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SELECTED SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS IN THE UNITED STATES

2007-2011 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

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Subject	Platte County, Wyoming			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	3,647	+/-206	3,647	(X)
Family households (families)	2,407	+/-218	66.0%	+/-4.7
With own children under 18 years	968	+/-113	26.5%	+/-2.9
Married-couple family	2,004	+/-211	54.9%	+/-4.9
With own children under 18 years	638	+/-118	17.5%	+/-3.2
Male householder, no wife present, family	68	+/-53	1.9%	+/-1.4
With own children under 18 years	43	+/-40	1.2%	+/-1.1
Female householder, no husband present, family	335	+/-106	9.2%	+/-2.9
With own children under 18 years	287	+/-101	7.9%	+/-2.8
Nonfamily households	1,240	+/-185	34.0%	+/-4.7
Householder living alone	1,163	+/-178	31.9%	+/-4.6
65 years and over	580	+/-142	15.9%	+/-3.7
Households with one or more people under 18 years	1,017	+/-118	27.9%	+/-3.0
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	1,210	+/-117	33.2%	+/-2.4
Average household size	2.35	+/-0.13	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.93	+/-0.21	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	8,581	+/-43	8,581	(X)
Householder	3,647	+/-206	42.5%	+/-2.4
Spouse	2,001	+/-210	23.3%	+/-2.4
Child	2,401	+/-193	28.0%	+/-2.2
Other relatives	253	+/-172	2.9%	+/-2.0
Nonrelatives	279	+/-115	3.3%	+/-1.3
Unmarried partner	130	+/-63	1.5%	+/-0.7
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	3,629	+/-25	3,629	(X)
Never married	887	+/-166	24.4%	+/-4.6
Now married, except separated	2,060	+/-267	56.8%	+/-7.4
Separated	51	+/-44	1.4%	+/-1.2
Widowed	132	+/-83	3.6%	+/-2.3
Divorced	499	+/-171	13.8%	+/-4.7
Females 15 years and over	3,585	+/-25	3,585	(X)
Never married	623	+/-124	17.4%	+/-3.4

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Now married, except separated	2,025	+/-184	56.5%	+/-5.1
Separated	45	+/-39	1.3%	+/-1.1
Widowed	468	+/-113	13.1%	+/-3.2
Divorced	424	+/-130	11.8%	+/-3.6
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	51	+/-38	51	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	6	+/-8	11.8%	+/-16.7
Per 1,000 unmarried women	8	+/-11	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	31	+/-24	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/-116	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	68	+/-55	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	19	+/-29	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	95	+/-64	95	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	77	+/-59	81.1%	+/-27.6
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	4	+/-9	4.2%	+/-10.4
1 or 2 years	27	+/-31	28.4%	+/-32.1
3 or 4 years	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-28.3
5 or more years	46	+/-52	48.4%	+/-36.7
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	77	+/-59	77	(X)
Who are female	47	+/-36	61.0%	+/-18.7
Who are married	58	+/-51	75.3%	+/-32.5
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	1,933	+/-132	1,933	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	183	+/-75	9.5%	+/-3.6
Kindergarten	128	+/-50	6.6%	+/-2.7
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	769	+/-87	39.8%	+/-5.2
High school (grades 9-12)	506	+/-94	26.2%	+/-5.2
College or graduate school	347	+/-129	18.0%	+/-5.8
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	6,337	+/-29	6,337	(X)
Less than 9th grade	198	+/-109	3.1%	+/-1.7
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	326	+/-94	5.1%	+/-1.5
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	2,218	+/-254	35.0%	+/-4.0
Some college, no degree	1,657	+/-252	26.1%	+/-4.0
Associate's degree	743	+/-167	11.7%	+/-2.6
Bachelor's degree	718	+/-194	11.3%	+/-3.1
Graduate or professional degree	477	+/-130	7.5%	+/-2.0
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	91.7%	+/-1.9
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	18.9%	+/-3.7
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	6,814	+/-29	6,814	(X)
Civilian veterans	1,049	+/-158	15.4%	+/-2.3
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	8,650	+/-29	8,650	(X)
Same house	7,619	+/-272	88.1%	+/-3.2

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Different house in the U.S.	1,022	+/-284	11.8%	+/-3.3
Same county	585	+/-216	6.8%	+/-2.5
Different county	437	+/-249	5.1%	+/-2.9
Same state	337	+/-239	3.9%	+/-2.8
Different state	100	+/-61	1.2%	+/-0.7
Abroad	9	+/-14	0.1%	+/-0.2
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	8,681	*****	8,681	(X)
Native	8,581	+/-79	98.8%	+/-0.9
Born in United States	8,542	+/-87	98.4%	+/-1.0
State of residence	4,181	+/-379	48.2%	+/-4.4
Different state	4,361	+/-367	50.2%	+/-4.2
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	39	+/-38	0.4%	+/-0.4
Foreign born	100	+/-79	1.2%	+/-0.9
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	100	+/-79	100	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	68	+/-60	68.0%	+/-22.8
Not a U.S. citizen	32	+/-34	32.0%	+/-22.8
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	139	+/-87	139	(X)
Native	39	+/-38	39	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	7	+/-14	17.9%	+/-34.0
Entered before 2000	32	+/-35	82.1%	+/-34.0
Foreign born	100	+/-79	100	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	36	+/-54	36.0%	+/-36.1
Entered before 2000	64	+/-50	64.0%	+/-36.1
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	100	+/-79	100	(X)
Europe	10	+/-17	10.0%	+/-16.3
Asia	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-27.2
Africa	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-27.2
Oceania	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-27.2
Latin America	90	+/-77	90.0%	+/-16.3
Northern America	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-27.2
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	8,265	+/-27	8,265	(X)
English only	7,954	+/-124	96.2%	+/-1.4
Language other than English	311	+/-112	3.8%	+/-1.4
Speak English less than "very well"	122	+/-106	1.5%	+/-1.3
Spanish	285	+/-105	3.4%	+/-1.3
Speak English less than "very well"	104	+/-100	1.3%	+/-1.2
Other Indo-European languages	25	+/-25	0.3%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	17	+/-24	0.2%	+/-0.3
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Other languages	1	+/-5	0.0%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	1	+/-5	0.0%	+/-0.1
ANCESTRY				
Total population	8,681	*****	8,681	(X)
American	477	+/-167	5.5%	+/-1.9
Arab	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Czech	94	+/-64	1.1%	+/-0.7
Danish	53	+/-46	0.6%	+/-0.5
Dutch	331	+/-163	3.8%	+/-1.9
English	1,902	+/-312	21.9%	+/-3.6
French (except Basque)	260	+/-126	3.0%	+/-1.5
French Canadian	5	+/-11	0.1%	+/-0.1
German	3,571	+/-425	41.1%	+/-4.9

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Greek	38	+/-34	0.4%	+/-0.4
Hungarian	52	+/-47	0.6%	+/-0.5
Irish	1,558	+/-353	17.9%	+/-4.1
Italian	224	+/-104	2.6%	+/-1.2
Lithuanian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Norwegian	286	+/-177	3.3%	+/-2.0
Polish	152	+/-81	1.8%	+/-0.9
Portuguese	16	+/-19	0.2%	+/-0.2
Russian	199	+/-136	2.3%	+/-1.6
Scotch-Irish	274	+/-131	3.2%	+/-1.5
Scottish	281	+/-126	3.2%	+/-1.4
Slovak	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Subsaharan African	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Swedish	282	+/-97	3.2%	+/-1.1
Swiss	31	+/-44	0.4%	+/-0.5
Ukrainian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Welsh	35	+/-32	0.4%	+/-0.4
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4

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While the 2007-2011 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, 2007-2011 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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8. An '(X)' means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.



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EMPLOYMENT STATUS				
Population 16 years and over	7,062	+/-56	7,062	(X)
In labor force	4,315	+/-216	61.1%	+/-3.0
Civilian labor force	4,273	+/-216	60.5%	+/-2.9
Employed	4,171	+/-220	59.1%	+/-3.0
Unemployed	102	+/-57	1.4%	+/-0.8
Armed Forces	42	+/-29	0.6%	+/-0.4
Not in labor force	2,747	+/-208	38.9%	+/-3.0
Civilian labor force	4,273	+/-216	4,273	(X)
Percent Unemployed	(X)	(X)	2.4%	+/-1.3
Females 16 years and over	3,505	+/-38	3,505	(X)
In labor force	1,985	+/-188	56.6%	+/-5.3
Civilian labor force	1,985	+/-188	56.6%	+/-5.3
Employed	1,939	+/-192	55.3%	+/-5.5
Own children under 6 years	578	+/-69	578	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	424	+/-88	73.4%	+/-12.0
Own children 6 to 17 years	1,201	+/-77	1,201	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	810	+/-165	67.4%	+/-12.8
COMMUTING TO WORK				
Workers 16 years and over	4,086	+/-228	4,086	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	3,136	+/-228	76.7%	+/-5.3
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	283	+/-101	6.9%	+/-2.4
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	28	+/-19	0.7%	+/-0.5
Walked	233	+/-95	5.7%	+/-2.3
Other means	53	+/-50	1.3%	+/-1.2
Worked at home	353	+/-227	8.6%	+/-5.4
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	17.5	+/-2.5	(X)	(X)
OCCUPATION				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	4,171	+/-220	4,171	(X)
Management, business, science, and arts occupations	1,295	+/-210	31.0%	+/-4.6
Service occupations	884	+/-234	21.2%	+/-5.4
Sales and office occupations	743	+/-145	17.8%	+/-3.4
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	790	+/-131	18.9%	+/-3.1

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	459	+/-154	11.0%	+/-3.7
INDUSTRY				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	4,171	+/-220	4,171	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	621	+/-256	14.9%	+/-5.8
Construction	208	+/-72	5.0%	+/-1.8
Manufacturing	58	+/-41	1.4%	+/-1.0
Wholesale trade	29	+/-31	0.7%	+/-0.7
Retail trade	444	+/-133	10.6%	+/-3.3
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	643	+/-156	15.4%	+/-3.7
Information	45	+/-36	1.1%	+/-0.9
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	209	+/-87	5.0%	+/-2.0
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	221	+/-106	5.3%	+/-2.6
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	813	+/-179	19.5%	+/-4.2
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	528	+/-215	12.7%	+/-5.0
Other services, except public administration	167	+/-81	4.0%	+/-2.0
Public administration	185	+/-78	4.4%	+/-1.8
CLASS OF WORKER				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	4,171	+/-220	4,171	(X)
Private wage and salary workers	2,842	+/-229	68.1%	+/-4.8
Government workers	768	+/-169	18.4%	+/-3.9
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	546	+/-202	13.1%	+/-4.7
Unpaid family workers	15	+/-26	0.4%	+/-0.6
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2011 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)				
Total households	3,647	+/-206	3,647	(X)
Less than \$10,000	232	+/-79	6.4%	+/-2.1
\$10,000 to \$14,999	248	+/-116	6.8%	+/-3.1
\$15,000 to \$24,999	426	+/-128	11.7%	+/-3.5
\$25,000 to \$34,999	516	+/-148	14.1%	+/-3.9
\$35,000 to \$49,999	605	+/-147	16.6%	+/-3.9
\$50,000 to \$74,999	664	+/-137	18.2%	+/-3.5
\$75,000 to \$99,999	446	+/-126	12.2%	+/-3.4
\$100,000 to \$149,999	361	+/-110	9.9%	+/-3.0
\$150,000 to \$199,999	110	+/-75	3.0%	+/-2.0
\$200,000 or more	39	+/-32	1.1%	+/-0.9
Median household income (dollars)	46,171	+/-2,817	(X)	(X)
Mean household income (dollars)	56,638	+/-4,097	(X)	(X)
With earnings	2,765	+/-184	75.8%	+/-3.4
Mean earnings (dollars)	56,386	+/-4,519	(X)	(X)
With Social Security	1,487	+/-170	40.8%	+/-3.5
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	15,494	+/-1,176	(X)	(X)
With retirement income	826	+/-129	22.6%	+/-3.2
Mean retirement income (dollars)	15,459	+/-2,091	(X)	(X)
With Supplemental Security Income	72	+/-52	2.0%	+/-1.4
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	6,876	+/-2,307	(X)	(X)
With cash public assistance income	57	+/-40	1.6%	+/-1.1
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	3,263	+/-4,247	(X)	(X)
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	240	+/-82	6.6%	+/-2.2
Families	2,407	+/-218	2,407	(X)
Less than \$10,000	83	+/-51	3.4%	+/-2.1
\$10,000 to \$14,999	98	+/-61	4.1%	+/-2.5
\$15,000 to \$24,999	151	+/-80	6.3%	+/-3.2
\$25,000 to \$34,999	305	+/-106	12.7%	+/-4.3
\$35,000 to \$49,999	409	+/-112	17.0%	+/-4.4
\$50,000 to \$74,999	508	+/-114	21.1%	+/-4.4

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\$75,000 to \$99,999	374	+/-105	15.5%	+/-4.4
\$100,000 to \$149,999	358	+/-109	14.9%	+/-4.4
\$150,000 to \$199,999	92	+/-72	3.8%	+/-2.9
\$200,000 or more	29	+/-28	1.2%	+/-1.2
Median family income (dollars)	56,875	+/-6,603	(X)	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	67,300	+/-5,398	(X)	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)	25,280	+/-1,688	(X)	(X)
Nonfamily households	1,240	+/-185	1,240	(X)
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	24,444	+/-4,077	(X)	(X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	33,920	+/-4,742	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	26,468	+/-2,785	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	51,298	+/-5,113	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	35,845	+/-4,862	(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)	8.6%	+/-3.1
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	19.3%	+/-7.5
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	16.7%	+/-13.8
Married couple families	(X)	(X)	1.5%	+/-1.7
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	4.5%	+/-5.0
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	0.0%	+/-27.8
Families with female householder, no husband present	(X)	(X)	49.6%	+/-15.6
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	50.7%	+/-16.9
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	56.1%	+/-40.2
All people	(X)	(X)	11.8%	+/-3.2
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	25.0%	+/-9.7
Related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	25.0%	+/-9.7
Related children under 5 years	(X)	(X)	28.5%	+/-13.1
Related children 5 to 17 years	(X)	(X)	23.9%	+/-11.4
18 years and over	(X)	(X)	8.3%	+/-2.1
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	8.6%	+/-2.4

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65 years and over	(X)	(X)	7.5%	+/-4.2
People in families	(X)	(X)	10.6%	+/-3.9
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	(X)	(X)	17.6%	+/-5.6

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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.

Census occupation codes are 4-digit codes and are based on the Standard Occupational Classification (SOC). The Census occupation codes for 2010 and later years are based on the 2010 revision of the SOC. To allow for the creation of 2007-2011 and 2009-2011 tables, occupation data in the multiyear files (2007-2011 and 2009-2011) were recoded to 2011 Census occupation codes. We recommend using caution when comparing data coded using 2011 Census occupation codes with data coded using Census occupation codes prior to 2010. 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

2007-2011 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

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Subject	Platte County, Wyoming			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSING OCCUPANCY				
Total housing units	4,665	+/-25	4,665	(X)
Occupied housing units	3,647	+/-206	78.2%	+/-4.5
Vacant housing units	1,018	+/-210	21.8%	+/-4.5
Homeowner vacancy rate	1.0	+/-0.9	(X)	(X)
Rental vacancy rate	7.2	+/-8.5	(X)	(X)
UNITS IN STRUCTURE				
Total housing units	4,665	+/-25	4,665	(X)
1-unit, detached	3,322	+/-207	71.2%	+/-4.4
1-unit, attached	69	+/-48	1.5%	+/-1.0
2 units	36	+/-32	0.8%	+/-0.7
3 or 4 units	132	+/-81	2.8%	+/-1.7
5 to 9 units	45	+/-32	1.0%	+/-0.7
10 to 19 units	65	+/-46	1.4%	+/-1.0
20 or more units	15	+/-24	0.3%	+/-0.5
Mobile home	981	+/-190	21.0%	+/-4.1
Boat, RV, van, etc.	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.7
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT				
Total housing units	4,665	+/-25	4,665	(X)
Built 2005 or later	16	+/-23	0.3%	+/-0.5
Built 2000 to 2004	95	+/-45	2.0%	+/-1.0
Built 1990 to 1999	432	+/-121	9.3%	+/-2.6
Built 1980 to 1989	481	+/-143	10.3%	+/-3.1
Built 1970 to 1979	1,372	+/-210	29.4%	+/-4.5
Built 1960 to 1969	418	+/-118	9.0%	+/-2.5
Built 1950 to 1959	438	+/-140	9.4%	+/-3.0
Built 1940 to 1949	279	+/-88	6.0%	+/-1.9
Built 1939 or earlier	1,134	+/-174	24.3%	+/-3.7
ROOMS				
Total housing units	4,665	+/-25	4,665	(X)
1 room	22	+/-23	0.5%	+/-0.5
2 rooms	71	+/-71	1.5%	+/-1.5
3 rooms	392	+/-152	8.4%	+/-3.3
4 rooms	1,059	+/-205	22.7%	+/-4.4
5 rooms	742	+/-160	15.9%	+/-3.4

Subject	Platte County, Wyoming			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
6 rooms	799	+/-152	17.1%	+/-3.3
7 rooms	440	+/-130	9.4%	+/-2.8
8 rooms	484	+/-136	10.4%	+/-2.9
9 rooms or more	656	+/-148	14.1%	+/-3.2
Median rooms	5.6	+/-0.3	(X)	(X)
BEDROOMS				
Total housing units	4,665	+/-25	4,665	(X)
No bedroom	22	+/-23	0.5%	+/-0.5
1 bedroom	348	+/-114	7.5%	+/-2.4
2 bedrooms	1,504	+/-156	32.2%	+/-3.4
3 bedrooms	1,935	+/-227	41.5%	+/-4.9
4 bedrooms	633	+/-151	13.6%	+/-3.2
5 or more bedrooms	223	+/-79	4.8%	+/-1.7
HOUSING TENURE				
Occupied housing units	3,647	+/-206	3,647	(X)
Owner-occupied	2,849	+/-253	78.1%	+/-4.8
Renter-occupied	798	+/-175	21.9%	+/-4.8
Average household size of owner-occupied unit	2.36	+/-0.16	(X)	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	2.33	+/-0.34	(X)	(X)
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT				
Occupied housing units	3,647	+/-206	3,647	(X)
Moved in 2005 or later	1,063	+/-159	29.1%	+/-4.3
Moved in 2000 to 2004	752	+/-153	20.6%	+/-3.8
Moved in 1990 to 1999	807	+/-144	22.1%	+/-4.0
Moved in 1980 to 1989	533	+/-138	14.6%	+/-3.6
Moved in 1970 to 1979	326	+/-120	8.9%	+/-3.2
Moved in 1969 or earlier	166	+/-78	4.6%	+/-2.1
VEHICLES AVAILABLE				
Occupied housing units	3,647	+/-206	3,647	(X)
No vehicles available	163	+/-74	4.5%	+/-2.0
1 vehicle available	857	+/-154	23.5%	+/-3.8
2 vehicles available	1,496	+/-213	41.0%	+/-5.0
3 or more vehicles available	1,131	+/-176	31.0%	+/-5.0
HOUSE HEATING FUEL				
Occupied housing units	3,647	+/-206	3,647	(X)
Utility gas	2,141	+/-205	58.7%	+/-5.2
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	522	+/-123	14.3%	+/-3.2
Electricity	590	+/-130	16.2%	+/-3.4
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	25	+/-29	0.7%	+/-0.8
Coal or coke	8	+/-8	0.2%	+/-0.2
Wood	311	+/-126	8.5%	+/-3.4
Solar energy	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.9
Other fuel	35	+/-34	1.0%	+/-0.9
No fuel used	15	+/-25	0.4%	+/-0.7
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS				
Occupied housing units	3,647	+/-206	3,647	(X)
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	21	+/-34	0.6%	+/-0.9
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	19	+/-35	0.5%	+/-0.9
No telephone service available	62	+/-47	1.7%	+/-1.3
OCCUPANTS PER ROOM				
Occupied housing units	3,647	+/-206	3,647	(X)
1.00 or less	3,600	+/-209	98.7%	+/-1.1
1.01 to 1.50	47	+/-39	1.3%	+/-1.1
1.51 or more	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.9
VALUE				
Owner-occupied units	2,849	+/-253	2,849	(X)
Less than \$50,000	347	+/-113	12.2%	+/-3.8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	562	+/-140	19.7%	+/-4.3
\$100,000 to \$149,999	722	+/-166	25.3%	+/-5.0

Subject	Platte County, Wyoming			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
\$150,000 to \$199,999	525	+/-110	18.4%	+/-3.8
\$200,000 to \$299,999	474	+/-129	16.6%	+/-4.5
\$300,000 to \$499,999	98	+/-50	3.4%	+/-1.8
\$500,000 to \$999,999	82	+/-67	2.9%	+/-2.3
\$1,000,000 or more	39	+/-40	1.4%	+/-1.4
Median (dollars)	136,100	+/-9,911	(X)	(X)
MORTGAGE STATUS				
Owner-occupied units	2,849	+/-253	2,849	(X)
Housing units with a mortgage	1,456	+/-231	51.1%	+/-6.1
Housing units without a mortgage	1,393	+/-197	48.9%	+/-6.1
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS (SMOC)				
Housing units with a mortgage	1,456	+/-231	1,456	(X)
Less than \$300	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-2.2
\$300 to \$499	64	+/-44	4.4%	+/-3.0
\$500 to \$699	132	+/-79	9.1%	+/-4.9
\$700 to \$999	454	+/-138	31.2%	+/-7.7
\$1,000 to \$1,499	464	+/-134	31.9%	+/-8.8
\$1,500 to \$1,999	211	+/-114	14.5%	+/-7.1
\$2,000 or more	131	+/-73	9.0%	+/-4.9
Median (dollars)	1,074	+/-109	(X)	(X)
Housing units without a mortgage	1,393	+/-197	1,393	(X)
Less than \$100	37	+/-34	2.7%	+/-2.4
\$100 to \$199	140	+/-60	10.1%	+/-4.2
\$200 to \$299	388	+/-120	27.9%	+/-7.0
\$300 to \$399	497	+/-138	35.7%	+/-8.9
\$400 or more	331	+/-112	23.8%	+/-7.2
Median (dollars)	323	+/-16	(X)	(X)
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (SMOCAPI)				
Housing units with a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)	1,456	+/-231	1,456	(X)
Less than 20.0 percent	696	+/-141	47.8%	+/-6.7
20.0 to 24.9 percent	154	+/-71	10.6%	+/-4.5
25.0 to 29.9 percent	135	+/-93	9.3%	+/-6.1
30.0 to 34.9 percent	27	+/-22	1.9%	+/-1.6
35.0 percent or more	444	+/-136	30.5%	+/-7.7
Not computed	0	+/-89	(X)	(X)
Housing unit without a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)	1,393	+/-197	1,393	(X)
Less than 10.0 percent	799	+/-159	57.4%	+/-8.1
10.0 to 14.9 percent	249	+/-83	17.9%	+/-5.9
15.0 to 19.9 percent	76	+/-50	5.5%	+/-3.5
20.0 to 24.9 percent	36	+/-32	2.6%	+/-2.3
25.0 to 29.9 percent	92	+/-66	6.6%	+/-4.9
30.0 to 34.9 percent	52	+/-43	3.7%	+/-3.0
35.0 percent or more	89	+/-67	6.4%	+/-4.4
Not computed	0	+/-89	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT				
Occupied units paying rent	658	+/-164	658	(X)
Less than \$200	24	+/-28	3.6%	+/-4.2
\$200 to \$299	47	+/-36	7.1%	+/-5.5
\$300 to \$499	240	+/-107	36.5%	+/-13.3
\$500 to \$749	274	+/-127	41.6%	+/-14.1
\$750 to \$999	67	+/-43	10.2%	+/-7.0
\$1,000 to \$1,499	6	+/-10	0.9%	+/-1.6
\$1,500 or more	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-4.8
Median (dollars)	547	+/-103	(X)	(X)
No rent paid	140	+/-70	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (GRAPI)				

Subject	Platte County, Wyoming			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Occupied units paying rent (excluding units where GRAPI cannot be computed)	658	+/-164	658	(X)
Less than 15.0 percent	101	+/-50	15.3%	+/-8.0
15.0 to 19.9 percent	168	+/-100	25.5%	+/-13.8
20.0 to 24.9 percent	74	+/-56	11.2%	+/-8.2
25.0 to 29.9 percent	63	+/-51	9.6%	+/-7.3
30.0 to 34.9 percent	80	+/-79	12.2%	+/-10.9
35.0 percent or more	172	+/-90	26.1%	+/-12.6
Not computed	140	+/-70	(X)	(X)

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The median gross rent excludes no cash renters.

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The 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, and 2011 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.

Median calculations for base table sourcing VAL, MHC, SMOC, and TAX should exclude zero values.

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ACS DEMOGRAPHIC AND HOUSING ESTIMATES

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
SEX AND AGE				
Total population	8,681	****	8,681	(X)
Male	4,296	+/-43	49.5%	+/-0.5
Female	4,385	+/-43	50.5%	+/-0.5
Under 5 years	416	+/-27	4.8%	+/-0.3
5 to 9 years	570	+/-88	6.6%	+/-1.0
10 to 14 years	481	+/-86	5.5%	+/-1.0
15 to 19 years	647	+/-86	7.5%	+/-1.0
20 to 24 years	230	+/-77	2.6%	+/-0.9
25 to 34 years	778	+/-48	9.0%	+/-0.6
35 to 44 years	916	+/-31	10.6%	+/-0.4
45 to 54 years	1,442	+/-45	16.6%	+/-0.5
55 to 59 years	717	+/-143	8.3%	+/-1.6
60 to 64 years	718	+/-141	8.3%	+/-1.6
65 to 74 years	969	+/-8	11.2%	+/-0.1
75 to 84 years	562	+/-76	6.5%	+/-0.9
85 years and over	235	+/-71	2.7%	+/-0.8
Median age (years)	47.5	+/-0.6	(X)	(X)
18 years and over	6,853	****	78.9%	****
21 years and over	6,538	+/-81	75.3%	+/-0.9
62 years and over	2,259	+/-153	26.0%	+/-1.8
65 years and over	1,766	+/-32	20.3%	+/-0.4
18 years and over	6,853	****	6,853	(X)
Male	3,446	+/-23	50.3%	+/-0.3
Female	3,407	+/-23	49.7%	+/-0.3
65 years and over	1,766	+/-32	1,766	(X)
Male	860	+/-25	48.7%	+/-0.8
Female	906	+/-17	51.3%	+/-0.8
RACE				
Total population	8,681	****	8,681	(X)
One race	8,569	+/-91	98.7%	+/-1.0
Two or more races	112	+/-91	1.3%	+/-1.0
One race	8,569	+/-91	98.7%	+/-1.0
White	8,250	+/-125	95.0%	+/-1.4
Black or African American	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4

Subject	Platte County, Wyoming			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
American Indian and Alaska Native	59	+/-76	0.7%	+/-0.9
Cherokee tribal grouping	3	+/-5	0.0%	+/-0.1
Chippewa tribal grouping	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Navajo tribal grouping	1	+/-5	0.0%	+/-0.1
Sioux tribal grouping	3	+/-4	0.0%	+/-0.1
Asian	6	+/-9	0.1%	+/-0.1
Asian Indian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Chinese	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Filipino	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Japanese	6	+/-9	0.1%	+/-0.1
Korean	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Vietnamese	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Other Asian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Native Hawaiian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Guamanian or Chamorro	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Samoan	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Other Pacific Islander	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Some other race	254	+/-91	2.9%	+/-1.1
Two or more races	112	+/-91	1.3%	+/-1.0
White and Black or African American	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
White and American Indian and Alaska Native	18	+/-20	0.2%	+/-0.2
White and Asian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Black or African American and American Indian and Alaska Native	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races				
Total population	8,681	****	8,681	(X)
White	8,361	+/-115	96.3%	+/-1.3
Black or African American	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
American Indian and Alaska Native	77	+/-78	0.9%	+/-0.9
Asian	7	+/-9	0.1%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Some other race	348	+/-112	4.0%	+/-1.3
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE				
Total population	8,681	****	8,681	(X)
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	538	****	6.2%	****
Mexican	435	+/-86	5.0%	+/-1.0
Puerto Rican	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Cuban	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Other Hispanic or Latino	103	+/-86	1.2%	+/-1.0
Not Hispanic or Latino	8,143	****	93.8%	****
White alone	8,053	+/-73	92.8%	+/-0.8
Black or African American alone	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	53	+/-77	0.6%	+/-0.9
Asian alone	6	+/-9	0.1%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Some other race alone	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
Two or more races	31	+/-29	0.4%	+/-0.3
Two races including Some other race	13	+/-23	0.1%	+/-0.3
Two races excluding Some other race, and Three or more races	18	+/-20	0.2%	+/-0.2
Total housing units	4,665	+/-25	(X)	(X)

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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>.

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)

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