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ACS DEMOGRAPHIC AND HOUSING ESTIMATES

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	Montana			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
SEX AND AGE				
Total population	990,785	*****	990,785	(X)
Male	497,141	+/-610	50.2%	+/-0.1
Female	493,644	+/-610	49.8%	+/-0.1
Under 5 years				
Under 5 years	60,865	+/-340	6.1%	+/-0.1
5 to 9 years				
5 to 9 years	62,478	+/-1,263	6.3%	+/-0.1
10 to 14 years				
10 to 14 years	60,620	+/-1,323	6.1%	+/-0.1
15 to 19 years				
15 to 19 years	67,002	+/-597	6.8%	+/-0.1
20 to 24 years				
20 to 24 years	68,483	+/-615	6.9%	+/-0.1
25 to 34 years				
25 to 34 years	121,664	+/-587	12.3%	+/-0.1
35 to 44 years				
35 to 44 years	114,211	+/-484	11.5%	+/-0.1
45 to 54 years				
45 to 54 years	147,758	+/-411	14.9%	+/-0.1
55 to 59 years				
55 to 59 years	75,894	+/-961	7.7%	+/-0.1
60 to 64 years				
60 to 64 years	63,838	+/-933	6.4%	+/-0.1
65 to 74 years				
65 to 74 years	81,418	+/-211	8.2%	+/-0.1
75 to 84 years				
75 to 84 years	47,012	+/-807	4.7%	+/-0.1
85 years and over				
85 years and over	19,542	+/-786	2.0%	+/-0.1
Median age (years)				
Median age (years)	39.9	+/-0.1	(X)	(X)
18 years and over				
18 years and over	767,735	+/-291	77.5%	+/-0.1
21 years and over				
21 years and over	725,077	+/-1,061	73.2%	+/-0.1
62 years and over				
62 years and over	183,283	+/-1,116	18.5%	+/-0.1
65 years and over				
65 years and over	147,972	+/-270	14.9%	+/-0.1
18 years and over				
18 years and over	767,735	+/-291	767,735	(X)
Male				
Male	382,786	+/-413	49.9%	+/-0.1
Female				
Female	384,949	+/-379	50.1%	+/-0.1
65 years and over				
65 years and over	147,972	+/-270	147,972	(X)
Male				
Male	68,660	+/-200	46.4%	+/-0.1
Female				
Female	79,312	+/-214	53.6%	+/-0.1
RACE				
Total population	990,785	*****	990,785	(X)

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
One race	966,906	+/-1,093	97.6%	+/-0.1
Two or more races	23,879	+/-1,093	2.4%	+/-0.1
One race	966,906	+/-1,093	97.6%	+/-0.1
White	887,924	+/-875	89.6%	+/-0.1
Black or African American	4,145	+/-342	0.4%	+/-0.1
American Indian and Alaska Native	62,398	+/-979	6.3%	+/-0.1
Cherokee tribal grouping	879	+/-295	0.1%	+/-0.1
Chippewa tribal grouping	3,101	+/-496	0.3%	+/-0.1
Navajo tribal grouping	495	+/-205	0.0%	+/-0.1
Sioux tribal grouping	5,445	+/-519	0.5%	+/-0.1
Asian	6,034	+/-461	0.6%	+/-0.1
Asian Indian	616	+/-210	0.1%	+/-0.1
Chinese	1,143	+/-291	0.1%	+/-0.1
Filipino	1,179	+/-246	0.1%	+/-0.1
Japanese	953	+/-250	0.1%	+/-0.1
Korean	804	+/-212	0.1%	+/-0.1
Vietnamese	366	+/-253	0.0%	+/-0.1
Other Asian	973	+/-252	0.1%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	674	+/-167	0.1%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian	421	+/-133	0.0%	+/-0.1
Guamanian or Chamorro	83	+/-58	0.0%	+/-0.1
Samoan	72	+/-52	0.0%	+/-0.1
Other Pacific Islander	98	+/-60	0.0%	+/-0.1
Some other race	5,731	+/-681	0.6%	+/-0.1
Two or more races	23,879	+/-1,093	2.4%	+/-0.1
White and Black or African American	2,462	+/-323	0.2%	+/-0.1
White and American Indian and Alaska Native	14,501	+/-835	1.5%	+/-0.1
White and Asian	3,350	+/-392	0.3%	+/-0.1
Black or African American and American Indian and Alaska Native	198	+/-87	0.0%	+/-0.1
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races				
Total population	990,785	*****	990,785	(X)
White	911,046	+/-1,225	92.0%	+/-0.1
Black or African American	7,606	+/-328	0.8%	+/-0.1
American Indian and Alaska Native	78,327	+/-524	7.9%	+/-0.1
Asian	10,464	+/-356	1.1%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1,641	+/-301	0.2%	+/-0.1
Some other race	7,161	+/-795	0.7%	+/-0.1
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE				
Total population	990,785	*****	990,785	(X)
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	28,984	+/-126	2.9%	+/-0.1
Mexican	20,203	+/-705	2.0%	+/-0.1
Puerto Rican	1,156	+/-264	0.1%	+/-0.1
Cuban	533	+/-191	0.1%	+/-0.1
Other Hispanic or Latino	7,092	+/-721	0.7%	+/-0.1
Not Hispanic or Latino	961,801	+/-126	97.1%	+/-0.1
White alone	868,906	+/-186	87.7%	+/-0.1
Black or African American alone	3,936	+/-301	0.4%	+/-0.1
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	60,410	+/-916	6.1%	+/-0.1
Asian alone	5,872	+/-441	0.6%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	645	+/-158	0.1%	+/-0.1
Some other race alone	583	+/-218	0.1%	+/-0.1
Two or more races	21,449	+/-970	2.2%	+/-0.1
Two races including Some other race	241	+/-110	0.0%	+/-0.1
Two races excluding Some other race, and Three or more races	21,208	+/-972	2.1%	+/-0.1

Subject	Montana			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Total housing units	481,401	+/-336	(X)	(X)

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.

The ACS questions on Hispanic origin and race were revised in 2008 to make them consistent with the Census 2010 question wording. Any changes in estimates for 2008 and beyond may be due to demographic changes, as well as factors including questionnaire changes, differences in ACS population controls, and methodological differences in the population estimates, and therefore should be used with caution. For a summary of questionnaire changes see http://www.census.gov/acs/www/methodology/questionnaire_changes/. For more information about changes in the estimates see <http://www.census.gov/population/hispanic/files/acs08researchnote.pdf>.

For more information on understanding race and Hispanic origin data, please see the Census 2010 Brief entitled, Overview of Race and Hispanic Origin: 2010, issued March 2011. (pdf format)

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.