

SELECTED ETHNO-RELIGIOUS MAJORITIES AND PLURALITIES

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Data sources: 2004 is public count (total from voting machines) NYC Board of Elections; 2008 is AP election night count (total from voting machines). Ethnicity and race are determined from 2000 Census and Mollenkopf's analysis of ethnicity of registered voters.

2004 and 2008 Presidential Elections in NYC

| Ethnic composition of ED | | 2004 | Kerry | Bush | 2008 | Obama | McCain | Vote Change 2004-2008 | Obama Vote - Kerry Vote |
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| White Catholic | Sum | 477069 | 269481 | 233176 | 477114 | 262758 | 209922 | -484 | -7239 |
| | % of Total Sum | 20.9% | 14.7% | 39.7% | 20.3% | 14.3% | 43.5% | -.8% | -62.0% |
| White Protestant | Sum | 366681 | 324528 | 79617 | 343105 | 281535 | 57238 | -26021 | -44966 |
| | % of Total Sum | 16.1% | 17.8% | 13.6% | 14.6% | 15.3% | 11.9% | -42.9% | -385.0% |
| White Jewish | Sum | 186564 | 104282 | 93169 | 182221 | 92047 | 87457 | -4579 | -12410 |
| | % of Total Sum | 8.2% | 5.7% | 15.9% | 7.8% | 5.0% | 18.1% | -7.6% | -106.3% |
| White Plurality | Sum | 133370 | 103867 | 36508 | 135884 | 103882 | 30823 | 2030 | -372 |
| | % of Total Sum | 5.8% | 5.7% | 6.2% | 5.8% | 5.6% | 6.4% | 3.3% | -3.2% |
| African American | Sum | 331632 | 324729 | 22815 | 376003 | 363501 | 10245 | 44084 | 38508 |
| | % of Total Sum | 14.5% | 17.8% | 3.9% | 16.0% | 19.7% | 2.1% | 72.7% | 329.7% |
| Afro Caribbean | Sum | 154916 | 148121 | 14323 | 173584 | 165614 | 6827 | 18668 | 17493 |
| | % of Total Sum | 6.8% | 8.1% | 2.4% | 7.4% | 9.0% | 1.4% | 30.8% | 149.8% |
| Black Plurality | Sum | 72426 | 65775 | 10896 | 79446 | 70867 | 8001 | 7020 | 5092 |
| | % of Total Sum | 3.2% | 3.6% | 1.9% | 3.4% | 3.8% | 1.7% | 11.6% | 43.6% |
| Puerto Rican | Sum | 195685 | 175891 | 28498 | 210563 | 191739 | 17664 | 14878 | 15848 |

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| | % of Total Sum | 8.6% | 9.6% | 4.9% | 9.0% | 10.4% | 3.7% | 24.5% | 135.7% |
| Dominican | Sum | 121686 | 113300 | 13912 | 126197 | 116443 | 9199 | 4511 | 3143 |
| | % of Total Sum | 5.3% | 6.2% | 2.4% | 5.4% | 6.3% | 1.9% | 7.4% | 26.9% |
| Latin American | Sum | 35702 | 29748 | 7351 | 35494 | 28688 | 6172 | -451 | -1274 |
| | % of Total Sum | 1.6% | 1.6% | 1.3% | 1.5% | 1.6% | 1.3% | -.7% | -10.9% |
| Latino Plurality | Sum | 123198 | 104207 | 24969 | 127806 | 107293 | 19502 | 3979 | 2579 |
| | % of Total Sum | 5.4% | 5.7% | 4.2% | 5.4% | 5.8% | 4.0% | 6.6% | 22.1% |
| Chinese | Sum | 32802 | 24646 | 9444 | 29587 | 21089 | 7959 | -3215 | -3557 |
| | % of Total Sum | 1.4% | 1.3% | 1.6% | 1.3% | 1.1% | 1.7% | -5.3% | -30.5% |
| Other Asian | Sum | 36282 | 27499 | 10377 | 35044 | 25606 | 9212 | -1238 | -1893 |
| | % of Total Sum | 1.6% | 1.5% | 1.8% | 1.5% | 1.4% | 1.9% | -2.0% | -16.2% |
| Total | Sum | 2281450 | 1828002 | 587517 | 2346909 | 1843718 | 482355 | 60606 | 11680 |
| | % of Total Sum | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% |