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DP02	SELECTED SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS IN THE UNITED STATES
	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	Hoosick town, Rensselaer County, New York			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	2,767	+/-187	2,767	(X)
Family households (families)	1,766	+/-125	63.8%	+/-5.1
With own children under 18 years	705	+/-102	25.5%	+/-4.2
Married-couple family	1,313	+/-136	47.5%	+/-5.5
With own children under 18 years	472	+/-89	17.1%	+/-3.7
Male householder, no wife present, family	94	+/-61	3.4%	+/-2.2
With own children under 18 years	16	+/-21	0.6%	+/-0.8
Female householder, no husband present, family	359	+/-116	13.0%	+/-4.1
With own children under 18 years	217	+/-91	7.8%	+/-3.2
Nonfamily households	1,001	+/-188	36.2%	+/-5.1
Householder living alone	829	+/-168	30.0%	+/-4.6
65 years and over	365	+/-99	13.2%	+/-3.3
Households with one or more people under 18 years	746	+/-96	27.0%	+/-4.1
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	823	+/-115	29.7%	+/-3.8
Average household size	2.45	+/-0.17	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.05	+/-0.20	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	6,783	+/-71	6,783	(X)

Subject	Hoosick town, Rensselaer County, New York			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Householder	2,767	+/-187	40.8%	+/-2.8
Spouse	1,298	+/-139	19.1%	+/-2.0
Child	2,089	+/-247	30.8%	+/-3.6
Other relatives	233	+/-107	3.4%	+/-1.6
Nonrelatives	396	+/-108	5.8%	+/-1.6
Unmarried partner	243	+/-97	3.6%	+/-1.4
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	2,791	+/-174	2,791	(X)
Never married	1,091	+/-189	39.1%	+/-5.7
Now married, except separated	1,395	+/-148	50.0%	+/-5.4
Separated	20	+/-23	0.7%	+/-0.8
Widowed	84	+/-46	3.0%	+/-1.7
Divorced	201	+/-83	7.2%	+/-2.9
Females 15 years and over	2,948	+/-202	2,948	(X)
Never married	824	+/-157	28.0%	+/-4.8
Now married, except separated	1,346	+/-144	45.7%	+/-5.3
Separated	122	+/-74	4.1%	+/-2.5
Widowed	309	+/-117	10.5%	+/-3.7
Divorced	347	+/-138	11.8%	+/-4.5
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	38	+/-33	38	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	38	+/-33	100.0%	+/-46.2
Per 1,000 unmarried women	41	+/-36	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	23	+/-20	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	45	+/-64	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	55	+/-57	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	0	+/-32	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	93	+/-72	93	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	65	+/-57	69.9%	+/-28.2
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	45	+/-50	48.4%	+/-37.3
1 or 2 years	0	+/-16	0.0%	+/-27.0
3 or 4 years	20	+/-24	21.5%	+/-23.5
5 or more years	0	+/-16	0.0%	+/-27.0
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	65	+/-57	65	(X)
Who are female	22	+/-25	33.8%	+/-18.1

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Who are married	55	+/-53	84.6%	+/-27.3
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	1,702	+/-215	1,702	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	136	+/-81	8.0%	+/-4.7
Kindergarten	55	+/-42	3.2%	+/-2.6
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	649	+/-146	38.1%	+/-6.3
High school (grades 9-12)	542	+/-143	31.8%	+/-7.1
College or graduate school	320	+/-89	18.8%	+/-5.2
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	4,807	+/-272	4,807	(X)
Less than 9th grade	86	+/-40	1.8%	+/-0.8
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	386	+/-187	8.0%	+/-3.8
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	1,579	+/-221	32.8%	+/-4.4
Some college, no degree	940	+/-200	19.6%	+/-3.6
Associate's degree	774	+/-203	16.1%	+/-4.2
Bachelor's degree	748	+/-155	15.6%	+/-3.2
Graduate or professional degree	294	+/-76	6.1%	+/-1.6
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	90.2%	+/-3.9
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	21.7%	+/-3.9
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	5,395	+/-218	5,395	(X)
Civilian veterans	500	+/-113	9.3%	+/-2.1
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	6,784	+/-71	6,784	(X)
With a disability	866	+/-143	12.8%	+/-2.1
Under 18 years	1,470	+/-215	1,470	(X)
With a disability	21	+/-22	1.4%	+/-1.5
18 to 64 years	4,218	+/-185	4,218	(X)
With a disability	452	+/-130	10.7%	+/-3.2
65 years and over	1,096	+/-139	1,096	(X)
With a disability	393	+/-94	35.9%	+/-7.2
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	6,824	+/-39	6,824	(X)
Same house	6,270	+/-212	91.9%	+/-3.0

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Different house in the U.S.	554	+/-202	8.1%	+/-3.0
Same county	364	+/-159	5.3%	+/-2.3
Different county	190	+/-103	2.8%	+/-1.5
Same state	124	+/-89	1.8%	+/-1.3
Different state	66	+/-55	1.0%	+/-0.8
Abroad	0	+/-16	0.0%	+/-0.4
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	6,865	+/-23	6,865	(X)
Native	6,729	+/-78	98.0%	+/-1.1
Born in United States	6,721	+/-79	97.9%	+/-1.1
State of residence	2,972	+/-345	43.3%	+/-5.0
Different state	3,749	+/-341	54.6%	+/-5.0
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	8	+/-14	0.1%	+/-0.2
Foreign born	136	+/-73	2.0%	+/-1.1
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	136	+/-73	136	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	69	+/-50	50.7%	+/-25.1
Not a U.S. citizen	67	+/-50	49.3%	+/-25.1
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	144	+/-74	144	(X)
Native	8	+/-14	8	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	0	+/-16	0.0%	+/-100.0
Entered before 2010	8	+/-14	100.0%	+/-100.0
Foreign born	136	+/-73	136	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	23	+/-37	16.9%	+/-23.5
Entered before 2010	113	+/-57	83.1%	+/-23.5
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	136	+/-73	136	(X)
Europe	54	+/-45	39.7%	+/-26.7
Asia	30	+/-31	22.1%	+/-21.6
Africa	0	+/-16	0.0%	+/-19.7
Oceania	0	+/-16	0.0%	+/-19.7
Latin America	27	+/-28	19.9%	+/-16.2
Northern America	25	+/-37	18.4%	+/-25.6
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	6,586	+/-113	6,586	(X)

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English only	6,334	+/-153	96.2%	+/-1.8
Language other than English	252	+/-116	3.8%	+/-1.8
Speak English less than "very well"	99	+/-61	1.5%	+/-0.9
Spanish	70	+/-46	1.1%	+/-0.7
Speak English less than "very well"	37	+/-30	0.6%	+/-0.5
Other Indo-European languages	118	+/-79	1.8%	+/-1.2
Speak English less than "very well"	47	+/-52	0.7%	+/-0.8
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	20	+/-26	0.3%	+/-0.4
Speak English less than "very well"	15	+/-23	0.2%	+/-0.3
Other languages	44	+/-63	0.7%	+/-0.9
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-16	0.0%	+/-0.5
ANCESTRY				
Total population	6,865	+/-23	6,865	(X)
American	542	+/-203	7.9%	+/-3.0
Arab	0	+/-16	0.0%	+/-0.4
Czech	13	+/-16	0.2%	+/-0.2
Danish	223	+/-190	3.2%	+/-2.8
Dutch	283	+/-130	4.1%	+/-1.9
English	750	+/-207	10.9%	+/-3.0
French (except Basque)	679	+/-253	9.9%	+/-3.7
French Canadian	191	+/-111	2.8%	+/-1.6
German	1,107	+/-290	16.1%	+/-4.2
Greek	3	+/-7	0.0%	+/-0.1
Hungarian	0	+/-16	0.0%	+/-0.4
Irish	1,577	+/-353	23.0%	+/-5.1
Italian	629	+/-192	9.2%	+/-2.8
Lithuanian	154	+/-96	2.2%	+/-1.4
Norwegian	10	+/-15	0.1%	+/-0.2
Polish	487	+/-247	7.1%	+/-3.6
Portuguese	28	+/-37	0.4%	+/-0.5
Russian	52	+/-55	0.8%	+/-0.8
Scotch-Irish	23	+/-17	0.3%	+/-0.2
Scottish	401	+/-203	5.8%	+/-3.0
Slovak	0	+/-16	0.0%	+/-0.4
Subsaharan African	8	+/-14	0.1%	+/-0.2
Swedish	51	+/-55	0.7%	+/-0.8
Swiss	0	+/-16	0.0%	+/-0.4
Ukrainian	22	+/-26	0.3%	+/-0.4
Welsh	17	+/-19	0.2%	+/-0.3
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	0	+/-16	0.0%	+/-0.4
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.

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