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## Wyoming

## Selected Social Characteristics in the United States: 2005-2009

Data Set: 2005-2009 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Survey: American Community Survey

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<b>HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE</b>				
<b>Total households</b>	<b>208,269</b>	<b>+/-1,365</b>	<b>208,269</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Family households (families)	136,718	+/-1,423	65.6%	+/-0.6
With own children under 18 years	60,111	+/-1,068	28.9%	+/-0.5
Married-couple family	110,235	+/-1,430	52.9%	+/-0.7
With own children under 18 years	42,879	+/-1,146	20.6%	+/-0.5
Male householder, no wife present, family	9,541	+/-715	4.6%	+/-0.3
With own children under 18 years	5,835	+/-587	2.8%	+/-0.3
Female householder, no husband present, family	16,942	+/-735	8.1%	+/-0.3
With own children under 18 years	11,397	+/-735	5.5%	+/-0.4
Nonfamily households	71,551	+/-1,408	34.4%	+/-0.6
Householder living alone	57,826	+/-1,193	27.8%	+/-0.5
65 years and over	18,698	+/-758	9.0%	+/-0.4
Households with one or more people under 18 years	65,613	+/-1,085	31.5%	+/-0.5
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	44,645	+/-539	21.4%	+/-0.3
Average household size	2.45	+/-0.02	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.98	+/-0.02	(X)	(X)
<b>RELATIONSHIP</b>				
<b>Population in households</b>	<b>509,437</b>	<b>*****</b>	<b>509,437</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Householder	208,269	+/-1,365	40.9%	+/-0.3
Spouse	110,264	+/-1,391	21.6%	+/-0.3
Child	139,175	+/-1,690	27.3%	+/-0.3
Other relatives	21,857	+/-1,218	4.3%	+/-0.2
Nonrelatives	29,872	+/-1,395	5.9%	+/-0.3
Unmarried partner	13,489	+/-740	2.6%	+/-0.1
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>				
<b>Males 15 years and over</b>	<b>212,591</b>	<b>+/-449</b>	<b>212,591</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Never married	62,979	+/-1,154	29.6%	+/-0.5
Now married, except separated	116,467	+/-1,495	54.8%	+/-0.7
Separated	2,395	+/-374	1.1%	+/-0.2
Widowed	5,187	+/-412	2.4%	+/-0.2
Divorced	25,563	+/-1,093	12.0%	+/-0.5
<b>Females 15 years and over</b>	<b>207,814</b>	<b>+/-447</b>	<b>207,814</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Never married	45,531	+/-926	21.9%	+/-0.4
Now married, except separated	115,049	+/-1,611	55.4%	+/-0.8
Separated	2,736	+/-381	1.3%	+/-0.2
Widowed	18,284	+/-668	8.8%	+/-0.3
Divorced	26,214	+/-1,108	12.6%	+/-0.5
<b>FERTILITY</b>				
<b>Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months</b>	<b>7,450</b>	<b>+/-491</b>	<b>7,450</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	2,368	+/-335	31.8%	+/-4.1
Per 1,000 unmarried women	41	+/-6	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	59	+/-4	(X)	(X)

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Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	33	+/-9	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	117	+/-9	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	13	+/-3	(X)	(X)
<b>GRANDPARENTS</b>				
<b>Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years</b>	<b>8,432</b>	<b>+/-756</b>	<b>8,432</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Responsible for grandchildren	4,573	+/-478	54.2%	+/-4.2
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	1,319	+/-286	15.6%	+/-3.3
1 or 2 years	777	+/-189	9.2%	+/-2.2
3 or 4 years	1,072	+/-234	12.7%	+/-2.6
5 or more years	1,405	+/-298	16.7%	+/-3.2
<b>Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years</b>	<b>4,573</b>	<b>+/-478</b>	<b>4,573</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Who are female	2,613	+/-285	57.1%	+/-2.4
Who are married	3,558	+/-461	77.8%	+/-4.0
<b>SCHOOL ENROLLMENT</b>				
<b>Population 3 years and over enrolled in school</b>	<b>134,055</b>	<b>+/-1,507</b>	<b>134,055</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Nursery school, preschool	8,749	+/-563	6.5%	+/-0.4
Kindergarten	6,769	+/-507	5.0%	+/-0.4
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	52,866	+/-918	39.4%	+/-0.7
High school (grades 9-12)	29,162	+/-644	21.8%	+/-0.5
College or graduate school	36,509	+/-1,222	27.2%	+/-0.7
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>				
<b>Population 25 years and over</b>	<b>339,475</b>	<b>+/-537</b>	<b>339,475</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Less than 9th grade	9,026	+/-630	2.7%	+/-0.2
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	21,223	+/-947	6.3%	+/-0.3
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	108,452	+/-2,188	31.9%	+/-0.6
Some college, no degree	90,254	+/-1,815	26.6%	+/-0.5
Associate's degree	31,598	+/-1,064	9.3%	+/-0.3
Bachelor's degree	52,909	+/-1,558	15.6%	+/-0.5
Graduate or professional degree	26,013	+/-940	7.7%	+/-0.3
Percent high school graduate or higher	91.1%	+/-0.3	(X)	(X)
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	23.2%	+/-0.5	(X)	(X)
<b>VETERAN STATUS</b>				
<b>Civilian population 18 years and over</b>	<b>394,226</b>	<b>+/-718</b>	<b>394,226</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Civilian veterans	52,325	+/-1,307	13.3%	+/-0.3
<b>DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION</b>				
<b>Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>Under 18 years</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>18 to 64 years</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>65 years and over</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO</b>				
<b>Population 1 year and over</b>	<b>517,016</b>	<b>+/-496</b>	<b>517,016</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Same house	418,653	+/-2,627	81.0%	+/-0.5
Different house in the U.S.	96,109	+/-2,577	18.6%	+/-0.5
Same county	54,216	+/-2,505	10.5%	+/-0.5
Different county	41,893	+/-1,675	8.1%	+/-0.3
Same state	13,091	+/-1,091	2.5%	+/-0.2
Different state	28,802	+/-1,664	5.6%	+/-0.3
Abroad	2,254	+/-437	0.4%	+/-0.1
<b>PLACE OF BIRTH</b>				
<b>Total population</b>	<b>523,949</b>	<b>*****</b>	<b>523,949</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Native	509,145	+/-962	97.2%	+/-0.2
Born in United States	505,635	+/-1,056	96.5%	+/-0.2
State of residence	220,167	+/-3,050	42.0%	+/-0.6
Different state	285,468	+/-3,139	54.5%	+/-0.6
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	3,510	+/-395	0.7%	+/-0.1
Foreign born	14,804	+/-962	2.8%	+/-0.2

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<b>U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS</b>				
<b>Foreign-born population</b>	<b>14,804</b>	<b>+/-962</b>	<b>14,804</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Naturalized U.S. citizen	5,302	+/-529	35.8%	+/-2.9
Not a U.S. citizen	9,502	+/-773	64.2%	+/-2.9
<b>YEAR OF ENTRY</b>				
<b>Population born outside the United States</b>	<b>18,314</b>	<b>+/-1,056</b>	<b>18,314</b>	<b>(X)</b>
<b>Native</b>	<b>3,510</b>	<b>+/-395</b>	<b>3,510</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Entered 2000 or later	478	+/-150	13.6%	+/-4.0
Entered before 2000	3,032	+/-367	86.4%	+/-4.0
<b>Foreign born</b>	<b>14,804</b>	<b>+/-962</b>	<b>14,804</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Entered 2000 or later	5,320	+/-708	35.9%	+/-4.2
Entered before 2000	9,484	+/-874	64.1%	+/-4.2
<b>WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN</b>				
<b>Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea</b>	<b>14,804</b>	<b>+/-962</b>	<b>14,804</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Europe	2,584	+/-354	17.5%	+/-2.3
Asia	2,614	+/-294	17.7%	+/-2.1
Africa	425	+/-194	2.9%	+/-1.3
Oceania	193	+/-87	1.3%	+/-0.6
Latin America	7,855	+/-787	53.1%	+/-3.2
Northern America	1,133	+/-244	7.7%	+/-1.6
<b>LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME</b>				
<b>Population 5 years and over</b>	<b>487,996</b>	<b>+/-391</b>	<b>487,996</b>	<b>(X)</b>
English only	456,701	+/-1,216	93.6%	+/-0.2
Language other than English	31,295	+/-1,212	6.4%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	8,983	+/-738	1.8%	+/-0.2
Spanish	20,826	+/-1,006	4.3%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	7,242	+/-673	1.5%	+/-0.1
Other Indo-European languages	6,165	+/-698	1.3%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	878	+/-184	0.2%	+/-0.1
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	1,797	+/-291	0.4%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	626	+/-190	0.1%	+/-0.1
Other languages	2,507	+/-430	0.5%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	237	+/-101	0.0%	+/-0.1
<b>ANCESTRY</b>				
<b>Total population</b>	<b>523,949</b>	<b>*****</b>	<b>523,949</b>	<b>(X)</b>
American	34,634	+/-1,947	6.6%	+/-0.4
Arab	372	+/-185	0.1%	+/-0.1
Czech	4,635	+/-569	0.9%	+/-0.1
Danish	9,995	+/-955	1.9%	+/-0.2
Dutch	13,169	+/-868	2.5%	+/-0.2
English	84,307	+/-2,444	16.1%	+/-0.5
French (except Basque)	19,076	+/-1,207	3.6%	+/-0.2
French Canadian	2,742	+/-546	0.5%	+/-0.1
German	149,341	+/-3,306	28.5%	+/-0.6
Greek	2,620	+/-546	0.5%	+/-0.1
Hungarian	1,691	+/-301	0.3%	+/-0.1
Irish	78,151	+/-2,829	14.9%	+/-0.5
Italian	18,665	+/-1,255	3.6%	+/-0.2
Lithuanian	512	+/-248	0.1%	+/-0.1
Norwegian	19,497	+/-1,212	3.7%	+/-0.2
Polish	11,851	+/-966	2.3%	+/-0.2
Portuguese	1,117	+/-297	0.2%	+/-0.1
Russian	4,703	+/-707	0.9%	+/-0.1
Scotch-Irish	15,674	+/-1,140	3.0%	+/-0.2
Scottish	19,949	+/-1,075	3.8%	+/-0.2
Slovak	574	+/-150	0.1%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	492	+/-238	0.1%	+/-0.1
Swedish	17,759	+/-1,009	3.4%	+/-0.2
Swiss	3,096	+/-527	0.6%	+/-0.1
Ukrainian	625	+/-176	0.1%	+/-0.1
Welsh	6,773	+/-639	1.3%	+/-0.1
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	149	+/-87	0.0%	+/-0.1

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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.

Notes:

- Ancestry listed in this table refers to the total number of people who responded with a particular ancestry; for example, the estimate given for Russian represents the number of people who listed Russian as either their first or second ancestry. This table lists only the largest ancestry groups; see the Detailed Tables for more categories. Race and Hispanic origin groups are not included in this table because official data for those groups come from the Race and Hispanic origin questions rather than the ancestry question (see Demographic Table).
- The Census Bureau introduced a new set of disability questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Because of contextual differences between the 2008-2009 disability data and disability data collected in prior years, the Census Bureau is unable to combine the 5 years of disability data in order to produce the multi-year estimate that would appear in this table. Multi-year estimates of disability status will become available once five consecutive years of data are collected. For more information about the differences between the 2008 and prior years' disability questions, see [Review of Changes to the Measurement of Disability in the 2008 ACS](#).
- Data for year of entry of the native population reflect the year of entry into the U.S. by people who were born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island Areas or born outside the U.S. to a U.S. citizen parent and who subsequently moved to the U.S.
- While the 2005-2009 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the November 2008 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.

Explanation of Symbols:

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3. An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest 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.
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.
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<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS</b>				
<b>Population 16 years and over</b>	<b>413,133</b>	<b>+/-638</b>	<b>413,133</b>	<b>(X)</b>
In labor force	290,502	+/-1,680	70.3%	+/-0.4
Civilian labor force	286,743	+/-1,816	69.4%	+/-0.4
Employed	273,892	+/-1,886	66.3%	+/-0.4
Unemployed	12,851	+/-1,006	3.1%	+/-0.2
Armed Forces	3,759	+/-581	0.9%	+/-0.1
Not in labor force	122,631	+/-1,596	29.7%	+/-0.4
<b>Civilian labor force</b>	<b>286,743</b>	<b>+/-1,816</b>	<b>286,743</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Percent Unemployed	4.5%	+/-0.3	(X)	(X)
<b>Females 16 years and over</b>				
<b>Population 16 years and over</b>	<b>204,288</b>	<b>+/-503</b>	<b>204,288</b>	<b>(X)</b>
In labor force	131,222	+/-1,081	64.2%	+/-0.5
Civilian labor force	130,557	+/-1,106	63.9%	+/-0.5
Employed	124,402	+/-1,243	60.9%	+/-0.6
<b>Own children under 6 years</b>				
<b>Population 16 years and over</b>	<b>41,543</b>	<b>+/-616</b>	<b>41,543</b>	<b>(X)</b>
All parents in family in labor force	26,787	+/-866	64.5%	+/-1.9
<b>Own children 6 to 17 years</b>				
<b>Population 16 years and over</b>	<b>76,629</b>	<b>+/-843</b>	<b>76,629</b>	<b>(X)</b>
All parents in family in labor force	58,262	+/-1,308	76.0%	+/-1.5
<b>COMMUTING TO WORK</b>				
<b>Workers 16 years and over</b>	<b>269,318</b>	<b>+/-1,891</b>	<b>269,318</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	202,090	+/-2,288	75.0%	+/-0.6
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	33,419	+/-1,284	12.4%	+/-0.5
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	3,705	+/-433	1.4%	+/-0.2
Walked	10,929	+/-942	4.1%	+/-0.4
Other means	5,450	+/-618	2.0%	+/-0.2
Worked at home	13,725	+/-947	5.1%	+/-0.3
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	18.1	+/-0.3	(X)	(X)
<b>OCCUPATION</b>				
<b>Civilian employed population 16 years and over</b>	<b>273,892</b>	<b>+/-1,886</b>	<b>273,892</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Management, professional, and related occupations	84,131	+/-2,094	30.7%	+/-0.7
Service occupations	47,141	+/-1,480	17.2%	+/-0.5
Sales and office occupations	61,729	+/-1,593	22.5%	+/-0.6
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	3,813	+/-497	1.4%	+/-0.2
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations	41,170	+/-1,538	15.0%	+/-0.5
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	35,908	+/-1,317	13.1%	+/-0.5
<b>INDUSTRY</b>				
<b>Civilian employed population 16 years and over</b>	<b>273,892</b>	<b>+/-1,886</b>	<b>273,892</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	31,999	+/-1,148	11.7%	+/-0.4
Construction	24,230	+/-1,155	8.8%	+/-0.4
Manufacturing	13,500	+/-898	4.9%	+/-0.3
Wholesale trade	6,482	+/-527	2.4%	+/-0.2

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Retail trade	31,534	+/-1,193	11.5%	+/-0.4
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	18,011	+/-868	6.6%	+/-0.3
Information	4,408	+/-470	1.6%	+/-0.2
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	11,952	+/-749	4.4%	+/-0.3
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	17,606	+/-892	6.4%	+/-0.3
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	58,226	+/-1,443	21.3%	+/-0.5
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	27,679	+/-1,275	10.1%	+/-0.5
Other services, except public administration	11,752	+/-769	4.3%	+/-0.3
Public administration	16,513	+/-963	6.0%	+/-0.3
<b>CLASS OF WORKER</b>				
<b>Civilian employed population 16 years and over</b>	<b>273,892</b>	<b>+/-1,886</b>	<b>273,892</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Private wage and salary workers	197,889	+/-1,940	72.3%	+/-0.6
Government workers	53,026	+/-1,478	19.4%	+/-0.5
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	21,703	+/-964	7.9%	+/-0.3
Unpaid family workers	1,274	+/-253	0.5%	+/-0.1
<b>INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2009 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)</b>				
<b>Total households</b>	<b>208,269</b>	<b>+/-1,365</b>	<b>208,269</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Less than \$10,000	11,457	+/-760	5.5%	+/-0.4
\$10,000 to \$14,999	10,334	+/-617	5.0%	+/-0.3
\$15,000 to \$24,999	22,561	+/-983	10.8%	+/-0.5
\$25,000 to \$34,999	23,371	+/-938	11.2%	+/-0.4
\$35,000 to \$49,999	32,715	+/-1,215	15.7%	+/-0.6
\$50,000 to \$74,999	42,751	+/-1,309	20.5%	+/-0.6
\$75,000 to \$99,999	28,275	+/-1,127	13.6%	+/-0.5
\$100,000 to \$149,999	25,377	+/-828	12.2%	+/-0.4
\$150,000 to \$199,999	6,291	+/-498	3.0%	+/-0.2
\$200,000 or more	5,137	+/-413	2.5%	+/-0.2
Median household income (dollars)	51,990	+/-724	(X)	(X)
Mean household income (dollars)	65,948	+/-968	(X)	(X)
With earnings	173,719	+/-1,491	83.4%	+/-0.4
Mean earnings (dollars)	64,260	+/-940	(X)	(X)
With Social Security	54,466	+/-868	26.2%	+/-0.4
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	14,933	+/-212	(X)	(X)
With retirement income	33,924	+/-851	16.3%	+/-0.4
Mean retirement income (dollars)	19,250	+/-846	(X)	(X)
With Supplemental Security Income	4,936	+/-449	2.4%	+/-0.2
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	7,872	+/-443	(X)	(X)
With cash public assistance income	3,369	+/-390	1.6%	+/-0.2
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	3,250	+/-495	(X)	(X)
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	10,096	+/-726	4.8%	+/-0.3
<b>Families</b>				
<b>Families</b>	<b>136,718</b>	<b>+/-1,423</b>	<b>136,718</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Less than \$10,000	3,805	+/-414	2.8%	+/-0.3
\$10,000 to \$14,999	2,962	+/-438	2.2%	+/-0.3
\$15,000 to \$24,999	10,325	+/-571	7.6%	+/-0.4
\$25,000 to \$34,999	12,599	+/-722	9.2%	+/-0.5
\$35,000 to \$49,999	20,854	+/-863	15.3%	+/-0.6
\$50,000 to \$74,999	31,207	+/-1,156	22.8%	+/-0.8
\$75,000 to \$99,999	22,960	+/-923	16.8%	+/-0.7
\$100,000 to \$149,999	21,974	+/-771	16.1%	+/-0.6
\$150,000 to \$199,999	5,583	+/-472	4.1%	+/-0.3
\$200,000 or more	4,449	+/-397	3.3%	+/-0.3
Median family income (dollars)	63,545	+/-795	(X)	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	77,819	+/-1,339	(X)	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)	26,925	+/-366	(X)	(X)
<b>Nonfamily households</b>				
<b>Nonfamily households</b>	<b>71,551</b>	<b>+/-1,408</b>	<b>71,551</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	30,137	+/-931	(X)	(X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	40,310	+/-1,136	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	26,885	+/-330	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	46,875	+/-852	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	30,047	+/-454	(X)	(X)
<b>HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE</b>				
<b>Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>
With health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With private health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)



Selected Economic Characteristics	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Margin of Error
With public health coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
No health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population Under 18 years</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>
No health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL</b>				
All families	6.1%	+/-0.5	(X)	(X)
With related children under 18 years	10.4%	+/-0.9	(X)	(X)
With related children under 5 years only	15.1%	+/-2.3	(X)	(X)
Married couple families	2.8%	+/-0.3	(X)	(X)
With related children under 18 years	4.2%	+/-0.6	(X)	(X)
With related children under 5 years only	4.5%	+/-1.5	(X)	(X)
Families with female householder, no husband present	26.2%	+/-2.5	(X)	(X)
With related children under 18 years	32.4%	+/-3.1	(X)	(X)
With related children under 5 years only	56.7%	+/-6.2	(X)	(X)
All people	9.6%	+/-0.4	(X)	(X)
Under 18 years	12.2%	+/-1.0	(X)	(X)
Related children under 18 years	11.7%	+/-1.0	(X)	(X)
Related children under 5 years	15.3%	+/-1.6	(X)	(X)
Related children 5 to 17 years	10.2%	+/-1.0	(X)	(X)
18 years and over	8.8%	+/-0.4	(X)	(X)
18 to 64 years	9.2%	+/-0.4	(X)	(X)
65 years and over	6.6%	+/-0.7	(X)	(X)
People in families	6.6%	+/-0.5	(X)	(X)
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	21.7%	+/-0.9	(X)	(X)

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2005-2009 American Community Survey

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Notes:

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- Workers include members of the Armed Forces and civilians who were at work last week.
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- Industry codes are 4-digit codes and are based on the North American Industry Classification System 2002 and 2007. The 2005, 2006 and 2007 ACS data are coded using NAICS 2002 while the 2008 and 2009 ACS data use NAICS 2007 codes. Categories that differ between 2002 and 2007 NAICS are aggregated so that the 5 years of data are consistent in display and reflect the NAICS 2007 codes. 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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## Wyoming

### Selected Housing Characteristics: 2005-2009

Data Set: 2005-2009 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Survey: American Community Survey

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<b>HOUSING OCCUPANCY</b>				
<b>Total housing units</b>	<b>243,133</b>	<b>+/-124</b>	<b>243,133</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Occupied housing units	208,269	+/-1,365	85.7%	+/-0.6
Vacant housing units	34,864	+/-1,363	14.3%	+/-0.6
Homeowner vacancy rate	1.9	+/-0.3	(X)	(X)
Rental vacancy rate	5.9	+/-0.8	(X)	(X)
<b>UNITS IN STRUCTURE</b>				
<b>Total housing units</b>	<b>243,133</b>	<b>+/-124</b>	<b>243,133</b>	<b>(X)</b>
1-unit, detached	158,643	+/-1,459	65.2%	+/-0.6
1-unit, attached	9,343	+/-612	3.8%	+/-0.3
2 units	7,110	+/-577	2.9%	+/-0.2
3 or 4 units	12,185	+/-701	5.0%	+/-0.3
5 to 9 units	8,033	+/-639	3.3%	+/-0.3
10 to 19 units	4,977	+/-450	2.0%	+/-0.2
20 or more units	6,489	+/-483	2.7%	+/-0.2
Mobile home	36,070	+/-1,133	14.8%	+/-0.5
Boat, RV, van, etc.	283	+/-123	0.1%	+/-0.1
<b>YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT</b>				
<b>Total housing units</b>	<b>243,133</b>	<b>+/-124</b>	<b>243,133</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Built 2005 or later	6,948	+/-523	2.9%	+/-0.2
Built 2000 to 2004	15,589	+/-820	6.4%	+/-0.3
Built 1990 to 1999	30,118	+/-1,083	12.4%	+/-0.4
Built 1980 to 1989	38,304	+/-1,153	15.8%	+/-0.5
Built 1970 to 1979	58,950	+/-1,578	24.2%	+/-0.6
Built 1960 to 1969	22,804	+/-935	9.4%	+/-0.4
Built 1950 to 1959	24,576	+/-1,016	10.1%	+/-0.4
Built 1940 to 1949	13,864	+/-824	5.7%	+/-0.3
Built 1939 or earlier	31,980	+/-1,135	13.2%	+/-0.5
<b>ROOMS</b>				
<b>Total housing units</b>	<b>243,133</b>	<b>+/-124</b>	<b>243,133</b>	<b>(X)</b>
1 room	3,623	+/-488	1.5%	+/-0.2
2 rooms	5,886	+/-574	2.4%	+/-0.2
3 rooms	18,000	+/-925	7.4%	+/-0.4
4 rooms	43,759	+/-1,251	18.0%	+/-0.5
5 rooms	50,973	+/-1,394	21.0%	+/-0.6
6 rooms	37,839	+/-1,199	15.6%	+/-0.5
7 rooms	29,685	+/-1,057	12.2%	+/-0.4
8 rooms	23,478	+/-823	9.7%	+/-0.3
9 rooms or more	29,890	+/-937	12.3%	+/-0.4
Median rooms	5.5	+/-0.1	(X)	(X)
<b>BEDROOMS</b>				
<b>Total housing units</b>	<b>243,133</b>	<b>+/-124</b>	<b>243,133</b>	<b>(X)</b>
No bedroom	4,025	+/-484	1.7%	+/-0.2



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1 bedroom	21,873	+/-916	9.0%	+/-0.4
2 bedrooms	66,421	+/-1,568	27.3%	+/-0.6
3 bedrooms	93,051	+/-1,603	38.3%	+/-0.7
4 bedrooms	41,485	+/-1,058	17.1%	+/-0.4
5 or more bedrooms	16,278	+/-759	6.7%	+/-0.3
<b>HOUSING TENURE</b>				
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	<b>208,269</b>	<b>+/-1,365</b>	<b>208,269</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Owner-occupied	145,585	+/-1,783	69.9%	+/-0.7
Renter-occupied	62,684	+/-1,561	30.1%	+/-0.7
Average household size of owner-occupied unit	2.52	+/-0.02	(X)	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	2.27	+/-0.04	(X)	(X)
<b>YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT</b>				
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	<b>208,269</b>	<b>+/-1,365</b>	<b>208,269</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Moved in 2005 or later	64,348	+/-1,204	30.9%	+/-0.5
Moved in 2000 to 2004	54,440	+/-1,430	26.1%	+/-0.6
Moved in 1990 to 1999	46,467	+/-1,200	22.3%	+/-0.6
Moved in 1980 to 1989	20,615	+/-725	9.9%	+/-0.3
Moved in 1970 to 1979	13,059	+/-551	6.3%	+/-0.3
Moved in 1969 or earlier	9,340	+/-577	4.5%	+/-0.3
<b>VEHICLES AVAILABLE</b>				
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	<b>208,269</b>	<b>+/-1,365</b>	<b>208,269</b>	<b>(X)</b>
No vehicles available	7,629	+/-520	3.7%	+/-0.3
1 vehicle available	55,067	+/-1,384	26.4%	+/-0.6
2 vehicles available	78,182	+/-1,714	37.5%	+/-0.8
3 or more vehicles available	67,391	+/-1,396	32.4%	+/-0.7
<b>HOUSE HEATING FUEL</b>				
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	<b>208,269</b>	<b>+/-1,365</b>	<b>208,269</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Utility gas	128,668	+/-1,419	61.8%	+/-0.6
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	23,302	+/-889	11.2%	+/-0.4
Electricity	41,157	+/-1,200	19.8%	+/-0.5
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	739	+/-161	0.4%	+/-0.1
Coal or coke	1,375	+/-212	0.7%	+/-0.1
Wood	10,401	+/-581	5.0%	+/-0.3
Solar energy	255	+/-102	0.1%	+/-0.1
Other fuel	1,926	+/-240	0.9%	+/-0.1
No fuel used	446	+/-123	0.2%	+/-0.1
<b>SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS</b>				
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	<b>208,269</b>	<b>+/-1,365</b>	<b>208,269</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	1,345	+/-296	0.6%	+/-0.1
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	2,008	+/-320	1.0%	+/-0.2
No telephone service available	8,824	+/-684	4.2%	+/-0.3
<b>OCCUPANTS PER ROOM</b>				
<b>Occupied housing units</b>	<b>208,269</b>	<b>+/-1,365</b>	<b>208,269</b>	<b>(X)</b>
1.00 or less	204,679	+/-1,377	98.3%	+/-0.2
1.01 to 1.50	2,815	+/-346	1.4%	+/-0.2
1.51 or more	775	+/-237	0.4%	+/-0.1
<b>VALUE</b>				
<b>Owner-occupied units</b>	<b>145,585</b>	<b>+/-1,783</b>	<b>145,585</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Less than \$50,000	15,783	+/-684	10.8%	+/-0.4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	19,857	+/-760	13.6%	+/-0.5
\$100,000 to \$149,999	28,651	+/-908	19.7%	+/-0.6
\$150,000 to \$199,999	27,804	+/-836	19.1%	+/-0.5
\$200,000 to \$299,999	29,048	+/-837	20.0%	+/-0.6
\$300,000 to \$499,999	15,050	+/-761	10.3%	+/-0.5
\$500,000 to \$999,999	6,399	+/-504	4.4%	+/-0.3
\$1,000,000 or more	2,993	+/-412	2.1%	+/-0.3
Median (dollars)	163,400	+/-1,604	(X)	(X)
<b>MORTGAGE STATUS</b>				
<b>Owner-occupied units</b>	<b>145,585</b>	<b>+/-1,783</b>	<b>145,585</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Housing units with a mortgage	89,430	+/-1,695	61.4%	+/-0.7
Housing units without a mortgage	56,155	+/-1,024	38.6%	+/-0.7
<b>SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS (SMOC)</b>				

Selected Housing Characteristics	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Margin of Error
<b>Housing units with a mortgage</b>	<b>89,430</b>	<b>+/-1,695</b>	<b>89,430</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Less than \$300	276	+/-90	0.3%	+/-0.1
\$300 to \$499	2,522	+/-342	2.8%	+/-0.4
\$500 to \$699	7,977	+/-483	8.9%	+/-0.5
\$700 to \$999	20,722	+/-831	23.2%	+/-0.9
\$1,000 to \$1,499	31,025	+/-1,011	34.7%	+/-1.0
\$1,500 to \$1,999	15,680	+/-833	17.5%	+/-0.8
\$2,000 or more	11,228	+/-700	12.6%	+/-0.7
Median (dollars)	1,190	+/-13	(X)	(X)
<b>Housing units without a mortgage</b>	<b>56,155</b>	<b>+/-1,024</b>	<b>56,155</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Less than \$100	818	+/-194	1.5%	+/-0.3
\$100 to \$199	5,998	+/-473	10.7%	+/-0.8
\$200 to \$299	15,075	+/-570	26.8%	+/-1.0
\$300 to \$399	15,319	+/-648	27.3%	+/-1.1
\$400 or more	18,945	+/-647	33.7%	+/-1.0
Median (dollars)	337	+/-4	(X)	(X)
<b>SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (SMOCAPI)</b>				
<b>Housing units with a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)</b>	<b>89,250</b>	<b>+/-1,694</b>	<b>89,250</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Less than 20.0 percent	39,679	+/-1,071	44.5%	+/-1.1
20.0 to 24.9 percent	15,694	+/-779	17.6%	+/-0.7
25.0 to 29.9 percent	10,683	+/-572	12.0%	+/-0.6
30.0 to 34.9 percent	6,499	+/-551	7.3%	+/-0.6
35.0 percent or more	16,695	+/-910	18.7%	+/-0.9
Not computed	180	+/-74	(X)	(X)
<b>Housing unit without a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)</b>	<b>55,902</b>	<b>+/-1,023</b>	<b>55,902</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Less than 10.0 percent	30,052	+/-844	53.8%	+/-1.1
10.0 to 14.9 percent	10,109	+/-547	18.1%	+/-1.0
15.0 to 19.9 percent	5,707	+/-409	10.2%	+/-0.7
20.0 to 24.9 percent	2,839	+/-348	5.1%	+/-0.6
25.0 to 29.9 percent	2,220	+/-288	4.0%	+/-0.5
30.0 to 34.9 percent	1,189	+/-200	2.1%	+/-0.4
35.0 percent or more	3,786	+/-354	6.8%	+/-0.6
Not computed	253	+/-102	(X)	(X)
<b>GROSS RENT</b>				
<b>Occupied units paying rent</b>	<b>55,275</b>	<b>+/-1,566</b>	<b>55,275</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Less than \$200	1,447	+/-263	2.6%	+/-0.5
\$200 to \$299	2,521	+/-334	4.6%	+/-0.6
\$300 to \$499	11,264	+/-741	20.4%	+/-1.3
\$500 to \$749	20,841	+/-977	37.7%	+/-1.5
\$750 to \$999	11,327	+/-777	20.5%	+/-1.3
\$1,000 to \$1,499	5,934	+/-660	10.7%	+/-1.1
\$1,500 or more	1,941	+/-297	3.5%	+/-0.5
Median (dollars)	637	+/-10	(X)	(X)
No rent paid	7,409	+/-654	(X)	(X)
<b>GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (GRAPI)</b>				
<b>Occupied units paying rent (excluding units where GRAPI cannot be computed)</b>	<b>54,787</b>	<b>+/-1,600</b>	<b>54,787</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Less than 15.0 percent	12,600	+/-789	23.0%	+/-1.3
15.0 to 19.9 percent	8,426	+/-639	15.4%	+/-1.0
20.0 to 24.9 percent	7,650	+/-641	14.0%	+/-1.1
25.0 to 29.9 percent	6,806	+/-573	12.4%	+/-1.0
30.0 to 34.9 percent	3,954	+/-452	7.2%	+/-0.8
35.0 percent or more	15,351	+/-908	28.0%	+/-1.5
Not computed	7,897	+/-703	(X)	(X)

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ACS Demographic and Housing Estimates	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Margin of Error
<b>SEX AND AGE</b>				
<b>Total population</b>	<b>523,949</b>	<b>****</b>	<b>523,949</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Male	266,450	+/-530	50.9%	+/-0.1
Female	257,499	+/-530	49.1%	+/-0.1
Under 5 years	35,953	+/-391	6.9%	+/-0.1
5 to 9 years	34,163	+/-705	6.5%	+/-0.1
10 to 14 years	33,428	+/-779	6.4%	+/-0.1
15 to 19 years	38,362	+/-532	7.3%	+/-0.1
20 to 24 years	42,568	+/-514	8.1%	+/-0.1
25 to 34 years	67,402	+/-614	12.9%	+/-0.1
35 to 44 years	64,513	+/-472	12.3%	+/-0.1
45 to 54 years	81,914	+/-510	15.6%	+/-0.1
55 to 59 years	35,224	+/-759	6.7%	+/-0.1
60 to 64 years	26,818	+/-830	5.1%	+/-0.2
65 to 74 years	33,956	+/-225	6.5%	+/-0.1
75 to 84 years	21,694	+/-578	4.1%	+/-0.1
85 years and over	7,954	+/-524	1.5%	+/-0.1
Median age (years)	36.7	+/-0.2	(X)	(X)
18 years and over	397,980	+/-383	76.0%	+/-0.1
21 years and over	373,002	+/-841	71.2%	+/-0.2
62 years and over	78,389	+/-723	15.0%	+/-0.1
65 years and over	63,604	+/-304	12.1%	+/-0.1
<b>18 years and over</b>	<b>397,980</b>	<b>+/-383</b>	<b>397,980</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Male	200,873	+/-400	50.5%	+/-0.1
Female	197,107	+/-318	49.5%	+/-0.1
<b>65 years and over</b>	<b>63,604</b>	<b>+/-304</b>	<b>63,604</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Male	28,676	+/-165	45.1%	+/-0.2
Female	34,928	+/-223	54.9%	+/-0.2
<b>RACE</b>				
<b>Total population</b>	<b>523,949</b>	<b>****</b>	<b>523,949</b>	<b>(X)</b>
One race	510,927	+/-972	97.5%	+/-0.2
Two or more races	13,022	+/-972	2.5%	+/-0.2
One race	510,927	+/-972	97.5%	+/-0.2
White	479,259	+/-895	91.5%	+/-0.2
Black or African American	4,818	+/-472	0.9%	+/-0.1
American Indian and Alaska Native	11,770	+/-545	2.2%	+/-0.1
Cherokee tribal grouping	274	+/-126	0.1%	+/-0.1
Chippewa tribal grouping	352	+/-153	0.1%	+/-0.1
Navajo tribal grouping	392	+/-239	0.1%	+/-0.1
Sioux tribal grouping	927	+/-317	0.2%	+/-0.1
Asian	3,830	+/-277	0.7%	+/-0.1
Asian Indian	412	+/-184	0.1%	+/-0.1

ACS Demographic and Housing Estimates	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Margin of Error
Chinese	835	+/-231	0.2%	+/-0.1
Filipino	866	+/-248	0.2%	+/-0.1
Japanese	507	+/-178	0.1%	+/-0.1
Korean	543	+/-215	0.1%	+/-0.1
Vietnamese	173	+/-148	0.0%	+/-0.1
Other Asian	494	+/-207	0.1%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	180	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian	89	+/-54	0.0%	+/-0.1
Guamanian or Chamorro	21	+/-24	0.0%	+/-0.1
Samoan	40	+/-68	0.0%	+/-0.1
Other Pacific Islander	30	+/-24	0.0%	+/-0.1
Some other race	11,070	+/-904	2.1%	+/-0.2
Two or more races	13,022	+/-972	2.5%	+/-0.2
White and Black or African American	2,075	+/-455	0.4%	+/-0.1
White and American Indian and Alaska Native	6,223	+/-581	1.2%	+/-0.1
White and Asian	1,283	+/-252	0.2%	+/-0.1
Black or African American and American Indian and Alaska Native	190	+/-125	0.0%	+/-0.1
<b>Race alone or in combination with one or more other races</b>				
<b>Total population</b>	<b>523,949</b>	<b>****</b>	<b>523,949</b>	<b>(X)</b>
White	491,688	+/-1,022	93.8%	+/-0.2
Black or African American	7,590	+/-243	1.4%	+/-0.1
American Indian and Alaska Native	18,607	+/-637	3.6%	+/-0.1
Asian	5,252	+/-246	1.0%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	522	+/-169	0.1%	+/-0.1
Some other race	13,809	+/-995	2.6%	+/-0.2
<b>HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE</b>				
<b>Total population</b>	<b>523,949</b>	<b>****</b>	<b>523,949</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	39,783	****	7.6%	****
Mexican	28,169	+/-918	5.4%	+/-0.2
Puerto Rican	661	+/-179	0.1%	+/-0.1
Cuban	227	+/-154	0.0%	+/-0.1
Other Hispanic or Latino	10,726	+/-921	2.0%	+/-0.2
Not Hispanic or Latino	484,166	****	92.4%	****
White alone	455,152	+/-226	86.9%	+/-0.1
Black or African American alone	4,634	+/-473	0.9%	+/-0.1
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	10,662	+/-456	2.0%	+/-0.1
Asian alone	3,778	+/-272	0.7%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	177	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.1
Some other race alone	515	+/-208	0.1%	+/-0.1
Two or more races	9,248	+/-674	1.8%	+/-0.1
Two races including Some other race	344	+/-206	0.1%	+/-0.1
Two races excluding Some other race, and Three or more races	8,904	+/-644	1.7%	+/-0.1
<b>Total housing units</b>	<b>243,133</b>	<b>+/-124</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2005-2009 American Community Survey

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.

#### Notes:

For more information on understanding race and Hispanic origin data, please see the Census 2000 Brief entitled, [Overview of Race and Hispanic Origin](#), issued March 2001. (pdf format)

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/](http://www.census.gov/acs/www/methodology/questionnaire_changes/). For more information about changes in the estimates see <http://www.census.gov/population/www/socdemo/hispanic/reports.html>.

While the 2005-2009 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the November 2008 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.

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#### Explanation of Symbols:

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## Wyoming

### Population and Housing Narrative Profile: 2005-2009

Data Set: 2005-2009 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Survey: American Community Survey

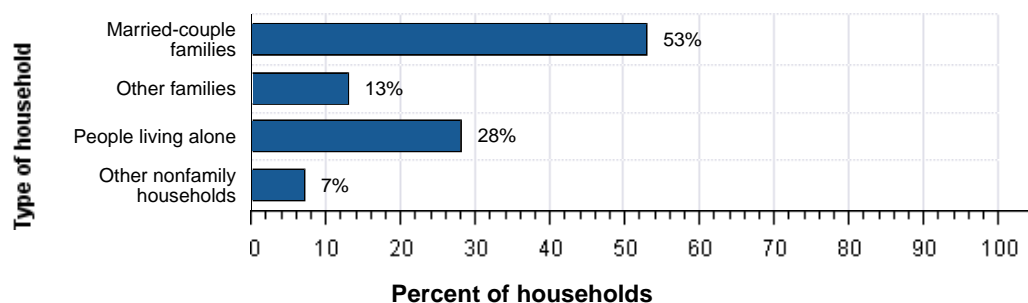
NOTE. Although the American Community Survey (ACS) produces population, demographic and housing unit estimates, it is the Census Bureau's Population Estimates Program that produces and disseminates the official estimates of the population for the nation, states, counties, cities and towns and estimates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

For more information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see [Survey Methodology](#).

**HOUSEHOLDS AND FAMILIES:** In 2005-2009 there were 208,000 households in Wyoming. The average household size was 2.5 people.

Families made up 66 percent of the households in Wyoming. This figure includes both married-couple families (53 percent) and other families (13 percent). Nonfamily households made up 34 percent of all households in Wyoming. Most of the nonfamily households were people living alone, but some were composed of people living in households in which no one was related to the householder.

**The Types of Households in Wyoming in 2005-2009**



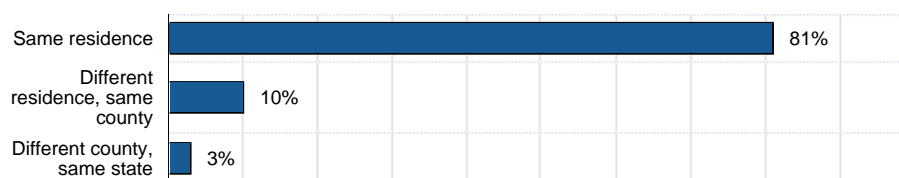
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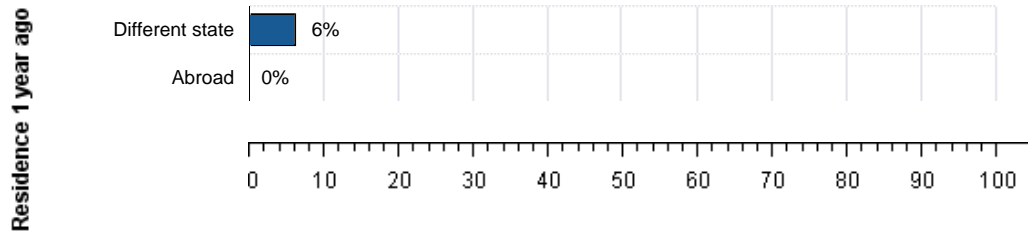
**NATIVITY AND LANGUAGE:** Three percent of the people living in Wyoming in 2005-2009 were foreign born. Ninety-seven percent was native, including 42 percent who were born in Wyoming.

Among people at least five years old living in Wyoming in 2005-2009, 6 percent spoke a language other than English at home. Of those speaking a language other than English at home, 67 percent spoke Spanish and 33 percent spoke some other language; 29 percent reported that they did not speak English "very well."

**GEOGRAPHIC MOBILITY:** In 2005-2009, 81 percent of the people at least one year old living in Wyoming were living in the same residence one year earlier; 10 percent had moved during the past year from another residence in the same county, 3 percent from another county in the same state, 6 percent from another state, and less than 0.5 percent from abroad.

**Geographic Mobility of Residents of Wyoming in 2005-2009**





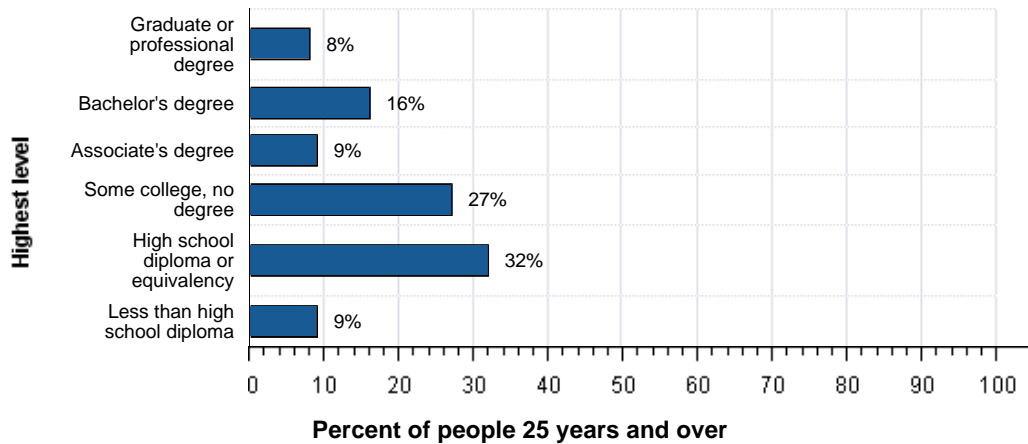
### Percent of people age 1 year and over

Source: American Community Survey, 2005-2009

**EDUCATION:** In 2005-2009, 91 percent of people 25 years and over had at least graduated from high school and 23 percent had a bachelor's degree or higher. Nine percent were dropouts; they were not enrolled in school and had not graduated from high school.

The total school enrollment in Wyoming was 134,000 in 2005-2009. Nursery school and kindergarten enrollment was 16,000 and elementary or high school enrollment was 82,000 children. College or graduate school enrollment was 37,000.

### The Educational Attainment of People in Wyoming in 2005-2009

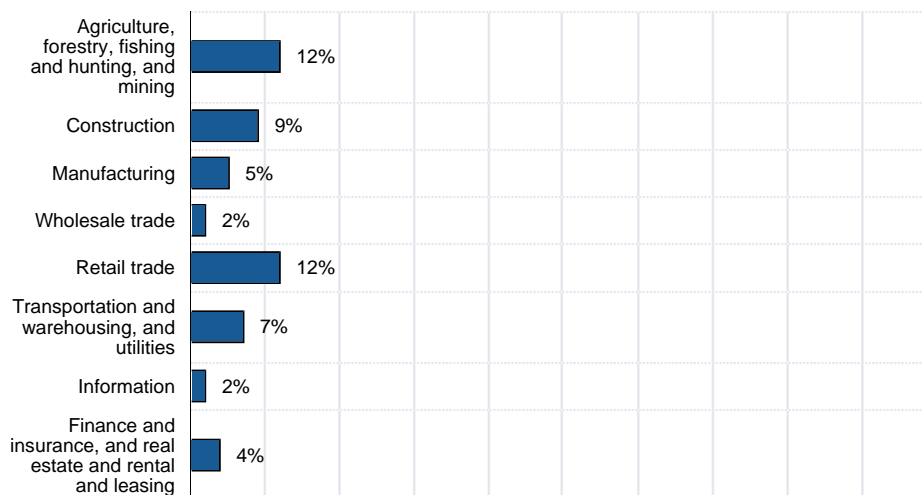


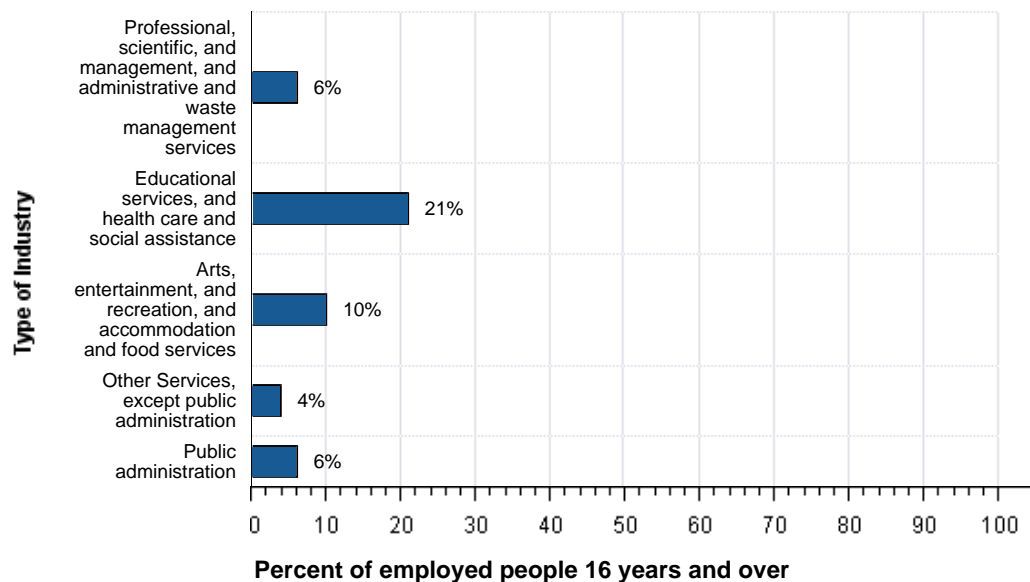
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**DISABILITY:** In Wyoming, among people at least five years old in 2005-2009, percent reported a disability. The likelihood of having a disability varied by age - from percent of people 5 to 15 years old, to percent of people 16 to 64 years old, and to percent of those 65 and older.

**INDUSTRIES:** In 2005-2009, for the employed population 16 years and older, the leading industries in Wyoming were Educational services, and health care, and social assistance, 21 percent, and Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining, 12 percent.

### Employment by Industry in Wyoming in 2005-2009





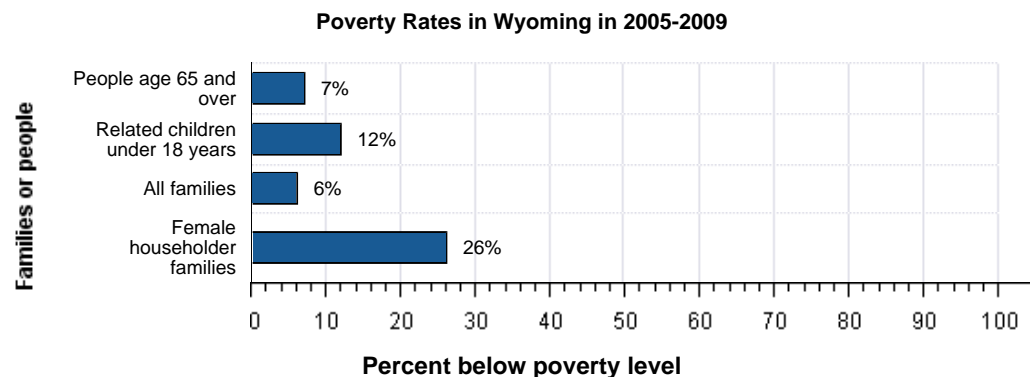
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**OCCUPATIONS AND TYPE OF EMPLOYER:** Among the most common occupations were: Management, professional, and related occupations, 31 percent; Sales and office occupations, 23 percent; Service occupations, 17 percent; Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations, 15 percent; and Production, transportation, and material moving occupations, 13 percent. Seventy-two percent of the people employed were Private wage and salary workers; 19 percent was Federal, state, or local government workers; and 8 percent was Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers.

**TRAVEL TO WORK:** Seventy-five percent of Wyoming workers drove to work alone in 2005-2009, 12 percent carooled, 1 percent took public transportation, and 6 percent used other means. The remaining 5 percent worked at home. Among those who commuted to work, it took them on average 18.1 minutes to get to work.

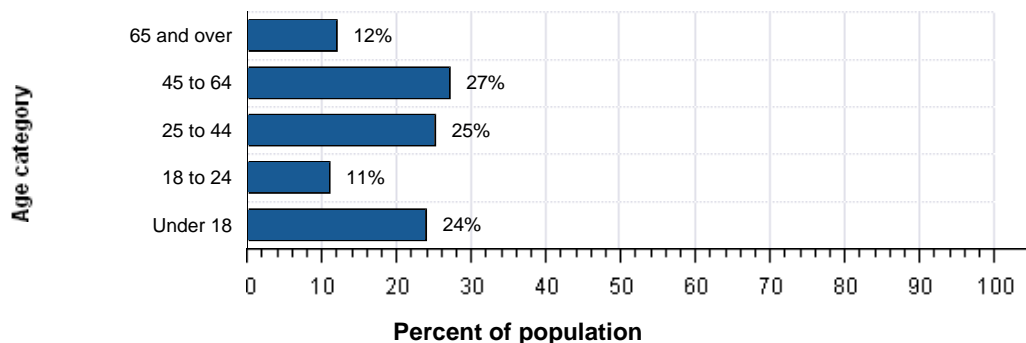
**INCOME:** The median income of households in Wyoming was \$51,990. Eighty-three percent of the households received earnings and 16 percent received retirement income other than Social Security. Twenty-six percent of the households received Social Security. The average income from Social Security was \$14,933. These income sources are not mutually exclusive; that is, some households received income from more than one source.

**POVERTY AND PARTICIPATION IN GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS:** In 2005-2009, 10 percent of people were in poverty. Twelve percent of related children under 18 were below the poverty level, compared with 7 percent of people 65 years old and over. Six percent of all families and 26 percent of families with a female householder and no husband present had incomes below the poverty level.



Source: American Community Survey, 2005-2009

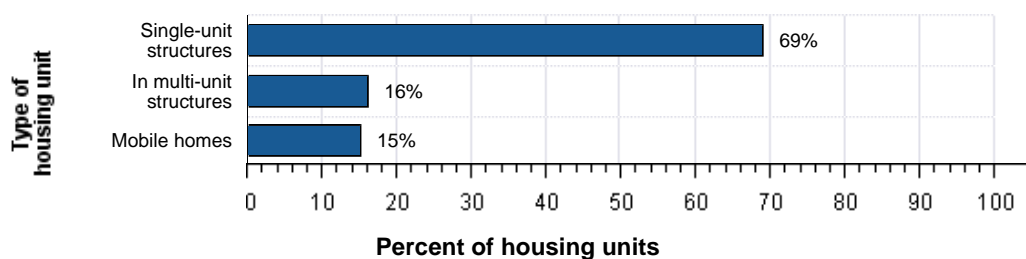
**POPULATION OF Wyoming:** In 2005-2009, Wyoming had a total population of 524,000 - 257,000 (49 percent) females and 266,000 (51 percent) males. The median age was 36.7 years. Twenty-four percent of the population was under 18 years and 12 percent was 65 years and older.

**The Age Distribution of People in Wyoming in 2005-2009**

Source: American Community Survey, 2005-2009

For people reporting one race alone, 91 percent was White; 1 percent was Black or African American; 2 percent was American Indian and Alaska Native; 1 percent was Asian; less than 0.5 percent was Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander, and 2 percent was Some other race. Two percent reported Two or more races. Eight percent of the people in Wyoming was Hispanic. Eighty-seven percent of the people in Wyoming was White non-Hispanic. People of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

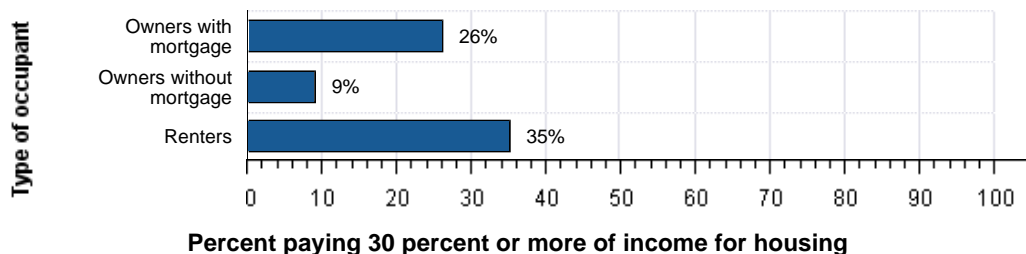
**HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS:** In 2005-2009, Wyoming had a total of 243,000 housing units, 14 percent of which were vacant. Of the total housing units, 69 percent was in single-unit structures, 16 percent was in multi-unit structures, and 15 percent was mobile homes. Twenty-two percent of the housing units were built since 1990.

**The Types of Housing Units in Wyoming in 2005-2009**

Source: American Community Survey, 2005-2009

**OCCUPIED HOUSING UNIT CHARACTERISTICS:** In 2005-2009, Wyoming had 208,000 occupied housing units - 146,000 (70 percent) owner occupied and 63,000 (30 percent) renter occupied. Four percent of the households did not have telephone service and 4 percent of the households did not have access to a car, truck, or van for private use. Multi Vehicle households were not rare. Thirty-eight percent had two vehicles and another 32 percent had three or more.

**HOUSING COSTS:** The median monthly housing costs for mortgaged owners was \$1,190, nonmortgaged owners \$337, and renters \$637. Twenty-six percent of owners with mortgages, 9 percent of owners without mortgages, and 35 percent of renters in Wyoming spent 30 percent or more of household income on housing.

**Occupants with a Housing Cost Burden in Wyoming in 2005-2009**

Source: American Community Survey, 2005-2009

The U.S. Census Bureau's Population Estimates Program produces the [official population estimates for the nation, states, counties and places](#), and the [official estimates of housing units for states and counties](#). The population and housing characteristics included above are derived from the American Community Survey.

Notes:

- Detail may not add to totals due to rounding.
- Percentages are based on unrounded numbers.