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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	Schaghticoke town, Rensselaer County, New York			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
<b>HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE</b>				
Total households	2,841	+/-141	2,841	(X)
Family households (families)	2,164	+/-102	76.2%	+/-4.2
With own children under 18 years	841	+/-124	29.6%	+/-4.9
Married-couple family	1,807	+/-142	63.6%	+/-5.6
With own children under 18 years	667	+/-131	23.5%	+/-5.0
Male householder, no wife present, family	105	+/-59	3.7%	+/-2.1
With own children under 18 years	42	+/-39	1.5%	+/-1.4
Female householder, no husband present, family	252	+/-85	8.9%	+/-3.0
With own children under 18 years	132	+/-67	4.6%	+/-2.4
Nonfamily households	677	+/-142	23.8%	+/-4.2
Householder living alone	571	+/-127	20.1%	+/-3.8
65 years and over	232	+/-65	8.2%	+/-2.1
Households with one or more people under 18 years	923	+/-116	32.5%	+/-4.7
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	735	+/-98	25.9%	+/-3.2
Average household size	2.69	+/-0.13	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.08	+/-0.13	(X)	(X)
<b>RELATIONSHIP</b>				
Population in households	7,631	+/-76	7,631	(X)
Householder	2,841	+/-141	37.2%	+/-1.8
Spouse	1,819	+/-150	23.8%	+/-1.9
Child	2,388	+/-198	31.3%	+/-2.6
Other relatives	287	+/-117	3.8%	+/-1.5
Nonrelatives	296	+/-89	3.9%	+/-1.2
Unmarried partner	240	+/-85	3.1%	+/-1.1
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>				
Males 15 years and over	3,235	+/-215	3,235	(X)
Never married	932	+/-193	28.8%	+/-4.7
Now married, except separated	1,849	+/-142	57.2%	+/-5.2
Separated	22	+/-26	0.7%	+/-0.8
Widowed	118	+/-47	3.6%	+/-1.5

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Divorced	314	+/-100	9.7%	+/-2.8
Females 15 years and over	3,158	+/-194	3,158	(X)
Never married	684	+/-153	21.7%	+/-3.9
Now married, except separated	1,909	+/-134	60.4%	+/-5.0
Separated	27	+/-23	0.9%	+/-0.7
Widowed	293	+/-88	9.3%	+/-2.6
Divorced	245	+/-88	7.8%	+/-2.8
<b>FERTILITY</b>				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	73	+/-42	73	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	20	+/-17	27.4%	+/-27.3
Per 1,000 unmarried women	26	+/-23	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	39	+/-23	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/-127	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	119	+/-69	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	8	+/-14	(X)	(X)
<b>GRANDPARENTS</b>				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	151	+/-68	151	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-19.2
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-19.2
1 or 2 years	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-19.2
3 or 4 years	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-19.2
5 or more years	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-19.2
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	0	+/-17	0	(X)
Who are female	0	+/-17	-	**
Who are married	0	+/-17	-	**
<b>SCHOOL ENROLLMENT</b>				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	1,836	+/-195	1,836	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	26	+/-24	1.4%	+/-1.3
Kindergarten	122	+/-73	6.6%	+/-4.0
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	784	+/-123	42.7%	+/-7.0
High school (grades 9-12)	428	+/-133	23.3%	+/-6.3
College or graduate school	476	+/-153	25.9%	+/-7.2
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>				
Population 25 years and over	5,407	+/-240	5,407	(X)
Less than 9th grade	113	+/-54	2.1%	+/-1.0
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	273	+/-100	5.0%	+/-1.8
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	2,038	+/-265	37.7%	+/-4.5
Some college, no degree	1,079	+/-169	20.0%	+/-3.1
Associate's degree	893	+/-168	16.5%	+/-3.3
Bachelor's degree	649	+/-152	12.0%	+/-2.7
Graduate or professional degree	362	+/-110	6.7%	+/-2.0
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	92.9%	+/-2.1
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	18.7%	+/-3.5
<b>VETERAN STATUS</b>				
Civilian population 18 years and over	6,027	+/-226	6,027	(X)
Civilian veterans	699	+/-128	11.6%	+/-2.2

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<b>DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION</b>				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	7,631	+/-76	7,631	(X)
With a disability	734	+/-165	9.6%	+/-2.2
Under 18 years	1,651	+/-224	1,651	(X)
With a disability	59	+/-47	3.6%	+/-2.8
18 to 64 years	5,021	+/-208	5,021	(X)
With a disability	380	+/-111	7.6%	+/-2.2
65 years and over	959	+/-139	959	(X)
With a disability	295	+/-90	30.8%	+/-8.4
<b>RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO</b>				
Population 1 year and over	7,611	+/-50	7,611	(X)
Same house	7,184	+/-137	94.4%	+/-1.7
Different house in the U.S.	410	+/-125	5.4%	+/-1.6
Same county	170	+/-76	2.2%	+/-1.0
Different county	240	+/-97	3.2%	+/-1.3
Same state	176	+/-83	2.3%	+/-1.1
Different state	64	+/-54	0.8%	+/-0.7
Abroad	17	+/-22	0.2%	+/-0.3
<b>PLACE OF BIRTH</b>				
Total population	7,678	+/-20	7,678	(X)
Native	7,477	+/-97	97.4%	+/-1.3
Born in United States	7,467	+/-98	97.3%	+/-1.3
State of residence	6,835	+/-198	89.0%	+/-2.6
Different state	632	+/-180	8.2%	+/-2.3
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	10	+/-12	0.1%	+/-0.2
Foreign born	201	+/-98	2.6%	+/-1.3
<b>U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS</b>				
Foreign-born population	201	+/-98	201	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	130	+/-73	64.7%	+/-22.0
Not a U.S. citizen	71	+/-58	35.3%	+/-22.0
<b>YEAR OF ENTRY</b>				
Population born outside the United States	211	+/-98	211	(X)
Native	10	+/-12	10	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-93.8
Entered before 2010	10	+/-12	100.0%	+/-93.8
Foreign born	201	+/-98	201	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-14.9
Entered before 2010	201	+/-98	100.0%	+/-14.9
<b>WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN</b>				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	201	+/-98	201	(X)
Europe	97	+/-76	48.3%	+/-24.1
Asia	9	+/-12	4.5%	+/-5.8
Africa	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-14.9
Oceania	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-14.9
Latin America	56	+/-55	27.9%	+/-23.5
Northern America	39	+/-25	19.4%	+/-14.0

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<b>LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME</b>				
Population 5 years and over	7,331	+/-158	7,331	(X)
English only	6,977	+/-215	95.2%	+/-1.8
Language other than English	354	+/-128	4.8%	+/-1.8
Speak English less than "very well"	61	+/-43	0.8%	+/-0.6
Spanish	107	+/-94	1.5%	+/-1.3
Speak English less than "very well"	9	+/-14	0.1%	+/-0.2
Other Indo-European languages	243	+/-109	3.3%	+/-1.5
Speak English less than "very well"	48	+/-38	0.7%	+/-0.5
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	4	+/-8	0.1%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	4	+/-8	0.1%	+/-0.1
Other languages	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-0.4
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-0.4
<b>ANCESTRY</b>				
Total population	7,678	+/-20	7,678	(X)
American	272	+/-139	3.5%	+/-1.8
Arab	32	+/-49	0.4%	+/-0.6
Czech	31	+/-30	0.4%	+/-0.4
Danish	57	+/-45	0.7%	+/-0.6
Dutch	316	+/-124	4.1%	+/-1.6
English	892	+/-192	11.6%	+/-2.5
French (except Basque)	1,083	+/-230	14.1%	+/-3.0
French Canadian	303	+/-165	3.9%	+/-2.1
German	1,126	+/-272	14.7%	+/-3.5
Greek	7	+/-11	0.1%	+/-0.1
Hungarian	20	+/-22	0.3%	+/-0.3
Irish	2,471	+/-361	32.2%	+/-4.7
Italian	1,526	+/-369	19.9%	+/-4.8
Lithuanian	12	+/-19	0.2%	+/-0.2
Norwegian	22	+/-23	0.3%	+/-0.3
Polish	774	+/-212	10.1%	+/-2.8
Portuguese	16	+/-25	0.2%	+/-0.3
Russian	137	+/-71	1.8%	+/-0.9
Scotch-Irish	11	+/-12	0.1%	+/-0.2
Scottish	197	+/-119	2.6%	+/-1.5
Slovak	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-0.4
Subsaharan African	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-0.4
Swedish	94	+/-114	1.2%	+/-1.5
Swiss	56	+/-71	0.7%	+/-0.9
Ukrainian	52	+/-32	0.7%	+/-0.4
Welsh	88	+/-115	1.1%	+/-1.5
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	33	+/-49	0.4%	+/-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.

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.
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.