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|---------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| TOTAL | 537 | 806 | 45 | 55 | 530 | 800 | 96 | 176 | 519 | 773 |
| GENDER | | | | | | | | | | |
| Male | 326 | 509 | 32 | 35 | 323 | 505 | 61 | 117 | 320 | 493 |
| Female | 427 | 617 | 29 | 41 | 423 | 613 | 75 | 124 | 412 | 592 |
| HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE | | | | | | | | | | |
| Not Hispanic or Latino | 498 | 756 | 37 | 39 | 494 | 752 | 84 | 152 | 486 | 728 |
| White | 457 | 680 | 35 | 38 | 544 | 738 | 81 | 138 | 534 | 720 |
| Black or African American | 131 | 250 | 12 | 9 | 142 | 249 | 32 | 45 | 138 | 243 |
| AIAN | 36 | 35 | 2 | * | 36 | 35 | 4 | * | 35 | 32 |
| NHOPI | 16 | * | * | * | 16 | * | * | * | 15 | * |
| Asian | 111 | 127 | 5 | 7 | 111 | 127 | 21 | 26 | 110 | 117 |
| Two or More Races | 65 | 147 | 6 | 4 | 64 | 148 | 14 | * | 64 | 140 |
| Hispanic or Latino | 203 | 260 | 27 | 39 | 199 | 253 | 43 | 89 | 196 | 238 |
| EDUCATION LEVEL | | | | | | | | | | |
| < High School | da | da | da | da | 167 | 310 | 36 | 66 | 164 | 320 |
| High School Graduate | da | da | da | da | 265 | 454 | 55 | 93 | 260 | 473 |
| Some College/Associate's Degree | da | da | da | da | 348 | 415 | 65 | 125 | 341 | 424 |
| College Graduate | da | da | da | da | 357 | 378 | 45 | 68 | 352 | 406 |
| EMPLOYMENT STATUS | | | | | | | | | | |
| Full-Time | da | da | da | da | 343 | 441 | 70 | 115 | 331 | 423 |
| Part-Time | da | da | da | da | 228 | 289 | 48 | 90 | 223 | 274 |
| Unemployed | da | da | da | da | 108 | 127 | 36 | 58 | 100 | 112 |
| Other ¹ | da | da | da | da | 415 | 626 | 47 | 88 | 414 | 623 |

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|---------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| TOTAL | 0.20 | <i>0.29</i> | 0.18 | <i>0.22</i> | 0.21 | <i>0.32</i> | 0.28 | <i>0.52</i> | 0.24 | <i>0.35</i> |
| GENDER | | | | | | | | | | |
| Male | 0.24 | <i>0.38</i> | 0.25 | <i>0.27</i> | 0.27 | <i>0.42</i> | 0.36 | <i>0.70</i> | 0.31 | <i>0.47</i> |
| Female | 0.30 | <i>0.43</i> | 0.24 | <i>0.34</i> | 0.33 | <i>0.47</i> | 0.44 | <i>0.74</i> | 0.37 | <i>0.52</i> |
| HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE | | | | | | | | | | |
| Not Hispanic or Latino | 0.22 | <i>0.33</i> | 0.20 | <i>0.21</i> | 0.24 | <i>0.36</i> | 0.32 | <i>0.59</i> | 0.27 | <i>0.40</i> |
| White | 0.27 | <i>0.40</i> | 0.26 | <i>0.30</i> | 0.29 | <i>0.43</i> | 0.41 | <i>0.71</i> | 0.32 | <i>0.47</i> |
| Black or African American | 0.40 | <i>0.69</i> | 0.36 | <i>0.28</i> | 0.44 | <i>0.76</i> | 0.66 | <i>0.98</i> | 0.50 | <i>0.88</i> |
| AIAN | 2.23 | <i>2.11</i> | 1.04 | * | 2.50 | <i>2.41</i> | 1.73 | * | 2.90 | <i>2.55</i> |
| NHOPI | 1.45 | * | * | * | 1.60 | * | * | * | 1.81 | * |
| Asian | 0.67 | <i>0.77</i> | 0.42 | <i>0.36</i> | 0.72 | <i>0.86</i> | 1.00 | <i>1.30</i> | 0.84 | <i>0.92</i> |
| Two or More Races | 1.16 | <i>2.52</i> | 0.66 | <i>0.62</i> | 1.40 | <i>2.83</i> | 1.46 | * | 1.74 | <i>3.44</i> |
| Hispanic or Latino | 0.43 | <i>0.54</i> | 0.43 | <i>0.61</i> | 0.48 | <i>0.60</i> | 0.56 | <i>1.15</i> | 0.58 | <i>0.69</i> |
| EDUCATION LEVEL | | | | | | | | | | |
| < High School | da | <i>da</i> | da | <i>da</i> | 0.54 | <i>1.07</i> | 0.75 | <i>1.66</i> | 0.62 | <i>1.21</i> |
| High School Graduate | da | <i>da</i> | da | <i>da</i> | 0.40 | <i>0.65</i> | 0.50 | <i>0.82</i> | 0.48 | <i>0.76</i> |
| Some College/Associate's Degree | da | <i>da</i> | da | <i>da</i> | 0.40 | <i>0.54</i> | 0.43 | <i>0.82</i> | 0.48 | <i>0.63</i> |
| College Graduate | da | <i>da</i> | da | <i>da</i> | 0.38 | <i>0.49</i> | 0.79 | <i>1.29</i> | 0.40 | <i>0.52</i> |
| EMPLOYMENT STATUS | | | | | | | | | | |
| Full-Time | da | <i>da</i> | da | <i>da</i> | 0.25 | <i>0.37</i> | 0.45 | <i>0.86</i> | 0.27 | <i>0.40</i> |
| Part-Time | da | <i>da</i> | da | <i>da</i> | 0.65 | <i>0.89</i> | 0.54 | <i>1.00</i> | 0.84 | <i>1.15</i> |
| Unemployed | da | <i>da</i> | da | <i>da</i> | 1.00 | <i>0.99</i> | 1.03 | <i>1.63</i> | 1.39 | <i>1.19</i> |
| Other ¹ | da | <i>da</i> | da | <i>da</i> | 0.44 | <i>0.63</i> | 0.55 | <i>0.94</i> | 0.48 | <i>0.70</i> |

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|---------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| TOTAL | 212 | 283 | 34 | 36 | 207 | 283 | 64 | 105 | 194 | 266 |
| GENDER | | | | | | | | | | |
| Male | 146 | 199 | 26 | 19 | 142 | 198 | 44 | 71 | 133 | 182 |
| Female | 144 | 204 | 23 | 27 | 142 | 204 | 47 | 73 | 132 | 193 |
| HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE | | | | | | | | | | |
| Not Hispanic or Latino | 185 | 259 | 27 | 26 | 182 | 259 | 57 | 92 | 169 | 244 |
| White | 176 | 236 | 25 | 25 | 177 | 238 | 55 | 79 | 165 | 226 |
| Black or African American | 38 | 71 | 7 | 1 | 38 | 71 | 19 | 38 | 32 | 60 |
| AIAN | 7 | 16 | 2 | * | 7 | 16 | 2 | * | 6 | * |
| NHOPI | 11 | 4 | * | * | 11 | 4 | * | * | * | * |
| Asian | 23 | 38 | 4 | 6 | 23 | 38 | 13 | * | 19 | 33 |
| Two or More Races | 20 | 71 | 6 | 3 | 20 | 72 | 10 | * | 17 | 68 |
| Hispanic or Latino | 99 | 119 | 22 | 26 | 94 | 119 | 28 | 49 | 89 | 109 |
| EDUCATION LEVEL | | | | | | | | | | |
| < High School | da | da | da | da | 60 | 67 | 25 | 38 | 54 | 55 |
| High School Graduate | da | da | da | da | 91 | 172 | 34 | 47 | 84 | 165 |
| Some College/Associate's Degree | da | da | da | da | 131 | 169 | 48 | 74 | 119 | 154 |
| College Graduate | da | da | da | da | 113 | 139 | 28 | 39 | 111 | 137 |
| EMPLOYMENT STATUS | | | | | | | | | | |
| Full-Time | da | da | da | da | 135 | 184 | 43 | 73 | 127 | 166 |
| Part-Time | da | da | da | da | 95 | 124 | 34 | 50 | 89 | 113 |
| Unemployed | da | da | da | da | 45 | 68 | 24 | 30 | 38 | 61 |
| Other ¹ | da | da | da | da | 110 | 158 | 31 | 46 | 105 | 154 |

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|---------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| TOTAL | 0.08 | <i>0.10</i> | 0.14 | <i>0.15</i> | 0.08 | <i>0.11</i> | 0.19 | <i>0.31</i> | 0.09 | <i>0.12</i> |
| GENDER | | | | | | | | | | |
| Male | 0.11 | <i>0.15</i> | 0.20 | <i>0.15</i> | 0.12 | <i>0.16</i> | 0.26 | <i>0.43</i> | 0.13 | <i>0.17</i> |
| Female | 0.10 | <i>0.14</i> | 0.19 | <i>0.22</i> | 0.11 | <i>0.16</i> | 0.28 | <i>0.43</i> | 0.12 | <i>0.17</i> |
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| Black or African American | 0.12 | <i>0.21</i> | 0.22 | <i>0.04</i> | 0.13 | <i>0.23</i> | 0.41 | <i>0.83</i> | 0.13 | <i>0.23</i> |
| AIAN | 0.43 | <i>0.99</i> | 1.05 | * | 0.47 | <i>1.14</i> | 0.89 | * | 0.52 | * |
| NHOPI | 1.02 | <i>0.34</i> | * | * | 1.13 | <i>0.36</i> | * | * | * | * |
| Asian | 0.15 | <i>0.24</i> | 0.27 | <i>0.33</i> | 0.16 | <i>0.26</i> | 0.62 | * | 0.15 | <i>0.27</i> |
| Two or More Races | 0.39 | <i>1.31</i> | 0.61 | <i>0.57</i> | 0.46 | <i>1.49</i> | 1.03 | * | 0.51 | <i>1.83</i> |
| Hispanic or Latino | 0.21 | <i>0.25</i> | 0.35 | <i>0.41</i> | 0.23 | <i>0.28</i> | 0.37 | <i>0.63</i> | 0.27 | <i>0.32</i> |
| EDUCATION LEVEL | | | | | | | | | | |
| < High School | da | <i>da</i> | da | <i>da</i> | 0.20 | <i>0.23</i> | 0.53 | <i>1.00</i> | 0.21 | <i>0.22</i> |
| High School Graduate | da | <i>da</i> | da | <i>da</i> | 0.15 | <i>0.25</i> | 0.32 | <i>0.44</i> | 0.17 | <i>0.28</i> |
| Some College/Associate's Degree | da | <i>da</i> | da | <i>da</i> | 0.17 | <i>0.22</i> | 0.33 | <i>0.51</i> | 0.19 | <i>0.25</i> |
| College Graduate | da | <i>da</i> | da | <i>da</i> | 0.14 | <i>0.18</i> | 0.55 | <i>0.77</i> | 0.14 | <i>0.19</i> |
| EMPLOYMENT STATUS | | | | | | | | | | |
| Full-Time | da | <i>da</i> | da | <i>da</i> | 0.11 | <i>0.16</i> | 0.29 | <i>0.57</i> | 0.11 | <i>0.16</i> |
| Part-Time | da | <i>da</i> | da | <i>da</i> | 0.29 | <i>0.39</i> | 0.39 | <i>0.57</i> | 0.36 | <i>0.49</i> |
| Unemployed | da | <i>da</i> | da | <i>da</i> | 0.45 | <i>0.53</i> | 0.72 | <i>0.89</i> | 0.56 | <i>0.64</i> |
| Other ¹ | da | <i>da</i> | da | <i>da</i> | 0.13 | <i>0.17</i> | 0.37 | <i>0.52</i> | 0.14 | <i>0.18</i> |

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