

S0201: Selected Population Profile in the United States  
 Data Set: 2009 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates  
 Survey: American Community Survey

# Missouri

Population Group: Black or African American alone

Subject	Total population	Black or African American alone
<b>TOTAL NUMBER OF RACES REPORTED</b>		
<b>Total population</b>	<b>5,987,580</b>	<b>669,157</b>
One race	97.9%	100.0%
Two races	2.0%	(X)
Three races	0.1%	(X)
Four or more races	0.0%	(X)
<b>SEX AND AGE</b>		
<b>Total population</b>	<b>5,987,580</b>	<b>669,157</b>
Male	48.9%	47.2%
Female	51.1%	52.8%
Under 5 years	6.7%	8.0%
5 to 17 years	17.1%	20.9%
18 to 24 years	9.9%	11.5%
25 to 34 years	13.1%	14.6%
35 to 44 years	12.9%	13.4%
45 to 54 years	14.8%	13.6%
55 to 64 years	11.7%	9.5%
65 to 74 years	7.2%	4.9%
75 years and over	6.5%	3.7%
Median age (years)	37.6	31.1
18 years and over	76.1%	71.2%
21 years and over	71.8%	66.0%
62 years and over	16.7%	10.6%
65 years and over	13.7%	8.6%
<b>Under 18 years</b>	<b>1,430,549</b>	<b>192,978</b>
Male	51.1%	50.6%
Female	48.9%	49.4%
<b>18 years and over</b>	<b>4,557,031</b>	<b>476,179</b>

Male	48.2%	45.8%
Female	51.8%	54.2%
<b>18 to 34 years</b>	<b>1,378,325</b>	<b>174,473</b>
Male	50.5%	49.6%
Female	49.5%	50.4%
<b>35 to 64 years</b>	<b>2,356,530</b>	<b>244,424</b>
Male	49.0%	44.8%
Female	51.0%	55.2%
<b>65 years and over</b>	<b>822,176</b>	<b>57,282</b>
Male	42.2%	38.5%
Female	57.8%	61.5%
<b>RELATIONSHIP</b>		
<b>Population in households</b>	<b>5,818,811</b>	<b>638,607</b>
Householder or spouse	60.0%	48.1%
Child	29.8%	36.3%
Other relatives	5.1%	10.3%
Nonrelatives	5.1%	5.3%
Unmarried partner	2.4%	2.3%
<b>HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE</b>		
<b>Households</b>	<b>2,339,684</b>	<b>248,442</b>
Family households	66.0%	62.7%
With own children under 18 years	29.4%	34.4%
Married-couple family	49.3%	23.4%
With own children under 18 years	19.4%	9.8%
Female householder, no husband present, family	12.5%	34.0%
With own children under 18 years	7.8%	21.6%
Nonfamily households	34.0%	37.3%
Male householder	15.7%	17.8%
Living alone	12.5%	15.5%
Not living alone	3.3%	2.4%
Female householder	18.3%	19.4%
Living alone	15.9%	17.7%
Not living alone	2.4%	1.7%
Average household size	2.49	2.56
Average family size	3.06	3.29
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>		
<b>Population 15 years and over</b>	<b>4,805,979</b>	<b>514,011</b>

Now married, except separated	50.5%	25.9%
Widowed	6.4%	6.1%
Divorced	11.8%	13.2%
Separated	2.0%	4.7%
Never married	29.3%	50.1%
<b>Male 15 years and over</b>	<b>2,323,815</b>	<b>237,132</b>
Now married, except separated	52.3%	29.9%
Widowed	2.6%	2.5%
Divorced	10.9%	11.4%
Separated	1.8%	4.0%
Never married	32.5%	52.2%
<b>Female 15 years and over</b>	<b>2,482,164</b>	<b>276,879</b>
Now married, except separated	48.8%	22.6%
Widowed	10.1%	9.1%
Divorced	12.7%	14.8%
Separated	2.3%	5.3%
Never married	26.2%	48.3%
<b>SCHOOL ENROLLMENT</b>		
<b>Population 3 years and over enrolled in school</b>	<b>1,543,258</b>	<b>214,950</b>
Nursery school, preschool	6.5%	6.2%
Kindergarten	5.3%	5.0%
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	40.3%	38.0%
High school (grades 9-12)	21.1%	24.9%
College or graduate school	26.8%	25.9%
<b>Male 3 years and over enrolled in school</b>	<b>758,911</b>	<b>101,685</b>
Percent enrolled in kindergarten to grade 12	69.3%	73.5%
Percent enrolled in college or graduate school	23.5%	20.8%
<b>Female 3 years and over enrolled in school</b>	<b>784,347</b>	<b>113,265</b>
Percent enrolled in kindergarten to grade 12	64.2%	62.8%
Percent enrolled in college or graduate school	29.9%	30.4%
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>		
<b>Population 25 years and over</b>	<b>3,961,562</b>	<b>399,082</b>
Less than high school diploma	13.2%	19.1%
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	32.0%	32.5%
Some college or associate's degree	29.6%	33.3%
Bachelor's degree	15.7%	9.0%
Graduate or professional degree	9.5%	6.2%
High school graduate or higher	86.8%	80.9%

Male, high school graduate or higher	86.4%	78.8%
Female, high school graduate or higher	87.1%	82.7%
Bachelor's degree or higher	25.2%	15.2%
Male, bachelor's degree or higher	25.6%	13.3%
Female, bachelor's degree or higher	24.9%	16.7%
<b>FERTILITY</b>		
<b>Women 15 to 50 years</b>	<b>1,467,837</b>	<b>186,565</b>
Women 15 to 50 years who had a birth in the past 12 months	82,624	11,252
Unmarried women 15 to 50 years who had a birth in the past 12 months	30,695	8,786
As a percent of all women with a birth in the past 12 months	37.2%	78.1%
<b>RESPONSIBILITY FOR GRANDCHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS</b>		
<b>Population 30 years and over</b>	<b>3,546,248</b>	<b>346,104</b>
Living with grandchild(ren)	3.0%	6.4%
Responsible for grandchild(ren)	47.4%	47.4%
<b>VETERAN STATUS</b>		
<b>Civilian population 18 years and over</b>	<b>4,536,263</b>	<b>472,651</b>
Civilian veteran	11.0%	8.7%
<b>DISABILITY STATUS</b>		
<b>Total civilian noninstitutionalized population</b>	<b>5,871,474</b>	<b>642,860</b>
With a disability	14.1%	14.9%
<b>Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 18 years</b>	<b>1,426,899</b>	<b>191,649</b>
With a disability	4.5%	4.6%
<b>Civilian noninstitutionalized population 18 to 64 years</b>	<b>3,663,823</b>	<b>397,501</b>
With a disability	12.4%	15.7%
<b>Civilian noninstitutionalized population 65 years and older</b>	<b>780,752</b>	<b>53,710</b>
With a disability	39.3%	45.2%
<b>RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO</b>		
<b>Population 1 year and over</b>	<b>5,911,785</b>	<b>658,943</b>
Same house	83.6%	76.0%
Different house in the U.S.	16.1%	23.8%

Same county	9.4%	16.0%
Different county	6.7%	7.8%
Same state	4.2%	5.2%
Different state	2.5%	2.6%
Abroad	0.3%	0.2%
<b>PLACE OF BIRTH, CITIZENSHIP STATUS AND YEAR OF ENTRY</b>		
<b>Native</b>	<b>5,774,680</b>	<b>653,850</b>
Male	48.8%	46.9%
Female	51.2%	53.1%
<b>Foreign born</b>	<b>212,900</b>	<b>15,307</b>
Male	50.9%	57.4%
Female	49.1%	42.6%
<b>Foreign born; naturalized U.S. citizen</b>	<b>90,594</b>	<b>5,524</b>
Male	45.6%	67.2%
Female	54.4%	32.8%
<b>Foreign born; not a U.S. citizen</b>	<b>122,306</b>	<b>9,783</b>
Male	54.9%	51.8%
Female	45.1%	48.2%
<b>Population born outside the United States</b>	<b>212,900</b>	<b>15,307</b>
Entered 2000 or later	42.2%	58.6%
Entered 1990 to 1999	28.3%	28.0%
Entered before 1990	29.5%	13.4%
<b>WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN</b>		
<b>Foreign-born population excluding population born at sea</b>	<b>212,900</b>	<b>15,307</b>
Europe	23.6%	N
Asia	35.7%	N
Africa	7.4%	N
Oceania	0.8%	N
Latin America	30.1%	N
Northern America	2.3%	N
<b>LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME AND ABILITY TO SPEAK ENGLISH</b>		
<b>Population 5 years and over</b>	<b>5,583,484</b>	<b>615,772</b>
English only	94.2%	96.5%
Language other than English	5.8%	3.5%

Speak English less than "very well"	2.1%	1.0%
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS</b>		
<b>Population 16 years and over</b>	<b>4,719,681</b>	<b>499,721</b>
In labor force	65.4%	64.1%
Civilian labor force	64.9%	63.4%
Employed	59.1%	51.7%
Unemployed	5.9%	11.8%
Percent of civilian labor force	9.0%	18.5%
Armed Forces	0.4%	0.7%
Not in labor force	34.6%	35.9%
<b>Females 16 years and over</b>		
<b>Females 16 years and over</b>	<b>2,439,737</b>	<b>269,663</b>
In labor force	60.9%	65.5%
Civilian labor force	60.7%	65.1%
Employed	55.7%	54.8%
Unemployed	5.0%	10.3%
Percent of civilian labor force	8.2%	15.9%
<b>COMMUTING TO WORK</b>		
<b>Workers 16 years and over</b>	<b>2,751,847</b>	<b>255,526</b>
Car, truck, or van - drove alone	81.0%	74.4%
Car, truck, or van - carpooled	10.0%	10.0%
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	1.5%	9.0%
Walked	2.0%	2.4%
Other means	1.3%	1.8%
Worked at home	4.3%	2.4%
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	23.2	24.9
<b>OCCUPATION</b>		
<b>Civilian employed population 16 years and over</b>	<b>2,787,197</b>	<b>258,158</b>
Management, professional, and related occupations	33.9%	24.8%
Service occupations	17.2%	26.5%
Sales and office occupations	25.7%	27.9%
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	0.6%	0.1%
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations	9.0%	4.1%
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	13.6%	16.5%
<b>Male civilian employed population 16 years and over</b>		
<b>Male civilian employed population 16 years and over</b>	<b>1,427,754</b>	<b>110,489</b>
Management, professional, and related occupations	30.3%	18.9%
Service occupations	14.3%	25.7%
Sales and office occupations	16.9%	18.3%
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	1.0%	0.2%

Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations	17.0%	8.6%
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	20.5%	28.3%
<b>Female civilian employed population 16 years and over</b>	<b>1,359,443</b>	<b>147,669</b>
Management, professional, and related occupations	37.7%	29.3%
Service occupations	20.4%	27.1%
Sales and office occupations	34.9%	35.1%
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	0.2%	0.0%
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations	0.5%	0.7%
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	6.3%	7.8%
<b>INDUSTRY</b>		
<b>Civilian employed population 16 years and over</b>	<b>2,787,197</b>	<b>258,158</b>
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	1.8%	0.3%
Construction	6.6%	2.6%
Manufacturing	11.7%	8.9%
Wholesale trade	3.0%	1.8%
Retail trade	11.9%	12.3%
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	5.4%	7.6%
Information	2.3%	2.5%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	6.8%	6.3%
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	9.0%	7.4%
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	23.4%	30.0%
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	8.7%	10.7%
Other services (except public administration)	4.9%	3.8%
Public administration	4.5%	5.8%
<b>CLASS OF WORKER</b>		
<b>Civilian employed population 16 years and over</b>	<b>2,787,197</b>	<b>258,158</b>
Private wage and salary workers	80.4%	79.3%
Government workers	13.2%	17.8%
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	6.2%	2.7%
Unpaid family workers	0.2%	0.2%
<b>INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS (IN 2009 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)</b>		
<b>Households</b>	<b>2,339,684</b>	<b>248,442</b>
Median household income (dollars)	45,229	29,143

With earnings	78.6%	77.3%
Mean earnings (dollars)	60,503	41,620
With Social Security income	29.4%	24.9%
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	15,381	13,024
With Supplemental Security Income	3.8%	6.9%
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	7,489	6,560
With cash public assistance income	2.4%	5.2%
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	2,505	2,115
With retirement income	18.3%	13.8%
Mean retirement income (dollars)	18,918	16,430
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits	12.5%	31.2%
<b>Families</b>	<b>1,543,375</b>	<b>155,856</b>
Median family income (dollars)	56,318	33,662
Married-couple family	74.7%	37.2%
Median income (dollars)	66,926	60,388
Male householder, no spouse present, family	6.3%	8.5%
Median income (dollars)	37,551	29,814
Female householder, no husband present, family	19.0%	54.2%
Median income (dollars)	26,295	24,162
<b>Individuals</b>	<b>5,987,580</b>	<b>669,157</b>
Per capita income (dollars)	23,995	15,994
With earnings for full-time, year-round workers:		
Male	1,088,334	81,207
Female	875,939	102,976
Mean earnings (dollars) for full-time, year-round workers:		
Male	55,437	39,595
Female	38,852	36,113
Median earnings (dollars) full-time, year-round workers:		
Male	41,660	32,170
Female	31,993	29,945
<b>HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE</b>		
<b>Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population</b>	<b>5,871,474</b>	<b>642,860</b>
With private health insurance coverage	70.3%	49.2%
With public health coverage	28.6%	40.3%
No health insurance coverage	13.2%	18.7%
<b>POVERTY RATES FOR FAMILIES AND PEOPLE FOR WHOM POVERTY STATUS IS DETERMINED</b>		
All families	10.9%	24.8%

With related children under 18 years	18.3%	34.9%
With related children under 5 years only	21.9%	33.2%
Married-couple family	4.5%	7.7%
With related children under 18 years	7.1%	12.5%
With related children under 5 years only	6.5%	9.6%
Female householder, no husband present, family	32.8%	35.5%
With related children under 18 years	42.2%	44.8%
With related children under 5 years only	51.5%	43.3%
All people	14.6%	27.8%
Under 18 years	20.7%	40.4%
Related children under 18 years	20.3%	39.9%
Related children under 5 years	25.0%	41.4%
Related children 5 to 17 years	18.5%	39.3%
18 years and over	12.6%	22.6%
18 to 64 years	13.5%	23.6%
65 years and over	8.6%	14.8%
People in families	11.9%	25.8%
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	26.2%	36.1%
<b>HOUSING TENURE</b>		
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	<b>2,339,684</b>	<b>248,442</b>
Owner-occupied housing units	69.1%	41.6%
Renter-occupied housing units	30.9%	58.4%
Average household size of owner-occupied unit	2.59	2.84
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	2.26	2.36
<b>UNITS IN STRUCTURE</b>		
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	<b>2,339,684</b>	<b>248,442</b>
1-unit, detached or attached	75.6%	59.7%
2 to 4 units	7.8%	17.3%
5 or more units	10.5%	22.2%
Mobile home, boat, RV, van, etc.	6.1%	0.8%
<b>YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT</b>		
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	<b>2,339,684</b>	<b>248,442</b>
Built 2000 or later	12.9%	7.2%
Built 1990 to 1999	15.0%	7.1%
Built 1980 to 1989	12.2%	8.9%
Built 1960 to 1979	28.7%	29.7%
Built 1940 to 1959	16.8%	25.7%
Built 1939 or earlier	14.5%	21.3%

<b>VEHICLES AVAILABLE</b>		
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	<b>2,339,684</b>	<b>248,442</b>
None	7.1%	21.5%
1 or more	92.9%	78.5%
<b>HOUSE HEATING FUEL</b>		
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	<b>2,339,684</b>	<b>248,442</b>
Gas	64.3%	71.9%
Electricity	30.8%	27.5%
All other fuels	4.7%	0.4%
No fuel used	0.2%	0.2%
<b>SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS</b>		
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	<b>2,339,684</b>	<b>248,442</b>
No telephone service available	2.3%	4.4%
1.01 or more occupants per room	1.7%	2.7%
<b>SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS</b>		
<b>Housing units with a mortgage (excluding units where SMOC cannot be computed)</b>	<b>1,074,892</b>	<b>78,567</b>
Less than 30 percent	70.8%	56.0%
30 percent or more	29.2%	44.0%
<b>OWNER CHARACTERISTICS</b>		
<b>Owner-occupied housing units</b>	<b>1,616,365</b>	<b>103,315</b>
Median value (dollars)	139,700	94,900
Median selected monthly owner costs with a mortgage (dollars)	1,184	1,143
Median selected monthly owner costs without a mortgage (dollars)	357	377
<b>GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS</b>		
<b>Occupied units paying rent (excluding units where GRAP cannot be computed)</b>	<b>662,259</b>	<b>137,318</b>
Less than 30 percent	53.0%	39.9%
30 percent or more	47.0%	60.1%
<b>GROSS RENT</b>		
<b>Occupied units paying rent</b>	<b>673,753</b>	<b>141,246</b>
Median gross rent (dollars)	668	697

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2009 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 Accuracy of the Data). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

Notes:

- Data for the households, families, occupied housing units, owner-occupied housing units, and renter-occupied housing units lines refer to the specified race, Hispanic or Latino, American Indian or Alaska Native, or ancestry of the householder shown in the table. Data in the "Total population" column are shown regardless of the race, Hi
- The Census Bureau introduced a new set of disability questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Accordingly, cc
- The Census Bureau introduced an improved sequence of labor force questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire.
- Occupation codes are 4-digit codes and are based on Standard Occupational Classification 2000.
- Industry codes are 4-digit codes and are based on the North American Industry Classification System 2007. The
- Logical coverage edits applying a rules-based assignment of Medicaid, Medicare and military health coverage v
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- See the Glossary for more information on the definition of the following population groups: Arab, Arab/Arabic, Ei
- While the 2009 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the November 2008 Office of Manage