Geographic Area: Rensselaer city, Rensselaer County, New York

			90% Confidence Interval	
ACS Demographic & Housing Estimates	**Estimate**	**Margin of Error (+/-)**	**Lower Bound**	**Upper Bound**
SEX AND AGE				
Total Population	**7,881**	**22**	**7,859**	**7,903**
Male	3,937	265	3,672	4,202
Female	3,944	264	3,680	4,208
Under 5 years	534	126	408	660
5 to 9 years	439	165	274	604
10 to 14 years	347	113	234	460
15 to 19 years	513	168	345	681
20 to 24 years	459	143	316	602
25 to 34 years	1,233	284	949	1,517
35 to 44 years	1,378	394	984	1,772
45 to 54 years	1,182	205	977	1,387
55 to 59 years	353	113	240	466
60 to 64 years	337	100	237	437
65 to 74 years	560	147	413	707
75 to 84 years	347	87	260	434
85 years and over	199	105	94	304
Median age (years)	39.3	2.7	36.6	42.0
18 years and over	6,234	282	5,952	6,516
21 years and over	5,976	312	5,664	6,288
62 years and over	1,377	236	1,141	1,613
65 years and over	1,106	202	904	1,308
18 years and over	**6,234**	**282**	**5,952**	**6,516**
Male	3,145	215	2,930	3,360
Female	3,089	232	2,857	3,321
65 years and over	**1,106**	**202**	**904**	**1,308**
Male	432	114	318	546
Female	674	139	535	813

RACE				
Total Population	**7,881**	**22**	**7,859**	**7,903**
One race	7,561	181	7,380	7,742
Two or more races	320	176	144	496
One race	7,561	181	7,380	7,742
White	6,756	362	6,394	7,118
Black or African American	342	179	163	521
American Indian and Alaska Native	0	123	0	123
Cherokee tribal grouping	0	123	0	123
Chippewa tribal grouping	0	123	0	123
Navajo tribal grouping	0	123	0	123
Sioux tribal grouping	0	123	0	123
Asian	402	263	139	665
Asian Indian	11	24	0	35
Chinese	64	84	0	148
Filipino	38	57	0	95
Japanese	26	34	0	60
Korean	0	123	0	123
Vietnamese	4	7	0	11
Other Asian	259	243	16	502
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0	123	0	123
Native Hawaiian	0	123	0	123
Guamanian or Chamorro	0	123	0	123
Samoan	0	123	0	123
Other Pacific Islander	0	123	0	123
Some other race	61	46	15	107
Two or more races	320	176	144	496
White and Black or African American	165	138	27	303
White and American Indian and Alaska Native	127	101	26	228
White and Asian	14	22	0	36
Black or African American and American Indian and Alaska Native	0	123	0	123

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ACS Demographic & Housing Estimates	Estimate	Margin of Error (+/-)	90% Confidence Interval	
			Lower Bound	Upper Bound
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races				
Total Population	**7,881**	**22**	**7,859**	**7,903**
White	7,068	316	6,752	7,384
Black or African American	521	217	304	738
American Indian and Alaska Native	127	101	26	228
Asian	422	262	160	684
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0	123	0	123
Some other race	69	52	17	121

HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE

	Estimate	Margin of Error (+/-)	Lower Bound	Upper Bound
Total Population	**7,881**	**22**	**7,859**	**7,903**
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	185	95	90	280
Mexican	70	64	6	134
Puerto Rican	78	63	15	141
Cuban	0	123	0	123
Other Hispanic or Latino	37	31	6	68
Not Hispanic or Latino	7,696	98	7,598	7,794
White alone	6,653	366	6,287	7,019
Black or African American alone	342	179	163	521
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	0	123	0	123
Asian alone	402	263	139	665
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0	123	0	123
Some other race alone	0	123	0	123
Two or more races	299	165	134	464
Two races including Some other race	0	123	0	123
Two races excluding Some other race, and Three or more races	299	165	134	464

Total Housing Units	**3,802**	**247**	**3,555**	**4,049**

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2005-2009 American Community Survey

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.

Notes:
·For more information on understanding race and Hispanic origin data, please see the Census 2000 Brief entitled, Overview of Race and Hispanic Origin, issued March 2001. (pdf format)

·The ACS questions on Hispanic origin and race were revised in 2008 to make them consistent with the Census 2010 question wording. Any changes in estimates for 2008 and beyond may be due to demographic changes, as well as factors including questionnaire changes, differences in ACS population controls, and methodological differences in the population estimates, and therefore should be used with caution. For a summary of questionnaire changes see http://www.census.gov/acs/www/methodology/questionnaire_changes/. For more information about changes in the estimates see http://www.census.gov/population/www/socdemo/hispanic/reports.html.

·While the 2005-2009 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the November 2008 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 2000 data. Boundaries for urban areas have not been updated since Census 2000. 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.

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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.