

LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME
2014 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates

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.

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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		Total		Percent of specified language speakers			
		Estimate	Margin of Error	Speak English "very well"		Speak English less than "very well"	
				Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error
	Population 5 years and over	683,324	+/-986	94.9%	+/-0.5	5.1%	+/-0.5
	Speak only English	83.4%	+/-0.9	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
	Speak a language other than English	16.6%	+/-0.9	69.1%	+/-2.4	30.9%	+/-2.4
	Spanish or Spanish Creole	3.3%	+/-0.4	69.4%	+/-7.3	30.6%	+/-7.3
	Other Indo-European languages	2.6%	+/-0.5	73.2%	+/-5.7	26.8%	+/-5.7
	Asian and Pacific Island languages	5.6%	+/-0.3	51.6%	+/-4.7	48.4%	+/-4.7
	Other languages	5.1%	+/-0.5	85.9%	+/-3.1	14.1%	+/-3.1
	SPEAK A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH						
	Spanish or Spanish Creole	22,334	+/-2,585	69.4%	+/-7.3	30.6%	+/-7.3
	5-17 years	2,494	+/-1,030	90.9%	+/-8.1	9.1%	+/-8.1
	18-64 years	18,307	+/-1,922	67.4%	+/-8.2	32.6%	+/-8.2
	65 years and over	1,533	+/-438	58.4%	+/-15.7	41.6%	+/-15.7
	Other Indo-European languages	17,504	+/-3,151	73.2%	+/-5.7	26.8%	+/-5.7
	5-17 years	2,777	+/-1,107	59.0%	+/-18.3	41.0%	+/-18.3
	18-64 years	12,734	+/-2,364	78.8%	+/-5.9	21.2%	+/-5.9
	65 years and over	1,993	+/-783	57.7%	+/-17.7	42.3%	+/-17.7
	Asian and Pacific Island languages	38,547	+/-2,281	51.6%	+/-4.7	48.4%	+/-4.7
	5-17 years	7,096	+/-1,612	62.2%	+/-14.7	37.8%	+/-14.7
	18-64 years	27,965	+/-1,690	52.9%	+/-5.4	47.1%	+/-5.4
	65 years and over	3,486	+/-692	19.3%	+/-10.1	80.7%	+/-10.1
	Other languages	35,180	+/-3,066	85.9%	+/-3.1	14.1%	+/-3.1
	5-17 years	7,321	+/-1,274	82.6%	+/-9.1	17.4%	+/-9.1
	18-64 years	23,703	+/-2,076	89.7%	+/-2.5	10.3%	+/-2.5
	65 years and over	4,156	+/-429	69.8%	+/-6.4	30.2%	+/-6.4
	CITIZENS 18 YEARS AND OVER						
	All citizens 18 years and over	528,578	+/-2,564	96.3%	+/-0.4	3.7%	+/-0.4
	Speak only English	85.7%	+/-0.7	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
	Speak a language other than English	14.3%	+/-0.7	74.3%	+/-2.6	25.7%	+/-2.6
	Spanish or Spanish Creole	3.2%	+/-0.3	74.4%	+/-7.9	25.6%	+/-7.9
	Other languages	11.2%	+/-0.6	74.2%	+/-2.5	25.8%	+/-2.5
	PERCENT IMPUTED						
	Language status	5.0%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
	Language status (speak a language other than English)	4.0%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
	Ability to speak English	4.7%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2014 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates

Explanation of Symbols:

- 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.
- 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.
- An "!" following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
- An "+" following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
- 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.
- An "(X)" means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.

Versions of this table are available for the following years:

- 2014**
- 2013**
- 2012**
- 2011**
- 2010**
- 2009**
- 2008**
- 2007**
- 2006**
- 2005**