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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	Pittstown town, Rensselaer County, New York			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	2,118	+/-107	2,118	(X)
Family households (families)	1,622	+/-125	76.6%	+/-6.1
With own children under 18 years	757	+/-97	35.7%	+/-4.6
Married-couple family	1,289	+/-147	60.9%	+/-7.4
With own children under 18 years	520	+/-75	24.6%	+/-3.8
Male householder, no wife present, family	107	+/-64	5.1%	+/-3.1
With own children under 18 years	81	+/-65	3.8%	+/-3.1
Female householder, no husband present, family	226	+/-106	10.7%	+/-4.9
With own children under 18 years	156	+/-96	7.4%	+/-4.5
Nonfamily households	496	+/-140	23.4%	+/-6.1
Householder living alone	325	+/-107	15.3%	+/-4.7
65 years and over	114	+/-57	5.4%	+/-2.6
Households with one or more people under 18 years	767	+/-95	36.2%	+/-4.6
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	314	+/-86	14.8%	+/-4.0
Average household size	2.71	+/-0.14	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.06	+/-0.17	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	5,745	+/-27	5,745	(X)
Householder	2,118	+/-107	36.9%	+/-1.8
Spouse	1,276	+/-151	22.2%	+/-2.6
Child	1,936	+/-152	33.7%	+/-2.6
Other relatives	129	+/-81	2.2%	+/-1.4
Nonrelatives	286	+/-124	5.0%	+/-2.2
Unmarried partner	216	+/-108	3.8%	+/-1.9
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	2,200	+/-195	2,200	(X)
Never married	616	+/-140	28.0%	+/-5.0
Now married, except separated	1,322	+/-151	60.1%	+/-5.6
Separated	53	+/-47	2.4%	+/-2.1
Widowed	37	+/-34	1.7%	+/-1.6
Divorced	172	+/-80	7.8%	+/-3.8
Females 15 years and over	2,362	+/-124	2,362	(X)

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Never married	522	+/-134	22.1%	+/-5.
Now married, except separated	1,319	+/-148	55.8%	+/-7.
Separated	44	+/-33	1.9%	+/-1.
Widowed	219	+/-87	9.3%	+/-3.
Divorced	258	+/-124	10.9%	+/-5.
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth n the past 12 months	50		50	(>
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	0		0.0%	+/-43.
Per 1,000 unmarried women	0	.,	(X)	()
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	35	+/-30	(X)	(>
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/-167	(X)	(>
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	98	+/-92	(X)	(>
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	12	+/-19	(X)	(>
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	39		39	(X
Responsible for grandchildren Years responsible for grandchildren	6	+/-10	15.4%	+/-26.
Less than 1 year	6	+/-10	15.4%	+/-26.
1 or 2 years	0		0.0%	+/-20.
3 or 4 years	0		0.0%	+/-49.
5 or more years			0.0%	+/-49.
Number of grandparents responsible for own	0			
rvaniber of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years Who are female	6		100.0%	+/-100.
Who are married	6		100.0%	+/-100.
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT	O	17 10	100.070	17 100.
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	1,628	+/-167	1,628	(>
Nursery school, preschool	28		1.7%	+/-1.
Kindergarten	50	.,	3.1%	+/-2.
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	773		47.5%	+/-7.
High school (grades 9-12)	449	+/-117	27.6%	+/-7
College or graduate school	328	.,	20.1%	
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT	320	17-110	20.170	17-0.
Population 25 years and over	3,737	+/-157	3,737	(>
Less than 9th grade	104		2.8%	+/-1.
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	186		5.0%	+/-2.
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	1,517		40.6%	+/-2.
Some college, no degree	652		17.4%	+/-7.
Associate's degree	521	+/-143	13.9%	+/-3.
Bachelor's degree	439		11.7%	+/-3.
Graduate or professional degree	318		8.5%	+/-3.
Percent high school graduate or higher			92.2%	+/-2.
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X) (X)		20.3%	
/ETERAN STATUS	(^)	(^)	20.3%	+/-4.
Civilian population 18 years and over	4 240	. / 120	4 0 4 0	^
Civilian veterans	4,248		4,248	,
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION	343	+/-126	8.1%	+/-3.
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	(X)	(X)	(X)	(>
With a disability	(X)		(X)	()
Under 18 years	(X)		(X)	()
With a disability	(X)		(X)	()
18 to 64 years	(X)		(X)	()
With a disability	(X)		(X)	()
65 years and over	(X)		(X)	()
With a disability	(X)		(X)	(>
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO	(X)	(X)	(X)	()
Population 1 year and over	5,687	+/-50	5,687	(>

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Same house	5,337	+/-157	93.8%	+/-2.5
Different house in the U.S.	346	+/-142	6.1%	+/-2.5
Same county	262	+/-118	4.6%	+/-2.1
Different county	84	+/-84	1.5%	+/-1.5
Same state	84	+/-84	1.5%	+/-1.5
Different state	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-0.6
Abroad	4	+/-6	0.1%	+/-0.1
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	5,745		5,745	,
Native	5,707		99.3%	
Born in United States	5,621		97.8%	
State of residence	4,750		82.7%	
Different state	871		15.2%	
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s) Foreign born	86		1.5%	
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS	38	+/-32	0.7%	+/-0.6
Foreign-born population	20	./.22	20	//
Naturalized U.S. citizen	38		38	,
Not a U.S. citizen	38		100.0%	
YEAR OF ENTRY	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-49.9
Population born outside the United States	124	+/-99	124	(X
Native	86	+/-92	86	(X
Entered 2000 or later	29	+/-45	33.7%	+/-29.5
Entered before 2000	57	+/-56	66.3%	+/-29.5
Foreign born	38	+/-32	38	(X
Entered 2000 or later	12	+/-20	31.6%	+/-40.5
Entered before 2000	26	+/-26	68.4%	+/-40.5
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	38	+/-32	38	(X)
Europe	24	+/-25	63.2%	+/-40.3
Asia	12	+/-20	31.6%	+/-40.5
Africa	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-49.9
Oceania	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-49.9
Latin America	2	+/-5	5.3%	+/-15.0
Northern America	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-49.9
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	5,505	+/-103	5,505	(X
English only	5,397	+/-122	98.0%	+/-1.1
Language other than English	108	+/-59	2.0%	+/-1.1
Speak English less than "very well"	44	+/-39	0.8%	+/-0.7
Spanish	51	+/-39	0.9%	+/-0.7
Speak English less than "very well"	15	+/-22	0.3%	+/-0.4
Other Indo-European languages	57	+/-42	1.0%	+/-0.8
Speak English less than "very well"	29	+/-32	0.5%	+/-0.6
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-0.6
Other languages	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-0.6
ANCESTRY				
Total population	5,745		5,745	,
American	390		6.8%	
Arab	0		0.0%	
Czech	0		0.0%	
Danish	60		1.0%	
Dutch	293		5.1%	
English	919		16.0%	
French (except Basque)	873	+/-277	15.2%	+/-4.8

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French Canadian	240	+/-117	4.2%	+/-2.0
German	986	+/-255	17.2%	+/-4.5
Greek	9	+/-15	0.2%	+/-0.3
Hungarian	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-0.6
Irish	1,704	+/-371	29.7%	+/-6.5
Italian	976	+/-358	17.0%	+/-6.2
Lithuanian	39	+/-47	0.7%	+/-0.8
Norwegian	48	+/-61	0.8%	+/-1.1
Polish	279	+/-119	4.9%	+/-2.1
Portuguese	17	+/-28	0.3%	+/-0.5
Russian	21	+/-24	0.4%	+/-0.4
Scotch-Irish	31	+/-31	0.5%	+/-0.5
Scottish	95	+/-77	1.7%	+/-1.3
Slovak	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-0.6
Subsaharan African	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-0.6
Swedish	39	+/-36	0.7%	+/-0.6
Swiss	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-0.6
Ukrainian	37	+/-57	0.6%	+/-1.0
Welsh	5	+/-8	0.1%	+/-0.1
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	51	+/-81	0.9%	+/-1.4

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.
- 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.