

Table 68. Selected Characteristics for Rural and Occupied Rural Farm Housing Units With Negro Head of Household, for Counties: 1970

[Data based on sample, see text. For minimum base for derived figures (percent, median, etc.) and meaning of symbols, see text]

**Counties With 400 or More Negro Population**

**TENURE AND PLUMBING**

Owner occupied .....	5	—	37	5	4	—	280	44	—	—	63	5
With all plumbing facilities .....	...	—	37	...	...	—	222	34	—	—	52	...
Renter occupied .....	—	—	24	5	150	37	410	62	16	—	92	4
With all plumbing facilities .....	—	—	...	...	150	37	297	45	...	—	72	...

**ROOMS AND PERSONS**

Median rooms .....	...	—	4.9	...	4.0	3.7	4.5	4.1	...	—	3.9	...
Median persons .....	...	—	4.4	...	2.8	2.9	2.2	1.8	...	—	2.5	...
1.01 or more persons per room .....	...	—	15	...	28	—	125	4	...	—	36	...
1.01 or more persons per room with all plumbing facilities .....	...	—	15	...	28	—	84	4	...	—	31	...

**YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT**

1960 to March 1970 .....	...	—	14	...	6	—	87	17	...	—	30	...
1950 to 1959 .....	...	—	20	...	117	21	155	6	...	—	30	...
1940 to 1949 .....	...	—	10	...	31	16	192	34	...	—	15	...
1939 or earlier .....	...	—	17	...	—	—	256	49	...	—	80	...

**PIPED WATER IN STRUCTURE**

Cold only .....	...	—	—	...	—	—	59	16	...	—	20	...
None .....	...	—	—	...	—	—	71	—	...	—	11	...

**SOURCE OF WATER**

Public system or private company .....	...	—	42	...	154	28	135	7	...	—	107	...
Individual well .....	...	—	21	...	—	—	492	92	...	—	21	...
Other .....	...	—	6	...	—	—	11	—	...	—	38	...

**SEWAGE DISPOSAL**

Public sewer .....	...	—	5	...	130	28	39	—	...	—	84	...
Septic tank or cesspool .....	...	—	64	...	17	—	480	90	...	—	52	...
Other .....	...	—	—	...	7	—	119	9	...	—	30	...

**VALUE**

Less than \$5,000 .....	...	...	6	...	...	...	78	...	—	...	21	...
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	...	...	12	...	...	...	75	...	—	...	11	...
\$10,000 to \$14,999 .....	...	...	5	...	...	...	37	...	—	...	—	...
\$15,000 or more .....	...	...	4	...	...	...	40	...	—	...	—	...

**GROSS RENT**

Less than \$40 .....	—	...	...	...	—	...	33	...	...	...	—	...
\$40 to \$79 .....	—	...	...	...	123	...	138	...	...	...	44	...
\$80 or more .....	—	...	...	...	6	...	95	...	...	...	22	...
No cash rent .....	—	...	...	...	6	...	57	...	...	...	21	...

**Counties With 400 or More Negro Population**

**TENURE AND PLUMBING**

Owner occupied .....	78	19	249	19	278	33	150	15	5	—	301	29
With all plumbing facilities .....	72	...	206	...	252	28	141	...	...	—	269	29
Renter occupied .....	191	31	194	—	150	—	79	14	6	—	261	19
With all plumbing facilities .....	166	31	171	—	101	—	66	...	...	—	220	...

**ROOMS AND PERSONS**

Median rooms .....	4.2	4.6	4.8	...	4.5	4.8	5.0	5.3	...	—	4.7	5.2
Median persons .....	2.1	3.0	3.5	...	2.2	1.2	2.7	1.6	...	—	2.8	2.8
1.01 or more persons per room .....	34	5	121	...	71	5	46	3	...	—	142	6
1.01 or more persons per room with all plumbing facilities .....	34	5	97	...	67	5	41	3	...	—	127	6

**YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT**

1960 to March 1970 .....	21	—	179	...	105	5	42	5	...	—	104	9
1950 to 1959 .....	72	30	72	...	217	22	55	—	...	—	111	16
1940 to 1949 .....	75	15	126	...	61	6	58	10	...	—	190	5
1939 or earlier .....	101	5	66	...	45	—	74	14	...	—	157	18

**PIPED WATER IN STRUCTURE**

Cold only .....	11	—	24	...	28	—	11	7	...	—	33	—
None .....	7	—	19	...	18	—	—	—	...	—	20	—

**SOURCE OF WATER**

Public system or private company .....	111	—	243	...	314	29	11	—	...	—	291	—
Individual well .....	161	54	203	...	89	6	218	25	...	—	277	49
Other .....	16	—	—	...	30	—	11	—	...	—	—	—

**SEWAGE DISPOSAL**

Public sewer .....	63	—	52	...	61	—	5	—	...	—	217	—
Septic tank or cesspool .....	225	54	350	...	348	35	235	25	...	—	335	49
Other .....	—	—	44	...	24	—	—	—	...	—	16	—

**VALUE**

Less than \$5,000 .....	6	...	43	...	11	...	31	...	...	...	110	...
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	21	...	126	...	30	...	41	...	...	...	65	...
\$10,000 to \$14,999 .....	14	...	27	...	51	...	23	...	...	...	40	...
\$15,000 or more .....	20	...	14	...	138	...	20	...	...	...	29	...

**GROSS RENT**

Less than \$40 .....	—	...	4	...	7	...	—	...	...	...	9	...
\$40 to \$79 .....	73	...	113	...	53	...	19	...	...	...	100	...
\$80 or more .....	26	...	56	...	80	...	22	...	...	...	97	...
No cash rent .....	36	...	10	...	—	...	11	...	...	...	27	...