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2013-2017 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Supporting documentation on code lists, subject definitions, data accuracy, and statistical testing can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Technical Documentation section.

Sample size and data quality measures (including coverage rates, allocation rates, and response rates) can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Methodology section.

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	Rockingham County, North Carolina			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
<b>HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE</b>				
Total households	37,162	+/-552	37,162	(X)
Family households (families)	24,476	+/-628	65.9%	+/-1.4
With own children of the householder under 18 years	8,964	+/-492	24.1%	+/-1.2
Married-couple family	17,459	+/-565	47.0%	+/-1.5
With own children of the householder under 18 years	5,426	+/-409	14.6%	+/-1.1
Male householder, no wife present, family	1,730	+/-359	4.7%	+/-1.0
With own children of the householder under 18 years	885	+/-240	2.4%	+/-0.6
Female householder, no husband present, family	5,287	+/-477	14.2%	+/-1.2
With own children of the householder under 18 years	2,653	+/-373	7.1%	+/-1.0
Nonfamily households	12,686	+/-554	34.1%	+/-1.4
Householder living alone	11,198	+/-504	30.1%	+/-1.3
65 years and over	5,092	+/-375	13.7%	+/-1.0
Households with one or more people under 18 years	10,659	+/-532	28.7%	+/-1.3
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	12,170	+/-273	32.7%	+/-0.8
Average household size	2.42	+/-0.04	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.99	+/-0.07	(X)	(X)
<b>RELATIONSHIP</b>				
Population in households	90,100	+/-227	90,100	(X)
Householder	37,162	+/-552	41.2%	+/-0.6
Spouse	17,459	+/-589	19.4%	+/-0.7
Child	25,733	+/-767	28.6%	+/-0.8
Other relatives	5,585	+/-605	6.2%	+/-0.7
Nonrelatives	4,161	+/-540	4.6%	+/-0.6
Unmarried partner	2,135	+/-407	2.4%	+/-0.5
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>				

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Males 15 years and over	36,229	+/-115	36,229	(X)
Never married	10,580	+/-498	29.2%	+/-1.4
Now married, except separated	18,458	+/-609	50.9%	+/-1.7
Separated	1,258	+/-266	3.5%	+/-0.7
Widowed	1,432	+/-239	4.0%	+/-0.7
Divorced	4,501	+/-506	12.4%	+/-1.4
Females 15 years and over	39,825	+/-121	39,825	(X)
Never married	9,568	+/-490	24.0%	+/-1.2
Now married, except separated	18,413	+/-634	46.2%	+/-1.6
Separated	1,836	+/-363	4.6%	+/-0.9
Widowed	4,670	+/-391	11.7%	+/-1.0
Divorced	5,338	+/-520	13.4%	+/-1.3
<b>FERTILITY</b>				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	876	+/-162	876	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	396	+/-147	45.2%	+/-12.6
Per 1,000 unmarried women	37	+/-13	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	43	+/-8	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	7	+/-9	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	93	+/-20	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	15	+/-10	(X)	(X)
<b>GRANDPARENTS</b>				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	2,669	+/-462	2,669	(X)
Grandparents responsible for grandchildren	1,356	+/-335	50.8%	+/-7.2
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	204	+/-97	7.6%	+/-3.5
1 or 2 years	248	+/-154	9.3%	+/-5.4
3 or 4 years	180	+/-110	6.7%	+/-4.1
5 or more years	724	+/-272	27.1%	+/-8.1
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	1,356	+/-335	1,356	(X)
Who are female	769	+/-206	56.7%	+/-7.6
Who are married	1,012	+/-312	74.6%	+/-9.9
<b>SCHOOL ENROLLMENT</b>				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	19,031	+/-539	19,031	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	946	+/-188	5.0%	+/-1.0
Kindergarten	989	+/-266	5.2%	+/-1.4
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	8,558	+/-359	45.0%	+/-2.3
High school (grades 9-12)	4,735	+/-305	24.9%	+/-1.5
College or graduate school	3,803	+/-449	20.0%	+/-1.9
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>				
Population 25 years and over	65,455	+/-152	65,455	(X)
Less than 9th grade	3,790	+/-457	5.8%	+/-0.7
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	8,498	+/-686	13.0%	+/-1.1
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	22,603	+/-921	34.5%	+/-1.4
Some college, no degree	15,111	+/-750	23.1%	+/-1.1
Associate's degree	5,832	+/-587	8.9%	+/-0.9
Bachelor's degree	6,665	+/-525	10.2%	+/-0.8
Graduate or professional degree	2,956	+/-391	4.5%	+/-0.6
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	81.2%	+/-1.2
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	14.7%	+/-0.9

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<b>VETERAN STATUS</b>				
Civilian population 18 years and over	72,517	+/-29	72,517	(X)
Civilian veterans	5,928	+/-423	8.2%	+/-0.6
<b>DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION</b>				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	90,460	+/-218	90,460	(X)
With a disability	14,871	+/-848	16.4%	+/-0.9
<b>Under 18 years</b>				
With a disability	930	+/-234	4.9%	+/-1.2
<b>18 to 64 years</b>				
With a disability	8,419	+/-681	15.4%	+/-1.2
<b>65 years and over</b>				
With a disability	5,522	+/-372	33.2%	+/-2.2
<b>RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO</b>				
Population 1 year and over	90,842	+/-151	90,842	(X)
Same house	80,410	+/-1,180	88.5%	+/-1.3
Different house in the U.S.	10,214	+/-1,173	11.2%	+/-1.3
Same county	6,892	+/-956	7.6%	+/-1.1
Different county	3,322	+/-574	3.7%	+/-0.6
Same state	2,133	+/-540	2.3%	+/-0.6
Different state	1,189	+/-400	1.3%	+/-0.4
Abroad	218	+/-106	0.2%	+/-0.1
<b>PLACE OF BIRTH</b>				
Total population	91,566	*****	91,566	(X)
Native	88,402	+/-392	96.5%	+/-0.4
Born in United States	87,801	+/-319	95.9%	+/-0.3
State of residence	67,512	+/-1,133	73.7%	+/-1.2
Different state	20,289	+/-1,129	22.2%	+/-1.2
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	601	+/-240	0.7%	+/-0.3
Foreign born	3,164	+/-392	3.5%	+/-0.4
<b>U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS</b>				
Foreign-born population	3,164	+/-392	3,164	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	1,229	+/-292	38.8%	+/-8.8
Not a U.S. citizen	1,935	+/-395	61.2%	+/-8.8
<b>YEAR OF ENTRY</b>				
Population born outside the United States	3,765	+/-319	3,765	(X)
<b>Native</b>				
Entered 2010 or later	103	+/-90	17.1%	+/-13.3
Entered before 2010	498	+/-210	82.9%	+/-13.3
<b>Foreign born</b>				
Entered 2010 or later	378	+/-194	11.9%	+/-6.3
Entered before 2010	2,786	+/-439	88.1%	+/-6.3
<b>WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN</b>				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	3,164	+/-392	3,164	(X)
Europe	296	+/-130	9.4%	+/-4.1
Asia	456	+/-143	14.4%	+/-4.3
Africa	129	+/-146	4.1%	+/-4.5

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Oceania	0	+/-28	0.0%	+/-1.0
Latin America	2,282	+/-360	72.1%	+/-7.1
Northern America	1	+/-8	0.0%	+/-0.3
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	86,826	+/-41	86,826	(X)
English only	81,903	+/-441	94.3%	+/-0.5
Language other than English	4,923	+/-441	5.7%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	1,715	+/-348	2.0%	+/-0.4
Spanish	3,992	+/-418	4.6%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	1,323	+/-296	1.5%	+/-0.3
Other Indo-European languages	443	+/-174	0.5%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	163	+/-114	0.2%	+/-0.1
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	312	+/-130	0.4%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	172	+/-123	0.2%	+/-0.1
Other languages	176	+/-134	0.2%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	57	+/-50	0.1%	+/-0.1
ANCESTRY				
Total population	91,566	*****	91,566	(X)
American	11,420	+/-920	12.5%	+/-1.0
Arab	279	+/-199	0.3%	+/-0.2
Czech	32	+/-36	0.0%	+/-0.1
Danish	216	+/-143	0.2%	+/-0.2
Dutch	614	+/-234	0.7%	+/-0.3
English	7,933	+/-861	8.7%	+/-0.9
French (except Basque)	985	+/-333	1.1%	+/-0.4
French Canadian	246	+/-134	0.3%	+/-0.1
German	6,512	+/-747	7.1%	+/-0.8
Greek	128	+/-124	0.1%	+/-0.1
Hungarian	109	+/-84	0.1%	+/-0.1
Irish	7,146	+/-801	7.8%	+/-0.9
Italian	2,245	+/-521	2.5%	+/-0.6
Lithuanian	20	+/-25	0.0%	+/-0.1
Norwegian	213	+/-115	0.2%	+/-0.1
Polish	553	+/-172	0.6%	+/-0.2
Portuguese	40	+/-41	0.0%	+/-0.1
Russian	42	+/-32	0.0%	+/-0.1
Scotch-Irish	1,750	+/-360	1.9%	+/-0.4
Scottish	1,650	+/-324	1.8%	+/-0.4
Slovak	8	+/-12	0.0%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	375	+/-240	0.4%	+/-0.3
Swedish	267	+/-116	0.3%	+/-0.1
Swiss	60	+/-47	0.1%	+/-0.1
Ukrainian	80	+/-95	0.1%	+/-0.1
Welsh	337	+/-136	0.4%	+/-0.1
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	16	+/-20	0.0%	+/-0.1
COMPUTERS AND INTERNET USE				
Total households	37,162	+/-552	37,162	(X)
With a computer	28,841	+/-658	77.6%	+/-1.3
With a broadband Internet subscription	24,729	+/-654	66.5%	+/-1.5

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.

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.

Data about computer and Internet use were collected by asking respondents to select "Yes" or "No" to each type of computer and each type of Internet subscription. Therefore, respondents were able to select more than one type of computer and more than one type of Internet subscription.

The category "with a broadband Internet subscription" refers to those who said "Yes" to at least one of the following types of Internet subscriptions: Broadband such as cable, fiber optic, or DSL; a cellular data plan; satellite; or a fixed wireless subscription.

An Internet "subscription" refers to a type of service that someone pays for to access the Internet such as a cellular data plan, broadband such as cable, fiber optic or DSL, or other type of service. This will normally refer to a service that someone is billed for directly for Internet alone or sometimes as part of a bundle.

"With a computer" includes those who said "Yes" to at least one of the following types of computers: Desktop or laptop; smartphone; tablet or other portable wireless computer; or some other type of computer.

In 2016, changes were made to the computer and Internet use questions, involving the wording as well as the response options. A crosswalk was used to map pre-2016 data to the post-2016 categories, enabling creation of 5-year data. For more detailed information about the 2016 changes, see the 2016 American Community Survey Content Test Report for Computer and Internet Use located at <https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/acs/methodology/content-test.htm> or the user note regarding changes in the 2016 questions located at <https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/acs/technical-documentation/user-notes.html>. For more detailed information about the crosswalk, see the user note regarding the crosswalk located at <https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/acs/technical-documentation/user-notes.html>.

While the 2013-2017 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 populations, 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, 2013-2017 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.