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ACS DEMOGRAPHIC AND HOUSING ESTIMATES

2007-2011 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Supporting documentation on code lists, subject definitions, data accuracy, and statistical testing can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Data and Documentation section.

Sample size and data quality measures (including coverage rates, allocation rates, and response rates) can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Methodology section.

Although the American Community Survey (ACS) produces population, demographic and housing unit estimates, it is the Census Bureau's Population Estimates Program that produces and disseminates the official estimates of the population for the nation, states, counties, cities and towns and estimates of housing units for states and counties.

Subject	Portland city, Oregon			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
SEX AND AGE				
Total population	576,543	+/-473	576,543	(X)
Male	284,423	+/-885	49.3%	+/-0.2
Female	292,120	+/-926	50.7%	+/-0.2
Under 5 years	35,261	+/-795	6.1%	+/-0.1
5 to 9 years	32,140	+/-1,096	5.6%	+/-0.2
10 to 14 years	27,309	+/-990	4.7%	+/-0.2
15 to 19 years	30,057	+/-700	5.2%	+/-0.1
20 to 24 years	42,290	+/-814	7.3%	+/-0.1
25 to 34 years	112,662	+/-1,066	19.5%	+/-0.2
35 to 44 years	91,633	+/-846	15.9%	+/-0.1
45 to 54 years	77,929	+/-918	13.5%	+/-0.2
55 to 59 years	37,670	+/-921	6.5%	+/-0.2
60 to 64 years	29,281	+/-1,056	5.1%	+/-0.2
65 to 74 years	30,303	+/-593	5.3%	+/-0.1
75 to 84 years	19,439	+/-707	3.4%	+/-0.1
85 years and over	10,569	+/-537	1.8%	+/-0.1
Median age (years)	35.9	+/-0.2	(X)	(X)
18 years and over	464,855	+/-1,138	80.6%	+/-0.2
21 years and over	444,809	+/-1,187	77.2%	+/-0.2
62 years and over	75,892	+/-982	13.2%	+/-0.2
65 years and over	60,311	+/-625	10.5%	+/-0.1
18 years and over	464,855	+/-1,138	464,855	(X)
Male	227,662	+/-903	49.0%	+/-0.2
Female	237,193	+/-997	51.0%	+/-0.2
65 years and over	60,311	+/-625	60,311	(X)
Male	25,007	+/-388	41.5%	+/-0.4
Female	35,304	+/-437	58.5%	+/-0.4

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
RACE				
Total population	576,543	+/-473	576,543	(X)
One race	551,677	+/-1,530	95.7%	+/-0.2
Two or more races	24,866	+/-1,407	4.3%	+/-0.2
One race	551,677	+/-1,530	95.7%	+/-0.2
White	446,191	+/-2,294	77.4%	+/-0.4
Black or African American	36,588	+/-1,241	6.3%	+/-0.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	6,047	+/-1,019	1.0%	+/-0.2
Cherokee tribal grouping	215	+/-104	0.0%	+/-0.1
Chippewa tribal grouping	361	+/-251	0.1%	+/-0.1
Navajo tribal grouping	52	+/-63	0.0%	+/-0.1
Sioux tribal grouping	197	+/-100	0.0%	+/-0.1
Asian	41,416	+/-1,184	7.2%	+/-0.2
Asian Indian	1,718	+/-426	0.3%	+/-0.1
Chinese	10,867	+/-987	1.9%	+/-0.2
Filipino	2,398	+/-509	0.4%	+/-0.1
Japanese	3,269	+/-515	0.6%	+/-0.1
Korean	2,221	+/-434	0.4%	+/-0.1
Vietnamese	13,588	+/-1,212	2.4%	+/-0.2
Other Asian	7,355	+/-1,008	1.3%	+/-0.2
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	2,905	+/-471	0.5%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian	622	+/-393	0.1%	+/-0.1
Guamanian or Chamorro	79	+/-67	0.0%	+/-0.1
Samoan	179	+/-120	0.0%	+/-0.1
Other Pacific Islander	2,025	+/-456	0.4%	+/-0.1
Some other race	18,530	+/-2,073	3.2%	+/-0.4
Two or more races	24,866	+/-1,407	4.3%	+/-0.2
White and Black or African American	5,426	+/-798	0.9%	+/-0.1
White and American Indian and Alaska Native	6,440	+/-719	1.1%	+/-0.1
White and Asian	6,523	+/-656	1.1%	+/-0.1
Black or African American and American Indian and Alaska Native	898	+/-452	0.2%	+/-0.1
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races				
Total population	576,543	+/-473	576,543	(X)
White	468,516	+/-2,574	81.3%	+/-0.5
Black or African American	44,762	+/-1,006	7.8%	+/-0.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	15,585	+/-1,478	2.7%	+/-0.3
Asian	49,950	+/-1,134	8.7%	+/-0.2
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	4,227	+/-560	0.7%	+/-0.1
Some other race	20,857	+/-2,046	3.6%	+/-0.4
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE				
Total population	576,543	+/-473	576,543	(X)
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	53,222	+/-1,705	9.2%	+/-0.3
Mexican	40,312	+/-1,885	7.0%	+/-0.3
Puerto Rican	1,729	+/-367	0.3%	+/-0.1
Cuban	1,734	+/-548	0.3%	+/-0.1
Other Hispanic or Latino	9,447	+/-1,112	1.6%	+/-0.2
Not Hispanic or Latino	523,321	+/-1,801	90.8%	+/-0.3
White alone	417,581	+/-2,027	72.4%	+/-0.3
Black or African American alone	35,431	+/-1,182	6.1%	+/-0.2
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	3,701	+/-512	0.6%	+/-0.1
Asian alone	41,196	+/-1,177	7.1%	+/-0.2
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	2,891	+/-470	0.5%	+/-0.1
Some other race alone	1,114	+/-310	0.2%	+/-0.1
Two or more races	21,407	+/-1,287	3.7%	+/-0.2
Two races including Some other race	487	+/-178	0.1%	+/-0.1

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Two races excluding Some other race, and Three or more races	20,920	+/-1,291	3.6%	+/-0.2
Total housing units	264,956	+/-1,156	(X)	(X)

Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see Accuracy of the Data). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

The ACS questions on Hispanic origin and race were revised in 2008 to make them consistent with the Census 2010 question wording. Any changes in estimates for 2008 and beyond may be due to demographic changes, as well as factors including questionnaire changes, differences in ACS population controls, and methodological differences in the population estimates, and therefore should be used with caution. For a summary of questionnaire changes see http://www.census.gov/acs/www/methodology/questionnaire_changes/. For more information about changes in the estimates see http://www.census.gov/population/www/socdemo/hispanic/reports.html.

For more information on understanding race and Hispanic origin data, please see the Census 2010 Brief entitled, Overview of Race and Hispanic Origin: 2010, issued March 2011. (pdf format)

While the 2007-2011 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the December 2009 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2000 data. Boundaries for urban areas have not been updated since Census 2000. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2007-2011 American Community Survey

Explanation of Symbols:

1. An '**' entry in the margin of error column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the margin of error. A statistical test is not appropriate.
2. An '-' entry in the estimate column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute an estimate, or a ratio of medians cannot be calculated because one or both of the median estimates falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
3. An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
4. An '+' following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
5. An '***' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the median falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution. A statistical test is not appropriate.
6. An '*****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.
7. An 'N' entry in the estimate and margin of error columns indicates that data for this geographic area cannot be displayed because the number of sample cases is too small.
8. An '(X)' means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.