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## FactFinder

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## POVERTY STATUS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS

2010 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, for 2010, the 2010 Census provides the official counts of the population and housing units for the nation, states, counties, cities and towns.

Subject	Adams County, Colorado							
	Total		Below po	verty level	Percent below poverty level			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error		
Population for whom poverty status is determined	438,338	+/-1,910	57,593	+/-8,218	13.1%	+/-1.9		
AGE								
Under 18 years	124,344	+/-927	21,668	+/-4,183	17.4%	+/-3.4		
Related children under 18 years	123,853	+/-1,044	21,201	+/-4,083	17.1%	+/-3.3		
18 to 64 years	278,294	+/-1,489	34,342	+/-5,002	12.3%	+/-1.8		
65 years and over	35,700	+/-1,060	1,583	+/-618	4.4%	+/-1.7		
SEX								
Male	219,252	+/-1,887	27,582	+/-4,628	12.6%	+/-2.1		
Female	219,086	+/-1,009	30,011	+/-4,457	13.7%	+/-2.1		
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN								
One race	N	N	N	N	N	N		
White	338,899	+/-8,274	38,940	+/-6,724	11.5%	+/-1.9		
Black or African American	13,434	+/-927	3,792	+/-1,631	28.2%	+/-11.8		
American Indian and Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	Ν	N		
Asian	15,489	+/-1,523	1,525	+/-998	9.8%	+/-6.4		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	N	N	N	N	Ν	N		
Some other race	51,424	+/-7,632	10,572	+/-4,123	20.6%	+/-7.1		
Two or more races	12,781	+/-2,976	1,522	+/-1,029	11.9%	+/-6.9		
Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race)	167,019	+/-1,174	34,579	+/-6,340	20.7%	+/-3.8		
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	233,738	+/-987	17,014	+/-3,590	7.3%	+/-1.5		
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT								
Population 25 years and over	273,208	+/-1,383	28,728	+/-3,930	10.5%	+/-1.4		
Less than high school graduate	55,114	+/-3,658	10,241	+/-2,257	18.6%	+/-3.9		
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	82,641	+/-3,940	10,312	+/-2,083	12.5%	+/-2.4		
Some college, associate's degree	78,917	+/-4,040	5,928	+/-1,305	7.5%	+/-1.7		
Bachelor's degree or higher	56,536	+/-3,358	2,247	+/-794	4.0%	+/-1.4		
EMPLOYMENT STATUS								
Civilian labor force 16 years and over	232,580	+/-3,722	22,327	+/-3,540	9.6%	+/-1.5		
Employed	205,967	+/-4,159	15,202	+/-2,668	7.4%	+/-1.3		
Male	111,792	+/-2,944	8,541	+/-1,832	7.6%	+/-1.7		
Female	94,175	+/-2,631	6,661	+/-1,456	7.1%	+/-1.5		
Unemployed	26,613	+/-2,734	7,125	+/-1,818	26.8%	+/-5.9		
Male	16,360	+/-2,146	4,532	+/-1,475	27.7%	+/-7.4		
Female	10,253	+/-1,294	2,593	+/-744	25.3%	+/-6.8		
WORK EXPERIENCE								
Population 16 years and over	326,147	+/-1,826	37,643	+/-5,344	11.5%	+/-1.6		

Subject	Adams County, Colorado							
	Total		Below poverty level		Percent below poverty level			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error		
Worked full-time, year-round in the past 12 months	146,717	+/-4,747	4,472	+/-1,150	3.0%	+/-0.8		
Worked part-time or part-year in the past 12 months	84,455	+/-4,815	16,156	+/-3,135	19.1%	+/-3.6		
Did not work	94,975	+/-3,653	17,015	+/-2,668	17.9%	+/-2.6		
All Individuals below:								
50 percent of poverty level	23,560	+/-4,669	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
125 percent of poverty level	79,582	+/-8,530	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
150 percent of poverty level	104,436	+/-9,781	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
185 percent of poverty level	142,109	+/-10,156	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
200 percent of poverty level	152,653	+/-9,675	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Unrelated individuals for whom poverty status is determined	67,508	+/-5,504	17,106	+/-3,572	25.3%	+/-4.3		
Male	35,473	+/-3,422	8,965	+/-2,501	25.3%	+/-6.1		
Female	32,035	+/-3,090	8,141	+/-1,748	25.4%	+/-4.5		
Mean income deficit for unrelated individuals (dollars)	6,538	+/-675	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Worked full-time, year-round in the past 12 months	32,113	+/-3,676	1,313	+/-743	4.1%	+/-2.4		
Worked less than full-time, year-round in the past 12 months	19,055	+/-3,129	8,279	+/-2,347	43.4%	+/-7.2		
Did not work	16,340	+/-2,061	7,514	+/-1,611	46.0%	+/-6.3		
PERCENT IMPUTED								
Poverty status for individuals	21.8%	(X)	(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.

While the 2010 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the December 2009 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 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.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2010 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.