Geographic Area: Bethlehem town, Albany County, New York

Selected Economic Characteristics	Estimate	Margin of Error (+/-)	90% Confidence Interval Lower Bound	Upper Bound
EMPLOYMENT STATUS				
Population 16 years and over	**26,053**	**430**	**25,623**	**26,483**
In labor force	18,095	475	17,620	18,570
Civilian labor force	18,061	483	17,578	18,544
Employed	17,245	673	16,572	17,918
Unemployed	816	466	350	1,282
Armed Forces	34	44	0	78
Not in labor force	7,958	501	7,457	8,459
Civilian labor force	**18,061**	**483**	**17,578**	**18,544**
Percent Unemployed	4.5%	2.6	1.9%	7.1%
Females 16 years and over	**13,441**	**384**	**13,057**	**13,825**
In labor force	8,716	369	8,347	9,085
Civilian labor force	8,716	369	8,347	9,085
Employed	8,256	507	7,749	8,763
Own children under 6 years	**2,280**	**315**	**1,965**	**2,595**
All parents in family in labor force	1,646	299	1,347	1,945
Own children 6 to 17 years	**5,673**	**417**	**5,256**	**6,090**
All parents in family in labor force	4,545	460	4,085	5,005

COMMUTING TO WORK				
Workers 16 years and over	**16,694**	**687**	**16,007**	**17,381**
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	14,123	755	13,368	14,878
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	1,200	240	960	1,440
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	234	112	122	346
Walked	238	113	125	351
Other means	237	239	0	476
Worked at home	662	170	492	832
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	20.7	1	19.7	21.7

OCCUPATION				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	**17,245**	**673**	**16,572**	**17,918**
Management, professional, and related occupations	9,523	623	8,900	10,146
Service occupations	2,129	375	1,754	2,504
Sales and office occupations	3,859	393	3,466	4,252
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	0	123	0	123
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations	889	178	711	1,067
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	845	205	640	1,050

INDUSTRY				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	**17,245**	**673**	**16,572**	**17,918**
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	35	36	0	71
Construction	784	178	606	962
Manufacturing	890	209	681	1,099
Wholesale trade	414	147	267	561
Retail trade	1,143	235	908	1,378
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	805	190	615	995
Information	403	123	280	526
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	1,313	264	1,049	1,577
Professional, scientific, & management, & administrative and waste management services	1,839	275	1,564	2,114
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	5,132	454	4,678	5,586
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	1,145	256	889	1,401
Other services, except public administration	806	215	591	1,021
Public administration	2,536	335	2,201	2,871

CLASS OF WORKER				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	**17,245**	**673**	**16,572**	**17,918**
Private wage and salary workers	11,111	617	10,494	11,728
Government workers	5,037	450	4,587	5,487
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	1,081	255	826	1,336
Unpaid family workers	16	18	0	34

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INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2009 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)

Selected Economic Characteristics	Estimate	Margin of Error (+/-)	Lower Bound	Upper Bound
Total households	**12,785**	**522**	**12,263**	**13,307**
Less than $10,000	349	116	233	465
$10,000 to $14,999	282	104	178	386
$15,000 to $24,999	711	156	555	867
$25,000 to $34,999	969	263	706	1,232
$35,000 to $49,999	1,289	221	1,068	1,510
$50,000 to $74,999	2,047	282	1,765	2,329
$75,000 to $99,999	2,089	316	1,773	2,405
$100,000 to $149,999	2,709	280	2,429	2,989
$150,000 to $199,999	1,232	203	1,029	1,435
$200,000 or more	1,108	192	916	1,300
Median household income (dollars)	$85,160	3,403	$81,757	$88,563
Mean household income (dollars)	$100,660	4,412	$96,248	$105,072
With earnings	10,261	468	9,793	10,729
Mean earnings (dollars)	$101,623	5,110	$96,513	$106,733
With Social Security	3,590	297	3,293	3,887
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	$18,078	823	$17,255	$18,901
With retirement income	3,126	279	2,847	3,405
Mean retirement income (dollars)	$30,254	2,588	$27,666	$32,842
With Supplemental Security Income	220	97	123	317
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	$7,454	1,892	$5,562	$9,346
With cash public assistance income	85	51	34	136
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	$6,224	3,361	$2,863	$9,585
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	179	91	88	270
Families	**8,948**	**421**	**8,527**	**9,369**
Less than $10,000	92	63	29	155
$10,000 to $14,999	21	25	0	46
$15,000 to $24,999	280	103	177	383
$25,000 to $34,999	544	192	352	736
$35,000 to $49,999	597	135	462	732
$50,000 to $74,999	1,285	228	1,057	1,513
$75,000 to $99,999	1,462	247	1,215	1,709
$100,000 to $149,999	2,442	270	2,172	2,712
$150,000 to $199,999	1,185	199	986	1,384
$200,000 or more	1,040	189	851	1,229
Median family income (dollars)	$102,541	4,207	$98,334	$106,748
Mean family income (dollars)	$119,797	5,987	$113,810	$125,784
Per capita income (dollars)	$39,520	2,179	$37,341	$41,699
Nonfamily households	**3,837**	**329**	**3,508**	**4,166**
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	$43,106	5,692	$37,414	$48,798
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	$52,755	4,621	$48,134	$57,376
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	$43,105	2,244	$40,861	$45,349
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	$69,403	4,354	$65,049	$73,757
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	$49,596	5,305	$44,291	$54,901

HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE

Selected Economic Characteristics	Estimate	Margin of Error (+/-)	Lower Bound	Upper Bound
Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	(X)	**(X)**		
With health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)		
With private health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)		
With public health coverage	(X)	(X)		
No health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)		
Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population Under 18 years	(X)	**(X)**		
No health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)		

Selected Economic Characteristics: 2005-2009

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Selected Economic Characteristics	Estimate	Margin of Error (+/-)	90% Confidence Interval	
			Lower Bound	Upper Bound

PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL

Selected Economic Characteristics	Estimate	Margin of Error (+/-)	Lower Bound	Upper Bound
All families	1.4%	0.9	0.5%	2.3%
With related children under 18 years	2.7%	1.6	1.1%	4.3%
With related children under 5 years only	5.4%	5.1	0.3%	10.5%
Married couple families	0.8%	0.5	0.3%	1.3%
With related children under 18 years	1.5%	1.1	0.4%	2.6%
With related children under 5 years only	0.0%	5.3	0.0%	5.3%
Families with female householder, no husband present	4.8%	4.4	0.4%	9.2%
With related children under 18 years	7.8%	7.1	0.7%	14.9%
With related children under 5 years only	36.2%	49.9	0.0%	86.1%
All people	5.2%	2.9	2.3%	8.1%
Under 18 years	4.3%	2.2	2.1%	6.5%
Related children under 18 years	3.5%	2.5	1.0%	6.0%
Related children under 5 years	6.6%	5.8	0.8%	12.4%
Related children 5 to 17 years	2.5%	2.1	0.4%	4.6%
18 years and over	5.4%	3.5	1.9%	8.9%
18 to 64 years	6.1%	4.3	1.8%	10.4%
65 years and over	2.3%	1.2	1.1%	3.5%
People in families	1.7%	1.1	0.6%	2.8%
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	21.9%	14.7	7.2%	36.6%

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:

·Employment and unemployment estimates may vary from the official labor force data released by the Bureau of Labor Statistics because of differences in survey design and data collection. For guidance on differences in employment and unemployment estimates from different sources go to Labor Force Guidance.

·Workers include members of the Armed Forces and civilians who were at work last week.

·Occupation codes are 4-digit codes and are based on Standard Occupational Classification 2000.

·Industry codes are 4-digit codes and are based on the North American Industry Classification System 2002 and 2007. The 2005, 2006 and 2007 ACS data are coded using NAICS 2002 while the 2008 and 2009 ACS data use NAICS 2007 codes. Categories that differ between 2002 and 2007 NAICS are aggregated so that the 5 years of data are consistent in display and reflect the NAICS 2007 codes. The Industry categories adhere to the guidelines issued in Clarification Memorandum No. 2, "NAICS Alternate Aggregation Structure for Use By U.S. Statistical Agencies," issued by the Office of Management and Budget.

·Selected earnings and income data are not available for certain geographic areas due to problems with group quarters data collection and imputation. See the ACS User Notes for details.

·Logical coverage edits applying a rules-based assignment of Medicaid, Medicare and military health coverage were added in 2009 -- please see http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/hlthins/publications/coverage_edits_final.pdf for more details.

·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.