Table 4. **Metropolitan-Nonmetropolitan Residence and Farm-Nonfarm Residence—Reported Voter Participation and Registration for Persons of Voting Age, by Race, for the United States and Regions: November 1970**

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population)

Region, residence, and race	All persons	Reported that they voted	Reported that they did not vote[1]				Percent distribution					
									Reported that they did not vote[1]			
			Total	Registered	Not registered	Do not know and not reported on registration	All persons	Reported that they voted	Total	Registered	Not registered	Do not know and not reported on registration
METROPOLITAN--ALL RACES												
United States												
Total	78,316	43,337	34,978	9,110	22,818	3,050	100.0	55.3	44.7	11.6	29.1	3.9
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	43,039	24,274	18,765	4,621	12,305	1,839	100.0	56.4	43.6	10.7	28.6	4.3
In central cities	18,619	10,176	8,443	1,940	5,681	823	100.0	54.7	45.3	10.4	30.5	4.4
Outside central cities	24,420	14,099	10,322	2,681	6,625	1,016	100.0	57.7	42.3	11.0	27.1	4.2
In SMSA's of under 1 million	35,276	19,063	16,213	4,489	10,513	1,211	100.0	54.0	46.0	12.7	29.8	3.4
In central cities	17,083	9,023	8,060	2,220	5,192	648	100.0	52.8	47.2	13.0	30.4	3.8
Outside central cities	18,193	10,040	8,153	2,269	5,321	563	100.0	55.2	44.8	12.5	29.2	3.1
North and West												
Total	59,393	34,830	24,562	6,025	16,234	2,303	100.0	58.6	41.4	10.1	27.3	3.9
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	37,158	21,745	15,412	3,801	10,024	1,587	100.0	58.5	41.5	10.2	27.0	4.3
In central cities	16,105	9,223	6,882	1,581	4,591	709	100.0	57.3	42.7	9.8	28.5	4.4
Outside central cities	21,053	12,523	8,530	2,220	5,433	877	100.0	59.5	40.5	10.5	25.8	4.2
In SMSA's of under 1 million	22,235	13,085	9,150	2,224	6,210	716	100.0	58.8	41.2	10.0	27.9	3.2
In central cities	10,380	6,074	4,306	1,030	2,914	361	100.0	58.5	41.5	9.9	28.1	3.5
Outside central cities	11,855	7,011	4,844	1,194	3,296	354	100.0	59.1	40.9	10.1	27.8	3.0
South												
Total	18,923	8,507	10,416	3,085	6,584	747	100.0	45.0	55.0	16.3	34.8	4.0
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	5,882	2,529	3,353	820	2,281	252	100.0	43.0	57.0	13.9	38.8	4.3
In central cities	2,514	953	1,562	359	1,089	113	100.0	37.9	62.1	14.3	43.3	4.5
Outside central cities	3,367	1,576	1,791	461	1,192	138	100.0	46.8	53.2	13.7	35.4	4.1
In SMSA's of under 1 million	13,041	5,978	7,063	2,265	4,303	496	100.0	45.8	54.2	17.4	33.0	3.8
In central cities	6,703	2,949	3,754	1,190	2,278	287	100.0	44.0	56.0	17.7	34.0	4.3
Outside central cities	6,338	3,029	3,309	1,075	2,025	209	100.0	47.8	52.2	17.0	32.0	3.3
METROPOLITAN--WHITE												
United States												
Total	69,165	39,103	30,062	7,894	19,652	2,516	100.0	56.5	43.5	11.4	28.4	3.6
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	37,414	21,597	15,816	3,976	10,351	1,490	100.0	57.7	42.3	10.6	27.7	4.0
In central cities	14,141	8,067	6,074	1,424	4,106	544	100.0	57.0	43.0	10.1	29.0	3.8
Outside central cities	23,272	13,530	9,742	2,552	6,245	946	100.0	58.1	41.9	11.0	26.8	4.1
In SMSA's of under 1 million	31,751	17,506	14,246	3,918	9,301	1,027	100.0	55.1	44.9	12.3	29.3	3.2
In central cities	14,623	7,934	6,689	1,826	4,344	520	100.0	54.3	45.7	12.5	29.7	3.6
Outside central cities	17,128	9,571	7,557	2,092	4,958	507	100.0	55.9	44.1	12.2	28.9	3.0
North and West												
Total	53,529	31,891	21,638	5,341	14,359	1,938	100.0	59.6	40.4	10.0	26.8	3.6
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	32,684	19,493	13,192	3,280	8,609	1,302	100.0	59.6	40.4	10.0	26.3	4.0
In central cities	12,609	7,477	5,133	1,165	3,489	479	100.0	59.3	40.7	9.2	27.7	3.8
Outside central cities	20,075	12,016	8,059	2,115	5,121	823	100.0	59.9	40.1	10.5	25.5	4.1
In SMSA's of under 1 million	20,845	12,398	8,446	2,061	5,749	636	100.0	59.5	40.5	9.9	27.6	3.1
In central cities	9,280	5,535	3,744	892	2,562	290	100.0	59.6	40.4	9.6	27.6	3.1
Outside central cities	11,565	6,863	4,702	1,170	3,187	345	100.0	59.3	40.7	10.1	27.6	3.0
South												
Total	15,636	7,212	8,424	2,552	5,293	579	100.0	46.1	53.9	16.3	33.9	3.7
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	4,730	2,105	2,625	696	1,741	188	100.0	44.5	55.5	14.7	36.8	4.0
In central cities	1,532	590	941	259	617	65	100.0	38.5	61.5	16.9	40.3	4.3
Outside central cities	3,198	1,514	1,683	437	1,124	123	100.0	47.4	52.6	13.7	35.2	3.8
In SMSA's of under 1 million	10,907	5,107	5,799	1,857	3,552	391	100.0	46.8	53.2	17.0	32.6	3.6
In central cities	5,344	2,399	2,945	934	1,782	229	100.0	44.9	55.1	17.5	33.3	4.3
Outside central cities	5,563	2,708	2,855	923	1,770	162	100.0	48.7	51.3	16.6	31.8	2.9

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Table 4. **Metropolitan-Nonmetropolitan Residence and Farm-Nonfarm Residence—Reported Voter Participation and Registration for Persons of Voting Age, by Race, for the United States and Regions: November 1970**—Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population)

Region, residence, and race	All persons	Reported that they voted	Reported that they did not vote[1]				Percent distribution					
									Reported that they did not vote[1]			
			Total	Registered	Not registered	Do not know and not reported on registration	All persons	Reported that they voted	Total	Registered	Not registered	Do not know and not reported on registration
METROPOLITAN--NEGRO												
United States												
Total	8,194	3,865	4,329	1,184	2,649	496	100.0	47.2	52.8	14.4	32.3	6.1
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	5,100	2,535	2,565	630	1,622	313	100.0	49.7	50.3	12.3	31.8	6.1
In central cities	4,130	2,009	2,121	505	1,367	249	100.0	48.6	51.4	12.2	33.1	6.0
Outside central cities	969	526	443	125	255	64	100.0	54.2	45.8	12.9	26.3	6.6
In SMSA's of under 1 million	3,094	1,331	1,764	554	1,027	183	100.0	43.0	57.0	17.9	33.2	5.9
In central cities	2,248	981	1,266	386	751	129	100.0	43.7	56.3	17.2	33.4	5.7
Outside central cities	847	349	498	168	275	54	100.0	41.3	58.7	19.8	32.5	6.4
North and West												
Total	4,968	2,573	2,395	657	1,409	330	100.0	51.8	48.2	13.2	28.4	6.6
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	3,993	2,113	1,880	510	1,119	252	100.0	52.9	47.1	12.8	28.0	6.3
In central cities	3,174	1,647	1,527	410	914	203	100.0	51.9	48.1	12.9	28.8	6.4
Outside central cities	819	466	353	100	205	48	100.0	56.9	43.1	12.2	25.0	5.9
In SMSA's of under 1 million	975	460	515	147	290	78	100.0	47.2	52.8	15.1	29.7	8.0
In central cities	896	431	464	131	263	71	100.0	48.1	51.9	14.6	29.3	7.9
Outside central cities	79	29	51	16	27	7	100.0	36.1	63.9	20.7	34.2	9.1
South												
Total	3,226	1,293	1,933	527	1,240	166	100.0	40.1	59.9	16.3	38.5	5.2
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	1,107	422	684	120	503	61	100.0	38.1	61.9	10.8	45.5	5.5
In central cities	956	362	594	95	453	46	100.0	37.9	62.1	10.0	47.4	4.8
Outside central cities	150	60	90	25	50	16	100.0	39.8	60.2	16.3	33.4	10.5
In SMSA's of under 1 million	2,120	871	1,249	407	737	105	100.0	41.1	58.9	19.2	34.8	5.0
In central cities	1,352	550	802	256	489	58	100.0	40.7	59.3	18.9	36.1	4.3
Outside central cities	768	321	447	151	248	47	100.0	41.8	58.2	19.7	32.4	6.1
NONMETROPOLITAN--ALL RACES												
United States												
Total	42,386	22,550	19,835	7,182	11,273	1,380	100.0	53.2	46.8	16.9	26.6	3.3
Nonfarm	37,364	19,534	17,830	6,168	10,448	1,214	100.0	52.3	47.7	16.5	28.0	3.2
Farm	5,021	3,016	2,006	1,014	825	167	100.0	60.1	39.9	20.2	16.4	3.3
North and West												
Total	24,123	14,434	9,689	3,185	5,671	833	100.0	59.8	40.2	13.2	23.5	3.5
Nonfarm	21,157	12,430	8,727	2,680	5,324	723	100.0	58.8	41.2	12.7	25.2	3.4
Farm	2,966	2,004	962	505	347	110	100.0	67.6	32.4	17.0	11.7	3.7
South												
Total	18,263	8,117	10,146	3,998	5,602	547	100.0	44.4	55.6	21.9	30.7	3.0
Nonfarm	16,208	7,104	9,103	3,489	5,124	491	100.0	43.8	56.2	21.5	31.6	3.0
Farm	2,056	1,012	1,043	509	478	57	100.0	49.2	50.8	24.8	23.3	2.7
NONMETROPOLITAN--WHITE												
United States												
Total	38,832	21,324	17,508	6,352	9,934	1,222	100.0	54.9	45.1	16.4	25.6	3.1
Nonfarm	34,189	18,430	15,759	5,439	9,247	1,073	100.0	53.9	46.1	15.9	27.0	3.1
Farm	4,642	2,893	1,749	913	687	149	100.0	62.3	37.7	19.7	14.8	3.2
North and West												
Total	23,629	14,222	9,407	3,136	5,459	812	100.0	60.2	39.8	13.3	23.1	3.4
Nonfarm	20,687	12,234	8,453	2,633	5,117	703	100.0	59.1	40.9	12.7	24.7	3.4
Farm	2,942	1,988	954	504	342	109	100.0	67.6	32.4	17.1	11.6	3.7
South												
Total	15,202	7,101	8,101	3,216	4,475	410	100.0	46.7	53.3	21.2	29.4	2.7
Nonfarm	13,502	6,196	7,307	2,807	4,130	370	100.0	45.9	54.1	20.8	30.6	2.7
Farm	1,700	906	795	409	345	40	100.0	53.3	46.7	24.1	20.3	2.4

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NONMETROPOLITAN--NEGRO												
United States												
Total	3,278	1,127	2,152	795	1,207	149	100.0	34.4	65.6	24.3	36.8	4.5
Nonfarm	2,947	1,029	1,918	703	1,082	133	100.0	34.9	65.1	23.9	36.7	4.5
Farm	331	98	234	92	125	16	100.0	29.5	70.5	27.8	37.8	4.9
North and West												
Total	309	142	167	35	117	15	100.0	45.9	54.1	11.2	37.9	4.9
Nonfarm	305	140	166	35	116	15	100.0	45.7	54.3	11.4	37.9	5.0
Farm	4	2	1	-	-	1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
South												
Total	2,970	985	1,985	761	1,090	134	100.0	33.2	66.8	25.6	36.7	4.5
Nonfarm	2,642	889	1,752	668	966	118	100.0	33.7	66.3	25.3	36.6	4.5
Farm	328	95	232	92	124	16	100.0	29.1	70.9	28.1	37.8	5.0

- Represents zero. B Base less than 75,000.
[1]Includes persons who were recorded as "do not know" and "not reported" on voting.