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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	Denton County, Texas			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
EMPLOYMENT STATUS				
Population 16 years and over	601,855	+/-1,017	601,855	(X)
In labor force	438,109	+/-5,693	72.8%	+/-1.0
Civilian labor force	437,896	+/-5,677	72.8%	+/-1.0
Employed	418,085	+/-6,017	69.5%	+/-1.0
Unemployed	19,811	+/-2,758	3.3%	+/-0.5
Armed Forces	213	+/-202	0.0%	+/-0.1
Not in labor force	163,746	+/-5,908	27.2%	+/-1.0
Civilian labor force	437,896	+/-5,677	437,896	(X)
Unemployment Rate	(X)	(X)	4.5%	+/-0.6
Females 16 years and over				
In labor force	209,440	+/-4,187	67.7%	+/-1.4
Civilian labor force	209,440	+/-4,187	67.7%	+/-1.4
Employed	199,212	+/-4,370	64.4%	+/-1.4
Own children of the householder under 6 years				
All parents in family in labor force	41,924	+/-2,978	68.9%	+/-4.1
Own children of the householder 6 to 17 years				
All parents in family in labor force	96,813	+/-3,749	72.2%	+/-2.7
COMMUTING TO WORK				
Workers 16 years and over	408,853	+/-5,948	408,853	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	333,411	+/-6,469	81.5%	+/-1.1
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	35,560	+/-3,923	8.7%	+/-1.0
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	3,361	+/-970	0.8%	+/-0.2
Walked	5,582	+/-1,663	1.4%	+/-0.4
Other means	6,159	+/-1,709	1.5%	+/-0.4
Worked at home	24,780	+/-2,224	6.1%	+/-0.5
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	29.2	+/-0.6	(X)	(X)
OCCUPATION				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	418,085	+/-6,017	418,085	(X)

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Management, business, science, and arts occupations	186,032	+/-5,708	44.5%	+/-1.3
Service occupations	61,691	+/-4,939	14.8%	+/-1.1
Sales and office occupations	107,881	+/-5,059	25.8%	+/-1.2
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	26,783	+/-2,873	6.4%	+/-0.7
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	35,698	+/-3,441	8.5%	+/-0.8
INDUSTRY				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	418,085	+/-6,017	418,085	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	4,477	+/-1,053	1.1%	+/-0.3
Construction	22,518	+/-2,797	5.4%	+/-0.7
Manufacturing	32,914	+/-3,238	7.9%	+/-0.8
Wholesale trade	16,080	+/-2,069	3.8%	+/-0.5
Retail trade	50,592	+/-4,350	12.1%	+/-1.0
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	24,384	+/-2,601	5.8%	+/-0.6
Information	12,114	+/-1,869	2.9%	+/-0.4
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	40,612	+/-3,679	9.7%	+/-0.9
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	57,177	+/-3,802	13.7%	+/-0.9
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	81,366	+/-4,427	19.5%	+/-1.0
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	39,591	+/-3,937	9.5%	+/-0.9
Other services, except public administration	23,706	+/-3,209	5.7%	+/-0.8
Public administration	12,554	+/-1,849	3.0%	+/-0.5
CLASS OF WORKER				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	418,085	+/-6,017	418,085	(X)
Private wage and salary workers	344,916	+/-6,877	82.5%	+/-1.1
Government workers	48,231	+/-3,695	11.5%	+/-0.9
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	24,471	+/-2,664	5.9%	+/-0.6
Unpaid family workers	467	+/-260	0.1%	+/-0.1
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2015 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)				
Total households	274,338	+/-2,374	274,338	(X)
Less than \$10,000	9,994	+/-1,369	3.6%	+/-0.5
\$10,000 to \$14,999	5,411	+/-1,270	2.0%	+/-0.5
\$15,000 to \$24,999	16,456	+/-2,361	6.0%	+/-0.9
\$25,000 to \$34,999	20,783	+/-2,328	7.6%	+/-0.9
\$35,000 to \$49,999	33,311	+/-2,634	12.1%	+/-1.0
\$50,000 to \$74,999	49,476	+/-3,732	18.0%	+/-1.3
\$75,000 to \$99,999	38,492	+/-3,070	14.0%	+/-1.1
\$100,000 to \$149,999	52,977	+/-2,828	19.3%	+/-1.0
\$150,000 to \$199,999	23,527	+/-2,573	8.6%	+/-0.9
\$200,000 or more	23,911	+/-2,000	8.7%	+/-0.7
Median household income (dollars)	75,649	+/-1,704	(X)	(X)
Mean household income (dollars)	98,841	+/-2,736	(X)	(X)
With earnings				
Mean earnings (dollars)	245,941	+/-3,032	89.6%	+/-0.7
Mean earnings (dollars)	97,620	+/-2,704	(X)	(X)
With Social Security				
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	49,451	+/-1,945	18.0%	+/-0.7
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	19,702	+/-701	(X)	(X)
With retirement income				
Mean retirement income (dollars)	34,229	+/-2,189	12.5%	+/-0.8
Mean retirement income (dollars)	25,894	+/-1,863	(X)	(X)
With Supplemental Security Income				
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	7,068	+/-1,351	2.6%	+/-0.5
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	9,162	+/-836	(X)	(X)
With cash public assistance income	2,505	+/-762	0.9%	+/-0.3

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Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	2,201	+/-814	(X)	(X)
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	15,046	+/-2,267	5.5%	+/-0.8
Families	194,477	+/-3,590	194,477	(X)
Less than \$10,000	4,028	+/-911	2.1%	+/-0.5
\$10,000 to \$14,999	2,318	+/-809	1.2%	+/-0.4
\$15,000 to \$24,999	7,196	+/-1,693	3.7%	+/-0.8
\$25,000 to \$34,999	10,872	+/-1,738	5.6%	+/-0.9
\$35,000 to \$49,999	18,803	+/-1,970	9.7%	+/-1.0
\$50,000 to \$74,999	33,711	+/-2,793	17.3%	+/-1.4
\$75,000 to \$99,999	30,558	+/-2,663	15.7%	+/-1.3
\$100,000 to \$149,999	45,233	+/-2,738	23.3%	+/-1.4
\$150,000 to \$199,999	20,133	+/-2,163	10.4%	+/-1.1
\$200,000 or more	21,625	+/-1,902	11.1%	+/-1.0
Median family income (dollars)	90,593	+/-2,915	(X)	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	113,805	+/-3,482	(X)	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)	35,721	+/-964	(X)	(X)
Nonfamily households	79,861	+/-3,785	79,861	(X)
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	44,720	+/-3,769	(X)	(X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	58,669	+/-3,972	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	38,516	+/-1,878	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	57,232	+/-2,542	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	45,099	+/-2,067	(X)	(X)
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE				
Civilian noninstitutionalized population	776,831	+/-1,657	776,831	(X)
With health insurance coverage	681,004	+/-8,403	87.7%	+/-1.0
With private health insurance	599,848	+/-9,412	77.2%	+/-1.2
With public coverage	134,108	+/-6,329	17.3%	+/-0.8
No health insurance coverage	95,827	+/-8,084	12.3%	+/-1.0
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 18 years	201,149	+/-678	201,149	(X)
No health insurance coverage	16,671	+/-4,139	8.3%	+/-2.1
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 18 to 64 years	506,105	+/-1,600	506,105	(X)
In labor force:	416,296	+/-4,740	416,296	(X)
Employed:	397,541	+/-5,328	397,541	(X)
With health insurance coverage	344,307	+/-6,076	86.6%	+/-1.2
With private health insurance	340,096	+/-5,921	85.5%	+/-1.1
With public coverage	10,392	+/-2,064	2.6%	+/-0.5
No health insurance coverage	53,234	+/-4,732	13.4%	+/-1.2
Unemployed:	18,755	+/-2,641	18,755	(X)
With health insurance coverage	12,211	+/-2,173	65.1%	+/-8.5
With private health insurance	10,925	+/-2,123	58.3%	+/-8.5
With public coverage	1,647	+/-702	8.8%	+/-3.7
No health insurance coverage	6,544	+/-1,933	34.9%	+/-8.5
Not in labor force:	89,809	+/-4,474	89,809	(X)
With health insurance coverage	72,433	+/-3,710	80.7%	+/-2.7
With private health insurance	62,843	+/-3,492	70.0%	+/-2.8
With public coverage	15,244	+/-2,267	17.0%	+/-2.3
No health insurance coverage	17,376	+/-2,771	19.3%	+/-2.7

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PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL				
All families	(X)	(X)	5.6%	+/-0.8
With related children of the householder under 18 years	(X)	(X)	7.7%	+/-1.3
With related children of the householder under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	6.4%	+/-3.1
Married couple families	(X)	(X)	3.4%	+/-0.7
With related children of the householder under 18 years	(X)	(X)	3.8%	+/-1.1
With related children of the householder under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	1.1%	+/-1.0
Families with female householder, no husband present	(X)	(X)	17.0%	+/-3.9
With related children of the householder under 18 years	(X)	(X)	23.2%	+/-5.5
With related children of the householder under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	34.8%	+/-17.3
All people	(X)	(X)	8.1%	+/-0.7
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	8.9%	+/-1.6
Related children of the householder under 18 years	(X)	(X)	8.5%	+/-1.5
Related children of the householder under 5 years	(X)	(X)	9.0%	+/-2.8
Related children of the householder 5 to 17 years	(X)	(X)	8.4%	+/-1.8
18 years and over	(X)	(X)	7.8%	+/-0.7
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	8.1%	+/-0.8
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	5.2%	+/-1.3
People in families	(X)	(X)	5.8%	+/-0.9
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	(X)	(X)	20.1%	+/-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.

Employment and unemployment estimates may vary from the official labor force data released by the Bureau of Labor Statistics because of differences in survey design and data collection. For guidance on differences in employment and unemployment estimates from different sources go to Labor Force Guidance.

Workers include members of the Armed Forces and civilians who were at work last week.

Industry codes are 4-digit codes and are based on the North American Industry Classification System 2012. The Industry categories adhere to the guidelines issued in Clarification Memorandum No. 2, "NAICS Alternate Aggregation Structure for Use By U.S. Statistical Agencies," issued by the Office of Management and Budget.

Occupation codes are 4-digit codes and are based on Standard Occupational Classification 2010.

Logical coverage edits applying a rules-based assignment of Medicaid, Medicare and military health coverage were added as of 2009 -- please see http://www.census.gov/library/working-papers/2010/demo/coverage_edits_final.html for more details. The 2008 data table in American FactFinder does not incorporate these edits. Therefore, the estimates that appear in these tables are not comparable to the estimates in the 2009 and later tables. Select geographies of 2008 data comparable to the 2009 and later tables are available at <http://www.census.gov/data/tables/time-series/acs/1-year-re-run-health-insurance.html>. The health insurance coverage category names were modified in 2010. See http://www.census.gov/topics/health/health-insurance/about/glossary.html#par_textimage_18 for a list of the insurance type definitions.

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.