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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	Troy city, New York			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	19,837	+/-559	19,837	(X)
Family households (families)	9,879	+/-414	49.8%	+/-2.4
With own children of the householder under 18 years	4,801	+/-354	24.2%	+/-1.9
Married-couple family	5,320	+/-384	26.8%	+/-2.0
With own children of the householder under 18 years	1,893	+/-276	9.5%	+/-1.4
Male householder, no wife present, family	862	+/-158	4.3%	+/-0.8
With own children of the householder under 18 years	400	+/-102	2.0%	+/-0.5
Female householder, no husband present, family	3,697	+/-321	18.6%	+/-1.7
With own children of the householder under 18 years	2,508	+/-260	12.6%	+/-1.3
Nonfamily households	9,958	+/-674	50.2%	+/-2.4
Householder living alone	7,471	+/-550	37.7%	+/-2.1
65 years and over	1,895	+/-210	9.6%	+/-1.0
Households with one or more people under 18 years	5,297	+/-351	26.7%	+/-1.8
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	4,194	+/-272	21.1%	+/-1.4
Average household size	2.27	+/-0.06	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.03	+/-0.08	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	45,118	+/-358	45,118	(X)
Householder	19,837	+/-559	44.0%	+/-1.1
Spouse	5,261	+/-334	11.7%	+/-0.7
Child	12,401	+/-634	27.5%	+/-1.4
Other relatives	2,383	+/-329	5.3%	+/-0.7
Nonrelatives	5,236	+/-533	11.6%	+/-1.2
Unmarried partner	2,272	+/-323	5.0%	+/-0.7

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MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	20,306	+/-539	20,306	(X)
Never married	11,847	+/-495	58.3%	+/-1.8
Now married, except separated	5,922	+/-377	29.2%	+/-1.9
Separated	361	+/-102	1.8%	+/-0.5
Widowed	477	+/-160	2.3%	+/-0.8
Divorced	1,699	+/-256	8.4%	+/-1.2
Females 15 years and over	21,302	+/-472	21,302	(X)
Never married	10,895	+/-554	51.1%	+/-2.2
Now married, except separated	5,881	+/-366	27.6%	+/-1.8
Separated	521	+/-169	2.4%	+/-0.8
Widowed	1,663	+/-219	7.8%	+/-1.0
Divorced	2,342	+/-295	11.0%	+/-1.3
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	750	+/-151	750	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	553	+/-140	73.7%	+/-9.0
Per 1,000 unmarried women	53	+/-13	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	54	+/-11	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	26	+/-22	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	80	+/-19	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	19	+/-12	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	766	+/-210	766	(X)
Grandparents responsible for grandchildren	296	+/-128	38.6%	+/-12.2
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	54	+/-60	7.0%	+/-7.2
1 or 2 years	70	+/-81	9.1%	+/-9.8
3 or 4 years	43	+/-43	5.6%	+/-5.8
5 or more years	129	+/-88	16.8%	+/-10.9
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	296	+/-128	296	(X)
Who are female	200	+/-97	67.6%	+/-12.6
Who are married	155	+/-99	52.4%	+/-22.1
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	15,725	+/-592	15,725	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	659	+/-176	4.2%	+/-1.1
Kindergarten	619	+/-160	3.9%	+/-1.0
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	4,160	+/-341	26.5%	+/-1.9
High school (grades 9-12)	1,763	+/-234	11.2%	+/-1.4
College or graduate school	8,524	+/-490	54.2%	+/-2.3
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	30,624	+/-569	30,624	(X)
Less than 9th grade	1,378	+/-224	4.5%	+/-0.7
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	2,772	+/-358	9.1%	+/-1.2
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	9,051	+/-605	29.6%	+/-2.0
Some college, no degree	5,707	+/-487	18.6%	+/-1.5
Associate's degree	3,958	+/-427	12.9%	+/-1.4
Bachelor's degree	4,784	+/-414	15.6%	+/-1.3
Graduate or professional degree	2,974	+/-342	9.7%	+/-1.1
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	86.4%	+/-1.4
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	25.3%	+/-1.6

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VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	40,216	+/-467	40,216	(X)
Civilian veterans	2,201	+/-267	5.5%	+/-0.7
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	49,194	+/-208	49,194	(X)
With a disability	7,271	+/-649	14.8%	+/-1.3
Under 18 years				
With a disability	550	+/-160	5.7%	+/-1.6
18 to 64 years				
With a disability	4,691	+/-480	13.8%	+/-1.4
65 years and over				
With a disability	2,030	+/-246	37.0%	+/-4.1
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	49,228	+/-130	49,228	(X)
Same house	36,533	+/-859	74.2%	+/-1.7
Different house in the U.S.	12,270	+/-846	24.9%	+/-1.7
Same county	6,205	+/-733	12.6%	+/-1.5
Different county	6,065	+/-573	12.3%	+/-1.2
Same state	4,290	+/-565	8.7%	+/-1.1
Different state	1,775	+/-262	3.6%	+/-0.5
Abroad	425	+/-118	0.9%	+/-0.2
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	49,881	+/-30	49,881	(X)
Native	46,446	+/-368	93.1%	+/-0.7
Born in United States	45,732	+/-369	91.7%	+/-0.7
State of residence	37,373	+/-568	74.9%	+/-1.1
Different state	8,359	+/-510	16.8%	+/-1.0
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	714	+/-177	1.4%	+/-0.4
Foreign born	3,435	+/-367	6.9%	+/-0.7
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	3,435	+/-367	3,435	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	1,320	+/-239	38.4%	+/-4.8
Not a U.S. citizen	2,115	+/-246	61.6%	+/-4.8
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	4,149	+/-366	4,149	(X)
Native				
Entered 2010 or later	29	+/-25	4.1%	+/-3.4
Entered before 2010	685	+/-173	95.9%	+/-3.4
Foreign born				
Entered 2010 or later	1,127	+/-181	32.8%	+/-6.1
Entered before 2010	2,308	+/-392	67.2%	+/-6.1
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	3,435	+/-367	3,435	(X)
Europe	545	+/-162	15.9%	+/-4.2
Asia	1,448	+/-191	42.2%	+/-5.6

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Africa	340	+/-142	9.9%	+/-4.0
Oceania	6	+/-13	0.2%	+/-0.4
Latin America	922	+/-265	26.8%	+/-6.4
Northern America	174	+/-105	5.1%	+/-3.0
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	46,870	+/-304	46,870	(X)
English only	40,979	+/-583	87.4%	+/-1.0
Language other than English	5,891	+/-472	12.6%	+/-1.0
Speak English less than "very well"	2,041	+/-326	4.4%	+/-0.7
Spanish	2,549	+/-363	5.4%	+/-0.8
Speak English less than "very well"	851	+/-229	1.8%	+/-0.5
Other Indo-European languages	1,498	+/-265	3.2%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	383	+/-148	0.8%	+/-0.3
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	1,284	+/-178	2.7%	+/-0.4
Speak English less than "very well"	699	+/-153	1.5%	+/-0.3
Other languages	560	+/-202	1.2%	+/-0.4
Speak English less than "very well"	108	+/-76	0.2%	+/-0.2
ANCESTRY				
Total population	49,881	+/-30	49,881	(X)
American	986	+/-304	2.0%	+/-0.6
Arab	595	+/-200	1.2%	+/-0.4
Czech	108	+/-70	0.2%	+/-0.1
Danish	249	+/-121	0.5%	+/-0.2
Dutch	863	+/-181	1.7%	+/-0.4
English	2,943	+/-426	5.9%	+/-0.9
French (except Basque)	3,312	+/-545	6.6%	+/-1.1
French Canadian	1,210	+/-329	2.4%	+/-0.7
German	5,511	+/-628	11.0%	+/-1.3
Greek	263	+/-119	0.5%	+/-0.2
Hungarian	89	+/-50	0.2%	+/-0.1
Irish	11,081	+/-802	22.2%	+/-1.6
Italian	7,411	+/-723	14.9%	+/-1.4
Lithuanian	114	+/-66	0.2%	+/-0.1
Norwegian	186	+/-121	0.4%	+/-0.2
Polish	2,714	+/-383	5.4%	+/-0.8
Portuguese	190	+/-116	0.4%	+/-0.2
Russian	494	+/-163	1.0%	+/-0.3
Scotch-Irish	269	+/-155	0.5%	+/-0.3
Scottish	730	+/-187	1.5%	+/-0.4
Slovak	69	+/-46	0.1%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	435	+/-217	0.9%	+/-0.4
Swedish	167	+/-95	0.3%	+/-0.2
Swiss	68	+/-53	0.1%	+/-0.1
Ukrainian	667	+/-221	1.3%	+/-0.4
Welsh	371	+/-150	0.7%	+/-0.3
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	628	+/-204	1.3%	+/-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.