

U.S. Census Bureau Estimates for Race and Hispanic Origin, Vintage 2019

Each year, the Census Bureau produces population estimates at varying levels of geography. The age, sex, race and Hispanic origin estimates at the nation, state, and county-level completes the 2019 vintage estimate package. Prior pieces of this release include national, state, county, metropolitan/micropolitan, and incorporated place (cities and towns) estimates. All of these releases include annual estimates from Census 2010 to July 1, 2019. This expansive, final estimates release contains two fact sheets detailing the results: one for race and Hispanic origin, and one for age and sex.

This fact sheet details Race and Hispanic origin at the state and county level. The five race categories used by the Census Bureau (White, Black or African American, American Indian or Alaska Native, Asian, and Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander) were defined by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) in 1997. Any determination of race is through self-identification, and a person who identifies with multiple race groups is included in the “Two or More” category.

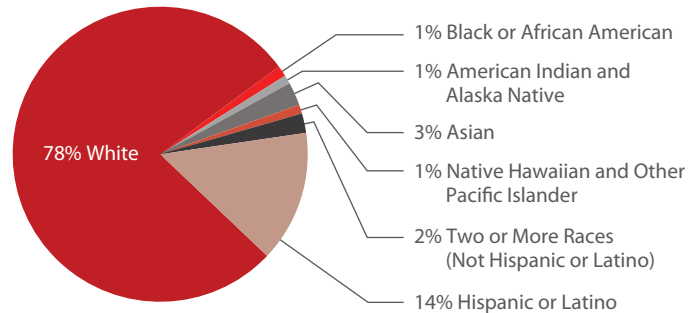
The term minority in this document refers to those who identified as Hispanic or any race category other than white. When discussing racial groups, this document is referring to people who identify as non-Hispanic, single-race (i.e. White, Asian, Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander), or Two or More Races.

National Picture

These estimates highlight increasing diversity across the United States. All race and ethnic groups grew between the 2010 and 2019 estimates, but non-Hispanic Whites are still the slowest growing group, with only 4.3% growth since 2010.

Between 2010 and 2019, Asians were the fastest-growing racial group due to net migration, the Hispanic population grew mostly due to natural increase, and the non-Hispanic White population continues to experience natural decrease (more deaths than births).

Utah Racial Composition, 2019



Utah Population and Shares by Race and Ethnicity, 2010-2019

	Census 2010	July 1 estimates										Total Population Share	
		2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	Census 2010	2019	
Total population	2,763,885	2,814,384	2,853,375	2,897,640	2,936,879	2,981,835	3,041,868	3,101,042	3,153,550	3,205,958	100.0%	100.0%	
NH White	2,226,363	2,259,517	2,283,954	2,312,440	2,336,519	2,363,434	2,399,456	2,433,400	2,463,961	2,493,759	80.6%	77.8%	
Minority	537,522	554,867	569,421	585,200	600,360	618,401	642,412	667,642	689,589	712,199	19.4%	22.2%	
Hispanic	358,340	368,971	376,470	386,066	394,899	406,327	420,810	435,852	449,150	462,051	13.0%	14.4%	
NH Black	26,328	27,224	28,314	29,271	30,049	30,981	32,749	34,860	36,354	38,056	1.0%	1.2%	
NH American Indian or Alaska Native	27,228	27,460	27,669	27,913	28,325	28,659	29,037	29,424	29,805	30,401	1.0%	0.9%	
NH Asian	54,794	57,552	60,607	62,762	65,234	67,515	71,051	75,132	78,190	81,646	2.0%	2.5%	
NH Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	24,183	24,674	25,358	26,146	26,767	27,648	28,667	29,411	30,486	31,393	0.9%	1.0%	
NH Two or More Races	46,649	48,986	51,003	53,042	55,086	57,271	60,098	62,963	65,604	68,652	1.7%	2.1%	

Note: NH means Non-Hispanic or Latino.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division, Release Date June 2020.

Annual and Cumulative Utah Population Change by Race and Hispanic Origin, 2010-2019

	Total Population		Percent Population Change from Previous Year (July - July)									Change from Census 2010 to 2019	
	Census 2010	July 1, 2019	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	Absolute	Percent
Total Population	2,763,885	3,205,958	1.4%	1.4%	1.6%	1.4%	1.5%	2.0%	1.9%	1.7%	1.7%	442,073	16.0%
NH White	2,226,363	2,493,759	1.1%	1.1%	1.2%	1.0%	1.2%	1.5%	1.4%	1.3%	1.2%	267,396	12.0%
Minority	537,522	712,199	2.5%	2.6%	2.8%	2.6%	3.0%	3.9%	3.9%	3.3%	3.3%	174,677	32.5%
Hispanic	358,340	462,051	2.3%	2.0%	2.5%	2.3%	2.9%	3.6%	3.6%	3.1%	2.9%	103,711	28.9%
NH Black or African American	26,328	38,056	2.8%	4.0%	3.4%	2.7%	3.1%	5.7%	6.4%	4.3%	4.7%	11,728	44.5%
NH American Indian and Alaska Native	27,228	30,401	0.8%	0.8%	0.9%	1.5%	1.2%	1.3%	1.3%	1.3%	2.0%	3,173	11.7%
NH Asian	54,794	81,646	4.0%	5.3%	3.6%	3.9%	3.5%	5.2%	5.7%	4.1%	4.4%	26,852	49.0%
NH Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	24,183	31,393	1.4%	2.8%	3.1%	2.4%	3.3%	3.7%	2.6%	3.7%	3.0%	7,210	29.8%
NH Two or More Races	46,649	68,652	3.9%	4.1%	4.0%	3.9%	4.0%	4.9%	4.8%	4.2%	4.6%	22,003	47.2%

Note: NH means Non-Hispanic or Latino

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division

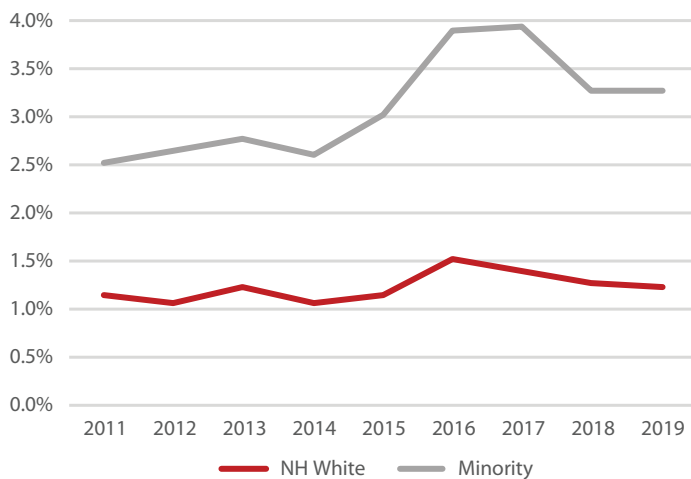
Race and Hispanic Origin in Utah

Utah is becoming increasingly diverse. In 2010, Utah was 19.4% minority, and is now 22.0% minority. Since 2018, Utah's minority population has increased 3.3% from 689,589 to 712,199.

The Black, Two or More Races, and Asian populations (in that order) experienced the fastest rates of growth between 2018 and 2019, while Whites experienced the slowest annual growth.

The Hispanic or Latino population, Utah's largest minority group, increased 2.9%, from 449,150 in 2018 to 462,051 in 2019. Utah's Asian population is the second-largest minority group in Utah (81,646 individuals). It is no longer the fastest-growing racial minority in Utah this year, but is still the fastest-growing race since 2010, followed closely by the Two or More Races population at 47.2% since 2010.

Annual % Growth: White and Minority Population, 2010-2019



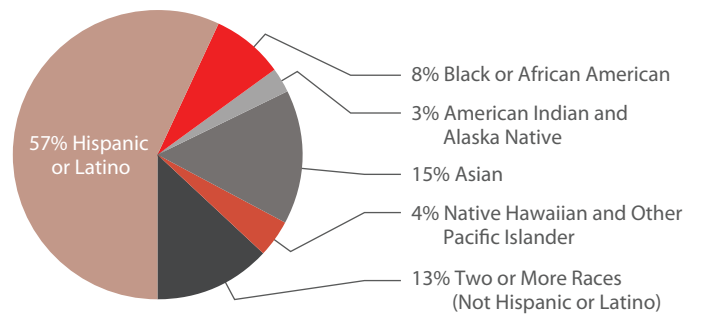
Racial Shares of Total Population Growth

	Percent of State Total Population Growth	
	2010-2019	2018-2019
NH White	60.5%	56.9%
Minority	39.5%	43.1%
Hispanic	23.5%	24.6%
NH Black or African American	2.7%	3.2%
NH American Indian and Alaska Native	0.7%	1.1%
NH Asian	6.1%	6.6%
NH Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1.6%	1.7%
NH Two or More Races	5.0%	5.8%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division

Note: NH means Non-Hispanic or Latino

Percent of Minority Growth, 2018-2019



Utah's minority population may only account for 22% of the total population, but it contributed 43% of statewide growth between 2018 and 2019. The Hispanic or Latino population accounted for over half of minority growth (57%), and the Asian population and Two or More Races group collectively added 28% of minority growth.

Age and Race in Utah

Utah is a young state due to high fertility and a strong economy that attracts working-age individuals, but these age patterns differ by race/ethnicity. The non-Hispanic White population has the highest percentage of the 65+ population, the second-highest percentage of the 18+ population (behind the Asian population), and the second-lowest percentage of the under 18 population. The low percentage of under 18-year-olds is mostly due to falling fertility rates and births of the non-Hispanic White population and is consistent with national trends.

Over one-third (34.8%) of the minority population is under age 18, and one in four Utahns under age 18 are minorities. Two-thirds of these minority children are Hispanic. Additionally, almost half of Two or More Races, the second fastest-growing racial minority in the state, is under the age of 18, and only 2.8% are 65 years and over.

Race and Hispanic Origin in Utah Counties

San Juan County continues to be the only county in the state which is minority-majority, with 55.7% of the population identifying as a minority, and 84% of their minority population (8,528 individuals) identifying as American Indians (the largest share in the state). Salt Lake County has the largest minority population at 344,482 or 29.7% of the population, with the Hispanic population comprising nearly two-thirds of the minority population, and a higher than average share of Asians (4.4%).

Among counties, Morgan County has the largest percentage of non-Hispanic Whites (94.4%), the least racially diverse of Utah's counties. Salt Lake County has the largest proportion of Hispanics, Black or African Americans, Asians, and Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islanders. Utah County has the highest percentage of Two or More Races.

Selected Age Groups by Race and Hispanic or Latino Origin, July 1, 2019

	Total	Under Age 18		Over Age 18		Under Age 5		65 or older	
		Estimate	Share	Estimate	Share	Estimate	Share	Estimate	Share
Total Population	3,205,958	931,184	29.0%	2,274,774	71.0%	247,803	7.7%	365,872	11.4%
NH White	2,493,759	683,093	27.4%	1,810,666	72.6%	177,697	7.1%	328,551	13.2%
Hispanic or Latino	462,051	167,819	36.3%	294,232	63.7%	46,919	10.2%	21,992	4.8%
NH Black or African American	38,056	11,886	31.2%	26,170	68.8%	3,035	8.0%	1,835	4.8%
NH American Indian or Alaska Native	30,401	8,625	28.4%	21,776	71.6%	2,538	8.3%	2,356	7.7%
NH Asian	81,646	16,480	20.2%	65,166	79.8%	4,765	5.8%	7,273	8.9%
NH Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	31,393	9,784	31.2%	21,609	68.8%	2,690	8.6%	1,932	6.2%
NH Two or More Races	68,652	33,497	48.8%	35,155	51.2%	10,159	14.8%	1,933	2.8%

Share is of total race or ethnicity population

NH - Non-Hispanic

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division, 2019 Vintage Estimates

Top 10 Minority Population and Minority Population Shares by County, 2019

Rank		Minority Population	Rank		Minority Share
1	Salt Lake County, Utah	344,482	1	San Juan County, Utah	55.7%
2	Utah County, Utah	116,385	2	Salt Lake County, Utah	29.7%
3	Weber County, Utah	63,565	3	Weber County, Utah	24.4%
4	Davis County, Utah	59,665	4	Uintah County, Utah	18.5%
5	Washington County, Utah	28,771	5	Utah County, Utah	18.3%
6	Cache County, Utah	21,113	6	Grand County, Utah	18.1%
7	Tooele County, Utah	12,676	7	Tooele County, Utah	17.5%
8	San Juan County, Utah	8,528	8	Millard County, Utah	17.2%
9	Iron County, Utah	7,780	9	Carbon County, Utah	17.1%
10	Box Elder County, Utah	7,461	10	Wasatch County, Utah	16.8%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division

Largest County Shares of Race/Ethnicity, 2019

Race/Ethnicity	Highest Share County	Percent of Population
White	Morgan County	94.4%
Black or African American	Salt Lake County	1.8%
American Indian and Alaska Native	San Juan County	47.0%
Asian	Salt Lake County	4.4%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	Salt Lake County	1.6%
Two or More Races	Utah County	2.4%
Hispanic or Latino	Salt Lake County	18.8%
Minority	San Juan County	55.7%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division

Population by Race and Hispanic Origin, Utah Counties, 2019

	Total Population	Race Alone (Not Hispanic or Latino)					Two or More Races (Not Hispanic or Latino)	Hispanic or Latino	Minority
		White	Black or African American	American Indian and Alaska Native	Asian	Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander			
State of Utah	3,205,958	2,493,759	38,056	30,401	81,646	31,393	68,652	462,051	712,199
Beaver	6,710	5,626	14	59	51	21	106	833	1,084
Box Elder	56,046	48,585	232	375	415	93	915	5,431	7,461
Cache	128,289	107,176	1,068	674	2,843	458	2,049	14,021	21,113
Carbon	20,463	16,960	97	189	124	32	315	2,746	3,503
Daggett	950	876	2	7	3	1	19	42	74
Davis	355,481	295,816	4,317	1,586	6,933	2,627	8,085	36,117	59,665
Duchesne	19,938	16,876	70	730	82	60	464	1,656	3,062
Emery	10,012	9,071	31	81	51	9	121	648	941
Garfield	5,051	4,453	21	111	52	16	69	329	598
Grand	9,754	7,985	66	366	146	12	147	1,032	1,769
Iron	54,839	47,059	303	1,005	452	184	937	4,899	7,780
Juab	12,017	10,942	42	107	47	29	152	698	1,075
Kane	7,886	7,142	48	123	72	12	116	373	744
Millard	13,188	10,922	39	137	189	17	188	1,696	2,266
Morgan	12,124	11,449	47	41	60	26	110	391	675
Piute	1,479	1,323	3	8	6	3	17	119	156
Rich	2,483	2,264	8	13	3	2	23	170	219
Salt Lake	1,160,437	815,955	21,279	7,685	51,190	19,094	26,991	218,243	344,482
San Juan	15,308	6,780	57	7,197	86	15	286	887	8,528
Sanpete	30,939	26,597	282	295	224	164	434	2,943	4,342
Sevier	21,620	19,735	108	223	70	47	245	1,192	1,885
Summit	42,145	35,397	410	130	712	44	612	4,840	6,748
Tooele	72,259	59,583	531	556	506	461	1,267	9,355	12,676
Uintah	35,734	29,116	169	2,453	189	84	710	3,013	6,618
Utah	636,235	519,850	3,900	2,925	11,360	5,551	15,194	77,455	116,385
Wasatch	34,091	28,351	183	87	306	67	441	4,656	5,740
Washington	177,556	148,785	1,197	1,858	1,674	1,501	3,223	19,318	28,771
Wayne	2,711	2,437	11	16	20	5	31	191	274
Weber	260,213	196,648	3,521	1,364	3,780	758	5,385	48,757	63,565

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division

Population Shares by Race and Hispanic Origin, Utah Counties, 2019

	Total Population	Race Alone (Not Hispanic or Latino)					Two or More Races (Not Hispanic or Latino)	Hispanic or Latino	Minority
		White	Black or African American	American Indian and Alaska Native	Asian	Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander			
Share of Total Population		77.8%	1.2%	0.9%	2.5%	1.0%	2.1%	14.4%	22.2%
Beaver	6,710	83.8%	0.2%	0.9%	0.8%	0.3%	1.6%	12.4%	16.2%
Box Elder	56,046	86.7%	0.4%	0.7%	0.7%	0.2%	1.6%	9.7%	13.3%
Cache	128,289	83.5%	0.8%	0.5%	2.2%	0.4%	1.6%	10.9%	16.5%
Carbon	20,463	82.9%	0.5%	0.9%	0.6%	0.2%	1.5%	13.4%	17.1%
Daggett	950	92.2%	0.2%	0.7%	0.3%	0.1%	2.0%	4.4%	7.8%
Davis	355,481	83.2%	1.2%	0.4%	2.0%	0.7%	2.3%	10.2%	16.8%
Duchesne	19,938	84.6%	0.4%	3.7%	0.4%	0.3%	2.3%	8.3%	15.4%
Emery	10,012	90.6%	0.3%	0.8%	0.5%	0.1%	1.2%	6.5%	9.4%
Garfield	5,051	88.2%	0.4%	2.2%	1.0%	0.3%	1.4%	6.5%	11.8%
Grand	9,754	81.9%	0.7%	3.8%	1.5%	0.1%	1.5%	10.6%	18.1%
Iron	54,839	85.8%	0.6%	1.8%	0.8%	0.3%	1.7%	8.9%	14.2%
Juab	12,017	91.1%	0.3%	0.9%	0.4%	0.2%	1.3%	5.8%	8.9%
Kane	7,886	90.6%	0.6%	1.6%	0.9%	0.2%	1.5%	4.7%	9.4%
Millard	13,188	82.8%	0.3%	1.0%	1.4%	0.1%	1.4%	12.9%	17.2%
Morgan	12,124	94.4%	0.4%	0.3%	0.5%	0.2%	0.9%	3.2%	5.6%
Piute	1,479	89.5%	0.2%	0.5%	0.4%	0.2%	1.1%	8.0%	10.5%
Rich	2,483	91.2%	0.3%	0.5%	0.1%	0.1%	0.9%	6.8%	8.8%
Salt Lake	1,160,437	70.3%	1.8%	0.7%	4.4%	1.6%	2.3%	18.8%	29.7%
San Juan	15,308	44.3%	0.4%	47.0%	0.6%	0.1%	1.9%	5.8%	55.7%
Sanpete	30,939	86.0%	0.9%	1.0%	0.7%	0.5%	1.4%	9.5%	14.0%
Sevier	21,620	91.3%	0.5%	1.0%	0.3%	0.2%	1.1%	5.5%	8.7%
Summit	42,145	84.0%	1.0%	0.3%	1.7%	0.1%	1.5%	11.5%	16.0%
Tooele	72,259	82.5%	0.7%	0.8%	0.7%	0.6%	1.8%	12.9%	17.5%
Uintah	35,734	81.5%	0.5%	6.9%	0.5%	0.2%	2.0%	8.4%	18.5%
Utah	636,235	81.7%	0.6%	0.5%	1.8%	0.9%	2.4%	12.2%	18.3%
Wasatch	34,091	83.2%	0.5%	0.3%	0.9%	0.2%	1.3%	13.7%	16.8%
Washington	177,556	83.8%	0.7%	1.0%	0.9%	0.8%	1.8%	10.9%	16.2%
Wayne	2,711	89.9%	0.4%	0.6%	0.7%	0.2%	1.1%	7.0%	10.1%
Weber	260,213	75.6%	1.4%	0.5%	1.5%	0.3%	2.1%	18.7%	24.4%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division