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2007-2011 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, it is the Census Bureau's Population Estimates Program that produces and disseminates the official estimates of the population for the nation, states, counties, cities and towns and estimates of housing units for states and counties.

Subject	North Greenbush town, Rensselaer County, New York			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	4,562	+/-208	4,562	(X)
Family households (families)	3,004	+/-160	65.8%	+/-4.4
With own children under 18 years	1,327	+/-124	29.1%	+/-3.1
Married-couple family	2,389	+/-188	52.4%	+/-4.6
With own children under 18 years	901	+/-127	19.8%	+/-3.0
Male householder, no wife present, family	193	+/-116	4.2%	+/-2.6
With own children under 18 years	147	+/-117	3.2%	+/-2.6
Female householder, no husband present, family	422	+/-112	9.3%	+/-2.4
With own children under 18 years	279	+/-98	6.1%	+/-2.1
Nonfamily households	1,558	+/-252	34.2%	+/-4.4
Householder living alone	1,185	+/-227	26.0%	+/-4.1
65 years and over	491	+/-125	10.8%	+/-2.5
Households with one or more people under 18 years	1,431	+/-123	31.4%	+/-3.2
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	1,243	+/-148	27.2%	+/-2.9
Average household size	2.52	+/-0.11	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.04	+/-0.12	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	11,508	+/-199	11,508	(X)
Householder	4,562	+/-208	39.6%	+/-1.7
Spouse	2,394	+/-196	20.8%	+/-1.7
Child	3,490	+/-243	30.3%	+/-2.0
Other relatives	247	+/-109	2.1%	+/-0.9
Nonrelatives	815	+/-248	7.1%	+/-2.1
Unmarried partner	463	+/-141	4.0%	+/-1.2
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	4,494	+/-247	4,494	(X)
Never married	1,463	+/-244	32.6%	+/-4.3
Now married, except separated	2,486	+/-180	55.3%	+/-4.4
Separated	71	+/-49	1.6%	+/-1.1
Widowed	157	+/-85	3.5%	+/-1.9
Divorced	317	+/-107	7.1%	+/-2.4
Females 15 years and over	5,182	+/-198	5,182	(X)
Never married	1,344	+/-213	25.9%	+/-3.9

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Now married, except separated	2,512	+/-194	48.5%	+/-3.9
Separated	165	+/-76	3.2%	+/-1.5
Widowed	673	+/-154	13.0%	+/-2.8
Divorced	488	+/-134	9.4%	+/-2.6
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	159	+/-103	159	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-18.4
Per 1,000 unmarried women	0	+/-22	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	59	+/-38	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/-103	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	110	+/-79	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	17	+/-21	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	131	+/-77	131	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	36	+/-36	27.5%	+/-24.6
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	23	+/-30	17.6%	+/-21.4
1 or 2 years	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-21.7
3 or 4 years	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-21.7
5 or more years	13	+/-21	9.9%	+/-16.6
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	36	+/-36	36	(X)
Who are female	16	+/-17	44.4%	+/-9.2
Who are married	36	+/-36	100.0%	+/-49.4
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	3,139	+/-335	3,139	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	267	+/-114	8.5%	+/-3.5
Kindergarten	78	+/-42	2.5%	+/-1.3
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	1,285	+/-211	40.9%	+/-7.0
High school (grades 9-12)	490	+/-145	15.6%	+/-4.5
College or graduate school	1,019	+/-271	32.5%	+/-6.4
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	8,289	+/-285	8,289	(X)
Less than 9th grade	219	+/-79	2.6%	+/-1.0
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	391	+/-123	4.7%	+/-1.4
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	2,380	+/-313	28.7%	+/-3.6
Some college, no degree	1,377	+/-197	16.6%	+/-2.5
Associate's degree	1,237	+/-226	14.9%	+/-2.7
Bachelor's degree	1,420	+/-205	17.1%	+/-2.3
Graduate or professional degree	1,265	+/-208	15.3%	+/-2.5
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	92.6%	+/-1.7
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	32.4%	+/-3.5
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	9,229	+/-231	9,229	(X)
Civilian veterans	999	+/-172	10.8%	+/-1.9
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	11,793	+/-127	11,793	(X)
Same house	10,249	+/-387	86.9%	+/-3.2

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Different house in the U.S.	1,529	+/-377	13.0%	+/-3.2
Same county	660	+/-240	5.6%	+/-2.0
Different county	869	+/-348	7.4%	+/-2.9
Same state	750	+/-338	6.4%	+/-2.9
Different state	119	+/-86	1.0%	+/-0.7
Abroad	15	+/-17	0.1%	+/-0.1
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	11,989	+/-67	11,989	(X)
Native	11,603	+/-169	96.8%	+/-1.3
Born in United States	11,589	+/-172	96.7%	+/-1.3
State of residence	9,858	+/-385	82.2%	+/-3.2
Different state	1,731	+/-406	14.4%	+/-3.4
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	14	+/-19	0.1%	+/-0.2
Foreign born	386	+/-152	3.2%	+/-1.3
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	386	+/-152	386	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	268	+/-122	69.4%	+/-13.1
Not a U.S. citizen	118	+/-64	30.6%	+/-13.1
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	400	+/-155	400	(X)
Native	14	+/-19	14	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-79.3
Entered before 2000	14	+/-19	100.0%	+/-79.3
Foreign born	386	+/-152	386	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	72	+/-54	18.7%	+/-14.7
Entered before 2000	314	+/-150	81.3%	+/-14.7
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	386	+/-152	386	(X)
Europe	91	+/-75	23.6%	+/-17.9
Asia	109	+/-81	28.2%	+/-18.6
Africa	14	+/-23	3.6%	+/-6.3
Oceania	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-8.1
Latin America	144	+/-108	37.3%	+/-20.6
Northern America	28	+/-25	7.3%	+/-6.6
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	11,102	+/-244	11,102	(X)
English only	10,494	+/-303	94.5%	+/-1.8
Language other than English	608	+/-198	5.5%	+/-1.8
Speak English less than "very well"	201	+/-87	1.8%	+/-0.8
Spanish	136	+/-76	1.2%	+/-0.7
Speak English less than "very well"	48	+/-42	0.4%	+/-0.4
Other Indo-European languages	399	+/-160	3.6%	+/-1.4
Speak English less than "very well"	124	+/-78	1.1%	+/-0.7
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	73	+/-81	0.7%	+/-0.7
Speak English less than "very well"	29	+/-39	0.3%	+/-0.4
Other languages	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.3
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ANCESTRY				
Total population	11,989	+/-67	11,989	(X)
American	511	+/-314	4.3%	+/-2.6
Arab	167	+/-156	1.4%	+/-1.3
Czech	37	+/-36	0.3%	+/-0.3
Danish	82	+/-65	0.7%	+/-0.5
Dutch	418	+/-124	3.5%	+/-1.0
English	1,025	+/-242	8.5%	+/-2.0
French (except Basque)	1,119	+/-253	9.3%	+/-2.1
French Canadian	395	+/-183	3.3%	+/-1.5
German	2,403	+/-352	20.0%	+/-2.9

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Greek	103	+/-124	0.9%	+/-1.0
Hungarian	21	+/-19	0.2%	+/-0.2
Irish	4,005	+/-464	33.4%	+/-3.9
Italian	2,769	+/-485	23.1%	+/-4.0
Lithuanian	189	+/-206	1.6%	+/-1.7
Norwegian	99	+/-50	0.8%	+/-0.4
Polish	878	+/-222	7.3%	+/-1.9
Portuguese	59	+/-53	0.5%	+/-0.4
Russian	189	+/-118	1.6%	+/-1.0
Scotch-Irish	215	+/-89	1.8%	+/-0.7
Scottish	187	+/-88	1.6%	+/-0.7
Slovak	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.3
Subsaharan African	14	+/-23	0.1%	+/-0.2
Swedish	214	+/-214	1.8%	+/-1.8
Swiss	24	+/-26	0.2%	+/-0.2
Ukrainian	368	+/-205	3.1%	+/-1.7
Welsh	55	+/-35	0.5%	+/-0.3
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	14	+/-18	0.1%	+/-0.1

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 2007-2011 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, 2007-2011 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.