

Characteristics of People at Specified Levels of Poverty: 2009

Subject	2009							
	Total	Margin of Error	Less than 50 percent of the poverty level	Margin of Error	Less than 100 of the poverty level	Margin of Error	Less than 125 percent of the poverty level	Margin of Error
Population for whom poverty status is determined	2,905,436	1,980	5%	0.3	11.80%	0.4	16%	0.5
SEX AND AGE								
Male	1,436,527	3,753	4.40%	0.3	10.50%	0.5	14%	0.6
Female	1,468,909	4,123	5.50%	0.4	13.10%	0.6	17.60%	0.7
Under 18 years	697,180	2,545	6.30%	0.6	15.70%	1.1	21.20%	1.2
Related children under 18 years	691,565	2,815	5.70%	0.7	15.10%	1.1	20.60%	1.2
18 to 64 years	1,793,653	2,735	5.10%	0.3	11.30%	0.4	15%	0.5
65 years and over	414,603	2,313	0.019	0.3	0.073	0.5	0.123	0.6
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN								
One race	2,853,327	5,066	4.90%	0.3	11.60%	0.4	15.60%	0.5
White	2,685,354	5,653	4.30%	0.3	10.80%	0.4	14.70%	0.5
Black or African American	69,217	3,621	17.20%	3.1	32.50%	4.9	40.10%	5.3
American Indian and Alaska Native	10,166	1,800	21.30%	9	39.00%	9.8	47.30%	9.6
Asian	43,794	2,324	6.30%	2	9.00%	2.3	15.10%	4
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	360	255	0.00%	27.7	3.60%	7.8	18.30%	28.5
Some other race	44,436	4,681	14.00%	4.7	20.40%	5.3	30.50%	6.2
Two or more races	52,109	4,581	0.098	3.8	0.251	5.4	0.347	5.1
Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race)	127,529	1,747	11.90%	2.4	24.50%	3.2	33.90%	3.8
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	2,616,075	2,618	0.042	0.3	0.104	0.4	0.141	0.5
HOUSEHOLD TYPE								
In family households	2,363,009	10,723	3.50%	0.3	9.00%	0.5	12.50%	0.6
In married-couple family households	1,886,985	17,674	1%	0.2	4.10%	0.4	7%	0.5
In Female householder, no husband present households	336,498	13,568	14.20%	1.6	32.60%	2	41.60%	2.2
In other households	542,427	10,165	0.113	0.8	0.24	1	0.31	1.1
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT								
Population 25 years and over	1,936,731	3,519	2.90%	0.2	8.00%	0.3	11.60%	0.4
Less than high school graduate	175,674	5,684	7.20%	1.3	20.10%	1.6	28.30%	2
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	636,389	9,611	3.10%	0.3	9.10%	0.5	13.20%	0.6
Some college or associate's degree	631,676	9,630	2.80%	0.4	7.60%	0.5	11.10%	0.7
Bachelor's degree or higher	492,992	9,530	0.014	0.3	0.029	0.4	0.042	0.4
CITIZENSHIP STATUS								
Native	2,792,237	4,438	4.80%	0.3	11.60%	0.4	15.70%	0.5
Foreign born	113,199	4,471	9.10%	1.6	16.90%	2.2	23.40%	2.7
Naturalized citizen	40,985	2,998	0.053	1.9	0.103	2.6	0.139	2.8
DISABILITY STATUS								
With any disability	334,054	6,901	6.20%	0.8	18.70%	1.2	25.50%	1.5
No disability	2,567,801	7,217	0.048	0.3	0.109	0.5	0.148	0.5
WORK STATUS								
Population 16 to 64 years	1,875,418	3,509	5.20%	0.3	11.40%	0.4	14.90%	0.5
Worked full-time, year-round	1,046,315	9,675	0.30%	0.1	2.40%	0.3	4.20%	0.3
Worked less than full-time, year-round	571,861	8,769	9.70%	0.7	19.90%	0.9	25.30%	1
Did not work	257,242	7,270	0.149	1.4	0.289	1.5	0.351	1.7

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Characteristics of People at Specified Levels of Poverty: 2008

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	Total	Margin of Error	Less than 50 percent of the poverty level	Margin of Error	Less than 100 of the poverty level	Margin of Error	Less than 125 percent of the poverty level	Margin of Error
Population for whom poverty status is determined	2,899,804	1,887	5%	0.3	11.80%	0.5	16%	0.5
SEX AND AGE								
Male	1,433,045	4,020	4.40%	0.3	10.50%	0.5	14%	0.5
Female	1,466,759	4,283	5.50%	0.4	13.20%	0.6	17.80%	0.6
Under 18 years	698,190	2,481	6.10%	0.7	14.80%	1	19.80%	1.1
Related children under 18 years	692,993	3,017	5.50%	0.7	14.20%	1	19.30%	1.1
18 to 64 years	1,788,435	2,358	5.20%	0.3	11.50%	0.4	14.90%	0.4
65 years and over	413,179	1,641	2.10%	0.3	8.50%	0.6	14%	0.6
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN								
One race	2,857,016	4,311	4.90%	0.3	11.70%	0.5	15.80%	0.5
White	2,692,031	5,838	4.60%	0.3	10.80%	0.5	14.70%	0.5
Black or African American	71,216	2,992	15.40%	4	36.90%	5.2	44.40%	6
American Indian and Alaska Native	9,281	1,976	15.80%	9.4	32.50%	11.8	35.90%	12.1
Asian	44,845	2,291	7.60%	3	12.20%	3.7	17.20%	3.8
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1,508	1,047	33.40%	35.7	37.90%	32.5	50.30%	29.1
Some other race	38,135	4,886	5.80%	2.1	18.20%	4.6	32.30%	6.4
Two or more races	42,788	3,733	7.80%	2.1	22.80%	3.9	28.80%	4
Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race)	118,968	1,565	7.80%	1.8	23%	3.4	33.20%	3.7
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	2,620,995	3,016	4.50%	0.3	10.50%	0.5	14.20%	0.5
HOUSEHOLD TYPE								
In family households	2,363,261	10,111	3.40%	0.3	8.90%	0.5	12.40%	0.5
In married-couple family households	1,901,221	18,619	1.20%	0.2	4.10%	0.3	6.60%	0.4
In Female householder, no husband present households	320,973	13,382	15%	1.8	33.60%	2.4	42%	2.4
In other households	536,543	9,601	11.70%	0.7	24.60%	1	31.60%	1
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT								
Population 25 years and over	1,934,678	3,452	3.10%	0.2	8.30%	0.3	12%	0.3
Less than high school graduate	178,985	6,403	7.80%	1.2	21.10%	1.5	30.10%	1.6
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	648,454	9,718	3.30%	0.4	9.30%	0.5	13.70%	0.6
Some college or associate's degree	630,343	9,831	2.90%	0.3	7.70%	0.5	10.80%	0.6
Bachelor's degree or higher	476,896	9,498	1.40%	0.3	3.10%	0.4	4.50%	0.5
CITIZENSHIP STATUS								
Native	2,791,919	5,370	4.90%	0.3	11.50%	0.5	15.60%	0.5
Foreign born	107,885	5,184	8.30%	2.1	19.50%	2.8	26.50%	3.3
Naturalized citizen	39,261	3,079	5.50%	3.1	11.20%	4.2	15.60%	4.8
DISABILITY STATUS								
With any disability	343,772	7,984	7.20%	0.7	20.80%	1.2	28.60%	1.2

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No disability	2,553,013	8,188	4.70%	0.3	10.70%	0.5	14.30%	0.5
WORK STATUS								
Population 16 to 64 years	1,870,518	3,163	5.30%	0.3	11.50%	0.4	14.90%	0.4
Worked full-time, year-round	1,073,446	9,539	0.40%	0.1	2.40%	0.2	4.20%	0.3
Worked less than full-time, year-round	555,177	9,692	10.30%	0.6	21.50%	1	26.60%	1
Did not work	241,895	6,398	14.90%	1.2	29.10%	1.6	35.60%	1.7

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Characteristics of People at Specified Levels of Poverty: 2005-2007

Subject	2007							
	Total	Margin of Error	Less than 50 percent of the poverty level	Margin of Error	Less than 100 of the poverty level	Margin of Error	Less than 125 percent of the poverty level	Margin of Error
Population for whom poverty status is determined	2,881,760	+/-2,589	4.70%	+/-0.3	11.00%	+/-0.5	14.70%	+/-0.5
SEX AND AGE								
Male	1,422,584	+/-3,734	4.00%	+/-0.3	9.60%	+/-0.6	12.90%	+/-0.6
Female	1,459,176	+/-3,696	5.30%	+/-0.4	12.40%	+/-0.5	16.50%	+/-0.6
Under 18 years	695,765	+/-3,156	5.80%	+/-0.7	13.60%	+/-1.0	17.50%	+/-1.1
Related children under 18 years	691,659	+/-3,420	5.40%	+/-0.7	13.10%	+/-1.0	17.10%	+/-1.1
18 to 64 years	1,777,494	+/-2,329	4.90%	+/-0.3	10.80%	+/-0.5	13.80%	+/-0.5
65 years and over	408,501	+/-1,480	1.70%	+/-0.3	7.70%	+/-0.5	13.70%	+/-0.6
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN								
One race	2,842,822	+/-4,606	4.50%	+/-0.3	10.80%	+/-0.5	14.40%	+/-0.5
White	2,672,206	+/-6,619	4.10%	+/-0.3	9.80%	+/-0.5	13.10%	+/-0.5
Black or African American	64,810	+/-2,765	12.60%	+/-3.8	37.50%	+/-5.3	44.60%	+/-5.4
American Indian and Alaska Native	8,629	+/-1,296	10.10%	+/-6.5	28.70%	+/-8.5	37.60%	+/-9.5
Asian	45,566	+/-2,045	8.40%	+/-2.9	17.30%	+/-4.7	22.50%	+/-7.0
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1,343	+/-740	0.00%	+/-8.4	41.60%	+/-31.8	60.80%	+/-23.2
Some other race	50,268	+/-5,385	9.60%	+/-2.4	19.70%	+/-4.3	30.50%	+/-5.6
Two or more races	38,938	+/-3,707	16.10%	+/-4.3	29.70%	+/-4.9	36.80%	+/-5.5
Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race)	115,392	+/-1,598	10.00%	+/-2.2	23.50%	+/-3.3	30.90%	+/-3.8
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	2,612,668	+/-3,515	4.00%	+/-0.3	9.40%	+/-0.5	12.70%	+/-0.5
HOUSEHOLD TYPE								
In family households	2,356,065	+/-11,022	3.40%	+/-0.4	8.40%	+/-0.5	11.30%	+/-0.5
In married-couple family households	1,903,633	+/-17,781	1.10%	+/-0.2	3.80%	+/-0.4	5.90%	+/-0.5
In Female householder, no husband present households	325,810	+/-12,008	14.50%	+/-1.8	32.00%	+/-1.9	38.90%	+/-1.8
In other households	525,695	+/-10,479	10.20%	+/-0.7	22.80%	+/-0.8	30.00%	+/-0.9
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT								
Population 25 years and over	1,928,236	+/-3,177	3.10%	+/-0.3	8.10%	+/-0.4	11.40%	+/-0.4
Less than high school graduate	191,432	+/-5,253	7.80%	+/-1.2	22.10%	+/-1.6	29.60%	+/-1.7
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	681,353	+/-8,417	3.50%	+/-0.4	9.40%	+/-0.6	13.60%	+/-0.7
Some college or associate's degree	580,919	+/-9,306	2.70%	+/-0.4	6.60%	+/-0.5	9.10%	+/-0.6
Bachelor's degree or higher	474,532	+/-8,867	1.20%	+/-0.3	2.40%	+/-0.4	3.70%	+/-0.5
CITIZENSHIP STATUS								
Native	2,769,780	+/-5,865	4.60%	+/-0.3	10.80%	+/-0.5	14.40%	+/-0.5
Foreign born	111,980	+/-5,244	6.50%	+/-1.3	15.70%	+/-2.5	21.20%	+/-3.2
Naturalized citizen	39,546	+/-4,102	3.00%	+/-1.1	10.10%	+/-2.7	13.40%	+/-3.2

Characteristics of People at Specified Levels of Poverty: 2005-2007

Subject	2007							
	Total	Margin of Error	Less than 50 percent of the poverty level	Margin of Error	Less than 100 of the poverty level	Margin of Error	Less than 125 percent of the poverty level	Margin of Error
DISABILITY STATUS								
With any disability	393,013	+/-9,501	7.40%	+/-0.7	20.00%	+/-1.1	27.00%	+/-1.2
No disability	2,294,472	+/-10,348	3.90%	+/-0.3	9.00%	+/-0.4	12.00%	+/-0.5
WORK STATUS								
Population 16 to 64 years	1,863,887	+/-2,954	4.90%	+/-0.3	10.80%	+/-0.4	13.80%	+/-0.5
Worked full-time, year-round	969,458	+/-7,960	0.40%	+/-0.1	2.00%	+/-0.2	3.60%	+/-0.3
Worked less than full-time, year-round	643,967	+/-7,308	8.20%	+/-0.6	17.70%	+/-0.9	21.80%	+/-0.9
Did not work	250,462	+/-5,330	14.20%	+/-1.3	27.00%	+/-1.7	32.50%	+/-1.7

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Characteristics of People at Specified Levels of Poverty: 2006

Subject	2006					
	Total	Margin of Error	Less than 50 percent of the poverty level	Margin of Error	100 to 124 percent of the poverty level	Margin of Error
Population for whom poverty status is determined	2,878,398	+/-1,906	4.8	+/-0.3	4.1	+/-0.3
SEX AND AGE						
Male	1,419,296	+/-3,232	4.3	+/-0.3	3.7	+/-0.3
Female	1,459,102	+/-2,852	5.3	+/-0.4	4.5	+/-0.4
Under 18 years	698,013	+/-2,381	6	+/-0.7	4.8	+/-0.6
Related children under 18 years						
18 to 64 years	1,773,567	+/-2,347	4.9	+/-0.3	3.3	+/-0.3
65 years and over	406,818	+/-1,542	2.2	+/-0.3	6.1	+/-0.6
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN						
One race	2,839,989	+/-3,828	4.7	+/-0.3	4	+/-0.3
White	2,681,933	+/-4,405	4.3	+/-0.3	4	+/-0.3
Black or African American	61,368	+/-2,990	18.6	+/-4.1	6.9	+/-2.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	8,205	+/-1,570	15.6	+/-8.3	3.7	+/-3.0
Asian	43,643	+/-2,338	8.2	+/-3.2	2.5	+/-1.5
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	370	+/-304	13.2	+/-22.4	13.5	+/-23.7
Some other race	44,470	+/-4,308	7.5	+/-3.2	4.2	+/-2.6
Two or more races	38,409	+/-3,505	11.6	+/-3.1	6.3	+/-2.6
Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race)	108,586	+/-1,676	9.1	+/-2.2	6.2	+/-1.8
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	2,625,820	+/-2,501	4.1	+/-0.3	3.9	+/-0.3
HOUSEHOLD TYPE						
In family households						
In married-couple family households	1,918,767	+/-16,814	1.1	+/-0.2	2.7	+/-0.3
In Female householder, no husband present households						
In other households	947,679	+/-16,818	11.9	+/-0.9	6.9	+/-0.5
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT						
Population 25 years and over	1,910,252	+/-3,133	3.2	+/-0.2	3.7	+/-0.3
Less than high school graduate	204,300	+/-6,269	7.9	+/-0.8	8.9	+/-0.9
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	676,774	+/-7,765	3.3	+/-0.3	4.2	+/-0.3
Some college or associate's degree	563,598	+/-10,060	2.7	+/-0.3	3.2	+/-0.4
Bachelor's degree or higher	465,580	+/-9,421	1.5	+/-0.2	1.3	+/-0.3
CITIZENSHIP STATUS						
Native	2,769,795	+/-5,722	4.7	+/-0.3	4	+/-0.3
Foreign born	108,603	+/-5,602	7.3	+/-1.6	5.7	+/-1.6
Naturalized citizen						

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DISABILITY STATUS

With any disability	387,483	+/-8,226	7.8	+/-0.8	7.6	+/-0.7
No disability	2,301,101	+/-8,615	4.1	+/-0.3	3.3	+/-0.3

WORK STATUS

Population 16 to 64 years	1,856,114	+/-2,768	5	+/-0.3	3.3	+/-0.3
Worked full-time, year-round	972,209	+/-8,038	0.2	+/-0.1	1.7	+/-0.2
Worked less than full-time, year-round	642,363	+/-8,849	8.6	+/-0.7	4.8	+/-0.5
Did not work	241,542	+/-6,701	14.5	+/-1.1	6	+/-0.8

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Subject	2005					
	Total	Margin of Error	Less than 50 percent of the poverty level	Margin of Error	100 to 124 percent of the poverty level	Margin of Error
Population for whom poverty status is determined	2,853,572	+/-1,685	4.8	+/-0.3	4.1	+/-0.2
SEX AND AGE						
Male	1,405,779	+/-2,471	4.2	+/-0.3	3.7	+/-0.3
Female	1,447,793	+/-2,427	5.3	+/-0.5	4.6	+/-0.3
Under 18 years	658,957	+/-2,051	6.3	+/-0.8	4.8	+/-0.5
Related children under 18 years						
18 to 64 years	1,792,448	+/-1,658	4.9	+/-0.3	3.6	+/-0.2
65 years and over	402,167	+/-1,534	1.9	+/-0.3	5.6	+/-0.4
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN						
One race	2,822,704	+/-3,909	4.7	+/-0.3	4.1	+/-0.2
White	2,668,116	+/-5,812	4.1	+/-0.3	3.9	+/-0.2
Black or African American	62,272	+/-2,833	18.8	+/-4.4	9.6	+/-3.1
American Indian and Alaska Native	6,489	+/-1,324	23	+/-12.8	3.2	+/-2.6
Asian	41,510	+/-1,518	9.7	+/-2.8	3.8	+/-2.3
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	520	+/-267	0	+/-19.4	0	+/-19.4
Some other race	43,797	+/-4,871	11.8	+/-4.1	12.8	+/-4.3
Two or more races	30,868	+/-3,645	16.4	+/-4.0	6.6	+/-2.4
Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race)	105,518	+/-902	11.2	+/-2.5	12.1	+/-3.0
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	2,612,338	+/-2,367	4	+/-0.3	3.7	+/-0.2
HOUSEHOLD TYPE						
In family households						
In married-couple family households	1,906,204	+/-18,723	1.2	+/-0.2	2.6	+/-0.3
In Female householder, no husband present households						
In other households	947,368	+/-18,608	12.1	+/-0.9	7.4	+/-0.5
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT						
Population 25 years and over	1,927,018	+/-2,798	2.9	+/-0.2	3.5	+/-0.2
Less than high school graduate	201,245	+/-5,899	6.3	+/-1.0	8.5	+/-1.0
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	692,441	+/-9,614	3.3	+/-0.4	4.3	+/-0.4
Some college or associate's degree	574,625	+/-10,029	2.4	+/-0.3	2.8	+/-0.3
Bachelor's degree or higher	458,707	+/-8,167	1.3	+/-0.3	1.1	+/-0.2
CITIZENSHIP STATUS						
Native	2,750,514	+/-5,315	4.6	+/-0.3	4	+/-0.2
Foreign born	103,058	+/-5,396	8.7	+/-1.9	7.2	+/-1.9
Naturalized citizen						

Characteristics of People at Specified Levels of Poverty: 2005-2007

Subject	2005					
	Total	Margin of Error	Less than 50 percent of the poverty level	Margin of Error	100 to 124 percent of the poverty level	Margin of Error
DISABILITY STATUS						
With any disability	380,656	+/-7,748	6.7	+/-0.7	7.9	+/-0.7
No disability	2,290,330	+/-7,979	4.2	+/-0.3	3.5	+/-0.2
WORK STATUS						
Population 16 to 64 years	1,872,607	+/-2,993	4.9	+/-0.3	3.6	+/-0.2
Worked full-time, year-round	983,120	+/-9,794	0.4	+/-0.1	1.8	+/-0.2
Worked less than full-time, year-round	643,947	+/-9,872	8.2	+/-0.5	5	+/-0.4
Did not work	245,540	+/-6,629	14.5	+/-1.3	6.8	+/-0.8

Note: 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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