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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	North Greenbush town, Rensselaer County, New York			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	4,761	+/-205	4,761	(X)
Family households (families)	3,309	+/-155	69.5%	+/-3.9
With own children of the householder under 18 years	1,213	+/-165	25.5%	+/-3.8
Married-couple family	2,619	+/-185	55.0%	+/-4.0
With own children of the householder under 18 years	935	+/-150	19.6%	+/-3.4
Male householder, no wife present, family	265	+/-82	5.6%	+/-1.7
With own children of the householder under 18 years	154	+/-70	3.2%	+/-1.5
Female householder, no husband present, family	425	+/-120	8.9%	+/-2.6
With own children of the householder under 18 years	124	+/-60	2.6%	+/-1.3
Nonfamily households	1,452	+/-228	30.5%	+/-3.9
Householder living alone	1,245	+/-216	26.1%	+/-3.8
65 years and over	609	+/-143	12.8%	+/-2.8
Households with one or more people under 18 years	1,340	+/-152	28.1%	+/-3.7
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	1,538	+/-203	32.3%	+/-3.7
Average household size	2.47	+/-0.10	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.96	+/-0.11	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	11,743	+/-153	11,743	(X)
Householder	4,761	+/-205	40.5%	+/-1.7
Spouse	2,600	+/-190	22.1%	+/-1.6
Child	3,350	+/-274	28.5%	+/-2.3
Other relatives	523	+/-182	4.5%	+/-1.6
Nonrelatives	509	+/-173	4.3%	+/-1.5
Unmarried partner	288	+/-128	2.5%	+/-1.1

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MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	4,844	+/-259	4,844	(X)
Never married	1,464	+/-289	30.2%	+/-5.0
Now married, except separated	2,731	+/-179	56.4%	+/-4.7
Separated	67	+/-52	1.4%	+/-1.1
Widowed	267	+/-86	5.5%	+/-1.7
Divorced	315	+/-105	6.5%	+/-2.1
Females 15 years and over	5,304	+/-250	5,304	(X)
Never married	1,369	+/-227	25.8%	+/-3.6
Now married, except separated	2,763	+/-201	52.1%	+/-4.4
Separated	77	+/-49	1.5%	+/-0.9
Widowed	593	+/-156	11.2%	+/-2.8
Divorced	502	+/-122	9.5%	+/-2.2
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	174	+/-103	174	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	15	+/-20	8.6%	+/-11.4
Per 1,000 unmarried women	11	+/-15	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	66	+/-40	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/-91	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	89	+/-51	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	64	+/-66	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	206	+/-109	206	(X)
Grandparents responsible for grandchildren	123	+/-98	59.7%	+/-30.5
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	43	+/-64	20.9%	+/-28.2
1 or 2 years	0	+/-18	0.0%	+/-13.5
3 or 4 years	41	+/-65	19.9%	+/-29.7
5 or more years	39	+/-43	18.9%	+/-19.3
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	123	+/-98	123	(X)
Who are female	111	+/-93	90.2%	+/-16.8
Who are married	79	+/-74	64.2%	+/-43.8
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	2,488	+/-314	2,488	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	144	+/-70	5.8%	+/-3.0
Kindergarten	123	+/-65	4.9%	+/-2.5
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	965	+/-210	38.8%	+/-6.5
High school (grades 9-12)	533	+/-133	21.4%	+/-4.6
College or graduate school	723	+/-219	29.1%	+/-8.0
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	8,949	+/-270	8,949	(X)
Less than 9th grade	225	+/-142	2.5%	+/-1.6
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	367	+/-133	4.1%	+/-1.5
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	2,138	+/-269	23.9%	+/-2.9
Some college, no degree	1,638	+/-237	18.3%	+/-2.5
Associate's degree	1,443	+/-217	16.1%	+/-2.4
Bachelor's degree	1,798	+/-234	20.1%	+/-2.7
Graduate or professional degree	1,340	+/-215	15.0%	+/-2.4
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	93.4%	+/-2.2
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	35.1%	+/-3.8

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VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	9,740	+/-256	9,740	(X)
Civilian veterans	964	+/-176	9.9%	+/-1.8
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	11,765	+/-153	11,765	(X)
With a disability	1,446	+/-246	12.3%	+/-2.1
Under 18 years				
With a disability	109	+/-82	4.5%	+/-3.3
18 to 64 years				
With a disability	668	+/-205	9.3%	+/-2.8
65 years and over				
With a disability	669	+/-151	30.7%	+/-6.1
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	11,909	+/-178	11,909	(X)
Same house	10,211	+/-419	85.7%	+/-3.6
Different house in the U.S.	1,679	+/-438	14.1%	+/-3.6
Same county	884	+/-338	7.4%	+/-2.8
Different county	795	+/-326	6.7%	+/-2.7
Same state	676	+/-306	5.7%	+/-2.6
Different state	119	+/-97	1.0%	+/-0.8
Abroad	19	+/-31	0.2%	+/-0.3
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	12,151	+/-45	12,151	(X)
Native	11,336	+/-263	93.3%	+/-2.1
Born in United States	11,261	+/-281	92.7%	+/-2.3
State of residence	9,847	+/-360	81.0%	+/-3.0
Different state	1,414	+/-226	11.6%	+/-1.9
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	75	+/-57	0.6%	+/-0.5
Foreign born	815	+/-261	6.7%	+/-2.1
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	815	+/-261	815	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	538	+/-209	66.0%	+/-11.5
Not a U.S. citizen	277	+/-114	34.0%	+/-11.5
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	890	+/-280	890	(X)
Native				
Entered 2010 or later	48	+/-51	64.0%	+/-35.8
Entered before 2010	27	+/-25	36.0%	+/-35.8
Foreign born				
Entered 2010 or later	121	+/-76	14.8%	+/-8.3
Entered before 2010	694	+/-235	85.2%	+/-8.3
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	815	+/-261	815	(X)
Europe	252	+/-157	30.9%	+/-15.6
Asia	209	+/-148	25.6%	+/-16.4

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Africa	140	+/-132	17.2%	+/-15.4
Oceania	0	+/-18	0.0%	+/-3.6
Latin America	176	+/-126	21.6%	+/-13.4
Northern America	38	+/-32	4.7%	+/-4.5
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	11,354	+/-233	11,354	(X)
English only	10,297	+/-380	90.7%	+/-2.7
Language other than English	1,057	+/-312	9.3%	+/-2.7
Speak English less than "very well"	428	+/-196	3.8%	+/-1.7
Spanish	343	+/-168	3.0%	+/-1.5
Speak English less than "very well"	122	+/-84	1.1%	+/-0.7
Other Indo-European languages	351	+/-171	3.1%	+/-1.5
Speak English less than "very well"	176	+/-144	1.6%	+/-1.3
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	159	+/-133	1.4%	+/-1.2
Speak English less than "very well"	81	+/-73	0.7%	+/-0.6
Other languages	204	+/-127	1.8%	+/-1.1
Speak English less than "very well"	49	+/-62	0.4%	+/-0.5
ANCESTRY				
Total population	12,151	+/-45	12,151	(X)
American	254	+/-95	2.1%	+/-0.8
Arab	274	+/-204	2.3%	+/-1.7
Czech	16	+/-26	0.1%	+/-0.2
Danish	145	+/-134	1.2%	+/-1.1
Dutch	591	+/-277	4.9%	+/-2.3
English	1,209	+/-299	9.9%	+/-2.5
French (except Basque)	1,000	+/-384	8.2%	+/-3.2
French Canadian	210	+/-146	1.7%	+/-1.2
German	2,794	+/-482	23.0%	+/-4.0
Greek	78	+/-63	0.6%	+/-0.5
Hungarian	33	+/-36	0.3%	+/-0.3
Irish	3,171	+/-434	26.1%	+/-3.6
Italian	2,766	+/-474	22.8%	+/-3.9
Lithuanian	14	+/-21	0.1%	+/-0.2
Norwegian	81	+/-106	0.7%	+/-0.9
Polish	888	+/-214	7.3%	+/-1.8
Portuguese	4	+/-7	0.0%	+/-0.1
Russian	224	+/-155	1.8%	+/-1.3
Scotch-Irish	36	+/-31	0.3%	+/-0.3
Scottish	194	+/-112	1.6%	+/-0.9
Slovak	81	+/-112	0.7%	+/-0.9
Subsaharan African	170	+/-198	1.4%	+/-1.6
Swedish	103	+/-57	0.8%	+/-0.5
Swiss	7	+/-11	0.1%	+/-0.1
Ukrainian	308	+/-151	2.5%	+/-1.2
Welsh	119	+/-56	1.0%	+/-0.5
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	39	+/-53	0.3%	+/-0.4
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.