

Table 7. Educational Attainment of the Population 25 Years and Over by Sex, for Black Alone and White Alone, Not Hispanic: March 2003
(Numbers in thousands)

Sex and educational attainment	Total		Race and Hispanic Origin 1/					
			Black alone		White alone, not Hispanic		Other 2/	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Both sexes	185,183	100.0	20,527	100.0	133,488	100.0	31,169	100.0
Less than 9th grade	12,276	6.6	1,311	6.4	4,814	3.6	6,151	19.7
9th to 12th grade (no diploma)	16,323	8.8	2,798	13.6	9,354	7.0	4,171	13.4
High school graduate	59,292	32.0	7,234	35.2	43,970	32.9	8,088	25.9
Some college or associate's degree	46,910	25.3	5,625	27.4	35,246	26.4	6,039	19.4
Bachelor's degree	33,213	17.9	2,513	12.2	26,231	19.7	4,469	14.3
Advanced degree	17,169	9.3	1,045	5.1	13,873	10.4	2,251	7.2
Less than high school diploma	28,599	15.4	4,109	20.0	14,168	10.6	10,322	33.1
High school graduate or more	156,584	84.6	16,417	80.0	119,320	89.4	20,847	66.9
Less than Bachelor's degree	134,801	72.8	16,969	82.7	93,383	70.0	24,449	78.4
Bachelor's degree or more	50,382	27.2	3,558	17.3	40,104	30.0	6,720	21.6

1/ Hispanic refers to people whose origin are Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, South or Central American, or other Spanish origin regardless of race.

2/ Includes American Indian and Alaska Native alone; Asian alone; Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone; White alone, Hispanic; and Two or More Races.

SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplement, 2003, Racial Statistics Branch, Population Division.