

Outflow of New Yorkers Rose in 2014

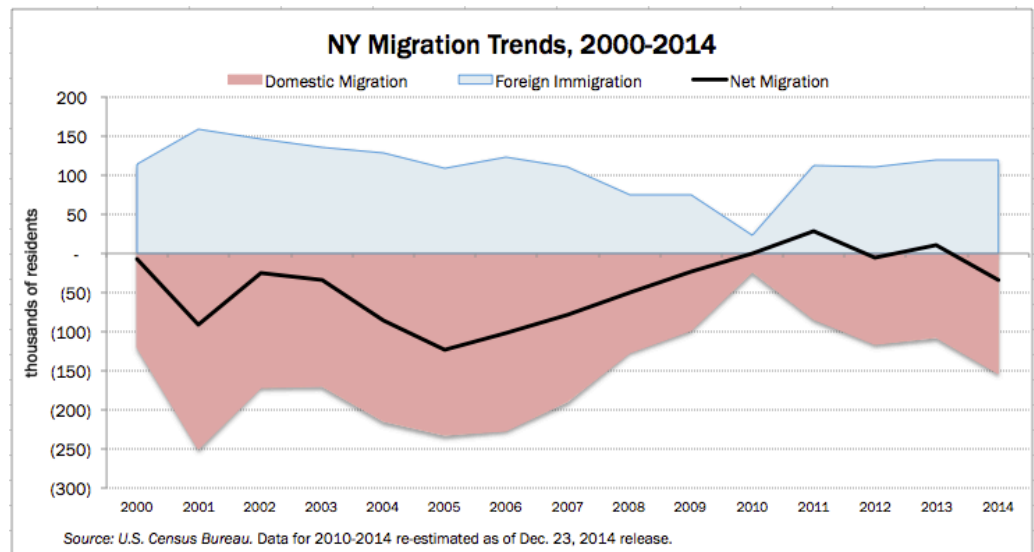
As the national economy improved between mid-2013 and 2014, the movement of New Yorkers to other states surged back to pre-recession levels.

During the 12 months ending last July, 153,921 more residents moved out of New York than moved into it from other states, according to the latest U.S. Census Bureau estimates. It was the Empire State's largest estimated outflow since 2007, and it brought New York's estimated net "domestic migration" loss to 462,172 people since 2010, and to 2 million residents since 2000.

New York attracted 118,799 foreign immigrants during the year, second only to California. Thanks in part to a high birth rate among recent immigrants, the Empire State was credited by the Census Bureau with an estimated "natural increase" of 86,353 people, more than any state except California and Texas.

But due to its large net domestic migration loss, New York's total population of 19,746,227 was up just 0.3 percent, less than half the national rate during the period. As a result, New York for the first time fell to fourth place in the nation's population rankings behind Florida, which had an estimated total of 19,893,297 residents. Florida had a net domestic migration gain of 138,546 people in the latest 12-month period, bringing its total gain to 438,078 residents since 2010, according to the Census Bureau. Based on previous data trends, many of Florida's newest residents undoubtedly are former New Yorkers.

As illustrated by the table on the following page, New York's net domestic migration loss since 2010 has been the largest of any state's in both absolute terms and as a percentage of 2010 population. Illinois and New Jersey had the next largest outflows of residents to other states during the four-year period.



Components of Migration, 2010-14

	Foreign Immigration			Domestic Migration			Net Migration		
	Total	Rate ¹	Rank ²	Total	Rate ¹	Rank ²	Total	Rate ¹	Rank ²
Alabama	21,807	0.46%	42	3,039	0.06%	21	24,846	0.52%	28
Alaska	8,743	1.23%	14	-15,180	-2.14%	48	-6,437	-0.91%	49
Arizona	54,219	0.85%	22	110,018	1.72%	7	164,237	2.57%	9
Arkansas	12,384	0.42%	45	-2,913	-0.10%	23	9,471	0.32%	32
California	618,952	1.66%	10	-171,460	-0.46%	32	447,492	1.20%	23
Colorado	41,297	0.82%	24	131,810	2.62%	3	173,107	3.44%	4
Connecticut	66,611	1.86%	8	-75,527	-2.11%	47	-8,916	-0.25%	42
Delaware	9,385	1.05%	16	13,793	1.54%	10	23,178	2.58%	8
District of Columbia	14,393	2.39%	2	20,677	3.44%	2	35,070	5.83%	2
Florida	443,053	2.36%	4	438,078	2.33%	5	881,131	4.69%	3
Georgia	97,367	1.01%	18	45,433	0.47%	19	142,800	1.47%	20
Hawaii	33,964	2.50%	1	-10,626	-0.78%	40	23,338	1.72%	16
Idaho	6,404	0.41%	46	12,317	0.79%	18	18,721	1.19%	24
Illinois	123,229	0.96%	19	-305,354	-2.38%	50	-182,125	-1.42%	51
Indiana	39,798	0.61%	33	-30,590	-0.47%	33	9,208	0.14%	36
Iowa	20,459	0.67%	30	-4,362	-0.14%	25	16,097	0.53%	27
Kansas	23,569	0.83%	23	-40,630	-1.42%	44	-17,061	-0.60%	48
Kentucky	23,692	0.55%	40	-9,127	-0.21%	28	14,565	0.34%	31
Louisiana	29,695	0.66%	32	-7,076	-0.16%	26	22,619	0.50%	30
Maine	5,278	0.40%	47	-1,473	-0.11%	24	3,805	0.29%	33
Maryland	112,076	1.94%	7	-32,287	-0.56%	35	79,789	1.38%	21
Massachusetts	144,657	2.21%	6	-32,803	-0.50%	34	111,854	1.71%	17
Michigan	76,686	0.78%	27	-134,934	-1.37%	43	-58,248	-0.59%	47
Minnesota	53,447	1.01%	17	-21,172	-0.40%	31	32,275	0.61%	26
Mississippi	9,200	0.31%	49	-25,649	-0.86%	41	-16,449	-0.55%	46
Missouri	33,633	0.56%	37	-43,178	-0.72%	39	-9,545	-0.16%	41
Montana	3,036	0.31%	50	16,871	1.71%	8	19,907	2.01%	14
Nebraska	14,674	0.80%	25	-5,535	-0.30%	29	9,139	0.50%	29
Nevada	32,142	1.19%	15	43,609	1.61%	9	75,751	2.81%	7
New Hampshire	7,720	0.59%	35	-4,191	-0.32%	30	3,529	0.27%	34
New Jersey	200,052	2.28%	5	-195,614	-2.22%	49	4,438	0.05%	38
New Mexico	10,354	0.50%	41	-31,769	-1.54%	45	-21,415	-1.04%	50
New York	461,094	2.38%	3	-462,176	-2.39%	51	-1,082	-0.01%	39
North Carolina	85,349	0.90%	20	136,818	1.43%	12	222,167	2.33%	11
North Dakota	5,234	0.78%	26	42,531	6.32%	1	47,765	7.10%	1
Ohio	67,540	0.59%	36	-114,156	-0.99%	42	-46,616	-0.40%	45
Oklahoma	22,607	0.60%	34	33,436	0.89%	17	56,043	1.49%	19
Oregon	25,722	0.67%	31	56,917	1.49%	11	82,639	2.16%	12
Pennsylvania	112,650	0.89%	21	-87,474	-0.69%	37	25,176	0.20%	35
Rhode Island	16,796	1.60%	11	-19,955	-1.90%	46	-3,159	-0.30%	44
South Carolina	25,564	0.55%	39	108,104	2.34%	4	133,668	2.89%	6
South Dakota	5,690	0.70%	29	11,286	1.39%	13	16,976	2.09%	13
Tennessee	35,550	0.56%	38	81,233	1.28%	14	116,783	1.84%	15
Texas	327,700	1.30%	13	533,154	2.12%	6	860,854	3.42%	5
Utah	20,867	0.75%	28	3,289	0.12%	20	24,156	0.87%	25
Vermont	2,752	0.44%	43	-4,339	-0.69%	38	-1,587	-0.25%	43
Virginia	133,806	1.67%	9	-2,229	-0.03%	22	131,577	1.64%	18
Washington	91,314	1.36%	12	80,505	1.20%	15	171,819	2.56%	10
West Virginia	4,500	0.24%	51	-2,943	-0.16%	27	1,557	0.08%	37
Wisconsin	24,848	0.44%	44	-33,480	-0.59%	36	-8,632	-0.15%	40
Wyoming	1,920	0.34%	48	5,284	0.94%	16	7,204	1.28%	22

¹ Rate is percentage of population in previous decennial census.

² Rate ranked from highest to lowest

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Estimates data, at <http://www.census.gov/popest/data/state/totals/2014/index.html>