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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	Schodack town, Rensselaer County, New York			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	5,232	+/-215	5,232	(X)
Family households (families)	3,619	+/-228	69.2%	+/-4.3
With own children under 18 years	1,398	+/-162	26.7%	+/-3.0
Married-couple family	3,024	+/-266	57.8%	+/-5.1
With own children under 18 years	1,047	+/-155	20.0%	+/-3.1
Male householder, no wife present, family	129	+/-67	2.5%	+/-1.3
With own children under 18 years	66	+/-37	1.3%	+/-0.7
Female householder, no husband present, family	466	+/-165	8.9%	+/-3.1
With own children under 18 years	285	+/-142	5.4%	+/-2.7
Nonfamily households	1,613	+/-251	30.8%	+/-4.3
Householder living alone	1,319	+/-240	25.2%	+/-4.1
65 years and over	549	+/-143	10.5%	+/-2.6
Households with one or more people under 18 years	1,581	+/-148	30.2%	+/-2.8
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	1,416	+/-171	27.1%	+/-3.2
Average household size	2.43	+/-0.10	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.92	+/-0.13	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	12,727	+/-70	12,727	(X)
Householder	5,232	+/-215	41.1%	+/-1.6
Spouse	3,032	+/-249	23.8%	+/-1.9
Child	3,230	+/-299	25.4%	+/-2.3
Other relatives	673	+/-285	5.3%	+/-2.2
Nonrelatives	560	+/-166	4.4%	+/-1.3
Unmarried partner	348	+/-141	2.7%	+/-1.1
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	5,280	+/-283	5,280	(X)
Never married	1,305	+/-263	24.7%	+/-4.3
Now married, except separated	3,219	+/-218	61.0%	+/-4.7
Separated	151	+/-104	2.9%	+/-1.9
Widowed	200	+/-88	3.8%	+/-1.6

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Divorced	405	+/-131	7.7%	+/-2.4
Females 15 years and over	5,286	+/-270	5,286	(X)
Never married	1,099	+/-244	20.8%	+/-4.0
Now married, except separated	3,095	+/-247	58.6%	+/-4.7
Separated	195	+/-117	3.7%	+/-2.2
Widowed	397	+/-113	7.5%	+/-2.2
Divorced	500	+/-126	9.5%	+/-2.3
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	173	+/-107	173	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	3	+/-4	1.7%	+/-2.4
Per 1,000 unmarried women	3	+/-4	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	66	+/-41	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/-92	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	153	+/-104	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	19	+/-22	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	250	+/-133	250	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	157	+/-117	62.8%	+/-24.0
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	14	+/-24	5.6%	+/-9.8
1 or 2 years	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-12.2
3 or 4 years	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-12.2
5 or more years	143	+/-118	57.2%	+/-27.8
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	157	+/-117	157	(X)
Who are female	86	+/-61	54.8%	+/-9.0
Who are married	113	+/-87	72.0%	+/-33.8
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	2,894	+/-229	2,894	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	177	+/-84	6.1%	+/-3.0
Kindergarten	105	+/-82	3.6%	+/-2.9
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	1,401	+/-227	48.4%	+/-6.7
High school (grades 9-12)	510	+/-174	17.6%	+/-5.5
College or graduate school	701	+/-132	24.2%	+/-4.1
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	9,353	+/-273	9,353	(X)
Less than 9th grade	203	+/-108	2.2%	+/-1.2
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	480	+/-159	5.1%	+/-1.8
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	2,855	+/-363	30.5%	+/-3.8
Some college, no degree	1,649	+/-264	17.6%	+/-2.6
Associate's degree	1,237	+/-234	13.2%	+/-2.5
Bachelor's degree	1,770	+/-291	18.9%	+/-3.0
Graduate or professional degree	1,159	+/-239	12.4%	+/-2.5
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	92.7%	+/-2.1
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	31.3%	+/-3.6
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	10,171	+/-220	10,171	(X)
Civilian veterans	1,433	+/-239	14.1%	+/-2.3

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DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	12,778	+/-62	12,778	(X)
With a disability	1,510	+/-277	11.8%	+/-2.2
Under 18 years	2,691	+/-218	2,691	(X)
With a disability	95	+/-81	3.5%	+/-3.0
18 to 64 years	7,972	+/-295	7,972	(X)
With a disability	835	+/-195	10.5%	+/-2.4
65 years and over	2,115	+/-258	2,115	(X)
With a disability	580	+/-178	27.4%	+/-6.8
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	12,763	+/-81	12,763	(X)
Same house	11,833	+/-429	92.7%	+/-3.3
Different house in the U.S.	930	+/-427	7.3%	+/-3.3
Same county	495	+/-377	3.9%	+/-3.0
Different county	435	+/-192	3.4%	+/-1.5
Same state	356	+/-185	2.8%	+/-1.4
Different state	79	+/-93	0.6%	+/-0.7
Abroad	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.3
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	12,867	+/-34	12,867	(X)
Native	12,590	+/-90	97.8%	+/-0.7
Born in United States	12,501	+/-125	97.2%	+/-0.9
State of residence	10,864	+/-335	84.4%	+/-2.6
Different state	1,637	+/-321	12.7%	+/-2.5
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	89	+/-77	0.7%	+/-0.6
Foreign born	277	+/-85	2.2%	+/-0.7
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	277	+/-85	277	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	243	+/-84	87.7%	+/-9.3
Not a U.S. citizen	34	+/-25	12.3%	+/-9.3
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	366	+/-122	366	(X)
Native	89	+/-77	89	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-29.7
Entered before 2010	89	+/-77	100.0%	+/-29.7
Foreign born	277	+/-85	277	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	2	+/-4	0.7%	+/-1.4
Entered before 2010	275	+/-86	99.3%	+/-1.4
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	277	+/-85	277	(X)
Europe	169	+/-77	61.0%	+/-18.2
Asia	22	+/-23	7.9%	+/-8.4
Africa	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-11.1
Oceania	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-11.1
Latin America	51	+/-36	18.4%	+/-12.5
Northern America	35	+/-32	12.6%	+/-11.4

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LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	12,183	+/-213	12,183	(X)
English only	11,827	+/-242	97.1%	+/-1.0
Language other than English	356	+/-119	2.9%	+/-1.0
Speak English less than "very well"	71	+/-44	0.6%	+/-0.4
Spanish	119	+/-76	1.0%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	30	+/-37	0.2%	+/-0.3
Other Indo-European languages	218	+/-97	1.8%	+/-0.8
Speak English less than "very well"	22	+/-15	0.2%	+/-0.1
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	19	+/-24	0.2%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	19	+/-24	0.2%	+/-0.2
Other languages	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.3
ANCESTRY				
Total population	12,867	+/-34	12,867	(X)
American	747	+/-346	5.8%	+/-2.7
Arab	40	+/-65	0.3%	+/-0.5
Czech	38	+/-56	0.3%	+/-0.4
Danish	69	+/-45	0.5%	+/-0.3
Dutch	970	+/-269	7.5%	+/-2.1
English	1,792	+/-287	13.9%	+/-2.2
French (except Basque)	693	+/-232	5.4%	+/-1.8
French Canadian	189	+/-115	1.5%	+/-0.9
German	3,566	+/-564	27.7%	+/-4.4
Greek	3	+/-5	0.0%	+/-0.1
Hungarian	50	+/-45	0.4%	+/-0.3
Irish	3,757	+/-432	29.2%	+/-3.4
Italian	2,150	+/-511	16.7%	+/-4.0
Lithuanian	12	+/-19	0.1%	+/-0.1
Norwegian	109	+/-75	0.8%	+/-0.6
Polish	921	+/-304	7.2%	+/-2.4
Portuguese	12	+/-20	0.1%	+/-0.2
Russian	202	+/-157	1.6%	+/-1.2
Scotch-Irish	86	+/-54	0.7%	+/-0.4
Scottish	194	+/-99	1.5%	+/-0.8
Slovak	17	+/-25	0.1%	+/-0.2
Subsaharan African	25	+/-40	0.2%	+/-0.3
Swedish	206	+/-126	1.6%	+/-1.0
Swiss	26	+/-31	0.2%	+/-0.2
Ukrainian	97	+/-73	0.8%	+/-0.6
Welsh	262	+/-153	2.0%	+/-1.2
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	1	+/-4	0.0%	+/-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.

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.