



Hawaii

S2301. Employment Status

Data Set: 2007 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates

Survey: American Community Survey

NOTE: For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see Survey Methodology.

Subject	Total	Margin of Error	In labor force	Margin of Error	Employed	Margin of Error	Unemployment rate	Margin of Error
Population 16 years and over	1,030,247	+/-1,318	65.4%	+/-0.6	58.9%	+/-0.7	4.5%	+/-0.4
AGE								
16 to 19 years	66,273	+/-2,358	43.3%	+/-3.0	32.8%	+/-3.1	19.5%	+/-3.7
20 to 24 years	90,250	+/-2,165	75.7%	+/-2.9	57.1%	+/-3.4	8.0%	+/-2.0
25 to 44 years	355,997	+/-2,313	82.9%	+/-1.0	73.7%	+/-1.2	4.1%	+/-0.6
45 to 54 years	183,891	+/-1,171	83.6%	+/-1.3	80.0%	+/-1.6	3.1%	+/-0.7
55 to 64 years	149,344	+/-861	65.9%	+/-1.9	63.9%	+/-1.9	2.8%	+/-0.6
65 to 74 years	87,772	+/-897	25.5%	+/-1.8	25.0%	+/-1.7	1.9%	+/-1.4
75 years and over	96,720	+/-1,024	7.2%	+/-1.2	7.2%	+/-1.2	0.0%	+/-2.4
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN								
One race	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
White	287,971	+/-2,619	67.9%	+/-1.1	57.1%	+/-1.2	4.2%	+/-0.8
Black or African American	20,777	+/-1,670	78.4%	+/-6.7	50.9%	+/-7.2	4.2%	+/-3.7
American Indian and Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Asian	437,132	+/-6,617	60.4%	+/-0.9	58.4%	+/-1.0	2.6%	+/-0.5
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	82,091	+/-2,902	65.8%	+/-2.6	60.4%	+/-2.4	7.4%	+/-1.9
Some other race	14,499	+/-2,254	71.4%	+/-6.0	47.8%	+/-7.7	3.8%	+/-3.9
Two or more races	185,102	+/-8,442	71.3%	+/-1.6	64.5%	+/-1.6	7.8%	+/-1.3
Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race)	71,131	+/-570	70.8%	+/-2.8	57.9%	+/-2.9	8.1%	+/-2.4
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	268,767	+/-806	67.6%	+/-1.1	57.0%	+/-1.1	4.1%	+/-0.8
Population 20 to 64 years	779,482	+/-1,947	79.0%	+/-0.7	71.4%	+/-0.8	4.0%	+/-0.4
SEX								
Male	399,700	+/-1,315	84.3%	+/-0.9	73.4%	+/-1.1	4.1%	+/-0.6
Female	379,782	+/-1,344	73.3%	+/-1.1	69.2%	+/-1.1	3.9%	+/-0.6
With own children under 6 years	63,534	+/-3,131	63.2%	+/-3.4	58.1%	+/-3.4	4.8%	+/-1.9
POVERTY STATUS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS								
Below poverty level	57,551	+/-3,924	40.9%	+/-3.8	33.3%	+/-4.1	17.9%	+/-4.3
DISABILITY STATUS								
With any disability	77,178	+/-5,034	47.1%	+/-2.9	43.3%	+/-2.9	6.5%	+/-1.7
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT								
Population 25 to 64 years	689,232	+/-2,109	79.4%	+/-0.6	73.3%	+/-0.8	3.6%	+/-0.4
Less than high school graduate	48,328	+/-3,421	61.6%	+/-4.0	58.0%	+/-4.2	5.8%	+/-1.9
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	194,564	+/-6,754	76.5%	+/-1.5	70.7%	+/-1.6	5.4%	+/-0.8
Some college or associate's								

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degree	230,955	+/-7,954	80.9%	+/-1.2	73.0%	+/-1.5	3.1%	+/-0.8
Bachelor's degree or higher	215,385	+/-6,169	84.3%	+/-1.1	79.2%	+/-1.3	2.1%	+/-0.5
PERCENT IMPUTED								
Employment status for population 16 years and over	4.0%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2007 American Community Survey

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.

Notes:

- The "Employed" and "Unemployment rate" columns refer to the civilian population. For more information, see the [ACS Subject Definitions](#).
- 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](#).
- While the 2007 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the December 2006 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. The 2007 Puerto Rico Community Survey (PRCS) data generally reflect the December 2005 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 PRCS 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.

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. Selected migration, earnings, and income data are not available for certain geographic areas due to problems with group quarters data collection and imputation. See [Errata Note #44](#) for details.

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