

NYC Geographies

Are you looking for population tables and boundary files for PUMAs, ZCTAs, and census tracts? Use the [NYC Geodatabase](#).

This page contains lists, crosswalks, and maps for relating PUMAs, ZCTAs, and other types of geography in NYC.

- **PUMA:** Public Use Microdata Area. A US Census statistical area, created by aggregating census tracts. PUMAs are designed to have 100k residents. The City of New York correlates them with Community Districts.
- **ZCTA:** ZIP Code Tabulation Area. A US Census statistical area designed to approximate areal USPS ZIP Codes. They are aggregations of census blocks where a majority of addresses have the same ZIP Code.
- **ZIP Code:** Zone Improvement Plan. These are postal codes created by the US Postal Service. Codes are assigned to street segments, large institutions, and clusters of PO boxes.
- **Census tract:** A US census statistical area designed to have an ideal size of 4,000 residents, with a range of 1200 to 8000 residents.
- **NTA:** Neighborhood Tabulation Area. Statistical areas created by the New York City Department of City Planning for representing US census data for neighborhood-like areas. They are aggregations of census tracts.

Date	Name	Description
Jan 2010	NYC PUMAs and Neighborhoods	A list of all 2010 PUMAs in the city: PUMA numbers, official names (based on community districts) and unofficial sub-borough names
Dec 2013	Maps of NYC 2010 PUMAs	PDF file with 2010 PUMA maps for each borough, with names and community district numbers
May 2014	NYC 2010 PUMA to ZCTA Crosswalk	An Excel spreadsheet that apportions ZCTAs to PUMAs
May 2014	Documentation for PUMA to ZCTA Crosswalk	README file with description and methodology for creating the crosswalk
May 2014	Map of NYC 2010 PUMAs to ZCTAs	PDF file of a map depicting correlation (or lack thereof) between ZCTAs and PUMAs
Mar 2017	Map of NYC ZIP Codes	PDF file of a map depicting residential USPS ZIP Codes
July 2017	NYC ZIP Code to ZCTA Crosswalk	An Excel file that correlates ZIP Codes to 2010 ZCTAs, so that non-residential ZIPs are assigned to ZCTAs
	NYC neighborhoods and ZIP Codes	A New York State Dept of Health webpage that correlates neighborhood names with ZIP Codes
	NYC City Planning Geographies	A City website with maps and crosswalks that illustrate the relationships between PUMAs, Community Districts, Neighborhood Tabulation Areas, and census tracts