

MARITAL STATUS BY SEX BY LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION
Universe: 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.

Versions of this table are available for the following years:

2015
2014
2013
2012
2011
2010
2009
2008
2007
2006
2005

	Alaska	
	Estimate	Margin of Error
Total:	571,393	+/-1,430
Never married:	197,013	+/-5,311
Male:	118,143	+/-3,691
In labor force:	85,462	+/-3,654
Employed or in Armed Forces	74,455	+/-3,593
Unemployed	11,007	+/-1,915
Not in labor force	32,681	+/-2,429
Female:	78,870	+/-3,376
In labor force:	57,066	+/-3,115
Employed or in Armed Forces	52,126	+/-2,938
Unemployed	4,940	+/-1,089
Not in labor force	21,804	+/-2,090
Now married (except separated):	274,564	+/-5,966
Male:	142,333	+/-3,592
In labor force:	115,263	+/-3,473
Employed or in Armed Forces	110,234	+/-3,520
Unemployed	5,029	+/-1,081
Not in labor force	27,070	+/-1,949
Female:	132,231	+/-3,874
In labor force:	84,159	+/-3,272
Employed or in Armed Forces	80,292	+/-3,036
Unemployed	3,867	+/-730
Not in labor force	48,072	+/-2,996
Separated:	11,382	+/-1,632
Male:	5,134	+/-949
In labor force:	3,295	+/-858
Employed or in Armed Forces	3,041	+/-830
Unemployed	254	+/-279
Not in labor force	1,839	+/-567
Female:	6,248	+/-1,326
In labor force:	4,137	+/-1,201
Employed or in Armed Forces	3,882	+/-1,175
Unemployed	255	+/-174
Not in labor force	2,111	+/-637
Widowed:	21,293	+/-2,050
Male:	5,558	+/-1,048
In labor force:	1,789	+/-490
Employed or in Armed Forces	1,719	+/-497
Unemployed	70	+/-50
Not in labor force	3,769	+/-976
Female:	15,735	+/-1,634
In labor force:	4,631	+/-1,033
Employed or in Armed Forces	4,384	+/-1,020
Unemployed	247	+/-162
Not in labor force	11,104	+/-1,136
Divorced:	67,141	+/-4,171
Male:	30,744	+/-2,583
In labor force:	22,033	+/-1,978
Employed or in Armed Forces	19,546	+/-1,891
Unemployed	2,487	+/-783
Not in labor force	8,711	+/-1,271
Female:	36,397	+/-2,542
In labor force:	25,078	+/-2,283
Employed or in Armed Forces	22,835	+/-2,117
Unemployed	2,243	+/-822
Not in labor force	11,319	+/-1,223

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.

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.