

Table 13.18-- MEDIAN INCOME OF FOUR-PERSON FAMILIES IN HAWAII AND THE UNITED STATES: 1974 TO 2015

[Based on small samples and subject to considerable sampling variation. From surveys taken in March or April of following year. The methodology used to compute 4-person family median income by state uses the most recent data available from the March Current Population Survey (CPS), the American Community Survey and the decennial census of population conducted by the Census Bureau, as well as per capita personal income estimates produced by the Bureau of Economic Analysis. The Census Bureau recommends 2-year averages to evaluate changes in state estimates over time, and 3-year averages to compare the relative ranking of states]

Calendar year 1/	Hawaii (dollars)	United States (dollars)	Hawaii rank 2/	Hawaii as percent of U.S.
1974	17,069	14,747	2	115.7
1975	18,825	15,848	2	118.8
1976	20,113	17,315	2	116.2
1977	21,718	18,723	2	116.0
1978	22,475	20,428	3	110.0
1979	24,582	22,395	7	109.8
1980 3/	27,514	24,332	4	113.1
1981	29,295	26,274	6	111.5
1982	30,019	27,619	9	108.7
1983	31,614	29,184	10	108.3
1984	33,445	31,097	11	107.6
1985	34,636	32,777	10	105.7
1986	36,618	34,716	11	105.5
1987	40,878	36,812	6	111.0
1988	42,353	39,051	8	108.5
1989	44,988	40,763	8	110.4
1990	50,234	41,451	6	121.2
1991	49,367	43,056	6	114.7
1992	50,856	44,251	5	114.9
1993	54,856	45,161	4	121.5
1994	56,992	47,012	5	121.2
1995 4/	54,749	49,687	6	110.2
1996	57,909	51,518	6	112.4
1997	58,474	53,350	10	109.6
1998 5/	61,540	56,061	10	109.8
1999	66,402	59,981	7	110.7
2000	65,872	62,228	15	105.9
2001 6/	66,014	63,278	16	104.3
2002	67,564	62,732	13	107.7
2003	71,320	65,093	12	109.6
2004	73,477	66,111	10	111.1
2005	79,240	67,019	6	118.2

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2006	84,472	70,354	6	120.1
2007	84,438	72,336	6	116.7
2008	91,483	75,782	6	120.7
2009	85,190	73,714	8	115.6
2010	82,726	72,767	11	113.7
2011	82,973	74,563	13	111.3
2012	83,538	76,049	15	109.8
2013	88,217	77,953	11	113.2
2014	91,096	80,545	10	113.1
2015	96,837	82,508	9	117.4

1/ The term "calendar year" refers to the year the money income was received by the Current Population Survey respondents. Previous *Data Book's* tables included "fiscal year" (or, for this program, calendar year plus 3) which referred to the time period used for eligibility for the Department of Health and Human Services's Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP). Estimates are as published in the *Federal Register*.

2/ Rank computed among the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Rank of 1 indicates the highest median income.

3/ Implementation of 1980 census population controls in CPS estimates.

4/ Implementation of 1990 census population controls in CPS estimates.

5/ In 1999, the U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis revised its methodology in estimating personal per capita income.

6/ Implementation of Census 2000-based population controls in CPS estimates.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Median Income for 4-Person Families, By State, 1974-2003 (FY 1977-2006) <<http://www.census.gov/hhes/income/4person.html>> accessed April 25, 2005; and *Federal Register*: February 28, 2006 (Volume 71, Number 39), pp. 10037-10039 <<http://www.gpoaccess.gov/fr/index.html>> accessed April 25, 2006; *Federal Register*: March 28, 2007 (Volume 72, Number 59) pp. 14579-14581 <<http://www.gpoaccess.gov/fr/index.html>> accessed April 26, 2007; *Federal Register*: March 5, 2008 (Volume 73, Number 44), pp. 11924-11926 <<http://www.gpoaccess.gov/fr/index.html>> accessed March 31, 2008; *Federal Register*: March 13, 2009 (Volume 74, Number 48), pp. 10922-10924 <<http://www.gpoaccess.gov/fr/index.html>> accessed April 2, 2009; U.S. Census Bureau, American Factfinder "American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates, Table B19119. Median Family Income In The Past 12 Months (In Inflation-Adjusted Dollars) By Family Size" (annual) <<http://factfinder.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/searchresults.xhtml?refresh=t>> accessed January 5, 2017 and calculations by the Hawaii State Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism.