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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS

2011-2015 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.

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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.

A processing error was found in the Year Structure Built estimates since data year 2008. For more information, please see the errata note #110.

Subject	Carbon County, Pennsylvania			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
<b>HOUSING OCCUPANCY</b>				
Total housing units	34,400	+/-100	34,400	(X)
Occupied housing units	25,751	+/-469	74.9%	+/-1.4
Vacant housing units	8,649	+/-470	25.1%	+/-1.4
Homeowner vacancy rate	2.3	+/-0.8	(X)	(X)
Rental vacancy rate	2.2	+/-1.4	(X)	(X)
<b>UNITS IN STRUCTURE</b>				
Total housing units	34,400	+/-100	34,400	(X)
1-unit, detached	24,134	+/-505	70.2%	+/-1.4
1-unit, attached	5,707	+/-458	16.6%	+/-1.3
2 units	771	+/-227	2.2%	+/-0.7
3 or 4 units	938	+/-214	2.7%	+/-0.6
5 to 9 units	636	+/-158	1.8%	+/-0.5
10 to 19 units	183	+/-63	0.5%	+/-0.2
20 or more units	705	+/-143	2.0%	+/-0.4
Mobile home	1,326	+/-214	3.9%	+/-0.6
Boat, RV, van, etc.	0	+/-23	0.0%	+/-0.1
<b>YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT</b>				
Total housing units	34,400	+/-100	34,400	(X)
Built 2014 or later	22	+/-34	0.1%	+/-0.1
Built 2010 to 2013	107	+/-56	0.3%	+/-0.2
Built 2000 to 2009	3,692	+/-375	10.7%	+/-1.1
Built 1990 to 1999	3,284	+/-386	9.5%	+/-1.1
Built 1980 to 1989	5,563	+/-480	16.2%	+/-1.4
Built 1970 to 1979	4,272	+/-449	12.4%	+/-1.3
Built 1960 to 1969	2,269	+/-280	6.6%	+/-0.8

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Built 1950 to 1959	2,010	+/-267	5.8%	+/-0.8
Built 1940 to 1949	1,583	+/-254	4.6%	+/-0.7
Built 1939 or earlier	11,598	+/-512	33.7%	+/-1.5
<b>ROOMS</b>				
Total housing units	34,400	+/-100	34,400	(X)
1 room	319	+/-129	0.9%	+/-0.4
2 rooms	323	+/-133	0.9%	+/-0.4
3 rooms	1,737	+/-339	5.0%	+/-1.0
4 rooms	4,467	+/-481	13.0%	+/-1.4
5 rooms	7,606	+/-588	22.1%	+/-1.7
6 rooms	8,731	+/-588	25.4%	+/-1.7
7 rooms	4,979	+/-399	14.5%	+/-1.2
8 rooms	3,113	+/-323	9.0%	+/-0.9
9 rooms or more	3,125	+/-336	9.1%	+/-1.0
Median rooms	5.8	+/-0.1	(X)	(X)
<b>BEDROOMS</b>				
Total housing units	34,400	+/-100	34,400	(X)
No bedroom	340	+/-122	1.0%	+/-0.4
1 bedroom	1,998	+/-267	5.8%	+/-0.8
2 bedrooms	8,599	+/-569	25.0%	+/-1.7
3 bedrooms	17,761	+/-804	51.6%	+/-2.3
4 bedrooms	4,755	+/-522	13.8%	+/-1.5
5 or more bedrooms	947	+/-180	2.8%	+/-0.5
<b>HOUSING TENURE</b>				
Occupied housing units	25,751	+/-469	25,751	(X)
Owner-occupied	20,158	+/-572	78.3%	+/-1.7
Renter-occupied	5,593	+/-456	21.7%	+/-1.7
Average household size of owner-occupied unit	2.52	+/-0.05	(X)	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	2.30	+/-0.11	(X)	(X)
<b>YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT</b>				
Occupied housing units	25,751	+/-469	25,751	(X)
Moved in 2015 or later	175	+/-103	0.7%	+/-0.4
Moved in 2010 to 2014	5,141	+/-476	20.0%	+/-1.8
Moved in 2000 to 2009	8,564	+/-493	33.3%	+/-1.7
Moved in 1990 to 1999	4,870	+/-398	18.9%	+/-1.5
Moved in 1980 to 1989	2,262	+/-291	8.8%	+/-1.1
Moved in 1979 and earlier	4,739	+/-310	18.4%	+/-1.2
<b>VEHICLES AVAILABLE</b>				
Occupied housing units	25,751	+/-469	25,751	(X)
No vehicles available	2,120	+/-298	8.2%	+/-1.1
1 vehicle available	7,641	+/-480	29.7%	+/-1.8
2 vehicles available	9,659	+/-563	37.5%	+/-2.2
3 or more vehicles available	6,331	+/-486	24.6%	+/-1.8
<b>HOUSE HEATING FUEL</b>				
Occupied housing units	25,751	+/-469	25,751	(X)
Utility gas	1,930	+/-248	7.5%	+/-1.0
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	1,666	+/-304	6.5%	+/-1.2
Electricity	7,287	+/-486	28.3%	+/-1.8
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	11,963	+/-464	46.5%	+/-1.7
Coal or coke	1,720	+/-254	6.7%	+/-1.0
Wood	899	+/-190	3.5%	+/-0.7
Solar energy	17	+/-26	0.1%	+/-0.1

Subject	Carbon County, Pennsylvania			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Other fuel	210	+/-100	0.8%	+/-0.4
No fuel used	59	+/-53	0.2%	+/-0.2
<b>SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS</b>				
Occupied housing units	25,751	+/-469	25,751	(X)
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	143	+/-65	0.6%	+/-0.3
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	280	+/-81	1.1%	+/-0.3
No telephone service available	403	+/-110	1.6%	+/-0.4
<b>OCCUPANTS PER ROOM</b>				
Occupied housing units	25,751	+/-469	25,751	(X)
1.00 or less	25,421	+/-476	98.7%	+/-0.4
1.01 to 1.50	230	+/-120	0.9%	+/-0.5
1.51 or more	100	+/-59	0.4%	+/-0.2
<b>VALUE</b>				
Owner-occupied units	20,158	+/-572	20,158	(X)
Less than \$50,000	2,235	+/-266	11.1%	+/-1.3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	4,018	+/-371	19.9%	+/-1.7
\$100,000 to \$149,999	4,194	+/-382	20.8%	+/-1.8
\$150,000 to \$199,999	4,299	+/-360	21.3%	+/-1.7
\$200,000 to \$299,999	3,860	+/-328	19.1%	+/-1.6
\$300,000 to \$499,999	1,165	+/-216	5.8%	+/-1.0
\$500,000 to \$999,999	294	+/-116	1.5%	+/-0.6
\$1,000,000 or more	93	+/-58	0.5%	+/-0.3
Median (dollars)	144,700	+/-5,620	(X)	(X)
<b>MORTGAGE STATUS</b>				
Owner-occupied units	20,158	+/-572	20,158	(X)
Housing units with a mortgage	12,081	+/-561	59.9%	+/-2.1
Housing units without a mortgage	8,077	+/-454	40.1%	+/-2.1
<b>SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS (SMOC)</b>				
Housing units with a mortgage	12,081	+/-561	12,081	(X)
Less than \$500	201	+/-79	1.7%	+/-0.7
\$500 to \$999	2,882	+/-331	23.9%	+/-2.6
\$1,000 to \$1,499	4,469	+/-410	37.0%	+/-2.9
\$1,500 to \$1,999	2,857	+/-321	23.6%	+/-2.5
\$2,000 to \$2,499	889	+/-199	7.4%	+/-1.5
\$2,500 to \$2,999	439	+/-130	3.6%	+/-1.1
\$3,000 or more	344	+/-134	2.8%	+/-1.1
Median (dollars)	1,326	+/-39	(X)	(X)
Housing units without a mortgage	8,077	+/-454	8,077	(X)
Less than \$250	472	+/-127	5.8%	+/-1.6
\$250 to \$399	1,520	+/-261	18.8%	+/-3.1
\$400 to \$599	2,871	+/-321	35.5%	+/-3.4
\$600 to \$799	2,140	+/-293	26.5%	+/-3.1
\$800 to \$999	784	+/-174	9.7%	+/-2.1
\$1,000 or more	290	+/-93	3.6%	+/-1.1
Median (dollars)	537	+/-22	(X)	(X)
<b>SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (SMOCAPI)</b>				
Housing units with a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)	12,008	+/-559	12,008	(X)
Less than 20.0 percent	4,156	+/-313	34.6%	+/-2.5
20.0 to 24.9 percent	2,002	+/-285	16.7%	+/-2.3
25.0 to 29.9 percent	1,568	+/-286	13.1%	+/-2.2
30.0 to 34.9 percent	1,132	+/-241	9.4%	+/-1.9

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
35.0 percent or more	3,150	+/-388	26.2%	+/-2.9
Not computed	73	+/-58	(X)	(X)
Housing unit without a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)	7,943	+/-461	7,943	(X)
Less than 10.0 percent	2,227	+/-281	28.0%	+/-2.9
10.0 to 14.9 percent	2,014	+/-225	25.4%	+/-2.7
15.0 to 19.9 percent	860	+/-146	10.8%	+/-1.6
20.0 to 24.9 percent	695	+/-157	8.7%	+/-1.9
25.0 to 29.9 percent	489	+/-130	6.2%	+/-1.6
30.0 to 34.9 percent	454	+/-126	5.7%	+/-1.6
35.0 percent or more	1,204	+/-183	15.2%	+/-2.1
Not computed	134	+/-88	(X)	(X)
<b>GROSS RENT</b>				
Occupied units paying rent	5,138	+/-423	5,138	(X)
Less than \$500	795	+/-170	15.5%	+/-3.0
\$500 to \$999	3,066	+/-312	59.7%	+/-3.7
\$1,000 to \$1,499	1,040	+/-189	20.2%	+/-3.4
\$1,500 to \$1,999	55	+/-38	1.1%	+/-0.7
\$2,000 to \$2,499	148	+/-93	2.9%	+/-1.8
\$2,500 to \$2,999	12	+/-19	0.2%	+/-0.4
\$3,000 or more	22	+/-20	0.4%	+/-0.4
Median (dollars)	773	+/-45	(X)	(X)
No rent paid	455	+/-153	(X)	(X)
<b>GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (GRAPI)</b>				
Occupied units paying rent (excluding units where GRAPI cannot be computed)	5,075	+/-420	5,075	(X)
Less than 15.0 percent	471	+/-163	9.3%	+/-3.2
15.0 to 19.9 percent	755	+/-195	14.9%	+/-3.8
20.0 to 24.9 percent	677	+/-205	13.3%	+/-4.0
25.0 to 29.9 percent	572	+/-167	11.3%	+/-3.1
30.0 to 34.9 percent	404	+/-136	8.0%	+/-2.6
35.0 percent or more	2,196	+/-344	43.3%	+/-5.4
Not computed	518	+/-175	(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.

Households not paying cash rent are excluded from the calculation of median gross rent.

Telephone service data are not available for certain geographic areas due to problems with data collection. See Errata Note #93 for details.

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.

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.