

CUSHITE

Number of Speakers: 41,800

Spoken in
74
Counties

Spoken in
35
States

Among the 10
most common
languages in
15
Counties

Among the 10
most common
languages in
1
States

57
Rank among
the 322
languages
spoken in the
United States

Leading Counties

By Percentage				By Number of Speakers			
Rank	County	Speakers	Pct.	Rank	County	Speakers	Pct.
1	Steele County, Minn.	375	1.199%	1	Hennepin County, Minn.	8,545	0.819%
2	Olmsted County, Minn.	1,335	1.160%	2	DeKalb County, Ga.	3,440	0.556%
3	Hennepin County, Minn.	8,545	0.819%	3	Franklin County, Ohio	3,240	0.327%
4	DeKalb County, Ga.	3,440	0.556%	4	King County, Wash.	2,990	0.183%
5	Lyon County, Minn.	105	0.446%	5	San Diego County, Calif.	2,595	0.099%
6	Alexandria city, Va.	490	0.409%	6	Fairfax County, Va.	1,580	0.175%
7	Franklin County, Ohio	3,240	0.327%	7	Ramsey County, Minn.	1,535	0.323%
8	Kandiyohi County, Minn.	125	0.324%	8	Olmsted County, Minn.	1,335	1.160%
9	Ramsey County, Minn.	1,535	0.323%	9	Suffolk County, Mass.	870	0.134%
10	Nicollet County, Minn.	70	0.251%	10	Mecklenburg County, N.C.	590	0.092%
11	Minnehaha County, S.D.	285	0.208%	11	Alexandria city, Va.	490	0.409%
12	King County, Wash.	2,990	0.183%	12	Multnomah County, Ore.	480	0.078%
13	Fairfax County, Va.	1,580	0.175%	13	Davidson County, Tenn.	410	0.077%
14	Cass County, N.D.	195	0.170%	t-14	St. Louis city, Mo.	395	0.122%
15	O'Brien County, Iowa	20	0.141%	t-14	Dakota County, Minn.	395	0.121%
16	Arlington County, Va.	250	0.140%	16	Dallas County, Texas	385	0.019%
17	Suffolk County, Mass.	870	0.134%	17	Steele County, Minn.	375	1.199%
18	Blue Earth County, Minn.	70	0.133%	18	Salt Lake County, Utah	370	0.045%
19	Ingham County, Mich.	320	0.122%	19	Jackson County, Mo.	365	0.060%
20	St. Louis city, Mo.	395	0.122%	20	Guilford County, N.C.	360	0.092%

Rankings

Indicates the number of divisions where this language was recorded, as well as the number of divisions where the language ranked as one of the most common languages in a given state/county.

	States	Counties
Most common	0	0
2nd most common	0	0
3rd most common	0	2
4th most common	0	2
5th most common	0	4
6th most common	0	1
7th most common	1	1
8th most common	0	2
9th most common	0	2
10th most common	0	1
Total, 1st-5th	0	8
Total, 1st-10th	1	15
Total, any rank	35	74

Notes

- Of the 20 counties with the greatest percentage of speakers of Cushite, eight are located in Minnesota, including four of the top five. Virginia is home to three other counties.
- Hennepin County, Minn. has more than double the number of Cushite speakers of any other county in the United States.
- Cushite is the seventh most common language spoken in Minnesota and the 18th most common language spoken in North Dakota.
- Cushite is the third most common language spoken at home in Olmsted County, Minn. and Steele County, Minn., and the fourth most common language in Hennepin County, Minn. and Lyon County, Minn.
- In the United States, 1 of every 6,277 people age five and older speaks Cushite at home. In Minnesota, this figure is 1 in 351 people, while in Washington State, 1 in 1,780 residents is a Cushite speaker.
- Within the counties, Steele County, Minn. has the greatest rate of Cushite speakers (1 in every 83 residents), followed by Olmsted County, Minn. (1 in every 86 residents) and Hennepin County, Minn. (1 in every 122 residents).

For information on how the data was derived, see *Disclaimer*
For complete breakdown of speakers of Cushite, see *Appendix*

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Nationwide Rank: 57th

Leading States

By Percentage				By Number of Speakers			
Rank	State	Speakers	Pct.	Rank	State	Speakers	Pct.
1	Minnesota	13,075	0.285%	1	Minnesota	13,075	0.285%
2	Washington	3,090	0.056%	2	Georgia	4,075	0.054%
3	Georgia	4,075	0.054%	3	California	4,035	0.013%
4	South Dakota	290	0.041%	4	Ohio	3,275	0.031%
5	North Dakota	245	0.041%	5	Washington	3,090	0.056%
6	Virginia	2,590	0.039%	6	Virginia	2,590	0.039%
7	Ohio	3,275	0.031%	7	North Carolina	1,220	0.016%
8	Maine	280	0.023%	8	Texas	1,170	0.006%
9	Utah	395	0.020%	9	Massachusetts	1,150	0.019%
10	District of Columbia	105	0.019%	10	Missouri	855	0.016%
11	Massachusetts	1,150	0.019%	11	New York	815	0.005%
12	Oregon	550	0.017%	12	Tennessee	670	0.013%
13	Missouri	855	0.016%	13	Michigan	605	0.007%
14	North Carolina	1,220	0.016%	14	Maryland	595	0.012%
15	California	4,035	0.013%	15	Oregon	550	0.017%
16	Tennessee	670	0.013%	16	Arizona	535	0.011%
17	Maryland	595	0.012%	17	Utah	395	0.020%
18	Arizona	535	0.011%	18	Illinois	385	0.003%
19	Iowa	225	0.008%	19	South Dakota	290	0.041%
20	Nevada	135	0.007%	20	Maine	280	0.023%
21	Colorado	270	0.007%	21	Colorado	270	0.007%
22	Michigan	605	0.007%	t-22	Kentucky	245	0.006%
23	Kentucky	245	0.006%	t-22	North Dakota	245	0.041%
24	Texas	1,170	0.006%	t-22	Pennsylvania	245	0.002%
25	New York	815	0.005%	25	Iowa	225	0.008%
26	Idaho	50	0.004%	26	Wisconsin	155	0.003%
27	Illinois	385	0.003%	27	Nevada	135	0.007%
28	Nebraska	50	0.003%	t-28	District of Columbia	105	0.019%
29	Wisconsin	155	0.003%	t-28	New Jersey	105	0.001%
30	Connecticut	75	0.002%	30	Connecticut	75	0.002%
31	Pennsylvania	245	0.002%	31	Louisiana	60	0.001%
32	Louisiana	60	0.001%	32	Indiana	55	0.001%
33	New Jersey	105	0.001%	t-33	Florida	50	0.000%
34	Indiana	55	0.001%	t-33	Idaho	50	0.004%
35	Florida	50	0.000%	t-33	Nebraska	50	0.003%