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Mexican Immigrants in Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, and Tennessee

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Introduction

This study of Mexicans and Mexican-Americans showcases how they help to shape a state's economic profile. The authors use pertinent data for Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, and Tennessee to crystallize the overall image of this vibrant people, and in so doing, show how integral Mexicans are to the communities in which they live.

Most attention is focused on Georgia, which has a sizable Mexican population. Although economic issues are key, some demographic issues also are discussed.

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The following discussion is based primarily on the analysis of the public use micro-data sample (PUMS), which is prepared from the responses to the 2004 American Community Survey. Because of the additional statistical procedures used to produce this sample, PUMS data differ from the published, pre-tabulated American Community Survey (ACS) data. The Survey itself is mailed to a selected number of addresses in every state: the Georgia data are based on 12,646 household interviews. The public use micro-data sample is a statistically valid selection of data from these interviews. Standard error estimates are presented in the Appendix.

The survey-based data are self-reported, and differ from the information based on government or establishment data. Income data are tabulated according to the Survey's unique subject definitions, which are not the same as those used in other data sets, including the decennial census of population and housing.

GEORGIA Population overview

The analysis of data from the 2004 American Community Survey (ACS) sheds new light on the lives of 390,579 Georgia residents who declare Mexican origin, either by birth, or by culture. The data show that the Mexican community in Georgia is a relatively young, hard working group of newcomers, who arrived here during the unprecedented economic and population boom of the mid-1990s. These new workers relieved the tight labor markets of the Nineties, especially in the construction and hospitality industries.

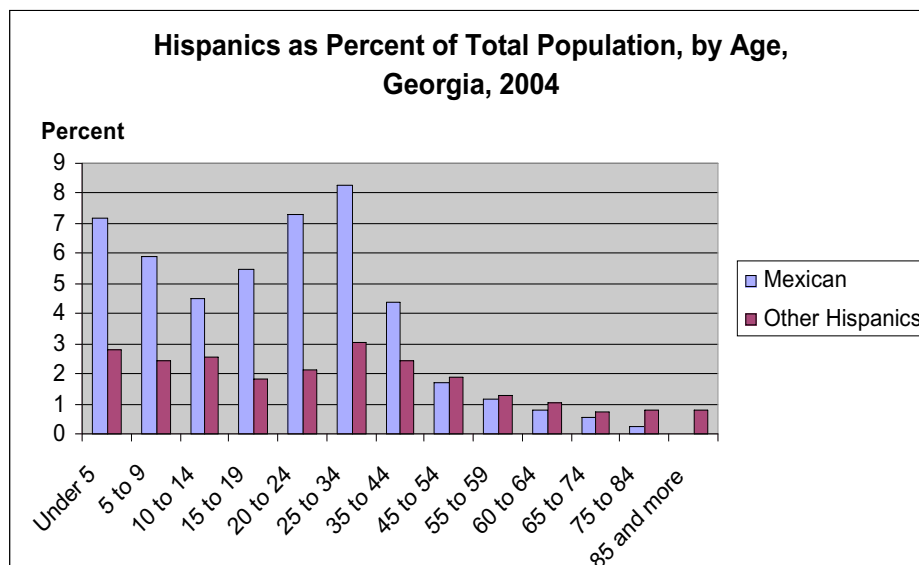
According to the ACS, 390,579, or 4.6 percent of Georgia's residents were either born in Mexico, or reported Mexican origin. The 2000 Census reported that 3.4 percent of the state's residents were of Mexican origin. Between 2000 and 2004, the number of residents of Mexican origin increased by 115,291, or 41.9 percent, which is the seventh largest number increase in the nation, following California, Texas, Arizona, Illinois, Colorado, and Nevada.

Table 1. Population by Hispanic Origin, Georgia, 2004

| | Not Hispanic | Mexican | Other Hispanic | Total |
|------------------|--------------|---------|----------------|-----------|
| Population | 8,004,532 | 390,579 | 185,196 | 8,580,307 |
| Percent of total | 93.3 | 4.6 | 2.2 | 100.0 |

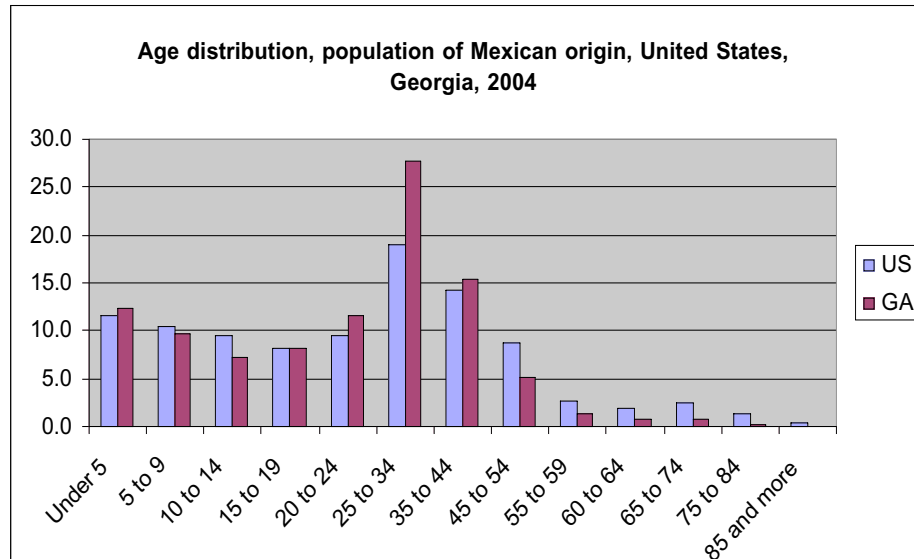
Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on U. S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, PUMS, 2004.

Although the total number of Mexicans in Georgia comprises only 4.6 percent of the general population in 2004, in several age categories that percentage is much higher. For example, over 8 percent of those in the 25-to-34 age bracket are Mexican; among those 20-to-24 years old, 7.3 percent are Mexican; and, most importantly, 7.2 percent of children under 5 years of age are Mexican.



Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on U. S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, PUMS, 2004.

Mostly foreign born, the 25-to-34 year olds are by far the largest age group among Mexicans in Georgia. By age distribution, this group constitutes a much larger portion of the community (27.8 percent), than the 18.9 percent national average. Conversely, those 45 and older make up only 8 percent of the Mexican community in Georgia compared to the 17.5 percent national average.



Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on U. S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, PUMS, 2004.

Of the 390,579 Mexicans in Georgia, 133,831 (34.3 percent) are U.S. citizens by birth, 11,872 (3 percent) are naturalized U.S. citizens, and 244,876 (62.7 percent) are not U.S. citizens. In 2004, Georgia ranked tenth in the nation based on the total number of people of Mexican decent, but ranked fifth based on the number of Mexicans who are not U.S. citizens, following only California, Texas, Arizona, and Illinois.

In 2004, 82.6 percent of Georgia’s 47,893 children of Mexican origin under 5 years old were born in Georgia, and another 13.1 percent were born elsewhere in the United States. Next on the age scale, in the smaller (37,953) group of 5-to-9 year olds, 78.1 percent were born in the United States, and 21.9 percent were born outside of the country. The percentage of foreign born increases to 41.7 in the 10-to-14 year old group, and to over 90 percent in the population of those who are between 25 and 44 years old. The percentage of foreign born who are 55-to-64 years old also exceeds 80 percent.

In 2004, 41 percent, or 106,350 Mexican immigrants who resided in Georgia reported 2000 or later as their year of entry into the U.S., 42.6 percent (110,399) entered the United States between 1990 and 1999, 12.7 percent (32,972) came between 1980 and 1989, and the remaining 3.7 percent (9,520) arrived before 1979. In contrast, the Mexican migration to some other states began in the 1950s, and has remained very high throughout the decades that followed. As a result, Mexican communities in California, Arizona, and Texas have a mix of long-timers and newcomers, and many more American-born residents of Mexican origin. (See Tables 2 and 3).

School enrollment

Nationally, over 90 percent of the school-age Hispanic population (5-to-19 years old) are enrolled in schools (2003 Current Population Survey), but the number drops to just over 14.2 percent for the 20-to-30 year olds, compared to over 24 percent for the total population in that age group, a trend mirrored by the data in the 2004 American Community Survey. While 93 percent of the school-age non-Hispanics in Georgia were enrolled in 2004, only 77.3 of Mexican youths went to school. Moreover, while over 20 percent of non-Hispanic 20-to-30 year olds were in college, only 7.1 percent of Mexicans sought higher education.

The Georgia Department of Education reports that 121,252 Hispanic students were enrolled in the state’s K-12 public schools in 2004. The American Community Survey’s number (108,117), however, is over 10 percent below the official enrollment figures—a difference that may be the result of the ACS undercounting the actual numbers, sampling errors, and to the fact that the counts were taken at different times of the year.

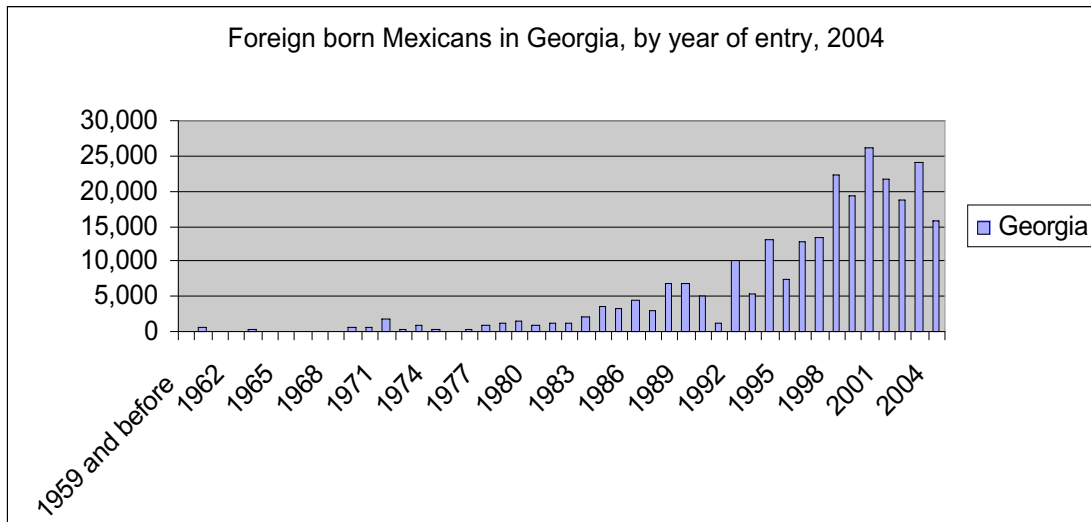
According to the 2004 ACS, the largest number of Mexican students is enrolled in grades 1-through-4 and 5-through-8 (25,947, and 24,668, respectively). The number of Mexican students in high schools is much lower: 19,780. Among the non-Hispanic students, roughly the same number (about 470,000) is enrolled in each of the

Table 2. Hispanic Residents by Year of Entry into the United States, 2004

| Area | Year of Entry, Mexican | | | | | Total |
|---------------|------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------|
| | Before 1950 | 1951 to 1979 | 1980 to 1989 | 1991 to 1999 | 2000 to 2004 | |
| Number | | | | | | |
| Georgia | 0 | 9,520 | 32,972 | 110,399 | 106,350 | 259,241 |
| United States | 85,938 | 1,930,913 | 2,384,055 | 3,777,579 | 2,191,356 | 10,369,841 |
| Percent | | | | | | |
| Georgia | 0.0 | 3.7 | 12.7 | 42.6 | 41.0 | 100.0 |
| United States | 0.8 | 18.6 | 23.0 | 36.4 | 21.1 | 100.0 |

| Area | Year of Entry, Other Hispanic | | | | | Total |
|---------------|-------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------|
| | Before 1950 | 1951 to 1979 | 1980 to 1989 | 1991 to 1999 | 2000 to 2004 | |
| Number | | | | | | |
| Georgia | 1,045 | 17,720 | 20,188 | 37,347 | 26,782 | 103,082 |
| United States | 100,760 | 1,934,861 | 1,687,971 | 2,107,695 | 1,276,838 | 7,108,125 |
| Percent | | | | | | |
| Georgia | 1.0 | 17.2 | 19.6 | 36.2 | 26.0 | 100.0 |
| United States | 1.4 | 27.5 | 23.9 | 29.6 | 17.7 | 100.0 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on U. S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, PUMS, 2004.



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Table 3. School Enrollment by Age, Georgia, 2004

| Hispanic origin | Age | Not enrolled in the past 3 months | Enrolled in public school or college | Enrolled in private school or college | Percent enrolled in public or private school or college |
|-----------------|--------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|
| Non-Hispanic | Under 5 | 127,098 | 57,203 | 61,229 | 48.2 |
| | 5 to 19 | 119,619 | 1,440,867 | 147,241 | 93.0 |
| | 20 to 30 | 958,693 | 180,701 | 62,580 | 20.2 |
| | 31 to 40 | 1,187,456 | 61,585 | 25,228 | 6.8 |
| | 41 and older | 3,149,056 | 48,165 | 23,319 | 2.2 |
| Mexican | Under 5 | 12,899 | 5,770 | 275 | 31.9 |
| | 5 to 19 | 22,242 | 73,351 | 2,211 | 77.3 |
| | 20 to 30 | 104,488 | 5,615 | 2,316 | 7.1 |
| | 31 to 40 | 90,037 | 218 | 577 | 0.9 |
| | 41 and older | 40,569 | 878 | 184 | 2.6 |
| Other Hispanic | Under 5 | 3,443 | 2,023 | 3,289 | 60.7 |
| | 5 to 19 | 4,040 | 34,766 | 3,168 | 90.4 |
| | 20 to 30 | 28,856 | 3,556 | 3,656 | 20.0 |
| | 31 to 40 | 33,019 | 1,770 | 1,126 | 8.1 |
| | 41 and older | 50,801 | 1,111 | 619 | 3.3 |
| Total | Under 5 | 143,440 | 64,996 | 64,793 | 47.5 |
| | 5 to 19 | 145,901 | 1,548,984 | 152,620 | 92.1 |
| | 20 to 30 | 1,092,037 | 189,872 | 68,552 | 19.1 |
| | 31 to 40 | 1,310,512 | 63,573 | 26,931 | 6.5 |
| | 41 and older | 3,240,426 | 50,154 | 24,122 | 2.2 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on U. S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, PUMS, 2004.

grade groups (1-to-4, 5-to-8, and 9-to-12). Nationally, the percentage of Mexican youths enrolled in high schools is also smaller than in the lower grades, but the drop is not nearly as steep.

The relatively small number of Mexican and other Hispanic students in high school partially can be explained by the higher dropout rates among these populations. According to the Georgia Department of Education, the high school dropout rate of 7 percent for Hispanic students exceeds the all-student average of 5.1 percent. Other factors illustrate the point: while 26.5 percent of Mexicans between 6 and 10 years old were foreign born, the number climbs to 47.5 percent for the 11-to-16 year olds, and to 71.7 percent for the 17-to-19 year olds. In fact, 34.3 percent of high-school aged Mexicans in Georgia arrived from Mexico between 2000 and 2004, and a large percentage of them sought work and never enrolled in schools. While 70 percent of American-born Mexican teenagers are enrolled, only 31 percent of their foreign-born counterparts are in school.

The number of Mexican students in both elementary and high schools is likely to increase, with a large group of American-born children of Mexican parents preparing to enter the education system within the next five years. Currently, there are 47,893 Mexican children under the age of five—7.2 percent of the total population in that age group in Georgia—which is a much higher percentage than in any other school-age group in the state in 2004.

Employment

In 2004, 197,351 Mexicans were employed in Georgia, which constitutes 4.8 percent of all employed civilians in the state. Nationally, that proportion is much higher: 8 percent. In contrast, 3.6 percent of Mexicans over 16 years old are unemployed in Georgia, compared to the 4.9 percent average of the total population in this age group. But the actual unemployment rate—or the percentage of the unemployed among those in the civilian labor force—is much lower for Mexicans than for the general population (4.8 percent for Mexicans compared to 7.3 percent for the state as a whole). Nationally, the overall unemployment rate (7.2 percent in 2004) is much lower than for Mexican workers (9.1 percent). The unemployment rates as reported by the American Community Survey are much higher than other estimates due to differences in sample size and wording of survey questions.

Also, the percentage of the Mexican population aged 16 or older who are in the labor force is higher in Georgia than the national average. Among other things, this statistic points to the fact that fewer Mexican youths stay in high school and continue to college. It is important to note, however, that compared to the foreign born, more of the American-born teenaged Mexicans in Georgia are in school or in the military services, and only a small percentage is unemployed.

Compared to non-Hispanic workers, more Mexicans in Georgia are wage and salary employees in private establishments (72.6 percent of non-Hispanic and 86.5 percent of Mexicans), but the opposite is true in the case of government employment, where only 1.9 percent of Mexican workers find jobs, compared to 15.6 percent of the non-Hispanics. Nationally, 9.7 percent of workers of Mexican origin are government employees, compared to 15.5 percent of non-Hispanics.

In Georgia, 11 percent of working Mexicans are self-employed, 7,744 own incorporated businesses, and 17,664 are in unincorporated businesses. Only 10.6 percent of non-Hispanics in Georgia are self-employed. Nationally, 6.8 percent of Mexican workers are self-employed, compared to 10.7 percent of non-Hispanics. Most Mexican unincorporated businesses are in construction, followed by professional and personal services, manufacturing and retail. Among the incorporated businesses, construction also tops the list, followed by transportation and professional services.

Industry impact

Although employed by every major industry sector, the bulk of Mexican workers in Georgia is concentrated in just five industries: over 90 percent of them hold jobs in construction, manufacturing, entertainment, services, and trade. Within industry sectors, construction and production workers, cleaners, and food preparation workers are the four largest occupational groups among Mexicans civilians (29.8 percent, 16.9 percent, 15.7 percent, and 9.4 percent, respectively), although thousands of Mexicans report working in transportation-related occupations, as well as office, sales, and managerial trades. In comparison, among the non-Hispanic workers, office and administrative support occupations are the largest group, followed by sales, managerial, and production and operations workers (15.1 percent, 12.1 percent, 9.7 percent, and 7.3 percent, respectively). Among non-Mexican Hispanics, construction workers are the largest occupational group at 20.4 percent, followed by 12.1 percent in managerial occupations, 10.6 percent in office work, 8.3 percent in production, and 8.1 percent in sales occupations.

Table 4. Employed Civilians by Industry Sector, and Hispanic Origin, Georgia, 2004

| Industry Sector | Not Hispanic/Latino | | Mexican | | Other Hispanic/Latino | | Total | |
|-------------------------------|---------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|-----------------------|--------------|------------------|--------------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Construction | 275,328 | 7.3 | 62,192 | 31.5 | 19,503 | 22.5 | 357,023 | 8.8 |
| Manufacturing | 480,416 | 12.7 | 33,713 | 17.1 | 11,973 | 13.8 | 526,102 | 12.9 |
| Recreation | 284,460 | 7.5 | 29,468 | 14.9 | 6,014 | 7.0 | 319,942 | 7.9 |
| Professional services | 371,239 | 9.8 | 19,295 | 9.8 | 6,321 | 7.3 | 396,855 | 9.7 |
| Retail trade | 451,257 | 11.9 | 16,654 | 8.4 | 7,557 | 8.7 | 475,468 | 11.7 |
| Wholesale trade | 148,727 | 3.9 | 9,760 | 4.9 | 3,339 | 3.9 | 161,826 | 4.0 |
| Service industries | 196,768 | 5.2 | 7,938 | 4.0 | 6,614 | 7.6 | 211,320 | 5.2 |
| Agriculture | 42,693 | 1.1 | 4,874 | 2.5 | NA | 0.0 | 47,567 | 1.2 |
| Transportation | 212,911 | 5.6 | 3,906 | 2.0 | 4,681 | 5.4 | 221,498 | 5.4 |
| Medical | 305,111 | 8.0 | 2,860 | 1.4 | 2,783 | 3.2 | 310,754 | 7.6 |
| Social and community services | 80,071 | 2.1 | 2,414 | 1.2 | 1,733 | 2.0 | 84,218 | 2.1 |
| Finance | 259,991 | 6.9 | 1,325 | 0.7 | 6,079 | 7.0 | 267,395 | 6.6 |
| Administration | 224,242 | 5.9 | 1,193 | 0.6 | 3,565 | 4.1 | 229,000 | 5.6 |
| Utilities | 45,345 | 1.2 | 816 | 0.4 | 360 | 0.4 | 46,521 | 1.1 |
| Information | 114,735 | 3.0 | 403 | 0.2 | 1,850 | 2.1 | 116,988 | 2.9 |
| Education | 289,541 | 7.6 | 378 | 0.2 | 4,144 | 4.8 | 294,063 | 7.2 |
| Mining | 8,705 | 0.2 | 162 | 0.1 | NA | 0.0 | 8,867 | 0.2 |
| Total | 3,791,540 | 100.0 | 197,351 | 100.0 | 86,516 | 100.0 | 4,075,407 | 100.0 |

NA Not available.

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on U. S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, PUMS, 2004.

Table 5. Employed Civilians by Hispanic Origin as Percent of Industry Total Employment, Georgia, 2004

| | Non-Hispanic | Percent of all employed | | Total |
|-------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------|----------------|-------|
| | | Mexican | Other Hispanic | |
| Construction | 77.1 | 17.4 | 5.5 | 100.0 |
| Agriculture | 89.8 | 10.2 | 0.0 | 100.0 |
| Entertainment | 88.9 | 9.2 | 1.9 | 100.0 |
| Manufacturing | 91.3 | 6.4 | 2.3 | 100.0 |
| Wholesale trade | 91.9 | 6.0 | 2.1 | 100.0 |
| Professional services | 93.5 | 4.9 | 1.6 | 100.0 |
| Service industries | 93.1 | 3.8 | 3.1 | 100.0 |
| Retail trade | 94.9 | 3.5 | 1.6 | 100.0 |
| Social and community services | 95.1 | 2.9 | 2.1 | 100.0 |
| Mining | 98.2 | 1.8 | 0.0 | 100.0 |
| Transportation | 96.1 | 1.8 | 2.1 | 100.0 |
| Utilities | 97.5 | 1.8 | 0.8 | 100.0 |
| Medical | 98.2 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 100.0 |
| Administration | 97.9 | 0.5 | 1.6 | 100.0 |
| Finance | 97.2 | 0.5 | 2.3 | 100.0 |
| Information | 98.1 | 0.3 | 1.6 | 100.0 |
| Education | 98.5 | 0.1 | 1.4 | 100.0 |
| All industries | 93.0 | 4.8 | 2.1 | 100.0 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on U. S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, PUMS,

Construction, manufacturing, and the entertainment (hotel/motel, recreation and food service) industries are the three largest employers of Mexicans in Georgia: 31.5 percent or 62,192 Mexicans work in construction (the proportion is even higher among the foreign-born Mexicans), 17.1 percent (33,713) hold manufacturing jobs, and 14.9 percent (29,468) work in lodging, food services, and related areas. This trend mirrors national averages, although nationally, Mexican workers are more dispersed among industries. For Georgia's non-Hispanics, the three largest employers are manufacturing, which provides 12.7 percent of jobs, retail trade with 11.9 percent, and professional services with 9.8 percent.

The ethnic composition of the industry workforce offers an additional insight into the impact of Mexican and other Hispanic workers on the employment demographics in Georgia. A look at the Hispanic workers' share of industry employment points to construction, agriculture, and entertainment as the industries most affected by the presence of Mexicans and other Hispanic workers.

Mexicans and the Construction Boom

The construction industry is the prime example of Mexican workers' impact on the state's economy. 1996 was a watershed year in Mexican migration to Georgia, with at least 10,000 Mexicans arriving each year since then. The peak occurred in 2000, when over 25,000 new arrivals began looking for jobs. Most found work in the construction industry, which employed 62,192 Mexicans, or 31.5 percent of Mexican workers in the state in 2004. These workers held 17.4 percent of construction jobs in the state, and together with other Hispanics held close to a quarter (23 percent) of all construction jobs in Georgia.

The new migrants found work quickly in this rapidly expanding industry, which between 1996 and 2004 built 71,414 homes a year on average in Georgia. Nonresidential construction activity was also brisk in the years leading to and following the 1996 Olympics in Atlanta, and the area became a hot market for real estate and construction.

As reported by the Economic Census, the 1997-2002 percentage increases in the number of construction firms, the number of employees, and sales were considerably higher in Georgia than the U.S. average. Georgia employers, however, were better able to contain the cost of labor, and the average annual pay in construction increased by little more than half of the national average rate of increase.

In 2004, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported that the annual average construction pay in Georgia was \$38,431. According to ACS, 69.7 percent of construction workers—and 80.1 percent of the Mexican construction workers—in Georgia made between \$10,000 and \$30,000 a year. This relatively low labor cost was in part facilitated by the influx of over 81,000 Hispanic workers, over 80 percent of who were on the lowest rungs of the pay scale.

Table 6. Growth in Georgia's Construction Industry, 1997-2002*

| 1997-2002 change in: | Georgia | | United States | |
|-------------------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|
| | Number change | Percent change | Number change | Percent change |
| Establishments | 2,361 | 13.2 | 53,873 | 8.2 |
| Sales (\$1000) | 12,779,722 | 44.7 | 337,974,541 | 39.4 |
| Payroll (\$1000) | 2,164,574 | 46.2 | 80,107,540 | 46.0 |
| Paid employees | 57,311 | 34.9 | 1,528,229 | 27.0 |
| Average annual pay (\$) | 2,378 | 8.3 | 4,604 | 15.0 |

*Establishments with payroll.

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on 1997 and 2002 Economic Census.

Table 7. Annual Wages in Construction, by Hispanic Origin, 2004

| | \$10,000 to \$30,000 | \$31,000 to \$50,000 | Over \$50,000 | Total |
|------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------|---------|
| Non-Hispanic/Latino | | | | |
| Number | 182,561 | 53,125 | 39,642 | 275,328 |
| Percent | 66.3 | 19.3 | 14.4 | 100.0 |
| Mexican | | | | |
| Number | 49,815 | 11,540 | 837 | 62,192 |
| Percent | 80.1 | 18.6 | 1.3 | 100.0 |
| Other Hispanic/Latino | | | | |
| Number | 16,629 | 2,058 | 816 | 19,503 |
| Percent | 85.3 | 10.6 | 4.2 | 100.0 |
| Total Hispanic | | | | |
| Number | 66,444 | 13,598 | 1,653 | 81,695 |
| Percent | 81.3 | 16.6 | 2.0 | 100.0 |
| Total | | | | |
| Number | 249,005 | 66,723 | 41,295 | 357,023 |
| Percent | 69.7 | 18.7 | 11.6 | 100.0 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on the data from American Community Survey, PUMS, 2004.

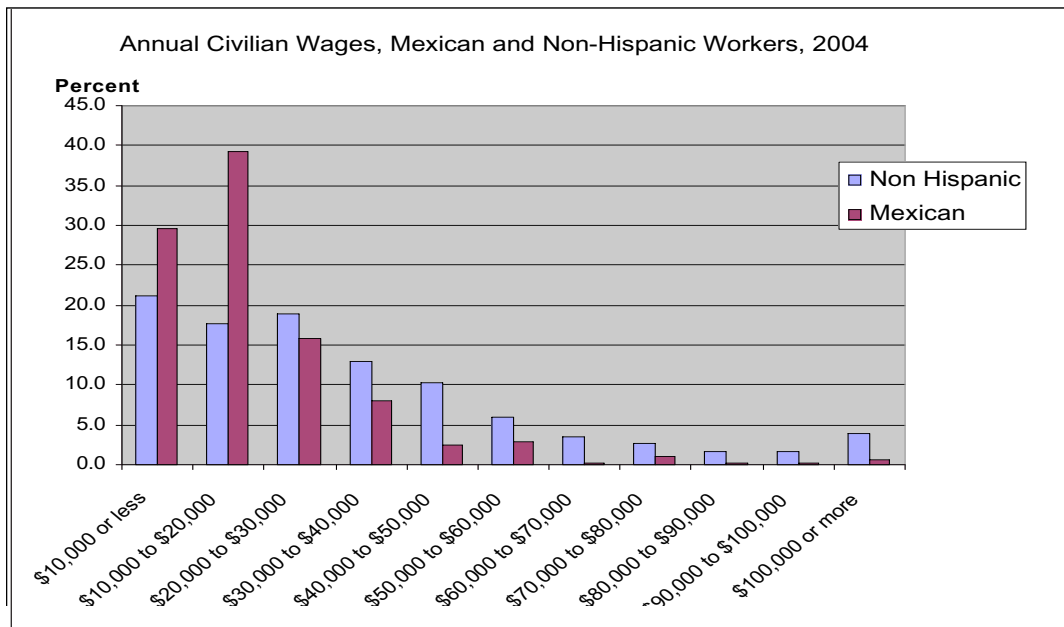
The influx fueled Georgia's construction boom during the tight labor market of the late 1990s, and helps it sustain a steady growth now.

Georgia's booming construction industry is a unique example, however, and should not be automatically applied to other industries that employ large numbers of Hispanic workers. The entertainment and leisure industry, for instance, did not increase its rate of sales or employment as fast as construction did, but its average wages—albeit low—were very close to the national average.

Wages

A review of annual wages reveals that 84.5 percent of Mexican civilians employed in Georgia make \$30,000 or less, compared to the 57.5 percent of the non-Hispanic workers, and 39.2 percent of Mexicans earn between \$10,000 and \$20,000 a year.

Although the majority of Mexican construction workers find themselves at the lower end of the industry pay scale, a relatively large group (19.9 percent) takes home an average wage of \$30,000 or more, including 1.3 percent who earns more than \$50,000.



Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on the data from American Community Survey, PUMS, 2004.

Table 8. Manufacturing Wage Ranges, by Wage Range and Hispanic Origin, Georgia, 2004

| Wage range | Not Hispanic/Latino | | Mexican | | Other Hispanic/Latino | | Total | |
|-------------------|---------------------|---------|---------|---------|-----------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| 10,000 or less | 42,794 | 8.9 | 7,294 | 21.6 | 453 | 3.8 | 50,541 | 9.6 |
| 10,000 to 20,000 | 88,337 | 18.4 | 17,422 | 51.7 | 2,183 | 18.2 | 107,942 | 20.5 |
| 20,000 to 30,000 | 113,967 | 23.7 | 4,972 | 14.7 | 3,450 | 28.8 | 122,389 | 23.3 |
| 30,000 to 40,000 | 72,607 | 15.1 | 2,679 | 7.9 | 1,604 | 13.4 | 76,890 | 14.6 |
| 40,000 to 50,000 | 50,502 | 10.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 1,680 | 14.0 | 52,182 | 9.9 |
| 50,000 to 60,000 | 35,854 | 7.5 | 186 | 0.6 | 195 | 1.6 | 36,235 | 6.9 |
| 60,000 to 70,000 | 20,912 | 4.4 | 224 | 0.7 | 1,334 | 11.1 | 22,470 | 4.3 |
| 70,000 to 80,000 | 16,961 | 3.5 | 661 | 2.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 17,622 | 3.3 |
| 80,000 to 90,000 | 8,664 | 1.8 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 8,664 | 1.6 |
| 90,000 to 100,000 | 11,248 | 2.3 | 275 | 0.8 | 280 | 2.3 | 11,803 | 2.2 |
| 100,000 or more | 18,570 | 3.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 794 | 6.6 | 19,364 | 3.7 |
| Total | 480,416 | 100.0 | 33,713 | 100.0 | 11,973 | 100.0 | 526,102 | 100.0 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on the data from American Community Survey, PUMS, 2004.

While manufacturing production workers in Georgia make an average of \$27,227 a year (based on a 40-hour per week/52-week scale), 73 percent of the Mexican workers earn \$20,000 or less in annual wages (compared to 27.3 percent of non-Hispanics), 22.7 percent make between \$20,000 and \$40,000, and the remaining 4.1 percent earn \$50,000 a year or more. Over 70 percent of the Mexican workers have relatively low-paying jobs in food processing, textiles, and wood, paper, and furniture manufacturing; the remaining 30 percent are employed in better paid, durable goods manufacturing. Only about 4.1 percent of Mexican workers—most of who are in paper manufacturing—make more than the \$41,473 average annual wage in manufacturing.

Over 90 percent of those in the recreation, amusement and other entertainment industry, the third largest employer of Mexican workers, report less than \$20,000 in annual wages, compared to 74.1 percent of non-Hispanics, and 52.3 percent of other Hispanics.

Income

Georgia's Mexican residents reported \$4.7 billion in personal income in 2004, which constitutes 2.4 percent of the state's total money income of \$195.6 billion. The personal income reported by the American Community Survey is lower than other personal income estimates, however, because it excludes capital gains, money received from the sale of property, and the value of in-kind income such as food stamps and public housing, and some types of lump sum receipts. As such, it corresponds closely to money income.

Compared to total personal income as reported by the Georgia Department of Revenue, money income represents about 77 percent of income in Georgia. So, based on income figures supplied by the ACS and data from the Georgia

Table 9. Money Income and Population in Georgia, by Hispanic Origin, 2004

| | Money Income | | Population | |
|----------------|-----------------|---------|------------|---------|
| | Dollars | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Non-Hispanic | 186,781,123,561 | 95.5 | 8,004,532 | 93.3 |
| Mexican | 4,700,002,690 | 2.4 | 390,579 | 4.6 |
| Other Hispanic | 4,146,419,373 | 2.1 | 185,196 | 2.2 |
| Total | 195,627,545,625 | 100.0 | 8,580,307 | 100.0 |

Source: American Community Survey, 2004.

Table 10. Estimated State Taxes Collected in Georgia, by Hispanic Origin, 2004

| | Personal Income | | Taxes Collected, 2004 | | | | |
|---------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|---|--------------|----------------|----------------|-------|
| | | | Taxes per thousand dollars of personal income | Non-Hispanic | Mexican | Other Hispanic | Total |
| | Non-Hispanic | \$242,669,320,000 | | | | | |
| | Mexican | \$6,098,496,000 | | | | | |
| | Other Hispanic | \$5,336,184,000 | | | | | |
| | Total | \$254,104,000,000 | | | | | |
| Selective sales tax | 3.57 | 865,454,089 | 21,749,632 | 19,030,928 | 906,234,648 | | |
| General Sales and Use Tax | 19.29 | 4,681,485,412 | 117,649,895 | 102,943,658 | 4,902,078,966 | | |
| Personal Income tax | 26.88 | 6,522,480,180 | 163,915,732 | 143,426,266 | 6,829,822,178 | | |
| Estate taxes | 0.26 | 62,719,128 | 1,576,188 | 1,379,164 | 65,674,480 | | |
| Property taxes | 0.25 | 61,562,611 | 1,547,123 | 1,353,733 | 64,463,467 | | |
| Other | 1.72 | 417,955,092 | 10,503,583 | 9,190,636 | 437,649,311 | | |
| Other taxes and fees | 2.23 | 542,236,831 | 13,626,894 | 11,923,532 | 567,787,257 | | |
| | 51.97 | 12,611,656,511 | 316,942,153 | 277,324,384 | 13,205,923,048 | | |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on data from the Georgia Department of Revenue, 2004 Statistical Report; American Community Survey, 2004.

Department of Revenue, Georgia's Mexican taxpayers should have contributed personal income tax of \$316,942,153 in 2004, or 2.4 percent of the state's total income tax collections (excluding corporate income tax).

Wages and salaries income comprises the bulk of income for Mexican respondents (88.4 percent of total income, compared to 78.7 percent for non-Hispanic and 82 percent for other Hispanics). The portion provided by self-employment (8.4 percent) is larger than it is for non-Hispanics (6.3 percent), but smaller than for other Hispanics (11.7 percent). Compared to other groups, Mexican respondents reported that only a relatively small portion of their income is derived from supplemental Social Security and public assistance.

Table 11. Money Income by Source and Hispanic Origin, Georgia, 2004

| Source of Income | Income (in thousands of dollars) | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------|--------------|---------|-----------|---------|----------------|---------|
| | Total | | Non-Hispanic | | Mexican | | Other Hispanic | |
| | Amount | Percent | Amount | Percent | Amount | Percent | Amount | Percent |
| Total person's income | 195,627,546 | 100.0 | 186,781,124 | 100.0 | 4,700,003 | 100.0 | 4,146,419 | 100.0 |
| Wages or salary income | 154,576,354 | 79.0 | 147,022,997 | 78.7 | 4,152,687 | 88.4 | 3,400,670 | 82.0 |
| Self-employment income | 12,632,234 | 6.3 | 11,750,518 | 6.3 | 394,887 | 8.4 | 486,829 | 11.7 |
| Interest, dividends, and net rental income | 6,069,549 | 3.1 | 6,036,457 | 3.2 | 6,959 | 0.1 | 26,133 | 0.6 |
| Retirement income | 8,265,995 | 4.2 | 8,157,578 | 4.4 | 43,702 | 0.9 | 64,715 | 1.6 |
| Social Security income | 9,488,251 | 4.9 | 9,408,749 | 5.0 | 35,159 | 0.7 | 44,343 | 1.1 |
| Supplementary Security Income | 700,686 | 0.4 | 693,789 | 0.4 | 3,838 | 0.1 | 3,060 | 0.1 |
| Public assistance income | 126,410 | 0.1 | 124,838 | 0.1 | 971 | 0.0 | 601 | 0.0 |
| All other income | 3,768,066 | 1.9 | 3,586,197 | 1.9 | 61,800 | 1.3 | 120,068 | 2.9 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on data from American Community Survey, 2004.

Going North

Mexican Immigrants in Alabama

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ALABAMA
Population overview

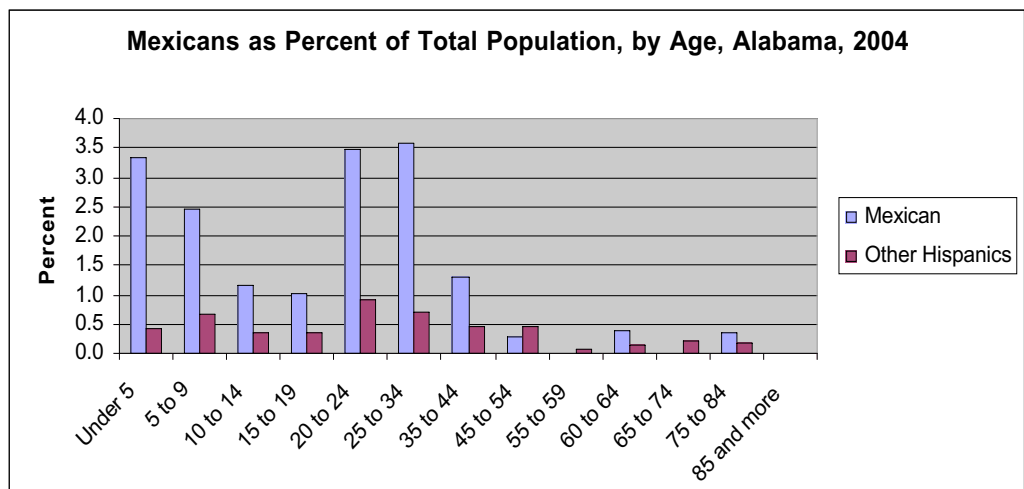
The analysis of data from the 2004 American Community Survey (ACS) puts the number of residents who declare Mexican origin, either by birth, or by culture in Alabama at 66,798, or 1.5 percent. The 2000 Census reported that 1 percent of the state's residents were of Mexican origin. Between 2000 and 2004 the number of residents of Mexican origin increased by 22,276, or 50 percent. While the number increase ranks twenty-fifth in the nation, the percentage change ranks seventh, following Connecticut, Delaware, Arkansas, Maryland, Kentucky, and Virginia (none of them exceeding a 3.5 percent Mexican share of total population).

Table 1. Population by Hispanic Origin, Alabama, 2004

| | Non-Hispanic | Mexican | Other Hispanic | Total |
|------------------|--------------|---------|----------------|-----------|
| Population | 4,328,443 | 66,798 | 19,318 | 4,414,559 |
| Percent of total | 98.0 | 1.5 | 0.4 | 100.0 |

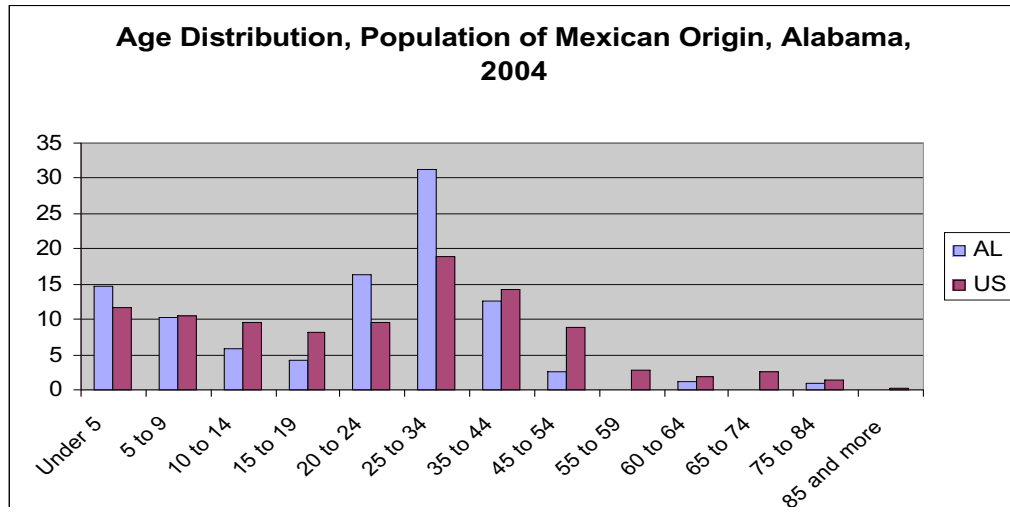
Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on American Community Survey, PUMS, 2004.

Although the total number of Mexicans in Alabama composed just 1.5 percent of the general population in 2004, that percentage is higher in several age categories. For example, 3.6 percent of those between 25 and 34 years old are Mexican, among 20 to 24 year olds, where 3.5 percent of those between 20 and 25 years old are of Mexican, and 3.3 percent of children under 5 years old are Mexican.



Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on American Community Survey, PUMS, 2004.

The 25-to-34 olds are by far the largest age group among Mexicans in Alabama. By age distribution, this group makes up a much larger portion of the community (31.2 percent), than the 18.9 percent national average. Conversely, those 45 and older comprise only 4.9 percent of the Mexican community in Alabama compared to the 17.5 percent national average.



Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on American Community Survey, PUMS, 2004.

Out of the 66,798 Mexicans in Alabama, 22,399 (33.5 percent) are U.S. citizens by birth, 1,172 (1.8 percent) are naturalized U.S. citizens, and 43,227 (64.7 percent) are not U.S. citizens. In 2004, Alabama ranked 32 in the nation based on the total number of people of Mexican decent.

In 2004, 86.5 percent of Alabama's 9,834 children of Mexican origin under 5 years old were born in Alabama, 4.3 percent were born elsewhere in the United States, and 9.1 percent were foreign born. Next on the age scale, in the group of 5-to-9 year olds, 69.4 percent of the 6,818 children were born in the United States, and 30.6 percent were born outside of the country. The percentage of foreign-born Mexicans increases to well over 50 percent in the 10-to-19 year old group, and to over 90 percent in the population of those who are 25 to 34 years old. Among the older age groups, the percentage of foreign born ranges from 38.9 percent (74-to-84 year olds) to 64 percent (45-to-54 year olds).

In 2004, 48.3 percent, or 21,928 Mexican immigrants who resided in Alabama reported 2000 or later as their year of entry into the U.S., 43.8 percent (19,880) entered the United States between 1990 and 1999, 5.7 percent (2,566) migrated between 1980 and 1989, and the remaining 2.3 percent (1,040) arrived before 1979. In contrast, the Mexican migration to other states began in the 1950s and has remained very high throughout the ensuing decades. As a result, Mexican communities in California, Arizona, and Texas have a mix of long-timers and recently arrived residents, and a larger portion of American-born residents of Mexican origin. (See Table 2.)

School enrollment

Nationally, over 90 percent of the school-age Hispanic population (5-to-19 years old) are enrolled in schools (2003 Current Population Survey), but the number drops to just over 14.2 percent for the 20-to-30 year olds, compared to over 24 percent for the total population in that age group, a trend mirrored by the data in the 2004 American Community survey. While 93.2 percent of the school-age non-Hispanics in Alabama were enrolled in schools in 2004, only 76.8 of Mexican youths were students. Also, while over 24.3 percent of non-Hispanic 20-to-30 year olds are in college, only 1.5 percent of Mexicans sought higher education, far below the national average of 15.1 percent.

According to the 2004 ACS, the largest number of Mexican students (3,553) was enrolled in grades 1 through 4. The number in grades 5-to-8 falls to 2,994, and even fewer (1,669) Mexican students are in high school. Among the much smaller group of other Hispanic students in Alabama, college undergraduates comprise the bulk (2,450), followed by students in grades 1-to-4 (1,129). Among non-Hispanics, the most are enrolled in grades 5 to 8.

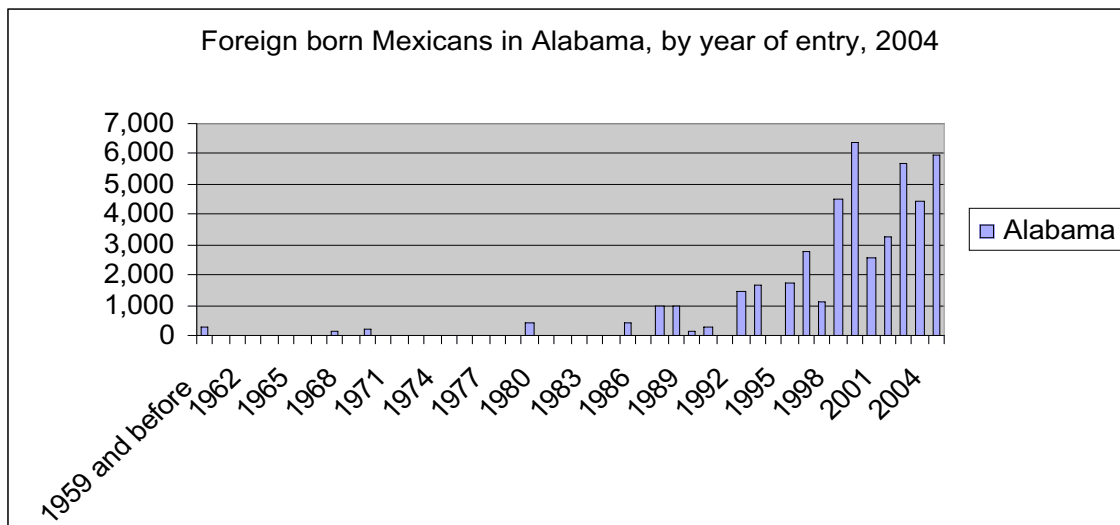
The small number of Mexican students who attend high school can be explained partially by their higher dropout rate, but the demographics of the school-age children and youth show that, compared to non-Hispanics, the high school age group is relatively small. Place of birth is a factor, too: while over 80 percent of U.S.-born Mexican

Table 2. Hispanic Residents by Year of Entry into the United States, 2004

| Area | Year of Entry, Mexican | | | | | Total |
|---------------|------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------|
| | Before 1950 | 1951 to 1979 | 1980 to 1989 | 1991 to 1999 | 2000 to 2004 | |
| | Number | | | | | |
| Alabama | 269 | 771 | 2,566 | 19,880 | 21,928 | 45,414 |
| United States | 85,938 | 1,930,913 | 2,384,055 | 3,777,579 | 2,191,356 | 10,369,841 |
| | Percent | | | | | |
| Alabama | 0.6 | 1.7 | 5.7 | 43.8 | 48.3 | 100.0 |
| United States | 0.8 | 18.6 | 23.0 | 36.4 | 21.1 | 100.0 |

| Area | Year of Entry, Other Hispanic | | | | | Total |
|---------------|-------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------|
| | Before 1950 | 1951 to 1979 | 1980 to 1989 | 1991 to 1999 | 2000 to 2004 | |
| | Number | | | | | |
| Alabama | 158 | 1,802 | 192 | 1,376 | 5,084 | 8,612 |
| United States | 100,760 | 1,934,861 | 1,687,971 | 2,107,695 | 1,276,838 | 7,108,125 |
| | Percent | | | | | |
| Alabama | 1.8 | 20.9 | 2.2 | 16.0 | 59.0 | 100.0 |
| United States | 1.4 | 27.5 | 23.9 | 29.6 | 17.7 | 100.0 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth based on American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.



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teenagers were in school, only 29.6 percent of the foreign born sought an education. Note also that about half of the high-school-aged Mexicans in Alabama are foreign born.

The number of Mexican students is likely to increase both in elementary and high schools, with a large group of American-born children of Mexican parents preparing to enter the education system. The 9,834 children under 5 years old make up 14.7 percent of the Mexican population in Alabama. In 2004, Mexican children under age 5 totaled 3.3 percent of that age group in Alabama, more than twice the 1.5 percent of Mexicans among the state's total population.

Table 3. School Enrollment by Age, Alabama, 2004

| Hispanic origin | Age | Not enrolled in the past 3 months | Enrolled in public school or college | Enrolled in private school or college | Percent enrolled in public or private school or college |
|-----------------|--------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|
| Non-Hispanic | Under 5 | 69,060 | 26,448 | 26,795 | 43.5 |
| | 5 to 19 | 60,002 | 736,696 | 84,253 | 93.2 |
| | 20 to 30 | 477,110 | 128,895 | 24,631 | 24.3 |
| | 31 to 40 | 558,101 | 31,952 | 5,244 | 6.2 |
| | 41 and older | 1,905,821 | 23,380 | 7,869 | 1.6 |
| Mexican | Under 5 | 3,156 | 679 | 0 | 17.7 |
| | 5 to 19 | 3,148 | 10,415 | 0 | 76.8 |
| | 20 to 30 | 26,657 | 401 | 0 | 1.5 |
| | 31 to 40 | 11,906 | 169 | 0 | 1.4 |
| | 41 and older | 3,635 | 213 | 420 | 14.8 |
| Other Hispanic | Under 5 | 169 | 178 | 0 | 51.3 |
| | 5 to 19 | 0 | 3,302 | 651 | 100.0 |
| | 20 to 30 | 2,211 | 1,660 | 296 | 46.9 |
| | 31 to 40 | 4,035 | 308 | 0 | 7.1 |
| | 41 and older | 5,148 | 503 | 0 | 8.9 |
| Total | Under 5 | 72,385 | 27,305 | 26,795 | 42.8 |
| | 5 to 19 | 63,150 | 750,413 | 84,904 | 93.0 |
| | 20 to 30 | 505,978 | 130,956 | 24,927 | 23.6 |
| | 31 to 40 | 574,042 | 32,429 | 5,244 | 6.2 |
| | 41 and older | 1,914,604 | 24,096 | 8,289 | 1.7 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

Employment

In 2004, 32,830 Mexicans were employed in Alabama, which constitutes 1.7 percent of all employed civilians in the state. Nationally, that proportion is much higher: 8 percent. In contrast, 4 percent of Mexicans over 16 years old are unemployed in Alabama, compared with the 4.4 average unemployment rate for the state. But the actual unemployment rate is lower for Mexicans than for the general population (5.3 percent for Mexicans, compared to 7.1 percent for the state as a whole). Nationally, the overall unemployment rate (7.2 percent in 2004) is much lower than among Mexican workers (9.1 percent). The unemployment rates as reported by the American Community Survey are much higher than other estimates due to differences in sample size and wording of survey questions.

Also, the percentage of Mexicans aged 16 or older in Alabama's labor force is higher than the national average. Among other things, this statistic confirms that fewer Mexican youths stay in high school and continue on to college. The percentage of Mexicans in the armed forces is also slightly higher in Alabama (0.7 percent of Mexicans 16 years and older) than in the nation as a whole (0.2 percent).

Compared to non-Hispanic workers, more Mexicans in Alabama are wage and salary employees in private establishments (73.6 percent of non-Hispanic, 92.2 percent of Mexicans), but the opposite is true in the case of government employment, where only 2.7 percent of Mexican workers find jobs, compared to 16.4 percent of the non-Hispanics. Nationally, 9.7 percent of workers of Mexican origin are government employees, as are 15.5 percent of non-Hispanics.

In Alabama, 3.6 percent of Mexicans is self-employed; 412 own unincorporated businesses and 1,034 are in incorporated businesses. Almost all of the Mexican-owned unincorporated businesses are in professional and personal services, while the incorporated businesses are in the recreation and entertainment industries.

Industry impact

Although employed across industry sectors, most of the Mexican workers in Alabama have jobs in construction (10,016 or 30.5 percent) and manufacturing (9,787 or 29.8 percent). The entertainment, professional and personal

services, transportation and trade sectors provide together another 11,085 jobs (33.8 percent). While 34.4 percent of foreign-born Mexicans work in construction, only 5.4 percent of their American-born counterparts do. The opposite is true for the entertainment industry, where 39.8 percent of U.S.-born Mexicans work.

The concentration of Mexican workers in construction, manufacturing, and entertainment mirrors national trends, although nationwide, Mexican workers are more dispersed among industries. For the non-Hispanics in Alabama,

Table 4. Employed Civilian Workers in Alabama, by Hispanic Origin, 2004

| Industry Sector | Non-Hispanic | | Mexican | |
|-------------------------------|--------------|---------|---------|---------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Construction | 136,061 | 7.0 | 10,016 | 30.5 |
| Manufacturing | 274,996 | 14.2 | 9,787 | 29.8 |
| Entertainment | 139,197 | 7.2 | 3,840 | 11.7 |
| Professional services | 153,126 | 7.9 | 2,189 | 6.7 |
| Transportation | 77,831 | 4.0 | 1,496 | 4.6 |
| Service industries | 98,191 | 5.1 | 1,382 | 4.2 |
| Wholesale trade | 70,134 | 3.6 | 1,181 | 3.6 |
| Retail trade | 246,885 | 12.7 | 997 | 3.0 |
| Information | 40,272 | 2.1 | 780 | 2.4 |
| Agriculture | 26,832 | 1.4 | 433 | 1.3 |
| Mining | 10,583 | 0.5 | 258 | 0.8 |
| Social and community services | 31,428 | 1.6 | 258 | 0.8 |
| Medical | 225,742 | 11.6 | 213 | 0.6 |
| Administration | 113,904 | 5.9 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Education | 159,157 | 8.2 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Finance | 109,271 | 5.6 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Utilities | 28,021 | 1.4 | 0 | 0.0 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

the three largest employers are the manufacturing industry, which provides 14.2 percent of jobs, retail trade with 12.7 percent, and medical establishments, which provide 11.6 percent of jobs.

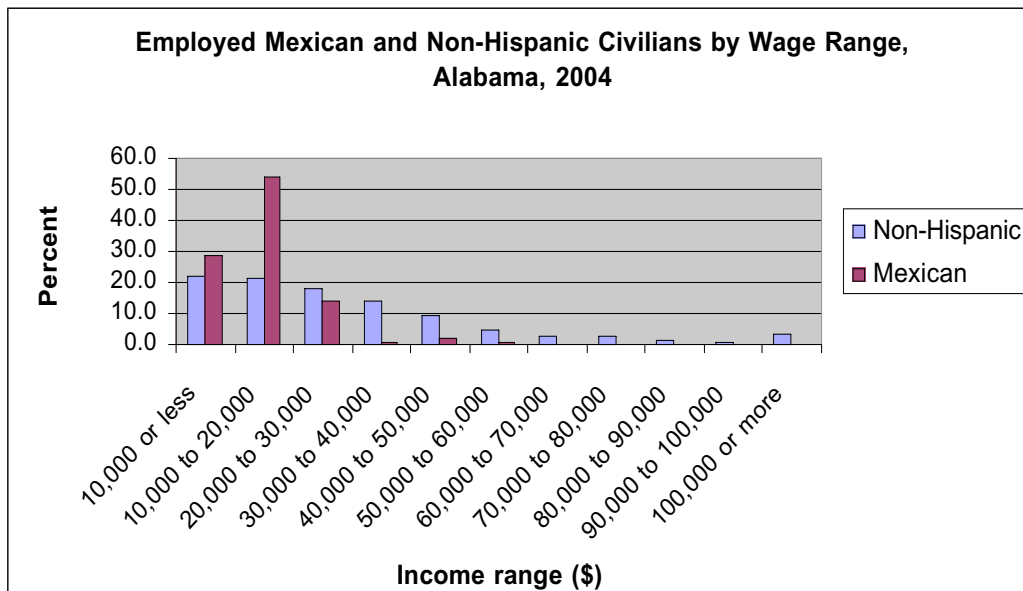
Within industry sectors, production and construction are the two most common occupations—in fact, over 20,709 of Alabama’s Mexicans (60 percent) have jobs in one of these categories. Another 5,778 (17.6 percent) are employed in the transportation and food service occupations. Sales personnel, managers, and cleaners each account for about 4 percent of the Mexican workforce (1,310, 1,297, and 1,116, respectively) and personal service providers, agricultural and office workers account for about 5 percent (1,544).

In comparison, among the non-Hispanic workers, office and administrative support occupations are the largest group, followed by sales, production and operations, management, and transportation (13.2, 11.6, 8.9, 8.9, and 8 percent, respectively). Among non-Mexican Hispanics, food preparation, office workers, repairers, installers, and production workers are the largest occupational groups.

A look at annual wages reveals that 82.5 percent of Mexican civilians employed in Alabama make \$20,000 or less, compared to 43.2 percent of the non-Hispanic workers, and 28.8 percent of Mexicans earn less than \$10,000. Although over 95 percent of Mexican construction workers find themselves at the bottom end of the industry pay scale, a handful (3.1 percent) took home an average of \$50,000 to \$60,000 in 2004.

In manufacturing, the second largest employer of Mexican workers in Alabama, 80 percent took home \$20,000 or less in annual wages, 14.5 percent made between \$20,000 and \$30,000, and the remaining 6.6 percent earned between \$40,000 and \$50,000 or more a year. Nearly half of the Mexican workers in Alabama’s manufacturing sector were employed in relatively low-paying meat processing plants. Another 33 percent were employed in furniture manufacturing, and non-metallic mineral production. The remaining workers found employment in electronics, textiles, and carpet manufacturing.

While almost all of the Mexican workers in the recreation and other entertainment industry earned less than \$30,000 in annual wages, nearly half (1,819) were at the bottom, earning less than \$10,000. On the other hand, 23 percent, or 885 workers, earned between \$20,000 and \$30,000.



Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

Income

Mexican residents, who comprise 1.5 percent of Alabama’s population, reported \$589 million in personal income in 2004, or about 0.7 percent of the state’s total money income of \$90.4 billion.

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Table 5. Personal Income and Population in Alabama, by Hispanic Origin, 2004

| | Personal Income | | Population | |
|----------------|-----------------|---------|------------|---------|
| | Dollars | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Non-Hispanic | 89,553,924,858 | 99.0 | 4,328,443 | 98.0 |
| Mexican | 589,121,253 | 0.7 | 66,798 | 1.5 |
| Other Hispanic | 277,268,870 | 0.3 | 19,318 | 0.4 |
| Total | 90,420,314,981 | 100.0 | 4,414,559 | 100.0 |

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Table 6. Money Income by Source and Hispanic Origin, Alabama, 2004

| Source of Income | Income (in thousands of dollars) | | | | | | | |
|---|----------------------------------|---------|--------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------|---------|
| | Total | | Non-Hispanic | | Mexican | | Other Hispanic | |
| | Amount | Percent | Amount | Percent | Amount | Percent | Amount | Percent |
| Total person's income | 90,420,315 | 100.0 | 89,553,925 | 100.0 | 589,121 | 100.0 | 277,269 | 100.0 |
| Wages or salary income | 66,901,786 | 74.0 | 66,132,198 | 73.8 | 556,574 | 94.5 | 213,014 | 76.8 |
| Self-employment income | 4,847,951 | 5.4 | 4,802,466 | 5.4 | 6,278 | 1.1 | 39,206 | 14.1 |
| Interest, dividends, and net rental income | 3,410,978 | 3.8 | 3,408,713 | 3.8 | 1,797 | 0.3 | 468 | 0.2 |
| Retirement income | 5,978,846 | 6.6 | 5,964,859 | 6.7 | 6,918 | 1.2 | 7,068 | 2.5 |
| Social Security income | 6,814,401 | 7.5 | 6,797,146 | 7.6 | 4,730 | 0.8 | 12,525 | 4.5 |
| Supplementary Security income | 625,765 | 0.7 | 622,845 | 0.7 | 1,837 | 0.3 | 1,083 | 0.4 |
| Public assistance income | 51,810 | 0.1 | 51,810 | 0.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| All other income | 1,788,778 | 2.0 | 1,773,888 | 2.0 | 10,987 | 1.9 | 3,904 | 1.4 |

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Mexican Immigrants in Mississippi

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MISSISSIPPI Population overview

According to the 2004 American Community Survey (ACS), 27,348, or 1percent of Mississippi's residents were either born in Mexico or reported Mexican origin. The 2000 Census reported that 0.8 of the state's residents were of Mexican origin. Between 2000 and 2004, the number of Mexican residents increased by 5,732, or 26.5 percent, which ranked a respective 37 and 32 in the nation. Mississippi's Mexican population is small, but between 2000 and 2004 it increased at a pace just above the 25.2 percent national average.

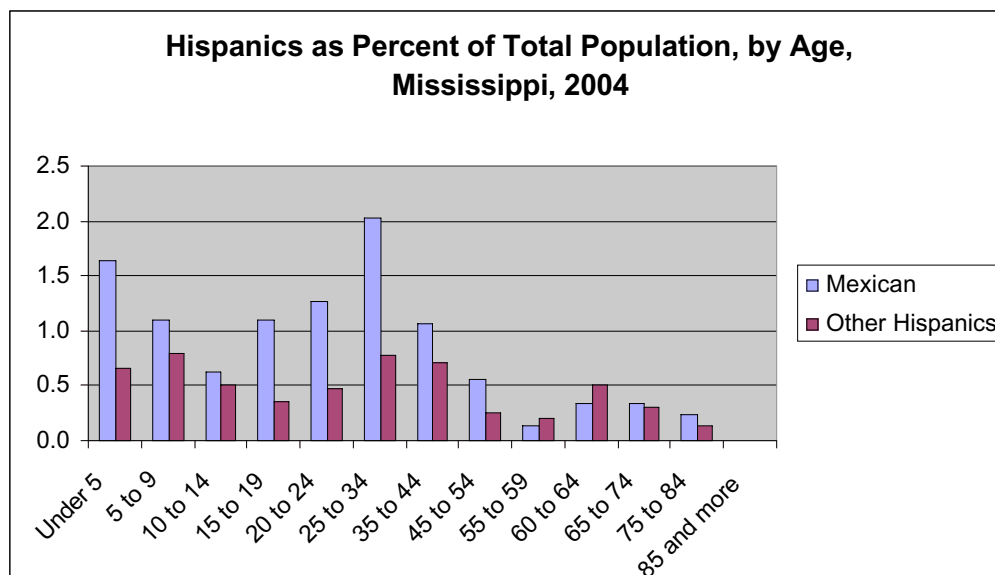
Table 1. Population by Hispanic Origin, Mississippi, 2004

| | Non-Hispanic/Latino | Mexican | Other Hispanic | Total |
|------------------|---------------------|---------|----------------|-----------|
| Population | 2,765,569 | 27,348 | 14,147 | 2,807,064 |
| Percent of total | 98.5 | 1.0 | 0.5 | 100 |

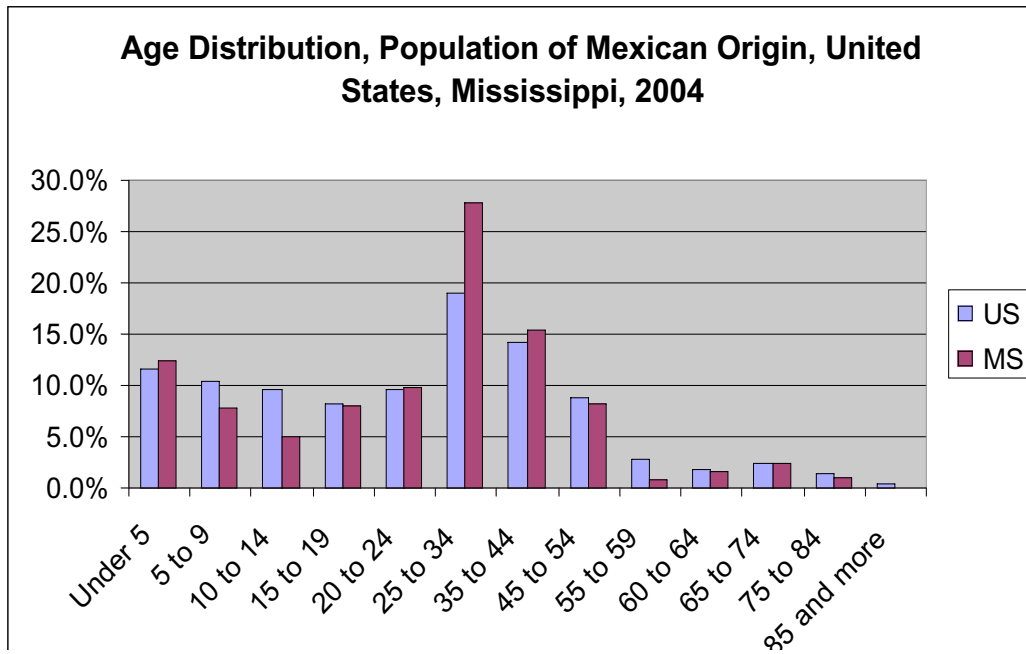
Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

Although the total number of Mexicans in Mississippi composed just 1percent of the general population in 2004, they comprise less than 2 percent of all age categories except for the 25-to-34 age bracket, where 2 percent of the population were Mexican.

Hispanics as Percent of Total Population, by Age, Mississippi, 2004



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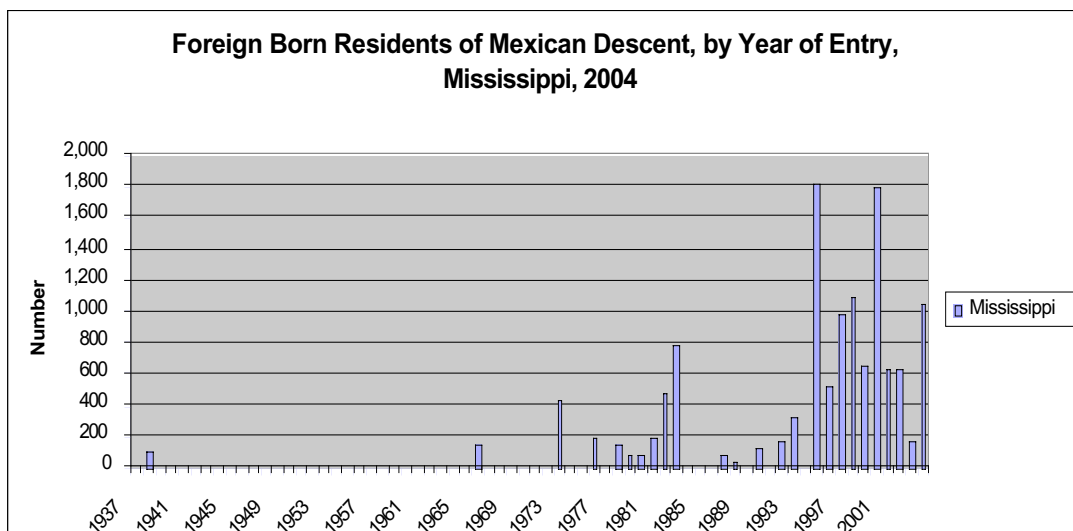


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The 25-to-34 olds are by far the largest age group among Mexicans in the state. By age distribution, this group makes up a much larger portion of the community (27.7 percent), than the 18.9 percent national average. Those 45 and older make up 13.7 percent of the state’s Mexican community, which is lower than the 17.5 percent national average, but relatively large in comparison to other Southern states.

Out of the 27,348 Mexicans in Mississippi, 14,916 (54.5 percent) are U.S. citizens by birth, 2,559 (9.4 percent) are naturalized U.S. citizens, and 9,873 (36.1 percent) are not U.S. citizens. In 2004, Mississippi ranked 38 in the nation based on the total number of people of Mexican decent, and ranked 37 based on the number of Mexicans who are not U.S. citizens.

In 2004, 72.7 percent of Mississippi’s 3,405 children of Mexican origin under 5 years old were born in the state, another 20.2 percent were born elsewhere in the United States, and 7 percent were foreign born. Next on the age scale, in the smaller (2,151) group of 5-to-9 year olds, 89.9 percent were born in the United States, and 10.1 percent were born outside of the country. The percentage of foreign born rises to 20.5 in the 10-to-14 age group, reaches 46.2 percent among the 15-to-19 year olds, and exceeds 70 percent among the 20 to 34 year olds.



Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

Table 2. Foreign Born Residents, by Hispanic Origin and the Year of Entry into the United States, 2004

| Area | Year of Entry, Mexican | | | | | Total |
|---------------|-------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------|
| | Before 1950 | 1951 to 1979 | 1980 to 1989 | 1991 to 1999 | 2000 to 2004 | |
| | Number | | | | | |
| Mississippi | 96 | 1,025 | 1,675 | 5,726 | 4,280 | 12,802 |
| United States | 85,938 | 1,930,913 | 2,384,055 | 3,777,579 | 2,191,356 | 10,369,841 |
| | Percent | | | | | |
| Mississippi | 0.7 | 8.0 | 13.1 | 44.7 | 33.4 | 100.0 |
| United States | 0.8 | 18.6 | 23.0 | 36.4 | 21.1 | 100.0 |
| Area | Year of Entry, Other Hispanic | | | | | Total |
| | Before 1950 | 1951 to 1979 | 1980 to 1989 | 1991 to 1999 | 2000 to 2004 | |
| | Number | | | | | |
| Mississippi | 0 | 550 | 1,418 | 1,434 | 1,832 | 5,234 |
| United States | 100,760 | 1,934,861 | 1,687,971 | 2,107,695 | 1,276,838 | 7,108,125 |
| | Percent | | | | | |
| Mississippi | 0.0 | 10.5 | 27.1 | 27.4 | 35.0 | 100.0 |
| United States | 1.4 | 27.5 | 23.9 | 29.6 | 17.7 | 100.0 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

Judging from the place of birth, citizenship status, and the year of entry, the Mexican community in Mississippi is a mix of U.S. and foreign-born residents, the majority of whom are U.S. citizens.

In 2004, 44.7 percent, or 5,726 of foreign born Mexican residents in Mississippi reported that they came to this country between 1990 and 1999, 33.4 percent (4,280) entered the United States between 2000 and 2004, 13.1 percent arrived between 1980 and 1989, and 8.7 percent emigrated before 1979.

School enrollment

Nationally, over 90 percent of the school-age Hispanic population (5-to-19 years old) are enrolled in schools (2003 Current Population Survey), but the number drops to just over 14.2 percent for the 20-to-30 year olds, compared to over 24 percent of the total population in that age group, a trend mirrored by the ACS data. While 92.6 percent of the school-age non-Hispanics in Mississippi were enrolled in schools in 2004, only 71.1 of Mexican youths were students. Also, while over 24 percent of non-Hispanic 20-to-30 year olds are in college, only 1.8 percent of Mexicans sought higher education. Interestingly, 8.4 percent of the state's Mexican residents over 41 years old were enrolled as undergraduates.

The Mississippi Department of Education reports the number of Hispanic students enrolled in grades K-12 in 2004 at 5,418.1, or 1.1 percent of the student body, well over the 3,859 recorded by the ACS. Although the difference very likely represents the ACS' undercount of the Hispanic population, it can also be explained by the fact that the enrollment data was compiled at different times of the school year and does not account for the students who left the school during the year. Sampling error also accounts for the difference.

According to the ACS, the largest number of Mexican students was enrolled in grades 1 through 4 and 5 through 8 (1,261 and 1,086 respectively). Only 788 Mexican students stayed in high school; however, at the college level, Mexicans comprised 26 percent (or 1,303) of enrolled Mexicans—a higher proportion than the non-Hispanic and other Hispanics groups.

Table 3. School Enrollment by Age, Mississippi, 2004

| Hispanic origin | Age | Not enrolled in the past 3 months | Enrolled in public school or college | Enrolled in private school or college | Percent enrolled in public or private school or college |
|-----------------|--------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|
| Non-Hispanic | Under 5 | 46,073 | 24,792 | 13,830 | 45.6 |
| | 5 to 19 | 44,324 | 497,479 | 60,997 | 92.6 |
| | 20 to 30 | 319,037 | 90,051 | 10,431 | 24.0 |
| | 31 to 40 | 355,398 | 20,453 | 2,979 | 6.2 |
| | 41 and older | 1,139,353 | 17,238 | 4,570 | 1.9 |
| Mexican | Under 5 | 574 | 310 | 0 | 35.1 |
| | 5 to 19 | 1,653 | 3,859 | 211 | 71.1 |
| | 20 to 30 | 7,343 | 132 | 0 | 1.8 |
| | 31 to 40 | 5,646 | 118 | 0 | 2.0 |
| | 41 and older | 4,563 | 418 | 0 | 8.4 |
| Other Hispanic | Under 5 | 173 | 142 | 0 | 45.1 |
| | 5 to 19 | 0 | 3,069 | 294 | 100.0 |
| | 20 to 30 | 3,285 | 418 | 0 | 11.3 |
| | 31 to 40 | 2,243 | 518 | 0 | 18.8 |
| | 41 and older | 2,955 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Total | Under 5 | 46,820 | 25,244 | 13,830 | 45.5 |
| | 5 to 19 | 45,977 | 504,407 | 61,502 | 92.5 |
| | 20 to 30 | 329,665 | 90,601 | 10,431 | 23.5 |
| | 31 to 40 | 363,287 | 21,089 | 2,979 | 6.2 |
| | 41 and older | 1,146,871 | 17,656 | 4,570 | 1.9 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

Employment

In 2004, 15,480 Mexicans were employed, which constitutes 1.3 percent of all employed civilians in Mississippi. In contrast, 6.3 percent of Mexicans over 16 years old are unemployed, compared with the 5.8 percent average for the state. But the actual unemployment rate is lower for Mexicans than for the general population (7.5 percent for Mexicans versus 9.4 percent total for the state). Nationally, however, 9.1 percent of Mexicans are unemployed, compared to 7.2 percent of all others. The unemployment rates as reported by the American Community Survey are much higher than other estimates due to differences in sample size and wording of survey questions.

Compared to non-Hispanic workers, more Mexicans in Mississippi are wage and salary employees in private establishments (71 percent of non-Hispanics, 86.3 percent of Mexicans), but the opposite is true in the case of government employment, where 8.3 percent of Mexican workers find jobs, compared to 17.3 percent of the non-Hispanics. Nationally, 9.7 percent of workers of Mexican origin are government employees, as are 15.5 percent of non-Hispanics.

In Mississippi, 5 percent of Mexicans are self-employed, compared to 10 percent of non-Hispanics; 426 own incorporated businesses and 478 are in unincorporated businesses. Nationwide, 6.8 percent of Mexicans are self-employed, compared to 10.7 percent of non-Hispanics. Almost all the Mexican unincorporated businesses are in professional and personal services and transportation, while the incorporated businesses center on entertainment and agriculture.

Industry impact

Mexicans in Mississippi are employed by most major industry sectors, although most (44 percent) hold jobs in manufacturing, agriculture, and construction. About a third of the Mexican workforce is in the entertainment, and retail and wholesale trade sectors; and the rest work in professional and business services, mining, transportation, and health care.

Within industry sectors, the largest occupational groups for Mexican workers are transportation and material moving (22.5 percent), construction (13.7 percent), farming (13.3 percent), and production (11.4 percent). Mexicans also have jobs as food preparers and servers, repairers, installers, and miners. In comparison, non-Hispanics primarily work in administrative support occupations are the largest group, followed by sales, and production and operations workers (14.4 percent, 11.5 percent, and 10.2 percent, respectively). Among non-Mexican Hispanics,

Table 4. Employed Civilians by Industry Sector, and Hispanic Origin, Mississippi, 2004

| Industry Sector | Non-Hispanic/Latino | | Mexican | | Other Hispanic/Latino | | Total | |
|-------------------------------|---------------------|---------|---------|---------|-----------------------|---------|-----------|---------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Manufacturing | 183,421 | 15.5 | 2,565 | 16.6 | 721 | 14.6 | 186,707 | 15.5 |
| Agriculture | 25,438 | 2.2 | 2,219 | 14.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 27,657 | 2.3 |
| Construction | 79,134 | 6.7 | 1,975 | 12.8 | 550 | 11.1 | 81,659 | 6.8 |
| Entertainment | 111,482 | 9.4 | 1,653 | 10.7 | 503 | 10.2 | 113,638 | 9.4 |
| Retail trade | 149,173 | 12.6 | 1,554 | 10.0 | 773 | 15.6 | 151,500 | 12.6 |
| Wholesale trade | 44,785 | 3.8 | 1,443 | 9.3 | 269 | 5.4 | 46,497 | 3.9 |
| Service industries | 52,654 | 4.5 | 1,162 | 7.5 | 68 | 1.4 | 53,884 | 4.5 |
| Professional services | 69,922 | 5.9 | 875 | 5.7 | 344 | 6.9 | 71,141 | 5.9 |
| Mining | 9,184 | 0.8 | 796 | 5.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 9,980 | 0.8 |
| Transportation | 52,054 | 4.4 | 539 | 3.5 | 280 | 5.7 | 52,873 | 4.4 |
| Medical | 126,410 | 10.7 | 404 | 2.6 | 280 | 5.7 | 127,094 | 10.6 |
| Administration | 64,567 | 5.5 | 295 | 1.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 64,862 | 5.4 |
| Education | 100,662 | 8.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 784 | 15.8 | 101,446 | 8.4 |
| Finance | 62,459 | 5.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 62,459 | 5.2 |
| Social and community services | 20,034 | 1.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 378 | 7.6 | 20,412 | 1.7 |
| Information | 18,266 | 1.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 18,266 | 1.5 |
| Utilities | 12,996 | 1.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 12,996 | 1.1 |
| Total | 1,182,641 | 100.0 | 15,480 | 100.0 | 4,950 | 100.0 | 1,203,071 | 100.0 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

Table 5. Employed Civilians by Hispanic Origin as Percent of Industry Total Employment, 2004, Mississippi

| | Percent of all employed | | | Total |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|---------|----------------|-------|
| | Non-Hispanic | Mexican | Other Hispanic | |
| Agriculture | 92 | 8 | 0 | 100 |
| Mining | 92 | 8 | 0 | 100 |
| Wholesale trade | 96 | 3 | 1 | 100 |
| Construction | 97 | 2 | 1 | 100 |
| Service industries | 98 | 2 | 0 | 100 |
| Entertainment | 98 | 1 | 0 | 100 |
| Manufacturing | 98 | 1 | 0 | 100 |
| Professional services | 98 | 1 | 0 | 100 |
| Retail trade | 98 | 1 | 1 | 100 |
| Transportation | 98 | 1 | 1 | 100 |
| Administration | 100 | 0 | 0 | 100 |
| Education | 99 | 0 | 1 | 100 |
| Finance | 100 | 0 | 0 | 100 |
| Information | 100 | 0 | 0 | 100 |
| Medical | 99 | 0 | 0 | 100 |
| Social and community services | 98 | 0 | 2 | 100 |
| Utilities | 100 | 0 | 0 | 100 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

sales occupations are the largest group, followed by production and operations, construction, and science occupations (18.9 percent, 11.2 percent, 11.1 percent, and 10.5 percent, respectively).

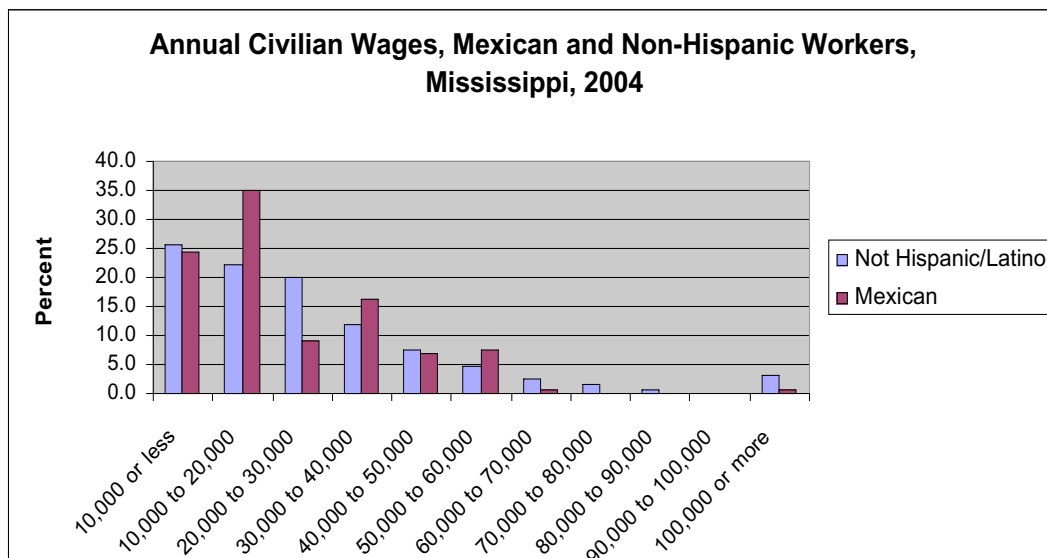
The ethnic composition of the workforce offers an additional insight into the impact of Mexican and other Hispanic workers on the employment demographics in Mississippi. Mexican workers comprise the largest share of employment in agriculture and mining (8 percent). The workforce in all other industries is mostly non-Hispanic.

Wages

Over 68 percent of Mexican jobholders in Mississippi make \$30,000 or less in annual wages, almost the same proportion as among the non-Hispanic workers. In general, more non-Hispanics and non-Mexican Hispanics find themselves in the lowest wage bracket, earning \$10,000 or less. On the other hand, proportionately more Mexicans than non-Hispanics earn between \$10,000 and \$20,000 in annual wages.

In the middle of the pay scale, a larger proportion of Mexicans than non-Hispanics takes home between \$30,000 and \$40,000 a year, and about the same proportion of Mexicans and non-Hispanics make between \$40,000 and \$60,000 annually. The situation was quite different in the upper income brackets: 8 percent of non-Hispanics and 5.7 percent of non-Mexican Hispanics earned \$60,000 or more in 2004, and only 1.1 percent of Mexicans did.

Most Mexican manufacturing workers find themselves at the lower end of the pay scale, with 63.7 percent making between \$10,000 and \$20,000 a year, 20.7 percent earning less than \$10,000, and 15.5 percent earning between \$30,000 and \$40,000 annually.



Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

In agriculture, the majority of Mexicans was self-employed and earned between \$50,000 and \$60,000 in 2004. In construction, over half of the Mexican workforce made between \$40,000 to \$50,000, almost 40 percent earned between \$20,000 and \$40,000, and only 8 percent made less than \$10,000.

Income

Mississippi's Mexican residents reported \$427.6 million in personal income in 2004, or about 0.8 percent of the state's total money income of \$50.5 billion.

The personal income reported by the American Community Survey is lower than other personal income estimates because it does not include capital gains, money received from the sale of property, and the value of in-kind income such as food stamps and public housing, and some kinds of lump sum receipts. As such, it corresponds closely to money income.

Wages and salaries income comprises the highest portion of income for Mexican respondents (87.8 percent of total income, compared to 74.3 percent for non-Hispanics, and 72.7 percent for other Hispanics). The portion provided by self-employment (4.2 percent) is lower than it is for non-Hispanics (6.6 percent), and for other Hispanics (13.3 percent). Compared to these groups, Mexican respondents in Mississippi reported a relatively smaller portion of income derived from public assistance. (See Tables 6 and 7.)

Table 6. Personal Income and Population in Mississippi, by Hispanic Origin, 2004

| | Personal Income | | Population | |
|----------------|-----------------|---------|------------|---------|
| | Dollars | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Non-Hispanic | 49,780,427,005 | 98.7 | 2,765,569 | 98.5 |
| Mexican | 427,574,108 | 0.8 | 27,348 | 1.0 |
| Other Hispanic | 247,480,692 | 0.5 | 14,147 | 0.5 |
| Total | 50,455,481,805 | 100.0 | 2,807,064 | 100.0 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

Table 7. Money Income by Source and Hispanic Origin, Mississippi, 2004

| Source of Income | Income (in thousands of dollars) | | | | | | | |
|---|----------------------------------|---------|--------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------|---------|
| | Total | | Non-Hispanic | | Mexican | | Other Hispanic | |
| | Amount | Percent | Amount | Percent | Amount | Percent | Amount | Percent |
| Total person's income | 50,455,482 | 100.0 | 49,780,427 | 100.0 | 427,574 | 100.0 | 247,481 | 100.0 |
| Wages or salary income | 37,510,906 | 74.3 | 36,955,664 | 74.2 | 375,382 | 87.8 | 179,860 | 72.7 |
| Self-employment income | 3,334,796 | 6.6 | 3,283,724 | 6.6 | 18,121 | 4.2 | 32,951 | 13.3 |
| Interest, dividends, and net rental income | 1,518,455 | 3.0 | 1,505,346 | 3.0 | 2,002 | 0.5 | 11,107 | 4.5 |
| Retirement income | 2,614,333 | 5.2 | 2,593,117 | 5.2 | 15,419 | 3.6 | 5,797 | 2.3 |
| Social Security income | 3,846,931 | 7.6 | 3,822,576 | 7.7 | 12,859 | 3.0 | 11,496 | 4.6 |
| Supplementary Security income | 464,067 | 0.9 | 462,790 | 0.9 | 593 | 0.1 | 684 | 0.3 |
| Public assistance income | 50,269 | 0.1 | 49,953 | 0.1 | 30 | 0.0 | 286 | 0.1 |
| All other income | 1,115,726 | 2.2 | 1,107,257 | 2.2 | 3,169 | 0.7 | 5,299 | 2.1 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

Going North

Mexican Immigrants in Tennessee

The following discussion is based primarily on the analysis of the public use micro-data sample (PUMS), which is prepared from the responses to the 2004 American Community Survey. Because of the additional statistical procedures used to produce this sample, PUMS data differ from the published, pre-tabulated American Community Survey data. The Survey itself is mailed out to the selected number of addresses in every state: the Tennessee data are based on 10,068 household interviews, and the PUMS is a statistically valid selection of data from these interviews. Standard error estimates are included in the Appendix.

The survey-based data are self-reported, and thus differ from the information based on government or establishment data. Income data are tabulated according to the Survey's unique subject definitions, which are not the same as those used in other data sets, including the decennial census of population and housing.

TENNESSEE Population overview

According to the 2004 American Community Survey, 116,006, or 2 percent of Tennessee's residents were either born in Mexico, or reported Mexican origin. The 2000 Census reported that 1.4 percent of the state's residents were of Mexican origin. Between 2000 and 2004, the number of Mexican residents increased by 38,634, or 49.9 percent, which is the nineteenth largest number increase in the nation, but the eighth steepest percentage increase in the country.

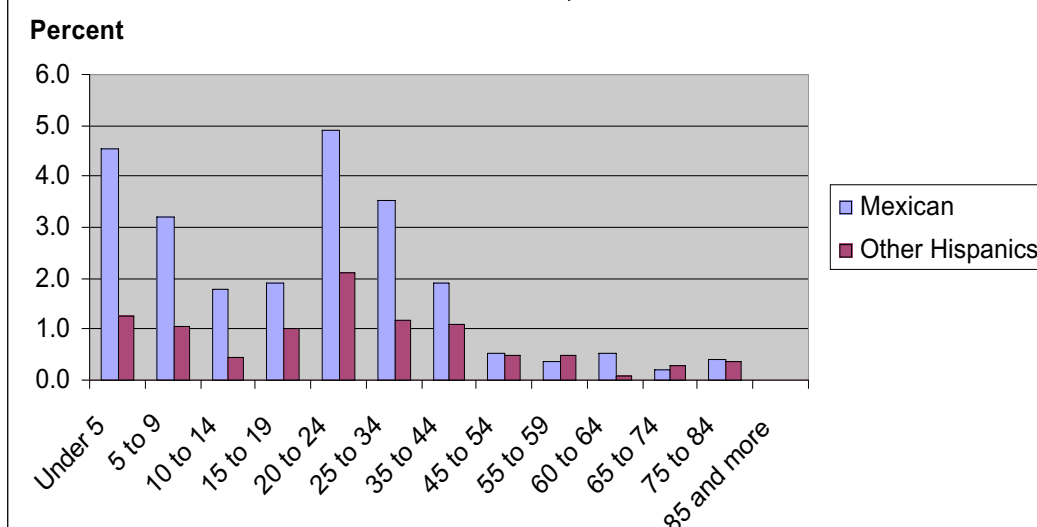
Table 1. Population by Hispanic Origin, Tennessee, 2004

| | Non-Hispanic | Mexican | Other Hispanic | Total |
|------------------|--------------|---------|----------------|-----------|
| Population | 5,577,759 | 116,006 | 49,402 | 5,743,167 |
| Percent of total | 97.1 | 2.0 | 0.9 | 100.0 |

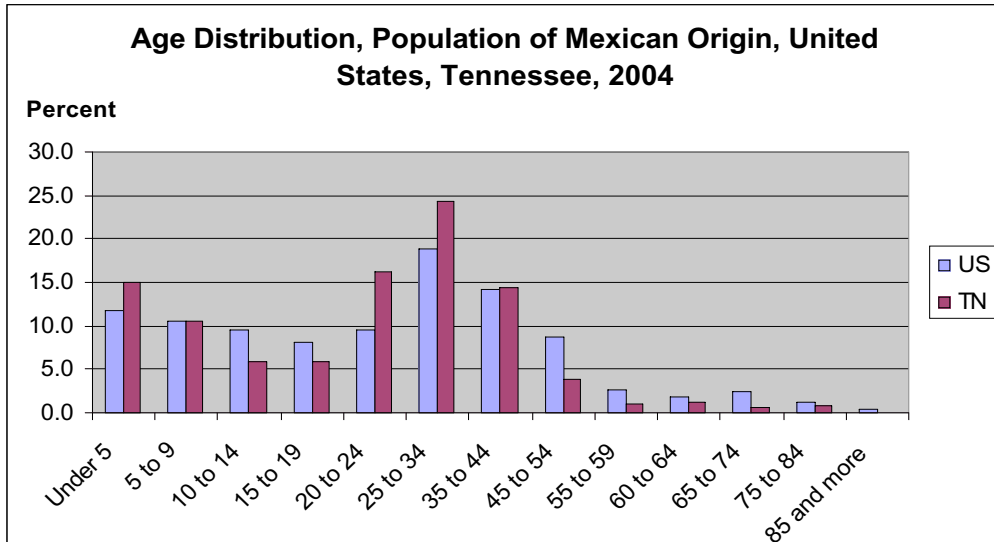
Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on data from American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

Although the total number of Mexicans in Tennessee composes just 2 percent of the general population in 2004, that percentage is much higher in several age categories: nearly 5 percent of those between 20 and 24 are Mexican, and 4.6 percent of children under age 5 are Mexican.

Hispanics as Percent of Total Population, by Age, Tennessee, 2004



Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on data from American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.



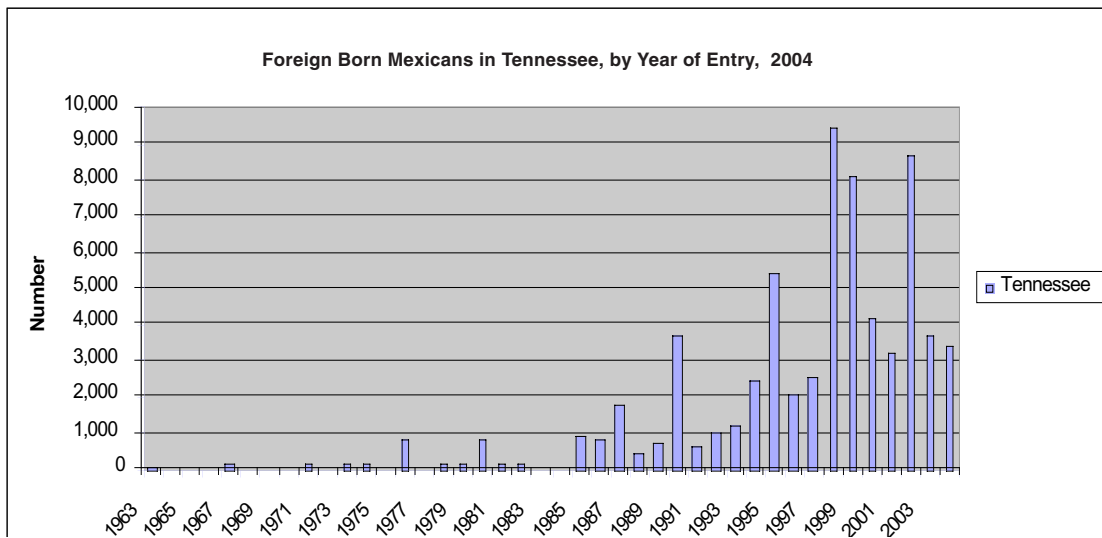
Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on data from American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

The 25-to-34 olds are by far the largest age group among Mexicans in Tennessee. By age distribution, this group makes up a much larger portion of the community (24.3 percent) than the 18.9 percent national average. Conversely, those 45 and older comprise only 7.6 percent of the Mexican community in Tennessee, compared to 17.5 percent national average.

Out of the 116,006 Mexicans in Tennessee, 49,475 (42.6 percent) are American born, 2,916 (2.5 percent) are naturalized U.S. citizens, and 63,615 (54.8 percent) are not U.S. citizens. In 2004, Tennessee ranked 22 in the nation based on the total number of people of Mexican decent, and ranked 15 based on the number of Mexicans who are not U.S. citizens.

In 2004, 87.2 percent of Tennessee’s 17,416 Mexican children under 5 years old were born in Tennessee, and another 8.6 percent were born elsewhere in the United States. In the group of 12,259 Mexican children ages 5 to 9 year olds, 60.7 percent were born in the United States, and 39.3 percent were born outside of the country. The percentage of foreign born is slightly lower in the 10-to-14 year old group, but increases to 56.5 percent in the population of those between 15 and 19. Over 80 percent of Tennessee’s Mexican adults who are between 25 and 44 are foreign born.

In 2004, 54.2 percent, or 36,563 Mexican immigrants who resided in Tennessee reported that they moved to the U.S. between 1990 and 1999, 34.4 percent (23,215) entered the country between 2000 and 2004, 8.5 percent arrived between 1980 and 1989, and 2.8 percent have lived here since 1979.



Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on data from American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

Table 2. Foreign Born Residents, by Hispanic Origin and the Year of Entry into the United States, 2004

| Area | Year of Entry, Mexican | | | | | Total |
|---------------|-------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------|
| | Before 1950 | 1951 to 1979 | 1980 to 1989 | 1991 to 1999 | 2000 to 2004 | |
| | Number | | | | | |
| Tennessee | 0 | 1,871 | 5,751 | 36,563 | 23,215 | 67,400 |
| United States | 85,938 | 1,930,913 | 2,384,055 | 3,777,579 | 2,191,356 | 10,369,841 |
| | Percent | | | | | |
| Tennessee | 0.0 | 2.8 | 8.5 | 54.2 | 34.4 | 100.0 |
| United States | 0.8 | 18.6 | 23.0 | 36.4 | 21.1 | 100.0 |
| Area | Year of Entry, Other Hispanic | | | | | Total |
| | Before 1950 | 1951 to 1979 | 1980 to 1989 | 1991 to 1999 | 2000 to 2004 | |
| | Number | | | | | |
| Tennessee | 489 | 2,235 | 4,026 | 8,941 | 9,757 | 25,448 |
| United States | 100,760 | 1,934,861 | 1,687,971 | 2,107,695 | 1,276,838 | 7,108,125 |
| | Percent | | | | | |
| Tennessee | 1.9 | 8.8 | 15.8 | 35.1 | 38.3 | 100.0 |
| United States | 1.4 | 27.5 | 23.9 | 29.6 | 17.7 | 100.0 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on data from American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

School enrollment

Nationally, over 90 percent of the school-age Hispanic population (5-to-19 years old) are enrolled in school (2003 Current Population Survey), but the number drops to just over 14.2 percent for the 20-to-30 year olds, compared to over 24 percent of the total population in that age group, a trend mirrored by the data in the 2004 American Community survey. According to ACS, 90.7 percent of the school-age non-Hispanics in Tennessee were enrolled in 2004, compared to 79.6 of Mexican youths. Also, while over 23 percent of non-Hispanic 20-to-30 year olds are enrolled in college, only 4.1 percent of Mexicans were, compared to the 15.2 percent national average.

The Tennessee Department of Education reports that 30,759 Hispanic students were enrolled in grades K-12 in 2004—or 3.2 percent of the student body. The ACS' number (25,455) falls far below the official enrollment figures, which may be due to undercounting. The discrepancy also may be explained by the fact that the counts were taken at different times of the year, and that data are based on "net enrollment" which includes any student who entered the school system during the year, but does not count those who left.

According to the ACS, the largest number of Mexican students was enrolled in grades 1-4 and 5-8 (8,767 and 7,100, respectively). The number of Mexican students in high school falls precipitously to 3,127. The Tennessee Department of Education cited a dropout rate of 17.7 percent for Hispanic students in 2003, far more than the all-student average. Demographics also play a role: the number of younger school age children (5 to 9 years old) is almost twice as many as the number who are 15 to 19 years old. It should also be noted that the percentage of U.S.-born Mexican teenagers who are enrolled in school exceeds 92 percent, higher than the equivalent percentage for non-Hispanics. Over 43 percent of the Tennessee's Mexican teenagers were born in the United States. Moreover, there are 17,416 Mexican youngsters about ready to begin kindergarten.

Employment

In 2004, 2 percent (or 53,407) of Tennessee's labor force was Mexican, although 4.7 percent of young Mexicans were unemployed (compared with the 4.6 average for the state). The actual unemployment rate, however, is

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| Hispanic origin | Age | Not enrolled in the past 3 months | Enrolled in public school or college | Enrolled in private school or college | Percent enrolled in public or private school or college |
|-----------------|--------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|
| Non-Hispanic | Under 5 | 81,805 | 35,028 | 30,546 | 44.5 |
| | 5 to 19 | 101,834 | 879,333 | 112,584 | 90.7 |
| | 20 to 30 | 606,379 | 149,421 | 34,775 | 23.3 |
| | 31 to 40 | 773,181 | 38,802 | 9,567 | 5.9 |
| | 41 and older | 2,469,682 | 32,474 | 9,259 | 1.7 |
| Mexican | Under 5 | 3,502 | 511 | 466 | 21.8 |
| | 5 to 19 | 5,319 | 19,881 | 887 | 79.6 |
| | 20 to 30 | 35,165 | 1,329 | 156 | 4.1 |
| | 31 to 40 | 22,362 | 254 | 0 | 1.1 |
| | 41 and older | 11,855 | 991 | 391 | 10.4 |
| Other Hispanic | Under 5 | 500 | 61 | 381 | 46.9 |
| | 5 to 19 | 2,363 | 5,574 | 1,468 | 74.9 |
| | 20 to 30 | 12,367 | 180 | 0 | 1.4 |
| | 31 to 40 | 8,790 | 769 | 937 | 16.3 |
| | 41 and older | 11,971 | 164 | 0 | 1.4 |
| Total | Under 5 | 85,807 | 35,600 | 31,393 | 43.8 |
| | 5 to 19 | 109,516 | 904,788 | 114,939 | 90.3 |
| | 20 to 30 | 653,911 | 150,930 | 34,931 | 22.1 |
| | 31 to 40 | 804,333 | 39,825 | 10,504 | 5.9 |
| | 41 and older | 2,493,508 | 33,629 | 9,650 | 1.7 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on data from American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

lower among Mexicans than among the general population (6.5 percent for Mexicans compared to 7.1 percent for the state as a whole). The unemployment rates as reported by the American Community Survey are much higher than other estimates due to differences in sample size and wording of survey questions.

The percentage of the Mexican population aged 16 or older who are in the labor force in Tennessee is higher than the national average, mostly because many of them have dropped out of school to get jobs instead. Compared to non-Hispanic workers, more Mexicans in Tennessee are wage and salary employees in private establishments (74.8 percent of non-Hispanics and 80.8 percent of Mexicans), but the opposite is true in the case of government employment, where 6 percent of Mexicans find jobs, compared to 14.3 percent of the non-Hispanics. Nationally, 9.7 percent of government employees are Mexican, compared to 15.5 percent of non-Hispanics.

In Tennessee, 11.3 percent of Mexicans are self-employed, compared to 9.9 percent of non-Hispanics; 458 own incorporated businesses and 6,840 are in unincorporated businesses. Nationally, 6.8 percent of Mexican workers are self-employed, compared to 10.7 percent of non-Hispanics. The largest number of the Mexican unincorporated businesses are in construction, followed by professional and personal services, and mining. Among the incorporated businesses, the entertainment industry tops the list.

Industry impact

Mexican workers in Tennessee are employed in large numbers by most major industry sectors, with the largest concentration in construction, manufacturing, services, entertainment, and agriculture. Almost half (47 percent) have jobs in construction and manufacturing, while 29.5 percent of the Mexican workforce is in professional and business services, recreation, and agriculture. The industry distribution of the U.S.-born Mexicans is less concentrated, with significant numbers employed throughout industry sectors.

Within industry sectors, construction and production, together with farming, transportation, and food preparation are the most common occupations among Mexican civilians (24.5 percent, 16.5 percent, 9.8 percent, 9.7 percent and 8.8 percent, respectively). Thousands of Mexicans also work as cleaners, managers, and sales clerks. In

comparison, among the non-Hispanic workers, office and administrative support occupations are the largest group, followed by sales, and production and operations workers, and managers, (14.9 percent, 11.3 percent, 10.5 percent, and 8.6 percent, respectively). Among non-Mexican Hispanics, 17.5 percent are production workers, followed by 16 percent who have construction jobs and 10.2 percent who work in transportation.

A look at the Hispanic workers' share of industry employment reveals that although many Mexicans work in construction and manufacturing, they constitute 21 percent of the labor force in mining and 17 percent of those in agriculture.

Table 4. Employed Civilians by Industry Sector, and Hispanic Origin, Tennessee, 2004

| Industry Sector | Non-Hispanic/Latino | | Mexican | | Other Hispanic/Latino | | Total | |
|-------------------------------|---------------------|---------|---------|---------|-----------------------|---------|-----------|---------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Construction | 170,583 | 6.5 | 13,359 | 25.0 | 3,849 | 16.0 | 187,791 | 6.9 |
| Manufacturing | 465,603 | 17.6 | 11,515 | 21.6 | 6,030 | 25.1 | 483,148 | 17.8 |
| Professional services | 218,631 | 8.3 | 5,924 | 11.1 | 2,522 | 10.5 | 227,077 | 8.4 |
| Entertainment | 212,272 | 8.0 | 5,022 | 9.4 | 1,579 | 6.6 | 218,873 | 8.1 |
| Agriculture | 22,553 | 0.9 | 4,829 | 9.0 | 535 | 2.2 | 27,917 | 1.0 |
| Retail trade | 318,355 | 12.1 | 2,361 | 4.4 | 1,137 | 4.7 | 321,853 | 11.8 |
| Personal services | 126,291 | 4.8 | 1,875 | 3.5 | 1,384 | 5.8 | 129,550 | 4.8 |
| Administration | 114,989 | 4.4 | 1,724 | 3.2 | 470 | 2.0 | 117,183 | 4.3 |
| Education | 204,634 | 7.7 | 1,480 | 2.8 | 827 | 3.4 | 206,941 | 7.6 |
| Wholesale trade | 106,985 | 4.1 | 1,415 | 2.6 | 944 | 3.9 | 109,344 | 4.0 |
| Medical | 264,373 | 10.0 | 1,256 | 2.4 | 1,986 | 8.3 | 267,615 | 9.8 |
| Transportation | 131,874 | 5.0 | 813 | 1.5 | 509 | 2.1 | 133,196 | 4.9 |
| Mining | 2,822 | 0.1 | 756 | 1.4 | 68 | 0.3 | 3,646 | 0.1 |
| Finance | 158,545 | 6.0 | 569 | 1.1 | 1,614 | 6.7 | 160,728 | 5.9 |
| Social and community services | 43,349 | 1.6 | 314 | 0.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 43,663 | 1.6 |
| Information | 51,894 | 2.0 | 195 | 0.4 | 232 | 1.0 | 52,321 | 1.9 |
| Utilities | 27,125 | 1.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 335 | 1.4 | 27,460 | 1.0 |
| Total | 2,640,878 | 100.0 | 53,407 | 100.0 | 24,021 | 100.0 | 2,718,306 | 100.0 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on data from American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

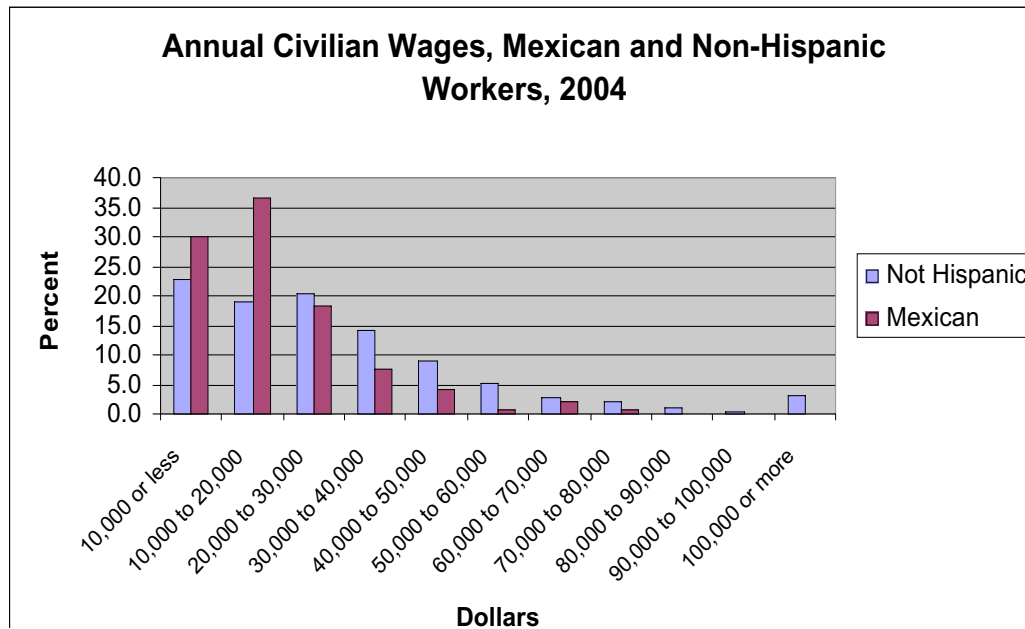
Table 5. Employed Civilians by Hispanic Origin as Percent of Industry Total Employment, 2004, Tennessee

| Industry | Non-Hispanic | Percent of all employed | | Total |
|-------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------|----------------|-------|
| | | Mexican | Other Hispanic | |
| Mining | 77.4 | 21 | 1.9 | 100 |
| Agriculture | 80.8 | 17 | 1.9 | 100 |
| Construction | 90.8 | 7 | 2.0 | 100 |
| Professional services | 96.3 | 3 | 1.1 | 100 |
| Manufacturing | 96.4 | 2 | 1.2 | 100 |
| Entertainment | 97.0 | 2 | 0.7 | 100 |
| Administration | 98.1 | 1 | 0.4 | 100 |
| Service industries | 97.5 | 1 | 1.1 | 100 |
| Wholesale trade | 97.8 | 1 | 0.9 | 100 |
| Retail trade | 98.9 | 1 | 0.4 | 100 |
| Social and community services | 99.3 | 1 | 0.0 | 100 |
| Education | 98.9 | 1 | 0.4 | 100 |
| Transportation | 99.0 | 1 | 0.4 | 100 |
| Medical | 98.8 | 0 | 0.7 | 100 |
| Information | 99.2 | 0 | 0.4 | 100 |
| Finance | 98.6 | 0 | 1.0 | 100 |
| Utilities | 98.8 | 0 | 1.2 | 100 |
| All industries | 97.2 | 2 | 0.9 | 100 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on data from American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

Wages

The data show that 84.9 percent of Mexicans employed in Tennessee make \$30,000 or less in annual wages, compared to 62.2 percent of the non-Hispanic workers; and 36.7 percent of Mexicans earn between \$10,000 and \$20,000 dollars a year (compared to 19.1 percent of non-Hispanics).



Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on data from American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

The majority of Mexican construction workers—33.8 percent of who make less than \$10,000—find themselves at the lower end of the industry pay scale; however, 23.2 percent of them earn between \$10,000 and \$20,000 annually, and 31.8 percent draws a salary between \$20,000 and \$30,000.

In the manufacturing sector—where 21.6 percent of Mexicans work—most (81.7 percent) took home \$20,000 or less in annual wages, 14 percent made between \$20,000 and \$30,000, and the remaining 3.3 percent (493 workers) earned \$40,000 a year or more.

Of the nearly 6,000 Mexican workers in professional and business services, 58 percent of them earned annual salaries of \$20,000 or less. Another 14.1 percent (836 workers) made between \$20,000 and \$30,000 thousand dollars a year, but nearly one third of the sector's Mexican workers earned more than \$40,000 in 2004. Most of those employed in the recreation, amusement and other entertainment industries, on the other hand, were paid less than \$30,000 a year, with 43 percent earning less than \$10,000.

Income

Tennessee's Mexican residents reported \$1.3 billion in personal income in 2004, which makes up 1 percent of the state's total money income of \$122.7 billion.

Table 6. Personal Income and Population in Tennessee, by Hispanic Origin, 2004

| | Personal Income | | Population | |
|----------------|-----------------|---------|------------|---------|
| | Dollars | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Non-Hispanic | 120,629,179,822 | 98.3 | 5,577,759 | 97.1 |
| Mexican | 1,255,591,391 | 1.0 | 116,006 | 2.0 |
| Other Hispanic | 863,117,233 | 0.7 | 49,402 | 0.9 |
| Total | 122,747,888,447 | 100.0 | 5,743,167 | 100.0 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on data from American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

The personal income reported by the American Community Survey is lower than other personal income estimates because it does not include capital gains, money received from the sale of property, and the value of in-kind income such as food stamps and public housing, and some kinds of lump sum receipts. As such, it corresponds closely to money income.

Wages and salaries income comprises the largest portion of income for Mexican respondents (84.2 percent of total income, compared to 75.3 percent for non-Hispanics, and 88.5 percent for other Hispanics). The portion provided by self-employment (11.4 percent) is higher than in both the non-Hispanic group (7 percent), and for other Hispanics (2.3 percent). Compared to non-Hispanics, Mexicans derived a relatively larger portion of income from public assistance.

Table 7. Money Income by Source and Hispanic Origin, Tennessee, 2004

| Source of Income | Total | | Income (in thousands of dollars) | | | | Other Hispanic | |
|---|-------------|-------|----------------------------------|-------|-------------------|-------|----------------|-------|
| | Amount | % | Non-Hispanic Amount | % | Mexican Amount | % | Amount | % |
| Total person's income | 122,747,888 | 100.0 | 120,629,180 | 100.0 | 1,255,591 | 100.0 | 863,117 | 100.0 |
| Wages or salary income | 92,485,097 | 75.3 | 90,663,879 | 75.2 | 1,057,480 | 84.2 | 763,739 | 88.5 |
| Self-employment income | 8,590,369 | 7.0 | 8,427,655 | 7.0 | 142,729 | 11.4 | 19,985 | 2.3 |
| Interest, dividends, and net rental income | 4,740,672 | 3.9 | 4,729,288 | 3.9 | 427 | 0.0 | 10,958 | 1.3 |
| Retirement income | 5,797,845 | 4.7 | 5,767,249 | 4.8 | 14,589 | 1.2 | 16,008 | 1.9 |
| Social Security income | 8,061,833 | 6.6 | 8,025,252 | 6.7 | 21,131 | 1.7 | 15,450 | 1.8 |
| Supplementary Security income | 569,530 | 0.5 | 567,248 | 0.5 | 1,649 | 0.1 | 633 | 0.1 |
| Public assistance income | 100,152 | 0.1 | 95,982 | 0.1 | 3,987 | 0.3 | 183 | 0.0 |
| All other income | 2,402,390 | 2.0 | 2,352,628 | 2.0 | 13,600 | 1.1 | 36,163 | 4.2 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on data from American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

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Appendix

TABLE 1
Population of Mexican Origin as a Percentage of Total Population, by State, 2000 and 2004

| State | 2004 | | 2000 | |
|----------------------|------------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|
| | Total Population | Percent Mexican | Total Population | Percent Mexican |
| Alabama | 4,414,559 | 1.5 | 4,447,100 | 1.0 |
| Alaska | 635,963 | 2.7 | 626,932 | 2.1 |
| Arizona | 5,638,345 | 25.6 | 5,130,632 | 20.8 |
| Arkansas | 2,668,372 | 3.6 | 2,673,400 | 2.3 |
| California | 35,057,375 | 28.7 | 33,871,648 | 25.0 |
| Colorado | 4,498,611 | 14.3 | 4,301,261 | 10.5 |
| Connecticut | 3,389,483 | 1.2 | 3,405,565 | 0.7 |
| District of Columbia | 518,074 | 1.0 | 572,059 | 0.9 |
| Delaware | 805,421 | 2.7 | 783,600 | 1.7 |
| Florida | 16,957,665 | 2.7 | 15,982,378 | 2.3 |
| Georgia | 8,580,307 | 4.6 | 8,186,453 | 3.4 |
| Hawaii | 1,227,008 | 2.2 | 1,211,537 | 1.6 |
| Idaho | 1,360,152 | 7.7 | 1,293,953 | 6.1 |
| Illinois | 12,368,348 | 11.0 | 12,419,293 | 9.2 |
| Indiana | 6,058,172 | 3.5 | 6,080,485 | 2.5 |
| Iowa | 2,849,976 | 2.9 | 2,926,324 | 2.1 |
| Kansas | 2,653,454 | 4.8 | 2,688,418 | 5.5 |
| Kentucky | 4,031,134 | 1.2 | 4,041,769 | 0.8 |
| Louisiana | 4,383,224 | 0.8 | 4,468,976 | 0.7 |
| Maine | 1,278,725 | 0.2 | 1,274,923 | 0.2 |
| Maryland | 5,424,648 | 1.1 | 5,296,486 | 0.8 |
| Massachusetts | 6,193,986 | 0.4 | 6,349,097 | 0.4 |
| Michigan | 9,858,908 | 2.6 | 9,938,444 | 2.2 |
| Minnesota | 4,958,748 | 2.4 | 4,919,479 | 1.9 |
| Mississippi | 2,807,064 | 1.0 | 2,844,658 | 0.8 |
| Missouri | 5,587,906 | 1.8 | 5,595,211 | 1.4 |
| Montana | 903,109 | 1.6 | 902,195 | 1.3 |
| Nebraska | 1,708,711 | 5.8 | 1,711,263 | 4.2 |
| Nevada | 2,301,197 | 17.8 | 1,998,257 | 14.3 |
| New Hampshire | 1,261,970 | 0.5 | 1,235,786 | 0.4 |
| New Jersey | 8,503,294 | 1.4 | 8,414,350 | 1.2 |
| New Mexico | 1,855,776 | 23.7 | 1,819,046 | 18.1 |
| New York | 18,661,943 | 1.7 | 18,976,457 | 1.4 |
| North Carolina | 8,270,028 | 4.3 | 8,049,313 | 3.1 |
| North Dakota | 609,691 | 0.8 | 642,200 | 0.7 |
| Ohio | 11,172,251 | 1.0 | 11,353,140 | 0.8 |
| Oklahoma | 3,412,202 | 5.1 | 3,450,654 | 3.8 |
| Oregon | 3,506,284 | 7.7 | 3,421,399 | 6.3 |
| Pennsylvania | 11,971,696 | 0.6 | 12,281,054 | 0.4 |
| Rhode Island | 1,037,002 | 0.7 | 1,048,319 | 0.6 |
| South Carolina | 4,059,838 | 1.8 | 4,012,012 | 1.3 |
| South Dakota | 741,480 | 1.2 | 754,844 | 0.8 |
| Tennessee | 5,743,167 | 2.0 | 5,689,283 | 1.4 |
| Texas | 21,890,579 | 29.6 | 20,851,820 | 24.3 |
| Utah | 2,349,472 | 8.0 | 2,233,169 | 6.1 |
| Vermont | 600,632 | 0.2 | 608,827 | 0.2 |
| Virginia | 7,219,758 | 1.5 | 7,078,515 | 1.0 |
| Washington | 6,071,325 | 7.0 | 5,894,121 | 5.6 |
| West Virginia | 1,771,784 | 0.3 | 1,808,344 | 0.2 |
| Wisconsin | 5,353,642 | 3.1 | 5,363,675 | 2.4 |
| Wyoming | 492,534 | 4.4 | 493,782 | 4.0 |
| United States | 285,674,993 | 9.0 | 281,421,906 | 7.3 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, Terry College of Business, The University of Georgia; based on data from U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

TABLE 2
Population of Mexican Origin, by State, 2000 and 2004

| State | 2004 Mexican Population | | 2000 Mexican Population | |
|----------------------|-------------------------|------------|-------------------------|------------|
| | Number | State Rank | Number | State Rank |
| Alabama | 66,798 | 32 | 44,522 | 32 |
| Alaska | 17,142 | 42 | 13,334 | 41 |
| Arizona | 1,444,736 | 3 | 1,065,578 | 4 |
| Arkansas | 96,139 | 28 | 61,204 | 28 |
| California | 10,077,213 | 1 | 8,455,926 | 1 |
| Colorado | 643,235 | 5 | 450,760 | 5 |
| Connecticut | 41,802 | 35 | 23,484 | 36 |
| District of Columbia | 5,001 | 49 | 5,098 | 46 |
| Delaware | 21,775 | 41 | 12,986 | 42 |
| Florida | 453,162 | 6 | 363,925 | 6 |
| Georgia | 390,579 | 10 | 275,288 | 10 |
| Hawaii | 27,478 | 37 | 19,820 | 40 |
| Idaho | 104,980 | 25 | 79,324 | 23 |
| Illinois | 1,359,765 | 4 | 1,144,390 | 3 |
| Indiana | 214,407 | 15 | 153,042 | 15 |
| Iowa | 82,950 | 29 | 61,154 | 29 |
| Kansas | 128,640 | 19 | 148,270 | 16 |
| Kentucky | 47,527 | 34 | 31,385 | 35 |
| Louisiana | 33,481 | 36 | 32,267 | 34 |
| Maine | 3,071 | 50 | 2,756 | 50 |
| Maryland | 61,754 | 33 | 39,900 | 33 |
| Massachusetts | 21,829 | 40 | 22,288 | 37 |
| Michigan | 260,030 | 14 | 220,769 | 13 |
| Minnesota | 119,358 | 20 | 95,613 | 21 |
| Mississippi | 27,348 | 38 | 21,616 | 38 |
| Missouri | 99,826 | 26 | 77,887 | 24 |
| Montana | 14,621 | 43 | 11,735 | 43 |
| Nebraska | 98,272 | 27 | 71,030 | 27 |
| Nevada | 410,010 | 9 | 285,764 | 9 |
| New Hampshire | 6,518 | 46 | 4,590 | 47 |
| New Jersey | 116,479 | 21 | 102,929 | 20 |
| New Mexico | 439,351 | 7 | 330,049 | 7 |
| New York | 309,115 | 12 | 260,889 | 11 |
| North Carolina | 358,648 | 11 | 246,545 | 12 |
| North Dakota | 5,159 | 48 | 4,295 | 49 |
| Ohio | 107,210 | 24 | 90,663 | 22 |
| Oklahoma | 174,865 | 17 | 132,813 | 18 |
| Oregon | 270,788 | 13 | 214,662 | 14 |
| Pennsylvania | 70,798 | 31 | 55,178 | 30 |
| Rhode Island | 6,932 | 45 | 5,881 | 45 |
| South Carolina | 73,485 | 30 | 52,871 | 31 |
| South Dakota | 8,946 | 44 | 6,364 | 44 |
| Tennessee | 116,006 | 22 | 77,372 | 25 |
| Texas | 6,485,549 | 2 | 5,071,963 | 2 |
| Utah | 188,430 | 16 | 136,416 | 17 |
| Vermont | 1,380 | 51 | 1,174 | 51 |
| Virginia | 111,197 | 23 | 73,979 | 26 |
| Washington | 423,991 | 8 | 329,934 | 8 |
| West Virginia | 5,601 | 47 | 4,347 | 48 |
| Wisconsin | 168,093 | 18 | 126,719 | 19 |
| Wyoming | 21,893 | 39 | 19,963 | 39 |
| United States | 25,843,363 | NA | 20,640,711 | NA |

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2004, Census 2000; ranking calculated by the Selig Center for Economic Growth, Terry College of Business, The University of Georgia.

TABLE 3
Population of Mexican Origin, by State, with Nominal and Percent Change, 2000-2004

| State | Mexican Population | | 2000-2004 Change | | | |
|----------------------|--------------------|------------|------------------|------------|-----------|------------|
| | 2004 | 2000 | Percent | State Rank | Number | State Rank |
| Alabama | 66,798 | 44,522 | 50.0 | 7 | 22,276 | 25 |
| Alaska | 17,142 | 13,334 | 28.6 | 27 | 3,808 | 38 |
| Arizona | 1,444,736 | 1,065,578 | 35.6 | 21 | 379,158 | 3 |
| Arkansas | 96,139 | 61,204 | 57.1 | 3 | 34,935 | 21 |
| California | 10,077,213 | 8,455,926 | 19.2 | 38 | 1,621,287 | 1 |
| Colorado | 643,235 | 450,760 | 42.7 | 11 | 192,475 | 5 |
| Connecticut | 41,802 | 23,484 | 78.0 | 1 | 18,318 | 30 |
| District of Columbia | 5,001 | 5,098 | -1.9 | 49 | -97 | 49 |
| Delaware | 21,775 | 12,986 | 67.7 | 2 | 8,789 | 35 |
| Florida | 453,162 | 363,925 | 24.5 | 36 | 89,237 | 11 |
| Georgia | 390,579 | 275,288 | 41.9 | 13 | 115,291 | 7 |
| Hawaii | 27,478 | 19,820 | 38.6 | 17 | 7,658 | 36 |
| Idaho | 104,980 | 79,324 | 32.3 | 24 | 25,656 | 23 |
| Illinois | 1,359,765 | 1,144,390 | 18.8 | 39 | 215,375 | 4 |
| Indiana | 214,407 | 153,042 | 40.1 | 15 | 61,365 | 12 |
| Iowa | 82,950 | 61,154 | 35.6 | 20 | 21,796 | 28 |
| Kansas | 128,640 | 148,270 | -13.2 | 51 | -19,630 | 51 |
| Kentucky | 47,527 | 31,385 | 51.4 | 5 | 16,142 | 32 |
| Louisiana | 33,481 | 32,267 | 3.8 | 48 | 1,214 | 44 |
| Maine | 3,071 | 2,756 | 11.4 | 46 | 315 | 47 |
| Maryland | 61,754 | 39,900 | 54.8 | 4 | 21,854 | 27 |
| Massachusetts | 21,829 | 22,288 | -2.1 | 50 | -459 | 50 |
| Michigan | 260,030 | 220,769 | 17.8 | 43 | 39,261 | 18 |
| Minnesota | 119,358 | 95,613 | 24.8 | 34 | 23,745 | 24 |
| Mississippi | 27,348 | 21,616 | 26.5 | 32 | 5,732 | 37 |
| Missouri | 99,826 | 77,887 | 28.2 | 30 | 21,939 | 26 |
| Montana | 14,621 | 11,735 | 24.6 | 35 | 2,886 | 39 |
| Nebraska | 98,272 | 71,030 | 38.4 | 18 | 27,242 | 22 |
| Nevada | 410,010 | 285,764 | 43.5 | 10 | 124,246 | 6 |
| New Hampshire | 6,518 | 4,590 | 42.0 | 12 | 1,928 | 42 |
| New Jersey | 116,479 | 102,929 | 13.2 | 45 | 13,550 | 34 |
| New Mexico | 439,351 | 330,049 | 33.1 | 22 | 109,302 | 9 |
| New York | 309,115 | 260,889 | 18.5 | 40 | 48,226 | 15 |
| North Carolina | 358,648 | 246,545 | 45.5 | 9 | 112,103 | 8 |
| North Dakota | 5,159 | 4,295 | 20.1 | 37 | 864 | 46 |
| Ohio | 107,210 | 90,663 | 18.3 | 41 | 16,547 | 31 |
| Oklahoma | 174,865 | 132,813 | 31.7 | 25 | 42,052 | 16 |
| Oregon | 270,788 | 214,662 | 26.1 | 33 | 56,126 | 13 |
| Pennsylvania | 70,798 | 55,178 | 28.3 | 29 | 15,620 | 33 |
| Rhode Island | 6,932 | 5,881 | 17.9 | 42 | 1,051 | 45 |
| South Carolina | 73,485 | 52,871 | 39.0 | 16 | 20,614 | 29 |
| South Dakota | 8,946 | 6,364 | 40.6 | 14 | 2,582 | 40 |
| Tennessee | 116,006 | 77,372 | 49.9 | 8 | 38,634 | 19 |
| Texas | 6,485,549 | 5,071,963 | 27.9 | 31 | 1,413,586 | 2 |
| Utah | 188,430 | 136,416 | 38.1 | 19 | 52,014 | 14 |
| Vermont | 1,380 | 1,174 | 17.5 | 44 | 206 | 48 |
| Virginia | 111,197 | 73,979 | 50.3 | 6 | 37,218 | 20 |
| Washington | 423,991 | 329,934 | 28.5 | 28 | 94,057 | 10 |
| West Virginia | 5,601 | 4,347 | 28.8 | 26 | 1,254 | 43 |
| Wisconsin | 168,093 | 126,719 | 32.7 | 23 | 41,374 | 17 |
| Wyoming | 21,893 | 19,963 | 9.7 | 47 | 1,930 | 41 |
| United States | 25,843,363 | 20,640,711 | 25.2 | NA | 5,202,652 | NA |

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2004, Census 2000; percentages and ranking calculated by the Selig Center for Economic Growth, Terry College of Business, The University of Georgia.

TABLE 4
Population by Hispanic Origin and State, 2004

| State | Non-Hispanic | | Mexican | | Other Hispanic | | Total | |
|----------------------|--------------|---------|------------|---------|----------------|---------|-------------|---------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Alabama | 4,328,443 | 98.0 | 66,798 | 1.5 | 19,318 | 0.4 | 4,414,559 | 100.0 |
| Alaska | 605,670 | 95.2 | 17,142 | 2.7 | 13,151 | 2.1 | 635,963 | 100.0 |
| Arizona | 4,046,147 | 71.8 | 1,444,736 | 25.6 | 147,462 | 2.6 | 5,638,345 | 100.0 |
| Arkansas | 2,550,605 | 95.6 | 96,139 | 3.6 | 21,628 | 0.8 | 2,668,372 | 100.0 |
| California | 22,810,995 | 65.1 | 10,077,213 | 28.7 | 2,169,167 | 6.2 | 35,057,375 | 100.0 |
| Colorado | 3,635,980 | 80.8 | 643,235 | 14.3 | 219,396 | 4.9 | 4,498,611 | 100.0 |
| Connecticut | 3,030,390 | 89.4 | 41,802 | 1.2 | 317,291 | 9.4 | 3,389,483 | 100.0 |
| Delaware | 757,895 | 94.1 | 21,775 | 2.7 | 25,751 | 3.2 | 805,421 | 100.0 |
| District of Columbia | 472,195 | 91.1 | 5,001 | 1.0 | 40,878 | 7.9 | 518,074 | 100.0 |
| Florida | 13,704,408 | 80.8 | 453,162 | 2.7 | 2,800,095 | 16.5 | 16,957,665 | 100.0 |
| Georgia | 8,004,532 | 93.3 | 390,579 | 4.6 | 185,196 | 2.2 | 8,580,307 | 100.0 |
| Hawaii | 1,130,230 | 92.1 | 27,478 | 2.2 | 69,300 | 5.6 | 1,227,008 | 100.0 |
| Idaho | 1,238,754 | 91.1 | 104,980 | 7.7 | 16,418 | 1.2 | 1,360,152 | 100.0 |
| Illinois | 10,630,489 | 85.9 | 1,359,765 | 11.0 | 378,094 | 3.1 | 12,368,348 | 100.0 |
| Indiana | 5,793,599 | 95.6 | 214,407 | 3.5 | 50,166 | 0.8 | 6,058,172 | 100.0 |
| Iowa | 2,746,818 | 96.4 | 82,950 | 2.9 | 20,208 | 0.7 | 2,849,976 | 100.0 |
| Kansas | 2,492,646 | 93.9 | 128,640 | 4.8 | 32,168 | 1.2 | 2,653,454 | 100.0 |
| Kentucky | 3,956,521 | 98.1 | 47,527 | 1.2 | 27,086 | 0.7 | 4,031,134 | 100.0 |
| Louisiana | 4,262,968 | 97.3 | 33,481 | 0.8 | 86,775 | 2.0 | 4,383,224 | 100.0 |
| Maine | 1,267,306 | 99.1 | 3,071 | 0.2 | 8,348 | 0.7 | 1,278,725 | 100.0 |
| Maryland | 5,129,769 | 94.6 | 61,754 | 1.1 | 233,125 | 4.3 | 5,424,648 | 100.0 |
| Massachusetts | 5,712,104 | 92.2 | 21,829 | 0.4 | 460,053 | 7.4 | 6,193,986 | 100.0 |
| Michigan | 9,499,797 | 96.4 | 260,030 | 2.6 | 99,081 | 1.0 | 9,858,908 | 100.0 |
| Minnesota | 4,785,624 | 96.5 | 119,358 | 2.4 | 53,766 | 1.1 | 4,958,748 | 100.0 |
| Mississippi | 2,765,569 | 98.5 | 27,348 | 1.0 | 14,147 | 0.5 | 2,807,064 | 100.0 |
| Missouri | 5,444,029 | 97.4 | 99,826 | 1.8 | 44,051 | 0.8 | 5,587,906 | 100.0 |
| Montana | 884,332 | 97.9 | 14,621 | 1.6 | 4,156 | 0.5 | 903,109 | 100.0 |
| Nebraska | 1,590,426 | 93.1 | 98,272 | 5.8 | 20,013 | 1.2 | 1,708,711 | 100.0 |
| Nevada | 1,773,627 | 77.1 | 410,010 | 17.8 | 117,560 | 5.1 | 2,301,197 | 100.0 |
| New Hampshire | 1,235,862 | 97.9 | 6,518 | 0.5 | 19,590 | 1.6 | 1,261,970 | 100.0 |
| New Jersey | 7,228,794 | 85.0 | 116,479 | 1.4 | 1,158,021 | 13.6 | 8,503,294 | 100.0 |
| New Mexico | 1,045,848 | 56.4 | 439,351 | 23.7 | 370,577 | 20.0 | 1,855,776 | 100.0 |
| New York | 15,649,164 | 83.9 | 309,115 | 1.7 | 2,703,664 | 14.5 | 18,661,943 | 100.0 |
| North Carolina | 7,763,822 | 93.9 | 358,648 | 4.3 | 147,558 | 1.8 | 8,270,028 | 100.0 |
| North Dakota | 602,755 | 98.9 | 5,159 | 0.8 | 1,777 | 0.3 | 609,691 | 100.0 |
| Ohio | 10,929,908 | 97.8 | 107,210 | 1.0 | 135,133 | 1.2 | 11,172,251 | 100.0 |
| Oklahoma | 3,193,427 | 93.6 | 174,865 | 5.1 | 43,910 | 1.3 | 3,412,202 | 100.0 |
| Oregon | 3,170,584 | 90.4 | 270,788 | 7.7 | 64,912 | 1.9 | 3,506,284 | 100.0 |
| Pennsylvania | 11,522,122 | 96.2 | 70,798 | 0.6 | 378,776 | 3.2 | 11,971,696 | 100.0 |
| Rhode Island | 927,810 | 89.5 | 6,932 | 0.7 | 102,260 | 9.9 | 1,037,002 | 100.0 |
| South Carolina | 3,939,157 | 97.0 | 73,485 | 1.8 | 47,196 | 1.2 | 4,059,838 | 100.0 |
| South Dakota | 728,707 | 98.3 | 8,946 | 1.2 | 3,827 | 0.5 | 741,480 | 100.0 |
| Tennessee | 5,577,759 | 97.1 | 116,006 | 2.0 | 49,402 | 0.9 | 5,743,167 | 100.0 |
| Texas | 14,272,679 | 65.2 | 6,485,549 | 29.6 | 1,132,351 | 5.2 | 21,890,579 | 100.0 |
| Utah | 2,100,381 | 89.4 | 188,430 | 8.0 | 60,661 | 2.6 | 2,349,472 | 100.0 |
| Vermont | 595,508 | 99.1 | 1,380 | 0.2 | 3,744 | 0.6 | 600,632 | 100.0 |
| Virginia | 6,800,848 | 94.2 | 111,197 | 1.5 | 307,713 | 4.3 | 7,219,758 | 100.0 |
| Washington | 5,547,488 | 91.4 | 423,991 | 7.0 | 99,846 | 1.6 | 6,071,325 | 100.0 |
| West Virginia | 1,760,795 | 99.4 | 5,601 | 0.3 | 5,388 | 0.3 | 1,771,784 | 100.0 |
| Wisconsin | 5,119,264 | 95.6 | 168,093 | 3.1 | 66,285 | 1.2 | 5,353,642 | 100.0 |
| Wyoming | 459,523 | 93.3 | 21,893 | 4.4 | 11,118 | 2.3 | 492,534 | 100.0 |
| United States | 245,224,073 | 85.8 | 25,843,363 | 9.0 | 14,607,557 | 5.1 | 285,674,993 | 100.0 |

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2004, Census 2000; percentages calculated by the Selig Center for Economic Growth, Terry College of Business, The University of Georgia.

Table 5
Residents of Mexican Origin, by Place of Birth and Citizenship, 2004

| State | U.S. Born | | | Naturalized U.S. Citizen | | | Non U.S.-Citizen | | |
|----------------------|------------|---------|------|--------------------------|---------|------|------------------|---------|------|
| | Number | Percent | Rank | Number | Percent | Rank | Number | Percent | Rank |
| Alabama | 22,399 | 33.5 | 50 | 1,172 | 1.8 | 51 | 43,227 | 64.7 | 2 |
| Alaska | 12,615 | 73.6 | 12 | 1,367 | 8.0 | 14 | 3,160 | 18.4 | 43 |
| Arizona | 902,536 | 62.5 | 23 | 93,893 | 6.5 | 26 | 448,307 | 31.0 | 28 |
| Arkansas | 43,017 | 44.7 | 43 | 9,457 | 9.8 | 6 | 43,665 | 45.4 | 10 |
| California | 6,023,342 | 59.8 | 26 | 999,714 | 9.9 | 5 | 3,054,157 | 30.3 | 29 |
| Colorado | 417,630 | 64.9 | 18 | 34,199 | 5.3 | 31 | 191,406 | 29.8 | 30 |
| Connecticut | 21,168 | 50.6 | 38 | 3,263 | 7.8 | 15 | 17,371 | 41.6 | 17 |
| Delaware | 7,612 | 35.0 | 48 | 1,096 | 5.0 | 32 | 13,067 | 60.0 | 4 |
| District of Columbia | 2,437 | 48.7 | 39 | 351 | 7.0 | 21 | 2,213 | 44.3 | 12 |
| Florida | 216,716 | 47.8 | 41 | 32,570 | 7.2 | 19 | 203,876 | 45.0 | 11 |
| Georgia | 133,831 | 34.3 | 49 | 11,872 | 3.0 | 46 | 244,876 | 62.7 | 3 |
| Hawaii | 23,508 | 85.6 | 4 | 1,022 | 3.7 | 43 | 2,948 | 10.7 | 47 |
| Idaho | 61,024 | 58.1 | 28 | 5,054 | 4.8 | 33 | 38,902 | 37.1 | 22 |
| Illinois | 701,901 | 51.6 | 35 | 179,349 | 13.2 | 1 | 478,515 | 35.2 | 25 |
| Indiana | 114,012 | 53.2 | 32 | 8,827 | 4.1 | 40 | 91,568 | 42.7 | 15 |
| Iowa | 61,458 | 74.1 | 11 | 7,649 | 9.2 | 9 | 13,843 | 16.7 | 46 |
| Kansas | 81,166 | 63.1 | 21 | 5,884 | 4.6 | 37 | 41,590 | 32.3 | 27 |
| Kentucky | 25,991 | 54.7 | 29 | 958 | 2.0 | 50 | 20,578 | 43.3 | 13 |
| Louisiana | 25,554 | 76.3 | 7 | 1,070 | 3.2 | 45 | 6,857 | 20.5 | 41 |
| Maine | 2,559 | 83.3 | 5 | 217 | 7.1 | 20 | 295 | 9.6 | 48 |
| Maryland | 31,517 | 51.0 | 37 | 6,163 | 10.0 | 4 | 24,074 | 39.0 | 20 |
| Massachusetts | 10,601 | 48.6 | 40 | 2,436 | 11.2 | 2 | 8,792 | 40.3 | 18 |
| Michigan | 197,349 | 75.9 | 8 | 15,611 | 6.0 | 29 | 47,070 | 18.1 | 44 |
| Minnesota | 73,609 | 61.7 | 24 | 10,581 | 8.9 | 11 | 35,168 | 29.5 | 31 |
| Mississippi | 14,916 | 54.5 | 30 | 2,559 | 9.4 | 8 | 9,873 | 36.1 | 23 |
| Missouri | 71,083 | 71.2 | 14 | 6,944 | 7.0 | 22 | 21,799 | 21.8 | 40 |
| Montana | 13,410 | 91.7 | 2 | 611 | 4.2 | 38 | 600 | 4.1 | 49 |
| Nebraska | 63,059 | 64.2 | 19 | 7,423 | 7.6 | 18 | 27,790 | 28.3 | 34 |
| Nevada | 215,442 | 52.5 | 34 | 40,110 | 9.8 | 7 | 154,458 | 37.7 | 21 |
| New Hampshire | 4,852 | 74.4 | 9 | 216 | 3.3 | 44 | 1,450 | 22.2 | 38 |
| New Jersey | 43,247 | 37.1 | 47 | 10,629 | 9.1 | 10 | 62,603 | 53.7 | 7 |
| New Mexico | 326,880 | 74.4 | 10 | 28,476 | 6.5 | 27 | 83,995 | 19.1 | 42 |
| New York | 121,897 | 39.4 | 45 | 33,017 | 10.7 | 3 | 154,201 | 49.9 | 9 |
| North Carolina | 134,589 | 37.5 | 46 | 20,475 | 5.7 | 30 | 203,584 | 56.8 | 5 |
| North Dakota | 5,019 | 97.3 | 1 | 140 | 2.7 | 47 | 0 | 0.0 | 51 |
| Ohio | 75,527 | 70.4 | 16 | 8,162 | 7.6 | 17 | 23,521 | 21.9 | 39 |
| Oklahoma | 104,827 | 59.9 | 25 | 12,010 | 6.9 | 23 | 58,028 | 33.2 | 26 |
| Oregon | 143,688 | 53.1 | 33 | 11,080 | 4.1 | 41 | 116,020 | 42.8 | 14 |
| Pennsylvania | 38,141 | 53.9 | 31 | 4,618 | 6.5 | 25 | 28,039 | 39.6 | 19 |
| Rhode Island | 3,182 | 45.9 | 42 | 288 | 4.2 | 39 | 3,462 | 49.9 | 8 |
| South Carolina | 21,413 | 29.1 | 51 | 3,535 | 4.8 | 34 | 48,537 | 66.1 | 1 |
| South Dakota | 7,205 | 80.5 | 6 | 194 | 2.2 | 49 | 1,547 | 17.3 | 45 |
| Tennessee | 49,475 | 42.6 | 44 | 2,916 | 2.5 | 48 | 63,615 | 54.8 | 6 |
| Texas | 4,422,432 | 68.2 | 17 | 495,462 | 7.6 | 16 | 1,567,655 | 24.2 | 35 |
| Utah | 118,372 | 62.8 | 22 | 15,901 | 8.4 | 12 | 54,157 | 28.7 | 32 |
| Vermont | 1,260 | 91.3 | 3 | 65 | 4.7 | 35 | 55 | 4.0 | 50 |
| Virginia | 56,899 | 51.2 | 36 | 7,396 | 6.7 | 24 | 46,902 | 42.2 | 16 |
| Washington | 268,843 | 63.4 | 20 | 34,724 | 8.2 | 13 | 120,424 | 28.4 | 33 |
| West Virginia | 4,047 | 72.3 | 13 | 223 | 4.0 | 42 | 1,331 | 23.8 | 36 |
| Wisconsin | 99,823 | 59.4 | 27 | 7,803 | 4.6 | 36 | 60,467 | 36.0 | 24 |
| Wyoming | 15,570 | 71.1 | 15 | 1,348 | 6.2 | 28 | 4,975 | 22.7 | 37 |
| United States | 15,658,650 | 60.6 | NA | 2,190,100 | 8.5 | NA | 7,994,613 | 30.9 | NA |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, Terry College of Business, The University of Georgia; based on data from U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

TABLE 6
Population of Mexican Origin as Percent of Total Population, by Age Group, 2004

| State/Age Group | Total Number | Mexican | | State/Age Group | Total Number | Mexican | |
|----------------------|--------------------|-------------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| | | Number | Percent of Total | | | Number | Percent of Total |
| Alabama | | | | Mississippi | | | |
| Under 5 | 295,527 | 9,834 | 3.3 | Under 5 | 208,029 | 3,405 | 1.6 |
| 5 to 9 | 278,013 | 6,818 | 2.5 | 5 to 9 | 196,602 | 2,151 | 1.1 |
| 10 to 14 | 334,775 | 3,885 | 1.2 | 10 to 14 | 215,514 | 1,364 | 0.6 |
| 15 to 19 | 285,679 | 2,860 | 1.0 | 15 to 19 | 199,770 | 2,208 | 1.1 |
| 20 to 24 | 313,754 | 10,908 | 3.5 | 20 to 24 | 209,950 | 2,673 | 1.3 |
| 25 to 34 | 581,428 | 20,845 | 3.6 | 25 to 34 | 375,484 | 7,582 | 2.0 |
| 35 to 44 | 643,309 | 8,356 | 1.3 | 35 to 44 | 396,556 | 4,209 | 1.1 |
| 45 to 54 | 638,029 | 1,756 | 0.3 | 45 to 54 | 394,431 | 2,228 | 0.6 |
| 55 to 59 | 271,753 | 0 | 0.0 | 55 to 59 | 157,627 | 221 | 0.1 |
| 60 to 64 | 210,103 | 845 | 0.4 | 60 to 64 | 123,417 | 419 | 0.3 |
| 65 to 74 | 312,010 | 0 | 0.0 | 65 to 74 | 185,097 | 633 | 0.3 |
| 75 to 84 | 195,810 | 691 | 0.4 | 75 to 84 | 111,797 | 255 | 0.2 |
| 85 and over | 54,369 | 0 | 0.0 | 85 and over | 32,790 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Total | 4,414,559 | 66,798 | 1.5 | Total | 2,807,064 | 27,348 | 1.0 |
| Georgia | | | | Tennessee | | | |
| Under 5 | 666,623 | 47,893 | 7.2 | Under 5 | 382,703 | 17,416 | 4.6 |
| 5 to 9 | 645,459 | 37,953 | 5.9 | 5 to 9 | 381,045 | 12,259 | 3.2 |
| 10 to 14 | 625,103 | 28,233 | 4.5 | 10 to 14 | 385,944 | 6,902 | 1.8 |
| 15 to 19 | 576,943 | 31,618 | 5.5 | 15 to 19 | 362,254 | 6,926 | 1.9 |
| 20 to 24 | 614,711 | 44,920 | 7.3 | 20 to 24 | 382,453 | 18,735 | 4.9 |
| 25 to 34 | 1,306,395 | 108,405 | 8.3 | 25 to 34 | 802,210 | 28,210 | 3.5 |
| 35 to 44 | 1,372,385 | 60,427 | 4.4 | 35 to 44 | 879,783 | 16,684 | 1.9 |
| 45 to 54 | 1,179,445 | 19,965 | 1.7 | 45 to 54 | 843,388 | 4,425 | 0.5 |
| 55 to 59 | 451,496 | 5,186 | 1.1 | 55 to 59 | 340,385 | 1,196 | 0.4 |
| 60 to 64 | 351,316 | 2,811 | 0.8 | 60 to 64 | 280,174 | 1,464 | 0.5 |
| 65 to 74 | 462,627 | 2,596 | 0.6 | 65 to 74 | 394,763 | 772 | 0.2 |
| 75 to 84 | 252,351 | 572 | 0.2 | 75 to 84 | 243,089 | 1,017 | 0.4 |
| 85 and over | 75,453 | 0 | 0.0 | 85 and over | 64,976 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Total | 8,580,307 | 390,579 | 4.6 | Total | 5,743,167 | 116,006 | 2.0 |
| United States | | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 20,002,766 | 3,017,296 | 15.1 | | | | |
| 5 to 9 | 19,655,098 | 2,703,945 | 13.8 | | | | |
| 10 to 14 | 21,056,129 | 2,465,033 | 11.7 | | | | |
| 15 to 19 | 19,078,461 | 2,112,364 | 11.1 | | | | |
| 20 to 24 | 19,340,727 | 2,457,561 | 12.7 | | | | |
| 25 to 34 | 38,667,491 | 4,894,032 | 12.7 | | | | |
| 35 to 44 | 43,596,918 | 3,672,123 | 8.4 | | | | |
| 45 to 54 | 41,231,774 | 2,278,233 | 5.5 | | | | |
| 55 to 59 | 16,232,615 | 705,695 | 4.3 | | | | |
| 60 to 64 | 12,603,968 | 476,155 | 3.8 | | | | |
| 65 to 74 | 17,984,999 | 641,919 | 3.6 | | | | |
| 75 to 84 | 12,365,921 | 339,943 | 2.7 | | | | |
| 85 and over | 3,858,126 | 79,064 | 2.0 | | | | |
| Total | 285,674,993 | 25,843,363 | 9.0 | | | | |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, Terry College of Business, The University of Georgia, based on data from U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2004.

TABLE 7
Population by Age and Hispanic Origin, 2004

| Age Group | Non-Hispanic/Latino | | Mexican | | Other Hispanics | | Total | |
|--------------------|---------------------|---------|---------|---------|-----------------|---------|-----------|---------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Alabama | | | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 284,489 | 6.6 | 9,834 | 14.7 | 1,204 | 6.2 | 295,527 | 6.7 |
| 5 to 9 | 269,316 | 6.2 | 6,818 | 10.2 | 1,879 | 9.7 | 278,013 | 6.3 |
| 10 to 14 | 329,774 | 7.6 | 3,885 | 5.8 | 1,116 | 5.8 | 334,775 | 7.6 |
| 15 to 19 | 281,861 | 6.5 | 2,860 | 4.3 | 958 | 5.0 | 285,679 | 6.5 |
| 20 to 24 | 299,990 | 6.9 | 10,908 | 16.3 | 2,856 | 14.8 | 313,754 | 7.1 |
| 25 to 34 | 556,448 | 12.9 | 20,845 | 31.2 | 4,135 | 21.4 | 581,428 | 13.2 |
| 35 to 44 | 632,046 | 14.6 | 8,356 | 12.5 | 2,907 | 15.0 | 643,309 | 14.6 |
| 45 to 54 | 633,368 | 14.6 | 1,756 | 2.6 | 2,905 | 15.0 | 638,029 | 14.5 |
| 55 to 59 | 271,595 | 6.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 158 | 0.8 | 271,753 | 6.2 |
| 60 to 64 | 208,989 | 4.8 | 845 | 1.3 | 269 | 1.4 | 210,103 | 4.8 |
| 65 to 74 | 311,393 | 7.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 617 | 3.2 | 312,010 | 7.1 |
| 75 to 84 | 194,805 | 4.5 | 691 | 1.0 | 314 | 1.6 | 195,810 | 4.4 |
| 85 and over | 54,369 | 1.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 54,369 | 1.2 |
| Total | 4,328,443 | 100.0 | 66,798 | 100.0 | 19,318 | 100.0 | 4,414,559 | 100.0 |
| Georgia | | | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 600,022 | 7.5 | 47,893 | 12.3 | 18,708 | 10.1 | 666,623 | 7.8 |
| 5 to 9 | 591,941 | 7.4 | 37,953 | 9.7 | 15,565 | 8.4 | 645,459 | 7.5 |
| 10 to 14 | 580,966 | 7.3 | 28,233 | 7.2 | 15,904 | 8.6 | 625,103 | 7.3 |
| 15 to 19 | 534,820 | 6.7 | 31,618 | 8.1 | 10,505 | 5.7 | 576,943 | 6.7 |
| 20 to 24 | 556,714 | 7.0 | 44,920 | 11.5 | 13,077 | 7.1 | 614,711 | 7.2 |
| 25 to 34 | 1,158,124 | 14.5 | 108,405 | 27.8 | 39,866 | 21.5 | 1,306,395 | 15.2 |
| 35 to 44 | 1,278,203 | 16.0 | 60,427 | 15.5 | 33,755 | 18.2 | 1,372,385 | 16.0 |
| 45 to 54 | 1,136,959 | 14.2 | 19,965 | 5.1 | 22,521 | 12.2 | 1,179,445 | 13.7 |
| 55 to 59 | 440,636 | 5.5 | 5,186 | 1.3 | 5,674 | 3.1 | 451,496 | 5.3 |
| 60 to 64 | 344,941 | 4.3 | 2,811 | 0.7 | 3,564 | 1.9 | 351,316 | 4.1 |
| 65 to 74 | 456,549 | 5.7 | 2,596 | 0.7 | 3,482 | 1.9 | 462,627 | 5.4 |
| 75 to 84 | 249,795 | 3.1 | 572 | 0.1 | 1,984 | 1.1 | 252,351 | 2.9 |
| 85 and over | 74,862 | 0.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 591 | 0.3 | 75,453 | 0.9 |
| Total | 8,004,532 | 100.0 | 390,579 | 100.0 | 185,196 | 100.0 | 8,580,307 | 100.0 |
| Mississippi | | | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 203,259 | 7.3 | 3,405 | 12.5 | 1,365 | 9.6 | 208,029 | 7.4 |
| 5 to 9 | 192,888 | 7.0 | 2,151 | 7.9 | 1,563 | 11.0 | 196,602 | 7.0 |
| 10 to 14 | 213,061 | 7.7 | 1,364 | 5.0 | 1,089 | 7.7 | 215,514 | 7.7 |
| 15 to 19 | 196,851 | 7.1 | 2,208 | 8.1 | 711 | 5.0 | 199,770 | 7.1 |
| 20 to 24 | 206,295 | 7.5 | 2,673 | 9.8 | 982 | 6.9 | 209,950 | 7.5 |
| 25 to 34 | 365,002 | 13.2 | 7,582 | 27.7 | 2,900 | 20.5 | 375,484 | 13.4 |
| 35 to 44 | 389,534 | 14.1 | 4,209 | 15.4 | 2,813 | 19.9 | 396,556 | 14.1 |
| 45 to 54 | 391,231 | 14.1 | 2,228 | 8.1 | 972 | 6.9 | 394,431 | 14.1 |
| 55 to 59 | 157,096 | 5.7 | 221 | 0.8 | 310 | 2.2 | 157,627 | 5.6 |
| 60 to 64 | 122,375 | 4.4 | 419 | 1.5 | 623 | 4.4 | 123,417 | 4.4 |
| 65 to 74 | 183,894 | 6.6 | 633 | 2.3 | 570 | 4.0 | 185,097 | 6.6 |
| 75 to 84 | 111,385 | 4.0 | 255 | 0.9 | 157 | 1.1 | 111,797 | 4.0 |
| 85 and over | 32,698 | 1.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 92 | 0.7 | 32,790 | 1.2 |
| Total | 2,765,569 | 100.0 | 27,348 | 100.0 | 14,147 | 100.0 | 2,807,064 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 7 (Continued)
Population by Age and Hispanic Origin, 2004

| Age Group | Non-Hispanic/Latino | | Mexican | | Other Hispanics | | Total | |
|----------------------|---------------------|---------|------------|---------|-----------------|---------|-------------|---------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Tennessee | | | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 360,468 | 6.5 | 17,416 | 15.0 | 4,819 | 9.8 | 382,703 | 6.7 |
| 5 to 9 | 364,797 | 6.5 | 12,259 | 10.6 | 3,989 | 8.1 | 381,045 | 6.6 |
| 10 to 14 | 377,311 | 6.8 | 6,902 | 5.9 | 1,731 | 3.5 | 385,944 | 6.7 |
| 15 to 19 | 351,643 | 6.3 | 6,926 | 6.0 | 3,685 | 7.5 | 362,254 | 6.3 |
| 20 to 24 | 355,707 | 6.4 | 18,735 | 16.2 | 8,011 | 16.2 | 382,453 | 6.7 |
| 25 to 34 | 764,571 | 13.7 | 28,210 | 24.3 | 9,429 | 19.1 | 802,210 | 14.0 |
| 35 to 44 | 853,408 | 15.3 | 16,684 | 14.4 | 9,691 | 19.6 | 879,783 | 15.3 |
| 45 to 54 | 834,788 | 15.0 | 4,425 | 3.8 | 4,175 | 8.5 | 843,388 | 14.7 |
| 55 to 59 | 337,550 | 6.1 | 1,196 | 1.0 | 1,639 | 3.3 | 340,385 | 5.9 |
| 60 to 64 | 278,479 | 5.0 | 1,464 | 1.3 | 231 | 0.5 | 280,174 | 4.9 |
| 65 to 74 | 392,918 | 7.0 | 772 | 0.7 | 1,073 | 2.2 | 394,763 | 6.9 |
| 75 to 84 | 241,143 | 4.3 | 1,017 | 0.9 | 929 | 1.9 | 243,089 | 4.2 |
| 85 and over | 64,976 | 1.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 64,976 | 1.1 |
| Total | 5,577,759 | 100.0 | 116,006 | 100.0 | 49,402 | 100.0 | 5,743,167 | 100.0 |
| United States | | | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 15,649,885 | 6.4 | 3,017,296 | 11.7 | 1,335,585 | 9.1 | 20,002,766 | 7.0 |
| 5 to 9 | 15,737,217 | 6.4 | 2,703,945 | 10.5 | 1,213,936 | 8.3 | 19,655,098 | 6.9 |
| 10 to 14 | 17,363,498 | 7.1 | 2,465,033 | 9.5 | 1,227,598 | 8.4 | 21,056,129 | 7.4 |
| 15 to 19 | 15,898,858 | 6.5 | 2,112,364 | 8.2 | 1,067,239 | 7.3 | 19,078,461 | 6.7 |
| 20 to 24 | 15,733,649 | 6.4 | 2,457,561 | 9.5 | 1,149,517 | 7.9 | 19,340,727 | 6.8 |
| 25 to 34 | 31,319,917 | 12.8 | 4,894,032 | 18.9 | 2,453,542 | 16.8 | 38,667,491 | 13.5 |
| 35 to 44 | 37,464,418 | 15.3 | 3,672,123 | 14.2 | 2,460,377 | 16.8 | 43,596,918 | 15.3 |
| 45 to 54 | 37,261,265 | 15.2 | 2,278,233 | 8.8 | 1,692,276 | 11.6 | 41,231,774 | 14.4 |
| 55 to 59 | 14,950,153 | 6.1 | 705,695 | 2.7 | 576,767 | 3.9 | 16,232,615 | 5.7 |
| 60 to 64 | 11,693,409 | 4.8 | 476,155 | 1.8 | 434,404 | 3.0 | 12,603,968 | 4.4 |
| 65 to 74 | 16,740,435 | 6.8 | 641,919 | 2.5 | 602,645 | 4.1 | 17,984,999 | 6.3 |
| 75 to 84 | 11,713,225 | 4.8 | 339,943 | 1.3 | 312,753 | 2.1 | 12,365,921 | 4.3 |
| 85 and over | 3,698,144 | 1.5 | 79,064 | 0.3 | 80,918 | 0.6 | 3,858,126 | 1.4 |
| Total | 245,224,073 | 100.0 | 25,843,363 | 100.0 | 14,607,557 | 100.0 | 285,674,993 | 100.0 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, Terry College of Business, The University of Georgia, based on data from U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

TABLE 8
School Enrollment for Mexican Teens (Ages 15 to 19), by State, 2004

| State | U.S. Born | | | Non-U.S. Citizen | | | | | |
|----------------|-------------------|-----------|---------------------|-------------------|----------|---------------------|-------------------|----------|---------------------|
| | 15 to 19 Total | Enrolled | Percent Enrolled | 15 to 19 Total | Enrolled | Percent Enrolled | 15 to 19 Total | Enrolled | Percent Enrolled |
| Alabama | 1,294 | 1,036 | 80.1 | 1,566 | 464 | 29.6 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Alaska | 1,542 | 875 | 56.7 | 466 | 319 | 68.5 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Arizona | 82,898 | 70,313 | 84.8 | 37,853 | 24,061 | 63.6 | 2,409 | 2,409 | 100.0 |
| Arkansas | 3,139 | 2,757 | 87.8 | 4,199 | 2,238 | 53.3 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| California | 608,038 | 511,514 | 84.1 | 223,169 | 151,651 | 68.0 | 19,482 | 16,909 | 86.8 |
| Colorado | 33,127 | 25,107 | 75.8 | 11,441 | 6,343 | 55.4 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Connecticut | 842 | 842 | 100.0 | 533 | 533 | 100.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Delaware | 461 | 413 | 89.6 | 625 | 349 | 55.8 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Florida | 19,355 | 13,255 | 68.5 | 13,138 | 2,885 | 22.0 | 158 | 158 | 100.0 |
| Georgia | 11,813 | 8,302 | 70.3 | 19,620 | 6,185 | 31.5 | 185 | 185 | 100.0 |
| Hawaii | 2,132 | 1,297 | 60.8 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Idaho | 3,917 | 3,564 | 91.0 | 3,646 | 2,069 | 56.7 | 100 | 67 | 67.0 |
| Illinois | 69,925 | 58,300 | 83.4 | 30,885 | 15,021 | 48.6 | 2,432 | 2,432 | 100.0 |
| Indiana | 11,646 | 10,564 | 90.7 | 6,338 | 4,076 | 64.3 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Iowa | 8,214 | 6,087 | 74.1 | 1,941 | 1,522 | 78.4 | 629 | 629 | 100.0 |
| Kansas | 6,947 | 6,048 | 87.1 | 3,475 | 1,262 | 36.3 | 381 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Kentucky | 1,364 | 1,364 | 100.0 | 1,283 | 1,173 | 91.4 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Louisiana | 1,198 | 679 | 56.7 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Maine | 108 | 52 | 48.1 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Maryland | 3,349 | 2,570 | 76.7 | 2,139 | 186 | 8.7 | 1,187 | 1,015 | 85.5 |
| Massachusetts | 827 | 550 | 66.5 | 465 | 465 | 100.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Michigan | 15,589 | 13,800 | 88.5 | 4,325 | 1,557 | 36.0 | 1,678 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Minnesota | 3,746 | 3,046 | 81.3 | 2,946 | 1,712 | 58.1 | 1,839 | 398 | 21.6 |
| Mississippi | 1,187 | 1,187 | 100.0 | 1,021 | 236 | 23.1 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Missouri | 4,504 | 3,433 | 76.2 | 1,742 | 1,417 | 81.3 | 712 | 493 | 69.2 |
| Montana | 1,287 | 949 | 73.7 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Nebraska | 5,426 | 4,395 | 81.0 | 2,077 | 1,695 | 81.6 | 70 | 28 | 40.0 |
| Nevada | 17,081 | 14,713 | 86.1 | 13,662 | 6,040 | 44.2 | 1,042 | 113 | 10.8 |
| New Hampshire | 393 | 176 | 44.8 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| New Jersey | 2,807 | 1,300 | 46.3 | 2,307 | 1,743 | 75.6 | 293 | 293 | 100.0 |
| New Mexico | 34,031 | 27,254 | 80.1 | 6,670 | 4,895 | 73.4 | 277 | 277 | 100.0 |
| New York | 11,300 | 8,254 | 73.0 | 11,803 | 3,233 | 27.4 | 2,069 | 1,813 | 87.6 |
| North Carolina | 6,209 | 5,206 | 83.8 | 13,390 | 6,676 | 49.9 | 1,096 | 0 | 0.0 |
| North Dakota | 711 | 711 | 100.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Ohio | 7,120 | 4,826 | 67.8 | 1,620 | 118 | 7.3 | 1,002 | 466 | 46.5 |
| Oklahoma | 8,258 | 5,830 | 70.6 | 3,412 | 1,704 | 49.9 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Oregon | 12,442 | 9,090 | 73.1 | 6,145 | 5,277 | 85.9 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Pennsylvania | 1,019 | 639 | 62.7 | 1,351 | 719 | 53.2 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Rhode Island | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 294 | 217 | 73.8 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| South Carolina | 568 | 349 | 61.4 | 2,742 | 1,312 | 47.8 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| South Dakota | 497 | 408 | 82.1 | 65 | 65 | 100.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Tennessee | 3,015 | 2,802 | 92.9 | 3,911 | 742 | 19.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Texas | 406,962 | 335,933 | 82.5 | 121,013 | 72,954 | 60.3 | 18,125 | 16,715 | 92.2 |
| Utah | 11,783 | 9,403 | 79.8 | 4,036 | 3,066 | 76.0 | 327 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Vermont | 186 | 186 | 100.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Virginia | 5,249 | 4,595 | 87.5 | 3,802 | 1,002 | 26.4 | 204 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Washington | 23,641 | 20,316 | 85.9 | 11,744 | 6,336 | 54.0 | 896 | 896 | 100.0 |
| West Virginia | 127 | 127 | 100.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Wisconsin | 9,085 | 6,289 | 69.2 | 4,530 | 1,986 | 43.8 | 316 | 316 | 100.0 |
| Wyoming | 1,353 | 1,038 | 76.7 | 299 | 149 | 49.8 | 54 | 54 | 100.0 |
| United States | 1,467,712 | 1,211,744 | 82.6 | 587,689 | 345,653 | 58.8 | 56,963 | 45,666 | 80.2 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, Terry College of Business, The University of Georgia, based on data from U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

Table 9
School Enrollment, by Grade and Hispanic Origin, 2004

| | Alabama | | Georgia | | Mississippi | | Tennessee | | United States | |
|-----------------------|-----------------|---------|-----------------|---------|-----------------|---------|-----------------|---------|-----------------|---------|
| | Number enrolled | Percent | Number enrolled | Percent | Number enrolled | Percent | Number enrolled | Percent | Number enrolled | Percent |
| Non-Hispanic | | | | | | | | | | |
| Nursery/Preschool | 65,240 | 6.0 | 162,342 | 7.7 | 47,656 | 6.4 | 85,124 | 6.4 | 3,906,345 | 6.2 |
| Kindergarten | 57,889 | 5.3 | 119,007 | 5.6 | 44,306 | 6.0 | 73,117 | 5.5 | 3,163,442 | 5.0 |
| Grades 1 to 4 | 216,370 | 19.7 | 471,100 | 22.3 | 156,479 | 21.1 | 286,344 | 21.5 | 12,668,710 | 20.1 |
| Grades 5 to 8 | 264,770 | 24.2 | 461,991 | 21.9 | 173,778 | 23.4 | 295,157 | 22.2 | 13,771,282 | 21.9 |
| Grades 9 to 12 | 248,857 | 22.7 | 467,736 | 22.2 | 167,073 | 22.5 | 300,481 | 22.6 | 13,897,245 | 22.1 |
| College | 198,788 | 18.1 | 343,754 | 16.3 | 131,611 | 17.7 | 235,152 | 17.7 | 12,319,220 | 19.6 |
| Grad school | 44,249 | 4.0 | 82,188 | 3.9 | 21,917 | 3.0 | 56,414 | 4.2 | 3,151,404 | 5.0 |
| Total enrolled | 1,096,163 | 100.0 | 2,108,118 | 100.0 | 742,820 | 100.0 | 1,331,789 | 100.0 | 62,877,648 | 100.0 |
| Mexican | | | | | | | | | | |
| Nursery/Preschool | 679 | 5.5 | 7,544 | 8.3 | 427 | 8.5 | 977 | 3.9 | 494,511 | 6.0 |
| Kindergarten | 2,368 | 19.3 | 7,383 | 8.1 | 183 | 3.6 | 1,669 | 6.7 | 565,494 | 6.9 |
| Grades 1 to 4 | 3,553 | 28.9 | 25,947 | 28.4 | 1,261 | 25.0 | 8,767 | 35.3 | 2,132,824 | 26.0 |
| Grades 5 to 8 | 2,994 | 24.3 | 24,668 | 27.0 | 1,086 | 21.5 | 7,100 | 28.6 | 1,966,772 | 23.9 |
| Grades 9 to 12 | 1,669 | 13.6 | 19,780 | 21.6 | 788 | 15.6 | 3,127 | 12.6 | 1,795,354 | 21.8 |
| College | 1,034 | 8.4 | 5,889 | 6.4 | 1,008 | 20.0 | 2,940 | 11.8 | 1,139,597 | 13.9 |
| Grad school | 0 | 0.0 | 184 | 0.0 | 295 | 5.8 | 286 | 1.2 | 124,154 | 1.5 |
| Total enrolled | 12,297 | 100.0 | 91,395 | 100.0 | 5,048 | 100.0 | 24,866 | 100.0 | 8,218,706 | 100.0 |
| Other Hispanic | | | | | | | | | | |
| Nursery/Preschool | 928 | 13.5 | 6,903 | 12.5 | 142 | 3.2 | 1,811 | 19.0 | 273,682 | 6.2 |
| Kindergarten | 0 | 0.0 | 3,809 | 0.0 | 248 | 5.6 | 426 | 4.5 | 263,513 | 6.0 |
| Grades 1 to 4 | 1,129 | 16.4 | 12,573 | 22.8 | 1,435 | 32.3 | 1,934 | 20.3 | 964,838 | 22.0 |
| Grades 5 to 8 | 866 | 12.6 | 13,269 | 24.1 | 744 | 16.8 | 1,530 | 16.0 | 991,966 | 22.6 |
| Grades 9 to 12 | 1,058 | 15.3 | 7,957 | 14.4 | 787 | 17.7 | 1,727 | 18.1 | 940,969 | 21.5 |
| College | 2,450 | 35.5 | 7,622 | 13.8 | 667 | 15.0 | 355 | 3.7 | 800,804 | 18.3 |
| Grad school | 467 | 6.8 | 2,951 | 5.4 | 418 | 9.4 | 1,751 | 18.4 | 145,776 | 3.3 |
| Total enrolled | 6,898 | 100.0 | 55,084 | 100.0 | 4,441 | 100.0 | 9,534 | 100.0 | 4,381,548 | 100.0 |
| Total | | | | | | | | | | |
| Nursery/Preschool | 66,847 | 6.0 | 176,789 | 7.8 | 48,225 | 6.4 | 87,912 | 6.4 | 4,674,538 | 6.2 |
| Kindergarten | 60,257 | 5.4 | 130,199 | 5.8 | 44,737 | 5.9 | 75,212 | 5.5 | 3,992,449 | 5.3 |
| Grades 1 to 4 | 221,052 | 19.8 | 509,620 | 22.6 | 159,175 | 21.2 | 297,045 | 21.7 | 15,766,372 | 20.9 |
| Grades 5 to 8 | 268,630 | 24.1 | 499,928 | 22.2 | 175,608 | 23.3 | 303,787 | 22.2 | 16,730,020 | 22.2 |
| Grades 9 to 12 | 251,584 | 22.6 | 495,473 | 22.0 | 168,648 | 22.4 | 305,335 | 22.3 | 16,633,568 | 22.0 |
| College | 202,272 | 18.1 | 357,265 | 15.8 | 133,286 | 17.7 | 238,447 | 17.5 | 14,259,621 | 18.9 |
| Grad school | 44,716 | 4.0 | 85,323 | 3.8 | 22,630 | 3.0 | 58,451 | 4.3 | 3,421,334 | 4.5 |
| Total enrolled | 1,115,358 | 100.0 | 2,254,597 | 100.0 | 752,309 | 100.0 | 1,366,189 | 100.0 | 75,477,902 | 100.0 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, Terry College of Business, The University of Georgia, based on data from U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

TABLE 10
Foreign Born Residents of Mexican Origin, by Year of Entry into the United States, 2004

| | Before 1950 | 1951 - 1979 | 1980 - 1989 | 1991 - 1999 | 2000 - 2004 | Total |
|---------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------------|
| State | Number | | | | | |
| Alabama | 269 | 771 | 2,566 | 19,880 | 21,928 | 45,414 |
| Georgia | 0 | 9,520 | 32,972 | 110,399 | 106,350 | 259,241 |
| Mississippi | 96 | 1,025 | 1,675 | 5,726 | 4,280 | 12,802 |
| Tennessee | 0 | 1,871 | 5,751 | 36,563 | 23,215 | 67,400 |
| United States | 85,938 | 1,930,913 | 2,384,055 | 3,777,579 | 2,191,356 | 10,369,841 |
| State | Percent | | | | | |
| Alabama | 0.6 | 1.7 | 5.7 | 43.8 | 48.3 | 100.0 |
| Georgia | 0.0 | 3.7 | 12.7 | 42.6 | 41.0 | 100.0 |
| Mississippi | 0.7 | 8.0 | 13.1 | 44.7 | 33.4 | 100.0 |
| Tennessee | 0.0 | 2.8 | 8.5 | 54.2 | 34.4 | 100.0 |
| United States | 0.8 | 18.6 | 23.0 | 36.4 | 21.1 | 100.0 |

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2004, Census 2000; percentages and ranking calculated by the Selig Center for Economic Growth, Terry College of Business, The University of Georgia.

TABLE 11 – Part 1
Population by Hispanic Origin, by Place of Birth and Age Group, 2004
Non-Hispanic/Latino

| State/Age Group | U.S. Born* | | Foreign Born | | Total | |
|--------------------|------------|---------|--------------|---------|-----------|---------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Alabama | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 283,076 | 99.5 | 1,413 | 0.5 | 284,489 | 100.0 |
| 5 to 9 | 266,359 | 98.9 | 2,957 | 1.1 | 269,316 | 100.0 |
| 10 to 14 | 328,446 | 99.6 | 1,328 | 0.4 | 329,774 | 100.0 |
| 15 to 19 | 280,249 | 99.4 | 1,612 | 0.6 | 281,861 | 100.0 |
| 20 to 24 | 295,551 | 98.5 | 4,439 | 1.5 | 299,990 | 100.0 |
| 25 to 34 | 543,205 | 97.6 | 13,243 | 2.4 | 556,448 | 100.0 |
| 35 to 44 | 622,593 | 98.5 | 9,453 | 1.5 | 632,046 | 100.0 |
| 45 to 54 | 625,526 | 98.8 | 7,842 | 1.2 | 633,368 | 100.0 |
| 55 to 59 | 266,539 | 98.1 | 5,056 | 1.9 | 271,595 | 100.0 |
| 60 to 64 | 205,765 | 98.5 | 3,224 | 1.5 | 208,989 | 100.0 |
| 65 to 74 | 306,530 | 98.4 | 4,863 | 1.6 | 311,393 | 100.0 |
| 75 to 84 | 192,634 | 98.9 | 2,171 | 1.1 | 194,805 | 100.0 |
| 85 and over | 53,646 | 98.7 | 723 | 1.3 | 54,369 | 100.0 |
| Total | 4,270,119 | 98.7 | 58,324 | 1.3 | 4,328,443 | 100.0 |
| Georgia | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 597,343 | 99.6 | 2,679 | 0.4 | 600,022 | 100.0 |
| 5 to 9 | 582,886 | 98.5 | 9,055 | 1.5 | 591,941 | 100.0 |
| 10 to 14 | 568,804 | 97.9 | 12,162 | 2.1 | 580,966 | 100.0 |
| 15 to 19 | 522,238 | 97.6 | 12,582 | 2.4 | 534,820 | 100.0 |
| 20 to 24 | 536,144 | 96.3 | 20,570 | 3.7 | 556,714 | 100.0 |
| 25 to 34 | 1,059,077 | 91.4 | 99,047 | 8.6 | 1,158,124 | 100.0 |
| 35 to 44 | 1,182,839 | 92.5 | 95,364 | 7.5 | 1,278,203 | 100.0 |
| 45 to 54 | 1,073,041 | 94.4 | 63,918 | 5.6 | 1,136,959 | 100.0 |
| 55 to 59 | 415,923 | 94.4 | 24,713 | 5.6 | 440,636 | 100.0 |
| 60 to 64 | 332,306 | 96.3 | 12,635 | 3.7 | 344,941 | 100.0 |
| 65 to 74 | 435,201 | 95.3 | 21,348 | 4.7 | 456,549 | 100.0 |
| 75 to 84 | 240,665 | 96.3 | 9,130 | 3.7 | 249,795 | 100.0 |
| 85 and over | 73,130 | 97.7 | 1,732 | 2.3 | 74,862 | 100.0 |
| Total | 7,619,597 | 95.2 | 384,935 | 4.8 | 8,004,532 | 100.0 |
| Mississippi | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 202,906 | 99.8 | 353 | 0.2 | 203,259 | 100.0 |
| 5 to 9 | 192,531 | 99.8 | 357 | 0.2 | 192,888 | 100.0 |
| 10 to 14 | 213,014 | 100.0 | 47 | 0.0 | 213,061 | 100.0 |
| 15 to 19 | 196,141 | 99.6 | 710 | 0.4 | 196,851 | 100.0 |
| 20 to 24 | 205,433 | 99.6 | 862 | 0.4 | 206,295 | 100.0 |
| 25 to 34 | 361,178 | 99.0 | 3,824 | 1.0 | 365,002 | 100.0 |
| 35 to 44 | 386,482 | 99.2 | 3,052 | 0.8 | 389,534 | 100.0 |
| 45 to 54 | 388,926 | 99.4 | 2,305 | 0.6 | 391,231 | 100.0 |
| 55 to 59 | 155,269 | 98.8 | 1,827 | 1.2 | 157,096 | 100.0 |
| 60 to 64 | 120,370 | 98.4 | 2,005 | 1.6 | 122,375 | 100.0 |
| 65 to 74 | 182,686 | 99.3 | 1,208 | 0.7 | 183,894 | 100.0 |
| 75 to 84 | 110,534 | 99.2 | 851 | 0.8 | 111,385 | 100.0 |
| 85 and over | 32,698 | 100.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 32,698 | 100.0 |
| Total | 2,748,168 | 99.4 | 17,401 | 0.6 | 2,765,569 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 11 – Part 1 (Continued)
Population by Hispanic Origin, by Place of Birth and Age Group, 2004
Non-Hispanic/Latino

| State/Age Group | U.S. Born* | | Foreign Born | | Total | |
|----------------------|-------------|---------|--------------|---------|-------------|---------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Tennessee | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 359,640 | 99.8 | 828 | 0.2 | 360,468 | 100.0 |
| 5 to 9 | 362,958 | 99.5 | 1,839 | 0.5 | 364,797 | 100.0 |
| 10 to 14 | 374,630 | 99.3 | 2,681 | 0.7 | 377,311 | 100.0 |
| 15 to 19 | 346,195 | 98.5 | 5,448 | 1.5 | 351,643 | 100.0 |
| 20 to 24 | 347,376 | 97.7 | 8,331 | 2.3 | 355,707 | 100.0 |
| 25 to 34 | 729,714 | 95.4 | 34,857 | 4.6 | 764,571 | 100.0 |
| 35 to 44 | 830,315 | 97.3 | 23,093 | 2.7 | 853,408 | 100.0 |
| 45 to 54 | 808,748 | 96.9 | 26,040 | 3.1 | 834,788 | 100.0 |
| 55 to 59 | 329,943 | 97.7 | 7,607 | 2.3 | 337,550 | 100.0 |
| 60 to 64 | 273,993 | 98.4 | 4,486 | 1.6 | 278,479 | 100.0 |
| 65 to 74 | 384,782 | 97.9 | 8,136 | 2.1 | 392,918 | 100.0 |
| 75 to 84 | 238,044 | 98.7 | 3,099 | 1.3 | 241,143 | 100.0 |
| 85 and over | 64,795 | 99.7 | 181 | 0.3 | 64,976 | 100.0 |
| Total | 5,451,133 | 97.7 | 126,626 | 2.3 | 5,577,759 | 100.0 |
| United States | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 15,488,076 | 99.0 | 161,809 | 1.0 | 15,649,885 | 100.0 |
| 5 to 9 | 15,395,174 | 97.8 | 342,043 | 2.2 | 15,737,217 | 100.0 |
| 10 to 14 | 16,884,131 | 97.2 | 479,367 | 2.8 | 17,363,498 | 100.0 |
| 15 to 19 | 15,230,536 | 95.8 | 668,322 | 4.2 | 15,898,858 | 100.0 |
| 20 to 24 | 14,726,191 | 93.6 | 1,007,458 | 6.4 | 15,733,649 | 100.0 |
| 25 to 34 | 27,923,469 | 89.2 | 3,396,448 | 10.8 | 31,319,917 | 100.0 |
| 35 to 44 | 33,467,951 | 89.3 | 3,996,467 | 10.7 | 37,464,418 | 100.0 |
| 45 to 54 | 33,940,191 | 91.1 | 3,321,074 | 8.9 | 37,261,265 | 100.0 |
| 55 to 59 | 13,650,297 | 91.3 | 1,299,856 | 8.7 | 14,950,153 | 100.0 |
| 60 to 64 | 10,664,922 | 91.2 | 1,028,487 | 8.8 | 11,693,409 | 100.0 |
| 65 to 74 | 15,222,368 | 90.9 | 1,518,067 | 9.1 | 16,740,435 | 100.0 |
| 75 to 84 | 10,810,225 | 92.3 | 903,000 | 7.7 | 11,713,225 | 100.0 |
| 85 and over | 3,404,999 | 92.1 | 293,145 | 7.9 | 3,698,144 | 100.0 |
| Total | 226,808,530 | 92.5 | 18,415,543 | 7.5 | 245,224,073 | 100.0 |

TABLE 11 – Part 2
Population by Hispanic Origin, by Place of Birth and Age Group, 2004
Mexicans

| State/Age Group | U.S. Born* | | Foreign Born | | Total | |
|--------------------|------------|---------|--------------|---------|---------|---------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Alabama | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 9,150 | 93.0 | 684 | 7.0 | 9,834 | 100.0 |
| 5 to 9 | 4,734 | 69.4 | 2,084 | 30.6 | 6,818 | 100.0 |
| 10 to 14 | 1,568 | 40.4 | 2,317 | 59.6 | 3,885 | 100.0 |
| 15 to 19 | 1,294 | 45.2 | 1,566 | 54.8 | 2,860 | 100.0 |
| 20 to 24 | 214 | 2.0 | 10,694 | 98.0 | 10,908 | 100.0 |
| 25 to 34 | 1,171 | 5.6 | 19,674 | 94.4 | 20,845 | 100.0 |
| 35 to 44 | 2,368 | 28.3 | 5,988 | 71.7 | 8,356 | 100.0 |
| 45 to 54 | 633 | 36.0 | 1,123 | 64.0 | 1,756 | 100.0 |
| 55 to 59 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 60 to 64 | 845 | 100.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 845 | 100.0 |
| 65 to 74 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 75 to 84 | 422 | 61.1 | 269 | 38.9 | 691 | 100.0 |
| 85 and over | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Total | 22,399 | 33.5 | 44,399 | 66.5 | 66,798 | 100.0 |
| Georgia | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 45,826 | 95.7 | 2,067 | 4.3 | 47,893 | 100.0 |
| 5 to 9 | 29,640 | 78.1 | 8,313 | 21.9 | 37,953 | 100.0 |
| 10 to 14 | 16,436 | 58.2 | 11,797 | 41.8 | 28,233 | 100.0 |
| 15 to 19 | 11,813 | 37.4 | 19,805 | 62.6 | 31,618 | 100.0 |
| 20 to 24 | 9,976 | 22.2 | 34,944 | 77.8 | 44,920 | 100.0 |
| 25 to 34 | 7,036 | 6.5 | 101,369 | 93.5 | 108,405 | 100.0 |
| 35 to 44 | 5,057 | 8.4 | 55,370 | 91.6 | 60,427 | 100.0 |
| 45 to 54 | 4,339 | 21.7 | 15,626 | 78.3 | 19,965 | 100.0 |
| 55 to 59 | 530 | 10.2 | 4,656 | 89.8 | 5,186 | 100.0 |
| 60 to 64 | 562 | 20.0 | 2,249 | 80.0 | 2,811 | 100.0 |
| 65 to 74 | 2,044 | 78.7 | 552 | 21.3 | 2,596 | 100.0 |
| 75 to 84 | 572 | 100.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 572 | 100.0 |
| 85 and over | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Total | 133,831 | 34.3 | 256,748 | 65.7 | 390,579 | 100.0 |
| Mississippi | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 3,163 | 92.9 | 242 | 7.1 | 3,405 | 100.0 |
| 5 to 9 | 1,933 | 89.9 | 218 | 10.1 | 2,151 | 100.0 |
| 10 to 14 | 1,085 | 79.5 | 279 | 20.5 | 1,364 | 100.0 |
| 15 to 19 | 1,187 | 53.8 | 1,021 | 46.2 | 2,208 | 100.0 |
| 20 to 24 | 588 | 22.0 | 2,085 | 78.0 | 2,673 | 100.0 |
| 25 to 34 | 2,232 | 29.4 | 5,350 | 70.6 | 7,582 | 100.0 |
| 35 to 44 | 1,760 | 41.8 | 2,449 | 58.2 | 4,209 | 100.0 |
| 45 to 54 | 1,661 | 74.6 | 567 | 25.4 | 2,228 | 100.0 |
| 55 to 59 | 0 | 0.0 | 221 | 100.0 | 221 | 100.0 |
| 60 to 64 | 419 | 100.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 419 | 100.0 |
| 65 to 74 | 633 | 100.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 633 | 100.0 |
| 75 to 84 | 255 | 100.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 255 | 100.0 |
| 85 and over | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Total | 14,916 | 54.5 | 12,432 | 45.5 | 27,348 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 11 – Part 2 (Continued)
Population by Hispanic Origin, by Place of Birth and Age Group, 2004
Mexicans

| State/Age Group | U.S. Born* | | Foreign Born | | Total | |
|----------------------|------------|---------|--------------|---------|------------|---------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Tennessee | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 16,769 | 96.3 | 647 | 3.7 | 17,416 | 100.0 |
| 5 to 9 | 7,441 | 60.7 | 4,818 | 39.3 | 12,259 | 100.0 |
| 10 to 14 | 4,602 | 66.7 | 2,300 | 33.3 | 6,902 | 100.0 |
| 15 to 19 | 3,015 | 43.5 | 3,911 | 56.5 | 6,926 | 100.0 |
| 20 to 24 | 6,218 | 33.2 | 12,517 | 66.8 | 18,735 | 100.0 |
| 25 to 34 | 3,899 | 13.8 | 24,311 | 86.2 | 28,210 | 100.0 |
| 35 to 44 | 3,153 | 18.9 | 13,531 | 81.1 | 16,684 | 100.0 |
| 45 to 54 | 2,094 | 47.3 | 2,331 | 52.7 | 4,425 | 100.0 |
| 55 to 59 | 251 | 21.0 | 945 | 79.0 | 1,196 | 100.0 |
| 60 to 64 | 554 | 37.8 | 910 | 62.2 | 1,464 | 100.0 |
| 65 to 74 | 462 | 59.8 | 310 | 40.2 | 772 | 100.0 |
| 75 to 84 | 1,017 | 100.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 1,017 | 100.0 |
| 85 and over | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Total | 49,475 | 42.6 | 66,531 | 57.4 | 116,006 | 100.0 |
| United States | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 2,915,178 | 96.6 | 102,118 | 3.4 | 3,017,296 | 100.0 |
| 5 to 9 | 2,405,356 | 89.0 | 298,589 | 11.0 | 2,703,945 | 100.0 |
| 10 to 14 | 2,063,416 | 83.7 | 401,617 | 16.3 | 2,465,033 | 100.0 |
| 15 to 19 | 1,467,712 | 69.5 | 644,652 | 30.5 | 2,112,364 | 100.0 |
| 20 to 24 | 1,334,087 | 54.3 | 1,123,474 | 45.7 | 2,457,561 | 100.0 |
| 25 to 34 | 1,938,621 | 39.6 | 2,955,411 | 60.4 | 4,894,032 | 100.0 |
| 35 to 44 | 1,362,449 | 37.1 | 2,309,674 | 62.9 | 3,672,123 | 100.0 |
| 45 to 54 | 999,636 | 43.9 | 1,278,597 | 56.1 | 2,278,233 | 100.0 |
| 55 to 59 | 338,285 | 47.9 | 367,410 | 52.1 | 705,695 | 100.0 |
| 60 to 64 | 221,392 | 46.5 | 254,763 | 53.5 | 476,155 | 100.0 |
| 65 to 74 | 353,265 | 55.0 | 288,654 | 45.0 | 641,919 | 100.0 |
| 75 to 84 | 213,406 | 62.8 | 126,537 | 37.2 | 339,943 | 100.0 |
| 85 and over | 45,847 | 58.0 | 33,217 | 42.0 | 79,064 | 100.0 |
| Total | 15,658,650 | 60.6 | 10,184,713 | 39.4 | 25,843,363 | 100.0 |

TABLE 11 – Part 3
Population by Hispanic Origin, by Place of Birth and Age Group, 2004
Other Hispanics

| State/Age Group | U.S. Born* | | Foreign Born | | Total | |
|--------------------|------------|---------|--------------|---------|---------|---------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Alabama | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 985 | 81.8 | 219 | 18.2 | 1,204 | 100.0 |
| 5 to 9 | 832 | 44.3 | 1,047 | 55.7 | 1,879 | 100.0 |
| 10 to 14 | 1,000 | 89.6 | 116 | 10.4 | 1,116 | 100.0 |
| 15 to 19 | 842 | 87.9 | 116 | 12.1 | 958 | 100.0 |
| 20 to 24 | 2,650 | 92.8 | 206 | 7.2 | 2,856 | 100.0 |
| 25 to 34 | 911 | 22.0 | 3,224 | 78.0 | 4,135 | 100.0 |
| 35 to 44 | 1,682 | 57.9 | 1,225 | 42.1 | 2,907 | 100.0 |
| 45 to 54 | 2,245 | 77.3 | 660 | 22.7 | 2,905 | 100.0 |
| 55 to 59 | 158 | 100.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 158 | 100.0 |
| 60 to 64 | 164 | 61.0 | 105 | 39.0 | 269 | 100.0 |
| 65 to 74 | 617 | 100.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 617 | 100.0 |
| 75 to 84 | 314 | 100.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 314 | 100.0 |
| 85 and over | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Total | 12,400 | 64.2 | 6,918 | 35.8 | 19,318 | 100.0 |
| Georgia | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 17,723 | 94.7 | 985 | 5.3 | 18,708 | 100.0 |
| 5 to 9 | 14,865 | 95.5 | 700 | 4.5 | 15,565 | 100.0 |
| 10 to 14 | 13,260 | 83.4 | 2,644 | 16.6 | 15,904 | 100.0 |
| 15 to 19 | 7,044 | 67.1 | 3,461 | 32.9 | 10,505 | 100.0 |
| 20 to 24 | 5,845 | 44.7 | 7,232 | 55.3 | 13,077 | 100.0 |
| 25 to 34 | 13,168 | 33.0 | 26,698 | 67.0 | 39,866 | 100.0 |
| 35 to 44 | 11,851 | 35.1 | 21,904 | 64.9 | 33,755 | 100.0 |
| 45 to 54 | 11,587 | 51.4 | 10,934 | 48.6 | 22,521 | 100.0 |
| 55 to 59 | 2,580 | 45.5 | 3,094 | 54.5 | 5,674 | 100.0 |
| 60 to 64 | 1,686 | 47.3 | 1,878 | 52.7 | 3,564 | 100.0 |
| 65 to 74 | 1,895 | 54.4 | 1,587 | 45.6 | 3,482 | 100.0 |
| 75 to 84 | 337 | 17.0 | 1,647 | 83.0 | 1,984 | 100.0 |
| 85 and over | 337 | 95.7 | 254 | 43.0 | 591 | 100.0 |
| Total | 102,178 | 55.2 | 83,018 | 44.8 | 185,196 | 100.0 |
| Mississippi | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 1,365 | 100.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 1,365 | 100.0 |
| 5 to 9 | 1,045 | 66.9 | 518 | 33.1 | 1,563 | 100.0 |
| 10 to 14 | 1,089 | 100.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 1,089 | 100.0 |
| 15 to 19 | 711 | 100.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 711 | 100.0 |
| 20 to 24 | 360 | 36.7 | 622 | 63.3 | 982 | 100.0 |
| 25 to 34 | 2,450 | 84.5 | 450 | 15.5 | 2,900 | 100.0 |
| 35 to 44 | 532 | 18.9 | 2,281 | 81.1 | 2,813 | 100.0 |
| 45 to 54 | 496 | 51.0 | 476 | 49.0 | 972 | 100.0 |
| 55 to 59 | 310 | 100.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 310 | 100.0 |
| 60 to 64 | 84 | 13.5 | 539 | 86.5 | 623 | 100.0 |
| 65 to 74 | 469 | 82.3 | 101 | 17.7 | 570 | 100.0 |
| 75 to 84 | 76 | 48.4 | 81 | 51.6 | 157 | 100.0 |
| 85 and over | 92 | 100.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 92 | 100.0 |
| Total | 9,079 | 64.2 | 5,068 | 35.8 | 14,147 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 11 – Part 3 (Continued)
Population by Hispanic Origin, by Place of Birth and Age Group, 2004
Other Hispanics

| State/Age Group | U.S. Born* | | Foreign Born | | Total | |
|----------------------|------------------|-------------|------------------|-------------|-------------------|--------------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Tennessee | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 4,718 | 97.9 | 101 | 2.1 | 4,819 | 100.0 |
| 5 to 9 | 3,989 | 100.0 | | na | 3,989 | na |
| 10 to 14 | 1,235 | 71.3 | 496 | 28.7 | 1,731 | 100.0 |
| 15 to 19 | 1,761 | 47.8 | 1,924 | 52.2 | 3,685 | 100.0 |
| 20 to 24 | 2,551 | 31.8 | 5,460 | 68.2 | 8,011 | 100.0 |
| 25 to 34 | 3,029 | 32.1 | 6,400 | 67.9 | 9,429 | 100.0 |
| 35 to 44 | 4,936 | 50.9 | 4,755 | 49.1 | 9,691 | 100.0 |
| 45 to 54 | 2,919 | 69.9 | 1,256 | 30.1 | 4,175 | 100.0 |
| 55 to 59 | 805 | 49.1 | 834 | 50.9 | 1,639 | 100.0 |
| 60 to 64 | 0 | 0.0 | 231 | 100.0 | 231 | 100.0 |
| 65 to 74 | 924 | 86.1 | 149 | 13.9 | 1,073 | 100.0 |
| 75 to 84 | 321 | 34.6 | 608 | 65.4 | 929 | 100.0 |
| 85 and over | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Total | 27,188 | 55.0 | 22,214 | 45.0 | 49,402 | 100.0 |
| United States | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 1,292,887 | 96.8 | 42,698 | 3.2 | 1,335,585 | 100.0 |
| 5 to 9 | 1,112,991 | 91.7 | 100,945 | 8.3 | 1,213,936 | 100.0 |
| 10 to 14 | 1,074,186 | 87.5 | 153,412 | 12.5 | 1,227,598 | 100.0 |
| 15 to 19 | 817,588 | 76.6 | 249,651 | 23.4 | 1,067,239 | 100.0 |
| 20 to 24 | 727,728 | 63.3 | 421,789 | 36.7 | 1,149,517 | 100.0 |
| 25 to 34 | 1,239,831 | 50.5 | 1,213,711 | 49.5 | 2,453,542 | 100.0 |
| 35 to 44 | 1,079,155 | 43.9 | 1,381,222 | 56.1 | 2,460,377 | 100.0 |
| 45 to 54 | 752,385 | 44.5 | 939,891 | 55.5 | 1,692,276 | 100.0 |
| 55 to 59 | 260,351 | 45.1 | 316,416 | 54.9 | 576,767 | 100.0 |
| 60 to 64 | 184,340 | 42.4 | 250,064 | 57.6 | 434,404 | 100.0 |
| 65 to 74 | 249,284 | 41.4 | 353,361 | 58.6 | 602,645 | 100.0 |
| 75 to 84 | 126,088 | 40.3 | 186,665 | 59.7 | 312,753 | 100.0 |
| 85 and over | 33,298 | 41.2 | 47,620 | 58.8 | 80,918 | 100.0 |
| Total | 8,950,112 | 61.3 | 5,657,445 | 38.7 | 14,607,557 | 100.0 |

TABLE 11 – Part 4
Population by Hispanic Origin, by Place of Birth and Age Group, 2004
Total

| State/Age Group | U.S. Born* | | Foreign Born | | Total | |
|--------------------|------------------|-------------|----------------|------------|------------------|--------------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Alabama | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 293,211 | 99.2 | 2,316 | 0.8 | 295,527 | 100.0 |
| 5 to 9 | 271,925 | 97.8 | 6,088 | 2.2 | 278,013 | 100.0 |
| 10 to 14 | 331,014 | 98.9 | 3,761 | 1.1 | 334,775 | 100.0 |
| 15 to 19 | 282,385 | 98.8 | 3,294 | 1.2 | 285,679 | 100.0 |
| 20 to 24 | 298,415 | 95.1 | 15,339 | 4.9 | 313,754 | 100.0 |
| 25 to 34 | 545,287 | 93.8 | 36,141 | 6.2 | 581,428 | 100.0 |
| 35 to 44 | 626,643 | 97.4 | 16,666 | 2.6 | 643,309 | 100.0 |
| 45 to 54 | 628,404 | 98.5 | 9,625 | 1.5 | 638,029 | 100.0 |
| 55 to 59 | 266,697 | 98.1 | 5,056 | 1.9 | 271,753 | 100.0 |
| 60 to 64 | 206,774 | 98.4 | 3,329 | 1.6 | 210,103 | 100.0 |
| 65 to 74 | 307,147 | 98.4 | 4,863 | 1.6 | 312,010 | 100.0 |
| 75 to 84 | 193,370 | 98.8 | 2,440 | 1.2 | 195,810 | 100.0 |
| 85 and over | 53,646 | 98.7 | 723 | 1.3 | 54,369 | 100.0 |
| Total | 4,304,918 | 97.5 | 109,641 | 2.5 | 4,414,559 | 100.0 |
| Georgia | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 660,892 | 99.1 | 5,731 | 0.9 | 666,623 | 100.0 |
| 5 to 9 | 627,391 | 97.2 | 18,068 | 2.8 | 645,459 | 100.0 |
| 10 to 14 | 598,500 | 95.7 | 26,603 | 4.3 | 625,103 | 100.0 |
| 15 to 19 | 541,095 | 93.8 | 35,848 | 6.2 | 576,943 | 100.0 |
| 20 to 24 | 551,965 | 89.8 | 62,746 | 10.2 | 614,711 | 100.0 |
| 25 to 34 | 1,079,281 | 82.6 | 227,114 | 17.4 | 1,306,395 | 100.0 |
| 35 to 44 | 1,199,747 | 87.4 | 172,638 | 12.6 | 1,372,385 | 100.0 |
| 45 to 54 | 1,088,967 | 92.3 | 90,478 | 7.7 | 1,179,445 | 100.0 |
| 55 to 59 | 419,033 | 92.8 | 32,463 | 7.2 | 451,496 | 100.0 |
| 60 to 64 | 334,554 | 95.2 | 16,762 | 4.8 | 351,316 | 100.0 |
| 65 to 74 | 439,140 | 94.9 | 23,487 | 5.1 | 462,627 | 100.0 |
| 75 to 84 | 241,574 | 95.7 | 10,777 | 4.3 | 252,351 | 100.0 |
| 85 and over | 73,467 | 97.4 | 1,986 | 2.6 | 75,453 | 100.0 |
| Total | 7,855,606 | 91.6 | 724,701 | 8.4 | 8,580,307 | 100.0 |
| Mississippi | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 207,434 | 99.7 | 595 | 0.3 | 208,029 | 100.0 |
| 5 to 9 | 195,509 | 99.4 | 1,093 | 0.6 | 196,602 | 100.0 |
| 10 to 14 | 215,188 | 99.8 | 326 | 0.2 | 215,514 | 100.0 |
| 15 to 19 | 198,039 | 99.1 | 1,731 | 0.9 | 199,770 | 100.0 |
| 20 to 24 | 206,381 | 98.3 | 3,569 | 1.7 | 209,950 | 100.0 |
| 25 to 34 | 365,860 | 97.4 | 9,624 | 2.6 | 375,484 | 100.0 |
| 35 to 44 | 388,774 | 98.0 | 7,782 | 2.0 | 396,556 | 100.0 |
| 45 to 54 | 391,083 | 99.2 | 3,348 | 0.8 | 394,431 | 100.0 |
| 55 to 59 | 155,579 | 98.7 | 2,048 | 1.3 | 157,627 | 100.0 |
| 60 to 64 | 120,873 | 97.9 | 2,544 | 2.1 | 123,417 | 100.0 |
| 65 to 74 | 183,788 | 99.3 | 1,309 | 0.7 | 185,097 | 100.0 |
| 75 to 84 | 110,865 | 99.2 | 932 | 0.8 | 111,797 | 100.0 |
| 85 and over | 32,790 | 100.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 32,790 | 100.0 |
| Total | 2,772,163 | 98.8 | 34,901 | 1.2 | 2,807,064 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 11 – Part 4 (Continued)
Population by Hispanic Origin, by Place of Birth and Age Group, 2004
Total

| State/Age Group | U.S. Born* | | Foreign Born | | Total | |
|----------------------|--------------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|--------------------|--------------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Tennessee | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 381,127 | 99.6 | 1,576 | 0.4 | 382,703 | 100.0 |
| 5 to 9 | 374,388 | 98.3 | 6,657 | 1.7 | 381,045 | 100.0 |
| 10 to 14 | 380,467 | 98.6 | 5,477 | 1.4 | 385,944 | 100.0 |
| 15 to 19 | 350,971 | 96.9 | 11,283 | 3.1 | 362,254 | 100.0 |
| 20 to 24 | 356,145 | 93.1 | 26,308 | 6.9 | 382,453 | 100.0 |
| 25 to 34 | 736,642 | 91.8 | 65,568 | 8.2 | 802,210 | 100.0 |
| 35 to 44 | 838,404 | 95.3 | 41,379 | 4.7 | 879,783 | 100.0 |
| 45 to 54 | 813,761 | 96.5 | 29,627 | 3.5 | 843,388 | 100.0 |
| 55 to 59 | 330,999 | 97.2 | 9,386 | 2.8 | 340,385 | 100.0 |
| 60 to 64 | 274,547 | 98.0 | 5,627 | 2.0 | 280,174 | 100.0 |
| 65 to 74 | 386,168 | 97.8 | 8,595 | 2.2 | 394,763 | 100.0 |
| 75 to 84 | 239,382 | 98.5 | 3,707 | 1.5 | 243,089 | 100.0 |
| 85 and over | 64,795 | 99.7 | 181 | 0.3 | 64,976 | 100.0 |
| Total | 5,527,796 | 96.2 | 215,371 | 3.8 | 5,743,167 | 100.0 |
| United States | | | | | | |
| Under 5 | 19,696,141 | 98.5 | 306,625 | 1.5 | 20,002,766 | 100.0 |
| 5 to 9 | 18,913,521 | 96.2 | 741,577 | 3.8 | 19,655,098 | 100.0 |
| 10 to 14 | 20,021,733 | 95.1 | 1,034,396 | 4.9 | 21,056,129 | 100.0 |
| 15 to 19 | 17,515,836 | 91.8 | 1,562,625 | 8.2 | 19,078,461 | 100.0 |
| 20 to 24 | 16,788,006 | 86.8 | 2,552,721 | 13.2 | 19,340,727 | 100.0 |
| 25 to 34 | 31,101,921 | 80.4 | 7,565,570 | 19.6 | 38,667,491 | 100.0 |
| 35 to 44 | 35,909,555 | 82.4 | 7,687,363 | 17.6 | 43,596,918 | 100.0 |
| 45 to 54 | 35,692,212 | 86.6 | 5,539,562 | 13.4 | 41,231,774 | 100.0 |
| 55 to 59 | 14,248,933 | 87.8 | 1,983,682 | 12.2 | 16,232,615 | 100.0 |
| 60 to 64 | 11,070,654 | 87.8 | 1,533,314 | 12.2 | 12,603,968 | 100.0 |
| 65 to 74 | 15,824,917 | 88.0 | 2,160,082 | 12.0 | 17,984,999 | 100.0 |
| 75 to 84 | 11,149,719 | 90.2 | 1,216,202 | 9.8 | 12,365,921 | 100.0 |
| 85 and over | 3,484,144 | 90.3 | 373,982 | 9.7 | 3,858,126 | 100.0 |
| Total | 251,417,292 | 88.0 | 34,257,701 | 12.0 | 285,674,993 | 100.0 |

*Includes population born in the United States, Puerto Rico, Guam, the U.S. Virgin Islands, or the Northern Marianas, as well as those born abroad of American parents.

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, Terry College of Business, The University of Georgia, based on data from U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

TABLE 12
Labor Force Status, by Hispanic Origin, 2004

| Labor Force Status | Total | | Non-Hispanic/Latino | | Mexican | | Other Hispanic/Latino | |
|----------------------|-------------|---------|---------------------|---------|------------|---------|-----------------------|---------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Alabama | | | | | | | | |
| Age 16 and over | 3,441,417 | 100.0 | 3,380,153 | 100.0 | 46,261 | 100.0 | 15,003 | 100.0 |
| Civilian labor force | 2,133,326 | 62.0 | 2,091,129 | 61.9 | 34,680 | 75.0 | 7,517 | 50.1 |
| Employed | 1,981,278 | 57.6 | 1,941,631 | 57.4 | 32,830 | 71.0 | 6,817 | 45.4 |
| Unemployed | 152,048 | 4.4 | 149,498 | 4.4 | 1,850 | 4.0 | 700 | 4.7 |
| Armed forces | 10,297 | 0.3 | 9,205 | 0.3 | 302 | 0.7 | 790 | 5.3 |
| Not in labor force | 1,297,794 | 37.7 | 1,279,819 | 37.9 | 11,279 | 24.4 | 6,696 | 44.6 |
| Civilian labor force | 2,133,326 | | 2,091,129 | | 34,680 | | 7,517 | |
| Unemployment rate | 7.1 | | 7.1 | | 5.3 | | 9.3 | |
| Georgia | | | | | | | | |
| Age 16 and over | 6,515,541 | 100.0 | 6,108,866 | 100.0 | 273,096 | 100.0 | 133,579 | 100.0 |
| Civilian labor force | 4,397,906 | 67.5 | 4,094,109 | 67.0 | 207,306 | 75.9 | 96,491 | 72.2 |
| Employed | 4,075,407 | 62.5 | 3,791,540 | 62.1 | 197,351 | 72.3 | 86,516 | 64.8 |
| Unemployed | 322,499 | 4.9 | 302,569 | 5.0 | 9,955 | 3.6 | 9,975 | 7.5 |
| Armed forces | 34,970 | 0.5 | 32,325 | 0.5 | 634 | 0.2 | 2,011 | 1.5 |
| Not in labor force | 2,082,665 | 32.0 | 1,982,432 | 32.5 | 65,156 | 23.9 | 35,077 | 26.3 |
| Civilian labor force | 4,397,906 | | 4,094,109 | | 207,306 | | 96,491 | |
| Unemployment rate | 7.3 | | 7.4 | | 4.8 | | 10.3 | |
| Mississippi | | | | | | | | |
| Age 16 and over | 2,143,112 | 100.0 | 2,113,292 | 100.0 | 19,866 | 100.0 | 9,954 | 100.0 |
| Civilian labor force | 1,327,710 | 62.0 | 1,305,162 | 61.8 | 16,734 | 84.2 | 5,814 | 58.4 |
| Employed | 1,203,071 | 56.1 | 1,182,641 | 56.0 | 15,480 | 77.9 | 4,950 | 49.7 |
| Unemployed | 124,639 | 5.8 | 122,521 | 5.8 | 1,254 | 6.3 | 864 | 8.7 |
| Armed forces | 8,853 | 0.4 | 7,951 | 0.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 902 | 9.1 |
| Not in labor force | 806,549 | 37.6 | 800,179 | 37.9 | 3,132 | 15.8 | 3,238 | 32.5 |
| Civilian labor force | 1,327,710 | | 1,305,162 | | 16,734 | | 5,814 | |
| Unemployment rate | 9.4 | | 9.4 | | 7.5 | | 14.9 | |
| Tennessee | | | | | | | | |
| Age 16 and over | 4,509,672 | 100.0 | 4,393,003 | 100.0 | 78,702 | 100.0 | 37,967 | 100.0 |
| Civilian labor force | 2,926,675 | 64.9 | 2,844,258 | 64.7 | 57,143 | 72.6 | 25,274 | 66.6 |
| Employed | 2,718,306 | 60.3 | 2,640,878 | 60.1 | 53,407 | 67.9 | 24,021 | 63.3 |
| Unemployed | 208,369 | 4.6 | 203,380 | 4.6 | 3,736 | 4.7 | 1,253 | 3.3 |
| Armed forces | 14,157 | 0.3 | 12,956 | 0.3 | 613 | 0.8 | 588 | 1.5 |
| Not in labor force | 1,568,840 | 34.8 | 1,535,789 | 35.0 | 20,946 | 26.6 | 12,105 | 31.9 |
| Civilian labor force | 2,926,675 | | 2,844,258 | | 57,143 | | 25,274 | |
| Unemployment rate | 7.1 | | 7.2 | | 6.5 | | 5.0 | |
| United States | | | | | | | | |
| Age 16 and over | 220,821,001 | 100.0 | 192,971,446 | 100.0 | 17,238,564 | 100.0 | 10,610,991 | 100.0 |
| Civilian labor force | 144,745,755 | 65.5 | 125,828,141 | 65.2 | 11,793,402 | 68.4 | 7,124,212 | 67.1 |
| Employed | 134,268,535 | 60.8 | 117,046,398 | 60.7 | 10,725,740 | 62.2 | 6,496,397 | 61.2 |
| Unemployed | 10,477,220 | 4.7 | 8,781,743 | 4.6 | 1,067,662 | 6.2 | 627,815 | 5.9 |
| Armed forces | 719,826 | 0.3 | 649,223 | 0.3 | 39,401 | 0.2 | 31,202 | 0.3 |
| Not in labor force | 75,355,420 | 34.1 | 66,494,082 | 34.5 | 5,405,761 | 31.4 | 3,455,577 | 32.6 |
| Civilian labor force | 144,745,755 | | 125,828,141 | | 11,793,402 | | 7,124,212 | |
| Unemployment rate | 7.2 | | 7.0 | | 9.1 | | 8.8 | |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, based on data from the American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

TABLE 13
Class of Worker, by Hispanic Origin, 2004

| State/Class of Worker | Total | Number | | | Percent of Total | | | |
|-----------------------------|-------------|--------------|------------|----------------|------------------|--------------|---------|----------------|
| | | Non-Hispanic | Mexican | Other Hispanic | Total | Non-Hispanic | Mexican | Other Hispanic |
| Alabama | | | | | | | | |
| Wage and salary | 1,920,799 | 1,874,548 | 36,680 | 9,571 | 73.9 | 73.6 | 92.2 | 81.8 |
| Government | 421,020 | 418,293 | 1,069 | 1,658 | 16.2 | 16.4 | 2.7 | 14.2 |
| Self-employed | 226,944 | 225,112 | 1,446 | 386 | 8.7 | 8.8 | 3.6 | 3.3 |
| Unpaid (in family business) | 8,967 | 8,967 | 0 | 0 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Unemployed | 20,957 | 20,273 | 604 | 80 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 1.5 | 0.7 |
| Total | 2,598,687 | 2,547,193 | 39,799 | 11,695 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| Georgia | | | | | | | | |
| Wage and salary | 3,820,782 | 3,530,258 | 199,799 | 90,725 | 73.4 | 72.6 | 86.5 | 78.2 |
| Government | 773,926 | 758,931 | 4,421 | 10,574 | 14.9 | 15.6 | 1.9 | 9.1 |
| Self-employed | 556,864 | 517,443 | 25,408 | 14,013 | 10.7 | 10.6 | 11.0 | 12.1 |
| Unpaid (in family business) | 20,146 | 20,079 | 67 | 0 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Unemployed | 36,102 | 34,258 | 1,168 | 676 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.5 | 0.6 |
| Mississippi | | | | | | | | |
| Wage and salary | 1,145,499 | 1,124,436 | 15,534 | 5,529 | 71.2 | 71.0 | 86.3 | 68.5 |
| Government | 277,770 | 274,197 | 1,501 | 2,072 | 17.3 | 17.3 | 8.3 | 25.7 |
| Self-employed | 159,008 | 157,747 | 904 | 357 | 9.9 | 10.0 | 5.0 | 4.4 |
| Unpaid (in family business) | 5,014 | 5,014 | 0 | 0 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Unemployed | 22,418 | 22,232 | 67 | 119 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 0.4 | 1.5 |
| Total | 1,609,709 | 1,583,626 | 18,006 | 8,077 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| Tennessee | | | | | | | | |
| Wage and salary | 2,648,330 | 2,569,099 | 52,130 | 27,101 | 75.0 | 74.8 | 80.8 | 86.2 |
| Government | 498,451 | 491,582 | 3,849 | 3,020 | 14.1 | 14.3 | 6.0 | 9.6 |
| Self-employed | 349,998 | 341,384 | 7,298 | 1,316 | 9.9 | 9.9 | 11.3 | 4.2 |
| Unpaid (in family business) | 16,257 | 16,081 | 176 | 0 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.3 | 0.0 |
| Unemployed | 19,623 | 18,550 | 1,073 | 0 | 0.6 | 0.5 | 1.7 | 0.0 |
| United States | | | | | | | | |
| Wage and salary | 127,144,868 | 109,553,455 | 11,136,744 | 6,454,669 | 73.7 | 72.7 | 81.9 | 77.6 |
| Government | 25,634,005 | 23,320,885 | 1,313,260 | 999,860 | 14.9 | 15.5 | 9.7 | 12.0 |
| Self-employed | 17,826,181 | 16,158,658 | 925,121 | 742,402 | 10.3 | 10.7 | 6.8 | 8.9 |
| Unpaid (in family business) | 731,865 | 663,999 | 39,493 | 28,373 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.3 |
| Unemployed | 1,231,505 | 957,978 | 185,071 | 88,456 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 1.4 | 1.1 |
| Total | 172,568,424 | 150,654,975 | 13,599,689 | 8,313,760 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, Terry College of Business, The University of Georgia, based on data from U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

TABLE 14
Population of Mexican Origin, Labor Force Status by Citizenship, 2004

| Area | Employed | | Unemployed | | Armed forces | | Not in labor force | |
|--------------------------|------------|---------|------------|---------|--------------|---------|--------------------|---------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| U.S. Born | | | | | | | | |
| Alabama | 4,386 | 63.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 89 | 1.3 | 2,472 | 35.6 |
| Georgia | 23,324 | 59.1 | 1,549 | 3.9 | 391 | 1.0 | 14,226 | 36.0 |
| Mississippi | 5,046 | 60.6 | 754 | 9.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 2,529 | 30.4 |
| Tennessee | 12,093 | 59.9 | 284 | 1.4 | 613 | 3.0 | 7,184 | 35.6 |
| United States | 4,778,966 | 60.1 | 557,310 | 7.0 | 35,199 | 0.4 | 2,583,378 | 32.5 |
| Naturalized U.S. Citizen | | | | | | | | |
| Alabama | 885 | 75.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 213 | 18.2 | 74 | 6.3 |
| Georgia | 6,744 | 56.8 | 209 | 1.8 | 0 | 0.0 | 4,919 | 41.4 |
| Mississippi | 2,124 | 100.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Tennessee | 2,283 | 80.8 | 105 | 3.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 439 | 15.5 |
| United States | 1,357,668 | 63.3 | 100,049 | 4.7 | 2,833 | 0.1 | 683,144 | 31.9 |
| Non-U.S. Citizen | | | | | | | | |
| Alabama | 27,559 | 72.3 | 1,850 | 4.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 8,733 | 22.9 |
| Georgia | 167,283 | 75.4 | 8,197 | 3.7 | 243 | 0.1 | 46,011 | 20.8 |
| Mississippi | 8,310 | 88.3 | 500 | 5.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 603 | 6.4 |
| Tennessee | 39,031 | 70.1 | 3,347 | 6.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 13,323 | 23.9 |
| United States | 4,589,106 | 64.3 | 410,303 | 5.7 | 1,369 | 0.0 | 2,139,239 | 30.0 |
| Total | | | | | | | | |
| Alabama | 32,830 | 71.0 | 1,850 | 4.0 | 302 | 0.7 | 11,279 | 24.4 |
| Georgia | 197,351 | 72.3 | 9,955 | 3.6 | 634 | 0.2 | 65,156 | 23.9 |
| Mississippi | 15,480 | 77.9 | 1,254 | 6.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 3,132 | 15.8 |
| Tennessee | 53,407 | 67.9 | 3,736 | 4.7 | 613 | 0.8 | 20,946 | 26.6 |
| United States | 10,725,740 | 62.2 | 1,067,662 | 6.2 | 39,401 | 0.2 | 5,405,761 | 31.4 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, Terry College of Business, The University of Georgia, based on data from U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

TABLE 15
Civilian Employment by Industry Sector and Hispanic Origin, 2004

| Industry Sector | Non-Hispanic/Latino Employment | | Mexican Employment | | Other Hispanic/Latino Employment | | Total Employment | |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Alabama | | | | | | | | |
| Administration | 113,904 | 5.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 230 | 3.4 | 114,134 | 5.8 |
| Agriculture | 26,832 | 1.4 | 433 | 1.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 27,265 | 1.4 |
| Construction | 136,061 | 7.0 | 10,016 | 30.5 | 545 | 8.0 | 146,622 | 7.4 |
| Education | 159,157 | 8.2 | | 0.0 | 169 | 2.5 | 159,326 | 8.0 |
| Entertainment | 139,197 | 7.2 | 3,840 | 11.7 | 1,104 | 16.2 | 144,141 | 7.3 |
| Mining | 10,583 | 0.5 | 258 | 0.8 | 0 | 0.0 | 10,841 | 0.5 |
| Finance | 109,271 | 5.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 183 | 2.7 | 109,454 | 5.5 |
| Information | 40,272 | 2.1 | 780 | 2.4 | 86 | 1.3 | 41,138 | 2.1 |
| Medical | 225,742 | 11.6 | 213 | 0.6 | 666 | 9.8 | 226,621 | 11.4 |
| Manufacturing | 274,996 | 14.2 | 9,787 | 29.8 | 1,189 | 17.4 | 285,972 | 14.4 |
| Professional services | 153,126 | 7.9 | 2,189 | 6.7 | 617 | 9.1 | 155,932 | 7.9 |
| Retail trade | 246,885 | 12.7 | 997 | 3.0 | 189 | 2.8 | 248,071 | 12.5 |
| Social, community services | 31,428 | 1.6 | 258 | 0.8 | 0 | 0.0 | 31,686 | 1.6 |
| Service industries | 98,191 | 5.1 | 1,382 | 4.2 | 271 | 4.0 | 99,844 | 5.0 |
| Transportation | 77,831 | 4.0 | 1,496 | 4.6 | 529 | 7.8 | 79,856 | 4.0 |
| Utilities | 28,021 | 1.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 131 | 1.9 | 28,152 | 1.4 |
| Wholesale trade | 70,134 | 3.6 | 1,181 | 3.6 | 908 | 13.3 | 72,223 | 3.6 |
| Total | 1,941,631 | 100.0 | 32,830 | 100.0 | 6,817 | 100.0 | 1,981,278 | 100.0 |
| Georgia | | | | | | | | |
| Administration | 224,242 | 5.9 | 1,193 | 0.6 | 3,565 | 4.1 | 229,000 | 5.6 |
| Agriculture | 42,693 | 1.1 | 4,874 | 2.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 47,567 | 1.2 |
| Construction | 275,328 | 7.3 | 62,192 | 31.5 | 19,503 | 22.5 | 357,023 | 8.8 |
| Education | 289,541 | 7.6 | 378 | 0.2 | 4,144 | 4.8 | 294,063 | 7.2 |
| Entertainment | 284,460 | 7.5 | 29,468 | 14.9 | 6,014 | 7.0 | 319,942 | 7.9 |
| Mining | 8,705 | 0.2 | 162 | 0.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 8,867 | 0.2 |
| Finance | 259,991 | 6.9 | 1,325 | 0.7 | 6,079 | 7.0 | 267,395 | 6.6 |
| Information | 114,735 | 3.0 | 403 | 0.2 | 1,850 | 2.1 | 116,988 | 2.9 |
| Medical | 305,111 | 8.0 | 2,860 | 1.4 | 2,783 | 3.2 | 310,754 | 7.6 |
| Manufacturing | 480,416 | 12.7 | 33,713 | 17.1 | 11,973 | 13.8 | 526,102 | 12.9 |
| Professional services | 371,239 | 9.8 | 19,295 | 9.8 | 6,321 | 7.3 | 396,855 | 9.7 |
| Retail trade | 451,257 | 11.9 | 16,654 | 8.4 | 7,557 | 8.7 | 475,468 | 11.7 |
| Social, community services | 80,071 | 2.1 | 2,414 | 1.2 | 1,733 | 2.0 | 84,218 | 2.1 |
| Service industries | 196,768 | 5.2 | 7,938 | 4.0 | 6,614 | 7.6 | 211,320 | 5.2 |
| Transportation | 212,911 | 5.6 | 3,906 | 2.0 | 4,681 | 5.4 | 221,498 | 5.4 |
| Utilities | 45,345 | 1.2 | 816 | 0.4 | 360 | 0.4 | 46,521 | 1.1 |
| Wholesale trade | 148,727 | 3.9 | 9,760 | 4.9 | 3,339 | 3.9 | 161,826 | 4.0 |
| Total | 3,791,540 | 100.0 | 197,351 | 100.0 | 86,516 | 100.0 | 4,075,407 | 100.0 |
| Mississippi | | | | | | | | |
| Administration | 64,567 | 5.5 | 295 | 1.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 64,862 | 5.4 |
| Agriculture | 25,438 | 2.2 | 2,219 | 14.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 27,657 | 2.3 |
| Construction | 79,134 | 6.7 | 1,975 | 12.8 | 550 | 11.1 | 81,659 | 6.8 |
| Education | 100,662 | 8.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 784 | 15.8 | 101,446 | 8.4 |
| Entertainment | 111,482 | 9.4 | 1,653 | 10.7 | 503 | 10.2 | 113,638 | 9.4 |
| Mining | 9,184 | 0.8 | 796 | 5.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 9,980 | 0.8 |
| Finance | 62,459 | 5.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 62,459 | 5.2 |
| Information | 18,266 | 1.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 18,266 | 1.5 |
| Medical | 126,410 | 10.7 | 404 | 2.6 | 280 | 5.7 | 127,094 | 10.6 |
| Manufacturing | 183,421 | 15.5 | 2,565 | 16.6 | 721 | 14.6 | 186,707 | 15.5 |
| Professional services | 69,922 | 5.9 | 875 | 5.7 | 344 | 6.9 | 71,141 | 5.9 |
| Retail trade | 149,173 | 12.6 | 1,554 | 10.0 | 773 | 15.6 | 151,500 | 12.6 |
| Social, community services | 20,034 | 1.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 378 | 7.6 | 20,412 | 1.7 |
| Service industries | 52,654 | 4.5 | 1,162 | 7.5 | 68 | 1.4 | 53,884 | 4.5 |
| Transportation | 52,054 | 4.4 | 539 | 3.5 | 280 | 5.7 | 52,873 | 4.4 |
| Utilities | 12,996 | 1.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 12,996 | 1.1 |
| Wholesale trade | 44,785 | 3.8 | 1,443 | 9.3 | 269 | 5.4 | 46,497 | 3.9 |
| Total | 1,182,641 | 100.0 | 15,480 | 100.0 | 4,950 | 100.0 | 1,203,071 | 100.0 |

TABLE 15 (Continued)
Civilian Employment by Industry Sector and Hispanic Origin, 2004

| Industry Sector | Non-Hispanic/Latino Employment | | Mexican Employment | | Other Hispanic/Latino Employment | | Total Employment | |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Tennessee | | | | | | | | |
| Administration | 114,989 | 4.4 | 1,724 | 3.2 | 470 | 2.0 | 117,183 | 4.3 |
| Agriculture | 22,553 | 0.9 | 4,829 | 9.0 | 535 | 2.2 | 27,917 | 1.0 |
| Construction | 170,583 | 6.5 | 13,359 | 25.0 | 3,849 | 16.0 | 187,791 | 6.9 |
| Education | 204,634 | 7.7 | 1,480 | 2.8 | 827 | 3.4 | 206,941 | 7.6 |
| Entertainment | 212,272 | 8.0 | 5,022 | 9.4 | 1,579 | 6.6 | 218,873 | 8.1 |
| Mining | 2,822 | 0.1 | 756 | 1.4 | 68 | 0.3 | 3,646 | 0.1 |
| Finance | 158,545 | 6.0 | 569 | 1.1 | 1,614 | 6.7 | 160,728 | 5.9 |
| Information | 51,894 | 2.0 | 195 | 0.4 | 232 | 1.0 | 52,321 | 1.9 |
| Medical | 264,373 | 10.0 | 1,256 | 2.4 | 1,986 | 8.3 | 267,615 | 9.8 |
| Manufacturing | 465,603 | 17.6 | 11,515 | 21.6 | 6,030 | 25.1 | 483,148 | 17.8 |
| Professional services | 218,631 | 8.3 | 5,924 | 11.1 | 2,522 | 10.5 | 227,077 | 8.4 |
| Retail trade | 318,355 | 12.1 | 2,361 | 4.4 | 1,137 | 4.7 | 321,853 | 11.8 |
| Social, community services | 43,349 | 1.6 | 314 | 0.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 43,663 | 1.6 |
| Service industries | 126,291 | 4.8 | 1,875 | 3.5 | 1,384 | 5.8 | 129,550 | 4.8 |
| Transportation | 131,874 | 5.0 | 813 | 1.5 | 509 | 2.1 | 133,196 | 4.9 |
| Utilities | 27,125 | 1.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 335 | 1.4 | 27,460 | 1.0 |
| Wholesale trade | 106,985 | 4.1 | 1,415 | 2.6 | 944 | 3.9 | 109,344 | 4.0 |
| Total | 2,640,878 | 100.0 | 53,407 | 100.0 | 24,021 | 100.0 | 2,718,306 | 100.0 |
| United States | | | | | | | | |
| Administration | 6,066,796 | 5.2 | 336,864 | 3.1 | 262,310 | 4.0 | 6,665,970 | 5.0 |
| Agriculture | 1,449,943 | 1.2 | 383,288 | 3.6 | 28,587 | 0.4 | 1,861,818 | 1.4 |
| Construction | 7,902,205 | 6.8 | 1,541,903 | 14.4 | 558,551 | 8.6 | 10,002,659 | 7.4 |
| Education | 10,510,231 | 9.0 | 537,202 | 5.0 | 406,951 | 6.3 | 11,454,384 | 8.5 |
| Entertainment | 9,374,032 | 8.0 | 1,381,919 | 12.9 | 722,929 | 11.1 | 11,478,880 | 8.5 |
| Mining | 485,250 | 0.4 | 49,570 | 0.5 | 13,341 | 0.2 | 548,161 | 0.4 |
| Finance | 8,699,345 | 7.4 | 452,501 | 4.2 | 444,055 | 6.8 | 9,595,901 | 7.1 |
| Information | 3,133,078 | 2.7 | 152,233 | 1.4 | 144,479 | 2.2 | 3,429,790 | 2.6 |
| Medical | 12,101,402 | 10.3 | 627,778 | 5.9 | 567,932 | 8.7 | 13,297,112 | 9.9 |
| Manufacturing | 13,981,974 | 11.9 | 1,516,619 | 14.1 | 697,690 | 10.7 | 16,196,283 | 12.1 |
| Professional services | 11,410,728 | 9.7 | 945,733 | 8.8 | 679,523 | 10.5 | 13,035,984 | 9.7 |
| Retail trade | 13,847,731 | 11.8 | 1,191,228 | 11.1 | 746,256 | 11.5 | 15,785,215 | 11.8 |
| Social, community services | 2,305,310 | 2.0 | 162,533 | 1.5 | 158,208 | 2.4 | 2,626,051 | 2.0 |
| Service industries | 5,540,936 | 4.7 | 570,108 | 5.3 | 426,089 | 6.6 | 6,537,133 | 4.9 |
| Transportation | 4,852,575 | 4.1 | 371,264 | 3.5 | 346,951 | 5.3 | 5,570,790 | 4.1 |
| Utilities | 1,038,146 | 0.9 | 70,572 | 0.7 | 29,643 | 0.5 | 1,138,361 | 0.8 |
| Wholesale trade | 4,346,716 | 3.7 | 434,425 | 4.1 | 262,902 | 4.0 | 5,044,043 | 3.8 |
| Total | 117,046,398 | 100.0 | 10,725,740 | 100.0 | 6,496,397 | 100.0 | 134,268,535 | 100.0 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, Terry College of Business, The University of Georgia, based on data from U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

TABLE 16
Employment by Industry, by Mexican Origin and Citizenship, 2004

| Industry | Total Employment | | U.S. Born | | Mexican Foreign Born | | Total | |
|----------------------------|------------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|----------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Alabama | | | | | | | | |
| Administration | 114,134 | 5.8 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Agriculture | 27,265 | 1.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 433 | 1.5 | 433 | 1.3 |
| Construction | 146,622 | 7.4 | 236 | 5.4 | 9,780 | 34.4 | 10,016 | 30.5 |
| Education | 159,326 | 8.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Entertainment | 144,141 | 7.3 | 1,745 | 39.8 | 2,095 | 7.4 | 3,840 | 11.7 |
| Mining | 10,841 | 0.5 | 258 | 5.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 258 | 0.8 |
| Finance | 109,454 | 5.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Information | 41,138 | 2.1 | 420 | 9.6 | 360 | 1.3 | 780 | 2.4 |
| Medical | 226,621 | 11.4 | 213 | 4.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 213 | 0.6 |
| Manufacturing | 285,972 | 14.4 | 1,059 | 24.1 | 8,728 | 30.7 | 9,787 | 29.8 |
| Professional services | 155,932 | 7.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 2,189 | 7.7 | 2,189 | 6.7 |
| Retail trade | 248,071 | 12.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 997 | 3.5 | 997 | 3.0 |
| Social, community services | 31,686 | 1.6 | 258 | 5.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 258 | 0.8 |
| Service industries | 99,844 | 5.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 1,382 | 4.9 | 1,382 | 4.2 |
| Transportation | 79,856 | 4.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 1,496 | 5.3 | 1,496 | 4.6 |
| Utilities | 28,152 | 1.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Wholesale trade | 72,223 | 3.6 | 197 | 4.5 | 984 | 3.5 | 1,181 | 3.6 |
| Total | 1,981,278 | 100.0 | 4,386 | 100.0 | 28,444 | 100.0 | 32,830 | 100.0 |
| Georgia | | | | | | | | |
| Administration | 229,000 | 5.6 | 1,193 | 5.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 1,193 | 0.6 |
| Agriculture | 47,567 | 1.2 | 2,118 | 9.1 | 2,756 | 1.6 | 4,874 | 2.5 |
| Construction | 357,023 | 8.8 | 1,325 | 5.7 | 60,867 | 35.0 | 62,192 | 31.5 |
| Education | 294,063 | 7.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 378 | 0.2 | 378 | 0.2 |
| Entertainment | 319,942 | 7.9 | 5,602 | 24.0 | 23,866 | 13.7 | 29,468 | 14.9 |
| Mining | 8,867 | 0.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 162 | 0.1 | 162 | 0.1 |
| Finance | 267,395 | 6.6 | 172 | 0.7 | 1,153 | 0.7 | 1,325 | 0.7 |
| Information | 116,988 | 2.9 | 403 | 1.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 403 | 0.2 |
| Medical | 310,754 | 7.6 | 772 | 3.3 | 2,088 | 1.2 | 2,860 | 1.4 |
| Manufacturing | 526,102 | 12.9 | 3,947 | 16.9 | 29,766 | 17.1 | 33,713 | 17.1 |
| Professional services | 396,855 | 9.7 | 523 | 2.2 | 18,772 | 10.8 | 19,295 | 9.8 |
| Retail trade | 475,468 | 11.7 | 2,440 | 10.5 | 14,214 | 8.2 | 16,654 | 8.4 |
| Social, community services | 84,218 | 2.1 | 1,579 | 6.8 | 835 | 0.5 | 2,414 | 1.2 |
| Service industries | 211,320 | 5.2 | 875 | 3.8 | 7,063 | 4.1 | 7,938 | 4.0 |
| Transportation | 221,498 | 5.4 | 877 | 3.8 | 3,029 | 1.7 | 3,906 | 2.0 |
| Utilities | 46,521 | 1.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 816 | 0.5 | 816 | 0.4 |
| Wholesale trade | 161,826 | 4.0 | 1,498 | 6.4 | 8,262 | 4.7 | 9,760 | 4.9 |
| Total | 4,075,407 | 100.0% | 23,324 | 100.0 | 174,027 | 100.0 | 197,351 | 100.0 |
| Mississippi | | | | | | | | |
| Administration | 64,862 | 5.4 | 295 | 5.8 | 0 | 0.0 | 295 | 1.9 |
| Agriculture | 27,657 | 2.3 | 438 | 8.7 | 1,781 | 17.1 | 2,219 | 14.3 |
| Construction | 81,659 | 6.8 | 165 | 3.3 | 1,810 | 17.3 | 1,975 | 12.8 |
| Education | 101,446 | 8.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Entertainment | 113,638 | 9.4 | 871 | 17.3 | 782 | 7.5 | 1,653 | 10.7 |
| Mining | 9,980 | 0.8 | 0 | 0.0 | 796 | 7.6 | 796 | 5.1 |
| Finance | 62,459 | 5.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Information | 18,266 | 1.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Medical | 127,094 | 10.6 | 404 | 8.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 404 | 2.6 |
| Manufacturing | 186,707 | 15.5 | 910 | 18.0 | 1,655 | 15.9 | 2,565 | 16.6 |
| Professional services | 71,141 | 5.9 | 100 | 2.0 | 775 | 7.4 | 875 | 5.7 |
| Retail trade | 151,500 | 12.6 | 464 | 9.2 | 1,090 | 10.4 | 1,554 | 10.0 |
| Social, community services | 20,412 | 1.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Service industries | 53,884 | 4.5 | 860 | 17.0 | 302 | 2.9 | 1,162 | 7.5 |
| Transportation | 52,873 | 4.4 | 539 | 10.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 539 | 3.5 |
| Utilities | 12,996 | 1.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Wholesale trade | 46,497 | 3.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 1,443 | 13.8 | 1,443 | 9.3 |
| Total | 1,203,071 | 100.0% | 5,046 | 100.0 | 10,434 | 100.0 | 15,480 | 100.0 |

TABLE 16 (Continued)
Employment by Industry, by Mexican Origin and Citizenship, 2004

| Industry | Total Employment | | U.S. Born | | Mexican Foreign Born | | Total | |
|----------------------------|--------------------|--------------|------------------|--------------|----------------------|--------------|-------------------|--------------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Tennessee | | | | | | | | |
| Administration | 117,183 | 4.3 | 1,401 | 11.6 | 323 | 0.8 | 1,724 | 3.2 |
| Agriculture | 27,917 | 1.0 | | 0.0 | 4,829 | 11.7 | 4,829 | 9.0 |
| Construction | 187,791 | 6.9 | 1,588 | 13.1 | 11,771 | 28.5 | 13,359 | 25.0 |
| Education | 206,941 | 7.6 | 1,316 | 10.9 | 164 | 0.4 | 1,480 | 2.8 |
| Entertainment | 218,873 | 8.1 | 1,397 | 11.6 | 3,625 | 8.8 | 5,022 | 9.4 |
| Mining | 3,646 | 0.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 756 | 1.8 | 756 | 1.4 |
| Finance | 160,728 | 5.9 | 569 | 4.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 569 | 1.1 |
| Information | 52,321 | 1.9 | 195 | 1.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 195 | 0.4 |
| Medical | 267,615 | 9.8 | 1,086 | 9.0 | 170 | 0.4 | 1,256 | 2.4 |
| Manufacturing | 483,148 | 17.8 | 1,582 | 13.1 | 9,933 | 24.0 | 11,515 | 21.6 |
| Professional services | 227,077 | 8.4 | 868 | 7.2 | 5,056 | 12.2 | 5,924 | 11.1 |
| Retail trade | 321,853 | 11.8 | 936 | 7.7 | 1,425 | 3.4 | 2,361 | 4.4 |
| Social, community services | 43,663 | 1.6 | 127 | 1.1 | 187 | 0.5 | 314 | 0.6 |
| Service industries | 129,550 | 4.8 | 461 | 3.8 | 1,414 | 3.4 | 1,875 | 3.5 |
| Transportation | 133,196 | 4.9 | 281 | 2.3 | 532 | 1.3 | 813 | 1.5 |
| Utilities | 27,460 | 1.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Wholesale trade | 109,344 | 4.0 | 286 | 2.4 | 1,129 | 2.7 | 1,415 | 2.6 |
| Total | 2,718,306 | 100.0 | 12,093 | 100.0 | 41,314 | 100.0 | 53,407 | 100.0 |
| United States | | | | | | | | |
| Administration | 6,665,970 | 5.0 | 283,048 | 5.9 | 53,816 | 0.9 | 336,864 | 3.1 |
| Agriculture | 1,861,818 | 1.4 | 49,991 | 1.0 | 333,297 | 5.6 | 383,288 | 3.6 |
| Construction | 10,002,659 | 7.4 | 379,984 | 8.0 | 1,161,919 | 19.5 | 1,541,903 | 14.4 |
| Education | 11,454,384 | 8.5 | 394,342 | 8.3 | 142,860 | 2.4 | 537,202 | 5.0 |
| Entertainment | 11,478,880 | 8.5 | 479,805 | 10.0 | 902,114 | 15.2 | 1,381,919 | 12.9 |
| Mining | 548,161 | 0.4 | 29,226 | 0.6 | 20,344 | 0.3 | 49,570 | 0.5 |
| Finance | 9,595,901 | 7.1 | 303,993 | 6.4 | 148,508 | 2.5 | 452,501 | 4.2 |
| Information | 3,429,790 | 2.6 | 114,808 | 2.4 | 37,425 | 0.6 | 152,233 | 1.4 |
| Medical | 13,297,112 | 9.9 | 433,501 | 9.1 | 194,277 | 3.3 | 627,778 | 5.9 |
| Manufacturing | 16,196,283 | 12.1 | 482,737 | 10.1 | 1,033,882 | 17.4 | 1,516,619 | 14.1 |
| Professional services | 13,035,984 | 9.7 | 369,497 | 7.7 | 576,236 | 9.7 | 945,733 | 8.8 |
| Retail trade | 15,785,215 | 11.8 | 683,289 | 14.3 | 507,939 | 8.5 | 1,191,228 | 11.1 |
| Social, community services | 2,626,051 | 2.0 | 96,265 | 2.0 | 66,268 | 1.1 | 162,533 | 1.5 |
| Service industries | 6,537,133 | 4.9 | 210,848 | 4.4 | 359,260 | 6.0 | 570,108 | 5.3 |
| Transportation | 5,570,790 | 4.1 | 217,527 | 4.6 | 153,737 | 2.6 | 371,264 | 3.5 |
| Utilities | 1,138,361 | 0.8 | 54,462 | 1.1 | 16,110 | 0.3 | 70,572 | 0.7 |
| Wholesale trade | 5,044,043 | 3.8 | 195,643 | 4.1 | 238,782 | 4.0 | 434,425 | 4.1 |
| Total | 134,268,535 | 100.0 | 4,778,966 | 100.0 | 5,946,774 | 100.0 | 10,725,740 | 100.0 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, Terry College of Business, The University of Georgia, based on data from U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

TABLE 17
Manufacturing Employment by Industry, by Hispanic Origin, Georgia, 2004

| Industry | Non-Hispanic | | Mexican | | Other Hispanic | | Total | |
|---|--------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------|---------|--------|---------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Animal food, grain and oilseed milling | 3,039 | 0.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 3,039 | 0.6 |
| Sugar and confectionery products | 2,172 | 0.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 2,172 | 0.4 |
| Fruit, vegetable preserving, specialty foods | 1,588 | 0.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 1,588 | 0.3 |
| Dairy products | 473 | 0.1 | 107 | 0.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 580 | 0.1 |
| Animal slaughtering and processing | 26,913 | 5.6 | 8,037 | 23.8 | 576 | 4.8 | 35,526 | 6.8 |
| Retail bakeries | 3,663 | 0.8 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 3,663 | 0.7 |
| Bakeries, except retail | 5,515 | 1.1 | 905 | 2.7 | 839 | 7.0 | 7,259 | 1.4 |
| Seafood, other misc. foods | 6,403 | 1.3 | 670 | 2.0 | 867 | 7.2 | 7,940 | 1.5 |
| Unspecified food industries | 1,409 | 0.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 1,409 | 0.3 |
| Beverage | 8,967 | 1.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 8,967 | 1.7 |
| Tobacco | 1,242 | 0.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 1,242 | 0.2 |
| Fiber, yarn, and thread mills | 6,154 | 1.3 | 1,330 | 3.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 7,484 | 1.4 |
| Fabric mills, except knitting | 17,655 | 3.7 | 2,626 | 7.8 | 0 | 0.0 | 20,281 | 3.9 |
| Textile, fabric finishing and coating mills | 3,402 | 0.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 3,402 | 0.6 |
| Carpets and rugs | 16,198 | 3.4 | 2,806 | 8.3 | 585 | 4.9 | 19,589 | 3.7 |
| Textile product mills except carpets, rugs | 15,701 | 3.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 15,701 | 3.0 |
| Knitting mills | 836 | 0.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 836 | 0.2 |
| Cut and sew apparel | 6,202 | 1.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 512 | 4.3 | 6,714 | 1.3 |
| Pulp, paper, and paperboard mills | 14,077 | 2.9 | 1,089 | 3.2 | 1,056 | 8.8 | 16,222 | 3.1 |
| Paperboard containers and boxes | 2,515 | 0.5 | 810 | 2.4 | 280 | 2.3 | 3,605 | 0.7 |
| Miscellaneous paper and pulp products | 3,900 | 0.8 | 0 | 0.0 | 531 | 4.4 | 4,431 | 0.8 |
| Printing and related support | 18,547 | 3.9 | 1,049 | 3.1 | 96 | 0.8 | 19,692 | 3.7 |
| Petroleum refining | 1,862 | 0.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 1,862 | 0.4 |
| Miscellaneous petroleum, coal products | 671 | 0.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 208 | 1.7 | 879 | 0.2 |
| Resin, synthetic rubber and fibers | 3,163 | 0.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 209 | 1.7 | 3,372 | 0.6 |
| Agricultural chemicals | 912 | 0.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 912 | 0.2 |
| Pharmaceuticals and medicines | 4,636 | 1.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 4,636 | 0.9 |
| Paint, coating, and adhesives | 1,363 | 0.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 1,363 | 0.3 |
| Soap, cleaning compounds, cosmetics | 2,906 | 0.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 2,906 | 0.6 |
| Industrial and miscellaneous chemicals | 13,970 | 2.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 13,970 | 2.7 |
| Plastics products | 13,210 | 2.7 | 1,261 | 3.7 | 190 | 1.6 | 14,661 | 2.8 |
| Tires | 1,238 | 0.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 1,238 | 0.2 |
| Rubber products, except tires | 4,880 | 1.0 | 838 | 2.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 5,718 | 1.1 |
| Pottery, ceramics, related products | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 187 | 1.6 | 187 | 0.0 |
| Structural clay products | 2,237 | 0.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 2,237 | 0.4 |
| Glass and glass products | 1,748 | 0.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 513 | 4.3 | 2,261 | 0.4 |
| Cement, concrete, lime, and gypsum products | 4,791 | 1.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 4,791 | 0.9 |
| Miscellaneous nonmetallic mineral products | 12,482 | 2.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 12,482 | 2.4 |
| Iron and steel mills and steel products | 1,329 | 0.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 1,329 | 0.3 |
| Aluminum production and processing | 2,699 | 0.6 | 175 | 0.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 2,874 | 0.5 |
| Nonferrous metal, exc. Aluminum production | 451 | 0.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 451 | 0.1 |
| Foundries | 1,185 | 0.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 1,185 | 0.2 |
| Metal forgings and stampings | 2,697 | 0.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 2,697 | 0.5 |
| Cutlery and hand tools | 1,088 | 0.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 1,088 | 0.2 |
| Structural metals, and tank and shipping containers | 11,097 | 2.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 11,097 | 2.1 |
| Machine shops, turned products | 2,118 | 0.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 2,118 | 0.4 |
| Coating, engraving | 922 | 0.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 922 | 0.2 |
| Miscellaneous fabricated metal products | 9,473 | 2.0 | 920 | 2.7 | 536 | 4.5 | 10,929 | 2.1 |
| Unspecified metal industries | 403 | 0.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 205 | 1.7 | 608 | 0.1 |
| Agricultural implements | 4,905 | 1.0 | 1,254 | 3.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 6,159 | 1.2 |
| Construction, mining, oil field machinery | 4,136 | 0.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 4,136 | 0.8 |
| Commercial and service industry machinery | 2,236 | 0.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 2,236 | 0.4 |
| Metalworking machinery | 2,451 | 0.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 2,451 | 0.5 |
| Engines, turbines | 1,283 | 0.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 1,283 | 0.2 |
| Unspecified machinery | 16,398 | 3.4 | 196 | 0.6 | 321 | 2.7 | 16,915 | 3.2 |

TABLE 17 (Continued)
Manufacturing Employment by Industry, by Hispanic Origin, Georgia, 2004

| Industry | Non-Hispanic | | Mexican | | Other Hispanic | | Total | |
|---|----------------|---------|---------------|---------|----------------|---------|----------------|---------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Computer and peripheral equipment | 5,140 | 1.1 | 257 | 0.8 | 581 | 4.9 | 5,978 | 1.1 |
| Communications, A/V equipment | 6,807 | 1.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 6,807 | 1.3 |
| Navigational, measuring equipment | 3,883 | 0.8 | 312 | 0.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 4,195 | 0.8 |
| Electronic components and products | 6,604 | 1.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 6,604 | 1.3 |
| Household appliances | 2,734 | 0.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 2,734 | 0.5 |
| Electrical lighting, equipment, and supplies | 15,627 | 3.3 | 200 | 0.6 | 602 | 5.0 | 16,429 | 3.1 |
| Motor vehicles and related equipment | 36,478 | 7.6 | 1,571 | 4.7 | 581 | 4.9 | 38,630 | 7.3 |
| Aircraft and parts | 17,269 | 3.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 163 | 1.4 | 17,432 | 3.3 |
| Aerospace products and parts | 2,895 | 0.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 2,895 | 0.6 |
| Railroad rolling stock | 2,493 | 0.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 2,493 | 0.5 |
| Ship and boat building | 309 | 0.1 | 176 | 0.5 | 603 | 5.0 | 1,088 | 0.2 |
| Other transportation equipment | 1,775 | 0.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 1,775 | 0.3 |
| Sawmills and wood preservation | 6,227 | 1.3 | 1,358 | 4.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 7,585 | 1.4 |
| Veneer, plywood, and engineered wood products | 2,208 | 0.5 | 155 | 0.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 2,363 | 0.4 |
| Prefabricated wood buildings and mobile homes | 1,365 | 0.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 1,365 | 0.3 |
| Miscellaneous wood products | 9,694 | 2.0 | 1,836 | 5.4 | 223 | 1.9 | 11,753 | 2.2 |
| Furniture and related products | 22,730 | 4.7 | 2,365 | 7.0 | 785 | 6.6 | 25,880 | 4.9 |
| Medical equipment and supplies | 10,783 | 2.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 256 | 2.1 | 11,039 | 2.1 |
| Toys and sporting goods | 3,364 | 0.7 | 845 | 2.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 4,209 | 0.8 |
| Miscellaneous manufacturing | 10,927 | 2.3 | 565 | 1.7 | 468 | 3.9 | 11,960 | 2.3 |
| Unspecified industries | 9,593 | 2.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 9,593 | 1.8 |
| Total | 480,416 | | 33,713 | | 11,973 | | 526,102 | |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, Terry College of Business, The University of Georgia, based on U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

TABLE 18
Civilian Employment by Occupation, by Hispanic Origin, 2004

| State/Occupation | Non-Hispanic | | Mexican | | Other Hispanic | | Total | |
|---------------------------------|------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|------------------|--------------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Georgia | | | | | | | | |
| Business | 83,521 | 2.2 | 1,452 | 0.7 | 1,297 | 1.5 | 86,270 | 2.1 |
| Cleaning | 118,735 | 3.1 | 30,900 | 15.7 | 4,420 | 5.1 | 154,055 | 3.8 |
| Community/social services | 53,884 | 1.4 | 573 | 0.3 | 879 | 1.0 | 55,336 | 1.4 |
| Computers/math | 84,251 | 2.2 | 257 | 0.1 | 2,120 | 2.5 | 86,628 | 2.1 |
| Construction | 216,189 | 5.7 | 58,908 | 29.8 | 17,682 | 20.4 | 292,779 | 7.2 |
| Education | 220,267 | 5.8 | 1,260 | 0.6 | 4,494 | 5.2 | 226,021 | 5.5 |
| Engineering | 76,082 | 2.0 | 716 | 0.4 | 877 | 1.0 | 77,675 | 1.9 |
| Entertainment/sports | 67,425 | 1.8 | 187 | 0.1 | 1,097 | 1.3 | 68,709 | 1.7 |
| Farming, fishing, forestry | 20,941 | 0.6 | 3,650 | 1.8 | 269 | 0.3 | 24,860 | 0.6 |
| Finance | 93,433 | 2.5 | 641 | 0.3 | 892 | 1.0 | 94,966 | 2.3 |
| Food preparation and serving | 181,100 | 4.8 | 18,497 | 9.4 | 4,033 | 4.7 | 203,630 | 5.0 |
| Health services | 62,857 | 1.7 | 1,158 | 0.6 | 265 | 0.3 | 64,280 | 1.6 |
| Legal services | 36,477 | 1.0 | 232 | 0.1 | 1,452 | 1.7 | 38,161 | 0.9 |
| Life, physical, social sciences | 27,072 | 0.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 27,072 | 0.7 |
| Management | 367,477 | 9.7 | 5,904 | 3.0 | 10,457 | 12.1 | 383,838 | 9.4 |
| Medical services | 159,505 | 4.2 | 271 | 0.1 | 1,535 | 1.8 | 161,311 | 4.0 |
| Mining | 2,136 | 0.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 2,136 | 0.1 |
| Office and admin. support | 573,897 | 15.1 | 11,313 | 5.7 | 9,186 | 10.6 | 594,396 | 14.6 |
| Personal services | 108,447 | 2.9 | 3,608 | 1.8 | 3,038 | 3.5 | 115,093 | 2.8 |
| Production and operations | 275,689 | 7.3 | 33,384 | 16.9 | 7,140 | 8.3 | 316,213 | 7.8 |
| Protective services | 91,797 | 2.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 984 | 1.1 | 92,781 | 2.3 |
| Repair | 159,466 | 4.2 | 2,858 | 1.4 | 2,790 | 3.2 | 165,114 | 4.1 |
| Sales | 458,094 | 12.1 | 8,502 | 4.3 | 6,979 | 8.1 | 473,575 | 11.6 |
| Transportation, material moving | 252,798 | 6.7 | 13,080 | 6.6 | 4,630 | 5.4 | 270,508 | 6.6 |
| Total | 3,791,540 | 100.0 | 197,351 | 100.0 | 86,516 | 100.0 | 4,075,407 | 100.0 |
| Alabama | | | | | | | | |
| Business | 27,290 | 1.4 | 150 | 0.5 | 76 | 1.1 | 27,516 | 1.4 |
| Cleaning | 68,386 | 3.5 | 1,116 | 3.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 69,502 | 3.5 |
| Community/social services | 36,428 | 1.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 271 | 4.0 | 36,699 | 1.9 |
| Computers/math | 33,510 | 1.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 440 | 6.5 | 33,950 | 1.7 |
| Construction | 107,897 | 5.6 | 9,962 | 30.3 | 469 | 6.9 | 118,328 | 6.0 |
| Education | 101,721 | 5.2 | 258 | 0.8 | 169 | 2.5 | 102,148 | 5.2 |
| Engineering | 42,912 | 2.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 177 | 2.6 | 43,089 | 2.2 |
| Entertainment/sports | 26,467 | 1.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 231 | 3.4 | 26,698 | 1.3 |
| Farming, fishing, forestry | 9,079 | 0.5 | 433 | 1.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 9,512 | 0.5 |
| Finance | 37,460 | 1.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 356 | 5.2 | 37,816 | 1.9 |
| Food preparation and serving | 90,649 | 4.7 | 2,881 | 8.8 | 1,104 | 16.2 | 94,634 | 4.8 |
| Health services | 41,024 | 2.1 | 213 | 0.6 | 330 | 4.8 | 41,567 | 2.1 |
| Legal services | 22,472 | 1.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 22,472 | 1.1 |
| Life, physical, social sciences | 17,395 | 0.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 17,395 | 0.9 |
| Management | 172,546 | 8.9 | 1,297 | 4.0 | 444 | 6.5 | 174,287 | 8.8 |
| Medical services | 121,646 | 6.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 191 | 2.8 | 121,837 | 6.1 |
| Mining | 5,177 | 0.3 | 258 | 0.8 | 0 | 0.0 | 5,435 | 0.3 |
| Office and admin. support | 256,658 | 13.2 | 420 | 1.3 | 800 | 11.7 | 257,878 | 13.0 |
| Personal services | 47,566 | 2.4 | 691 | 2.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 48,257 | 2.4 |
| Production and operations | 172,742 | 8.9 | 10,747 | 32.7 | 560 | 8.2 | 184,049 | 9.3 |
| Protective services | 40,582 | 2.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 423 | 6.2 | 41,005 | 2.1 |
| Repair | 80,594 | 4.2 | 197 | 0.6 | 675 | 9.9 | 81,466 | 4.1 |
| Sales | 225,139 | 11.6 | 1,310 | 4.0 | 101 | 1.5 | 226,550 | 11.4 |
| Transportation, material moving | 156,291 | 8.0 | 2,897 | 8.8 | 0 | 0.0 | 159,188 | 8.0 |
| Total | 1,941,631 | 100.0 | 32,830 | 100.0 | 6,817 | 100.0 | 1,981,278 | 100.0 |

TABLE 18 (Continued)
Civilian Employment by Occupation, by Hispanic Origin, 2004

| State/Occupation | Non-Hispanic | | Mexican | | Other Hispanic | | Total | |
|---------------------------------|------------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|------------------|--------------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Mississippi | | | | | | | | |
| Business | 15,106 | 1.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 15,106 | 1.3 |
| Cleaning | 39,973 | 3.4 | 263 | 1.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 40,236 | 3.3 |
| Community/social services | 15,291 | 1.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 15,291 | 1.3 |
| Computers/math | 11,560 | 1.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 11,560 | 1.0 |
| Construction | 69,892 | 5.9 | 2,116 | 13.7 | 550 | 11.1 | 72,558 | 6.0 |
| Education | 64,277 | 5.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 367 | 7.4 | 64,644 | 5.4 |
| Engineering | 13,086 | 1.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 13,086 | 1.1 |
| Entertainment/sports | 16,947 | 1.4 | 295 | 1.9 | 344 | 6.9 | 17,586 | 1.5 |
| Farming, fishing, forestry | 13,561 | 1.1 | 2,057 | 13.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 15,618 | 1.3 |
| Finance | 16,819 | 1.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 16,819 | 1.4 |
| Food preparation and serving | 59,470 | 5.0 | 1,252 | 8.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 60,722 | 5.0 |
| Health services | 26,841 | 2.3 | 109 | 0.7 | 78 | 1.6 | 27,028 | 2.2 |
| Legal services | 13,949 | 1.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 13,949 | 1.2 |
| Life, physical, social sciences | 6,979 | 0.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 518 | 10.5 | 7,497 | 0.6 |
| Management | 100,171 | 8.5 | 426 | 2.8 | 151 | 3.1 | 100,748 | 8.4 |
| Medical services | 68,178 | 5.8 | 295 | 1.9 | 101 | 2.0 | 68,574 | 5.7 |
| Mining | 3,022 | 0.3 | 796 | 5.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 3,818 | 0.3 |
| Office and admin. support | 169,820 | 14.4 | 755 | 4.9 | 499 | 10.1 | 171,074 | 14.2 |
| Personal services | 39,567 | 3.3 | 295 | 1.9 | 378 | 7.6 | 40,240 | 3.3 |
| Production and operations | 120,670 | 10.2 | 1,767 | 11.4 | 553 | 11.2 | 122,990 | 10.2 |
| Protective services | 26,319 | 2.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 44 | 0.9 | 26,363 | 2.2 |
| Repair | 47,809 | 4.0 | 1,062 | 6.9 | 68 | 1.4 | 48,939 | 4.1 |
| Sales | 136,305 | 11.5 | 511 | 3.3 | 938 | 18.9 | 137,754 | 11.5 |
| Transportation, material moving | 87,029 | 7.4 | 3,481 | 22.5 | 361 | 7.3 | 90,871 | 7.6 |
| Total | 1,182,641 | 100.0 | 15,480 | 100.0 | 4,950 | 100.0 | 1,203,071 | 100.0 |
| Tennessee | | | | | | | | |
| Business | 44,446 | 1.7 | 270 | 0.5 | 726 | 3.0 | 45,442 | 1.7 |
| Cleaning | 96,559 | 3.7 | 3,362 | 6.3 | 2,272 | 9.5 | 102,193 | 3.8 |
| Community/social services | 36,110 | 1.4 | 189 | 0.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 36,299 | 1.3 |
| Computers/math | 42,546 | 1.6 | 143 | 0.3 | 458 | 1.9 | 43,147 | 1.6 |
| Construction | 139,861 | 5.3 | 13,067 | 24.5 | 3,846 | 16.0 | 156,774 | 5.8 |
| Education | 134,454 | 5.1 | 1,023 | 1.9 | 827 | 3.4 | 136,304 | 5.0 |
| Engineering | 48,554 | 1.8 | 132 | 0.2 | 667 | 2.8 | 49,353 | 1.8 |
| Entertainment/sports | 41,952 | 1.6 | 1,311 | 2.5 | 232 | 1.0 | 43,495 | 1.6 |
| Farming, fishing, forestry | 6,379 | 0.2 | 5,254 | 9.8 | 535 | 2.2 | 12,168 | 0.4 |
| Finance | 52,625 | 2.0 | 435 | 0.8 | 292 | 1.2 | 53,352 | 2.0 |
| Food preparation and serving | 135,453 | 5.1 | 4,703 | 8.8 | 1,430 | 6.0 | 141,586 | 5.2 |
| Health services | 46,356 | 1.8 | 0 | 0.0 | 119 | 0.5 | 46,475 | 1.7 |
| Legal services | 23,158 | 0.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 23,158 | 0.9 |
| Life, physical, social sciences | 27,617 | 1.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 709 | 3.0 | 28,326 | 1.0 |
| Management | 227,898 | 8.6 | 2,373 | 4.4 | 494 | 2.1 | 230,765 | 8.5 |
| Medical services | 149,499 | 5.7 | 333 | 0.6 | 1,199 | 5.0 | 151,031 | 5.6 |
| Mining | 1,539 | 0.1 | 756 | 1.4 | 68 | 0.3 | 2,363 | 0.1 |
| Office and admin. support | 392,883 | 14.9 | 789 | 1.5 | 1,500 | 6.2 | 395,172 | 14.5 |
| Personal services | 70,204 | 2.7 | 1,018 | 1.9 | 820 | 3.4 | 72,042 | 2.7 |
| Production and operations | 277,128 | 10.5 | 8,802 | 16.5 | 4,198 | 17.5 | 290,128 | 10.7 |
| Protective service workers | 44,988 | 1.7 | 1,131 | 2.1 | 135 | 0.6 | 46,254 | 1.7 |
| Repair | 109,862 | 4.2 | 961 | 1.8 | 93 | 0.4 | 110,916 | 4.1 |
| Sales | 299,734 | 11.3 | 2,165 | 4.1 | 961 | 4.0 | 302,860 | 11.1 |
| Transportation, material moving | 191,073 | 7.2 | 5,190 | 9.7 | 2,440 | 10.2 | 198,703 | 7.3 |
| Total | 2,640,878 | 100.0 | 53,407 | 100.0 | 24,021 | 100.0 | 2,718,306 | 100.0 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, Terry College of Business, The University of Georgia, based on data from U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

TABLE 19
Annual Wage Ranges, Employed Civilians, by Hispanic Origin, 2004

| Wage range (dollars) | Non-Hispanic/Latino | | Mexican | | Other Hispanic/Latino | | Total | |
|----------------------|---------------------|---------|---------|---------|-----------------------|---------|-----------|---------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Alabama | | | | | | | | |
| 10,000 or less | 428,974 | 22.1 | 9,439 | 28.8 | 825 | 12.1 | 439,238 | 22.2 |
| 10,000 to 20,000 | 410,317 | 21.1 | 17,633 | 53.7 | 2,535 | 37.2 | 430,485 | 21.7 |
| 20,000 to 30,000 | 351,461 | 18.1 | 4,604 | 14.0 | 1,797 | 26.4 | 357,862 | 18.1 |
| 30,000 to 40,000 | 276,804 | 14.3 | 197 | 0.6 | 916 | 13.4 | 277,917 | 14.0 |
| 40,000 to 50,000 | 177,373 | 9.1 | 645 | 2.0 | 664 | 9.7 | 178,682 | 9.0 |
| 50,000 to 60,000 | 93,985 | 4.8 | 312 | 1.0 | 80 | 1.2 | 94,377 | 4.8 |
| 60,000 to 70,000 | 57,999 | 3.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 57,999 | 2.9 |
| 70,000 to 80,000 | 47,923 | 2.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 47,923 | 2.4 |
| 80,000 to 90,000 | 25,481 | 1.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 25,481 | 1.3 |
| 90,000 to 100,000 | 6,617 | 0.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 6,617 | 0.3 |
| 100,000 or more | 64,697 | 3.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 64,697 | 3.3 |
| Total | 1,941,631 | 100.0 | 32,830 | 100.0 | 6,817 | 100.0 | 1,981,278 | 100.0 |
| Georgia | | | | | | | | |
| 10,000 or less | 799,984 | 21.1 | 58,350 | 29.6 | 20,879 | 24.1 | 879,213 | 21.6 |
| 10,000 to 20,000 | 666,939 | 17.6 | 77,393 | 39.2 | 12,925 | 14.9 | 757,257 | 18.6 |
| 20,000 to 30,000 | 715,055 | 18.9 | 31,024 | 15.7 | 20,174 | 23.3 | 766,253 | 18.8 |
| 30,000 to 40,000 | 492,178 | 13.0 | 15,700 | 8.0 | 13,194 | 15.3 | 521,072 | 12.8 |
| 40,000 to 50,000 | 390,856 | 10.3 | 4,701 | 2.4 | 7,168 | 8.3 | 402,725 | 9.9 |
| 50,000 to 60,000 | 224,305 | 5.9 | 5,855 | 3.0 | 1,904 | 2.2 | 232,064 | 5.7 |
| 60,000 to 70,000 | 133,087 | 3.5 | 412 | 0.2 | 3,048 | 3.5 | 136,547 | 3.4 |
| 70,000 to 80,000 | 97,404 | 2.6 | 2,225 | 1.1 | 1,079 | 1.2 | 100,708 | 2.5 |
| 80,000 to 90,000 | 60,435 | 1.6 | 318 | 0.2 | 613 | 0.7 | 61,366 | 1.5 |
| 90,000 to 100,000 | 61,340 | 1.6 | 275 | 0.1 | 1,138 | 1.3 | 62,753 | 1.5 |
| 100,000 or more | 149,957 | 4.0 | 1,098 | 0.6 | 4,394 | 5.1 | 155,449 | 3.8 |
| Total | 3,791,540 | 100.0 | 197,351 | 100.0 | 86,516 | 100.0 | 4,075,407 | 100.0 |
| Mississippi | | | | | | | | |
| 10,000 or less | 304,620 | 25.8 | 3,796 | 24.5 | 1,432 | 28.9 | 309,848 | 25.8 |
| 10,000 to 20,000 | 261,132 | 22.1 | 5,394 | 34.8 | 1,561 | 31.5 | 268,087 | 22.3 |
| 20,000 to 30,000 | 235,541 | 19.9 | 1,397 | 9.0 | 1,070 | 21.6 | 238,008 | 19.8 |
| 30,000 to 40,000 | 141,050 | 11.9 | 2,519 | 16.3 | 496 | 10.0 | 144,065 | 12.0 |
| 40,000 to 50,000 | 89,106 | 7.5 | 1,049 | 6.8 | 41 | 0.8 | 90,196 | 7.5 |
| 50,000 to 60,000 | 56,688 | 4.8 | 1,155 | 7.5 | 68 | 1.4 | 57,911 | 4.8 |
| 60,000 to 70,000 | 29,536 | 2.5 | 78 | 0.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 29,614 | 2.5 |
| 70,000 to 80,000 | 20,117 | 1.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 20,117 | 1.7 |
| 80,000 to 90,000 | 6,717 | 0.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 6,717 | 0.6 |
| 90,000 to 100,000 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 100,000 or more | 38,134 | 3.2 | 92 | 0.6 | 282 | 5.7 | 38,508 | 3.2 |
| Total | 1,182,641 | 100.0 | 15,480 | 100.0 | 4,950 | 100.0 | 1,203,071 | 100.0 |
| Tennessee | | | | | | | | |
| 10,000 or less | 598,087 | 22.6 | 15,978 | 29.9 | 3,028 | 12.6 | 617,093 | 22.7 |
| 10,000 to 20,000 | 503,580 | 19.1 | 19,602 | 36.7 | 10,856 | 45.2 | 534,038 | 19.6 |
| 20,000 to 30,000 | 540,086 | 20.5 | 9,764 | 18.3 | 3,737 | 15.6 | 553,587 | 20.4 |
| 30,000 to 40,000 | 374,679 | 14.2 | 4,128 | 7.7 | 571 | 2.4 | 379,378 | 14.0 |
| 40,000 to 50,000 | 232,955 | 8.8 | 2,216 | 4.1 | 3,638 | 15.1 | 238,809 | 8.8 |
| 50,000 to 60,000 | 138,058 | 5.2 | 294 | 0.6 | 413 | 1.7 | 138,765 | 5.1 |
| 60,000 to 70,000 | 74,896 | 2.8 | 1,063 | 2.0 | 466 | 1.9 | 76,425 | 2.8 |
| 70,000 to 80,000 | 51,183 | 1.9 | 362 | 0.7 | 782 | 3.3 | 52,327 | 1.9 |
| 80,000 to 90,000 | 30,560 | 1.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 30,560 | 1.1 |
| 90,000 to 100,000 | 13,006 | 0.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 299 | 1.2 | 13,305 | 0.5 |
| 100,000 or more | 83,788 | 3.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 231 | 1.0 | 84,019 | 3.1 |
| Total | 2,640,878 | 100.0 | 53,407 | 100.0 | 24,021 | 100.0 | 2,718,306 | 100.0 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, Terry College of Business, The University of Georgia; based on data from: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

TABLE 20
Total Money Income by Source, by Hispanic Origin, 2004

| Source of Income | Income (in thousands) | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|---------|---------------|---------|-------------|---------|----------------|---------|
| | Total | | Non-Hispanic | | Mexican | | Other Hispanic | |
| | Amount | Percent | Amount | Percent | Amount | Percent | Amount | Percent |
| Alabama | | | | | | | | |
| Total personal | 90,420,315 | 100.0 | 89,553,925 | 100.0 | 589,121 | 100.0 | 277,269 | 100.0 |
| Wages or salary | 66,901,786 | 74.0 | 66,132,198 | 73.8 | 556,574 | 94.5 | 213,014 | 76.8 |
| Self-employment | 4,847,951 | 5.4 | 4,802,466 | 5.4 | 6,278 | 1.1 | 39,206 | 14.1 |
| Interest, dividends, rent | 3,410,978 | 3.8 | 3,408,713 | 3.8 | 1,797 | 0.3 | 468 | 0.2 |
| Retirement | 5,978,846 | 6.6 | 5,964,859 | 6.7 | 6,918 | 1.2 | 7,068 | 2.5 |
| Social Security | 6,814,401 | 7.5 | 6,797,146 | 7.6 | 4,730 | 0.8 | 12,525 | 4.5 |
| Supp. Security | 625,765 | 0.7 | 622,845 | 0.7 | 1,837 | 0.3 | 1,083 | 0.4 |
| Public assistance | 51,810 | 0.1 | 51,810 | 0.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| All other | 1,788,778 | 2.0 | 1,773,888 | 2.0 | 10,987 | 1.9 | 3,904 | 1.4 |
| Georgia | | | | | | | | |
| Total personal | 195,627,546 | 100.0 | 186,781,124 | 100.0 | 4,700,003 | 100.0 | 4,146,419 | 100.0 |
| Wages or salary | 154,576,354 | 79.0 | 147,022,997 | 78.7 | 4,152,687 | 88.4 | 3,400,670 | 82.0 |
| Self-employment | 12,632,234 | 6.5 | 11,750,518 | 6.3 | 394,887 | 8.4 | 486,829 | 11.7 |
| Interest, dividends, rent | 6,069,549 | 3.1 | 6,036,457 | 3.2 | 6,959 | 0.1 | 26,133 | 0.6 |
| Retirement | 8,265,995 | 4.2 | 8,157,578 | 4.4 | 43,702 | 0.9 | 64,715 | 1.6 |
| Social Security | 9,488,251 | 4.9 | 9,408,749 | 5.0 | 35,159 | 0.7 | 44,343 | 1.1 |
| Supp. Security | 700,686 | 0.4 | 693,789 | 0.4 | 3,838 | 0.1 | 3,060 | 0.1 |
| Public assistance | 126,410 | 0.1 | 124,838 | 0.1 | 971 | 0.0 | 601 | 0.0 |
| All other | 3,768,066 | 1.9 | 3,586,197 | 1.9 | 61,800 | 1.3 | 120,068 | 2.9 |
| Mississippi | | | | | | | | |
| Total personal | 50,455,482 | 100.0 | 49,780,427 | 100.0 | 427,574 | 100.0 | 247,481 | 100.0 |
| Wages or salary | 37,510,906 | 74.3 | 36,955,664 | 74.2 | 375,382 | 87.8 | 179,860 | 72.7 |
| Self-employment | 3,334,796 | 6.6 | 3,283,724 | 6.6 | 18,121 | 4.2 | 32,951 | 13.3 |
| Interest, dividends, rent | 1,518,455 | 3.0 | 1,505,346 | 3.0 | 2,002 | 0.5 | 11,107 | 4.5 |
| Retirement | 2,614,333 | 5.2 | 2,593,117 | 5.2 | 15,419 | 3.6 | 5,797 | 2.3 |
| Social Security | 3,846,931 | 7.6 | 3,822,576 | 7.7 | 12,859 | 3.0 | 11,496 | 4.6 |
| Supp. Security | 464,067 | 0.9 | 462,790 | 0.9 | 593 | 0.1 | 684 | 0.3 |
| Public assistance | 50,269 | 0.1 | 49,953 | 0.1 | 30 | 0.0 | 286 | 0.1 |
| All other | 1,115,726 | 2.2 | 1,107,257 | 2.2 | 3,169 | 0.7 | 5,299 | 2.1 |
| Tennessee | | | | | | | | |
| Total personal | 122,747,888 | 100.0 | 120,629,180 | 100.0 | 1,255,591 | 100.0 | 863,117 | 100.0 |
| Wages or salary | 92,485,097 | 75.3 | 90,663,879 | 75.2 | 1,057,480 | 84.2 | 763,739 | 88.5 |
| Self-employment | 8,590,369 | 7.0 | 8,427,655 | 7.0 | 142,729 | 11.4 | 19,985 | 2.3 |
| Interest, dividends, rent | 4,740,672 | 3.9 | 4,729,288 | 3.9 | 427 | 0.0 | 10,958 | 1.3 |
| Retirement | 5,797,845 | 4.7 | 5,767,249 | 4.8 | 14,589 | 1.2 | 16,008 | 1.9 |
| Social Security | 8,061,833 | 6.6 | 8,025,252 | 6.7 | 21,131 | 1.7 | 15,450 | 1.8 |
| Supp. Security | 569,530 | 0.5 | 567,248 | 0.5 | 1,649 | 0.1 | 633 | 0.1 |
| Public assistance | 100,152 | 0.1 | 95,982 | 0.1 | 3,987 | 0.3 | 183 | 0.0 |
| All other | 2,402,390 | 2.0 | 2,352,628 | 2.0 | 13,600 | 1.1 | 36,163 | 4.2 |
| United States | | | | | | | | |
| Total personal | 6,864,655,346 | 100.0 | 6,295,002,215 | 100.0 | 325,817,161 | 100.0 | 243,835,970 | 100.0 |
| Wages or salary | 5,193,126,210 | 75.7 | 4,713,376,295 | 74.9 | 277,576,834 | 85.2 | 202,173,081 | 82.9 |
| Self-employment | 437,168,473 | 6.4 | 403,599,861 | 6.4 | 19,217,128 | 5.9 | 14,351,484 | 5.9 |
| Interest, dividends, rent | 327,908,461 | 4.8 | 319,394,248 | 5.1 | 3,763,912 | 1.2 | 4,750,301 | 1.9 |
| Retirement | 343,576,933 | 5.0 | 331,603,770 | 5.3 | 6,511,515 | 2.0 | 5,461,648 | 2.2 |
| Social Security | 388,085,843 | 5.7 | 369,386,790 | 5.9 | 9,775,978 | 3.0 | 8,923,075 | 3.7 |
| Supp. Security | 30,004,712 | 0.4 | 26,323,950 | 0.4 | 1,646,373 | 0.5 | 2,034,389 | 0.8 |
| Public assistance | 8,694,662 | 0.1 | 6,794,873 | 0.1 | 1,089,924 | 0.3 | 809,865 | 0.3 |
| All other | 136,090,048 | 2.0 | 124,522,424 | 2.0 | 6,235,496 | 1.9 | 5,332,128 | 2.2 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, Terry College of Business, The University of Georgia, based on data from U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2004, PUMS.

TABLE 21
Buying Power by State and Hispanic Origin, 2004
(thousands of dollars)

| State | Total | Hispanic | Mexican | Other Hispanic | Non-Hispanic |
|----------------------|---------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|---------------|
| Alabama | 115,138,712 | 1,702,281 | 1,157,504 | 544,777 | 113,436,431 |
| Alaska | 20,616,141 | 676,388 | 316,121 | 360,267 | 19,939,753 |
| Arizona | 148,017,183 | 21,930,958 | 18,759,386 | 3,171,571 | 126,086,225 |
| Arkansas | 64,558,132 | 1,463,345 | 1,091,320 | 372,025 | 63,094,787 |
| California | 1,111,432,619 | 188,114,512 | 146,649,068 | 41,465,444 | 923,318,107 |
| Colorado | 148,197,713 | 15,596,833 | 10,836,899 | 4,759,934 | 132,600,880 |
| Connecticut | 135,095,059 | 6,650,632 | 641,103 | 6,009,528 | 128,444,427 |
| Delaware | 26,488,515 | 829,132 | 356,348 | 472,784 | 25,659,383 |
| District of Columbia | 25,026,534 | 1,538,456 | 229,010 | 1,309,446 | 23,488,078 |
| Florida | 496,085,072 | 69,024,132 | 6,669,073 | 62,355,059 | 427,060,940 |
| Georgia | 237,430,771 | 9,589,785 | 5,094,943 | 4,494,842 | 227,840,986 |
| Hawaii | 36,379,513 | 1,724,664 | 521,094 | 1,203,570 | 34,654,849 |
| Idaho | 34,402,650 | 1,638,455 | 1,331,847 | 306,608 | 32,764,195 |
| Illinois | 389,237,803 | 30,527,919 | 22,325,025 | 8,202,894 | 358,709,884 |
| Indiana | 169,196,989 | 4,510,301 | 3,599,633 | 910,668 | 164,686,688 |
| Iowa | 82,114,734 | 1,544,068 | 1,200,176 | 343,892 | 80,570,666 |
| Kansas | 76,044,260 | 3,475,657 | 2,720,479 | 755,178 | 72,568,603 |
| Kentucky | 103,354,467 | 1,306,608 | 664,177 | 642,431 | 102,047,859 |
| Louisiana | 114,050,802 | 2,828,501 | 694,231 | 2,134,269 | 111,222,301 |
| Maine | 36,239,634 | 238,055 | 89,699 | 148,356 | 36,001,579 |
| Maryland | 190,541,733 | 6,160,543 | 1,052,002 | 5,108,541 | 184,381,190 |
| Massachusetts | 232,076,444 | 8,605,119 | 411,451 | 8,193,668 | 223,471,325 |
| Michigan | 290,423,239 | 6,910,212 | 4,974,674 | 1,935,538 | 283,513,027 |
| Minnesota | 161,709,444 | 3,033,385 | 1,747,449 | 1,285,935 | 158,676,059 |
| Mississippi | 66,255,649 | 848,161 | 537,218 | 310,943 | 65,407,488 |
| Missouri | 158,910,159 | 2,558,325 | 1,673,275 | 885,050 | 156,351,834 |
| Montana | 22,554,664 | 315,332 | 205,822 | 109,510 | 22,239,332 |
| Nebraska | 49,474,092 | 1,798,257 | 1,416,999 | 381,257 | 47,675,835 |
| Nevada | 70,456,895 | 9,051,669 | 6,498,928 | 2,552,741 | 61,405,226 |
| New Hampshire | 43,472,344 | 517,109 | 96,987 | 420,121 | 42,955,235 |
| New Jersey | 315,096,864 | 26,422,853 | 2,087,087 | 24,335,766 | 288,674,011 |
| New Mexico | 45,543,820 | 13,345,323 | 6,421,862 | 6,923,462 | 32,198,497 |
| New York | 629,543,192 | 58,724,554 | 4,570,374 | 54,154,180 | 570,818,638 |
| North Carolina | 224,051,886 | 7,472,007 | 4,328,042 | 3,143,965 | 216,579,879 |
| North Dakota | 18,422,546 | 180,415 | 139,382 | 41,033 | 18,242,131 |
| Ohio | 320,637,044 | 4,483,246 | 2,164,670 | 2,318,577 | 316,153,798 |
| Oklahoma | 89,837,080 | 3,075,641 | 2,427,693 | 647,948 | 86,761,439 |
| Oregon | 95,544,221 | 4,567,203 | 3,170,903 | 1,396,300 | 90,977,018 |
| Pennsylvania | 369,566,226 | 7,185,378 | 1,209,598 | 5,975,781 | 362,380,848 |
| Rhode Island | 32,414,999 | 1,461,975 | 115,280 | 1,346,696 | 30,953,024 |
| South Carolina | 103,744,554 | 2,027,743 | 1,167,163 | 860,580 | 101,716,811 |
| South Dakota | 22,132,689 | 212,436 | 148,545 | 63,891 | 21,920,253 |
| Tennessee | 164,012,651 | 2,786,545 | 1,651,366 | 1,135,180 | 161,226,106 |
| Texas | 623,469,155 | 117,710,668 | 96,784,311 | 20,926,357 | 505,758,487 |
| Utah | 57,629,128 | 3,677,745 | 2,781,811 | 895,934 | 53,951,383 |
| Vermont | 18,418,072 | 140,515 | 32,882 | 107,634 | 18,277,557 |
| Virginia | 233,323,232 | 8,878,890 | 2,472,943 | 6,405,947 | 224,444,342 |
| Washington | 199,877,407 | 8,727,299 | 6,263,434 | 2,463,866 | 191,150,108 |
| West Virginia | 42,980,075 | 260,654 | 96,417 | 164,237 | 42,719,421 |
| Wisconsin | 157,806,145 | 3,633,398 | 2,166,030 | 1,467,369 | 154,172,747 |
| Wyoming | 15,688,122 | 727,242 | 459,880 | 267,363 | 14,960,880 |
| United States | 8,634,721,074 | 680,410,526 | 384,221,613 | 296,188,913 | 7,954,310,548 |

Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth, Terry College of Business, The University of Georgia.

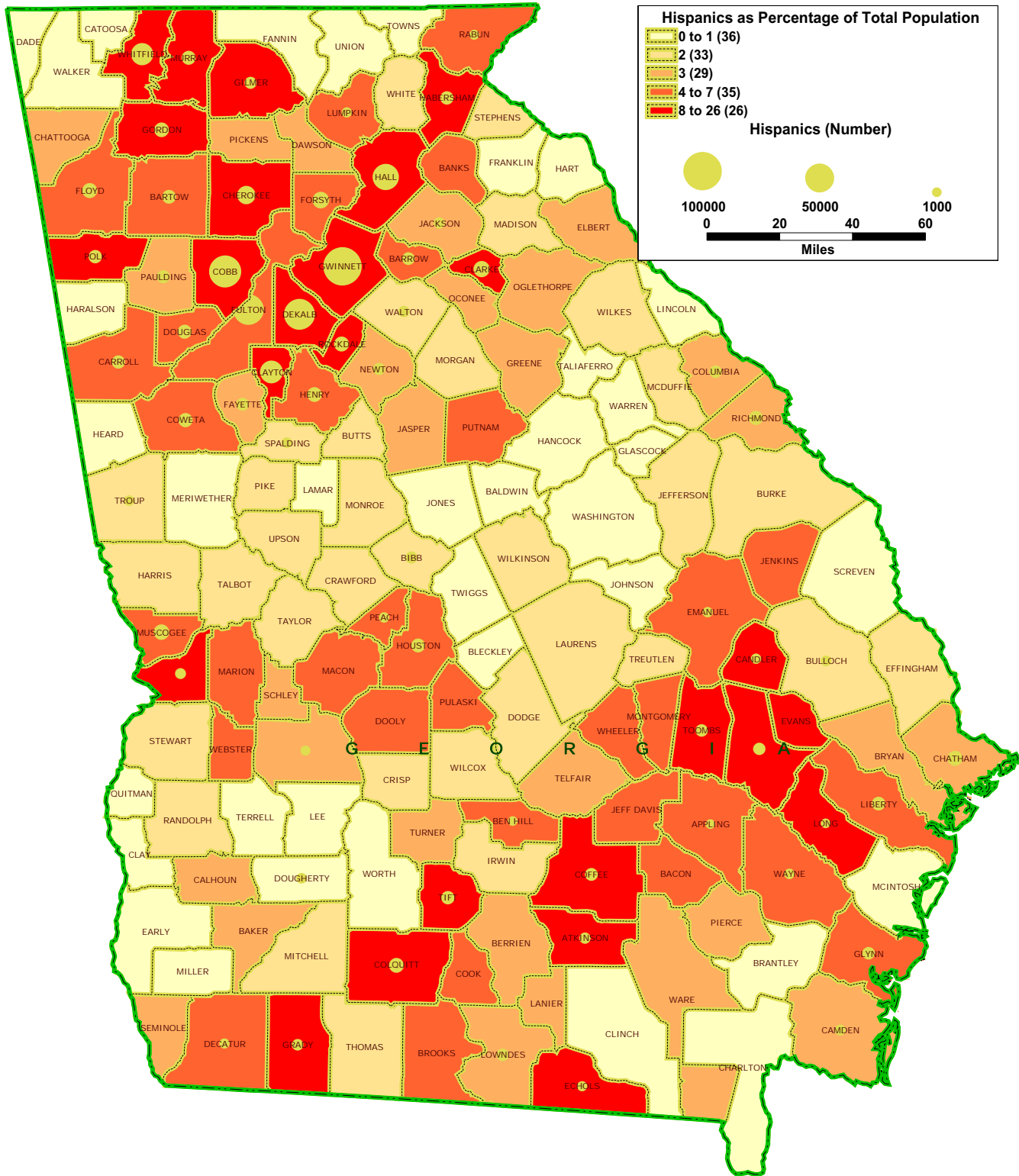
TABLE 22
Population of Mexican Origin, by State, 2004, with Margin of Error Estimates

| State | Population of Mexican Origin | Margin of Error * +/- |
|----------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Alabama | 66,798 | 17,550 |
| Alaska | 17,142 | 8,837 |
| Arizona | 1,444,736 | 70,928 |
| Arkansas | 96,139 | 20,830 |
| California | 10,077,213 | 183,352 |
| Colorado | 643,235 | 50,803 |
| Connecticut | 41,802 | 13,903 |
| D.C. | 5,001 | 4,815 |
| Delaware | 21,775 | 9,959 |
| Florida | 453,162 | 45,441 |
| Georgia | 390,579 | 41,778 |
| Hawaii | 27,478 | 11,215 |
| Idaho | 104,980 | 21,297 |
| Illinois | 1,359,765 | 75,275 |
| Indiana | 214,407 | 31,117 |
| Iowa | 82,950 | 19,418 |
| Kansas | 128,640 | 23,939 |
| Kentucky | 47,527 | 14,829 |
| Louisiana | 33,481 | 12,472 |
| Maine | 3,071 | 3,787 |
| Maryland | 61,754 | 16,907 |
| Massachusetts | 21,829 | 10,092 |
| Michigan | 260,030 | 34,428 |
| Minnesota | 119,358 | 23,353 |
| Mississippi | 27,348 | 11,260 |
| Missouri | 99,826 | 21,425 |
| Montana | 14,621 | 8,206 |
| Nebraska | 98,272 | 20,824 |
| Nevada | 410,010 | 39,719 |
| New Hampshire | 6,518 | 5,510 |
| New Jersey | 116,479 | 23,192 |
| New Mexico | 439,351 | 39,623 |
| New York | 309,115 | 37,726 |
| North Carolina | 358,648 | 40,079 |
| North Dakota | 5,159 | 4,894 |
| Ohio | 107,210 | 22,296 |
| Oklahoma | 174,865 | 27,870 |
| Oregon | 270,788 | 34,203 |
| Pennsylvania | 70,798 | 18,152 |
| Rhode Island | 6,932 | 5,678 |
| South Carolina | 73,485 | 18,380 |
| South Dakota | 8,946 | 6,433 |
| Tennessee | 116,006 | 23,068 |
| Texas | 6,485,549 | 146,178 |
| Utah | 188,430 | 28,486 |
| Vermont | 1,380 | 2,539 |
| Virginia | 111,197 | 22,640 |
| Washington | 423,991 | 42,970 |
| West Virginia | 5,601 | 5,113 |
| Wisconsin | 168,093 | 27,609 |
| Wyoming | 21,893 | 9,897 |
| United States | 25,843,363 | 331,735 |

*90 percent confidence interval.

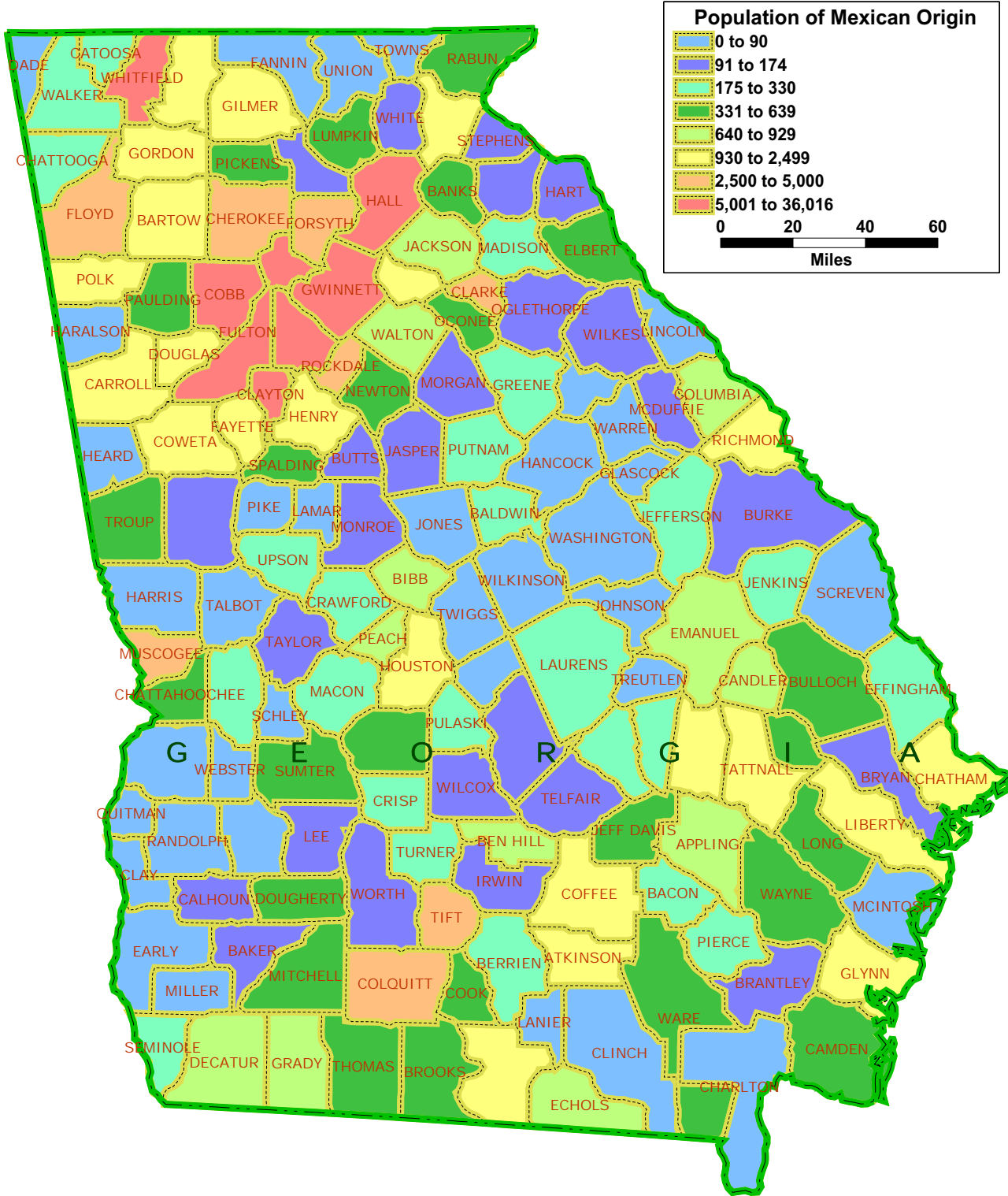
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Population of Hispanic Origin, Georgia, 2004



Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth; based on American Community Survey, 2004.

Population of Mexican Origin, Georgia, 2000



Source: Selig Center for Economic Growth; based on Census 2000.