-94; thus, admission data represent each arrival event during the year rather than the actual number of individuals admitted. Nonimmigrants in several classes of admission often enter (and leave) many times in any given year, especially students, intracompany transferees, and visitors for business.

A description of the principal steps in the process of nonimmigrant admission to the United States is useful for understanding the data produced by the NIIS system. A nonimmigrant visa is secured at a U.S. Consulate abroad (except for those entering under the Visa Waiver Program—see Visa Waiver Program section). These visas may be valid for multiple visits to the United States. Prior to departing for the United States, nonimmigrants are screened initially by the transportation company to ensure that their documents are in order. During the trip, INS Form I-94 is distributed to non-U.S. citizens.

At the port of entry, each arriving nonimmigrant presents a visa (or proof of visa waiver status), which usually is stamped in the passport, and a completed INS Form I-94 to an immigration inspector. Among other actions, the inspector checks the form for completeness, determines the length of admission, and stamps the class of admission and port of entry on the form. The arrival portion is torn off and sent to a central data processing facility. The matching departure section of the form, usually stapled into the passport, is the nonimmigrant's proof of legal admission to the United States. This section of the I-94, collected at departure, also is sent to the data processing facility where it is processed and matched electronically to the arrival section of the form.

Other temporary visitors

The Nonimmigrant Information System also includes information on parolees (see Parolees section), withdrawals, stowaways, refugees, and crewmen. Data for crewmen have historically been a very limited subset of arrivals. Improvements in collection and processing of forms during fiscal year 2002 have produced more complete counts for all types of crewmen (air and sea, cargo and pleasure conveyances). Howerer, procedures for inspecting and documenting crewmen admissions render such counts incomplete. Data are not shown in the nonimmigrant tables for any of these classes of admission but are included in footnotes to the appropriate tables.

Temporary visitor information not collected

The Nonimmigrant Information System does not include data for permanent resident aliens returning to the United States after short visits abroad or for most of the millions of citizens of Canada and Mexico who cross U.S. land borders for brief periods of time. Most Canadian and Mexican citizens and certain other aliens, including those residing in some Caribbean islands, do not require documentation in

the NIIS system.[3] Canadians may travel for business or pleasure without travel restrictions for a period of six months without obtaining nonimmigrant visas. Mexicans crossing the border frequently may apply for border crossing cards, which can be used for admission to the United States for business or pleasure within 25 miles of the Southwestern border for a period not to exceed 72 hours. Many Mexican visitors obtain Form I-94s that allow multiple visits and are valid for 6 months (mostly those whose travel in the United States will exceed 25 miles or whose stay will exceed 72 hours). Inspection policy for Mexican temporary visitors has changed over the past several years leading to the collection of the I-94 for a greater proportion of visitors from that country. However, visitation without benefit of this form remains vastly larger.

Limitations of Data

Counts for unknown class of admission increased sharply in fiscal year 2002 (Tables 24-26, 30, and 32) due to a processing change in the data base. Certain class of admission codes previously assigned to the visitors for pleasure category were designated as unknown class for fiscal year 2002.

The tables on parole admissions in fiscal year 1998 reflect a later edition of the data than was available for production of the report entitled, *Use of the Attorney General's Parole Authority Under the Immigration and Nationality Act: Fiscal Years 1997-1998*.

Missing information

There are gaps in the historical nonimmigrant data series due to the unavailability of arrival and departure records for July to September 1979, all of 1980, and for most characteristics for 1981 and 1982. Country of last residence and class of admission are the only variables available for 1981 and 1982. No reliable data are available for 1997.

H-1B Temporary Workers

An H-1B temporary worker is an alien admitted to the United States to perform services in "specialty occupations," based on professional education, skills, and/or equivalent experience. (See Glossary)

[3] Exempt from the use of INS Form I-94 are: certain British, French, and Netherlands nationals residing in certain Caribbean islands and arriving from the Western Hemisphere; citizens of Bermuda; and citizens of the Republic of the Marshall Islands and Federated States of Micronesia.

Table I
H-1B Petitions Filed and Approved by Type: Fiscal Year 2002

Type of petition	Petitions filed	Petitions approved
All petitions	215,190	197,537
Initial beneficiaries	109,576	103,584 [1]
Aliens outside U.S.	37,923	36,494 [1]
Aliens in U.S.	71,653	67,090 [1]
Continuing beneficiaries	105,614	93,953

[1] Petitions approved in fiscal year 2002 that may have qualified as counting towards the numerical limit of 195,000 based on rules existing prior to the enactment of AC21 and before adjustment for multiple petitions and revocations.

H-1B Program

The Immigration and Naturalization Service is responsible for the processing and approval of H-1B petitions submitted by domestic employers and their representatives on behalf of nonimmigrant workers seeking temporary employment within the United States. The H-1B nonimmigrant classification permits foreign professionals to enter the United States on a temporary basis to work in their field of expertise.

Under the H-1B program, specialty workers are permitted to be employed for as long as three years initially with extensions not exceeding three years. The maximum stay is six years. In order to perform services in a specialty occupation, an employee must meet one of the following criteria: 1) hold a U.S. baccalaureate or higher degree as required by the specialty occupation from an accredited college or university; 2) possess a foreign degree determined to be equivalent to a U.S. baccalaureate or higher degree as required by the specialty occupation from an accredited college or university; 3) have any required license or other official permission to practice the occupation (for example, architect, surveyor, physical therapist) in the state in which employment is sought; or 4) have, as determined by the INS, the equivalent of the degree required by the specialty occupation acquired through a combination of education, training, and/or experience. Specialty occupations include computer systems analysts and programmers, physicians, professors, engineers, and accountants.

Table J. Profile of H-1B Beneficiaries by Top 10 Countries of Birth: Fiscal Year 2002

Country of birth	All beneficiaries	Initial beneficiaries (percent)	Continuing beneficiaries (percent)	Initial and continuing beneficiaries				
				Median age (years)	Median income (dollars [1])	Bachelor's degree or higher (percent [2])	Master's degree or higher (percent [2])	Computer-related occupation (percent [2])
All countries	**197,537**	**52**	**48**	**30**	**53,000**	**98**	**48**	**38**
India	64,980	32	68	29	60,000	99	43	73
China, People's Rep.	18,841	63	37	32	48,000	100	85	28
Canada	11,760	67	33	34	70,000	94	39	24
Philippines	9,295	72	28	32	38,000	99	15	17
United Kingdom	7,171	58	42	33	68,000	92	36	17
Korea	5,941	65	35	34	42,000	98	59	14
Japan	4,937	60	40	31	38,000	97	37	9
Taiwan	4,025	59	41	31	42,000	99	71	24
Pakistan	3,810	51	49	31	50,000	99	50	39
Colombia	3,320	71	29	32	38,000	98	29	9

[1] Rounded to the nearest thousand dollars. [2] Based on all beneficiaries with known level of income, education, or occupation.

In order to sponsor a foreign worker under the H-1B program, an employer must first file an application with the Department of Labor specifying the job, the salary, and the length and site of employment. In addition, the employer must agree to pay the prevailing salary and provide proof that the pay is fair. Once the Department of Labor certifies the application, U.S. employers file the petition with the INS to sponsor an alien worker as an H-1B nonimmigrant. This petition may be filed to sponsor an alien for an initial period of H-1B employment or to extend the authorized stay of an alien as an H-1B nonimmigrant. Additionally, an employer may file the petition to sponsor an alien who currently has status as an H-1B nonimmigrant working for another employer or to seek an amendment of a previously approved petition. In the case of a petition to amend a previously approved petition, no corresponding request might be made to extend the authorized stay of the H-1B worker. For example, an employer may file an amended petition notifying the INS of a different location where the H-1B worker will be employed or a material change in the H-1B worker's job duties. Therefore, the total number of approved petitions exceeds the actual number of aliens who are provided nonimmigrant status as H-1B.

The Immigration and Naturalization Act, as amended by the Immigration Act of 1990 and the American Competitiveness and Workforce Improvement Act of 1998 (ACWIA), regulates H-1B policy as well as guides H-1B procedures. Under ACWIA, the annual ceiling of H-1B petitions valid for initial employment was increased from 65,000 to 115,000 in fiscal years 1999 and 2000 and 107,500 in 2001. The enactment of the American Competitiveness in the Twenty-first Century Act (AC21) in October 2000 raised the limit on petitions in fiscal year 2001 from 107,500 to 195,000 and in fiscal year 2002 from 65,000 to 195,000.

More than 215,000 H-1B petitions were filed and nearly 198,000 approved during 2002.

Data Overview

Petitions filed and approved (Table I)

The terms initial employment and continuing employment are used throughout this section on H-1B petitions to identify two types of petitions. Petitions for initial employment are filed for first-time H-1B employment with employers, only some of which are applied to the

Table K. Profile of H-1B Beneficiaries by Top 10 Occupations: Fiscal Year 2002

Occupation	All beneficiaries	Initial and continuing beneficiaries		
		Initial beneficiaries (percent)	Continuing beneficiaries (percent)	Leading country of birth (percent)
All occupations	**197,537**	**52**	**48**	**India (33)**
Computer-related	75,114	34	66	India (63)
Architecture, engineering, and surveying	25,197	57	43	India (23)
Administrative specializations	21,103	66	34	India (13)
Education	20,613	68	32	PRC (17)
Medicine and health	12,920	61	39	India (20)
Managers and officials n.e.c.	10,610	63	37	India (11)
Life sciences	6,910	68	32	PRC (28)
Social sciences	5,547	67	33	India (13)
Mathematics and physical sciences	5,443	63	37	PRC (26)
Miscellaneous professional, technical, and managerial	4,940	64	36	India (14)

annual cap.[4] Continuing employment petitions refer to extensions, sequential employment, and concurrent employment, which are filed for aliens already in the United States. Extensions are filed for H-1B workers intending to work beyond the initial 3-year period up to six years, the maximum period permissible under law during fiscal year 2001.[5] Sequential employment refers to petitions for workers transferring between H-1B employers within the six-year period. Finally, petitions for concurrent employment are filed for H-1B workers intending to work simultaneously for a second or subsequent H-1B employer.

The number of H-1B petitions filed in fiscal year 2002 was approximately 215,000, of which 109,000 or 51 percent were for initial employment.[6] The remaining 106,000 or 49 percent were for extensions of status, and sequential or concurrent employment. The corresponding numbers for fiscal year 2001 were 342,000 petitions filed, of which 202,000 (59 percent) were for initial and 140,000 (41 percent) were for continuing employment. The number of petitions filed decreased by 37 percent in 2002 over 2001.

During the same period, the INS approved about 198,000 H-1B petitions submitted by employers on behalf of alien workers. In some cases, more than one U.S. employer submitted a petition on behalf of an individual H-1B worker (multiple petitions); therefore, the number of approved petitions exceeds the number of individual H-1B workers. *The references in the tables and chart to beneficiaries (see definition 1 of H-1B Beneficiary in Glossary) represent petitions approved (rather than individual workers approved).* In fiscal year 2001, approximately 331,000 petitions were approved.

Of the petitions approved in fiscal year 2002, about 104,000 petitions or 52 percent were for initial employment.[7] Approximately 65 percent of the

[4] H-1B petitions approved for initial employment with non-exempt employers, adjusted for multiple petitions for individuals and revocations, count against the annual cap.

[5] Enactment of AC21 amended the 6-year limitation for certain aliens (Public Law 106.313, Sec. 104(c) and 106).

[6] The number of petitions counting against the cap was 79,000. This number excludes multiple petitions of individuals as well as petitions for employment with institutions of higher education and certain non-profit organizations.

[7] AC21 raised the cap on initial employment from 65,000 to 195,000 in fiscal years 2002 and 2003.

Table K. Profile of H-1B Beneficiaries by Top 10 Occupations: Fiscal Year 2002—Continued

Occupation	Initial and continuing beneficiaries			
	Median age (years)	Median income (dollars [1])	Master's degree or higher (percent [2])	Leading industry (percent [2])
All occupations	**30**	**53,000**	**48**	**Computer systems design and related services (28)**
Computer-related	29	60,000	38	Computer systems design and related services (65)
Architecture, engineering, and surveying	31	57,000	48	Architectural, engineering, and related services (32)
Administrative specializations	30	41,000	34	Accounting, tax preparation, bookkeeping, and payroll services (17)
Education	34	36,000	75	Colleges, universities, and professional schools (67)
Medicine and health	32	46,000	68	General medical and surgical hospitals (26)
Managers and officials n.e.c.	33	59,000	34	Computer systems design and related services (8)
Life sciences	33	38,000	85	Colleges, universities, and professional schools (37)
Social sciences	29	44,000	42	Management, scientific, and technical consulting services (11)
Mathematics and physical sciences	32	55,000	80	Scientific research and development services (29)
Miscellaneous professional, technical, and managerial	30	53,000	48	Management, scientific, and technical consulting services (16)

[1] Rounded to the nearest thousand dollars. [2] Based on all beneficiaries with known level of income, education, or occupation.

Note: n.e.c. represents not elsewhere classified. PRC represents People's Republic of China.

beneficiaries of initial employment were in the United States in another nonimmigrant status.[8] The corresponding number of petitions for continuing employment was 94,000.[9] In fiscal year 2001, 61 and 39 percent of the petitions approved were for initial and continuing beneficiaries, respectively.

The number of H-1B petitions approved presented in this section and the number of H-1B temporary workers admissions reported previously in the Nonimmigrants section are not comparable because they measure different populations. Petitions approved pertain to H-1B petitions authorizing temporary employment for specialty workers, whether they are in the United States or overseas, while admissions represent H-1B workers arriving from abroad. H-1B petitions can be approved for aliens changing nonimmigrant status without leaving the United States. Most significantly, H-1B workers can be admitted multiple times using a single petition, and admitted with a petition approved in a prior fiscal year.

Common characteristics of beneficiaries

The typical H-1B beneficiary whose petition was approved in fiscal year 2002 had the following characteristics: born in India; 30 years old; holding a bachelor's degree; working in a computer-related occupation; and receiving an annual compensation of $53,000. Twenty-four percent of all beneficiaries were born in India, had either a bachelor's or master's degree, and were employed in a computer-related

[8] In a report covering May 1998 to July 1999 an estimated 58 percent of aliens already in the United States in a nonimmigrant status were here as academic students. The report, *Characteristics of Specialty Occupation Workers (H-1B)—May 1998 to July 1999*, is available at the H-1B and statistical reports section of the Bureau of Citizenship and Immigration Services website (http://www.immigration.gov/graphics/index.htm).

[9] Neither AC21 nor prior legislation establishes a cap on H-1B petitions for continuing employment.

Table L. Profile of H-1B Beneficiaries by Top 10 Industries: Fiscal Year 2002

Industry (NAICS code)	All beneficiaries	Initial and continuing beneficiaries		
		Initial beneficiaries (percent)	Continuing beneficiaries (percent)	Leading country of birth (percent)
All industries [1]	**197,537**	**52**	**48**	**India (34)**
Computer systems design and related services (5415)	50,776	33	67	India (68)
Colleges, universities, and professional schools (6113)	18,401	65	35	PRC (26)
Architectural, engineering, and related services (5413)	8,963	60	40	India (21)
Management, scientific, and technical consulting services (5416)	7,458	55	45	India (39)
Scientific research and development services (5417)	6,695	63	37	PRC (24)
Telecommunications (5133)	4,357	41	59	India (38)
Elementary and secondary schools (6111)	3,983	76	24	India (18)
Accounting, tax preparation, bookkeeping, and payroll services (5412)	3,507	62	38	India (16)
General medical and surgical hospitals (6221)	3,442	58	42	India (24)
Securities and commodity contracts intermediation and brokerage (5231)	2,917	54	46	India (21)

occupation.[10] The corresponding percentage in fiscal year 2001 was 41 percent. The beneficiaries continuing in H-1B status were one year older and earned $15,000 more annually than the typical initial beneficiaries.

Profile of beneficiaries by country of birth

(Table J)

The relative share of beneficiaries from India in the H-1B program declined sharply in fiscal year 2002 in relation to 2001 from one half to one third of the total. A distant second were beneficiaries from the People's Republic of China, accounting for almost 10 percent. In fiscal year 2001, approximately 49 percent and 8 percent of beneficiaries were from India and the People's Republic of China, respectively.

As indicated in Chart J and Table J, 85 and 71 percent of beneficiaries born in the People's Republic of China and Taiwan, respectively had at least a master's degree, the highest percent among countries listed. On the other hand, 15 and 29 percent of beneficiaries born in the Philippines and Colombia, respectively, had a master's degree or higher.

The youngest beneficiaries, with a median age of 29, were born in India while the oldest, with a median age of 34, were born in Canada and Korea. In fiscal year 2001, the median age of Indians was also 28 years. The median age of beneficiaries in all countries was 30 years, one year more than in fiscal years 2000 and 2001.

Median income ranged from $38,000 for beneficiaries born in Colombia, Japan, and the Philippines to $70,000 for beneficiaries born in Canada. The median income was $53,000 for beneficiaries from all countries, 3 percent lower than the overall median income in fiscal year 2001.

Ninety-seven percent of beneficiaries of all countries held a bachelor's degree or higher, and 47 percent at least a master's degree. The corresponding percents in fiscal year 2001 were 98 and 41. Seventy-three percent of

[10] Every percentage shown about H-1B beneficiaries is based on the total number of reported values for a particular characteristic.

Table L. Profile of H-1B Beneficiaries by Top 10 Industries: Fiscal Year 2002—Continued

Industry (NAICS code)	Initial and continuing beneficiaries			
	Median income (dollars [1, 2])	Median age (years)	Master's degree or higher (percent [1])	Leading occupation (percent [1])
All industries [1]	**55,000**	**30**	**48**	**Computer-related (39)**
Computer systems design and related services (5415)	60,000	29	36	Computer-related (90)
Colleges, universities, and professional schools (6113)	37,000	34	93	Education (70)
Architectural, engineering, and related services (5413)	48,000	31	44	Architecture, engineering, and surveying (81)
Management, Scientific, and Technical Consulting Services (5416)	55,000	29	43	Computer-related (39)
Scientific research and development services (5417)	54,000	33	82	Life sciences (35)
Telecommunications (5133)	70,000	30	48	Computer-related (56)
Elementary and secondary schools (6111)	33,000	33	31	Education (94)
Accounting, tax preparation, bookkeeping, and payroll services (5412)	42,000	30	36	Administrative specializations (87)
General medical and surgical hospitals (6221)	42,000	32	81	Medicine and health (91)
Securities and commodity contracts intermediation and brokerage (5231)	75,000	28	45	Computer-related (24)

[1] Based on all beneficiaries with known level of industry, income, education, or occupation. [2] Rounded to the nearest thousand dollars.

Note: NAICS refers to North American Industry Classification System. For additional information on NAICS codes, visit the website of the National Technical Information Service at http://www.ntis.gov. PRC represents People's Republic of China.

beneficiaries born in India had a computer-related occupation. For beneficiaries of all countries, the percentage was 38, a decline from 58 percent in fiscal year 2001. Of the top 10 countries, only beneficiaries from India and Pakistan (39) exceeded the average percentage. Without India, the percentage of beneficiaries employed in computer-related occupations drops to 14 percent. In 2001, the corresponding percentage was 32.

Profile of beneficiaries by occupation

(Table K)

Sixty-three percent of H-1B beneficiaries in computer-related occupations were born in India, down from 71 percent in 2001. In no other occupation did a country have a majority of beneficiaries. Other characteristics of beneficiaries in computer-related occupations were a median age of 29 and a median income of $60,000. The corresponding numbers in 2001 were 28 and $58,000. Additionally, 48 percent held at least a master's degree and 28 percent were employed in computer systems design and related services.

Besides computer-related occupations, India-born beneficiaries held the lead in other numerically-significant occupations: architecture, engineering, and surveying (23 percent); administrative specializations (13 percent); medicine and health (20 percent); managers and officials not elsewhere classified (11 percent); social sciences (13 percent); and miscellaneous professional, technical, and managerial (14 percent).

Besides computer-related occupations and computer systems design and related services, close relationships existed between other occupations and industries. Two-thirds of educators were employed in colleges, universities, and professional schools, and 80 percent of beneficiaries in law and jurisprudence were employed in legal services (not shown).

Table M. Median Annual Compensation of H-1B Beneficiaries by Age and Top 10 Occupations: Fiscal Year 2002

Occupation	All beneficiaries	Median compensation (dollars) by age of beneficiary						
		All ages	Under 25 years	25-29 years	30-34 years	35-39 years	40 years and older	Unknown age
All occupations	**195,196** [1]	**53,000**	**46,000**	**53,000**	**56,000**	**54,000**	**52,000**	**48,000**
Computer-related	74,641	60,000	55,000	60,000	63,000	65,000	67,000	60,000
Architecture, engineering, and surveying	24,942	57,000	50,000	54,000	60,000	62,000	62,000	47,000
Administrative specializations	20,810	41,000	37,000	41,000	45,000	42,000	40,000	40,000
Education	20,265	36,000	30,000	33,000	36,000	37,000	39,000	33,000
Medicine and health	12,649	46,000	37,000	40,000	47,000	71,000	60,000	45,000
Managers and officials n.e.c.	10,495	59,000	36,000	45,000	60,000	72,000	75,000	42,000
Life sciences	6,865	38,000	31,000	35,000	37,000	39,000	43,000	40,000
Social sciences	5,448	44,000	42,000	42,000	50,000	45,000	40,000	50,000
Mathematics and physical sciences	5,399	55,000	47,000	52,000	55,000	57,000	60,000	42,000
Miscellaneous professional, technical, and managerial	4,882	53,000	45,000	50,000	65,000	51,100	47,000	55,000

[1] Less than the 197,537 shown in prior tables because 2,341 petitions were missing annual compensation. Note: n.e.c. represents not elsewhere classified.

Profile of beneficiaries by industry (Table L)

Of the top 10 industries, only colleges, universities, and professional schools, elementary and secondary schools, and general medical and surgical hospitals increased their employment of H-1B beneficiaries between 2001 and 2002, by 20, 20, and 22 percent, respectively. In sharp contrast, the number of petitions approved for work in computer systems design and related services dropped by 64 percent.

Twenty-eight percent of all beneficiaries were employed in computer systems design and related services, a big drop from 47 percent in fiscal year 2001. The percentage of initial beneficiaries among these workers declined from 60 percent in 2001 to 33 percent in 2002. Sixty-eight percent of these beneficiaries were born in India. These beneficiaries had a median age of 29, earning a median income of $60,000. Additionally, 36 percent held at least a master's degree and 90 percent were in computer-related occupations.

The least compensated beneficiaries, with a median income of $33,000, were employed in elementary and secondary schools, and the most compensated, with a median income of $75,000, were employed in securities, and commodity contracts intermediation and brokerage.

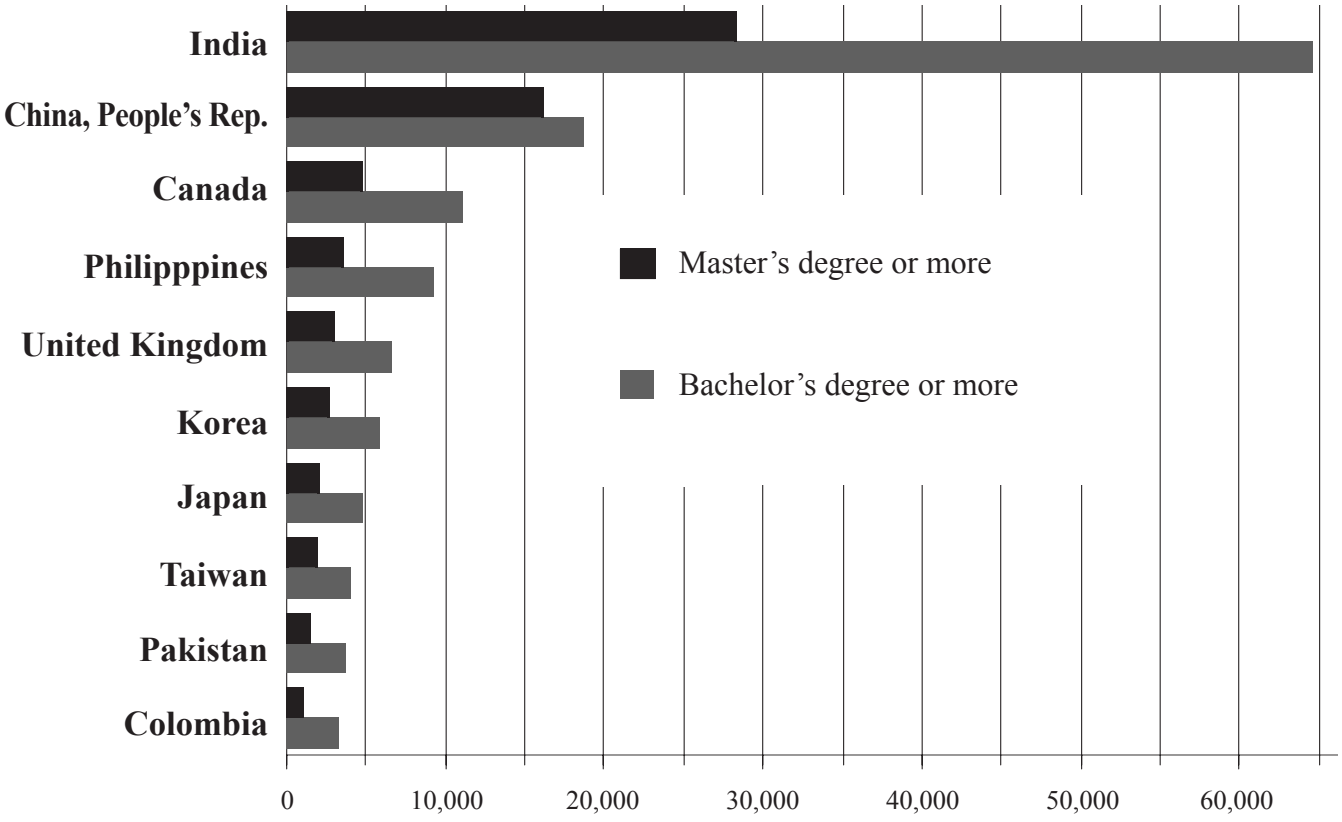
Ninety-three percent of H-1B employees in colleges, universities, and professional schools held at least a master's degree, the highest of any top 10 industry. The lowest percent was 31 in elementary and secondary schools.

Annual compensation by age and occupation of beneficiaries (Table M)

For all beneficiaries median annual compensation was $53,000, with a peak at $56,000 for workers in their thirties.

For any occupation and age group the highest compensated beneficiaries, at a median level of approximately $75,000, were managers and officials not elsewhere classified and over 39 years old. The lowest, compensated at about $30,000, were education workers under age 25.

Chart J
H-1B Beneficiaries from Top 10 Countries of Birth by Level of Education: Fiscal Year 2002



Education by occupation of beneficiaries (Table N)

Ninety-seven and 47 percent of all beneficiaries held at least a bachelor's or master's degree, respectively. Five percent had a professional degree and another 12 percent had a doctorate degree. The big shift from 2001 was the increase from 7 to 12 percent of beneficiaries with a doctorate degree and from 3 to 5 percent with a professional degree.

For beneficiaries in computer-related occupations, 62 percent had no more than a bachelor's degree and 98 percent no more than a master's degree.

Annual compensation by education and occupation of beneficiaries (Table O)

Beneficiaries with a bachelor's degree—the most numerous group—had a median income of $50,000, 6 percent lower than in fiscal year 2001. Their income was lower than all other education levels, except beneficiaries with a doctorate. The doctorate holders had a relatively low median income ($47,000) because so many (42 percent) were employed as low-paid educators.

Beneficiaries with at most a master's degree fared better. Their median income was $58,000, $2,000 less than in fiscal year 2001. Median compensation for H-1B workers with professional degrees and doctorates decreased in fiscal year 2002 over fiscal year 2001 by $7,000 to $58,000, and by $8,000 to $47,000, respectively.

Understanding the Data

Data Collection

Petitions for obtaining H-1B nonimmigrant status for alien workers are submitted by their prospective employers on INS form I-129 *Petition for a Nonimmigrant Worker* and the addendum I-129W *H-1B Data Collection and Filing Fee Exemption*. The petitions are mailed to one of four INS Service Centers for processing, depending on the location

Table N. H-1B Beneficiaries by Education and Top 10 Occupations: Fiscal Year 2002

Occupation	All beneficiaries	Education of beneficiary					
		Less than Bachelor's degree	Bachelor's degree	Master's degree	Professional degree	Doctorate degree	Unknown
All occupations	**197,537**	**3,975**	**99,436**	**60,022**	**10,493**	**23,323**	**288**
Computer-related	75,114	916	45,554	26,781	131	1,652	80
Architecture, engineering, and surveying	25,197	569	12,485	9,327	140	2,636	40
Administrative specializations	21,103	492	13,362	6,889	183	164	13
Education	20,613	81	5,027	4,003	1,632	9,830	40
Medicine and health	12,920	48	4,055	1,072	6,392	1,332	21
Managers and officials n.e.c.	10,610	614	6,338	3,164	144	343	7
Life sciences	6,910	33	987	1,314	621	3,946	9
Social sciences	5,547	84	3,143	2,035	38	237	10
Mathematics and physical sciences	5,443	31	1,073	1,571	71	2,692	5
Miscellaneous professional, technical, and managerial	4,940	117	2,430	2,008	127	256	2

Note: n.e.c. represents not elsewhere classified.

of the sponsoring employer: St. Albans, Vermont; Lincoln, Nebraska; Dallas Texas; and Laguna Niguel, California.

Upon receipt, each petition is stamped with its date of arrival at the Service Center. File assembly clerks create a paper file that contains the original petition as well as all supporting documentation. This file becomes the official file of record for all activities connected with the petition.

Biographical data such as name, date of birth, and country of birth are entered from the petition by data entry clerks into the Computer-Linked Application Information Management System (CLAIMS3) case-tracking system. The computer system generates a unique number for the file, known as a receipt number. The files are distributed to adjudicators after being sorted into potential cap and non-cap cases.

After being received, the files are reviewed by adjudicators who determine whether they have adequate information in the file on which to base a decision to approve or deny the petition. If sufficient evidence is available, a decision is made by the adjudicator and the corresponding information is entered into the tracking system. Otherwise, additional information is sought by the adjudicator from the sponsoring employer. A response from the employer must be made within a set period of time or the petition will be denied.

After petitions have been adjudicated, the associated paper files are forwarded for storage to the INS records center in Harrisonburg, Virginia.

Limitations of Data

Historical data on H-1B petitions filed and approved is incomplete before fiscal year 2000. The availability of comprehensive H-1B data does not begin until fiscal year 2000,[11] a direct response to the aforementioned ACWIA.

The tables in this report have been tabulated from an extract file created at headquarters from INS service center files. Errors in this extract file could have occurred in several ways. For example, petition data might have been inaccurate on petitions, miskeyed into computers at the

[11] The reports, *Characteristics of Specialty Occupation Workers (H-1B)—Fiscal Year 2000 and Fiscal Year 2001*, are available at the H-1B and statistical reports section of the Bureau of Citizenship and Immigration Services website (http://www.immigration.gov/graphics/index.htm).

Table O. Median Annual Compensation of H-1B Beneficiaries by Education and Top 10 Occupations: Fiscal Year 2002

Occupation	All beneficiaries	Median compensation (dollars) by education of beneficiary						
		All education levels	Less than Bachelor's degree	Bachelor's degree	Master's degree	Professional degree	Doctorate degree	Unknown
All occupations	**195,196** [1]	**53,000**	**64,000**	**50,000**	**58,000**	**58,000**	**47,000**	**48,000**
Computer-related	74,641	60,000	69,000	60,000	62,000	63,000	80,000	60,000
Architecture, engineering, and surveying	24,942	57,000	64,000	52,000	60,000	64,000	75,000	63,000
Administrative specializations	20,810	41,000	48,000	38,000	50,000	54,000	80,000	35,000
Education	20,265	36,000	33,000	32,000	36,000	37,000	40,000	39,000
Medicine and health	12,649	46,000	45,000	40,000	42,000	84,000	39,000	82,000
Managers and officials n.e.c.	10,495	59,000	55,000	48,000	75,000	89,000	104,000	55,000
Life sciences	6,865	38,000	40,000	35,000	40,000	34,000	39,000	32,000
Social sciences	5,448	44,000	40,000	40,000	51,000	60,000	70,000	42,000
Mathematics and physical sciences	5,399	55,000	41,000	48,300	54,000	56,000	60,000	61,000
Miscellaneous professional, technical, and managerial	4,882	53,000	50,000	43,000	64,000	45,000	79,000	17,000

[1] Less than the 197,537 shown in prior tables because 2,341 petitions were missing annual compensation. Note: n.e.c. represents not elsewhere classified.

service centers, or improperly transferred electronically between the service centers and headquarters. Very little editing has been done in this report. Impossible or very improbable values have been defined as unknown. Examples are beneficiaries younger than 16 (except for fashion models) or those beneficiaries working without compensation.

Industry data was collected using the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS). Unlike country of birth, age, education, and occupation, INS does not verify the NAICS code because the sponsor does not provide supporting documentation.

In fiscal year 2002 the percentage of petitions with unknown information was not more than 1.2 percent for every characteristic except industry. The percentage of petitions approved with missing data remained at 9.0 percent for industry in fiscal year 2002, the second year of its availability. For the other characteristics, the percentages of approved petitions with missing data remained low: age (.2 of 1 percent); country of birth (.2 of 1 percent); and education (.1 of 1 percent), major occupation (.7 of 1 percent), detailed occupation (.8 of 1 percent), and compensation (1.2 percent).

TABLE 24. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION AND REGION AND SELECTED COUNTRY OF LAST RESIDENCE SELECTED FISCAL YEARS 1985-2002

Region and country of last residence	All classes [1] (in thousands)					Visitors for pleasure (in thousands)				
	1985	1990 [2]	1995 [2]	2000 [2]	2002 [2]	1985	1990 [2]	1995 [2]	2000 [2]	2002 [2]
All countries	**9,540**	**17,574**	**22,641**	**33,690**	**27,907**	**6,609**	**13,418**	**17,612**	**30,511**	**19,967**
Europe	**3,129**	**6,875**	**8,777**	**12,451**	**9,721**	**2,048**	**5,383**	**7,012**	**11,806**	**7,403**
Armenia	X	X	5	10	6	X	X	4	8	3
Austria	48	108	170	191	107	34	87	146	182	78
Azerbaijan	X	X	1	3	2	X	X	1	2	1
Belarus	X	X	3	8	7	X	X	2	5	3
Belgium	67	137	203	264	188	39	95	153	254	129
Bosnia-Herzegovina	X	X	1	6	5	X	X	Z	5	3
Bulgaria	2	7	9	18	22	1	5	4	10	8
Croatia	X	X	10	17	15	X	X	5	11	5
Czech Republic	X	X	18	51	34	X	X	12	44	19
Czechoslovakia [3]	6	16	18	13	20	4	12	13	12	12
Denmark	59	105	111	158	128	36	75	78	150	87
Finland	37	107	70	103	74	24	83	47	95	45
France	358	742	919	1,173	916	226	566	738	1,113	685
Georgia	X	X	2	5	4	X	X	1	3	1
Germany [4]	[4]	[4]	1,818	2,017	1,282	[4]	[4]	1,550	1,925	933
Germany, East	5	7	[4]	[4]	[4]	3	5	[4]	[4]	[4]
Germany, West	537	1,186	[4]	[4]	[4]	373	969	[4]	[4]	[4]
Greece	51	61	62	70	49	34	43	44	60	29
Hungary	13	23	41	66	42	10	15	29	58	26
Iceland	8	14	17	29	21	5	10	14	27	15
Ireland	73	108	154	345	295	55	81	126	325	242
Italy	240	402	527	660	465	155	308	427	626	341
Kazakhstan	X	X	4	5	5	X	X	1	3	2
Luxembourg	5	10	17	18	10	3	8	15	17	8
Macedonia	X	X	2	4	5	X	X	1	3	2
Moldova	X	X	1	3	2	X	X	Z	2	1
Netherlands	139	291	400	577	437	82	214	308	559	327
Norway	71	114	105	156	122	41	80	71	144	84
Poland	46	72	54	137	140	40	55	36	116	88
Portugal	26	40	52	91	61	18	30	40	86	46
Romania	5	15	15	36	40	3	10	8	25	18
Russia	X	X	116	115	101	X	X	33	74	33
Slovak Republic	X	X	17	19	23	X	X	11	13	8
Slovenia	X	X	2	17	8	X	X	1	16	5
Soviet Union [5]	6	86	3	Z	Z	2	53	1	Z	Z
Spain	103	245	305	397	349	64	183	248	370	270
Sweden	121	299	216	343	212	71	230	142	321	138
Switzerland	155	296	386	419	293	110	236	321	400	217
Ukraine	X	X	22	25	23	X	X	10	13	7
United Kingdom	923	2,338	2,857	4,804	4,133	598	1,899	2,342	4,671	3,443
Uzbekistan	X	X	2	8	7	X	X	1	6	4
Yugoslavia [5]	X	X	9	9	14	X	X	7	6	8
Other Europe	6	10	45	61	55	1	3	30	47	29
Asia	**2,627**	**4,937**	**7,000**	**8,696**	**6,470**	**1,866**	**3,830**	**5,666**	**7,853**	**4,528**
Bangladesh	4	6	13	15	12	2	4	8	11	7
China [6]	183	329	614	771	564	83	187	378	656	267
Hong Kong	101	176	223	214	145	64	111	162	195	84
India	85	125	155	410	369	52	75	75	253	151
Indonesia	32	47	74	87	60	19	28	44	62	29
Iran	40	18	11	11	8	33	16	9	9	5
Israel	115	175	215	342	298	80	128	160	319	201
Japan	1,555	3,298	4,380	5,120	3,526	1,277	2,846	3,986	4,946	2,963
Jordan	14	19	13	20	15	7	13	8	16	9
Korea	91	235	612	710	694	26	120	427	606	409
Kuwait	22	18	21	26	15	10	12	13	20	8
Lebanon	19	13	10	20	16	12	10	7	17	11
Malaysia	40	44	67	77	45	19	27	40	64	19
Pakistan	28	41	40	58	47	17	27	27	47	30
Philippines	107	143	171	237	262	59	76	85	163	142
Saudi Arabia	60	53	68	84	30	31	33	45	67	13
Singapore	37	54	97	145	98	23	32	61	131	46
Thailand	28	45	94	97	77	15	25	59	76	35
Turkey	16	34	46	117	87	9	20	27	93	47
United Arab Emirates	11	12	23	44	21	6	7	14	36	11
Other Asia	24	31	65	91	81	14	15	39	67	38

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 24. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION AND REGION AND SELECTED COUNTRY OF LAST RESIDENCE SELECTED FISCAL YEARS 1985-2002—Continued

Region and country of last residence	All classes [1] (in thousands)					Visitors for pleasure (in thousands)				
	1985	1990 [2]	1995 [2]	2000 [2]	2002 [2]	1985	1990 [2]	1995 [2]	2000 [2]	2002 [2]
Africa	**177**	**186**	**228**	**396**	**329**	**101**	**105**	**137**	**327**	**178**
Egypt	27	27	30	54	32	16	16	16	44	18
Kenya	6	8	11	17	21	3	4	6	12	11
Liberia	6	5	2	4	2	4	4	1	4	1
Morocco	7	11	12	22	17	4	7	8	18	10
Nigeria	44	22	17	31	42	25	11	10	27	25
Senegal	3	5	6	12	9	1	2	3	11	5
South Africa	40	40	85	130	97	26	26	59	114	52
Other Africa	45	67	66	126	109	22	34	35	98	55
Oceania	**365**	**679**	**611**	**791**	**720**	**282**	**562**	**478**	**748**	**538**
Australia	255	466	428	564	479	195	380	327	535	356
Fiji	6	6	6	9	8	4	4	4	7	4
New Zealand [7]	90	177	139	178	183	74	153	115	170	150
Other Oceania	14	31	37	42	50	9	25	31	36	28
North America	**2,189**	**3,245**	**3,091**	**7,817**	**7,715**	**1,664**	**2,463**	**2,240**	**6,501**	**5,275**
Canada	154	216	252	428	451	79	119	127	277	228
Mexico [8]	945	1,348	1,214	4,135	4,149	773	1,061	893	3,972	3,429
Caribbean	**774**	**1,231**	**1,088**	**1,488**	**1,300**	**584**	**963**	**831**	**1,404**	**984**
Antigua-Barbuda	12	25	22	26	21	9	16	15	25	14
Aruba	Z	14	24	25	24	Z	10	19	24	22
Bahamas, The	231	345	266	383	330	211	332	234	377	287
Barbados	24	47	49	61	49	17	34	36	57	35
British Virgin Islands	5	16	15	32	28	4	8	9	31	21
Cayman Islands	24	38	38	54	46	18	31	31	53	37
Cuba	10	34	10	38	23	8	33	8	37	19
Dominica	6	16	17	18	22	4	11	12	16	15
Dominican Republic	87	189	186	206	178	57	137	138	195	124
Guadeloupe	5	8	11	10	7	4	6	9	10	7
Haiti	79	72	56	76	69	56	57	43	72	52
Jamaica	126	213	201	271	241	74	132	130	240	160
Netherlands Antilles	38	48	40	44	47	27	31	32	43	38
St. Lucia	4	11	12	19	15	2	7	8	18	10
Trinidad and Tobago	90	99	82	142	132	71	81	64	133	99
Turks and Caicos Islands	6	9	9	17	13	4	7	8	17	10
Other Caribbean	16	33	50	66	53	12	20	35	56	34
Central America	**316**	**449**	**536**	**854**	**864**	**228**	**320**	**387**	**792**	**603**
Belize	11	18	21	32	28	8	12	15	30	18
Costa Rica	58	86	123	184	164	41	62	91	172	109
El Salvador	50	66	87	182	219	38	46	63	175	171
Guatemala	71	124	135	187	187	53	91	99	177	130
Honduras	55	80	60	101	110	37	52	37	87	71
Nicaragua	17	16	38	52	52	14	13	28	47	35
Panama	54	59	73	116	103	38	43	54	106	69
Other North America [9]	Z	Z	1	913	951	Z	Z	1	55	30
South America	**832**	**1,343**	**2,481**	**3,079**	**2,331**	**606**	**1,016**	**1,978**	**2,867**	**1,622**
Argentina	89	175	383	534	234	66	136	320	515	159
Bolivia	17	21	25	53	35	10	14	16	48	22
Brazil	200	393	847	768	557	148	300	710	706	346
Chile	40	75	154	209	150	28	54	117	194	98
Colombia	164	164	238	450	374	123	122	174	411	273
Ecuador	53	75	100	136	174	42	57	77	122	124
Guyana	11	10	14	20	22	7	6	9	18	16
Paraguay	6	9	19	21	18	3	6	14	18	11
Peru	59	124	145	215	205	44	97	98	190	144
Uruguay	10	21	46	69	58	7	16	37	66	46
Venezuela	173	264	500	597	497	122	199	400	570	377
Other South America	Z	Z	Z	8	6	Z	Z	Z	7	4
Unknown	221	308	453	459	620	40	60	101	408	423

[1] Excludes classes of admission processed in the Nonimmigrant Information System in the following years: for all countries — 1985 - 64,487 parolees, 3,239 withdrawals and stowaways, and 68,044 refugees; 1990 - 90,265 parolees, 19,984 withdrawals and stowaways, and 110,197 refugees; 1995 - 113,542 parolees, 21,567 withdrawals and stowaways, and 95,576 refugees; 2000 - 299,851 parolees, 23,584 withdrawals and stowaways, and 100,011 refugees; 2002 - 244,834 parolees, 35,462 withdrawals and stowaways, 65,736 refugees, and 630,184 crewmen. [2] Includes admissions under the Visa Waiver Pilot/Permanent Program. [3] Prior to 1993, data include independent republics; beginning in 1993, data are for unknown republic only. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. [4] Prior to fiscal year 1982 and after fiscal year 1990, data for East and West Germany are included in Germany. [5] Prior to 1992, data include independent republics; beginning in 1992, data are for unknown republic only. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. [6] Includes People's Republic of China and Taiwan. A total of 472,927 nonimmigrant visas were issued to these two countries in fiscal year 2002: 184,827 to Taiwan and 288,100 to People's Republic of China. (SOURCE: U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Visa Office.) [7] Prior to fiscal year 1985, data for Niue are included in New Zealand. [8] Increased use since 1997 of the INS Form I-94 for inspection of Mexican nationals has increased counts presented in the *Statistical Yearbook*. [9] Predominantly temporary visitors who indicate the United States as their country of last residence.

NOTE: Totals may not add due to rounding. X Not applicable. Z Less than 500 admissions.

TABLE 25. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP FISCAL YEAR 2002

Region and country of citizenship	All classes [1, 2]	Foreign govern-ment officials [3]	Temporary visitors for business [2]	Temporary visitors for pleasure [2]	Transit aliens [4]	Treaty traders and investors [3]	Students	Spouses and children of students	Tempo-rary workers and trainees [5]	Spouses and children of temp. workers and trainees [5]
All countries	**27,907,139**	**140,898**	**4,376,935**	**19,967,281**	**614,934**	**171,368**	**646,016**	**41,490**	**582,250**	**140,174**
Europe	**10,631,390**	**42,949**	**1,747,938**	**7,870,853**	**80,278**	**72,411**	**120,110**	**3,919**	**157,437**	**29,297**
Albania	7,033	160	959	4,563	66	3	593	16	115	45
Andorra	449	7	56	338	-	-	18	-	6	4
Armenia	6,679	77	1,247	3,349	44	1	154	16	275	203
Austria	123,702	406	25,396	87,136	481	1,001	1,679	29	2,117	237
Azerbaijan	2,126	221	429	622	31	3	185	22	64	20
Belarus	7,481	51	864	3,500	49	1	207	18	288	176
Belgium	188,698	767	44,682	127,360	413	1,239	1,807	54	2,707	523
Bosnia-Herzegovina	6,315	88	785	4,221	51	24	398	7	144	15
Bulgaria	26,587	343	3,122	9,311	2,203	20	3,620	115	1,799	469
Croatia	18,233	301	3,741	6,873	3,893	38	1,038	20	636	119
Czech Republic	35,450	643	7,146	19,775	677	45	1,104	35	885	157
Czechoslovakia [6]	21,542	217	3,996	12,512	219	33	518	12	436	109
Denmark	146,122	466	37,095	94,708	1,213	857	1,315	23	2,026	443
Estonia	7,975	311	1,393	3,993	488	8	337	15	248	35
Finland	85,845	660	23,779	50,285	310	1,348	1,088	39	1,362	278
France	1,057,280	3,730	181,035	765,309	4,901	9,791	13,191	319	19,658	3,049
Georgia	3,878	375	678	1,386	155	6	217	17	212	55
Germany	1,405,834	3,354	280,421	985,364	3,139	23,485	16,070	471	17,279	2,452
Gibraltar	124	-	14	98	1	-	2	-	3	-
Greece	56,175	667	11,030	31,280	4,791	71	3,573	50	1,667	133
Holy See	127	77	12	22	4	-	-	-	2	-
Hungary	45,227	424	8,491	26,540	1,766	16	1,566	39	1,495	435
Iceland	23,171	116	4,024	16,440	193	4	857	139	417	131
Ireland	343,523	715	42,535	271,783	603	780	1,832	39	6,039	466
Italy	578,866	2,263	107,824	423,771	3,901	5,388	7,644	188	7,816	975
Kazakhstan	5,738	384	1,491	1,790	162	17	558	51	124	55
Kyrgyzstan	1,653	297	254	448	15	-	133	2	35	8
Latvia	10,773	298	1,452	4,096	2,106	14	449	11	242	43
Liechtenstein	1,184	12	181	879	1	4	15	-	36	1
Lithuania	17,715	357	1,825	8,087	1,148	7	621	26	434	106
Luxembourg	7,163	101	1,322	5,221	11	23	145	5	85	12
Macedonia	5,535	153	683	2,992	276	2	351	23	147	50
Malta	5,339	90	684	4,163	80	2	49	2	62	19
Moldova	2,645	181	429	848	45	4	176	14	133	56
Monaco	482	13	42	370	-	-	20	-	7	-
Netherlands	535,753	1,079	104,971	394,777	2,338	3,213	3,618	80	5,427	901
Norway	133,723	918	28,762	87,460	2,787	1,958	3,220	95	1,844	350
Poland	148,966	538	16,483	92,421	7,575	67	2,999	75	2,819	527
Portugal	80,939	327	12,485	61,219	1,360	23	1,564	57	891	138
Romania	48,461	708	6,955	21,932	6,121	37	2,875	230	1,804	819
Russia	114,964	2,639	28,834	37,308	5,424	49	4,812	408	9,526	2,958
San Marino	325	2	34	260	1	-	2	-	-	-
Slovak Republic	25,867	348	3,853	8,947	1,021	42	956	17	813	164
Slovenia	8,545	108	1,910	5,439	151	103	302	1	110	11
Soviet Union [6]	394	2	66	238	36	-	-	3	16	7
Spain	408,276	1,785	57,275	309,704	1,364	2,008	7,487	157	7,605	864
Sweden	238,710	1,713	61,173	147,955	1,153	2,105	6,571	73	4,472	745
Switzerland	270,869	1,319	45,069	202,394	365	2,033	5,545	142	3,566	642
Tajikistan	533	67	119	98	1	-	84	2	6	2
Turkmenistan	291	4	39	101	1	-	37	-	2	3
Ukraine	27,998	595	4,864	8,876	3,757	22	1,348	109	1,695	811
United Kingdom	4,304,050	12,042	571,789	3,497,474	12,812	16,502	14,945	570	46,959	9,218
Uzbekistan	7,488	358	1,394	4,327	134	2	343	27	117	63
Yugoslavia [6]	18,569	72	2,746	10,490	441	12	1,872	56	764	195
Asia	**7,012,522**	**45,361**	**1,113,514**	**4,709,886**	**169,174**	**83,361**	**364,753**	**27,415**	**168,849**	**69,702**
Afghanistan	1,183	70	143	654	11	-	16	2	6	2
Bahrain	2,281	201	408	832	31	1	589	37	26	-
Bangladesh	15,583	500	2,059	8,029	140	12	1,490	125	737	377

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TABLE 25. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Region and country of citizenship	All classes [1, 2]	Foreign govern-ment officials [3]	Temporary visitors for business [2]	Temporary visitors for pleasure [2]	Transit aliens [4]	Treaty traders and investors [3]	Students	Spouses and children of students	Tempo-rary workers and trainees [5]	Spouses and children of temp. workers and trainees [5]
Bhutan	361	6	79	72	11	-	48	1	20	8
Brunei	645	68	118	299	50	-	12	-	13	-
Burma	2,263	15	398	902	152	-	352	9	97	40
Cambodia	3,402	56	361	2,134	51	3	168	2	26	7
China [7]	705,596	1,743	218,691	334,947	17,989	3,988	68,722	6,034	18,544	5,945
Cyprus	9,320	99	1,056	4,397	112	4	2,436	18	348	26
Hong Kong	82,708	21	21,333	45,729	4,418	28	7,193	27	2,343	148
India	501,745	2,080	82,321	181,080	15,565	171	48,708	1,526	84,824	41,201
Indonesia	68,655	967	9,665	32,853	11,399	38	8,937	300	1,787	357
Iran	12,316	13	885	8,617	42	54	295	73	437	398
Iraq	1,896	5	117	1,046	12	3	10	5	132	228
Israel	316,118	7,425	73,112	202,218	1,770	2,718	4,576	385	6,856	2,810
Japan	3,651,814	11,411	375,252	3,000,298	7,506	65,429	87,478	3,437	16,903	3,799
Jordan	21,484	1,171	2,869	12,713	392	12	1,670	179	499	271
Korea	804,403	4,149	178,799	462,965	29,452	9,009	67,145	10,030	9,767	4,396
Kuwait	11,271	619	1,577	5,136	35	6	3,110	472	74	20
Laos	1,987	34	74	1,224	30	1	39	-	31	-
Lebanon	21,826	204	3,364	13,720	275	21	1,741	39	830	213
Macau	870	-	101	506	25	-	182	1	32	-
Malaysia	59,333	1,092	19,668	24,077	1,943	37	4,943	178	2,791	474
Maldives	164	32	15	28	21	-	31	1	1	1
Mongolia	5,172	126	1,198	1,893	31	7	1,080	117	113	44
Nepal	9,556	315	1,567	3,535	705	3	1,605	176	800	169
Oman	2,315	382	375	571	21	-	685	83	25	-
Pakistan	61,737	617	7,786	36,714	208	364	5,274	298	3,519	2,407
Philippines	302,172	2,281	37,510	166,174	67,704	571	2,424	133	7,007	4,326
Qatar	1,829	273	246	510	7	1	515	90	12	3
Saudi Arabia	22,313	2,973	2,808	7,591	136	11	5,080	2,392	144	61
Singapore	79,652	2,390	25,997	39,485	398	55	5,163	184	2,076	479
Sri Lanka	11,499	326	2,371	4,885	359	50	1,178	89	848	293
Syria	8,590	46	1,139	5,870	350	7	328	19	133	94
Thailand	78,713	1,012	16,899	35,321	5,438	260	11,727	157	2,091	254
Turkey	101,792	1,251	19,023	50,926	1,998	487	15,434	533	4,709	771
United Arab Emirates	6,111	778	594	1,948	24	1	2,408	205	21	5
Vietnam	22,539	343	3,358	9,580	332	9	1,793	44	218	64
Yemen	1,308	267	178	407	31	-	168	14	9	11
Africa	**387,368**	**10,866**	**84,681**	**195,668**	**17,134**	**228**	**23,924**	**1,573**	**12,949**	**3,573**
Algeria	5,101	239	1,384	1,612	892	-	144	9	158	46
Angola	4,137	249	1,089	1,455	112	2	611	32	38	8
Benin	1,393	165	332	448	36	-	123	1	46	7
Botswana	2,112	275	399	660	40	-	403	26	37	3
Burkina Faso	1,915	35	700	608	67	-	156	5	36	12
Burundi	824	51	111	326	66	-	96	2	2	-
Cameroon	8,357	327	1,755	3,775	264	14	771	31	265	48
Cape Verde	2,373	15	182	1,955	27	-	19	-	13	-
Central African Republic	378	29	55	122	8	-	37	2	27	1
Chad	486	65	115	127	18	-	31	4	1	4
Comoros	82	8	1	12	8	-	5	1	1	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	150	8	28	82	10	-	7	-	3	-
Congo, Republic	3,257	233	749	1,513	121	-	127	15	69	9
Cote d'Ivoire	3,203	99	654	1,537	94	1	325	7	65	12
Djibouti	189	25	12	76	35	-	-	-	-	1
Egypt	37,452	3,093	6,494	19,717	1,696	19	1,137	224	903	456
Equatorial Guinea	203	48	29	82	4	-	12	-	-	1
Eritrea	1,581	56	213	1,046	24	-	65	9	13	4
Ethiopia	8,430	92	1,190	5,048	576	7	280	15	167	37
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gabon	1,273	310	170	439	70	-	113	-	13	1
Gambia, The	3,840	98	912	2,002	35	3	530	10	43	10

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TABLE 25. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Region and country of citizenship	All classes [1, 2]	Foreign govern-ment officials [3]	Temporary visitors for business [2]	Temporary visitors for pleasure [2]	Transit aliens [4]	Treaty traders and investors [3]	Students	Spouses and children of students	Tempo-rary workers and trainees [5]	Spouses and children of temp. workers and trainees [5]
Ghana	26,016	232	5,194	15,869	385	11	1,539	112	533	107
Guinea	5,781	258	1,651	3,038	86	1	262	6	63	5
Guinea-Bissau	179	4	31	99	6	-	3	-	7	-
Kenya	22,769	229	3,880	11,303	557	19	4,014	277	901	152
Lesotho	406	44	91	111	20	-	25	4	10	1
Liberia	2,312	9	420	1,294	15	2	242	46	32	3
Libya	346	-	26	165	2	-	1	-	3	3
Madagascar	834	74	186	229	69	1	30	2	28	1
Malawi	1,601	108	408	586	30	-	165	16	32	3
Mali	3,759	54	1,051	1,663	74	1	406	8	106	22
Mauritania	1,083	66	225	407	45	1	127	2	16	5
Mauritius	1,528	40	252	738	122	-	114	1	55	11
Morocco	22,840	738	2,000	11,822	4,315	59	1,982	25	514	86
Mozambique	1,021	182	231	260	60	-	49	8	41	1
Namibia	1,024	89	247	392	35	1	62	2	6	1
Niger	6,255	90	1,483	3,436	60	2	451	20	156	42
Nigeria	50,742	610	12,752	29,129	155	7	3,253	135	1,126	279
Reunion	22	-	1	19	-	-	1	-	-	-
Rwanda	1,313	195	257	459	103	-	118	21	11	5
Sao Tome and Principe	82	22	12	22	2	1	2	-	1	-
Senegal	11,349	311	2,975	5,867	353	-	449	17	260	47
Seychelles	342	9	66	184	20	-	18	-	6	2
Sierra Leone	2,297	48	351	1,315	10	2	128	12	63	14
Somalia	440	1	62	274	9	-	9	-	6	11
South Africa	105,049	1,015	27,589	51,408	5,119	51	1,957	117	6,099	1,852
St. Helena	36	-	11	23	1	1	-	-	-	-
Sudan	2,258	49	333	1,356	17	2	82	6	32	31
Swaziland	313	52	61	53	38	-	32	-	-	-
Tanzania	4,890	134	1,059	1,763	172	3	856	66	187	42
Togo	2,341	44	429	1,197	47	3	332	18	16	2
Tunisia	4,281	245	835	1,705	286	5	326	3	136	38
Uganda	4,864	182	1,477	1,746	157	1	401	23	253	37
Western Sahara	31	-	-	17	2	1	3	-	1	-
Zambia	4,403	172	945	1,688	113	1	436	96	55	25
Zimbabwe	7,823	40	1,516	3,388	446	6	1,057	137	294	85
Oceania	**777,957**	**7,574**	**128,049**	**558,934**	**7,752**	**1,740**	**5,369**	**173**	**15,356**	**3,206**
American Samoa	553	14	63	415	25	-	15	-	16	2
Australia	514,268	6,081	95,274	365,682	2,158	1,706	3,918	110	11,568	2,515
Christmas Island	6	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cocos Islands	4	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cook Islands	25	-	2	21	-	-	-	-	1	-
Fiji	8,847	93	1,420	4,057	2,905	-	120	2	60	29
French Polynesia	1,041	-	35	993	-	1	4	-	4	1
Guam	57	2	4	35	5	-	1	-	-	-
Kiribati	1,049	63	219	319	409	-	14	1	5	-
Marshall Islands	6,964	42	15	3,393	134	-	24	-	4	-
Micronesia, Federated States	16,707	26	22	7,281	238	2	7	-	4	-
Nauru	99	5	21	42	15	-	4	-	1	-
New Caledonia	299	-	39	257	-	-	2	-	-	-
New Zealand	212,084	873	29,882	168,025	1,013	20	1,110	52	3,498	635
Northern Mariana Islands	30	-	4	21	1	1	1	-	-	-
Palau	7,910	47	12	3,060	101	1	1	-	7	-
Papua New Guinea	658	47	130	179	229	-	19	7	4	-
Pitcairn Islands	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Samoa	1,728	17	238	1,256	117	-	40	-	41	10
Solomon Islands	1,446	29	201	1,012	43	7	38	1	23	5
Tonga	3,657	172	417	2,723	138	1	46	-	119	9
Tuvalu	348	42	26	73	193	-	-	-	1	-
Vanuatu	168	21	25	73	28	1	5	-	-	-
Wallis and Futuna Islands	8	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-

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TABLE 25. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Region and country of citizenship	All classes [1, 2]	Foreign government officials [3]	Temporary visitors for business [2]	Temporary visitors for pleasure [2]	Transit aliens [4]	Treaty traders and investors [3]	Students	Spouses and children of students	Temporary workers and trainees [5]	Spouses and children of temp. workers and trainees [5]
North America	**6,438,065**	**15,094**	**851,073**	**4,889,433**	**164,264**	**8,285**	**73,706**	**3,437**	**164,626**	**16,449**
Canada	226,132	643	19,201	11,581	1,465	3,638	20,042	606	34,421	7,957
Greenland	69	-	6	50	-	-	-	-	1	-
Mexico	4,183,991	3,691	474,749	3,418,653	73,209	3,983	18,894	1,687	94,837	6,248
St. Pierre and Miquelon	14	-	-	12	-	-	2	-	-	-
United States	26	-	3	17	-	-	2	-	-	-
Caribbean	**1,193,955**	**5,972**	**187,570**	**888,987**	**35,407**	**353**	**24,113**	**760**	**25,430**	**1,236**
Anguilla	2,954	21	740	1,905	121	-	145	-	16	1
Antigua-Barbuda	18,777	195	4,524	12,962	486	2	380	3	104	7
Aruba	7,922	15	388	7,274	17	11	156	-	20	4
Bahamas, The	318,714	1,299	29,843	278,017	570	38	4,299	140	516	43
Barbados	45,284	824	9,827	31,907	492	4	1,009	32	516	48
Bermuda	3,236	1	221	1,869	21	1	670	67	126	35
British Virgin Islands	6,394	25	1,482	4,137	443	3	277	2	3	1
Cayman Islands	23,396	6	3,525	18,839	110	6	754	40	8	2
Cuba	24,546	237	2,319	19,975	102	2	26	9	556	26
Dominica [8]	19,048	121	3,959	13,046	461	3	385	15	422	43
Dominican Republic [8]	186,800	967	35,586	125,199	12,879	33	1,895	47	3,657	452
Grenada	9,739	127	1,764	6,516	758	2	292	11	113	9
Guadeloupe	810	-	78	687	23	1	10	-	4	-
Haiti	81,558	111	13,330	61,032	2,685	11	1,024	32	659	35
Jamaica	248,081	1,048	45,775	162,838	9,029	140	6,502	246	16,639	303
Martinique	525	-	58	455	-	-	6	-	1	1
Montserrat	1,117	-	288	774	21	-	20	1	9	-
Netherlands Antilles	8,882	-	823	7,612	71	11	279	-	48	2
Puerto Rico	207	-	42	123	8	-	14	1	9	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	13,012	171	3,140	8,572	462	2	490	12	51	3
St. Lucia	15,993	177	3,465	10,676	765	1	547	16	98	11
St. Vincent & the Grenadines	11,273	80	1,961	6,439	2,349	5	241	4	44	4
Trinidad and Tobago	135,170	528	22,680	100,068	3,399	67	4,314	73	1,779	199
Turks and Caicos Islands	10,272	17	1,702	7,921	94	10	373	9	32	7
U.S. Virgin Islands	245	2	50	144	41	-	5	-	-	-
Central America	**833,878**	**4,788**	**169,544**	**570,133**	**54,183**	**311**	**10,653**	**384**	**9,937**	**1,008**
Belize	26,901	463	6,869	17,173	1,027	4	786	27	218	22
Costa Rica	153,321	511	37,541	99,197	8,615	121	1,675	147	1,678	342
El Salvador	220,788	823	36,602	169,970	8,153	31	1,284	29	1,178	148
Guatemala	181,010	1,065	40,833	123,747	6,953	30	2,073	74	3,715	212
Honduras	109,232	512	20,334	68,412	14,785	67	1,587	59	1,605	86
Nicaragua	51,917	291	8,600	32,642	8,270	11	699	20	491	43
Panama	90,709	1,123	18,765	58,992	6,380	47	2,549	28	1,052	155
South America	**2,441,299**	**17,476**	**422,019**	**1,583,710**	**167,404**	**4,528**	**53,595**	**4,671**	**60,325**	**17,230**
Argentina	252,328	1,859	45,129	156,603	9,753	1,368	5,825	632	10,695	3,290
Bolivia	37,505	584	7,165	21,946	4,094	83	1,332	43	608	134
Brazil	576,442	3,670	97,023	326,884	89,737	233	14,017	925	12,727	3,435
Chile	154,776	2,253	36,342	95,535	6,914	45	2,292	477	2,710	702
Colombia	418,035	2,491	74,550	284,397	4,294	2,322	10,383	990	13,369	3,865
Ecuador	176,917	1,516	28,306	120,684	15,027	46	3,634	177	2,074	513
Falkland Islands	19	-	3	14	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	33	-	1	31	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guyana	28,088	165	5,168	18,972	1,973	5	337	11	356	88
Paraguay	16,799	549	2,744	9,696	2,303	28	545	24	290	80
Peru	225,147	1,432	32,379	146,043	27,035	63	4,019	412	4,652	979
Suriname	5,363	119	1,233	3,458	208	60	104	5	28	4
Uruguay	59,923	716	8,117	46,284	792	27	622	59	708	196
Venezuela	489,924	2,122	83,859	353,163	5,274	248	10,485	916	12,108	3,944
Unknown	218,538	1,578	29,661	158,797	8,928	815	4,559	302	2,708	717

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TABLE 25. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Region and country of citizenship	International representatives [3]	Representatives of foreign information media [3]	Exchange visitors	Spouses and children of exchange visitors	Fiances(ees) of U.S. citizens [9]	Intra-company transferees	Spouses and children of intra-company transferees	NATO officials [3]	North American Free-Trade Agreement workers [3]	Spouses and children of NAFTA workers [3]
All countries	**99,012**	**33,414**	**325,580**	**44,596**	**31,597**	**313,699**	**140,446**	**12,628**	**73,699**	**15,331**
Europe	**37,102**	**19,003**	**202,260**	**11,213**	**7,359**	**146,546**	**57,650**	**9,972**	**-**	**-**
Albania	152	12	207	9	37	8	7	1	-	-
Andorra	8	-	3	-	-	9	-	-	-	-
Armenia	149	2	1,019	61	25	16	19	1	-	-
Austria	526	397	1,912	157	16	1,587	471	4	-	-
Azerbaijan	74	2	396	11	18	13	8	-	-	-
Belarus	125	13	1,937	53	120	13	7	-	-	-
Belgium	1,364	431	1,469	227	40	3,276	1,598	512	-	-
Bosnia-Herzegovina	121	12	326	12	23	16	12	2	-	-
Bulgaria	421	118	4,521	129	65	111	51	5	-	-
Croatia	198	113	922	49	16	149	45	1	-	-
Czech Republic	233	146	4,030	133	22	218	92	27	-	-
Czechoslovakia [6]	99	39	3,002	57	14	134	61	13	-	-
Denmark	1,039	243	2,036	185	25	2,705	1,224	330	-	-
Estonia	60	27	917	36	28	30	26	1	-	-
Finland	727	267	1,471	199	26	2,681	1,220	1	-	-
France	5,537	1,482	17,178	1,319	131	19,641	9,776	27	-	-
Georgia	110	25	562	50	8	7	1	1	-	-
Germany	3,388	3,410	29,175	1,482	316	22,330	7,423	4,252	-	-
Gibraltar	1	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Greece	482	206	1,066	96	18	359	100	408	-	-
Holy See	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hungary	405	217	2,710	362	66	346	155	44	-	-
Iceland	162	7	325	157	2	92	77	2	-	-
Ireland	742	328	10,382	217	57	5,080	1,567	9	-	-
Italy	2,731	931	6,224	471	76	5,276	1,739	818	-	-
Kazakhstan	116	17	770	40	71	51	23	1	-	-
Kyrgyzstan	69	-	294	38	50	1	1	-	-	-
Latvia	135	30	1,689	14	67	57	28	2	-	-
Liechtenstein	18	7	9	-	-	14	7	-	-	-
Lithuania	97	24	4,705	49	65	41	20	-	-	-
Luxembourg	69	7	43	5	1	83	14	6	-	-
Macedonia	130	33	612	21	10	5	6	-	-	-
Malta	56	-	43	10	5	31	10	-	-	-
Moldova	89	3	506	23	110	10	1	1	-	-
Monaco	25	2	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	1,818	651	3,819	282	119	8,043	3,267	735	-	-
Norway	703	224	1,819	273	30	1,819	856	411	-	-
Poland	472	290	21,696	489	288	739	304	221	-	-
Portugal	459	77	951	110	12	681	215	209	-	-
Romania	435	209	5,348	200	228	224	81	6	-	-
Russia	2,244	461	15,605	908	1,999	829	510	6	-	-
San Marino	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Slovak Republic	198	97	8,921	125	36	107	60	10	-	-
Slovenia	92	25	220	18	4	42	1	1	-	-
Soviet Union [6]	2	-	-	5	16	-	1	-	-	-
Spain	2,063	673	8,504	830	57	5,220	1,731	327	-	-
Sweden	1,326	378	3,309	374	70	5,012	2,004	8	-	-
Switzerland	811	506	2,392	421	26	3,888	1,406	10	-	-
Tajikistan	32	1	107	5	-	2	-	-	-	-
Turkmenistan	7	-	82	6	4	2	-	-	-	-
Ukraine	417	37	2,973	237	1,790	162	73	6	-	-
United Kingdom	5,996	6,668	24,334	1,168	1,058	55,315	21,305	1,550	-	-
Uzbekistan	124	23	408	38	63	17	20	-	-	-
Yugoslavia [6]	209	132	1,305	52	31	53	27	3	-	-
Asia	**19,492**	**7,840**	**57,207**	**23,264**	**15,076**	**73,670**	**39,992**	**817**	**-**	**-**
Afghanistan	59	-	15	3	132	6	6	1	-	-
Bahrain	64	-	47	22	-	16	4	-	-	-
Bangladesh	446	8	155	103	8	72	51	3	-	-

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TABLE 25. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Region and country of citizenship	International representatives [3]	Representatives of foreign information media [3]	Exchange visitors	Spouses and children of exchange visitors	Fiances(ees) of U.S. citizens [9]	Intra-company transferees	Spouses and children of intra-company transferees	NATO officials [3]	North American Free-Trade Agreement workers [3]	Spouses and children of NAFTA workers [3]
Bhutan	80	-	28	5	3	-	-	-	-	-
Brunei	52	3	6	-	-	13	10	-	-	-
Burma	152	-	50	5	22	7	11	-	-	-
Cambodia	80	-	80	9	365	5	4	-	-	-
China [7]	1,789	637	9,795	4,395	2,252	4,572	2,433	48	-	-
Cyprus	116	10	614	12	1	44	9	1	-	-
Hong Kong	131	51	497	32	52	364	126	4	-	-
India	3,661	224	4,866	1,881	1,009	20,413	9,200	117	-	-
Indonesia	580	35	591	119	110	409	303	3	-	-
Iran	453	5	189	211	369	37	41	1	-	-
Iraq	132	-	5	6	150	2	2	1	-	-
Israel	461	239	4,039	1,757	36	4,440	2,740	28	-	-
Japan	2,496	4,758	12,684	5,487	327	31,044	18,311	10	-	-
Jordan	304	15	653	145	76	69	61	3	-	-
Korea	1,025	1,150	9,951	6,561	368	4,769	3,138	69	-	-
Kuwait	97	2	57	28	6	11	4	-	-	-
Laos	84	-	28	6	419	4	1	2	-	-
Lebanon	319	27	473	69	191	88	79	5	-	-
Macau	-	-	15	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
Malaysia	544	101	871	140	54	1,533	745	8	-	-
Maldives	26	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mongolia	101	11	329	102	6	1	4	-	-	-
Nepal	297	2	161	79	30	31	25	-	-	-
Oman	63	-	58	22	1	18	9	-	-	-
Pakistan	970	60	675	351	310	525	518	13	-	-
Philippines	2,307	210	1,333	305	3,805	2,077	728	30	-	-
Qatar	67	-	99	1	1	1	-	-	-	-
Saudi Arabia	250	31	231	225	2	164	176	3	-	-
Singapore	287	35	651	192	29	1,468	634	6	-	-
Sri Lanka	476	13	136	57	14	256	84	1	-	-
Syria	137	2	160	77	135	14	7	-	-	-
Thailand	411	45	3,365	134	734	382	205	10	-	-
Turkey	601	153	3,432	621	82	734	276	448	-	-
United Arab Emirates	50	3	41	18	-	4	2	-	-	-
Vietnam	252	9	744	68	3,974	77	37	2	-	-
Yemen	72	1	75	16	3	-	5	-	-	-
Africa	**13,188**	**505**	**11,141**	**1,492**	**1,115**	**3,909**	**2,197**	**54**	**-**	**-**
Algeria	385	24	99	22	28	21	19	1	-	-
Angola	192	19	80	40	-	100	101	-	-	-
Benin	159	11	47	11	3	-	1	-	-	-
Botswana	72	11	156	18	-	7	1	-	-	-
Burkina Faso	243	-	44	2	3	1	-	-	-	-
Burundi	160	-	8	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Cameroon	700	35	161	30	25	50	27	3	-	-
Cape Verde	24	2	29	2	20	1	3	-	-	-
Central African Republic	91	-	5	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Chad	99	-	13	7	-	1	1	-	-	-
Comoros	46	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	8	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-
Congo, Republic	300	3	57	7	7	8	8	-	-	-
Cote d'Ivoire	300	4	53	6	10	8	10	1	-	-
Djibouti	37	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Egypt	694	85	1,736	482	31	293	232	5	-	-
Equatorial Guinea	20	-	5	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Eritrea	65	-	23	2	8	-	1	1	-	-
Ethiopia	470	-	101	18	56	26	23	1	-	-
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gabon	139	-	11	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Gambia, The	153	-	12	5	6	4	1	-	-	-

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Ghana	608	15	471	66	149	52	36	4	-	-
Guinea	310	6	54	2	9	2	3	2	-	-
Guinea-Bissau	25	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kenya	666	9	437	86	40	81	40	2	-	-
Lesotho	84	1	12	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Liberia	131	-	12	1	10	7	2	-	-	-
Libya	120	-	4	-	18	-	-	-	-	-
Madagascar	161	-	40	4	2	4	-	-	-	-
Malawi	149	-	91	7	-	3	1	-	-	-
Mali	278	5	69	11	2	-	1	-	-	-
Mauritania	170	1	7	-	1	3	2	-	-	-
Mauritius	145	-	25	6	-	12	3	-	-	-
Morocco	452	68	330	41	138	86	40	-	-	-
Mozambique	133	4	41	1	3	2	-	1	-	-
Namibia	86	-	88	6	1	4	4	-	-	-
Niger	203	2	72	10	39	68	44	1	-	-
Nigeria	745	27	440	99	293	549	268	12	-	-
Reunion	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rwanda	82	-	52	2	4	1	-	-	-	-
Sao Tome and Principe	17	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senegal	723	31	179	17	16	33	8	2	-	-
Seychelles	18	2	5	-	4	-	2	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	253	4	26	-	31	2	2	-	-	-
Somalia	25	-	3	-	10	2	-	-	-	-
South Africa	851	106	4,746	310	89	2,313	1,229	11	-	-
St. Helena	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sudan	278	5	13	7	5	2	-	1	-	-
Swaziland	50	2	15	5	-	5	-	-	-	-
Tanzania	351	1	193	28	6	10	5	3	-	-
Togo	188	1	35	7	3	5	1	-	-	-
Tunisia	396	4	180	19	13	52	24	-	-	-
Uganda	348	-	184	10	12	8	3	1	-	-
Western Sahara	1	-	1	-	-	1	4	-	-	-
Zambia	412	9	381	29	8	13	10	-	-	-
Zimbabwe	372	7	286	63	9	65	37	1	-	-
Oceania	**2,328**	**905**	**10,996**	**856**	**450**	**11,388**	**4,884**	**20**	**-**	**-**
American Samoa	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Australia	1,550	678	7,990	648	361	9,323	4,168	13	-	-
Christmas Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cocos Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Cook Islands	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fiji	69	-	21	-	7	10	-	2	-	-
French Polynesia	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Guam	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kiribati	13	-	-	-	1	-	3	-	-	-
Marshall Islands	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Micronesia, Federated States	8	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	-
Nauru	9	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Caledonia	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Zealand	602	223	2,935	205	74	2,014	692	3	-	-
Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Palau	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	-
Papua New Guinea	25	-	8	-	-	3	1	-	-	-
Pitcairn Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Samoa	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Solomon Islands	14	4	16	3	1	31	13	-	-	-
Tonga	10	-	8	-	5	3	1	1	-	-
Tuvalu	10	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	12	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wallis and Futuna Islands	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-

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North America	**9,826**	**2,274**	**19,411**	**3,588**	**4,721**	**40,075**	**15,750**	**1,400**	**73,699**	**15,331**
Canada	2,799	230	6,748	813	1,213	20,320	5,982	728	71,878	14,786
Greenland	1	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mexico	2,073	1,015	6,894	1,658	1,506	15,283	8,004	457	1,821	545
St. Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United States	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	-	-	-
Caribbean	**2,475**	**614**	**3,394**	**763**	**1,501**	**1,850**	**798**	**134**	**-**	**-**
Anguilla	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Antigua-Barbuda	44	1	25	3	-	10	2	-	-	-
Aruba	2	7	4	-	2	9	6	-	-	-
Bahamas, The	108	9	65	5	8	81	20	24	-	-
Barbados	196	15	140	20	12	84	32	6	-	-
Bermuda	5	132	5	-	-	44	26	1	-	-
British Virgin Islands	1	-	4	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
Cayman Islands	3	2	7	-	1	12	5	3	-	-
Cuba	309	5	50	13	322	22	15	6	-	-
Dominica [8]	15	28	94	6	34	38	12	3	-	-
Dominican Republic [8]	364	299	684	85	486	477	230	23	-	-
Grenada	57	2	26	2	5	17	3	1	-	-
Guadeloupe	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Haiti	194	28	219	39	192	87	85	15	-	-
Jamaica	449	56	1,571	482	378	455	171	20	-	-
Martinique	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Montserrat	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	-	4	1	1	1	7	1	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	-	-	2	2	-	2	2	1	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	58	3	11	1	3	4	-	-	-	-
St. Lucia	102	-	36	3	14	32	13	1	-	-
St. Vincent & the Grenadines	50	1	17	2	7	24	7	2	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	509	18	397	91	34	438	166	19	-	-
Turks and Caicos Islands	6	2	34	7	1	5	2	7	-	-
U.S. Virgin Islands	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Central America	**2,478**	**415**	**2,364**	**353**	**500**	**2,622**	**964**	**81**	**-**	**-**
Belize	79	1	63	7	9	42	17	1	-	-
Costa Rica	671	138	815	141	75	906	343	7	-	-
El Salvador	408	114	324	55	89	373	143	28	-	-
Guatemala	381	56	426	73	69	472	213	19	-	-
Honduras	313	23	245	24	135	353	106	7	-	-
Nicaragua	259	16	172	22	68	100	21	3	-	-
Panama	367	67	319	31	55	376	121	16	-	-
South America	**15,860**	**2,670**	**22,086**	**3,898**	**2,367**	**37,082**	**19,303**	**243**	**-**	**-**
Argentina	2,374	422	3,263	758	88	6,628	3,225	23	-	-
Bolivia	771	27	281	19	39	173	79	3	-	-
Brazil	2,808	476	7,636	1,134	309	9,562	4,859	53	-	-
Chile	1,469	410	1,488	451	55	2,096	1,182	10	-	-
Colombia	2,401	434	3,598	463	1,108	7,692	4,190	54	-	-
Ecuador	802	119	1,333	186	187	886	476	13	-	-
Falkland Islands	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Guyana	283	6	48	14	86	82	20	3	-	-
Paraguay	235	23	134	23	10	59	25	2	-	-
Peru	2,208	238	2,351	192	339	1,392	556	23	-	-
Suriname	83	-	12	1	4	11	13	-	-	-
Uruguay	1,042	105	302	89	5	537	182	2	-	-
Venezuela	1,383	410	1,639	568	137	7,963	4,496	57	-	-
Unknown	1,216	217	2,479	285	509	1,029	670	122	-	-

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Region and country of citizenship	Spouses and children of U.S. citizens, immigrant visa pending	Spouses of legal permanent residents, immigrant visa pending	Children of legal permanent residents, immigrant visa pending	Dependent children of spouse or accompanying children, immigrant visa pending	Victims of severe form of traf-ficking	Spouses, children, parents of victims of servere form of traf-ficking	Victims of criminal activity	Spouses, children, and parents of victims of criminal activity	Other and un-known [10]
All countries	**5,733**	**18,169**	**19,642**	**17,294**	**493**	**185**	**139**	**148**	**73,988**
Europe	**417**	**862**	**578**	**49**	**237**	**34**	**62**	**15**	**12,839**
Albania	7	19	18	-	-	-	-	-	36
Andorra	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Armenia	3	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	14
Austria	-	5	1	1	-	-	-	-	143
Azerbaijan	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	5
Belarus	9	18	9	-	4	-	-	-	19
Belgium	-	5	2	-	2	-	-	-	220
Bosnia-Herzegovina	4	7	-	1	-	-	-	-	46
Bulgaria	4	40	22	14	7	-	1	-	76
Croatia	1	6	-	-	2	1	-	-	71
Czech Republic	1	5	1	-	8	2	3	1	61
Czechoslovakia [6]	1	9	1	-	5	-	-	-	55
Denmark	3	8	-	-	1	-	-	-	177
Estonia	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	19
Finland	3	6	2	1	6	1	-	-	85
France	9	29	10	-	16	3	7	-	1,132
Georgia	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	10
Germany	36	44	9	4	28	6	8	-	1,888
Gibraltar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Greece	-	7	4	1	-	-	-	-	166
Holy See	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hungary	9	7	2	-	1	1	2	-	128
Iceland	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Ireland	3	17	-	-	7	1	6	1	314
Italy	12	22	3	-	10	-	3	-	780
Kazakhstan	5	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	10
Kyrgyzstan	4	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	2
Latvia	2	6	2	-	2	1	-	-	27
Liechtenstein	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lithuania	10	13	8	-	10	-	-	1	61
Luxembourg	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	9
Macedonia	1	16	4	9	-	-	-	-	11
Malta	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32
Moldova	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	14
Monaco	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Netherlands	4	11	2	2	2	-	3	1	590
Norway	4	1	1	-	1	-	1	-	186
Poland	12	233	322	-	24	2	4	4	362
Portugal	-	8	13	-	-	-	1	-	139
Romania	14	57	32	2	9	3	2	-	130
Russia	100	34	20	-	14	5	3	1	267
San Marino	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Slovak Republic	4	40	11	3	15	1	2	-	76
Slovenia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
Soviet Union [6]	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Spain	4	14	-	-	9	1	2	-	592
Sweden	8	7	3	-	2	-	1	-	248
Switzerland	4	2	1	-	6	-	1	-	320
Tajikistan	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	5
Turkmenistan	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Ukraine	38	48	40	-	-	-	-	1	99
United Kingdom	86	91	20	8	35	5	9	4	4,087
Uzbekistan	5	8	4	1	-	-	-	-	12
Yugoslavia [6]	3	12	7	1	4	1	-	1	80
Asia	**2,714**	**4,056**	**2,949**	**1,935**	**82**	**58**	**35**	**41**	**11,279**
Afghanistan	16	9	16	-	-	-	-	-	16
Bahrain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Bangladesh	25	399	426	385	-	1	1	5	26
Bhutan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Brunei	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Burma	12	14	8	7	-	-	-	-	10
Cambodia	34	3	5	4	-	-	1	-	4
China [7]	437	726	258	296	17	11	2	1	1,324
Cyprus	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	14
Hong Kong	5	34	7	5	1	-	-	-	159
India	618	809	202	341	12	11	8	6	891
Indonesia	5	11	6	6	1	-	-	-	173
Iran	54	50	59	2	-	-	-	2	29
Iraq	11	8	11	7	-	-	-	-	3
Israel	5	20	5	1	4	10	-	-	463
Japan	18	56	14	1	13	8	-	1	5,073
Jordan	104	46	170	21	-	-	-	-	41
Korea	61	77	36	33	11	11	11	3	1,417
Kuwait	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17
Laos	1	1	1	2	-	-	1	-	4
Lebanon	52	21	51	6	-	-	-	2	36
Macau	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	3
Malaysia	3	11	6	6	1	-	1	-	106
Maldives	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mongolia	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	8
Nepal	4	20	9	5	-	-	-	-	18
Oman	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Pakistan	228	312	435	40	-	-	-	2	111
Philippines	677	776	642	471	3	2	1	9	666
Qatar	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
Saudi Arabia	1	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	30
Singapore	8	4	1	-	1	1	-	-	108
Sri Lanka	6	10	7	3	1	-	-	-	36
Syria	19	16	13	5	-	-	-	-	19
Thailand	72	22	15	7	5	-	1	-	146
Turkey	8	38	18	18	7	2	1	-	221
United Arab Emirates	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	7
Vietnam	225	550	490	263	1	-	6	10	90
Yemen	5	11	33	-	-	-	-	-	2
Africa	**406**	**508**	**1,342**	**156**	**12**	**3**	**5**	**11**	**728**
Algeria	3	4	3	2	-	-	-	-	6
Angola	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	7
Benin	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Botswana	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	2
Burkina Faso	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Burundi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Cameroon	8	21	23	-	1	1	-	-	22
Cape Verde	-	8	50	18	-	-	-	-	5
Central African Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chad	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Comoros	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Republic	1	5	14	-	-	-	-	-	11
Cote d'Ivoire	3	1	8	-	-	-	-	1	4
Djibouti	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Egypt	14	27	37	-	1	1	1	-	74
Equatorial Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eritrea	3	7	35	-	-	-	1	-	5
Ethiopia	63	60	133	45	-	-	-	2	20
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Gabon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Gambia, The	1	2	5	-	-	-	-	-	8
Ghana	59	110	352	70	1	-	-	3	38
Guinea	1	3	10	1	-	-	-	-	8
Guinea-Bissau	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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TABLE 25. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Region and country of citizenship	Spouses and children of U.S. citizens, immigrant visa pending	Spouses of legal permanent residents, immigrant visa pending	Children of legal permanent residents, immigrant visa pending	Dependent children of spouse or accompanying children, immigrant visa pending	Victims of severe form of traf-ficking	Spouses, children, parents of victims of servere form of traf-ficking	Victims of criminal activity	Spouses, children, and parents of victims of criminal activity	Other and un-known [10]
Kenya	10	11	8	-	1	-	-	-	46
Lesotho	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Liberia	3	12	51	1	-	-	-	-	19
Libya	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Madagascar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Malawi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Mali	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	4
Mauritania	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Mauritius	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Morocco	84	17	16	1	-	-	-	-	26
Mozambique	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Namibia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Niger	14	17	34	-	-	-	-	-	11
Nigeria	105	158	485	2	1	-	-	4	108
Reunion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rwanda	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Sao Tome and Principe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senegal	3	8	12	9	-	-	2	-	27
Seychelles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Sierra Leone	1	6	17	2	-	-	-	1	9
Somalia	1	3	9	3	-	-	-	-	12
South Africa	8	8	3	1	2	1	-	-	164
St. Helena	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sudan	4	8	15	-	-	-	-	-	12
Swaziland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tanzania	3	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	5
Togo	1	6	4	-	-	-	-	-	2
Tunisia	4	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	6
Uganda	4	1	6	-	-	-	1	-	9
Western Sahara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zambia	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	8
Zimbabwe	-	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	9
Oceania	**39**	**52**	**15**	**3**	**7**	**2**	**1**	**-**	**17,858**
American Samoa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Australia	26	19	3	-	4	2	-	-	471
Christmas Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cocos Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cook Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fiji	2	19	9	2	-	-	-	-	20
French Polynesia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Guam	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9
Kiribati	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Marshall Islands	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,348
Micronesia, Federated States	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9,115
Nauru	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Caledonia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Zealand	10	13	2	-	2	-	1	-	200
Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Palau	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,677
Papua New Guinea	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	5
Pitcairn Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Samoa	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Solomon Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Tonga	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	2
Tuvalu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wallis and Futuna Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
North America	**1,686**	**11,855**	**13,715**	**14,852**	**127**	**75**	**27**	**63**	**23,223**
Canada	178	71	18	17	103	40	2	2	650
Greenland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mexico	789	9,289	10,142	13,962	11	24	8	24	14,535
St. Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United States	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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TABLE 25. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Region and country of citizenship	Spouses and children of U.S. citizens, immigrant visa pending	Spouses of legal permanent residents, immigrant visa pending	Children of legal permanent residents, immigrant visa pending	Dependent children of spouse or accompanying children, immigrant visa pending	Victims of severe form of traf-ficking	Spouses, children, parents of victims of servere form of traf-ficking	Victims of criminal activity	Spouses, children, and parents of victims of criminal activity	Other and un-known [10]
Caribbean	**507**	**2,263**	**2,925**	**719**	**7**	**7**	**16**	**30**	**6,124**
Anguilla	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Antigua-Barbuda	1	2	4	1	-	-	-	-	21
Aruba	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
Bahamas, The	1	6	9	-	-	1	1	-	3,611
Barbados	-	2	4	1	-	-	-	-	113
Bermuda	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
British Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	13
Cayman Islands	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	72
Cuba	79	143	100	106	-	-	2	8	114
Dominica [8]	15	103	160	35	1	-	-	1	48
Dominican Republic [8]	179	1,125	1,451	305	3	2	9	3	360
Grenada	-	1	11	-	-	-	-	-	22
Guadeloupe	1	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Haiti	122	492	774	131	-	1	3	12	245
Jamaica	94	345	336	120	1	2	1	6	1,074
Martinique	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Montserrat	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Netherlands Antilles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21
Puerto Rico	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	1	6	3	1	-	-	-	-	18
St. Lucia	2	6	2	4	-	-	-	-	22
St. Vincent & the Grenadines	1	3	9	-	-	-	-	-	23
Trinidad and Tobago	9	26	57	15	2	-	-	-	282
Turks and Caicos Islands	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	41
U.S. Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Central America	**212**	**232**	**630**	**154**	**6**	**4**	**1**	**7**	**1,914**
Belize	1	4	8	-	-	-	-	-	80
Costa Rica	28	9	5	4	-	-	-	-	352
El Salvador	47	110	298	116	1	3	1	2	458
Guatemala	51	43	115	-	-	-	-	2	388
Honduras	49	38	134	30	1	-	-	2	325
Nicaragua	17	17	46	2	1	-	-	1	105
Panama	19	11	24	2	3	1	-	-	206
South America	**371**	**657**	**801**	**213**	**24**	**10**	**7**	**15**	**4,734**
Argentina	6	7	7	2	1	3	-	1	366
Bolivia	11	8	12	4	-	-	-	-	89
Brazil	24	30	22	1	8	4	1	1	863
Chile	6	5	8	-	2	1	-	-	323
Colombia	139	90	163	6	7	1	3	6	1,019
Ecuador	75	176	275	28	2	-	-	1	381
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guyana	43	176	105	101	-	1	1	2	42
Paraguay	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	28
Peru	39	126	173	69	2	-	1	1	423
Suriname	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	16
Uruguay	-	5	3	-	-	-	-	-	130
Venezuela	28	33	29	2	2	-	1	3	1,054
Unknown	100	179	242	86	4	3	2	3	3,327

[1] Excludes the following classes of admission processed in the Nonimmigrant Information System: for all countries — 244,834 parolees; 35,462 withdrawals and stowaways; 65,736 refugees, and 630,184 crewmen. [2] Includes admissions under the Visa Waiver Program. [3] Includes spouses and unmarried minor (or dependent) children. [4] Includes foreign government officials and their spouses and unmarried minor (or dependent) children in transit. [5] Excludes workers (and their spouses and children) under the North American Free-Trade Agreement (shown separately). [6] Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. [7] Includes People's Republic of China and Taiwan. A total of 472,927 nonimmigrant visas were issued to these two countries in fiscal year 2002: 184,287 to Taiwan and 288,100 to People's Republic of China. (SOURCE: U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Visa Office.) [8] Due to misreporting, reliable counts by country of citizenship are not available; therefore, data are given the same distribution as for country of last residence. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. The number of nonimmigrant visas issued in fiscal year 2002 for Dominica was 1,419; the Dominican Republic, 49,238. (SOURCE: U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Visa Office.) [9] Includes minor children of fiances(ees). [10] Total includes 56 parents or children of international organization special immigrants and 73,932 unknown class of admission. Unknown class of admission is larger in 2002 than in previous years due to changes in processing which no longer assign a known class to certain records with blank or invalid class codes.

NOTE: See Glossary for detailed descriptions of classes of admission. - Represents zero.

TABLE 26. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY CLASS OF ADMISSION SELECTED FISCAL YEARS 1985-2002

Class of admission [1]	1985	1990	1995	1999	2000	2001	2002
All classes [2]	**9,539,880**	**17,574,055**	**22,640,540**	**31,446,054**	**33,690,082**	**32,824,088**	**27,907,139**
Foreign government officials and families	**90,190**	**96,689**	**103,606**	**133,005**	**138,230**	**131,313**	**140,898**
Ambassadors, public ministers, career diplomatic or consular officers (A1)	21,168	22,018	23,259	28,374	28,012	26,683	28,489
Other foreign government officials or employees (A2)	67,084	72,511	78,299	102,466	107,751	102,478	110,131
Attendants, servants, or personal employees of A1 and A2 classes (A3)	1,938	2,160	2,048	2,165	2,467	2,152	2,278
Temporary visitors	**8,405,409**	**16,079,666**	**20,886,872**	**28,696,911**	**30,511,125**	**29,419,601**	**24,344,216**
For business (B1)	1,796,819	2,661,338	3,275,336	4,592,540	[13]	[13]	4,376,935
Visa Waiver, business	X	294,065	942,539	2,145,967	[13]	[13]	2,047,227
For pleasure (B2)	6,608,590	13,418,328	17,611,536	24,104,371	[13]	[13]	19,967,281
Visa Waiver, pleasure	X	4,528,112	9,407,256	14,393,071	[13]	[13]	11,182,774
Transit aliens [3]	**236,537**	**306,156**	**320,333**	**385,768**	**437,671**	**456,174**	**614,934**
Aliens in transit (C1)	138,957	153,801	168,602	205,621	215,084	214,814	221,443
Aliens in transit to the U.N. (C2)	1,804	1,296	903	2,400	3,009	2,785	2,346
Foreign government officials and families in transit (C3)	7,010	6,190	9,099	12,371	10,713	8,960	10,080
Transit without visa (C4) [3]	88,766	144,869	141,729	165,376	208,865	229,615	381,065
Treaty traders and investors and families	**96,489**	**147,536**	**131,777**	**151,353**	**168,214**	**178,534**	**171,368**
Treaty traders (E1)	65,406	78,658	53,557	50,521	51,241	51,443	46,440
Treaty investors (E2)	31,083	68,878	78,220	100,832	116,973	127,091	124,928
Students	**257,069**	**326,264**	**364,220**	**567,146**	**659,081**	**698,595**	**646,016**
Academic students (F1)	251,234	319,467	356,585	557,688	648,793	688,970	637,954
Vocational students (M1)	5,835	6,797	7,635	9,458	10,288	9,625	8,062
Spouses and children of students	**28,427**	**28,943**	**31,260**	**36,641**	**40,872**	**43,326**	**41,490**
Academic students (F2)	27,747	28,490	30,849	36,004	40,179	42,544	40,433
Vocational students (M2)	680	453	411	637	693	782	1,057
Representatives (and families) to international organizations	**57,203**	**61,449**	**71,982**	**91,829**	**97,555**	**94,109**	**99,012**
Principals of recognized foreign governments (G1)	8,316	8,256	9,319	11,378	11,708	11,948	12,987
Other representatives of recognized foreign governments (G2)	6,989	8,110	9,497	12,675	14,373	10,947	13,052
Representatives of nonrecognized foreign governments (G3)	271	376	290	365	415	356	381
International organization officers or employees (G4)	40,397	43,104	51,410	65,743	69,375	69,215	71,096
Attendants, servants, or personal employees of representatives (G5)	1,230	1,603	1,466	1,668	1,684	1,643	1,496
Temporary workers and trainees [4]	**74,869**	**144,880**	**220,664**	**525,700**	**635,229**	**688,480**	**655,949**
Registered nurses (H1A) [5]	X	X	6,512	534	565	627	1,145
Specialty occupations (H1B) [6]	47,322	100,446	117,574	302,326	355,605	384,191	370,490
Registered nurses participating in the Nursing Relief for Disadvantaged Areas Act (H1C) [7]	X	X	X	X	X	29	111
Performing services unavailable in the United States (H2)	24,544	35,973	25,587	68,187	84,754	100,082	102,615
Agricultural workers (H2A)	X	18,219	11,394	32,372	33,292	27,695	15,628

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TABLE 26. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY CLASS OF ADMISSION SELECTED FISCAL YEARS 1985-2002—Continued

Class of admission [1]	1985	1990	1995	1999	2000	2001	2002
Nonagricultural workers (H2B)	X	17,754	14,193	35,815	51,462	72,387	86,987
Industrial trainees (H3)	3,003	3,168	2,787	3,462	3,208	3,245	2,695
Workers with extraordinary ability/achievement (O1) [8]	X	X	5,974	15,946	21,746	25,685	25,008
Workers accompanying and assisting in performance of O1 workers (O2) [8]	X	X	1,813	3,248	3,627	3,834	4,156
Internationally recognized athletes or entertainers (P1) [8]	X	X	22,397	36,228	40,920	42,430	41,453
Artists or entertainers in reciprocal exchange programs (P2) [8]	X	X	660	3,772	4,227	3,877	3,754
Artists or entertainers in culturally unique programs (P3) [8]	X	X	5,315	8,471	11,230	9,484	9,487
Workers in international cultural exchange programs (Q1) [8]	X	X	1,399	2,466	2,447	2,089	1,755
Workers in Irish Peace Process Cultural and Training Program (Q2) [9]	X	X	X	19	279	299	466
Workers in religious occupations (R1) [8]	X	X	6,742	12,687	15,342	17,122	19,115
Professional workers, U.S.-Canada Free-Trade Agreement (TC) [10]	X	5,293	X	X	X	X	X
Professional workers, North American Free-Trade Agreement (TN) [10]	X	X	23,904	68,354	91,279	95,486	73,699
Spouses and children of temporary workers and trainees [4]	**12,632**	**29,281**	**53,582**	**128,768**	**151,174**	**167,936**	**155,505**
Spouses and children of H1, H2, and H3 workers (H4)	12,632	28,687	43,247	102,774	120,212	135,907	129,188
Spouses and children of O1 and O2 workers (O3) [8]	X	X	751	2,568	3,546	4,540	4,023
Spouses and children of P1, P2, and P3 workers (P4) [8]	X	X	592	1,245	1,304	1,575	1,605
Spouses and children of Q2 workers (Q3) [9]	X	X	X	-	1	1	10
Spouses and children of R1 workers (R2) [8]	X	X	1,790	3,094	3,930	4,404	5,348
Spouses and children of U.S.-Canada Free-Trade Agreement workers (TB) [10]	X	594	X	X	X	X	X
Spouses and and children of North American Free-Trade Agreement workers (TD) [10]	X	X	7,202	19,087	22,181	21,509	15,331
Representatives (and families) of foreign information media (I1)	16,753	20,252	24,220	31,917	33,918	34,488	33,414
Exchange visitors (J1)	110,942	174,247	201,095	275,519	304,225	339,848	325,580
Spouses and children of exchange visitors (J2)	30,271	40,397	39,269	43,841	47,518	49,587	44,596
Fiances(ees) of U.S. citizens (K1)	6,975	6,545	7,793	15,940	20,558	23,634	27,340
Children of fiances(ees) of U.S. citizens (K2)	832	673	768	2,268	3,113	3,487	4,257
Intracompany transferees (L1)	65,349	63,180	112,124	234,443	294,658	328,480	313,699
Spouses and children of intracompany transferees (L2)	41,533	39,375	61,621	111,891	132,105	144,911	140,446
NATO officials and families (N1-7)	8,323	8,333	8,579	12,992	14,133	13,805	12,628
Parents or children of international organization special immigrants (N8-9)	X	X	8	75	47	69	56

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 26. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY CLASS OF ADMISSION SELECTED FISCAL YEARS 1985-2002—Continued

Class of admission [1]	1985	1990	1995	1999	2000	2001	2002
Legal Immigration Family Equity (LIFE) Act [11]	**X**	**X**	**X**	**X**	**X**	**7,557**	**60,838**
Spouses of U.S. citizens with petition for immigrant visa pending (K3)	X	X	X	X	X	1	4,575
Children of U.S. citizens with petition for immigrant visa pending (K4)	X	X	X	X	X	7	1,158
Spouses of legal permanent residents with petition for immigrant visa pending (V1)	X	X	X	X	X	2,691	18,169
Children of legal permanent residents with petition for immigrant visa pending (V2)	X	X	X	X	X	4,540	19,642
Dependent children of spouse or children who are accompanying or following to join the principal beneficiary with petition for immigrant visa pending (V3)	X	X	X	X	X	318	17,294
Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act [11]	**X**	**X**	**X**	**X**	**X**	**96**	**965**
Individuals in U.S. who are or have been victims of a severe form of trafficking (T1)	X	X	X	X	X	29	493
Spouses of victims of severe form of trafficking (T2)	X	X	X	X	X	11	139
Children of victims of severe form of trafficking (T3)	X	X	X	X	X	-	10
Parents of victims of severe form of trafficking (T4)	X	X	X	X	X	5	36
Individuals who have suffered substantial physical or mental abuse as victims of criminal activity (U1)	X	X	X	X	X	17	139
Spouses of victims of criminal activity (U2)	X	X	X	X	X	28	104
Children of victims of criminal activity (U3)	X	X	X	X	X	5	36
Parents of victims of criminal activity (U4)	X	X	X	X	X	1	8
Unknown [12]	77	189	767	47	656	58	73,932

[1] See Glossary for detailed descriptions of classes of admission. [2] Excludes classes of admission processed in the Nonimmigrant Information System in the following years: for all countries—1985 - 64,487 parolees (R1-3), 3,239 withdrawals (R4) and stowaways (R5), and 68,044 refugees (RF); 1990 - 90,265 parolees (R1-3), 19,984 withdrawals (R4) and stowaways (R5), and 110,197 refugees (RF); 1995 - 113,542 parolees, 21,567 withdrawals (WD) and stowaways (ST), and 95,576 refugees (RE); 1999 - 263,755 parolees, 19,756 withdrawals (WD) and stowaways (ST), and 102,805 refugees (RE); 2000 - 299,851 parolees, 23,584 withdrawals (WD) and stowaways (ST), and 100,011 refugees (RE); 2001 - 282,317 parolees, 23,749 withdrawals (WD) and stowaways (ST), and 110,573 refugees (RE); 2002 - 244,834 parolees, 35,462 withdrawals (WD) and stowaways (ST), 65,736 refugees (RE), and 630,184 crewmen (D1, D2, DX). [3] Use of INS Form I-94 after September 11, 2001 to inspect "transit lounge" aliens increased the count of aliens in transit without visa (see Admission policy section of text). [4] Includes admissions under the U.S.-Canada Free-Trade Agreement and the North American Free-Trade Agreement (previously shown separately). [5] Admissions began October 1, 1990 (fiscal year 1991). This classification ended during fiscal year 1995; entries subsequent to that represent readmissions of individuals who were previously admitted under this classification. [6] Prior to October 1, 1991 (fiscal year 1992), H1B admissions were termed "Distinguished merit or ability." [7] Admissions under the Nursing Relief for Disadvantaged Areas Act of 1999 began in January 2001 (see Glossary). [8] Admissions began in April 1992. [9] Admissions under the Irish Peace Process Cultural and Training Program began in April 2000 (see Glossary). [10] Admissions under the U.S.-Canada Free-Trade Agreement began January 1989 and ended December 31, 1993. Admissions under the North American Free-Trade Agreement began January 1, 1994. [11] Admissions under the Legal Immigration Family Equity (LIFE) Act of 2000 and the Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act of 2000 began in June 2001 (see Glossary). [12] Unknown class of admission is larger in 2002 than in previous years due to changes in processing which no longer assign a known class to certain records with blank or invalid class codes. [13] Data for business and pleasure not available separately due to temporary expiration of the Visa Waiver Program from May through October 2000. See Nonimmigrant section of text.

NOTE: "Family," "immediate family," and "spouse and children" are defined as spouse and unmarried minor (or dependent) children.

- Represents zero. X Not applicable.

TABLE 27. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED AS TEMPORARY WORKERS, EXCHANGE VISITORS, AND INTRACOMPANY TRANSFEREES BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP FISCAL YEAR 2002

Region and country of citizenship	Total	Registered nurses (H1A)	Workers with specialty occupations (H1B)	Nurses, Nursing Relief Act of 1999 (H1C)	Other temporary workers (H2)		Industrial trainees (H3)	Exchange visitors (J1)	Intra-company trans-ferees (L1)
					Agricultural (H2A)	Non-agricultural (H2B)			
All countries	**1,295,228**	**1,145**	**370,490**	**111**	**15,628**	**86,987**	**2,695**	**325,580**	**313,699**
Europe	**506,243**	**210**	**111,342**	**12**	**106**	**4,461**	**951**	**202,260**	**146,546**
Albania	330	-	94	-	-	4	1	207	8
Andorra	18	-	6	-	-	-	-	3	9
Armenia	1,310	-	115	-	-	14	1	1,019	16
Austria	5,616	1	1,334	-	2	156	27	1,912	1,587
Azerbaijan	473	1	52	-	-	1	-	396	13
Belarus	2,238	-	221	-	-	6	1	1,937	13
Belgium	7,452	5	2,170	-	-	23	10	1,469	3,276
Bosnia-Herzegovina	486	-	112	-	-	4	1	326	16
Bulgaria	6,431	4	1,213	1	10	251	2	4,521	111
Croatia	1,707	-	419	-	-	9	3	922	149
Czech Republic	5,133	1	486	-	1	144	5	4,030	218
Czechoslovakia [1]	3,572	1	231	-	4	68	4	3,002	134
Denmark	6,767	2	1,592	-	4	26	11	2,036	2,705
Estonia	1,195	1	143	-	-	5	6	917	30
Finland	5,514	2	806	-	-	83	35	1,471	2,681
France	56,477	32	16,105	-	3	219	136	17,178	19,641
Georgia	781	1	86	-	-	2	-	562	7
Germany	68,784	25	13,714	3	2	213	132	29,175	22,330
Gibraltar	8	-	3	-	-	-	-	5	-
Greece	3,092	2	1,195	2	-	7	3	1,066	359
Holy See	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hungary	4,551	-	939	1	-	67	31	2,710	346
Iceland	834	1	289	-	-	1	3	325	92
Ireland	21,501	6	3,689	-	6	149	57	10,382	5,080
Italy	19,316	11	5,770	4	1	86	36	6,224	5,276
Kazakhstan	945	-	102	-	-	-	2	770	51
Kyrgyzstan	330	-	18	-	-	7	2	294	1
Latvia	1,988	1	130	-	3	36	3	1,689	57
Liechtenstein	59	-	30	-	-	-	-	9	14
Lithuania	5,180	-	250	-	-	72	2	4,705	41
Luxembourg	211	-	68	-	-	3	-	43	83
Macedonia	764	-	108	-	-	9	-	612	5
Malta	136	-	28	-	-	2	2	43	31
Moldova	649	1	82	-	-	16	3	506	10
Monaco	9	-	3	-	-	-	-	1	1
Netherlands	17,289	4	4,120	-	1	62	29	3,819	8,043
Norway	5,482	3	1,243	-	-	46	18	1,819	1,819
Poland	25,254	6	1,340	-	29	351	40	21,696	739
Portugal	2,523	1	704	-	-	12	8	951	681
Romania	7,376	2	1,476	-	1	45	3	5,348	224
Russia	25,960	19	4,560	1	-	204	41	15,605	829
Slovak Republic	9,841	2	485	-	3	125	6	8,921	107
Slovenia	372	-	83	-	-	7	1	220	42
Soviet Union [1]	16	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-
Spain	21,329	9	5,788	-	-	57	26	8,504	5,220
Sweden	12,793	4	3,329	-	2	95	27	3,309	5,012
Switzerland	9,846	6	2,880	-	-	63	25	2,392	3,888
Tajikistan	115	-	1	-	-	-	-	107	2
Turkmenistan	86	-	2	-	-	-	-	82	2
Ukraine	4,830	3	1,039	-	1	26	3	2,973	162
United Kingdom	126,608	53	32,056	-	33	1,612	199	24,334	55,315
Uzbekistan	542	-	80	-	-	5	2	408	17
Yugoslavia [1]	2,122	-	551	-	-	67	4	1,305	53

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Region and country of citizenship	Total	Registered nurses (H1A)	Workers with specialty occupations (H1B)	Nurses, Nursing Relief Act of 1999 (H1C)	Other temporary workers (H2)		Industrial trainees (H3)	Exchange visitors (J1)	Intra-company trans-ferees (L1)
					Agricultural (H2A)	Non-agricultural (H2B)			
Asia	**299,726**	**427**	**150,566**	**87**	**52**	**1,614**	**1,070**	**57,207**	**73,670**
Afghanistan	27	-	4	-	-	-	-	15	6
Bahrain	89	-	22	-	-	-	-	47	16
Bangladesh	964	-	693	-	-	2	1	155	72
Bhutan	48	-	2	-	-	-	-	28	-
Brunei	32	-	13	-	-	-	-	6	13
Burma	154	1	57	-	-	-	1	50	7
Cambodia	111	-	4	-	-	1	-	80	5
China [2]	32,911	57	15,838	-	5	108	94	9,795	4,572
Cyprus	1,006	-	292	-	-	1	8	614	44
Hong Kong	3,204	8	2,005	-	-	4	3	497	364
India	110,103	228	81,091	2	6	310	96	4,866	20,413
Indonesia	2,787	4	1,488	-	15	123	5	591	409
Iran	663	1	367	-	-	2	3	189	37
Iraq	139	-	121	-	-	-	-	5	2
Israel	15,335	13	5,357	-	1	31	24	4,039	4,440
Japan	60,631	32	13,287	-	5	461	529	12,684	31,044
Jordan	1,221	-	467	-	-	-	-	653	69
Korea	24,487	25	8,000	-	1	128	25	9,951	4,769
Kuwait	142	-	53	-	-	1	-	57	11
Laos	63	-	4	-	7	3	-	28	4
Lebanon	1,391	1	691	1	-	1	-	473	88
Macau	47	-	30	-	-	-	-	15	-
Malaysia	5,195	5	2,479	-	-	8	208	871	1,533
Maldives	9	-	1	-	-	-	-	8	-
Mongolia	443	-	34	-	4	3	-	329	1
Nepal	992	-	372	-	4	91	-	161	31
Oman	101	-	16	-	-	1	-	58	18
Pakistan	4,719	9	3,235	-	-	28	3	675	525
Philippines	10,417	21	5,509	84	-	221	17	1,333	2,077
Qatar	112	-	9	-	-	-	-	99	1
Saudi Arabia	539	2	96	-	3	20	4	231	164
Singapore	4,195	4	1,938	-	-	14	10	651	1,468
Sri Lanka	1,240	4	746	-	-	1	12	136	256
Syria	307	-	107	-	-	2	-	160	14
Thailand	5,838	6	1,671	-	-	23	15	3,365	382
Turkey	8,875	6	4,348	-	1	24	11	3,432	734
United Arab Emirates	66	-	14	-	-	-	-	41	4
Vietnam	1,039	-	96	-	-	2	1	744	77
Yemen	84	-	9	-	-	-	-	75	-
Africa	**27,999**	**24**	**7,847**	**-**	**344**	**1,607**	**116**	**11,141**	**3,909**
Algeria	278	-	142	-	1	-	-	99	21
Angola	218	-	5	-	-	1	12	80	100
Benin	93	-	30	-	-	-	-	47	-
Botswana	200	-	14	-	-	-	-	156	7
Burkina Faso	81	-	18	-	-	1	-	44	1
Burundi	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	-
Cameroon	476	-	149	-	-	5	-	161	50
Cape Verde	43	-	2	-	-	-	-	29	1
Central African Republic	32	-	9	-	-	1	-	5	-
Chad	15	-	1	-	-	-	-	13	1
Comoros	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Congo, Republic	134	-	26	-	-	1	4	57	8
Cote d'Ivoire	126	-	47	-	-	1	-	53	8
Djibouti	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
Egypt	2,932	3	692	-	-	10	1	1,736	293
Equatorial Guinea	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	1
Eritrea	36	-	4	-	-	-	-	23	-

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Region and country of citizenship	Total	Registered nurses (H1A)	Workers with specialty occupations (H1B)	Nurses, Nursing Relief Act of 1999 (H1C)	Other temporary workers (H2)		Industrial trainees (H3)	Exchange visitors (J1)	Intra-company trans-ferees (L1)
					Agricultural (H2A)	Non-agricultural (H2B)			
Ethiopia	294	-	92	-	-	2	1	101	26
Gabon	25	-	10	-	-	1	-	11	1
Gambia, The	59	-	38	-	-	-	-	12	4
Ghana	1,056	1	352	-	-	2	-	471	52
Guinea	119	-	29	-	-	-	-	54	2
Guinea-Bissau	10	-	4	-	-	-	-	3	-
Kenya	1,419	1	543	-	-	2	2	437	81
Lesotho	23	-	4	-	-	6	-	12	1
Liberia	51	-	22	-	-	-	-	12	7
Libya	7	-	3	-	-	-	-	4	-
Madagascar	72	-	9	-	-	-	1	40	4
Malawi	126	-	17	-	-	-	-	91	3
Mali	175	-	35	-	-	1	-	69	-
Mauritania	26	-	12	-	-	-	-	7	3
Mauritius	92	-	53	-	-	1	-	25	12
Morocco	930	1	417	-	-	10	5	330	86
Mozambique	84	-	11	-	-	-	-	41	2
Namibia	98	-	4	-	-	2	-	88	4
Niger	296	-	99	-	-	-	-	72	68
Nigeria	2,115	2	766	-	-	6	6	440	549
Reunion	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Rwanda	64	-	4	-	-	-	-	52	1
Sao Tome and Principe	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	-
Senegal	472	1	153	-	-	1	-	179	33
Seychelles	11	-	5	-	-	1	-	5	-
Sierra Leone	91	-	47	-	-	2	-	26	2
Somalia	11	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	2
South Africa	13,158	13	3,350	-	343	1,529	82	4,746	2,313
Sudan	47	-	25	-	-	-	-	13	2
Swaziland	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	5
Tanzania	390	1	115	-	-	9	-	193	10
Togo	56	-	14	-	-	-	-	35	5
Tunisia	368	-	120	-	-	2	-	180	52
Uganda	445	-	102	-	-	1	-	184	8
Western Sahara	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1
Zambia	449	-	24	-	-	1	2	381	13
Zimbabwe	645	1	225	-	-	8	-	286	65
Oceania	**37,740**	**24**	**9,778**	**2**	**129**	**1,806**	**57**	**10,996**	**11,388**
American Samoa	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Australia	28,881	18	7,761	2	33	1,087	46	7,990	9,323
Cook Islands	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Fiji	91	-	13	-	-	1	3	21	10
French Polynesia	5	-	3	-	-	-	-	1	-
Guam	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Kiribati	5	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marshall Islands	5	-	4	-	-	-	-	1	-
Micronesia, Federated States	5	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1
Nauru	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	-
New Caledonia	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
New Zealand	8,447	6	1,980	-	96	713	8	2,935	2,014
Northern Mariana Islands	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Palau	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Papua New Guinea	15	-	1	-	-	1	-	8	3
Samoa	44	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	-
Solomon Islands	70	-	10	-	-	2	-	16	31
Tonga	130	-	2	-	-	-	-	8	3
Tuvalu	4	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	-
Vanuatu	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-

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Region and country of citizenship	Total	Registered nurses (H1A)	Workers with specialty occupations (H1B)	Nurses, Nursing Relief Act of 1999 (H1C)	Other temporary workers (H2)		Industrial trainees (H3)	Exchange visitors (J1)	Intra-company trans-ferees (L1)
					Agricultural (H2A)	Non-agricultural (H2B)			
North America	**297,811**	**342**	**43,444**	**7**	**14,766**	**74,579**	**171**	**19,411**	**40,075**
Canada	133,367	57	19,866	3	286	5,241	42	6,748	20,320
Greenland	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	-
Mexico	118,835	231	15,867	2	12,846	52,972	57	6,894	15,283
Caribbean	**30,674**	**41**	**4,159**	**1**	**1,589**	**11,700**	**42**	**3,394**	**1,850**
Anguilla	16	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	-
Antigua-Barbuda	139	1	37	-	-	11	-	25	10
Aruba	33	-	10	-	-	4	-	4	9
Bahamas, The	662	-	336	-	-	9	1	65	81
Barbados	740	-	229	-	-	41	2	140	84
Bermuda	175	-	112	-	-	1	-	5	44
British Virgin Islands	7	-	3	-	-	-	-	4	-
Cayman Islands	27	-	3	-	-	-	-	7	12
Cuba	628	-	16	1	-	7	-	50	22
Dominica [3]	554	-	44	-	4	185	-	94	38
Dominican Republic [3]	4,818	3	781	-	5	801	12	684	477
Grenada	156	-	59	-	-	33	-	26	17
Guadeloupe	5	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-
Haiti	965	-	191	-	2	12	-	219	87
Jamaica	18,665	35	1,275	-	1,577	10,573	6	1,571	455
Martinique	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Montserrat	11	-	5	-	-	-	-	1	1
Netherlands Antilles	56	-	44	-	-	2	-	1	7
Puerto Rico	13	-	8	-	-	1	-	2	2
St. Kitts-Nevis	66	-	47	-	1	1	-	11	4
St. Lucia	166	-	87	-	-	2	1	36	32
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	85	-	22	-	-	1	-	17	24
Trinidad and Tobago	2,614	2	811	-	-	15	20	397	438
Turks and Caicos Islands	71	-	27	-	-	-	-	34	5
Central America	**14,923**	**13**	**3,552**	**1**	**45**	**4,666**	**30**	**2,364**	**2,622**
Belize	323	-	112	-	7	63	-	63	42
Costa Rica	3,399	5	993	1	1	387	21	815	906
El Salvador	1,875	-	381	-	6	261	-	324	373
Guatemala	4,613	-	744	-	20	2,722	-	426	472
Honduras	2,203	-	391	-	2	934	3	245	353
Nicaragua	763	1	172	-	6	198	1	172	100
Panama	1,747	7	759	-	3	101	5	319	376
South America	**119,493**	**110**	**46,273**	**2**	**171**	**2,379**	**316**	**22,086**	**37,082**
Argentina	20,586	11	7,738	-	2	237	86	3,263	6,628
Bolivia	1,062	-	479	-	-	6	2	281	173
Brazil	29,925	25	10,094	-	15	615	130	7,636	9,562
Chile	6,294	4	1,978	-	22	184	12	1,488	2,096
Colombia	24,659	29	10,522	-	1	305	36	3,598	7,692
Ecuador	4,293	6	1,690	-	4	63	6	1,333	886
Falkland Islands	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
French Guiana	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Guyana	486	-	277	-	-	2	7	48	82
Paraguay	483	-	217	-	-	3	-	134	59
Peru	8,395	11	2,990	2	126	506	11	2,351	1,392
Suriname	51	-	22	-	-	1	-	12	11
Uruguay	1,547	1	558	-	-	7	1	302	537
Venezuela	21,710	23	9,708	-	1	450	25	1,639	7,963
Unknown	6,216	8	1,240	1	60	541	14	2,479	1,029

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Region and country of citizenship	Workers with extraordinary ability or achievement (O1)	Workers accom-panying and assisting in performance of O1 workers (O2)	Inter-nationally recognized athletes or entertainers (P1)	Artists or entertainers in reciprocal exchange programs (P2)	Artists or entertainers in culturally unique programs (P3)	Workers in inter-national cultural exchange programs (Q1) [4]	Workers in religious occupations (R1)	North American Free-Trade Agreement workers (TN)
All countries	**25,008**	**4,156**	**41,453**	**3,754**	**9,487**	**2,221**	**19,115**	**73,699**
Europe	**14,505**	**1,690**	**15,122**	**238**	**3,281**	**1,432**	**4,087**	-
Albania	4	-	2	-	2	-	8	-
Andorra	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Armenia	12	2	81	1	44	1	4	-
Austria	265	9	282	1	9	2	29	-
Azerbaijan	2	-	2	-	5	-	1	-
Belarus	17	3	33	-	2	-	5	-
Belgium	246	39	129	1	41	3	40	-
Bosnia-Herzegovina	14	-	-	-	10	-	3	-
Bulgaria	81	2	157	1	66	-	11	-
Croatia	60	1	17	1	91	-	35	-
Czech Republic	63	2	139	1	25	3	15	-
Czechoslovakia [1]	30	1	69	-	13	2	13	-
Denmark	247	22	59	1	6	1	55	-
Estonia	22	4	58	-	-	-	9	-
Finland	93	4	265	9	21	-	44	-
France	1,493	112	875	5	189	252	237	-
Georgia	6	-	93	2	17	1	4	-
Germany	1,539	69	1,063	18	28	186	287	-
Gibraltar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Greece	166	4	30	12	224	-	22	-
Holy See	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Hungary	98	2	221	3	30	8	95	-
Iceland	70	11	34	-	-	-	8	-
Ireland	332	67	826	13	389	244	261	-
Italy	1,108	93	243	9	67	140	248	-
Kazakhstan	1	2	13	-	1	-	3	-
Kyrgyzstan	2	-	4	-	-	-	2	-
Latvia	24	-	28	5	-	-	12	-
Liechtenstein	5	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Lithuania	22	-	30	2	21	-	35	-
Luxembourg	7	2	4	1	-	-	-	-
Macedonia	10	-	3	-	14	-	3	-
Malta	12	1	2	2	-	-	13	-
Moldova	6	-	16	-	5	-	4	-
Monaco	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	543	66	379	7	27	10	179	-
Norway	149	7	132	2	18	167	59	-
Poland	141	32	359	13	218	1	289	-
Portugal	60	8	67	1	3	-	27	-
Romania	64	3	42	1	89	-	78	-
Russia	512	26	3,487	8	551	3	114	-
Slovak Republic	33	3	86	1	9	-	60	-
Slovenia	13	-	4	1	-	-	1	-
Soviet Union [1]	1	-	11	-	-	-	1	-
Spain	528	33	556	3	279	28	298	-
Sweden	415	42	415	8	69	1	65	-
Switzerland	339	11	102	1	17	6	116	-
Tajikistan	3	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Turkmenistan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ukraine	96	10	152	2	274	2	87	-
United Kingdom	5,518	993	4,503	97	343	370	1,182	-
Uzbekistan	9	3	9	1	2	1	5	-
Yugoslavia [1]	20	1	40	4	62	-	15	-

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Region and country of citizenship	Workers with extraordinary ability or achievement (O1)	Workers accom-panying and assisting in performance of O1 workers (O2)	Inter-nationally recognized athletes or entertainers (P1)	Artists or entertainers in reciprocal exchange programs (P2)	Artists or entertainers in culturally unique programs (P3)	Workers in inter-national cultural exchange programs (Q1) [4]	Workers in religious occupations (R1)	North American Free-Trade Agreement workers (TN)
Asia	**3,121**	**677**	**2,011**	**279**	**2,539**	**422**	**5,984**	**-**
Afghanistan	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
Bahrain	2	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Bangladesh	6	4	-	2	17	-	12	-
Bhutan	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	-
Brunei	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burma	4	1	-	-	1	-	32	-
Cambodia	1	-	-	1	-	-	19	-
China [2]	282	117	795	50	509	77	612	-
Cyprus	37	-	-	-	7	-	3	-
Hong Kong	44	134	49	5	24	10	57	-
India	523	138	95	41	946	6	1,342	-
Indonesia	26	3	17	12	38	2	54	-
Iran	10	2	6	3	37	-	6	-
Iraq	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	-
Israel	510	34	246	32	77	1	530	-
Japan	741	40	395	16	367	303	727	-
Jordan	19	2	3	3	-	-	5	-
Korea	227	72	166	40	234	10	839	-
Kuwait	9	-	6	2	-	-	3	-
Laos	-	-	1	-	-	-	16	-
Lebanon	45	3	6	2	39	-	41	-
Macau	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Malaysia	25	1	9	3	1	-	52	-
Maldives	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mongolia	2	2	22	1	15	-	30	-
Nepal	10	-	1	1	-	3	318	-
Oman	-	1	1	6	-	-	-	-
Pakistan	114	12	8	3	54	-	53	-
Philippines	191	73	117	25	61	2	686	-
Qatar	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Saudi Arabia	11	-	3	-	1	2	2	-
Singapore	35	12	11	-	-	-	52	-
Sri Lanka	4	-	6	-	1	1	73	-
Syria	13	-	-	1	-	-	10	-
Thailand	58	19	13	7	27	4	248	-
Turkey	170	5	26	18	62	-	38	-
United Arab Emirates	1	-	2	2	-	-	2	-
Vietnam	-	-	5	2	20	1	91	-
Yemen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Africa	**381**	**47**	**724**	**47**	**477**	**99**	**1,236**	**-**
Algeria	3	2	5	-	3	-	2	-
Angola	2	1	2	-	4	-	11	-
Benin	1	1	-	-	11	-	3	-
Botswana	12	-	3	1	-	6	1	-
Burkina Faso	3	-	-	-	11	-	3	-
Burundi	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Cameroon	13	1	10	-	38	-	49	-
Cape Verde	-	-	10	-	-	-	1	-
Central African Republic	-	-	-	-	15	-	2	-
Chad	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Comoros	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
Congo, Republic	1	-	2	2	11	-	22	-
Cote d'Ivoire	6	2	4	-	1	-	4	-
Djibouti	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Egypt	45	5	3	7	45	-	92	-
Equatorial Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eritrea	1	-	-	-	-	1	7	-

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Region and country of citizenship	Workers with extraordinary ability or achievement (O1)	Workers accom-panying and assisting in performance of O1 workers (O2)	Inter-nationally recognized athletes or entertainers (P1)	Artists or entertainers in reciprocal exchange programs (P2)	Artists or entertainers in culturally unique programs (P3)	Workers in inter-national cultural exchange programs (Q1) [4]	Workers in religious occupations (R1)	North American Free-Trade Agreement workers (TN)
Ethiopia	2	-	39	1	-	1	29	-
Gabon	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Gambia, The	2	-	1	-	-	-	2	-
Ghana	21	-	16	1	28	-	112	-
Guinea	2	7	9	2	12	-	2	-
Guinea-Bissau	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-
Kenya	17	1	154	2	40	13	126	-
Lesotho	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liberia	3	-	1	-	-	-	6	-
Libya	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Madagascar	1	1	-	-	14	1	1	-
Malawi	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	-
Mali	5	-	10	1	54	-	-	-
Mauritania	1	-	1	-	-	-	2	-
Mauritius	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Morocco	14	-	24	9	-	28	6	-
Mozambique	-	-	1	-	29	-	-	-
Namibia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Niger	1	1	6	1	8	-	40	-
Nigeria	16	-	66	4	12	-	248	-
Reunion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rwanda	-	-	-	-	-	1	6	-
Sao Tome and Principe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senegal	4	8	57	2	25	4	5	-
Seychelles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	1	1	2	-	1	-	9	-
Somalia	3	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
South Africa	167	10	265	10	42	32	256	-
Sudan	1	-	-	1	-	-	5	-
Swaziland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tanzania	12	-	2	-	-	-	48	-
Togo	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Tunisia	7	-	1	3	2	-	1	-
Uganda	4	-	3	-	64	1	78	-
Western Sahara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zambia	4	2	1	-	-	-	21	-
Zimbabwe	6	1	21	-	7	11	14	-
Oceania	**1,487**	**131**	**1,017**	**14**	**70**	**7**	**834**	**-**
American Samoa	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	-
Australia	1,212	86	826	10	34	6	447	-
Cook Islands	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Fiji	3	-	3	2	1	-	34	-
French Polynesia	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Guam	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kiribati	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Marshall Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Micronesia, Federated States	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Nauru	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Caledonia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Zealand	263	37	179	1	33	1	181	-
Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Palau	-	-	4	1	-	-	2	-
Papua New Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Samoa	-	-	-	-	1	-	39	-
Solomon Islands	1	8	1	-	-	-	1	-
Tonga	5	-	2	-	-	-	110	-
Tuvalu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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TABLE 27. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED AS TEMPORARY WORKERS, EXCHANGE VISITORS, AND INTRACOMPANY TRANSFEREES BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Region and country of citizenship	Workers with extraordinary ability or achievement (O1)	Workers accompanying and assisting in performance of O1 workers (O2)	Internationally recognized athletes or entertainers (P1)	Artists or entertainers in reciprocal exchange programs (P2)	Artists or entertainers in culturally unique programs (P3)	Workers in international cultural exchange programs (Q1) [4]	Workers in religious occupations (R1)	North American Free-Trade Agreement workers (TN)
North America	**2,577**	**1,159**	**17,981**	**3,044**	**2,132**	**209**	**4,215**	**73,699**
Canada	1,378	389	2,703	2,688	207	91	1,470	71,878
Greenland	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mexico	669	182	9,771	211	255	107	1,667	1,821
Caribbean	**371**	**574**	**4,598**	**112**	**1,658**	**7**	**578**	**-**
Anguilla	-	-	-	-	1	-	4	-
Antigua-Barbuda	-	-	8	2	40	-	5	-
Aruba	-	-	4	-	-	-	2	-
Bahamas, The	14	4	101	8	-	-	43	-
Barbados	8	-	202	1	10	-	23	-
Bermuda	-	-	1	-	-	-	12	-
British Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cayman Islands	-	1	2	1	-	-	1	-
Cuba	12	-	258	14	243	1	4	-
Dominica [3]	9	-	161	-	-	-	19	-
Dominican Republic [3]	49	4	1,745	24	20	1	212	-
Grenada	2	-	1	2	9	-	7	-
Guadeloupe	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Haiti	9	2	48	6	321	-	68	-
Jamaica	227	557	1,544	29	707	5	104	-
Martinique	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montserrat	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	-
Netherlands Antilles	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
St. Lucia	1	1	-	-	1	-	5	-
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	1	-	10	-	4	-	6	-
Trinidad and Tobago	35	5	508	24	302	-	57	-
Turks and Caicos Islands	2	-	2	-	-	-	1	-
Central America	**159**	**13**	**909**	**33**	**12**	**4**	**500**	**-**
Belize	6	-	4	-	-	-	26	-
Costa Rica	39	4	93	6	2	4	122	-
El Salvador	19	3	381	12	5	-	110	-
Guatemala	32	5	69	13	-	-	110	-
Honduras	22	-	193	-	-	-	60	-
Nicaragua	7	-	72	1	4	-	29	-
Panama	34	1	97	1	1	-	43	-
South America	**2,839**	**426**	**4,285**	**117**	**842**	**28**	**2,537**	**-**
Argentina	778	81	1,134	7	120	3	498	-
Bolivia	32	3	23	1	6	-	56	-
Brazil	455	83	536	23	188	10	553	-
Chile	156	24	166	13	8	-	143	-
Colombia	460	89	1,267	13	43	2	602	-
Ecuador	37	3	31	6	124	-	104	-
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guyana	4	13	26	2	5	-	20	-
Paraguay	17	1	9	-	1	1	41	-
Peru	191	25	176	20	323	6	265	-
Suriname	2	-	1	-	-	-	2	-
Uruguay	74	8	28	3	4	1	23	-
Venezuela	633	96	888	29	20	5	230	-
Unknown	98	26	313	15	146	24	222	-

[1] Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. [2] Includes People's Republic of China and Taiwan. The number of nonimmigrant visas issued in fiscal year 2002 for People's Republic of China were: no H1A, 7,576 H1Bs, 37 H2As, 55 H2Bs, 54 H3s, 6,790 J1s, 1,073 L1s, 156 O1s, 42 O2s, 653 P1s, no P2s, 307 P3s, 70 Q1s, and 93 R1s. The number of nonimmigrant visas issued in fiscal year 2002 for Taiwan were: no H1As, 2,642 H1Bs, no H2As, 4 H2Bs, 28 H3s, 1,629 J1s, 287 L1s, 19 O1s, 25 O2s, 65 P1s, no P2s, 118 P3s, no Q1s, and 141 R1s. (SOURCE: U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Visa Office.) [3] Due to misreporting, reliable counts by country of citizenship are not available; therefore, data were given the same distribution as for country of last residence (see Notice of Special Geographic Definitions). The number of nonimmigrant visas issued in fiscal year 2002 for Dominica was 1,419; the Dominican Republic, 49,238. (SOURCE: U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Visa Office.) [4] Includes 466 Q-2 workers admitted under the Irish Peace Process Cultural and Training Program Act of 1998.

NOTE: See Glossary for detailed descriptions of classes of admission. - Represents zero.

TABLE 28. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED PORT OF ENTRY AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP FISCAL YEAR 2002

Region and country of citizenship	All ports [1]	Miami	New York	Los Angeles	Honolulu	Chicago	San Francisco	Newark
All countries	**27,907,139**	**3,766,763**	**3,025,822**	**3,016,483**	**1,492,342**	**1,383,177**	**1,367,505**	**1,288,218**
Europe	**10,631,390**	**1,173,027**	**1,482,818**	**898,939**	**44,057**	**784,709**	**492,241**	**867,136**
Albania	7,033	235	2,402	142	1	779	27	317
Andorra	449	136	133	23	1	25	13	14
Armenia	6,679	51	1,441	2,777	-	170	124	77
Austria	123,702	19,576	20,706	11,614	448	8,722	6,728	4,322
Azerbaijan	2,126	54	573	98	-	150	39	43
Belarus	7,481	84	3,213	186	4	1,264	70	460
Belgium	188,698	19,611	28,948	9,286	197	18,223	5,344	25,784
Bosnia-Herzegovina	6,315	143	1,248	174	8	746	176	316
Bulgaria	26,587	1,551	8,492	1,517	40	3,550	685	1,060
Croatia	18,233	2,041	3,136	1,265	48	1,538	708	1,278
Czech Republic	35,450	3,979	8,965	2,849	57	3,274	1,562	2,320
Czechoslovakia [2]	21,542	1,988	6,844	1,504	25	1,944	878	1,348
Denmark	146,122	14,015	10,782	12,904	558	14,529	7,480	24,617
Estonia	7,975	858	2,169	426	7	774	387	1,141
Finland	85,845	9,219	16,957	4,727	333	9,092	4,693	6,528
France	1,057,280	121,615	165,367	135,186	6,093	51,286	69,177	77,943
Georgia	3,878	107	1,459	182	2	267	52	129
Germany	1,405,834	149,200	154,540	100,676	5,083	134,412	85,297	89,652
Gibraltar	124	34	18	8	-	4	1	7
Greece	56,175	4,957	19,453	2,612	73	4,210	1,866	1,780
Holy See	127	27	22	6	-	6	2	18
Hungary	45,227	5,189	13,181	3,678	84	3,791	2,123	1,782
Iceland	23,171	380	3,842	327	10	208	154	187
Ireland	343,523	12,240	42,176	21,401	1,663	16,101	13,664	15,273
Italy	578,866	124,258	116,428	45,473	838	31,349	17,529	68,818
Kazakhstan	5,738	192	1,191	290	4	353	155	161
Kyrgyzstan	1,653	32	636	84	6	109	13	21
Latvia	10,773	772	2,873	637	12	1,675	208	1,485
Liechtenstein	1,184	177	136	111	6	90	39	93
Lithuania	17,715	1,115	4,659	658	4	3,814	211	2,110
Luxembourg	7,163	955	1,138	721	19	469	396	573
Macedonia	5,535	393	1,745	116	7	494	38	563
Malta	5,339	1,399	737	393	31	147	183	180
Moldova	2,645	68	664	76	2	105	51	114
Monaco	482	80	154	67	-	16	14	17
Netherlands	535,753	92,016	54,104	30,380	1,130	29,401	19,250	48,630
Norway	133,723	14,051	9,922	10,541	635	12,957	5,910	18,726
Poland	148,966	6,276	42,812	5,640	130	39,444	3,172	21,001
Portugal	80,939	12,297	12,402	3,776	282	2,100	2,826	18,960
Romania	48,461	5,107	12,844	2,972	46	4,288	1,645	1,439
Russia	114,964	4,185	53,667	9,596	643	6,997	2,193	2,325
San Marino	325	75	65	32	-	4	4	43
Slovak Republic	25,867	1,904	9,271	1,233	39	2,030	828	2,221
Slovenia	8,545	993	1,285	840	20	950	669	548
Soviet Union [2]	394	19	95	31	1	39	13	23
Spain	408,276	148,308	77,776	14,975	370	23,232	8,291	28,508
Sweden	238,710	23,020	19,904	20,446	946	39,826	10,719	41,239
Switzerland	270,869	49,200	38,574	31,834	1,472	14,902	9,397	26,386
Tajikistan	533	10	236	3	-	50	4	2
Turkmenistan	291	6	67	11	-	41	5	5
Ukraine	27,998	1,609	7,194	1,500	49	2,939	624	1,022
United Kingdom	4,304,050	316,248	485,721	401,718	22,596	288,668	205,971	324,461
Uzbekistan	7,488	93	5,992	141	6	179	36	84
Yugoslavia [2]	18,569	879	4,459	1,076	28	2,976	597	982
Asia	**7,012,522**	**102,608**	**755,661**	**1,145,026**	**1,321,824**	**375,333**	**710,455**	**204,799**
Afghanistan	1,183	4	276	70	4	31	80	74
Bahrain	2,281	83	244	126	8	241	69	59

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TABLE 28. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED PORT OF ENTRY AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Region and country of citizenship	All ports [1]	Miami	New York	Los Angeles	Honolulu	Chicago	San Francisco	Newark
Bangladesh	15,583	282	6,745	1,796	123	902	506	1,046
Bhutan	361	6	146	35	5	11	28	4
Brunei	645	7	102	203	35	26	38	30
Burma	2,263	64	392	651	46	107	438	49
Cambodia	3,402	15	244	2,035	33	67	380	79
China [3]	705,596	7,673	49,486	215,792	24,488	30,153	162,222	9,240
Cyprus	9,320	633	2,962	458	8	609	208	584
Hong Kong	82,708	963	6,864	14,576	2,453	8,683	18,756	4,819
India	501,745	18,999	106,672	43,881	1,295	57,447	59,859	35,251
Indonesia	68,655	2,939	5,838	24,886	2,954	2,689	11,695	1,703
Iran	12,316	245	1,296	2,690	30	622	990	306
Iraq	1,896	9	196	99	5	121	39	29
Israel	316,118	20,245	121,085	20,566	258	6,416	6,605	86,954
Japan	3,651,814	20,636	211,910	402,998	1,231,583	146,785	254,582	39,011
Jordan	21,484	748	3,115	1,213	11	1,533	695	747
Korea	804,403	6,149	102,148	216,702	40,259	68,815	81,084	2,701
Kuwait	11,271	346	3,307	610	6	2,545	233	88
Laos	1,987	9	95	889	35	136	353	7
Lebanon	21,826	1,062	3,365	2,415	28	1,140	580	1,066
Macau	870	5	33	218	27	37	260	32
Malaysia	59,333	806	4,477	19,944	1,663	4,121	10,301	4,476
Maldives	164	10	35	8	12	5	6	22
Mongolia	5,172	23	377	1,218	131	873	1,209	14
Nepal	9,556	361	2,372	1,911	91	379	707	281
Oman	2,315	91	166	97	-	256	57	46
Pakistan	61,737	1,396	25,513	3,175	117	6,503	2,110	3,709
Philippines	302,172	8,068	17,753	95,299	7,758	4,953	58,514	3,647
Qatar	1,829	36	297	83	1	227	34	19
Saudi Arabia	22,313	478	9,106	981	36	930	327	266
Singapore	79,652	764	9,635	19,996	2,650	5,889	19,257	4,317
Sri Lanka	11,499	328	1,792	2,456	185	774	644	955
Syria	8,590	231	1,478	1,112	5	675	231	398
Thailand	78,713	727	5,224	30,621	5,118	4,570	10,260	625
Turkey	101,792	7,937	48,920	3,782	44	14,473	2,656	1,543
United Arab Emirates	6,111	147	208	405	4	605	181	219
Vietnam	22,539	76	1,501	10,986	311	879	4,233	343
Yemen	1,308	7	286	43	4	105	28	40
Africa	**387,368**	**17,055**	**126,906**	**17,087**	**732**	**20,092**	**7,250**	**23,729**
Algeria	5,101	182	1,432	200	13	280	114	208
Angola	4,137	336	732	41	-	88	31	684
Benin	1,393	80	444	26	1	90	14	92
Botswana	2,112	80	479	48	6	148	36	51
Burkina Faso	1,915	50	1,000	35	-	55	6	108
Burundi	824	10	197	16	-	16	5	319
Cameroon	8,357	298	1,387	257	10	472	122	433
Cape Verde	2,373	26	1,987	19	1	2	2	68
Central African Republic	378	14	140	4	1	6	5	13
Chad	486	4	185	9	-	11	5	25
Comoros	82	3	39	8	-	-	-	2
Congo, Democratic Republic	150	9	39	5	-	4	1	40
Congo, Republic	3,257	171	819	51	1	141	44	506
Cote d'Ivoire	3,203	67	1,213	44	2	99	37	182
Djibouti	189	1	31	5	-	4	6	37
Egypt	37,452	1,011	16,387	2,758	46	2,055	883	1,342
Equatorial Guinea	203	45	24	3	-	5	-	18
Eritrea	1,581	23	222	77	1	115	153	51
Ethiopia	8,430	87	459	180	2	213	157	4,728
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gabon	1,273	22	431	80	13	18	9	44

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TABLE 28. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED PORT OF ENTRY AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Region and country of citizenship	All ports [1]	Miami	New York	Los Angeles	Honolulu	Chicago	San Francisco	Newark
Gambia, The	3,840	39	1,691	22	1	32	9	192
Ghana	26,016	414	10,863	580	18	1,193	251	1,634
Guinea	5,781	426	3,429	71	7	109	37	284
Guinea-Bissau	179	30	52	16	2	3	1	20
Kenya	22,769	593	2,608	982	25	1,865	509	2,907
Lesotho	406	6	167	13	-	4	7	6
Liberia	2,312	27	920	15	-	93	8	227
Libya	346	9	141	18	-	25	18	10
Madagascar	834	29	198	27	1	38	29	36
Malawi	1,601	39	241	44	1	183	15	39
Mali	3,759	63	2,393	32	3	46	28	133
Mauritania	1,083	32	433	38	6	26	20	52
Mauritius	1,528	108	212	113	16	71	69	80
Morocco	22,840	636	14,453	553	14	513	289	340
Mozambique	1,021	59	334	16	-	27	4	44
Namibia	1,024	35	289	38	-	31	28	38
Niger	6,255	226	2,329	251	8	336	87	306
Nigeria	50,742	1,699	18,042	2,128	55	3,187	745	2,695
Reunion	22	3	2	6	1	1	1	-
Rwanda	1,313	22	240	43	2	64	12	309
Sao Tome and Principe	82	6	9	-	-	1	-	37
Senegal	11,349	314	7,635	141	6	202	82	559
Seychelles	342	33	49	21	2	10	15	16
Sierra Leone	2,297	61	593	67	2	69	23	202
Somalia	440	4	79	8	-	34	20	54
South Africa	105,049	8,457	24,487	6,576	418	6,120	2,637	2,621
St. Helena	36	5	2	-	-	3	-	-
Sudan	2,258	30	642	155	2	102	65	210
Swaziland	313	10	92	48	-	11	-	3
Tanzania	4,890	155	816	189	5	308	105	427
Togo	2,341	38	991	42	1	168	22	109
Tunisia	4,281	337	832	275	3	287	231	177
Uganda	4,864	133	982	198	4	310	54	485
Western Sahara	31	8	3	1	1	15	1	2
Zambia	4,403	116	1,387	97	7	284	40	171
Zimbabwe	7,823	333	1,623	397	24	499	158	353
Oceania	**777,957**	**19,622**	**39,237**	**409,988**	**115,992**	**16,686**	**45,200**	**9,882**
American Samoa	553	5	1	231	295	-	1	-
Australia	514,268	15,280	31,217	247,048	83,067	12,674	40,046	7,487
Christmas Island	6	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Cocos Islands	4	2	-	1	-	-	-	-
Cook Islands	25	1	-	19	3	-	1	-
Fiji	8,847	55	87	5,485	2,443	23	132	12
French Polynesia	1,041	10	6	778	117	4	97	4
Guam	57	3	4	3	2	-	-	-
Kiribati	1,049	13	10	218	643	1	70	1
Marshall Islands	6,964	10	13	31	5,886	3	17	15
Micronesia, Federated States	16,707	48	3	37	4,956	7	22	36
Nauru	99	3	9	40	12	4	2	-
New Caledonia	299	4	1	236	47	1	2	1
New Zealand	212,084	4,020	7,690	152,241	15,485	3,846	4,567	2,080
Northern Mariana Islands	30	5	5	4	-	1	-	1
Palau	7,910	18	19	18	393	2	20	106
Papua New Guinea	658	25	17	388	112	4	17	4
Pitcairn Island	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Samoa	1,728	8	14	502	1,157	-	3	-
Solomon Islands	1,446	88	106	217	99	105	88	89
Tonga	3,657	12	16	2,218	1,145	8	104	41
Tuvalu	348	7	9	221	79	2	8	1
Vanuatu	168	5	9	47	50	1	3	3
Wallis and Futuna Islands	8	-	1	4	1	-	-	-

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TABLE 28. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED PORT OF ENTRY AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Region and country of citizenship	All ports [1]	Miami	New York	Los Angeles	Honolulu	Chicago	San Francisco	Newark
North America	**6,438,065**	**1,010,276**	**322,130**	**403,219**	**3,105**	**115,289**	**90,583**	**90,795**
Canada	226,132	5,396	7,427	4,170	1,015	4,286	5,275	3,519
Greenland	69	1	8	1	-	5	1	21
Mexico	4,183,991	210,915	73,666	298,750	1,612	104,244	68,680	40,119
St. Pierre and Miquelon	14	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
United States	26	-	2	4	-	5	3	1
Caribbean	**1,193,955**	**417,478**	**204,965**	**5,185**	**236**	**3,417**	**1,007**	**21,782**
Anguilla	2,954	148	47	4	-	7	1	6
Antigua-Barbuda	18,777	1,499	2,176	24	-	38	9	589
Aruba	7,922	2,344	99	2	-	6	11	17
Bahamas, The	318,714	46,476	984	216	28	177	65	309
Barbados	45,284	18,597	11,548	173	22	72	26	146
Bermuda	3,236	279	285	73	50	19	11	124
British Virgin Islands	6,394	103	45	12	-	18	4	18
Cayman Islands	23,396	17,773	213	119	13	33	18	166
Cuba	24,546	20,582	1,085	579	2	65	138	113
Dominica [4]	19,048	6,423	4,203	74	-	19	37	891
Dominican Republic [4]	186,800	69,933	41,434	413	8	209	219	12,235
Grenada	9,739	1,702	3,808	46	11	18	8	65
Guadeloupe	810	180	24	29	-	6	1	6
Haiti	81,558	52,731	17,030	104	3	98	24	208
Jamaica	248,081	98,820	61,432	2,566	48	1,994	128	6,061
Martinique	525	284	30	13	-	4	8	3
Montserrat	1,117	101	124	3	-	12	3	22
Netherlands Antilles	8,882	5,319	249	35	1	24	3	81
Puerto Rico	207	40	13	30	-	2	7	7
St. Kitts-Nevis	13,012	369	166	27	-	41	12	35
St. Lucia	15,993	2,835	4,181	87	1	54	4	343
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	11,273	3,537	2,787	34	1	27	5	37
Trinidad and Tobago	135,170	58,849	52,640	490	48	214	250	286
Turks and Caicos Islands	10,272	8,539	361	30	-	258	15	13
U.S. Virgin Islands	245	15	1	2	-	2	-	1
Central America	**833,878**	**376,484**	**36,062**	**95,109**	**242**	**3,332**	**15,617**	**25,351**
Belize	26,901	10,667	200	1,723	6	103	552	130
Costa Rica	153,321	81,057	4,660	10,797	72	1,524	1,674	11,153
El Salvador	220,788	47,857	18,764	48,802	7	223	9,134	4,103
Guatemala	181,010	75,060	8,726	24,388	65	966	2,579	1,984
Honduras	109,232	73,169	2,621	3,321	26	160	628	1,062
Nicaragua	51,917	38,984	394	1,919	9	120	744	217
Panama	90,709	49,690	697	4,159	57	236	306	6,702
South America	**2,441,299**	**1,410,954**	**276,124**	**118,429**	**1,897**	**55,418**	**9,209**	**81,559**
Argentina	252,328	155,952	38,334	10,548	163	8,463	1,237	1,610
Bolivia	37,505	31,016	856	1,817	10	307	156	252
Brazil	576,442	235,935	108,858	57,147	1,018	36,919	2,113	23,683
Chile	154,776	86,740	12,535	11,422	117	1,350	1,464	870
Colombia	418,035	278,778	30,726	8,668	151	1,374	1,164	15,655
Ecuador	176,917	112,844	13,807	3,741	45	713	522	17,765
Falkland Islands	19	4	2	2	-	1	-	-
French Guiana	33	18	5	1	-	1	-	1
Guyana	28,088	6,519	15,727	101	2	51	32	120
Paraguay	16,799	9,470	3,182	1,699	14	152	60	90
Peru	225,147	104,904	12,391	19,357	140	2,200	1,277	15,215
Suriname	5,363	4,079	533	37	-	14	28	55
Uruguay	59,923	36,762	12,208	1,525	68	2,731	366	368
Venezuela	489,924	347,933	26,960	2,364	169	1,142	790	5,875
Unknown	218,538	33,221	22,946	23,795	4,735	15,650	12,567	10,318

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Region and country of citizenship	Agana	Atlanta	Houston	Washington, DC	San Diego	Laredo	Dallas	Other [5]
All countries	**990,410**	**978,396**	**900,218**	**841,270**	**605,110**	**597,971**	**591,723**	**7,061,731**
Europe	**6,602**	**548,364**	**291,725**	**584,907**	**39,513**	**3,870**	**166,899**	**3,246,583**
Albania	-	314	21	763	3	2	18	2,009
Andorra	-	19	8	4	-	4	4	65
Armenia	-	87	22	912	5	-	54	959
Austria	119	5,939	1,780	15,825	253	61	1,889	25,720
Azerbaijan	-	86	150	590	3	-	26	314
Belarus	1	118	41	695	4	1	41	1,299
Belgium	43	23,395	4,424	20,631	308	79	2,713	29,712
Bosnia-Herzegovina	3	364	76	584	4	-	65	2,408
Bulgaria	5	1,033	437	2,691	103	21	337	5,065
Croatia	28	1,102	699	1,759	15	-	166	4,450
Czech Republic	12	1,596	516	2,860	59	11	532	6,858
Czechoslovakia [2]	5	898	295	1,399	37	9	322	4,046
Denmark	99	3,696	5,220	13,308	776	98	1,521	36,519
Estonia	6	188	86	765	7	-	53	1,108
Finland	58	3,045	1,451	4,203	168	15	3,201	22,155
France	598	63,709	63,313	60,287	2,856	401	22,440	217,009
Georgia	2	286	42	879	2	2	18	449
Germany	728	120,108	23,129	115,928	3,205	565	35,863	387,448
Gibraltar	-	1	2	4	2	-	5	38
Greece	22	1,544	2,005	2,987	76	7	547	14,036
Holy See	-	8	3	8	-	-	1	26
Hungary	16	1,375	686	4,371	78	19	417	8,437
Iceland	1	91	136	138	15	5	81	17,596
Ireland	77	10,827	2,871	7,012	1,053	47	2,825	196,293
Italy	231	31,680	10,861	22,115	2,021	452	9,060	97,753
Kazakhstan	2	130	353	914	1	-	85	1,907
Kyrgyzstan	-	58	46	328	-	1	4	315
Latvia	3	251	255	769	45	2	73	1,713
Liechtenstein	-	129	2	29	3	1	102	266
Lithuania	5	563	164	923	38	1	63	3,387
Luxembourg	-	295	100	635	26	-	123	1,713
Macedonia	-	224	18	630	10	-	72	1,225
Malta	6	82	86	206	38	-	55	1,796
Moldova	2	509	10	390	1	1	11	641
Monaco	-	7	6	23	-	-	5	93
Netherlands	209	32,351	21,594	48,108	998	132	2,904	154,546
Norway	46	3,522	10,925	8,610	228	24	883	36,743
Poland	31	2,263	1,503	5,367	197	29	1,077	20,024
Portugal	110	1,966	1,230	1,974	253	41	663	22,059
Romania	18	1,764	953	3,439	105	8	393	13,440
Russia	105	2,030	3,189	7,381	147	22	1,119	21,365
San Marino	-	12	5	13	-	-	5	67
Slovak Republic	8	1,105	286	2,655	29	1	213	4,044
Slovenia	2	413	206	616	38	3	129	1,833
Soviet Union [2]	3	8	12	13	-	-	10	127
Spain	173	20,910	9,677	8,796	2,546	1,244	4,587	58,883
Sweden	145	5,909	4,598	13,774	570	53	3,071	54,490
Switzerland	243	21,635	2,711	9,059	804	124	15,661	48,867
Tajikistan	-	7	6	133	-	-	5	77
Turkmenistan	-	13	6	99	2	-	9	27
Ukraine	11	988	720	3,119	31	7	246	7,939
United Kingdom	3,416	178,920	114,456	184,065	22,276	376	52,956	1,702,202
Uzbekistan	-	117	36	388	1	1	8	406
Yugoslavia [2]	10	674	298	1,733	73	-	168	4,616
Asia	**953,011**	**82,719**	**87,499**	**129,712**	**4,334**	**1,255**	**99,260**	**1,039,026**
Afghanistan	-	11	4	195	3	-	5	426
Bahrain	1	25	80	444	12	-	60	829
Bangladesh	41	253	350	1,131	7	-	249	2,152

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Region and country of citizenship	Agana	Atlanta	Houston	Washington, DC	San Diego	Laredo	Dallas	Other [5]
Bhutan	2	3	1	36	-	-	2	82
Brunei	4	4	18	67	-	-	10	101
Burma	21	16	26	118	2	-	-	333
Cambodia	5	37	13	89	1	-	23	381
China [3]	26,319	1,724	3,528	2,383	708	80	3,797	168,003
Cyprus	3	107	221	609	30	-	95	2,793
Hong Kong	4,594	164	284	292	31	10	584	19,635
India	425	16,252	12,452	28,241	373	121	10,531	109,946
Indonesia	1,021	470	535	1,137	36	39	620	12,093
Iran	7	295	396	1,104	27	9	291	4,008
Iraq	1	19	19	85	4	-	10	1,260
Israel	99	3,097	2,477	4,272	303	91	2,577	41,073
Japan	763,080	38,016	49,257	37,592	1,229	548	54,858	399,729
Jordan	8	587	648	1,644	27	3	252	10,253
Korea	128,949	13,677	2,913	23,989	815	250	18,413	97,539
Kuwait	1	95	360	764	58	2	64	2,792
Laos	2	45	8	77	-	-	25	306
Lebanon	9	767	901	1,594	40	5	328	8,526
Macau	30	1	12	-	2	-	8	205
Malaysia	274	387	847	979	48	8	483	10,519
Maldives	-	6	3	19	-	-	5	33
Mongolia	9	28	15	236	1	2	91	945
Nepal	83	159	71	704	4	-	154	2,279
Oman	-	47	178	531	22	-	59	765
Pakistan	29	1,051	3,601	3,794	19	21	1,348	9,351
Philippines	27,132	977	2,938	1,418	210	34	1,093	72,378
Qatar	-	21	129	310	8	1	46	617
Saudi Arabia	3	575	1,327	3,439	86	2	287	4,470
Singapore	473	271	756	1,037	53	14	581	13,959
Sri Lanka	39	334	164	960	6	1	250	2,611
Syria	49	309	229	520	8	-	76	3,269
Thailand	249	517	529	2,274	35	5	698	17,261
Turkey	18	1,873	1,645	5,369	68	5	735	12,724
United Arab Emirates	2	127	393	957	46	1	246	2,570
Vietnam	28	307	147	966	9	3	286	2,464
Yemen	1	65	24	336	3	-	20	346
Africa	**244**	**40,822**	**12,111**	**36,050**	**662**	**52**	**6,910**	**77,666**
Algeria	-	183	277	744	3	2	149	1,314
Angola	-	280	1,344	241	2	-	18	340
Benin	-	80	47	276	2	2	8	231
Botswana	2	572	22	249	8	-	26	385
Burkina Faso	-	76	9	354	-	-	16	206
Burundi	-	23	5	95	-	-	3	135
Cameroon	2	898	455	2,590	4	1	92	1,336
Cape Verde	-	49	2	10	-	-	2	205
Central African Republic	-	26	11	107	-	-	5	46
Chad	-	24	61	104	-	-	5	53
Comoros	1	3	-	16	-	-	-	10
Congo, Democratic Republic	-	7	-	12	-	-	-	33
Congo, Republic	1	315	68	510	2	-	38	590
Cote d'Ivoire	-	190	90	599	-	2	28	650
Djibouti	-	23	6	38	-	-	4	34
Egypt	37	1,183	949	3,991	21	3	416	6,370
Equatorial Guinea	-	14	26	29	-	-	12	27
Eritrea	-	190	21	350	9	-	44	325
Ethiopia	3	230	62	909	4	-	136	1,260
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gabon	-	52	68	346	3	-	15	172
Gambia, The	-	122	1	182	3	-	10	1,536
Ghana	18	741	319	2,694	15	3	286	6,987

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Region and country of citizenship	Agana	Atlanta	Houston	Washington, DC	San Diego	Laredo	Dallas	Other [5]
Guinea	1	149	51	566	-	1	30	620
Guinea-Bissau	-	5	2	19	-	1	1	27
Kenya	10	1,102	1,042	2,113	91	6	1,121	7,795
Lesotho	-	93	1	45	-	-	4	60
Liberia	-	55	12	247	-	-	11	697
Libya	-	11	6	37	1	-	3	67
Madagascar	1	43	15	263	1	-	5	148
Malawi	3	347	17	273	2	-	36	361
Mali	-	112	29	505	-	-	9	406
Mauritania	-	49	14	212	-	-	7	194
Mauritius	5	85	29	223	8	-	32	477
Morocco	-	546	295	1,373	19	2	135	3,672
Mozambique	-	326	5	124	1	-	5	76
Namibia	1	251	11	95	1	-	32	174
Niger	4	290	458	750	3	2	144	1,061
Nigeria	19	2,293	3,960	6,138	44	3	1,202	8,532
Reunion	-	1	1	-	-	-	2	4
Rwanda	-	66	10	195	2	-	13	335
Sao Tome and Principe	-	1	5	7	-	-	-	16
Senegal	-	308	97	931	2	-	22	1,050
Seychelles	-	23	8	32	6	-	4	123
Sierra Leone	-	104	22	565	1	-	41	547
Somalia	-	12	1	24	2	1	2	199
South Africa	118	26,143	1,443	2,524	338	20	1,939	21,208
St. Helena	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	22
Sudan	-	45	45	498	3	-	40	421
Swaziland	1	77	3	34	-	-	2	32
Tanzania	2	181	203	716	16	1	79	1,687
Togo	-	130	23	379	1	-	40	397
Tunisia	1	242	156	723	10	1	55	951
Uganda	2	254	84	926	15	-	117	1,300
Western Sahara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zambia	5	894	66	436	6	-	109	785
Zimbabwe	6	1,301	154	629	13	1	355	1,977
Oceania	**23,267**	**3,642**	**4,846**	**11,123**	**917**	**148**	**5,645**	**71,762**
American Samoa	7	1	1	2	-	-	-	9
Australia	2,878	2,757	3,607	7,542	647	111	4,630	55,277
Christmas Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Cocos Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Cook Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Fiji	134	11	4	23	2	-	11	425
French Polynesia	2	5	3	3	-	-	2	10
Guam	30	-	1	4	-	-	1	9
Kiribati	41	4	5	24	-	-	2	17
Marshall Islands	818	12	6	-	23	-	-	130
Micronesia, Federated States	11,383	2	51	2	7	-	5	148
Nauru	19	-	-	1	-	-	6	3
New Caledonia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
New Zealand	653	779	990	3,463	232	24	961	15,053
Northern Mariana Islands	-	1	2	-	1	1	-	9
Palau	7,117	3	136	2	-	-	2	74
Papua New Guinea	47	-	5	16	1	-	4	18
Pitcairn Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Samoa	15	-	5	-	1	-	-	23
Solomon Islands	44	59	24	24	2	2	16	483
Tonga	46	5	3	13	1	-	2	43
Tuvalu	12	-	-	-	-	-	3	6
Vanuatu	21	2	3	3	-	10	-	11
Wallis and Futuna Islands	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-

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TABLE 28. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED PORT OF ENTRY AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Region and country of citizenship	Agana	Atlanta	Houston	Washington, DC	San Diego	Laredo	Dallas	Other [5]
North America	**638**	**165,554**	**395,380**	**61,865**	**554,913**	**588,015**	**219,013**	**2,417,290**
Canada	146	1,603	3,217	2,811	1,546	916	2,785	182,020
Greenland	-	-	4	3	-	-	-	25
Mexico	299	101,115	271,631	19,563	550,432	585,344	188,871	1,668,750
St. Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10
United States	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	7
Caribbean	**77**	**12,604**	**2,855**	**6,877**	**260**	**153**	**1,128**	**515,931**
Anguilla	-	1	-	-	3	-	-	2,737
Antigua-Barbuda	-	40	7	46	5	-	8	14,336
Aruba	-	46	6	2	2	-	38	5,349
Bahamas, The	5	2,097	120	199	25	6	84	267,923
Barbados	2	245	84	519	6	3	39	13,802
Bermuda	-	128	11	19	9	2	17	2,209
British Virgin Islands	1	2	3	4	4	-	8	6,172
Cayman Islands	1	562	347	10	1	7	19	4,114
Cuba	2	125	165	51	41	24	49	1,525
Dominica [4]	-	13	10	21	3	5	27	7,322
Dominican Republic [4]	16	169	212	121	23	42	378	61,388
Grenada	-	47	33	78	8	-	12	3,903
Guadeloupe	-	7	25	8	2	5	15	502
Haiti	1	78	42	76	9	31	85	11,038
Jamaica	23	8,552	1,365	253	60	13	158	66,608
Martinique	-	2	2	2	1	1	1	174
Montserrat	-	6	1	1	2	-	-	842
Netherlands Antilles	-	36	9	4	-	1	10	3,110
Puerto Rico	-	4	4	-	-	-	10	90
St. Kitts-Nevis	2	16	9	8	8	3	15	12,301
St. Lucia	9	175	87	56	3	-	12	8,146
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	1	33	13	80	15	-	6	4,697
Trinidad and Tobago	13	202	283	5,292	30	10	130	16,433
Turks and Caicos Islands	1	18	17	24	-	-	7	989
U.S. Virgin Islands	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	221
Central America	**116**	**50,232**	**117,673**	**32,610**	**2,675**	**1,602**	**26,226**	**50,547**
Belize	7	47	9,277	34	297	66	2,034	1,758
Costa Rica	23	5,781	15,537	964	133	111	9,205	10,630
El Salvador	12	17,606	34,281	25,033	362	236	6,380	7,988
Guatemala	4	16,241	24,533	4,817	1,605	886	7,213	11,943
Honduras	24	260	19,333	1,175	117	132	699	6,505
Nicaragua	2	168	6,509	451	86	85	331	1,898
Panama	44	10,129	8,203	136	75	86	364	9,825
South America	**625**	**127,573**	**100,649**	**7,628**	**2,395**	**2,168**	**89,296**	**157,375**
Argentina	38	17,072	2,157	1,179	546	400	3,404	11,225
Bolivia	7	230	396	259	54	134	516	1,495
Brazil	363	35,756	19,642	1,755	427	260	27,299	25,267
Chile	37	11,940	1,021	765	289	219	14,333	11,674
Colombia	41	21,827	24,494	845	293	354	1,938	31,727
Ecuador	7	510	17,347	342	69	149	756	8,300
Falkland Islands	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	7
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
Guyana	1	87	51	362	7	7	20	5,001
Paraguay	1	119	149	46	25	1	1,096	695
Peru	112	19,742	16,872	643	362	273	20,115	11,544
Suriname	-	22	9	46	-	-	3	537
Uruguay	2	1,880	342	638	88	62	470	2,413
Venezuela	16	18,388	18,168	748	235	309	19,344	47,483
Unknown	6,023	9,722	8,008	9,985	2,376	2,463	4,700	52,029

[1] Excludes the following classes of admission processed in the Nonimmigrant Information System: for all countries — 244,834 parolees; 35,462 withdrawals and stowaways; 65,736 refugees, and 630,184 crewmen. [2] Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. [3] Includes People's Republic of China and Taiwan. A total of 472,927 nonimmigrant visas were issued to these two countries in fiscal year 2002: 184,287 to Taiwan and 288,100 to People's Republic of China. (SOURCE: U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Visa Office.) [4] Due to misreporting, reliable counts by country of citizenship are not available; therefore, data were given the same distribution as for country of last residence (see Notice of Special Geographic Definitions). The number of nonimmigrant visas issued in fiscal year 2002 for Dominica was 1,419; the Dominican Republic, 49,238. (SOURCE: U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Visa Office.) [5] Includes 91,210 unknown port of entry for all countries.

- Represents zero.

TABLE 29. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY AGE AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP FISCAL YEAR 2002

Region and country of citizenship	All ages [1]	Under 15 years	15 - 19 years	20 - 24 years	25 - 34 years	35 - 44 years	45 - 64 years	65 years and over	Unknown
All countries	**27,907,139**	**2,474,171**	**1,240,946**	**2,160,957**	**6,806,412**	**5,843,634**	**7,481,561**	**1,813,569**	**85,889**
Europe	**10,631,390**	**793,846**	**456,628**	**772,369**	**2,439,648**	**2,341,807**	**3,109,633**	**689,553**	**27,906**
Albania	7,033	364	321	684	1,466	1,218	2,262	687	31
Andorra	449	38	26	35	139	85	98	26	2
Armenia	6,679	349	407	727	1,335	1,308	1,833	695	25
Austria	123,702	5,563	4,961	10,057	32,451	29,117	35,271	6,028	254
Azerbaijan	2,126	107	163	284	629	383	473	82	5
Belarus	7,481	1,320	903	1,745	1,144	799	1,290	259	21
Belgium	188,698	10,730	6,877	12,974	45,745	45,588	55,922	10,284	578
Bosnia-Herzegovina	6,315	250	328	632	1,362	775	2,274	670	24
Bulgaria	26,587	745	1,220	6,342	7,214	3,444	6,084	1,467	71
Croatia	18,233	518	788	2,106	5,684	3,795	4,468	823	51
Czech Republic	35,450	1,095	1,389	6,154	11,286	5,370	8,855	1,214	87
Czechoslovakia [2]	21,542	761	929	3,930	6,182	3,204	5,594	883	59
Denmark	146,122	9,436	5,516	10,405	35,581	33,073	44,509	7,205	397
Estonia	7,975	402	395	1,681	2,499	1,414	1,367	200	17
Finland	85,845	4,918	3,353	5,572	22,121	20,949	25,663	3,133	136
France	1,057,280	71,314	53,308	83,096	264,345	215,809	307,455	59,098	2,855
Georgia	3,878	165	239	400	1,134	811	928	187	14
Germany	1,405,834	67,451	68,517	92,845	316,864	352,929	416,420	87,813	2,995
Gibraltar	124	10	5	17	29	21	33	8	1
Greece	56,175	2,085	1,360	4,045	14,904	11,854	16,495	5,247	185
Holy See	127	1	2	1	4	22	50	47	-
Hungary	45,227	1,765	1,679	4,904	15,252	6,588	12,509	2,423	107
Iceland	23,171	2,025	884	1,635	5,106	4,998	6,914	1,540	69
Ireland	343,523	23,810	13,630	41,270	93,549	65,804	83,503	20,419	1,538
Italy	578,866	22,489	18,698	33,414	182,413	137,331	150,922	31,856	1,743
Kazakhstan	5,738	478	481	863	1,500	1,100	1,194	107	15
Kyrgyzstan	1,653	97	149	207	454	346	356	38	6
Latvia	10,773	334	762	2,404	2,748	1,922	2,257	325	21
Liechtenstein	1,184	63	36	99	369	280	285	50	2
Lithuania	17,715	603	619	5,777	3,634	2,599	3,737	698	48
Luxembourg	7,163	443	314	438	1,536	1,631	2,357	427	17
Macedonia	5,535	293	319	829	1,375	818	1,468	411	22
Malta	5,339	491	208	554	1,319	981	1,463	305	18
Moldova	2,645	142	183	383	777	529	532	91	8
Monaco	482	38	21	32	93	87	149	62	-
Netherlands	535,753	31,324	16,831	32,548	130,589	124,885	165,830	32,049	1,697
Norway	133,723	9,372	5,617	11,479	31,617	27,316	41,614	6,363	345
Poland	148,966	6,283	8,779	35,074	32,895	20,092	35,403	10,006	434
Portugal	80,939	4,589	3,002	5,789	20,540	17,855	22,683	6,147	334
Romania	48,461	1,538	1,208	7,113	15,307	6,970	11,679	4,506	140
Russia	114,964	5,732	6,290	14,328	27,011	23,846	31,506	6,009	242
San Marino	325	19	9	21	86	74	96	18	2
Slovak Republic	25,867	755	1,228	9,554	6,434	2,787	4,434	625	50
Slovenia	8,545	370	370	1,083	2,597	1,735	2,086	283	21
Soviet Union [2]	394	24	12	35	66	72	126	58	1
Spain	408,276	21,577	16,388	25,584	137,202	90,070	95,850	20,042	1,563
Sweden	238,710	14,182	9,405	20,119	58,667	48,370	75,141	12,081	745
Switzerland	270,869	16,158	9,998	21,220	64,384	60,120	80,773	17,575	641
Tajikistan	533	28	61	86	111	111	128	8	-
Turkmenistan	291	14	63	44	58	55	49	7	1
Ukraine	27,998	1,494	1,632	2,796	7,506	6,146	7,019	1,326	79
United Kingdom	4,304,050	448,633	185,384	246,219	815,907	949,732	1,322,474	325,579	10,122
Uzbekistan	7,488	269	353	635	1,558	1,840	2,512	304	17
Yugoslavia [2]	18,569	792	1,008	2,101	4,870	2,749	5,240	1,759	50
Asia	**7,012,522**	**523,410**	**226,287**	**644,709**	**2,038,990**	**1,359,452**	**1,765,189**	**432,417**	**22,068**
Afghanistan	1,183	148	104	178	260	166	252	59	16
Bahrain	2,281	192	205	526	477	390	438	32	21
Bangladesh	15,583	1,617	943	1,581	3,274	2,452	4,890	761	65
Bhutan	361	17	31	47	117	88	55	5	1

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TABLE 29. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY AGE AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Region and country of citizenship	All ages [1]	Under 15 years	15 - 19 years	20 - 24 years	25 - 34 years	35 - 44 years	45 - 64 years	65 years and over	Unknown
Brunei	645	34	15	66	161	182	161	24	2
Burma	2,263	105	100	218	468	498	669	192	13
Cambodia	3,402	170	122	413	807	757	952	173	8
China [3]	705,596	35,335	19,971	44,993	204,383	164,064	184,631	49,752	2,467
Cyprus	9,320	311	548	2,106	2,607	1,300	1,960	460	28
Hong Kong	82,708	3,168	3,629	8,340	21,923	20,737	19,337	5,223	351
India	501,745	26,106	9,605	54,681	187,808	64,408	122,321	35,086	1,730
Indonesia	68,655	3,187	3,813	9,486	18,709	10,482	19,663	3,090	225
Iran	12,316	759	363	501	2,120	1,874	4,374	2,253	72
Iraq	1,896	194	91	114	313	236	674	244	30
Israel	316,118	25,035	13,307	26,438	70,344	53,679	100,059	25,813	1,443
Japan	3,651,814	286,759	111,529	364,228	1,082,322	670,040	911,150	216,557	9,229
Jordan	21,484	2,076	1,214	2,041	4,935	3,764	5,890	1,349	215
Korea	804,403	82,893	29,256	52,601	218,180	190,134	184,618	44,208	2,513
Kuwait	11,271	1,356	880	2,308	2,427	1,907	2,103	256	34
Laos	1,987	87	103	267	350	317	593	258	12
Lebanon	21,826	1,242	864	2,009	5,694	3,490	6,056	2,292	179
Macau	870	39	100	131	204	151	199	44	2
Malaysia	59,333	2,681	1,540	5,886	17,942	14,126	14,870	2,142	146
Maldives	164	7	14	27	41	48	27	-	-
Mongolia	5,172	483	503	653	1,608	1,131	663	110	21
Nepal	9,556	485	414	1,190	2,573	2,262	2,247	301	84
Oman	2,315	208	133	431	692	487	319	31	14
Pakistan	61,737	6,684	3,492	6,785	12,945	9,314	17,875	4,256	386
Philippines	302,172	23,142	8,976	16,622	77,168	74,656	79,732	20,707	1,169
Qatar	1,829	224	126	411	459	377	210	12	10
Saudi Arabia	22,313	3,697	1,484	3,141	5,551	4,133	3,626	480	201
Singapore	79,652	4,376	1,626	6,497	24,467	21,324	18,938	2,149	275
Sri Lanka	11,499	682	402	861	2,994	2,352	3,189	951	68
Syria	8,590	611	324	676	1,791	1,418	2,659	953	158
Thailand	78,713	3,215	3,737	9,971	23,527	14,607	20,418	2,883	355
Turkey	101,792	4,156	4,546	13,591	32,531	18,096	23,313	5,221	338
United Arab Emirates	6,111	628	408	1,910	1,647	848	582	58	30
Vietnam	22,539	1,166	1,684	2,614	4,895	2,838	5,182	4,008	152
Yemen	1,308	135	85	170	276	319	294	24	5
Africa	**387,368**	**27,823**	**17,570**	**32,303**	**93,057**	**89,618**	**105,426**	**19,264**	**2,307**
Algeria	5,101	256	116	237	1,326	1,098	1,668	369	31
Angola	4,137	336	252	531	1,055	1,112	753	66	32
Benin	1,393	54	55	107	296	390	457	20	14
Botswana	2,112	105	74	322	662	490	419	34	6
Burkina Faso	1,915	83	89	197	615	519	399	11	2
Burundi	824	94	65	78	156	224	192	11	4
Cameroon	8,357	482	339	784	2,525	1,874	1,990	272	91
Cape Verde	2,373	202	172	213	545	538	552	139	12
Central African Republic	378	12	17	41	87	115	98	5	3
Chad	486	20	19	47	126	127	138	4	5
Comoros	82	1	-	5	20	35	20	1	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	150	17	2	12	36	34	44	4	1
Congo, Republic	3,257	273	146	219	620	873	1,047	66	13
Cote d'Ivoire	3,203	125	146	339	819	889	804	66	15
Djibouti	189	11	6	10	43	56	51	10	2
Egypt	37,452	2,815	1,330	2,810	8,191	7,003	11,959	3,174	170
Equatorial Guinea	203	17	11	15	41	46	63	9	1
Eritrea	1,581	108	45	62	246	217	548	330	25
Ethiopia	8,430	593	428	541	1,852	1,567	2,751	552	146
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	2	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Gabon	1,273	100	57	136	313	355	297	8	7
Gambia, The	3,840	242	199	442	1,021	886	873	144	33
Ghana	26,016	1,856	1,237	2,209	6,278	7,070	6,447	783	136
Guinea	5,781	458	364	396	1,410	1,552	1,480	95	26
Guinea-Bissau	179	5	5	10	39	72	41	6	1
Kenya	22,769	1,717	1,241	2,930	5,504	4,306	5,994	889	188

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TABLE 29. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY AGE AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Region and country of citizenship	All ages [1]	Under 15 years	15 - 19 years	20 - 24 years	25 - 34 years	35 - 44 years	45 - 64 years	65 years and over	Unknown
Lesotho	406	27	22	26	65	92	163	10	1
Liberia	2,312	194	97	142	485	592	644	147	11
Libya	346	40	11	22	62	60	117	32	2
Madagascar	834	41	21	66	207	211	261	25	2
Malawi	1,601	93	88	131	381	401	453	45	9
Mali	3,759	250	259	411	1,024	849	850	68	48
Mauritania	1,083	64	32	114	324	228	274	31	16
Mauritius	1,528	72	48	162	366	243	525	105	7
Morocco	22,840	1,478	1,074	2,673	5,933	3,659	6,484	1,267	272
Mozambique	1,021	56	42	70	224	346	262	15	6
Namibia	1,024	57	70	100	246	284	230	32	5
Niger	6,255	606	298	365	1,224	1,754	1,717	262	29
Nigeria	50,742	4,934	2,488	2,412	9,880	14,254	14,228	2,305	241
Reunion	22	1	-	2	7	4	5	3	-
Rwanda	1,313	99	59	80	354	396	291	23	11
Sao Tome and Principe	82	3	4	5	11	30	25	3	1
Senegal	11,349	561	495	698	2,634	3,037	3,590	259	75
Seychelles	342	19	16	33	85	99	80	9	1
Sierra Leone	2,297	163	80	166	492	524	718	142	12
Somalia	440	54	22	51	113	75	89	31	5
South Africa	105,049	6,912	4,445	8,797	27,350	23,896	26,977	6,289	383
St. Helena	36	1	2	9	9	7	6	2	-
Sudan	2,258	212	86	93	360	455	804	210	38
Swaziland	313	18	13	23	71	88	89	8	3
Tanzania	4,890	299	225	544	1,018	911	1,673	174	46
Togo	2,341	93	83	253	685	636	531	48	12
Tunisia	4,281	150	112	348	1,321	894	1,279	162	15
Uganda	4,864	286	182	382	1,182	1,342	1,330	126	34
Western Sahara	31	10	7	1	6	5	2	-	-
Zambia	4,403	406	239	527	1,265	1,001	881	62	22
Zimbabwe	7,823	641	535	904	1,847	1,796	1,763	301	36
Oceania	**777,957**	**52,187**	**28,244**	**59,905**	**193,860**	**156,528**	**239,058**	**45,824**	**2,351**
American Samoa	553	44	15	52	120	118	165	38	1
Australia	514,268	34,166	18,908	41,013	125,305	103,493	158,961	30,903	1,519
Christmas Island	6	3	-	-	1	1	1	-	-
Cocos Islands	4	-	-	2	-	2	-	-	-
Cook Islands	25	-	-	4	10	4	7	-	-
Fiji	8,847	470	348	1,088	2,106	1,580	2,702	519	34
French Polynesia	1,041	159	69	96	221	191	256	44	5
Guam	57	5	4	12	11	12	10	3	-
Kiribati	1,049	28	17	59	233	335	350	23	4
Marshall Islands	6,964	930	538	776	1,187	1,250	1,937	329	17
Micronesia, Federated States	16,707	1,502	1,177	1,665	3,591	3,514	4,572	639	47
Nauru	99	5	3	3	36	21	30	1	-
New Caledonia	299	40	23	39	63	61	60	11	2
New Zealand	212,084	13,730	6,422	14,062	57,895	41,217	65,599	12,491	668
Northern Mariana Islands	30	1	-	3	8	4	7	6	1
Palau	7,910	681	493	416	1,401	2,742	1,929	230	18
Papua New Guinea	658	24	17	64	142	236	168	3	4
Pitcairn Island	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Samoa	1,728	80	34	133	358	391	582	140	10
Solomon Islands	1,446	143	69	87	257	358	418	108	6
Tonga	3,657	150	95	288	780	836	1,167	327	14
Tuvalu	348	15	3	30	98	108	91	3	-
Vanuatu	168	11	8	13	34	53	43	5	1
Wallis and Futuna Islands	8	-	1	-	2	1	3	1	-
North America	**6,438,065**	**834,947**	**376,412**	**465,523**	**1,451,448**	**1,311,820**	**1,539,934**	**437,127**	**20,854**
Canada	226,132	15,603	9,472	21,117	71,952	58,412	46,395	2,574	607
Greenland	69	-	14	12	9	17	15	2	-
Mexico	4,183,991	627,881	267,256	307,836	939,746	795,525	958,537	273,969	13,241
St. Pierre and Miquelon	14	-	-	2	3	3	-	6	-
United States	26	1	4	4	9	1	6	1	-

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TABLE 29. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY AGE AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Region and country of citizenship	All ages [1]	Under 15 years	15 - 19 years	20 - 24 years	25 - 34 years	35 - 44 years	45 - 64 years	65 years and over	Unknown
Caribbean	**1,193,955**	**122,943**	**61,028**	**79,723**	**266,162**	**285,952**	**299,335**	**74,974**	**3,838**
Anguilla	2,954	282	156	313	732	707	666	93	5
Antigua-Barbuda	18,777	1,757	760	1,083	4,017	5,050	5,214	850	46
Aruba	7,922	1,053	486	597	1,302	1,819	2,198	437	30
Bahamas, The	318,714	42,511	17,920	22,534	73,917	75,674	72,001	13,243	914
Barbados	45,284	4,009	1,980	2,434	8,729	11,481	13,732	2,789	130
Bermuda	3,236	189	274	397	618	755	807	184	12
British Virgin Islands	6,394	796	293	536	1,605	1,429	1,491	215	29
Cayman Islands	23,396	3,562	1,522	1,921	4,879	4,705	5,682	1,076	49
Cuba	24,546	613	295	405	1,889	1,924	8,180	11,149	91
Dominica [4]	19,048	1,718	1,046	1,308	4,206	4,448	5,023	1,238	61
Dominican Republic [4]	186,800	17,546	10,208	13,330	41,524	45,302	46,828	11,449	613
Grenada	9,739	763	553	728	2,437	2,411	2,346	475	26
Guadeloupe	810	73	57	73	155	158	229	60	5
Haiti	81,558	6,593	3,344	3,207	15,382	22,590	24,219	5,879	344
Jamaica	248,081	24,929	11,782	16,085	60,445	61,751	57,685	14,523	881
Martinique	525	50	35	42	100	98	158	40	2
Montserrat	1,117	62	30	48	247	316	352	60	2
Netherlands Antilles	8,882	1,101	548	589	1,769	1,924	2,487	430	34
Puerto Rico	207	13	13	18	59	34	54	15	1
St. Kitts-Nevis	13,012	822	482	905	3,144	3,574	3,623	424	38
St. Lucia	15,993	1,282	774	1,216	4,506	4,124	3,606	446	39
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	11,273	603	316	765	3,842	3,085	2,323	281	58
Trinidad and Tobago	135,170	11,525	7,570	10,081	27,840	30,278	38,183	9,293	400
Turks and Caicos Islands	10,272	1,065	576	1,095	2,769	2,252	2,173	317	25
U.S. Virgin Islands	245	26	8	13	49	63	75	8	3
Central America	**833,878**	**68,519**	**38,638**	**56,829**	**173,567**	**171,910**	**235,646**	**85,601**	**3,168**
Belize	26,901	3,120	1,626	2,555	6,391	6,147	5,629	1,327	106
Costa Rica	153,321	13,013	8,264	11,265	36,083	36,160	39,106	8,795	635
El Salvador	220,788	14,079	7,569	10,482	35,872	38,520	74,503	38,969	794
Guatemala	181,010	16,992	9,004	13,559	39,517	36,838	47,634	16,790	676
Honduras	109,232	10,574	5,030	8,155	24,086	24,536	29,255	7,227	369
Nicaragua	51,917	3,055	2,580	4,394	10,786	11,795	14,431	4,714	162
Panama	90,709	7,686	4,565	6,419	20,832	17,914	25,088	7,779	426
South America	**2,441,299**	**223,762**	**124,703**	**169,404**	**544,111**	**542,400**	**659,859**	**168,895**	**8,165**
Argentina	252,328	19,097	8,893	15,659	64,519	52,405	72,033	19,152	570
Bolivia	37,505	3,415	2,327	2,963	7,706	8,540	9,873	2,534	147
Brazil	576,442	43,155	33,422	50,687	137,434	130,669	151,923	27,658	1,494
Chile	154,776	14,077	7,228	7,660	32,982	35,867	46,413	10,079	470
Colombia	418,035	43,169	20,603	25,524	84,322	98,072	110,642	33,642	2,061
Ecuador	176,917	18,925	11,846	15,278	37,447	36,802	44,200	11,610	809
Falkland Islands	19	2	-	2	4	5	6	-	-
French Guiana	33	1	6	3	5	10	7	1	-
Guyana	28,088	2,521	1,217	1,567	4,999	7,411	8,747	1,556	70
Paraguay	16,799	1,261	1,413	1,442	3,766	3,669	4,289	905	54
Peru	225,147	19,368	9,832	14,046	50,342	45,862	60,930	23,851	916
Suriname	5,363	506	206	208	954	1,285	1,797	395	12
Uruguay	59,923	5,563	2,822	4,603	14,401	11,939	15,935	4,434	226
Venezuela	489,924	52,702	24,888	29,762	105,230	109,864	133,064	33,078	1,336
Unknown	218,538	18,196	11,102	16,744	45,298	42,009	62,462	20,489	2,238

[1] Excludes the following classes of admission processed in the Nonimmigrant Information System: for all countries — 244,834 parolees; 35,462 withdrawals and stowaways; 65,736 refugees, and 630,184 crewmen. [2] Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. [3] Includes People's Republic of China and Taiwan. A total of 472,927 nonimmigrant visas were issued to these two countries in fiscal year 2002: 184,287 to Taiwan and 288,100 to People's Republic of China. (SOURCE: U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Visa Office.) [4] Due to misreporting, reliable counts by country of citizenship are not available; therefore, data were given the same distribution as for country of last residence. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. The number of nonimmigrant visas issued in fiscal year 2002 for Dominica was 1,419; the Dominican Republic, 49,238. (SOURCE: U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Visa Office.)

- Represents zero.

TABLE 30. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION AND STATE OF DESTINATION FISCAL YEAR 2002

State of destination	All classes [1, 2]	Foreign govern-ment officials [3]	Temporary visitors for business [2]	Temporary visitors for pleasure [2]	Transit aliens [4]	Treaty traders and investors [3]	Students	Spouses and children of students	Tempo-rary workers and trainees [5]	Spouses and children of temp. workers and trainees [5]
Total	**27,907,139**	**140,898**	**4,376,935**	**19,967,281**	**614,934**	**171,368**	**646,016**	**41,490**	**582,250**	**140,174**
Alabama	55,391	1,405	14,150	23,837	1,170	1,971	4,595	323	2,489	547
Alaska	70,204	386	4,514	60,657	453	382	450	23	575	68
Arizona	377,195	1,828	44,574	300,827	115	1,307	8,600	775	4,796	1,556
Arkansas	29,398	62	6,046	12,167	38	240	2,574	219	5,213	333
California	3,609,122	11,265	681,982	2,489,250	14,585	30,495	106,994	5,058	89,253	27,624
Colorado	291,764	861	47,756	206,636	126	884	6,480	755	11,279	1,776
Connecticut	189,466	553	34,851	104,374	428	2,973	9,567	550	8,634	2,762
Delaware	27,153	196	8,440	11,701	212	252	1,334	115	1,332	407
District of Columbia	277,117	25,516	85,896	111,937	400	594	6,739	234	5,105	380
Florida	4,482,219	11,155	533,050	3,621,610	70,486	18,850	44,172	3,199	59,469	15,895
Georgia	354,007	3,123	102,077	184,339	1,019	5,447	11,626	954	16,717	3,786
Hawaii	1,484,977	3,554	76,008	1,372,369	7,701	2,171	8,953	408	1,258	322
Idaho	19,696	35	4,273	9,419	6	124	1,369	110	2,252	154
Illinois	624,546	2,832	174,249	349,534	698	7,097	23,663	1,948	18,783	5,681
Indiana	110,710	199	31,125	47,151	107	2,549	12,528	952	3,337	1,114
Iowa	37,984	140	9,317	16,417	24	208	5,309	411	1,337	512
Kansas	50,197	679	9,514	27,058	52	302	5,432	395	2,380	585
Kentucky	58,261	216	17,283	22,577	65	2,633	3,908	322	4,013	607
Louisiana	154,467	1,218	49,719	79,496	5,870	468	6,048	404	4,395	608
Maine	37,874	62	4,807	22,852	461	108	1,901	48	2,320	123
Maryland	252,068	7,463	42,405	135,548	1,104	1,366	10,431	729	10,336	2,836
Massachusetts	617,303	2,069	123,920	360,962	1,688	2,788	45,905	2,337	24,660	5,563
Michigan	296,837	652	88,120	125,608	392	8,330	17,612	1,556	13,464	4,420
Minnesota	125,783	305	34,027	64,797	115	506	7,225	476	4,642	1,363
Mississippi	20,478	311	3,799	9,137	360	134	1,677	139	3,011	218
Missouri	86,050	715	22,502	39,504	48	692	8,389	603	4,867	1,158
Montana	18,693	28	1,728	13,494	13	47	745	37	694	63
Nebraska	21,556	104	3,702	11,261	23	142	2,798	183	819	284
Nevada	655,285	597	97,962	544,261	186	527	2,640	150	2,709	398
New Hampshire	51,157	72	9,132	28,560	66	336	2,876	184	3,450	658
New Jersey	601,198	1,692	110,570	370,353	2,309	9,791	14,918	1,170	29,263	10,416
New Mexico	148,697	1,497	10,461	127,705	31	188	1,740	155	1,200	290
New York	2,834,198	18,768	452,004	1,989,660	6,615	22,338	77,062	3,614	87,918	10,960
North Carolina	197,005	702	55,784	88,001	331	3,663	8,803	830	15,425	2,307
North Dakota	7,982	18	1,409	4,009	16	35	1,018	63	453	77
Ohio	207,940	814	62,502	86,809	213	5,644	15,704	1,312	8,023	2,662
Oklahoma	54,221	301	9,729	28,811	29	202	7,710	561	2,223	534
Oregon	100,327	194	22,122	55,089	583	1,281	7,256	431	2,903	933
Pennsylvania	314,986	1,060	80,792	155,401	2,448	2,328	24,465	1,704	11,879	3,416
Rhode Island	40,243	585	6,643	23,419	214	233	4,389	114	1,260	253
South Carolina	82,819	186	20,217	42,627	530	3,270	3,748	246	3,556	597
South Dakota	7,251	6	955	4,187	3	45	644	63	513	61
Tennessee	104,831	134	28,356	54,090	77	2,380	5,328	395	4,894	986
Texas	1,872,644	9,094	312,448	1,338,331	12,655	12,178	37,171	2,954	43,146	12,380
Utah	102,714	503	23,838	62,580	37	254	5,108	440	3,294	400
Vermont	37,642	31	3,176	27,556	13	111	1,731	57	1,552	112
Virginia	302,742	10,847	53,173	163,064	695	2,750	13,720	1,362	15,941	3,826
Washington	332,394	1,923	66,504	210,052	4,090	2,507	15,775	691	9,082	3,024
West Virginia	11,860	28	2,391	5,309	12	214	2,087	161	454	136
Wisconsin	101,967	155	26,804	49,164	73	655	7,467	466	3,614	1,019
Wyoming	12,651	21	954	8,336	3	34	429	17	1,167	53
American Samoa	959	6	40	840	14	5	11	-	11	-
Federated States of Micronesia	7	-	1	5	-	-	-	-	1	-
Guam	833,260	1,069	30,587	784,178	2,570	1,438	304	21	933	171
Marshall Islands	192	1	25	104	1	-	12	-	11	6
Northern Mariana Islands	89	1	13	56	-	-	2	-	6	1
Palau	5	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	160,586	884	40,014	105,833	2,608	537	1,412	60	2,536	526
U.S. Virgin Islands	21,705	73	2,966	17,293	256	43	209	8	286	60
Unknown	4,927,066	12,704	585,527	3,757,077	470,497	5,321	15,253	998	17,117	3,167

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TABLE 30. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION AND STATE OF DESTINATION FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

State of destination	International representatives [3]	Representatives of foreign information media [3]	Exchange visitors	Spouses and children of exchange visitors	Fiances(ees) of U.S. citizens [6]	Intracompany transferees	Spouses and children of intracompany transferees	NATO officials [3]	North American Free-Trade Agreement workers	Spouses and children of NAFTA workers
Total	**99,012**	**33,414**	**325,580**	**44,596**	**31,597**	**313,699**	**140,446**	**12,628**	**73,699**	**15,331**
Alabama	61	39	1,436	292	190	1,036	650	528	257	72
Alaska	23	89	1,211	23	131	364	190	11	306	40
Arizona	66	315	2,722	444	576	2,285	1,276	182	1,384	466
Arkansas	7	12	1,121	105	127	301	127	18	86	27
California	840	4,967	38,526	6,646	6,155	40,084	19,000	767	10,248	2,198
Colorado	78	161	6,337	840	483	2,883	1,326	158	1,040	227
Connecticut	500	160	7,129	769	398	8,609	4,464	66	1,506	424
Delaware	14	18	1,379	155	46	803	345	-	199	57
District of Columbia	22,250	2,885	11,679	437	123	1,132	225	311	409	20
Florida	1,071	2,957	10,658	1,504	2,241	45,177	20,146	789	3,075	1,047
Georgia	198	427	6,475	1,001	703	8,461	3,771	239	1,233	392
Hawaii	83	532	1,187	312	475	675	390	46	288	64
Idaho	3	9	793	66	127	202	112	4	115	28
Illinois	196	448	12,359	1,841	1,071	11,897	5,004	70	2,250	455
Indiana	31	353	3,931	792	294	3,266	1,843	22	486	117
Iowa	18	26	2,348	432	155	471	325	8	185	75
Kansas	6	28	1,468	227	239	617	372	84	283	80
Kentucky	13	28	1,832	288	193	2,335	1,336	39	297	82
Louisiana	39	200	1,959	356	234	1,660	988	18	314	66
Maine	12	21	3,546	73	116	246	112	-	849	128
Maryland	17,573	784	11,336	2,361	634	2,803	1,437	253	1,090	280
Massachusetts	440	506	21,721	3,810	877	9,543	3,829	114	4,079	754
Michigan	75	239	8,706	1,584	819	11,975	6,320	46	4,629	756
Minnesota	40	123	5,259	644	526	2,779	1,233	22	925	254
Mississippi	10	7	887	108	114	180	63	39	106	32
Missouri	129	71	3,386	601	354	1,282	602	69	526	119
Montana	8	45	1,203	48	56	166	36	-	186	42
Nebraska	10	9	942	173	136	273	100	10	225	40
Nevada	60	477	1,766	115	390	592	289	72	412	119
New Hampshire	16	14	3,369	141	148	889	413	23	540	166
New Jersey	2,261	495	11,671	1,155	1,025	19,173	8,791	109	2,241	613
New Mexico	97	46	1,305	330	172	371	215	1,606	315	77
New York	33,950	9,903	45,115	4,300	2,376	38,807	12,239	275	6,974	914
North Carolina	85	94	7,488	1,392	550	5,264	2,653	119	1,793	483
North Dakota	31	14	405	38	36	86	23	6	169	27
Ohio	55	98	8,931	1,222	605	7,084	3,653	167	1,207	374
Oklahoma	14	52	1,479	240	267	700	487	96	172	63
Oregon	31	80	2,950	465	496	2,380	1,239	13	596	181
Pennsylvania	142	280	13,596	1,892	875	7,608	3,277	151	1,600	364
Rhode Island	20	24	1,640	148	136	521	204	57	133	48
South Carolina	30	44	3,199	353	211	2,080	1,151	22	302	126
South Dakota	11	13	571	14	34	26	7	-	57	11
Tennessee	41	184	3,137	510	311	1,856	1,128	20	413	101
Texas	648	647	11,394	2,509	2,619	35,661	18,170	2,234	4,792	1,372
Utah	56	1,795	2,109	219	198	771	286	79	247	94
Vermont	9	13	2,240	63	75	298	109	9	363	71
Virginia	13,342	573	8,524	1,003	878	4,882	2,264	2,765	1,227	303
Washington	209	336	4,482	821	1,086	4,072	1,940	142	3,170	770
West Virginia	8	9	593	57	53	143	75	2	62	25
Wisconsin	31	76	7,090	500	315	2,220	973	6	546	184
Wyoming	5	6	1,259	25	29	103	53	-	83	15
American Samoa	-	1	18	-	2	1	4	-	6	-
Federated States of Micronesia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guam	37	145	41	5	55	1,051	387	3	1	-
Marshall Islands	2	-	20	-	2	6	-	-	-	-
Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	3	1	-	1	-	-	1	-
Palau	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	43	170	323	44	95	3,354	1,434	19	133	24
U.S. Virgin Islands	56	17	101	11	21	134	74	23	15	1
Unknown	3,928	2,349	9,224	1,091	944	12,060	3,286	697	9,553	463

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TABLE 30. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION AND STATE OF DESTINATION FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

State of destination	Spouses and children of U.S. citizens, immigrant visa pending	Spouses of legal permanent residents, immigrant visa pending	Children of legal permanent residents, immigrant visa pending	Dependent children of spouse or accompanying children, immigrant visa pending	Victims of severe form of traf-ficking	Spouses, children, parents of victims of servere form of traf-ficking	Victims of criminal activity	Spouses, children, and parents of victims of criminal activity	Other and un-known [7]
Total	**5,733**	**18,169**	**19,642**	**17,294**	**493**	**185**	**139**	**148**	**73,988**
Alabama	37	46	38	72	4	1	-	-	145
Alaska	12	11	20	9	2	-	1	-	253
Arizona	123	610	708	689	5	7	2	2	955
Arkansas	13	95	149	112	1	1	-	-	204
California	1,384	4,714	4,240	6,045	49	28	16	31	6,678
Colorado	67	307	346	346	11	1	2	-	598
Connecticut	59	157	191	77	15	1	1	2	246
Delaware	16	32	24	46	1	1	1	-	27
District of Columbia	23	43	67	22	21	4	1	-	664
Florida	591	1,007	1,202	687	12	6	5	27	12,131
Georgia	132	393	500	436	20	3	2	2	531
Hawaii	42	159	124	72	2	-	-	1	7,781
Idaho	6	98	240	99	-	1	1	-	50
Illinois	199	1,004	1,137	786	28	10	12	4	1,290
Indiana	49	80	59	99	6	1	4	-	215
Iowa	17	54	40	75	1	1	4	2	72
Kansas	31	76	90	92	4	-	-	-	103
Kentucky	16	19	14	24	1	-	2	-	118
Louisiana	29	68	36	45	2	-	1	2	224
Maine	15	11	5	1	9	-	-	-	48
Maryland	84	219	329	105	14	7	1	3	537
Massachusetts	105	292	402	101	29	7	6	5	791
Michigan	115	260	268	272	14	6	1	3	595
Minnesota	55	81	116	69	8	1	2	3	187
Mississippi	28	17	17	31	3	3	-	-	47
Missouri	42	57	38	44	5	2	2	3	240
Montana	7	3	6	1	-	-	-	-	37
Nebraska	15	74	90	88	-	-	1	-	54
Nevada	81	134	157	145	-	4	-	1	1,041
New Hampshire	10	18	13	6	3	1	1	-	52
New Jersey	231	781	951	295	30	6	8	8	872
New Mexico	24	142	132	183	2	1	1	-	411
New York	522	2,372	2,696	974	67	20	20	27	3,708
North Carolina	72	233	255	318	5	4	3	2	346
North Dakota	3	7	4	11	1	-	-	-	23
Ohio	89	122	162	89	13	3	4	1	378
Oklahoma	44	95	129	114	3	3	1	-	162
Oregon	32	172	153	319	5	1	2	-	420
Pennsylvania	96	345	270	454	18	1	8	2	514
Rhode Island	17	48	68	7	-	-	-	-	62
South Carolina	25	44	62	51	3	-	-	-	139
South Dakota	3	3	6	-	1	-	-	-	17
Tennessee	56	84	99	83	4	3	1	-	160
Texas	546	2,240	2,436	2,741	21	17	5	8	4,227
Utah	21	61	57	92	6	-	-	1	168
Vermont	6	7	-	1	1	1	1	-	36
Virginia	147	230	320	172	4	2	1	3	724
Washington	106	220	219	269	15	9	2	-	878
West Virginia	5	2	12	1	-	-	-	-	21
Wisconsin	40	122	100	136	11	3	3	-	194
Wyoming	11	6	3	8	4	-	-	-	27
American Samoa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Federated States of Micronesia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guam	23	13	12	2	-	-	-	-	10,214
Marshall Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Palau	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	37	104	143	26	-	-	3	-	224
U.S. Virgin Islands	-	14	11	2	-	1	-	-	30
Unknown	174	563	676	250	9	13	7	5	14,113

[1] Excludes the following classes of admission processed in the Nonimmigrant Information System: for all countries — 244,834 parolees; 35,462 withdrawals and stowaways; 65,736 refugees, and 630,184 crewmen. [2] Includes admissions under the Visa Waiver Pilot program. [3] Includes spouses and unmarried minor (or dependent) children. [4] Includes foreign government officials and their spouses and unmarried minor (or dependent) children in transit. [5] Excludes workers (and their spouses and children) under the North American Free-Trade Agreement (shown separately). [6] Includes minor children of fiances(ees). [7] Total includes 56 parents or children of international organization special immigrants and 73,932 unknown class of admission. Unknown class of admission is larger in 2002 than in previous years due to changes in processing which no longer assign a known class to certain records with blank or invalid class codes.

- Represents zero.

TABLE 31. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP AND STATE OF DESTINATION FISCAL YEAR 2002

State of destination	All countries [1]	United Kingdom	Mexico	Japan	Germany	France	Korea	China [2]	Italy	Brazil
Total	**27,907,139**	**4,304,141**	**4,183,991**	**3,651,862**	**1,405,858**	**1,057,300**	**804,460**	**705,702**	**578,876**	**576,466**
Alabama	55,391	7,567	4,815	4,461	7,139	1,458	1,954	1,931	1,263	820
Alaska	70,204	15,014	3,792	8,216	9,208	1,607	1,735	2,769	1,165	494
Arizona	377,195	42,314	205,037	13,504	21,810	9,894	4,784	5,146	3,963	2,326
Arkansas	29,398	2,891	9,679	1,365	1,834	796	636	876	310	536
California	3,609,122	475,167	611,640	411,100	189,370	149,251	190,537	228,235	66,981	40,457
Colorado	291,764	52,419	95,676	12,243	19,551	7,940	5,214	4,442	3,890	4,558
Connecticut	189,466	39,949	5,584	7,410	14,225	8,084	3,936	4,565	5,452	4,454
Delaware	27,153	5,352	1,482	1,280	2,330	909	871	1,052	521	593
District of Columbia	277,117	43,185	10,051	15,268	16,640	14,378	6,605	6,645	6,680	5,094
Florida	4,482,219	1,208,670	257,448	66,665	214,117	98,616	15,666	16,361	78,849	172,049
Georgia	354,007	55,761	37,512	19,703	28,313	13,788	11,101	7,529	7,967	7,677
Hawaii	1,484,977	34,523	4,793	1,237,040	14,280	8,546	37,808	22,097	2,417	2,408
Idaho	19,696	2,371	3,409	1,700	1,803	662	580	630	280	278
Illinois	624,546	86,283	87,919	40,855	44,838	21,633	21,970	20,962	16,432	11,333
Indiana	110,710	13,670	11,081	12,563	10,011	4,422	4,887	4,572	2,266	2,378
Iowa	37,984	3,448	3,585	2,580	3,349	1,518	1,943	2,276	679	775
Kansas	50,197	4,330	15,280	2,465	3,271	1,040	1,672	1,759	738	820
Kentucky	58,261	6,935	6,442	10,761	5,414	2,189	1,788	2,096	765	852
Louisiana	154,467	23,452	19,648	6,721	10,162	10,071	2,958	4,230	2,879	2,921
Maine	37,874	10,443	612	1,385	3,323	2,159	613	453	625	324
Maryland	252,068	34,828	7,908	9,313	14,240	12,736	9,175	8,475	5,041	4,865
Massachusetts	617,303	141,106	14,470	33,082	42,093	31,423	15,309	17,380	17,445	15,019
Michigan	296,837	34,290	26,555	31,529	41,168	10,713	13,570	10,982	6,299	5,676
Minnesota	125,783	16,772	8,626	9,298	10,758	4,664	3,664	4,111	2,325	1,826
Mississippi	20,478	2,711	3,363	841	1,600	631	427	634	380	436
Missouri	86,050	10,996	11,426	5,299	7,056	2,744	3,341	3,913	1,576	1,498
Montana	18,693	3,852	727	1,748	2,759	883	318	413	311	164
Nebraska	21,556	1,915	3,691	2,101	1,874	497	680	834	258	417
Nevada	655,285	158,127	171,213	118,875	29,226	16,359	14,758	16,727	8,096	7,150
New Hampshire	51,157	14,991	961	1,679	4,713	2,513	1,084	1,185	881	683
New Jersey	601,198	86,997	13,348	26,726	35,715	22,920	27,792	22,233	18,771	10,438
New Mexico	148,697	4,872	113,793	3,119	6,608	1,737	619	904	759	486
New York	2,834,198	534,832	81,244	200,873	158,894	164,227	61,983	63,184	115,187	64,355
North Carolina	197,005	37,807	23,002	9,712	18,382	6,733	4,639	5,312	4,571	3,139
North Dakota	7,982	951	356	332	812	177	160	216	157	110
Ohio	207,940	26,992	13,217	24,969	18,633	7,899	7,037	8,866	4,514	4,267
Oklahoma	54,221	5,179	15,140	2,692	3,309	1,238	1,671	2,136	390	965
Oregon	100,327	11,789	6,190	19,105	7,643	3,070	5,993	5,592	1,245	979
Pennsylvania	314,986	57,005	12,876	15,183	27,761	16,711	12,150	11,046	9,330	4,993
Rhode Island	40,243	6,700	1,524	1,152	2,717	1,735	1,295	910	1,135	547
South Carolina	82,819	19,529	5,704	4,167	14,787	4,933	1,371	1,226	1,531	1,129
South Dakota	7,251	931	274	766	978	159	211	282	140	138
Tennessee	104,831	21,052	10,967	12,144	7,367	3,002	3,408	2,819	1,788	2,086
Texas	1,872,644	132,299	1,111,314	41,875	49,922	33,549	23,667	29,626	14,935	17,430
Utah	102,714	10,465	11,095	14,381	8,070	4,112	3,738	3,563	2,363	2,189
Vermont	37,642	14,731	548	1,509	2,818	3,210	601	470	551	358
Virginia	302,742	52,498	12,907	12,587	21,075	12,616	13,165	7,340	4,946	4,085
Washington	332,394	45,587	12,982	59,477	21,954	9,258	23,731	24,773	4,635	2,917
West Virginia	11,860	1,976	445	1,525	1,113	485	223	461	374	136
Wisconsin	101,967	12,549	10,196	5,632	11,726	4,427	3,650	3,693	2,382	1,816
Wyoming	12,651	2,947	1,740	784	1,092	663	116	245	328	91
American Samoa	959	246	70	51	65	7	15	98	9	7
Federated States of Micronesia	7	-	-	1	-	4	-	-	-	-
Guam	833,260	2,749	93	650,133	481	448	121,985	22,152	170	244
Marshall Islands	192	25	4	4	15	22	4	12	4	2
Northern Mariana Islands	89	7	5	13	7	4	3	5	1	1
Palau	5	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	160,586	10,919	16,922	843	3,802	5,806	264	421	3,208	1,916
U.S. Virgin Islands	21,705	3,426	471	118	693	886	68	76	338	167
Unknown	4,927,066	645,749	1,063,139	450,939	202,942	305,138	105,317	84,761	138,380	152,594

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TABLE 31. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP AND STATE OF DESTINATION FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

State of destination	Netherlands	Australia	India	Venezuela	Colombia	Spain	Ireland	Bahamas, The	Israel	Philip-pines
Total	**535,762**	**514,301**	**501,890**	**489,936**	**418,053**	**408,281**	**343,525**	**318,745**	**316,126**	**302,199**
Alabama	1,510	846	1,843	447	902	702	489	642	498	778
Alaska	1,873	3,579	655	159	209	854	553	110	706	732
Arizona	4,922	4,351	5,548	1,090	1,036	1,949	2,653	115	1,893	1,584
Arkansas	405	386	829	127	214	181	165	110	84	245
California	59,197	113,278	88,684	11,779	17,464	32,031	38,915	993	43,300	104,190
Colorado	6,136	9,184	4,826	2,432	1,495	2,625	2,428	208	1,725	868
Connecticut	4,649	3,494	9,189	1,312	2,561	2,542	4,728	257	2,473	1,324
Delaware	764	402	1,497	215	271	446	549	72	177	342
District of Columbia	6,779	5,614	4,441	2,427	3,732	5,097	2,829	727	3,770	1,748
Florida	91,593	23,661	24,805	312,881	223,906	73,343	42,561	254,378	28,570	22,013
Georgia	8,998	4,883	12,237	5,522	8,179	3,996	4,078	4,787	3,934	1,861
Hawaii	2,672	41,316	1,284	360	351	899	2,151	50	519	7,115
Idaho	703	665	504	64	86	276	190	6	250	157
Illinois	13,751	10,678	26,927	3,107	4,520	10,389	15,098	863	6,965	9,138
Indiana	2,462	1,764	5,223	907	1,184	1,515	1,185	456	635	803
Iowa	911	818	1,735	291	284	576	289	66	282	300
Kansas	592	762	2,602	383	560	453	290	85	421	286
Kentucky	873	979	2,277	419	367	676	1,292	590	213	439
Louisiana	5,096	3,465	3,096	2,295	2,147	2,590	1,703	667	1,281	2,854
Maine	1,120	763	430	166	192	481	755	29	446	325
Maryland	4,969	3,295	10,432	2,028	3,292	3,711	3,106	1,257	5,054	3,132
Massachusetts	13,347	9,666	18,876	5,627	6,024	9,058	37,364	575	12,360	2,621
Michigan	7,784	4,167	16,532	1,452	1,387	3,087	1,721	693	2,601	2,798
Minnesota	3,704	2,704	5,799	1,007	1,019	1,673	1,690	377	1,165	1,133
Mississippi	428	263	757	376	188	219	203	123	228	339
Missouri	1,598	1,922	4,000	565	633	1,202	964	289	1,665	907
Montana	965	681	189	62	106	163	194	13	91	86
Nebraska	465	416	1,039	174	286	251	217	98	135	157
Nevada	7,725	11,491	2,436	2,317	1,926	4,602	5,182	682	5,532	4,553
New Hampshire	1,363	765	1,906	266	371	601	1,488	88	554	268
New Jersey	11,335	6,792	48,904	4,211	12,647	7,972	11,830	1,035	14,913	12,796
New Mexico	962	891	809	168	481	663	932	31	407	231
New York	63,698	53,391	53,598	26,771	35,010	63,931	77,343	3,882	113,911	20,117
North Carolina	3,803	3,030	6,762	1,764	2,508	1,973	1,904	2,135	1,460	1,133
North Dakota	196	158	278	30	48	49	64	16	25	140
Ohio	5,336	2,987	12,290	2,342	1,701	2,301	1,739	665	2,505	1,583
Oklahoma	721	785	1,908	1,461	705	404	239	199	192	304
Oregon	2,562	2,697	3,126	301	346	844	1,791	50	1,254	1,142
Pennsylvania	7,669	5,533	15,600	3,040	2,884	4,477	6,348	1,084	5,426	2,542
Rhode Island	937	716	985	327	681	563	1,554	148	412	286
South Carolina	1,580	918	2,042	459	1,220	942	1,385	477	409	633
South Dakota	243	149	203	12	23	51	67	18	19	48
Tennessee	2,737	2,168	3,130	865	804	1,212	1,581	1,194	590	750
Texas	21,363	15,595	36,438	18,592	16,717	13,106	6,252	1,336	7,832	10,791
Utah	2,895	3,321	1,116	858	651	1,344	564	41	517	393
Vermont	775	676	382	318	149	373	699	67	310	146
Virginia	6,535	5,196	14,662	2,663	3,440	3,515	3,102	706	2,282	4,714
Washington	8,019	10,617	7,644	878	1,502	2,680	3,381	119	3,302	7,354
West Virginia	247	259	568	124	105	143	115	51	44	118
Wisconsin	2,788	2,034	4,318	649	805	1,421	1,123	122	939	563
Wyoming	318	461	96	35	75	144	70	1	65	66
American Samoa	27	64	20	10	1	9	12	1	10	10
Federated States of Micronesia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guam	141	2,132	277	3	20	116	56	3	49	5,746
Marshall Islands	5	2	15	1	1	-	2	1	-	3
Northern Mariana Islands	3	1	3	1	1	-	-	1	2	9
Palau	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	7,496	610	543	9,962	6,775	10,787	607	309	352	558
U.S. Virgin Islands	676	300	321	331	117	173	156	54	47	106
Unknown	125,341	126,560	25,254	53,503	43,744	122,900	45,579	35,593	31,325	56,821

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TABLE 31. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP AND STATE OF DESTINATION FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

State of destination	Switzerland	Argentina	Jamaica	Sweden	Peru	Canada	El Salvador	New Zealand	Belgium	Dominican Republic
Total	**270,878**	**252,333**	**248,092**	**238,722**	**225,158**	**224,691**	**220,795**	**212,114**	**188,702**	**186,810**
Alabama	401	293	308	533	275	838	257	217	462	108
Alaska	2,970	87	75	411	55	705	82	543	599	98
Arizona	3,052	830	270	3,053	877	3,207	681	1,197	2,255	398
Arkansas	158	253	32	242	119	353	694	135	152	62
California	39,762	18,141	3,584	37,464	18,858	27,248	57,955	47,729	21,615	1,574
Colorado	3,558	1,872	660	3,525	1,378	3,120	1,104	2,942	2,000	336
Connecticut	2,467	2,690	4,463	3,494	1,690	4,023	485	813	1,716	788
Delaware	381	166	388	677	136	490	62	70	317	69
District of Columbia	3,196	3,757	1,307	4,181	3,131	2,057	4,907	1,666	3,310	839
Florida	43,150	97,049	101,912	28,187	79,839	11,902	25,828	6,648	21,183	46,949
Georgia	3,471	2,842	6,599	4,148	2,950	3,625	4,175	1,381	4,593	896
Hawaii	3,437	678	62	2,533	395	1,135	60	10,578	802	19
Idaho	214	63	14	239	221	560	90	300	131	12
Illinois	7,223	4,343	1,779	8,518	2,337	6,345	1,394	2,799	5,376	859
Indiana	986	793	294	1,236	517	1,649	489	523	865	160
Iowa	326	353	58	497	154	828	189	258	293	62
Kansas	332	288	81	397	216	875	233	352	201	50
Kentucky	423	393	189	539	252	970	228	243	374	83
Louisiana	1,704	1,061	679	1,874	647	1,087	1,452	1,089	2,304	315
Maine	581	82	653	510	93	3,940	25	243	354	73
Maryland	1,998	2,738	4,211	2,806	3,116	3,511	10,285	920	2,223	529
Massachusetts	8,695	4,307	4,670	8,591	2,266	10,996	5,346	2,251	5,613	4,656
Michigan	1,893	1,114	1,956	3,973	715	10,829	447	861	2,813	392
Minnesota	1,415	1,004	331	3,585	568	2,828	676	649	1,149	168
Mississippi	142	130	381	290	127	391	111	93	169	69
Missouri	726	840	489	1,044	352	1,500	399	580	839	176
Montana	473	51	39	291	58	792	15	149	176	17
Nebraska	157	205	34	239	96	555	232	108	110	30
Nevada	5,308	2,041	325	3,258	1,441	1,509	1,815	3,081	3,498	550
New Hampshire	773	231	1,686	688	222	1,842	88	269	376	177
New Jersey	6,491	4,866	7,553	6,438	9,765	6,338	5,437	1,479	5,956	8,404
New Mexico	593	250	109	492	186	702	137	326	352	37
New York	40,374	26,807	56,403	33,564	16,865	26,317	19,914	10,959	25,409	41,864
North Carolina	2,093	1,495	1,212	4,858	1,248	4,389	2,445	935	1,968	497
North Dakota	136	51	14	207	29	764	17	75	42	8
Ohio	1,890	1,084	791	2,486	930	3,919	431	793	2,405	540
Oklahoma	341	352	147	444	493	775	153	283	225	52
Oregon	955	425	80	1,432	317	1,941	253	1,113	652	52
Pennsylvania	3,175	2,297	3,605	5,499	1,295	5,596	589	1,491	3,244	1,485
Rhode Island	401	180	478	781	169	620	200	225	308	805
South Carolina	1,092	476	835	980	259	1,169	169	235	954	97
South Dakota	145	9	7	102	20	177	16	93	51	1
Tennessee	882	576	543	1,352	325	1,416	679	455	1,163	157
Texas	6,124	8,645	2,479	8,380	7,744	13,204	25,157	3,326	7,089	1,520
Utah	2,019	1,200	61	1,987	1,054	1,857	483	1,121	811	168
Vermont	659	126	688	501	209	1,218	43	202	353	30
Virginia	2,478	2,693	1,517	4,322	4,895	4,186	13,794	1,277	2,484	628
Washington	3,509	972	219	4,668	1,188	8,464	1,339	2,969	2,256	142
West Virginia	79	61	46	119	65	316	9	47	126	8
Wisconsin	1,200	544	301	1,748	433	1,691	207	732	936	196
Wyoming	240	42	31	138	43	259	12	177	160	16
American Samoa	12	2	-	2	-	15	-	5	10	-
Federated States of Micronesia	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guam	160	30	13	101	39	113	4	512	26	11
Marshall Islands	1	1	4	-	1	3	-	-	-	1
Northern Mariana Islands	-	3	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1
Palau	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	1,001	3,561	957	820	1,646	265	766	150	835	27,704
U.S. Virgin Islands	174	187	686	134	106	55	60	138	92	1,429
Unknown	55,282	46,702	31,783	30,144	52,732	29,211	28,676	94,309	44,927	40,443

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TABLE 31. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP AND STATE OF DESTINATION FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

State of destination	Guatemala	Ecuador	Chile	Costa Rica	Poland	Denmark	Trinidad & Tobago	Norway	Austria	Other [3]
Total	**181,022**	**176,920**	**154,783**	**153,325**	**148,982**	**146,131**	**135,180**	**133,725**	**123,702**	**2,867,600**
Alabama	479	168	213	244	231	335	195	552	366	8,851
Alaska	75	31	84	182	254	400	64	442	1,021	8,596
Arizona	841	333	898	752	946	1,543	178	1,253	1,482	19,230
Arkansas	419	67	84	131	102	132	40	94	118	4,342
California	31,153	7,586	13,039	13,243	8,699	23,772	1,830	17,231	17,433	328,637
Colorado	1,050	414	1,050	915	1,453	1,950	131	1,766	1,679	23,001
Connecticut	1,357	1,319	932	776	5,207	1,864	829	1,592	1,085	25,688
Delaware	73	93	127	134	345	117	174	112	81	4,016
District of Columbia	2,310	1,539	2,775	1,375	1,336	3,142	1,278	2,580	2,063	68,658
Florida	47,791	77,193	53,872	52,820	8,455	14,984	34,842	19,282	19,075	465,106
Georgia	4,536	1,300	2,339	2,642	1,483	2,975	1,623	1,402	1,999	51,202
Hawaii	147	121	458	177	389	1,274	69	1,396	1,390	39,228
Idaho	123	64	131	46	81	153	7	227	122	2,284
Illinois	4,746	2,112	2,307	1,918	28,172	4,900	742	2,927	3,969	78,119
Indiana	576	320	380	434	838	715	149	461	646	16,695
Iowa	124	113	257	124	174	605	49	561	195	7,059
Kansas	147	180	213	199	151	362	49	238	182	7,642
Kentucky	202	195	201	152	304	553	92	298	267	6,936
Louisiana	1,842	701	742	1,379	720	1,250	690	2,159	1,094	23,442
Maine	36	65	76	66	542	341	20	347	268	4,915
Maryland	2,916	1,187	1,878	896	1,942	2,333	3,601	1,683	1,297	55,141
Massachusetts	3,248	1,469	2,391	1,473	3,973	3,948	1,562	3,626	3,432	91,945
Michigan	462	370	607	501	3,056	1,445	380	1,267	2,015	38,737
Minnesota	628	500	653	825	736	1,686	213	2,911	823	22,120
Mississippi	277	61	43	184	168	122	65	187	90	3,231
Missouri	406	311	294	257	520	697	225	444	420	13,937
Montana	31	22	45	19	266	254	12	337	169	1,752
Nebraska	157	58	84	51	117	192	18	103	106	3,399
Nevada	1,730	642	1,557	1,241	1,708	2,025	346	1,561	2,747	31,925
New Hampshire	43	110	112	37	535	583	65	353	272	6,335
New Jersey	4,207	9,279	2,323	6,640	12,215	4,643	5,008	2,688	2,326	91,767
New Mexico	184	176	203	118	197	285	42	213	272	5,351
New York	9,705	22,626	12,640	7,358	31,385	19,769	48,219	14,523	18,879	394,187
North Carolina	1,429	966	870	1,769	1,330	1,953	595	1,024	1,238	24,922
North Dakota	20	14	22	12	81	209	21	813	36	1,136
Ohio	676	586	825	1,282	2,309	1,165	372	942	1,355	33,316
Oklahoma	340	270	145	166	153	215	110	423	321	9,175
Oregon	269	217	516	373	359	908	67	920	547	13,212
Pennsylvania	920	942	1,489	1,242	4,024	3,012	1,559	1,926	1,973	47,965
Rhode Island	1,405	118	81	81	479	361	127	177	268	8,655
South Carolina	241	263	249	365	449	493	415	513	638	8,485
South Dakota	28	23	12	5	83	102	8	377	60	1,220
Tennessee	722	290	443	500	818	695	372	785	596	12,398
Texas	13,252	5,058	4,402	6,143	2,732	5,594	3,047	12,594	3,242	130,273
Utah	530	252	925	295	764	777	95	1,878	1,350	13,411
Vermont	62	39	56	56	337	249	51	224	322	3,526
Virginia	3,458	1,533	1,341	1,130	2,067	2,644	1,173	2,224	1,452	59,412
Washington	770	430	989	533	1,104	3,913	222	3,966	1,976	41,955
West Virginia	22	30	35	27	67	86	53	77	66	2,009
Wisconsin	391	330	766	394	2,219	1,316	89	1,019	676	15,946
Wyoming	15	22	32	19	343	59	29	112	100	1,465
American Samoa	1	3	-	4	5	-	-	10	27	131
Federated States of Micronesia	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guam	8	5	23	8	17	60	4	28	84	25,016
Marshall Islands	-	4	2	-	1	1	2	2	1	46
Northern Mariana Islands	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15
Palau	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Puerto Rico	1,127	830	1,983	2,247	207	402	1,791	543	542	31,109
U.S. Virgin Islands	39	33	96	51	36	411	1,080	109	95	8,170
Unknown	33,275	33,937	36,472	39,314	12,298	22,157	21,091	18,223	19,354	421,157

[1] Excludes the following classes of admission processed in the Nonimmigrant Information System: for all countries — 244,834 parolees; 35,462 withdrawals and stowaways; 65,736 refugees, and 630,184 crewmen. [2] Includes People's Republic of China and Taiwan. A total of 472,927 nonimmigrant visas were issued to these two countries in fiscal year 2002: 184,287 to Taiwan and 288,100 to People's Republic of China. (SOURCE: U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Visa Office.) [3] Includes 218,692 unknown country of citizenship. - Represents zero.

TABLE 32. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION, AGE, AND GENDER FISCAL YEAR 2002

Age and gender	All classes [1, 2]	Foreign government officials [3]	Temporary visitors for business [2]	Temporary visitors for pleasure [2]	Transit aliens [4]	Treaty traders and investors [3]	Students	Spouses and children of students	Temporary workers and trainees [5]	Spouses and children of temp. workers and trainees [5]
Total	**27,907,139**	**140,898**	**4,376,935**	**19,967,281**	**614,934**	**171,368**	**646,016**	**41,490**	**582,250**	**140,174**
Under 5 years	608,001	2,702	23,493	502,456	14,450	4,591	2,421	5,541	1,758	13,078
5-9 years	856,600	3,016	22,339	742,694	11,019	7,253	1,637	4,733	1,033	17,188
10-14 years	1,009,570	3,016	28,433	898,025	12,551	6,534	6,134	2,592	1,178	11,673
15-19 years	1,240,946	2,828	47,127	983,689	29,981	4,625	84,225	1,198	6,688	7,254
20-24 years	2,160,957	6,260	140,339	1,449,213	74,878	2,335	266,097	2,971	46,051	11,969
25-29 years	3,287,491	13,756	443,810	2,168,920	112,531	10,350	178,985	10,337	158,686	26,978
30-34 years	3,518,921	19,087	689,496	2,242,428	97,723	24,041	66,523	7,773	153,176	20,581
35-39 years	3,120,800	20,557	762,071	1,938,881	75,476	30,433	19,696	2,740	91,712	13,118
40-44 years	2,722,834	20,804	699,763	1,717,938	61,748	27,147	8,153	1,448	53,413	7,749
45-49 years	2,311,302	17,963	558,922	1,541,130	46,870	19,676	3,940	754	30,731	4,555
50-54 years	2,121,826	14,286	426,424	1,547,730	32,776	16,337	2,330	464	17,760	2,806
55-59 years	1,743,718	9,230	280,233	1,372,110	20,140	10,751	1,075	316	10,184	1,650
60-64 years	1,304,715	4,215	135,361	1,128,354	10,578	4,422	580	182	4,546	603
65 years and over	1,813,569	2,610	106,013	1,670,093	12,708	2,545	2,500	308	3,943	643
Unknown age	85,889	568	13,111	63,620	1,505	328	1,720	133	1,391	329
Male	**14,880,123**	**103,033**	**3,322,404**	**9,414,979**	**386,367**	**119,321**	**345,972**	**12,242**	**436,110**	**33,518**
Under 5 years	305,255	1,469	14,078	248,795	7,579	2,438	1,343	2,766	1,214	6,473
5-9 years	425,778	1,557	11,576	367,671	5,657	3,739	860	2,404	624	8,563
10-14 years	501,931	1,569	14,907	444,568	6,474	3,244	3,524	1,297	750	5,774
15-19 years	576,680	1,448	24,188	450,066	14,616	2,262	43,757	553	4,495	3,429
20-24 years	970,442	4,149	79,064	603,137	39,707	1,282	137,929	304	31,653	745
25-29 years	1,634,994	9,345	293,814	958,797	68,468	6,459	98,377	1,067	112,523	1,169
30-34 years	1,984,507	13,860	509,726	1,107,053	65,755	16,065	38,385	1,215	113,652	2,059
35-39 years	1,882,818	15,902	601,872	996,851	53,203	21,983	11,149	841	71,716	1,792
40-44 years	1,655,312	16,109	565,692	874,627	44,714	20,466	4,387	651	43,169	1,336
45-49 years	1,345,682	13,897	450,475	746,088	32,735	15,104	1,974	422	25,365	860
50-54 years	1,160,740	11,052	346,072	710,863	22,257	12,303	1,167	266	14,820	514
55-59 years	907,258	7,151	226,747	616,263	12,655	8,336	576	174	8,441	374
60-64 years	639,136	3,177	104,023	507,367	5,745	3,524	323	94	3,740	159
65 years and over	851,942	1,972	71,868	758,265	5,904	1,912	1,404	137	3,034	178
Unknown age	37,648	376	8,302	24,568	898	204	817	51	914	93
Female	**12,548,673**	**35,536**	**981,684**	**10,187,930**	**223,090**	**50,002**	**291,814**	**28,649**	**139,628**	**105,096**
Under 5 years	292,506	1,201	8,917	244,883	6,793	2,109	1,030	2,675	513	6,418
5-9 years	416,713	1,419	10,273	362,424	5,307	3,445	748	2,245	399	8,413
10-14 years	491,581	1,406	12,995	438,857	6,030	3,221	2,506	1,253	411	5,767
15-19 years	646,143	1,339	22,274	518,476	15,247	2,315	39,348	626	2,101	3,736
20-24 years	1,160,960	2,046	59,280	824,019	34,764	1,035	125,072	2,645	13,898	11,129
25-29 years	1,608,808	4,241	143,990	1,178,976	43,245	3,803	78,584	9,158	44,729	25,584
30-34 years	1,485,742	4,958	169,779	1,102,726	31,106	7,762	27,264	6,459	37,988	18,318
35-39 years	1,192,286	4,373	148,693	912,378	21,543	8,160	8,245	1,854	19,007	11,200
40-44 years	1,023,543	4,367	122,708	814,549	16,308	6,370	3,610	776	9,566	6,338
45-49 years	923,709	3,736	98,779	765,835	13,507	4,311	1,894	319	4,933	3,631
50-54 years	919,275	2,923	72,648	805,097	10,075	3,755	1,114	190	2,668	2,234
55-59 years	799,556	1,910	48,153	725,766	7,245	2,225	470	133	1,573	1,249
60-64 years	635,202	938	28,485	594,115	4,737	820	242	82	715	437
65 years and over	916,817	570	31,606	870,210	6,710	590	1,034	159	832	449
Unknown age	35,832	109	3,104	29,619	473	81	653	75	295	193
Unknown gender	478,343	2,329	72,847	364,372	5,477	2,045	8,230	599	6,512	1,560
Percent distribution	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**
Male	53.3	73.1	75.9	47.2	62.8	69.6	53.6	29.5	74.9	23.9
Female	45.0	25.2	22.4	51.0	36.3	29.2	45.2	69.1	24.0	75.0
Unknown	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	.9	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.1	1.1

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TABLE 32. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION, AGE, AND GENDER FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Age and gender	International representatives [3]	Representatives of foreign information media [3]	Exchange visitors	Spouses and children of exchange visitors	Fiances(ees) of U.S. citizens [6]	Intracompany transferees	Spouses and children of intracompany transferees	NATO officials [3]	North American Free-Trade Agreement workers	Spouses and children of NAFTA workers
Total	**99,012**	**33,414**	**325,580**	**44,596**	**31,597**	**313,699**	**140,446**	**12,628**	**73,699**	**15,331**
Under 5 years	1,224	276	1,551	6,504	621	811	17,310	578	194	1,804
5-9 years	1,644	353	404	6,166	1,179	418	22,090	613	107	2,546
10-14 years	1,931	303	580	4,247	1,309	293	15,844	599	77	2,115
15-19 years	2,114	287	39,221	2,053	1,595	338	9,389	479	58	1,178
20-24 years	2,311	1,059	124,625	1,300	6,938	4,412	3,424	666	2,938	365
25-29 years	5,653	4,448	58,626	5,485	8,055	40,719	10,441	1,413	15,095	1,137
30-34 years	11,133	7,128	41,799	7,742	5,284	72,938	17,900	1,658	17,100	1,724
35-39 years	12,780	6,660	23,034	5,014	2,927	70,286	16,888	1,804	12,907	1,565
40-44 years	13,910	4,982	13,565	2,723	1,716	53,398	11,751	1,573	9,386	1,061
45-49 years	14,529	3,235	9,170	1,399	930	33,527	6,832	1,386	6,576	707
50-54 years	14,046	2,182	5,457	725	475	20,612	4,640	955	4,457	496
55-59 years	10,910	1,397	3,021	515	188	11,015	2,426	534	2,887	316
60-64 years	4,509	614	1,589	301	85	3,144	715	196	1,186	166
65 years and over	2,051	380	1,893	328	184	1,333	513	143	582	95
Unknown age	267	110	1,045	94	111	455	283	31	149	56
Male	**58,193**	**23,513**	**172,930**	**14,570**	**7,536**	**266,862**	**39,202**	**8,028**	**48,330**	**5,191**
Under 5 years	605	156	807	3,272	279	596	8,761	308	127	840
5-9 years	812	167	209	3,097	546	277	11,190	310	60	1,293
10-14 years	936	174	291	2,171	645	196	7,908	298	44	1,048
15-19 years	967	132	15,252	1,011	489	194	4,545	237	27	566
20-24 years	934	561	57,899	277	1,096	3,114	785	350	1,646	87
25-29 years	2,189	2,667	32,489	678	1,674	30,371	492	849	8,815	135
30-34 years	5,578	4,724	26,226	1,341	1,188	58,842	1,260	1,067	10,631	247
35-39 years	7,240	4,895	15,563	1,154	629	61,128	1,449	1,178	8,864	265
40-44 years	8,418	3,801	9,152	700	393	48,030	1,021	1,102	6,677	242
45-49 years	8,907	2,484	6,138	380	251	30,353	727	1,047	4,554	165
50-54 years	9,095	1,737	3,646	183	134	19,101	440	694	3,080	127
55-59 years	7,534	1,167	2,218	123	77	10,250	256	388	2,256	81
60-64 years	3,456	493	1,241	64	37	2,908	123	119	1,009	42
65 years and over	1,397	299	1,346	95	71	1,167	171	62	466	39
Unknown age	125	56	453	24	27	335	74	19	74	14
Female	**39,645**	**9,439**	**149,372**	**29,482**	**23,507**	**43,355**	**99,910**	**4,459**	**24,566**	**9,882**
Under 5 years	610	119	716	3,157	325	195	8,397	266	65	929
5-9 years	819	185	190	2,969	604	136	10,708	294	43	1,209
10-14 years	975	127	280	2,017	639	92	7,779	295	31	1,017
15-19 years	1,124	154	23,583	1,014	1,086	140	4,721	238	31	597
20-24 years	1,348	485	65,858	1,013	5,736	1,260	2,612	309	1,257	273
25-29 years	3,413	1,739	25,581	4,759	6,251	9,950	9,879	549	6,148	993
30-34 years	5,463	2,327	15,181	6,326	4,019	13,425	16,476	581	6,314	1,462
35-39 years	5,398	1,679	7,208	3,807	2,241	8,483	15,314	612	3,906	1,277
40-44 years	5,342	1,101	4,191	1,993	1,290	4,741	10,634	449	2,598	804
45-49 years	5,432	697	2,872	996	663	2,701	6,025	328	1,962	533
50-54 years	4,762	404	1,710	530	332	1,241	4,141	250	1,324	361
55-59 years	3,212	204	740	382	107	595	2,128	133	584	231
60-64 years	1,002	109	321	231	45	194	585	74	163	114
65 years and over	632	76	511	227	105	142	331	76	105	52
Unknown age	113	33	430	61	64	60	180	5	35	30
Unknown gender	1,174	462	3,278	544	554	3,482	1,334	141	803	258
Percent distribution	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**
Male	58.8	70.4	53.1	32.7	23.9	85.1	27.9	63.6	65.6	33.9
Female	40.0	28.2	45.9	66.1	74.4	13.8	71.1	35.3	33.3	64.5
Unknown	1.2	1.4	1.0	1.2	1.8	1.1	.9	1.1	1.1	1.7

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TABLE 32. NONIMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION, AGE, AND GENDER FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Age and gender	Spouses and children of U.S. citizens, immigrant visa pending	Spouses of legal permanent residents, immigrant visa pending	Children of legal permanent residents, immigrant visa pending	Dependent children of spouse or accompanying children, immigrant visa pending	Victims of severe form of traf-ficking	Spouses, children, parents of victims of servere form of traf-ficking	Victims of criminal activity	Spouses, children, and parents of victims of criminal activity	Other and un-known [7]
Total	**5,733**	**18,169**	**19,642**	**17,294**	**493**	**185**	**139**	**148**	**73,988**
Under 5 years	282	145	1,062	3,015	11	12	-	14	2,097
5-9 years	290	134	3,090	3,878	4	9	1	21	2,741
10-14 years	292	103	4,213	4,160	6	10	2	23	3,327
15-19 years	344	191	6,936	4,649	32	6	12	41	4,408
20-24 years	1,049	926	3,454	1,253	165	17	33	19	5,890
25-29 years	1,426	2,543	99	49	97	28	24	2	7,798
30-34 years	920	3,706	132	71	65	27	21	6	8,739
35-39 years	500	3,196	112	42	48	25	16	8	8,304
40-44 years	286	2,710	99	44	21	12	12	2	7,420
45-49 years	140	1,956	115	25	11	10	8	1	6,204
50-54 years	88	1,192	85	24	19	7	6	-	5,447
55-59 years	39	746	56	10	5	6	3	1	3,954
60-64 years	17	378	38	8	5	7	-	5	2,911
65 years and over	24	200	106	33	4	8	1	5	4,323
Unknown age	36	43	45	33	-	1	-	-	425
Male	**1,487**	**3,489**	**10,207**	**8,919**	**243**	**87**	**66**	**73**	**37,251**
Under 5 years	140	65	547	1,525	7	6	-	5	1,054
5-9 years	131	46	1,597	1,994	1	5	1	10	1,381
10-14 years	129	63	2,159	2,161	3	3	-	14	1,581
15-19 years	120	90	3,713	2,471	8	2	4	25	2,013
20-24 years	149	237	1,900	659	68	8	14	8	2,680
25-29 years	319	470	27	8	54	13	14	-	3,711
30-34 years	215	777	37	20	34	12	10	3	4,525
35-39 years	126	674	34	13	27	11	6	6	4,247
40-44 years	62	439	26	9	15	5	6	-	4,063
45-49 years	37	271	42	7	5	6	4	-	3,384
50-54 years	25	119	30	7	13	3	4	-	2,988
55-59 years	11	107	19	6	1	4	3	-	2,040
60-64 years	5	61	11	4	3	4	-	1	1,403
65 years and over	8	56	42	20	4	5	-	1	2,019
Unknown age	10	14	23	15	-	-	-	-	162
Female	**4,136**	**14,446**	**9,196**	**8,257**	**242**	**94**	**73**	**69**	**35,114**
Under 5 years	137	79	488	1,464	3	6	-	7	1,004
5-9 years	155	82	1,459	1,857	3	4	-	11	1,312
10-14 years	156	39	2,001	1,981	3	7	2	9	1,685
15-19 years	221	99	3,155	2,152	24	4	8	14	2,316
20-24 years	883	675	1,516	586	97	8	19	11	3,126
25-29 years	1,078	2,038	70	39	41	14	10	2	3,944
30-34 years	687	2,882	94	50	29	14	11	3	4,038
35-39 years	367	2,475	78	29	19	13	10	2	3,915
40-44 years	216	2,241	71	35	5	7	6	1	3,226
45-49 years	98	1,670	71	17	6	4	4	1	2,684
50-54 years	62	1,058	53	16	6	4	2	-	2,315
55-59 years	27	633	37	4	4	2	-	1	1,808
60-64 years	12	313	26	4	2	3	-	4	1,429
65 years and over	15	143	60	12	-	3	1	3	2,163
Unknown age	22	19	17	11	-	1	-	-	149
Unknown gender	110	234	239	118	8	4	-	6	1,623
Percent distribution	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**
Male	25.9	19.2	52.0	51.6	49.3	47.0	47.5	49.3	50.3
Female	72.1	79.5	46.8	47.7	49.1	50.8	52.5	46.6	47.5
Unknown	1.9	1.3	1.2	.7	1.6	2.2	-	4.1	2.2

[1] Excludes the following classes of admission processed in the Nonimmigrant Information System: for all countries — 244,834 parolees; 35,462 withdrawals and stowaways; 65,736 refugees, and 630,184 crewmen. [2] Includes admissions under the Visa Waiver Program. [3] Includes spouses and unmarried minor (or dependent) children. [4] Includes foreign government officials and their spouses and unmarried minor (or dependent) children in transit. [5] Excludes workers (and their spouses and children) under the North American Free-Trade Agreement (shown separately). [6] Includes minor children of fiances(ees). [7] Total includes 56 parents or children of international organization special immigrants and 73,932 unknown class of admission. Unknown class of admission is larger in 2002 than in previous years due to changes in processing which no longer assign a known class to certain records with blank or invalid class codes.

NOTE: See Glossary for detailed descriptions of classes of admission. - Represents zero.

TABLE 33. H-1B BENEFICIARIES BY OCCUPATION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH FISCAL YEAR 2002

Region and country of birth	Total	Computer-related	Fashion models	Managers and officials n.e.c.	Miscellaneous professional and managerial	Administrative specializations	Architecture, engineering, and surveying	Art	Education
All countries	**197,537**	**75,114**	**749**	**10,610**	**4,940**	**21,103**	**25,197**	**2,898**	**20,613**
Europe	**30,840**	**5,901**	**384**	**2,853**	**1,134**	**3,359**	**4,385**	**719**	**4,891**
Albania	81	18	-	6	3	12	9	-	10
Andorra	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Armenia	158	34	1	7	2	11	29	5	19
Austria	269	38	4	29	16	25	40	6	47
Azerbaijan	52	19	-	4	1	10	6	-	1
Belarus	205	95	5	4	7	16	23	-	23
Belgium	414	66	8	53	17	47	55	8	67
Bosnia-Herzegovina	81	18	-	3	5	7	21	2	7
Bulgaria	810	171	9	46	28	138	115	8	77
Croatia	194	39	5	8	8	14	17	5	28
Czech Republic	136	21	5	6	3	16	16	-	31
Czechoslovakia [1]	159	27	11	11	5	23	13	1	23
Denmark	305	49	17	43	8	39	51	5	42
Estonia	64	15	5	7	2	8	7	1	7
Finland	195	28	4	23	5	15	37	4	27
France	3,145	557	29	368	147	504	427	61	412
Georgia	104	19	-	6	1	12	10	3	19
Germany	3,291	402	35	354	125	288	440	108	699
Gibraltar	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Greece	417	53	3	15	19	43	55	2	112
Hungary	385	65	6	20	11	40	45	8	92
Iceland	65	13	5	7	4	6	5	4	10
Ireland	873	192	3	99	45	114	116	12	99
Italy	1,206	119	18	107	61	130	136	44	265
Kazakhstan	112	30	1	5	4	13	7	4	14
Kyrgyzstan	22	6	-	2	2	6	2	-	-
Latvia	82	20	4	4	1	19	6	2	8
Liechtenstein	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Lithuania	197	42	9	15	4	19	29	5	21
Luxembourg	15	-	-	2	2	2	1	1	2
Macedonia	82	19	-	7	2	7	12	2	13
Malta	17	2	-	2	2	3	2	1	3
Moldova	87	30	2	3	2	12	15	-	6
Monaco	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	783	127	21	112	29	103	95	8	134
Norway	268	64	3	30	7	42	62	5	19
Poland	892	187	14	36	22	69	132	6	161
Portugal	167	26	-	19	12	13	23	3	34
Romania	1,211	238	5	42	39	52	321	12	162
Russia	2,864	954	31	99	56	244	252	27	514
Slovak Republic	195	29	8	14	9	17	28	2	29
Slovenia	37	6	-	3	1	3	1	3	7
Soviet Union [1]	206	61	1	7	6	15	33	2	36
Spain	1,183	91	11	110	51	125	99	23	367
Sweden	775	125	28	85	27	115	116	40	66
Switzerland	547	79	9	67	24	54	71	21	96
Tajikistan	7	2	-	1	-	2	-	-	-
Turkmenistan	10	1	-	-	-	1	1	2	2
Ukraine	823	323	8	27	13	67	90	5	115
United Kingdom	7,171	1,250	50	908	283	795	1,235	245	893
Uzbekistan	104	38	-	9	2	12	5	3	13
Yugoslavia [1]	368	93	6	16	10	31	73	10	59

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TABLE 33. H-1B BENEFICIARIES BY OCCUPATION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Region and country of birth	Total	Computer-related	Fashion models	Managers and officials n.e.c.	Miscellaneous professional and managerial	Administrative specializations	Architecture, engineering, and surveying	Art	Education
Asia	**127,625**	**62,121**	**43**	**3,813**	**2,239**	**12,081**	**15,169**	**1,483**	**10,238**
Afghanistan	12	4	-	1	-	-	1	1	2
Bahrain	21	8	-	1	1	2	2	-	2
Bangladesh	1,113	386	-	30	32	87	250	5	112
Bhutan	3	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1
Brunei	4	1	-	-	-	2	1	-	-
Burma	109	20	-	2	1	5	12	1	15
Cambodia	14	3	-	-	1	5	1	-	-
China, People's Republic	18,841	5,357	4	388	349	1,660	2,633	76	3,593
Cyprus	129	25	-	10	5	19	26	-	22
Hong Kong	1,349	343	1	71	64	275	199	45	89
India	64,980	47,477	5	1,212	690	2,689	5,780	113	1,908
Indonesia	1,515	434	-	62	39	395	357	40	45
Iran	1,037	181	-	30	24	72	260	15	138
Iraq	231	22	-	5	1	54	81	2	24
Israel	1,620	402	17	226	68	195	170	30	211
Japan	4,937	455	9	325	254	1,114	493	306	686
Jordan	432	84	-	13	7	51	94	5	54
Korea	5,941	855	1	292	158	734	1,107	412	1,001
Kuwait	160	53	-	10	1	22	23	1	9
Laos	5	1	-	-	-	1	2	-	-
Lebanon	623	97	1	31	14	60	139	6	62
Macau	30	6	-	1	-	6	8	-	1
Malaysia	1,771	532	1	87	41	298	451	36	87
Mongolia	45	8	-	2	2	15	4	-	2
Nepal	421	184	-	28	14	49	45	3	29
Oman	12	6	-	-	-	-	3	-	1
Pakistan	3,810	1,492	-	149	70	520	453	13	198
Philippines	9,295	1,561	1	315	115	2,186	993	65	957
Qatar	13	3	-	1	1	-	4	-	1
Saudi Arabia	93	24	-	6	2	9	19	-	6
Singapore	728	171	1	54	35	153	114	18	47
Sri Lanka	660	220	1	26	16	70	99	5	108
Syria	375	34	-	7	4	15	39	2	31
Taiwan	4,025	949	-	166	122	804	655	170	409
Thailand	979	263	1	78	20	175	197	75	60
Turkey	2,004	357	-	170	82	300	416	35	290
United Arab Emirates	55	24	-	2	-	8	10	1	-
Vietnam	217	75	-	11	6	27	24	2	35
Yemen	16	4	-	1	-	3	3	-	2
Africa	**5,994**	**1,308**	**19**	**398**	**193**	**817**	**782**	**48**	**831**
Algeria	115	16	-	6	2	10	20	-	37
Angola	12	3	-	-	2	2	3	-	1
Benin	16	5	-	1	-	3	3	-	2
Botswana	15	2	-	1	-	1	3	-	1
Burkina Faso	15	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	5
Burundi	3	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Cameroon	98	20	1	4	4	12	10	1	17
Cape Verde	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Central African Republic	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chad	4	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1

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TABLE 33. H-1B BENEFICIARIES BY OCCUPATION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Region and country of birth	Total	Computer-related	Fashion models	Managers and officials n.e.c.	Miscel-laneous profes-sional and man-agerial	Adminis-trative specializa-tions	Architec-ture, engineer-ing, and surveying	Art	Educa-tion
Comoros	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Congo, Democratic Republic	14	4	-	1	-	2	1	-	3
Congo, Republic	23	9	-	1	-	1	2	-	4
Cote d'Ivoire	45	7	-	2	3	8	6	-	11
Djibouti	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Egypt	743	134	-	22	13	95	149	4	79
Equatorial Guinea	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eritrea	11	2	-	-	-	2	3	-	1
Ethiopia	125	26	-	6	3	12	20	1	26
Gabon	7	1	-	-	-	1	2	-	1
Gambia, The	14	4	-	-	-	2	1	-	4
Ghana	373	57	-	13	9	55	46	5	70
Guinea-Bissau	20	5	-	-	3	5	2	-	1
Kenya	559	103	3	28	27	85	57	3	106
Lesotho	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Liberia	18	-	-	2	2	6	2	-	4
Libya	18	7	-	-	-	2	2	-	-
Madagascar	11	1	-	1	-	3	4	-	2
Malawi	29	2	-	3	1	8	4	-	4
Mali	20	-	-	2	-	5	2	-	9
Mauritania	12	2	-	-	-	-	3	-	2
Mauritius	35	13	-	2	1	5	7	1	2
Morocco	265	61	-	24	9	40	33	2	40
Mozambique	22	5	1	4	-	4	2	-	2
Namibia	21	6	-	-	-	4	6	-	-
Niger	141	24	-	8	4	11	17	3	21
Nigeria	649	118	-	25	25	63	68	6	95
Rwanda	7	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Sao Tome and Principe	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senegal	82	22	2	7	-	11	12	-	22
Seychelles	3	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	28	5	-	2	3	5	2	-	5
Somalia	12	6	1	-	-	-	2	-	1
South Africa	1,700	489	11	181	54	239	194	15	136
Sudan	53	12	-	5	-	1	7	-	11
Swaziland	7	4	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
Tanzania	144	35	-	6	11	28	15	2	27
Togo	18	4	-	1	-	3	2	-	7
Tunisia	84	18	-	5	1	7	14	1	17
Uganda	98	15	-	8	5	16	9	2	12
Zambia	100	24	-	8	5	17	16	2	8
Zimbabwe	195	32	-	17	5	37	26	-	30
Oceania	**2,409**	**525**	**37**	**264**	**104**	**288**	**282**	**46**	**365**
American Samoa	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Australia	1,846	411	34	202	80	224	211	31	277
Fiji	16	3	-	-	-	3	1	-	5
French Polynesia	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Kiribati	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Nauru	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Zealand	539	109	3	61	23	61	69	15	83
Papua New Guinea	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Solomon Islands	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Tonga	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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TABLE 33. H-1B BENEFICIARIES BY OCCUPATION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Region and country of birth	Total	Computer-related	Fashion models	Managers and officials n.e.c.	Miscellaneous professional and managerial	Administrative specializations	Architecture, engineering, and surveying	Art	Education
North America	**17,491**	**3,626**	**111**	**1,715**	**593**	**2,286**	**2,547**	**245**	**2,607**
Canada	11,760	2,770	92	1,204	379	1,342	1,629	133	1,507
Mexico	3,082	520	6	303	100	499	584	67	591
United States	35	12	-	4	1	2	2	-	3
Caribbean	**1,723**	**243**	**13**	**119**	**73**	**273**	**196**	**31**	**353**
Anguilla	4	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Antigua-Barbuda	30	9	-	1	-	4	3	2	2
Aruba	14	2	1	2	-	3	1	-	3
Bahamas, The	139	12	2	6	4	26	28	2	24
Barbados	109	16	1	9	5	17	11	-	26
Bermuda	36	5	-	1	3	6	3	1	5
British Virgin Islands	6	2	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Cayman Islands	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Cuba	29	6	-	1	1	-	10	-	5
Dominica	3	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
Dominican Republic	227	35	1	20	10	24	31	11	44
Grenada	40	3	1	-	2	9	6	-	8
Guadeloupe	5	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	1
Haiti	41	5	-	2	-	6	4	1	7
Jamaica	550	74	5	48	23	95	51	7	138
Montserrat	3	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1
Netherlands Antilles	11	2	-	1	-	2	4	-	-
Puerto Rico	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	34	3	-	2	2	7	4	-	7
St. Lucia	20	5	-	1	1	2	3	-	4
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	11	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	3
Trinidad and Tobago	407	62	2	21	20	67	33	7	73
Turks and Caicos Islands	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Central America	**891**	**81**	**-**	**85**	**40**	**170**	**136**	**14**	**153**
Belize	46	3	-	3	2	10	2	1	15
Costa Rica	160	15	-	17	9	22	17	1	33
El Salvador	123	9	-	15	7	23	21	-	11
Guatemala	172	16	-	25	4	29	25	5	19
Honduras	138	13	-	13	6	36	19	4	24
Nicaragua	50	7	-	2	1	6	12	2	6
Panama	202	18	-	10	11	44	40	1	45
South America	**12,732**	**1,500**	**151**	**1,532**	**662**	**2,218**	**1,969**	**348**	**1,630**
Argentina	2,148	199	25	269	119	339	319	78	284
Bolivia	172	21	1	17	8	28	33	5	25
Brazil	2,287	408	87	279	135	326	264	58	242
Chile	428	43	3	60	19	65	68	10	73
Colombia	3,320	309	16	370	150	557	651	88	454
Ecuador	434	52	3	45	17	98	62	13	53
French Guiana	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Guyana	177	12	-	3	2	11	14	1	118
Paraguay	70	12	-	9	4	12	2	2	9
Peru	1,103	108	2	115	73	222	140	31	144
Suriname	19	3	-	2	-	3	3	-	2
Uruguay	175	20	3	24	11	32	18	5	24
Venezuela	2,398	313	11	339	124	524	395	57	202
Unknown [2]	446	133	4	35	15	54	63	9	51

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TABLE 33. H-1B BENEFICIARIES BY OCCUPATION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Region and country of birth	Entertain-ment and recreation	Law and juris-prudence	Life sciences	Mathe-matics and physical sciences	Medicine and health	Museum, library, and archival sciences	Religion and theology	Social sciences	Writing	Unknown
All countries	**776**	**1,436**	**6,910**	**5,443**	**12,920**	**315**	**118**	**5,547**	**1,471**	**1,377**
Europe	**254**	**419**	**1,844**	**1,364**	**1,509**	**99**	**31**	**1,089**	**321**	**284**
Albania	-	1	6	3	2	-	-	9	1	1
Andorra	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Armenia	5	1	7	8	8	2	1	8	7	3
Austria	2	11	13	16	13	-	-	7	2	-
Azerbaijan	3	-	1	2	2	-	-	2	-	1
Belarus	4	1	6	7	6	-	-	3	4	1
Belgium	-	8	18	18	22	6	-	12	4	5
Bosnia-Herzegovina	-	1	2	2	7	-	-	4	-	2
Bulgaria	5	14	44	31	52	-	1	50	7	14
Croatia	-	2	10	15	24	-	-	16	-	3
Czech Republic	3	1	10	5	10	1	-	5	-	3
Czechoslovakia [1]	3	2	7	10	12	-	-	9	1	1
Denmark	2	4	14	10	8	1	-	7	3	2
Estonia	1	2	3	3	-	-	-	1	1	1
Finland	-	2	26	11	4	2	-	6	1	-
France	9	54	160	164	57	10	1	135	30	20
Georgia	-	-	4	5	16	-	1	7	1	-
Germany	17	54	273	160	156	13	4	94	32	37
Gibraltar	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
Greece	-	3	27	12	54	-	-	16	1	2
Hungary	2	4	33	10	38	1	-	8	1	1
Iceland	-	-	2	-	6	-	-	2	1	-
Ireland	4	14	61	24	38	2	3	26	14	7
Italy	6	24	84	52	66	5	2	57	21	9
Kazakhstan	5	5	3	5	5	1	-	9	-	1
Kyrgyzstan	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Latvia	1	2	3	5	2	-	1	4	-	-
Liechtenstein	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lithuania	4	-	12	5	16	-	-	15	-	1
Luxembourg	-	3	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Macedonia	1	1	4	3	7	-	-	1	1	2
Malta	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Moldova	1	-	4	2	8	-	-	2	-	-
Monaco	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	-	12	47	31	18	2	2	26	3	13
Norway	2	2	6	6	7	1	1	7	-	4
Poland	15	5	51	39	104	1	3	26	7	14
Portugal	1	1	14	1	5	1	-	10	1	3
Romania	7	4	37	68	179	3	1	29	4	8
Russia	30	24	220	183	90	5	2	82	33	18
Slovak Republic	2	3	17	9	17	-	1	9	1	-
Slovenia	-	-	3	6	-	-	-	2	-	2
Soviet Union [1]	2	-	15	10	8	1	-	5	2	2
Spain	3	16	102	38	44	3	-	57	24	19
Sweden	7	13	29	27	30	2	-	50	11	4
Switzerland	2	11	42	22	17	2	-	19	6	5
Tajikistan	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
Turkmenistan	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Ukraine	9	10	36	43	32	1	-	28	10	6
United Kingdom	89	99	360	272	297	31	7	206	83	68
Uzbekistan	-	1	4	5	3	1	-	7	-	1
Yugoslavia [1]	6	3	20	14	15	-	-	10	2	-

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TABLE 33. H-1B BENEFICIARIES BY OCCUPATION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Region and country of birth	Entertain-ment and recreation	Law and juris-prudence	Life sciences	Mathe-matics and physical sciences	Medicine and health	Museum, library, and archival sciences	Religion and theology	Social sciences	Writing	Unknown
Asia	**299**	**500**	**3,856**	**3,103**	**8,296**	**116**	**45**	**2,897**	**752**	**574**
Afghanistan	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	-
Bahrain	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	2	-	-
Bangladesh	1	4	31	44	87	1	-	32	3	8
Bhutan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brunei	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burma	-	-	6	3	37	1	-	5	1	-
Cambodia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-
China, People's Republic	28	93	1,965	1,401	674	30	2	413	91	84
Cyprus	1	-	5	2	5	-	-	6	2	1
Hong Kong	6	8	39	52	68	2	1	74	8	4
India	69	72	727	693	2,530	11	7	738	77	182
Indonesia	3	4	27	28	21	1	2	46	4	7
Iran	6	3	37	32	197	3	1	15	9	14
Iraq	-	2	6	2	25	-	-	3	3	1
Israel	12	43	60	28	66	3	1	63	12	13
Japan	60	53	275	86	172	22	6	334	259	28
Jordan	-	7	14	12	74	1	-	11	-	5
Korea	57	94	267	265	276	13	14	217	135	43
Kuwait	-	1	2	1	31	-	-	5	1	-
Laos	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lebanon	1	5	10	5	172	-	-	13	2	5
Macau	-	-	2	-	3	-	-	1	1	1
Malaysia	7	7	25	45	53	-	1	65	13	22
Mongolia	-	-	7	1	-	2	-	-	1	1
Nepal	2	5	6	11	29	-	-	14	2	-
Oman	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Pakistan	2	12	37	50	679	4	-	106	8	17
Philippines	9	34	63	76	2,524	5	6	257	44	84
Qatar	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-
Saudi Arabia	-	1	5	1	15	-	1	4	-	-
Singapore	2	9	14	17	35	1	1	47	6	3
Sri Lanka	-	2	22	30	41	-	-	15	-	5
Syria	-	-	5	9	221	1	-	2	2	3
Taiwan	28	29	146	139	126	12	1	192	53	24
Thailand	1	1	12	13	36	1	-	40	1	5
Turkey	4	11	32	48	70	2	1	164	11	11
United Arab Emirates	-	-	1	3	3	-	-	2	-	1
Vietnam	-	-	6	6	15	-	-	7	1	2
Yemen	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Africa	**14**	**47**	**189**	**153**	**930**	**11**	**12**	**155**	**27**	**60**
Algeria	-	-	8	7	4	1	-	3	-	1
Angola	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Benin	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Botswana	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	2	-	1
Burkina Faso	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	2	-	-
Burundi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cameroon	-	1	7	2	11	-	-	5	1	2
Cape Verde	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Central African Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chad	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-

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TABLE 33. H-1B BENEFICIARIES BY OCCUPATION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH FISCAL YEAR 2002—Continued

Region and country of birth	Entertain-ment and recreation	Law and juris-prudence	Life sciences	Mathe-matics and physical sciences	Medicine and health	Museum, library, and archival sciences	Religion and theology	Social sciences	Writing	Unknown
Comoros	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Democratic Republic	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Republic	-	-	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	-
Cote d'Ivoire	-	-	2	1	4	-	-	1	-	-
Djibouti	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Egypt	-	1	20	9	189	-	1	11	3	13
Equatorial Guinea	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Eritrea	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Ethiopia	-	-	9	6	9	-	-	5	2	-
Gabon	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Gambia, The	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	1
Ghana	2	5	9	11	75	2	2	12	-	-
Guinea-Bissau	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	1	-
Kenya	1	5	19	26	64	1	1	27	1	2
Lesotho	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Liberia	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Libya	-	1	-	1	5	-	-	-	-	-
Madagascar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malawi	-	1	1	2	2	-	-	1	-	-
Mali	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Mauritania	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	1	-	-
Mauritius	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Morocco	-	2	17	11	16	-	-	9	-	1
Mozambique	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-
Namibia	-	-	-	-	4	-	1	-	-	-
Niger	-	3	4	2	37	1	-	4	-	2
Nigeria	-	12	18	13	181	3	2	9	4	7
Rwanda	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	1	1	-
Sao Tome and Principe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senegal	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	2	-	-
Seychelles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	-	-	1	-	3	-	1	1	-	-
Somalia	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
South Africa	11	13	39	28	212	2	2	37	12	25
Sudan	-	-	3	-	12	-	-	2	-	-
Swaziland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Tanzania	-	-	3	2	13	-	-	2	-	-
Togo	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tunisia	-	2	2	7	5	-	-	5	-	-
Uganda	-	-	5	5	15	1	1	3	-	1
Zambia	-	-	2	3	11	-	-	2	1	1
Zimbabwe	-	1	10	1	31	-	-	3	-	2
Oceania	**16**	**68**	**113**	**75**	**116**	**5**	**2**	**61**	**25**	**17**
American Samoa	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Australia	13	57	87	56	84	2	2	43	19	13
Fiji	-	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-
French Polynesia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kiribati	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nauru	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Zealand	2	11	25	19	28	2	-	18	6	4
Papua New Guinea	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Solomon Islands	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Tonga	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Region and country of birth	Entertain-ment and recreation	Law and juris-prudence	Life sciences	Mathe-matics and physical sciences	Medicine and health	Museum, library, and archival sciences	Religion and theology	Social sciences	Writing	Unknown
North America	**110**	**223**	**551**	**559**	**1,337**	**68**	**20**	**551**	**174**	**168**
Canada	77	165	415	446	949	56	14	365	133	84
Mexico	20	28	74	42	86	4	5	93	23	37
United States	2	-	-	2	4	1	-	2	-	-
Caribbean	**8**	**20**	**39**	**62**	**202**	**6**	**-**	**46**	**11**	**28**
Anguilla	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Antigua-Barbuda	-	1	-	-	4	-	-	3	-	1
Aruba	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
Bahamas, The	1	2	6	3	15	-	-	3	1	4
Barbados	-	1	3	6	12	-	-	1	1	-
Bermuda	2	1	-	1	3	-	-	1	1	3
British Virgin Islands	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cayman Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cuba	-	-	1	1	4	-	-	-	-	-
Dominica	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Dominican Republic	-	7	6	2	31	1	-	2	2	-
Grenada	-	-	2	-	4	-	-	3	-	2
Guadeloupe	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Haiti	1	2	-	-	9	-	-	3	1	-
Jamaica	1	4	7	21	47	2	-	15	1	11
Montserrat	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	-	-	2	2	5	-	-	-	-	-
St. Lucia	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	1	-	-
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	3	2	8	24	61	1	-	13	4	6
Turks and Caicos Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Central America	**3**	**10**	**23**	**7**	**96**	**1**	**1**	**45**	**7**	**19**
Belize	-	2	-	1	4	-	-	2	-	1
Costa Rica	1	1	6	2	26	-	-	8	1	1
El Salvador	-	1	2	-	18	-	1	10	2	3
Guatemala	-	-	2	4	23	1	-	10	3	6
Honduras	-	-	4	-	8	-	-	9	1	1
Nicaragua	1	1	2	-	5	-	-	3	-	2
Panama	1	5	7	-	12	-	-	3	-	5
South America	**82**	**176**	**342**	**174**	**702**	**16**	**7**	**783**	**168**	**272**
Argentina	18	43	100	39	115	3	-	120	44	34
Bolivia	-	2	1	1	9	-	-	13	2	6
Brazil	18	36	74	38	77	3	4	178	24	36
Chile	5	6	17	11	13	2	1	16	7	9
Colombia	8	26	81	34	252	1	-	217	42	64
Ecuador	3	4	16	7	19	1	1	27	4	9
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guyana	-	-	-	2	9	-	-	3	-	2
Paraguay	1	1	-	1	7	-	-	3	-	7
Peru	4	20	27	11	89	3	1	61	12	40
Suriname	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	1	-	1
Uruguay	2	2	6	3	9	-	-	11	2	3
Venezuela	23	36	20	26	100	3	-	133	31	61
Unknown [2]	1	3	15	15	30	-	1	11	4	2

[1] Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics.

[2] Includes one stateless beneficiary with an occupation in museum, library, and archival sciences.

Note: n.e.c. represents not elsewhere classified.

- Represents zero.