POVERTY STATUS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS OF FAMILIES BY FAMILY TYPE BY SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME BY SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME (SSI) AND CASH PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME

Universe: Families

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

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

Versions of this table are available for the following vears:

	Alaska	
	Estimate	Margin of Erro
Total:	167,401	+/-3,753
Income in the past 12 months below poverty level:	12,388	+/-1,464
Married-couple family:	5,212	+/-876
With Social Security income in the past 12 months:	1,100	+/-384
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	303	+/-166
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	797	+/-359
Without Social Security income in the past 12 months:	4,112	+/-908
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	1,283	+/-55
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	2,829	+/-75
Other family:	7,176	+/-1,23
Male householder, no wife present:	2,056	+/-67
With Social Security income in the past 12 months:	131	+/-7
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	48	+/-4
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	83	+/-5
Without Social Security income in the past 12 months:	1,925	+/-66
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	167	+/-8
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	1,758	+/-66
Female householder, no husband present:	5,120	+/-1,12
With Social Security income in the past 12 months:	610	+/-27
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	268	+/-19
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	342	+/-18
Without Social Security income in the past 12 months:	4,510	+/-1,07
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	765	+/-33
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	3,745	+/-1.03
Income in the past 12 months at or above poverty level:	155,013	+/-3,91
Married-couple family:	118,613	+/-4,05
With Social Security income in the past 12 months:	25,845	+/-1,68
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	2,732	+/-90
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	23,113	+/-1,63
Without Social Security income in the past 12 months:	92,768	+/-3,80
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	3,442	+/-89
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	89,326	+/-3,67
Other family:	36,400	+/-2.54
Male householder, no wife present:	12,946	+/-1,68
With Social Security income in the past 12 months:	3,332	+/-88
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	799	+/-34
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	2.533	+/-77
Without Social Security income in the past 12 months:	9,614	+/-1,32
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	695	+/-44
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	8,919	+/-1,33
Female householder, no husband present:	23,454	+/-2,07
With Social Security income in the past 12 months:	5,148	+/-98
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	1,204	+/-34
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	3,944	+/-95
Without Social Security income in the past 12 months:	18,306	+/-95
With SSI and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	2,528	+/-2,10
Without SSI or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	15,778	+/-90

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 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 ÁCS 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.