U.S. Census
American FactFinder
Where is it?  What is it?  How do I use it?
Census Regions and Divisions of the United States
Census Geographies, cont.
American Community Survey

• Data release dates: 1-, 3-, 5- year based on population
  • 1-year: populations of 65,000+
  • 3-year: populations of 20,000+
  • 5-year: all areas
• Difficulty in comparing between releases and Decennial data
• 1 in 40 households each year will be surveyed
• 90% confidence on average
  • Each data point will have a margin of error – will discuss later...
• Where to get the data?
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