Selected Economic Characteristics: 2005-2009

Geographic Area: Petersburgh town, Rensselaer County, New York

Selected Economic Characteristics	Estimate	Margin of Error (+/-)	90% Confidence Interval	
			Lower Bound	Upper Bound
EMPLOYMENT STATUS				
Population 16 years and over	**1,485**	**144**	**1,341**	**1,629**
In labor force	1,011	137	874	1,148
Civilian labor force	1,011	137	874	1,148
Employed	974	128	846	1,102
Unemployed	37	29	8	66
Armed Forces	0	123	0	123
Not in labor force	474	74	400	548
Civilian labor force	**1,011**	**137**	**874**	**1,148**
Percent Unemployed	3.7%	2.7	1.0%	6.4%
Females 16 years and over	**703**	**75**	**628**	**778**
In labor force	446	80	366	526
Civilian labor force	446	80	366	526
Employed	435	79	356	514
Own children under 6 years	**79**	**35**	**44**	**114**
All parents in family in labor force	65	34	31	99
Own children 6 to 17 years	**291**	**76**	**215**	**367**
All parents in family in labor force	224	88	136	312
COMMUTING TO WORK				
Workers 16 years and over	**933**	**124**	**809**	**1,057**
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	755	132	623	887
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	66	36	30	102
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	24	27	0	51
Walked	51	41	10	92
Other means	7	7	0	14
Worked at home	30	18	12	48
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	30.4	3.3	27.1	33.7
OCCUPATION				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	**974**	**128**	**846**	**1,102**
Management, professional, and related occupations	220	55	165	275
Service occupations	147	41	106	188
Sales and office occupations	240	64	176	304
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	20	14	6	34
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations	161	45	116	206
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	186	59	127	245
INDUSTRY				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	**974**	**128**	**846**	**1,102**
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	34	19	15	53
Construction	150	51	99	201
Manufacturing	156	53	103	209
Wholesale trade	40	24	16	64
Retail trade	112	55	57	167
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	42	26	16	68
Information	24	21	3	45
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	28	19	9	47
Professional, scientific, & management, & administrative and waste management services	36	19	17	55
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	240	63	177	303
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	53	25	28	78
Other services, except public administration	14	13	1	27
Public administration	45	26	19	71
CLASS OF WORKER				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	**974**	**128**	**846**	**1,102**
Private wage and salary workers	733	114	619	847
Government workers	147	44	103	191
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	94	44	50	138
Unpaid family workers	0	123	0	123

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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	**693**	**59**	**634**	**752**
Less than $10,000	29	20	9	49
$10,000 to $14,999	60	22	38	82
$15,000 to $24,999	71	27	44	98
$25,000 to $34,999	56	31	25	87
$35,000 to $49,999	147	42	105	189
$50,000 to $74,999	153	48	105	201
$75,000 to $99,999	130	39	91	169
$100,000 to $149,999	28	20	8	48
$150,000 to $199,999	9	11	0	20
$200,000 or more	10	9	1	19
Median household income (dollars)	$47,472	5,460	$42,012	$52,932
Mean household income (dollars)	$56,797	6,504	$50,293	$63,301
With earnings	541	59	482	600
Mean earnings (dollars)	$59,116	7,480	$51,636	$66,596
With Social Security	218	44	174	262
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	$15,922	1,374	$14,548	$17,296
With retirement income	116	36	80	152
Mean retirement income (dollars)	$17,235	4,999	$12,236	$22,234
With Supplemental Security Income	38	26	12	64
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	$5,755	1,266	$4,489	$7,021
With cash public assistance income	4	6	0	10
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	$150	39	$111	$189
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	36	22	14	58
Families	**481**	**46**	**435**	**527**
Less than $10,000	16	18	0	34
$10,000 to $14,999	11	10	1	21
$15,000 to $24,999	43	21	22	64
$25,000 to $34,999	38	28	10	66
$35,000 to $49,999	98	33	65	131
$50,000 to $74,999	116	44	72	160
$75,000 to $99,999	112	36	76	148
$100,000 to $149,999	28	20	8	48
$150,000 to $199,999	9	11	0	20
$200,000 or more	10	9	1	19
Median family income (dollars)	$56,369	6,723	$49,646	$63,092
Mean family income (dollars)	$66,246	8,524	$57,722	$74,770
Per capita income (dollars)	$22,562	2,642	$19,920	$25,204
Nonfamily households	**212**	**43**	**169**	**255**
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	$28,929	14,081	$14,848	$43,010
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	$34,671	5,394	$29,277	$40,065
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	$25,531	2,860	$22,671	$28,391
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	$36,510	4,335	$32,175	$40,845
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	$28,656	1,723	$26,933	$30,379

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)		

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			90% Confidence Interval	
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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	6.7%	4	2.7%	10.7%
With related children under 18 years	14.2%	8.3	5.9%	22.5%
With related children under 5 years only	10.5%	14.3	0.0%	24.8%
Married couple families	3.8%	3.1	0.7%	6.9%
With related children under 18 years	8.2%	6.7	1.5%	14.9%
With related children under 5 years only	0.0%	56.2	0.0%	56.2%
Families with female householder, no husband present	35.6%	34.7	0.9%	70.3%
With related children under 18 years	88.9%	33.2	55.7%	100.0%
With related children under 5 years only	100.0%	100	0.0%	100.0%
All people	7.7%	3.2	4.5%	10.9%
Under 18 years	12.2%	7.6	4.6%	19.8%
Related children under 18 years	12.2%	7.6	4.6%	19.8%
Related children under 5 years	5.5%	7	0.0%	12.5%
Related children 5 to 17 years	13.8%	9.5	4.3%	23.3%
18 years and over	6.5%	2.4	4.1%	8.9%
18 to 64 years	7.8%	3	4.8%	10.8%
65 years and over	1.1%	1.7	0.0%	2.8%
People in families	6.1%	3.6	2.5%	9.7%
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	16.6%	7.6	9.0%	24.2%

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.