

55.25

Digital Divide Index Score

2017 DIGITAL DIVIDE PROFILE

LaPorte County, Indiana

The digital divide index score (DDI) ranges between 0 and 100, where a lower score indicates a lower divide. The infrastructure adoption score and the socioeconomic score both in a 0 to 100 range as well contribute to the overall DDI. Listed below each score are the indicators used.

36.15

Infrastructure/Adoption Score

If this score is much higher than the socioeconomic score, efforts should be made to upgrade the broadband infrastructure.



61.2%

of people not using the internet at a minimum of 25 Mbps



22.4%

of households with no internet access (not subscribing)



14.3%

of households without a computing device



228.065

average maximum advertised download speed in Mbps



24.014

average maximum advertised upload speed in Mbps

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Socioeconomic Score

If this score is much higher than the infrastructure/adoption score, efforts should be made to focus on digital literacy and exposing residents to the benefits of the technology.



16.3%

population ages 65 and older



16.6%

of individuals in poverty



12.1%

ages 25 and older with less than a high school degree



13.5%

noninstitutionalized civilian population with a disability

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48.29

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30.69

Infrastructure/Adoption Score

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0.3%

of people without access to fixed broadband of at least 25 Mbps down and 3 Mbps up



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of households with no internet access (not subscribing)



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