

Your Community by the Numbers

Accessing the most current and relevant Census data

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Search using the options below:

Topics

(age, income, year, dataset, ...)

Geographies

(states, counties, places, ...)

Race and Ethnic Groups

(race, ancestry, tribe)

Industry Codes

(NAICS industry, ...)

Getting Detailed Data

The following data are available on American FactFinder:

• Decennial Census

Taken every 10 years to collect information about the people and housing of the United States

• American Community Survey

An ongoing survey that provides data about your community every

Your source for population, housing, economic, and geographic information



Quick Start

Enter search term(s) and click 'GO' [?](#)

topic or table name for state, county or place (optional)

 for

GO

topics race/ancestry industries

Or use the options on the left to begin your search

News and Notes

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Jan 12, 2012

The Census Bureau is releasing Summary File 2 data on a state-by-state flow basis from December 2011 through April 2012. States that have been released are: NV, NM, CT, and DC. SF 2 provides detailed data on age, sex, households, families, the group quarters population, and occupied housing units for up to 331 race, Hispanic or Latino origin, and tribal population groups. Presentation of SF 2 tables for a population group is subject to a threshold of 100 or more people of a particular group in a particular geographic area. [more »](#)

Dec 15, 2011

U.S. Population Clock

13:56 UTC (EST+5) Jan 24, 2012

312,902,520

[more population clocks »](#)

Reference Maps

Reference Maps show selected geographic boundaries for an area along with orienting features, such as roads.

United States

GO

Address Search



Find Census data by entering a street address.

American FactFinder Components

- **Program**
 - Census or Survey
- **Data Sets**
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- **Product Type**
 - Table or Map
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Programs

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Search Results:

Selected: View | Download | Compare | Clear All

Search for:

Select Topics

CLOSE X

Select Topics to add to "Your Selections"

- People
- Housing
- Business and Industry
- Year
- Product Type
- Program
 - American Community Survey (31,006)
 - Annual Survey of Manufactures (91)
 - Business Expenses Survey (4)
 - Business Patterns (68)
 - Commodity Flow Survey (106)
 - Decennial Census (7,784)
 - Economic Census (1,294)
 - Nonemployer Statistics (26)
 - Population Estimates (35)
 - Survey of Business Owners (197)

Dataset

Include archived products in your search



Program

- **Decennial Census**
 - Every 10 years, Counts Residents
- **American Community Survey (ACS)**
 - Annual Social, Economic and Housing data
- **Other Surveys and Censuses**
 - Population Estimates
 - Economic Census



Program (cont.)

Decennial Census

- In 2000, 1 in 6 households received the 53 question, 40 page long form

- Detailed social, economic & housing info

- **2010 Census was Short Form Only!**

- 10 Questions

- **2010 Questionnaire**

- Name	- Race	- Housing
- Sex	- Ethnicity	Tenure
- Age	- Household	
	Relationship	



Program (cont.)

American Community Survey (ACS)

CURRENT DATA AVAILABLE FOR 2010

- Data is currently available for most geographic areas
 - Areas with a population **65,000+**: **1 Year Estimates**
(data avail. for 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010)
 - Areas with a population **20,000+**: **3-Year Estimates**
(data avail. for 2005-07, 2006-08, 2007-09, 2008-2010)
 - Areas **below 20,000** (incl. census tracts & block groups):
5-year estimates (data avail. for 2005-2009, 2006-2010)



Data Sets

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 - 2010 ACS 5-year estimates (2,304)
 - 2010 ACS 3-year estimates (2,964)
 - 2010 ACS 1-year estimates (3,071)
 - 2010 SF1 100% Data (658)
 - 2010 SF2 100% Data (140)
 - 2010 Redistricting Data SF (PL 94-171) (27)
 - 2010 Demographic Profile SF (3)
 - 2010 National Redistricting Data SF (27)
 - 2010 Annual Survey of Manufactures (8)
 - 2009 ACS 5-year estimates (2,097)
 - 2009 ACS 3-year estimates (2,462)
 - 2009 ACS 1-year estimates (2,775)

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Data Sets

2010 Census

Redistricting Data (Feb 2011 – April 1, 2011)

- first release of local data from Census 2010; will include total population, age (18+), race, ethnicity, housing units, occupancy/vacancy)

Released - Available Now!

Summary File 1 (Summer 2011)

- Household, Family & Relationship data

Released – Available Now!

Summary File 2 (Winter 2011)

– Summary File 1 data iterated for Detailed Race and Ethnic Groups

Currently being released on state by state basis



Census 2010: Summary File 1 (SF1 = 100% Data)

- Household Relationship
- Sex
- Age
- Hispanic or Latino Origin
- Race
- Tenure (own/rent)
- Vacancy characteristics



Census 2010: Summary File 2 (SF2 = 100% Data)

Summary File 2

Cross references detailed race and ethnic groups with all data subjects in SF1



Summary File 4 (SF4 = Sample Data)

Summary File 4

Cross references detailed race, ethnic, and ancestry groups with all data subjects in SF3

**Now collected by ACS and available through
Selected Population Profiles**



Data Sets

American Community Survey

2006-2010 ACS 5yr Estimates

2008-2010 ACS 3yr Estimates

2010 ACS 1yr Estimate

2005-2009 ACS 5yr Estimates

2007-2009 ACS 3yr Estimates

2009 ACS 1yr Estimates

2006-2008 ACS 3yr Estimates

2008 ACS 1yr Estimates

....and so on!



Summary Level: Geography

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Search Results:

Select Geographies

Name | Address | Map

Enter a geography name or use the Geography Filter Options below:

Enter a geography name (Alabama, Marengo County, ...) ?

Your Geography Filters

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Geography Filter Options

- Geographic Type
 - Nation (1)
 - State (47,601)
 - County (220,306)
 - City or Town (1,931,038)
 - Congressional District (42,993)
 - Census Tract (1,926,190)
 - Metro/Micro Area (3,042)
 - ZIP Code/ZCTA (225,039)
 - Other (4,126,745)
- Summary Level
 - Within State

Include in results: ?

All geographies

Individual geographies

Groups of geographies

Show Geographic Components (e.g., urban, rural)

Search using geographic codes ?

Select geographies to add to Your Selections

Select from: ?

most requested summary levels all summary levels individual blocks

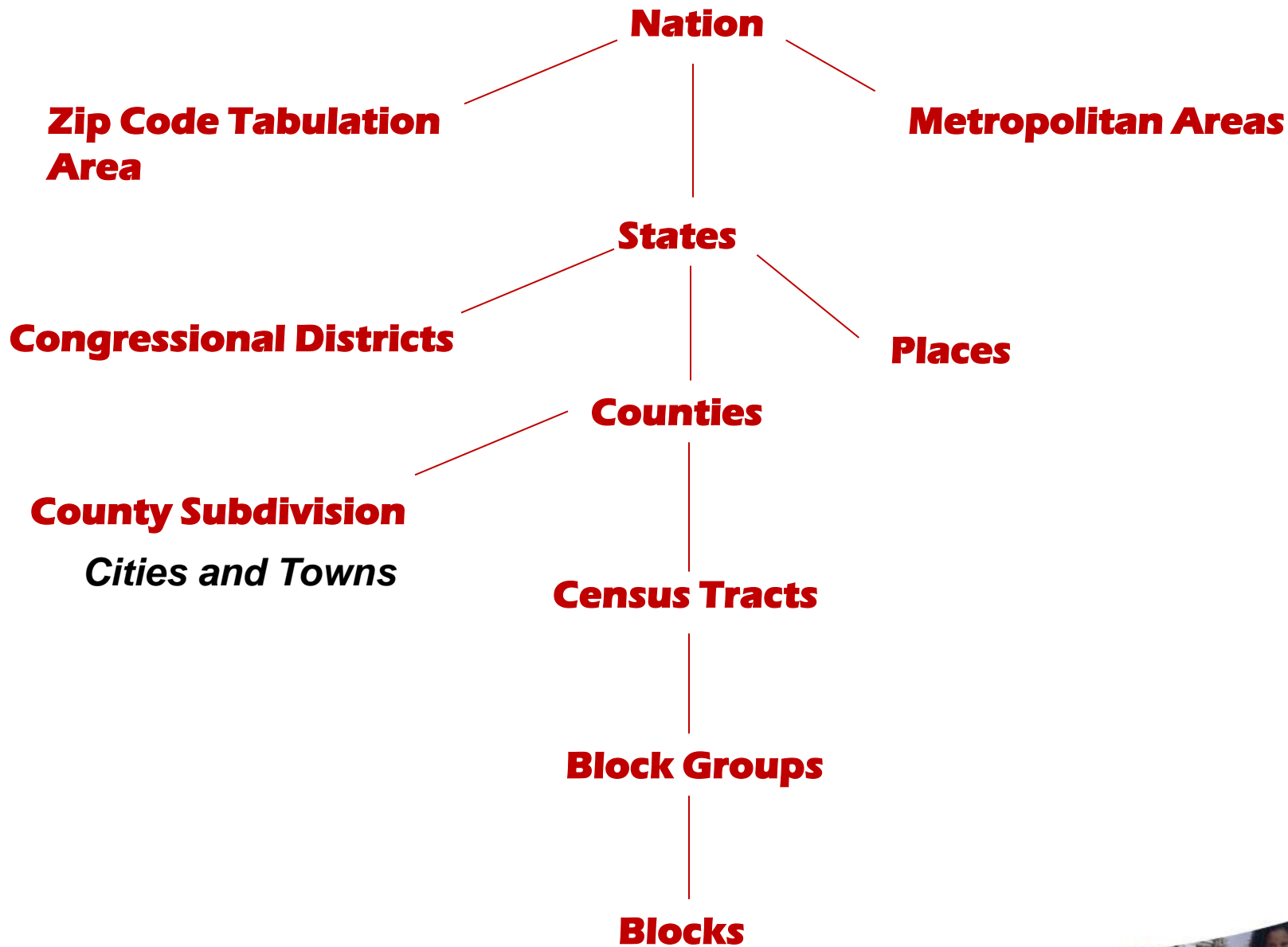
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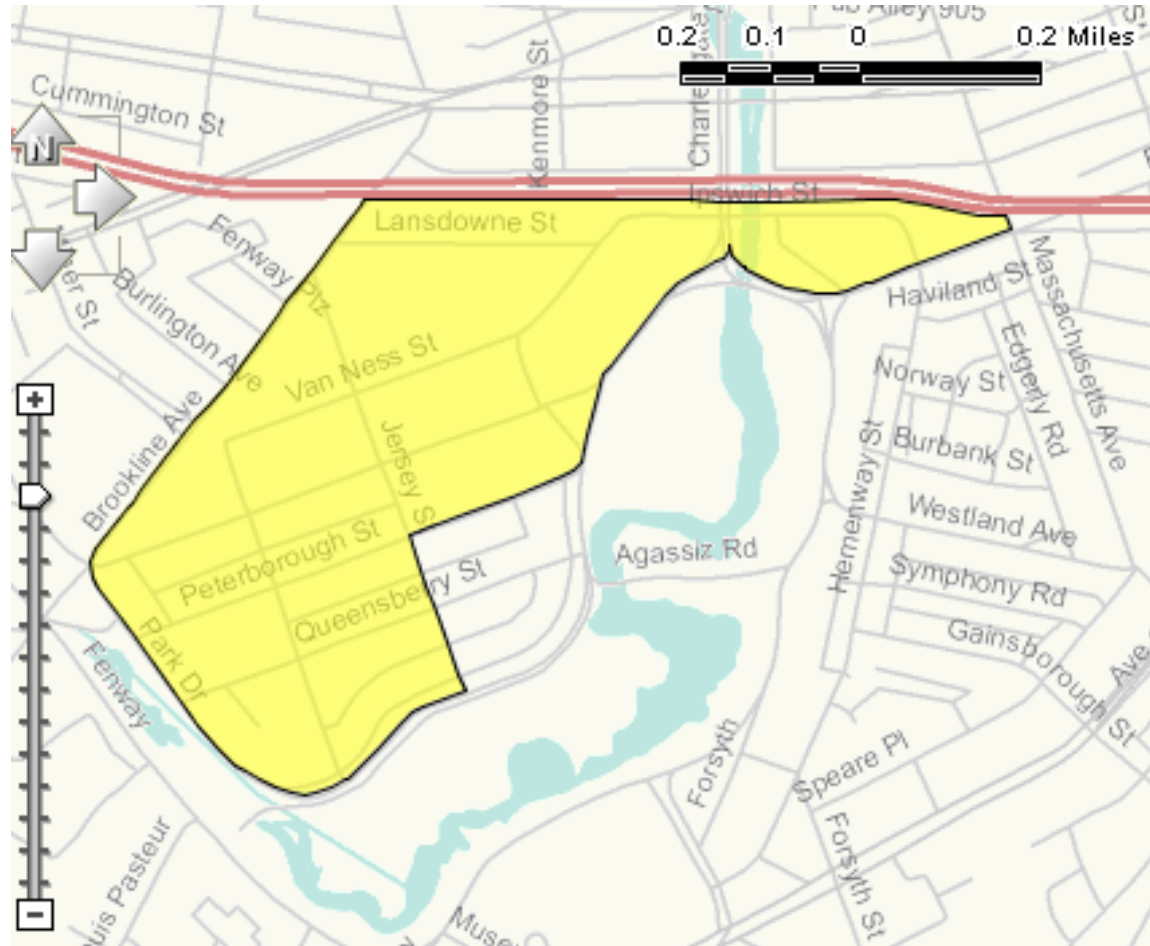
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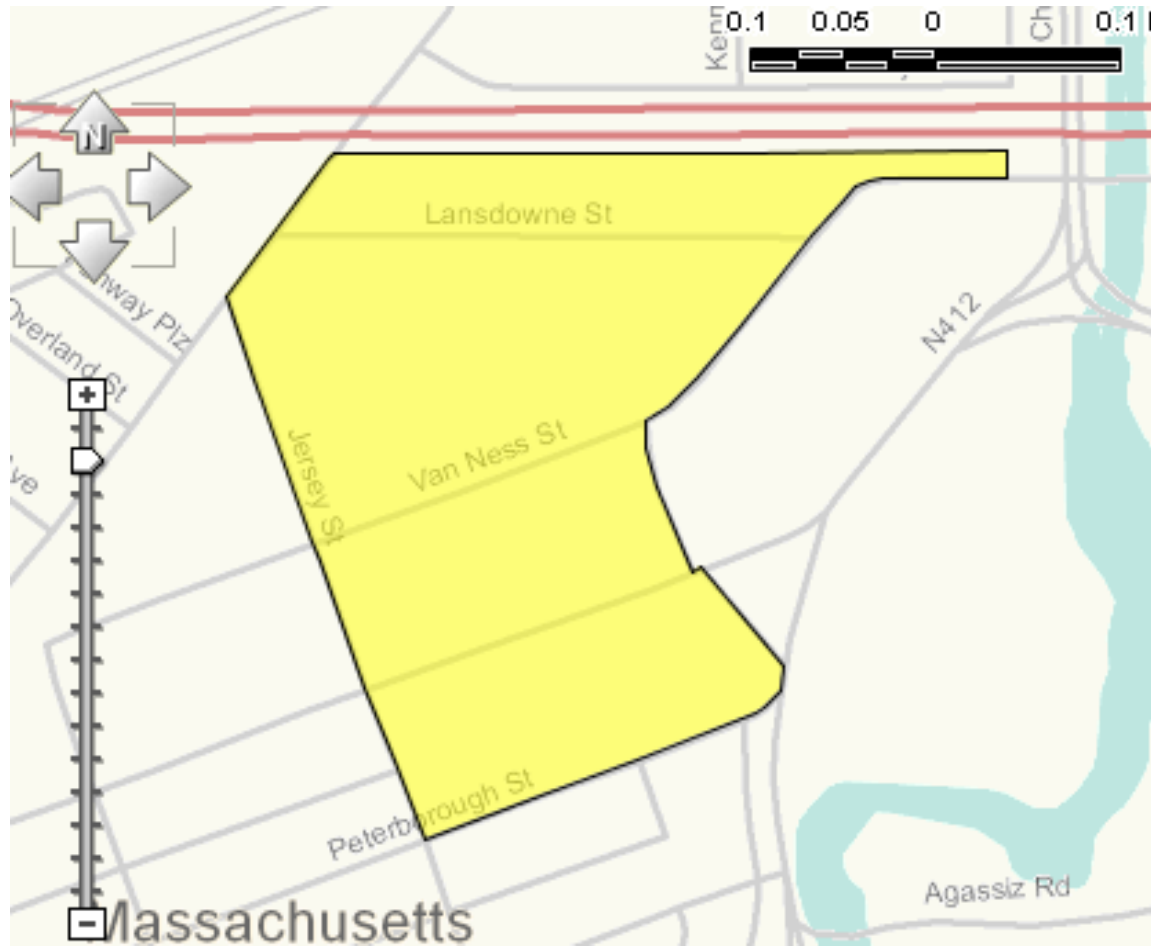
Census Tract 102.03, Suffolk Cty, MA



- **Census Tracts** generally have a population of 1,500 to 8,000 (optimum **4,000**) and follow physical boundaries.



BG 4, Tract 102.03, Suffolk Cty, MA



- **Block Groups** generally have a population of 300 to 4,000 (optimum 1,500) and follow physical boundaries.



