S2403 | INDUSTRY BY SEX AND MEDIAN EARNINGS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS (IN 2012 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS) FOR THE CIVILIAN EMPLOYED POPULATION 16 YEARS AND OVER
2012 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates

Although the American Community Survey (ACS) produces population, demographic and housing unit estimates, it is the Census Bureau's Population Estimates Program that produces and disseminates the official estimates of the population for the nation, states, counties, cities and towns and estimates of housing units for states and counties.

Supporting documentation on code lists, subject definitions, data accuracy, and statistical testing can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Data and Documentation section.

Sample size and data quality measures (including coverage rates, allocation rates, and response rates) can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Methodology section.

Subject	Alaska											
	Total		Male		Female		Median earnings (dollars)		Median earnings (dollars) for male		Median earnings (dollars) for female	
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	351,496	+/-5,687	53.3%	+/-0.7	46.7%	+/-0.7	39,070	+/-2,304	47,517	+/-1,950	32,216	+/-1,007
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining:	19,273	+/-2,181	84.4%	+/-3.8	15.6%	+/-3.8	71,362	+/-6,366	72,386	+/-9,617	60,426	+/-18,025
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	5,231	+/-785	86.3%	+/-5.0	13.7%	+/-5.0	36,875	+/-7,213	38,172	+/-5,837	28,393	+/-10,080
Mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction	14,042	+/-2,063	83.7%	+/-4.7	16.3%	+/-4.7	80,994	+/-4,245	81,647	+/-4,212	69,504	+/-16,507
Construction	25,577	+/-2,824	83.1%	+/-4.4	16.9%	+/-4.4	50,372	+/-2,636	52,307	+/-6,975	26,906	+/-9,496
Manufacturing	13,336	+/-1,995	74.8%	+/-6.3	25.2%	+/-6.3	33,034	+/-7,315	40,440	+/-6,084	21,070	+/-5,335
Wholesale trade	5,482	+/-1,278	78.9%	+/-8.3	21.1%	+/-8.3	65,054	+/-19,060	70,898	+/-9,025	45,755	+/-15,707
Retail trade	37,543	+/-3,452	49.5%	+/-3.6	50.5%	+/-3.6	23,411	+/-1,972	25,010	+/-3,423	22,443	+/-1,930
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities:	25,838	+/-2,351	74.1%	+/-4.3	25.9%	+/-4.3	47,418	+/-5,136	51,288	+/-6,249	36,250	+/-5,454
Transportation and warehousing	22,056	+/-2,447	74.3%	+/-4.4	25.7%	+/-4.4	44,693	+/-5,379	50,008	+/-5,071	33,845	+/-4,991
Utilities	3,782	+/-663	73.1%	+/-10.0	26.9%	+/-10.0	56,013	+/-4,908	61,404	+/-13,612	51,185	+/-1,138
Information	6,781	+/-1,337	58.6%	+/-11.3	41.4%	+/-11.3	37,154	+/-10,060	46,957	+/-25,576	35,152	+/-8,151
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing:	14,746	+/-2,072	49.6%	+/-6.1	50.4%	+/-6.1	50,314	+/-7,600	55,317	+/-7,931	42,082	+/-5,430
Finance and insurance	7,951	+/-1,443	31.7%	+/-8.8	68.3%	+/-8.8	50,692	+/-6,399	64,387	+/-7,119	40,978	+/-4,567
Real estate and rental and leasing	6,795	+/-1,327	70.6%	+/-8.6	29.4%	+/-8.6	46,778	+/-12,168	44,767	+/-15,939	52,549	+/-12,842
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services:	28,546	+/-3,410	60.3%	+/-5.6	39.7%	+/-5.6	40,830	+/-3,285	50,418	+/-9,702	33,418	+/-4,406
Professional, scientific, and technical services	16,392	+/-1,849	56.4%	+/-6.0	43.6%	+/-6.0	57,485	+/-7,677	71,975	+/-4,469	37,013	+/-5,636
Management of companies and enterprises	325	+/-365	76.3%	+/-47.9	23.7%	+/-47.9	100,862	+/-71,411	-	**	-	**
Administrative and support and waste management services	11,829	+/-2,920	65.2%	+/-9.6	34.8%	+/-9.6	30,529	+/-3,386	31,216	+/-3,064	26,983	+/-4,111
Educational services, and health care and social assistance:	85,671	+/-4,479	27.9%	+/-2.2	72.1%	+/-2.2	37,306	+/-3,752	46,755	+/-4,958	35,958	+/-1,420
Educational services	33,658	+/-2,957	31.2%	+/-3.2	68.8%	+/-3.2	41,669	+/-4,216	50,228	+/-7,858	37,316	+/-5,923
Health care and social assistance	52,013	+/-3,289	25.8%	+/-3.0	74.2%	+/-3.0	36,237	+/-1,368	45,779	+/-6,496	35,368	+/-1,737
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services:	32,832	+/-3,245	48.2%	+/-4.7	51.8%	+/-4.7	17,300	+/-1,430	18,981	+/-1,958	15,843	+/-1,252
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	6,820	+/-1,224	48.3%	+/-8.5	51.7%	+/-8.5	17,325	+/-11,518	21,509	+/-10,498	12,669	+/-8,178
Accommodation and food services	26,012	+/-3,071	48.2%	+/-5.5	51.8%	+/-5.5	17,299	+/-1,304	18,731	+/-1,825	16,088	+/-1,231
Other services, except public administration	14,624	+/-1,716	50.2%	+/-6.1	49.8%	+/-6.1	30,400	+/-3,859	40,724	+/-6,046	26,208	+/-4,145
Public administration	41,247	+/-2,605	54.0%	+/-3.0	46.0%	+/-3.0	55,683	+/-3,753	65,534	+/-3,534	48,929	+/-2,933
PERCENT IMPUTED												
Industry	4.3%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2012 American Community Survey

Explanation of Symbols:
An '*' entry in the margin of error column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the margin of error. A statistical test is not appropriate.
An '-' entry in the estimate column indicates that either no sample observations or too few 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.
An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
An '+' following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
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An '*****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.
An 'N' entry in the estimate and margin of error columns indicates that data for this geographic area cannot be displayed because the number of sample cases is too small.
An '(X)' means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.

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.

Industry codes are 4-digit codes and are based on the North American Industry Classification System 2007. The Industry categories adhere to the guidelines issued in Clarification Memorandum No. 2, "NAICS Alternate Aggregation Structure for Use By U.S. Statistical Agencies," issued by the Office of Management and Budget.

While the 2012 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the December 2009 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2000 data. Boundaries for urban areas have not been updated since Census 2000. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.