



United States Federal Census

CENSUS YEAR	1900	1910	1920	1930	1940
Date of enumeration	x	x	x	x	x
Names of all members of household	x	x	x	x	x
Relationship to head of household	x	x	x	x	x
Residence	x	x	x	x	x
Residence as of April 1, 1935 - same place (city), same house					x
If different, city and state					x
Race	x	x	x	x	x
Gender	x	x	x	x	x
Month and year of birth	x				
Age at last birthday	x	x	x	x	x
Marital status	x	x	x	x	x
Number of years married	x				
Number of years of current marriage		x			
Age at first marriage				x	
WOMEN ONLY NEXT TWO LINES					
Number of children given birth to	x	x			
How many then living	x	x			
Birthplace	x	x	x	x	x
Mother tongue			x	x	
Birthplace of father	x	x	x	x	*
Mother tongue			x		*
Birthplace of mother	x	x	x	x	*
Mother tongue			x		*
Year of immigration	x	x	x	x	
Number of years in the US	x				
Naturalization status	x	x	x	x	x
If naturalized, year of naturalization			x		

Continued	1900	1910	1920	1930	1940
General nature of industry		x	x	x	x
Months not employed	x				
Wage/salary worker, employer or working on own account		x	x	x	x
If employee, whether out of work April 15, 1910		x			
Number of weeks out of work in 1909		x			
Whether actually at work on last regular day of work				x	
Attend school	x				
Attended school anytime since September 1, 1909		x			
Attended school anytime since September 1, 1919			x		
Attended school anytime since September 1, 1929				x	
Attended school anytime since March 1, 1940					x
Whether able to read	x	x	x	x	
Whether able to write	x	x	x	x	
Highest grade of school completed					x
Whether able to speak English	x	x	x	x	
If not, language spoken		x			
Language spoken at home before coming to US				x	
Language spoken in earliest childhood home					x
Home owned or rented	x	x	x	x	x
If owned, owned free or mortgaged	x	x	x		
Value of home if owned, monthly rental if rented				x	x
Farm or house	x	x		x	x
Own a radio				x	
Survivor of Union or Confederate Army or Navy		x			
Veteran of military service				x	*
What war or expedition				x	*
Wife, widow or child under 18 of veteran					*
Blind (both eyes)		x			
Deaf and dumb		x			
Do you have Social Security number					*
* Supplemental questions for people on lines 14 and 29 in 1940					

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