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SELECTED SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS IN THE UNITED STATES

2010-2014 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	Gardena city, California			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				LIIOI
Total households	20,658	+/-521	20,658	(X)
Family households (families)	13,926	+/-376	67.4%	+/-1.9
With own children under 18 years	5,993	+/-312	29.0%	+/-1.5
Married-couple family	8,861	+/-449	42.9%	+/-2.2
With own children under 18 years	3,805	+/-312	18.4%	+/-1.6
Male householder, no wife present, family	1,309	+/-253	6.3%	+/-1.2
With own children under 18 years	493	+/-178	2.4%	+/-0.9
Female householder, no husband present, family	3,756	+/-420	18.2%	+/-2.0
With own children under 18 years	1,695	+/-316	8.2%	+/-1.5
Nonfamily households	6,732	+/-496	32.6%	+/-1.9
Householder living alone	5,733	+/-500	27.8%	+/-2.0
65 years and over	2,180	+/-270	10.6%	+/-1.2
Households with one or more people under 18 years	6,836	+/-356	33.1%	+/-1.9
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	6,400	+/-351	31.0%	+/-1.5
Average household size	2.85	+/-0.07	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.54	+/-0.09	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	58,918	+/-199	58,918	(X)
Householder	20,658	+/-521	35.1%	+/-0.9
Spouse	8,819	+/-446	15.0%	+/-0.8
Child	19,730	+/-698	33.5%	+/-1.2
Other relatives	6,775	+/-696	11.5%	+/-1.2
Nonrelatives	2,936	+/-423	5.0%	+/-0.7
Unmarried partner	1,001	+/-196	1.7%	+/-0.3
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	23,139	+/-775	23,139	(X)
Never married	9,576	+/-757	41.4%	+/-2.4
Now married, except separated	10,457	+/-444	45.2%	+/-2.1
Separated	603	+/-150	2.6%	+/-0.6

Subject	Gardena city, California				
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error	
Widowed	756	+/-188	3.3%		
Divorced	1,747	+/-293	7.6%		
Females 15 years and over	25,332	+/-629	25,332	(X)	
Never married	8,773	+/-623	34.6%		
Now married, except separated	10,319	+/-625	40.7%	· · · ·	
Separated	1,052	+/-429	4.2%		
Widowed	2,527	+/-307	10.0%		
Divorced	2,661	+/-361	10.5%		
FERTILITY					
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth	1,067	+/-227	1,067	(X)	
in the past 12 months Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never	412	+/-166	38.6%	+/-11.9	
married) Per 1,000 unmarried women	50	1.00	00		
	50	+/-20	(X)		
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	73	+/-16	(X)		
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	7	+/-12	(X)		
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	124	+/-31	(X)		
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	44	+/-15	(X)	(X)	
GRANDPARENTS					
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	2,005	+/-358	2,005	(X)	
Responsible for grandchildren Years responsible for grandchildren	542	+/-184	27.0%	+/-7.3	
Less than 1 year	50	./ 40	2.50/		
1 or 2 years	50	+/-48	2.5%		
3 or 4 years	137	+/-71	6.8%		
5 or more years	91 264	+/-66 +/-127	4.5% 13.2%		
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	542	+/-184	542	(X)	
Who are female	396	+/-146	73.1%	+/-9.5	
Who are married	311	+/-142	57.4%	+/-15.9	
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT					
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	16,211	+/-824	16,211	(X)	
Nursery school, preschool	873	+/-179	5.4%		
Kindergarten	853	+/-191	5.3%		
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	5,770	+/-547	35.6%		
High school (grades 9-12)	3,373	+/-397	20.8%		
College or graduate school	5,342	+/-644	33.0%		
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT					
Population 25 years and over	41,038	+/-784	41,038		
Less than 9th grade	4,277	+/-581	10.4%		
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	3,353	+/-496	8.2%		
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	11,205	+/-786	27.3%		
Some college, no degree	9,300	+/-729	22.7%		
Associate's degree	3,193	+/-442	7.8%		
Bachelor's degree	7,301	+/-511	17.8%		
Graduate or professional degree	2,409	+/-314	5.9%	+/-0.8	
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	81.4%	+/-1.8	
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	23.7%		
VETERAN STATUS					
Civilian population 18 years and over	46,249	+/-621	46,249	(X)	
Civilian veterans	2,568	+/-312	5.6%		
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DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN				Error
NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	50.070		F0.070	
With a disability	59,076 5.466	+/-192 +/-425	59,076 9.3%	(X) +/-0.7
with a albability	5,400	+/-423	9.3%	+/-0.7
Under 18 years	13,425	+/-617	13,425	(X)
With a disability	124	+/-75	0.9%	+/-0.6
18 to 64 years	20.000		20.000	
With a disability	36,863 2,361	+/-636 +/-320	36,863 6.4%	(X) +/-0.9
with a albability	2,301	+/-320	0.4%	+/-0.9
65 years and over	8,788	+/-492	8,788	(X)
With a disability	2,981	+/-294	33.9%	+/-3.4
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	58,936	+/-215	58,936	(X)
Same house	51,683	+/-962	87.7%	+/-1.5
Different house in the U.S.	6,975	+/-842	11.8%	+/-1.4
Same county	6,514	+/-827	11.1%	+/-1.4
Different county	461	+/-162	0.8%	+/-0.3
Same state	237	+/-128	0.4%	+/-0.2
Different state	224	+/-137	0.4%	+/-0.2
Abroad	278	+/-153	0.5%	+/-0.3
PLACE OF BIRTH Total population	50.692	+/-45	50 692	())
Native	59,682		59,682	(X)
Born in United States	40,007	+/-988	67.0%	+/-1.7
State of residence	39,411	+/-1,011	66.0%	+/-1.7
Different state	31,093	+/-1,003	52.1%	+/-1.7
	8,318	+/-637	13.9%	+/-1.1
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	596	+/-174	1.0%	+/-0.3
Foreign born	19,675	+/-989	33.0%	+/-1.7
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	19,675	+/-989	19,675	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	11,247	+/-768	57.2%	+/-2.9
Not a U.S. citizen	8,428	+/-731	42.8%	+/-2.9
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	20,271	+/-1,012	20,271	(X)
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Native	596	+/-174	596	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	35	+/-53	5.9%	+/-8.5
Entered before 2010	561	+/-163	94.1%	+/-8.5
Foreign born	19,675	+/-989	19,675	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	895	+/-346	4.5%	+/-1.7
Entered before 2010	18,780	+/-893	95.5%	+/-1.7
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	19,675	+/-989	19,675	(X)
Europe	272	+/-105	1.4%	+/-0.5
Asia	9,071	+/-831	46.1%	+/-3.1
Africa	965	+/-321	4.9%	+/-1.6
Oceania	59	+/-43	0.3%	+/-0.2
Latin America	9,247	+/-616	47.0%	+/-3.0
Northern America	61	+/-40	0.3%	+/-0.2

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LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME					
Population 5 years and over	55,918	+/-415	55,918	(X)	
English only	27,341	+/-1,252	48.9%	+/-2.1	
Language other than English	28,577	+/-1,130	51.1%	+/-2.1	
Speak English less than "very well"	13,125	+/-860	23.5%	+/-1.5	
Spanish	16,959	+/-899	30.3%	+/-1.7	
Speak English less than "very well"	7,306	+/-676	13.1%	+/-1.2	
Other Indo-European languages	885	+/-389	1.6%	+/-0.7	
Speak English less than "very well"	223	+/-94	0.4%	+/-0.2	
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	9,867	+/-761	17.6%	+/-1.4	
Speak English less than "very well"	5,170	+/-531	9.2%	+/-0.9	
Other languages	866	+/-374	1.5%	+/-0.7	
Speak English less than "very well"	426	+/-285	0.8%	+/-0.5	
ANCESTRY					
Total population	59,682	+/-45	59,682	(X)	
American	2,184	+/-532	3.7%	+/-0.9	
Arab	256	+/-185	0.4%	+/-0.3	
Czech	21	+/-27	0.0%	+/-0.1	
Danish	71	+/-45	0.1%	+/-0.1	
Dutch	64	+/-38	0.1%	+/-0.1	
English	556	+/-140	0.9%	+/-0.2	
French (except Basque)	251	+/-94	0.4%	+/-0.2	
French Canadian	45	+/-60	0.1%	+/-0.1	
German	1,011	+/-254	1.7%	+/-0.4	
Greek	0	+/-29	0.0%	+/-0.1	
Hungarian	107	+/-79	0.2%	+/-0.1	
Irish	567	+/-183	1.0%	+/-0.3	
Italian	499	+/-225	0.8%	+/-0.4	
Lithuanian	9	+/-15	0.0%	+/-0.1	
Norwegian	120	+/-87	0.2%	+/-0.1	
Polish	105	+/-62	0.2%	+/-0.1	
Portuguese	107	+/-72	0.2%	+/-0.1	
Russian	46	+/-59	0.1%	+/-0.1	
Scotch-Irish	35	+/-39	0.1%	+/-0.1	
Scottish	51	+/-31	0.1%	+/-0.1	
Slovak	20	+/-21	0.0%	+/-0.1	
Subsaharan African	890	+/-368	1.5%	+/-0.6	
Swedish	160	+/-80	0.3%	+/-0.1	
Swiss	20	+/-23	0.0%	+/-0.1	
Ukrainian	61	+/-60	0.1%	+/-0.1	
Welsh	47	+/-00	0.1%	+/-0.1	
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	44	+/-35	0.1%	+/-0.1	
COMPUTERS AND INTERNET USE					
Total Households	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	
With a computer	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	
With a broadband Internet subscription	(X)	(X)	(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.

Fertility data are not available for certain geographic areas due to problems with data collection. See Errata Note #92 for details.

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 containing data from 2013.

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 2010-2014 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the February 2013 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 2010 data. 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, 2010-2014 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

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.

An '*****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.
 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.