

Data on housing

The aim was to get broad estimates of tenure at the county level and at the CBSA level.

Two main sources were used :

- the American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates of the U.S Census Bureau
- the Picture of Subsidized Households survey of the US Department of Housing and Urban Development

The American Community Survey

The 2012-2016 version of the American Community Survey (ACS) was used.¹ The variables of interest are the following :

- occupied housing units by tenure
- total population in occupied housing units by tenure

Picture of Subsidized Households

The survey was conducted in 2012. Even though data on multiple programs were available, only data on “Public Housing” were kept.

The variable of interest are :

- Number of units under contract for federal subsidy and available for occupancy
- Occupied units as the % of units available
- Total number of people

Data at the county level

The American Community Survey

Occupied housing units by tenure

This first data set provides information on tenure. The available variables are :

GEO.id2 Id2

GEO.display-label Geography

HD01_VD01 Estimate; Total:

HD02_VD01 Margin of Error; Total:

HD01_VD02 Estimate; Total: - Owner occupied

HD02_VD02 Margin of Error; Total: - Owner occupied

HD01_VD03 Estimate; Total: - Renter occupied

HD02_VD03 Margin of Error; Total: - Renter occupied

I only used the estimates and ignored the margins of error.

```
data_unit_county <- data_unit_county %>%  
  mutate(  
    pct_owner_unit = HD01_VD02 / HD01_VD01 * 100, # percentage of owner occupied units
```

¹The 2012-2016 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the February 2013 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities. Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2010 data. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

```

pct_renter_unit = HD01_VD03 / HD01_VD01 * 100, # percentage of renter occupied units
total_unit = pct_renter_unit + pct_owner_unit, # check
GEOID = str_sub(GEO.id, -5, -1), # for the join
)

```

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```
head(data_unit_county)
```

```

## # A tibble: 6 x 13
##   GEO.id GEO.id2 `GEO.display-la~ HD01_VD01 HD02_VD01 HD01_VD02 HD02_VD02
##   <chr>   <int> <chr>           <int>    <int>    <int>    <int>
## 1 050000~ 1001 Autauga County,~ 20800      391    15218     548
## 2 050000~ 1003 Baldwin County,~ 75149     1285   53905    1142
## 3 050000~ 1005 Barbour County,~ 9122      286    5829     257
## 4 050000~ 1007 Bibb County, Al~ 7048      352    5119     303
## 5 050000~ 1009 Blount County, ~ 20619     403   16254     507
## 6 050000~ 1011 Bullock County,~ 3556      210    2600     222
## # ... with 6 more variables: HD01_VD03 <int>, HD02_VD03 <int>,
## #   pct_owner_unit <dbl>, pct_renter_unit <dbl>, total_unit <dbl>,
## #   GEOID <chr>

```

Total population in occupied housing by tenure

This second data set provides information on the total population in occupied housing units by tenure by year householder moved into unit. However, only the broad estimates, which ignored the time dimension, were kept so as to remain consistent with the 2012-2016 data above.

The variables of interest are :

GEO.id2 Id2

GEO.display-label Geography

HD01_VD01 Estimate; Total population in occupied housing units

HD02_VD01 Margin of Error; Total population in occupied housing units

HD01_VD02 Estimate; Owner occupied

HD02_VD02 Margin of Error; Owner occupied

HD01_VD09 Estimate; Renter occupied

HD02_VD09 Margin of Error; Renter occupied

Again, the “margins of error” were not taken into account.

```

data_pop_county <- data_pop_county %>%
  select(c(1:7), c(20:21)) %>%
  mutate(
    pct_owner_pop = HD01_VD02 / HD01_VD01 * 100, # percentage of owner population
    pct_renter_pop = HD01_VD09 / HD01_VD01 * 100, # percentage of renter population
    total_pop = pct_renter_pop + pct_owner_pop, # check
    GEOID = str_sub(GEO.id, -5, -1), # for the join
  )

```

```
head(data_pop_county)
```

```

## # A tibble: 6 x 13
##   GEO.id GEO.id2 `GEO.display-la~ HD01_VD01 HD02_VD01 HD01_VD02 HD02_VD02
##   <chr>   <int> <chr>           <int>    <chr>    <int>    <int>
## 1 050000~ 1001 Autauga County,~ 54559 163    40133    1559
## 2 050000~ 1003 Baldwin County,~ 196599 443    141084    2408

```

```
## 3 050000~ 1005 Barbour County,~ 23682 244 14939 617
## 4 050000~ 1007 Bibb County, Al~ 20571 190 14450 824
## 5 050000~ 1009 Blount County, ~ 57152 131 46037 1169
## 6 050000~ 1011 Bullock County,~ 10111 139 7258 486
## # ... with 6 more variables: HD01_VD09 <int>, HD02_VD09 <int>,
## # pct_owner_pop <dbl>, pct_renter_pop <dbl>, total_pop <dbl>,
## # GEOID <chr>
```

```
data_ACS_county <- left_join(data_pop_county, data_unit_county, by = c("GEOID", "GEO.id2", "GEO.id", "GEO.id1"))
head(data_ACS_county)
```

```
## # A tibble: 6 x 22
##   GEO.id GEO.id2 `GEO.display-label` HD01_VD01.x HD02_VD01.x HD01_VD02.x
##   <chr>    <int> <chr>                <int> <chr>                <int>
## 1 0500000U~ 1001 Autauga County, A~ 54559 163 40133
## 2 0500000U~ 1003 Baldwin County, A~ 196599 443 141084
## 3 0500000U~ 1005 Barbour County, A~ 23682 244 14939
## 4 0500000U~ 1007 Bibb County, Alab~ 20571 190 14450
## 5 0500000U~ 1009 Blount County, Al~ 57152 131 46037
## 6 0500000U~ 1011 Bullock County, A~ 10111 139 7258
## # ... with 16 more variables: HD02_VD02.x <int>, HD01_VD09 <int>,
## # HD02_VD09 <int>, pct_owner_pop <dbl>, pct_renter_pop <dbl>,
## # total_pop <dbl>, GEOID <chr>, HD01_VD01.y <int>, HD02_VD01.y <int>,
## # HD01_VD02.y <int>, HD02_VD02.y <int>, HD01_VD03 <int>,
## # HD02_VD03 <int>, pct_owner_unit <dbl>, pct_renter_unit <dbl>,
## # total_unit <dbl>
```

There are 3,144 counties in the US (including Alaska and Puerto Rico). In the data, there are 3,142 observations.

Picture of Subsidized Households

```
data_county <- data_county %>%
  filter(program_label == "Public Housing" & !(is.na(total_units))) %>%
  select(states, entities, total_units, pct_occupied, people_per_unit, people_total, state) %>%
  mutate(
    GEOID = str_sub(entities, -5, -1)
  ) %>%
  filter(!(GEOID == "78999") & !(GEOID == "66999")) # removes Guam and VI
head(data_county)
```

```
## # A tibble: 6 x 8
##   states entities total_units pct_occupied people_per_unit people_total
##   <chr>    <chr>    <int>    <int>    <dbl>    <dbl>
## 1 AK Ala~ AK Anchor~ 508      95      2.54    1218.
## 2 AK Ala~ AK Bethel~ 117      97      4.04     456.
## 3 AK Ala~ AK Fairba~ 165      98      2.88     462.
## 4 AK Ala~ AK Juneau~ 207      97      2.35     462.
## 5 AK Ala~ AK Ketchi~ 73      100     1.81     132.
## 6 AK Ala~ AK Kodiak~ 40      100     2.72     109.
## # ... with 2 more variables: state <chr>, GEOID <chr>
```

The data set is only made of 2,010 observations.

Final data set for county level

```
data_combined_county <- full_join(data_ACS_county, data_county, by = ("GEOID"))
head(data_combined_county)
```

```
## # A tibble: 6 x 29
##   GEO.id   GEO.id2 `GEO.display-labe~ HD01_VD01.x HD02_VD01.x HD01_VD02.x
##   <chr>     <int> <chr>                <int> <chr>                <int>
## 1 0500000U~   1001 Autauga County, A~   54559 163                40133
## 2 0500000U~   1003 Baldwin County, A~ 196599 443                141084
## 3 0500000U~   1005 Barbour County, A~ 23682 244                14939
## 4 0500000U~   1007 Bibb County, Alab~ 20571 190                14450
## 5 0500000U~   1009 Blount County, Al~ 57152 131                46037
## 6 0500000U~   1011 Bullock County, A~ 10111 139                7258
## # ... with 23 more variables: HD02_VD02.x <int>, HD01_VD09 <int>,
## #   HD02_VD09 <int>, pct_owner_pop <dbl>, pct_renter_pop <dbl>,
## #   total_pop <dbl>, GEOID <chr>, HD01_VD01.y <int>, HD02_VD01.y <int>,
## #   HD01_VD02.y <int>, HD02_VD02.y <int>, HD01_VD03 <int>,
## #   HD02_VD03 <int>, pct_owner_unit <dbl>, pct_renter_unit <dbl>,
## #   total_unit <dbl>, states <chr>, entities <chr>, total_units <int>,
## #   pct_occupied <int>, people_per_unit <dbl>, people_total <dbl>,
## #   state <chr>
```

Data at the Core-base statistical areas level

The American Community Survey

Occupied housing units by tenure

```
data_unit_CBSA <- data_unit_CBSA %>%
  mutate(
    pct_owner_unit = HD01_VD02 / HD01_VD01 * 100, # percentage of owner occupied units
    pct_renter_unit = HD01_VD03 / HD01_VD01 * 100, # percentage of renter occupied units
    total_unit = pct_renter_unit + pct_owner_unit, # check
    GEOID = str_sub(GEO.id, -5, -1), # for the join
  )
```

```
head(data_unit_CBSA)
```

```
## # A tibble: 6 x 13
##   GEO.id   GEO.id2 `GEO.display-la~ HD01_VD01 HD02_VD01 HD01_VD02 HD02_VD02
##   <chr>     <int> <chr>                <int>     <int>     <int>     <int>
## 1 310M30~   10100 Aberdeen, SD Mi~ 17721     332     12171     361
## 2 310M30~   10140 Aberdeen, WA Mi~ 27472     501     18430     526
## 3 310M30~   10180 Abilene, TX Met~ 60308     718     37194     684
## 4 310M30~   10220 Ada, OK Micro A~ 14625     190      9389     255
## 5 310M30~   10300 Adrian, MI Micr~ 37856     517     29398     537
## 6 310M30~   10420 Akron, OH Metro~ 283472    1265    187951    1630
## # ... with 6 more variables: HD01_VD03 <int>, HD02_VD03 <int>,
## #   pct_owner_unit <dbl>, pct_renter_unit <dbl>, total_unit <dbl>,
## #   GEOID <chr>
```

Total population in occupied housing by tenure

```
data_pop_CBSA <- data_pop_CBSA %>%
  select(c(1:7), c(20:21)) %>%
  mutate(
    pct_owner_pop = HD01_VD02 / HD01_VD01 * 100, # percentage of owner population
    pct_renter_pop = HD01_VD09 / HD01_VD01 * 100, # percentage of renter population
    total_pop = pct_renter_pop + pct_owner_pop, # check
    GEOID = str_sub(GEO.id, -5, -1), # for the join
  )
```

```
head(data_pop_CBSA)
```

```
## # A tibble: 6 x 13
##   GEO.id GEO.id2 `GEO.display-label` HD01_VD01 HD02_VD01 HD01_VD02 HD02_VD02
##   <chr>   <int> <chr>                <int>    <int>    <int>    <int>
## 1 310M30~ 10100 Aberdeen, SD Mi~    40749      243    30087      799
## 2 310M30~ 10140 Aberdeen, WA Mi~    68170      284    44798     1541
## 3 310M30~ 10180 Abilene, TX Met~   155109     686    96299     1908
## 4 310M30~ 10220 Ada, OK Micro A~    36811     312    24560      671
## 5 310M30~ 10300 Adrian, MI Micr~    93397     412    72719     1342
## 6 310M30~ 10420 Akron, OH Metro~   687154     994   475135     4469
## # ... with 6 more variables: HD01_VD09 <int>, HD02_VD09 <int>,
## #   pct_owner_pop <dbl>, pct_renter_pop <dbl>, total_pop <dbl>,
## #   GEOID <chr>
```

```
data_ACS_CBSA <- left_join(data_pop_CBSA, data_unit_CBSA, by = c("GEOID", "GEO.id2", "GEO.id", "GEO.display-label"))
```

```
head(data_ACS_CBSA)
```

```
## # A tibble: 6 x 22
##   GEO.id GEO.id2 `GEO.display-label` HD01_VD01.x HD02_VD01.x HD01_VD02.x
##   <chr>   <int> <chr>                <int>    <int>    <int>
## 1 310M300U~ 10100 Aberdeen, SD Micr~    40749      243    30087
## 2 310M300U~ 10140 Aberdeen, WA Micr~    68170      284    44798
## 3 310M300U~ 10180 Abilene, TX Metro~   155109     686    96299
## 4 310M300U~ 10220 Ada, OK Micro Area    36811     312    24560
## 5 310M300U~ 10300 Adrian, MI Micro ~    93397     412    72719
## 6 310M300U~ 10420 Akron, OH Metro A~   687154     994   475135
## # ... with 16 more variables: HD02_VD02.x <int>, HD01_VD09 <int>,
## #   HD02_VD09 <int>, pct_owner_pop <dbl>, pct_renter_pop <dbl>,
## #   total_pop <dbl>, GEOID <chr>, HD01_VD01.y <int>, HD02_VD01.y <int>,
## #   HD01_VD02.y <int>, HD02_VD02.y <int>, HD01_VD03 <int>,
## #   HD02_VD03 <int>, pct_owner_unit <dbl>, pct_renter_unit <dbl>,
## #   total_unit <dbl>
```

Picture of Subsidized Households

```
data_CBSA <- data_CBSA %>%
  filter(program_label == "Public Housing" & !(is.na(total_units))) %>%
  select(states, entities, total_units, pct_occupied, people_per_unit, people_total, state) %>%
  mutate(
    GEOID = str_sub(entities, -5, -1)
  ) %>%
  filter(!(GEOID == "78999") & !(GEOID == "66999")) # removes Guam and VI

head(data_CBSA)
```

```
## # A tibble: 6 x 8
##   states entities      total_units pct_occupied people_per_unit people_total
##   <chr>   <chr>          <int>         <int>          <dbl>         <dbl>
## 1 <NA>    10020 Abbe~           380           92            2.21          772.
## 2 <NA>    10100 Aber~           100           98            1.72          169.
## 3 <NA>    10140 Aber~           415           95            1.57          621.
## 4 <NA>    10180 Abil~           493           96            2.29         1082.
## 5 <NA>    10220 Ada,~           275           98            1.29          347.
## 6 <NA>    10260 Adju~           205          100            2.74          563.
## # ... with 2 more variables: state <chr>, GEOID <chr>
```

There are 929 CBSA in the US (including Puerto Rico). Our data set is made of 798 CBSA.

Final data set for county level

```
data_combined_CBSA <- full_join(data_ACS_CBSA, data_CBSA, by = ("GEOID"))
head(data_combined_CBSA)

## # A tibble: 6 x 29
##   GEO.id  GEO.id2 `GEO.display-labe~ HD01_VD01.x HD02_VD01.x HD01_VD02.x
##   <chr>    <int> <chr>                <int>      <int>      <int>
## 1 310M300U~ 10100 Aberdeen, SD Micr~ 40749      243      30087
## 2 310M300U~ 10140 Aberdeen, WA Micr~ 68170      284      44798
## 3 310M300U~ 10180 Abilene, TX Metro~ 155109     686     96299
## 4 310M300U~ 10220 Ada, OK Micro Area 36811      312     24560
## 5 310M300U~ 10300 Adrian, MI Micro ~ 93397      412     72719
## 6 310M300U~ 10420 Akron, OH Metro A~ 687154     994    475135
## # ... with 23 more variables: HD02_VD02.x <int>, HD01_VD09 <int>,
## #   HD02_VD09 <int>, pct_owner_pop <dbl>, pct_renter_pop <dbl>,
## #   total_pop <dbl>, GEOID <chr>, HD01_VD01.y <int>, HD02_VD01.y <int>,
## #   HD01_VD02.y <int>, HD02_VD02.y <int>, HD01_VD03 <int>,
## #   HD02_VD03 <int>, pct_owner_unit <dbl>, pct_renter_unit <dbl>,
## #   total_unit <dbl>, states <chr>, entities <chr>, total_units <int>,
## #   pct_occupied <int>, people_per_unit <dbl>, people_total <dbl>,
## #   state <chr>
```