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ACS DEMOGRAPHIC AND HOUSING ESTIMATES

2011-2015 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

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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	Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
SEX AND AGE				
Total population	213,459	*****	213,459	(X)
Male	103,058	+/-71	48.3%	+/-0.1
Female	110,401	+/-71	51.7%	+/-0.1
Under 5 years	11,278	+/-19	5.3%	+/-0.1
5 to 9 years	11,914	+/-529	5.6%	+/-0.2
10 to 14 years	12,079	+/-528	5.7%	+/-0.2
15 to 19 years	14,030	+/-135	6.6%	+/-0.1
20 to 24 years	14,463	+/-129	6.8%	+/-0.1
25 to 34 years	25,733	+/-46	12.1%	+/-0.1
35 to 44 years	24,657	+/-33	11.6%	+/-0.1
45 to 54 years	30,158	+/-34	14.1%	+/-0.1
55 to 59 years	15,594	+/-594	7.3%	+/-0.3
60 to 64 years	14,137	+/-591	6.6%	+/-0.3
65 to 74 years	20,370	+/-96	9.5%	+/-0.1
75 to 84 years	12,159	+/-408	5.7%	+/-0.2
85 years and over	6,887	+/-397	3.2%	+/-0.2
Median age (years)	42.3	+/-0.2	(X)	(X)
18 years and over	170,503	*****	79.9%	*****
21 years and over	160,340	+/-435	75.1%	+/-0.2
62 years and over	47,727	+/-509	22.4%	+/-0.2
65 years and over	39,416	+/-34	18.5%	+/-0.1
18 years and over	170,503	*****	170,503	(X)
Male	80,967	*****	47.5%	*****
Female	89,536	*****	52.5%	*****
65 years and over	39,416	+/-34	39,416	(X)
Male	16,349	+/-25	41.5%	+/-0.1

Subject	Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Female	23,067	+/-20	58.5%	+/-0.1
RACE				
Total population	213,459	*****	213,459	(X)
One race	210,692	+/-340	98.7%	+/-0.2
Two or more races	2,767	+/-340	1.3%	+/-0.2
One race	210,692	+/-340	98.7%	+/-0.2
White	197,873	+/-444	92.7%	+/-0.2
Black or African American	6,588	+/-432	3.1%	+/-0.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	264	+/-67	0.1%	+/-0.1
Cherokee tribal grouping	54	+/-50	0.0%	+/-0.1
Chippewa tribal grouping	0	+/-23	0.0%	+/-0.1
Navajo tribal grouping	12	+/-17	0.0%	+/-0.1
Sioux tribal grouping	10	+/-15	0.0%	+/-0.1
Asian	4,519	+/-206	2.1%	+/-0.1
Asian Indian	1,528	+/-356	0.7%	+/-0.2
Chinese	681	+/-267	0.3%	+/-0.1
Filipino	279	+/-145	0.1%	+/-0.1
Japanese	73	+/-44	0.0%	+/-0.1
Korean	86	+/-45	0.0%	+/-0.1
Vietnamese	221	+/-116	0.1%	+/-0.1
Other Asian	1,651	+/-439	0.8%	+/-0.2
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	13	+/-15	0.0%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian	13	+/-15	0.0%	+/-0.1
Guamanian or Chamorro	0	+/-23	0.0%	+/-0.1
Samoa	0	+/-23	0.0%	+/-0.1
Other Pacific Islander	0	+/-23	0.0%	+/-0.1
Some other race	1,435	+/-366	0.7%	+/-0.2
Two or more races	2,767	+/-340	1.3%	+/-0.2
White and Black or African American	1,125	+/-281	0.5%	+/-0.1
White and American Indian and Alaska Native	381	+/-69	0.2%	+/-0.1
White and Asian	660	+/-191	0.3%	+/-0.1
Black or African American and American Indian and Alaska Native	25	+/-26	0.0%	+/-0.1
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races				
Total population	213,459	*****	213,459	(X)
White	200,335	+/-519	93.9%	+/-0.2
Black or African American	7,929	+/-379	3.7%	+/-0.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	869	+/-126	0.4%	+/-0.1
Asian	5,349	+/-139	2.5%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	50	+/-44	0.0%	+/-0.1
Some other race	1,828	+/-425	0.9%	+/-0.2
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE				
Total population	213,459	*****	213,459	(X)
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	12,664	*****	5.9%	*****
Mexican	2,163	+/-460	1.0%	+/-0.2
Puerto Rican	5,975	+/-553	2.8%	+/-0.3
Cuban	283	+/-153	0.1%	+/-0.1
Other Hispanic or Latino	4,243	+/-582	2.0%	+/-0.3
Not Hispanic or Latino	200,795	*****	94.1%	*****
White alone	187,898	+/-106	88.0%	+/-0.1
Black or African American alone	5,770	+/-282	2.7%	+/-0.1
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	252	+/-68	0.1%	+/-0.1
Asian alone	4,415	+/-183	2.1%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	13	+/-15	0.0%	+/-0.1

Subject	Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Some other race alone	283	+/-180	0.1%	+/-0.1
Two or more races	2,164	+/-299	1.0%	+/-0.1
Two races including Some other race	109	+/-85	0.1%	+/-0.1
Two races excluding Some other race, and Three or more races	2,055	+/-290	1.0%	+/-0.1
Total housing units	97,028	+/-249	(X)	(X)
CITIZEN, VOTING AGE POPULATION				
Citizen, 18 and over population	165,437	+/-522	165,437	(X)
Male	78,410	+/-331	47.4%	+/-0.1
Female	87,027	+/-301	52.6%	+/-0.1

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.

For more information on understanding race and Hispanic origin data, please see the Census 2010 Brief entitled, Overview of Race and Hispanic Origin: 2010, issued March 2011. (pdf format)

While the 2011-2015 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, 2011-2015 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.
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.