



**B12006. MARITAL STATUS BY SEX BY LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION - Universe:
POPULATION 16 YEARS AND OVER**

Data Set: [2007 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates](#)

Survey: American Community Survey

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

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

	Alaska	
	Estimate	Margin of Error
Total:	526,901	+/-1,633
Never married:	164,125	+/-5,426
Male:	97,663	+/-3,616
In labor force:	71,410	+/-3,480
Employed or in Armed Forces	60,893	+/-3,300
Not employed	10,517	+/-1,557
Not in labor force	26,253	+/-2,418
Female:	66,462	+/-3,057
In labor force:	48,506	+/-2,760
Employed or in Armed Forces	40,450	+/-2,597
Not employed	8,056	+/-1,487
Not in labor force	17,956	+/-2,120
Now married (except separated):	272,341	+/-6,791
Male:	139,167	+/-3,702
In labor force:	114,971	+/-3,939
Employed or in Armed Forces	109,719	+/-3,648
Not employed	5,252	+/-1,256
Not in labor force	24,196	+/-1,899
Female:	133,174	+/-3,923
In labor force:	86,785	+/-3,600
Employed or in Armed Forces	82,547	+/-3,456
Not employed	4,238	+/-937
Not in labor force	46,389	+/-2,454
Separated:	10,810	+/-1,832
Male:	4,786	+/-1,178
In labor force:	3,378	+/-1,001
Employed or in Armed Forces	3,320	+/-998
Not employed	58	+/-53
Not in labor force	1,408	+/-624
Female:	6,024	+/-1,353
In labor force:	4,294	+/-1,315
Employed or in Armed Forces	3,389	+/-1,092
Not employed	905	+/-594
Not in labor force	1,730	+/-538
Widowed:	17,661	+/-1,495
Male:	4,224	+/-783
In labor force:	1,332	+/-459
Employed or in Armed Forces	1,250	+/-420
Not employed	82	+/-94
Not in labor force	2,892	+/-733
Female:	13,437	+/-1,342
In labor force:	2,847	+/-637
Employed or in Armed Forces	2,608	+/-649
Not employed	239	+/-167
Not in labor force	10,590	+/-1,273
Divorced:	61,964	+/-4,398
Male:	29,471	+/-2,588
In labor force:	20,535	+/-2,109
Employed or in Armed Forces	19,232	+/-2,023
Not employed	1,303	+/-534
Not in labor force	8,936	+/-1,229
Female:	32,493	+/-3,163
In labor force:	24,446	+/-2,702
Employed or in Armed Forces	23,429	+/-2,654
Not employed	1,017	+/-407
Not in labor force	8,047	+/-1,239

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2007 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.

While the 2007 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the December 2006 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. The 2007 Puerto Rico Community Survey (PRCS) data generally reflect the December 2005 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 PRCS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2000 data. Boundaries for urban areas have not been updated since Census 2000. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

Explanation of Symbols:

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.

Standard Error/Variance documentation for this dataset:
[2007 Accuracy of the Data](#)