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2010 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates

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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, for 2010, the 2010 Census provides the official counts of the population and housing units for the nation, states, counties, cities and towns.

An * indicates that the estimate is significantly different (at a 90% confidence level) than the estimate from the most current year. A "c" indicates the estimates for that year and the current year are both controlled; a statistical test is not appropriate.

Subject	United States					
	2010 Estimate	2009 Estimate	2010 - 2009 Statistical Significance	2008 Estimate	2010 - 2008 Statistical Significance	2007 Estimate
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE						
Total households	114,567,419	113,616,229	*	113,097,835	*	112,377,977
Family households (families)	66.4%	66.5%		66.6%	*	66.8%
With own children under 18 years	29.7%	30.3%	*	30.8%	*	31.1%
Married-couple family	48.6%	49.1%	*	49.4%	*	49.7%
With own children under 18 years	20.0%	20.6%	*	21.2%	*	21.4%
Male householder, no wife present, family	4.7%	4.6%	*	4.6%	*	4.6%
With own children under 18 years	2.3%	2.3%		2.3%		2.3%
Female householder, no husband present, family	13.1%	12.7%	*	12.6%	*	12.5%
With own children under 18 years	7.4%	7.4%	*	7.4%		7.4%
Nonfamily households	33.6%	33.5%		33.4%	*	33.2%
Householder living alone	27.4%	27.5%		27.5%		27.3%
65 years and over	9.5%	9.4%	*	9.3%	*	9.1%
Households with one or more people under 18 years	33.1%	33.5%	*	34.0%	*	34.4%
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	24.8%	24.2%	*	23.8%	*	0.0%
Average household size	2.63	2.63		2.62	*	2.61
Average family size	3.23	3.23		3.21	*	3.20
RELATIONSHIP						
Population in households	301,362,366	298,729,438	c	295,812,889	c	293,499,975
Householder	38.0%	38.0%		38.2%	*	38.3%
Spouse	18.5%	18.7%	*	18.9%	*	19.0%
Child	30.6%	30.8%	*	30.7%	*	30.5%
Other relatives	7.2%	6.9%	*	6.8%	*	6.7%
Nonrelatives	5.8%	5.6%	*	5.4%	*	5.5%
Unmarried partner	2.3%	2.2%	*	2.1%	*	2.1%
MARITAL STATUS						
Males 15 years and over	120,742,609	119,715,944	*	118,563,663	*	117,459,139
Never married	35.4%	35.2%	*	34.6%	*	34.0%
Now married, except separated	50.5%	51.2%	*	51.8%	*	52.3%
Separated	1.9%	1.8%	*	1.8%	*	1.8%
Widowed	2.5%	2.5%	*	2.5%	*	2.5%

Subject	United States					
	2010 Estimate	2009 Estimate	2010 - 2009 Statistical Significance	2008 Estimate	2010 - 2008 Statistical Significance	2007 Estimate
Divorced	9.6%	9.3%	*	9.3%	*	9.3%
Females 15 years and over	127,313,337	125,439,899	*	124,388,606	*	123,264,879
Never married	29.0%	28.6%	*	28.0%	*	27.6%
Now married, except separated	47.1%	47.4%	*	47.9%	*	48.3%
Separated	2.5%	2.5%		2.5%	*	2.5%
Widowed	9.3%	9.6%	*	9.7%	*	9.9%
Divorced	12.1%	11.9%	*	11.9%	*	11.7%
FERTILITY						
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	4,168,720	4,333,485	*	4,445,571	*	4,183,633
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	36.0%	35.2%	*	34.3%	*	33.5%
Per 1,000 unmarried women	37	38	*	39	*	36
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	55	57	*	59	*	55
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	26	29	*	29	*	27
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	98	103	*	108	*	104
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	24	25	*	25	*	23
GRANDPARENTS						
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	7,010,181	6,687,495	*	6,436,722	*	6,210,076
Responsible for grandchildren	39.1%	40.3%	*	40.8%	*	40.5%
Years responsible for grandchildren						
Less than 1 year	8.7%	9.1%	*	9.5%	*	9.2%
1 or 2 years	9.8%	9.9%		9.5%		9.5%
3 or 4 years	6.5%	6.8%	*	6.6%		6.8%
5 or more years	14.1%	14.6%	*	15.2%	*	15.0%
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	2,738,300	2,696,053		2,625,584	*	2,514,256
Who are female	63.0%	62.9%		62.5%	*	62.9%
Who are married	70.1%	70.6%		70.8%	*	70.5%
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT						
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	82,724,222	81,173,053	*	79,845,430	*	79,329,527
Nursery school, preschool	6.0%	6.3%	*	6.4%	*	6.2%
Kindergarten	5.1%	5.1%	*	5.1%		5.1%
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	39.8%	40.0%	*	40.3%	*	40.5%
High school (grades 9-12)	20.8%	21.1%	*	21.6%	*	22.0%
College or graduate school	28.3%	27.4%	*	26.7%	*	26.2%
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT						
Population 25 years and over	204,288,933	201,952,383	*	200,029,554	*	197,892,369
Less than 9th grade	6.1%	6.3%	*	6.4%	*	6.4%
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	8.3%	8.5%	*	8.7%	*	9.1%
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	28.5%	28.5%		28.5%		30.1%
Some college, no degree	21.3%	21.3%		21.3%		19.5%
Associate's degree	7.6%	7.5%	*	7.5%	*	7.4%
Bachelor's degree	17.7%	17.6%	*	17.5%	*	17.4%
Graduate or professional degree	10.4%	10.3%	*	10.2%	*	10.1%
Percent high school graduate or higher	85.6%	85.3%	*	84.9%	*	84.5%
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	28.2%	27.9%	*	27.7%	*	27.5%
VETERAN STATUS						
Civilian population 18 years and over	234,137,287	231,222,799	*	228,897,124	*	226,715,104
Civilian veterans	9.3%	9.5%	*	9.8%	*	10.1%
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION						
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	304,287,836	301,472,074	*	298,571,319	*	(X)
With a disability	11.9%	12.0%		12.1%	*	(X)
Under 18 years	74,017,524	74,358,353	*	73,786,956	*	(X)
With a disability	4.0%	3.9%	*	3.9%		(X)
18 to 64 years	191,138,060	189,181,224	*	187,573,812	*	(X)
With a disability	10.0%	10.1%	*	10.1%	*	(X)
65 years and over	39,132,252	37,932,497	*	37,210,551	*	(X)
With a disability	36.7%	37.4%	*	38.1%	*	(X)

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RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO						
Population 1 year and over	305,628,607	302,951,552	*	299,925,416	*	297,545,149
Same house	84.6%	84.6%		84.4%	*	84.0%
Different house in the U.S.	14.8%	14.9%		15.0%	*	15.4%
Same county	9.4%	9.4%		9.2%	*	9.4%
Different county	5.4%	5.5%	*	5.7%	*	5.9%
Same state	3.2%	3.2%		3.3%	*	3.4%
Different state	2.2%	2.3%	*	2.4%	*	2.5%
Abroad	0.6%	0.6%		0.6%	*	0.6%
PLACE OF BIRTH						
Total population	309,349,689	307,006,556	c	304,059,727	c	301,621,159
Native	87.1%	87.5%	*	87.5%	*	87.4%
Born in United States	85.7%	86.1%	*	86.2%	*	86.1%
State of residence	58.8%	59.0%	*	58.9%	*	58.9%
Different state	27.0%	27.1%	*	27.3%	*	27.3%
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	1.4%	1.3%	*	1.3%	*	1.3%
Foreign born	12.9%	12.5%	*	12.5%	*	12.6%
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS						
Foreign-born population	39,955,854	38,517,234	*	38,028,048	*	38,059,694
Naturalized U.S. citizen	43.7%	43.7%		43.0%	*	42.5%
Not a U.S. citizen	56.3%	56.3%		57.0%	*	57.5%
YEAR OF ENTRY						
Population born outside the United States	44,183,643	42,639,300	*	42,058,258	*	41,858,574
Native	4,227,789	4,122,066	*	4,030,210	*	3,798,880
Entered 2000 or later	24.1%	20.9%	*	19.8%	*	16.9%
Entered before 2000	75.9%	79.1%	*	80.2%	*	83.1%
Foreign born	39,955,854	38,517,234	*	38,028,048	*	38,059,694
Entered 2000 or later	34.7%	31.6%	*	29.5%	*	27.7%
Entered before 2000	65.3%	68.4%	*	70.5%	*	72.3%
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN						
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	39,955,673	38,517,104	*	38,027,830	*	38,059,555
Europe	12.1%	12.7%	*	13.0%	*	13.1%
Asia	28.2%	27.7%	*	27.3%	*	26.8%
Africa	4.0%	3.9%	*	3.8%	*	3.7%
Oceania	0.5%	0.5%		0.6%		0.6%
Latin America	53.1%	53.1%		53.1%		53.6%
Northern America	2.0%	2.1%	*	2.2%	*	2.2%
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME						
Population 5 years and over	289,215,746	285,797,349	*	283,156,079	*	280,950,438
English only	79.4%	80.0%	*	80.3%	*	80.3%
Language other than English	20.6%	20.0%	*	19.7%	*	19.7%
Speak English less than "very well"	8.7%	8.6%	*	8.7%	*	8.7%
Spanish	12.8%	12.4%	*	12.2%	*	12.3%
Speak English less than "very well"	5.7%	5.7%		5.7%		5.8%
Other Indo-European languages	3.7%	3.7%		3.7%		3.7%
Speak English less than "very well"	1.2%	1.2%		1.2%	*	1.2%
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	3.2%	3.0%	*	3.0%	*	3.0%
Speak English less than "very well"	1.5%	1.5%	*	1.5%	*	1.4%
Other languages	0.9%	0.9%	*	0.8%	*	0.8%
Speak English less than "very well"	0.3%	0.3%		0.2%	*	0.2%
ANCESTRY						
Total population	309,349,689	307,006,556	c	304,059,727	c	301,621,159
American	6.5%	6.1%	*	5.9%	*	6.4%
Arab	0.5%	0.5%		0.5%	*	0.5%
Czech	0.5%	0.5%	*	0.5%	*	0.5%
Danish	0.4%	0.5%	*	0.5%	*	0.5%
Dutch	1.5%	1.6%	*	1.6%	*	1.7%

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English	8.4%	9.0%	*	9.0%	*	9.3%
French (except Basque)	2.8%	3.1%	*	3.1%	*	3.2%
French Canadian	0.7%	0.7%	*	0.7%	*	0.7%
German	15.5%	16.5%	*	16.5%	*	16.8%
Greek	0.4%	0.5%	*	0.4%	*	0.5%
Hungarian	0.5%	0.5%	*	0.5%	*	0.5%
Irish	11.2%	12.0%	*	11.9%	*	12.1%
Italian	5.6%	5.9%	*	5.8%	*	5.9%
Lithuanian	0.2%	0.2%	*	0.2%	*	0.2%
Norwegian	1.4%	1.5%	*	1.5%	*	1.5%
Polish	3.1%	3.3%	*	3.2%	*	3.3%
Portuguese	0.5%	0.5%	*	0.5%	*	0.5%
Russian	1.0%	1.0%	*	1.0%	*	1.0%
Scotch-Irish	1.1%	1.2%	*	1.2%	*	1.8%
Scottish	1.8%	1.9%	*	1.9%	*	2.0%
Slovak	0.2%	0.3%	*	0.3%	*	0.3%
Subsaharan African	0.9%	0.9%	*	0.9%	*	0.9%
Swedish	1.3%	1.4%	*	1.4%	*	1.4%
Swiss	0.3%	0.3%	*	0.3%	*	0.3%
Ukrainian	0.3%	0.3%	*	0.3%	*	0.3%
Welsh	0.6%	0.6%	*	0.7%	*	0.6%
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	0.8%	0.8%		0.8%		0.8%

Subject	United States		
	2010 - 2007 Statistical Significance	2006 Estimate	2010 - 2006 Statistical Significance
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE			
Total households	*	111,617,402	*
Family households (families)	*	66.8%	*
With own children under 18 years	*	31.3%	*
Married-couple family	*	49.7%	*
With own children under 18 years	*	21.6%	*
Male householder, no wife present, family	*	4.6%	*
With own children under 18 years		2.2%	
Female householder, no husband present, family	*	12.5%	*
With own children under 18 years		7.4%	
Nonfamily households	*	33.2%	*
Householder living alone	*	27.3%	
65 years and over	*	9.1%	*
Households with one or more people under 18 years	*	34.6%	*
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	*	0.0%	*
Average household size	*	2.61	*
Average family size	*	3.20	*
RELATIONSHIP			
Population in households	c	291,332,841	c
Householder	*	38.3%	*
Spouse	*	19.0%	*
Child		30.5%	
Other relatives	*	6.7%	*
Nonrelatives	*	5.4%	*
Unmarried partner	*	2.1%	*
MARITAL STATUS			
Males 15 years and over	*	116,327,232	*
Never married	*	33.9%	*
Now married, except separated	*	52.4%	*
Separated	*	1.9%	
Widowed		2.5%	
Divorced	*	9.3%	*
Females 15 years and over	*	122,258,450	*
Never married	*	27.3%	*
Now married, except separated	*	48.4%	*
Separated		2.6%	*
Widowed	*	10.0%	*
Divorced	*	11.6%	*
FERTILITY			
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months		4,182,942	
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	*	32.8%	*
Per 1,000 unmarried women		35	*
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old		55	
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old		26	
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	*	104	*
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	*	23	*
GRANDPARENTS			
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	*	6,062,034	*
Responsible for grandchildren	*	40.5%	*
Years responsible for grandchildren			
Less than 1 year	*	9.1%	*
1 or 2 years		9.7%	
3 or 4 years	*	6.5%	
5 or more years	*	15.1%	*

Subject	United States		
	2010 - 2007 Statistical Significance	2006 Estimate	2010 - 2006 Statistical Significance
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	*	2,455,102	*
Who are female		63.5%	*
Who are married		70.1%	
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT			
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	*	79,121,944	*
Nursery school, preschool	*	6.2%	*
Kindergarten		5.1%	
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	*	40.8%	*
High school (grades 9-12)	*	22.1%	*
College or graduate school	*	25.8%	*
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT			
Population 25 years and over	*	195,932,824	*
Less than 9th grade	*	6.5%	*
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	*	9.4%	*
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	*	30.2%	*
Some college, no degree	*	19.5%	*
Associate's degree	*	7.4%	*
Bachelor's degree	*	17.1%	*
Graduate or professional degree	*	9.9%	*
Percent high school graduate or higher	*	84.1%	*
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	*	27.0%	*
VETERAN STATUS			
Civilian population 18 years and over	*	224,648,294	*
Civilian veterans	*	10.4%	*
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION			
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population		(X)	
With a disability		(X)	
Under 18 years		(X)	
With a disability		(X)	
18 to 64 years		(X)	
With a disability		(X)	
65 years and over		(X)	
With a disability		(X)	
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO			
Population 1 year and over	*	295,345,172	*
Same house	*	83.2%	*
Different house in the U.S.	*	16.2%	*
Same county		9.9%	*
Different county	*	6.3%	*
Same state	*	3.6%	*
Different state	*	2.7%	*
Abroad	*	0.6%	*
PLACE OF BIRTH			
Total population	C	299,398,485	C
Native	*	87.5%	*
Born in United States	*	86.2%	*
State of residence	*	58.9%	*
Different state	*	27.3%	*
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	*	1.3%	*
Foreign born	*	12.5%	*
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS			
Foreign-born population	*	37,547,789	*
Naturalized U.S. citizen	*	42.0%	*
Not a U.S. citizen	*	58.0%	*
YEAR OF ENTRY			
Population born outside the United States	*	41,294,468	*
Native	*	3,746,679	*

Subject	United States		
	2010 - 2007 Statistical Significance	2006 Estimate	2010 - 2006 Statistical Significance
Entered 2000 or later	*	14.6%	*
Entered before 2000	*	85.4%	*
Foreign born	*	37,547,789	*
Entered 2000 or later	*	25.3%	*
Entered before 2000	*	74.7%	*
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN			
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	*	37,547,315	*
Europe	*	13.3%	*
Asia	*	26.8%	*
Africa	*	3.7%	*
Oceania	*	0.5%	*
Latin America	*	53.5%	*
Northern America	*	2.3%	*
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME			
Population 5 years and over	*	279,012,712	*
English only	*	80.3%	*
Language other than English	*	19.7%	*
Speak English less than "very well"	*	8.7%	*
Spanish	*	12.2%	*
Speak English less than "very well"	*	5.8%	*
Other Indo-European languages	*	3.7%	*
Speak English less than "very well"	*	1.2%	*
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	*	3.0%	*
Speak English less than "very well"	*	1.4%	*
Other languages	*	0.8%	*
Speak English less than "very well"	*	0.2%	*
ANCESTRY			
Total population	c	299,398,485	c
American	*	6.8%	*
Arab	*	0.5%	*
Czech	*	0.5%	*
Danish	*	0.5%	*
Dutch	*	1.7%	*
English	*	9.4%	*
French (except Basque)	*	3.2%	*
French Canadian	*	0.7%	*
German	*	17.0%	*
Greek	*	0.5%	*
Hungarian	*	0.5%	*
Irish	*	12.0%	*
Italian	*	6.0%	*
Lithuanian	*	0.2%	*
Norwegian	*	1.6%	*
Polish	*	3.3%	*
Portuguese	*	0.5%	*
Russian	*	1.0%	*
Scotch-Irish	*	1.8%	*
Scottish	*	2.0%	*
Slovak	*	0.3%	*
Subsaharan African	*	0.8%	*
Swedish	*	1.5%	*
Swiss	*	0.3%	*
Ukrainian	*	0.3%	*
Welsh	*	0.7%	*
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	*	0.8%	*

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.

Starting in 2008, the Scotch-Irish category does not include Irish-Scotch. People who reported Irish-Scotch ancestry are classified under "Other groups," whereas in 2007 and earlier they were classified as Scotch-Irish.

Ancestry listed in this table refers to the total number of people who responded with a particular ancestry; for example, the estimate given for Russian represents the number of people who listed Russian as either their first or second ancestry. This table lists only the largest ancestry groups; see the Detailed Tables for more categories. Race and Hispanic origin groups are not included in this table because official data for those groups come from the Race and Hispanic origin questions rather than the ancestry question (see Demographic Table).

Data for year of entry of the native population reflect the year of entry into the U.S. by people who were born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island Areas or born outside the U.S. to a U.S. citizen parent and who subsequently moved to the U.S.

Selected migration data are not available for certain geographic areas due to problems with group quarters data collection and imputation. See Errata Note #44 for details.

The Census Bureau introduced a new set of disability questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Accordingly, comparisons of disability data from 2008 or later with data from prior years are not recommended. For more information on these questions and their evaluation in the 2006 ACS Content Test, see the Evaluation Report Covering Disability.

While the 2010 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, 2010 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.
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6. An '*****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.
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8. An '(X)' means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.



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2010 American Community Survey 1-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, for 2010, the 2010 Census provides the official counts of the population and housing units for the nation, states, counties, cities and towns.

An * indicates that the estimate is significantly different (at a 90% confidence level) than the estimate from the most current year. A "c" indicates the estimates for that year and the current year are both controlled; a statistical test is not appropriate.

Subject	United States					
	2010 Estimate	2009 Estimate	2010 - 2009 Statistical Significance	2008 Estimate	2010 - 2008 Statistical Significance	2007 Estimate
EMPLOYMENT STATUS						
Population 16 years and over	243,832,923	241,002,178	*	238,761,849	*	236,416,572
In labor force	64.4%	65.3%	*	65.8%	*	64.8%
Civilian labor force	63.9%	64.7%	*	65.3%	*	64.4%
Employed	57.0%	58.3%	*	61.2%	*	60.3%
Unemployed	6.9%	6.4%	*	4.2%	*	4.1%
Armed Forces	0.4%	0.5%	*	0.5%	*	0.4%
Not in labor force	35.6%	34.7%	*	34.2%	*	35.2%
Civilian labor force	155,917,013	156,044,453		155,950,067		152,211,303
Percent Unemployed	10.8%	9.9%	*	6.4%	*	6.3%
Females 16 years and over	125,271,788	123,417,091	*	122,340,276	*	121,166,623
In labor force	59.3%	59.8%	*	60.0%	*	58.6%
Civilian labor force	59.1%	59.7%	*	59.9%	*	58.5%
Employed	53.2%	54.3%	*	56.2%	*	54.8%
Own children under 6 years	23,329,156	24,308,646	*	23,963,885	*	23,480,451
All parents in family in labor force	64.6%	64.4%		64.2%		61.7%
Own children 6 to 17 years	47,251,112	46,642,970	*	46,400,064	*	45,995,823
All parents in family in labor force	71.3%	71.7%	*	71.8%	*	70.0%
COMMUTING TO WORK						
Workers 16 years and over	136,941,010	138,591,804	*	143,775,328	*	139,259,684
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	76.6%	76.1%	*	75.5%	*	76.1%
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	9.7%	10.0%	*	10.7%	*	10.4%
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	4.9%	5.0%	*	5.0%	*	4.9%
Walked	2.8%	2.9%	*	2.8%	*	2.8%
Other means	1.7%	1.7%		1.8%	*	1.7%
Worked at home	4.3%	4.3%	*	4.1%	*	4.1%
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	25.3	25.1	*	25.4	*	25.3
OCCUPATION						
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	(X)	(X)		(X)		(X)
Management, business, science, and arts occupations	(X)	(X)		(X)		(X)

Subject	United States					
	2010 Estimate	2009 Estimate	2010 - 2009 Statistical Significance	2008 Estimate	2010 - 2008 Statistical Significance	2007 Estimate
Service occupations	(X)	(X)		(X)		(X)
Sales and office occupations	(X)	(X)		(X)		(X)
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	(X)	(X)		(X)		(X)
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	(X)	(X)		(X)		(X)
INDUSTRY						
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	139,033,928	140,602,470	*	146,027,219	*	142,588,118
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	1.9%	1.8%	*	1.8%	*	1.8%
Construction	6.2%	6.8%	*	7.4%	*	7.7%
Manufacturing	10.4%	10.5%	*	11.2%	*	11.3%
Wholesale trade	2.8%	2.9%	*	3.0%	*	3.2%
Retail trade	11.7%	11.6%	*	11.6%		11.4%
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	4.9%	5.0%	*	5.2%	*	5.2%
Information	2.2%	2.3%	*	2.4%	*	2.5%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	6.7%	6.9%	*	6.9%	*	7.2%
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	10.6%	10.6%		10.4%	*	10.3%
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	23.2%	22.7%	*	21.7%	*	21.2%
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	9.2%	9.2%	*	8.8%	*	8.8%
Other services, except public administration	5.0%	5.0%		4.9%	*	4.8%
Public administration	5.2%	4.8%	*	4.7%	*	4.7%
CLASS OF WORKER						
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	139,033,928	140,602,470	*	146,027,219	*	142,588,118
Private wage and salary workers	78.3%	78.6%	*	79.1%	*	78.6%
Government workers	15.3%	14.8%	*	14.4%	*	14.5%
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	6.3%	6.4%	*	6.4%	*	6.7%
Unpaid family workers	0.1%	0.1%	*	0.2%	*	0.2%
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2010 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)						
Total households	114,567,419	113,616,229	*	113,097,835	*	112,377,977
Less than \$10,000	7.6%	7.4%	*	7.1%	*	6.9%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	5.8%	5.6%	*	5.4%	*	5.4%
\$15,000 to \$24,999	11.5%	11.1%	*	10.5%	*	10.4%
\$25,000 to \$34,999	10.8%	10.6%	*	10.4%	*	10.5%
\$35,000 to \$49,999	14.2%	14.2%	*	14.1%	*	14.1%
\$50,000 to \$74,999	18.3%	18.5%	*	18.7%	*	18.7%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	11.8%	12.1%	*	12.5%	*	12.5%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	11.8%	12.1%	*	12.5%	*	12.6%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	4.2%	4.3%	*	4.5%	*	4.5%
\$200,000 or more	3.9%	4.1%	*	4.4%	*	4.4%
Median household income (dollars)	50,046	51,190	*	52,488	*	53,326
Mean household income (dollars)	68,259	70,051	*	72,262	*	72,761
With earnings	78.3%	79.5%	*	80.3%	*	80.3%
Mean earnings (dollars)	69,506	71,072	*	72,983	*	73,580
With Social Security	28.4%	27.7%	*	27.0%	*	26.9%
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	16,236	15,698	*	15,202	*	15,240
With retirement income	17.5%	17.4%	*	17.2%	*	17.5%
Mean retirement income (dollars)	22,006	21,736	*	21,552	*	21,412
With Supplemental Security Income	5.1%	3.6%	*	3.5%	*	4.1%
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	8,775	8,039	*	7,915	*	8,156
With cash public assistance income	2.9%	2.6%	*	2.3%	*	2.1%
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	3,936	3,597	*	3,302	*	3,415
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	11.9%	10.3%	*	8.6%	*	7.7%
Families						
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	76,089,045	75,530,746	*	75,315,125	*	75,119,260
Less than \$10,000	5.0%	4.7%	*	4.3%	*	4.2%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	3.5%	3.4%	*	3.2%	*	3.1%

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	2010 Estimate	2009 Estimate	2010 - 2009 Statistical Significance	2008 Estimate	2010 - 2008 Statistical Significance	2007 Estimate
\$15,000 to \$24,999	8.9%	8.6%	*	8.1%	*	8.0%
\$25,000 to \$34,999	9.6%	9.4%	*	9.1%	*	9.1%
\$35,000 to \$49,999	13.9%	13.7%	*	13.5%	*	13.5%
\$50,000 to \$74,999	19.7%	19.8%	*	20.0%	*	20.1%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	14.0%	14.4%	*	14.7%	*	14.8%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	14.8%	15.2%	*	15.5%	*	15.7%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	5.4%	5.6%	*	5.8%	*	5.8%
\$200,000 or more	5.1%	5.4%	*	5.7%	*	5.7%
Median family income (dollars)	60,609	62,071	*	63,853	*	64,157
Mean family income (dollars)	79,338	81,479	*	84,075	*	84,404
Per capita income (dollars)	26,059	26,845	*	27,869	*	28,064
Nonfamily households	38,478,374	38,085,483	*	37,782,710	*	37,258,717
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	30,440	31,148	*	31,895	*	31,934
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	43,469	44,583	*	45,903	*	46,335
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	28,899	29,291	*	30,009	*	29,979
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	46,500	46,485		45,744	*	46,340
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	36,551	36,279	*	35,606	*	35,729
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE						
Civilian noninstitutionalized population	304,287,836	301,472,074	*	298,571,319	*	(X)
With health insurance coverage	84.5%	84.9%	*	85.4%	*	(X)
With private health insurance	65.8%	67.4%	*	69.6%	*	(X)
With public coverage	29.7%	28.5%	*	27.3%	*	(X)
No health insurance coverage	15.5%	15.1%	*	14.6%	*	(X)
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 18 years	74,017,524	74,358,353	*	73,786,956	*	(X)
No health insurance coverage	8.0%	8.6%	*	9.3%	*	(X)
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 18 to 64 years	191,138,060	189,181,224	*	187,573,812	*	(X)
In labor force:	147,410,050	147,563,389		147,292,138		(X)
Employed:	131,727,379	133,202,340	*	138,207,425	*	(X)
With health insurance coverage	82.0%	82.7%	*	83.1%	*	(X)
With private health insurance	77.7%	78.6%	*	79.2%	*	(X)
With public coverage	6.3%	6.3%	*	6.3%		(X)
No health insurance coverage	18.0%	17.3%	*	16.9%	*	(X)
Unemployed:	15,682,671	14,361,049	*	9,084,713	*	(X)
With health insurance coverage	52.3%	52.2%		53.1%	*	(X)
With private health insurance	34.4%	35.7%	*	35.7%	*	(X)
With public coverage	20.1%	18.7%	*	19.7%	*	(X)
No health insurance coverage	47.7%	47.8%		46.9%	*	(X)
Not in labor force:	43,728,010	41,617,835	*	40,281,674	*	(X)
With health insurance coverage	77.7%	78.3%	*	78.7%	*	(X)
With private health insurance	51.2%	52.7%	*	54.5%	*	(X)
With public coverage	32.9%	32.2%	*	31.2%	*	(X)
No health insurance coverage	22.3%	21.7%	*	21.3%	*	(X)
PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL						
All families	11.3%	10.5%	*	9.8%	*	9.5%
With related children under 18 years	17.9%	16.6%	*	15.2%	*	14.9%
With related children under 5 years only	19.3%	17.9%	*	16.5%	*	16.0%
Married couple families	5.6%	5.1%	*	4.7%	*	4.5%
With related children under 18 years	8.4%	7.5%	*	6.6%	*	6.4%
With related children under 5 years only	7.6%	6.9%	*	6.0%	*	5.9%
Families with female householder, no husband present	30.3%	29.4%	*	28.1%	*	28.2%
With related children under 18 years	39.6%	38.2%	*	36.5%	*	36.5%
With related children under 5 years only	47.7%	45.6%	*	45.3%	*	44.8%
All people	15.3%	14.3%	*	13.3%	*	13.0%
Under 18 years	21.6%	20.0%	*	18.3%	*	18.0%

Subject	United States					
	2010 Estimate	2009 Estimate	2010 - 2009 Statistical Significance	2008 Estimate	2010 - 2008 Statistical Significance	2007 Estimate
Related children under 18 years	21.2%	19.7%	*	18.0%	*	17.6%
Related children under 5 years	25.0%	23.2%	*	21.4%	*	20.8%
Related children 5 to 17 years	19.8%	18.2%	*	16.6%	*	16.4%
18 years and over	13.3%	12.5%	*	11.6%	*	11.3%
18 to 64 years	14.2%	13.1%	*	12.0%	*	11.6%
65 years and over	9.0%	9.5%	*	9.9%	*	9.5%
People in families	12.8%	11.8%	*	10.8%	*	10.6%
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	26.2%	25.4%	*	24.3%	*	23.6%

Subject	United States		
	2010 - 2007 Statistical Significance	2006 Estimate	2010 - 2006 Statistical Significance
EMPLOYMENT STATUS			
Population 16 years and over	*	234,243,963	*
In labor force	*	65.0%	*
Civilian labor force	*	64.5%	*
Employed	*	60.4%	*
Unemployed	*	4.1%	*
Armed Forces		0.4%	
Not in labor force	*	35.0%	*
Civilian labor force	*	151,203,992	*
Percent Unemployed	*	6.4%	*
Females 16 years and over	*	120,141,345	*
In labor force	*	58.7%	*
Civilian labor force	*	58.6%	*
Employed	*	54.8%	*
Own children under 6 years	*	23,210,775	*
All parents in family in labor force	*	61.6%	*
Own children 6 to 17 years	*	45,942,524	*
All parents in family in labor force	*	69.7%	*
COMMUTING TO WORK			
Workers 16 years and over	*	138,265,905	*
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	*	76.0%	*
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	*	10.7%	*
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	*	4.8%	*
Walked	*	2.9%	*
Other means		1.7%	
Worked at home	*	3.9%	*
Mean travel time to work (minutes)		25.0	*
OCCUPATION			
Civilian employed population 16 years and over		(X)	
Management, business, science, and arts occupations		(X)	
Service occupations		(X)	
Sales and office occupations		(X)	
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations		(X)	
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations		(X)	
INDUSTRY			
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	*	141,501,434	*
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	*	1.8%	*
Construction	*	7.9%	*
Manufacturing	*	11.6%	*
Wholesale trade	*	3.4%	*
Retail trade	*	11.5%	*
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	*	5.0%	*
Information	*	2.5%	*
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	*	7.2%	*
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	*	10.1%	*
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	*	20.8%	*
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	*	8.6%	*
Other services, except public administration	*	4.8%	*
Public administration	*	4.7%	*
CLASS OF WORKER			
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	*	141,501,434	*
Private wage and salary workers	*	78.6%	*

Subject	United States		
	2010 - 2007 Statistical Significance	2006 Estimate	2010 - 2006 Statistical Significance
Government workers	*	14.4%	*
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	*	6.8%	*
Unpaid family workers	*	0.2%	*
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2010 INFLATION- ADJUSTED DOLLARS)			
Total households	*	111,617,402	*
Less than \$10,000	*	7.3%	*
\$10,000 to \$14,999	*	5.4%	*
\$15,000 to \$24,999	*	10.6%	*
\$25,000 to \$34,999	*	10.6%	*
\$35,000 to \$49,999	*	14.2%	*
\$50,000 to \$74,999	*	18.6%	*
\$75,000 to \$99,999	*	12.7%	*
\$100,000 to \$149,999	*	12.3%	*
\$150,000 to \$199,999	*	4.3%	*
\$200,000 or more	*	4.1%	*
Median household income (dollars)	*	52,347	*
Mean household income (dollars)	*	70,860	*
With earnings	*	80.3%	*
Mean earnings (dollars)	*	72,164	*
With Social Security	*	26.8%	*
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	*	15,006	*
With retirement income	*	17.4%	*
Mean retirement income (dollars)	*	20,699	*
With Supplemental Security Income	*	4.0%	*
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	*	7,989	*
With cash public assistance income	*	2.4%	*
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	*	3,395	*
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	*	8.1%	*
Families			
Total families	*	74,564,066	*
Less than \$10,000	*	4.4%	*
\$10,000 to \$14,999	*	3.1%	*
\$15,000 to \$24,999	*	8.2%	*
\$25,000 to \$34,999	*	9.3%	*
\$35,000 to \$49,999	*	13.8%	*
\$50,000 to \$74,999	*	20.1%	*
\$75,000 to \$99,999	*	15.0%	*
\$100,000 to \$149,999	*	15.3%	*
\$150,000 to \$199,999	*	5.5%	*
\$200,000 or more	*	5.3%	*
Median family income (dollars)	*	63,308	*
Mean family income (dollars)	*	82,326	*
Per capita income (dollars)	*	27,324	*
Nonfamily households			
Total nonfamily households	*	37,053,336	*
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	*	31,942	*
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	*	44,894	*
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	*	29,429	*
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	*	45,322	*
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	*	35,309	*
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE			
Civilian noninstitutionalized population		(X)	
With health insurance coverage		(X)	
With private health insurance		(X)	
With public coverage		(X)	
No health insurance coverage		(X)	
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 18 years		(X)	

Subject	United States		
	2010 - 2007 Statistical Significance	2006 Estimate	2010 - 2006 Statistical Significance
No health insurance coverage		(X)	
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 18 to 64 years		(X)	
In labor force:		(X)	
Employed:		(X)	
With health insurance coverage		(X)	
With private health insurance		(X)	
With public coverage		(X)	
No health insurance coverage		(X)	
Unemployed:		(X)	
With health insurance coverage		(X)	
With private health insurance		(X)	
With public coverage		(X)	
No health insurance coverage		(X)	
Not in labor force:		(X)	
With health insurance coverage		(X)	
With private health insurance		(X)	
With public coverage		(X)	
No health insurance coverage		(X)	
PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL			
All families	*	9.8%	*
With related children under 18 years	*	15.0%	*
With related children under 5 years only	*	15.9%	*
Married couple families	*	4.7%	*
With related children under 18 years	*	6.5%	*
With related children under 5 years only	*	6.1%	*
Families with female householder, no husband present	*	28.6%	*
With related children under 18 years	*	36.9%	*
With related children under 5 years only	*	45.2%	*
All people	*	13.3%	*
Under 18 years	*	18.3%	*
Related children under 18 years	*	17.9%	*
Related children under 5 years	*	21.0%	*
Related children 5 to 17 years	*	16.7%	*
18 years and over	*	11.6%	*
18 to 64 years	*	12.0%	*
65 years and over	*	9.9%	*
People in families	*	10.8%	*
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	*	24.4%	*

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 methodology for calculating median income and median earnings changed between 2008 and 2009. Medians over \$75,000 were most likely affected. The underlying income and earning distribution now uses \$2,500 increments up to \$250,000 for households, non-family households, families, and individuals and employs a linear interpolation method for median calculations. Before 2009 the highest income category was \$200,000 for households, families and non-family households (\$100,000 for individuals) and portions of the income and earnings distribution contained intervals wider than \$2,500. Those cases used a Pareto Interpolation Method.

Selected earnings and income data are not available for certain geographic areas due to problems with group quarters data collection and imputation. See the ACS User Notes for details.

There were changes in the edit between 2009 and 2010 regarding Supplemental Security Income (SSI) and Social Security. The changes in the edit loosened restrictions on disability requirements for receipt of SSI resulting in an increase in the total number of SSI recipients

in the American Community Survey. The changes also loosened restrictions on possible reported monthly amounts in Social Security income resulting in higher Social Security aggregate amounts. These results more closely match administrative counts compiled by the Social Security Administration.

Employment and unemployment estimates may vary from the official labor force data released by the Bureau of Labor Statistics because of differences in survey design and data collection. For guidance on differences in employment and unemployment estimates from different sources go to Labor Force Guidance.

The Census Bureau introduced an improved sequence of labor force questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Accordingly, we recommend using caution when making labor force data comparisons from 2008 or later with data from prior years. For more information on these questions and their evaluation in the 2006 ACS Content Test, see the "Evaluation Report Covering Employment Status" at http://www.census.gov/acs/www/Downloads/methodology/content_test/P6a_Employment_Status.pdf, and the "Evaluation Report Covering Weeks Worked" at http://www.census.gov/acs/www/Downloads/methodology/content_test/P6b_Weeks_Worked_Final_Report.pdf. Additional information can also be found at <http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/laborfor/laborforce.html>.

Workers include members of the Armed Forces and civilians who were at work last week.

Industry codes are 4-digit codes and are based on the North American Industry Classification System 2007. The Industry categories adhere to the guidelines issued in Clarification Memorandum No. 2, "NAICS Alternate Aggregation Structure for Use By U.S. Statistical Agencies," issued by the Office of Management and Budget.

The 2010 Census occupation codes were updated in accordance with the 2010 revision of the Standard Occupational Classification (SOC). Occupation data from 2010 are not strictly comparable to data from prior years. For more information on the Census occupation code changes, please visit our website at <http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/ioindex/>.

Logical coverage edits applying a rules-based assignment of Medicaid, Medicare and military health coverage were added as of 2009 -- please see http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/hlthins/publications/coverage_edits_final.pdf for more details. The corresponding 2008 data table in American FactFinder does not incorporate these edits and is therefore not comparable to this table in 2009 or 2010. Select geographies of 2008 data comparable to the 2009 and 2010 tables are accessible at <http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/hlthins/data/acs/2008/re-run.html>.

The health insurance coverage category names were modified in 2010. See ACS Health Insurance Definitions for a list of the insurance type definitions.

This table contains new estimates for health insurance coverage status by employment status in 2010.

While the 2010 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, 2010 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.



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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS

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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, for 2010, the 2010 Census provides the official counts of the population and housing units for the nation, states, counties, cities and towns.

An * indicates that the estimate is significantly different (at a 90% confidence level) than the estimate from the most current year. A "c" indicates the estimates for that year and the current year are both controlled; a statistical test is not appropriate.

Subject	United States					
	2010 Estimate	2009 Estimate	2010 - 2009 Statistical Significance	2008 Estimate	2010 - 2008 Statistical Significance	2007 Estimate
HOUSING OCCUPANCY						
Total housing units	131,791,065	129,949,960	*	129,059,978	*	127,895,430
Occupied housing units	86.9%	87.4%	*	87.6%	*	87.9%
Vacant housing units	13.1%	12.6%	*	12.4%	*	12.1%
Homeowner vacancy rate	2.5	2.5		2.7	*	2.5
Rental vacancy rate	8.2	8.4	*	7.9	*	7.9
UNITS IN STRUCTURE						
Total housing units	131,791,065	129,949,960	*	129,059,978	*	127,895,430
1-unit, detached	61.4%	61.6%	*	61.9%	*	61.7%
1-unit, attached	5.8%	5.8%	*	5.7%	*	5.7%
2 units	3.8%	3.9%	*	3.9%	*	4.0%
3 or 4 units	4.4%	4.5%	*	4.5%		4.5%
5 to 9 units	4.8%	4.9%	*	4.9%	*	4.9%
10 to 19 units	4.5%	4.6%	*	4.5%		4.5%
20 or more units	8.5%	8.2%	*	8.0%	*	7.9%
Mobile home	6.6%	6.5%		6.6%	*	6.7%
Boat, RV, van, etc.	0.1%	0.1%		0.1%		0.1%
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT						
Total housing units	131,791,065	129,949,960	*	129,059,978	*	127,895,430
Built 2005 or later	6.1%	4.8%	*	3.8%	*	3.3%
Built 2000 to 2004	8.8%	8.5%	*	8.5%	*	8.6%
Built 1990 to 1999	13.9%	13.9%		14.2%	*	13.9%
Built 1980 to 1989	14.0%	14.0%		14.2%	*	14.3%
Built 1970 to 1979	16.0%	16.3%	*	16.5%	*	16.6%
Built 1960 to 1969	11.1%	11.4%	*	11.4%	*	11.5%
Built 1950 to 1959	10.9%	11.3%	*	11.4%	*	11.4%
Built 1940 to 1949	5.5%	5.8%	*	5.9%	*	5.8%
Built 1939 or earlier	13.7%	14.0%	*	14.2%	*	14.5%
ROOMS						
Total housing units	131,791,065	129,949,960	*	129,059,978	*	127,895,430
1 room	2.0%	1.9%	*	2.0%	*	1.0%
2 rooms	2.4%	2.2%	*	2.2%	*	3.1%

Subject	United States					
	2010 Estimate	2009 Estimate	2010 - 2009 Statistical Significance	2008 Estimate	2010 - 2008 Statistical Significance	2007 Estimate
3 rooms	9.1%	8.9%	*	8.6%	*	9.2%
4 rooms	16.8%	16.6%	*	16.4%	*	17.3%
5 rooms	20.4%	20.4%		20.4%		21.8%
6 rooms	18.2%	18.3%	*	18.4%	*	19.0%
7 rooms	12.3%	12.4%	*	12.5%	*	12.4%
8 rooms	8.5%	8.6%	*	8.7%	*	8.0%
9 rooms or more	10.3%	10.5%	*	10.8%	*	8.2%
Median rooms	5.5	5.5		5.5		5.4
BEDROOMS						
Total housing units	131,791,065	129,949,960	*	129,059,978	*	127,895,430
No bedroom	2.2%	2.1%	*	2.3%	*	1.3%
1 bedroom	11.3%	11.1%	*	10.9%	*	11.5%
2 bedrooms	26.9%	27.0%		27.0%		27.5%
3 bedrooms	39.7%	39.7%		39.7%		40.0%
4 bedrooms	15.8%	15.9%	*	15.9%	*	15.7%
5 or more bedrooms	4.1%	4.2%		4.1%		3.9%
HOUSING TENURE						
Occupied housing units	114,567,419	113,616,229	*	113,097,835	*	112,377,977
Owner-occupied	65.4%	65.9%	*	66.6%	*	67.2%
Renter-occupied	34.6%	34.1%	*	33.4%	*	32.8%
Average household size of owner-occupied unit	2.70	2.71	*	2.70	*	2.70
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	2.50	2.48	*	2.44	*	2.42
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT						
Occupied housing units	114,567,419	113,616,229	*	113,097,835	*	112,377,977
Moved in 2005 or later	44.8%	40.5%	*	36.9%	*	30.1%
Moved in 2000 to 2004	17.7%	19.8%	*	22.3%	*	25.7%
Moved in 1990 to 1999	18.5%	19.4%	*	20.4%	*	22.2%
Moved in 1980 to 1989	8.6%	9.1%	*	9.2%	*	9.8%
Moved in 1970 to 1979	5.7%	6.0%	*	6.1%	*	6.5%
Moved in 1969 or earlier	4.7%	5.1%	*	5.2%	*	5.7%
VEHICLES AVAILABLE						
Occupied housing units	114,567,419	113,616,229	*	113,097,835	*	112,377,977
No vehicles available	9.1%	8.9%	*	8.8%	*	8.7%
1 vehicle available	33.8%	33.7%	*	33.4%	*	33.1%
2 vehicles available	37.6%	37.6%		37.8%	*	38.1%
3 or more vehicles available	19.5%	19.9%	*	20.1%	*	20.1%
HOUSE HEATING FUEL						
Occupied housing units	114,567,419	113,616,229	*	113,097,835	*	112,377,977
Utility gas	49.5%	49.8%	*	50.2%	*	50.2%
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	5.0%	5.1%	*	5.2%	*	5.5%
Electricity	35.4%	34.8%	*	34.1%	*	33.6%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	6.5%	6.7%	*	7.1%	*	7.4%
Coal or coke	0.1%	0.1%		0.1%		0.1%
Wood	2.1%	2.1%		2.0%	*	1.8%
Solar energy	0.0%	0.0%		0.0%	*	0.0%
Other fuel	0.4%	0.4%	*	0.4%	*	0.4%
No fuel used	0.9%	0.9%		0.9%		0.9%
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS						
Occupied housing units	114,567,419	113,616,229	*	113,097,835	*	112,377,977
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	0.6%	0.6%		0.7%	*	0.4%
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	1.0%	0.9%	*	1.0%		0.6%
No telephone service available	2.5%	2.3%	*	2.6%	*	5.4%
OCCUPANTS PER ROOM						
Occupied housing units	114,567,419	113,616,229	*	113,097,835	*	112,377,977
1.00 or less	96.6%	96.8%	*	97.0%	*	97.1%
1.01 to 1.50	2.4%	2.2%	*	2.1%	*	2.3%
1.51 or more	1.0%	1.0%	*	1.0%	*	0.7%
VALUE						

Subject	United States					
	2010 Estimate	2009 Estimate	2010 - 2009 Statistical Significance	2008 Estimate	2010 - 2008 Statistical Significance	2007 Estimate
Owner-occupied units	74,873,372	74,843,004		75,342,138	*	75,515,104
Less than \$50,000	8.6%	8.5%	*	8.2%	*	7.4%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	15.2%	14.7%	*	13.8%	*	14.7%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	16.0%	15.4%	*	14.5%	*	15.6%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	15.2%	15.0%	*	14.2%	*	13.6%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	18.6%	18.7%		18.6%		16.9%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	15.9%	16.5%	*	17.6%	*	17.6%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	8.4%	8.9%	*	10.5%	*	11.5%
\$1,000,000 or more	2.1%	2.2%	*	2.7%	*	2.6%
Median (dollars)	179,900	185,200	*	197,500	*	194,300
MORTGAGE STATUS						
Owner-occupied units	74,873,372	74,843,004		75,342,138	*	75,515,104
Housing units with a mortgage	67.2%	67.8%	*	68.4%	*	68.4%
Housing units without a mortgage	32.8%	32.2%	*	31.6%	*	31.6%
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS (SMOC)						
Housing units with a mortgage	50,339,500	50,747,854	*	51,557,616	*	51,615,003
Less than \$300	0.2%	0.2%	*	0.3%	*	0.2%
\$300 to \$499	1.8%	1.8%	*	1.9%	*	1.8%
\$500 to \$699	5.5%	5.4%	*	5.5%	*	5.3%
\$700 to \$999	14.9%	14.3%	*	14.3%	*	14.2%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	27.8%	26.9%	*	26.5%	*	26.7%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	20.0%	19.9%		19.7%	*	19.8%
\$2,000 or more	29.8%	31.5%	*	31.8%	*	31.9%
Median (dollars)	1,496	1,531	*	1,534	*	1,539
Housing units without a mortgage	24,533,872	24,095,150	*	23,784,522	*	23,900,101
Less than \$100	1.3%	1.3%	*	1.4%	*	1.3%
\$100 to \$199	7.4%	7.7%	*	7.9%	*	7.5%
\$200 to \$299	16.5%	16.6%		16.8%	*	16.7%
\$300 to \$399	19.7%	19.3%	*	19.3%	*	19.5%
\$400 or more	55.1%	55.1%		54.7%	*	54.9%
Median (dollars)	431	432		429		430
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (SMOCAP)						
Housing units with a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAP cannot be computed)	50,082,779	50,532,625	*	51,352,683	*	51,427,983
Less than 20.0 percent	33.7%	33.9%	*	33.8%		33.9%
20.0 to 24.9 percent	15.9%	16.0%		16.0%		15.9%
25.0 to 29.9 percent	12.3%	12.5%	*	12.5%	*	12.5%
30.0 to 34.9 percent	8.9%	9.0%	*	9.0%		9.0%
35.0 percent or more	29.1%	28.7%	*	28.8%	*	28.6%
Not computed	256,721	215,229	*	204,933	*	187,020
Housing unit without a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAP cannot be computed)	24,236,106	23,836,559	*	23,540,235	*	23,692,382
Less than 10.0 percent	38.8%	39.6%	*	40.1%	*	39.9%
10.0 to 14.9 percent	20.3%	20.1%	*	19.9%	*	19.9%
15.0 to 19.9 percent	12.5%	12.1%	*	12.0%	*	12.2%
20.0 to 24.9 percent	7.8%	7.6%	*	7.5%	*	7.7%
25.0 to 29.9 percent	5.2%	5.1%	*	5.0%	*	5.1%
30.0 to 34.9 percent	3.5%	3.5%		3.4%	*	3.5%
35.0 percent or more	12.0%	12.0%		12.0%		11.8%
Not computed	297,766	258,591	*	244,287	*	207,719
GROSS RENT						
Occupied units paying rent	37,521,157	36,601,338	*	35,640,160	*	34,674,969
Less than \$200	2.0%	2.1%	*	2.4%	*	2.4%
\$200 to \$299	3.3%	3.4%	*	3.4%	*	3.5%
\$300 to \$499	9.1%	9.5%	*	10.1%	*	10.5%
\$500 to \$749	24.5%	24.3%	*	25.5%	*	25.3%
\$750 to \$999	24.4%	24.2%	*	24.0%	*	24.5%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	24.2%	24.1%		23.1%	*	22.7%
\$1,500 or more	12.5%	12.5%		11.6%	*	11.1%

Subject	United States					
	2010 Estimate	2009 Estimate	2010 - 2009 Statistical Significance	2008 Estimate	2010 - 2008 Statistical Significance	2007 Estimate
Median (dollars)	855	855		834	*	827
No rent paid	2,172,890	2,171,887		2,115,537	*	2,187,904
GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (GRAPI)						
Occupied units paying rent (excluding units where GRAPI cannot be computed)	36,656,468	35,865,739	*	34,993,244	*	34,081,869
Less than 15.0 percent	11.2%	11.8%	*	12.7%	*	13.1%
15.0 to 19.9 percent	11.8%	12.3%	*	12.6%	*	12.8%
20.0 to 24.9 percent	12.4%	12.7%	*	13.0%	*	13.1%
25.0 to 29.9 percent	11.6%	11.7%		11.7%		11.7%
30.0 to 34.9 percent	9.2%	9.1%	*	9.2%		9.1%
35.0 percent or more	43.8%	42.5%	*	40.8%	*	40.2%
Not computed	3,037,579	2,907,486	*	2,762,453	*	2,781,004

Subject	United States		
	2010 - 2007 Statistical Significance	2006 Estimate	2010 - 2006 Statistical Significance
HOUSING OCCUPANCY			
Total housing units	*	126,311,823	*
Occupied housing units	*	88.4%	*
Vacant housing units	*	11.6%	*
Homeowner vacancy rate		2.2	*
Rental vacancy rate	*	7.7	*
UNITS IN STRUCTURE			
Total housing units	*	126,311,823	*
1-unit, detached	*	61.4%	
1-unit, attached	*	5.7%	*
2 units	*	4.0%	*
3 or 4 units		4.6%	*
5 to 9 units		4.9%	*
10 to 19 units		4.5%	
20 or more units	*	7.9%	*
Mobile home	*	6.9%	*
Boat, RV, van, etc.		0.1%	
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT			
Total housing units	*	126,311,823	*
Built 2005 or later	*	1.8%	*
Built 2000 to 2004	*	8.6%	*
Built 1990 to 1999		14.3%	*
Built 1980 to 1989	*	14.5%	*
Built 1970 to 1979	*	16.8%	*
Built 1960 to 1969	*	11.7%	*
Built 1950 to 1959	*	11.6%	*
Built 1940 to 1949	*	6.0%	*
Built 1939 or earlier	*	14.6%	*
ROOMS			
Total housing units	*	126,311,823	*
1 room	*	1.0%	*
2 rooms	*	3.2%	*
3 rooms		9.3%	*
4 rooms	*	17.4%	*
5 rooms	*	21.9%	*
6 rooms	*	18.9%	*
7 rooms	*	12.3%	
8 rooms	*	8.0%	*
9 rooms or more	*	8.1%	*
Median rooms		5.4	
BEDROOMS			
Total housing units	*	126,311,823	*
No bedroom	*	1.3%	*
1 bedroom	*	11.8%	*
2 bedrooms	*	27.8%	*
3 bedrooms	*	39.8%	
4 bedrooms	*	15.5%	*
5 or more bedrooms	*	3.9%	*
HOUSING TENURE			
Occupied housing units	*	111,617,402	*
Owner-occupied	*	67.3%	*
Renter-occupied	*	32.7%	*
Average household size of owner-occupied unit	*	2.71	*
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	*	2.41	*
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT			
Occupied housing units	*	111,617,402	*
Moved in 2005 or later	*	21.5%	*

Subject	United States		
	2010 - 2007 Statistical Significance	2006 Estimate	2010 - 2006 Statistical Significance
Moved in 2000 to 2004	*	31.1%	*
Moved in 1990 to 1999	*	24.1%	*
Moved in 1980 to 1989	*	10.4%	*
Moved in 1970 to 1979	*	6.8%	*
Moved in 1969 or earlier	*	6.1%	*
VEHICLES AVAILABLE			
Occupied housing units	*	111,617,402	*
No vehicles available	*	8.8%	*
1 vehicle available	*	33.2%	*
2 vehicles available	*	38.0%	*
3 or more vehicles available	*	20.0%	*
HOUSE HEATING FUEL			
Occupied housing units	*	111,617,402	*
Utility gas	*	50.5%	*
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	*	5.8%	*
Electricity	*	32.8%	*
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	*	7.7%	*
Coal or coke	*	0.1%	*
Wood	*	1.8%	*
Solar energy	*	0.0%	*
Other fuel	*	0.4%	*
No fuel used	*	0.9%	*
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS			
Occupied housing units	*	111,617,402	*
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	*	0.4%	*
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	*	0.6%	*
No telephone service available	*	5.9%	*
OCCUPANTS PER ROOM			
Occupied housing units	*	111,617,402	*
1.00 or less	*	97.0%	*
1.01 to 1.50	*	2.3%	*
1.51 or more	*	0.7%	*
VALUE			
Owner-occupied units	*	75,086,485	*
Less than \$50,000	*	8.1%	*
\$50,000 to \$99,999	*	15.9%	*
\$100,000 to \$149,999	*	16.0%	*
\$150,000 to \$199,999	*	13.4%	*
\$200,000 to \$299,999	*	15.9%	*
\$300,000 to \$499,999	*	17.0%	*
\$500,000 to \$999,999	*	11.3%	*
\$1,000,000 or more	*	2.4%	*
Median (dollars)	*	185,200	*
MORTGAGE STATUS			
Owner-occupied units	*	75,086,485	*
Housing units with a mortgage	*	68.2%	*
Housing units without a mortgage	*	31.8%	*
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS (SMOC)			
Housing units with a mortgage	*	51,234,170	*
Less than \$300	*	0.2%	*
\$300 to \$499	*	1.8%	*
\$500 to \$699	*	5.4%	*
\$700 to \$999	*	14.6%	*
\$1,000 to \$1,499	*	27.5%	*
\$1,500 to \$1,999	*	20.1%	*
\$2,000 or more	*	30.4%	*
Median (dollars)	*	1,511	*
Housing units without a mortgage	*	23,852,315	*

Subject	United States		
	2010 - 2007 Statistical Significance	2006 Estimate	2010 - 2006 Statistical Significance
Less than \$100	*	1.3%	
\$100 to \$199		7.4%	
\$200 to \$299	*	16.4%	*
\$300 to \$399	*	19.5%	
\$400 or more		55.3%	*
Median (dollars)		433	*
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (SMOCAPI)			
Housing units with a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)	*	51,032,625	*
Less than 20.0 percent	*	34.0%	*
20.0 to 24.9 percent		16.3%	*
25.0 to 29.9 percent	*	12.7%	*
30.0 to 34.9 percent	*	9.1%	*
35.0 percent or more	*	28.0%	*
Not computed	*	201,545	*
Housing unit without a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)	*	23,628,272	*
Less than 10.0 percent	*	38.0%	*
10.0 to 14.9 percent	*	20.1%	
15.0 to 19.9 percent	*	12.4%	
20.0 to 24.9 percent	*	7.9%	
25.0 to 29.9 percent	*	5.3%	*
30.0 to 34.9 percent		3.5%	
35.0 percent or more	*	12.7%	*
Not computed	*	224,043	*
GROSS RENT			
Occupied units paying rent	*	34,319,711	*
Less than \$200	*	2.5%	*
\$200 to \$299	*	3.5%	*
\$300 to \$499	*	10.4%	*
\$500 to \$749	*	25.5%	*
\$750 to \$999		24.6%	*
\$1,000 to \$1,499	*	22.9%	*
\$1,500 or more	*	10.5%	*
Median (dollars)	*	824	*
No rent paid		2,211,206	*
GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (GRAPI)			
Occupied units paying rent (excluding units where GRAPI cannot be computed)	*	33,729,402	*
Less than 15.0 percent	*	12.9%	*
15.0 to 19.9 percent	*	12.8%	*
20.0 to 24.9 percent	*	12.9%	*
25.0 to 29.9 percent		11.7%	
30.0 to 34.9 percent		9.0%	*
35.0 percent or more	*	40.8%	*
Not computed	*	2,801,515	*

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 median gross rent excludes no cash renters.

In prior years, the universe included all owner-occupied units with a mortgage. It is now restricted to include only those units where SMOCAPI is computed, that is, SMOC and household income are valid values.

In prior years, the universe included all owner-occupied units without a mortgage. It is now restricted to include only those units where SMOCAPI is computed, that is, SMOC and household income are valid values.

In prior years, the universe included all renter-occupied units. It is now restricted to include only those units where GRAPI is computed, that is, gross rent and household income are valid values.

The 2009 and 2010 plumbing data for Puerto Rico will not be shown. Research indicates that the questions on plumbing facilities that were introduced in 2008 in the stateside American Community Survey and the 2008 Puerto Rico Community Survey may not have been appropriate for Puerto Rico.

While the 2010 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, 2010 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.