

Table DP-1 - Profile of General Population and Housing Characteristics: 2010

Geographic area:

West Pittston borough, Luzerne County

Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	4,868	100.0%	HISPANIC OR LATINO		
SEX AND AGE			Total population	4,868	100.0%
Male	2,281	46.9%	Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	74	1.5%
Female	2,587	53.1%	Mexican	12	0.2%
			Puerto Rican	38	0.8%
Under 5 years	216	4.4%	Cuban	-	-
5 to 9 years	261	5.4%	Other Hispanic or Latino [5]	24	0.5%
10 to 14 years	301	6.2%	Not Hispanic or Latino	4,794	98.5%
15 to 19 years	281	5.8%			
20 to 24 years	258	5.3%	RELATIONSHIP		
25 to 29 years	257	5.3%	Total population	4,868	100.0%
30 to 34 years	289	5.9%	In households	4,866	100.0%
35 to 39 years	307	6.3%	Householder	2,196	45.1%
40 to 44 years	365	7.5%	Spouse [6]	904	18.6%
45 to 49 years	336	6.9%	Child	1,296	26.6%
50 to 54 years	340	7.0%	Own child under 18 years	858	17.6%
55 to 59 years	337	6.9%	Other relatives	216	4.4%
60 to 64 years	293	6.0%	Under 18 years	80	1.6%
65 to 69 years	247	5.1%	65 years and over	53	1.1%
70 to 74 years	211	4.3%	Nonrelatives	254	5.2%
75 to 79 years	191	3.9%	Unmarried partner	156	3.2%
80 to 84 years	190	3.9%	In group quarters	2	-
85 years and over	188	3.9%	Institutionalized population	-	-
			Noninstitutionalized population	2	-
Median age (years)	43.8	(X)	HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE		
16 years and over	4,041	83.0%	Total households	2,196	100.0%
18 years and over	3,912	80.4%	Family households (families) [7]	1,277	58.2%
21 years and over	3,762	77.3%	With own children under 18 years	502	22.9%
62 years and over	1,208	24.8%	Husband-wife family	904	41.2%
65 years and over	1,027	21.1%	With own children under 18 years	334	15.2%
RACE			Female householder, no husband present	267	12.2%
One Race	4,819	99.0%	With own children under 18 years	125	5.7%
White	4,737	97.3%	Nonfamily households [7]	919	41.8%
Black or African American	37	0.8%	Householder living alone	787	35.8%
American Indian and Alaska Native	2	-	Householder 65 years and over	403	18.4%
Asian	20	0.4%	Households with individuals under 18 years	556	25.3%
Asian Indian	3	0.1%	Households with individuals 65 years and over	798	36.3%
Chinese	2	-	Average household size	2.22	(X)
Filipino	6	0.1%	Average family size [7]	2.89	(X)
Japanese	-	-	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Korean	4	0.1%	Total housing units	2,377	100.0%
Vietnamese	4	0.1%	Occupied housing units	2,196	92.4%
Other Asian [1]	1	-	Vacant housing units	181	7.6%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	2	-	For rent	56	2.4%
Native Hawaiian	-	-	Rented, not occupied	2	0.1%
Guamanian or Chamorro	1	-	For sale only	32	1.3%
Samoan	-	-	Sold, not occupied	8	0.3%
Other Pacific Islander [2]	1	-	For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	14	0.6%
Some Other Race	21	0.4%	All other vacants	69	2.9%
Two or More Races	49	1.0%	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent) [8]	2.3	(X)
White; American Indian and Alaska Native [3]	10	0.2%	Rental vacancy rate (percent) [9]	6.3	(X)
White; Asian [3]	13	0.3%	HOUSING TENURE		
White; Black or African American [3]	18	0.4%	Occupied housing units	2,196	100.0%
White; Some Other Race [3]	1	-	Owner-occupied housing units	1,363	62.1%
Race alone or in combination: [4]			Population in owner-occupied housing units	3,264	(X)
White	4,780	98.2%	Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.39	(X)
Black or African American	58	1.2%	Renter-occupied housing units	833	37.9%
American Indian and Alaska Native	15	0.3%	Population in renter-occupied housing units	1,602	(X)
Asian	36	0.7%	Average household size of renter-occupied units	1.92	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	3	0.1%			
Some Other Race	26	0.5%			

X Not applicable.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2010 Census.

[1] Other Asian alone, or two or more Asian categories.

[2] Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

[3] One of the four most commonly reported multiple-race combinations nationwide in Census 2000.

[4] In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population, and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

[5] This category is composed of people whose origins are from the Dominican Republic, Spain, and Spanish-speaking Central or South American countries. It also includes general origin responses such as "Latino" or "Hispanic."

[6] "Spouse" represents spouse of the householder. It does not reflect all spouses in a household. Responses of "same-sex spouse" were edited during processing to "unmarried partner."

[7] "Family households" consist of a householder and one or more other people related to the householder by birth, marriage, or adoption. They do not include same-sex married couples even if the marriage was performed in a state issuing marriage certificates for same-sex couples. Same-sex couple households are included in the family households category if there is at least one additional person related to the householder by birth or adoption. Same-sex couple households with no relatives of the householder present are tabulated in nonfamily households. "Nonfamily households" consist of people living alone and households which do not have any members related to the householder.

[8] The homeowner vacancy rate is the proportion of the homeowner inventory that is vacant "for sale." It is computed by dividing the total number of vacant units "for sale only" by the sum of owner-occupied units, vacant units that are "for sale only," and vacant units that have been sold but not yet occupied; and then multiplying by 100.

[9] The rental vacancy rate is the proportion of the rental inventory that is vacant "for rent." It is computed by dividing the total number of vacant units "for rent" by the sum of the renter-occupied units, vacant units that are "for rent," and vacant units that have been rented but not yet occupied; and then multiplying by 100.