



S1703 | SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS OF PEOPLE AT SPECIFIED LEVELS OF POVERTY IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS

2015 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates

Supporting documentation on code lists, subject definitions, data accuracy, and statistical testing can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Data and Documentation section.

Sample size and data quality measures (including coverage rates, allocation rates, and response rates) can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Methodology section.

Although the American Community Survey (ACS) produces population, demographic and housing unit estimates, it is the Census Bureau's Population Estimates Program that produces and disseminates the official estimates of the population for the nation, states, counties, cities and towns and estimates of housing units for states and counties.

Subject	Nebraska					
	Total		Less than 50 percent of the poverty level		Less than 100 percent of the poverty level	
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error
Population for whom poverty status is determined	1,842,682	+/-1,204	5.2%	+/-0.3	12.6%	+/-0.6
SEX						
Male	915,715	+/-2,809	4.6%	+/-0.4	11.1%	+/-0.6
Female	926,967	+/-3,017	5.8%	+/-0.5	14.0%	+/-0.7
AGE						
Under 18 years	463,054	+/-1,912	7.4%	+/-0.9	16.8%	+/-1.2
Related children of householder under 18 years	459,703	+/-2,195	6.8%	+/-0.8	16.3%	+/-1.2
18 to 64 years	1,112,882	+/-1,919	4.9%	+/-0.3	12.0%	+/-0.6
65 years and over	266,746	+/-1,573	2.6%	+/-0.4	7.4%	+/-0.7
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN						
One race	1,800,648	+/-3,986	5.1%	+/-0.3	12.3%	+/-0.6
White	1,627,823	+/-6,244	4.2%	+/-0.3	10.6%	+/-0.5
Black or African American	86,185	+/-3,081	15.8%	+/-3.6	28.6%	+/-4.0
American Indian and Alaska Native	16,714	+/-2,087	13.3%	+/-5.1	31.6%	+/-6.5
Asian	38,114	+/-2,016	9.4%	+/-3.5	25.3%	+/-6.0
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1,059	+/-648	6.5%	+/-8.4	37.9%	+/-34.8
Some other race	30,753	+/-5,829	16.2%	+/-7.5	25.6%	+/-8.4
Two or more races	42,034	+/-3,762	9.0%	+/-2.9	24.2%	+/-4.1

Subject	Nebraska					
	Total		Less than 50 percent of the poverty level		Less than 100 percent of the poverty level	
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error
Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race)	191,082	+/-1,077	10.3%	+/-1.7	25.7%	+/-3.0
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	1,478,309	+/-1,819	3.7%	+/-0.2	9.1%	+/-0.4
LIVING ARRANGEMENT						
In family households	1,492,830	+/-8,063	4.3%	+/-0.4	10.3%	+/-0.7
In married-couple family	1,161,942	+/-13,892	1.6%	+/-0.3	5.2%	+/-0.6
In Female householder, no husband present households	232,389	+/-9,858	15.2%	+/-2.2	31.1%	+/-2.7
In other living arrangements	349,852	+/-8,066	9.0%	+/-0.6	22.1%	+/-1.2
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT						
Population 25 years and over	1,211,481	+/-2,990	3.6%	+/-0.2	9.3%	+/-0.4
Less than high school graduate	105,520	+/-4,848	8.6%	+/-1.5	25.4%	+/-2.3
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	323,959	+/-7,134	4.3%	+/-0.6	11.6%	+/-0.9
Some college or associate's degree	411,809	+/-7,457	3.6%	+/-0.4	8.6%	+/-0.6
Bachelor's degree or higher	370,193	+/-7,530	1.7%	+/-0.3	3.3%	+/-0.4
NATIVITY AND CITIZENSHIP STATUS						
Native	1,717,614	+/-5,529	4.7%	+/-0.3	11.7%	+/-0.5
Foreign born	125,068	+/-5,317	11.8%	+/-2.2	24.6%	+/-2.8
Naturalized citizen	47,726	+/-4,078	8.5%	+/-3.2	18.6%	+/-3.8
DISABILITY STATUS						
With any disability	208,141	+/-5,332	7.1%	+/-0.8	18.8%	+/-1.2
No disability	1,629,188	+/-5,554	5.0%	+/-0.4	11.8%	+/-0.6
WORK STATUS						
Population 16 to 64 years	1,162,588	+/-2,757	5.1%	+/-0.3	12.1%	+/-0.6
Worked full-time, year-round	676,472	+/-6,962	0.6%	+/-0.1	3.0%	+/-0.3
Worked less than full-time, year-round	313,858	+/-6,009	8.9%	+/-0.8	21.0%	+/-1.2
Did not work	172,258	+/-5,536	15.9%	+/-1.4	31.4%	+/-1.9

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	Less than 125 percent of the poverty level	
	Estimate	Margin of Error
Population for whom poverty status is determined	16.6%	+/-0.6
SEX		
Male	14.9%	+/-0.6
Female	18.2%	+/-0.7
AGE		
Under 18 years	21.9%	+/-1.1
Related children of householder under 18 years	21.4%	+/-1.1
18 to 64 years	15.4%	+/-0.6
65 years and over	12.1%	+/-0.9
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN		
One race	16.3%	+/-0.6
White	14.4%	+/-0.5
Black or African American	34.5%	+/-3.9
American Indian and Alaska Native	40.8%	+/-6.8
Asian	31.1%	+/-6.2
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	44.2%	+/-30.1
Some other race	33.2%	+/-9.9
Two or more races	29.8%	+/-5.5
Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race)	35.7%	+/-2.9
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	12.1%	+/-0.4
LIVING ARRANGEMENT		
In family households	13.8%	+/-0.7
In married-couple family	7.8%	+/-0.6
In Female householder, no husband present households	38.7%	+/-3.0
In other living arrangements	28.6%	+/-1.2
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT		
Population 25 years and over	12.7%	+/-0.5
Less than high school graduate	34.2%	+/-2.4
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	15.9%	+/-1.0
Some college or associate's degree	11.9%	+/-0.8
Bachelor's degree or higher	4.7%	+/-0.4
NATIVITY AND CITIZENSHIP STATUS		
Native	15.4%	+/-0.6
Foreign born	32.8%	+/-3.0
Naturalized citizen	23.8%	+/-3.9
DISABILITY STATUS		

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With any disability	24.8%	+/-1.5
No disability	15.6%	+/-0.6
WORK STATUS		
Population 16 to 64 years	15.5%	+/-0.6
Worked full-time, year-round	5.2%	+/-0.4
Worked less than full-time, year-round	25.6%	+/-1.3
Did not work	37.6%	+/-2.1

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.

While the 2015 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the February 2013 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 2010 data. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2015 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates

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.