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Eddy County, New Mexico

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	Estimate	Percent	U.S.	Margin of Error	
Social Characteristics - show more >>					
Average household size	2.57	(X)	2.61	+/-0.07	map
Average family size	3.04	(X)	3.20	+/-0.11	
Population 25 years and over	32,987			+/-188	
High school graduate or higher	(X)	78.2	84.5%	(X)	map
Bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	14.9	27.4%	(X)	map
Civilian veterans (civilian population 18 years and over)	3,984	10.6	10.1%	+/-428	map
With a Disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	
Foreign born	2,384	4.7	12.5%	+/-681	map
Male, Now married, except separated (population 15 years and over)	11,029	56.8	52.2%	+/-614	
Female, Now married, except separated (population 15 years and over)	10,563	51.2	48.2%	+/-686	
Speak a language other than English at home (population 5 years and over)	N	N	19.6%	N	map
Household population	50,009			+/-738	
Group quarters population	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	
Economic Characteristics - show more >>					
In labor force (population 16 years and over)	24,570	62.8	65.2%	+/-881	map
Mean travel time to work in minutes (workers 16 years and over)	17.3	(X)	25.3	+/-1.4	map
Median household income (in 2008 inflation-adjusted dollars)	45,858	(X)	52,175	+/-3,387	map
Median family income (in 2008 inflation-adjusted dollars)	57,658	(X)	63,211	+/-3,186	map
Per capita income (in 2008 inflation-adjusted dollars)	25,151	(X)	27,466	+/-2,281	
Families below poverty level	(X)	10.2	9.6%	(X)	
Individuals below poverty level	(X)	14.4	13.2%	(X)	map
Housing Characteristics - show more >>					
Total housing units	22,476			+/-290	
Occupied housing units	19,495	86.7	88.0%	+/-632	
Owner-occupied housing units	14,109	72.4	67.1%	+/-730	
Renter-occupied housing units	5,386	27.6	32.9%	+/-713	
Vacant housing units	2,981	13.3	12.0%	+/-536	
Owner-occupied homes	14,109			+/-730	map
Median value (dollars)	85,600	(X)	192,400	+/-3,647	map
Median of selected monthly owner costs					
With a mortgage (dollars)	926	(X)	1,508	+/-46	map
Not mortgaged (dollars)	269	(X)	425	+/-10	
ACS Demographic Estimates - show more >>					
Total population	50,986			*****	

Male	24,819	48.7	49.3%	+/-146	
Female	26,167	51.3	50.7%	+/-146	
Median age (years)	37.0	(X)	36.7	+/-0.5	map
Under 5 years	3,604	7.1	6.9%	+/-74	
18 years and over	37,673	73.9	75.5%	+/-166	
65 years and over	7,078	13.9	12.6%	+/-150	
One race	48,357	94.8	97.8%	+/-773	
White	40,512	79.5	74.3%	+/-1,430	map
Black or African American	833	1.6	12.3%	+/-209	map
American Indian and Alaska Native	280	0.5	0.8%	+/-145	map
Asian	204	0.4	4.4%	+/-189	map
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0.1%	+/-161	map
Some other race	6,528	12.8	5.8%	+/-1,419	map
Two or more races	2,629	5.2	2.2%	+/-773	map
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	21,443	42.1	15.1%	*****	

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2006-2008 American Community Survey

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Social Characteristics - show more >>				
Average household size	2.46	(X)	2.61	+/-0.10
Average family size	2.97	(X)	3.20	+/-0.15
Population 25 years and over	16,457			+/-722
High school graduate or higher	(X)	82.9	84.5%	(X)
Bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	17.2	27.4%	(X)
Civilian veterans (civilian population 18 years and over)	2,415	12.6	10.1%	+/-332
With a Disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Foreign born	791	3.1	12.5%	+/-377
Male, Now married, except separated (population 15 years and over)	5,022	54.1	52.2%	+/-459
Female, Now married, except separated (population 15 years and over)	4,934	46.5	48.2%	+/-417
Speak a language other than English at home (population 5 years and over)	N	N	19.6%	N
Household population	24,797			+/-1,229
Group quarters population	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Economic Characteristics - show more >>				
In labor force (population 16 years and over)	11,956	61.1	65.2%	+/-707
Mean travel time to work in minutes (workers 16 years and over)	17.4	(X)	25.3	+/-2.2
Median household income (in 2008 inflation-adjusted dollars)	43,138	(X)	52,175	+/-3,152
Median family income (in 2008 inflation-adjusted dollars)	52,176	(X)	63,211	+/-6,049
Per capita income (in 2008 inflation-adjusted dollars)	22,963	(X)	27,466	+/-2,559
Families below poverty level	(X)	7.1	9.6%	(X)
Individuals below poverty level	(X)	11.2	13.2%	(X)
Housing Characteristics - show more >>				
Total housing units	11,565			+/-375
Occupied housing units	10,073	87.1	88.0%	+/-528
Owner-occupied housing units	6,954	69.0	67.1%	+/-508
Renter-occupied housing units	3,119	31.0	32.9%	+/-518
Vacant housing units	1,492	12.9	12.0%	+/-392
Owner-occupied homes	6,954			+/-508
Median value (dollars)	82,800	(X)	192,400	+/-3,702
Median of selected monthly owner costs				
With a mortgage (dollars)	919	(X)	1,508	+/-66
Not mortgaged (dollars)	268	(X)	425	+/-15
ACS Demographic Estimates - show more >>				
Total population	25,289			+/-1,193

Male	12,037	47.6	49.3%	+/-772
Female	13,252	52.4	50.7%	+/-709
Median age (years)	36.4	(X)	36.7	+/-3.7
Under 5 years	2,129	8.4	6.9%	+/-296
18 years and over	19,115	75.6	75.5%	+/-811
65 years and over	3,878	15.3	12.6%	+/-330
One race	24,089	95.3	97.8%	+/-1,284
White	19,975	79.0	74.3%	+/-1,428
Black or African American	630	2.5	12.3%	+/-252
American Indian and Alaska Native	70	0.3	0.8%	+/-66
Asian	96	0.4	4.4%	+/-128
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0.1%	+/-161
Some other race	3,318	13.1	5.8%	+/-796
Two or more races	1,200	4.7	2.2%	+/-497
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	10,296	40.7	15.1%	+/-952

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Average household size	2.58	(X)	2.61	+/-0.14
Average family size	3.05	(X)	3.20	+/-0.17
Population 25 years and over	18,094			+/-759
High school graduate or higher	(X)	73.6	84.5%	(X)
Bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	14.1	27.4%	(X)
Civilian veterans (civilian population 18 years and over)	1,922	9.1	10.1%	+/-339
With a Disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Foreign born	2,918	9.7	12.5%	+/-690
Male, Now married, except separated (population 15 years and over)	5,770	52.2	52.2%	+/-537
Female, Now married, except separated (population 15 years and over)	5,447	47.4	48.2%	+/-558
Speak a language other than English at home (population 5 years and over)	N	N	19.6%	N
Household population	27,984			+/-1,339
Group quarters population	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Economic Characteristics - show more >>				
In labor force (population 16 years and over)	13,348	59.7	65.2%	+/-987
Mean travel time to work in minutes (workers 16 years and over)	17.0	(X)	25.3	+/-2.2
Median household income (in 2008 inflation-adjusted dollars)	43,012	(X)	52,175	+/-4,371
Median family income (in 2008 inflation-adjusted dollars)	48,940	(X)	63,211	+/-4,315
Per capita income (in 2008 inflation-adjusted dollars)	20,041	(X)	27,466	+/-1,838
Families below poverty level	(X)	15.9	9.6%	(X)
Individuals below poverty level	(X)	22.1	13.2%	(X)
Housing Characteristics - show more >>				
Total housing units	12,299			+/-423
Occupied housing units	10,854	88.3	88.0%	+/-605
Owner-occupied housing units	6,998	64.5	67.1%	+/-584
Renter-occupied housing units	3,856	35.5	32.9%	+/-554
Vacant housing units	1,445	11.7	12.0%	+/-444
Owner-occupied homes	6,998			+/-584
Median value (dollars)	92,100	(X)	192,400	+/-7,793
Median of selected monthly owner costs				
With a mortgage (dollars)	901	(X)	1,508	+/-75
Not mortgaged (dollars)	270	(X)	425	+/-14
ACS Demographic Estimates - show more >>				
Total population	29,942			+/-1,377

Male	14,961	50.0	49.3%	+/-900
Female	14,981	50.0	50.7%	+/-733
Median age (years)	31.0	(X)	36.7	+/-1.5
Under 5 years	2,628	8.8	6.9%	+/-412
18 years and over	21,142	70.6	75.5%	+/-894
65 years and over	3,340	11.2	12.6%	+/-353
One race	29,554	98.7	97.8%	+/-1,344
White	24,851	83.0	74.3%	+/-1,417
Black or African American	2,084	7.0	12.3%	+/-538
American Indian and Alaska Native	243	0.8	0.8%	+/-124
Asian	55	0.2	4.4%	+/-82
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	62	0.2	0.1%	+/-99
Some other race	2,259	7.5	5.8%	+/-594
Two or more races	388	1.3	2.2%	+/-204
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	14,838	49.6	15.1%	+/-1,147

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Average household size	2.56	(X)	2.61	+/-0.07	map
Average family size	2.93	(X)	3.20	+/-0.11	
Population 25 years and over	35,115			+/-233	
High school graduate or higher	(X)	71.6	84.5%	(X)	map
Bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	13.0	27.4%	(X)	map
Civilian veterans (civilian population 18 years and over)	4,006	9.6	10.1%	+/-441	map
With a Disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	
Foreign born	7,330	12.6	12.5%	+/-961	map
Male, Now married, except separated (population 15 years and over)	12,506	56.7	52.2%	+/-720	
Female, Now married, except separated (population 15 years and over)	11,557	52.3	48.2%	+/-899	
Speak a language other than English at home (population 5 years and over)	N	N	19.6%	N	map
Household population	55,436			+/-1,021	
Group quarters population	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	
Economic Characteristics - show more >>					
In labor force (population 16 years and over)	26,368	60.5	65.2%	+/-994	map
Mean travel time to work in minutes (workers 16 years and over)	18.5	(X)	25.3	+/-1.6	map
Median household income (in 2008 inflation-adjusted dollars)	43,638	(X)	52,175	+/-2,762	map
Median family income (in 2008 inflation-adjusted dollars)	47,853	(X)	63,211	+/-3,319	map
Per capita income (in 2008 inflation-adjusted dollars)	20,319	(X)	27,466	+/-1,231	
Families below poverty level	(X)	15.7	9.6%	(X)	
Individuals below poverty level	(X)	18.9	13.2%	(X)	map
Housing Characteristics - show more >>					
Total housing units	24,495			+/-405	
Occupied housing units	21,653	88.4	88.0%	+/-712	
Owner-occupied housing units	14,912	68.9	67.1%	+/-715	
Renter-occupied housing units	6,741	31.1	32.9%	+/-682	
Vacant housing units	2,842	11.6	12.0%	+/-575	
Owner-occupied homes	14,912			+/-715	map
Median value (dollars)	82,200	(X)	192,400	+/-5,106	map
Median of selected monthly owner costs					
With a mortgage (dollars)	876	(X)	1,508	+/-48	map
Not mortgaged (dollars)	267	(X)	425	+/-11	
ACS Demographic Estimates - show more >>					
Total population	57,980			****	

Male	29,156	50.3	49.3%	+/-198	
Female	28,824	49.7	50.7%	+/-198	
Median age (years)	32.1	(X)	36.7	+/-0.5	map
Under 5 years	5,096	8.8	6.9%	+/-161	
18 years and over	41,525	71.6	75.5%	+/-90	
65 years and over	6,922	11.9	12.6%	+/-138	
One race	57,142	98.6	97.8%	+/-334	
White	49,140	84.8	74.3%	+/-836	map
Black or African American	2,799	4.8	12.3%	+/-349	map
American Indian and Alaska Native	616	1.1	0.8%	+/-271	map
Asian	135	0.2	4.4%	+/-171	map
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	62	0.1	0.1%	+/-99	map
Some other race	4,390	7.6	5.8%	+/-817	map
Two or more races	838	1.4	2.2%	+/-334	map
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	27,095	46.7	15.1%	*****	

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Average household size	2.61	(X)	2.61	+/-0.01	map
Average family size	3.23	(X)	3.20	+/-0.02	
Population 25 years and over	1,258,320			+/-1,759	
High school graduate or higher	(X)	82.0	84.5%	(X)	map
Bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	24.9	27.4%	(X)	map
Civilian veterans (civilian population 18 years and over)	175,567	12.1	10.1%	+/-3,444	map
With a Disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	
Foreign born	191,216	9.7	12.5%	+/-5,467	map
Male, Now married, except separated (population 15 years and over)	374,661	49.5	52.2%	+/-3,952	
Female, Now married, except separated (population 15 years and over)	366,375	46.2	48.2%	+/-4,584	
Speak a language other than English at home (population 5 years and over)	651,654	35.8	19.6%	+/-7,584	map
Household population	1,920,122			*****	
Group quarters population	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	
Economic Characteristics - show more >>					
In labor force (population 16 years and over)	951,391	62.6	65.2%	+/-4,963	map
Mean travel time to work in minutes (workers 16 years and over)	21.5	(X)	25.3	+/-0.2	map
Median household income (in 2008 inflation-adjusted dollars)	43,202	(X)	52,175	+/-539	map
Median family income (in 2008 inflation-adjusted dollars)	51,724	(X)	63,211	+/-652	map
Per capita income (in 2008 inflation-adjusted dollars)	22,781	(X)	27,466	+/-277	
Families below poverty level	(X)	13.7	9.6%	(X)	
Individuals below poverty level	(X)	17.9	13.2%	(X)	map
Housing Characteristics - show more >>					
Total housing units	862,843			+/-252	
Occupied housing units	736,392	85.3	88.0%	+/-3,289	
Owner-occupied housing units	511,152	69.4	67.1%	511152	
Renter-occupied housing units	225,240	30.6	32.9%	+/-3,984	
Vacant housing units	126,451	14.7	12.0%	+/-3,247	
Owner-occupied homes	511,152			+/-4,439	map
Median value (dollars)	154,900	(X)	192,400	+/-1,200	map
Median of selected monthly owner costs					
With a mortgage (dollars)	1,166	(X)	1,508	+/-10	map
Not mortgaged (dollars)	302	(X)	425	+/-4	
ACS Demographic Estimates - show more >>					
Total population	1,962,226			*****	

Male	967,077	49.3	49.3%	+/-1,261	
Female	995,149	50.7	50.7%	+/-1,261	
Median age (years)	35.8	(X)	36.7	+/-0.1	map
Under 5 years	144,171	7.3	6.9%	+/-706	
18 years and over	1,461,676	74.5	75.5%	+/-822	
65 years and over	251,043	12.8	12.6%	+/-559	
One race	1,902,811	97.0	97.8%	+/-3,174	
White	1,375,334	70.1	74.3%	+/-6,991	map
Black or African American	43,931	2.2	12.3%	+/-1,305	map
American Indian and Alaska Native	182,136	9.3	0.8%	+/-2,047	map
Asian	26,767	1.4	4.4%	+/-1,010	map
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	865	0.0	0.1%	+/-333	map
Some other race	273,778	14.0	5.8%	+/-7,335	map
Two or more races	59,415	3.0	2.2%	+/-3,174	map
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	873,171	44.5	15.1%	*****	

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