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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	Elbridge town, Onondaga County, New York			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
EMPLOYMENT STATUS				
Population 16 years and over	4,754	+/-194	4,754	(X)
In labor force	3,314	+/-216	69.7%	+/-4.1
Civilian labor force	3,314	+/-216	69.7%	+/-4.1
Employed	3,066	+/-260	64.5%	+/-5.0
Unemployed	248	+/-100	5.2%	+/-2.1
Armed Forces	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-0.7
Not in labor force	1,440	+/-211	30.3%	+/-4.1
Civilian labor force	3,314	+/-216	3,314	(X)
Percent Unemployed	(X)	(X)	7.5%	+/-3.2
Females 16 years and over				
Population 16 years and over	2,402	+/-179	2,402	(X)
In labor force	1,587	+/-155	66.1%	+/-5.2
Civilian labor force	1,587	+/-155	66.1%	+/-5.2
Employed	1,477	+/-165	61.5%	+/-5.6
Own children under 6 years				
Population	352	+/-96	352	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	239	+/-85	67.9%	+/-15.4
Own children 6 to 17 years				
Population	955	+/-180	955	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	737	+/-171	77.2%	+/-9.2
COMMUTING TO WORK				
Workers 16 years and over	2,990	+/-224	2,990	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	2,528	+/-186	84.5%	+/-4.7
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	315	+/-146	10.5%	+/-4.5
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	9	+/-14	0.3%	+/-0.5
Walked	82	+/-42	2.7%	+/-1.4
Other means	7	+/-6	0.2%	+/-0.2
Worked at home	49	+/-28	1.6%	+/-0.9
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	22.4	+/-1.4	(X)	(X)
OCCUPATION				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	3,066	+/-260	3,066	(X)

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Management, business, science, and arts occupations	929	+/-141	30.3%	+/-4.6
Service occupations	522	+/-160	17.0%	+/-4.4
Sales and office occupations	796	+/-136	26.0%	+/-4.2
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	351	+/-91	11.4%	+/-3.0
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	468	+/-107	15.3%	+/-3.1
INDUSTRY				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	3,066	+/-260	3,066	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	43	+/-43	1.4%	+/-1.4
Construction	227	+/-77	7.4%	+/-2.4
Manufacturing	440	+/-114	14.4%	+/-4.0
Wholesale trade	113	+/-70	3.7%	+/-2.1
Retail trade	404	+/-98	13.2%	+/-2.8
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	156	+/-86	5.1%	+/-2.8
Information	46	+/-33	1.5%	+/-1.1
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	102	+/-47	3.3%	+/-1.6
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	265	+/-73	8.6%	+/-2.5
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	697	+/-162	22.7%	+/-4.6
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	214	+/-105	7.0%	+/-3.2
Other services, except public administration	210	+/-91	6.8%	+/-2.9
Public administration	149	+/-57	4.9%	+/-1.8
CLASS OF WORKER				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	3,066	+/-260	3,066	(X)
Private wage and salary workers	2,355	+/-230	76.8%	+/-3.5
Government workers	521	+/-118	17.0%	+/-3.3
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	190	+/-66	6.2%	+/-2.3
Unpaid family workers	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-1.1
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2012 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)				
Total households	2,198	+/-135	2,198	(X)
Less than \$10,000	89	+/-56	4.0%	+/-2.5
\$10,000 to \$14,999	77	+/-33	3.5%	+/-1.5
\$15,000 to \$24,999	158	+/-75	7.2%	+/-3.3
\$25,000 to \$34,999	193	+/-82	8.8%	+/-3.6
\$35,000 to \$49,999	304	+/-72	13.8%	+/-3.2
\$50,000 to \$74,999	453	+/-130	20.6%	+/-5.3
\$75,000 to \$99,999	373	+/-89	17.0%	+/-4.0
\$100,000 to \$149,999	468	+/-103	21.3%	+/-5.1
\$150,000 to \$199,999	72	+/-41	3.3%	+/-1.9
\$200,000 or more	11	+/-14	0.5%	+/-0.6
Median household income (dollars)	61,210	+/-6,387	(X)	(X)
Mean household income (dollars)	70,324	+/-5,374	(X)	(X)
With earnings	1,743	+/-105	79.3%	+/-4.1
Mean earnings (dollars)	69,639	+/-6,853	(X)	(X)
With Social Security	705	+/-145	32.1%	+/-5.6
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	18,757	+/-1,367	(X)	(X)
With retirement income	493	+/-108	22.4%	+/-4.7
Mean retirement income (dollars)	25,165	+/-5,181	(X)	(X)
With Supplemental Security Income	116	+/-65	5.3%	+/-2.9
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	8,439	+/-627	(X)	(X)
With cash public assistance income	0	+/-17	0.0%	+/-1.5

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Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	-	**	(X)	(X)
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	137	+/-60	6.2%	+/-2.8
Families	1,574	+/-84	1,574	(X)
Less than \$10,000	73	+/-48	4.6%	+/-3.0
\$10,000 to \$14,999	11	+/-14	0.7%	+/-0.9
\$15,000 to \$24,999	32	+/-19	2.0%	+/-1.2
\$25,000 to \$34,999	111	+/-71	7.1%	+/-4.4
\$35,000 to \$49,999	207	+/-68	13.2%	+/-4.2
\$50,000 to \$74,999	325	+/-95	20.6%	+/-6.0
\$75,000 to \$99,999	317	+/-84	20.1%	+/-5.2
\$100,000 to \$149,999	428	+/-101	27.2%	+/-6.7
\$150,000 to \$199,999	67	+/-41	4.3%	+/-2.6
\$200,000 or more	3	+/-4	0.2%	+/-0.3
Median family income (dollars)	76,429	+/-10,733	(X)	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	78,908	+/-6,684	(X)	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)	26,632	+/-1,901	(X)	(X)
Nonfamily households	624	+/-161	624	(X)
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	34,483	+/-7,684	(X)	(X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	45,201	+/-6,933	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	32,964	+/-4,016	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	44,821	+/-4,133	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	38,133	+/-3,105	(X)	(X)
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE				
Civilian noninstitutionalized population	5,916	+/-18	5,916	(X)
With health insurance coverage	5,378	+/-142	90.9%	+/-2.3
With private health insurance	4,542	+/-297	76.8%	+/-5.0
With public coverage	1,604	+/-243	27.1%	+/-4.1
No health insurance coverage	538	+/-138	9.1%	+/-2.3
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 18 years	1,358	+/-194	1,358	(X)
No health insurance coverage	15	+/-15	1.1%	+/-1.1
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 18 to 64 years	3,776	+/-189	3,776	(X)
In labor force:	3,162	+/-228	3,162	(X)
Employed:	2,924	+/-275	2,924	(X)
With health insurance coverage	2,623	+/-273	89.7%	+/-3.2
With private health insurance	2,504	+/-277	85.6%	+/-3.9
With public coverage	200	+/-94	6.8%	+/-3.0
No health insurance coverage	301	+/-95	10.3%	+/-3.2
Unemployed:	238	+/-97	238	(X)
With health insurance coverage	158	+/-84	66.4%	+/-18.0
With private health insurance	92	+/-48	38.7%	+/-18.4
With public coverage	71	+/-69	29.8%	+/-23.0
No health insurance coverage	80	+/-45	33.6%	+/-18.0
Not in labor force:	614	+/-147	614	(X)
With health insurance coverage	472	+/-123	76.9%	+/-11.3
With private health insurance	355	+/-99	57.8%	+/-11.2
With public coverage	163	+/-73	26.5%	+/-10.0
No health insurance coverage	142	+/-81	23.1%	+/-11.3

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PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL				
All families	(X)	(X)	5.7%	+/-3.2
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	8.0%	+/-5.7
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	18.4%	+/-27.4
Married couple families	(X)	(X)	1.5%	+/-1.8
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	1.0%	+/-1.4
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	0.0%	+/-54.1
Families with female householder, no husband present	(X)	(X)	29.5%	+/-17.9
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	32.1%	+/-23.4
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	52.9%	+/-52.9
All people	(X)	(X)	5.5%	+/-2.2
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	6.0%	+/-4.1
Related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	5.8%	+/-4.1
Related children under 5 years	(X)	(X)	5.4%	+/-6.6
Related children 5 to 17 years	(X)	(X)	5.9%	+/-4.8
18 years and over	(X)	(X)	5.4%	+/-2.1
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	6.0%	+/-2.6
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	2.3%	+/-1.9
People in families	(X)	(X)	4.4%	+/-2.5
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	(X)	(X)	11.7%	+/-5.6

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.