

# U.S. Census Bureau's AIAN Data: Where It Comes From and How to Find It

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# Where Most Native Americans Live

California, Arizona and Oklahoma are home to 31% of Americans who identify as 'American Indian or Alaska Native' according to the U.S. Census.

By **Andrew Soergel**, Senior Writer, Economics Nov. 29, 2019



The American Southwest is home to several states with high concentrations of American Indian residents.  ROSS D. FRANKLIN/AP

**WP** Washington Post

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## Report paints grim picture about Alaska Native language fluency, but hope remains



By [Lex Treinen](#) | Posted: Fri 8:02 PM, Jan 03, 2020 | Updated: Mon 11:17 AM, Jan 06, 2020



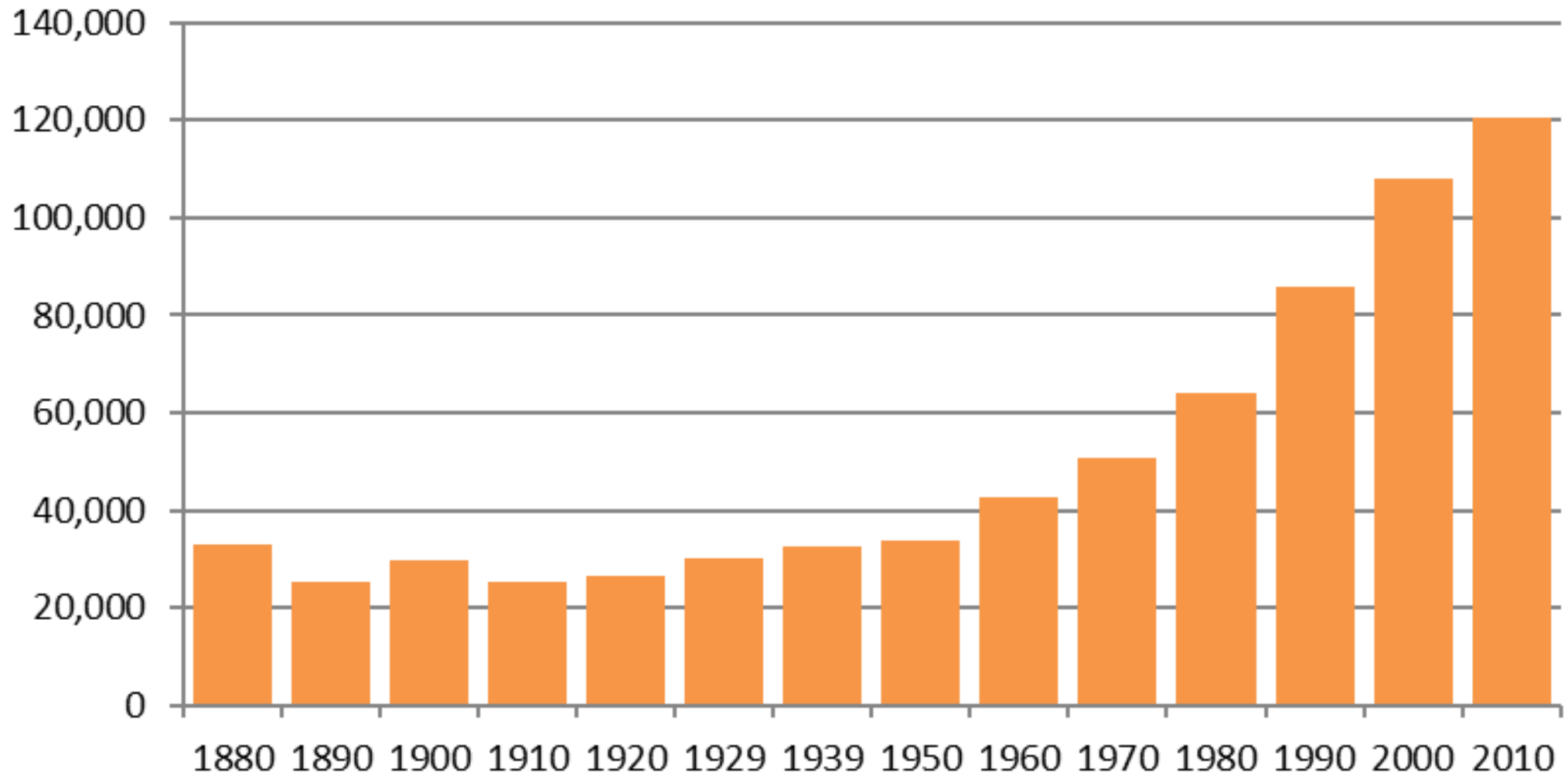
**ANCHORAGE (KTUU)** - Six Alaska Native Languages have five or fewer remaining speakers who are considered "highly proficient" in the language, according to a new report by the Alaska Native Languages Preservation Advisory Council.

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## Alaska Native Population, 1880 to 2010



Notes: These numbers include any people of Alaskan Native or American Indian origin who resided in Alaska. Numbers for 2000 and 2010 are bridged-race estimates.

By EDDIE HUNSINGER and ERIC SANDBERG

# The Alaska Native Population

Steady growth for original Alaskans through years of change



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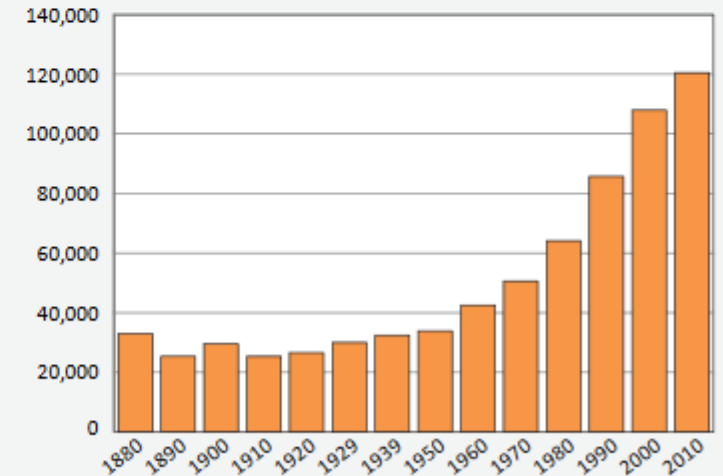
Alaska is home to one of the largest indigenous populations in the nation. With more than 120,000 people, Alaska Natives represented 17 percent of the state in 2010 — a larger proportion than any other state.

The Alaska Native population is made up of many distinct cultures and has lands in each region of Alaska. After large population declines that followed early contact with Europeans in the 18th and 19th centuries, the Native population has grown substantially over the past 100 years, and that growth is projected to continue.

Today, most Alaska Natives still live in small villages and remote regional hubs even though the urban Native population has increased. Alaska's urban areas<sup>1</sup> were home to less than half the state's Native population in 2010.

<http://labor.alaska.gov/trends/>

## 1 Alaska's Native Population 1880 to 2010



Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section



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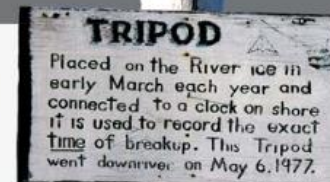
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By ALYSSA SHANKS, Economist

## Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area

Communities spread far across Interior



The Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area, which stretches from just east of Alaska's western coast to the Canadian border, is the largest and least populated of all the nation's counties or equivalents. There are 25.7 square miles per person, and the area's landmass is roughly the size of Germany. If the census area were a state, it would be the fourth-largest in the U.S., or about the size of Montana.

Yukon-Koyukuk's vast and largely unpopulated land is dotted by at least 16 national parks and wildlife refuges and is home to an abundance of wild game including moose, caribou, birds, and bear. The winters along the Brooks Range in the north are some of the coldest in Alaska, with frequently sustained temperatures around -40 that sometimes fall below -60.

Unlike a borough, the census area has no unifying government. It also lacks a hub city, and with its communities spread far apart, cultures and lifestyles vary widely. Some villages began as fish camps and Catholic missions while others were settled because of trade or proximity to gold.

Despite the variation, many of the area's characteristics make it somewhat representative of



Above, the community of Ruby in the winter. Photo by Tony Wright

At the top of the page, this sign marks the Nenana River tripod, which is used to record the exact time of ice breakup each spring. Photo by Jimmy Emerson

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# Native Americans and the U.S. Census: A brief historical survey

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## Abstract

This article traces the history of the enumeration of American Indians by the U.S. Census Bureau and its predecessors. It considers the social and political background of the census and the reasons that Native Americans were not counted by the census until 1890. It also examines the changes in the enumeration and definition of Native Americans—key concepts needed to provide effective reference service for users of Census Bureau data.



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## June 2016

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June 25–26 marks the 140th anniversary of the [Battle of the Little Bighorn](#)—the most prominent battle in the Great Sioux War of 1876, in which Lakota, Northern Cheyenne, and Arapaho Indians annihilated five companies of the U.S. 7th Cavalry Regiment led by Lt. Colonel [George A. Custer](#). Known by its American Indian participants as the "Battle of the Greasy Grass," the battle culminated with "Custer's Last Stand" on June 26, 1876.



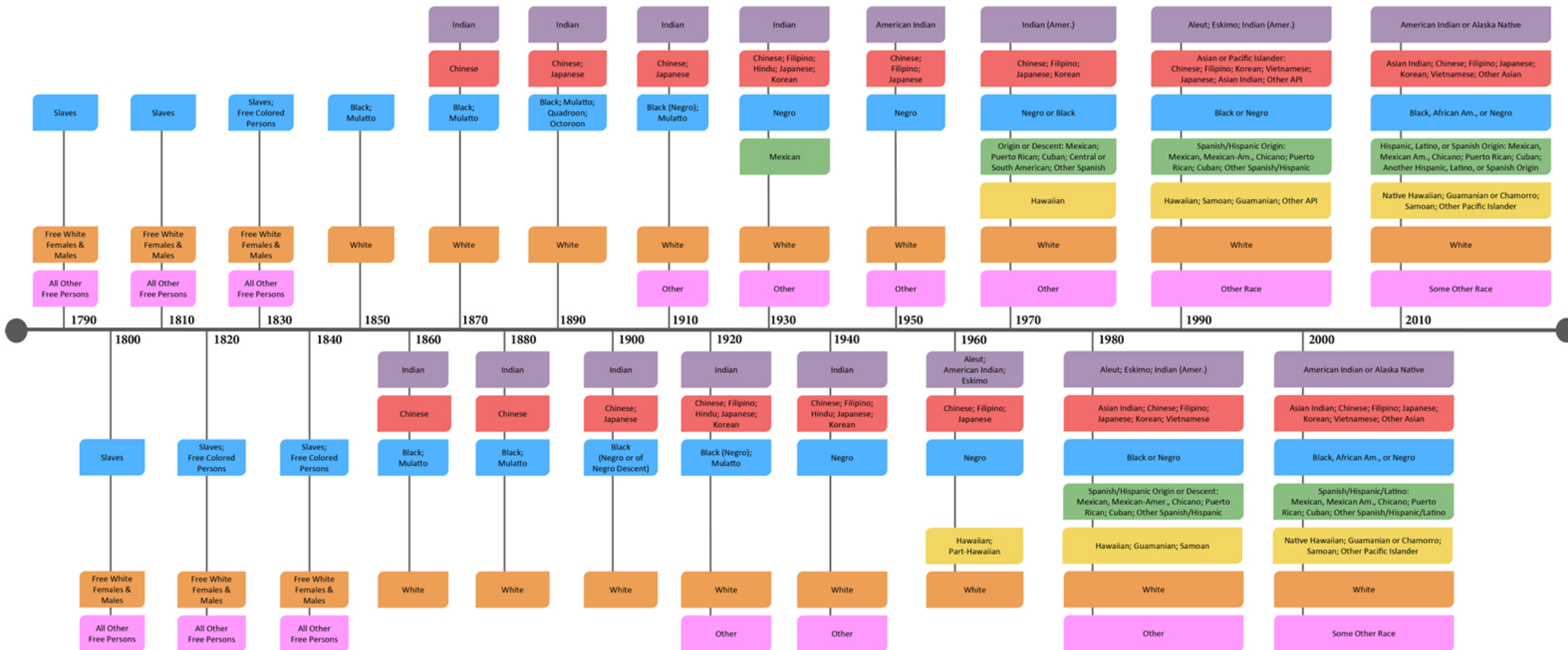
Chief Gall

# Alaska Natives in the Census

1790	First census conducted in U.S. The Constitution specifically excluded “Indians not taxed” (defined as those living as part of a sovereign community) from the count.
1880	First census in Alaska occurred during 1880 and 1881 summers
1890-1950	Census takers use observation to identify race
1960-1980	Tabulated census categories: Aleut, American Indian, Eskimo
1980	Census Day was Jan. 22 for Point Hope, Barrow and 16 other villages in northern and western Alaska
2000	People can identify as more than one race

# Measuring Race and Ethnicity Across the Decades: 1790–2010

## Mapped to 1997 U.S. Office of Management and Budget Classification Standards



# BUREAU OF EDUCATION WILL COUNT ALASKANS

JUNEAU, Alaska, Aug. 22. — The government will place the matter of taking the next census of Alaska in the hands of the Bureau of Education which will operate through its teachers, doctors, field superintendents and other employes. The last census of Alaska cost \$78,000 and of this amount the government figures \$50,000 can be saved by passing the buck to the Bureau of Education.

*Santa Ana  
Register (Santa  
Ana, Calif.),  
Aug. 22, 1919*

# Kathryn Dyakanoff Seller

- Aleut (Unangan)
- Alaska Women's Hall of Fame since 2017
- Teacher, writer, census enumerator



Photo: [www.aleutcorp.com](http://www.aleutcorp.com)

## 1940 Census, Akhiok (Alitak) Village

3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13		
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### **Census interview**

Bud Kanayurak, 72, (left) an interpreter for the 1920 census in Barrow, Alaska, is interviewed in Barrow for the 1980 census by Maggie Hollen of Fairbanks. The interview was conducted in Inupiat, the native Eskimo

language. The 1980 head count is making its way around 18 villages in Alaska's North Slope in freezing temperatures.

(AP Laserphoto)

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*Marshfield News Herald* (Marshfield, Wis.), Feb. 26, 1980

# 2020 Census

## 7. What is this person's race?

Mark  one or more boxes **AND** print origins.

White – Print, for example, German, Irish, English, Italian, Lebanese, Egyptian, etc. ↴

Black or African Am. – Print, for example, African American, Jamaican, Haitian, Nigerian, Ethiopian, Somali, etc. ↴

American Indian or Alaska Native – Print name of enrolled or principal tribe(s), for example, Navajo Nation, Blackfeet Tribe, Mayan, Aztec, Native Village of Barrow Inupiat Traditional Government, Nome Eskimo Community, etc. ↴

<input type="checkbox"/> Chinese	<input type="checkbox"/> Vietnamese	<input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian
<input type="checkbox"/> Filipino	<input type="checkbox"/> Korean	<input type="checkbox"/> Samoan
<input type="checkbox"/> Asian Indian	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Japanese	<input type="checkbox"/> Chamorro
<input type="checkbox"/> Other Asian – Print, for example, Pakistani, Cambodian, Hmong, etc. ↴	<input type="checkbox"/> Other Pacific Islander – Print, for example, Tongan, Fijian, Marshallese, etc. ↴	

Some other race – Print race or origin. ↴

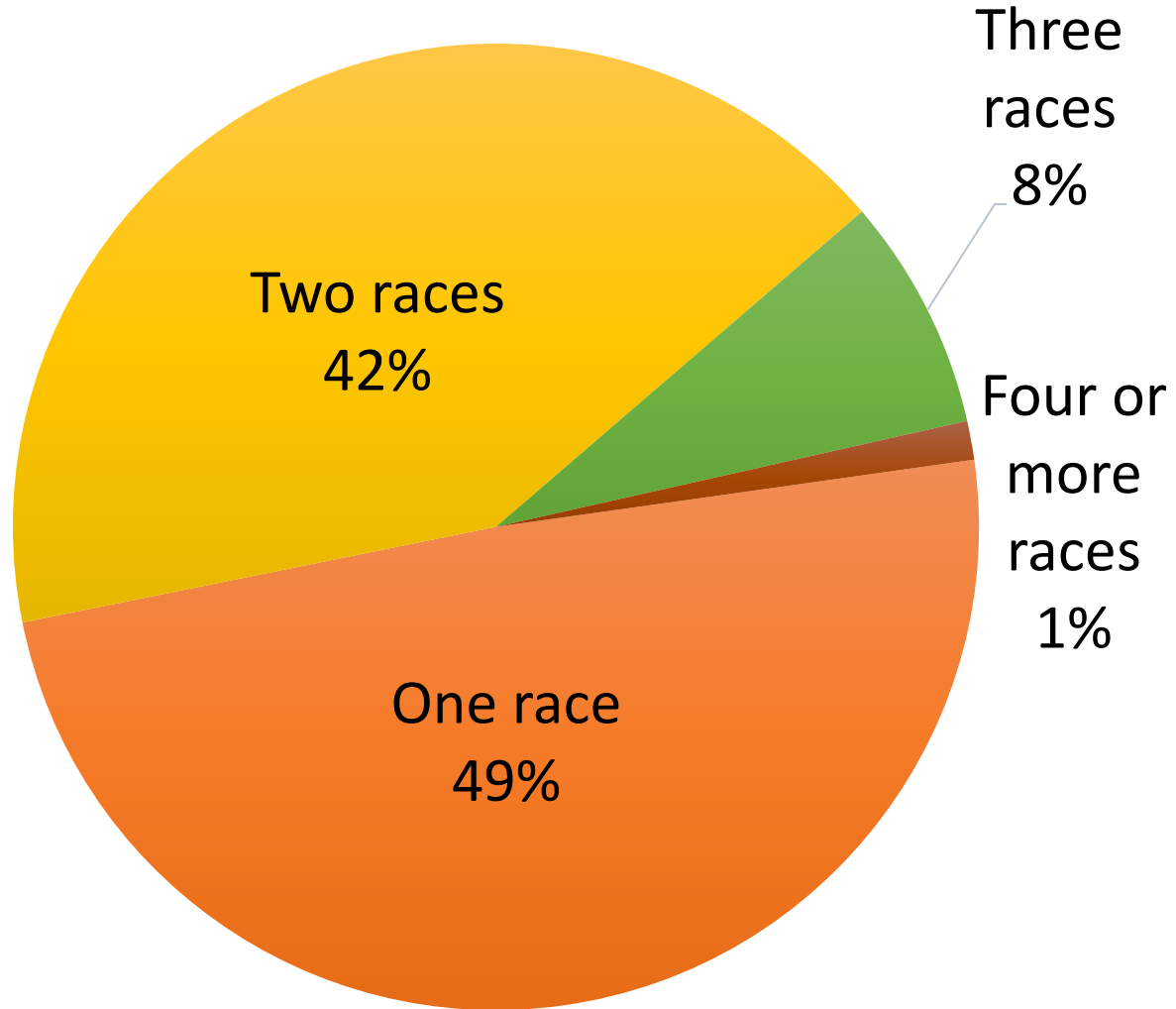
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AIAN	United States	Alaska
Alone	2,932,248	104,871
Alone or In Combo	5,220,579	138,312

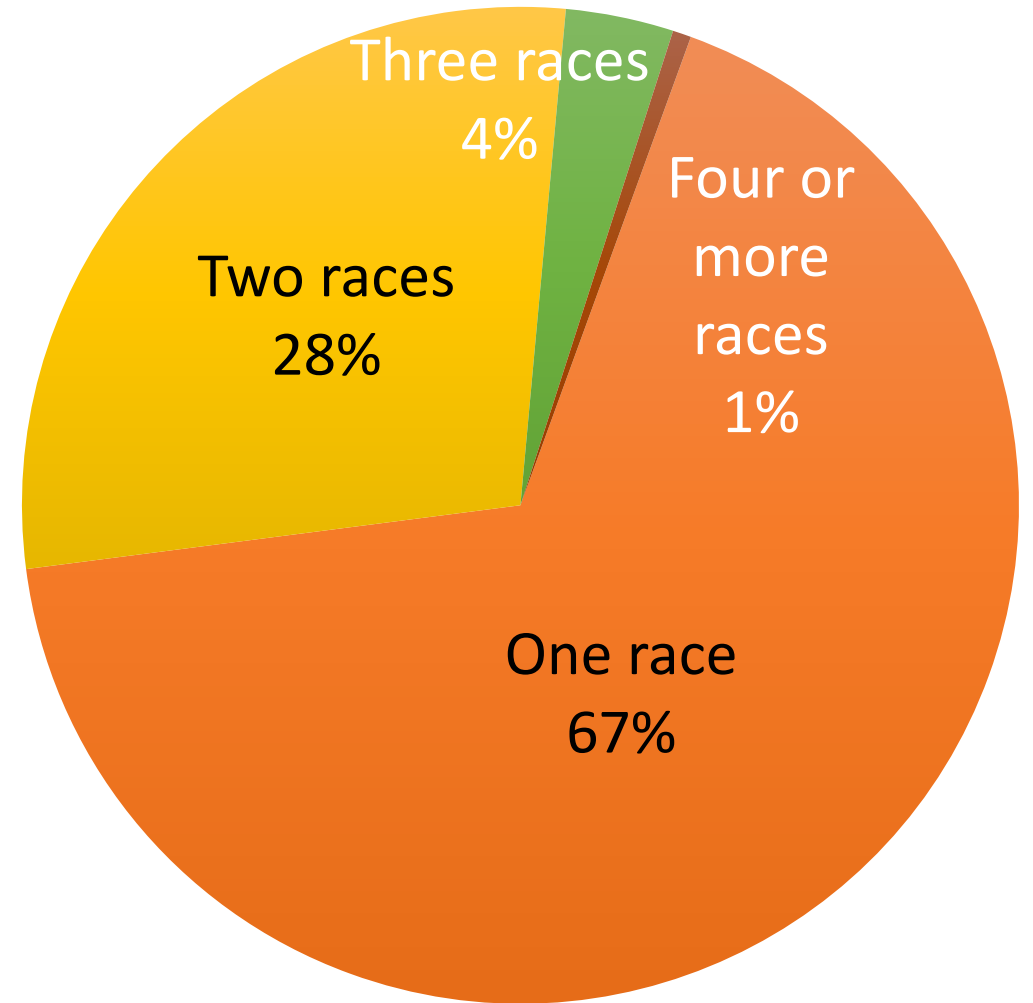
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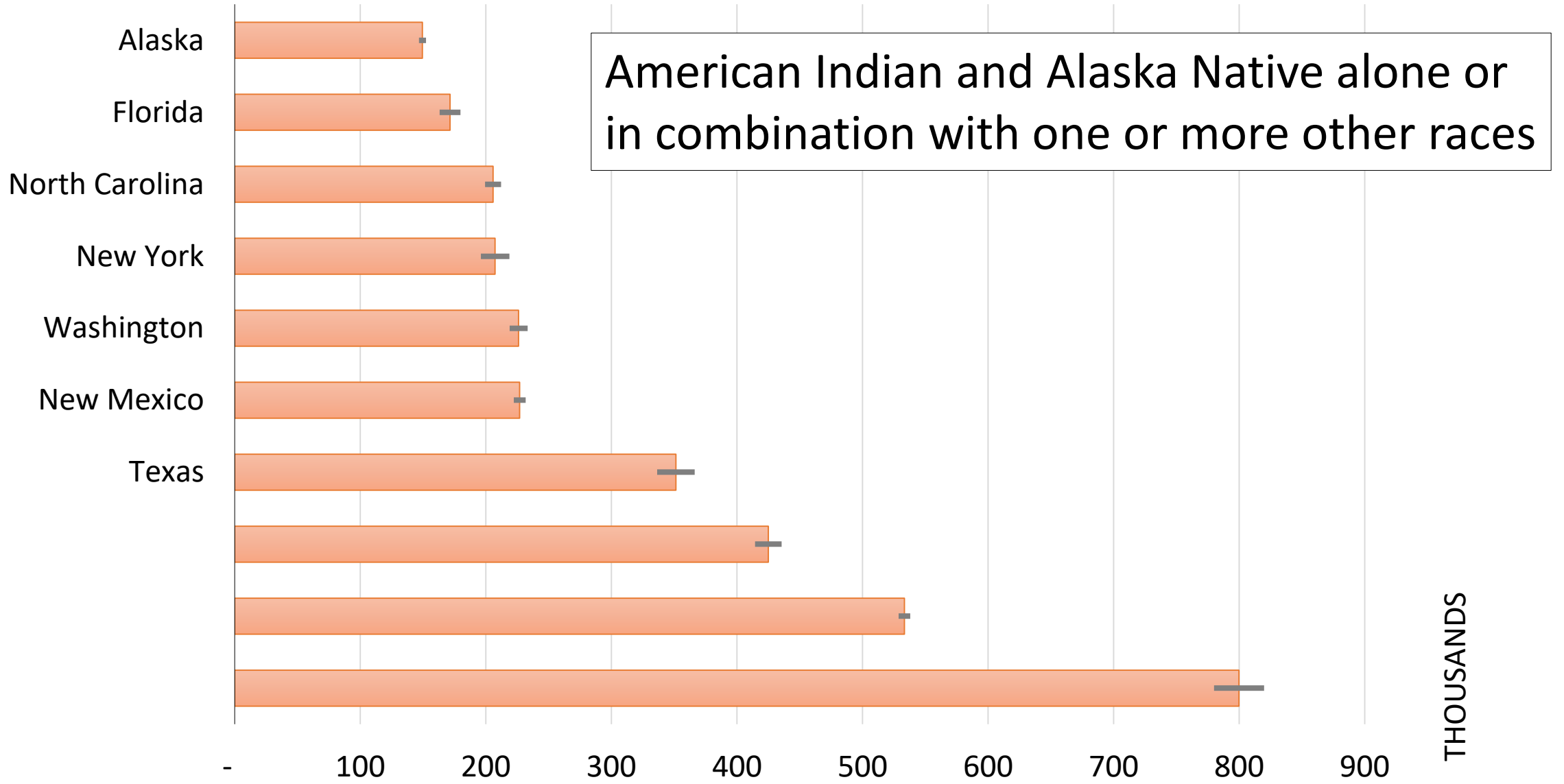


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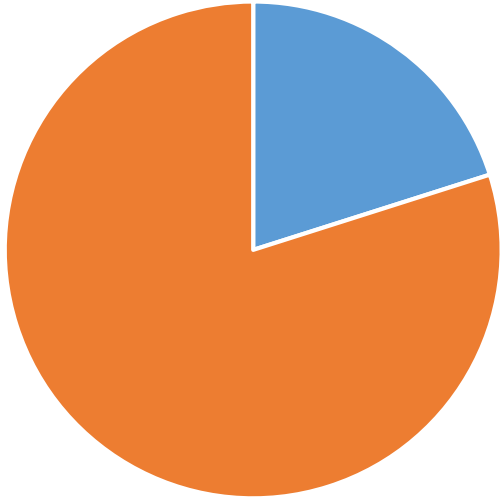
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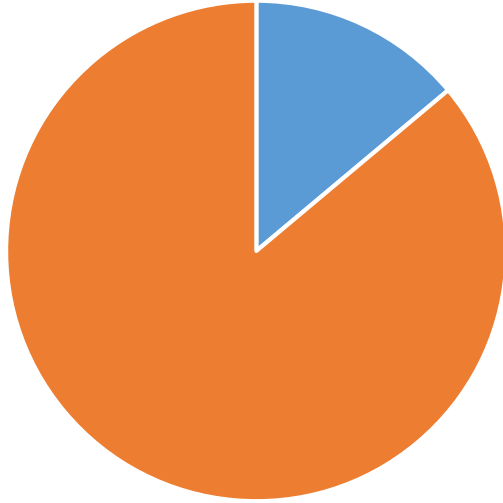


Source: U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey 2018 1-Year Estimates, Table S0201

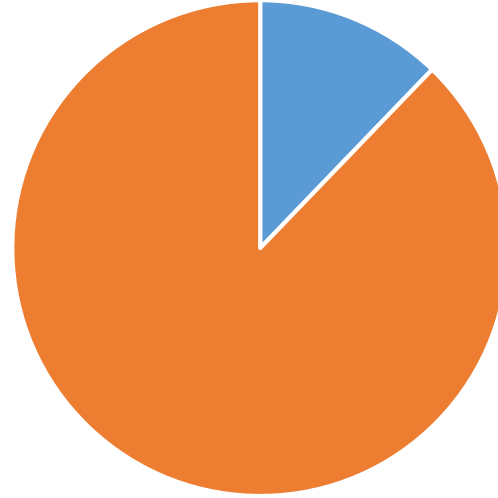
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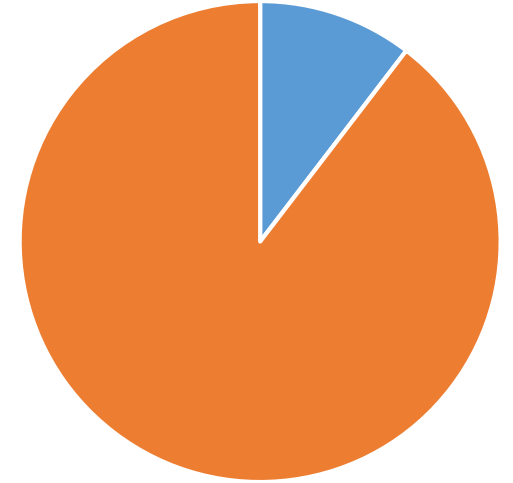
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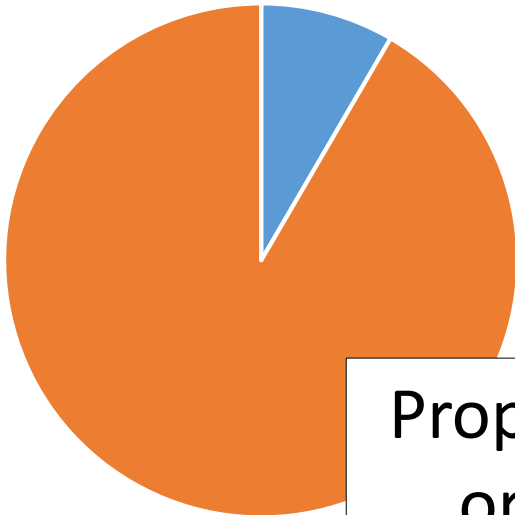
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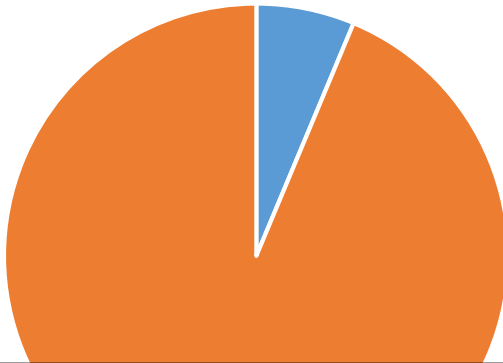
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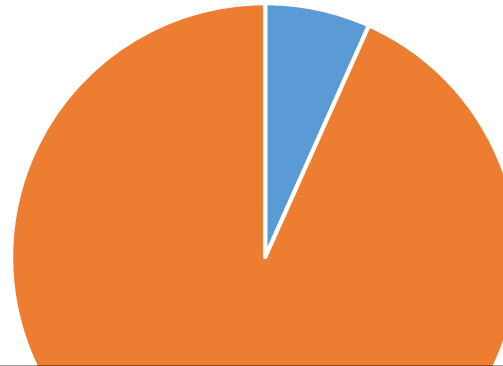
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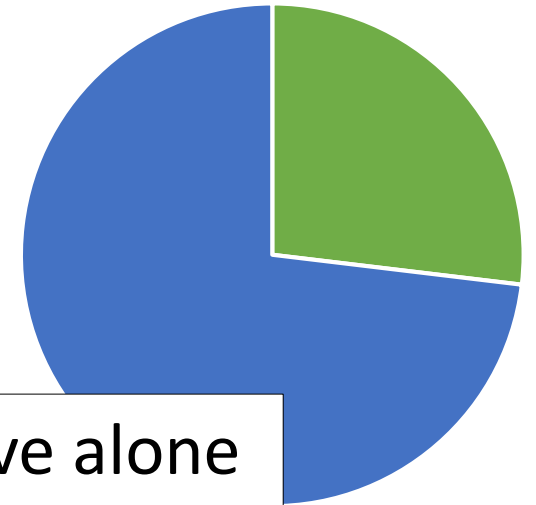
Arizona



North Dakota



Hawaii



Proportion American Indian and Alaska Native alone or in combination with one or more other races

Tribal grouping alone or in combination with another race	2010 Census
Yup'ik tribal grouping	33,889
Inupiat tribal grouping	33,360
Tlingit-Haida tribal grouping	26,080
Alaskan Athabaskan tribal grouping	22,484
Aleut tribal grouping	19,282
Tsimshian tribal grouping	3,755

Source: 2010 Census Summary File 2, Table PCT1











# 1990 Census

## 4. Race

Fill ONE circle for the race that the person considers himself/herself to be.

If **Indian (Amer.)**, print the name of the enrolled or principal tribe. \_\_\_\_\_→

If **Other Asian or Pacific Islander (API)**, print one group, for example: Hmong, Fijian, Laotian, Thai, Tongan, Pakistani, Cambodian, and so on. \_\_\_\_\_→

If **Other race**, print race. \_\_\_\_\_→

- White
- Black or Negro
- Indian (Amer.) (Print the name of the enrolled or principal tribe.) ↗

- Eskimo
- Aleut
- Asian or Pacific Islander (API)

- |                                  |                                    |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|
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| <input type="radio"/> Filipino   | <input type="radio"/> Asian Indian |
| <input type="radio"/> Hawaiian   | <input type="radio"/> Samoan       |
| <input type="radio"/> Korean     | <input type="radio"/> Guamanian    |
| <input type="radio"/> Vietnamese | <input type="radio"/> Other API ↗  |

- Other race (Print race) ↗

# 1980 Census

## 4. Is this person —

*Fill one circle.*

- |                                      |  |
|--------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="radio"/> White          | <input type="radio"/> Asian Indian           |
| <input type="radio"/> Black or Negro | <input type="radio"/> Hawaiian               |
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| <input type="radio"/> Filipino       | <input type="radio"/> Eskimo                 |
| <input type="radio"/> Korean         | <input type="radio"/> Aleut                  |
| <input type="radio"/> Vietnamese     | <input type="radio"/> Other — <i>Specify</i> |
| <input type="radio"/> Indian (Amer.) |  |

*Print*

*tribe* →

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#### 4. COLOR OR RACE



*Fill one circle.*

*If "Indian (American)," also give tribe.*

*If "Other," also give race.*

- |   |                                |  |
|---|--------------------------------|--|
| <input type="radio"/> White             | <input type="radio"/> Japanese | <input type="radio"/> Hawaiian                           |
| <input type="radio"/> Negro<br>or Black | <input type="radio"/> Chinese  | <input type="radio"/> Korean                             |
| <input type="radio"/> Indian (Amer.)    | <input type="radio"/> Filipino | <input type="radio"/> Other— <i>Print</i><br><i>race</i> |

*Print tribe* →

# 1970 Census

# What does the Census Bureau do?

## Decennial Census

- ✓ Every 10 years, counts residents within census blocks

## American Community Survey (ACS)

- ✓ Annual social, economic and housing data

## 130 other surveys and censuses

- ✓ Current Population Survey (CPS) since 1940
- ✓ National Crime and Victimization Survey (NCVS)
- ✓ Health Interview Survey (HIS)
- ✓ Consumer Expenditure Survey (CE)
- ✓ Economic Census

<http://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/surveys-programs.html>

# What is the American Community Survey?

- Ongoing survey – about 750 Alaska households every month
- Detailed social and economic estimates
- Data released twice annually
  - 1-year estimates (12 months of data)
  - 5-year estimates (60 months of data)

The image shows three overlapping documents related to the American Community Survey. The top document is a 'Housing' questionnaire with questions about building type, acreage, sales, and business presence. The middle document is a 'Start Here' page with instructions for completing the form. The bottom document is a 'Welcome to the American Community Survey' page with a 'Please Log In' section and a barcode.

**Housing**

Answer questions 4 - 6 if this is a HOUSE OR A MOBILE HOME; otherwise, SKIP to question 7a.

4. How many acres is this house or mobile home on?

5. IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS, what were the actual sales of all agricultural products from this property?

6. Is there a business (such as a store or barber shop) or a medical office on this property?

7. a. How many separate rooms are in this house, apartment, or mobile home?

8. Does this house, apartment, or mobile home have -

9. At this house, apartment, or mobile home - do you or any member of this household own or use any of the following computers?

10. At this house, apartment, or mobile home - do you or any member of this household subscribe to the Internet using -

**Start Here**

Please print today's date.

Please print the building label and address on the mailing label.

Complete this form and mail it back as soon as possible.

This form asks for information about the people who are living or staying at the house, apartment, or mobile home located at the address on the mailing label.

**Welcome to the American Community Survey**

All the information that you provide will remain completely confidential.

Please Log In

Enter the 10-digit User ID found below the barcode on the materials we mailed to you.

User ID: [ ]

Log In

# 2020 Census vs. ACS

## 2020 Census

100% data

How **many** people live in the U.S.?

**Count** - People, housing units

**Point in time** April 1, 2020

## American Community Survey

1940-2000  
Long Form

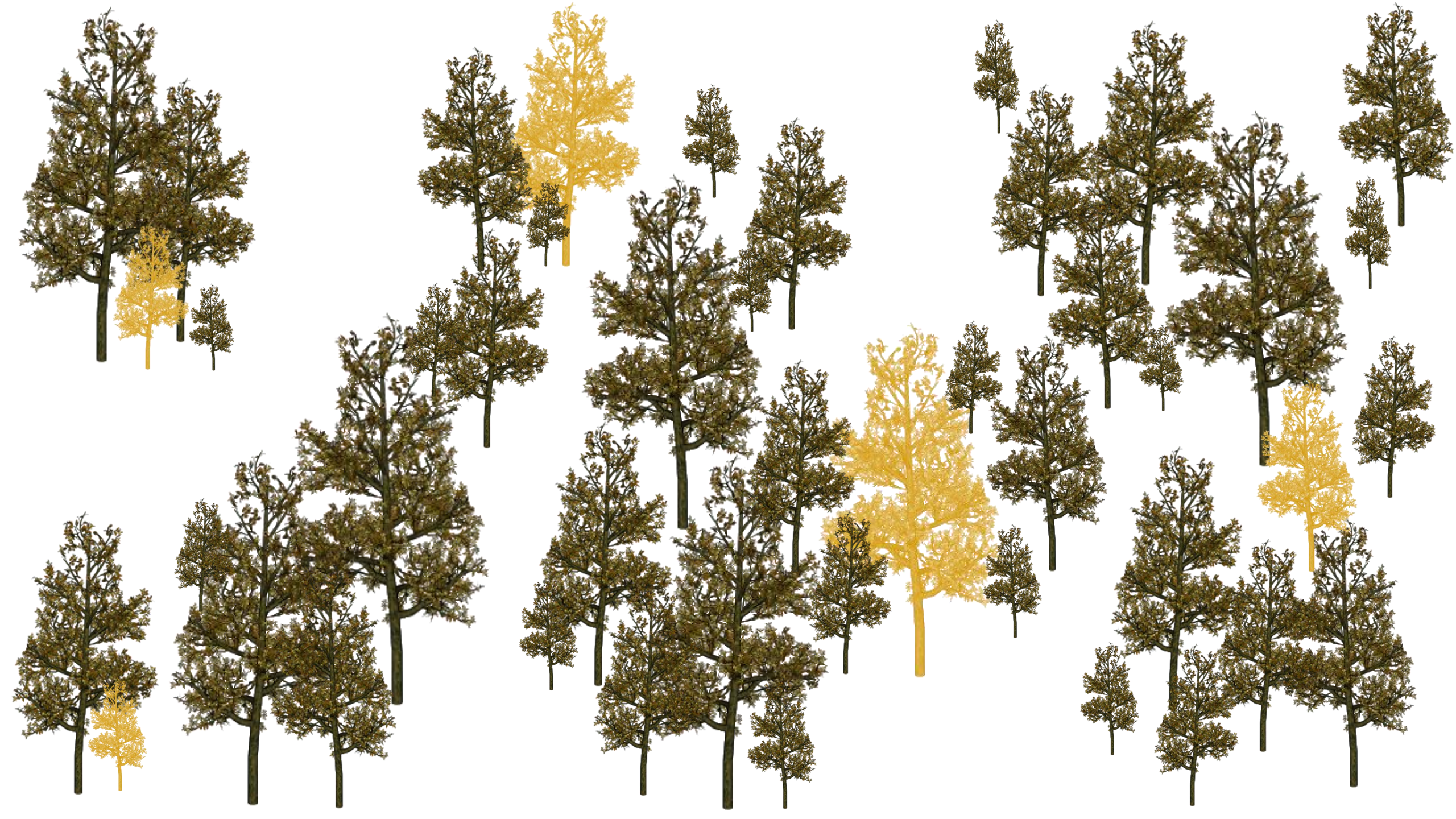
Sample estimates ~2%

How **do** people live in the U.S.?

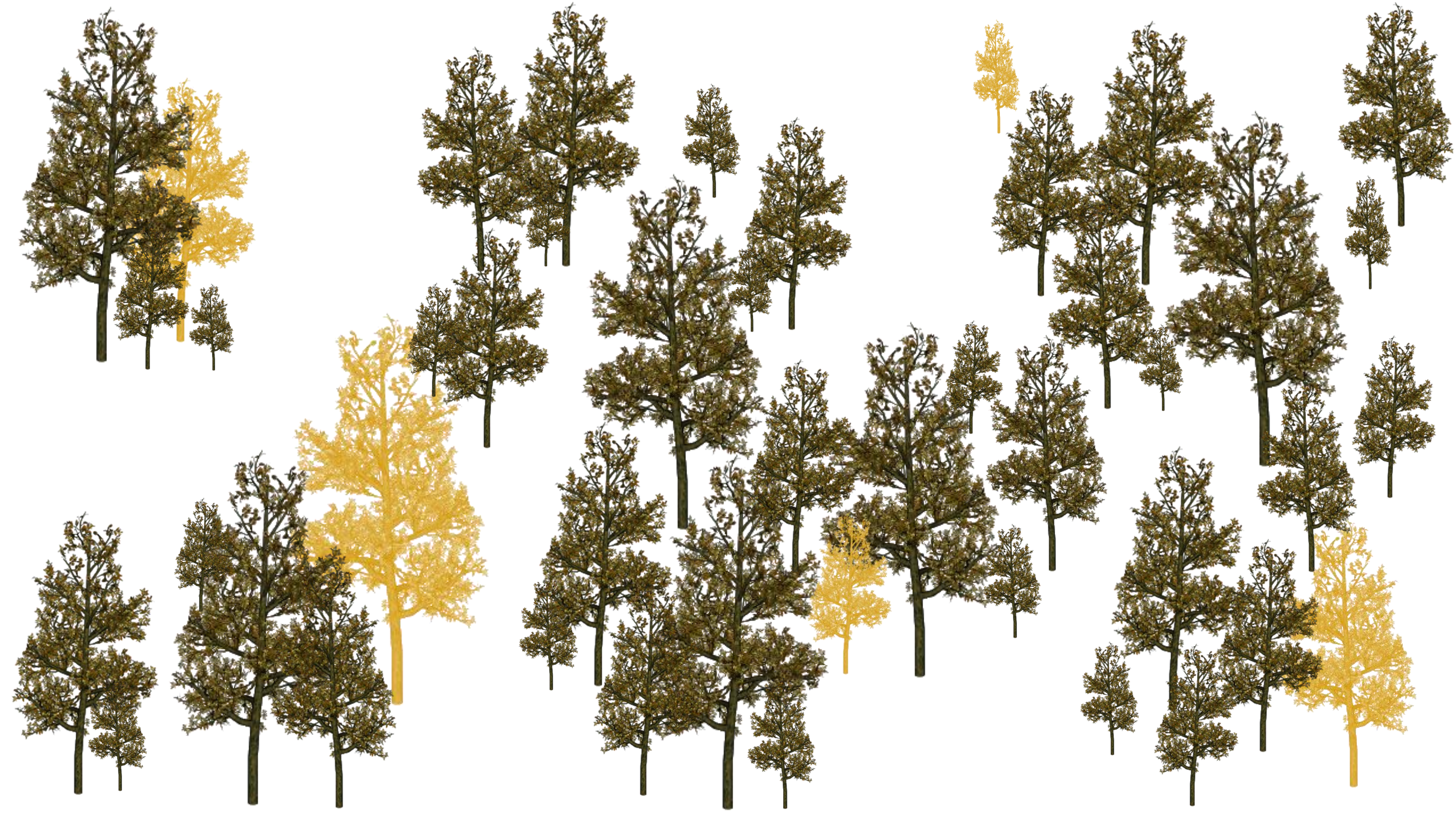
**Characteristics** - Income, poverty, education

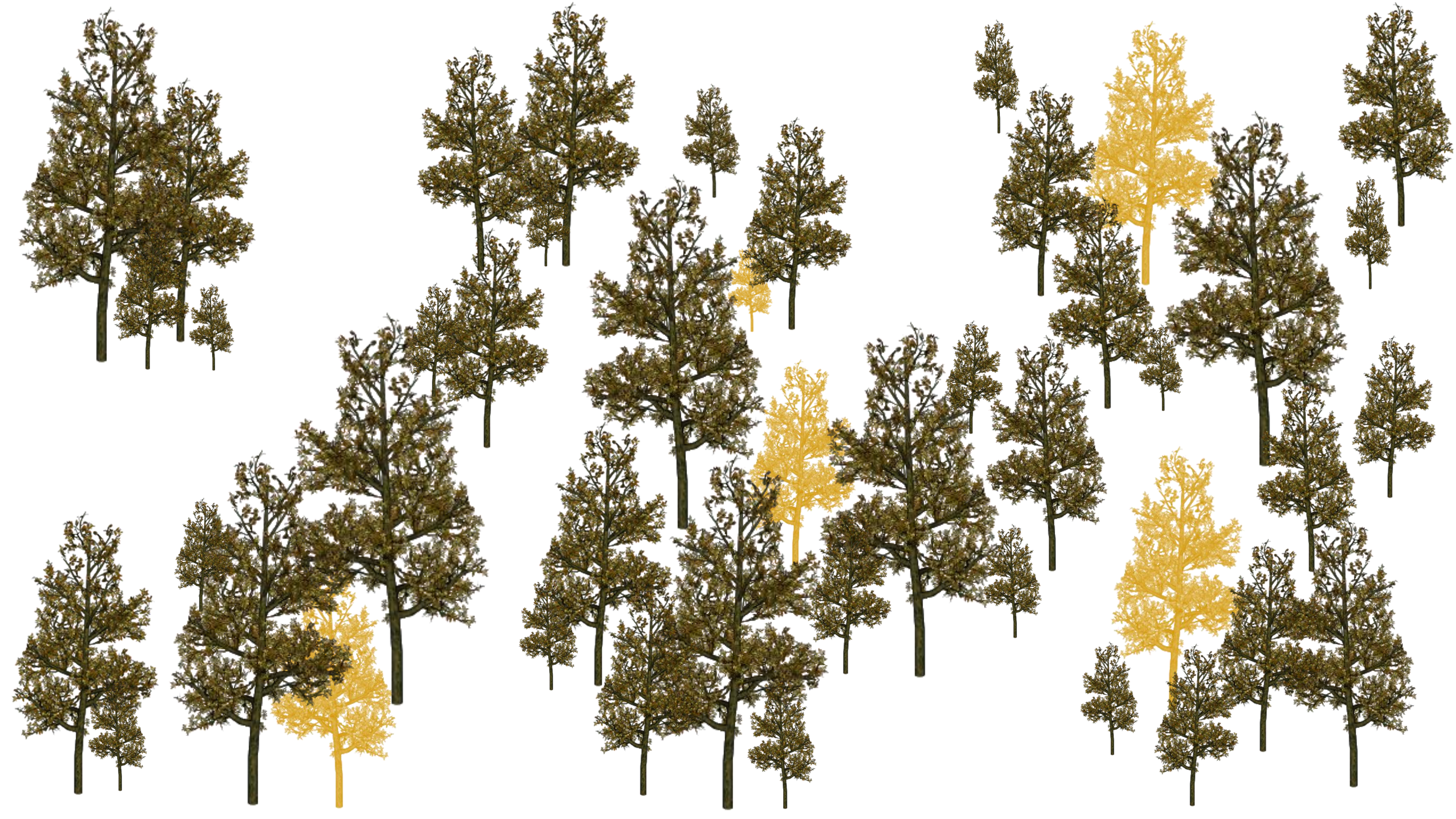
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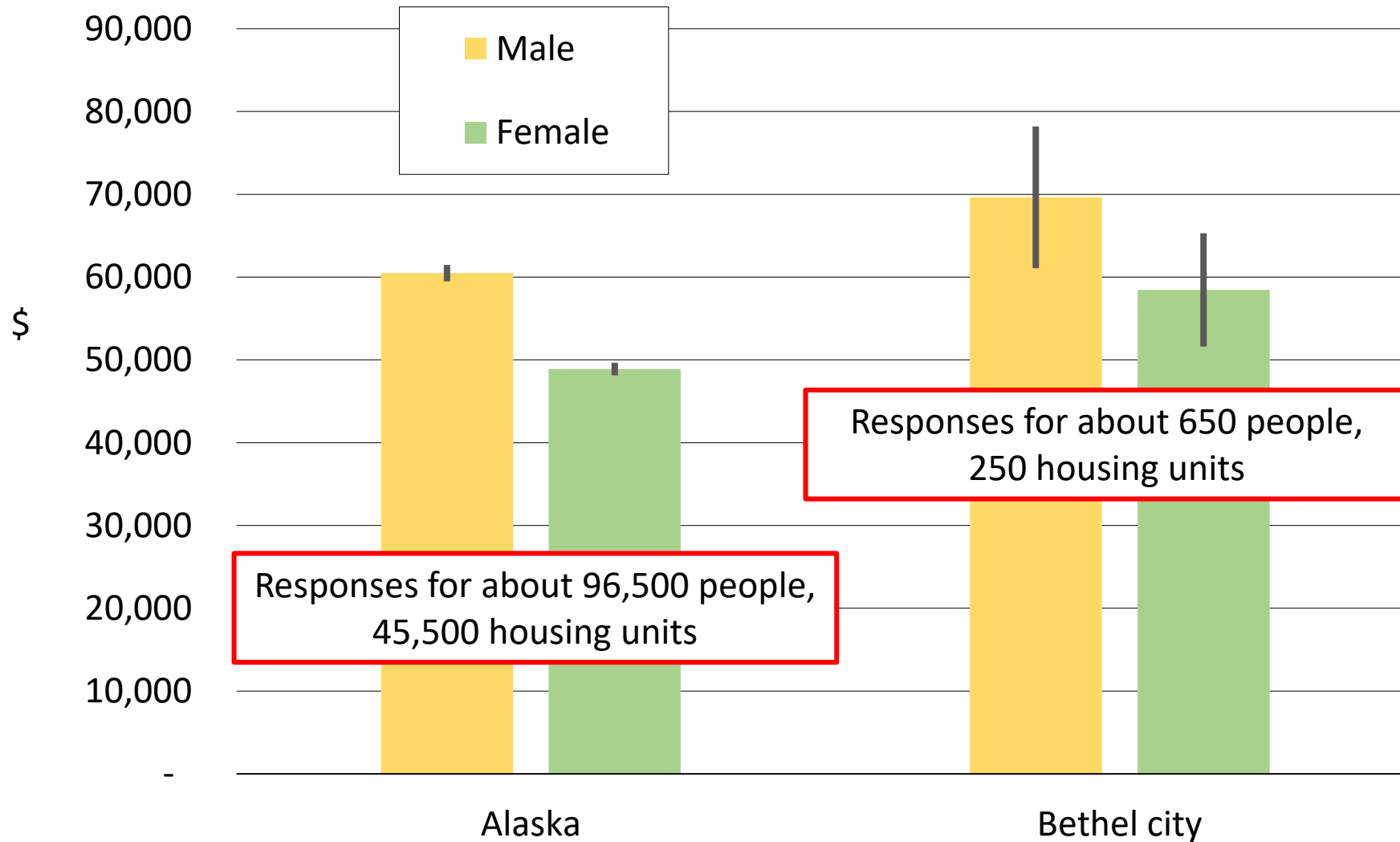








# Median earnings for full-time, year-round workers with earnings, population 16 and older



Source: American Community Survey, 2014-2018 5-Year Estimates



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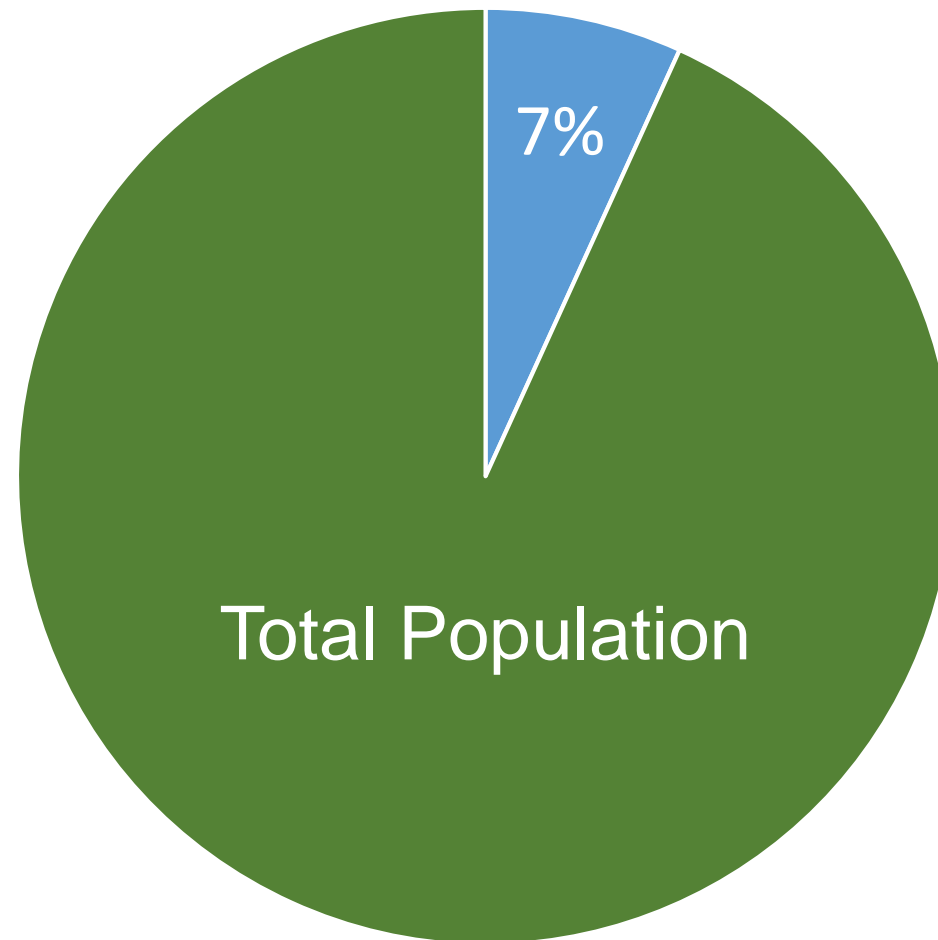
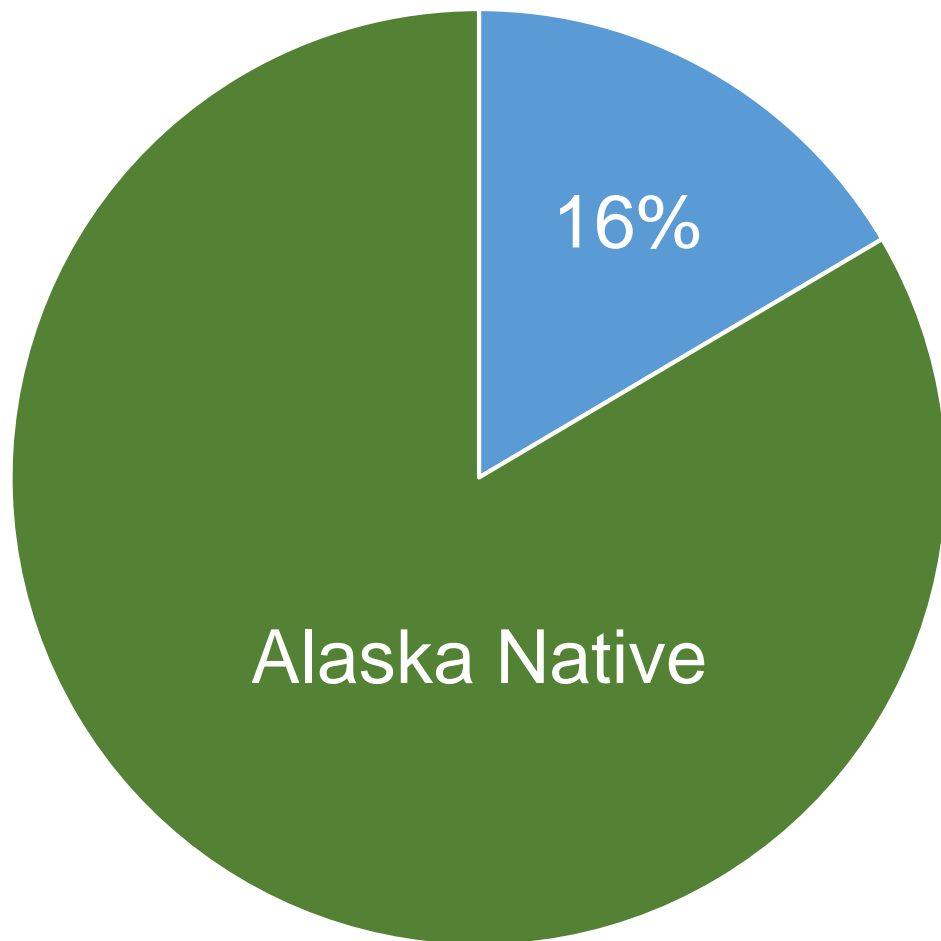
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# Popular ACS data topics

- Median Income
- Employment by race
- Characteristics of housing
- Health insurance coverage
- Educational attainment
- Language spoken at home and ability to speak English
- Place of birth
- Commuting



# 2018 Unemployment Rates in Alaska



## Language spoken at home, Alaska AIAN population 5+

<b>Speak only English</b>	78.2%	+/-1.2
<b>Speak a language other than English</b>	21.8%	+/-1.2

American Community Survey 2018 1-Year Estimates Selected Population Profiles, Table S1601



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## Language spoken at home, Alaska population 5+

<b>Speak only English</b>	573,373	+/-2,326	83.8%	+/-0.3
<b>Speak a language other than English</b>	110,903	+/-2,319	16.2%	+/-0.3
<i>Other Indo-European languages</i>	24,378	+/-1,319	3.6%	+/-0.2
<i>Asian and Pacific Island languages</i>	38,971	+/-1,245	5.7%	+/-0.2
<i>Other languages</i>	31,972	+/-1,177	4.7%	+/-0.2

You can assume most of these are Alaska Native languages





Percent of people 5 years and over who speak a language other than English at home		MOE
Chefornak ANVSA, AK	98.1	1.1
Nightmute ANVSA, AK	95.1	3.7
Newtok ANVSA, AK	94.7	3.6
Nunapitchuk ANVSA, AK	94.7	3.1
Tuntutuliak ANVSA, AK	94.6	2.7
Toksook Bay ANVSA, AK	93.9	2.5
Kipnuk ANVSA, AK	92.5	2.6

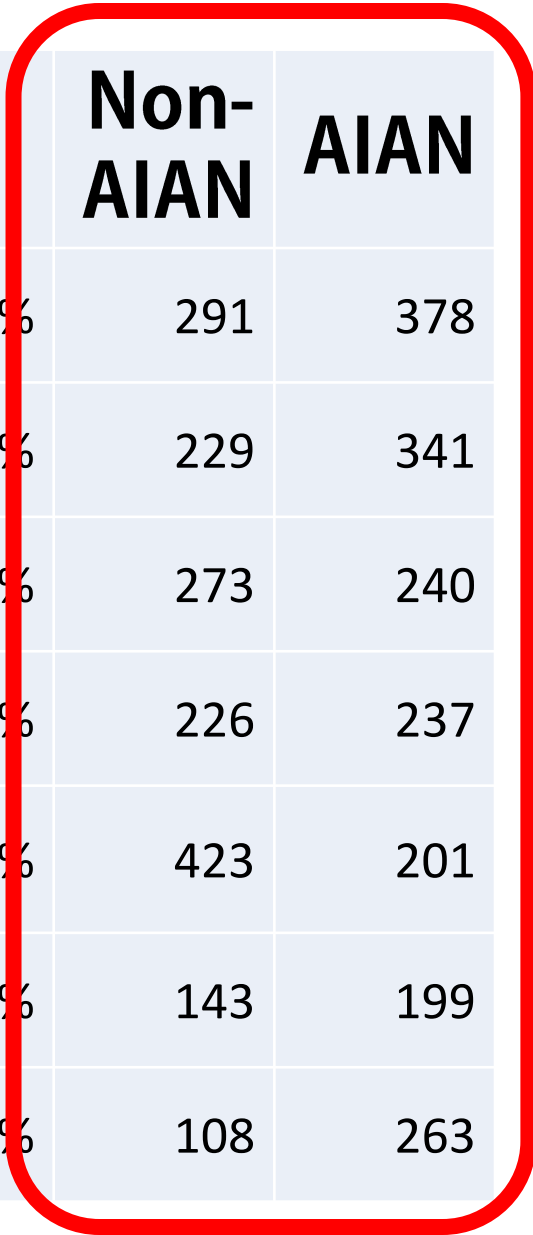
Source: U.S. Census Bureau 2013-2017 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, Table GCT1601

Occupation	Estimate based on survey responses			Non-AIAN	AIAN
	Non-AIAN	AIAN	%		
Janitors And Building Cleaners	7,300	3,354	31%	291	378
Fishing And Hunting Workers	4,232	3,069	42%	229	341
Cashiers	8,872	2,914	25%	273	240
Laborers And Freight, Stock, And Material Movers, Hand	6,651	2,618	28%	226	237
Miscellaneous Managers, Including Funeral Service Managers And Postmasters And Mail Superintendents	11,665	2,055	15%	423	201
Construction Laborers	4,670	1,825	28%	143	199
Teacher Assistants	3,410	1,711	33%	108	263

Source: 2013-2017 American Community Survey Public Use Microdata Sample, [data.census.gov/mdat](https://data.census.gov/mdat)

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Number of survey responses estimates are based on ("unweighted sample")



# Annual Survey of Entrepreneurs

- The ASE samples approximately 290,000 employer businesses in operation anytime during the survey year
- The ASE collects statistics on the characteristics of businesses and their owners
- Included are nonfarm businesses filing Internal Revenue Service tax forms as individual proprietorships, partnerships, or any type of corporation, and with receipts of \$1,000 or more
- The ASE covers firms with paid employees



<b>Alaska, AIAN-owned businesses with paid employees</b>	<b>Number of firms with paid employees</b>	<b>Sales, receipts, or value of shipments</b>	<b>Number of paid employees for pay period including March 12</b>	<b>Annual payroll (\$1,000)</b>
Total for all sectors	366	\$500 million to \$1 billion	3,102	122,451
Construction	92	\$150 million to \$500 million	678	51,082
Professional, scientific, and technical services	58	\$15 million to \$50 million	232	8,774
Transportation and warehousing	38	\$150 million to \$500 million	474	34,945

Source: U.S. Census Bureau 2016 Annual Survey of Entrepreneurs

# 2012 Survey of Business Owners

- Sample of 1.75 million businesses with receipts of \$1,000 or more
- “American Indian- and Alaska Native-Owned” is defined as any firm with AIAN owners holding a 51% or larger stake
- BUT the survey excludes businesses that are tribally owned or owned by Alaska Native Regional or Village Corporations and their subsidiaries



American Indian- and Alaska Native-owned firms	Number of firms	Sales, receipts, or value of shipments of firms (\$1,000)	Number of firms with paid employees	Sales, receipts, or value of shipments of firms with paid employees (\$1,000)	Number of paid employees for pay period including March 12	Annual payroll (\$1,000)	Number of firms without paid employees	Sales, receipts, or value of shipments of firms without paid employees (\$1,000)
Total for all sectors	7,489	835,361	456	646,781	3,150	151,630	7,033	188,580
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, and hunting	3,364	92,287	13	*	Less than 20	*	3,351	84,086
Professional, scientific, and technical services	666	59,927	32	44,402	267	16,352	633	15,526
Construction	481	286,674	127	269,545	665	53,181	355	17,130

State	Percent of all firms that are AIAN-owned	Percent of firms with paid employees that are AIAN-owned
Alaska	11.0%	2.9%
Oklahoma	8.5%	5.5%
Montana	2.7%	1.2%
New Mexico	5.8%	1.2%
North Dakota	2.2%	1.0%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau 2012 Survey of Business Owners



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# Annual Business Survey (ABS)

The ABS is conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau and the National Science Foundation's National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics, and provides annual data on select economic and demographic characteristics of employer businesses.



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# Intergovernmental Affairs: Tribal Affairs - American Indian and Alaska Native (AIAN)

This website highlights the Census Bureau's relationship with tribal governments and provides important AIAN and tribal resources. The Census Bureau collects data for the AIAN population and publishes specific counts, estimates, and statistics.

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[www.census.gov/aian](http://www.census.gov/aian)

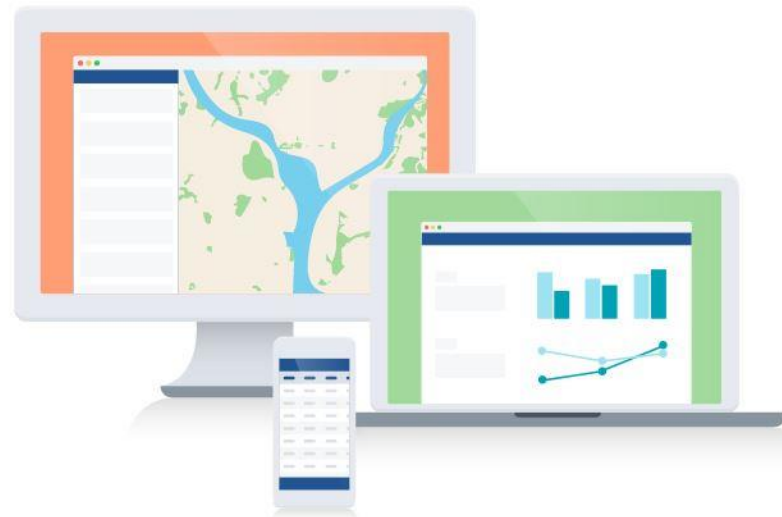
## Explore Census Data

The Census Bureau is the leading source of quality data about the nation's people and economy.

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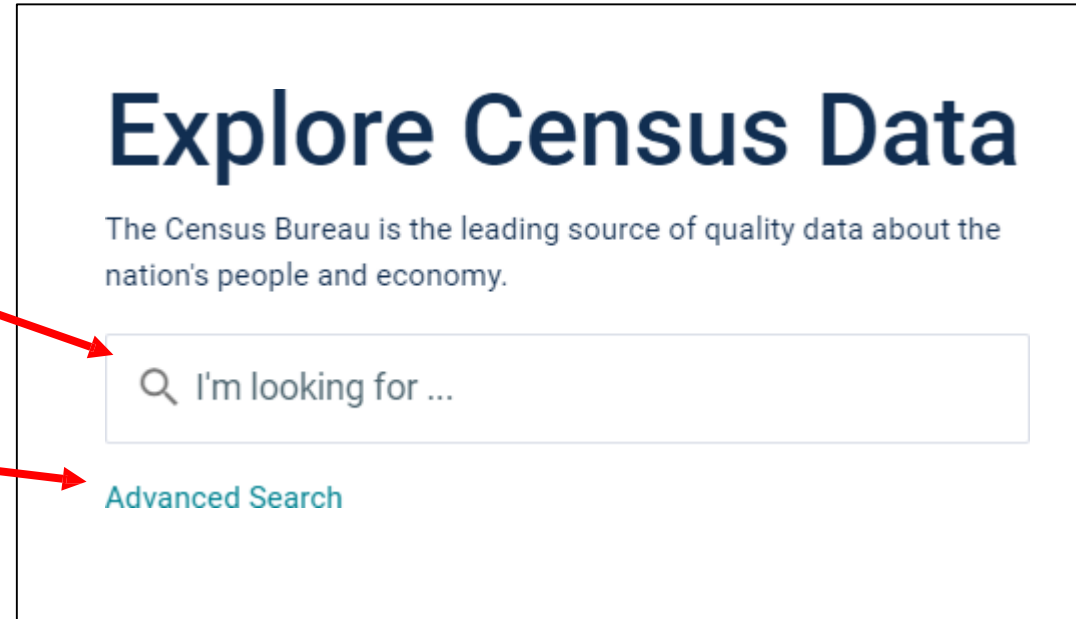
# Two Options To Start Your Search:

## 1. Single Search

- Free-form search box

## 2. Advanced Search

- Select search criteria in a step-by-step filtering experience where you select desired checkboxes



### Tips:

- Find many results with either option.
- Access complex topics and geographies through advanced search only. Give advanced search a try if you're not finding a quick answer with single search.

# Single Search: Keywords and Codes

Matanuska-Susitna Borough, Alaska health insurance X Search

Matanuska-Susitna Borough, Alaska s2701 X Search

COMMUTING CHARACTERISTIC...  
Survey/Program: American Community Survey  
Product: 2017 ACS 1 Year Estimates Subject 1  
TableID: S0801

Salt Lake City city, Utah		
Total		
	Estimate	Margin of Error
Workers 16 years and o...	109,827	+/-4,302
MEANS OF TRANSPORT...		
Car, truck, or van	77.6%	+/-2.3

Anchorage Municipality, Alaska dp X Search

ALL TABLES MAPS PAGES  
4 Results Filter | Download

**SELECTED SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS IN THE UNITED STATES**  
Survey/Program: American Community Survey  
Years: 2017,2016,2015,2014,2013,2012,2011,2010  
Table: DP02

**SELECTED ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS**  
Survey/Program: American Community Survey  
Years: 2017,2016,2015,2014,2013,2012,2011,2010  
Table: DP03

Anchorage Municipality, Alaska breweries X Search

Anchorage Municipality, Alaska 312 X Search

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**All Sectors: Nonemployer Statistics for the U.S.**  
Survey/Program: Economic Annual Surveys  
Years: 2017  
Table: NS1700NONEMP

**Geography Area Series: County Business Pattern**  
Survey/Program: Economic Annual Surveys  
Years: 2016  
Table: CB1600CBP

Type keywords or codes to specify:

- Geography
- Topic
- Table ID
- Table prefix
- NAICS code

# Advanced Search: More Complex Searches

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## Advanced Search

Narrow search with filters

FIND A FILTER

e.g. 336111 - Automobile Manufacturing

**BROWSE FILTERS**

- Topics
- Geography
- Years
- Surveys
- Codes

Please select a filter to narrow your search.

Selected Filters: CLEAR FILTERS SEARCH MORE

Use Advanced Search to specify:

- Geographies with:
  - Complex names (ex: tracts)
  - Collections (ex: all counties in AK)
- Multiple topics
- Particular survey program
- Population groups
  - Race, tribe, Hispanic origin, ancestry, and foreign-born groups

# Customizing Tables

Use table controls to:

1. Download data
2. Transpose rows and columns
3. Add or remove items from your search criteria
4. View data notes



Search

**MEDIAN EARNINGS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS (IN 2017 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DO...**

Survey/Program: American Community Survey Product: 2017: ACS 1-Year Estimates Detailed Tables  
TableID: B08121 Universe: Workers 16 years and over with earnings

Utah Salt Lake County, Utah Salt Lake



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**MEDIAN EARNINGS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS (IN 2017 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS) BY MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK**

Survey/Program: American Community Survey Universe: Workers 16 years and over with earnings TableID: B08121 Product: 2017: ACS 1-Year Estimates Detailed Tables

Data Notes 4 Geographies 1 Year 2 Topics Survey Code Hide Filter Sort Transpose Table Margin of Error Restore Layout Download Print Share More Data Map

	Utah	Salt Lake County, Utah	Salt Lake City city, Utah	Salt Lake
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error
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Look for "Customize Table" and "Customize Map" buttons to access the full set of customization options

# Mapping

Map a data variable from a table

1. Select table
2. Press "Customize Map"
3. Use left-hand side to select variable (*not always straightforward*)
4. Add or remove geographies:
  - ✓ Filter option
  - ✓ Rectangle selection tool
  - ✓ Click on the map

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**Civilian noninstitutionalized population—Estimate**

Survey/Program: American Community Survey Product: 2017: ACS 5-Year Estim

Data Variable: Civilian noninstitutionalized Geographies: County

**CUSTOMIZE MAP**

**PUBLIC HEALTH INSURANCE BY RATIO OF INCOME TO POVERTY LEVEL IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS BY AGE**

Survey/Program: American Community Survey  
Years: 2018,2017,2016,2015,2014,2013,2012,2011,2010  
Table: B27018

**SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS OF HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE IN THE UNITED STATES**

Survey/Program: American Community Survey  
Years: 2018,2017,2016,2015,2014,2013,2012,2011,2010  
Table: S2701

**PRIVATE HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE BY TYPE AND SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS**

Survey/Program: American Community Survey  
Years: 2018,2017,2016,2015  
Table: S2703

**AGE BY DISABILITY STATUS BY HEALTH STATUS**

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**LEGEND**

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56798–99208	2
31792–56797	1
9678–31791	4
682–9677	21
No Data	0

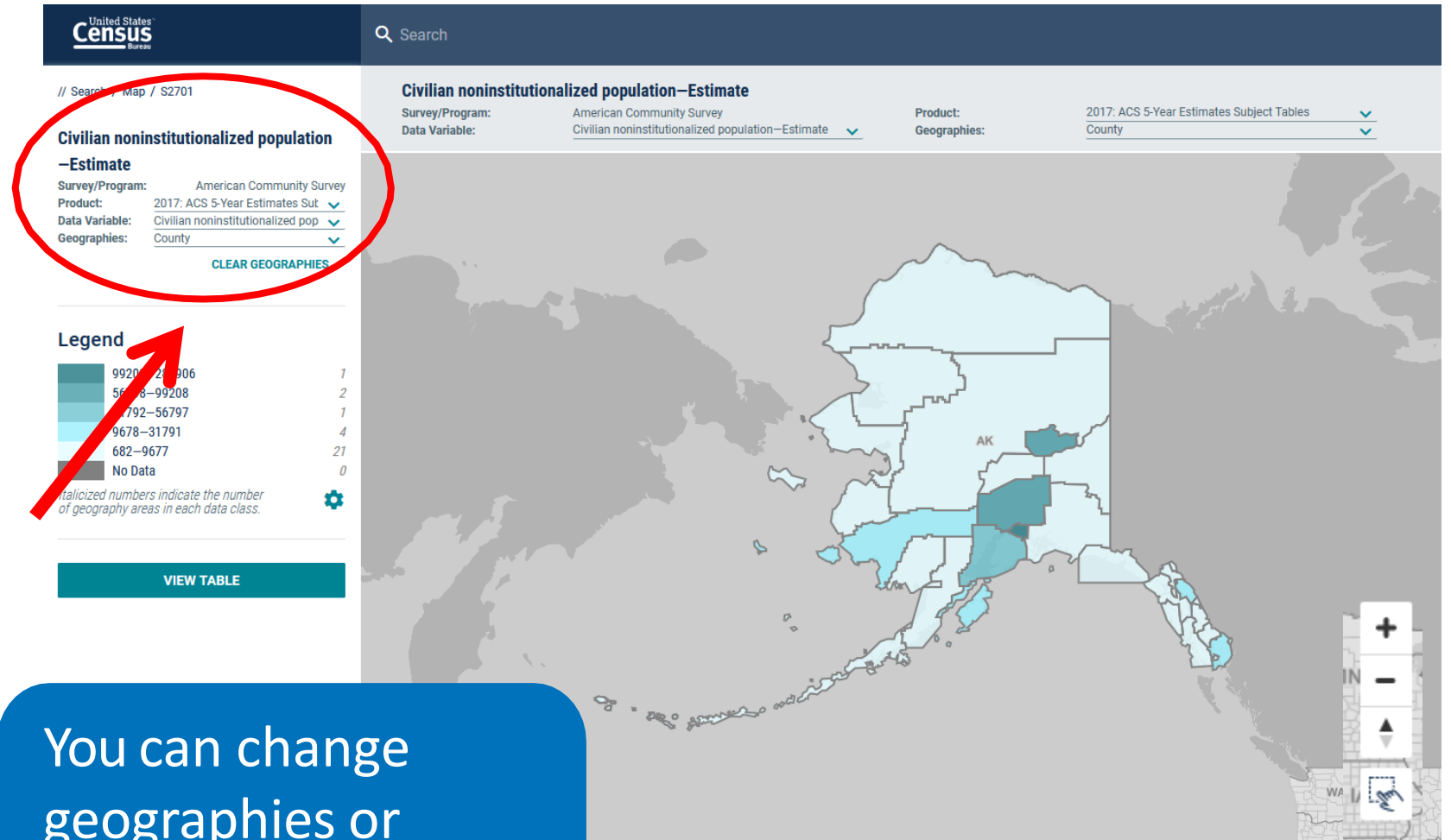
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# Watch out!





- Defaulting to 1-year dataset
- Geographies not loading in advanced search
  - Refresh page or press F5
- It's difficult to map percent estimates from subject tables
  - Become familiar with the table layout
- Wrong order in of labels in file downloads

Palmer city, Alaska

## Palmer city, Alaska

Place in Alaska

Palmer city, Alaska is a city, town, place equivalent (CDP), or township located in Alaska. Palmer city, Alaska has a total area of 5.2 square miles.

 POPULATION 6,773	 MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME \$58,389	 POVERTY RATE 12.6%
 EMPLOYMENT RATE 54.1%		



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## Census Records

### Introduction to Census Records

You can start your census records search with only:

- The name of your relative or ancestor, and
- The state where he or she resided.

The first Federal Population Census was taken in 1790, and a census has been taken every ten years since. However, data from recent censuses are not available after 1940 because of a 72-year restriction on access to the Census. Most researchers find it helpful to begin with the 1940 Census and work backwards to locate people in earlier generations.

The National Archives has the census schedules on microfilm available from 1790 to 1940, and online access is available through our digitization partners (free at any National Archives facility). See our [Census Resources](#) page to



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### Census Resources for Beginners

- [Introduction to Census Records](#) - video
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LONG ISLAND, NY

JUNE 16, 1923

*Lifeguard*



Margaret Quincy  
1901-1966

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