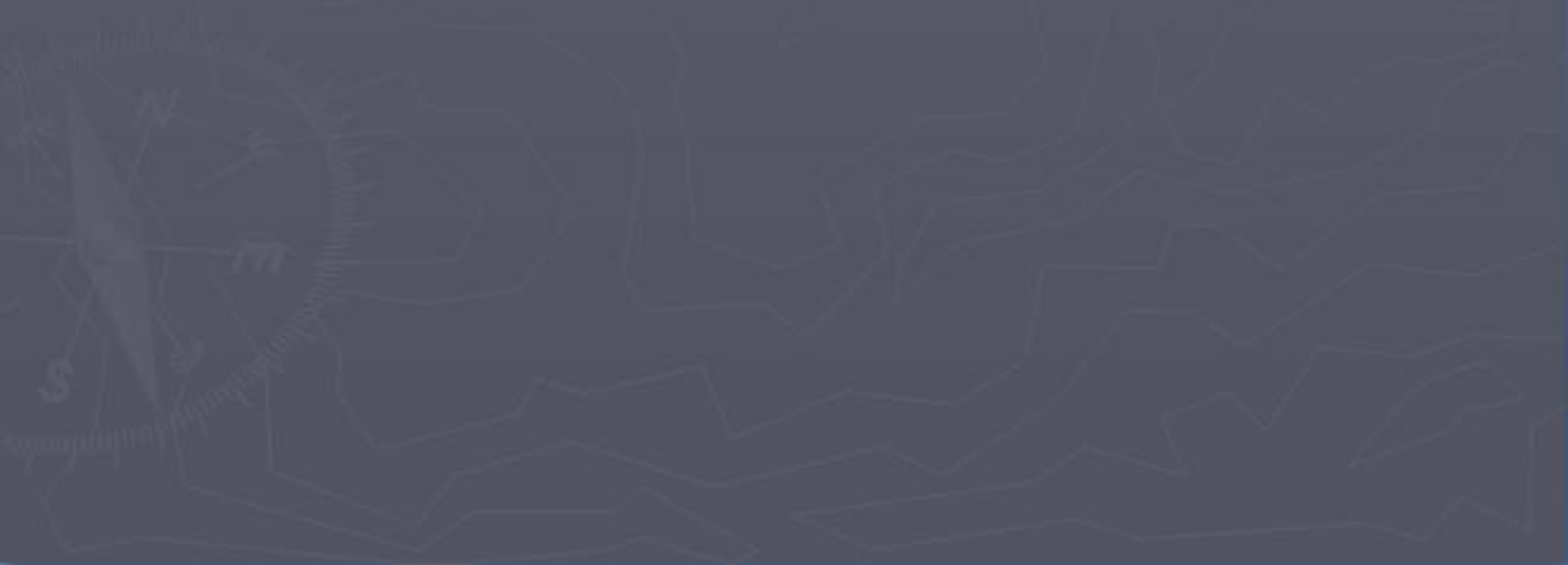
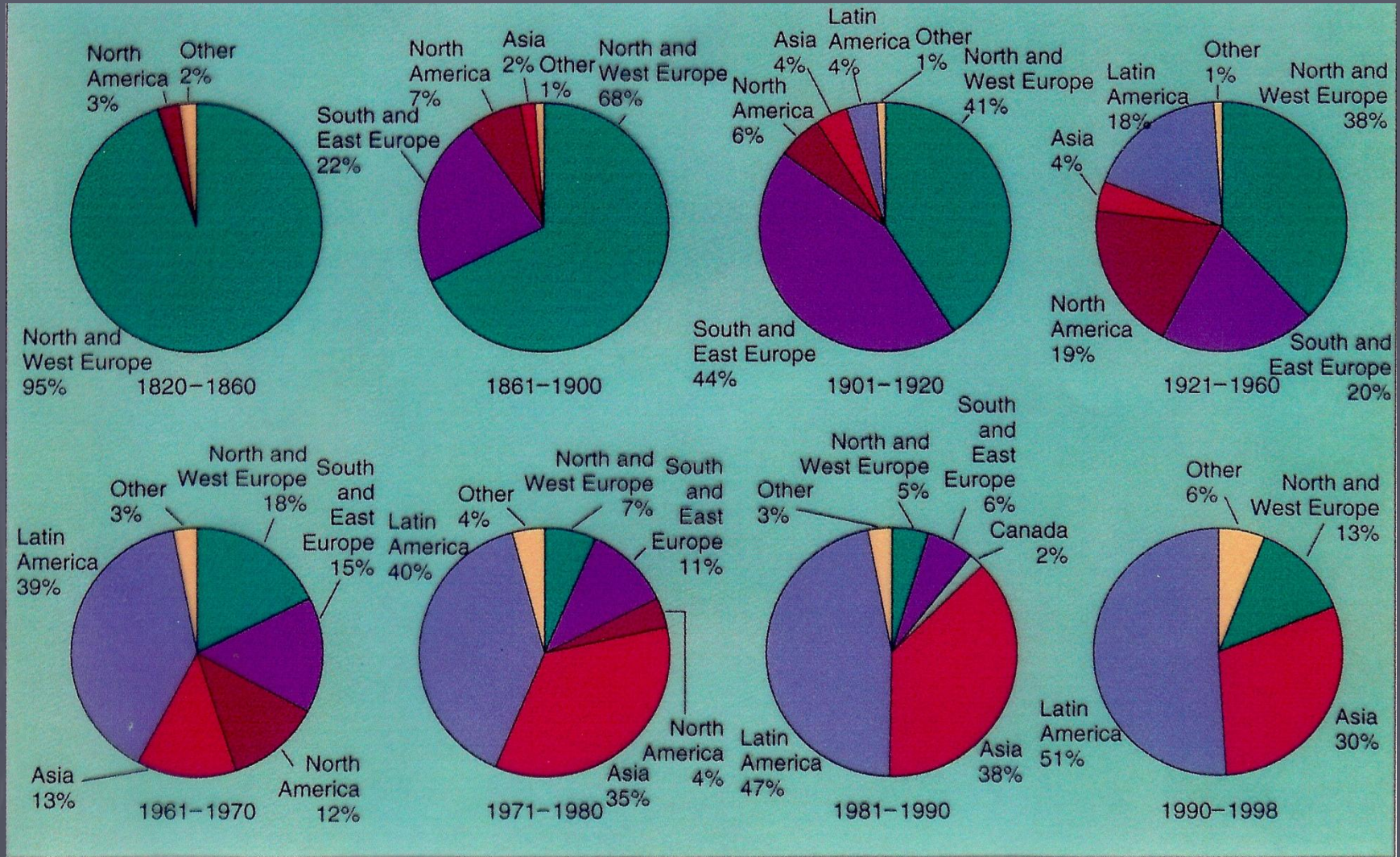
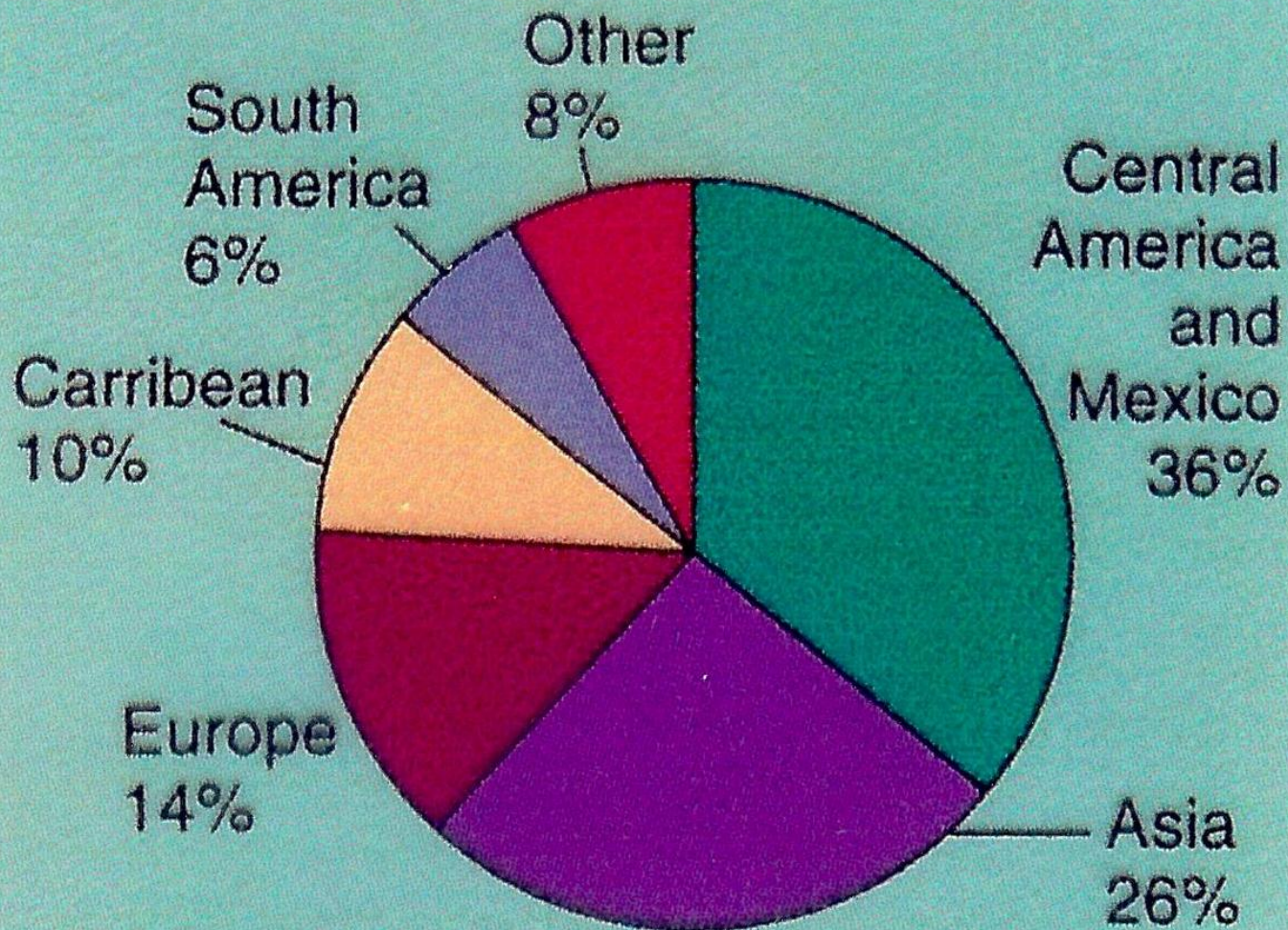


Trends in Human Migration to the United States

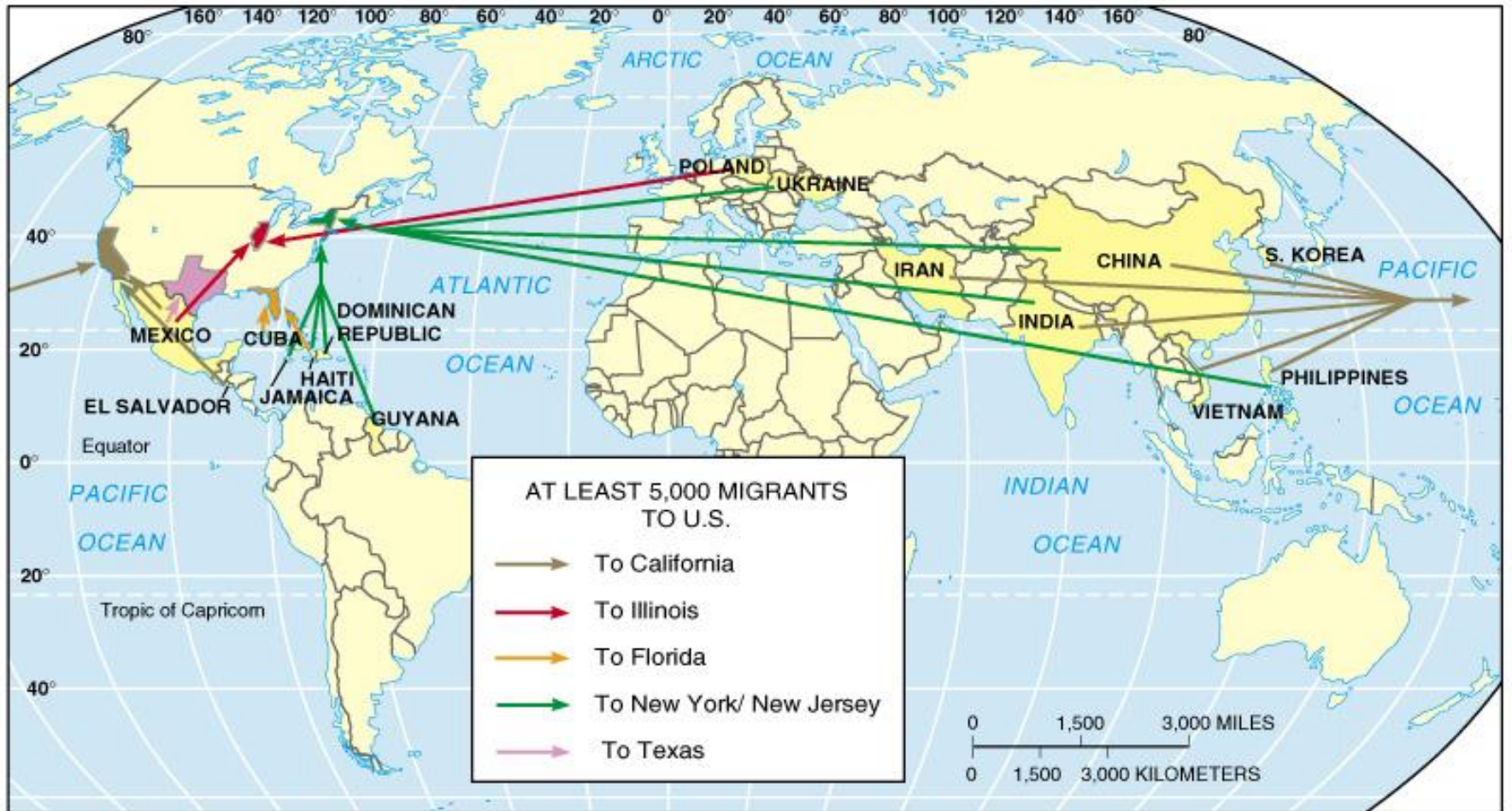


Sources of Immigration to the United States





Foreign-born population by region of birth, 2002



Early Immigration to the United States

Prior to 1840, 90% of U.S. immigration was from Britain

Two Big Waves:

1840 - 1930: W. and N. European transitioning to Southern and Eastern European by 1910

- Pre 1900s - Irish and Germans
- Early 1900s: Italians and Eastern Europeans
- 1950 - Today: Asians and Latin Americans; declining Europeans
 - Asians: China, India; 1980s -1990s: Philippines, Vietnam, and South Korea
 - Central Americans and Caribbean
- 1986 Immigration Reform and Control Act admitted former illegals in 1990, 1991.



Ellis Island National Monument

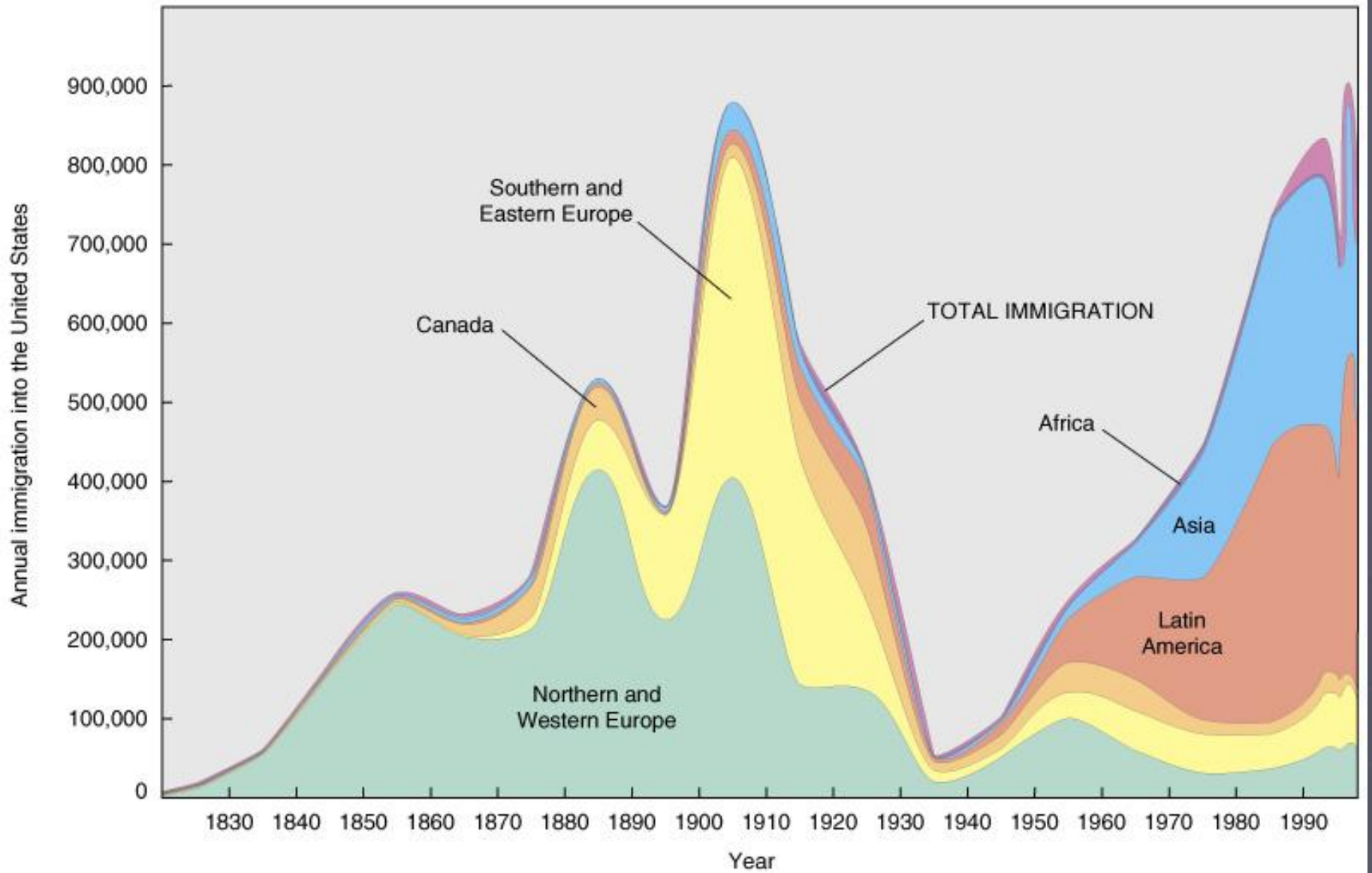
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Destinations of U.S. Immigrants - ethnic neighborhoods often result of chain migration

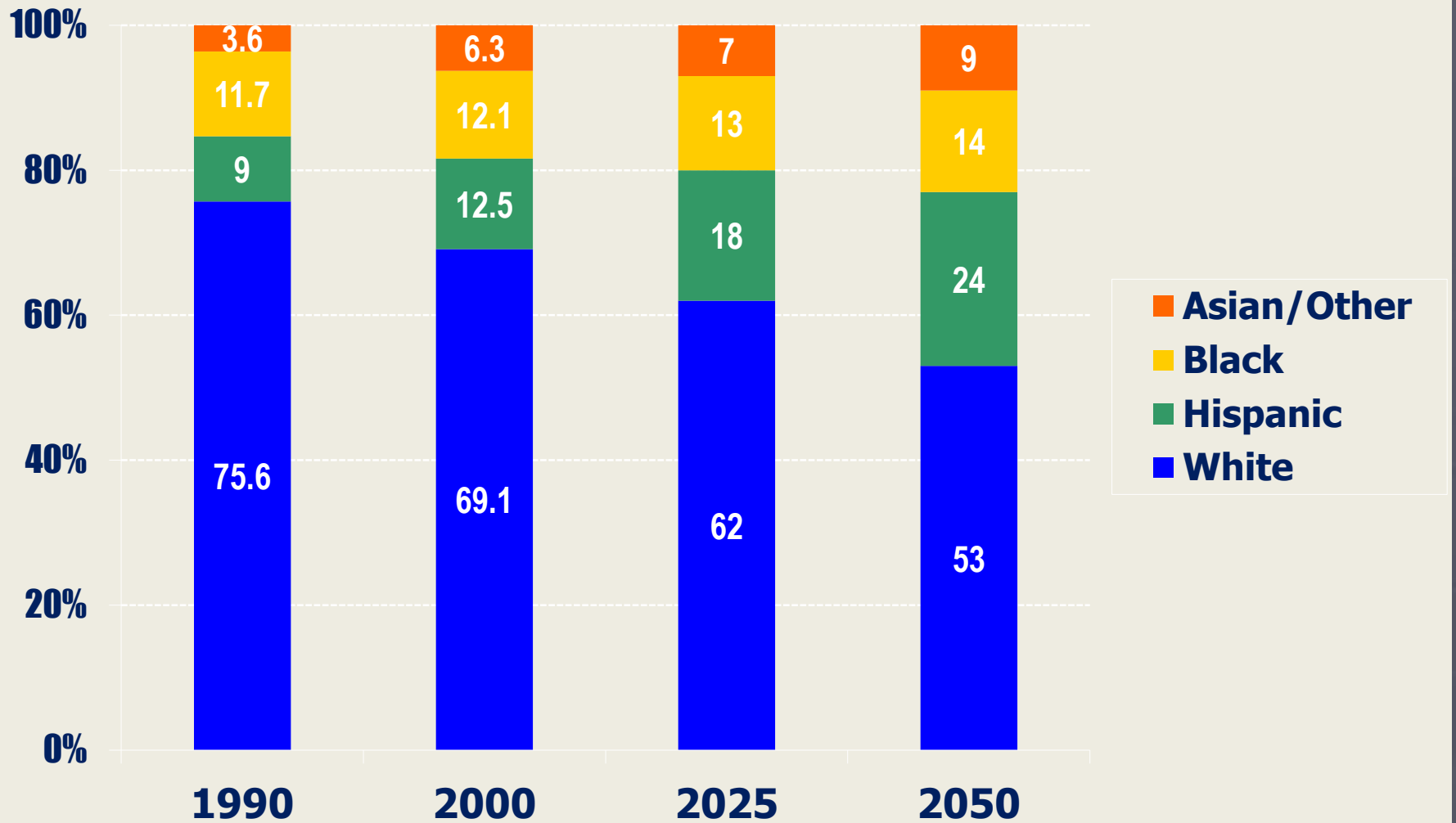
- Mexicans: California, Texas, Illinois, New York
- Caribbean: Florida or New York
- Chinese and Indians: New York & California
- Other Asians: West Coast

U.S. Immigration Policies

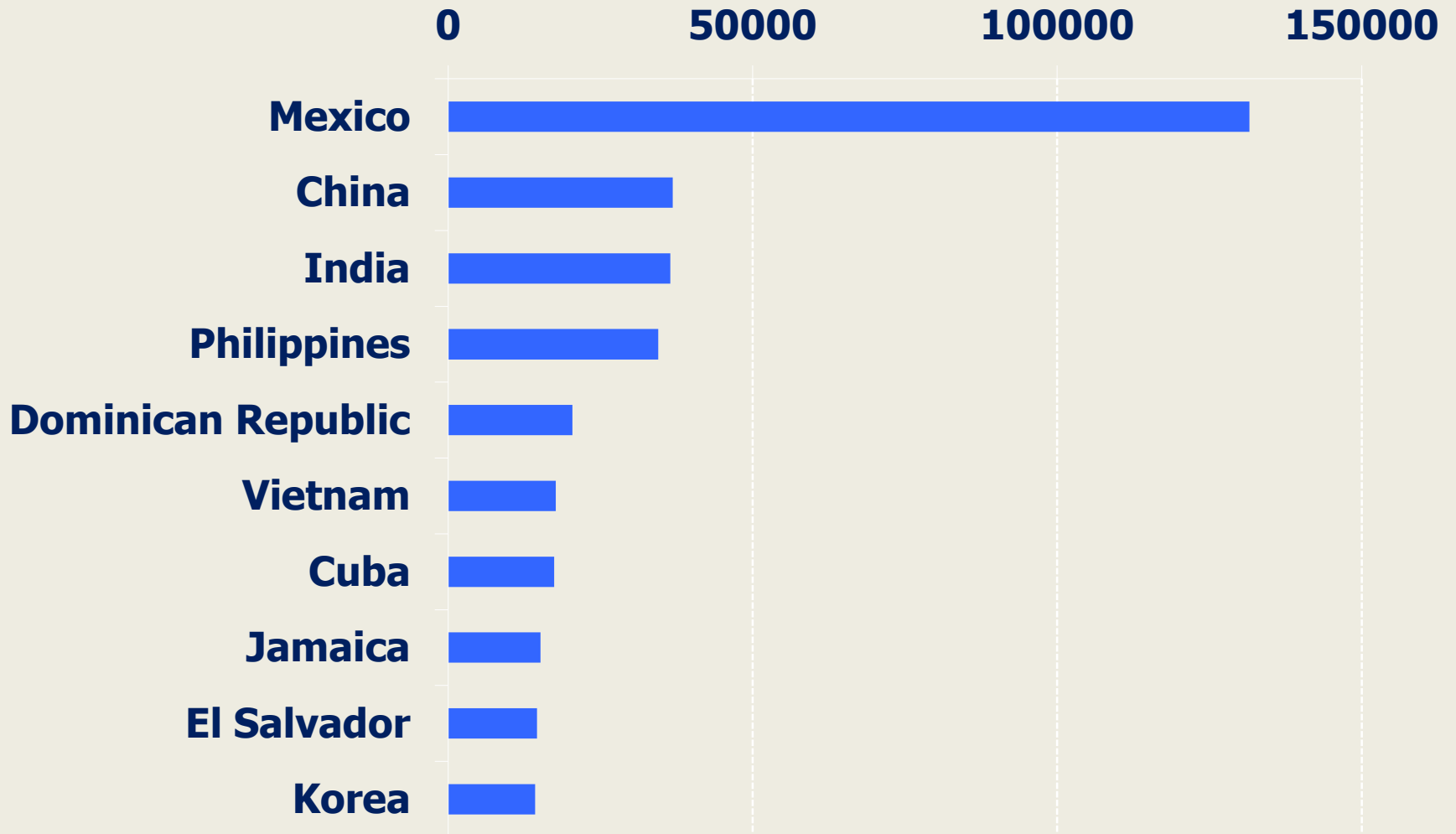
- 1882, Bars Asian immigration for ten years (extended)
 - 1921, Quota Act - country by country quotas
 - 1924 National Origins Act - country by country quotas
 - 1965, Immigration Act - quotas for countries replaced, in 1968, with hemisphere quotas of 170, 000 for East and 120,000 for West
 - 1978, Immigration Act - global quota of 290, 000
 - 1980, Refugee Act - quotas do not apply to those seeking political asylum
 - 1986, Immigration Reform and Control Act admitted large numbers of former illegals.
 - 1990, Immigration Act raised global quotas to roughly 675,000
 - 1995, visas issued Preferentially:
 - 480,000 - to relatives of people here
 - 140,000 - to those with special skills and education
 - 55,000 - to diversity candidates (i.e., mostly not from Latin Amer. or Asia)
- Current Total: 675,000



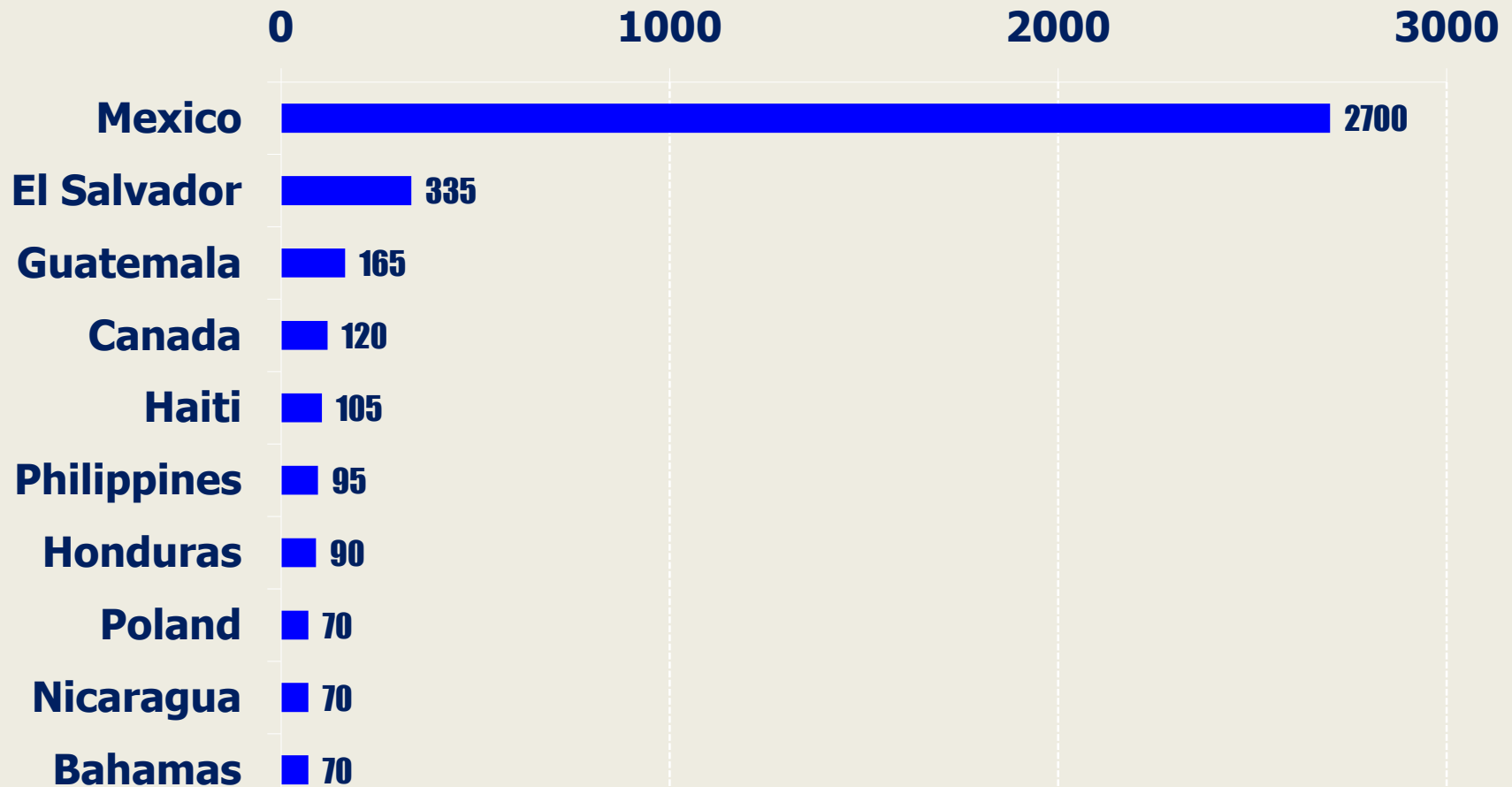
US Population by Race and Ethnicity, 1990-2050



Top 10 Countries of Origin for US Legal Immigrants, 1998

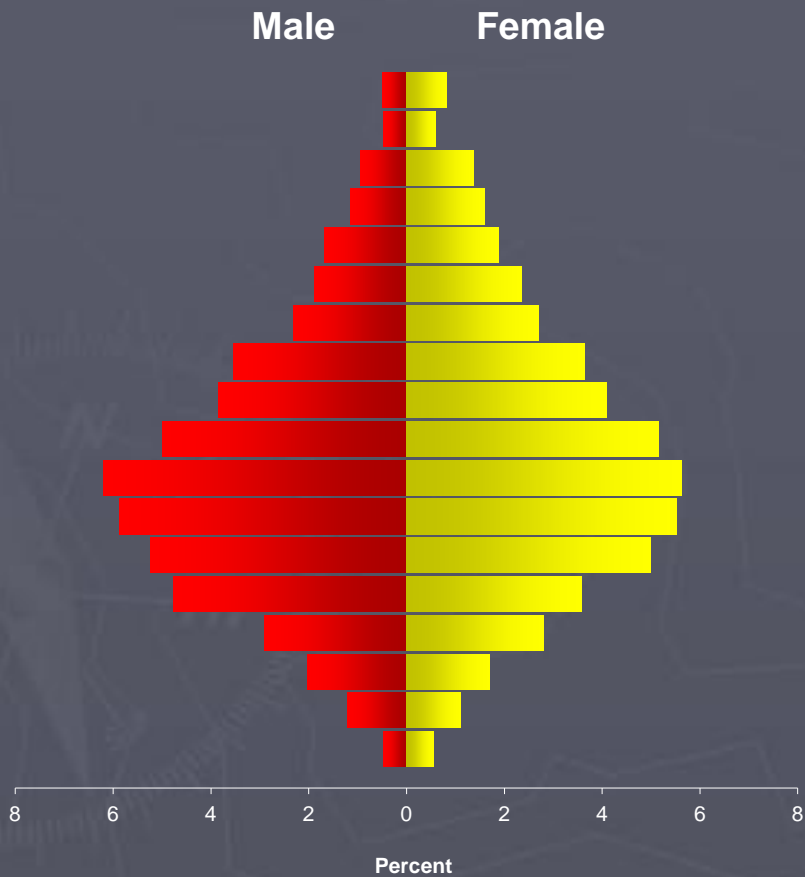


Illegal Aliens in the United States by Country of Origin, 1996 (in 1,000s)



Population Pyramid of Native and Foreign Born Population, United States, 2000 (in %)

Foreign Born



Native



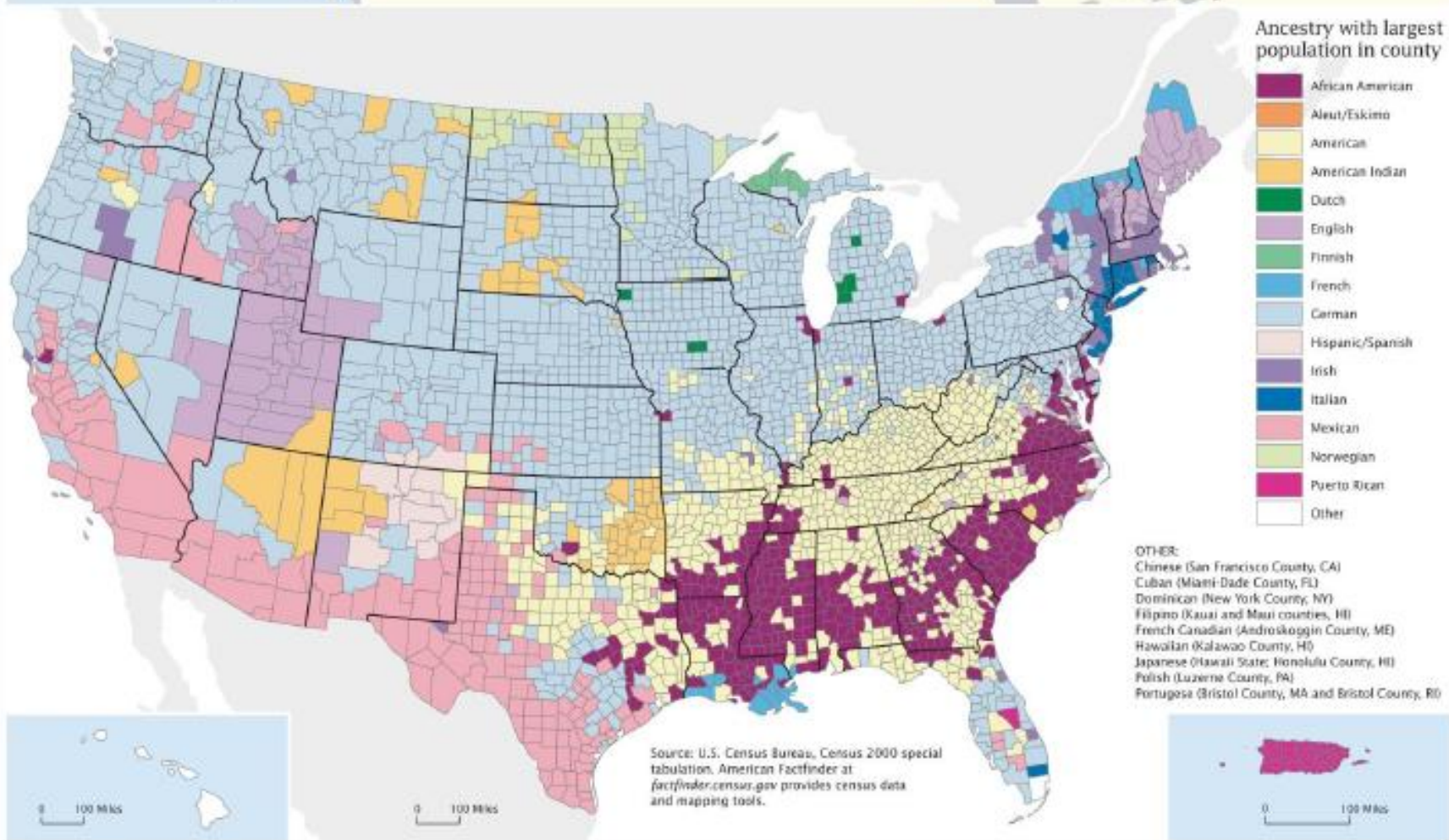


Figure 3.
Largest Ancestry: 2000

(Data based on sample. For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see www.census.gov/prod/cen2000/doc/1/3.pdf)



Ancestry with largest population in state
see categories below



Ancestry with largest population in county

- African American
- Aleut/Eskimo
- American
- American Indian
- Dutch
- English
- Finnish
- French
- German
- Hispanic/Spanish
- Irish
- Italian
- Mexican
- Norwegian
- Puerto Rican
- Other

OTHER:
 Chinese (San Francisco County, CA)
 Cuban (Miami-Dade County, FL)
 Dominican (New York County, NY)
 Filipino (Kauai and Maui counties, HI)
 French Canadian (Androscoggin County, ME)
 Hawaiian (Kalawao County, HI)
 Japanese (Hawaii State; Honolulu County, HI)
 Polish (Luzerne County, PA)
 Portugese (Bristol County, MA and Bristol County, RI)

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000 special tabulation, American Factfinder at factfinder.census.gov provides census data and mapping tools.



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