

# AMERICAN SAMOA STATISTICS NEWS



## BREAKING NEWS:

### **American Samoa Population Estimate in 2016 is 60,200.**

The official estimate of the American Samoa population as of July 1, 2016 is 60,200. There are 29,597 males compared to 30,603 females. The gender ratio is 97 males for every 100 females. Fertility continued to decline as well as net out-migration of the resident population.

A cross examination of data reported by multi-agencies indicate that the 2010 American Samoa census population count of 55,519 was possibly, an undercount. A statistical test was conducted to assess the completeness of the 2010 count relative to 2000 count using Mortpack software. The analysis showed the completeness of the 2010 census compared to the 2000 census for the age range 5 to 60 is 81.8 percent. DOC Statistic Division re-examined the existing available 2010 data from various Government agencies and prepared reasonable estimates using a simple calculation: 2010 population = 2000 U.S. Census population + Inter-censual births - Inter censual death +/- Net migration. After adjustments for natural increases and estimated migration to U.S. Census population, the mid-year estimates for 2011 to 2015 were finalized and published last year.

The 2016 mid-year cohort components are provided below:

2016 Population Cohort Estimates			
Cohort	Total	Male	Female
Total	60,200	29,597	30,603
0 - 3 years	4,790	2,493	2,298
4 & 5 years	2,549	1,388	1,161
6 - 13 years	10,530	5,407	5,124
14 - 19 years	7,710	3,978	3,733
20 - 44 years	18,533	8,729	9,804
45 - 64 years	12,477	5,999	6,477
65 - 84 years	3,327	1,497	1,830
85 plus years	283	107	176

The 2016 population estimate by single year is available upon request. For more information, contact the DOC Statistics Division.

Thank you.

Director's Approval: \_\_\_\_\_

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