



B17018. POVERTY STATUS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS OF FAMILIES BY HOUSEHOLD TYPE BY EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HOUSEHOLDER - Universe: FAMILIES

Data Set: [2004 American Community Survey](#)
Survey: 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	Lower Bound	Upper Bound
Total:	156,309	152,873	159,745
Income in the last 12 months below poverty level:	8,624	7,547	9,701
Married-couple family:	3,461	2,304	4,618
Less than high school graduate	651	312	990
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	1,570	521	2,619
Some college, associate's degree	1,126	588	1,664
Bachelor's degree or higher	114	0	259
Other families:	5,163	4,070	6,256
Male householder, no wife present:	1,317	466	2,168
Less than high school graduate	88	0	189
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	810	56	1,564
Some college, associate's degree	386	67	705
Bachelor's degree or higher	33	0	88
Female householder, no husband present:	3,846	3,065	4,627
Less than high school graduate	968	541	1,395
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	2,032	1,313	2,751
Some college, associate's degree	702	316	1,088
Bachelor's degree or higher	144	22	266
Income in the last 12 months at or above poverty level:	147,685	144,168	151,202
Married-couple family:	115,751	111,914	119,588
Less than high school graduate	5,728	4,607	6,849
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	27,164	23,940	30,388
Some college, associate's degree	45,206	41,964	48,448
Bachelor's degree or higher	37,653	35,189	40,117
Other families:	31,934	29,456	34,412
Male householder, no wife present:	12,111	10,753	13,469
Less than high school graduate	1,939	1,121	2,757
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	5,416	4,561	6,271
Some college, associate's degree	3,403	2,455	4,351
Bachelor's degree or higher	1,353	805	1,901
Female householder, no husband present:	19,823	17,904	21,742
Less than high school graduate	1,830	900	2,760
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	6,202	5,147	7,257
Some college, associate's degree	7,905	6,530	9,280
Bachelor's degree or higher	3,886	2,813	4,959

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2004 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 confidence interval. The interval shown here is a 90 percent confidence interval. The stated range can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the lower and upper 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 lower and upper bound columns indicates that too few sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the lower and upper bounds. A statistical test is not appropriate.
2. An "***" entry in the lower and upper bound columns indicates that no sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the lower and upper bounds. A statistical test is not appropriate.
3. An "-" entry in the estimate column indicates that no sample observations were available to compute an estimate.
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.
6. An "****" entry in the lower and upper bound columns indicates that the median falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution. A statistical test is not appropriate.
7. An "*****" entry in the lower and upper bound columns indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.

Standard Error/Variance documentation for this dataset:

[2004 Accuracy of the Data](#)