

S0201: Selected Population Profile in the United States

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Survey: American Community Survey

Arizona

Population Group: Black or African American alone or in combination with one or more other races

Subject	Total population	Black or African American alone or in combination with one or more other races
TOTAL NUMBER OF RACES REPORTED		
Total population	6,500,180	284,241
One race	97.4%	82.9%
Two races	2.4%	15.3%
Three races	0.1%	1.7%
Four or more races	0.0%	0.1%
SEX AND AGE		
Total population	6,500,180	284,241
Male	50.1%	52.4%
Female	49.9%	47.6%

Under 5 years	7.9%	11.7%
5 to 17 years	18.3%	25.2%
18 to 24 years	9.2%	10.2%
25 to 34 years	14.3%	15.0%
35 to 44 years	13.4%	13.2%
45 to 54 years	13.1%	11.7%
55 to 64 years	10.4%	6.9%
65 to 74 years	6.9%	3.8%
75 years and over	6.4%	2.3%
Median age (years)	35.1	26.4
18 years and over	73.7%	63.1%
21 years and over	69.7%	58.2%
62 years and over	15.9%	7.4%
65 years and over	13.3%	6.1%
Under 18 years	1,707,680	104,948
Male	51.3%	52.7%
Female	48.7%	47.3%

18 years and over	4,792,500	179,293
Male	49.7%	52.2%
Female	50.3%	47.8%
18 to 34 years	1,529,371	71,696
Male	52.6%	54.4%
Female	47.4%	45.6%
35 to 64 years	2,399,037	90,270
Male	49.6%	52.3%
Female	50.4%	47.7%
65 years and over	864,092	17,327
Male	44.9%	42.7%
Female	55.1%	57.3%
RELATIONSHIP		
Population in households	6,381,018	272,585
Householder or spouse	53.0%	39.6%
Child	31.6%	41.7%
Other relatives	8.5%	10.0%

Nonrelatives	7.0%	8.7%
Unmarried partner	2.3%	2.8%
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE		
Households	2,273,842	82,797
Family households	65.5%	62.8%
With own children under 18 years	30.0%	35.8%
Married-couple family	48.7%	30.1%
With own children under 18 years	20.2%	15.5%
Female householder, no husband present, family	11.7%	22.4%
With own children under 18 years	7.1%	13.9%
Nonfamily households	34.5%	37.2%
Male householder	16.8%	19.9%
Living alone	12.9%	15.7%
Not living alone	3.9%	4.2%
Female householder	17.8%	17.3%
Living alone	14.9%	14.5%
Not living alone	2.9%	2.8%
Average household size	2.81	2.97
Average family size	3.46	3.72

MARITAL STATUS		
Population 15 years and over	5,065,307	194,881
Now married, except separated	48.5%	29.6%
Widowed	5.9%	4.9%
Divorced	12.3%	12.8%
Separated	1.9%	4.1%
Never married	31.5%	48.7%
Male 15 years and over	2,522,771	102,304
Now married, except separated	49.8%	33.0%
Widowed	2.6%	2.3%
Divorced	10.6%	10.5%
Separated	1.6%	3.0%
Never married	35.4%	51.2%
Female 15 years and over	2,542,536	92,577
Now married, except separated	47.2%	25.7%
Widowed	9.1%	7.7%
Divorced	14.0%	15.3%
Separated	2.1%	5.3%

Never married	27.6%	46.0%
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT		
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	1,678,612	101,596
Nursery school, preschool	5.1%	5.8%
Kindergarten	5.3%	6.2%
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	43.6%	44.2%
High school (grades 9-12)	21.6%	22.3%
College or graduate school	24.4%	21.5%
Male 3 years and over enrolled in school	834,683	52,078
Percent enrolled in kindergarten to grade 12	72.9%	77.0%
Percent enrolled in college or graduate school	21.7%	16.9%
Female 3 years and over enrolled in school	843,929	49,518
Percent enrolled in kindergarten to grade 12	68.1%	68.3%
Percent enrolled in college or graduate school	27.1%	26.4%
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT		
Population 25 years and over	4,192,547	150,291
Less than high school diploma	16.2%	12.7%
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	25.0%	25.5%

Some college or associate's degree	33.7%	39.1%
Bachelor's degree	15.9%	14.8%
Graduate or professional degree	9.2%	8.0%
High school graduate or higher	83.8%	87.3%
Male, high school graduate or higher	83.3%	87.1%
Female, high school graduate or higher	84.4%	87.5%
Bachelor's degree or higher	25.1%	22.8%
Male, bachelor's degree or higher	26.1%	20.4%
Female, bachelor's degree or higher	24.1%	25.4%
FERTILITY		
Women 15 to 50 years	1,548,377	67,540
Women 15 to 50 years who had a birth in the past 12 months	92,263	3,054
Unmarried women 15 to 50 years who had a birth in the past 12 months	33,460	1,404
As a percent of all women with a birth in the past 12 months	36.3%	46.0%
RESPONSIBILITY FOR GRANDCHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS		
Population 30 years and over	3,708,238	125,889
Living with grandchild(ren)	4.0%	4.7%
Responsible for grandchild(ren)	39.5%	30.7%

VETERAN STATUS		
Civilian population 18 years and over	4,768,630	177,284
Civilian veteran	11.6%	12.5%
DISABILITY STATUS		
Total civilian noninstitutionalized population	6,402,786	274,355
With a disability	12.1%	11.5%
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 18 years	1,705,841	104,598
With a disability	3.6%	5.2%
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 18 to 64 years	3,842,529	152,674
With a disability	10.5%	13.0%
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 65 years and older	854,416	17,083
With a disability	36.2%	35.8%
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO		
Population 1 year and over	6,395,947	278,536
Same house	80.8%	72.1%

Different house in the U.S.	18.6%	27.2%
Same county	12.9%	18.6%
Different county	5.7%	8.6%
Same state	2.0%	2.2%
Different state	3.8%	6.4%
Abroad	0.6%	0.7%
PLACE OF BIRTH, CITIZENSHIP STATUS AND YEAR OF ENTRY		
Native	5,567,662	260,325
Male	49.9%	52.0%
Female	50.1%	48.0%
Foreign born	932,518	23,916
Male	51.3%	56.3%
Female	48.7%	43.7%
Foreign born; naturalized U.S. citizen	283,915	6,225
Male	45.7%	49.4%
Female	54.3%	50.6%
Foreign born; not a U.S. citizen	648,603	17,691

Male	53.8%	58.8%
Female	46.2%	41.2%
Population born outside the United States		
	932,518	23,916
Entered 2000 or later	33.2%	62.8%
Entered 1990 to 1999	29.4%	18.7%
Entered before 1990	37.5%	18.6%
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN		
Foreign-born population excluding population born at sea		
	932,518	23,916
Europe	9.0%	3.8%
Asia	13.4%	1.4%
Africa	2.6%	74.7%
Oceania	0.4%	0.6%
Latin America	71.0%	19.5%
Northern America	3.7%	0.0%
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME AND ABILITY TO SPEAK ENGLISH		
Population 5 years and over		
	5,984,859	251,056
English only	72.5%	89.2%
Language other than English	27.5%	10.8%

Speak English less than "very well"	11.8%	4.1%
EMPLOYMENT STATUS		
Population 16 years and over	4,973,336	188,914
In labor force	63.6%	65.7%
Civilian labor force	63.1%	64.7%
Employed	59.3%	59.2%
Unemployed	3.8%	5.4%
Percent of civilian labor force	6.1%	8.4%
Armed Forces	0.5%	1.1%
Not in labor force	36.4%	34.3%
Females 16 years and over	2,498,981	89,868
In labor force	57.1%	62.0%
Civilian labor force	56.9%	61.4%
Employed	53.5%	56.8%
Unemployed	3.4%	4.7%
Percent of civilian labor force	5.9%	7.6%
COMMUTING TO WORK		
Workers 16 years and over	2,900,947	110,535

Car, truck, or van - drove alone	75.3%	75.6%
Car, truck, or van - carpooled	13.1%	12.9%
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	2.3%	5.9%
Walked	1.9%	2.0%
Other means	2.5%	1.8%
Worked at home	4.9%	1.9%
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	25	26.9
OCCUPATION		
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	2,947,910	111,885
Management, professional, and related occupations	32.9%	31.4%
Service occupations	19.1%	20.2%
Sales and office occupations	27.2%	29.5%
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	0.4%	0.0%
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations	11.2%	6.6%
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	9.1%	12.4%
Male civilian employed population 16 years and over		
Male civilian employed population 16 years and over	1,610,732	60,883
Management, professional, and related occupations	29.6%	24.7%
Service occupations	16.7%	19.4%
Sales and office occupations	19.8%	24.0%

Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	0.6%	0.0%
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations	19.8%	12.1%
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	13.5%	19.9%
Female civilian employed population 16 years and over	1,337,178	51,002
Management, professional, and related occupations	36.9%	39.4%
Service occupations	22.1%	21.1%
Sales and office occupations	36.1%	36.1%
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	0.2%	0.0%
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations	0.7%	0.0%
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	4.0%	3.5%
INDUSTRY		
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	2,947,910	111,885
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	1.3%	0.4%
Construction	9.7%	3.9%
Manufacturing	7.4%	6.9%
Wholesale trade	2.5%	1.7%
Retail trade	12.7%	13.4%
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	5.0%	7.5%
Information	1.9%	1.8%

Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	8.0%	8.6%
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	10.8%	10.6%
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	19.7%	25.8%
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	10.5%	8.5%
Other services (except public administration)	5.0%	4.2%
Public administration	5.4%	6.7%
CLASS OF WORKER		
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	2,947,910	111,885
Private wage and salary workers	79.0%	79.3%
Government workers	14.8%	18.1%
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	6.0%	2.5%
Unpaid family workers	0.2%	0.2%
INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS (IN 2008 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)		
Households	2,273,842	82,797
Median household income (dollars)	50,958	42,271
With earnings	78.5%	84.6%
Mean earnings (dollars)	68,065	55,998
With Social Security income	28.7%	18.9%

Mean Social Security income (dollars)	15,598	12,157
With Supplemental Security Income	2.6%	3.5%
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	8,249	8,376
With cash public assistance income	2.1%	5.1%
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	2,887	1,762
With retirement income	19.0%	16.7%
Mean retirement income (dollars)	22,185	19,940
With Food Stamp benefits	8.2%	15.4%
Families	1,489,192	51,965
Median family income (dollars)	60,547	47,433
Married-couple family	74.4%	48.0%
Median income (dollars)	70,923	63,356
Male householder, no spouse present, family	7.8%	16.4%
Median income (dollars)	44,291	40,358
Female householder, no husband present, family	17.8%	35.6%
Median income (dollars)	32,698	37,013
Individuals	6,500,180	284,241
Per capita income (dollars)	25,415	18,409

With earnings for full-time, year-round workers:		
Male	1,257,586	48,788
Female	863,138	36,783
Mean earnings (dollars) for full-time, year-round workers:		
Male	56,920	45,792
Female	41,942	40,757
Median earnings (dollars) full-time, year-round workers:		
Male	41,524	35,710
Female	34,556	32,363
<p style="text-align: center;">POVERTY RATES FOR FAMILIES AND PEOPLE FOR WHOM POVERTY STATUS IS DETERMINED</p>		
All families	10.3%	14.7%
With related children under 18 years	16.3%	19.9%
With related children under 5 years only	15.6%	29.4%
Married-couple family	5.7%	6.4%
With related children under 18 years	8.3%	7.8%
With related children under 5 years only	6.3%	N
Female householder, no husband present, family	28.2%	25.1%
With related children under 18 years	36.1%	30.4%
With related children under 5 years only	44.2%	42.8%

All people	14.7%	19.6%
Under 18 years	20.8%	24.9%
Related children under 18 years	20.4%	24.5%
Related children under 5 years	23.1%	30.3%
Related children 5 to 17 years	19.2%	21.8%
18 years and over	12.5%	16.5%
18 to 64 years	13.4%	16.8%
65 years and over	8.6%	13.7%
People in families	12.6%	17.9%
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	23.6%	26.6%
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	2,273,842	82,797
Owner-occupied housing units	68.1%	43.0%
Renter-occupied housing units	31.9%	57.0%
Average household size of owner-occupied unit	2.8	2.9
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	2.82	3.02
UNITS IN STRUCTURE		
Occupied housing units	2,273,842	82,797

1-unit, detached or attached	71.1%	58.4%
2 to 4 units	4.6%	6.9%
5 or more units	14.2%	32.1%
Mobile home, boat, RV, van, etc.	10.1%	2.6%
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT		
Occupied housing units	2,273,842	82,797
Built 2000 or later	21.2%	29.3%
Built 1990 to 1999	21.7%	19.1%
Built 1980 to 1989	19.0%	15.4%
Built 1960 to 1979	27.8%	27.5%
Built 1940 to 1959	8.8%	7.6%
Built 1939 or earlier	1.6%	1.1%
VEHICLES AVAILABLE		
Occupied housing units	2,273,842	82,797
None	6.1%	11.9%
1 or more	93.9%	88.1%
HOUSE HEATING FUEL		
Occupied housing units	2,273,842	82,797

Gas	39.7%	29.3%
Electricity	57.2%	69.7%
All other fuels	2.3%	0.4%
No fuel used	0.8%	0.6%
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS		
Occupied housing units	2,273,842	82,797
No telephone service available	3.0%	3.9%
1.01 or more occupants per room	4.2%	4.9%
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)	1,094,497	30,539
Less than 30 percent	58.5%	50.7%
30 percent or more	41.5%	49.3%
OWNER CHARACTERISTICS		
Owner-occupied housing units	1,548,890	35,625
Median value (dollars)	229,200	219,700
Median selected monthly owner costs with a mortgage (dollars)	1,527	1,590
Median selected monthly owner costs without a mortgage (dollars)	357	351

GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS		
Occupied units paying rent (excluding units where GRAP cannot be computed)	671,054	44,773
Less than 30 percent	49.8%	44.8%
30 percent or more	50.2%	55.2%
GROSS RENT		
Occupied units paying rent	686,512	46,351
Median gross rent (dollars)	866	874

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2008 American Community Survey

Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for