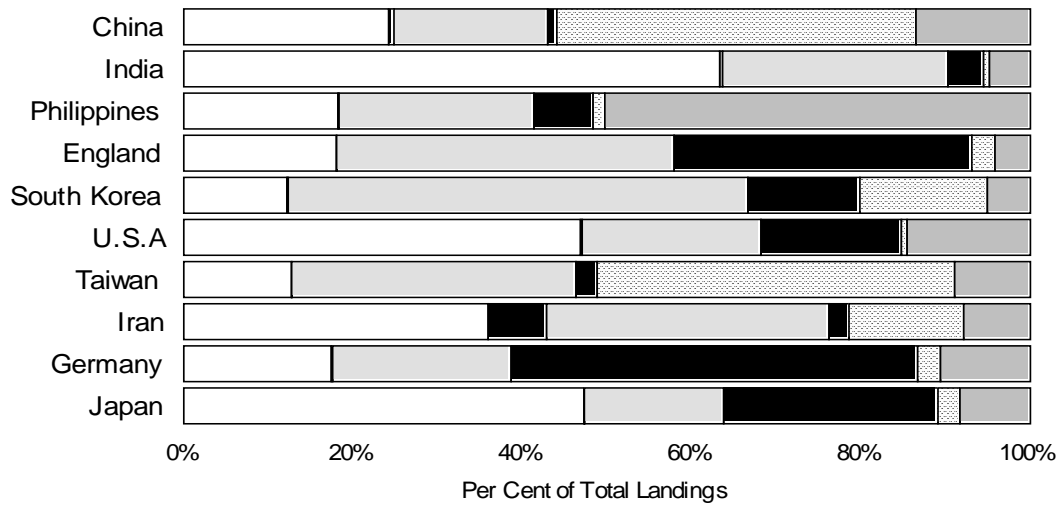


## B.C. Immigration by Top 10 Source by Class January to December, 2009



Family
  Refugee
  Skilled Worker
  Entrepreneur
  Investor
  Others

### B.C. Immigrant Landings by Source By Class, January - December, 2009

			Economic Classes						Other Classes	Grand Total
	Family	Refugee	Skilled Worker	Prov./Terr. <sup>1</sup> Nominee	Live-In Caregiver	Entrepreneur	Investor	Self Employed		
<b>World Area</b>										
Europe	1,355	116	2,474	1,708	32	47	122	40	295	6,189
Africa	242	372	333	197	11	5	--	--	62	1,223
Asia	9,188	1,021	7,952	2,159	2,563	270	5,402	108	792	29,455
Australasia	198	--	235	115	--	--	--	--	50	602
N&C America	1,218	57	633	416	8	14	19	29	386	2,780
Caribbean	100	--	54	19	--	--	--	--	20	198
S. America	179	44	346	80	45	--	10	--	51	759
Oceania & Isl.	131	18	54	13	--	--	--	--	8	225

#### Top 20 Source Countries

China	2,269	59	1,702	872	73	101	3,977	9	313	9,375
India	3,848	20	1,618	256	151	16	42	42	85	6,078
Philippines	842	6	1,064	323	2,267	--	64	--	57	4,623
England	449	--	992	875	--	--	68	14	85	2,488
South Korea	259	--	1,154	281	6	14	320	--	88	2,125
U.S.A	972	--	438	344	--	11	14	29	262	2,074
Taiwan	208	--	548	41	22	50	689	44	30	1,632
Iran	443	85	411	29	--	65	167	13	18	1,232
Germany	110	--	133	303	--	24	17	18	23	631
Japan	273	--	95	146	--	--	15	--	42	577
Russia	118	5	307	44	7	--	14	--	13	510
Mexico	153	21	136	65	7	--	5	--	88	478
Iraq	38	423	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	470
Vietnam	279	23	39	22	--	--	7	--	16	387
Australia	131	--	141	68	--	--	--	--	34	375
South Africa	62	--	99	146	--	--	--	--	16	325
Pakistan	124	33	114	8	--	--	5	--	20	304
United Arab Emirates	17	--	217	15	6	5	17	--	--	282
Turkey	39	74	89	51	--	--	--	--	14	270
Brazil	73	--	147	17	6	--	--	--	17	264
Other	1,906	873	2,633	801	103	43	133	6	436	6,934
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,613</b>	<b>1,633</b>	<b>12,081</b>	<b>4,707</b>	<b>2,661</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>5,558</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>1,664</b>	<b>41,434</b>

-- indicates data suppression for confidentiality OR no value

<sup>1</sup> Includes 'Canadian Experience' class, which was introduced in Q42009

Prepared By:

BC Stats

Date:

June, 2010

Data Provided By:

Citizenship and Immigration Canada