PENNSYLVANIA

Population: 12,281,054   Number of Counties: 67

135 Languages spoken

35 Counties with 20 or more languages spoken

60 Counties with 10 or more languages spoken

66 Counties with 5 or more languages spoken

54 Languages with 1,000 or more speakers

Most Common Languages Spoken

Rank	Language	Speakers
1	English	10,583,055
2	Spanish	356,740
3	Italian	70,435
4	German	68,665
5	French	46,900
6	Pennsylvania Dutch	39,605
7	Chinese	35,545
8	Russian	32,190
9	Polish	31,715
10	Korean	25,980
11	Vietnamese	25,880
12	Arabic	19,555
13	Greek	17,350
14	Ukrainian	12,105
15	Dutch	10,855
16	Hindi	10,045
17	Tagalog	9,605
18	Gujarathi	8,955
19	Slovak	8,825
20	Mon-Khmer, Cambodian	8,710
21	Portuguese	8,310
22	Japanese	7,200
23	Hungarian	6,165
24	Hebrew	5,920
25	Malayalam	5,860
26	Yiddish	5,445
27	Urdu	5,065
28	French Creole	4,780
29	India, n.e.c.	4,505
30	Serbocroatian	4,235
31	Kru, Ibo, Yoruba	3,915
32	Persian	3,705
33	Bengali	3,415
34	Tamil	3,385
35	Cantonese	3,200
36	Telugu	3,085
37	Romanian	2,980
38	Croatian	2,750
39	Mandarin	2,605
t-40	Albanian	2,510
t-40	Turkish	2,510
42	Lithuanian	2,335
43	Armenian	2,270
44	Laotian	2,250
45	Thai	2,065
46	Panjabi	2,030
47	Swedish	1,810
48	Serbian	1,665
49	Amharic	1,580
50	Czech	1,395

Counties With the Most Languages Spoken

Rank	County	Languages
1	Philadelphia County	84
2	Allegheny County	76
3	Delaware County	70
4	Montgomery County	68
5	Bucks County	57
6	Chester County	56
7	Lancaster County	55
8	Lehigh County	52
t-9	Berks County	44
t-9	Centre County	44
t-9	Northampton County	44
12	Dauphin County	42
13	York County	37
14	Cumberland County	36
t-15	Erie County	34
t-15	Monroe County	34
17	Lackawanna County	33
18	Luzerne County	32
19	Westmoreland County	30
20	Washington County	29
21	Beaver County	27
t-22	Butler County	26
t-22	Cambria County	26
t-22	Schuylkill County	26
t-25	Lebanon County	25
t-25	Mercer County	25

Languages in Pennsylvania

- Philadelphia County's 84 languages tied for the 25th highest number recorded in any county in the United States. Other Pennsylvania counties that were highly ranked included: Allegheny County (t-45), Delaware County (t-68), Montgomery County (t-77), Bucks County (t-121), Chester County (t-124), Lancaster County (t-130), Lehigh County (t-146), Berks County (t-194), Centre County (t-194), and Northampton County (t-194).
- Pennsylvania has the highest percentage of speakers of Pennsylvania Dutch and Slovak in the United States. The Keystone State also ranks third in the percentage of Dutch speakers and fifth in the percentage of Malayalam and Ukrainian speakers.
- Snyder County has the fourth highest percentage of Pennsylvania Dutch speakers of any county in the nation. Other counties that rank highly in a given language include: Cambria County (fourth, Slovak).

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For data on all languages and counties in Pennsylvania, see Appendix

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Number of Languages Spoken By County

Erie
Warren
McKean
Potter
Tioga
Bradford
Susquehanna
Wayne
Crawford
Forest
Cameron
Wyoming
Lackawanna
Pike
Mercer
Venango
Elk
Sullivan
Luzerne
Monroe
Clarion
Jefferson
Clinton
Lycoming
Columbia
Lawrence
Clearfield
Centre
Union
Montour
Carbon
Butler
Armstrong
Snyder
Northumberland
Northampton
Beaver
Indiana
Mifflin
Schuylkill
Lehigh
Allegheny
Blair
Juniata
Berks
Bucks
Cambria
Perry
Dauphin
Westmoreland
Huntingdon
Lebanon
Montgomery
Washington
Cumberland
Lancaster
Chester
Philadelphia
Fayette
Somerset
Bedford
Fulton
Franklin
Adams
York
Delaware
Greene

51 or more languages

21-50 languages

11-20 languages

6-10 languages

4-5 languages

1-3 languages