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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	Clifton Park town, Saratoga County, New York			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	13,867	+/-277	13,867	(X)
Family households (families)	10,288	+/-267	74.2%	+/-2.1
With own children under 18 years	4,564	+/-249	32.9%	+/-1.9
Married-couple family	9,028	+/-316	65.1%	+/-2.3
With own children under 18 years	3,831	+/-245	27.6%	+/-1.8
Male householder, no wife present, family	416	+/-125	3.0%	+/-0.9
With own children under 18 years	257	+/-103	1.9%	+/-0.7
Female householder, no husband present, family	844	+/-169	6.1%	+/-1.2
With own children under 18 years	476	+/-143	3.4%	+/-1.0
Nonfamily households	3,579	+/-335	25.8%	+/-2.1
Householder living alone	3,037	+/-319	21.9%	+/-2.1
65 years and over	1,109	+/-194	8.0%	+/-1.3
Households with one or more people under 18 years	4,642	+/-249	33.5%	+/-1.9
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	3,352	+/-234	24.2%	+/-1.5
Average household size	2.63	+/-0.05	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.10	+/-0.06	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	36,438	+/-58	36,438	(X)
Householder	13,867	+/-277	38.1%	+/-0.8
Spouse	9,001	+/-325	24.7%	+/-0.9
Child	11,782	+/-385	32.3%	+/-1.1
Other relatives	796	+/-235	2.2%	+/-0.6
Nonrelatives	992	+/-195	2.7%	+/-0.5
Unmarried partner	649	+/-147	1.8%	+/-0.4
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	13,984	+/-365	13,984	(X)
Never married	3,393	+/-358	24.3%	+/-2.2
Now married, except separated	9,243	+/-304	66.1%	+/-2.6
Separated	148	+/-64	1.1%	+/-0.5
Widowed	176	+/-63	1.3%	+/-0.4

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Divorced	1,024	+/-228	7.3%	+/-1.6
Females 15 years and over	15,132	+/-329	15,132	(X)
Never married	3,197	+/-307	21.1%	+/-1.8
Now married, except separated	9,250	+/-350	61.1%	+/-2.4
Separated	231	+/-93	1.5%	+/-0.6
Widowed	1,066	+/-169	7.0%	+/-1.1
Divorced	1,388	+/-250	9.2%	+/-1.6
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	357	+/-122	357	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	90	+/-63	25.2%	+/-15.4
Per 1,000 unmarried women	26	+/-19	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	42	+/-15	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/-27	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	91	+/-41	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	26	+/-13	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	134	+/-81	134	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	12	+/-41	9.0%	+/-30.7
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	0	+/-25	0.0%	+/-21.3
1 or 2 years	0	+/-25	0.0%	+/-21.3
3 or 4 years	0	+/-25	0.0%	+/-21.3
5 or more years	12	+/-41	9.0%	+/-30.7
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	12	+/-41	12	(X)
Who are female	11	+/-26	91.7%	+/-91.7
Who are married	2	+/-34	16.7%	+/-83.3
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	9,823	+/-455	9,823	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	710	+/-171	7.2%	+/-1.7
Kindergarten	479	+/-150	4.9%	+/-1.5
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	4,557	+/-332	46.4%	+/-2.8
High school (grades 9-12)	2,239	+/-258	22.8%	+/-2.4
College or graduate school	1,838	+/-219	18.7%	+/-1.8
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	24,962	+/-400	24,962	(X)
Less than 9th grade	235	+/-77	0.9%	+/-0.3
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	670	+/-230	2.7%	+/-0.9
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	3,497	+/-340	14.0%	+/-1.4
Some college, no degree	3,806	+/-421	15.2%	+/-1.7
Associate's degree	3,019	+/-329	12.1%	+/-1.3
Bachelor's degree	7,542	+/-513	30.2%	+/-2.0
Graduate or professional degree	6,193	+/-505	24.8%	+/-2.0
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	96.4%	+/-1.0
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	55.0%	+/-1.9
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	27,302	+/-313	27,302	(X)
Civilian veterans	2,659	+/-291	9.7%	+/-1.1

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DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	36,411	+/-104	36,411	(X)
With a disability	2,507	+/-332	6.9%	+/-0.9
Under 18 years	9,245	+/-313	9,245	(X)
With a disability	232	+/-94	2.5%	+/-1.0
18 to 64 years	22,366	+/-344	22,366	(X)
With a disability	1,084	+/-204	4.8%	+/-0.9
65 years and over	4,800	+/-291	4,800	(X)
With a disability	1,191	+/-217	24.8%	+/-4.0
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	36,329	+/-117	36,329	(X)
Same house	32,849	+/-530	90.4%	+/-1.4
Different house in the U.S.	3,392	+/-504	9.3%	+/-1.4
Same county	1,680	+/-400	4.6%	+/-1.1
Different county	1,712	+/-375	4.7%	+/-1.0
Same state	1,105	+/-293	3.0%	+/-0.8
Different state	607	+/-250	1.7%	+/-0.7
Abroad	88	+/-72	0.2%	+/-0.2
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	36,640	+/-29	36,640	(X)
Native	33,911	+/-458	92.6%	+/-1.2
Born in United States	33,492	+/-490	91.4%	+/-1.3
State of residence	26,033	+/-768	71.1%	+/-2.1
Different state	7,459	+/-680	20.4%	+/-1.9
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	419	+/-160	1.1%	+/-0.4
Foreign born	2,729	+/-455	7.4%	+/-1.2
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	2,729	+/-455	2,729	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	1,652	+/-358	60.5%	+/-8.6
Not a U.S. citizen	1,077	+/-296	39.5%	+/-8.6
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	3,148	+/-489	3,148	(X)
Native	419	+/-160	419	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	12	+/-19	2.9%	+/-4.4
Entered before 2010	407	+/-156	97.1%	+/-4.4
Foreign born	2,729	+/-455	2,729	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	67	+/-68	2.5%	+/-2.4
Entered before 2010	2,662	+/-446	97.5%	+/-2.4
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	2,729	+/-455	2,729	(X)
Europe	1,073	+/-251	39.3%	+/-7.3
Asia	1,169	+/-273	42.8%	+/-7.1
Africa	117	+/-105	4.3%	+/-3.7
Oceania	0	+/-25	0.0%	+/-1.2
Latin America	295	+/-140	10.8%	+/-4.6
Northern America	75	+/-43	2.7%	+/-1.6

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LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	34,716	+/-318	34,716	(X)
English only	31,331	+/-649	90.2%	+/-1.6
Language other than English	3,385	+/-540	9.8%	+/-1.6
Speak English less than "very well"	1,222	+/-331	3.5%	+/-1.0
Spanish	834	+/-323	2.4%	+/-0.9
Speak English less than "very well"	372	+/-238	1.1%	+/-0.7
Other Indo-European languages	1,814	+/-395	5.2%	+/-1.1
Speak English less than "very well"	575	+/-193	1.7%	+/-0.6
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	598	+/-217	1.7%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	208	+/-103	0.6%	+/-0.3
Other languages	139	+/-150	0.4%	+/-0.4
Speak English less than "very well"	67	+/-70	0.2%	+/-0.2
ANCESTRY				
Total population	36,640	+/-29	36,640	(X)
American	2,051	+/-537	5.6%	+/-1.5
Arab	231	+/-164	0.6%	+/-0.4
Czech	201	+/-105	0.5%	+/-0.3
Danish	124	+/-75	0.3%	+/-0.2
Dutch	992	+/-238	2.7%	+/-0.6
English	4,739	+/-496	12.9%	+/-1.4
French (except Basque)	2,066	+/-314	5.6%	+/-0.9
French Canadian	996	+/-289	2.7%	+/-0.8
German	6,471	+/-752	17.7%	+/-2.0
Greek	280	+/-126	0.8%	+/-0.3
Hungarian	460	+/-214	1.3%	+/-0.6
Irish	9,155	+/-879	25.0%	+/-2.4
Italian	7,269	+/-704	19.8%	+/-1.9
Lithuanian	204	+/-112	0.6%	+/-0.3
Norwegian	359	+/-173	1.0%	+/-0.5
Polish	3,181	+/-413	8.7%	+/-1.1
Portuguese	67	+/-51	0.2%	+/-0.1
Russian	783	+/-244	2.1%	+/-0.7
Scotch-Irish	185	+/-102	0.5%	+/-0.3
Scottish	1,004	+/-314	2.7%	+/-0.9
Slovak	72	+/-50	0.2%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	97	+/-142	0.3%	+/-0.4
Swedish	352	+/-144	1.0%	+/-0.4
Swiss	172	+/-104	0.5%	+/-0.3
Ukrainian	404	+/-207	1.1%	+/-0.6
Welsh	363	+/-135	1.0%	+/-0.4
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	220	+/-152	0.6%	+/-0.4

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.