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New York city, New York	8,274,527	403,812	944,079	42.8	1	1	0.6
Los Angeles city, California	3,834,340	181,147	450,050	40.3	2	1	0.9
Chicago city, Illinois	2,836,658	98,750	255,459	38.7	1	1	0.5
Houston city, Texas	2,208,180	106,895	219,284	48.7	2	1	1.1
Phoenix city, Arizona	1,552,259	20,961	112,192	18.7	5	2	1.0
Philadelphia city, Pennsylvania	1,449,634	33,353	88,140	37.8	2	2	1.1
San Antonio city, Texas	1,328,984	51,030	109,186	46.7	3	2	1.7
San Diego city, California	1,266,731	38,946	130,519	29.8	2	2	0.8
Dallas city, Texas	1,240,499	40,620	121,276	33.5	3	3	1.4
San Jose city, California	939,899	34,323	71,553	48.0	3	3	2.0
Detroit city, Michigan	916,952	34,513	50,572	68.2	3	3	2.9
Jacksonville city, Florida	805,605	17,133	64,101	26.7	6	2	1.7
Indianapolis city (balance), Indiana	795,458	11,055	63,794	17.3	5	3	1.0
San Francisco city, California	764,976	34,956	105,030	33.3	6	3	2.2
Columbus city, Ohio	747,755	13,094	56,954	23.0	+ 6	3	1.5

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Austin city, Texas	743,074	18,154	80,570	22.5	† 5	3	1.3
Hempstead town (balance), New York	735,833	13,043	55,600	23.5	5	3	1.4
Fort Worth city, Texas	681,818	18,410	54,911	33.5	6	3	2.2
Memphis city, Tennessee	674,028	22,597	52,130	43.3	4	3	2.2
Charlotte city, North Carolina	671,588	19,144	68,545	27.9	4	2	1.2
Baltimore city, Maryland	637,455	18,052	42,272	42.7	4	2	1.9
El Paso city, Texas	606,913	33,724	52,897	63.8	3	2	2.3
Milwaukee city, Wisconsin	602,191	9,630	31,769	30.3	5	3	1.8
Boston city, Massachusetts	599,351	12,273	49,667	24.7	4	2	1.1
Seattle city, Washington	594,210	12,403	73,997	16.8	3	2	0.6
Nashville-Davidson metropolitan government (balance), Tennessee	590,807	11,319	61,668	18.4	6	4	1.3
Denver city, Colorado	588,349	11,421	67,500	16.9	4	2	0.8
Washington city, District of Columbia	588,292	22,505	55,887	40.3	2	1	0.9
Las Vegas city, Nevada	558,880	14,235	54,557	26.1	6	3	1.8

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Louisville/Jefferson County metro government (balance) (Jefferson County), Kentucky	557,789	7,265	52,754	13.8	6	3	0.9
Portland city, Oregon	550,396	8,650	65,461	13.2	4	2	0.6
Oklahoma City city, Oklahoma	547,274	9,736	56,567	17.2	6	2	1.1
Tucson city, Arizona	525,529	9,766	42,095	23.2	t 7	3	1.8
Atlanta city, Georgia	519,145	19,266	50,966	37.8	5	3	2.2
Albuquerque city, New Mexico	518,271	13,479	44,460	30.3	4	3	1.5
Fresno city, California	470,508	12,578	33,054	38.1	7	5	3.3
Brookhaven town (balance), New York	469,795	5,589	39,878	14.0	9	3	1.3
Long Beach city, California	466,520	16,436	37,610	43.7	4	3	2.2
Sacramento city, California	460,242	13,403	35,990	37.2	4	2	1.7
Mesa city, Arizona	452,933	4,123	32,383	12.7	4	4	0.7
Kansas City city, Missouri	450,375	6,932	35,818	19.4	+ 9	4	1.9
Cleveland city, Ohio	438,042	8,358	26,174	31.9	6	4	2.3

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Virginia Beach city, Virginia	434,743	6,535	34,768	18.8	6	4	1.4
Omaha city, Nebraska	424,482	3,279	34,343	9.5	7	4	0.8
Miami city, Florida	409,719	61,228	85,143	71.9	2	2	2.0
Oakland city, California	401,489	16,459	39,382	41.8	4	4	2.4
Tulsa city, Oklahoma	384,037	6,039	41,140	14.7	5	1	0.7
Minneapolis city, Minnesota	377,392	5,915	39,271	15.1	4	3	0.8
Colorado Springs city, Colorado	376,427	4,669	41,019	11.4	10	3	1.2
Raleigh city, North Carolina	375,806	9,550	39,440	24.2	6	4	1.7

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