

# 2020 CENSUS GLOSSARY TEMPLATE

**ENGLISH**

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**Census**  
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## 2020 CENSUS GLOSSARY – ENGLISH TO <LANGUAGE NAME>

### General Terms

English	Translation
2020 Census	
2020 Decennial Census Program	
address	
address canvassing	
address verification	
administrative record	
adopted son or daughter	
adult	
advertising	
age	
American Community Survey	
apartment	
apartment building	
apportionment	
April 1	
Area Census Office	
armed forces personnel	

## 2020 CENSUS GLOSSARY – ENGLISH TO <LANGUAGE NAME>

English	Translation
assisted living center	
baby	
basement	
billboard	
biological son or daughter	
boarder	
boat (housing unit)	
box (check box)	
brochure	
brother or sister	
burden estimate	
cell phone	
Census Day	
Census ID	
census questionnaire	
Census Questionnaire Assistance	
child	
city	

## 2020 CENSUS GLOSSARY – ENGLISH TO <LANGUAGE NAME>

English	Translation
collection of information	
college	
college student	
communications	
community	
community development grant	
community member	
community organizer	
Community Partnership and Engagement Program	
community-based organization	
Complete Count Committee	
confidential	
confidentiality	
Congress	
congressional seat	
correctional facility	
cost savings	
count (noun)	

## 2020 CENSUS GLOSSARY – ENGLISH TO <LANGUAGE NAME>

English	Translation
count (verb)	
country	
county	
cousin	
cybersecurity risk	
data	
data collection	
data dissemination	
data dissemination specialist	
data product	
Data Protection and Privacy Policy	
data quality	
data security	
date of birth	
day	
decennial census	
Department of Commerce	
digital advertising	

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English	Translation
Disaster Recovery Program	
disclose	
diverse	
diversity	
drop-down menu	
duplex	
education	
emergency services	
employment	
encrypted	
enrolled member	
enumerate	
enumerator	
estimate (noun)	
estimate (verb)	
event hosting	
extended family member	
faith-based organization	

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English	Translation
family	
father	
federal	
federal agency	
Federal Cybersecurity Enhancement Act of 2015	
federal funding	
federal government	
federal law	
federal program	
female (adjective)	
field materials	
field staff	
field work	
field worker	
first name	
for rent	
for sale only	
foster child	

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English	Translation
friend	
fund (verb)	
funding	
government	
government office	
government worker	
governor	
grandchild	
grandparent	
group quarters	
guide	
hard-to-count population	
home	
home equity loan	
homeownership data	
hotel	
house	
household	

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English	Translation
household question	
householder	
housing assistance	
housing data	
housing unit	
identification	
infant	
infographic	
in-law	
in-person interview	
Integrated Communications Campaign	
Integrated Partnership and Communications	
Internet	
interview	
interviewer	
invitation	
jail	
language	

## 2020 CENSUS GLOSSARY – ENGLISH TO <LANGUAGE NAME>

English	Translation
language guide (guide to complete 2020 Census)	
last name	
law	
lease	
library	
lien	
limited-English-speaking household	
live-in employee	
living quarters	
loan	
loan secured by real estate	
local housing market	
male (adjective)	
mandated	
mandated by law	
mandated by the Constitution	
mandatory	
mayor	

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English	Translation
media	
member of Congress	
methodology	
migrant worker	
military assignment	
mobile home	
month	
mortgage	
motel	
mother	
National Partnership Program	
neighborhood	
newborn	
newspaper	
non-profit organization	
Nonresponse Followup	
Notice of Visit	
nursing home	

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English	Translation
occupancy	
occupied without payment of rent	
Office of Management and Budget (OMB)	
OMB approval number	
online	
opposite-sex husband/wife/spouse	
opposite-sex unmarried partner	
other nonrelative	
other relative	
owned free and clear	
owned with a mortgage or loan	
paper questionnaire	
Paperwork Reduction Act	
parent	
parent-in-law	
partner (Census Community Partnership and Engagement Program or National Partnership Program)	
partnership	
partnership specialist	

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English	Translation
partnership toolkit	
permanent place to live	
person experiencing homelessness	
person without a permanent place to live	
personal information	
personally identifiable information	
physical location	
population	
population density	
Post Office Box Address	
postage-paid envelope	
postcard	
prison	
privacy	
Privacy Act System of Records Notice	
private sector	
protected by law	
public relations	

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English	Translation
published estimate	
Puerto Rico	
questionnaire	
race	
race or origin	
radio	
recruit	
redistricting	
Regional Census Center	
Regional Director	
Regional Office	
regional partnership	
relationship	
relative	
rented	
rented, not occupied	
representative	
required by law	

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English	Translation
residence	
resident (someone who lives or stays at the address)	
respondent	
response	
response options	
roommate or housemate	
rural	
rural route	
same-sex husband/wife/spouse	
same-sex unmarried partner	
seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	
separate structure	
shelter	
small/local business	
social media	
sold, not occupied	
son-in-law or daughter-in-law	
sponsorship	

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English	Translation
stakeholder	
state	
State Data Center	
statistics	
Statistics in Schools	
stepson or stepdaughter	
street address	
street intersection	
street name	
submitting your questionnaire	
teacher	
television	
third-party data	
Title 13	
Title 13, U.S. Code, Sections 141, 193, and 221	
Title 26	
trailer	
transitory location	



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English	Translation
U.S. Census Bureau	
U.S. Congress	
U.S. Constitution	
U.S. House of Representatives	
U.S. Senate	
United States	
Update Enumerate	
Update Leave	
urban	
vacant and abandoned properties	
voting	
voting rights	
Web site	
year	
year of birth	

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### Terms Found in the Race and Hispanic Origin Questions

English	Translation
African American	
American Indian or Alaska Native	
Asian Indian	
Aztec	
Black or African American	
Blackfeet Tribe	
Cambodian	
Chamorro	
Chinese	
Colombian	
Cuban	
Dominican	
Ecuadorian	
Egyptian	
English	
enrolled or principal tribe	
Ethiopian	

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English	Translation
Fijian	
Filipino	
German	
Guatemalan	
Haitian	
Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	
Hispanic origin	
Hmong	
Irish	
Italian	
Jamaican	
Japanese	
Korean	
Lebanese	
Marshallese	
Mayan	
Mexican, Mexican American, Chicano	
Native Hawaiian	

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English	Translation
Native Village of Barrow Inupiat Traditional Government	
Navajo Nation	
Nigerian	
Nome Eskimo Community	
Other Asian	
Other Pacific Islander	
Pakistani	
Puerto Rican	
Salvadoran	
Samoan	
Somali	
Some other race	
Spaniard	
Tongan	
Vietnamese	
White	