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SELECTED SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS IN THE UNITED STATES

2006-2010 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

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Subject	Platte County, Wyoming			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	3,737	+/-176	3,737	(X)
Family households (families)	2,438	+/-198	65.2%	+/-4.4
With own children under 18 years	877	+/-134	23.5%	+/-3.1
Married-couple family	2,049	+/-190	54.8%	+/-4.9
With own children under 18 years	573	+/-130	15.3%	+/-3.3
Male householder, no wife present, family	66	+/-46	1.8%	+/-1.2
With own children under 18 years	35	+/-31	0.9%	+/-0.8
Female householder, no husband present, family	323	+/-108	8.6%	+/-2.8
With own children under 18 years	269	+/-100	7.2%	+/-2.6
Nonfamily households	1,299	+/-179	34.8%	+/-4.4
Householder living alone	1,157	+/-182	31.0%	+/-4.6
65 years and over	555	+/-111	14.9%	+/-2.8
Households with one or more people under 18 years	989	+/-130	26.5%	+/-2.9
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	1,205	+/-86	32.2%	+/-2.0
Average household size	2.31	+/-0.11	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.83	+/-0.15	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	8,641	+/-20	8,641	(X)
Householder	3,737	+/-176	43.2%	+/-2.0
Spouse	2,051	+/-180	23.7%	+/-2.1
Child	2,097	+/-195	24.3%	+/-2.3
Other relatives	308	+/-148	3.6%	+/-1.7
Nonrelatives	448	+/-197	5.2%	+/-2.3
Unmarried partner	173	+/-63	2.0%	+/-0.7
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	3,595	+/-30	3,595	(X)
Never married	755	+/-100	21.0%	+/-2.8
Now married, except separated	2,228	+/-165	62.0%	+/-4.5
Separated	41	+/-39	1.1%	+/-1.1
Widowed	82	+/-50	2.3%	+/-1.4
Divorced	489	+/-119	13.6%	+/-3.3
Females 15 years and over	3,568	+/-35	3,568	(X)

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	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Never married	579	+/-105	16.2%	+/-2.9
Now married, except separated	2,086	+/-170	58.5%	+/-4.8
Separated	67	+/-52	1.9%	+/-1.5
Widowed	454	+/-103	12.7%	+/-2.9
Divorced	382	+/-110	10.7%	+/-3.1
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	52	+/-41	52	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	18	+/-20	34.6%	+/-36.9
Per 1,000 unmarried women	25	+/-29	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	30	+/-24	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/-111	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	75	+/-65	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	13	+/-21	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	108	+/-64	108	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	85	+/-59	78.7%	+/-25.8
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-25.5
1 or 2 years	22	+/-24	20.4%	+/-21.6
3 or 4 years	13	+/-16	12.0%	+/-17.1
5 or more years	50	+/-53	46.3%	+/-37.6
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	85	+/-59	85	(X)
Who are female	57	+/-42	67.1%	+/-22.2
Who are married	54	+/-49	63.5%	+/-38.8
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	1,998	+/-141	1,998	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	193	+/-70	9.7%	+/-3.5
Kindergarten	124	+/-66	6.2%	+/-3.5
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	833	+/-100	41.7%	+/-5.1
High school (grades 9-12)	492	+/-74	24.6%	+/-3.9
College or graduate school	356	+/-140	17.8%	+/-6.0
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	6,209	+/-60	6,209	(X)
Less than 9th grade	193	+/-88	3.1%	+/-1.4
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	489	+/-164	7.9%	+/-2.6
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	2,299	+/-229	37.0%	+/-3.6
Some college, no degree	1,604	+/-216	25.8%	+/-3.5
Associate's degree	549	+/-145	8.8%	+/-2.3
Bachelor's degree	663	+/-179	10.7%	+/-2.9
Graduate or professional degree	412	+/-121	6.6%	+/-2.0
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	89.0%	+/-2.8
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	17.3%	+/-3.7
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	6,749	+/-26	6,749	(X)
Civilian veterans	1,042	+/-146	15.4%	+/-2.2
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	8,625	+/-27	8,625	(X)

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	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Same house	7,500	+/-386	87.0%	+/-4.5
Different house in the U.S.	1,116	+/-389	12.9%	+/-4.5
Same county	602	+/-237	7.0%	+/-2.7
Different county	514	+/-321	6.0%	+/-3.7
Same state	417	+/-332	4.8%	+/-3.8
Different state	97	+/-59	1.1%	+/-0.7
Abroad	9	+/-12	0.1%	+/-0.1
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	8,655	*****	8,655	(X)
Native	8,537	+/-69	98.6%	+/-0.8
Born in United States	8,501	+/-75	98.2%	+/-0.9
State of residence	3,867	+/-436	44.7%	+/-5.0
Different state	4,634	+/-450	53.5%	+/-5.2
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	36	+/-32	0.4%	+/-0.4
Foreign born	118	+/-69	1.4%	+/-0.8
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	118	+/-69	118	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	91	+/-52	77.1%	+/-21.4
Not a U.S. citizen	27	+/-32	22.9%	+/-21.4
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	154	+/-75	154	(X)
Native	36	+/-32	36	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	8	+/-16	22.2%	+/-39.1
Entered before 2000	28	+/-29	77.8%	+/-39.1
Foreign born	118	+/-69	118	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	39	+/-52	33.1%	+/-33.7
Entered before 2000	79	+/-47	66.9%	+/-33.7
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	118	+/-69	118	(X)
Europe	12	+/-19	10.2%	+/-15.6
Asia	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-23.7
Africa	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-23.7
Oceania	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-23.7
Latin America	106	+/-65	89.8%	+/-15.6
Northern America	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-23.7
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	8,231	+/-26	8,231	(X)
English only	7,930	+/-129	96.3%	+/-1.5
Language other than English	301	+/-122	3.7%	+/-1.5
Speak English less than "very well"	96	+/-97	1.2%	+/-1.2
Spanish	271	+/-115	3.3%	+/-1.4
Speak English less than "very well"	94	+/-97	1.1%	+/-1.2
Other Indo-European languages	30	+/-38	0.4%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	2	+/-3	0.0%	+/-0.1
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Other languages	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
ANCESTRY				
Total population	8,655	*****	8,655	(X)
American	539	+/-174	6.2%	+/-2.0
Arab	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Czech	68	+/-70	0.8%	+/-0.8
Danish	41	+/-28	0.5%	+/-0.3
Dutch	344	+/-185	4.0%	+/-2.1
English	1,830	+/-312	21.1%	+/-3.6
French (except Basque)	466	+/-174	5.4%	+/-2.0

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French Canadian	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
German	3,925	+/-361	45.3%	+/-4.2
Greek	30	+/-31	0.3%	+/-0.4
Hungarian	53	+/-45	0.6%	+/-0.5
Irish	1,499	+/-307	17.3%	+/-3.5
Italian	181	+/-88	2.1%	+/-1.0
Lithuanian	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Norwegian	195	+/-101	2.3%	+/-1.2
Polish	169	+/-93	2.0%	+/-1.1
Portuguese	13	+/-19	0.2%	+/-0.2
Russian	234	+/-128	2.7%	+/-1.5
Scotch-Irish	218	+/-114	2.5%	+/-1.3
Scottish	240	+/-105	2.8%	+/-1.2
Slovak	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Subsaharan African	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Swedish	381	+/-160	4.4%	+/-1.8
Swiss	173	+/-214	2.0%	+/-2.5
Ukrainian	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Welsh	33	+/-30	0.4%	+/-0.3
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4

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While the 2006-2010 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the December 2009 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 population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2000 data. Boundaries for urban areas have not been updated since Census 2000. 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, 2006-2010 American Community Survey

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.
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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.



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EMPLOYMENT STATUS				
Population 16 years and over	7,029	+/-42	7,029	(X)
In labor force	4,493	+/-184	63.9%	+/-2.6
Civilian labor force	4,456	+/-185	63.4%	+/-2.6
Employed	4,260	+/-246	60.6%	+/-3.5
Unemployed	196	+/-131	2.8%	+/-1.9
Armed Forces	37	+/-26	0.5%	+/-0.4
Not in labor force	2,536	+/-185	36.1%	+/-2.6
Civilian labor force	4,456	+/-185	4,456	(X)
Percent Unemployed	(X)	(X)	4.4%	+/-3.0
Females 16 years and over	3,477	+/-49	3,477	(X)
In labor force	2,089	+/-130	60.1%	+/-3.8
Civilian labor force	2,089	+/-130	60.1%	+/-3.8
Employed	2,044	+/-136	58.8%	+/-3.9
Own children under 6 years	559	+/-82	559	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	463	+/-56	82.8%	+/-10.9
Own children 6 to 17 years	1,117	+/-126	1,117	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	908	+/-146	81.3%	+/-8.6
COMMUTING TO WORK				
Workers 16 years and over	4,199	+/-262	4,199	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	3,221	+/-258	76.7%	+/-4.3
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	346	+/-108	8.2%	+/-2.6
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	16	+/-15	0.4%	+/-0.4
Walked	232	+/-114	5.5%	+/-2.7
Other means	45	+/-32	1.1%	+/-0.8
Worked at home	339	+/-189	8.1%	+/-4.3
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	16.9	+/-2.3	(X)	(X)
OCCUPATION				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	4,260	+/-246	4,260	(X)
Management, business, science, and arts occupations	1,250	+/-217	29.3%	+/-4.7
Service occupations	932	+/-195	21.9%	+/-4.5
Sales and office occupations	813	+/-150	19.1%	+/-3.4

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	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	740	+/-201	17.4%	+/-4.5
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	525	+/-154	12.3%	+/-3.6
INDUSTRY				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	4,260	+/-246	4,260	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	647	+/-199	15.2%	+/-4.4
Construction	223	+/-86	5.2%	+/-2.0
Manufacturing	98	+/-55	2.3%	+/-1.3
Wholesale trade	46	+/-46	1.1%	+/-1.1
Retail trade	512	+/-135	12.0%	+/-3.2
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	670	+/-144	15.7%	+/-3.4
Information	40	+/-31	0.9%	+/-0.7
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	168	+/-95	3.9%	+/-2.1
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	173	+/-103	4.1%	+/-2.4
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	780	+/-130	18.3%	+/-3.2
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	513	+/-144	12.0%	+/-3.4
Other services, except public administration	194	+/-90	4.6%	+/-2.1
Public administration	196	+/-83	4.6%	+/-1.9
CLASS OF WORKER				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	4,260	+/-246	4,260	(X)
Private wage and salary workers	3,174	+/-247	74.5%	+/-4.4
Government workers	616	+/-147	14.5%	+/-3.4
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	457	+/-143	10.7%	+/-3.2
Unpaid family workers	13	+/-20	0.3%	+/-0.5
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2010 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)				
Total households	3,737	+/-176	3,737	(X)
Less than \$10,000	165	+/-67	4.4%	+/-1.8
\$10,000 to \$14,999	275	+/-104	7.4%	+/-2.8
\$15,000 to \$24,999	537	+/-167	14.4%	+/-4.4
\$25,000 to \$34,999	560	+/-123	15.0%	+/-3.2
\$35,000 to \$49,999	641	+/-186	17.2%	+/-4.7
\$50,000 to \$74,999	691	+/-126	18.5%	+/-3.5
\$75,000 to \$99,999	394	+/-118	10.5%	+/-3.2
\$100,000 to \$149,999	316	+/-126	8.5%	+/-3.3
\$150,000 to \$199,999	100	+/-63	2.7%	+/-1.7
\$200,000 or more	58	+/-42	1.6%	+/-1.1
Median household income (dollars)	42,947	+/-4,844	(X)	(X)
Mean household income (dollars)	54,611	+/-4,885	(X)	(X)
With earnings	2,841	+/-176	76.0%	+/-3.1
Mean earnings (dollars)	54,626	+/-5,709	(X)	(X)
With Social Security	1,482	+/-126	39.7%	+/-3.4
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	15,369	+/-1,067	(X)	(X)
With retirement income	752	+/-148	20.1%	+/-3.9
Mean retirement income (dollars)	15,747	+/-2,525	(X)	(X)
With Supplemental Security Income	51	+/-34	1.4%	+/-0.9
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	7,990	+/-3,356	(X)	(X)
With cash public assistance income	90	+/-57	2.4%	+/-1.5
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	7,271	+/-5,176	(X)	(X)
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	297	+/-103	7.9%	+/-2.6
Families	2,438	+/-198	2,438	(X)
Less than \$10,000	71	+/-40	2.9%	+/-1.6
\$10,000 to \$14,999	71	+/-45	2.9%	+/-1.8
\$15,000 to \$24,999	201	+/-95	8.2%	+/-3.7
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\$150,000 to \$199,999	68	+/-52	2.8%	+/-2.1
\$200,000 or more	49	+/-40	2.0%	+/-1.6
Median family income (dollars)	51,759	+/-7,225	(X)	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	64,638	+/-5,982	(X)	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)	24,185	+/-2,031	(X)	(X)
Nonfamily households	1,299	+/-179	1,299	(X)
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	24,392	+/-4,175	(X)	(X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	33,757	+/-5,368	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	23,847	+/-3,009	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	55,757	+/-7,951	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	29,366	+/-5,442	(X)	(X)
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE				
Civilian noninstitutionalized population	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With private health insurance	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With public coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
No health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 18 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
No health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
In labor force:	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Employed:	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With private health insurance	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With public coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
No health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Unemployed:	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With private health insurance	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With public coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
No health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Not in labor force:	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With private health insurance	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With public coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
No health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL				
All families	(X)	(X)	6.1%	+/-2.4
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	14.9%	+/-6.2
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	19.0%	+/-20.5
Married couple families	(X)	(X)	1.0%	+/-1.3
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	3.4%	+/-4.2
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	0.0%	+/-44.2
Families with female householder, no husband present	(X)	(X)	37.5%	+/-16.3
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	38.3%	+/-18.0
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	34.5%	+/-40.8
All people	(X)	(X)	10.3%	+/-3.5
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	18.2%	+/-8.1
Related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	18.2%	+/-8.1
Related children under 5 years	(X)	(X)	20.8%	+/-14.5

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18 years and over	(X)	(X)	8.1%	+/-3.1
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	9.6%	+/-4.0
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	3.5%	+/-2.5
People in families	(X)	(X)	7.7%	+/-3.2
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	(X)	(X)	20.5%	+/-9.2

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There were changes in the edit between 2009 and 2010 regarding Supplemental Security Income (SSI) and Social Security. The changes in the edit loosened restrictions on disability requirements for receipt of SSI resulting in an increase in the total number of SSI recipients in the American Community Survey. The changes also loosened restrictions on possible reported monthly amounts in Social Security income resulting in higher Social Security aggregate amounts. These results more closely match administrative counts compiled by the Social Security Administration.

Workers include members of the Armed Forces and civilians who were at work last week.

Industry codes are 4-digit codes and are based on the North American Industry Classification System 2007. The Industry categories adhere to the guidelines issued in Clarification Memorandum No. 2, "NAICS Alternate Aggregation Structure for Use By U.S. Statistical Agencies," issued by the Office of Management and Budget.

Occupation codes are 4-digit codes and are based on the Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) 2010. The 2010 Census occupation codes were updated in accordance with the 2010 revision of the SOC. To allow for the creation of 2006-2010 and 2008-2010 tables, occupation data in the multiyear files (2006-2010 and 2008-2010) were recoded to 2010 Census occupation codes. We recommend using caution when comparing data coded using 2010 Census occupation codes with data coded using previous Census occupation codes. For more information on the Census occupation code changes, please visit our website at <http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/oiindex/>.

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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS

2006-2010 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

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Subject	Platte County, Wyoming			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSING OCCUPANCY				
Total housing units	4,659	+/-18	4,659	(X)
Occupied housing units	3,737	+/-176	80.2%	+/-3.7
Vacant housing units	922	+/-174	19.8%	+/-3.7
Homeowner vacancy rate	1.1	+/-0.9	(X)	(X)
Rental vacancy rate	8.4	+/-8.2	(X)	(X)
UNITS IN STRUCTURE				
Total housing units	4,659	+/-18	4,659	(X)
1-unit, detached	3,155	+/-197	67.7%	+/-4.2
1-unit, attached	62	+/-42	1.3%	+/-0.9
2 units	70	+/-44	1.5%	+/-0.9
3 or 4 units	179	+/-90	3.8%	+/-1.9
5 to 9 units	47	+/-38	1.0%	+/-0.8
10 to 19 units	80	+/-50	1.7%	+/-1.1
20 or more units	16	+/-27	0.3%	+/-0.6
Mobile home	1,050	+/-178	22.5%	+/-3.8
Boat, RV, van, etc.	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.7
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT				
Total housing units	4,659	+/-18	4,659	(X)
Built 2005 or later	16	+/-26	0.3%	+/-0.5
Built 2000 to 2004	120	+/-67	2.6%	+/-1.4
Built 1990 to 1999	455	+/-132	9.8%	+/-2.8
Built 1980 to 1989	493	+/-132	10.6%	+/-2.8
Built 1970 to 1979	1,431	+/-190	30.7%	+/-4.1
Built 1960 to 1969	416	+/-132	8.9%	+/-2.8
Built 1950 to 1959	379	+/-135	8.1%	+/-2.9
Built 1940 to 1949	243	+/-86	5.2%	+/-1.8
Built 1939 or earlier	1,106	+/-197	23.7%	+/-4.2
ROOMS				
Total housing units	4,659	+/-18	4,659	(X)
1 room	20	+/-22	0.4%	+/-0.5
2 rooms	93	+/-70	2.0%	+/-1.5
3 rooms	451	+/-123	9.7%	+/-2.6
4 rooms	974	+/-198	20.9%	+/-4.2

Subject	Platte County, Wyoming			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
5 rooms	858	+/-172	18.4%	+/-3.7
6 rooms	840	+/-170	18.0%	+/-3.6
7 rooms	391	+/-107	8.4%	+/-2.3
8 rooms	444	+/-131	9.5%	+/-2.8
9 rooms or more	588	+/-145	12.6%	+/-3.1
Median rooms	5.4	+/-0.3	(X)	(X)
BEDROOMS				
Total housing units	4,659	+/-18	4,659	(X)
No bedroom	20	+/-22	0.4%	+/-0.5
1 bedroom	417	+/-130	9.0%	+/-2.8
2 bedrooms	1,481	+/-201	31.8%	+/-4.3
3 bedrooms	1,883	+/-240	40.4%	+/-5.1
4 bedrooms	629	+/-149	13.5%	+/-3.2
5 or more bedrooms	229	+/-74	4.9%	+/-1.6
HOUSING TENURE				
Occupied housing units	3,737	+/-176	3,737	(X)
Owner-occupied	2,897	+/-229	77.5%	+/-4.8
Renter-occupied	840	+/-185	22.5%	+/-4.8
Average household size of owner-occupied unit	2.28	+/-0.13	(X)	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	2.43	+/-0.43	(X)	(X)
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT				
Occupied housing units	3,737	+/-176	3,737	(X)
Moved in 2005 or later	926	+/-172	24.8%	+/-4.3
Moved in 2000 to 2004	908	+/-150	24.3%	+/-3.9
Moved in 1990 to 1999	886	+/-148	23.7%	+/-3.8
Moved in 1980 to 1989	529	+/-127	14.2%	+/-3.3
Moved in 1970 to 1979	288	+/-89	7.7%	+/-2.4
Moved in 1969 or earlier	200	+/-86	5.4%	+/-2.3
VEHICLES AVAILABLE				
Occupied housing units	3,737	+/-176	3,737	(X)
No vehicles available	165	+/-74	4.4%	+/-2.0
1 vehicle available	833	+/-151	22.3%	+/-3.8
2 vehicles available	1,549	+/-226	41.5%	+/-5.6
3 or more vehicles available	1,190	+/-178	31.8%	+/-4.8
HOUSE HEATING FUEL				
Occupied housing units	3,737	+/-176	3,737	(X)
Utility gas	2,090	+/-192	55.9%	+/-4.5
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	639	+/-157	17.1%	+/-4.0
Electricity	555	+/-140	14.9%	+/-3.8
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	26	+/-29	0.7%	+/-0.8
Coal or coke	2	+/-4	0.1%	+/-0.1
Wood	330	+/-112	8.8%	+/-3.0
Solar energy	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.9
Other fuel	69	+/-49	1.8%	+/-1.3
No fuel used	26	+/-26	0.7%	+/-0.7
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS				
Occupied housing units	3,737	+/-176	3,737	(X)
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	17	+/-27	0.5%	+/-0.7
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	20	+/-32	0.5%	+/-0.9
No telephone service available	92	+/-52	2.5%	+/-1.4
OCCUPANTS PER ROOM				
Occupied housing units	3,737	+/-176	3,737	(X)
1.00 or less	3,675	+/-169	98.3%	+/-1.2
1.01 to 1.50	62	+/-44	1.7%	+/-1.2
1.51 or more	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.9
VALUE				
Owner-occupied units	2,897	+/-229	2,897	(X)
Less than \$50,000	413	+/-116	14.3%	+/-3.7

Subject	Platte County, Wyoming			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
\$50,000 to \$99,999	593	+/-133	20.5%	+/-4.2
\$100,000 to \$149,999	812	+/-142	28.0%	+/-4.4
\$150,000 to \$199,999	467	+/-129	16.1%	+/-4.3
\$200,000 to \$299,999	374	+/-108	12.9%	+/-3.7
\$300,000 to \$499,999	104	+/-55	3.6%	+/-1.9
\$500,000 to \$999,999	105	+/-50	3.6%	+/-1.7
\$1,000,000 or more	29	+/-28	1.0%	+/-0.9
Median (dollars)	127,600	+/-9,973	(X)	(X)
MORTGAGE STATUS				
Owner-occupied units	2,897	+/-229	2,897	(X)
Housing units with a mortgage	1,500	+/-187	51.8%	+/-5.5
Housing units without a mortgage	1,397	+/-204	48.2%	+/-5.5
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS (SMOC)				
Housing units with a mortgage	1,500	+/-187	1,500	(X)
Less than \$300	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-2.1
\$300 to \$499	101	+/-58	6.7%	+/-3.9
\$500 to \$699	180	+/-77	12.0%	+/-5.3
\$700 to \$999	516	+/-141	34.4%	+/-7.6
\$1,000 to \$1,499	376	+/-109	25.1%	+/-6.1
\$1,500 to \$1,999	189	+/-88	12.6%	+/-5.8
\$2,000 or more	138	+/-68	9.2%	+/-4.4
Median (dollars)	977	+/-61	(X)	(X)
Housing units without a mortgage	1,397	+/-204	1,397	(X)
Less than \$100	36	+/-30	2.6%	+/-2.1
\$100 to \$199	196	+/-86	14.0%	+/-5.5
\$200 to \$299	399	+/-121	28.6%	+/-7.1
\$300 to \$399	424	+/-123	30.4%	+/-7.9
\$400 or more	342	+/-95	24.5%	+/-6.3
Median (dollars)	312	+/-19	(X)	(X)
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (SMOCAP I)				
Housing units with a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAP I cannot be computed)	1,500	+/-187	1,500	(X)
Less than 20.0 percent	714	+/-145	47.6%	+/-7.9
20.0 to 24.9 percent	169	+/-55	11.3%	+/-3.8
25.0 to 29.9 percent	145	+/-92	9.7%	+/-5.8
30.0 to 34.9 percent	74	+/-46	4.9%	+/-2.9
35.0 percent or more	398	+/-114	26.5%	+/-7.0
Not computed	0	+/-119	(X)	(X)
Housing unit without a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAP I cannot be computed)	1,397	+/-204	1,397	(X)
Less than 10.0 percent	768	+/-168	55.0%	+/-7.9
10.0 to 14.9 percent	230	+/-86	16.5%	+/-6.0
15.0 to 19.9 percent	89	+/-56	6.4%	+/-4.0
20.0 to 24.9 percent	33	+/-30	2.4%	+/-2.1
25.0 to 29.9 percent	172	+/-81	12.3%	+/-5.4
30.0 to 34.9 percent	29	+/-31	2.1%	+/-2.2
35.0 percent or more	76	+/-51	5.4%	+/-3.6
Not computed	0	+/-119	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT				
Occupied units paying rent	718	+/-163	718	(X)
Less than \$200	24	+/-29	3.3%	+/-4.0
\$200 to \$299	81	+/-44	11.3%	+/-5.9
\$300 to \$499	208	+/-94	29.0%	+/-12.0
\$500 to \$749	319	+/-130	44.4%	+/-14.0
\$750 to \$999	81	+/-59	11.3%	+/-7.8
\$1,000 to \$1,499	5	+/-12	0.7%	+/-1.7
\$1,500 or more	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-4.4
Median (dollars)	557	+/-71	(X)	(X)
No rent paid	122	+/-68	(X)	(X)

Subject	Platte County, Wyoming			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (GRAPI)				
Occupied units paying rent (excluding units where GRAPI cannot be computed)	718	+/-163	718	(X)
Less than 15.0 percent	125	+/-67	17.4%	+/-9.7
15.0 to 19.9 percent	136	+/-79	18.9%	+/-10.1
20.0 to 24.9 percent	61	+/-47	8.5%	+/-6.2
25.0 to 29.9 percent	163	+/-100	22.7%	+/-12.9
30.0 to 34.9 percent	74	+/-78	10.3%	+/-10.4
35.0 percent or more	159	+/-85	22.1%	+/-11.3
Not computed	122	+/-68	(X)	(X)

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The 2009 and 2010 plumbing data for Puerto Rico will not be shown. Research indicates that the questions on plumbing facilities that were introduced in 2008 in the stateside American Community Survey and the 2008 Puerto Rico Community Survey may not have been appropriate for Puerto Rico.

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ACS DEMOGRAPHIC AND HOUSING ESTIMATES

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Subject	Platte County, Wyoming			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
SEX AND AGE				
Total population	8,655	*****	8,655	(X)
Male	4,282	+/-45	49.5%	+/-0.5
Female	4,373	+/-45	50.5%	+/-0.5
Under 5 years	424	+/-26	4.9%	+/-0.3
5 to 9 years	587	+/-96	6.8%	+/-1.1
10 to 14 years	481	+/-95	5.6%	+/-1.1
15 to 19 years	656	+/-94	7.6%	+/-1.1
20 to 24 years	298	+/-84	3.4%	+/-1.0
25 to 34 years	726	+/-67	8.4%	+/-0.8
35 to 44 years	979	+/-38	11.3%	+/-0.4
45 to 54 years	1,425	+/-43	16.5%	+/-0.5
55 to 59 years	784	+/-123	9.1%	+/-1.4
60 to 64 years	616	+/-117	7.1%	+/-1.3
65 to 74 years	932	+/-8	10.8%	+/-0.1
75 to 84 years	524	+/-77	6.1%	+/-0.9
85 years and over	223	+/-72	2.6%	+/-0.8
Median age (years)	46.4	+/-1.0	(X)	(X)
18 years and over	6,781	*****	78.3%	*****
21 years and over	6,445	+/-90	74.5%	+/-1.0
62 years and over	2,112	+/-116	24.4%	+/-1.3
65 years and over	1,679	+/-28	19.4%	+/-0.3
18 years and over	6,781	*****	6,781	(X)
Male	3,398	+/-34	50.1%	+/-0.5
Female	3,383	+/-33	49.9%	+/-0.5
65 years and over	1,679	+/-28	1,679	(X)
Male	809	+/-26	48.2%	+/-0.8
Female	870	+/-6	51.8%	+/-0.8
RACE				
Total population	8,655	*****	8,655	(X)
One race	8,573	+/-68	99.1%	+/-0.8
Two or more races	82	+/-68	0.9%	+/-0.8
One race	8,573	+/-68	99.1%	+/-0.8
White	8,270	+/-110	95.6%	+/-1.3

Subject	Platte County, Wyoming			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Black or African American	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
American Indian and Alaska Native	47	+/-63	0.5%	+/-0.7
Cherokee tribal grouping	4	+/-6	0.0%	+/-0.1
Chippewa tribal grouping	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Navajo tribal grouping	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Sioux tribal grouping	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Asian	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Asian Indian	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Chinese	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Filipino	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Japanese	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Korean	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Vietnamese	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Other Asian	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Native Hawaiian	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Guamanian or Chamorro	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Samoan	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Other Pacific Islander	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Some other race	256	+/-98	3.0%	+/-1.1
Two or more races	82	+/-68	0.9%	+/-0.8
White and Black or African American	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
White and American Indian and Alaska Native	20	+/-24	0.2%	+/-0.3
White and Asian	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Black or African American and American Indian and Alaska Native	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races				
Total population	8,655	*****	8,655	(X)
White	8,352	+/-111	96.5%	+/-1.3
Black or African American	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
American Indian and Alaska Native	67	+/-70	0.8%	+/-0.8
Asian	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Some other race	318	+/-102	3.7%	+/-1.2
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE				
Total population	8,655	*****	8,655	(X)
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	505	*****	5.8%	*****
Mexican	436	+/-76	5.0%	+/-0.9
Puerto Rican	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Cuban	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Other Hispanic or Latino	69	+/-76	0.8%	+/-0.9
Not Hispanic or Latino	8,150	*****	94.2%	*****
White alone	8,077	+/-72	93.3%	+/-0.8
Black or African American alone	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	43	+/-63	0.5%	+/-0.7
Asian alone	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Some other race alone	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Two or more races	30	+/-30	0.3%	+/-0.3
Two races including Some other race	10	+/-16	0.1%	+/-0.2
Two races excluding Some other race, and Three or more races	20	+/-24	0.2%	+/-0.3
Total housing units	4,659	+/-18	(X)	(X)

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For more information on understanding race and Hispanic origin data, please see the Census 2010 Brief entitled, Overview of Race and Hispanic Origin: 2010, issued March 2011. (pdf format)

The ACS questions on Hispanic origin and race were revised in 2008 to make them consistent with the Census 2010 question wording. Any changes in estimates for 2008 and beyond may be due to demographic changes, as well as factors including questionnaire changes, differences in ACS population controls, and methodological differences in the population estimates, and therefore should be used with caution. For a summary of questionnaire changes see http://www.census.gov/acs/www/methodology/questionnaire_changes/. For more information about changes in the estimates see <http://www.census.gov/population/www/socdemo/hispanic/reports.html>.

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