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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.

Subject	Clackamas County, Oregon					
	Total		Percent of specified language speakers			
			Speak English "very well"		Speak English less than "very well"	
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error
Population 5 years and over	355,782	+/-290	95.6%	+/-0.7	4.4%	+/-0.7
Speak only English	88.8%	+/-1.1	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Speak a language other than English	11.2%	+/-1.1	60.5%	+/-5.2	39.5%	+/-5.2
Spanish or Spanish Creole	5.5%	+/-0.6	51.8%	+/-7.3	48.2%	+/-7.3
Other Indo-European languages	3.2%	+/-0.9	77.4%	+/-7.8	22.6%	+/-7.8
Asian and Pacific Island languages	2.3%	+/-0.5	57.0%	+/-10.3	43.0%	+/-10.3
Other languages	0.2%	+/-0.2	68.6%	+/-19.9	31.4%	+/-19.9
SPEAK A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH						
Spanish or Spanish Creole	19,439	+/-2,275	51.8%	+/-7.3	48.2%	+/-7.3
5-17 years	5,672	+/-1,306	90.1%	+/-6.8	9.9%	+/-6.8
18-64 years	12,773	+/-1,541	34.2%	+/-10.6	65.8%	+/-10.6
65 years and over	994	+/-539	60.5%	+/-35.9	39.5%	+/-35.9
Other Indo-European languages	11,221	+/-3,360	77.4%	+/-7.8	22.6%	+/-7.8
5-17 years	1,249	+/-934	91.8%	+/-14.6	8.2%	+/-14.6
18-64 years	8,773	+/-2,536	80.0%	+/-6.7	20.0%	+/-6.7
65 years and over	1,199	+/-682	43.3%	+/-21.9	56.7%	+/-21.9
Asian and Pacific Island languages	8,209	+/-1,828	57.0%	+/-10.3	43.0%	+/-10.3
5-17 years	1,174	+/-726	78.3%	+/-21.8	21.7%	+/-21.8
18-64 years	6,527	+/-1,361	57.7%	+/-12.0	42.3%	+/-12.0
65 years and over	508	+/-414	0.0%	+/-28.7	100.0%	+/-28.7
Other languages	816	+/-679	68.6%	+/-19.9	31.4%	+/-19.9
5-17 years	0	+/-277	-	**	-	**
18-64 years	628	+/-659	59.2%	+/-17.0	40.8%	+/-17.0
65 years and over	188	+/-154	100.0%	+/-50.5	0.0%	+/-50.5
PERCENT IMPUTED						
Language status	3.3%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Language status (speak a language other than English)	2.3%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Ability to speak English	3.8%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

Subject	Multnomah County, Oregon					
	Total		Percent of specified language speakers			
			Speak English "very well"		Speak English less than "very well"	
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error
Population 5 years and over	691,436	+/-525	90.8%	+/-0.8	9.2%	+/-0.8
Speak only English	80.3%	+/-1.0	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Speak a language other than English	19.7%	+/-1.0	53.2%	+/-3.5	46.8%	+/-3.5
Spanish or Spanish Creole	8.5%	+/-0.7	54.6%	+/-5.7	45.4%	+/-5.7
Other Indo-European languages	4.8%	+/-0.8	59.3%	+/-5.6	40.7%	+/-5.6
Asian and Pacific Island languages	5.8%	+/-0.5	43.4%	+/-5.1	56.6%	+/-5.1
Other languages	0.7%	+/-0.2	76.3%	+/-10.7	23.7%	+/-10.7
SPEAK A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH						
Spanish or Spanish Creole	58,880	+/-4,513	54.6%	+/-5.7	45.4%	+/-5.7
5-17 years	17,251	+/-2,183	72.1%	+/-8.9	27.9%	+/-8.9
18-64 years	39,740	+/-3,059	47.0%	+/-6.4	53.0%	+/-6.4
65 years and over	1,889	+/-411	54.4%	+/-16.4	45.6%	+/-16.4
Other Indo-European languages	32,915	+/-5,456	59.3%	+/-5.6	40.7%	+/-5.6
5-17 years	7,127	+/-2,525	77.6%	+/-11.6	22.4%	+/-11.6
18-64 years	22,217	+/-3,848	54.9%	+/-7.1	45.1%	+/-7.1
65 years and over	3,571	+/-922	50.2%	+/-11.2	49.8%	+/-11.2
Asian and Pacific Island languages	39,839	+/-3,412	43.4%	+/-5.1	56.6%	+/-5.1
5-17 years	7,527	+/-1,197	60.7%	+/-9.1	39.3%	+/-9.1
18-64 years	28,025	+/-2,777	42.6%	+/-6.2	57.4%	+/-6.2
65 years and over	4,287	+/-327	17.9%	+/-9.5	82.1%	+/-9.5
Other languages	4,655	+/-1,676	76.3%	+/-10.7	23.7%	+/-10.7
5-17 years	773	+/-638	91.1%	+/-18.3	8.9%	+/-18.3
18-64 years	3,427	+/-1,208	75.0%	+/-12.5	25.0%	+/-12.5
65 years and over	455	+/-329	60.7%	+/-38.2	39.3%	+/-38.2
PERCENT IMPUTED						
Language status	2.7%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Language status (speak a language other than English)	2.4%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Ability to speak English	3.1%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

Subject	Washington County, Oregon					
	Total		Percent of specified language speakers			
			Speak English "very well"		Speak English less than "very well"	
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error
Population 5 years and over	493,592	+/-453	91.1%	+/-0.8	8.9%	+/-0.8
Speak only English	77.9%	+/-1.1	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Speak a language other than English	22.1%	+/-1.1	59.9%	+/-3.2	40.1%	+/-3.2
Spanish or Spanish Creole	12.0%	+/-0.8	55.6%	+/-5.1	44.4%	+/-5.1
Other Indo-European languages	4.1%	+/-0.8	82.5%	+/-5.1	17.5%	+/-5.1
Asian and Pacific Island languages	5.4%	+/-0.6	52.6%	+/-6.9	47.4%	+/-6.9
Other languages	0.7%	+/-0.2	58.2%	+/-14.0	41.8%	+/-14.0
SPEAK A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH						
Spanish or Spanish Creole	59,078	+/-4,051	55.6%	+/-5.1	44.4%	+/-5.1
5-17 years	15,603	+/-2,124	84.5%	+/-5.8	15.5%	+/-5.8
18-64 years	41,421	+/-2,808	44.7%	+/-6.7	55.3%	+/-6.7
65 years and over	2,054	+/-592	56.1%	+/-26.3	43.9%	+/-26.3
Other Indo-European languages	20,035	+/-3,765	82.5%	+/-5.1	17.5%	+/-5.1
5-17 years	3,275	+/-1,967	90.9%	+/-12.2	9.1%	+/-12.2
18-64 years	15,527	+/-2,689	80.7%	+/-6.4	19.3%	+/-6.4
65 years and over	1,233	+/-582	83.3%	+/-15.0	16.7%	+/-15.0
Asian and Pacific Island languages	26,760	+/-2,747	52.6%	+/-6.9	47.4%	+/-6.9
5-17 years	4,244	+/-887	73.8%	+/-11.2	26.2%	+/-11.2
18-64 years	20,220	+/-2,329	52.6%	+/-7.4	47.4%	+/-7.4
65 years and over	2,296	+/-475	13.4%	+/-12.0	86.6%	+/-12.0
Other languages	3,392	+/-1,228	58.2%	+/-14.0	41.8%	+/-14.0
5-17 years	861	+/-535	73.6%	+/-36.4	26.4%	+/-36.4
18-64 years	2,303	+/-832	55.1%	+/-15.6	44.9%	+/-15.6
65 years and over	228	+/-214	30.7%	+/-47.5	69.3%	+/-47.5
PERCENT IMPUTED						
Language status	2.3%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Language status (speak a language other than English)	2.0%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Ability to speak English	3.0%	(X)	(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.

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.