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PHYSICAL HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS FOR OCCUPIED HOUSING UNITS

2013-2017 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Supporting documentation on code lists, subject definitions, data accuracy, and statistical testing can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Technical Documentation section.

Sample size and data quality measures (including coverage rates, allocation rates, and response rates) can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Methodology section.

Although the American Community Survey (ACS) produces population, demographic and housing unit estimates, it is the Census Bureau's Population Estimates Program that produces and disseminates the official estimates of the population for the nation, states, counties, cities, and towns and estimates of housing units for states and counties.

Subject	Myerstown borough, Pennsylvania				
	Occupied housing units		Percent occupied housing units		Owner-occupied housing units
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate
Occupied housing units	1,217	+/-98	1,217	+/-98	662
UNITS IN STRUCTURE					
1, detached	640	+/-116	52.6%	+/-8.9	548
1, attached	274	+/-86	22.5%	+/-6.8	114
2 apartments	144	+/-84	11.8%	+/-6.7	0
3 or 4 apartments	70	+/-53	5.8%	+/-4.3	0
5 to 9 apartments	32	+/-30	2.6%	+/-2.4	0
10 or more apartments	48	+/-29	3.9%	+/-2.4	0
Mobile home or other type of housing	9	+/-13	0.7%	+/-1.1	0
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT					
2014 or later	0	+/-10	0.0%	+/-2.0	0
2010 to 2013	0	+/-10	0.0%	+/-2.0	0
2000 to 2009	6	+/-9	0.5%	+/-0.8	0
1980 to 1999	161	+/-64	13.2%	+/-5.0	20
1960 to 1979	92	+/-48	7.6%	+/-3.9	67
1940 to 1959	256	+/-89	21.0%	+/-7.1	151
1939 or earlier	702	+/-115	57.7%	+/-8.4	424
ROOMS					
1 room	41	+/-42	3.4%	+/-3.4	0
2 or 3 rooms	100	+/-33	8.2%	+/-2.7	8
4 or 5 rooms	359	+/-111	29.5%	+/-8.9	89
6 or 7 rooms	453	+/-109	37.2%	+/-8.7	323
8 or more rooms	264	+/-83	21.7%	+/-6.2	242
BEDROOMS					
No bedroom	41	+/-42	3.4%	+/-3.4	0
1 bedroom	143	+/-48	11.8%	+/-3.9	8
2 or 3 bedrooms	862	+/-137	70.8%	+/-8.1	483
4 or more bedrooms	171	+/-69	14.1%	+/-6.0	171

Subject	Myerstown borough, Pennsylvania				
	Occupied housing units		Percent occupied housing units		Owner-occupied housing units
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate
COMPLETE FACILITIES					
With complete plumbing facilities	1,193	+/-99	98.0%	+/-3.1	662
With complete kitchen facilities	1,187	+/-98	97.5%	+/-2.8	662
VEHICLES AVAILABLE					
No vehicle available	76	+/-42	6.2%	+/-3.4	0
1 vehicle available	436	+/-106	35.8%	+/-7.2	163
2 vehicles available	394	+/-106	32.4%	+/-8.8	202
3 or more vehicles available	311	+/-89	25.6%	+/-7.3	297
TELEPHONE SERVICE AVAILABLE					
With telephone service	1,211	+/-99	99.5%	+/-0.8	662
HOUSE HEATING FUEL					
Utility gas	450	+/-105	37.0%	+/-8.3	231
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	6	+/-10	0.5%	+/-0.8	0
Electricity	166	+/-62	13.6%	+/-5.0	8
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	570	+/-120	46.8%	+/-8.9	416
Coal or coke	10	+/-23	0.8%	+/-1.8	0
All other fuels	7	+/-10	0.6%	+/-0.8	7
No fuel used	8	+/-13	0.7%	+/-1.0	0

Subject	Myerstown borough, Pennsylvania				
	Owner-occupied housing units	Percent owner-occupied housing units		Renter-occupied housing units	
	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error
Occupied housing units	+/-122	662	+/-122	555	+/-137
UNITS IN STRUCTURE					
1, detached	+/-110	82.8%	+/-7.8	92	+/-59
1, attached	+/-58	17.2%	+/-7.8	160	+/-73
2 apartments	+/-10	0.0%	+/-3.7	144	+/-84
3 or 4 apartments	+/-10	0.0%	+/-3.7	70	+/-53
5 to 9 apartments	+/-10	0.0%	+/-3.7	32	+/-30
10 or more apartments	+/-10	0.0%	+/-3.7	48	+/-29
Mobile home or other type of housing	+/-10	0.0%	+/-3.7	9	+/-13
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT					
2014 or later	+/-10	0.0%	+/-3.7	0	+/-10
2010 to 2013	+/-10	0.0%	+/-3.7	0	+/-10
2000 to 2009	+/-10	0.0%	+/-3.7	6	+/-9
1980 to 1999	+/-20	3.0%	+/-2.9	141	+/-63
1960 to 1979	+/-45	10.1%	+/-6.7	25	+/-16
1940 to 1959	+/-68	22.8%	+/-9.8	105	+/-63
1939 or earlier	+/-114	64.0%	+/-11.1	278	+/-100
ROOMS					
1 room	+/-10	0.0%	+/-3.7	41	+/-42
2 or 3 rooms	+/-12	1.2%	+/-1.9	92	+/-35
4 or 5 rooms	+/-57	13.4%	+/-8.3	270	+/-108
6 or 7 rooms	+/-102	48.8%	+/-11.2	130	+/-69
8 or more rooms	+/-79	36.6%	+/-11.1	22	+/-25
BEDROOMS					
No bedroom	+/-10	0.0%	+/-3.7	41	+/-42
1 bedroom	+/-12	1.2%	+/-1.9	135	+/-50
2 or 3 bedrooms	+/-120	73.0%	+/-10.3	379	+/-134
4 or more bedrooms	+/-69	25.8%	+/-10.1	0	+/-10
COMPLETE FACILITIES					
With complete plumbing facilities	+/-122	100.0%	+/-3.7	531	+/-135
With complete kitchen facilities	+/-122	100.0%	+/-3.7	525	+/-134
VEHICLES AVAILABLE					
No vehicle available	+/-10	0.0%	+/-3.7	76	+/-42
1 vehicle available	+/-62	24.6%	+/-7.6	273	+/-94
2 vehicles available	+/-84	30.5%	+/-11.7	192	+/-92
3 or more vehicles available	+/-92	44.9%	+/-11.4	14	+/-22
TELEPHONE SERVICE AVAILABLE					
With telephone service	+/-122	100.0%	+/-3.7	549	+/-139
HOUSE HEATING FUEL					
Utility gas	+/-80	34.9%	+/-10.8	219	+/-87
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	+/-10	0.0%	+/-3.7	6	+/-10
Electricity	+/-12	1.2%	+/-1.9	158	+/-64
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	+/-107	62.8%	+/-10.8	154	+/-84
Coal or coke	+/-10	0.0%	+/-3.7	10	+/-23
All other fuels	+/-10	1.1%	+/-1.5	0	+/-10
No fuel used	+/-10	0.0%	+/-3.7	8	+/-13

Subject	Myerstown borough, Pennsylvania	
	Percent renter-occupied housing units	
	Estimate	Margin of Error
Occupied housing units	555	+/-137
UNITS IN STRUCTURE		
1, detached	16.6%	+/-9.8
1, attached	28.8%	+/-11.5
2 apartments	25.9%	+/-12.1
3 or 4 apartments	12.6%	+/-9.1
5 to 9 apartments	5.8%	+/-5.5
10 or more apartments	8.6%	+/-5.5
Mobile home or other type of housing	1.6%	+/-2.4
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT		
2014 or later	0.0%	+/-4.4
2010 to 2013	0.0%	+/-4.4
2000 to 2009	1.1%	+/-1.7
1980 to 1999	25.4%	+/-9.8
1960 to 1979	4.5%	+/-3.0
1940 to 1959	18.9%	+/-10.3
1939 or earlier	50.1%	+/-12.3
ROOMS		
1 room	7.4%	+/-7.6
2 or 3 rooms	16.6%	+/-7.1
4 or 5 rooms	48.6%	+/-13.4
6 or 7 rooms	23.4%	+/-10.8
8 or more rooms	4.0%	+/-4.3
BEDROOMS		
No bedroom	7.4%	+/-7.6
1 bedroom	24.3%	+/-9.9
2 or 3 bedrooms	68.3%	+/-11.9
4 or more bedrooms	0.0%	+/-4.4
COMPLETE FACILITIES		
With complete plumbing facilities	95.7%	+/-6.7
With complete kitchen facilities	94.6%	+/-6.1
VEHICLES AVAILABLE		
No vehicle available	13.7%	+/-7.4
1 vehicle available	49.2%	+/-12.7
2 vehicles available	34.6%	+/-12.9
3 or more vehicles available	2.5%	+/-3.9
TELEPHONE SERVICE AVAILABLE		
With telephone service	98.9%	+/-1.9
HOUSE HEATING FUEL		
Utility gas	39.5%	+/-12.5
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	1.1%	+/-1.9
Electricity	28.5%	+/-10.6
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	27.7%	+/-12.7
Coal or coke	1.8%	+/-3.9
All other fuels	0.0%	+/-4.4
No fuel used	1.4%	+/-2.4

Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of

error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see Accuracy of the Data). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

Telephone service data are not available for certain geographic areas due to problems with data collection of this question that occurred in 2015 and 2016. Both ACS 1-year and ACS 5-year files were affected. It may take several years in the ACS 5-year files until the estimates are available for the geographic areas affected.

While the 2013-2017 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the February 2013 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

Estimates of urban and rural populations, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2010 data. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2013-2017 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Explanation of Symbols:

1. An '***' entry in the margin of error column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the margin of error. A statistical test is not appropriate.
2. An '-' entry in the estimate column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute an estimate, or a ratio of medians cannot be calculated because one or both of the median estimates falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
3. An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
4. An '+' following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
5. An '****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the median falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution. A statistical test is not appropriate.
6. An '*****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.
7. An 'N' entry in the estimate and margin of error columns indicates that data for this geographic area cannot be displayed because the number of sample cases is too small.
8. An '(X)' means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.