

FACT SHEET: Asian Pacific American Population in Illinois--2000

Illinois – Six County Chicago Area

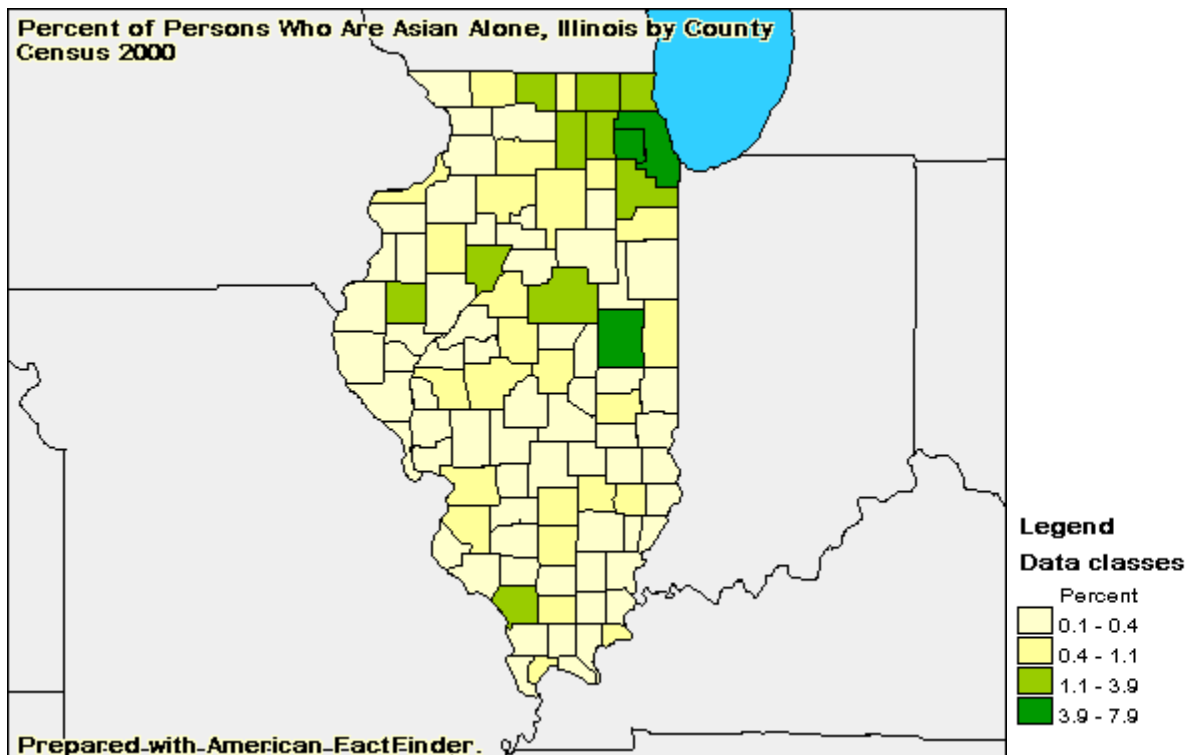
County	Asian Alone*	% of Total Pop.	Asian pop.	Asian & Pacific Islander	API % of Total pop.	**Native Hawaiian & Pac. Isl.	County Total		
	2000	2000	Change	1990 [†]	1990	2000	1990	2000	Change
Cook	260,170	4.8%	33.8%	194,488	3.8%	2,561	5,105,067	5,376,741	5.3%
DuPage	71,252	7.9%	78.9%	39,835	5.1%	217	781,666	904,161	15.7%
Kane	7,296	1.8%	56.6%	4,658	1.5%	144	317,471	404,119	27.3%
Lake	25,105	3.9%	95.1%	12,870	2.5%	308	516,418	644,356	24.8%
McHenry	3,782	1.5%	187.6%	1,315	0.7%	55	183,241	260,077	41.9%
Will	11,125	2.2%	128.6%	4,866	1.4%	162	357,313	502,266	40.6%
Illinois	423,603	3.4%	44.90%	292,421	2.6%	4,610	11,430,602	12,419,293	8.60%

U. S. Census Bureau, 2000, www.census.gov

* Reflects totals of people who selected a single race category of Asian. Total of those who selected Asian as a single race category combined with those who chose Asian as at least one race category is 473,649.

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[†] 1990 Statistics, Chicago Tribune, 1999



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Asian Ethnic Populations in Illinois, Cook & Chicago

Ethnic Population--2000	Illinois	Cook	Chicago
Total Asian	423,603	260,170	125,974
Asian Indian	124,723	71,194	25,004
Chinese	76,725	48,058	31,813
Filipino	86,298	54,915	28,423
Japanese	20,379	13,735	5,467
Korean	51,453	34,536	11,895
Vietnamese	19,101	11,325	8,221
Other Asian	44,924	26,407	15,151
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander**	4,610	2,561	1,788
Native Hawaiian	1,003	533	336
Guamanian or Chamorro	988	620	480
Samoaan	1,062	581	436
Other Pacific Islander	1,557	827	536

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Top 15 Chicago Neighborhoods with Highest Numbers/Percentage of Asian Americans – 2000

Community	% Asian*	# of Asians	Total population
West Ridge	22.3%	16,286	73,031
Albany Park	17.7%	10,199	57,624
Bridgeport	26.1%	8,790	33,677
Uptown	12.9%	8,199	63,557
Armour Square	60.8%	7,318	12,037
Edgewater	11.5%	7,131	62,011
Lincoln Square	13.3%	5,935	44,626
Lake View	5.4%	5,128	94,967
Near West Side	10.5%	4,874	46,420
Near North Side	6.1%	4,441	72,809
North Park	23.8%	4,422	18,579
Irving Park	7.4%	4,337	58,609
Rogers Park	6.4%	4,071	63,613
Hyde Park	11.2%	3,363	30,023
Portage Park	3.8%	2,484	65,372
Chicago--2000	4.3%	125,974	2,896,016
Chicago--1990	3.7%	104,118	2,783,726

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