

# 2014-2018 American Community Survey (ACS) 5-Year Estimates

Pre-Embargo Webinar

December 10, 2019

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- Upcoming ACS Data Releases
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# ACS Data Release

## **MEDIA EMBARGO: Tuesday, December 17, 2019**

- Embargo at 10 a.m. (EST), Includes 2014-2018 ACS 5-Year estimates:
  - 5-Year data products

## **PUBLIC RELEASE: Thursday, December 19, 2019**

- Release at 12:01 a.m. (EST), Includes 2014-2018 ACS 5-Year estimates:
  - All 5-Year data products
  - Narrative Profile
  - API, QuickFacts, My Tribal Area

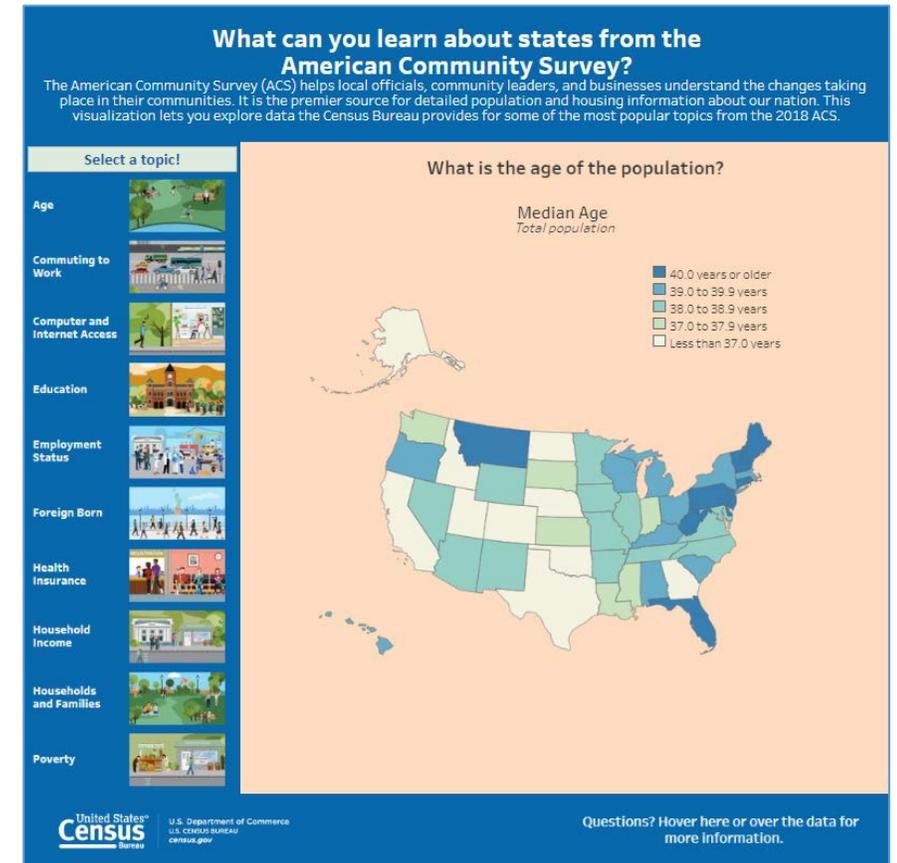
# Thursday, December 19th

- **News Release:**

- Highlights on the demographic characteristics of the 65 and older population

- **Interactive Graphics:**

- What can you learn about counties from the ACS?
- What can you learn about people 65 years and older from the ACS?
- 2018 Median Household Income in the United States
- 2018 Poverty Rates in the United States
- 2018 Median Age in the United States



# Upcoming ACS Releases

- **January 30, 2020**

- 2014-2018 ACS 5-Year Public Use Microdata Sample (PUMS)
- 2014-2018 ACS 5-Year Variance Replicate Estimate Tables

- **February 6, 2020**

- 2018 ACS 1-Year Supplemental Estimates

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*The American Community Survey is on the leading edge of survey design, continuous improvement, and data quality*

- The nation's most current, reliable, and accessible data source for local statistics on critical planning topics such as age, children, veterans, commuting, education, income, and employment
- Surveys **3.5 million** addresses and informs over **\$675 billion** of Federal government spending each year
- Covers **40+ topics**, supports over **300** evidence-based Federal government uses, and produces **11 billion** estimates each year
- Three key annual data releases:
  - 1-year Estimates (areas w/ population of 65,000+)
  - 1-year Supplemental Estimates (areas w/ population of 20,000+)
  - 5-year Estimates (all areas)

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For more information about the American Community Survey, visit our website at: <http://www.census.gov/acs>

**Please print today's date.**  
Month  Day  Year

**Please print the name and telephone number of the person who is filling out this form.** We will only contact you if needed for official Census Bureau business.

Last Name

First Name  MI

Area Code + Number  -

**How many people are living or staying at this address?**

- **INCLUDE** everyone who is living or staying here for more than 2 months.
- **INCLUDE** yourself if you are living here for more than 2 months.
- **INCLUDE** anyone else staying here who does not have another place to stay, even if they are here for 2 months or less.
- **DO NOT INCLUDE** anyone who is living somewhere else for more than 2 months, such as a college student living away or someone in the Armed Forces on deployment.

Number of people

**Fill out pages 2, 3, and 4 for everyone, including yourself, who is living or staying at this address for more than 2 months. Then complete the rest of the form.**

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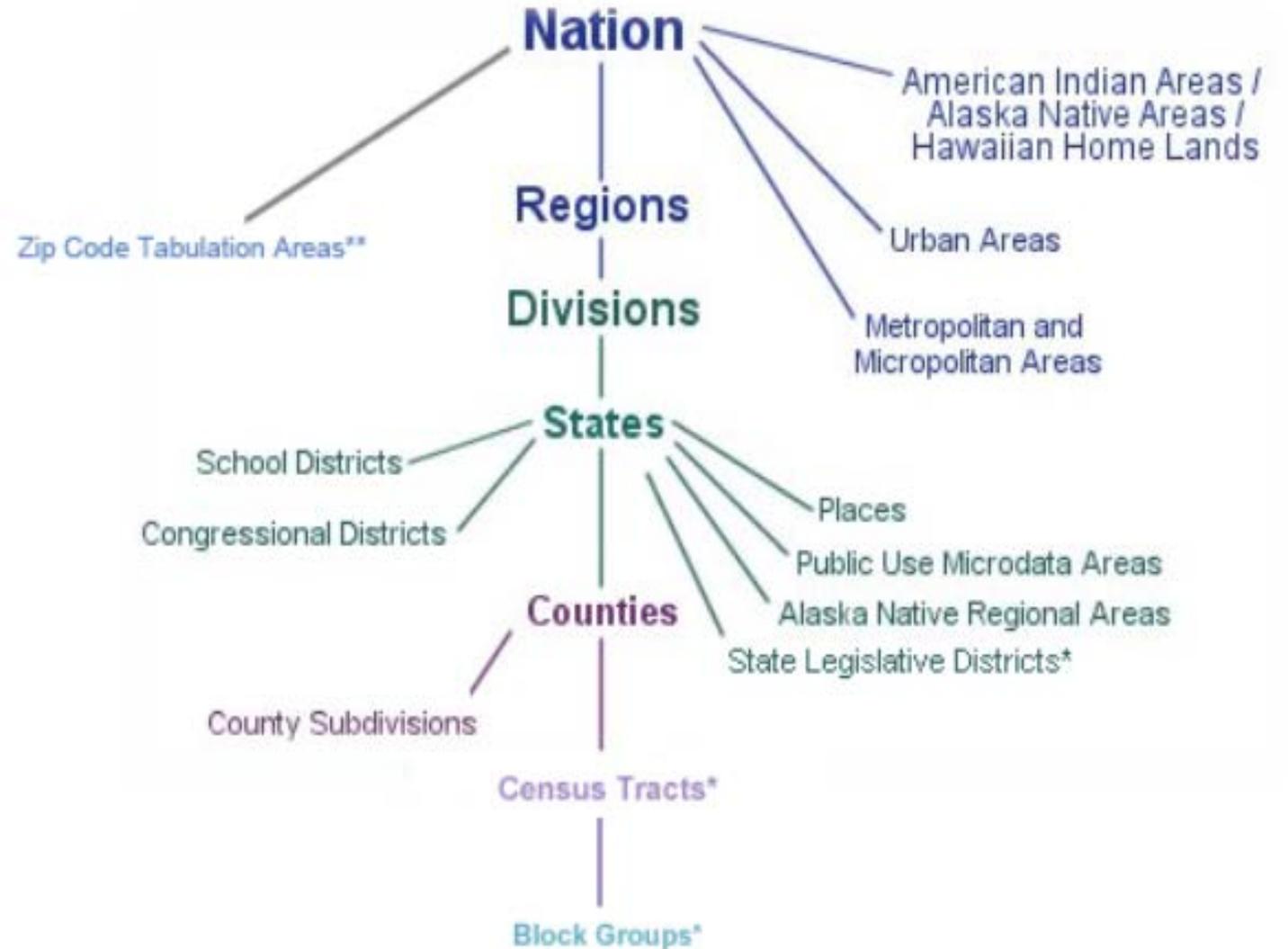


# ACS Content

POPULATION		HOUSING
<b>SOCIAL</b> Ancestry Citizenship Citizen Voting Age Population Disability Educational Attainment Fertility Grandparents Language Marital Status Migration School Enrollment Veterans	<b>DEMOGRAPHIC</b> Age Hispanic Origin Race Relationship Sex	Computer & Internet Use Costs (Mortgage, Rent, Taxes, Insurance) Heating Fuel Home Value Occupancy Plumbing/Kitchen Facilities Structure Tenure (Own/Rent) Utilities Vehicles Year Built/ Year Moved In
	<b>ECONOMIC</b> Class of Worker Commuting Employment Status Food Stamps (SNAP) Health Insurance Hours/Week, Weeks/Year Income Industry & Occupation	

# 5-Year Geography

- All geographic areas down to the tract and block group level
- Over 579,000 geographic areas
- 87 different geography summary levels available



# 5-Year Estimates

- Describe the characteristics over a specific period of time, not a single point in time
- Data are pooled across 60 months, weighted to produce estimates, and controlled for age, sex, race, and Hispanic origin
  - 5-year estimates are NOT an average of 1-year estimates
- Estimates are based on geographic boundaries as of January 1 of the last year in the 5-year period
- Dollar-value estimates are inflation adjusted to the most recent year for the period

# When to Use 5-Year Estimates?

- No 1-year estimate is available
- Margins of error for 1-year estimates are larger than desired
- Analyzing data for small population groups
- Comparing various geographies when one or more of them do not receive 1-year estimates

# 5-Year Comparisons

- Only compare non-overlapping time periods (e.g., 2014-2018 and 2009-2013)
- Only compare 1-yr estimates to 1-yr and 5-yr estimates to 5-yr
- Compare across geographies and subpopulations
- Compare percentages, means, medians and rates instead of totals whenever possible

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# ACS Methodological Updates Impacting Data Products

## Industry and Occupation – updated Census codes

- Updated to reflect revised North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS) and Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) codes

## Poverty Statistics – changes to income deficit

- Calculated using reference period dollar amounts prior to 2018
- Now inflation adjusted to respective calendar year

# ACS New Tables

## Industry and Occupation

- **B24114:** Detailed Occupation for the Civilian Employed Population 16 Years and Over
- **B24115:** Detailed Occupation for the Civilian Employed Male Population 16 Years and Over
- **B24116:** Detailed Occupation for the Civilian Employed Female Population 16 Years and Over

## Income and Earnings

- **B19123:** Family Size by Cash Public Assistance Income or Households Receiving Food Stamps/SNAP Benefits in the Past 12 Months

## Citizen, Voting-Age Population

- **B29001:** Citizen, Voting-age Population By Age
- **B29002:** Citizen, Voting-age Population By Educational Attainment
- **B29003:** Citizen, Voting-age Population By Poverty Status
- **B29004:** Median Household Income For Households With A Citizen, Voting-age Householder (In 2018 Inflation-adjusted Dollars)
- **S2902:** Citizen, Voting-age Population By Selected Characteristics

# 2018 Table Changes

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**2018 Geography Changes**  
Explanation of changes in the inventory of entities, changes to FIPS, and comparability changes.

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# Other ACS Data Product Modifications: Detailed Tables and Subject Tables

Topic	Type of Change
Foreign-Born Population	Updated categories for year of naturalization Census occupation codes updated to reflect revised SOC codes
Housing	Updated categories for year moved in Corrected gross rent categories
Income and Earnings	Added estimate for full-time year round workers Added estimate for number of families by family size Census occupation codes updated to reflect revised SOC codes
Group Quarters	Improved table titles to indicate the number of group quarters types Added estimates for people not in the labor force for institutional group quarters Census occupation codes updated to reflect revised SOC codes
Disability	Census occupation codes updated to reflect revised SOC codes
Health Insurance	Census occupation codes updated to reflect revised SOC codes
Journey to Work and Migration	Census occupation codes updated to reflect revised SOC codes

# Other ACS Data Product Modifications: Data Profiles and Comparison Profiles

Topic	Type of Change
Industry	Updated census codes to reflect revised North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS)
Occupation	Updated census codes to reflect revised Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) codes
Educational Attainment	Added estimates for high school or higher and bachelor's and higher
Housing	Updated categories for year moved in

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# 5-Year Data Products

- Data Profiles (5)
  - (Social, Economic, Housing, Demographic, Selected Social Characteristics - Puerto Rico)
- Comparison Profiles (5)
  - (2014-2018 and 2009-2013)
- Subject Tables (83)
- Detailed Tables (1,135)
- Narrative Profiles
- Data Tools
  - API, QuickFacts, My Tribal Area, Census Business Builder

► Language

Among people at least five years old living in Prince George's County, Maryland in 2012-2016, 23 percent spoke a language other than English at home. Of those speaking a language other than English at home, 58 percent spoke Spanish and 42 percent spoke some other language; 46 percent reported that they did not speak English "very well."

Percent of the Population 5 years and over who Speak a Language other than English in Prince George's County, Maryland in 2012-2016

[click graph to view data in table format](#)

Subject	Occupied housing units	
	Estimate	Margin of Error
Other Indo-European languages	116,291,033	+/-141,632
UNITS IN STRUCTURE		
1, detached	62.8%	+/-0.1
1, attached	6.0%	+/-0.1
2 apartments	3.6%	+/-0.1
3 or 4 apartments	4.4%	+/-0.1
5 to 9 apartments	4.7%	+/-0.1
10 or more apartments	12.7%	+/-0.1
Mobile home or other type of housing	5.8%	+/-0.1
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT		
2010 or later	1.6%	+/-0.1
2000 to 2009	14.8%	+/-0.1
1980 to 1999	27.9%	+/-0.1
1960 to 1979	26.7%	+/-0.1
1940 to 1959	16.2%	+/-0.1
1939 or earlier	12.7%	+/-0.1

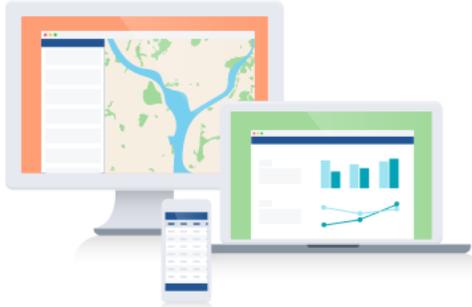
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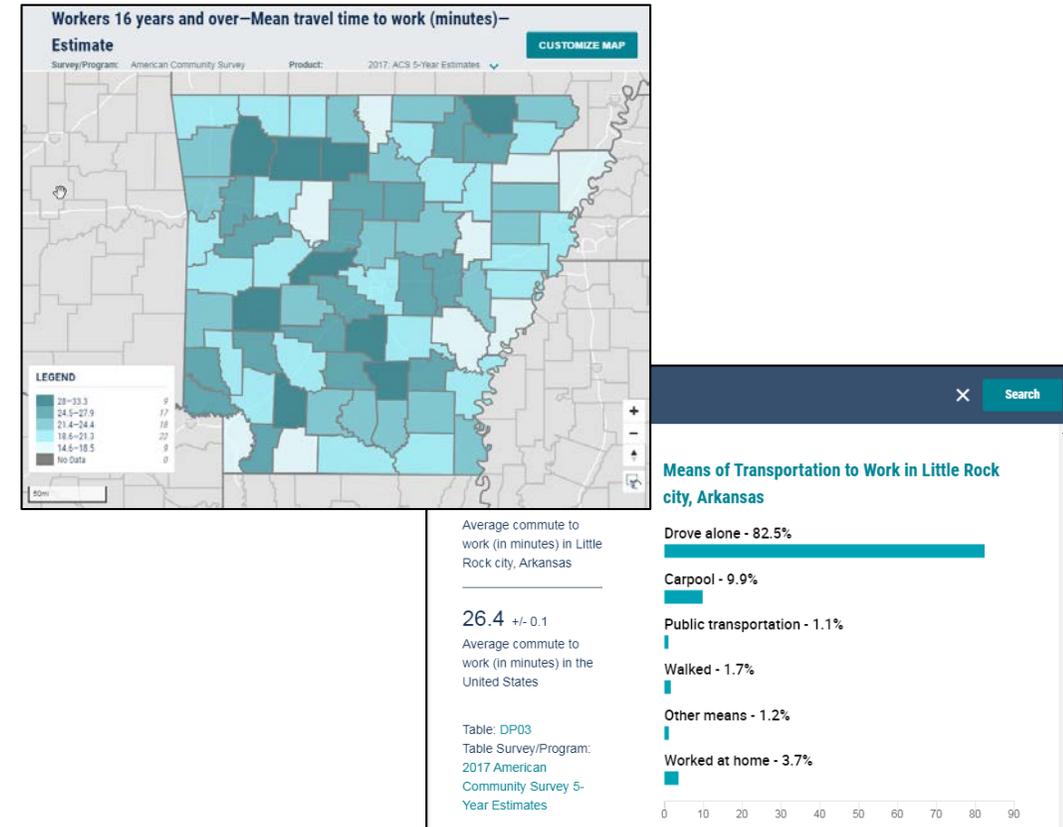
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## Summary File Data

 The Summary File contains estimate, margin of error, and geography files for each release.

 View instructions, guides, and example SAS programs on the [Summary File Technical Documentation](#) page.

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## 2017

<a href="#">2017 ACS 1-year Estimates</a>	<a href="#">2017 ACS 5-year Estimates</a>
<a href="#">1-Year Summary File</a>	<a href="#">5-Year Summary File</a>

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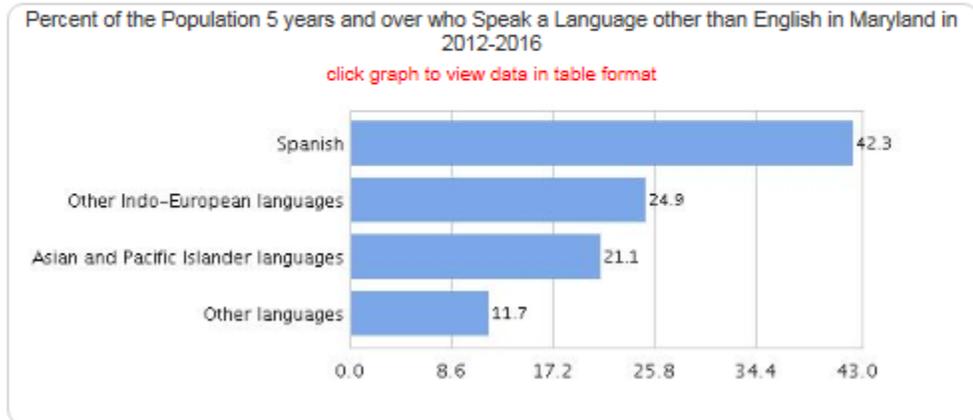
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# Narrative Profile

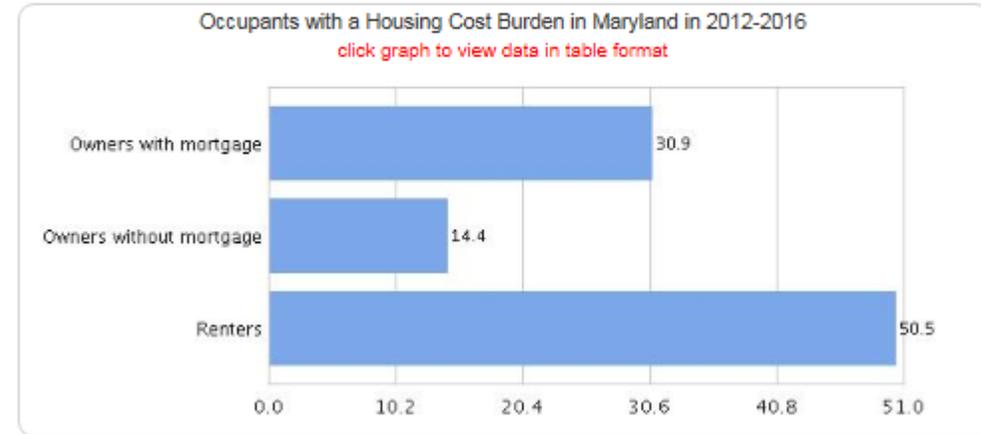
## ▶ Language

Among people at least five years old living in Maryland in 2012-2016, 18 percent spoke a language other than English at home. Of those speaking a language other than English at home, 42 percent spoke Spanish and 58 percent spoke some other language; 37 percent reported that they did not speak English "very well."



## ▶ Housing Costs

The median monthly housing costs for mortgaged owners was \$1,938, nonmortgaged owners \$586, and renters \$1,264. An estimated 31 percent of owners with mortgages, 14 percent of owners without mortgages, and 51 percent of renters in Maryland spent 30 percent or more of household income on housing.



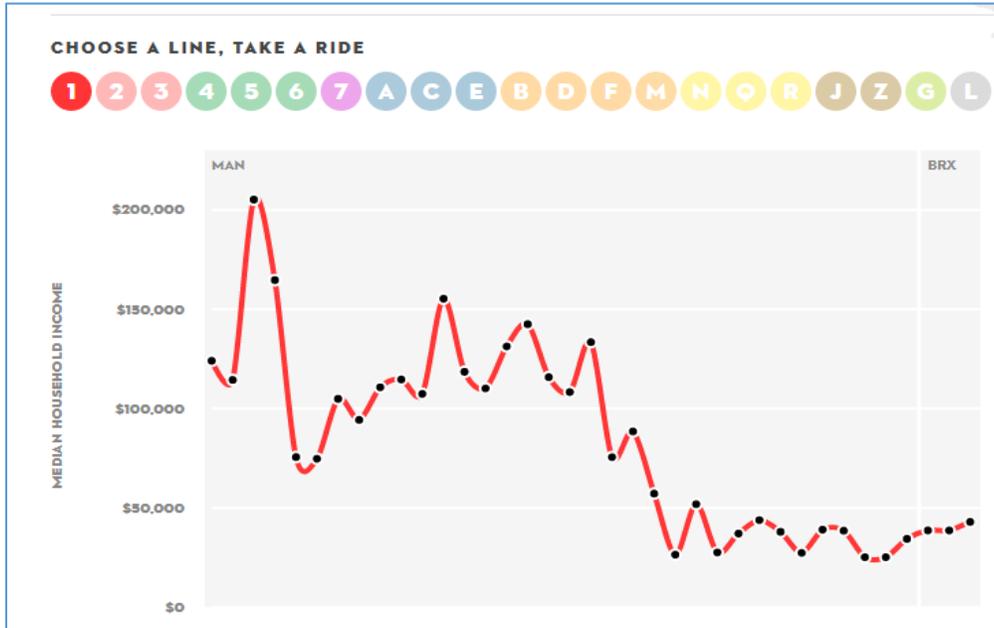
## ▶ Employment Status and Type of Employer

In Maryland, 63 percent of the population 16 and over were employed; 32 percent were not currently in the labor force.

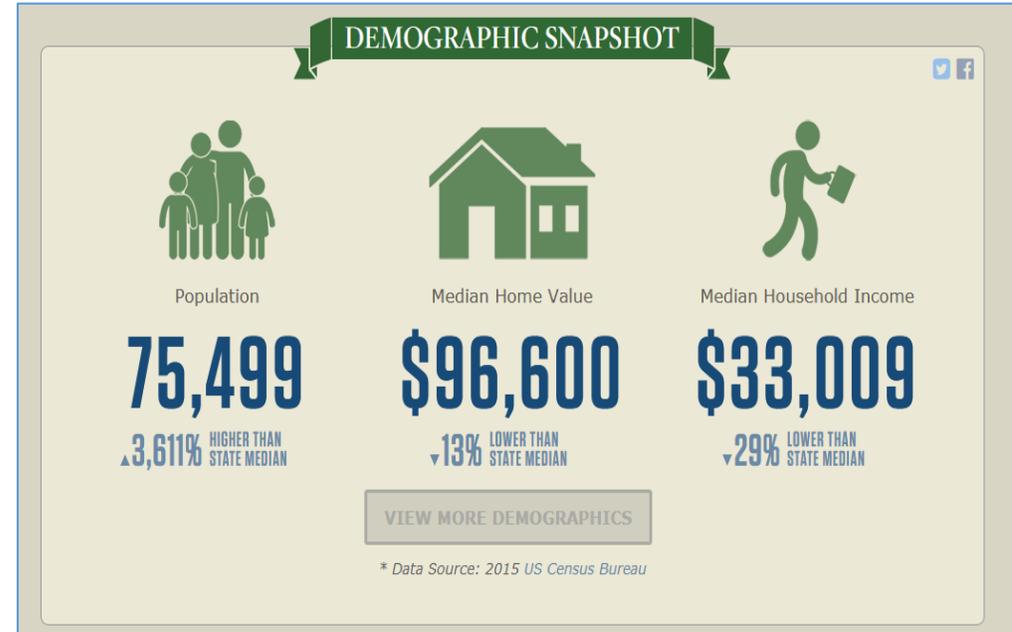
An estimated 73 percent of the people employed were private wage and salary workers; 22 percent were federal, state, or local government workers; and 5 percent were self-employed in their own (not incorporated) business.

Class of worker	Number	Percent
Private wage and salary workers	2,199,093	73.2
Federal, state, or local government workers	660,843	22.0
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	142,210	4.7

# Application Programming Interface (API)



[Source: The New Yorker](#)



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# Data Tool Updates

**QuickFacts**  
UNITED STATES

QuickFacts provides statistics for all states and counties, and for cities and towns with a population of 5,000 or more.

Enter state, county, city, town, or zip code  -- Select a fact --

Dashboard - UNITED STATES

Population estimates, July 1, 2017, (V2017)

All Topics  UNITED STATES

<b>Population estimates, July 1, 2017, (V2017)</b>	<b>325,719,178</b>
<b>PEOPLE</b>	
<b>Population</b>	
Population estimates, July 1, 2017, (V2017)	325,719,178
Population estimates base, April 1, 2010, (V2017)	308,758,105
Population, percent change - April 1, 2010 (estimates base) to July 1, 2017, (V2017)	5.5%
Population, Census, April 1, 2010	308,745,538
<b>Age and Sex</b>	
Persons under 5 years, percent	6.1%
Persons under 18 years, percent	22.6%
Persons 65 years and over, percent	15.6%
Female persons, percent	50.8%
<b>Race and Hispanic Origin</b>	

579,315 - 1,342,795 | 1,342,796 - 3,145,711 | 3,145,712 - 5,607,154 | 5,607,155 - 9,005,644

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## My Tribal Area

Enter name of Tribal Area

OR

1. Select a State

2.

The Census Bureau collects data for the American Indian and Alaska Native (AIAN) population and publishes specific counts, estimates, and statistics. My Tribal Area gives you quick and easy access to selected statistics from the American Community Survey (ACS). The ACS provides detailed demographic, social, economic, and housing statistics every year for the nation's communities. My Tribal Area is powered by the Census Application Programming Interface (API).

Source: 2011-2015 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

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The [American Community Survey \(ACS\)](#) helps local officials, community leaders, and businesses understand the changes taking place in their communities. It is the premier source for detailed population and housing information about our nation.



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Leading up to the annual release of new datasets, the Census Bureau publishes a schedule, notes about new estimates or new guidance, and technical information about geography and product changes. Users can also browse the notes from previous years using the tabs below.

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## 2018

[Details About the 2018 Release](#)

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**2018 Data Release New and Notable**  
Learn more about items of interest related to the 2018 ACS release.

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**2018 Data Release Schedule**  
Review the dates and components of the 2018 ACS release.

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**2018 Table & Geography Changes**  
Learn more about changes to tables and geography for each ACS data release.

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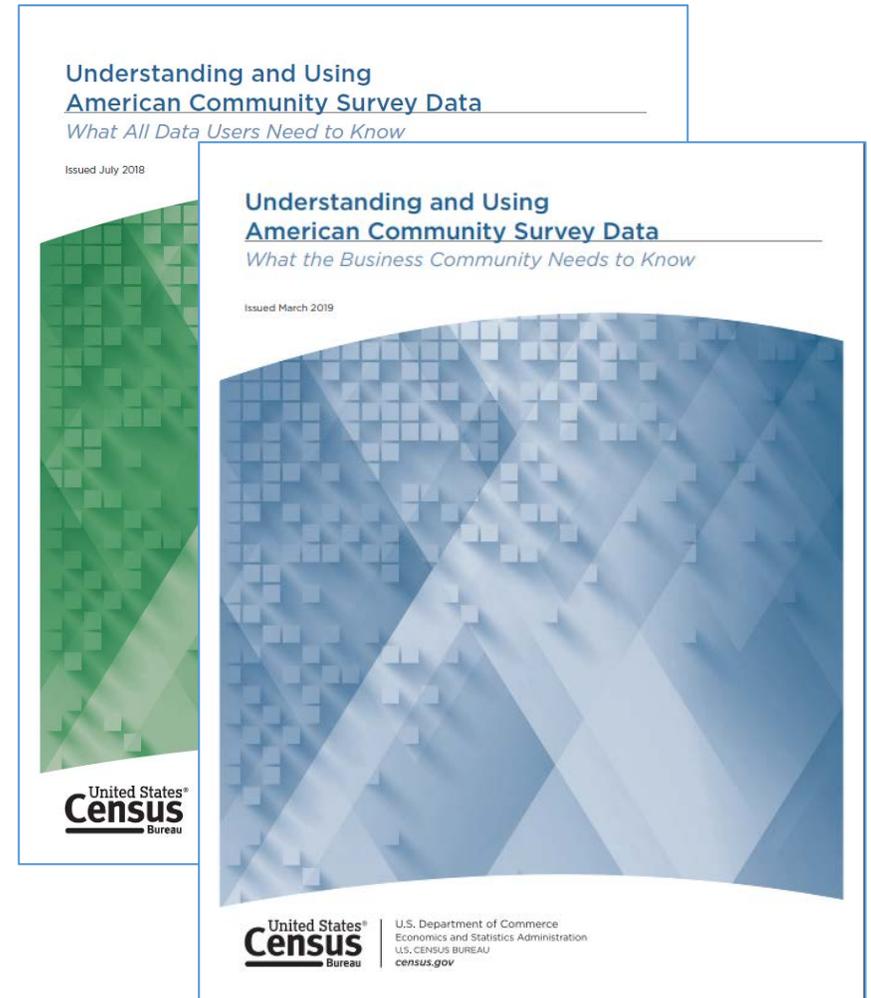
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# Technical Documentation

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## Technical Documentation

  The American Community Survey provides various documentation to assist users with our data releases. Click on the links below to learn more about these resources.

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**Code Lists, Definitions, and Accuracy**  
View the detailed codes and definitions for variables, statistical testing, and an explanation of sample design, methodology, and accuracy for the ACS.

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**User Notes**  
Learn more about issues impacting the American Community Survey, including design, collection, production, and data release.

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## Comparing 2017 American Community Survey Data

Learn more about comparing the 2017 ACS 1-year estimates with:

- 2016 ACS 1-year estimates
- 2010 Census
- 2000 Census

To learn more about comparing the 2013-2017 ACS 5-year estimates with the 2008-2012 ACS 5-year estimates visit the [5-year to 5-year Comparison Guide page](#).

If you would like to compare the 2017 ACS 1-year with estimates with ACS estimates prior to the 2016 ACS, please refer to the year-by-year comparison guidance throughout the entire time span. For example, to compare the 2017 ACS 1-year estimates with the 2015 ACS 1-year estimates, please reference:

- [Guidance for comparing 2017 ACS 1-year with 2016 ACS 1-year estimates](#)
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## Statistical Testing Tool



Comparing American Community Survey (ACS) estimates involves more than determining which statistic is higher or lower. Users should also conduct statistical testing to make sure differences are statistically significant and are unlikely to have occurred by chance. This testing takes into account the margin of error (MOE) associated with survey estimates, which are based on responses from only a sample of the full population.



Looking for an easy way to conduct statistical testing? Try the Census Bureau's new [Statistical Testing Tool](#). Simply copy or download ACS estimates and their MOEs into the spreadsheet to get instant results of statistical tests.



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# Data Tell Stories. Tell Us Yours!

The screenshot shows the 'Share Your ACS Data Story' form. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for GEOGRAPHY (Maps, Products), LIBRARY (Infographics, Publications), DATA (Tools, Developers), and SURVEYS/PROGRAMS (Respond, Survey Data). The main heading is 'American Community Survey'. Below this, the form title is 'Share Your ACS Data Story' with a subtext: 'We want to hear about how you use American Community Survey (ACS) data!'. The form asks: 'Did you or your organization use the ACS to make an important decision, hire someone, open an office, expand a business, etc? If so, we are eager to learn more about how you used ACS data in action. Share your story by completing the fields below to help us showcase the value of the ACS.' It includes a link for 'Need help getting started? Check out featured examples from our current collection of ACS data stories.' and a red asterisk note: '\* Indicates a required field'. The form has three main sections: 'Your Story \*' with a text input field and the instruction 'Tell us how you use ACS data.', and 'Outcome \*' with a text input field and the instruction 'Tell us about any outcomes or decisions that you or your organization have made based on ACS data. For example: selecting a location for a \$250 million department store distribution center that brought 4,000 jobs to Denver, CO.'



Your story



Your data details



Your outcome



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DATA USERS GROUP

- Purpose:
  - Improve understanding of the value and utility of ACS data.
  - Promote information sharing among data users about key ACS data issues and applications
- Membership is free and open to all interested ACS data users
- Webinars and special sessions at professional meetings planned
- Users group website and online community

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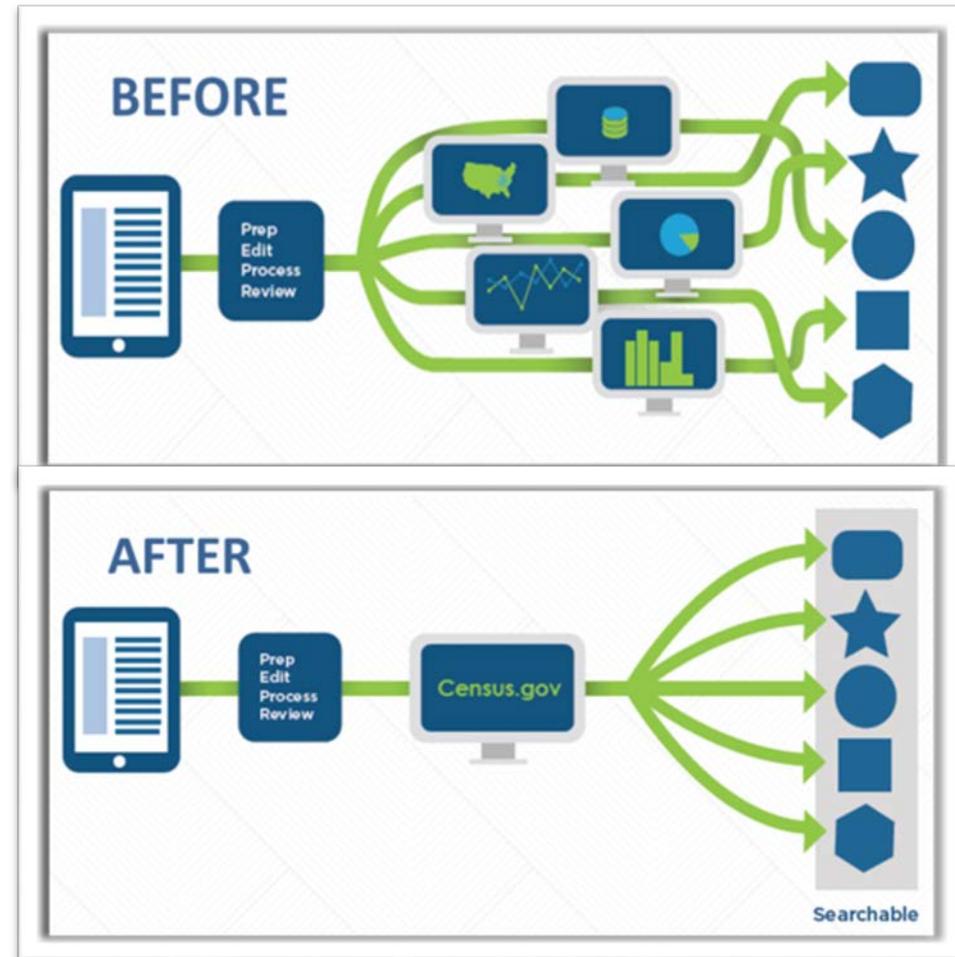
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- Maintain best of current tools
- Reduce redundancies and costs
- Provide greater access to Census API

## Most AFF data migrated to the Census API and data.census.gov:

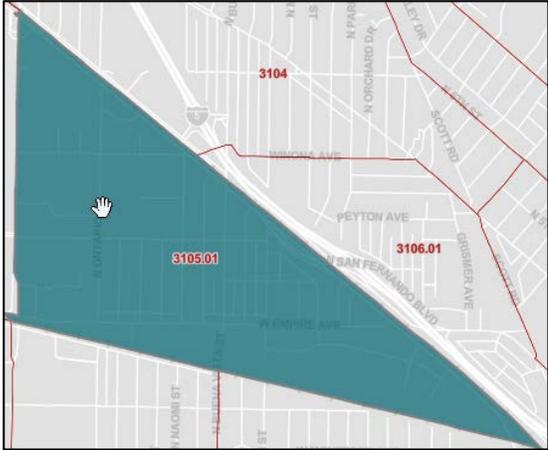
- Spring 2020

## First major releases exclusively on data.census.gov this September:

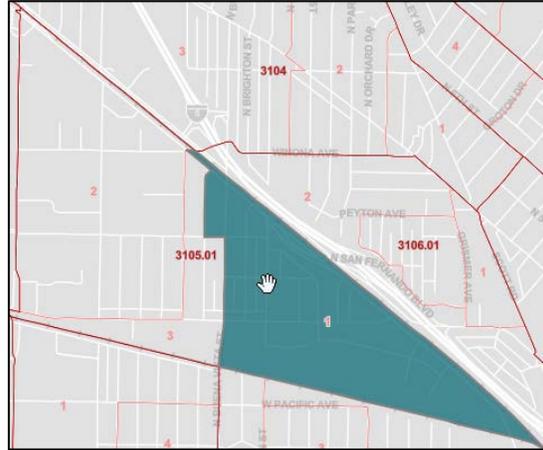
- 2017 Economic Census
- 2018 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates



# What is a Block Group?



**Census Tract 3105.01,  
Los Angeles County, CA**



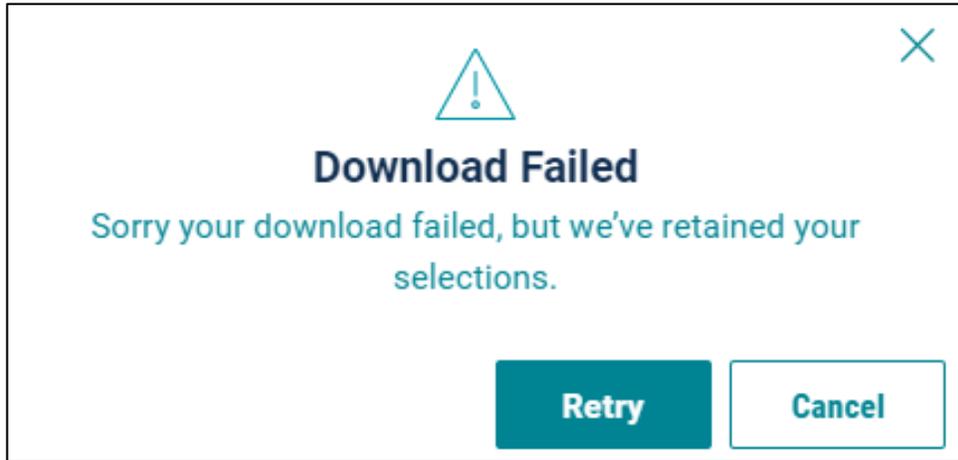
**Block Group 1,  
Census Tract 3105.01,  
Los Angeles County, CA**

Population of:  
Block Group 1 = 927  
+Block Group 2 = 1,861  
+Block Group 3 = 1,217

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Tract 3105.01 = 4,005

[census.gov/programs-surveys/geography/about/glossary.html#par\\_textimage\\_4](https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/geography/about/glossary.html#par_textimage_4)

# Overcoming Download Errors



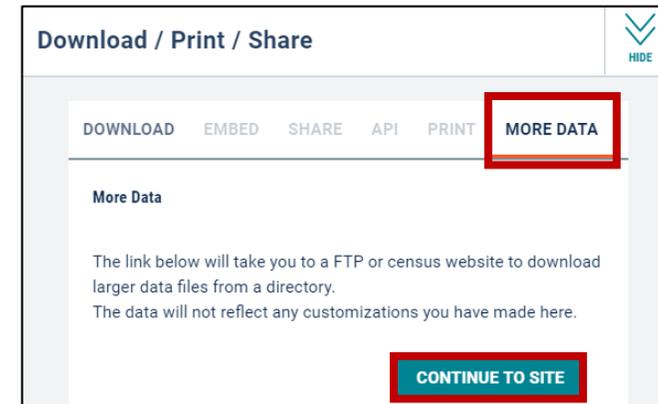
## Break your download into smaller pieces by using:

- Fewer geographies
- Fewer tables/vintages in a single download
- Smaller tables

Example: Download median income from Detailed Table B19013 instead of Subject Table S1903

## Download from FTP Sites:

Links to FTP sites on [data.census.gov](https://data.census.gov)



## Census Bureau's Data API

[census.gov/developers](https://census.gov/developers)

# Collections of Geographies

We recently released more check boxes that allow you to select collections of geographies in a single click:

All congressional districts (116<sup>th</sup> Congress) within:

- Nation
- State

All census tracts within:

- State
- County

All block groups within:

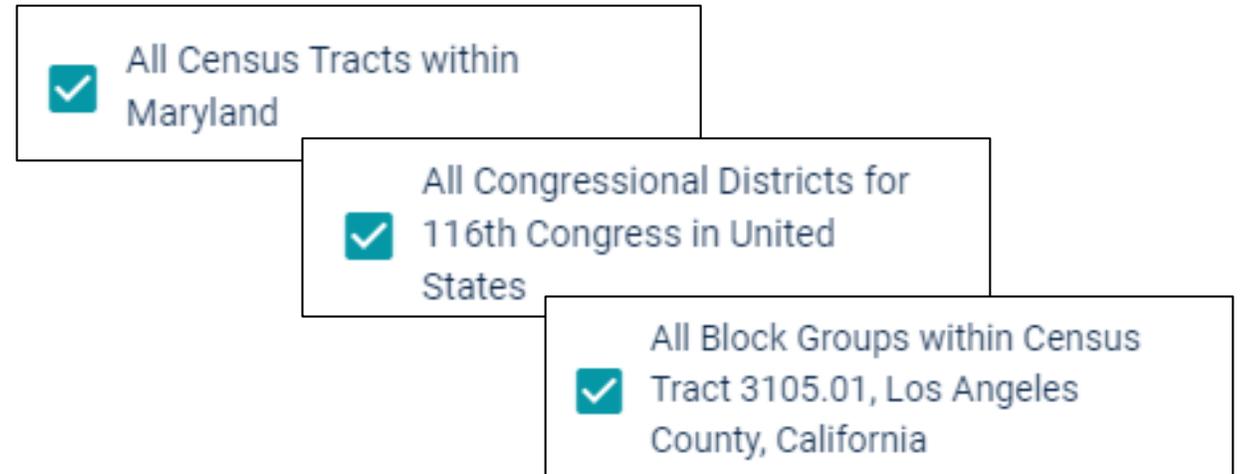
- County
- Census tract

All combined statistical areas (CSAs) in the United States

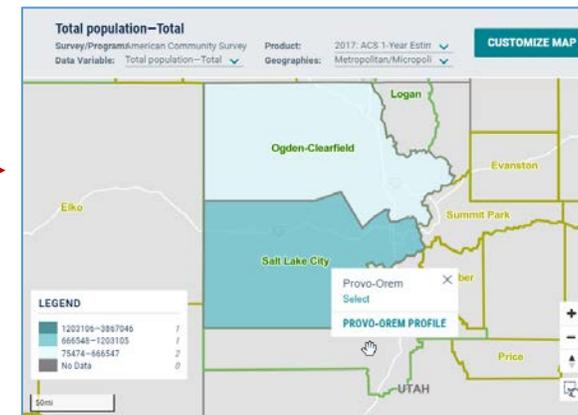
All school districts within state

We are working to add more based on user feedback. In the meantime:

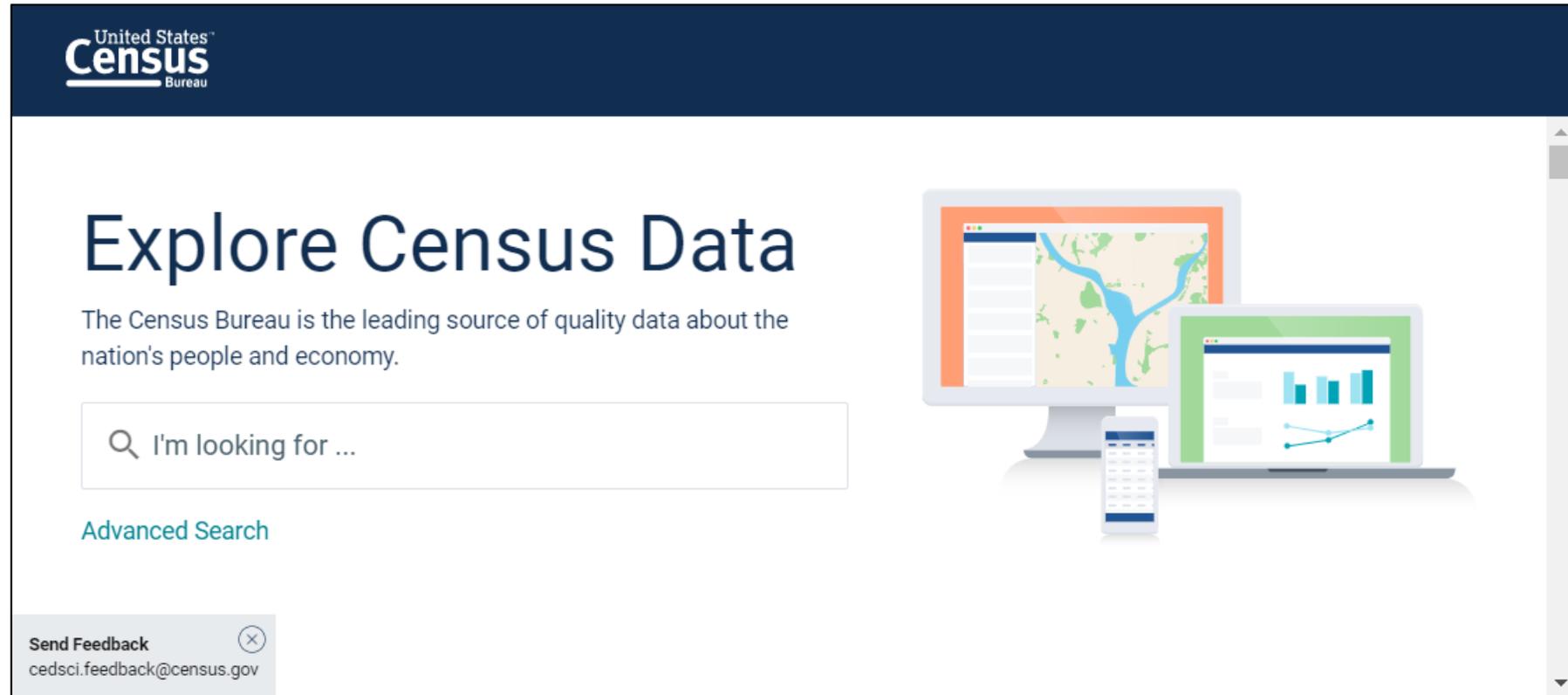
- Use maps on data.census.gov to select small groupings of geographies
- Use FTP site or the API



[census.gov/data/what-is-data-census-gov.html](https://census.gov/data/what-is-data-census-gov.html)



# Our Development Depends on YOUR Feedback



Check out [data.census.gov](https://data.census.gov) and provide comments at [cedsci.feedback@census.gov](mailto:cedsci.feedback@census.gov)

# Stay Connected: Webinars, Tutorials, and Feedback

**data.census.gov Resources page:**

<https://www.census.gov/data/what-is-data-census-gov.html>

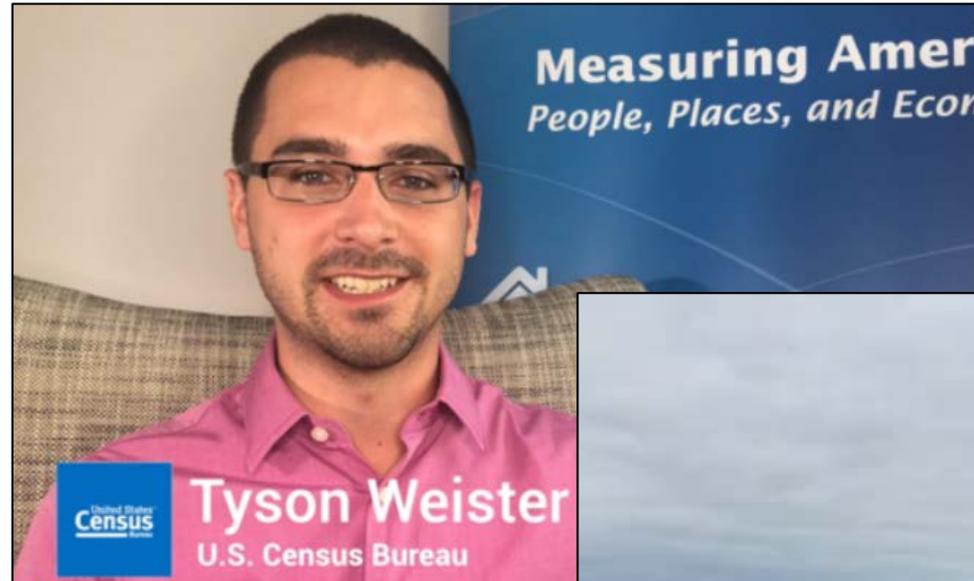
**Census Academy:**

<https://census.gov/data/academy/webinars/upcoming.html>

- **Webinars:** Recorded and upcoming webinars on data.census.gov
- **Data Gems:** A series of short “How-To” videos

**Feedback:** Email comments to

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# Questions?

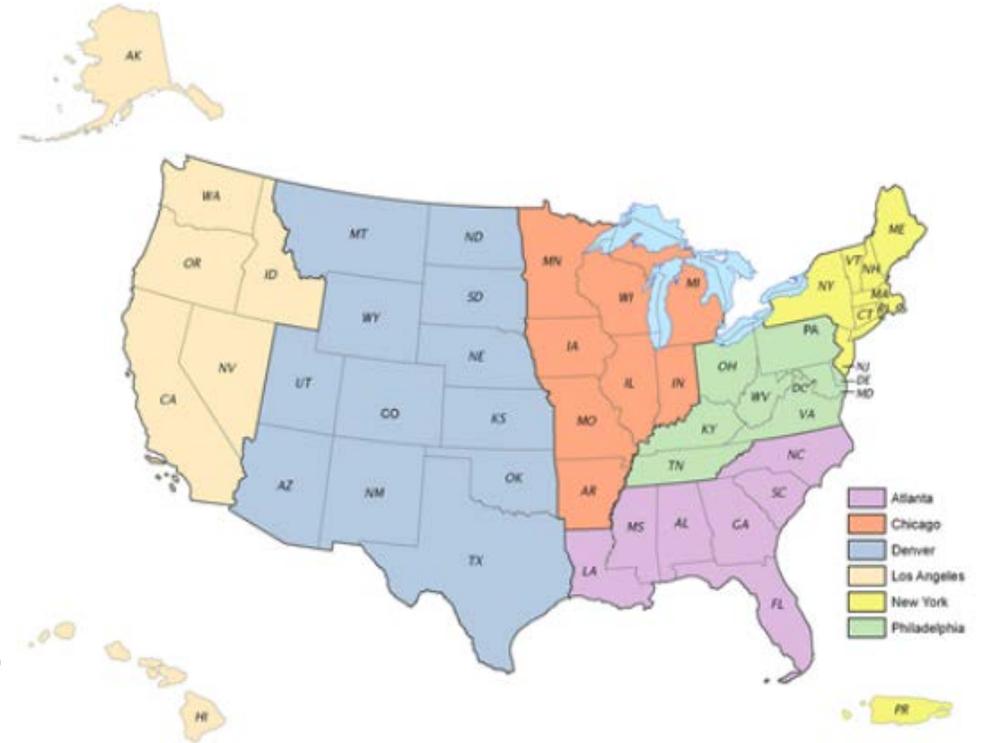
Dial \*1 for the Operator



# Need Local Stats or Training?

## We Can Help!

- Regional Data Staff
  - 1-844-ASK-DATA
  - [census.askdata@census.gov](mailto:census.askdata@census.gov)
- State Data Centers & Census Information Centers
  - [census.gov/sdc](https://www.census.gov/sdc)



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American Community Survey*

