



New York city, New York

Selected Economic Characteristics: 2005

Data Set: 2005 American Community Survey

Survey: 2005 American Community Survey

NEW YORK CITY

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Selected Economic Characteristics: 2005	Estimate	Margin of Error
EMPLOYMENT STATUS		
Population 16 years and over	6,241,257	+/-4,865
In labor force	3,869,575	+/-19,817
Civilian labor force	3,867,514	+/-19,803
Employed	3,541,764	+/-21,201
Unemployed	325,750	+/-9,608
Armed Forces	2,061	+/-835
Not in labor force	2,371,682	+/-21,243
Civilian labor force	3,867,514	+/-19,803
Unemployed	8.4%	+/-0.2
Females 16 years and over	3,340,215	+/-3,278
In labor force	1,843,310	+/-15,889
Civilian labor force	1,843,219	+/-15,896
Employed	1,681,272	+/-17,579
Own children under 6 years	654,300	+/-7,875
All parents in family in labor force	346,163	+/-12,586
Own children 6 to 17 years	1,139,623	+/-7,671
All parents in family in labor force	702,860	+/-13,617
COMMUTING TO WORK		
Workers 16 years and over	3,429,194	+/-21,286
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	809,933	+/-14,456
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	208,515	+/-9,858
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	1,873,298	+/-20,268
Walked	323,712	+/-12,319
Other means	90,097	+/-5,632
Worked at home	123,639	+/-7,408
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	39.1	+/-0.3
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	3,541,764	+/-21,201
OCCUPATION		
Management, professional, and related occupations	1,328,046	+/-19,911
Service occupations	711,009	+/-14,770
Sales and office occupations	914,868	+/-21,829
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	1,812	+/-751
Construction, extraction, maintenance and repair occupations	252,675	+/-11,356
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	333,354	+/-11,537
INDUSTRY		
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	1,672	+/-935
Construction	192,125	+/-9,458
Manufacturing	175,022	+/-8,607
Wholesale trade	95,747	+/-5,163
Retail trade	332,225	+/-13,130

Selected Economic Characteristics: 2005	Estimate	Margin of Error
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	224,062	+/-9,392
Information	154,531	+/-7,988
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	391,052	+/-13,169
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	438,864	+/-13,071
Educational services, and health care, and social assistance	874,415	+/-17,132
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation, and food services	310,244	+/-11,212
Other services, except public administration	196,280	+/-9,736
Public administration	155,525	+/-8,467
CLASS OF WORKER		
Private wage and salary workers	2,764,817	+/-22,569
Government workers	538,358	+/-15,396
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	233,077	+/-10,788
Unpaid family workers	5,512	+/-1,756
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2005 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)		
Total households	3,026,196	+/-10,429
Less than \$10,000	407,196	+/-9,751
\$10,000 to \$14,999	203,040	+/-7,636
\$15,000 to \$24,999	348,131	+/-11,313
\$25,000 to \$34,999	313,632	+/-8,730
\$35,000 to \$49,999	397,402	+/-11,573
\$50,000 to \$74,999	504,221	+/-11,169
\$75,000 to \$99,999	303,719	+/-8,977
\$100,000 to \$149,999	306,023	+/-8,177
\$150,000 to \$199,999	103,156	+/-5,722
\$200,000 or more	139,676	+/-5,880
Median household income (dollars)	43,434	+/-605
Mean household income (dollars)	66,750	+/-778
With earnings	2,353,337	+/-14,734
Mean earnings (dollars)	72,819	+/-950
With Social Security	714,521	+/-9,775
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	12,490	+/-152
With retirement income	375,069	+/-8,970
Mean retirement income (dollars)	18,852	+/-588
With Supplemental Security Income	207,556	+/-8,785
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	7,038	+/-148
With cash public assistance income	148,554	+/-7,144
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	3,255	+/-150
With Food Stamp benefits in the past 12 months	401,780	+/-10,132
Families	1,839,961	+/-15,364
Less than \$10,000	169,792	+/-8,137
\$10,000 to \$14,999	112,198	+/-6,300
\$15,000 to \$24,999	198,776	+/-7,801
\$25,000 to \$34,999	199,231	+/-7,057
\$35,000 to \$49,999	248,782	+/-9,389
\$50,000 to \$74,999	325,022	+/-11,219
\$75,000 to \$99,999	202,533	+/-7,444
\$100,000 to \$149,999	214,421	+/-7,274
\$150,000 to \$199,999	70,282	+/-4,601
\$200,000 or more	98,924	+/-4,984
Median family income (dollars)	49,374	+/-849
Mean family income (dollars)	74,147	+/-1,174
Per capita income (dollars)	27,233	+/-325
Nonfamily households	1,186,235	+/-16,196
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	32,444	+/-738
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	52,688	+/-1,140
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	31,234	+/-223
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	41,664	+/-386
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	37,353	+/-531
PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL		
All families	16.7%	+/-0.5
With related children under 18 years	23.3%	+/-0.8

Selected Economic Characteristics: 2005	Estimate	Margin of Error
With related children under 5 years only	18.6%	+/-1.8
Married couple families	9.1%	+/-0.5
With related children under 18 years	11.1%	+/-0.8
With related children under 5 years only	8.7%	+/-1.4
Families with female householder, no husband present	31.2%	+/-1.1
With related children under 18 years	41.2%	+/-1.4
With related children under 5 years only	42.2%	+/-4.8
All people	19.1%	+/-0.4
Under 18 years	27.7%	+/-0.9
Related children under 18 years	27.4%	+/-1.0
Related children under 5 years	27.0%	+/-1.4
Related children 5 to 17 years	27.6%	+/-1.0
18 years and over	16.3%	+/-0.4
18 to 64 years	15.6%	+/-0.4
65 years and over	20.3%	+/-0.8
People in families	18.2%	+/-0.5
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	24.2%	+/-0.5

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2005 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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Bronx County, New York

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BRONX

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Selected Economic Characteristics: 2005	Estimate	Margin of Error
EMPLOYMENT STATUS		
Population 16 years and over	956,441	+/-1,987
In labor force	560,157	+/-7,867
Civilian labor force	559,656	+/-7,845
Employed	497,877	+/-8,687
Unemployed	61,779	+/-4,470
Armed Forces	501	+/-445
Not in labor force	396,284	+/-7,910
Civilian labor force	559,656	+/-7,845
Unemployed	11.0%	+/-0.8
Females 16 years and over	529,180	+/-1,390
In labor force	279,227	+/-5,127
Civilian labor force	279,227	+/-5,127
Employed	247,214	+/-5,842
Own children under 6 years	129,249	+/-3,844
All parents in family in labor force	73,183	+/-5,072
Own children 6 to 17 years	231,676	+/-4,294
All parents in family in labor force	146,181	+/-5,736
COMMUTING TO WORK		
Workers 16 years and over	475,932	+/-8,397
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	118,544	+/-5,388
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	29,856	+/-3,414
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	274,105	+/-8,551
Walked	30,085	+/-3,524
Other means	8,647	+/-1,844
Worked at home	14,695	+/-2,055
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	41.7	+/-0.8
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	497,877	+/-8,687
OCCUPATION		
Management, professional, and related occupations	126,183	+/-5,603
Service occupations	146,535	+/-5,344
Sales and office occupations	129,498	+/-5,516
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	575	+/-447
Construction, extraction, maintenance and repair occupations	39,404	+/-4,424
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	55,682	+/-3,966
INDUSTRY		
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	65	+/-109
Construction	26,768	+/-3,497
Manufacturing	27,665	+/-3,118
Wholesale trade	12,301	+/-1,908
Retail trade	53,626	+/-4,939

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Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	30,112	+/-2,873
Information	13,227	+/-2,005
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	39,973	+/-3,419
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	44,005	+/-3,471
Educational services, and health care, and social assistance	152,959	+/-5,868
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation, and food services	43,692	+/-3,564
Other services, except public administration	28,822	+/-3,212
Public administration	24,662	+/-2,737
CLASS OF WORKER		
Private wage and salary workers	383,869	+/-9,418
Government workers	86,082	+/-5,088
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	27,068	+/-2,844
Unpaid family workers	858	+/-510
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2005 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)		
Total households	468,210	+/-2,927
Less than \$10,000	101,392	+/-4,841
\$10,000 to \$14,999	40,240	+/-3,572
\$15,000 to \$24,999	66,337	+/-3,709
\$25,000 to \$34,999	55,860	+/-4,337
\$35,000 to \$49,999	66,026	+/-4,049
\$50,000 to \$74,999	66,810	+/-3,718
\$75,000 to \$99,999	35,050	+/-3,007
\$100,000 to \$149,999	27,265	+/-2,494
\$150,000 to \$199,999	5,536	+/-1,244
\$200,000 or more	3,694	+/-946
Median household income (dollars)	29,228	+/-853
Mean household income (dollars)	40,627	+/-946
With earnings	342,471	+/-4,339
Mean earnings (dollars)	46,462	+/-1,098
With Social Security	103,582	+/-3,274
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	11,139	+/-312
With retirement income	52,802	+/-3,089
Mean retirement income (dollars)	14,188	+/-888
With Supplemental Security Income	46,161	+/-3,134
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	6,583	+/-196
With cash public assistance income	48,215	+/-3,638
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	3,277	+/-258
With Food Stamp benefits in the past 12 months	111,312	+/-5,342
Families	319,112	+/-6,011
Less than \$10,000	54,028	+/-3,962
\$10,000 to \$14,999	24,996	+/-2,469
\$15,000 to \$24,999	43,417	+/-3,303
\$25,000 to \$34,999	42,458	+/-3,865
\$35,000 to \$49,999	46,914	+/-3,080
\$50,000 to \$74,999	51,385	+/-3,388
\$75,000 to \$99,999	26,660	+/-2,561
\$100,000 to \$149,999	22,178	+/-2,248
\$150,000 to \$199,999	4,353	+/-1,120
\$200,000 or more	2,723	+/-737
Median family income (dollars)	33,460	+/-1,336
Mean family income (dollars)	44,473	+/-1,131
Per capita income (dollars)	15,546	+/-291
Nonfamily households	149,098	+/-5,624
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	17,980	+/-1,504
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	28,409	+/-1,439
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	24,458	+/-895
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	32,426	+/-1,105
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	30,948	+/-630
PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL		
All families	27.0%	+/-1.5
With related children under 18 years	34.5%	+/-1.9

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With related children under 5 years only	32.0%	+/-4.5
Married couple families	12.0%	+/-1.6
With related children under 18 years	15.5%	+/-2.7
With related children under 5 years only	12.8%	+/-5.8
Families with female householder, no husband present	42.0%	+/-2.3
With related children under 18 years	48.8%	+/-2.6
With related children under 5 years only	53.1%	+/-7.9
All people	29.2%	+/-1.3
Under 18 years	39.7%	+/-2.3
Related children under 18 years	39.5%	+/-2.3
Related children under 5 years	39.2%	+/-2.9
Related children 5 to 17 years	39.6%	+/-2.6
18 years and over	24.8%	+/-1.0
18 to 64 years	24.5%	+/-1.2
65 years and over	26.4%	+/-1.6
People in families	28.3%	+/-1.5
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	36.3%	+/-1.8

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EMPLOYMENT STATUS		
Population 16 years and over	1,869,945	+/-2,802
In labor force	1,117,054	+/-10,725
Civilian labor force	1,116,652	+/-10,755
Employed	1,014,886	+/-10,686
Unemployed	101,766	+/-5,563
Armed Forces	402	+/-254
Not in labor force	752,891	+/-11,184
Civilian labor force	1,116,652	+/-10,755
Unemployed	9.1%	+/-0.5
Females 16 years and over		
Population 16 years and over	1,014,939	+/-2,110
In labor force	543,838	+/-9,588
Civilian labor force	543,799	+/-9,583
Employed	495,254	+/-9,795
Own children under 6 years		
Population 16 years and over	217,730	+/-4,609
All parents in family in labor force	116,075	+/-7,609
Own children 6 to 17 years		
Population 16 years and over	390,447	+/-4,987
All parents in family in labor force	232,084	+/-7,688
COMMUTING TO WORK		
Workers 16 years and over	985,092	+/-10,399
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	216,959	+/-8,626
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	52,018	+/-4,643
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	583,846	+/-13,259
Walked	80,125	+/-6,713
Other means	19,160	+/-3,058
Worked at home	32,984	+/-4,033
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	40.7	+/-0.7
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	1,014,886	+/-10,686
OCCUPATION		
Management, professional, and related occupations	342,776	+/-10,996
Service occupations	224,458	+/-9,506
Sales and office occupations	258,997	+/-12,004
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	587	+/-420
Construction, extraction, maintenance and repair occupations	82,048	+/-6,625
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	106,020	+/-7,593
INDUSTRY		
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	368	+/-378
Construction	64,421	+/-5,995
Manufacturing	47,810	+/-4,519
Wholesale trade	27,278	+/-3,025
Retail trade	90,982	+/-6,219

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Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	75,034	+/-6,131
Information	44,261	+/-4,333
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	90,371	+/-6,506
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	115,140	+/-7,815
Educational services, and health care, and social assistance	281,093	+/-9,169
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation, and food services	74,323	+/-4,994
Other services, except public administration	58,113	+/-5,632
Public administration	45,692	+/-4,944
CLASS OF WORKER		
Private wage and salary workers	776,376	+/-12,403
Government workers	177,394	+/-8,130
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	60,042	+/-5,117
Unpaid family workers	1,074	+/-509
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2005 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)		
Total households	882,166	+/-4,591
Less than \$10,000	134,600	+/-6,803
\$10,000 to \$14,999	72,528	+/-5,172
\$15,000 to \$24,999	109,400	+/-5,912
\$25,000 to \$34,999	103,315	+/-5,529
\$35,000 to \$49,999	121,712	+/-6,699
\$50,000 to \$74,999	144,809	+/-7,366
\$75,000 to \$99,999	79,298	+/-5,630
\$100,000 to \$149,999	72,915	+/-3,984
\$150,000 to \$199,999	23,563	+/-2,388
\$200,000 or more	20,026	+/-2,884
Median household income (dollars)	37,332	+/-984
Mean household income (dollars)	52,953	+/-1,169
With earnings	665,883	+/-7,956
Mean earnings (dollars)	59,453	+/-1,319
With Social Security	210,398	+/-6,608
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	11,573	+/-301
With retirement income	107,574	+/-5,317
Mean retirement income (dollars)	16,298	+/-1,451
With Supplemental Security Income	79,825	+/-4,465
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	7,350	+/-233
With cash public assistance income	51,025	+/-4,880
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	3,266	+/-279
With Food Stamp benefits in the past 12 months	150,049	+/-7,157
Families	565,586	+/-8,705
Less than \$10,000	58,250	+/-4,794
\$10,000 to \$14,999	46,547	+/-4,825
\$15,000 to \$24,999	65,158	+/-3,717
\$25,000 to \$34,999	67,224	+/-4,772
\$35,000 to \$49,999	79,456	+/-5,692
\$50,000 to \$74,999	98,920	+/-6,102
\$75,000 to \$99,999	59,493	+/-4,331
\$100,000 to \$149,999	56,016	+/-3,704
\$150,000 to \$199,999	17,825	+/-2,147
\$200,000 or more	16,697	+/-2,565
Median family income (dollars)	43,328	+/-1,364
Mean family income (dollars)	59,742	+/-1,671
Per capita income (dollars)	20,315	+/-436
Nonfamily households	316,580	+/-9,105
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	25,907	+/-1,274
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	37,776	+/-1,250
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	29,004	+/-811
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	38,127	+/-1,589
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	33,892	+/-1,129
PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL		
All families	20.1%	+/-1.1
With related children under 18 years	25.8%	+/-1.4

Selected Economic Characteristics: 2005	Estimate	Margin of Error
With related children under 5 years only	24.4%	+/-4.2
Married couple families	13.9%	+/-1.2
With related children under 18 years	15.3%	+/-1.6
With related children under 5 years only	12.9%	+/-3.2
Families with female householder, no husband present	31.0%	+/-1.8
With related children under 18 years	40.7%	+/-2.5
With related children under 5 years only	45.8%	+/-7.9
All people	22.4%	+/-1.0
Under 18 years	30.5%	+/-2.0
Related children under 18 years	30.2%	+/-2.0
Related children under 5 years	31.8%	+/-3.1
Related children 5 to 17 years	29.6%	+/-2.1
18 years and over	19.4%	+/-0.8
18 to 64 years	18.3%	+/-0.9
65 years and over	25.7%	+/-1.7
People in families	21.5%	+/-1.1
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	28.1%	+/-1.2

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New York County, New York

Selected Economic Characteristics: 2005

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MANHATTAN

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Selected Economic Characteristics: 2005	Estimate	Margin of Error
EMPLOYMENT STATUS		
Population 16 years and over	1,286,647	+/-1,628
In labor force	866,906	+/-9,069
Civilian labor force	866,668	+/-9,127
Employed	805,600	+/-9,264
Unemployed	61,068	+/-5,347
Armed Forces	238	+/-343
Not in labor force	419,741	+/-9,164
Civilian labor force	866,668	+/-9,127
Unemployed	7.0%	+/-0.6
Females 16 years and over	685,809	+/-1,138
In labor force	421,911	+/-7,436
Civilian labor force	421,911	+/-7,436
Employed	390,793	+/-7,517
Own children under 6 years	110,309	+/-3,270
All parents in family in labor force	57,778	+/-5,434
Own children 6 to 17 years	142,540	+/-3,776
All parents in family in labor force	89,489	+/-5,822
COMMUTING TO WORK		
Workers 16 years and over	780,503	+/-9,590
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	51,784	+/-4,437
Car, truck, or van -- carpoled	22,023	+/-2,620
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	457,264	+/-11,272
Walked	154,543	+/-7,449
Other means	48,383	+/-3,829
Worked at home	46,506	+/-4,346
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	31.1	+/-0.5
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	805,600	+/-9,264
OCCUPATION		
Management, professional, and related occupations	471,367	+/-8,938
Service occupations	99,906	+/-5,201
Sales and office occupations	177,645	+/-8,414
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	233	+/-231
Construction, extraction, maintenance and repair occupations	18,230	+/-3,052
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	38,219	+/-3,825
INDUSTRY		
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	640	+/-617
Construction	12,953	+/-2,582
Manufacturing	35,147	+/-3,583
Wholesale trade	19,037	+/-2,909
Retail trade	55,513	+/-5,413

Selected Economic Characteristics: 2005	Estimate	Margin of Error
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	16,734	+/-3,073
Information	60,548	+/-4,596
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	132,550	+/-6,865
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	154,476	+/-7,447
Educational services, and health care, and social assistance	169,938	+/-8,170
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation, and food services	82,872	+/-6,182
Other services, except public administration	36,659	+/-4,012
Public administration	28,533	+/-3,527
CLASS OF WORKER		
Private wage and salary workers	649,139	+/-9,909
Government workers	82,431	+/-6,116
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	73,119	+/-6,101
Unpaid family workers	911	+/-494
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2005 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)		
Total households	731,439	+/-5,854
Less than \$10,000	92,229	+/-4,943
\$10,000 to \$14,999	43,133	+/-3,592
\$15,000 to \$24,999	66,223	+/-4,610
\$25,000 to \$34,999	56,626	+/-4,449
\$35,000 to \$49,999	74,494	+/-4,477
\$50,000 to \$74,999	106,385	+/-5,593
\$75,000 to \$99,999	71,100	+/-4,260
\$100,000 to \$149,999	84,609	+/-4,916
\$150,000 to \$199,999	39,818	+/-3,602
\$200,000 or more	96,822	+/-4,532
Median household income (dollars)	55,973	+/-1,462
Mean household income (dollars)	105,470	+/-2,683
With earnings	586,796	+/-6,945
Mean earnings (dollars)	113,174	+/-3,181
With Social Security	150,745	+/-4,199
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	13,105	+/-283
With retirement income	69,448	+/-3,469
Mean retirement income (dollars)	25,509	+/-2,310
With Supplemental Security Income	39,696	+/-3,863
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	7,194	+/-374
With cash public assistance income	24,531	+/-2,973
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	2,931	+/-248
With Food Stamp benefits in the past 12 months	72,972	+/-4,230
Families	305,916	+/-8,968
Less than \$10,000	27,938	+/-3,423
\$10,000 to \$14,999	17,032	+/-2,490
\$15,000 to \$24,999	29,444	+/-3,427
\$25,000 to \$34,999	24,787	+/-3,021
\$35,000 to \$49,999	28,803	+/-3,181
\$50,000 to \$74,999	36,917	+/-3,567
\$75,000 to \$99,999	22,468	+/-2,081
\$100,000 to \$149,999	37,382	+/-3,397
\$150,000 to \$199,999	18,853	+/-2,429
\$200,000 or more	62,292	+/-3,694
Median family income (dollars)	65,479	+/-2,757
Mean family income (dollars)	138,829	+/-5,255
Per capita income (dollars)	54,633	+/-1,355
Nonfamily households	425,523	+/-9,077
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	50,958	+/-707
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	80,321	+/-2,933
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	45,075	+/-1,535
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	65,972	+/-3,033
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	55,030	+/-2,301
PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL		
All families	15.1%	+/-1.3
With related children under 18 years	23.5%	+/-2.2

Selected Economic Characteristics: 2005	Estimate	Margin of Error
With related children under 5 years only	10.4%	+/-2.4
Married couple families	6.8%	+/-1.1
With related children under 18 years	9.3%	+/-2.4
With related children under 5 years only	4.0%	+/-1.8
Families with female householder, no husband present	32.6%	+/-3.3
With related children under 18 years	43.0%	+/-4.7
With related children under 5 years only	31.0%	+/-11.7
All people	17.9%	+/-1.0
Under 18 years	29.6%	+/-2.8
Related children under 18 years	29.3%	+/-2.8
Related children under 5 years	23.0%	+/-3.9
Related children 5 to 17 years	33.0%	+/-3.4
18 years and over	15.4%	+/-0.7
18 to 64 years	14.2%	+/-0.8
65 years and over	21.7%	+/-1.7
People in families	18.2%	+/-1.5
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	17.8%	+/-0.8

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Queens County, New York
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QUEENS

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Selected Economic Characteristics: 2005	Estimate	Margin of Error
EMPLOYMENT STATUS		
Population 16 years and over	1,772,458	+/-2,415
In labor force	1,109,928	+/-10,494
Civilian labor force	1,109,217	+/-10,557
Employed	1,022,813	+/-10,687
Unemployed	86,404	+/-5,488
Armed Forces	711	+/-458
Not in labor force	662,530	+/-11,049
Civilian labor force	1,109,217	+/-10,557
Unemployed	7.8%	+/-0.5
Females 16 years and over		
Population 16 years and over	924,276	+/-1,667
In labor force	501,185	+/-8,127
Civilian labor force	501,185	+/-8,127
Employed	458,060	+/-8,388
Own children under 6 years		
Population 16 years and over	164,755	+/-3,527
All parents in family in labor force	86,213	+/-4,908
Own children 6 to 17 years		
Population 16 years and over	301,209	+/-4,195
All parents in family in labor force	192,313	+/-7,478
COMMUTING TO WORK		
Workers 16 years and over	992,791	+/-11,044
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	319,518	+/-9,625
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	86,102	+/-6,079
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	494,720	+/-11,397
Walked	54,633	+/-5,122
Other means	12,359	+/-1,951
Worked at home	25,459	+/-3,514
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	41.8	+/-0.6
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	1,022,813	+/-10,687
OCCUPATION		
Management, professional, and related occupations	312,263	+/-11,689
Service occupations	207,517	+/-8,466
Sales and office occupations	289,912	+/-11,320
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	360	+/-362
Construction, extraction, maintenance and repair occupations	94,728	+/-6,850
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	118,033	+/-6,543
INDUSTRY		
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	552	+/-395
Construction	73,816	+/-5,669
Manufacturing	56,437	+/-4,834
Wholesale trade	32,213	+/-3,188
Retail trade	111,892	+/-8,738

Selected Economic Characteristics: 2005	Estimate	Margin of Error
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	88,185	+/-6,269
Information	30,763	+/-3,198
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	102,336	+/-5,524
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	102,554	+/-5,719
Educational services, and health care, and social assistance	217,776	+/-7,665
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation, and food services	97,884	+/-7,141
Other services, except public administration	64,437	+/-5,524
Public administration	43,968	+/-4,324
CLASS OF WORKER		
Private wage and salary workers	804,603	+/-11,939
Government workers	150,956	+/-6,541
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	65,146	+/-6,364
Unpaid family workers	2,108	+/-1,398
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2005 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)		
Total households	782,523	+/-4,897
Less than \$10,000	66,214	+/-4,741
\$10,000 to \$14,999	40,444	+/-3,278
\$15,000 to \$24,999	90,386	+/-6,743
\$25,000 to \$34,999	84,967	+/-4,684
\$35,000 to \$49,999	118,927	+/-6,289
\$50,000 to \$74,999	153,991	+/-8,045
\$75,000 to \$99,999	94,085	+/-4,723
\$100,000 to \$149,999	95,124	+/-4,664
\$150,000 to \$199,999	25,847	+/-3,083
\$200,000 or more	12,538	+/-1,724
Median household income (dollars)	48,093	+/-1,674
Mean household income (dollars)	59,752	+/-963
With earnings	630,886	+/-6,995
Mean earnings (dollars)	62,103	+/-998
With Social Security	204,204	+/-5,740
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	13,188	+/-288
With retirement income	113,206	+/-4,955
Mean retirement income (dollars)	17,884	+/-1,209
With Supplemental Security Income	35,090	+/-3,379
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	6,705	+/-354
With cash public assistance income	19,454	+/-2,664
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	3,368	+/-516
With Food Stamp benefits in the past 12 months	56,006	+/-4,429
Families	526,848	+/-7,936
Less than \$10,000	23,242	+/-2,747
\$10,000 to \$14,999	20,596	+/-2,804
\$15,000 to \$24,999	51,440	+/-4,686
\$25,000 to \$34,999	55,918	+/-4,035
\$35,000 to \$49,999	81,743	+/-5,454
\$50,000 to \$74,999	113,008	+/-7,090
\$75,000 to \$99,999	72,551	+/-4,957
\$100,000 to \$149,999	76,209	+/-4,317
\$150,000 to \$199,999	21,176	+/-2,862
\$200,000 or more	10,965	+/-1,530
Median family income (dollars)	55,121	+/-1,278
Mean family income (dollars)	67,191	+/-1,205
Per capita income (dollars)	22,720	+/-358
Nonfamily households	255,675	+/-8,175
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	31,473	+/-1,579
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	41,014	+/-1,466
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	30,651	+/-375
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	39,914	+/-1,343
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	36,105	+/-873
PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL		
All families	9.5%	+/-0.7
With related children under 18 years	13.9%	+/-1.3

Selected Economic Characteristics: 2005	Estimate	Margin of Error
With related children under 5 years only	9.9%	+/-2.2
Married couple families	6.2%	+/-0.8
With related children under 18 years	8.0%	+/-1.3
With related children under 5 years only	7.7%	+/-2.4
Families with female householder, no husband present	18.5%	+/-1.8
With related children under 18 years	28.2%	+/-3.2
With related children under 5 years only	23.4%	+/-8.8
All people	11.9%	+/-0.7
Under 18 years	15.9%	+/-1.6
Related children under 18 years	15.6%	+/-1.6
Related children under 5 years	16.0%	+/-2.3
Related children 5 to 17 years	15.4%	+/-1.6
18 years and over	10.8%	+/-0.6
18 to 64 years	10.4%	+/-0.7
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Richmond County, New York

Selected Economic Characteristics: 2005

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STATEN ISLAND

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Selected Economic Characteristics: 2005	Estimate	Margin of Error
EMPLOYMENT STATUS		
Population 16 years and over	355,766	+/-1,158
In labor force	215,530	+/-4,391
Civilian labor force	215,321	+/-4,424
Employed	200,588	+/-4,158
Unemployed	14,733	+/-2,053
Armed Forces	209	+/-227
Not in labor force	140,236	+/-4,460
Civilian labor force	215,321	+/-4,424
Unemployed	6.8%	+/-0.9
Females 16 years and over	186,011	+/-648
In labor force	97,149	+/-2,780
Civilian labor force	97,097	+/-2,788
Employed	89,951	+/-2,723
Own children under 6 years	32,257	+/-1,258
All parents in family in labor force	12,914	+/-1,943
Own children 6 to 17 years	73,751	+/-1,848
All parents in family in labor force	42,793	+/-3,107
COMMUTING TO WORK		
Workers 16 years and over	194,876	+/-4,144
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	103,128	+/-5,186
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	18,516	+/-3,155
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	63,363	+/-4,732
Walked	4,326	+/-1,120
Other means	1,548	+/-804
Worked at home	3,995	+/-1,075
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	42.0	+/-1.3
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	200,588	+/-4,158
OCCUPATION		
Management, professional, and related occupations	75,457	+/-4,127
Service occupations	32,593	+/-3,293
Sales and office occupations	58,816	+/-4,371
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	57	+/-99
Construction, extraction, maintenance and repair occupations	18,265	+/-2,763
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	15,400	+/-2,310
INDUSTRY		
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	47	+/-78
Construction	14,167	+/-2,399
Manufacturing	7,963	+/-1,931
Wholesale trade	4,918	+/-1,100
Retail trade	20,212	+/-2,857

Selected Economic Characteristics: 2005	Estimate	Margin of Error
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	13,997	+/-1,887
Information	5,732	+/-1,293
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	25,822	+/-2,826
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	22,689	+/-2,393
Educational services, and health care, and social assistance	52,649	+/-3,321
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation, and food services	11,473	+/-2,293
Other services, except public administration	8,249	+/-1,745
Public administration	12,670	+/-1,739
CLASS OF WORKER		
Private wage and salary workers	150,830	+/-5,214
Government workers	41,495	+/-3,485
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	7,702	+/-1,651
Unpaid family workers	561	+/-493
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2005 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)		
Total households	161,858	+/-2,555
Less than \$10,000	12,761	+/-2,073
\$10,000 to \$14,999	6,695	+/-1,365
\$15,000 to \$24,999	15,785	+/-2,575
\$25,000 to \$34,999	12,864	+/-1,563
\$35,000 to \$49,999	16,243	+/-1,824
\$50,000 to \$74,999	32,226	+/-3,026
\$75,000 to \$99,999	24,186	+/-2,511
\$100,000 to \$149,999	26,110	+/-2,826
\$150,000 to \$199,999	8,392	+/-1,400
\$200,000 or more	6,596	+/-1,659
Median household income (dollars)	63,023	+/-2,761
Mean household income (dollars)	76,368	+/-4,267
With earnings	127,301	+/-3,219
Mean earnings (dollars)	80,739	+/-4,928
With Social Security	45,592	+/-2,139
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	14,637	+/-591
With retirement income	32,039	+/-2,588
Mean retirement income (dollars)	24,104	+/-1,584
With Supplemental Security Income	6,784	+/-1,299
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	7,278	+/-729
With cash public assistance income	5,329	+/-1,476
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	4,038	+/-897
With Food Stamp benefits in the past 12 months	11,441	+/-2,045
Families	122,499	+/-3,774
Less than \$10,000	6,334	+/-1,651
\$10,000 to \$14,999	3,027	+/-885
\$15,000 to \$24,999	9,317	+/-1,980
\$25,000 to \$34,999	8,844	+/-1,607
\$35,000 to \$49,999	11,866	+/-1,679
\$50,000 to \$74,999	24,792	+/-2,318
\$75,000 to \$99,999	21,361	+/-2,429
\$100,000 to \$149,999	22,636	+/-2,668
\$150,000 to \$199,999	8,075	+/-1,349
\$200,000 or more	6,247	+/-1,661
Median family income (dollars)	71,359	+/-4,152
Mean family income (dollars)	86,346	+/-5,393
Per capita income (dollars)	27,911	+/-1,480
Nonfamily households	39,359	+/-3,249
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	31,649	+/-3,778
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	41,695	+/-3,117
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	38,835	+/-3,193
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	52,323	+/-2,447
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	42,156	+/-3,144
PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL		
All families	9.4%	+/-1.5
With related children under 18 years	13.6%	+/-2.7

Selected Economic Characteristics: 2005	Estimate	Margin of Error
With related children under 5 years only	5.6%	+/-3.5
Married couple families	4.1%	+/-1.1
With related children under 18 years	4.2%	+/-1.8
With related children under 5 years only	3.9%	+/-3.2
Families with female householder, no husband present	31.5%	+/-6.1
With related children under 18 years	45.6%	+/-8.3
With related children under 5 years only	24.6%	+/-20.6
All people	11.0%	+/-1.6
Under 18 years	17.5%	+/-3.7
Related children under 18 years	17.4%	+/-3.7
Related children under 5 years	14.5%	+/-4.9
Related children 5 to 17 years	18.4%	+/-3.9
18 years and over	8.9%	+/-1.1
18 to 64 years	8.7%	+/-1.2
65 years and over	10.0%	+/-2.2
People in families	9.9%	+/-1.7
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	21.5%	+/-3.2

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2005 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:

- The number of householders does not necessarily equal the number of households because of differences in the weighting schemes for the population and occupied housing units.
- Employment and unemployment estimates may vary from the official labor force data released by the Bureau of Labor Statistics because of differences in survey design and data collection. For guidance on differences in employment and unemployment estimates from different sources go to [Labor Force Guidance](#).
- Workers include members of the Armed Forces and civilians who were at work last week.
- Occupation codes are 4-digit codes, but are still based on Standard Occupational Classification 2000.
- Industry codes are 4-digit codes and are based on the North American Industry Classification System 2002. However, 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.

Explanation of Symbols:

1. An '*' entry in the margin of error column indicates that 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 margin of error column indicates that no sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the margin of error. A statistical test is not appropriate.
3. An '-' entry in the estimate column indicates that no 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.
4. An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
5. An '+' following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
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7. An '*****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.
8. 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.
9. An '(X)' means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.

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