

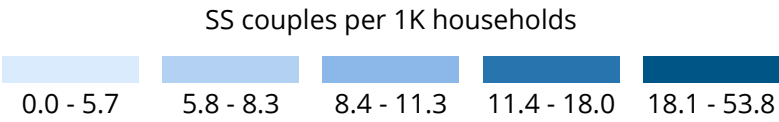
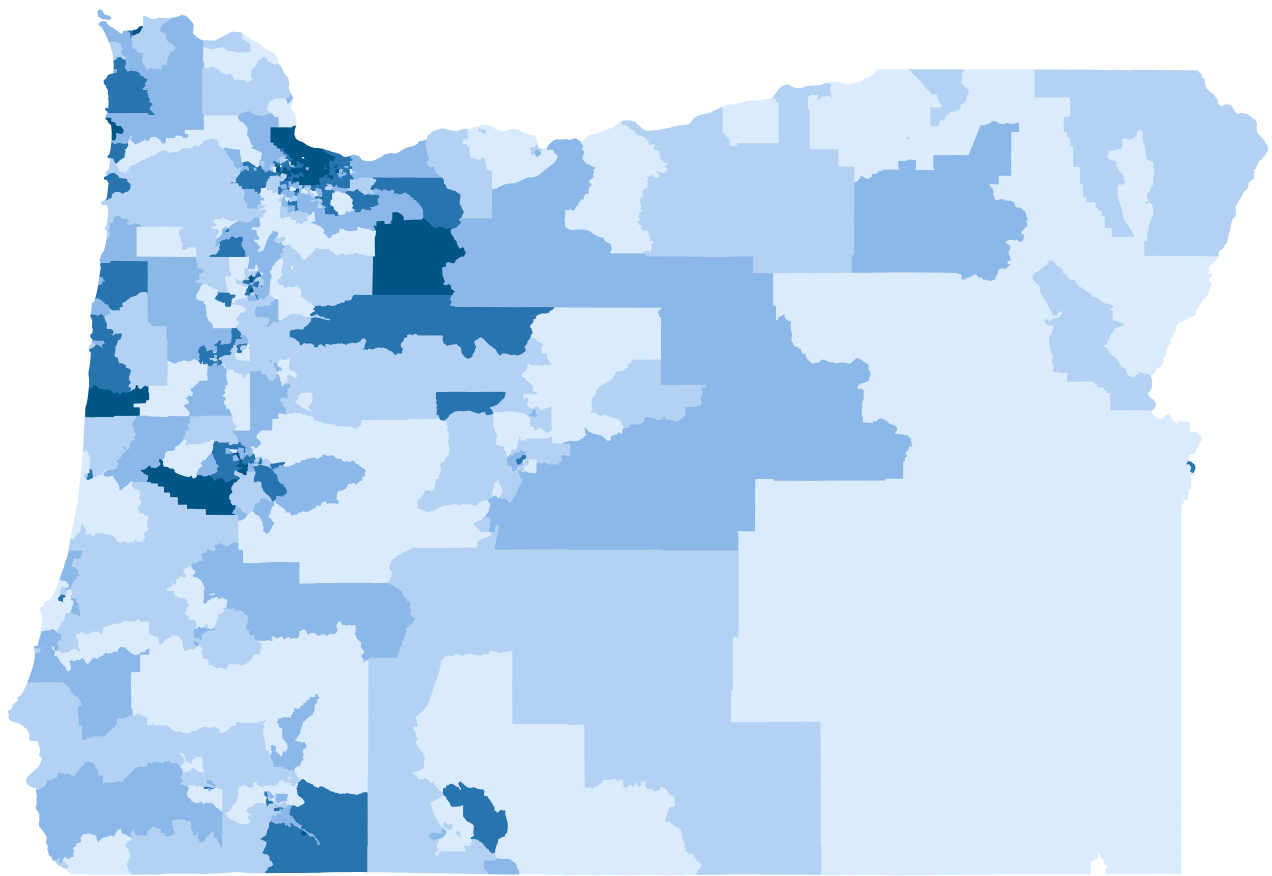


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2020 Census Snapshot

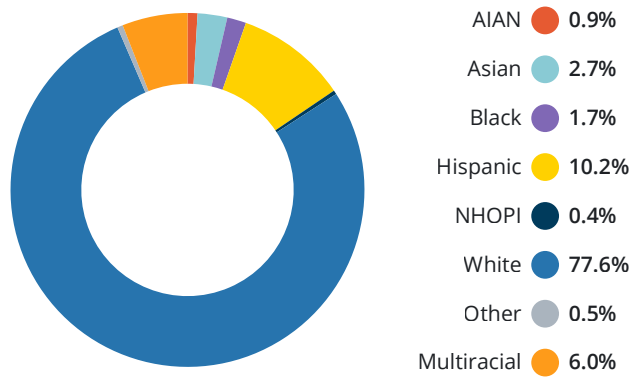
Total same-sex couples	SS couples per 1K households	% of SS couples who are married
21,006	12.56	56.9%

Population density of same-sex couples in Oregon by Census tract

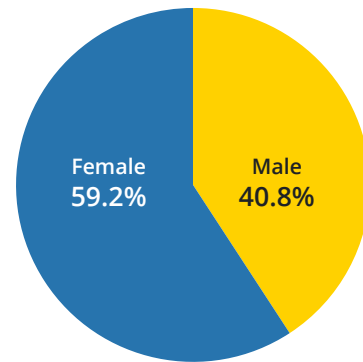


DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS

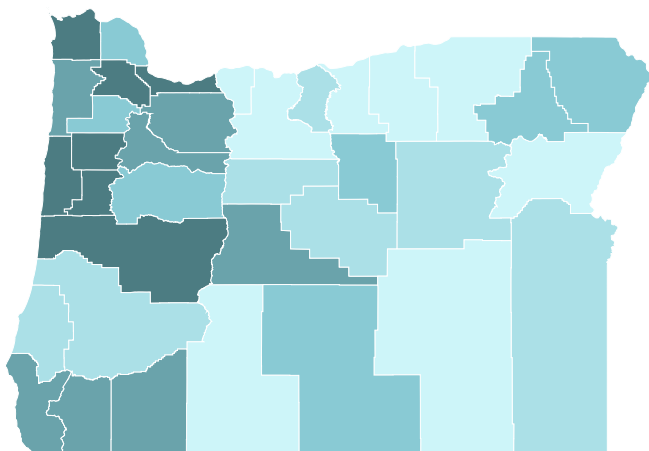
Race/ethnicity of same-sex couples (householder)



Gender of same-sex couples

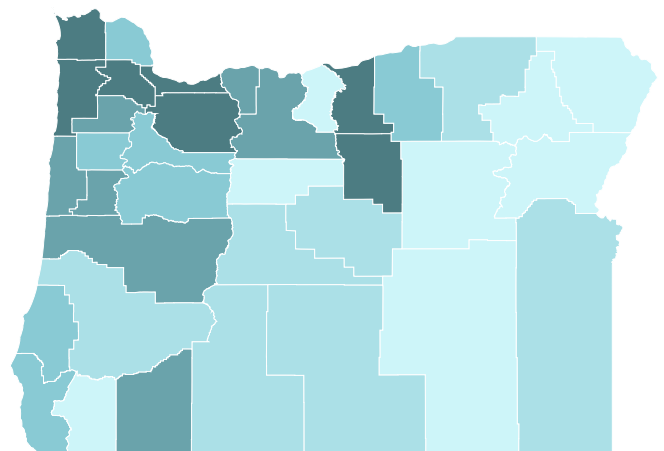


Female SS couples per 1K households by county



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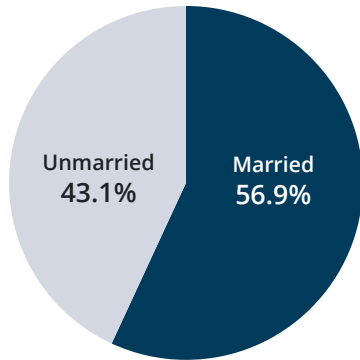
Male SS couples per 1K households by county



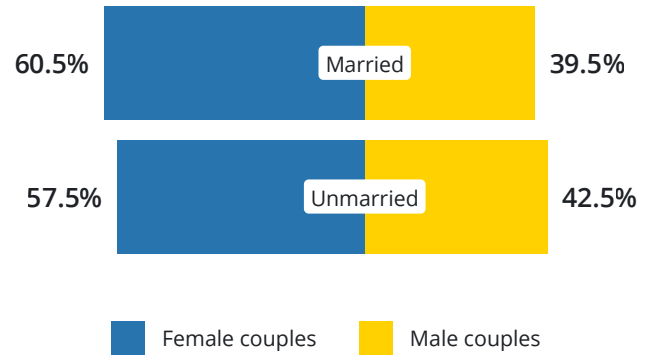
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FAMILY CHARACTERISTICS

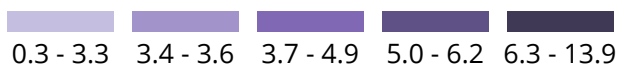
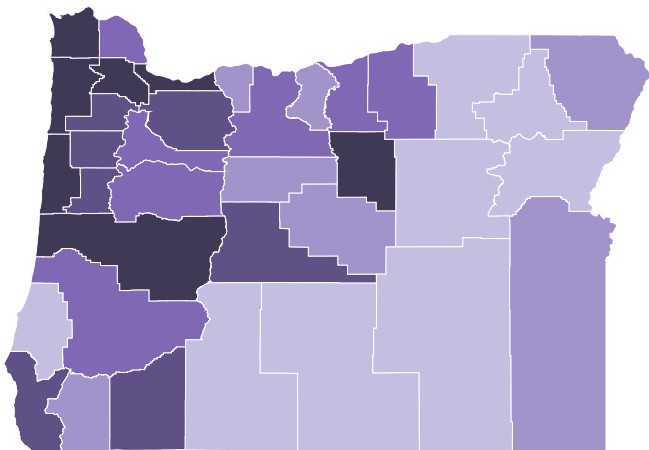
Marital status of same-sex couples



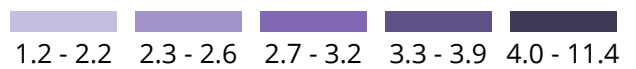
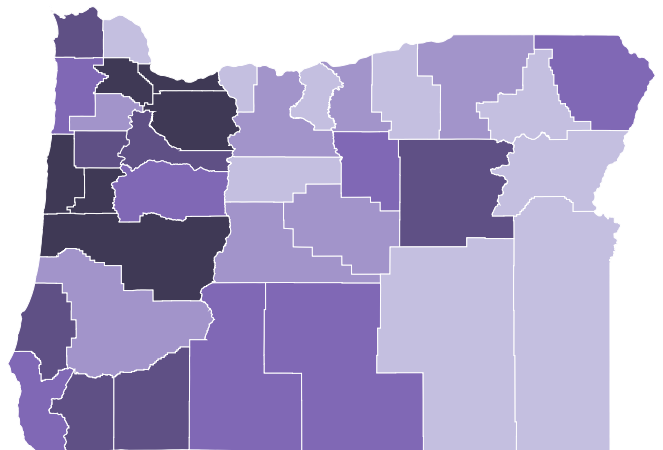
Gender of same-sex couples by marital status



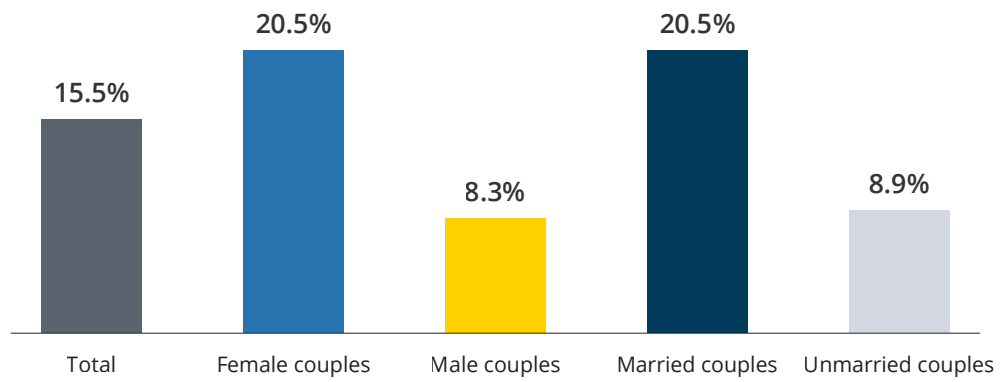
Married SS couples per 1K households by county



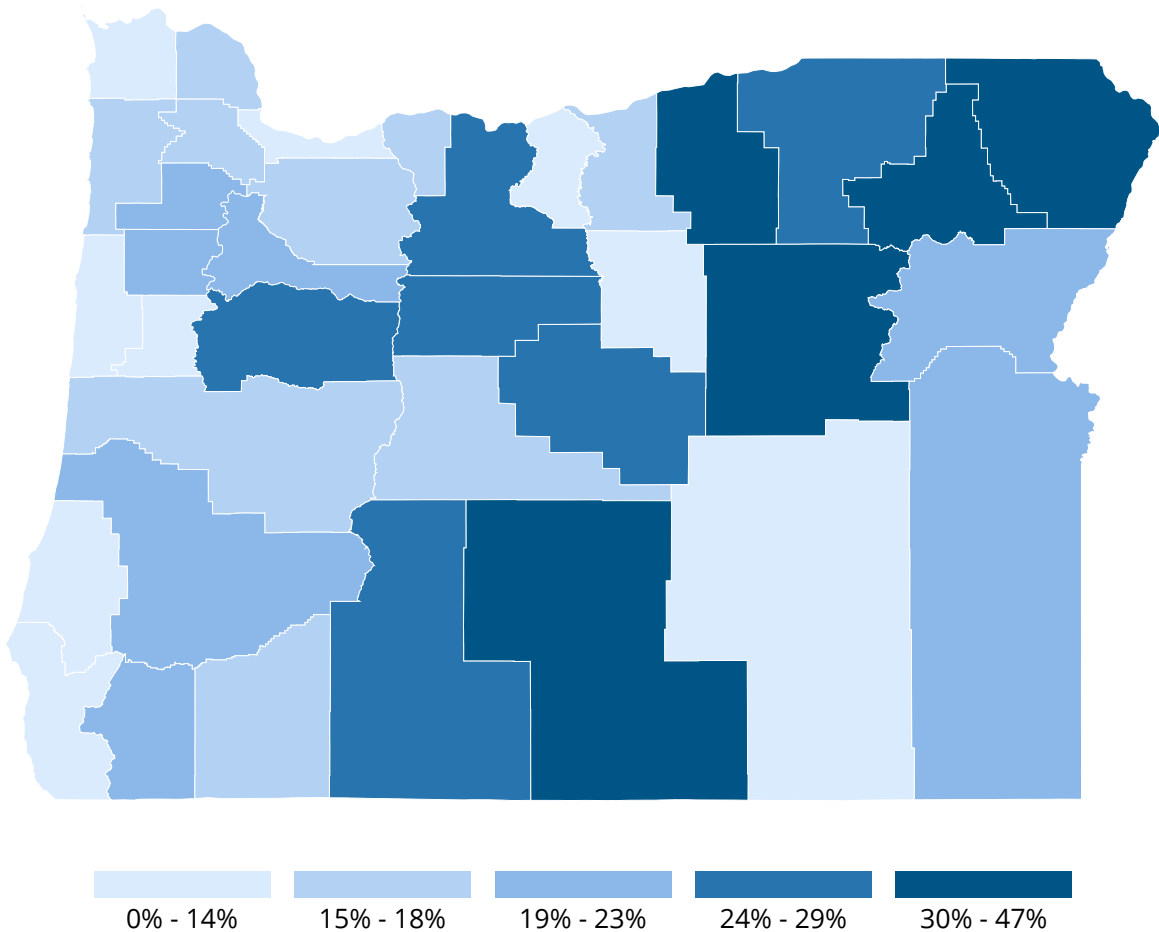
Unmarried SS couples per 1K households by county



Percent of same-sex couples raising own children



Percent of SS couples raising own children by county



TABLES

Counties with 50+ same-sex couples ranked by SS per 1K households

STATE RANK	US RANK	COUNTY	SAME-SEX COUPLES	SS COUPLES PER 1K HH	SS FEMALE COUPLES	SS MALE COUPLES	% RAISING OWN CHILDREN
1	3	Multnomah County	8,635	25.28	4,689	3,946	12%
2	72	Lincoln County	285	12.55	197	88	14%
3	86	Washington County	2,727	12.02	1,516	1,211	17%
4	88	Lane County	1,875	11.97	1,270	605	17%
5	107	Clatsop County	200	11.41	114	86	12%
6	126	Benton County	407	10.87	267	140	14%
7	154	Clackamas County	1,671	10.41	1,013	658	17%
8	194	Tillamook County	115	9.81	63	52	15%
9	198	Polk County	314	9.77	215	99	23%
10	292	Jackson County	800	8.84	516	284	18%
11	342	Marion County	1,028	8.39	650	378	20%
12	399	Curry County	87	7.94	61	26	10%
13	442	Deschutes County	617	7.69	458	159	16%
14	518	Yamhill County	278	7.31	155	123	21%
15	522	Linn County	360	7.30	233	127	24%
16	632	Coos County	188	6.80	107	81	14%
17	676	Josephine County	239	6.63	174	65	23%
18	689	Columbia County	135	6.60	85	50	18%
19	703	Wasco County	69	6.54	34	35	28%
20	818	Douglas County	282	6.15	180	102	21%
21	921	Crook County	58	5.81	35	23	24%
22	1,025	Hood River County	50	5.58	20	30	18%
23	1,073	Malheur County	57	5.43	38	19	21%
24	1,137	Klamath County	150	5.24	86	64	29%
25	1,186	Umatilla County	144	5.08	87	57	25%
26	1,305	Union County	51	4.73	44	7	35%

Counties with <50 same-sex couples

COUNTY	SAME-SEX COUPLES	SS COUPLES PER 1K HH	SS FEMALE COUPLES	SS MALE COUPLES	% RAISING OWN CHILDREN
Jefferson County	47	5.41	32	15	28%
Baker County	32	4.44	24	8	22%
Morrow County	23	5.46	12	11	30%
Lake County	21	6.20	14	7	33%
Wallowa County	21	6.22	15	6	38%
Grant County	15	4.55	12	3	47%
Harney County	8	2.52	6	2	12%

COUNTY	SAME-SEX COUPLES	SS COUPLES PER 1K HH	SS FEMALE COUPLES	SS MALE COUPLES	% RAISING OWN CHILDREN
Wheeler County	7	10.20	3	4	14%
Gilliam County	6	6.93	1	5	17%
Sherman County	4	4.84	3	1	0%

Cities with 50+ same-sex couples ranked by SS per 1K households

STATE RANK	US RANK	CITY	SAME-SEX COUPLES	SS COUPLES PER 1K HH
1	46	Portland	7,931	28.11
2	113	Cedar Hills	71	20.36
3	114	West Slope	62	20.31
4	122	Milwaukie	182	19.97
5	126	West Haven-Sylvan	80	19.49
6	128	Raleigh Hills	55	19.41
7	134	Garden Home-Whitford	56	18.74
8	194	Ashland	163	16.58
9	219	River Road	57	15.97
10	250	Eugene	1,127	15.33
11	256	Beaverton	614	15.26
12	293	Astoria	70	14.81
13	337	Fairview	58	14.17
14	366	Oak Grove	101	13.88
15	369	Oatfield	73	13.79
16	459	Aloha	239	12.89
17	528	Happy Valley	95	12.16
18	545	Tigard	264	12.11
19	613	Wilsonville	124	11.70
20	618	Corvallis	279	11.69
21	631	Hillsboro	468	11.60
22	672	Gresham	470	11.37
23	762	Salem	701	10.90
24	846	Four Corners	60	10.52
25	850	Springfield	260	10.50
26	950	Oregon City	141	10.10
27	1,103	Troutdale	56	9.54
28	1,127	Lake Oswego	162	9.45
29	1,144	Cedar Mill	58	9.39
30	1,221	Tualatin	99	9.14
31	1,377	Forest Grove	78	8.66
32	1,418	Medford	290	8.53
33	1,430	West Linn	86	8.51

STATE RANK	US RANK	CITY	SAME-SEX COUPLES	SS COUPLES PER 1K HH
34	1,442	Bend	348	8.49
35	1,449	Albany	188	8.48
36	1,604	Lebanon	58	8.04
37	1,675	McMinnville	98	7.85
38	1,769	Grants Pass	121	7.63
39	1,865	Sherwood	51	7.40
40	2,041	Redmond	88	6.94
41	2,050	Bethany	74	6.90
42	2,077	Roseburg	68	6.83
43	2,087	Keizer	100	6.80
44	2,211	Woodburn	53	6.45
45	2,289	Klamath Falls	56	6.16

METHODOLOGY

Data was compiled using the US Census Bureau's state, county, city, and Census tract counts for same-sex couples found [here](#). In this analysis, the authors combined incorporated places, independent cities, and consolidated cities to create the "city" category. Geographies listed as "independent cities" (such as Richmond City, VA) are included in both the "county" and "city" designation in this analysis. "Independent cities" are cities that are outside the jurisdiction of any county and are recognized as "county equivalents" by the U.S. Census Bureau. They are assigned a Federal Information Processing Series (FIPS) code. Despite their equivalence to counties, they are also still recognized as cities (as they often have comparable populations to cities of similar geographic size). Independent cities are only located in Virginia, Maryland, Nevada, and Missouri.

The householder is the person, or one of the people, who primarily own or rent the house. Same-sex couples are identified in households where householder describes their relationship with another adult of the same sex as either a "husband/wife" or "unmarried partner". In addition, we utilized the 2020 Census Privacy Protected Microdata Files (PPMF) to identify the race/ethnicity of the householder and the presence of the householder's own child/children.

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In order to preserve the privacy of individuals in the PPMF data, 2020 Census utilized a differential privacy approach to inject noise into the data at smaller demographics and geographies, then conducted postprocessing steps to ensure that the noised data matched data in the public use tables. This top-down algorithm preserves data reliability at larger universe sizes while maintaining trust in data privacy. Due to the disclosure avoidance process, use caution when interpreting findings from smaller geographies or populations.

We include all values at the national, state, county, city, and Census tract levels. When ranking counties and cities by the number of same sex couples per 1,000 households, the authors only ranked counties with 50 or more same-sex couples. Cities with fewer than 50 same-sex couples were not listed. For our full methodology note, see [here](#).

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