

Hawaii

S1251. Characteristics of People with a Marital Event in the Last 12 Months

Data Set: 2009 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		Married in the last 12 months				Divorced in the last 12 months			
	Population 15 years and over	Margin of Error	Male	Margin of Error	Female	Margin of Error	Male	Margin of Error	Female	Margin of Error
Population 15 years and over	1,052,661	+/-1,074	13,176	+/-2,206	11,490	+/-1,769	4,366	+/-1,102	4,098	+/-1,003
AGE										
Median age	44.7	+/-0.2	28.4	+/-1.1	28.7	+/-1.4	41.6	+/-5.0	38.6	+/-4.3
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT										
Population 18 years and over	1,004,822	+/-364	12,884	+/-2,226	11,261	+/-1,777	4,366	+/-1,102	4,098	+/-1,003
Bachelor's degree or higher	27.0%	+/-0.7	18.2%	+/-4.8	29.7%	+/-6.5	18.3%	+/-11.2	28.8%	+/-12.7
LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION										
Population 16 years and over	1,037,673	+/-1,653	12,946	+/-2,207	11,261	+/-1,777	4,366	+/-1,102	4,098	+/-1,003
In labor force	67.5%	+/-0.6	91.5%	+/-3.8	70.8%	+/-6.4	82.2%	+/-8.9	85.1%	+/-8.4
Not in labor force	32.5%	+/-0.6	8.5%	+/-3.8	29.2%	+/-6.4	17.8%	+/-8.9	14.9%	+/-8.4
POVERTY STATUS IN PAST 12 MONTHS										
Population for whom poverty status is determined	1,024,893	+/-1,988	12,906	+/-2,193	11,205	+/-1,731	4,239	+/-1,108	4,094	+/-1,001
Below poverty	9.6%	+/-0.7	6.1%	+/-3.3	7.1%	+/-4.4	N	N	30.4%	+/-11.8
PRESENCE OF OWN CHILD UNDER 18 YEARS										
Population in households	1,018,025	+/-1,047	12,906	+/-2,193	11,205	+/-1,731	4,186	+/-1,101	4,094	+/-1,001
With an own child under 18 years	25.7%	+/-0.7	28.8%	+/-7.9	33.5%	+/-7.0	13.2%	+/-7.7	45.0%	+/-14.3
HOUSING TENURE										
Population 15 years and over in occupied housing units	1,018,025	+/-1,047	12,906	+/-2,193	11,205	+/-1,731	4,186	+/-1,101	4,094	+/-1,001
Owner-occupied housing units	61.9%	+/-1.3	31.9%	+/-7.1	35.1%	+/-7.1	63.4%	+/-11.9	54.3%	+/-11.7
Renter-occupied housing units	38.1%	+/-1.3	68.1%	+/-7.1	64.9%	+/-7.1	36.6%	+/-11.9	45.7%	+/-11.7

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2009 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:

·While the 2009 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the November 2008 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.

Explanation of Symbols:

- 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.
- 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.
- An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
- An '+' following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
- 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.
- An '*****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.
- 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.
- An '(X)' means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.