S2411 OCCUPATION BY SEX AND MEDIAN EARNINGS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS (IN 2015 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS) FOR THE CIVILIAN EMPLOYED POPULATION 16 YEARS AND OVER
2015 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.

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	Median earnings (dollars)		Median earnings (dollars) for male		Median earnings (dollars) for female		Women's earnings as a percentage of men's earning	
Subject	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error
Civilian employed population 16 years and over with earnings	40,137	+/-835	48,144	+/-3,003	32,088	+/-1,264	66.7%	+/-4.6
Management, business, science, and arts occupations:	58,543	+/-3,808	69,401	+/-4,803	51,354	+/-1,350	74.0%	+/-5.8
Management, business, and financial occupations:	64,517	+/-3,922	72,878	+/-3,043	52,026	+/-2,091	71.4%	+/-4.4
Management occupations	65,537	+/-5,121	75,500	+/-5,070	51,424	+/-1,564	68.1%	+/-5.2
Business and financial operations occupations	61,436	+/-7,315	67,150	+/-5,622	54,890	+/-6,662	81.7%	+/-12.4
Computer, engineering, and science occupations:	67,300	+/-5,989	71,289	+/-3,206	56,411	+/-10,688	79.1%	+/-15.2
Computer and mathematical occupations	67,693	+/-8,987	62,163	+/-11,730	72,317	+/-6,991	116.3%	+/-21.3
Architecture and engineering occupations	74,912	+/-4,973	77,007	+/-5,097	50,384	+/-15,657	65.4%	+/-20.4
Life, physical, and social science occupations	55,630	+/-5,986	56,438	+/-7,590	52,181	+/-10,493	92.5%	+/-21.6
Education, legal, community service, arts, and media occupations:	48,676	+/-3,310	50,925	+/-2,278	42,739	+/-9,970	83.9%	+/-20.1
Community and social services occupations	49,842	+/-5,590	47,451	+/-9,472	50,348	+/-6,514	106.1%	+/-23.1
Legal occupations	67,083	+/-17,568	75,625	+/-19,338	62,345	+/-18,773	82.4%	+/-35.2
Education, training, and library occupations	50,301	+/-5,365	52,015	+/-5,765	41,698	+/-9,795	80.2%	+/-20.4
Arts, design, entertainment, sports, and media occupations	30,567	+/-13,611	35,969	+/-14,923	26,226	+/-15,403	72.9%	+/-51.3
Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations:	60,890	+/-3,050	81,599	+/-10,865	56,120	+/-5,249	68.8%	+/-10.6
Health diagnosing and treating practitioners and other technical occupations	76,188	+/-8,822	89,389	+/-21,474	70,584	+/-8,048	79.0%	+/-18.6
Health technologists and technicians	41,064	+/-3,206	51,847	+/-14,842	37,434	+/-3,077	72.2%	+/-17.0
Service occupations:	23,007	+/-1,838	26,405	+/-2,818	21,053	+/-1,790	79.7%	+/-11.1
Healthcare support occupations	31,034	+/-4,071	22,008	+/-16,583	31,489	+/-4,164	143.1%	+/-75.9
Protective service occupations:	50,557	+/-5,187	52,285	+/-11,402	43,029	+/-17,160	82.3%	+/-37.2
Fire fighting and prevention, and other protective service workers including supervisors	40,866	+/-10,470	42,038	+/-12,962	36,067	+/-11,652	85.8%	+/-35.3
Law enforcement workers including supervisors	70,342	+/-22,615	75,305	+/-14,868	50,452	+/-10,151	67.0%	+/-19.4
Food preparation and serving related occupations	17,737	+/-2,091	17,850	+/-2,735	17,648	+/-3,333	98.9%	+/-22.0
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations	19,929	+/-3,184	25,836	+/-4,976	13,417	+/-5,932	51.9%	+/-26.9
Personal care and service occupations	22,436	+/-3,984	24,831	+/-13,332	22,172	+/-3,134	89.3%	+/-67.6
Sales and office occupations:	31,038	+/-1,111	35,344	+/-4,770	30,015	+/-2,416	84.9%	+/-13.3
Sales and related occupations	26,782	+/-2,112	36,807	+/-10,329	19,121	+/-5,990	51.9%	+/-20.7
Office and administrative support occupations	32,944	+/-3,405	33,995	+/-6,477	32,894	+/-2,791	96.8%	+/-18.5
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations:	51,520	+/-1,206	51,563	+/-1,210	39,705	+/-32,211	77.0%	+/-62.6
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	31,451	+/-3,795	31,623	+/-4,172	17,276	+/-38,734	54.6%	+/-122.1
Construction and extraction occupations	52,342	+/-5,062	52,337	+/-5,193	55,073	+/-37,667	105.2%	+/-74.5
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	51,712	+/-5,652	51,506	+/-5,057	83,345	+/-44,512	161.8%	+/-88.2
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations:	31,856	+/-3,428	39,516	+/-4,648	21,736	+/-4,612	55.0%	+/-13.8
Production occupations	29,445	+/-2,675	39,704	+/-9,119	22,355	+/-6,884	56.3%	+/-24.8
Transportation occupations	41,250	+/-2,208	41,963	+/-5,370	30,910	+/-10,275	73.7%	+/-26.5
Material moving occupations	23,651	+/-7,417	26,736	+/-7,421	7,530	+/-13,585	28.2%	+/-51.4

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2015 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.
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.

Occupation codes are 4-digit codes and are based on Standard Occupational Classification 2010.

While the 2015 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the February 2013 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 2010 data. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.