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## ***2005 County and City/Town Population Estimates***

According to the U.S. Census Bureau's recently released population estimates, the July 2005 population for Wyoming increased to 509,294 from 505,887 in 2004. The estimated net migration numbers, after accounting for the natural change (births minus deaths), indicated that about 1,000 more persons moved in than left the state during the year. Nationally, the population was estimated at 296.4 million in 2005, an increase of 0.9 percent from the previous year.

Sixteen counties in Wyoming showed population increases. Sublette County continued to lead the state with substantial growth rates of 4.2 percent, due to the strong natural gas activities. Campbell, Crook, and Lincoln counties also showed significant increases with at least 2.0 percent each. Rural counties without much mineral extractions have been suffering population losses during the same period, mainly caused by outmigration. While the total population for the state grew 3.1 percent, towns of Pine Haven, Alpine, and Bar Nunn recorded the fastest increases of around 40 percent, respectively, from 2000 to 2005 (see page 2).

## ***Migration Flow for Wyoming***

Recently released by the U.S. Internal Revenue Service, these migration data provide measures of population movement from state to state by using the number of individual income tax returns in 2004 and 2005, combined with number of personal exemptions claimed on these returns. Therefore, the data only represent those persons who filed tax returns, but still cover over 90 percent of the population nationwide.

The IRS numbers show that the state which had the most population exchange with Wyoming was Colorado. In-migration to Wyoming from Colorado (3,060) covered 13.8 percent of the total in-migrants, and out-migration to Colorado from Wyoming (3,323) was 15.4 percent of the total out-migrants between 2004 and 2005. Other states exhibiting significant migration exchange with Wyoming were large states such as California and Texas, and neighboring states.

The state experienced net inmigration of over 500 persons between 2004 and 2005. The largest net in-migration (in-flow minus out-flow) to the state come from California, Nebraska, South Dakota and Texas where at

least 100 persons were lost to Wyoming, respectively. The main net out-migration went to Idaho, Colorado, Arizona, Montana, Florida, and North Carolina which gained over 100 residents each from Wyoming (see page 3).

## ***Residential Building Permits for Wyoming***

The new residential housing units authorized for construction in the state was 4,002 in 2005, the highest since 1981. This was an increase of 684 units or 20.6 percent from previous year. However, the single family units increased over 12.8 percent. The strong housing demand due to the energy boom and the historical low interest rates were the main driving forces. Laramie county lead number of permits in 2005 with 872 units, while Albany and Teton counties had 594 and 308 new units added, respectively. Many rural and small counties, such as Hot Springs, Niobrara, and Washakie, continued to experience few new housings (see page 5).

## ***Household Income, Poverty, and Health Insurance***

The real median household income in Wyoming for the 2-year average of 2004-2005 period was \$45,817, close to the national average of \$46,071, and it ranked 23rd in the country. The poverty rate of 10.3 percent in the state was noticeably below the national average of 12.7 percent, and it ranked 36<sup>th</sup> in the nation. The health insurance coverage rate of 85.2 percent was slightly higher than the national level of 84.3 percent during the same period (see page 6).

## ***2010 LUCA Program***

The Local Update of Census Addresses program (LUCA), is a decennial census geographic partnership program that will allow the U.S. Census Bureau to benefit from local knowledge in developing its Master Address File for the 2010 Census and yearly ongoing household surveys. Tribal, state, and local governments can contribute to a complete enumeration of their community by reviewing and commenting on the list of housing units and group quarters addresses that the Census Bureau will use to deliver questionnaires within their communities.

<http://www.census.gov/geo/www/luca2010/luca.html>

## Population for Counties and Incorporated Places: 2000 and 2005

Area Name	Population		Change		Area Name	Population		Change	
	2000	2005	Number	%		2000	2005	Number	%
<b>WYOMING</b>	<b>493,782</b>	<b>509,294</b>	<b>15,512</b>	<b>3.1</b>					
<b>Albany Cnty</b>	<b>32,014</b>	<b>30,890</b>	<b>-1,124</b>	<b>-3.5</b>	<b>Lincoln Cnty</b>	<b>14,573</b>	<b>15,999</b>	<b>1,426</b>	<b>9.8</b>
Laramie	27,171	26,050	-1,121	-4.1	Afton	1,846	1,831	-15	-0.8
Rock River	235	214	-21	-8.9	Alpine	550	789	239	43.5
<b>Big Horn Cnty</b>	<b>11,461</b>	<b>11,333</b>	<b>-128</b>	<b>-1.1</b>	Cokeville	506	492	-14	-2.8
Basin	1,238	1,224	-14	-1.1	Diamondville	716	695	-21	-2.9
Burlington	250	248	-2	-0.8	Kemmerer	2,651	2,560	-91	-3.4
Byron	557	548	-9	-1.6	La Barge	431	421	-10	-2.3
Cowley	560	582	22	3.9	Opal	102	99	-3	-2.9
Deaver	177	177	0	0.0	Thayne	341	357	16	4.7
Frannie (pt.)	180	182	2	1.1	<b>Natrona Cnty</b>	<b>66,533</b>	<b>69,799</b>	<b>3,266</b>	<b>4.9</b>
Greybull	1,815	1,752	-63	-3.5	Bar Nunn	936	1,292	356	38.0
Lovell	2,361	2,277	-84	-3.6	Casper	49,737	51,738	2,001	4.0
Manderson	104	101	-3	-2.9	Edgerton	169	173	4	2.4
<b>Campbell Cnty</b>	<b>33,698</b>	<b>37,405</b>	<b>3,707</b>	<b>11.0</b>	Evansville	2,255	2,328	73	3.2
Gillette	20,271	22,685	2,414	11.9	Midwest	408	431	23	5.6
Wright	1,347	1,425	78	5.8	Mills	2,632	2,898	266	10.1
<b>Carbon Cnty</b>	<b>15,639</b>	<b>15,331</b>	<b>-308</b>	<b>-2.0</b>	<b>Niobrara Cnty</b>	<b>2,407</b>	<b>2,286</b>	<b>-121</b>	<b>-5.0</b>
Baggs	348	354	6	1.7	Lusk	1,447	1,348	-99	-6.8
Dixon	79	81	2	2.5	Manville	101	99	-2	-2.0
Elk Mountain	192	192	0	0.0	Van Tassell	18	18	0	0.0
Encampment	443	442	-1	-0.2	<b>Park Cnty</b>	<b>25,786</b>	<b>26,664</b>	<b>878</b>	<b>3.4</b>
Hanna	873	863	-10	-1.1	Cody	8,885	9,100	215	2.4
Medicine Bow	274	265	-9	-3.3	Frannie (pt.)	29	29	0	0.0
Rawlins	9,006	8,658	-348	-3.9	Meeteetse	351	347	-4	-1.1
Riverside	59	60	1	1.7	Powell	5,340	5,288	-52	-1.0
Saratoga	1,726	1,714	-12	-0.7	<b>Platte Cnty</b>	<b>8,807</b>	<b>8,619</b>	<b>-188</b>	<b>-2.1</b>
Sinclair	423	406	-17	-4.0	Chugwater	244	231	-13	-5.3
<b>Converse Cnty</b>	<b>12,052</b>	<b>12,766</b>	<b>714</b>	<b>5.9</b>	Glendo	229	229	0	0.0
Douglas	5,295	5,581	286	5.4	Guernsey	1,147	1,118	-29	-2.5
Glenrock	2,242	2,351	109	4.9	Hartville	76	75	-1	-1.3
Lost Springs	1	1	0	0.0	Wheatland	3,549	3,464	-85	-2.4
Rolling Hills	449	467	18	4.0	<b>Sheridan Cnty</b>	<b>26,560</b>	<b>27,389</b>	<b>829</b>	<b>3.1</b>
<b>Crook Cnty</b>	<b>5,887</b>	<b>6,182</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>5.0</b>	Clearmont	115	117	2	1.7
Hulett	408	429	21	5.1	Dayton	678	717	39	5.8
Moorcroft	807	845	38	4.7	Ranchester	701	717	16	2.3
Pine Haven	222	317	95	42.8	Sheridan	15,872	16,333	461	2.9
Sundance	1,161	1,184	23	2.0	<b>Sublette Cnty</b>	<b>5,920</b>	<b>6,926</b>	<b>1,006</b>	<b>17.0</b>
<b>Fremont Cnty</b>	<b>35,804</b>	<b>36,491</b>	<b>687</b>	<b>1.9</b>	Big Piney	408	455	47	11.5
Dubois	964	991	27	2.8	Marbleton	720	811	91	12.6
Hudson	407	416	9	2.2	Pinedale	1,402	1,658	256	18.3
Lander	6,890	6,898	8	0.1	<b>Sweetwater Cnty</b>	<b>37,613</b>	<b>37,975</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>1.0</b>
Pavillion	165	164	-1	-0.6	Bairoil	97	96	-1	-1.0
Riverton	9,259	9,430	171	1.8	Granger	146	146	0	0.0
Shoshoni	635	659	24	3.8	Green River	11,808	11,787	-21	-0.2
<b>Goshen Cnty</b>	<b>12,538</b>	<b>12,243</b>	<b>-295</b>	<b>-2.4</b>	Rock Springs	18,649	18,772	123	0.7
Fort Laramie	243	231	-12	-4.9	Superior	244	239	-5	-2.0
La Grange	332	332	0	0.0	Wamsutter	261	265	4	1.5
Lingle	510	490	-20	-3.9	<b>Teton Cnty</b>	<b>18,251</b>	<b>19,032</b>	<b>781</b>	<b>4.3</b>
Torrington	5,776	5,533	-243	-4.2	Jackson	8,647	9,038	391	4.5
Yoder	169	163	-6	-3.6	<b>Uinta Cnty</b>	<b>19,742</b>	<b>19,939</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>1.0</b>
<b>Hot Springs Cnty</b>	<b>4,882</b>	<b>4,537</b>	<b>-345</b>	<b>-7.1</b>	Bear River	477	487	10	2.1
E Thermopolis	274	258	-16	-5.8	Evanston	11,472	11,459	-13	-0.1
Kirby	57	54	-3	-5.3	Lyman	1,938	1,937	-1	-0.1
Thermopolis	3,172	2,905	-267	-8.4	Mountain View	1,153	1,163	10	0.9
<b>Johnson Cnty</b>	<b>7,075</b>	<b>7,721</b>	<b>646</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>Washakie Cnty</b>	<b>8,289</b>	<b>7,933</b>	<b>-356</b>	<b>-4.3</b>
Buffalo	3,902	4,290	388	9.9	Ten Sleep	304	315	11	3.6
Kaycee	249	273	24	9.6	Worland	5,250	4,967	-283	-5.4
<b>Laramie Cnty</b>	<b>81,607</b>	<b>85,163</b>	<b>3,556</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>Weston Cnty</b>	<b>6,644</b>	<b>6,671</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>0.4</b>
Albin	120	117	-3	-2.5	Newcastle	3,248	3,221	-27	-0.8
Burns	285	310	25	8.8	Upton	872	857	-15	-1.7
Cheyenne	53,192	55,731	2,539	4.8					
Pine Bluffs	1,153	1,162	9	0.8					

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census

## 2004 - 2005 State to State Migration Flows: Inflow to and Outflow from Wyoming

(Based on Internal Revenue Service tax return matches\*)

Inflow to Wyoming from:	2005 # of returns*	2005 # of exemptions*	Outflow from Wyoming to:	2005 # of returns*	2005 # of exemptions*	Net Inflow to Wyoming from:	Rank by exemptions*
Total	11,429	22,196	Total	11,409	21,644	Total	552
Colorado	1,618	3,060	Colorado	1,789	3,323	California	617
California	868	1,701	Utah	782	1,695	Nebraska	297
Utah	741	1,681	Montana	816	1,519	Foreign	179
Texas	675	1,433	Texas	614	1,318	South Dakota	144
Montana	708	1,373	Idaho	555	1,150	Texas	115
Nebraska	499	1,021	California	633	1,084	Michigan	98
South Dakota	454	869	Arizona	583	1,030	Illinois	96
Idaho	374	778	Washington	402	731	Louisiana	94
Arizona	422	772	South Dakota	382	725	Wisconsin	84
Washington	349	655	Nebraska	382	724	Oklahoma	65
Foreign	366	617	Nevada	321	585	New York	62
Nevada	278	551	Florida	313	551	Maine	41
Oregon	251	469	Oregon	294	530	Pennsylvania	37
New Mexico	193	433	New Mexico	224	449	New Jersey	34
Oklahoma	183	430	Foreign	251	438	Connecticut	33
Florida	239	420	Oklahoma	170	365	Hawaii	31
Illinois	182	327	Missouri	175	317	Kansas	31
Minnesota	164	312	North Dakota	155	314	Massachusetts	29
Missouri	164	309	North Carolina	141	289	Minnesota	29
North Dakota	147	301	Minnesota	152	283	Mississippi	23
Michigan	162	300	Alaska	125	272	New Hampshire	19
Kansas	138	294	Kansas	133	263	Kentucky	18
Ohio	149	268	Georgia	135	255	Ohio	16
Georgia	120	264	Ohio	124	252	Rhode Island	14
Alaska	124	260	Virginia	127	233	Georgia	9
Pennsylvania	154	244	Illinois	132	231	Indiana	8
Virginia	142	240	Iowa	115	220	Virginia	7
New York	159	239	Pennsylvania	119	207	Iowa	3
Louisiana	106	236	Michigan	110	202	Vermont	-1
Wisconsin	140	233	Arkansas	85	184	Tennessee	-2
Iowa	122	223	South Carolina	83	178	District of Columbia	-5
Indiana	95	184	New York	124	177	Missouri	-8
North Carolina	111	165	Indiana	94	176	Alaska	-12
Tennessee	79	155	Alabama	68	161	Delaware	-12
Arkansas	69	153	Tennessee	86	157	Maryland	-13
South Carolina	66	136	Wisconsin	94	149	North Dakota	-13
Alabama	61	130	Louisiana	72	142	Utah	-14
Kentucky	62	114	Maryland	65	118	New Mexico	-16
Hawaii	51	110	Kentucky	49	96	West Virginia	-16
Maryland	53	105	Hawaii	50	79	Alabama	-31
New Jersey	58	103	Mississippi	36	76	Arkansas	-31
Mississippi	52	99	New Jersey	44	69	Nevada	-34
Massachusetts	66	91	West Virginia	31	68	South Carolina	-42
Maine	51	78	Massachusetts	44	62	Oregon	-61
Connecticut	46	70	Vermont	30	47	Washington	-76
West Virginia	27	52	Connecticut	27	37	North Carolina	-124
New Hampshire	39	49	Maine	21	37	Florida	-131
Vermont	31	46	New Hampshire	20	30	Montana	-146
Rhode Island	9	21	District of Columbia	17	22	Arizona	-258
District of Columbia	7	17	Delaware	11	17	Colorado	-263
Delaware	5	5	Rhode Island	4	7	Idaho	-372

Non-Migrant\*: 182,848 tax returns were filed in 2005 with 396,564 exemptions reported.

\* Number of Returns: includes records for individual income tax forms 1040, 1040A and 1040EZ. The foreign category also includes forms 1040NR, 1040PR, 1040VI and 1040SS processed through Cycle 39. Returns processed after late September are not included in the data. The number of returns also exclude returns with filer and spouse of filer deceased (and there are no other exemptions on the return); returns that do not match Year-1 to Year-2 and matched returns that are not geographically coded in either year, and "zero exemptions" returns are all excluded.

\* Number of Exemptions: includes the filer (if not deceased), the number of children exemptions (at home, away, and with EIC), the number of parent's exemptions and the number of other exemptions.

\* Matching Returns: tax returns are matched for two particular tax years (2005 and 2004). These are generically referred to as Year-1 (prior year) and Year-2 (current year). There are three categories of match status: (a) matched, (b) unmatched, Year-1 only, and (c) unmatched, Year-2 only. The match is made based on the SSN of the primary filer only. That is, no match is attempted on the secondary filer.

\* Non-Migrant: tax returns filed in the state of Wyoming both in 2005 and in 2004.

### Total Full and Part-Time Employment for U.S., Wyoming and Counties

Area Name	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	%ch03-04
U.S. (in 1,000)	148,983	152,150	155,608	159,628	162,955	166,759	167,015	166,633	167,489	170,092	1.6
Wyoming	302,472	305,603	308,584	315,235	319,105	328,036	333,030	337,212	341,894	349,822	2.3
Albany	19,413	19,719	19,922	20,350	20,578	21,245	20,474	20,217	20,578	20,811	1.1
Big Horn	5,652	5,777	6,067	6,239	6,200	6,463	6,793	6,577	6,595	6,801	3.1
Campbell	20,192	20,449	21,044	21,411	22,029	23,418	24,936	25,373	25,134	25,921	3.1
Carbon	9,883	9,687	9,509	9,713	9,590	9,666	9,601	9,638	9,580	9,738	1.6
Converse	6,542	6,678	6,725	6,875	6,920	7,043	6,911	7,046	7,037	7,184	2.1
Crook	3,485	3,436	3,471	3,555	3,551	3,692	3,663	3,688	3,710	3,839	3.5
Fremont	19,235	19,767	19,737	20,085	20,381	21,105	21,472	21,952	21,759	22,223	2.1
Goshen	6,625	6,635	6,747	6,738	6,765	6,905	6,942	6,946	6,855	6,893	0.6
Hot Springs	2,977	3,087	2,978	3,053	3,044	3,117	3,243	3,110	3,070	3,102	1.0
Johnson	4,268	4,443	4,433	4,581	4,727	4,839	4,951	5,132	5,238	5,439	3.8
Laramie	49,692	50,127	50,635	51,659	52,383	53,997	53,491	55,243	56,611	57,506	1.6
Lincoln	7,473	7,550	7,646	7,686	8,076	8,114	8,434	8,751	9,293	9,292	0.0
Natrona	40,648	40,823	41,550	42,308	42,840	44,082	45,136	45,538	46,741	48,655	4.1
Niobrara	1,690	1,709	1,648	1,710	1,662	1,654	1,692	1,679	1,670	1,670	0.0
Park	16,501	16,811	16,919	17,209	17,437	17,655	17,985	18,454	18,855	19,112	1.4
Platte	5,172	5,257	5,334	5,544	5,630	5,725	5,597	5,649	5,588	5,690	1.8
Sheridan	15,330	15,567	15,599	15,982	16,032	16,610	17,101	17,655	17,852	18,281	2.4
Sublette	3,613	3,783	3,795	3,821	3,833	3,977	4,251	4,548	4,811	5,204	8.2
Sweetwater	24,744	24,385	24,263	24,751	24,380	24,249	24,493	23,989	24,959	26,033	4.3
Teton	18,526	18,966	19,479	20,590	21,677	22,856	23,715	23,663	23,654	23,987	1.4
Uinta	11,072	11,223	11,212	11,246	11,151	11,379	11,980	12,329	12,146	12,089	-0.5
Washakie	5,201	5,253	5,408	5,514	5,468	5,392	5,376	5,301	5,331	5,419	1.7
Weston	4,538	4,471	4,463	4,615	4,751	4,853	4,793	4,734	4,827	4,933	2.2

### Per Capita Personal Income for U.S., Wyoming and Counties

Area Name	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	%ch03-04
United States	\$23,076	\$24,175	\$25,334	\$26,883	\$27,939	\$29,845	\$30,574	\$30,810	\$31,484	\$33,050	5.0
Wyoming	\$21,039	\$21,875	\$23,412	\$24,836	\$26,536	\$28,460	\$30,305	\$30,986	\$32,279	\$34,279	6.2
Albany	\$17,422	\$18,093	\$19,381	\$20,588	\$21,863	\$23,335	\$24,989	\$26,639	\$27,998	\$29,810	6.5
Big Horn	\$15,377	\$16,441	\$18,054	\$18,666	\$19,933	\$20,640	\$22,586	\$22,050	\$23,456	\$24,132	2.9
Campbell	\$21,163	\$22,049	\$23,402	\$24,388	\$25,839	\$27,351	\$30,379	\$29,931	\$30,755	\$33,388	8.6
Carbon	\$19,089	\$19,232	\$21,000	\$21,645	\$22,261	\$23,663	\$25,267	\$25,571	\$27,052	\$28,438	5.1
Converse	\$18,738	\$19,490	\$21,148	\$22,716	\$24,167	\$25,251	\$28,294	\$27,642	\$29,053	\$31,064	6.9
Crook	\$20,684	\$20,963	\$22,807	\$22,373	\$24,203	\$24,845	\$29,479	\$29,342	\$30,086	\$32,000	6.4
Fremont	\$17,319	\$18,007	\$18,841	\$20,338	\$21,847	\$23,123	\$24,189	\$24,773	\$25,190	\$26,805	6.4
Goshen	\$17,535	\$17,897	\$19,351	\$20,634	\$22,039	\$22,561	\$24,377	\$23,451	\$24,356	\$25,612	5.2
Hot Springs	\$18,555	\$20,444	\$20,574	\$20,502	\$21,634	\$23,496	\$26,451	\$26,542	\$28,239	\$30,305	7.3
Johnson	\$18,658	\$19,616	\$21,218	\$21,805	\$23,925	\$24,644	\$27,142	\$28,416	\$30,502	\$32,571	6.8
Laramie	\$21,511	\$22,228	\$23,435	\$25,225	\$26,548	\$28,052	\$29,676	\$31,545	\$32,766	\$34,559	5.5
Lincoln	\$16,922	\$17,757	\$19,551	\$20,557	\$22,415	\$23,057	\$24,770	\$24,884	\$27,205	\$27,384	0.7
Natrona	\$23,191	\$23,954	\$26,028	\$27,457	\$29,400	\$33,905	\$33,459	\$33,763	\$34,717	\$37,401	7.7
Niobrara	\$19,230	\$18,641	\$22,345	\$20,710	\$23,609	\$24,588	\$27,328	\$28,361	\$29,747	\$31,309	5.3
Park	\$20,299	\$21,909	\$22,999	\$24,018	\$26,248	\$27,088	\$29,803	\$29,145	\$29,587	\$31,312	5.8
Platte	\$18,723	\$18,625	\$21,129	\$21,527	\$23,746	\$25,383	\$26,250	\$25,233	\$26,725	\$28,591	7.0
Sheridan	\$22,784	\$23,801	\$25,335	\$26,989	\$27,997	\$29,829	\$31,614	\$32,237	\$33,533	\$35,716	6.5
Sublette	\$20,369	\$20,826	\$22,854	\$24,009	\$25,868	\$27,678	\$30,558	\$31,453	\$33,926	\$36,348	7.1
Sweetwater	\$22,172	\$23,315	\$24,846	\$26,318	\$27,522	\$29,500	\$30,475	\$30,816	\$32,667	\$34,656	6.1
Teton	\$45,027	\$46,599	\$48,551	\$53,872	\$59,535	\$62,831	\$68,411	\$73,115	\$77,178	\$81,231	5.3
Uinta	\$18,066	\$18,552	\$19,890	\$20,788	\$21,757	\$23,084	\$26,863	\$27,607	\$28,543	\$29,677	4.0
Washakie	\$19,593	\$20,528	\$21,987	\$23,048	\$24,824	\$25,678	\$28,561	\$29,243	\$30,427	\$32,682	7.4
Weston	\$19,814	\$20,185	\$21,827	\$22,185	\$24,457	\$27,021	\$31,087	\$30,285	\$31,038	\$32,495	4.7

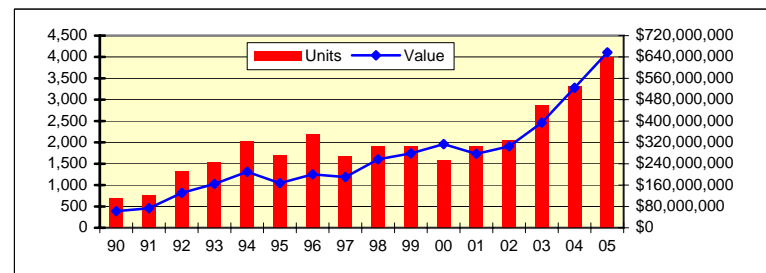
Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

## New Residential Housing Units Authorized for Construction and Estimated Value: 1999 to 2005

Area	1999		2000		2001		2002		2003		2004		2005	
	Units	Value	Units	Value	Units	Value	Units	Value	Units	Value	Units	Value	Units	Value
Wyoming	1,900	\$278,558,550	1,582	\$313,653,647	1,907	\$277,191,340	2,045	\$304,897,060	2,877	\$393,819,842	3,318	\$524,654,652	4,002	\$657,339,810
Albany	205	\$16,592,528	107	\$12,192,417	283	\$23,322,820	163	\$19,513,157	271	\$27,051,494	410	\$37,388,455	594	\$51,140,881
Big Horn	11	\$1,024,124	12	\$999,200	7	\$713,694	11	\$955,328	6	\$745,000	17	\$2,085,500	8	\$745,000
Campbell	40	\$5,427,700	61	\$7,768,695	105	\$13,619,894	144	\$20,040,438	159	\$22,670,623	129	\$20,134,967	273	\$46,222,330
Carbon	31	\$1,949,600	33	\$4,079,565	37	\$4,140,360	28	\$2,867,000	33	\$4,071,971	60	\$5,909,736	65	\$8,892,965
Converse	8	\$606,000	11	\$877,000	13	\$846,600	16	\$1,620,600	54	\$3,260,749	18	\$2,588,000	58	\$7,265,437
Crook	10	\$1,230,000	7	\$664,000	28	\$1,824,897	30	\$2,890,000	35	\$3,724,619	24	\$2,557,000	21	\$3,419,004
Fremont	62	\$5,182,113	43	\$2,573,696	107	\$6,023,448	45	\$4,590,873	65	\$5,728,356	66	\$7,108,581	85	\$7,898,659
Goshen	9	\$675,000	1	\$88,900	4	\$552,000	2	\$408,000	6	\$1,037,000	17	\$2,855,807	11	\$1,679,651
Hot Springs	4	\$393,690	4	\$351,738	1	\$139,887	3	\$230,000	1	\$195,000	5	\$547,000	5	\$497,782
Johnson	24	\$2,697,589	12	\$1,548,059	25	\$2,051,489	70	\$3,157,721	25	\$1,771,489	15	\$1,742,000	25	\$3,038,473
Laramie	323	\$36,461,350	245	\$33,834,760	319	\$40,003,800	478	\$62,107,779	779	\$93,779,475	876	\$113,870,171	872	\$119,190,392
Lincoln	143	\$17,829,531	145	\$19,479,569	218	\$30,234,353	204	\$28,738,327	180	\$28,528,660	212	\$33,845,285	261	\$43,597,007
Natrona	245	\$19,751,795	145	\$16,904,445	140	\$21,187,336	150	\$26,623,672	234	\$35,525,660	284	\$49,655,337	444	\$83,588,601
Niobrara	0	\$0	0	\$0	0	\$0	0	\$0	0	\$0	4	\$340,000	4	\$599,367
Park	155	\$16,158,888	137	\$18,203,567	118	\$15,637,344	179	\$24,382,660	210	\$27,960,783	242	\$33,360,823	187	\$28,379,991
Platte	8	\$626,000	8	\$621,907	12	\$1,010,000	12	\$1,193,000	14	\$1,349,091	42	\$4,887,333	47	\$6,447,783
Sheridan	90	\$8,388,625	99	\$9,792,280	102	\$9,223,055	112	\$10,742,606	287	\$19,070,469	200	\$17,938,228	175	\$18,279,621
Sublette	75	\$9,264,088	54	\$7,051,516	76	\$10,283,763	88	\$11,950,908	95	\$13,726,431	93	\$15,336,344	185	\$24,774,996
Sweetwater	51	\$5,140,974	41	\$4,951,048	38	\$6,376,468	48	\$7,394,084	63	\$11,183,194	216	\$34,586,199	260	\$39,849,006
Teton	332	\$122,951,303	326	\$164,018,584	211	\$84,639,755	197	\$69,770,157	292	\$85,265,642	301	\$130,170,810	308	\$148,276,198
Uinta	63	\$5,269,290	72	\$6,589,793	58	\$5,132,377	58	\$5,082,750	56	\$6,119,136	64	\$5,958,825	100	\$11,286,592
Washakie	8	\$688,362	8	\$594,908	2	\$165,000	3	\$113,000	10	\$905,000	7	\$766,000	9	\$1,567,074
Weston	3	\$250,000	11	\$468,000	3	\$63,000	4	\$525,000	2	\$150,000	16	\$1,022,251	5	\$703,000

NOTE: The data relate to new housing units intended for occupancy on a housekeeping basis. They exclude mobile homes (trailers), hotels, motels, and group residential structures, such as nursing homes and college dormitories.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau



## Population, Income, Poverty Rate, and Health Insurance Status by State

States	Total Population			Median Household Income (in real dollars)			% of Persons in Poverty		% Persons Not Covered by Health Insurance	
	2005	2004	% chg	Average	Average	Moving Avg	Average	Average	Average	Average
				2004-2005	2003-2004	% chg	2004-2005	2003-2004	2004-2005	2003-2004
<b>United States</b>	<b>296,410,404</b>	<b>293,656,842</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>46,071</b>	<b>45,893</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>12.7</b>	<b>12.6</b>	<b>15.7</b>	<b>15.6</b>
Alabama	4,557,808	4,525,375	0.7	37,502	38,695	-3.1	16.8	16.0	14.4	13.8
Alaska	663,661	657,755	0.9	56,398	55,957	0.8	9.5	9.4	17.3	17.9
Arizona	5,939,292	5,739,879	3.5	45,279	44,499	1.8	14.8	13.9	18.7	17.1
Arkansas	2,779,154	2,750,000	1.1	36,406	35,058	3.8	14.5	16.4	17.1	16.9
California	36,132,147	35,842,038	0.8	51,312	51,593	-0.5	13.2	13.2	19.0	18.5
Colorado	4,665,177	4,601,821	1.4	51,518	52,792	-2.4	10.7	9.8	16.8	16.9
Connecticut	3,510,297	3,498,966	0.3	56,889	57,636	-1.3	9.7	9.1	11.3	10.8
Delaware	843,524	830,069	1.6	50,445	50,838	-0.8	9.1	8.1	13.5	12.5
Dist. of Columbia	550,521	554,239	-0.7	44,949	46,353	-3.0	19.1	16.9	13.1	13.5
Florida	17,789,864	17,385,430	2.3	42,440	41,624	2.0	11.4	12.2	20.3	19.0
Georgia	9,072,576	8,918,129	1.7	44,140	43,695	1.0	13.7	12.4	18.1	16.9
Hawaii	1,275,194	1,262,124	1.0	58,854	56,565	4.0	8.6	8.9	9.2	9.7
Idaho	1,429,096	1,395,140	2.4	45,009	45,404	-0.9	9.9	10.0	15.5	17.1
Illinois	12,763,371	12,712,016	0.4	48,008	47,768	0.5	11.9	12.5	14.2	14.2
Indiana	6,271,973	6,226,537	0.7	43,091	44,383	-2.9	12.1	10.8	14.3	14.1
Iowa	2,966,334	2,952,904	0.5	45,671	44,380	2.9	11.1	9.9	9.1	10.4
Kansas	2,744,687	2,733,697	0.4	42,233	44,690	-5.5	12.0	11.1	10.9	11.0
Kentucky	4,173,405	4,141,835	0.8	36,750	37,999	-3.3	16.3	16.1	13.5	14.1
Louisiana	4,523,628	4,506,685	0.4	37,442	36,603	2.3	17.6	16.9	17.7	18.7
Maine	1,321,505	1,314,985	0.5	43,317	41,048	5.5	12.1	11.6	10.5	10.2
Maryland	5,600,388	5,561,332	0.7	59,762	57,265	4.4	9.8	9.3	14.2	14.1
Massachusetts	6,398,743	6,407,382	-0.1	54,888	53,916	1.8	9.7	9.8	10.7	11.2
Michigan	10,120,860	10,104,206	0.2	44,801	45,724	-2.0	12.6	12.3	11.5	11.3
Minnesota	5,132,799	5,096,546	0.7	56,098	57,018	-1.6	7.5	7.2	8.7	8.8
Mississippi	2,921,088	2,900,768	0.7	34,396	35,324	-2.6	19.4	17.4	17.1	17.3
Missouri	5,800,310	5,759,532	0.7	43,266	44,994	-3.8	11.9	11.5	12.4	11.8
Montana	935,670	926,920	0.9	36,202	35,644	1.6	14.0	14.7	18.4	19.3
Nebraska	1,758,787	1,747,704	0.6	46,587	45,958	1.4	9.5	9.6	11.4	11.2
Nevada	2,414,807	2,332,898	3.5	48,496	48,366	0.3	10.8	10.9	18.1	18.9
New Hampshire	1,309,940	1,299,169	0.8	57,850	58,842	-1.7	5.5	5.6	10.5	10.5
New Jersey	8,717,925	8,685,166	0.4	60,246	58,300	3.3	7.4	8.3	14.8	14.2
New Mexico	1,928,384	1,903,006	1.3	39,916	39,070	2.2	17.2	17.3	20.6	21.4
New York	19,254,630	19,280,727	-0.1	46,659	45,775	1.9	14.8	14.6	13.3	14.2
North Carolina	8,683,242	8,540,468	1.7	41,820	40,572	3.1	13.8	15.1	15.6	16.3
North Dakota	636,677	636,308	0.1	41,362	41,708	-0.8	10.4	9.7	11.4	10.7
Ohio	11,464,042	11,450,143	0.1	44,349	45,340	-2.2	11.9	11.3	11.9	11.8
Oklahoma	3,547,884	3,523,546	0.7	39,292	39,519	-0.6	13.2	11.8	19.0	20.0
Oregon	3,641,056	3,591,363	1.4	43,262	43,276	0.0	11.9	12.2	16.4	17.0
Pennsylvania	12,429,616	12,394,471	0.3	45,941	45,571	0.8	11.3	11.0	11.1	11.6
Rhode Island	1,076,189	1,079,916	-0.3	49,511	48,493	2.1	11.8	11.5	11.4	10.5
South Carolina	4,255,083	4,197,892	1.4	40,107	40,410	-0.7	15.0	13.8	16.3	14.6
South Dakota	775,933	770,621	0.7	42,816	42,212	1.4	12.7	13.1	12.1	12.0
Tennessee	5,962,959	5,893,298	1.2	39,376	39,583	-0.5	15.4	15.0	14.0	13.5
Texas	22,859,968	22,471,549	1.7	42,102	42,228	-0.3	16.3	16.7	24.5	24.7
Utah	2,469,585	2,420,708	2.0	53,693	52,432	2.4	9.6	9.6	15.5	13.5
Vermont	623,050	621,233	0.3	49,808	47,411	5.1	7.7	8.2	11.4	10.3
Virginia	7,567,465	7,481,332	1.2	52,383	55,494	-5.6	9.3	9.7	13.9	13.6
Washington	6,287,759	6,207,046	1.3	51,119	51,004	0.2	10.8	12.0	13.4	14.3
West Virginia	1,816,856	1,812,548	0.2	35,467	34,629	2.4	14.8	15.8	17.0	16.4
Wisconsin	5,536,201	5,503,533	0.6	45,956	48,181	-4.6	11.3	11.1	10.0	10.6
<b>Wyoming</b>	<b>509,294</b>	<b>505,887</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>45,817</b>	<b>46,038</b>	<b>-0.5</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>9.9</b>	<b>14.8</b>	<b>14.7</b>

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

## Income-to-Poverty Ratio for Individuals and Families in Wyoming: Average of 2005 and 2006

(Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey)

(Numbers in thousands) Use caution due to high variability	All Income Levels	Below 100% of Poverty		100% to 125% Poverty		125% to 150% Poverty	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
All Ages	503	52	10.3	20	3.9	18	3.5
People Under 18 Years of Age	116	16	13.4	6	4.8	4	3.1
People 18 to 64 Years of Age	324	30	9.4	11	3.3	9	2.8
People 65 Years and Over	63	6	9.5	3	5.5	5	8.4
All Families	141	10	7.1	4	2.9	4	2.6
Married Couple Families	118	4	3.5	2	2.1	3	2.3
Female-Headed Families	15	5	29.8	1	9.0	1	5.0

(Numbers in thousands) Use caution due to high variability	All Income Levels	150% to 175% Poverty		175% to 200% Poverty		200% to 250% Poverty	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
All Ages	503	24	4.7	25	4.9	50	10.0
People Under 18 Years of Age	116	7	6.2	6	5.0	13	10.8
People 18 to 64 Years of Age	324	13	4.2	13	4.1	30	9.3
People 65 Years and Over	63	3	4.7	6	9.1	8	12.1
All Families	141	5	3.6	6	4.5	14	10.2
Married Couple Families	118	4	3.1	6	4.8	12	10.0
Female-Headed Families	15	1	7.9	1	3.3	2	13.1

## Estimated Number and Percent Poor for Total Persons and Related Children and Estimated Median Household Income by County: 2004

(Source: Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates Program. U.S. Bureau of the Census. Released in December 2006)

Area Name	Total Persons in Poverty		Related Children Age 0-17 in Poverty		Related Children Age 5-17 in Poverty		Median Household Income
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
U.S. (in thousands)	37,040	12.4	13,042	17.8	8,431	16.2	\$44,334
Wyoming	51,301	10.3	15,492	13.7	8,695	10.7	\$43,785
Albany	4,232	14.7	801	15.7	439	13.2	\$34,627
Big Horn	1,338	12.0	457	16.7	266	13.0	\$36,930
Campbell	2,936	7.9	889	9.4	519	7.6	\$60,800
Carbon	1,714	11.8	468	15.3	268	12.3	\$40,750
Converse	1,242	9.8	371	13.1	210	9.7	\$46,883
Crook	485	7.9	132	10.5	80	8.5	\$43,880
Fremont	4,616	12.9	1,591	18.6	828	13.6	\$36,416
Goshen	1,656	13.9	478	19.1	262	14.4	\$34,365
Hot Springs	461	10.5	110	14.0	66	11.1	\$34,477
Johnson	669	8.7	173	11.5	103	8.8	\$42,252
Laramie	8,323	10.1	2,612	13.1	1,476	10.6	\$45,684
Lincoln	1,327	8.3	446	11.3	261	8.9	\$48,470
Natrona	7,594	11.1	2,515	15.9	1,392	12.5	\$42,926
Niobrara	284	12.9	70	16.8	40	12.5	\$34,253
Park	2,708	10.4	817	15.6	469	11.9	\$39,869
Platte	964	11.3	289	16.4	166	12.6	\$38,340
Sheridan	2,934	11.0	819	15.0	482	12.3	\$40,195
Sublette	473	6.9	125	8.4	78	7.0	\$53,450
Sweetwater	3,028	8.1	986	10.6	487	7.5	\$54,700
Teton	928	4.9	234	6.8	133	5.7	\$59,568
Uinta	1,922	9.8	685	12.4	410	10.2	\$50,184
Washakie	837	10.8	266	15.3	172	13.1	\$41,900
Weston	630	9.8	159	12.8	88	9.6	\$40,762

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