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Quality Measures

S2504. Physical Housing Characteristics for Occupied Housing Units (2) Data Set: 2004 American Community Survey

NOTE. Data are limited to the household population and exclude the population living in institutions, college dormitories, and other group quarters. For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see <u>Survey Methodology</u>.

Subject	Percent of occupied housing units	MOE	Percent of owner-occupied housing units	MOE	Percent of renter-occupied housing units	MOE
Occupied housing units	228.358	+/-3028	149,669	+/-4053	78,689	+/-4399
UNITS IN STRUCTURE	220,000	17 0020	140,000	17 4000	10,000	17 4000
1, detached	60.8	+/-1.8	79.1	+/-2.2	26.1	+/-4.2
1. attached	7.6	+/-0.7	6.7	+/-0.7	9.3	+/-1.3
2 apartments	4.9	+/-0.8	2.3	+/-0.6	9.9	+/-1.6
3 or 4 apartments	7.3	+/-1.2	1.8	+/-0.9	18.0	+/-2.4
5 to 9 apartments	5.2	+/-0.7	1.1	+/-0.3	12.9	+/-1.9
10 or more apartments	7.8	+/-1.1	2.1	+/-0.5	12.5	+/-3.2
Mobile home or other type of housing	6.4	+/-1.8	6.9	+/-1.9	5.3	+/-2.0
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YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT						
2000 or later	4.4	+/-0.5	4.8	+/-0.7	3.6	+/-1.0
1990 to 1999	16.7	+/-1.8	16.6	+/-2.2	16.7	+/-2.1
1980 to 1989	28.8	+/-1.1	30.5	+/-1.8	25.6	+/-2.8
1960 to 1979	38.6	+/-3.2	38.4	+/-2.9	39.0	+/-4.6
1940 to 1959	8.9	+/-1.0	7.3	+/-1.6	12.1	+/-1.7
1939 or earlier	2.6	+/-1.1	2.4	+/-0.6	3.0	+/-2.1
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ROOMS						
1 room	1.7	+/-0.4	0.7	+/-0.4	3.7	+/-1.1
2 or 3 rooms	17.3	+/-1.6	9.4	+/-0.9	32.2	+/-3.9
4 or 5 rooms	41.5	+/-2.4	37.1	+/-2.9	49.9	+/-2.8
6 or 7 rooms	26.2	+/-2.5	33.6	+/-2.9	12.2	+/-2.0
8 or more rooms	13.3	+/-0.9	19.2	+/-1.3	2.1	+/-0.7
BEDROOMS						
No bedroom	2.0	+/-0.4	0.8	+/-0.4	4.1	+/-1.1
1 bedroom	11.8	+/-1.0	5.6	+/-1.0	23.7	+/-2.8
2 or 3 bedrooms	67.1	+/-1.4	67.2	+/-1.7	66.8	+/-2.9
4 or more bedrooms	19.1	+/-1.6	26.4	+/-1.6	5.4	+/-1.6
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COMPLETE FACILITIES						
With complete plumbing facilities	97.4	+/-0.5	97.5	+/-0.7	97.2	+/-0.7
With complete kitchen facilities	97.6	+/-0.4	97.8	+/-0.5	97.2	+/-0.7
VEHICLES AVAILABLE						
No vehicle available	10.0	+/-2.9	4.4	+/-1.6	20.7	+/-5.5
1 vehicle available	30.7	+/-1.6	23.7	+/-1.5	44.1	+/-4.7
2 vehicles available	38.1	+/-2.0	43.3	+/-1.8	28.3	+/-3.3
3 or more vehicles available	21.1	+/-1.8	28.5	+/-2.5	6.9	+/-1.4
TELEPHONE SERVICE AVAILABLE						
With telephone service	97.6	+/-0.5	98.5	+/-0.5	95.8	+/-1.1
HOUSE HEATING FUEL						
Utility gas	51.1	+/-3.6	55.0	+/-2.8	43.8	+/-6.3
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	1.8	+/-0.4	2.1	+/-0.6	1.0	+/-0.5
Electricity	9.3	+/-0.8	3.5	+/-0.6	20.3	+/-2.1
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	32.6	+/-2.2	35.2	+/-2.4	27.8	+/-3.8
Coal or coke	0.5	+/-0.2	0.0	+/-0.1	1.5	+/-0.7
All other fuels	4.0	+/-1.6	4.0	+/-1.4	4.0	+/-2.3
No fuel used	0.6	+/-0.2	0.1	+/-0.1	1.6	+/-0.6

PERCENT IMPUTED						
Units in structure	3.5	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Year structure built	17.8	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Rooms	7.2	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Bedrooms	4.0	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Plumbing facilities	2.1	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Kitchen facilities	2.1	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Vehicles available	0.8	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Telephone service available	0.2	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
House heating fuel	3.0	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2004 American Community Survey

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 <u>Accuracy of the Data</u>). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

Notes:

• The percent imputed for units in structure, year structure built, rooms, bedrooms, plumbing facilities, and kitchen facilities is based on all housing units (both occupied and vacant housing units) instead of occupied housing units only.

Explanation of Symbols:

1. An '*' entry in the margin of error column indicates that too few sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the margin of error. A statistical test is not appropriate.

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4. An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.

5. An '+' following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.

6. 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.

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