



Selected Social Characteristics in the United States

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<p>Data-Specific Notes</p>	<p>Some of the population groups in this table are listed in both ancestry and race profiles. For example, German may be included in either an ancestry or race table because the response can be captured from the ancestry or race question. Detailed White, Black or African American, and Some Other Race groups have historically been tabulated from the ancestry question on the American Community Survey (ACS). However, improvements made to the race question in 2020 led to more detailed race groups being collected. Beginning with the 2024 ACS data products, detailed race data for White, Black or African American, and Some Other Race groups are included in race tabulations. Differences in the way the ancestry and race questions are asked, processed, and tabulated may lead to differences between ancestry and race estimates for a given group. For more information on ancestry and race estimates, please see the ACS User Note, Overlapping Race and Ancestry Estimates in the American Community Survey Data Products website.</p> <p>Ancestry listed in this table refers to the total number of people who responded with a particular ancestry; for example, the estimate given for German represents the number of people who listed German as either their first or second ancestry. This table lists only the largest ancestry groups; see the Detailed Tables for more categories. Race and Hispanic origin groups are not included in this table because data for those groups come from the Race and Hispanic origin questions rather than the ancestry question (see Demographic Table).</p> <p>Data for year of entry of the native population reflect the year of entry into the U.S. by people who were born in Puerto Rico or U.S. Island Areas or born outside the U.S. to a U.S. citizen parent and who subsequently moved to the U.S.</p> <p>The category "with a broadband Internet subscription" refers to those who said "Yes" to at least one of the following types of Internet subscriptions: Broadband such as cable, fiber optic, or DSL; a cellular data plan; satellite; a fixed wireless subscription; or other non-dial up subscription types.</p> <p>An Internet "subscription" refers to a type of service that someone pays for to access the Internet such as a cellular data plan, broadband such as cable, fiber optic or DSL, or other type of service. This will normally refer to a service that someone is billed for directly for Internet alone or sometimes as part of a bundle.</p>
	<p>"With a computer" includes those who said "Yes" to at least one of the following types of computers: Desktop or laptop; smartphone; tablet or other portable wireless computer; or some other type of computer.</p> <p>Caution should be used when comparing data for computer and Internet use before and after 2016. Changes in 2016 to the questions involving the wording as well as the response options resulted in changed response patterns in the data. Most noticeable are increases in overall computer ownership or use, the total of Internet subscriptions, satellite subscriptions, and cellular data plans for a smartphone or other mobile device. For more detailed information about these changes, see the 2016 American Community Survey Content Test Report for Computer and Internet Use located at https://www.census.gov/library/working-papers/2017/acs/2017_Lewis_01.html or the user note regarding changes in the 2016 questions located at https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/acs/technical-documentation/user-notes/2017-03.html.</p>
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Label	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	14,126	±362	14,126	(X)
Married-couple household	7,477	±635	52.9%	±4.4
With children of the householder under 18 years	2,640	±402	18.7%	±2.7
Cohabiting couple household	980	±304	6.9%	±2.1
With children of the householder under 18 years	253	±129	1.8%	±0.9
Male householder, no spouse/partner present	2,125	±351	15.0%	±2.4
With children of the householder under 18 years	159	±104	1.1%	±0.7
Householder living alone	1,793	±318	12.7%	±2.2
65 years and over	884	±213	6.3%	±1.5
Female householder, no spouse/partner present	3,544	±460	25.1%	±3.2
With children of the householder under 18 years	534	±176	3.8%	±1.2
Householder living alone	2,095	±327	14.8%	±2.3
65 years and over	1,379	±241	9.8%	±1.7
Households with one or more people under 18 years	3,993	±440	28.3%	±2.9
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	5,335	±227	37.8%	±1.5
Average household size	2.47	±0.06	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.97	±0.13	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	34,862	±92	34,862	(X)
Householder	14,126	±362	40.5%	±1.0
Spouse	7,524	±596	21.6%	±1.7
Unmarried partner	930	±271	2.7%	±0.8
Child	9,872	±691	28.3%	±2.0
Other relatives	1,637	±401	4.7%	±1.1
Other nonrelatives	773	±410	2.2%	±1.2
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	15,598	±196	15,598	(X)
Never married	4,673	±444	30.0%	±2.9
Now married, except separated	8,271	±634	53.0%	±4.0
Separated	248	±140	1.6%	±0.9
Widowed	580	±212	3.7%	±1.4
Divorced	1,826	±406	11.7%	±2.6

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Females 15 years and over	15,101	±240	15,101	(X)
Never married	3,352	±502	22.2%	±3.2
Now married, except separated	7,712	±751	51.1%	±5.1
Separated	370	±185	2.5%	±1.2
Widowed	1,755	±343	11.6%	±2.3
Divorced	1,912	±366	12.7%	±2.4
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	341	±158	341	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	36	±48	10.6%	±13.5
Per 1,000 unmarried women	9	±12	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	45	±21	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	±37	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	72	±41	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	36	±25	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	463	±164	463	(X)
Grandparents responsible for grandchildren	175	±137	37.8%	±22.1
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	14	±22	3.0%	±4.7
1 or 2 years	2	±4	0.4%	±0.9
3 or 4 years	0	±29	0.0%	±8.8
5 or more years	159	±136	34.3%	±22.3
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	175	±137	175	(X)
Who are female	97	±71	55.4%	±12.7
Who are married	151	±127	86.3%	±12.4
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				

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Label	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	7,389	±427	7,389	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	492	±156	6.7%	±2.0
Kindergarten	348	±135	4.7%	±1.8
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	3,204	±245	43.4%	±3.5
High school (grades 9-12)	1,758	±212	23.8%	±2.9
College or graduate school	1,587	±300	21.5%	±3.3
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	26,780	±240	26,780	(X)
Less than 9th grade	1,096	±304	4.1%	±1.1
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	2,712	±442	10.1%	±1.7
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	10,288	±890	38.4%	±3.4
Some college, no degree	5,509	±632	20.6%	±2.4
Associate's degree	2,713	±443	10.1%	±1.6
Bachelor's degree	3,022	±573	11.3%	±2.1
Graduate or professional degree	1,440	±377	5.4%	±1.4
High school graduate or higher	22,972	±551	85.8%	±2.0
Bachelor's degree or higher	4,462	±639	16.7%	±2.4
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	29,249	±83	29,249	(X)
Civilian veterans	2,137	±335	7.3%	±1.1
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	34,909	±109	34,909	(X)
With a disability	6,572	±761	18.8%	±2.2
Under 18 years	7,136	±83	7,136	(X)
With a disability	296	±165	4.1%	±2.3
18 to 64 years	20,224	±177	20,224	(X)
With a disability	3,200	±507	15.8%	±2.5
65 years and over	7,549	±194	7,549	(X)
With a disability	3,076	±456	40.7%	±5.8
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	36,140	±143	36,140	(X)
Same house	33,135	±662	91.7%	±1.9

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Different house (in the U.S. or abroad)	3,005	±678	8.3%	±1.9
Different house in the U.S.	2,840	±708	7.9%	±2.0
Same county	798	±336	2.2%	±0.9
Different county	2,042	±627	5.7%	±1.7
Same state	1,554	±594	4.3%	±1.6
Different state	488	±240	1.4%	±0.7
Abroad	165	±211	0.5%	±0.6
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	36,412	*****	36,412	(X)
Native	35,316	±309	97.0%	±0.8
Born in United States	34,885	±365	95.8%	±1.0
State of residence	26,297	±887	72.2%	±2.4
Different state	8,588	±919	23.6%	±2.5
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	431	±236	1.2%	±0.6
Foreign-born	1,096	±309	3.0%	±0.8
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	1,096	±309	1,096	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	581	±244	53.0%	±13.6
Not a U.S. citizen	515	±185	47.0%	±13.6
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	1,527	±365	1,527	(X)
Native	431	±236	431	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	150	±182	34.8%	±30.2
Entered before 2010	281	±148	65.2%	±30.2
Foreign-born	1,096	±309	1,096	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	282	±187	25.7%	±14.7
Entered before 2010	814	±264	74.3%	±14.7
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN-BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	1,096	±309	1,096	(X)
Europe	172	±124	15.7%	±10.4
Asia	313	±91	28.6%	±9.2
Africa	0	±29	0.0%	±3.8
Oceania	0	±29	0.0%	±3.8
Latin America	600	±271	54.7%	±14.1
Northern America	11	±17	1.0%	±1.6
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				

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Population 5 years and over	34,607	±144	34,607	(X)
English only	32,418	±366	93.7%	±1.1
Language other than English	2,189	±379	6.3%	±1.1
Speak English less than "very well"	564	±254	1.6%	±0.7
Spanish	1,655	±284	4.8%	±0.8
Speak English less than "very well"	465	±200	1.3%	±0.6
Other Indo-European languages	350	±222	1.0%	±0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	99	±149	0.3%	±0.4
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	177	±109	0.5%	±0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Other languages	7	±14	0.0%	±0.1
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ANCESTRY				
Total population	36,412	*****	36,412	(X)
American	9,143	±1,091	25.1%	±3.0
Arab	4	±9	0.0%	±0.1
Czech	53	±63	0.1%	±0.2
Danish	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Dutch	188	±140	0.5%	±0.4
English	4,820	±762	13.2%	±2.1
French (except Basque)	310	±177	0.9%	±0.5
French Canadian	90	±68	0.2%	±0.2
German	5,947	±827	16.3%	±2.3
Greek	61	±71	0.2%	±0.2
Hungarian	7	±11	0.0%	±0.1
Irish	4,236	±824	11.6%	±2.3
Italian	371	±152	1.0%	±0.4
Lithuanian	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Norwegian	78	±79	0.2%	±0.2
Polish	332	±236	0.9%	±0.6
Portuguese	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Russian	59	±45	0.2%	±0.1
Scotch-Irish	803	±377	2.2%	±1.0
Scottish	741	±241	2.0%	±0.7
Slovak	15	±24	0.0%	±0.1
Subsaharan African	68	±69	0.2%	±0.2

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Swedish	66	±68	0.2%	±0.2
Swiss	90	±82	0.2%	±0.2
Ukrainian	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Welsh	108	±67	0.3%	±0.2
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	157	±226	0.4%	±0.6
COMPUTERS AND INTERNET USE				
Total households	14,126	±362	14,126	(X)
With a computer	12,723	±418	90.1%	±2.0
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<p>Data-Specific Notes</p>	<p>Employment and unemployment estimates may vary from the official labor force data released by the Bureau of Labor Statistics because of differences in survey design and data collection. For guidance on differences in employment and unemployment estimates from different sources go to Labor Force Guidance.</p> <p>Workers include members of the Armed Forces and civilians who were at work last week.</p> <p>Occupation titles and their 4-digit codes are based on the 2018 Standard Occupational Classification.</p> <p>For more information on health insurance coverage categories see https://www.census.gov/topics/health/health-insurance/about/glossary.html#par_textimage_18 for a list of the insurance type definitions.</p>
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<p>COLUMN NOTES</p>	<p>None</p>

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	Alexander County, North Carolina			
Label	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
EMPLOYMENT STATUS				
Population 16 years and over	30,274	±171	30,274	(X)
In labor force	17,050	±721	56.3%	±2.4
Civilian labor force	17,031	±723	56.3%	±2.4
Employed	16,174	±743	53.4%	±2.4
Unemployed	857	±403	2.8%	±1.3
Armed Forces	19	±34	0.1%	±0.1
Not in labor force	13,224	±751	43.7%	±2.4
Civilian labor force	17,031	±723	17,031	(X)
Unemployment Rate	(X)	(X)	5.0%	±2.3
Females 16 years and over	14,865	±244	14,865	(X)
In labor force	7,839	±576	52.7%	±3.8
Civilian labor force	7,839	±576	52.7%	±3.8
Employed	7,485	±574	50.4%	±3.7
Own children of the householder under 6 years	1,981	±181	1,981	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	1,237	±282	62.4%	±12.6
Own children of the householder 6 to 17 years	4,628	±274	4,628	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	3,630	±420	78.4%	±8.2
COMMUTING TO WORK				
Workers 16 years and over	15,707	±785	15,707	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	13,336	±733	84.9%	±2.7
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	1,219	±339	7.8%	±2.1
Public transportation	0	±29	0.0%	±0.3
Walked	139	±83	0.9%	±0.5
Other means	51	±46	0.3%	±0.3
Worked from home	962	±249	6.1%	±1.5
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	25.6	±1.7	(X)	(X)
OCCUPATION				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	16,174	±743	16,174	(X)
Management, business, science, and arts occupations	4,610	±544	28.5%	±3.3
Service occupations	2,119	±374	13.1%	±2.2
Sales and office occupations	3,199	±511	19.8%	±2.8
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	1,873	±403	11.6%	±2.4

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	Alexander County, North Carolina			
Label	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	4,373	±521	27.0%	±3.2
INDUSTRY				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	16,174	±743	16,174	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	310	±161	1.9%	±1.0
Construction	919	±263	5.7%	±1.5
Manufacturing	3,809	±498	23.6%	±3.1
Wholesale trade	281	±133	1.7%	±0.8
Retail trade	1,867	±444	11.5%	±2.7
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	1,095	±298	6.8%	±1.8
Information	78	±70	0.5%	±0.4
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	375	±143	2.3%	±0.9
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	1,339	±317	8.3%	±1.9
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	3,189	±474	19.7%	±2.6
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	937	±245	5.8%	±1.5
Other services, except public administration	1,246	±276	7.7%	±1.8
Public administration	729	±268	4.5%	±1.6
CLASS OF WORKER				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	16,174	±743	16,174	(X)
Private wage and salary workers	12,538	±704	77.5%	±3.2
Government workers	2,451	±473	15.2%	±2.7
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	1,158	±315	7.2%	±1.9
Unpaid family workers	27	±43	0.2%	±0.3

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	Alexander County, North Carolina			
Label	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2024 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)				
Total households	14,126	±362	14,126	(X)
Less than \$10,000	336	±133	2.4%	±0.9
\$10,000 to \$14,999	648	±220	4.6%	±1.5
\$15,000 to \$24,999	1,306	±336	9.2%	±2.3
\$25,000 to \$34,999	1,464	±267	10.4%	±1.9
\$35,000 to \$49,999	1,748	±300	12.4%	±2.0
\$50,000 to \$74,999	2,644	±439	18.7%	±3.1
\$75,000 to \$99,999	2,413	±432	17.1%	±3.0
\$100,000 to \$149,999	2,315	±365	16.4%	±2.6
\$150,000 to \$199,999	665	±184	4.7%	±1.3
\$200,000 or more	587	±168	4.2%	±1.2
Median household income (dollars)	65,354	±4,962	(X)	(X)
Mean household income (dollars)	83,653	±5,989	(X)	(X)
With earnings	10,041	±442	71.1%	±2.4
Mean earnings (dollars)	88,242	±7,680	(X)	(X)
With Social Security	5,837	±346	41.3%	±2.5
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	24,485	±1,481	(X)	(X)
With retirement income	3,685	±387	26.1%	±2.7
Mean retirement income (dollars)	21,904	±3,086	(X)	(X)
With Supplemental Security Income	972	±278	6.9%	±2.0
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	12,397	±1,480	(X)	(X)
With cash public assistance income	329	±156	2.3%	±1.1
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	3,228	±1,317	(X)	(X)
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	1,902	±340	13.5%	±2.3
Families	9,641	±567	9,641	(X)
Less than \$10,000	163	±101	1.7%	±1.0
\$10,000 to \$14,999	210	±150	2.2%	±1.5
\$15,000 to \$24,999	382	±170	4.0%	±1.8
\$25,000 to \$34,999	916	±281	9.5%	±2.8
\$35,000 to \$49,999	1,066	±232	11.1%	±2.3
\$50,000 to \$74,999	1,743	±318	18.1%	±3.1

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Label	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
\$75,000 to \$99,999	2,063	±414	21.4%	±4.1
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1,989	±340	20.6%	±3.5
\$150,000 to \$199,999	587	±160	6.1%	±1.6
\$200,000 or more	522	±159	5.4%	±1.6
Median family income (dollars)	77,734	±4,883	(X)	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	94,514	±7,154	(X)	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)	33,425	±2,466	(X)	(X)
Nonfamily households	4,485	±567	4,485	(X)
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	34,715	±3,856	(X)	(X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	56,850	±11,960	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	40,459	±2,303	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	51,480	±3,181	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	43,746	±2,585	(X)	(X)
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE				
Civilian noninstitutionalized population	34,909	±109	34,909	(X)
With health insurance coverage	32,085	±649	91.9%	±1.8
With private health insurance	21,689	±1,149	62.1%	±3.3
With public coverage	15,167	±912	43.4%	±2.6
No health insurance coverage	2,824	±638	8.1%	±1.8
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 19 years	7,403	±146	7,403	(X)
No health insurance coverage	38	±45	0.5%	±0.6
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 19 to 64 years	19,957	±206	19,957	(X)
In labor force:	15,036	±701	15,036	(X)
Employed:	14,265	±710	14,265	(X)
With health insurance coverage	12,837	±739	90.0%	±2.5
With private health insurance	11,966	±747	83.9%	±2.9

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	Alexander County, North Carolina			
Label	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
With public coverage	1,280	±287	9.0%	±2.1
No health insurance coverage	1,428	±362	10.0%	±2.5
Unemployed:	771	±388	771	(X)
With health insurance coverage	564	±385	73.2%	±20.2
With private health insurance	460	±364	59.7%	±25.2
With public coverage	188	±124	24.4%	±17.0
No health insurance coverage	207	±119	26.8%	±20.2
Not in labor force:	4,921	±680	4,921	(X)
With health insurance coverage	3,825	±591	77.7%	±6.9
With private health insurance	1,865	±432	37.9%	±7.8
With public coverage	2,360	±459	48.0%	±7.3
No health insurance coverage	1,096	±385	22.3%	±6.9
PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL				
All families	(X)	(X)	8.8%	±2.8
With related children of the householder under 18 years	(X)	(X)	14.9%	±4.3
With related children of the householder under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	7.0%	±6.9
Married couple families	(X)	(X)	3.6%	±2.0
With related children of the householder under 18 years	(X)	(X)	4.0%	±2.8
With related children of the householder under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	1.4%	±2.8
Families with female householder, no spouse present	(X)	(X)	31.3%	±9.7
With related children of the householder under 18 years	(X)	(X)	51.5%	±13.2
With related children of the householder under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	20.9%	±34.7

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	Alexander County, North Carolina			
Label	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
All people	(X)	(X)	12.6%	±2.5
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	22.4%	±6.0
Related children of the householder under 18 years	(X)	(X)	22.2%	±6.1
Related children of the householder under 5 years	(X)	(X)	18.1%	±8.5
Related children of the householder 5 to 17 years	(X)	(X)	23.7%	±6.6
18 years and over	(X)	(X)	10.1%	±2.1
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	9.6%	±2.1
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	11.7%	±3.6
People in families	(X)	(X)	10.5%	±2.8
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	(X)	(X)	22.7%	±5.0

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Dataset Universe	The dataset universe of the American Community Survey (ACS) is the U.S. resident population and housing. For more information about ACS residence rules, see the ACS Design and Methodology Report. Note that each table describes the specific universe of interest for that set of estimates.	
Methodology		
Unit(s) of Observation	American Community Survey (ACS) data are collected from individuals living in housing units and group quarters, and about housing units whether occupied or vacant. For more information about ACS sampling and data collection, see the ACS Design and Methodology Report.	
Geography Coverage	ACS data generally reflect the geographic boundaries of legal and statistical areas as of January 1 of the estimate year. For more information, see Geography Boundaries by Year . Estimates of urban and rural populations, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on 2020 Census data. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.	

Sampling	<p>The ACS consists of two separate samples: housing unit addresses and group quarters facilities. Independent housing unit address samples are selected for each county or county-equivalent in the U.S. and Puerto Rico, with sampling rates depending on a measure of size for the area. For more information on sampling in the ACS, see the Accuracy of the Data document.</p>
Confidentiality	<p>The Census Bureau has modified or suppressed some estimates in ACS data products to protect respondents' confidentiality. Title 13 United States Code, Section 9, prohibits the Census Bureau from publishing results in which an individual's data can be identified. For more information on confidentiality protection in the ACS, see the Accuracy of the Data document.</p>
Technical Documentation/Methodology	<p>Information about the American Community Survey (ACS) can be found on the ACS website. Supporting documentation including code lists, subject definitions, data accuracy, and statistical testing, and a full list of ACS tables and table shells (without estimates) can be found on the Technical Documentation section of the ACS website.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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 ACS Technical Documentation). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.</p> <p>Users must consider potential differences in geographic boundaries, questionnaire content or coding, or other methodological issues when comparing ACS data from different years. Statistically significant differences shown in ACS Comparison Profiles, or in data users' own analysis, may be the result of these differences and thus might not necessarily reflect changes to the social, economic, housing, or demographic characteristics being compared. For more information, see Comparing ACS Data.</p>
Weights	<p>ACS estimates are obtained from a raking ratio estimation procedure that results in the assignment of two sets of weights: a weight to each sample person record and a weight to each sample housing unit record. Estimates of person characteristics are based on the person weight. Estimates of family, household, and housing unit characteristics are based on the housing unit weight. For any given geographic area, a characteristic total is estimated by summing the weights assigned to the persons, households, families or housing units possessing the characteristic in the geographic area. For more information on weighting and estimation in the ACS, see the Accuracy of the Data document.</p> <p>Although the American Community Survey (ACS) produces population, demographic and housing unit estimates, the decennial census is the official source of population totals for April 1st of each decennial year. In between censuses, the Census Bureau's Population Estimates Program produces and disseminates the official estimates of the population for the nation, states, counties, cities, and towns and estimates of housing units and the group quarters population for states and counties.</p>
Table Information	
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Data-Specific Notes	<p>Households not paying cash rent are excluded from the calculation of median gross rent.</p>
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COLUMN NOTES	None

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	Alexander County, North Carolina			
Label	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSING OCCUPANCY				
Total housing units	16,218	±48	16,218	(X)
Occupied housing units	14,126	±362	87.1%	±2.2
Vacant housing units	2,092	±360	12.9%	±2.2
Homeowner vacancy rate	0.8	±0.7	(X)	(X)
Rental vacancy rate	3.5	±2.9	(X)	(X)
UNITS IN STRUCTURE				
Total housing units	16,218	±48	16,218	(X)
1-unit, detached	11,733	±421	72.3%	±2.6
1-unit, attached	93	±79	0.6%	±0.5
2 units	214	±113	1.3%	±0.7
3 or 4 units	65	±40	0.4%	±0.2
5 to 9 units	137	±83	0.8%	±0.5
10 to 19 units	85	±80	0.5%	±0.5
20 or more units	79	±76	0.5%	±0.5
Mobile home	3,812	±448	23.5%	±2.8
Boat, RV, van, etc.	0	±29	0.0%	±0.3
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT				
Total housing units	16,218	±48	16,218	(X)
Built 2020 or later	313	±154	1.9%	±0.9
Built 2010 to 2019	1,029	±273	6.3%	±1.7
Built 2000 to 2009	2,687	±381	16.6%	±2.3
Built 1990 to 1999	2,949	±426	18.2%	±2.6
Built 1980 to 1989	2,268	±373	14.0%	±2.3
Built 1970 to 1979	2,846	±420	17.5%	±2.6
Built 1960 to 1969	1,294	±305	8.0%	±1.9
Built 1950 to 1959	1,257	±316	7.8%	±1.9
Built 1940 to 1949	848	±252	5.2%	±1.6
Built 1939 or earlier	727	±205	4.5%	±1.3
ROOMS				
Total housing units	16,218	±48	16,218	(X)
1 room	96	±80	0.6%	±0.5
2 rooms	150	±95	0.9%	±0.6
3 rooms	1,170	±396	7.2%	±2.4
4 rooms	2,893	±423	17.8%	±2.6
5 rooms	3,811	±406	23.5%	±2.5
6 rooms	3,921	±566	24.2%	±3.5
7 rooms	1,625	±324	10.0%	±2.0
8 rooms	954	±267	5.9%	±1.6
9 rooms or more	1,598	±322	9.9%	±2.0
Median rooms	5.5	±0.2	(X)	(X)
BEDROOMS				
Total housing units	16,218	±48	16,218	(X)

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	Alexander County, North Carolina			
Label	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
No bedroom	100	±80	0.6%	±0.5
1 bedroom	519	±194	3.2%	±1.2
2 bedrooms	4,720	±468	29.1%	±2.9
3 bedrooms	8,557	±472	52.8%	±2.9
4 bedrooms	1,882	±358	11.6%	±2.2
5 or more bedrooms	440	±168	2.7%	±1.0
HOUSING TENURE				
Occupied housing units	14,126	±362	14,126	(X)
Owner-occupied	11,397	±473	80.7%	±2.5
Renter-occupied	2,729	±359	19.3%	±2.5
Average household size of owner-occupied unit	2.44	±0.09	(X)	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	2.60	±0.25	(X)	(X)
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT				
Occupied housing units	14,126	±362	14,126	(X)
Moved in 2023 or later	442	±175	3.1%	±1.2
Moved in 2020 to 2022	1,624	±274	11.5%	±1.9
Moved in 2010 to 2019	4,513	±449	31.9%	±3.1
Moved in 2000 to 2009	2,481	±371	17.6%	±2.6
Moved in 1990 to 1999	2,118	±424	15.0%	±3.1
Moved in 1989 and earlier	2,948	±399	20.9%	±2.7
VEHICLES AVAILABLE				
Occupied housing units	14,126	±362	14,126	(X)
No vehicles available	432	±149	3.1%	±1.0
1 vehicle available	3,034	±444	21.5%	±3.1
2 vehicles available	5,254	±504	37.2%	±3.3
3 or more vehicles available	5,406	±442	38.3%	±3.1
HOUSE HEATING FUEL				
Occupied housing units	14,126	±362	14,126	(X)
Utility gas	631	±180	4.5%	±1.3
Bottled or tank gas (propane, butane, etc.)	789	±220	5.6%	±1.6
Electricity	11,278	±507	79.8%	±2.9
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	771	±265	5.5%	±1.8
Coal or coke	0	±29	0.0%	±0.3
Wood	576	±165	4.1%	±1.2
Solar energy	0	±29	0.0%	±0.3
Other fuel	12	±20	0.1%	±0.1
No fuel used	69	±61	0.5%	±0.4
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS				
Occupied housing units	14,126	±362	14,126	(X)

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	Alexander County, North Carolina			
Label	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	97	±81	0.7%	±0.6
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	100	±81	0.7%	±0.6
No telephone service available	130	±86	0.9%	±0.6
OCCUPANTS PER ROOM				
Occupied housing units	14,126	±362	14,126	(X)
1.00 or less	13,854	±360	98.1%	±0.9
1.01 to 1.50	148	±97	1.0%	±0.7
1.51 or more	124	±91	0.9%	±0.6
VALUE				
Owner-occupied units	11,397	±473	11,397	(X)
Less than \$50,000	1,054	±275	9.2%	±2.3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1,304	±280	11.4%	±2.5
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1,546	±317	13.6%	±2.8
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,380	±356	12.1%	±3.0
\$200,000 to \$299,999	2,983	±357	26.2%	±3.1
\$300,000 to \$499,999	1,934	±288	17.0%	±2.3
\$500,000 to \$999,999	1,026	±257	9.0%	±2.2
\$1,000,000 or more	170	±123	1.5%	±1.1
Median (dollars)	211,800	±11,234	(X)	(X)
MORTGAGE STATUS				
Owner-occupied units	11,397	±473	11,397	(X)
Housing units with a mortgage	5,279	±522	46.3%	±4.2
Housing units without a mortgage	6,118	±547	53.7%	±4.2
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS (SMOC)				
Housing units with a mortgage	5,279	±522	5,279	(X)
Less than \$500	246	±130	4.7%	±2.4
\$500 to \$999	1,560	±274	29.6%	±4.7
\$1,000 to \$1,499	1,688	±327	32.0%	±5.6
\$1,500 to \$1,999	876	±310	16.6%	±5.3
\$2,000 to \$2,499	567	±229	10.7%	±4.2
\$2,500 to \$2,999	190	±104	3.6%	±1.9
\$3,000 or more	152	±101	2.9%	±1.9
Median (dollars)	1,215	±84	(X)	(X)
Housing units without a mortgage	6,118	±547	6,118	(X)
Less than \$250	971	±289	15.9%	±4.5
\$250 to \$399	2,305	±367	37.7%	±4.7

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	Alexander County, North Carolina			
Label	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
\$400 to \$599	2,035	±371	33.3%	±5.2
\$600 to \$799	400	±130	6.5%	±2.1
\$800 to \$999	274	±188	4.5%	±3.1
\$1,000 or more	133	±71	2.2%	±1.2
Median (dollars)	384	±23	(X)	(X)
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (SMOCAPI)				
Housing units with a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)	5,278	±522	5,278	(X)
Less than 20.0 percent	3,089	±420	58.5%	±5.8
20.0 to 24.9 percent	862	±284	16.3%	±4.8
25.0 to 29.9 percent	477	±181	9.0%	±3.4
30.0 to 34.9 percent	247	±118	4.7%	±2.2
35.0 percent or more	603	±186	11.4%	±3.5
Not computed	1	±3	(X)	(X)
Housing unit without a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)	6,067	±539	6,067	(X)
Less than 10.0 percent	3,291	±458	54.2%	±4.5
10.0 to 14.9 percent	1,178	±266	19.4%	±4.3
15.0 to 19.9 percent	485	±199	8.0%	±3.3
20.0 to 24.9 percent	399	±161	6.6%	±2.6
25.0 to 29.9 percent	205	±117	3.4%	±1.9
30.0 to 34.9 percent	34	±30	0.6%	±0.5
35.0 percent or more	475	±224	7.8%	±3.7
Not computed	51	±46	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT				
Occupied units paying rent	2,269	±343	2,269	(X)
Less than \$500	256	±129	11.3%	±5.8
\$500 to \$999	1,687	±353	74.3%	±8.7
\$1,000 to \$1,499	290	±153	12.8%	±6.7
\$1,500 to \$1,999	0	±29	0.0%	±1.9
\$2,000 to \$2,499	9	±18	0.4%	±0.8
\$2,500 to \$2,999	0	±29	0.0%	±1.9
\$3,000 or more	27	±39	1.2%	±1.7
Median (dollars)	764	±29	(X)	(X)
No rent paid	460	±159	(X)	(X)

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Label	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (GRAPI)				
Occupied units paying rent (excluding units where GRAPI cannot be computed)	2,262	±346	2,262	(X)
Less than 15.0 percent	527	±185	23.3%	±7.6
15.0 to 19.9 percent	323	±151	14.3%	±6.1
20.0 to 24.9 percent	334	±164	14.8%	±6.5
25.0 to 29.9 percent	186	±111	8.2%	±4.8
30.0 to 34.9 percent	185	±104	8.2%	±4.7
35.0 percent or more	707	±198	31.3%	±7.8
Not computed	467	±163	(X)	(X)



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DATA NOTES

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TABLE NOTES

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Table ID	ACSDP5Y2024.DP05
Survey/Program	American Community Survey
Year	2024
Dataset	ACS 5-Year Estimates Data Profiles
Source	U.S. Census Bureau, 2024 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates
Dataset Universe	The dataset universe of the American Community Survey (ACS) is the U.S. resident population and housing. For more information about ACS residence rules, see the ACS Design and Methodology Report. Note that each table describes the specific universe of interest for that set of estimates.
Methodology	
Unit(s) of Observation	American Community Survey (ACS) data are collected from individuals living in housing units and group quarters, and about housing units whether occupied or vacant. For more information about ACS sampling and data collection, see the ACS Design and Methodology Report.
Geography Coverage	ACS data generally reflect the geographic boundaries of legal and statistical areas as of January 1 of the estimate year. For more information, see Geography Boundaries by Year . Estimates of urban and rural populations, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on 2020 Census data. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

Sampling	<p>The ACS consists of two separate samples: housing unit addresses and group quarters facilities. Independent housing unit address samples are selected for each county or county-equivalent in the U.S. and Puerto Rico, with sampling rates depending on a measure of size for the area. For more information on sampling in the ACS, see the Accuracy of the Data document.</p>
Confidentiality	<p>The Census Bureau has modified or suppressed some estimates in ACS data products to protect respondents' confidentiality. Title 13 United States Code, Section 9, prohibits the Census Bureau from publishing results in which an individual's data can be identified. For more information on confidentiality protection in the ACS, see the Accuracy of the Data document.</p>
Technical Documentation/Methodology	<p>Information about the American Community Survey (ACS) can be found on the ACS website. Supporting documentation including code lists, subject definitions, data accuracy, and statistical testing, and a full list of ACS tables and table shells (without estimates) can be found on the Technical Documentation section of the ACS website.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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 ACS Technical Documentation). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.</p> <p>Users must consider potential differences in geographic boundaries, questionnaire content or coding, or other methodological issues when comparing ACS data from different years. Statistically significant differences shown in ACS Comparison Profiles, or in data users' own analysis, may be the result of these differences and thus might not necessarily reflect changes to the social, economic, housing, or demographic characteristics being compared. For more information, see Comparing ACS Data.</p>
Weights	<p>ACS estimates are obtained from a raking ratio estimation procedure that results in the assignment of two sets of weights: a weight to each sample person record and a weight to each sample housing unit record. Estimates of person characteristics are based on the person weight. Estimates of family, household, and housing unit characteristics are based on the housing unit weight. For any given geographic area, a characteristic total is estimated by summing the weights assigned to the persons, households, families or housing units possessing the characteristic in the geographic area. For more information on weighting and estimation in the ACS, see the Accuracy of the Data document.</p> <p>Although the American Community Survey (ACS) produces population, demographic and housing unit estimates, the decennial census is the official source of population totals for April 1st of each decennial year. In between censuses, the Census Bureau's Population Estimates Program produces and disseminates the official estimates of the population for the nation, states, counties, cities, and towns and estimates of housing units and the group quarters population for states and counties.</p>
Table Information	
API Information	<p>American Community Survey (ACS) data is available via API. For more information on available APIs, please see Census Developers page at API Information.</p>
Symbols	<p>Explanation of Symbols:- The estimate could not be computed because there were an insufficient number of sample observations. For a ratio of medians estimate, one or both of the median estimates falls in the lowest interval or highest interval of an open-ended distribution. For a 5-year median estimate, the margin of error associated with a median was larger than the median itself.N The estimate or margin of error cannot be displayed because there were an insufficient number of sample cases in the selected geographic area. (X) The estimate or margin of error is not applicable or not available.median- The median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution (for example "2,500-")median+ The median falls in the highest interval of an open-ended distribution (for example "250,000+").** The margin of error could not be computed because there were an insufficient number of sample observations.*** The margin of error could not be computed because the median falls in the lowest interval or highest interval of an open-ended distribution.***** A margin of error is not appropriate because the corresponding estimate is controlled to an independent population or housing estimate. Effectively, the corresponding estimate has no sampling error and the margin of error may be treated as zero.</p>

<p>Data-Specific Notes</p>	<p>Some of the population groups in this table are listed in both ancestry and race profiles. For example, German may be included in either an ancestry or race table because the response can be captured from the ancestry or race question. Detailed White, Black or African American, and Some Other Race groups have historically been tabulated from the ancestry question on the American Community Survey (ACS). However, improvements made to the race question in 2020 led to more detailed race groups being collected. Beginning with the 2024 ACS data products, detailed race data for White, Black or African American, and Some Other Race groups are included in race tabulations. Differences in the way the ancestry and race questions are asked, processed, and tabulated may lead to differences between ancestry and race estimates for a given group. For more information on ancestry and race estimates, please see the ACS User Note, Overlapping Race and Ancestry Estimates in the American Community Survey Data Products website.</p> <p>For more information on understanding Hispanic origin and race data, please see the America Counts: Stories Behind the Numbers article entitled, 2020 Census Illuminates Racial and Ethnic Composition of the Country, issued August 2021.</p>
<p>Additional Information</p>	
<p>Contact Information</p>	<p>Contact the Census Bureau Customer Help Center at 1-800-923-8282 or submit a question at ask.census.gov.</p>
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<p>COLUMN NOTES</p>	<p>None</p>

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SEX AND AGE				
Total population	36,412	*****	36,412	(X)
Male	18,639	±237	51.2%	±0.6
Female	17,773	±237	48.8%	±0.6
Sex ratio (males per 100 females)	104.9	±2.7	(X)	(X)
Under 5 years	1,805	±144	5.0%	±0.4
5 to 9 years	1,819	±250	5.0%	±0.7
10 to 14 years	2,089	±215	5.7%	±0.6
15 to 19 years	2,071	±216	5.7%	±0.6
20 to 24 years	1,848	±175	5.1%	±0.5
25 to 34 years	4,524	±271	12.4%	±0.7
35 to 44 years	4,494	±239	12.3%	±0.7
45 to 54 years	4,784	±188	13.1%	±0.5
55 to 59 years	2,576	±365	7.1%	±1.0
60 to 64 years	2,681	±368	7.4%	±1.0
65 to 74 years	4,355	±199	12.0%	±0.5
75 to 84 years	2,742	±256	7.5%	±0.7
85 years and over	624	±158	1.7%	±0.4
Median age (years)	43.8	±0.6	(X)	(X)
Under 18 years	7,144	±83	19.6%	±0.2
16 years and over	30,274	±171	83.1%	±0.5
18 years and over	29,268	±83	80.4%	±0.2
21 years and over	28,312	±205	77.8%	±0.6
62 years and over	9,059	±358	24.9%	±1.0
65 years and over	7,721	±183	21.2%	±0.5
18 years and over	29,268	±83	29,268	(X)
Male	15,003	±195	51.3%	±0.6
Female	14,265	±166	48.7%	±0.6
Sex ratio (males per 100 females)	105.2	±2.5	(X)	(X)
65 years and over	7,721	±183	7,721	(X)
Male	3,637	±162	47.1%	±1.4
Female	4,084	±121	52.9%	±1.4
Sex ratio (males per 100 females)	89.1	±5.2	(X)	(X)
RACE				
Total population	36,412	*****	36,412	(X)
One race	34,932	±346	95.9%	±1.0
Two or More Races	1,480	±346	4.1%	±1.0
One race	34,932	±346	95.9%	±1.0
White	31,805	±381	87.3%	±1.0
Egyptian	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1

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Label	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
English	5,849	±929	16.1%	±2.6
German	2,532	±747	7.0%	±2.1
Irish	1,651	±425	4.5%	±1.2
Italian	269	±152	0.7%	±0.4
Lebanese	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Other White	21,504	±1,106	59.1%	±3.0
Black or African American	1,828	±272	5.0%	±0.7
African American	1,181	±315	3.2%	±0.9
Ethiopian	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Haitian	149	±228	0.4%	±0.6
Jamaican	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Nigerian	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Somali	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Other Black or African American	498	±307	1.4%	±0.8
American Indian and Alaska Native	368	±358	1.0%	±1.0
Aztec	342	±351	0.9%	±1.0
Blackfeet Tribe of the Blackfeet Indian Reservation of Montana	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Maya	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Native Village of Barrow Inupiat Traditional Government	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Navajo Nation	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Nome Eskimo Community	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Other American Indian and Alaska Native	26	±39	0.1%	±0.1
Asian	363	±83	1.0%	±0.2
Asian Indian	113	±177	0.3%	±0.5
Chinese	142	±182	0.4%	±0.5
Filipino	81	±74	0.2%	±0.2
Japanese	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Korean	23	±49	0.1%	±0.1
Vietnamese	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Other Asian	4	±9	0.0%	±0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Chamorro	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Native Hawaiian	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Samoa	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1

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Label	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Other Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Some Other Race	568	±274	1.6%	±0.8
Two or More Races	1,480	±346	4.1%	±1.0
White and Black or African American	318	±157	0.9%	±0.4
White and American Indian and Alaska Native	525	±259	1.4%	±0.7
White and Asian	75	±84	0.2%	±0.2
White and Some Other Race	444	±213	1.2%	±0.6
Black or African American and American Indian and Alaska Native	17	±23	0.0%	±0.1
Black or African American and Some Other Race	49	±64	0.1%	±0.2
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races				
Total population	36,412	*****	36,412	(X)
White	33,180	±517	91.1%	±1.4
Black or African American	2,225	±252	6.1%	±0.7
American Indian and Alaska Native	910	±417	2.5%	±1.1
Asian	477	±29	1.3%	±0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Some Other Race	1,113	±274	3.1%	±0.8
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE				
Total population	36,412	*****	36,412	(X)
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	2,031	*****	5.6%	*****
Mexican	1,298	±376	3.6%	±1.0
Puerto Rican	341	±270	0.9%	±0.7
Cuban	48	±70	0.1%	±0.2
Other Hispanic or Latino	344	±278	0.9%	±0.8
Not Hispanic or Latino	34,381	*****	94.4%	*****
White alone	31,134	±47	85.5%	±0.1
Black or African American alone	1,828	±272	5.0%	±0.7
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	26	±39	0.1%	±0.1
Asian alone	363	±83	1.0%	±0.2

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Label	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0	±29	0.0%	±0.1
Some Other Race alone	26	±29	0.1%	±0.1
Two or More Races	1,004	±288	2.8%	±0.8
Two races including Some Other Race	69	±74	0.2%	±0.2
Two races excluding Some Other Race, and three or more races	935	±284	2.6%	±0.8
Total housing units	16,218	±48	(X)	(X)
CITIZEN, VOTING AGE POPULATION				
Citizen, 18 and over population	28,753	±201	28,753	(X)
Male	14,674	±240	51.0%	±0.6
Female	14,079	±181	49.0%	±0.6