Table 20. Population by Region and Sex, and Race and Hispanic Origin: March 2002 (Numbers in thousands)

Region and sex		Race and Hispanic Origin 1/							
			Asian or Pacific		non-Hispanic				
	Total		Islander		White		Other		
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
Total 2/									
Total	282,082	100.0	12,500	100.0	194,822	100.0	74,761	100.0	
Northeast	53,300	18.9	2,321	18.6	40,029	20.5	10,950	14.6	
Midwest	63,779	22.6	1,433	11.5	52,609	27.0	9,738	13.0	
South	100,652	35.7	2,365	18.9	64,845	33.3	33,442	44.7	
West	64,351	22.8	6,381	51.1	37,339	19.2	20,631	27.6	
Male									
Total	137,871	100.0	6,093	100.0	95,386	100.0	36,392	100.0	
Northeast	25,817	18.7	1,195	19.6	19,535	20.5	5,087	14.0	
Midwest	30,996	22.5	724	11.9	25,652	26.9	4,621	12.7	
South	49,052	35.6	1,118	18.4	31,640	33.2	16,293	44.8	
West	32,006	23.2	3,055	50.1	18,559	19.5	10,392	28.6	
Female									
Total	144,211	100.0	6,407	100.0	99,436	100.0	38,368	100.0	
Northeast	27,483	19.1	1,126	17.6	20,494	20.6	5,863	15.3	
Midwest	32,783	22.7	709	11.1	26,957	27.1	5,117	13.3	
South	51,600	35.8	1,246	19.5	33,205	33.4	17,149	44.7	
West	32,344	22.4	3,326	51.9	18,780	18.9	10,239	26.7	

^{1/} Hispanic refers to people whose origin is Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, South or Central American, or other Hispanic/Latino origin, regardless of race.

^{2/} Regions are described in the CPS glossary of subjects concepts at www.census.gov/population/www/cps/cpsdef.html. SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey, March 2002, Racial Statistics Branch, Population Division. Internet Release date: May 28, 2003