

Hawaii

S2101. Veteran Status

Data Set: 2008 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	Veterans	Margin of Error	Nonveterans	Margin of Error
Civilian population 18 years and over	959,788	+/-2,951	106,372	+/-4,062	853,416	+/-4,847
PERIOD OF SERVICE						
Gulf War (9/2001 or later) veterans	(X)	(X)	14.4%	+/-1.7	(X)	(X)
Gulf War (8/1990 to 8/2001) veterans	(X)	(X)	17.2%	+/-1.8	(X)	(X)
Vietnam era veterans	(X)	(X)	35.0%	+/-2.0	(X)	(X)
Korean War veterans	(X)	(X)	13.3%	+/-1.5	(X)	(X)
World War II veterans	(X)	(X)	10.5%	+/-1.2	(X)	(X)
SEX						
Male	48.3%	+/-0.2	91.5%	+/-1.3	42.9%	+/-0.3
Female	51.7%	+/-0.2	8.5%	+/-1.3	57.1%	+/-0.3
AGE						
18 to 34 years	28.1%	+/-0.3	9.7%	+/-1.5	30.4%	+/-0.3
35 to 54 years	36.2%	+/-0.2	25.5%	+/-2.0	37.6%	+/-0.3
55 to 64 years	15.9%	+/-0.1	24.7%	+/-1.7	14.8%	+/-0.2
65 to 74 years	9.4%	+/-0.1	18.0%	+/-1.4	8.3%	+/-0.2
75 years and over	10.4%	+/-0.1	22.1%	+/-1.3	8.9%	+/-0.2
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN						
One race	N	N	N	N	N	N
White	27.3%	+/-0.3	38.2%	+/-1.9	25.9%	+/-0.4
Black or African American	1.7%	+/-0.2	4.9%	+/-1.2	1.3%	+/-0.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	N	N
Asian	44.2%	+/-0.7	36.5%	+/-1.9	45.1%	+/-0.8
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	8.7%	+/-0.3	5.6%	+/-1.1	9.1%	+/-0.3
Some other race	1.1%	+/-0.2	0.9%	+/-0.4	1.1%	+/-0.2
Two or more races	16.9%	+/-0.8	13.6%	+/-1.6	17.3%	+/-0.8
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	6.6%	+/-0.1	5.0%	+/-0.7	6.8%	+/-0.2
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	25.3%	+/-0.2	36.3%	+/-2.0	23.9%	+/-0.3
MEDIAN INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS (In 2008 Inflation-Adjusted Dollars)						
Civilian population 18 years and over with income	30,254	+/-431	42,274	+/-2,111	28,586	+/-826
Male	(X)	(X)	43,432	+/-2,516	34,293	+/-1,442
Female	(X)	(X)	28,487	+/-9,777	24,177	+/-686
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT						
Civilian population 25 years and over	847,467	+/-3,447	104,093	+/-4,050	743,374	+/-5,228
Less than high school graduate	10.0%	+/-0.5	5.6%	+/-0.9	10.6%	+/-0.6
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	29.1%	+/-1.0	28.8%	+/-2.2	29.2%	+/-1.0
Some college or associate's degree	32.0%	+/-0.9	35.9%	+/-2.4	31.4%	+/-0.9
Bachelor's degree or higher	28.9%	+/-0.9	29.7%	+/-2.3	28.8%	+/-1.0
EMPLOYMENT STATUS						
Civilian population 18 to 64 years	769,957	+/-3,177	63,704	+/-3,428	706,253	+/-4,509
Labor force participation rate	79.7%	+/-0.9	78.1%	+/-2.6	79.9%	+/-0.9
Civilian labor force 18 to 64 years	613,757	+/-7,152	49,784	+/-3,292	563,973	+/-7,136
Unemployment rate	3.9%	+/-0.4	2.8%	+/-1.0	4.0%	+/-0.5
POVERTY STATUS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS						
Civilian population 18 years and over	946,939	+/-2,948	105,620	+/-4,128	841,319	+/-4,877

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Below poverty in the past 12 months	9.1%	+/-0.7	4.1%	+/-0.9	9.7%	+/-0.7
DISABILITY STATUS						
Civilian population 18 years and over	946,939	+/-2,948	105,620	+/-4,128	841,319	+/-4,877
With any disability	13.0%	+/-0.5	21.5%	+/-2.0	11.9%	+/-0.5
PERCENT IMPUTED						
Veteran status for the population 18 years and over	4.2%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Period of service for the civilian veteran population 18 years and over	7.7%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2008 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 categories under period of service are not necessarily mutually exclusive. Veterans may have served in more than one period.
- While the 2008 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the November 2007 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 2008 Puerto Rico Community Survey (PRCS) data generally reflect the November 2007 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.

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