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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	Niskayuna town, Schenectady County, New York			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
EMPLOYMENT STATUS				
Population 16 years and over	17,188	+/-297	17,188	(X)
In labor force	11,084	+/-401	64.5%	+/-2.1
Civilian labor force	11,070	+/-399	64.4%	+/-2.1
Employed	10,613	+/-417	61.7%	+/-2.1
Unemployed	457	+/-163	2.7%	+/-1.0
Armed Forces	14	+/-22	0.1%	+/-0.1
Not in labor force	6,104	+/-380	35.5%	+/-2.1
Civilian labor force	11,070	+/-399	11,070	(X)
Percent Unemployed	(X)	(X)	4.1%	+/-1.5
Females 16 years and over	8,922	+/-298	8,922	(X)
In labor force	5,035	+/-272	56.4%	+/-2.9
Civilian labor force	5,035	+/-272	56.4%	+/-2.9
Employed	4,852	+/-256	54.4%	+/-2.9
Own children under 6 years	1,816	+/-319	1,816	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	1,397	+/-292	76.9%	+/-9.1
Own children 6 to 17 years	3,431	+/-323	3,431	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	2,629	+/-337	76.6%	+/-6.7

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
COMMUTING TO WORK				
Workers 16 years and over	10,505	+/-420	10,505	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	8,922	+/-441	84.9%	+/-2.6
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	663	+/-185	6.3%	+/-1.8
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	47	+/-36	0.4%	+/-0.3
Walked	249	+/-104	2.4%	+/-1.0
Other means	133	+/-95	1.3%	+/-0.9
Worked at home	491	+/-134	4.7%	+/-1.3
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	20.6	+/-0.9	(X)	(X)
OCCUPATION				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	10,613	+/-417	10,613	(X)
Management, business, science, and arts occupations	6,384	+/-461	60.2%	+/-3.8
Service occupations	868	+/-196	8.2%	+/-1.8
Sales and office occupations	2,065	+/-345	19.5%	+/-3.1
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	611	+/-200	5.8%	+/-1.9
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	685	+/-229	6.5%	+/-2.1
INDUSTRY				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	10,613	+/-417	10,613	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	90	+/-60	0.8%	+/-0.6
Construction	321	+/-111	3.0%	+/-1.0
Manufacturing	768	+/-153	7.2%	+/-1.4
Wholesale trade	121	+/-70	1.1%	+/-0.7
Retail trade	955	+/-241	9.0%	+/-2.2
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	586	+/-214	5.5%	+/-2.0
Information	278	+/-143	2.6%	+/-1.3
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	1,200	+/-256	11.3%	+/-2.4
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	1,487	+/-265	14.0%	+/-2.4
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	3,135	+/-396	29.5%	+/-3.7
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	487	+/-135	4.6%	+/-1.3
Other services, except public administration	458	+/-138	4.3%	+/-1.3
Public administration	727	+/-149	6.9%	+/-1.4
CLASS OF WORKER				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	10,613	+/-417	10,613	(X)
Private wage and salary workers	7,652	+/-451	72.1%	+/-3.6
Government workers	2,167	+/-333	20.4%	+/-3.0
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	794	+/-284	7.5%	+/-2.6
Unpaid family workers	0	+/-21	0.0%	+/-0.3

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2014 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)				
Total households	7,904	+/-253	7,904	(X)
Less than $10,000	269	+/-117	3.4%	+/-1.5
$10,000 to $14,999	166	+/-85	2.1%	+/-1.1
$15,000 to $24,999	354	+/-122	4.5%	+/-1.5
$25,000 to $34,999	369	+/-125	4.7%	+/-1.5
$35,000 to $49,999	577	+/-159	7.3%	+/-2.0
$50,000 to $74,999	1,339	+/-220	16.9%	+/-2.8
$75,000 to $99,999	1,102	+/-194	13.9%	+/-2.4
$100,000 to $149,999	1,871	+/-220	23.7%	+/-2.7
$150,000 to $199,999	913	+/-166	11.6%	+/-2.1
$200,000 or more	944	+/-160	11.9%	+/-2.0
Median household income (dollars)	95,542	+/-3,131	(X)	(X)
Mean household income (dollars)	116,537	+/-6,608	(X)	(X)
With earnings	6,243	+/-216	79.0%	+/-2.0
Mean earnings (dollars)	116,319	+/-8,008	(X)	(X)
With Social Security	2,556	+/-239	32.3%	+/-2.7
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	21,646	+/-1,311	(X)	(X)
With retirement income	2,110	+/-219	26.7%	+/-2.6
Mean retirement income (dollars)	36,600	+/-3,771	(X)	(X)
With Supplemental Security Income	287	+/-129	3.6%	+/-1.7
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	9,264	+/-2,557	(X)	(X)
With cash public assistance income	47	+/-41	0.6%	+/-0.5
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	5,917	+/-2,171	(X)	(X)
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	178	+/-88	2.3%	+/-1.1
Families	5,712	+/-210	5,712	(X)
Less than $10,000	160	+/-100	2.8%	+/-1.7
$10,000 to $14,999	28	+/-31	0.5%	+/-0.5
$15,000 to $24,999	122	+/-62	2.1%	+/-1.1
$25,000 to $34,999	127	+/-85	2.2%	+/-1.5
$35,000 to $49,999	201	+/-91	3.5%	+/-1.6
$50,000 to $74,999	893	+/-205	15.6%	+/-3.5
$75,000 to $99,999	887	+/-146	15.5%	+/-2.4
$100,000 to $149,999	1,589	+/-206	27.8%	+/-3.5
$150,000 to $199,999	842	+/-169	14.7%	+/-3.0
$200,000 or more	863	+/-149	15.1%	+/-2.6
Median family income (dollars)	111,057	+/-4,436	(X)	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	136,904	+/-8,666	(X)	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)	43,572	+/-2,637	(X)	(X)

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Nonfamily households	2,192	+/-290	2,192	(X)
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	47,500	+/-10,924	(X)	(X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	62,161	+/-6,816	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	50,319	+/-2,789	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	76,102	+/-4,728	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	60,417	+/-4,512	(X)	(X)
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE				
Civilian noninstitutionalized population	21,832	+/-51	21,832	(X)
With health insurance coverage	21,088	+/-227	96.6%	+/-1.0
With private health insurance	18,892	+/-627	86.5%	+/-2.9
With public coverage	5,429	+/-501	24.9%	+/-2.3
No health insurance coverage	744	+/-228	3.4%	+/-1.0
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 18 years	5,378	+/-289	5,378	(X)
No health insurance coverage	39	+/-66	0.7%	+/-1.2
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 18 to 64 years	12,667	+/-347	12,667	(X)
In labor force:	10,377	+/-419	10,377	(X)
Employed:	9,958	+/-434	9,958	(X)
With health insurance coverage	9,526	+/-438	95.7%	+/-1.5
With private health insurance	9,346	+/-464	93.9%	+/-2.1
With public coverage	395	+/-154	4.0%	+/-1.6
No health insurance coverage	432	+/-155	4.3%	+/-1.5
Unemployed:	419	+/-165	419	(X)
With health insurance coverage	322	+/-144	76.8%	+/-18.5
With private health insurance	293	+/-143	69.9%	+/-19.8
With public coverage	42	+/-31	10.0%	+/-8.2
No health insurance coverage	97	+/-86	23.2%	+/-18.5
Not in labor force:	2,290	+/-333	2,290	(X)
With health insurance coverage	2,193	+/-314	95.8%	+/-3.4
With private health insurance	1,705	+/-284	74.5%	+/-9.1
With public coverage	741	+/-251	32.4%	+/-9.0
No health insurance coverage	97	+/-82	4.2%	+/-3.4
PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL				
All families	(X)	(X)	3.4%	+/-1.8
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	2.8%	+/-2.9
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	2.3%	+/-3.7
Married couple families	(X)	(X)	2.3%	+/-1.5
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	0.3%	+/-0.7
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	0.0%	+/-4.9

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Families with female householder, no husband present	(X)	(X)	11.7%	+/-11.9
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	17.5%	+/-19.3
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	18.2%	+/-36.0
All people	(X)	(X)	4.3%	+/-1.4
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	3.7%	+/-3.3
Related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	3.7%	+/-3.3
Related children under 5 years	(X)	(X)	1.7%	+/-2.0
Related children 5 to 17 years	(X)	(X)	4.6%	+/-4.6
18 years and over	(X)	(X)	4.5%	+/-1.4
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	4.1%	+/-1.7
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	6.0%	+/-3.4
People in families	(X)	(X)	2.8%	+/-1.6
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	(X)	(X)	13.9%	+/-6.4

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 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.

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.