

# AMERICAN COMMUNITY SURVEY

## How It Works for Your Community

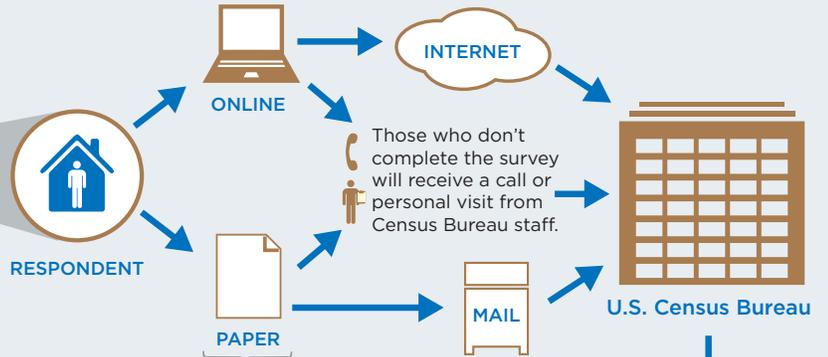
The American Community Survey (ACS) helps local officials, community leaders, and businesses understand the changes taking place in their communities. It is the premier source for detailed population and housing information about our nation.

About 1 in 38 U.S. households per year receive an invitation to participate in the ACS.

### COLLECTION



Your community



Individuals can complete the questionnaire for their household online or on a paper form.

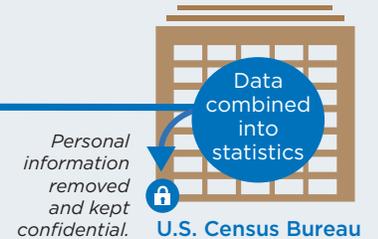
### PROCESSING AND DISSEMINATION



Census Bureau websites

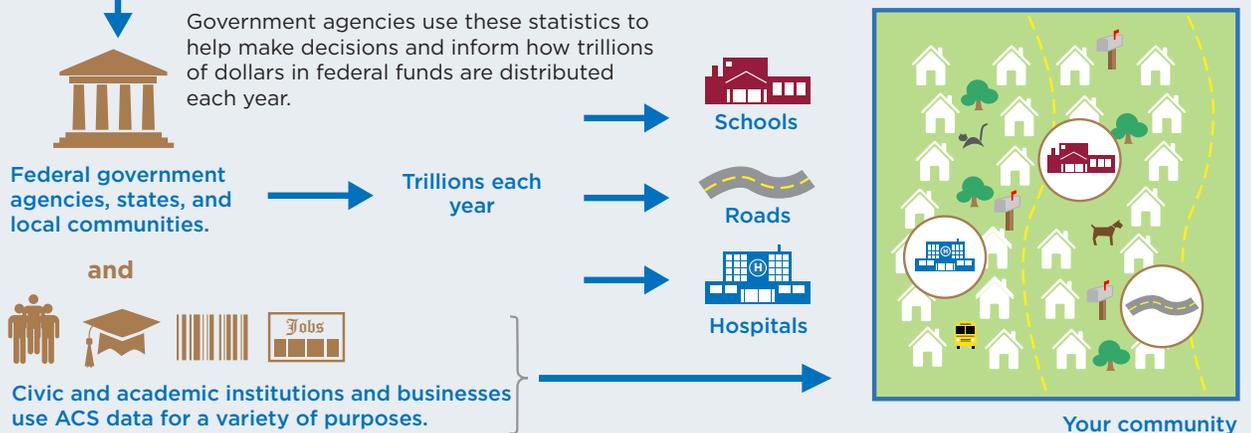


Reports, tables, and applications



The Census Bureau publishes statistics as reports, tables, and other products through its websites.

### DATA-DRIVEN DECISIONS



More information about the ACS is available at [www.census.gov/acs](http://www.census.gov/acs).

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