



State House District 15, Hawaii

Selected Social Characteristics in the United States: 2005-2009

Data Set: 2005-2009 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Survey: American Community Survey

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Selected Social Characteristics in the United States	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	7,706	+/-282	7,706	(X)
Family households (families)	5,441	+/-354	70.6%	+/-3.6
With own children under 18 years	2,363	+/-299	30.7%	+/-3.7
Married-couple family	4,474	+/-335	58.1%	+/-3.7
With own children under 18 years	1,834	+/-268	23.8%	+/-3.4
Male householder, no wife present, family	408	+/-110	5.3%	+/-1.4
With own children under 18 years	199	+/-80	2.6%	+/-1.0
Female householder, no husband present, family	559	+/-141	7.3%	+/-1.8
With own children under 18 years	330	+/-114	4.3%	+/-1.5
Nonfamily households	2,265	+/-283	29.4%	+/-3.6
Householder living alone	1,596	+/-247	20.7%	+/-3.3
65 years and over	795	+/-176	10.3%	+/-2.2
Households with one or more people under 18 years	2,789	+/-308	36.2%	+/-3.7
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	2,253	+/-217	29.2%	+/-2.6
Average household size	2.86	+/-0.13	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.33	+/-0.17	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	22,001	+/-1,060	22,001	(X)
Householder	7,706	+/-282	35.0%	+/-1.6
Spouse	4,461	+/-312	20.3%	+/-1.1
Child	6,149	+/-654	27.9%	+/-2.1
Other relatives	2,085	+/-448	9.5%	+/-1.9
Nonrelatives	1,600	+/-346	7.3%	+/-1.6
Unmarried partner	511	+/-139	2.3%	+/-0.7
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	9,311	+/-459	9,311	(X)
Never married	3,047	+/-396	32.7%	+/-3.5
Now married, except separated	5,248	+/-382	56.4%	+/-3.4
Separated	35	+/-34	0.4%	+/-0.4
Widowed	310	+/-85	3.3%	+/-0.9
Divorced	671	+/-147	7.2%	+/-1.6
Females 15 years and over	8,922	+/-431	8,922	(X)
Never married	2,089	+/-300	23.4%	+/-2.8
Now married, except separated	4,836	+/-323	54.2%	+/-3.1
Separated	221	+/-119	2.5%	+/-1.3
Widowed	965	+/-182	10.8%	+/-2.0
Divorced	811	+/-182	9.1%	+/-2.1
FERTILITY				

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Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	374	+/-141	374	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	151	+/-104	40.4%	+/-22.5
Per 1,000 unmarried women	71	+/-47	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	77	+/-28	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	77	+/-99	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	131	+/-54	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	35	+/-34	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	868	+/-289	868	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	208	+/-113	24.0%	+/-10.5
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	81	+/-87	9.3%	+/-9.1
1 or 2 years	59	+/-49	6.8%	+/-5.7
3 or 4 years	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-3.7
5 or more years	68	+/-60	7.8%	+/-6.9
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	208	+/-113	208	(X)
Who are female	71	+/-41	34.1%	+/-18.7
Who are married	203	+/-112	97.6%	+/-4.3
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	5,191	+/-597	5,191	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	343	+/-132	6.6%	+/-2.5
Kindergarten	190	+/-88	3.7%	+/-1.6
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	2,393	+/-367	46.1%	+/-4.7
High school (grades 9-12)	1,357	+/-256	26.1%	+/-3.8
College or graduate school	908	+/-257	17.5%	+/-4.5
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	15,630	+/-642	15,630	(X)
Less than 9th grade	1,137	+/-235	7.3%	+/-1.5
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	802	+/-219	5.1%	+/-1.4
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	4,482	+/-406	28.7%	+/-2.3
Some college, no degree	3,696	+/-482	23.6%	+/-2.9
Associate's degree	1,746	+/-294	11.2%	+/-1.8
Bachelor's degree	2,659	+/-369	17.0%	+/-2.3
Graduate or professional degree	1,108	+/-222	7.1%	+/-1.4
Percent high school graduate or higher	87.6%	+/-1.7	(X)	(X)
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	24.1%	+/-2.6	(X)	(X)
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	17,216	+/-705	17,216	(X)
Civilian veterans	1,531	+/-238	8.9%	+/-1.5
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	22,107	+/-1,014	22,107	(X)
Same house	18,254	+/-1,028	82.6%	+/-3.3
Different house in the U.S.	3,443	+/-741	15.6%	+/-3.2
Same county	2,403	+/-652	10.9%	+/-2.9
Different county	1,040	+/-284	4.7%	+/-1.2
Same state	434	+/-168	2.0%	+/-0.8
Different state	606	+/-229	2.7%	+/-1.0
Abroad	410	+/-248	1.9%	+/-1.1
PLACE OF BIRTH				

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	22,417	+/-1,056	22,417	(X)
Native	19,187	+/-1,009	85.6%	+/-2.1
Born in United States	18,916	+/-1,026	84.4%	+/-2.2
State of residence	12,880	+/-979	57.5%	+/-2.9
Different state	6,036	+/-547	26.9%	+/-2.4
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	271	+/-91	1.2%	+/-0.4
Foreign born	3,230	+/-493	14.4%	+/-2.1
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	3,230	+/-493	3,230	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	1,988	+/-367	61.5%	+/-7.5
Not a U.S. citizen	1,242	+/-319	38.5%	+/-7.5
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	3,501	+/-523	3,501	(X)
Native	271	+/-91	271	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	27	+/-38	10.0%	+/-14.2
Entered before 2000	244	+/-94	90.0%	+/-14.2
Foreign born	3,230	+/-493	3,230	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	588	+/-214	18.2%	+/-5.4
Entered before 2000	2,642	+/-391	81.8%	+/-5.4
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	3,230	+/-493	3,230	(X)
Europe	261	+/-110	8.1%	+/-3.4
Asia	2,622	+/-438	81.2%	+/-6.4
Africa	18	+/-29	0.6%	+/-0.9
Oceania	81	+/-55	2.5%	+/-1.7
Latin America	91	+/-63	2.8%	+/-2.0
Northern America	157	+/-141	4.9%	+/-4.1
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	21,077	+/-951	21,077	(X)
English only	17,326	+/-1,009	82.2%	+/-2.5
Language other than English	3,751	+/-533	17.8%	+/-2.5
Speak English less than "very well"	1,428	+/-346	6.8%	+/-1.6
Spanish	354	+/-135	1.7%	+/-0.7
Speak English less than "very well"	27	+/-28	0.1%	+/-0.1
Other Indo-European languages	304	+/-117	1.4%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	49	+/-63	0.2%	+/-0.3
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	3,069	+/-512	14.6%	+/-2.4
Speak English less than "very well"	1,347	+/-328	6.4%	+/-1.6
Other languages	24	+/-27	0.1%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	5	+/-7	0.0%	+/-0.1
ANCESTRY				
Total population	22,417	+/-1,056	22,417	(X)
American	429	+/-258	1.9%	+/-1.1
Arab	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.1
Czech	10	+/-15	0.0%	+/-0.1
Danish	98	+/-56	0.4%	+/-0.2
Dutch	124	+/-78	0.6%	+/-0.3
English	1,538	+/-345	6.9%	+/-1.5
French (except Basque)	418	+/-195	1.9%	+/-0.9
French Canadian	36	+/-32	0.2%	+/-0.1
German	1,744	+/-341	7.8%	+/-1.5
Greek	64	+/-47	0.3%	+/-0.2
Hungarian	24	+/-27	0.1%	+/-0.1
Irish	795	+/-211	3.5%	+/-1.0
Italian	547	+/-187	2.4%	+/-0.8
Lithuanian	53	+/-75	0.2%	+/-0.3
Norwegian	389	+/-164	1.7%	+/-0.7
Polish	183	+/-95	0.8%	+/-0.4
Portuguese	1,632	+/-416	7.3%	+/-1.8
Russian	165	+/-93	0.7%	+/-0.4
Scotch-Irish	256	+/-140	1.1%	+/-0.6
Scottish	362	+/-128	1.6%	+/-0.6
Slovak	20	+/-34	0.1%	+/-0.2

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	29	+/-34	0.1%	+/-0.2
Swedish	67	+/-48	0.3%	+/-0.2
Swiss	59	+/-51	0.3%	+/-0.2
Ukrainian	4	+/-5	0.0%	+/-0.1
Welsh	139	+/-109	0.6%	+/-0.5
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	34	+/-42	0.2%	+/-0.2

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Notes:

- Ancestry listed in this table refers to the total number of people who responded with a particular ancestry; for example, the estimate given for Russian represents the number of people who listed Russian as either their first or second ancestry. This table lists only the largest ancestry groups; see the Detailed Tables for more categories. Race and Hispanic origin groups are not included in this table because official data for those groups come from the Race and Hispanic origin questions rather than the ancestry question (see Demographic Table).
- The Census Bureau introduced a new set of disability questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Because of contextual differences between the 2008-2009 disability data and disability data collected in prior years, the Census Bureau is unable to combine the 5 years of disability data in order to produce the multi-year estimate that would appear in this table. Multi-year estimates of disability status will become available once five consecutive years of data are collected. For more information about the differences between the 2008 and prior years' disability questions, see [Review of Changes to the Measurement of Disability in the 2008 ACS](#).
- Data for year of entry of the native population reflect the year of entry into the U.S. by people who were born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island Areas or born outside the U.S. to a U.S. citizen parent and who subsequently moved to the U.S.
- While the 2005-2009 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:

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.
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3. An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
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EMPLOYMENT STATUS				
Population 16 years and over	18,076	+/-743	18,076	(X)
In labor force	12,554	+/-710	69.5%	+/-2.4
Civilian labor force	12,476	+/-699	69.0%	+/-2.4
Employed	11,788	+/-684	65.2%	+/-2.5
Unemployed	688	+/-214	3.8%	+/-1.2
Armed Forces	78	+/-69	0.4%	+/-0.4
Not in labor force	5,522	+/-474	30.5%	+/-2.4
Civilian labor force	12,476	+/-699	12,476	(X)
Percent Unemployed	5.5%	+/-1.7	(X)	(X)
Females 16 years and over				
Population 16 years and over	8,892	+/-432	8,892	(X)
In labor force	5,755	+/-418	64.7%	+/-3.0
Civilian labor force	5,755	+/-418	64.7%	+/-3.0
Employed	5,515	+/-422	62.0%	+/-3.2
Own children under 6 years				
Population 16 years and over	1,455	+/-260	1,455	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	1,118	+/-247	76.8%	+/-8.8
Own children 6 to 17 years				
Population 16 years and over	3,326	+/-406	3,326	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	2,885	+/-403	86.7%	+/-4.5
COMMUTING TO WORK				
Workers 16 years and over	11,367	+/-687	11,367	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	8,784	+/-641	77.3%	+/-3.2
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	1,580	+/-328	13.9%	+/-2.8
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	42	+/-40	0.4%	+/-0.4
Walked	146	+/-69	1.3%	+/-0.6
Other means	224	+/-101	2.0%	+/-0.9
Worked at home	591	+/-234	5.2%	+/-2.1
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	17.1	+/-1.1	(X)	(X)
OCCUPATION				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	11,788	+/-684	11,788	(X)
Management, professional, and related occupations	3,795	+/-417	32.2%	+/-3.0
Service occupations	2,494	+/-341	21.2%	+/-2.6
Sales and office occupations	3,463	+/-431	29.4%	+/-3.1
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	33	+/-28	0.3%	+/-0.2
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations	1,205	+/-242	10.2%	+/-2.0
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	798	+/-195	6.8%	+/-1.7
INDUSTRY				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	11,788	+/-684	11,788	(X)

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Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	107	+/-57	0.9%	+/-0.5
Construction	933	+/-206	7.9%	+/-1.7
Manufacturing	186	+/-100	1.6%	+/-0.9
Wholesale trade	198	+/-82	1.7%	+/-0.7
Retail trade	2,061	+/-314	17.5%	+/-2.5
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	728	+/-222	6.2%	+/-1.8
Information	244	+/-134	2.1%	+/-1.1
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	808	+/-204	6.9%	+/-1.7
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	876	+/-223	7.4%	+/-1.9
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	1,892	+/-288	16.1%	+/-2.1
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	2,440	+/-421	20.7%	+/-3.4
Other services, except public administration	540	+/-215	4.6%	+/-1.8
Public administration	775	+/-196	6.6%	+/-1.7
CLASS OF WORKER				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	11,788	+/-684	11,788	(X)
Private wage and salary workers	8,977	+/-673	76.2%	+/-3.0
Government workers	1,861	+/-278	15.8%	+/-2.3
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	935	+/-203	7.9%	+/-1.7
Unpaid family workers	15	+/-24	0.1%	+/-0.2
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2009 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)				
Total households	7,706	+/-282	7,706	(X)
Less than \$10,000	422	+/-143	5.5%	+/-1.9
\$10,000 to \$14,999	153	+/-72	2.0%	+/-0.9
\$15,000 to \$24,999	593	+/-146	7.7%	+/-1.8
\$25,000 to \$34,999	610	+/-172	7.9%	+/-2.2
\$35,000 to \$49,999	765	+/-194	9.9%	+/-2.5
\$50,000 to \$74,999	1,929	+/-300	25.0%	+/-3.8
\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,362	+/-223	17.7%	+/-2.9
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1,205	+/-223	15.6%	+/-2.8
\$150,000 to \$199,999	447	+/-123	5.8%	+/-1.7
\$200,000 or more	220	+/-96	2.9%	+/-1.3
Median household income (dollars)	69,348	+/-5,223	(X)	(X)
Mean household income (dollars)	75,650	+/-3,696	(X)	(X)
With earnings	6,341	+/-305	82.3%	+/-2.4
Mean earnings (dollars)	71,294	+/-3,865	(X)	(X)
With Social Security	2,469	+/-226	32.0%	+/-2.8
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	15,306	+/-1,225	(X)	(X)
With retirement income	1,816	+/-200	23.6%	+/-2.6
Mean retirement income (dollars)	22,169	+/-3,246	(X)	(X)
With Supplemental Security Income	195	+/-110	2.5%	+/-1.4
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	8,085	+/-1,301	(X)	(X)
With cash public assistance income	267	+/-121	3.5%	+/-1.6
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	6,415	+/-2,983	(X)	(X)
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	411	+/-167	5.3%	+/-2.2
Families	5,441	+/-354	5,441	(X)
Less than \$10,000	151	+/-89	2.8%	+/-1.6
\$10,000 to \$14,999	45	+/-39	0.8%	+/-0.7
\$15,000 to \$24,999	282	+/-103	5.2%	+/-1.8
\$25,000 to \$34,999	305	+/-99	5.6%	+/-1.8
\$35,000 to \$49,999	480	+/-136	8.8%	+/-2.4
\$50,000 to \$74,999	1,644	+/-279	30.2%	+/-4.5
\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,149	+/-223	21.1%	+/-3.9
\$100,000 to \$149,999	820	+/-192	15.1%	+/-3.3
\$150,000 to \$199,999	357	+/-108	6.6%	+/-2.0
\$200,000 or more	208	+/-95	3.8%	+/-1.8
Median family income (dollars)	72,317	+/-2,870	(X)	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	82,695	+/-4,675	(X)	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)	26,615	+/-1,268	(X)	(X)
Nonfamily households	2,265	+/-283	2,265	(X)
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	38,064	+/-5,495	(X)	(X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	51,449	+/-5,900	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	31,065	+/-1,031	(X)	(X)

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	40,522	+/-1,422	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	35,630	+/-2,270	(X)	(X)
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE				
Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With private health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With public health coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
No health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
No health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL				
All families	4.7%	+/-1.8	(X)	(X)
With related children under 18 years	6.8%	+/-3.4	(X)	(X)
With related children under 5 years only	11.1%	+/-15.0	(X)	(X)
Married couple families	2.0%	+/-1.1	(X)	(X)
With related children under 18 years	2.4%	+/-1.8	(X)	(X)
With related children under 5 years only	0.0%	+/-9.1	(X)	(X)
Families with female householder, no husband present	27.0%	+/-14.1	(X)	(X)
With related children under 18 years	30.8%	+/-18.3	(X)	(X)
With related children under 5 years only	47.6%	+/-52.4	(X)	(X)
All people	7.4%	+/-1.8	(X)	(X)
Under 18 years	6.4%	+/-3.2	(X)	(X)
Related children under 18 years	6.3%	+/-3.2	(X)	(X)
Related children under 5 years	9.8%	+/-9.0	(X)	(X)
Related children 5 to 17 years	5.1%	+/-2.7	(X)	(X)
18 years and over	7.7%	+/-1.7	(X)	(X)
18 to 64 years	7.2%	+/-1.8	(X)	(X)
65 years and over	9.8%	+/-3.4	(X)	(X)
People in families	4.0%	+/-1.5	(X)	(X)
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	22.9%	+/-5.8	(X)	(X)

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- Selected earnings and income data are not available for certain geographic areas due to problems with group quarters data collection and imputation. See the [ACS User Notes](#) for details.
- Logical coverage edits applying a rules-based assignment of Medicaid, Medicare and military health coverage were added in 2009 -- please see http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/hlthins/publications/coverage_edits_final.pdf for more details.
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State House District 15, Hawaii

Selected Housing Characteristics: 2005-2009

Data Set: 2005-2009 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Survey: American Community Survey

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Selected Housing Characteristics	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Margin of Error
HOUSING OCCUPANCY				
Total housing units	8,714	+/-221	8,714	(X)
Occupied housing units	7,706	+/-282	88.4%	+/-2.5
Vacant housing units	1,008	+/-217	11.6%	+/-2.5
Homeowner vacancy rate	2.6	+/-1.9	(X)	(X)
Rental vacancy rate	4.5	+/-2.6	(X)	(X)
UNITS IN STRUCTURE				
Total housing units	8,714	+/-221	8,714	(X)
1-unit, detached	5,916	+/-281	67.9%	+/-2.5
1-unit, attached	732	+/-154	8.4%	+/-1.7
2 units	314	+/-94	3.6%	+/-1.1
3 or 4 units	290	+/-130	3.3%	+/-1.5
5 to 9 units	382	+/-118	4.4%	+/-1.4
10 to 19 units	411	+/-147	4.7%	+/-1.7
20 or more units	669	+/-143	7.7%	+/-1.7
Mobile home	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Boat, RV, van, etc.	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT				
Total housing units	8,714	+/-221	8,714	(X)
Built 2005 or later	561	+/-156	6.4%	+/-1.8
Built 2000 to 2004	552	+/-153	6.3%	+/-1.7
Built 1990 to 1999	2,121	+/-292	24.3%	+/-3.3
Built 1980 to 1989	1,728	+/-288	19.8%	+/-3.4
Built 1970 to 1979	2,046	+/-278	23.5%	+/-3.0
Built 1960 to 1969	811	+/-155	9.3%	+/-1.8
Built 1950 to 1959	505	+/-123	5.8%	+/-1.4
Built 1940 to 1949	171	+/-89	2.0%	+/-1.0
Built 1939 or earlier	219	+/-82	2.5%	+/-1.0
ROOMS				
Total housing units	8,714	+/-221	8,714	(X)
1 room	152	+/-106	1.7%	+/-1.2
2 rooms	567	+/-187	6.5%	+/-2.1
3 rooms	1,115	+/-223	12.8%	+/-2.5
4 rooms	1,960	+/-264	22.5%	+/-2.9
5 rooms	1,974	+/-244	22.7%	+/-2.9
6 rooms	1,535	+/-256	17.6%	+/-3.0
7 rooms	778	+/-182	8.9%	+/-2.0
8 rooms	293	+/-89	3.4%	+/-1.0
9 rooms or more	340	+/-97	3.9%	+/-1.1
Median rooms	4.8	+/-0.2	(X)	(X)

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BEDROOMS				
Total housing units	8,714	+/-221	8,714	(X)
No bedroom	160	+/-106	1.8%	+/-1.2
1 bedroom	985	+/-215	11.3%	+/-2.4
2 bedrooms	2,149	+/-291	24.7%	+/-3.3
3 bedrooms	4,050	+/-279	46.5%	+/-3.0
4 bedrooms	899	+/-193	10.3%	+/-2.2
5 or more bedrooms	471	+/-110	5.4%	+/-1.3
HOUSING TENURE				
Occupied housing units	7,706	+/-282	7,706	(X)
Owner-occupied	5,134	+/-297	66.6%	+/-3.4
Renter-occupied	2,572	+/-288	33.4%	+/-3.4
Average household size of owner-occupied unit	2.90	+/-0.15	(X)	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	2.77	+/-0.30	(X)	(X)
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT				
Occupied housing units	7,706	+/-282	7,706	(X)
Moved in 2005 or later	2,262	+/-319	29.4%	+/-3.9
Moved in 2000 to 2004	1,997	+/-226	25.9%	+/-2.9
Moved in 1990 to 1999	1,512	+/-219	19.6%	+/-2.7
Moved in 1980 to 1989	685	+/-138	8.9%	+/-1.8
Moved in 1970 to 1979	725	+/-147	9.4%	+/-1.8
Moved in 1969 or earlier	525	+/-114	6.8%	+/-1.4
VEHICLES AVAILABLE				
Occupied housing units	7,706	+/-282	7,706	(X)
No vehicles available	357	+/-122	4.6%	+/-1.6
1 vehicle available	1,947	+/-258	25.3%	+/-3.1
2 vehicles available	3,228	+/-308	41.9%	+/-3.7
3 or more vehicles available	2,174	+/-251	28.2%	+/-3.2
HOUSE HEATING FUEL				
Occupied housing units	7,706	+/-282	7,706	(X)
Utility gas	124	+/-69	1.6%	+/-0.9
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	348	+/-114	4.5%	+/-1.4
Electricity	1,977	+/-232	25.7%	+/-2.8
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Coal or coke	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Wood	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
Solar energy	243	+/-87	3.2%	+/-1.1
Other fuel	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.4
No fuel used	5,014	+/-307	65.1%	+/-3.4
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS				
Occupied housing units	7,706	+/-282	7,706	(X)
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	14	+/-20	0.2%	+/-0.3
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	154	+/-87	2.0%	+/-1.1
No telephone service available	229	+/-116	3.0%	+/-1.5
OCCUPANTS PER ROOM				
Occupied housing units	7,706	+/-282	7,706	(X)
1.00 or less	7,045	+/-318	91.4%	+/-2.6
1.01 to 1.50	334	+/-140	4.3%	+/-1.8
1.51 or more	327	+/-192	4.2%	+/-2.5
VALUE				
Owner-occupied units	5,134	+/-297	5,134	(X)
Less than \$50,000	23	+/-28	0.4%	+/-0.5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	58	+/-59	1.1%	+/-1.1
\$100,000 to \$149,999	88	+/-60	1.7%	+/-1.2
\$150,000 to \$199,999	87	+/-62	1.7%	+/-1.2
\$200,000 to \$299,999	414	+/-134	8.1%	+/-2.5
\$300,000 to \$499,999	1,264	+/-186	24.6%	+/-3.5
\$500,000 to \$999,999	2,724	+/-240	53.1%	+/-3.9
\$1,000,000 or more	476	+/-146	9.3%	+/-2.8
Median (dollars)	579,100	+/-23,175	(X)	(X)

Selected Housing Characteristics	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Margin of Error
MORTGAGE STATUS				
Owner-occupied units	5,134	+/-297	5,134	(X)
Housing units with a mortgage	3,416	+/-306	66.5%	+/-4.2
Housing units without a mortgage	1,718	+/-225	33.5%	+/-4.2
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS (SMOC)				
Housing units with a mortgage	3,416	+/-306	3,416	(X)
Less than \$300	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.9
\$300 to \$499	57	+/-48	1.7%	+/-1.4
\$500 to \$699	53	+/-43	1.6%	+/-1.2
\$700 to \$999	186	+/-87	5.4%	+/-2.4
\$1,000 to \$1,499	489	+/-134	14.3%	+/-3.6
\$1,500 to \$1,999	832	+/-180	24.4%	+/-5.1
\$2,000 or more	1,799	+/-273	52.7%	+/-6.5
Median (dollars)	2,067	+/-149	(X)	(X)
Housing units without a mortgage	1,718	+/-225	1,718	(X)
Less than \$100	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-1.9
\$100 to \$199	84	+/-50	4.9%	+/-2.9
\$200 to \$299	263	+/-85	15.3%	+/-4.9
\$300 to \$399	266	+/-94	15.5%	+/-5.2
\$400 or more	1,105	+/-196	64.3%	+/-6.4
Median (dollars)	461	+/-26	(X)	(X)
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (SMOCAPI)				
Housing units with a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)	3,416	+/-306	3,416	(X)
Less than 20.0 percent	728	+/-173	21.3%	+/-4.5
20.0 to 24.9 percent	487	+/-175	14.3%	+/-5.1
25.0 to 29.9 percent	499	+/-141	14.6%	+/-4.0
30.0 to 34.9 percent	313	+/-120	9.2%	+/-3.6
35.0 percent or more	1,389	+/-250	40.7%	+/-6.0
Not computed	0	+/-119	(X)	(X)
Housing unit without a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)	1,681	+/-221	1,681	(X)
Less than 10.0 percent	763	+/-170	45.4%	+/-7.5
10.0 to 14.9 percent	275	+/-88	16.4%	+/-4.9
15.0 to 19.9 percent	194	+/-82	11.5%	+/-4.7
20.0 to 24.9 percent	145	+/-66	8.6%	+/-3.6
25.0 to 29.9 percent	22	+/-25	1.3%	+/-1.5
30.0 to 34.9 percent	59	+/-49	3.5%	+/-2.8
35.0 percent or more	223	+/-79	13.3%	+/-4.7
Not computed	37	+/-39	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT				
Occupied units paying rent	2,357	+/-279	2,357	(X)
Less than \$200	36	+/-43	1.5%	+/-1.9
\$200 to \$299	22	+/-32	0.9%	+/-1.4
\$300 to \$499	134	+/-72	5.7%	+/-3.0
\$500 to \$749	258	+/-116	10.9%	+/-4.9
\$750 to \$999	399	+/-129	16.9%	+/-5.4
\$1,000 to \$1,499	708	+/-194	30.0%	+/-7.3
\$1,500 or more	800	+/-200	33.9%	+/-6.9
Median (dollars)	1,200	+/-99	(X)	(X)
No rent paid	215	+/-113	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (GRAPI)				
Occupied units paying rent (excluding units where GRAPI cannot be computed)	2,357	+/-279	2,357	(X)
Less than 15.0 percent	277	+/-109	11.8%	+/-4.7
15.0 to 19.9 percent	440	+/-155	18.7%	+/-6.2
20.0 to 24.9 percent	308	+/-127	13.1%	+/-5.3
25.0 to 29.9 percent	214	+/-111	9.1%	+/-4.4
30.0 to 34.9 percent	219	+/-89	9.3%	+/-3.7
35.0 percent or more	899	+/-235	38.1%	+/-8.8

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State House District 15, Hawaii
ACS Demographic and Housing Estimates: 2005-2009
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ACS Demographic and Housing Estimates	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Margin of Error
SEX AND AGE				
Total population	22,417	+/-1,056	22,417	(X)
Male	11,494	+/-577	51.3%	+/-1.3
Female	10,923	+/-626	48.7%	+/-1.3
Under 5 years	1,340	+/-228	6.0%	+/-0.9
5 to 9 years	1,295	+/-309	5.8%	+/-1.2
10 to 14 years	1,549	+/-257	6.9%	+/-1.1
15 to 19 years	1,354	+/-235	6.0%	+/-1.0
20 to 24 years	1,249	+/-279	5.6%	+/-1.2
25 to 34 years	3,091	+/-340	13.8%	+/-1.4
35 to 44 years	2,726	+/-286	12.2%	+/-1.1
45 to 54 years	3,555	+/-359	15.9%	+/-1.5
55 to 59 years	1,706	+/-254	7.6%	+/-1.1
60 to 64 years	1,271	+/-246	5.7%	+/-1.1
65 to 74 years	1,636	+/-193	7.3%	+/-1.0
75 to 84 years	1,051	+/-165	4.7%	+/-0.8
85 years and over	594	+/-180	2.6%	+/-0.8
Median age (years)	39.7	+/-1.8	(X)	(X)
18 years and over	17,294	+/-708	77.1%	+/-1.9
21 years and over	16,597	+/-673	74.0%	+/-2.0
62 years and over	4,094	+/-316	18.3%	+/-1.6
65 years and over	3,281	+/-287	14.6%	+/-1.5
18 years and over	17,294	+/-708	17,294	(X)
Male	8,776	+/-448	50.7%	+/-1.4
Female	8,518	+/-406	49.3%	+/-1.4
65 years and over	3,281	+/-287	3,281	(X)
Male	1,358	+/-133	41.4%	+/-2.9
Female	1,923	+/-212	58.6%	+/-2.9
RACE				
Total population	22,417	+/-1,056	22,417	(X)
One race	17,375	+/-943	77.5%	+/-3.8
Two or more races	5,042	+/-957	22.5%	+/-3.8
One race	17,375	+/-943	77.5%	+/-3.8
White	7,132	+/-589	31.8%	+/-2.2
Black or African American	309	+/-87	1.4%	+/-0.4
American Indian and Alaska Native	99	+/-68	0.4%	+/-0.3
Cherokee tribal grouping	12	+/-19	0.1%	+/-0.1
Chippewa tribal grouping	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.1

ACS Demographic and Housing Estimates	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Margin of Error
Navajo tribal grouping	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.1
Sioux tribal grouping	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.1
Asian	8,335	+/-754	37.2%	+/-3.6
Asian Indian	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.1
Chinese	319	+/-214	1.4%	+/-1.0
Filipino	4,628	+/-703	20.6%	+/-3.2
Japanese	2,838	+/-446	12.7%	+/-2.1
Korean	30	+/-29	0.1%	+/-0.1
Vietnamese	16	+/-22	0.1%	+/-0.1
Other Asian	504	+/-170	2.2%	+/-0.8
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1,406	+/-491	6.3%	+/-2.2
Native Hawaiian	1,282	+/-467	5.7%	+/-2.1
Guamanian or Chamorro	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.1
Samoa	78	+/-79	0.3%	+/-0.4
Other Pacific Islander	46	+/-33	0.2%	+/-0.1
Some other race	94	+/-70	0.4%	+/-0.3
Two or more races	5,042	+/-957	22.5%	+/-3.8
White and Black or African American	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.1
White and American Indian and Alaska Native	187	+/-71	0.8%	+/-0.3
White and Asian	1,703	+/-575	7.6%	+/-2.6
Black or African American and American Indian and Alaska Native	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.1
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races				
Total population	22,417	+/-1,056	22,417	(X)
White	11,097	+/-1,063	49.5%	+/-3.6
Black or African American	384	+/-111	1.7%	+/-0.5
American Indian and Alaska Native	679	+/-301	3.0%	+/-1.3
Asian	12,678	+/-839	56.6%	+/-2.8
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	4,279	+/-914	19.1%	+/-3.6
Some other race	228	+/-142	1.0%	+/-0.6
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE				
Total population	22,417	+/-1,056	22,417	(X)
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	2,313	+/-429	10.3%	+/-1.8
Mexican	470	+/-189	2.1%	+/-0.9
Puerto Rican	800	+/-282	3.6%	+/-1.3
Cuban	15	+/-20	0.1%	+/-0.1
Other Hispanic or Latino	1,028	+/-400	4.6%	+/-1.7
Not Hispanic or Latino	20,104	+/-1,006	89.7%	+/-1.8
White alone	6,645	+/-560	29.6%	+/-2.2
Black or African American alone	309	+/-87	1.4%	+/-0.4
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	12	+/-19	0.1%	+/-0.1
Asian alone	8,117	+/-745	36.2%	+/-3.5
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	1,328	+/-488	5.9%	+/-2.1
Some other race alone	9	+/-16	0.0%	+/-0.1
Two or more races	3,684	+/-878	16.4%	+/-3.6
Two races including Some other race	6	+/-10	0.0%	+/-0.1
Two races excluding Some other race, and Three or more races	3,678	+/-879	16.4%	+/-3.6
Total housing units	8,714	+/-221	(X)	(X)

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•For more information on understanding race and Hispanic origin data, please see the Census 2000 Brief entitled, [Overview of Race and Hispanic Origin](#), issued March 2001. (pdf format)

•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/www/socdemo/hispanic/reports.html>.

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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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