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2012-2016 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

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

Subject	Delaware city, Ohio			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	13,991	+/-335	13,991	(X)
Family households (families)	8,918	+/-294	63.7%	+/-2.2
With own children of the householder under 18 years	4,795	+/-331	34.3%	+/-2.3
Married-couple family	6,985	+/-302	49.9%	+/-2.3
With own children of the householder under 18 years	3,512	+/-267	25.1%	+/-1.9
Male householder, no wife present, family	490	+/-121	3.5%	+/-0.9
With own children of the householder under 18 years	325	+/-122	2.3%	+/-0.9
Female householder, no husband present, family	1,443	+/-261	10.3%	+/-1.8
With own children of the householder under 18 years	958	+/-203	6.8%	+/-1.4
Nonfamily households	5,073	+/-376	36.3%	+/-2.2
Householder living alone	4,295	+/-371	30.7%	+/-2.3
65 years and over	1,380	+/-189	9.9%	+/-1.3
Households with one or more people under 18 years	5,155	+/-319	36.8%	+/-2.3
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	2,933	+/-226	21.0%	+/-1.6
Average household size	2.52	+/-0.06	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.21	+/-0.08	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	35,291	+/-513	35,291	(X)
Householder	13,991	+/-335	39.6%	+/-0.9
Spouse	6,889	+/-329	19.5%	+/-0.8
Child	11,196	+/-545	31.7%	+/-1.4
Other relatives	1,657	+/-438	4.7%	+/-1.2
Nonrelatives	1,558	+/-317	4.4%	+/-0.9
Unmarried partner	894	+/-203	2.5%	+/-0.6

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	14,151	+/-389	14,151	(X)
Never married	4,739	+/-371	33.5%	+/-2.1
Now married, except separated	7,421	+/-310	52.4%	+/-2.4
Separated	206	+/-115	1.5%	+/-0.8
Widowed	316	+/-97	2.2%	+/-0.7
Divorced	1,469	+/-258	10.4%	+/-1.8
Females 15 years and over	15,131	+/-347	15,131	(X)
Never married	4,317	+/-381	28.5%	+/-2.3
Now married, except separated	7,246	+/-320	47.9%	+/-2.2
Separated	290	+/-111	1.9%	+/-0.7
Widowed	1,174	+/-182	7.8%	+/-1.2
Divorced	2,104	+/-286	13.9%	+/-1.8
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	538	+/-139	538	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	89	+/-61	16.5%	+/-10.1
Per 1,000 unmarried women	18	+/-13	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	54	+/-15	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/-21	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	95	+/-27	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	31	+/-16	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	535	+/-189	535	(X)
Grandparents responsible for grandchildren	253	+/-165	47.3%	+/-21.3
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	7	+/-13	1.3%	+/-2.4
1 or 2 years	154	+/-149	28.8%	+/-23.8
3 or 4 years	19	+/-21	3.6%	+/-4.1
5 or more years	73	+/-66	13.6%	+/-11.7
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	253	+/-165	253	(X)
Who are female	143	+/-86	56.5%	+/-12.8
Who are married	179	+/-154	70.8%	+/-27.9
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	10,874	+/-445	10,874	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	705	+/-171	6.5%	+/-1.5
Kindergarten	639	+/-189	5.9%	+/-1.7
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	4,265	+/-345	39.2%	+/-2.9
High school (grades 9-12)	1,847	+/-279	17.0%	+/-2.3
College or graduate school	3,418	+/-304	31.4%	+/-2.6
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	23,452	+/-464	23,452	(X)
Less than 9th grade	444	+/-213	1.9%	+/-0.9
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	1,057	+/-221	4.5%	+/-0.9
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	7,034	+/-631	30.0%	+/-2.6
Some college, no degree	5,387	+/-571	23.0%	+/-2.3
Associate's degree	1,475	+/-258	6.3%	+/-1.1
Bachelor's degree	4,935	+/-393	21.0%	+/-1.7
Graduate or professional degree	3,120	+/-348	13.3%	+/-1.5
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	93.6%	+/-1.3
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	34.3%	+/-2.6

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VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	27,959	+/-408	27,959	(X)
Civilian veterans	2,278	+/-254	8.1%	+/-0.9
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	37,017	+/-389	37,017	(X)
With a disability	3,605	+/-353	9.7%	+/-0.9
Under 18 years				
With a disability	351	+/-101	3.7%	+/-1.1
18 to 64 years				
With a disability	1,764	+/-288	7.5%	+/-1.2
65 years and over				
With a disability	1,490	+/-201	37.6%	+/-4.2
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	37,063	+/-353	37,063	(X)
Same house	31,035	+/-768	83.7%	+/-1.7
Different house in the U.S.	5,874	+/-621	15.8%	+/-1.7
Same county	3,102	+/-559	8.4%	+/-1.5
Different county	2,772	+/-387	7.5%	+/-1.0
Same state	2,109	+/-324	5.7%	+/-0.9
Different state	663	+/-208	1.8%	+/-0.6
Abroad	154	+/-89	0.4%	+/-0.2
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	37,554	+/-335	37,554	(X)
Native	36,222	+/-522	96.5%	+/-0.9
Born in United States	36,051	+/-522	96.0%	+/-1.0
State of residence	27,638	+/-902	73.6%	+/-2.2
Different state	8,413	+/-682	22.4%	+/-1.8
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	171	+/-83	0.5%	+/-0.2
Foreign born	1,332	+/-352	3.5%	+/-0.9
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	1,332	+/-352	1,332	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	584	+/-171	43.8%	+/-8.9
Not a U.S. citizen	748	+/-253	56.2%	+/-8.9
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	1,503	+/-363	1,503	(X)
Native				
Entered 2010 or later	14	+/-21	8.2%	+/-12.7
Entered before 2010	157	+/-82	91.8%	+/-12.7
Foreign born				
Entered 2010 or later	336	+/-115	25.2%	+/-7.5
Entered before 2010	996	+/-304	74.8%	+/-7.5
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	1,332	+/-352	1,332	(X)
Europe	198	+/-94	14.9%	+/-7.1
Asia	518	+/-184	38.9%	+/-11.3

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Africa	158	+/-98	11.9%	+/-6.7
Oceania	0	+/-24	0.0%	+/-2.2
Latin America	372	+/-221	27.9%	+/-12.5
Northern America	86	+/-72	6.5%	+/-5.2
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	34,722	+/-459	34,722	(X)
English only	33,345	+/-585	96.0%	+/-1.0
Language other than English	1,377	+/-330	4.0%	+/-1.0
Speak English less than "very well"	355	+/-173	1.0%	+/-0.5
Spanish	551	+/-248	1.6%	+/-0.7
Speak English less than "very well"	244	+/-161	0.7%	+/-0.5
Other Indo-European languages	345	+/-101	1.0%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	23	+/-24	0.1%	+/-0.1
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	327	+/-168	0.9%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	31	+/-30	0.1%	+/-0.1
Other languages	154	+/-101	0.4%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	57	+/-48	0.2%	+/-0.1
ANCESTRY				
Total population	37,554	+/-335	37,554	(X)
American	2,776	+/-481	7.4%	+/-1.3
Arab	17	+/-15	0.0%	+/-0.1
Czech	71	+/-61	0.2%	+/-0.2
Danish	7	+/-12	0.0%	+/-0.1
Dutch	531	+/-168	1.4%	+/-0.4
English	4,690	+/-642	12.5%	+/-1.7
French (except Basque)	1,124	+/-357	3.0%	+/-0.9
French Canadian	97	+/-68	0.3%	+/-0.2
German	11,168	+/-806	29.7%	+/-2.1
Greek	169	+/-149	0.5%	+/-0.4
Hungarian	251	+/-123	0.7%	+/-0.3
Irish	5,537	+/-676	14.7%	+/-1.8
Italian	2,308	+/-553	6.1%	+/-1.5
Lithuanian	139	+/-113	0.4%	+/-0.3
Norwegian	142	+/-99	0.4%	+/-0.3
Polish	772	+/-280	2.1%	+/-0.7
Portuguese	24	+/-42	0.1%	+/-0.1
Russian	306	+/-162	0.8%	+/-0.4
Scotch-Irish	435	+/-151	1.2%	+/-0.4
Scottish	1,035	+/-261	2.8%	+/-0.7
Slovak	134	+/-107	0.4%	+/-0.3
Subsaharan African	189	+/-139	0.5%	+/-0.4
Swedish	258	+/-124	0.7%	+/-0.3
Swiss	317	+/-157	0.8%	+/-0.4
Ukrainian	64	+/-69	0.2%	+/-0.2
Welsh	562	+/-237	1.5%	+/-0.6
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	79	+/-75	0.2%	+/-0.2
COMPUTERS AND INTERNET USE				
Total households	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a computer	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a broadband Internet subscription	(X)	(X)	(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.

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).

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.

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

Methodological changes to data collection in 2013 may have affected language data for 2013. Users should be aware of these changes when using 2013 data or multi-year data containing data from 2013. For more information, see: Language User Note.

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 2012-2016 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the February 2013 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2010 data. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2012-2016 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Explanation of Symbols:

1. An '***' entry in the margin of error column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the margin of error. A statistical test is not appropriate.
2. An '-' entry in the estimate column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute an estimate, or a ratio of medians cannot be calculated because one or both of the median estimates falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
3. An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
4. An '+' following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
5. An '***' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the median falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution. A statistical test is not appropriate.
6. An '*****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.
7. An 'N' entry in the estimate and margin of error columns indicates that data for this geographic area cannot be displayed because the number of sample cases is too small.
8. An '(X)' means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.