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2006-2010 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Supporting documentation on code lists, subject definitions, data accuracy, and statistical testing can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Data and Documentation section.

Sample size and data quality measures (including coverage rates, allocation rates, and response rates) can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Methodology section.

Although the American Community Survey (ACS) produces population, demographic and housing unit estimates, for 2010, the 2010 Census provides the official counts of the population and housing units for the nation, states, counties, cities and towns. For 2006 to 2009, the Population Estimates Program provides intercensal estimates of the population for the nation, states, and counties.

Subject	Westerlo town, Albany County, New York			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
<b>HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE</b>				
Total households	1,333	+/-103	1,333	(X)
Family households (families)	924	+/-70	69.3%	+/-7.1
With own children under 18 years	415	+/-56	31.1%	+/-5.7
Married-couple family	808	+/-115	60.6%	+/-8.8
With own children under 18 years	311	+/-63	23.3%	+/-5.3
Male householder, no wife present, family	10	+/-17	0.8%	+/-1.3
With own children under 18 years	10	+/-17	0.8%	+/-1.3
Female householder, no husband present, family	106	+/-71	8.0%	+/-5.6
With own children under 18 years	94	+/-71	7.1%	+/-5.5
Nonfamily households	409	+/-118	30.7%	+/-7.1
Householder living alone	349	+/-113	26.2%	+/-6.9
65 years and over	107	+/-84	8.0%	+/-6.0
Households with one or more people under 18 years	444	+/-53	33.3%	+/-5.7
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	246	+/-93	18.5%	+/-6.2
Average household size	2.54	+/-0.20	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.10	+/-0.21	(X)	(X)
<b>RELATIONSHIP</b>				
Population in households	3,392	+/-17	3,392	(X)
Householder	1,333	+/-103	39.3%	+/-3.1
Spouse	800	+/-112	23.6%	+/-3.3
Child	1,036	+/-143	30.5%	+/-4.2
Other relatives	106	+/-73	3.1%	+/-2.2
Nonrelatives	117	+/-66	3.4%	+/-2.0
Unmarried partner	60	+/-40	1.8%	+/-1.2
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>				
Males 15 years and over	1,351	+/-130	1,351	(X)
Never married	375	+/-117	27.8%	+/-6.9
Now married, except separated	833	+/-90	61.7%	+/-7.9
Separated	17	+/-21	1.3%	+/-1.5
Widowed	57	+/-61	4.2%	+/-4.3
Divorced	69	+/-40	5.1%	+/-3.0
Females 15 years and over	1,299	+/-110	1,299	(X)

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Never married	181	+/-77	13.9%	+/-5.4
Now married, except separated	861	+/-99	66.3%	+/-8.4
Separated	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-2.7
Widowed	127	+/-87	9.8%	+/-6.5
Divorced	130	+/-84	10.0%	+/-6.3
<b>FERTILITY</b>				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	64	+/-57	64	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	35	+/-52	54.7%	+/-50.7
Per 1,000 unmarried women	131	+/-165	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	81	+/-71	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	350	+/-401	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	34	+/-64	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	45	+/-51	(X)	(X)
<b>GRANDPARENTS</b>				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	50	+/-50	50	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	47	+/-51	94.0%	+/-25.1
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	47	+/-51	94.0%	+/-25.1
1 or 2 years	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-43.5
3 or 4 years	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-43.5
5 or more years	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-43.5
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	47	+/-51	47	(X)
Who are female	39	+/-46	83.0%	+/-30.4
Who are married	17	+/-28	36.2%	+/-59.7
<b>SCHOOL ENROLLMENT</b>				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	924	+/-187	924	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	30	+/-28	3.2%	+/-3.3
Kindergarten	77	+/-60	8.3%	+/-6.2
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	464	+/-142	50.2%	+/-13.1
High school (grades 9-12)	244	+/-99	26.4%	+/-7.8
College or graduate school	109	+/-69	11.8%	+/-7.2
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>				
Population 25 years and over	2,303	+/-150	2,303	(X)
Less than 9th grade	57	+/-56	2.5%	+/-2.4
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	127	+/-67	5.5%	+/-2.8
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	865	+/-163	37.6%	+/-6.2
Some college, no degree	622	+/-131	27.0%	+/-5.9
Associate's degree	204	+/-99	8.9%	+/-4.3
Bachelor's degree	277	+/-111	12.0%	+/-4.7
Graduate or professional degree	151	+/-75	6.6%	+/-3.2
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	92.0%	+/-3.5
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	18.6%	+/-5.6
<b>VETERAN STATUS</b>				
Civilian population 18 years and over	2,499	+/-159	2,499	(X)
Civilian veterans	284	+/-80	11.4%	+/-3.1
<b>DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION</b>				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO</b>				
Population 1 year and over	3,348	+/-50	3,348	(X)

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Same house	2,928	+/-248	87.5%	+/-7.3
Different house in the U.S.	420	+/-243	12.5%	+/-7.3
Same county	138	+/-120	4.1%	+/-3.6
Different county	282	+/-211	8.4%	+/-6.3
Same state	238	+/-205	7.1%	+/-6.1
Different state	44	+/-52	1.3%	+/-1.5
Abroad	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-1.0
<b>PLACE OF BIRTH</b>				
Total population	3,392	+/-17	3,392	(X)
Native	3,300	+/-75	97.3%	+/-2.2
Born in United States	3,257	+/-79	96.0%	+/-2.2
State of residence	2,785	+/-221	82.1%	+/-6.5
Different state	472	+/-181	13.9%	+/-5.3
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	43	+/-56	1.3%	+/-1.6
Foreign born	92	+/-73	2.7%	+/-2.2
<b>U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS</b>				
Foreign-born population	92	+/-73	92	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	71	+/-63	77.2%	+/-24.3
Not a U.S. citizen	21	+/-24	22.8%	+/-24.3
<b>YEAR OF ENTRY</b>				
Population born outside the United States	135	+/-76	135	(X)
Native	43	+/-56	43	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-46.9
Entered before 2000	43	+/-56	100.0%	+/-46.9
Foreign born	92	+/-73	92	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	9	+/-16	9.8%	+/-16.8
Entered before 2000	83	+/-66	90.2%	+/-16.8
<b>WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN</b>				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	92	+/-73	92	(X)
Europe	83	+/-66	90.2%	+/-16.8
Asia	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-30.6
Africa	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-30.6
Oceania	9	+/-16	9.8%	+/-16.8
Latin America	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-30.6
Northern America	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-30.6
<b>LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME</b>				
Population 5 years and over	3,231	+/-67	3,231	(X)
English only	2,974	+/-173	92.0%	+/-5.2
Language other than English	257	+/-170	8.0%	+/-5.2
Speak English less than "very well"	13	+/-21	0.4%	+/-0.7
Spanish	117	+/-142	3.6%	+/-4.4
Speak English less than "very well"	13	+/-21	0.4%	+/-0.7
Other Indo-European languages	140	+/-113	4.3%	+/-3.5
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-1.1
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-1.1
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-1.1
Other languages	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-1.1
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-1.1
<b>ANCESTRY</b>				
Total population	3,392	+/-17	3,392	(X)
American	187	+/-123	5.5%	+/-3.6
Arab	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-1.0
Czech	59	+/-61	1.7%	+/-1.8
Danish	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-1.0
Dutch	332	+/-125	9.8%	+/-3.7
English	244	+/-83	7.2%	+/-2.4
French (except Basque)	271	+/-139	8.0%	+/-4.1

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French Canadian	83	+/-51	2.4%	+/-1.5
German	1,318	+/-348	38.9%	+/-10.2
Greek	19	+/-21	0.6%	+/-0.6
Hungarian	129	+/-157	3.8%	+/-4.6
Irish	898	+/-206	26.5%	+/-6.1
Italian	621	+/-205	18.3%	+/-6.0
Lithuanian	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-1.0
Norwegian	64	+/-82	1.9%	+/-2.4
Polish	96	+/-63	2.8%	+/-1.9
Portuguese	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-1.0
Russian	54	+/-43	1.6%	+/-1.3
Scotch-Irish	102	+/-89	3.0%	+/-2.6
Scottish	50	+/-38	1.5%	+/-1.1
Slovak	7	+/-11	0.2%	+/-0.3
Subsaharan African	78	+/-119	2.3%	+/-3.5
Swedish	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-1.0
Swiss	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-1.0
Ukrainian	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-1.0
Welsh	8	+/-12	0.2%	+/-0.3
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-1.0

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.

While the 2006-2010 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the December 2009 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.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2006-2010 American Community Survey

#### 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.