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MISSION 4: "City of Immigrants"

Table of Immigrant Origins, 1880-1920

This chart shows the numbers of immigrants to the United States by country of origin for each of the census years between 1880 and 1920.

Region and country or area	1880	1890	1900	1910	1920
Northern and Western Europe	5,499,889	7,288,917	7,204,649	7,306,325	6,241,916
Southern Europe	66,249	216,387	539,968	1,544,149	1,939,600
Greece	776	1,887	8,515	101,282	175,976
Italy	44,230	182,580	484,027	1,343,125	1,610,113
Portugal (incl. Azores)	15,650	25,735	40,376	77,634	103,976
Spain	5,121	6,185	7,050	22,108	49,535
Eastern Europe	182,371	512,464	1,134,680	2,956,783	3,731,327
Czechoslovakia (former)	85,361	118,106	156,891	219,214	362,438
Hungary	11,526	62,435	145,714	495,609	397,283
Poland	48,557	147,440	383,407	937,884	1,139,979
Romania	(not available)	(not available)	15,032	65,923	102,823
Russia (1920-Soviet Union)	35,722	182,644	423,726	1,184,412	1,400,495
Asia	107,630	113,383	120,248	191,484	237,950
Africa	2,204	2,207	2,538	3,992	16,126
Oceania	6,859	9,353	8,820	11,450	14,626
Latin America	90,073	107,307	137,458	279,514	588,843
Northern America	717,286	980,938	1,179,922	1,209,717	1,138,174
Region or country not reported	4,068	6,012	10,742	9,614	8,925
Born at sea	4,068	5,533	8,196	6,927	5,336
Not reported	(not available)	479	2,546	2,687	3,589
Total	6,679,943	9,249,547	10,341,276	13,515,886	13,920,692

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division
 (<http://www.census.gov/population/www/documentation/twps0029/tab04.html>)

