

**Table HC15.12 Home Electronics Usage Indicators by Four Most Populated States, 2005**  
**Million U.S. Housing Units**

Home Electronics Usage Indicators	U.S. Housing Units (millions)	Four Most Populated States			
		New York	Florida	Texas	California
<b>Total</b> .....	111.1	7.1	7.0	8.0	12.1
<b>Personal Computers</b>					
<b>Do Not Use a Personal Computer</b> .....	35.5	3.0	2.0	2.7	3.1
<b>Use a Personal Computer</b> .....	75.6	4.2	5.0	5.3	9.0
<b>Most-Used Personal Computer</b>					
<b>Type of PC</b>					
Desk-top Model.....	58.6	3.2	3.9	4.0	6.7
Laptop Model.....	16.9	1.0	1.1	1.3	2.4
<b>Hours Turned on Per Week</b>					
Less than 2 Hours.....	13.6	0.7	0.9	0.9	1.4
2 to 15 Hours.....	29.1	1.7	2.1	1.9	3.4
16 to 40 Hours.....	13.5	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.8
41 to 167 Hours.....	6.3	0.5	Q	0.4	1.1
On All the Time.....	13.0	0.3	0.8	1.3	1.3
<b>Status of PC When Not Being Used</b>					
Left On.....	12.5	0.5	0.8	0.9	1.6
Completely Turned Off.....	43.6	2.5	3.4	3.0	5.3
Manually Put into Sleep Mode.....	19.4	1.1	0.9	1.5	2.1
<b>CPU Goes to Sleep When PC is Left On</b>					
Yes.....	9.1	0.3	0.5	0.6	1.3
No.....	3.4	Q	Q	Q	0.3
<b>Type of Monitor Used</b>					
Desk-top					
CRT (Standard Monitor).....	45.0	2.3	2.5	3.1	4.8
Flat-Panel LCD.....	13.6	0.9	1.4	1.0	1.9
Laptop (Flat-panel LCD).....	16.9	1.0	1.1	1.3	2.4
<b>Status of Monitor When Not in Use</b>					
Screen-Saver.....	6.1	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.9
Automatic Sleep Mode.....	4.4	Q	Q	Q	0.5
Monitor is Turned Off.....	2.0	Q	Q	Q	0.3
<b>Second Most-Used Personal Computer</b>					
<b>Use a Second Personal Computer</b> .....	25.3	1.0	1.6	1.9	3.7
<b>Type of PC</b>					
Desk-top Model.....	15.8	0.7	0.9	1.1	2.3
Lap-top Model.....	9.4	0.3	0.6	0.8	1.3
<b>Hours Turned on Per Week</b>					
Less than 2 Hours.....	8.2	Q	0.6	0.8	1.0
2 to 15 Hours.....	9.9	0.3	0.4	0.5	1.6
16 to 40 Hours.....	3.2	0.3	Q	0.3	0.4
41 to 167 Hours.....	1.2	Q	N	Q	Q
On All the Time.....	2.8	N	Q	Q	0.4

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Left On.....	3.2	Q	Q	Q	0.5
Completely Turned Off.....	17.8	0.9	1.1	1.2	2.6
Manually Put into Sleep Mode.....	4.2	Q	Q	0.5	0.5
<b>CPU Goes to Sleep When PC is Left On</b>					
Yes.....	2.2	Q	Q	Q	0.4
No.....	1.0	N	Q	Q	Q
<b>Type of Monitor Used</b>					
Desk-top					
CRT (Standard Monitor).....	11.6	0.4	0.8	0.8	1.5
Flat-Panel LCD.....	4.2	0.3	Q	Q	0.8
Laptop (Flat-panel LCD).....	9.4	0.3	0.6	0.8	1.3
<b>Monitor Goes to Sleep When Not in Use</b>					
Screen-Saver.....	1.7	Q	Q	Q	0.3
Automatic Sleep Mode.....	1.0	N	Q	Q	Q
Monitor is Turned Off.....	0.5	N	Q	Q	Q
<b>Use of Internet</b>					
<b>Have Access to Internet</b>					
Yes.....	66.9	3.7	4.5	4.8	8.2
Dial-up (phone).....	26.8	1.2	1.7	1.6	2.5
DSL.....	19.1	0.9	1.4	1.8	3.1
Cable Modem.....	20.8	1.7	1.4	1.4	2.6
No.....	8.7	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.9
<b>Status of DSL Connection When Not in Use</b>					
Turned Off.....	5.0	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.7
Left On.....	14.2	0.4	0.9	1.3	2.4
<b>Status of Cable Modem When Not in Use</b>					
Turned Off.....	4.1	0.3	0.4	Q	0.4
Left On.....	16.7	1.4	1.0	1.1	2.2
<b>Have a Wireless Router</b>					
Yes.....	2.4	Q	Q	Q	Q
No.....	12.7	0.5	0.8	1.1	2.1
No DSL or Modem Connection.....	27.0	1.1	1.7	1.7	2.5
<b>Primary Use of PC(s)</b>					
Personal Use.....	39.8	2.7	2.7	3.4	4.7
Recreation.....	14.4	0.6	0.6	0.8	1.0
Education/School.....	10.3	0.5	0.9	0.5	1.8
Home Business.....	7.6	0.3	0.6	0.5	1.0
Telecommuting.....	3.5	Q	Q	Q	0.5
<b>Telecommuting by Personal Computer</b>					
1 or 2 Days per Week.....	0.8	N	Q	Q	Q
3 to 5 Days per Week.....	1.3	Q	Q	Q	Q
More than 5 Days per Week.....	1.4	Q	Q	Q	Q

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<b>PC Printer</b> .....	65.4	3.3	4.3	4.5	7.9
With Built-in Fax/Copier.....	27.7	1.3	2.0	2.3	3.4
Without Built-in Fax/Copier.....	37.8	2.0	2.3	2.3	4.4
<b>Use a Color Television Set</b> .....	109.7	6.9	7.0	7.8	12.0
<b>Weekday Hours Turned on per Day</b>					
Less than 1 Hour.....	6.2	0.5	Q	0.3	0.7
1 to 3 Hours.....	49.1	3.3	2.9	3.1	6.0
Most of the Day.....	46.0	2.9	3.5	3.4	4.4
On All the Time.....	8.4	0.3	0.4	0.9	0.8
No Television.....	1.4	Q	Q	Q	Q
<b>Weekend Hours Turned on per Day</b>					
Less than 1 Hour.....	7.3	0.5	Q	0.4	1.0
1 to 3 Hours.....	35.9	2.9	2.2	2.4	4.4
Most of the Day.....	56.4	3.2	3.9	4.1	5.6
On All the Time.....	10.1	0.3	0.6	0.9	1.0
No Television.....	1.4	Q	Q	Q	Q
<b>TV-Based Game System Usage per Week</b>					
Use a TV-Based Game System.....	34.7	1.6	2.2	3.0	3.8
Less than 5 Hours.....	19.9	0.8	1.5	1.9	2.0
5 to 10 Hours.....	8.9	0.4	0.5	0.8	0.9
11 to 15 hours.....	2.4	Q	Q	Q	0.4
16 to 20 Hours.....	1.5	Q	Q	Q	Q
More than 20 Hours.....	2.1	Q	Q	Q	0.2
Do Not Use a TV-Based Game System.....	75.0	5.3	4.8	4.8	8.2

Q = Data withheld either because the Relative Standard Error (RSE) was greater than 50 percent or fewer than 10 households were sampled.

N = No cases in reporting sample.

Notes: • Because of rounding, data may not sum to totals. • See Glossary for definition of terms used in these tables.

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