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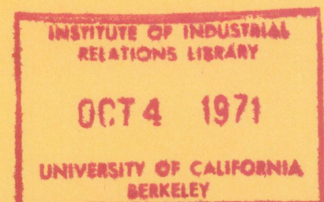
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Bakersfield	Kern
Fresno	Fresno
Los Angeles-Long Beach	Los Angeles and Orange
Sacramento	Sacramento
San Bernardino-Riverside-Ontario	San Bernardino and Riverside
San Diego	San Diego
San Francisco-Oakland	Alameda, Contra Costa, Marin, San Francisco, San Mateo, and Solano
San Jose	Santa Clara
Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara
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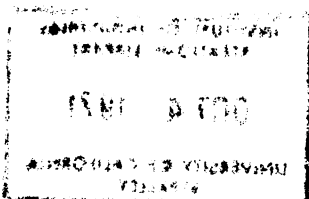
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## SUPPLEMENT TO NEGRO CALIFORNIANS

*Negro Californians* was originally published by the Fair Employment Practice Commission in June 1963. Since that time, additional details on characteristics of the Negro population in California in 1960 became available in *Nonwhite Population by Race (PC-2, 1C)*, issued by the Bureau of the Census in August 1963.

This *Supplement to Negro Californians* contains some of the additional facts published in the more detailed Census report. The lettered tables are additions--no similar tables appeared in *Negro Californians*. The numbered tables are refinements of those in the original report; they provide detail for Negroes and other nonwhites while similar tables in the original report contained information for all nonwhite persons combined. Tables 24R and 25R in this Supplement relate to persons 14 years and over while the original tables 24 and 25 were limited to persons 25 and over.

*Negro Californians* was the first of a series of reports on minority racial groups in California issued by the Fair Employment Practice Commission from data compiled by the Division of Labor Statistics and Research. Others in the series are: *Californians of Spanish Surname*, *Californians of Japanese, Chinese, and Filipino Ancestry*, and *American Indians in California*. Copies may be obtained on request.



# NEGRO CALIFORNIANS

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TABLE A--NEGRO POPULATION  
United States, California, and Selected States  
1960 and 1950

State	1960		1950	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
United States, excluding Alaska and Hawaii <sup>a</sup>	18,860,117	100.0	15,042,286	100.0
New York	1,417,511	7.5	918,191	6.1
Texas	1,187,125	6.3	977,458	6.5
Georgia	1,122,596	5.9	1,062,762	7.0
North Carolina	1,116,021	5.9	1,047,353	7.0
Louisiana	1,039,207	5.5	882,428	5.9
Illinois	1,037,470	5.5	645,980	4.3
Alabama	980,271	5.2	979,617	6.5
Mississippi	915,743	4.9	986,494	6.6
California	883,861	4.7	462,172	3.1
Florida	880,186	4.7	603,101	4.0
Pennsylvania	852,750	4.5	638,485	4.2
South Carolina	829,291	4.4	822,077	5.5
Virginia	816,258	4.3	734,211	4.9
Other states	5,781,827	30.7	4,281,957	28.4

<sup>a</sup>For Hawaii, Negro population available for 1950 (2,651) and 1960 (4,943).  
For Alaska, Negro population available for 1960 (6,771) but not for 1950.

Source: U. S. Bureau of the Census.

TABLE B--POPULATION, BY COUNTY  
CALIFORNIA, 1960

County	Total	Negro	Other	County	Total	Negro	Other
California	15,717,204	883,861	378,113				
Los Angeles	6,038,771	461,546	123,359	Siskiyou	32,885	715	682
Alameda	908,209	111,420	27,793	Yolo	65,727	607	1,790
San Francisco	740,316	74,383	61,530	Napa	65,890	552	723
San Diego	1,033,011	39,397	17,543	Santa Cruz	84,219	520	2,713
Contra Costa	409,030	25,294	4,848	Lassen	13,597	493	256
Sacramento	502,778	19,805	18,147	Shasta	59,468	444	885
Fresno	365,945	17,392	10,173	Placer	56,998	385	1,748
San Bernardino	503,591	17,234	4,162	Humboldt	104,892	282	2,749
Kern	291,984	16,740	3,667	Plumas	11,620	228	270
Solano	134,597	12,741	3,993	Mendocino	51,059	201	1,540
Riverside	306,191	12,486	4,333	Sutter	33,380	193	1,472
San Joaquin	249,989	11,684	13,063	Amador	9,990	177	151
San Mateo	444,387	10,846	8,328	Colusa	12,075	105	283
Monterey	198,351	7,918	9,866	Calaveras	10,289	93	148
Merced	90,446	5,056	1,694	Tuolumne	14,404	86	168
Santa Clara	642,315	4,187	16,503	San Benito	15,396	61	498
Marin	146,820	4,070	1,448	Glenn	17,245	49	148
Ventura	199,138	3,598	2,976	Modoc	8,308	44	281
Orange	703,925	3,171	6,400	Tehama	25,305	43	242
Tulare	168,403	3,074	3,798	El Dorado	29,390	38	177
Imperial	72,105	2,992	2,738	Mariposa	5,064	28	115
Madera	40,468	2,782	910	Del Norte	17,771	27	732
Santa Barbara	168,962	2,681	3,494	Nevada	20,911	21	130
Kings	49,954	2,578	677	Trinity	9,706	10	194
San Luis Obispo	81,044	1,431	1,582	Sierra	2,247	8	71
Stanislaus	157,294	1,441	1,113	Alpine	397	7	181
Yuba	33,859	967	854	Lake	13,786	7	472
Butte	82,030	931	766	Inyo	11,684	3	1,061
Sonoma	147,375	918	2,347	Mono	2,213	1	128

Source: U. S. Bureau of the Census.

TABLE C--NEGROES AS A PERCENT OF TOTAL COUNTY POPULATION  
CALIFORNIA, 1960

County	Percent, Negroes of total population	County	Percent, Negroes of total population	County	Percent, Negroes of total population
Alameda	12.3	San Mateo	2.4	Sutter	0.6
San Francisco	10.0	Siskiyou	2.2	Tuolumne	0.6
Solano	9.5	Plumas	2.0	Mariposa	0.6
Los Angeles	7.6	Ventura	1.8	Modoc	0.5
Madera	6.9	Tulare	1.8	Orange	0.4
Contra Costa	6.2	San Luis Obispo	1.8	Mendocino	0.4
Kern	5.7	Amador	1.8	San Benito	0.4
Merced	5.6	Alpine	1.8	Sierra	0.4
Kings	5.2	Santa Barbara	1.6	Humboldt	0.3
Fresno	4.8	Butte	1.1	Glenn	0.3
San Joaquin	4.7	Yolo	0.9	Tehama	0.2
Riverside	4.1	Colusa	0.9	Del Norte	0.2
Imperial	4.1	Calaveras	0.9	El Dorado	0.1
Monterey	4.0	Napa	0.8	Nevada	0.1
Sacramento	3.9	Santa Clara	0.7	Trinity	0.1
San Diego	3.8	Stanislaus	0.7	Lake	a
Lassen	3.6	Shasta	0.7	Inyo	a
San Bernardino	3.4	Placer	0.7	Mono	a
Yuba	2.9	Sonoma	0.6		
Marin	2.8	Santa Cruz	0.6		

<sup>a</sup>Less than .05 of 1 percent.

Source: U. S. Bureau of the Census.

TABLE D--MEDIAN ANNUAL INCOME IN 1959 OF PERSONS 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER  
WITH INCOME, BY AGE AND SEX

(For those persons with income in 1959, the median represents the value which divides the population group into two equal parts--one-half having an annual income above and one-half below the median)

Age	Total population		Negro		Total nonwhite	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Total, 14 years old and over	\$4,968	\$1,798	\$3,553	\$1,596	\$3,515	\$1,583
14 - 19 years	a	a	a	a	a	a
20 - 24 years	2,794	1,824	2,180	1,302	2,057	1,481
25 - 34 years	5,513	2,282	3,872	1,947	4,010	2,080
35 - 44 years	6,403	2,580	4,374	2,040	4,575	2,106
45 - 64 years	b	b	3,938	1,543	b	b
65 years old and over	b	b	1,619	1,204	b	b

<sup>a</sup>Median annual income less than \$1,000--exact figure not shown in Census report.

<sup>b</sup>Not available in comparable age groups.

Note: Income data for "white" and "nonwhite other than Negro" not published in the Census report by age groupings.

Source: U. S. Bureau of the Census.



TABLE E--ANNUAL INCOME IN 1959 OF MEN 25 YEARS OLD AND OVER  
CALIFORNIA, 1959  
(Percent)

Annual income, 1959	White		Negro		Other	
Men 25 years old and over with income	3,887,502		202,337		112,663	
<u>Percent with annual income of--</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Cumu-lative percent</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Cumu-lative percent</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Cumu-lative percent</u>
Total	100.0		100.0		100.0	
\$1 to \$999 or loss	5.5	5.5	9.9	9.9	8.9	8.9
\$1,000 to \$1,999	8.6	14.1	12.1	22.0	13.1	22.0
2,000 to 2,999	7.0	21.1	12.2	34.2	13.4	35.4
3,000 to 3,999	8.3	29.4	17.1	51.3	14.3	49.7
4,000 to 4,999	11.0	40.4	19.6	70.9	14.0	63.7
5,000 to 5,999	14.4	54.8	15.6	86.5	12.4	76.1
6,000 to 6,999	13.5	68.3	7.2	93.7	8.6	84.7
7,000 to 7,999			3.0	96.7		
8,000 to 8,999	<sup>a</sup> 19.6	<sup>a</sup> 87.9	1.4	98.1	<sup>a</sup> 10.0	<sup>a</sup> 94.7
9,000 to 9,999			0.7	98.8		
10,000 and over	12.1	100.0	1.2	100.0	5.3	100.0

<sup>a</sup>\$7,000-\$9,999.

Source: U. S. Bureau of the Census.

TABLE F--SIZE OF FAMILY  
Thirteen Western States,<sup>a</sup> 1960

Size of family	White		Negro		Total nonwhite	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total families, 13 Western states	6,564,848	100.0	239,875	100.0	459,012	100.0
2 persons	2,272,840	34.6	77,151	32.1	119,593	26.2
3 persons	1,349,800	20.6	50,302	21.0	91,298	19.9
4 persons	1,327,167	20.2	38,762	16.2	82,374	17.9
5 persons	861,743	13.1	27,733	11.6	63,102	13.7
6 persons	433,149	6.6	18,732	7.8	43,287	9.4
7 or more persons	320,149	4.9	27,195	11.3	59,358	12.9

<sup>a</sup> Includes the states of: California, Alaska, Arizona, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming. Data on size of family not available for California alone for the Negro population.

Source: U. S. Bureau of the Census.

TABLE 6R--IN-MIGRATION FROM OTHER STATES AND COUNTRIES SINCE 1955 OF POPULATION 5 YEARS OLD AND OVER  
CALIFORNIA METROPOLITAN AREAS, 1960

(Number of residents of California in 1960 who came from other states and countries during the 5 years preceding 1960 compared with total residents)

Metropolitan area	White					Negro				
	Total population in 1960	In-migrants from			Total population in 1960	In-migrants from				
		Other states		Other countries		Other states		Other countries		
		Number	Percent of total	Number		Percent of total	Number	Percent of total		
Total State, 5 years old and over	12,891,088	1,791,293	13.9	323,878	2.5	751,460	114,555	15.2	7,384	1.0
Bakersfield	238,747	27,481	11.5	3,432	1.4	14,069	1,426	10.1	102	0.7
Fresno	299,099	23,889	8.0	3,817	1.3	14,854	1,210	8.1	39	0.3
Los Angeles-Long Beach	5,493,090	772,529	14.1	135,940	2.5	397,110	64,550	16.3	2,479	0.6
Sacramento	408,732	60,195	14.7	8,864	2.2	16,569	2,877	17.4	345	2.1
San Bernardino-Riverside-Ontario	681,544	114,545	16.8	19,201	2.8	24,626	5,108	20.7	613	2.5
San Diego	865,917	229,105	26.5	26,757	3.1	32,310	9,199	28.5	605	1.9
San Francisco-Oakland	2,197,202	236,987	10.8	61,487	2.8	202,880	21,961	10.8	1,690	0.8
San Jose	542,327	87,248	16.1	12,088	2.2	3,575	617	17.3	62	1.7
Remainder of State	2,164,430	239,314	11.1	52,292	2.4	45,467	7,607	16.7	1,449	3.2

Source: U. S. Bureau of the Census.

TABLE 8R--CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATES, BY AGE AND SEX  
CALIFORNIA, 1960

(Civilian labor force as a percent of civilian population, 14 years old and over)

Age	Male			Female		
	White	Negro	Other	White	Negro	Other
Total, 14 years old and over	78.5	75.2	79.9	35.4	44.6	42.6
14 - 19 years	38.6	24.5	33.0	23.2	14.0	22.5
20 - 24 years	87.0	82.0	74.6	44.0	44.8	52.5
25 - 34 years	95.3	87.1	91.9	36.1	48.3	40.1
35 - 44 years	96.5	89.3	95.8	44.3	57.9	50.0
45 - 64 years	89.3	84.6	90.1	43.6	53.2	51.8
65 years old and over	27.9	27.9	38.6	9.8	11.5	18.1

Source: U. S. Bureau of the Census.

TABLE 16R--UNEMPLOYMENT RATES, BY AGE AND SEX  
CALIFORNIA, 1960

(Unemployment as a percent of civilian labor force, 14 years old and over)

Age	Male			Female		
	White	Negro	Other	White	Negro	Other
Total, 14 years old and over	5.5	12.7	5.5	6.3	11.4	5.5
14 - 19 years	12.2	26.9	13.6	10.6	25.0	9.9
20 - 24 years	8.1	19.0	9.2	7.6	19.1	6.5
25 - 34 years	4.3	12.2	4.0	6.4	12.4	4.7
35 - 44 years	3.8	10.1	3.2	5.7	9.5	4.9
45 - 64 years	5.7	11.2	5.9	5.4	7.9	5.5
65 years old and over	7.9	13.1	8.9	5.4	7.9	5.1

Source: U. S. Bureau of the Census.

TABLE 17R--UNEMPLOYMENT RATES, BY SEX  
CALIFORNIA METROPOLITAN AREAS, 1960

(Unemployment as a percent of civilian labor force, 14 years old and over)

Metropolitan area	Male			Female		
	White	Negro	Other	White	Negro	Other
Total State	5.5	12.7	5.5	6.3	11.4	5.5
Bakersfield	6.3	16.4	13.4	8.4	15.6	7.3
Fresno	7.0	22.2	6.1	9.1	14.3	7.7
Los Angeles-Long Beach	5.2	11.1	4.6	5.7	10.0	3.6
Sacramento	5.4	11.4	4.4	6.7	11.8	4.9
San Bernardino- Riverside-Ontario	5.9	14.5	5.0	7.3	13.0	11.9
San Diego	6.1	12.0	4.2	6.7	13.2	10.4
San Francisco-Oakland	4.8	14.6	6.0	5.2	13.2	5.9
San Jose	4.4	12.7	2.2	7.6	11.4	5.7

Source: U. S. Bureau of the Census.

TABLE 24R--SCHOOL LEVEL COMPLETED BY PERSONS 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER, BY SEX  
CALIFORNIA, 1960

(Percent of population 14 years old and over)

School level	Male			Female		
	White	Negro	Other	White	Negro	Other
Total population, 14 years old and over	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
None	1.6	1.8	7.3	1.3	1.4	6.7
Elementary						
Grades 1 - 4	3.4	7.7	7.1	2.6	5.6	4.2
Grades 5 - 6	4.0	8.4	5.9	3.6	7.6	4.7
Grade 7	4.5	7.0	4.1	3.6	6.6	2.6
Grade 8	13.7	13.0	10.3	13.3	12.8	10.3
High school						
Grades 9 - 11	24.3	28.8	18.0	24.5	29.3	17.9
Grade 12	24.4	20.6	23.7	31.5	23.1	33.3
College						
1 - 3 years	13.4	9.4	13.9	13.0	10.3	13.7
4 or more years	10.7	3.3	9.7	6.6	3.3	6.6

Source: U. S. Bureau of the Census.



TABLE 25R--MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED BY PERSONS 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER, BY SEX  
CALIFORNIA AND METROPOLITAN AREAS, 1960

(For those persons 14 years old and over, the median represents the value which divides the population group into two equal parts--one half-completing more school years than the median and one-half less)

Metropolitan area	Total population		Negro		Total nonwhite	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Total State	11.7	12.0	10.3	10.6	10.6	11.0
Bakersfield	10.5	10.9	8.8	9.4	a	a
Fresno	10.3	10.7	8.6	9.0	9.2	9.8
Los Angeles-Long Beach	12.0	12.0	10.6	10.9	11.1	11.4
Sacramento	12.0	12.1	10.3	11.0	10.9	11.5
San Bernardino-Riverside-Ontario	11.2	11.7	10.3	10.3	10.2	10.5
San Diego	12.0	12.1	10.8	10.8	11.2	11.0
San Francisco-Oakland	12.0	12.1	10.0	10.5	10.4	10.9
San Jose	12.1	12.1	10.9	10.7	a	a

<sup>a</sup>Not available.

Source: U. S. Bureau of the Census.

