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Regional & Greater Houston Language Population Demographics

VITAL COMMUNICATIONS DELIVERY CHALLENGE - 2014 Data Snapshot

Population Profile by Selected Counties - Harris & Fort Bend: 'Residence / Work' Pattern

US Census	Harris	% POPULATION INCREASE	Fort Bend	% POPULATION INCREASE
FOREIGN BORN (2008-2012)	25% of 4,336,853 1,084,214	(2010 -2013) 6% ↑	25% of 632,365 158,092	(2010 -2013) 11% ↑

'FOREIGN BORN': Asian Immigrant / International Refugee POPULATION & LANGUAGE Profile / 2010 - 2014

2010 Census ASIAN	Harris	Fort Bend	Combined TOTALS	LANGUAGES
Asian Indian	55,637	34,467	90,113	Hindi, Bengali, Telugu, Marathi, Tamil, Urdu
Bangladeshi	2,054	653	2,707	Bengali
Bhutanese	788	4	792	Dzongkha
Burmese	1,634	73	1,707	Burmese
Cambodian	3,709	324	4,033	Khmer
Chinese	45,857	21,752	67,069	Cantonese, Mandarin
Filipino	27,703	11,789	39,492	Tagalog
Hmong	51	8	59	Mong
Indonesian	1,524	507	2,031	Indonesian
Japanese	6,059	942	7,001	Japanese
Korean	14,053	2,033	16,086	Korean
Laotian	2,145	104	2,249	Lao
Malaysian	521	242	763	Malay
Nepalese	1,326	59	1,385	Nepali, Tamang
Pakistani	18,456	12,071	30,527	Urdu
Sri Lankan	631	129	760	Sinhala, Tamil, Malay
Taiwanese	4,324	2,430	6,754	Taiwanese
Thai	2,842	617	3,549	Thai
Vietnamese	85,453	16,676	102,129	Vietnamese
2010 TOTAL	274,767	104,880	379,647	
2013 Pop Increase	32,538	18,639	51,117	Recent Arrivals
2005-2014 REFUGEE ARRIVALS			22,000 *	* (Secondary US migration <u>not</u> calculated)

2014 TOTAL Immigrant & Refugee 452,764 *

* (Assumed Census Undercount not calculated)

REFUGEE LANGUAGES - Greater Houston Region

Afghanis: Pashto, Dari	Azerbaijanis: Azeri	Bantu: Maay Maay, Somali, Af-Maay, Zigua, Swahili
Bosnian & Serbian: Bosnian, Serbo-Croatian	Burundi: Kirundi, Kinyarwanda	Congolese: Swahili, Lingala, Kirundi, Kinyarwandan
Eritreans: Tigrinya, Kunama, Afar	Ethiopians: Oromo, Tigrinya	Hmong: Mong
Kosovar Albanians: Albanian	Kyrgyzstan: Russian, Kyrgyz	Malawi: Malawian
Mali: French, Bambara, Arabic	Mauritania: Arabic	Nepal: Nepali, Tamang
Poland: Polish	Romania: Romanian	Rwandan: Kinyarwanda Somali
Sri Lanka: Sinhala, Tamil, Malay	Sudan: Fur, Massalit, Zaghawa	Sudanese: Dinka, Nuer, Zande, Arabic, Bare
Syria: Arabic, French	Uganda: Swahili	Zambia: Bantu, English

HAS: 2015 International Travelers to exceed 10 M, will include Internationals from global language groups.

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