

50 States: Immigrants by Number and Share

There are 48 million immigrants in the United States, making up 17 percent of the overall population. This includes all people who are living in the United States and were born in another country, irrespective of immigration status.

Around the country, the share of immigrants in the population varies from two percent in West Virginia to 38 percent in California. Below is a table to show where your state fits in.

This chart also shows the number of non-citizens, who nationally make up about half (48 percent) of all immigrants. Of those, about half (48 percent) are immigrants. Among non-citizens are people undocumented, green card holders, asylum seekers, refugees, recipients of Temporary Protected Status and a range of other statuses.

IMMIGRANTS BY NUMBER AND POPULATION SHARE

		All Immigrants	Non-Citizen Immigrants	U.S.-Born	Immigrant Share of Population
50	California	10,640,017	4,816,769	28,325,176	38%
49	New Jersey	2,250,431	992,962	7,040,410	32%
48	New York	4,517,996	1,830,212	15,053,220	30%
47	Florida	4,996,874	2,160,812	17,613,852	28%
46	Nevada	614,779	285,268	2,579,397	24%
45	Massachusetts	1,263,580	590,015	5,737,819	22%
44	Texas	5,455,292	3,139,604	25,048,009	22%
43	Hawaii	255,755	95,584	1,179,383	22%
42	Maryland	1,051,891	467,669	5,128,362	21%
41	Connecticut	590,608	267,238	3,026,568	20%
40	Washington	1,213,933	618,935	6,598,947	18%
39	Illinois	1,878,890	887,000	10,670,799	18%
38	Rhode Island	161,196	74,937	934,766	17%
37	Virginia	1,163,486	501,114	7,552,212	15%
36	Arizona	980,927	506,160	6,450,417	15%
35	Georgia	1,274,462	649,013	9,754,765	13%
34	Delaware	115,129	56,181	916,761	13%
33	New Mexico	215,697	121,088	1,898,674	11%
32	Oregon	406,692	204,968	3,826,666	11%
31	Colorado	563,101	300,818	5,314,509	11%
30	North Carolina	995,127	561,770	9,840,364	10%
29	Utah	303,784	174,935	3,113,950	10%
28	Minnesota	495,352	208,438	5,242,563	9%
27	Pennsylvania	1,031,320	463,483	11,930,363	9%
26	Nebraska	152,341	88,656	1,826,038	8%
25	Alaska	54,571	20,145	678,835	8%
24	Michigan	737,552	319,917	9,299,709	8%
23	Kansas	207,421	115,648	2,733,126	8%
22	New Hampshire	94,873	36,966	1,307,181	7%
21	Indiana	432,652	253,292	6,429,547	7%
20	Oklahoma	247,828	145,932	3,805,996	7%
19	Tennessee	432,020	269,679	6,694,469	6%
18	South Carolina	316,438	181,040	5,057,117	6%
17	Iowa	188,605	109,108	3,018,399	6%
16	Idaho	112,009	59,242	1,852,717	6%
15	Arkansas	162,340	104,245	2,905,392	6%
14	Ohio	621,863	303,826	11,164,072	6%
13	Wisconsin	307,899	161,803	5,603,056	5%
12	Louisiana	222,672	131,430	4,351,077	5%
11	Missouri	296,832	146,139	5,899,324	5%
10	Vermont	29,047	9,727	618,417	5%
9	Kentucky	201,672	113,036	4,324,482	5%
8	South Dakota	39,943	19,997	879,375	5%
7	Alabama	203,143	122,930	4,905,325	4%
6	North Dakota	31,096	16,014	752,830	4%
5	Maine	53,448	25,759	1,342,274	4%
4	Wyoming	21,278	11,574	562,779	4%
3	Mississippi	75,165	48,366	2,864,525	3%
2	Montana	24,623	10,025	1,108,189	2%
1	West Virginia	32,326	15,252	1,737,745	2%
	DC	95,435	46,624	583,537	16%
	United States	47,831,411	22,861,345	287,083,485	17%

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