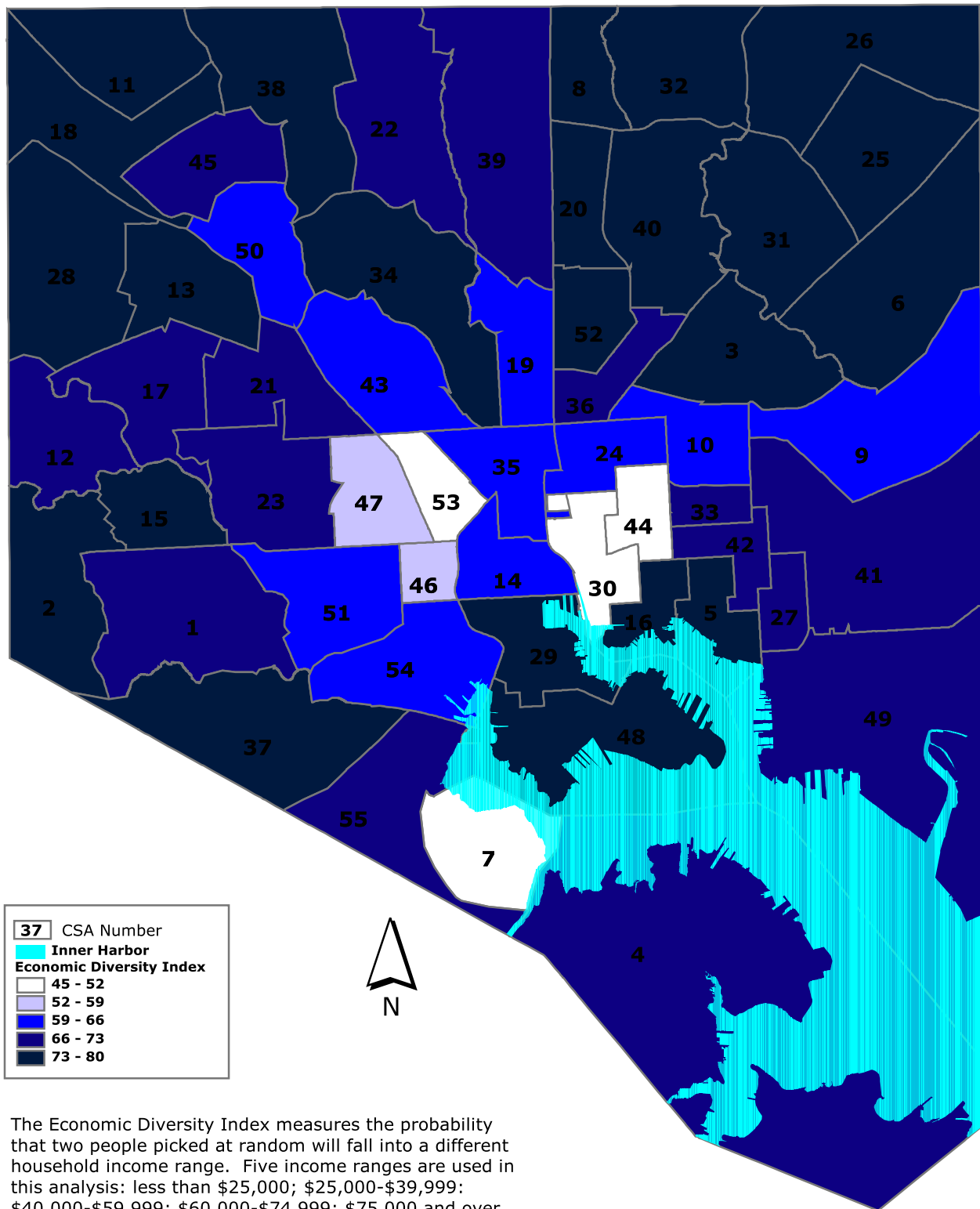


ECONOMIC DIVERSITY INDEX 2000



The Economic Diversity Index measures the probability that two people picked at random will fall into a different household income range. Five income ranges are used in this analysis: less than \$25,000; \$25,000-\$39,999; \$40,000-\$59,999; \$60,000-\$74,999; \$75,000 and over. The higher the percent, the more economically diverse an area. This number does not reflect which income range is predominant in an area.

Source: U.S. Census 2000, analyzed by the Maryland State Dept. of Planning-State Data Center