

Geographic Area: Schenectady County, New York

ACS Demographic & Housing Estimates	Estimate	Margin of Error (+/-)	90% Confidence Interval	
			Lower Bound	Upper Bound
SEX AND AGE				
Total Population	150,474	*****	*****	*****
Male	73,230	68	73,162	73,298
Female	77,244	68	77,176	77,312
Under 5 years	9,238	78	9,160	9,316
5 to 9 years	9,066	458	8,608	9,524
10 to 14 years	10,275	454	9,821	10,729
15 to 19 years	10,973	165	10,808	11,138
20 to 24 years	9,374	226	9,148	9,600
25 to 34 years	17,029	273	16,756	17,302
35 to 44 years	21,354	231	21,123	21,585
45 to 54 years	23,063	87	22,976	23,150
55 to 59 years	9,790	404	9,386	10,194
60 to 64 years	7,186	392	6,794	7,578
65 to 74 years	10,208	82	10,126	10,290
75 to 84 years	9,029	367	8,662	9,396
85 years and over	3,889	362	3,527	4,251
Median age (years)	39.7	0.3	39.4	40.0
18 years and over	115,335	*****	*****	*****
21 years and over	108,301	669	107,632	108,970
62 years and over	27,087	325	26,762	27,412
65 years and over	23,126	80	23,046	23,206
18 years and over	115,335	*****	*****	*****
Male	55,095	28	55,067	55,123
Female	60,240	27	60,213	60,267
65 years and over	23,126	80	23,046	23,206
Male	9,407	74	9,333	9,481
Female	13,719	26	13,693	13,745

RACE

Total Population	150,474	*****	*****	*****
One race	147,538	406	147,132	147,944
Two or more races	2,936	406	2,530	3,342
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White	124,649	754	123,895	125,403
Black or African American	12,786	653	12,133	13,439
American Indian and Alaska Native	577	93	484	670
Cherokee tribal grouping	16	25	0	41
Chippewa tribal grouping	0	123	0	123
Navajo tribal grouping	0	123	0	123
Sioux tribal grouping	0	123	0	123
Asian	5,637	292	5,345	5,929
Asian Indian	2,681	563	2,118	3,244
Chinese	1,331	375	956	1,706
Filipino	259	137	122	396
Japanese	269	204	65	473
Korean	630	295	335	925
Vietnamese	262	193	69	455
Other Asian	205	167	38	372
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	232	193	39	425
Native Hawaiian	35	32	3	67
Guamanian or Chamorro	11	14	0	25
Samoan	0	123	0	123
Other Pacific Islander	186	179	7	365
Some other race	3,657	810	2,847	4,467
Two or more races	2,936	406	2,530	3,342
White and Black or African American	1,181	286	895	1,467
White and American Indian and Alaska Native	201	95	106	296
White and Asian	415	193	222	608
Black or African American and American Indian and Alaska Native	101	59	42	160

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<i>Race alone or in combination with one or more other races</i>				
Total Population	150,474	*****	*****	*****
White	127,162	800	126,362	127,962
Black or African American	14,587	555	14,032	15,142
American Indian and Alaska Native	1,062	110	952	1,172
Asian	6,457	236	6,221	6,693
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	284	210	74	494
Some other race	4,274	880	3,394	5,154

HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE

Total Population	150,474	*****	*****	*****
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	6,674	*****	*****	*****
Mexican	815	318	497	1,133
Puerto Rican	4,259	557	3,702	4,816
Cuban	47	65	0	112
Other Hispanic or Latino	1,553	415	1,138	1,968
Not Hispanic or Latino	143,800	*****	*****	*****
White alone	120,785	521	120,264	121,306
Black or African American alone	11,960	543	11,417	12,503
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	572	93	479	665
Asian alone	5,522	258	5,264	5,780
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	221	191	30	412
Some other race alone	2,361	690	1,671	3,051
Two or more races	2,379	378	2,001	2,757
Two races including Some other race	216	142	74	358
Two races excluding Some other race, and Three or more races	2,163	371	1,792	2,534

Total Housing Units	66,283	604	65,679	66,887
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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.