Alaska statistical areas

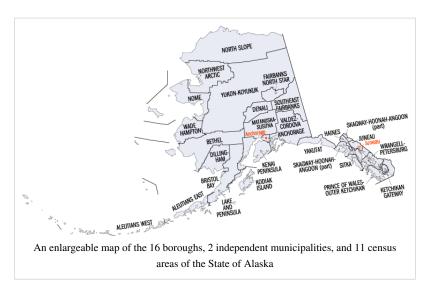
The statistical areas of the United States of America comprise the metropolitan statistical areas (MSAs),^[1] the micropolitan statistical areas (μ SAs),^[2] and the combined statistical areas (CSAs)^[3] currently defined by the United States Office of Management and Budget (OMB).

Most recently on December 1, 2009, the Office of Management and Budget defined 1067 statistical areas for the United States,^[4] including two metropolitan statistical areas and three micropolitan statistical areas in the State of Alaska. The table below shows the recent population of these statistical areas, the 16 boroughs, 2 independent municipalities, and the 11 census areas of Alaska.

Table

The table below describes the 5 United States statistical areas, 16 boroughs, and 11 census areas of the State of Alaska with the following information:

- 1. The core based statistical area (CBSA)^[5] as designated by the OMB.^[4]
- The CBSA population as of April
 2010, as enumerated by the 2010 United States Census.^[6]
- The borough, independent municipality, or census area.^[6]



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The 5 United States statistical areas, 16 boroughs, 2 independent municipalities, and 11 census areas of the State of Alaska

Core Based Statistical Area	2010 Census	Borough or Census Area	2010 Census
Anchorage, AK MSA	380,821	Municipality of Anchorage, Alaska	291,826
		Matanuska-Susitna Borough, Alaska	88,995
Fairbanks, AK MSA	97,581	Fairbanks North Star Borough, Alaska	97,581
Juneau, AK µSA	31,275	City and Borough of Juneau, Alaska	31,275
Kodiak, AK µSA	13,592	Kodiak Island Borough, Alaska	13,592
Ketchikan, AK µSA	13,477	Ketchikan Gateway Borough, Alaska	13,477

none	Kenai Peninsula Borough, Alaska	55,400
	Bethel Census Area, Alaska	17,013
	Valdez-Cordova Census Area, Alaska	9,636
	Nome Census Area, Alaska	9,492
	North Slope Borough, Alaska	9,430
	City and Borough of Sitka, Alaska	8,881
	Northwest Arctic Borough, Alaska	7,523
	Wade Hampton Census Area, Alaska	7,459
	Southeast Fairbanks Census Area, Alaska	7,029
	Petersburg Census Area, Alaska	6,096
	Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area, Alaska	5,588
	Aleutians West Census Area, Alaska	5,561
	Prince of Wales-Hyder Census Area, Alaska	5,559
	Dillingham Census Area, Alaska	4,847
	Aleutians East Borough, Alaska	3,141
	Haines Borough, Alaska	2,508
	City and Borough of Wrangell, Alaska	2,369
	Hoonah-Angoon Census Area, Alaska	2,150
	Denali Borough, Alaska	1,826
	Lake and Peninsula Borough, Alaska	1,631
	Bristol Bay Borough, Alaska	997
	Municipality of Skagway, Alaska	968
	Yakutat City and Borough, Alaska	662
State of Alaska		

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- [1] The United States Office of Management and Budget (OMB) defines a metropolitan statistical area (MSA) as a core based statistical area having at least one urbanized area of 50,000 or more population, plus adjacent territory that has a high degree of social and economic integration with the core as measured by commuting ties.
- [2] The United States Office of Management and Budget (OMB) defines a micropolitan statistical area (μSA) as a core based statistical area having at least one urban cluster of at least 10,000 but less than 50,000 population, plus adjacent territory that has a high degree of social and economic integration with the core as measured by commuting ties.
- [3] The United States Office of Management and Budget (OMB) defines a combined statistical area (CSA) as an aggregate of adjacent core based statistical areas that are linked by commuting ties.
- [4] "OMB Bulletin No. 10-02: Update of Statistical Area Definitions and Guidance on Their Uses" (http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/assets/ bulletins/b10-02.pdf). United States Office of Management and Budget. December 1, 2009. . Retrieved August 8, 2012.
- [5] The United States Office of Management and Budget (OMB) defines a core based statistical area as one or more adjacent counties or county-equivalents having at least one urban cluster of at least 10,000 population, plus adjacent territory that has a high degree of social and economic integration with the core as measured by commuting ties. The core based statistical areas comprise the metropolitan statistical areas and the micropolitan statistical areas.
- [6] "American Factfinder" (http://factfinder2.census.gov/main.html). United States Census Bureau. . Retrieved August 10, 2012.

External links

- United States Government (http://www.usa.gov/)
 - United States Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/)
 - 2010 United States Census (http://2010.census.gov/2010census/)
 - USCB population estimates (http://www.census.gov/popest/data/index.html)
 - United States Office of Management and Budget (http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/)

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