

San Francisco City and County

Decennial Census data

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	Census 2000		Census 2010		2006-2010 ACS*	
TOTAL POPULATION	776,733	100.0%	805,235	100.0%	789,172	100.0%
In households	756,976	97.5%	780,971	97.0%		
In group quarters	19,757	2.5%	24,264	3.0%		
RACE						
White	385,728	49.7%	390,387	48.5%		
Black or African American	60,515	7.8%	48,870	6.1%		
American Indian and Alaska Native	3,458	0.4%	4,024	0.5%		
Asian	239,565	30.8%	267,915	33.3%		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	3,844	0.5%	3,359	0.4%		
Some other race	50,365	6.5%	53,021	6.6%		
Two or more races	33,255	4.3%	37,659	4.7%		
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE						
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	109,504	14.1%	121,774	15.1%		
Not Hispanic or Latino	667,229	85.9%	683,461	84.9%		
White	338,909	43.6%	337,451	41.9%		
Black or African American	58,791	7.6%	46,781	5.8%		
American Indian and Alaska Native	2,020	0.3%	1,828	0.2%		
Asian	238,173	30.7%	265,700	33.0%		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	3,602	0.5%	3,128	0.4%		
Some other race	2,580	0.3%	2,494	0.3%		
Two or more races	23,154	3.0%	26,079	3.2%		
SEX						
Male	394,828	50.8%	408,462	50.7%		
Female	381,905	49.2%	396,773	49.3%		
AGE						
Under 5 years	31,633	4.1%	35,203	4.4%		
5 to 17 years	81,169	10.4%	72,321	9.0%		
18 to 64 years	557,820	71.8%	587,869	73.0%		
65 years and over	106,111	13.7%	109,842	13.6%		
Median age	36.5	X	38.5	X		
HOUSEHOLDS						
Total households	329,700	100.0%	345,811	100.0%		
Family households	145,186	44.0%	151,029	43.7%		
Families with children under 18	54,707	16.0%	55,212	16.0%		
Average household size	2.30	X	2.26	X		
Average family size	3.22	X	3.11	X		
HOUSING OCCUPANCY						
Total housing units	346,527	100.0%	376,942	100.0%	372,560	100.0%
Occupied housing units	329,700	95.1%	345,811	91.7%	335,956	90.2%
Owner-occupied housing units	115,391	35.0%	123,646	35.8%	126,028	37.5%
Renter-occupied housing units	214,309	65.0%	222,165	64.2%	209,928	62.5%
Vacant housing units	16,827	4.9%	31,131	8.3%	36,604	9.8%
1 unit, detached housing	62,653	18.1%			64,999	17.4%
Median value owner occupied unit (dollars)	396,400	X			785,200	X
Median gross rent (dollars)	928	X			1,328	X
PLACE OF BIRTH BY CITIZENSHIP STATUS						
Native	491,192	63.2%			508,110	64.4%
Foreign born	285,541	36.8%			281,062	35.6%
Naturalized citizen	163,426	21.0%			173,639	22.0%
Not a citizen	122,115	15.7%			107,423	13.6%
INCOME AND POVERTY IN 1999						
Median household income (dollars)	55,221	X			71,304	X
Median family income (dollars)	63,545	X			85,778	X
Per capita income (dollars)	34,556	X			45,478	X
Individuals in poverty	86,585	11.3%			92,600	11.9%
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT						
Population 25 and over	595,805	100.0%			608,563	100.0%
High school graduate	82,618	13.9%				14.4%
Bachelor's degree	170,186	28.6%				31.5%
Graduate or professional degree	97,806	16.4%				19.7%
COMMUTING TO WORK						
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	30.7	X			29.4	X
MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK FOR WORKERS 16 YEARS AND OVER						
Total	418,553	100.0%			433,674	100.0%
Car, truck, or van:	214,660	51.3%			199,818	46.1%
Drove alone	169,508	40.5%			165,371	38.1%
Carpooled	45,152	10.8%			34,447	7.9%
Public transportation (Census 2000 includes taxicabs, ACS excludes them)	130,311	31.1%			141,169	32.6%
Bus or trolley bus	89,443	21.4%			97,822	22.6%
Streetcar or trolley car	11,467	2.7%			10,452	2.7%
Subway or elevated	25,237	6.0%			28,334	6.5%
Railroad	2,426	0.6%			4,438	1.0%
Ferryboat	187	0.0%			123	0.0%
Taxicab	1,551	0.4%			1,324	0.3%
Motorcycle	3,951	0.9%			3,989	0.9%
Bicycle	8,302	2.0%			12,878	3.0%
Walked	39,192	9.4%			42,435	9.8%
Other means	2,761	0.7%			3,488	0.8%
Worked at home	19,376	4.6%			28,573	6.6%
DETAILED PLACE TO PLACE COMMUTING	(in Excel)					
LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT BY OCCUPATION						
Employed civilian population 16 years and over	427,823	100.0%			444,628	100.0%
Management, professional and related	206,804	48.3%			224,513	50.5%
Service	61,364	14.3%			73,900	16.6%
Sales and office	109,316	25.6%			99,725	22.4%
Farming, fishing & forestry	462	0.1%				Included in following category
Construction, extraction, and maintenance	17,990	4.2%			20,484	4.6%
Production, transportation, and material moving	31,887	7.5%			26,006	5.8%
CLASS OF WORKER						
Self-employed workers	37,140	8.7%			39,004	8.8%

Source: Census 2000 SF1, SF3, DP1-DP4, CTPP, Census 2010 DP-1, American Community Survey 2006-2010

* Go to tables in [American Factfinder](#) to view information on methodology and margins of error

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