# DIVERSITY IN BROWARD COUNTY

Broward by the Numbers

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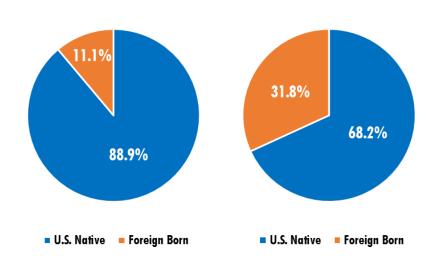
32% of County residents are foreign born; predominantly from Latin America; and more than 321,400 foreign-born naturalized citizens live in Broward.

#### 1980 Place of Birth for Residents

#### 2014 Place of Birth for Residents

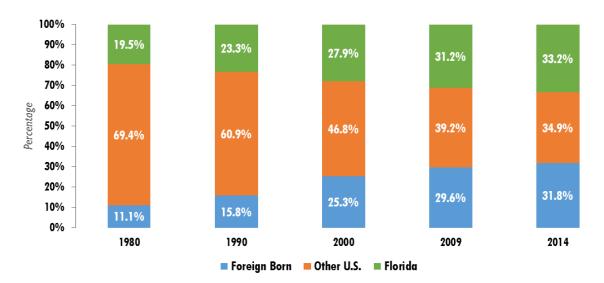
## **MIGRATION**

The high rate of international migration into South Florida has had a significant impact on demographic changes in Broward County over the past 35 years. In 2014, 32% of residents are foreign born compared to only 11% in 1980. The number of foreign born residents increased 400% from 113,339 to 577,843 in 24 years.



Nativity	1980	1990	2000	2009	2014
U.S. Native	904,861	1,057,222	1,212,631	1,238,649	1,237,426
% U.S. Native	88.9%	84.2%	74.7%	70.4%	68.2%
Foreign Born	113,339	198,274	410,387	520,483	577,843
% Foreign Born	11.1%	15.8%	25.3%	29.6%	31.8%
SOURCES					

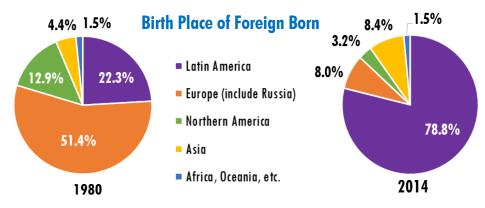
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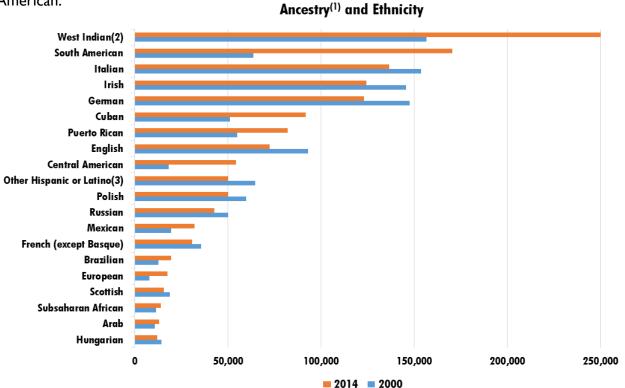
As the County transitions from a retirement destination, the number of families with children has increased. This is reflected in the increase in Florida natives from 20% to 33% between 1980 and 2014, while retirement age residents (65 and over) decreased from 22% to representing less than 15% of the total population. Also, persons born in other States outside of Florida decreased from 69% to 35% in the same time frame.

## FOREIGN BORN RESIDENTS: 1980-2014

In addition to the increase in immigration to the county, the origin of immigrant residents has also changed over time. In 1980, the majority of foreign born residents came from Europe (including the former USSR). By 1990 European foreign born residents decreased to 28% and Latin American foreign born residents more than doubled to 52% in the same time period. In 2014, 79% of foreign born residents are Latin American.



Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, 1980, 1990, and 2000 Census; U.S. Census Bureau, 2010-2014 5-Year American Community Survey



## ANCESTRY AND ETHNICITY

Since 2000, Broward County population has changed due increases in migration from Latin America and West Indian countries. Between 2000 and 2014, the West Indian population has increased by nearly 60% and the population with South American ancestry has increased by nearly 168%. The latter has influenced the increase in residents with Hispanic ethnicity in the County.

## CITIZENSHIP

Increased diversity is also reflected in the substantial growth among non-U.S. citizens, as well as foreign born citizens (naturalized). The number of non-U.S. citizens in Broward County grew from representing less than 4% of the population in 1980 to over 14% in 2014 estimates. Significantly, the number of naturalized citizen also exhibited considerable growth, from 7.5% in 1980 to 17.7% in the 2014. This represents an increase of almost 250,000 new citizens for a total of 321,413.

TABLE 1: COUNTRY OF BIRTH

TECHNICAL APPENDIX

Country of Birth	Lawful Permanent Resident Moving Into Core Based Statistical Area Containing Broward County in 2013
Cuba	22,171 33.3%
Haiti	7,347 11.0%
Colombia	4,904 7.4%
Venezuela	4,531 6.8%
Jamaica	3,760 5.6%
Dominican Republic	2,102 3.2%
Peru	1,908 2.9%
Brazil	1,700 2.6%
Honduras	1,344 2.0%
Argentina	1,321 2.0%
Top 10 County Total	51,088 76.7%
Total All Countries	66.636

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Homeland Security, 2013 Yearbook of Immigration Statistics

**TABLE 2: BIRTH PLACE OF FOREIGN BORN** 

## **TABLE 3: ANCESTRY AND ETHNICITY**

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Birth Place	1980	1990	2000	2009	2014	Ancestry & Ethnicity (1)	2000 Pop.	2000 Rank	2014 Pop.	2000 Rank
% Latin America	22.3%	51.6%	71.6%	75.9%	78.8%	West Indian (2)	156,343	1	249,907	1
% Europe (include Russia)	51.4%	28.1%	14.1%	9.8%	8.0%	South American	63,656	7	170,316	2
% Northern America	12.9%	7.7%	5.0%	4.0%	3.2%	Italian	153,574	2	136,448	3
% Asia	4.4%	6.8%	7.7%	8.5%	8.4%	Irish	145,464	4	124,206	4
% Africa, Oceania, etc.	1.5%	1.2%	1.6%	1.8%	1.5%	German	147,436	3	122,861	5
Total Foreign Born(1)	113,339	198,274	410,387	520,483	577,843	Cuban	50,911	10	91,532	6
TABLE 2 NOTES AND SOURCES: NOTE (1) Includes foreign born country of origin imputed					Puerto Rican	54,938	9	81,978	7	
	, ,	•		, ,		English	92,819	5	72,194	8
or not reported SOURCES: U.S. C						Central American	18,249	15	54,251	9
Bureau, 2005-2009 5-Year Ameri American Community Survey	can Community	Survey; U.S.	. Census Bur	eau, 2010-20	J14 5-Year	Other Hispanic or Latino (3)	64,447	6	50,133	10

TABLE 3 NOTES AND SOURCES: NOTES (1) Persons may report multiple ancestries; (2) West includes Bahamian, Barbadian, Belizean, Bermudan, British West Indian, Dutch West Indian, Haitian, Jamaican, Trinidadian and Tobagonian, U.S. Virgin Islander and West Indian. Excludes Hispanic groups; (3) Includes persons with origins from Spain and Dominican Republic. SOURCES: U.S. Census Bureau, 2000 Census; U.S. Census Bureau, 2010-2014 5-Year American Community Survey

### **TABLE 4: NATIVITY**

Nativity	1980	1990	2000	2009	2014
% U.S. Native	88.9%	84.2%	74.7%	70.4%	68.2%
% Naturalized Citizen	7.5%	7.2%	11.3%	14.0%	17.7%
% Not a Citizen	3.6%	8.6%	14.0%	15.6%	14.1%

TABLE 4 SOURCES: NOTE (1) Includes foreign born country of origin imputed or not reported SOURCES: U.S. Census Bureau, 1980, 1990, and 2000 Census; U.S. Census Bureau, 2005-2009 5-Year American Community Survey; U.S. Census Bureau, 2010-2014 5-Year American Community Survey

#### **TABLE 5: CITIZENSHIP**

Nativity	198	1980		1990		2000		2009		2014	
% U.S. Native	904,861	88.9%	1,057,214	84.2%	1,212,631	74.7%	1,238,649	70.4%	1,237,426	68.2%	
% Naturalized Citizen	76,765	7.5%	89,949	7.2%	183,641	11.3%	246,628	14%	321,413	17.7%	
% Not a Citizen	36,574	3.6%	108,325	8.6%	226,746	14%	273,855	15.6%	256,430	14.1%	
Total Population	1,018,200	100%	1,255,488	100%	1,623,018	100%	1,759,132	100%	1,815,269	100%	

TABLE 5 SOURCES: U.S. Census Bureau, 1980, 1990, and 2000 Census; U.S. Census Bureau, 2005-2009 5-Year American Community Survey; U.S. Census Bureau, 2010-2014 5-Year American Community Survey

**Disclaimer:** The U.S. Census Bureau data from the American Community Survey are estimates used to provide population characteristics and are not official counts as provided by the decennial censuses.