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B17017. POVERTY STATUS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS BY HOUSEHOLD TYPE BY AGE OF

HOUSEHOLDER - Universe: HOUSEHOLDS

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 <u>Survey Methodology</u>.

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		Alaska
		Margin of Error
Total:	233,252	
Income in the past 12 months below poverty level:	24,010	
Family households:	12,968	
Married-couple family:	4,110	
Householder under 25 years	209	
Householder 25 to 44 years	2,013	
Householder 45 to 64 years	1,454	
Householder 65 years and over	434	
Other family:	8,858	
Male householder, no wife present:	1,869	
Householder under 25 years	424	
Householder 25 to 44 years	843	
Householder 45 to 64 years	516	
Householder 65 years and over	86	
Female householder, no husband present:	6,989	
Householder under 25 years	916	
Householder 25 to 44 years	3,606	
Householder 45 to 64 years	2,042	
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Householder 65 years and over		
Nonfamily households:	11,042	
Male householder:	6,430	,
Householder under 25 years	589	
Householder 25 to 44 years	2,278	
Householder 45 to 64 years	2,930	
Householder 65 years and over	633	
Female householder:	4,612	
Householder under 25 years	1,168	
Householder 25 to 44 years	1,209	
Householder 45 to 64 years	1,515	
Householder 65 years and over	720	
Income in the past 12 months at or above poverty level:	209,242	
Family households:	144,219	
Married-couple family:	112,243	
Householder under 25 years	3,942	
Householder 25 to 44 years	47,415	
Householder 45 to 64 years	49,870	
Householder 65 years and over	11,016	·
Other family:	31,976	,
Male householder, no wife present:	11,304	+/-1,432
Householder under 25 years	759	+/-465
Householder 25 to 44 years	5,639	+/-1,062
Householder 45 to 64 years	4,125	+/-984
Householder 65 years and over	781	+/-306
Female householder, no husband present:	20,672	+/-2,356
Householder under 25 years	915	+/-374
Householder 25 to 44 years	10,153	+/-1,892
Householder 45 to 64 years	7,442	
Householder 65 years and over	2,162	+/-600
Nonfamily households:	65,023	
Male householder:	35,876	
Householder under 25 years	4,007	

Householder 25 to 44 years	13,532	+/-1,539
Householder 45 to 64 years	15,467	+/-1,792
Householder 65 years and over	2,870	+/-576
Female householder:	29,147	+/-2,170
Householder under 25 years	3,309	+/-857
Householder 25 to 44 years	6,643	+/-1,154
Householder 45 to 64 years	12,764	+/-1,400
Householder 65 years and over	6,431	+/-774

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 <a href="Accuracy of the Data">Accuracy of the Data</a>). 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.
- 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.
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## Standard Error/Variance documentation for this dataset:

2005 Accuracy of the Data

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