

WHO IS THE

LATINO WORKING CLASS

IN THE UNITED STATES?



4/5 Latino adults in the United States are working class.

THAT IS **38.5 MILLION** PEOPLE

The Latino working class includes those who are:

- Ages 18-24 and lower income* (4.6M)
- Ages 25+ with no bachelor's degree, regardless of income (31.3M)
- Ages 25+ with bachelor's degree and lower income (2.6M)
- Not working class (10.3M)

*Lower income is below **300%** of the poverty line.

The Latino working class spans age, generational status and gender.

SHARE OF U.S. LATINO ADULTS IN THE WORKING CLASS BY CHARACTERISTIC, 2025

78%
of Latino men
are working-class.



80%
of Latino women
are working-class.

FIRST GENERATION (IMMIGRANTS)

87%

SECOND GENERATION (U.S. BORN)

70%

THIRD+ GENERATION (U.S. BORN)

74%

AGES
18-34
71%

AGES
35-64
83%

AGES
65+
88%

Latinos are more likely to be working class than non-Latinos.

79%
of Latino adults
are working-class

versus

63%
of non-Latino adults.



80%
of Latino children

live in households with at least one working-class Latino adult.

THAT IS **16.8 MILLION** YOUNG PEOPLE