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## SELECTED ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS

## 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	Cohoes city, Albany County, New York				
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error	
EMPLOYMENT STATUS				LITOI	
Population 16 years and over	13,548	+/-274	13,548	(X)	
In labor force	8,839	+/-435	65.2%	+/-2.5	
Civilian labor force	8,839	+/-435	65.2%	+/-2.5	
Employed	8,239	+/-429	60.8%	+/-2.7	
Unemployed	600	+/-186	4.4%	+/-1.4	
Armed Forces	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.2	
Not in labor force	4,709	+/-327	34.8%	+/-2.5	
Civilian labor force	8,839	+/-435	8,839	(X)	
Percent Unemployed	(X)	(X)	6.8%	+/-2.1	
Females 16 years and over	7,334	+/-314	7,334	(X)	
In labor force	4,446	+/-358	60.6%	+/-3.8	
Civilian labor force	4,446	+/-358	60.6%	+/-3.8	
Employed	4,236	+/-362	57.8%	+/-3.8	
Own children under 6 years	922	+/-154	922	(X)	
All parents in family in labor force	634	+/-143	68.8%	+/-12.6	
Own children 6 to 17 years	2,015	+/-260	2,015	(X)	
All parents in family in labor force	1,622	+/-276	80.5%	+/-8.8	
COMMUTING TO WORK	,				
Workers 16 years and over	8,054	+/-419	8,054	(X)	
Car, truck, or van drove alone	6,558	+/-433	81.4%	+/-3.5	
Car, truck, or van carpooled	913	+/-270	11.3%	+/-3.2	
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	134	+/-67	1.7%	+/-0.9	
Walked	200	+/-100	2.5%	+/-1.3	
Other means	47	+/-32	0.6%	+/-0.4	
Worked at home	202	+/-116	2.5%	+/-1.4	
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	20.3	+/-1.5	(X)	(X)	
OCCUPATION				( )	
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	8,239	+/-429	8,239	(X)	
Management, business, science, and arts occupations	2,320	+/-379	28.2%	+/-4.5	
Service occupations	1,625	+/-328	19.7%	+/-3.9	
Sales and office occupations	2,593	+/-389	31.5%	+/-4.1	
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	662	+/-177	8.0%	+/-2.1	

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Production, transportation, and material moving	1,039	+/-215	12.6%	Error +/-2.7
occupations INDUSTRY	·			
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	8,239	+/-429	8,239	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	59	+/-68	0.7%	+/-0.8
Construction	392	+/-155	4.8%	+/-1.8
Manufacturing	513	+/-149	6.2%	+/-1.9
Wholesale trade	311	+/-111	3.8%	+/-1.3
Retail trade	1,101	+/-261	13.4%	+/-2.9
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	460	+/-158	5.6%	+/-1.9
Information	66	+/-48	0.8%	+/-0.6
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and	598	+/-194	7.3%	+/-2.3
easing Professional, scientific, and management, and	525	./470	0.50/	./04
administrative and waste management services	535	+/-172	6.5%	+/-2.1
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	2,176	+/-349	26.4%	+/-4.3
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and	683	+/-232	8.3%	+/-2.7
accommodation and food services				
Other services, except public administration	502	+/-156	6.1%	+/-1.9
Public administration  CLASS OF WORKER	843	+/-184	10.2%	+/-2.2
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	0.000	. / 400	0.000	///
Private wage and salary workers	8,239	+/-429 +/-474	8,239	(X)
Government workers	6,086 1,685	+/-4/4	73.9% 20.5%	+/-3.9
Self-employed in own not incorporated business	468	+/-266	5.7%	+/-3.2
workers	400	4/-100	3.7 70	+/-2.0
Unpaid family workers	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.4
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2011 INFLATION- ADJUSTED DOLLARS)				
Total households	7,479	+/-300	7,479	(X)
Less than \$10,000	630	+/-162	8.4%	+/-2.1
\$10,000 to \$14,999	555	+/-159	7.4%	+/-2.1
\$15,000 to \$24,999	925	+/-220	12.4%	+/-2.9
\$25,000 to \$34,999	753	+/-178	10.1%	+/-2.3
\$35,000 to \$49,999	1,285	+/-255	17.2%	+/-3.3
\$50,000 to \$74,999	1,690	+/-267	22.6%	+/-3.5
\$75,000 to \$99,999	787	+/-186	10.5%	+/-2.5
\$100,000 to \$149,999	639	+/-148	8.5%	+/-2.0
\$150,000 to \$199,999	184	+/-93	2.5%	+/-1.2
\$200,000 or more	31	+/-29	0.4%	+/-0.4
Median household income (dollars)	43,535	+/-2,937	(X)	(X)
Mean household income (dollars)	53,423	+/-2,947	(X)	(X)
With earnings  Mean earnings (dollars)	5,419	+/-298	72.5%	+/-3.0
With Social Security	58,032	+/-4,095	(X)	(X)
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	2,217	+/-222	29.6%	+/-2.9
With retirement income	15,485	+/-984 +/-186	(X) 20.9%	(X) +/-2.4
Mean retirement income (dollars)	1,561 16,980	+/-2,131		
With Supplemental Security Income	558	+/-140	(X) 7.5%	(X) +/-1.8
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	8,937	+/-1,609	(X)	(X)
With cash public assistance income	229	+/-87	3.1%	+/-1.2
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	3,834	+/-1,391	(X)	(X)
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	1,249	+/-191	16.7%	+/-2.6
Families	3,740	+/-216	3,740	(X)
Less than \$10,000	250	+/-95	6.7%	+/-2.5
\$10,000 to \$14,999	117	+/-64	3.1%	+/-1.7
\$15,000 to \$24,999	346	+/-131	9.3%	+/-3.4
\$25,000 to \$34,999	297	+/-101	7.9%	+/-2.6
\$35,000 to \$49,999	582	+/-177	15.6%	+/-4.6
\$50,000 to \$74,999	922	+/-188	24.7%	+/-4.8

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\$75,000 to \$99,999	521	+/-145	13.9%	<b>Error</b> +/-3.7
\$100,000 to \$149,999	539	+/-144	14.4%	+/-3.9
\$150,000 to \$199,999	135	+/-76	3.6%	+/-2.0
\$200,000 or more	31	+/-29	0.8%	+/-2.0
Median family income (dollars)	56,667	+/-4,008	(X)	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	66,123	+/-5,572	(X)	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)	25,694	,		
Nonfamily households	3,739	+/-1,569 +/-361	(X) 3,739	(X)
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	33,788	+/-5,086		(X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)			(X)	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	38,246	+/-2,484	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers	32,147	+/-2,251	(X)	(X)
(dollars)	45,232	+/-5,122	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round	37,309	+/-2,218	(X)	(X)
workers (dollars) HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE				
	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Civilian noninstitutionalized population	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With private health insurance	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With public coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
No health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 18 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
No health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
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In labor force:	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Employed:	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With private health insurance	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With public coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
No health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Unemployed:	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With private health insurance	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With public coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
No health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Not in labor force:	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With private health insurance	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With public coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
No health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL				
All families	(X)	(X)	11.6%	+/-3.1
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	22.0%	+/-6.2
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	33.0%	+/-17.3
Married couple families	(X)	(X)	3.7%	+/-2.3
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	5.9%	+/-4.3
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	11.9%	+/-15.6
Families with female householder, no husband present	(X)	(X)	32.4%	+/-9.9
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	49.2%	+/-14.5
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	70.1%	+/-14.5
All people	(X)		15.0%	+/-27.0
Under 18 years		(X)		
Related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	26.3%	+/-7.7
Related children under 15 years	(X)	(X)	26.3%	+/-7.7
-	(X)	(X)	35.3%	+/-12.5
Related children 5 to 17 years  18 years and over	(X)	(X)	23.0%	+/-8.8
•	(X)	(X)	12.3%	+/-2.4
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	13.0%	+/-2.9

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	9.7%	+/-4.3
People in families	(X)	(X)	12.5%	+/-3.6
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	(X)	(X)	20.3%	+/-4.5

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.

There were changes in the edit between 2009 and 2010 regarding Supplemental Security Income (SSI) and Social Security. The changes in the edit loosened restrictions on disability requirements for receipt of SSI resulting in an increase in the total number of SSI recipients in the American Community Survey. The changes also loosened restrictions on possible reported monthly amounts in Social Security income resulting in higher Social Security aggregate amounts. These results more closely match administrative counts compiled by the Social Security Administration.

Workers include members of the Armed Forces and civilians who were at work last week.

Industry codes are 4-digit codes and are based on the North American Industry Classification System 2007. The Industry categories adhere to the guidelines issued in Clarification Memorandum No. 2, "NAICS Alternate Aggregation Structure for Use By U.S. Statistical Agencies," issued by the Office of Management and Budget.

Census occupation codes are 4-digit codes and are based on the Standard Occupational Classification (SOC). The Census occupation codes for 2010 and later years are based on the 2010 revision of the SOC. To allow for the creation of 2007-2011 and 2009-2011 tables, occupation data in the multiyear files (2007-2011 and 2009-2011) were recoded to 2011 Census occupation codes. We recommend using caution when comparing data coded using 2011 Census occupation codes with data coded using Census occupation codes prior to 2010. For more information on the Census occupation code changes, please visit our website at http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/ioindex/.

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.
- 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.