

A PROFILE OF AMERICA'S FUTURE:

**YOUNG CHILDREN
IN IMMIGRANT FAMILIES
IN NEW YORK CITY**

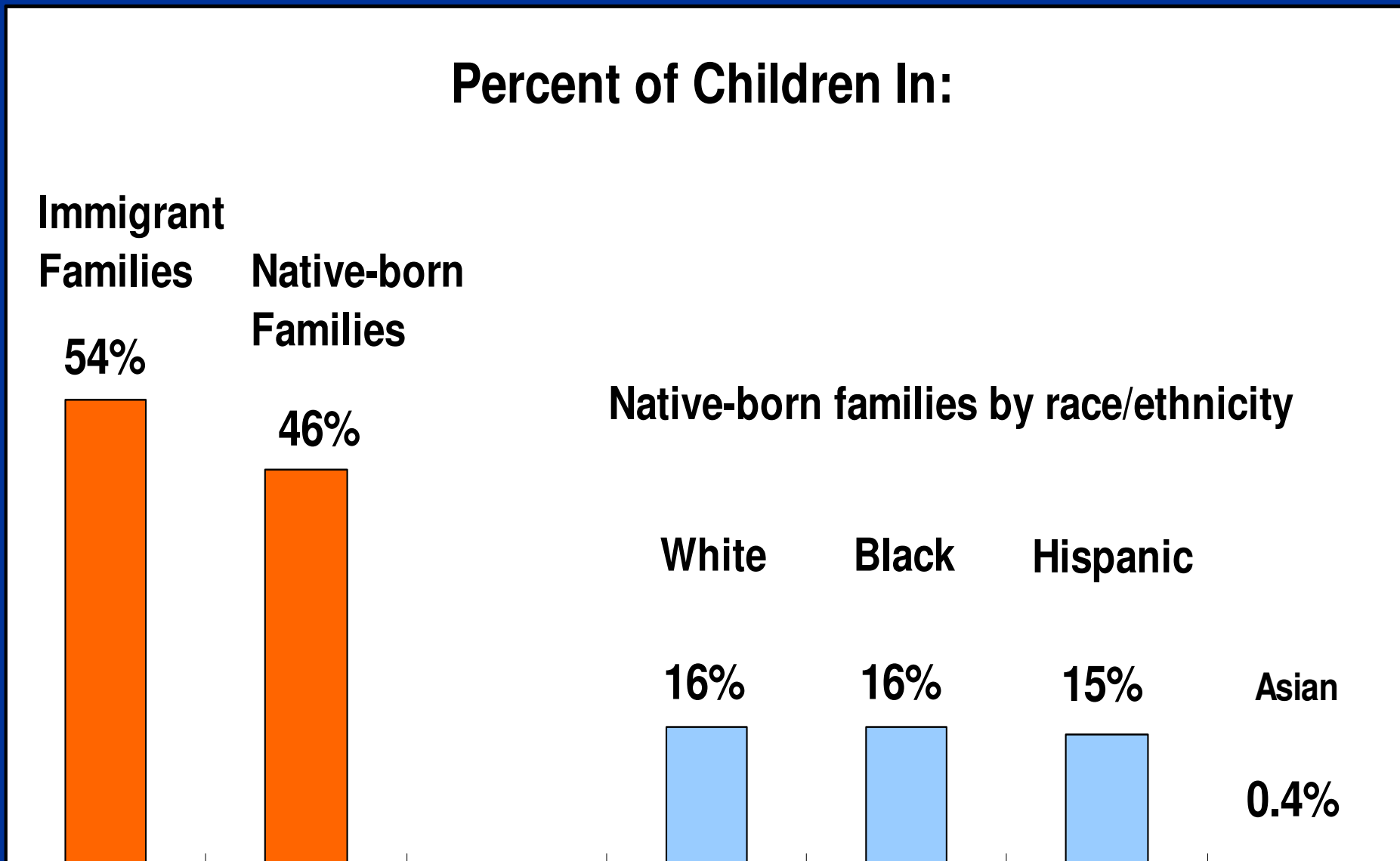
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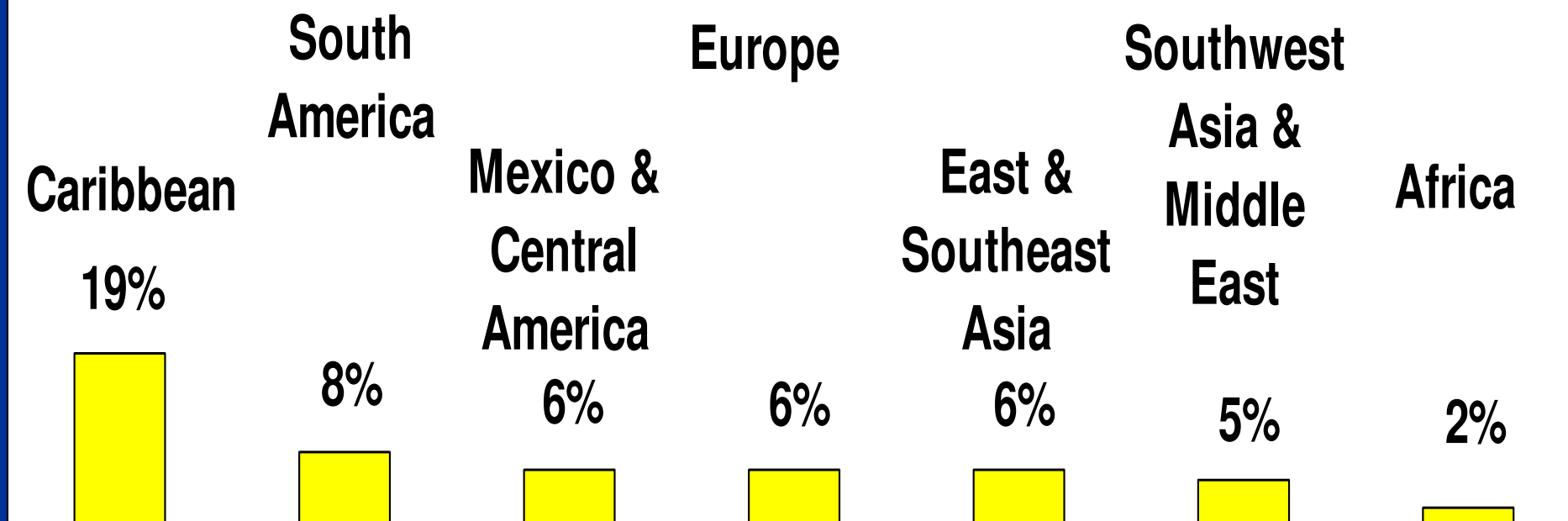
Figure 1. A majority of NYC children ages 3-6 live in immigrant families



Source: Calculated by Donald J. Hernandez from the Census 2000 5% Public Use Microdata Sample (PUMS) file.

Figure 2. The origins of NYC children ages 3-6 in immigrant families span the globe

Percentage of all young NYC children with immigrant origins in:



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**Figure 3. Children ages 0-9 for specified groups:
75% or more with 1+ Risk Factors
(Linguistic isolation, mother not HS graduate, poor/near-poor)**

Country/Region of Newcomer Family, or <i>Race/Ethnicity of Native-Born Family</i>	Percent with 1+ Risk Factors	Number Ages 3-6
Mexico	92	13,641
Guatemala	83	1,936
Dominican Republic	81	38,656
Honduras	80	3,851
El Salvador	80	2,690
Bangladesh	77	3,858
Indochina	76	1,770
China	76	13,601
<i>Puerto Rican, native-born family, island-origin</i>	75	16,946

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**Figure 4. Children ages 0-9 for specified groups:
60% to 74% with 1+ Risk Factors
(Linguistic isolation, mother not HS graduate, poor/near-poor)**

Country/Region of Newcomer Family, or <i>Race/Ethnicity of Native-Born Family</i>	Percent with 1+ Risk Factors	Number Ages 3-6
Korea	73	3,920
Ecuador	73	8,930
Middle East, except Israel	72	2,885
Former Yugoslavia	71	2,972
Colombia	65	5,493
Pakistan	64	3,795
<i>Puerto Rican, native-born family, mainland-origin</i>	63	28,959
<i>Black, native-born family</i>	60	63,266

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**Figure 5. Children ages 0-9 for specified groups:
50% to 59% with 1+ Risk Factors
(Linguistic isolation, mother not HS graduate, poor/near-poor)**

Country/Region of Newcomer Family, or <i>Race/Ethnicity of Native-Born Family</i>	Percent with 1+ Risk Factors	Number Ages 3-6
Peru	59	1,968
<i>Hispanic, native-born family, not Puerto Rican</i>	58	12,246
Haiti	57	8,583
Poland	56	2,555
Former Soviet Union	53	7,261
Panama	53	1,685
Barbados	50	1,909

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**Figure 6. Children ages 0-9 for specified groups:
40% to 49% with 1+ Risk Factors
(Linguistic isolation, mother not HS graduate, poor/near-poor)**

Country/Region of Newcomer Family or <i>Race/Ethnicity of Native-Born Family</i>	Percent with 1+ Risk Factors	Number Ages 3-6
Israel	49	3,324
India	48	5,154
Jamaica	45	13,333
Guyana	45	10,377
Egypt	44	1,566
Trinidad & Tobago	44	6,744

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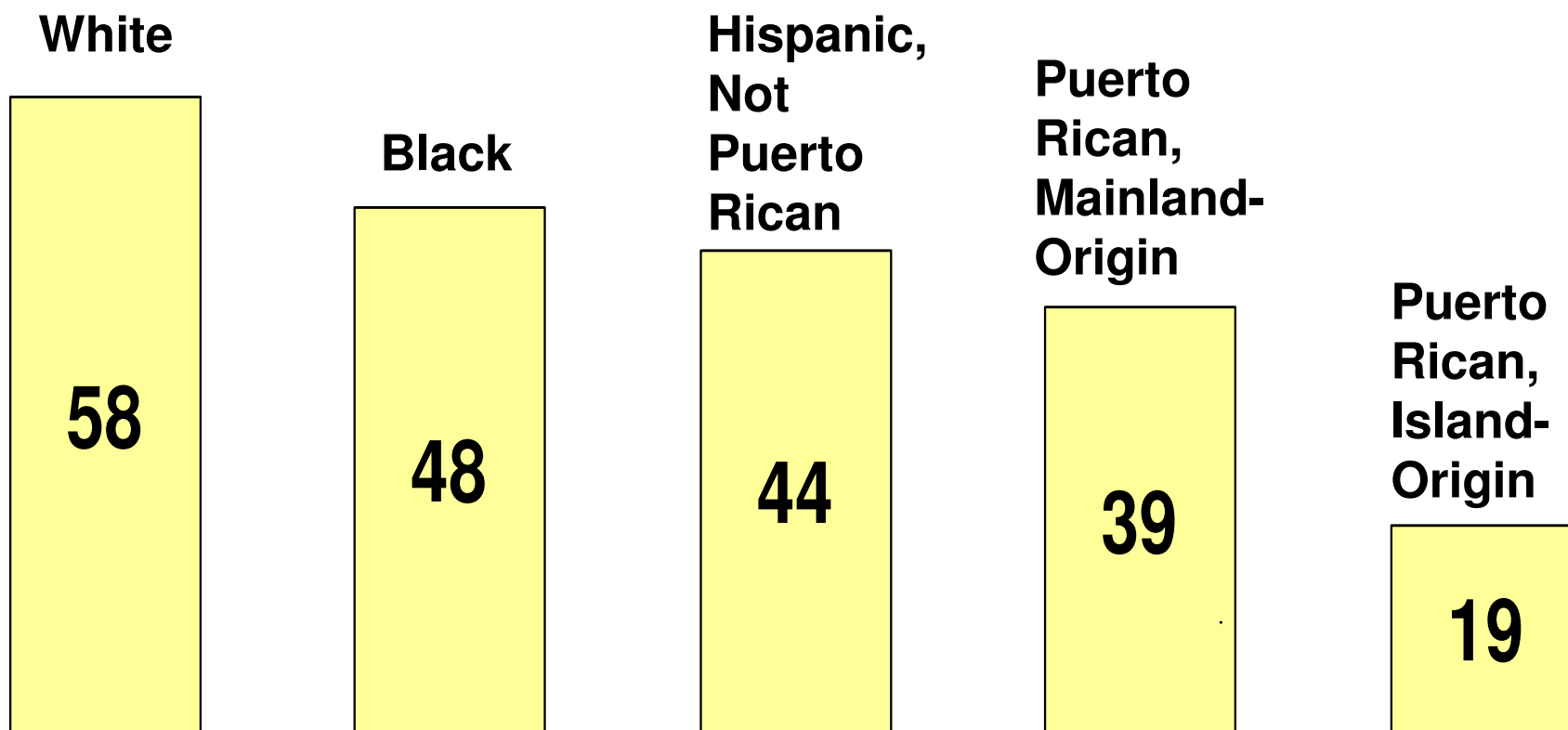
**Figure 7. Children ages 0-9 for specified groups:
16% to 36% with 1+ Risk Factors
(Linguistic isolation, mother not HS graduate, poor/near-poor)**

Country/Region of Newcomer Family or <i>Race/Ethnicity of Native-Born Family</i>	Percent with 1+ Risk Factors	Number Ages 3-6
Italy	36	3,030
Granada	32	1,494
Nigeria	31	2,358
<i>Asian, native-born family</i>	30	1,458
<i>White, native-born family</i>	25	63,282
United Kingdom	23	2,618
Philippines	16	3,040

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Figure 8. Nursery School and Preschool Enrollment Among Children Age 3 in Native-Born Families by Race/Ethnicity

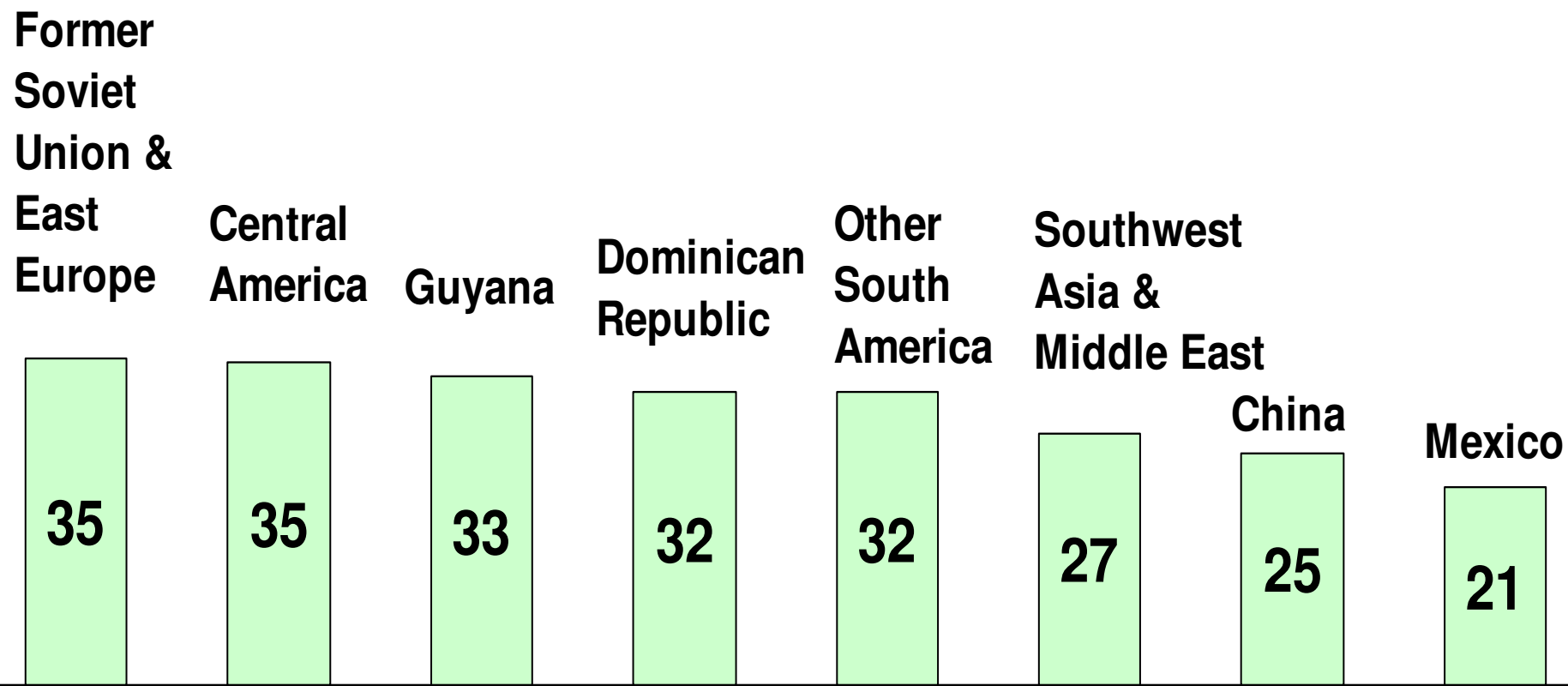
Percent Enrolled in Nursery School or Preschool (Children Age 3 in Native-Born Families)



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Figure 9. Nursery School and Preschool Enrollment Among Children Age 3 in Immigrant Families from Regions with Enrollment Rates Between 21-35 Percent

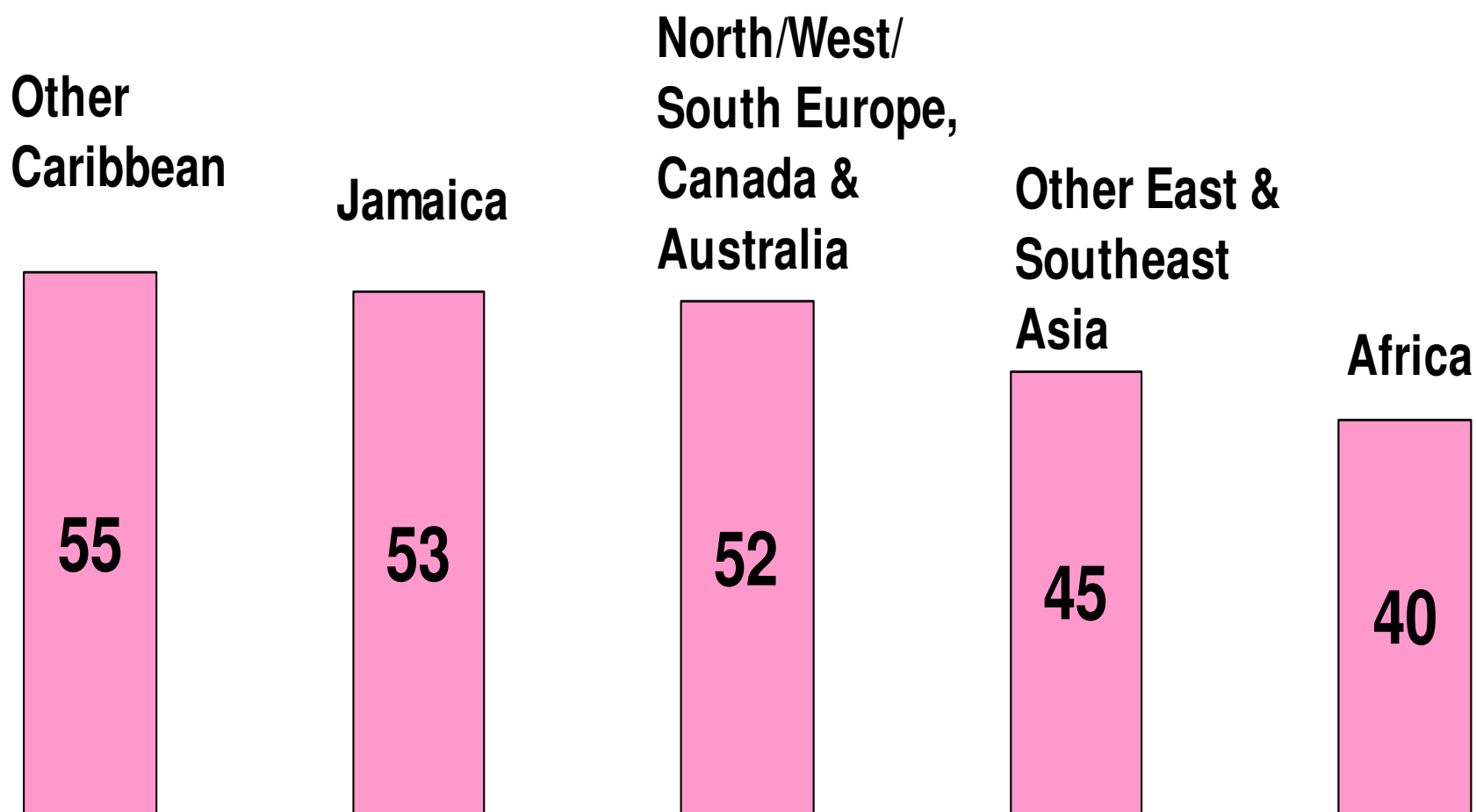
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Figure 10. Nursery School and Preschool Enrollment Among Children Age 3 in Immigrant Families from Regions with Enrollment Rates Between 40-55 Percent

**Percent Enrolled in Nursery School or Preschool
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