

Housing Units

City of Houston



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Source: 2010 PL94-171 Data, US Census Bureau

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Description	City of Houston
Total Population:	2,099,451
Total housing units:	892,646
Occupied housing units	782,643
Vacant housing units:	110,003
For rent	70,218
Rented, not occupied	2,396
For sale only	9,434
Sold, not occupied	2,050
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	4,920
All other vacants	20,985
Homeowner Vacancy Rate (percent)	
Owner-occupied, vacant for sale only, and vacant sold but not occupied housing units	
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	2.60
Rental Vacancy Rate (percent)	
Renter-occupied, vacant for rent, and vacant rented but not occupied housing units	
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	14.0
Housing Tenure	
Occupied housing units	
Total:	782,643
Owner-occupied housing units	355,236
Renter-occupied housing units	427,407
Population in occupied housing units	
Owner-occupied housing units	994,505
Renter-occupied housing units	1,067,875
Average household size	
Owner occupied	2.80
Renter occupied	2.50