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Profile of General Population and Housing Characteristics: 2010

2010 Demographic Profile Data

NOTE: For more information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see http://www.census.gov/prod/cen2010/profiletd.pdf.

GEO: South Carolina

Subject	Number	Percent
SEX AND AGE		
Total population	4,625,364	100.0
Under 5 years	302,297	6.5
5 to 9 years	295,853	6.4
10 to 14 years	297,286	6.4
15 to 19 years	328,989	7.1
20 to 24 years	332,494	7.2
25 to 29 years	304,378	6.6
30 to 34 years	287,678	6.2
35 to 39 years	296,682	6.4
40 to 44 years	304,610	6.6
45 to 49 years	332,766	7.2
50 to 54 years	326,662	7.1
55 to 59 years	303,240	6.6
60 to 64 years	280,555	6.1
65 to 69 years	215,561	4.7
70 to 74 years	153,482	3.3
75 to 79 years	113,248	2.4
80 to 84 years	78,866	1.7
85 years and over	70,717	1.5
Median age (years)	37.9	(X)
16 years and over	3,669,965	79.3
18 years and over	3,544,890	76.6
21 years and over	3,327,093	71.9
62 years and over	797,018	17.2
65 years and over	631,874	13.7
Male population	2,250,101	48.6
Under 5 years	153,432	3.3
5 to 9 years	150,301	3.2
10 to 14 years	152,166	3.3
15 to 19 years	168,250	3.6
20 to 24 years	168,546	3.6
25 to 29 years	151,620	3.3
30 to 34 years	142,881	3.1
35 to 39 years	145,905	3.2
40 to 44 years	149,319	3.2
45 to 49 years	161,848	3.5
50 to 54 years	156,907	3.4
55 to 59 years	142,682	3.1
60 to 64 years	132,762	2.9
65 to 69 years	101,727	2.2
70 to 74 years	70,340	1.5
75 to 79 years	49,294	1.1
80 to 84 years	30,710	0.7
85 years and over	21,411	0.5

Subject	Number	Percent
Median age (years)	36.4	(X
16 years and over	1,763,417	38.
18 years and over	1,699,463	36.
21 years and over	1,588,301	34
62 years and over	351,587	7
65 years and over	273,482	5
Female population	2,375,263	51
Under 5 years	148,865	3
5 to 9 years	145,552	3
10 to 14 years	145,120	3
15 to 19 years	160,739	3
20 to 24 years	163,948	3
25 to 29 years	152,758	3
30 to 34 years	144,797	3
35 to 39 years	150,777	3
40 to 44 years	155,291	3
45 to 49 years	170,918	3
50 to 54 years	169,755	3
55 to 59 years	160,558	3
60 to 64 years	147,793	3
65 to 69 years	113,834	2
70 to 74 years	83,142	1
75 to 79 years	,	
80 to 84 years	63,954	1
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85 years and over	49,306	1
Median age (years)	39.2	()
16 years and over	1,906,548	41
18 years and over	1,845,427	39
21 years and over	1,738,792	37
62 years and over	445,431	9
65 years and over	358,392	7
ACE		
Total population	4,625,364	100
One Race	4,545,429	98
White	3,060,000	66
Black or African American	1,290,684	27
American Indian and Alaska Native	19,524	0
Asian	59,051	1
Asian Indian	15,941	0
Chinese	9,686	0
Filipino	10,053	0
Japanese	2,413	0
Korean	4,876	0
Vietnamese	6,801	0
Other Asian [1]	9,281	0
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	2,706	0
Native Hawaiian		
Guamanian or Chamorro	570	0
Samoan	1,046	0
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Other Pacific Islander [2]	865	0
Some Other Race	113,464	2
Two or More Races	79,935	1
White; American Indian and Alaska Native [3]	13,910	0
White; Asian [3]	10,461	0
White; Black or African American [3]	27,432	C
White; Some Other Race [3]	9,236	0
Race alone or in combination with one or more other		
aces: [4] White	0.407.075	-
Black or African American	3,127,075	67
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Subject	Number	Percent
Asian	75,674	1.6
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	5,880	0.1
Some Other Race	128,464	2.8
HISPANIC OR LATINO	,	
Total population	4,625,364	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	235,682	5.1
Mexican	138,358	3.0
Puerto Rican	26,493	0.6
Cuban	5,955	0.1
Other Hispanic or Latino [5]	64,876	1.4
Not Hispanic or Latino	4,389,682	94.9
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	4,625,364	100.0
Hispanic or Latino	235,682	5.1
White alone	97,260	2.1
Black or African American alone	10,686	0.2
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	2,910	0.1
Asian alone	744	0.0
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	593	0.0
Some Other Race alone	107,750	2.3
Two or More Races	15,739	0.3
Not Hispanic or Latino	4,389,682	94.9
White alone	2,962,740	64.1
Black or African American alone	1,279,998	27.7
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	16,614	0.4
Asian alone	58,307	1.3
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	2,113	0.0
Some Other Race alone	5,714	0.1
Two or More Races	64,196	1.4
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	4,625,364	100.0
In households	4,486,210	97.0
Householder	1,801,181	38.9
Spouse [6]	849,959	18.4
Child	1,273,940	27.5
Own child under 18 years	918,013	19.8
Other relatives	316,872	6.9
Under 18 years	140,993	3.0
65 years and over	36,364	0.8
Nonrelatives	244,258	5.3
Under 18 years	17,126	0.4
65 years and over	9,580	0.2
Unmarried partner	107,577	2.3
In group quarters	139,154	3.0
Institutionalized population	63,765	1.4
Male	46,522	1.0
Female	17,243	0.4
Noninstitutionalized population	75,389	1.6
Male	42,569	0.9
Female	32,820	0.7
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE		
Total households	1,801,181	100.0
Family households (families) [7]	1,216,415	67.5
With own children under 18 years	509,699	28.3
Husband-wife family	849,959	47.2
With own children under 18 years	319,204	17.7
Male householder, no wife present	85,354	4.7
With own children under 18 years	39,023	2.2
Female householder, no husband present	281,102	15.6
With own children under 18 years	151,472	8.4

Subject	Number	Percent
Nonfamily households [7]	584,766	32.5
Householder living alone	477,894	26.5
Male	210,915	11.7
65 years and over	47,907	2.7
Female	266,979	14.8
65 years and over	118,449	6.6
Households with individuals under 18 years	590,942	32.8
Households with individuals 65 years and over	459,418	25.5
Average household size	2.49	(X)
Average family size [7]	3.01	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	2,137,683	100.0
Occupied housing units	1,801,181	84.3
Vacant housing units	336,502	15.7
For rent	92,758	4.3
Rented, not occupied	3,957	0.2
For sale only	36,523	1.7
Sold, not occupied	8,519	0.4
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	112,531	5.3
All other vacants	82,214	3.8
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent) [8]	2.8	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent) [9]	14.3	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	1,801,181	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	1,248,805	69.3
Population in owner-occupied housing units	3,130,499	(X)
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.51	(X)
Renter-occupied housing units	552,376	30.7
Population in renter-occupied housing units	1,355,711	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.45	(X)

X Not applicable.

- [1] Other Asian alone, or two or more Asian categories.
- [2] Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.
- [3] One of the four most commonly reported multiple-race combinations nationwide in Census 2000.
- [4] In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population, and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.
- [5] This category is composed of people whose origins are from the Dominican Republic, Spain, and Spanish-speaking Central or South American countries. It also includes general origin responses such as "Latino" or "Hispanic."
- [6] "Spouse" represents spouse of the householder. It does not reflect all spouses in a household. Responses of "same-sex spouse" were edited during processing to "unmarried partner."
- [7] "Family households" consist of a householder and one or more other people related to the householder by birth, marriage, or adoption. They do not include same-sex married couples even if the marriage was performed in a state issuing marriage certificates for same-sex couples. Same-sex couple households are included in the family households category if there is at least one additional person related to the householder by birth or adoption. Same-sex couple households with no relatives of the householder present are tabulated in nonfamily households. "Nonfamily households" consist of people living alone and households which do not have any members related to the householder.
- [8] The homeowner vacancy rate is the proportion of the homeowner inventory that is vacant "for sale." It is computed by dividing the total number of vacant units "for sale only," and vacant units that have been sold but not yet occupied; and then multiplying by 100.
- [9] The rental vacancy rate is the proportion of the rental inventory that is vacant "for rent." It is computed by dividing the total number of vacant units "for rent" by the sum of the renter-occupied units, vacant units that are "for rent," and vacant units that have been rented but not yet occupied; and then multiplying by 100.

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