

# 2021 CITY OF LOS ANGELES - DEPARTMENT OF CITY PLANNING

## SOUTH LOS ANGELES

### DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE

(SOURCE: American Community Survey (ACS) 2017-2021)

15.8 square mile study area (approximate)

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POPULATION		Percent
<b>Total person</b>	<b>288,678</b>	
Persons in households	276,932	95.9%
Persons in group quarters	11,795	4.3%
<b>Persons per square mile</b>	<b>18,274</b>	

Growth in Population		Percent
April 1st, 2010	270,354	Change
Population growth	18,324	<b>6.8%</b>

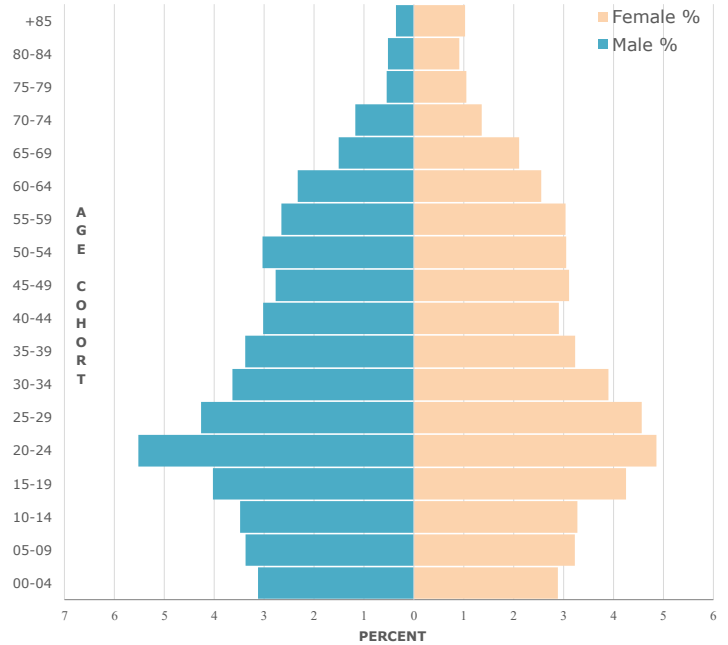
RACE/ETHNICITY		Percent
<b>Race</b>		
White	75,603	26.2%
Black or African American	72,120	25.0%
American Indian and Alaska Native	2,957	1.0%
Asian	14,642	5.1%
Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander	539	0.2%
Some Other Race	96,552	33.4%
Two or More Races:	26,265	9.1%

Hispanic or Latino Origin by Race		
<b>Not Hispanic or Latino:</b>	<b>105,280</b>	<b>36%</b>
White	13,923	13.2%
Black or African American	70,253	66.7%
American Indian and Alaska Native	271	0.3%
Asian	14,287	13.6%
Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander	483	0.5%
Some Other Race	1,076	1.0%
Two or More Races:	4,986	4.7%
<b>Hispanic or Latino:</b>	<b>183,398</b>	<b>64%</b>
White	61,680	33.6%
Black or African American	1,866	1.0%
American Indian and Alaska Native	2,686	1.5%
Asian	355	0.2%
Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander	56	0.0%
Some Other Race	95,476	52.1%
Two or More Races:	21,278	11.6%

GENDER AND AGE		Percent
<b>Total Males</b>	<b>140,514</b>	<b>48.7%</b>
Under 5 years old	9,013	6.4%
5 to 9 years old	9,722	6.9%
10 to 17 years old	15,644	11.1%
18 to 21 years old	13,361	9.5%
22 to 34 years old	31,373	22.3%
35 to 59 years old	42,855	30.5%
60 to 64 years old	6,718	4.8%
65 to 74 years old	7,731	5.5%
75 or older	4,098	2.9%

Total Females		Percent
<b>Total Females</b>	<b>148,164</b>	<b>51.3%</b>
Under 5 years old	8,336	5.6%
5 to 9 years old	9,309	6.3%
10 to 17 years old	15,328	10.3%
18 to 21 years old	12,562	8.5%
22 to 34 years old	32,309	21.8%
35 to 59 years old	44,279	29.9%
60 to 64 years old	7,368	5.0%
65 to 74 years old	10,024	6.8%
75 or older	8,649	5.8%

**POPULATION PYRAMID**



CHANGE (2010* TO 2021)		
<b>GENDER</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent</b>
Total males	8,889	6.8%
Total females	9,435	6.8%
<b>AGE</b>		
Under 5 years old	-3,192	-15.5%
5 to 9 years old	-122	-0.6%
10 to 17 years old	-2,761	-8.2%
<b>School age (5 to 17 years old)</b>	<b>-2,883</b>	<b>-5.5%</b>
18 to 21 years old	-1,315	-4.8%
22 to 34 years old	6,667	11.7%
35 to 59 years old	6,495	8.1%
60 to 64 years old	4,644	49.2%
65 to 74 years old	5,263	42.1%
75 or older	2,646	26.2%
<b>HOUSING</b>		
Total units	5,431	6.6%
Occupied units	5,830	7.6%
Owner occupied	2,100	8.7%
Renter occupied	3,730	7.1%

**HISPANIC OR LATINO and mixed race categories.**

RACE-For the first time, since the year 2000 Census of Population and Housing permitted persons to check more than one category to define their race. The selection of categories and the option to choose more than one is strictly a matter of personal choice and personal preference. The choices are: White, Black or African American, American Indian and Alaska Native, Asian, Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander, Some Other Race, and Two or More Races.

ETHNICITY- As in the two previous censuses, persons are also further self defined as being HISPANIC OR LATINO or NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO. It is important to note that this is a separate ETHNIC grouping as opposed to the RACIAL categories listed above.

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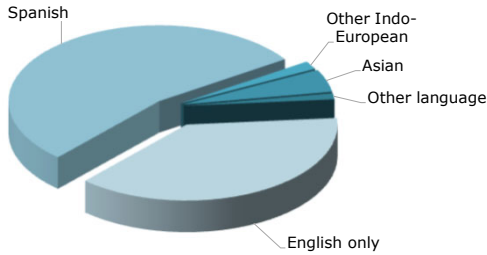
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POPULATION		
Total person	288,678	

CITIZENSHIP		
		Percent
Native born	181,782	63.0%
Foreign born - naturalized	37,626	13.0%
Foreign born - non citizen	69,270	24.0%

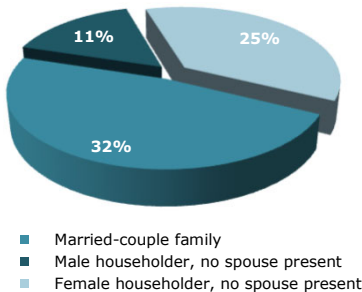
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME		
		Percent
English only	31,362	38.1%
Spanish	44,394	54.0%
linguistic isolation	12,911	29.1%
Other Indo-European	1,447	1.8%
linguistic isolation	94	6.5%
Asian	4,008	4.9%
linguistic isolation	1,756	43.8%
Other language	1,060	1.3%
linguistic isolation	161	15.2%

**LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME**



HOUSEHOLD TYPE		
		Percent
<b>Family Households</b> <b>56,024</b>		
Married-couple family	26,645	32.4%
Male householder, no spouse present	8,793	10.7%
Female householder, no spouse present	20,586	25.0%
<b>NonFamily Households</b> <b>26,246</b>		
Householder living alone	19,199	23.3%
Householder not living alone	7,048	8.6%

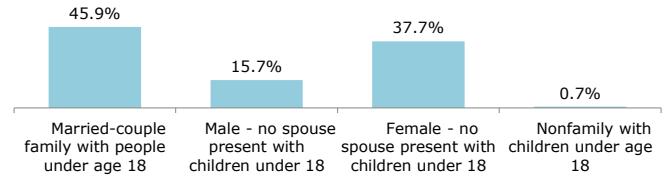
**FAMILY HOUSEHOLDS**



HOUSING AND TENURE		
		Percent
<b>Total dwelling units</b> <b>87,617</b>		
Vacant units	5,347	6.1%
<b>Occupied units</b> <b>82,270</b> <b>93.9%</b>		
Owner occupied	26,210	31.9%
Renter occupied	56,060	68.1%
<b>DWELLING UNITS PER GROSS ACRE</b> <b>8.7</b>		

HOUSEHOLDS BY PRESENCE OF PEOPLE UNDER AGE 18		
		Percent
<b>Households with 1 or more people under 18 years</b> <b>31,334</b> <b>38.1%</b>		
Married-couple family with people under age 18	14,381	45.9%
Male - no spouse present with children under 18	4,920	15.7%
Female - no spouse present with children under 18	11,814	37.7%
Nonfamily with children under age 18	219	0.7%
<b>Households with no people under 18 years</b> <b>50,936</b> <b>61.9%</b>		

**HOUSEHOLD and CHILDREN**



PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD		
<b>3.37</b>		
Persons in owner occupied units	97,228	35.1%
Persons per owner occupied unit	3.71	
Persons in renter occupied units	179,703	64.9%
Persons per renter occupied unit	3.21	

TOTAL FAMILIES		
<b>56,024</b>		
Families per household	0.68	
Persons in families	236,013	
Persons per family	4.21	

**HOUSEHOLD SIZE and FAMILY SIZE**



MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME	
	<b>\$47,692</b>

PERSONS IN HOUSEHOLDS		
<b>276,932</b>		
1-person household	19,199	23.3%
2-person households	18,156	22.1%
3-person households	13,876	16.9%
4-person households	13,759	16.7%
5-person households	9,117	11.1%
6-person households	4,254	5.2%
7-or-more-person households	3,910	4.8%

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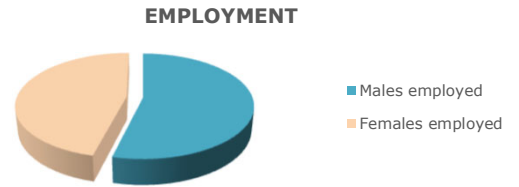
POPULATION		
Total person	288,678	

UNITS IN STRUCTURE		Percent
Total dwelling units	87,617	
Single housing units	35,469	40.5%
Multiple housing units	51,857	59.2%
Mobile and other units	292	0.3%

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT		
Total enrolled in school	88,056	30.5%
Nursery school, preschool	3,727	1.3%
Kindergarten	3,288	1.1%
Grade 1 to grade 4	15,242	5.3%
Grade 5 to grade 8	14,800	5.1%
Grade 9 to grade 12	15,631	5.4%
College, undergraduate years	28,451	9.9%
Graduate or professional school	6,918	2.4%
Total not enrolled in school	190,643	66.0%

EMPLOYMENT		
Males employed	68,141	23.6%
Males unemployed	5,863	7.9%
Males not in labor force	36,251	12.6%
Females employed	58,535	20.3%
Females unemployed	6,447	9.9%
Females not in labor force	53,844	18.7%

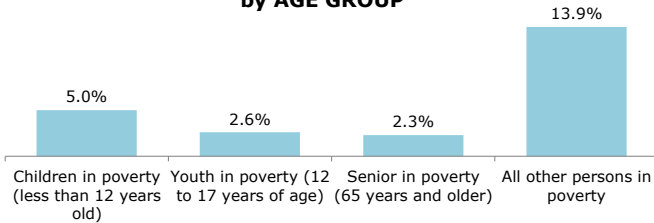
POVERTY by AGE GROUP		
Income in the past 12 months below poverty level:		
All persons:	68,654	23.8%
Children in poverty (less than 12 years old)	14,348	5.0%
Youth in poverty (12 to 17 years of age)	7,448	2.6%
Senior in poverty (65 years and older)	6,600	2.3%
All other persons in poverty	40,259	13.9%



Income in the past 12 months at or above poverty level:		
All persons:	209,128	72.4%

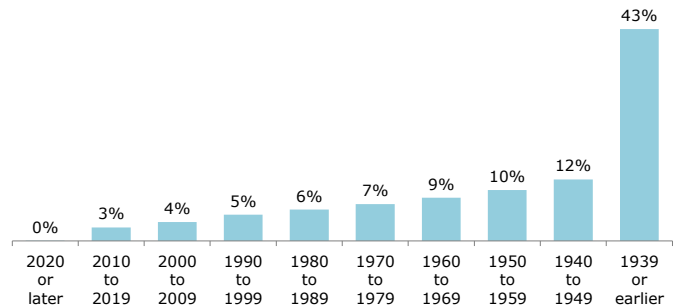
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT		
Built 2020 or later	18	0.0%
Built 2010 to 2019	2,351	2.7%
Built 2000 to 2009	3,316	3.8%
Built 1990 to 1999	4,607	5.3%
Built 1980 to 1989	5,551	6.3%
Built 1970 to 1979	6,529	7.5%
Built 1960 to 1969	7,643	8.7%
Built 1950 to 1959	9,018	10.3%
Built 1940 to 1949	10,899	12.4%
Built 1939 or earlier	37,686	43.0%

**INCOME BELOW POVERTY LEVEL by AGE GROUP**

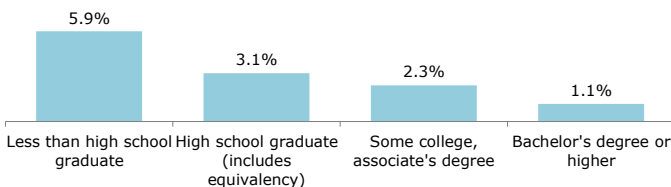


POVERTY by EDUCATION ATTAINMENT		
Income in the past 12 months below poverty:		
Less than high school graduate	16,905	5.9%
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	9,053	3.1%
Some college, associate's degree	6,764	2.3%
Bachelor's degree or higher	3,303	1.1%
Income in the past 12 months at/above poverty:		
Less than high school graduate	47,339	16.4%
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	35,763	12.4%
Some college, associate's degree	35,309	12.2%
Bachelor's degree or higher	23,128	8.0%

**YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT**



**INCOME BELOW POVERTY LEVEL by EDUCATION ATTAINMENT**



Information included in this report comes from the 2017-2021 American Community Survey (ACS) 5-year estimates. The ACS produces period estimates of socioeconomic and housing characteristics. It is designed to provide estimates that describe the average characteristics of an area over a specific time period. For example, the 2010-2014 ACS 5-year estimates describe the population and housing characteristics of an area for the period January 1, 2010 through December 31, 2014. The land area data is for internal reference only.