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B12006. MARITAL STATUS BY SEX BY LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION - Universe: POPULATION 16 YEARS AND OVER

Data Set: [2005 American Community Survey](#)

Survey: 2005 American Community Survey

NOTE: Data are limited to the household population and exclude the population living in institutions, college dormitories, and other group quarters. For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see [Survey Methodology](#).

	Alaska	
	Estimate	Margin of Error
Total:	476,403	+/-1,190
Never married:	132,392	+/-4,485
Male:	77,653	+/-2,744
In labor force:	56,046	+/-3,033
Employed or in Armed Forces	46,364	+/-2,983
Not employed	9,682	+/-1,342
Not in labor force	21,607	+/-1,783
Female:	54,739	+/-2,619
In labor force:	37,799	+/-2,481
Employed or in Armed Forces	32,848	+/-2,315
Not employed	4,951	+/-1,017
Not in labor force	16,940	+/-1,724
Now married (except separated):	257,866	+/-5,932
Male:	129,335	+/-3,174
In labor force:	104,333	+/-3,264
Employed or in Armed Forces	99,392	+/-3,250
Not employed	4,941	+/-1,018
Not in labor force	25,002	+/-1,565
Female:	128,531	+/-3,766
In labor force:	81,885	+/-3,405
Employed or in Armed Forces	77,860	+/-3,218
Not employed	4,025	+/-801
Not in labor force	46,646	+/-2,609
Separated:	10,021	+/-1,732
Male:	3,593	+/-862
In labor force:	2,879	+/-801
Employed or in Armed Forces	2,456	+/-719
Not employed	423	+/-279
Not in labor force	714	+/-364
Female:	6,428	+/-1,305
In labor force:	4,917	+/-1,147
Employed or in Armed Forces	4,283	+/-1,029
Not employed	634	+/-418
Not in labor force	1,511	+/-540
Widowed:	17,331	+/-1,755
Male:	3,517	+/-620
In labor force:	1,065	+/-359
Employed or in Armed Forces	943	+/-349
Not employed	122	+/-120
Not in labor force	2,452	+/-498
Female:	13,814	+/-1,535
In labor force:	4,505	+/-1,084
Employed or in Armed Forces	4,293	+/-1,103
Not employed	212	+/-196
Not in labor force	9,309	+/-1,143
Divorced:	58,793	+/-3,583
Male:	27,602	+/-2,249
In labor force:	21,160	+/-1,994
Employed or in Armed Forces	18,781	+/-1,788
Not employed	2,379	+/-696
Not in labor force	6,442	+/-1,186
Female:	31,191	+/-2,635

In labor force:	23,340	+/-2,248
Employed or in Armed Forces	22,344	+/-2,259
Not employed	996	+/-409
Not in labor force	7,851	+/-1,383

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2005 American Community Survey


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.

Explanation of Symbols:

1. An '**' entry in the margin of error column indicates that 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 margin of error column indicates that no sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the margin of error. A statistical test is not appropriate.
3. An '-' entry in the estimate column indicates that no 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.
4. An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
5. An '+' following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
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7. An '*****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.

Standard Error/Variance documentation for this dataset:

[2005 Accuracy of the Data](#)

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