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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS

2006-2010 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.

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. For 2006 to 2009, the Population Estimates Program provides intercensal estimates of the population for the nation, states, and counties.

Subject	Media borough, Pennsylvania			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSING OCCUPANCY				
Total housing units	3,131	+/-274	3,131	(X)
Occupied housing units	2,707	+/-233	86.5%	+/-4.3
Vacant housing units	424	+/-151	13.5%	+/-4.3
Homeowner vacancy rate	2.1	+/-3.3	(X)	(X)
Rental vacancy rate	7.3	+/-5.3	(X)	(X)
UNITS IN STRUCTURE				
Total housing units	3,131	+/-274	3,131	(X)
1-unit, detached	615	+/-146	19.6%	+/-4.4
1-unit, attached	744	+/-136	23.8%	+/-4.1
2 units	310	+/-139	9.9%	+/-4.3
3 or 4 units	276	+/-117	8.8%	+/-3.7
5 to 9 units	223	+/-111	7.1%	+/-3.4
10 to 19 units	402	+/-149	12.8%	+/-4.5
20 or more units	561	+/-122	17.9%	+/-3.6
Mobile home	0	+/-109	0.0%	+/-0.9
Boat, RV, van, etc.	0	+/-109	0.0%	+/-0.9
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT				
Total housing units	3,131	+/-274	3,131	(X)
Built 2005 or later	55	+/-53	1.8%	+/-1.8
Built 2000 to 2004	26	+/-28	0.8%	+/-0.9
Built 1990 to 1999	93	+/-65	3.0%	+/-2.0
Built 1980 to 1989	238	+/-101	7.6%	+/-3.1
Built 1970 to 1979	443	+/-137	14.1%	+/-4.1
Built 1960 to 1969	421	+/-142	13.4%	+/-4.2
Built 1950 to 1959	496	+/-157	15.8%	+/-4.5
Built 1940 to 1949	354	+/-103	11.3%	+/-3.4
Built 1939 or earlier	1,005	+/-185	32.1%	+/-5.3
ROOMS				
Total housing units	3,131	+/-274	3,131	(X)
1 room	76	+/-68	2.4%	+/-2.2
2 rooms	101	+/-58	3.2%	+/-1.8
3 rooms	612	+/-171	19.5%	+/-4.9
4 rooms	923	+/-212	29.5%	+/-6.2
5 rooms	216	+/-84	6.9%	+/-2.6

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6 rooms	509	+/-131	16.3%	+/-3.9
7 rooms	315	+/-125	10.1%	+/-3.9
8 rooms	210	+/-104	6.7%	+/-3.4
9 rooms or more	169	+/-69	5.4%	+/-2.2
Median rooms	4.3	+/-0.2	(X)	(X)
BEDROOMS				
Total housing units	3,131	+/-274	3,131	(X)
No bedroom	84	+/-64	2.7%	+/-2.0
1 bedroom	870	+/-185	27.8%	+/-5.1
2 bedrooms	1,021	+/-218	32.6%	+/-6.0
3 bedrooms	815	+/-175	26.0%	+/-5.1
4 bedrooms	264	+/-96	8.4%	+/-3.3
5 or more bedrooms	77	+/-41	2.5%	+/-1.3
HOUSING TENURE				
Occupied housing units	2,707	+/-233	2,707	(X)
Owner-occupied	1,242	+/-171	45.9%	+/-5.5
Renter-occupied	1,465	+/-210	54.1%	+/-5.5
Average household size of owner-occupied unit	2.17	+/-0.19	(X)	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	1.64	+/-0.22	(X)	(X)
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT				
Occupied housing units	2,707	+/-233	2,707	(X)
Moved in 2005 or later	1,085	+/-161	40.1%	+/-5.1
Moved in 2000 to 2004	680	+/-165	25.1%	+/-5.5
Moved in 1990 to 1999	351	+/-112	13.0%	+/-4.1
Moved in 1980 to 1989	289	+/-118	10.7%	+/-4.2
Moved in 1970 to 1979	92	+/-58	3.4%	+/-2.1
Moved in 1969 or earlier	210	+/-82	7.8%	+/-2.9
VEHICLES AVAILABLE				
Occupied housing units	2,707	+/-233	2,707	(X)
No vehicles available	300	+/-103	11.1%	+/-3.6
1 vehicle available	1,478	+/-244	54.6%	+/-5.7
2 vehicles available	753	+/-139	27.8%	+/-5.2
3 or more vehicles available	176	+/-63	6.5%	+/-2.6
HOUSE HEATING FUEL				
Occupied housing units	2,707	+/-233	2,707	(X)
Utility gas	945	+/-155	34.9%	+/-5.5
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	70	+/-52	2.6%	+/-2.0
Electricity	920	+/-163	34.0%	+/-4.9
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	743	+/-158	27.4%	+/-5.1
Coal or coke	0	+/-109	0.0%	+/-1.0
Wood	0	+/-109	0.0%	+/-1.0
Solar energy	0	+/-109	0.0%	+/-1.0
Other fuel	9	+/-14	0.3%	+/-0.5
No fuel used	20	+/-24	0.7%	+/-0.9
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS				
Occupied housing units	2,707	+/-233	2,707	(X)
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	0	+/-109	0.0%	+/-1.0
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	0	+/-109	0.0%	+/-1.0
No telephone service available	52	+/-38	1.9%	+/-1.4
OCCUPANTS PER ROOM				
Occupied housing units	2,707	+/-233	2,707	(X)
1.00 or less	2,678	+/-260	98.9%	+/-1.7
1.01 to 1.50	29	+/-44	1.1%	+/-1.7
1.51 or more	0	+/-109	0.0%	+/-1.0
VALUE				
Owner-occupied units	1,242	+/-171	1,242	(X)
Less than \$50,000	18	+/-21	1.4%	+/-1.7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	25	+/-23	2.0%	+/-1.9
\$100,000 to \$149,999	96	+/-68	7.7%	+/-5.3

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\$150,000 to \$199,999	232	+/-92	18.7%	+/-7.1
\$200,000 to \$299,999	326	+/-87	26.2%	+/-6.0
\$300,000 to \$499,999	410	+/-121	33.0%	+/-8.8
\$500,000 to \$999,999	135	+/-71	10.9%	+/-5.3
\$1,000,000 or more	0	+/-109	0.0%	+/-2.2
Median (dollars)	263,100	+/-47,741	(X)	(X)
MORTGAGE STATUS				
Owner-occupied units	1,242	+/-171	1,242	(X)
Housing units with a mortgage	830	+/-149	66.8%	+/-7.5
Housing units without a mortgage	412	+/-107	33.2%	+/-7.5
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS (SMOC)				
Housing units with a mortgage	830	+/-149	830	(X)
Less than \$300	0	+/-109	0.0%	+/-3.3
\$300 to \$499	16	+/-22	1.9%	+/-2.6
\$500 to \$699	10	+/-16	1.2%	+/-1.9
\$700 to \$999	63	+/-54	7.6%	+/-6.1
\$1,000 to \$1,499	227	+/-75	27.3%	+/-8.5
\$1,500 to \$1,999	314	+/-100	37.8%	+/-10.2
\$2,000 or more	200	+/-81	24.1%	+/-8.6
Median (dollars)	1,682	+/-154	(X)	(X)
Housing units without a mortgage	412	+/-107	412	(X)
Less than \$100	0	+/-109	0.0%	+/-6.5
\$100 to \$199	0	+/-109	0.0%	+/-6.5
\$200 to \$299	61	+/-56	14.8%	+/-13.0
\$300 to \$399	9	+/-15	2.2%	+/-3.6
\$400 or more	342	+/-98	83.0%	+/-13.2
Median (dollars)	534	+/-104	(X)	(X)
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (SMOCAPI)				
Housing units with a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)	830	+/-149	830	(X)
Less than 20.0 percent	320	+/-111	38.6%	+/-10.8
20.0 to 24.9 percent	78	+/-48	9.4%	+/-5.7
25.0 to 29.9 percent	114	+/-75	13.7%	+/-8.1
30.0 to 34.9 percent	165	+/-73	19.9%	+/-8.5
35.0 percent or more	153	+/-59	18.4%	+/-7.2
Not computed	0	+/-109	(X)	(X)
Housing unit without a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)	412	+/-107	412	(X)
Less than 10.0 percent	125	+/-82	30.3%	+/-16.5
10.0 to 14.9 percent	91	+/-45	22.1%	+/-11.4
15.0 to 19.9 percent	30	+/-33	7.3%	+/-7.5
20.0 to 24.9 percent	61	+/-54	14.8%	+/-12.4
25.0 to 29.9 percent	45	+/-31	10.9%	+/-7.6
30.0 to 34.9 percent	17	+/-20	4.1%	+/-4.8
35.0 percent or more	43	+/-36	10.4%	+/-8.7
Not computed	0	+/-109	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT				
Occupied units paying rent	1,412	+/-210	1,412	(X)
Less than \$200	11	+/-17	0.8%	+/-1.2
\$200 to \$299	0	+/-109	0.0%	+/-1.9
\$300 to \$499	0	+/-109	0.0%	+/-1.9
\$500 to \$749	140	+/-68	9.9%	+/-4.5
\$750 to \$999	707	+/-170	50.1%	+/-8.2
\$1,000 to \$1,499	488	+/-131	34.6%	+/-8.5
\$1,500 or more	66	+/-41	4.7%	+/-3.0
Median (dollars)	940	+/-46	(X)	(X)
No rent paid	53	+/-37	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (GRAPI)				

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	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Occupied units paying rent (excluding units where GRAPI cannot be computed)	1,389	+/-204	1,389	(X)
Less than 15.0 percent	315	+/-124	22.7%	+/-8.1
15.0 to 19.9 percent	162	+/-98	11.7%	+/-7.0
20.0 to 24.9 percent	173	+/-69	12.5%	+/-4.9
25.0 to 29.9 percent	93	+/-54	6.7%	+/-3.8
30.0 to 34.9 percent	61	+/-42	4.4%	+/-2.8
35.0 percent or more	585	+/-152	42.1%	+/-8.8
Not computed	76	+/-48	(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.

The median gross rent excludes no cash renters.

In prior years, the universe included all owner-occupied units with a mortgage. It is now restricted to include only those units where SMOCAPI is computed, that is, SMOC and household income are valid values.

In prior years, the universe included all owner-occupied units without a mortgage. It is now restricted to include only those units where SMOCAPI is computed, that is, SMOC and household income are valid values.

In prior years, the universe included all renter-occupied units. It is now restricted to include only those units where GRAPI is computed, that is, gross rent and household income are valid values.

The 2009 and 2010 plumbing data for Puerto Rico will not be shown. Research indicates that the questions on plumbing facilities that were introduced in 2008 in the stateside American Community Survey and the 2008 Puerto Rico Community Survey may not have been appropriate for Puerto Rico.

While the 2006-2010 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, 2006-2010 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.
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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.