

Table 1.40-- ANCESTRY: 2009

[Includes all people reporting each ancestry. Ancestry refers to a person's self-identification of heritage, ethnic origin, descent, or close identification to an ethnic group. People can be listed twice in this table]

Ancestry group	Persons	Percent of total population
Total responses 1/	1,527,498	100.0
German	95,165	6.2
Irish	74,401	4.9
English	62,790	4.1
Portuguese	55,482	3.6
French (except Basque)	29,174	1.9
Italian	28,739	1.9
Scottish	16,192	1.1
Polish	13,857	0.9
Dutch	13,722	0.9
Swedish	9,152	0.6
American	8,999	0.6
Norwegian	8,249	0.5
European	8,105	0.5
Scotch-Irish	8,056	0.5
Welsh	6,413	0.4
Russian	6,089	0.4
Danish	3,967	0.3
Swiss	3,918	0.3
Hungarian	3,333	0.2
West Indian (except Hispanic groups)	3,260	0.2
Subsaharan African	2,701	0.2
British	2,569	0.2
Greek	2,119	0.1
Czech	2,016	0.1
Other groups	996,611	65.2
Unclassified or not reported	62,419	4.1

1/ There were 1,527,498 ancestries reported, single or multiple. Total population was 1,295,178 persons.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2009 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates, C04006

<http://factfinder.census.gov/servlet/DatasetMainPageServlet?_program=ACS&_submenuId=datasets_1&_lang=en&_ts=> and <http://factfinder.census.gov/home/en/epss/glossary_a.html> accessed June 13, 2011.