Table 3. Reported Voting and Registration, by Race, Spanish Origin, and Metropolitan-Nonmetropolitan Residence, for the United States and Regions

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Region, race, Spanish origin, and metropolitan-nonmetropolitan residence	All persons	Reported registered		Reported voted		Reported that they did not vote[1]				
								Not registered		
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Total	Registered	Total[2]	Not a U.S. citizen	Do not know and not reported on registration
UNITED STATES										
All Races										
Total	157,085	105,035	66.9	93,066	59.2	64,020	11,969	52,050	6,343	3,317
Metropolitan	106,627	70,111	65.8	62,703	58.8	43,924	7,409	36,516	5,623	2,407
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	60,895	39,725	65.2	35,714	58.6	25,182	4,011	21,170	4,318	1,484
In central cities	23,118	14,193	61.4	12,608	54.5	10,510	1,586	8,924	2,384	648
Outside central cities	37,778	25,531	67.6	23,106	61.2	14,672	2,426	12,246	1,934	836
In SMSA's of under 1 million	45,731	30,386	66.4	26,989	59.0	18,742	3,397	15,345	1,305	924
In central cities	20,902	13,756	65.8	12,174	58.2	8,728	1,582	7,146	692	469
Outside central cities	24,829	16,631	67.0	14,815	59.7	10,014	1,816	8,199	613	454
Nonmetropolitan	50,459	34,924	69.2	30,363	60.2	20,096	4,561	15,535	720	910
Nonfarm	46,982	32,213	68.6	27,938	59.5	19,044	4,275	14,770	685	836
Farm	3,476	2,711	78.0	2,425	69.8	1,051	286	765	36	73
White										
Total	137,676	94,112	68.4	83,855	60.9	53,821	10,257	43,564	4,762	2,474
Metropolitan	91,480	61,700	67.4	55,507	60.7	35,974	6,194	29,780	4,178	1,741
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	51,042	34,238	67.1	30,965	60.7	20,076	3,273	16,804	3,191	1,007
In central cities	16,211	10,284	63.4	9,192	56.7	7,019	1,092	5,927	1,645	311
Outside central cities	34,831	23,954	68.8	21,774	62.5	13,057	2,181	10,876	1,546	696
In SMSA's of under 1 million	40,439	27,462	67.9	24,541	60.7	15,897	2,921	12,976	987	734
In central cities	17,269	11,709	67.8	10,477	60.7	6,792	1,232	5,560	527	323
Outside central cities	23,170	15,753	68.0	14,064	60.7	9,105	1,689	7,416	460	410
Nonmetropolitan	46,196	32,412	70.2	28,349	61.4	17,847	4,063	13,784	584	733
Nonfarm	42,887	29,786	69.5	25,991	60.6	16,896	3,795	13,101	548	667
Farm	3,309	2,626	79.4	2,358	71.2	951	268	683	36	65
Black										
Total	16,423	9,849	60.0	8,287	50.5	8,136	1,562	6,574	472	771
Metropolitan	12,748	7,631	59.9	6,518	51.1	6,230	1,113	5,117	436	609
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	8,237	5,046	61.3	4,375	53.1	3,862	672	3,190	335	432
In central cities	6,018	3,704	61.5	3,250	54.0	2,768	454	2,314	259	309
Outside central cities	2,219	1,343	60.5	1,125	50.7	1,094	218	876	76	123
In SMSA's of under 1 million	4,511	2,585	57.3	2,144	47.5	2,368	442	1,926	101	177
In central cities	3,241	1,881	58.0	1,553	47.9	1,688	328	1,360	36	139
Outside central cities	1,271	704	55.4	591	46.5	680	113	566	65	38
Nonmetropolitan	3,675	2,217	60.3	1,769	48.1	1,906	449	1,458	36	162
Nonfarm	3,545	2,155	60.8	1,723	48.6	1,822	433	1,390	36	157
Farm	130	62	47.8	46	35.2	84	16	68	-	5
Spanish Origin[3]										
Total	8,210	2,984	36.3	2,453	29.9	5,757	531	5,226	2,645	203
Metropolitan	6,911	2,375	34.4	1,961	28.4	4,949	414	4,536	2,429	164
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	4,644	1,424	30.7	1,184	25.5	3,460	241	3,220	1,961	104
In central cities	2,619	760	29.0	597	22.8	2,022	164	1,859	1,162	54
Outside central cities	2,025	664	32.8	587	29.0	1,438	77	1,361	799	51
In SMSA's of under 1 million	2,267	951	41.9	778	34.3	1,489	173	1,316	468	60
In central cities	1,401	607	43.4	488	34.8	913	119	794	271	41
Outside central cities	866	343	39.7	290	33.4	576	54	522	197	19
Nonmetropolitan	1,300	609	46.9	492	37.8	808	117	690	215	39
Nonfarm	1,258	601	47.8	485	38.6	773	116	657	196	39
Farm	42	8	(B)	7	(B)	35	1	34	19	1
NORTHEAST										
All Races										
Total	35,500	22,992	64.8	20,757	58.5	14,742	2,235	12,507	1,647	957
Metropolitan	27,610	17,712	64.2	15,979	57.9	11,631	1,733	9,898	1,464	822
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	18,055	11,322	62.7	10,249	56.8	7,806	1,073	6,733	1,169	601
In central cities	7,476	4,289	57.4	3,807	50.9	3,669	482	3,187	760	314
Outside central cities	10,578	7,033	66.5	6,442	60.9	4,136	591	3,545	409	287
In SMSA's of under 1 million	9,555	6,390	66.9	5,730	60.0	3,825	660	3,165	295	221
In central cities	3,335	2,174	65.2	1,945	58.3	1,391	229	1,161	142	93
Outside central cities	6,220	4,216	67.8	3,786	60.9	2,434	430	2,004	153	128
Nonmetropolitan	7,890	5,280	66.9	4,778	60.6	3,112	502	2,610	183	135
Nonfarm	7,709	5,146	66.8	4,649	60.3	3,060	497	2,563	179	127
Farm	181	134	73.9	129	71.3	52	5	47	4	8

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Table 3. Reported Voting and Registration, by Race, Spanish Origin, and Metropolitan-Nonmetropolitan Residence, for the United States and Regions—Continued

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Region, race, Spanish origin, and metropolitan-nonmetropolitan residence	All persons	Reported registered		Reported voted		Reported that they did not vote[1]				
								Not registered		
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Total	Registered	Total[2]	Not a U.S. citizen	Do not know and not reported on registration
NORTHEAST--Continued										
White										
Total	31,868	21,215	66.6	19,239	60.4	12,629	1,976	10,653	1,189	723
Metropolitan	24,186	16,041	66.3	14,544	60.1	9,642	1,498	8,144	1,029	598
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	15,083	9,872	65.5	8,990	59.6	6,093	882	5,211	761	400
In central cities	5,244	3,189	60.8	2,852	54.4	2,391	336	2,055	431	161
Outside central cities	9,839	6,683	67.9	6,138	62.4	3,702	546	3,156	330	240
In SMSA's of under 1 million	9,103	6,169	67.8	5,554	61.0	3,549	616	2,934	268	198
In central cities	2,985	2,008	67.3	1,817	60.9	1,168	191	977	119	74
Outside central cities	6,118	4,161	68.0	3,737	61.1	2,381	425	1,957	149	124
Nonmetropolitan	7,682	5,173	67.3	4,695	61.1	2,987	478	2,509	160	125
Nonfarm	7,503	5,040	67.2	4,566	60.9	2,937	474	2,463	156	118
Farm	179	134	74.7	129	72.0	50	5	45	4	8
Black										
Total	3,235	1,684	52.0	1,435	44.3	1,800	249	1,551	258	221
Metropolitan	3,065	1,591	51.9	1,365	44.5	1,700	226	1,474	248	212
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	2,663	1,384	52.0	1,198	45.0	1,465	185	1,280	234	191
In central cities	2,027	1,068	52.7	925	45.7	1,101	143	959	199	146
Outside central cities	636	315	49.6	273	42.9	364	43	321	35	44
In SMSA's of under 1 million	402	208	51.7	167	41.6	235	41	194	14	21
In central cities	318	159	49.9	124	38.9	194	35	159	13	18
Outside central cities	84	49	58.3	44	51.7	41	6	35	1	3
Nonmetropolitan	170	92	54.4	69	40.9	100	23	77	10	9
Nonfarm	168	92	55.0	69	41.3	99	23	76	10	9
Farm	2	-	(B)	-	(B)	2	-	2	-	-
Spanish Origin[3]										
Total	1,368	510	37.3	421	30.7	947	89	858	403	46
Metropolitan	1,295	474	36.6	388	30.0	907	86	821	389	46
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	1,110	376	33.9	302	27.3	807	74	734	349	38
In central cities	891	311	34.9	239	26.8	652	72	580	266	32
Outside central cities	219	65	29.9	63	29.0	155	2	153	83	6
In SMSA's of under 1 million	186	98	52.8	86	46.3	100	12	88	40	8
In central cities	112	59	52.3	49	43.2	64	10	54	18	7
Outside central cities	73	39	(B)	37	(B)	36	2	34	22	1
Nonmetropolitan	73	36	(B)	32	(B)	41	4	37	13	-
Nonfarm	73	36	(B)	32	(B)	41	4	37	13	-
Farm	-	-	(B)	-	(B)	-	-	-	-	-
NORTH CENTRAL										
All Races										
Total	41,542	30,643	73.8	27,329	65.8	14,213	3,315	10,899	761	708
Metropolitan	27,227	19,916	73.1	17,997	66.1	9,230	1,918	7,312	660	457
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	16,049	11,798	73.5	10,700	66.7	5,349	1,098	4,251	539	268
In central cities	5,739	4,066	70.9	3,673	64.0	2,066	394	1,672	290	95
Outside central cities	10,310	7,731	75.0	7,027	68.2	3,283	704	2,579	250	172
In SMSA's of under 1 million	11,178	8,118	72.6	7,297	65.3	3,881	821	3,061	121	190
In central cities	5,110	3,681	72.0	3,303	64.6	1,807	377	1,430	59	100
Outside central cities	6,068	4,437	73.1	3,994	65.8	2,074	443	1,631	62	89
Nonmetropolitan	14,315	10,727	74.9	9,331	65.2	4,984	1,396	3,587	101	250
Nonfarm	12,661	9,345	73.8	8,091	63.9	4,570	1,254	3,316	99	214
Farm	1,654	1,383	83.6	1,240	75.0	413	142	271	2	36
White										
Total	38,009	28,322	74.5	25,282	66.5	12,728	3,040	9,688	573	598
Metropolitan	23,925	17,731	74.1	16,059	67.1	7,866	1,672	6,193	503	349
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	13,606	10,146	74.6	9,212	67.7	4,395	934	3,460	408	191
In central cities	3,831	2,750	71.8	2,475	64.6	1,356	276	1,081	222	35
Outside central cities	9,775	7,396	75.7	6,737	68.9	3,038	658	2,380	187	156
In SMSA's of under 1 million	10,318	7,585	73.5	6,847	66.4	3,471	738	2,733	95	158
In central cities	4,360	3,212	73.7	2,909	66.7	1,451	303	1,148	39	69
Outside central cities	5,958	4,373	73.4	3,838	66.1	2,020	435	1,585	55	89
Nonmetropolitan	14,085	10,590	75.2	9,223	65.5	4,862	1,368	3,495	70	249
Nonfarm	12,433	9,209	74.1	7,984	64.2	4,449	1,225	3,224	69	212
Farm	1,652	1,381	83.6	1,239	75.0	413	142	271	2	36

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Region, race, Spanish origin, and metropolitan-nonmetropolitan residence	All persons	Reported registered		Reported voted		Reported that they did not vote[1]				
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		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Total	Registered	Total[2]	Not a U.S. citizen	Do not know and not reported on registration
NORTH CENTRAL--Continued										
Black										
Total	3,174	2,206	69.5	1,954	61.6	1,220	252	968	15	105
Metropolitan	3,030	2,110	69.6	1,876	61.9	1,154	235	920	10	105
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	2,234	1,599	71.6	1,446	64.7	789	153	636	10	74
In central cities	1,807	1,296	71.7	1,183	65.5	624	113	511	6	59
Outside central cities	427	303	70.9	263	61.4	165	40	124	4	15
In SMSA's of under 1 million	796	511	64.3	430	54.1	365	81	284	-	31
In central cities	706	453	64.2	380	53.8	326	73	253	-	31
Outside central cities	89	58	65.3	50	56.3	39	8	31	-	-
Nonmetropolitan	144	96	66.5	79	54.6	66	17	48	5	-
Nonfarm	144	96	66.5	79	54.6	66	17	48	5	-
Farm	-	-	(B)	-	(B)	-	-	-	-	-
Spanish Origin[3]										
Total	622	282	45.4	247	39.7	375	36	339	148	13
Metropolitan	527	244	46.3	219	41.5	308	25	283	139	5
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	399	172	43.0	153	38.3	246	19	228	137	3
In central cities	276	108	39.0	95	34.3	181	13	168	101	-
Outside central cities	123	64	51.8	58	47.3	65	6	60	37	3
In SMSA's of under 1 million	127	72	56.9	66	51.6	62	7	55	2	2
In central cities	67	41	(B)	39	(B)	28	2	25	-	1
Outside central cities	61	31	(B)	27	(B)	34	4	30	2	1
Nonmetropolitan	95	38	40.4	28	29.4	67	10	57	8	8
Nonfarm	90	36	39.8	26	28.3	65	10	54	8	8
Farm	4	2	(B)	2	(B)	2	-	2	-	-
SOUTH										
All Races										
Total	50,561	32,745	64.8	28,103	55.6	22,458	4,642	17,816	1,530	1,122
Metropolitan	28,546	17,969	62.9	15,636	54.8	12,910	2,333	10,577	1,344	681
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	11,176	6,903	61.8	6,016	53.8	5,160	887	4,273	843	285
In central cities	3,865	2,288	59.2	1,956	50.6	1,910	332	1,577	375	106
Outside central cities	7,310	4,615	63.1	4,060	55.5	3,251	555	2,696	468	179
In SMSA's of under 1 million	17,370	11,066	63.7	9,620	55.4	7,750	1,446	6,304	501	396
In central cities	9,019	5,738	63.6	4,975	55.2	4,044	763	3,281	284	221
Outside central cities	8,351	5,328	63.8	4,645	55.6	3,706	683	3,023	217	175
Nonmetropolitan	22,016	14,777	67.1	12,467	56.6	9,548	2,309	7,239	187	441
Nonfarm	20,751	13,852	66.8	11,667	56.2	9,084	2,185	6,899	183	417
Farm	1,265	925	73.1	800	63.3	465	125	340	3	23
White										
Total	41,596	27,526	66.2	23,857	57.4	17,739	3,669	14,070	1,187	739
Metropolitan	23,053	14,848	64.4	13,068	56.7	9,986	1,780	8,205	1,046	454
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	8,898	5,570	62.6	4,927	55.4	3,972	643	3,329	690	170
In central cities	2,410	1,437	59.6	1,258	52.2	1,152	178	974	313	35
Outside central cities	6,488	4,133	63.7	3,668	56.5	2,820	465	2,355	377	135
In SMSA's of under 1 million	14,155	9,278	65.5	8,141	57.5	6,014	1,137	4,877	356	284
In central cities	6,886	4,521	65.7	3,969	57.6	2,917	552	2,365	228	143
Outside central cities	7,269	4,757	65.4	4,172	57.4	3,097	586	2,511	128	141
Nonmetropolitan	18,543	12,678	68.4	10,789	58.2	7,754	1,889	5,865	140	285
Nonfarm	17,420	11,824	67.9	10,042	57.6	7,378	1,782	5,596	137	267
Farm	1,123	854	76.1	747	66.5	376	107	269	3	19
Black										
Total	8,507	5,048	59.3	4,104	48.2	4,404	945	3,459	163	373
Metropolitan	5,197	3,036	58.4	2,497	48.1	2,699	539	2,160	146	223
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	2,133	1,294	60.7	1,056	49.5	1,076	237	839	61	112
In central cities	1,422	848	59.6	696	48.9	727	152	575	36	71
Outside central cities	710	446	62.8	360	50.8	350	86	264	25	42
In SMSA's of under 1 million	3,064	1,742	56.9	1,441	47.0	1,623	301	1,322	85	111
In central cities	2,059	1,191	57.9	983	47.7	1,076	208	868	22	78
Outside central cities	1,005	551	54.8	458	45.6	547	93	454	63	33
Nonmetropolitan	3,310	2,012	60.8	1,606	48.5	1,704	406	1,298	17	150
Nonfarm	3,182	1,950	61.3	1,560	49.0	1,622	390	1,232	17	145
Farm	128	62	48.5	46	35.7	82	16	66	-	5

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Region, race, Spanish origin, and metropolitan-nonmetropolitan residence	All persons	Reported registered		Reported voted		Reported that they did not vote[1]				
								Not registered		
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Total	Registered	Total[2]	Not a U.S. citizen	Do not know and not reported on registration
SOUTH--Continued										
Spanish Origin[3]										
Total	2,725	1,035	38.0	819	30.1	1,906	216	1,690	810	60
Metropolitan	2,185	773	35.4	614	28.1	1,571	158	1,413	760	44
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	1,056	306	29.0	252	23.9	804	54	749	513	15
In central cities	484	111	22.8	80	16.4	405	31	374	279	6
Outside central cities	572	196	34.3	173	30.2	399	23	376	234	9
In SMSA's of under 1 million	1,130	466	41.3	362	32.1	767	104	663	247	29
In central cities	806	340	42.3	258	32.0	548	83	465	161	25
Outside central cities	324	126	38.8	105	32.3	219	21	198	85	4
Nonmetropolitan	540	262	48.6	205	37.9	335	58	278	51	16
Nonfarm	527	259	49.2	203	38.5	324	56	268	49	16
Farm	13	3	(B)	2	(B)	11	1	10	1	-
WEST										
All Races										
Total	29,483	18,655	63.3	16,877	57.2	12,605	1,777	10,828	2,405	531
Metropolitan	23,244	14,515	62.4	13,090	56.3	10,153	1,424	8,729	2,154	447
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	15,616	9,702	62.1	8,749	56.0	6,867	953	5,914	1,767	331
In central cities	6,037	3,549	58.8	3,172	52.5	2,865	378	2,488	959	133
Outside central cities	9,579	6,153	64.2	5,577	58.2	4,002	576	3,426	808	197
In SMSA's of under 1 million	7,628	4,813	63.1	4,342	56.9	3,286	471	2,815	388	116
In central cities	3,437	2,163	62.9	1,951	56.8	1,486	212	1,274	207	55
Outside central cities	4,191	2,650	63.2	2,390	57.0	1,800	259	1,541	181	61
Nonmetropolitan	6,239	4,140	66.4	3,787	60.7	2,452	353	2,099	250	84
Nonfarm	5,861	3,870	66.0	3,531	60.2	2,330	339	1,992	223	78
Farm	378	270	71.6	256	67.8	122	15	107	27	6
White										
Total	26,203	17,050	65.1	15,478	59.1	10,724	1,571	9,153	1,814	414
Metropolitan	20,316	13,079	64.4	11,836	58.3	8,480	1,243	7,237	1,600	340
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	13,454	8,650	64.3	7,837	58.2	5,617	813	4,804	1,332	246
In central cities	4,726	2,908	61.5	2,606	55.1	2,120	302	1,818	679	81
Outside central cities	8,728	5,742	65.8	5,231	59.9	3,497	511	2,986	653	165
In SMSA's of under 1 million	6,862	4,429	64.5	4,000	58.3	2,863	430	2,433	269	95
In central cities	3,038	1,968	64.8	1,782	58.6	1,256	186	1,070	141	38
Outside central cities	3,824	2,461	64.4	2,218	58.0	1,606	243	1,363	128	57
Nonmetropolitan	5,886	3,970	67.4	3,642	61.9	2,245	328	1,916	213	73
Nonfarm	5,531	3,713	67.1	3,399	61.4	2,132	314	1,818	186	71
Farm	355	257	72.3	243	68.4	112	14	98	27	3
Black										
Total	1,507	911	60.4	794	52.7	713	116	596	36	72
Metropolitan	1,456	894	61.4	780	53.5	676	114	563	33	69
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	1,206	770	63.8	675	55.9	532	96	436	31	55
In central cities	761	492	64.6	446	58.5	316	47	269	18	32
Outside central cities	445	278	62.5	229	51.4	216	49	167	12	22
In SMSA's of under 1 million	250	123	49.4	105	42.1	145	18	126	2	15
In central cities	158	78	49.3	67	42.1	92	11	80	1	12
Outside central cities	92	45	49.6	39	42.1	53	7	46	1	3
Nonmetropolitan	51	17	(B)	14	(B)	36	3	34	4	3
Nonfarm	51	17	(B)	14	(B)	36	3	34	4	3
Farm	-	-	(B)	-	(B)	-	-	-	-	-
Spanish Origin[3]										
Total	3,495	1,157	33.1	967	27.7	2,528	190	2,338	1,284	84
Metropolitan	2,903	884	30.5	740	25.5	2,163	145	2,019	1,141	69
In SMSA's of 1 million or more	2,079	570	27.4	476	22.9	1,603	94	1,509	961	48
In central cities	968	231	23.9	183	18.9	785	48	737	516	16
Outside central cities	1,111	339	30.5	293	26.3	818	46	772	446	32
In SMSA's of under 1 million	824	314	38.1	264	32.0	560	50	510	180	21
In central cities	416	167	40.1	143	34.4	273	24	249	92	7
Outside central cities	408	147	36.1	121	29.6	287	27	261	88	13
Nonmetropolitan	592	273	46.1	227	38.3	365	46	319	143	16
Nonfarm	568	270	47.6	224	39.5	343	46	298	125	15
Farm	24	3	(B)	3	(B)	22	-	22	18	1

[1]Includes persons recorded as "did not vote," "do not know," and "not reported" on voting.
[2]In addition to those reported as "not registered," total includes those "not a U.S. citizen," and "do not know," and "not reported" on registration.
[3]Persons of Spanish origin may be of any race.