Table 6. General Mobility, by Region and Age

(MOBILITY DATA FROM MARCH 1975 TO MARCH 1979. NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

UNITED STATES REGIONS	TOTAL	SAME HOUSE (NON-MOVERS)	DIFFERENT HOUSE IN THE UNITED STATES (MOVERS)									MOVERS FROM ABROAD
			TOTAL	SAME COUNTY	DIFFERENT COUNTY							
					TOTAL	SAME STATE	DIFFERENT STATE					
							TOTAL	NORTH-EAST	NORTH CENTRAL	SOUTH	WEST	
NUMBER												
UNITED STATES IN 1979												
TOTAL, 4 YEARS OLD AND OVER	203 437	118 598	81 824	47 168	34 656	18 220	16 435	3 258	4 166	5 468	3 544	3 016
UNDER 5 YEARS	3 057	1 168	1 832	1 094	738	375	363	70	95	116	82	58
5 TO 9 YEARS	16 589	7 822	8 453	5 010	3 444	1 794	1 650	296	413	544	397	314
10 TO 14 YEARS	18 106	11 080	6 798	4 082	2 716	1 374	1 343	215	352	459	317	228
15 TO 19 YEARS	20 541	13 579	6 646	4 055	2 591	1 323	1 268	266	299	435	268	316
20 TO 24 YEARS	19 849	6 754	12 595	7 020	5 575	3 048	2 526	516	632	828	551	500
25 TO 29 YEARS	17 940	4 500	12 914	7 085	5 829	3 035	2 794	584	705	932	573	526
30 TO 34 YEARS	16 113	6 539	9 258	5 319	3 938	2 085	1 854	336	488	606	423	316
35 TO 44 YEARS	24 611	14 775	9 456	5 509	3 947	2 000	1 947	395	427	692	433	380
45 TO 54 YEARS	22 826	16 947	5 697	3 318	2 378	1 286	1 092	218	284	354	236	182
55 TO 64 YEARS	20 631	16 273	4 247	2 455	1 792	1 022	770	147	246	232	145	112
65 YEARS AND OVER	23 175	19 161	3 929	2 223	1 707	879	828	214	224	270	120	85
MEDIAN AGE	31.7	40.3	26.8	26.6	26.9	27.0	26.9	27.3	27.1	26.9	26.4	25.9
NORTHEAST IN 1979												
TOTAL, 4 YEARS OLD AND OVER	46 236	31 150	14 515	9 232	5 283	3 128	2 155	1 120	244	621	171	572
UNDER 5 YEARS	620	296	314	215	98	48	51	25	9	12	5	11
5 TO 9 YEARS	3 518	2 054	1 389	906	483	271	212	92	23	69	28	74
10 TO 14 YEARS	4 079	2 869	1 151	795	356	203	153	68	22	54	9	58
15 TO 19 YEARS	4 650	3 503	1 090	735	354	206	148	73	11	51	13	58
20 TO 24 YEARS	4 373	2 059	2 247	1 372	875	557	318	193	25	75	24	67
25 TO 29 YEARS	3 761	1 245	2 433	1 445	987	550	437	221	60	120	36	84
30 TO 34 YEARS	3 552	1 783	1 707	1 054	652	377	276	137	39	76	23	62
35 TO 44 YEARS	5 598	3 796	1 705	1 111	594	336	258	139	24	79	15	97
45 TO 54 YEARS	5 526	4 437	1 054	680	374	224	150	83	19	39	8	35
55 TO 64 YEARS	4 961	4 243	705	465	240	189	51	26	4	18	3	13
65 YEARS AND OVER	5 598	4 865	720	452	268	166	102	63	6	28	5	13
MEDIAN AGE	33.0	39.7	27.2	27.0	27.4	27.5	27.2	27.5	27.6	27.1	25.8	26.1
NORTH CENTRAL IN 1979												
TOTAL, 4 YEARS OLD AND OVER	53 921	32 309	21 137	12 843	8 294	5 035	3 260	304	1 429	991	535	475
UNDER 5 YEARS	804	303	491	311	180	101	78	9	43	19	8	11
5 TO 9 YEARS	4 390	2 078	2 251	1 397	854	517	337	36	147	95	59	61
10 TO 14 YEARS	4 781	3 101	1 652	1 039	612	360	252	20	113	93	26	28
15 TO 19 YEARS	5 712	3 959	1 711	1 079	632	364	267	32	106	88	42	43
20 TO 24 YEARS	5 448	1 843	3 519	2 076	1 442	893	549	39	248	169	93	86
25 TO 29 YEARS	4 838	1 163	3 578	2 070	1 508	892	616	63	262	168	123	96
30 TO 34 YEARS	4 057	1 715	2 291	1 390	902	543	358	35	160	105	58	51
35 TO 44 YEARS	6 185	3 868	2 263	1 391	872	496	377	37	163	118	58	55
45 TO 54 YEARS	6 024	4 630	1 365	811	554	369	185	16	89	42	38	29
55 TO 64 YEARS	5 541	4 469	1 061	669	392	261	130	10	55	43	23	11
65 YEARS AND OVER	6 141	5 181	956	609	347	237	109	7	42	52	8	4
MEDIAN AGE	31.2	40.2	26.3	26.3	26.4	26.6	26.2	26.3	26.1	26.0	26.6	25.5
SOUTH IN 1979												
TOTAL, 4 YEARS OLD AND OVER	65 894	37 337	27 610	14 883	12 727	6 186	6 541	1 222	1 454	2 955	909	947
UNDER 5 YEARS	1 046	414	619	346	273	138	135	24	24	63	24	13
5 TO 9 YEARS	5 640	2 499	3 059	1 712	1 346	685	661	102	154	284	122	82
10 TO 14 YEARS	5 908	3 403	2 434	1 377	1 057	504	553	82	147	239	86	71
15 TO 19 YEARS	6 613	4 161	2 351	1 412	939	454	484	119	94	215	57	101
20 TO 24 YEARS	6 114	1 966	3 987	2 083	1 904	995	909	174	185	446	104	161
25 TO 29 YEARS	5 707	1 436	4 113	2 105	2 008	986	1 023	176	205	502	140	158
30 TO 34 YEARS	5 174	1 982	3 090	1 647	1 444	723	720	98	166	332	124	102
35 TO 44 YEARS	8 131	4 786	3 205	1 711	1 493	709	784	139	162	362	121	140
45 TO 54 YEARS	7 375	5 335	1 981	1 113	868	395	473	82	102	231	57	59
55 TO 64 YEARS	6 627	5 104	1 477	752	725	332	393	95	119	131	48	46
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 560	6 251	1 295	625	670	264	405	132	95	151	27	14
MEDIAN AGE	31.9	40.9	26.6	26.2	27.1	26.6	27.6	28.2	28.0	27.3	27.2	26.4
WEST IN 1979												
TOTAL, 4 YEARS OLD AND OVER	37 386	17 802	18 562	10 210	8 352	3 872	4 480	612	1 039	901	1 929	1 021
UNDER 5 YEARS	588	156	409	222	187	88	99	14	19	22	45	23
5 TO 9 YEARS	3 041	1 190	1 755	994	761	321	440	66	90	97	188	96
10 TO 14 YEARS	3 338	1 707	1 561	870	691	306	385	45	69	74	196	70
15 TO 19 YEARS	3 566	1 957	1 494	828	667	298	369	42	87	82	157	115
20 TO 24 YEARS	3 914	886	2 841	1 488	1 353	603	750	111	173	138	329	187
25 TO 29 YEARS	3 634	656	2 790	1 465	1 325	608	717	123	178	142	274	188
30 TO 34 YEARS	3 330	1 059	2 169	1 229	941	441	499	66	123	92	218	101
35 TO 44 YEARS	4 697	2 326	2 283	1 296	988	459	529	80	78	133	239	87
45 TO 54 YEARS	3 901	2 545	1 296	714	582	298	285	37	74	42	133	59
55 TO 64 YEARS	3 501	2 456	1 004	569	435	239	196	16	68	40	71	41
65 YEARS AND OVER	3 877	2 864	959	536	423	211	212	13	80	39	79	54
MEDIAN AGE	30.9	40.5	27.2	27.4	27.0	27.6	26.4	26.2	27.3	26.3	25.9	25.5

Table 6. General Mobility, by Region and Age—Continued

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UNITED STATES REGIONS	TOTAL	SAME HOUSE (NON-MOVERS)	DIFFERENT HOUSE IN THE UNITED STATES (MOVERS)									MOVERS FROM ABROAD
			TOTAL	SAME COUNTY	DIFFERENT COUNTY		DIFFERENT STATE					
					TOTAL	SAME STATE	TOTAL	NORTH-EAST	NORTH CENTRAL	SOUTH	WEST	
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION												
UNITED STATES IN 1979												
TOTAL, 4 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	58.3	40.2	23.2	17.0	9.0	8.1	1.6	2.0	2.7	1.7	1.5
UNDER 5 YEARS	100.0	38.2	59.9	35.8	24.1	12.3	11.9	2.3	3.1	3.8	2.7	1.9
5 TO 9 YEARS	100.0	47.2	51.0	30.2	20.8	10.8	9.9	1.8	2.5	3.3	2.4	1.9
10 TO 14 YEARS	100.0	61.2	37.5	22.5	15.0	7.6	7.4	1.2	1.9	2.5	1.8	1.3
15 TO 19 YEARS	100.0	66.1	32.4	19.7	12.6	6.4	6.2	1.3	1.5	2.1	1.3	1.5
20 TO 24 YEARS	100.0	34.0	63.5	35.4	28.1	15.4	12.7	2.6	3.2	4.2	2.8	2.5
25 TO 29 YEARS	100.0	25.1	72.0	39.5	32.5	16.9	15.6	3.3	3.9	5.2	3.2	2.9
30 TO 34 YEARS	100.0	40.6	57.5	33.0	24.4	12.9	11.5	2.1	3.0	3.8	2.6	2.0
35 TO 44 YEARS	100.0	60.0	38.4	22.4	16.0	8.1	7.9	1.6	1.7	2.8	1.8	1.5
45 TO 54 YEARS	100.0	74.2	25.0	14.5	10.4	5.6	4.8	1.0	1.2	1.6	1.0	0.8
55 TO 64 YEARS	100.0	78.9	20.6	11.9	8.7	5.0	3.7	0.7	1.2	1.1	0.7	0.5
65 YEARS AND OVER	100.0	82.7	17.0	9.6	7.4	3.8	3.6	0.9	1.0	1.2	0.5	0.4
NORTHEAST IN 1979												
TOTAL, 4 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	67.4	31.4	20.0	11.4	6.8	4.7	2.4	0.5	1.3	0.4	1.2
UNDER 5 YEARS	100.0	47.7	50.6	34.7	15.9	7.7	8.2	4.0	1.5	1.9	0.9	1.7
5 TO 9 YEARS	100.0	58.4	39.5	25.8	13.7	7.7	6.0	2.6	0.6	1.9	0.8	2.1
10 TO 14 YEARS	100.0	70.3	28.2	19.5	8.7	5.0	3.7	1.7	0.5	1.3	0.2	1.4
15 TO 19 YEARS	100.0	75.3	23.4	15.8	7.6	4.4	3.2	1.6	0.2	1.1	0.3	1.2
20 TO 24 YEARS	100.0	47.1	51.4	31.4	20.0	12.7	7.3	4.4	0.6	1.7	0.6	1.5
25 TO 29 YEARS	100.0	33.1	64.7	38.4	26.3	14.6	11.6	5.9	1.6	3.2	1.0	2.2
30 TO 34 YEARS	100.0	50.2	48.1	29.7	18.4	10.6	7.8	3.9	1.1	2.1	0.7	1.8
35 TO 44 YEARS	100.0	67.8	30.5	19.8	10.6	6.0	4.6	2.5	0.4	1.4	0.3	1.7
45 TO 54 YEARS	100.0	80.3	19.1	12.3	6.8	4.1	2.7	1.5	0.4	0.7	0.2	0.6
55 TO 64 YEARS	100.0	85.5	14.2	9.4	4.8	3.8	1.0	0.5	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.3
65 YEARS AND OVER	100.0	86.9	12.9	8.1	4.8	3.0	1.8	1.1	0.1	0.5	0.1	0.2
NORTH CENTRAL IN 1979												
TOTAL, 4 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	59.9	39.2	23.8	15.4	9.3	6.0	0.6	2.7	1.8	1.0	0.9
UNDER 5 YEARS	100.0	37.7	61.0	38.7	22.4	12.6	9.8	1.1	5.4	2.4	0.9	1.3
5 TO 9 YEARS	100.0	47.3	51.3	31.8	19.4	11.8	7.7	0.8	3.3	2.2	1.3	1.4
10 TO 14 YEARS	100.0	64.9	34.6	21.7	12.8	7.5	5.3	0.4	2.4	1.9	0.5	0.6
15 TO 19 YEARS	100.0	69.3	29.9	18.9	11.1	6.4	4.7	0.6	1.9	1.5	0.7	0.7
20 TO 24 YEARS	100.0	33.8	64.6	38.1	26.5	16.4	10.1	0.7	4.6	3.1	1.7	1.6
25 TO 29 YEARS	100.0	24.0	74.0	42.8	31.2	18.4	12.7	1.3	5.4	3.5	2.5	2.0
30 TO 34 YEARS	100.0	42.3	56.5	34.3	22.2	13.4	8.8	0.9	4.0	2.6	1.4	1.3
35 TO 44 YEARS	100.0	62.5	36.6	22.5	14.1	8.0	6.1	0.6	2.6	1.9	0.9	0.9
45 TO 54 YEARS	100.0	76.9	22.7	13.5	9.2	6.1	3.1	0.3	1.5	0.7	0.6	0.5
55 TO 64 YEARS	100.0	80.7	19.1	12.1	7.1	4.7	2.4	0.2	1.0	0.8	0.4	0.2
65 YEARS AND OVER	100.0	84.4	15.6	9.9	5.6	3.9	1.8	0.1	0.7	0.8	0.1	0.1
SOUTH IN 1979												
TOTAL, 4 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	56.7	41.9	22.6	19.3	9.4	9.9	1.9	2.2	4.5	1.4	1.4
UNDER 5 YEARS	100.0	39.6	59.2	33.1	26.1	13.2	12.9	2.2	2.3	6.0	2.3	1.3
5 TO 9 YEARS	100.0	44.3	54.2	30.4	23.9	12.2	11.7	1.8	2.7	5.0	2.2	1.5
10 TO 14 YEARS	100.0	57.6	41.2	23.3	17.9	8.5	9.4	1.4	2.5	4.0	1.5	1.2
15 TO 19 YEARS	100.0	62.9	35.6	21.4	14.2	6.9	7.3	1.8	1.4	3.2	0.9	1.5
20 TO 24 YEARS	100.0	32.2	65.2	34.1	31.1	16.3	14.9	2.8	3.0	7.3	1.7	2.6
25 TO 29 YEARS	100.0	25.2	72.1	36.9	35.2	17.3	17.9	3.1	3.6	8.8	2.4	2.8
30 TO 34 YEARS	100.0	38.3	59.7	31.8	27.9	14.0	13.9	1.9	3.2	6.4	2.4	2.0
35 TO 44 YEARS	100.0	58.9	39.4	21.0	18.4	8.7	9.6	1.7	2.0	4.5	1.5	1.7
45 TO 54 YEARS	100.0	72.3	26.9	15.1	11.8	5.4	6.4	1.1	1.4	3.1	0.8	0.8
55 TO 64 YEARS	100.0	77.0	22.3	11.3	10.9	5.0	5.9	1.4	1.8	2.0	0.7	0.7
65 YEARS AND OVER	100.0	82.7	17.1	8.3	8.9	3.5	5.4	1.7	1.3	2.0	0.4	0.2
WEST IN 1979												
TOTAL, 4 YEARS OLD AND OVER	100.0	47.6	49.7	27.3	22.3	10.4	12.0	1.6	2.8	2.4	5.2	2.7
UNDER 5 YEARS	100.0	26.5	69.5	37.7	31.8	14.9	16.9	2.3	3.2	3.8	7.6	4.0
5 TO 9 YEARS	100.0	39.1	57.7	32.7	25.0	10.6	14.5	2.2	3.0	3.2	6.2	3.2
10 TO 14 YEARS	100.0	51.1	46.8	26.1	20.7	9.2	11.5	1.4	2.1	2.2	5.9	2.1
15 TO 19 YEARS	100.0	54.9	41.9	23.2	18.7	8.4	10.3	1.2	2.5	2.3	4.4	3.2
20 TO 24 YEARS	100.0	22.6	72.6	38.0	34.6	15.4	19.2	2.8	4.4	3.5	8.4	4.8
25 TO 29 YEARS	100.0	18.1	76.8	40.3	36.5	16.7	19.7	3.4	4.9	3.9	7.6	5.2
30 TO 34 YEARS	100.0	31.8	65.2	36.9	28.3	13.3	15.0	2.0	3.7	2.8	6.5	3.0
35 TO 44 YEARS	100.0	49.5	48.6	27.6	21.0	9.8	11.3	1.7	1.7	2.8	5.1	1.9
45 TO 54 YEARS	100.0	65.2	33.2	18.3	14.9	7.6	7.3	0.9	1.9	1.1	3.4	1.5
55 TO 64 YEARS	100.0	70.1	28.7	16.3	12.4	6.8	5.6	0.5	1.9	1.2	2.0	1.2
65 YEARS AND OVER	100.0	73.9	24.7	13.8	10.9	5.4	5.5	0.3	2.1	1.0	2.0	1.4