S1810: DISABILITY CHARACTERISTICS
Universe: None
2021 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimates Subject Tables

| | Alaska | | | | | |
| | Total | | With a disability | | Percent with a disability | |
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error
Total civilian noninstitutionalized population	702,154	±2,286	92,390	±4,793	13.2%	±0.7
SEX						
Male	357,463	±3,151	49,757	±3,190	13.9%	±0.9
Female	344,691	±2,698	42,633	±3,210	12.4%	±0.9
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN						
White alone	414,926	±4,119	58,450	±3,866	14.1%	±0.9
Black or African American alone	18,989	±2,258	3,872	±1,237	20.4%	±6.3
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	98,553	±4,455	16,365	±1,682	16.6%	±1.8
Asian alone	45,984	±2,552	2,717	±875	5.9%	±1.9
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	N	N	N	N	N	N
Some other race alone	18,007	±3,189	2,343	±949	13.0%	±5.6
Two or more races	94,699	±6,715	7,862	±1,499	8.3%	±1.6
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	405,666	±3,461	57,931	±3,892	14.3%	±0.9
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	47,986	±1,202	4,188	±1,314	8.7%	±2.7
AGE						
Under 5 years	46,198	±1,366	199	±193	0.4%	±0.4
5 to 17 years	132,833	±1,349	8,263	±2,002	6.2%	±1.5
18 to 34 years	159,845	±2,563	13,908	±2,009	8.7%	±1.3
35 to 64 years	266,190	±2,557	38,114	±3,122	14.3%	±1.2
65 to 74 years	66,685	±1,528	18,060	±1,906	27.1%	±2.9
75 years and over	30,403	±1,231	13,846	±1,656	45.5%	±5.1
DISABILITY TYPE BY DETAILED AGE						
With a hearing difficulty	(X)	(X)	33,397	±2,535	4.8%	±0.4
Population under 18 years	179,031	±700	752	±386	0.4%	±0.2
Population under 5 years	46,198	±1,366	199	±193	0.4%	±0.4
Population 5 to 17 years	132,833	±1,349	553	±334	0.4%	±0.3
Population 18 to 64 years	426,035	±2,417	16,712	±1,930	3.9%	±0.4
Population 18 to 34 years	159,845	±2,563	1,771	±599	1.1%	±0.4
Population 35 to 64 years	266,190	±2,557	14,941	±1,892	5.6%	±0.7
Population 65 years and over	97,088	±1,411	15,933	±1,686	16.4%	±1.7
Population 65 to 74 years	66,685	±1,528	7,883	±1,190	11.8%	±1.8
Population 75 years and over	30,403	±1,231	8,050	±1,159	26.5%	±3.8
With a vision difficulty	(X)	(X)	15,748	±1,892	2.2%	±0.3
Population under 18 years	179,031	±700	1,178	±509	0.7%	±0.3
Population under 5 years	46,198	±1,366	75	±88	0.2%	±0.2
Population 5 to 17 years	132,833	±1,349	1,103	±495	0.8%	±0.4
Population 18 to 64 years	426,035	±2,417	8,037	±1,434	1.9%	±0.3
Population 18 to 34 years	159,845	±2,563	2,130	±956	1.3%	±0.6
Population 35 to 64 years	266,190	±2,557	5,907	±1,124	2.2%	±0.4
Population 65 years and over	97,088	±1,411	6,533	±1,327	6.7%	±1.4
Population 65 to 74 years	66,685	±1,528	2,843	±704	4.3%	±1.1
Population 75 years and over	30,403	±1,231	3,690	±984	12.1%	±3.1
With a cognitive difficulty	(X)	(X)	34,157	±3,560	5.2%	±0.5
Population under 18 years	132,833	±1,349	6,489	±1,844	4.9%	±1.4
Population 18 to 64 years	426,035	±2,417	21,857	±2,828	5.1%	±0.7
Population 18 to 34 years	159,845	±2,563	8,356	±1,621	5.2%	±1.0
Population 35 to 64 years	266,190	±2,557	13,501	±2,034	5.1%	±0.7
Population 65 years and over	97,088	±1,411	5,811	±967	6.0%	±1.0
Population 65 to 74 years	66,685	±1,528	2,948	±702	4.4%	±1.1
Population 75 years and over	30,403	±1,231	2,863	±594	9.4%	±1.9
With an ambulatory difficulty	(X)	(X)	36,728	±2,769	5.6%	±0.4
Population under 18 years	132,833	±1,349	498	±274	0.4%	±0.2
Population 18 to 64 years	426,035	±2,417	18,182	±2,181	4.3%	±0.5
Population 18 to 34 years	159,845	±2,563	1,597	±612	1.0%	±0.4
Population 35 to 64 years	266,190	±2,557	16,585	±1,979	6.2%	±0.7
Population 65 years and over	97,088	±1,411	18,048	±2,193	18.6%	±2.3
Population 65 to 74 years	66,685	±1,528	10,064	±1,706	15.1%	±2.6
Population 75 years and over	30,403	±1,231	7,984	±1,288	26.3%	±4.1

With a self-care difficulty	(X)	(X)	12,814	±1,987	2.0%	±0.3
Population under 18 years	132,833	±1,349	926	±370	0.7%	±0.3
Population 18 to 64 years	426,035	±2,417	6,672	±1,380	1.6%	±0.3
Population 18 to 34 years	159,845	±2,563	1,165	±615	0.7%	±0.4
Population 35 to 64 years	266,190	±2,557	5,507	±1,161	2.1%	±0.4
Population 65 years and over	97,088	±1,411	5,216	±1,218	5.4%	±1.3
Population 65 to 74 years	66,685	±1,528	2,914	±1,089	4.4%	±1.6
Population 75 years and over	30,403	±1,231	2,302	±573	7.6%	±1.9
With an independent living difficulty	(X)	(X)	25,679	±2,643	4.9%	±0.5
Population 18 to 64 years	426,035	±2,417	15,533	±2,123	3.6%	±0.5
Population 18 to 34 years	159,845	±2,563	5,833	±1,342	3.6%	±0.8
Population 35 to 64 years	266,190	±2,557	9,700	±1,339	3.6%	±0.5
Population 65 years and over	97,088	±1,411	10,146	±1,564	10.5%	±1.6
Population 65 to 74 years	66,685	±1,528	6,049	±1,242	9.1%	±1.9
Population 75 years and over	30,403	±1,231	4,097	±942	13.5%	±3.1

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, 2021 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 2021 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the March 2020 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:

- : The estimate could not be computed because there were an insufficient number of sample observations. For a ratio of medians estimate, one or both of the median estimates falls in the lowest interval or highest interval of an open-ended distribution. For a 5-year median estimate, the margin of error associated with a median was larger than the median itself.

N : The estimate or margin of error cannot be displayed because there were an insufficient number of sample cases in the selected geographic area.

(X) : The estimate or margin of error is not applicable or not available.

median- : The median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution (for example "2,500-")

median+ : The median falls in the highest interval of an open-ended distribution (for example "250,000+").

** : The margin of error could not be computed because there were an insufficient number of sample observations.

*** : The margin of error could not be computed because the median falls in the lowest interval or highest interval of an open-ended distribution.

***** : A margin of error is not appropriate because the corresponding estimate is controlled to an independent population or housing estimate. Effectively, the corresponding estimate has no sampling error and the margin of error may be treated as zero.