

# Foreign-Born Population by County of Birth, Washington State 2005-2009

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Country of Birth for Foreign-Born (FB)*	Absolute population in WA State	Percent FB population in WA State	Percent of total population in WA State
Mexico	203,528	25.95%	3.15%
Philippines	55,042	7.02%	0.85%
China	53,201	6.78%	0.82%
Canada	47,170	6.01%	0.73%
Vietnam	46,049	5.87%	0.71%
Korea	44,838	5.72%	0.69%
India	34,006	4.34%	0.53%
Ukraine	25,802	3.29%	0.40%
United Kingdom	21,397	2.73%	0.33%
Germany	19,298	2.46%	0.30%
Russia	18,698	2.38%	0.29%
Japan	15,246	1.94%	0.24%
Ethiopia	9,339	1.19%	0.14%
Cambodia	9,117	1.16%	0.14%
Laos	7,958	1.01%	0.12%
Thailand	6,584	0.84%	0.10%
Romania	6,379	0.81%	0.10%
El Salvador	6,379	0.81%	0.10%
Iran	6,125	0.78%	0.09%
Guatemala	4,835	0.62%	0.07%
Other	143,333	18.27%	2.22%
<b>Total Foreign-Born</b>	<b>784,324</b>		<b>12.13%</b>
<b>Total Population</b>	<b>6,465,755</b>		

\* The foreign-born population includes anyone who was not a US citizen or a US national at birth. This includes respondents who indicated they were a US citizen by naturalization or not a US citizen.

Total FB in US - 37,342,597  
 US population - 307,006,550  
 % FB in US - 12.16%