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2012-2016 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

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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	Brunswick town, Rensselaer County, New York			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	5,176	+/-208	5,176	(X)
Family households (families)	3,478	+/-158	67.2%	+/-4.3
With own children of the householder under 18 years	1,309	+/-144	25.3%	+/-3.2
Married-couple family	3,016	+/-165	58.3%	+/-4.2
With own children of the householder under 18 years	1,081	+/-136	20.9%	+/-3.0
Male householder, no wife present, family	124	+/-62	2.4%	+/-1.2
With own children of the householder under 18 years	50	+/-41	1.0%	+/-0.8
Female householder, no husband present, family	338	+/-103	6.5%	+/-2.0
With own children of the householder under 18 years	178	+/-93	3.4%	+/-1.8
Nonfamily households	1,698	+/-274	32.8%	+/-4.3
Householder living alone	1,384	+/-229	26.7%	+/-3.6
65 years and over	544	+/-159	10.5%	+/-2.9
Households with one or more people under 18 years	1,349	+/-144	26.1%	+/-3.2
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	1,587	+/-166	30.7%	+/-2.9
Average household size	2.38	+/-0.10	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.91	+/-0.10	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	12,341	+/-25	12,341	(X)
Householder	5,176	+/-208	41.9%	+/-1.7
Spouse	3,046	+/-167	24.7%	+/-1.4
Child	3,276	+/-258	26.5%	+/-2.1
Other relatives	316	+/-130	2.6%	+/-1.1
Nonrelatives	527	+/-150	4.3%	+/-1.2
Unmarried partner	293	+/-129	2.4%	+/-1.0

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MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	5,320	+/-247	5,320	(X)
Never married	1,486	+/-252	27.9%	+/-3.9
Now married, except separated	3,193	+/-173	60.0%	+/-4.1
Separated	53	+/-42	1.0%	+/-0.8
Widowed	250	+/-91	4.7%	+/-1.7
Divorced	338	+/-127	6.4%	+/-2.4
Females 15 years and over	5,569	+/-227	5,569	(X)
Never married	1,249	+/-210	22.4%	+/-3.4
Now married, except separated	3,056	+/-171	54.9%	+/-3.8
Separated	66	+/-61	1.2%	+/-1.1
Widowed	358	+/-103	6.4%	+/-1.8
Divorced	840	+/-232	15.1%	+/-4.0
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	113	+/-97	113	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	12	+/-13	10.6%	+/-15.8
Per 1,000 unmarried women	9	+/-10	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	42	+/-36	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	34	+/-39	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	67	+/-63	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	25	+/-39	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	170	+/-112	170	(X)
Grandparents responsible for grandchildren	18	+/-23	10.6%	+/-15.0
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	18	+/-23	10.6%	+/-15.0
1 or 2 years	0	+/-18	0.0%	+/-16.1
3 or 4 years	0	+/-18	0.0%	+/-16.1
5 or more years	0	+/-18	0.0%	+/-16.1
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	18	+/-23	18	(X)
Who are female	18	+/-23	100.0%	+/-67.2
Who are married	0	+/-18	0.0%	+/-67.2
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	2,380	+/-269	2,380	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	171	+/-76	7.2%	+/-3.2
Kindergarten	36	+/-28	1.5%	+/-1.2
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	805	+/-225	33.8%	+/-8.1
High school (grades 9-12)	624	+/-153	26.2%	+/-6.0
College or graduate school	744	+/-153	31.3%	+/-5.4
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	9,484	+/-234	9,484	(X)
Less than 9th grade	97	+/-58	1.0%	+/-0.6
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	298	+/-96	3.1%	+/-1.0
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	2,185	+/-305	23.0%	+/-3.3
Some college, no degree	1,805	+/-258	19.0%	+/-2.6
Associate's degree	1,385	+/-245	14.6%	+/-2.6
Bachelor's degree	1,995	+/-314	21.0%	+/-3.2
Graduate or professional degree	1,719	+/-270	18.1%	+/-2.7
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	95.8%	+/-1.2
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	39.2%	+/-3.9

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VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	10,322	+/-213	10,322	(X)
Civilian veterans	877	+/-168	8.5%	+/-1.6
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	12,360	+/-30	12,360	(X)
With a disability	1,366	+/-259	11.1%	+/-2.1
Under 18 years				
With a disability	85	+/-59	4.2%	+/-2.9
18 to 64 years				
With a disability	572	+/-169	7.1%	+/-2.1
65 years and over				
With a disability	709	+/-164	31.5%	+/-6.6
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	12,228	+/-104	12,228	(X)
Same house	10,974	+/-326	89.7%	+/-2.6
Different house in the U.S.	1,228	+/-318	10.0%	+/-2.6
Same county	496	+/-184	4.1%	+/-1.5
Different county	732	+/-298	6.0%	+/-2.4
Same state	562	+/-260	4.6%	+/-2.1
Different state	170	+/-133	1.4%	+/-1.1
Abroad	26	+/-31	0.2%	+/-0.3
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	12,369	+/-25	12,369	(X)
Native	11,934	+/-136	96.5%	+/-1.1
Born in United States	11,875	+/-129	96.0%	+/-1.0
State of residence	10,302	+/-354	83.3%	+/-2.9
Different state	1,573	+/-321	12.7%	+/-2.6
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	59	+/-48	0.5%	+/-0.4
Foreign born	435	+/-134	3.5%	+/-1.1
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	435	+/-134	435	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	282	+/-109	64.8%	+/-18.1
Not a U.S. citizen	153	+/-94	35.2%	+/-18.1
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	494	+/-127	494	(X)
Native				
Entered 2010 or later	0	+/-18	0.0%	+/-37.0
Entered before 2010	59	+/-48	100.0%	+/-37.0
Foreign born				
Entered 2010 or later	35	+/-38	8.0%	+/-8.2
Entered before 2010	400	+/-127	92.0%	+/-8.2
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	435	+/-134	435	(X)
Europe	93	+/-79	21.4%	+/-16.1
Asia	217	+/-90	49.9%	+/-18.4

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Africa	15	+/-25	3.4%	+/-5.7
Oceania	0	+/-18	0.0%	+/-6.7
Latin America	72	+/-67	16.6%	+/-14.1
Northern America	38	+/-29	8.7%	+/-6.7
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	11,822	+/-174	11,822	(X)
English only	11,394	+/-255	96.4%	+/-1.3
Language other than English	428	+/-155	3.6%	+/-1.3
Speak English less than "very well"	131	+/-89	1.1%	+/-0.8
Spanish	142	+/-95	1.2%	+/-0.8
Speak English less than "very well"	25	+/-29	0.2%	+/-0.2
Other Indo-European languages	194	+/-98	1.6%	+/-0.8
Speak English less than "very well"	76	+/-72	0.6%	+/-0.6
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	70	+/-54	0.6%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	30	+/-33	0.3%	+/-0.3
Other languages	22	+/-33	0.2%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-18	0.0%	+/-0.3
ANCESTRY				
Total population	12,369	+/-25	12,369	(X)
American	440	+/-175	3.6%	+/-1.4
Arab	89	+/-80	0.7%	+/-0.6
Czech	16	+/-20	0.1%	+/-0.2
Danish	38	+/-38	0.3%	+/-0.3
Dutch	375	+/-119	3.0%	+/-1.0
English	1,424	+/-271	11.5%	+/-2.2
French (except Basque)	1,379	+/-383	11.1%	+/-3.1
French Canadian	326	+/-133	2.6%	+/-1.1
German	2,272	+/-354	18.4%	+/-2.9
Greek	101	+/-69	0.8%	+/-0.6
Hungarian	0	+/-18	0.0%	+/-0.2
Irish	4,104	+/-377	33.2%	+/-3.0
Italian	2,322	+/-402	18.8%	+/-3.3
Lithuanian	62	+/-60	0.5%	+/-0.5
Norwegian	257	+/-206	2.1%	+/-1.7
Polish	939	+/-265	7.6%	+/-2.1
Portuguese	0	+/-18	0.0%	+/-0.2
Russian	106	+/-75	0.9%	+/-0.6
Scotch-Irish	110	+/-78	0.9%	+/-0.6
Scottish	236	+/-101	1.9%	+/-0.8
Slovak	20	+/-25	0.2%	+/-0.2
Subsaharan African	0	+/-18	0.0%	+/-0.2
Swedish	219	+/-163	1.8%	+/-1.3
Swiss	71	+/-89	0.6%	+/-0.7
Ukrainian	271	+/-140	2.2%	+/-1.1
Welsh	62	+/-38	0.5%	+/-0.3
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	0	+/-18	0.0%	+/-0.2
COMPUTERS AND INTERNET USE				
Total households	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
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.

Ancestry listed in this table refers to the total number of people who responded with a particular ancestry; for example, the estimate given for Russian represents the number of people who listed Russian as either their first or second ancestry. This table lists only the largest ancestry groups; see the Detailed Tables for more categories. Race and Hispanic origin groups are not included in this table because official data for those groups come from the Race and Hispanic origin questions rather than the ancestry question (see Demographic Table).

Data for year of entry of the native population reflect the year of entry into the U.S. by people who were born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island Areas or born outside the U.S. to a U.S. citizen parent and who subsequently moved to the U.S.

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 2013 data or multi-year data containing data from 2013. For more information, see: Language User Note.

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 2012-2016 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, 2012-2016 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.