

The U.S. Census Bureau's

4 *Easy Steps*

to

***Census 2000
Data***

on

American FactFinder[®]



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Need help figuring out how to use American FactFinder® (AFF) to get population information for your state or county or neighborhood?

P1. TOTAL POPULATION [1] - Universe: Total population
Data Set: [Census 2000 Summary File 1 \(SF 1\) 100-Percent Data](#)

NOTE: For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see <http://factfinder.census.gov/home/en/datanotes/expsf1u.htm>.

United States	
Total	281,421,906

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P7. RACE [8] - Universe: Total population
Data Set: [Census 2000 Summary File 1 \(SF 1\) 100-Percent Data](#)

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	United States
Total	281,421,906
White alone	211,460,626
Black or African American alone	34,658,190
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	2,475,956
Asian alone	10,242,998
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	398,835
Some other race alone	15,359,073
Two or more races	6,826,228

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P8. HISPANIC OR LATINO BY RACE [17] - Universe: Total population
Data Set: [Census 2000 Summary File 1 \(SF 1\) 100-Percent Data](#)

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	United States
Total	281,421,906
Not Hispanic or Latino:	246,116,088
White alone	194,552,774
Black or African American alone	33,947,837
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	2,068,883
Asian alone	10,123,169
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	353,509
Some other race alone	467,770
Two or more races	4,602,146
Hispanic or Latino:	35,305,818
White alone	16,907,852
Black or African American alone	710,353
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	407,073
Asian alone	119,829
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	45,326
Some other race alone	14,891,303
Two or more races	2,224,082

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This brochure will help you navigate through AFF to access detailed data in four easy steps!

Just type in the URL <www.census.gov> and click on the American FactFinder® icon located in the column on the left side of the U.S. Census Bureau's home page.

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Getting Started

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Your source for population, housing, economic, and geographic data

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Enter a street address to find Census 2000 data

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Fast Access to Information

Get a Fact Sheet for your community...

city/town, county, or zip

state -- select a state --

Get Detailed Data

To learn about Data Sets, click on [About the Data](#).
Expert user? Go directly to [Data Sets](#).

What's New

2003 Population Estimates data for cities and towns are now available from the [data sets](#) page in American FactFinder.

Moving rates lowest in 50+ years. Read more in [Geographical Mobility, 2002 to 2003](#).

Census Bureau reports on [Children and Their Homes](#). [past items >](#)

Data in American FactFinder

The [Decennial Census](#) is taken every 10 years to collect information about the people and housing of the United States.

The [American Community Survey](#) - an ongoing survey that provides data about your community every year.

The [Economic Census](#) profiles the U.S. economy every 5 years.

The [Population Estimates Program](#) publishes population numbers between censuses.

U.S. Population Clock

12:29 pm EDT Aug 31, 2004

294,150,344
real-time [population clocks](#)

In the Spotlight

2002 Economic Census data now available in American FactFinder
2002 Economic Census data are being released on a flow basis, as [Quick Reports](#) and [Detailed Statistics Data Sets](#).

Global Population Profile: 2002 - Tables, maps, and charts on population, fertility, mortality, contraceptive use, and related demographic topics. [more >](#) [past items >](#)

Special Interest

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[Censo 2000 Puerto Rico en español](#).

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Data Sets

From the AFF home page, click on **DATA SETS** in the left column on the page. **DATA SETS** serves as a gateway to a wealth of data by allowing users to access all available tables for the 1990 and 2000 Decennial Censuses, the American Community Survey, Economic Censuses, and Population Estimates.

Data on American FactFinder®

If you want to find out more about the different data sets available, check **Data on American FactFinder®** near the bottom center of the column on the AFF home page. Here you'll find descriptions of each of the programs.

Hint: Click **Help** on the menu bar for more information at any point.

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Select the Data Set and Tables You Want

The screenshot shows the U.S. Census Bureau American FactFinder website. The header includes the logo, navigation links (Main, Search, Feedback, FAQs, Glossary, Site Map, Help), and the slogan "10 Years on the Web". The main content area is titled "Data Sets" and shows the user is currently on the "All Data Sets" page. A "Select a program" section has tabs for "Decennial Census", "American Community Survey", "Economic Census and Surveys", and "Population Estimates". The "Decennial Census" tab is active, displaying a description of the census and a list of "Other Resources" such as "Census 2000 Gateway" and "Download data sets via FTP". Below this, a list of data sets for the year 2000 is shown, with the first option, "Census 2000 Summary File 1 (SF 1) 100-Percent Data", selected. To the right of the data set list, a section titled "Select from the following options:" provides links for "Detailed Tables", "Geographic Comparison Tables", "Quick Tables", "Thematic Maps", "Reference Maps", "Custom Table", "List all tables", "List all maps", "About this data set", and "Technical Documentation (PDF)".

From the **Data Sets** screen you may choose files from the 1990 and 2000 censuses. The tabs across the top allow you also to link to other data sets. As you click on the radio button beside each data set, a list of links to tables and mapping options appears to the right.

SF 1 provides you with access to the results of questions asked of every individual. You can access tables for the largest area—the nation—to the smallest geographic level—the block.

Now you'll choose the options you want. We'll choose the **Detailed Tables** link. Using this link, you can choose up to 7,000 geographies and 50 tables per data set.

Hint: Available table and map formats depend upon the data set chosen. For a quick overview of the options available, click the **Explain Table and Map Formats** link. For a quick overview of each data set, click on the **About this data set** at the bottom of the list of options.

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Select Geography

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Select Geography

You are here: [Main](#) > [All Data Sets](#) > [Data Sets with Detailed Tables](#) > **Geography** > Tables > Results
Census 2000 Summary File 1 (SF 1) 100-Percent Data, Detailed Tables

Choose a selection method

list name search address search map geo within geo

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Select a geographic type
State

Select one or more geographic areas and click 'Add'

- All States
- Alabama
- Alaska
- Arizona
- Arkansas**
- California
- Colorado
- Connecticut

Map It

Add

Current geography selections:

- ==== State =====
- Alabama
- Arkansas

Remove

Next

Now it's time to choose the geographic areas for which data are available:

- **Choose a selection method** from one of the five tabs across the page. For now, just leave the **list** tab selected.
- **Select a geographic type.** Click on the drop-down menu and choose the geographic type that best suits your needs (e.g., Nation, State, Census Tract, ZIP Code). Each selection will prompt you a bit differently; e.g., for a county, you must first select the state, then the county.
- **Select one or more geographic areas and click Add.** Your selection(s) will appear in the **Current geography selections** box. Review your selections. You may choose to highlight and click **Remove** to delete a geography.
- Click the **Next** button to continue.

Hint: If you don't understand the terms used, click on **Glossary** in the menu bar for definitions.

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Select Tables

The next step is to select the tables that best suit your needs.

- **Choose a table selection method.** Choose between **by subject**, **by keyword**, or **show all tables** as shown in the tabs across the page.
- **Select one or more tables and click Add.** Click on the table that best suits your needs. Then click the **Add** button. Your selection will show up in the **Current table selections** box.
- Once you have selected all of your tables, click on the **Show Result** button.

Note to SF 2 and SF 4 Users: If you are using Summary File 2 or 4, one last screen will appear for you to select your population groups. In Summary File 2 there is one listing, for race and ethnicity; Summary File 4 has an additional tab for ancestry.

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Select Tables

You are here: [Main](#) > [All Data Sets](#) > [Data Sets with Detailed Tables](#) > [Geography](#) > [Tables](#) > Results
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Choose a table selection method

by subject by keyword show all tables

Select one or more tables and click 'Add'

P1. Total Population
P2. Urban and Rural (Total Population)
P3. Race
P4. Hispanic or Latino, and Not Hispanic or Latino by Race (Total Population)
P5. Race for the Population 18 Years and Over
P6. Hispanic or Latino, and Not Hispanic or Latino by Race for the Population 18 Years and Over
P7. Race (Total Population)
P8. Hispanic or Latino by Race (Total Population)
P9. Race (Total Races Tallied)
P10. Hispanic or Latino by Race (Total Races Tallied)

Abbreviations:
Black - Black or African America
AIAN - American Indian and Alai
NHPI - Native Hawaiian and Othe

What's this?

Add

Current table selections:

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CONGRATULATIONS! You've created your table with American FactFinder®!

Hint: Now that you have your results, you can use the menu bar that offers additional options including the ability to **Print/Download**.