

B.C. Immigration by Top 10 Source by Class January - December, 2005

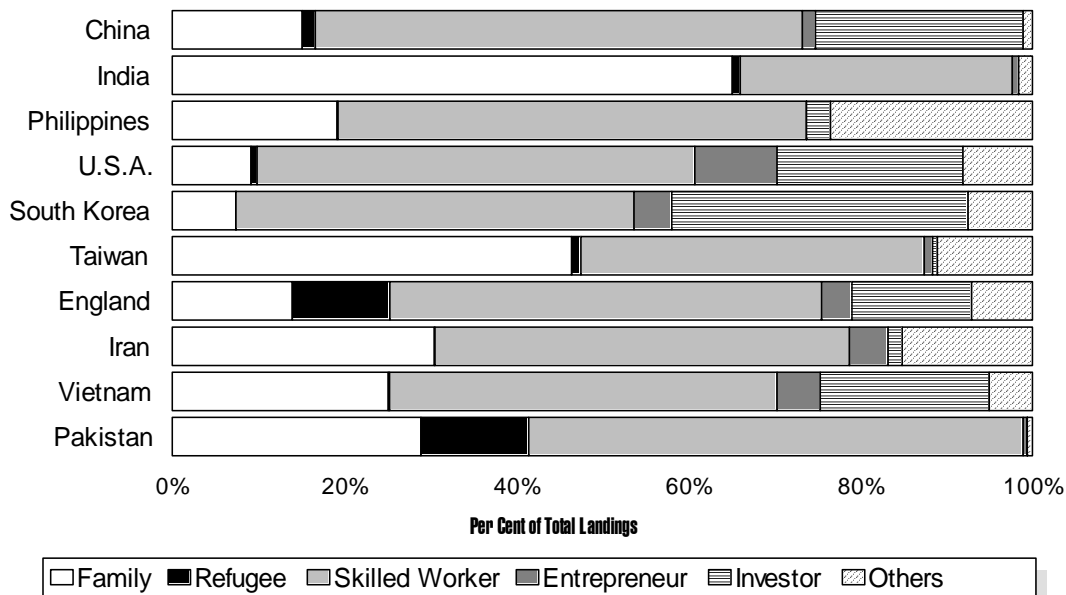


Table 4: B.C. Immigrant Landings by Source By Class, January - December, 2005

			Economic Classes						Other Classes	Grand Total
	Family	Refugee	Skilled Worker	Prov./Terr. Nominee	Live-In Caregiver	Entrepreneur	Investor	Self Employed		
World Area										
Europe	1,216	212	2,553	266	69	98	64	38	106	4,622
Africa	208	459	390	12	3	7	20	-	32	1,131
Asia	8,480	1,170	17,212	359	990	721	5,170	233	318	34,653
Australasia	206	1	255	43	3	3	3	-	6	520
N&C America	1,147	119	979	96	3	24	40	18	171	2,597
Caribbean	89	15	40	6	-	-	-	-	9	159
S. America	194	145	284	6	9	16	7	-	38	699
Oceania & Isl.	149	28	111	-	4	2	-	-	9	303
Stateless	24	4	17	-	1	-	-	-	4	97
Top 20 Source Countries										
China	2,065	210	7,749	52	3	209	3,306	33	61	13,688
India	3,745	54	1,820	18	20	41	1	3	51	5,753
Philippines	801	5	2,278	10	937	-	116	-	36	4,183
South Korea	230	18	1,281	126	3	241	544	57	17	2,517
Taiwan	166	-	1,036	51	3	99	771	102	12	2,240
U.S.A.	908	21	781	87	-	19	11	16	113	1,956
Iran	181	147	651	25	-	46	180	27	40	1,297
England	394	1	623	162	3	58	21	8	23	1,293
Hong Kong	170	1	305	10	2	34	133	2	20	677
Pakistan	189	82	376	-	-	3	-	-	4	654
Japan	267	1	182	33	6	3	45	1	13	551
Russia	88	18	364	6	3	2	6	1	10	498
Mexico	165	36	178	8	3	5	24	2	21	442
Romania	37	7	308	-	2	-	-	-	11	365
Vietnam	278	54	14	-	2	-	5	-	6	359
Australia	158	-	171	23	2	2	-	-	2	358
Germany	121	-	154	20	-	20	13	15	7	350
South Africa	53	13	206	8	-	1	-	-	11	292
Afghanistan	7	241	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	248
Indonesia	33	46	147	1	3	7	-	4	3	244
Others	1,657	1,198	3,217	148	90	81	128	18	232	6,769
Total	11,713	2,153	21,841	788	1,082	871	5,304	289	693	44,734

Important Note: Due to the changes in the classifications of immigrants, some numbers reported in this release are not compatible with those in previous releases.

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