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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	Schaghticoke town, Rensselaer County, New York			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS</b>				
Population 16 years and over	6,276	+/-224	6,276	(X)
In labor force	4,436	+/-267	70.7%	+/-3.9
Civilian labor force	4,436	+/-267	70.7%	+/-3.9
Employed	4,131	+/-272	65.8%	+/-3.9
Unemployed	305	+/-105	4.9%	+/-1.7
Armed Forces	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-0.5
Not in labor force	1,840	+/-263	29.3%	+/-3.9
Civilian labor force	4,436	+/-267	4,436	(X)
Percent Unemployed	(X)	(X)	6.9%	+/-2.3
<b>Females 16 years and over</b>				
Population 16 years and over	3,124	+/-189	3,124	(X)
In labor force	2,057	+/-176	65.8%	+/-5.0
Civilian labor force	2,057	+/-176	65.8%	+/-5.0
Employed	1,999	+/-164	64.0%	+/-4.7
<b>Own children under 6 years</b>				
Population	434	+/-209	434	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	328	+/-199	75.6%	+/-17.3
<b>Own children 6 to 17 years</b>				
Population	1,172	+/-162	1,172	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	881	+/-168	75.2%	+/-8.9
<b>COMMUTING TO WORK</b>				
Workers 16 years and over	4,040	+/-254	4,040	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	3,581	+/-245	88.6%	+/-3.5
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	250	+/-126	6.2%	+/-3.0
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-0.8
Walked	74	+/-56	1.8%	+/-1.4
Other means	5	+/-10	0.1%	+/-0.2
Worked at home	130	+/-72	3.2%	+/-1.8
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	28.1	+/-3.4	(X)	(X)
<b>OCCUPATION</b>				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	4,131	+/-272	4,131	(X)

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Management, business, science, and arts occupations	1,143	+/-206	27.7%	+/-4.9
Service occupations	629	+/-159	15.2%	+/-3.6
Sales and office occupations	1,306	+/-155	31.6%	+/-3.5
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	454	+/-129	11.0%	+/-2.9
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	599	+/-120	14.5%	+/-2.6
<b>INDUSTRY</b>				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	4,131	+/-272	4,131	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	108	+/-76	2.6%	+/-1.8
Construction	184	+/-66	4.5%	+/-1.6
Manufacturing	507	+/-133	12.3%	+/-3.2
Wholesale trade	281	+/-108	6.8%	+/-2.7
Retail trade	461	+/-127	11.2%	+/-3.0
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	175	+/-85	4.2%	+/-2.1
Information	94	+/-52	2.3%	+/-1.3
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	235	+/-81	5.7%	+/-2.0
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	357	+/-109	8.6%	+/-2.5
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	877	+/-177	21.2%	+/-4.2
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	277	+/-118	6.7%	+/-2.7
Other services, except public administration	230	+/-90	5.6%	+/-2.1
Public administration	345	+/-102	8.4%	+/-2.5
<b>CLASS OF WORKER</b>				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	4,131	+/-272	4,131	(X)
Private wage and salary workers	3,213	+/-285	77.8%	+/-4.2
Government workers	691	+/-167	16.7%	+/-4.0
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	227	+/-91	5.5%	+/-2.2
Unpaid family workers	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-0.8
<b>INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2012 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)</b>				
Total households	2,841	+/-141	2,841	(X)
Less than \$10,000	141	+/-83	5.0%	+/-2.8
\$10,000 to \$14,999	44	+/-30	1.5%	+/-1.1
\$15,000 to \$24,999	210	+/-74	7.4%	+/-2.5
\$25,000 to \$34,999	222	+/-71	7.8%	+/-2.4
\$35,000 to \$49,999	353	+/-87	12.4%	+/-3.0
\$50,000 to \$74,999	499	+/-98	17.6%	+/-3.4
\$75,000 to \$99,999	440	+/-106	15.5%	+/-3.7
\$100,000 to \$149,999	711	+/-133	25.0%	+/-4.5
\$150,000 to \$199,999	190	+/-85	6.7%	+/-3.1
\$200,000 or more	31	+/-25	1.1%	+/-0.9
Median household income (dollars)	73,075	+/-8,456	(X)	(X)
Mean household income (dollars)	79,483	+/-4,861	(X)	(X)
<b>With earnings</b>				
Mean earnings (dollars)	2,384	+/-123	83.9%	+/-3.1
With Social Security	78,178	+/-5,490	(X)	(X)
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	846	+/-105	29.8%	+/-3.1
With retirement income	18,920	+/-1,133	(X)	(X)
Mean retirement income (dollars)	715	+/-134	25.2%	+/-4.4
With Supplemental Security Income	19,546	+/-3,143	(X)	(X)
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	42	+/-37	1.5%	+/-1.3
With cash public assistance income	5,979	+/-1,867	(X)	(X)
Mean cash public assistance income	48	+/-32	1.7%	+/-1.2

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Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	6,563	+/-6,165	(X)	(X)
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	98	+/-44	3.4%	+/-1.5
Families	2,164	+/-102	2,164	(X)
Less than \$10,000	30	+/-36	1.4%	+/-1.7
\$10,000 to \$14,999	20	+/-21	0.9%	+/-1.0
\$15,000 to \$24,999	44	+/-32	2.0%	+/-1.5
\$25,000 to \$34,999	142	+/-51	6.6%	+/-2.3
\$35,000 to \$49,999	293	+/-87	13.5%	+/-3.8
\$50,000 to \$74,999	510	+/-121	23.6%	+/-5.5
\$75,000 to \$99,999	375	+/-99	17.3%	+/-4.6
\$100,000 to \$149,999	565	+/-134	26.1%	+/-6.0
\$150,000 to \$199,999	162	+/-82	7.5%	+/-3.8
\$200,000 or more	23	+/-24	1.1%	+/-1.1
Median family income (dollars)	79,035	+/-10,162	(X)	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	85,707	+/-5,014	(X)	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)	29,972	+/-1,990	(X)	(X)
Nonfamily households	677	+/-142	677	(X)
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	28,239	+/-8,043	(X)	(X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	49,466	+/-11,898	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	35,200	+/-3,937	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	53,542	+/-3,422	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	39,367	+/-3,767	(X)	(X)
<b>HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE</b>				
Civilian noninstitutionalized population	7,631	+/-76	7,631	(X)
With health insurance coverage	6,979	+/-184	91.5%	+/-2.2
With private health insurance	6,534	+/-245	85.6%	+/-3.0
With public coverage	1,494	+/-234	19.6%	+/-3.1
No health insurance coverage	652	+/-165	8.5%	+/-2.2
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 18 years	1,651	+/-224	1,651	(X)
No health insurance coverage	60	+/-42	3.6%	+/-2.6
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 18 to 64 years	5,021	+/-208	5,021	(X)
In labor force:	4,176	+/-242	4,176	(X)
Employed:	3,915	+/-254	3,915	(X)
With health insurance coverage	3,455	+/-254	88.3%	+/-3.2
With private health insurance	3,386	+/-257	86.5%	+/-3.5
With public coverage	148	+/-75	3.8%	+/-2.0
No health insurance coverage	460	+/-132	11.7%	+/-3.2
Unemployed:	261	+/-91	261	(X)
With health insurance coverage	193	+/-82	73.9%	+/-19.1
With private health insurance	193	+/-82	73.9%	+/-19.1
With public coverage	17	+/-25	6.5%	+/-9.7
No health insurance coverage	68	+/-55	26.1%	+/-19.1
Not in labor force:	845	+/-176	845	(X)
With health insurance coverage	781	+/-152	92.4%	+/-6.4
With private health insurance	735	+/-157	87.0%	+/-8.6
With public coverage	135	+/-58	16.0%	+/-6.5
No health insurance coverage	64	+/-60	7.6%	+/-6.4

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<b>PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL</b>				
All families	(X)	(X)	2.5%	+/-1.8
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	2.1%	+/-2.0
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	17.7%	+/-18.8
Married couple families	(X)	(X)	0.7%	+/-0.9
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	0.0%	+/-4.6
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	0.0%	+/-36.7
Families with female householder, no husband present	(X)	(X)	17.1%	+/-14.9
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	12.3%	+/-12.6
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	100.0%	+/-79.3
All people	(X)	(X)	3.7%	+/-1.6
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	2.4%	+/-1.9
Related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	1.7%	+/-1.7
Related children under 5 years	(X)	(X)	5.8%	+/-6.3
Related children 5 to 17 years	(X)	(X)	0.6%	+/-1.0
18 years and over	(X)	(X)	4.0%	+/-1.9
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	3.9%	+/-2.4
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	4.8%	+/-4.0
People in families	(X)	(X)	1.9%	+/-1.4
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	(X)	(X)	16.0%	+/-6.8

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.