

How to Complete Racial and Ethnic Data





Introduction

WHAT IS A QUICK GUIDE?

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INTENDED AUDIENCE

This resource is intended for Community Organizations (COs) and School Food Authorities (SFAs) operating the Child Nutrition programs. All regulations are specific to operating federal feeding under the direction of ADE.

PURPOSE OF THIS QUICK GUIDE

This resource is intended to help attendees locate the appropriate tables for racial and ethnic data on the US Census website, and identify the correct information to enter in the Civil Rights Data Collection section of the Child Nutrition Programs Management Plan.

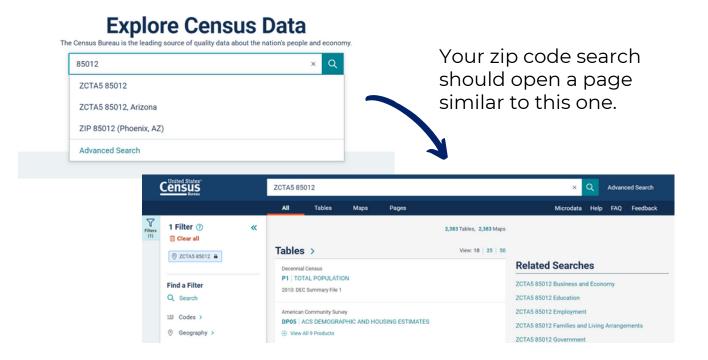
Locating the Tables

Step #1: Navigate to the Census Data website:

https://data.census.gov/cedsci/ and find the "Explore Census Data"
Search Bar. It should look similar to this:

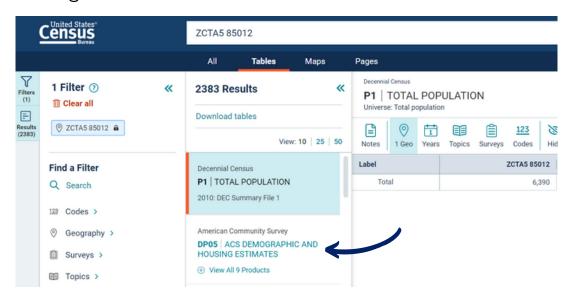


Step #2: Enter your site's zip code into the search box. After inputting the site's zip code, a dropdown of options should load. Within the list of options, select the one most similar to the example in the image below: "ZCTA5 85012."

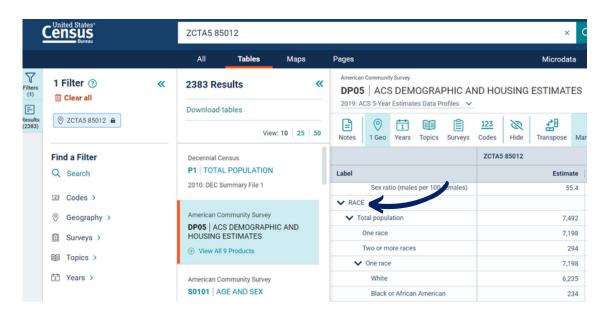


Locating the Tables

Step #3: Select the DP05 | ACS Demographic and Housing Estimates Table. Once the ACS Demographic and Housing Estimates table loads, you have successfully accessed the source of information needed to complete the Civil Rights Data Collection section in the Management Plan.



Step #4: Within the ACS Demographic and Housing Estimates Table, scroll until you locate the RACE section.

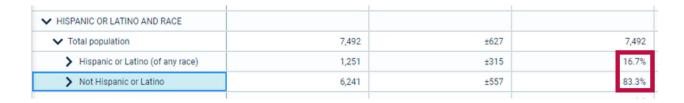


Identifying Correct Information

Step #5a: Document the percentage of each of the following racial categories: White, Black or African American, American Indian and Alaska Native, Asian, Native Hawaiian, Some Other Race, and Two or More Races.

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Label	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent
Two or more races	294	±157	3.9%
✓ One race	7,198	±646	96.1%
White	6,235	±621	83.2%
Black or African American	234	±107	3.1%
> American Indian and Alaska Na	164	±115	2.2%
> Asian	305	±159	4.1%
> Native Hawaiian and Other Paci	6	±10	0.1%
Some other race	254	±170	3.4%
> Two or more races	294	±157	3.9%
➤ Race alone or in combination with one or			

Step #5b: After collecting the racial data, scroll further down the table to locate the HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE section. Document the percentage for each of the following categories: **Hispanic or Latino (of any race)** and **Not Hispanic or Latino**.

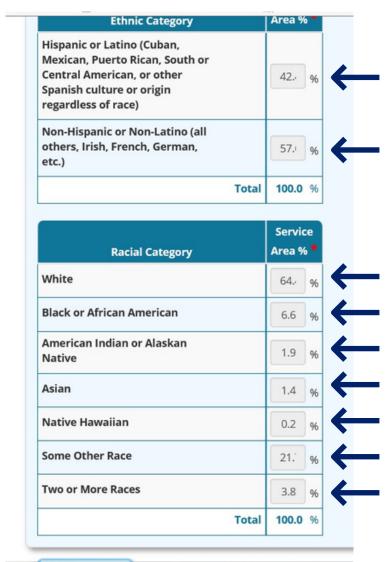


Tip! The percentage values listed in steps 5a and 5b should each total to 100%.

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Step #6: Repeat steps 1-5b for each operating site.

Step#7: Once racial and ethnic data is collected for all sites, access the Management Plan for the current program year. Navigate to the Site Information page for the applicable site, and enter the information collected directly into the chart under the "Civil Rights Data Collection" section.



Thank you!

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