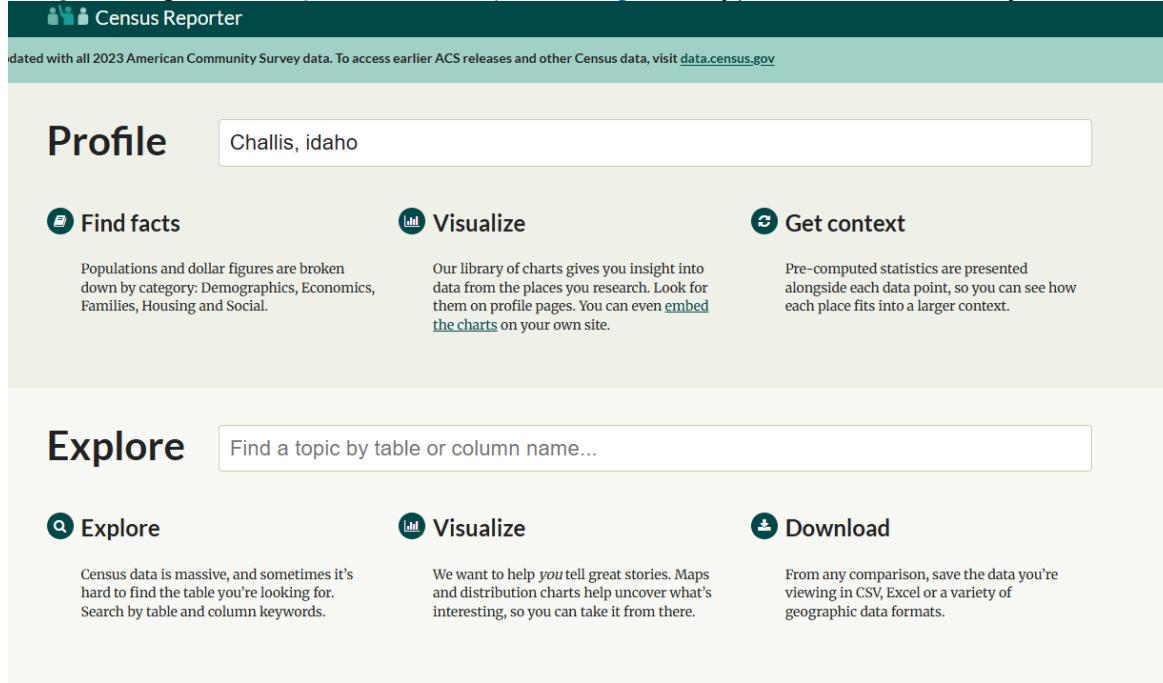


Instructions for Obtaining Demographic Data

I. **Census Reporter:** The easiest way to obtain the necessary demographic data is through the Census Reporter. All data comes directly from the US Census Bureau website.

Step 1: Identify your project address, a census block, census tract, city or county.

Step 2: Log on to <https://censusreporter.org/> and type in the community in the *Profile* text box.



The screenshot shows the Census Reporter homepage. At the top, there is a navigation bar with icons for user profile, search, and help. Below the navigation, a banner states: "dated with all 2023 American Community Survey data. To access earlier ACS releases and other Census data, visit [data.census.gov](#)".

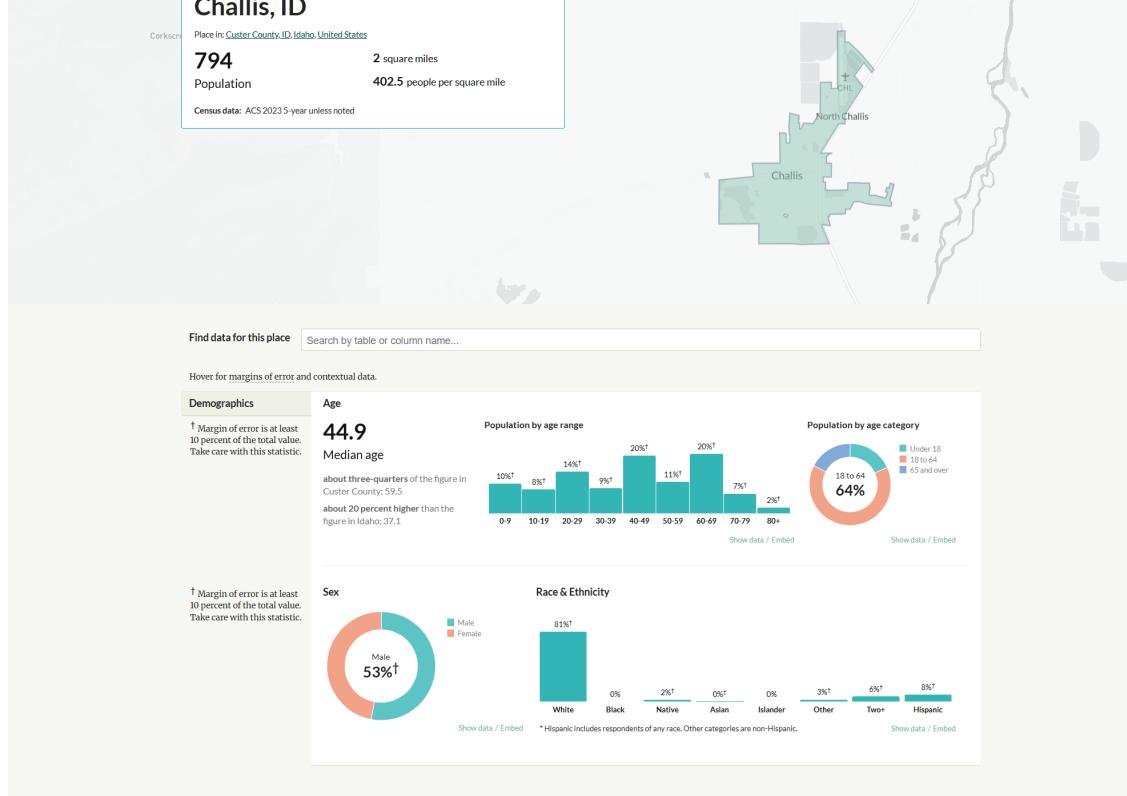
Profile Section: A large "Profile" heading is on the left. To its right is a search bar containing the text "Challis, idaho". Below the search bar are three buttons: "Find facts", "Visualize", and "Get context".

- Find facts:** Description: "Populations and dollar figures are broken down by category: Demographics, Economics, Families, Housing and Social.".
- Visualize:** Description: "Our library of charts gives you insight into data from the places you research. Look for them on profile pages. You can even [embed the charts](#) on your own site.".
- Get context:** Description: "Pre-computed statistics are presented alongside each data point, so you can see how each place fits into a larger context.".

Explore Section: Below the Profile section is a "Explore" heading. To its right is a search bar with the placeholder "Find a topic by table or column name...". Below the search bar are three buttons: "Explore", "Visualize", and "Download".

- Explore:** Description: "Census data is massive, and sometimes it's hard to find the table you're looking for. Search by table and column keywords.".
- Visualize:** Description: "We want to help *you* tell great stories. Maps and distribution charts help uncover what's interesting, so you can take it from there.".
- Download:** Description: "From any comparison, save the data you're viewing in CSV, Excel or a variety of geographic data formats.".

A list of options for Challis displays, select *Challis, Idaho (place)*



The screenshot shows a detailed demographic profile for Challis, Idaho. At the top left, a box displays basic information: "Challis, ID", "Place in Custer County, ID, Idaho, United States", "794" population, "2 square miles", and "402.5 people per square mile". Below this is a map of Challis with surrounding areas like North Challis and Custer County.

Below the map are several data visualizations:

- Demographics:** A note says "Margin of error is at least 10 percent of the total value. Take care with this statistic.".
- Age:** Median age is 44.9. A note says "about three-quarters of the figure in Custer County: 59.5 about 20 percent higher than the figure in Idaho: 37.1".
- Population by age range:** Bar chart showing percentages for age groups 0-9, 10-19, 20-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60-69, 70-79, and 80+.
- Population by age category:** Donut chart showing percentages for Under 18, 18 to 64, and 65 and over. The 18 to 64 category is 64%.
- Sex:** Donut chart showing percentages for Male (53%) and Female (47%).
- Race & Ethnicity:** Bar chart showing percentages for White (81%), Black (0%), Native (2%), Asian (0%), Islander (0%), Other (3%), Two+ (6%), and Hispanic (8%).

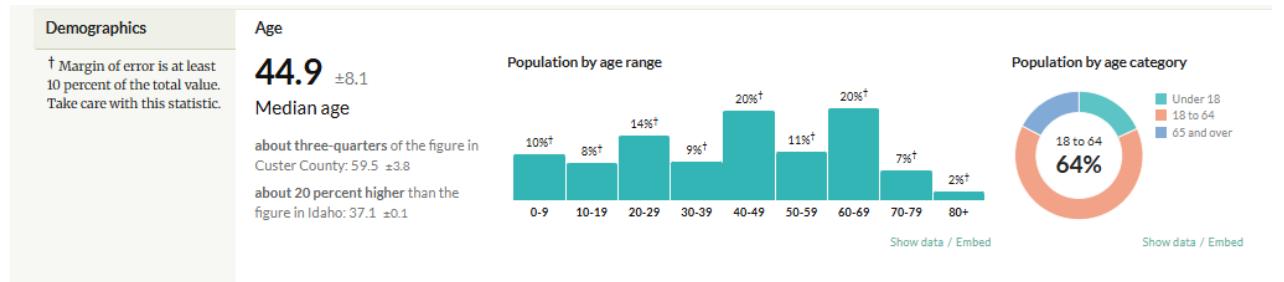
Step 3: Percentage of persons below the poverty level. This information is found in the *Economics* section. The Community percentage is 15.2% and the Idaho percentage is 10.6%



The screenshot shows the "Poverty" section of the Census Reporter. It displays the following information:

- Poverty:** "15.2%"
- Persons below poverty line:** "about 1.3 times the rate in Custer County: 11.6%†"
- Persons below poverty line:** "about 1.4 times the rate in Idaho: 10.6%"

Step 4: 65 and over population percentage. Look at the *Demographics* section. Select the hyperlink located bottom right of the *Population by age category* heading. Select *show data/embed*. The data table displays with the community and state percentages. If you want to download the data you can do so by selecting the *View table* hyperlink.



Population by age category (Table B01001) [View table](#)

Column	Challis	Custer County	Idaho
Under 18	18.1% [†] $\pm 9.6\%$	144 ± 87.5	11.1% $\pm 0\%$
18 to 64	64.5% $\pm 2.7\%$	512 ± 154.3	52.7% $\pm 0\%$
65 and over	17.4% [†] $\pm 6.6\%$	138 ± 66.8	36.1% $\pm 0\%$

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Step 5: Race and ethnicity population. For community and state percentages, select the *Show Data/Embed* hyperlink at the bottom right of the figure.

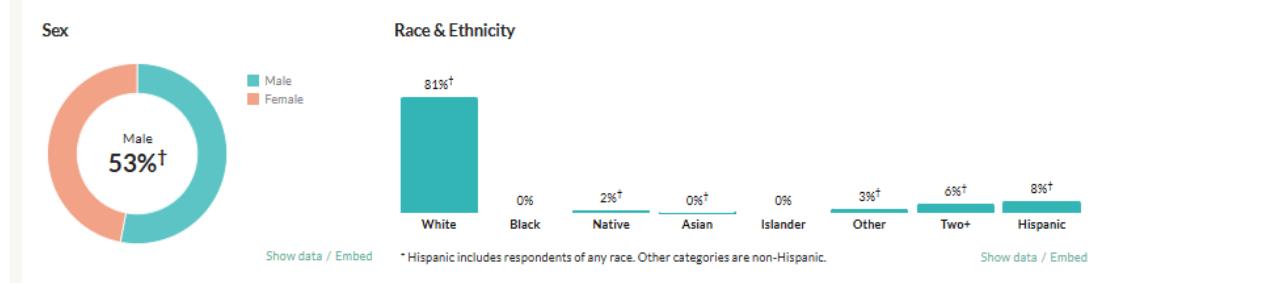


Table B03002 [View table](#)

Column	Challis	Custer County	Idaho
White	80.9% [†] $\pm 33.9\%$	642 ± 189	89.4% $\pm 0\%$
Black	0% $\pm 0\%$	0 ± 12	0.3% $\pm 0\%$
Native	2% [†] $\pm 3.1\%$	16 ± 25	0.4% $\pm 0\%$
Asian	0.1% [†] $\pm 0.4\%$	1 ± 3	2.7% $\pm 0\%$
Islander	0% $\pm 0\%$	0 ± 12	0% $\pm 0\%$
Other	2.6% [†] $\pm 4\%$	21 ± 32	0.5% $\pm 0\%$
Two+	6.3% [†] $\pm 8\%$	50 ± 65	3.8% $\pm 0\%$
Hispanic	8.1% [†] $\pm 6.8\%$	64 ± 57	3% $\pm 0\%$

[Hide data](#)

II. **US Census Bureau Limited English Proficiency Data:**
 Go to the following US Census Data Table
<https://data.census.gov/table?q=C16001:+Language+Spoken+at+Home+for+the+Population+5+Years+and+Over>

Step 1:

Label	United States	
	Estimate	Margin of Error
Total:	316,581,199	±19,409
Speak only English	245,472,067	±221,387
Spanish:	43,369,734	±134,347
Speak English "very well"	25,773,177	±87,884
Speak English less than "very well"	17,598,557	±112,150
French, Haitian, or Cajun:	2,167,933	±33,041
Speak English "very well"	1,510,274	±29,287
Speak English less than "very well"	657,659	±18,080
German or other West Germanic languages:	1,472,765	±33,713
Speak English "very well"	1,152,847	±28,171
Speak English less than "very well"	319,918	±13,990
Russian, Polish, or other Slavic languages:	2,230,848	±50,248
Speak English "very well"	1,329,455	±34,237

Step 2: Identify Location

Make sure to select the **2023:ACS 5-Year Estimates Detail...** from the far right dropdown list. Once selected, select the **Geos** icon.

Upon selecting the Geo icon, the following pop-up displays. Enter the state of Idaho and then enter a second geographic entity (the address, city, county). Please note census tract and block level data may be limited depending on the community.

Geographic Entity
Idaho
Congressional District 1 (111th Congress), Idaho
Congressional District 2 (111th Congress), Idaho
Ada County, Idaho
Boise City CCD, Ada County, Idaho
Boise City city, Idaho
Canyon County, Idaho
Kootenai County, Idaho
Nampa CCD, Canyon County, Idaho

Select Geographies

Geographic Entities Summary Levels

Challis, idaho x Search

i Available filters are limited by your chosen result in combination with selected filters. Some filters may be unavailable.

All Geographies

- Challis CCD, Custer County, Idaho
- Challis city, Idaho
- Block Group 2 (part), Census Tract 9602 (part), Challis city (part), Challis CCD (part), Challis 1 Voting District, Custer County, Idaho
- Block Group 2 (part), Census Tract 9602 (part), Challis city (part), Challis CCD (part), Challis 1, Custer County, Idaho
- Block Group 2 (part), Census Tract 9602 (part), Challis city (part), Challis CCD (part), Round Valley 1, Custer County, Idaho
- Block Group 2 (part), Census Tract 9602 (part), Challis city (part), Challis CCD (part), Round Valley 2 Voting District, Custer County, Idaho
- Block Group 2 (part), Census Tract 9602 (part), Challis city, Challis CCD, Custer County, Idaho

Step 3: Upon identifying the geographic locations the following table displays with both Challis and state of Idaho numeric estimates.

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Filters Results

C16001 | Language Spoken at Home for the Population 5 Years and Over

American Community Survey | Universe: Population 5 years and over | 2023: ACS 5-Year Estimates Detailed

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Label	Challis city, Idaho		Idaho	
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error
▼ Total:	762	±234	1,780,030	±430
Speak only English	711	±212	1,589,255	±3,827
▼ Spanish:	40	±52	142,101	±3,039
Speak English "very well"	21	±32	92,560	±2,458
Speak English less than "very well"	19	±43	49,541	±2,103
▼ French, Haitian, or Cajun:	0	±12	3,205	±556
Speak English "very well"	0	±12	2,640	±512
Speak English less than "very well"	0	±12	565	±183
▼ German or other West Germanic languages:	0	±12	5,656	±801
Speak English "very well"	0	±12	4,566	±630
Speak English less than "very well"	0	±12	1,090	±390
▼ Russian, Polish, or other Slavic languages:	0	±12	7,357	±1,280
Speak English "very well"	0	±12	5,428	±1,122
Speak English less than "very well"	0	±12	1,929	±606
▼ Other Indo-European languages:	0	±12	8,449	±1,009
Speak English "very well"	0	±12	6,144	±840
Speak English less than "very well"	0	±12	2,305	±480
▼ Korean:	0	±12	1,620	±336
Speak English "very well"	0	±12	947	±248

Step 4: Calculating Community and State Percentages.

Download the LEP calculation excel sheet. Identify the languages that have numeric values for *Speak English less than "very well"*. Do not include languages that have zero numeric value for *Speak English less than "very well"*. Do not include *Other and unspecified languages* in the excel sheet.