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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	Schenectady County, New York			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
<b>HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE</b>				
Total households	57,846	+/-739	57,846	(X)
Family households (families)	35,512	+/-711	61.4%	+/-1.1
With own children under 18 years	14,877	+/-549	25.7%	+/-0.9
Married-couple family	26,547	+/-706	45.9%	+/-1.2
With own children under 18 years	10,048	+/-526	17.4%	+/-0.9
Male householder, no wife present, family	1,870	+/-276	3.2%	+/-0.5
With own children under 18 years	1,029	+/-204	1.8%	+/-0.4
Female householder, no husband present, family	7,095	+/-530	12.3%	+/-0.9
With own children under 18 years	3,800	+/-430	6.6%	+/-0.7
Nonfamily households	22,334	+/-752	38.6%	+/-1.1
Householder living alone	19,073	+/-742	33.0%	+/-1.1
65 years and over	7,155	+/-486	12.4%	+/-0.8
Households with one or more people under 18 years	16,154	+/-561	27.9%	+/-0.9
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	16,027	+/-344	27.7%	+/-0.6
Average household size	2.60	+/-0.03	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.39	+/-0.06	(X)	(X)
<b>RELATIONSHIP</b>				
Population in households	150,684	+/-522	150,684	(X)

Subject	Schenectady County, New York			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Householder	57,846	+/-739	38.4%	+/-0.5
Spouse	26,606	+/-689	17.7%	+/-0.4
Child	50,063	+/-1,005	33.2%	+/-0.6
Other relatives	8,369	+/-818	5.6%	+/-0.5
Nonrelatives	7,800	+/-713	5.2%	+/-0.5
Unmarried partner	3,414	+/-412	2.3%	+/-0.3
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>				
Males 15 years and over	60,681	+/-79	60,681	(X)
Never married	23,452	+/-703	38.6%	+/-1.2
Now married, except separated	29,023	+/-852	47.8%	+/-1.4
Separated	1,268	+/-265	2.1%	+/-0.4
Widowed	1,948	+/-279	3.2%	+/-0.5
Divorced	4,990	+/-468	8.2%	+/-0.8
Females 15 years and over	66,049	+/-61	66,049	(X)
Never married	20,776	+/-613	31.5%	+/-0.9
Now married, except separated	28,758	+/-921	43.5%	+/-1.4
Separated	1,476	+/-245	2.2%	+/-0.4
Widowed	7,761	+/-430	11.8%	+/-0.7
Divorced	7,278	+/-508	11.0%	+/-0.8
<b>FERTILITY</b>				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	1,849	+/-284	1,849	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	561	+/-175	30.3%	+/-8.3
Per 1,000 unmarried women	26	+/-8	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	50	+/-8	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	3	+/-5	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	99	+/-16	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	21	+/-7	(X)	(X)
<b>GRANDPARENTS</b>				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	2,627	+/-436	2,627	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	756	+/-212	28.8%	+/-7.5
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	160	+/-97	6.1%	+/-3.6
1 or 2 years	170	+/-92	6.5%	+/-3.5
3 or 4 years	93	+/-67	3.5%	+/-2.4
5 or more years	333	+/-135	12.7%	+/-5.3
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	756	+/-212	756	(X)
Who are female	512	+/-164	67.7%	+/-8.8

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Who are married	424	+/-172	56.1%	+/-14.5
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	38,622	+/-713	38,622	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	1,645	+/-315	4.3%	+/-0.8
Kindergarten	1,712	+/-318	4.4%	+/-0.8
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	15,847	+/-372	41.0%	+/-1.2
High school (grades 9-12)	8,162	+/-315	21.1%	+/-0.9
College or graduate school	11,256	+/-669	29.1%	+/-1.3
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	105,576	+/-55	105,576	(X)
Less than 9th grade	3,485	+/-368	3.3%	+/-0.3
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	6,727	+/-660	6.4%	+/-0.6
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	32,681	+/-1,098	31.0%	+/-1.0
Some college, no degree	18,949	+/-969	17.9%	+/-0.9
Associate's degree	12,284	+/-777	11.6%	+/-0.7
Bachelor's degree	16,847	+/-828	16.0%	+/-0.8
Graduate or professional degree	14,603	+/-726	13.8%	+/-0.7
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	90.3%	+/-0.7
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	29.8%	+/-1.0
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	120,242	+/-65	120,242	(X)
Civilian veterans	10,086	+/-442	8.4%	+/-0.4
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	153,498	+/-399	153,498	(X)
With a disability	19,659	+/-1,015	12.8%	+/-0.7
Under 18 years	34,713	+/-88	34,713	(X)
With a disability	1,356	+/-285	3.9%	+/-0.8
18 to 64 years	96,367	+/-314	96,367	(X)
With a disability	10,258	+/-733	10.6%	+/-0.8
65 years and over	22,418	+/-219	22,418	(X)
With a disability	8,045	+/-503	35.9%	+/-2.2
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	153,469	+/-287	153,469	(X)
Same house	139,318	+/-1,278	90.8%	+/-0.8

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Different house in the U.S.	13,602	+/-1,312	8.9%	+/-0.9
Same county	7,766	+/-1,025	5.1%	+/-0.7
Different county	5,836	+/-768	3.8%	+/-0.5
Same state	4,342	+/-667	2.8%	+/-0.4
Different state	1,494	+/-344	1.0%	+/-0.2
Abroad	549	+/-206	0.4%	+/-0.1
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	155,178	*****	155,178	(X)
Native	141,102	+/-1,079	90.9%	+/-0.7
Born in United States	138,730	+/-1,034	89.4%	+/-0.7
State of residence	119,684	+/-1,374	77.1%	+/-0.9
Different state	19,046	+/-1,018	12.3%	+/-0.7
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	2,372	+/-300	1.5%	+/-0.2
Foreign born	14,076	+/-1,079	9.1%	+/-0.7
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	14,076	+/-1,079	14,076	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	9,041	+/-804	64.2%	+/-3.8
Not a U.S. citizen	5,035	+/-710	35.8%	+/-3.8
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	16,448	+/-1,034	16,448	(X)
Native	2,372	+/-300	2,372	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	143	+/-133	6.0%	+/-5.4
Entered before 2010	2,229	+/-274	94.0%	+/-5.4
Foreign born	14,076	+/-1,079	14,076	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	1,026	+/-284	7.3%	+/-2.0
Entered before 2010	13,050	+/-1,067	92.7%	+/-2.0
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	14,076	+/-1,079	14,076	(X)
Europe	2,951	+/-407	21.0%	+/-2.8
Asia	3,871	+/-657	27.5%	+/-3.8
Africa	723	+/-247	5.1%	+/-1.8
Oceania	14	+/-24	0.1%	+/-0.2
Latin America	6,170	+/-748	43.8%	+/-3.9
Northern America	347	+/-137	2.5%	+/-1.0
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	145,905	+/-76	145,905	(X)

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English only	131,560	+/-1,128	90.2%	+/-0.8
Language other than English	14,345	+/-1,120	9.8%	+/-0.8
Speak English less than "very well"	5,155	+/-662	3.5%	+/-0.5
Spanish	5,421	+/-538	3.7%	+/-0.4
Speak English less than "very well"	1,933	+/-312	1.3%	+/-0.2
Other Indo-European languages	5,740	+/-896	3.9%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	1,930	+/-474	1.3%	+/-0.3
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	2,170	+/-405	1.5%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	832	+/-264	0.6%	+/-0.2
Other languages	1,014	+/-329	0.7%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	460	+/-196	0.3%	+/-0.1
ANCESTRY				
Total population	155,178	*****	155,178	(X)
American	8,780	+/-918	5.7%	+/-0.6
Arab	719	+/-257	0.5%	+/-0.2
Czech	594	+/-198	0.4%	+/-0.1
Danish	505	+/-205	0.3%	+/-0.1
Dutch	5,688	+/-657	3.7%	+/-0.4
English	13,103	+/-905	8.4%	+/-0.6
French (except Basque)	9,096	+/-946	5.9%	+/-0.6
French Canadian	2,531	+/-369	1.6%	+/-0.2
German	22,936	+/-1,229	14.8%	+/-0.8
Greek	735	+/-203	0.5%	+/-0.1
Hungarian	776	+/-218	0.5%	+/-0.1
Irish	26,872	+/-1,313	17.3%	+/-0.8
Italian	30,173	+/-1,429	19.4%	+/-0.9
Lithuanian	869	+/-223	0.6%	+/-0.1
Norwegian	645	+/-201	0.4%	+/-0.1
Polish	12,706	+/-1,073	8.2%	+/-0.7
Portuguese	268	+/-159	0.2%	+/-0.1
Russian	1,566	+/-284	1.0%	+/-0.2
Scotch-Irish	863	+/-176	0.6%	+/-0.1
Scottish	3,141	+/-460	2.0%	+/-0.3
Slovak	607	+/-189	0.4%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	1,257	+/-413	0.8%	+/-0.3
Swedish	939	+/-228	0.6%	+/-0.1
Swiss	322	+/-123	0.2%	+/-0.1
Ukrainian	829	+/-222	0.5%	+/-0.1
Welsh	941	+/-222	0.6%	+/-0.1
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	1,362	+/-342	0.9%	+/-0.2
COMPUTERS AND INTERNET USE				
Total Households	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
With a computer	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a broadband Internet subscription	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

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.

Fertility data are not available for certain geographic areas due to problems with data collection. See Errata Note #92 for details.

Methodological changes to data collection in 2013 may have affected language data for 2013. Users should be aware of these changes when using multi-year data containing data from 2013.

The Census Bureau introduced a new set of disability questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Accordingly, comparisons of disability data from 2008 or later with data from prior years are not recommended. For more information on these questions and their evaluation in the 2006 ACS Content Test, see the Evaluation Report Covering Disability.

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.