

# APACHE

Number of Speakers: 13,265

Spoken in  
**22**  
Counties

Spoken in  
**22**  
States

Among the 10  
most common  
languages in  
**10**  
Counties

Among the 10  
most common  
languages in  
**1**  
States

**85**  
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	Graham County, Ariz.	1,900	6.164%	1	Navajo County, Ariz.	5,190	5.835%
2	Gila County, Ariz.	2,825	5.871%	2	Gila County, Ariz.	2,825	5.871%
3	Navajo County, Ariz.	5,190	5.835%	3	Graham County, Ariz.	1,900	6.164%
4	Otero County, N.M.	740	1.284%	4	Otero County, N.M.	740	1.284%
5	Greenlee County, Ariz.	30	0.384%	5	Maricopa County, Ariz.	630	0.022%
6	Apache County, Ariz.	175	0.278%	6	Apache County, Ariz.	175	0.278%
7	La Paz County, Ariz.	35	0.187%	7	Pima County, Ariz.	155	0.020%
8	Rio Arriba County, N.M.	35	0.091%	8	Dallas County, Texas	55	0.003%
9	Lincoln County, N.M.	15	0.082%	t-9	Yavapai County, Ariz.	45	0.028%
10	Henry County, Ind.	20	0.044%	t-9	Pinal County, Ariz.	45	0.027%
11	Yavapai County, Ariz.	45	0.028%	11	San Diego County, Calif.	40	0.002%
12	Pinal County, Ariz.	45	0.027%	t-12	La Paz County, Ariz.	35	0.187%
13	Maricopa County, Ariz.	630	0.022%	t-12	Rio Arriba County, N.M.	35	0.091%
14	Pima County, Ariz.	155	0.020%	t-14	Greenlee County, Ariz.	30	0.384%
15	Bernalillo County, N.M.	30	0.006%	t-14	Bernalillo County, N.M.	30	0.006%
16	Anoka County, Minn.	15	0.005%	t-16	Fresno County, Calif.	25	0.003%
17	Fresno County, Calif.	25	0.003%	t-16	Clark County, Nev.	25	0.002%
18	Dallas County, Texas	55	0.003%	t-16	Los Angeles County, Calif.	25	0.000%
19	Clark County, Nev.	25	0.002%	19	Henry County, Ind.	20	0.044%
20	San Diego County, Calif.	40	0.002%	t-20	Lincoln County, N.M.	15	0.082%
				t-20	Anoka County, Minn.	15	0.005%
				t-20	Orange County, Calif.	15	0.001%

## 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	4
4th most common	0	2
5th most common	0	1
6th most common	0	1
7th most common	1	1
8th most common	0	1
9th most common	0	0
10th most common	0	0
Total, 1st-5th	0	7
Total, 1st-10th	1	10
Total, any rank	22	22

## Notes

- Speakers of Apache were most likely to be found in the state of Arizona. The Grand Canyon State placed six counties in the top seven among highest percentage of Apache speakers and highest number of Apache speakers and 10 of the top 14. New Mexico had four counties on both lists.
- Outside of Henry County, Ind. and Anoka County, Minn., all top 20 counties were located in the American southwest.
- Apache is the seventh most common language spoken in Arizona and the 18th most common language spoken in New Mexico.
- Apache is the third most common language spoken at home in Greenlee County, Ariz., Gila County, Ariz., Graham County, Ariz., and Navajo County, Ariz.
- In the United States, 1 of every 19,779 people age five and older speaks Apache at home. In Arizona, this figure is 1 in 429 people, while in New Mexico 1 in 1,809 residents is an Apache speaker.
- Within the counties, Graham County, Ariz. has the greatest rate of Apache speakers (1 in every 16.2 residents), followed by Gila County, Ariz. (1 in every 17.0 residents) and Navajo County, Ariz. (1 in every 17.1 residents).

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

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Nationwide Rank: 85th

## Leading States

By Percentage				By Number of Speakers			
Rank	State	Speakers	Pct.	Rank	State	Speakers	Pct.
1	Arizona	11,075	0.233%	1	Arizona	11,075	0.233%
2	New Mexico	935	0.055%	2	New Mexico	935	0.055%
3	Colorado	180	0.004%	3	California	250	0.001%
4	Nevada	35	0.002%	4	Colorado	180	0.004%
5	Maryland	70	0.001%	5	Texas	120	0.001%
6	Oklahoma	40	0.001%	6	North Carolina	75	0.001%
7	Oregon	35	0.001%	7	Maryland	70	0.001%
8	Arkansas	25	0.001%	8	Georgia	45	0.001%
9	Kansas	25	0.001%	t-9	Missouri	40	0.001%
10	North Carolina	75	0.001%	t-9	Oklahoma	40	0.001%
11	California	250	0.001%	t-11	Indiana	35	0.001%
12	Missouri	40	0.001%	t-11	Nevada	35	0.002%
13	Tennessee	35	0.001%	t-11	Oregon	35	0.001%
14	Texas	120	0.001%	t-11	Tennessee	35	0.001%
15	Indiana	35	0.001%	15	Florida	30	0.000%
16	Georgia	45	0.001%	t-16	Arkansas	25	0.001%
17	Minnesota	25	0.001%	t-16	Kansas	25	0.001%
18	Montana	4	0.000%	t-16	Minnesota	25	0.001%
19	Washington	25	0.000%	t-16	Washington	25	0.000%
20	Florida	30	0.000%	t-20	Ohio	20	0.000%
21	Ohio	20	0.000%	t-20	Pennsylvania	20	0.000%
22	Pennsylvania	20	0.000%	22	Montana	4	0.000%