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POPULATION 65 YEARS AND OVER IN THE UNITED STATES

2015 American Community Survey 1-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, 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	Oregon			
	Tot	al	65 years a	nd over
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error
Total population	4,028,977	****	659,778	+/-1,683
SEX AND AGE				
Male	49.4%	+/-0.1	45.7%	+/-0.2
Female	50.6%	+/-0.1	54.3%	+/-0.2
Median age (years)	39.1	+/-0.2	72.6	+/-0.2
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN				
One race	95.5%	+/-0.2	98.5%	+/-0.2
White	85.2%	+/-0.2	93.6%	+/-0.3
Black or African American	1.9%	+/-0.1	0.9%	+/-0.1
American Indian and Alaska Native	1.2%	+/-0.1	0.8%	+/-0.1
Asian	4.1%	+/-0.1	2.6%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0.4%	+/-0.1	0.1%	+/-0.1
Some other race	2.6%	+/-0.2	0.5%	+/-0.1
Two or more races	4.5%	+/-0.2	1.5%	+/-0.2
Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race)	12.7%	****	3.0%	+/-0.1
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	76.5%	+/-0.1	91.4%	+/-0.2
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	3,942,015	****	643,518	+/-2,250
Householder or spouse	58.4%	+/-0.3	89.8%	+/-0.6
Parent	1.1%	+/-0.1	3.9%	+/-0.4
Other relatives	31.8%	+/-0.3	3.0%	+/-0.4
Nonrelatives	8.7%	+/-0.3	3.4%	+/-0.4
Unmarried partner	3.0%	+/-0.2	1.2%	+/-0.2
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Households	1,553,205	+/-7,348	407,422	+/-4,431
Family households	63.0%	+/-0.5	53.6%	+/-1.3
Married-couple family	48.3%	+/-0.5	45.5%	+/-1.2
Female householder, no husband present, family	10.3%	+/-0.4	6.1%	+/-0.5

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Nonfamily households	37.0%	+/-0.5	46.4%	+/-1.3	
Householder living alone	27.9%	+/-0.5	42.5%	+/-1.3	
MARITAL STATUS					
Population 15 years and over	3,316,989	+/-2,594	659,778	+/-1,683	
Now married, except separated	48.6%	+/-0.5	57.4%	+/-1.0	
Widowed	5.3%	+/-0.2	20.7%	+/-0.7	
Divorced	13.2%	+/-0.3	16.8%	+/-0.7	
Separated	1.8%	+/-0.1	0.7%	+/-0.2	
Never married	31.0%	+/-0.4	4.4%	+/-0.4	
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT					
Population 25 years and over	2,804,461	+/-2,990	659,778	+/-1,683	
Less than high school graduate	10.0%	+/-0.3	10.0%	+/-0.5	
High school graduate, GED, or alternative	23.4%	+/-0.5	27.4%	+/-1.0	
Some college or associate's degree	34.5%	+/-0.5	33.3%	+/-0.7	
Bachelor's degree or higher	32.2%	+/-0.5	29.2%	+/-0.8	
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RESPONSIBILITY FOR GRANDCHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS					
Population 30 years and over	2,530,030	+/-2,940	659,778	+/-1,683	
Living with grandchild(ren)	2.7%	+/-0.2	3.6%	+/-0.4	
Responsible for grandchild(ren)	0.9%	+/-0.1	0.9%	+/-0.2	
VETERAN STATUS					
Civilian population 18 years and over	3,165,858	+/-1,586	659,778	+/-1,683	
Civilian veteran	9.3%	+/-0.2	23.7%	+/-1,003	
	9.3%	+/-0.2	23.1%	+/-0.5	
DISABILITY STATUS					
Civilian noninstitutionalized population	3,991,133	+/-495	650,591	+/-1,712	
With any disability No disability	15.2%	+/-0.3	37.6%	+/-0.8	
	84.8%	+/-0.3	62.4%	+/-0.8	
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO					
Population 1 year and over	3,985,712	+/-3,006	659,778	+/-1,683	
Same house	82.2%	+/-0.5	92.7%	+/-0.5	
Different house in the United States	17.2%	+/-0.5	7.1%	+/-0.5	
Same county	10.1%	+/-0.4	3.7%	+/-0.3	
Different county	7.1%	+/-0.3	3.4%	+/-0.4	
Same state	3.6%	+/-0.2	1.6%	+/-0.3	
Different state	3.5%	+/-0.2	1.8%	+/-0.3	
Abroad	0.6%	+/-0.1	0.2%	+/-0.1	
PLACE OF BIRTH, NATIVITY AND CITIZENSHIP					
STATUS, AND YEAR OF ENTRY Total population	4 000 077	****	650 770	./ 4 000	
Native	4,028,977		659,778	+/-1,683	
Foreign born	3,631,684	+/-11,831	611,496	+/-3,317	
Entered 2010 or later	397,293	+/-11,831	48,282	+/-3,170	
Entered 2000 to 2009	15.2%	+/-1.5	4.1%	+/-1.5	
Entered 2000 to 2009 Entered before 2000	28.4%	+/-1.9	8.8%	+/-2.4	
Naturalized U.S. citizen	56.4%	+/-2.1	87.1%	+/-2.7	
	42.3%	+/-1.6	74.3%	+/-2.8	
Not a U.S. citizen	57.7%	+/-1.6	25.7%	+/-2.8	
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME AND ABILITY TO SPEAK ENGLISH					
Population 5 years and over	3,799,838	+/-1,866	659,778	+/-1,683	
English only	84.9%	+/-0.4	93.0%	+/-0.5	
Language other than English	15.1%	+/-0.4	7.0%	+/-0.5	
Speak English less than "very well"	6.0%	+/-0.3	3.7%	+/-0.4	

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EMPLOYMENT STATUS					
Civilian population 16 years and over	0.000.000	. / 0.005	050 770		
In labor force	3,266,329	+/-3,635	659,778	+/-1,683	
Employed	61.8%	+/-0.3	15.1%	+/-0.6	
Unemployed	57.6%	+/-0.4	14.4%	+/-0.6	
Percent of civilian labor force	4.2%	+/-0.2	0.6%	+/-0.1	
Not in labor force	6.8%	+/-0.4	4.0%	+/-0.9	
	38.2%	+/-0.3	84.9%	+/-0.6	
INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS (IN 2015 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)					
Households	1,553,205	+/-7,348	407,422	+/-4,431	
With earnings	75.1%	+/-0.4	32.3%	+/-0.9	
Mean earnings (dollars)	72,813	+/-995	45,976	+/-1,976	
With Social Security income	33.5%	+/-0.4	92.4%	+/-0.5	
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	18,706	+/-229	20,495	+/-270	
With Supplemental Security Income	5.1%	+/-0.3	5.7%	+/-0.5	
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	9,592	+/-332	9,146	+/-638	
With cash public assistance income	4.2%	+/-0.2	2.3%	+/-0.3	
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	2,876	+/-154	2,881	+/-460	
With retirement income	20.2%	+/-0.4	51.8%	+/-1.2	
Mean retirement income (dollars)	25,598	+/-908	26,824	+/-1,290	
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits	18.6%	+/-0.4	12.0%	+/-0.8	
POVERTY STATUS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS					
Population for whom poverty status is determined	3,952,077	+/-2,585	650,591	+/-1,712	
Below 100 percent of the poverty level	15.4%	+/-0.6	7.3%	+/-0.6	
100 to 149 percent of the poverty level	9.0%	+/-0.4	9.2%	+/-0.6	
At or above 150 percent of the poverty level	75.7%	+/-0.6	83.5%	+/-0.8	
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Occupied housing units	1,553,205	+/-7,348	407,422	+/-4,431	
HOUSING TENURE	.,,		,		
Owner-occupied housing units	61.1%	+/-0.5	77.1%	+/-0.9	
Renter-occupied housing units	38.9%	+/-0.5	22.9%	+/-0.9	
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Average household size of owner-occupied unit	2.60	+/-0.02	1.95	+/-0.04	
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	2.44	+/-0.03	1.49	+/-0.05	
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SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS					
No telephone service available	2.7%	+/-0.2	1.9%	+/-0.3	
1.01 or more occupants per room	3.2%	+/-0.2	0.6%	+/-0.3	
	3.270	+/-0.3	0.0%	+/-0.2	
Owner-occupied housing units	049 904	./ 0.420	214 207	./ 4 604	
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A	948,891	+/-9,420	314,287	+/-4,694	
PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN THE					
PAST 12 MONTHS					
Less than 30 percent	74.1%	+/-0.6	72.3%	+/-1.1	
30 percent or more	25.9%	+/-0.6	27.7%	+/-1.1	
OWNER CHARACTERISTICS					
Median value (dollars)	264,100	+/-2,568	254,000	+/-4,827	
Median selected monthly owner costs with a mortgage	1,534	+/-13	1,318	+/-31	
(dollars) Median selected monthly owner costs without a	105	+/-7	175	+/-8	
mortgage (dollars)	485	+/-7	475	+/-8	
Renter-occupied housing units	604,314	+/-9,054	93,135	+/-4,096	
GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD					
INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS Less than 30 percent	51.8%		40.401		
	51.8%	+/-1.2	43.4%	+/-2.6	

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GROSS RENT				
Median gross rent (dollars)	943	+/-9	838	+/-22

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 65 years and over column of data refers to the age of the householder for the estimates of households, occupied housing units, owner-occupied housing units, and renter-occupied housing units lines.

The age specified on the population 15 years and over, population 25 years and over, population 30 years and over, civilian population 18 years and over, civilian population 5 years and over, population 1 years and over, population 5 years and over, and population 16 years and over lines refer to the data shown in the "Total" column while the second column is limited to the population 65 years and over.

Due to methodological changes to data collection that began in data year 2013, comparisons of language estimates from that point to estimates from 2013 forward should be made with caution. For more information, see: Language User Note.

The Census Bureau introduced a new set of disability questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Accordingly, comparisons of disability data from 2008 or later with data from prior years are not recommended. For more information on these questions and their evaluation in the 2006 ACS Content Test, see the Evaluation Report Covering Disability.

While the 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, 2015 American Community Survey 1-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.