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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	Saratoga town, Saratoga County, New York			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	2,392	+/-110	2,392	(X)
Family households (families)	1,582	+/-87	66.1%	+/-5.2
With own children under 18 years	702	+/-98	29.3%	+/-4.6
Married-couple family	1,245	+/-101	52.0%	+/-5.2
With own children under 18 years	534	+/-76	22.3%	+/-3.4
Male householder, no wife present, family	135	+/-65	5.6%	+/-2.7
With own children under 18 years	57	+/-41	2.4%	+/-1.7
Female householder, no husband present, family	202	+/-54	8.4%	+/-2.3
With own children under 18 years	111	+/-38	4.6%	+/-1.7
Nonfamily households	810	+/-152	33.9%	+/-5.2
Householder living alone	673	+/-145	28.1%	+/-5.1
65 years and over	229	+/-79	9.6%	+/-3.1
Households with one or more people under 18 years	719	+/-97	30.1%	+/-4.6
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	642	+/-80	26.8%	+/-3.0
Average household size	2.36	+/-0.11	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.91	+/-0.11	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	5,638	+/-30	5,638	(X)
Householder	2,392	+/-110	42.4%	+/-1.9
Spouse	1,203	+/-97	21.3%	+/-1.7
Child	1,673	+/-110	29.7%	+/-2.0
Other relatives	141	+/-52	2.5%	+/-0.9
Nonrelatives	229	+/-66	4.1%	+/-1.2
Unmarried partner	150	+/-49	2.7%	+/-0.9
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	2,220	+/-132	2,220	(X)
Never married	592	+/-135	26.7%	+/-5.1
Now married, except separated	1,256	+/-99	56.6%	+/-5.8
Separated	67	+/-48	3.0%	+/-2.1
Widowed	41	+/-28	1.8%	+/-1.3

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Divorced	264	+/-84	11.9%	+/-3.7
Females 15 years and over	2,412	+/-119	2,412	(X)
Never married	619	+/-119	25.7%	+/-4.5
Now married, except separated	1,292	+/-105	53.6%	+/-5.1
Separated	25	+/-22	1.0%	+/-0.9
Widowed	240	+/-82	10.0%	+/-3.1
Divorced	236	+/-69	9.8%	+/-2.8
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	118	+/-81	118	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	23	+/-18	19.5%	+/-18.8
Per 1,000 unmarried women	38	+/-30	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	85	+/-57	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/-131	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	104	+/-61	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	100	+/-99	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	38	+/-28	38	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	2	+/-4	5.3%	+/-10.2
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	2	+/-4	5.3%	+/-10.2
1 or 2 years	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-48.1
3 or 4 years	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-48.1
5 or more years	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-48.1
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	2	+/-4	2	(X)
Who are female	2	+/-4	100.0%	+/-100.0
Who are married	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-100.0
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	1,392	+/-148	1,392	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	107	+/-65	7.7%	+/-4.8
Kindergarten	76	+/-40	5.5%	+/-2.9
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	558	+/-123	40.1%	+/-8.4
High school (grades 9-12)	303	+/-101	21.8%	+/-6.8
College or graduate school	348	+/-141	25.0%	+/-9.2
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	4,004	+/-124	4,004	(X)
Less than 9th grade	105	+/-55	2.6%	+/-1.3
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	307	+/-95	7.7%	+/-2.3
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	1,254	+/-173	31.3%	+/-4.2
Some college, no degree	703	+/-127	17.6%	+/-3.2
Associate's degree	425	+/-112	10.6%	+/-2.8
Bachelor's degree	770	+/-157	19.2%	+/-3.9
Graduate or professional degree	440	+/-114	11.0%	+/-2.9
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	89.7%	+/-2.6
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	30.2%	+/-4.2
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	4,368	+/-133	4,368	(X)
Civilian veterans	416	+/-83	9.5%	+/-1.9

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DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	5,618	+/-37	5,618	(X)
With a disability	591	+/-133	10.5%	+/-2.4
Under 18 years	1,266	+/-132	1,266	(X)
With a disability	26	+/-19	2.1%	+/-1.6
18 to 64 years	3,499	+/-137	3,499	(X)
With a disability	329	+/-97	9.4%	+/-2.7
65 years and over	853	+/-82	853	(X)
With a disability	236	+/-70	27.7%	+/-7.6
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	5,551	+/-78	5,551	(X)
Same house	5,006	+/-166	90.2%	+/-2.6
Different house in the U.S.	528	+/-139	9.5%	+/-2.5
Same county	323	+/-121	5.8%	+/-2.2
Different county	205	+/-91	3.7%	+/-1.6
Same state	98	+/-56	1.8%	+/-1.0
Different state	107	+/-69	1.9%	+/-1.2
Abroad	17	+/-19	0.3%	+/-0.3
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	5,668	+/-28	5,668	(X)
Native	5,517	+/-76	97.3%	+/-1.2
Born in United States	5,487	+/-84	96.8%	+/-1.4
State of residence	4,675	+/-220	82.5%	+/-3.8
Different state	812	+/-199	14.3%	+/-3.5
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	30	+/-25	0.5%	+/-0.5
Foreign born	151	+/-70	2.7%	+/-1.2
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	151	+/-70	151	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	89	+/-51	58.9%	+/-19.2
Not a U.S. citizen	62	+/-40	41.1%	+/-19.2
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	181	+/-78	181	(X)
Native	30	+/-25	30	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-54.1
Entered before 2010	30	+/-25	100.0%	+/-54.1
Foreign born	151	+/-70	151	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-19.2
Entered before 2010	151	+/-70	100.0%	+/-19.2
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	151	+/-70	151	(X)
Europe	74	+/-41	49.0%	+/-16.6
Asia	39	+/-34	25.8%	+/-16.1
Africa	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-19.2
Oceania	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-19.2
Latin America	4	+/-6	2.6%	+/-3.9
Northern America	34	+/-30	22.5%	+/-19.3

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LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	5,320	+/-113	5,320	(X)
English only	5,163	+/-132	97.0%	+/-1.5
Language other than English	157	+/-79	3.0%	+/-1.5
Speak English less than "very well"	55	+/-51	1.0%	+/-1.0
Spanish	32	+/-26	0.6%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	14	+/-18	0.3%	+/-0.3
Other Indo-European languages	95	+/-51	1.8%	+/-1.0
Speak English less than "very well"	18	+/-24	0.3%	+/-0.5
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	23	+/-31	0.4%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	23	+/-31	0.4%	+/-0.6
Other languages	7	+/-7	0.1%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-0.6
ANCESTRY				
Total population	5,668	+/-28	5,668	(X)
American	983	+/-189	17.3%	+/-3.3
Arab	11	+/-17	0.2%	+/-0.3
Czech	16	+/-16	0.3%	+/-0.3
Danish	12	+/-13	0.2%	+/-0.2
Dutch	325	+/-148	5.7%	+/-2.6
English	617	+/-125	10.9%	+/-2.2
French (except Basque)	660	+/-179	11.6%	+/-3.2
French Canadian	170	+/-68	3.0%	+/-1.2
German	882	+/-204	15.6%	+/-3.6
Greek	24	+/-31	0.4%	+/-0.6
Hungarian	44	+/-29	0.8%	+/-0.5
Irish	1,167	+/-223	20.6%	+/-3.9
Italian	650	+/-177	11.5%	+/-3.1
Lithuanian	29	+/-21	0.5%	+/-0.4
Norwegian	13	+/-16	0.2%	+/-0.3
Polish	372	+/-141	6.6%	+/-2.5
Portuguese	6	+/-8	0.1%	+/-0.1
Russian	128	+/-85	2.3%	+/-1.5
Scotch-Irish	35	+/-30	0.6%	+/-0.5
Scottish	119	+/-47	2.1%	+/-0.8
Slovak	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-0.6
Subsaharan African	3	+/-6	0.1%	+/-0.1
Swedish	129	+/-76	2.3%	+/-1.3
Swiss	21	+/-27	0.4%	+/-0.5
Ukrainian	41	+/-48	0.7%	+/-0.8
Welsh	102	+/-78	1.8%	+/-1.4
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	6	+/-7	0.1%	+/-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.