

**Table 13.17- MEDIAN MONEY INCOME OF HOUSEHOLDS, FOR THE
UNITED STATES AND HAWAII, 3-YEAR MOVING AVERAGES IN
CONSTANT 2008 DOLLARS: 1984 TO 2008**

[Based on small samples and subject to considerable sampling variation. From surveys conducted in March or April of following year. The Census Bureau recommends 2-year averages to evaluate changes in state estimates over time, and 3-year averages to compare the relative ranking of states]

Year	Median income, 3-year moving averages 1/		
	United States (dollars)	Standard error	Rank between 2/
1984-1986	45,326	161	22&23
1985-1987	46,283	167	23&24
1986-1988	47,131	166	24&25
1987-1989	47,730	172	22&23
1988-1990	47,965	177	21&22
1989-1991	47,575	171	20&21
1990-1992	46,775	159	23&24
1991-1993	46,116	152	23&24
1992-1994	46,085	150	23&24
1993-1995	46,665	163	22&23
1994-1996	47,551	173	22&23
1995-1997	48,599	175	22&23
1996-1998	49,763	180	22&23
1997-1999 3/	51,126	184	22&23
1998-2000 4/	52,127	170	21&22
1999 3/ - 2001	52,148	133	20&21
2000 4/ - 2002	51,537	113	24&25
2001-2003	50,941	127	24&25
2002-2004 5/	50,667	144	20&21
2003-2005 5/	50,780	145	21&22
2004-2006 5/	51,034	142	22&23
2005-2007	51,576	128	20&21
2006-2008	51,313	118	22&23

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	Hawaii (dollars)	Standard error	Rank 2/
1984-1986	55,541	1,748	5
1985-1987	57,708	1,632	5
1986-1988	58,538	1,572	6
1987-1989	59,997	1,600	5
1988-1990	59,550	1,644	6
1989-1991	59,439	1,628	6
1990-1992	60,966	1,627	3
1991-1993	61,113	1,677	3
1992-1994	62,207	1,933	2
1993-1995	61,138	1,908	2
1994-1996	59,299	1,819	3
1995-1997	57,315	1,496	5
1996-1998	55,230	1,746	14
1997-1999 3/	55,372	1,768	16
1998-2000 4/	58,604	1,675	10
1999 3/ - 2001	59,883	1,257	9
2000 4/ - 2002	59,585	1,085	10
2001-2003	58,329	1,106	11
2002-2004 5/	60,468	1,189	8
2003-2005 5/	63,502	1,147	4
2004-2006 5/	64,800	1,139	3
2005-2007	65,591	1,231	4
2006-2008	64,193	1,280	5

1/ Median income in 2008 CPI-U-RS adjusted dollars. The CPI-U-RS is a price index of inflation that incorporates most of the improvements in methodology made to the current CPI-U since 1978 into a single, uniform series. Base year was 2007 in *Data Book 2008*.

2/ Rank among the 50 states and the District of Columbia. A rank of 1 indicates the highest median income and a rank for the United States average indicates its relative place among the 50 states and District of Columbia.

3/ Implementation of Census 2000-based population controls.

4/ Implementation of a 28,000 household sample expansion.

5/ Data had been revised to reflect a correction to the weights in the 2005 Annual Social and Economic Supplement to the Current Population Survey.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, "Table H-8B. Median Income of Households by State: 1984 to 2008 Three-Year Moving Averages" <<http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/income/histinc/h08B.xls>> accessed December 7, 2009; and calculations by Hawaii Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism.