

**S1701: POVERTY STATUS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS**  
**2018 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimates**

	Total		Alaska		Percent below poverty level	
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error
Population for whom poverty status is determined	720,869	+/-846	78,620	+/-7,217	10.9%	+/-1.0
<b>AGE</b>						
Under 18 years	180,258	+/-1,074	25,327	+/-3,826	14.1%	+/-2.1
Under 5 years	51,329	+/-834	8,384	+/-1,526	16.3%	+/-2.9
5 to 17 years	128,929	+/-1,091	16,943	+/-2,785	13.1%	+/-2.2
Related children of householder under 18 years	179,037	+/-1,221	24,235	+/-3,911	13.5%	+/-2.2
18 to 64 years	454,213	+/-1,628	47,464	+/-3,697	10.4%	+/-0.8
18 to 34 years	176,700	+/-1,899	22,444	+/-2,736	12.7%	+/-1.5
35 to 64 years	277,513	+/-2,696	25,020	+/-2,416	9.0%	+/-0.9
60 years and over	132,192	+/-2,889	9,992	+/-1,606	7.6%	+/-1.2
65 years and over	86,398	+/-1,518	5,829	+/-1,376	6.7%	+/-1.6
<b>SEX</b>						
Male	370,771	+/-1,819	38,912	+/-3,914	10.5%	+/-1.1
Female	350,098	+/-1,659	39,708	+/-4,087	11.3%	+/-1.2
<b>RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN</b>						
White alone	464,926	+/-3,278	34,474	+/-4,026	7.4%	+/-0.9
Black or African American alone	23,967	+/-1,852	2,719	+/-1,743	11.3%	+/-7.3
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	107,926	+/-3,749	24,632	+/-2,798	22.8%	+/-2.6
Asian alone	46,023	+/-2,660	6,567	+/-2,913	14.3%	+/-6.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	7,846	+/-1,578	2,267	+/-1,426	28.9%	+/-17.5
Some other race alone	9,732	+/-2,616	733	+/-456	7.5%	+/-5.1
Two or more races	60,449	+/-4,593	7,228	+/-2,002	12.0%	+/-3.1
Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race)	51,952	+/-657	4,820	+/-1,420	9.3%	+/-2.7
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	434,277	+/-1,255	32,089	+/-3,796	7.4%	+/-0.9
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>						
Population 25 years and over	478,760	+/-1,449	43,873	+/-3,811	9.2%	+/-0.8
Less than high school graduate	31,656	+/-2,787	6,777	+/-1,310	21.4%	+/-3.5
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	133,759	+/-4,798	19,063	+/-2,188	14.3%	+/-1.6
Some college, associate's degree	167,511	+/-5,430	13,485	+/-1,897	8.1%	+/-1.1
Bachelor's degree or higher	145,834	+/-5,880	4,548	+/-980	3.1%	+/-0.7
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS</b>						
Civilian labor force 16 years and over	370,092	+/-4,731	25,814	+/-2,793	7.0%	+/-0.8
Employed	344,700	+/-4,946	17,775	+/-2,264	5.2%	+/-0.7
Male	182,981	+/-4,229	8,312	+/-1,537	4.5%	+/-0.8
Female	161,719	+/-3,490	9,463	+/-1,650	5.9%	+/-1.0
Unemployed	25,392	+/-1,927	8,039	+/-1,347	31.7%	+/-4.7
Male	16,131	+/-1,598	5,279	+/-1,179	32.7%	+/-6.4
Female	9,261	+/-1,388	2,760	+/-679	29.8%	+/-5.4
<b>WORK EXPERIENCE</b>						
Population 16 years and over	559,276	+/-1,180	55,473	+/-4,456	9.9%	+/-0.8
Worked full-time, year-round in the past 12 months	243,287	+/-5,971	4,545	+/-1,328	1.9%	+/-0.5
Worked part-time or part-year in the past 12 months	158,463	+/-4,973	21,941	+/-2,608	13.8%	+/-1.5
Did not work	157,526	+/-4,272	28,987	+/-2,803	18.4%	+/-1.7
<b>ALL INDIVIDUALS WITH INCOME BELOW THE FOLLOWING POVERTY RATIOS</b>						
50 percent of poverty level	37,710	+/-4,115	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
125 percent of poverty level	100,355	+/-8,445	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
150 percent of poverty level	126,748	+/-7,800	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
185 percent of poverty level	167,488	+/-8,797	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
200 percent of poverty level	181,502	+/-9,479	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
300 percent of poverty level	296,900	+/-10,392	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

400 percent of poverty level	393,946	+/-11,162	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
500 percent of poverty level	480,098	+/-10,633	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS FOR WHOM						
POVERTY STATUS IS DETERMINED						
	152,663	+/-5,577	30,876	+/-2,723	20.2%	+/-1.8
Male	84,920	+/-4,265	16,394	+/-2,095	19.3%	+/-2.4
Female	67,743	+/-3,231	14,482	+/-1,815	21.4%	+/-2.6
15 years	415	+/-292	415	+/-292	100.0%	+/-21.7
16 to 17 years	660	+/-303	660	+/-303	100.0%	+/-14.3
18 to 24 years	16,571	+/-1,985	5,672	+/-1,438	34.2%	+/-7.8
25 to 34 years	36,369	+/-2,958	5,940	+/-1,156	16.3%	+/-3.3
35 to 44 years	20,671	+/-2,220	4,514	+/-1,105	21.8%	+/-4.4
45 to 54 years	23,226	+/-2,149	4,967	+/-1,004	21.4%	+/-4.0
55 to 64 years	26,513	+/-2,110	5,197	+/-1,008	19.6%	+/-3.5
65 to 74 years	18,249	+/-1,834	2,319	+/-677	12.7%	+/-3.5
75 years and over	9,989	+/-1,050	1,192	+/-516	11.9%	+/-5.0
Mean income deficit for unrelated individuals (dollars)	7,887	+/-459	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Worked full-time, year-round in the past 12 months	71,525	+/-3,973	2,164	+/-938	3.0%	+/-1.3
Worked less than full-time, year-round in the past 12						
months	42,795	+/-3,644	12,740	+/-1,920	29.8%	+/-4.2
Did not work	38,343	+/-2,870	15,972	+/-1,993	41.7%	+/-4.1

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.

Dollar amounts are adjusted to respective calendar years. For more information, see: Change to Income Deficit.

While the 2018 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the July 2015 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) delineations 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 delineations due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

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.

#### Explanation of Symbols:

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.

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, or the margin of error associated with a median was larger than the median itself.

An "-" following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.

An "+" following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.

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.

An "\*\*\*\*\*" entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.

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.

An "(X)" means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.

Supporting documentation on code lists, subject definitions, data accuracy, and statistical testing can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Technical 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.