

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

Nebraska

Population Group: Black or African American alone

Subject	Total population	Black or African American alone
TOTAL NUMBER OF RACES REPORTED		
Total population	1,796,622	76,793
One race	97.9%	100.0%
Two races	2.0%	(X)
Three races	0.1%	(X)
Four or more races	0.0%	(X)
SEX AND AGE		
Total population	1,796,622	76,793
Male	49.6%	51.0%
Female	50.4%	49.0%
Under 5 years	7.5%	10.4%
5 to 17 years	17.4%	21.7%
18 to 24 years	10.9%	13.1%
25 to 34 years	13.3%	17.7%
35 to 44 years	12.2%	12.0%
45 to 54 years	14.1%	11.2%
55 to 64 years	11.1%	7.0%
65 to 74 years	6.6%	3.8%
75 years and over	6.8%	3.0%
Median age (years)	35.8	27.4
18 years and over	75.1%	67.9%
21 years and over	70.5%	61.8%
62 years and over	16.2%	8.6%
65 years and over	13.4%	6.8%
Under 18 years	447,302	24,651
Male	51.0%	52.4%
Female	49.0%	47.6%
18 years and over	1,349,320	52,142

Male	49.1%	50.3%
Female	50.9%	49.7%
18 to 34 years	435,337	23,643
Male	51.3%	52.5%
Female	48.7%	47.5%
35 to 64 years	672,678	23,245
Male	50.0%	49.8%
Female	50.0%	50.2%
65 years and over	241,305	5,254
Male	42.6%	42.5%
Female	57.4%	57.5%
RELATIONSHIP		
Population in households	1,742,848	72,428
Householder or spouse	61.6%	49.0%
Child	29.1%	37.7%
Other relatives	3.6%	8.1%
Nonrelatives	5.7%	5.2%
Unmarried partner	2.3%	1.3%
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE		
Households	711,223	28,627
Family households	64.4%	57.7%
With own children under 18 years	29.8%	36.4%
Married-couple family	51.0%	20.6%
With own children under 18 years	21.5%	10.0%
Female householder, no husband present, family	9.8%	30.7%
With own children under 18 years	6.5%	22.2%
Nonfamily households	35.6%	42.3%
Male householder	17.2%	24.7%
Living alone	13.6%	22.2%
Not living alone	3.6%	2.6%
Female householder	18.4%	17.6%
Living alone	15.5%	16.4%
Not living alone	2.9%	1.2%
Average household size	2.45	2.5
Average family size	3.03	3.36
MARITAL STATUS		
Population 15 years and over	1,422,687	55,959

Now married, except separated	53.2%	26.9%
Widowed	6.0%	4.5%
Divorced	9.8%	10.6%
Separated	1.4%	4.9%
Never married	29.5%	53.2%
Male 15 years and over	699,581	28,244
Now married, except separated	54.4%	28.4%
Widowed	2.4%	2.8%
Divorced	8.7%	9.3%
Separated	1.2%	4.0%
Never married	33.3%	55.6%
Female 15 years and over	723,106	27,715
Now married, except separated	52.0%	25.3%
Widowed	9.5%	6.2%
Divorced	11.0%	11.9%
Separated	1.6%	5.8%
Never married	25.9%	50.8%
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT		
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	486,397	26,006
Nursery school, preschool	7.1%	7.6%
Kindergarten	5.5%	6.6%
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	38.6%	37.3%
High school (grades 9-12)	20.2%	20.6%
College or graduate school	28.6%	27.8%
Male 3 years and over enrolled in school	242,018	13,902
Percent enrolled in kindergarten to grade 12	66.7%	62.0%
Percent enrolled in college or graduate school	26.0%	31.3%
Female 3 years and over enrolled in school	244,379	12,104
Percent enrolled in kindergarten to grade 12	61.8%	67.4%
Percent enrolled in college or graduate school	31.2%	23.8%
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT		
Population 25 years and over	1,153,230	42,092
Less than high school diploma	10.2%	15.5%
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	28.6%	27.4%
Some college or associate's degree	33.9%	40.4%
Bachelor's degree	18.6%	8.4%
Graduate or professional degree	8.8%	8.2%
High school graduate or higher	89.8%	84.5%

Male, high school graduate or higher	88.9%	84.0%
Female, high school graduate or higher	90.6%	85.0%
Bachelor's degree or higher	27.4%	16.6%
Male, bachelor's degree or higher	27.1%	18.4%
Female, bachelor's degree or higher	27.6%	14.9%
FERTILITY		
Women 15 to 50 years	433,142	20,698
Women 15 to 50 years who had a birth in the past 12 months	33,017	2,691
Unmarried women 15 to 50 years who had a birth in the past 12 months	9,454	1,970
As a percent of all women with a birth in the past 12 months	28.6%	73.2%
RESPONSIBILITY FOR GRANDCHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS		
Population 30 years and over	1,024,942	35,411
Living with grandchild(ren)	2.4%	5.4%
Responsible for grandchild(ren)	43.3%	83.6%
VETERAN STATUS		
Civilian population 18 years and over	1,342,732	51,779
Civilian veteran	11.0%	10.8%
DISABILITY STATUS		
Total civilian noninstitutionalized population	1,762,977	73,591
With a disability	10.8%	15.1%
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 18 years	444,973	23,966
With a disability	3.3%	6.6%
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 18 to 64 years	1,091,175	44,738
With a disability	8.8%	17.2%
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 65 years and older	226,829	4,887
With a disability	34.9%	37.7%
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO		
Population 1 year and over	1,769,728	74,945
Same house	82.2%	69.6%
Different house in the U.S.	17.4%	30.0%
Same county	10.4%	21.1%

Different county	7.0%	8.9%
Same state	4.0%	4.0%
Different state	3.0%	4.9%
Abroad	0.5%	0.4%
PLACE OF BIRTH, CITIZENSHIP STATUS AND YEAR OF ENTRY		
Native	1,690,436	67,682
Male	49.2%	49.6%
Female	50.8%	50.4%
Foreign born	106,186	9,111
Male	55.1%	61.5%
Female	44.9%	38.5%
Foreign born; naturalized U.S. citizen	32,189	2,483
Male	54.6%	43.9%
Female	45.4%	56.1%
Foreign born; not a U.S. citizen	73,997	6,628
Male	55.4%	68.1%
Female	44.6%	31.9%
Population born outside the United States	106,186	9,111
Entered 2000 or later	44.4%	61.8%
Entered 1990 to 1999	31.7%	32.0%
Entered before 1990	23.9%	6.2%
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN		
Foreign-born population excluding population born at sea	106,186	9,111
Europe	5.9%	N
Asia	26.2%	N
Africa	7.8%	N
Oceania	0.4%	N
Latin America	57.4%	N
Northern America	2.3%	N
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME AND ABILITY TO SPEAK ENGLISH		
Population 5 years and over	1,662,501	68,820
English only	90.4%	85.0%
Language other than English	9.6%	15.0%
Speak English less than "very well"	4.4%	6.8%

EMPLOYMENT STATUS		
Population 16 years and over	1,397,719	55,362
In labor force	71.4%	69.9%
Civilian labor force	70.9%	69.2%
Employed	66.6%	57.7%
Unemployed	4.3%	11.5%
Percent of civilian labor force	6.0%	16.6%
Armed Forces	0.5%	0.7%
Not in labor force	28.6%	30.1%
Females 16 years and over	710,261	27,260
In labor force	66.4%	75.2%
Civilian labor force	66.2%	74.8%
Employed	62.4%	62.3%
Unemployed	3.8%	12.5%
Percent of civilian labor force	5.8%	16.8%
COMMUTING TO WORK		
Workers 16 years and over	920,601	31,594
Car, truck, or van - drove alone	80.4%	69.6%
Car, truck, or van - carpooled	10.2%	17.3%
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	0.6%	3.7%
Walked	3.3%	6.7%
Other means	1.1%	0.6%
Worked at home	4.4%	2.0%
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	17.9	18.6
OCCUPATION		
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	931,004	31,968
Management, professional, and related occupations	35.1%	23.5%
Service occupations	16.4%	22.4%
Sales and office occupations	25.0%	32.4%
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	1.4%	0.2%
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations	8.5%	2.8%
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	13.5%	18.8%
Male civilian employed population 16 years and over	487,844	14,998
Management, professional, and related occupations	31.7%	15.7%
Service occupations	12.2%	21.6%
Sales and office occupations	17.9%	31.6%
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	2.3%	0.5%

Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations	15.8%	5.9%
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	20.2%	24.8%
Female civilian employed population 16 years and over	443,160	16,970
Management, professional, and related occupations	38.8%	30.3%
Service occupations	21.1%	23.0%
Sales and office occupations	32.9%	33.1%
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	0.4%	0.0%
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations	0.6%	0.0%
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	6.2%	13.6%
INDUSTRY		
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	931,004	31,968
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	4.6%	0.1%
Construction	6.5%	2.9%
Manufacturing	10.6%	11.0%
Wholesale trade	2.7%	1.9%
Retail trade	12.2%	10.4%
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	6.1%	7.2%
Information	1.9%	2.5%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	7.7%	9.1%
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	8.0%	11.5%
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	23.3%	26.2%
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	7.8%	9.7%
Other services (except public administration)	4.6%	3.5%
Public administration	4.1%	3.9%
CLASS OF WORKER		
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	931,004	31,968
Private wage and salary workers	78.4%	82.6%
Government workers	14.4%	14.6%
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	7.0%	2.9%
Unpaid family workers	0.2%	0.0%
INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS (IN 2009 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)		
Households	711,223	28,627
Median household income (dollars)	47,357	24,174

With earnings	82.7%	82.9%
Mean earnings (dollars)	60,283	34,182
With Social Security income	26.7%	17.8%
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	15,790	11,966
With Supplemental Security Income	2.5%	5.6%
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	7,844	7,278
With cash public assistance income	2.2%	7.3%
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	2,343	2,470
With retirement income	13.8%	11.1%
Mean retirement income (dollars)	17,377	12,353
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits	8.2%	33.9%
Families	457,966	16,509
Median family income (dollars)	60,102	26,919
Married-couple family	79.1%	35.7%
Median income (dollars)	68,422	61,309
Male householder, no spouse present, family	5.6%	11.1%
Median income (dollars)	37,335	27,114
Female householder, no husband present, family	15.3%	53.2%
Median income (dollars)	26,437	18,777
Individuals	1,796,622	76,793
Per capita income (dollars)	24,627	13,906
With earnings for full-time, year-round workers:		
Male	380,017	10,154
Female	280,032	10,430
Mean earnings (dollars) for full-time, year-round workers:		
Male	52,253	34,154
Female	36,933	31,827
Median earnings (dollars) full-time, year-round workers:		
Male	39,516	30,266
Female	30,562	27,559
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE		
Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	1,762,977	73,591
With private health insurance coverage	75.1%	46.5%
With public health coverage	25.3%	41.4%
No health insurance coverage	11.9%	19.9%
POVERTY RATES FOR FAMILIES AND PEOPLE FOR WHOM POVERTY STATUS IS DETERMINED		
All families	8.4%	31.7%

With related children under 18 years	14.4%	40.2%
With related children under 5 years only	20.8%	48.4%
Married-couple family	4.0%	11.0%
With related children under 18 years	6.3%	15.8%
With related children under 5 years only	7.2%	N
Female householder, no husband present, family	29.3%	47.4%
With related children under 18 years	37.5%	53.6%
With related children under 5 years only	62.4%	64.9%
All people	12.3%	33.8%
Under 18 years	15.2%	48.4%
Related children under 18 years	14.6%	48.3%
Related children under 5 years	18.2%	57.1%
Related children 5 to 17 years	13.1%	43.8%
18 years and over	11.4%	26.7%
18 to 64 years	12.1%	27.7%
65 years and over	7.8%	18.1%
People in families	9.0%	32.5%
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	25.8%	38.1%
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	711,223	28,627
Owner-occupied housing units	67.2%	35.7%
Renter-occupied housing units	32.8%	64.3%
Average household size of owner-occupied unit	2.6	2.66
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	2.15	2.41
UNITS IN STRUCTURE		
Occupied housing units	711,223	28,627
1-unit, detached or attached	77.5%	60.9%
2 to 4 units	4.4%	6.4%
5 or more units	14.7%	32.2%
Mobile home, boat, RV, van, etc.	3.3%	0.4%
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT		
Occupied housing units	711,223	28,627
Built 2000 or later	10.6%	9.3%
Built 1990 to 1999	12.0%	7.4%
Built 1980 to 1989	10.0%	4.8%
Built 1960 to 1979	28.9%	30.7%
Built 1940 to 1959	16.6%	21.4%
Built 1939 or earlier	21.9%	26.4%

VEHICLES AVAILABLE		
Occupied housing units	711,223	28,627
None	6.0%	23.7%
1 or more	94.0%	76.3%
HOUSE HEATING FUEL		
Occupied housing units	711,223	28,627
Gas	72.2%	72.9%
Electricity	24.7%	26.4%
All other fuels	3.0%	0.5%
No fuel used	0.2%	0.2%
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS		
Occupied housing units	711,223	28,627
No telephone service available	1.7%	2.8%
1.01 or more occupants per room	1.9%	5.2%
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS		
Housing units with a mortgage (excluding units where SMOC cannot be computed)	310,066	7,504
Less than 30 percent	74.6%	57.2%
30 percent or more	25.4%	42.8%
OWNER CHARACTERISTICS		
Owner-occupied housing units	478,209	10,232
Median value (dollars)	123,300	93,100
Median selected monthly owner costs with a mortgage (dollars)	1,227	1,120
Median selected monthly owner costs without a mortgage (dollars)	415	400
GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS		
Occupied units paying rent (excluding units where GRAP cannot be computed)	213,881	17,003
Less than 30 percent	57.4%	42.4%
30 percent or more	42.6%	57.6%
GROSS RENT		
Occupied units paying rent	216,554	17,513
Median gross rent (dollars)	644	615

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, H
- 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
- Caution should be used when comparing data for Telephone Service Availability between 2008 and 2009. A dai
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- See the Glossary for more information on the definition of the following population groups: Arab, Arab/Arabic, E
- While the 2009 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the November 2008 Office of Manag