United States - Census of Population and Housing 1960 - IPUMS Subset

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Sampling

Sampling Procedure

MICRODATA SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau

SAMPLE UNIT: Household

SAMPLE FRACTION: 1%

SAMPLE SIZE (person records): 1,799,888

Response Rate

UNDERCOUNT: No official estimates

Questionnaires

Overview

The 1960 census used a machine-readable household form. Separate forms were used for each housing unit. Housing questions were included on the same form as the population items. Every fourth enumeration unit received a "long form," containing supplemental sample questions that were asked of all members of the unit. Sample questions are available for all individuals in every unit. Of the units receiving a long form, four-fifths received one version (the 20% questionnaire), and one-fifth received a second version with the same population questions but slightly different housing questions (the 5% questionnaire).

Data Collection

Data Collection Dates

Start	End	Cycle
1960-04-01	1960-04-01	N/A

Time Periods

Start	End	Cycle
1960-04-01	1960-04-01	N/A

Data Collection Mode

Face-to-face [f2f]

DATA COLLECTION NOTES

De jure, CENSUS DAY: April 1, 1960

Data Processing

No content available

Data Appraisal

No content available

Related Materials

Questionnaires

Census of Population and Housing 1960, Questionnaire

Title Census of Population and Housing 1960, Questionnaire

Author(s) U.S. Census Bureau Country United States Language English

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