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Introduction

Our Family and Social Trendlines bring together in one place the data on family issues. In almost all cases, the data is drawn from original federal government data.

Though the U.S. Census Bureau’s annual Statistical Abstract of the United States is a wonderful product, the annual edition does not go back far enough to give the long-term view on most issues. Furthermore the federal data system is rather difficult for the layman (and even for the demographic scholar) to navigate. Through this publication, we hope to remedy this situation and make available data that are not easily accessible for most laymen.

This collection of Trendlines is designed to inform the reader about the American family in its current state, including its behaviors in the five major institutions (five major tasks) of society: family, church, school, marketplace, and government. It is in these institutions that the next generation is born and raised; learns and applies transcendent truths; studies and is taught; where goods and services are produced and traded to meet physical needs; and where society applies physical force when necessary for the common good, the general welfare. We have also included trendline data on health.

This 2014 edition is the second version of our report. We intend hereafter to issue an updated set of Trendlines annually, and we hope that this contribution from the Marriage and Religion Research Institute will be useful for all who are interested in the state of the family and how we as a nation conduct our family life.
These data can be divided into two broad categories. The Trendlines contain fundamentally positive data consisting of conceptions, births, adoptions, and marriages. From these gifts all other demographic goods flow. The fundamentally negative data consist of abortions, separations of parents, divorces, death in its myriad forms, violence, abuse, theft, and addictions, to name but a few.

The Trendlines are divided into nine sections, each devoted to a different set of demographic data: population, reproduction, abortions, family structure, religious practice, educational attainment, income, crimes, and health.

Section one looks at overall population data when viewed through different lenses (age, sex, and race/ethnicity).

Section two illustrates reproduction through different categories of births, birth rates and fertility rates. It also looks at rates of activities that affect reproduction: sexual activity, conception, and contraception.

Section three deals solely with abortion in its different dimensions.

Section four illustrates the different arrangements of the fundamental institution of the family in its intactness (marriage and adoption) and its fractured-ness or rearrangements (divorce, single-parent families, and other living arrangements).

Thereafter, in sections five, six, seven, and eight, the Report looks at the other basic institutions of religious practice, educational attainment, income, and crime.

Section nine, the last section, looks at health and mental health.

We look forward to providing you with an updated and expanded version of this report in the future.

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Editor’s Notes:
- In some charts organized by specified race/ethnicity, due to the organization of U.S. Census racial categories, Hispanic individuals are represented twice: first, by their ethnicity, on the “Hispanic” trendline, and second, by their race, usually on the “Black” or “White” trendlines. This is because the U.S. Census Bureau considers “Hispanic” to be an ethnic, not a racial, category.
- The murders and non-negligent homicides that occurred as a result of the events of September 11, 2001, are not included in the charts tracking murder and non-negligent homicide numbers and rates.
Index of Family Belonging and Rejection
U.S. Index of Family Belonging and Rejection 2008-2011

Source: American Community Survey

Percentage of 15- to 17-year-olds with families intact or broken

Index of Belonging: 44%

Index of Rejection: 56%
**U.S. Index of Family Belonging and Rejection by Race/Ethnicity**

**2008-2011**

Source: American Community Survey

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<tr>
<td>Asian</td>
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<td>25%</td>
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<td>Black</td>
<td>13%</td>
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Note: Data reflects the percentage of 15- to 17-year-olds with families intact of specified race/ethnicity for the years 2008 to 2011. The data source is the American Community Survey.
U.S. Index of Family Belonging and Rejection by State 2008-2011

Source: American Community Survey
Population: General
Total Population* of the U.S. 1940-2011


*Population does not include armed forces overseas.
U.S. Population* by Sex 1950-2011


*Total Population Count has been modified based on census publications. Enumeration by sex has not been corrected.
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Year

White population


White, non-Hispanic

White

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Black Population of the U.S. 1940-2011

Hispanic Population of the U.S. 1990-2011


Year

Hispanic population

Asian Population of the U.S. 1990-2011


Year

Asian population
0 2000000 4000000 6000000 8000000 10000000 12000000 14000000 16000000

Asian and Pacific Islander, non-Hispanic
Asian, non-Hispanic
Pacific Islander, non-Hispanic
Native American and Alaska Native Population of the U.S. 1990-2011


Year | Native American and Alaska Native Population
--- | ---
1990 | 1,750,000
1991 | 1,850,000
1992 | 1,950,000
1993 | 2,000,000
1994 | 2,050,000
1995 | 2,100,000
1996 | 2,150,000
1997 | 2,200,000
1998 | 2,250,000
1999 | 2,300,000
2000 | 2,350,000
2001 | 2,400,000
2002 | 2,450,000
2003 | 2,500,000
2004 | 2,550,000
2005 | 2,600,000
2006 | 2,650,000
2007 | 2,700,000
2008 | 2,750,000
2009 | 2,800,000
2010 | 2,850,000
2011 | 2,900,000
Population:
Pregnancies
U.S. Pregnancy Rate of Married and Unmarried Women by Race/Ethnicity
1993-2008

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

White, married
Black, married
Hispanic, married
White, unmarried
Black, unmarried
Hispanic, unmarried

Year

Pregnancies per 1,000 women of specified race/ethnicity and marital status

Population: Births
Total Births in the U.S. 1940-2011

Source: Statistical Abstracts of the United States, NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports
U.S. Birth Rate 1940-2011

Source: Statistical Abstracts of the United States, NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Births per 1,000 persons vs. Year

Year


Births per 1,000 persons

10 12 14 16 18 20 22 24 26 28
Live Births in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity 1950-2011

Source: Statistical Abstracts of the United States, Vital Statistics of the United States

Number of births by specified race/ethnicity (in thousands)

Year


Total births
White
Non-white
Black
Hispanic
Asian and Pacific Islander
American Indian and Alaska Native

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Population:
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Source: Statistical Abstracts of the United States, NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

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Source: Statistical Abstracts of the United States, NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

*2011 is a preliminary figure.
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Source: Statistical Abstracts of the United States, U.S. Census Bureau, NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

*2011 is a preliminary figure.
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Source: Statistical Abstracts of the United States, U.S. Census Bureau, NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

*2011 is a preliminary figure.
U.S. Infant Mortality Rate by Race/Ethnicity* 1975-2011**

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

*Prior to 1980, race/ethnicity was based on that of the child. Since 1980, race/ethnicity has been measured by that of the mother. Therefore, 1980 is represented twice, first by race/ethnicity of child, second by race/ethnicity of mother.

**2011 are preliminary figures.
Reproduction:

Pregnancies
Total Pregnancies, Live Births, Abortions, and Miscarriages in the U.S. 1976-2010*
Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

*2010 is a preliminary figure.
Total Pregnancies and Live Births in the U.S. 1976-2010

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

*2010 is a preliminary figure.
Total Pregnancies and Abortions in the U.S. 1976-2008

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

![Graph showing total pregnancies and abortions from 1976 to 2008]
U.S. Pregnancy, Live Birth, Abortion, and Miscarriage Rates of Married Women 1990-2008
Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Year

Pregnancies, live births, abortions, and miscarriages per 1,000 unmarried women aged 15-44

Year

Total pregnancies

Live births

Abortions

Miscarriages
U.S. Pregnancy Rate of Married and Unmarried Women by Race/Ethnicity
1993-2008
Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Year
Pregnancies per 1,000 women of specified race/ethnicity and marital status

1993
1994
1995
1996
1997
1998
1999
2000
2001
2002
2003
2004
2005
2006
2007
2008

White, married
Black, married
Hispanic, married
White, unmarried
Black, unmarried
Hispanic, unmarried
U.S. Pregnancy, Live Birth, Abortion, and Miscarriage Rates of Married White Women 1990-2008

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Pregnancies, live births, abortions, and miscarriages per 1,000 unmarried white women aged 15-44
Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Year

Total pregnancies
Live births
Abortions
Miscarriages

Pregnancies, live births, abortions, and miscarriages per 1,000 married black women aged 15-44
Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Year

Pregnancies, live births, abortions, and miscarriages per 1,000 unmarried black women aged 15-44

- Total pregnancies
- Live births
- Abortions
- Miscarriages
U.S. Pregnancy, Live Birth, Abortion, and Miscarriage Rates of Married Hispanic Women 1993-2008

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Pregnancies, live births, abortions, and miscarriages per 1,000 married Hispanic women aged 15-44

Year

Total pregnancies
Live births
Abortions
Miscarriages
U.S. Pregnancy, Live Birth, Abortion, and Miscarriage Rates of Unmarried Hispanic Women 1993-2008

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Pregnancies, live births, abortions, and miscarriages per 1,000 unmarried Hispanic women aged 15-44
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Births
Total Births in the U.S. 1940-2011
Source: Statistical Abstracts of the United States, NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Number of births (in thousands)

Year


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Live Births in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity 1950-2011

Source: Statistical Abstracts of the United States, Vital Statistics of the United States

- Total births
- White
- Non-white
- Black
- Hispanic
- American Indian and Alaska Native

Number of births by specified race/ethnicity (in thousands)

Year
U.S. Birth Rate by Race/Ethnicity 1950-2010

Source: Statistical Abstracts of the United States, Vital Statistics of the United States
Total Pregnancies, Live Births, Abortions, and Miscarriages in the U.S. 1976-2010*

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

*2010 is a preliminary figure.
Total Pregnancies and Live Births in the U.S. 1976-2010

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

*2010 is a preliminary figure.
Births to Minors* as a Percentage of All Births in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity
1970-2010

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

*B mothers under age 18.
Reproduction:
Out-of-Wedlock Births
Out-of-Wedlock Births as a Percentage of All Births in the U.S. 1964-2011
Source: Statistical Abstracts of the United States, NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports
Out-of-Wedlock Births as a Percentage of All Births in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity 1975-2011

Source: Statistical Abstracts of the United States, NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Births per 1,000 unmarried women of specified age

Year


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U.S. Out-of-Wedlock Birth Rate by Age of Mother 1970-2011
Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports
U.S. Out-of-Wedlock Birth Rate of Women Aged 20-24 by Race/Ethnicity
1980-2011

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Births per 1,000 unmarried women aged 20-24 of specified race/ethnicity

Year

White
Black
Hispanic
U.S. Out-of-Wedlock Birth Rate of White Mothers by Age 1980-2011

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Births per 1,000 unmarried white women of specified age
U.S. Out-of-Wedlock Birth Rate of White Teenage Women by Age 1980-2011

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports
U.S. Out-of-Wedlock Birth Rate of Adult White Women by Age 1980-2011

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports
U.S. Out-of-Wedlock Birth Rate of Black Teenage Women by Age 1980-2011

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

[Graph showing birth rates for different age groups (15-19, 15-17, 18-19) from 1980 to 2011]
U.S. Out-of-Wedlock Birth Rate of Adult Black Women by Age 1980-2011

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Births per 1,000 unmarried black women of specified age

Year


150 125 100 75 50 25 0

20-24 25-29 30-34 35-39 40-44
U.S. Out-of-Wedlock Birth Rate of Hispanic Mothers by Age 1990-2011

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

The diagram shows the out-of-wedlock birth rate of Hispanic mothers by age from 1990 to 2011. The birth rate is measured per 1,000 unmarried Hispanic women of specified age. The years 1990, 2000, and 2011 are highlighted for comparison.

Key:
- 15-44
- 15-19
- 20-24
- 25-29
- 30-34
- 35-39
- 40-44

The birth rate varies across different age groups and years, with some years showing peaks and others showing declines. The data is sourced from the National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS), National Vital Statistics Reports.
U.S. Out-of-Wedlock Birth Rate of Hispanic Teenage Women by Age 1990-2011

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports
U.S. Out-of-Wedlock Birth Rate of Adult Hispanic Women by Age 1990-2011

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Births per 1,000 unmarried Hispanic women of specified age

Year

1990 2000 2011

20-24
25-29
30-34
35-39
40-44
Reproduction: Sexual Activity
High School Students in the U.S. Who Have Had Sexual Intercourse by Race/Ethnicity (Selected Years) 1991-2011
Source: CDC Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report, via Child Trends
High School Students in the U.S. Who Have Had Sexual Intercourse by Grade (Selected Years) 1991-2011

Source: CDC Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report, via Child Trends

Year

1991 2001 2011

Percentage of high school students of specified grade

1991 2001 2011
Never-Married Girls Aged 15-19 in the U.S. Who Have Had Sexual Intercourse
(Selected Years) 1988-2010

Source: National Survey of Family Growth, via CDC Vital and Health Statistics

Percentage of girls of specified age

Year


Total

15-17

18-19
Sexually Active* High School Students in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity
(Selected Years) 1991-2011
Source: CDC, Youth Risk Behavior Surveys

*Had had sexual intercourse in the three months preceding the interview.
### Sexually Active* High School Students in the U.S. by Grade (Selected Years) 1991-2011

Source: CDC, Youth Risk Behavior Surveys

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*Had had sexual intercourse in the three months preceding the interview.
Reproduction: Contraceptive Activity
Women Aged 15-44 in the U.S. Currently Using Specified Contraceptive Method (Selected Years) 1982-2008

Source: CDC, Vital and Health Statistics

Percentage of women aged 15-44 by specified contraceptive method:

- Female sterilization
- Male sterilization
- Pill
- Intrauterine device (IUD)
- Condom
Married Women (or Their Husbands) Aged 15-44 in the U.S. by Specified Sterilizing Operation (Selected Years) 1965-1995

Source: NCHS, Vital and Health Statistics

- Total
- Tubal ligation
- Hysterectomy
- Vasectomy

Percentage of married women or their husbands aged 15-44 by specified sterilizing operation.
Condom Use by Sexually Active* High School Students in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity (Selected Years) 1991-2011

Source: CDC Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report, via Child Trends

*Had had sexual intercourse in the three months preceding the interview.
Condom Use by Sexually Active* High School Students in the U.S. by Grade (Selected Years) 1991-2011

Source: CDC Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report, via Child Trends

*Had had sexual intercourse in the three months preceding the interview.
Birth Control Pill Use* by Sexually Active** High School Students in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity (Selected Years) 1993-2011

Source: CDC Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report, via Child Trends

*Reported using birth control pills at last intercourse.
**Had had sexual intercourse in the three months preceding the interview.
Birth Control Pill Use* by Sexually Active** High School Students in the U.S. by Grade (Selected Years) 1993-2011

Source: CDC Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report, via Child Trends

*Reported using birth control pills at last intercourse.
**Had had sexual intercourse in the three months preceding the interview.
Reproduction:
Fertility
U.S. Total Fertility Rate* 1970-2012**
Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Number of children born per representative U.S. woman

Year

*National average number of children an American woman would bear in her lifetime, if childbearing conformed each year to age-specific fertility rates that year. A total fertility rate of 2.1 represents "replacement level" fertility for the total population under current mortality conditions.

**2012 is preliminary data.
U.S. Total Fertility Rate* by Race/Ethnicity** 1980-2012***

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

*National average number of children an American woman would bear in her lifetime, if childbearing conformed each year to age-specific fertility rates that year. A total fertility rate of 2.1 represents "replacement level" fertility for the total population under current mortality conditions.

**In this table all women (including Hispanic women) are classified only according to their race.

***2012 is a preliminary figure.
U.S. General (Annual) Fertility Rate by Race/Ethnicity* ** 1964-2010

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

*Prior to 1980, race/ethnicity was based on that of the child. Since 1980, race/ethnicity has been measured by that of the mother. Therefore, 1980 is represented twice, first by race/ethnicity of child, second by race/ethnicity of mother.

**In this table all women (including Hispanic women) are classified only according to their race.
Women Childless in the U.S. by Age (Selected Years) 1976-2010

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey Data on Fertility
Abortions
Total Abortions in the U.S.* 1970-2009**

Source: CDC, Abortion Surveillance

*Beginning in 1999, certain states [Alaska, California, Louisiana, New Hampshire, Oklahoma, West Virginia] inconsistently reported abortion numbers to the CDC.

** In 2009, the CDC gathered data from 48 reporting areas (the District of Columbia; New York City; and 46 states, excluding California, Delaware, Maryland, and New Hampshire.
U.S. Abortion Rate by Age of Mother 1990-2008
Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Abortions per 1,000 women of specified age

Year


1990 2000 2008

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U.S. Abortion Rate of Unmarried Women by Race/Ethnicity 1993-2008

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Number of abortions per 1,000 unmarried women of specified race/ethnicity

Total

White

Black

Hispanic

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Total Pregnancies, Live Births, Abortions, and Miscarriages in the U.S. 1976-2010*

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

*2010 is a preliminary figure.
Total Pregnancies and Abortions in the U.S. 1976-2008
Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Number of pregnancies and abortions (in thousands)

Year
1976
1980
1990
2000
2008

Total Pregnancies
Abortions

U.S. Pregnancy, Live Birth, Abortion, and Miscarriage Rates of Married Women 1990-2008

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

[Graph showing trends]

Total pregnancies, live births, abortions, and miscarriages per 1,000 unmarried women aged 15-44 from 1990 to 2008.
Pregnancies, live births, abortions, and miscarriages per 1,000 unmarried black women aged 15-44


Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports
U.S. Pregnancy, Live Birth, Abortion, and Miscarriage Rates of Married Hispanic Women 1993-2008
Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports
U.S. Pregnancy, Live Birth, Abortion, and Miscarriage Rates of Unmarried Hispanic Women 1993-2008

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

Total pregnancies, live births, abortions, and miscarriages per 1,000 unmarried Hispanic women aged 15-44

Year


Total pregnancies
Live births
Abortions
Miscarriages
Family Structure:
General Family Structure
Total Family and Nonfamily* Households in the U.S. 1950-2012

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey, Families and Living Arrangements

*A nonfamily household consists of a householder living alone (a one-person household) or where the householder shares the home exclusively with people to whom he/she is not related.
Marital Status of Those Aged 15+ in the U.S. 1999-2011

Source: Current Population Survey Data on Family and Living Arrangements

Number of persons aged 15+ by specified marital status (in thousands)

Year


Marital Status of Those Aged 15+ in the U.S. 1999-2011

Source: Current Population Survey Data on Family and Living Arrangements

Total, both sexes married
Married, spouse present
Married, spouse absent
Widowed
Divorced
Separated
Never-married
Marital Status of Males Aged 15+ in the U.S. 1999-2011

Source: Current Population Survey Data on Family and Living Arrangements


Number of people aged 15+ by specified marital status (in thousands)

- Total males married
- Married, spouse present
- Married, spouse absent
- Divorced
- Separated
- Widowed
- Never-married

Year
Persons Aged 15+ in the U.S. No Longer with Their Partner
1999-2011

Source: Current Population Survey Data on Family and Living Arrangements
Males Aged 15+ in the U.S. No Longer with Their Partner
1999-2011

Source: Current Population Survey Data on Family and Living Arrangements
Females Aged 15+ in the U.S. No Longer with Their Partner 1999-2011

Source: Current Population Survey Data on Family and Living Arrangements

Number of females aged 15+ no longer with partner (in thousands)

Year


Widowed Divorced Separated Never-married
Nonfamily* Households in the U.S. by Type 1950-2012

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey, Families and Living Arrangements

*A nonfamily household consists of a household living alone (a one-person household) or where the householder shares the home exclusively with people to whom he/she is not related.
Family Structure: Children, by General Family Structure
Minor Children in the U.S. by Household Type 1968-2012
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey, Families and Living Arrangements

*Revised based on population data from the decennial census for that year.
**Introduction of improved data collection and processing procedures that helped to identify parent-child subfamilies.
***Estimates produced using PELNMOM and PELNDAD, the new parent pointer variables introduced in 2007.
Minor Children in the U.S. in Mother-Only Households 1968-2012
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Reports, Families and Living Arrangements

*Revised based on population data from the decennial census for that year.
**Introduction of improved data collection and processing procedures that helped to identify parent-child subfamilies.
***Estimates produced using PELNMOM and PELNDAD, the new parent pointer variables introduced in 2007
Number of Children in the U.S. Living with Grandparents 1970-2013

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Reports, via Child Trends

*Revised based on population from the most recent decennial census.
**Estimates produced using PELMOM and PELNDAD, the new parent pointer variables introduced in 2007.
Children Living with Two Married Parents** in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity (Selected Years) 1970-2012

Source: Child Trends calculations of Current Population Survey, other U.S. Census Bureau data

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* Revised based on population from the decennial census for that year.
** Whether biological, adoptive, or non-biological parents.
*** From 2003 forward data for race reflect only those who selected a single race. Only whole numbers are available for 2003 estimates, except for those children living with one parent, for which more detailed estimates are available.
Children Living with One Parent** in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity
(Selected Years) 1970-2012

Source: Child Trends calculations of Current Population Survey, other U.S. Census Bureau data

* Revised based on population from the decennial census for that year.
** The parent may be residing with an unmarried partner.
*** From 2003 forward data for race reflect only those who selected a single race. Only whole numbers are available for 2003 estimates, except for those children living with one parent, for which more detailed estimates are available.
Children Living with Mother** in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity (Selected Years) 1970-2012

Source: Child Trends calculations of Current Population Survey, other U.S. Census Bureau data

* Revised based on population from the decennial census for that year.
** The parent may be residing with an unmarried partner.
*** From 2003 forward data for race reflect only those who selected a single race. Only whole numbers are available for 2003 estimates, except for those children living with one parent, for which more detailed estimates are available.
Children Living with Father** in the U.S. (Selected Years) 1970-2012

Source: Child Trends calculations of Current Population Survey, other U.S. Census Bureau data

* Revised based on population from the decennial census for that year.
** The parent may be residing with an unmarried partner.
*** From 2003 forward data for race reflect only those who selected a single race. Only whole numbers are available for 2003 estimates, except for those children living with one parent, for which more detailed estimates are available.
Children Living with No Parents in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity (Selected Years) 1970-2011

Source: Child Trends calculations of Current Population Survey, other U.S. Census Bureau data

* Revised based on population from the decennial census for that year.
*** From 2003 forward data for race reflect only those who selected a single race. Only whole numbers are available for 2003 estimates, except for those children living with one parent, for which more detailed estimates are available.
Estimated Number of Children Affected by Divorce in the U.S. 1950-1988

Source: NCHS, Monthly Vital Statistics Report

Year
1950
1960
1970
1980

Number of children
200,000
300,000
400,000
500,000
600,000
700,000
800,000
900,000
1,000,000
1,100,000
1,200,000
Minor White, non-Hispanic* Children in the U.S. by Specified Parent(s) in Household** 1990-2010

*From 1980 to 2002, the CPS asked respondents to choose one race; beginning in 2003, the CPS asked respondents to choose one or more races. From 2003 onward, this table includes those who indicated only being White. Data from 2003 onward are not directly comparable with data from earlier years. Data on race and Hispanic origin are collected separately.

**“Two parents” includes children with two parents identified in the home, including biological, step, and adoptive parents. Before 2007, “mother/father only” included some children who lived with two unmarried parents. Beginning in 2007, “mother/father only” refer to children for whom only one parent in the household has been identified.
Minor Black* Children in the U.S. by Specified Parent(s) in Household**

1980-2010


*From 1980 to 2002, the CPS asked respondents to choose one race; beginning in 2003, the CPS asked respondents to choose one or more races. From 2003 onward, this table includes those who indicated only being Black or African American. Data from 2003 onward are not directly comparable with data from earlier years. Data on race and Hispanic origin are collected separately.

**Two parents” includes children with two parents identified in the home, including biological, step, and adoptive parents. Before 2007, “mother/father only” included some children who lived with two unmarried parents. Beginning in 2007, “mother/father only” refer to children for whom only one parent in the household has been identified.
Minor Hispanic* Children in the U.S. by Specified Parent(s) in Household** 1980-2010


*Data from 2003 onward are not directly comparable with data from earlier years. Data on race and Hispanic origin are collected separately. Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

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U.S. Custodial Fathers and Child Support Award Status 1993-2009

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Reports

The graph shows the number of custodial fathers, fathers awarded child support, and fathers not awarded child support from 1993 to 2009.

- **Custodial fathers** are represented by blue dots.
- **Fathers awarded child support** are represented by red dots.
- **Fathers not awarded child support** are represented by yellow dots.

The number of custodial fathers and fathers not awarded child support generally increases over the years, while the number of fathers awarded child support remains relatively stable.
U.S. Custodial Mothers and Child Support Award Status 1993-2009

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Reports

Number of custodial mothers (in thousands)

Year

Custodial mothers
Mothers awarded child support
Mothers not awarded child support
Family Structure:
Adoptions
Children Adopted through Public Agencies in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity 1998-2012

Family Structure: Household Sizes
Average U.S. Household Size 1960-2012
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey, Families and Living Arrangements
Average U.S. Family Size 1947-2011

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Income Data

Number of persons per family

Year


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Ever- and Never-Married Women in the U.S. by Number of Children Ever Born 1995-2010

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey Data on Fertility

*For the year 1995, the percent in women who had 4 children includes four or more children.
Ever-Married Women in the U.S. by Number of Children Ever Born
1995-2010

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey Data on Fertility

*For the year 1995, the percent in women who had 4 children includes 4 children and more.
Never-Married Women in the U.S. by Number of Children Ever Born 1995-2010

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey Data on Fertility

*For the year 1995, the percent in women who had 4 children includes 4 children and more
Family Structure:
Marriages
U.S. Marriage Rate 1940-2011
Source: Statistical Abstracts of the United States, NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

[Graph showing the marriage rate per 1,000 people from 1940 to 2011]
Marital Status of Male Population Aged 14+ in the U.S. 1953-2010*


*Data for years 1974, 1990, and 2001 are not available.

**Calculations through 1970 include males 14 years and older. Calculations from 1971 include males 18 and older.
Men Aged 14+ Currently Married in the U.S. 1953-2010*


*Data for years 1974, 1990, and 2001 are not available.
**Calculations through 1970 include males 14 years and older. Calculations from 1971 include males 18 and older.
Men Aged 14+ Currently Married in the U.S. by Age 1953-2010*

*Data for years 1974, 1990, and 2001 are not available.
**Calculations through 1970 include males 14 years and older. Calculations from 1971 include males 18 and older.
Men Aged 18-34 Currently Married in the U.S. 1953-2010*


*Data for years 1974, 1990, and 2001 are not available.

**Calculations through 1970 include males 14 years and older. Calculations from 1971 include males 18 and older.
Men Aged 35-54 Currently Married in the U.S. 1953-2010*


*Data for years 1974, 1990, and 2001 are not available.

**Calculations through 1970 include males 14 years and older. Calculations from 1971 include males 18 and older.
Men Aged 55+ Currently Married in the U.S. 1953-2010*


*Data for years 1974, 1990, and 2001 are not available.

**Calculations through 1970 include males 14 years and older. Calculations from 1971 include males 18 and older.
Marital Status of Female Population Aged 14+ in the U.S. 1953-2010*


*Data for years 1974, 1990, and 2001 are not available.

**Calculations through 1970 include females 14 years and older. Calculations from 1971 include females 18 and older.
Women Aged 14+ Currently Married in the U.S. 1953-2010*


*Data for years 1974, 1990, and 2001 are not available.
**Calculations through 1970 include females 14 years and older. Calculations from 1971 include females 18 and older.
Women Aged 14+ Currently Married by Age in the U.S. 1953-2010*


*Data for years 1974, 1990, and 2001 are not available.

**Calculations through 1970 include females 14 years and older. Calculations from 1971 include females 18 and older.
Women Aged 18-34 Currently Married in the U.S. 1953-2010*


*Data for years 1974, 1990, and 2001 are not available.

**Calculations through 1970 include females 14 years and older. Calculations from 1971 include females 18 and older.
Women Aged 35-54 Currently Married in the U.S. 1953-2010*


*Data for years 1974, 1990, and 2001 are not available.
**Calculations through 1970 include females 14 years and older. Calculations from 1971 include females 18 and older.
Women Aged 55+ Currently Married in the U.S. 1953-2010*


*Data for years 1974, 1990, and 2001 are not available.

**Calculations through 1970 include females 14 years and older. Calculations from 1971 include females 18 and older.
Family Structure:
Divorces
Divorces in the U.S. 1940-2011*

Source: Statistical Abstracts of the United States, NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

*No data available for 1999

**Number of Divorces excludes data for California, Colorado, Indiana, and Louisiana.
U.S. Divorce Rate 1940-2011*

Source: Statistical Abstracts of the United States, NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

*Beginning in 1998, the divorce rate excludes data from various states; the divorce rate for years 2005-2007 is based on provisional data and includes non-residents.
Men Currently Divorced in the U.S. 1953-2010*


*No information available for the years 1974, 1990, or 2001.
Men Aged 18+ Currently Divorced in the U.S. by Age 1953-2010*


Men Aged 18-34 Currently Divorced in the U.S. 1953-2010*


Men Aged 35-54 Currently Divorced in the U.S. 1953-2010*


Men Aged 55+ Currently Divorced in the U.S. 1953-2010*


Women Currently Divorced in the U.S. 1950-2010*


Women Aged 18+ Currently Divorced in the U.S. by Age 1953-2010*


*no information available for years 1974, 1990, or 2001
Women Aged 18-34 Currently Divorced in the U.S. 1953-2010*


Women Aged 35-54 Currently Divorced in the U.S. 1953-2010*


Women Aged 55+ Currently Divorced in the U.S. 1953-2010*


Family Structure: Remarriages
Marriage, Remarriage, and Divorce History of Men Aged 15+ in the U.S. (Selected Years) 1996-2009

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Reports, Survey of Income and Program Participation

*Includes those currently separated.
Marriage, Remarriage, and Divorce History of Women Aged 15+ in the U.S. (Selected Years) 1996-2009

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Reports, Survey of Income and Program Participation

*Includes those currently separated.
Marriage, Remarriage, and Divorce History of White Men Aged 15+ in the U.S. (Selected Years) 1996-2009

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Reports, Survey of Income and Program Participation

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Marriage, Remarriage, and Divorce History of White Women Aged 15+ in the U.S. (Selected Years) 1996-2009

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Reports, Survey of Income and Program Participation

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Marriage, Remarriage, and Divorce History of White, non-Hispanic Men Aged 15+ in the U.S. (Selected Years) 1996-2009

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Reports, Survey of Income and Program Participation

*Includes those currently separated.
Marriage, Remarriage, and Divorce History of White, non-Hispanic Women Aged 15+ in the U.S. (Selected Years) 1996-2009

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Reports, Survey of Income and Program Participation

*Includes those currently separated.
Marriage, Remarriage, and Divorce History of Black Men Aged 15+ in the U.S. (Selected Years) 1996-2009

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Reports, Survey of Income and Program Participation

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Marriage, Remarriage, and Divorce History of Black Women Aged 15+ in the U.S. (Selected Years) 1996-2009

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Reports, Survey of Income and Program Participation

*Includes those currently separated.
Marriage, Remarriage, and Divorce History of Hispanic Men Aged 15+ in the U.S. (Selected Years) 1996-2009

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Reports, Survey of Income and Program Participation

Percentage of Hispanic men of specified marital history

*Includes those currently separated.
Marriage, Remarriage, and Divorce History of Hispanic Women Aged 15+ in the U.S. (Selected Years) 1996-2009

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Reports, Survey of Income and Program Participation

- Ever married
- Married 1 time
- Married 2 times
- Married 3+ times
- Ever divorced
- Married 1 time, still married*
- Married 2 times, still married*
- Married 3+ times, still married*
- Currently divorced

*Includes those currently separated.
Marriage, Remarriage, and Divorce History of Asian Men Aged 15+ in the U.S.
(Selected Years) 1996-2009

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Reports, Survey of Income and Program Participation

*Includes those currently separated.
Marriage, Remarriage, and Divorce History of Asian Women Aged 15+ in the U.S. (Selected Years) 1996-2009

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Reports, Survey of Income and Program Participation

*Includes those currently separated.
Family Structure: Opposite-Sex Cohabiting Households
Opposite-Sex Cohabiters Aged 15+ in the U.S. 2005-2012
Source: American Community Survey Data on Opposite- and Same-Sex Couples

Number of opposite-sex cohabiters

Year

2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011 2012
Opposite-Sex Cohabitors Aged 15+ in the U.S. by Age 2005-2012

Source: American Community Survey Data on Opposite- and Same-Sex Couples

Year

Percentage of opposite-sex cohabiters aged 15+ of specified age

15-24
25-34
35-44
45-54
55-64
65+

2005
2006
2007
2008
2009
2010
2011
2012
Opposite-Sex Cohabiters Aged 15+ in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity
2005-2012

Source: American Community Survey Data on Opposite- and Same-Sex Couples
Opposite-Sex Cohabiters Aged 15+ in the U.S. by Education, Employment, and Children in Household 2005-2012

Source: American Community Survey Data on Opposite- and Same-Sex Couples

*Employed or in the Armed forces.
**Includes own children and nonrelatives of the household under age 18.
Family Structure: Same-Sex Cohabiting Households
Same-Sex Cohabiters Aged 15+ in the U.S. 2005-2012
Source: American Community Survey Data on Opposite- and Same-Sex Couples

*The 2008 American Community Survey (ACS) questionnaire introduced changes reflecting requests by agencies to include additional questions on the survey. Some of these design and processing changes may have contributed to the observed decline in the overall number of unmarried same-sex partners between 2007 and 2008 and suggest that the previous ACS surveys may have over-estimated the component of the total number of couples that were originally reported as same-sex spouses.
Same-Sex Cohabiters Aged 15+ in the U.S. by Age 2005-2012

Source: American Community Survey Data on Opposite- and Same-Sex Couples
Same-Sex Cohabiters Aged 15+ in the U.S. by Education, Employment, and Children in Household 2005-2012

Source: American Community Survey Data on Opposite- and Same-Sex Couples

- Householder has at least a Bachelor's degree
- Both partners have at least a Bachelor's degree
- Householder employed*
- Both partners employed*
- Any children in household**
- Own children in the household

*Employed or in the Armed forces. **Includes own children and nonrelatives of the household under age 18.
Same-Sex Male Cohabiters Aged 15+ in the U.S. by Age 2005-2012

Source: American Community Survey Data on Opposite- and Same-Sex Couples

Percentage of same-sex male cohabiters aged 15+ of specified age

Year

2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011 2012

15-24 25-34 35-44 45-54 55-64 65+
Same-Sex Male Cohabiters Aged 15+ in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity
2005-2012

Source: American Community Survey Data on Opposite- and Same-Sex Couples

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Percentage of same-sex male cohabiters aged 15+ of specified race/ethnicity

White
Black or African American
Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race)
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander
Other race
2+ races
Same-Sex Male Cohabiters Aged 15+ in the U.S. by Education, Employment, and Children in Household 2005-2012

Source: American Community Survey Data on Opposite- and Same-Sex Couples

- Householder has at least a Bachelor's degree
- Both partners have at least a Bachelor's degree
- Householder employed*
- Both partners employed*
- Any children in household**
- Own children in the household

*Employed or in the Armed forces. **Includes own children and nonrelatives of the household under age 18.
Same-Sex Female Cohabiters Aged 15+ in the U.S. by Age 2005-2012
Source: American Community Survey Data on Opposite- and Same-Sex Couples
Same-Sex Female Cohabiters Aged 15+ in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity 2005-2012

Source: American Community Survey Data on Opposite- and Same-Sex Couples
Same-Sex Female Cohabiters Aged 15+ in the U.S. by Education, Employment, and Children in Household 2005-2012
Source: American Community Survey Data on Opposite- and Same-Sex Couples

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Religious Practice: Attendance
Frequency of Religious Service Attendance in the U.S. (Selected Years) 1972-2010

Source: The Association of Religious Data Archives

Percentage of population by specified frequency of attendance

Year

Frequency:
- Once a week
- Once a month
- Once or twice a year
- Never
Yearly Religious Attendance in the U.S. (Selected Years) 1972-2010

Source: The Association of Religious Data Archives

Several times a year
Once or twice a year
Less than once a year
Never
Religious Practice: Affiliation
Religious Affiliation in the U.S. (Selected Years) 1972-2010

Source: The Association of Religious Data Archives
Source: American Religious Identification Survey

**The 'Other Christians' bloc is composed of all non-Catholic respondents who self-identified with a religious group which claims to be Christian as well as any theological term that related to Christianity.**
Self-Identification by Religious Tradition* of the Adult Population in the U.S.  
(Selected Years) 1990-2008
Source: American Religious Identification Survey

*For details on specific denominations or religions listed under a given tradition, see the charts that follow.
Catholics* in the U.S. (Selected Years) 1990-2008

Source: American Religious Identification Survey

*Roman, Greek, and Eastern Rites.
Christians (Baptists*, Mainline Christians**, Pentecostals/Charismatics***) in the U.S. (Selected Years) 1990-2008
Source: American Religious Identification Survey

**Methodist, United Methodist, African Methodist, Lutheran, Presbyterian, Episcopalian/Anglican, United Church of Christ/Congregational, Reformed/Dutch Reform, Disciples of Christ, Moravian, Quaker, Orthodox (Greek, Russian, Eastern, Christian).
***Pentecostal, Assemblies of God, Full Gospel, Four Square Gospel, Church of God, Holiness, Nazarene, Salvation Army.
Christians ("Christian Generic"*) in the U.S. (Selected Years) 1990-2008
Source: American Religious Identification Survey

*Christian, Protestant, Evangelical/ Born Again Christian, Born Again, Fundamentalist, Independent Christian, Missionary Alliance Church, Non-Denominational Christian.
"Protestant" Denominations* and Mormon/Latter Day Saints in the U.S.
(Selected Years) 1990-2008
Source: American Religious Identification Survey

Jews* and Muslims in the U.S. (Selected Years) 1990-2008

Source: American Religious Identification Survey

*This refers only to those of the Jewish religion and not to the total Jewish ethnic population.
Members of Eastern Religions*, New Religious Movements**, and Other Religions in the U.S. (Selected Years) 1990-2008

Source: American Religious Identification Survey

*Buddhist, Hindu, Taoist, Baha'i, Shintoist, Zoroastrian, Sikh.

**Scientology, New Age, Eckankar, Spiritualist, Unitarian-Universalist, Deist, Wiccan, Pagan, Druid, Indian Religion, Santeria, Rastafarian.
"Nones"* and Those Who "Don't Know"/Refused in the U.S. (Selected Years)
1990-2008
Source: American Religious Identification Survey

Percent of adult population of specified religion

Year

1990 2001 2008

Nones/no religion Agnostic** Atheist Don't know/refused

*None, No religion, Humanistic, Ethical Culture, Agnostic, Atheist, Secular.
**Agnostics and Atheists were combined in NSRI 1990.
Educational Attainment

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Reports

*Beginning with data for 1992, data cannot be directly compared with older data because of differently worded questions and categories. Data in "4+ years high school" is now classified under "High school graduate." Data in "1-3 years college" is now collected in the "Some college" and "Associate degree" categories. Data under "4+ years college" is now collected in the "Bachelor's degree," "Master's degree," "Doctorate degree," and "Professional degree" categories.
Educational Attainment of Males Aged 25+ 1964-2012

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Reports

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Educational Attainment in the U.S. by Sex 1964-2012

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Reports

- Men, high school
- Women, high school
- Men, college
- Women, college
Educational Attainment in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity 1964-2012

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Reports

Percentage of population by specified race/ethnicity

Year


Educational Attainment in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity 1964-2012

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Reports

White, high school
Black, high school
Hispanic, high school
Asian, high school
White, college
Black, college
Hispanic, college
Asian, college

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Non-Hispanic White Children Aged 6-18 in the U.S. by Paternal Educational Attainment (Selected Years) 1974-2010


Percentage of white children by specified level of attained paternal education

Year


Less than high school
High school diploma or equivalent
Some college, including vocational/technical
Bachelor's degree or higher
Non-Hispanic Black Children Aged 6-18 in the U.S. by Paternal Educational Attainment (Selected Years) 1974-2010


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Percentage of black children by specified level of attained paternal education.
Non-Hispanic Black Children Aged 6-18 in the U.S. by Maternal Educational Attainment (Selected Years) 1974-2010


Percentage of black children by specified level of attained maternal education

Year


Less than high school
High school diploma or equivalent
Some college, including vocational/technical
Bachelor's degree or higher
Hispanic Children Aged 6-18 in the U.S. by Paternal Educational Attainment
(Selected Years) 1974-2010


Percentage of Hispanic children by specified level of attained paternal education

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Hispanic Children Aged 6-18 in the U.S. by Maternal Educational Attainment (Selected Years) 1974-2010


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Income
Median Family Income in the U.S. by Family Type in Constant (2012) Dollars
1947-2012

Median Family Income in the U.S. by Married Family Type in Constant (2012) Dollars 1947-2012


- All families
- Married-couple families
- Married-couple families (wife in paid labor force)
- Married-couple families (wife not in paid labor force)
Median Family Income in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity in Constant (2012) Dollars
1947-2012


*Before 1967, data are for "Black and other races" combined.
Median Individual Income in the U.S. by Sex in Constant (2012) Dollars
1947-2012


Income by specified sex

Year


Men

Women
Median Individual Income in the U.S. by Sex in Current Dollars 1947-2012


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


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

- Male median income
- Some college, no degree*
- Associate's degree
- Bachelor's degree or more***
- Bachelor's degree or more****
- Master's degree****
- Professional degree
- Doctorate degree

***1958-1990: College, 4+ years. 1991-2012: Bachelor's degree or more.

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

### Income by Specified Level of Educational Attainment

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Crimes
U.S. Violent Crime Rate 1992-2011
Source: FBI, Uniform Crime Reports

Year

Violent crimes per 100,000 of the population
850 750 650 550 450 350 250 150 50 0

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Aggravated Assault in the U.S. 1960-2011

Source: FBI, Uniform Crime Reports
U.S. Aggravated Assault Rate 1960-2011
Source: FBI, Uniform Crime Reports

Aggravated assaults per 100,000 of the population

Year


2008 2009 2010
Robbery in the U.S. 1960-2011
Source: FBI, Uniform Crime Reports

Year
Number of robberies
50,000 150,000 250,000 350,000 450,000 550,000 650,000 750,000
U.S. Robbery Rate 1960-2011
Source: FBI, Uniform Crime Reports
Forcible Rape* in the U.S. 1960-2011

Source: FBI, Uniform Crime Reports

**Forcible rape** is the term employed by the FBI; hence, we use the term here, rather than simply representing it as "rape."
Forcible rapes per 100,000 of the population

U.S. Forcible Rape* Rate 1960-2011
Source: FBI, Uniform Crime Reports

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Murder and Non-Negligent Manslaughter in the U.S. 1960-2011

Source: FBI, Uniform Crime Reports

The murder and nonnegligent homicides that occurred as a result of the events of September 11, 2001 are not included.
U.S. Murder and Non-Negligent Manslaughter Rate* 1960-2011

Source: FBI, Uniform Crime Reports

*The murder and nonnegligent homicides that occurred as a result of the events of September 11, 2001 are not included.
Juveniles in Residential Placement in the U.S. by Age (Selected Years) 1997-2011

Source: Census of Juveniles in Residential Placement, Child Trends Databank

Graph showing the number of juveniles in residential placement by age from 1997 to 2011.
Health: Longevity
Life Expectancy by Sex in the U.S. 1900-2011*

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics Reports

*2011 data is preliminary data.
Health: Sexually Transmitted Diseases
Reported New Cases of Sexually Transmitted Diseases in the U.S. 1941-2011

Source: CDC, Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report

Gonorrhea
Syphilis
Chancroid
AIDS
Chlamydia

Number of new cases reported

Year


Gonorrhea
Syphilis
Chancroid
AIDS
Chlamydia

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Initial Visits to Physicians: Genital Herpes, Genital Warts, and Vaginal Trichomoniasis in the U.S. 1966-2010

Source: CDC, National Disease and Therapeutic Index
Chlamydia, Gonorrhea, and Syphilis Cases in Persons Aged 15-24 in the U.S. 1990-2010

Source: CDC, STD Surveillance
New Chlamydia Cases Reported in the U.S. 1995-2011
Source: CDC, Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report

Number of new cases reported

Year


1,600,000 1,400,000 1,200,000 1,000,000 800,000 600,000 400,000 200,000 100,000 0
Chlamydia Cases in Persons Aged 15-24 in the U.S. by Sex 1996-2010

Source: CDC, STD Surveillance

Incidence per 100,000 of the population and of specified sex

Year


Total

Men

Women
Syphilis Cases* in Persons Aged 15-24 in the U.S. 1990-2010

Source: CDC, STD Surveillance

*Data only on primary and secondary syphilis.

Incidence per 100,000 of the population and of specified sex.
New Chancroid Cases Reported in the U.S. 1941-2011

Source: CDC, Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report
New AIDS Cases Reported in the U.S. 1984-2011
Source: CDC, Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report

Number of new cases reported vs. Year from 1984 to 2011.
New HIV Diagnosis in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity 2005-2010

Source: CDC, HIV Surveillance Reports
New Male HIV Diagnosis in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity 2004-2010

Source: CDC, HIV Surveillance Reports

Incidence per 100,000 of the population

Year

White
Asian/Pacific Islander
Asian
American Indian/Alaska Native
Hispanic/Latino
Black/African American
Native Hawaiian/other Pacific Islander
Multiple races
New Female HIV Diagnosis in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity 2004-2010

Source: CDC, HIV Surveillance Reports
New HIV Diagnoses in the U.S. by Age at Infection 2005-2010

Source: CDC, HIV Surveillance Reports
New Male HIV Diagnoses in the U.S. by Transmission Category
1999-2010
Source: CDC, HIV Surveillance Reports

Percentage of new diagnoses

Year

Homosexual contact
Heterosexual contact
Injection drug use (IDU)
Homosexual contact and IDU
New Female HIV Diagnoses in the U.S. by Transmission Category 1999-2010
Source: CDC, HIV Surveillance Reports

Percentage of new diagnoses

Year

Heterosexual contact
Injection drug use (IDU)
Health: Mental Health
U.S. Suicide Rate by Sex and Race/Ethnicity 1980-2010

Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

Suicides per 100,000 of the population by specified sex and race/ethnicity
High School Students Who Seriously Considered Attempting Suicide in the U.S. by Sex (Selected Years) 1991-2011
Source: CDC Youth Risk Behavior Surveys, via Child Trends Data Bank
High School Students Who Seriously Considered Attempting Suicide in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity (Selected Years) 1991-2011

Source: CDC Youth Risk Behavior Surveys, via Child Trends Data Bank

Percentage of high school students by specified race/ethnicity

Year

1991 1993 1995 1997 1999 2001 2003 2005 2007 2009 2011

White, non-Hispanic
Black, non-Hispanic
Hispanic
High School Males Who Seriously Considered Attempting Suicide in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity (Selected Years) 1991-2011

Source: CDC Youth Risk Behavior Surveys, via Child Trends Data Bank

Percentage of high school males by specified race/ethnicity
High School Students Who Felt Sad or Hopeless* in the U.S. by Sex
(Selected Years) 1999-2011
Source: CDC Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Reports, via Child Trends Data Bank

*Students felt so sad almost every day for two or more weeks in a row that they stopped doing some usual activities.
High School Students Who Felt Sad or Hopeless* in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity (Selected Years) 1999-2011

Source: CDC Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Reports, via Child Trends Data Bank

*Students felt so sad almost every day for two or more weeks in a row that they stopped doing some usual activities.
High School Males Who Felt Sad or Hopeless* in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity (Selected Years) 1999-2011

Source: CDC Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Reports, via Child Trends Data Bank

*Students felt so sad almost every day for two or more weeks in a row that they stopped doing some usual activities.
High School Females Who Felt Sad or Hopeless* in the U.S. by Race/Ethnicity (Selected Years) 1999-2011

Source: CDC Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Reports, via Child Trends Data Bank

*Students felt so sad almost every day for two or more weeks in a row that they stopped doing some usual activities.
Health: Drug and Alcohol Use
Drug and Alcohol Use* among High School Seniors in the U.S. 1975-2012

Source: NIH, Monitoring the Future Survey

*Had used drugs or alcohol in the last 30 days.
Binge Drinking* among High School Students in the U.S. by Sex (Selected Years) 1991-2011

Source: CDC, Youth Risk Behavior Surveys

*Consumed 5+ alcoholic drinks consecutively within 1-2 hours on at least one day in the 30 days before the survey.
Marijuana Use* among High School Students in the U.S. by Sex (Selected Years) 1991-2011

Source: CDC, Youth Risk Behavior Surveys

*Had ever used marijuana.
Cocaine Use* among High School Students in the U.S. by Sex (Selected Years) 1991-2011

Source: CDC, Youth Risk Behavior Surveys

*Had ever used any form of cocaine.
Heroin Use* among High School Students in the U.S. by Sex (Selected Years) 1999-2011

Source: CDC, Youth Risk Behavior Surveys

*Had ever used heroin.
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Sources

Below is a partial list of the sources of the data used in the 2014 edition of the Family and Social Trendlines.

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