

GEOGRAPHICAL MOBILITY IN THE PAST YEAR BY AGE FOR CURRENT RESIDENCE IN THE UNITED STATES
Universe: Population 1 year and over in the United States
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.

This table provides geographical mobility for persons relative to their residence at the time they were surveyed. The characteristics crossed by geographical mobility reflect the current survey year.

The number of people moving out of Alaska to a different state has been overestimated in previous years due to collection issues. See [Errata Notes](#) for details.

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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		Estimate	Margin of Error
	Total:	730,874	+/-1,438
	1 to 4 years	43,998	+/-1,487
	5 to 17 years	132,262	+/-851
	18 and 19 years	18,733	+/-1,883
	20 to 24 years	54,320	+/-2,689
	25 to 29 years	62,707	+/-1,693
	30 to 34 years	55,442	+/-2,089
	35 to 39 years	55,766	+/-3,200
	40 to 44 years	41,358	+/-3,102
	45 to 49 years	41,908	+/-1,284
	50 to 54 years	47,144	+/-1,878
	55 to 59 years	49,003	+/-2,184
	60 to 64 years	45,192	+/-2,156
	65 to 69 years	34,504	+/-2,115
	70 to 74 years	22,334	+/-1,856
	75 years and over	26,203	+/-900
	Same house 1 year ago:	595,804	+/-9,147
	1 to 4 years	32,365	+/-2,026
	5 to 17 years	110,800	+/-3,298
	18 and 19 years	13,666	+/-1,409
	20 to 24 years	35,434	+/-2,579
	25 to 29 years	41,467	+/-2,602
	30 to 34 years	40,213	+/-2,443
	35 to 39 years	43,438	+/-2,951
	40 to 44 years	35,259	+/-2,952
	45 to 49 years	36,371	+/-1,655
	50 to 54 years	41,539	+/-1,850
	55 to 59 years	45,076	+/-2,124
	60 to 64 years	41,435	+/-2,176
	65 to 69 years	32,515	+/-2,151
	70 to 74 years	21,264	+/-1,783
	75 years and over	24,962	+/-918
	Moved within same county:	81,244	+/-8,051
	1 to 4 years	6,513	+/-1,398
	5 to 17 years	14,705	+/-2,918
	18 and 19 years	2,478	+/-1,037
	20 to 24 years	10,300	+/-1,969
	25 to 29 years	13,678	+/-2,309
	30 to 34 years	9,147	+/-1,601
	35 to 39 years	7,823	+/-2,012
	40 to 44 years	4,133	+/-1,345
	45 to 49 years	3,182	+/-1,070
	50 to 54 years	2,826	+/-858
	55 to 59 years	2,030	+/-653
	60 to 64 years	1,962	+/-768
	65 to 69 years	1,170	+/-630
	70 to 74 years	807	+/-497
	75 years and over	490	+/-368
	Moved from different county within same state:	16,924	+/-2,747
	1 to 4 years	1,797	+/-843

	Alaska	
	Estimate	Margin of Error
5 to 17 years	2,042	+/-682
18 and 19 years	1,183	+/-498
20 to 24 years	2,153	+/-860
25 to 29 years	2,558	+/-970
30 to 34 years	1,278	+/-516
35 to 39 years	1,048	+/-432
40 to 44 years	452	+/-218
45 to 49 years	802	+/-447
50 to 54 years	1,343	+/-853
55 to 59 years	515	+/-339
60 to 64 years	721	+/-534
65 to 69 years	482	+/-368
70 to 74 years	203	+/-120
75 years and over	347	+/-308
Moved from different state:	30,199	+/-4,584
1 to 4 years	2,779	+/-1,227
5 to 17 years	3,490	+/-1,397
18 and 19 years	1,300	+/-629
20 to 24 years	5,433	+/-1,530
25 to 29 years	3,937	+/-1,030
30 to 34 years	4,060	+/-1,089
35 to 39 years	2,433	+/-964
40 to 44 years	1,387	+/-679
45 to 49 years	1,444	+/-651
50 to 54 years	1,390	+/-680
55 to 59 years	951	+/-403
60 to 64 years	842	+/-575
65 to 69 years	289	+/-235
70 to 74 years	60	+/-84
75 years and over	404	+/-289
Moved from abroad:	6,703	+/-2,197
1 to 4 years	544	+/-410
5 to 17 years	1,225	+/-732
18 and 19 years	106	+/-128
20 to 24 years	1,000	+/-783
25 to 29 years	1,067	+/-574
30 to 34 years	744	+/-521
35 to 39 years	1,024	+/-598
40 to 44 years	127	+/-158
45 to 49 years	109	+/-177
50 to 54 years	46	+/-55
55 to 59 years	431	+/-464
60 to 64 years	232	+/-277
65 to 69 years	48	+/-81
70 to 74 years	0	+/-153
75 years and over	0	+/-153

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.

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 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.