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AGE, SEX, RACE, AND SPANISH ORIGIN	TOTAL PERSONS	YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED														MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED
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		NONE	1 TO 4 YEARS	5 YEARS	6 AND 7 YEARS	8 YEARS	1 YEAR	2 YEARS	3 YEARS	4 YEARS	1 YEAR	2 YEARS	3 YEARS	4 YEARS	5 YEARS OR MORE	
1979--ALL RACES																
BOTH SEXES																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	169 586	1 271	3 306	1 755	8 490	15 418	10 327	12 062	10 047	58 978	9 832	11 019	4 565	13 426	9 089	12.4
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	16 241	50	20	35	2 099	4 232	4 207	3 462	1 937	187	7	4	-	-	-	9.4
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	8 201	37	11	10	66	160	331	651	1 865	4 046	926	93	4	-	-	12.2
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	19 849	60	76	22	239	295	576	882	945	8 829	2 196	2 460	1 333	1 617	319	12.8
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	125 295	1 124	3 200	1 688	6 085	10 731	5 212	7 067	5 300	45 915	6 703	8 462	3 228	11 809	8 770	12.5
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	17 940	64	108	52	266	313	415	703	666	7 044	1 608	1 849	711	2 744	1 398	12.9
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	16 113	76	122	78	276	396	436	624	608	6 294	1 190	1 457	600	2 265	1 689	12.9
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	13 285	53	127	60	314	482	449	691	575	5 561	815	984	378	1 351	1 446	12.7
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	11 326	49	173	85	389	539	428	726	494	4 782	606	776	263	1 117	899	12.6
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	11 160	70	241	144	437	749	522	714	529	4 523	514	660	247	912	898	12.5
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	11 666	62	255	130	573	993	625	768	611	4 622	472	665	275	911	703	12.4
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	11 211	77	314	167	657	1 115	541	682	518	4 354	517	703	241	750	577	12.4
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	9 420	79	335	185	687	1 311	499	622	476	3 339	336	448	152	547	403	12.2
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	8 504	159	428	226	752	1 476	507	662	373	2 364	261	366	127	490	313	11.1
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	6 263	109	370	219	634	1 287	366	456	235	1 554	160	243	96	311	224	10.3
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	8 408	328	726	343	1 101	2 070	425	421	216	1 477	223	309	139	410	220	8.8
MALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	80 969	673	1 651	847	4 292	7 430	4 845	5 611	4 646	25 402	4 755	5 550	2 306	7 172	5 788	12.4
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	8 253	32	12	23	1 215	2 149	2 173	1 745	847	53	2	2	-	-	-	9.3
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	4 017	23	6	5	40	75	161	368	1 006	1 889	407	37	1	-	-	12.2
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	9 713	28	34	13	107	156	256	401	510	4 210	1 158	1 209	696	749	185	12.8
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	58 986	591	1 599	806	2 930	5 049	2 255	3 098	2 283	19 250	3 188	4 303	1 609	6 423	5 602	12.6
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	8 812	35	47	22	131	174	175	324	300	3 213	778	951	391	1 431	839	13.0
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	7 907	48	67	40	126	202	170	257	250	2 639	604	807	331	1 276	1 091	13.3
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	6 458	26	59	22	168	271	213	269	226	2 428	374	531	184	735	953	12.8
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	5 482	30	83	49	206	277	193	335	201	2 015	326	422	120	619	605	12.7
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	5 421	38	135	88	222	404	250	321	229	1 914	234	310	113	541	623	12.5
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	5 615	38	136	68	293	544	278	378	301	1 875	213	344	135	528	486	12.4
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	5 342	37	161	78	348	565	248	321	225	1 804	236	341	123	463	392	12.4
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	4 402	39	191	102	321	636	208	281	218	1 392	168	245	70	300	233	12.1
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	3 776	106	217	113	358	654	231	284	151	949	118	155	54	224	160	10.7
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	2 609	50	183	94	296	567	148	185	105	559	64	83	37	134	104	9.8
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	3 163	143	319	131	461	755	139	143	77	463	75	115	51	173	118	8.7
FEMALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	88 617	598	1 655	908	4 198	7 988	5 482	6 451	5 401	33 576	5 077	5 470	2 259	6 254	3 301	12.3
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	7 988	18	8	12	884	2 083	2 034	1 717	1 090	135	5	2	-	-	-	9.5
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	4 184	14	5	5	26	84	170	283	859	2 158	519	57	4	-	-	12.3
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	10 136	32	42	9	133	139	320	481	435	4 619	1 038	1 252	636	868	134	12.8
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	66 309	533	1 600	882	3 156	5 682	2 958	3 970	3 017	26 665	3 515	4 159	1 619	5 386	3 168	12.4
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	9 128	29	61	29	135	139	240	379	366	3 831	830	898	319	1 313	559	12.8
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	8 206	28	55	38	150	194	266	367	359	3 655	587	650	269	990	598	12.7
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	6 827	27	68	38	146	210	236	422	348	3 134	441	453	194	616	493	12.6
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	5 844	19	89	36	183	262	234	391	293	2 767	280	355	143	498	294	12.5
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	5 739	32	107	57	215	345	272	393	299	2 610	280	351	134	371	275	12.4
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	6 051	25	119	62	279	449	347	390	310	2 747	260	322	140	383	217	12.4
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	5 869	39	153	89	308	550	292	361	293	2 550	281	362	118	288	185	12.3
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	5 018	39	143	83	367	675	291	342	259	1 946	169	204	82	247	170	12.2
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	4 728	52	211	112	394	822	276	377	223	1 415	143	211	73	265	153	11.5
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	3 654	59	187	125	338	720	217	271	129	995	96	160	59	177	120	10.7
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	5 245	184	407	212	640	1 315	287	278	138	1 014	149	194	88	237	102	8.9
1979--WHITE																
BOTH SEXES																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	148 399	902	2 299	1 318	6 808	13 527	8 695	10 177	8 201	52 907	8 797	9 894	4 081	12 437	8 355	12.4
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	13 617	37	14	17	1 634	3 546	3 575	2 960	1 670	154	7	4	-	-	-	9.4
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	6 976	34	9	8	47	131	245	502	1 535	3 582	809	72	3	-	-	12.3
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	17 008	51	68	16	201	242	437	704	715	7 559	1 892	2 196	1 157	1 481	287	12.8
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	110 798	781	2 208	1 276	4 926	9 609	4 439	6 011	4 282	41 612	6 089	7 622	2 921	10 955	8 068	12.5
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	15 513	52	97	39	222	259	340	540	465	6 056	1 395	1 647	637	2 508	1 257	12.9
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	14 060	50	109	62	235	338	343	504	449	5 508	1 071	1 276	531	2 047	1 538	12.9
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	11 640	37	106	49	250	402	380	566	438	4 931	741	854	321	1 244	1 322	12.7
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	9 894	41	134	72	288	445	351	564	376	4 291	542	686	242	1 037	824	12.6
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	9 778	58	173	98	338	626	410	598	418	4 140	463	590	204	834	829	12.5
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	10 367	43	171	89	426	817	528	664	519	4 287	442	603	253	867	658	12.4
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	10 070	52	207	127	464	968	474	586	446	4 086	499	667	230	714	551	12.4
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	8 525	50	189	129	549	1 196	436	568	429	3 178	321	432	151	525	373	12.2
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	7 585	106	243	160	630	1 366	444	597	327	2 253	249	336	122	470	284	11.8
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	5 698	64	235	161	546	1 218	341	431	219	1 481	150	233	96	302	220	10.7
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	7 667	226	544	291	977	1 975	392	395	197	1 403	217	297	136	406	212	8.9

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1979--WHITE--CONTINUED																
MALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	71 308	457	1 130	617	3 459	6 601	4 146	4 771	3 818	22 761	4 288	5 067	2 070	6 718	5 405	12.5
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	6 938	25	8	12	955	1 811	1 860	1 490	729	43	2	2	-	-	-	9.4
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	3 444	21	6	4	27	62	119	293	823	1 693	362	34	1	-	-	12.2
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	8 422	20	30	7	90	137	188	312	391	3 643	1 017	1 099	612	700	174	12.8
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	52 504	391	1 086	594	2 386	4 590	1 979	2 676	1 874	17 382	2 907	3 932	1 457	6 018	5 232	12.6
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	7 724	31	41	18	112	150	147	242	212	2 776	678	868	357	1 321	772	13.2
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	6 988	32	60	33	110	177	136	216	182	2 284	550	726	294	1 176	1 012	13.5
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	5 732	14	56	16	136	234	189	227	184	2 155	344	463	151	682	880	12.8
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	4 846	26	64	39	144	239	167	270	148	1 815	295	376	116	580	566	12.7
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	4 787	31	95	55	175	357	208	268	182	1 731	210	287	93	505	591	12.6
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	5 017	24	75	51	218	456	246	336	273	1 736	197	316	127	511	451	12.5
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	4 815	20	103	57	252	511	227	278	191	1 687	227	324	114	436	386	12.5
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	3 996	23	115	68	263	590	189	257	202	1 313	162	239	70	286	219	12.2
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	3 375	66	134	85	307	609	203	268	131	907	114	144	49	215	144	11.1
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	2 351	28	110	65	256	541	138	174	101	529	59	78	37	134	102	10.2
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	2 872	96	234	107	415	725	128	141	69	447	70	109	50	172	110	8.8
FEMALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	77 091	446	1 168	702	3 349	6 926	4 549	5 406	4 383	30 146	4 509	4 827	2 011	5 719	2 949	12.4
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	6 679	12	6	5	679	1 735	1 715	1 470	940	110	4	2	-	-	-	9.5
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	3 532	13	3	5	20	68	125	208	712	1 890	447	38	2	-	-	12.3
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	8 586	31	38	9	111	104	249	392	323	3 916	875	1 097	545	781	113	12.8
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	58 294	390	1 121	682	2 539	5 019	2 460	3 335	2 407	24 230	3 183	3 690	1 464	4 937	2 836	12.5
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	7 789	21	56	21	111	109	193	298	253	3 280	716	780	280	1 187	485	12.9
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	7 072	18	49	28	124	161	207	288	267	3 224	521	550	237	871	525	12.7
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	5 908	23	51	33	114	168	191	339	254	2 775	397	391	170	562	441	12.6
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	5 048	15	70	33	144	206	184	295	228	2 475	247	310	126	457	259	12.5
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	4 991	27	78	43	163	269	202	330	236	2 409	253	303	111	330	238	12.5
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	5 350	20	96	38	208	361	281	327	245	2 551	245	287	125	356	208	12.4
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	5 255	32	104	70	213	456	247	308	255	2 398	272	342	115	278	164	12.4
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	4 529	27	74	61	286	605	247	311	227	1 864	159	193	81	240	154	12.2
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	4 210	40	109	75	324	756	241	329	197	1 345	135	191	73	255	140	12.0
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	3 347	36	125	95	291	678	203	257	118	952	91	155	59	168	119	11.0
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	4 795	130	310	184	562	1 250	264	254	127	955	147	188	86	235	102	9.0
1979--BLACK																
BOTH SEXES																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	18 050	295	921	389	1 536	1 688	1 447	1 687	1 704	5 182	868	863	380	643	446	11.6
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	2 322	14	6	17	429	614	553	427	236	26	1	-	-	-	-	9.1
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	1 073	3	2	1	19	28	78	136	309	381	96	18	2	-	-	11.9
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	2 427	7	6	6	33	49	128	165	213	1 104	252	205	135	100	24	12.5
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	12 227	271	907	365	1 056	998	688	959	946	3 670	520	641	243	542	422	11.9
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	2 004	8	9	11	42	42	71	143	180	869	175	153	52	163	86	12.6
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	1 640	19	12	12	32	51	84	106	148	665	101	144	48	135	82	12.5
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	1 367	10	18	6	49	67	64	117	131	555	68	104	55	63	61	12.4
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	1 210	6	32	10	94	85	70	153	114	427	53	69	14	41	41	12.1
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	1 166	11	54	46	91	102	95	106	106	318	50	49	34	48	56	11.7
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	1 111	16	74	34	137	169	83	94	86	270	29	37	21	34	26	10.4
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	972	19	103	34	178	130	60	83	64	206	13	30	11	25	18	9.4
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	804	22	141	50	130	107	55	49	42	141	13	15	1	12	25	8.6
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	812	39	177	59	109	101	61	64	44	90	11	26	3	8	19	8.2
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	502	37	122	52	82	64	17	26	13	66	5	7	-	9	3	7.0
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	640	83	166	50	112	80	28	18	18	63	2	8	3	4	5	6.4
MALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	8 148	189	477	205	771	734	613	746	765	2 252	367	355	179	287	208	11.4
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	1 161	8	3	11	240	299	274	216	106	4	-	-	-	-	-	9.1
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	501	2	-	1	13	12	36	63	170	165	38	1	-	-	-	11.7
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	1 092	7	4	6	17	18	62	83	110	492	108	83	58	35	10	12.5
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	5 393	172	470	187	502	405	241	384	379	1 590	220	271	121	252	198	11.9
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	892	4	6	3	18	23	27	74	79	388	72	57	23	77	42	12.5
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	715	12	8	7	13	20	32	34	66	292	42	59	28	61	41	12.6
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	595	9	4	3	26	30	23	38	41	238	29	53	33	38	31	12.5
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	529	3	16	9	59	36	24	64	53	169	24	36	1	16	19	12.0
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	540	7	29	33	45	41	30	49	46	165	24	11	17	20	25	11.8
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	512	13	55	12	72	85	27	41	26	109	15	20	7	11	18	9.7
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	438	15	55	20	87	45	21	36	26	86	7	14	8	18	-	8.9
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	359	13	72	31	57	40	17	21	11	71	4	5	-	7	10	8.2
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	333	33	78	22	43	40	26	15	18	33	4	9	3	3	6	7.6
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	224	17	66	23	38	26	9	12	4	24	-	3	-	-	2	6.3
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	254	45	81	23	44	19	6	2	8	15	-	4	1	1	5	5.1

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1979--BLACK--CONTINUED																
FEMALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	9 902	106	444	184	765	954	834	942	938	2 930	502	508	201	356	238	11.8
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	1 161	6	2	7	189	314	279	212	130	22	1	-	-	-	-	9.2
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	572	1	2	-	6	16	43	73	138	216	58	17	2	-	-	12.0
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	1 335	-	2	-	16	31	66	82	103	612	144	121	78	65	14	12.6
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	6 834	99	437	177	554	593	447	575	567	2 080	300	370	122	290	224	11.9
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	1 112	4	3	8	24	20	45	69	101	480	103	95	30	86	44	12.6
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	925	7	4	6	20	32	51	73	82	373	59	85	21	74	40	12.5
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	772	1	14	3	22	36	41	79	90	318	39	52	22	25	30	12.3
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	680	4	16	1	35	49	46	89	61	258	29	33	13	25	22	12.2
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	626	3	24	13	47	61	66	57	60	153	26	38	17	29	32	11.7
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	599	3	19	22	65	84	57	53	60	161	14	17	14	22	8	10.9
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	534	4	48	13	91	84	39	47	38	120	6	16	3	7	18	9.7
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	445	9	69	19	73	67	38	28	31	70	8	11	1	6	15	8.8
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	479	6	100	37	66	61	35	48	26	57	8	17	-	6	13	8.5
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	278	20	56	29	44	38	8	14	9	42	5	4	-	9	1	7.6
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	385	38	85	27	68	61	22	17	9	48	2	4	2	3	-	7.3
1979--SPANISH ORIGIN[1]																
BOTH SEXES																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	8 058	320	706	244	1 022	803	603	614	510	2 036	335	327	140	257	142	10.5
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	991	6	8	6	170	289	241	171	92	8	1	-	-	-	-	9.1
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	515	3	6	5	18	22	32	71	116	198	41	3	-	-	-	11.9
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	1 184	12	44	13	113	46	68	85	73	455	92	94	48	34	6	12.3
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	5 367	298	648	220	721	446	262	288	230	1 374	200	229	92	223	136	10.3
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	1 047	13	75	24	121	53	55	59	49	335	73	78	35	52	24	12.2
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	879	23	82	33	116	46	46	45	41	265	43	51	14	46	29	12.0
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	728	18	66	33	104	66	44	43	36	201	25	25	16	24	26	10.8
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	639	27	74	29	69	48	33	41	28	186	19	25	7	36	18	11.0
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	523	33	68	23	75	44	28	34	27	131	11	16	7	15	11	9.6
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	438	23	52	16	77	49	23	18	19	109	11	9	6	15	12	9.1
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	341	32	62	13	44	51	14	21	9	60	6	12	3	10	5	8.4
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	233	20	36	12	38	34	5	13	8	40	5	6	1	12	3	8.3
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	208	30	48	16	32	21	6	7	6	22	3	5	2	4	6	6.6
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	140	26	38	14	17	11	4	4	3	13	2	2	-	4	1	5.4
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	190	52	48	7	30	23	3	5	4	13	1	1	-	4	-	4.6
MALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	3 880	149	340	106	488	387	293	302	266	892	186	170	77	136	88	10.6
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	513	5	3	2	93	144	130	81	51	5	-	-	-	-	-	9.1
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	260	1	4	2	9	6	16	37	72	93	19	2	-	-	-	11.8
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	573	6	19	4	55	22	27	42	39	213	58	47	25	16	-	12.3
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	2 534	137	314	98	331	214	121	143	104	581	110	121	52	120	88	10.4
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	494	6	33	14	63	27	23	30	25	135	36	42	22	26	13	12.2
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	423	14	43	15	45	18	19	20	16	121	28	30	8	27	20	12.2
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	331	4	34	13	50	35	22	18	16	72	17	13	10	12	17	10.5
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	309	18	40	12	35	22	20	22	13	74	7	12	4	20	10	10.3
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	265	19	36	11	36	21	13	19	11	66	5	9	4	6	8	9.7
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	192	10	17	7	32	23	8	9	8	45	6	5	2	10	10	9.9
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	169	12	31	6	19	30	9	12	3	30	3	5	-	7	3	8.6
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	101	5	18	5	16	13	4	6	4	16	3	2	1	5	2	8.5
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100	12	23	10	14	9	2	4	3	13	3	1	-	3	4	6.7
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	56	12	13	5	7	5	1	1	1	5	2	1	-	2	1	(B)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	93	26	26	1	16	12	1	2	3	4	1	-	-	2	-	4.2
FEMALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	4 178	170	366	138	534	415	310	312	244	1 144	148	157	63	121	55	10.5
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	477	1	5	4	77	144	111	89	41	3	1	-	-	-	-	9.1
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	256	2	2	3	9	15	17	34	44	105	23	2	-	-	-	12.0
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	612	6	25	9	58	23	41	44	33	242	35	47	23	18	6	12.3
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	2 833	161	334	122	390	233	141	145	126	793	90	108	40	103	48	10.2
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	553	8	42	10	59	26	31	29	24	200	37	36	13	26	11	12.2
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	456	8	39	18	71	28	27	25	25	143	15	21	5	20	9	11.4
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	397	14	32	20	54	32	23	24	19	129	9	13	6	12	9	11.0
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	330	9	35	17	34	25	14	19	15	112	12	13	3	16	8	11.9
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	258	15	33	12	38	23	15	15	16	64	6	6	3	8	3	9.6
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	245	13	35	8	45	26	16	9	10	63	5	4	4	4	2	8.8
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	173	20	31	8	25	20	6	9	6	30	3	6	3	3	2	8.1
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	131	14	17	7	22	21	1	6	4	24	2	4	-	7	1	8.2
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	108	18	24	6	18	11	4	3	3	10	1	4	2	2	2	6.6
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	84	15	25	9	10	6	3	3	2	8	-	1	-	2	1	5.3
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	97	27	21	6	14	12	2	3	-	8	-	1	-	2	-	5.1

[1]PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

Table 1. Years of School Completed by Persons 14 Years Old and Over, by Age, Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin: March 1979 and 1978—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. NONINSTITUTIONAL POPULATION. THE MARCH 1979 SURVEY INCLUDES 874,000 MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES AND THE MARCH 1978 SURVEY INCLUDES 824,000 MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES IN THE UNITED STATES LIVING OFF POST OR WITH THEIR FAMILIES ON POST. ALL OTHER MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES ARE EXCLUDED. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

AGE, SEX, RACE, AND SPANISH ORIGIN	TOTAL PERSONS	YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED														MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED
		ELEMENTARY					HIGH SCHOOL				COLLEGE					
		NONE	1 TO 4 YEARS	5 YEARS	6 AND 7 YEARS	8 YEARS	1 YEAR	2 YEARS	3 YEARS	4 YEARS	1 YEAR	2 YEARS	3 YEARS	4 YEARS	5 YEARS OR MORE	
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION																
1979--ALL RACES																
BOTH SEXES																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	0.7	1.9	1.0	5.0	9.1	6.1	7.1	5.9	34.8	5.8	6.5	2.7	7.9	5.4	(X)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.1	0.2	12.9	26.1	25.9	21.3	11.9	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	(X)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.8	1.9	4.0	7.9	22.7	49.3	11.3	1.1	0.1	-	-	(X)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.4	0.1	1.2	1.5	2.9	4.4	4.8	44.5	11.1	12.4	6.7	8.1	1.6	(X)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	0.9	2.6	1.3	4.9	8.6	4.2	5.6	4.2	36.6	5.3	6.8	2.6	9.4	7.0	(X)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.6	0.3	1.5	1.7	2.3	3.9	3.7	39.3	9.0	10.3	4.0	15.3	7.8	(X)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.5	0.8	0.5	1.7	2.5	2.7	3.9	3.8	39.1	7.4	9.0	3.7	14.1	10.5	(X)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	1.0	0.5	2.4	3.6	3.4	5.2	4.3	41.9	6.1	7.4	2.8	10.2	10.9	(X)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	1.5	0.8	3.4	4.8	3.8	6.4	4.4	42.2	5.3	6.9	2.3	9.9	7.9	(X)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	2.2	1.3	3.9	6.7	4.7	6.4	4.7	40.5	4.6	5.9	2.2	8.2	8.0	(X)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.5	2.2	1.1	4.9	8.5	5.4	6.6	5.2	39.6	4.0	5.7	2.4	7.8	6.0	(X)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.7	2.8	1.5	5.9	9.9	4.8	6.1	4.6	38.8	4.6	6.3	2.1	6.7	5.1	(X)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.8	3.6	2.0	7.3	13.9	5.3	6.6	5.1	35.4	3.6	4.8	1.6	5.8	4.3	(X)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.9	5.0	2.7	8.8	17.4	6.0	7.8	4.4	27.8	3.1	4.3	1.5	5.8	3.7	(X)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.7	5.9	3.5	10.1	20.5	5.8	7.3	3.7	24.8	2.6	3.9	1.5	5.0	3.6	(X)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	3.9	8.6	4.1	13.1	24.6	5.1	5.0	2.6	17.6	2.7	3.7	1.7	4.9	2.6	(X)
MALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	0.8	2.0	1.0	5.3	9.2	6.0	6.9	5.7	31.4	5.9	6.9	2.8	8.9	7.1	(X)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.1	0.3	14.7	26.0	26.3	21.1	10.3	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	(X)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	0.1	0.1	1.0	1.9	4.0	9.2	25.0	47.0	10.1	0.9	-	-	-	(X)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.4	0.1	1.1	1.6	2.6	4.1	5.3	43.3	11.9	12.4	7.2	7.7	1.9	(X)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	1.0	2.7	1.4	5.0	8.6	3.8	5.3	3.9	32.6	5.4	7.3	2.7	10.9	9.5	(X)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.5	0.3	1.5	2.0	2.0	3.7	3.4	36.5	8.8	10.8	4.4	16.2	9.5	(X)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	0.9	0.5	1.6	2.6	2.2	3.3	3.2	33.4	7.6	10.2	4.2	16.1	13.8	(X)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.9	0.3	2.6	4.2	3.3	4.2	3.5	37.6	5.8	8.2	2.8	11.4	14.8	(X)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.5	1.5	0.9	3.8	5.1	3.5	6.1	3.7	36.8	6.0	7.7	2.2	11.3	11.0	(X)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.7	2.5	1.6	4.1	7.5	4.6	5.9	4.2	35.3	4.3	5.7	2.1	10.0	11.5	(X)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.7	2.4	1.2	5.2	9.7	5.0	6.7	5.4	33.4	3.8	6.1	2.4	9.4	8.7	(X)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.7	3.0	1.5	6.5	10.6	4.6	6.0	4.2	33.8	4.4	6.4	2.3	8.7	7.3	(X)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.9	4.3	2.3	7.3	14.4	4.7	6.4	4.9	31.6	3.8	5.6	1.6	6.8	5.3	(X)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	2.8	5.7	3.0	9.5	17.3	6.1	7.5	4.0	25.1	3.1	4.1	1.4	5.9	4.2	(X)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.9	7.0	3.6	11.3	21.7	5.7	7.1	4.0	21.4	2.4	3.2	1.4	5.1	4.0	(X)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	4.5	10.1	4.1	14.6	23.9	4.4	4.5	2.4	14.6	2.4	3.6	1.6	5.5	3.7	(X)
FEMALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	0.7	1.9	1.0	4.7	9.0	6.2	7.3	6.1	37.9	5.7	6.2	2.5	7.1	3.7	(X)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.2	0.1	0.2	11.1	26.1	25.5	21.5	13.6	1.7	0.1	-	-	-	-	(X)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.6	2.0	4.1	6.8	20.5	51.6	12.4	1.4	0.1	-	-	(X)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.4	0.1	1.3	1.4	3.2	4.7	4.3	45.6	10.2	12.3	6.3	8.6	1.3	(X)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	0.8	2.4	1.3	4.8	8.6	4.5	6.0	4.6	40.2	5.3	6.3	2.4	8.1	4.8	(X)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.7	0.3	1.5	1.5	2.6	4.2	4.0	42.0	9.1	9.8	3.5	14.4	6.1	(X)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.7	0.5	1.8	2.4	3.2	4.5	4.4	44.5	7.1	7.9	3.3	12.1	7.3	(X)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	1.0	0.6	2.1	3.1	3.5	6.2	5.1	45.9	6.5	6.6	2.8	9.0	7.2	(X)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	1.5	0.6	3.1	4.5	4.0	6.7	5.0	47.4	4.8	6.1	2.4	8.5	5.0	(X)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	1.9	1.0	3.7	6.0	4.7	6.8	5.2	45.5	4.9	6.1	2.3	6.5	4.8	(X)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	2.0	1.0	4.6	7.4	5.7	6.4	5.1	45.4	4.3	5.3	2.3	6.3	3.6	(X)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.7	2.6	1.5	5.3	9.4	5.0	6.1	5.0	43.5	4.8	6.2	2.0	4.9	3.1	(X)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.8	2.9	1.7	7.3	13.5	5.8	6.8	5.2	38.8	3.4	4.1	1.6	4.9	3.4	(X)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.1	4.5	2.4	8.3	17.4	5.8	8.0	4.7	29.9	3.0	4.5	1.5	5.6	3.2	(X)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.6	5.1	3.4	9.2	19.7	5.9	7.4	3.5	27.2	2.6	4.4	1.6	4.8	3.3	(X)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	3.5	7.8	4.0	12.2	25.1	5.5	5.3	2.6	19.3	2.8	3.7	1.7	4.5	2.0	(X)
1979--WHITE																
BOTH SEXES																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	0.6	1.5	0.9	4.6	9.1	5.9	6.9	5.5	35.7	5.9	6.7	2.7	8.4	5.6	(X)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.1	0.1	12.0	26.0	26.3	21.7	12.3	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	(X)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.7	1.9	3.5	7.2	22.0	51.3	11.6	1.0	-	-	-	(X)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.4	0.1	1.2	1.4	2.6	4.1	4.2	44.4	11.1	12.9	6.8	8.7	1.7	(X)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	0.7	2.0	1.2	4.4	8.7	4.0	5.4	3.9	37.6	5.5	6.9	2.6	9.9	7.3	(X)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.6	0.3	1.4	1.7	2.2	3.5	3.0	39.0	9.0	10.6	4.1	16.2	8.1	(X)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.8	0.4	1.7	2.4	2.4	3.6	3.2	39.2	7.6	9.1	3.8	14.6	10.9	(X)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.9	0.4	2.1	3.5	3.3	4.9	3.8	42.4	6.4	7.3	2.8	10.7	11.4	(X)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	1.4	0.7	2.9	4.5	3.5	5.7	3.8	43.4	5.5	6.9	2.4	10.5	8.3	(X)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	1.8	1.0	3.5	6.4	4.2	6.1	4.3	42.3	4.7	6.0	2.1	8.5	8.5	(X)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	1.6	0.9	4.1	7.9	5.1	6.4	5.0	41.4	4.3	5.8	2.4	8.4	6.4	(X)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.5	2.1	1.3	4.6	9.6	4.7	5.8	4.4	40.6	5.0	6.6	2.3	7.1	5.5	(X)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	2.2	1.5	6.4	14.0	5.1	6.7	5.0	37.3	3.8	5.1	1.8	6.2	4.4	(X)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.4	3.2	2.1	8.3	18.0	5.9	7.9	4.3	29.7	3.3	4.4	1.6	6.2	3.7	(X)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.1	4.1	2.8	9.6	21.4	6.0	7.6	3.8	26.0	2.6	4.1	1.7	5.3	3.9	(X)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	3.0	7.1	3.8	12.7	25.8	5.1	5.1	2.6	18.3	2.8	3.9	1.8	5.3	2.8	(X)

Table 1. Years of School Completed by Persons 14 Years Old and Over, by Age, Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin: March 1979 and 1978—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. NONINSTITUTIONAL POPULATION. THE MARCH 1979 SURVEY INCLUDES 874,000 MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES AND THE MARCH 1978 SURVEY INCLUDES 824,000 MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES IN THE UNITED STATES LIVING OFF POST OR WITH THEIR FAMILIES ON POST. ALL OTHER MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FROCES ARE EXCLUDED. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

AGE, SEX, RACE, AND SPANISH ORIGIN	TOTAL PERSONS	YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED														MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED
		ELEMENTARY					HIGH SCHOOL				COLLEGE					
		NONE	1 TO 4 YEARS	5 YEARS	6 AND 7 YEARS	8 YEARS	1 YEAR	2 YEARS	3 YEARS	4 YEARS	1 YEAR	2 YEARS	3 YEARS	4 YEARS	5 YEARS OR MORE	
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION--CONTINUED																
1979--WHITE--CONTINUED																
MALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	0.6	1.6	0.9	4.9	9.3	5.8	6.7	5.4	31.9	6.0	7.1	2.9	9.4	7.6	(X)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.1	0.2	13.8	26.1	26.8	21.5	10.5	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	(X)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	0.2	0.1	0.8	1.8	3.5	8.5	23.9	49.1	10.5	1.0	-	-	-	(X)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.2	0.4	0.1	1.1	1.6	2.2	3.7	4.6	43.3	12.1	13.1	7.3	8.3	2.1	(X)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	0.7	2.1	1.1	4.5	8.7	3.8	5.1	3.6	33.1	5.5	7.5	2.8	11.5	10.0	(X)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.5	0.2	1.4	1.9	1.9	3.1	2.7	35.9	8.8	11.2	4.6	17.1	10.0	(X)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.5	0.9	0.5	1.6	2.5	1.9	3.1	2.6	32.7	7.9	10.4	4.2	16.8	14.5	(X)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	1.0	0.3	2.4	4.1	3.3	4.0	3.2	37.6	6.0	8.1	2.6	11.9	15.4	(X)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.5	1.3	0.8	3.0	4.9	3.4	5.6	3.1	37.5	6.1	7.8	2.4	12.0	11.7	(X)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	2.0	1.2	3.6	7.5	4.3	5.6	3.8	36.2	4.4	6.0	1.9	10.5	12.3	(X)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.5	1.5	1.0	4.3	9.1	4.9	6.7	5.5	34.6	3.9	6.3	2.5	10.2	9.0	(X)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	2.1	1.2	5.2	10.6	4.7	5.8	4.0	35.0	4.7	6.7	2.4	9.1	8.0	(X)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	2.9	1.7	6.6	14.8	4.7	6.4	5.0	32.9	4.0	6.0	1.8	7.1	5.5	(X)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	2.0	4.0	2.5	9.1	18.1	6.0	7.9	3.9	26.9	3.4	4.3	1.4	6.4	4.3	(X)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.2	4.7	2.8	10.9	23.0	5.9	7.4	4.3	22.5	2.5	3.3	1.6	5.7	4.3	(X)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	3.3	8.1	3.7	14.4	25.3	4.4	4.9	2.4	15.6	2.4	3.8	1.7	6.0	3.8	(X)
FEMALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	0.6	1.5	0.9	4.3	9.0	5.9	7.0	5.7	39.1	5.8	6.3	2.6	7.4	3.8	(X)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	10.2	26.0	25.7	22.0	14.1	1.7	0.1	-	-	-	-	(X)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.6	1.9	3.6	5.9	20.2	53.5	12.7	1.1	0.1	-	-	(X)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.4	0.1	1.3	1.2	2.9	4.6	3.8	45.6	10.2	12.8	6.3	9.1	1.3	(X)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	0.7	1.9	1.2	4.4	8.6	4.2	5.7	4.1	41.6	5.5	6.3	2.5	8.5	4.9	(X)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.7	0.3	1.4	1.4	2.5	3.8	3.2	42.1	9.2	10.0	3.6	15.2	6.2	(X)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.2	0.7	0.4	1.8	2.3	2.9	4.1	3.8	45.6	7.4	7.8	3.4	12.3	7.4	(X)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.9	0.6	1.9	2.8	3.2	5.7	4.3	47.0	6.7	6.6	2.9	9.5	7.5	(X)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	1.4	0.7	2.9	4.1	3.6	5.8	4.5	49.0	4.9	6.1	2.5	9.0	5.1	(X)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	1.6	0.9	3.3	5.4	4.0	6.6	4.7	48.3	5.1	6.1	2.2	6.6	4.8	(X)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	1.8	0.7	3.9	6.8	5.3	6.1	4.6	47.7	4.6	5.4	2.3	6.7	3.9	(X)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	2.0	1.3	4.0	8.7	4.7	5.9	4.9	45.6	5.2	6.5	2.2	5.3	3.1	(X)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	1.6	1.3	6.3	13.4	5.4	6.9	5.0	41.2	3.5	4.3	1.8	5.3	3.4	(X)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.9	2.6	1.8	7.7	18.0	5.7	7.8	4.7	32.0	3.2	4.5	1.7	6.1	3.3	(X)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.1	3.7	2.9	8.7	20.2	6.1	7.7	3.5	28.4	2.7	4.6	1.8	5.0	3.5	(X)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	2.7	6.5	3.8	11.7	26.1	5.5	5.3	2.7	19.9	3.1	3.9	1.8	4.9	2.1	(X)
1979--BLACK																
BOTH SEXES																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	1.6	5.1	2.2	8.5	9.4	8.0	9.3	9.4	28.7	4.8	4.8	2.1	3.6	2.5	(X)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	0.2	0.8	18.5	26.4	23.8	18.4	10.2	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	(X)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.2	0.1	1.8	2.6	7.3	12.7	28.8	35.5	8.9	1.7	0.1	-	-	(X)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.3	0.2	1.4	2.0	5.3	6.8	8.8	45.5	10.4	8.4	5.6	4.1	1.0	(X)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	2.2	7.4	3.0	8.6	8.2	5.6	7.8	7.7	30.0	4.3	5.2	2.0	4.4	3.4	(X)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.5	0.6	2.1	2.1	3.6	7.1	9.0	43.3	8.7	7.6	2.6	8.1	4.3	(X)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.2	0.7	0.7	2.0	3.1	5.1	6.5	9.0	40.6	6.2	8.8	2.9	8.2	5.0	(X)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.7	1.3	0.4	3.6	4.9	4.7	8.6	9.6	40.6	5.0	7.6	4.0	4.6	4.5	(X)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.5	2.6	0.8	7.8	7.1	5.8	12.6	9.4	35.3	4.4	5.7	1.1	3.4	3.4	(X)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.9	4.6	4.0	7.8	8.8	8.2	9.1	9.1	27.3	4.2	4.2	2.9	4.1	4.8	(X)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.5	6.7	3.1	12.3	15.2	7.5	8.5	7.8	24.3	2.6	3.3	1.9	3.0	2.3	(X)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	2.0	10.6	3.5	18.3	13.3	6.2	8.6	6.6	21.1	1.3	3.1	1.1	2.5	1.8	(X)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	2.7	17.5	6.2	16.2	13.3	6.9	6.1	5.3	17.5	1.6	1.9	0.2	1.5	3.1	(X)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	4.8	21.8	7.2	13.4	12.4	7.5	7.9	5.4	11.1	1.4	3.2	0.4	1.0	2.3	(X)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	100.0	7.4	24.3	10.5	16.3	12.7	3.4	5.1	2.7	13.1	1.0	1.4	-	1.8	0.7	(X)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	12.9	25.9	7.8	17.5	12.5	4.4	2.9	2.7	9.8	0.3	1.2	0.5	0.7	0.8	(X)
MALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	2.3	5.9	2.5	9.5	9.0	7.5	9.2	9.4	27.6	4.5	4.4	2.2	3.5	2.5	(X)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.7	0.3	0.9	20.7	25.8	23.6	18.6	9.1	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	(X)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	-	0.3	2.6	2.3	7.2	12.6	34.0	33.0	7.6	0.1	-	-	-	(X)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	0.4	0.5	1.5	1.6	5.7	7.6	10.1	45.0	9.9	7.6	5.3	3.2	0.9	(X)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	3.2	8.7	3.5	9.3	7.5	4.5	7.1	7.0	29.5	4.1	5.0	2.2	4.7	3.7	(X)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.5	0.7	0.3	2.0	2.6	3.0	8.3	8.8	43.5	8.1	6.4	2.5	8.7	4.7	(X)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.7	1.1	0.9	1.8	2.8	4.5	4.7	9.2	40.9	5.9	8.3	3.9	8.6	5.8	(X)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.5	0.6	0.5	4.4	5.1	3.9	6.4	6.9	39.9	4.8	8.9	5.5	6.4	5.1	(X)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.5	3.1	1.7	11.1	6.8	4.5	12.0	10.0	32.0	4.5	6.8	0.2	3.0	3.6	(X)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.4	5.4	6.1	8.3	7.6	5.5	9.0	8.5	30.5	4.4	2.0	3.1	3.6	4.6	(X)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	2.6	10.8	2.4	14.0	16.6	5.2	8.1	5.2	21.3	3.0	3.9	1.4	2.2	3.5	(X)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	3.3	12.6	4.7	19.8	10.3	4.8	8.3	6.0	19.6	1.6	3.2	1.9	4.0	-	(X)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	3.7	20.0	8.7	15.8	11.1	4.8	5.7	3.1	19.7	1.2	1.3	-	1.9	2.8	(X)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	9.9	23.4	6.6	12.9	12.0	7.9	4.6	5.5	10.0	1.1	2.8	1.0	0.8	1.7	(X)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	100.0	7.8	29.5	10.3	16.9	11.5	4.0	5.2	1.8	10.7	-	1.4	-	-	1.0	(X)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	17.6	31.7	9.2	17.3	7.6	2.3	0.7	3.3	5.9	-	1.5	0.6	0.5	1.9	(X)

Table 1. Years of School Completed by Persons 14 Years Old and Over, by Age, Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin: March 1979 and 1978—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. NONINSTITUTIONAL POPULATION. THE MARCH 1979 SURVEY INCLUDES 874,000 MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES AND THE MARCH 1978 SURVEY INCLUDES 824,000 MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES IN THE UNITED STATES LIVING OFF POST OR WITH THEIR FAMILIES ON POST. ALL OTHER MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES ARE EXCLUDED. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

AGE, SEX, RACE, AND SPANISH ORIGIN	TOTAL PERSONS	YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED														MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED
		ELEMENTARY					HIGH SCHOOL				COLLEGE					
		NONE	1 TO 4 YEARS	5 YEARS	6 AND 7 YEARS	8 YEARS	1 YEAR	2 YEARS	3 YEARS	4 YEARS	1 YEAR	2 YEARS	3 YEARS	4 YEARS	5 YEARS OR MORE	
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION--CONTINUED																
1979--BLACK--CONTINUED																
FEMALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	1.1	4.5	1.9	7.7	9.6	8.4	9.5	9.5	29.6	5.1	5.1	2.0	3.6	2.4	(X)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.5	0.2	0.6	16.3	27.1	24.0	18.2	11.2	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	(X)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.3	-	1.0	2.8	7.4	12.8	24.2	37.8	10.2	3.0	0.3	-	-	(X)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	-	0.2	-	1.2	2.3	4.9	6.1	7.7	45.9	10.8	9.1	5.8	4.9	1.1	(X)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	1.4	6.4	2.6	8.1	8.7	6.5	8.4	8.3	30.4	4.4	5.4	1.8	4.3	3.3	(X)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.3	0.8	2.1	1.8	4.0	6.2	9.1	43.2	9.3	8.6	2.7	7.7	4.0	(X)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.7	0.5	0.6	2.1	3.4	5.6	7.9	8.9	40.3	6.4	9.2	2.2	8.0	4.4	(X)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.2	1.8	0.4	2.9	4.7	5.3	10.3	11.6	41.2	5.1	6.7	2.8	3.2	3.9	(X)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.5	2.3	0.1	5.2	7.2	6.8	13.1	9.0	37.9	4.2	4.8	1.9	3.7	3.2	(X)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.5	3.9	2.1	7.4	9.7	10.5	9.1	9.6	24.5	4.1	6.1	2.7	4.6	5.1	(X)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.5	3.2	3.7	10.8	14.0	9.4	8.8	10.0	27.0	2.3	2.8	2.3	3.7	1.3	(X)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.8	8.9	2.5	17.0	15.8	7.3	8.8	7.1	22.4	1.2	3.0	0.5	1.4	3.3	(X)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	2.0	15.5	4.2	16.5	15.2	8.5	6.3	7.0	15.7	1.8	2.4	0.3	1.2	3.4	(X)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.4	20.8	7.7	13.8	12.7	7.2	10.1	5.4	11.9	1.6	3.5	-	1.2	2.7	(X)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	100.0	7.1	20.0	10.5	15.8	13.6	2.8	5.0	3.4	15.0	1.8	1.3	-	3.2	0.4	(X)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	9.8	22.1	6.9	17.7	15.8	5.8	4.3	2.4	12.4	0.6	1.0	0.5	0.8	-	(X)
1979--SPANISH ORIGIN[1]																
BOTH SEXES																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	4.0	8.8	3.0	12.7	10.0	7.5	7.6	6.3	25.3	4.2	4.1	1.7	3.2	1.8	(X)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	0.8	0.6	17.2	29.1	24.3	17.2	9.3	0.8	0.1	-	-	-	-	(X)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	1.1	0.9	3.5	4.2	6.3	13.7	22.5	38.4	8.0	0.7	-	-	-	(X)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.0	3.7	1.1	9.5	3.8	5.7	7.2	6.2	38.4	7.8	8.0	4.1	2.9	0.5	(X)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	5.6	12.1	4.1	13.4	8.3	4.9	5.4	4.3	25.6	3.7	4.3	1.7	4.1	2.5	(X)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.3	7.1	2.3	11.6	5.1	5.2	5.6	4.7	32.0	7.0	7.4	3.3	5.0	2.3	(X)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	2.6	9.3	3.7	13.1	5.2	5.3	5.1	4.7	30.1	4.9	5.8	1.6	5.3	3.3	(X)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	2.5	9.0	4.5	14.3	9.1	6.1	5.9	4.9	27.6	3.5	3.5	2.2	3.3	3.6	(X)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	4.2	11.6	4.5	10.8	7.4	5.2	6.3	4.4	29.1	3.0	3.9	1.1	5.6	2.8	(X)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	6.4	13.1	4.4	14.3	8.4	5.4	6.4	5.2	25.0	2.1	3.0	1.4	2.8	2.1	(X)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	5.2	11.9	3.6	17.5	11.2	5.4	4.1	4.3	24.9	2.5	2.1	1.3	3.3	2.6	(X)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	9.4	18.2	3.9	12.8	14.9	4.2	6.0	2.6	17.5	1.8	3.4	0.9	2.9	1.6	(X)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	8.5	15.4	5.3	16.4	14.7	2.2	5.4	3.5	17.2	2.0	2.5	0.4	5.3	1.3	(X)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	14.5	22.8	7.8	15.2	10.0	2.9	3.2	2.8	10.8	1.6	2.3	1.2	2.0	2.9	(X)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	100.0	18.7	27.0	9.7	11.9	8.0	2.7	2.8	2.2	9.6	1.6	1.3	0.3	3.2	1.0	(X)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	27.5	25.0	3.6	15.7	12.4	1.5	2.6	2.0	6.6	0.4	0.6	-	2.1	-	(X)
MALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	3.8	8.8	2.7	12.6	10.0	7.6	7.8	6.9	23.0	4.8	4.4	2.0	3.5	2.3	(X)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.0	0.5	0.4	18.1	28.1	25.3	15.8	9.9	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	(X)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	1.5	0.7	3.6	2.5	6.0	14.1	27.7	35.7	7.1	0.6	-	-	-	(X)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.0	3.4	0.7	9.5	3.9	4.7	7.2	6.9	37.1	10.1	8.2	4.4	2.8	-	(X)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	5.4	12.4	3.9	13.1	8.4	4.8	5.6	4.1	22.9	4.4	4.8	2.0	4.7	3.5	(X)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.1	6.6	2.8	12.7	5.5	4.7	6.1	5.0	27.4	7.3	8.5	4.4	5.3	2.6	(X)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	3.4	10.1	3.4	10.6	4.2	4.5	4.8	3.7	28.7	6.7	7.2	2.0	6.3	4.6	(X)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.3	10.2	3.8	15.1	10.5	6.5	5.6	5.0	21.7	5.0	3.9	3.0	3.5	5.0	(X)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	5.9	12.9	3.9	11.4	7.2	6.4	7.0	4.3	23.9	2.3	3.7	1.3	6.5	3.4	(X)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	7.1	13.5	4.3	13.7	7.7	5.0	7.0	4.2	25.0	1.9	3.6	1.6	2.4	3.1	(X)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	5.3	9.0	3.9	16.5	11.7	4.0	4.5	4.4	23.6	3.0	2.7	0.9	5.4	5.1	(X)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	6.8	18.1	3.3	11.0	18.1	5.0	7.1	1.8	17.6	1.7	3.2	0.2	3.9	2.0	(X)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	5.3	18.3	4.9	15.9	12.7	4.2	6.4	4.1	16.0	2.6	1.6	0.9	5.3	1.9	(X)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	11.9	23.3	10.3	13.5	9.4	1.7	3.8	3.2	12.6	2.7	1.2	-	2.6	3.8	(X)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(X)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	27.5	28.3	0.8	16.8	12.7	1.0	1.8	3.5	4.7	0.9	0.4	-	1.7	-	(X)
FEMALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	4.1	8.8	3.3	12.8	9.9	7.4	7.5	5.8	27.4	3.5	3.8	1.5	2.9	1.3	(X)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	1.1	0.9	16.2	30.2	23.2	18.7	8.6	0.7	0.1	-	-	-	-	(X)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.9	0.6	1.1	3.5	6.0	6.6	13.2	17.3	41.2	8.9	0.7	-	-	-	(X)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.0	4.1	1.5	9.5	3.8	6.7	7.2	5.5	39.6	5.7	7.7	3.8	3.0	1.1	(X)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	5.7	11.8	4.3	13.8	8.2	5.0	5.1	4.4	28.0	3.2	3.8	1.4	3.6	1.7	(X)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.4	7.6	1.8	10.6	4.7	5.7	5.2	4.4	36.2	6.7	6.4	2.4	4.7	2.1	(X)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.8	8.6	4.0	15.5	6.2	6.0	5.4	5.6	31.4	3.3	4.6	1.2	4.3	2.0	(X)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	3.5	8.0	5.1	13.6	8.0	5.7	6.2	4.9	32.6	2.2	3.2	1.6	3.1	2.4	(X)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	2.7	10.4	5.1	10.3	7.7	4.1	5.8	4.5	33.9	3.6	4.1	0.8	4.8	2.3	(X)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	5.7	12.7	4.5	14.9	9.1	5.8	5.9	6.2	25.0	2.3	2.4	1.2	3.2	1.2	(X)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	5.2	14.2	3.4	18.2	10.8	6.4	3.8	4.2	25.9	2.1	1.6	1.7	1.7	0.7	(X)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	11.8	18.2	4.4	14.5	11.8	3.4	4.9	3.4	17.4	2.0	3.5	1.6	1.9	1.2	(X)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	11.0	13.2	5.7	16.8	16.2	0.6	4.6	3.1	18.1	1.5	3.2	-	5.3	0.8	(X)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	17.0	22.3	5.5	16.8	10.5	3.9	2.6	2.4	9.1	0.6	3.3	2.3	1.5	2.1	(X)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	100.0	17.5	29.5	10.5	12.0	7.7	3.3	3.1	2.4	10.0	-	0.8	-	2.6	0.6	(X)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	27.6	21.9	6.4	14.6	12.0	2.0	3.4	0.5	8.4	-	0.7	-	2.5	-	(X)

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AGE, SEX, RACE, AND SPANISH ORIGIN[1]	TOTAL PERSONS	YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED													MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED
		ELEMENTARY					HIGH SCHOOL				COLLEGE				
		NONE	1 TO 4 YEARS	5 YEARS	6 AND 7 YEARS	8 YEARS	1 YEAR	2 YEARS	3 YEARS	4 YEARS	1 YEAR	2 YEARS	3 YEARS	4 YEARS	5 YEARS OR MORE	
1978--ALL RACES																
BOTH SEXES																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	167 262	1 222	3 445	1 749	9 023	15 992	10 742	12 277	10 095	57 336	9 347	10 634	4 287	12 775	8 340	12.3
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	16 532	49	23	30	2 228	4 400	4 141	3 534	1 921	184	11	9	-	-	-	9.4
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	8 150	22	19	9	65	159	320	608	1 928	3 978	900	107	28	6	-	12.2
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	19 561	53	56	29	198	336	635	921	930	8 792	2 156	2 413	1 265	1 495	282	12.8
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	123 019	1 098	3 347	1 680	6 532	11 097	5 646	7 214	5 315	44 381	6 280	8 105	2 994	11 274	8 058	12.4
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	17 603	73	81	46	276	317	480	659	660	6 842	1 576	1 820	676	2 730	1 368	12.9
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	15 517	56	115	67	300	453	471	682	563	6 151	1 052	1 327	557	2 086	1 637	12.8
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	12 684	31	132	82	336	518	489	728	596	5 302	746	883	326	1 253	1 265	12.6
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	11 166	68	176	105	411	610	497	637	532	4 683	619	690	259	1 043	837	12.5
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	11 330	94	250	113	522	776	572	750	537	4 597	473	701	213	969	762	12.4
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	11 741	71	285	168	665	956	661	880	711	4 430	449	690	237	897	641	12.3
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	11 031	90	319	180	651	1 186	569	719	577	4 166	424	682	206	711	551	12.3
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	9 478	90	361	170	779	1 456	557	661	395	3 346	313	395	160	477	318	12.1
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	8 222	117	411	215	793	1 482	509	667	315	2 210	270	381	142	424	288	10.9
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	6 047	111	442	220	695	1 241	402	376	221	1 330	152	227	97	329	204	9.8
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	8 199	297	775	315	1 106	2 104	438	455	208	1 324	206	310	121	355	186	8.8
MALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	79 863	614	1 724	902	4 511	7 666	5 006	5 666	4 795	24 600	4 486	5 423	2 207	6 854	5 408	12.4
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	8 399	29	16	19	1 244	2 242	2 063	1 780	927	66	8	5	-	-	-	9.3
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	3 970	7	8	5	36	69	159	348	1 102	1 787	400	37	11	1	-	12.1
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	9 572	24	25	18	92	157	287	482	499	4 126	1 095	1 247	656	705	158	12.8
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	57 922	555	1 675	859	3 139	5 197	2 498	3 055	2 268	18 620	2 983	4 134	1 540	6 148	5 250	12.5
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	8 650	35	31	21	144	163	206	296	315	3 027	785	970	409	1 452	799	13.1
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	7 613	28	60	39	132	218	209	269	231	2 674	500	717	317	1 132	1 088	13.0
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	6 155	20	64	40	175	258	224	321	233	2 305	332	474	158	689	862	12.8
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	5 410	42	99	54	204	324	242	271	202	1 970	319	354	116	629	585	12.6
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	5 515	57	130	65	288	447	263	307	205	1 960	248	348	98	569	530	12.5
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	5 639	36	161	99	345	480	334	422	353	1 766	201	358	130	527	426	12.3
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	5 239	48	170	91	352	603	248	313	271	1 680	204	354	106	410	390	12.3
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	4 530	52	208	98	347	746	240	290	186	1 493	144	200	76	259	192	12.1
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	3 547	65	207	115	370	614	227	265	121	860	131	160	54	194	163	10.7
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	2 533	51	228	97	338	553	148	160	87	469	45	81	24	136	117	9.0
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	3 090	121	317	140	445	792	156	142	65	417	75	118	52	151	98	8.7
FEMALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	87 399	607	1 720	846	4 512	8 326	5 736	6 611	5 300	32 735	4 861	5 211	2 079	5 922	2 932	12.3
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	8 133	20	7	11	984	2 158	2 079	1 754	995	118	3	4	-	-	-	9.4
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	4 180	15	11	4	29	90	162	260	826	2 191	500	70	17	5	-	12.3
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	9 989	29	31	11	106	179	348	439	431	4 666	1 061	1 166	609	790	124	12.7
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	65 097	543	1 671	821	3 393	5 900	3 148	4 158	3 047	25 761	3 297	3 971	1 453	5 126	2 808	12.4
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	8 953	39	50	25	132	154	275	363	345	3 815	792	850	267	1 278	569	12.8
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	7 904	28	55	28	169	234	262	412	332	3 477	552	610	240	954	550	12.7
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	6 529	11	68	41	161	260	264	407	363	2 997	414	409	169	563	403	12.6
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	5 756	25	77	51	207	286	254	366	330	2 712	300	336	143	415	252	12.5
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	5 815	37	120	48	234	330	309	443	333	2 638	225	353	115	399	232	12.4
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	6 102	36	123	69	319	477	327	458	358	2 665	248	331	106	370	215	12.3
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	5 792	42	149	89	298	583	321	406	306	2 486	220	328	100	302	161	12.3
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	4 948	38	153	72	432	710	317	371	209	1 853	169	196	84	218	126	12.1
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	4 675	52	204	100	423	868	282	402	193	1 350	139	221	88	230	124	11.0
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	3 514	60	214	122	357	688	254	216	134	861	107	146	73	193	87	10.3
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	5 109	175	458	175	661	1 311	282	313	143	907	131	192	69	204	88	8.8
1978--WHITE																
BOTH SEXES																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	146 601	858	2 425	1 239	7 363	14 100	9 020	10 365	8 309	51 640	8 335	9 555	3 873	11 803	7 717	12.4
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	13 910	46	20	12	1 764	3 699	3 481	3 051	1 655	162	9	9	-	-	-	9.4
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	6 934	18	17	8	54	128	228	456	1 581	3 557	771	91	21	4	-	12.3
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	16 790	39	50	22	165	268	516	726	684	7 596	1 865	2 146	1 119	1 329	263	12.8
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	108 968	755	2 338	1 196	5 381	10 004	4 795	6 132	4 389	40 324	5 690	7 308	2 733	10 470	7 453	12.5
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	15 254	55	69	34	235	268	408	507	511	5 882	1 358	1 595	594	2 476	1 260	12.9
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	13 578	38	104	44	241	390	368	550	426	5 417	927	1 156	502	1 913	1 502	12.9
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	11 105	28	104	56	284	446	404	569	439	4 734	674	787	288	1 150	1 143	12.7
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	9 761	53	143	79	329	508	398	492	406	4 217	563	602	235	972	765	12.6
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	9 963	45	181	72	405	670	459	600	440	4 229	430	647	187	898	700	12.5
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	10 462	47	193	116	514	800	558	771	627	4 093	432	630	228	849	604	12.4
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	9 950	57	225	122	505	1 047	491	644	500	3 922	398	641	199	681	516	12.4
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	8 580	65	222	122	630	1 318	479	603	357	3 201	298	373	152	457	303	12.2
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	7 322	73	251	134	625	1 361	430	621	273	2 109	263	357	135	411	279	11.6
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	5 514	78	290	165	603	1 183	391	345	209	1 268	148	224	91	319	198	10.1
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	7 480	217	557	252	1 009	2 013	409	430	199	1 253	198	297	121	343	183	8.8

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		NONE	1 TO 4 YEARS	5 YEARS	6 AND 7 YEARS	8 YEARS	1 YEAR	2 YEARS	3 YEARS	4 YEARS	1 YEAR	2 YEARS	3 YEARS	4 YEARS	5 YEARS OR MORE	
1978--WHITE--CONTINUED																
MALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	70 407	399	1 206	634	3 698	6 839	4 207	4 825	4 023	22 172	4 027	4 909	1 995	6 412	5 061	12.4
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	7 086	26	15	9	988	1 902	1 736	1 540	797	60	8	5	-	-	-	9.3
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	3 400	6	6	4	28	55	103	253	924	1 631	344	37	9	1	-	12.2
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	8 303	18	18	12	75	132	239	382	376	3 608	956	1 127	591	621	148	12.8
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	51 619	349	1 166	609	2 607	4 751	2 128	2 651	1 926	16 872	2 720	3 741	1 395	5 790	4 914	12.6
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	7 591	27	27	16	119	139	178	247	248	2 583	689	861	360	1 347	750	13.3
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	6 743	21	57	24	104	194	164	224	171	2 354	454	640	282	1 053	1 000	13.1
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	5 457	18	51	26	147	231	191	242	187	2 076	299	419	141	637	793	12.8
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	4 786	34	77	36	162	285	189	211	159	1 789	296	306	106	588	547	12.7
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	4 883	20	94	44	232	391	216	260	170	1 796	218	317	87	538	500	12.6
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	5 050	19	101	71	275	411	292	368	322	1 621	194	329	126	516	406	12.4
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	4 754	27	126	61	279	557	211	289	237	1 583	189	335	101	391	368	12.4
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	4 107	37	129	76	281	682	209	268	172	1 422	140	189	70	251	182	12.1
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	3 154	32	125	72	296	582	185	253	111	822	126	153	47	190	160	11.3
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	2 287	34	151	72	291	527	146	152	84	436	43	81	23	133	113	9.5
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	2 808	80	227	111	422	752	148	136	65	391	72	110	52	147	95	8.8
FEMALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	76 194	459	1 219	604	3 666	7 261	4 813	5 540	4 286	29 469	4 308	4 645	1 878	5 391	2 655	12.3
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	6 824	20	5	4	776	1 798	1 745	1 511	858	102	2	4	-	-	-	9.5
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	3 534	12	11	4	26	73	125	203	657	1 927	427	54	12	3	-	12.3
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	8 487	21	31	10	90	136	277	345	308	3 988	909	1 019	528	708	115	12.8
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	57 349	406	1 172	587	2 773	5 253	2 666	3 481	2 463	23 452	2 970	3 567	1 338	4 680	2 540	12.4
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	7 663	28	42	18	116	129	230	261	264	3 299	670	734	233	1 129	510	12.8
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	6 835	17	46	20	137	196	204	326	255	3 063	473	516	220	861	502	12.7
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	5 648	11	53	30	138	215	213	326	252	2 658	375	367	147	514	350	12.6
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	4 975	19	66	43	166	222	210	281	247	2 428	267	295	129	383	217	12.5
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	5 080	24	87	29	173	278	243	340	270	2 433	212	329	100	360	200	12.5
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	5 412	28	92	45	240	389	266	403	305	2 473	238	301	101	334	198	12.4
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	5 196	30	99	60	226	491	281	355	264	2 339	209	306	98	289	149	12.3
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	4 473	27	93	46	349	636	270	334	185	1 779	158	184	83	207	122	12.2
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	4 168	41	126	62	329	780	245	368	162	1 287	137	204	88	221	118	11.8
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	3 227	44	139	93	312	656	245	193	125	832	105	143	68	186	85	10.6
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	4 672	138	330	141	587	1 261	261	294	134	861	125	187	69	196	88	8.9
1978--BLACK																
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TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	17 741	273	916	456	1 495	1 667	1 561	1 757	1 671	4 880	860	878	333	613	383	11.4
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	2 327	3	3	18	416	610	577	436	247	17	1	-	-	-	-	9.2
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	1 059	4	2	-	7	26	89	129	319	357	104	12	7	2	-	11.9
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	2 395	9	6	7	28	60	117	180	232	1 041	248	213	119	121	16	12.5
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	11 959	256	905	431	1 044	971	778	1 012	873	3 465	507	653	207	490	368	11.7
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	1 938	10	6	9	35	40	67	139	134	825	193	186	66	161	67	12.6
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	1 579	14	10	19	53	53	91	120	128	620	106	152	42	98	74	12.5
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	1 318	2	23	20	46	62	77	148	154	501	61	79	32	54	59	12.3
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	1 186	8	24	25	73	95	91	143	117	404	43	64	17	34	50	12.0
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	1 113	17	77	43	133	145	96	101	80	292	16	44	9	34	28	10.4
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	1 113	17	77	43	133	145	96	101	80	292	16	44	9	34	28	10.4
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	945	25	88	53	132	124	70	72	74	206	22	34	6	19	19	9.7
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	791	21	131	42	142	120	71	55	33	117	14	19	3	12	9	8.5
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	828	32	156	73	161	107	74	44	36	90	7	22	7	11	9	7.9
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	477	30	138	48	75	53	11	29	12	52	4	3	6	10	6	6.6
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	624	61	195	60	87	76	29	18	9	54	8	13	-	13	3	5.9
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14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	1 163	3	1	11	231	292	286	210	124	4	-	-	-	-	-	9.1
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	494	1	2	-	4	14	53	79	166	136	37	-	2	-	-	11.6
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	1 091	4	6	6	15	24	47	91	114	450	115	98	50	62	10	12.5
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	5 309	168	464	222	487	394	332	381	318	1 488	232	325	112	201	185	11.6
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	857	6	2	4	21	23	26	45	56	367	87	88	39	66	26	12.7
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	708	6	1	14	26	23	39	42	57	276	42	64	26	45	47	12.5
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	569	2	12	12	24	24	30	73	46	198	25	50	14	28	33	12.3
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	520	7	19	17	39	37	51	58	41	153	20	33	6	18	20	11.8
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	535	31	26	20	54	53	36	47	34	144	26	24	7	13	19	11.0
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	523	13	54	23	64	62	40	50	29	130	7	25	4	8	15	10.1
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	414	16	42	28	66	40	34	22	33	83	12	15	5	8	11	9.5
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	365	15	74	19	64	55	28	20	10	55	4	9	2	5	4	8.2
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	361	23	81	37	72	28	37	12	10	36	5	7	7	4	3	7.1
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	214	16	72	21	36	24	1	8	3	23	2	-	1	3	4	5.9
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	244	34	81	27	22	26	8	5	-	23	2	9	-	4	3	5.3

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TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	9 684	95	443	217	757	943	843	996	950	2 802	476	455	169	350	189	11.6
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	1 164	-	2	7	184	318	291	225	123	13	1	-	-	-	-	9.2
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	566	3	-	-	3	12	36	50	154	221	67	12	5	2	-	12.1
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	1 304	5	-	1	13	36	70	89	118	591	133	115	69	59	6	12.5
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	6 650	87	441	208	557	577	446	631	555	1 977	275	328	95	289	183	11.7
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	1 080	4	4	4	14	17	41	94	78	458	106	97	27	95	41	12.6
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	871	8	8	6	27	30	52	78	71	344	64	88	15	54	27	12.5
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	749	-	11	9	22	39	47	75	109	303	36	29	18	26	26	12.2
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	666	2	5	7	34	57	40	85	75	251	23	31	11	15	29	12.1
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	625	3	30	19	54	43	64	97	62	161	8	14	12	32	26	11.0
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	591	5	23	20	69	84	56	51	50	162	9	18	5	26	12	10.8
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	531	9	47	25	65	84	36	50	42	123	10	19	2	11	9	10.0
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	426	7	57	23	78	65	43	35	23	62	10	10	1	7	5	8.7
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	468	9	75	36	89	79	37	32	26	54	2	15	-	7	6	8.3
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	263	14	66	27	39	29	10	22	9	28	2	3	4	7	2	7.2
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	380	27	114	33	65	50	21	13	9	31	6	4	-	8	-	6.5
1978--SPANISH ORIGIN[1]																
BOTH SEXES																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	8 060	307	688	237	1 061	821	644	612	557	1 922	336	329	140	262	144	10.4
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	1 043	8	10	6	201	277	261	184	83	12	1	1	-	-	-	9.1
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	494	1	14	6	19	18	34	55	136	175	29	7	1	-	-	11.7
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	1 185	9	36	12	95	59	74	81	91	424	116	107	51	22	8	12.3
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	5 339	289	629	213	746	467	275	292	247	1 311	190	214	88	240	137	10.2
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	1 063	13	48	21	135	64	59	62	60	339	72	67	21	65	38	12.2
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	836	14	67	27	94	67	41	59	49	249	39	44	21	42	23	12.0
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	700	11	52	26	97	67	39	49	37	199	28	25	12	33	23	11.2
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	630	18	67	27	95	50	44	22	39	181	15	16	14	30	11	10.6
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	559	30	81	16	95	57	24	34	18	118	14	23	9	24	13	9.0
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	453	30	85	23	72	38	27	24	16	89	8	14	3	15	10	8.5
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	353	36	63	18	55	48	14	13	10	59	5	12	4	13	4	8.1
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	226	20	52	18	41	21	12	13	7	24	4	5	1	7	2	7.2
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	217	35	42	14	32	27	10	3	7	26	1	5	2	5	8	7.1
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	144	33	43	13	16	11	4	2	2	12	1	-	1	4	3	4.6
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	157	51	30	10	15	16	1	10	2	13	3	2	-	3	2	4.7
MALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	3 848	123	318	111	486	409	304	315	258	851	177	184	84	130	98	10.6
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	550	1	7	3	95	157	134	106	41	4	1	1	-	-	-	9.1
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	220	-	5	2	7	7	17	30	66	74	9	3	1	-	-	11.7
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	573	4	13	3	49	28	26	41	36	204	63	63	30	9	4	12.4
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	2 506	118	294	102	335	217	127	138	116	569	104	117	54	121	94	10.4
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	511	6	19	11	59	30	27	29	31	158	43	35	14	27	22	12.3
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	374	8	34	17	39	27	15	30	17	95	19	18	17	23	16	12.0
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	325	2	24	15	46	33	22	23	17	79	12	15	7	17	16	11.0
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	322	12	33	10	47	23	26	13	22	81	9	12	7	20	8	10.7
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	253	9	37	6	47	27	10	16	5	48	7	15	4	9	11	9.0
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	215	14	38	10	28	14	10	9	5	49	7	10	2	11	8	9.4
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	172	14	32	9	27	28	4	5	6	25	4	7	3	6	2	8.1
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	101	7	24	9	19	9	7	6	5	7	1	2	-	4	1	7.2
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100	9	22	9	10	12	6	2	4	13	1	2	-	2	6	7.8
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	62	14	15	6	8	4	1	-	2	7	-	-	-	3	3	(B)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	71	22	14	2	5	11	-	4	2	6	2	2	-	-	1	(B)
FEMALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	4 212	184	370	125	575	412	340	297	300	1 071	158	145	56	132	46	10.3
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	493	6	3	2	106	120	127	78	43	8	-	-	-	-	-	9.1
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	274	1	9	4	11	11	17	25	71	100	20	4	-	-	-	11.8
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	612	5	23	8	47	32	48	40	55	220	53	44	22	13	3	12.2
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	2 833	172	335	111	411	249	148	154	131	742	86	97	34	120	43	9.9
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	553	6	29	11	76	34	33	33	29	181	29	32	7	38	16	12.1
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	463	6	32	10	55	40	27	30	32	154	21	26	4	19	7	12.0
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	375	9	28	11	52	35	18	26	20	121	16	10	5	16	7	11.4
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	307	6	34	17	48	27	18	9	17	100	6	4	7	10	4	10.4
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	305	21	44	10	48	30	14	18	13	70	7	9	5	15	2	9.0
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	238	16	47	13	44	24	17	15	10	40	2	4	1	4	1	7.9
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	181	21	30	9	28	21	10	7	4	34	1	5	1	7	2	8.1
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	125	13	28	9	22	12	5	7	2	16	3	3	1	3	1	7.2
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	117	25	20	5	21	15	4	1	3	14	-	4	2	3	2	6.8
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	82	19	27	7	8	8	3	2	-	6	1	-	1	1	-	4.2
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	86	29	16	9	10	5	1	6	-	7	1	-	-	3	1	4.6

[1]PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

Table 1. Years of School Completed by Persons 14 Years Old and Over, by Age, Sex, Race, and Spanisn Origin: March 1979 and 1978—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. NONINSTITUTIONAL POPULATION. THE MARCH 1979 SURVEY INCLUDES 874,000 MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES AND THE MARCH 1978 SURVEY INCLUDES 824,000 MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES IN THE UNITED STATES LIVING OFF POST OR WITH THEIR FAMILIES ON POST. ALL OTHER MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES ARE EXCLUDED. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

AGE, SEX, RACE, AND SPANISH ORIGIN[1]	TOTAL PERSONS	YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED														MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED
		ELEMENTARY					HIGH SCHOOL				COLLEGE					
		NONE	1 TO 4 YEARS	5 YEARS	6 AND 7 YEARS	8 YEARS	1 YEAR	2 YEARS	3 YEARS	4 YEARS	1 YEAR	2 YEARS	3 YEARS	4 YEARS	5 YEARS OR MORE	
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION																
1978--ALL RACES																
BOTH SEXES																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	0.7	2.1	1.0	5.4	9.6	6.4	7.3	6.0	34.3	5.6	6.4	2.6	7.6	5.0	(X)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.1	0.2	13.5	26.6	25.1	21.4	11.6	1.1	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	(X)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.8	1.9	3.9	7.5	23.7	48.8	11.0	1.3	0.3	0.1	-	(X)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.3	0.2	1.0	1.7	3.2	4.7	4.8	44.9	11.0	12.3	6.5	7.6	1.4	(X)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	0.9	2.7	1.4	5.3	9.0	4.6	5.9	4.3	36.1	5.1	6.6	2.4	9.2	6.5	(X)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.5	0.3	1.6	1.8	2.7	3.7	3.8	38.9	9.0	10.3	3.8	15.5	7.8	(X)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.7	0.4	1.9	2.9	3.0	4.4	3.6	39.6	6.8	8.5	3.6	13.4	10.6	(X)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.2	1.0	0.6	2.6	4.1	3.9	5.7	4.7	41.8	5.9	7.0	2.6	9.9	10.0	(X)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	1.6	0.9	3.7	5.5	4.4	5.7	4.8	41.9	5.5	6.2	2.3	9.3	7.5	(X)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.8	2.2	1.0	4.6	6.9	5.0	6.6	4.7	40.6	4.2	6.2	1.9	8.5	6.7	(X)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	2.4	1.4	5.7	8.1	5.6	7.5	6.1	37.7	3.8	5.9	2.0	7.6	5.5	(X)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.8	2.9	1.6	5.9	10.7	5.2	6.5	5.2	37.8	3.8	6.2	1.9	6.4	5.0	(X)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.0	3.8	1.8	8.2	15.4	5.9	7.0	4.2	35.3	3.3	4.2	1.7	5.0	3.4	(X)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.4	5.0	2.6	9.6	18.0	6.2	8.1	3.8	26.9	3.3	4.6	1.7	5.2	3.5	(X)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.8	7.3	3.6	11.5	20.5	6.7	6.2	3.7	22.0	2.5	3.8	1.6	5.4	3.4	(X)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	3.6	9.4	3.8	13.5	25.7	5.3	5.6	2.5	16.1	2.5	3.8	1.5	4.3	2.3	(X)
MALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	0.8	2.2	1.1	5.6	9.6	6.3	7.1	6.0	30.8	5.6	6.8	2.8	8.6	6.8	(X)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.2	0.2	14.8	26.7	24.6	21.2	11.0	0.8	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	(X)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.9	1.7	4.0	8.8	27.8	45.0	10.1	0.9	0.3	-	-	(X)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.2	0.3	0.2	1.0	1.6	3.0	5.0	5.2	43.1	11.4	13.0	6.9	7.4	1.7	(X)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	1.0	2.9	1.5	5.4	9.0	4.3	5.3	3.9	32.1	5.2	7.1	2.7	10.6	9.1	(X)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.4	0.2	1.7	1.9	2.4	3.4	3.6	35.0	9.1	11.2	4.7	16.8	9.2	(X)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.8	0.5	1.7	2.9	2.7	3.5	3.0	35.1	6.6	9.4	4.2	14.9	14.3	(X)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	1.0	0.7	2.8	4.2	3.6	5.2	3.8	37.5	5.4	7.7	2.6	11.2	14.0	(X)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.8	1.8	1.0	3.8	6.0	4.5	5.0	3.7	36.4	5.9	6.5	2.1	11.6	10.8	(X)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.0	2.4	1.2	5.2	8.1	4.8	5.6	3.7	35.5	4.5	6.3	1.8	10.3	9.6	(X)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	2.9	1.8	6.1	8.5	5.9	7.5	6.3	31.3	3.6	6.4	2.3	9.4	7.6	(X)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.9	3.2	1.7	6.7	11.5	4.7	6.0	5.2	32.1	3.9	6.8	2.0	7.8	7.4	(X)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.1	4.6	2.2	7.7	16.5	5.3	6.4	4.1	33.0	3.2	4.4	1.7	5.7	4.2	(X)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.8	5.8	3.2	10.4	17.3	6.4	7.5	3.4	24.2	3.7	4.5	1.5	5.5	4.6	(X)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	100.0	2.0	9.0	3.8	13.3	21.8	5.8	6.3	3.4	18.5	1.8	3.2	0.9	5.4	4.6	(X)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	3.9	10.3	4.5	14.4	25.6	5.1	4.6	2.1	13.5	2.4	3.8	1.7	4.9	3.2	(X)
FEMALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	0.7	2.0	1.0	5.2	9.5	6.6	7.6	6.1	37.5	5.6	6.0	2.4	6.8	3.4	(X)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	12.1	26.5	25.6	21.6	12.2	1.5	-	0.1	-	-	-	(X)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.7	2.1	3.9	6.2	19.8	52.4	12.0	1.7	0.4	0.1	-	(X)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.3	0.1	1.1	1.8	3.5	4.4	4.3	46.7	10.6	11.7	6.1	7.9	1.2	(X)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	0.8	2.6	1.3	5.2	9.1	4.8	6.4	4.7	39.6	5.1	6.1	2.2	7.9	4.3	(X)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.6	0.3	1.5	1.7	3.1	4.1	3.9	42.6	8.8	9.5	3.0	14.3	6.4	(X)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.7	0.4	2.1	3.0	3.3	5.2	4.2	44.0	7.0	7.7	3.0	12.1	7.0	(X)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.2	1.0	0.6	2.5	4.0	4.0	6.2	5.6	45.9	6.3	6.3	2.6	8.6	6.2	(X)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	1.3	0.9	3.6	5.0	4.4	6.4	5.7	47.1	5.2	5.8	2.5	7.2	4.4	(X)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	2.1	0.8	4.0	5.7	5.3	7.6	5.7	45.4	3.9	6.1	2.0	6.9	4.0	(X)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	2.0	1.1	5.2	7.8	5.4	7.5	5.9	43.7	4.1	5.4	1.7	6.1	3.5	(X)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.7	2.6	1.5	5.1	10.1	5.5	7.0	5.3	42.9	3.8	5.7	1.7	5.2	2.8	(X)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.8	3.1	1.5	8.7	14.3	6.4	7.5	4.2	37.4	3.4	4.0	1.7	4.4	2.6	(X)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.1	4.4	2.1	9.0	18.6	6.0	8.6	4.1	28.9	3.0	4.7	1.9	4.9	2.7	(X)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.7	6.1	3.5	10.2	19.6	7.2	6.2	3.8	24.5	3.1	4.1	2.1	5.5	2.5	(X)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	3.4	9.0	3.4	12.9	25.7	5.5	6.1	2.8	17.7	2.6	3.8	1.3	4.0	1.7	(X)
1978--WHITE																
BOTH SEXES																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	0.6	1.7	0.8	5.0	9.6	6.2	7.1	5.7	35.2	5.7	6.5	2.6	8.1	5.3	(X)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.1	0.1	12.7	26.6	25.0	21.9	11.9	1.2	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	(X)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.8	1.8	3.3	6.6	22.8	51.3	11.1	1.3	0.3	0.1	-	(X)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.2	0.3	0.1	1.0	1.6	3.1	4.3	4.1	45.2	11.1	12.8	6.7	7.9	1.6	(X)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	0.7	2.1	1.1	4.9	9.2	4.4	5.6	4.0	37.0	5.2	6.7	2.5	9.6	6.8	(X)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.5	0.2	1.5	1.8	2.7	3.3	3.4	38.6	8.9	10.5	3.9	16.2	8.3	(X)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.8	0.3	1.8	2.9	2.7	4.0	3.1	39.9	6.8	8.5	3.7	14.1	11.1	(X)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.9	0.5	2.6	4.0	3.6	5.1	4.0	42.6	6.1	7.1	2.6	10.4	10.3	(X)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.5	1.5	0.8	3.4	5.2	4.1	5.0	4.2	43.2	5.8	6.2	2.4	10.0	7.8	(X)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	1.8	0.7	4.1	6.7	4.6	6.0	4.4	42.4	4.3	6.5	1.9	9.0	7.0	(X)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	1.8	1.1	4.9	7.7	5.3	7.4	6.0	39.1	4.1	6.0	2.2	8.1	5.8	(X)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	2.3	1.2	5.1	10.5	4.9	6.5	5.0	39.4	4.0	6.4	2.0	6.8	5.2	(X)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.8	2.6	1.4	7.3	15.4	5.6	7.0	4.2	37.3	3.5	4.3	1.8	5.3	3.5	(X)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.0	3.4	1.8	8.5	18.6	5.9	8.5	3.7	28.8	3.6	4.9	1.8	5.6	3.8	(X)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.4	5.3	3.0	10.9	21.5	7.1	6.3	3.8	23.0	2.7	4.1	1.7	5.8	3.6	(X)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	2.9	7.4	3.4	13.5	26.9	5.5	5.7	2.7	16.7	2.6	4.0	1.6	4.6	2.5	(X)

[1]PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

Table 1. Years of School Completed by Persons 14 Years Old and Over, by Age, Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin: March 1979 and 1978—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. NONINSTITUTIONAL POPULATION. THE MARCH 1979 SURVEY INCLUDES 874,000 MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES AND THE MARCH 1978 SURVEY INCLUDES 824,000 MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES IN THE UNITED STATES LIVING OFF POST OR WITH THEIR FAMILIES ON POST. ALL OTHER MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES ARE EXCLUDED. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

AGE, SEX, RACE, AND SPANISH ORIGIN[1]	TOTAL PERSONS	YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED														MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED
		ELEMENTARY					HIGH SCHOOL				COLLEGE					
		NONE	1 TO 4 YEARS	5 YEARS	6 AND 7 YEARS	8 YEARS	1 YEAR	2 YEARS	3 YEARS	4 YEARS	1 YEAR	2 YEARS	3 YEARS	4 YEARS	5 YEARS OR MORE	
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION--CONTINUED																
1978--WHITE--CONTINUED																
MALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	0.6	1.7	0.9	5.3	9.7	6.0	6.9	5.7	31.5	5.7	7.0	2.8	9.1	7.2	(x)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.2	0.1	13.9	26.8	24.5	21.7	11.3	0.8	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	(x)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.8	1.6	3.0	7.4	27.2	48.0	10.1	1.1	0.3	-	-	(x)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.9	1.6	2.9	4.6	4.5	43.5	11.5	13.6	7.1	7.5	1.8	(x)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	0.7	2.3	1.2	5.1	9.2	4.1	5.1	3.7	32.7	5.3	7.2	2.7	11.2	9.5	(x)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.4	0.2	1.6	1.8	2.3	3.2	3.3	34.0	9.1	11.3	4.7	17.7	9.9	(x)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.9	0.3	1.5	2.9	2.4	3.3	2.5	34.9	6.7	9.5	4.2	15.6	14.8	(x)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.9	0.5	2.7	4.2	3.5	4.4	3.4	38.0	5.5	7.7	2.6	11.7	14.5	(x)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.7	1.6	0.8	3.4	6.0	3.9	4.4	3.3	37.4	6.2	6.4	2.2	12.3	11.4	(x)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	1.9	0.9	4.7	8.0	4.4	5.3	3.5	36.8	4.5	6.5	1.8	11.0	10.2	(x)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	2.0	1.4	5.4	8.1	5.8	7.3	6.4	32.1	3.8	6.5	2.5	10.2	8.0	(x)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	2.6	1.3	5.9	11.7	4.4	6.1	5.0	33.3	4.0	7.0	2.1	8.2	7.7	(x)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.9	3.1	1.9	6.8	16.6	5.1	6.5	4.2	34.6	3.4	4.6	1.7	6.1	4.4	(x)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.0	4.0	2.3	9.4	18.4	5.9	8.0	3.5	26.0	4.0	4.8	1.5	6.0	5.1	(x)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.5	6.6	3.2	12.7	23.1	6.4	6.7	3.7	19.0	1.9	3.6	1.0	5.8	4.9	(x)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	2.8	8.1	4.0	15.0	26.8	5.3	4.8	2.3	13.9	2.6	3.9	1.9	5.2	3.4	(x)
FEMALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	0.6	1.6	0.8	4.8	9.5	6.3	7.3	5.6	38.7	5.7	6.1	2.5	7.1	3.5	(x)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.1	0.1	11.4	26.3	25.6	22.1	12.6	1.5	-	0.1	-	-	-	(x)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.7	2.1	3.5	5.7	18.6	54.5	12.1	1.5	0.3	0.1	-	(x)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.2	0.4	0.1	1.1	1.6	3.3	4.1	3.6	47.0	10.7	12.0	6.2	8.3	1.4	(x)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	0.7	2.0	1.0	4.8	9.2	4.6	6.1	4.3	40.9	5.2	6.2	2.3	8.2	4.4	(x)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.5	0.2	1.5	1.7	3.0	3.4	3.4	43.0	8.7	9.6	3.0	14.7	6.7	(x)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.7	0.3	2.0	2.9	3.0	4.8	3.7	44.8	6.9	7.5	3.2	12.6	7.3	(x)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.2	0.9	0.5	2.4	3.8	3.8	5.8	4.5	47.1	6.6	6.5	2.6	9.1	6.2	(x)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	1.3	0.9	3.3	4.5	4.2	5.6	5.0	48.8	5.4	5.9	2.6	7.7	4.4	(x)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.5	1.7	0.6	3.4	5.5	4.8	6.7	5.3	47.9	4.2	6.5	2.0	7.1	3.9	(x)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.5	1.7	0.8	4.4	7.2	4.9	7.4	5.6	45.7	4.4	5.6	1.9	6.2	3.7	(x)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	1.9	1.2	4.3	9.4	5.4	6.8	5.1	45.0	4.0	5.9	1.9	5.6	2.9	(x)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	2.1	1.0	7.8	14.2	6.0	7.5	4.1	39.8	3.5	4.1	1.8	4.6	2.7	(x)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.0	3.0	1.5	7.9	18.7	5.9	8.8	3.9	30.9	3.3	4.9	2.1	5.3	2.8	(x)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.4	4.3	2.9	9.7	20.3	7.6	6.0	3.9	25.8	3.3	4.4	2.1	5.8	2.6	(x)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	2.9	7.1	3.0	12.6	27.0	5.6	6.3	2.9	18.4	2.7	4.0	1.5	4.2	1.9	(x)
1978--BLACK																
BOTH SEXES																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	1.5	5.2	2.6	8.4	9.4	8.8	9.9	9.4	27.5	4.8	4.9	1.9	3.5	2.2	(x)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.1	0.1	0.8	17.9	26.2	24.8	18.7	10.6	0.7	0.1	-	-	-	-	(x)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.2	-	0.7	2.5	8.4	12.2	30.1	33.7	9.8	1.1	0.6	0.2	-	(x)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.2	0.3	1.2	2.5	4.9	7.5	9.7	43.5	10.3	8.9	4.9	5.0	0.7	(x)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	2.1	7.6	3.6	8.7	8.1	6.5	8.5	7.3	29.0	4.2	5.5	1.7	4.1	3.1	(x)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.5	0.3	0.5	1.8	2.1	3.4	7.2	6.9	42.6	9.9	9.6	3.4	8.3	3.5	(x)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.9	0.6	1.2	3.3	3.3	5.8	7.6	8.1	39.3	6.7	9.6	2.6	6.2	4.7	(x)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.2	1.7	1.5	3.5	4.7	5.8	11.2	11.7	38.0	4.7	6.0	2.5	4.1	4.5	(x)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.7	2.0	2.1	6.2	8.0	7.7	12.0	9.8	34.1	3.6	5.4	1.4	2.8	4.2	(x)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	2.9	4.8	3.4	9.3	8.3	8.6	12.4	8.3	26.3	3.0	3.3	1.6	3.9	3.9	(x)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.6	6.9	3.9	11.9	13.1	8.7	9.1	7.2	26.2	1.4	3.9	0.8	3.1	2.5	(x)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	2.7	9.4	5.6	13.9	13.2	7.5	7.6	7.8	21.8	2.3	3.6	0.7	2.0	2.0	(x)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	2.7	16.6	5.3	18.0	15.2	9.0	6.9	4.2	14.8	1.8	2.5	0.4	1.5	1.1	(x)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	3.9	18.9	8.8	19.4	12.9	8.9	5.3	4.4	10.8	0.8	2.6	0.9	1.3	1.1	(x)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	100.0	6.3	29.0	10.1	15.8	11.1	2.4	6.2	2.5	10.9	0.8	0.6	1.2	2.0	1.2	(x)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	9.7	31.2	9.6	13.9	12.1	4.6	2.9	1.5	8.6	1.3	2.1	-	2.0	0.5	(x)
MALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	2.2	5.9	3.0	9.2	9.0	8.9	9.4	8.9	25.8	4.8	5.2	2.0	3.3	2.4	(x)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.1	0.9	19.9	25.1	24.6	18.1	10.6	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	(x)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.4	-	0.9	2.9	10.8	16.0	33.5	27.4	7.5	-	0.3	-	-	(x)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.5	0.5	1.4	2.2	4.3	8.3	10.4	41.3	10.6	9.0	4.6	5.7	0.9	(x)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	3.2	8.7	4.2	9.2	7.4	6.3	7.2	6.0	28.0	4.4	6.1	2.1	3.8	3.5	(x)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.8	0.2	0.5	2.4	2.7	3.0	5.3	6.5	42.8	10.1	10.3	4.5	7.7	3.1	(x)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.8	0.2	1.9	3.7	3.2	5.5	6.0	8.1	39.0	5.9	9.0	3.7	6.3	6.6	(x)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	2.1	2.0	4.2	4.1	5.2	12.8	8.0	34.8	4.4	8.8	2.5	4.9	5.7	(x)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.3	3.6	3.3	7.5	7.2	9.9	11.1	7.9	29.5	3.8	6.4	1.1	3.5	3.9	(x)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	5.7	4.9	3.8	10.0	9.9	6.8	8.7	6.4	26.9	4.9	4.5	1.3	2.5	3.5	(x)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	2.4	10.3	4.5	12.2	11.8	7.7	9.5	5.6	24.8	1.3	4.8	0.7	1.5	2.9	(x)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	3.9	10.0	6.7	16.0	9.6	8.2	5.3	7.9	20.1	2.9	3.7	1.2	1.9	2.6	(x)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	4.1	20.4	5.3	17.5	15.1	7.8	5.5	2.7	15.1	1.1	2.5	0.6	1.3	1.2	(x)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	6.5	22.4	10.2	19.8	7.7	10.2	3.3	2.8	9.9	1.4	1.9	2.1	1.0	0.8	(x)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	100.0	7.4	33.6	9.6	16.9	11.3	0.7	3.6	1.2	10.9	0.9	-	0.7	1.2	2.0	(x)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	13.9	33.2	11.1	9.1	10.5	3.4	2.1	-	9.3	1.0	3.5	-	1.8	1.2	(x)

[1]PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

Table 1. Years of School Completed by Persons 14 Years Old and Over, by Age, Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin: March 1979 and 1978—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. NONINSTITUTIONAL POPULATION. THE MARCH 1979 SURVEY INCLUDES 874,000 MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES AND THE MARCH 1978 SURVEY INCLUDES 824,000 MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES IN THE UNITED STATES LIVING OFF POST OR WITH THEIR FAMILIES ON POST. ALL OTHER MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES ARE EXCLUDED. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

AGE, SEX, RACE, AND SPANISH ORIGIN[1]	TOTAL PERSONS	YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED														MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED
		ELEMENTARY					HIGH SCHOOL				COLLEGE					
		NONE	1 TO 4 YEARS	5 YEARS	6 AND 7 YEARS	8 YEARS	1 YEAR	2 YEARS	3 YEARS	4 YEARS	1 YEAR	2 YEARS	3 YEARS	4 YEARS	5 YEARS OR MORE	
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION--CONTINUED																
1978--BLACK--CONTINUED																
FEMALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	1.0	4.6	2.2	7.8	9.7	8.7	10.3	9.8	28.9	4.9	4.7	1.7	3.6	1.9	(X)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	-	0.2	0.6	15.8	27.3	25.0	19.4	10.6	1.1	0.1	-	-	-	-	(X)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	-	-	0.5	2.1	6.4	8.8	27.2	39.1	11.9	2.1	0.9	0.4	-	(X)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	-	0.1	1.0	2.7	5.3	6.8	9.1	45.3	10.2	8.8	5.3	4.5	0.5	(X)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	1.3	6.6	3.1	8.4	8.7	6.7	9.5	8.3	29.7	4.1	4.9	1.4	4.3	2.7	(X)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.4	0.4	0.4	1.3	1.6	3.8	8.7	7.2	42.4	9.8	9.0	2.5	8.8	3.8	(X)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.9	0.9	0.6	3.1	3.5	6.0	8.9	8.1	39.4	7.4	10.1	1.8	6.1	3.1	(X)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	-	1.4	1.1	2.9	5.2	6.3	10.0	14.5	40.4	4.9	3.8	2.4	3.5	3.5	(X)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.3	0.8	1.1	5.1	8.6	6.0	12.8	11.3	37.7	3.4	4.6	1.6	2.3	4.4	(X)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.5	4.8	3.0	8.7	6.9	10.2	15.6	9.9	25.7	1.3	2.3	1.9	5.1	4.2	(X)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.8	3.9	3.3	11.7	14.2	9.5	8.7	8.5	27.4	1.5	3.1	0.8	4.5	2.1	(X)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.7	8.8	4.7	12.3	15.9	6.8	9.3	7.8	23.2	1.8	3.6	0.3	2.1	1.6	(X)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.6	13.3	5.4	18.4	15.2	10.0	8.2	5.5	14.6	2.3	2.4	0.3	1.7	1.1	(X)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.9	16.1	7.7	19.0	16.9	7.9	6.9	5.6	11.6	0.3	3.1	-	1.6	1.3	(X)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	100.0	5.5	25.3	10.4	14.9	10.9	3.8	8.2	3.5	10.8	0.7	1.1	1.6	2.7	0.6	(X)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	7.0	30.0	8.6	17.0	13.1	5.4	3.4	2.4	8.2	1.5	1.1	-	2.2	-	(X)
1978--SPANISH ORIGIN[1]																
BOTH SEXES																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	3.8	8.5	2.9	13.2	10.2	8.0	7.6	6.9	23.8	4.2	4.1	1.7	3.3	1.8	(X)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.7	0.9	0.6	19.2	26.6	25.0	17.7	8.0	1.2	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	(X)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.1	2.8	1.2	3.8	3.6	6.9	11.1	27.6	35.4	5.8	1.4	0.2	-	-	(X)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.8	3.0	1.0	8.0	5.0	6.2	6.9	7.6	35.8	9.8	9.0	4.3	1.8	0.7	(X)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	5.4	11.8	4.0	14.0	8.7	5.2	5.5	4.6	24.6	3.6	4.0	1.6	4.5	2.6	(X)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.2	4.5	2.0	12.7	6.0	5.6	5.8	5.7	31.9	6.8	6.3	2.0	6.1	3.6	(X)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.6	8.0	3.3	11.2	8.0	4.9	7.1	5.8	29.8	4.7	5.3	2.5	5.1	2.7	(X)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.5	7.4	3.7	13.9	9.6	5.6	7.0	5.3	28.5	3.9	3.6	1.7	4.8	3.3	(X)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	2.9	10.7	4.3	15.1	8.0	6.9	3.5	6.2	28.7	2.4	2.5	2.2	4.7	1.8	(X)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	5.4	14.5	2.9	17.1	10.2	4.4	6.1	3.3	21.2	2.5	4.2	1.6	4.3	2.4	(X)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	6.6	18.7	5.1	15.8	8.4	5.8	5.3	3.5	19.7	1.8	3.1	0.7	3.4	2.1	(X)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	10.1	17.7	5.0	15.5	13.7	4.1	3.5	2.8	16.6	1.5	3.5	1.1	3.8	1.2	(X)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	8.8	22.9	7.8	18.0	9.4	5.1	6.0	2.9	10.5	1.6	2.4	0.6	3.1	0.9	(X)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	16.0	19.3	6.3	14.7	12.4	4.6	1.6	3.3	12.1	0.7	2.4	0.9	2.1	3.6	(X)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	100.0	23.1	29.6	8.8	10.8	7.8	2.7	1.4	1.6	8.6	0.6	0.2	0.5	2.5	2.0	(X)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	32.3	19.1	6.6	9.7	10.3	0.4	6.4	1.3	8.2	1.7	1.2	-	1.7	1.1	(X)
MALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	3.2	8.3	2.9	12.6	10.6	7.9	8.2	6.7	22.1	4.6	4.8	2.2	3.4	2.6	(X)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.2	1.2	0.6	17.2	28.6	24.3	19.4	7.4	0.7	0.2	0.2	-	-	-	(X)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	-	2.1	0.9	3.4	3.1	7.5	13.5	29.8	33.8	4.1	1.4	0.5	-	-	(X)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.7	2.3	0.6	8.5	4.8	4.6	7.1	6.2	35.6	11.1	11.0	5.2	1.6	0.8	(X)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	4.7	11.7	4.1	13.4	8.7	5.1	5.5	4.6	22.7	4.2	4.7	2.1	4.8	3.8	(X)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.3	3.7	2.1	11.5	5.8	5.2	5.7	6.2	31.0	8.4	6.8	2.7	5.2	4.4	(X)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	2.2	9.2	4.5	10.3	7.1	3.9	8.0	4.5	25.4	5.0	4.9	4.5	6.2	4.3	(X)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.6	7.3	4.6	14.1	10.0	6.7	7.0	5.2	24.2	3.6	4.5	2.1	5.3	4.9	(X)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	3.7	10.4	3.2	14.6	7.0	8.1	4.2	6.8	25.2	2.7	3.6	2.1	6.1	2.5	(X)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	3.7	14.7	2.3	18.6	10.8	4.1	6.4	2.1	19.1	2.8	5.8	1.8	3.5	4.3	(X)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	6.3	17.6	4.6	12.9	6.6	4.6	4.1	2.5	23.0	3.1	4.6	1.0	5.2	3.8	(X)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	8.2	18.6	5.0	15.7	16.1	2.4	3.0	3.4	14.5	2.3	4.3	1.6	3.6	1.1	(X)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	6.7	23.7	8.9	18.6	9.2	6.9	6.1	4.7	7.4	0.9	2.5	-	3.6	0.9	(X)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	9.5	22.3	8.8	10.5	12.3	6.1	2.3	4.5	12.8	1.4	1.5	-	2.0	6.0	(X)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(X)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(X)
FEMALE																
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	4.4	8.8	3.0	13.7	9.8	8.1	7.1	7.1	25.4	3.8	3.4	1.3	3.1	1.1	(X)
14 TO 17 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.3	0.5	0.5	21.5	24.3	25.7	15.8	8.7	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	(X)
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.2	3.4	1.4	4.2	4.1	6.3	9.1	25.8	36.7	7.2	1.5	-	-	-	(X)
20 TO 24 YEARS OLD	100.0	0.8	3.7	1.4	7.6	5.2	7.8	6.6	9.0	35.9	8.6	7.2	3.5	2.1	0.5	(X)
25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	6.1	11.8	3.9	14.5	8.8	5.2	5.4	4.6	26.2	3.0	3.4	1.2	4.2	1.5	(X)
25 TO 29 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.1	5.3	1.9	13.8	6.2	5.9	5.9	5.2	32.8	5.2	5.7	1.3	6.9	2.8	(X)
30 TO 34 YEARS OLD	100.0	1.2	7.0	2.3	11.9	8.6	5.8	6.4	6.9	33.4	4.4	5.7	0.9	4.1	1.4	(X)
35 TO 39 YEARS OLD	100.0	2.4	7.6	3.0	13.8	9.2	4.7	7.0	5.5	32.2	4.2	2.7	1.4	4.3	1.9	(X)
40 TO 44 YEARS OLD	100.0	2.1	11.0	5.5	15.6	8.9	5.8	2.8	5.5	32.5	2.1	1.4	2.4	3.3	1.1	(X)
45 TO 49 YEARS OLD	100.0	6.7	14.3	3.4	15.8	9.8	4.6	5.9	4.2	22.9	2.2	2.8	1.5	4.9	0.8	(X)
50 TO 54 YEARS OLD	100.0	6.8	19.7	5.5	18.4	9.9	6.9	6.4	4.4	16.8	0.7	1.8	0.4	1.7	0.6	(X)
55 TO 59 YEARS OLD	100.0	11.9	16.8	4.9	15.3	11.4	5.7	4.1	2.3	18.7	0.7	2.6	0.6	4.0	1.2	(X)
60 TO 64 YEARS OLD	100.0	10.5	22.2	6.9	17.5	9.5	3.6	5.9	1.5	13.0	2.1	2.3	1.2	2.8	0.9	(X)
65 TO 69 YEARS OLD	100.0	21.6	16.8	4.1	18.2	12.5	3.4	1.0	2.3	11.6	-	3.1	1.6	2.2	1.5	(X)
70 TO 74 YEARS OLD	100.0	23.5	33.3	8.3	9.2	9.3	3.8	1.9	0.6	7.1	1.1	-	0.9	1.2	-	(X)
75 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	33.5	18.1	10.2	11.4	5.7	0.8	6.8	0.5	7.7	1.1	-	-	3.0	1.0	(X)

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