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	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	49,541	+/- 727	100.0%	+/- (X)
Family households (families)	32,546	+/- 650	65.7%	+/- 1.2
With own children under 18 years	15,825	+/- 538	31.9%	+/- 1.2
Married-couple family	24,711	+/- 655	49.9%	+/- 1.4
With own children under 18 years	11,562	+/- 560	23.3%	+/- 1.2
Male householder, no wife present, family	2,049	+/- 324	4.1%	+/- 0.6
With own children under 18 years	803	+/- 189	1.6%	+/- 0.4
Female householder, no husband present, family	5,786	+/- 462	11.7%	+/- 0.9
With own children under 18 years	3,460	+/- 381	7%	+/- 0.8
Nonfamily households	16,995	+/- 731	34.3%	+/- 1.2
Householder living alone	13,543	+/- 734	27.3%	+/- 1.3
65 years and over	4,318	+/- 377	8.7%	+/- 0.7
Households with one or more people under 18 years	16,772	+/- 516	33.9%	+/- 1.1
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	10,493	+/- 420	21.2%	+/- 0.8
Average household size	2.55	+/- 0.04	(X)%	+/- (X)
Average family size	3.12	+/- 0.04	(X)%	+/- (X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	126,119	+/- 977	100.0%	+/- (X)
Householder	49,541	+/- 727	39.3%	+/- 0.6
Spouse	24,697	+/- 645	19.6%	+/- 0.5
Child	35,963	+/- 932	28.5%	+/- 0.7
Other relatives	8,475	+/- 920	6.7%	+/- 0.7
Nonrelatives	7,443	+/- 847	5.9%	+/- 0.7
Unmarried partner	2,404	+/- 315	1.9%	+/- 0.2
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	48,527	+/- 937	100.0%	+/- (X)
Never married	15,278	+/- 955	31.5%	+/- 1.6
Now married, except separated	27,635	+/- 772	56.9%	+/- 1.7
Separated	1,108	+/- 244	2.3%	+/- 0.5
Widowed	1,018	+/- 200	2.1%	+/- 0.4
Divorced	3,488	+/- 452	7.2%	+/- 0.9
Females 15 years and over	54,712	+/- 961	100.0%	+/- (X)
Never married	15,378	+/- 843	28.1%	+/- 1.3
Now married, except separated	27,377	+/- 684	50%	+/- 1.5
Separated	1,556	+/- 324	2.8%	+/- 0.6
Widowed	4,441	+/- 418	8.1%	+/- 0.7
Divorced	5,960	+/- 519	10.9%	+/- 0.9
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	2,242	+/- 353	2242%	+/- (X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	268	+/- 141	12%	+/- 5.6
Per 1,000 unmarried women	17	+/- 9	(X)%	+/- (X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	66	+/- 11	(X)%	+/- (X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	27	+/- 32	(X)%	+/- (X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	105	+/- 19	(X)%	+/- (X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	39	+/- 9	(X)%	+/- (X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	2,462	+/- 396	100.0%	+/- (X)
Responsible for grandchildren	633	+/- 188	25.7%	+/- 6.6
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	152	+/- 119	6.2%	+/- 4.4

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1 or 2 years	159	+/- 93	6.5%	+/- 3.8
3 or 4 years	140	+/- 71	5.7%	+/- 2.9
5 or more years	182	+/- 90	7.4%	+/- 3.5
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	633	+/- 188	(X)	+/- (X)
Who are female	484	+/- 160	76.5%	+/- 8.3
Who are married	320	+/- 120	50.6%	+/- 13.6
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	31,378	+/- 1120	100.0%	+/- (X)
Nursery school, preschool	2,195	+/- 310	7%	+/- 1
Kindergarten	1,884	+/- 353	6%	+/- 1.1
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	11,942	+/- 756	38.1%	+/- 2.1
High school (grades 9-12)	5,573	+/- 447	17.8%	+/- 1.4
College or graduate school	9,784	+/- 839	31.2%	+/- 2.2
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	90,404	+/- 962	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than 9th grade	4,051	+/- 615	4.5%	+/- 0.7
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	3,499	+/- 414	3.9%	+/- 0.4
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	13,607	+/- 957	15.1%	+/- 1.1
Some college, no degree	13,912	+/- 875	15.4%	+/- 0.9
Associate's degree	4,694	+/- 401	5.2%	+/- 0.4
Bachelor's degree	23,785	+/- 825	26.3%	+/- 1
Graduate or professional degree	26,856	+/- 1036	29.7%	+/- 1.1
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	+/- (X)	91.6%	+/- 0.8
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	+/- (X)	56%	+/- 1.4
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	98,341	+/- 917	100.0%	+/- (X)
Civilian veterans	6,118	+/- 482	6.2%	+/- 0.5
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	126,016	+/- 914	126016%	+/- (X)
With a disability	9,527	+/- 699	7.6%	+/- 0.6
Under 18 years	28,637	+/- 747	28637%	+/- (X)
With a disability	729	+/- 189	2.5%	+/- 0.7
18 to 64 years	83,346	+/- 1004	83346%	+/- (X)
With a disability	4,442	+/- 562	5.3%	+/- 0.7
65 years and over	14,033	+/- 598	14033%	+/- (X)
With a disability	4,356	+/- 409	31%	+/- 2.4
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	125,621	+/- 958	100.0%	+/- (X)
Same house	105,077	+/- 1501	83.6%	+/- 1.1
Different house in the U.S.	18,020	+/- 1396	14.3%	+/- 1.1
Same county	11,186	+/- 1085	8.9%	+/- 0.9
Different county	6,834	+/- 742	5.4%	+/- 0.6
Same state	1,811	+/- 383	1.4%	+/- 0.3
Different state	5,023	+/- 688	4%	+/- 0.6
Abroad	2,524	+/- 1029	2%	+/- 0.8
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	127,616	+/- 863	100.0%	+/- (X)
Native	80,278	+/- 1476	62.9%	+/- 1.3
Born in United States	78,295	+/- 1431	61.4%	+/- 1.2
State of residence	30,492	+/- 1089	23.9%	+/- 0.9
Different state	47,803	+/- 1435	37.5%	+/- 1.1

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Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American	1,983	+/- 353	1.6%	+/- 0.3
Foreign born	47,338	+/- 1758	37.1%	+/- 1.3
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	47,338	+/- 1758	100.0%	+/- (X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	21,722	+/- 1325	45.9%	+/- 2.5
Not a U.S. citizen	25,616	+/- 1617	54.1%	+/- 2.5
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	49,321	+/- 1701	100.0%	+/- (X)
Native	1,983	+/- 353	1983%	+/- (X)
Entered 2010 or later	10	+/- 16	0.5%	+/- 0.8
Entered before 2010	1,973	+/- 352	99.5%	+/- 0.8
Foreign born	47,338	+/- 1758	100.0%	+/- (X)
Entered 2010 or later	1,767	+/- 574	3.7%	+/- 1.1
Entered before 2010	45,571	+/- 1507	96.3%	+/- 1.1
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	47,338	+/- 1758	100.0%	+/- (X)
Europe	5,194	+/- 698	11%	+/- 1.4
Asia	21,353	+/- 1264	45.1%	+/- 2.2
Africa	3,880	+/- 763	8.2%	+/- 1.5
Oceania	40	+/- 33	0.1%	+/- 0.1
Latin America	16,481	+/- 1219	34.8%	+/- 2.3
Northern America	390	+/- 145	0.8%	+/- 0.3
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	118,425	+/- 1045	100.0%	+/- (X)
English only	66,872	+/- 1940	56.5%	+/- 1.6
Language other than English	51,553	+/- 1992	43.5%	+/- 1.6
Speak English less than "very well"	21,842	+/- 1653	18.4%	+/- 1.3
Spanish	19,836	+/- 1476	16.7%	+/- 1.3
Speak English less than "very well"	9,568	+/- 1134	8.1%	+/- 1
Other Indo-European languages	13,100	+/- 1293	11.1%	+/- 1.1
Speak English less than "very well"	4,434	+/- 633	3.7%	+/- 0.5
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	15,504	+/- 1291	13.1%	+/- 1
Speak English less than "very well"	7,052	+/- 1052	6%	+/- 0.9
Other languages	3,113	+/- 626	2.6%	+/- 0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	788	+/- 267	0.7%	+/- 0.2
ANCESTRY				
Total population	127,616	+/- 863	100.0%	+/- (X)
American	3,475	+/- 478	2.7%	+/- 0.4
Arab	1,058	+/- 343	0.8%	+/- 0.3
Czech	462	+/- 167	0.4%	+/- 0.1
Danish	496	+/- 241	0.4%	+/- 0.2
Dutch	889	+/- 250	0.7%	+/- 0.2
English	9,207	+/- 850	7.2%	+/- 0.7
French (except Basque)	2,000	+/- 357	1.6%	+/- 0.3
French Canadian	525	+/- 193	0.4%	+/- 0.2
German	12,297	+/- 883	9.6%	+/- 0.7
Greek	632	+/- 225	0.5%	+/- 0.2
Hungarian	926	+/- 289	0.7%	+/- 0.2
Irish	11,380	+/- 1046	8.9%	+/- 0.8
Italian	4,434	+/- 631	3.5%	+/- 0.5
Lithuanian	404	+/- 122	0.3%	+/- 0.1

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Norwegian	618	+/- 182	0.5%	+/- 0.1
Polish	3,480	+/- 509	2.7%	+/- 0.4
Portuguese	332	+/- 128	0.3%	+/- 0.1
Russian	4,689	+/- 721	3.7%	+/- 0.6
Scotch-Irish	1,298	+/- 289	1%	+/- 0.2
Scottish	2,195	+/- 352	1.7%	+/- 0.3
Slovak	336	+/- 127	0.3%	+/- 0.1
Subsaharan African	4,736	+/- 887	3.7%	+/- 0.7
Swedish	1,161	+/- 231	0.9%	+/- 0.2
Swiss	210	+/- 105	0.2%	+/- 0.1
Ukrainian	724	+/- 182	0.6%	+/- 0.1
Welsh	746	+/- 225	0.6%	+/- 0.2
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	1,320	+/- 457	1%	+/- 0.4

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.

Fertility data are not available for certain geographic areas due to problems with data collection. See Errata Note #92 for details.

The Census Bureau introduced a new set of disability questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Accordingly, comparisons of disability data from 2008 or later with data from prior years are not recommended. For more information on these questions and their evaluation in the 2006 ACS Content Test, see the Evaluation Report Covering Disability.

While the 2008-2012 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the December 2009 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions 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 definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2000 data. Boundaries for urban areas have not been updated since Census 2000. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2008-2012 American Community Survey

Explanation of Symbols:

   1. 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.
   2. 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.
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   7. 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.
   8. An '(X)' means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.