

Table 7.1 Racial/Ethnic composition of California Voters, 2000

	Total Population		Adult		Adult Citizen		Registered		Voters	
	000's	%	000's	%	000's	%	000's	%	000's	%
White	15,817	47	13,362	54	12,659	64	8,979	69	8,071	70
Latino	10,967	32	6,514	26	3,489	18	1,919	15	1,597	14
Black	2,182	6	1,651	7	1,590	8	1,032	8	867	8
Asian/Other	4,753	15	3,027	12	1,908	10	1,007	8	848	7
Total	33,872	100%	24,749	100	19,837	100	13,061	100	11,489	100

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey, Voting and Registration in the Election of November 2000 Table 4a

Figure 7.1A Racial/Ethnic composition of California Voters, 2000

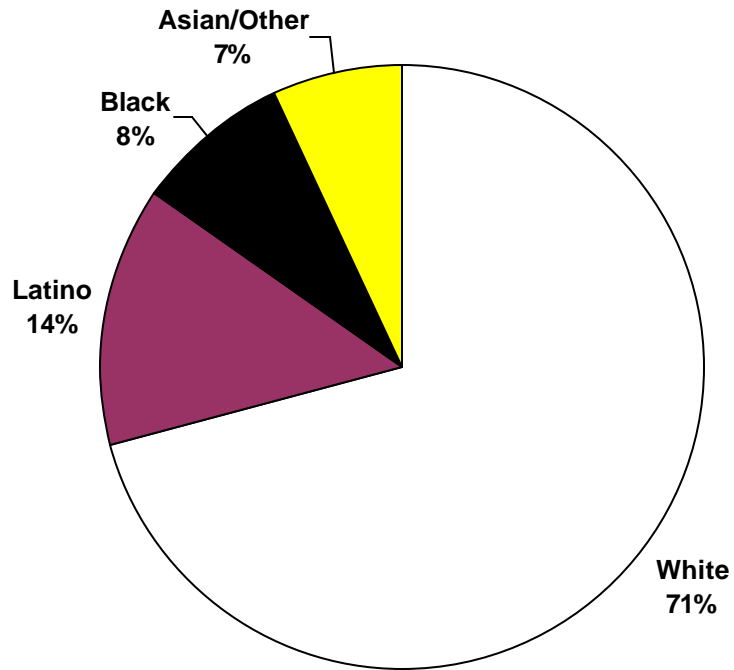


Figure 7.1B Latino Share of Total, Adult, Adult Citizen, Registered and Voting Populations, 2000

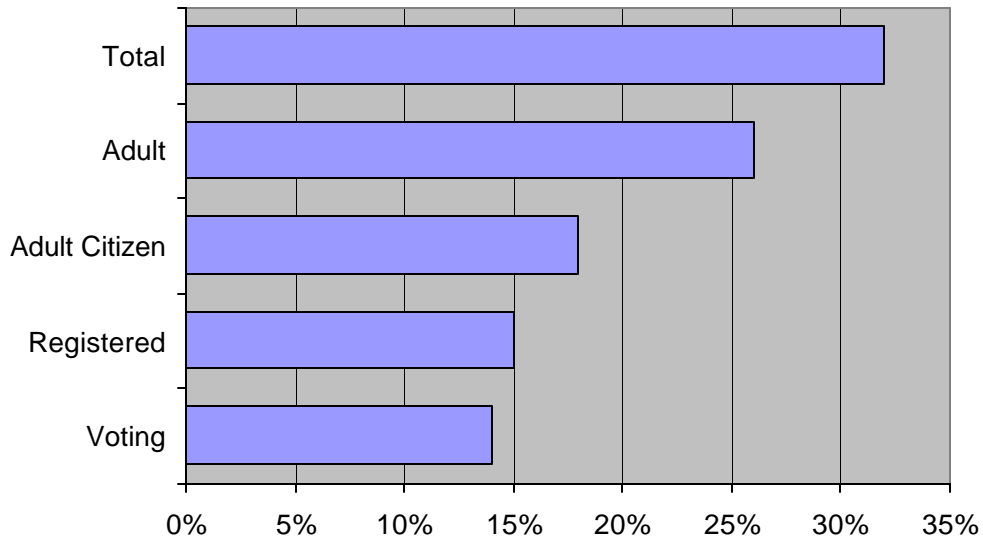


Table 7.2 Composition of California Adult, Adult Citizen, Registered and Voting Populations by Race/Ethnicity, 1980-2000

Composition of:	1980	1984	1988	1992	1996	2000
Adult						
White	70.9	67.6	64.0	60.1	57.0	54.0
Latino	15.6	16.6	21.1	24.4	26.8	26.3
Blacks	7.5	7.4	5.8	5.6	5.7	6.7
Asian/Others	6.0	8.4	9.1	9.9	10.5	12.2
Adult Citizen						
Whites	78.3	76.3	74.7	73.7	66.1	63.8
Latinos	9.4	10.4	11.7	13.3	19.5	17.6
Blacks	8.6	8.0	7.0	6.7	5.9	8.0
Asian/Others	3.7	5.3	6.7	6.3	8.6	9.6
Registered						
Whites	82.3	79.4	78.4	77.7	73.1	68.7
Latinos	7.0	8.3	8.7	10.8	15.0	14.7
Blacks	7.7	7.9	7.1	6.3	5.8	7.9
Asian/Others	2.9	4.4	5.8	5.2	6.2	7.7
Voters						
Whites	83.0	80.2	79.6	79.4	77.0	70.2
Latinos	6.6	7.8	7.9	9.6	11.5	13.9
Blacks	7.6	7.7	6.8	6.0	5.9	7.5
Asian/Others	2.8	4.4	5.7	4.9	5.6	7.4

Sources: Current Population Survey Voter Supplement Files, 1980-1992; Field Institute estimates, 1992; U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey, Voting and Registration in the Election of November 2000, Table 4a

Figure 7.2 Latino Share of Adult, Adult Citizen, Registered and Voting Populations, 1980-2000

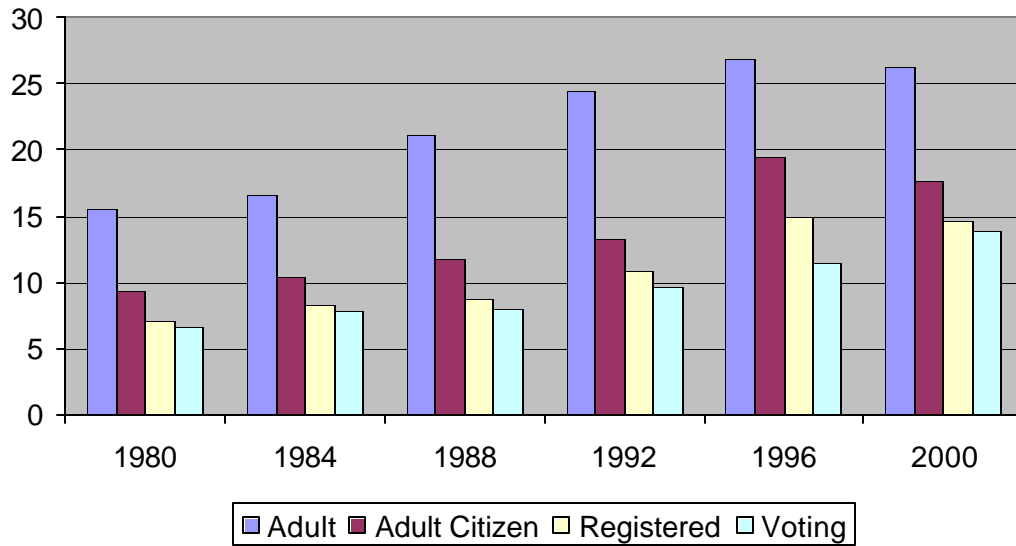


Table 7.3 Registration and Voter Turnout by Race/Ethnicity, 2000

	White	Latino	Black	Asian
% Registered of:				
Adults	67.2	29.5	62.5	33.2
Adult Citizens	81.2	64.2	77.6	66.0
% Voting of:				
Adults	60.4	24.5	52.5	28.0
Adult Citizens	72.7	53.0	64.2	54.9
Registered	90.3	84.0	84.7	85.2

Source: Current Population Survey Voter Supplement File, November 2000

Figure 7.3A Voter Registration Among Adults and Adult Citizens by Race/Ethnicity, 2000

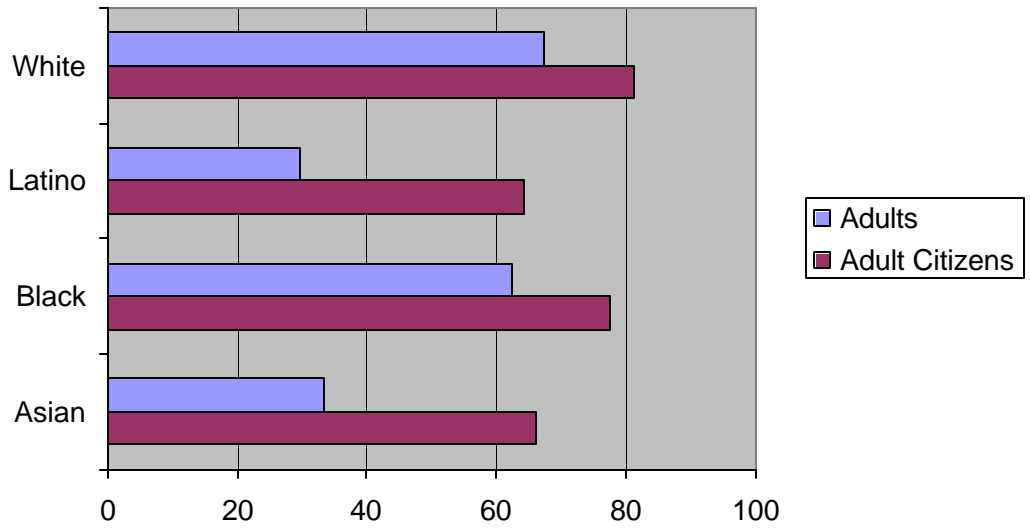


Figure 7.3B Voter Turnout Among Adults, Adult Citizens, and Registered Voters by Race/Ethnicity, 2000

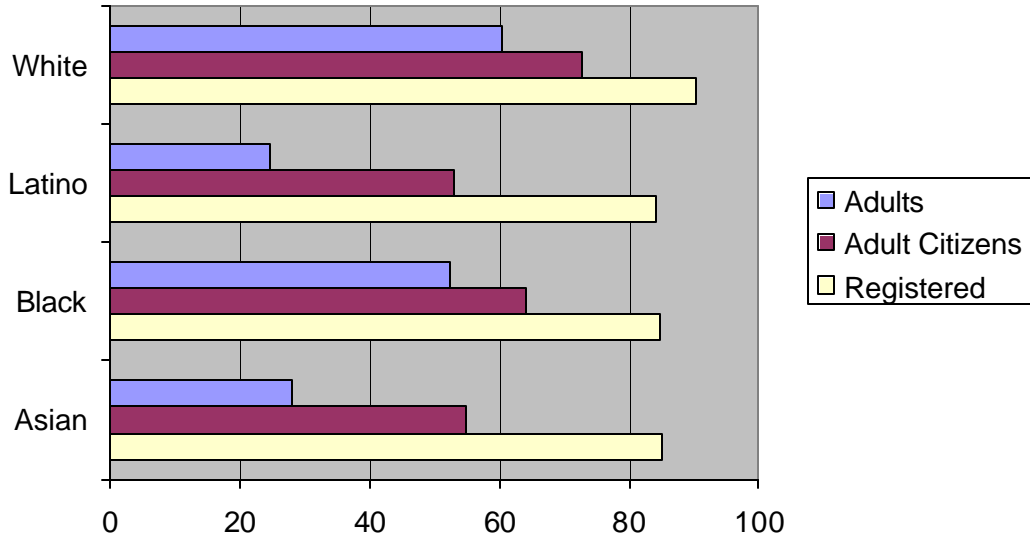


Table 7.4 Voter Registration and Voter Turnout by Nativity and Origin, 2000

% Registered of	Hispanic		Non-Hispanic	
	Native	Foreign-Born	Native	Foreign-Born
Adults	65.5	13.7	80.6	29.6
Adult Citizens		61.2		67.9
% Voting of				
Adults	52.9	12.0	71.3	25.8
Adult Citizens		53.4		58.6

Source: Current Population Survey Voter Supplement File, November 2000

Table 7.5 Percent of Foreign-Born Californians Registered to Vote and Voting by Period of Entry and Origin, 2000

Year of Entry	% Registered		% Voting	
	Hispanic	Non-Hispanic	Hispanic	Non-Hispanic
Before 1965	63.2	78.9	61.6	71.0
1965-79	65.8	72.2	56.2	62.0
1980-93	55.4	59.6	46.7	50.1
1994-1999	55.8	58.2	49.8	50.5

Source: Current Population Survey Voter Supplement File, November 2000

Figure 7.5 Percent of Foreign-Born Californians Registered to Vote and Voting by Period of Entry and Hispanic Origin, 2000

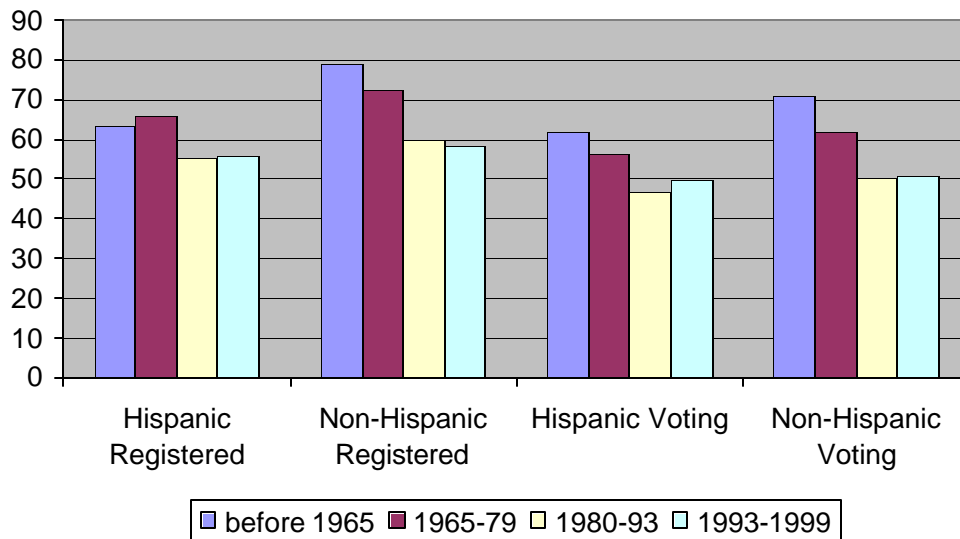


Table 7.6 Voter Registration by Race, Education, Age Group, and Family Income, 2000

	White	Black	Latino	Asian
Education				
0-12(no diploma)	57.0	59.8	51.4	54.0
high school grad	72.6	62.9	59.0	57.1
some college	82.6	83.4	74.3	56.9
college graduate	91.8	91.1	90.0	80.0
Age				
18 to 29	68.7	72.0	48.1	55.1
30 to 49	78.8	78.7	70.2	69.4
50 to 64	89.2	77.9	77.0	66.3
65+	89.1	83.7	71.4	74.9
Family Income				
under \$15,000	71.0	68.2	47.9	65.1
\$15,000 to \$34,000	71.1	68.4	59.5	56.3
\$35,000 to \$59,999	82.0	84.5	68.6	65.7
\$60,000+	86.9	84.3	76.5	73.3

Universe: Eligible California populations.

Source: Current Population Survey Voter Supplement File, November 2000

Figure 7.6A Percent Registered to Vote by Race/Ethnicity and Education, 2000

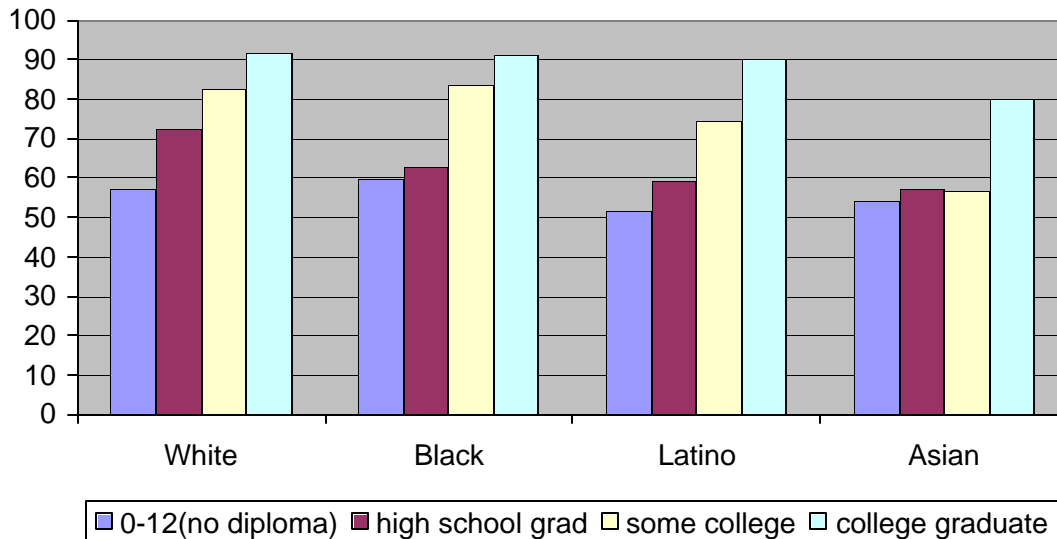


Figure 7.6B Percent Registered to Vote by Race/Ethnicity and Age, 2000

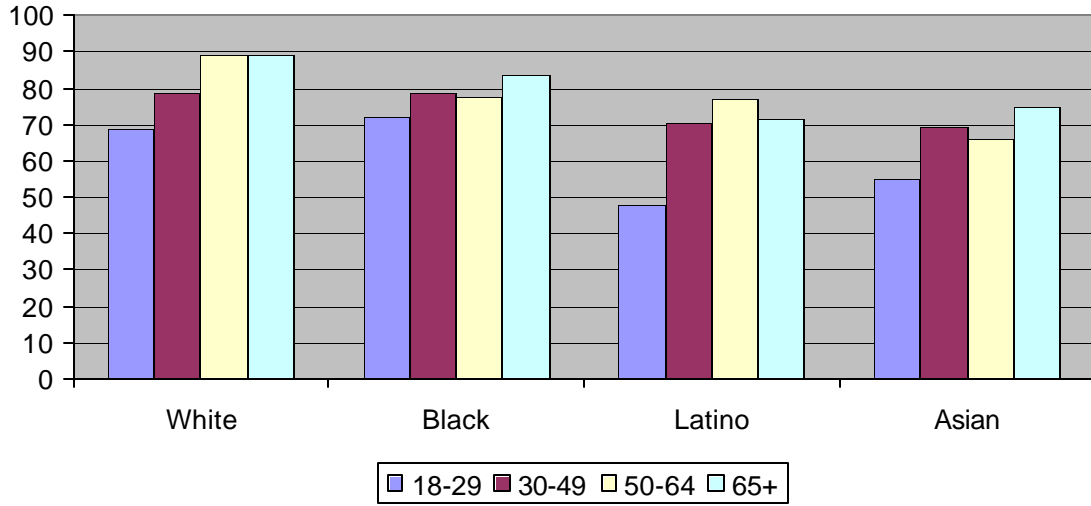


Figure 7.6C Percent Registered to Vote by Race/Ethnicity and Family Income, 2000

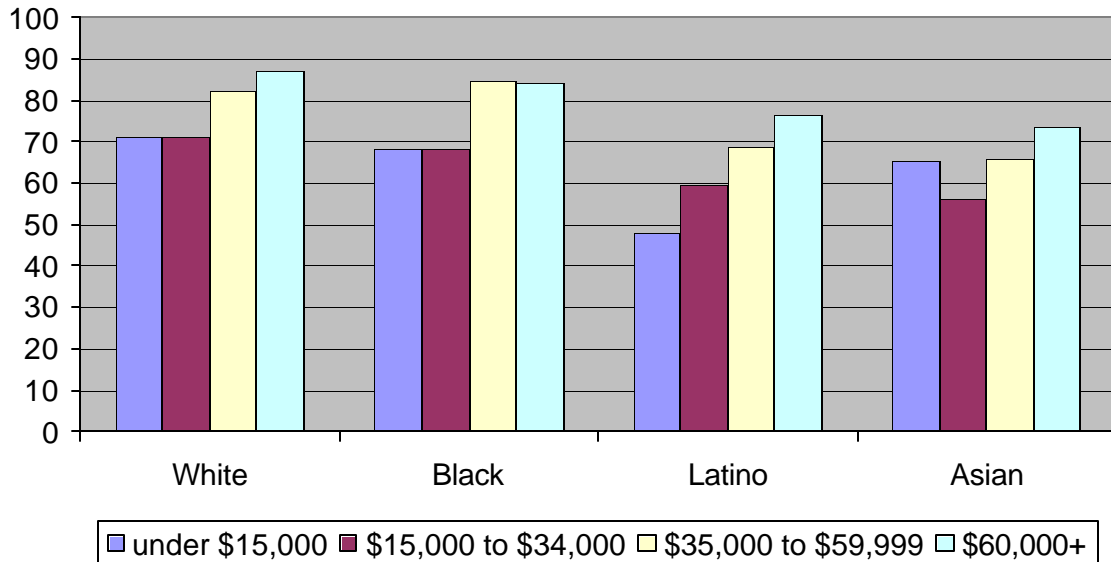


Table 7.7 Turnout by Race, Education, Age and Family Income, 2000

	White	Black	Latino	Asian
Education				
0-11	44.5	45.7	42.0	47.9
high school grad	63.0	47.3	46.6	44.5
some college	72.4	69.1	61.8	46.3
college graduate	86.7	82.7	81.3	68.8
Age				
18 to 29	52.5	60.0	36.4	46.4
30 to 49	70.6	62.6	56.8	57.3
50 to 64	85.1	64.7	69.5	52.3
65+	82.2	78.6	66.1	68.2
Family Income				
under \$15,000	55.9	44.9	38.5	55.7
\$15,000 to \$34,000	59.2	55.4	47.1	47.4
\$35,000 to \$59,999	73.9	68.9	54.2	47.4
\$60,000+	80.4	75.0	67.0	62.6

Universe: Eligible California populations.

Source: Current Population Survey Voter Supplement File, November 2000

Figure 7.7A Percent Voting by Race/Ethnicity and Education, 2000

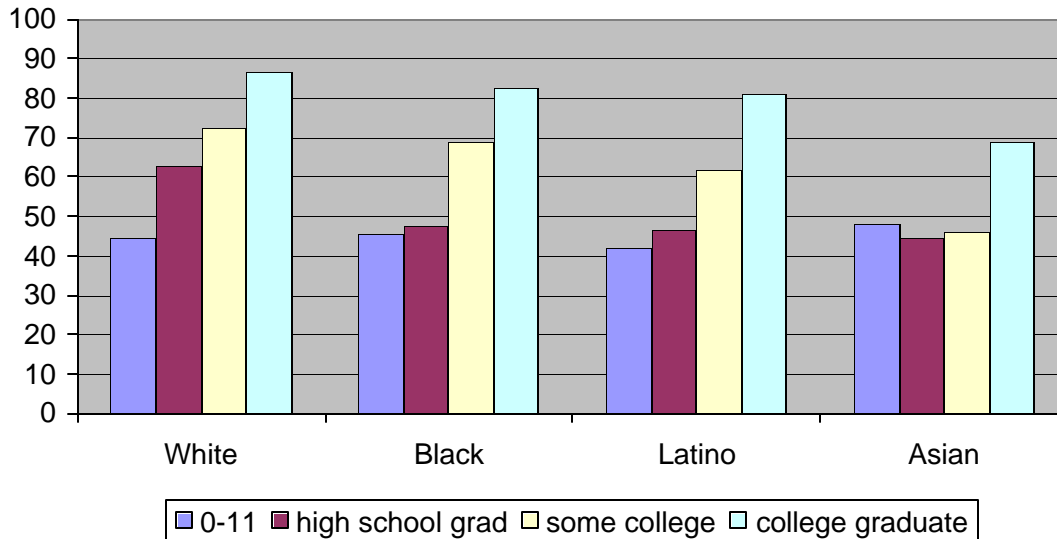


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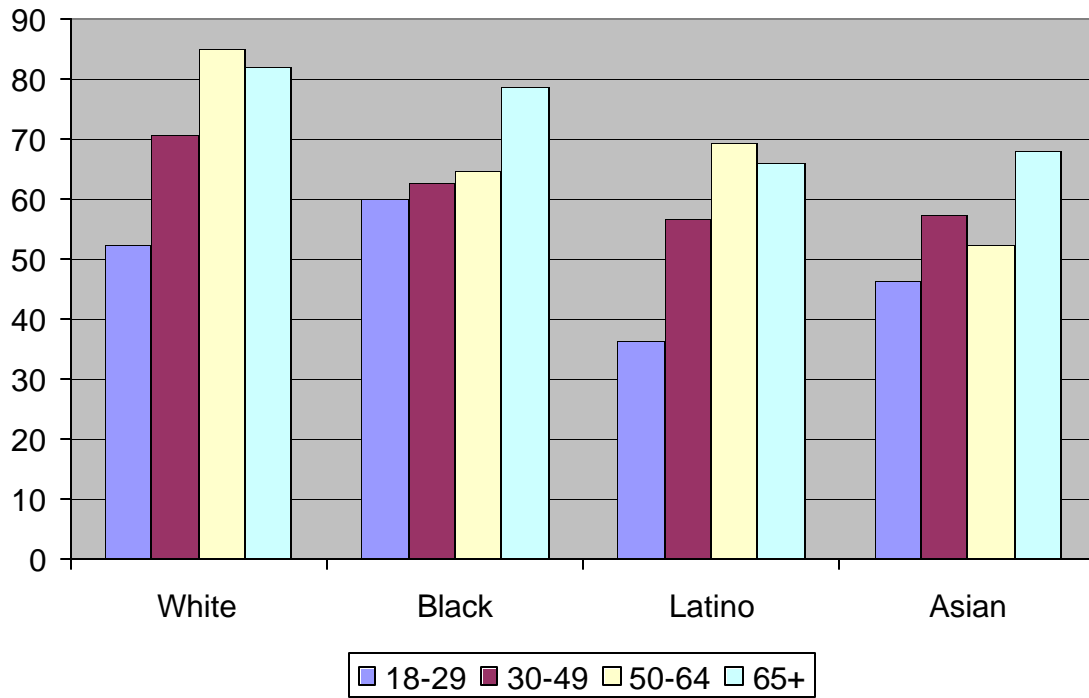


Figure 7.7C Percent Voting by Race/Ethnicity and Family Income, 2000

