

*Migration and diversity policies  
Moroccans in Spain*

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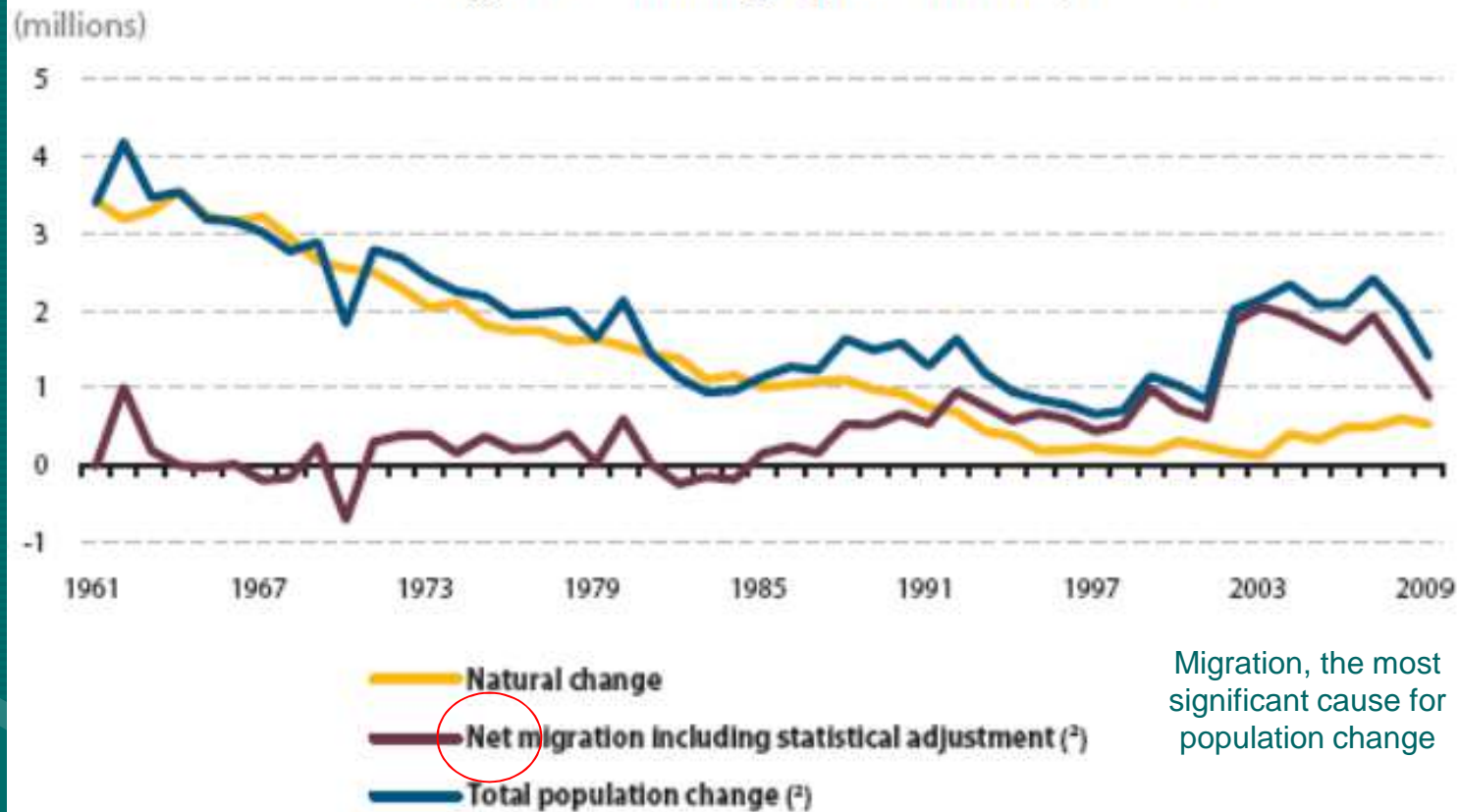


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Málaga, 13-14 March 2013  
*Mediterranean Migration Mosaic (Spring 2013)*  
*Toulouse Morocco, and Malaga*  
(Dickinson College course)

## Annual variation

**Figure 1 - Demographic balance, EU-27**

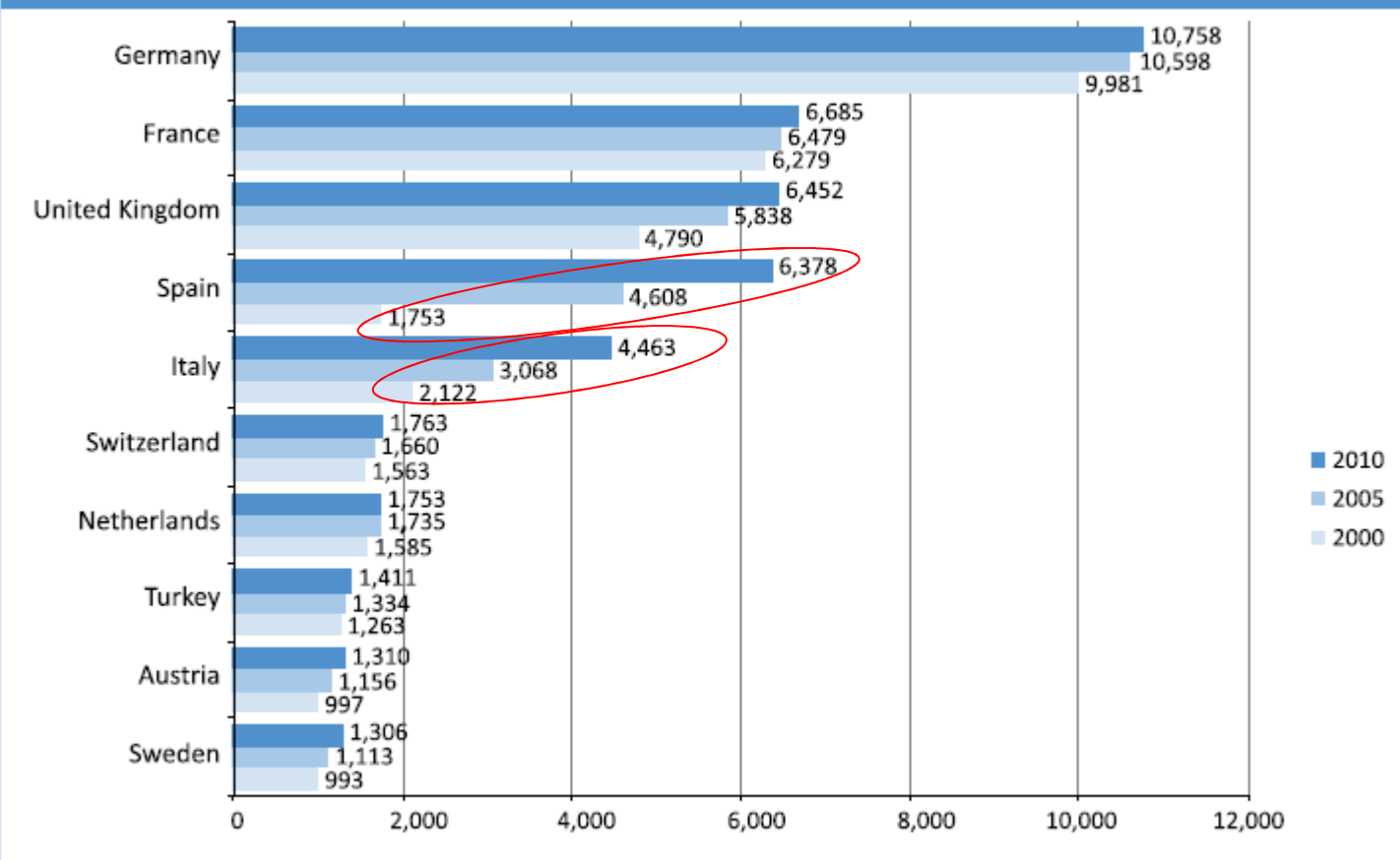


(<sup>1</sup>) Break in series, 1998.

(<sup>2</sup>) Provisional, 2008 and 2009.

Source: Eurostat (2012)

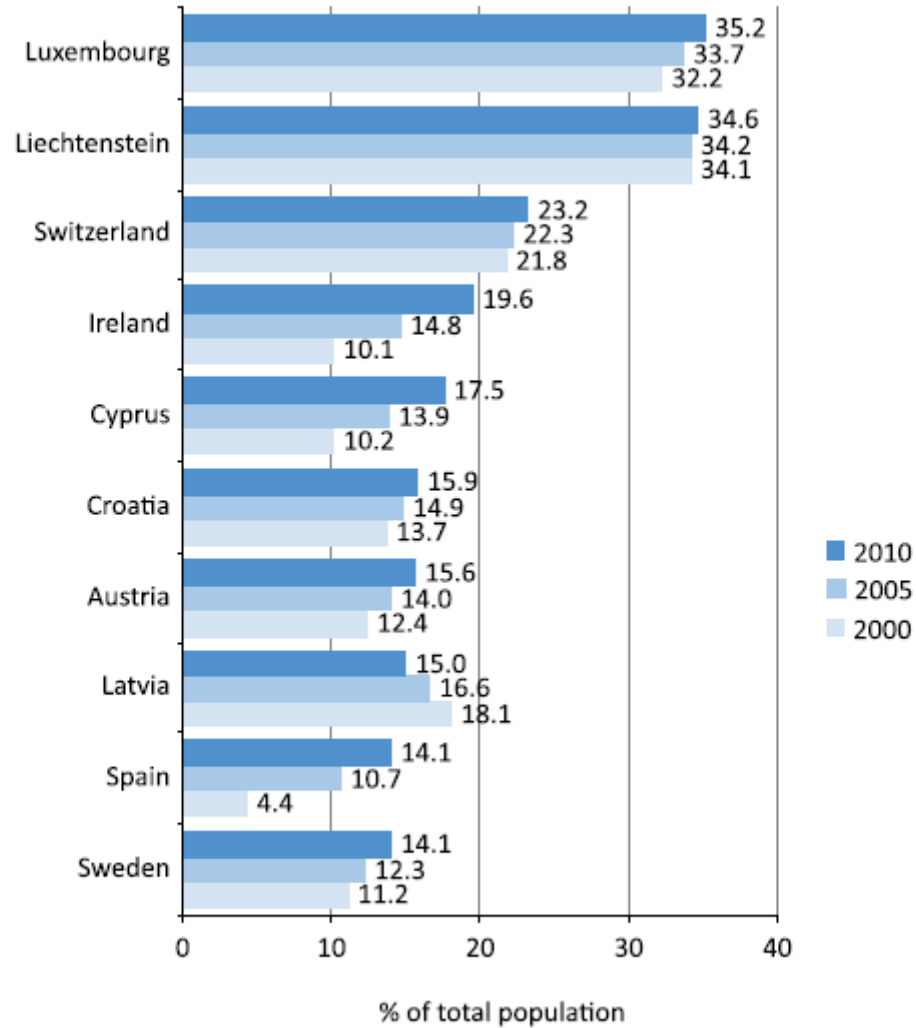
Figure 3: Stock of migrants in Western and Central Europe, by destination: top ten destinations in 2000, 2005 and 2010 (in thousands)



Source: UN DESA, 2009.

*World Migration Report 2010* (International Organization for Migration)

Figure 4: Stock of migrants, by destination, as a percentage of total population in Western and Central Europe: top ten destinations in 2000, 2005 and 2010



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## 2010 (Eurostat)

Statistical Office of the EU

32.5 million foreigners living in EU  
(12.3 EU citizens + 20.2 non EU citizens)

77.4% in:

Germany (7.1 millions)  
Spain (5.7 millions)  
United Kingdom (4.4 millions)  
France (3.8 millions)  
Italy (4.2 millions)

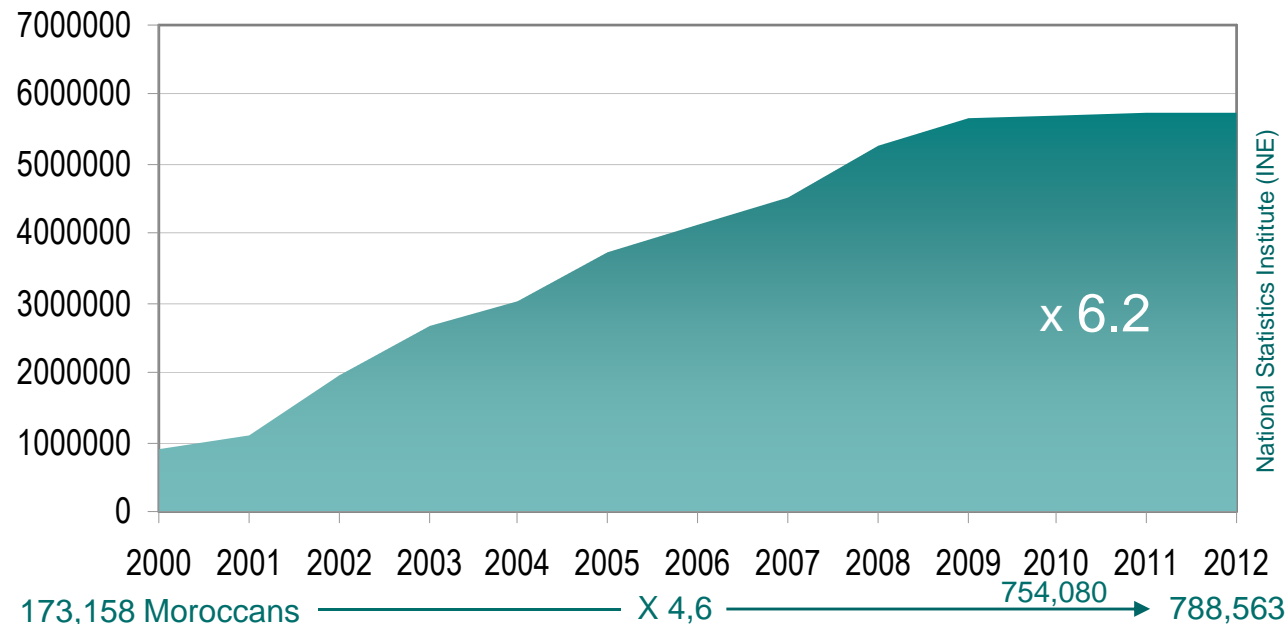
Countries reporting the highest share of foreign residents in the total population:

Luxembourg (43%)  
Estonia and Cyprus (16%)  
Spain (12'3%)  
Austria (10'5%)

-0,3%

5,751,487 (12%) → 5,736,258 (12%)  
(INE, 2011.1.1) (INE: 2012.1.1)

### Foreigners registered in Spain (2000-2012)



National Statistics Institute (INE)

x 6.2

Less than 16,000  
(1991)

923,879  
(INE, 2000.1.1)

173,158 Moroccans X 4,6 → 788,563

773,995  
(2011)

### Migratory balance (foreigners / Spaniards)

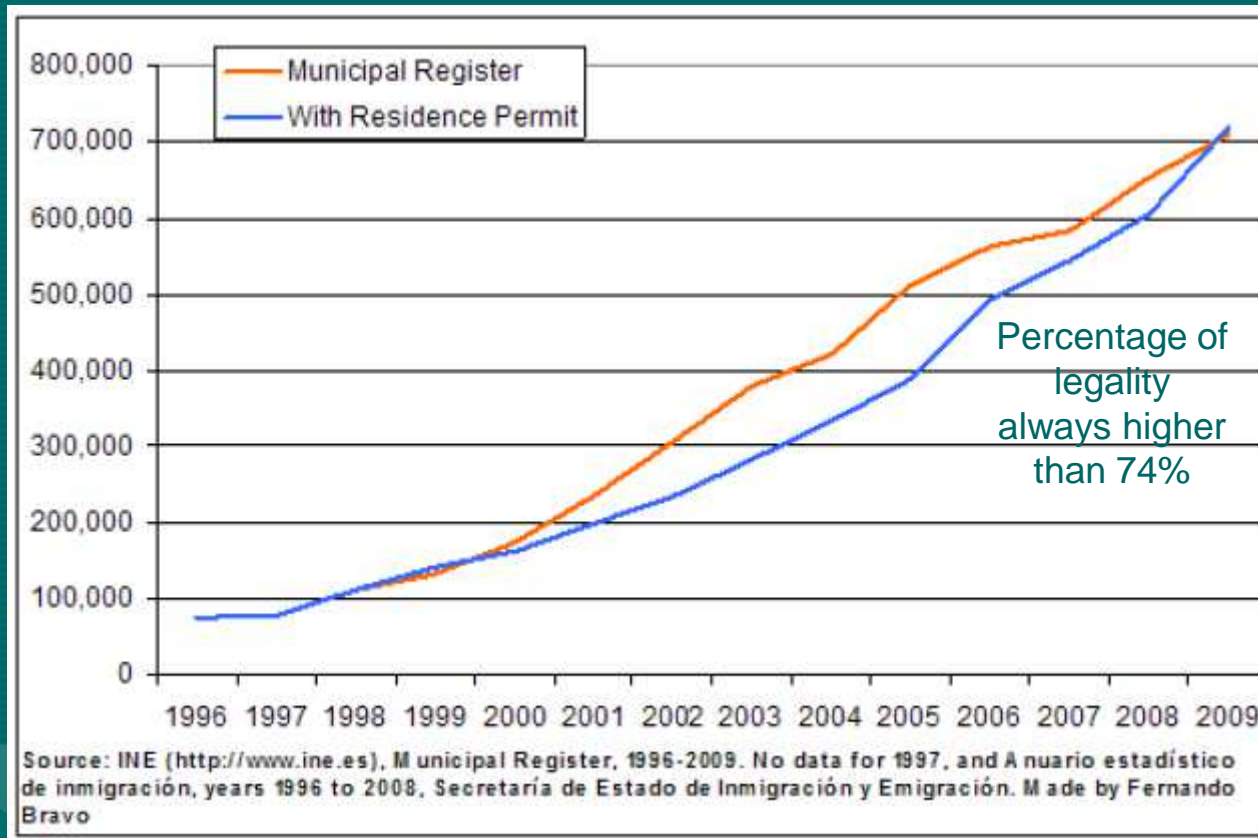
2009: 51,505 / -4,143

2010: 64,324 / -2,168

2011: -29,606 / -20,484

2012 (January thru September): -112,089 / -25,539

## Moroccans in Spain



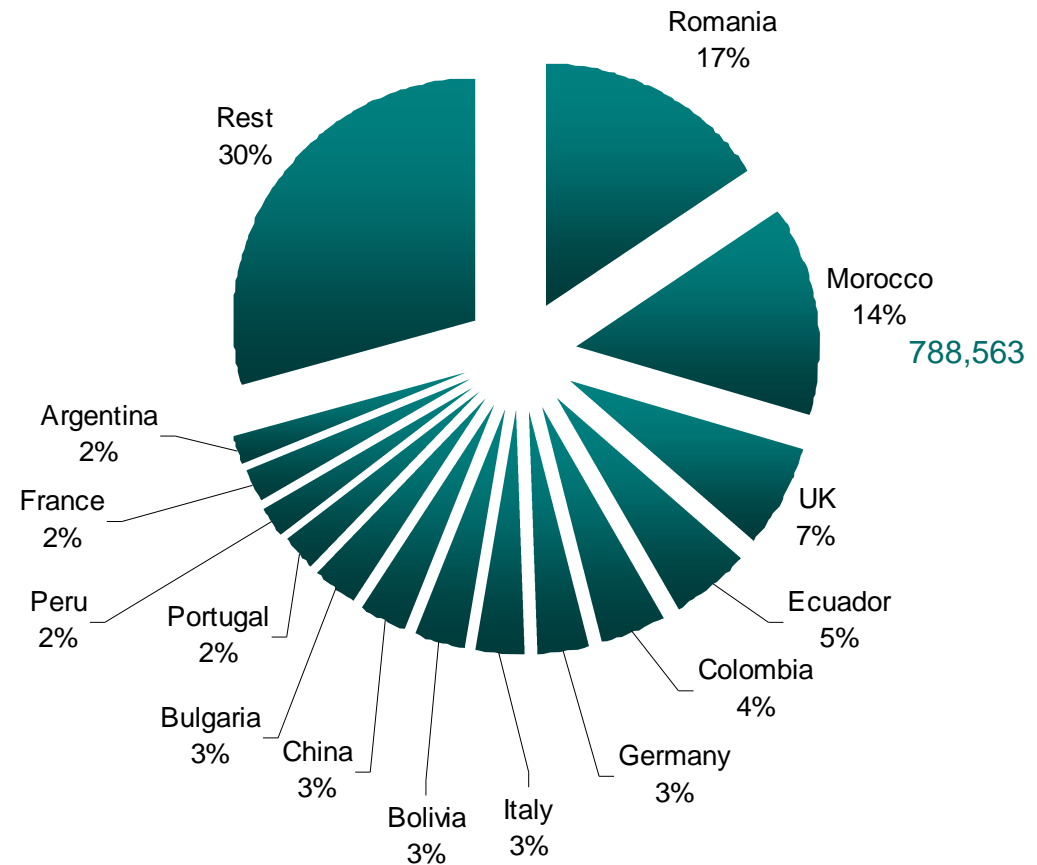
## Immigrants in Spain (INE, 1 January 2012)



A multicultural society

More than 120 nationalities...  
from all continents

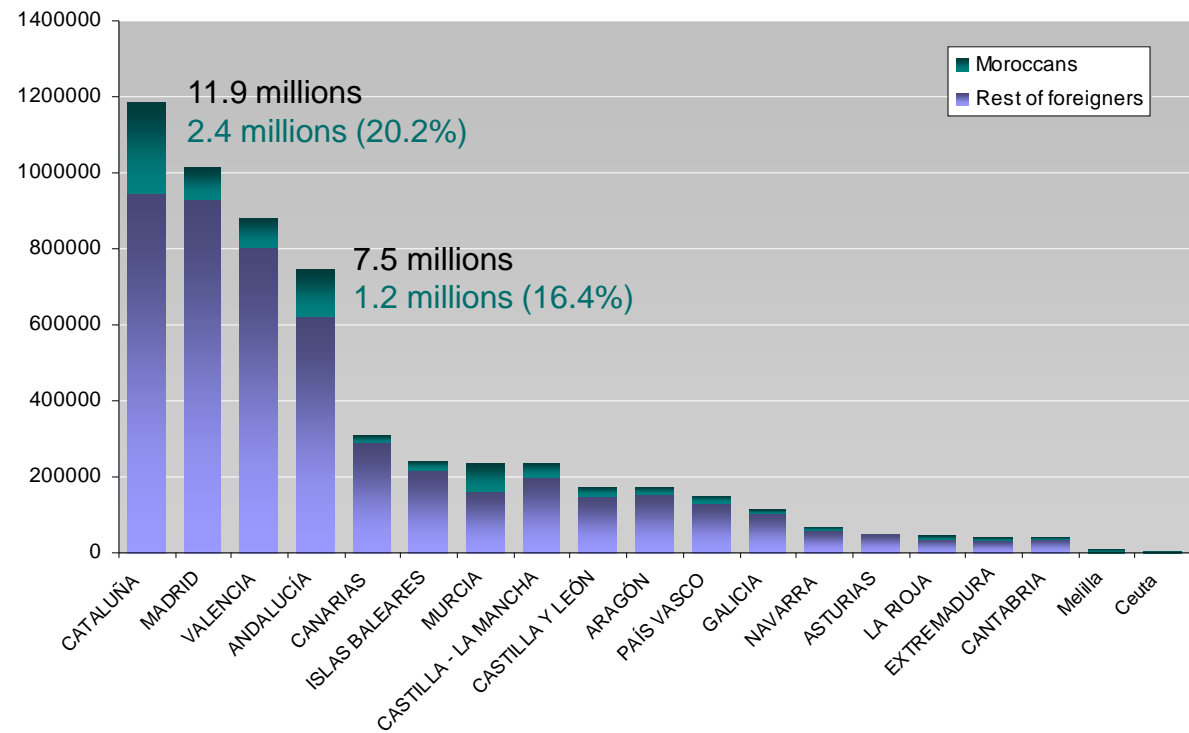
## Foreign population by country of nationality (INE, 2012.1.1)



Settled in all the Spanish regions



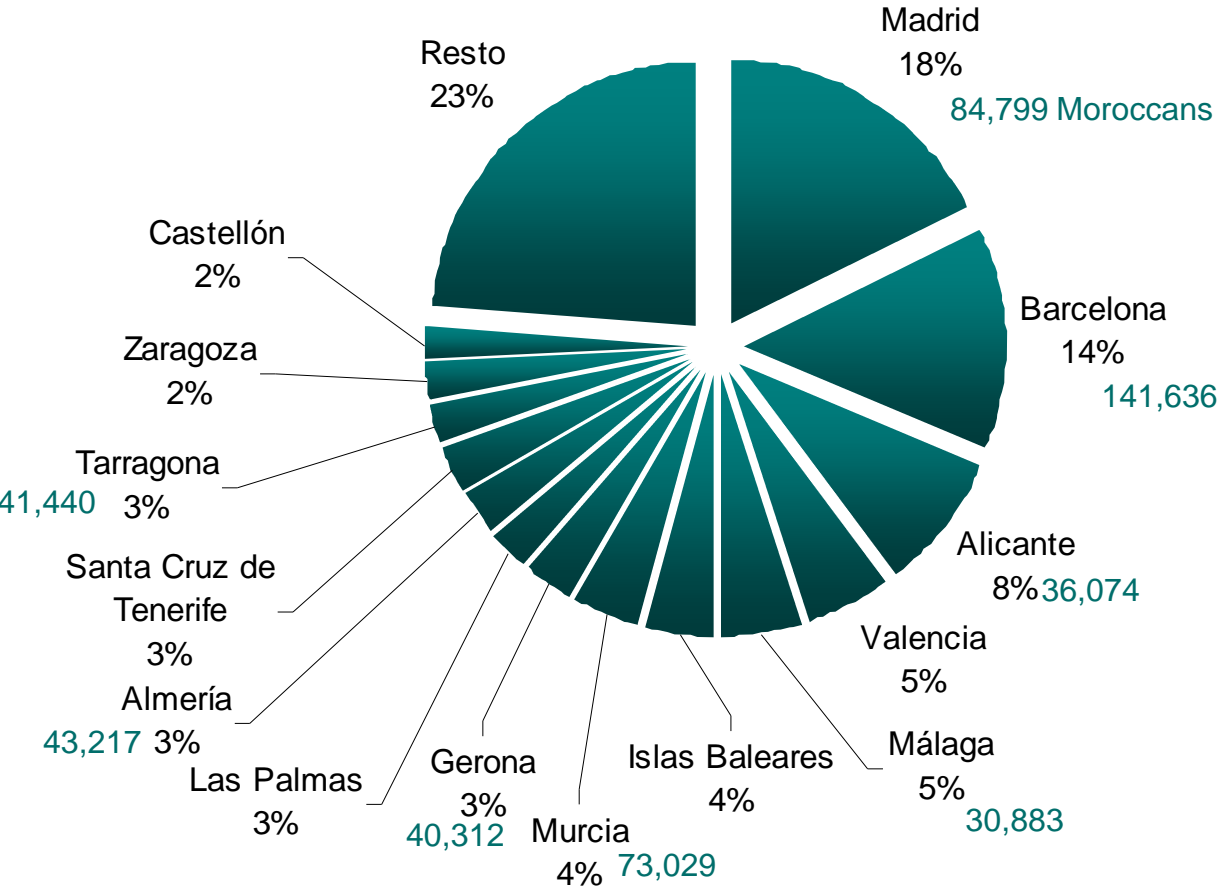
Stocks of foreign population by region of residence (INE, 2012.1.1)





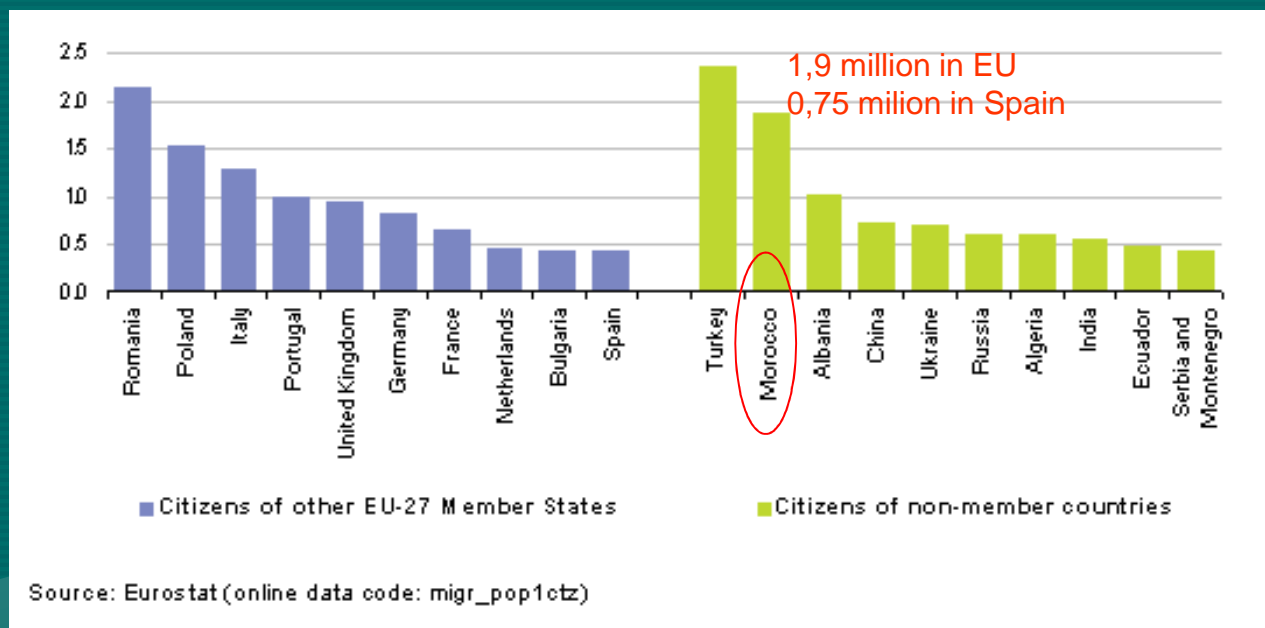
...and in all the provinces

Stocks of foreign population by province of residence (INE, 2012.1.1)



7CCAA (2011)  
28 localities (2,639, 1%)  
without  
registered foreigners

### Main countries of origin of non-nationals, EU-27, 2010 (million)





Multiculturality / cultural diversity is a fact



# EL PAÍS

REPORTAJE

## Las caras que ya son de aquí

Cuatro destacados artistas españoles retratan durante un año los nuevos rostros de la región

R. RIVAS - Madrid - 28/04/2009

Vota ☆☆☆☆☆ Resultado ★★★★★ 46 votos



Agnieska, Hui Chi Chiu, Orisel, Dairon, Bill, Laurent, Lee Hua, Youssef, Manana, Naomi, Lilián, Lucía-Asué, Johann, Sarka, Álex... **Viven y trabajan aquí, pero proceden de allá, de muchos allás.** Son algunos nombres que tienen el millón de extranjeros que viven en la Comunidad de Madrid. Dieciséis de cada 100 madrileños no han nacido aquí.

Si Internet tiene *caralibro*, Madrid tiene cientos, miles de caras, que caben en un libro. Un catálogo hermanado con una exposición son la herramienta con la que cuatro destacados fotógrafos retratan los rostros de la ciudad contemporánea. Alberto García Alix, Luis Baylón, Ouka Leele y Javier

Campano miran, absorben, el capital humano y reflejan, en blanco y negro y en color, el lenguaje de la nueva Babel. Los modelos fueron escogidos mediante una selección tras un llamamiento público en el que se animaba a posar "para destacados artistas españoles".





Angela Merkel, October 2010

"Multikulti [Multikulturalität] hat ausgedient“

"Ha fracasado la sociedad multicultural"

“El multiculturalismo en Alemania ha sido un fracaso total”

“This multicultural approach, saying that we simply live side by side and are happy about each other has failed. Utterly failed”

Attempts to create a multicultural society in the country have "utterly failed“

Merkel told the annual meeting of young Christian Democrats that Multiculturalism in Germany had “utterly failed”

"the tendency had been to say 'let's accept the multicultural concept and live happily side by side, and be happy to be living with each other'. But this concept has failed, and failed utterly."

“Natürlich ist der Ansatz zu sagen, wir machen hier so Multikulti und leben einander her und freuen uns über einander, dieser Ansatz ist gescheitert, absolut gescheitert”



"We have been too concerned about the identity of the person who was arriving and not enough about the identity of the country that was receiving him,"

Sarkozy, February 2011

"This raises the issue of Islam and our Muslim compatriots," he said. "Our Muslim compatriots should be able to live and practice their religion like anyone else ... but it can only be a French Islam and not just an Islam in France."



Cameron, February 2011

"Under the doctrine of state multiculturalism, we have encouraged different cultures to live separate lives, apart from each other and apart from the mainstream. We've failed to provide a vision of society to which they feel they want to belong. We've even tolerated these segregated communities behaving in ways that run completely counter to our values."

# Migration policies

(ideological biases)

Immigration quotas for workers  
Work and residence permits  
Family reunification  
Visa  
Schengen zone  
Frontex (European Agency for the Management of Operational Cooperation at the External Borders of the Member States of the European Union) plus bilateral agreements with countries of origin  
Confinement centres  
Repatriation  
Asylum

→ managing flows

↗ *Push factors*

once settled



# Approaches handling cultural diversity

Whether and how to bridge cultural diversity  
What is meant by 'integration'?

## Multiculturalism or communitarianism

Cultural relativism

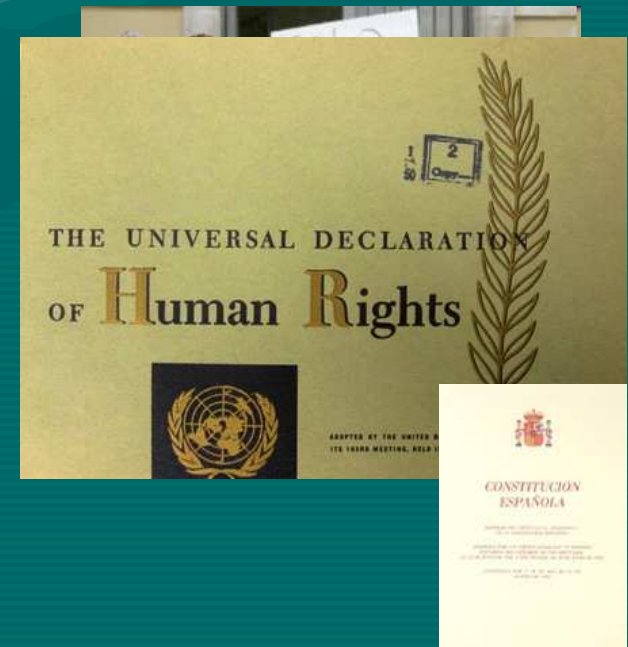
Preeminence of the ethno-cultural community

- ➔ "politics of difference" (Taylor)
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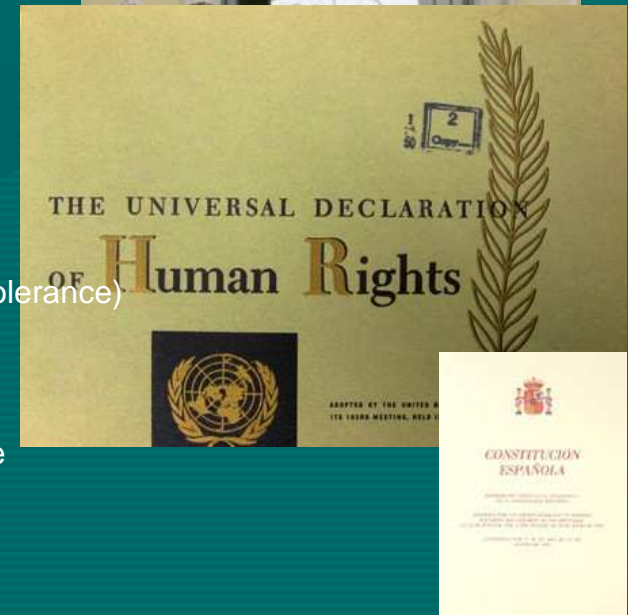
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## Interculturalism

- ➔ Convivence } Respect (tolerance)
- vs. co-existence } Indifference
- vs. assimilation } Relativism



Individual's will

Equality  
Intra e intercomunitaria

Interculturalism

Individual rights

Collective rights

Multiculturalism

Assimilationism

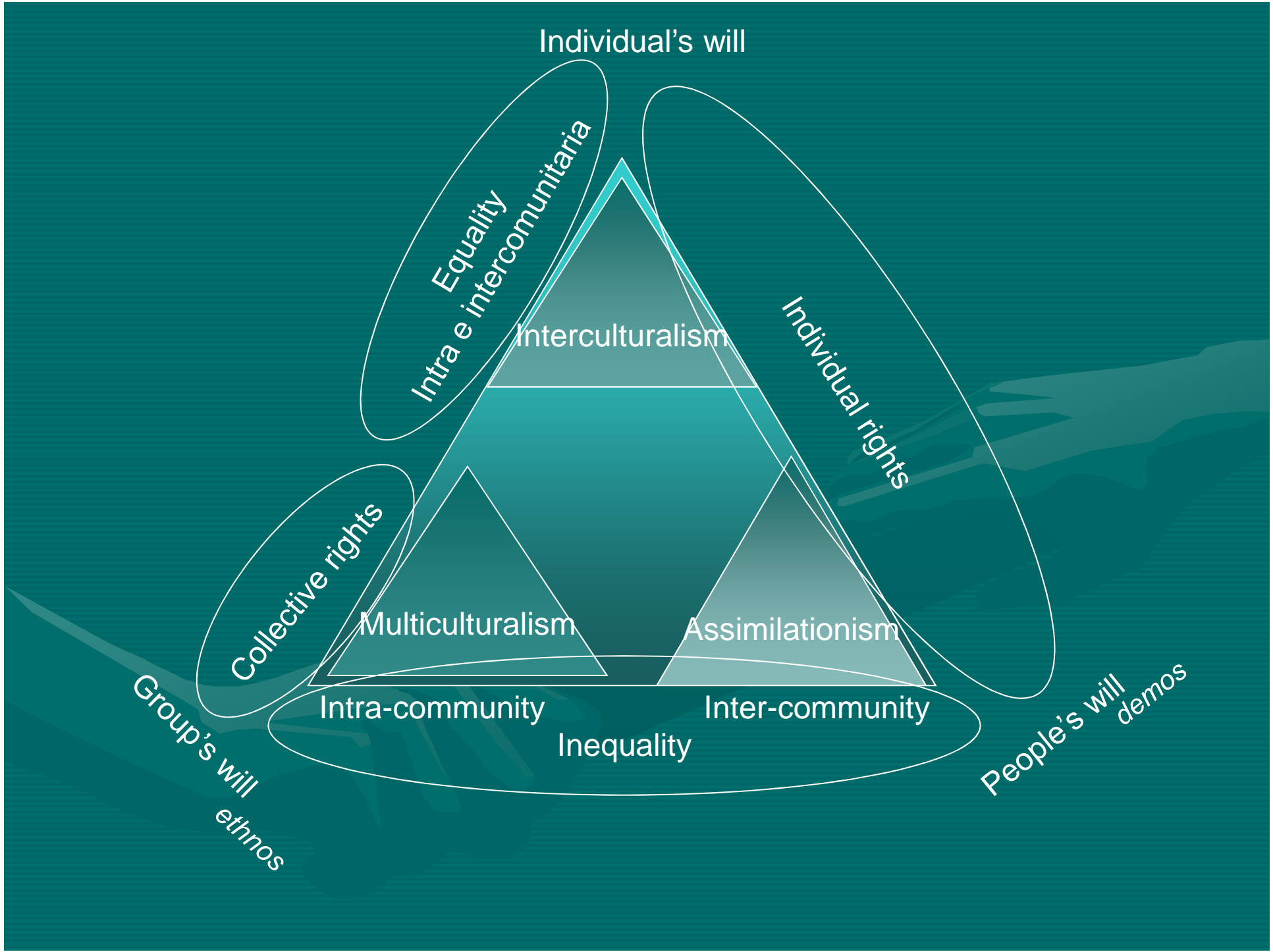
Group's will  
ethnos

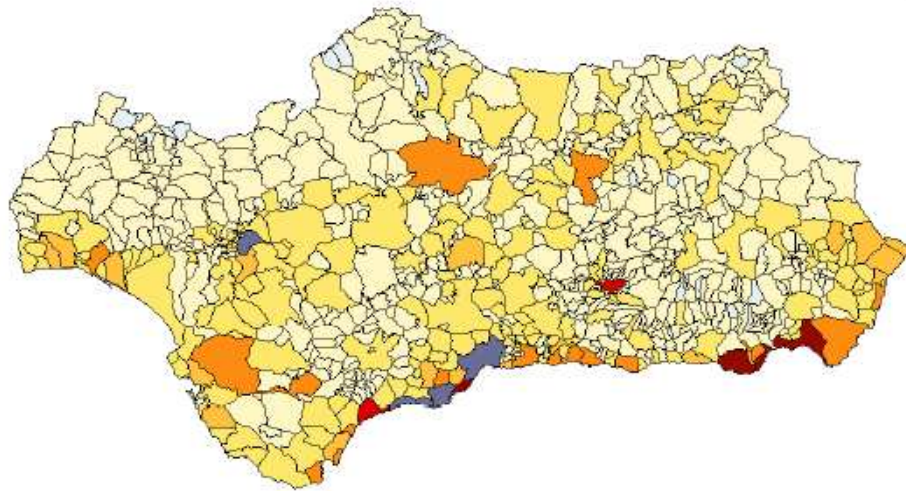
Intra-community

Inter-community

Inequality

People's will  
demos





II PLAN INTEGRAL PARA LA INMIGRACIÓN EN ANDALUCÍA 2006-2009

CONSEJERÍA DE GOBERNACIÓN

JUNTA DE ANDALUCÍA

## VII. Áreas de Intervención.

0. Metodología.
1. Área Socioeducativa.
2. Área Sociolaboral.
3. Área Sociosanitaria.
4. Área de Inclusión y Bienestar Social.
5. Área de Equipamiento, Vivienda y Alojamiento.
6. Área de Cultura, Ocio y Participación.
7. Área de Atención Jurídica.
8. Área de Formación.
9. Área de Investigación.
10. Área de Sensibilización Social.
11. Área de Cooperación al Desarrollo.

First integration plan, 1993/2000 Catalanian plan

Second one, 2001/2004 Andalusian plan

National plan, 2007/2010

# Second Andalusian Comprehensive Immigration Plan (2006-2009)

(Integration, a complex and bidirectional process of mutual respect)

## General objectives:

1. Promoting social, economic and cultural welcoming policies consistent with an inclusion and autonomous model for new Andalusian men and women.
2. Promoting full-integration of immigrants, as subjects of rights and duties within the Andalusian society, at the social, work, and personal levels.
3. Ensuring access of the immigrant population, in conditions of equality and equity, to basic services common to the whole population, such as health, education, employment, housing, social services, and legal attention.



Inclusion (and equality)



Social cohesion

Respect for  
cultural diversity?

# From theory and political discourse to practice



2010 Judgment of the court:

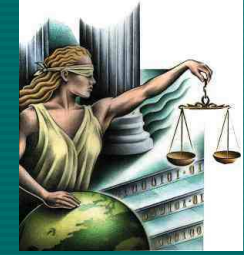
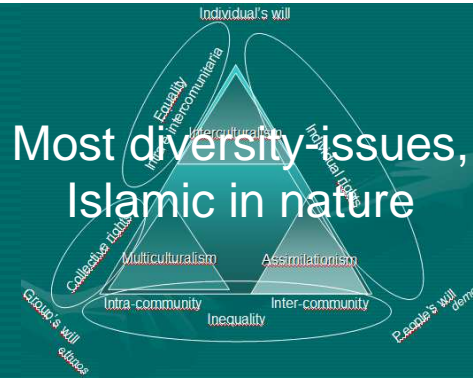
Moral damages and crimes of abuse  
Domestic violence and sexual assault (rape), that is, attempt on her sexual freedom



Relativism  
Exceptionalism  
Indifference

"The defence of cultural diversity is an ethical imperative, inseparable from respect for human dignity. It implies a commitment to human rights and fundamental freedoms, in particular the rights of persons belonging to minorities and those of indigenous peoples. No one may invoke cultural diversity to infringe upon human rights guaranteed by international law, nor to limit their scope" (UNESCO Universal Declaration on Cultural Diversity, 2001, art.4)

Most diversity issues,  
Islamic in nature



"bad muslim woman"  
(husbands and imams)

Individual vs. collective rights

Court (2010)

Reduction in previous prison sentence (for threat and wife abuse [(domestic) violence against a woman]) because the offender was a Muslim and he reproached her "not respecting Muslim traditions, and in particular those relating to the obedience a woman has to shown to her husband"

# Dissolution of Marriage vs. divorce / separation

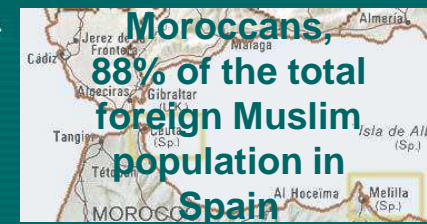
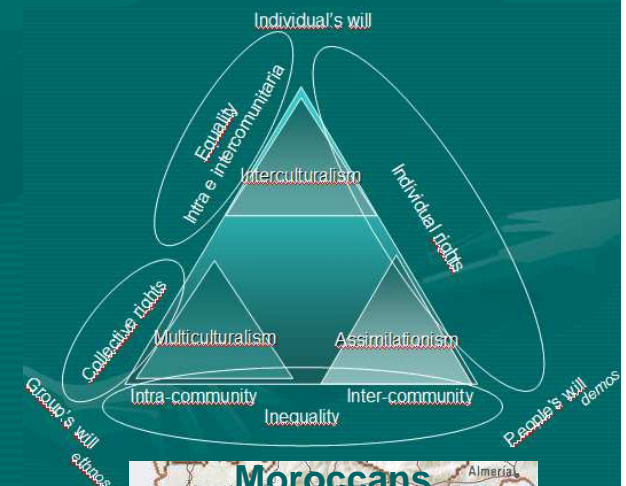
Spanish / European family law vis-à-vis Moroccan family law

National laws → cultural diversity vis-à-vis human rights

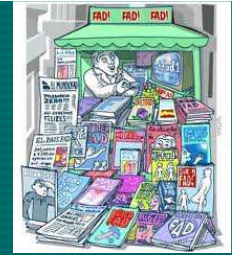
Men and women { Dignity  
Equality  
Anti-discrimination

Integration in Spain / Europe vis-à-vis personal and family ties in Morocco

+  
Social protection  
⇒ Woman  
Child(ren)



## Individual's will



Group's will  
*ethnos*



People's will  
*demos*



*Najwa affair*  
April 2010

High-school Camilo José Cela (Pozuelo de Alarcón, Madrid)

Academic year 2010-11  
Moroccan pre university students  
Total: 143,424  
Female: 66,959

High school internal rules prohibited clothes covering head

Rules are there to be obeyed

Respecting the rules is part of the learning process

Equality between men and women, a human right

→ cultural exception

( → Internal rules)

- Constitution
- Universal Declaration of Human Rights
- European Convention on Human Rights
- United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child

Regional authorities



Transfer to another school

Right to education guaranteed

Macho submission of Muslim women  
Islam's incompatibility with democracy  
Menace of islamization of Spain

Respect for the dignity of persons

(Cultural) identity right

Religious freedom

Spain, a "non-confessional" state / laic state

State neutrality  
Individual freedom



Education → culture of submission and inequality acceptance  
State → personal gender violence

Mauritanian abused-child affair, one case

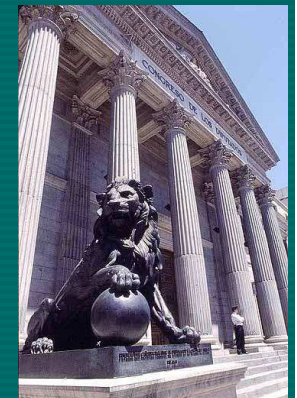
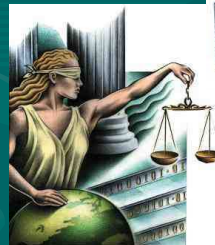
Najwa's veil affair, one case

Moroccans, +788thousand (2012), 14% of the total immigrant population

Foreign Muslims, +897thousand, 15% || 1,9% (total population)

Muslim-majority countries

Afghanistan, Saudi Arabia,  
Algeria, Bahrain, Egypt, Iraq,  
Iran, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon,  
Libya, Morocco, Mauritania,  
Oman, Pakistan, Palestine,  
Qatar, Western Sahara,  
Sudan, Syria, Tunisia, Turkey,  
United Arab Emirates and  
Yemen





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Cuadro 2

“Para cada una de las siguientes frases indique si está usted muy, bastante, poco o nada de acuerdo”

(porcentaje sobre total de inmigrantes musulmanes entrevistados)

