

Census Questions, 1790 to 1850

1790

State, County, Town/City

Name of head of household

Free white males 16+ including head of household

Free white males -16

Free white females including head of family

All other free persons

Slaves

1800 & 1810

State, County, Parish/Town/City

Name of head of household

Free white males/females -10

Free white males/females 10 to -16

Free white males/females 16 to -26 including head of household

Free white males/females 26 to -45 including head of household

Free white males/females 45+ including head of household

All other free persons

Except Indians

Slaves

1820

State, County, Parish/Town/City

Name of head of household

Free white males/females -10

Free white males/females 10 to -16

Free white males/females 16 to -26 including head of household

Free white males/females 26 to -45 including head of household

Free white males/females 45+ including head of household

Foreigners not naturalized

People engaged in:

Agriculture, Commerce, Manufacture

Slaves

males/females -10

males/females 10 to -16

males/ 16 to -26

males/females 26 to -45

males/females 45+

Free Colored People

males/females -10

males/females 10 to -16

males/ 16 to -26

males/females 26 to -45

males/females 45+

All other persons except Indians

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1830

State, County, Parish/Town/City

Name of head of household

Free white males/females -5

Free white males/females 5 to -10

Free white males/females 10 to -15 including head of household

Free white males/females 15 to -20 including head of household

Free white males/females 20 to -30

Free white males/females 30 to -40

Free white males/females 40 to -50 including head of household

Free white males/females 50 to -60 including head of household

Free white males/females 60 to -70 including head of household

Free white males/females 70 to -80 including head of household

Free white males/females 80 to -90 including head of household

Free white males/females 90 to -100 including head of household

Free white males/females 100+ including head of household

Slaves

males/females -5

males/females 5 to -10

males/females 10 to -15

males/females 15 to -20

males/females 20 to -30

males/females 30 to -40

males/females 40 to -50

males/females 50 to -60

males/females 60 to -70

males/females 70 to -80

males/females 80 to -90

males/females 90 to -100

males/females 100+

Total

White persons included in forgoing

Who are deaf and dumb -14

Who are deaf and dumb 14 to -25

Who are deaf and dumb 25+

Who are blind

Aliens ---foreigners not Naturalized

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1840

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Free white males/females 15 to -20 including head of household

Free white males/females 20 to -30

Free white males/females 30 to -40

Free white males/females 40 to -50 including head of household

Free white males/females 50 to -60 including head of household

Free white males/females 60 to -70 including head of household

Free white males/females 70 to -80 including head of household

Free white males/females 80 to -90 including head of household

Free white males/females 90 to -100 including head of household

Free white males/females 100+ including head of household

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Slaves

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males/females 50 to -60

males/females 60 to -70

males/females 70 to -80

males/females 80 to -90

males/females 90 to -100

males/females 100+

Total

Number of persons in each family employed in

mining, agriculture, commerce, manufacturing and trade, navigation of the ocean,
navigation of canals, lakes and rivers, learned professions and engineers

Pensioners for the Revolution or military service included in the foregoing

Name, age

White persons included in forgoing

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Who are blind

Who are insane and idiots at public charge

Who are insane and idiots at private charge

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Colored persons included in forgoing

Who are deaf and dumb

Who are blind, insane and idiots at public charge

Who are insane and idiots at private charge

Schools, etc

number of students

academic and grammar schools

number of scholars, primary and common schools

number of scholars, numbers of scholars at public charge

number of white persons over 20 years of age in each family who could not read or write.

1850

County, State

Enumerator

Date

Dwelling-houses in order of visitation

Families numbered in order of visitation

Name of every person whose usual place of abode on the first day of June 1850

Description

Age,

Sex

Color – white, black or mulatto

Profession, Occupation or Trade of each male person over 15 years of age

Value of Real Estate owned

Place of birth

Naming the State, Territory or Country

Married within the year

Persons over 20 years of age who cannot read or write

Whether deaf and dumb, blind, insane, idiotic, pauper or convict

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	1790	1800	1810	1820	1830	1840	
Under 16	1774-1790						Under 16
Over 16	Before 1774						Over 16
Under 10		1790-1800	1800-1810	1810-1820			Under 10
Between 10 - 16		1784-1790	1794-1800	1804-1810			Between 10 - 16
Between 16 - 18				1802-1804			Between 16 - 18
Between 18 - 26		1774-1784	1784-1794	1794-1804			Between 16 - 26
Between 26 - 45		1755-1774	1765-1784	1775-1794			Between 26 - 45
Over 45		Before 1755	Before 1765	Before 1775			Over 45
Under 5					1825-1830	1835-1840	Under 5
Between 5 - 10					1820-1825	1830-1835	Between 5 - 10
Between 10 - 15					1815-1820	1825-1830	Between 10 - 15
Between 15-20					1810-1815	1820-1825	Between 15-20
Between 20-30					1800-1810	1810-1820	Between 20-30
Between 30-40					1790-1800	1800-1810	Between 30-40
Between 40-50					1780-1790	1790-1800	Between 40-50
Between 50-60					1770-1780	1780-1790	Between 50-60
Between 60-70					1760-1770	1770-1780	Between 60-70
Between 70-80					1750-1760	1760-1770	Between 70-80
Between 80-90					1740-1750	1750-1760	Between 80-90
Between 90-100					1730-1740	1740-1750	Between 90-100
Over 100					Before 1730	Before 1740	Over 100

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