

# Orleans Parish, Louisiana Census Statistics — 1910

13th Census · Enumeration Date: April 15, 1910

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## PART I — TOTAL POPULATION

Metric	Value
Census Year	1910
Census Number	13th Census
Enumeration Date	April 15, 1910
Total Population	339,075
Decadal Change	+51,971
Decadal % Change	+18.1%
U.S. City Rank	14th

*Note: Peak of Italian immigration; Great Migration beginning. Second-largest decade gain in the study period.*

## PART II — RACIAL & STATUS COMPOSITION

Category	Count	% of Total
White	249,799	73.7%
Negro	89,262	26.3%
Other / Unclassified	14	—

*Note: Per 13th Census compendium. 'Negro' category used in original. Large Italian-born community (~11,000) counted within White.*

## PART III — FOREIGN-BORN POPULATION

Metric	Value
Total Foreign-Born	~26,500 (est.)
% of Total Population	~7.8%
Largest Foreign-Born Groups	Italy, Germany

*Note: Peak Italian-American generation; many 2nd-generation counted as native-born. National Origins debate beginning.*

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Sources: Forstall, R.L. (ed.), Population of the States and Counties of the United States: 1790–1990 (U.S. Census Bureau, 1996); U.S. Decennial Census Compendiums, 5th–16th (1830–1940), available at [census.gov](https://census.gov); Walker, F.A., Compendium of the Ninth Census (1872), Table VIII [1870 racial breakdown confirmed]; IPUMS NHGIS, University of Minnesota.

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