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2008-2012 American Community Survey 5-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.

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Subject	Rock Springs city, Wyoming			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	8,937	+/-272	8,937	(X)
Family households (families)	6,207	+/-249	69.5%	+/-2.9
With own children under 18 years	3,349	+/-273	37.5%	+/-3.1
Married-couple family	4,794	+/-296	53.6%	+/-3.4
With own children under 18 years	2,288	+/-257	25.6%	+/-2.9
Male householder, no wife present, family	557	+/-188	6.2%	+/-2.1
With own children under 18 years	415	+/-171	4.6%	+/-1.9
Female householder, no husband present, family	856	+/-199	9.6%	+/-2.2
With own children under 18 years	646	+/-181	7.2%	+/-2.0
Nonfamily households	2,730	+/-309	30.5%	+/-2.9
Householder living alone	2,129	+/-254	23.8%	+/-2.6
65 years and over	593	+/-115	6.6%	+/-1.3
Households with one or more people under 18 years	3,618	+/-263	40.5%	+/-3.1
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	1,328	+/-116	14.9%	+/-1.3
Average household size	2.53	+/-0.08	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.99	+/-0.10	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	22,630	+/-135	22,630	(X)
Householder	8,937	+/-272	39.5%	+/-1.2
Spouse	4,736	+/-294	20.9%	+/-1.3
Child	6,865	+/-392	30.3%	+/-1.7
Other relatives	781	+/-255	3.5%	+/-1.1
Nonrelatives	1,311	+/-267	5.8%	+/-1.2
Unmarried partner	636	+/-141	2.8%	+/-0.6
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	9,251	+/-306	9,251	(X)
Never married	2,617	+/-357	28.3%	+/-3.6
Now married, except separated	5,078	+/-347	54.9%	+/-3.6
Separated	62	+/-40	0.7%	+/-0.4
Widowed	135	+/-71	1.5%	+/-0.8

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Divorced	1,359	+/-232	14.7%	+/-2.5
Females 15 years and over	8,517	+/-202	8,517	(X)
Never married	1,633	+/-199	19.2%	+/-2.2
Now married, except separated	4,908	+/-288	57.6%	+/-3.5
Separated	172	+/-97	2.0%	+/-1.1
Widowed	596	+/-112	7.0%	+/-1.3
Divorced	1,208	+/-245	14.2%	+/-2.8
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	700	+/-201	700	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	95	+/-66	13.6%	+/-8.8
Per 1,000 unmarried women	41	+/-28	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	124	+/-35	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	54	+/-64	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	211	+/-60	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	33	+/-28	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	414	+/-174	414	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	229	+/-115	55.3%	+/-23.1
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	24	+/-29	5.8%	+/-6.6
1 or 2 years	50	+/-48	12.1%	+/-11.0
3 or 4 years	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-7.5
5 or more years	155	+/-86	37.4%	+/-18.3
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	229	+/-115	229	(X)
Who are female	122	+/-71	53.3%	+/-13.2
Who are married	163	+/-103	71.2%	+/-19.9
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	5,799	+/-408	5,799	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	404	+/-134	7.0%	+/-2.3
Kindergarten	329	+/-107	5.7%	+/-1.8
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	2,568	+/-290	44.3%	+/-4.0
High school (grades 9-12)	1,025	+/-166	17.7%	+/-2.9
College or graduate school	1,473	+/-272	25.4%	+/-4.0
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	14,316	+/-377	14,316	(X)
Less than 9th grade	346	+/-151	2.4%	+/-1.1
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	889	+/-186	6.2%	+/-1.3
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	5,239	+/-449	36.6%	+/-2.8
Some college, no degree	3,723	+/-411	26.0%	+/-2.9
Associate's degree	1,628	+/-214	11.4%	+/-1.5
Bachelor's degree	1,698	+/-255	11.9%	+/-1.8
Graduate or professional degree	793	+/-162	5.5%	+/-1.1
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	91.4%	+/-1.8
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	17.4%	+/-2.1
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	16,939	+/-313	16,939	(X)
Civilian veterans	1,921	+/-228	11.3%	+/-1.3

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DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	23,040	+/-36	23,040	(X)
With a disability	2,413	+/-292	10.5%	+/-1.3
Under 18 years	6,182	+/-318	6,182	(X)
With a disability	265	+/-122	4.3%	+/-2.0
18 to 64 years	15,111	+/-314	15,111	(X)
With a disability	1,467	+/-242	9.7%	+/-1.6
65 years and over	1,747	+/-157	1,747	(X)
With a disability	681	+/-151	39.0%	+/-7.5
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	22,495	+/-169	22,495	(X)
Same house	17,129	+/-668	76.1%	+/-2.9
Different house in the U.S.	5,308	+/-643	23.6%	+/-2.9
Same county	3,005	+/-535	13.4%	+/-2.4
Different county	2,303	+/-404	10.2%	+/-1.8
Same state	293	+/-163	1.3%	+/-0.7
Different state	2,010	+/-405	8.9%	+/-1.8
Abroad	58	+/-58	0.3%	+/-0.3
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	23,125	+/-26	23,125	(X)
Native	21,672	+/-326	93.7%	+/-1.4
Born in United States	21,469	+/-313	92.8%	+/-1.3
State of residence	10,147	+/-591	43.9%	+/-2.6
Different state	11,322	+/-609	49.0%	+/-2.6
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	203	+/-122	0.9%	+/-0.5
Foreign born	1,453	+/-322	6.3%	+/-1.4
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	1,453	+/-322	1,453	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	191	+/-95	13.1%	+/-7.0
Not a U.S. citizen	1,262	+/-325	86.9%	+/-7.0
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	1,656	+/-311	1,656	(X)
Native	203	+/-122	203	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	14	+/-23	6.9%	+/-11.7
Entered before 2010	189	+/-120	93.1%	+/-11.7
Foreign born	1,453	+/-322	1,453	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	29	+/-33	2.0%	+/-2.2
Entered before 2010	1,424	+/-320	98.0%	+/-2.2
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	1,453	+/-322	1,453	(X)
Europe	14	+/-23	1.0%	+/-1.6
Asia	98	+/-55	6.7%	+/-4.0
Africa	2	+/-4	0.1%	+/-0.3
Oceania	3	+/-8	0.2%	+/-0.5
Latin America	1,320	+/-316	90.8%	+/-4.7
Northern America	16	+/-29	1.1%	+/-2.0

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LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	20,992	+/-233	20,992	(X)
English only	18,924	+/-450	90.1%	+/-1.8
Language other than English	2,068	+/-382	9.9%	+/-1.8
Speak English less than "very well"	1,071	+/-283	5.1%	+/-1.3
Spanish	1,781	+/-387	8.5%	+/-1.8
Speak English less than "very well"	981	+/-281	4.7%	+/-1.3
Other Indo-European languages	85	+/-50	0.4%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	7	+/-12	0.0%	+/-0.1
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	166	+/-101	0.8%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	83	+/-68	0.4%	+/-0.3
Other languages	36	+/-49	0.2%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.2
ANCESTRY				
Total population	23,125	+/-26	23,125	(X)
American	1,050	+/-262	4.5%	+/-1.1
Arab	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.1
Czech	136	+/-137	0.6%	+/-0.6
Danish	384	+/-151	1.7%	+/-0.7
Dutch	419	+/-159	1.8%	+/-0.7
English	4,136	+/-565	17.9%	+/-2.4
French (except Basque)	1,092	+/-337	4.7%	+/-1.5
French Canadian	40	+/-27	0.2%	+/-0.1
German	4,385	+/-572	19.0%	+/-2.5
Greek	32	+/-33	0.1%	+/-0.1
Hungarian	15	+/-14	0.1%	+/-0.1
Irish	3,048	+/-487	13.2%	+/-2.1
Italian	1,752	+/-392	7.6%	+/-1.7
Lithuanian	11	+/-17	0.0%	+/-0.1
Norwegian	483	+/-141	2.1%	+/-0.6
Polish	605	+/-239	2.6%	+/-1.0
Portuguese	16	+/-20	0.1%	+/-0.1
Russian	209	+/-157	0.9%	+/-0.7
Scotch-Irish	367	+/-184	1.6%	+/-0.8
Scottish	1,344	+/-401	5.8%	+/-1.7
Slovak	27	+/-28	0.1%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	20	+/-28	0.1%	+/-0.1
Swedish	608	+/-235	2.6%	+/-1.0
Swiss	44	+/-44	0.2%	+/-0.2
Ukrainian	15	+/-20	0.1%	+/-0.1
Welsh	244	+/-165	1.1%	+/-0.7
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	3	+/-6	0.0%	+/-0.1

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.

Fertility data are not available for certain geographic areas due to problems with data collection. See Errata Note #92 for details.

The Census Bureau introduced a new set of disability questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Accordingly, comparisons of disability data from 2008 or later with data from prior years are not recommended. For more information on these questions and their evaluation in the 2006 ACS Content Test, see the Evaluation Report Covering Disability.

While the 2008-2012 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, 2008-2012 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.
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6. An '*****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.
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8. An '(X)' means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.



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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
EMPLOYMENT STATUS				
Population 16 years and over	17,362	+/-316	17,362	(X)
In labor force	12,721	+/-453	73.3%	+/-2.2
Civilian labor force	12,721	+/-453	73.3%	+/-2.2
Employed	11,935	+/-450	68.7%	+/-2.3
Unemployed	786	+/-220	4.5%	+/-1.3
Armed Forces	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.2
Not in labor force	4,641	+/-391	26.7%	+/-2.2
Civilian labor force	12,721	+/-453	12,721	(X)
Percent Unemployed	(X)	(X)	6.2%	+/-1.7
Females 16 years and over				
Population 16 years and over	8,318	+/-200	8,318	(X)
In labor force	5,217	+/-300	62.7%	+/-3.4
Civilian labor force	5,217	+/-300	62.7%	+/-3.4
Employed	4,834	+/-292	58.1%	+/-3.4
Own children under 6 years				
Population	2,493	+/-256	2,493	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	1,396	+/-264	56.0%	+/-8.9
Own children 6 to 17 years				
Population	3,552	+/-299	3,552	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	2,297	+/-264	64.7%	+/-7.6
COMMUTING TO WORK				
Workers 16 years and over	11,637	+/-464	11,637	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	8,820	+/-539	75.8%	+/-3.2
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	1,879	+/-326	16.1%	+/-2.7
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	358	+/-126	3.1%	+/-1.1
Walked	249	+/-92	2.1%	+/-0.8
Other means	89	+/-50	0.8%	+/-0.4
Worked at home	242	+/-81	2.1%	+/-0.7
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	18.8	+/-1.8	(X)	(X)
OCCUPATION				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	11,935	+/-450	11,935	(X)

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Management, business, science, and arts occupations	2,828	+/-295	23.7%	+/-2.6
Service occupations	1,721	+/-280	14.4%	+/-2.3
Sales and office occupations	2,930	+/-381	24.5%	+/-2.9
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	2,497	+/-311	20.9%	+/-2.5
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	1,959	+/-304	16.4%	+/-2.3
INDUSTRY				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	11,935	+/-450	11,935	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	2,247	+/-296	18.8%	+/-2.4
Construction	921	+/-199	7.7%	+/-1.6
Manufacturing	700	+/-142	5.9%	+/-1.2
Wholesale trade	301	+/-107	2.5%	+/-0.9
Retail trade	1,456	+/-317	12.2%	+/-2.5
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	887	+/-251	7.4%	+/-2.1
Information	188	+/-110	1.6%	+/-0.9
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	578	+/-164	4.8%	+/-1.4
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	549	+/-161	4.6%	+/-1.3
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	2,038	+/-278	17.1%	+/-2.3
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	1,005	+/-203	8.4%	+/-1.6
Other services, except public administration	567	+/-187	4.8%	+/-1.5
Public administration	498	+/-157	4.2%	+/-1.3
CLASS OF WORKER				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	11,935	+/-450	11,935	(X)
Private wage and salary workers	9,580	+/-463	80.3%	+/-2.4
Government workers	2,002	+/-262	16.8%	+/-2.1
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	325	+/-130	2.7%	+/-1.1
Unpaid family workers	28	+/-35	0.2%	+/-0.3
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2012 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)				
Total households	8,937	+/-272	8,937	(X)
Less than \$10,000	237	+/-98	2.7%	+/-1.1
\$10,000 to \$14,999	290	+/-122	3.2%	+/-1.4
\$15,000 to \$24,999	661	+/-155	7.4%	+/-1.7
\$25,000 to \$34,999	862	+/-185	9.6%	+/-2.1
\$35,000 to \$49,999	1,062	+/-206	11.9%	+/-2.2
\$50,000 to \$74,999	1,612	+/-239	18.0%	+/-2.7
\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,534	+/-226	17.2%	+/-2.5
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1,992	+/-250	22.3%	+/-2.7
\$150,000 to \$199,999	398	+/-142	4.5%	+/-1.6
\$200,000 or more	289	+/-113	3.2%	+/-1.2
Median household income (dollars)	71,289	+/-3,320	(X)	(X)
Mean household income (dollars)	78,852	+/-3,078	(X)	(X)
With earnings	7,837	+/-285	87.7%	+/-1.9
Mean earnings (dollars)	77,935	+/-3,434	(X)	(X)
With Social Security	1,879	+/-193	21.0%	+/-2.1
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	17,514	+/-1,114	(X)	(X)
With retirement income	1,272	+/-188	14.2%	+/-2.1
Mean retirement income (dollars)	18,696	+/-3,028	(X)	(X)
With Supplemental Security Income	234	+/-89	2.6%	+/-1.0
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	9,610	+/-2,435	(X)	(X)
With cash public assistance income	122	+/-67	1.4%	+/-0.8

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	2,326	+/-1,044	(X)	(X)
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	317	+/-105	3.5%	+/-1.2
Families	6,207	+/-249	6,207	(X)
Less than \$10,000	234	+/-98	3.8%	+/-1.6
\$10,000 to \$14,999	62	+/-65	1.0%	+/-1.0
\$15,000 to \$24,999	404	+/-145	6.5%	+/-2.4
\$25,000 to \$34,999	449	+/-144	7.2%	+/-2.3
\$35,000 to \$49,999	597	+/-157	9.6%	+/-2.5
\$50,000 to \$74,999	1,116	+/-233	18.0%	+/-3.5
\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,114	+/-191	17.9%	+/-2.9
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1,596	+/-199	25.7%	+/-3.3
\$150,000 to \$199,999	353	+/-137	5.7%	+/-2.2
\$200,000 or more	282	+/-112	4.5%	+/-1.8
Median family income (dollars)	81,466	+/-4,513	(X)	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	86,140	+/-4,360	(X)	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)	30,265	+/-1,452	(X)	(X)
Nonfamily households	2,730	+/-309	2,730	(X)
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	42,143	+/-4,846	(X)	(X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	56,750	+/-6,393	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	34,739	+/-3,630	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	62,843	+/-3,839	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	36,077	+/-5,418	(X)	(X)
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE				
Civilian noninstitutionalized population	23,040	+/-36	23,040	(X)
With health insurance coverage	19,339	+/-532	83.9%	+/-2.3
With private health insurance	16,979	+/-707	73.7%	+/-3.1
With public coverage	4,173	+/-416	18.1%	+/-1.8
No health insurance coverage	3,701	+/-537	16.1%	+/-2.3
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 18 years	6,182	+/-318	6,182	(X)
No health insurance coverage	761	+/-221	12.3%	+/-3.4
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 18 to 64 years	15,111	+/-314	15,111	(X)
In labor force:	12,183	+/-415	12,183	(X)
Employed:	11,470	+/-418	11,470	(X)
With health insurance coverage	9,678	+/-494	84.4%	+/-2.9
With private health insurance	9,532	+/-496	83.1%	+/-3.0
With public coverage	454	+/-126	4.0%	+/-1.1
No health insurance coverage	1,792	+/-333	15.6%	+/-2.9
Unemployed:	713	+/-207	713	(X)
With health insurance coverage	246	+/-107	34.5%	+/-11.8
With private health insurance	223	+/-106	31.3%	+/-11.8
With public coverage	28	+/-26	3.9%	+/-3.8
No health insurance coverage	467	+/-161	65.5%	+/-11.8
Not in labor force:	2,928	+/-328	2,928	(X)
With health insurance coverage	2,247	+/-325	76.7%	+/-5.6
With private health insurance	1,864	+/-292	63.7%	+/-6.1
With public coverage	485	+/-132	16.6%	+/-4.0
No health insurance coverage	681	+/-169	23.3%	+/-5.6

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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)	8.7%	+/-2.6
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	14.0%	+/-4.3
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	9.5%	+/-7.2
Married couple families	(X)	(X)	4.5%	+/-2.4
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	8.2%	+/-4.6
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	8.0%	+/-7.6
Families with female householder, no husband present	(X)	(X)	29.8%	+/-9.2
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	33.6%	+/-10.9
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	51.7%	+/-34.1
All people	(X)	(X)	10.7%	+/-2.6
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	17.6%	+/-5.3
Related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	17.3%	+/-5.3
Related children under 5 years	(X)	(X)	13.7%	+/-5.3
Related children 5 to 17 years	(X)	(X)	19.2%	+/-7.0
18 years and over	(X)	(X)	8.2%	+/-1.9
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	8.6%	+/-2.1
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	4.4%	+/-3.2
People in families	(X)	(X)	10.2%	+/-3.1
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	(X)	(X)	13.3%	+/-3.7

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There were changes in the edit between 2009 and 2010 regarding Supplemental Security Income (SSI) and Social Security. The changes in the edit loosened restrictions on disability requirements for receipt of SSI resulting in an increase in the total number of SSI recipients in the American Community Survey. The changes also loosened restrictions on possible reported monthly amounts in Social Security income resulting in higher Social Security aggregate amounts. These results more closely match administrative counts compiled by the Social Security Administration.

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 2007. 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.

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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS

2008-2012 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

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Subject	Rock Springs city, Wyoming			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSING OCCUPANCY				
Total housing units	10,125	+/-294	10,125	(X)
Occupied housing units	8,937	+/-272	88.3%	+/-2.3
Vacant housing units	1,188	+/-246	11.7%	+/-2.3
Homeowner vacancy rate	2.4	+/-1.9	(X)	(X)
Rental vacancy rate	6.3	+/-3.4	(X)	(X)
UNITS IN STRUCTURE				
Total housing units	10,125	+/-294	10,125	(X)
1-unit, detached	5,641	+/-358	55.7%	+/-3.2
1-unit, attached	724	+/-200	7.2%	+/-1.9
2 units	482	+/-168	4.8%	+/-1.6
3 or 4 units	388	+/-147	3.8%	+/-1.4
5 to 9 units	237	+/-112	2.3%	+/-1.1
10 to 19 units	332	+/-132	3.3%	+/-1.3
20 or more units	771	+/-167	7.6%	+/-1.6
Mobile home	1,550	+/-223	15.3%	+/-2.3
Boat, RV, van, etc.	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.3
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT				
Total housing units	10,125	+/-294	10,125	(X)
Built 2010 or later	118	+/-87	1.2%	+/-0.9
Built 2000 to 2009	1,462	+/-264	14.4%	+/-2.7
Built 1990 to 1999	995	+/-195	9.8%	+/-1.9
Built 1980 to 1989	1,559	+/-221	15.4%	+/-2.2
Built 1970 to 1979	2,169	+/-298	21.4%	+/-2.8
Built 1960 to 1969	753	+/-157	7.4%	+/-1.5
Built 1950 to 1959	582	+/-157	5.7%	+/-1.6
Built 1940 to 1949	803	+/-185	7.9%	+/-1.8
Built 1939 or earlier	1,684	+/-262	16.6%	+/-2.5
ROOMS				
Total housing units	10,125	+/-294	10,125	(X)
1 room	37	+/-42	0.4%	+/-0.4
2 rooms	113	+/-48	1.1%	+/-0.5

Subject	Rock Springs city, Wyoming			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
3 rooms	962	+/-211	9.5%	+/-2.1
4 rooms	2,169	+/-252	21.4%	+/-2.4
5 rooms	2,456	+/-291	24.3%	+/-2.8
6 rooms	1,434	+/-238	14.2%	+/-2.3
7 rooms	954	+/-169	9.4%	+/-1.7
8 rooms	999	+/-183	9.9%	+/-1.8
9 rooms or more	1,001	+/-151	9.9%	+/-1.4
Median rooms	5.2	+/-0.2	(X)	(X)
BEDROOMS				
Total housing units	10,125	+/-294	10,125	(X)
No bedroom	37	+/-42	0.4%	+/-0.4
1 bedroom	964	+/-217	9.5%	+/-2.1
2 bedrooms	2,828	+/-316	27.9%	+/-3.1
3 bedrooms	3,852	+/-348	38.0%	+/-3.1
4 bedrooms	1,742	+/-237	17.2%	+/-2.3
5 or more bedrooms	702	+/-163	6.9%	+/-1.6
HOUSING TENURE				
Occupied housing units	8,937	+/-272	8,937	(X)
Owner-occupied	5,855	+/-297	65.5%	+/-3.0
Renter-occupied	3,082	+/-299	34.5%	+/-3.0
Average household size of owner-occupied unit	2.64	+/-0.09	(X)	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	2.33	+/-0.15	(X)	(X)
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT				
Occupied housing units	8,937	+/-272	8,937	(X)
Moved in 2010 or later	1,565	+/-292	17.5%	+/-3.2
Moved in 2000 to 2009	4,465	+/-299	50.0%	+/-3.2
Moved in 1990 to 1999	1,248	+/-199	14.0%	+/-2.1
Moved in 1980 to 1989	758	+/-128	8.5%	+/-1.5
Moved in 1970 to 1979	472	+/-115	5.3%	+/-1.3
Moved in 1969 or earlier	429	+/-101	4.8%	+/-1.1
VEHICLES AVAILABLE				
Occupied housing units	8,937	+/-272	8,937	(X)
No vehicles available	295	+/-100	3.3%	+/-1.1
1 vehicle available	2,331	+/-252	26.1%	+/-2.7
2 vehicles available	3,623	+/-329	40.5%	+/-3.3
3 or more vehicles available	2,688	+/-256	30.1%	+/-2.8
HOUSE HEATING FUEL				
Occupied housing units	8,937	+/-272	8,937	(X)
Utility gas	7,922	+/-310	88.6%	+/-2.5
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	79	+/-54	0.9%	+/-0.6
Electricity	861	+/-220	9.6%	+/-2.4
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.4
Coal or coke	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.4
Wood	47	+/-39	0.5%	+/-0.4
Solar energy	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.4
Other fuel	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.4
No fuel used	28	+/-32	0.3%	+/-0.4
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS				
Occupied housing units	8,937	+/-272	8,937	(X)
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	128	+/-97	1.4%	+/-1.1
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	128	+/-97	1.4%	+/-1.1
No telephone service available	133	+/-62	1.5%	+/-0.7

Subject	Rock Springs city, Wyoming			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
OCCUPANTS PER ROOM				
Occupied housing units	8,937	+/-272	8,937	(X)
1.00 or less	8,578	+/-312	96.0%	+/-1.5
1.01 to 1.50	338	+/-127	3.8%	+/-1.4
1.51 or more	21	+/-34	0.2%	+/-0.4
VALUE				
Owner-occupied units	5,855	+/-297	5,855	(X)
Less than \$50,000	874	+/-164	14.9%	+/-2.7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	663	+/-153	11.3%	+/-2.5
\$100,000 to \$149,999	762	+/-159	13.0%	+/-2.6
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,184	+/-203	20.2%	+/-3.2
\$200,000 to \$299,999	1,738	+/-221	29.7%	+/-3.4
\$300,000 to \$499,999	564	+/-124	9.6%	+/-2.1
\$500,000 to \$999,999	59	+/-38	1.0%	+/-0.7
\$1,000,000 or more	11	+/-17	0.2%	+/-0.3
Median (dollars)	173,700	+/-9,150	(X)	(X)
MORTGAGE STATUS				
Owner-occupied units	5,855	+/-297	5,855	(X)
Housing units with a mortgage	3,670	+/-311	62.7%	+/-4.1
Housing units without a mortgage	2,185	+/-257	37.3%	+/-4.1
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS (SMOC)				
Housing units with a mortgage	3,670	+/-311	3,670	(X)
Less than \$300	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.9
\$300 to \$499	50	+/-39	1.4%	+/-1.1
\$500 to \$699	114	+/-61	3.1%	+/-1.6
\$700 to \$999	724	+/-169	19.7%	+/-4.3
\$1,000 to \$1,499	1,369	+/-268	37.3%	+/-6.1
\$1,500 to \$1,999	893	+/-185	24.3%	+/-4.4
\$2,000 or more	520	+/-147	14.2%	+/-4.1
Median (dollars)	1,359	+/-61	(X)	(X)
Housing units without a mortgage	2,185	+/-257	2,185	(X)
Less than \$100	15	+/-19	0.7%	+/-0.9
\$100 to \$199	111	+/-69	5.1%	+/-3.1
\$200 to \$299	493	+/-116	22.6%	+/-4.8
\$300 to \$399	539	+/-120	24.7%	+/-4.8
\$400 or more	1,027	+/-199	47.0%	+/-6.6
Median (dollars)	385	+/-32	(X)	(X)
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (SMOCAPI)				
Housing units with a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)	3,670	+/-311	3,670	(X)
Less than 20.0 percent	1,903	+/-242	51.9%	+/-5.4
20.0 to 24.9 percent	641	+/-167	17.5%	+/-4.4
25.0 to 29.9 percent	374	+/-126	10.2%	+/-3.4
30.0 to 34.9 percent	314	+/-156	8.6%	+/-4.0
35.0 percent or more	438	+/-132	11.9%	+/-3.5
Not computed	0	+/-22	(X)	(X)
Housing unit without a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)	2,155	+/-248	2,155	(X)
Less than 10.0 percent	1,341	+/-198	62.2%	+/-6.0
10.0 to 14.9 percent	385	+/-107	17.9%	+/-5.0
15.0 to 19.9 percent	155	+/-66	7.2%	+/-2.9

Subject	Rock Springs city, Wyoming			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
20.0 to 24.9 percent	65	+/-45	3.0%	+/-2.0
25.0 to 29.9 percent	73	+/-55	3.4%	+/-2.5
30.0 to 34.9 percent	13	+/-20	0.6%	+/-0.9
35.0 percent or more	123	+/-73	5.7%	+/-3.2
Not computed	30	+/-40	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT				
Occupied units paying rent	2,955	+/-304	2,955	(X)
Less than \$200	21	+/-18	0.7%	+/-0.6
\$200 to \$299	133	+/-73	4.5%	+/-2.5
\$300 to \$499	109	+/-59	3.7%	+/-2.1
\$500 to \$749	671	+/-194	22.7%	+/-6.1
\$750 to \$999	908	+/-240	30.7%	+/-7.2
\$1,000 to \$1,499	746	+/-186	25.2%	+/-5.6
\$1,500 or more	367	+/-173	12.4%	+/-5.8
Median (dollars)	892	+/-56	(X)	(X)
No rent paid	127	+/-61	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (GRAPI)				
Occupied units paying rent (excluding units where GRAPI cannot be computed)	2,934	+/-303	2,934	(X)
Less than 15.0 percent	624	+/-166	21.3%	+/-5.2
15.0 to 19.9 percent	499	+/-210	17.0%	+/-6.8
20.0 to 24.9 percent	387	+/-144	13.2%	+/-4.7
25.0 to 29.9 percent	518	+/-184	17.7%	+/-6.1
30.0 to 34.9 percent	219	+/-89	7.5%	+/-3.2
35.0 percent or more	687	+/-185	23.4%	+/-5.9
Not computed	148	+/-67	(X)	(X)

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The median gross rent excludes no cash renters.

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The 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, and 2012 plumbing data for Puerto Rico will not be shown. Research indicates that the questions on plumbing facilities that were introduced in 2008 in the stateside American Community Survey and the 2008 Puerto Rico Community Survey may not have been appropriate for Puerto Rico.

Median calculations for base table sourcing VAL, MHC, SMOC, and TAX should exclude zero values.

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ACS DEMOGRAPHIC AND HOUSING ESTIMATES

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Subject	Rock Springs city, Wyoming			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
SEX AND AGE				
Total population	23,125	+/-26	23,125	(X)
Male	11,917	+/-252	51.5%	+/-1.1
Female	11,208	+/-253	48.5%	+/-1.1
Under 5 years	2,133	+/-233	9.2%	+/-1.0
5 to 9 years	1,645	+/-249	7.1%	+/-1.1
10 to 14 years	1,579	+/-259	6.8%	+/-1.1
15 to 19 years	1,557	+/-195	6.7%	+/-0.8
20 to 24 years	1,895	+/-258	8.2%	+/-1.1
25 to 34 years	3,805	+/-298	16.5%	+/-1.3
35 to 44 years	2,785	+/-246	12.0%	+/-1.1
45 to 54 years	3,451	+/-290	14.9%	+/-1.3
55 to 59 years	1,368	+/-196	5.9%	+/-0.8
60 to 64 years	1,104	+/-189	4.8%	+/-0.8
65 to 74 years	949	+/-135	4.1%	+/-0.6
75 to 84 years	572	+/-111	2.5%	+/-0.5
85 years and over	282	+/-96	1.2%	+/-0.4
Median age (years)	31.7	+/-1.1	(X)	(X)
18 years and over	16,939	+/-313	73.2%	+/-1.4
21 years and over	15,889	+/-376	68.7%	+/-1.6
62 years and over	2,365	+/-228	10.2%	+/-1.0
65 years and over	1,803	+/-161	7.8%	+/-0.7
18 years and over	16,939	+/-313	16,939	(X)
Male	8,874	+/-294	52.4%	+/-1.1
Female	8,065	+/-197	47.6%	+/-1.1
65 years and over	1,803	+/-161	1,803	(X)
Male	830	+/-98	46.0%	+/-3.1
Female	973	+/-97	54.0%	+/-3.1
RACE				
Total population	23,125	+/-26	23,125	(X)

Subject	Rock Springs city, Wyoming			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
One race	21,788	+/-345	94.2%	+/-1.5
Two or more races	1,337	+/-345	5.8%	+/-1.5
One race	21,788	+/-345	94.2%	+/-1.5
White	21,062	+/-327	91.1%	+/-1.4
Black or African American	147	+/-80	0.6%	+/-0.3
American Indian and Alaska Native	88	+/-70	0.4%	+/-0.3
Cherokee tribal grouping	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.1
Chippewa tribal grouping	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.1
Navajo tribal grouping	34	+/-49	0.1%	+/-0.2
Sioux tribal grouping	34	+/-50	0.1%	+/-0.2
Asian	215	+/-77	0.9%	+/-0.3
Asian Indian	2	+/-4	0.0%	+/-0.1
Chinese	20	+/-22	0.1%	+/-0.1
Filipino	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.1
Japanese	51	+/-48	0.2%	+/-0.2
Korean	23	+/-26	0.1%	+/-0.1
Vietnamese	39	+/-63	0.2%	+/-0.3
Other Asian	80	+/-73	0.3%	+/-0.3
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	7	+/-10	0.0%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian	3	+/-6	0.0%	+/-0.1
Guamanian or Chamorro	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.1
Samoan	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.1
Other Pacific Islander	4	+/-8	0.0%	+/-0.1
Some other race	269	+/-125	1.2%	+/-0.5
Two or more races	1,337	+/-345	5.8%	+/-1.5
White and Black or African American	98	+/-105	0.4%	+/-0.5
White and American Indian and Alaska Native	1,002	+/-320	4.3%	+/-1.4
White and Asian	164	+/-79	0.7%	+/-0.3
Black or African American and American Indian and Alaska Native	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.1
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races				
Total population	23,125	+/-26	23,125	(X)
White	22,385	+/-187	96.8%	+/-0.8
Black or African American	245	+/-148	1.1%	+/-0.6
American Indian and Alaska Native	1,090	+/-318	4.7%	+/-1.4
Asian	393	+/-79	1.7%	+/-0.3
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	12	+/-12	0.1%	+/-0.1
Some other race	337	+/-138	1.5%	+/-0.6
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE				
Total population	23,125	+/-26	23,125	(X)
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	3,644	+/-424	15.8%	+/-1.8
Mexican	2,839	+/-486	12.3%	+/-2.1
Puerto Rican	46	+/-43	0.2%	+/-0.2
Cuban	38	+/-65	0.2%	+/-0.3
Other Hispanic or Latino	721	+/-340	3.1%	+/-1.5
Not Hispanic or Latino	19,481	+/-429	84.2%	+/-1.8
White alone	18,301	+/-428	79.1%	+/-1.8
Black or African American alone	144	+/-80	0.6%	+/-0.3
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	57	+/-52	0.2%	+/-0.2
Asian alone	215	+/-77	0.9%	+/-0.3
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	7	+/-10	0.0%	+/-0.1
Some other race alone	21	+/-32	0.1%	+/-0.1
Two or more races	736	+/-159	3.2%	+/-0.7
Two races including Some other race	18	+/-26	0.1%	+/-0.1
Two races excluding Some other race, and Three or more races	718	+/-155	3.1%	+/-0.7

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Total housing units	10,125	+/-294	(X)	(X)

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The ACS questions on Hispanic origin and race were revised in 2008 to make them consistent with the Census 2010 question wording. Any changes in estimates for 2008 and beyond may be due to demographic changes, as well as factors including questionnaire changes, differences in ACS population controls, and methodological differences in the population estimates, and therefore should be used with caution. For a summary of questionnaire changes see http://www.census.gov/acs/www/methodology/questionnaire_changes/. For more information about changes in the estimates see <http://www.census.gov/population/hispanic/files/acs08researchnote.pdf>.

For more information on understanding race and Hispanic origin data, please see the Census 2010 Brief entitled, Overview of Race and Hispanic Origin: 2010, issued March 2011. (pdf format)

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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.