



DP02 | SELECTED SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS IN THE UNITED STATES

2008-2012 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

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Subject	Wyoming			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	221,479	+/-1,524	221,479	(X)
Family households (families)	145,992	+/-1,806	65.9%	+/-0.7
With own children under 18 years	63,449	+/-1,211	28.6%	+/-0.5
Married-couple family	117,493	+/-1,781	53.0%	+/-0.7
With own children under 18 years	45,297	+/-1,102	20.5%	+/-0.5
Male householder, no wife present, family	9,246	+/-569	4.2%	+/-0.3
With own children under 18 years	5,912	+/-446	2.7%	+/-0.2
Female householder, no husband present, family	19,253	+/-764	8.7%	+/-0.3
With own children under 18 years	12,240	+/-687	5.5%	+/-0.3
Nonfamily households	75,487	+/-1,513	34.1%	+/-0.7
Householder living alone	61,207	+/-1,500	27.6%	+/-0.7
65 years and over	20,074	+/-795	9.1%	+/-0.4
Households with one or more people under 18 years	69,185	+/-1,175	31.2%	+/-0.5
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	49,189	+/-702	22.2%	+/-0.3
Average household size	2.48	+/-0.02	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.02	+/-0.03	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	549,070	*****	549,070	(X)
Householder	221,479	+/-1,524	40.3%	+/-0.3
Spouse	117,351	+/-1,814	21.4%	+/-0.3
Child	152,791	+/-1,861	27.8%	+/-0.3
Other relatives	24,088	+/-1,682	4.4%	+/-0.3
Nonrelatives	33,361	+/-1,577	6.1%	+/-0.3
Unmarried partner	15,040	+/-987	2.7%	+/-0.2
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	228,687	+/-425	228,687	(X)
Never married	68,262	+/-1,273	29.8%	+/-0.6
Now married, except separated	125,311	+/-1,752	54.8%	+/-0.7
Separated	2,846	+/-422	1.2%	+/-0.2
Widowed	5,307	+/-384	2.3%	+/-0.2

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Divorced	26,961	+/-1,060	11.8%	+/-0.5
Females 15 years and over	221,404	+/-396	221,404	(X)
Never married	48,659	+/-1,211	22.0%	+/-0.5
Now married, except separated	121,220	+/-1,863	54.8%	+/-0.8
Separated	3,661	+/-559	1.7%	+/-0.3
Widowed	18,740	+/-643	8.5%	+/-0.3
Divorced	29,124	+/-1,214	13.2%	+/-0.5
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	8,039	+/-576	8,039	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	2,514	+/-325	31.3%	+/-3.3
Per 1,000 unmarried women	41	+/-5	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	62	+/-4	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	29	+/-8	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	116	+/-9	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	18	+/-4	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	9,357	+/-843	9,357	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	5,212	+/-678	55.7%	+/-4.2
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	1,180	+/-303	12.6%	+/-2.8
1 or 2 years	1,237	+/-358	13.2%	+/-3.6
3 or 4 years	888	+/-246	9.5%	+/-2.6
5 or more years	1,907	+/-403	20.4%	+/-3.7
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	5,212	+/-678	5,212	(X)
Who are female	2,895	+/-422	55.5%	+/-2.6
Who are married	3,951	+/-617	75.8%	+/-4.6
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	144,485	+/-1,774	144,485	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	9,897	+/-539	6.8%	+/-0.3
Kindergarten	7,138	+/-604	4.9%	+/-0.4
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	57,841	+/-848	40.0%	+/-0.7
High school (grades 9-12)	29,810	+/-834	20.6%	+/-0.6
College or graduate school	39,799	+/-1,254	27.5%	+/-0.6
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	371,096	+/-551	371,096	(X)
Less than 9th grade	8,661	+/-688	2.3%	+/-0.2
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	20,726	+/-941	5.6%	+/-0.3
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	113,353	+/-1,970	30.5%	+/-0.5
Some college, no degree	101,199	+/-2,031	27.3%	+/-0.6
Associate's degree	37,126	+/-1,318	10.0%	+/-0.4
Bachelor's degree	60,011	+/-1,864	16.2%	+/-0.5
Graduate or professional degree	30,020	+/-1,236	8.1%	+/-0.3
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	92.1%	+/-0.3
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	24.3%	+/-0.6
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	425,054	+/-427	425,054	(X)
Civilian veterans	51,203	+/-1,167	12.0%	+/-0.3

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DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	553,168	+/-339	553,168	(X)
With a disability	65,849	+/-1,637	11.9%	+/-0.3
Under 18 years	134,264	+/-266	134,264	(X)
With a disability	4,986	+/-575	3.7%	+/-0.4
18 to 64 years	350,829	+/-527	350,829	(X)
With a disability	36,034	+/-1,144	10.3%	+/-0.3
65 years and over	68,075	+/-293	68,075	(X)
With a disability	24,829	+/-848	36.5%	+/-1.2
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	555,587	+/-498	555,587	(X)
Same house	454,552	+/-3,104	81.8%	+/-0.5
Different house in the U.S.	99,164	+/-3,071	17.8%	+/-0.6
Same county	54,717	+/-2,880	9.8%	+/-0.5
Different county	44,447	+/-1,930	8.0%	+/-0.3
Same state	14,481	+/-1,164	2.6%	+/-0.2
Different state	29,966	+/-1,704	5.4%	+/-0.3
Abroad	1,871	+/-366	0.3%	+/-0.1
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	562,803	*****	562,803	(X)
Native	544,823	+/-1,114	96.8%	+/-0.2
Born in United States	540,299	+/-1,271	96.0%	+/-0.2
State of residence	232,226	+/-2,605	41.3%	+/-0.5
Different state	308,073	+/-2,681	54.7%	+/-0.5
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	4,524	+/-512	0.8%	+/-0.1
Foreign born	17,980	+/-1,114	3.2%	+/-0.2
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	17,980	+/-1,114	17,980	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	6,178	+/-588	34.4%	+/-2.7
Not a U.S. citizen	11,802	+/-902	65.6%	+/-2.7
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	22,504	+/-1,271	22,504	(X)
Native	4,524	+/-512	4,524	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	217	+/-166	4.8%	+/-3.5
Entered before 2010	4,307	+/-489	95.2%	+/-3.5
Foreign born	17,980	+/-1,114	17,980	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	854	+/-344	4.7%	+/-1.9
Entered before 2010	17,126	+/-1,069	95.3%	+/-1.9
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	17,980	+/-1,114	17,980	(X)
Europe	2,406	+/-353	13.4%	+/-1.8
Asia	3,094	+/-285	17.2%	+/-1.5
Africa	576	+/-256	3.2%	+/-1.4
Oceania	204	+/-79	1.1%	+/-0.4
Latin America	10,700	+/-942	59.5%	+/-3.1
Northern America	1,000	+/-260	5.6%	+/-1.4

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LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	523,611	+/-294	523,611	(X)
English only	487,764	+/-1,430	93.2%	+/-0.3
Language other than English	35,847	+/-1,430	6.8%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	10,578	+/-919	2.0%	+/-0.2
Spanish	25,757	+/-1,286	4.9%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	8,663	+/-914	1.7%	+/-0.2
Other Indo-European languages	5,393	+/-606	1.0%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	892	+/-194	0.2%	+/-0.1
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	2,510	+/-341	0.5%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	838	+/-212	0.2%	+/-0.1
Other languages	2,187	+/-376	0.4%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	185	+/-93	0.0%	+/-0.1
ANCESTRY				
Total population	562,803	*****	562,803	(X)
American	46,410	+/-2,023	8.2%	+/-0.4
Arab	722	+/-229	0.1%	+/-0.1
Czech	4,858	+/-684	0.9%	+/-0.1
Danish	9,941	+/-897	1.8%	+/-0.2
Dutch	13,090	+/-1,064	2.3%	+/-0.2
English	83,562	+/-2,457	14.8%	+/-0.4
French (except Basque)	19,279	+/-1,167	3.4%	+/-0.2
French Canadian	2,711	+/-390	0.5%	+/-0.1
German	151,272	+/-2,633	26.9%	+/-0.5
Greek	1,922	+/-362	0.3%	+/-0.1
Hungarian	1,894	+/-418	0.3%	+/-0.1
Irish	80,276	+/-2,734	14.3%	+/-0.5
Italian	18,424	+/-1,189	3.3%	+/-0.2
Lithuanian	514	+/-162	0.1%	+/-0.1
Norwegian	19,335	+/-1,108	3.4%	+/-0.2
Polish	12,429	+/-902	2.2%	+/-0.2
Portuguese	1,253	+/-369	0.2%	+/-0.1
Russian	4,400	+/-679	0.8%	+/-0.1
Scotch-Irish	9,538	+/-775	1.7%	+/-0.1
Scottish	19,748	+/-1,234	3.5%	+/-0.2
Slovak	557	+/-189	0.1%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	634	+/-249	0.1%	+/-0.1
Swedish	18,706	+/-1,214	3.3%	+/-0.2
Swiss	3,556	+/-607	0.6%	+/-0.1
Ukrainian	730	+/-196	0.1%	+/-0.1
Welsh	5,909	+/-651	1.0%	+/-0.1
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	158	+/-64	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.
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.



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EMPLOYMENT STATUS				
Population 16 years and over	442,182	+/-519	442,182	(X)
In labor force	307,324	+/-1,705	69.5%	+/-0.4
Civilian labor force	304,384	+/-1,699	68.8%	+/-0.4
Employed	288,847	+/-1,811	65.3%	+/-0.4
Unemployed	15,537	+/-860	3.5%	+/-0.2
Armed Forces	2,940	+/-336	0.7%	+/-0.1
Not in labor force	134,858	+/-1,754	30.5%	+/-0.4
Civilian labor force	304,384	+/-1,699	304,384	(X)
Percent Unemployed	(X)	(X)	5.1%	+/-0.3
Females 16 years and over				
Population 16 years and over	217,754	+/-403	217,754	(X)
In labor force	138,145	+/-1,303	63.4%	+/-0.6
Civilian labor force	137,616	+/-1,287	63.2%	+/-0.6
Employed	131,006	+/-1,347	60.2%	+/-0.6
Own children under 6 years				
Population	46,092	+/-615	46,092	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	29,195	+/-1,003	63.3%	+/-1.9
Own children 6 to 17 years				
Population	82,042	+/-781	82,042	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	61,305	+/-1,227	74.7%	+/-1.4
COMMUTING TO WORK				
Workers 16 years and over	285,577	+/-1,930	285,577	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	217,495	+/-2,328	76.2%	+/-0.6
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	32,847	+/-1,175	11.5%	+/-0.4
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	4,706	+/-614	1.6%	+/-0.2
Walked	10,374	+/-748	3.6%	+/-0.3
Other means	5,890	+/-585	2.1%	+/-0.2
Worked at home	14,265	+/-823	5.0%	+/-0.3
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	18.5	+/-0.3	(X)	(X)
OCCUPATION				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	288,847	+/-1,811	288,847	(X)

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Management, business, science, and arts occupations	91,226	+/-2,068	31.6%	+/-0.7
Service occupations	49,301	+/-1,542	17.1%	+/-0.5
Sales and office occupations	63,976	+/-1,529	22.1%	+/-0.5
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	47,196	+/-1,404	16.3%	+/-0.5
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	37,148	+/-1,372	12.9%	+/-0.5
INDUSTRY				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	288,847	+/-1,811	288,847	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	35,435	+/-1,136	12.3%	+/-0.4
Construction	24,339	+/-1,170	8.4%	+/-0.4
Manufacturing	13,442	+/-759	4.7%	+/-0.3
Wholesale trade	6,138	+/-488	2.1%	+/-0.2
Retail trade	31,267	+/-1,143	10.8%	+/-0.4
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	19,972	+/-960	6.9%	+/-0.3
Information	4,873	+/-453	1.7%	+/-0.2
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	12,183	+/-829	4.2%	+/-0.3
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	18,917	+/-985	6.5%	+/-0.4
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	62,896	+/-1,886	21.8%	+/-0.6
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	27,537	+/-1,459	9.5%	+/-0.5
Other services, except public administration	13,273	+/-823	4.6%	+/-0.3
Public administration	18,575	+/-1,004	6.4%	+/-0.3
CLASS OF WORKER				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	288,847	+/-1,811	288,847	(X)
Private wage and salary workers	208,222	+/-2,309	72.1%	+/-0.7
Government workers	59,238	+/-1,717	20.5%	+/-0.6
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	20,595	+/-959	7.1%	+/-0.3
Unpaid family workers	792	+/-215	0.3%	+/-0.1
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2012 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)				
Total households	221,479	+/-1,524	221,479	(X)
Less than \$10,000	11,279	+/-736	5.1%	+/-0.3
\$10,000 to \$14,999	10,717	+/-640	4.8%	+/-0.3
\$15,000 to \$24,999	21,127	+/-801	9.5%	+/-0.4
\$25,000 to \$34,999	22,992	+/-1,094	10.4%	+/-0.5
\$35,000 to \$49,999	31,395	+/-1,225	14.2%	+/-0.5
\$50,000 to \$74,999	44,135	+/-1,275	19.9%	+/-0.6
\$75,000 to \$99,999	31,949	+/-1,091	14.4%	+/-0.5
\$100,000 to \$149,999	32,413	+/-1,148	14.6%	+/-0.5
\$150,000 to \$199,999	9,172	+/-601	4.1%	+/-0.3
\$200,000 or more	6,300	+/-444	2.8%	+/-0.2
Median household income (dollars)	56,573	+/-981	(X)	(X)
Mean household income (dollars)	70,836	+/-906	(X)	(X)
With earnings				
Mean earnings (dollars)	69,147	+/-872	(X)	(X)
With Social Security				
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	16,806	+/-199	(X)	(X)
With retirement income				
Mean retirement income (dollars)	21,386	+/-1,031	(X)	(X)
With Supplemental Security Income				
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	8,539	+/-421	(X)	(X)
With cash public assistance income	3,444	+/-401	1.6%	+/-0.2

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Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	3,374	+/-528	(X)	(X)
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	12,666	+/-665	5.7%	+/-0.3
Families	145,992	+/-1,806	145,992	(X)
Less than \$10,000	4,333	+/-473	3.0%	+/-0.3
\$10,000 to \$14,999	3,272	+/-405	2.2%	+/-0.3
\$15,000 to \$24,999	9,110	+/-624	6.2%	+/-0.4
\$25,000 to \$34,999	12,155	+/-723	8.3%	+/-0.5
\$35,000 to \$49,999	18,705	+/-846	12.8%	+/-0.6
\$50,000 to \$74,999	31,502	+/-1,127	21.6%	+/-0.7
\$75,000 to \$99,999	25,612	+/-943	17.5%	+/-0.6
\$100,000 to \$149,999	27,608	+/-1,158	18.9%	+/-0.7
\$150,000 to \$199,999	8,135	+/-599	5.6%	+/-0.4
\$200,000 or more	5,560	+/-424	3.8%	+/-0.3
Median family income (dollars)	70,013	+/-969	(X)	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	83,409	+/-1,255	(X)	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)	28,858	+/-365	(X)	(X)
Nonfamily households	75,487	+/-1,513	75,487	(X)
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	32,245	+/-852	(X)	(X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	43,328	+/-1,156	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	30,353	+/-373	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	52,460	+/-690	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	33,801	+/-578	(X)	(X)
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE				
Civilian noninstitutionalized population	553,168	+/-339	553,168	(X)
With health insurance coverage	470,598	+/-2,754	85.1%	+/-0.5
With private health insurance	396,117	+/-3,871	71.6%	+/-0.7
With public coverage	141,018	+/-2,499	25.5%	+/-0.4
No health insurance coverage	82,570	+/-2,756	14.9%	+/-0.5
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 18 years	134,264	+/-266	134,264	(X)
No health insurance coverage	11,766	+/-1,067	8.8%	+/-0.8
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 18 to 64 years	350,829	+/-527	350,829	(X)
In labor force:	284,567	+/-1,645	284,567	(X)
Employed:	270,579	+/-1,731	270,579	(X)
With health insurance coverage	220,798	+/-2,553	81.6%	+/-0.7
With private health insurance	212,795	+/-2,608	78.6%	+/-0.7
With public coverage	15,970	+/-812	5.9%	+/-0.3
No health insurance coverage	49,781	+/-1,930	18.4%	+/-0.7
Unemployed:	13,988	+/-811	13,988	(X)
With health insurance coverage	6,898	+/-587	49.3%	+/-3.1
With private health insurance	5,041	+/-538	36.0%	+/-3.1
With public coverage	2,151	+/-326	15.4%	+/-2.2
No health insurance coverage	7,090	+/-594	50.7%	+/-3.1
Not in labor force:	66,262	+/-1,579	66,262	(X)
With health insurance coverage	52,790	+/-1,450	79.7%	+/-1.1
With private health insurance	40,312	+/-1,269	60.8%	+/-1.4
With public coverage	16,917	+/-888	25.5%	+/-1.1
No health insurance coverage	13,472	+/-821	20.3%	+/-1.1

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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)	7.2%	+/-0.4
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	12.4%	+/-0.7
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	14.7%	+/-2.0
Married couple families	(X)	(X)	3.5%	+/-0.3
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	5.7%	+/-0.7
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	5.3%	+/-1.4
Families with female householder, no husband present	(X)	(X)	28.4%	+/-1.9
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	36.2%	+/-2.6
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	49.9%	+/-6.9
All people	(X)	(X)	11.0%	+/-0.4
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	14.7%	+/-1.0
Related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	14.3%	+/-1.0
Related children under 5 years	(X)	(X)	17.4%	+/-1.8
Related children 5 to 17 years	(X)	(X)	13.0%	+/-1.1
18 years and over	(X)	(X)	9.9%	+/-0.3
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	10.6%	+/-0.4
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	6.3%	+/-0.6
People in families	(X)	(X)	8.2%	+/-0.5
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	(X)	(X)	22.7%	+/-0.9

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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.

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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS

2008-2012 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

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Subject	Wyoming			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSING OCCUPANCY				
Total housing units	261,430	+/-115	261,430	(X)
Occupied housing units	221,479	+/-1,524	84.7%	+/-0.6
Vacant housing units	39,951	+/-1,506	15.3%	+/-0.6
Homeowner vacancy rate	1.7	+/-0.3	(X)	(X)
Rental vacancy rate	7.9	+/-0.9	(X)	(X)
UNITS IN STRUCTURE				
Total housing units	261,430	+/-115	261,430	(X)
1-unit, detached	172,628	+/-1,360	66.0%	+/-0.5
1-unit, attached	10,189	+/-513	3.9%	+/-0.2
2 units	7,435	+/-714	2.8%	+/-0.3
3 or 4 units	11,991	+/-733	4.6%	+/-0.3
5 to 9 units	8,872	+/-690	3.4%	+/-0.3
10 to 19 units	5,827	+/-485	2.2%	+/-0.2
20 or more units	7,875	+/-624	3.0%	+/-0.2
Mobile home	36,251	+/-1,093	13.9%	+/-0.4
Boat, RV, van, etc.	362	+/-151	0.1%	+/-0.1
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT				
Total housing units	261,430	+/-115	261,430	(X)
Built 2010 or later	1,341	+/-248	0.5%	+/-0.1
Built 2000 to 2009	35,772	+/-1,313	13.7%	+/-0.5
Built 1990 to 1999	32,100	+/-1,156	12.3%	+/-0.4
Built 1980 to 1989	40,186	+/-1,278	15.4%	+/-0.5
Built 1970 to 1979	59,277	+/-1,445	22.7%	+/-0.6
Built 1960 to 1969	22,949	+/-966	8.8%	+/-0.4
Built 1950 to 1959	25,564	+/-1,019	9.8%	+/-0.4
Built 1940 to 1949	12,558	+/-768	4.8%	+/-0.3
Built 1939 or earlier	31,683	+/-1,034	12.1%	+/-0.4
ROOMS				
Total housing units	261,430	+/-115	261,430	(X)
1 room	4,323	+/-495	1.7%	+/-0.2
2 rooms	6,841	+/-696	2.6%	+/-0.3

Subject	Wyoming			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
3 rooms	19,299	+/-1,096	7.4%	+/-0.4
4 rooms	44,488	+/-1,473	17.0%	+/-0.6
5 rooms	51,437	+/-1,534	19.7%	+/-0.6
6 rooms	40,208	+/-1,201	15.4%	+/-0.5
7 rooms	32,481	+/-1,099	12.4%	+/-0.4
8 rooms	25,835	+/-909	9.9%	+/-0.3
9 rooms or more	36,518	+/-1,209	14.0%	+/-0.5
Median rooms	5.6	+/-0.1	(X)	(X)
BEDROOMS				
Total housing units	261,430	+/-115	261,430	(X)
No bedroom	4,713	+/-508	1.8%	+/-0.2
1 bedroom	24,369	+/-1,144	9.3%	+/-0.4
2 bedrooms	67,278	+/-1,444	25.7%	+/-0.6
3 bedrooms	101,594	+/-1,683	38.9%	+/-0.6
4 bedrooms	45,129	+/-1,325	17.3%	+/-0.5
5 or more bedrooms	18,347	+/-819	7.0%	+/-0.3
HOUSING TENURE				
Occupied housing units	221,479	+/-1,524	221,479	(X)
Owner-occupied	155,659	+/-1,659	70.3%	+/-0.6
Renter-occupied	65,820	+/-1,398	29.7%	+/-0.6
Average household size of owner-occupied unit	2.53	+/-0.02	(X)	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	2.37	+/-0.04	(X)	(X)
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT				
Occupied housing units	221,479	+/-1,524	221,479	(X)
Moved in 2010 or later	27,085	+/-1,126	12.2%	+/-0.5
Moved in 2000 to 2009	115,378	+/-1,811	52.1%	+/-0.7
Moved in 1990 to 1999	39,348	+/-1,097	17.8%	+/-0.5
Moved in 1980 to 1989	20,022	+/-742	9.0%	+/-0.3
Moved in 1970 to 1979	12,051	+/-584	5.4%	+/-0.3
Moved in 1969 or earlier	7,595	+/-473	3.4%	+/-0.2
VEHICLES AVAILABLE				
Occupied housing units	221,479	+/-1,524	221,479	(X)
No vehicles available	7,916	+/-534	3.6%	+/-0.2
1 vehicle available	57,789	+/-1,222	26.1%	+/-0.5
2 vehicles available	84,558	+/-1,800	38.2%	+/-0.8
3 or more vehicles available	71,216	+/-1,491	32.2%	+/-0.6
HOUSE HEATING FUEL				
Occupied housing units	221,479	+/-1,524	221,479	(X)
Utility gas	134,604	+/-1,902	60.8%	+/-0.7
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	23,604	+/-728	10.7%	+/-0.3
Electricity	46,323	+/-1,486	20.9%	+/-0.7
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	760	+/-142	0.3%	+/-0.1
Coal or coke	1,192	+/-223	0.5%	+/-0.1
Wood	12,365	+/-601	5.6%	+/-0.3
Solar energy	204	+/-78	0.1%	+/-0.1
Other fuel	2,052	+/-279	0.9%	+/-0.1
No fuel used	375	+/-126	0.2%	+/-0.1
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS				
Occupied housing units	221,479	+/-1,524	221,479	(X)
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	1,353	+/-296	0.6%	+/-0.1
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	2,066	+/-308	0.9%	+/-0.1
No telephone service available	4,751	+/-412	2.1%	+/-0.2

Subject	Wyoming			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
OCCUPANTS PER ROOM				
Occupied housing units	221,479	+/-1,524	221,479	(X)
1.00 or less	216,779	+/-1,615	97.9%	+/-0.2
1.01 to 1.50	3,687	+/-405	1.7%	+/-0.2
1.51 or more	1,013	+/-241	0.5%	+/-0.1
VALUE				
Owner-occupied units	155,659	+/-1,659	155,659	(X)
Less than \$50,000	16,506	+/-854	10.6%	+/-0.5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	14,553	+/-649	9.3%	+/-0.4
\$100,000 to \$149,999	23,529	+/-853	15.1%	+/-0.5
\$150,000 to \$199,999	32,655	+/-1,166	21.0%	+/-0.7
\$200,000 to \$299,999	38,465	+/-984	24.7%	+/-0.6
\$300,000 to \$499,999	20,225	+/-872	13.0%	+/-0.6
\$500,000 to \$999,999	6,826	+/-491	4.4%	+/-0.3
\$1,000,000 or more	2,900	+/-398	1.9%	+/-0.3
Median (dollars)	184,400	+/-1,708	(X)	(X)
MORTGAGE STATUS				
Owner-occupied units	155,659	+/-1,659	155,659	(X)
Housing units with a mortgage	94,301	+/-1,414	60.6%	+/-0.7
Housing units without a mortgage	61,358	+/-1,342	39.4%	+/-0.7
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS (SMOC)				
Housing units with a mortgage	94,301	+/-1,414	94,301	(X)
Less than \$300	160	+/-68	0.2%	+/-0.1
\$300 to \$499	1,639	+/-200	1.7%	+/-0.2
\$500 to \$699	5,971	+/-520	6.3%	+/-0.6
\$700 to \$999	16,644	+/-724	17.6%	+/-0.7
\$1,000 to \$1,499	32,877	+/-1,105	34.9%	+/-1.0
\$1,500 to \$1,999	21,061	+/-980	22.3%	+/-1.0
\$2,000 or more	15,949	+/-833	16.9%	+/-0.9
Median (dollars)	1,343	+/-15	(X)	(X)
Housing units without a mortgage	61,358	+/-1,342	61,358	(X)
Less than \$100	802	+/-205	1.3%	+/-0.3
\$100 to \$199	5,044	+/-447	8.2%	+/-0.7
\$200 to \$299	13,356	+/-711	21.8%	+/-1.1
\$300 to \$399	16,580	+/-656	27.0%	+/-1.0
\$400 or more	25,576	+/-1,018	41.7%	+/-1.3
Median (dollars)	370	+/-5	(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)	94,112	+/-1,414	94,112	(X)
Less than 20.0 percent	41,391	+/-1,214	44.0%	+/-1.0
20.0 to 24.9 percent	16,704	+/-793	17.7%	+/-0.8
25.0 to 29.9 percent	11,071	+/-720	11.8%	+/-0.7
30.0 to 34.9 percent	6,891	+/-505	7.3%	+/-0.5
35.0 percent or more	18,055	+/-850	19.2%	+/-0.9
Not computed	189	+/-87	(X)	(X)
Housing unit without a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)	60,954	+/-1,359	60,954	(X)
Less than 10.0 percent	32,580	+/-1,179	53.5%	+/-1.4
10.0 to 14.9 percent	10,813	+/-666	17.7%	+/-1.0
15.0 to 19.9 percent	5,979	+/-479	9.8%	+/-0.8

Subject	Wyoming			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
20.0 to 24.9 percent	3,401	+/-397	5.6%	+/-0.6
25.0 to 29.9 percent	2,334	+/-329	3.8%	+/-0.5
30.0 to 34.9 percent	1,492	+/-255	2.4%	+/-0.4
35.0 percent or more	4,355	+/-415	7.1%	+/-0.7
Not computed	404	+/-136	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT				
Occupied units paying rent	58,693	+/-1,342	58,693	(X)
Less than \$200	862	+/-179	1.5%	+/-0.3
\$200 to \$299	2,200	+/-295	3.7%	+/-0.5
\$300 to \$499	8,024	+/-600	13.7%	+/-1.0
\$500 to \$749	19,540	+/-856	33.3%	+/-1.4
\$750 to \$999	14,169	+/-875	24.1%	+/-1.4
\$1,000 to \$1,499	10,137	+/-823	17.3%	+/-1.2
\$1,500 or more	3,761	+/-530	6.4%	+/-0.9
Median (dollars)	733	+/-11	(X)	(X)
No rent paid	7,127	+/-528	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (GRAPI)				
Occupied units paying rent (excluding units where GRAPI cannot be computed)	58,150	+/-1,361	58,150	(X)
Less than 15.0 percent	10,822	+/-662	18.6%	+/-1.1
15.0 to 19.9 percent	8,707	+/-635	15.0%	+/-1.1
20.0 to 24.9 percent	8,521	+/-656	14.7%	+/-1.0
25.0 to 29.9 percent	7,022	+/-609	12.1%	+/-1.0
30.0 to 34.9 percent	4,685	+/-517	8.1%	+/-0.9
35.0 percent or more	18,393	+/-891	31.6%	+/-1.4
Not computed	7,670	+/-579	(X)	(X)

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DP05 ACS DEMOGRAPHIC AND HOUSING ESTIMATES

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
SEX AND AGE				
Total population	562,803	*****	562,803	(X)
Male	286,644	+/-499	50.9%	+/-0.1
Female	276,159	+/-499	49.1%	+/-0.1
Under 5 years	39,192	+/-294	7.0%	+/-0.1
5 to 9 years	37,327	+/-1,033	6.6%	+/-0.2
10 to 14 years	36,193	+/-904	6.4%	+/-0.2
15 to 19 years	38,505	+/-533	6.8%	+/-0.1
20 to 24 years	40,490	+/-499	7.2%	+/-0.1
25 to 34 years	76,767	+/-631	13.6%	+/-0.1
35 to 44 years	67,663	+/-644	12.0%	+/-0.1
45 to 54 years	82,596	+/-533	14.7%	+/-0.1
55 to 59 years	41,856	+/-818	7.4%	+/-0.1
60 to 64 years	31,842	+/-893	5.7%	+/-0.2
65 to 74 years	39,813	+/-224	7.1%	+/-0.1
75 to 84 years	21,854	+/-481	3.9%	+/-0.1
85 years and over	8,705	+/-433	1.5%	+/-0.1
Median age (years)	36.9	+/-0.2	(X)	(X)
18 years and over	427,994	+/-266	76.0%	+/-0.1
21 years and over	402,979	+/-892	71.6%	+/-0.2
62 years and over	87,872	+/-717	15.6%	+/-0.1
65 years and over	70,372	+/-289	12.5%	+/-0.1
18 years and over	427,994	+/-266	427,994	(X)
Male	217,176	+/-342	50.7%	+/-0.1
Female	210,818	+/-316	49.3%	+/-0.1
65 years and over	70,372	+/-289	70,372	(X)
Male	32,593	+/-221	46.3%	+/-0.2
Female	37,779	+/-176	53.7%	+/-0.2
RACE				
Total population	562,803	*****	562,803	(X)

Subject	Wyoming			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
One race	547,358	+/-994	97.3%	+/-0.2
Two or more races	15,445	+/-994	2.7%	+/-0.2
One race	547,358	+/-994	97.3%	+/-0.2
White	513,021	+/-1,398	91.2%	+/-0.2
Black or African American	4,689	+/-371	0.8%	+/-0.1
American Indian and Alaska Native	12,951	+/-613	2.3%	+/-0.1
Cherokee tribal grouping	199	+/-97	0.0%	+/-0.1
Chippewa tribal grouping	599	+/-339	0.1%	+/-0.1
Navajo tribal grouping	404	+/-292	0.1%	+/-0.1
Sioux tribal grouping	1,127	+/-314	0.2%	+/-0.1
Asian	4,392	+/-311	0.8%	+/-0.1
Asian Indian	574	+/-241	0.1%	+/-0.1
Chinese	788	+/-254	0.1%	+/-0.1
Filipino	1,263	+/-291	0.2%	+/-0.1
Japanese	613	+/-158	0.1%	+/-0.1
Korean	479	+/-177	0.1%	+/-0.1
Vietnamese	144	+/-101	0.0%	+/-0.1
Other Asian	531	+/-199	0.1%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	206	+/-91	0.0%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian	85	+/-57	0.0%	+/-0.1
Guamanian or Chamorro	42	+/-45	0.0%	+/-0.1
Samoan	13	+/-17	0.0%	+/-0.1
Other Pacific Islander	66	+/-38	0.0%	+/-0.1
Some other race	12,099	+/-1,159	2.1%	+/-0.2
Two or more races	15,445	+/-994	2.7%	+/-0.2
White and Black or African American	1,813	+/-345	0.3%	+/-0.1
White and American Indian and Alaska Native	8,394	+/-726	1.5%	+/-0.1
White and Asian	1,409	+/-276	0.3%	+/-0.1
Black or African American and American Indian and Alaska Native	137	+/-70	0.0%	+/-0.1
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races				
Total population	562,803	*****	562,803	(X)
White	527,866	+/-1,212	93.8%	+/-0.2
Black or African American	7,017	+/-365	1.2%	+/-0.1
American Indian and Alaska Native	21,980	+/-791	3.9%	+/-0.1
Asian	6,153	+/-257	1.1%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	819	+/-281	0.1%	+/-0.1
Some other race	14,944	+/-1,184	2.7%	+/-0.2
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE				
Total population	562,803	*****	562,803	(X)
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	50,313	*****	8.9%	*****
Mexican	36,567	+/-1,231	6.5%	+/-0.2
Puerto Rican	770	+/-241	0.1%	+/-0.1
Cuban	262	+/-130	0.0%	+/-0.1
Other Hispanic or Latino	12,714	+/-1,181	2.3%	+/-0.2
Not Hispanic or Latino	512,490	*****	91.1%	*****
White alone	481,842	+/-365	85.6%	+/-0.1
Black or African American alone	4,529	+/-365	0.8%	+/-0.1
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	11,117	+/-428	2.0%	+/-0.1
Asian alone	4,351	+/-302	0.8%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	170	+/-75	0.0%	+/-0.1
Some other race alone	336	+/-139	0.1%	+/-0.1
Two or more races	10,145	+/-643	1.8%	+/-0.1
Two races including Some other race	342	+/-184	0.1%	+/-0.1
Two races excluding Some other race, and Three or more races	9,803	+/-627	1.7%	+/-0.1

Subject	Wyoming			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Total housing units	261,430	+/-115	(X)	(X)

Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see Accuracy of the Data). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

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)

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.
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.