WORK STATUS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS 2017 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 Technical 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:

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Subject	To	tal	Percent		Male		Percent Male		Female		Percent	Female	
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Erro	
Population 16 to 64 years	490,155	+/-1,772	490,155	+/-1,772	260,737	+/-1,563	260,737	+/-1,563	229,418	+/-1,722	229,418	+/-1,72	
WEEKS WORKED													
Worked 50 to 52 weeks	270,938	+/-5,960	55.3%	+/-1.2	151,782	+/-4,910	58.2%	+/-2.0	119,156	+/-3,450	51.9%	+/-1.	
Worked 48 to 49 weeks	7,457	+/-1,270	1.5%	+/-0.3	3,916	+/-916	1.5%	+/-0.4	3,541	+/-898	1.5%	+/-0.	
Worked 40 to 47 weeks	24,471	+/-2,052	5.0%	+/-0.4	13,185	+/-1,870	5.1%	+/-0.7	11,286	+/-1,518	4.9%	+/-0.	
Worked 27 to 39 weeks	31,386	+/-2,993	6.4%	+/-0.6	16,450	+/-1,993	6.3%	+/-0.8	14,936	+/-2,027	6.5%	+/-0.	
Worked 14 to 26 weeks	24,598	+/-2,553	5.0%	+/-0.5	15,542	+/-1,967	6.0%	+/-0.7	9,056	+/-1,421	3.9%	+/-0.	
Worked 1 to 13 weeks	30,924	+/-2,315	6.3%	+/-0.5	16,186	+/-1,746	6.2%	+/-0.7	14,738	+/-1,776	6.4%	+/-0.	
Did not work	100,381	+/-5,006	20.5%	+/-1.0	43,676	+/-3,760	16.8%	+/-1.4	56,705	+/-3,571	24.7%	+/-1.	
USUAL HOURS WORKED													
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	308,586	+/-5,210	63.0%	+/-1.1	184,804	+/-3,752	70.9%	+/-1.5	123,782	+/-3,200	54.0%	+/-1.	
50 to 52 weeks	238,605	+/-5,652	48.7%	+/-1.2	139,891	+/-4,880	53.7%	+/-2.0	98,714	+/-2,945	43.0%	+/-1.	
48 to 49 weeks	5,553	+/-1,078	1.1%	+/-0.2	3,352	+/-872	1.3%	+/-0.3	2,201	+/-733	1.0%	+/-0	
40 to 47 weeks	16,631	+/-1,864	3.4%	+/-0.4	10,153	+/-1,706	3.9%	+/-0.7	6,478	+/-1,022	2.8%	+/-0	
27 to 39 weeks	19,863	+/-2,167	4.1%	+/-0.4	13,373	+/-1,721	5.1%	+/-0.7	6,490	+/-1,188	2.8%	+/-0	
14 to 26 weeks	13,733	+/-1,870	2.8%	+/-0.4	9,597	+/-1,458	3.7%	+/-0.6	4,136	+/-909	1.8%	+/-0	
1 to 13 weeks	14,201	+/-1,534	2.9%	+/-0.3	8,438	+/-1,335	3.2%	+/-0.5	5,763	+/-1,118	2.5%	+/-0	
Usually worked 15 to 34 hours per week	65,616	+/-3,892	13.4%	+/-0.8	25,667	+/-2,357	9.8%	+/-0.9	39,949	+/-3,094	17.4%	+/-1.	
50 to 52 weeks	27,843	+/-2,533	5.7%	+/-0.5	9,752	+/-1,479	3.7%	+/-0.6	18,091	+/-1,993	7.9%	+/-0.	
48 to 49 weeks	1,780	+/-633	0.4%	+/-0.1	538	+/-256	0.2%	+/-0.1	1,242	+/-578	0.5%	+/-0	
40 to 47 weeks	6,583	+/-1,194	1.3%	+/-0.2	2,606	+/-795	1.0%	+/-0.3	3,977	+/-991	1.7%	+/-0	
27 to 39 weeks	10,024	+/-1,848	2.0%	+/-0.4	2,769	+/-1,057	1.1%	+/-0.4	7,255	+/-1,579	3.2%	+/-0	
14 to 26 weeks	8.204	+/-1,283	1.7%	+/-0.3	4.478	+/-1.063	1.7%	+/-0.4	3.726	+/-962	1.6%	+/-0	
1 to 13 weeks	11.182	+/-1,521	2.3%	+/-0.3	5.524	+/-982	2.1%	+/-0.4	5.658	+/-995	2.5%	+/-0	
Usually worked 1 to 14 hours per week	15,572	+/-1,941	3.2%	+/-0.4	6,590	+/-1,434	2.5%	+/-0.5	8,982	+/-1,344	3.9%	+/-0	
50 to 52 weeks	4,490	+/-1,117	0.9%	+/-0.2	2,139	+/-706	0.8%	+/-0.3	2,351	+/-677	1.0%	+/-0	
48 to 49 weeks	124	+/-124	0.0%	+/-0.1	26	+/-33	0.0%	+/-0.1	98	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0	
40 to 47 weeks	1,257	+/-593	0.3%	+/-0.1	426	+/-313	0.2%	+/-0.1	831	+/-446	0.4%	+/-0	
27 to 39 weeks	1,499	+/-547	0.3%	+/-0.1	308	+/-220	0.1%	+/-0.1	1,191	+/-512	0.5%	+/-0	
14 to 26 weeks	2,661	+/-932	0.5%	+/-0.2	1,467	+/-899	0.6%	+/-0.3	1,194	+/-377	0.5%	+/-0	
1 to 13 weeks	5,541	+/-1,258	1.1%	+/-0.3	2,224	+/-898	0.9%	+/-0.3	3,317	+/-881	1.4%	+/-0	
Did not work	100,381	+/-5,006	20.5%	+/-1.0	43,676	+/-3,760	16.8%	+/-1.4	56,705	+/-3,571	24.7%	+/-1	
Mean usual hours worked for workers	41.4	+/-0.4	(X)	(X)	44.8	+/-0.6	(X)	(X)	37.0	+/-0.5	(X)	C	
Median age of workers 16 to 64 years	38.4	+/-0.4	(X)	(X)	38.1	+/-0.5	(X)	(X)	38.9	+/-0.5	(X)	()	
Workers 16 to 64 years who worked full-time, year-round	238,605	+/-5,652	61.2%	+/-1.3	139,891	+/-4,880	64.4%	+/-1.8	98,714	+/-2,945	57.2%	+/-1.	

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2017 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.

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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 2017 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the July 2015 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) delineations 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 delineations due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

Estimates of urban and rural populations, 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.