





Explore a database of more than  
11,000 people groups of the world.

## HOW TO USE THIS SITE

**Finding Specific People Group.** Enter keywords in the Start Exploring toolbox and press "SUBMIT" to begin search. If you don't see the toolbox, click "find" to open.

**Filtering People Groups.** Category filters allow refining the people groups selection. Items selected will be shown in the filter boxes. Multiple items selection provides complex search options.

### Exploring the People Group Map

**Marker for a people group.** The color marker indicates the main GSEC status of a people group. The white dot inside indicates further that it is engaged by Great Commission Christians with church planting.

**Marker for multiple people groups.** The number indicates the count of people groups within that group marker. Double-clicking on a group marker will zoom in on that group.

**People Group Details.** Clicking on a people group marker will show you the name, language, population, and a picture of the people group. Clicking the name of the people group will take you to the people group details page.

### Selecting a View (Maps, Lists, or Photos)

Click the menu in the green bar to switch to a different view. The filtering options will carry from one view to another. Click "more" to further refine your query or combine more complex search options and filters.

## KEYS & DEFINITIONS

GSEC 0 – No evangelical Christians or churches. No access to evangelical print, audio, visual or human resources.

GSEC 1 – Less than 2 percent evangelical. Some evangelical resources available. No active church planting within past two years.

GSEC 2 – Less than 2 percent evangelical. Initial or concentrated church planting within past two years.

GSEC 3 – Less than 2 percent evangelical. Dispersed church planting within past two years.

GSEC 4 – Greater than or equal to 2 percent evangelical, but less than 5 percent evangelical.

GSEC 5 – Greater than or equal to 5 percent evangelical, but less than 10 percent evangelical.

GSEC 6 – Greater than or equal to 10 percent evangelical.

**People group** – a group of people sharing a common ethnic identity and language.

**Unreached People Group** – a people group is unreached when less than two percent of its population is evangelical Christian.

**Engaged People Group** – a people group is engaged when a church planting strategy, consistent with Evangelical faith and practice, is under implementation. It is not engaged when it has been merely adopted, is the object of focused prayer or is part of an advocacy strategy.




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## PEOPLE NAME: JEW, SYRIAN OF UNITED STATES

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Affinity Group: Northern African and Middle Eastern Peoples

Affinity Bloc: Jews

People Cluster: Jews

Language: North Levantine Arabic - (apc)

Alternative Name(s):

Primary Religion: Ethnic Religions - Judaism

Country: United States

Population: 53,000

Global Population: 53,000

Engagement Status: Unengaged

Progress of the Gospel Less than 2% Evangelical, No Active CP Activity

**Overview:** The Syrian Jews of United States have a population of 53,000. They are part of the Jews people cluster. This people group is found only in United States. Their primary language is North Levantine Arabic - (apc). The primary religion practiced by the Syrian Jews is Judaism, a religion developed among the ancient Hebrews and characterized by belief in one transcendent God who has revealed himself to Abraham, Moses, and the Hebrew prophets and by a religious life in accordance with Scriptures and rabbinic traditions. Their GSEC status is 1, which means this people group is less than 2% evangelical, some evangelical resources are available, but there has been no active church planting among them within the past two years.

PEID: 47646

ROP: 109665

Bible Translations: Available

Jesus Film: Not Available

Gospel Recordings: Available

Radio Broadcast: Not Available





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Affinity Group: Northern African and Middle Eastern Peoples

Affinity Bloc: Jews

People Cluster: Jews

Language: Iranian Persian - (pes)

Alternative Name(s):

Primary Religion: Ethnic Religions - Judaism

Country: United States

Also found in: Israel

Population: 10,500

Global Population: 14,800

Engagement Status: Unengaged

Progress of the Gospel Less than 2% Evangelical, No Active CP Activity

**Overview:** The Tehrani Jews of United States have a population of 10,500. They are part of the Jews people cluster. The global population of this people group is 14,800. Their primary language is Iranian Persian - (pes). The primary religion practiced by the Tehrani Jews is Judaism, a religion developed among the ancient Hebrews and characterized by belief in one transcendent God who has revealed himself to Abraham, Moses, and the Hebrew prophets and by a religious life in accordance with Scriptures and rabbinic traditions. Their GSEC status is 1, which means this people group is less than 2% evangelical, some evangelical resources are available, but there has been no active church planting among them within the past two years.

Bible Translations: Available

Jesus Film: Available

Gospel Recordings: Available

PEID: 47662

ROP: 115645




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## PEOPLE NAME: JEW, SPANISH OF UNITED STATES

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Affinity Group: Northern African and Middle Eastern Peoples

Affinity Bloc: Jews

People Cluster: Jews

Language: Ladino - (lad)

Alternative Name(s):

Primary Religion: Ethnic Religions - Judaism

Country: United States

Also found in: Israel; Spain; Turkey

Population: 125

Global Population: 165,625

Engagement Status: Unengaged

Progress of the Gospel: Less than 2% Evangelical, No Active CP Activity

Overview: The Spanish Jews of United States have a population of 125. They are part of the Jews people cluster. The global population of this people group is 165,625. Their primary language is Ladino - (lad). The primary religion practiced by the Spanish Jews is Judaism, a religion developed among the ancient Hebrews and characterized by belief in one transcendent God who has revealed himself to Abraham, Moses, and the Hebrew prophets and by a religious life in accordance with Scriptures and rabbinic traditions. Their GSEC status is 1, which means this people group is less than 2% evangelical, some evangelical resources are available, but there has been no active church planting among them within the past two years.

PEID: 43639

ROP: 115653

Bible Translations: Available

Jesus Film: Not Available

Gospel Recordings: Available






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## PEOPLE NAME: JEW, RUSSIAN OF UNITED STATES

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Affinity Group: Northern African and Middle Eastern Peoples

Affinity Bloc: Jews

People Cluster: Jews

Language: Russian - (rus)

Alternative Name(s):

Primary Religion: Ethnic Religions - Judaism

Country: United States

Also found in: Germany; Israel; Russia; Uzbekistan

Population: 106,000

Global Population: 3,078,700

Engagement Status: Engaged

Progress of the Gospel: Less than 2% Evangelical, Concentrated CP Activity

**Overview:** The Russian Jews of United States have a population of 106,000. They are part of the Jews people cluster. The global population of this people group is 3,078,700. Their primary language is Russian - (rus). The primary religion practiced by the Russian Jews is Judaism, a religion developed among the ancient Hebrews and characterized by belief in one transcendent God who has revealed himself to Abraham, Moses, and the Hebrew prophets and by a religious life in accordance with Scriptures and rabbinic traditions. Their GSEC status is 2, which means this people group is less than 2% evangelical but there has been initial or concentrated church planting among them within the past two years.

PEID: 47654

ROP: 108454

Bible Translations: Available

Jesus Film: Available

Gospel Recordings: Available




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## PEOPLE NAME: BLACK JEW OF UNITED STATES

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Affinity Group: Northern African and Middle Eastern Peoples

Affinity Bloc: Jews

People Cluster: Jews

Language: English - (eng)

Alternative Name(s):

Primary Religion: Ethnic Religions - Judaism

Country: United States

Population: 49,500

Global Population: 49,500

Engagement Status: Unengaged

**Progress of the Gospel**: Less than 2% Evangelical, No Active CP Activity



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PEID: 43536

ROP: 101513

**Overview:** The Black Jews of United States have a population of 49,500. They are part of the Jews people cluster. This people group is found only in United States. Their primary language is English - (eng). The primary religion practiced by the Black Jews is Judaism, a religion developed among the ancient Hebrews and characterized by belief in one transcendent God who has revealed himself to Abraham, Moses, and the Hebrew prophets and by a religious life in accordance with Scriptures and rabbinic traditions. Their GSEC status is 1, which means this people group is less than 2% evangelical, some evangelical resources are available, but there has been no active church planting among them within the past two years.

Bible Translations: Available

Jesus Film: Available

Gospel Recordings: Available

Radio Broadcast: Available






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## PEOPLE NAME: JEW, BUKHARIC OF UNITED STATES

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Affinity Group: Northern African and Middle Eastern Peoples

Affinity Bloc: Jews

People Cluster: Jews

Language: Bukharic - (bhh)

Alternative Name(s):

Primary Religion: Ethnic Religions - Judaism

Country: United States

Also found in: Israel; Kazakhstan; Kyrgyzstan

Population: 63,500

Global Population: 125,775

Engagement Status: Engaged

**Progress of the Gospel:** Less than 2% Evangelical, No Active CP Activity

**Overview:** The Bukharic Jews of United States have a population of 63,500. They are part of the Jews people cluster. The global population of this people group is 125,775. Their primary language is Bukharic - (bhh). The primary religion practiced by the Bukharic Jews is Judaism, a religion developed among the ancient Hebrews and characterized by belief in one transcendent God who has revealed himself to Abraham, Moses, and the Hebrew prophets and by a religious life in accordance with Scriptures and rabbinic traditions. Their GSEC status is 1, which means this people group is less than 2% evangelical, some evangelical resources are available, but there has been no active church planting among them within the past two years.

PEID: 47643

ROP: 104244

Bible Translations: Not Available

Jesus Film: Not Available

Gospel Recordings: Not Available



  
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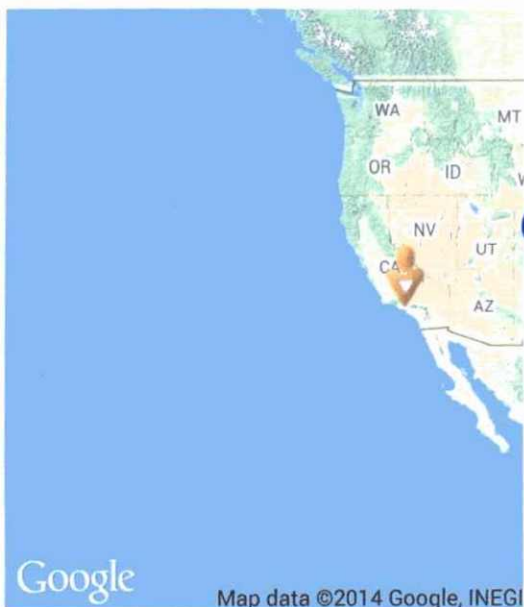
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PEID: 43281

ROP: 104088

Affinity Group: Northern African and Middle Eastern Peoples

Affinity Bloc: Jews

People Cluster: Jews

Language: Hebrew - (heb)

Alternative Name(s):

Primary Religion: Ethnic Religions - Judaism

Country: United States

Also found in: Canada; Israel; United Kingdom; Yemen

Population: 242,000

Global Population: 4,296,500

Engagement Status: Engaged

**Progress of the Gospel:** Less than 2% Evangelical, Concentrated CP Activity

**Overview:** The Israeli Jews of United States have a population of 242,000. They are part of the Jews people cluster. The global population of this people group is 4,296,500. Their primary language is Hebrew - (heb). The primary religion practiced by the Israeli Jews is Judaism, a religion developed among the ancient Hebrews and characterized by belief in one transcendent God who has revealed himself to Abraham, Moses, and the Hebrew prophets and by a religious life in accordance with Scriptures and rabbinic traditions. Their GSEC status is 2, which means this people group is less than 2% evangelical but there has been initial or concentrated church planting among them within the past two years.

Bible Translations: Available

Jesus Film: Available

Gospel Recordings: Available