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SEX BY EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT FOR THE POPULATION 25 YEARS AND OVER
Universe: Population 25 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.

	Alaska	
	Estimate	Margin of Error
Total:	464,594	+/-1,995
Male:	239,275	+/-1,488
No schooling completed	1,121	+/-454
Nursery to 4th grade	877	+/-276
5th and 6th grade	1,316	+/-414
7th and 8th grade	2,793	+/-559
9th grade	1,742	+/-620
10th grade	4,594	+/-1,063
11th grade	3,767	+/-736
12th grade, no diploma	2,615	+/-689
High school graduate, GED, or alternative	75,178	+/-2,881
Some college, less than 1 year	19,560	+/-2,012
Some college, 1 or more years, no degree	48,813	+/-3,301
Associate's degree	17,388	+/-1,775
Bachelor's degree	36,113	+/-2,726
Master's degree	16,110	+/-1,992
Professional school degree	4,339	+/-919
Doctorate degree	2,949	+/-657
Female:	225,319	+/-1,308
No schooling completed	1,650	+/-598
Nursery to 4th grade	2,067	+/-844
5th and 6th grade	1,562	+/-595
7th and 8th grade	2,340	+/-704
9th grade	1,422	+/-513
10th grade	3,094	+/-869
11th grade	3,902	+/-911
12th grade, no diploma	2,324	+/-797
High school graduate, GED, or alternative	55,099	+/-3,259
Some college, less than 1 year	15,015	+/-1,675
Some college, 1 or more years, no degree	45,332	+/-2,715
Associate's degree	20,899	+/-2,198
Bachelor's degree	43,446	+/-2,800
Master's degree	20,211	+/-1,883
Professional school degree	4,206	+/-1,065
Doctorate degree	2,750	+/-820

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 "X" 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 "X" following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.

An "X" following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.

An "****" entry in the margin of error column indicates that the median falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution. A statistical test is not appropriate.

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.

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.

