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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	East Greenbush town, Rensselaer County, New York			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
EMPLOYMENT STATUS				
Population 16 years and over	13,037	+/-281	13,037	(X)
In labor force	9,193	+/-328	70.5%	+/-2.3
Civilian labor force	9,127	+/-330	70.0%	+/-2.3
Employed	8,666	+/-333	66.5%	+/-2.5
Unemployed	461	+/-173	3.5%	+/-1.3
Armed Forces	66	+/-59	0.5%	+/-0.4
Not in labor force	3,844	+/-323	29.5%	+/-2.3
Civilian labor force	9,127	+/-330	9,127	(X)
Percent Unemployed	(X)	(X)	5.1%	+/-1.9
Females 16 years and over				
In labor force	4,614	+/-265	66.0%	+/-3.3
Civilian labor force	4,614	+/-265	66.0%	+/-3.3
Employed	4,398	+/-254	62.9%	+/-3.3
Own children under 6 years				
All parents in family in labor force	812	+/-209	81.9%	+/-9.7
Own children 6 to 17 years				
All parents in family in labor force	2,176	+/-264	82.6%	+/-6.2
COMMUTING TO WORK				
Workers 16 years and over	8,623	+/-323	8,623	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	7,471	+/-340	86.6%	+/-2.7
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	556	+/-160	6.4%	+/-1.8
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	117	+/-85	1.4%	+/-1.0
Walked	210	+/-147	2.4%	+/-1.7
Other means	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.4
Worked at home	269	+/-97	3.1%	+/-1.1
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	17.8	+/-1.2	(X)	(X)
OCCUPATION				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	8,666	+/-333	8,666	(X)

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Management, business, science, and arts occupations	4,202	+/-350	48.5%	+/-3.6
Service occupations	1,104	+/-235	12.7%	+/-2.6
Sales and office occupations	2,363	+/-314	27.3%	+/-3.4
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	591	+/-163	6.8%	+/-1.9
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	406	+/-116	4.7%	+/-1.4
INDUSTRY				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	8,666	+/-333	8,666	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	12	+/-19	0.1%	+/-0.2
Construction	562	+/-159	6.5%	+/-1.9
Manufacturing	473	+/-140	5.5%	+/-1.6
Wholesale trade	180	+/-86	2.1%	+/-1.0
Retail trade	811	+/-179	9.4%	+/-1.9
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	317	+/-97	3.7%	+/-1.1
Information	258	+/-110	3.0%	+/-1.3
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	392	+/-137	4.5%	+/-1.6
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	1,145	+/-263	13.2%	+/-2.9
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	2,253	+/-309	26.0%	+/-3.4
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	527	+/-157	6.1%	+/-1.9
Other services, except public administration	314	+/-139	3.6%	+/-1.6
Public administration	1,422	+/-235	16.4%	+/-2.6
CLASS OF WORKER				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	8,666	+/-333	8,666	(X)
Private wage and salary workers	5,827	+/-400	67.2%	+/-3.5
Government workers	2,365	+/-285	27.3%	+/-3.3
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	474	+/-148	5.5%	+/-1.7
Unpaid family workers	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.4
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2012 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)				
Total households	6,629	+/-262	6,629	(X)
Less than \$10,000	204	+/-132	3.1%	+/-1.9
\$10,000 to \$14,999	126	+/-71	1.9%	+/-1.1
\$15,000 to \$24,999	372	+/-127	5.6%	+/-1.9
\$25,000 to \$34,999	405	+/-145	6.1%	+/-2.2
\$35,000 to \$49,999	727	+/-182	11.0%	+/-2.7
\$50,000 to \$74,999	1,460	+/-238	22.0%	+/-3.4
\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,077	+/-220	16.2%	+/-3.3
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1,307	+/-207	19.7%	+/-3.1
\$150,000 to \$199,999	596	+/-160	9.0%	+/-2.4
\$200,000 or more	355	+/-123	5.4%	+/-1.9
Median household income (dollars)	75,986	+/-10,347	(X)	(X)
Mean household income (dollars)	92,474	+/-6,269	(X)	(X)
With earnings	5,387	+/-274	81.3%	+/-2.5
Mean earnings (dollars)	90,600	+/-5,900	(X)	(X)
With Social Security	1,810	+/-164	27.3%	+/-2.3
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	19,129	+/-1,114	(X)	(X)
With retirement income	1,768	+/-188	26.7%	+/-2.9
Mean retirement income (dollars)	37,031	+/-10,219	(X)	(X)
With Supplemental Security Income	81	+/-55	1.2%	+/-0.8
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	11,977	+/-6,471	(X)	(X)
With cash public assistance income	53	+/-40	0.8%	+/-0.6

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Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	3,358	+/-1,571	(X)	(X)
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	152	+/-67	2.3%	+/-1.0
Families	4,253	+/-217	4,253	(X)
Less than \$10,000	112	+/-108	2.6%	+/-2.5
\$10,000 to \$14,999	37	+/-41	0.9%	+/-1.0
\$15,000 to \$24,999	91	+/-49	2.1%	+/-1.1
\$25,000 to \$34,999	193	+/-95	4.5%	+/-2.2
\$35,000 to \$49,999	335	+/-107	7.9%	+/-2.5
\$50,000 to \$74,999	813	+/-181	19.1%	+/-4.1
\$75,000 to \$99,999	834	+/-179	19.6%	+/-4.1
\$100,000 to \$149,999	958	+/-183	22.5%	+/-3.9
\$150,000 to \$199,999	544	+/-153	12.8%	+/-3.8
\$200,000 or more	336	+/-123	7.9%	+/-2.8
Median family income (dollars)	93,767	+/-4,848	(X)	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	109,395	+/-9,005	(X)	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)	37,845	+/-2,451	(X)	(X)
Nonfamily households	2,376	+/-315	2,376	(X)
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	52,848	+/-6,405	(X)	(X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	59,037	+/-5,298	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	43,017	+/-2,589	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	61,781	+/-4,188	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	49,474	+/-4,875	(X)	(X)
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE				
Civilian noninstitutionalized population	16,016	+/-176	16,016	(X)
With health insurance coverage	15,339	+/-277	95.8%	+/-1.2
With private health insurance	14,387	+/-447	89.8%	+/-2.6
With public coverage	3,151	+/-396	19.7%	+/-2.5
No health insurance coverage	677	+/-197	4.2%	+/-1.2
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 18 years	3,729	+/-250	3,729	(X)
No health insurance coverage	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.9
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 18 to 64 years	10,293	+/-235	10,293	(X)
In labor force:	8,751	+/-308	8,751	(X)
Employed:	8,391	+/-332	8,391	(X)
With health insurance coverage	7,908	+/-326	94.2%	+/-2.1
With private health insurance	7,697	+/-350	91.7%	+/-2.9
With public coverage	349	+/-148	4.2%	+/-1.8
No health insurance coverage	483	+/-178	5.8%	+/-2.1
Unemployed:	360	+/-158	360	(X)
With health insurance coverage	269	+/-99	74.7%	+/-16.9
With private health insurance	239	+/-86	66.4%	+/-24.8
With public coverage	47	+/-54	13.1%	+/-11.2
No health insurance coverage	91	+/-89	25.3%	+/-16.9
Not in labor force:	1,542	+/-243	1,542	(X)
With health insurance coverage	1,445	+/-233	93.7%	+/-3.6
With private health insurance	1,227	+/-216	79.6%	+/-7.4
With public coverage	370	+/-144	24.0%	+/-8.2
No health insurance coverage	97	+/-58	6.3%	+/-3.6

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PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL				
All families	(X)	(X)	3.5%	+/-2.6
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	5.1%	+/-4.9
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	7.0%	+/-9.1
Married couple families	(X)	(X)	0.9%	+/-1.0
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	0.5%	+/-0.9
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	2.7%	+/-5.6
Families with female householder, no husband present	(X)	(X)	20.3%	+/-16.1
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	22.4%	+/-20.0
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	18.9%	+/-28.0
All people	(X)	(X)	4.1%	+/-1.8
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	3.9%	+/-3.3
Related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	3.6%	+/-3.3
Related children under 5 years	(X)	(X)	3.7%	+/-4.4
Related children 5 to 17 years	(X)	(X)	3.6%	+/-3.8
18 years and over	(X)	(X)	4.2%	+/-1.6
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	4.2%	+/-1.8
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	4.2%	+/-3.0
People in families	(X)	(X)	2.6%	+/-2.0
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	(X)	(X)	10.4%	+/-4.1

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.

There were changes in the edit between 2009 and 2010 regarding Supplemental Security Income (SSI) and Social Security. The changes in the edit loosened restrictions on disability requirements for receipt of SSI resulting in an increase in the total number of SSI recipients in the American Community Survey. The changes also loosened restrictions on possible reported monthly amounts in Social Security income resulting in higher Social Security aggregate amounts. These results more closely match administrative counts compiled by the Social Security Administration.

Workers include members of the Armed Forces and civilians who were at work last week.

Industry codes are 4-digit codes and are based on the North American Industry Classification System 2007. The Industry categories adhere to the guidelines issued in Clarification Memorandum No. 2, "NAICS Alternate Aggregation Structure for Use By U.S. Statistical Agencies," issued by the Office of Management and Budget.

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.