

Net Migration of Recent High School Graduates by State

	New Undergrads. Only			New Undergrads. Only			New Undergrads. Only			New Undergrads. Only			New Undergrads. Only			"Into" Change '86-'04				
	Fall, 1986			Fall, 1988			Fall, 1992			Fall, 1996			Fall, 2000				Fall, 2004			
	Out of	Into	Net	Out of	Into	Net	Out of	Into	Net	Out of	Into	Net	Out of	Into	Net		Out of	Into	Net	
Pennsylvania	10,543	14,662	4,119	12,278	16,667	4,389	12,350	18,835	6,485	13,667	19,850	6,183	13,572	22,746	9,174	14,319	27,045	12,726	84%	
Florida	7,143	7,312	169	8,405	8,375	(30)	8,853	8,726	(127)	8,734	9,956	1,222	7,902	9,532	1,630	8,517	19,473	10,956	166%	
North Carolina	2,005	9,529	7,524	2,434	9,708	7,274	2,428	11,044	8,616	3,044	10,463	7,419	3,432	10,469	7,037	4,423	12,254	7,831	29%	
Dist. of Columbia	1,114	4,761	3,647	1,248	4,656	3,408	1,111	5,401	4,290	1,304	6,734	5,430	1,412	6,125	4,713	1,877	8,177	6,300	72%	
Indiana	2,947	6,113	3,166	3,509	9,769	6,260	3,920	9,836	5,916	4,474	9,876	5,402	4,447	10,310	5,863	4,744	10,342	5,598	69%	
Massachusetts	9,184	15,390	6,206	8,985	17,590	8,605	11,864	19,354	7,490	12,431	20,739	8,308	13,187	20,996	7,809	13,934	18,612	4,678	21%	
Utah	788	496	(292)	884	842	(42)	990	4,147	3,157	1,045	5,716	4,671	789	4,978	4,189	1,130	5,178	4,048	944%	
Arizona	1,230	3,721	2,491	1,505	3,782	2,277	1,847	3,935	2,088	2,279	5,134	2,855	2,259	5,014	2,755	2,798	6,778	3,980	82%	
Alabama	1,592	3,487	1,895	1,980	5,764	3,784	2,111	6,892	4,781	2,397	5,726	3,329	2,529	5,370	2,841	2,462	6,045	3,583	73%	
South Carolina	2,088	3,114	1,026	2,432	3,862	1,430	2,549	3,534	985	2,701	5,133	2,432	2,520	4,996	2,476	2,532	6,064	3,532	95%	
Virginia	6,105	7,021	916	7,485	8,921	1,436	7,028	10,704	3,676	7,243	11,282	4,039	7,673	10,545	2,872	8,665	12,186	3,521	74%	
Iowa	2,858	3,762	904	3,282	5,209	1,927	3,158	6,248	3,090	3,024	6,394	3,370	3,063	6,115	3,052	3,215	6,717	3,502	79%	
Rhode Island	1,616	4,256	2,640	1,762	2,264	502	2,020	6,442	4,422	2,408	6,245	3,837	2,325	7,547	5,222	2,218	5,421	3,203	27%	
Louisiana	1,858	3,553	1,695	2,458	3,719	1,261	2,776	4,396	1,620	3,177	4,391	1,214	2,498	4,158	1,660	2,494	5,661	3,167	59%	
West Virginia	1,142	2,529	1,387	1,459	4,063	2,604	1,619	3,637	2,018	1,698	3,411	1,713	1,470	3,506	2,036	1,209	3,910	2,701	55%	
Kentucky	1,826	2,529	703	2,104	3,707	1,603	2,235	3,984	1,749	2,769	3,692	923	2,772	4,249	1,477	2,344	4,946	2,602	96%	
Oklahoma	1,509	1,130	(379)	1,984	1,958	(26)	2,176	2,157	(19)	2,374	2,368	(6)	2,200	2,970	770	2,200	4,250	2,022	276%	
North Dakota	407	1,561	1,154	581	2,141	1,560	1,048	2,538	1,490	1,182	2,527	1,345	1,152	2,289	1,137	1,465	3,252	1,787	108%	
Kansas	1,282	3,182	1,900	1,750	3,486	1,736	1,945	3,512	1,567	2,125	3,522	1,397	2,483	2,890	407	2,692	4,453	1,761	40%	
Vermont	1,048	3,170	2,122	1,208	2,490	1,282	1,583	3,141	1,558	1,781	3,451	1,670	2,067	3,656	1,589	2,087	3,825	1,738	21%	
Mississippi	1,016	1,664	648	1,578	1,788	210	1,637	3,059	1,422	1,477	3,257	1,780	1,171	2,758	1,587	1,183	2,863	1,680	72%	
Arkansas	1,492	997	(495)	1,679	2,178	499	1,823	2,481	658	1,753	2,450	697	1,441	2,434	993	1,591	3,234	1,643	224%	
Missouri	3,633	4,539	906	4,150	4,901	751	4,590	5,991	1,401	5,121	6,703	1,582	5,006	6,983	1,977	5,006	7,578	1,607	67%	
Delaware	1,142	2,666	1,524	1,194	3,096	1,902	1,289	2,664	1,375	1,363	2,977	1,614	1,431	2,695	1,264	1,547	3,032	1,485	14%	
Tennessee	2,933	4,841	1,908	3,925	5,450	1,525	4,071	5,694	1,623	4,367	6,916	2,549	5,075	7,292	2,217	5,277	6,530	1,253	35%	
Wyoming	625	501	(124)	597	803	206	892	631	(261)	925	945	20	1,060	419	419	1,066	2,167	1,101	333%	
Georgia	4,737	4,971	234	5,822	5,624	(198)	6,758	6,672	(86)	6,203	7,203	1,000	7,005	6,178	(827)	8,207	8,994	787	81%	
Idaho	807	2,350	1,543	971	2,651	1,680	1,443	3,084	1,641	1,899	2,137	238	1,784	817	(967)	1,998	2,604	606	11%	
Oregon	1,660	2,306	646	2,042	2,760	718	2,791	3,341	550	3,371	3,867	496	3,646	3,643	(3)	3,794	4,144	350	80%	
Wisconsin	3,454	5,783	2,329	4,641	6,651	2,010	5,212	4,308	(904)	6,019	5,021	(998)	6,209	7,284	1,075	7,347	7,644	297	32%	
New Hampshire	2,174	2,677	503	2,373	4,091	1,718	3,003	4,791	1,788	3,394	4,927	1,533	4,030	4,782	752	3,956	4,166	210	56%	
South Dakota	953	1,161	208	1,149	1,057	(92)	1,213	1,517	304	1,514	1,339	(175)	1,598	1,622	24	1,819	1,948	129	68%	
Michigan	4,589	2,346	(2,243)	5,706	3,191	(2,515)	5,619	4,922	(697)	5,803	6,045	242	6,425	4,047	(2,378)	6,406	6,491	85	177%	
Montana	1,004	155	(849)	1,172	352	(820)	1,481	1,248	(233)	1,722	1,389	(333)	1,482	1,276	(206)	1,699	1,735	36	1019%	
Colorado	3,529	1,603	(1,926)	4,205	5,213	1,008	4,110	6,049	1,939	4,483	5,996	1,513	4,668	5,921	1,253	5,677	5,688	11	255%	
Nebraska	1,581	1,665	84	2,042	1,807	(235)	2,177	2,216	39	2,149	2,473	324	2,186	2,494	308	2,672	2,588	(84)	55%	
New Mexico	1,038	943	(95)	1,496	1,180	(316)	1,621	1,314	(307)	2,347	1,560	(787)	2,446	1,193	(1,253)	1,854	1,666	(188)	77%	
Nevada	812	194	(618)	846	584	(262)	1,220	593	(627)	1,579	1,054	(525)	1,395	921	(474)	1,612	1,241	(371)	540%	
Hawaii	1,227	531	(696)	1,439	351	(1,088)	1,559	764	(795)	2,069	1,111	(958)	2,326	796	(1,530)	2,215	1,415	(800)	166%	
Maine	1,862	1,282	(580)	2,050	1,103	(947)	2,928	2,069	(859)	3,286	2,255	(1,031)	3,232	2,323	(909)	2,991	1,900	(1,091)	48%	
Alaska	1,046	40	(1,006)	1,142	64	(1,078)	1,088	264	(824)	1,444	191	(1,253)	1,425	199	(1,226)	1,355	260	(1,095)	550%	
Ohio	7,079	6,265	(814)	8,858	8,671	(187)	9,336	8,991	(345)	9,282	10,432	1,150	10,467	10,265	(202)	11,336	10,076	(1,260)	61%	
Washington	2,559	2,018	(541)	3,265	2,364	(901)	3,855	3,359	(496)	4,732	4,241	(491)	5,487	3,963	(1,524)	5,869	4,493	(1,376)	123%	
New York	18,664	16,480	(2,184)	21,112	12,826	(8,286)	21,809	17,872	(3,937)	24,268	21,125	(3,143)	23,668	22,519	(1,149)	23,607	21,492	(2,115)	30%	
Connecticut	9,270	5,079	(4,191)	9,910	4,966	(4,944)	10,226	5,601	(4,625)	10,358	6,764	(3,594)	10,843	7,756	(3,087)	10,648	8,160	(2,488)	61%	
Minnesota	5,556	3,991	(1,565)	6,835	5,458	(1,377)	6,966	5,834	(1,132)	7,853	6,548	(1,305)	8,995	6,638	(2,357)	10,689	7,950	(2,739)	99%	
California	6,431	10,555	4,124	8,555	8,204	(351)	12,529	12,229	(300)	14,962	13,034	(1,928)	14,070	10,753	(3,317)	17,395	14,103	(3,292)	34%	
Texas	4,311	5,031	720	6,225	5,793	(432)	7,597	6,990	(607)	9,561	7,666	(1,895)	11,284	5,916	(5,368)	14,299	8,110	(6,189)	61%	
Maryland	7,790	3,330	(4,460)	8,628	4,303	(4,325)	8,937	5,816	(3,121)	9,935	6,959	(2,976)	10,825	6,371	(4,454)	13,266	5,423	(7,843)	63%	
Illinois	13,133	4,444	(8,689)	15,885	5,601	(10,284)	14,552	7,181	(7,371)	15,948	7,410	(8,538)	16,987	7,847	(9,140)	19,064	8,393	(10,671)	89%	
New Jersey	20,582	1,693	(18,889)	21,458	1,879	(19,579)	21,372	2,868	(18,504)	22,218	3,502	(18,716)	22,634	3,818	(18,816)	25,853	3,263	(22,590)	93%	
Territories	Unknown			Unknown			1,251	82	(1,169)	999	27	(972)	1,295	159	(1,136)	1,523	467	(1,056)	Avg. change: 87%	
Foreign Countries	Unknown			Unknown			18,510			33,257			18,458			20,549				
Source Unknown	46,505		Discrepancy: -16%	Unknown			Unknown			Unknown			Unknown			16,758	2,039			
Tot. Interstate Activ	241,479	203,379		228,683	233,933	2%	267,076	278,958	4%	305,518	304,134	-0%	299,806	300,543	0%	346,446	346,446	0%		

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