DP02	SELECTED SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS IN THE UNITED STATES

2008-2012 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	Berlin town, Rensselaer County, New York			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	799	+/-64	799	(X)
Family households (families)	516	+/-51	64.6%	+/-6.4
With own children under 18 years	171	+/-43	21.4%	+/-5.4
Married-couple family	441	+/-48	55.2%	+/-6.3
With own children under 18 years	137	+/-38	17.1%	+/-4.9
Male householder, no wife present, family	17	+/-11	2.1%	+/-1.4
With own children under 18 years	3	+/-5	0.4%	+/-0.6
Female householder, no husband present, family	58	+/-24	7.3%	+/-3.0
With own children under 18 years	31	+/-19	3.9%	+/-2.4
Nonfamily households	283	+/-63	35.4%	+/-6.4
Householder living alone	229	+/-52	28.7%	+/-5.3
65 years and over	160	+/-44	20.0%	+/-4.7
Households with one or more people under 18 years	189	+/-44	23.7%	+/-5.6
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	312	+/-51	39.0%	+/-5.4
Average household size	2.45	+/-0.21	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.09	+/-0.26	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	1,956	+/-164	1,956	(X)
Householder	799	+/-64	40.8%	+/-3.4
Spouse	435	+/-52	22.2%	+/-2.6
Child	561	+/-115	28.7%	+/-4.2
Other relatives	82	+/-52	4.2%	+/-2.6
Nonrelatives	79	+/-32	4.0%	+/-1.6
Unmarried partner	54	+/-25	2.8%	+/-1.3
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	771	+/-72	771	(X)
Never married	249	+/-56	32.3%	+/-5.5
Now married, except separated	452	+/-50	58.6%	+/-6.1
Separated	20	+/-19	2.6%	+/-2.4
Widowed	10	+/-8	1.3%	+/-1.0

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Divorced	40	+/-16	5.2%	+/-2.1
Females 15 years and over	839	+/-77	839	(X)
Never married	158	+/-47	18.8%	+/-4.7
Now married, except separated	469	+/-52	55.9%	+/-6.2
Separated	20	+/-20	2.4%	+/-2.3
Widowed	147	+/-40	17.5%	+/-4.3
Divorced	45	+/-23	5.4%	+/-2.7
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	18	+/-19	18	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	4	+/-6	22.2%	+/-41.6
Per 1,000 unmarried women	23	+/-33	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	44	+/-46	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/-380	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	173	+/-163	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	0	+/-125	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	40	+/-37	40	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	40	+/-37	100.0%	+/-46.9
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	17	+/-27	42.5%	+/-49.4
1 or 2 years	7	+/-9	17.5%	+/-26.6
3 or 4 years	0	+/-12	0.0%	+/-46.9
5 or more years	16	+/-24	40.0%	+/-50.1
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	40	+/-37	40	(X)
Who are female	19	+/-18	47.5%	+/-6.4
Who are married	40	+/-37	100.0%	+/-46.9
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	425	+/-103	425	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	43	+/-25	10.1%	+/-6.0
Kindergarten	6	+/-7	1.4%	+/-1.5
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	212	+/-62	49.9%	+/-8.3
High school (grades 9-12)	91	+/-42	21.4%	+/-7.3
College or graduate school	73	+/-30	17.2%	+/-6.2
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	1,386	+/-89	1,386	(X)
Less than 9th grade	79	+/-34	5.7%	+/-2.5
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	135	+/-37	9.7%	+/-2.6
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	517	+/-85	37.3%	+/-5.7
Some college, no degree	211	+/-45	15.2%	+/-3.2
Associate's degree	152	+/-39	11.0%	+/-2.7
Bachelor's degree	188	+/-50	13.6%	+/-3.4
Graduate or professional degree	104	+/-47	7.5%	+/-3.3
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	84.6%	+/-3.5
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	21.1%	+/-4.8
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	1,534	+/-105	1,534	(X)
Civilian veterans	183	+/-50	11.9%	+/-3.3

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DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	1,956	+/-164	1,956	(X)
With a disability	349	+/-71	17.8%	+/-3.6
Under 18 years	422	+/-102	422	(X)
With a disability	14	+/-16	3.3%	+/-3.6
18 to 64 years	1,135	+/-111	1,135	(X)
With a disability	184	+/-53	16.2%	+/-4.2
65 years and over	399	+/-62	399	(X)
With a disability	151	+/-46	37.8%	+/-8.9
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	1,938	+/-160	1,938	(X)
Same house	1,821	+/-162	94.0%	+/-2.7
Different house in the U.S.	115	+/-54	5.9%	+/-2.8
Same county	97	+/-51	5.0%	+/-2.6
Different county	18	+/-13	0.9%	+/-0.7
Same state	15	+/-13	0.8%	+/-0.7
Different state	3	+/-6	0.2%	+/-0.3
Abroad	2	+/-5	0.1%	+/-0.2
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	1,956	+/-164	1,956	(X)
Native	1,928	+/-160	98.6%	+/-1.0
Born in United States	1,927	+/-160	98.5%	+/-1.0
State of residence	1,230	+/-160	62.9%	+/-5.8
Different state	697	+/-118	35.6%	+/-5.6
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	1	+/-2	0.1%	+/-0.1
Foreign born	28	+/-20	1.4%	+/-1.0
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	28	+/-20	28	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	14	+/-11	50.0%	+/-27.2
Not a U.S. citizen	14	+/-14	50.0%	+/-27.2
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	29	+/-21	29	(X)
Native	1	+/-2	1	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	0	+/-12	0.0%	+/-100.0
Entered before 2010	1	+/-2	100.0%	+/-100.0
Foreign born	28	+/-20	28	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	0	+/-12	0.0%	+/-56.0
Entered before 2010	28	+/-20	100.0%	+/-56.0
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	28	+/-20	28	(X)
Europe	20	+/-16	71.4%	+/-25.5
Asia	2	+/-5	7.1%	+/-14.7
Africa	0	+/-12	0.0%	+/-56.0
Oceania	0	+/-12	0.0%	+/-56.0
Latin America	0	+/-12	0.0%	+/-56.0
Northern America	6	+/-6	21.4%	+/-19.2

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LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	1,844	+/-149	1,844	(X)
English only	1,832	+/-149	99.3%	+/-0.5
Language other than English	12	+/-10	0.7%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	2	+/-5	0.1%	+/-0.3
Spanish	0	+/-12	0.0%	+/-1.7
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-12	0.0%	+/-1.7
Other Indo-European languages	10	+/-8	0.5%	+/-0.4
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-12	0.0%	+/-1.7
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	2	+/-5	0.1%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	2	+/-5	0.1%	+/-0.3
Other languages	0	+/-12	0.0%	+/-1.7
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-12	0.0%	+/-1.7
ANCESTRY				
Total population	1,956	+/-164	1,956	(X)
American	141	+/-57	7.2%	+/-3.0
Arab	3	+/-6	0.2%	+/-0.3
Czech	11	+/-12	0.6%	+/-0.6
Danish	20	+/-31	1.0%	+/-1.6
Dutch	132	+/-50	6.7%	+/-2.5
English	350	+/-92	17.9%	+/-4.9
French (except Basque)	217	+/-75	11.1%	+/-3.8
French Canadian	32	+/-21	1.6%	+/-1.1
German	662	+/-141	33.8%	+/-5.8
Greek	0	+/-12	0.0%	+/-1.6
Hungarian	0	+/-12	0.0%	+/-1.6
Irish	437	+/-121	22.3%	+/-5.9
Italian	221	+/-105	11.3%	+/-5.1
Lithuanian	3	+/-4	0.2%	+/-0.2
Norwegian	27	+/-41	1.4%	+/-2.1
Polish	132	+/-56	6.7%	+/-2.8
Portuguese	15	+/-17	0.8%	+/-0.9
Russian	2	+/-3	0.1%	+/-0.2
Scotch-Irish	5	+/-6	0.3%	+/-0.3
Scottish	40	+/-20	2.0%	+/-1.0
Slovak	0	+/-12	0.0%	+/-1.6
Subsaharan African	0	+/-12	0.0%	+/-1.6
Swedish	24	+/-15	1.2%	+/-0.8
Swiss	0	+/-12	0.0%	+/-1.6
Ukrainian	3	+/-5	0.2%	+/-0.3
Welsh	6	+/-7	0.3%	+/-0.4
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	0	+/-12	0.0%	+/-1.6

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.

Fertility data are not available for certain geographic areas due to problems with data collection. See Errata Note #92 for details.

The Census Bureau introduced a new set of disability questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Accordingly, comparisons of disability data from 2008 or later with data from prior years are not recommended. For more information on these questions and their evaluation in the 2006 ACS Content Test, see the Evaluation Report Covering Disability.

While the 2008-2012 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, 2008-2012 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.
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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.