



Forest 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	7,716	100.0
Under 5 years	182	2.4
5 to 9 years	210	2.7
10 to 14 years	245	3.2
15 to 19 years	498	6.5
20 to 24 years	641	8.3
25 to 29 years	708	9.2
30 to 34 years	561	7.3
35 to 39 years	523	6.8
40 to 44 years	495	6.4
45 to 49 years	606	7.9
50 to 54 years	548	7.1
55 to 59 years	573	7.4
60 to 64 years	508	6.6
65 to 69 years	517	6.7
70 to 74 years	367	4.8
75 to 79 years	236	3.1
80 to 84 years	165	2.1
85 years and over	133	1.7
Median age (years)	43.0	(X)
Male population	5,164	66.9
Median age (years)	38.2	(X)
Female population	2,552	33.1
Median age (years)	52.1	(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	7,716	100.0
One Race	7,670	99.4
White	5,937	76.9
Black or African American	1,389	18.0
American Indian and Alaska Native	13	0.2
Asian	12	0.2
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1	0.0
Some Other Race	318	4.1
Two or More Races	46	0.6
White; American Indian and Alaska Native [3]	25	0.3
White; Asian [3]	3	0.0
White; Black or African American [3]	13	0.2
White; Some Other Race [3]	1	0.0

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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	7,716	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	418	5.4
Mexican	26	0.3
Puerto Rican	85	1.1
Cuban	1	0.0
Other Hispanic or Latino [5]	306	4.0
Not Hispanic or Latino	7,298	94.6

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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	7,716	100.0
In households	5,216	67.6
Householder	2,511	32.5
Spouse [6]	1,252	16.2
Child	1,049	13.6
Unmarried partner	144	1.9
In group quarters	2,500	32.4
Institutionalized population	2,500	32.4
Male	2,456	31.8
Female	44	0.6
Noninstitutionalized population	0	0.0
Male	0	0.0
Female	0	0.0
Average household size	2.08	(X)
Average family size [7]	2.67	(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	8,760	100.0
Occupied housing units	2,511	28.7
Vacant housing units	6,249	71.3
For rent	40	0.5
Rented, not occupied	5	0.1
For sale only	75	0.9
Sold, not occupied	7	0.1
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	5,962	68.1
All other vacants	160	1.8

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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	2,511	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	2,061	82.1
Renter-occupied housing units	450	17.9

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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	896	776	120
Less than high school graduate	26.3%	28.0%	15.8%
High school graduate (equivalency)	54.5%	58.5%	28.3%
Some college or associate's degree	13.8%	8.1%	50.8%
Bachelor's degree or higher	5.4%	5.4%	5.0%
Population 25 years and over	5,808	3,785	2,023
Less than 9 th grade	5.3%	5.8%	4.4%
9 th to 12 th grade, no diploma	14.4%	16.6%	10.2%
High school graduate (equivalency)	50.5%	49.7%	52.1%
Some college, no degree	15.7%	16.3%	14.7%
Associate's degree	4.9%	3.4%	7.6%
Bachelor's degree	4.8%	4.0%	6.1%
Graduate or professional degree	4.4%	4.1%	5.0%

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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	1,984	54.3%	45.7%	24,070
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining:	131	86.3%	13.7%	20,855
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	55	87.3%	12.7%	19,688
Mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction	76	85.5%	14.5%	21,029
Construction	138	81.9%	18.1%	26,154
Manufacturing	180	73.3%	26.7%	32,647
Wholesale trade	79	46.8%	53.2%	30,529
Retail trade	273	37.4%	62.6%	20,288
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities:	131	79.4%	20.6%	26,806
Transportation and warehousing	126	80.2%	19.8%	26,389
Utilities	5	60.0%	40.0%	29,375
Information	22	50.0%	50.0%	19,167
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing:	39	33.3%	66.7%	33,698
Finance and insurance	14	0.0%	100.0%	33,654
Real estate and rental and leasing	25	52.0%	48.0%	33,750
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services:	61	59.0%	41.0%	16,094
Professional, scientific, and technical services	27	18.5%	81.5%	21,563
Management of companies and	0	-	-	-



enterprises				
Administrative and support and waste management services	34	91.2%	8.8%	6,250
Educational services, and health care and social assistance:	386	32.4%	67.6%	26,333
Educational services	112	36.6%	63.4%	50,938
Health care and social assistance	274	30.7%	69.3%	17,381
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services:	229	54.1%	45.9%	5,225
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	38	78.9%	21.1%	5,000
Accommodation and food services	191	49.2%	50.8%	5,288
Other services, except public administration	70	80.0%	20.0%	30,962
Public administration	245	45.7%	54.3%	28,983
PERCENT IMPUTED				
Industry	7.8%	(X)	(X)	(X)

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