

Table 2a. Amish Population Change 1992–2008 (Alphabetical Order)

State	Settlements				Districts				Est. Population			
	1992	2008	#Change	%Change	1992	2008	#Change	%Change	1992	2008	#Change	%Change
AR	0	1	1	--	0	1	1	--	0	135	135	--
CO	0	3	3	--	0	3	3	--	0	405	405	--
DE	1	1	0	0	8	9	1	13%	1,080	1,215	135	13%
FL	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	135	135	0	0
IL	3	18	15	500%	21	49	28	133%	2,835	6,615	3,780	133%
IN	16	21	5	31%	166	286	120	72%	22,410	38,610	16,200	72%
IA	7	17	10	143%	25	46	21	84%	3,375	6,210	2,835	84%
KS	3	7	4	133%	5	12	7	140%	675	1,620	945	140%
KY	12	32	20	167%	21	63	42	200%	2,835	8,505	5,670	200%
ME	0	2	2	--	0	2	2	--	0	270	270	--
MD	2	3	1	50%	6	10	4	67%	810	1,350	540	67%
MI	23	34	11	48%	39	78	39	100%	5,265	10,530	5,265	100%
MN	5	13	8	160%	9	23	14	156%	1,215	3,105	1,890	156%
MS	0	1	1	--	0	1	1	--	0	135	135	--
MO	15	35	20	134%	32	74	42	131%	4,320	9,990	5,670	131%
MT	2	5	3	150%	2	5	3	150%	270	675	405	150%
NE	0	3	3	--	0	3	3	--	0	405	405	--
NY	15	29	14	93%	30	75	45	150%	4,050	10,125	6,075	150%
NC	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	135	135	0	0
OH	33	52	19	58%	258	412	154	60%	34,830	55,620	20,790	60%
OK	2	2	0	0	4	5	1	25%	540	675	135	25%
ONT	7	14	7	100%	17	33	16	94%	2,295	4,455	2,160	94%
PA	44	53	9	20%	221	382	161	73%	29,835	51,570	21,735	73%
TN	3	4	1	33%	6	13	7	117%	810	1,755	945	117%
TX	3	1	-2	↓ 67%	3	1	-2	↓ 67%	405	135	-270	↓ 67%
VA	1	5	4	400%	1	5	4	400%	135	675	540	400%
WV	0	3	3	--	0	3	3	--	0	405	405	--
WI	27	50	23	85%	53	115	62	117%	7,155	15,525	8,370	117%
Total	226	410	184	81%	929	1,710	781	84%	125,415	230,850	105,435	84%

Note: Settlement and district statistics were updated in July 2008. Population figures (which include adults and children) are estimates calculated by using a conservative average of 135 people per church district. The number of people per district varies by region, community, affiliation, and age of the district; therefore, the actual number of people in a specific district may be higher or lower than the average used in these tables. The data includes all Amish groups (Old Order and New Order) that use horse-and-buggy transportation, but excludes car-driving groups such as the Beachy Amish and Amish Mennonites.

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Table 2b. Amish Population Change 1992–2008 (Ranked by Population Size in 1992)

State	Settlements				Districts				Est. Population			
	1992	2008	#Change	%Change	1992	2008	#Change	%Change	1992	2008	#Change	%Change
OH	33	52	19	58%	258	412	154	60%	34,830	55,620	20,790	60%
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NC	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	135	135	0	0
FL	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	135	135	0	0
NC	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	135	135	0	0
VA	1	5	4	400%	1	5	4	400%	135	675	540	400%
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ME	0	2	2	--	0	2	2	--	0	270	270	--
MS	0	1	1	--	0	1	1	--	0	135	135	--
NE	0	3	3	--	0	3	3	--	0	405	405	--
WV	0	3	3	--	0	3	3	--	0	405	405	--
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