

Table 13.23-- ESTIMATED MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME AND POVERTY STATUS, BY COUNTY: 2013 AND 2014

[Beginning with the estimates for 2005, data from the American Community Survey (ACS) were used in the estimation procedure; all prior years used data from the Annual Social and Economic Supplements (ASEC) of the Current Population Survey (CPS). Comparisons between 2005-and-beyond Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates (SAIPE) estimates (based on ACS data) and SAIPE estimates for previous years (based on CPS ASEC data) are not advised because there is a break in the time-series due to the switch from one source to the other. Comparisons of pre-2005 state-level estimates are possible; and 2005-and-beyond estimates will be comparable. For detailed discussion, see source]

Item	Median household income		Persons in poverty 1/				Persons under 18 in poverty			
	Dollars	90% conf. interval 2/	Number	90% conf. interval 2/	Percent	90% conf. interval 2/	Number	90% conf. interval 2/	Percent	90% conf. interval 2/
2013										
State total	67,798	66,428 to 69,168	153,375	146,661 to 160,089	11.2	10.7 to 11.7	43,574	40,054 to 47,094	14.4	13.2 to 15.6
County										
Hawaii	47,377	43,831 to 50,923	36,553	31,483 to 41,623	19.5	16.8 to 22.2	10,712	8,542 to 12,882	25.8	20.6 to 31.0
Honolulu	72,649	71,213 to 74,085	91,757	84,180 to 99,334	9.6	8.8 to 10.4	25,612	22,176 to 29,048	12.2	10.6 to 13.8
Kalawao 3/	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Kauai	55,844	51,748 to 59,940	8,074	6,405 to 9,743	11.8	9.4 to 14.2	2,373	1,737 to 3,009	15.6	11.4 to 19.8
Maui 3/	62,277	59,084 to 65,470	16,991	13,848 to 20,134	10.7	8.7 to 12.7	4,876	3,537 to 6,215	13.8	10.0 to 17.6
2014										
State total	69,549	68,236 to 70,862	158,266	151,850 to 164,682	11.5	11.0 - 12.0	45,637	42,587 to 48,687	15.2	14.2 - 16.2
County										
Hawaii	51,887	49,875 to 53,899	34,598	30,030 to 39,166	18.1	15.7 - 20.5	10,515	8,538 to 12,492	25.3	20.6 - 30.0
Honolulu	73,985	72,489 to 75,481	93,994	86,946 to 101,042	9.8	9.1 - 10.5	26,685	23,679 to 29,691	12.8	11.4 - 14.2
Kalawao 3/	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Kauai	58,883	54,504 to 63,262	8,570	7,033 to 10,107	12.3	10.1 - 14.5	2,314	1,716 to 2,912	15.1	11.2 - 19.0
Maui 3/	64,916	62,156 to 67,676	21,103	17,925 to 24,281	13.1	11.1 - 15.1	6,124	4,892 to 7,356	17.3	13.8 - 20.8

NA Not available.

1/ Based on Mainland poverty thresholds. Official Hawaii thresholds are about 15 percent higher. See following table.

2/ A confidence interval is a range of values that describes the uncertainty surrounding an estimate and are one way to represent how "good" an estimate is; the larger a 90% confidence interval for a particular estimate, the more caution is required when using the estimate.

3/ Kalawao is a Census-designated county but is included in Maui County for other consideration.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates <<http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/saie/index.html>> accessed July 20, 2016.