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SELECTED ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS

2017 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 Technical 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	650,834	+/-1,623	650,834	(X)
In labor force	468,218	+/-6,638	71.9%	+/-1.0
Civilian labor force	467,676	+/-6,712	71.9%	+/-1.0
Employed	450,427	+/-6,696	69.2%	+/-1.0
Unemployed	17,249	+/-2,328	2.7%	+/-0.4
Armed Forces	542	+/-490	0.1%	+/-0.1
Not in labor force	182,616	+/-6,633	28.1%	+/-1.0
Civilian labor force	467,676	+/-6,712	467,676	(X)
Unemployment Rate	(X)	(X)	3.7%	+/-0.5
Females 16 years and over	333,595	+/-1,037	333,595	(X)
In labor force	217,188	+/-4,634	65.1%	+/-1.4
Civilian labor force	217,174	+/-4,633	65.1%	+/-1.4
Employed	209,796	+/-4,713	62.9%	+/-1.4
Own children of the householder under 6 years	61,665	+/-1,623	61,665	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	39,832	+/-2,906	64.6%	+/-4.8
Own children of the householder 6 to 17 years	140,176	+/-2,047	140,176	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	100,121	+/-4,103	71.4%	+/-2.7
COMMUTING TO WORK				
Workers 16 years and over	444,204	+/-6,893	444,204	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	358,552	+/-7,773	80.7%	+/-1.0
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	33,971	+/-3,551	7.6%	+/-0.8
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	3,400	+/-1,143	0.8%	+/-0.3
Walked	5,706	+/-1,254	1.3%	+/-0.3
Other means	6,111	+/-1,420	1.4%	+/-0.3
Worked at home	36,464	+/-2,419	8.2%	+/-0.5
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	28.8	+/-0.6	(X)	(X)

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OCCUPATION				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	450,427	+/-6,696	450,427	(X)
Management, business, science, and arts occupations	215,200	+/-6,858	47.8%	+/-1.4
Service occupations	58,182	+/-5,015	12.9%	+/-1.0
Sales and office occupations	112,338	+/-5,459	24.9%	+/-1.1
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	25,409	+/-3,228	5.6%	+/-0.7
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	39,298	+/-3,747	8.7%	+/-0.9
INDUSTRY				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	450,427	+/-6,696	450,427	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	3,996	+/-1,160	0.9%	+/-0.3
Construction	22,226	+/-3,031	4.9%	+/-0.7
Manufacturing	33,914	+/-3,352	7.5%	+/-0.8
Wholesale trade	15,309	+/-2,404	3.4%	+/-0.5
Retail trade	55,923	+/-4,387	12.4%	+/-0.9
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	25,816	+/-3,237	5.7%	+/-0.7
Information	13,346	+/-1,898	3.0%	+/-0.4
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	50,130	+/-4,552	11.1%	+/-1.0
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	59,378	+/-4,436	13.2%	+/-1.0
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	97,107	+/-5,293	21.6%	+/-1.1
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	42,422	+/-4,782	9.4%	+/-1.0
Other services, except public administration	18,905	+/-2,441	4.2%	+/-0.5
Public administration	11,955	+/-1,950	2.7%	+/-0.4
CLASS OF WORKER				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	450,427	+/-6,696	450,427	(X)
Private wage and salary workers	376,333	+/-7,186	83.6%	+/-0.9
Government workers	50,984	+/-3,854	11.3%	+/-0.8
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	22,554	+/-2,466	5.0%	+/-0.5
Unpaid family workers	556	+/-309	0.1%	+/-0.1
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2017 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)				
Total households	293,610	+/-2,601	293,610	(X)
Less than \$10,000	10,468	+/-1,849	3.6%	+/-0.6
\$10,000 to \$14,999	5,493	+/-1,210	1.9%	+/-0.4
\$15,000 to \$24,999	14,394	+/-2,066	4.9%	+/-0.7
\$25,000 to \$34,999	18,265	+/-2,189	6.2%	+/-0.7
\$35,000 to \$49,999	32,957	+/-3,223	11.2%	+/-1.1
\$50,000 to \$74,999	46,910	+/-3,263	16.0%	+/-1.1
\$75,000 to \$99,999	41,655	+/-3,071	14.2%	+/-1.0
\$100,000 to \$149,999	58,719	+/-3,136	20.0%	+/-1.1
\$150,000 to \$199,999	32,003	+/-2,969	10.9%	+/-1.0
\$200,000 or more	32,746	+/-2,249	11.2%	+/-0.8
Median household income (dollars)	86,291	+/-2,400	(X)	(X)
Mean household income (dollars)	107,926	+/-2,589	(X)	(X)
With earnings				
Mean earnings (dollars)	106,151	+/-2,597	(X)	(X)
With Social Security				
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	20,674	+/-802	(X)	(X)
With retirement income				
Mean retirement income (dollars)	29,962	+/-6,117	(X)	(X)
With Supplemental Security Income				
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	6,721	+/-1,272	2.3%	+/-0.4

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Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	9,982	+/-1,347	(X)	(X)
With cash public assistance income	2,857	+/-723	1.0%	+/-0.2
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	3,071	+/-1,047	(X)	(X)
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	12,683	+/-1,612	4.3%	+/-0.5
Families	208,302	+/-4,264	208,302	(X)
Less than \$10,000	4,236	+/-1,096	2.0%	+/-0.5
\$10,000 to \$14,999	1,645	+/-656	0.8%	+/-0.3
\$15,000 to \$24,999	4,807	+/-1,072	2.3%	+/-0.5
\$25,000 to \$34,999	10,290	+/-2,101	4.9%	+/-1.0
\$35,000 to \$49,999	16,831	+/-2,287	8.1%	+/-1.1
\$50,000 to \$74,999	29,604	+/-2,586	14.2%	+/-1.2
\$75,000 to \$99,999	30,569	+/-2,626	14.7%	+/-1.2
\$100,000 to \$149,999	51,788	+/-3,148	24.9%	+/-1.5
\$150,000 to \$199,999	29,103	+/-2,887	14.0%	+/-1.3
\$200,000 or more	29,429	+/-2,140	14.1%	+/-1.1
Median family income (dollars)	103,901	+/-2,380	(X)	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	125,814	+/-3,560	(X)	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)	39,298	+/-916	(X)	(X)
Nonfamily households	85,308	+/-4,430	85,308	(X)
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	47,052	+/-2,720	(X)	(X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	61,346	+/-3,089	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	43,250	+/-2,048	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	65,062	+/-4,515	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	50,043	+/-2,031	(X)	(X)
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE				
Civilian noninstitutionalized population	832,361	+/-873	832,361	(X)
With health insurance coverage	740,770	+/-8,109	89.0%	+/-1.0
With private health insurance	657,251	+/-10,244	79.0%	+/-1.2
With public coverage	145,399	+/-5,694	17.5%	+/-0.7
No health insurance coverage	91,591	+/-8,106	11.0%	+/-1.0
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 19 years	222,450	+/-1,159	222,450	(X)
No health insurance coverage	17,110	+/-3,995	7.7%	+/-1.8
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 19 to 64 years	528,958	+/-1,339	528,958	(X)
In labor force:	436,391	+/-5,871	436,391	(X)
Employed:	421,927	+/-5,950	421,927	(X)
With health insurance coverage	371,423	+/-6,996	88.0%	+/-1.1
With private health insurance	366,526	+/-7,280	86.9%	+/-1.1
With public coverage	12,454	+/-1,825	3.0%	+/-0.4
No health insurance coverage	50,504	+/-4,461	12.0%	+/-1.1
Unemployed:	14,464	+/-2,285	14,464	(X)
With health insurance coverage	9,577	+/-1,960	66.2%	+/-8.2
With private health insurance	8,464	+/-1,783	58.5%	+/-8.0
With public coverage	1,714	+/-710	11.9%	+/-4.6
No health insurance coverage	4,887	+/-1,397	33.8%	+/-8.2
Not in labor force:	92,567	+/-5,544	92,567	(X)
With health insurance coverage	75,006	+/-4,700	81.0%	+/-2.3
With private health insurance	64,166	+/-4,511	69.3%	+/-3.1
With public coverage	15,592	+/-2,253	16.8%	+/-2.3
No health insurance coverage	17,561	+/-2,468	19.0%	+/-2.3

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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)	4.2%	+/-0.8
With related children of the householder under 18 years	(X)	(X)	5.6%	+/-1.3
With related children of the householder under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	6.9%	+/-3.6
Married couple families	(X)	(X)	2.4%	+/-0.7
With related children of the householder under 18 years	(X)	(X)	2.9%	+/-1.1
With related children of the householder under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	2.0%	+/-1.5
Families with female householder, no husband present	(X)	(X)	14.7%	+/-4.0
With related children of the householder under 18 years	(X)	(X)	16.6%	+/-5.5
With related children of the householder under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	24.9%	+/-15.1
All people	(X)	(X)	7.2%	+/-0.9
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	8.0%	+/-2.2
Related children of the householder under 18 years	(X)	(X)	7.6%	+/-2.2
Related children of the householder under 5 years	(X)	(X)	12.0%	+/-4.1
Related children of the householder 5 to 17 years	(X)	(X)	6.0%	+/-1.9
18 years and over	(X)	(X)	7.0%	+/-0.7
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	7.3%	+/-0.7
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	5.1%	+/-1.3
People in families	(X)	(X)	4.6%	+/-1.0
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	(X)	(X)	21.5%	+/-2.0

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 https://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 <https://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 https://www.census.gov/topics/health/health-insurance/about/glossary.html#par_textimage_18 for a list of the insurance type definitions.

Beginning in 2017, selected variable categories were updated, including age-categories, income-to-poverty ratio (IPR) categories, and the age universe for certain employment and education variables. See user note entitled "Health Insurance Table Updates" for further details.

While the 2017 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the July 2015 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) delineations 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 delineations due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

Estimates of urban and rural populations, 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, 2017 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.