The 1970 census was taken principally by means of a separate questionnaire (a 9 $1/2^{"}$ X 10 $7/8^{"}$ booklet) for each household, completed by the respondent.

Instructions

Population inquiries 2-8 were asked for all persons. The remaining questions were asked on a sample basis: some at every fifth household (15 percent), others at every twentieth household (5 percent), and some at both (20 percent).

Except for questions on Spanish origin or descent, citizenship, year of immigration, vocational training completed, presence and duration of disability, and activity 5 years ago, the 1970 population items were comparable to those in 1960.

All answers were designed for self-identification on the part of the respondent, but the enumerator was allowed to fill in blanks by observation when this was possible. For item 4 (color or race), it was assumed that the respondent's relatives living in the unit were also of the same race unless the census taker learned otherwise. The enumerator's manual included a long list of possible written-in entries and how they were to be classified: For example, "Chicano," "LaRaza," "Mexican American," "Moslem," or "Brown" were to be changed to White, while "Brown (Negro)" would be considered as Negro or Black for census purposes.

Although not specified on the questionnaire, the enumerator was instructed to limit question 25 (children ever born) to mothers who were or had been married unless a son or daughter had been listed.

The housing items were part of the household questionnaire. Except for the elimination of the inquiries on condition and land used for farming, and the addition of items on dishwashers and second homes, the 1970 housing items were much the same as those used in 1960.

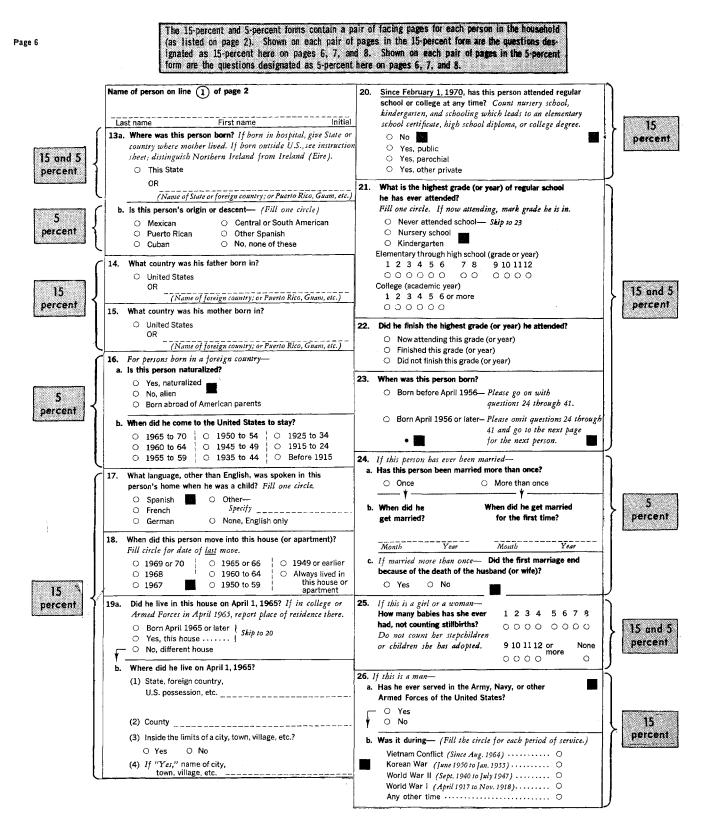
The 1970 definition of a housing unit specified "complete kitchen facilities" rather than just cooking equipment as in 1960.

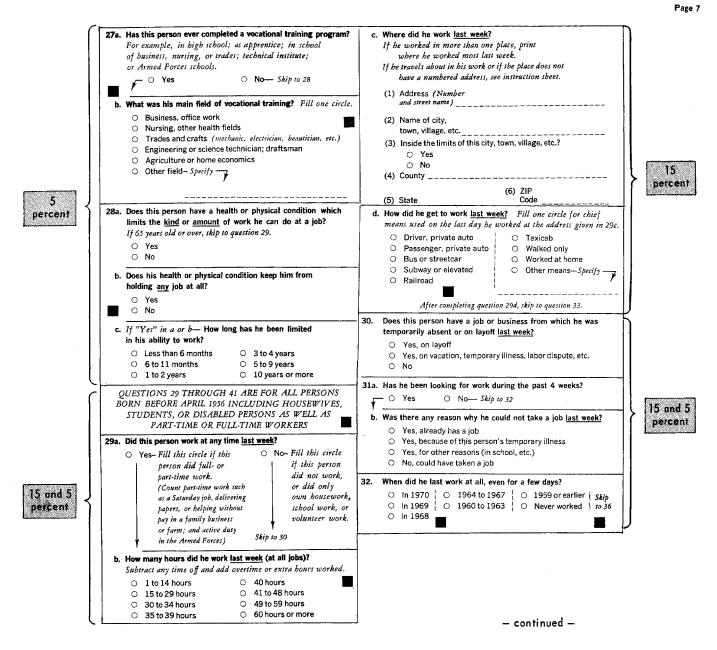
Question A and H1 through H12 were asked for all housing units, and H13 through H30 on a sample basis only. At vacant units, the enumerator completed only those items marked with a double underscore.

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Ĭ	8 lines Are there any other persons Do not list the others; we will	Did you leave anyone out of Question 1 because Vest No you were not sure if he should be listed—for example, a new baby still in the hospital, or a lodger who sits has another home?	(s) for e	ou list anyone in Question 1 O Yes O No is away from home now	12. Did anyone on Tuesday o(s) who is not	March 31,	Yes No On back page, give name of ea whom there is no one at his ho to report him to a census take.	me address

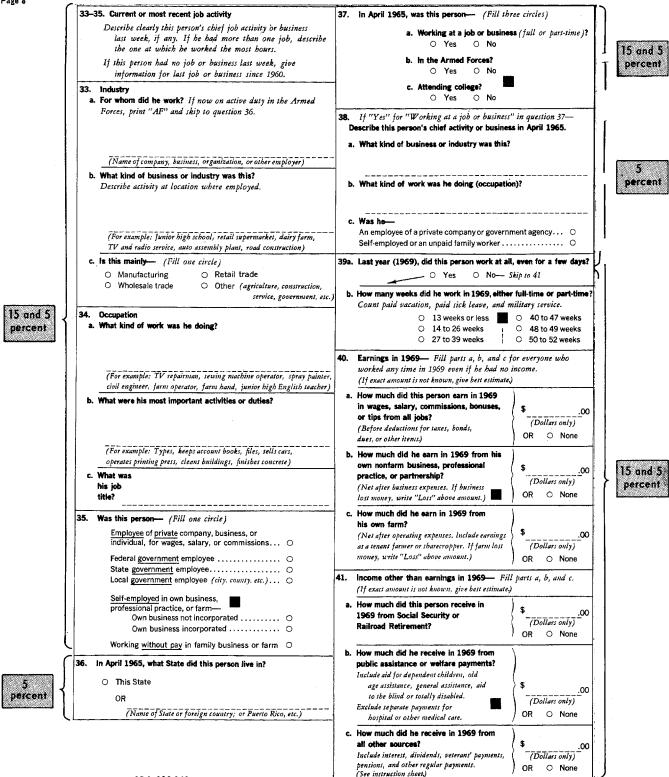
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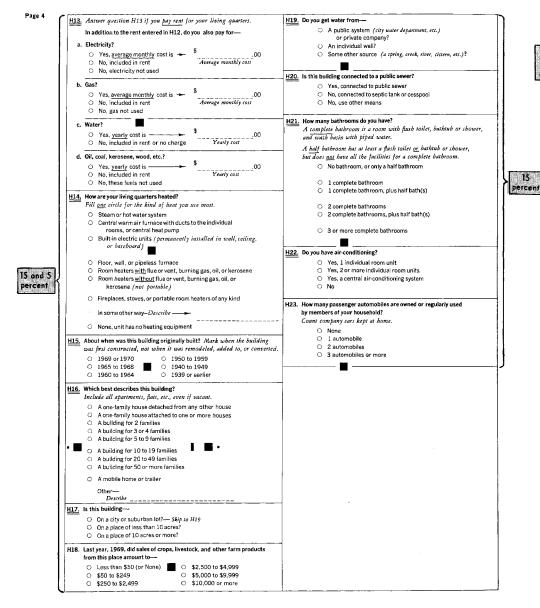






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of page 2.	A. How many living quarters, occupied and vacant, are	H9. Are your living quarters-	
	at this address?	Owned or being bought by you or by someone else in this household? Do not include cooperatives and	ENUMERATOR'S USE
	 2 apartments or living quarters 	condominiums bere.	a4. Block a5. Serial
	 3 apartments or living quarters 	 A cooperative or condominium which is owned or being 	number number
	 4 apartments or living quarters 	bought by you or by someone else in this household?	N. I
	O 5 apartments or living quarters	 Rented for cash rent? Occupied without payment of cash rent? 	N \$000\$000\$
	 6 apartments or living quarters 7 apartments or living quarters 	O Occupied without payment of cash rent:	100010001 200020002
	 8 apartments or living quarters 		300030003
	 9 apartments or living quarters 	H10a. Is this building a one-family house?	400040004
	 10 or more apartments or living quarters 	 Yes, a one-family house 	
	This is a mobile home or trailer	 No, a building for 2 or more families or a mobile home or trailer 	500050005
			600060006
	· · · · · · · ·	b. If "Yes" Is this house on a place of 10 acres or more,	700070007
	Answer these questions for your living quarters	or is any part of this property used as a commercial establishment or medical office?	800080008 900090009
	H1. Is there a telephone on which people in your living	• Yes, 10 acres or more	N
	quarters can be called?	 Yes, commercial establishment or medical office 	N
	○ Yes — ➤ What is	 No, none of the above 	B. Type of unit or quarters
	• No the number? Phone number	·	Cccupied
		H11. If you live in a one-family house which	O First form
	H2. Do you enter your living quarters-	you own or are buying-	O Continuation
	 Directly from the outside or through 	What is the value of this property; that is, how much	7
	a common or public hall?	do you think this property (house and lot) would sell for if it were for sale?	Vacant
	O Through someone else's living quarters?		O Regular
		 ○ Less than \$5,000 If this house ○ \$5,000 to \$7,499 is on a place 	Usual residence
	H3. Do you have complete kitchen facilities?	\$7,500 to \$9,999 of 10 acres or	
	Complete kitchen facilities are a sink with piped	more, or if	Group quarters
	water, a range or cook stove, and a refrigerator.	○ \$10,000 to \$12,499 any part of ○ \$12,500 to \$14,999 this property	O First form
	 Yes, for this household only Yes, but also used by another household 	○ \$15,000 to \$17,499 is used as a	Continuation
	 No complete kitchen facilities for this household 	• \$17,500 to \$19,999 commercial	For a vacant unit, also fill
		stablishment \$20,000 to \$24,999 or medical	C, D, A, H2 10 H8, and
	H4. How many rooms do you have in your living quarters?	○ \$25,000 to \$34,999 office, do	H10 to H12
	 Do not count bathrooms, porches, balconies, foyers, 	 \$35,000 to \$49,999 not answer \$50,000 or more this question. 	3
	halls, or half-rooms.	• \$50,000 or more this question.	
	○ 1 room ○ 6 rooms	III IIII III	
	○ 2 rooms ○ 7 rooms ○ 3 rooms ○ 8 rooms	H12. Answer this question if you pay rent for your living quarters.	C. Vacancy status
	○ 4 rooms ○ 9 rooms or more	a. If rent is paid by the <u>month</u>	Year round—
	O 5 rooms	What is the monthly rent?	O For rent
		s	 For sale only Rented or sold, not
	H5. Is there hot and cold piped water in this building?	Write amount here	occupied
	\odot Yes, hot and cold piped water in this building	and	\sim Held for occasional use
	 No, only cold piped water in this building No piped water in this building 	O Less than \$30	O Other vacant
	 No piped water in this building 	Fill one circle \$30 to \$39 \$40 to \$49	O Seasonal
			O Migratory
	H6. Do you have a flush toilet?	○ \$60 to \$ 69	
	O Yes, for this household only	○ \$70 to \$79	
	 Yes, but also used by another household No fluch toilet 	○ \$80 to \$89	D. Months vacant
	O No flush toilet	○ \$90 to \$99	O Less than 1 month
		○ \$100 to \$119	O 1 up to 2 months
	H7. Do you have a bathtub or shower?	○ \$120 to \$149	O 2 up to 6 months
	• Yes, for this household only	○ \$150 to \$199	O 6 up to 12 months
	 Yes, but also used by another household 	○ \$200 to \$249	0 1 year up to 2 years
	 No bathtub or shower 	○ \$250 to \$299 ○ \$300 or more	O 2 years or more
			C/O 0 0
	H8. Is there a basement in this building?	b. If rent is <u>not</u> paid by the month—	Y ·
	⊖ Yes	What is the rent, and what period of time does it cover?	7
	 No, built on a concrete slab No, built in another way (include mobile house) 		N
	 No, built in another way (include mobile homes and trailers) 	\$.00 per (Nearess dollar) (Week, balf-month, year, etc.)	Y



The 15-percent form contains the questions shown on page 4. The 5-percent form contains the questions shown in the first column of page 4 and the questions on page 5.

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H24a. How many stories (floors) are in this building? ○ 1 to 3 stories O 4 to 6 stories The 15-percent form contains the questions shown on page 4. The 5-percent form contains the ques-tions shown in the first column of page 4 and the O 7 to 12 stories 13 stories or more <u>b.</u> If 4 or more storiesis there a passenger elevator in this building? O Yes O No H25a. Which fuel is used most for cooking? 1.00 (From underground pipes Gas serving the neighborhood, O Coal or coke Bottled, tank, or LP O Wood O Other fuel .. O Fuel oil, kerosene, etc. O No fuel used O b. Which fuel is used most for house heating? From underground pipes serving the neighborhood. Coal or coke O Gas Bottled, tank, or LP O ₩ood O Electricity O Other fuel .. O Fuel oil, kerosene, etc. No fuel used O c. Which fuel is used most for water heating? From underground pipes Gas Bottled, tank, or LP....... Coal or coke O Wood O Electricity..... O Fuel oil, kerosene, etc..... O Other fuel .. O No fuel used O H26. How many bedrooms do you have? Count rooms used mainly for sleeping even if used also for other purposes. O No bedroom O 3 bedrooms O 1 bedroom O 4 bedrooms O 2 bedrooms O 5 bedrooms or more H27a. Do you have a clothes washing machine? O Yes, automatic or semi-automatic O Yes, wringer or separate spinner O No b. Do you have a clothes dryer? O Yes, electrically heated O Yes, gas heated O No c. Do you have a dishwasher (built-in or portable)? O Yes O No d. Do you have a home food freezer which is separate from your refrigerator? ⊖ Yes ⊖ No H28a. Do you have a television set? Count only sets in working order. O Yes, one set O Yes, two or more sets 0 No b. If "Yes"— Is any set equipped to receive UHF broadcasts, that is, channels 14 to 83? O Yes O No H29. Do you have a battery-operated radio? Count car radios, transistors, and other battery-operated sets in working order or needing only a new battery for operation. O Yes, one or more O No H30. Do you (or any member of your household) own a second home or other living quarters which you occupy sometime during the year? ⊖ Yes ⊖ No

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