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DISABILITY CHARACTERISTICS

2013 American Community Survey 1-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 Data and 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	Maryland				
	Total		With a disability		Percent with a disability Estimate
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	
Total civilian noninstitutionalized population	5,834,039	+/-2,085	622,682	+/-11,300	10.7%
Population under 5 years	366,712	+/-1,310	1,828	+/-807	0.5%
With a hearing difficulty	(X)	(X)	1,057	+/-545	0.3%
With a vision difficulty	(X)	(X)	1,139	+/-669	0.3%
Population 5 to 17 years	976,406	+/-1,698	46,656	+/-3,928	4.8%
With a hearing difficulty	(X)	(X)	5,106	+/-1,458	0.5%
With a vision difficulty	(X)	(X)	7,438	+/-1,425	0.8%
With a cognitive difficulty	(X)	(X)	35,772	+/-3,463	3.7%
With an ambulatory difficulty	(X)	(X)	4,306	+/-1,264	0.4%
With a self-care difficulty	(X)	(X)	7,259	+/-1,544	0.7%
Population 18 to 64 years	3,722,201	+/-3,333	321,409	+/-8,801	8.6%
With a hearing difficulty	(X)	(X)	60,588	+/-4,331	1.6%
With a vision difficulty	(X)	(X)	58,476	+/-4,284	1.6%
With a cognitive difficulty	(X)	(X)	131,224	+/-5,956	3.5%
With an ambulatory difficulty	(X)	(X)	157,475	+/-7,148	4.2%
With a self-care difficulty	(X)	(X)	53,451	+/-4,456	1.4%
With an independent living difficulty	(X)	(X)	107,486	+/-5,644	2.9%
Population 65 years and over	768,720	+/-2,242	252,789	+/-5,674	32.9%
With a hearing difficulty	(X)	(X)	95,670	+/-4,607	12.4%
With a vision difficulty	(X)	(X)	47,048	+/-3,106	6.1%
With a cognitive difficulty	(X)	(X)	62,209	+/-3,453	8.1%
With an ambulatory difficulty	(X)	(X)	164,157	+/-4,627	21.4%
With a self-care difficulty	(X)	(X)	57,439	+/-3,314	7.5%
With an independent living difficulty	(X)	(X)	109,859	+/-4,136	14.3%
SEX					
Male	2,808,716	+/-3,898	292,504	+/-8,291	10.4%
Female	3,025,323	+/-3,574	330,178	+/-6,670	10.9%
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN					
One Race	N	N	N	N	N

Subject	Maryland				
	Total		With a disability		Percent with a disability
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate
White alone	3,366,520	+/-14,295	389,028	+/-8,913	11.6%
Black or African American alone	1,716,599	+/-9,864	185,453	+/-6,562	10.8%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	16,547	+/-2,158	2,432	+/-777	14.7%
Asian alone	352,943	+/-4,666	22,498	+/-2,607	6.4%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	N	N	N	N	N
Some other race alone	211,886	+/-14,424	8,746	+/-1,729	4.1%
Two or more races	166,617	+/-11,167	14,391	+/-1,834	8.6%
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	3,104,325	+/-3,363	374,273	+/-9,101	12.1%
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	527,002	+/-1,022	27,191	+/-2,904	5.2%
PERCENT IMPUTED					
Disability status	9.9%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Hearing difficulty	7.5%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Vision difficulty	7.8%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Cognitive difficulty	8.4%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Ambulatory difficulty	8.3%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Self-care difficulty	8.4%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Independent living difficulty	8.2%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

Subject	Maryland	St. Mary's County, Maryland			
	Percent with a disability	Total		With a disability	
		Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate
Total civilian noninstitutionalized population	+/-0.2	106,402	+/-1,413	8,486	+/-1,707
Population under 5 years	+/-0.2	7,502	+/-402	0	+/-197
With a hearing difficulty	+/-0.1	(X)	(X)	0	+/-197
With a vision difficulty	+/-0.2	(X)	(X)	0	+/-197
Population 5 to 17 years	+/-0.4	20,024	+/-402	497	+/-308
With a hearing difficulty	+/-0.1	(X)	(X)	26	+/-46
With a vision difficulty	+/-0.1	(X)	(X)	38	+/-62
With a cognitive difficulty	+/-0.4	(X)	(X)	433	+/-282
With an ambulatory difficulty	+/-0.1	(X)	(X)	0	+/-197
With a self-care difficulty	+/-0.2	(X)	(X)	53	+/-101
Population 18 to 64 years	+/-0.2	67,452	+/-1,258	4,985	+/-1,435
With a hearing difficulty	+/-0.1	(X)	(X)	1,489	+/-767
With a vision difficulty	+/-0.1	(X)	(X)	495	+/-373
With a cognitive difficulty	+/-0.2	(X)	(X)	1,678	+/-752
With an ambulatory difficulty	+/-0.2	(X)	(X)	2,542	+/-924
With a self-care difficulty	+/-0.1	(X)	(X)	1,144	+/-649
With an independent living difficulty	+/-0.2	(X)	(X)	1,316	+/-699
Population 65 years and over	+/-0.7	11,424	+/-1,014	3,004	+/-651
With a hearing difficulty	+/-0.6	(X)	(X)	1,354	+/-488
With a vision difficulty	+/-0.4	(X)	(X)	418	+/-277
With a cognitive difficulty	+/-0.4	(X)	(X)	557	+/-349
With an ambulatory difficulty	+/-0.6	(X)	(X)	1,576	+/-441
With a self-care difficulty	+/-0.4	(X)	(X)	476	+/-317
With an independent living difficulty	+/-0.5	(X)	(X)	1,093	+/-428
SEX					
Male	+/-0.3	52,883	+/-1,771	4,086	+/-1,062
Female	+/-0.2	53,519	+/-1,220	4,400	+/-1,218
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN					
One Race	N	N	N	N	N
White alone	+/-0.3	83,101	+/-1,434	7,756	+/-1,682
Black or African American alone	+/-0.4	16,187	+/-1,146	538	+/-493
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	+/-4.6	N	N	N	N
Asian alone	+/-0.7	N	N	N	N
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	N	N	N	N	N
Some other race alone	+/-0.8	N	N	N	N
Two or more races	+/-1.1	N	N	N	N
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	+/-0.3	80,288	+/-1,253	7,598	+/-1,669
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	+/-0.6	N	N	N	N
PERCENT IMPUTED					
Disability status	(X)	7.8%	(X)	(X)	(X)
Hearing difficulty	(X)	5.0%	(X)	(X)	(X)
Vision difficulty	(X)	5.1%	(X)	(X)	(X)
Cognitive difficulty	(X)	6.3%	(X)	(X)	(X)
Ambulatory difficulty	(X)	6.0%	(X)	(X)	(X)
Self-care difficulty	(X)	6.3%	(X)	(X)	(X)
Independent living difficulty	(X)	5.1%	(X)	(X)	(X)

Subject	St. Mary's County, Maryland	
	Percent with a disability	
	Estimate	Margin of Error
Total civilian noninstitutionalized population	8.0%	+/-1.6
Population under 5 years	0.0%	+/-2.1
With a hearing difficulty	0.0%	+/-2.1
With a vision difficulty	0.0%	+/-2.1
Population 5 to 17 years	2.5%	+/-1.5
With a hearing difficulty	0.1%	+/-0.2
With a vision difficulty	0.2%	+/-0.3
With a cognitive difficulty	2.2%	+/-1.4
With an ambulatory difficulty	0.0%	+/-0.8
With a self-care difficulty	0.3%	+/-0.5
Population 18 to 64 years	7.4%	+/-2.1
With a hearing difficulty	2.2%	+/-1.1
With a vision difficulty	0.7%	+/-0.6
With a cognitive difficulty	2.5%	+/-1.1
With an ambulatory difficulty	3.8%	+/-1.4
With a self-care difficulty	1.7%	+/-1.0
With an independent living difficulty	2.0%	+/-1.0
Population 65 years and over	26.3%	+/-5.5
With a hearing difficulty	11.9%	+/-4.0
With a vision difficulty	3.7%	+/-2.4
With a cognitive difficulty	4.9%	+/-3.0
With an ambulatory difficulty	13.8%	+/-4.0
With a self-care difficulty	4.2%	+/-2.8
With an independent living difficulty	9.6%	+/-3.8
SEX		
Male	7.7%	+/-2.0
Female	8.2%	+/-2.3
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN		
One Race	N	N
White alone	9.3%	+/-2.0
Black or African American alone	3.3%	+/-3.1
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	N	N
Asian alone	N	N
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	N	N
Some other race alone	N	N
Two or more races	N	N
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	9.5%	+/-2.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	N	N
PERCENT IMPUTED		
Disability status	(X)	(X)
Hearing difficulty	(X)	(X)
Vision difficulty	(X)	(X)
Cognitive difficulty	(X)	(X)
Ambulatory difficulty	(X)	(X)
Self-care difficulty	(X)	(X)
Independent living difficulty	(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.

In data year 2013, there were a series of changes to data collection operations that could have affected some estimates. These changes include the addition of Internet as a mode of data collection, the end of the content portion of Failed Edit Follow-Up interviewing, and the loss of one monthly panel due to the Federal Government shut down in October 2013. For more information, see: User Notes

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 2013 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, 2013 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.