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2008-2012 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
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS</b>				
Population 16 years and over	2,040	+/-90	2,040	(X)
In labor force	1,367	+/-125	67.0%	+/-5.7
Civilian labor force	1,340	+/-140	65.7%	+/-6.3
Employed	1,294	+/-141	63.4%	+/-6.3
Unemployed	46	+/-30	2.3%	+/-1.5
Armed Forces	27	+/-33	1.3%	+/-1.6
Not in labor force	673	+/-124	33.0%	+/-5.7
Civilian labor force	1,340	+/-140	1,340	(X)
Percent Unemployed	(X)	(X)	3.4%	+/-2.3
<b>Females 16 years and over</b>				
In labor force	660	+/-79	71.6%	+/-8.0
Civilian labor force	660	+/-79	71.6%	+/-8.0
Employed	640	+/-74	69.4%	+/-7.5
<b>Own children under 6 years</b>				
All parents in family in labor force	125	+/-73	125	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	70	+/-44	56.0%	+/-37.1
<b>Own children 6 to 17 years</b>				
All parents in family in labor force	457	+/-94	457	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	390	+/-94	85.3%	+/-10.7
<b>COMMUTING TO WORK</b>				
Workers 16 years and over	1,314	+/-125	1,314	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	1,129	+/-131	85.9%	+/-5.0
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	71	+/-42	5.4%	+/-3.1
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	6	+/-9	0.5%	+/-0.7
Walked	13	+/-14	1.0%	+/-1.1
Other means	6	+/-9	0.5%	+/-0.7
Worked at home	89	+/-53	6.8%	+/-4.1
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	31.1	+/-3.3	(X)	(X)
<b>OCCUPATION</b>				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	1,294	+/-141	1,294	(X)

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Management, business, science, and arts occupations	480	+/-90	37.1%	+/-6.5
Service occupations	110	+/-48	8.5%	+/-3.6
Sales and office occupations	334	+/-80	25.8%	+/-6.0
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	239	+/-86	18.5%	+/-5.7
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	131	+/-50	10.1%	+/-3.8
<b>INDUSTRY</b>				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	1,294	+/-141	1,294	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	5	+/-7	0.4%	+/-0.6
Construction	188	+/-65	14.5%	+/-4.7
Manufacturing	143	+/-54	11.1%	+/-4.1
Wholesale trade	35	+/-23	2.7%	+/-1.7
Retail trade	88	+/-40	6.8%	+/-3.1
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	89	+/-55	6.9%	+/-4.2
Information	15	+/-15	1.2%	+/-1.2
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	32	+/-25	2.5%	+/-2.0
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	180	+/-69	13.9%	+/-5.1
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	336	+/-77	26.0%	+/-5.9
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	35	+/-26	2.7%	+/-2.0
Other services, except public administration	110	+/-82	8.5%	+/-6.0
Public administration	38	+/-23	2.9%	+/-1.7
<b>CLASS OF WORKER</b>				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	1,294	+/-141	1,294	(X)
Private wage and salary workers	988	+/-135	76.4%	+/-5.8
Government workers	182	+/-52	14.1%	+/-3.9
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	118	+/-70	9.1%	+/-5.3
Unpaid family workers	6	+/-9	0.5%	+/-0.7
<b>INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2012 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)</b>				
Total households	978	+/-64	978	(X)
Less than \$10,000	26	+/-25	2.7%	+/-2.5
\$10,000 to \$14,999	59	+/-37	6.0%	+/-3.7
\$15,000 to \$24,999	76	+/-45	7.8%	+/-4.4
\$25,000 to \$34,999	102	+/-44	10.4%	+/-4.2
\$35,000 to \$49,999	123	+/-53	12.6%	+/-5.6
\$50,000 to \$74,999	161	+/-51	16.5%	+/-5.2
\$75,000 to \$99,999	200	+/-68	20.4%	+/-6.7
\$100,000 to \$149,999	159	+/-46	16.3%	+/-4.9
\$150,000 to \$199,999	42	+/-28	4.3%	+/-2.8
\$200,000 or more	30	+/-17	3.1%	+/-1.7
Median household income (dollars)	65,417	+/-7,006	(X)	(X)
Mean household income (dollars)	73,562	+/-7,828	(X)	(X)
<b>With earnings</b>				
Mean earnings (dollars)	72,860	+/-9,105	(X)	(X)
<b>With Social Security</b>				
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	18,300	+/-2,219	(X)	(X)
<b>With retirement income</b>				
Mean retirement income (dollars)	27,233	+/-6,529	(X)	(X)
<b>With Supplemental Security Income</b>				
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	11,678	+/-2,717	(X)	(X)
With cash public assistance income	9	+/-11	0.9%	+/-1.2

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Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	4,678	+/-2,208	(X)	(X)
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	49	+/-38	5.0%	+/-3.8
<b>Families</b>	<b>696</b>	<b>+/-46</b>	<b>696</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Less than \$10,000	0	+/-12	0.0%	+/-4.6
\$10,000 to \$14,999	32	+/-30	4.6%	+/-4.2
\$15,000 to \$24,999	5	+/-9	0.7%	+/-1.3
\$25,000 to \$34,999	60	+/-33	8.6%	+/-4.6
\$35,000 to \$49,999	119	+/-53	17.1%	+/-7.7
\$50,000 to \$74,999	104	+/-43	14.9%	+/-6.2
\$75,000 to \$99,999	173	+/-53	24.9%	+/-7.6
\$100,000 to \$149,999	131	+/-45	18.8%	+/-6.2
\$150,000 to \$199,999	42	+/-28	6.0%	+/-4.0
\$200,000 or more	30	+/-17	4.3%	+/-2.4
Median family income (dollars)	78,370	+/-9,549	(X)	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	86,817	+/-9,336	(X)	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)	28,670	+/-3,115	(X)	(X)
<b>Nonfamily households</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>+/-78</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	27,955	+/-9,370	(X)	(X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	36,587	+/-7,606	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	34,097	+/-4,062	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	47,951	+/-6,972	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	42,330	+/-5,041	(X)	(X)
<b>HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE</b>				
Civilian noninstitutionalized population	2,527	+/-48	2,527	(X)
With health insurance coverage	2,322	+/-94	91.9%	+/-3.4
With private health insurance	2,119	+/-110	83.9%	+/-4.1
With public coverage	429	+/-108	17.0%	+/-4.2
No health insurance coverage	205	+/-87	8.1%	+/-3.4
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 18 years	602	+/-84	602	(X)
No health insurance coverage	20	+/-29	3.3%	+/-4.9
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 18 to 64 years	1,609	+/-105	1,609	(X)
In labor force:	1,298	+/-138	1,298	(X)
Employed:	1,252	+/-138	1,252	(X)
With health insurance coverage	1,108	+/-131	88.5%	+/-4.5
With private health insurance	1,095	+/-129	87.5%	+/-4.7
With public coverage	33	+/-28	2.6%	+/-2.2
No health insurance coverage	144	+/-59	11.5%	+/-4.5
Unemployed:	46	+/-30	46	(X)
With health insurance coverage	37	+/-27	80.4%	+/-26.7
With private health insurance	37	+/-27	80.4%	+/-26.7
With public coverage	0	+/-12	0.0%	+/-43.7
No health insurance coverage	9	+/-13	19.6%	+/-26.7
Not in labor force:	311	+/-90	311	(X)
With health insurance coverage	279	+/-87	89.7%	+/-10.0
With private health insurance	233	+/-83	74.9%	+/-14.1
With public coverage	58	+/-40	18.6%	+/-12.5
No health insurance coverage	32	+/-32	10.3%	+/-10.0

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<b>PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL</b>				
All families	(X)	(X)	4.2%	+/-4.4
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	7.2%	+/-8.6
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	0.0%	+/-39.3
Married couple families	(X)	(X)	0.0%	+/-5.7
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	0.0%	+/-12.1
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	0.0%	+/-39.3
Families with female householder, no husband present	(X)	(X)	11.2%	+/-13.9
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	17.2%	+/-27.8
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	-	**
All people	(X)	(X)	4.7%	+/-2.4
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	7.6%	+/-5.5
Related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	5.5%	+/-5.8
Related children under 5 years	(X)	(X)	0.0%	+/-24.1
Related children 5 to 17 years	(X)	(X)	6.9%	+/-7.2
18 years and over	(X)	(X)	3.8%	+/-1.9
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	3.7%	+/-2.2
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	4.1%	+/-4.3
People in families	(X)	(X)	3.1%	+/-3.0
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	(X)	(X)	13.9%	+/-7.9

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.

There were changes in the edit between 2009 and 2010 regarding Supplemental Security Income (SSI) and Social Security. The changes in the edit loosened restrictions on disability requirements for receipt of SSI resulting in an increase in the total number of SSI recipients in the American Community Survey. The changes also loosened restrictions on possible reported monthly amounts in Social Security income resulting in higher Social Security aggregate amounts. These results more closely match administrative counts compiled by the Social Security Administration.

Workers include members of the Armed Forces and civilians who were at work last week.

Industry codes are 4-digit codes and are based on the North American Industry Classification System 2007. The Industry categories adhere to the guidelines issued in Clarification Memorandum No. 2, "NAICS Alternate Aggregation Structure for Use By U.S. Statistical Agencies," issued by the Office of Management and Budget.

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.
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.