

Table 2-2
Region of Origin of CIC Database, Target Sample and Final Interview Sample

	CIC database		Target Sample		Interview Sample	
	(N)	(%)	(N)	(%)	(N)	(%)
Africa	589	11.0%	83	8.7%	39	6.3%
Central/South America	344	6.4%	98	10.3%	64	10.4%
Southeast Asia	568	10.6%	96	10.0%	20	3.2%
Former Yugoslavia	2482	46.3%	500	52.3%	375	60.9%
Middle East	1237	23.0%	163	16.7%	107	17.4%
Poland	99	1.8%	12	1.3%	11	1.8%
Other	47	0.9%	4	0.4%		
TOTAL	5366	100%	956	100%	616	100%

The original CIC data base included a total of 5366 government and privately-sponsored refugees destined to the seven Alberta cities considered in this study. However, a small number of these individuals went directly to other communities, rather than the city to which they were destined. Hence, the original sampling frame for this study consisted of 5208 individuals (see Table 2-1). The original CIC data base contained 85 individuals who had arrived in Canada from western European countries (e.g., Denmark) and another 40 for whom no information on country of origin has been recorded. On the assumption that these individuals probably came from Africa, the Middle East, or Former Yugoslavia, via western European countries, these cases were assigned to these three categories (in column 1) proportional to the actual number of refugees in these three categories.