

Table 1.47-- LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME, BY COUNTY: 2011-2015

[Persons 5 years old and over. The 2011-2015 ACS 5-year dataset that was used describes the average characteristics of people living in Hawaii between the years 2011 and 2015. Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability]

Language spoken at home 1/	State total	City and County of Honolulu	Hawaii County	Kauai County	Maui County 2/
Total	1,315,242	919,700	179,519	65,159	150,864
Speak only English	983,565	667,508	146,822	51,197	118,038
Spanish or Spanish Creole	25,776	16,899	3,939	1,040	3,898
French (incl. Patois, Cajun)	3,340	2,149	313	242	636
French Creole	113	106	-	7	-
Italian	643	459	10	38	136
Portuguese or Portuguese Creole	2,048	1,400	296	45	307
German	3,782	2,525	383	408	466
Yiddish	40	2	35	3	-
Other West Germanic languages	284	186	48	35	15
Scandinavian languages	689	426	101	19	143
Greek	134	100	3	16	15
Russian	1,124	708	273	101	42
Polish	494	351	87	46	10
Serbo-Croatian	250	222	13	15	-
Other Slavic languages	702	464	99	25	114
Armenian	17	17	-	-	-
Persian	715	568	53	-	94
Gujarati	19	13	-	6	-
Hindi	543	401	57	42	43
Urdu	44	40	4	-	-
Other Indic languages	561	502	5	2	52
Other Indo-European languages	1,912	1,182	496	134	100
Chinese	32,758	31,120	608	592	438
Japanese	45,190	38,133	3,865	971	2,221
Korean	18,337	16,485	1,147	286	419
Mon-Khmer, Cambodian	196	112	84	-	-
Hmong	41	41	-	-	-
Thai	1,815	1,457	126	129	103
Laotian	1,999	1,943	22	-	34
Vietnamese	9,389	8,772	215	70	332
Other Asian languages	1,011	849	66	4	92
Tagalog	59,627	45,389	5,078	2,971	6,189
Other Pacific Island languages	115,208	76,932	15,021	6,594	16,661
Navajo	48	38	-	-	10
Other Native North American languages	967	904	45	-	18

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Hungarian	129	106	3	8	12
Arabic	472	297	95	-	80
Hebrew	433	220	34	70	109
African languages	580	546	11	4	19
Other and unspecified languages	247	128	62	39	18

1/ All data based on samples include a range of uncertainty. Margin of errors may be utilized regarding this uncertainty for the estimates in the above table and are available from the data source. Also, methodological changes to data collection in 2013 may have affected language data for 2013. Users should be aware of these changes when using multi-year data such as this one which contains data from 2013.

2/ Maui County includes Kalawao County.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2011-2015 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, B16001
 <<http://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/index.xhtml>> accessed January 13, 2017.