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The Rise of Asian Americans

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- National survey
- 3,511 Asian Americans
- Living in U.S., regardless of immigration status
- English + 7 Asian languages

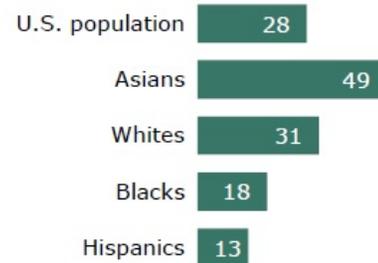
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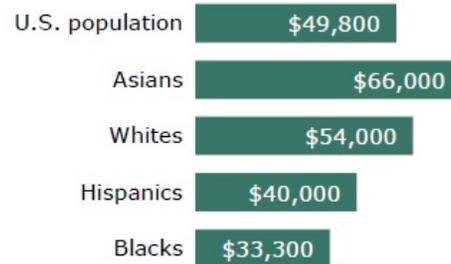
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Asian Americans Lead Others In Education, Income

*% with a bachelor's degree or more,
among ages 25 and older, 2010*



Median household income, 2010

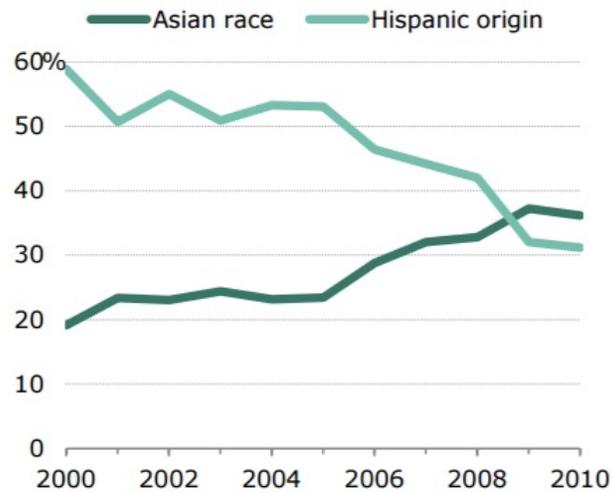


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Source: Pew Research Center analysis of 2010 American Community Survey, Integrated Public Use Microdata Sample

Meet the New Immigrants: Asians Overtake Hispanics

% of immigrants, by year of arrival, 2000-2010



Note: Based on total foreign-born population, including adults and children. Asians include mixed-race Asian population, regardless of Hispanic origin. Hispanics are of any race. The 2010 ACS includes only partial-year arrivals for 2010; arrivals for 2010 adjusted to full-year totals based on analysis of 2005-2009 ACS data on partial-year arrivals.

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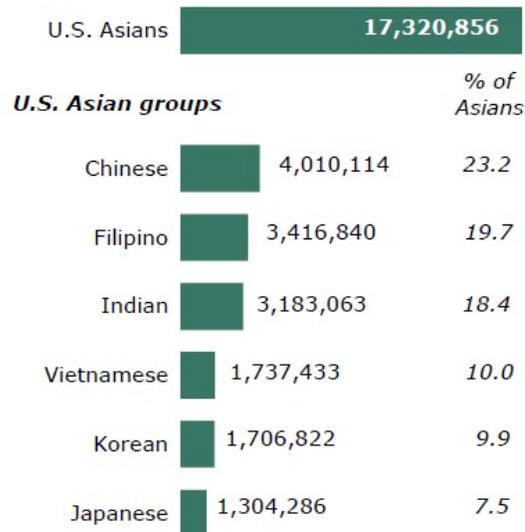
- ~ 6% of population (vs. 50 years ago)
- ~ 7% of enrolled undergrads
- ~ 8% of study abroad students

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The Largest U.S. Asian Groups

The six largest country of origin groups each number more than a million people



Note: Based on the total Asian-race population, including adults and children. There is some overlap in the numbers for the six largest Asian groups because people with origins in more than one group—for example, “Chinese and Filipino”—are counted in each group to which they belong.

Source: Pew Research Center analysis based on Elizabeth M. Hoeffel et al., *The Asian Population: 2010*, U.S. Census Bureau, March 2012.

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The 20 Largest U.S. Asian Origin Groups, 2010

Total population (including adults and children)

All Asians	Population
All Asians	17,320,856
Chinese	4,010,114
Filipino	3,416,840
Indian	3,183,063
Vietnamese	1,737,433
Korean	1,706,822
Japanese	1,304,286
Pakistani	409,163
Cambodian	276,667
Hmong	260,073
Thai	237,583
Laotian	232,130
Bangladeshi	147,300
Burmese	100,200
Indonesian	95,270
Nepalese	59,490
Sri Lankan	45,381
Malaysian	26,179
Bhutanese	19,439
Mongolian	18,344
Okinawan	11,326

Notes: “Chinese” includes Taiwanese. All Asians (and each subgroup) includes mixed-race and mixed-group populations, regardless of Hispanic origin; as a result, there is some overlap among groups.

Source: Elizabeth M. Hoeffel et al., *The Asian Population: 2010*, U.S. Census Bureau, March 2012.

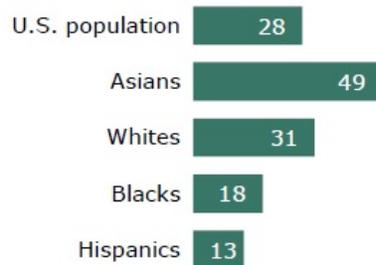
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- Only 19% of Asian Americans most often describe themselves as “Asian” or “Asian American”
- The continent of Asia contains:
 - 60% of the world’s population
 - 50 countries and territories.

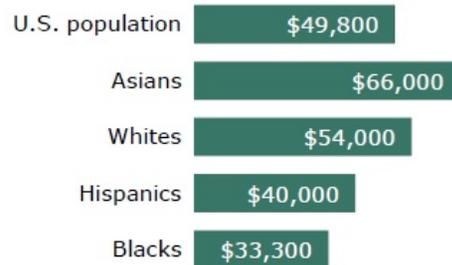


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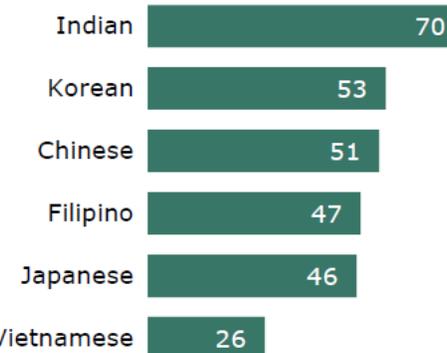
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College Education, Ages 25 and Older, 2010

% with a bachelor's degree or more



U.S. Asian groups



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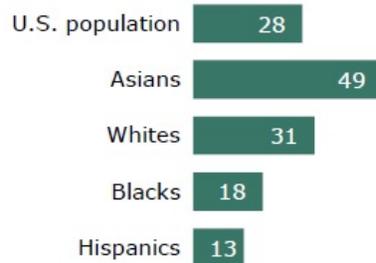
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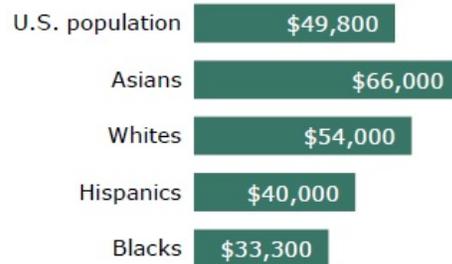


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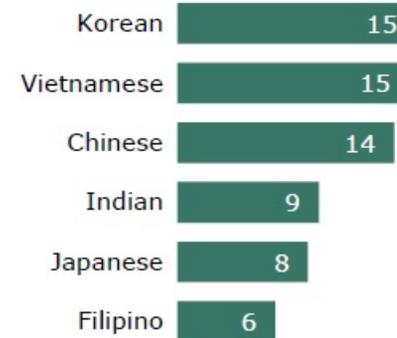
Source: Pew Research Center analysis of 2010 American Community Survey, Integrated Public Use Microdata Sample

Adults in Poverty, 2010

% in poverty



U.S. Asian groups



Note: Based on total population. All Asians (and each subgroup) include mixed-race and mixed-group populations, regardless of Hispanic origin. For detailed information on how poverty status is determined, see http://usa.ipums.org/usa-action/variables/POVERTY#description_tab. These data will differ from those provided by the U.S. Census Bureau.

Source: Pew Research Center analysis of 2010 American Community Survey, Integrated Public Use Microdata Sample (IPUMS) files

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Foreign-born Asian-American Population, by Major Group, 1980-2010

Numbers in thousands (unless otherwise noted)

	1980		1990		2000		2010		% increase	
	Foreign born	% foreign born	1980-2010	2000-2010						
U.S. population	14,079	6	19,682	8	31,133	11	39,917	13	184	28
U.S. Asians	2,209	61	4,506	66	7,460	63	10,219	59	363	37
U.S. Asian groups										
Chinese	517	64	1,141	69	1,734	71	2,389	69	362	38
Filipino	514	64	914	65	1,267	68	1,652	66	221	30
Indian	280	71	591	76	1,239	75	1,979	71	608	60
Vietnamese	228	90	471	80	846	76	1,115	68	389	32
Korean	297	82	576	72	840	78	1,073	75	261	28
Japanese	206	29	282	32	314	40	298	38	45	-5
Other Asian	167	67	531	70	701	67	1,140	65	580	63
Mixed-group Asian	---	---	---	---	101	47	140	40	---	39
Mixed-race Asian	---	---	---	---	419	25	432	17	---	3

½ of Asian Americans say they speak English well

Notes: Based on total foreign-born population, including adults and children. Data for total foreign-born "U.S. Asians" in 2000 and 2010 include mixed-group and mixed-race counts not available for earlier years. In 1980, the total foreign-born "U.S. Asians" and "other Asian" category include a small fraction of Pacific Islanders. The six major Asian subgroups and the "other Asian" category consist of single-race, single-group Asians. "Mixed-group Asian" consists of single-race Asians from two or more Asian subgroups; "mixed-race Asian" consists of all Asians who report at least one other race, some of whom may belong to more than one Asian subgroup. Figures may not add to 100% because of rounding.

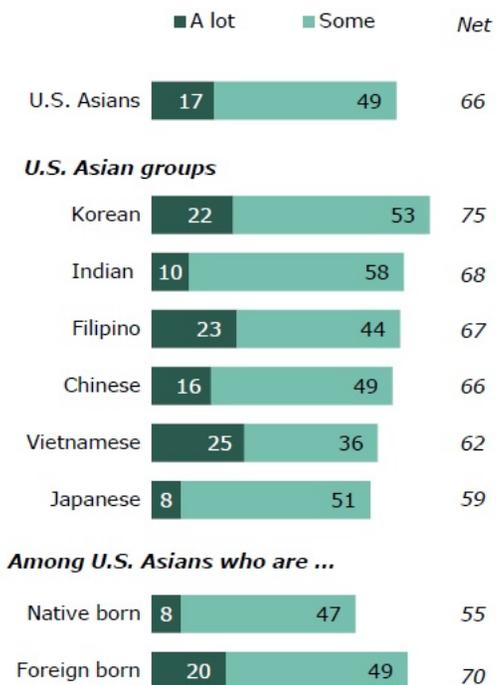
Source: Pew Research Center analysis of decennial censuses and 2010 American Community Survey, Integrated Public Use Microdata Sample (IPUMS) files

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Should Parents Influence their Children's Career Choices?

% saying parents should have ... influence in choosing their child's profession or line of work



61% say parents should have a lot or some influence in choosing one's spouse.

2012 Asian-American Survey. Q22a. "Net" was computed prior to rounding.

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