

S1810: DISABILITY CHARACTERISTICS
Universe: None
2019 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimates

Label	Total		Alaska		Percent with a disability	
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error
Total civilian noninstitutionalized population	705 772	±2,037	82 900	±4,323	11.7%	±0.6
SEX						
Male	359 167	±2,922	44 738	±3,382	12.5%	±0.9
Female	346 605	±2,327	38 162	±2,906	11.0%	±0.8
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN						
White alone	450 906	±4,436	52 908	±3,479	11.7%	±0.8
Black or African American alone	19 400	±2,049	2 076	±890	10.7%	±4.6
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	113 801	±3,981	17 785	±1,709	15.6%	±1.3
Asian alone	43 400	±2,434	3 232	±799	7.4%	±1.7
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	N	N	N	N	N	N
Some other race alone	12 010	±3,630	1 119	±645	9.3%	±4.4
Two or more races	56 675	±5,386	5 119	±1,261	9.0%	±1.9
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	420 172	±2,751	50 685	±3,323	12.1%	±0.8
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	50 340	±708	3 997	±1,094	7.9%	±2.2
AGE						
Under 5 years	50 891	±1,153	601	±355	1.2%	±0.7
5 to 17 years	128 781	±1,172	6 332	±1,394	4.9%	±1.1
18 to 34 years	168 220	±2,949	10 174	±1,488	6.0%	±0.9
35 to 64 years	268 945	±3,220	35 713	±2,859	13.3%	±1.1
65 to 74 years	61 436	±2,046	17 430	±2,326	28.4%	±3.5
75 years and over	27 499	±1,155	12 650	±1,408	46.0%	±5.2
DISABILITY TYPE BY DETAILED AGE						
With a hearing difficulty	(X)	(X)	32 831	±2,580	4.7%	±0.4
Population under 18 years	179 672	±392	1 504	±585	0.8%	±0.3
Population under 5 years	50 891	±1,153	446	±310	0.9%	±0.6
Population 5 to 17 years	128 781	±1,172	1 058	±505	0.8%	±0.4
Population 18 to 64 years	437 165	±2,966	15 225	±1,822	3.5%	±0.4
Population 18 to 34 years	168 220	±2,949	1 274	±475	0.8%	±0.3
Population 35 to 64 years	268 945	±3,220	13 951	±1,759	5.2%	±0.7
Population 65 years and over	88 935	±1,953	16 102	±1,884	18.1%	±2.0
Population 65 to 74 years	61 436	±2,046	8 932	±1,544	14.5%	±2.4
Population 75 years and over	27 499	±1,155	7 170	±1,177	26.1%	±4.2
With a vision difficulty	(X)	(X)	14 339	±1,793	2.0%	±0.3
Population under 18 years	179 672	±392	1 337	±520	0.7%	±0.3
Population under 5 years	50 891	±1,153	289	±256	0.6%	±0.5
Population 5 to 17 years	128 781	±1,172	1 048	±505	0.8%	±0.4
Population 18 to 64 years	437 165	±2,966	7 538	±1,393	1.7%	±0.3
Population 18 to 34 years	168 220	±2,949	1 118	±492	0.7%	±0.3
Population 35 to 64 years	268 945	±3,220	6 420	±1,216	2.4%	±0.5
Population 65 years and over	88 935	±1,953	5 464	±1,104	6.1%	±1.2
Population 65 to 74 years	61 436	±2,046	3 289	±921	5.4%	±1.5
Population 75 years and over	27 499	±1,155	2 175	±542	7.9%	±2.0
With a cognitive difficulty	(X)	(X)	31 831	±2,749	4.9%	±0.4
Population under 18 years	128 781	±1,172	5 207	±1,291	4.0%	±1.0
Population 18 to 64 years	437 165	±2,966	19 100	±2,323	4.4%	±0.5
Population 18 to 34 years	168 220	±2,949	6 634	±1,206	3.9%	±0.7
Population 35 to 64 years	268 945	±3,220	12 466	±1,793	4.6%	±0.7
Population 65 years and over	88 935	±1,953	7 524	±1,402	8.5%	±1.6
Population 65 to 74 years	61 436	±2,046	3 628	±1,004	5.9%	±1.6
Population 75 years and over	27 499	±1,155	3 896	±997	14.2%	±3.5
With an ambulatory difficulty	(X)	(X)	37 072	±3,078	5.7%	±0.5
Population under 18 years	128 781	±1,172	783	±584	0.6%	±0.5
Population 18 to 64 years	437 165	±2,966	18 767	±1,934	4.3%	±0.4
Population 18 to 34 years	168 220	±2,949	2 504	±862	1.5%	±0.5
Population 35 to 64 years	268 945	±3,220	16 263	±1,696	6.0%	±0.6
Population 65 years and over	88 935	±1,953	17 522	±2,032	19.7%	±2.2
Population 65 to 74 years	61 436	±2,046	9 440	±1,827	15.4%	±2.8

Population 75 years and over	27 499	±1,155	8 082	±1,137	29.4%	±4.2
With a self-care difficulty	(X)	(X)	13 420	±1,638	2.0%	±0.2
Population under 18 years	128 781	±1,172	928	±552	0.7%	±0.4
Population 18 to 64 years	437 165	±2,966	6 839	±1,271	1.6%	±0.3
Population 18 to 34 years	168 220	±2,949	1 266	±662	0.8%	±0.4
Population 35 to 64 years	268 945	±3,220	5 573	±1,134	2.1%	±0.4
Population 65 years and over	88 935	±1,953	5 653	±1,120	6.4%	±1.3
Population 65 to 74 years	61 436	±2,046	2 391	±689	3.9%	±1.1
Population 75 years and over	27 499	±1,155	3 262	±839	11.9%	±3.0
With an independent living difficulty	(X)	(X)	22 983	±2,366	4.4%	±0.4
Population 18 to 64 years	437 165	±2,966	13 109	±1,663	3.0%	±0.4
Population 18 to 34 years	168 220	±2,949	4 176	±1,079	2.5%	±0.6
Population 35 to 64 years	268 945	±3,220	8 933	±1,340	3.3%	±0.5
Population 65 years and over	88 935	±1,953	9 874	±1,535	11.1%	±1.7
Population 65 to 74 years	61 436	±2,046	4 610	±1,361	7.5%	±2.1
Population 75 years and over	27 499	±1,155	5 264	±1,062	19.1%	±3.7

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.

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.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2019 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates

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.

For cognitive difficulty, ambulatory difficulty, and self-care difficulty, the 'Population under 18 years' includes persons aged 5 to 17. Children under 5 are not included in these measures.

The 2019 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the September 2018 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.