

INDUSTRY BY SEX AND MEDIAN EARNINGS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS (IN 2016 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS) FOR THE CIVILIAN EMPLOYED POPULATION 16 YEARS AND OVER
2016 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates

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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							
	Median earnings (dollars)		Median earnings (dollars) for male		Median earnings (dollars) for female		Women's earnings as a percentage of men's earning	
	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	41,597	+/-879	49,597	+/-2,047	34,453	+/-2,485	69.5%	+/-5.6
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining:	72,305	+/-12,232	80,935	+/-10,171	61,016	+/-7,308	75.4%	+/-12.9
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	48,246	+/-9,399	49,115	+/-10,561	46,858	+/-20,566	95.4%	+/-43.1
Mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction	101,036	+/-5,873	111,082	+/-20,193	62,130	+/-22,166	55.9%	+/-23.5
Construction	52,635	+/-4,032	55,244	+/-5,661	32,230	+/-11,846	58.3%	+/-23.4
Manufacturing	33,715	+/-5,340	39,393	+/-6,550	22,340	+/-5,487	56.7%	+/-16.0
Wholesale trade	50,604	+/-9,499	53,212	+/-4,103	40,071	+/-17,015	75.3%	+/-31.5
Retail trade	24,659	+/-2,395	27,359	+/-3,576	20,454	+/-2,273	74.8%	+/-11.6
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities:	46,367	+/-5,225	52,117	+/-3,268	36,170	+/-2,718	69.4%	+/-6.7
Transportation and warehousing	41,987	+/-6,323	50,986	+/-3,020	35,194	+/-7,917	69.0%	+/-15.5
Utilities	71,838	+/-14,607	81,472	+/-15,158	49,595	+/-22,956	60.9%	+/-34.2
Information	50,490	+/-6,073	51,622	+/-13,708	45,501	+/-13,975	88.1%	+/-35.9
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing:	45,261	+/-8,540	54,145	+/-9,714	40,632	+/-4,705	75.0%	+/-16.1
Finance and insurance	50,887	+/-10,321	86,166	+/-12,857	40,325	+/-7,848	46.8%	+/-11.8
Real estate and rental and leasing	41,113	+/-3,578	41,140	+/-6,867	41,081	+/-9,342	99.9%	+/-30.8
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services:	51,819	+/-7,572	61,323	+/-5,554	45,170	+/-7,216	73.7%	+/-12.9
Professional, scientific, and technical services	61,951	+/-4,333	75,197	+/-8,640	46,443	+/-7,899	61.8%	+/-12.7
Management of companies and enterprises	86,176	+/-12,904	113,125	+/-11,453	85,485	+/-9,829	75.6%	+/-201.0
Administrative and support and waste management services	41,518	+/-4,609	43,845	+/-5,094	31,839	+/-6,655	72.6%	+/-17.2
Educational services, and health care and social assistance:	42,453	+/-2,393	49,799	+/-6,127	41,050	+/-1,748	82.4%	+/-11.0
Educational services	48,095	+/-3,529	52,702	+/-7,131	45,885	+/-5,486	87.1%	+/-16.3
Health care and social assistance	41,406	+/-1,411	46,631	+/-10,068	40,324	+/-2,970	86.5%	+/-19.2
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services:	21,078	+/-1,412	22,225	+/-2,658	19,685	+/-2,748	88.6%	+/-14.6
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	20,700	+/-9,522	25,959	+/-14,236	16,804	+/-7,547	64.7%	+/-58.4
Accommodation and food services	21,108	+/-1,366	22,010	+/-1,850	20,126	+/-2,786	91.4%	+/-13.6
Other services, except public administration	30,883	+/-1,978	47,615	+/-7,550	24,454	+/-3,474	51.4%	+/-11.3
Public administration	54,983	+/-4,659	63,684	+/-4,481	47,491	+/-4,522	74.6%	+/-9.0

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 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.

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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.

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While the 2016 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.