UNITED STATES

Number of Counties: 3,141 Population: 281,421,906

Rank

Languages spoken

Counties with 20 or more languages spoken

1076

Counties with 10 or more languages spoken

2174

Counties with 5 or more languages spoken

Languages with 1,000 or more speakers

Language	Speakers
English	215,423,555
Spanish	28,100,725

Most Common Languages Spoken

2 5 3 French 1,606,790 4 Chinese 1,499,635 5 German 1,382,615 **Tagalog** 1,224,240 1,009,625 Vietnamese

6 7 8 1,008,370 Italian 9 894,065 Korean 10 706,240 Russian 11 Polish 667,415 12 614,580 Arabic

13 Portuguese 563,835 477,995 14 Japanese 15 French Creole 453,370 Greek 365,435 16 17 Hindi 317,055 18 Persian 312,085 19 Urdu 262,900 20 Cantonese 259,750

235,990 21 Gujarathi 22 202,710 Armenian 23 195,375 Hebrew 24 Mon-Khmer, Cambodian 181,890 25 Kru, Ibo, Yoruba 179,275 26 Yiddish 178,945

27 Navaho 178,015 28 Mandarin 174,550 29 Miao, Hmong 168,065 30 Dutch 150,485 31 149,305 Laotian 32 Panjabi 141,740 33 Serbocroatian 130,100

34 129,180 Ukrainian 35 Bengali 128,820 36 Thai 120,465 37 Hungarian 117,975 38 Romanian 114,840 39 86,165 Telugu 84,590 40 Formosan

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83,965 Tamil 83,720 Pennsylvania Dutch 82,070 Amharic India, n.e.c. 80,240 79,855 Malayalam Albanian 79,515 Ilocano 75,605

Turkish 74,130 70,500 Czech Swedish 67,655

Counties With the Most Languages Spoken		
Rank	County	Languages
1	Los Angeles County, Calif.	135
2	King County, Wash.	118
t-3	Maricopa County, Ariz.	110
t-3	San Diego County, Calif.	110
5	Cook County, Ill.	109
6	Queens County, N.Y.	105
7	Santa Clara County, Calif.	104
8	Alameda County, Calif.	101
9	Orange County, Calif.	100
10	Harris County, Texas	97
t-11	Montgomery County, Md.	96
t-11	Kings County, N.Y.	96
t-11	New York County, N.Y.	96
14	San Francisco County, Calif.	94
15	Dallas County, Texas	94
16	Fairfax County, Va.	92
17	Sacramento County, Calif.	91
18	Hennepin County, Minn.	90
19	Multnomah County, Ore.	89
20	Wayne County, Mich.	88
t-21	Riverside County, Calif.	86
t-21	Middlesex County, Mass.	86
t-23	San Bernardino County, Calif.	85
t-23	Tarrant County, Texas	85
t-25	Broward County, Fla.	84
t-25	Suffolk County, Mass.	84
t-25	Middlesex County, N.J.	84
t-25	Clark County, Nev.	84
t-25	Philadelphia County, Pa.	84
30	San Mateo County, Calif.	83
t-31	Contra Costa County, Calif.	82
t-31	Honolulu County, Hawaii	82
33	Franklin County, Ohio	81
34	Bergen County, N.J.	80
t-35	District of Columbia, D.C.	79
t-35	Miami-Dade County, Fla.	79
t-35	Westchester County, N.Y.	79
t-35	Cuyahoga County, Ohio	79
t-35	Salt Lake County, Utah	79
40	Nassau County, N.Y.	78
t-41	DuPage County, Ill.	77
t-41	Oakland County, Mich.	77
t-41	Bronx County, N.Y.	77
t-41	Pierce County, Wash	77

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Baltimore County, Md.

Allegheny County, Pa.

Ventura County, Calif.

Essex County, N.J.

Suffolk County, N.Y.

Prince George's County, Md.

Snohomish County, Wash.

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Number of Languages Spoken By County

Number of Languages Spoken In Each State

