



S1701 | POVERTY STATUS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS

2010-2012 American Community Survey 3-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	Ohio				
	Total		Below poverty level		Percent below poverty level
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate
Population for whom poverty status is determined	11,228,077	+/-2,623	1,810,388	+/-18,489	16.1%
AGE					
Under 18 years	2,647,094	+/-2,770	626,030	+/-10,216	23.6%
Related children under 18 years	2,633,645	+/-3,043	612,919	+/-10,180	23.3%
18 to 64 years	6,991,808	+/-1,643	1,059,560	+/-11,013	15.2%
65 years and over	1,589,175	+/-1,509	124,798	+/-2,797	7.9%
SEX					
Male	5,464,771	+/-2,833	806,410	+/-10,275	14.8%
Female	5,763,306	+/-2,896	1,003,978	+/-10,869	17.4%
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN					
One race	10,976,625	+/-6,088	1,730,068	+/-17,612	15.8%
White	9,329,668	+/-4,602	1,210,621	+/-16,835	13.0%
Black or African American	1,339,516	+/-5,455	459,126	+/-7,599	34.3%
American Indian and Alaska Native	20,049	+/-1,298	5,539	+/-796	27.6%
Asian	193,316	+/-2,362	26,155	+/-2,850	13.5%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	2,577	+/-528	556	+/-367	21.6%
Some other race	91,499	+/-4,342	28,071	+/-2,928	30.7%
Two or more races	251,452	+/-5,818	80,320	+/-4,077	31.9%
Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race)	354,427	+/-1,193	108,098	+/-4,187	30.5%
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	9,107,253	+/-3,118	1,148,601	+/-16,276	12.6%
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT					
Population 25 years and over	7,598,565	+/-2,121	906,925	+/-9,338	11.9%
Less than high school graduate	847,789	+/-7,529	239,988	+/-4,560	28.3%
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	2,636,649	+/-11,390	343,153	+/-5,929	13.0%
Some college, associate's degree	2,195,560	+/-10,908	247,256	+/-4,255	11.3%
Bachelor's degree or higher	1,918,567	+/-11,603	76,528	+/-2,667	4.0%
EMPLOYMENT STATUS					
Civilian labor force 16 years and over	5,786,386	+/-10,035	594,011	+/-8,683	10.3%
Employed	5,197,281	+/-10,375	382,312	+/-6,035	7.4%
Male	2,672,544	+/-6,770	160,372	+/-3,952	6.0%

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	Total		Below poverty level		Percent below poverty level
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate
Female	2,524,737	+/-7,989	221,940	+/-4,570	8.8%
Unemployed	589,105	+/-7,925	211,699	+/-5,146	35.9%
Male	334,230	+/-5,294	106,577	+/-3,259	31.9%
Female	254,875	+/-4,801	105,122	+/-3,314	41.2%
WORK EXPERIENCE					
Population 16 years and over	8,893,203	+/-2,874	1,242,543	+/-12,101	14.0%
Worked full-time, year-round in the past 12 months	3,554,832	+/-10,139	93,761	+/-3,190	2.6%
Worked part-time or part-year in the past 12 months	2,265,928	+/-11,182	436,871	+/-6,584	19.3%
Did not work	3,072,443	+/-11,244	711,911	+/-8,621	23.2%
All Individuals below:					
50 percent of poverty level	838,968	+/-11,761	(X)	(X)	(X)
125 percent of poverty level	2,327,316	+/-19,453	(X)	(X)	(X)
150 percent of poverty level	2,849,954	+/-22,506	(X)	(X)	(X)
185 percent of poverty level	3,596,590	+/-24,095	(X)	(X)	(X)
200 percent of poverty level	3,904,723	+/-23,810	(X)	(X)	(X)
Unrelated individuals for whom poverty status is determined	2,208,310	+/-13,322	609,563	+/-7,773	27.6%
Male	1,062,434	+/-9,558	280,425	+/-5,709	26.4%
Female	1,145,876	+/-6,763	329,138	+/-5,490	28.7%
Mean income deficit for unrelated individuals (dollars)	6,446	+/-51	(X)	(X)	(X)
Worked full-time, year-round in the past 12 months	838,409	+/-8,259	28,494	+/-1,685	3.4%
Worked less than full-time, year-round in the past 12 months	520,389	+/-8,439	226,514	+/-5,184	43.5%
Did not work	849,512	+/-6,490	354,555	+/-5,163	41.7%
PERCENT IMPUTED					
Poverty status for individuals	23.7%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

Subject	Ohio
	Percent below poverty level
	Margin of Error
Population for whom poverty status is determined	+/-0.2
AGE	
Under 18 years	+/-0.4
Related children under 18 years	+/-0.4
18 to 64 years	+/-0.2
65 years and over	+/-0.2
SEX	
Male	+/-0.2
Female	+/-0.2
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN	
One race	+/-0.2
White	+/-0.2
Black or African American	+/-0.6
American Indian and Alaska Native	+/-3.4
Asian	+/-1.4
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	+/-12.5
Some other race	+/-2.6
Two or more races	+/-1.5
Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race)	+/-1.2
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	+/-0.2
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT	
Population 25 years and over	+/-0.1
Less than high school graduate	+/-0.5
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	+/-0.2
Some college, associate's degree	+/-0.2
Bachelor's degree or higher	+/-0.1
EMPLOYMENT STATUS	
Civilian labor force 16 years and over	+/-0.1
Employed	+/-0.1
Male	+/-0.1
Female	+/-0.2
Unemployed	+/-0.7
Male	+/-0.8
Female	+/-1.0
WORK EXPERIENCE	
Population 16 years and over	+/-0.1
Worked full-time, year-round in the past 12 months	+/-0.1
Worked part-time or part-year in the past 12 months	+/-0.3
Did not work	+/-0.2
All Individuals below:	
50 percent of poverty level	(X)
125 percent of poverty level	(X)
150 percent of poverty level	(X)
185 percent of poverty level	(X)
200 percent of poverty level	(X)
Unrelated individuals for whom poverty status is determined	+/-0.3
Male	+/-0.5
Female	+/-0.4

Subject	Ohio
	Percent below poverty level
	Margin of Error
Mean income deficit for unrelated individuals (dollars)	(X)
Worked full-time, year-round in the past 12 months	+/-0.2
Worked less than full-time, year-round in the past 12 months	+/-0.7
Did not work	+/-0.5
PERCENT IMPUTED	
Poverty status for individuals	(X)

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 2010-2012 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the December 2009 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.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2010-2012 American Community Survey

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.