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New Vintage 2021 Population Estimates Available for the Nation, States and Puerto Rico

DEC. 21, 2021 — According to the U.S. Census Bureau's Vintage 2021 national and state population estimates and components of change released today, the population of the United States grew in the past year by 392,665, or 0.1%, the lowest rate since the nation's founding. The slow rate of growth can be attributed to decreased net international migration, decreased fertility, and increased mortality due in part to the COVID-19 pandemic.

The new Iowa population estimates and rankings are available on the State Data Center's website at www.iowadatacenter.org. The U.S. Census Bureau will release county and city totals, as well as state and county characteristics later in 2022.

Vintage 2021 estimates

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