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2007-2011 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Supporting documentation on code lists, subject definitions, data accuracy, and statistical testing can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Data and 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.

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.

Subject	Otisco town, Onondaga County, New York			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	973	+/-70	973	(X)
Family households (families)	709	+/-51	72.9%	+/-5.8
With own children under 18 years	310	+/-51	31.9%	+/-5.9
Married-couple family	555	+/-61	57.0%	+/-6.6
With own children under 18 years	206	+/-47	21.2%	+/-5.3
Male householder, no wife present, family	61	+/-39	6.3%	+/-4.0
With own children under 18 years	59	+/-38	6.1%	+/-3.9
Female householder, no husband present, family	93	+/-45	9.6%	+/-4.6
With own children under 18 years	45	+/-32	4.6%	+/-3.3
Nonfamily households	264	+/-69	27.1%	+/-5.8
Householder living alone	238	+/-69	24.5%	+/-5.8
65 years and over	93	+/-36	9.6%	+/-3.4
Households with one or more people under 18 years	332	+/-55	34.1%	+/-6.3
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	207	+/-44	21.3%	+/-4.3
Average household size	2.60	+/-0.18	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.03	+/-0.19	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	2,527	+/-39	2,527	(X)
Householder	973	+/-70	38.5%	+/-2.7
Spouse	546	+/-63	21.6%	+/-2.4
Child	782	+/-86	30.9%	+/-3.3
Other relatives	112	+/-68	4.4%	+/-2.7
Nonrelatives	114	+/-49	4.5%	+/-1.9
Unmarried partner	53	+/-30	2.1%	+/-1.2
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	1,129	+/-85	1,129	(X)
Never married	349	+/-76	30.9%	+/-5.4
Now married, except separated	591	+/-60	52.3%	+/-5.2
Separated	4	+/-7	0.4%	+/-0.7
Widowed	46	+/-35	4.1%	+/-3.1

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Divorced	139	+/-56	12.3%	+/-4.9
Females 15 years and over	997	+/-89	997	(X)
Never married	203	+/-60	20.4%	+/-5.3
Now married, except separated	587	+/-59	58.9%	+/-7.4
Separated	7	+/-10	0.7%	+/-1.0
Widowed	70	+/-37	7.0%	+/-3.5
Divorced	130	+/-73	13.0%	+/-6.8
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	15	+/-16	15	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-76.6
Per 1,000 unmarried women	0	+/-131	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	27	+/-30	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/-274	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	85	+/-91	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	10	+/-19	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	17	+/-24	17	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	17	+/-24	100.0%	+/-71.9
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-71.9
1 or 2 years	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-71.9
3 or 4 years	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-71.9
5 or more years	17	+/-24	100.0%	+/-71.9
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	17	+/-24	17	(X)
Who are female	8	+/-12	47.1%	+/-16.0
Who are married	17	+/-24	100.0%	+/-71.9
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	612	+/-96	612	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	24	+/-17	3.9%	+/-2.7
Kindergarten	15	+/-17	2.5%	+/-2.8
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	274	+/-89	44.8%	+/-10.8
High school (grades 9-12)	176	+/-53	28.8%	+/-7.8
College or graduate school	123	+/-37	20.1%	+/-6.3
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	1,761	+/-92	1,761	(X)
Less than 9th grade	41	+/-29	2.3%	+/-1.6
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	70	+/-40	4.0%	+/-2.3
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	645	+/-114	36.6%	+/-5.9
Some college, no degree	351	+/-77	19.9%	+/-4.2
Associate's degree	281	+/-82	16.0%	+/-4.6
Bachelor's degree	267	+/-86	15.2%	+/-4.9
Graduate or professional degree	106	+/-46	6.0%	+/-2.6
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	93.7%	+/-2.6
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	21.2%	+/-5.7
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	1,980	+/-89	1,980	(X)
Civilian veterans	214	+/-50	10.8%	+/-2.4

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DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	2,511	+/-42	2,511	(X)
Same house	2,316	+/-101	92.2%	+/-3.7
Different house in the U.S.	191	+/-92	7.6%	+/-3.7
Same county	138	+/-88	5.5%	+/-3.5
Different county	53	+/-31	2.1%	+/-1.3
Same state	27	+/-22	1.1%	+/-0.9
Different state	26	+/-20	1.0%	+/-0.8
Abroad	4	+/-6	0.2%	+/-0.2
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	2,527	+/-39	2,527	(X)
Native	2,521	+/-41	99.8%	+/-0.3
Born in United States	2,510	+/-40	99.3%	+/-0.6
State of residence	2,228	+/-103	88.2%	+/-3.9
Different state	282	+/-95	11.2%	+/-3.7
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	11	+/-15	0.4%	+/-0.6
Foreign born	6	+/-9	0.2%	+/-0.3
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	6	+/-9	6	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	6	+/-9	100.0%	+/-100.0
Not a U.S. citizen	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-100.0
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	17	+/-16	17	(X)
Native	11	+/-15	11	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-89.4
Entered before 2000	11	+/-15	100.0%	+/-89.4
Foreign born	6	+/-9	6	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-100.0
Entered before 2000	6	+/-9	100.0%	+/-100.0
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	6	+/-9	6	(X)
Europe	6	+/-9	100.0%	+/-100.0
Asia	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-100.0
Africa	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-100.0
Oceania	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-100.0
Latin America	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-100.0
Northern America	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-100.0

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LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	2,442	+/-57	2,442	(X)
English only	2,383	+/-73	97.6%	+/-1.6
Language other than English	59	+/-40	2.4%	+/-1.6
Speak English less than "very well"	30	+/-28	1.2%	+/-1.1
Spanish	23	+/-27	0.9%	+/-1.1
Speak English less than "very well"	4	+/-7	0.2%	+/-0.3
Other Indo-European languages	36	+/-31	1.5%	+/-1.3
Speak English less than "very well"	26	+/-27	1.1%	+/-1.1
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.3
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.3
Other languages	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.3
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ANCESTRY				
Total population	2,527	+/-39	2,527	(X)
American	120	+/-56	4.7%	+/-2.2
Arab	4	+/-6	0.2%	+/-0.2
Czech	11	+/-13	0.4%	+/-0.5
Danish	4	+/-7	0.2%	+/-0.3
Dutch	73	+/-39	2.9%	+/-1.5
English	544	+/-138	21.5%	+/-5.4
French (except Basque)	160	+/-85	6.3%	+/-3.3
French Canadian	53	+/-36	2.1%	+/-1.4
German	701	+/-172	27.7%	+/-6.7
Greek	23	+/-29	0.9%	+/-1.1
Hungarian	12	+/-13	0.5%	+/-0.5
Irish	388	+/-123	15.4%	+/-4.8
Italian	338	+/-120	13.4%	+/-4.7
Lithuanian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.3
Norwegian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.3
Polish	119	+/-66	4.7%	+/-2.6
Portuguese	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.3
Russian	6	+/-9	0.2%	+/-0.4
Scotch-Irish	67	+/-46	2.7%	+/-1.8
Scottish	47	+/-29	1.9%	+/-1.1
Slovak	5	+/-9	0.2%	+/-0.4
Subsaharan African	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.3
Swedish	6	+/-10	0.2%	+/-0.4
Swiss	44	+/-40	1.7%	+/-1.6
Ukrainian	11	+/-16	0.4%	+/-0.6
Welsh	46	+/-35	1.8%	+/-1.4
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.3

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 2007-2011 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.

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.
3. An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
4. An '+' following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
5. 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.
6. An '*****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.
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.