

SELECTED ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS FOR THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION BY DISABILITY STATUS
2014 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 Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population		With a Disability		No Disability	
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error
Population Age 16 and Over	544,897	+/-2,295	74,088	+/-3,671	470,809	+/-4,086
EMPLOYMENT STATUS						
Employed	64.6%	+/-0.9	30.1%	+/-2.6	70.0%	+/-1.0
Not in Labor Force	30.1%	+/-0.9	63.9%	+/-2.3	24.7%	+/-1.0
Employed Population Age 16 and Over	351,906	+/-5,359	22,300	+/-2,148	329,606	+/-5,391
CLASS OF WORKER						
Private for-profit wage and salary workers	58.2%	+/-1.3	52.2%	+/-4.6	58.6%	+/-1.4
Employee of private company workers	54.5%	+/-1.4	47.2%	+/-4.6	55.0%	+/-1.4
Self-employed in own incorporated business workers	3.7%	+/-0.5	5.0%	+/-2.7	3.6%	+/-0.5
Private not-for-profit wage and salary workers	10.0%	+/-0.9	11.1%	+/-2.6	9.9%	+/-1.0
Local government workers	9.8%	+/-0.7	10.5%	+/-2.6	9.7%	+/-0.8
State government workers	8.2%	+/-0.8	6.0%	+/-2.1	8.3%	+/-0.8
Federal government workers	7.3%	+/-0.8	11.1%	+/-3.8	7.0%	+/-0.8
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	6.5%	+/-0.6	9.1%	+/-2.9	6.3%	+/-0.6
Unpaid family workers	0.2%	+/-0.1	0.0%	+/-0.4	0.2%	+/-0.1
OCCUPATION						
Management, business, science, and arts occupations	35.8%	+/-1.4	34.3%	+/-4.1	35.9%	+/-1.4
Service occupations	18.6%	+/-1.2	15.4%	+/-3.5	18.8%	+/-1.3
Sales and office occupations	21.0%	+/-1.2	20.8%	+/-3.6	21.1%	+/-1.2
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	12.9%	+/-0.8	13.0%	+/-2.9	12.9%	+/-0.9
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	11.6%	+/-0.9	16.6%	+/-3.5	11.3%	+/-0.9
INDUSTRY						
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	5.6%	+/-0.6	4.9%	+/-1.5	5.6%	+/-0.6
Construction	8.1%	+/-0.8	8.7%	+/-2.9	8.0%	+/-0.8
Manufacturing	3.2%	+/-0.5	2.4%	+/-1.3	3.3%	+/-0.5
Wholesale trade	1.8%	+/-0.3	0.2%	+/-0.3	1.9%	+/-0.4
Retail trade	10.1%	+/-0.9	12.8%	+/-3.5	9.9%	+/-1.0
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	8.4%	+/-0.7	14.8%	+/-3.8	7.9%	+/-0.7
Information	2.4%	+/-0.5	3.0%	+/-1.9	2.3%	+/-0.5
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	3.8%	+/-0.4	3.7%	+/-1.8	3.9%	+/-0.5
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	8.3%	+/-0.8	8.4%	+/-2.2	8.3%	+/-0.8
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	22.5%	+/-0.9	16.6%	+/-3.2	22.9%	+/-1.0
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	9.2%	+/-0.9	8.4%	+/-3.1	9.2%	+/-0.9
Other services (except public administration)	4.6%	+/-0.7	3.5%	+/-1.5	4.7%	+/-0.7
Public administration	12.1%	+/-0.8	12.7%	+/-2.9	12.1%	+/-0.9
COMMUTING TO WORK						
Workers Age 16 and Over	341,452	+/-5,669	20,657	+/-1,959	320,795	+/-5,616
Car, truck, or van - drove alone	69.4%	+/-1.2	67.1%	+/-4.0	69.6%	+/-1.3
Car, truck, or van - carpooled	11.7%	+/-0.9	9.5%	+/-2.4	11.9%	+/-0.9
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	1.4%	+/-0.4	2.6%	+/-1.6	1.3%	+/-0.4
Walked	7.8%	+/-0.6	9.2%	+/-2.2	7.7%	+/-0.7
Taxicab, motorcycle, bicycle, or other means	5.6%	+/-0.6	7.5%	+/-2.2	5.5%	+/-0.6
Worked at home	4.0%	+/-0.5	4.2%	+/-1.4	4.0%	+/-0.6
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT						
Population Age 25 and Over	449,306	+/-2,678	69,700	+/-3,564	379,606	+/-4,319
Less than high school graduate	7.1%	+/-0.5	14.9%	+/-1.6	5.7%	+/-0.5
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	28.5%	+/-1.0	32.4%	+/-2.8	27.8%	+/-1.1
Some college or associate's degree	36.1%	+/-1.1	35.7%	+/-2.6	36.2%	+/-1.2
Bachelor's degree or higher	28.3%	+/-1.1	17.0%	+/-2.2	30.3%	+/-1.3

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EARNINGS IN PAST 12 MONTHS (IN 2014 INFLATION ADJUSTED DOLLARS)						
Population Age 16 and over with earnings	404,601	+/-4,624	29,878	+/-2,278	374,723	+/-5,135
\$1 to \$4,999 or less	10.2%	+/-0.7	13.0%	+/-2.7	9.9%	+/-0.7
\$5,000 to \$14,999	12.5%	+/-0.8	13.4%	+/-2.8	12.4%	+/-0.8
\$15,000 to \$24,999	12.4%	+/-0.8	11.7%	+/-2.6	12.5%	+/-0.8
\$25,000 to \$34,999	12.0%	+/-0.8	13.8%	+/-3.7	11.9%	+/-0.8
\$35,000 to \$49,999	14.2%	+/-0.9	11.6%	+/-2.7	14.4%	+/-1.0
\$50,000 to \$74,999	19.3%	+/-1.1	16.0%	+/-3.2	19.6%	+/-1.1
\$75,000 or more	19.4%	+/-0.8	20.5%	+/-3.4	19.3%	+/-0.8
Median Earnings	37,020	+/-766	32,855	+/-3,434	37,245	+/-977
POVERTY STATUS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS						
Population Age 16 and over for whom poverty status is determined	543,066	+/-2,295	74,078	+/-3,670	468,988	+/-4,085
Below 100 percent of the poverty level	9.9%	+/-0.7	14.0%	+/-2.0	9.2%	+/-0.8
100 to 149 percent of the poverty level	7.3%	+/-0.7	14.1%	+/-1.9	6.3%	+/-0.7
At or above 150 percent of the poverty level	82.8%	+/-1.0	71.8%	+/-2.6	84.5%	+/-1.1

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2014 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates

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.

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.

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