

Table 743. **Small Business Administration Loans to Minority-Owned Small Businesses: 2000 to 2007**

[3,634 represents \$3,634,000,000. For year ending September 30. A small business must be independently owned and operated, must not be dominant in its particular industry, and must meet standards set by the Small Business Administration as to its annual receipts or number of employees]

| Minority group | Number of loans | | | | | Amount (mil. dol.) | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | 2000 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2000 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
| Total minority loans | 11,999 | 25,413 | 29,722 | 33,780 | 36,320 | 3,634 | 5,144 | 6,132 | 6,607 | 6,852 |
| Percent of all loans | 24.8 | 28.4 | 28.3 | 31.5 | 32.9 | 29.4 | 29.3 | 30.2 | 32.6 | 33.3 |
| African American | 2,120 | 4,827 | 6,635 | 7,238 | 8,914 | 388 | 481 | 627 | 694 | 919 |
| Asian American | 5,838 | 12,100 | 13,456 | 14,446 | 15,429 | 2,383 | 3,400 | 4,056 | 4,238 | 4,324 |
| Hispanic American | 3,500 | 7,686 | 8,796 | 11,215 | 11,049 | 761 | 1,151 | 1,325 | 1,561 | 1,482 |
| Native American | 541 | 800 | 835 | 881 | 928 | 101 | 113 | 123 | 114 | 127 |

Source: U.S. Small Business Administration, Management Information Summary, unpublished data.