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## B17001. POVERTY STATUS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS BY SEX BY AGE - Universe: POPULATION FOR WHOM POVERTY STATUS IS DETERMINED

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:	637,581	+/-1,207
Income in the past 12 months below poverty level:	71,266	+/-6,418
Male:	35,324	+/-3,825
Under 5 years	3,745	+/-887
5 years	918	+/-443
6 to 11 years	4,600	+/-1,153
12 to 14 years	2,139	+/-582
15 years	1,084	+/-475
16 and 17 years	1,551	+/-593
18 to 24 years	5,221	+/-1,406
25 to 34 years	3,052	+/-732
35 to 44 years	5,032	+/-1,148
45 to 54 years	3,813	+/-731
55 to 64 years	2,778	+/-712
65 to 74 years	785	+/-356
75 years and over	606	+/-269
Female:	35,942	+/-3,620
Under 5 years	2,749	+/-863
5 years	877	+/-437
6 to 11 years	4,448	+/-1,105
12 to 14 years	2,464	+/-933
15 years	886	+/-402
16 and 17 years	1,162	+/-419
18 to 24 years	5,479	+/-1,057
25 to 34 years	4,804	+/-1,037
35 to 44 years	5,107	+/-801
45 to 54 years	4,210	+/-744
55 to 64 years	2,192	+/-560
65 to 74 years	568	+/-247
75 years and over	996	+/-308
Income in the past 12 months at or above poverty level:	566,315	+/-6,680
Male:	288,135	+/-4,121
Under 5 years	20,424	+/-1,328
5 years	3,950	+/-1,020
6 to 11 years	27,103	+/-2,114
12 to 14 years	13,560	+/-1,602
15 years	4,236	+/-811
16 and 17 years	9,666	+/-917
18 to 24 years	29,944	+/-1,635
25 to 34 years	34,402	+/-1,530
35 to 44 years	44,477	+/-1,525
45 to 54 years	50,037	+/-1,436
55 to 64 years	31,652	+/-1,078
65 to 74 years	12,885	+/-726
75 years and over	5,799	+/-510
Female:	278,180	+/-4,364
Under 5 years	20,935	+/-1,367
5 years	4,635	+/-1,046
6 to 11 years	24,276	+/-1,778
12 to 14 years	13,466	+/-1,500
15 years	4,683	+/-771

16 and 17 years	9,798	+/-827
18 to 24 years	25,973	+/-1,458
25 to 34 years	34,020	+/-1,575
35 to 44 years	43,474	+/-1,311
45 to 54 years	48,496	+/-1,346
55 to 64 years	27,907	+/-930
65 to 74 years	12,164	+/-648
75 years and over	8,353	+/-710

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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#### Standard Error/Variance documentation for this dataset:

[2005 Accuracy of the Data](#)

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