



Northampton County, Pennsylvania Community Profile
Demographic, Educational, and Industrial Breakdown

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Table 1. Sex and Age Profile, 2010 Census

Sex and age are the two most utilized demographic identifiers. Table 1 is a simple break down of the number of people in each given age cohort, and the representative percentage of that cohort. The male and female populations are shown in the bottom, with their representative percentages. Median ages have no percentage since they are an average.

Subject	Number	Percent
SEX AND AGE		
Total population	297,735	100.0
Under 5 years	16,231	5.5
5 to 9 years	17,975	6.0
10 to 14 years	18,657	6.3
15 to 19 years	21,897	7.4
20 to 24 years	19,794	6.6
25 to 29 years	16,047	5.4
30 to 34 years	16,034	5.4
35 to 39 years	18,329	6.2
40 to 44 years	21,024	7.1
45 to 49 years	23,119	7.8
50 to 54 years	23,616	7.9
55 to 59 years	20,580	6.9
60 to 64 years	17,826	6.0
65 to 69 years	13,074	4.4
70 to 74 years	9,590	3.2
75 to 79 years	8,394	2.8
80 to 84 years	7,656	2.6
85 years and over	7,892	2.7
Median age (years)	40.9	(X)
Male population	145,386	48.8
Median age (years)	39.5	(X)
Female population	152,349	51.2
Median age (years)	42.3	(X)



Table 2. Race Profile, 2010 Census

Race breakdown of the community identifies individuals as one, two, or more races, with individuals of more than one race able to show their racial breakdown (for greater detail, visit the website in citation)

RACE		
Total population	297,735	100.0
One Race	291,080	97.8
White	256,895	86.3
Black or African American	14,986	5.0
American Indian and Alaska Native	609	0.2
Asian	7,203	2.4
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	98	0.0
Some Other Race	11,289	3.8
Two or More Races	6,655	2.2
White; American Indian and Alaska Native [3]	684	0.2
White; Asian [3]	984	0.3
White; Black or African American [3]	2,279	0.8
White; Some Other Race [3]	1,229	0.4

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Table 3. Hispanic or Latino Breakdown, 2010 Census

Hispanic or Latino community members have further distinction within the census information due to the diversity within the Hispanic and Latino communities.

HISPANIC OR LATINO		
Total population	297,735	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	31,179	10.5
Mexican	3,197	1.1
Puerto Rican	18,805	6.3
Cuban	647	0.2
Other Hispanic or Latino [5]	8,530	2.9
Not Hispanic or Latino	266,556	89.5

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Table 4. Living Relationships, 2010 Census

Living relationships refer to how the population in a community lives amongst each other. These groups are divided amongst those in households, those that are institutionalized, and those that are non-institutionalized. Those institutionalized refer to those that are in an institution of sorts, such as a prison or old age home. Non-institutionalized population refers to those that are neither in a household nor in an institution.

RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	297,735	100.0
In households	287,115	96.4
Householder	113,565	38.1
Spouse [6]	60,533	20.3
Child	82,843	27.8
Unmarried partner	7,844	2.6
In group quarters	10,620	3.6
Institutionalized population	2,971	1.0
Male	1,404	0.5
Female	1,567	0.5
Noninstitutionalized population	7,649	2.6
Male	4,189	1.4
Female	3,460	1.2
Average household size	2.53	(X)
Average family size [7]	3.02	(X)

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Table 5. Housing Occupancy, 2010 Census

Housing occupancy refers to the number of people in given types of housing as well as the state of the housing unit on the market.

HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	120,363	100.0
Occupied housing units	113,565	94.4
Vacant housing units	6,798	5.6
For rent	2,244	1.9
Rented, not occupied	141	0.1
For sale only	1,353	1.1
Sold, not occupied	298	0.2
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	755	0.6
All other vacants	2,007	1.7

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Table 6. Housing Tenure, 2010 Census

Housing tenure refers to the breakdown of housing units by those who own their housing units and those who rent.

HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	113,565	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	82,719	72.8
Renter-occupied housing units	30,846	27.2

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Table 7. Educational attainment by age cohort, 2012 American Community Survey
 Educational attainment breaks the community down by both age and the highest level of education they have completed. These estimates are taken at the time of the census, and thus have the ability to alter quickly overtime.

Subject	Total Estimate	Male Estimate	Female Estimate
Population 18 to 24 years	29,577	15,641	13,936
Less than high school graduate	9.6%	10.4%	8.7%
High school graduate (equivalency)	30.1%	30.6%	29.6%
Some college or associate's degree	50.9%	50.7%	51.1%
Bachelor's degree or higher	9.4%	8.3%	10.7%
Population 25 years and over	203,280	96,777	106,503
Less than 9 th grade	3.9%	3.5%	4.2%
9 th to 12 th grade, no diploma	8.1%	8.2%	8.1%
High school graduate (equivalency)	35.2%	34.8%	35.6%
Some college, no degree	18.1%	18.6%	17.6%
Associate's degree	8.1%	7.3%	8.8%
Bachelor's degree	16.8%	17.5%	16.2%
Graduate or professional degree	9.8%	10.1%	9.6%

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Table 8. Employment by industry, 2012 American Community Survey

The population breakdown by industry separates all those in the working population, 16 years and above, into the industry they currently work in. The Census Bureau uses a consistent methodology to determine the industry classifications into which employees are assigned across the country. Those that are unable to release information due to disclosure complications are due to the low numbers of industries in that sector, and potential for breaching privacy.

Subject	Total	Male	Female	Median earnings (dollars)
	Estimate	Estimate	Estimate	Estimate
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	141,161	52.2%	47.8%	36,449
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining:	653	74.9%	25.1%	24,036
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	451	78.7%	21.3%	23,893
Mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction	202	66.3%	33.7%	33,000
Construction	7,435	92.2%	7.8%	42,259
Manufacturing	22,732	70.6%	29.4%	47,419
Wholesale trade	4,282	73.9%	26.1%	44,931
Retail trade	16,016	56.3%	43.7%	22,382
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities:	7,734	79.8%	20.2%	49,178
Transportation and warehousing	6,188	79.9%	20.1%	43,699
Utilities	1,546	79.4%	20.6%	69,250
Information	2,886	63.2%	36.8%	54,462
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing:	8,742	37.3%	62.7%	42,238
Finance and insurance	6,738	32.0%	68.0%	43,981
Real estate and rental and leasing	2,004	55.0%	45.0%	35,156
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services:	13,067	56.2%	43.8%	36,046
Professional, scientific, and technical services	6,864	55.5%	44.5%	50,353
Management of companies and	132	47.7%	52.3%	52,031



enterprises				
Administrative and support and waste management services	6,071	57.2%	42.8%	25,882
Educational services, and health care and social assistance:	36,910	26.2%	73.8%	34,827
Educational services	14,563	34.8%	65.2%	41,717
Health care and social assistance	22,347	20.7%	79.3%	31,988
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services:	10,354	47.1%	52.9%	13,277
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	2,664	57.1%	42.9%	14,833
Accommodation and food services	7,690	43.7%	56.3%	12,958
Other services, except public administration	5,961	42.0%	58.0%	22,054
Public administration	4,389	55.9%	44.1%	48,582
PERCENT IMPUTED				
Industry	4.8%	(X)	(X)	(X)

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