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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	Schaghticoke town, Rensselaer County, New York			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	2,802	+/-124	2,802	(X)
Family households (families)	2,248	+/-94	80.2%	+/-4.3
With own children under 18 years	863	+/-121	30.8%	+/-4.7
Married-couple family	1,869	+/-115	66.7%	+/-4.8
With own children under 18 years	650	+/-115	23.2%	+/-4.4
Male householder, no wife present, family	147	+/-66	5.2%	+/-2.3
With own children under 18 years	89	+/-55	3.2%	+/-1.9
Female householder, no husband present, family	232	+/-79	8.3%	+/-2.8
With own children under 18 years	124	+/-63	4.4%	+/-2.3
Nonfamily households	554	+/-137	19.8%	+/-4.3
Householder living alone	444	+/-120	15.8%	+/-3.8
65 years and over	180	+/-55	6.4%	+/-1.9
Households with one or more people under 18 years	955	+/-113	34.1%	+/-4.6
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	682	+/-85	24.3%	+/-2.8
Average household size	2.74	+/-0.12	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.05	+/-0.11	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	7,666	+/-21	7,666	(X)
Householder	2,802	+/-124	36.6%	+/-1.6
Spouse	1,884	+/-114	24.6%	+/-1.5
Child	2,354	+/-169	30.7%	+/-2.2
Other relatives	369	+/-150	4.8%	+/-2.0
Nonrelatives	257	+/-78	3.4%	+/-1.0
Unmarried partner	186	+/-68	2.4%	+/-0.9
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	3,162	+/-165	3,162	(X)
Never married	807	+/-147	25.5%	+/-4.0
Now married, except separated	1,971	+/-116	62.3%	+/-4.3
Separated	16	+/-26	0.5%	+/-0.8
Widowed	101	+/-46	3.2%	+/-1.4
Divorced	267	+/-101	8.4%	+/-3.1
Females 15 years and over	3,087	+/-137	3,087	(X)

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Never married	657	+/-147	21.3%	+/-4.2
Now married, except separated	2,028	+/-105	65.7%	+/-4.4
Separated	44	+/-33	1.4%	+/-1.1
Widowed	181	+/-55	5.9%	+/-1.8
Divorced	177	+/-75	5.7%	+/-2.4
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	80	+/-46	80	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	26	+/-25	32.5%	+/-27.0
Per 1,000 unmarried women	40	+/-38	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	43	+/-25	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/-125	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	123	+/-75	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	4	+/-7	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	167	+/-76	167	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-18.8
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-18.8
1 or 2 years	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-18.8
3 or 4 years	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-18.8
5 or more years	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-18.8
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	0	+/-123	0	(X)
Who are female	0	+/-123	-	**
Who are married	0	+/-123	-	**
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	1,953	+/-169	1,953	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	49	+/-54	2.5%	+/-2.8
Kindergarten	88	+/-56	4.5%	+/-2.9
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	914	+/-148	46.8%	+/-7.5
High school (grades 9-12)	485	+/-144	24.8%	+/-7.0
College or graduate school	417	+/-152	21.4%	+/-6.9
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	5,353	+/-195	5,353	(X)
Less than 9th grade	87	+/-48	1.6%	+/-0.9
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	301	+/-96	5.6%	+/-1.7
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	2,076	+/-192	38.8%	+/-3.6
Some college, no degree	1,101	+/-215	20.6%	+/-3.8
Associate's degree	913	+/-181	17.1%	+/-3.4
Bachelor's degree	542	+/-113	10.1%	+/-2.1
Graduate or professional degree	333	+/-135	6.2%	+/-2.5
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	92.8%	+/-2.0
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	16.3%	+/-3.2
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	5,913	+/-192	5,913	(X)
Civilian veterans	729	+/-129	12.3%	+/-2.2
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	7,609	+/-41	7,609	(X)

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	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Same house	7,143	+/-214	93.9%	+/-2.7
Different house in the U.S.	452	+/-204	5.9%	+/-2.7
Same county	166	+/-90	2.2%	+/-1.2
Different county	286	+/-187	3.8%	+/-2.5
Same state	284	+/-187	3.7%	+/-2.5
Different state	2	+/-3	0.0%	+/-0.1
Abroad	14	+/-18	0.2%	+/-0.2
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	7,666	+/-21	7,666	(X)
Native	7,477	+/-101	97.5%	+/-1.3
Born in United States	7,466	+/-103	97.4%	+/-1.3
State of residence	6,915	+/-183	90.2%	+/-2.4
Different state	551	+/-145	7.2%	+/-1.9
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	11	+/-12	0.1%	+/-0.2
Foreign born	189	+/-100	2.5%	+/-1.3
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	189	+/-100	189	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	137	+/-92	72.5%	+/-26.4
Not a U.S. citizen	52	+/-53	27.5%	+/-26.4
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	200	+/-103	200	(X)
Native	11	+/-12	11	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-92.8
Entered before 2000	11	+/-12	100.0%	+/-92.8
Foreign born	189	+/-100	189	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	59	+/-44	31.2%	+/-22.1
Entered before 2000	130	+/-89	68.8%	+/-22.1
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	189	+/-100	189	(X)
Europe	106	+/-81	56.1%	+/-27.2
Asia	21	+/-35	11.1%	+/-17.9
Africa	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-16.8
Oceania	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-16.8
Latin America	40	+/-48	21.2%	+/-23.4
Northern America	22	+/-24	11.6%	+/-13.8
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	7,337	+/-135	7,337	(X)
English only	7,007	+/-206	95.5%	+/-1.9
Language other than English	330	+/-140	4.5%	+/-1.9
Speak English less than "very well"	40	+/-36	0.5%	+/-0.5
Spanish	74	+/-70	1.0%	+/-1.0
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-0.5
Other Indo-European languages	256	+/-120	3.5%	+/-1.6
Speak English less than "very well"	40	+/-36	0.5%	+/-0.5
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-0.5
Other languages	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-0.5
ANCESTRY				
Total population	7,666	+/-21	7,666	(X)
American	209	+/-131	2.7%	+/-1.7
Arab	33	+/-44	0.4%	+/-0.6
Czech	86	+/-60	1.1%	+/-0.8
Danish	90	+/-50	1.2%	+/-0.7
Dutch	245	+/-112	3.2%	+/-1.5
English	1,022	+/-239	13.3%	+/-3.1
French (except Basque)	1,096	+/-219	14.3%	+/-2.9

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French Canadian	302	+/-153	3.9%	+/-2.0
German	1,192	+/-246	15.5%	+/-3.2
Greek	37	+/-47	0.5%	+/-0.6
Hungarian	8	+/-13	0.1%	+/-0.2
Irish	2,336	+/-308	30.5%	+/-4.0
Italian	1,574	+/-367	20.5%	+/-4.8
Lithuanian	63	+/-96	0.8%	+/-1.3
Norwegian	13	+/-15	0.2%	+/-0.2
Polish	703	+/-206	9.2%	+/-2.7
Portuguese	12	+/-17	0.2%	+/-0.2
Russian	99	+/-69	1.3%	+/-0.9
Scotch-Irish	87	+/-58	1.1%	+/-0.8
Scottish	255	+/-147	3.3%	+/-1.9
Slovak	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-0.5
Subsaharan African	0	+/-123	0.0%	+/-0.5
Swedish	36	+/-42	0.5%	+/-0.6
Swiss	72	+/-51	0.9%	+/-0.7
Ukrainian	153	+/-130	2.0%	+/-1.7
Welsh	97	+/-106	1.3%	+/-1.4
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	36	+/-46	0.5%	+/-0.6

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.