

# 2017 CITY OF LOS ANGELES - DEPARTMENT OF CITY PLANNING

## SOUTH LOS ANGELES

### DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE

(SOURCE: American Community Survey (ACS) 2013-2017)

15.5 square mile study area (approximate)

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POPULATION	Percent
<b>Total person</b>	<b>277,682</b>
Persons in households	266,530 96%
Persons in group quarters	11,386 4%
<b>Persons per square mile</b>	<b>17,968</b>

Growth in Population	Percent
April 1st, 2010	270,354 Change
Population growth	7,328 <b>2.7%</b>

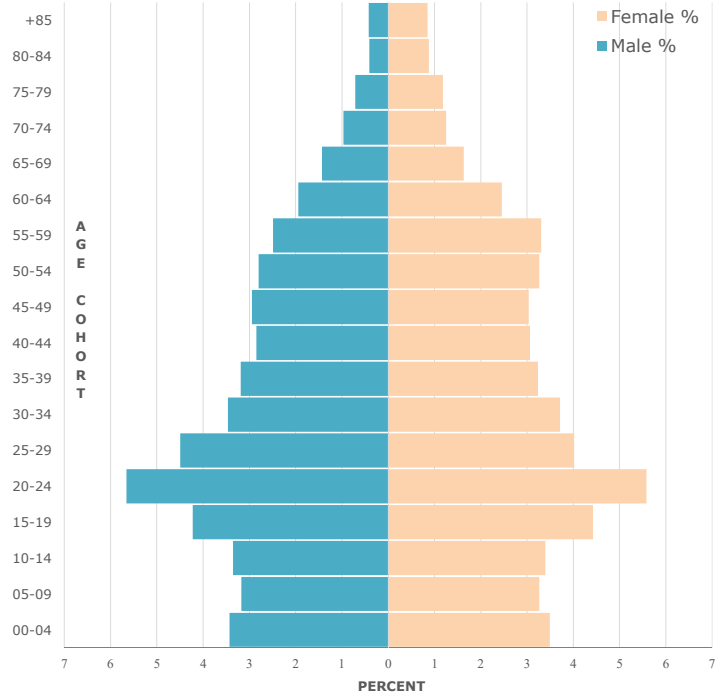
RACE/ETHNICITY	Percent
<b>Race</b>	
White	70,404 25.4%
Black or African American	77,566 27.9%
American Indian and Alaska Native	1,867 0.7%
Asian	14,563 5.2%
Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander	282 0.1%
Some Other Race	107,345 38.7%
Two or More Races:	5,655 2.0%

Hispanic or Latino Origin by Race	Percent
<b>Not Hispanic or Latino:</b>	<b>107,492 39%</b>
White	12,536 11.7%
Black or African American	75,727 70.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native	176 0.2%
Asian	14,414 13.4%
Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander	264 0.2%
Some Other Race	1,183 1.1%
Two or More Races:	3,193 3.0%
<b>Hispanic or Latino:</b>	<b>170,190 61%</b>
White	57,869 34.0%
Black or African American	1,838 1.1%
American Indian and Alaska Native	1,691 1.0%
Asian	149 0.1%
Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander	19 0.0%
Some Other Race	106,162 62.4%
Two or More Races:	2,463 1.4%

GENDER AND AGE	Percent
<b>Total Males</b>	<b>132,957 48%</b>
Under 5 years old	9,512 7%
5 to 9 years old	8,804 7%
10 to 17 years old	14,648 11%
18 to 21 years old	13,479 10%
22 to 34 years old	30,655 23%
35 to 59 years old	39,560 30%
60 to 64 years old	5,383 4%
65 to 74 years old	6,656 5%
75 or older	4,261 3%

<b>Total Females</b>	<b>144,725 52%</b>
Under 5 years old	9,718 7%
5 to 9 years old	9,069 6%
10 to 17 years old	15,060 10%
18 to 21 years old	13,927 10%
22 to 34 years old	29,737 21%
35 to 59 years old	44,218 31%
60 to 64 years old	6,832 5%
65 to 74 years old	8,040 6%
75 or older	8,123 6%

**POPULATION PYRAMID**



CHANGE (2010* TO 2017)		
GENDER	Number	Percent
Total males	1,332	1.0%
Total females	5,996	4.3%
<b>AGE</b>		
Under 5 years old	-1,312	-6.4%
5 to 9 years old	-1,280	-6.7%
10 to 17 years old	-4,025	-11.9%
<b>School age (5 to 17 years old)</b>	<b>-5,305</b>	<b>-10.0%</b>
18 to 21 years old	168	0.6%
22 to 34 years old	3,378	5.9%
35 to 59 years old	3,140	3.9%
60 to 64 years old	2,772	29.4%
65 to 74 years old	2,204	17.6%
75 or older	2,283	22.6%
<b>HOUSING</b>		
Total units	3,709	4.5%
Occupied units	3,954	5.2%
Owner occupied	899	3.7%
Renter occupied	3,055	5.8%

**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.

\*Represents 2010 Decennial Census.

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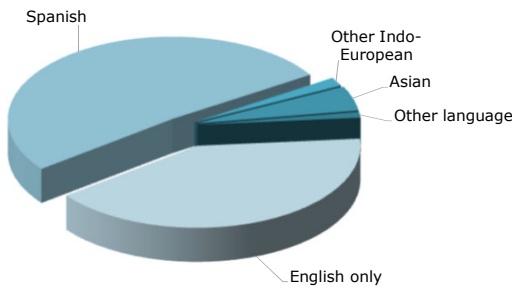
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POPULATION	
Total person	277,682

CITIZENSHIP		Percent
Native born	172,186	62%
Foreign born - naturalized	34,144	12%
Foreign born - non citizen	71,353	26%

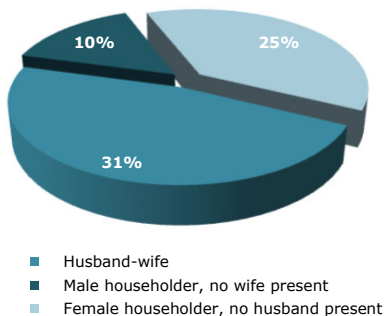
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME		Percent
English only	32,967	41%
Spanish	41,286	51%
linguistic isolation	12,564	30%
Other Indo-European	1,360	2%
linguistic isolation	166	12%
Asian	3,885	5%
linguistic isolation	1,772	46%
Other language	895	1%
linguistic isolation	242	27%

**LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME**



HOUSEHOLD TYPE		Percent
<b>Family Households</b>		<b>53,171</b>
Husband-wife	24,990	31%
Male householder, no wife present	7,955	10%
Female householder, no husband present	20,227	25%
<b>NonFamily Households</b>		<b>27,223</b>
Householder living alone	20,872	26%
Householder not living alone	6,350	8%

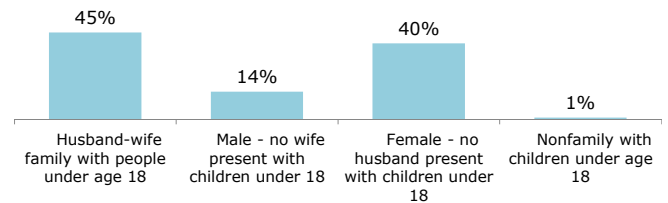
**FAMILY HOUSEHOLDS**



HOUSING AND TENURE		Percent
Total dwelling units	85,895	
Vacant units	5,501	6.4%
Occupied units	80,394	93.6%
Owner occupied	25,009	31%
Renter occupied	55,385	69%
<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>31,053</b>
Husband-wife family with people under age 18	14,050	45%
Male - no wife present with children under 18	4,470	14%
Female - no husband present with children under 18	12,307	40%
Nonfamily with children under age 18	227	0.7%
<b>Households with no people under 18 years</b>		<b>49,341</b>

**HOUSEHOLD and CHILDREN**



PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD		3.32
Persons in owner occupied units	91,753	34%
Persons per owner occupied unit	3.67	
Persons in renter occupied units	174,777	66%
Persons per renter occupied unit	3.16	

TOTAL FAMILIES		53,171
Families per household	0.66	
Persons in families	225,429	
Persons per family	4.24	

**HOUSEHOLD SIZE and FAMILY SIZE**



MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME		\$33,661
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PERSONS IN HOUSEHOLDS		266,530
1-person household	20,872	8%
2-person households	18,441	7%
3-person households	12,698	5%
4-person households	13,141	5%
5-person households	8,016	3%
6-person households	3,824	1%
7-or-more-person households	3,402	1%

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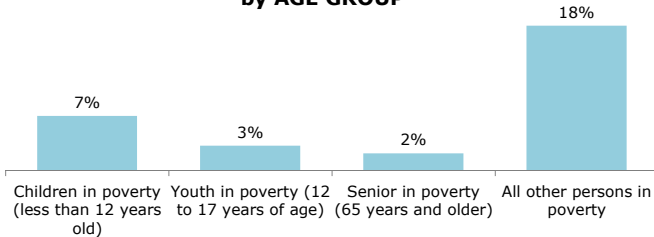
#### SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

		Percent
<b>Total enrolled in school</b>	<b>86,808</b>	<b>31%</b>
Nursery school, preschool	4,171	2%
Kindergarten	3,656	1%
Grade 1 to grade 4	13,890	5%
Grade 5 to grade 8	14,831	5%
Grade 9 to grade 12	15,489	6%
College, undergraduate years	29,140	10%
Graduate or professional school	5,629	2%
<b>Total not enrolled in school</b>	<b>179,487</b>	<b>65%</b>

#### POVERTY by AGE GROUP

		Percent
<b>Income in the past 12 months below poverty level:</b>	<b>83,789</b>	<b>30%</b>
<b>All persons:</b>		
Children in poverty (less than 12 years old)	18,983	7%
Youth in poverty (12 to 17 years of age)	8,631	3%
Senior in poverty (65 years and older)	6,063	2%
All other persons in poverty	50,113	18%
<b>Income in the past 12 months at or above poverty level:</b>		
<b>All persons:</b>	<b>183,591</b>	<b>66%</b>

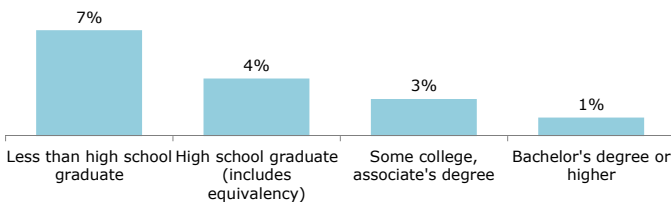
**INCOME BELOW POVERTY LEVEL by AGE GROUP**



#### POVERTY by EDUCATION ATTAINMENT

		Percent
<b>Income in the past 12 months below poverty:</b>	<b>41,570</b>	<b>15%</b>
Less than high school graduate	20,133	7%
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	10,908	4%
Some college, associate's degree	7,037	3%
Bachelor's degree or higher	3,492	1%
<b>Income in the past 12 months at/above poverty:</b>	<b>124,121</b>	<b>45%</b>
Less than high school graduate	42,865	15%
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	33,407	12%
Some college, associate's degree	31,257	11%
Bachelor's degree or higher	16,591	6%

**INCOME BELOW POVERTY LEVEL by EDUCATION ATTAINMENT**



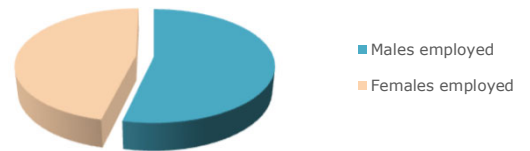
#### UNITS IN STRUCTURE

		Percent
<b>Total dwelling units</b>	<b>85,895</b>	
Single housing units	36,134	42%
Multiple housing units	49,494	58%
Mobile and other units	267	0%

#### EMPLOYMENT

		Percent
<b>Males employed</b>	<b>61,764</b>	<b>22.2%</b>
<b>Males unemployed</b>	<b>7,062</b>	<b>10.3%</b>
<b>Males not in labor force</b>	<b>33,783</b>	<b>12.2%</b>
<b>Females employed</b>	<b>53,585</b>	<b>19.3%</b>
<b>Females unemployed</b>	<b>6,461</b>	<b>10.8%</b>
<b>Females not in labor force</b>	<b>53,043</b>	<b>19.1%</b>

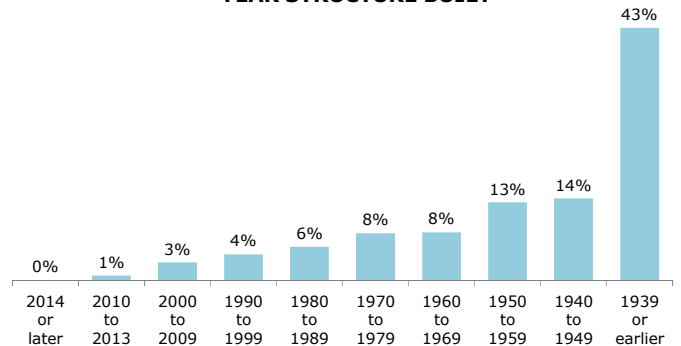
**EMPLOYMENT**



#### YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT

		Percent
Built 2014 or later	74	0.1%
Built 2010 to 2013	737	0.9%
Built 2000 to 2009	2,632	3.1%
Built 1990 to 1999	3,797	4.4%
Built 1980 to 1989	4,903	5.7%
Built 1970 to 1979	6,869	8.0%
Built 1960 to 1969	6,991	8.2%
Built 1950 to 1959	11,338	13.2%
Built 1940 to 1949	11,885	13.9%
Built 1939 or earlier	36,591	42.7%

**YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT**



Information included in this report comes from the 2013-2017 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.

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