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PRELIMINARY
REPORTS

Population Counts for Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas

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As of April 1, 1970, the population of the standard metropolitan statistical area was 86,267, according to a preliminary count of the returns of the 1970 census. This figure represents an increase of 2,417, or 2.9 percent, from the 83,850 inhabitants enumerated in the 1960 census.

The preliminary figures presented here will be superseded by the final count to be shown in Final Report Series PC(1)-A which will be issued later this year. The final figures may differ from the preliminary counts for a number of reasons.

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Population of the Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: 1970 and 1960

[Minus sign (-) denotes decrease]

Mayagüez, P.R. SMSA

THE AREA (MAYAGUEZ MUNICIPIO)
 MAYAGUEZ CITY
 OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITY.

	1970 (preliminary)	1960	Change, 1960 to 1970	
			Number	Percent
THE AREA (MAYAGUEZ MUNICIPIO)	86 267	83 850	2 417	2.9
MAYAGUEZ CITY	69 485	50 147	19 338	38.6
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITY.	16 782	33 703	-16 921	-50.2



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As of April 1, 1970, the population of the standard metropolitan statistical area was 156,498, according to a preliminary count of the returns of the 1970 census. This figure represents an increase of 10,912, or 7.5 percent, from the 145,586 inhabitants enumerated in the 1960 census.

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Population of the Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: 1970 and 1960

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Ponce, P.R. SMSA

	1970 (preliminary)	1960	Change, 1960 to 1970	
			Number	Percent
THE AREA (PONCE MUNICIPIO)	156 498	145 586	10 912	7.5
PONCE CITY	125 926	114 286	11 640	10.2
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITY	30 572	31 300	-728	-2.3

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As of April 1, 1970, the population of the standard metropolitan statistical area was 839,813, according to a preliminary count of the returns of the 1970 census. This figure represents an increase of 191,834, or 29.6 percent, from the 647,979 inhabitants enumerated in the 1960 census.

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Population of the Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: 1970 and 1960

[Based on area as defined for 1970]

San Juan, P.R. SMSA

	1970 (preliminary)	1960	Change, 1960 to 1970	
			Number	Percent
THE AREA	839 813	647 979	191 834	29.6
SAN JUAN CITY	444 952	432 377	12 575	2.9
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITY	394 861	215 602	179 259	83.1
THE AREA IS DEFINED AS FOLLOWS:				
BAYAMON MUNICIPIO	154 440	72 221	82 219	113.8
CAROLINA MUNICIPIO	107 988	40 923	67 065	163.9
CATAÑO MUNICIPIO	26 056	25 208	848	3.4
GUAYNABO MUNICIPIO	65 557	39 718	25 839	65.1
SAN JUAN MUNICIPIO	455 421	451 658	3 763	0.8
TRUJILLO ALTO MUNICIPIO	30 351	18 251	12 100	66.3

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