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Historical Trends of New York City Italian-Americans

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New York City Italian-American Trends

Region	Total Population		
	1970	1980	1990
NYC	7,906,977	7,071,639	7,322,564
Bronx	1,469,347	1,168,972	1,203,789
Brooklyn	2,601,128	2,230,936	2,300,664
Manhattan	1,545,455	1,428,285	1,487,536
Queens	1,978,800	1,891,325	1,951,598
Staten Island	295,652	352,121	373,977
Total	7,890,381	7,071,639	7,322,564

Region	Italian-Americans		
	1970	1980	1990
NYC	1,700,000	1,005,304	838,780
Bronx	292,400	131,758	92,584
Brooklyn	691,900	361,460	263,800
Manhattan	119,000	72,441	79,385
Queens	494,700	304,904	252,690
Staten Island	102,000	134,741	150,321
Total	1,700,000	1,005,304	838,780

Region	Percent Italian-American		
	1970	1980	1990
NYC	21.5%	14.2%	11.5%
Bronx	19.9%	11.3%	7.7%
Brooklyn	26.6%	16.2%	11.5%
Manhattan	7.7%	5.1%	5.3%
Queens	25.0%	16.1%	12.9%
Staten Island	34.5%	38.3%	39.7%
Total	21.5%	14.2%	11.5%



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Historical Trend

Year	Ital Amer	% change
1900	219	
1910	862.9	294.02%
1920	1274.7	47.72%
1930	1511.8	18.60%
1940	1587.5	5.01%
1950	1716.9	8.15%
1960	1951.3	13.65%
1970	1739.7	-10.84%
1980	1005.304	-42.21%
1990	838.78	-16.56%