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2010-2014 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Supporting documentation on code lists, subject definitions, data accuracy, and statistical testing can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Data and Documentation section.

Sample size and data quality measures (including coverage rates, allocation rates, and response rates) can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Methodology section.

Although the American Community Survey (ACS) produces population, demographic and housing unit estimates, it is the Census Bureau's Population Estimates Program that produces and disseminates the official estimates of the population for the nation, states, counties, cities and towns and estimates of housing units for states and counties.

Subject	Albany-Schenectady-Troy, NY Metro Area			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS</b>				
Population 16 years and over	715,572	+/-610	715,572	(X)
In labor force	471,762	+/-2,397	65.9%	+/-0.3
Civilian labor force	469,726	+/-2,448	65.6%	+/-0.3
Employed	434,944	+/-2,760	60.8%	+/-0.4
Unemployed	34,782	+/-1,561	4.9%	+/-0.2
Armed Forces	2,036	+/-395	0.3%	+/-0.1
Not in labor force	243,810	+/-2,412	34.1%	+/-0.3
Civilian labor force	469,726	+/-2,448	469,726	(X)
Percent Unemployed	(X)	(X)	7.4%	+/-0.3
<b>Females 16 years and over</b>				
In labor force	229,197	+/-1,568	62.0%	+/-0.4
Civilian labor force	228,937	+/-1,577	62.0%	+/-0.4
Employed	213,424	+/-1,757	57.8%	+/-0.5
<b>Own children under 6 years</b>				
All parents in family in labor force	39,165	+/-1,049	72.1%	+/-1.7
<b>Own children 6 to 17 years</b>				
All parents in family in labor force	92,058	+/-1,659	76.5%	+/-1.2
<b>COMMUTING TO WORK</b>				
Workers 16 years and over	427,887	+/-2,660	427,887	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	344,331	+/-2,753	80.5%	+/-0.4
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	32,920	+/-1,359	7.7%	+/-0.3
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	13,761	+/-921	3.2%	+/-0.2
Walked	15,762	+/-834	3.7%	+/-0.2
Other means	5,157	+/-589	1.2%	+/-0.1
Worked at home	15,956	+/-836	3.7%	+/-0.2
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	22.5	+/-0.2	(X)	(X)
<b>OCCUPATION</b>				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	434,944	+/-2,760	434,944	(X)

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Management, business, science, and arts occupations	180,718	+/-3,149	41.5%	+/-0.7
Service occupations	73,402	+/-1,676	16.9%	+/-0.4
Sales and office occupations	111,073	+/-2,152	25.5%	+/-0.5
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	31,539	+/-1,208	7.3%	+/-0.3
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	38,212	+/-1,537	8.8%	+/-0.3
<b>INDUSTRY</b>				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	434,944	+/-2,760	434,944	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	2,685	+/-367	0.6%	+/-0.1
Construction	24,676	+/-1,232	5.7%	+/-0.3
Manufacturing	30,089	+/-1,217	6.9%	+/-0.3
Wholesale trade	9,811	+/-604	2.3%	+/-0.1
Retail trade	49,928	+/-1,655	11.5%	+/-0.4
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	17,711	+/-918	4.1%	+/-0.2
Information	8,947	+/-678	2.1%	+/-0.2
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	29,944	+/-1,257	6.9%	+/-0.3
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	44,268	+/-1,470	10.2%	+/-0.3
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	117,420	+/-1,925	27.0%	+/-0.4
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	36,773	+/-1,457	8.5%	+/-0.3
Other services, except public administration	19,516	+/-954	4.5%	+/-0.2
Public administration	43,176	+/-1,380	9.9%	+/-0.3
<b>CLASS OF WORKER</b>				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	434,944	+/-2,760	434,944	(X)
Private wage and salary workers	318,700	+/-3,176	73.3%	+/-0.5
Government workers	94,267	+/-1,851	21.7%	+/-0.4
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	21,630	+/-1,030	5.0%	+/-0.2
Unpaid family workers	347	+/-111	0.1%	+/-0.1
<b>INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2014 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)</b>				
Total households	347,401	+/-1,598	347,401	(X)
Less than \$10,000	18,995	+/-929	5.5%	+/-0.3
\$10,000 to \$14,999	16,692	+/-806	4.8%	+/-0.2
\$15,000 to \$24,999	31,116	+/-1,203	9.0%	+/-0.3
\$25,000 to \$34,999	30,672	+/-963	8.8%	+/-0.3
\$35,000 to \$49,999	43,088	+/-1,133	12.4%	+/-0.3
\$50,000 to \$74,999	65,060	+/-1,520	18.7%	+/-0.4
\$75,000 to \$99,999	48,094	+/-1,338	13.8%	+/-0.4
\$100,000 to \$149,999	57,496	+/-1,225	16.6%	+/-0.3
\$150,000 to \$199,999	21,171	+/-688	6.1%	+/-0.2
\$200,000 or more	15,017	+/-704	4.3%	+/-0.2
Median household income (dollars)	61,841	+/-609	(X)	(X)
Mean household income (dollars)	78,155	+/-805	(X)	(X)
<b>With earnings</b>				
Mean earnings (dollars)	79,729	+/-892	(X)	(X)
<b>With Social Security</b>				
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	18,590	+/-199	(X)	(X)
<b>With retirement income</b>				
Mean retirement income (dollars)	27,345	+/-622	(X)	(X)
<b>With Supplemental Security Income</b>				
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	9,678	+/-320	(X)	(X)
With cash public assistance income	9,076	+/-627	2.6%	+/-0.2

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Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	3,992	+/-304	(X)	(X)
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	37,201	+/-1,239	10.7%	+/-0.4
Families	209,820	+/-1,841	209,820	(X)
Less than \$10,000	6,957	+/-546	3.3%	+/-0.3
\$10,000 to \$14,999	4,747	+/-496	2.3%	+/-0.2
\$15,000 to \$24,999	11,419	+/-684	5.4%	+/-0.3
\$25,000 to \$34,999	13,265	+/-731	6.3%	+/-0.3
\$35,000 to \$49,999	21,668	+/-924	10.3%	+/-0.4
\$50,000 to \$74,999	39,135	+/-1,032	18.7%	+/-0.5
\$75,000 to \$99,999	33,614	+/-1,009	16.0%	+/-0.5
\$100,000 to \$149,999	46,839	+/-1,195	22.3%	+/-0.5
\$150,000 to \$199,999	18,711	+/-665	8.9%	+/-0.3
\$200,000 or more	13,465	+/-646	6.4%	+/-0.3
Median family income (dollars)	80,425	+/-739	(X)	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	95,734	+/-1,100	(X)	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)	32,069	+/-310	(X)	(X)
Nonfamily households	137,581	+/-1,978	137,581	(X)
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	38,029	+/-866	(X)	(X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	48,717	+/-913	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	34,861	+/-537	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	53,778	+/-664	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	44,437	+/-723	(X)	(X)
<b>HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE</b>				
Civilian noninstitutionalized population	864,808	+/-1,107	864,808	(X)
With health insurance coverage	807,052	+/-2,353	93.3%	+/-0.3
With private health insurance	666,000	+/-4,134	77.0%	+/-0.5
With public coverage	259,869	+/-3,274	30.0%	+/-0.4
No health insurance coverage	57,756	+/-2,190	6.7%	+/-0.3
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 18 years	181,292	+/-158	181,292	(X)
No health insurance coverage	5,414	+/-840	3.0%	+/-0.5
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 18 to 64 years	560,005	+/-719	560,005	(X)
In labor force:	442,243	+/-2,162	442,243	(X)
Employed:	410,488	+/-2,514	410,488	(X)
With health insurance coverage	377,010	+/-2,695	91.8%	+/-0.3
With private health insurance	353,536	+/-3,007	86.1%	+/-0.4
With public coverage	32,083	+/-1,293	7.8%	+/-0.3
No health insurance coverage	33,478	+/-1,447	8.2%	+/-0.3
Unemployed:	31,755	+/-1,477	31,755	(X)
With health insurance coverage	22,816	+/-1,213	71.9%	+/-2.1
With private health insurance	13,798	+/-922	43.5%	+/-2.3
With public coverage	10,038	+/-772	31.6%	+/-2.0
No health insurance coverage	8,939	+/-809	28.1%	+/-2.1
Not in labor force:	117,762	+/-2,071	117,762	(X)
With health insurance coverage	108,090	+/-1,940	91.8%	+/-0.6
With private health insurance	75,381	+/-1,674	64.0%	+/-1.2
With public coverage	43,101	+/-1,607	36.6%	+/-1.1
No health insurance coverage	9,672	+/-735	8.2%	+/-0.6

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PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL				
All families	(X)	(X)	7.7%	+/-0.3
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	14.0%	+/-0.7
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	14.5%	+/-1.9
Married couple families	(X)	(X)	2.8%	+/-0.3
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	4.2%	+/-0.6
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	2.9%	+/-1.0
Families with female householder, no husband present	(X)	(X)	25.7%	+/-1.5
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	36.5%	+/-2.0
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	40.8%	+/-5.2
All people	(X)	(X)	11.5%	+/-0.3
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	16.3%	+/-0.7
Related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	16.1%	+/-0.8
Related children under 5 years	(X)	(X)	19.0%	+/-1.3
Related children 5 to 17 years	(X)	(X)	15.1%	+/-0.9
18 years and over	(X)	(X)	10.3%	+/-0.3
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	11.0%	+/-0.4
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	6.9%	+/-0.5
People in families	(X)	(X)	8.6%	+/-0.4
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	(X)	(X)	21.4%	+/-0.7

Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see Accuracy of the Data). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

Workers include members of the Armed Forces and civilians who were at work last week.

Occupation codes are 4-digit codes and are based on Standard Occupational Classification 2010.

Industry codes are 4-digit codes and are based on the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS). The Census industry codes for 2013 and later years are based on the 2012 revision of the NAICS. To allow for the creation of 2010-2014 tables, industry data in the multiyear files (2010-2014) were recoded to 2013 Census industry codes. We recommend using caution when comparing data coded using 2013 Census industry codes with data coded using Census industry codes prior to 2013. For more information on the Census industry code changes, please visit our website at <http://www.census.gov/people/io/methodology/>.

Logical coverage edits applying a rules-based assignment of Medicaid, Medicare and military health coverage were added as of 2009 -- please see [http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/hlthins/publications/coverage\\_edits\\_final.pdf](http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/hlthins/publications/coverage_edits_final.pdf) for more details. The corresponding 2008 data table in American FactFinder does not incorporate these edits and is therefore not comparable to this table in 2009, 2010, 2011, or 2012. Select geographies of 2008 data comparable to the 2009, 2010, 2011, and 2012 tables are accessible at <http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/hlthins/data/acs/2008/re-run.html>.

The health insurance coverage category names were modified in 2010. See ACS Health Insurance Definitions for a list of the insurance type definitions.

While the 2010-2014 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the February 2013 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2010 data. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2010-2014 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Explanation of Symbols:

1. An '\*\*\*' entry in the margin of error column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the margin of error. A statistical test is not appropriate.
2. An '-' entry in the estimate column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute an estimate, or a ratio of medians cannot be calculated because one or both of the median estimates falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
3. An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
4. An '+' following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
5. An '\*\*\*' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the median falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution. A statistical test is not appropriate.
6. An '\*\*\*\*\*' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.
7. An 'N' entry in the estimate and margin of error columns indicates that data for this geographic area cannot be displayed because the number of sample cases is too small.
8. An '(X)' means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.