



# Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton, PA-NJ

2021

Mean Appraised Value

**\$ 297,550**

Mean Appraised Value in  
Communities of Color

**\$256,603**



Mean Appraised Value in  
White Neighborhoods

**\$312,096**

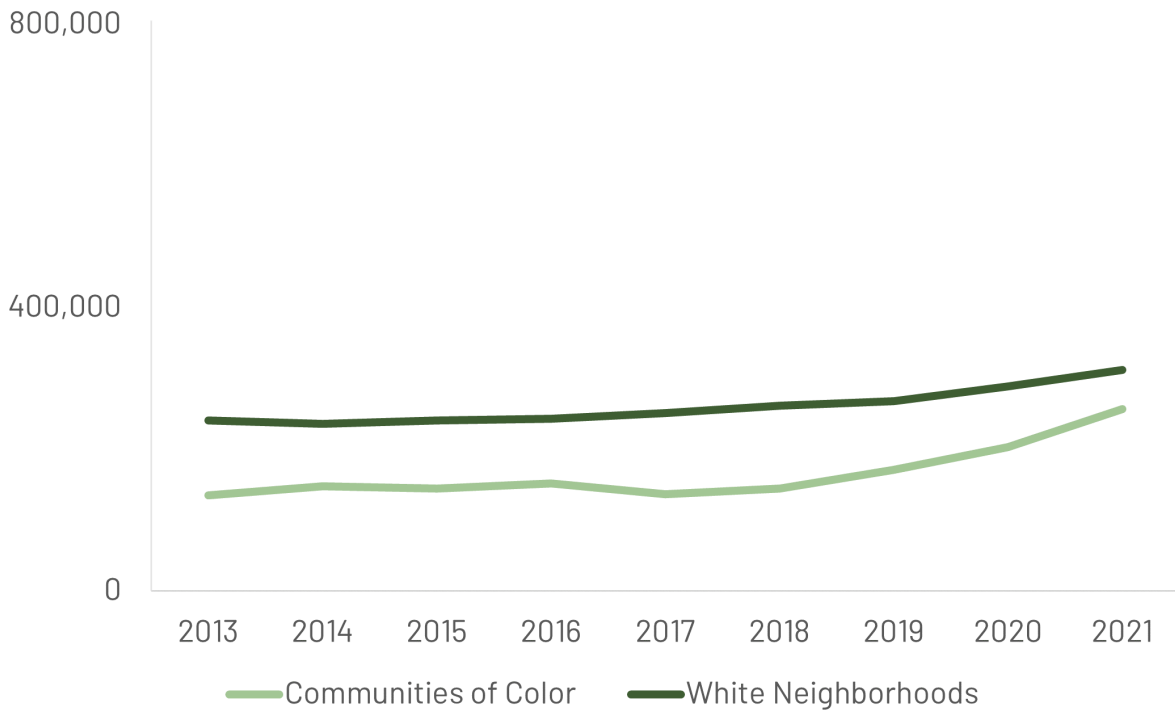
Appraisers determine a home's value by taking into consideration the property and neighborhood characteristics. To make an "apples to apples" comparison, we use a regression model that takes into consideration neighborhood housing stock (e.g., size, type, age), socioeconomic status (e.g., property owners, employment rates, poverty), and amenities (e.g., retail stores, entertainment, services, parks). The above estimates are the mean appraised values in the metropolitan area for neighborhood with average housing stock, socioeconomic, and amenities.



# Over Time, 2013-2021

Figure 1

## Mean Appraised Values Over Time 2013-2021



Source: Authors' analysis of FHFA UAD, 2006-2010, 2011-2015, and 2016-2020 American Community Survey 5-year estimates and 2013-2018 National Neighborhood Data Archive.

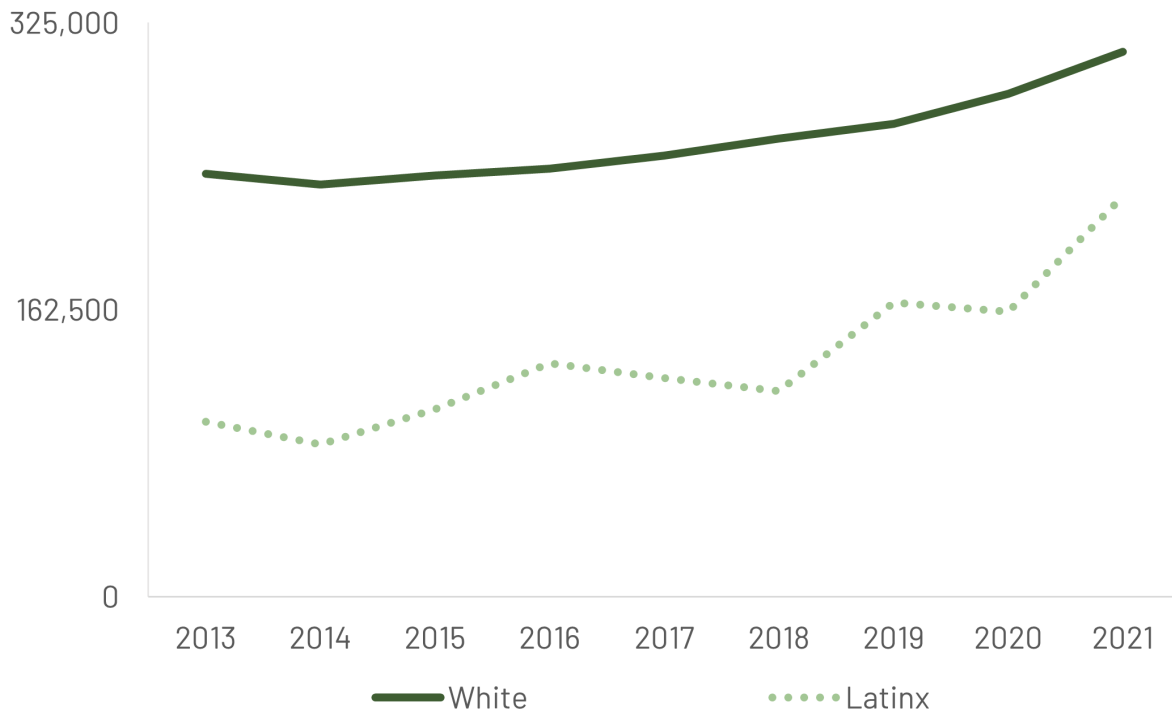
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Communities of Color	134,589	147,200	144,068	151,705	136,750	144,151	170,535	202,693	256,603
White Neighborhoods	240,197	235,334	240,234	243,115	250,557	261,179	267,912	288,917	312,096



# By Racial Group

Figure 2

## Mean Appraised Values Over Time 2013-2021



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## Metropolitan Area Racial Group Proportions, 2021



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