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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	Brunswick town, Rensselaer County, New York			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	4,876	+/-200	4,876	(X)
Family households (families)	3,286	+/-182	67.4%	+/-4.3
With own children under 18 years	1,372	+/-154	28.1%	+/-3.5
Married-couple family	2,763	+/-183	56.7%	+/-4.3
With own children under 18 years	1,115	+/-151	22.9%	+/-3.4
Male householder, no wife present, family	192	+/-110	3.9%	+/-2.3
With own children under 18 years	119	+/-96	2.4%	+/-2.0
Female householder, no husband present, family	331	+/-111	6.8%	+/-2.3
With own children under 18 years	138	+/-67	2.8%	+/-1.4
Nonfamily households	1,590	+/-248	32.6%	+/-4.3
Householder living alone	1,233	+/-226	25.3%	+/-4.0
65 years and over	509	+/-118	10.4%	+/-2.3
Households with one or more people under 18 years	1,561	+/-142	32.0%	+/-3.3
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	1,279	+/-116	26.2%	+/-2.2
Average household size	2.44	+/-0.10	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.96	+/-0.12	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	11,883	+/-88	11,883	(X)
Householder	4,876	+/-200	41.0%	+/-1.7
Spouse	2,785	+/-188	23.4%	+/-1.6
Child	3,214	+/-256	27.0%	+/-2.2
Other relatives	438	+/-153	3.7%	+/-1.3
Nonrelatives	570	+/-210	4.8%	+/-1.8
Unmarried partner	288	+/-120	2.4%	+/-1.0
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	4,872	+/-231	4,872	(X)
Never married	1,491	+/-253	30.6%	+/-4.3
Now married, except separated	2,868	+/-180	58.9%	+/-4.4
Separated	78	+/-57	1.6%	+/-1.2
Widowed	140	+/-70	2.9%	+/-1.4
Divorced	295	+/-135	6.1%	+/-2.8
Females 15 years and over	5,224	+/-213	5,224	(X)

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Never married	1,230	+/-221	23.5%	+/-3.9
Now married, except separated	2,950	+/-192	56.5%	+/-4.3
Separated	79	+/-56	1.5%	+/-1.0
Widowed	468	+/-107	9.0%	+/-1.9
Divorced	497	+/-145	9.5%	+/-2.6
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	136	+/-94	136	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	30	+/-35	22.1%	+/-27.5
Per 1,000 unmarried women	22	+/-26	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	46	+/-32	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/-92	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	74	+/-66	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	38	+/-43	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	243	+/-110	243	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	38	+/-48	15.6%	+/-17.6
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-13.4
1 or 2 years	12	+/-20	4.9%	+/-8.3
3 or 4 years	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-13.4
5 or more years	26	+/-42	10.7%	+/-15.6
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	38	+/-48	38	(X)
Who are female	13	+/-21	34.2%	+/-26.4
Who are married	26	+/-42	68.4%	+/-51.2
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	2,939	+/-245	2,939	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	100	+/-64	3.4%	+/-2.2
Kindergarten	100	+/-64	3.4%	+/-2.2
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	1,266	+/-182	43.1%	+/-6.1
High school (grades 9-12)	698	+/-168	23.7%	+/-4.9
College or graduate school	775	+/-202	26.4%	+/-6.2
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	8,635	+/-239	8,635	(X)
Less than 9th grade	158	+/-100	1.8%	+/-1.2
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	374	+/-109	4.3%	+/-1.3
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	2,669	+/-288	30.9%	+/-3.2
Some college, no degree	1,709	+/-250	19.8%	+/-2.8
Associate's degree	1,104	+/-218	12.8%	+/-2.5
Bachelor's degree	1,316	+/-275	15.2%	+/-3.1
Graduate or professional degree	1,305	+/-223	15.1%	+/-2.5
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	93.8%	+/-1.8
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	30.4%	+/-3.9
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	9,414	+/-250	9,414	(X)
Civilian veterans	1,053	+/-156	11.2%	+/-1.7
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
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)
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	11,810	+/-100	11,810	(X)

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Same house	10,896	+/-351	92.3%	+/-2.8
Different house in the U.S.	873	+/-323	7.4%	+/-2.7
Same county	544	+/-277	4.6%	+/-2.3
Different county	329	+/-173	2.8%	+/-1.5
Same state	254	+/-163	2.2%	+/-1.4
Different state	75	+/-60	0.6%	+/-0.5
Abroad	41	+/-36	0.3%	+/-0.3
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	11,934	+/-23	11,934	(X)
Native	11,516	+/-113	96.5%	+/-0.9
Born in United States	11,358	+/-150	95.2%	+/-1.2
State of residence	9,997	+/-279	83.8%	+/-2.3
Different state	1,361	+/-270	11.4%	+/-2.3
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	158	+/-92	1.3%	+/-0.8
Foreign born	418	+/-111	3.5%	+/-0.9
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	418	+/-111	418	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	253	+/-86	60.5%	+/-14.5
Not a U.S. citizen	165	+/-79	39.5%	+/-14.5
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	576	+/-147	576	(X)
Native	158	+/-92	158	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-19.7
Entered before 2000	158	+/-92	100.0%	+/-19.7
Foreign born	418	+/-111	418	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	102	+/-58	24.4%	+/-11.9
Entered before 2000	316	+/-96	75.6%	+/-11.9
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	418	+/-111	418	(X)
Europe	233	+/-91	55.7%	+/-15.3
Asia	112	+/-69	26.8%	+/-14.4
Africa	12	+/-20	2.9%	+/-4.8
Oceania	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-8.0
Latin America	26	+/-28	6.2%	+/-6.7
Northern America	35	+/-34	8.4%	+/-7.7
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	11,461	+/-174	11,461	(X)
English only	10,661	+/-306	93.0%	+/-2.1
Language other than English	800	+/-233	7.0%	+/-2.1
Speak English less than "very well"	233	+/-151	2.0%	+/-1.3
Spanish	224	+/-190	2.0%	+/-1.7
Speak English less than "very well"	131	+/-137	1.1%	+/-1.2
Other Indo-European languages	494	+/-157	4.3%	+/-1.4
Speak English less than "very well"	68	+/-51	0.6%	+/-0.4
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	82	+/-56	0.7%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	34	+/-51	0.3%	+/-0.4
Other languages	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-0.3
ANCESTRY				
Total population	11,934	+/-23	11,934	(X)
American	567	+/-257	4.8%	+/-2.2
Arab	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-0.3
Czech	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-0.3
Danish	237	+/-134	2.0%	+/-1.1
Dutch	445	+/-139	3.7%	+/-1.2
English	1,404	+/-333	11.8%	+/-2.8
French (except Basque)	1,522	+/-270	12.8%	+/-2.3

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French Canadian	415	+/-195	3.5%	+/-1.6
German	2,483	+/-328	20.8%	+/-2.7
Greek	85	+/-70	0.7%	+/-0.6
Hungarian	15	+/-24	0.1%	+/-0.2
Irish	3,925	+/-511	32.9%	+/-4.3
Italian	2,603	+/-447	21.8%	+/-3.7
Lithuanian	118	+/-127	1.0%	+/-1.1
Norwegian	13	+/-20	0.1%	+/-0.2
Polish	725	+/-262	6.1%	+/-2.2
Portuguese	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-0.3
Russian	98	+/-71	0.8%	+/-0.6
Scotch-Irish	264	+/-149	2.2%	+/-1.2
Scottish	312	+/-148	2.6%	+/-1.2
Slovak	36	+/-33	0.3%	+/-0.3
Subsaharan African	12	+/-20	0.1%	+/-0.2
Swedish	68	+/-60	0.6%	+/-0.5
Swiss	77	+/-71	0.6%	+/-0.6
Ukrainian	185	+/-117	1.6%	+/-1.0
Welsh	88	+/-88	0.7%	+/-0.7
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	29	+/-51	0.2%	+/-0.4

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.
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    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.