

Mexican Ethnosurvey of Family, Migration, and Labor

1998 - 1999

Universidad de Guadalajara and University of Pennsylvania

Date: _____

Community: _____

Municipio: _____

State: _____

Interviewer: _____

Number in Census: _____

Random number: _____

Observations: _____

For Internal Use:

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Community
Number: _____

Household
Number: _____

TABLE A

Information about the **household members and other children** of household head who no longer live in the household

(Record in this order: household head first, then the spouse; then, all the children (from oldest to youngest), lastly all other persons who live in the household.)

	Name	Gender	Relationship to the household head	Household member	Year of birth	Place of birth (Municipio and State)	Marital Status		Years of educ. ^c	Principal Economic Occupation	Code (d)
							(a)	(b)			
1		M F	HEAD	YES				Cód.			
2		M F		Yes No DES				Cód.			
3		M F		Yes No DES				Cód.			
4		M F		Yes No DES				Cód.			
5		M F		Yes No DES				Cód.			
6		M F		Yes No DES				Cód.			
7		M F		Yes No DES				Cód.			
8		M F		Yes No DES				Cód.			
9		M F		Yes No DES				Cód.			
10		M F		Yes No DES				Cód.			
11		M F		Yes No DES				Cód.			
12		M F		Yes No DES				Cód.			
13		M F		Yes No DES				Cód.			
14		M F		Yes No DES				Cód.			
15		M F		Yes No DES				Cód.			
16		M F		Yes No DES				Cód.			
17		M F		Yes No DES				Cód.			
18		M F		Yes No DES				Cód.			
19		M F		Yes No DES				Cód.			
20		M F		Yes No DES				Cód.			

Who informed? (name):

(a) Age at first marriage/un

(b) Marital Status:

- 1 = Single
- 2 = Married
- 3 = Consensual Union
- 4 = Widowed

(c) Guide for years of schooling completed:

- Elementary = 6
- Middle School = 9
- Technical w/o Middle School = 9
- Technical School = 12
- Academic = 12
- High School = 12
- Teaching School w/o High School = 13
- Teaching School = 16
- Superior Teaching School = 18
- University = 17
- Adult School = 3

(d) Check codebook for codes

TABLE B Marital History of the Household Head and information of children who no longer live

Union	Starting year	Type of Union ^a	Year ended	Cause of Dissolution ^b	Children							
					1		2		3		4	
					Born	Died	Born	Died	Born	Died	Born	Died
1		Cód.		Cód.								
2		Cód.		Cód.								
3		Cód.		Cód.								
4		Cód.		Cód.								

(a) Type of Union:

- 1 = Religious
- 2 = Civil
- 3 = Consensual Union
- 4 = Religious & Civil
- 9 = Unknown

(b) Cause of dissolution

- 1 = Separated
- 2 = Divorce
- 3 = Spouse's death
- 9 = Unknown

TABLE C

Information about each person in Table A with migratory experience within Mexico

Mexico 1998-1999

FIRST TRIP OUTSIDE THE MUNICIPIO OF ORIGIN						LAST TRIP TO WORK OUTSIDE THE MUNICIPIO OF ORIGIN					
Name	# in A	Year of trip	Duration (years / months)	Destiny (Municipio and State)	Main Occupation	Year of trip	Duration (years / months)	Destiny (Municipio and State)	Main Occupation	Hourly salary (pesos)	Total of internal trips
				Código			.....	Código		
				Cód.			.....	Cód.		
				Cód.			.....	Cód.		
				Cód.			.....	Cód.		
				Cód.			.....	Cód.		
				Cód.			.....	Cód.		
				Cód.			.....	Cód.		
				Cód.			.....	Cód.		
				Cód.			.....	Cód.		
				Cód.			.....	Cód.		
				Cód.			.....	Cód.		
				Cód.			.....	Cód.		
				Cód.			.....	Cód.		
				Cód.			.....	Cód.		

TABLE D

Information about each person in Table A with **migratory experience to the United States**

Mexico 1998-1999

FIRST TRIP TO THE U.S.								LAST TRIP TO THE U.S.						
Name	# in A	Year of trip	Duration (years / months)	Documentation	Destiny (City and State)	Main Occupation	Hourly salary (dlls)	Year of trip	Duration (years / months)	Documentation	Destiny (City and State)	Main Occupation	Hourly salary (dlls)	Total of U.S. trips
					Code					Code		
					Code					Code		
					Code					Code		
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					Code					Code		
					Code					Code		
					Code					Code		

DOCUMENTATION

- 1 = Legal Resident (Green Card)
- 2 = Bracero
- 3 = Contract H2
- 4 = Tourist / Local passport
- 5 = Citizen
- 6 = Silva Letter
- 7 = Undocumented
- 8 = Refugee
- 9 = Unknown

ONLY FOR THOSE PEOPLE WHO APPEAR ABOVE AND WHO HAVE GREEN CARD IN U.S.

# in A	Year applied	Year papers received	Sponsor

SPONSOR

- 1 = Spouse
- 2 = Son / Daughter
- 3 = Father / Mother
- 4 = Sibling
- 5 = Amnesty
- 6 = Agricultural Workers Program (SAW)
- 7 = Through work (no SAW)
- 8 = Other _____
- 9 = Unknown

TABLE E Information about the history of business, companies or other activities that require economic investment from the head or spouse

Business Number	Type of Business	Year started	Year closed / sold	Financed w/ U.S. dollars?	Number of workers		Located in the U.S.?	How acquired? ¹
	Description				family members?	other workers?		
								Cód.
								Cód.
								Cód.
								Cód.
								Cód.
								Cód.
								Cód.

(1) How acquired?

- 1 = Savings
- 2 = Loan from bank
- 3 = Loan from family
- 4 = Loan from friends
- 5 = Inheritance
- 6 = Other: _____
- 9 = Unknown

TABLE G Household head family with migratory experience to the U.S.

Relationship w/ Head	Sex	Year of 1 st trip	"Green card"		Still alive?	Lives in the U.S.?
			Has it?	Year received		City and State
Mother						
Father						
Sibling 1						
Sibling 2						
Sibling 3						
Sibling 4						
Sibling 5						
Sibling 6						
Sibling 7						
Sibling 8						
Sibling 9						
Sibling 10						
Sibling 11						
Sibling 12						

Table H Migration experience among **extended family and friends of head of household**

	How many currently live in U.S.?	How many (others) lived in U.S. before?
Uncles		
Cousins		
Nieces/ nephews		
Siblings in law (from direct family)		
Children in law		
Parent in law		
Friends		

TABLE I Information about the **house living in and other properties** owned by household head and spouse

Type of property ^a	Material of construction ^b	Type of floor ^c	Number of rooms	Tenancy ^d	Year acquired	Year sold	Financed w/ U.S. dollars?	Located in U.S.?	How acquired? ^e
1									

(a) Type of property:

- 1 = House of residence
- 2 = House owned
- 3 = Lot owned
- 4 = Business place
- 5 = Apartment building
- 6 = Apartment owned

(c) Type of floor:

- 1 = Dirt
- 2 = Cement
- 3 = Finished
(Tile/Carpet/etc.)

(d) Tenancy:

- 1 = Borrowed / guest
- 2 = Rent
- 3 = Own
- 4 = Owner by other relative
- 5 = Without papers
- 6 = Other: _____

(e) How acquired?

- 1 = Savings
- 2 = Loan from bank
- 3 = Loan from family
- 4 = Loan from friends
- 5 = Inheritance
- 6 = Other: _____

(b) Material of construction:

- 1 = Adobe and tile roof (precarious)
- 2 = Brick and tile roof
- 3 = Brick and cement roof
- 4 = Wood

Table J1 House services

Service	Yes / No
Water	
Electricity	
Sewer	
Stove	
Refrigerator	
Washing machine	
Sewing machine	
Radio	
TV	
Stereo	
Telephone	

CUADRO J2 Vehicle holdings

Vehicle number	Type of vehicle ^a	Financed w/ U.S. dollars?	Bought in U.S.?	How acquired? ^b
1	Cód.	Yes No DES	Yes No DES	Cód.
2	Cód.	Yes No DES	Yes No DES	Cód.
3	Cód.	Yes No DES	Yes No DES	Cód.
4	Cód.	Yes No DES	Yes No DES	Cód.
5	Cód.	Yes No DES	Yes No DES	Cód.
6	Cód.	Yes No DES	Yes No DES	Cód.

(a) Type of vehicle

- 1 = Auto
- 2 = Pick-up/Van/Truck
- 3 = Bus
- 4 = Tractor
- 5 = Taxi
- 6 = Other: _____

(b) How acquired?

(mark all that apply)

- 1 = Savings
- 2 = Loan from bank
- 3 = Loan from family
- 4 = Loan from friends
- 5 = Inheritance
- 6 = Other: _____
- 9 = Unknown

Table K Information about the **undocumented border crossings** of the household head

Crossing	Year	Crossing Place (City & State in Mexico)	Crossed with whom? ^a	Coyote			# of Deportations	Successful crossing?
				Used coyote?	How much paid?	Who paid? ^b		
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(a) Crossed with whom?
 1 = Alone
 2 = With Family
 3 = With Friends
 4 = With Family & Friends

TABLE L Information about the household head's migratory experience to the U.S.

In your most recent trip to the U.S.	Answer
Did other RELATIVES lived with you in the same house? (not counting spouse and children)	
Did other FELLOW HOME-COMMUNITY MEMBERS lived with you in the same house?	
When needed money, who offered HELP? ^a Code	
Do you have BANK ACCOUNT in U.S.? Since what year?	
Do you have CREDIT CARD in U.S.? Since what year?	
Have you declared FEDERAL TAXES? Since what year?	
Have you participated in SPORTS organizations?	Yes No DES
Have you participated in RELIGIOUS/SOCIAL organizations?	Yes No DES
What kind of relations with CHICANOS? ^b Code	
What kind of relations with BLACKS? ^b Code	
What kind of relations with ASIANS? ^b Code	
What kind of relations with GRINGOS? ^b Code	
What kind of relations with LATINOS? ^b Code	
Whom did you STAY WITH upon arrival (LODGING)?	
Do you speak and understand English? ^c Code	
Do you use ENGLISH AT HOME? ^d Code	
Do you use ENGLISH AT WORK? ^d Code	
Do you use ENGLISH with FRIENDS? ^d Code	
Do you use ENGLISH in your NEIGHBORHOOD? (shopping, street, etc.) ^d Code	

(a) Who helped?

- 1 = Fellow home-community member
- 2 = Friend
- 3 = Employer
- 4 = Relative
- 5 = Bank
- 6 = Did not need help
- 7 = Other: _____
- 9 = Unknown

(b) Type of relations:

- 0 = None or casual
- 1 = Workplace
- 2 = Friendship
- 3 = Very Close
- 4 = Other: _____

(c) English

- 0 = Doesn't speak nor understands
- 1 = Doesn't speak but understands a little
- 2 = Doesn't speak but understands well
- 3 = Both: speaks and understands a little
- 4 = Both: speaks and understands well

(d) English usage

- 1 = None
- 2 = Sometimes
- 3 = Often
- 4 = Always

TABLE M Information about the **financial situation** on U.S. during **last trip**

In your most recent job in the U.S.	Answers	
	<i>Head</i>	<i>Spouse</i>
How do (did) you get your job? ^a Code		
How much are (were) you paid by the hour? Dollars		
How many hours do (did) you work per week? Quantity		
How many months per year do (did) you work? Quantity		
Do (did) you get paid with check or cash?		
Social security taxes withheld?		
Federal taxes withheld?		
Race of head's/ spouse's employer? ^b Code		
Race of head's/ spouse's supervisor? ^b Code		
	<i>Household</i>	
Rent per month Dollars		
Food budget per month Dollars		
Average montly remittances Dollars		
Purpose of remittances Description		
Average montly savings Dollars		
Savings brought to Mexico Dollars		
Purpose of Savings Description		

(a) How was job obtained?

- 1 = Searched by oneself
- 2 = Recommended by a relative
- 3 = Recommended by a friend
- 4 = Recommended by a fellow home-community memt
- 5 = Recommended by a coyote
- 6 = Contracted
- 7 = Paid a friend/ fellow home-community member
- 8 = Through an employment agency
- 9 = "Pick-up" on street corner

(b) Race:

- 1 = Anglo
- 2 = Black
- 3 = Asian
- 4 = Chicano
- 5 = Mexican
- 6 = Other Latino
- 7 = Other: _____
- 8 = Company

TABLE N Information about the use of **public services** in U.S.

During your most recent trip to the U.S.	Answers				
Did you have any child attending public schools?					
Have you ever received unemployment compensation?					
Have you ever received food stamps?					
Have you ever received welfare?					
What type? ^a AFDC					
WIC					
SSI					
General					
Have you or a family member gone to the doctor?					
Have you or a family member been hospitalized?					
If someone went to the doctor or hospital, who paid? ^b (All that apply)	<table border="1"> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table>				

(a) Types of welfare:

AFDC	Aid for Families with Dependent Children
WIC	Women Infants Children Program
SSI	Supplemental Security Income Program
General	State assistant (not federal)

(b) Who paid doctor/ hospital?

- 1 = Employer
- 2 = Private insurance
- 3 = Medicaid
- 4 = Self
- 5 = Relative
- 6 = No one
- 7 = Other: _____

TABLE O **Current and past lands - agricultural lands**

Land #	Number of hectares	Type of land ^a	Number of cultivated hectares	Tenency ^b	Year acquired	Year sold	Financed w/ U.S. dollars?			Located in U.S.?			How acquired? ^c
Current Lands													
1		Cód.		Cód.			Yes	No	DES	Yes	No	DES	Cód.
2		Cód.		Cód.			Yes	No	DES	Yes	No	DES	Cód.
3		Cód.		Cód.			Yes	No	DES	Yes	No	DES	Cód.
4		Cód.		Cód.			Yes	No	DES	Yes	No	DES	Cód.
Past Lands													
1		Cód.		Cód.			Yes	No	DES	Yes	No	DES	Cód.
2		Cód.		Cód.			Yes	No	DES	Yes	No	DES	Cód.
3		Cód.		Cód.			Yes	No	DES	Yes	No	DES	Cód.
4		Cód.		Cód.			Yes	No	DES	Yes	No	DES	Cód.

(a) Type of land:

- 1 = Irrigated
- 2 = Wetland
- 3 = Dryland
- 4 = Grazing/pasture
- 5 = Orchard
- 6 = Other: _____
- 9 = Unknown

(b) Tenency:

- 1 = Ejido
- 2 = Private
- 3 = Communal
- 4 = Leased
- 9 = Unknown

(c) How acquired?

- 1 = Savings
- 2 = Loan from bank
- 3 = Loan from family
- 4 = Loan from friends
- 5 = Inheritance
- 6 = Other: _____
- 9 = Unknown

TABLE P Information about the **usage of current land**

Question	Answer	
Information on agricultural tasks		
Number of family members who work (head included)		
Number of hired hands who help		
Use of agricultural machinery?		
Use of fertilizers?		
Use of insecticides?		
U.S. financing to cultivate?		
Information about animals	How many?	Financed w/ U.S. dollars?
Cows		
Pigs		
Horses		
Donkeys		
Oxen		
Chicken		
Goats		
Other: _____		