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ABSTRACT In this report, demographic, social and economic data for the population of Spanish origin and its subcategories (Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central and South American) in the United States are tabulated. Specific information is provided concerning such characteristics as age, sex, residence, educational attainment, income, employment, occupation, marital status, selected family characteristics, and population size and distribution. Findings include the following: (1) 42% of all persons of Spanish origin were under 18 years old; (2) the median age for persons of Spanish origin is 22 years old, as opposed to 30 years old for the non-Spanish population; (3) there was a greater proportion of single men than single women in Spanish communities; (4) persons of Spanish origin 25 years old and over were still at a lower educational level than persons of non-Spanish origin; (5) the proportion of unemployed among people of Spanish origin was significantly higher than the proportion of unemployed in the general population; (6) the reported incomes of Spanish men were significantly lower than the incomes of men not of Spanish origin; and (7) in 1976, 23% of all Spanish families were living below the poverty level. Numerous charts and tables list characteristics of the Spanish population and, in some cases, compare present findings to those of the 1970 Census. Definitions of all terminology and a description of sources, and reliability factors of this survey are provided in a detailed appendix. (WI)

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- B Base less than 75,000.
- ... Not applicable.
- NA Not available.

Persons of Spanish Origin in the United States: March 1977

INTRODUCTION

This report presents demographic, social, and economic data for persons of Spanish origin in the United States. These data were collected in March 1977 by the Bureau of the Census as a supplement to its monthly Current Population Survey (CPS).

The report contains specific information on the population of Spanish origin and its subcategories: Mexican origin, Puerto Rican origin, Cuban origin, Central and South American origin, and other Spanish origin. Some of the characteristics presented for the Spanish origin population are age, sex, residence, educational attainment, income, employment, occupation, marital status, and selected family characteristics.

POPULATION SIZE AND DISTRIBUTION

Of the 11.3 million persons of Spanish origin in the United States in March 1977, about 6.5 million reported themselves as being of Mexican origin, about 1.7 million of Puerto Rican origin, about 700,000 of Cuban origin, about 900,000 of Central or South American origin, and about 1.4 million of other Spanish origin. The largest concentration of persons of Spanish origin was in New York State and the five Southwestern States (tables A, B, L, and 1).

CHARACTERISTICS OF PERSONS

Age. Presumably because of higher fertility, the Spanish origin population in March 1977 included a substantially larger proportion of young persons than did the population not of Spanish origin: about 42 percent of all persons of Spanish origin were under 18 years old, as compared to 30 percent for persons not of Spanish origin. Also, the proportion of Spanish persons 65 years old and over was only about 4 percent, as compared with 11 percent for the population not of Spanish origin.

Furthermore, the youthfulness of the Spanish population in the United States is substantiated by the median age (the age at which half of the population is older and half is younger). The median age for persons of Spanish origin in March 1977 was 22 years compared with a median age of 30 years for the population not of Spanish origin (tables C, 2, and 3).

Table A. Spanish Origin Population by Type of Spanish Origin

(Numbers in thousands)

Type of Spanish origin	Number	Per- cent
Total.....	11,269	100.0
Mexican.....	6,545	58.1
Puerto Rican.....	1,742	15.5
Cuban.....	681	6.0
Central or South American.....	872	7.7
Other Spanish origin.....	1,428	12.7

Marital status. Because women generally marry at younger ages than men, there was a greater proportion of single men (34 percent) than of single women (27 percent) among persons of Spanish origin 14 years old and over in 1977. The proportion of Spanish origin men who were single had not increased significantly since 1970: about 32 percent of Spanish men 14 years old and over reported themselves as being single in 1970 compared with 34 percent in March 1977.

About equal proportions of Spanish women as of Spanish men were classified as presently married. But women of Spanish origin were more likely to be reported as divorced (6 percent) than were Spanish origin men (4 percent).

The lower age-specific mortality rates of Spanish females probably accounts for the substantially higher percentage of widowed Spanish females (6 percent) relative to widowed Spanish males (2 percent) (tables D, 5, and 6).

Education. In March 1977, persons of Spanish origin 25 years old and over were still at a lower educational attainment level than were persons of that age group who were not of Spanish origin. About 18 percent of all Spanish persons in that age group had completed less than 5 years of school, but only 3 percent of persons not of Spanish origin had completed less than 5 years of school. Moreover, only about 40 percent of persons 25 years old and over of Spanish

origin had completed 4 years of high school or more, as compared with 66 percent of persons not of Spanish origin.

Younger adults of Spanish origin, however, show significant improvement over their elders in educational attainment. About one third of persons of Spanish origin 25 to 34 years old had completed 4 years of high school, while only one fifth of Spanish persons 45 to 64 years old had done so.

In 1977, there was a disparity in educational attainment between the ethnic categories of Spanish origin. About 23 percent of Mexican origin persons 25 years old and over had completed less than 5 years of school, yet only about 11

percent of persons of Cuban origin of that age range had completed less than 5 years of school (tables E, F, and W).

Employment and occupation. The proportion of men employed among Spanish origin persons was significantly higher than the proportion of unemployed in the general population in March 1977. About 11 percent of all Spanish origin persons in the civilian labor force were unemployed, as compared with 8 percent of the total population in the civilian labor force.

There was some evidence that the unemployment rate of Spanish origin women (13 percent) was different from that

Table B. Persons of Spanish Origin for the United States and Selected Areas

(Numbers in thousands)

Area	Persons of Spanish origin ²	Percent Spanish origin		Confidence interval ¹ (one standard error)	
		1977 CPS ¹	1970 census	Total Spanish origin, 1977 CPS	Percent Spanish origin, 1977 CPS
UNITED STATES					
Total	11,269	9.3	7.5	10,961 to 11,577	5.1 to 13.6
SELECTED AREAS					
New York State	1,577	8.9	7.4	1,461 to 1,693	8.2 to 9.6
Five Southwestern States: ³	6,670	16.6	14.9	6,367 to 6,973	15.8 to 17.4
California	3,343	15.6	11.9	3,159 to 3,529	14.7 to 16.5
Texas	2,366	18.9	16.3	2,163 to 2,569	17.3 to 20.5
Other ⁴	960	15.9	16.0	845 to 1,085	13.6 to 17.6
Remainder of the U.S.	3,022	1.7	1.8	2,859 to 3,185	1.0 to 1.8

¹Resident population excluding persons in institutions and Armed Forces in barracks.

²Resident population.

³Estimates in this table (as well as in the rest of this report) are based on sample data and hence are subject to sampling error. If a census were conducted the chances are about 68 out of 100 that the census result would be contained in the one-standard error interval given in this table. See the section "Source and Reliability of the Estimates" for more information on standard errors and confidence intervals.

⁴Arizona, Colorado, and New Mexico.

Table C. Total and Spanish Origin Population by Broad Age Groups and Type of Spanish Origin

Age	Total	Spanish origin						Not of Spanish origin ¹
		Total	Mexican	Puerto Rican	Cuban	Central or South American	Other Spanish	
Median age, years	29.2	31.7	20.8	20.4	37.7	25.8	20.9	29.6
PERCENT								
Under 5 years old	7.2	12.4	13.3	12.8	5.3	11.7	11.9	6.9
18 years old and over	69.8	57.7	56.2	54.2	73.8	63.2	57.4	70.4
65 years old and over	10.4	4.1	3.6	2.8	11.2	2.3	3.6	10.7

¹Includes persons who did not know or did not report on origin.

of men of Spanish origin (11 percent). Also, the labor force participation rate differed between men and women of Spanish origin: about 73 percent of Spanish origin men were in the civilian labor force as compared with only 44 percent of Spanish women. This rate differential was dramatic for some of the ethnic subcategory of Spanish origin. For example, about 81 percent of Mexican origin men were in the labor force as compared with only 43 percent of Mexican origin women, and the labor force participation rate for Puerto Rican origin men was 72 percent compared with 30 percent for Puerto Rican origin women.

Occupational characteristics of employed Spanish origin persons differed, sometimes markedly, from that of the overall employed population. For instance, although 16 percent of all employed persons in the civilian labor force were professional and technical workers, only 8 percent of the Spanish origin labor force were so employed, and the proportion of employed persons of Spanish origin working as managers and administrators (5 percent) was significantly lower than for the overall population (11 percent). However, the proportion of Spanish persons working as operatives (e.g., garage workers and attendants, produce packers, manufacturing checkers) was greater (26 percent) than for similarly employed persons in the overall population (15 percent).

The occupational distribution of Spanish persons also varied by sex. Although about 7 percent of Spanish men

were employed as managers and administrators, only 4 percent of Spanish women were in those professions; about 29 percent of employed women of Spanish origin were working in clerical or similar occupations, compared with only 6 percent of employed Spanish men.

Additionally, within the population of Spanish origin differences existed in the occupational distribution. For instance, the proportion of Mexican origin men working as farm workers (7 percent) was much larger than for Puerto Rican men (1 percent), and there was some evidence that the proportion of Puerto Rican origin men working in service occupations was larger (19 percent) than the proportion of Mexican origin men employed in that type of occupation (13 percent) (table E, 9 and 10).

Income of persons. In the CPS of March 1977, most men of Spanish origin 14 years old and over reported having income in 1976, but this income was substantially lower than the income for men not of Spanish origin. Median income in 1976 for Spanish origin men 14 years old and over with income was about \$7,050 compared with about \$9,580 for men not of Spanish origin.

Furthermore, a significantly smaller proportion of Spanish men were in the upper end of the income distribution compared with men not of Spanish origin. Only about 14 percent of Spanish origin men 14 years old and over had incomes of over \$15,000 in 1976, but the corresponding proportion for men not of Spanish origin was twice as high.

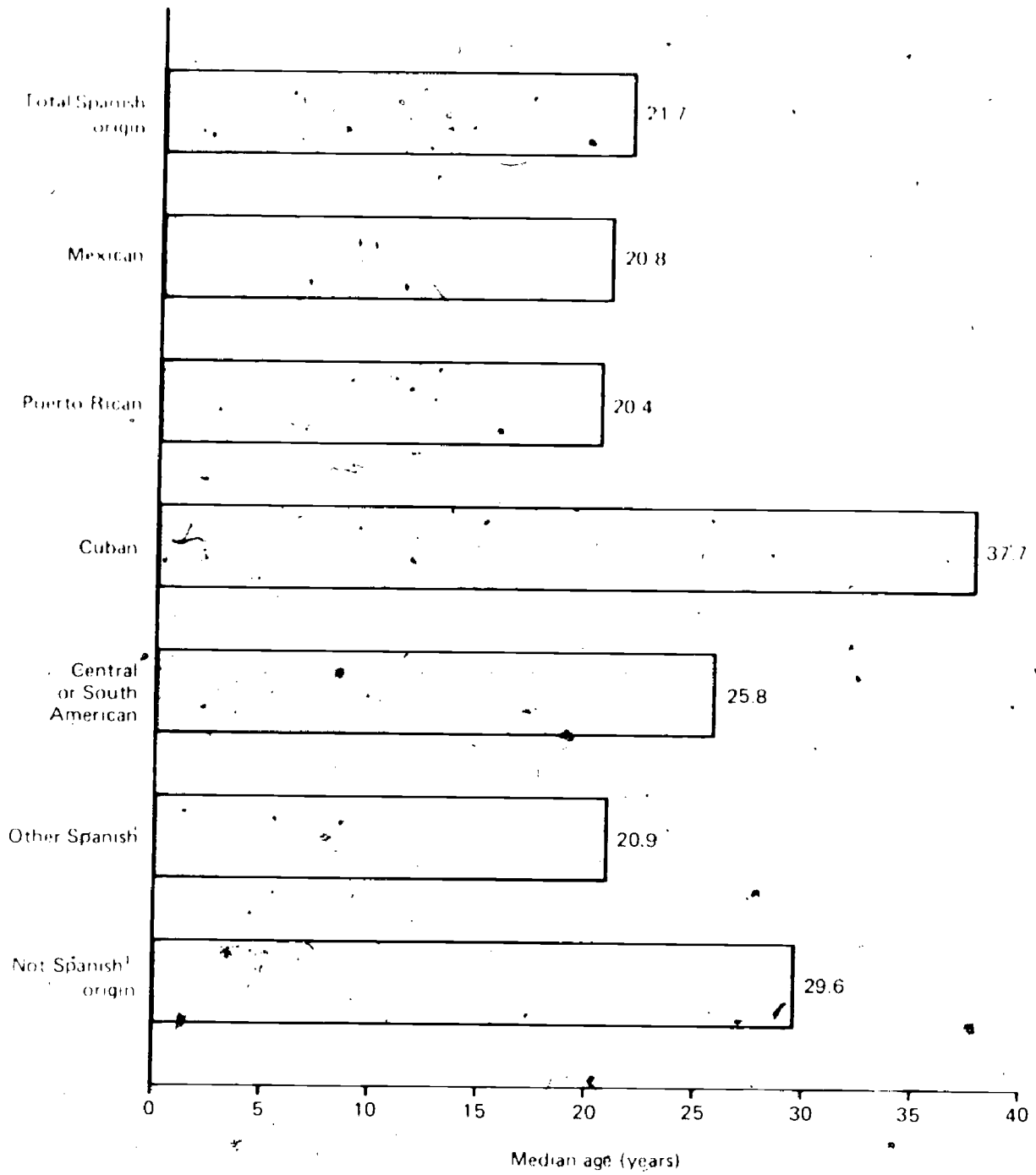
Table D. Marital Status of Persons of Spanish Origin 14 Years Old and Over by Type of Spanish Origin and Sex

Sex and origin	Total persons, 14 years old and over (thousands)	Percent	Marital status			
			Single	Married	Widowed	Divorced
MALE						
Total.....	3,526	100.0	33.5	61.0	1.9	3.6
Mexican.....	2,057	100.0	33.0	61.8	1.8	3.4
Puerto Rican.....	487	100.0	33.1	60.7	1.9	3.3
Cuban.....	254	100.0	29.7	62.8	1.4	6.1
Other Spanish ¹	730	100.0	36.8	58.4	1.6	3.6
Not of Spanish origin ² ...	75,256	100.0	30.0	63.5	2.4	4.0
FEMALE						
Total.....	4,922	100.0	27.3	59.9	6.4	6.4
Mexican.....	2,209	100.0	28.1	60.1	6.2	5.6
Puerto Rican.....	592	100.0	26.9	60.0	5.2	8.0
Cuban.....	300	100.0	23.3	57.0	11.8	7.9
Other Spanish.....	821	100.0	26.8	60.7	5.8	6.7
Not of Spanish origin ² ...	82,231	100.0	23.2	59.3	11.9	5.6

¹ Includes Central or South American origin and other Spanish origin.

² Includes persons who did not know or did not report on origin.

FIGURE 1
Median Age of Persons by Spanish Origin and Type of Spanish Origin



¹ Includes persons who did not know or did not report on origin.

26 percent female, the proportion of Spanish women with an income in 1976 (7.2 percent) was 1 percent lower than that of women of all Spanish origin (8.4 percent).

Spanish origin women did not fare as well in terms of income opportunity as men in 1976. The median income of Spanish women with income in 1976, about \$3,499, was only one-half that of Spanish origin men (\$7,040). Also, although 8 percent of Spanish origin men had income levels from \$5,000 to about \$7,000, only 1 percent of women of Spanish origin had income below that amount in 1976. In addition, about 2 percent of men of Spanish origin had incomes of \$25,000 or more, but only about 0.4 percent of Spanish origin women had incomes at that level.

Differences in income levels were also noticeable by type of Spanish origin. Even though the median income of Mexican origin men was significantly different from the median of Puerto Rican men, Puerto Rican women had a substantially higher median income in 1976 than Mexican origin women, \$3,930 versus \$2,975. And, although about 1 out of 5 Puerto Rican women with income in 1976 had an income under \$2,000, about 1 out of 3 Mexican origin women had an income under \$2,000.

Both men and women of Spanish origin residing in metropolitan areas had, on the average, higher incomes than

Spanish persons living in nonmetropolitan areas. Specifically, Spanish men in all areas of metropolitan areas had a median income of \$7,466 in 1976, as compared with a median of \$5,200 for Spanish men in nonmetropolitan areas. Similarly, the median income of Spanish women living in metropolitan areas was \$4,417, compared with a median income of \$2,422 for Spanish women living in nonmetropolitan areas.

Usually, the higher the educational level, the more the income. The median income, and the percentage of persons of Spanish origin, Spanish persons with 4 years or more of college had earned in income in 1976 of \$11,436, but those with only 8 years of elementary school had a median income of \$9,297 (table 6 and 12-17).

CHARACTERISTICS OF FAMILIES

Family composition and size. In March 1977, there were 2.6 million families of Spanish origin in the United States, about 7 million were husband-wife families, and about 9,200,000 (1 out of 5) of all Spanish families were maintained by a woman of Spanish origin with no husband present.

The proportion of Spanish origin families maintained by a woman differed substantially by type of Spanish origin. For

Table E. Percent of the Spanish Origin Population 25 Years Old and Over by Years of School Completed, Type of Spanish Origin, and Age

(For meaning of symbols, see text.)

Years of school completed and age	Total Spanish origin	Mexican origin	Puerto Rican origin	Cuban origin	Other Spanish origin ¹	Not of Spanish origin ²
PERCENT COMPLETED LESS THAN 4 YEARS OF SCHOOL						
Total, 25 years and over.....	16.9	24.3	18.8	11.6	7.9	6.1
25 to 29 years.....	7.1	8.4	6.6	(B)	6.3	6.5
30 to 34 years.....	7.9	10.9	8.6	(B)	7.7	7.5
35 to 39 years.....	12.9	10.9	18.6	7.0	7.3	11.2
40 to 64 years.....	25.9	30.1	25.3	11.1	8.5	31.1
65 years and over.....	49.5	60.5	(B)	20.6	25.6	61.0
PERCENT COMPLETED 4 YEARS OF HIGH SCHOOL OR MORE						
Total, 25 years and over.....	89.6	33.0	49.6	43.5	87.9	66.3
25 to 29 years.....	82.1	52.3	41.0	(B)	71.0	80.9
30 to 34 years.....	87.9	43.7	38.7	(B)	61.8	82.8
35 to 39 years.....	81.3	36.7	39.4	33.9	60.1	70.5
40 to 64 years.....	91.1	19.7	19.6	41.7	41.7	61.7
65 years and over.....	10.5	3.0	(B)	38.0	9.0	37.9
PERCENT COMPLETED 4 YEARS OF COLLEGE OR MORE						
Total, 25 years and over.....	0.7	3.9	2.8	12.1	41.9	14.8

¹Includes Central or South American origin and other Spanish origin.
²Includes persons who did not know or did not report on origin.

In 1976, Spanish families maintained by a man had a higher median income (\$11,800) than did Spanish families maintained by a woman (\$5,100); this was noticeable throughout the income distribution of Spanish families. For instance, about 36 percent of Spanish families maintained by men had incomes of \$15,000 or more, while only 7 percent of Spanish families maintained by women had incomes at that level. At the lower end of the income scale, the proportional differences were reversed; only 4 percent of male-maintained Spanish families had incomes under \$3,000, but 19 percent of female-maintained Spanish families had incomes under that amount.

As expected, the less the education of adults, the less the family income. In March 1976, for Spanish origin families in which the person maintaining the family reported less than 8 years of school completed, the median family income was

only \$7,900; but the median income of Spanish families in which the corresponding person had completed 4 years of high school was \$13,200; and the median family income of families in which the person maintaining the family had completed 4 years of college or more was about \$20,000.

Spanish families residing in the Nation's metropolitan areas were more likely to be affluent than Spanish families living outside metropolitan areas. The median income in 1976 of Spanish families living in metropolitan areas was \$10,600 compared with a median of \$9,100 for Spanish families living outside metropolitan areas (tables J and 25-30).

Poverty status. In 1976, about 600,000 families of Spanish origin (23 percent of all Spanish families in the Nation) were living below the poverty level.

Table G. Income in 1976 of Persons of Spanish Origin 14 Years Old and Over With Income by Type of Spanish Origin and Sex

(For meaning of symbols, see text)

Sex and type of Spanish origin	Median income	Percent with income below \$5,000	Percent with income of \$25,000 or more
BOTH SEXES			
Total, Spanish origin.....	\$5,024	49.8	1.1
Mexican.....	4,873	51.1	0.8
Puerto Rican.....	4,890	50.9	0.6
Cuban.....	4,975	50.1	1.2
Other Spanish ¹	5,495	45.8	2.3
Not of Spanish origin ²	6,064	43.7	3.9
MALE			
Total, Spanish origin.....	\$7,050	35.4	1.9
Mexican.....	6,891	35.9	1.4
Puerto Rican.....	7,124	36.8	0.8
Cuban.....	7,515	33.7	2.4
Other Spanish ¹	7,342	33.7	4.1
Not of Spanish origin ²	9,580	28.6	7.0
FEMALE			
Total, Spanish origin.....	\$3,359	67.1	0.1
Mexican.....	2,925	71.2	0.1
Puerto Rican.....	3,930	66.0	0.3
Cuban.....	3,224	65.9	-
Other Spanish ¹	4,153	58.8	0.2
Not of Spanish origin ²	3,588	61.1	0.5

¹Includes Central or South American origin and other Spanish origin.

²Includes persons who did not know or did not report on origin.

FIGURE 3
Percent of Persons of Spanish Origin 14 Years Old
and Over by Marital Status and Sex

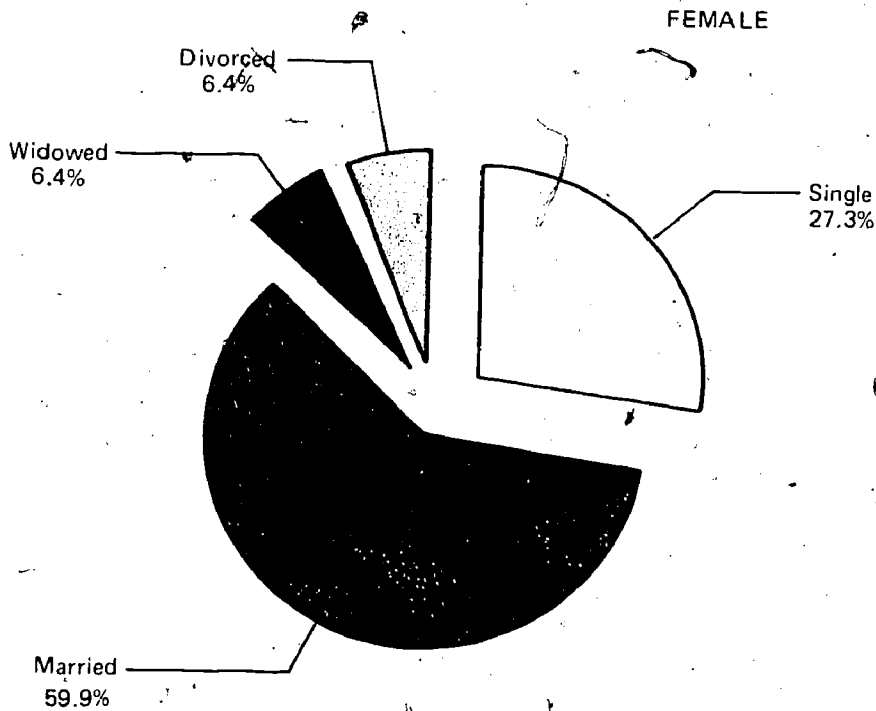
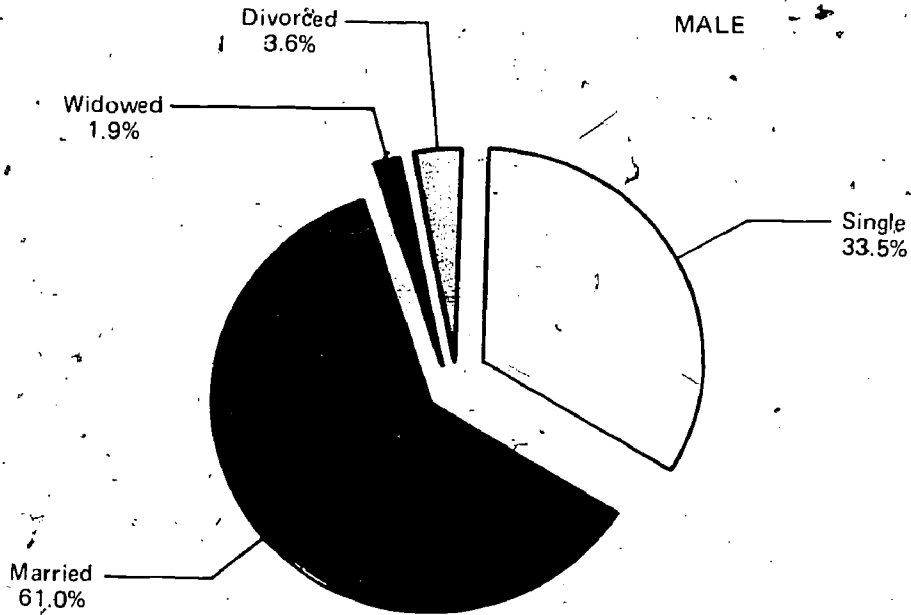
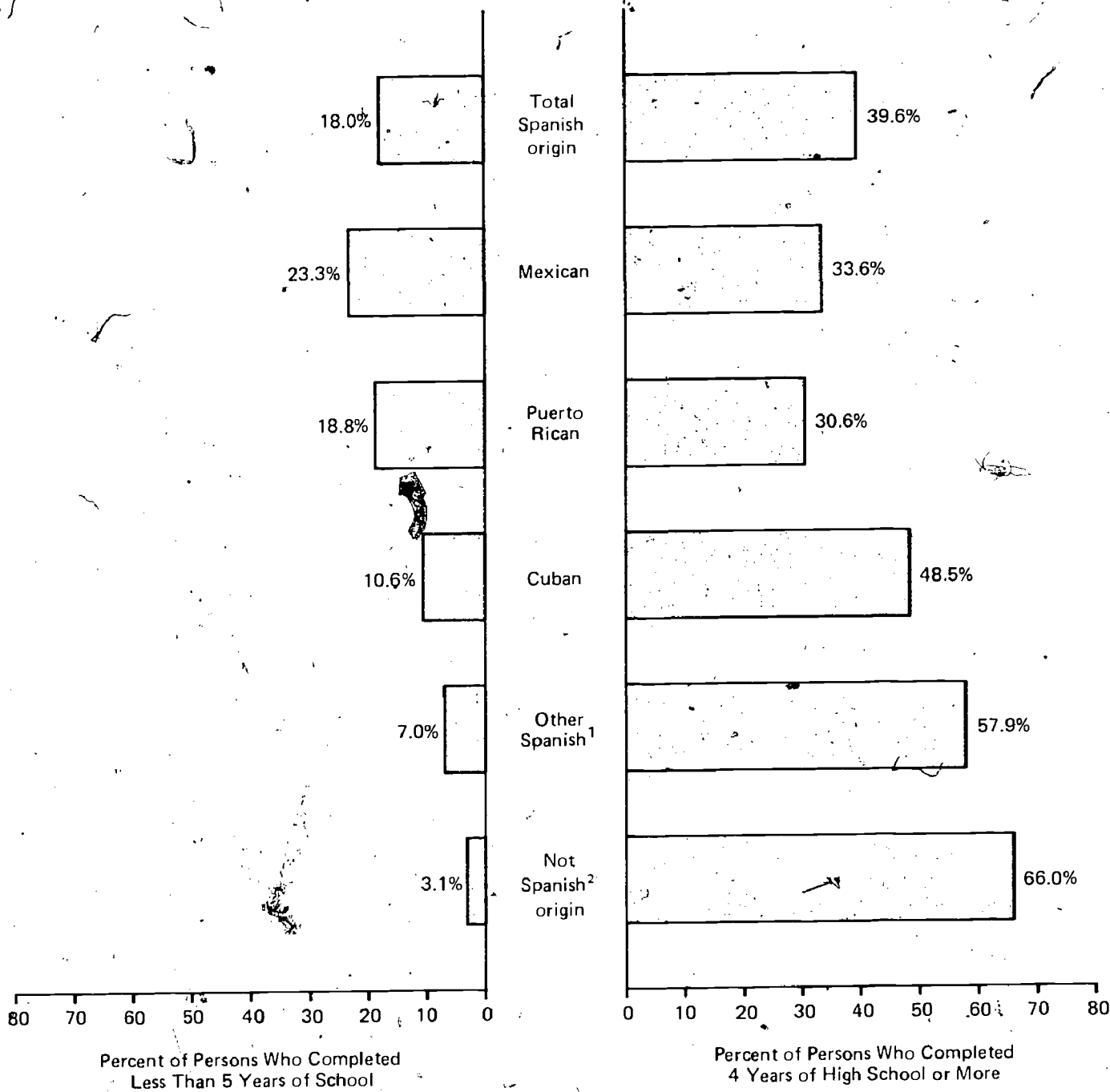


FIGURE 4.
Percent of Persons 25 Years Old and Over
by Years of School Completed, Spanish
Origin, and Type of Spanish Origin



¹ Includes Central or South American origin and other Spanish origin.

² Includes persons who did not know or did not report on origin.

Of Spanish families below the poverty level, the majority, about 517,000, had related children under 18 years old as members of the family. The average number of children in these families was about 2.8 children per family.

Lack of high school education for adults in the family characterized Spanish origin families in poverty status. In about 420,000 Spanish families below the poverty level (about 71 percent of all Spanish families at this level), the person maintaining the family was not a high school graduate.

In addition, a large proportion of families maintained by a woman of Spanish origin were below the poverty level. Of the approximately 500,000 families of this type in the Nation, about 275,000, or 1 out of 2, were below the poverty level (tables K, 31, and 32).

COMPARABILITY OF DATA WITH THE 1970 CENSUS

An estimate of 9.1 million persons of Spanish origin was obtained from the 1970 Census of Population, compared with an estimated 11.3 million persons of Spanish origin obtained from the March 1977 CPS. This difference between the 1970 census and the March 1977 CPS estimates of persons of Spanish origin occurred mostly because of:

1. **Survey procedures.** Although the 1970 census used both self-enumeration and direct interviews to collect data

on persons of Spanish origin, the March 1977 CPS was done entirely by direct interviews (much by telephone).

2. **Mexican origin categories.** The 1970 census question on Spanish origin had only one category denoting Mexican origin, whereas the March 1977 CPS had four categories for Mexican origin.

3. **Determining origin of children under 14 years old.** In the 1970 census the respondents themselves determined whether their children under 14 years old were or were not of Spanish origin. In the March 1977 CPS, children under 14 years old in a household were classified as of Spanish origin if either the household head or his wife was of Spanish origin.

4. **Sample size and variability.** The 1970 census information on persons of Spanish origin was based on a sample of 5 percent of the population; the March 1977 CPS information was based on a sample of about 1 in 800 persons. Sampling variability, therefore, also affected comparability of data for persons of Spanish origin between the 1970 census and the March 1977 CPS.

5. **Population growth.** Growth of the Spanish population is another reason why the 1970 census estimate of the number of persons of Spanish origin differs from that of the March 1977 CPS. Although birth, death, and migration data on persons of Spanish origin are not available nationally, nor can these data be, at present, precisely estimated, rough computations indicate an approximate rate of natural increase (excess of births over deaths) of about 1.8 percent

Table H. Residence of Spanish Origin Families by Type of Spanish Origin

(Numbers in thousands)

Area	Total Spanish origin	Mexican origin	Puerto Rican origin	Cuban origin	Other Spanish origin ¹	Not of Spanish origin ²
Total families.....	2,583	1,455	443	189	497	54,126
Metropolitan areas.....	2,196	1,157	425	185	428	35,759
Central cities.....	1,326	645	342	91	248	14,203
Balance.....	870	511	83	95	180	21,556
Nonmetropolitan areas.....	388	298	17	3	69	18,368
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION						
Total families.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Metropolitan areas.....	85.0	79.5	96.1	97.9	86.1	66.1
Central cities.....	51.3	44.4	77.2	48.1	49.9	26.2
Balance.....	33.7	35.1	18.8	50.3	36.2	39.8
Nonmetropolitan areas.....	15.0	20.5	3.9	1.6	13.9	33.9

¹Includes Central or South American origin and other Spanish origin.

²Includes persons who did not know or did not report on origin.

per year or 12.6 percent for the period between 1970 and 1977. Furthermore, net immigration from abroad could also have contributed significant growth. For example, in the 7-year period ending June 30, 1977, about 766,000 immigrants were admitted to the United States from all Spanish-speaking countries as permanent residents.

Thus, all told, population growth for the period from April 1970 to March 1977 may account for seven-eighths of the difference between the 1970 census and the March 1977 figures; the balance in the difference can be accounted for by the other reasons noted above.

Table I. Spanish Origin Families by Type of Spanish Origin and Size of Family

Family size	Total Spanish origin	Mexican origin	Puerto Rican origin	Cuban origin	Other Spanish origin ¹	Not of Spanish origin ²
All families.....thousands..	2,583	1,455	443	189	497	54,126
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2 persons.....	24.1	20.7	24.5	35.4	29.2	38.6
3 persons.....	23.0	21.1	28.9	21.2	24.1	21.9
4 persons.....	22.3	21.3	20.2	29.1	24.1	20.2
5 persons.....	14.2	16.4	13.2	6.3	11.9	10.8
6 persons.....	8.7	10.2	7.8	4.8	6.4	4.8
7 or more persons.....	7.7	10.3	5.3	3.2	4.4	3.7
Mean number of persons.....	3.88	4.12	3.69	3.32	3.56	3.34

¹ Includes Central or South American origin and other Spanish origin.

² Includes persons who did not know or did not report on origin.

Table J. Income in 1976 of Spanish Origin Families by Type of Spanish Origin

Type of Spanish family	Median family income	Percent of families with income below \$4,000	Percent of families with income of \$15,000 or more
Total, Spanish origin.....	\$10,259	13.5	30.1
Mexican.....	10,322	12.5	29.1
Puerto Rican.....	7,669	21.6	19.4
Cuban.....	11,773	15.4	39.8
Central or South American.....	12,199	3.9	33.3
Other Spanish.....	12,218	11.2	40.5
Not of Spanish origin ¹	15,176	6.6	50.8

¹ Includes families with head who did not know or did not report on origin.

FIGURE 5.
Percent Distribution of Employed Persons 16
Years Old and Over by Major
Occupation Group, Spanish
Origin, and Sex

Spanish origin
 Not Spanish origin

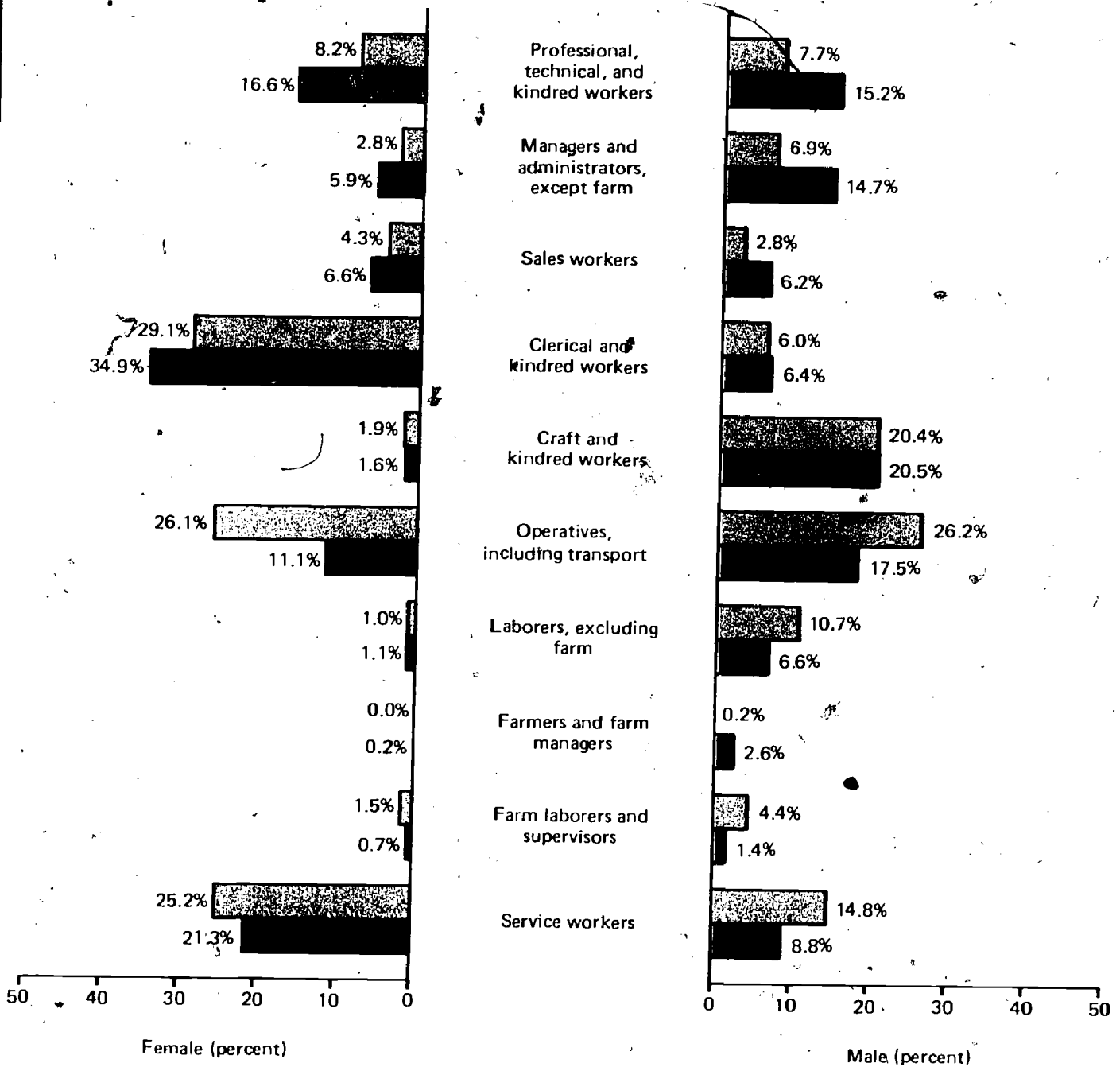
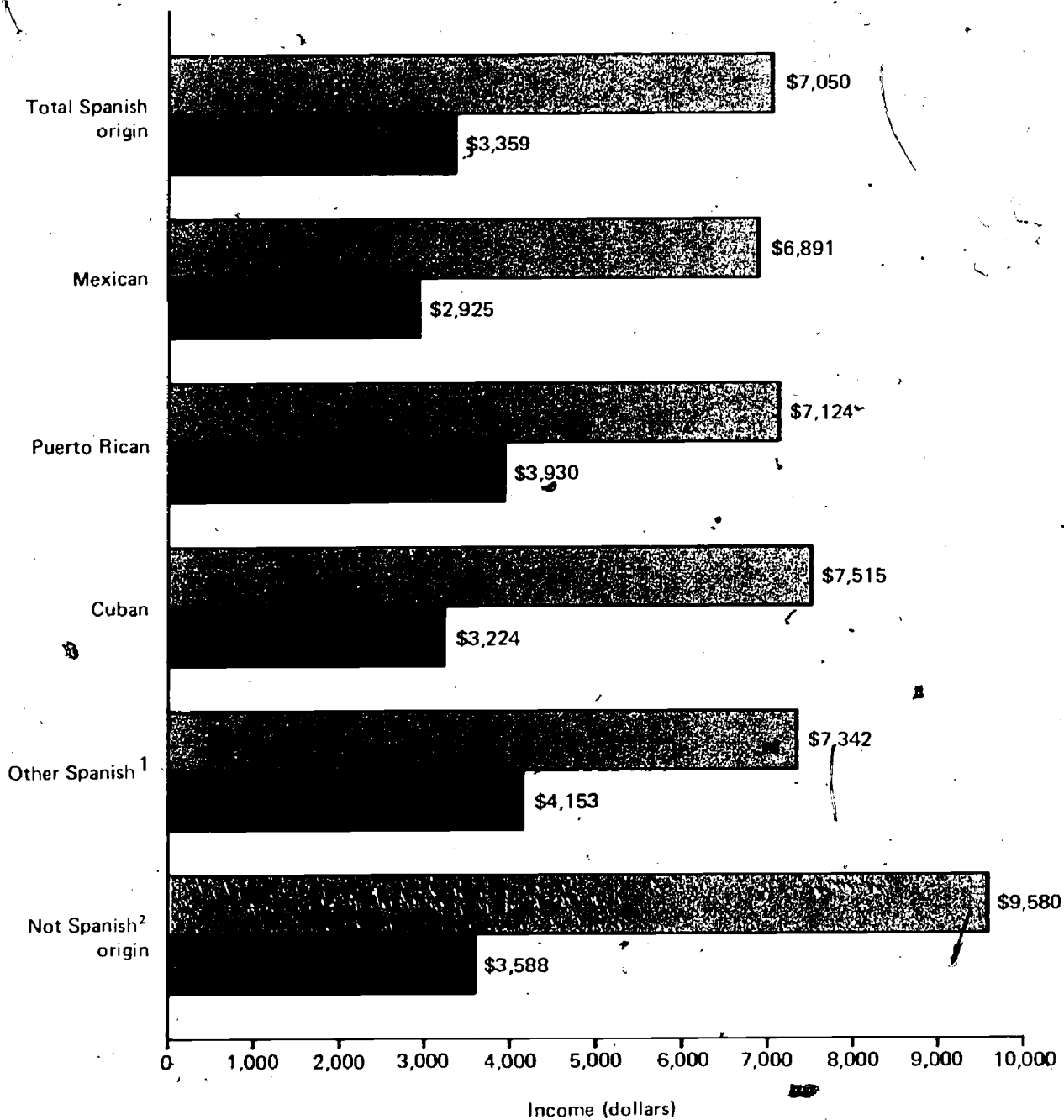


FIGURE 6.
Median Income in 1976 of Persons
14 Years Old and Over by Spanish Origin,
Type of Spanish Origin, and Sex

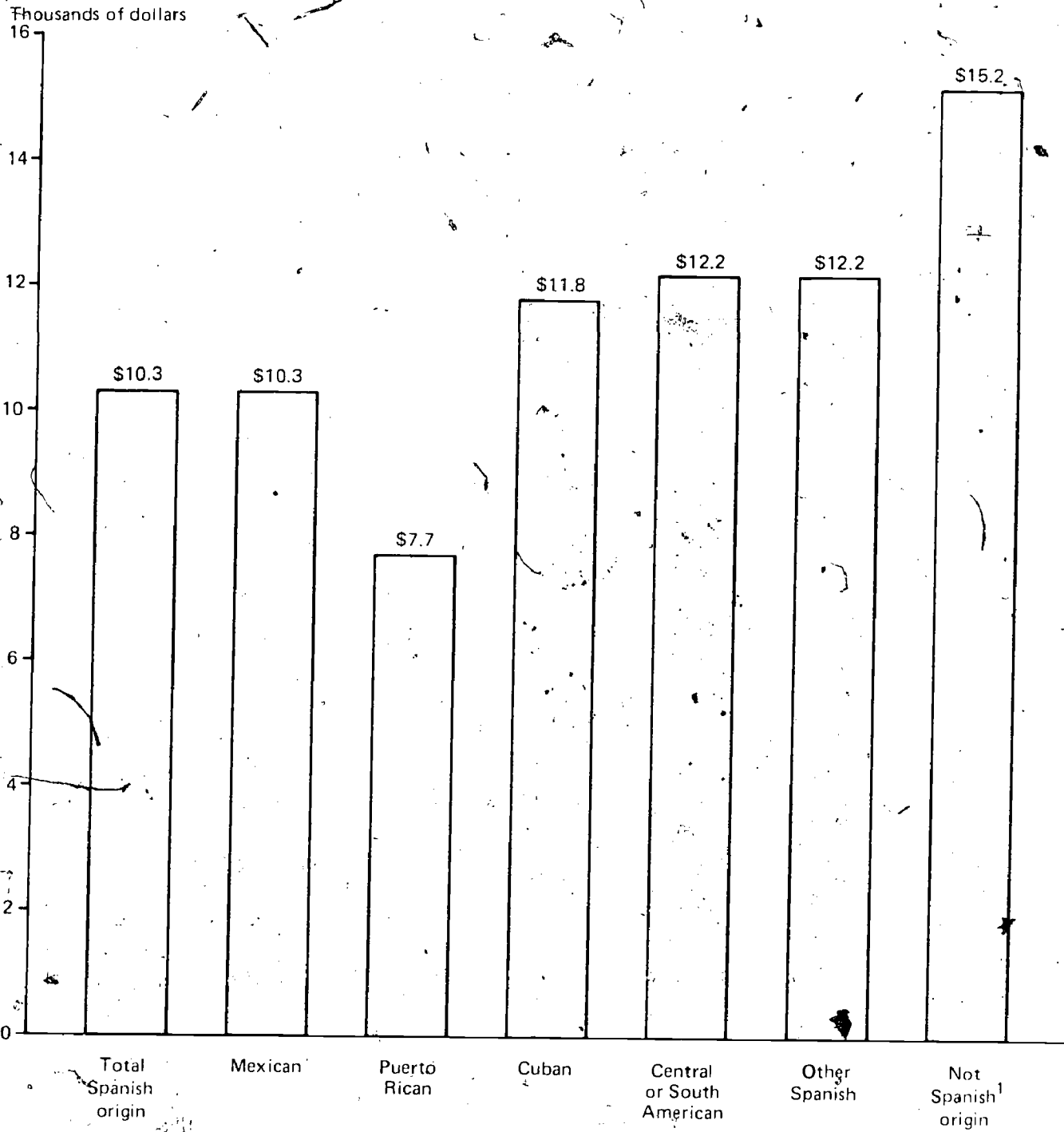
Male
 Female



¹ Includes Central or South American origin and other Spanish origin.

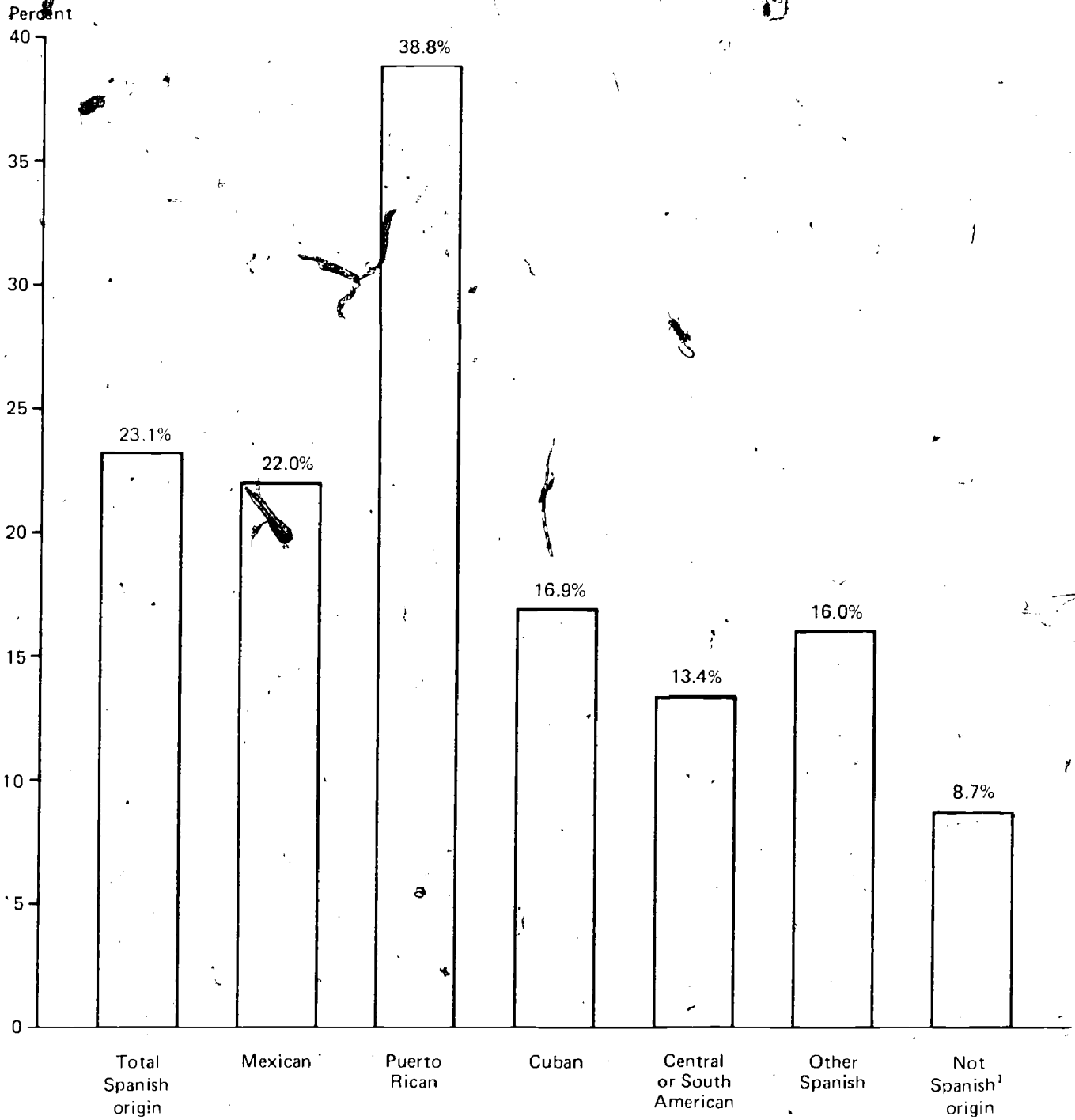
² Includes persons who did not know or did not report on origin.

FIGURE 7.
Median Income in 1976 of Families
by Spanish Origin and
Type of Spanish Origin



¹ Includes persons who did not know or did not report on origin.

FIGURE 8.
Percent of Families in Poverty Status in
1976 by Spanish Origin and
Type of Spanish Origin



¹ Includes persons who did not know or did not report on origin

Table K. Summary Characteristics of Spanish and Mexican Origin Families by Poverty Status

(Numbers in thousands. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Selected characteristic	Spanish origin			Mexican origin			Non-Spanish ¹		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent		Number	Percent		Number	Percent
Families.....	2,583	598	23.1	1,455	320	22.0	54,126	4,213	8.7
Mean size of family ²	4.08	4.21	...	4.26	4.52	...	3.34	3.63	...
With related children under 18 years old.....	1,899	517	27.2	1,112	278	25.0	29,534	3,544	12.0
Mean number of related children.....	2.49	2.75	...	2.56	2.94	...	2.00	2.44	...
Persons maintaining the family:									
65 years old and over.....	173	44	25.7	94	27	28.7	7,968	681	8.5
Not a high school graduate ³ ..	1,394	422	30.3	841	234	27.8	17,191	2,492	14.5
Worked last year.....	2,006	272	13.6	1,205	194	16.1	43,031	2,273	5.3
Worked year round full time.	1,337	82	6.2	786	59	7.5	32,026	771	2.4
Woman.....	517	275	53.1	235	119	50.6	7,196	2,268	31.5

¹Includes families maintained by persons who did not know or did not report on origin.²Mean based on persons of Spanish or other origin in Spanish origin families.³Person 25 years and over.**Table L. Number of Persons of Spanish Origin: 1970 Census and March 1977 Current Population Survey**

Type of Spanish origin	1970 census	1977 CPS	
		Number	Percent change
Total.....	9,072,602	11,269,000	24.2
Mexican origin.....	4,532,435	6,545,000	44.4
Puerto Rican origin.....	1,429,396	1,742,000	21.9
Cuban origin.....	544,600	681,000	25.0
Central or South American origin.....	1,508,866	872,000	¹ -42.2
Other Spanish origin.....	1,057,305	1,428,000	35.1

¹Decrease in the number of persons designated as of Central or South American origin between 1970 and 1977 may have occurred because of: (1) a shift to one of the four Mexican origin categories included in the March 1977 CPS, and (2) the replacement of self-reporting with direct interview.

NOTE

In the past the Census Bureau has designated a head of household to serve as the central reference person for the collection and tabulation of data for individual members of the household (or family). However, recent social changes have resulted in a trend toward recognition of more equal status for all members of the household (or family), making the term "head" less relevant in the analysis of household and family data. As a result, the Bureau is currently developing new techniques of enumeration and data presentation which will eliminate the concept of "head." While much of the data in this report are based on the concept of "head," methodology for future Census Bureau reports will reflect a gradual movement away from this traditional practice.

Table 1. POPULATION OF SPANISH ORIGIN BY SEX AND TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN, FOR THE UNITED STATES AND THE FIVE SOUTHWESTERN STATES

(March 1977. Numbers in thousands)

	UNITED STATES			FIVE SOUTHWESTERN STATES		
	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
ALL SPANISH ORIGIN	12,930	4.7	1,293	10.0	1,293	10.0
Male	6,450	4.5	645	10.0	645	10.0
Female	6,480	4.9	648	10.0	648	10.0
By type of Spanish origin						
Mexican	8,100	6.3	810	63.5	810	63.5
Puerto Rican	2,800	2.2	280	22.0	280	22.0
Cuban	1,200	0.9	120	9.3	120	9.3
Central or South American	500	0.4	50	3.9	50	3.9
Other Spanish	830	0.6	83	6.5	83	6.5

FIGURES FOR THE FIVE SOUTHWESTERN STATES ARE FOR ARIZONA, CALIFORNIA, NEW MEXICO, TEXAS, AND UTAH.

Table 2. TOTAL AND SPANISH ORIGIN POPULATION BY BROAD AGE GROUPS, SEX, AND TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN

SEX AND AGE	TOTAL POPULATION	SPANISH ORIGIN					
		TOTAL	MEXICAN	PUERTO RICAN	CUBAN	CENTRAL OR SOUTH AMERICAN	OTHER SPANISH
BOTH SEXES							
MEDIAN AGE YEARS.	29.2	21.7	20.8	20.4	37.7	25.8	20.9
PERCENT:							
UNDER 5 YEARS OLD.	7.2	12.4	13.3	12.8	4.3	11.7	11.9
18 YEARS OLD AND OVER.	69.8	57.7	56.2	54.2	73.8	53.2	57.4
65 YEARS OLD AND OVER.	10.4	4.1	3.5	2.8	11.2	2.3	5.6
MALE							
MEDIAN AGE YEARS.	28.1	20.6	20.4	18.9	35.2	23.6	18.9
PERCENT:							
UNDER 5 YEARS OLD.	7.6	13.1	13.9	13.1	5.0	12.9	13.1
18 YEARS OLD AND OVER.	68.2	55.5	55.0	51.5	69.3	50.5	52.8
65 YEARS OLD AND OVER.	8.9	3.9	3.5	2.5	14.9	2.1	5.9
FEMALE							
MEDIAN AGE YEARS.	30.2	22.6	21.2	21.5	39.6	27.1	22.8
PERCENT:							
UNDER 5 YEARS OLD.	6.8	11.7	12.6	12.6	3.6	10.4	10.8
18 YEARS OLD AND OVER.	71.2	59.7	57.4	56.5	77.9	55.9	61.8
65 YEARS OLD AND OVER.	11.8	4.4	3.8	3.1	13.7	2.5	5.4



Table 3. TOTAL AND SPANISH ORIGIN POPULATION BY AGE, SEX, AND TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN

(For the United States, March 1977)

Sex and age	Total population	Spanish origin					Other Spanish	Not of Spanish origin ¹
		Total	Mexican	Puerto Rican	Cuban	Central or South American		
BOTH SEXES								
Total..... thousands.....	212,566	11,269	6,545	1,742	681	872	1,428	201,297
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 5 years.....	7.2	12.4	13.3	12.8	4.3	11.7	11.9	6.9
5 and 6 years.....	3.3	5.1	5.1	6.0	4.5	4.7	5.0	3.1
7 to 9 years.....	4.8	7.1	7.0	9.3	3.8	6.0	7.0	4.7
10 to 13 years.....	7.1	9.3	9.5	10.0	6.0	7.5	10.3	7.0
14 and 15 years.....	3.9	4.4	4.7	4.4	4.4	2.9	4.1	3.9
16 and 17 years.....	3.9	4.0	4.3	3.4	3.2	4.1	4.3	3.9
18 and 19 years.....	3.8	4.4	4.6	3.5	4.0	3.3	3.4	3.8
20 and 21 years.....	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.8	4.2	2.9	4.3	3.8
22 to 24 years.....	5.3	5.7	6.4	4.9	2.2	5.2	5.3	5.3
25 to 29 years.....	8.2	8.1	8.3	8.9	4.8	11.0	6.2	8.2
30 to 34 years.....	7.0	7.0	6.8	7.3	4.6	12.4	5.5	7.0
35 to 44 years.....	10.9	11.2	10.8	11.4	14.8	15.4	8.7	10.9
45 to 54 years.....	11.0	8.2	7.2	7.6	17.3	8.4	8.8	11.1
55 to 64 years.....	9.4	5.0	4.5	4.1	10.6	2.3	7.0	9.7
65 to 74 years.....	6.7	2.8	2.4	2.2	7.5	1.8	4.0	6.9
75 years and over.....	3.7	1.3	1.3	0.6	3.7	0.5	1.6	3.9
18 years and over.....	69.8	57.7	56.2	54.2	73.8	63.2	57.4	70.4
21 years and over.....	64.0	51.2	49.5	49.0	66.8	58.5	49.8	64.7
Median age..... years.....	29.2	21.7	20.8	20.4	37.7	25.8	20.9	29.6
MALE								
Total..... thousands.....	103,081	5,486	3,223	809	323	429	703	97,595
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 5 years.....	7.6	13.1	13.9	13.1	5.0	12.9	13.1	7.3
5 and 6 years.....	3.4	5.5	5.5	5.8	5.5	5.1	5.7	3.8
7 to 9 years.....	5.1	7.6	7.2	10.5	4.1	6.1	8.2	4.0
10 to 13 years.....	7.5	9.5	9.6	10.3	6.8	7.5	10.8	7.4
14 and 15 years.....	4.1	4.6	4.6	5.2	5.8	3.3	4.4	4.1
16 and 17 years.....	4.1	4.2	4.2	3.5	3.6	4.6	5.0	4.1
18 and 19 years.....	3.9	4.4	4.2	3.6	3.9	4.0	6.4	3.8
20 and 21 years.....	3.8	3.8	4.0	3.4	4.1	3.9	3.2	3.8
22 to 24 years.....	5.3	5.5	6.2	5.1	1.9	4.8	4.7	5.3
25 to 29 years.....	8.3	7.8	8.5	6.7	4.6	8.6	6.3	8.4
30 to 34 years.....	7.1	6.9	6.9	6.4	4.5	13.5	4.6	7.1
35 to 44 years.....	10.9	10.6	10.2	11.5	13.3	14.1	7.5	10.9
45 to 54 years.....	10.9	8.0	7.0	7.6	18.5	7.9	7.8	11.1
55 to 64 years.....	9.2	4.8	4.5	4.7	9.5	1.6	6.4	9.4
65 to 74 years.....	6.0	2.6	2.3	1.8	6.4	1.3	4.0	6.1
75 years and over.....	2.9	1.3	1.2	0.7	2.5	0.8	1.9	3.0
18 years and over.....	68.2	55.5	55.0	51.5	69.3	60.5	52.8	68.9
21 years and over.....	62.5	49.2	48.7	46.8	62.6	55.3	46.5	63.2
Median age..... years.....	28.1	20.6	20.4	18.9	35.2	23.6	18.9	28.6
FEMALE								
Total..... thousands.....	109,485	5,782	3,322	934	358	443	725	103,702
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 5 years.....	6.8	11.7	12.6	12.6	3.6	10.4	10.8	6.5
5 and 6 years.....	3.1	4.8	4.7	6.2	3.6	4.2	4.3	3.0
7 to 9 years.....	4.6	6.6	6.8	8.1	3.5	5.8	5.9	4.5
10 to 13 years.....	6.8	9.1	9.4	9.7	5.6	7.4	9.9	6.7
14 and 15 years.....	3.7	4.2	4.7	3.5	3.3	2.5	3.8	3.7
16 and 17 years.....	3.8	3.9	4.4	3.4	2.8	3.7	3.6	3.7
18 and 19 years.....	3.8	4.4	5.0	3.3	4.1	2.7	4.5	3.8
20 and 21 years.....	3.7	4.0	3.9	4.1	4.2	2.0	5.5	3.7
22 to 24 years.....	5.2	6.0	6.6	4.8	2.5	5.5	6.6	5.2
25 to 29 years.....	8.1	8.4	8.0	10.7	5.0	13.4	6.1	8.1
30 to 34 years.....	6.9	7.2	6.8	8.1	4.7	11.3	6.3	6.9
35 to 44 years.....	10.9	11.8	11.3	11.3	16.2	16.7	9.9	10.8
45 to 54 years.....	11.0	8.4	7.4	7.5	16.3	8.8	9.8	11.2
55 to 64 years.....	9.7	5.1	4.6	3.5	11.6	3.1	7.7	9.9
65 to 74 years.....	7.3	3.1	2.5	2.6	8.6	2.3	4.0	7.5
75 years and over.....	4.5	1.3	1.3	0.5	4.8	0.2	1.4	4.7
18 years and over.....	71.2	57.6	57.6	56.5	77.9	65.9	61.8	71.8
21 years and over.....	65.5	53.0	50.2	50.9	70.6	61.6	55.0	66.2
Median age..... years.....	30.2	22.6	21.2	21.5	39.6	27.1	22.8	30.8

¹Includes persons who did not know or did not report on origin.

Table 4. TOTAL AND SPANISH ORIGIN POPULATION BY AGE, SEX, AND TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN, FOR THE FIVE SOUTHWESTERN STATES

Sex and age	Total population	Total Spanish origin	Mexican origin	Other Spanish origin	Net of Spanish origin
Both sexes					
Total (thousands).....	62,961	6,270	3,991	2,279	41,771
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 5 years.....	7.6	12.8	13.7	10.5	6.6
5 and 6 years.....	4.1	4.9	5.1	4.1	3.9
7 to 9 years.....	4.7	6.9	7.4	5.6	4.1
10 to 13 years.....	6.2	9.1	9.7	7.9	5.7
14 and 15 years.....	4.7	6.5	6.8	5.4	4.6
16 and 17 years.....	3.8	5.7	5.7	4.7	3.7
18 and 19 years.....	3.7	5.5	5.5	4.7	3.5
20 and 21 years.....	4.0	5.9	5.9	4.3	3.0
22 to 24 years.....	5.8	6.3	6.6	5.9	5.7
25 to 29 years.....	9.2	8.5	8.5	8.3	9.3
30 to 34 years.....	7.5	6.8	7.0	5.5	7.6
35 to 44 years.....	11.1	10.6	10.7	10.1	11.7
45 to 54 years.....	10.5	9.7	7.1	11.0	10.9
55 to 64 years.....	9.6	5.3	4.8	8.1	9.8
65 to 74 years.....	6.2	2.8	2.6	3.1	6.9
75 years and over.....	3.9	1.3	1.3	1.3	3.8
18 years and over.....	70.3	57.8	56.8	63.3	72.8
21 years and over.....	64.5	51.7	50.3	56.5	67.7
Median age..... years.....	28.7	21.7	21.7	26.2	30.2
MALE					
Total (thousands).....	19,707	1,785	1,810	174	16,617
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 5 years.....	7.9	13.6	13.9	11.3	6.7
5 and 6 years.....	4.5	5.3	5.4	4.8	4.2
7 to 9 years.....	5.0	7.7	7.3	6.6	4.5
10 to 13 years.....	7.0	9.7	9.3	8.7	6.5
14 and 15 years.....	4.0	5.5	5.3	4.3	3.9
16 and 17 years.....	3.9	4.1	3.9	5.0	3.8
18 and 19 years.....	3.7	4.1	3.9	5.3	3.7
20 and 21 years.....	3.9	3.8	3.8	4.1	4.0
22 to 24 years.....	5.7	6.1	6.2	5.6	5.6
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35 to 44 years.....	11.1	10.1	10.4	8.6	11.2
45 to 54 years.....	10.5	7.6	6.9	11.3	11.0
55 to 64 years.....	8.6	5.2	4.9	7.3	9.3
65 to 74 years.....	5.7	2.6	2.4	4.0	6.3
75 years and over.....	2.8	1.2	1.2	1.3	3.1
18 years and over.....	68.8	56.7	55.6	59.7	71.1
21 years and over.....	63.0	50.0	49.7	52.1	65.5
Median age..... years.....	27.9	21.1	20.9	27.2	29.3
FEMALE					
Total (thousands).....	20,261	1,385	2,880	500	16,856
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 5 years.....	7.3	12.1	12.5	9.8	6.6
5 and 6 years.....	4.0	4.5	4.7	3.4	3.7
7 to 9 years.....	4.4	6.5	6.8	4.7	4.0
10 to 13 years.....	6.5	8.9	9.1	7.7	6.0
14 and 15 years.....	3.6	4.4	4.4	4.4	3.2
16 and 17 years.....	3.6	4.3	4.4	3.4	3.5
18 and 19 years.....	3.7	4.9	5.0	4.2	3.4
20 and 21 years.....	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.5	4.0
22 to 24 years.....	5.9	6.6	6.6	6.5	5.8
25 to 29 years.....	9.0	8.2	8.2	8.6	9.1
30 to 34 years.....	7.4	6.9	6.9	6.7	7.5
35 to 44 years.....	11.2	11.0	11.0	11.4	11.3
45 to 54 years.....	10.4	7.8	7.1	10.7	10.9
55 to 64 years.....	9.4	5.4	4.8	8.8	10.2
65 to 74 years.....	6.2	3.0	2.8	4.1	7.4
75 years and over.....	3.0	1.5	1.5	1.5	4.4
18 years and over.....	71.7	59.1	58.0	66.7	74.2
21 years and over.....	66.0	57.3	50.9	60.6	68.8
Median age..... years.....	29.5	22.2	21.0	26.0	31.2

Includes Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American, and other Spanish origin. Excludes persons who did not know or did not report origin.

Table 5. MARITAL STATUS OF PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN AND SEX

(For the United States, March 1977)

MARITAL STATUS	TOTAL SPANISH ORIGIN		MEXICAN		PUERTO RICAN		CUBAN		CENTRAL OR SOUTH AMERICAN		OTHER SPANISH	
	MALE	FEMALE	MALE	FEMALE	MALE	FEMALE	MALE	FEMALE	MALE	FEMALE	MALE	FEMALE
NUMBER												
PERSONS 14 YEARS AND OVER	3 526	3 922	2 054	2 209	487	592	254	300	293	319	437	502
SINGLE	1 182	1 070	677	620	161	159	75	70	94	73	175	147
MARRIED	2 151	2 351	1 270	1 327	296	355	159	171	188	204	238	294
WIDOWED	66	252	37	138	14	31	4	35	2	21	10	27
DIVORCED	126	250	69	124	15	47	16	24	11	21	15	34
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION												
PERSONS 14 YEARS AND OVER	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
SINGLE	33.5	27.3	33.0	28.1	33.1	25.9	29.7	23.3	31.9	23.0	40.0	29.4
MARRIED	61.0	59.9	61.8	60.1	60.7	60.0	62.8	57.0	64.0	63.8	54.4	58.5
WIDOWED	1.9	6.4	1.8	6.2	2.9	5.2	1.4	11.8	0.5	6.5	2.3	5.4
DIVORCED	3.6	6.4	3.4	5.6	3.3	8.0	6.1	7.9	3.6	6.6	3.3	6.7

Table 6. MARITAL STATUS OF SPANISH ORIGIN PERSONS 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN, AGE, AND SEX

(For the United States, March 1977. For meaning of symbols, see text)

TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN, SEX, AND MARITAL STATUS	TOTAL, 14 YEARS AND OVER	AGE (YEARS)											
		14 AND 15	16 TO 19	20 TO 24	25 TO 29	30 TO 34	35 TO 39	40 TO 44	45 TO 49	50 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
SPANISH ORIGIN													
MALE THOUSANDS	3 526	254	467	506	428	377	297	282	240	197	152	113	211
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
SINGLE	33.5	98.7	93.2	56.2	20.5	8.9	5.9	3.7	7.1	4.5	10.7	3.6	6.1
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	57.6	0.3	6.4	38.9	71.5	79.5	85.9	84.2	80.9	81.1	78.2	80.8	65.3
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	3.4	-	0.4	3.0	4.1	5.8	3.5	4.0	5.4	4.7	3.5	2.4	3.9
WIDOWED	1.9	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	0.7	1.0	1.2	4.4	7.7	20.0
DIVORCED	3.6	-	-	1.9	3.8	4.4	4.7	7.4	5.6	8.4	3.3	5.5	3.6
FEMALE THOUSANDS	3 922	240	485	578	487	414	381	304	282	201	155	130	253
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
SINGLE	27.3	98.1	77.5	40.1	16.2	11.9	6.3	5.8	4.6	3.8	7.1	7.8	5.2
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	53.0	1.9	18.1	49.5	66.3	71.8	72.1	73.8	70.4	66.4	59.1	50.3	34.2
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	6.9	-	2.5	6.7	10.4	6.6	8.9	8.3	10.5	9.6	9.8	6.5	7.4
WIDOWED	6.4	-	0.4	0.4	0.7	1.1	2.1	2.3	5.0	9.1	15.2	23.0	53.7
DIVORCED	6.4	-	1.5	3.2	6.3	8.5	10.6	9.8	9.5	11.1	8.9	11.5	3.5
MEXICAN ORIGIN													
MALE THOUSANDS	2 054	148	269	326	277	221	169	161	124	103	80	65	112
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0
SINGLE	33.0	99.6	92.7	53.9	12.6	7.7	4.0	2.1	5.2	3.3	11.3	(B)	7.7
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	58.4	0.4	7.3	41.3	33.6	81.5	87.9	85.4	80.4	84.3	79.2	(B)	64.7
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	3.4	-	-	3.4	4.7	6.1	3.2	2.6	7.0	6.4	3.6	(B)	2.8
WIDOWED	1.8	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	0.7	1.3	-	2.8	(B)	22.6
DIVORCED	3.4	-	-	1.4	4.1	4.0	4.9	9.2	6.0	5.9	3.1	(B)	2.3
FEMALE THOUSANDS	2 209	157	312	350	266	226	205	172	143	102	92	50	126
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0
SINGLE	28.1	98.7	74.2	36.9	14.1	11.2	5.5	5.7	3.8	2.4	7.3	(B)	2.7
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	55.0	1.3	21.9	53.0	72.6	73.2	74.5	78.4	76.0	69.2	66.5	(B)	34.6
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	5.1	-	2.6	6.0	6.6	3.7	7.2	5.2	8.9	6.8	7.1	(B)	4.0
WIDOWED	6.2	-	0.2	0.3	0.8	1.5	3.1	2.1	4.4	7.4	15.7	(B)	57.9
DIVORCED	5.6	-	1.1	3.9	5.9	10.3	9.6	8.6	6.9	14.2	3.3	(B)	0.4
OTHER SPANISH													
MALE THOUSANDS	1 472	106	198	180	151	157	128	121	116	194	72	48	97
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	(B)	100.0
SINGLE	34.3	100.0	93.9	60.5	25.9	10.6	8.5	5.8	9.1	5.9	(B)	(B)	4.4
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	56.4	-	5.2	34.6	67.6	76.7	83.3	82.5	81.3	77.6	(B)	(B)	68.1
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	3.4	-	0.9	2.3	3.0	7.8	3.8	6.0	3.7	2.8	(B)	(B)	5.3
WIDOWED	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.7	2.5	(B)	(B)	17.1
DIVORCED	3.9	-	-	2.7	3.4	4.9	4.4	5.1	5.2	11.2	(B)	(B)	5.1
FEMALE THOUSANDS	1 713	83	174	229	222	188	177	132	139	100	73	71	127
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	(B)	100.0
SINGLE	26.3	97.0	83.5	45.1	18.7	12.8	7.3	5.9	5.4	5.2	(B)	(B)	7.6
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	50.5	3.0	11.3	44.3	58.7	70.1	69.2	68.0	64.7	63.6	(B)	(B)	33.8
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	9.3	-	2.5	7.7	15.0	10.1	10.8	12.3	12.1	12.5	(B)	(B)	2.8
WIDOWED	6.7	-	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.9	2.5	5.5	10.8	(B)	(B)	49.6
DIVORCED	7.3	-	2.2	2.2	6.8	6.4	11.7	11.2	12.3	7.9	(B)	(B)	5.2

INCLUDES PUERTO RICAN, CUBAN, CENTRAL OR SOUTH AMERICAN, AND OTHER SPANISH ORIGIN.

Table 7. PERCENT OF TOTAL AND SPANISH ORIGIN POPULATION 25 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN, YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED, AGE, AND SEX

(For the United States, March 1977)

Sex, years of school completed, and age	Total population	Spanish origin		
		Total	Mexican	Other Spanish ¹
MALE				
Percent Completed Less Than 5 Years of School				
Total, 25 years and over.....	4.1	17.2	22.2	10.5
25 to 29 years.....	0.8	8.6	10.4	5.2
30 to 34 years.....	0.9	7.3	10.3	3.1
35 to 44 years.....	2.2	11.5	15.7	5.9
45 to 64 years.....	4.4	23.9	31.8	15.1
65 years and over.....	11.2	45.4	62.1	26.5
Percent Completed 4 Years of High School or More				
Total, 25 years and over.....	65.6	42.4	36.5	50.2
25 to 29 years.....	86.6	61.9	58.3	68.7
30 to 34 years.....	82.3	53.3	47.9	61.0
35 to 44 years.....	74.3	43.8	38.4	51.0
45 to 64 years.....	59.3	30.1	20.1	41.2
65 years and over.....	36.0	19.9	8.4	32.8
Percent Completed 4 Years of College or More				
Total, 25 years and over.....	19.2	8.1	4.7	12.7
FEMALE				
Percent Completed Less Than 5 Years of School				
Total, 25 years and over.....	3.4	18.7	24.4	12.3
25 to 29 years.....	0.9	5.8	6.4	5.0
30 to 34 years.....	0.8	8.0	11.4	3.8
35 to 44 years.....	1.6	13.6	15.2	11.6
45 to 64 years.....	3.2	25.9	38.3	13.0
65 years and over.....	8.8	52.9	68.4	37.5
Percent Completed 4 Years of High School or More				
Total, 25 years and over.....	64.4	37.2	30.8	44.4
25 to 29 years.....	84.2	54.6	52.1	57.6
30 to 34 years.....	79.7	45.1	39.3	52.1
35 to 44 years.....	73.0	39.2	33.2	46.5
45 to 64 years.....	61.7	28.2	18.3	38.5
65 years and over.....	38.5	13.1	3.0	23.1
Percent Completed 4 Years of College or More				
Total, 25 years and over.....	12.0	4.5	3.2	5.9

¹Includes Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American, and other Spanish origin.

Table 8. YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED BY PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY AGE, SEX, AND TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN

(For the United States, March 1977. For meaning of symbols, see text.)

Sex, type of Spanish origin, and age	Total (thousands)	Percent	Years of school completed							Median school years completed	Percent high school graduates	Percent high school graduates, 1 or more years of college
			Elementary school			High school		College				
			0 to 4 years	5 to 7 years	8 years	1 to 3 years	4 years	1 to 3 years	4 years or more			
BOTH SEXES												
Spanish Origin												
Total, 14 years and over...	7,448	100.0	13.0	14.9	10.8	23.4	23.7	9.6	4.7	10.4	38.0	14.3
14 to 19 years.....	1,447	100.0	1.6	14.1	19.6	49.8	12.0	1.0	-	9.8	15.0	3.0
20 to 24 years.....	1,085	100.0	5.1	8.1	5.3	20.0	36.2	21.0	6.3	12.3	61.5	25.3
25 years and over.....	4,916	100.0	18.0	16.6	9.5	16.3	24.4	9.0	6.2	10.1	39.6	15.2
25 to 34 years.....	1,707	100.0	7.4	13.0	6.8	19.0	32.0	14.9	7.0	12.1	53.9	21.9
25 to 29 years.....	915	100.0	7.1	11.8	6.3	16.8	34.2	17.2	6.7	12.2	58.1	23.8
30 to 34 years.....	792	100.0	7.6	14.4	7.4	21.6	29.4	12.3	7.3	11.8	49.0	19.6
35 to 44 years.....	1,265	100.0	12.6	16.7	10.0	19.4	26.4	7.7	7.2	10.6	41.3	14.9
45 to 64 years.....	1,480	100.0	25.0	21.0	11.5	13.4	18.5	5.2	5.4	8.3	29.1	10.6
65 years and over.....	464	100.0	49.5	15.6	11.3	7.4	10.0	3.1	3.1	5.1	16.2	6.1
Mexican Origin												
Total, 14 years and over...	4,263	100.0	16.4	16.8	10.2	23.8	21.5	8.4	2.9	9.8	32.8	11.3
14 to 19 years.....	885	100.0	2.5	15.5	20.2	49.3	9.9	2.7	-	9.6	12.6	2.7
20 to 24 years.....	676	100.0	7.2	10.6	6.1	19.8	36.0	17.6	2.6	12.2	56.2	20.2
25 years and over.....	2,701	100.0	23.3	18.8	7.9	16.4	21.7	7.9	3.9	9.0	33.6	11.8
25 to 34 years.....	990	100.0	9.6	15.3	7.0	18.3	29.9	14.5	5.5	12.0	50.0	20.0
25 to 29 years.....	563	100.0	8.4	14.2	5.4	16.6	32.9	16.4	6.0	12.2	55.3	22.4
30 to 34 years.....	447	100.0	10.9	16.5	8.8	20.4	26.3	12.4	4.8	11.0	43.5	17.2
35 to 44 years.....	706	100.0	15.5	21.3	8.2	19.4	25.1	6.2	4.4	9.7	35.7	10.6
45 to 64 years.....	767	100.0	35.1	22.2	9.2	14.2	13.8	2.9	2.5	7.1	19.2	5.4
65 years and over.....	238	100.0	65.4	15.5	6.8	6.7	3.4	1.4	0.8	2.7	5.6	2.1
Puerto Rican Origin												
Total, 14 years and over...	1,079	100.0	13.2	14.4	13.5	27.7	21.8	6.9	2.5	9.8	31.2	9.4
14 to 19 years.....	195	100.0	0.4	15.9	22.5	48.0	11.2	2.1	-	9.5	13.3	2.1
20 to 24 years.....	152	100.0	2.7	6.7	5.7	28.1	33.1	19.2	4.5	12.2	56.8	23.7
25 years and over.....	733	100.0	18.8	15.6	12.8	22.2	22.3	5.6	2.8	9.4	30.6	8.4
25 to 34 years.....	282	100.0	7.7	13.1	9.9	28.4	29.1	9.2	4.3	10.9	42.7	13.7
25 to 29 years.....	154	100.0	6.6	8.3	11.7	27.5	30.1	11.6	4.1	11.3	45.9	15.8
30 to 34 years.....	127	100.0	4.6	18.8	8.0	29.6	27.8	6.4	4.7	10.7	38.9	11.1
35 to 44 years.....	198	100.0	18.6	10.8	13.6	26.5	23.5	4.7	2.2	9.6	30.4	6.9
45 to 64 years.....	203	100.0	25.3	23.5	18.0	13.6	15.5	2.3	1.8	8.1	19.6	4.1
65 years and over.....	49	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
Other Spanish Origin¹												
Total, 14 years and over...	2,106	100.0	5.7	11.2	10.8	20.3	29.1	13.6	9.4	12.1	52.0	23.0
14 to 19 years.....	366	100.0	-	9.8	16.7	51.9	17.2	4.6	-	10.4	21.9	4.6
20 to 24 years.....	256	100.0	1.2	2.7	2.7	15.6	38.7	31.6	8.2	12.7	78.5	39.8
25 years and over.....	1,482	100.0	8.0	13.1	10.7	13.3	30.4	12.8	11.9	12.2	55.1	26.7
25 to 34 years.....	435	100.0	3.7	7.8	4.1	14.7	38.6	19.3	12.0	12.5	69.9	31.3
25 to 29 years.....	218	100.0	4.1	8.3	4.1	10.1	39.9	23.4	10.1	12.6	73.4	33.5
30 to 34 years.....	218	100.0	2.8	7.8	4.1	19.3	36.7	15.6	13.8	12.4	66.1	29.4
35 to 44 years.....	360	100.0	3.6	10.8	11.7	15.3	30.6	12.5	15.3	12.3	58.3	27.8
45 to 64 years.....	509	100.0	9.4	18.5	12.6	12.2	26.7	10.0	11.2	11.3	47.9	21.2
65 years and over.....	176	100.0	23.3	15.9	19.9	9.1	20.5	5.7	7.4	8.5	33.5	13.1
MALE												
Spanish Origin												
Total, 14 years and over...	3,526	100.0	12.6	14.0	10.5	23.8	22.5	10.7	6.0	10.5	39.1	16.7
14 to 19 years.....	721	100.0	2.6	14.2	19.0	51.5	10.5	2.2	-	9.7	12.7	2.2
20 to 24 years.....	588	100.0	5.7	7.1	5.1	19.8	33.5	24.1	4.6	12.4	62.2	28.6
25 years and over.....	2,298	100.0	17.2	15.5	9.0	16.0	23.8	10.4	8.1	10.5	42.4	18.6
25 to 34 years.....	805	100.0	8.0	10.9	6.5	16.8	31.9	17.4	8.6	12.2	57.9	26.0
25 to 29 years.....	428	100.0	8.6	10.9	4.8	13.8	35.4	19.4	7.1	12.3	61.9	26.5
30 to 34 years.....	377	100.0	7.3	11.1	8.3	20.0	28.0	15.1	10.2	12.1	53.3	25.3
35 to 44 years.....	579	100.0	11.5	14.9	9.0	20.8	25.7	8.0	10.1	11.0	43.8	18.1
45 to 64 years.....	702	100.0	23.9	21.1	11.4	13.5	16.6	6.1	7.3	8.4	30.1	13.4
65 years and over.....	211	100.0	45.4	16.0	10.7	8.1	11.2	4.9	3.9	5.9	19.9	8.7

See footnote at end of table.

Table 8. YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED BY PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY AGE, SEX, AND TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN—Continued

(For the United States, March 1977. For meaning of symbols, see text.)

Sex, type of Spanish origin, and age	Total (thousands)	Percent	Years of school completed						Median school years completed	Percent high school graduates	Percent high school graduates, 1 or more years of college	
			Elementary school			High school		College				
			0 to 4 years	5 to 7 years	8 years	1 to 3 years	4 years	1 to 3 years				4 years or more
MALE—con.												
Mexican Origin												
Total, 14 years and over...	2,054	100.0	16.3	15.7	10.0	23.4	20.9	10.1	3.5	10.0	34.6	11.7
14 to 19 years.....	417	100.0	4.2	16.3	19.2	52.1	7.6	2.2	-	9.6	9.9	2.2
20 to 24 years.....	326	100.0	8.4	9.2	5.6	18.3	34.6	20.4	3.5	12.2	58.5	23.9
25 years and over.....	1,311	100.0	22.2	17.7	8.1	15.5	21.7	10.1	4.7	9.3	36.5	14.8
25 to 34 years.....	498	100.0	10.4	13.3	7.6	15.1	29.5	18.9	5.2	12.1	53.7	24.2
25 to 29 years.....	277	100.0	10.4	12.8	5.6	12.9	33.0	19.9	5.4	12.3	58.3	25.3
30 to 34 years.....	221	100.0	10.3	13.7	10.2	18.0	25.1	17.6	5.2	11.5	47.9	22.8
35 to 44 years.....	330	100.0	15.7	19.7	6.9	19.3	26.0	6.3	6.1	10.2	38.4	12.4
45 to 64 years.....	171	100.0	31.8	23.1	10.2	14.7	12.6	3.8	3.7	7.4	20.1	7.5
65 years and over.....	112	100.0	62.1	14.2	6.7	8.5	4.7	2.9	0.8	3.3	8.4	3.7
Puerto Rican Origin												
Total, 14 years and over...	487	100.0	13.1	12.9	13.9	28.6	20.7	7.6	3.2	9.8	31.5	10.8
14 to 19 years.....	99	100.0	0.7	21.5	20.8	48.9	6.5	1.6	-	9.2	8.1	1.6
20 to 24 years.....	68	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
25 years and over.....	320	100.0	19.3	12.1	13.7	22.3	22.5	6.0	6.1	9.5	32.7	10.1
25 to 34 years.....	106	100.0	7.5	8.5	10.4	27.4	32.1	9.4	5.7	11.7	47.2	15.2
25 to 29 years.....	55	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
30 to 34 years.....	52	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
35 to 44 years.....	93	100.0	12.9	8.1	14.7	29.8	25.8	5.4	3.4	10.0	34.7	8.8
45 to 64 years.....	100	100.0	28.3	19.0	18.3	13.3	14.1	3.5	3.6	8.1	21.2	7.1
65 years and over.....	20	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
Other Spanish Origin¹												
Total, 14 years and over...	984	100.0	4.3	11.3	9.9	22.3	26.6	13.4	12.4	12.1	52.4	25.8
14 to 19 years.....	205	100.0	-	10.2	17.6	50.7	18.5	2.4	-	10.3	21.0	2.4
20 to 24 years.....	112	100.0	-	3.6	3.6	18.8	30.4	35.7	8.0	12.8	74.1	43.8
25 years and over.....	668	100.0	6.1	12.9	8.5	13.9	28.4	13.3	16.8	12.3	58.5	30.1
25 to 34 years.....	201	100.0	2.5	7.0	1.5	15.4	38.3	27.9	17.9	12.6	74.1	35.8
25 to 29 years.....	97	100.0	3.1	7.2	-	10.3	41.2	28.7	13.4	12.7	79.4	38.1
30 to 34 years.....	105	100.0	1.9	5.7	2.9	20.0	35.2	11.4	21.9	12.6	68.6	31.3
35 to 44 years.....	156	100.0	4.9	9.0	10.3	19.2	25.0	12.8	23.1	12.4	60.9	35.9
45 to 64 years.....	31	100.0	10.0	19.0	10.0	11.3	24.2	10.8	16.3	11.9	49.4	25.1
65 years and over.....	79	100.0	15.2	19.0	17.7	7.6	22.8	7.6	10.1	8.9	40.5	17.7
FEMALE												
Spanish Origin												
Total, 14 years and over...	3,922	100.0	13.3	15.6	11.1	23.0	24.8	8.6	3.6	10.2	37.0	12.2
14 to 19 years.....	725	100.0	0.5	14.0	20.2	48.1	13.4	3.9	-	9.8	17.2	3.9
20 to 24 years.....	578	100.0	4.5	9.0	5.5	20.1	38.5	18.4	4.0	12.3	60.8	22.4
25 years and over.....	2,618	100.0	18.7	17.6	9.9	16.6	25.0	7.8	4.5	9.7	37.2	12.2
25 to 34 years.....	902	100.0	6.8	14.7	7.1	21.1	32.0	12.6	5.5	12.0	50.3	18.2
25 to 29 years.....	487	100.0	5.8	12.6	7.6	19.5	33.1	15.2	6.3	12.1	54.6	21.5
30 to 34 years.....	414	100.0	8.0	17.4	6.5	23.0	30.7	9.8	4.6	11.3	45.1	14.4
35 to 44 years.....	685	100.0	13.6	18.2	10.8	18.2	27.1	7.5	4.7	10.1	39.2	12.1
45 to 64 years.....	778	100.0	25.9	21.0	11.6	13.3	20.1	4.4	3.7	8.3	28.2	8.1
65 years and over.....	253	100.0	52.9	15.3	11.9	6.8	9.1	1.6	2.4	4.5	13.1	4.0
Mexican Origin												
Total, 14 years and over...	2,209	100.0	16.5	17.9	10.4	24.1	22.1	6.7	2.3	9.6	31.1	9.0
14 to 19 years.....	469	100.0	0.9	16.5	21.0	46.7	11.9	3.1	-	9.6	15.0	3.1
20 to 24 years.....	350	100.0	6.1	11.9	6.6	21.3	37.4	15.0	1.7	12.1	54.1	16.7
25 years and over.....	1,391	100.0	24.4	19.8	7.7	17.3	21.8	5.9	3.2	8.8	30.8	9.1
25 to 34 years.....	492	100.0	8.7	17.3	6.3	21.5	30.3	10.2	5.7	11.4	46.2	15.8
25 to 29 years.....	266	100.0	6.4	15.6	5.3	20.6	32.8	12.6	6.7	12.1	52.1	19.4
30 to 34 years.....	226	100.0	11.4	19.1	7.4	22.7	27.6	7.4	4.3	10.7	39.3	11.7
35 to 44 years.....	376	100.0	15.2	22.7	9.3	19.5	24.2	6.2	2.8	9.4	33.2	9.0
45 to 64 years.....	396	100.0	38.3	21.4	8.3	13.7	14.9	2.0	1.4	6.8	18.3	3.4
65 years and over.....	126	100.0	68.4	16.7	6.9	5.0	2.3	-	0.7	2.1	3.0	0.7

See footnote at end of table.

Table 8. YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED BY PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY AGE, SEX, AND TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN—Continued

(For the United States, March 1975. For meaning of symbols, see 1832.)

Sex, type of Spanish origin, and age	Total (thou- sands)	Percent	Years of school completed						Median school years completed	Percent high school graduates	Percent high school graduates, 1 or more years of college	
			Elementary school			High school		College				
			0 to 4 years	5 to 7 years	8 years	1 to 3 years	4 years	1 to 1 years or more				
FEMALE—Con.												
Porto Rican Origin												
Total, 14 years and over...	592	100.0	13.2	15.6	13.1	27.0	22.7	6.4	1.9	9.9	40.9	8.2
14 to 19 years.....	96	100.0	-	10.0	26.4	47.0	16.1	2.6	-	9.9	18.6	2.6
20 to 24 years.....	85	100.0	1.1	8.8	6.4	27.7	33.5	15.6	3.1	12.1	54.1	20.7
25 years and over.....	411	100.0	18.1	18.1	12.1	22.2	22.1	5.4	1.7	9.7	29.1	7.0
25 to 34 years.....	176	100.0	4.5	15.9	10.2	29.0	27.3	9.1	1.4	10.6	40.1	12.7
35 to 39 years.....	100	100.0	5.2	9.5	11.5	28.8	25.7	11.7	1.6	10.8	41.1	17.1
40 to 44 years.....	76	100.0	3.7	26.5	5.3	10.0	29.5	3.6	1.1	10.5	46.1	6.6
45 to 49 years.....	101	100.0	23.8	11.1	12.7	23.6	21.5	4.0	1.1	9.0	26.6	5.1
50 to 54 years.....	101	100.0	22.4	27.8	12.7	14.0	16.8	1.2	-	8.0	18.0	1.2
55 years and over.....	29	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)
Other Spanish Origin¹												
Total, 14 years and over...	1,121	100.0	7.0	11.2	11.5	18.6	11.2	13.6	7.0	12.1	51.7	20.5
14 to 19 years.....	161	100.0	-	9.3	15.5	52.8	15.5	7.5	-	10.4	23.0	7.5
20 to 24 years.....	145	100.0	2.1	2.1	2.8	12.4	44.1	28.3	9.0	12.7	81.4	17.2
25 years and over.....	815	100.0	9.3	11.1	12.4	12.8	12.0	12.3	8.0	12.1	52.3	20.2
25 to 34 years.....	234	100.0	4.1	8.5	6.4	16.1	32.3	20.5	6.8	12.4	66.7	27.4
35 to 39 years.....	121	100.0	5.0	8.3	7.4	9.9	40.5	22.3	7.4	12.5	70.2	29.8
40 to 44 years.....	111	100.0	3.5	8.8	7.3	18.6	37.8	19.5	6.2	12.4	67.8	25.7
45 to 49 years.....	205	100.0	5.4	12.3	12.7	11.2	35.3	11.3	9.8	12.2	56.4	21.1
50 to 54 years.....	280	100.0	9.6	17.9	13.9	12.1	28.6	9.3	8.2	11.1	46.1	17.5
55 years and over.....	98	100.0	29.6	12.2	21.4	10.2	17.3	4.1	5.1	8.4	26.5	9.2

¹Includes Cuban, Central or South American, and other Spanish origin.

Table 9. TOTAL EMPLOYED MALES AND EMPLOYED MALES OF SPANISH ORIGIN 25 TO 64 YEARS OLD BY INCOME IN 1976, BROAD OCCUPATION GROUP, AND NUMBER OF SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, Bureau of Economic Analysis, March 1978. For meaning of symbols, see text.

Occupation and income	Total population (thous. and 100)	Total	Percent distribution by years of school completed							Median school years completed
			Elementary school			High school		College		
			0 to 4 years	5 to 7 years	8 years	1 to 3 years	4 years	1 to 3 1/2 years or more		
TOTAL POPULATION										
Total employed.....	60,774	100.0	2.0	6.3	6.1	13.7	32.4	16.1	32.9	12.7
Under \$3,000.....	1,677	100.0	7.2	9.0	11.5	16.6	27.9	14.7	13.3	12.7
\$3,000 to 9,999.....	7,754	100.0	7.5	11.4	9.9	17.9	38.4	17.1	12.9	12.1
10,000 to 14,999.....	6,793	100.0	6.0	7.8	9.8	19.5	46.7	13.4	11.4	12.1
15,000 to 19,999.....	11,893	100.0	1.1	6.7	6.3	16.8	41.5	16.2	16.0	12.6
20,000 and over.....	17,546	100.0	0.4	1.5	3.3	8.6	43.8	18.0	16.4	13.4
White-collar workers										
Total.....	18,426	100.0	0.3	0.8	2.0	5.1	22.5	20.6	42.5	14.9
Under \$6,000.....	1,216	100.0	1.1	3.6	3.1	11.2	27.0	20.9	18.0	14.3
6,000 and over.....	17,210	100.0	0.2	0.7	1.9	4.9	26.8	20.6	56.0	15.5
Blue-collar workers										
Total.....	17,588	100.0	2.9	7.0	9.3	20.8	43.2	11.7	3.1	12.2
Under \$6,000.....	1,991	100.0	9.4	13.3	11.1	22.4	30.0	10.7	3.7	11.1
6,000 and over.....	15,597	100.0	2.1	6.7	9.0	20.6	47.2	11.9	3.1	12.3
Service workers										
Total.....	2,883	100.0	3.8	7.4	7.9	17.1	18.8	17.9	7.1	12.4
Under \$6,000.....	581	100.0	8.4	13.9	11.4	18.2	11.5	11.0	2.3	11.7
6,000 and over.....	2,302	100.0	2.6	5.7	7.0	16.8	50.6	19.6	7.6	12.4
Farm workers										
Total.....	1,377	100.0	8.8	9.9	13.2	13.3	13.8	9.7	7.4	12.1
Under \$6,000.....	646	100.0	12.3	14.7	18.2	14.1	11.4	7.4	3.5	10.7
6,000 and over.....	731	100.0	6.8	6.6	12.1	13.5	19.5	11.7	10.8	12.4
SPANISH ORIGIN										
Total employed.....	1,694	100.0	12.7	14.6	8.6	16.8	25.9	12.0	9.5	11.4
Under \$3,000.....	101	100.0	28.6	22.4	6.0	12.0	13.0	8.6	7.3	7.9
\$3,000 to 9,999.....	241	100.0	24.9	18.3	10.2	11.9	20.1	8.1	6.6	8.7
10,000 to 14,999.....	488	100.0	16.4	20.0	10.2	20.9	20.6	8.4	3.0	9.3
15,000 to 19,999.....	563	100.0	7.2	12.1	8.9	18.3	29.1	13.3	9.1	12.1
20,000 and over.....	400	100.0	3.1	6.6	6.4	12.8	33.0	15.7	21.3	12.6
White-collar workers										
Total.....	426	100.0	1.6	3.3	3.4	8.6	28.1	24.2	30.6	13.5
Under \$6,000.....	31	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
6,000 and over.....	375	100.0	1.1	3.2	3.8	8.3	28.0	24.7	31.5	13.7
Blue-collar workers										
Total.....	973	100.0	14.6	18.3	10.7	19.9	26.7	8.0	1.8	10.0
Under \$6,000.....	194	100.0	27.8	23.2	9.1	13.6	18.7	5.6	1.5	7.9
6,000 and over.....	778	100.0	11.2	17.1	11.1	21.3	28.5	8.6	1.9	10.1
Service workers										
Total.....	238	100.0	13.0	16.6	9.8	20.6	24.6	9.6	3.8	10.2
Under \$6,000.....	6	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
6,000 and over.....	163	100.0	8.6	16.0	8.6	21.5	30.1	9.8	6.1	11.4
Farm workers										
Total.....	67	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
Under \$6,000.....	29	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
6,000 and over.....	39	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)

Table 10. EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP OF THE TOTAL AND SPANISH ORIGIN POPULATION 15 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY SEX AND TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN

U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis, March 1977. For meaning of symbols, see text.

Employment status and occupation	Both sexes						Male						Female					
	Total popula- tion	Spanish origin					Total popula- tion	Spanish origin					Total popula- tion	Spanish origin				
		Total	Mexican	Puerto Rican	Cuban	Other ¹		Total	Mexican	Puerto Rican	Cuban	Other ¹		Total	Mexican	Puerto Rican	Cuban	Other ¹
Persons 15 years old and over,..... thousands..	156,600	6,954	4,958	1,804	526	1,467	75,561	3,771	1,906	743	215	687	82,039	1,687	2,052	659	289	782
In civilian labor force,..... thousands..	95,766	4,158	2,420	686	119	914	56,192	2,566	1,518	420	142	508	49,136	1,604	387	167	150	605
Percent unemployed,.....	39.7	11.4	10.9	16.4	10.9	11.4	7.5	10.5	9.5	15.6	10.6	10.0	8.5	12.9	13.3	12.0	11.1	12.8
Employed,..... thousands..	88,221	3,685	2,157	616	302	809	52,187	2,387	1,392	269	169	356	46,036	1,437	266	146	113	352
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Professional, technical, and kindred workers,.....	15.5	7.9	5.2	9.5	11.3	12.9	16.9	7.7	6.7	9.2	11.4	11.6	16.3	8.1	6.0	10.0	8.6	11.9
Managers and administrators, except farm,.....	10.8	5.4	4.4	5.0	5.8	8.0	14.3	6.9	5.1	6.7	8.7	12.1	5.8	2.8	3.1	1.8	2.2	2.8
Sales workers,.....	6.1	1.3	2.8	4.2	4.0	4.0	6.1	2.8	2.2	4.6	5.1	2.9	6.5	4.1	6.0	1.5	1.9	5.4
Clerical and kindred workers,.....	17.9	14.8	12.9	17.4	19.9	16.4	6.4	6.0	4.7	7.6	10.4	7.5	15.7	29.1	27.8	15.4	11.9	28.4
Craft and kindred workers,.....	12.8	13.4	15.3	10.9	8.9	11.2	20.5	20.4	22.4	15.9	14.1	19.1	1.7	1.9	2.3	1.7	2.6	1.1
Operatives, including transport laborers, excluding farm,.....	15.4	26.1	26.1	28.5	28.1	26.2	18.0	26.2	27.9	27.1	22.4	21.5	11.7	26.1	22.7	11.1	15.2	22.8
Farmers and farm managers,.....	1.6	0.1	0.2	-	-	0.1	2.5	0.2	0.2	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	-
Farm laborers and supervisors,.....	1.2	1.1	5.1	0.8	-	0.1	1.6	4.4	6.8	1.2	-	0.2	0.7	1.5	2.6	0.2	-	-
Service workers,.....	14.1	18.8	19.1	18.0	17.6	18.5	9.0	14.8	12.9	19.4	19.6	16.6	21.4	25.2	30.5	15.4	16.1	21.6

¹Includes Central or South American origin and other Spanish origin.

Table 11. MEDIAN EARNINGS IN 1976 OF CIVILIANS 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER WITH EARNINGS BY SPANISH ORIGIN, OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB IN 1976, CLASS OF WORKER OF LONGEST JOB IN 1976, AND SEX

Occupation and class of worker	Male		Female	
	Number 000's	\$	Number 000's	\$
Total with earnings	1,011	10,430	1,811	7,451
OCCUPATION				
Professional, technical, and related workers, self-employed.....	1,117	14,478	1,117	8,382
Self-employed.....	00	20,000	00	1,951
Salaries.....	11,117	14,458	1,117	6,431
Manager and administrative, except farm, self-employed.....	11,117	14,650	00	1,117
Self-employed.....	00	10,117	00	1,117
Salaries.....	11,117	14,533	00	0,000
Other workers.....	0,000	10,117	1,117	1,117
Professional and related workers.....	1,117	10,117	1,117	1,117
Craft and kindred workers.....	1,117	11,117	1,117	1,117
Operatives, including farm, self-employed.....	1,117	11,117	1,117	1,117
Salaries.....	1,117	11,117	1,117	1,117
Wages.....	1,117	11,117	1,117	1,117
Labourers, including farm.....	1,117	11,117	1,117	1,117
Labour and farm contract.....	00	1,117	00	1,117
Labour and support.....	0,000	1,117	0,000	1,117
Service workers, except private household.....	1,117	1,117	1,117	1,117
Private household worker.....	00	1,117	0,000	1,117
CLASS OF WORKER				
Private wage or salary worker.....	1,117	10,117	1,117	7,117
Department.....	1,117	10,117	1,117	7,117
Not in department.....	0,000	0,000	0,000	0,000
Government wage or salary worker.....	1,117	10,117	1,117	7,117
Public and contract.....	1,117	10,117	1,117	7,117
Other.....	0,000	0,000	0,000	0,000
Self-employed worker.....	1,117	10,117	1,117	7,117
In nonagricultural industry.....	1,117	10,117	1,117	7,117
Support family worker.....	00	0,000	00	0,000

Table 12. INCOME IN 1976 OF ALL PERSONS AND SPANISH ORIGIN PERSONS 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN AND SEX

(For the United States, March 1977. For meaning of symbols, see text.)

SEX AND INCOME	SPANISH ORIGIN								
	TOTAL	TOTAL	MEXICAN	CUBAN	COBAN	CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICAN	OTHER SPANISH	NOT REPORTING ORIGIN	
BOTH SEXES									
TOTAL PERSONS THOUSANDS	159,945	1,198	9,253	1,079	559	613	939	157,407	
TOTAL WITH INCOME PERCENT	135,946	5,567	3,212	795	463	455	743	131,279	
	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
\$1 TO \$999 OR LOSS	11.3	11.2	13.2	9.7	8.1	9.3	13.7	11.3	
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	4.7	5.0	6.6	3.3	2.9	3.5	6.2	4.7	
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	4.6	5.0	4.8	4.7	4.2	3.9	4.9	4.6	
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	5.3	6.3	6.3	5.3	5.1	4.9	4.9	5.2	
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	9.0	9.3	6.6	6.7	9.1	7.9	4.1	9.0	
\$3,000 TO \$3,499	4.8	4.8	5.1	5.2	4.6	5.0	4.1	4.3	
\$3,500 TO \$3,999	3.9	3.4	3.4	4.1	3.1	4.1	3.5	3.4	
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	6.9	6.1	7.7	6.9	7.7	9.0	6.2	6.3	
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	6.0	5.9	7.5	7.9	8.7	9.9	7.5	6.9	
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	5.4	6.4	6.8	7.2	8.0	8.9	5.9	5.4	
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	4.9	5.9	5.6	6.6	6.5	7.0	7.3	4.9	
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	4.6	5.4	5.4	6.8	5.7	6.0	5.3	4.5	
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	3.9	3.4	3.7	4.0	4.4	3.7	4.2	3.9	
\$10,000 TO \$11,999	7.0	6.2	6.3	6.5	4.7	5.7	7.8	7.1	
\$12,000 TO \$14,999	8.1	6.3	7.9	5.5	4.0	9.6	6.3	8.2	
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	8.5	5.6	5.6	3.6	6.7	6.9	6.4	8.7	
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	3.6	3.6	1.4	1.2	1.9	1.5	2.4	3.7	
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	3.2	1.9	0.7	0.2	1.9	1.1	2.6	3.3	
\$50,000 AND OVER	0.6	.1	.1	-	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.6	
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS	6,002	5,624	4,873	4,920	4,975	6,127	5,021	6,064	
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS	8,242	6,321	6,134	7,011	6,273	7,318	6,880	8,326	
MALE									
TOTAL PERSONS THOUSANDS	76,781	3,526	2,054	407	264	293	437	75,256	
TOTAL WITH INCOME PERCENT	52,773	1,899	1,816	405	227	251	381	69,676	
	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
\$1 TO \$999 OR LOSS	7.3	8.5	9.1	9.8	3.4	3.5	10.4	7.3	
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	3.4	3.6	3.5	3.0	5.1	1.9	4.8	2.4	
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	2.6	3.1	3.1	2.7	5.0	2.0	3.7	2.6	
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	3.3	4.2	4.2	5.1	4.9	3.2	3.8	3.2	
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	2.5	3.3	2.9	4.4	3.9	2.5	4.2	2.8	
\$3,000 TO \$3,499	2.4	3.6	4.1	4.0	2.9	2.2	2.4	2.9	
\$3,500 TO \$3,999	2.2	2.6	2.4	3.0	2.1	4.8	2.4	2.6	
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	5.2	6.5	6.6	5.3	6.4	7.2	6.7	5.1	
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	5.1	7.3	7.5	6.5	8.3	8.5	6.0	5.0	
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	4.9	6.9	7.4	6.0	3.0	8.7	6.2	4.8	
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	4.8	6.4	6.4	6.5	8.0	6.8	5.4	4.7	
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	4.6	6.7	6.9	9.0	7.2	4.9	4.2	4.5	
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	4.3	4.8	5.1	5.8	5.9	3.3	2.9	4.3	
\$10,000 TO \$11,999	8.8	9.1	9.1	9.4	8.4	11.6	7.6	8.8	
\$12,000 TO \$14,999	11.7	9.2	8.9	9.8	7.9	11.9	8.9	11.8	
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	13.9	9.5	9.3	7.0	10.8	11.4	11.0	14.1	
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	6.3	2.6	2.2	2.4	3.9	2.7	4.2	6.5	
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	5.7	1.7	1.2	0.8	2.1	2.0	4.9	5.9	
\$50,000 AND OVER	1.1	.2	.2	-	0.7	0.5	0.2	1.1	
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS	9,426	7,050	6,891	7,124	7,515	7,825	6,908	9,580	
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS	11,165	8,170	7,317	7,578	8,592	9,274	9,037	11,298	
FEMALE									
TOTAL PERSONS THOUSANDS	83,152	3,922	2,229	592	300	319	502	82,231	
TOTAL WITH INCOME PERCENT	63,170	2,568	1,376	390	236	203	363	69,603	
	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
\$1 TO \$999 OR LOSS	15.9	15.3	18.6	9.5	12.5	14.2	17.2	15.9	
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	7.4	8.5	17.6	3.7	8.6	5.3	7.7	7.3	
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	6.8	7.3	7.1	7.4	11.4	6.3	6.2	6.8	
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	7.4	8.1	9.1	5.6	10.4	6.1	6.2	7.5	
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	5.7	5.6	5.5	9.2	4.3	3.5	4.1	5.7	
\$3,000 TO \$3,499	6.0	6.1	6.4	6.5	6.1	3.4	6.0	6.0	
\$3,500 TO \$3,999	4.4	5.2	4.7	9.4	4.8	3.2	4.8	4.3	
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	7.7	10.2	4.2	14.7	8.6	11.2	9.8	7.6	
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	7.0	8.4	7.5	9.5	9.0	11.7	9.0	7.0	
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	6.1	6.6	6.1	8.3	5.6	9.2	5.6	6.1	
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	5.1	5.3	4.5	4.7	8.9	7.2	5.1	5.1	
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	4.6	4.2	3.5	4.4	4.3	4.8	3.3	4.6	
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	3.4	3.4	2.0	2.0	3.0	2.6	5.5	3.4	
\$10,000 TO \$11,999	5.0	2.7	2.5	3.5	0.7	2.9	3.9	5.1	
\$12,000 TO \$14,999	4.0	2.1	1.8	1.1	0.7	5.4	3.5	4.1	
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	2.4	1.4	1.7	-	1.1	1.7	1.5	2.4	
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	0.5	0.2	0.3	-	-	-	0.5	0.6	
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.3	-	-	0.2	0.4	
\$50,000 AND OVER	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS	3,576	3,350	2,935	3,930	3,224	4,484	3,743	3,588	
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS	4,875	4,089	3,754	4,387	4,040	4,895	4,618	4,908	

INCLUDES PERSONS WHO DID NOT KNOW OR DID NOT REPORT ON ORIGIN.



Table 13. INCOME IN 1976 OF PERSONS OF SPANISH AND MEXICAN ORIGIN 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY AGE AND SEX

Type of spend (and age)	Number of persons		Dollar amount of income										Mean income of persons			
	1976	1975	1,000	2,000	3,000	4,000	5,000	6,000	7,000	8,000	9,000	10,000	11,000	12,000	1976	1975
SPANISH ORIGIN																
Males, 14 years and over	1,076	1,100	100.0	3.5	8.7	12.8	16.7	22.4	31.1	44.0	61.0	83.0	111.0	147.0	199.0	270.0
14 to 19 years	1,229	1,210	100.0	12.1	13.1	13.9	14.7	15.5	16.3	17.1	17.9	18.7	19.5	20.3	21.1	21.9
20 to 29 years	1,111	1,111	100.0	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.1
30 to 39 years	70	69	100.0	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.7
40 years and over	11	10	100.0	0.6	1.2	2.1	3.6	6.0	10.0	15.0	21.0	29.0	39.0	51.0	66.0	84.0
Females, 14 years and over	1,071	1,069	100.0	16.1	17.3	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1
14 to 19 years	1,106	1,106	100.0	11.6	12.1	12.9	13.1	13.1	13.1	13.1	13.1	13.1	13.1	13.1	13.1	13.1
20 to 29 years	1,007	1,007	100.0	10.0	9.7	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.0	9.8	9.7	9.1	8.7	8.1	7.5	6.9
30 to 39 years	70	66	100.0	0.7	1.0	1.7	2.9	5.0	8.8	15.0	21.0	29.0	39.0	51.0	66.0	84.0
40 years and over	11	10	100.0	0.7	1.3	2.3	4.0	6.7	11.0	18.0	27.0	37.0	49.0	63.0	81.0	104.0
MEXICAN ORIGIN																
Males, 14 years and over	1,090	1,116	100.0	9.1	12.1	17.1	24.1	34.1	48.1	66.1	90.1	121.1	161.1	211.1	281.1	371.1
14 to 19 years	1,141	1,141	100.0	12.1	13.1	13.8	14.1	14.7	15.1	15.9	16.9	17.9	18.9	19.9	20.9	21.9
20 to 29 years	71	71	100.0	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.3
30 to 39 years	31	30	100.0	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.3
40 years and over	11	10	100.0	0.6	1.1	2.0	3.9	6.9	12.0	19.0	27.0	36.0	47.0	60.0	76.0	96.0
Females, 14 years and over	1,110	1,116	100.0	15.1	16.1	16.9	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.1
14 to 19 years	1,121	1,121	100.0	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1
20 to 29 years	61	61	100.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1
30 to 39 years	31	31	100.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1
40 years and over	10	10	100.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1

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Table 14 INCOME IN 1976 OF PERSONS OF SPANISH AND MEXICAN ORIGIN 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY RESIDENCE AND SEX

For the United States: Mar. 1977. For meaning of symbols, see text.

RESIDENCE AND SEX	HOUSEHOLDS WITH INCOME				TOTAL INCOME DOLLARS	MEAN INCOME DOLLARS
	TOTAL	WITH INCOME	PERCENT	PERCENT		
SPANISH ORIGIN						
MALE	1,049	727	69.2	69.2	1,162	1,122
TOTAL WITH INCOME PER CENT	1,049	727	69.2	69.2		100.0
\$10,000 TO \$14,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$25,000 TO \$29,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$30,000 TO \$34,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$35,000 TO \$39,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$40,000 TO \$44,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$45,000 TO \$49,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$50,000 TO \$54,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$55,000 TO \$59,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$60,000 TO \$64,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$65,000 TO \$69,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$70,000 TO \$74,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$75,000 TO \$79,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$80,000 TO \$84,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$85,000 TO \$89,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$90,000 TO \$94,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$95,000 TO \$99,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$100,000 AND OVER	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
MEDIAN INCOME	1,049	727	69.2	69.2	1,162	1,122
MEAN INCOME	1,049	727	69.2	69.2	1,162	1,122
FEMALE	1,049	727	69.2	69.2	1,162	1,122
TOTAL WITH INCOME PER CENT	1,049	727	69.2	69.2		100.0
\$10,000 TO \$14,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$25,000 TO \$29,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$30,000 TO \$34,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$35,000 TO \$39,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$40,000 TO \$44,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$45,000 TO \$49,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$50,000 TO \$54,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$55,000 TO \$59,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$60,000 TO \$64,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$65,000 TO \$69,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$70,000 TO \$74,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$75,000 TO \$79,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$80,000 TO \$84,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$85,000 TO \$89,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$90,000 TO \$94,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$95,000 TO \$99,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$100,000 AND OVER	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
MEDIAN INCOME	1,049	727	69.2	69.2	1,162	1,122
MEAN INCOME	1,049	727	69.2	69.2	1,162	1,122
MEXICAN ORIGIN						
MALE	1,049	727	69.2	69.2	1,162	1,122
TOTAL WITH INCOME PER CENT	1,049	727	69.2	69.2		100.0
\$10,000 TO \$14,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$25,000 TO \$29,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$30,000 TO \$34,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$35,000 TO \$39,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$40,000 TO \$44,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$45,000 TO \$49,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$50,000 TO \$54,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$55,000 TO \$59,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$60,000 TO \$64,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$65,000 TO \$69,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$70,000 TO \$74,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$75,000 TO \$79,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$80,000 TO \$84,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$85,000 TO \$89,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$90,000 TO \$94,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$95,000 TO \$99,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$100,000 AND OVER	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
MEDIAN INCOME	1,049	727	69.2	69.2	1,162	1,122
MEAN INCOME	1,049	727	69.2	69.2	1,162	1,122
FEMALE	1,049	727	69.2	69.2	1,162	1,122
TOTAL WITH INCOME PER CENT	1,049	727	69.2	69.2		100.0
\$10,000 TO \$14,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$25,000 TO \$29,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$30,000 TO \$34,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$35,000 TO \$39,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$40,000 TO \$44,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$45,000 TO \$49,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$50,000 TO \$54,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$55,000 TO \$59,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$60,000 TO \$64,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$65,000 TO \$69,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$70,000 TO \$74,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$75,000 TO \$79,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$80,000 TO \$84,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$85,000 TO \$89,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$90,000 TO \$94,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$95,000 TO \$99,999	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
\$100,000 AND OVER	10	10	1.0	1.4	139	13.9
MEDIAN INCOME	1,049	727	69.2	69.2	1,162	1,122
MEAN INCOME	1,049	727	69.2	69.2	1,162	1,122

Table 14. INCOME IN 1976 OF PERSONS OF SPANISH AND MEXICAN ORIGIN 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY RESIDENCE AND SEX—Continued

(For the United States, March 1977. For meaning of symbols, see text)

TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN, SEX, AND INCOME	TOTAL	IN METROPOLITAN AREAS			
		TOTAL	IN CENTRAL CITIES	OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	OUTSIDE METROPOLITAN AREAS
MEXICAN ORIGIN					
BOTH SEXES					
TOTAL PERSONS THOUSANDS . .	4 263	3 402	1 841	1 562	800
TOTAL WITH INCOME THOUSANDS . .	3 212	2 552	1 391	1 161	560
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1 TO \$999 OR LOSS	13.2	11.8	10.8	13.1	18.4
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	6.6	5.5	6.7	6.3	6.6
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	4.8	4.1	5.0	3.1	7.5
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	6.3	6.0	6.6	5.3	7.4
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	4.0	4.3	4.5	4.2	2.6
\$3,000 TO \$3,499	5.1	5.1	4.8	5.3	5.2
\$3,500 TO \$3,999	3.4	3.6	3.6	3.7	2.3
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	7.7	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.3
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	7.5	6.9	6.6	7.4	9.7
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	6.8	6.8	7.3	6.2	6.9
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	5.6	5.7	5.8	5.5	5.3
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	5.4	5.8	5.4	6.2	4.0
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	3.7	3.4	4.2	2.4	5.1
\$10,000 TO \$11,999	6.3	6.7	5.6	8.0	4.7
\$12,000 TO \$14,999	5.9	6.5	7.1	5.9	3.3
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	5.6	6.4	5.7	7.2	2.3
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	1.4	1.6	1.7	1.5	0.6
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	0.7	0.8	0.6	1.0	0.4
\$50,000 AND OVER	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	0.3
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS . .	4 873	5 098	5 030	5 171	3 983
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS . .	6 134	5 420	6 387	6 458	5 030
MALE					
TOTAL PERSONS THOUSANDS . .	2 054	1 634	883	751	420
TOTAL WITH INCOME THOUSANDS . .	1 836	1 445	778	665	391
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1 TO \$999 OR LOSS	9.1	8.2	7.4	9.3	12.4
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	3.5	3.6	4.0	3.2	3.2
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	3.1	2.5	2.8	2.1	5.5
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	4.2	4.0	4.7	3.3	4.9
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	2.9	3.1	3.7	2.3	2.2
\$3,000 TO \$3,499	4.1	3.5	3.4	3.6	6.3
\$3,500 TO \$3,999	2.4	2.4	2.1	2.9	2.1
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	6.6	5.8	6.8	6.8	5.8
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	7.5	6.7	6.4	7.1	10.5
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	7.4	7.0	6.9	7.2	8.6
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	6.4	6.2	6.2	5.5	7.0
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	6.9	7.0	6.7	7.4	6.3
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	5.1	4.5	5.7	3.2	7.1
\$10,000 TO \$11,999	9.1	9.7	8.4	11.2	7.0
\$12,000 TO \$14,999	9.9	9.9	10.7	9.0	5.4
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	9.3	10.8	9.8	11.9	3.7
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	2.2	2.5	2.6	2.4	1.0
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	1.2	1.3	1.0	1.5	0.7
\$50,000 AND OVER	0.2	0.1	0.2	-	0.4
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS . .	6 891	7 334	7 276	7 417	5 732
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS . .	7 917	5 298	8 251	8 353	6 510
FEMALE					
TOTAL PERSONS THOUSANDS . .	2 209	1 769	958	811	440
TOTAL WITH INCOME THOUSANDS . .	1 376	1 107	613	494	269
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1 TO \$999 OR LOSS	18.6	15.5	15.1	18.2	27.1
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	10.6	10.3	10.1	10.5	11.7
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	7.1	6.2	7.7	4.4	10.5
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	9.1	8.6	9.2	8.0	11.2
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	5.5	5.0	5.5	6.5	3.2
\$3,000 TO \$3,499	6.4	7.1	6.7	7.5	3.6
\$3,500 TO \$3,999	4.7	5.2	5.5	4.7	2.6
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	9.2	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.4
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	7.5	7.2	6.8	7.8	8.6
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	6.1	5.5	7.8	5.0	4.4
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	4.5	5.0	4.6	5.4	2.8
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	3.5	4.1	1.8	4.5	2.7
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	2.0	1.9	2.3	1.4	2.1
\$10,000 TO \$11,999	2.5	2.7	2.0	3.5	1.5
\$12,000 TO \$14,999	1.8	2.1	2.5	1.5	0.3
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	0.7	0.8	0.6	0.9	0.3
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.2	-
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	0.1	0.1	-	0.2	-
\$50,000 AND OVER	-	-	-	-	-
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS . .	2 925	3 162	3 183	3 140	2 032
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS . .	3 754	3 968	4 019	3 904	2 874

Table 15. INCOME IN 1976 OF SPANISH AND MEXICAN ORIGIN PERSONS 25 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY SEX AND NUMBER OF SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED

(For the United States, March 1977. For meaning of symbols, see text)

TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN, SEX, AND INCOME	TOTAL	YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED								MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED	PERCENT COMPLETED 4 YEARS OF HIGH SCHOOL OR MORE
		ELEMENTARY SCHOOL				HIGH SCHOOL		COLLEGE			
		NONE	1 TO 4	5 TO 7	8	1 TO 3	4	1 TO 3	4 OR MORE		
SPANISH ORIGIN											
BOTH SEXES											
TOTAL PERSONS THOUSANDS	4 916	288	596	815	465	803	1 200	443	304	10.1	39.6
TOTAL WITH INCOME THOUSANDS	4 098	230	485	651	394	685	996	399	278	10.3	40.8
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	...	...
\$1 TO \$999 OR LOSS	5.7	7.2	7.6	7.9	4.3	5.4	4.8	4.8	2.7	8.7	32.2
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	4.7	11.3	8.8	5.1	5.5	3.5	3.0	2.2	2.1	7.4	23.3
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	4.6	14.5	6.4	5.7	6.6	2.3	3.1	2.1	1.7	7.4	23.6
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	5.6	17.9	8.5	7.5	5.1	5.1	2.7	3.3	1.4	7.1	19.0
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	4.3	8.1	6.1	6.3	5.0	3.3	3.2	1.8	2.3	8.0	26.0
\$3,000 TO \$3,499	4.6	8.5	6.5	7.0	5.2	3.6	3.1	2.6	1.8	7.8	24.6
\$3,500 TO \$3,999	3.8	4.9	5.3	4.1	4.7	3.9	3.1	2.2	2.5	8.7	30.3
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	8.7	5.4	12.7	7.9	10.7	11.1	8.0	6.2	3.8	9.7	32.2
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	8.3	4.4	9.8	10.3	11.3	9.2	7.1	6.1	4.7	9.0	31.9
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	7.0	4.6	7.3	6.5	6.7	9.2	6.9	8.1	4.1	10.4	38.0
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	6.5	4.5	5.3	7.1	7.4	8.0	6.9	6.1	2.9	10.3	38.2
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	5.9	3.6	4.0	6.7	6.0	6.1	7.0	5.3	4.9	10.7	43.7
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	4.4	2.6	2.2	3.5	3.8	5.0	4.8	7.9	4.8	12.1	51.4
\$10,000 TO \$11,999	7.5	0.7	4.1	5.1	5.8	8.4	9.9	9.3	13.0	12.8	56.2
\$12,000 TO \$14,999	7.7	1.1	2.6	4.5	6.2	7.6	10.7	14.1	11.3	12.3	61.8
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	7.3	0.7	1.8	2.7	4.7	7.0	10.9	12.2	18.2	12.5	69.3
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	2.1	-	0.8	1.2	0.1	0.9	2.5	4.5	8.7	13.0	78.5
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	1.4	-	-	C.5	0.9	-	2.1	1.2	7.1	(B)	(B)
\$50,000 AND OVER	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS	5 984	2 476	4 055	4 794	5 257	6 283	7 720	8 847	11 486	...	...
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS	7 365	3 484	4 801	5 705	6 191	7 120	8 713	9 338	13 526	...	...
MALE											
TOTAL PERSONS THOUSANDS	2 298	121	274	357	206	367	546	240	187	10.5	42.4
TOTAL WITH INCOME THOUSANDS	2 267	114	270	354	201	363	542	238	185	10.5	42.6
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	...	...
\$1 TO \$999 OR LOSS	2.3	3.7	4.4	3.1	1.3	1.7	1.8	1.6	1.6	(B)	(B)
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	1.9	4.27	4.4	2.5	1.3	1.1	0.8	1.1	1.8	(B)	(B)
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	2.5	16.9	3.6	2.5	2.8	0.9	1.1	0.7	0.5	(B)	(B)
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	3.6	14.5	5.3	6.1	2.6	3.5	0.8	1.7	1.3	5.5	13.5
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	3.1	5.7	6.1	3.4	3.0	2.8	2.1	2.8	0.5	(B)	(B)
\$3,000 TO \$3,499	3.4	8.0	6.7	5.2	3.5	2.3	1.6	1.8	1.4	7.0	20.1
\$3,500 TO \$3,999	2.5	4.9	3.4	2.3	4.6	1.6	1.6	1.4	2.3	(B)	(B)
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	6.1	8.3	13.1	7.4	6.4	6.2	5.1	3.3	2.1	8.4	28.5
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	7.1	3.8	9.3	10.5	9.7	7.0	5.9	4.6	3.9	8.7	31.1
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	7.1	7.8	9.9	7.3	7.0	8.0	6.4	6.7	3.1	9.4	35.0
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	6.9	6.8	7.6	8.3	9.9	8.5	5.7	4.9	2.6	9.0	30.3
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	7.1	5.9	6.0	11.1	8.8	7.5	7.0	4.0	3.7	9.1	33.6
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	5.5	4.1	4.0	6.1	8.1	8.1	5.1	5.6	2.9	10.3	37.2
\$10,000 TO \$11,999	10.8	1.4	6.7	9.0	10.1	13.2	13.3	12.3	12.7	12.0	51.1
\$12,000 TO \$14,999	11.6	2.2	4.8	8.5	11.8	12.7	14.8	19.5	11.5	12.2	56.7
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	12.4	1.5	3.2	4.8	9.2	12.5	19.1	18.9	22.5	12.5	67.7
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	3.5	-	1.4	2.3	0.3	1.6	4.1	7.2	12.1	13.0	77.2
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	2.4	-	-	1.0	1.7	0.7	3.6	2.0	10.5	(B)	(B)
\$50,000 AND OVER	0.2	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS	8 504	3 286	5 320	7 132	7 797	8 838	10 640	11 537	14 381	...	...
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS	9 613	4 386	6 155	7 673	8 487	9 252	11 275	11 513	16 181	...	...
FEMALE											
TOTAL PERSONS THOUSANDS	2 618	167	323	460	258	436	654	204	117	9.7	37.2
TOTAL WITH INCOME THOUSANDS	1 850	116	215	297	193	301	454	160	93	10.0	38.6
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	...	...
\$1 TO \$999 OR LOSS	9.9	10.7	11.6	13.5	7.4	9.8	8.5	9.7	5.0	8.9	32.5
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	8.1	17.7	14.3	8.1	9.8	6.5	5.6	6.7	2.5	7.8	23.0
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	7.2	12.1	10.0	9.5	10.6	4.0	5.5	4.2	4.1	8.1	27.6
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	8.1	21.2	12.6	9.4	7.8	7.0	4.9	5.6	1.6	7.5	22.1
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	5.8	10.5	6.2	9.7	7.2	3.7	4.6	0.5	6.0	7.9	25.4
\$3,000 TO \$3,499	6.1	9.1	5.3	9.2	6.9	5.1	4.9	3.8	2.5	8.3	27.7
\$3,500 TO \$3,999	5.4	4.8	7.6	5.7	4.8	6.6	4.9	3.4	3.0	9.1	30.9
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	11.9	2.6	12.3	10.9	15.2	17.1	11.4	10.4	7.0	10.3	34.5
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	9.6	4.9	10.5	10.0	13.0	11.9	9.4	8.2	6.3	9.6	39.5
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	6.9	1.4	4.1	5.5	6.5	10.6	7.4	10.1	6.1	11.1	43.8
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	6.0	2.2	2.3	5.5	4.9	7.4	8.4	8.0	3.5	11.9	49.3
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	4.3	1.5	1.5	1.4	3.0	4.3	7.1	7.2	7.3	12.4	64.4
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	3.1	1.2	-	0.5	1.4	1.2	4.5	11.4	8.5	(B)	(B)
\$10,000 TO \$11,999	3.3	-	0.8	0.5	1.4	2.7	5.8	4.8	13.7	(B)	(B)
\$12,000 TO \$14,999	2.8	-	-	-	0.3	1.4	5.8	6.1	10.8	(B)	(B)
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	1.1	-	-	0.2	-	-	1.2	2.3	9.5	(B)	(B)
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.5	1.9	(B)	(B)
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	0.2	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.4	-	0.3	(B)	(B)
\$50,000 AND OVER	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS	3 948	2 224	2 623	2 983	3 535	4 424	4 967	6 037	8 299	...	...
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS	4 580	2 603	3 104	3 665	3 801	4 551	5 650	6 108	8 221	...	...

Table 15. INCOME IN 1976 OF SPANISH AND MEXICAN ORIGIN PERSONS 25 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY SEX AND NUMBER OF SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED—Continued

(For the United States, March 1977. For meaning of symbols, see text)

TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN, SEX, AND INCOME	TOTAL	YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED								MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED	PERCENT COMPLETED 4 YEARS OF HIGH SCHOOL OR MORE
		ELEMENTARY SCHOOL			HIGH SCHOOL		COLLEGE				
		NONE	1 TO 4	5 TO 7	8	1 TO 3	4	1 TO 3	4 OR MORE		
MEXICAN ORIGIN											
BOTH SEXES											
TOTAL PERSONS THOUSANDS	2 701	226	403	508	213	443	587	213	105	9.0	33.6
TOTAL WITH INCOME THOUSANDS	2 206	179	314	395	181	356	489	195	95	9.3	35.4
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	...	...
\$1 TO \$999 OR LOSS	6.2	8.6	7.6	9.1	5.3	5.2	4.9	3.3	3.8	7.4	24.7
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	5.3	9.8	9.6	4.9	4.7	5.1	3.4	1.7	3.2	6.6	19.7
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	4.3	14.7	4.7	5.0	4.9	1.3	3.5	2.0	3.5	6.2	22.1
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	5.8	17.4	8.8	7.1	4.8	4.3	2.2	2.9	1.5	6.1	13.8
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	4.9	6.3	4.6	6.1	4.1	2.8	2.4	3.0	4.0	7.4	24.4
\$3,000 TO \$3,499	4.9	8.0	6.7	7.2	5.5	5.1	1.8	3.1	1.5	7.0	15.3
\$3,500 TO \$3,999	3.3	5.9	4.1	3.3	4.8	3.1	2.5	2.1	-	(B)	(B)
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	8.2	4.7	13.3	6.4	10.3	9.9	7.4	6.2	2.5	8.8	28.3
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	7.5	3.8	9.3	8.8	9.6	8.6	5.8	7.9	3.2	8.7	28.3
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	7.6	5.2	7.8	6.2	5.5	9.4	7.8	10.9	4.9	10.4	38.2
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	6.1	5.8	5.1	6.5	6.7	8.0	6.1	4.8	2.5	9.4	31.1
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	6.2	3.8	4.5	6.9	7.3	6.3	7.5	5.4	6.3	9.9	38.8
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	4.3	2.9	2.8	4.7	5.1	4.0	3.3	9.0	6.1	10.0	41.6
\$10,000 TO \$11,999	7.6	0.9	4.5	6.7	5.3	9.9	9.8	8.4	17.5	11.7	48.3
\$12,000 TO \$14,999	7.8	1.4	3.5	6.0	7.9	7.8	12.2	13.7	7.4	12.1	54.2
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	7.7	0.9	2.2	3.4	6.5	7.0	14.7	10.7	15.4	12.3	63.6
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	1.9	-	0.8	1.2	0.3	0.8	2.2	4.1	13.9	(B)	(B)
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	1.0	-	-	0.5	0.4	0.7	2.5	1.0	3.0	(B)	(B)
\$50,000 AND OVER	0.1	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	2.4	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS	6 056	2 485	4 294	5 165	5 586	6 494	8 294	8 429	10 978	...	...
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS	7 283	3 636	5 056	6 004	6 593	7 306	9 303	9 086	13 845	...	...
MALE											
TOTAL PERSONS THOUSANDS	1 311	98	193	232	106	203	285	132	61	9.3	36.5
TOTAL WITH INCOME THOUSANDS	1 222	94	189	232	102	201	282	131	61	9.4	36.7
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	...	...
\$1 TO \$999 OR LOSS	2.4	3.6	3.8	3.4	1.4	1.0	2.3	-	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	1.7	4.3	3.1	2.4	0.7	1.2	-	1.4	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	2.6	17.0	2.9	1.3	2.1	1.3	1.6	1.2	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	3.6	17.0	5.2	5.4	1.7	3.0	0.6	1.7	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	2.9	6.5	3.3	2.9	2.4	3.2	1.2	4.4	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$3,000 TO \$3,499	3.9	7.7	6.4	5.5	3.1	4.2	1.2	2.1	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$3,500 TO \$3,999	2.3	5.9	3.2	1.5	5.4	1.8	1.1	1.9	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	6.3	7.5	15.1	5.0	6.5	4.6	3.9	3.5	(B)	5.7	20.9
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	7.1	3.8	11.2	10.1	9.1	6.1	4.2	6.3	(B)	7.6	23.7
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	7.9	8.2	9.6	7.2	8.7	8.4	6.8	9.4	(B)	8.9	32.9
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	6.5	8.3	7.1	7.5	8.1	8.0	9.0	4.4	(B)	8.4	24.5
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	7.6	5.4	6.3	10.5	9.0	7.9	7.3	5.3	(B)	8.8	32.5
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	5.6	4.0	4.7	7.1	7.3	5.7	4.1	8.4	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$10,000 TO \$11,999	10.8	1.7	7.0	13.4	8.4	14.7	12.4	10.1	(B)	10.9	42.9
\$12,000 TO \$14,999	11.6	2.7	5.9	17.1	13.4	12.9	16.6	17.1	(B)	11.8	48.8
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	12.4	1.8	3.6	5.5	11.5	13.6	24.4	15.2	(B)	12.3	62.4
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	3.1	-	1.4	2.0	0.6	1.3	3.3	6.2	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	1.6	-	-	0.9	0.8	1.2	4.0	1.5	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$50,000 AND OVER	0.2	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS	8 386	3 435	5 611	7 675	8 099	8 933	11 668	10 005	(B)	...	...
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS	9 382	4 556	6 533	8 034	8 746	9 451	11 967	10 663	(B)	...	...
FEMALE											
TOTAL PERSONS THOUSANDS	1 391	128	211	275	107	240	303	81	45	8.8	30.6
TOTAL WITH INCOME THOUSANDS	914	85	125	162	79	155	207	64	35	9.1	33.6
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	(B)	...	...
\$1 TO \$999 OR LOSS	11.7	14.1	13.4	17.2	10.3	10.7	8.4	(B)	(B)	7.5	23.8
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	10.3	15.9	19.2	8.4	9.9	10.2	8.0	(B)	(B)	7.2	20.8
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	6.8	12.2	8.9	10.4	8.5	1.4	6.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	9.1	23.4	14.3	9.7	8.8	6.0	4.2	(B)	(B)	6.3	15.7
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	5.6	6.1	6.6	10.5	6.2	2.2	4.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$3,000 TO \$3,499	6.4	8.4	7.0	2.7	8.7	6.3	2.6	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$3,500 TO \$3,999	4.6	5.8	5.5	5.7	4.0	4.7	4.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	10.7	1.6	9.1	8.3	15.3	16.8	12.3	(B)	(B)	10.5	34.4
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	8.2	3.9	6.5	7.0	10.3	11.9	8.0	(B)	(B)	10.2	34.0
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	7.2	1.9	5.0	4.7	3.8	10.7	9.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	6.5	3.1	2.0	5.0	4.8	7.9	7.7	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	2.5	2.0	1.9	1.8	5.2	4.2	7.7	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	2.5	1.7	-	1.2	2.2	1.8	2.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$10,000 TO \$11,999	3.1	-	0.7	-	1.2	3.6	6.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$12,000 TO \$14,999	2.5	-	-	-	0.7	1.1	6.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	1.0	-	-	0.3	-	0.6	1.5	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
\$50,000 AND OVER	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS	7 508	2 167	2 298	2 704	3 359	4 513	4 998	(B)	(B)	...	...
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS	8 313	2 622	2 825	3 090	3 799	4 526	5 680	(B)	(B)	...	...

Table 16. INCOME IN 1976 OF SPANISH AND MEXICAN ORIGIN PERSONS 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER IN THE EMPLOYED CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE BY OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB IN 1976 AND SEX

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TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN, SEX, AND INCOME OF PERSONS IN THE CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	TOTAL PERSONS	PROF.,	MANAGERS AND	SALES WORKERS	CLERICAL AND	CRAFTS AND	OPERATIVES EXCEPT	TRANS-PORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	FARM LABORERS AND FARM SUPERVISORS	SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS
		TECH. AND KINDRED WORKERS	ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM		AND KINDRED WORKERS	AND KINDRED WORKERS	EXCEPT TRANSPORT						
SPANISH ORIGIN													
BOTH SEXES													
TOTAL PERSONS THOUSANDS	3 722	292	199	126	547	495	820	148	261	4	123	642	63
TOTAL WITH INCOME THOUSANDS	3 598	287	197	119	523	486	798	147	252	4	121	606	57
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(3)	100.0	100.0	(B)
\$1 TO \$999 OR LOSS	6.5	4.7	5.5	14.5	5.6	1.9	4.4	4.8	5.5	(3)	9.3	12.1	(B)
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	3.3	2.3	2.4	3.2	2.8	1.7	2.5	2.9	4.5	(3)	5.0	4.6	(B)
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	2.5	1.0	1.1	3.5	2.7	1.0	1.8	0.4	3.9	(3)	3.9	3.4	(B)
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	3.5	2.9	0.6	4.2	3.2	1.3	4.2	-	4.6	(3)	2.1	5.8	(B)
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	2.8	1.7	0.2	6.7	2.9	0.9	3.3	1.8	2.1	(3)	5.3	4.2	(B)
\$3,000 TO \$3,499	3.3	1.9	2.1	3.5	3.3	1.7	3.6	1.0	5.5	(3)	6.2	3.9	(B)
\$3,500 TO \$3,999	2.5	2.0	0.8	5.6	2.4	0.8	3.4	1.1	1.0	(3)	4.9	3.6	(B)
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	7.7	4.3	3.8	6.0	8.0	4.7	10.3	4.6	6.4	(3)	11.5	9.9	(B)
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	9.0	7.0	3.8	3.0	8.8	6.9	13.1	7.0	7.7	(3)	9.9	10.4	(B)
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	8.3	5.0	7.2	6.0	10.4	6.1	10.8	5.8	7.6	(3)	8.5	8.7	(B)
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	7.9	4.2	7.1	7.2	8.2	7.3	10.5	9.0	11.2	(3)	7.4	6.2	(B)
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	7.3	3.9	2.0	4.4	9.5	7.1	7.5	13.6	8.3	(3)	10.0	7.1	(B)
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	5.3	5.1	6.0	6.5	8.0	5.1	3.6	6.3	4.4	(3)	10.0	4.5	(B)
\$10,000 TO \$11,999	8.9	10.8	14.3	7.7	8.8	12.5	7.6	11.2	9.4	(3)	4.2	6.6	(B)
\$12,000 TO \$14,999	8.8	17.5	9.2	7.8	8.7	15.9	5.9	14.7	10.8	(3)	1.7	4.5	(B)
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	8.4	18.3	16.4	2.1	5.5	17.6	6.6	9.7	6.4	(3)	-	2.9	(B)
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	2.3	6.8	7.1	3.3	1.0	4.8	0.2	3.9	0.6	(3)	-	1.3	(B)
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	1.5	3.5	10.0	2.7	0.1	2.5	0.6	-	-	(3)	-	0.3	(B)
\$50,000 AND OVER	0.2	1.5	0.4	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	(3)	-	-	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS	7 082	10 739	10 911	5 244	6 986	10 440	6 315	8 842	7 110	(3)	5 173	5 244	(B)
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS	8 103	12 142	12 544	6 756	7 379	10 959	7 041	9 416	7 300	(3)	5 285	5 825	(B)
MALE													
TOTAL PERSONS THOUSANDS	2 309	177	159	56	137	467	461	142	246	4	102	348	-
TOTAL WITH INCOME THOUSANDS	2 272	176	159	53	137	461	458	141	239	4	101	333	-
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(3)	100.0	100.0	(B)
\$1 TO \$999 OR LOSS	4.7	3.1	3.4	(3)	4.2	1.3	4.7	3.6	5.5	(3)	5.9	9.3	(B)
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	2.2	2.0	1.1	(3)	1.7	1.8	1.7	2.5	4.0	(3)	5.1	1.9	(B)
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	1.7	0.1	1.2	(3)	2.8	1.1	1.9	0.2	3.4	(3)	4.1	1.9	(B)
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	2.6	3.2	0.8	(3)	3.1	1.2	3.4	-	4.9	(3)	2.2	3.7	(B)
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	2.0	0.9	-	(3)	2.7	1.0	2.0	1.9	2.2	(3)	4.3	2.8	(B)
\$3,000 TO \$3,499	2.7	1.8	2.2	(3)	3.0	1.8	2.6	1.0	4.1	(3)	5.4	3.6	(B)
\$3,500 TO \$3,999	1.7	2.2	0.5	(3)	1.4	0.8	2.0	0.7	1.0	(3)	4.3	2.2	(B)
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	5.6	3.7	2.6	(3)	5.0	4.6	5.2	3.6	6.3	(3)	12.3	8.6	(B)
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	7.2	4.2	3.1	(3)	3.6	6.0	9.8	7.3	7.8	(3)	10.1	9.7	(B)
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	7.2	3.8	7.5	(3)	8.0	5.4	9.6	6.1	7.7	(3)	8.5	8.2	(B)
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	7.5	3.3	4.9	(3)	3.4	7.0	9.3	8.9	11.3	(3)	8.8	7.1	(B)
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	7.6	2.1	1.9	(3)	7.4	7.5	8.9	14.2	8.8	(3)	10.1	8.1	(B)
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	5.9	3.3	5.6	(3)	5.0	5.0	5.5	8.7	4.7	(3)	12.0	6.3	(B)
\$10,000 TO \$11,999	11.3	11.3	15.3	(3)	12.9	12.6	11.3	11.7	10.0	(3)	5.0	10.3	(B)
\$12,000 TO \$14,999	11.7	11.1	9.7	(3)	16.8	16.6	9.5	15.3	11.1	(3)	2.1	8.1	(B)
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	12.5	24.8	20.1	(3)	15.4	19.6	11.4	10.1	6.7	(3)	-	5.1	(B)
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	3.5	10.2	7.3	(3)	3.4	5.1	0.4	4.1	0.7	(3)	-	2.5	(B)
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	2.2	5.6	12.4	(3)	-	2.6	0.9	-	-	(3)	-	0.5	(B)
\$50,000 AND OVER	0.3	2.5	0.5	(3)	-	-	0.2	-	-	(3)	-	-	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS	8 652	13 118	11 995	(3)	9 696	10 755	7 781	8 996	7 287	(3)	5 653	6 751	(B)
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS	9 653	14 611	13 834	(3)	9 637	11 234	8 428	9 695	7 487	(3)	5 665	7 336	(B)
FEMALE													
TOTAL PERSONS THOUSANDS	1 413	115	40	51	410	29	360	7	15	-	21	294	63
TOTAL WITH INCOME THOUSANDS	1 326	111	38	55	386	26	340	6	13	-	20	273	57
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	(B)	(3)	100.0	(B)	100.0	(B)	(B)	(3)	(B)	100.0	(B)
\$1 TO \$999 OR LOSS	9.8	7.2	(B)	(3)	6.1	(B)	4.0	(B)	(B)	(3)	(B)	15.4	(B)
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	5.1	2.8	(B)	(3)	3.2	(B)	3.5	(B)	(B)	(3)	(B)	7.8	(B)
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	3.7	2.3	(B)	(3)	2.7	(B)	1.7	(B)	(B)	(3)	(B)	5.2	(B)
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	5.0	2.4	(B)	(3)	3.3	(B)	5.2	(B)	(B)	(3)	(B)	8.4	(B)
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	4.1	1.8	(B)	(3)	3.0	(B)	5.1	(B)	(B)	(3)	(B)	6.0	(B)
\$3,000 TO \$3,499	4.4	2.1	(B)	(3)	3.3	(B)	5.0	(B)	(B)	(3)	(B)	4.2	(B)
\$3,500 TO \$3,999	4.0	1.4	(B)	(3)	2.7	(B)	5.1	(B)	(B)	(3)	(B)	5.3	(B)
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	11.3	5.2	(B)	(3)	9.1	(B)	17.3	(B)	(B)	(3)	(B)	11.5	(B)
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	12.0	11.5	(B)	(3)	10.6	(B)	17.7	(B)	(B)	(3)	(B)	11.2	(B)
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	10.1	6.9	(B)	(3)	11.3	(B)	12.4	(B)	(B)	(3)	(B)	9.2	(B)
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	8.7	5.8	(B)	(3)	9.9	(B)	12.1	(B)	(B)	(3)	(B)	5.3	(B)
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	6.8	6.8	(B)	(3)	10.2	(B)	5.6	(B)	(B)	(3)	(B)	5.9	(B)
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	4.4	8.0	(B)	(3)	9.1	(B)	1.0	(B)	(B)	(3)	(B)	2.3	(B)
\$10,000 TO \$11,999	4.9	9.9	(B)	(3)	7.4	(B)	2.5	(B)	(B)	(3)	(B)	2.2	(B)
\$12,000 TO \$14,999	3.7	15.8	(B)	(3)	5.8	(B)	1.2	(B)	(B)	(3)	(B)	-	(B)
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	1.4	7.9	(B)	(3)	2.0	(B)	0.3	(B)	(B)	(3)	(B)	0.3	(B)
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	0.4	1.5	(B)	(3)	0.2	(B)	-	(B)	(B)	(3)	(B)	-	(B)
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	0.2	0.3	(B)	(3)	0.2	(B)	0.2	(B)	(B)	(3)	(B)	-	(B)
\$50,000 AND OVER	-	-	(B)	(3)	-	(B)	-	(B)	(B)	(3)	(B)	-	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS	5 209	8 043	(B)	(3)	6 535	(B)	5 170	(B)	(B)	(3)	(B)	3 781	(B)
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS	5 447	8 227	(B)	(3)	6 576	(B)	5 171	(B)	(B)	(3)	(B)	3 987	(B)



Table 16. INCOME IN 1976 OF SPANISH AND MEXICAN ORIGIN PERSONS 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER IN THE EMPLOYED CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE BY OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB IN 1976 AND SEX—Continued

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TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN, SEX, AND INCOME OF PERSONS IN THE CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	TOTAL PERSONS	PROF.,	MANAGERS	SALES	CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	CRAFTS AND KINDRED WORKERS	OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT	TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	FARMERS	FARM LABORERS	SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS
		TECH., AND WORKERS	AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM							AND FARM MANAGERS	AND SUPERVISORS		
MEXICAN ORIGIN													
BOTH SEXES													
TOTAL PERSONS THOUSANDS	2 188	114	95	52	281	332	468	100	190	3	118	383	41
TOTAL WITH INCOME THOUSANDS	2 111	113	94	59	266	323	456	99	183	3	116	359	39
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	(3)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(3)	100.0	100.0	(3)
\$1 TO \$999 OR LOSS	7.2	4.7	7.0	(3)	4.7	1.7	4.1	3.0	4.6	(3)	9.6	16.6	(3)
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	3.8	3.8	2.4	(3)	3.7	2.2	2.5	3.6	4.0	(3)	4.7	5.3	(3)
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	2.7	0.4	2.0	(3)	3.9	0.5	1.8	0.3	4.5	(3)	4.1	3.7	(3)
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	3.7	1.5	-	(3)	3.6	1.9	4.7	-	4.5	(3)	2.2	6.6	(3)
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	2.9	0.3	-	(3)	3.1	1.4	2.6	2.7	1.4	(3)	5.5	5.1	(3)
\$3,000 TO \$3,499	3.7	3.1	2.7	(3)	4.2	1.9	3.5	1.4	5.6	(3)	6.5	4.3	(3)
\$3,500 TO \$3,999	2.7	0.7	0.9	(3)	2.7	0.6	4.6	1.7	0.9	(3)	5.1	2.7	(3)
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	7.7	5.7	1.7	(3)	9.3	5.2	8.6	5.7	5.6	(3)	11.3	3.1	(3)
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	8.6	9.6	5.0	(3)	10.3	7.0	11.8	3.1	7.1	(3)	9.9	11.0	(3)
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	8.4	7.0	7.7	(3)	9.2	5.1	10.5	6.8	7.7	(3)	8.9	9.4	(3)
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	7.5	7.6	8.7	(3)	7.2	7.0	8.6	8.2	13.9	(3)	6.9	8.5	(3)
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	7.1	5.4	2.5	(3)	8.6	3.3	6.5	16.0	7.7	(3)	9.7	4.0	(3)
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	5.1	5.9	5.4	(3)	6.0	4.7	4.3	10.6	3.8	(3)	9.7	4.8	(3)
\$10,000 TO \$11,999	8.8	11.9	17.4	(3)	9.1	11.7	8.5	10.4	9.8	(3)	4.1	5.2	(3)
\$12,000 TO \$14,999	8.5	7.1	10.3	(3)	6.6	15.6	6.1	15.9	11.2	(3)	1.8	4.6	(3)
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	8.3	15.3	14.9	(3)	5.4	17.4	9.9	7.3	7.2	(3)	-	2.3	(3)
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	2.0	9.8	5.3	(3)	0.3	4.4	0.2	3.3	0.4	(3)	-	1.1	(3)
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	1.0	1.3	4.1	(3)	-	2.3	1.1	-	-	(3)	-	0.2	(3)
\$50,000 AND OVER	0.2	2.1	-	(3)	-	-	0.2	-	-	(3)	-	-	(3)
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS	6 819	9 575	10 371	(3)	6 483	10 197	6 558	8 842	7 287	(3)	5 101	4 491	(3)
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS	7 745	11 020	11 205	(3)	6 963	10 785	7 590	9 237	7 487	(3)	5 232	5 189	(3)
MALE													
TOTAL PERSONS THOUSANDS	1 410	67	71	32	69	313	296	96	181	3	98	187	-
TOTAL WITH INCOME THOUSANDS	1 385	67	71	31	66	307	293	95	175	3	97	179	-
PERCENT	100.0	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(3)	100.0	100.0	(3)
\$1 TO \$999 OR LOSS	5.2	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	1.6	4.0	2.4	4.8	(3)	6.1	15.4	(3)
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	2.4	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	2.3	0.9	2.9	3.2	(3)	4.6	2.1	(3)
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	1.9	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	0.6	1.4	0.3	3.7	(3)	4.3	2.2	(3)
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	2.7	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	1.8	3.8	-	4.7	(3)	2.3	4.1	(3)
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	1.9	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	1.5	1.3	2.8	1.5	(3)	4.4	3.1	(3)
\$3,000 TO \$3,499	3.2	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	2.0	2.9	1.5	5.0	(3)	5.6	3.8	(3)
\$3,500 TO \$3,999	1.6	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	0.6	3.2	1.0	0.9	(3)	4.5	0.8	(3)
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	6.0	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	5.2	4.5	4.2	5.2	(3)	12.1	10.5	(3)
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	7.2	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	6.0	10.1	3.2	7.4	(3)	10.3	9.5	(3)
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	7.5	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	5.4	9.1	7.1	7.6	(3)	8.9	8.2	(3)
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	7.6	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	6.5	9.0	8.6	14.4	(3)	8.3	4.2	(3)
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	7.8	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	5.8	7.2	16.6	8.1	(3)	9.7	6.2	(3)
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	6.1	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	4.7	6.2	11.0	4.0	(3)	11.7	3.5	(3)
\$10,000 TO \$11,999	11.1	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	11.7	11.9	10.8	10.2	(3)	4.9	9.6	(3)
\$12,000 TO \$14,999	11.2	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	16.1	8.5	16.6	11.2	(3)	2.2	9.1	(3)
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	12.1	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	18.3	15.1	7.6	7.5	(3)	-	4.1	(3)
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	2.9	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	4.7	0.3	3.4	0.4	(3)	-	2.2	(3)
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	1.5	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	2.4	1.4	-	-	(3)	-	0.4	(3)
\$50,000 AND OVER	0.2	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	-	0.3	-	-	(3)	-	-	(3)
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS	8 367	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	10 464	8 121	8 963	7 408	(3)	5 589	5 838	(3)
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS	9 232	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	11 007	8 985	9 485	7 646	(3)	5 618	6 704	(3)
FEMALE													
TOTAL PERSONS THOUSANDS	778	47	24	30	215	19	172	4	9	-	21	196	41
TOTAL WITH INCOME THOUSANDS	726	46	23	28	200	16	157	4	8	-	20	180	39
PERCENT	100.0	(3)	(3)	(3)	100.0	(3)	100.0	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	100.0	(3)
\$1 TO \$999 OR LOSS	10.9	(3)	(3)	(3)	5.3	(3)	4.3	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	17.7	(3)
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	6.3	(3)	(3)	(3)	3.8	(3)	5.3	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	8.5	(3)
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	4.4	(3)	(3)	(3)	4.0	(3)	2.4	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	5.2	(3)
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	5.8	(3)	(3)	(3)	3.9	(3)	6.5	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	9.2	(3)
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	4.8	(3)	(3)	(3)	3.8	(3)	4.0	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	7.0	(3)
\$3,000 TO \$3,499	4.8	(3)	(3)	(3)	4.1	(3)	4.5	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	4.7	(3)
\$3,500 TO \$3,999	4.7	(3)	(3)	(3)	3.5	(3)	7.2	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	5.4	(3)
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	11.2	(3)	(3)	(3)	10.2	(3)	15.8	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	11.5	(3)
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	11.5	(3)	(3)	(3)	13.3	(3)	14.8	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	9.3	(3)
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	10.1	(3)	(3)	(3)	10.4	(3)	13.2	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	8.0	(3)
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	7.3	(3)	(3)	(3)	8.5	(3)	9.6	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	5.5	(3)
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	5.9	(3)	(3)	(3)	9.7	(3)	5.1	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	3.3	(3)
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	7.2	(3)	(3)	(3)	5.2	(3)	1.0	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	2.5	(3)
\$10,000 TO \$11,999	4.1	(3)	(3)	(3)	7.4	(3)	2.3	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	0.8	(3)
\$12,000 TO \$14,999	3.2	(3)	(3)	(3)	5.5	(3)	2.0	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	-	(3)
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	1.2	(3)	(3)	(3)	1.6	(3)	0.6	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	-	(3)
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	0.5	(3)	(3)	(3)	-	(3)	-	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	-	(3)
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	0.1	(3)	(3)	(3)	-	(3)	0.6	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	-	(3)
\$50,000 AND OVER	-	(3)	(3)	(3)	-	(3)	-	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	-	(3)
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS	4 748	(3)	(3)	(3)	5 865	(3)	4 941	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	3 256	(3)
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS	5 054	(3)	(3)	(3)	6 078	(3)	5 081	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	3 675	(3)



Table 17. INCOME IN 1976 OF SPANISH AND MEXICAN ORIGIN PERSONS 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY RELATIONSHIP TO HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD AND SEX

(For the United States, March 1977. For meaning of symbols, see text)

TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN AND INCOME	TOTAL	MALE					FEMALE						
		TOTAL	IN FAMILIES		OTHER RELATIVE OF HEAD	UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	TOTAL	IN FAMILIES			UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS		
			HEAD MARRIED, WIFE PRESENT	OTHER MARITAL STATUS				HEAD, NO HUSBAND PRES.	WIFE OF HEAD	OTHER RELATIVE OF HEAD			
SPANISH ORIGIN													
TOTAL PERSONS. THOUSANDS	3 148	2 066	1 978	88	1 082	378	3 583	517	2 031	1 034	339		
TOTAL WITH INCOME. THOUSANDS	2 746	2 050	1 963	86	696	353	2 249	497	1 159	584	318		
PERCENT.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0		
\$1 TO \$999 OR LOSS	8.9	1.7	1.7	0.7	30.4	5.0	17.6	2.5	16.2	33.3	5.2		
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	3.6	1.4	1.3	4.0	10.0	3.8	8.8	3.7	10.0	10.6	6.8		
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	2.9	1.7	1.8	-	6.3	5.1	7.3	7.7	6.7	8.2	7.5		
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	3.6	2.8	2.7	5.4	5.8	9.2	7.4	7.6	5.9	10.3	12.7		
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	3.0	2.2	2.3	-	5.1	5.8	5.1	6.7	5.0	4.1	8.8		
\$3,000 TO \$3,499	3.6	3.2	2.9	10.1	4.7	4.0	5.9	8.2	5.3	5.0	8.0		
\$3,500 TO \$3,999	2.5	2.3	2.3	2.1	3.3	3.3	5.1	9.5	3.3	5.1	5.8		
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	6.2	6.3	6.1	10.8	5.9	8.4	10.2	16.9	9.8	5.3	10.3		
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	7.4	7.6	7.4	11.4	6.9	6.7	8.6	11.6	9.3	4.8	7.7		
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	7.2	7.2	7.3	5.3	7.2	4.4	6.5	7.7	7.8	4.4	7.3		
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	6.3	7.1	7.1	8.5	4.0	7.2	5.3	5.7	8.0	3.4	5.2		
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	6.6	8.1	8.1	6.9	2.5	7.0	4.2	4.3	4.8	2.8	2.4		
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	5.0	6.3	6.4	4.5	1.0	3.7	2.6	2.8	3.3	1.0	3.0		
\$10,000 TO \$11,999	9.0	10.9	11.0	8.9	3.3	10.2	2.6	2.2	3.4	1.3	3.5		
\$12,000 TO \$14,999	9.6	12.2	12.5	5.9	1.7	6.3	1.9	1.7	2.6	0.6	3.4		
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	9.6	12.3	12.3	12.6	1.8	8.4	0.7	0.7	1.0	0.2	1.2		
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	2.9	3.9	3.9	2.4	-	0.8	0.2	0.3	0.2	-	0.7		
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	1.9	2.5	2.6	0.4	0.1	0.6	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.4		
\$50,000 AND OVER	0.2	0.3	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
MEDIAN INCOME. DOLLARS	7 176	8 804	8 880	7 007	2 288	5 700	3 321	4 246	3 624	1 876	3 584		
MEAN INCOME. DOLLARS	8 327	9 975	10 057	8 099	3 478	6 949	4 001	4 666	4 336	2 678	4 714		
MEXICAN ORIGIN													
TOTAL PERSONS. THOUSANDS	1 856	1 220	1 166	55	635	198	2 053	235	1 186	633	156		
TOTAL WITH INCOME. THOUSANDS	1 646	1 211	1 158	53	435	190	1 232	220	656	356	144		
PERCENT.	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0		
\$1 TO \$999 OR LOSS	9.7	1.7	1.7	(B)	32.1	3.9	19.9	3.5	18.5	32.7	6.9		
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	3.3	1.3	1.2	(B)	8.9	5.6	10.9	5.4	12.6	10.9	8.2		
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	2.8	1.8	1.8	(B)	5.7	5.8	7.0	7.2	6.7	7.4	7.4		
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	3.5	3.0	3.0	(B)	4.9	10.3	8.2	9.4	7.1	9.4	17.2		
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	2.7	2.4	2.5	(B)	3.7	4.3	5.3	6.8	5.4	4.3	6.5		
\$3,000 TO \$3,499	4.0	3.5	3.0	(B)	5.4	5.1	6.4	10.3	5.2	6.2	6.6		
\$3,500 TO \$3,999	2.3	2.0	2.0	(B)	3.2	3.2	4.4	7.5	2.4	6.0	7.1		
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	6.4	6.6	6.5	(B)	5.8	8.4	8.9	14.8	8.7	5.5	11.7		
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	7.7	7.6	7.4	(B)	7.8	6.3	7.7	8.2	9.0	4.0	5.9		
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	7.6	7.5	7.7	(B)	7.8	5.3	6.1	7.8	7.2	3.0	6.3		
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	6.5	7.3	7.2	(B)	4.3	5.1	4.5	6.8	4.1	3.8	6.2		
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	6.8	8.4	8.3	(B)	2.4	7.7	3.8	4.3	4.3	2.5	0.4		
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	5.0	6.4	6.7	(B)	1.2	5.3	1.9	2.8	2.4	0.5	2.4		
\$10,000 TO \$11,999	9.1	11.2	11.3	(B)	3.3	9.4	2.4	1.7	2.9	2.1	2.7		
\$12,000 TO \$14,999	9.3	11.9	12.1	(B)	1.9	6.1	1.7	1.3	2.5	0.8	2.3		
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	9.6	12.3	12.3	(B)	1.8	6.7	0.6	1.5	0.5	0.2	1.1		
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	2.4	3.2	3.3	(B)	-	0.9	0.3	0.7	0.3	-	1.0		
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	1.2	1.7	1.7	(B)	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6		
\$50,000 AND OVER	0.2	0.3	0.3	(B)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
MEDIAN INCOME. DOLLARS	7 007	8 642	8 714	(B)	2 338	5 542	2 873	3 990	2 951	1 928	3 292		
MEAN INCOME. DOLLARS	8 056	9 683	9 756	(B)	3 527	6 713	3 684	4 703	3 881	2 692	4 358		



Table 18. CHARACTERISTICS OF SPANISH ORIGIN FAMILIES BY RESIDENCE, SIZE, TYPE OF FAMILY, AND TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN

(For the United States, March 1977. For meaning of symbols, see text)

CHARACTERISTICS	TYPE OF FAMILY BY ORIGIN											
	SPANISH ORIGIN			MEXICAN ORIGIN			PUERTO RICAN ORIGIN			OTHER SPANISH ORIGIN ²		
	TOTAL ¹	HUS- BAND- WIFE	FEMALE HEAD, NO HUSBAND PRESENT	TOTAL ¹	HUS- BAND- WIFE	FEMALE HEAD, NO HUSBAND PRESENT	TOTAL ¹	HUS- BAND- WIFE	FEMALE HEAD, NO HUSBAND PRESENT	TOTAL ¹	HUS- BAND- WIFE	FEMALE HEAD, NO HUSBAND PRESENT
RESIDENCE												
TOTAL FAMILIES, THOUSANDS	2 583	1 978	517	1 455	1 166	235	443	268	165	686	545	117
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
IN METROPOLITAN AREAS												
IN CENTRAL CITIES	85.7	83.7	89.5	79.5	78.7	82.3	96.1	94.8	97.8	89.5	88.7	92.4
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	51.3	47.5	66.7	44.4	42.9	53.8	77.2	70.0	88.4	49.4	46.3	61.8
OUTSIDE METROPOLITAN AREAS												
OUTSIDE METROPOLITAN AREAS	33.7	36.2	22.8	35.1	35.9	28.5	18.8	24.8	9.3	40.1	42.4	30.4
PERCENT	15.0	16.3	10.5	20.5	21.3	17.7	3.9	5.2	2.2	10.5	11.3	7.6
SIZE OF FAMILY												
TOTAL FAMILIES, THOUSANDS	2 583	1 978	517	1 455	1 166	235	443	268	165	686	545	117
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2 PERSONS	24.1	20.8	31.7	20.7	18.1	25.7	24.5	21.2	28.8	30.9	26.4	47.7
3 PERSONS	23.0	20.9	29.6	21.1	19.6	27.3	28.9	24.3	35.5	23.3	22.1	25.9
4 PERSONS	22.3	23.9	18.3	21.3	22.2	19.4	20.2	22.0	18.7	25.6	28.5	16.3
5 PERSONS	14.2	15.5	11.7	16.4	17.1	15.3	13.2	15.5	10.4	10.3	11.9	4.2
6 PERSONS	8.7	10.0	5.1	10.2	11.3	6.8	7.8	10.1	4.6	5.9	6.9	2.3
7 OR MORE PERSONS	7.7	8.9	4.1	10.3	11.6	5.5	5.3	6.9	2.6	3.9	4.2	3.6
PERSONS IN FAMILIES												
TOTAL PERSONS IN FAMILIES THOUSANDS	10 025	8 009	1 767	5 997	4 975	868	1 633	1 051	550	2 395	1 983	350
MEAN NUMBER OF PERSONS	3.88	4.05	3.42	4.12	4.27	3.70	3.69	3.93	3.32	3.49	3.64	2.98
UNDER 18 YEARS	1.67	1.69	1.82	1.85	1.89	1.96	1.78	1.66	2.02	1.24	1.27	1.25
18 TO 64 YEARS	2.07	2.23	1.49	2.15	2.27	1.62	1.84	2.21	1.26	2.05	2.17	1.57
65 YEARS AND OVER	0.13	0.13	0.10	0.12	0.11	0.12	0.06	0.06	0.04	0.20	0.21	0.16
MEAN NUMBER OF OWN CHILDREN												
UNDER 18 YEARS	1.57	1.60	1.66	1.72	1.79	1.71	1.69	1.57	1.94	1.19	1.23	1.18
OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	0.55	0.58	0.52	0.62	0.67	0.51	0.58	0.51	0.73	0.39	0.44	0.22
OWN CHILDREN UNDER 3 YEARS	0.27	0.29	0.22	0.30	0.33	0.21	0.29	0.27	0.34	0.18	0.21	0.07

¹INCLUDES FAMILIES WITH "MALE HEAD, NO WIFE PRESENT" NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY.

²INCLUDES CUBAN, CENTRAL OR SOUTH AMERICAN, AND OTHER SPANISH ORIGIN.

Table 19. FAMILY STATUS AND RELATIONSHIP TO HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD OF ALL PERSONS AND PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN BY TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN

(For the United States, March 1977. For meaning of symbols, see text)

FAMILY STATUS AND RELATIONSHIP TO HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD	TOTAL ALL PERSONS	SPANISH ORIGIN						
		TOTAL	MEXICAN	PUERTO RICAN	CUBAN	CENTRAL OR SOUTH AMERICAN	OTHER SPANISH	NOT OF SPANISH ORIGIN ¹
NUMBER								
ALL PERSONS	212 566	11 269	6 545	1 742	681	872	1 428	201 297
IN HOUSEHOLDS	211 957	11 230	6 527	1 742	677	858	1 426	200 727
HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD	74 142	3 081	1 690	537	227	253	374	71 061
PRIMARY FAMILY HEAD	56 472	2 570	1 449	441	189	205	287	53 902
PRIMARY INDIVIDUAL	17 669	511	241	95	38	148	87	17 159
NOT HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD	137 815	8 149	4 837	1 206	450	605	1 052	129 666
WIFE	47 471	2 029	1 185	257	150	177	261	45 442
CHILD	78 217	5 317	3 162	861	229	344	722	72 900
OTHER RELATIVE	8 145	606	383	69	60	50	45	7 539
NONRELATIVE ²	3 982	197	108	19	12	34	25	3 784
NOT IN HOUSEHOLDS	609	39	19	-	4	14	2	570
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION								
ALL PERSONS	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
IN HOUSEHOLDS	99.7	99.7	99.7	100.0	99.4	98.4	99.9	99.7
HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD	34.9	27.3	25.8	30.8	33.3	29.0	26.2	35.3
PRIMARY FAMILY HEAD	26.4	22.8	22.1	25.3	27.7	23.4	20.1	26.8
PRIMARY INDIVIDUAL	4.5	4.5	3.7	5.5	5.6	5.6	6.1	8.5
NOT HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD	64.8	72.3	73.9	69.2	66.1	69.3	73.7	64.4
WIFE	22.3	18.0	18.1	14.7	22.0	20.3	18.3	22.6
CHILD	36.8	47.2	48.3	49.4	33.6	39.4	50.5	36.2
OTHER RELATIVE	3.8	5.4	5.8	4.0	8.8	5.7	3.1	3.7
NONRELATIVE ²	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.1	1.7	3.9	1.7	1.9
NOT IN HOUSEHOLDS	0.3	0.3	0.3	-	0.6	1.6	0.1	0.3

¹INCLUDES PERSONS WHO DID NOT KNOW OR DID NOT REPORT ON ORIGIN.

²INCLUDES SECONDARY FAMILY MEMBERS AND SECONDARY INDIVIDUALS.

Table 20. FAMILY STATUS AND RELATIONSHIP TO HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD OF ALL PERSONS AND PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN BY TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN, FOR THE FIVE SOUTHWESTERN STATES

(March 1977. Numbers in thousands.)

Family status and relationship to head of household	Spanish origin				Not of Spanish origin ²
	Total	Total	Mexican	Other Spanish ¹	
NUMBER					
All persons.....	39,941	6,670	5,695	974	33,271
In households.....	39,778	6,658	5,688	969	33,120
Head.....	14,402	1,788	1,504	284	12,614
Primary family head.....	10,512	1,495	1,282	213	9,017
Primary individual.....	3,889	292	223	69	3,597
Not head of household.....	25,377	4,870	4,183	685	20,507
Wife.....	8,864	1,215	1,024	192	7,649
Child.....	13,886	3,143	2,718	425	10,743
Other relative.....	1,507	389	351	39	1,118
Nonrelative ³	1,120	123	92	32	997
Not in households.....	163	12	7	5	151
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION					
All persons.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
In households.....	99.6	99.8	99.9	99.5	99.5
Head.....	36.1	26.8	26.4	29.1	37.9
Primary family head.....	26.3	22.4	22.5	22.0	27.1
Primary individual.....	9.7	4.4	3.9	7.1	10.8
Not head of household.....	63.5	73.0	73.5	70.3	61.6
Wife.....	22.2	18.2	18.0	19.7	23.0
Child.....	34.8	47.1	47.7	43.5	32.3
Other relative.....	3.8	5.8	6.2	4.0	3.4
Nonrelative ³	3.8	1.8	1.6	3.3	3.0
Not in households.....	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.5

¹Includes Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American, and other Spanish origin.

²Includes persons who did not know or did not report on origin.

³Includes secondary family members and secondary individuals.

Table 21. PERSONS IN HOUSEHOLDS WITH HEAD OF SPANISH AND MEXICAN ORIGIN BY FAMILY STATUS AND AGE

(For the United States, March 1977. For meaning of symbols see text)

SUBJECT	TOTAL	AGE OF HEAD (YEARS)									
		UNDER 25	25 TO 29	30 TO 34	35 TO 39	40 TO 44	45 TO 49	50 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 TO 69	70 AND OVER
SPANISH ORIGIN											
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE											
ALL HOUSEHOLDS . . . THOUSANDS . . .	3 081	368	461	419	686	535	328	189	96		
PERCENT . . .	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
PRIMARY FAMILIES . . .	83.4	79.0	83.4	83.7	92.3	66.7	77.5	63.6	54.9		
HUSBAND-WIFE . . .	64.1	66.8	63.8	71.3	71.0	65.5	62.6	50.8	37.0		
MALE HEAD, NO WIFE PRESENT . . .	2.8	4.7	1.9	1.8	2.4	3.4	2.3	2.7	3.7		
FEMALE HEAD, NO HUSBAND PRESENT . . .	16.5	17.6	17.7	15.5	18.9	17.8	12.6	12.1	14.2		
PRIMARY INDIVIDUALS . . .	16.6	21.0	16.6	11.3	7.7	13.3	22.5	35.4	45.1		
MALE . . .	8.4	11.6	10.5	9.3	4.6	7.3	6.5	11.1	21.4		
FEMALE . . .	8.2	9.3	6.2	3.1	3.0	6.0	16.0	25.3	23.6		
AGE OF HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS											
ALL MEMBERS . . . THOUSANDS . . .	10 696	992	1 490	1 630	3 006	1 975	994	418	192		
PERCENT . . .	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
UNDER 18 YEARS . . .	40.7	33.4	43.9	51.4	51.4	34.8	22.9	12.7	6.8		
18 TO 64 YEARS . . .	55.0	66.6	55.8	49.1	47.4	63.6	74.3	31.9	25.3		
65 YEARS AND OVER . . .	4.3	-	0.3	0.4	0.8	1.6	2.8	55.4	67.9		
MEMBERS OF HUSBAND-WIFE HOUSEHOLDS											
ALL MEMBERS . . . THOUSANDS . . .	8 024	622	1 069	1 309	2 373	1 524	765	264	92		
PERCENT . . .	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
UNDER 18 YEARS . . .	41.6	33.4	41.9	51.9	51.9	35.7	24.6	12.7	6.8		
18 TO 64 YEARS . . .	55.1	66.6	58.0	47.8	47.5	62.9	72.6	35.4	23.9		
65 YEARS AND OVER . . .	3.2	-	0.1	0.3	0.6	1.4	2.8	50.9	69.4		
MEMBERS OF HOUSEHOLDS WITH FEMALE HEAD, NO HUSBAND PRESENT											
ALL MEMBERS . . . THOUSANDS . . .	2 061	243	329	242	532	347	181	118	69		
PERCENT . . .	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	(B)
UNDER 18 YEARS . . .	45.6	47.5	50.3	61.9	55.4	38.1	17.4	13.6	(B)		
18 TO 64 YEARS . . .	48.1	52.5	39.7	38.1	44.1	52.7	28.1	28.1	(B)		
65 YEARS AND OVER . . .	6.3	-	1.0	-	0.7	2.1	3.1	58.2	(B)		
MEXICAN ORIGIN											
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE											
ALL HOUSEHOLDS . . . THOUSANDS . . .	1 640	225	264	232	375	269	167	102	56		
PERCENT . . .	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	(B)
PRIMARY FAMILIES . . .	85.7	83.7	85.5	92.0	94.5	89.1	82.3	62.7	(B)		
HUSBAND-WIFE . . .	68.9	62.7	74.0	75.9	75.1	68.6	68.0	49.8	(B)		
MALE HEAD, NO WIFE PRESENT . . .	3.2	6.7	2.0	1.8	2.5	4.6	1.9	2.7	(B)		
FEMALE HEAD, NO HUSBAND PRESENT . . .	13.6	14.4	9.5	11.4	16.9	15.9	12.4	10.1	(B)		
PRIMARY INDIVIDUALS . . .	14.3	16.3	14.5	10.0	5.5	10.9	17.7	37.3	(B)		
MALE . . .	7.9	11.5	9.8	7.4	3.8	6.2	5.5	12.4	(B)		
FEMALE . . .	6.4	4.7	4.7	2.6	1.6	4.7	12.2	24.9	(B)		
AGE OF HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS											
ALL MEMBERS . . . THOUSANDS . . .	6 336	653	892	975	1 778	1 114	562	248	114		
PERCENT . . .	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
UNDER 18 YEARS . . .	42.7	34.1	42.4	53.3	53.8	39.1	24.7	15.9	8.3		
18 TO 64 YEARS . . .	53.5	65.9	57.0	45.4	45.7	59.9	71.6	33.8	28.2		
65 YEARS AND OVER . . .	3.8	-	0.4	0.2	0.5	1.0	3.7	49.3	63.5		
MEMBERS OF HUSBAND-WIFE HOUSEHOLDS											
ALL MEMBERS . . . THOUSANDS . . .	4 982	440	731	916	1 451	894	444	154	51		
PERCENT . . .	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	(B)
UNDER 18 YEARS . . .	44.2	35.5	43.1	54.0	54.4	39.9	25.7	15.5	(B)		
18 TO 64 YEARS . . .	53.2	64.5	53.2	45.9	45.2	59.6	70.4	38.0	(B)		
65 YEARS AND OVER . . .	2.6	-	1.1	0.1	0.3	0.5	3.9	45.5	(B)		
MEMBERS OF HOUSEHOLDS WITH FEMALE HEAD, NO HUSBAND PRESENT											
ALL MEMBERS . . . THOUSANDS . . .	999	115	111	117	272	167	98	74	46		
PERCENT . . .	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	(B)
UNDER 18 YEARS . . .	46.2	52.3	53.8	63.3	56.8	43.3	20.9	(B)	(B)		
18 TO 64 YEARS . . .	46.8	47.7	44.8	35.7	42.8	54.7	75.5	(B)	(B)		
65 YEARS AND OVER . . .	7.0	-	1.3	-	0.4	1.9	13.6	(B)	(B)		

Table 22. HUSBAND-WIFE HOUSEHOLDS BY ORIGIN OF HUSBAND AND ORIGIN OF WIFE

(For the United States, March 1977. For meaning of symbols, see text)

ORIGIN OF WIFE	ORIGIN OF HUSBAND								DO NOT KNOW AND NOT REPORTED ON ORIGIN
	TOTAL ALL PERSONS	SPANISH ORIGIN						OTHER ORIGIN	
		TOTAL	MEXICAN	PUERTO RICAN	CUBAN	CENTRAL OR SOUTH AMERICAN	OTHER SPANISH		
NUMBER									
TOTAL, ALL PERSONS.	47 471	1 975	1 165	268	150	167	226	44 110	1 386
TOTAL, SPANISH ORIGIN	2 929	1 626	1 007	231	141	134	112	396	7
MEXICAN	1 185	1 011	990	7	1	6	7	171	2
PUERTO RICAN	257	228	1	210	3	9	5	27	1
CUBAN	150	137	1	1	131	2	2	12	1
CENTRAL OR SOUTH AMERICAN	177	135	4	11	5	111	4	42	-
OTHER SPANISH	261	115	11	3	2	4	95	143	3
OTHER ORIGIN.	44 203	341	153	35	9	32	111	43 270	593
DO NOT KNOW AND NOT REPORTED ON ORIGIN.	1 239	9	4	1	-	2	2	444	786
PERCENT BY ORIGIN OF HUSBAND									
TOTAL, ALL PERSONS.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
TOTAL, SPANISH ORIGIN	4.3	82.3	86.5	85.4	94.0	80.0	49.8	0.9	0.5
MEXICAN	2.5	51.2	85.0	2.6	0.6	3.9	3.0	0.9	0.1
PUERTO RICAN	0.5	11.6	0.1	78.5	1.7	5.6	2.4	0.1	0.1
CUBAN	0.3	6.9	-0.1	0.3	87.2	1.5	0.7	-	0.1
CENTRAL OR SOUTH AMERICAN	0.4	6.8	0.3	4.0	3.4	66.7	1.7	0.1	-
OTHER SPANISH	0.6	5.8	1.0	1.1	1.1	2.3	42.1	0.3	0.2
OTHER ORIGIN.	93.1	17.2	13.8	13.2	6.0	19.0	49.3	98.1	42.8
DO NOT KNOW AND NOT REPORTED ON ORIGIN.	2.6	0.4	0.2	0.2	-	1.0	0.8	1.0	56.7
PERCENT BY ORIGIN OF WIFE									
TOTAL, ALL PERSONS.	100.0	4.2	2.5	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.5	92.9	2.9
TOTAL, SPANISH ORIGIN	100.0	80.1	49.6	11.4	7.0	6.6	5.5	19.5	0.4
MEXICAN	100.0	85.4	83.6	0.6	0.1	0.5	0.6	14.5	0.2
PUERTO RICAN	100.0	89.0	0.4	81.8	1.0	3.7	2.1	10.5	0.5
CUBAN	100.0	91.3	0.6	3.5	87.5	1.7	1.1	8.1	0.5
CENTRAL OR SOUTH AMERICAN	100.0	76.2	2.1	5.0	2.9	63.0	2.1	23.8	-
OTHER SPANISH	100.0	44.0	4.3	1.1	0.7	1.5	36.4	54.8	1.2
OTHER ORIGIN.	100.0	0.8	0.3	3.1	-	0.1	0.3	97.9	1.3
DO NOT KNOW AND NOT REPORTED ON ORIGIN.	100.0	0.7	0.4	0.1	-	0.1	0.2	35.8	63.5

Table 28. HUSBAND-WIFE HOUSEHOLDS BY ORIGIN OF HUSBAND AND ORIGIN OF WIFE, FOR THE FIVE SOUTHWESTERN STATES

(March 1977. Numbers in thousands)

Origin of wife	Origin of husband					
	Total, all origins	Spanish origin			Other origin	Do not know and not reported on origin
		Total	Mexican	Other Spanish ¹		
NUMBER						
Total, all origins.....	8,864	1,193	1,020	173	7,550	120
Total, Spanish origin.....	1,215	1,027	916	111	185	3
Mexican.....	1,024	919	902	17	103	1
Other Spanish ¹	192	108	15	92	82	2
Other origin.....	7,542	163	102	60	7,313	66
Do not know and not reported on origin.....	107	3	2	2	52	51
PERCENT BY ORIGIN OF HUSBAND						
Total, all origins.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Total, Spanish origin.....	13.7	86.1	89.8	64.2	2.5	2.5
Mexican.....	11.6	77.0	88.4	9.8	1.4	0.8
Other Spanish ¹	2.2	9.1	1.5	53.2	1.1	1.7
Other origin.....	85.1	13.7	10.0	34.7	96.9	55.0
Do not know and not reported on origin.....	1.2	0.3	0.2	1.2	0.7	42.5
PERCENT BY ORIGIN OF WIFE						
Total, all origins.....	100.0	13.5	11.5	2.0	85.2	1.4
Total, Spanish origin.....	100.0	84.5	75.4	9.1	15.2	0.2
Mexican.....	100.0	89.7	88.1	1.7	10.1	0.1
Other Spanish ¹	100.0	56.3	7.8	47.9	42.7	1.0
Other origin.....	100.0	2.2	1.4	0.8	97.0	0.9
Do not know and not reported on origin.....	100.0	2.8	1.9	1.9	48.6	47.7

¹Includes Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American, and other Spanish origin.

Table 24. FAMILY RELATIONSHIP AND PRESENCE OF PARENTS FOR PERSONS OF SPANISH AND MEXICAN ORIGIN UNDER 18 YEARS OLD BY AGE

(For the United States, March 1977. For meaning of symbols, see text)

TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN, PRESENCE OF PARENTS, AND FAMILY RELATIONSHIP	TOTAL UNDER 18 YEARS	AGE (YEARS)				
		UNDER 3	3 TO 5	6 TO 9	10 TO 13	14 TO 17
PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN						
TOTAL THOUSANDS	4 735	848	880	1 064	1 050	914
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
IN FAMILIES	99.8	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.7
CHILD OF FAMILY HEAD	94.8	91.8	94.1	95.7	96.7	95.9
GRANDCHILD OF FAMILY HEAD	1.7	1.9	2.7	1.2	0.7	0.7
OTHER RELATIVE OF FAMILY HEAD	3.2	4.3	3.2	3.1	2.6	3.1
LIVING WITH BOTH PARENTS	76.9	80.3	77.7	77.1	76.9	78.8
CHILD OF FAMILY HEAD	76.0	77.9	76.3	76.6	76.6	76.6
GRANDCHILD OF FAMILY HEAD	0.7	1.9	1.1	0.4	0.2	0.3
OTHER RELATIVE OF FAMILY HEAD	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2
LIVING WITH MOTHER ONLY	19.5	16.4	17.4	19.3	20.1	20.1
CHILD OF FAMILY HEAD	18.2	13.5	17.5	18.5	19.2	20.1
GRANDCHILD OF FAMILY HEAD	0.9	1.9	1.2	0.7	0.6	0.7
OTHER RELATIVE OF FAMILY HEAD	0.5	1.0	0.5	0.1	0.3	0.4
LIVING WITH FATHER ONLY	0.8	0.4	0.5	0.1	0.9	1.6
CHILD OF FAMILY HEAD	0.7	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.9	1.4
GRANDCHILD OF FAMILY HEAD	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	0.1
OTHER RELATIVE OF FAMILY HEAD	-	-	-	-	-	-
LIVING WITH NEITHER PARENT	2.5	3.9	2.4	2.8	2.1	2.2
NOT IN FAMILIES	0.2	-	-	-	-	0.3
PERSONS OF MEXICAN ORIGIN						
TOTAL THOUSANDS	2 837	531	524	605	622	556
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
IN FAMILIES	99.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.8
CHILD OF FAMILY HEAD	93.9	90.8	92.5	94.4	95.7	95.6
GRANDCHILD OF FAMILY HEAD	2.2	4.7	3.5	1.5	1.0	0.6
OTHER RELATIVE OF FAMILY HEAD	3.7	4.5	4.1	4.0	3.3	3.7
LIVING WITH BOTH PARENTS	80.5	84.3	81.0	82.3	79.2	75.0
CHILD OF FAMILY HEAD	79.2	81.0	79.0	81.5	78.6	75.6
GRANDCHILD OF FAMILY HEAD	1.0	2.4	1.6	0.5	0.2	0.3
OTHER RELATIVE OF FAMILY HEAD	0.3	0.7	0.4	0.3	0.3	-
LIVING WITH MOTHER ONLY	15.8	12.9	15.7	13.8	17.3	19.4
CHILD OF FAMILY HEAD	14.1	9.4	13.5	12.6	15.3	14.6
GRANDCHILD OF FAMILY HEAD	1.1	2.0	1.3	0.9	0.8	0.5
OTHER RELATIVE OF FAMILY HEAD	0.6	1.5	0.9	0.2	0.3	0.4
LIVING WITH FATHER ONLY	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.8	1.4
CHILD OF FAMILY HEAD	0.6	0.3	-	0.3	0.8	1.4
GRANDCHILD OF FAMILY HEAD	0.2	0.1	0.6	0.1	-	0.1
OTHER RELATIVE OF FAMILY HEAD	-	-	-	-	-	-
LIVING WITH NEITHER PARENT	2.8	2.3	2.7	3.5	2.7	2.4
NOT IN FAMILIES	0.1	-	-	-	-	0.2

EXCLUDES MALES WHO ARE FAMILY HEADS AND FEMALES WHO ARE EITHER FAMILY HEADS OR WIVES OF FAMILY HEADS.

Table 25. INCOME IN 1976 OF SPANISH AND MEXICAN ORIGIN FAMILIES BY TYPE OF FAMILY

Type of family with income	Families by type						
	Total		Married, wife present		Married, wife absent		Female head
	Total	Total	Total	Life Income Labor force	Life Income and Labor force	Other marital status	Total
SPANISH ORIGIN							
Number.....thous and...	1,783	1,726	1,978	797	1,118	85	717
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under \$1,000.....	3.4	3.1	3.1	3.7	3.5	1.8	9.1
1,000 to 2,999.....	6.8	6.1	6.2	6.7	6.0	2.0	9.4
3,000 to 4,999.....	6.4	5.5	5.5	5.1	5.0	6.8	17.3
5,000 to 7,999.....	6.7	5.8	5.7	4.9	5.0	7.9	13.0
8,000 to 9,999.....	11.5	10.8	10.9	8.1	15.1	9.1	19.4
10,000 to 14,999.....	12.7	11.6	11.5	8.5	9.8	9.1	6.2
15,000 to 19,999.....	11.3	11.2	11.4	8.1	11.4	18.5	7.3
20,000 to 24,999.....	4.7	4.0	4.1	3.1	3.6	17.9	11.5
25,000 to 34,999.....	8.1	7.5	7.9	6.0	10.6	10.1	5.7
35,000 and over.....	7.0	8.1	8.4	11.1	6.9	7.1	1.2
Median Income.....dollars..	10,139	11,810	11,955	14,941	9,898	4,059	5,118
Mean Income.....dollars..	11,066	11,889	13,495	16,195	11,052	8,019	6,595
MEXICAN ORIGIN							
Number.....thous and...	1,435	1,110	1,166	444	722	55	235
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0
Under \$1,000.....	3.4	1.9	1.9	1.1	1.2	(B)	10.7
1,000 to 2,999.....	5.9	2.1	2.3	0.9	3.3	(B)	9.6
3,000 to 4,999.....	5.7	3.7	3.5	1.0	4.6	(B)	16.0
5,000 to 7,999.....	4.9	4.0	3.8	2.0	4.8	(B)	9.4
8,000 to 9,999.....	12.2	11.1	11.4	8.1	13.2	(B)	17.2
10,000 to 14,999.....	6.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	7.2	(B)	7.9
15,000 to 19,999.....	12.1	12.8	13.1	11.3	13.4	(B)	8.6
20,000 to 24,999.....	11.6	11.7	11.8	12.9	13.9	(B)	11.5
25,000 to 34,999.....	7.8	15.8	16.2	15.1	10.6	(B)	7.8
35,000 and over.....	6.3	7.1	7.2	10.6	5.3	(B)	1.8
Median Income.....dollars..	10,322	11,120	11,335	16,194	9,876	(B)	5,519
Mean Income.....dollars..	11,955	11,899	11,955	15,210	11,065	(B)	7,041



Table 26. INCOME IN 1976 OF ALL FAMILIES AND SPANISH ORIGIN FAMILIES BY SIZE OF FAMILY AND TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN

(For the United States, March 1977. For meaning of symbols, see text.)

Origin and size of family	Total (thousands)	Percent	Under \$2,000	\$2,000 to \$2,999	\$3,000 to \$3,999	\$4,000 to \$4,999	\$5,000 to \$5,999	\$6,000 to \$6,999	\$7,000 to \$7,999	\$8,000 to \$8,999	\$9,000 to \$9,999	\$10,000 to \$10,999
Total families, all origins.....	56,210	100.0	2.0	1.9	3.1	3.4	1.9	3.9	1.9	4.1	3.8	4.2
2 person families.....	21,530	100.0	2.4	2.7	4.7	5.1	5.8	5.6	5.1	5.1	4.4	4.5
3 person families.....	12,472	100.0	2.2	2.0	2.9	2.7	3.0	3.3	3.7	4.4	3.8	4.4
4 person families.....	11,481	100.0	1.3	1.0	1.8	2.1	2.5	2.3	2.5	3.3	3.2	3.6
5 person families.....	6,209	100.0	1.2	1.1	1.5	2.2	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.6	3.3	3.3
6 person families.....	2,800	100.0	1.6	1.2	1.3	2.0	2.2	2.6	3.8	2.6	2.6	4.5
7 or more person families.....	2,216	100.0	1.4	1.3	1.5	2.2	3.4	4.5	3.3	3.2	3.4	4.0
Total families, Spanish origin.....	2,581	100.0	3.5	3.6	6.4	5.7	6.1	6.4	5.7	5.8	5.5	5.2
2 person families.....	622	100.0	4.3	6.9	11.1	7.1	7.1	8.7	6.8	5.6	4.8	4.0
3 person families.....	595	100.0	4.2	4.2	8.1	5.9	6.1	5.2	6.2	6.9	5.2	5.4
4 person families.....	575	100.0	3.7	1.6	4.9	5.4	6.3	4.9	3.5	4.9	5.0	5.7
5 person families.....	367	100.0	3.3	1.4	3.0	5.4	4.9	6.8	4.9	4.9	7.4	5.2
6 person families.....	224	100.0	1.8	2.2	2.7	2.7	5.8	5.8	8.9	7.1	4.9	5.4
7 or more person families.....	200	100.0	0.5	2.5	1.5	5.5	5.0	7.5	6.5	5.0	7.0	6.5
Families of Mexican origin.....	1,455	100.0	3.3	3.5	5.7	4.9	5.6	6.6	6.5	6.3	5.8	5.8
2 person families.....	301	100.0	4.0	6.6	11.0	8.6	7.6	7.6	8.3	5.6	3.7	4.7
3 person families.....	307	100.0	3.3	4.2	6.5	4.2	6.8	6.5	6.5	6.8	6.5	5.5
4 person families.....	310	100.0	3.9	1.3	4.5	2.9	6.5	5.5	4.5	6.5	4.5	7.4
5 person families.....	238	100.0	3.8	1.7	3.8	4.6	3.4	7.1	5.9	5.5	8.0	5.0
6 person families.....	149	100.0	2.0	2.7	2.7	0.7	3.4	4.0	9.4	8.7	5.1	5.4
7 or more person families.....	149	100.0	0.7	3.4	1.3	6.7	3.4	8.7	4.7	8.1	8.1	5.4
Families of Puerto Rican origin.....	443	100.0	5.0	4.7	11.9	10.5	8.3	7.0	3.8	6.0	4.8	6.5
2 person families.....	109	100.0	9.2	7.3	17.4	4.6	2.8	6.4	5.5	6.4	5.5	5.5
3 person families.....	128	100.0	6.3	6.3	17.2	14.1	7.8	3.9	3.1	10.2	6.7	3.1
4 person families.....	90	100.0	2.2	3.3	11.1	14.4	12.2	7.8	1.1	1.1	5.1	3.3
5 person families.....	59	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
6 person families.....	35	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
7 or more person families.....	24	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
Families of other Spanish origin.....	686	100.0	2.9	3.1	4.2	4.1	5.8	5.7	5.4	4.5	5.5	3.2
2 person families.....	212	100.0	2.4	6.6	8.0	5.7	8.0	11.3	4.7	5.2	5.7	2.8
3 person families.....	160	100.0	3.8	2.5	3.1	2.5	3.8	3.1	8.1	3.8	3.8	7.1
4 person families.....	175	100.0	4.0	1.7	2.3	4.6	3.4	2.9	3.4	4.6	8.0	4.0
5 person families.....	71	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
6 person families.....	41	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
7 or more person families.....	28	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
Total families, not of Spanish origin.....	54,126	100.0	1.9	1.8	2.9	3.3	3.8	3.8	3.8	4.0	3.7	4.1
2 person families.....	20,908	100.0	2.4	2.0	4.5	5.0	5.8	5.5	5.1	5.1	4.4	4.1
3 person families.....	11,877	100.0	2.1	1.9	2.6	2.5	2.9	3.2	3.6	4.3	3.8	4.1
4 person families.....	10,908	100.0	1.2	1.0	1.6	1.9	2.3	2.1	2.5	3.2	3.2	3.5
5 person families.....	5,842	100.0	1.1	1.1	1.4	2.0	2.7	2.4	2.4	2.4	3.0	3.1
6 person families.....	2,576	100.0	1.6	1.1	1.2	2.0	1.9	2.3	3.3	2.2	2.4	4.4
7 or more person families.....	2,016	100.0	1.4	1.1	1.5	1.9	3.3	4.2	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.7

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 26. INCOME IN 1976 OF ALL FAMILIES AND SPANISH ORIGIN FAMILIES BY SIZE OF FAMILY AND TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN—Continued

(For the United States, March 1977. For meaning of symbols, see text.)

Origin and size of family	\$11,000 to \$11,999	\$12,000 to \$12,999	\$13,000 to \$13,999	\$14,000 to \$14,999	\$15,000 to \$15,999	\$16,000 to \$16,999	\$17,000 to \$17,999	\$18,000 to \$18,999	\$19,000 to \$19,999	\$20,000 to \$24,999	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$50,000 and over	Median income (dollars)	Mean income (dollars)
	Total families, all origins	3.9	4.1	4.1	3.9	4.6	3.8	4.0	6.9	12.9	15.9	1.9	14,958	16,870
2 person families	4.0	4.3	4.1	1.9	4.0	3.4	1.5	5.6	9.8	10.5	1.1	12,091	14,229	
3 person families	4.1	4.4	4.4	4.0	4.9	1.9	1.8	7.1	11.1	15.9	1.7	15,085	16,868	
4 person families	1.6	1.7	1.8	4.4	4.9	4.4	4.8	8.4	16.6	19.5	2.1	17,315	18,977	
5 person families	1.6	3.5	4.2	3.7	4.6	3.9	4.6	7.9	15.5	22.1	3.1	17,756	19,867	
6 person families	1.5	4.1	3.7	1.2	4.3	3.7	4.1	7.3	15.2	22.9	3.5	17,760	20,308	
7 or more person families	4.3	4.9	4.0	3.2	3.5	3.6	4.2	6.9	12.2	22.5	2.3	16,521	19,067	
Total families, Spanish origin	4.4	4.6	4.0	3.3	3.8	3.1	3.1	5.4	7.7	6.6	0.4	10,259	12,060	
2 person families	3.5	3.5	2.9	2.7	2.9	2.7	2.7	4.0	5.0	3.2	0.2	7,732	9,813	
3 person families	4.0	4.5	4.2	2.9	3.9	1.5	2.5	5.7	8.1	4.9	0.2	9,632	11,259	
4 person families	5.6	4.2	4.2	1.3	3.7	4.2	2.8	7.1	9.9	9.0	0.3	11,766	13,386	
5 person families	1.3	5.4	5.4	4.9	4.9	3.1	3.8	6.9	6.8	9.0	0.8	11,839	13,424	
6 person families	5.8	6.3	2.7	1.6	3.6	1.1	5.4	4.9	8.9	8.0	1.1	11,667	13,681	
7 or more person families	5.5	5.0	4.5	1.5	4.5	5.0	2.0	4.5	9.0	8.0	-	11,302	13,306	
Families of Mexican origin	5.0	4.5	3.9	3.4	4.1	2.9	3.1	5.4	7.3	6.0	0.3	10,322	11,955	
2 person families	3.1	4.0	1.7	2.2	4.0	1.7	3.0	4.3	5.0	2.3	0.3	7,532	9,687	
3 person families	4.9	4.2	5.2	2.9	1.6	1.3	2.6	5.9	6.5	5.2	0.3	9,722	11,266	
4 person families	7.7	2.3	3.9	2.9	1.5	4.5	1.2	7.4	8.7	8.1	-	11,303	12,950	
5 person families	4.2	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.5	3.4	2.5	5.0	8.4	6.7	1.3	11,360	13,051	
6 person families	4.0	8.1	3.4	4.7	3.4	2.7	6.0	4.7	8.1	9.4	-	12,109	13,472	
7 or more person families	4.7	6.0	4.0	3.4	4.7	4.7	2.0	5.4	8.1	6.0	-	11,060	12,624	
Families of Puerto Rican origin	3.1	3.1	4.2	1.2	2.2	1.9	1.6	2.9	6.8	3.8	0.2	7,669	9,762	
2 person families	2.8	0.9	1.7	2.8	-	3.7	1.8	2.8	6.4	4.6	-	7,374	9,106	
3 person families	3.1	3.1	2.3	2.3	0.8	0.8	2.3	0.8	7.0	1.6	-	5,840	8,050	
4 person families	2.2	6.7	3.3	4.4	4.4	2.2	1.1	1.1	8.9	5.6	-	6,935	10,466	
5 person families	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	
6 person families	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	
7 or more person families	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	
Families of other Spanish origin	3.8	5.4	4.1	3.2	4.1	4.2	3.8	7.0	9.0	9.3	0.6	12,135	13,768	
2 person families	4.2	4.7	4.7	3.3	2.4	4.2	1.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	-	8,636	10,358	
3 person families	3.1	5.6	3.8	3.1	7.5	3.1	3.1	9.6	11.9	7.5	-	12,889	13,810	
4 person families	3.4	5.7	4.6	3.4	3.4	4.6	3.4	9.1	12.6	12.6	1.1	13,438	15,646	
5 person families	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	
6 person families	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	
7 or more person families	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	
Total families, not of Spanish origin	3.9	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.5	3.8	4.0	7.0	13.2	16.3	2.0	15,176	17,099	
2 person families	4.0	4.3	4.1	3.9	4.1	3.4	3.5	5.7	10.0	10.8	1.3	12,230	14,360	
3 person families	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.1	4.9	4.0	1.8	7.2	13.4	16.4	1.8	15,326	17,128	
4 person families	3.5	3.8	3.8	4.5	4.9	4.9	4.9	8.4	16.9	20.0	2.4	17,546	19,272	
5 person families	3.6	3.4	4.2	3.6	4.6	3.9	4.5	8.1	16.1	23.1	3.3	18,136	20,250	
6 person families	3.4	3.8	3.8	3.1	4.3	3.7	4.2	7.5	15.8	24.2	3.7	18,289	20,885	
7 or more person families	4.2	4.9	4.0	3.2	3.4	3.5	4.5	7.1	12.6	24.0	2.6	17,151	19,617	

¹Includes Cuban, Central or South American, and other Spanish origin.
²Includes families with head who did not know or did not report on origin.



Table 27. INCOME IN 1976 OF SPANISH, MEXICAN, AND PUERTO RICAN ORIGIN FAMILIES BY NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS OLD

(For the United States, March 1977. For meaning of symbols, see text)

TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN AND NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN	TOTAL (THOUSANDS)	PER-CENT	UNDER \$2,000	\$2,000	\$3,000	\$4,000	\$5,000	\$6,000	\$7,000	\$8,000	\$9,000	\$10,000	\$11,000
				TO \$2,999	TO \$3,999	TO \$4,999	TO \$5,999	TO \$6,999	TO \$7,999	TO \$8,999	TO \$9,999	TO \$10,999	TO \$11,999
SPANISH ORIGIN													
TOTAL FAMILIES	2 583	100.0	3.5	3.6	4.4	5.7	6.1	6.4	5.7	5.8	5.5	5.2	4.4
NO CHILDREN	684	100.0	2.4	4.1	6.6	4.4	6.6	6.9	6.6	6.1	4.5	5.0	3.7
1 CHILD	619	100.0	4.3	3.8	7.7	4.9	5.2	6.1	5.1	6.4	5.6	4.8	5.0
2 CHILDREN	592	100.0	3.8	3.9	7.5	6.1	4.9	5.6	4.2	4.5	5.5	5.2	4.8
3 CHILDREN	371	100.0	3.5	1.8	1.7	7.4	5.8	5.8	5.0	5.1	6.5	4.8	2.0
4 CHILDREN	178	100.0	5.6	3.3	5.4	6.7	2.3	6.3	8.7	7.6	6.0	6.2	5.4
5 CHILDREN	80	100.0	1.8	3.4	2.3	5.3	7.6	10.1	11.5	5.0	8.5	5.7	7.1
6 OR MORE CHILDREN	60	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEXICAN ORIGIN													
TOTAL FAMILIES	1 455	100.0	3.3	3.5	5.7	4.9	5.6	6.6	6.5	6.3	5.8	5.8	5.0
NO CHILDREN	343	100.0	1.6	4.1	7.8	5.7	7.3	5.9	6.9	6.9	4.2	5.5	3.4
1 CHILD	332	100.0	3.9	4.0	6.5	4.5	5.1	6.3	6.6	6.0	6.4	4.7	6.1
2 CHILDREN	324	100.0	3.0	3.1	4.5	4.0	5.4	7.1	5.0	5.4	5.2	6.4	7.1
3 CHILDREN	235	100.0	5.1	1.9	4.3	4.3	3.5	6.1	5.8	5.6	7.0	5.5	3.4
4 CHILDREN	121	100.0	5.1	3.3	6.1	3.1	4.0	5.2	6.6	10.5	7.4	5.8	4.6
5 CHILDREN	58	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
6 OR MORE CHILDREN	42	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
PUERTO RICAN ORIGIN													
TOTAL FAMILIES	443	100.0	5.0	4.7	11.9	10.3	9.3	7.0	3.8	6.0	4.8	4.4	3.3
NO CHILDREN	92	100.0	6.3	2.8	6.3	2.5	5.8	4.4	5.3	7.1	7.0	8.9	3.9
1 CHILD	118	100.0	7.2	6.1	15.3	6.5	6.0	8.5	1.6	11.4	4.2	3.6	3.6
2 CHILDREN	112	100.0	4.0	7.6	21.3	14.4	4.0	4.4	4.4	1.5	2.7	3.1	2.0
3 CHILDREN	63	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
4 CHILDREN	34	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
5 CHILDREN	12	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
6 OR MORE CHILDREN	13	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)

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	\$12,000	\$13,000	\$14,000	\$15,000	\$16,000	\$17,000	\$18,000	\$20,000	\$25,000	\$50,000	MEDIAN INCOME (DOLS.)	MEAN INCOME (DOLS.)
	TO \$12,999	TO \$13,999	TO \$14,999	TO \$15,999	TO \$16,999	TO \$17,999	TO \$19,999	TO \$24,999	TO \$49,999	AND OVER		
SPANISH ORIGIN												
TOTAL FAMILIES	4.6	4.0	3.3	3.8	3.1	3.1	5.4	7.7	6.6	0.4	10 259	12 060
NO CHILDREN	4.2	3.4	3.2	3.4	2.9	3.8	5.9	7.7	6.6	0.5	10 352	12 562
1 CHILD	4.7	5.1	2.6	3.7	2.2	2.2	5.0	7.8	7.4	0.3	10 181	11 965
2 CHILDREN	4.4	3.0	3.3	3.4	4.3	3.3	6.4	8.1	7.4	0.3	10 749	12 313
3 CHILDREN	4.6	5.8	4.8	5.1	3.1	4.1	5.8	7.3	5.4	0.4	10 876	12 296
4 CHILDREN	5.9	2.4	3.4	4.3	0.7	2.5	1.8	4.2	3.8	0.5	8 631	10 218
5 CHILDREN	2.7	1.9	4.7	4.5	4.7	3.9	1.9	7.4	3.2	-	9 373	10 750
6 OR MORE CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEXICAN ORIGIN												
TOTAL FAMILIES	4.5	3.9	3.4	4.1	2.9	3.1	5.4	7.3	6.0	0.3	10 322	11 955
NO CHILDREN	4.2	2.6	3.5	3.9	2.0	3.5	6.1	7.1	7.5	0.4	9 900	12 264
1 CHILD	4.7	5.6	2.4	3.7	1.4	1.6	4.5	8.3	7.4	0.6	10 147	12 054
2 CHILDREN	3.2	2.9	2.8	3.1	5.7	4.8	6.7	7.6	5.6	0.3	10 976	12 248
3 CHILDREN	4.4	2.0	5.3	6.4	2.5	3.3	6.9	7.0	5.2	0.3	11 254	12 280
4 CHILDREN	8.2	2.4	4.1	4.9	0.8	3.4	0.8	5.6	4.3	-	9 294	10 626
5 CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
6 OR MORE CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
PUERTO RICAN ORIGIN												
TOTAL FAMILIES	3.3	4.2	3.2	2.2	1.9	1.6	2.9	6.8	3.8	0.2	7 669	6 162
NO CHILDREN	2.7	4.4	3.6	-	3.9	3.0	3.5	10.9	6.8	-	10 273	11 954
1 CHILD	3.6	3.5	3.7	1.4	2.1	1.4	1.4	6.5	2.0	-	7 155	8 789
2 CHILDREN	3.2	3.7	3.7	3.8	1.9	0.2	3.3	7.2	4.7	-	5 678	9 147
3 CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
4 CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
5 CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
6 OR MORE CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)

Table 28. INCOME IN 1976 OF SPANISH, MEXICAN, AND PUERTO RICAN ORIGIN FAMILIES BY RESIDENCE AND TYPE OF SPANISH ORIGIN

(For the United States, March 1977. For meaning of symbols, see text)

ORIGIN AND INCOME	TOTAL	IN METROPOLITAN AREAS			
		TOTAL	IN CENTRAL CITIES	OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	OUTSIDE METROPOLITAN AREAS
SPANISH ORIGIN					
NUMBER, THOUSANDS	2 581	2 196	1 326	870	399
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
UNDER \$2,000.	3.6	3.2	3.8	2.4	5.0
\$2,000 TO \$2,999.	3.6	3.6	4.5	2.2	3.4
\$3,000 TO \$3,999.	6.4	6.2	7.4	4.2	7.6
\$4,000 TO \$4,999.	5.7	5.7	6.8	3.9	5.6
\$5,000 TO \$5,999.	6.1	6.2	7.6	4.0	5.8
\$6,000 TO \$6,999.	6.4	6.1	6.7	5.3	8.2
\$7,000 TO \$7,999.	5.7	5.4	5.1	5.5	7.8
\$8,000 TO \$8,999.	5.8	5.7	5.6	5.8	6.1
\$9,000 TO \$9,999.	5.5	5.0	5.8	3.8	8.4
\$10,000 TO \$10,999.	5.2	4.9	4.3	5.9	6.8
\$11,000 TO \$11,999.	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.3	4.1
\$12,000 TO \$12,999.	4.6	4.6	4.9	4.3	4.1
\$13,000 TO \$13,999.	4.0	4.1	3.7	4.5	3.5
\$14,000 TO \$14,999.	3.3	3.5	2.6	4.8	2.6
\$15,000 TO \$15,999.	3.8	4.0	3.5	4.9	2.3
\$16,000 TO \$16,999.	3.1	3.3	2.7	4.1	1.9
\$17,000 TO \$17,999.	3.1	3.3	2.9	3.9	2.1
\$18,000 TO \$19,999.	5.4	5.6	4.6	7.1	4.1
\$20,000 TO \$24,999.	7.7	7.9	6.6	9.9	6.3
\$25,000 TO \$49,999.	6.6	7.0	5.9	8.8	3.9
\$50,000 AND OVER.	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS.	10 259	10 503	9 391	12 624	9 269
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS.	12 060	12 307	11 316	13 817	10 666
MEXICAN ORIGIN					
NUMBER, THOUSANDS	1 455	1 157	645	511	298
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
UNDER \$2,000.	3.3	2.9	3.6	2.1	4.8
\$2,000 TO \$2,999.	3.5	3.5	4.7	2.0	3.2
\$3,000 TO \$3,999.	5.7	5.2	5.2	5.3	7.7
\$4,000 TO \$4,999.	4.9	4.8	5.3	4.3	5.1
\$5,000 TO \$5,999.	5.6	5.4	6.2	4.4	6.4
\$6,000 TO \$6,999.	6.6	6.0	6.0	6.1	8.7
\$7,000 TO \$7,999.	6.5	5.1	6.2	6.0	8.0
\$8,000 TO \$8,999.	6.3	5.2	5.9	6.5	6.1
\$9,000 TO \$9,999.	5.8	4.7	5.5	3.7	9.1
\$10,000 TO \$10,999.	5.8	5.8	4.5	7.4	6.4
\$11,000 TO \$11,999.	5.0	5.2	5.1	5.2	4.3
\$12,000 TO \$12,999.	4.5	4.6	4.9	4.3	4.1
\$13,000 TO \$13,999.	3.9	3.8	3.2	4.6	4.2
\$14,000 TO \$14,999.	3.4	3.7	3.0	4.5	2.4
\$15,000 TO \$15,999.	4.1	4.6	4.8	4.3	2.4
\$16,000 TO \$16,999.	2.9	3.1	2.6	3.4	2.1
\$17,000 TO \$17,999.	3.1	3.4	3.3	3.5	3.0
\$18,000 TO \$19,999.	5.4	5.9	4.8	7.3	3.5
\$20,000 TO \$24,999.	7.3	7.6	7.4	7.9	6.0
\$25,000 TO \$49,999.	5.0	7.0	7.1	6.9	2.3
\$50,000 AND OVER.	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.6
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS.	10 322	10 868	10 322	11 411	8 928
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS.	11 955	12 400	12 112	12 763	10 231
PUERTO RICAN ORIGIN					
NUMBER, THOUSANDS	443	425	342	83	17
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)
UNDER \$2,000.	5.0	5.2	5.7	3.4	(B)
\$2,000 TO \$2,999.	4.7	4.9	5.5	2.6	(B)
\$3,000 TO \$3,999.	11.9	11.9	14.6	6.9	(B)
\$4,000 TO \$4,999.	10.5	10.8	11.8	5.5	(B)
\$5,000 TO \$5,999.	8.3	8.4	9.8	3.0	(B)
\$6,000 TO \$6,999.	7.0	7.1	7.6	5.0	(B)
\$7,000 TO \$7,999.	3.6	3.5	3.3	4.3	(B)
\$8,000 TO \$8,999.	6.0	5.1	5.1	10.1	(B)
\$9,000 TO \$9,999.	4.8	4.7	4.2	7.0	(B)
\$10,000 TO \$10,999.	4.5	4.0	4.0	4.1	(B)
\$11,000 TO \$11,999.	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.4	(B)
\$12,000 TO \$12,999.	3.3	3.4	4.0	1.0	(B)
\$13,000 TO \$13,999.	4.2	4.4	4.8	2.8	(B)
\$14,000 TO \$14,999.	3.2	3.2	3.6	4.0	(B)
\$15,000 TO \$15,999.	2.2	2.3	1.7	4.8	(B)
\$16,000 TO \$16,999.	1.9	2.0	1.7	3.0	(B)
\$17,000 TO \$17,999.	1.6	1.7	2.0	0.4	(B)
\$18,000 TO \$19,999.	1.9	2.6	1.7	6.2	(B)
\$20,000 TO \$24,999.	6.8	7.1	3.7	20.8	(B)
\$25,000 TO \$49,999.	3.8	3.4	2.3	7.9	(B)
\$50,000 AND OVER.	0.2	0.2	0.2	-	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS.	7 669	7 508	6 346	12 779	(B)
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS.	9 762	9 655	8 617	13 910	(B)

Table 29. INCOME IN 1976 OF SPANISH AND MEXICAN ORIGIN FAMILIES WITH HEAD 25 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED BY THE FAMILY HEAD

(For the United States, March 1977. For meaning of symbols, see text)

ORIGIN AND INCOME	YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED										MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED	
	TOTAL	ELEMENTARY SCHOOL			HIGH SCHOOL			COLLEGE				
		TOTAL	LESS THAN 8 YEARS	8 YEARS	TOTAL	1 TO 3 YEARS	4 YEARS	TOTAL	1 TO 3 YEARS	4 YEARS OR MORE		
SPANISH ORIGIN												
NUMBER THOUSANDS	2 286	993	765	228	943	401	542	350	198	153	10.0	
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	...	
UNDER \$2,000	2.8	3.5	3.8	2.8	2.5	3.0	2.1	1.8	1.7	1.9	(B)	
\$2,000 TO \$2,999	3.2	4.9	5.6	2.6	2.1	3.9	0.8	1.4	2.0	0.5	(B)	
\$3,000 TO \$3,999	7.9	9.4	10.4	6.2	3.8	5.1	2.9	1.5	1.2	1.8	6.6	
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	5.6	7.3	7.2	7.9	5.2	5.7	4.9	1.9	2.2	1.6	8.5	
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	6.1	9.3	8.9	10.7	4.1	5.6	3.0	2.0	2.1	1.9	8.0	
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	6.2	8.0	8.2	7.2	5.8	8.0	4.2	1.9	2.4	1.2	8.5	
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	5.5	6.0	6.6	4.0	6.1	5.6	6.4	2.7	3.9	1.2	7.7	
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	5.4	6.1	6.3	6.4	5.7	6.1	5.4	2.3	2.4	2.1	9.0	
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	5.3	5.9	5.4	7.5	5.2	5.0	5.3	3.0	4.0	3.7	9.3	
\$10,000 TO \$10,999	5.2	5.9	6.3	4.5	5.2	5.6	5.0	3.3	4.4	2.0	9.1	
\$11,000 TO \$11,999	4.4	4.3	4.2	4.8	4.6	5.9	3.6	4.3	4.9	3.6	10.2	
\$12,000 TO \$12,999	4.6	3.6	4.0	2.1	5.3	4.7	5.7	5.6	5.8	5.5	11.7	
\$13,000 TO \$13,999	4.1	3.6	3.5	4.2	4.2	4.4	4.0	5.4	7.6	2.6	11.0	
\$14,000 TO \$14,999	3.5	2.9	3.0	2.8	4.0	3.9	4.1	3.5	6.1	-	10.7	
\$15,000 TO \$15,999	3.9	3.0	2.5	4.8	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.3	4.9	3.4	11.4	
\$16,000 TO \$16,999	3.3	1.7	1.7	2.0	4.1	2.7	5.2	5.3	6.3	3.9	(B)	
\$17,000 TO \$17,999	3.2	2.2	2.1	2.8	3.9	3.7	4.0	3.9	3.8	4.0	(B)	
\$18,000 TO \$19,999	5.7	2.8	2.1	5.4	7.4	5.0	5.2	9.0	8.7	9.3	12.3	
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	8.5	5.4	5.2	6.3	8.6	5.9	10.5	16.8	16.6	17.1	12.3	
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	7.3	3.6	3.1	5.1	7.6	5.6	9.1	17.3	8.6	28.5	12.5	
\$50,000 AND OVER	0.4	0.1	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.1	1.9	0.4	3.9	(B)	
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS	10 760	8 235	7 899	9 391	11 942	10 355	13 219	16 793	14 883	19 892	...	
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS	13 624	10 650	10 392	11 516	14 453	12 863	15 628	19 844	17 143	23 334	...	
MEXICAN ORIGIN												
NUMBER THOUSANDS	1 263	622	513	110	485	218	268	156	103	52	9.1	
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(R)	...	
UNDER \$2,000	2.6	3.7	4.3	0.6	1.7	1.5	1.8	1.3	0.8	(R)	(B)	
\$2,000 TO \$2,999	3.0	4.7	5.0	3.2	1.5	3.1	0.1	1.2	1.8	(R)	(B)	
\$3,000 TO \$3,999	5.4	7.7	8.7	3.1	3.7	6.6	1.3	1.5	1.5	(R)	(B)	
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	4.8	5.8	5.6	6.8	4.6	4.8	4.4	1.6	1.4	(R)	(B)	
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	5.4	7.6	6.7	11.8	3.7	4.3	3.2	1.8	2.3	(R)	(B)	
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	6.6	8.0	8.9	3.7	5.9	8.8	3.6	3.1	4.6	(R)	7.2	
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	6.1	7.1	7.4	5.7	5.6	5.6	6.3	2.8	3.9	(R)	8.1	
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	6.3	6.7	6.4	8.3	6.4	6.9	6.0	4.3	3.4	(R)	8.5	
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	5.2	6.0	5.7	7.6	4.7	4.8	4.5	3.9	4.5	(R)	(B)	
\$10,000 TO \$10,999	5.9	6.4	6.7	5.0	5.6	7.7	3.8	4.4	3.7	(R)	(B)	
\$11,000 TO \$11,999	5.0	4.8	4.3	6.9	4.5	5.3	3.8	7.8	6.4	(R)	(B)	
\$12,000 TO \$12,999	4.5	4.4	5.1	1.1	4.8	5.1	4.5	4.0	4.1	(R)	(B)	
\$13,000 TO \$13,999	4.1	3.6	3.7	3.0	4.1	5.5	2.9	6.0	9.0	(R)	(B)	
\$14,000 TO \$14,999	3.4	3.3	3.4	2.5	3.2	3.1	3.3	4.6	6.8	(R)	(B)	
\$15,000 TO \$15,999	4.2	3.1	2.6	5.3	5.4	3.9	6.6	5.1	5.7	(R)	(B)	
\$16,000 TO \$16,999	3.2	2.1	1.8	3.4	4.2	1.9	6.0	4.9	6.3	(R)	(B)	
\$17,000 TO \$17,999	3.2	2.2	2.2	2.5	4.3	3.5	5.0	4.0	3.5	(R)	(B)	
\$18,000 TO \$19,999	5.7	3.2	2.6	6.3	8.6	3.3	13.0	6.7	7.7	(R)	(B)	
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	8.1	5.8	5.4	7.8	7.9	6.4	9.2	17.4	15.5	(R)	12.0	
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	6.9	3.7	3.3	5.3	9.3	7.9	10.4	12.3	7.1	(R)	12.1	
\$50,000 AND OVER	0.3	0.2	0.2	-	0.2	-	0.3	1.5	-	(R)	(B)	
MEDIAN INCOME DOLLARS	10 772	8 812	8 536	9 881	12 394	10 462	15 064	15 380	14 376	(R)	...	
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS	13 767	11 232	10 954	12 532	15 402	13 862	16 654	18 809	16 349	(R)	...	

Table 30. INCOME IN 1976 OF SPANISH, MEXICAN, AND PUERTO RICAN ORIGIN FAMILIES AND OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BY NUMBER OF EARNERS

(For the United States, March 1977. For meaning of symbols, see text)

ORIGIN AND INCOME	FAMILIES						UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS			
	NUMBER, THOUSANDS	FAMILIES HAVING SPECIFIED NUMBER OF EARNERS					TOTAL	FARNERS	NON-FARNERS	
		TOTAL	NONF	1	2	3				4 OR MORE
SPANISH ORIGIN										
NUMBER, THOUSANDS	2 583	177	961	917	207	122	716	484	233	
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
UNDER \$2,000	3.5	12.9	2.8	1.2	1.4	-	21.8	14.5	37.0	
\$2,000 TO \$2,999	3.6	13.6	3.4	1.0	-	-	17.0	10.1	31.3	
\$3,000 TO \$3,999	6.4	24.9	5.3	1.9	1.2	-	9.7	5.0	17.3	
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	5.7	17.0	6.3	2.1	0.4	1.1	8.7	9.1	7.9	
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	6.1	13.1	7.9	3.2	1.0	0.5	6.8	8.7	2.9	
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	6.4	9.1	9.2	3.8	2.1	3.5	5.4	6.9	2.4	
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	5.7	3.0	8.9	4.4	4.6	2.1	5.8	8.7	-	
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	5.8	1.9	8.2	5.5	4.0	3.5	4.5	5.7	-	
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	5.5	1.6	7.4	5.6	4.9	2.3	3.2	4.4	0.6	
\$10,000 TO \$10,999	5.2	0.6	7.0	5.6	3.9	4.9	3.9	5.7	0.2	
\$11,000 TO \$11,999	4.4	1.2	4.5	5.7	3.5	4.9	2.7	4.0	-	
\$12,000 TO \$12,999	4.6	0.1	4.3	5.1	5.7	7.1	1.5	2.1	0.3	
\$13,000 TO \$13,999	4.0	-	3.4	6.0	2.6	7.3	1.4	2.0	-	
\$14,000 TO \$14,999	3.3	-	3.4	4.9	3.4	0.9	1.7	2.5	-	
\$15,000 TO \$15,999	1.8	0.4	3.2	5.4	6.0	2.1	1.8	2.6	-	
\$16,000 TO \$16,999	3.1	0.1	2.9	4.1	3.9	4.1	0.8	1.1	-	
\$17,000 TO \$17,999	3.1	-	2.3	4.7	3.1	7.0	0.8	1.2	-	
\$18,000 TO \$19,999	5.4	0.3	3.7	8.1	9.9	6.1	1.4	2.0	-	
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	7.7	0.3	17.4	12.4	17.3	14.5	0.7	1.1	-	
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	6.6	-	2.3	7.9	20.7	26.0	0.5	0.7	-	
\$50,000 AND OVER	0.4	-	0.4	0.3	0.4	2.0	-	-	-	
MEDIAN INCOME	DOLLARS	10 859	3 946	8 749	13 645	17 486	17 809	4 180	6 234	2 415
MEAN INCOME	DOLLARS	12 060	4 355	10 118	14 707	18 397	20 514	5 524	7 027	2 395
MEXICAN ORIGIN										
NUMBER, THOUSANDS	1 455	135	561	547	124	88	354	247	107	
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
UNDER \$2,000	3.3	19.2	2.5	1.2	0.9	-	23.0	18.1	34.4	
\$2,000 TO \$2,999	3.5	16.6	3.9	1.1	-	-	17.5	11.8	30.5	
\$3,000 TO \$3,999	5.7	21.3	6.9	2.4	2.1	-	10.0	5.3	20.9	
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	4.9	13.8	6.2	2.8	0.7	1.5	9.3	10.1	7.5	
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	5.6	9.8	7.7	4.1	1.4	0.7	5.8	7.3	2.3	
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	6.6	9.4	9.4	4.2	2.6	4.4	5.4	5.8	4.4	
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	6.5	2.3	9.6	5.0	6.3	2.9	4.8	5.9	-	
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	6.3	2.5	8.1	6.2	4.4	4.5	4.4	6.4	-	
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	5.8	1.5	6.8	5.2	6.9	2.5	3.9	5.5	-	
\$10,000 TO \$10,999	5.8	0.7	7.8	5.3	4.5	6.2	3.8	5.5	-	
\$11,000 TO \$11,999	5.0	2.9	5.6	5.8	1.5	4.1	2.3	3.3	-	
\$12,000 TO \$12,999	4.5	-	3.9	5.9	5.5	5.5	1.4	2.0	-	
\$13,000 TO \$13,999	3.9	-	2.5	5.1	2.4	6.7	1.7	2.5	-	
\$14,000 TO \$14,999	3.4	-	2.8	3.2	4.3	0.9	1.1	1.6	-	
\$15,000 TO \$15,999	4.1	-	3.5	5.5	6.6	2.0	0.9	1.3	-	
\$16,000 TO \$16,999	2.9	-	2.4	3.4	3.8	5.7	1.0	1.5	-	
\$17,000 TO \$17,999	3.1	-	2.2	4.5	1.7	7.7	0.7	1.0	-	
\$18,000 TO \$19,999	5.4	-	3.4	7.8	10.1	5.6	1.4	2.0	-	
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	7.3	-	2.6	11.0	13.3	16.9	0.9	1.3	-	
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	6.0	-	2.1	5.8	20.7	21.0	0.6	0.9	-	
\$50,000 AND OVER	0.3	-	0.3	0.3	0.7	1.0	-	-	-	
MEDIAN INCOME	DOLLARS	10 322	3 665	8 465	12 931	16 034	17 291	3 950	5 648	2 511
MEAN INCOME	DOLLARS	11 955	4 028	9 770	13 754	17 725	18 714	5 371	6 663	2 385
PUERTO RICAN ORIGIN										
NUMBER, THOUSANDS	443	161	144	111	21	5	111	62	49	
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	(B)	100.0	(B)	(B)	
UNDER \$2,000	5.0	9.9	3.8	0.8	(B)	(B)	20.5	(B)	(B)	
\$2,000 TO \$2,999	4.7	10.3	2.4	0.8	(B)	(B)	25.9	(B)	(B)	
\$3,000 TO \$3,999	11.9	29.2	2.1	2.3	(B)	(B)	9.6	(B)	(B)	
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	10.5	21.1	8.1	0.8	(B)	(B)	7.5	(B)	(B)	
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	8.3	15.8	6.1	2.3	(B)	(B)	5.2	(B)	(B)	
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	7.0	8.1	9.5	3.3	(B)	(B)	6.7	(B)	(B)	
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	3.8	2.7	5.8	3.6	(B)	(B)	8.1	(B)	(B)	
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	6.0	0.5	14.6	3.5	(B)	(B)	1.8	(B)	(B)	
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	4.8	0.9	9.3	4.7	(B)	(B)	2.2	(B)	(B)	
\$10,000 TO \$10,999	4.5	-	7.3	2.6	(B)	(B)	3.7	(B)	(B)	
\$11,000 TO \$11,999	3.3	0.5	2.9	5.9	(B)	(B)	4.5	(B)	(B)	
\$12,000 TO \$12,999	3.3	-	4.8	6.2	(B)	(B)	0.8	(B)	(B)	
\$13,000 TO \$13,999	4.2	-	5.6	8.0	(B)	(B)	-	(B)	(B)	
\$14,000 TO \$14,999	3.2	-	5.9	3.8	(B)	(B)	0.8	(B)	(B)	
\$15,000 TO \$15,999	2.2	0.5	1.7	5.9	(B)	(B)	0.9	(B)	(B)	
\$16,000 TO \$16,999	1.9	-	2.9	3.2	(B)	(B)	-	(B)	(B)	
\$17,000 TO \$17,999	1.6	-	0.6	4.0	(B)	(B)	0.7	(B)	(B)	
\$18,000 TO \$19,999	2.9	-	2.4	7.7	(B)	(B)	0.7	(B)	(B)	
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	6.8	0.5	3.1	17.0	(B)	(B)	-	(B)	(B)	
\$25,000 TO \$49,999	3.8	-	1.2	8.0	(B)	(B)	0.3	(B)	(B)	
\$50,000 AND OVER	0.2	-	-	0.7	(B)	(B)	-	(B)	(B)	
MEDIAN INCOME	DOLLARS	7 669	4 030	8 832	14 032	(B)	3 374	(B)	(B)	
MEAN INCOME	DOLLARS	9 762	4 320	9 567	15 456	(B)	4 790	(B)	(B)	

Table 31. SELECTED SUMMARY CHARACTERISTICS OF SPANISH AND MEXICAN ORIGIN FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BY POVERTY STATUS

(For the United States, March 1977. For meaning of symbols, see text.)

Selected characteristic	Spanish origin			Mexican origin		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent		Number	Percent
Families.....	2,581	598	23.1	1,455	120	22.0
Mean size of family ¹	4.08	4.21	...	4.26	4.52	...
Head 65 years and over.....	171	44	25.7	94	27	28.7
With related children under 18 years.....	1,899	512	27.0	1,712	278	25.0
Mean number of related children.....	2.49	2.75	...	2.56	2.94	...
Head not a high school graduate ²	1,396	422	30.3	841	234	27.8
Head worked last year.....	2,006	272	13.6	1,203	194	16.1
Worked year round full time.....	1,337	82	6.2	786	59	7.5
Families with female head.....	517	275	53.1	235	119	50.6
Unrelated individuals.....	716	266	37.2	154	139	49.2
65 years and over.....	117	57	48.7	64	32	(B)
Worked last year.....	485	122	25.1	246	73	29.7
Worked year round full time.....	254	16	6.3	117	10	8.5
Female unrelated individuals.....	339	163	48.1	156	76	48.6

¹Mean based on persons of Spanish or other origin in Spanish origin families.

²Head 25 years and over.

Table 32. SELECTED DETAILED CHARACTERISTICS OF SPANISH AND MEXICAN ORIGIN FAMILIES BY POVERTY STATUS

of the United States: March 1975. For counting of a head of household

Selected characteristics	Spanish origin			Mexican origin		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent		Number	Percent
AGE OF HEAD						
Total	2,583	98	23.1	1,455	320	22.0
Under 18 years	297	91	30.6	191	54	28.0
19 to 24 years	719	173	24.1	436	80	18.4
25 to 34 years	636	146	23.0	356	79	22.1
35 to 44 years	500	94	18.8	250	56	22.4
45 to 54 years	253	49	19.2	147	24	16.3
65 years and over	177	34	19.2	95	27	28.4
Median age	38.7	37.5	...	37.8	38.3	...
TYPE OF FAMILY						
Total	2,583	98	23.1	1,455	320	22.0
Married	2,066	171	15.6	1,250	291	16.5
- Husband	1,926	117	11.8	1,166	133	16.6
- Other male head	88	11	12.6	55	8	10.0
Female head	517	27	5.1	205	119	50.6
SIZE OF FAMILY						
Total	2,583	98	23.1	1,455	320	22.0
1 person	627	179	29.7	401	61	20.2
2 persons	994	122	12.3	307	52	17.3
3 persons	575	120	20.9	310	57	18.4
4 persons	367	89	24.1	238	56	23.7
5 persons	225	60	26.6	159	33	21.9
6 or more persons	200	78	39.0	139	38	28.9
Mean size of family	3.08	3.21	...	3.26	3.32	...
PRESENCE OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18						
Total	2,583	98	23.1	1,455	320	22.0
without related children	684	81	11.9	353	41	12.1
with related children	1,899	517	27.2	1,112	278	25.0
1 child	619	117	18.9	332	58	17.5
2 children	592	145	24.5	324	67	20.6
3 children	371	107	28.9	235	51	26.0
4 children	178	75	42.0	121	31	25.5
5 children or more	160	73	45.9	101	32	31.3
Mean number of children	2.59	2.7	...	2.36	2.94	...
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD						
Total	2,286	507	22.2	1,263	266	21.0
Elementary						
Less than 8 years	765	262	34.2	513	162	31.6
8 years	228	64	27.9	110	26	23.5
High school						
1 to 3 years	501	96	19.2	278	46	16.9
4 years	557	93	16.6	268	24	9.1
5 years or more	500	23	4.5	199	8	4.2
Median school years completed	10.0	7.8	...	9.1	6.8	...
Percent not a high school graduate	61.9	83.1	...	66.5	87.8	...

2% of head of persons of Spanish or other origin in Spanish origin families.



Appendix A

DEFINITIONS AND EXPLANATIONS

Population coverage. This report includes the civilian non-institutional population of the United States and members of the Armed Forces in the United States living off post or with their families on post, but excludes all other members of the Armed Forces.

Symbols. A dash (-) represents zero or rounds to zero, and the symbol "B" means that the base for the derived figure is less than 75,000. Three dots (. . .) means not applicable, and "NA" means not available.

Rounding. The number in this report are in thousands. The figures may differ slightly from table to table since individual numbers were rounded to the nearest thousand without being adjusted to group totals. Similarly, individual percentages were rounded and parts may not always add to 100 percent.

Persons of Spanish origin. Persons of Spanish origin in this report were identified by a question that asked for self-identification of the person's origin or descent. Respondents were asked to select their origin (and the origin of other household members) from a "flash card" listing ethnic origins. Persons of Spanish origin, in particular, were those who indicated that their origin was Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American, or some other Spanish origin.

Five Southwestern States. Data provided in this report for the five Southwestern States refer to the States of Arizona, California, Colorado, New Mexico, and Texas.

Age. This classification is based on the age of the person at his or her last birthday.

Marital status. The marital status classification identifies four major categories: single, married, widowed, and divorced. These terms refer to the marital status at the time of the enumeration.

The category "married" is divided into "married, spouse present," and "married, spouse absent." A person was classified as "married, spouse present" if the husband or wife was reported as a member of the household, even though he

or she may have been temporarily absent on business or vacation, visiting, in a hospital, etc., at the time of the enumeration. The group "married, spouse absent" includes married persons living apart because either the husband or wife was employed and living at a considerable distance from home, was serving away from home in the Armed Forces, was residing in an institution, had moved to another area, had separated from their spouse because of marital discord, or had a different place of residence for any other reason.

Metropolitan-nonmetropolitan residence. The population residing in standard metropolitan statistical areas (SMSA's) constitutes the metropolitan population. Except in New England, an SMSA is a county or group of contiguous counties which contains at least one city of 50,000 inhabitants or more, or "twin cities" with a combined population of at least 50,000. In addition to the county, or counties, containing such a city or cities, contiguous counties are included in an SMSA if, according to certain criteria, they are essentially metropolitan in character and are socially and economically integrated with the central city. In New England, SMSA's consist of towns and cities rather than counties. The metropolitan population in this report is based on SMSA's as defined in the 1970 census and does not include any subsequent additions or changes.

Family. The term "family" as used in this report, refers to a group of two or more persons related by blood, marriage, or adoption and residing together; all such persons are considered as members of the same family. Thus, if the son of the head of the household and the son's wife are in the household, they are treated as part of the head's family. On the other hand, an unrelated lodger and his wife or an unrelated caretaker and his wife who are members of the household are considered as additional families, and not a part of the household head's family. The term "size of family" refers to the number of household members who are living together and are related to each other by blood, marriage, or adoption.

Spanish origin family. A Spanish origin family is defined as a family in which the head of the family is of Spanish origin.

Primary family. A primary family is a family that includes among its members the head of a household.

Household. A household consists of all the persons who occupy a housing unit. A house, an apartment or other group of rooms, or single room, is regarded as a housing unit when it is occupied or intended for occupancy as separate living quarters, that is, when the occupants do not live and eat with any other persons in the structure and there is either (1) direct access from the outside or through a common hall or (2) a kitchen or cooking equipment for the exclusive use of the occupants.

A household includes the related family members and all the unrelated persons, if any, such as lodgers, foster children, wards or employees who share the housing unit. A person living alone in a housing unit, or a group of unrelated persons sharing a housing unit as partners, is also counted as a household. The count of households excludes rooming houses, college dormitories, military barracks, institutions, and other group quarters. Inmates of institutions (mental hospitals, rest homes, correctional institutions, etc.) were not included in the 1977 survey.

Head of household or family. One person in each household (and in each family) is designated as the "head." The number of such persons, therefore, is equal to the number of households (or families). This person is usually the one regarded as the head by the members of the group. Married women are not so classified if their husbands are living with them at the time of the survey.

Primary individual. A primary individual is a household member living alone or with nonrelatives only.

Secondary individual. A secondary individual in a household is a person such as a guest, lodger, or resident employee (excluding primary individuals) who is not related to any other person in the household. All persons in group quarters who were covered in the survey are counted as secondary individuals even though a small number of them were living with relatives.

Unrelated individual. The term "unrelated individuals," as used in this report, refers to persons (other than inmates of institutions) who are not living with any relatives. An unrelated individual may constitute a one-person household, may be part of a household including one or more other families or unrelated individuals, or may reside in group quarters such as a rooming house. Thus, a widow living by herself or with one more other persons not related to her, a lodger not related to anyone else in the household, and a private household worker living in an employer's household with no relatives are examples of unrelated individuals.

Own children and related children. "Own" children in a family are sons and daughters, including stepchildren and adopted children, of the family head. "Related" children in a family include own children and all other children in the household who are related to the family head by blood,

marriage, or adoption. For each type of family unit identified in the CPS, the count of own children under 18 years old is limited to single (never married) children, however, "own children under 25" and "own children of any age," as the terms are used here, include all children regardless of marital status.

Years of school completed. Data on years of school completed in this report were derived from the combination of answers to two questions: (a) "What is the highest grade of school . . . has ever attended?" and (b) "Did . . . finish this grade?"

The questions on educational attainment apply only to progress in "regular" schools. Such schools include public, private, and parochial elementary and high schools (both junior and senior high), colleges, universities, and professional schools, whether day schools or night schools. Thus, regular schooling is that which may advance a person toward an elementary school certificate or high school diploma, or a college, university, or professional school degree. Schooling in other than regular schools was counted only if the credits obtained were regarded as transferable to a school in the regular school system.

Labor force. Persons are classified as in the labor force if they were employed as civilians, unemployed, or in the Armed Forces during the survey week. The "civilian labor force" is comprised of all civilians 14 years old and over classified as employed or unemployed.

Paid labor force. Persons are classified in the paid labor force if they were employed as wage and salary workers or self-employed workers during the survey week or were looking for work at the time and had last worked as wage and salary or self-employed workers.

Employed. Employed persons comprise (1) all civilians who, during the specified week, did any work at all as paid employees or in their own business or profession, or on their own farm, or who worked 15 hours or more as unpaid workers on a farm or in a business operated by a member of the family, and (2) all those who were not working but who had jobs or businesses from which they were temporarily absent because of illness, bad weather, vacation, or labor-management dispute, or because they were taking time off for personal reasons, whether or not they were paid by their employers for time off, and whether or not they were seeking other jobs. Excluded from the employed group are persons whose only activity consisted of work around the house (such as own home housework, painting or repairing own home, etc.) or volunteer work for religious, charitable, and similar organizations.

Unemployed. Unemployed persons are those civilians who, during the survey week, had no employment but were

available for work, and (1) had engaged in any specific jobseeking activity within the past 4 weeks, such as registering at a public or private employment office, meeting with prospective employers, checking with friends or relatives, placing or answering advertisements, writing letters of application, or being on a union or professional register, (2) were waiting to be called back to a job from which they had been laid off, or (3) were waiting to report to a new wage or salary job within 30 days.

Occupation. The data on occupation of employed persons 14 years old and over refer to the civilian job held during the survey week. Persons employed at two or more jobs were reported in the job at which they worked the greatest number of hours during the week. The occupation groupings used here are mainly the major groups used in the 1970 Census of Population. The composition of these groups as shown in 1970 Census of Population, Volume I, Characteristics of the Population, Chapter C. The categories used are combinations of detailed classifications.

Four occupation divisions. The major groups of occupations are arranged in four divisions as follows:

White collar. Professional, technical, and kindred workers, managers and administrators, except farm, sales workers, and clerical and kindred workers.

Blue collar. Craft and kindred workers, operatives, including transport, and laborers, except farm.

Farm workers. Farmers and farm managers, farm laborers, and farm supervisors.

Service workers. Service workers, including private household workers.

The sequence in which these four divisions appear is not intended to imply that any division has a higher social or skill level than another.

Year-round full-time worker. A year-round full-time worker is one who worked primarily at full-time civilian jobs (35 hours or more per week) for 50 weeks or more during the preceding calendar year.

Income. For each person in the sample 14 years old and over, questions were asked on the amount of money income received in the preceding calendar year. Although the income statistics refer to receipts during the preceding year, the characteristics of the person, such as age, labor force status, etc., and the composition of families refer to the time of the survey. The income of the family does not include amounts received by persons who were members of the family during all or part of the income year if these persons no longer resided with the family at the time of enumeration. On the other hand, family income includes amounts reported by

related persons who did not reside with the family during the income year but who were members of the family at the time of enumeration.

Number of earners. This number includes all persons in the family with \$1 or more in wages and salaries, or \$1 or more or a loss in net income from farm or nonfarm self-employment.

Poverty status. Families and unrelated individuals are classified as being above or below the poverty level, using the poverty index adopted by a Federal Interagency Committee in 1969. The index provides a range of income cutoffs, or "poverty thresholds," adjusted to take into account such factors as family size, sex and age of the family head, the number of children, and farm/nonfarm residence. The poverty cutoffs for farm families have been set at 85 percent of the nonfarm levels. These income cutoffs are updated every year to reflect the changes in the Consumer Price Index. The average poverty threshold for a nonfarm family of four was \$5,815 in 1976. For a detailed explanation of the poverty definition, see Current Population Reports, Series P 60, No. 115 "Characteristics of the Population Below the Poverty Level, 1976."

Median. The median is presented in connection with the data on age, years of school completed, and income. It is the value which divides the distribution into two equal parts, one half of the cases falling below this value and one-half of the cases exceeding this value.

Mean. The mean (average) is presented in connection with data on number of persons per family, income of persons, and income of families. The mean number of persons per family is the value obtained by dividing the number of persons having the characteristic under consideration by the appropriate number of families. The mean income is the amount obtained by dividing the total income of a group by the number of persons, or families, in that group.

SOURCE AND RELIABILITY OF THE ESTIMATES

Source of Data

The estimates for the Spanish origin population presented in this report are based on data obtained in March of 1977 in the Current Population Survey (CPS) of the Bureau of the Census. The monthly CPS deals mainly with labor force data for the civilian, noninstitutional population. Questions relating to labor force participation are asked about each member 14 years old and older in each sample household. In addition, questions are asked monthly about ethnic origin for

all persons 14 years old and older. For March, in addition to the standard set of questions on labor force participation and Spanish origin, questions are asked about income, work experience, and mobility status.

The present CPS sample was initially selected from the 1970 census files and is updated continuously to reflect new construction where possible (see section "Nonsampling Variability" below). The monthly CPS sample is spread over 461 areas with coverage in each of the 50 States and the District of Columbia. A supplementary sample of housing units in 24 States and the District of Columbia was incorporated with the monthly CPS sample to produce the March 1977 data. The expanded CPS sample is located in 614 areas comprising 1,113 counties, independent cities, and

divisions in the nation. The 614 sample areas used in March include 461 areas from the monthly CPS and 153 supplementary areas.

The following table provides a description of some aspects of the CPS sample design in use during the referenced data collection period.

In order to obtain more reliable data for the Spanish origin population, the March CPS sample was enlarged to include all households from the November 1976 sample which contained at least one person of Spanish origin. This resulted in almost doubling the number of sample persons of Spanish origin. For this report, persons in the Armed Forces, living off post or with their families on post are also included.

Description of the Current Population Survey

Time period	Number of sample areas	Households eligible		Housing units visited not eligible ²
		Interviewed	Not interviewed	
Supplemental sample ¹	153	8,500	500	1,500
August 1977 to present.....	1461	45,000	2,000	8,000

¹These areas were chosen to provide coverage in each State and the District of Columbia.

²These are housing units which were visited, but were found to be vacant or otherwise not eligible for interview.

The estimation procedure used for the monthly CPS data involves the inflation of the weighted sample results to independent estimates of the civilian noninstitutional population of the United States by age, race (White, Black and other), and sex. Most Spanish origin persons are included in the White race. These independent estimates are based on statistics from decennial censuses, statistics on births, deaths, immigration, and emigration, and statistics on the strength of the Armed Forces. The estimation procedure for the data in the report also involves a further adjustment so that husband and wife of a household receive the same weight. Estimates of Spanish origin population for New York and the five Southwestern States, as given in tables B, 1, 4, 20, and 23 are derived from the Current Population Survey but ratio-estimated to independent controls for total State population.

The 1970 census data quoted in this report are obtained from the 1970 Census of Population (Persons of Spanish Origin, Volume PC(2)-1C) and are based on a 5 percent sample of the population of the United States.

Reliability of the Estimates.

Since the estimates in this report are based on a sample, they may differ somewhat from the figures that would have been

obtained had a complete census been taken using the same schedule, instructions, and enumerators. There are two types of errors possible in an estimate based on a sample survey—sampling and nonsampling. The standard errors provided for this report primarily indicate the magnitude of the sampling error. They also partially measure the effect of some nonsampling errors in response and enumeration, but do not measure any systematic biases in the data. The full extent of the nonsampling error is unknown. Consequently, particular care should be exercised in the interpretation of figures based on a relatively small number of cases or on small differences between estimates.

Nonsampling variability. Nonsampling errors in surveys can be attributed to many sources, e.g., inability to obtain information about all cases in the sample, definitional difficulties, differences in the interpretation of questions, inability or unwillingness of respondents to provide correct information, inability to recall information, errors made in collection such as in recording or coding the data, errors made in processing the data, errors made in estimating values for missing data, and failure to represent all units within the sample (undercoverage).

Undercoverage in the CPS results from missed housing units and missed persons within sample households. Overall

undercoverage, as compared to the level of the decennial census, is about 5 percent. It is known that CPS undercoverage varies with age, sex, and race. Generally, undercoverage is larger for males than for females and larger for Blacks and other races than for Whites. Ratio estimation to independent age, sex, race, population controls, as described previously, partially corrects for the biases due to survey undercoverage. However, biases exist in the estimates to the extent that missed persons in mixed households or missed persons in interviewed households have different characteristics than interviewed persons in the same age, sex, race group. Further, the independent population controls used have not been adjusted for undercoverage in the 1970 census, which was estimated at 2.5 percent of the population with similar undercoverage differential, by age, sex, and race, as is observed in CPS.

The approximate magnitude of two sources of undercoverage of housing units is known. Of the 83,000,000 housing units in the U.S., about 600,000 new construction housing units, other than mobile homes, are not represented in the CPS sample because they were assigned building permits prior to January 1970, but building was not completed by the time of the census (i.e., April 1970). Most conventional new construction, for which building permits were issued after 1969, is represented. About 290,000 occupied mobile homes are not represented in CPS; these units were either missed in the census or have been built or occupied since the census. These estimates of missed units are relevant to this present sample only and not to earlier designs where the extent of undercoverage was generally less. The extent of other sources of undercoverage of housing units is unknown but believed to be small.

Comparability with other data. Data obtained from the CPS are not entirely comparable with data obtained from the 1970 census. This is due to large part to differences in interviewer training and experience and in differing survey processes. This is an additional component of error not reflected in the standard error tables. Therefore, caution should be used in comparing results between these different sources. See page 00 for more details on the comparability of CPS and census data.

Caution should be used in comparing estimates from 1977, when the supplemental sample was used, to those from 1976 and earlier years. Some relatively large differences in estimates of population in metropolitan and nonmetropolitan areas have been observed between the 461 and the 614 area samples. These differences reflect a relatively large increase in variance on these estimates and do not represent actual changes in the population.

Sampling variability. The standard errors given in the following tables are primarily measures of sampling variability, that is, of the variations that occurred by chance because a sample rather than the whole of the population was surveyed. The chances are about 68 out of 100 that an estimate from the survey differs from a complete census

figure by less than the standard error. The chances are about 90 out of 100 that this difference would be less than 1.6 times the standard error and about 95 out of 100 that the difference would be less than twice the standard error.

All the statements of comparison appearing in the text are significant at a 1.6 standard error level or better, and most are significant at a level of more than 2.0 standard error. This means that for most differences cited in the text, the estimated difference is greater than twice the standard error of the difference. Statements of comparison qualified in some way (e.g., by use of the phrase "some evidence") have a level of significance between 1.6 and 2.0 standard errors.

Note when using small estimates. Summary measures (such as means, medians, and percent distributions) are shown in the report only when the base is 75,000 or greater. Because of the large standard errors involved, there is little chance that summary measures would reveal useful information when computed on a smaller base. Estimated numbers are shown, however, even though the relative standard errors of these numbers are larger than those for the corresponding percent ages. These smaller estimates are provided primarily to permit such combinations of the categories as serve each user's needs.

Standard errors for data based on the decennial census

Sampling errors of all data from the 5 percent sample of the 1970 decennial census shown in this report are small enough to be disregarded. However, the standard errors for census data mentioned in the report are shown in table A 8.

Standard error tables and their use. In order to derive standard errors that would be applicable to a large number of estimates and could be prepared at a moderate cost, a number of approximations were required. Therefore, instead of providing an individual standard error for each estimate, generalized sets of standard errors are provided for various types of characteristics. As a result, the sets of standard errors provided give an indication of the order of magnitude of the standard error of an estimate rather than the precise standard error. Standard errors for estimates of persons of Spanish origin are classified by characteristic type. Type I characteristics are family or one person per household characteristics. Type II characteristics refer to some persons in a household (not one and not all) and consist of education (II E), income (II I), and characteristics other than education or income (II N). Type III characteristics relate to most or all of the persons in a household. Table A 1 gives the characteristic type of estimates from each data table.

The figures presented in tables A 3 and A 4 are approximations to standard errors of various CPS estimates for persons of Spanish origin shown in this report. The figures shown in tables A 5 and A 6 are approximations to standard errors of total U.S. estimates. Estimated standard errors for specific characteristics cannot be obtained from tables A 4 and A 6 without the use of the factors in table A 2. These factors must be applied to the generalized standard errors in

Standard errors of estimated percentages. The reliability of an estimated percentage, computed using sample data for both numerator and denominator, depends on both the size of the percentage and the size of the total upon which this percentage is based. Estimated percentages are relatively more reliable than the corresponding estimates of the numerators of the percentages, particularly if the percentages are 50 percent or more. When the numerator and denominator of the percentage are in different categories, use the factor or parameters indicated in the numerator. The approximate standard error, $\sigma_{(x,p)}$, of an estimated percentage can be obtained by use of the formula

$$\sigma_{(x,p)} = f\sigma \tag{2}$$

In this formula, f is the appropriate factor from table A-2, and σ is the standard error of the estimate from either table A-4 or A-6. Alternatively, standard errors may be approximated by the following formula (3), from which the standard errors in tables A-4 and A-6 were calculated; direct computation will give more accurate results than use of the standard error tables and the factors.

$$\sigma_{(x,p)} = \sqrt{\frac{b}{x} p (100 - p)} \tag{3}$$

Here x is the size of the subclass of persons or families and unrelated individuals which is the base of the percentage, p is the percentage ($0 \leq p \leq 100$), and b is the parameter in table A-2 associated with the particular type of characteristic in the numerator of the percentage.

Illustration of the use of standard error tables. Table 20 of this report shows that in 1977 there were 5,695,000 persons of Mexican origin in the five Southwestern States. This is a type III characteristic, and interpolation in column 4 of table A-3 shows the standard error of an estimate of this size to be approximately 222,622. Applying the factor of 1.25 for the Southwestern States gives a standard error of approximately 278,000 = 222,622 x 1.25.¹ The chances are 68 out of 100 that the estimate would have been a figure differing from a complete census figure by less than 278,000. The chances are 95 out of 100 that the estimate would have differed from a complete census figure by less than 556,000 (twice the standard error).

Of these 5,695,000 persons 1,504,000, or 26.4 percent, headed households in 1977. Table A-1 shows this to be an estimate of a type I characteristic, and the appropriate b parameter from table A-2 is $b = 1.56 \times 1422$. Using formula

¹ Formula (1) gives a standard error of 277,000.

Table A-2. Parameters and Factors to be Used for Each Characteristic Spanish Origin and Total U.S. Population

Characteristic type	Parameters ²		Factors ¹
	a	b	
Spanish Origin			
I.....	-0.000020	1,422	1.00
II-E.....	-0.000015	2,285 ^{2b}	1.27
II-I.....	-0.000011	2,229	1.25
II-N.....	-0.000026	4,432	1.77
III.....	-0.000044	8,917	2.50
Total U.S. Population			
Labor Force or Unemployment.....	-0.000015	1,971	1.00
Persons Income.....	-0.000007	1,533	0.88
Family Income.....	-0.000008	1,063	0.73
Family Residence.....	-0.000016	2,170	1.05
Family Status.....	-0.000010	1,389	0.84

¹ Factors for Spanish origin characteristics should be applied only to table A-4; factors for total U.S. population characteristics should be applied only to table A-6.

² To obtain parameters for estimates for the five Southwestern States (tables 1, 4, 20, and 23) multiply the appropriate characteristic type parameters by the factor 1.56; to obtain parameters for residence estimates (tables 11 and 18) multiply the appropriate characteristic type parameters by the factor 2.0.

(3), the standard error on 26.4 percent with a base of 5,695,000 is approximately:

$$0.9 \doteq \sqrt{\frac{(1.56)(1422)}{5,695,000}} (26.4)(73.6)$$

Consequently, chances are 68 out of 100 that the estimated 26.4 percent would be within 0.9 percentage points of a complete census figure. Chances are 95 out of 100 that the estimate would be within 1.8 percentage points of a complete census figure, i.e., the 95-percent confidence interval would be from 24.6 to 28.2 percent.

Standard error of a difference. For a difference between two sample estimates, the standard error is approximately equal to

$$\sigma_{(x-y)} = \sqrt{\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2} \quad (4)$$

where σ_x and σ_y are the standard errors of the estimates x and y ; the estimates can be of numbers, percents, ratios, etc. This will represent the actual standard error quite accurately for the difference between two estimates of the same characteristic in two different areas, or for the difference between separate and uncorrelated characteristics in the same

Table A-3. Standard Errors of Estimated Numbers of Spanish Origin Persons or Families

(68 chances out of 100. Numbers in thousands)

Size of estimate	Standard error ¹			
	Type I characteristic	Type II-E or II-I characteristic	Type II-N characteristic	Type III characteristic
10.....	4	5	7	9
25.....	6	8	11	15
50.....	8	11	15	21
100.....	12	15	21	30
250.....	19	24	33	47
500.....	27	34	47	67
1,000.....	37	48	66	94
2,500.....	59	75	104	148
5,000.....	81	105	147	209
7,500.....	98	128	178	258

¹See table A-1 to determine the type of characteristic for estimates from a given data table.

Note: To obtain standard errors for estimates for the five Southwestern States multiply the above figures by 1.25; to obtain standard errors for residence estimates multiply the above figures by 1.4.

Table A-4. Standard Errors of Estimated Percentages of Spanish Origin Persons or Families

(68 chances out of 100)

Base of percentage (thousands)	Estimated percentage ¹					
	1 or 99	2 or 98	5 or 95	10 or 90	25 or 75	50
75.....	1.4	1.9	3.0	4.1	6.0	6.9
100.....	1.2	1.7	2.6	3.6	5.2	6.0
250.....	0.8	1.1	1.6	2.3	3.3	3.8
500.....	0.5	0.7	1.2	1.6	2.3	2.7
1,000.....	0.4	0.5	0.8	1.1	1.6	1.9
2,500.....	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.7	1.0	1.2
5,000.....	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.8
7,500.....	0.14	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.7

¹To obtain standard errors for estimates for the five Southwestern States, multiply the above figures by 1.25; to obtain standard errors for residence estimates multiply the above figures by 1.4.

ERIC: See table A-2 for factors to apply to obtain standard errors for the characteristic interest.

area. If, however, there is a high positive correlation between the two characteristics, the formula will overestimate the true standard error.

For percents, formula (4) can be written as

$$\sigma_{(p_1 - p_2)} = \sqrt{\sigma_{p_1}^2 + \sigma_{p_2}^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{b_1}{x_1} p_1 (100 - p_1) + \frac{b_2}{x_2} p_2 (100 - p_2)} \quad (5)$$

In this situation the bases of the two percentages, x_1 and x_2 , are not the same. When the base, x , of the two percentages is the same, use the following formula (6).

$$\sigma_{(p_1 - p_2)} = \sqrt{\frac{b}{x} [100(p_1 + p_2) - (p_1 - p_2)^2]} \quad (6)$$

In formula (5), b_1 and b_2 are the parameters for the characteristics and population in question, and p_1 and p_2 are the percentages being compared, with $(0 \leq p_1 \leq 100)$ and $(0 \leq p_2 \leq 100)$. In formula (6), b is the b -parameter for the characteristic in question.

Formula (5) is to be used when the bases do not overlap; for example, males of Mexican origin and males of Puerto Rican origin. It can also be used when one base is a subset of the other; for example, males of Mexican origin and all Spanish origin males, but in this case (5) will overestimate the standard error of the difference.

Formula (6) is to be used when the base of the two percents is the same, the percents do not overlap and the characteristics in the numerators of p_1 and p_2 are of the same type, i.e., they have the same b parameter. For example, if the base is all families with head of Spanish origin, and one is comparing the percent of these families living in central cities with the percent in the suburbs (table 18), one may use formula (6) to calculate the standard error of the difference.

Illustration of computation of the standard error of a difference. Table 20 shows that in 1977 26.4 percent of the 5,695,000 persons of Mexican origin in the five Southwestern States headed households, while 36.1 percent of all 39,941,000 persons living in these States headed households. The apparent difference is 9.7 percent. As shown above the standard error on 26.4 percent is approximately 0.9. Using $b = 1389$ from table A-2 and formula (3), the standard error on 36.1 percent with a base of 39,941,000 is found to be about

0.3 percent. Therefore, using formula (4), the standard error of the estimated difference of 9.7 percent is approximately

$$0.9 = \sqrt{(0.3)^2 + (0.9)^2}$$

This means the chances are 68 out of 100 that the estimated difference based on the sample estimates would vary from the difference derived using complete census figures by less than 0.9 percent. The 68 percent confidence interval about the 9.7 percent difference is from 8.8 to 10.6, i.e., 9.7 ± 0.9 . A conclusion that the average estimate of the difference derived from all possible samples of the same size and design lies within a range computed in this way would be correct for roughly 68 percent of all possible samples. The 95 percent confidence interval is 7.9 to 11.5. Thus, we can conclude with 95 percent confidence that there is a difference between the 1977 percentage of heads of households of Mexican origin in the five Southwestern States and the percentage for all persons living in these States, i.e., the confidence interval does not include zero.

Standard error of a ratio. Certain mean values for persons in families shown in the tables of this report were calculated as the ratio of two numbers. For example, the mean number of persons per family is calculated as

$$\frac{x}{y} = \frac{\text{total number of persons in families}}{\text{total number of families}}$$

Standard errors for these means may be approximated as shown below. There are two cases to consider. In either case, the denominator y represents a count of families of a certain class, and the numerator x represents a count of persons with the characteristic under consideration who are members of these families.

Case 1: There is at least one person having the characteristic in every family of the class: as for example, the mean number of persons per family or the mean number of persons per family with a male head. For ratios of this kind, the standard error is approximated by the following formula:

$$\sigma_{\left(\frac{x}{y}\right)} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{x}{y}\right)^2 \left[\left(\frac{\sigma_y}{y}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\sigma_x}{x}\right)^2 - 2\rho \left(\frac{\sigma_x}{x}\right) \left(\frac{\sigma_y}{y}\right) \right]} \quad (7)$$

The standard error of the estimated number of families, σ_y , and the standard error of the

estimated number of persons with the characteristic in those families, σ_x , may be calculated by the methods described above. In formula (7), ρ represents the correlation coefficient between the numerator and the denominator of the estimate. In the above examples, and for other ratios of this kind, use 0.7 as an estimate of ρ .

example, the mean number of persons under 18 years of age. For ratios of this kind the standard error is approximated by formula (7), but ρ is assumed to be zero. If ρ is actually positive, then this procedure will provide an overestimate of the standard error of the ratio.

Case 2: The number of persons having the characteristic in a given family may be 0, 1, or more; for

Estimating the standard error of an arithmetic mean. The standard error of an arithmetic mean can be approximated by formula (8) below. Because of the approximations used in

Table A-5. Standard Errors of Estimated Numbers of Persons and Families, Total U.S. Population

(68 chances out of 100. Numbers in thousands)

Size of estimate	Standard error ¹				
	Persons		Families		
	Labor force or unemployment	Income	Residence	Family status	Income
500.....	31	28	33	26	23
1,000.....	44	39	46	37	32
5,000.....	97	87	102	82	72
10,000.....	140	121	142	114	99
20,000.....	183	167	192	154	134
30,000.....	214	199	225	181	157
40,000.....	234	224	247	199	172
50,000.....	247	243	262	211	182
70,000.....	254	270	271	220	188
100,000.....	217	289	239	197	162

¹To obtain standard errors for estimates for the five Southwestern States, multiply the above figures by 1.25; to obtain standard errors for residence estimates multiply the above figures by 1.4.

Table A-6. Standard Errors of Estimated Percentages, Total U.S. Population

(68 chances out of 100)

Base of percentage (thousands)	Estimated percentage ¹					
	1 or 99	2 or 98	5 or 95	10 or 90	25 or 75	50
500.....	0.6	0.9	1.4	1.9	2.7	3.1
1,000.....	0.4	0.6	1.0	1.3	1.9	2.2
5,000.....	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.9	1.0
10,000.....	0.14	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.7
20,000.....	0.10	0.14	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5
30,000.....	0.08	0.11	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.4
40,000.....	0.07	0.10	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4
50,000.....	0.06	0.09	0.13	0.2	0.3	0.3
70,000.....	0.05	0.07	0.12	0.2	0.2	0.3
100,000.....	0.05	0.07	0.12	0.2	0.2	0.3

¹To obtain standard errors for estimates for the five Southwestern States, multiply the above figures by 1.25; to obtain standard errors for residence estimates multiply the above figures by 1.4.

Note: See table A-2 for factors to apply to obtain standard errors for the characteristic interest.

Table A.7. Estimates of Standard Errors for Medians in Table 11

(68 chances out of 100. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Occupation and class of worker	Male		Female	
	Spanish origin	Not of Spanish origin	Spanish origin	Not of Spanish origin
Total with earnings	210	48	221	40
OCCUPATION				
Professional, technical, and kindred workers.....	1,224	118	1,200	119
Self employed.....	(B)	1,309	(B)	249
Salaried.....	1,188	111	1,200	119
Managers and administrators, except farm.....	952	132	(B)	179
Self employed.....	(B)	332	(B)	335
Salaried.....	1,468	154	(B)	152
Sales workers.....	1,595	198	467	72
Clerical and kindred workers.....	707	170	380	57
Craft and kindred workers.....	617	104	(B)	314
Operatives, including transport.....	322	108	255	71
Manufacturing.....	335	147	280	75
Other.....	627	149	(B)	193
Laborers, excluding farm.....	386	214	(B)	230
Farmers and farm managers.....	(B)	309	(B)	82
Farm laborers and supervisors.....	608	108	169	43
Service workers, except private household.....	395	156	302	40
Private household workers.....	(B)	80	248	20
CLASS OF WORKER				
Private wage or salary workers.....	222	54	232	43
In agriculture.....	518	163	173	45
Not in agriculture.....	227	57	222	43
Government wage or salary workers.....	630	93	430	116
Public administration.....	1,201	163	(B)	178
Other government workers.....	988	153	422	132
Self employed workers.....	964	195	(B)	97
In nonagricultural industries.....	954	256	(B)	103
Unpaid family workers.....	(B)	96	(B)	125

Table A-8. Standard Errors of 1970 Census Data

(5-percent sample)

Description of base of percentage	Base (000)	Description of numerator	Percent	Standard error (percent)
Spanish origin males 14 years and over.....	2,838	single men	32.2	.16

developing formula (8), an estimate of the standard error of the mean obtained from that formula will generally underestimate the true standard error. The formula used to estimate the standard error of a mean is

$$\sigma_{\bar{x}} = \sqrt{\frac{b}{y} s^2} \quad (8)$$

where y is the size of the base and b is the parameter from table A-2 corresponding to the characteristic of interest. The variance, s^2 , is given by formula (9)

$$s^2 = \sum_{i=1}^c p_i \bar{x}_i^2 - \bar{x}^2 \quad (9)$$

where \bar{x} is the mean of the distribution; c is the number of groups; i indicates a specific group, thus taking on values 1 through c ; p_i is the estimated proportion with the characteristic in group i ; Z_{i-1} and Z_i are the lower and upper interval boundaries respectively, for group i ; and $\bar{x}_i = \frac{Z_{i-1} + Z_i}{2}$

which is assumed to be the most representative value for the characteristic for persons or families and unrelated individuals in group i . Group c is open-ended, i.e., no upper interval boundary exists. For this group an approximate average value is

$$\bar{x}_c = \frac{3}{2} Z_{c-1}$$

Standard error of a median. The sampling variability of an estimated median depends upon the form of the distribution as well as the size of its base. An approximate method for measuring the reliability of a median is to determine an interval about the estimated median, such that there is a stated degree of confidence that the median based on a complete census lies within the interval. Standard errors for the medians presented in table 11 are provided in table A-7. For other medians shown in the report, the following

procedure may be used to estimate the 68-percent confidence limits on sample data.

1. Determine, using the standard error tables and factors or formula (3), the standard error of the estimate of 50 percent from the distribution.
2. Add to and subtract from 50 percent the standard error determined in step 1.
3. Using the distribution of the characteristic, calculate the confidence interval corresponding to the two points established in step 2.

Illustration of the computation of a confidence interval for a median. Table 3 of this report shows that the median age in March 1977 of persons of Puerto Rican origin living in the United States was 20.4 years. Table 3 also shows that the base of the distribution from which this median was determined is 1,742,000 persons.

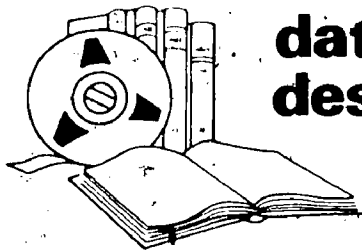
1. Using formula (3) the standard error of 50 percent on a base of 1,742,000 is about 2.5 percent.
2. To obtain a 95-percent confidence interval on an estimated median add to and subtract from 50 percent twice the standard error found in step 1. This yields percent limits 45.0 and 55.0.
3. From table 3 the age of 57.7 percent of the persons was greater than 15, and the age of 42.1 percent of the persons was greater than 24. Thus, the lower limit on the estimate is found to be about

$$\frac{57.7 - 55.0}{57.7 - 54.3} (2) + 16 = 17.5.$$

Similarly, the upper limit may be found by linear interpolation to be about

$$\frac{47.0 - 45.0}{47.0 - 42.1} (3) + 22 = 23.2.$$

Thus the 95-percent confidence interval on the estimated median is from 17.5 to 23.2.



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