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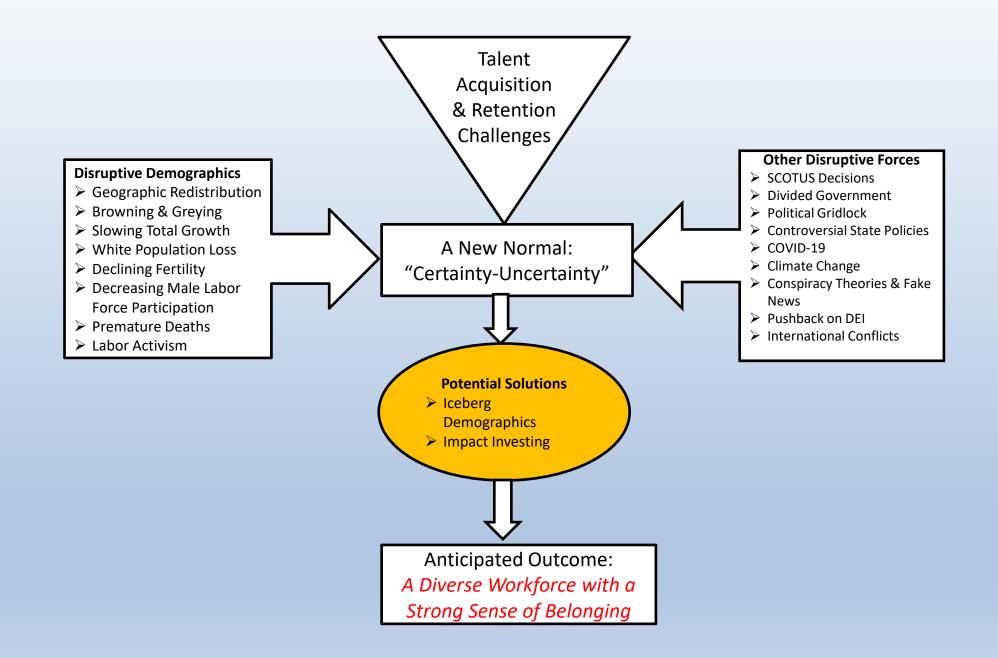
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Key Demographic Drivers of Change

## Moving & Grooving

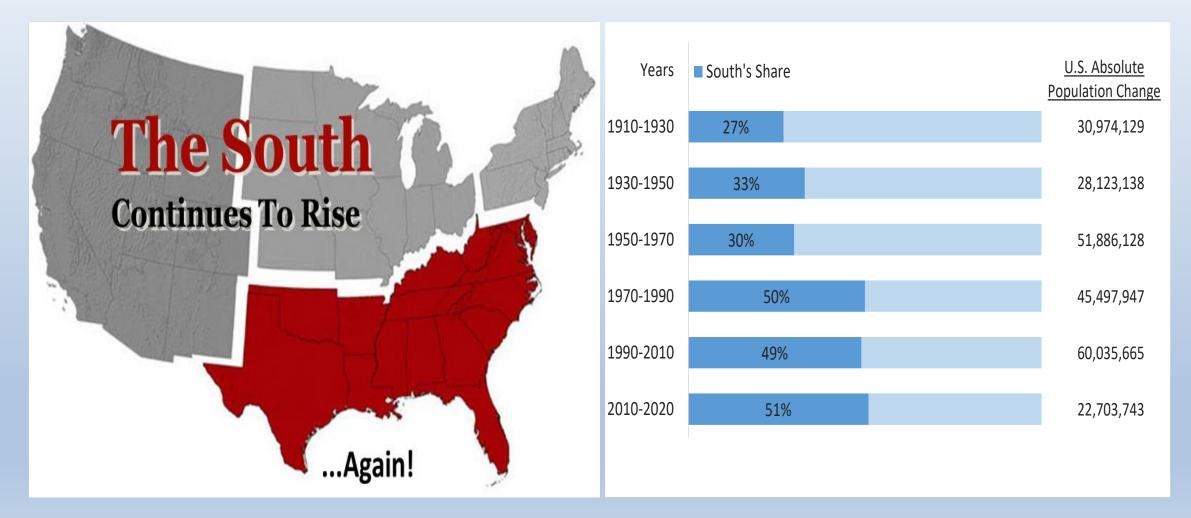
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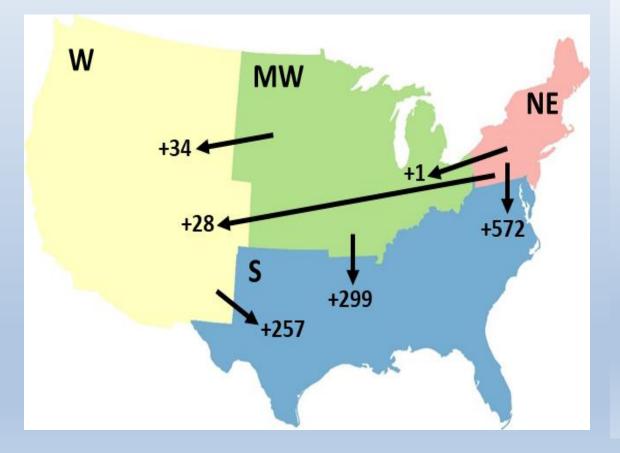
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**The South Rises—Again!** 

# The South's Share of U.S. Net Population Growth 1910-2020



#### **Net Regional Migration Flows, 2010-2015**



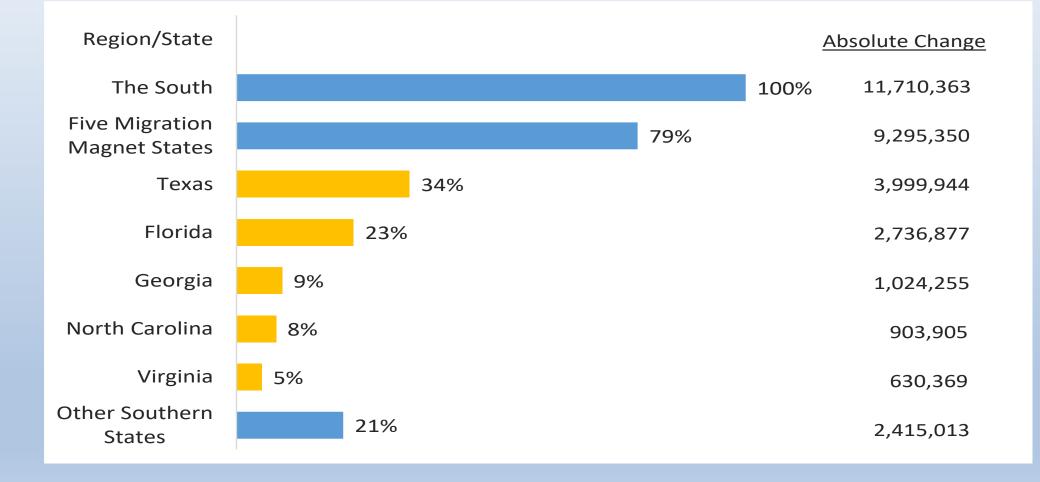
### Net Migration Trends by Region and Major Demographic Group, 2010-2015

	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Total	-622	-331	+1,147	-193
White	-402	-267	+733	-64
Black	-89	-69	+220	-62
Asian	-58	-23	+58	+23
Hispanic	-51	+13	+122	-84
Elderly	-43	-72	+124	-9
Native born	-528	-304	+994	-161
Foreign born	-94	-27	+153	-32
(numbers in	thousands)	= Net Impo	ort 📃 = Net Expo	ort

Absolute & Percent Population Change, 2010-2020

Area	2020 Population	Absolute Population Change, 2010-2020	Percent Population Change, 2010-2020
United States	331,499,281	22,703,743	7.4
Northeast	57,609,148	2,291,908	4.1
Midwest	68,985,454	2,058,453	3.1
South	126,266,107	11,710,363	10.2
West	78,588,572	6,643,019	9.2
South Carolina	5,118,422	493,058	10.6

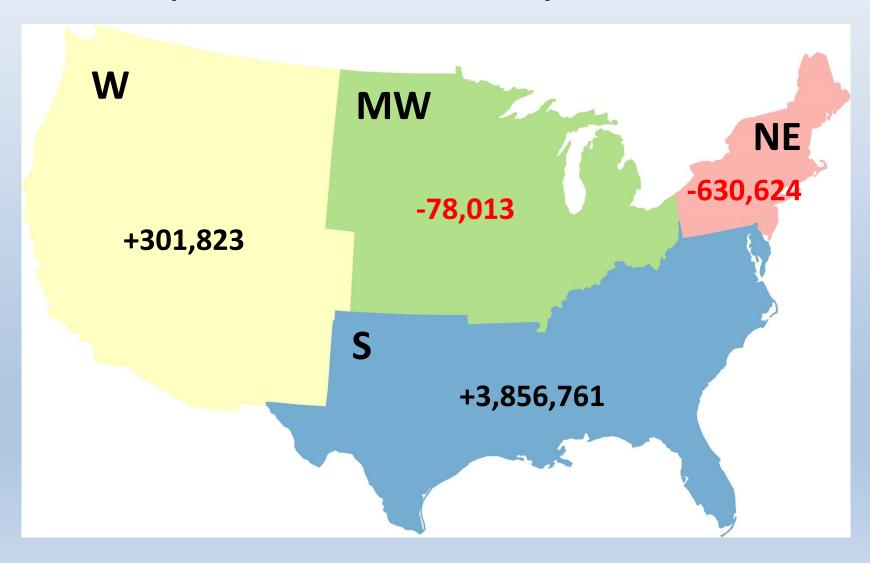
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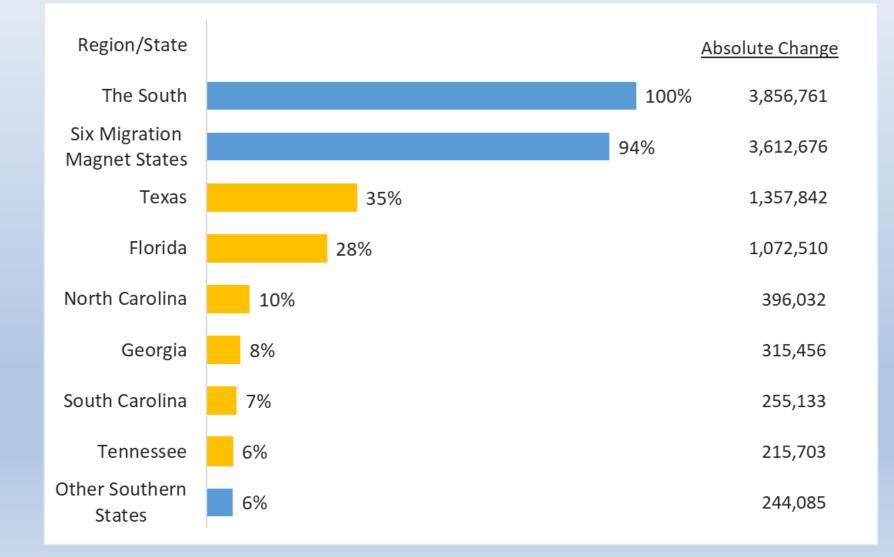
# By the Numbers

#### April 1, 2020 – July 1, 2023

### Cumulative Population Change by Region, April 1, 2020 to July 1, 2023



### State Shares of South's Net Growth, April 1, 2020 to July 1, 2023



### Percent of Population Growth Due to Net Migration, Top Destinations, April 1, 2020 – July 1, 2022

State	Percent Due to Net Migration	Absolute Population Change
Texas	72%	884,144
Florida	100%	706,587
North Carolina	96%	259,559
Arizona	100%	207,690
Georgia	83%	200,939
South Carolina	100%	164,205
Tennessee	100%	140,553
Utah	50%	109,186
Washington	56%	80,539
Nevada	95%	73,713
Oklahoma	100%	60,654
Alabama	100%	49,940
Indiana	94%	47,369
Montana	100%	38,670
Arkansas	100%	34,082

### Net Exporters & Net Importers of Population, April 1, 2020 – July 1, 2022

		Net Out-Migration			Net In-Migration		
<u>Total</u> Migration		<u>Migrants/Day</u>	<u>Top</u> Origin States	<u>Top</u> Destination Sta	<u>Migrants/Day</u> tes		<u>Total</u> Migration
-699,904	-864	ĊŔŔŔŔŔŔŔŔŔŔŔŔŔŔŔŔ	California	Florida	ŶŔŔŔŔŔŔŔŔŔŔŔŔŔŔŔŔŔ	985	797,809
-556,885	-687	<b>裗褅裗裗裗裗裗裗裗</b> 褅褅褅	New York	Texas	<b>渿僐僐僐僐僐僐僐僐僐</b> 僐僐僐僐	789	639,314
-238,576	-294	<i>ŤŤŤŤŤŤ</i>	Illinois	North Carolina	倖倖倖倖存	307	248,898
-68,797	-85	<b>****</b>	Louisiana	Arizona	本律律律律	263	212,851
-52,712	-65	<b>†</b> * <b>†</b>	New Jersey	South Carolina	<b>羊褂褂捺</b>	223	180,965
-49,603	-61	↑↑	Massachusetts	Georgia	<b>````````````````````````````````````</b>	205	166,266
-34,987	-43	補	Maryland	Tennessee	<b>촦</b> 蔕葎	195	157,821
-21,731	-27	Ť	Hawaii	Idaho	****	113	91,246
-19,856	-24	Ť	Washington DC	Alabama	<b>茶茶</b>	89	71,884
-17,365	-21	Ť	Minnesota	Nevada	***	88	70,228
-16,923	-21	Ť	Michigan	Oklahoma	「「「」「」	80	64,907
				Utah	***	67	54,712
				Indiana	*	55	44,951
				Washington		55	44,196
				Arkansas	*	53	42,809
				Montana	*	51	41,598

## Absolute & Percent Population Change April 1, 2020-July 1, 2023

Area	Total Population 2023	Absolute Population Change 2020-2023	Percent Population Change 2020-2023
United States	334,914,895	3,449,947	1.0
Northeast	56,983,517	-630,624	-1.1
Midwest	68,909,283	-78,013	-0.1
South	130,125,290	3,856,761	3.1
West	78,896,805	301,823	0.4
South Carolina	5,373,555	255,133	5.0

### Components of Population Change, April 1, 2020-July 1, 2023

Area	Absolute Population Change	Natural Change	Net Migration
U.S.	3,449,947	915,797	2,534,150
Northeast	-630,624	46,475	-661,666
Midwest	-78,013	17,730	-111,617
South	3,856,781	337,647	3,508,262
West	301,823	513,945	-200,829
South Carolina	255,133	-18,068	272,176

## Sources of Migration, April 1, 2020 – July 1, 2023

Area	Total Migrants	International Migrants	Domestic Migrants
United States	2,534,150	2,534,150	X
Northeast	-661,166	520,534	-1,181,700
Midwest	-111,617	368,719	-480,336
South	3,508,262	1,071,260	2,4337,002
West	-200,829	574,137	-774,966
South Carolina	272,176	24,121	248,055

#### Net Migration Trends By Region and Major Demographic Group, 2017-2021

	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Total	-982	-209	1,398	-206
White	-519	-67	628	-40
Black	-101	-85	271	-85
Asian	-44	-87	141	-9
Hispanic	-270	-62	342	-10
Elderly	-55	-25	26	29
Native born	-783	-141	961	-206
Foreign born	-200	-69	269	0
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Source: U.S. Census, Geographical Mobility, Annual Profile, 2017-2021

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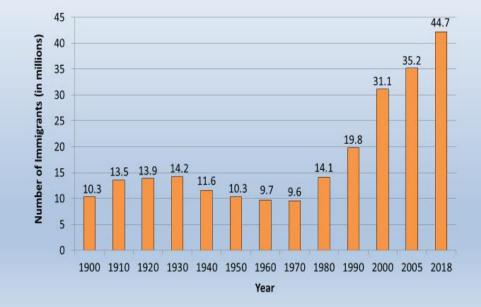
## Browning and Graying of America!



#### The "Browning" of America

**Immigration-Driven Population Change** 

#### U.S. Immigrant Population, 1900-2018



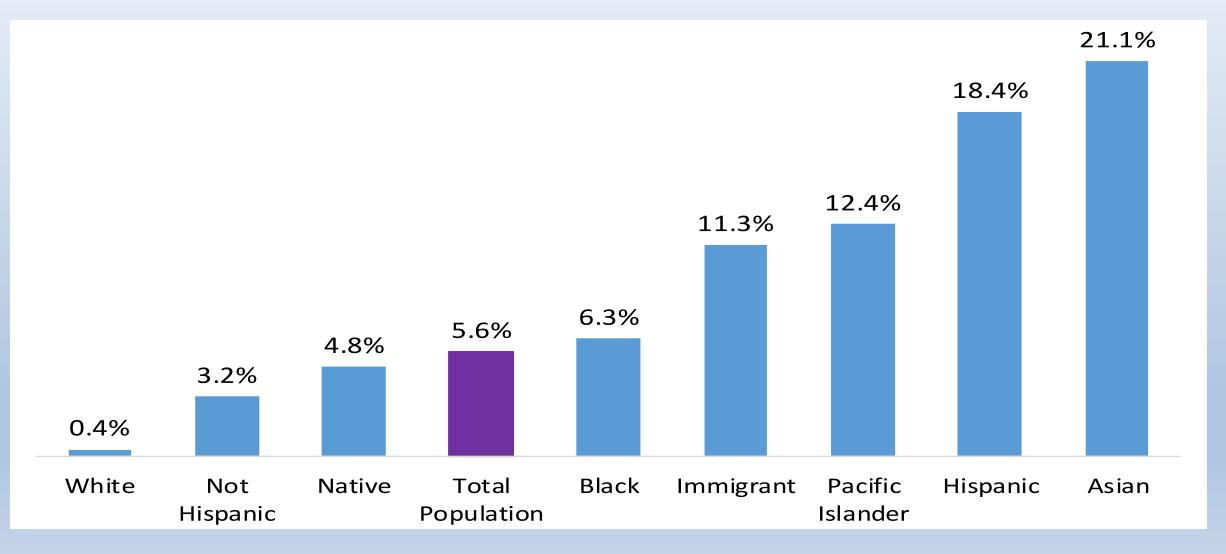
### U.S. Foreign Born Population by Race/Ethnicity, 2018

Race/Ethnicity	Foreign Population	Share of Total (%)
Total	44,728,721	100.0
Hispanic	19,814,823	44.3
White Alone, not Hispanic	7,916,984	17.7
Black Alone, not Hispanic	4,249,228	9.5
Asian Alone, not Hispanic	12,121,483	27.1
Other Alone, not Hispanic	626,203	1.4

# U.S. Population Change by Race and Ethnicity, 2000-2010

Race	2010 Population	Absolute Change 2000 – 2010	Percentage Change 2000 - 2010
Total	308,745,538	27,323,632	9.7%
Non-Hispanic	258,267,944	12,151,856	4.9%
White	196,817,552	2,264,778	1.2%
Black	37,685,848	3,738,011	11.0%
AI/AN	2,247,098	178,215	8.6%
Asian	14,465,124	4,341,955	42.9%
NH/PI	481,576	128,067	36.2%
2 or More Races	5,966,481	1,364,335	29.6%
Hispanic	50,477,594	15,171,776	43.0%

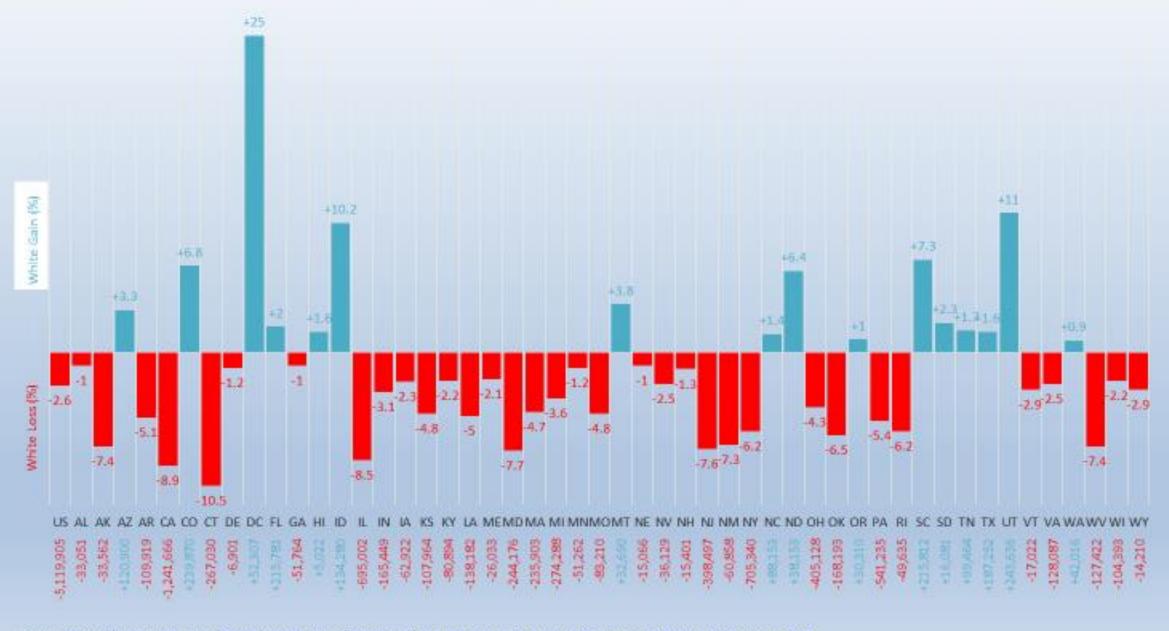
# U.S. Population Growth by Nativity, Race, and Ethnicity, 2010-2017



## Absolute & Percent Change in U.S. White Population by Region, 2010-2020

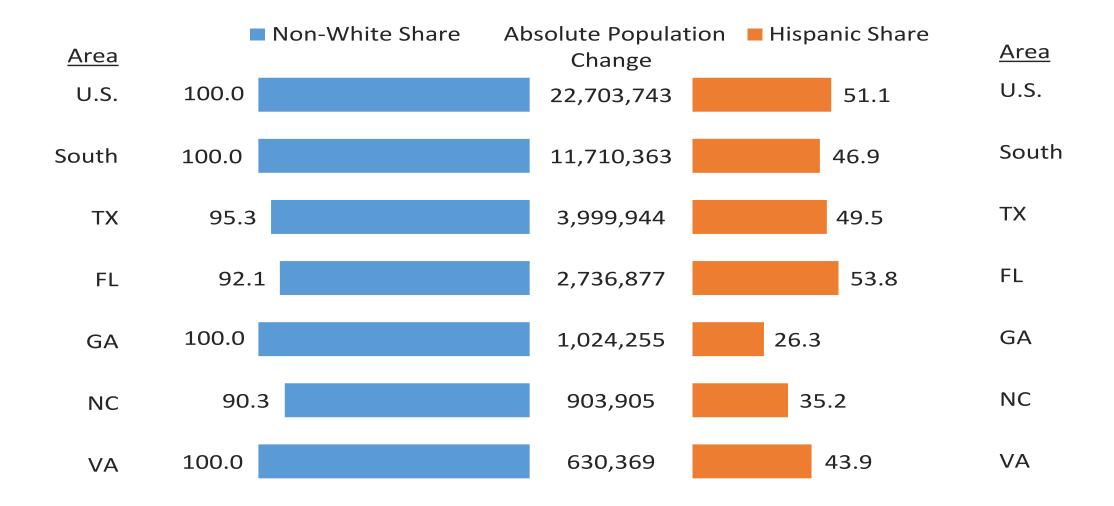
Area	2020 White Population	Absolute Change in White Population 2010-2020	Percent Change in White Population 2010-2020
United States	196,697,647	-5,119,905	-2.6
Northeast	35,752,998	-2,255,096	-5.9
Midwest	50,082,552	-2,014,081	-3.9
South	65,754,358	-1,229,817	-1.8
West	37,468,662	-537,701	-1.4

#### States Losing and Gaining White Population, 2010-2020



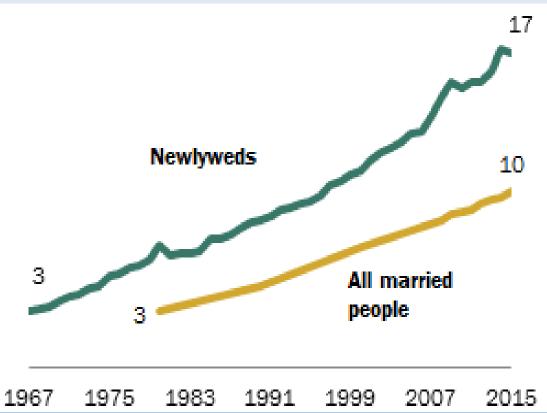
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#### Non-White and Hispanic Shares of Population Growth, 2010-2020

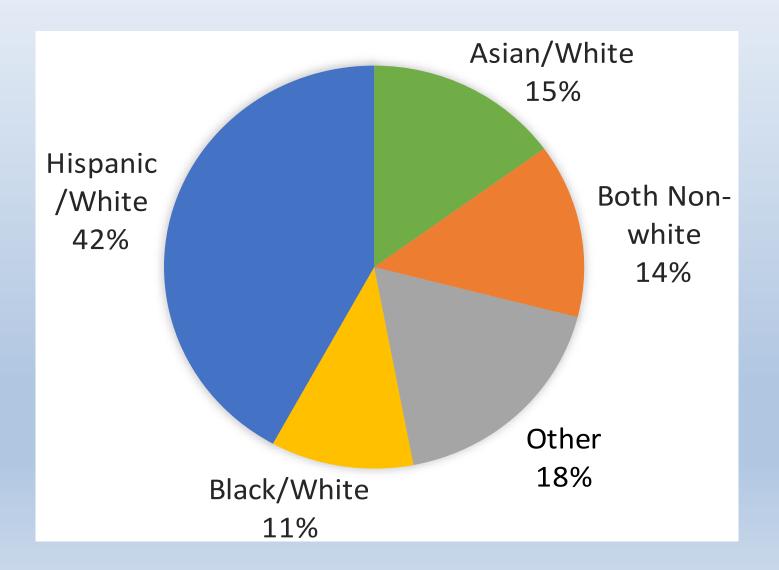


## Intermarriage in the U.S., 1967-2015





### Intermarriage Types - Newly Married Couples in 2015



## Multi-Racial Population Growing Rapidly

Increased by 276%
 between 2010 (9
 million) and 2020
 (33.8 million).



#### U.S. Population Change by Race/Ethnicity, April 1, 2020 – July 1, 2022

Race/Ethnicity	July 1, 2022 Population	Absolute Population Change April 1, 2020-July 1, 2022	Percent Change April 1, 2020-July 1, 2022
Total	333,287,557	1,838,037	0.5
Not Hispanic	269,623,211	-150,613	-0.05
• White	196,225,966	-1,660,619	-0.8
Black	42,070,471	338,097	0.8
• AI/AN	2,420,972	17,248	0.7
Asian	20,276,025	727,834	3.7
• NH/PI	635,928	20,279	3.3
2 or more races	7,993,849	406,548	5.4
Hispanic	63,664,346	1,988,150	3.2

## South Carolina Race/Ethnic Change

South Carolina Population Change by Race/Ethnicity, 2010 – 2020

Race/Ethnicity	2020 Population	Absolute Population Change 2010-20220	Percent Change 2010-2020
Total	5,118,429	493,065	10.7
Not Hispanic	4,804,290	405,608	9.2
• White	3,251,554	283,991	9.6
• Black	1,343,662	61,002	4.7
• AI/AN	18,754	2,014	12.0
Asian	93,480	34,243	57.8
• NH/PI	3,009	821	37.5
2 or more races	93,831	32,537	53.1
Hispanic	314,139	78,457	33.3

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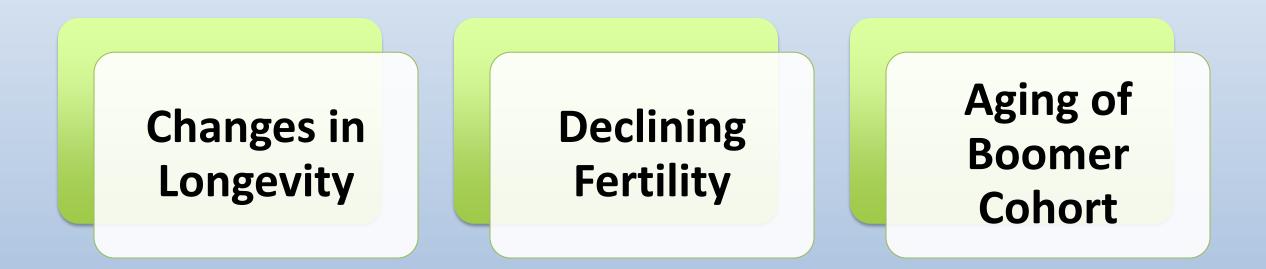
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Total	5,282,634	164,205	3.2
Not Hispanic	4,934,475	130,185	2.7
• White	3,352,165	100,611	3.1
• Black	1,354,319	10,657	0.7
• AI/AN	19,274	520	2.8
• Asian	102,276	8,796	9.4
• NH/PI	3,377	368	12.2
• 2 or more races	103,664	9,833	10.5
Hispanic	348,159	34,020	10.8

## The "Graying" of America

# The Silver Tsunami is about to Hit!



### **Key Drivers**



## U.S. Life Expectancy at Birth

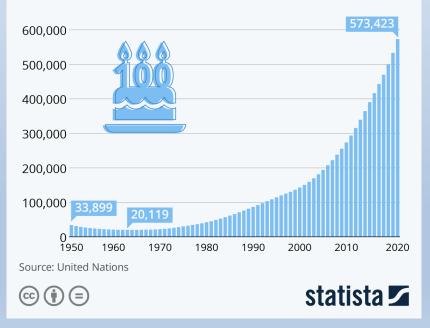
YEAR	AGE
1900	47.3
1930	59.7
1960	69.7
1997	76.5
2007	77.9
2010	78.3
2030	101.0

## Centenarians in the U.S. & Worldwide

Year	Number
1950	2,300
2010	79,000
2016	82,000
2060	589,000

#### Centenarians Are Becoming More Common

Number of people worldwide who are 100 years or older



## Key Drivers of Fertility Declines

Increasing Labor Force Participation & Career Orientation of Women

delaying childbearing

Women

Some women opting not to have children voluntary childlessness.

Women aging out of the childbearing years

# Other Contributors to Declining Fertility

Worldwide decline in the male sperm count?

Increase in the vasectomy rate among privately insured men aged 18-64 in the U.S. between 2014 and 2021.

Vasectomy rate increase greatest among men with no children (61%), with a wife of advanced maternal age (40.8%), who were single (40.6%), and aged 18-24 (36.7%).

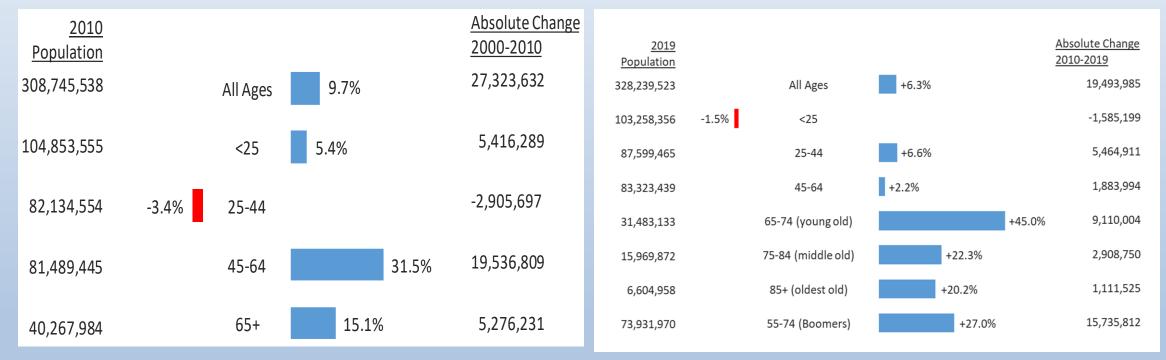
Regionally, absolute & relative increases in vasectomies more likely in rural geographies than urban geographies, except in the Northeast.

Source: Szalinski, 2023; Huang, Hyman & Raheem, 2023.

# U.S. Population Change by Age

#### 2000-2010

#### 2010-2019



# Greying U.S. Population

#### U.S. Population Change by Age 2010 - 2020

U.S. Population Change by Age April 1, 2020 – July 1, 2022

Age	2020 Population	Absolute Population Change 2010-2020	Percent Population Change 2010- 2020
All Races	331,449,520	22,703,982	7.4
<18	73,569,941	-611,526	-0.8
18-64	203,349,346	9,053,259	4.6
65+	54,530,233	14,262,249	35.4

Age	July 1, 2022 Population	Absolute Population Change April 1, 2020-July 1, 2022	Percent Population Change April 1, 2020-July 1, 2022
All Races	333,287,557	1,838,037	0.5
<18	72,450,827	-1,119,114	-1.5
18-64	203,041,878	-307,468	-0.1
65+	57,794,852	3,264,619	5.9

# Greying of South Carolina Population

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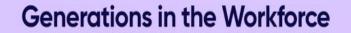
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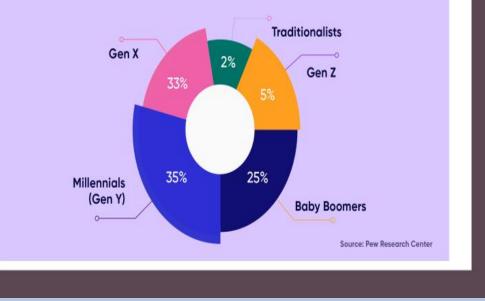
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18-64	3,156,753	71,404	2.3
<mark>65+</mark>	1,008,009	75,873	8.1

# The Multi-Generational Workforce

Generation	Birth Years
Pre-Boomers	1925-1945
Boomers	1946-1964
Generation X	1965-1976
Generation Y (aka Millennials)	1977-1995
Generation Z	1996-2015





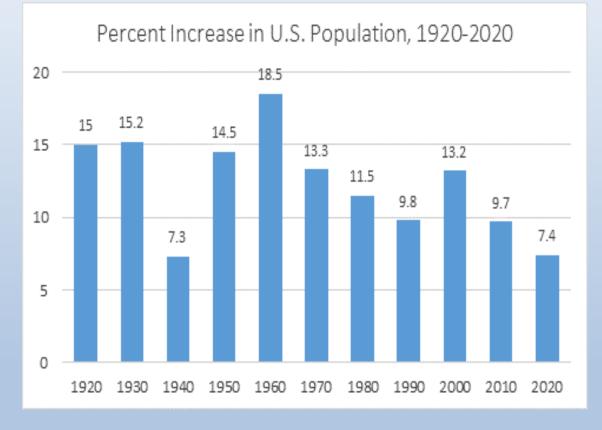
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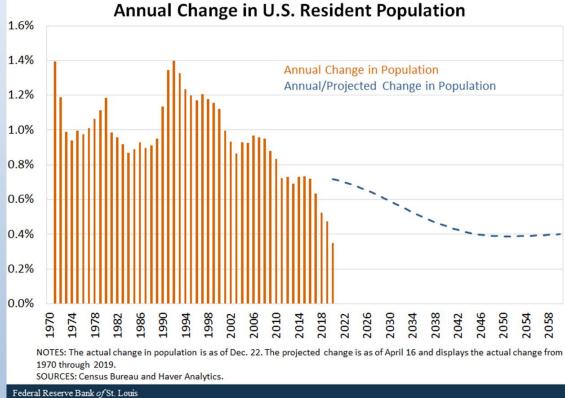
#### Organizational Game Changers!



# **Disappearing & Rebelling**







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#### **Total**

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2000-2010	27,323,632	9.7
2010-2020	22,703,743	7.4

#### **Foreign Born**

Census Period	Absolute Change	Percent Change
1990-2000	11,340,573	57.4
2000-2010	7,567,123	24.3
2010-2019	5,336,858	13.7
<b>2016-2019</b> (Trump Years)	1,193,556	2.7

## U.S. Non-Hispanic White Population Change, 1990-2020

#### **Absolute & Percent Change**

#### **Share of Net Growth**

Census Period	Absolute Change	Percent Change	Census Period	Percent
1990-2000	6,424,478	3.4	1990-2000	19.6
2000-2010	2,264,778	1.2	2000-2010	8.2
2010-2020	-5,119,905	-2.6	2010-2020	0.0

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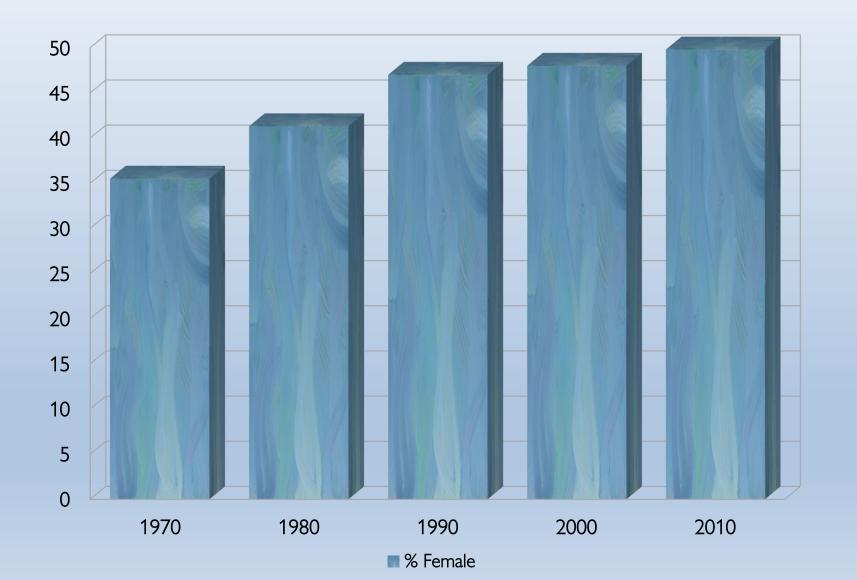
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# **Female Workforce Participation**





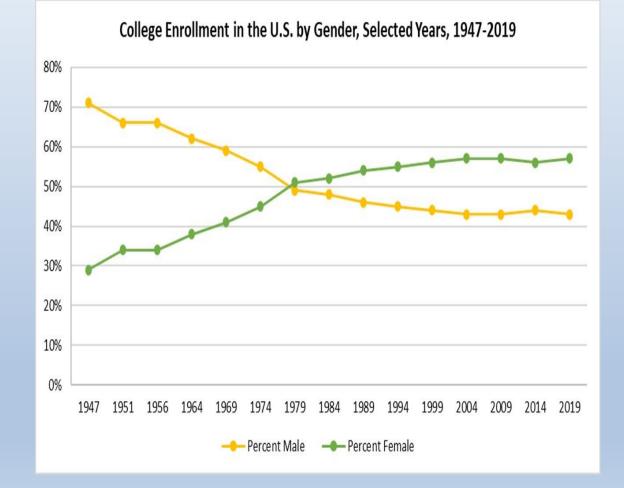
# The Plight of Men

Selective withdrawal from the labor market

Skills mismatches, disabilities, incarceration

Median wage decline

Sex ratio imbalance in college enrollment



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widening education gap across the U.S.

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### Number of Students Enrolled in Post-Secondary Institutions by Region and Gender, 2018-2019

Region	Total Enrollment	Male Enrollment	Percent Male
All Regions	26,321,518	11,191,430	43
New England	1,369,170	566,697	41
Mid-East	3,685,029	1,586,569	43
Great Lakes	3,622,549	1,567,727	43
Plains	1,916,908	801,441	42
Southeast	6,007,419	2,495,832	42
Southwest	3,541,772	1,463,214	41
<b>Rocky Mountains</b>	1,293,206	551,285	43
Far West	4,869,888	2,146,888	44
North Carolina	709,602	290,021	41

# UNC System Total Enrollment by Type of Institution & Gender, Fall 2022

Type of Institution	Percent Male	Total Enrollment
UNC System	40.8%	239,663
PWIs	42.5%	197,017
MSIs	<b>37.3%</b>	42,646
HBCUs	<b>32.9%</b>	34,980

Source: Interactive Data Dashboards, UNC System, available at https://www.northcarolina.edu/impact/stats-data-reports/interactive-data-dashboards/.

# UNC System Black Student Enrollment by Type of Institution & Gender, Fall 2022

Type of Institution	Percent Male	Total Enrollment
UNC System	<b>34.0%</b>	50,284
PWIs	<b>36.1%</b>	22,126
MSIs	32.2%	28,264
HBCUs	32.0%	26,039

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#### Five Year Degree Totals by Gender, UNC System, 2017-18 – 2021-22

#### All Degrees Awarded

	Absolute Number of	Percent Female	Absolute Female- Male Difference	Female/Male Graduation
	Graduates		in Graduates	Ratio
UNC System	300,706	59.3	56,206	1.5
PWIs	259,065	58.0	41,371	1.4
MSIs	41,641	67.8	14,835	2.1
HBCUs	33,971	68.0	12,259	2.1
UNC-CH	41,618	58.1	. 6,742	1.4

#### Degrees Awarded to Black Students

Type of	Absolute	Percent Female		Absolute Female-	Female/Male
Institution	Number of			Male Difference	Graduation
	Graduates			in Graduates	Ratio
UNC System	51,146	67	7.8	18,246	2.1
PWIs	25,890	66	5.6	8,615	2.0
MSIs	25,256	69	9.0	9,630	2.2
HBCUs	22,959	69	9.2	8,805	2.2
UNC-CH	3,130	65	5.6	980	1.9

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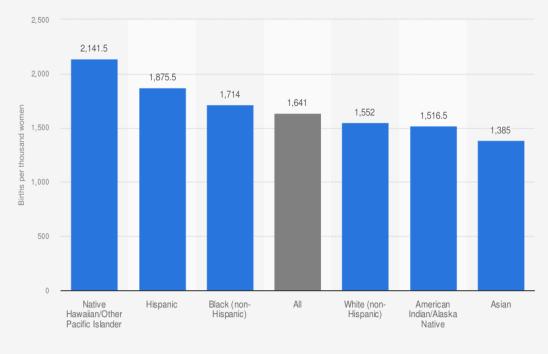
# U.S. Male Population and Labor Force Change by Age, 2015-2021

Absolute Population Change	Percent Population Change	Age	Percent Change in Labor Force	Absolute Change in Labor Force
91,511	1.0%	16-19	3.5%	111,727
-326,816	-6.7%	20 & 21	-6.8%	-224,808
-230,530	-3.4%	22-24	-2.7%	-146,018
602,165	5.5%	25-29	5.6%	532,195
739,752	7.0%	30-34	6.9%	649,968
1,099,187	5.4%	35-44	5.2%	938,725
-876,792	-4.1%	45-54	-2.8%	-513,397
607,953	6.0%	55-59	7.5%	585,693
536,452	14.4%	60 & 61	17.6%	448,465
776,453	15.2%	62-64	23.7%	657,534
1,500,201	21.8%	65-69	30.8%	753,828
1,643,026	33.8%	70-74	37.2%	383,641
1,079,515	13.8%	75 & Over	23.2%	162,807

# **Declining Fertility**

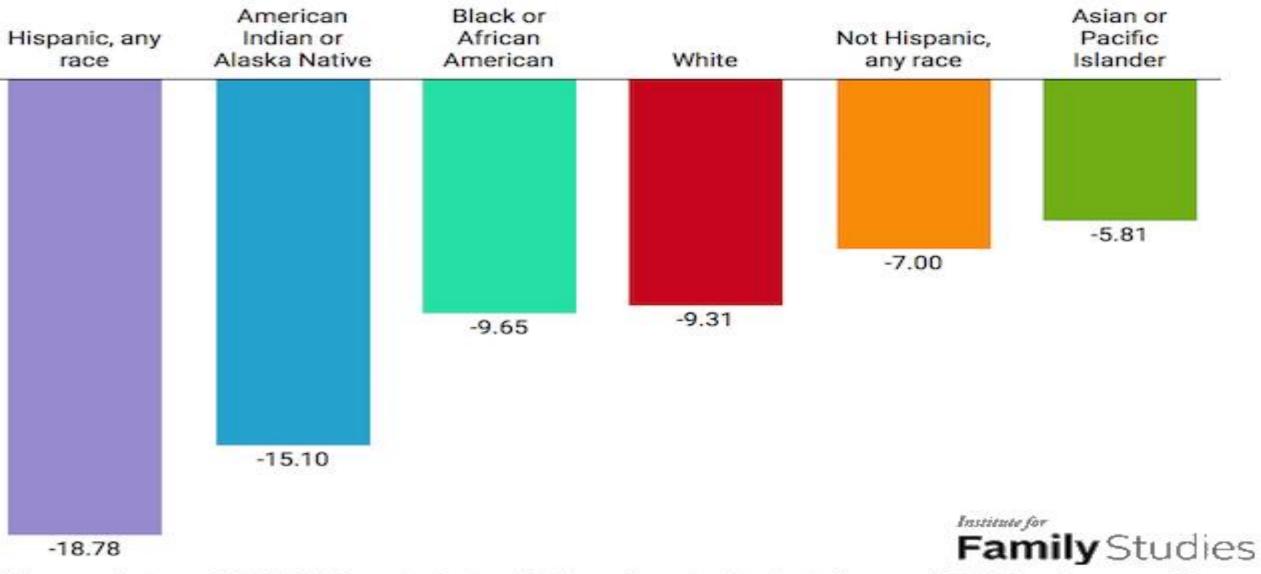


Total fertility rate in the United States in 2020, by ethnicity of mother (births per 1,000 women)



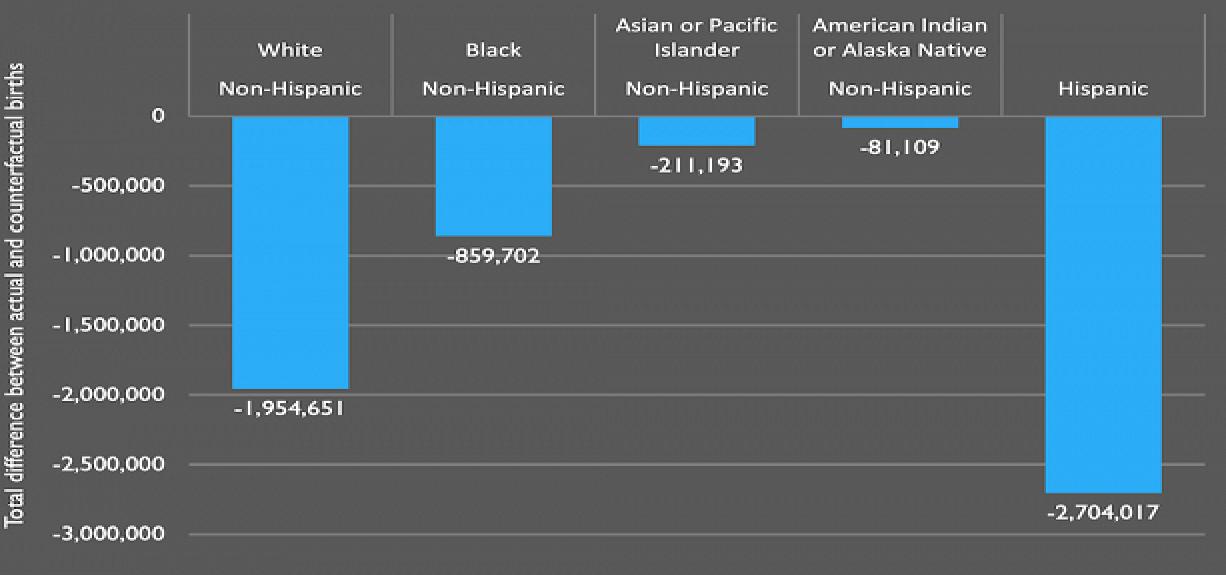
Source CDC © Statista 2023 Additional Information: United States; CDC; NCHS (NVSS); 2020

#### Fertility Declines Have Been Most Severe for Hispanics, American Indians



ifference between 2008-2016 counterfactual births using actual cohort sizes and 2007-fixed age-specific irth rates, and actual annual births, divided by 2008-2016 sum total counterfactual births.

#### Figure 1: Difference Between Actual Births and Births if 2008 Fertility Rates Had Persisted, 2009-2019



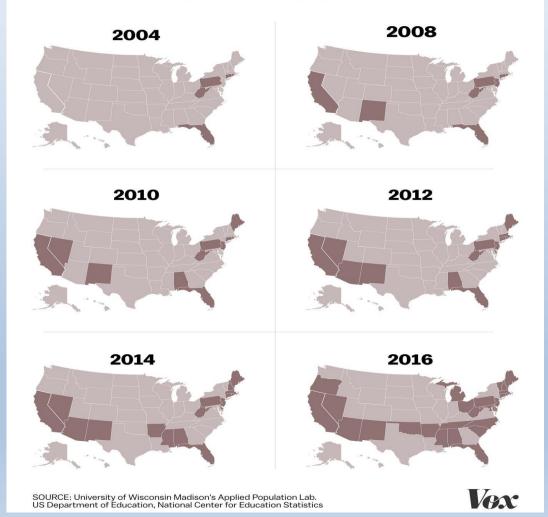
Source: CDC WONDER data, author's calculations

**Family** Studies

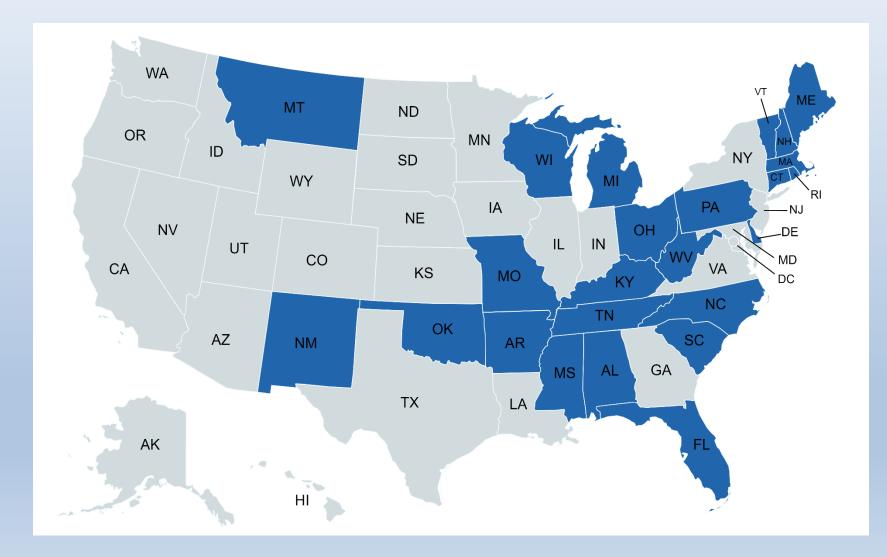
# Impact of Shifts in Fertility Behavior of Women

- Deaths exceed births among whites nationally for the first time in U.S. history in 2016.
- Deaths outnumbered births among whites in more than half of the nation's fifty states in 2018.

#### States with more deaths than births among the white population



## States Where Deaths Exceeded Births, April 1, 2020 to July 1, 2021

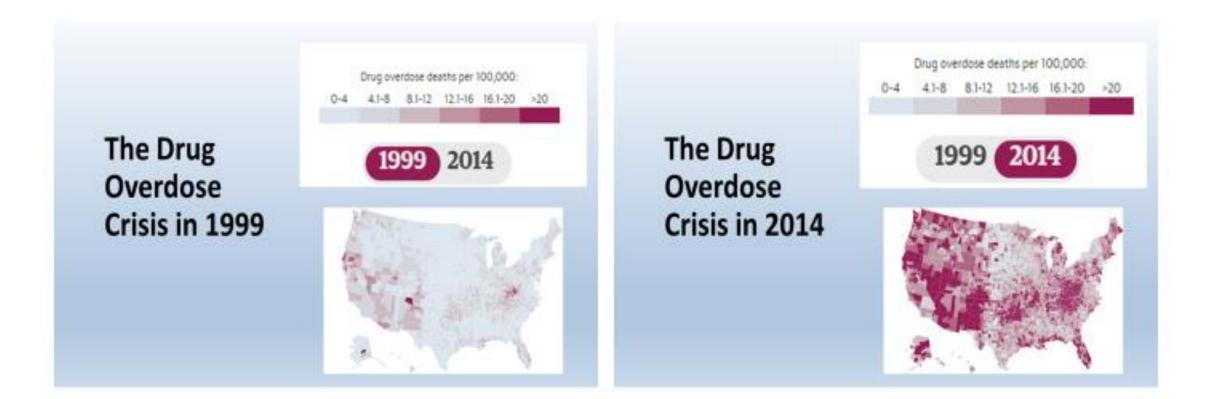




Deaths of Despair & Declining Life Expectancy

Suicide, alcohol, drug, and coronavirus-related deaths creating a demographic depression

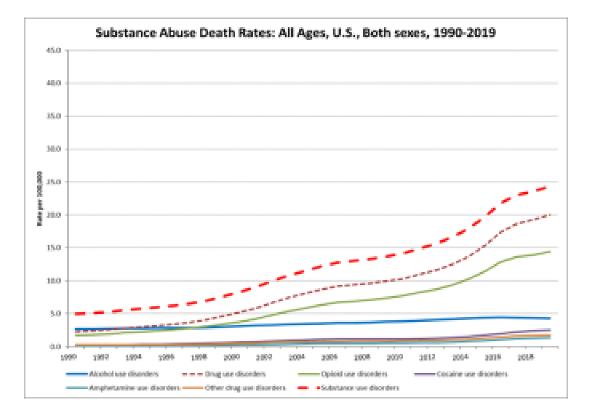
# Deaths of Despair



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# Deaths Due to Substance Use Disorders, 1990-2019

Time Period	Absolute Deaths	Mean Deaths	Range of Deaths
1990-1999	158,899	15,899	12,628 - 21,197
2000-2009	339,461	33,746	23,192 - 41,958
2010-2019	613,206	61,206	43,629 - 79,761



# Pandemic Deaths of Despair

 CDC data indicate there were 90,000 drug overdose deaths in 2020, representing a 21,000 or 30% increase over the 2019 death toll.

 Commenting on these recently released statistics, a Stanford University expert on addiction and drug policy is quoted as saying.

Drug

Overdose

**Deaths Soar** 

During the

Pandemic

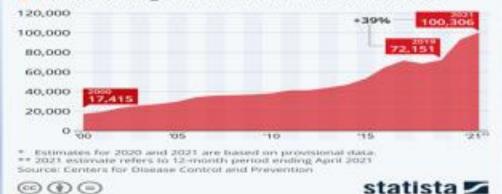
N's terrifying. It's the biggest increase in overdose deaths in the history of the United States, it's the worst overdose crisis in the history of the United States, and we're not making progress. It's really overwhelming.

 For far too many individuals struggling with drug addiction, the pandemic-induced forced isolation combined with the shutdown of in-person drug treatment and counseling services proved to be deadly.

 According to the CDC the 2020 causalities brings the total to more than 900,000 overdose deaths since the U.S. drug epidemic began in the late 1990s.

#### U.S. Drug Overdose Deaths Spike Amid the Pandemic

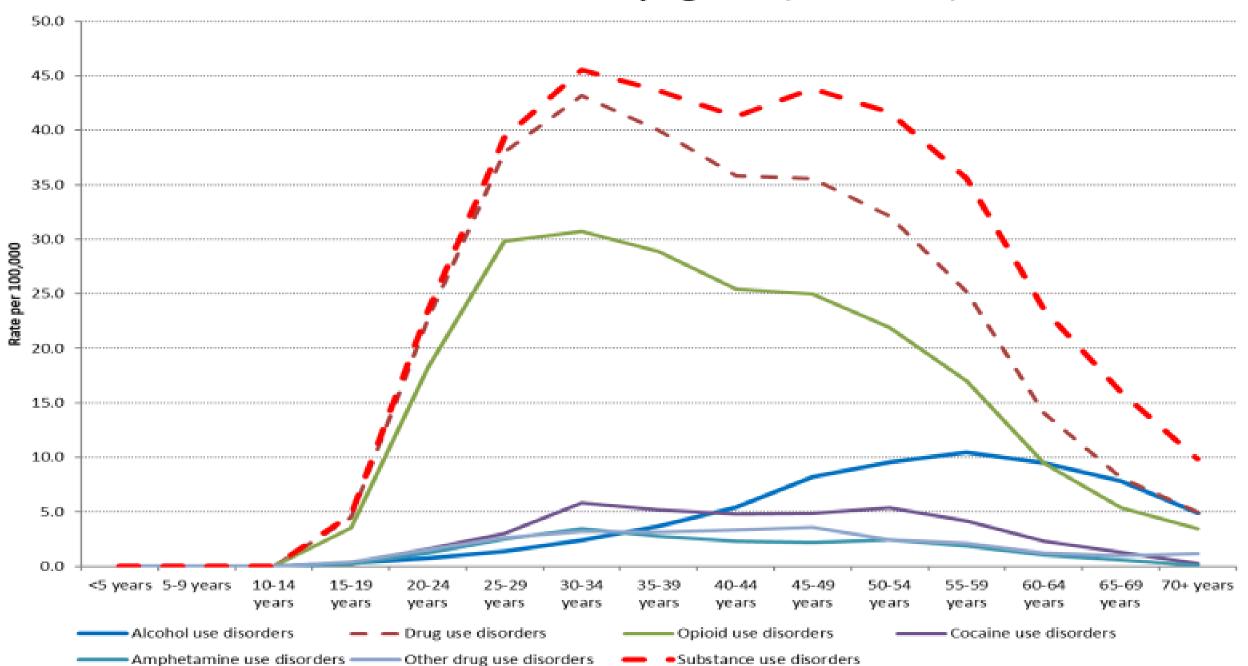
Number of drug overdose deaths in the United States"



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# Disability-Adjusted Life Years (DALYs) Due to Substance Use Disorders, 1990-2019

	Average DALYs/100,000 Population		Average Absolute Years of Lost Life (YLL)/100,000 Population
1990-1997	995	25	245
1998-2005	1,187	35	422
2006-2014	1,567	41	640
2015-2019	2,127	47	1,020



#### Substance Abuse Death Rates by Age: U.S., Both sexes, 2019

## **Reduced Life Expectancy Due to Covid-19 Pandemic**



Group	Years Shortened	Life Expectancy at Birth
All Races	1.13 years	77.48
Blacks	2.10 years	72.78
Latinos	3.05 years	78.77
Whites	0.68 years	77.84

# Children's Lives Upended by "Orphanhood"

• COVID-19 Drove an
estimated 15%
increase in
Orphaned Children

COVID-19 Deaths	Number of Children Orphaned
Primary Caregiver	122,000
Secondary Caregiver	22,000

## Declining Female Labor Force Participation & Involuntary Retirements

#### Women's COVID-19 Burden

"And no offense to all the guys on this [Zoom], but it's [the pandemic] really been detrimental to women. The majority of the burden has been placed on not only the schooling, the childcare, the nutrition—it's a lot. I've seen women cry just like, 'I'm just so tired I don't know what to do" (Western NC key informant)



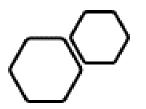
# COVID-19 Causalities

1.7 million workers 55 and older reportedly forced into involuntary retirement (Davis, et al, 2021).

Black workers without a college degree were more likely than other groups to involuntarily retire during the pandemic.

Involuntary retirees' median savings of \$9,000.00.

COVID-19 reportedly has forced more than 2 million women out of the workforce (Barry & Gupta, 2021).



Invisible Overtime: Making Matters Worse

"One in 5 workers are balancing paid work with part-time care duties, putting them at heightened risk of resigning..."(Lerner, 2022).

## Growing Labor Activism





### **Growing Labor Activism**

- Walkouts
- Strikes
- Resignations
- Silent Quitting
- Pushback on Mandatory RTO

### Return to Office Mandates (RTOs)



#### Three Groups Disadvantaged by RTOs

Women with young children

People with physical or mental health disabilities

Individuals facing economic housing limitations (i.e., the socalled super commuters).

#### **Workforce Challenges**

#### Commitment to Diversity in the Midst of the Great Resignation?

- One Chief Talent Officer is quoted as saying:
- In this hiring climate, we are going to struggle to find qualified candidates for our roles, much less meet our diversity hiring goals. Most of our leaders are hiring the first qualified person they can find, without any consideration of diversity." (quoted in Woods, 2021).

#### The Grand Reckoning

 "How can we design a workplace where employees feel valued, connected, and with a good work-life balance? It's clear that the old "normal" is never returning. It's up to all of us to create a new normal that makes workers excited to stay." (Lisa Curtis, Founder & CEO, KULI KULI Foods, 2021)

### Discrimination in the Workplace, 2019



Witnessed or Experienced in the workplace:	All Countries	U.S.	U.K.	France	Germany
Discrimination based on age, gender, raced or LGBTQ status	49%	61%	55%	43%	37%
Ageism	34%	45%	39%	29%	22%
Gender discrimination	33%	42%	37%	30%	24%
Racism	30%	42%	31%	28%	21%
LGBTQ discrimination	24%	33%	25%	22%	15%

Mastering "people analytics" will be a key driver of talent recruitment, development & retention moving forward.





#### **Embrace the Iceberg Model of Diversity**

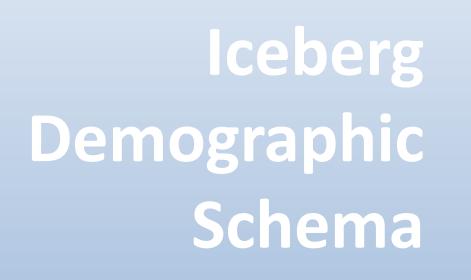


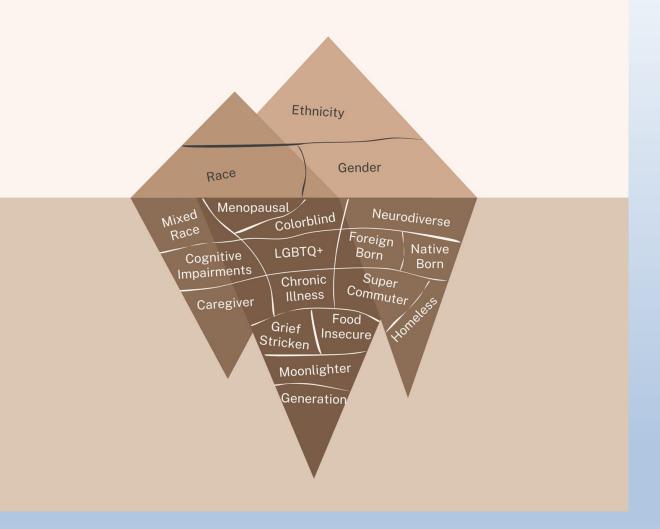
#### Iceberg Model of Diversity

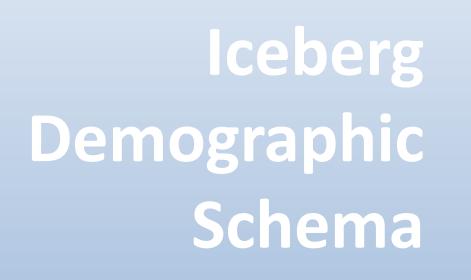


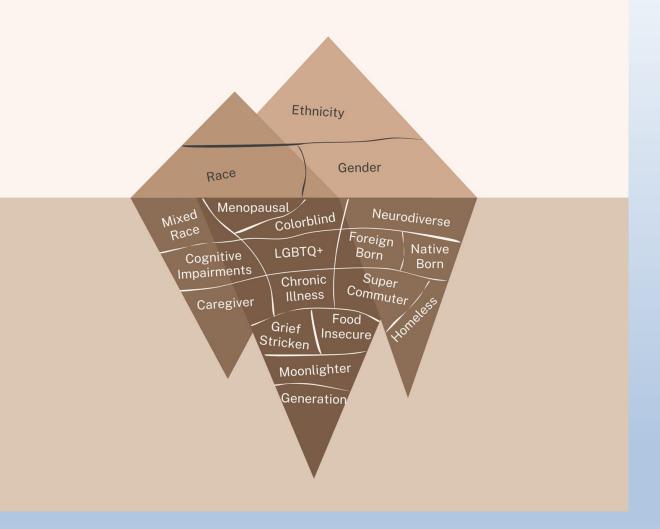
#### Invisible Diversity Traits

Level in Organization CultureMarital StatusValuesEducationMBTIReligion/Religious ExperiencesInternational Cultural ImmersionCommunication StyleConflict StyleBeltelsTeaching StyleRecreational HabitsIQLearning StylesAcademic DisciplineLiteracySexual-OrientationPersonality StyleOrientation to TimeFamily RelationshipsOrientation to TasksPhysical Abilities/QualitiesEQMilitary ExperienceSocioeconomic StatusGeographic BackgroundWork BackgroundSmoker/Non-SmokerParental StatusNative Born/Non-Native BornPolitical IdeologyThinking Style









### Multi-Racial Population Growing Rapidly

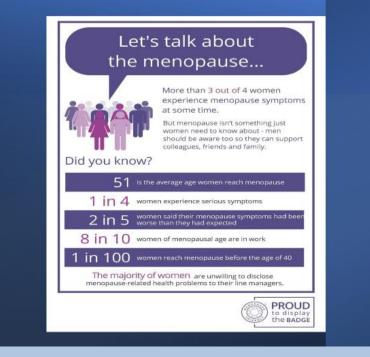
Increased by 276%
 between 2010 (9
 million) and 2020
 (33.8 million).



#### Workers with Cognitive Impairments

- U.S. working age people with a disability who are employed increased by 1.5 million since 2020
- Most of increase due to long COVID concentrated among workers under age 40
- Experiencing problems with brain fog--remembering, concentrating, and making decisions.
- Some suffering from long Covid induced neurovascular changes resulting in brain injury.

## Menopause in the Workplace





#### **Execution Strategies**

- Conduct pulse surveys to determine prevalence of iceberg demographic identities in existing workforce.
- Create employee resource groups (ERGs) based on prevalence of iceberg demographic identities.
- Solicit input from various groups regarding what can be done to accommodate them in the workplace (i.e., make them feel like they belong).
- Institute required accommodations and leverage newly created ERGs to recruit new workers with similar demographic identities.



# THE END

