S1702: POVERTY STATUS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS OF FAMILIES
2018 American Community Survey

Alaska

	All families				Married-couple families				Female householder, no husband present			
	Total		Percent below poverty level		Total		Percent below poverty level		Total		Percent below poverty level	
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error
Families	167,527	+/-4,191	7.5%	+/-1.0	127,824	+/-3,685	4.0%	+/-0.7	24,090	+/-2,047	20.2%	+/-3.7
With related children of householder under 18 years	85,445	+/-3,852	10.7%	+/-1.6	60,050	+/-3,433	5.3%	+/-1.3	16,631	+/-1,843	26.5%	+/-4.9
With related children of householder under 5 years	18,269	+/-2,476	12.3%	+/-3.9	12,771	+/-2,063	4.1%	+/-2.0	4,178	+/-1,106	32.6%	+/-12.0
With related children of householder under 5 years and 5 to 17 years	20,160	+/-2,084	16.0%	+/-3.8	14,397	+/-1,562	9.7%	+/-3.7	3,709	+/-1,259	32.9%	+/-12.4
With related children of householder 5 to 17 years	47,016	+/-3,078	7.9%	+/-1.5	32,882	+/-2,471	3.9%	+/-1.3	8,744	+/-1,048	20.8%	+/-5.6
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN												
Families with a householder who is--												
White alone	117,522	+/-3,501	4.5%	+/-1.0	97,007	+/-3,175	2.8%	+/-0.7	11,405	+/-1,406	13.3%	+/-4.7
Black or African American alone	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	20,871	+/-1,276	21.0%	+/-3.0	10,539	+/-1,011	11.1%	+/-2.6	6,763	+/-819	31.2%	+/-6.9
Asian alone	9,838	+/-1,113	10.2%	+/-5.5	6,767	+/-972	4.5%	+/-4.2	2,344	+/-1,056	13.7%	+/-11.0
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Some other race alone	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Two or more races	9,553	+/-1,655	9.5%	+/-4.8	6,349	+/-1,359	6.2%	+/-5.4	1,969	+/-673	25.6%	+/-15.6
Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race)	10,407	+/-1,338	6.5%	+/-3.7	8,409	+/-1,233	4.2%	+/-3.8	1,281	+/-512	21.9%	+/-15.9
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	110,759	+/-3,244	4.5%	+/-1.1	91,365	+/-3,153	2.9%	+/-0.7	10,559	+/-1,337	12.6%	+/-5.0
Householder worked	126,563	+/-3,806	5.2%	+/-1.0	96,310	+/-3,540	2.7%	+/-0.7	18,520	+/-1,891	15.0%	+/-3.8
Householder worked full-time, year-round in the past 12 months	85,973	+/-3,826	1.6%	+/-0.8	66,503	+/-3,343	1.1%	+/-0.8	11,965	+/-1,613	5.1%	+/-3.2
Householder 65 years and over	29,659	+/-1,748	5.1%	+/-2.6	23,151	+/-1,871	2.8%	+/-1.3	3,516	+/-695	7.5%	+/-4.0
Family received --												
Supplemental Security Income (SSI) and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12	12,641	+/-1,639	23.7%	+/-7.5	6,258	+/-880	14.6%	+/-7.3	4,156	+/-1,050	32.0%	+/-13.1
Social security income in the past 12 months	35,890	+/-2,252	6.2%	+/-2.4	27,507	+/-2,097	3.4%	+/-1.3	4,380	+/-829	10.3%	+/-5.3
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HOUSEHOLDER												
Less than high school graduate	9,134	+/-1,491	21.9%	+/-5.7	5,314	+/-1,161	9.9%	+/-3.4	1,799	+/-515	51.1%	+/-12.9
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	39,298	+/-2,956	13.7%	+/-2.3	25,972	+/-2,252	7.8%	+/-2.2	8,082	+/-1,481	30.0%	+/-6.8
Some college, associate's degree	62,503	+/-3,610	6.9%	+/-1.7	47,716	+/-3,156	3.7%	+/-1.2	9,185	+/-1,316	14.3%	+/-4.6
Bachelor's degree or higher	56,592	+/-2,865	1.6%	+/-0.8	48,822	+/-2,711	1.5%	+/-0.8	5,024	+/-969	3.9%	+/-3.3
NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN OF THE HOUSEHOLDER UNDER 18 YEARS												
No child	82,082	+/-3,515	4.2%	+/-1.2	67,774	+/-2,922	2.7%	+/-0.8	7,459	+/-1,102	6.1%	+/-3.1
1 or 2 children	65,087	+/-4,048	8.2%	+/-1.5	44,676	+/-3,475	3.2%	+/-1.0	13,644	+/-1,658	21.3%	+/-5.3
3 or 4 children	17,879	+/-1,947	17.0%	+/-4.4	13,480	+/-1,580	10.7%	+/-4.3	2,693	+/-576	46.1%	+/-12.3
5 or more children	2,479	+/-514	32.6%	+/-13.2	1,894	+/-465	16.7%	+/-8.8	294	+/-209	87.8%	+/-14.0
NUMBER OF OWN CHILDREN OF THE HOUSEHOLDER UNDER 18 YEARS												
No own child of the householder	90,809	+/-3,619	4.8%	+/-1.1	72,393	+/-3,035	3.1%	+/-0.8	10,314	+/-1,290	8.5%	+/-2.9
1 or 2 own children of the householder	59,070	+/-3,549	8.4%	+/-1.6	41,537	+/-3,123	3.0%	+/-1.0	11,527	+/-1,666	23.9%	+/-6.0
3 or 4 own children of the householder	15,632	+/-1,880	16.5%	+/-4.7	12,349	+/-1,637	10.2%	+/-4.5	2,020	+/-452	50.6%	+/-15.2
5 or more own children of the householder	2,016	+/-539	34.9%	+/-15.4	1,545	+/-453	18.5%	+/-10.7	229	+/-202	89.5%	+/-15.7
NUMBER OF PEOPLE IN FAMILY												
2 people	72,353	+/-3,827	7.2%	+/-1.6	52,314	+/-3,021	3.2%	+/-1.0	11,329	+/-1,468	16.1%	+/-5.1
3 or 4 people	67,887	+/-4,159	6.0%	+/-1.1	52,283	+/-3,780	2.8%	+/-0.9	10,020	+/-1,576	21.5%	+/-5.1
5 or 6 people	22,262	+/-2,059	9.8%	+/-3.0	18,985	+/-2,094	6.7%	+/-2.7	2,259	+/-506	27.2%	+/-11.9
7 or more people	5,025	+/-830	22.9%	+/-8.1	4,242	+/-862	15.5%	+/-6.8	482	+/-280	53.9%	+/-23.0
NUMBER OF WORKERS IN FAMILY												
No workers	18,589	+/-1,690	23.4%	+/-4.4	13,440	+/-1,442	9.6%	+/-2.9	3,173	+/-655	57.6%	+/-11.5
1 worker	51,020	+/-3,207	11.7%	+/-2.4	29,852	+/-2,328	7.2%	+/-2.5	13,244	+/-1,742	20.3%	+/-5.1
2 workers	78,506	+/-3,404	2.3%	+/-0.7	67,711	+/-3,063	1.7%	+/-0.6	6,114	+/-1,154	5.5%	+/-3.9
3 or more workers	19,412	+/-1,967	2.5%	+/-1.3	16,821	+/-1,817	2.6%	+/-1.5	1,559	+/-518	0.0%	+/-6.4

INCOME DEFICIT

	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent MOE	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent MOE	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent MOE
Mean income deficit for families (dollars)	10,254	+/-1,140	(X)	(X)	9,246	+/-1,308	(X)	(X)	11,859	+/-1,701	(X)	(X)
TENURE												
Owner occupied	120,087	+/-3,182	5.0%	+/-0.9	97,455	+/-3,246	3.1%	+/-0.6	12,884	+/-1,458	12.0%	+/-3.6
Renter Occupied	47,440	+/-3,323	14.0%	+/-2.4	30,369	+/-2,639	6.7%	+/-2.1	11,206	+/-1,547	29.5%	+/-6.0
ALL FAMILIES WITH INCOME BELOW THE FOLLOWING POVERTY RATIOS												
50 percent of poverty level	4,897	+/-766	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
125 percent of poverty level	16,408	+/-2,170	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
150 percent of poverty level	21,243	+/-2,258	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
185 percent of poverty level	29,511	+/-2,669	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
200 percent of poverty level	32,043	+/-2,844	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
300 percent of poverty level	55,537	+/-3,674	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
400 percent of poverty level	78,000	+/-3,913	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
500 percent of poverty level	99,083	+/-3,765	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2018 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates

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.

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 ACS Technical Documentation). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

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 .

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Estimates of urban and rural populations, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2010 data. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

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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.