American Community Survey (ACS) 5-Year Profiles

2010 Census Tracts & Neighborhoods

For our 2010 Census reports, Planning Districts and Neighborhoods were defined by Census Blocks. However, the vast majority of ACS data are only available at the Tract level. When Census Tracts were split by Planning District or Neighborhood boundaries, 2010 Census Block data were consulted. In each case, the Census Tract was assigned to the Planning District or Neighborhood where the higher concentration of residents lived at the Block level in 2010. Census Tract 9815.02 is partially in East Boston and partially in Revere. As a result, we exclude tract 9815.02 from our aggregations of ACS data for East Boston. Census Tract 9901.01 is unassigned to a Planning District or Neighborhood. As a result, the aggregate of all Planning District and Neighborhood data may not equal the total for Boston.

For the 2010 Census, the census tract code range 9800 through 9899 was enforced for those census tracts that contained little or no population and represented a relatively large special land use area such as a National Park, military installation, or a business/industrial park; and the code range 9900 through 9998 was enforced for those census tracts that contained only water area, no land area.

Boundaries created based on a combination of Census Tracts, Zip Codes, and Zoning Districts.