

Table 52. Population by Selected Ancestry Group and Region: 2007

[In thousands (301,261 represents 301,261,000). Covers single and multiple ancestries. Ancestry refers to a person's ethnic origin or descent, roots, or heritage; or the place of birth of the person, the person's parents, or ancestors before their arrival in the United States. The American Community Survey universe includes the household population and the population living in institutions, college dormitories, and other group quarters. Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability; see text, this section and Appendix III. For composition of regions, see map, inside front cover]

Ancestry group	Total (1,000)	Percent distribution by region				Ancestry group	Total (1,000)	Percent distribution by region			
		North-east	Mid-west	South	West			North-east	Mid-west	South	West
Total population¹	301,621	18	22	36	23	Iranian	414	13	8	24	54
Afghan	84	17	4	24	56	Irish	36,496	26	24	32	18
Albanian	175	58	24	13	5	Israeli	151	42	8	23	27
American	19,381	11	21	55	13	Italian	17,844	45	17	21	16
Arab ¹	1,546	26	24	27	23	Latvian	86	29	27	18	25
Egyptian	195	39	12	23	26	Lithuanian	746	39	29	18	14
Iraqi	62	7	48	17	28	Northern European	229	14	17	22	47
Jordanian	64	21	20	32	27	Norwegian	4,656	6	49	12	33
Lebanese	489	25	26	29	20	Pennsylvania German	9,370	55	25	12	7
Moroccan	76	36	14	33	18	Polish	9,976	33	37	18	12
Palestinian	92	18	23	33	27	Portuguese	1,472	45	3	12	39
Syrian	151	37	17	25	21	Romanian	475	25	27	21	26
Arab	266	19	33	26	22	Russian	3,153	37	17	21	25
Armenian	446	22	10	9	59	Scandinavian	623	7	31	18	44
Assyrian/ Chaldean/Syriac	84	3	59	6	32	Scotch-Irish	5,314	15	18	45	22
Australian	98	20	19	25	37	Scottish	6,019	17	20	37	26
Austrian	778	33	22	23	23	Serbian	173	20	45	18	18
Basque	65	4	3	13	80	Slavic	145	29	27	23	21
Belgian	380	11	54	16	19	Slovak	814	44	34	14	8
Brazilian	346	49	5	32	14	Slovene	169	14	58	13	14
British	1,308	16	17	39	28	Sub-Saharan African	2,702	22	17	45	16
Bulgarian	96	18	31	26	25	Cape Verdean	84	87	2	7	4
Cajun	112	3	5	85	7	Ethiopian	160	8	18	41	32
Canadian	712	28	17	27	28	Ghanian	85	46	11	33	10
Croatian	421	25	40	14	21	Nigerian	224	23	16	47	13
Czech	1,625	12	46	26	16	Somalian	90	9	45	15	30
Czechoslovakian	322	22	33	26	20	African	1,729	18	17	50	14
Danish	1,449	8	33	14	46	Swedish	4,340	13	39	16	32
Dutch	5,071	16	35	27	22	Swiss	1,019	16	35	19	31
Eastern European	391	45	12	21	21	Turkish	171	40	10	32	19
English	28,177	17	21	37	25	Ukrainian	971	41	20	18	22
European	2,998	13	20	32	34	Welsh ²	1,921	20	23	30	27
Finnish	678	12	47	13	28	West Indian ²	2,479	48	3	44	5
French (except Basque)	9,616	25	24	32	20	British West Indian	99	66	2	28	4
French						Haitian	814	41	2	54	2
Canadian	2,184	41	21	23	15	Jamaican	905	50	4	43	4
German	50,754	16	39	26	19	Trinidadian and Tobagonian	186	64	2	31	4
Greek	1,380	34	23	23	20	West Indian	278	63	4	27	5
Guyanese	194	75	2	21	2	Yugoslavian	359	21	30	21	28
Hungarian	1,565	32	31	20	17						

¹ Includes other groups not shown separately. ² Excludes Hispanic-origin groups.