

**Geographic Area: Albany city, Albany County, New York**

Selected Social Characteristics in the United States	Estimate	Margin of Error (+/-)	90% Confidence Interval	
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<b>HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE</b>				
<b>Total Households</b>	<b>40,193</b>	<b>870</b>	<b>39,323</b>	<b>41,063</b>
Family households (families)	17,997	646	17,351	18,643
With own children under 18 years	8,178	516	7,662	8,694
Married-couple family	9,463	592	8,871	10,055
With own children under 18 years	3,269	334	2,935	3,603
Male householder, no wife present, family	1,768	366	1,402	2,134
With own children under 18 years	648	223	425	871
Female householder, no husband present, family	6,766	447	6,319	7,213
With own children under 18 years	4,261	428	3,833	4,689
Nonfamily households	22,196	819	21,377	23,015
Householder living alone	16,308	800	15,508	17,108
65 years and over	4,147	453	3,694	4,600
Households with one or more people under 18 years	9,230	559	8,671	9,789
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	8,052	533	7,519	8,585
Average household size	2.11	0.03	2.08	2.14
Average family size	2.94	0.07	2.87	3.01

**RELATIONSHIP**

<b>Population in households</b>	<b>84,753</b>	<b>1,525</b>	<b>83,228</b>	<b>86,278</b>
Householder	40,193	870	39,323	41,063
Spouse	9,394	593	8,801	9,987
Child	21,080	940	20,140	22,020
Other relatives	4,352	604	3,748	4,956
Nonrelatives	9,734	778	8,956	10,512
Unmarried partner	3,445	434	3,011	3,879

**MARITAL STATUS**

<b>Males 15 years and over</b>	<b>37,596</b>	<b>873</b>	<b>36,723</b>	<b>38,469</b>
Never married	22,116	992	21,124	23,108
Now married, except separated	10,557	653	9,904	11,210
Separated	1,084	259	825	1,343
Widowed	1,101	196	905	1,297
Divorced	2,738	313	2,425	3,051
<b>Females 15 years and over</b>	<b>41,910</b>	<b>819</b>	<b>41,091</b>	<b>42,729</b>
Never married	21,852	1,451	20,401	23,303
Now married, except separated	10,584	724	9,860	11,308
Separated	1,607	389	1,218	1,996
Widowed	3,895	459	3,436	4,354
Divorced	3,972	417	3,555	4,389

**FERTILITY**

<b>Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 month:</b>	<b>1,114</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>866</b>	<b>1,362</b>
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	546	184	362	730
Per 1,000 unmarried women	26	9	17	35
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	40	9	31	49
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	13	14	0	27
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	60	14	46	74
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	24	13	11	37

**GRANDPARENTS**

<b>Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 year:</b>	<b>1,094</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>839</b>	<b>1,349</b>
Responsible for grandchildren	347	141	206	488
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	135	96	39	231
1 or 2 years	35	38	0	73
3 or 4 years	32	30	2	62
5 or more years	145	89	56	234
<b>Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>488</b>
Who are female	266	103	163	369
Who are married	186	110	76	296

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<b>SCHOOL ENROLLMENT</b>				
<b>Population 3 years and over enrolled in school</b>	<b>33,293</b>	<b>1,227</b>	<b>32,066</b>	<b>34,520</b>
Nursery school, preschool	1,252	247	1,005	1,499
Kindergarten	903	206	697	1,109
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	7,476	512	6,964	7,988
High school (grades 9-12)	4,769	477	4,292	5,246
College or graduate school	18,893	1,097	17,796	19,990

<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>				
<b>Population 25 years and over</b>	<b>53,441</b>	<b>1,136</b>	<b>52,305</b>	<b>54,577</b>
Less than 9th grade	2,155	277	1,878	2,432
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	4,677	428	4,249	5,105
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	14,005	743	13,262	14,748
Some college, no degree	8,898	737	8,161	9,635
Associate's degree	4,238	482	3,756	4,720
Bachelor's degree	10,046	797	9,249	10,843
Graduate or professional degree	9,422	596	8,826	10,018
Percent high school graduate or higher	87.2%	1.1	86.1%	88.3%
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	36.4%	1.6	34.8%	38.0%

<b>VETERAN STATUS</b>				
<b>Civilian population 18 years and over</b>	<b>76,219</b>	<b>712</b>	<b>75,507</b>	<b>76,931</b>
Civilian veterans	5,317	413	4,904	5,730

**DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION**

<b>Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>		
With a disability	(X)	(X)		
<b>Under 18 years</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>		
With a disability	(X)	(X)		
<b>18 to 64 years</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>		
With a disability	(X)	(X)		
<b>65 years and over</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>		
With a disability	(X)	(X)		

**RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO**

<b>Population 1 year and over</b>	<b>92,988</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>92,730</b>	<b>93,246</b>
Same house	69,767	1,590	68,177	71,357
Different house in the U.S.	22,218	1,624	20,594	23,842
Same county	13,093	1,385	11,708	14,478
Different county	9,125	975	8,150	10,100
Same state	6,815	773	6,042	7,588
Different state	2,310	461	1,849	2,771
Abroad	1,003	257	746	1,260

**PLACE OF BIRTH**

<b>Total Population</b>	<b>94,083</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>94,024</b>	<b>94,142</b>
Native	84,596	836	83,760	85,432
Born in United States	82,881	899	81,982	83,780
State of residence	68,282	1,319	66,963	69,601
Different state	14,599	1,337	13,262	15,936
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	1,715	314	1,401	2,029
Foreign born	9,487	825	8,662	10,312

**U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS**

<b>Foreign-born population</b>	<b>9,487</b>	<b>825</b>	<b>8,662</b>	<b>10,312</b>
Naturalized U.S. citizen	4,663	571	4,092	5,234
Not a U.S. citizen	4,824	621	4,203	5,445

**YEAR OF ENTRY**

<b>Population born outside the United States</b>	<b>11,202</b>	<b>886</b>	<b>10,316</b>	<b>12,088</b>
<b>Native</b>	<b>1,715</b>	<b>314</b>	<b>1,401</b>	<b>2,029</b>
Entered 2000 or later	244	157	87	401
Entered before 2000	1,471	281	1,190	1,752

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Entered 2000 or later	3,632	605	3,027	4,237
Entered before 2000	5,855	648	5,207	6,503

**WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN**

Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	Estimate	Margin of Error (+/-)	Lower Bound	Upper Bound
<b>Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea</b>	<b>9,487</b>	<b>825</b>	<b>8,662</b>	<b>10,312</b>
Europe	2,274	396	1,878	2,670
Asia	2,853	403	2,450	3,256
Africa	531	208	323	739
Oceania	0	123	0	123
Latin America	3,599	551	3,048	4,150
Northern America	230	113	117	343

**LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME**

Population 5 years and over	Estimate	Margin of Error (+/-)	Lower Bound	Upper Bound
<b>Population 5 years and over</b>	<b>89,023</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>88,659</b>	<b>89,387</b>
English only	76,872	1,031	75,841	77,903
Language other than English	12,151	994	11,157	13,145
Speak English less than "very well"	4,049	539	3,510	4,588
Spanish	4,603	576	4,027	5,179
Speak English less than "very well"	1,428	286	1,142	1,714
Other Indo-European languages	4,614	698	3,916	5,312
Speak English less than "very well"	1,516	352	1,164	1,868
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	2,168	405	1,763	2,573
Speak English less than "very well"	1,040	266	774	1,306
Other languages	766	247	519	1,013
Speak English less than "very well"	65	62	3	127

**ANCESTRY**

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<b>Total Population</b>	<b>94,083</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>94,024</b>	<b>94,142</b>
American	1,685	479	1,206	2,164
Arab	469	201	268	670
Czech	399	179	220	578
Danish	244	109	135	353
Dutch	1,647	316	1,331	1,963
English	5,125	569	4,556	5,694
French (except Basque)	3,936	748	3,188	4,684
French Canadian	1,064	291	773	1,355
German	9,956	782	9,174	10,738
Greek	860	320	540	1,180
Hungarian	493	191	302	684
Irish	17,429	1,247	16,182	18,676
Italian	13,538	1,195	12,343	14,733
Lithuanian	231	107	124	338
Norwegian	425	156	269	581
Polish	4,545	622	3,923	5,167
Portuguese	167	108	59	275
Russian	1,553	348	1,205	1,901
Scotch-Irish	935	287	648	1,222
Scottish	1,089	204	885	1,293
Slovak	285	138	147	423
Subsaharan African	950	314	636	1,264
Swedish	466	143	323	609
Swiss	101	63	38	164
Ukrainian	585	155	430	740
Welsh	581	210	371	791
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	3,403	690	2,713	4,093

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.

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**Notes:**

·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).

·The Census Bureau introduced a new set of disability questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Because of contextual differences between the 2008-2009 disability data and disability data collected in prior years, the Census Bureau is unable to combine the 5 years of disability data in order to produce the multi-year estimate that would appear in this table. Multi-year estimates of disability status will become available once five consecutive years of data are collected. For more information about the differences between the 2008 and prior years' disability questions, see Review of Changes to the Measurement of Disability in the 2008 ACS.

·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.

·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.