

Geographic Area: Rotterdam town, Schenectady County, New York

90% Confidence Interval

ACS Demographic & Housing Estimates	Estimate	Margin of Error (+/-)	Lower Bound	Upper Bound
SEX AND AGE				
Total Population	29,559	30	29,529	29,589
Male	13,858	378	13,480	14,236
Female	15,701	377	15,324	16,078
Under 5 years	1,494	192	1,302	1,686
5 to 9 years	1,617	223	1,394	1,840
10 to 14 years	1,815	242	1,573	2,057
15 to 19 years	1,830	241	1,589	2,071
20 to 24 years	1,336	305	1,031	1,641
25 to 34 years	3,076	335	2,741	3,411
35 to 44 years	4,195	253	3,942	4,448
45 to 54 years	5,036	340	4,696	5,376
55 to 59 years	1,903	221	1,682	2,124
60 to 64 years	1,393	200	1,193	1,593
65 to 74 years	2,834	274	2,560	3,108
75 to 84 years	2,178	216	1,962	2,394
85 years and over	852	209	643	1,061
Median age (years)	43.9	0.9	43.0	44.8
18 years and over	23,427	326	23,101	23,753
21 years and over	22,498	383	22,115	22,881
62 years and over	6,605	396	6,209	7,001
65 years and over	5,864	337	5,527	6,201
18 years and over	23,427	326	23,101	23,753
Male	10,800	367	10,433	11,167
Female	12,627	360	12,267	12,987
65 years and over	5,864	337	5,527	6,201
Male	2,367	190	2,177	2,557
Female	3,497	247	3,250	3,744

RACE

Total Population	29,559	30	29,529	29,589
One race	29,177	178	28,999	29,355
Two or more races	382	180	202	562
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White	28,089	393	27,696	28,482
Black or African American	746	386	360	1,132
American Indian and Alaska Native	64	48	16	112
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	213	109	104	322
Asian Indian	51	79	0	130
Chinese	33	37	0	70
Filipino	49	45	4	94
Japanese	8	14	0	22
Korean	65	55	10	120
Vietnamese	7	11	0	18
Other Asian	0	123	0	123
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	8	13	0	21
Native Hawaiian	8	13	0	21
Guamanian or Chamorro	0	123	0	123
Samoan	0	123	0	123
Other Pacific Islander	0	123	0	123
Some other race	57	54	3	111
Two or more races	382	180	202	562
White and Black or African American	121	100	21	221
White and American Indian and Alaska Native	88	71	17	159
White and Asian	99	100	0	199
Black or African American and American Indian and Alaska Native	0	123	0	123

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<i>Race alone or in combination with one or more other races</i>				
Total Population	29,559	30	29,529	29,589
White	28,452	366	28,086	28,818
Black or African American	886	413	473	1,299
American Indian and Alaska Native	152	85	67	237
Asian	312	174	138	486
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	8	13	0	21
Some other race	131	95	36	226

HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE

Total Population	29,559	30	29,529	29,589
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	716	308	408	1,024
Mexican	74	91	0	165
Puerto Rican	426	312	114	738
Cuban	0	123	0	123
Other Hispanic or Latino	216	127	89	343
Not Hispanic or Latino	28,843	310	28,533	29,153
White alone	27,773	385	27,388	28,158
Black or African American alone	461	247	214	708
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	64	48	16	112
Asian alone	213	109	104	322
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	8	13	0	21
Some other race alone	14	28	0	42
Two or more races	310	157	153	467
Two races including Some other race	19	29	0	48
Two races excluding Some other race, and Three or more races	291	153	138	444

Total Housing Units	12,914	338	12,576	13,252
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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.
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.