

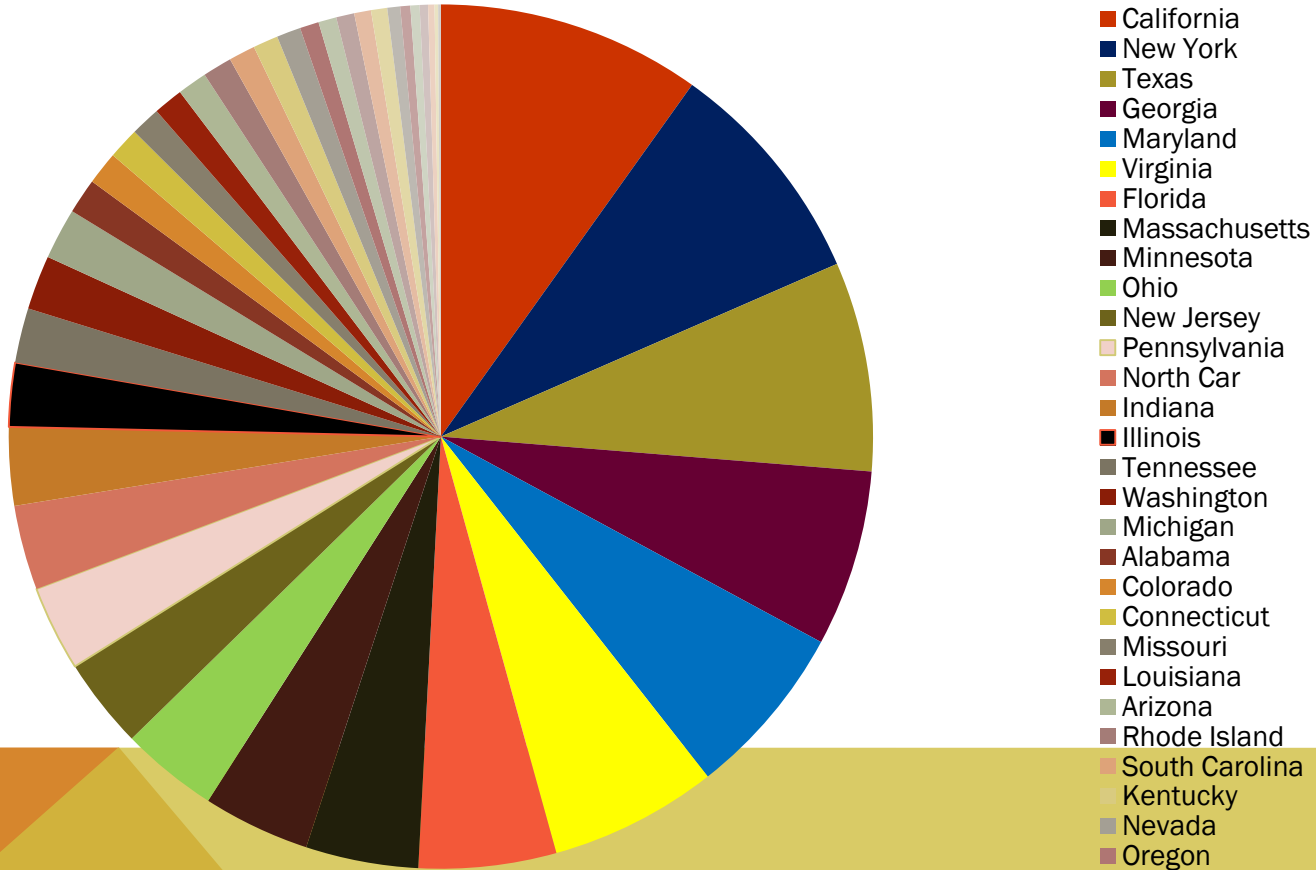


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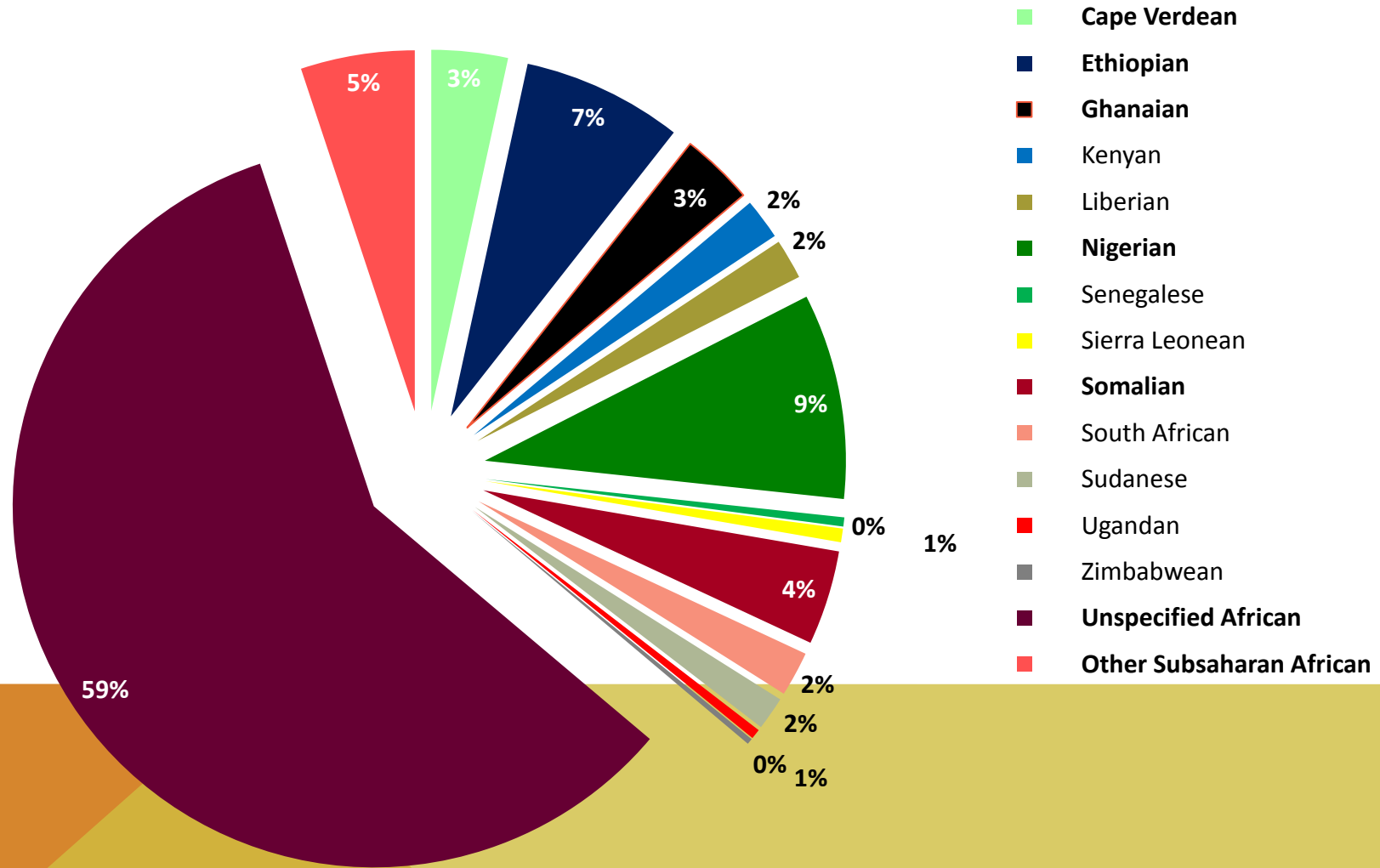
# AFRICAN DIASPORA POPULATION BY STATE

(out of 2.7 million people)



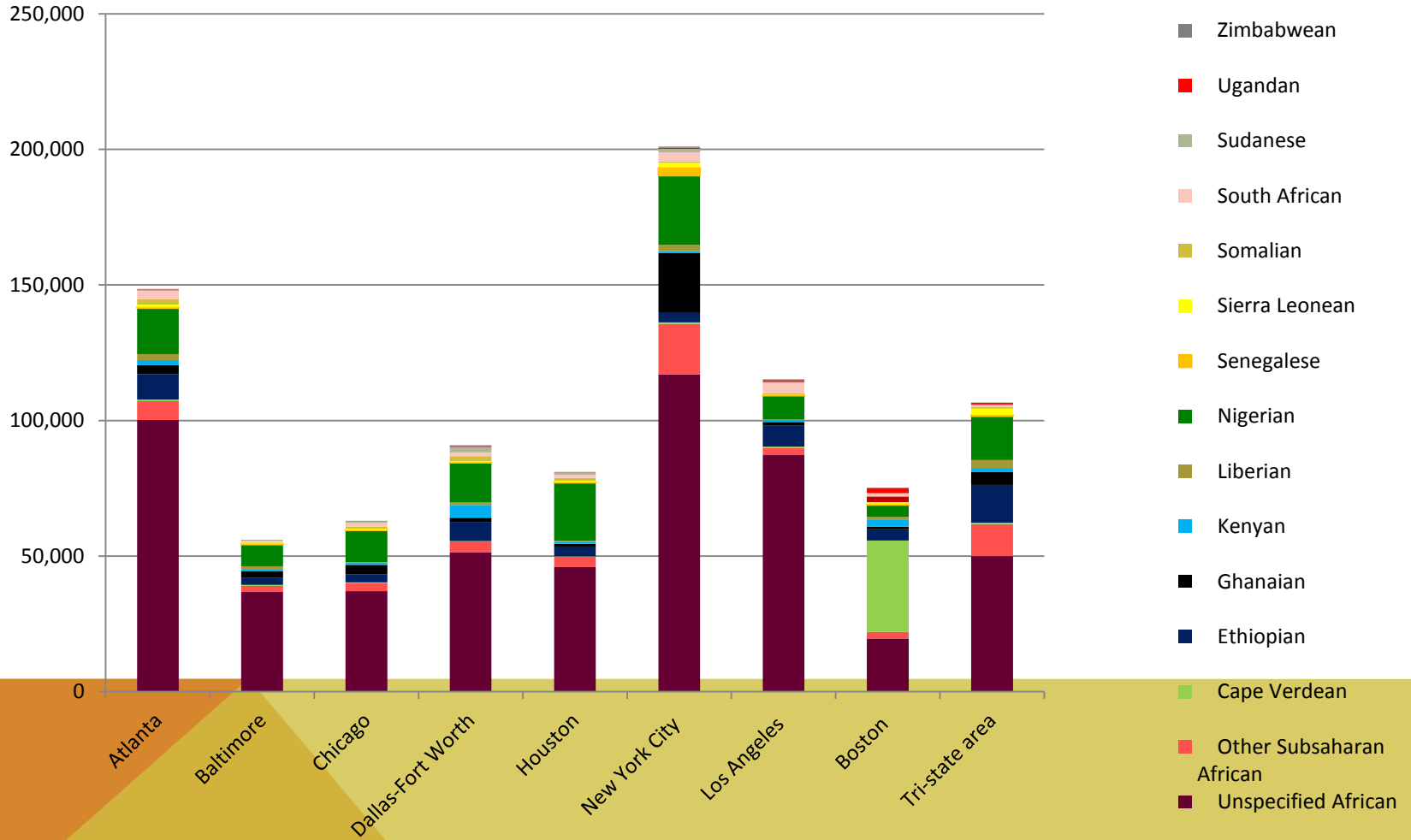
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# AFRICAN DIASPORA ACROSS THE U.S. BY NATIONALITY



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# CASE STUDY: TEXAS



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# African Diaspora in Texas

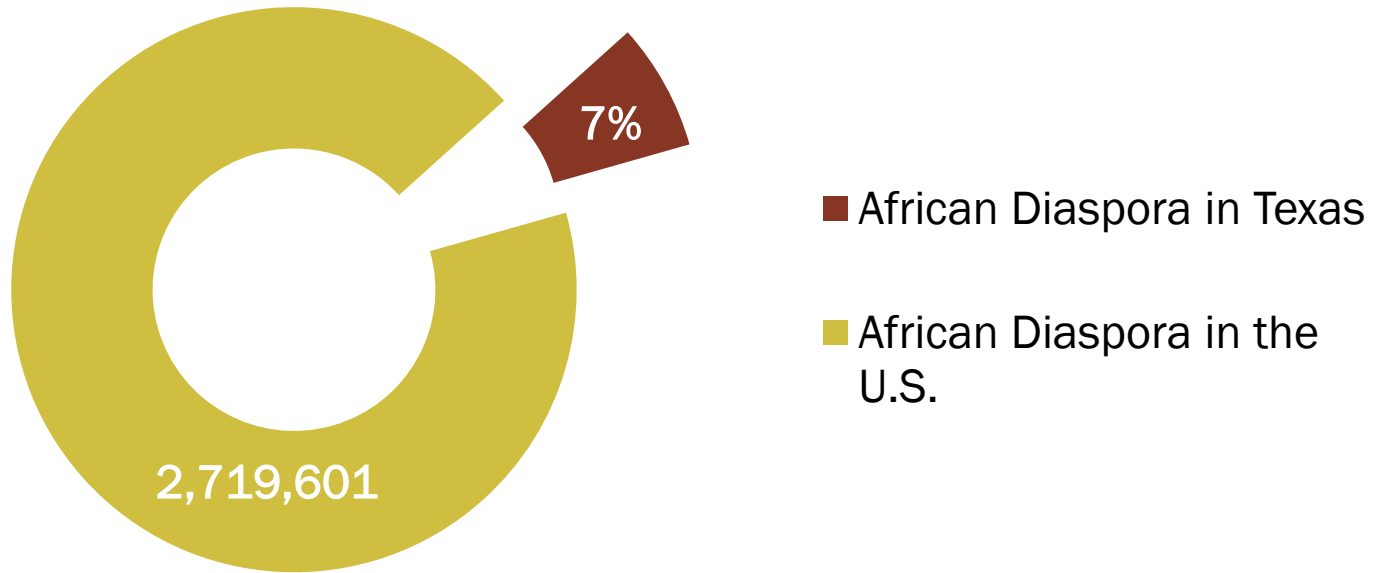


Chart 1. Diaspora is defined as those residents of the U.S. who listed their ancestry as African or a specific African nationality in the American Community Survey, a publication by the U.S. Census Bureau. Data collected from 2006-2010.

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# TEXAS DIASPORA POPULATION BY ORIGIN <200,000

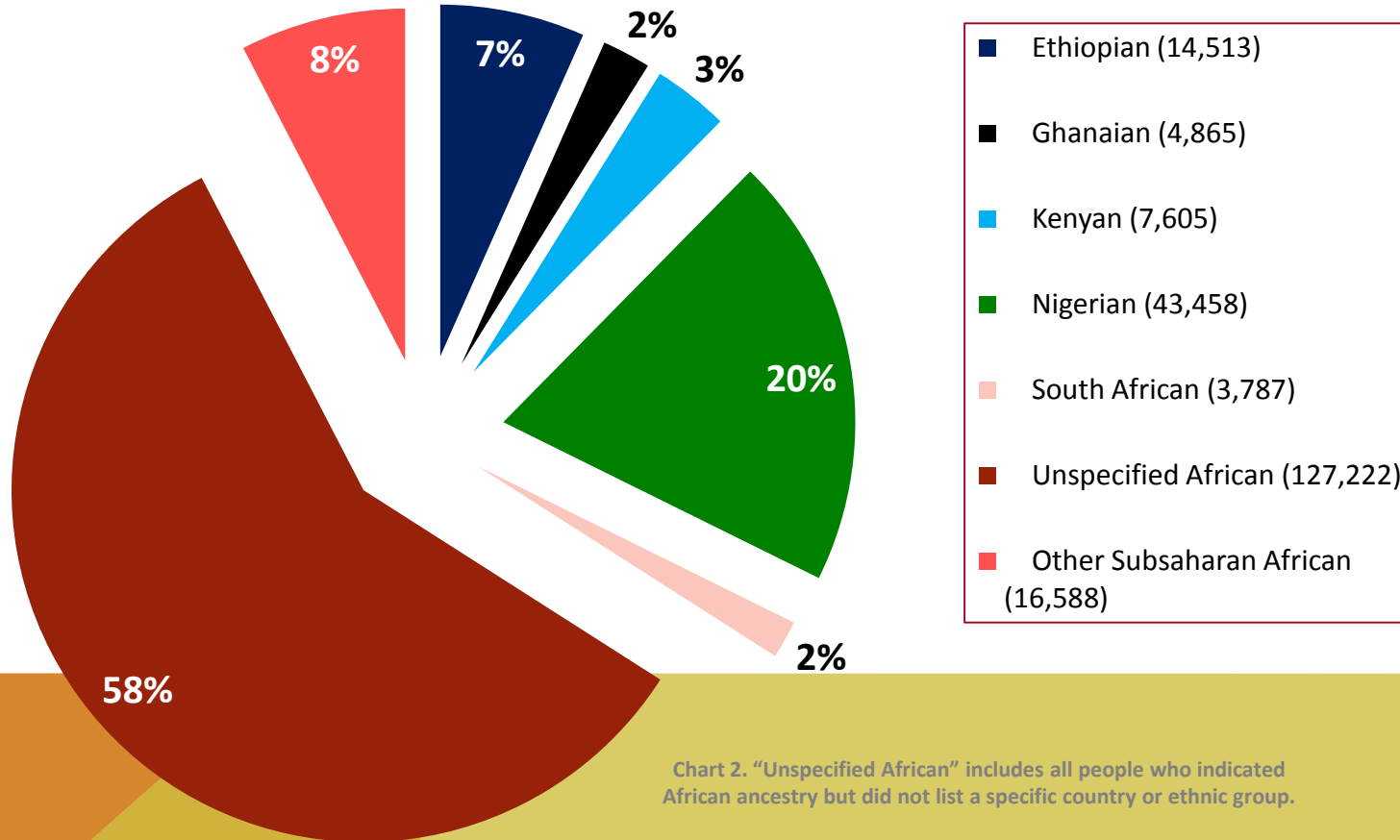


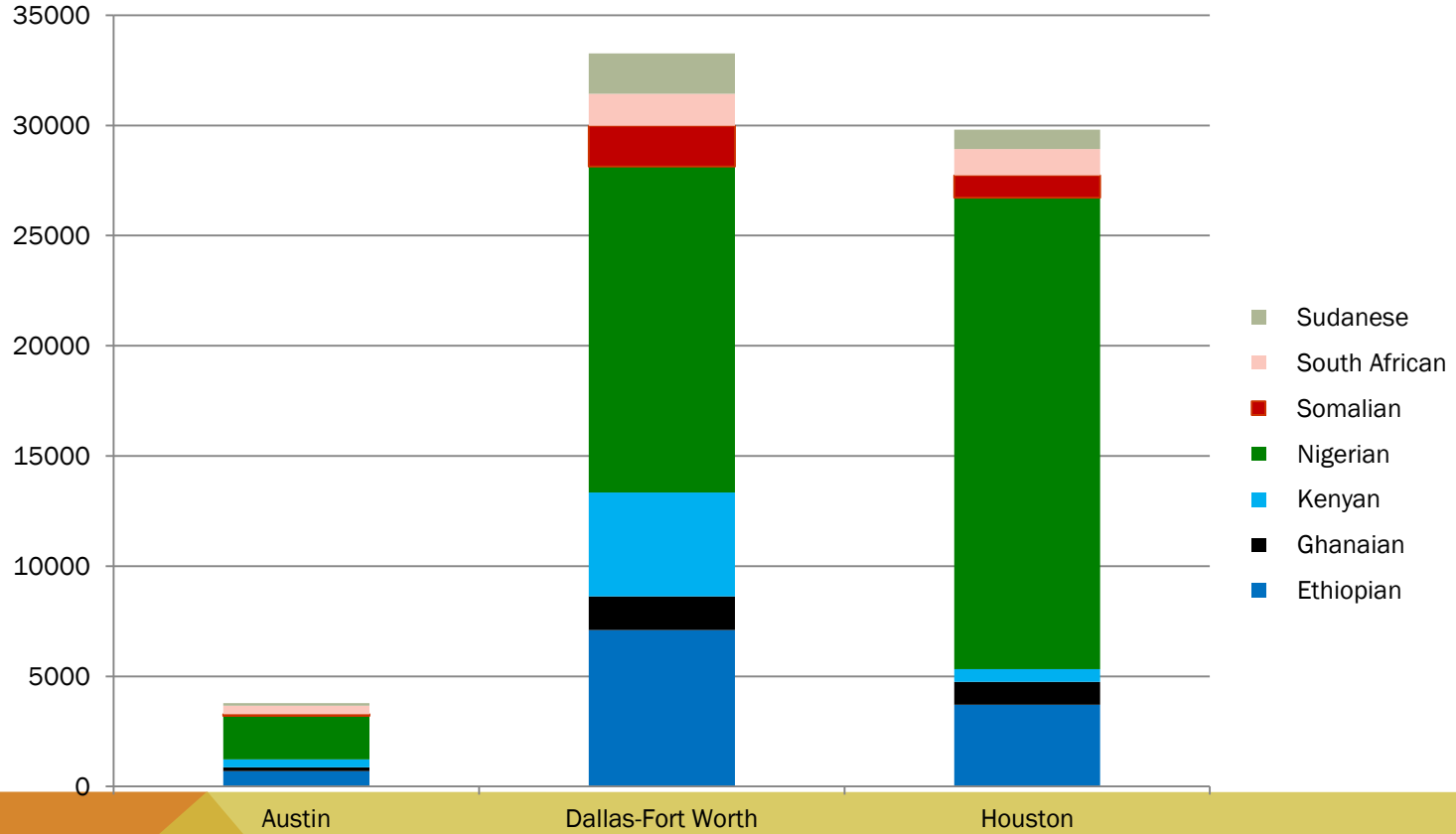
Chart 2. "Unspecified African" includes all people who indicated African ancestry but did not list a specific country or ethnic group.

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# Concentration of Diaspora in Texas Metro Areas



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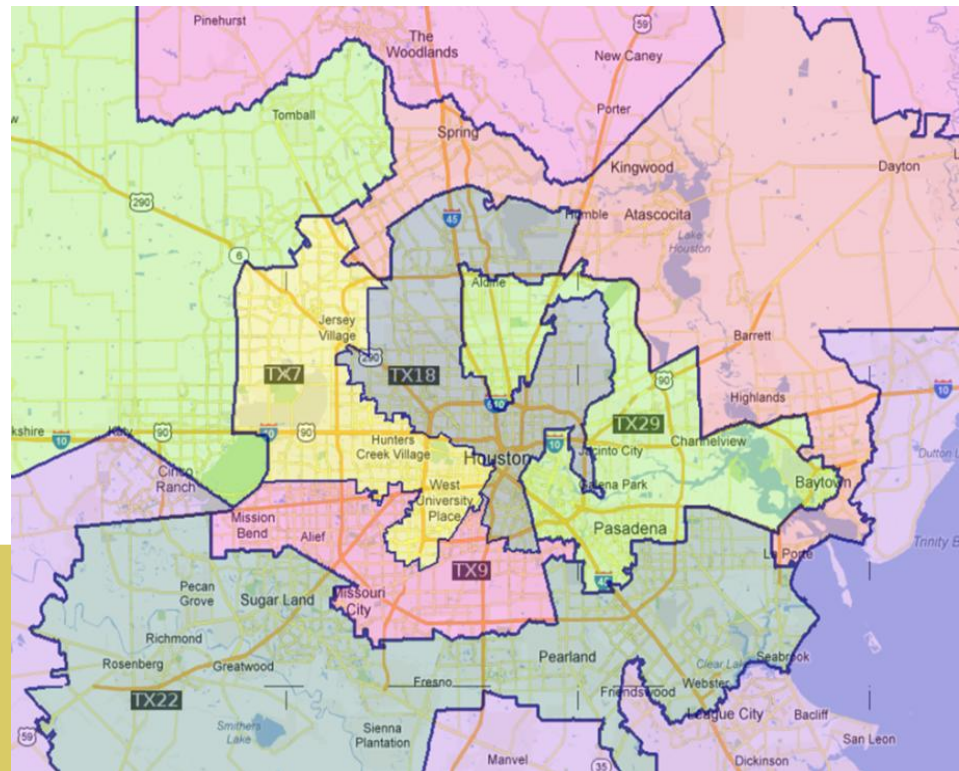
# HOUSTON CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS: through the AGOA 2000 vote lens

## Republicans

- TX 02-- Ted Poe
- TX 07-- John Culberson
- **TX 08-- Kevin Brady**
- TX 10-- Michael T. McCaul
- **TX 14-- Ron Paul**
- TX 22-- Pete Olson

## Democrats

- TX 09-- Al Green
- **TX 18-- Sheila Jackson Lee**
- **TX 29-- Gene Green**

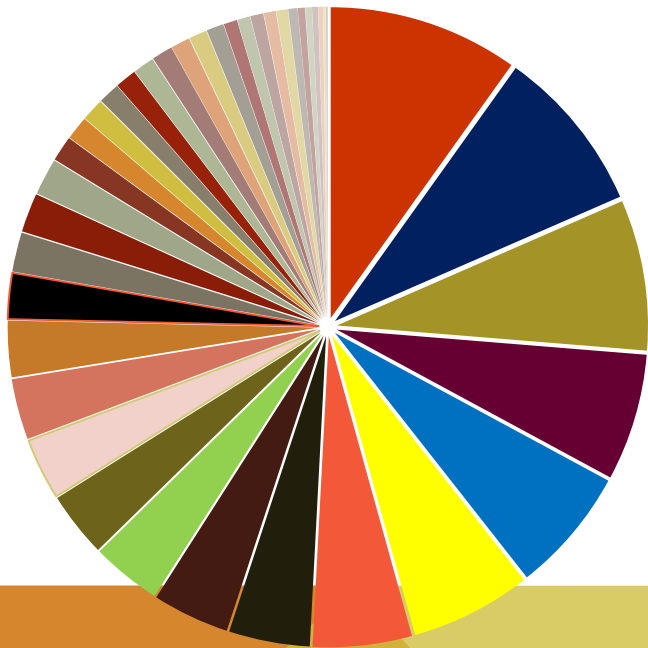


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# How the top diaspora-populated states voted on passage of the first AGOA bill- May 11, 2000

<b>California:</b>	<b>Boxer (D-CA), Nay</b>	Feinstein (D-CA), <b>Yea</b>
<b>Florida:</b>	Graham (D-FL), <b>Yea</b>	Mack (R-FL), <b>Yea</b>
<b>Georgia:</b>	<b>Cleland (D-GA), Nay</b>	Coverdell (R-GA), <b>Yea</b>
<b>Maryland:</b>	Mikulski (D-MD), <b>Yea</b>	Sarbanes (D-MD), <b>Yea</b>
<b>Massachusetts:</b>	<b>Kennedy (D-MA), Nay</b>	Kerry (D-MA), <b>Yea</b>
<b>New York:</b>	Moynihan (D-NY), <b>Yea</b>	Schumer (D-NY), <b>Yea</b>
<b>Texas:</b>	Gramm (R-TX), <b>Yea</b>	Hutchison (R-TX), <b>Yea</b>
<b>Virginia:</b>	Robb (D-VA), <b>Yea</b>	John Warner (R-VA), <b>Yea</b>



- California
- New York
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- Maryland
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- Ohio

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## NEXT STEPS

### *Organize:*

Your diaspora community and networks for Congressional engagement

### *Educate:*

Your community on specific legislative vehicles and the outcomes for your home country

### *Advocate:*

With your Members of Congress. Make them feel your presence; make them feel the warmth

*And remember:*

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