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	Saratoga County, New York			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	87,952	+/-728	87,952	(X)
Family households (families)	57,853	+/-889	65.8%	+/-0.9
With own children under 18 years	25,044	+/-753	28.5%	+/-0.8
Married-couple family	47,386	+/-890	53.9%	+/-1.0
With own children under 18 years	19,028	+/-722	21.6%	+/-0.8
Male householder, no wife present, family	3,403	+/-405	3.9%	+/-0.5
With own children under 18 years	1,869	+/-311	2.1%	+/-0.4
Female householder, no husband present, family	7,064	+/-472	8.0%	+/-0.5
With own children under 18 years	4,147	+/-407	4.7%	+/-0.5
Nonfamily households	30,099	+/-903	34.2%	+/-0.9
Householder living alone	24,419	+/-899	27.8%	+/-1.0
65 years and over	8,630	+/-457	9.8%	+/-0.5
Households with one or more people under 18 years	26,408	+/-783	30.0%	+/-0.9
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	21,386	+/-370	24.3%	+/-0.4
Average household size	2.45	+/-0.02	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.02	+/-0.03	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	215,722	+/-434	215,722	(X)
Householder	87,952	+/-728	40.8%	+/-0.3
Spouse	47,315	+/-908	21.9%	+/-0.4
Child	63,090	+/-1,013	29.2%	+/-0.5
Other relatives	6,499	+/-679	3.0%	+/-0.3
Nonrelatives	10,866	+/-791	5.0%	+/-0.4
Unmarried partner	6,040	+/-443	2.8%	+/-0.2
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	87,375	+/-130	87,375	(X)
Never married	26,856	+/-743	30.7%	+/-0.8
Now married, except separated	49,662	+/-933	56.8%	+/-1.1
Separated	1,658	+/-266	1.9%	+/-0.3
Widowed	1,949	+/-218	2.2%	+/-0.3

Subject	Saratoga County, New York			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Divorced	7,250	+/-522	8.3%	+/-0.6
Females 15 years and over	92,016	+/-128	92,016	(X)
Never married	22,678	+/-615	24.6%	+/-0.7
Now married, except separated	48,810	+/-961	53.0%	+/-1.1
Separated	2,324	+/-324	2.5%	+/-0.4
Widowed	7,863	+/-429	8.5%	+/-0.5
Divorced	10,341	+/-526	11.2%	+/-0.6
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	2,414	+/-314	2,414	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	509	+/-163	21.1%	+/-5.9
Per 1,000 unmarried women	21	+/-7	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	45	+/-6	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	3	+/-3	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	83	+/-12	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	31	+/-8	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	1,973	+/-324	1,973	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	765	+/-235	38.8%	+/-9.6
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	198	+/-146	10.0%	+/-7.0
1 or 2 years	135	+/-84	6.8%	+/-4.2
3 or 4 years	81	+/-64	4.1%	+/-3.1
5 or more years	351	+/-142	17.8%	+/-6.8
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	765	+/-235	765	(X)
Who are female	489	+/-159	63.9%	+/-6.8
Who are married	579	+/-208	75.7%	+/-10.3
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	54,551	+/-772	54,551	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	3,699	+/-343	6.8%	+/-0.6
Kindergarten	2,801	+/-377	5.1%	+/-0.7
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	22,842	+/-458	41.9%	+/-0.9
High school (grades 9-12)	12,063	+/-378	22.1%	+/-0.7
College or graduate school	13,146	+/-617	24.1%	+/-0.9
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	152,586	+/-204	152,586	(X)
Less than 9th grade	2,950	+/-363	1.9%	+/-0.2
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	7,251	+/-603	4.8%	+/-0.4
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	41,086	+/-984	26.9%	+/-0.7
Some college, no degree	27,163	+/-1,000	17.8%	+/-0.7
Associate's degree	18,098	+/-863	11.9%	+/-0.6
Bachelor's degree	32,376	+/-1,065	21.2%	+/-0.7
Graduate or professional degree	23,662	+/-1,003	15.5%	+/-0.7
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	93.3%	+/-0.5
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	36.7%	+/-0.8
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	169,072	+/-322	169,072	(X)
Civilian veterans	17,531	+/-692	10.4%	+/-0.4

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DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	216,481	+/-465	216,481	(X)
With a disability	21,924	+/-913	10.1%	+/-0.4
Under 18 years	49,399	+/-54	49,399	(X)
With a disability	2,039	+/-336	4.1%	+/-0.7
18 to 64 years	137,509	+/-377	137,509	(X)
With a disability	10,477	+/-657	7.6%	+/-0.5
65 years and over	29,573	+/-291	29,573	(X)
With a disability	9,408	+/-465	31.8%	+/-1.6
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	217,502	+/-284	217,502	(X)
Same house	194,148	+/-1,368	89.3%	+/-0.6
Different house in the U.S.	22,383	+/-1,198	10.3%	+/-0.6
Same county	11,568	+/-960	5.3%	+/-0.4
Different county	10,815	+/-895	5.0%	+/-0.4
Same state	6,600	+/-672	3.0%	+/-0.3
Different state	4,215	+/-589	1.9%	+/-0.3
Abroad	971	+/-407	0.4%	+/-0.2
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	219,832	*****	219,832	(X)
Native	210,354	+/-835	95.7%	+/-0.4
Born in United States	208,268	+/-903	94.7%	+/-0.4
State of residence	169,040	+/-1,533	76.9%	+/-0.7
Different state	39,228	+/-1,475	17.8%	+/-0.7
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	2,086	+/-339	0.9%	+/-0.2
Foreign born	9,478	+/-835	4.3%	+/-0.4
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	9,478	+/-835	9,478	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	5,197	+/-515	54.8%	+/-4.3
Not a U.S. citizen	4,281	+/-626	45.2%	+/-4.3
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	11,564	+/-903	11,564	(X)
Native	2,086	+/-339	2,086	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	21	+/-25	1.0%	+/-1.2
Entered before 2010	2,065	+/-337	99.0%	+/-1.2
Foreign born	9,478	+/-835	9,478	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	615	+/-348	6.5%	+/-3.5
Entered before 2010	8,863	+/-787	93.5%	+/-3.5
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	9,478	+/-835	9,478	(X)
Europe	3,803	+/-528	40.1%	+/-3.9
Asia	3,220	+/-346	34.0%	+/-3.9
Africa	238	+/-133	2.5%	+/-1.4
Oceania	220	+/-276	2.3%	+/-2.8
Latin America	1,231	+/-301	13.0%	+/-2.8
Northern America	766	+/-187	8.1%	+/-2.0

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LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	207,876	+/-43	207,876	(X)
English only	195,691	+/-859	94.1%	+/-0.4
Language other than English	12,185	+/-854	5.9%	+/-0.4
Speak English less than "very well"	3,732	+/-550	1.8%	+/-0.3
Spanish	3,143	+/-414	1.5%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	1,168	+/-291	0.6%	+/-0.1
Other Indo-European languages	6,469	+/-724	3.1%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	1,772	+/-396	0.9%	+/-0.2
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	2,242	+/-365	1.1%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	663	+/-161	0.3%	+/-0.1
Other languages	331	+/-186	0.2%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	129	+/-85	0.1%	+/-0.1
ANCESTRY				
Total population	219,832	*****	219,832	(X)
American	23,784	+/-1,762	10.8%	+/-0.8
Arab	815	+/-362	0.4%	+/-0.2
Czech	1,183	+/-287	0.5%	+/-0.1
Danish	791	+/-216	0.4%	+/-0.1
Dutch	6,954	+/-660	3.2%	+/-0.3
English	26,922	+/-1,262	12.2%	+/-0.6
French (except Basque)	20,187	+/-1,293	9.2%	+/-0.6
French Canadian	5,218	+/-599	2.4%	+/-0.3
German	35,162	+/-1,690	16.0%	+/-0.8
Greek	1,017	+/-290	0.5%	+/-0.1
Hungarian	1,562	+/-453	0.7%	+/-0.2
Irish	54,330	+/-1,764	24.7%	+/-0.8
Italian	37,049	+/-1,567	16.9%	+/-0.7
Lithuanian	926	+/-258	0.4%	+/-0.1
Norwegian	1,710	+/-391	0.8%	+/-0.2
Polish	17,169	+/-1,137	7.8%	+/-0.5
Portuguese	388	+/-179	0.2%	+/-0.1
Russian	3,376	+/-542	1.5%	+/-0.2
Scotch-Irish	1,591	+/-404	0.7%	+/-0.2
Scottish	4,868	+/-571	2.2%	+/-0.3
Slovak	758	+/-209	0.3%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	217	+/-154	0.1%	+/-0.1
Swedish	1,964	+/-389	0.9%	+/-0.2
Swiss	626	+/-167	0.3%	+/-0.1
Ukrainian	2,255	+/-524	1.0%	+/-0.2
Welsh	1,894	+/-301	0.9%	+/-0.1
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	546	+/-222	0.2%	+/-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.