

Ames city, Iowa

PROFILE OF SELECTED SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS

2005-2007 American Community Survey 3-Year Estimates

Selected Social Characteristics	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	20,106	+/-536	100%	(X)
Family households (families)	9,839	+/-537	48.90%	+/-2.5
With own children under 18 years	4,187	+/-370	20.80%	+/-1.8
Married-couple family	8,118	+/-450	40.40%	+/-2.2
With own children under 18 years	3,312	+/-341	16.50%	+/-1.7
Male householder, no wife present, family	466	+/-259	2.30%	+/-1.3
With own children under 18 years	343	+/-254	1.70%	+/-1.3
Female householder, no husband present, family	1,255	+/-251	6.20%	+/-1.2
With own children under 18 years	532	+/-182	2.60%	+/-0.9
Nonfamily households	10,267	+/-610	51.10%	+/-2.5
Householder living alone	6,346	+/-532	31.60%	+/-2.7
65 years and over	1,006	+/-207	5.00%	+/-1.0
Households with one or more people under 18 years	4,381	+/-400	21.80%	+/-1.9
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	2,755	+/-212	13.70%	+/-1.1
Average household size	2.33	+/-0.06	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.83	+/-0.09	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	46,863	+/-853	100%	(X)
Householder	20,106	+/-536	42.90%	+/-1.1
Spouse	8,161	+/-423	17.40%	+/-0.8
Child	8,775	+/-625	18.70%	+/-1.2
Other relatives	1,037	+/-365	2.20%	+/-0.8
Nonrelatives	8,784	+/-725	18.70%	+/-1.5
Unmarried partner	1,038	+/-336	2.20%	+/-0.7
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	25,400	+/-393	100%	(X)
Never married	15,507	+/-596	61.10%	+/-1.9
Now married, except separated	8,517	+/-508	33.50%	+/-2.0
Separated	228	+/-226	0.90%	+/-0.9
Widowed	178	+/-94	0.70%	+/-0.4
Divorced	970	+/-273	3.80%	+/-1.1
Females 15 years and over	22,341	+/-407	100%	(X)
Never married	11,116	+/-502	49.80%	+/-2.0
Now married, except separated	8,770	+/-434	39.30%	+/-1.9
Separated	140	+/-87	0.60%	+/-0.4
Widowed	807	+/-193	3.60%	+/-0.9
Divorced	1,508	+/-301	6.70%	+/-1.3
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	722	+/-253	100%	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	43	+/-47	6.00%	+/-6.4
Per 1,000 unmarried women	4	+/-4	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	43	+/-15	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	18	+/-21	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	60	+/-23	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	10	+/-12	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	N	N	N	(X)

Responsible for grandchildren	N	N	N	N
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	N	N	N	N
1 or 2 years	N	N	N	N
3 or 4 years	N	N	N	N
5 or more years	N	N	N	N
Characteristics of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years				
Who are female	N	N	N	(X)
Who are married	N	N	N	(X)
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	27,733	+/-973	100%	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	734	+/-197	2.60%	+/-0.7
Kindergarten	366	+/-169	1.30%	+/-0.6
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	2,605	+/-281	9.40%	+/-0.9
High school (grades 9-12)	1,630	+/-270	5.90%	+/-1.0
College or graduate school	22,398	+/-847	80.80%	+/-1.2
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	25,749	+/-520	100%	(X)
Less than 9th grade	131	+/-124	0.50%	+/-0.5
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	648	+/-213	2.50%	+/-0.8
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	3,245	+/-558	12.60%	+/-2.2
Some college, no degree	4,406	+/-599	17.10%	+/-2.3
Associate's degree	1,665	+/-320	6.50%	+/-1.2
Bachelor's degree	8,653	+/-752	33.60%	+/-2.7
Graduate or professional degree	7,001	+/-644	27.20%	+/-2.5
Percent high school graduate or higher	97	+/-1.0	(X)	(X)
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	60.8	+/-2.8	(X)	(X)
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	46,591	+/-566	100%	(X)
Civilian veterans	2,943	+/-358	100%	(X)
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Population 5 years and over	51,145	+/-749	100%	(X)
With a disability	3,666	+/-557	7.20%	+/-1.1
Population 5 to 15 years	3,828	+/-334	100%	(X)
With a disability	189	+/-128	4.90%	+/-3.2
Population 16 to 64 years	43,136	+/-595	100%	(X)
With a disability	2,314	+/-487	5.40%	+/-1.1
Population 65 years and over	4,181	+/-285	100%	(X)
With a disability	1,163	+/-244	27.80%	+/-6.1
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	53,514	+/-829	100%	(X)
Same house	30,978	+/-1,339	57.90%	+/-2.4
Different house in the U.S.	21,561	+/-1,312	40.30%	+/-2.4
Same county	11,625	+/-1,335	21.70%	+/-2.5
Different county	9,936	+/-1,087	18.60%	+/-2.0
Same state	5,826	+/-747	10.90%	+/-1.4
Different state	4,110	+/-860	7.70%	+/-1.6
Abroad	975	+/-378	1.80%	+/-0.7
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	54,181	+/-821	100%	(X)
Native	47,600	+/-982	87.90%	+/-1.1
Born in United States	47,501	+/-982	87.70%	+/-1.1
State of residence	29,630	+/-1,200	54.70%	+/-2.0
Different state	17,871	+/-1,047	33.00%	+/-1.9

Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	99	+/-75	0.20%	+/-0.1
Foreign born	6,581	+/-610	12.10%	+/-1.1
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	6,581	+/-610	100%	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	977	+/-249	14.80%	+/-3.7
Not a U.S. citizen	5,604	+/-609	85.20%	+/-3.7
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	6,680	+/-602	100%	(X)
Native	99	+/-75	100%	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	0	+/-127	0.00%	+/-30.5
Entered before 2000	99	+/-75	100.00%	+/-30.5
Foreign born	6,581	+/-610	100%	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	4,549	+/-609	69.10%	+/-5.2
Entered before 2000	2,032	+/-346	30.90%	+/-5.2
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	N	N	N	(X)
Europe	N	N	N	N
Asia	N	N	N	N
Africa	N	N	N	N
Oceania	N	N	N	N
Latin America	N	N	N	N
Northern America	N	N	N	N
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	51,307	+/-732	100%	(X)
English only	44,654	+/-1,009	87.00%	+/-1.3
Language other than English	6,653	+/-673	13.00%	+/-1.3
Speak English less than "very well"	2,728	+/-480	5.30%	+/-0.9
Spanish	808	+/-269	1.60%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	283	+/-146	0.60%	+/-0.3
Other Indo-European languages	1,796	+/-550	3.50%	+/-1.1
Speak English less than "very well"	392	+/-210	0.80%	+/-0.4
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	3,543	+/-388	6.90%	+/-0.8
Speak English less than "very well"	1,967	+/-424	3.80%	+/-0.8
Other languages	506	+/-288	1.00%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	86	+/-120	0.20%	+/-0.2
ANCESTRY				
Total population	54,181	+/-821	100%	(X)
American	1,175	+/-304	2.20%	+/-0.6
Arab	262	+/-201	0.50%	+/-0.4
Czech	772	+/-315	1.40%	+/-0.6
Danish	1,697	+/-437	3.10%	+/-0.8
Dutch	1,929	+/-522	3.60%	+/-1.0
English	6,102	+/-866	11.30%	+/-1.6
French (except Basque)	1,782	+/-457	3.30%	+/-0.8
French Canadian	76	+/-64	0.10%	+/-0.1
German	20,031	+/-1,053	37.00%	+/-1.9
Greek	216	+/-203	0.40%	+/-0.4
Hungarian	114	+/-86	0.20%	+/-0.2
Irish	6,830	+/-924	12.60%	+/-1.7
Italian	1,482	+/-459	2.70%	+/-0.8
Lithuanian	18	+/-30	0.00%	+/-0.1
Norwegian	4,183	+/-506	7.70%	+/-1.0
Polish	1,332	+/-425	2.50%	+/-0.8
Portuguese	78	+/-75	0.10%	+/-0.1
Russian	505	+/-218	0.90%	+/-0.4
Scotch-Irish	1,039	+/-328	1.90%	+/-0.6
Scottish	1,194	+/-309	2.20%	+/-0.6
Slovak	18	+/-30	0.00%	+/-0.1

Subsaharan African	734	+/-380	1.40%	+/-0.7
Swedish	2,881	+/-631	5.30%	+/-1.2
Swiss	375	+/-130	0.70%	+/-0.2
Ukrainian	109	+/-94	0.20%	+/-0.2
Welsh	401	+/-204	0.70%	+/-0.4
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	0	+/-127	0.00%	+/-0.1

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EMPLOYMENT STATUS				
Population 16 years and over	47,479	+/-554	100%	(X)
In labor force	33,117	+/-858	69.80%	+/-1.8
Civilian labor force	33,023	+/-866	69.60%	+/-1.8
Employed	31,192	+/-890	65.70%	+/-1.8
Unemployed	1,831	+/-409	3.90%	+/-0.9
Armed Forces	94	+/-111	0.20%	+/-0.2
Not in labor force	14,362	+/-886	30.20%	+/-1.8
Civilian labor force	33,023	+/-866	100%	(X)
Unemployed	5.5	+/-1.2	(X)	(X)
Females 16 years and over	22,246	+/-411	100%	(X)
In labor force	14,954	+/-596	67.20%	+/-2.6
Civilian labor force	14,887	+/-603	66.90%	+/-2.6
Employed	13,960	+/-615	62.80%	+/-2.5
Own children under 6 years	3,269	+/-301	100%	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	2,034	+/-365	62.20%	+/-9.0
Own children 6 to 17 years	4,104	+/-306	100%	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	2,647	+/-383	64.50%	+/-8.0
COMMUTING TO WORK				
Workers 16 years and over	30,210	+/-852	100%	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	20,980	+/-943	69.40%	+/-3.1
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	1,980	+/-510	6.60%	+/-1.6
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	2,781	+/-547	9.20%	+/-1.7
Walked	3,182	+/-610	10.50%	+/-2.0
Other means	749	+/-247	2.50%	+/-0.8
Worked at home	538	+/-196	1.80%	+/-0.6
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	14.5	+/-0.7	(X)	(X)
OCCUPATION				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	31,192	+/-890	100%	(X)
Management, professional, and related occupations	14,985	+/-978	48.00%	+/-2.7
Service occupations	5,462	+/-688	17.50%	+/-2.2
Sales and office occupations	6,622	+/-721	21.20%	+/-2.2
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	176	+/-140	0.60%	+/-0.4
Construction, extraction, maintenance and repair occupations	1,394	+/-309	4.50%	+/-1.0
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	2,553	+/-484	8.20%	+/-1.5
INDUSTRY				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	31,192	+/-890	100%	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	368	+/-179	1.20%	+/-0.6
Construction	1,269	+/-347	4.10%	+/-1.1
Manufacturing	2,247	+/-443	7.20%	+/-1.4

Wholesale trade	560	+/-262	1.80%	+/-0.8
Retail trade	3,478	+/-521	11.20%	+/-1.7
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	685	+/-231	2.20%	+/-0.7
Information	440	+/-159	1.40%	+/-0.5
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	1,289	+/-358	4.10%	+/-1.1
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	2,135	+/-412	6.80%	+/-1.3
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	12,933	+/-990	41.50%	+/-2.7
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation, and food services	3,766	+/-562	12.10%	+/-1.9
Other services, except public administration	820	+/-258	2.60%	+/-0.8
Public administration	1,202	+/-263	3.90%	+/-0.8
CLASS OF WORKER				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	31,192	+/-890	100%	(X)
Private wage and salary workers	19,022	+/-836	61.00%	+/-2.4
Government workers	11,071	+/-870	35.50%	+/-2.4
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	1,070	+/-265	3.40%	+/-0.8
Unpaid family workers	29	+/-35	0.10%	+/-0.1
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2007 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)				
Total households	20,106	+/-536	100%	(X)
Less than \$10,000	2,161	+/-460	10.70%	+/-2.3
\$10,000 to \$14,999	1,452	+/-333	7.20%	+/-1.6
\$15,000 to \$24,999	2,813	+/-497	14.00%	+/-2.4
\$25,000 to \$34,999	2,598	+/-542	12.90%	+/-2.6
\$35,000 to \$49,999	2,749	+/-492	13.70%	+/-2.5
\$50,000 to \$74,999	3,120	+/-442	15.50%	+/-2.2
\$75,000 to \$99,999	2,192	+/-338	10.90%	+/-1.7
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1,861	+/-238	9.30%	+/-1.2
\$150,000 to \$199,999	693	+/-207	3.40%	+/-1.0
\$200,000 or more	467	+/-161	2.30%	+/-0.8
Median household income (dollars)	40,220	+/-2,290	(X)	(X)
Mean household income (dollars)	57,168	+/-2,611	(X)	(X)
With earnings				
Mean earnings (dollars)	17,554	+/-594	87.30%	+/-1.8
With Social Security	53,398	+/-2,507	(X)	(X)
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	3,060	+/-257	15.20%	+/-1.3
With retirement income	17,682	+/-1,118	(X)	(X)
Mean retirement income (dollars)	2,225	+/-301	11.10%	+/-1.5
With Supplemental Security Income				
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	28,448	+/-4,040	(X)	(X)
With cash public assistance income				
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	314	+/-200	1.60%	+/-1.0
With Food Stamp benefits in the past 12 months	6,155	+/-1,446	(X)	(X)
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	235	+/-152	1.20%	+/-0.8
With Food Stamp benefits in the past 12 months	1,495	+/-707	(X)	(X)
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	661	+/-215	3.30%	+/-1.1
Families				
Families	9,839	+/-537	100%	(X)
Less than \$10,000	223	+/-92	2.30%	+/-0.9
\$10,000 to \$14,999	327	+/-146	3.30%	+/-1.5
\$15,000 to \$24,999	838	+/-297	8.50%	+/-2.8
\$25,000 to \$34,999	966	+/-298	9.80%	+/-2.8
\$35,000 to \$49,999	1,118	+/-258	11.40%	+/-2.6
\$50,000 to \$74,999	1,966	+/-333	20.00%	+/-3.2
\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,722	+/-281	17.50%	+/-2.9
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1,676	+/-235	17.00%	+/-2.2
\$150,000 to \$199,999	604	+/-186	6.10%	+/-2.0
\$200,000 or more	399	+/-149	4.10%	+/-1.5
Median family income (dollars)	69,707	+/-4,702	(X)	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	82,611	+/-5,512	(X)	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)				
Per capita income (dollars)	22,657	+/-994	(X)	(X)
Nonfamily households				
Nonfamily households	10,267	+/-610	100%	(X)
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	25,165	+/-2,584	(X)	(X)

Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	32,364	+ /-2,561	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	12,625	+ /-1,153	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	44,855	+ /-4,072	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	33,287	+ /-2,053	(X)	(X)
PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY				
All families	7.1	+ /-2.0	(X)	(X)
With related children under 18 years	11.7	+ /-3.8	(X)	(X)
With related children under 5 years only	9.5	+ /-5.6	(X)	(X)
Married couple families	4.3	+ /-2.0	(X)	(X)
With related children under 18 years	7.7	+ /-4.3	(X)	(X)
With related children under 5 years only	2.9	+ /-3.5	(X)	(X)
Families with female householder, no husband present	22.5	+ /-9.6	(X)	(X)
With related children under 18 years	31.7	+ /-15.6	(X)	(X)
With related children under 5 years only	43.2	+ /-31.7	(X)	(X)
All people	24.5	+ /-2.2	(X)	(X)
Under 18 years	11.5	+ /-4.1	(X)	(X)
Related children under 18 years	11.3	+ /-4.0	(X)	(X)
Related children under 5 years	9.4	+ /-4.0	(X)	(X)
Related children 5 to 17 years	12.4	+ /-5.7	(X)	(X)
18 years and over	27	+ /-2.3	(X)	(X)
18 to 64 years	29.9	+ /-2.5	(X)	(X)
65 years and over	2.9	+ /-1.7	(X)	(X)
People in families	7.9	+ /-2.2	(X)	(X)
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	48.8	+ /-3.8	(X)	(X)

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HOUSING OCCUPANCY				
Total housing units	21,840	+ /-314	100%	(X)
Occupied housing units	20,106	+ /-536	92.10%	+/-2.2
Vacant housing units	1,734	+ /-489	7.90%	+/-2.2
Homeowner vacancy rate	2.3	+ /-1.4	(X)	(X)
Rental vacancy rate	6.6	+ /-3.1	(X)	(X)
UNITS IN STRUCTURE				
Total housing units	21,840	+ /-314	100%	(X)
1-unit, detached	9,187	+ /-467	42.10%	+/-2.1
1-unit, attached	1,566	+ /-332	7.20%	+/-1.5
2 units	867	+ /-252	4.00%	+/-1.2
3 or 4 units	1,349	+ /-370	6.20%	+/-1.7
5 to 9 units	1,835	+ /-297	8.40%	+/-1.4
10 to 19 units	3,125	+ /-436	14.30%	+/-2.0
20 or more units	3,346	+ /-472	15.30%	+/-2.1
Mobile home	565	+ /-152	2.60%	+/-0.7
Boat, RV, van, etc.	0	+ /-127	0.00%	+/-0.2
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT				
Total housing units	21,840	+ /-314	100%	(X)
Built 2005 or later	912	+ /-249	4.20%	+/-1.1
Built 2000 to 2004	3,416	+ /-509	15.60%	+/-2.3
Built 1990 to 1999	4,311	+ /-574	19.70%	+/-2.5
Built 1980 to 1989	2,283	+ /-463	10.50%	+/-2.1
Built 1970 to 1979	3,214	+ /-344	14.70%	+/-1.6

Built 1960 to 1969	2,413	+/-393	11.00%	+/-1.8
Built 1950 to 1959	1,986	+/-323	9.10%	+/-1.5
Built 1940 to 1949	870	+/-273	4.00%	+/-1.2
Built 1939 or earlier	2,435	+/-271	11.10%	+/-1.3
ROOMS				
Total housing units	21,840	+/-314	100%	(X)
1 room	257	+/-121	1.20%	+/-0.6
2 rooms	1,667	+/-429	7.60%	+/-1.9
3 rooms	2,865	+/-559	13.10%	+/-2.6
4 rooms	4,775	+/-660	21.90%	+/-3.0
5 rooms	3,506	+/-481	16.10%	+/-2.2
6 rooms	2,788	+/-454	12.80%	+/-2.1
7 rooms	2,252	+/-381	10.30%	+/-1.8
8 rooms	1,595	+/-275	7.30%	+/-1.3
9 rooms or more	2,135	+/-398	9.80%	+/-1.8
Median (rooms)	4.9	+/-0.2	(X)	(X)
BEDROOMS				
Total housing units	21,840	+/-314	100%	(X)
No bedroom	257	+/-121	1.20%	+/-0.6
1 bedroom	3,538	+/-581	16.20%	+/-2.6
2 bedrooms	7,008	+/-616	32.10%	+/-2.8
3 bedrooms	6,920	+/-577	31.70%	+/-2.6
4 bedrooms	3,257	+/-388	14.90%	+/-1.8
5 or more bedrooms	860	+/-229	3.90%	+/-1.0
HOUSING TENURE				
Occupied housing units	20,106	+/-536	100%	(X)
Owner-occupied	9,277	+/-398	46.10%	+/-2.1
Renter-occupied	10,829	+/-592	53.90%	+/-2.1
Average household size of owner-occupied unit	2.41	+/-0.07	(X)	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	2.26	+/-0.10	(X)	(X)
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT				
Occupied housing units	20,106	+/-536	100%	(X)
Moved in 2005 or later	7,820	+/-599	38.90%	+/-2.7
Moved in 2000 to 2004	6,242	+/-627	31.00%	+/-2.9
Moved in 1990 to 1999	3,257	+/-389	16.20%	+/-1.9
Moved in 1980 to 1989	1,356	+/-256	6.70%	+/-1.3
Moved in 1970 to 1979	670	+/-158	3.30%	+/-0.8
Moved in 1969 or earlier	761	+/-166	3.80%	+/-0.8
VEHICLES AVAILABLE				
Occupied housing units	20,106	+/-536	100%	(X)
No vehicles available	917	+/-231	4.60%	+/-1.2
1 vehicle available	7,268	+/-648	36.10%	+/-3.1
2 vehicles available	8,391	+/-637	41.70%	+/-2.9
3 or more vehicles available	3,530	+/-542	17.60%	+/-2.6
HOUSE HEATING FUEL				
Occupied housing units	20,106	+/-536	100%	(X)
Utility gas	N	N	N	N
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	N	N	N	N
Electricity	N	N	N	N
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	N	N	N	N
Coal or coke	N	N	N	N
Wood	N	N	N	N
Solar energy	N	N	N	N
Other fuel	N	N	N	N
No fuel used	N	N	N	N
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS				
Occupied housing units	20,106	+/-536	100%	(X)

Lacking complete plumbing facilities	94	+/-95	0.50%	+/-0.5
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	108	+/-92	0.50%	+/-0.5
No telephone service available	1,314	+/-263	6.50%	+/-1.3
OCCUPANTS PER ROOM				
Occupied housing units	20,106	+/-536	100%	(X)
1.00 or less	19,701	+/-582	98.00%	+/-1.1
1.01 to 1.50	370	+/-215	1.80%	+/-1.1
1.51 or more	35	+/-32	0.20%	+/-0.2
VALUE				
Owner-occupied units	9,277	+/-398	100%	(X)
Less than \$50,000	564	+/-144	6.10%	+/-1.5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	426	+/-154	4.60%	+/-1.6
\$100,000 to \$149,999	2,875	+/-388	31.00%	+/-3.8
\$150,000 to \$199,999	2,661	+/-302	28.70%	+/-3.2
\$200,000 to \$299,999	2,009	+/-272	21.70%	+/-2.9
\$300,000 to \$499,999	678	+/-168	7.30%	+/-1.8
\$500,000 to \$999,999	64	+/-55	0.70%	+/-0.6
\$1,000,000 or more	0	+/-127	0.00%	+/-0.4
Median (dollars)	164,300	+/-5,788	(X)	(X)
MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS				
Owner-occupied units	9,277	+/-398	100%	(X)
Housing units with a mortgage	6,180	+/-412	100%	(X)
Less than \$300	0	+/-127	0.00%	+/-0.4
\$300 to \$499	33	+/-39	0.40%	+/-0.4
\$500 to \$699	177	+/-95	1.90%	+/-1.0
\$700 to \$999	1,197	+/-291	12.90%	+/-2.9
\$1,000 to \$1,499	2,354	+/-263	25.40%	+/-2.9
\$1,500 to \$1,999	1,539	+/-288	16.60%	+/-3.1
\$2,000 or more	880	+/-214	9.50%	+/-2.2
Median (dollars)	1,353	+/-50	(X)	(X)
Housing units without a mortgage	3,097	+/-364	100%	(X)
Less than \$100	30	+/-36	0.30%	+/-0.4
\$100 to \$199	113	+/-65	1.20%	+/-0.7
\$200 to \$299	320	+/-134	3.40%	+/-1.5
\$300 to \$399	729	+/-165	7.90%	+/-1.7
\$400 or more	1,905	+/-291	20.50%	+/-2.9
Median (dollars)	441	+/-18	(X)	(X)
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME				
Owner-occupied units	9,277	+/-398	100%	(X)
Housing unit with a mortgage	6,180	+/-412	100%	(X)
Less than 20.0 percent	2,722	+/-356	29.30%	+/-3.8
20.0 to 24.9 percent	1,377	+/-229	14.80%	+/-2.4
25.0 to 29.9 percent	801	+/-209	8.60%	+/-2.2
30.0 to 34.9 percent	449	+/-174	4.80%	+/-1.8
35.0 percent or more	831	+/-230	9.00%	+/-2.5
Not computed	0	+/-127	100%	(X)
Housing unit without a mortgage	3,097	+/-364	100%	(X)
Less than 10.0 percent	1,760	+/-272	19.00%	+/-2.9
10.0 to 14.9 percent	488	+/-147	5.30%	+/-1.5
15.0 to 19.9 percent	232	+/-120	2.50%	+/-1.3
20.0 to 24.9 percent	173	+/-89	1.90%	+/-1.0
25.0 to 29.9 percent	91	+/-74	1.00%	+/-0.8
30.0 to 34.9 percent	70	+/-64	0.80%	+/-0.7
35.0 percent or more	283	+/-122	3.10%	+/-1.3
Not computed	0	+/-127	100%	(X)
GROSS RENT				
Renter-occupied units	10,829	+/-592	100%	(X)
Less than \$200	143	+/-77	1.30%	+/-0.7
\$200 to \$299	49	+/-65	0.50%	+/-0.6
\$300 to \$499	845	+/-231	7.80%	+/-2.1

\$500 to \$749	5,113	+/-548	47.20%	+/-4.7
\$750 to \$999	2,608	+/-533	24.10%	+/-4.5
\$1,000 to \$1,499	1,583	+/-298	14.60%	+/-2.6
\$1,500 or more	235	+/-135	2.20%	+/-1.2
No cash rent	253	+/-160	100%	(X)
Median (dollars)	703	+/-22	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME				
Renter-occupied units	10,829	+/-592	100%	(X)
Less than 15.0 percent	911	+/-293	8.40%	+/-2.7
15.0 to 19.9 percent	905	+/-248	8.40%	+/-2.3
20.0 to 24.9 percent	1,172	+/-306	10.80%	+/-2.7
25.0 to 29.9 percent	1,503	+/-387	13.90%	+/-3.4
30.0 to 34.9 percent	867	+/-269	8.00%	+/-2.4
35.0 percent or more	4,992	+/-529	46.10%	+/-4.2
Not computed	479	+/-242	100%	(X)

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PROFILE OF GENERAL DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS

2005-2007 American Community Survey 3-Year Estimates

General Demographic Characteristics	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Margin of Error
SEX AND AGE				
Total population	54,181	+/-821	100%	(X)
Male	28,646	+/-461	52.90%	+/-0.7
Female	25,535	+/-615	47.10%	+/-0.7
Under 5 years	2,874	+/-280	5.30%	+/-0.5
5 to 9 years	1,790	+/-294	3.30%	+/-0.5
10 to 14 years	1,776	+/-239	3.30%	+/-0.4
15 to 19 years	7,436	+/-559	13.70%	+/-1.0
20 to 24 years	14,556	+/-667	26.90%	+/-1.2
25 to 34 years	9,135	+/-544	16.90%	+/-1.0
35 to 44 years	4,364	+/-409	8.10%	+/-0.8
45 to 54 years	4,459	+/-370	8.20%	+/-0.7
55 to 59 years	2,343	+/-283	4.30%	+/-0.5
60 to 64 years	1,199	+/-258	2.20%	+/-0.5
65 to 74 years	2,198	+/-246	4.10%	+/-0.5
75 to 84 years	1,476	+/-218	2.70%	+/-0.4
85 years and over	575	+/-188	1.10%	+/-0.3
Median age (years)	23.9	+/-0.4	(X)	(X)
18 years and over	46,685	+/-543	86.20%	+/-0.6
21 years and over	36,759	+/-869	67.80%	+/-1.3
62 years and over	4,915	+/-369	9.10%	+/-0.7
65 years and over	4,249	+/-288	7.80%	+/-0.5
18 years and over	46,685	+/-543	100%	(X)
Male	24,839	+/-367	45.80%	+/-0.7
Female	21,846	+/-398	40.30%	+/-0.5
65 years and over	4,249	+/-288	100%	(X)
Male	1,808	+/-149	3.30%	+/-0.3
Female	2,441	+/-211	4.50%	+/-0.4
RACE				
Total population	54,181	+/-821	100%	(X)
One race	53,664	+/-833	100%	(X)
Two or more races	517	+/-245	100%	(X)

One race	53,664	+ /-833	99.00%	+/-0.5
White	46,568	+ /-881	86.80%	+/-0.6
Black or African American	1,584	+ /-224	3.00%	+/-0.4
American Indian and Alaska Native	34	+ /-53	0.10%	+/-0.1
Cherokee tribal grouping	N	N	N	N
Chippewa tribal grouping	N	N	N	N
Navajo tribal grouping	N	N	N	N
Sioux tribal grouping	N	N	N	N
Asian	5,039	+ /-153	9.40%	+/-0.3
Asian Indian	940	+ /-403	18.70%	+/-8.1
Chinese	2,040	+ /-398	40.50%	+/-7.7
Filipino	118	+ /-123	2.30%	+/-2.4
Japanese	65	+ /-77	1.30%	+/-1.5
Korean	1,252	+ /-460	24.80%	+/-9.1
Vietnamese	284	+ /-196	5.60%	+/-3.9
Other Asian	340	+ /-212	6.70%	+/-4.2
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0	+ /-127	0.00%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian	N	N	N	N
Guamanian or Chamorro	N	N	N	N
Samoan	N	N	N	N
Other Pacific Islander	N	N	N	N
Some other race	439	+ /-273	0.80%	+/-0.5
Two or more races	517	+ /-245	1.00%	+/-0.5
White and Black or African American	202	+ /-153	39.10%	+/-19.2
White and American Indian and Alaska Native	73	+ /-88	14.10%	+/-14.5
White and Asian	107	+ /-88	20.70%	+/-16.0
Black or African American and American Indian and Alaska Native	0	+ /-127	0.00%	+/-7.0
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races				
Total population	54,181	+ /-821	100%	(X)
White	47,018	+ /-897	86.80%	+/-0.6
Black or African American	1,853	+ /-199	3.40%	+/-0.4
American Indian and Alaska Native	143	+ /-127	0.30%	+/-0.2
Asian	5,146	+ /-128	9.50%	+/-0.3
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	N	N	N	N
Some other race	538	+ /-283	1.00%	+/-0.5
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE				
Total population	54,181	+ /-821	100%	(X)
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	1,082	+ /-265	2.00%	+/-0.5
Mexican	N	N	N	N
Puerto Rican	N	N	N	N
Cuban	N	N	N	N
Other Hispanic or Latino	N	N	N	N
Not Hispanic or Latino	N	N	N	N
White alone	45,746	+ /-861	84.40%	+/-0.7
Black or African American alone	1,572	+ /-223	2.90%	+/-0.4
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	34	+ /-53	0.10%	+/-0.1
Asian alone	5,020	+ /-145	9.30%	+/-0.3
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0	+ /-127	0.00%	+/-0.1
Some other race alone	261	+ /-238	0.50%	+/-0.4
Two or more races	466	+ /-242	0.90%	+/-0.4
Two races including Some other race	78	+ /-94	0.10%	+/-0.2
Two races excluding Some other race, and Three or more races	388	+ /-229	0.70%	+/-0.4
Total housing units	21,840	+ /-314	100%	(X)