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Figure 1.

TERRITORIAL EXPANSION OF THE UNITED STATES
(land and water, million square miles)

* California, Nevada, Utah and parts of New Mexico, Arizona, and Colorado.
** Gadsden Purchase.
*** Hawaii, Puerto Rico, Guam & American Samoa.
Source: Statistical Abstract of the United States.

Figure 2.

TOTAL IMMIGRANTS
(thousands)

* Includes people admitted prior to 1982 who were allowed to apply for amnesty and permanent residence. (Immigration Control Act passed by Congress 1986.)
Source: Statistical Abstract of the United States.
Figure 3.
RAILROAD MILEAGE: TOTAL TRACK OPERATED*
(THOUSAND MILES)
* From 1890 to 1969 data are total mileage track operated by Class I, II, and III railroads. From 1970 to 1979 data are miles of track owned by Class I railroads. From 1980 to present data are miles of track owned by Class I including estimates for Class II and III railroads.
Source: Statistical Abstract of the United States.

Figure 4.
TOTAL ROAD AND STREET MILEAGE*
(THOUSANDS)
* Beginning 1985, includes only public road mileage. For the year 1980, 98,000 miles of nonpublic road mileage previously contained in other rural categories are included.
Source: Statistical Abstract of the United States.
Figure 5.

US RURAL POPULATION
(as a percent of total population)
