Jewish Population in the United States, 1995

Based on local community counts—the method for identifying and enumerating Jewish population that serves as the basis of this report—the estimated size of the American Jewish community in 1995 was 5.9 million. This is about 6 percent more than the 5.5 million "core" Jewish population estimated in the Council of Jewish Federations' 1990 National Jewish Population Survey (NJPS).

The difference, small though it is, between the national and aggregated local figures is partly explained by the lag in data gathering and reporting on the local level. As more local communities conduct studies over the next few years, declines and increases that have already occurred will be documented, and the updated statistics may show national and regional patterns more in line with NJPS findings. However, since there are definitional issues as well as a lack of uniformity in local research, which often relies on outdated lists for population projections, the aggregate counts may never exactly match the NJPS national totals.

The demographic results of the NJPS suggested that the population was growing slightly due to an excess of Jewish births over Jewish deaths during the late 1980s. However, extrapolation from the age structure suggests that for the mid-1990s, zero population growth in numbers is being realized, with a balance between the annual numbers of births and deaths. At the same time, some growth in numbers is achieved through Jewish immigration into the United States. The most obvious example is that of refugees from the former Soviet Union, for whom the annual quota is currently set at 40,000 Jews each year.

The NJPS used a scientifically selected sample to project a total number for the United States, but could not provide accurate information on the state and local levels. Therefore, as in past years, in this article we have based local, state, and regional population figures on the usual estimating procedures.

While the Jewish federations are the chief reporting bodies, their service areas vary in size and may represent several towns, one county, or an aggregate of several counties. In some cases we have subdivided federation areas to reflect the more natural geographic boundaries. Some estimates, from areas without federations, have been provided by local rabbis and other informed Jewish community leaders. In still other cases, the figures that have been updated are from past estimates provided by United Jewish Appeal field representatives. Finally, for smaller communities where no recent estimates are available, figures are based on extrapolation from older data. The estimates are for the resident Jewish population, including

^{&#}x27;See Barry A. Kosmin et al., Highlights of the CJF 1990 National Jewish Population Survey (Council of Jewish Federations, New York, 1991).

those in private households and in institutional settings. Non-Jewish family members have been excluded from the total.

The state and regional totals shown in Appendix tables 1 and 2 are derived by summing the individual estimates shown in table 3 and then making three adjustments. First, communities of less than 100 are added. Second, duplicated counts within states are eliminated. Third, communities whose population resides in two or more states (e.g., Kansas City and Greater Washington, D.C.) are distributed accordingly.

Because population estimating is not an exact science, the reader should be aware that in cases where a figure differs from last year's, the increase or decrease did not come about suddenly but occurred over a period of time and has just now been substantiated. Similarly, the results of a completed local demographic study often change the previously reported Jewish population figure. This should be understood as either an updated calculation of gradual demographic change or a correction of a faulty older estimate.

In determining Jewish population, communities count both affiliated and nonaffiliated residents who are "core" Jews as defined in NJPS.² In most cases, counts are made by households, with that number multiplied by the average number of self-defined Jewish persons per household. Similarly to NJPS, most communities also include those born and raised as Jews but who at present consider themselves as having no religion. As stated above, non-Jews living in Jewish households, primarily the non-Jewish spouses and non-Jewish children, are not included in the 1995 estimates presented in the appendix below.

Local Population Changes

The largest change was in Buffalo, New York, where a recent demographic study revealed a Jewish population of 26,000, which is more than 9,000 higher than the previous estimate. While the Jewish population in Buffalo in the mid-1960s was believed to be about 25,000, there had been an assumption of gradual decline. The new study, however, indicates stability and some minimal growth over the last 30 years.

Four other communities reported population increases of greater than 1,000, and all were in the South: Orlando, Florida; Atlanta, Georgia; Austin, Texas; and Richmond, Virginia. While each of these communities is believed to be growing, only Richmond substantiated its increase through a recent demographic study.

Two Midwestern communities, St. Louis, Missouri, and Toledo, Ohio, posted modest gains, which were documented in recently completed studies. Other communities that had Jewish population increases were mainly in the South or the West: Bakersfield, California; Lakeland, Orlando, Sarasota, and Winter Haven, Florida;

²Born Jews who report adherence to Judaism, Jews by choice, and born Jews without a current religion ("secular Jews").

Alexandria and Baton Rouge, Louisiana; Salt Lake City, Utah; Newport News-Hampton and Winchester, Virginia. Other communities outside these regions that reported gains included Flemington, New Jersey; Warren, Ohio; and Altoona, Pennsylvania. Three locales with recently developed Jewish communities are listed for the first time: Bend, Oregon; and Stowe and Woodstock, Vermont.

Two communities in Pennsylvania indicated the largest decreases: Reading and Lancaster; however, these losses were less than 1,000. Even smaller decreases were reported by a number of communities in different areas of the country: Little Rock, Arkansas; Stockton, California; Waterbury, Connecticut; Lawrence, Kansas; Monroe, Louisiana; Augusta, Maine; Annapolis, Maryland; New Bedford, Massachusetts; Saginaw, Michigan; Vineland, New Jersey; Niagara Falls, New York; and Raleigh, North Carolina.

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APPENDIX

TABLE 1. JEWISH POPULATION IN THE UNITED STATES, 1995

	Estimated	7 . 1	Estimated Jewish
State	Jewish Parulation	Total	Percent of Total
State	Population	Population*	OI TOTAL
Alabama	9,000	4,219,000	0.2
Alaska	3,000	606,000	0.5
Arizona	72,000	4,075,000	1.8
Arkansas	1,700	2,453,00	0.1
California	922,000	31,431,000	2.9
Colorado	51,500	3,656,000	1.4
Connecticut	97,000	3,275,000	3.0
Delaware	9,500	706,000	1.3
District of Columbia	25,500	570,000	4.5
Florida	641,000	19,953,000	4.6
Georgia	77,000	7,055,000	1.1
Hawaii	7,000	1,179,000	0.6
Idaho	500	1,133,000	(z)
Illinois	268,000	11,752,000	2.3
Indiana	18,000	5,752,000	0.3
Iowa	6,000	2,829,000	0.2
Kansas	14,000	2,554,000	0.6
Kentucky	11,000	3,827,000	0.3
Louisiana	16,500	4,315,000	0.4
Maine	7,500	1,240,000	0.6
Maryland	211,000	5,006,000	4.2
Massachusetts	268,000	6,041,000	4.4
Michigan	107,000	9,496,000	1.1
Minnesota	42,000	4,567,000	0.9
Mississippi	1,400	2,669,000	0.1
Missouri	62,000	5,278,000	1.2
Montana	800	856,000	0.1
Nebraska	7,000	1,623,000	0.4
Nevada	21,000	1,457,000	1.4
New Hampshire	9,500	1,137,000	0.8
New Jersey	436,000	7,904,000	5.5
New Mexico	9,000	1,654,000	0.5
New York	1,645,000	18,169,000	9.1

	Estimated		Estimated Jewish
	Jewish	Total	Percent
State	Population	Population*	of Total
North Carolina	21,500	7,070,000	0.3
North Dakota	600	638,000	0.1
Ohio	129,000	11,102,000	1.2
Oklahoma	5,500	3,258,000	0.2
Oregon	19,500	3,086,000	0.6
Pennsylvania	330,000	12,052,000	2.7
Rhode Island	16,000	997,000	1.6
South Carolina	9,000	3,664,000	0.2
South Dakota	400	721,000	0.1
Tennessee	18,000	5,175,000	0.3
Texas	110,500	18,378,000	0.6
Utah	3,600	1,908,000	0.2
Vermont	5,700	580,000	1.0
Virginia	73,000	6,552,000	1.1
Washington	34,000	5,343,000	0.6
West Virginia	2,200	1,822,000	0.1
Wisconsin	35,000	5,082,000	0.7
Wyoming	500	476,000	0.1
U.S. TOTAL	**5,900,000	260,341,000	2.3

N.B. Details may not add to totals because of rounding.

^{*} Resident population, July 1, 1994. (Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Current Population Reports, series P-25, no. 1106.)

^{**} Exclusive of Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands, which previously reported Jewish populations of 1,500 and 350, respectively.

⁽z) Figure is less than 0.1 and rounds to 0.

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TABLE 2. DISTRIBUTION OF U.S. JEWISH POPULATION BY REGIONS, 1995

Region	Total Population	Percent Distribution	Jewish Population	Percent Distribution
Northeast	51,396,000	19.7	2,824,000	47.9
New England	13,270,000	5.1	404,000	6.8
Middle Atlantic	38,125,000	14.6	2,420,000	41.0
Midwest	61,394,000	23.6	689,000	11.7
East North Central	43,184,000	16.6	556,000	9.4
West North Central	18,210,000	7.0	132,000	2.2
South	90,692,000	34.8	1,244,000	21.1
South Atlantic	46,398,000	17.8	1,070,000	18.1
East South Central	15,890,000	6.1	39,000	0.7
West South Central	28,404,000	10.9	134,000	2.3
West	56,859,000	21.8	1,145,000	19.4
Mountain	15,214,000	5.8	159,000	2.7
Pacific	41,645,000	16.0	986,000	16.7
TOTALS	260,341,000	100.0	5,900,000	100.0

N.B. Details may not add to totals because of rounding.

TABLE 3. COMMUNITIES WITH JEWISH POPULATIONS OF 100 OR MORE, 1995 (ESTIMATED)

Jewish	Jewish	Jewish
State and City Population	State and City Population	State and City Population
*Birmingham 5,200 Decatur (incl. in Florence total) Dothan 150 Florence 150 Huntsville 750 **Mobile 1,100 **Montgomery 1,300 Sheffield (incl. in Florence total) Tuscaloosa 300 Tuscumbia (incl. in Florence total)	ARKANSAS Fayetteville	Monterey Peninsula
*Alaska *Anchorage	Carmel (incl. in Monterey Peninsula) *Chico 500 Corona (incl. in Riverside total) *Eureka 500 Fairfield 800 Fontana (incl. in San Bernardino	Palm Springs ^N 9,850 Palo Alto (incl. in South Peninsula, under S.F. Bay Area) Pasadena (incl. in L.A. Metro Area total) Petaluma (incl. in Sonoma County, under S.F. Bay Area)
ARIZONA Cochise County	*Fresno 2,500 Lancaster (incl. in Antelope Valley) Long Beach (also incl. in Los Angeles total) ^N 13,500 Los Angeles Metro Area 490,000 *Merced County 190 *Modesto 500	Pomona Valley 6,750 *Redding area 150 Redwood Valley 200 Riverside

^NSee Notes below. *Includes entire county. **Includes all of 2 counties. ***Figure not updated.

State and City	Jewish Population	Jewish State and City Population	Jewish State and City Population
State and City		State and City Population	State and City Topulation
Alameda	County	Colorado Springs	New London ^N 4,000
	32,500		New Milford area 600
Contra Co	osta County	Denver ^N 46,000	Newtown (incl. in
	22,000	Eagle (incl. in Vail total)	Danbury total)
Marin Co	unty. 18,500	Evergreen (also incl. in	Norwalk ^N 9,500
N. Penins	sula 24,500	Denver total)	Norwich (also incl. in
San Franc	cisco . 49,500	250	New London total)
San Jose	33,000	*Fort Collins 1,000	
Sonoma (County 9,000	*Grand Junction 250	Rockville (incl. in
S. Penins	ula 21,000	Greeley (incl. in	Hartford total)
*San Jose (I		Ft. Collins total)	Shelton (incl. in
S.F. Bay		Loveland (incl. in	Valley area)
-	Obispo . 1,450	Ft. Collins total)	Southington (incl. in
	ara 4,500	Pueblo 250	Meriden total)
	2 4,000	Steamboat Springs . 160	Stamford/New Canaan
	ia700	Telluride 125	
Santa Mon		**Vail 500	Storrs (incl. in
	os Angeles		Willimantic total)
	8,000	CONNECTICUT	Torrington area 580
Santa Rosa		Bridgeport ^N 10,250	Valley area ^N 550
Sonoma (•	Bristol (incl. in	Wallingford (also incl.
	F. Bay Area)	Hartford total)	in Meriden total) . 500
_	ounty (listed	Cheshire (incl. in	Waterbury ^N 2,700
	F. Bay Area)	Meriden total)	Westport (incl. in
	e Tahoe . 150	Colchester 300	Norwalk total)
	1,000	Danbury ^N 3,500	Willimantic area 700
	, 200	***Danielson 100	DELAWARE.
Tulare & F		Darien (incl. in	Dover ^N 650
	300	Stamford total)	
	l. in Redwood	Greenwich 3,900 Hartford ^N 26,000	Wilmington (incl.
Valley to			rest of state) 9,500
-	a900	Hebron (incl. in Colchester total)	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
-	ounty , 9,000	Lebanon (incl. in	Greater Washington
Visalia (inc	•	Colchester total)	165,000
Tulare ar		Lower Middlesex	
counties		County ^N 1,650	FLORIDA
Counties	,	Manchester (incl. in	Arcadia (incl. in
COLORADO		Hartford total)	Port Charlotte-Punta
	450	Meriden ^N 3,000	Gorda total)
-	lge (incl. in	Middletown 1,300	Boca Raton-Delray
Vail total	•	New Britain (incl. in	Beach (listed under
Boulder (in	•	Hartford total)	Southeast Fla.)
Denver to		New Haven ^N 24,000	Brevard County . 4,500
Denver to	owi,	1100 Illianon 1 Zijooo	Dividia County , 1,000

Jewish State and City Population	Jewish State and City Population	Jewish State and City Population
***Crystal River 100	Miami-Dade County	ILLINOIS
**Daytona Beach . 2,500	145,000	Aurora area 500
Ft. Lauderdale (listed	Palm Beach County	Bloomington-Normal
under Southeast Fla.)	(excl. Boca Raton-	230
**Ft. Myers 5,000	Delray Beach)	Carbondale (incl. in
Ft. Pierce 1,060	67,000	S. Ill. total)
Gainesville 1,600	***Stuart-Port St. Lucie	*Champaign-Urbana
Hollywood-S. Broward	(portion also incl.	
County (listed under	in Ft. Pierce total)	Chicago Metro Area ^N
Southeast Fla.)	3,000	261,000
**Jacksonville 7,300	,	**Danville
Key West 500	Tallahassee 1,640	*Decatur 140
Lakeland 1,000	*Tampa 15,000	DeKalb 180
*Miami-Dade County	Venice (incl. in Sarasota total)	East St. Louis (incl.
(listed under	*Vero Beach 300	in S. Ill.)
Southeast Fla.)	Winter Haven 300	Elgin ^N 600
Naples-Collier County	winter Haven 500	Freeport (incl. in
3,500	GEORGIA	Rockford total)
New Port Richey (incl. in Pasco	Albany190	*Joliet 500 Kankakee 100
County total)	Athens 400	*Peoria
Ocala-Marion County	Atlanta Metro Area	Quad Cities ^N 1,250
500	70,000	**Quincy105
Orlando ^N 21,000	Augusta ^N 1,400	Rock Island (incl. in
Palm Beach County	Brunswick 100	Quad Cities)
(listed under	**Columbus 1,000	Rockford ^N 1,000
Southeast Fla.)	**Dalton 180	Southern Illinois ^N 700
Pasco County 1,000	Macon 900	*Springfield 1,060
**Pensacola650	*Savannah 2,800	Waukegan 400
Pinellas County. 24,200	**Valdosta100	
**Port Charlotte-Punta	vardosta	INDIANA
Gorda 900	HAWAII	Bloomington 1,000
*St. Petersburg-	Hilo 280	Elkhart (incl. in
Clearwater (incl.	Honolulu (includes	South Bend total)
in Pinellas County)	all of Oahu) 6,400	Evansville 400
**Sarasota 13,800	Kauai	**Ft. Wayne 950
Southeast Florida	Maui	**Gary-Northwest
532,300	Wadi	Indiana 2,220
Boca Raton-Delray	IDAHO	**Indianapolis 10,000
Beach 83,300 Ft. Lauderdale ^N	**Boise 220	**Lafayette 700
174,000	Lewiston (incl. in	*Michigan City 300 Muncie 160
Hollywood-S. Broward	Moscow total)	South Bend ^N 2,000
County ^N 63,000	Moscow 100	*Terre Haute250
County 05,000	1720300W 100	torio riauto 250

State and City	Jewish Population	State and City	Jewish Population	State and City	Jewish Population
IOWA		Biddeford-S	,	Cape Cod-	Barnstable
Ames (also incl. in		in S. Mair	,	County	3,000
	Des Moines total). 200		Bath (incl.	Clinton (in	
Cedar Rapid		in S. Mair	•		r County)
Council Bluf	•		uburn 500		area 1,100
incl. in Om	•		3,900	Falmouth ((incl. in
•	150		rea180	Cape Cod	i)
Davenport (i		Southern M		Fitchburg ((also incl.
Quad Citie	•		5,500	in Worces	ster County
*Des Moines		*Waterville .	200	total)	300
*Iowa City.				Framingha	m (incl. in
**Sioux City		MARYLAND		Boston to	tal)
*Waterloo	170	_	rea 1,800	Gardner (in	ncl. in
KANSAS		**Baltimore.		Athol tot	al)
Kansas City	(incl. in		1 265	Gloucester	(also incl.
Kansas Cit		*Frederick		in Lynn t	otal)450
Lawrence	- '	*Hagerstown		Great Barr	ington (incl.
Manhattan.		*Harford Co		in Pittsfie	ld total)
*Topeka		***Howard			1,100
Wichita ^N			7,200	Haverhill .	800
Wichita	1,500	•	y and Prince		600
KENTUCKY		Georges co		*Hyannis (ii	
Covington/N	Newport		104,500	Cape Cod	
(incl. in Ci	-	-	100	Lawrence (-
Ohio total)		_		Andover	
Lexington ^N	1,850	Silver Sprin	_	Leominster	•
*Louisville		_	ery County)	incl. in W	•
Paducah (inc	el. in S. Ill.)	Upper East			otal) 300
			130	-	a 2,000
LOUISIANA		MASSACHUSETT	re	Lynn-Nort	
Alexandria ^N				•	20,000
Baton Rouge			ea 1,300 3,000		ineyard . 260
Lafayette (in		Athol area			ord ^N 2,600
S. Central	•		ter County		ort 280
Lake Charle			300	Newton (al	
Monroe		•	rea200	,	tal) 34,000
**New Orlean		Beverly (inc			ms (incl. in
*Shreveport.		Lynn total			nire County)
***South Cen		Boston Met			shire County
	250		228,000		400
MAINE			8,000		on 850
Augusta	140	Brookline (Peabody (in	
-			(al) 26,000	Lynn tota	
Bangor	1,000	וטו ווטוגטם	ai). 20,000	Lynn tota	<i>)</i>

Jewish State and City Population	Jewish State and City Population	Jewish State and City Population
Pittsfield-Berkshire	Winona (incl. in	Concord450
County 3,300	La Crosse, Wis. total)	Dover area600
Plymouth area 500		Exeter (incl. in
Provincetown (incl. in	MISSISSIPPI	Portsmouth total)
Cape Cod)	Biloxi-Gulfport 140	Franconia (incl. in
Salem (incl. in	**Greenville 160	Bethlehem total)
Lynn total)	**Hattiesburg 130	Hanover-Lebanon 500
Southbridge (also incl. in Worcester	**Jackson 550	*Keene
County total) 105	MISSOURI	Littleton (incl. in
Springfield ^N 10,000	Columbia 400	Bethlehem total)
Taunton area 1,300	Hannibal (incl. in	Manchester area . 4,000
Webster (also	Quincy, Ill. total)	Nashua area 1,890
incl. in Worcester	Kansas City Metro	Portsmouth area950
County total) 125	Area 19,100	Rochester (incl. in
Worcester area ^N 10,100	*St. Joseph 265	Dover total)
*Worcester County	**St. Louis 54,000	Salem (also incl.
	Springfield 300	in Andover, Mass. total) 150
MICHIGAN	MONTANA	·
*Ann Arbor 5,000	*Billings 240	NEW JERSEY
Bay City 150	Butte 100	Asbury Park (incl. in
Benton Harbor area	Helena (incl. in Butte	Monmouth County)
	total)	**Atlantic City (incl.
**Detroit Metro Area	*Kalispell 150	Atlantic and Cape May
94,000	Missoula 200	counties) 15,800
*Flint		Bayonne (listed under
*Grand Rapids 1,600	NEBRASKA	Hudson County)
**Jackson 200	Grand Island-Hastings	Bergen County (also
*Kalamazoo 1,100	(incl. in Lincoln total)	incl. in Northeastern
Lansing area 2,100	Lincoln 800	N.J. total) 83,700
Midland 120	Omaha ^N 6,500	Bridgeton 200
Mt. Clemens (incl. in	NEVADA	Bridgewater (incl. in Somerset County)
Detroit total)	Carson City (incl. in	Camden (incl. in
Mt. Pleasant ^N 100	Reno total)	Cherry Hill total)
*Muskegon 220	*Las Vegas 20,000	Cherry Hill-Southern
*Saginaw 140	**Reno 1,400	N.J. ^N 49,000
	Sparks (incl. in	Edison (incl. in
MINNESOTA	Reno total)	Middlesex County)
**Duluth 485		Elizabeth (incl. in
*Minneapolis 31,500	NEW HAMPSHIRE	Union County)
Rochester550	Bethlehem 100	Englewood (incl. in
**St. Paul 9,200	Claremont area 140	Bergen County)

State and City Popula	wish ition State and Cit	Jewish y Population	State and City	Jewish Population
Essex County ^N (also	Mt. Holl	y (incl. in	Wayne (inc	l. in
incl. in Northeaster		Hill-Southern	Passaic Co	ounty)
N.J. total) 76,	•			425
East Essex 10,		•	Willingboro	(incl. in
Livingston 12,		7	_	ill-Southern
North Essex 15,		inswick (incl.	N.J. total)	
South Essex 20,		dlesex County)	·	•
West Orange-Oran		stern N.J. ^N	NEW MEXICO	
	000	358,000	*Albuquerqu	ie 6,000
*Flemington 1,	260	ounty (also		525
Freehold (incl. in M		Northeastern		s 250
mouth County)		(al) 9,500	Rio Rancho	(incl. in
Gloucester (incl. in		County (also	Albuquero	ue total)
Cherry Hill-Southe		Northeastern	Santa Fe	1,500
N.J. total)		(al) 15,000	Taos	300
Hoboken (listed und	AT.	Clifton (also		
Hudson County)		Passaic	NEW YORK	
Hudson County (also	.0		*Albany	12,000
incl. in Northeaster	rn	total) 8,000	Amenia (in	cl. in
N.J. total) 12,	,340 Paterson	•	Poughkeep	psie-
Bayonne 1,	. /40	County)	Dutchess	County)
Hoboken 1,	. 100	nboy (incl. in	Amsterdam	150
Jersey City 6,	LUUU	sex County)	*Auburn	115
North Hudson	-	urg (incl. in	Beacon (inc	:l. in
County ^N 3,		Pa. total)	Poughkee	psie-
Jersey City (listed ur	INICI	l (incl. in	Dutchess	County)
Hudson County)		County)	*Binghamtor	ı (incl. all
Lakewood (incl. in		n area 3,000	Broome C	County)
Ocean County)		County (also		2,600
Livingston (incl. in		Northeastern	Brewster (ii	ncl. in
Essex County)		(al) 11,000	Putnam C	County)
Middlesex County ^N		le (incl. in	*Buffalo	26,000
(also incl. in		et County)	Canandaigu	ıa (incl.
Northeastern N.J.		County (also	in Geneva	total)
total) 51,	,000	Northeastern	Catskill	200
Monmouth County		tal) 4,100	Corning (in	cl. in
(also incl. in		ver (incl. in	Elmira tot	•
Northeastern N.J.	_ \	County)		150
total) 33,	,	6,000		100
Morris County (also		ounty (also		1,600
incl. in Northeaster		Northeastern		950
N.J. total) 33,		tal) 30,000		ns 120
Morristown (incl. in		N 2,000	Fredonia (in	
Morris County)	Warren	County 400	Dunkirk t	otal)

Jewish State and City Population	Jewish State and City Population	Jewish State and City Population
Geneva area 310	Niagara Falls 150	Goldsboro 120
Glens Falls ^N 800	Olean 120	*Greensboro 2,500
*Gloversville 380	**Oneonta 300	Greenville 240
*Herkimer 180	Orange County	*Hendersonville 200
Highland Falls (incl.		**Hickory 110
in Orange County)	Pawling 105	High Point (incl. in
*Hudson 500	Plattsburg 260	Greensboro total)
*Ithaca area 1,700	***Port Jervis (also	Jacksonville (incl. in
Jamestown 100	incl. in Orange	Wilmington total)
Kingston ^N 4,600	County total) 560	Raleigh-Wake County
Kiryas Joel (also	Potsdam200	5,500
incl. in Orange County	*Poughkeepsie-Dutchess	Whiteville (incl. in
total) 10,000	County 3,600	Wilmington total)
Lake George (incl. in	Putnam County 1,000	Wilmington area. 1,200
Glens Falls total)	**Rochester 22,500	Winston-Salem 485
***Liberty (also incl. in	Rockland County	Whiston-Salem 405
Sullivan County	83,100	NORTH DAKOTA
total) 2,100	Rome 150	Fargo500
Middletown (incl. in		Grand Forks 130
· ·	Saratoga Springs 600	Giand Forks 130
Orange County)	Seneca Falls (incl. in	OVVO
Monroe (incl. in	Geneva total)	OHIO
Orange County)	**Schenectady 5,200	**Akron 5,500
Monticello (also incl.	South Fallsburg (also	Athens 100
in Sullivan County	incl. in Sullivan County	Bowling Green (also
total) 2,400	total) 1,100	incl. in Toledo total)
Newark (incl. in	Sullivan County . 7,425	120
Geneva total)	Syracuse ^N 9,000	Butler County 900
Newburgh (incl. in	Troy area 800	**Canton 1,580
Orange County)	Utica ^N 1,900	Cincinnati ^N 23,000
New Paltz (incl. in	Walden (incl. in	**Cleveland ^N 65,000
Kingston total)	Orange County)	*Columbus 15,600
New York Metro Area ^N	Watertown120	**Dayton 5,500
	Woodstock (incl. in	Elyria 175
Bronx 83,700	Kingston total)	Fremont (incl. in
Brooklyn 379,000		Sandusky total)
Manhattan 314,500	NORTH CAROLINA	Hamilton (incl. in
Queens 238,000	Asheville ^N 1,300	Butler County)
Staten Island 33,700	**Chapel Hill-Durham	*Lima
Nassau County	3,100	Lorain 600
207,000	Charlotte ^N 6,000	Mansfield 180
Suffolk County	Elizabethtown (incl. in	Marietta (incl. in
100,000	Wilmington total)	Parkersburg, W. Va.
Westchester County	*Fayetteville 320	total)
94,000	Gastonia 210	Marion125

Jewish State and City Population	Jewish State and City Population	Jewish State and City Population
Middletown (incl. in	*Altoona 525	**Oil City 100
Butler County)	Ambridge ^N 250	Oxford-Kennett Square
New Philadelphia	•	
(incl. in Canton total)	Upper Beaver County)	(incl. in Chester County)
Norwalk (incl. in	Bethlehem (incl. in	Philadelphia area ^N
Sandusky total)	Lehigh Valley total)	250,000
Oberlin (incl. in	Bucks County (lower	Phoenixville (incl. in
Elyria total)	portion) ^N 14,500	Chester County)
Oxford (incl. in	*Butler	Pike County 300
Butler County)	**Chambersburg125	Pittsburgh ^N 45,000
**Sandusky 130	Chester (incl. in	Pottstown 650
Springfield 200	Phila. total)	Pottsville 225
*Steubenville 140	***Chester County (also	
Toledo ^N 6,000	incl. in Phila. total)	*Reading 2,200 *Scranton 3,200
Warren (also incl. in		Shamokin (incl. in
Youngstown total)	Coatesville (incl. in	Sunbury total)
600	Chester County)	Sharon (also incl.
Wooster 135	Easton (incl. in Lehigh	in Youngstown, Ohio
Youngstown ^N 4,000	Valley total)	total) 260
*Zanesville 100	*Erie 850	
	Farrell (incl. in	State College 550
OKLAHOMA	Sharon total)	Stroudsburg 400
Norman (also incl.	Greensburg (also incl.	Sunbury ^N
in Oklahoma City	in Pittsburgh	Tamaqua (incl. in Hazleton total)
total) 350	total) 425	Uniontown area 250
**Oklahoma City	**Harrisburg 7,000	Upper Beaver County
	Hazleton area 300	
*Tulsa 2,750	Honesdale (incl. in	**Washington (also
	Wayne County)	incl. in Pittsburgh
OREGON	Jeannette (incl. in	total) 175
Ashland (incl. in	Greensburg total)	***Wayne County 500
Medford total)	**Johnstown 400	Waynesburg (incl. in
Bend	Lancaster area 2,500	Washington total)
	*Lebanon	West Chester (also
Eugene 3,000 Grants Pass (incl. in	Lewisburg (incl. in	incl. in Chester
Medford total)	Sunbury total)	County)300
**Medford 1,000	Lock Haven (incl. in	Wilkes-Barre ^N 3,200
Portland 14,000	Williamsport total)	**Williamsport 350
**Salem 530	McKeesport (incl. in Pittsburgh total)	York 1,500
PENNSYLVANIA	New Castle 200	RHODE ISLAND
Allentown (incl. in	Norristown (incl. in	Cranston (incl. in
Lehigh Valley total)	Philadelphia total)	Providence total)

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Kingston (incl. in	***College Station-Bryan	Stowe
Washington County) Newport-Middletown	*Corpus Christi . 1,400	Woodstock270
	**Dallas 35,000	VIRGINIA
Providence area	El Paso 4,900	Alexandria (incl.
	*Ft. Worth 5,000	Falls Church,
Washington County	Galveston 800	Arlington, and Fairfax
	Harlingen (incl. in	counties) 35,100
Westerly (incl. in	Brownsville total)	Arlington (incl. in
Washington County)	**Houston ^N 42,000	Alexandria total)
	Kilgore (incl. in	***Blacksburg300
SOUTH CAROLINA	Longview total)	Charlottesville 1,000
*Charleston 3,500	Laredo 130	Chesapeake (incl. in
**Columbia 2,500	Longview150	Portsmouth total)
Florence area 220	*Lubbock	Colonial Heights (incl.
Georgetown (incl. in	Lufkin (incl. in	in Petersburg total)
Myrtle Beach total)	Longview total)	Fredericksburg ^N
Greenville 1,200	Marshall (incl. in	500
Kingstree (incl. in Sumter total)	Longview total) *McAllen ^N 500	Hampton (incl. in
**Myrtle Beach 425	Midland-Odessa 150	Newport News total)
Rock Hill (incl. in	Port Arthur100	Harrisonburg (incl. in
Charlotte, N.C. total)	*San Antonio 10,000	Staunton total)
*Spartanburg330	South Padre Island (incl.	Lexington (incl. in
Sumter ^N	in Brownsville total)	Staunton total)
	Tyler 400	Lynchburg area275
SOUTH DAKOTA	Waco ^N 300	**Martinsville 100
Sioux Falls 175	**Wharton 100	Newport News-
	Wichita Falls 260	Hampton ^N 2,400
TENNESSEE		Norfolk-Virginia Beach
Chattanooga 1,350	UTAH	
Knoxville 1,650	Ogden	Petersburg area 400
Memphis 8,500	*Salt Lake City 3,500	Portsmouth-Suffolk
Nashville 5,750		(also incl. in Norfolk
Oak Ridge250	VERMONT	total) 1,900
	Bennington area 300	Radford (incl. in
TEXAS	*Brattleboro 350	Blacksburg total)
Amarillo ^N 150	**Burlington 3,000	Richmond ^N 12,000
*Austin 6,400	Manchester area 250	Roanoke 1,050
Bay City (incl. in	Montpelier-Barre 550	Staunton ^N 370
Wharton total) ***Baytown300	Newport (incl. in St. Johnsbury total)	Williamsburg (incl. in
Beaumont 500	Rutland 550	Newport News total)
*Brownsville 450	**St. Johnsbury 140	Winchester ^N 280
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State and City	Jewish Population	State and City	Jewish Population	State and City	Jewish Population
WASHINGTON		WEST VIRGINIA		Janesville (incl. in	
Bellingham 400		Bluefield-Princeton		Beloit total)	
Ellensburg (incl. in		200		*Kenosha180	
Yakima total)		*Charleston 950		La Crosse 120	
Longview-Kelso (incl.		Clarksburg110		*Madison 4,500	
in Portland, Oreg.		Fairmont (incl. in		Milwaukee ^N 28,000	
total)		Clarksburg total)		Oshkosh area170	
*Olympia		Huntington ^N 300		*Racine 375	
***Port Angeles 100		Morgantown 160		Sheboygan 140	
Pullman (incl. in		Parkersburg 130		Waukesha (incl. in	
Moscow, Idaho total)		**Wheeling 275		Milwaukee total)	
*Seattle ^N 29,300				Wausau ^N .	240
Spokane 1,300		WISCONSIN			
*Tacoma 1,250		Appleton area 400		WYOMING	
Tri Cities ^N 300		Beloit 150		Casper 100	
Vancouver (incl. in		Fond du Lac (incl. in		Cheyenne230	
Portland, Oreg. total)		Oshkosh total)		Laramie (incl. in	
**Yakima 110		Green Bay 320		Cheyenne total)	

Notes

CALIFORNIA

Long Beach—includes in Los Angeles County: Long Beach, Signal Hill, Cerritos, Lakewood, Rosmoor, and Hawaiian Gardens. Also includes in Orange County: Los Alamitos, Cypress, Seal Beach, and Huntington Harbor.

Palm Springs—includes Palm Springs, Desert Hot Springs, Cathedral City, Palm Desert, and Rancho Mirage.

Pomona Valley—includes Alta Loma, Chino, Claremont, Cucamonga, La Verne, Montclair, Ontario, Pomona, San Dimas, and Upland. Portion also included in Los Angeles total.

Sacramento-includes Yolo, Placer, El Dorado, and Sacramento counties.

San Francisco Bay Area—North Peninsula includes northern San Mateo County. South Peninsula includes southern San Mateo County and towns of Palo Alto and Los Altos in Santa Clara County. San Jose includes remainder of Santa Clara County.

COLORADO

Denver—includes Adams, Arapahoe, Boulder, Denver, and Jefferson counties.

CONNECTICUT

Bridgeport—includes Monroe, Easton, Trumbull, Fairfield, Bridgeport, Shelton, Stratford, and part of Milford.

- Danbury—includes Danbury, Bethel, New Fairfield, Brookfield, Sherman, Newtown, Redding, Ridgefield, and part of Wilton; also includes some towns in neighboring Putnam County, New York.
- Hartford—includes most of Hartford County and Vernon, Rockville, Ellington, and Tolland in Tolland County, and Meriden area of New Haven County.
- Lower Middlesex County—includes Branford, Guilford, Madison, Clinton, Westbrook, Old Saybrook, Old Lyme, Durham, and Killingworth. Portion of this area also included in New London and New Haven totals.
- Meriden—includes Meriden, Southington, Cheshire, and Wallingford. Most included in Hartford total and a portion also included in New Haven and Waterbury totals.
- New Haven—includes New Haven, East Haven, Guilford, Branford, Madison, North Haven, Hamden, West Haven, Milford, Orange, Woodbridge, Bethany, Derby, Ansonia, and Cheshire.
- New London—includes central and southern New London County. Also includes part of Lower Middlesex County and part of Windham County.
- Norwalk—includes Norwalk, Weston, Westport, East Norwalk, Darien, Wilton, part of Georgetown, and part of New Canaan.
- Valley Area—includes Ansonia, Derby, Shelton, Oxford, Seymour, and Beacon Falls. Portion also included in Bridgeport and New Haven totals.
- Waterbury—includes Bethlehem, Cheshire, Litchfield, Morris, Middlebury, Southbury, Naugatuck, Prospect, Plymouth, Roxbury, Southbury, Southington, Thomaston, Torrington, Washington, Watertown, Waterbury, Oakville, Woodbury, and Wolcott.

DELAWARE

Dover—includes most of central and southern Delaware.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Greater Washington—includes Montgomery and Prince Georges counties in Maryland; Arlington County, Fairfax County, Falls Church, and Alexandria in Virginia.

FLORIDA

- Ft. Lauderdale—includes Ft. Lauderdale, Pompano Beach, Deerfield Beach, Tamarac, Margate, Coral Springs, and other towns in northern Broward County.
- Hollywood—includes Hollywood, Hallandale, Cooper City, Dania, Davie, Pembroke Pines, and other towns in southern Broward County.
- Orlando—includes all of Orange and Seminole counties, southern Volusia County, and northern Osceola County.

GEORGIA

Augusta—includes Burke, Columbia, and Richmond counties and part of Aiken County, South Carolina.

ILLINOIS

Chicago—includes all of Cook and DuPage counties and a portion of Lake County.

Elgin—includes northern Kane County, southern McHenry County, and western edge of Cook County.

Quad Cities—includes Rock Island and Moline (Illinois), Davenport and Bettendorf (Iowa). Rockford—includes Winnebago, Boone, and Stephenson counties.

Southern Illinois—includes lower portion of Illinois below Carlinville, adjacent western portion of Kentucky, and adjacent portion of southeastern Missouri.

INDIANA

South Bend—includes St. Joseph and Elkhart counties and part of Berrien County, Michigan.

KANSAS

Wichita—includes Sedgwick County and towns of Salina, Dodge City, Great Bend, Liberal, Russell, and Hays.

KENTUCKY

Lexington—includes Fayette, Bourbon, Scott, Clark, Woodford, Madison, Pulaski, and Jessamine counties.

LOUISIANA

Alexandria—includes towns in Allen, Grant, Rapides, and Vernon parishes.

Baton Rouge—includes E. Baton Rouge, Ascension, Livingston, St. Landry, Iberville, Pointe Coupee, and W. Baton Rouge parishes.

South Central—includes Abbeville, Lafayette, New Iberia, Crowley, Opelousas, Houma, Morgan City, Thibodaux, and Franklin.

MAINE

Southern Maine—includes York, Cumberland, and Sagadahoc counties.

MARYLAND

Upper Eastern Shore—includes towns in Caroline, Dorchester, Kent, Queen Annes, and Talbot counties.

MASSACHUSETTS

Andover—includes Andover, N. Andover, Boxford, Lawrence, Methuen, Tewksbury, Dracut, and town of Salem, New Hampshire.

Boston Metropolitan Region—includes all towns south and west of Boston within approximately 30 miles, and all towns north of Boston within approximately 20 miles. All towns formerly part of Framingham area are now included in Boston total.

Brockton—includes Avon, Brockton, Easton, Bridgewater, Whitman, and West Bridgewater. Also included in Boston total.

Lynn—includes Lynn, Saugus, Nahant, Swampscott, Lynnfield, Peabody, Salem, Marblehead, Beverly, Danvers, Middleton, Wenham, Topsfield, Hamilton, Manchester, Ipswich, Essex, Gloucester, and Rockport. Also included in Boston total.

New Bedford-includes New Bedford, Dartmouth, Fairhaven, and Mattapoisett.

Springfield—includes Springfield, Longmeadow, E. Longmeadow, Hampden, Wilbraham, Agawam, and W. Springfield.

Worcester—includes Worcester, Northborough, Westborough, Shrewsbury, Boylston, W. Boylston, Holden, Paxton, Leicester, Auburn, Millbury, and Grafton. Also included in the Worcester County total.

MICHIGAN

Mt. Pleasant—includes towns in Isabella, Mecosta, Gladwin, and Gratiot counties.

NEBRASKA

Omaha---includes Douglas and Sarpy counties. Also includes Pottawatamie County, Iowa.

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Laconia—includes Laconia, Plymouth, Meredith, Conway, and Franklin.

NEW JERSEY

Cherry Hill-includes Camden, Burlington, and Gloucester counties.

Essex County—East Essex includes Belleville, Bloomfield, East Orange, Irvington, Newark, and Nutley in Essex County, and Kearney in Hudson County. North Essex includes Caldwell, Cedar Grove, Essex Fells, Fairfield, Glen Ridge, Montclair, North Caldwell, Roseland, Verona, and West Caldwell. South Essex includes Maplewood, Millburn, Short Hills, and South Orange in Essex County, and Springfield in Union County.

Middlesex County—includes in Somerset County: Kendall Park, Somerset, and Franklin; in Mercer County: Hightstown; and all of Middlesex County.

Northeastern N.J.—includes Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Middlesex, Morris, Passaic, Somerset, Union, Hunterdon, Sussex, Monmouth, and Ocean counties.

North Hudson County—includes Guttenberg, Hudson Heights, North Bergen, North Hudson, Secaucus, Union City, Weehawken, West New York, and Woodcliff.

Somerset County—includes most of Somerset County and a portion of Hunterdon County. Trenton—includes most of Mercer County.

Union County—includes all of Union County except Springfield. Also includes a few towns in adjacent areas of Somerset and Middlesex counties.

Vineland—includes most of Cumberland County and towns in neighboring counties adjacent to Vineland.

NEW YORK

Elmira—includes Chemung, Tioga, and Schuyler counties. Also includes Tioga and Bradford counties in Pennsylvania.

Glens Falls—includes Warren and Washington counties, lower Essex County, and upper Saratoga County.

Kingston-includes eastern half of Ulster County.

New York Metropolitan Area—includes the five boroughs of New York City, Westchester, Nassau, and Suffolk counties. For a total Jewish population of the New York metropolitan region, please include Fairfield County, Connecticut; Rockland, Putnam, and Orange counties, New York; and Northeastern New Jersey.

Syracuse—includes Onondaga County, western Madison County, and most of Oswego County.

Utica—southeastern third of Oneida County.

NORTH CAROLINA

Asheville-includes Buncombe, Haywood, and Madison counties.

Charlotte—includes Mecklenburg County. Also includes Lancaster and York counties in South Carolina.

OHIO

Cincinnati—includes Hamilton and Butler counties. Also includes Boone, Campbell, and Kenton counties in Kentucky.

Cleveland—for a total Jewish population of the Cleveland metropolitan region, please include Elyria, Lorain, and Akron totals.

Toledo—includes Fulton, Lucas, and Wood counties. Also includes Monroe and Lenawee counties, Michigan.

Youngstown—includes Mahoning and Trumbull counties. Also includes Mercer County, Pennsylvania.

PENNSYLVANIA

Ambridge—includes lower Beaver County and adjacent areas of Allegheny County. Also included in Pittsburgh total.

Bucks County (lower portion)—includes Bensalem Township, Bristol, Langhorne, Levittown, New Hope, Newtown, Penndel, Trevose, Warrington, Yardley, Richboro, Feasterville, Middletown, Southampton, and Holland. Also included in Philadelphia total.

Philadelphia—includes Philadelphia City; Montgomery, Delaware, Chester, and Bucks counties. For a total Jewish population of the Philadelphia metropolitan region, please include the Cherry Hill, Salem, and Trenton areas of New Jersey, and the Wilmington area of Delaware.

Pittsburgh—includes all of Allegheny County and adjacent portions of Washington, West-moreland, and Beaver counties.

Sunbury-includes Shamokin, Lewisburg, Milton, Selinsgrove, and Sunbury.

Wilkes-Barre—includes all of Luzerne County except southern portion, which is included in Hazleton totals.

SOUTH CAROLINA

Sumter—includes towns in Sumter, Lee, Clarendon, and Williamsburg counties.

TEXAS

Amarillo-includes Canyon, Childress, Borger, Dumas, Memphis, Pampa, Vega, and Hereford in Texas, and Portales, New Mexico.

Houston—includes Harris, Montgomery, and Ft. Bend counties, and parts of Brazoria and Galveston counties.

McAllen—includes Edinburg, Harlingen, McAllen, Mission, Pharr, Rio Grande City, San Juan, and Weslaco. Portion of Harlingen also included in Brownsville total.

Waco-includes McLennan, Coryell, Bell, Falls, Hamilton, and Hill counties.

VIRGINIA

Fredericksburg—includes towns in Spotsylvania, Stafford, King George, and Orange counties.

Newport News—includes Newport News, Hampton, Williamsburg, James City, York County, and Poquoson City.

Richmond—includes Richmond City, Henrico County, and Chesterfield County.

Staunton—includes towns in Augusta, Page, Shenandoah, Rockingham, Bath, and Highland counties.

Winchester—includes towns in Winchester, Frederick, Clarke, and Warren counties, Virginia; and Hardy and Jefferson counties, West Virginia.

WASHINGTON

Seattle—includes King County and adjacent portions of Snohomish and Kitsap counties. Tri Cities—includes Pasco, Richland, and Kennewick.

WEST VIRGINIA

Huntington-includes nearby towns in Ohio and Kentucky.

WISCONSIN

Milwaukee—includes Milwaukee County, eastern Waukesha County, and southern Ozaukee County.

Wausau-includes Stevens Point, Marshfield, Antigo, and Rhinelander.