



Center for Multicultural and Gender Studies Quick Facts

European Americans (White, Non-Hispanic)

Population in the United States: 197,552,774 (69.1% of total)¹

German American Population: 42,800,000 (15.2% of total)

Irish American Population: 30,500,000 (10.8% of total)

English American Population: 24,500,000 (8.7% of total)

Italian American Population: 15,600,000 (5.6% of total)²

Median Age: 38.6³

Average Household Size: 2.4⁴

Marital Status (15+ years of age)⁵:

Married, Spouse Present: 55.6%

Married, Spouse Absent: 2.2%

Divorced: 10.1%

Never Married: 23.5%

Other: 8.6%

Education (age 18 and over)⁶:

High School Graduate or Above: 85.5%

Some College, No Degree: 55.4%

Bachelor's Degree: 27.0%

Advanced Degree: 9.8%

Median Income: 45,904⁷

Geographic Location⁸:

South: 34.4%

Midwest: 25.5%

Northeast: 19.6%

West: 20.5%

Voting Record⁹:

Citizens Registered to Vote: 71.2%

Citizens Who Voted (2006): 51.6%

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