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[B17015. POVERTY STATUS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS OF FAMILIES BY FAMILY TYPE BY SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME BY SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME \(SSI\) AND CASH PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME - Universe: FAMILIES](#)

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](#).

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	Alaska	
	Estimate	Margin of Error
Total:	157,187	+/-3,442
Income in the past 12 months below poverty level:	12,968	+/-1,619
Married-couple family:	4,110	+/-1,011
With Social Security income in the past 12 months:	344	+/-253
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	13	+/-21
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	331	+/-252
Without Social Security income in the past 12 months:	3,766	+/-988
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	605	+/-263
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	3,161	+/-842
Other family:	8,858	+/-1,340
Male householder, no wife present:	1,869	+/-755
With Social Security income in the past 12 months:	183	+/-112
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	43	+/-57
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	140	+/-103
Without Social Security income in the past 12 months:	1,686	+/-737
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	497	+/-292
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	1,189	+/-645
Female householder, no husband present:	6,989	+/-1,213
With Social Security income in the past 12 months:	1,179	+/-544
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	706	+/-442
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	473	+/-317
Without Social Security income in the past 12 months:	5,810	+/-1,188
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	1,692	+/-634
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	4,118	+/-949
Income in the past 12 months at or above poverty level:	144,219	+/-3,896
Married-couple family:	112,243	+/-3,721
With Social Security income in the past 12 months:	19,036	+/-1,693
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	1,671	+/-600
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	17,365	+/-1,554
Without Social Security income in the past 12 months:	93,207	+/-3,392
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	2,359	+/-673
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	90,848	+/-3,249
Other family:	31,976	+/-2,732
Male householder, no wife present:	11,304	+/-1,432
With Social Security income in the past 12 months:	1,785	+/-555
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	726	+/-398
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	1,059	+/-386
Without Social Security income in the past 12 months:	9,519	+/-1,269
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	377	+/-250
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	9,142	+/-1,258
Female householder, no husband present:	20,672	+/-2,356
With Social Security income in the past 12 months:	4,485	+/-1,088
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	931	+/-357
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	3,554	+/-1,047
Without Social Security income in the past 12 months:	16,187	+/-2,007
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	953	+/-406
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	15,234	+/-1,925

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.

The number of householders does not necessarily equal the number of households because of differences in the weighting schemes for the population and occupied housing units.

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.
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4. An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
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[2005 Accuracy of the Data](#)

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