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**SYMBOLS USED IN TABLES**

- Represent zero or rounds to zero
  - X Not applicable
  - B Base less than 75,000
  - NA Not available
  - r Revised
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# Characteristics of the Population Below the Poverty Level: 1984

This report presents detailed social and economic characteristics of the U.S. population below the poverty level in 1984 based on the March 1985 Current Population Survey (CPS). Poverty data are cross-classified by such characteristics as race, family relationship, type of residence, education, work experience, and type of income received. The poverty level consists of a set of dollar thresholds which vary by family size and composition. The average poverty threshold for a family of four was \$10,609 in 1984, compared with \$10,178 in 1983. The poverty thresholds are updated every year to reflect changes in the annual average Consumer Price Index. In this text, the terms "poor" and "below the poverty level" are used interchangeably.

Estimates in the report were developed from two sample frames: one from the 1970 census, the other from the 1980 census. Since this overlap in the sample design does not permit the development of estimates for metropolitan, nonmetropolitan, farm, and nonfarm categories that are comparable to either the 1980 or 1970 census definitions, figures for these residence categories have been omitted. In addition to this consideration, the estimates in this report for 1983 and 1984 reflect the introduction of new survey weighting procedures for the Spanish-origin population and a revised method of measuring interest income.

## POVERTY IN 1984

Reflecting the general improvement in the economy, the number of persons below the poverty level declined from 35.3 million in 1983 to 33.7 million in 1984. During the same period, the poverty rate fell from 15.2 to 14.4 percent. The decline in poverty was the first statistically significant decline since the 1975-76 period. The number of persons in poverty in 1977 was about the same as in 1976, but from 1978 to 1983, the number of poor persons increased from 24.5 to 35.3 million.

As shown in table A, the poverty rate declined for both Whites and Blacks between 1983 and 1984. The rate for Whites dropped from 12.1 to 11.5 percent, and the rate for Blacks fell from 35.7 to 33.8 percent. The number of Whites in poverty declined by 1.0 million. There was some evidence of a decrease in the number of low-income Blacks. No statistically significant changes were recorded in the number or percent of Spanish-origin persons in poverty.

There was some evidence of a decline in the poverty rate among White children under 18 years old (from 17.3 percent in 1983 to 16.5 percent in 1984), but there were no significant changes in the rate among Black or Spanish-origin

children. In 1984, the poverty rate among Black children was 46.5 percent and among children of Spanish origin, it was 39 percent. Among persons 65 years old and over, the poverty rate fell from 13.8 percent in 1983 to 12.4 percent in 1984.

Between 1983 and 1984, the total number of poor families declined as did the number of poor married-couple families. About 7.3 million families were below the poverty level in 1984 and 3.5 million of them were married-couple families; the comparable figures for 1983 were 7.6 and 3.8 million, respectively. There were 3.5 million poor families with a female householder (no husband present) in 1984, not significantly different than the 1983 figure. However, the poverty rate among these families decreased from 36 percent in 1983 to 34.5 percent in 1984. Families maintained by women accounted for 16 percent of all families and 48 percent of poor families in 1984. The poverty rate among unrelated individuals was 21.8 percent in 1984, compared with 23.1 percent in 1983. The decline in the poverty rate was significant for both male and female unrelated individuals. In 1984, 61 percent of all poor unrelated individuals were females.

Among the four major regions, both the number of persons below the poverty level and the poverty rate declined in the South and West Regions, while the Northeast and Midwest Regions did not experience any significant changes. The poverty rate for the South was 16.2 percent, higher than any other region.

The estimates of poverty in this report are based solely on money income. The value of noncash benefits such as food stamps, Medicare, Medicaid, and public housing are not included as income for purposes of estimating the poverty population. Alternative experimental estimates of the poverty population for 1984, based on an income definition that includes values for selected noncash benefits, are shown in a separate report, Technical Paper 55, *Estimates of Poverty Including the Value of Noncash Benefits: 1984*.

## REVISED SURVEY PROCEDURES

The note at the beginning of this report mentions revisions to survey procedures and estimation techniques introduced in the March 1985 CPS. During the period from April 1984 through June 1985 the Bureau of the Census systematically introduced a new sample design for the Current Population Survey. A description of the phase-in of that sample design is contained in Appendix B, "Source and Reliability of Estimates."

The introduction of the new sample design has temporarily prevented the development of estimates for metropolitan,



**Table A. Persons, Families, and Unrelated Individuals Below the Poverty Level: 1984 and 1983**

(Numbers in thousands. Persons, families, and unrelated individuals as of March of the following year)

Characteristic	Below the poverty level			Poverty rate		
	1984	1983 <sup>r</sup>	Difference (1984 minus 1983)	1984	1983 <sup>r</sup>	Difference (1984 minus 1983)
All persons	33,700	35,303	*-1,603	14.4	15.2	*-0.8
White	22,955	23,984	*-1,029	11.5	12.1	*-0.6
Black	9,490	9,882	** -392	33.8	35.7	*-1.9
Spanish origin <sup>1</sup>	4,806	4,633	173	28.4	28.0	0.4
Under 15 years	11,455	11,863	-408	22.2	23.1	** -0.9
15 to 24 years	6,581	6,973	*-392	17.0	17.7	*-0.7
25 to 44 years	7,938	8,403	*-465	11.0	12.0	*-1.0
45 to 54 years	2,100	2,053	47	9.4	9.2	0.2
55 to 59 years	1,131	1,171	-40	9.9	10.3	-0.4
60 to 64 years	1,167	1,215	-48	10.9	11.4	-0.5
65 years and over	3,330	3,625	*-295	12.4	13.8	*-1.4
Related children under 18 years	13,274	13,768	** -494	21.3	22.2	*-0.9
White	8,348	8,756	** -408	16.5	17.3	** -0.8
Black	4,392	4,368	24	46.5	46.5	-
Spanish origin <sup>1</sup>	2,351	2,288	63	39.0	37.9	1.1
In families	12,929	13,427	** -498	21.0	21.8	** -0.8
In unrelated subfamilies	345	341	4	60.8	61.4	-0.6
Northeast	6,531	6,605	-74	13.2	13.4	-0.2
Midwest	8,303	8,511	-208	14.1	14.6	-0.5
South	12,792	13,504	*-712	16.2	17.2	*-1.0
West	6,074	6,682	*-608	13.1	14.6	*-1.5
All families	7,277	7,647	*-370	11.6	12.3	*-0.7
Married-couple families	3,488	3,815	*-327	6.9	7.6	*-0.7
Male householder, no wife present	292	268	24	13.1	13.2	-0.1
Female householder, no husband present	3,498	3,564	-66	34.5	36.0	*-1.5
All unrelated individuals	6,609	6,740	-131	21.8	23.1	*-1.3
Male	2,575	2,641	-66	18.7	20.1	*-1.4
Female	4,035	4,099	-64	24.4	25.6	*-1.2

\*Significant at the 95-percent confidence level.

\*\*Significant between the 90-percent and 95-percent confidence levels.

<sup>1</sup>Persons of Spanish origin may be of any race.<sup>r</sup>Revised to reflect changes in weighting and imputation procedures. See text for additional information.

nonmetropolitan, farm, and nonfarm residence categories. Since the mixed 1970 and 1980-based sampling frame cannot provide figures that are comparable to either the 1970 or 1980 census definitions for these geographic areas, they have been omitted from this report. Publication of data by residence categories will resume when estimates can be derived using the full sample from the 1980-based survey design.

The estimates in this report for 1984 and 1983 are also based on revised survey weighting procedures for persons of Spanish origin. In previous years the estimation procedures used in this survey involved the inflation of weighted sample results to independent estimates of the noninstitutional population by age, sex, and race. There was, therefore, no specific control of the survey estimates for the Spanish-origin population. During the last several years, the Bureau of the Census has developed independent population controls for the Spanish-origin population by sex and detailed age groups and has adopted revised weighting procedures to incorporate these new controls. It should be noted that the independent

population estimates include some, but not all, illegal immigrants.

A revised method of imputing interest income for persons not reporting an interest amount was adopted for 1984. The revised method was also used for the 1983 data shown in this report in order to facilitate comparisons between the two years.

The data in table B illustrate the effect of the revised procedures by contrasting 1983 estimates based on the "original" and revised procedures. Overall, the revised procedures increased the Spanish-origin population estimate from the survey by approximately 1.6 million. There was no statistically significant change in either the number or percent of Spanish-origin persons in poverty.

## COLLECTION AND LIMITATIONS OF POVERTY DATA

This report presents findings from the Income Supplement of the Census Bureau's Current Population Survey of March

**Table B. Poverty Status of Persons Based on Original and Revised Survey Procedures: 1983**

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March 1984)

Race or Spanish origin			Difference (revised minus original)
	Revised	Original	
<b>All Persons</b>			
Total .....	231,700	231,612	88
White .....	197,496	197,671	-175
Black .....	27,678	27,668	10
Spanish origin <sup>1</sup> .....	16,544	14,938	1,606
<b>Persons Below the Poverty Level</b>			
Total .....	35,303	35,266	37
White .....	23,984	23,974	10
Black .....	9,882	9,885	-3
Spanish origin <sup>1</sup> .....	4,633	4,249	384
<b>Percent Below the Poverty Level</b>			
Total .....	15.2	15.2	—
White .....	12.1	12.1	—
Black .....	35.7	35.7	—
Spanish origin <sup>1</sup> .....	28.0	28.4	-0.4

<sup>1</sup>Persons of Spanish origin may be of any race.

1985. The information was collected from a sample of persons representing the civilian noninstitutional population and members of the Armed Forces living off post or with their families on post in the United States. Because the collection of income data in the survey is restricted to persons 15 years old and over, unrelated individuals under 15 are excluded from this report.

The poverty definition used in this report is based on an index developed at the Social Security Administration (SSA) in 1964, and revised by Federal Interagency Committees in 1969 and 1981. A directive from the Office of Management and Budget, originally issued in 1969, established the Census Bureau's statistics on poverty as the standard data series to be used by all Federal agencies.<sup>1</sup>

The poverty concept is a statistical measure based on the Department of Agriculture's 1961 economy food plan. It reflects the different consumption requirements of families in relation to their size and composition, and the age of the family householder. A ratio of food expenditures to income of one-third, based on the Department of Agriculture's 1955 Survey of Food Consumption, was used to derive the original poverty thresholds from the economy food plan. The poverty thresholds have been updated annually based on changes in the Consumer Price Index. For further details, see appendix A.

Data on income collected in the CPS are limited to money income received before payments for personal income taxes and deductions for Social Security, union dues, Medicare premiums, etc. Money income is the sum of the amounts

received from earnings; Social Security and public assistance payments; dividends, interest, and rent; unemployment and worker's compensation; government and private employee pensions; and other periodic income. (Certain money receipts such as capital gains are not included.) Therefore, money income does not reflect the fact that many families received part of their income in the form of nonmoney transfers such as food stamps, health benefits, and subsidized housing; that many farm families received noncash benefits in the form of rent-free housing and goods produced and consumed on the farm; or that noncash benefits are also received by some non-farm residents in the form of access to business transportation and facilities, full or partial payments by business for retirement programs, medical and educational expenses, etc.

These elements should be considered when comparing income levels. In addition, it should be noted that nonmoney income is not considered in calculating the poverty thresholds. In recent years, however, receipts from nonmoney transfers, such as food stamps, have become an increasingly important element in the income of poor persons. Data from the March 1985 CPS show that about 60 percent of all poor households received at least one of the following means-tested noncash benefits: food stamps, free or reduced-price school lunches, Medicaid, and publicly owned or other subsidized housing.<sup>2</sup>

Readers should be aware that for many different reasons there is a tendency in household surveys for respondents to underreport their income. For additional information on this topic, see Appendix C, "Underreporting of Income."

Beginning with the March 1980 survey, the CPS income supplement has included a group of questions on the receipt of selected noncash benefits during the previous year. The means-tested benefits covered in the March 1985 survey were: food stamps, free or reduced-price school lunches, public or subsidized housing, and Medicaid. Questions were also asked about the following nonmeans-tested benefits: Medicare, CHAMPUS or other military health care, employer-provided pension plans, and employer-provided group health insurance plans. Data from this survey are contained in Current Population Reports, Series P-60, No. 150, *Characteristics of Households and Persons Receiving Selected Noncash Benefits: 1984*. Technical Paper 55, *Estimates of Poverty Including the Value of Noncash Benefits: 1984*, focuses on five major noncash benefits: food stamps, free or reduced-price school lunches, Medicaid, Medicare, and publicly owned or subsidized housing. The paper presents three different methods for valuing these benefits, based on (1) market value, (2) recipient value, and (3) a poverty budget share approach. It is the fourth in a series of technical papers updating the estimates to 1984; Technical Papers 50, 51, and 52 contain estimates for the period 1979 through 1983. The report for 1984 suggests that if selected benefits had been counted as income, the official estimate of poverty would have been reduced by 8 to 33 percent, depending on the range of benefits valued and the method used.

<sup>1</sup>Statistical Policy Handbook, Directive 14, Office of Federal Statistical Policy and Standards, U.S. Department of Commerce, May 1978.

<sup>2</sup>Current Population Reports, Series P-60, No. 150.

## RELATED REPORTS

**Current Population Survey.** A detailed explanation of the poverty concept appears in *The Measure of Poverty, A Report to Congress as Mandated by the Education Admendments of 1974*, prepared by a Poverty Studies Task Force under the auspices of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare. This report also discusses limitations of the poverty definition and presents alternative methods for measuring poverty.

A detailed description of the original poverty index developed by the Social Security Administration appears in the following articles by Mollie Orshansky published in the *Social Security Bulletin*, "Counting the Poor: Another Look at the Poverty Profile," January 1965, and "Who's Who Among the Poor: A Demographic View of Poverty," July 1965.

Data on poverty based on the original poverty definition appear in Current Population Reports, Series P-60, No.54, *The Extent of Poverty in the United States: 1959 to 1966*. Comprehensive data and analysis of poor persons and families based on the revised definition of poverty appear in later reports in the P-60 series. Poverty data are also included in some reports in the P-20 and P-23 series of the Current Population Reports. All relevant titles are listed on the inside of the back cover of this report. Data based on the Current Population Survey showing the distribution of families and persons by income levels also appear in the P-60 series; the latest report is P-60, No. 151, *Money Income of Households, Families and Persons in the United States: 1984*.

Detailed data on the receipt of noncash benefits in 1983, including the poverty status of recipients appear in Current Population Reports, Series P-60, No. 150, *Characteristics of Households and Persons Receiving Selected Noncash Benefits: 1984*. Several approaches to the valuation of these benefits are explored in Technical Paper 55, *Estimates of Poverty Including the Value of Noncash Benefits: 1984*.

**Decennial census.** Poverty data collected in the 1980 Census are available for all States on computer files (referred to as summary tape files, or STF's) as well as in published reports. Summary Tape File 3 contains poverty data cross-classified by race, age, type of family, and presence of children, for States, standard metropolitan statistical areas (SMSA's) counties, county subdivisions, incorporated places, and census tracts. Various subfiles of STF3 present information for neighborhoods, congressional districts, school districts, and zip code areas. There are three report series based on STF3: Series PHC80-3, *Summary Characteristics for Governmental Units and Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas*, Series PHC80-4, *Congressional Districts of the 98th Congress*, and Series PHC80-S2, *Advance Estimates of Social, Economic, and Housing Characteristics*.

Summary Tape File 4 provides somewhat more detailed information on the age and family structure of the poverty population, and additional characteristics including receipt of Social Security and public assistance income, work experience, and ratio of income to the poverty level. All items in STF4 are repeated by race and Spanish origin. Data are shown for States, SMSA's counties, county subdivisions, places, and tracts. The three report series based on STF4 are Series PC80-1-C, *General Social and Economic Characteristics*, Series PHC80-2, *Census Tracts*, and Series HC80-1-B, *Detailed Housing Characteristics*.

More detailed poverty data for fewer geographic areas (States, SMSA's, counties, and cities of 50,000 or more inhabitants) are presented in STF5. This file is the basis for Series PC80-1-D, *Detailed Population Characteristics*, and Series HC80-2, *Metropolitan Housing Characteristics*. Inquiries concerning availability of printed reports, computer tapes, and microfiche may be addressed to Data User Services Division, Customer Services, Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C. 20233.

**Table 1. Persons Below the Poverty Level, by Family Status, Type of Family, Race, and Spanish Origin: 1959, 1960, 1965, and 1968 to 1984**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS, PERSONS AS OF MARCH OF THE FOLLOWING YEAR, FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

YEAR	NUMBER BELOW POVERTY LEVEL							PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL								
	TOTAL <sup>1</sup>		IN FAMILIES					UNRE- LATED INDI- VIDUALS	TOTAL <sup>1</sup>		IN FAMILIES					UNRE- LATED INDI- VIDUALS
	ALL PERSONS	65 YEARS AND OVER	TOTAL	HOUSE- HOLDER	RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	ALL PERSONS		65 YEARS AND OVER	TOTAL	HOUSE- HOLDER	RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS			
<b>ALL PERSONS</b>																
<b>ALL RACES</b>																
1984	33 700	3 330	26 458	7 277	12 929	6 251	6 609	14.4	12.4	13.1	11.6	21.0	8.0	21.8		
1983 <sup>f</sup>	35 303	3 625	27 933	7 647	13 427	6 859	6 740	15.2	13.8	13.9	12.3	21.8	8.8	23.1		
1982	34 398	3 751	27 349	7 512	13 139	6 698	6 458	15.0	14.6	13.6	12.2	21.3	8.7	23.1		
1981	31 822	3 853	24 850	6 851	12 068	5 931	6 490	14.0	15.3	12.5	11.2	19.5	7.8	23.4		
1980	29 272	3 871	22 601	6 217	11 114	5 270	6 227	13.0	15.7	11.5	10.3	17.9	7.1	22.9		
1979	26 072	3 682	19 964	5 461	9 993	4 509	5 743	11.7	15.2	10.2	9.2	16.0	6.1	21.9		
1978	24 497	3 233	19 062	5 280	9 722	4 059	5 435	11.4	14.0	10.0	9.1	15.7	5.7	22.1		
1977	24 720	3 177	19 505	5 311	10 028	4 165	5 216	11.6	14.1	10.2	9.3	16.0	5.9	22.6		
1976	24 975	3 313	19 632	5 311	10 081	4 240	5 344	11.8	15.0	10.3	9.4	15.8	6.0	24.9		
1975	25 877	3 317	20 789	5 450	10 882	4 457	5 088	12.3	15.3	10.9	9.7	16.8	6.4	25.1		
1974	23 370	3 085	18 817	4 922	9 967	3 928	4 553	11.2	14.6	9.9	8.8	15.1	5.7	24.1		
1973	22 973	3 354	18 299	4 828	9 453	4 018	4 674	11.1	16.3	9.7	8.8	14.2	5.9	25.6		
1972	24 460	3 738	19 577	5 075	10 082	4 420	4 883	11.9	18.6	10.3	9.3	14.9	6.6	29.0		
1971	25 559	4 273	20 405	5 303	10 344	4 757	5 154	12.5	21.6	10.8	10.0	15.1	7.2	31.6		
1970	25 420	4 793	20 330	5 260	10 235	4 835	5 090	12.6	24.6	10.9	10.1	14.9	7.4	32.9		
1969	24 147	4 787	19 175	5 008	9 501	4 667	4 972	12.1	25.3	10.4	9.7	13.8	7.2	34.0		
1968	25 389	4 632	20 695	5 047	10 739	4 909	4 694	12.8	25.0	11.3	10.0	15.3	7.8	34.0		
1965	33 185	(NA)	28 358	6 721	14 388	7 249	4 827	17.3	(NA)	15.8	13.9	20.7	11.8	39.8		
1960	39 851	(NA)	34 925	8 243	17 288	9 394	4 926	22.2	(NA)	20.7	18.1	26.5	16.2	45.2		
1959	39 490	5 481	34 562	8 320	17 208	9 034	4 928	22.4	35.2	20.8	18.5	26.9	15.9	46.1		
<b>WHITE</b>																
1984	22 955	2 579	17 299	4 925	8 086	4 289	5 181	11.5	10.7	10.1	9.1	16.1	6.4	19.9		
1983 <sup>f</sup>	23 984	2 776	18 377	5 220	8 534	4 624	5 189	12.1	11.7	10.7	9.7	17.0	6.9	20.6		
1982	23 517	2 870	18 015	5 118	8 282	4 615	5 041	12.0	12.4	10.6	9.6	16.5	6.9	20.7		
1981	21 553	2 978	16 127	4 670	7 429	4 027	5 061	11.1	13.1	9.5	8.8	14.7	6.1	21.2		
1980	19 699	3 042	14 587	4 195	6 817	3 575	4 760	10.2	13.6	8.6	8.0	13.4	5.5	20.4		
1979	17 214	2 911	12 495	3 581	5 909	3 006	4 452	9.0	13.3	7.4	6.9	11.4	4.7	19.7		
1978	16 259	2 530	12 050	3 523	5 674	2 852	4 209	8.7	12.1	7.3	6.9	11.4	4.5	19.8		
1977	16 416	2 426	12 364	3 540	5 943	2 882	4 051	8.9	11.9	7.5	7.0	11.4	4.6	20.4		
1976	16 713	2 633	12 500	3 560	6 034	2 906	4 213	9.1	13.2	7.5	7.1	11.3	4.7	22.7		
1975	17 770	2 634	13 799	3 838	6 748	3 213	3 972	9.7	13.4	8.3	7.7	12.5	5.2	22.7		
1974	15 736	2 460	12 181	3 352	6 079	2 750	3 555	8.6	12.8	7.3	6.8	11.0	4.5	21.8		
1973	15 142	2 698	11 412	3 219	5 462	2 731	3 730	8.4	14.4	6.9	6.6	9.7	4.5	23.7		
1972	16 203	3 072	12 268	3 441	5 784	3 043	3 935	9.0	16.8	7.4	7.1	10.1	5.1	27.1		
1971	17 780	3 605	13 566	3 751	6 341	3 474	4 214	9.9	19.9	8.2	7.9	10.9	5.8	29.6		
1970	17 484	4 011	13 323	3 708	6 138	3 477	4 161	9.9	22.6	8.1	8.0	10.5	5.9	30.8		
1969	16 659	4 052	12 623	3 575	5 667	3 381	4 036	9.5	23.3	7.8	7.7	9.7	5.8	32.1		
1968	17 395	3 939	13 546	3 616	6 373	3 557	3 849	10.0	23.1	8.4	8.0	10.7	6.3	32.2		
1965	22 496	(NA)	18 508	4 824	8 595	5 089	3 988	13.3	(NA)	11.7	11.1	14.4	9.2	38.1		
1960	28 309	(NA)	24 262	6 115	11 229	6 918	4 047	17.8	(NA)	16.2	14.9	20.0	13.3	43.0		
1959	28 484	4 744	24 443	6 185	11 386	6 872	4 041	18.1	33.1	16.5	15.2	20.6	13.3	44.1		
<b>BLACK</b>																
1984	9 490	710	8 104	2 094	4 320	1 691	1 255	33.8	31.7	33.2	30.9	46.2	20.5	35.8		
1983 <sup>f</sup>	9 882	791	8 376	2 161	4 273	1 942	1 338	35.7	36.0	34.7	32.3	46.2	23.6	40.7		
1982	9 697	811	8 355	2 158	4 388	1 809	1 229	35.6	38.2	34.9	35.0	47.3	22.2	40.3		
1981	9 173	820	7 780	1 972	4 170	1 637	1 296	34.2	39.0	33.2	30.8	44.9	21.2	39.6		
1980	8 579	783	7 190	1 826	3 906	1 458	1 314	32.5	38.1	31.1	28.9	42.1	19.5	41.0		
1979	8 050	740	6 800	1 722	3 745	1 333	1 168	31.0	36.2	30.0	27.8	40.8	18.2	37.3		
1978	7 625	662	6 493	1 622	3 781	1 094	1 132	30.6	33.9	29.5	27.5	41.2	15.7	38.6		
1977	7 726	701	6 667	1 637	3 850	1 181	1 059	31.3	36.3	30.5	28.2	41.6	17.4	37.0		
1976	7 595	644	6 576	1 617	3 758	1 201	1 019	31.1	34.8	30.1	27.9	40.4	17.8	39.8		
1975	7 545	652	6 533	1 513	3 884	1 136	1 011	31.3	36.3	30.1	27.1	41.4	16.9	42.1		
1974	7 182	591	6 255	1 479	3 713	1 063	927	30.3	34.3	29.3	26.9	39.6	16.4	39.3		
1973	7 388	620	6 560	1 527	3 822	1 211	828	31.4	37.1	30.8	28.1	40.6	18.7	37.9		
1972	7 710	640	6 841	1 529	4 025	1 287	870	33.3	39.9	32.4	29.0	42.7	20.0	42.9		
1971	7 396	623	6 530	1 484	3 836	1 210	866	32.5	39.3	31.2	28.8	40.7	19.1	46.0		
1970	7 548	735	6 683	1 481	3 922	1 279	865	33.5	40.7	33.2	29.5	41.5	20.5	48.3		
1969	7 095	689	6 245	1 366	3 677	1 202	850	32.2	50.2	30.9	27.9	39.6	20.0	46.7		
1968	7 616	655	6 839	1 366	4 188	1 285	777	34.7	47.7	33.7	29.4	43.1	21.7	46.3		
1959	9 927	711	9 112	1 860	5 022	2 230	815	55.1	62.5	54.9	48.1	65.5	44.1	57.0		
<b>SPANISH ORIGIN<sup>2</sup></b>																
1984	4 806	176	4 192	991	2 317	885	545	28.4	21.5	27.4	25.2	38.7	16.5	36.8		
1983 <sup>f</sup>	4 633	173	4 113	981	2 251	881	457	28.0	22.1	27.3	25.9	37.7	16.6	33.5		
1982	4 301	159	3 865	916	2 117	832	358	29.9	26.6	29.2	27.2	38.9	18.7	35.1		
1981	3 713	146	3 349	792	1 874	683	313	26.5	25.8	25.9	24.0	35.4	15.8	32.2		
1980	3 491	179	3 143	751	1 718	674	312	25.7	30.8	25.1	25.2	33.0	16.4	32.2		
1979	2 921	154	2 599	614	1 505	481	286	21.8	26.8	21.1	20.3	27.7	12.5	28.8		
1978	2 607	125	2 343	559	1 354	429	264	21.6	23.2	20.9	20.4	27.2	12.3	29.8		
1977	2 700	113	2 463	591	1 402	469	237	22.4	21.9	21.9	21.4	28.0	13.5	29.8		
1976	2 783	128	2 516	598	1 424	494	266	24.7	27.7	23.8	23.1	30.1	15.3	37.2		
1975	2 991	137	2 755	627	1 619	508	236	26.9	32.6	26.3	25.1	33.1	16.5	36.6		
1974	2 575	117	2 374	526	1 414	435	201	23.0	28.9	22.4	21.2	28.6	13.7	32.6		

<sup>1</sup>BEGINNING WITH 1979, MEMBERS OF UNRELATED SUBFAMILIES ARE NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY BUT ARE INCLUDED IN 'TOTAL'. FOR EARLIER YEARS, UNRELATED SUBFAMILY MEMBERS ARE INCLUDED IN THE 'IN FAMILIES' CATEGORIES.

<sup>2</sup>PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

NOTE: DATA FOR 1979 AND LATER YEARS BASED ON 1980 CENSUS POPULATION CONTROLS.

**Table 1. Persons Below the Poverty Level, by Family Status, Type of Family, Race, and Spanish Origin: 1959, 1960, 1965, and 1968 to 1984—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH OF THE FOLLOWING YEAR. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

YEAR	NUMBER BELOW POVERTY LEVEL							PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL								
	TOTAL <sup>1</sup>		IN FAMILIES					UNRE- LATED INDI- VIDUALS	TOTAL <sup>1</sup>		IN FAMILIES					UNRE- LATED INDI- VIDUALS
	ALL PERSONS	65 YEARS AND OVER	TOTAL	HOUSE- HOLDER	RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	ALL PERSONS		65 YEARS AND OVER	TOTAL	HOUSE- HOLDER	RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS			
<b>PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT<sup>2</sup></b>																
<b>ALL RACES</b>																
1984	16 440	2 001	11 831	3 498	6 772	1 562	4 035	34.0	22.1	38.4	34.5	54.0	19.1	24.4		
1983	16 713	2 120	12 072	3 564	6 747	1 762	4 099	35.6	23.8	40.2	36.0	55.4	22.1	25.6		
1982	16 336	2 173	11 701	3 434	6 696	1 571	4 110	36.2	25.4	40.6	36.3	56.0	21.2	26.6		
1981	15 738	2 285	11 051	3 252	6 305	1 495	4 251	35.2	27.4	38.7	34.6	52.3	21.0	27.4		
1980	14 649	2 308	10 120	2 972	5 866	1 282	4 118	33.8	27.8	36.7	32.7	50.8	18.5	27.7		
1979	13 503	2 109	9 400	2 645	5 635	1 120	3 771	32.0	26.1	34.9	30.4	48.6	16.9	26.0		
1978	12 880	1 891	9 269	2 654	5 687	928	3 611	32.3	23.9	35.6	31.4	50.6	14.6	26.0		
1977	12 624	1 897	9 205	2 610	5 658	938	3 419	32.8	24.1	36.2	31.7	50.3	15.8	26.1		
1976	12 586	1 934	9 029	2 543	5 583	903	3 557	34.4	26.1	37.3	33.0	52.0	15.7	28.7		
1975	12 268	1 905	8 846	2 430	5 597	819	3 422	34.6	26.4	37.5	32.5	52.7	15.0	28.9		
1974	11 469	1 795	8 462	2 324	5 361	777	3 007	33.6	26.3	36.5	32.1	51.5	14.1	27.3		
1973	11 357	1 893	8 178	2 193	5 171	814	3 179	34.9	28.4	37.5	32.2	52.1	16.0	29.7		
1972	11 587	2 204	8 114	2 158	5 094	862	3 473	36.9	33.2	38.2	32.7	53.1	17.0	34.3		
1971	11 409	2 445	7 797	2 100	4 850	847	3 611	38.0	38.4	38.7	33.9	53.1	17.5	36.6		
1970	11 154	2 563	7 503	1 951	4 689	862	3 652	38.2	41.2	38.1	32.5	53.0	17.9	38.4		
1969	10 412	2 482	6 879	1 827	4 247	805	3 574	38.4	41.1	38.2	32.7	54.4	17.5	38.7		
1968	10 364	2 389	6 990	1 755	4 409	826	3 532	38.9	41.1	38.7	32.3	55.2	17.8	39.2		
1965	11 058	(NA)	7 524	1 916	4 562	1 046	3 534	46.0	(NA)	46.0	38.4	64.2	24.5	46.2		
1960	10 663	(NA)	7 247	1 955	4 095	1 197	3 416	49.5	(NA)	48.9	42.4	68.4	28.3	50.9		
1959	10 390	2 031	7 014	1 916	4 145	953	3 376	50.2	49.2	49.4	42.6	72.2	29.0	52.1		
<b>WHITE</b>																
1984	9 570	1 565	5 866	1 878	3 377	610	3 262	27.3	19.6	29.7	27.1	45.9	11.2	22.4		
1983	9 641	1 623	6 017	1 926	3 388	703	3 258	28.3	20.5	31.2	28.3	47.1	13.3	23.0		
1982	9 392	1 681	5 686	1 813	3 249	624	3 303	28.7	22.1	30.9	27.9	46.5	12.8	24.2		
1981	9 347	1 812	5 600	1 814	3 120	666	3 404	28.4	24.5	29.8	27.4	42.8	13.7	25.1		
1980	8 569	1 845	4 940	1 609	2 813	518	3 297	27.1	25.0	28.0	25.7	41.6	11.2	24.8		
1979	7 653	1 678	4 375	1 350	2 629	396	3 019	24.9	23.2	25.2	22.3	38.4	8.8	23.6		
1978	7 262	1 495	4 371	1 391	2 627	353	2 891	24.9	21.3	25.9	23.2	39.9	8.1	23.7		
1977	7 221	1 435	4 474	1 400	2 693	381	2 747	25.5	21.3	26.8	24.0	40.3	9.0	26.4		
1976	7 356	1 572	4 463	1 379	2 713	372	2 849	27.3	23.7	28.0	25.2	42.7	9.0	26.4		
1975	7 324	1 527	4 577	1 394	2 813	370	2 747	28.1	23.7	29.4	25.9	44.2	9.7	26.3		
1974	6 673	1 435	4 278	1 289	2 683	306	2 394	26.5	23.6	27.7	24.8	42.9	7.7	24.6		
1973	6 642	1 564	4 003	1 190	2 461	352	2 639	27.9	26.3	28.0	24.5	42.1	9.8	27.7		
1972	6 682	1 847	3 770	1 135	2 273	362	2 913	29.4	31.2	27.4	24.3	41.1	10.2	32.3		
1971	7 146	2 111	4 099	1 191	2 452	456	3 047	32.1	36.8	30.4	26.5	44.6	13.0	34.7		
1970	6 832	2 193	3 761	1 102	2 247	413	2 953	31.4	38.9	28.4	25.0	43.1	11.5	36.1		
1969	6 531	2 191	3 577	1 069	2 068	440	2 970	32.1	38.7	29.1	25.7	45.2	12.4	36.6		
1968	6 400	2 066	3 551	1 021	2 075	458	2 993	32.3	39.2	29.1	25.2	44.4	13.1	37.1		
1965	7 085	(NA)	4 092	1 196	2 321	575	2 993	42.3	(NA)	35.4	31.0	52.9	17.3	43.9		
1960	7 207	(NA)	4 296	1 252	2 357	687	2 911	43.3	(NA)	39.0	34.0	59.9	20.1	48.6		
1959	7 115	1 779	4 232	1 233	2 420	579	2 883	43.8	47.2	40.2	34.8	64.6	17.9	50.3		
<b>BLACK</b>																
1984	6 462	418	5 666	1 533	3 234	899	687	52.9	43.5	54.6	51.7	66.2	35.5	41.0		
1983	6 637	474	5 736	1 541	3 187	1 008	750	55.9	50.4	57.0	53.7	68.3	40.0	47.3		
1982	6 533	463	5 698	1 535	3 269	894	724	57.4	52.0	58.8	56.2	70.7	38.2	48.3		
1981	6 081	451	5 222	1 377	3 051	794	777	55.8	51.7	56.7	52.9	67.7	37.8	49.1		
1980	5 807	445	4 984	1 301	2 944	740	757	53.1	52.5	53.4	49.4	64.8	34.3	50.3		
1979	5 371	420	4 816	1 234	2 887	696	696	52.2	51.7	53.1	49.4	63.1	34.9	46.2		
1978	5 302	378	4 712	1 208	2 948	556	679	53.1	46.6	54.2	50.6	66.4	29.9	46.4		
1977	5 230	376	4 595	1 162	2 885	548	636	53.9	48.2	55.3	51.0	65.7	33.3	45.8		
1976	5 024	368	4 415	1 122	2 778	515	609	54.7	45.9	55.7	52.2	65.6	33.4	48.1		
1975	4 784	360	4 168	1 004	2 724	441	616	53.6	48.7	54.3	50.1	66.0	28.5	49.7		
1974	4 705	350	4 116	1 010	2 651	455	589	54.3	50.0	55.0	52.2	65.0	31.0	50.1		
1973	4 564	321	4 064	974	2 635	455	500	55.4	48.5	56.5	52.7	67.2	32.2	47.3		
1972	4 670	346	4 139	972	2 686	481	531	57.3	51.4	58.1	53.3	69.5	33.4	51.9		
1971	4 129	327	3 587	879	2 329	379	542	55.8	54.7	56.1	53.5	66.6	30.2	54.4		
1970	3 713	359	3 656	834	2 383	439	560	58.8	63.5	58.7	54.3	67.7	37.5	59.3		
1969	4 266	341	3 225	737	2 137	350	541	57.8	64.2	58.2	53.3	68.2	34.4	55.5		
1968	3 807	307	3 312	706	2 241	365	495	58.6	58.9	58.9	53.2	70.5	32.6	56.6		
1959	2 906	244	2 416	551	1 475	390	490	70.0	69.9	70.6	65.4	81.6	50.4	67.1		
<b>SPANISH ORIGIN<sup>3</sup></b>																
1984	2 068	79	1 764	483	1 093	187	244	54.3	31.2	56.2	53.4	71.0	27.0	40.9		
1983	1 941	74	1 670	454	1 018	198	219	53.2	28.6	55.1	52.8	70.6	27.1	40.6		
1982	1 849	83	1 601	425	990	186	191	57.4	41.5	60.1	55.4	71.8	35.9	51.5		
1981	1 682	63	1 465	399	909	157	168	54.0	37.4	55.9	53.2	67.3	30.2	47.7		
1980	1 501	76	1 319	362	809	147	152	52.5	51.6	54.5	51.3	65.0	31.3	39.6		
1979	1 241	60	1 053	300	668	85	155	48.9	41.3	51.2	49.2	62.2	22.8	36.6		
1978	1 158	49	1 024	288	663	74	134	53.3	37.1	56.4	53.1	68.9	23.6	37.7		
1977	1 204	46	1 077	301	686	89	127	53.3	34.0	56.7	53.6	68.6	26.5	35.3		
1976	1 144	53	1 000	275	636	90	143	54.3	40.9	56.6	53.1	67.3	29.5	42.3		
1975	1 189	59	1 053	279	694	79	136	55.6	46.8	57.2	53.6	68.4	26.0	45.8		
1974	1 012	48	915	229	621	65	98	51.4	43.7	53.1	49.6	64.3	21.8	39.8		

<sup>1</sup>BEGINNING WITH 1979, MEMBERS OF UNRELATED SUBFAMILIES ARE NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY BUT ARE INCLUDED IN 'TOTAL'. FOR EARLIER YEARS, UNRELATED SUBFAMILY MEMBERS ARE INCLUDED IN THE 'IN FAMILIES' CATEGORIES.

<sup>2</sup>PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

<sup>3</sup>INCLUDES FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS.

NOTE: DATA FOR 1979 AND LATER YEARS BASED ON 1980 CENSUS POPULATION CONTROLS.

**Table 1. Persons Below the Poverty Level, by Family Status, Type of Family, Race, and Spanish Origin: 1959, 1960, 1965, and 1968 to 1984—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS, PERSONS AS OF MARCH OF THE FOLLOWING YEAR. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

YEAR	NUMBER BELOW POVERTY LEVEL							PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL						
	TOTAL <sup>1</sup>		IN FAMILIES				UNRE-RELATED INDIVIDUALS	TOTAL <sup>1</sup>		IN FAMILIES				UNRE-RELATED INDIVIDUALS
	ALL PERSONS	65 YEARS AND OVER	TOTAL	HOUSE-HOLDER	RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS		ALL PERSONS	65 YEARS AND OVER	TOTAL	HOUSE-HOLDER	RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	
<b>PERSONS IN ALL OTHER FAMILIES*</b>														
<b>ALL RACES</b>														
1984	17 260	1 329	14 627	3 780	6 157	4 690	2 575	9.3	7.5	8.5	7.2	12.5	6.7	18.7
1983 <sup>†</sup>	18 590	1 505	15 860	4 083	6 680	5 097	2 641	10.1	8.7	9.3	7.8	13.5	7.3	20.1
1982	18 063	1 578	15 649	4 079	6 443	5 127	2 347	9.8	9.2	9.1	7.9	13.0	7.3	18.8
1981	16 080	1 568	13 799	3 599	5 764	4 436	2 239	8.8	9.3	8.1	7.0	11.6	6.5	18.1
1980	14 623	1 563	12 481	3 245	5 248	3 988	2 109	8.0	9.5	7.4	6.3	10.4	5.9	17.4
1979	12 569	1 572	10 563	2 816	4 358	3 389	1 972	7.0	9.8	6.3	5.5	8.5	5.1	16.9
1978	11 617	1 342	9 793	2 626	4 035	3 131	1 824	6.6	8.8	5.9	5.3	7.9	4.8	17.1
1977	12 096	1 350	10 300	2 701	4 371	3 228	1 796	6.9	9.1	6.2	5.5	8.5	5.0	18.0
1976	12 390	1 379	10 603	2 768	4 497	3 337	1 787	7.1	9.4	6.4	5.6	8.5	5.2	19.7
1975	13 609	1 411	11 943	3 020	5 284	3 638	1 667	7.8	9.8	7.1	6.2	9.8	5.7	19.9
1974	12 484	1 425	10 877	2 757	4 809	3 310	1 607	7.1	10.0	6.5	5.7	8.7	5.2	20.4
1973	11 616	1 461	10 121	2 635	4 282	3 204	1 495	6.6	10.5	6.0	5.5	7.6	5.1	19.8
1972	12 873	1 535	11 463	2 917	4 988	3 558	1 410	7.4	11.4	6.8	6.1	8.6	5.7	21.1
1971	14 151	1 827	12 608	3 203	5 494	3 910	1 543	8.1	13.6	7.5	6.8	9.3	6.3	23.9
1970	14 266	2 230	12 828	3 309	5 546	3 973	1 438	8.2	16.8	7.7	7.2	9.2	6.5	24.0
1969	13 735	2 305	12 296	3 181	5 253	3 862	1 439	8.0	17.9	7.4	6.9	8.6	6.4	26.2
1968	15 025	2 243	13 705	3 292	6 330	4 083	1 320	8.8	17.6	8.3	7.3	10.2	7.0	25.4
1965	22 127	(NA)	20 834	4 805	9 826	6 203	1 293	13.2	(NA)	12.8	11.1	15.7	10.9	28.9
1960	29 188	(NA)	27 678	6 288	13 193	8 197	1 510	18.5	(NA)	18.0	15.4	22.3	15.3	36.1
1959	29 100	3 450	27 548	6 404	13 063	8 081	1 552	18.7	30.2	18.2	15.8	22.4	15.3	36.8
<b>WHITE</b>														
1984	13 385	1 014	11 434	3 046	4 709	3 678	1 920	8.2	6.3	7.5	6.4	11.0	6.0	16.7
1983 <sup>†</sup>	14 343	1 153	12 360	3 293	5 146	3 921	1 931	8.8	7.3	8.1	7.0	12.0	6.3	17.5
1982	14 125	1 188	12 329	3 306	5 032	3 991	1 737	8.7	7.6	8.1	7.0	11.6	6.4	16.3
1981	12 206	1 146	10 527	2 857	4 309	3 361	1 657	7.6	7.6	7.0	6.3	10.0	5.5	16.0
1980	11 129	1 196	9 647	2 586	4 004	3 057	1 463	6.9	8.0	6.4	5.6	9.0	5.1	14.5
1979	9 562	1 234	8 120	2 231	3 279	2 499	1 433	5.9	8.4	5.4	4.8	7.3	4.3	14.6
1978	8 997	1 034	7 679	2 132	3 047	2 499	1 318	5.7	7.4	5.2	4.7	6.8	4.3	14.7
1977	9 195	990	7 890	2 140	3 250	2 501	1 305	5.9	7.3	5.3	4.8	7.1	4.8	14.7
1976	9 357	1 061	8 037	2 182	3 321	2 534	1 321	6.0	7.9	5.4	4.9	7.1	4.4	17.3
1975	10 446	1 106	9 221	2 444	3 934	2 843	1 225	6.6	8.4	6.1	5.5	8.2	4.9	17.4
1974	9 063	1 025	7 902	2 063	3 396	2 444	1 161	5.8	7.8	5.2	4.7	6.9	4.3	17.7
1973	8 500	1 134	7 409	2 029	3 001	2 379	1 091	5.4	8.9	4.9	4.6	6.0	4.2	17.5
1972	9 521	1 225	8 499	2 306	3 511	2 681	1 022	6.0	9.9	5.6	5.3	6.8	4.8	18.6
1971	10 635	1 494	9 468	2 560	3 889	3 019	1 167	6.8	12.1	6.2	5.9	7.4	5.4	21.5
1970	10 653	1 818	9 562	2 606	3 891	3 065	1 091	6.8	15.0	6.3	6.2	7.3	5.6	21.8
1969	10 128	1 932	9 046	2 506	3 598	2 941	1 083	6.5	16.3	6.0	6.0	6.7	5.4	24.1
1968	10 995	1 873	9 995	2 595	4 298	3 102	1 000	7.1	15.9	6.7	6.3	7.8	5.8	23.3
1965	15 411	(NA)	14 416	3 628	6 274	4 514	995	10.3	(NA)	9.8	9.2	11.4	8.7	27.2
1960	21 102	(NA)	19 966	4 863	8 872	6 231	1 136	14.9	(NA)	14.4	13.0	17.0	12.8	33.3
1959	21 369	2 965	20 211	4 952	8 966	6 293	1 158	15.2	28.0	14.7	13.3	17.4	13.0	33.8
<b>BLACK</b>														
1984	3 029	292	2 438	561	1 085	791	568	19.1	22.9	17.4	14.7	24.3	13.8	31.1
1983 <sup>†</sup>	3 245	317	2 640	621	1 085	934	588	20.5	25.2	18.8	16.3	23.7	16.4	34.6
1982	3 163	348	2 657	622	1 119	915	505	20.0	28.2	18.6	16.4	24.1	15.8	32.5
1981	3 092	368	2 557	595	1 119	843	519	19.4	30.0	18.0	15.6	23.4	15.0	30.6
1980	2 772	337	2 206	526	962	718	557	17.9	28.0	16.0	14.3	20.3	13.5	32.7
1979	2 479	319	1 984	488	858	638	472	16.2	26.0	14.6	13.2	18.7	12.0	29.1
1978	2 233	284	1 781	414	833	534	452	15.1	24.9	13.4	11.8	17.6	10.5	30.9
1977	2 495	325	2 072	475	965	633	423	16.6	28.2	15.3	13.5	19.9	12.3	28.8
1976	2 571	296	2 161	495	980	686	410	16.9	27.0	15.5	13.5	19.4	13.2	31.7
1975	2 761	292	2 365	509	1 161	694	396	18.2	27.6	16.9	14.2	22.1	13.4	34.0
1974	2 477	241	2 140	470	1 062	608	338	16.5	23.6	15.4	13.2	20.0	12.2	28.5
1973	2 824	299	2 496	553	1 188	756	328	18.5	29.6	17.7	15.4	21.7	14.9	29.1
1972	3 040	295	2 701	558	1 338	805	338	20.3	31.7	19.3	16.2	24.1	16.2	33.7
1971	3 267	296	2 943	605	1 507	831	324	21.2	30.0	20.3	17.2	25.5	16.4	36.5
1970	3 334	376	3 030	648	1 542	840	304	21.7	38.6	20.9	18.6	26.0	16.5	35.9
1969	3 328	347	3 020	629	1 530	852	308	21.5	41.2	20.6	17.9	25.0	17.1	36.5
1968	3 809	349	3 527	660	1 947	920	282	24.7	41.0	24.1	19.9	29.8	19.2	35.1
1959	7 021	467	6 696	1 309	3 547	1 840	325	50.7	59.2	50.9	43.3	60.6	43.0	46.4
<b>SPANISH ORIGIN<sup>‡</sup></b>														
1984	2 737	97	2 428	508	1 223	698	301	20.9	17.1	20.0	16.7	27.5	14.9	34.0
1983 <sup>†</sup>	2 692	99	2 443	527	1 233	683	238	20.9	18.9	20.3	18.0	27.2	14.9	28.8
1982	2 452	76	2 265	491	1 127	646	167	22.0	19.1	21.4	18.9	27.8	16.5	29.9
1981	2 031	83	1 884	393	966	525	145	18.6	20.8	18.3	15.4	24.5	13.8	24.3
1980	1 989	103	1 825	389	909	527	160	18.5	23.7	18.0	15.4	22.9	14.5	27.3
1979	1 680	94	1 546	315	837	395	131	15.5	21.9	15.1	13.0	19.2	11.4	23.0
1978	1 448	75	1 348	272	692	355	129	14.6	18.4	14.1	12.4	17.2	11.2	24.4
1977	1 497	67	1 386	290	716	380	111	15.3	17.6	14.8	13.2	17.9	12.1	25.2
1976	1 639	76	1 516	323	789	404	123	17.9	22.6	17.3	15.6	20.8	13.8	32.6
1975	1 802	78	1 702	348	925	429	100	20.1	26.6	19.7	17.6	23.8	15.5	28.8
1974	1 563	69	1 460	297	793	370	103	16.9	23.3	16.5	14.7	20.0	12.9	27.8

<sup>†</sup>BEGINNING WITH 1979, MEMBERS OF UNRELATED SUBFAMILIES ARE NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY BUT ARE INCLUDED IN 'TOTAL'. FOR EARLIER YEARS, UNRELATED SUBFAMILY MEMBERS ARE INCLUDED IN THE 'IN FAMILIES' CATEGORIES.

<sup>‡</sup>PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

\*INCLUDES MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS.

NOTE: DATA FOR 1979 AND LATER YEARS BASED ON 1980 CENSUS POPULATION CONTROLS.



**Table 2. Persons Below 125 Percent of the Poverty Level, by Family Status, Type of Family, Race and Spanish Origin: 1959, 1960, 1965, and 1968 to 1984—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH OF THE FOLLOWING YEAR. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

YEAR	NUMBER BELOW 125% OF POVERTY LEVEL							PERCENT BELOW 125% OF POVERTY LEVEL								
	TOTAL <sup>1</sup>		IN FAMILIES					UNRE- LATED INDI- VIDUALS	TOTAL <sup>1</sup>		IN FAMILIES					UNRE- LATED INDI- VIDUALS
	ALL PERSONS	65 YEARS AND OVER	TOTAL	HOUSE- HOLDER	RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	ALL PERSONS		65 YEARS AND OVER	TOTAL	HOUSE- HOLDER	RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS			
<b>PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT<sup>3</sup></b>																
<b>ALL RACES</b>																
1984	20 270	3 333	13 982	4 208	7 675	2 099	5 658	41.9	36.8	45.3	41.5	61.2	25.7	34.2		
1983 <sup>1</sup>	20 597	3 325	14 377	4 311	7 703	2 363	5 618	43.8	37.3	47.8	43.6	63.3	29.6	35.1		
1982	20 289	3 475	13 869	4 141	7 600	2 088	5 842	44.9	40.6	48.1	43.7	64.0	28.1	37.9		
1981	19 757	3 609	13 300	3 985	7 320	1 995	5 981	44.2	43.3	46.5	42.4	60.7	28.0	39.0		
1980	18 470	3 598	12 301	3 666	6 841	1 793	5 724	42.6	43.4	44.6	40.4	59.3	25.8	38.1		
1979	17 395	3 331	11 626	3 223	6 720	1 584	5 370	41.3	41.2	43.2	38.2	58.0	23.9	37.0		
1978	16 215	2 997	11 171	3 247	6 605	1 319	5 044	40.6	37.9	42.9	38.4	58.8	20.8	36.3		
1977	16 368	3 059	11 427	3 305	6 788	1 334	4 941	42.5	40.4	45.0	40.1	60.4	22.5	37.7		
1976	15 968	3 063	10 941	3 134	6 526	1 282	5 027	43.6	41.3	45.2	40.6	60.8	22.3	40.6		
1975	15 737	3 019	10 928	3 068	6 668	1 193	4 808	44.4	41.8	46.3	41.0	62.8	21.8	40.6		
1974	14 983	2 909	10 537	2 910	6 502	1 125	4 446	43.9	42.6	45.5	40.2	62.5	20.4	40.4		
1973	14 447	2 947	10 048	2 747	6 144	1 157	4 400	44.4	44.3	46.0	40.4	61.9	22.7	41.0		
1972	14 622	3 165	10 037	2 737	6 137	1 163	4 585	46.6	47.7	47.2	41.4	63.9	23.0	45.2		
1971	14 368	3 268	9 761	2 662	5 888	1 211	4 607	47.9	51.4	48.4	43.0	64.5	25.1	46.7		
1970	13 716	3 223	9 125	2 403	5 558	1 164	4 591	47.0	52.8	46.4	40.0	62.9	24.1	48.3		
1969	12 973	3 217	8 639	2 323	5 167	1 149	4 334	47.8	53.2	48.0	41.5	66.2	25.0	47.5		
1968	12 709	(NA)	8 521	2 193	5 195	1 133	4 188	47.7	(NA)	47.2	40.3	65.1	24.5	48.7		
1965	12 968	(NA)	8 896	2 330	5 196	1 370	4 072	54.0	(NA)	54.3	46.7	73.1	32.1	53.2		
1960	12 240	(NA)	8 394	2 292	4 625	1 477	3 846	56.8	(NA)	56.6	49.7	77.3	34.9	57.4		
1959	11 811	(NA)	7 976	2 235	4 559	1 182	3 835	57.1	(NA)	56.2	49.7	79.4	29.8	59.1		
<b>WHITE</b>																
1984	12 315	2 718	7 118	2 318	3 892	908	4 712	35.1	34.0	36.1	33.4	52.9	16.7	32.4		
1983 <sup>1</sup>	12 476	2 682	7 457	2 414	3 975	1 068	4 616	36.6	33.9	38.7	35.5	55.3	20.3	32.6		
1982	12 338	2 852	7 005	2 266	3 808	932	4 890	37.7	37.5	38.1	34.8	54.4	19.1	35.8		
1981	12 245	3 001	6 916	2 269	3 711	936	4 953	37.1	40.5	36.8	34.3	50.8	19.2	36.6		
1980	11 338	2 982	6 215	2 040	3 391	784	4 760	35.9	40.3	35.2	32.5	50.2	17.0	35.8		
1979	10 292	2 760	5 509	1 734	3 173	602	4 473	33.5	38.2	31.8	28.7	46.6	13.4	34.9		
1978	9 623	2 439	5 481	1 767	3 140	565	4 142	33.0	34.7	32.5	29.9	47.8	12.9	33.7		
1977	9 826	2 540	5 708	1 822	3 315	571	4 118	34.7	37.7	34.1	31.3	49.6	13.6	35.6		
1976	9 749	2 566	5 546	1 748	3 229	569	4 203	36.2	38.7	34.8	32.0	50.9	13.8	38.3		
1975	9 792	2 541	5 798	1 793	3 451	554	3 994	37.6	39.5	37.2	33.3	54.2	14.5	38.2		
1974	9 141	2 418	5 458	1 636	3 343	479	3 683	36.3	39.8	35.4	31.4	53.5	12.0	37.9		
1973	8 798	2 512	5 064	1 539	2 996	529	3 733	36.9	42.2	35.4	31.7	51.2	14.7	39.1		
1972	8 879	2 713	4 966	1 513	2 910	543	3 912	39.0	45.8	36.1	32.4	52.7	15.3	43.4		
1971	9 207	2 849	5 281	1 571	3 044	666	3 926	41.3	49.7	39.1	35.0	55.4	18.9	44.7		
1970	8 728	2 819	4 797	1 418	2 786	593	3 931	40.2	50.7	36.3	32.2	53.4	16.5	46.3		
1969	8 281	2 784	4 599	1 391	2 566	642	3 682	40.7	50.8	37.4	33.4	56.1	18.1	45.6		
1968	8 051	(NA)	4 480	1 306	2 539	635	3 571	40.5	(NA)	36.7	32.2	54.5	18.3	46.5		
1965	8 974	(NA)	5 098	1 514	2 773	811	3 476	46.6	(NA)	44.1	39.2	63.2	24.4	51.0		
1960	8 533	(NA)	5 231	1 529	2 786	916	3 302	50.1	(NA)	47.4	41.6	70.8	26.8	55.1		
1959	8 271	(NA)	4 983	1 488	2 737	758	3 288	50.9	(NA)	47.4	42.0	73.1	23.5	57.4		
<b>BLACK</b>																
1984	7 940	581	6 543	1 797	3 611	1 135	834	61.3	60.5	63.0	60.6	73.9	44.8	49.8		
1983 <sup>1</sup>	7 579	602	6 528	1 782	3 525	1 221	875	63.9	64.0	64.9	62.1	75.5	48.5	55.2		
1982	7 469	580	6 497	1 772	3 634	1 091	848	65.6	65.1	67.0	64.8	78.6	46.6	56.6		
1981	7 132	579	6 103	1 638	3 449	1 016	938	65.4	66.3	66.2	62.9	76.5	48.3	59.2		
1980	6 781	582	5 828	1 548	3 308	971	884	62.0	68.5	62.4	58.8	72.8	45.0	58.7		
1979	6 769	550	5 874	1 519	3 411	944	824	63.4	67.6	64.8	60.9	74.6	47.3	54.8		
1978	6 307	530	5 461	1 414	3 317	729	846	62.1	65.3	62.8	59.2	74.7	39.2	57.8		
1977	6 296	495	5 521	1 411	3 365	746	774	64.9	63.4	66.4	62.0	76.6	45.4	55.8		
1976	5 973	476	5 220	1 338	3 192	689	752	65.0	62.9	65.9	62.2	75.4	44.7	59.4		
1975	5 751	453	5 008	1 236	3 147	626	743	64.5	61.2	65.2	61.7	76.3	40.4	60.0		
1974	5 691	470	4 961	1 234	3 106	621	729	65.7	67.1	66.3	63.8	76.1	42.3	62.1		
1973	5 452	421	4 842	1 170	3 051	621	610	66.1	63.6	67.4	63.3	77.8	43.9	57.7		
1972	5 449	439	4 811	1 157	3 057	598	637	66.9	65.2	67.5	63.5	79.1	41.5	62.3		
1971	4 993	412	4 334	1 058	2 747	529	659	67.5	68.9	67.7	64.4	78.5	42.1	66.1		
1970	4 866	389	4 235	968	2 708	550	631	67.9	73.8	68.0	63.1	77.0	47.7	66.8		
1969	4 526	409	3 916	905	2 523	488	610	69.5	77.0	70.7	65.5	80.5	47.8	62.6		
1968	4 493	(NA)	3 906	858	2 560	488	587	69.1	(NA)	69.4	64.7	80.5	43.6	67.2		
<b>SPANISH ORIGIN<sup>2</sup></b>																
1984	2 343	134	1 970	545	1 169	256	310	61.5	53.5	62.8	60.3	75.9	36.9	52.0		
1983 <sup>1</sup>	2 294	127	1 956	532	1 137	287	283	62.8	49.1	64.5	61.9	78.8	39.3	52.6		
1982	2 144	118	1 837	492	1 097	248	243	66.6	59.3	69.0	64.2	79.5	48.0	53.0		
1981	1 934	94	1 663	459	1 006	198	219	62.1	55.9	63.4	61.2	78.5	37.9	51.7		
1980	1 777	96	1 544	434	923	187	199	62.2	64.6	63.8	61.5	74.1	39.8	51.8		
1979	1 465	88	1 229	353	755	121	201	57.7	61.2	59.7	57.9	70.3	32.4	47.6		
1978	1 314	71	1 144	324	721	98	170	60.4	53.8	63.0	59.8	75.0	31.4	47.8		
1977	1 382	68	1 214	342	758	113	168	61.2	50.2	63.9	60.9	75.8	33.6	47.0		
1976	1 366	66	1 189	331	736	122	178	64.9	51.2	67.3	64.0	77.9	39.9	52.4		
1975	1 430	74	1 268	341	820	107	162	66.8	58.7	68.9	65.3	80.7	35.3	54.3		

<sup>1</sup>BEGINNING WITH 1979, MEMBERS OF UNRELATED SUBFAMILIES ARE NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY BUT ARE INCLUDED IN 'TOTAL'. FOR EARLIER YEARS, UNRELATED SUBFAMILY MEMBERS ARE INCLUDED IN THE 'IN FAMILIES' CATEGORIES.  
<sup>2</sup>PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.  
<sup>3</sup>INCLUDES FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS.

NOTE: DATA FOR 1979 AND LATER YEARS BASED ON 1980 CENSUS POPULATION CONTROLS.



**Table 3. Persons 65 Years and Over Below the Poverty Level, by Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin: 1970 and 1974 to 1984—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH OF THE FOLLOWING YEAR. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

YEAR	NUMBER BELOW POVERTY LEVEL						PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL					
	TOTAL	IN FAMILIES				UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	TOTAL	IN FAMILIES				UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
		TOTAL	HOUSE-HOLDER	SPOUSE	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS			TOTAL	HOUSE-HOLDER	SPOUSE	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	
<b>BLACK</b>												
<b>ALL PERSONS</b>												
1984 . . . . .	710	293	188	67	38	417	31.7	20.3	22.7	18.0	15.8	52.5
1983 <sup>F</sup> . . . . .	791	348	232	73	43	439	36.0	24.4	27.2	20.6	19.5	57.5
1982 . . . . .	811	360	239	82	39	451	38.2	25.9	29.4	23.1	17.7	61.6
1981 . . . . .	820	354	227	96	31	466	39.0	27.1	29.8	28.6	14.9	58.8
1980 . . . . .	783	345	221	83	40	438	38.1	26.2	28.3	25.2	19.2	59.5
1979 . . . . .	740	338	213	84	41	399	36.3	24.8	26.4	26.3	17.4	58.9
1978 . . . . .	662	280	178	67	35	382	33.9	22.5	25.4	23.8	13.3	54.0
1977 . . . . .	701	338	214	79	45	362	36.3	27.1	31.5	26.8	16.5	52.9
1976 . . . . .	644	296	191	71	34	348	34.8	23.7	27.5	24.1	13.3	57.4
1975 . . . . .	652	286	197	62	27	366	36.3	23.9	29.3	23.8	10.3	61.1
1974 . . . . .	591	256	168	56	32	335	34.3	22.4	26.1	22.3	12.9	58.0
1970 . . . . .	735	393	253	88	52	342	47.7	36.9	40.8	40.4	22.8	72.3
<b>MALE</b>												
1984 . . . . .	231	122	97	13	12	109	26.0	19.1	19.6	22.0	14.1	43.4
1983 <sup>F</sup> . . . . .	250	143	115	20	9	105	28.4	22.0	21.4	40.8	14.5	45.9
1982 . . . . .	268	161	146	5	11	107	31.7	25.6	26.8	14.3	21.6	50.2
1981 . . . . .	272	164	152	8	5	108	32.2	27.0	29.2	25.0	9.1	46.0
1980 . . . . .	261	150	127	4	8	111	31.4	25.6	29.0	40.0	19.5	45.1
1979 . . . . .	235	140	118	10	13	95	27.6	21.9	22.0	30.3	18.6	44.8
1978 . . . . .	217	129	115	(X)	14	88	26.7	22.3	23.7	(X)	15.2	37.8
1977 . . . . .	243	144	132	(X)	12	99	29.7	25.4	28.4	(X)	11.5	39.4
1976 . . . . .	217	114	106	(X)	9	103	28.0	19.9	22.2	(X)	9.3	51.0
1975 . . . . .	234	131	122	(X)	9	103	31.0	23.6	26.0	(X)	10.5	51.8
1974 . . . . .	188	113	104	(X)	9	75	25.9	21.4	22.9	(X)	12.2	38.1
1970 . . . . .	273	192	186	(X)	6	83	41.2	36.9	39.2	(X)	12.8	58.5
<b>FEMALE</b>												
1984 . . . . .	479	171	90	55	26	308	35.5	21.3	26.9	17.6	16.7	56.6
1983 <sup>F</sup> . . . . .	542	205	117	53	35	335	41.2	26.3	37.1	17.3	22.0	62.6
1982 . . . . .	542	198	94	77	28	344	42.4	26.1	34.9	24.1	16.6	66.3
1981 . . . . .	547	189	75	88	27	358	43.5	27.0	30.9	28.9	17.6	64.3
1980 . . . . .	521	195	94	69	32	326	42.6	26.6	34.4	23.5	19.2	66.5
1979 . . . . .	504	198	95	74	28	305	42.4	27.4	35.1	25.9	17.0	65.6
1978 . . . . .	445	151	63	67	21	294	39.0	22.6	29.4	23.8	12.2	62.0
1977 . . . . .	457	194	82	79	33	263	41.1	28.6	38.3	26.8	19.5	60.7
1976 . . . . .	426	182	85	71	26	245	39.6	27.0	39.0	24.1	16.4	60.8
1975 . . . . .	418	155	75	62	18	263	40.2	24.2	36.9	23.8	10.2	65.8
1974 . . . . .	402	142	65	56	21	260	40.4	23.1	34.6	22.3	12.0	68.2
1970 . . . . .	460	202	66	88	48	259	52.5	37.1	45.2	40.4	26.5	78.2
<b>SPANISH ORIGIN<sup>1</sup></b>												
<b>ALL PERSONS</b>												
1984 . . . . .	176	90	58	21	11	86	21.5	15.0	19.4	14.5	7.0	39.8
1983 <sup>F</sup> . . . . .	173	83	48	19	16	90	22.1	14.4	17.8	15.6	8.7	43.9
1982 . . . . .	159	83	52	21	10	76	26.7	19.0	22.5	21.4	9.3	47.8
1981 . . . . .	146	88	56	20	11	58	25.7	20.3	25.0	19.8	10.2	43.0
1980 . . . . .	179	105	54	28	23	74	30.8	23.3	23.6	25.5	20.5	56.9
1979 . . . . .	154	78	42	27	10	75	26.8	18.3	19.7	25.5	9.3	51.0
1978 . . . . .	125	73	47	19	7	52	23.2	17.4	22.0	20.2	6.3	43.7
1977 . . . . .	113	51	35	10	6	62	21.8	12.9	17.9	11.6	5.3	50.0
1976 . . . . .	128	72	44	18	9	57	27.6	20.7	25.4	23.1	9.3	48.7
1975 . . . . .	137	81	52	24	5	56	32.6	25.9	31.5	32.0	6.8	52.3
<b>MALE</b>												
1984 . . . . .	73	43	41	-	1	30	20.7	15.5	17.8	(B)	(B)	(B)
1983 <sup>F</sup> . . . . .	75	45	39	-	6	30	21.4	16.3	19.6	(B)	(B)	(B)
1982 . . . . .	48	38	37	-	1	11	19.6	18.5	20.8	(B)	(B)	(B)
1981 . . . . .	60	43	39	1	3	17	23.6	20.9	22.4	(B)	(B)	(B)
1980 . . . . .	75	51	40	2	9	24	27.0	22.7	21.1	(B)	(B)	(B)
1979 . . . . .	61	38	36	1	1	23	23.6	18.6	20.5	(B)	(B)	(B)
1978 . . . . .	52	38	37	(X)	1	14	20.8	18.7	20.6	(X)	(B)	(B)
1977 . . . . .	55	31	29	(X)	2	24	23.7	16.5	17.8	(X)	(B)	(B)
1976 . . . . .	57	39	35	(X)	4	18	27.0	23.1	25.0	(X)	(B)	(B)
1975 . . . . .	51	39	39	(X)	15	12	28.2	26.5	29.5	(X)	(B)	(B)
<b>FEMALE</b>												
1984 . . . . .	103	47	17	21	9	55	22.1	14.5	(B)	15.6	7.4	39.0
1983 <sup>F</sup> . . . . .	99	38	19	19	10	60	22.9	12.7	(B)	16.8	8.6	45.5
1982 . . . . .	110	46	16	21	9	65	31.3	19.8	(B)	23.3	10.1	55.1
1981 . . . . .	86	48	17	20	8	42	27.3	19.8	(B)	21.3	9.6	48.3
1980 . . . . .	104	54	14	26	14	50	34.3	24.0	(B)	25.5	16.7	64.1
1979 . . . . .	93	40	6	26	9	52	29.4	17.9	(B)	26.8	10.1	55.9
1978 . . . . .	72	35	10	19	6	38	24.9	16.2	(B)	20.2	6.8	(B)
1977 . . . . .	58	21	7	10	4	38	20.3	10.2	(B)	11.6	4.6	47.5
1976 . . . . .	71	33	10	18	5	39	28.1	18.4	(B)	23.1	(B)	(B)
1975 . . . . .	86	42	13	24	5	44	36.0	25.3	(B)	32.0	(B)	(B)

<sup>1</sup>PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

NOTE: DATA FOR 1979 AND LATER YEARS BASED ON 1980 CENSUS POPULATION CONTROLS.

**Table 4. Selected Characteristics of Families Below the Poverty Level, by Type of Family and Race and Spanish Origin of Householder: 1959, 1970, 1975, 1980, 1983, and 1984**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH OF THE FOLLOWING YEAR. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

CHARACTERISTIC	ALL FAMILIES						WHITE FAMILIES					
	1984	1983 <sup>†</sup>	1980	1975	1970	1959	1984	1983 <sup>†</sup>	1980	1975	1970	1959
<b>NUMBER BELOW POVERTY LEVEL</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	7 277	7 647	6 217	5 450	5 260	8 320	4 925	5 220	4 195	3 838	3 708	6 185
<b>AGE OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER 15 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	919	959	821	850	586	622	607	641	534	577	440	460
HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	3 886	4 070	3 168	2 466	2 052	3 314	2 591	2 771	2 123	1 693	1 370	2 319
HOUSEHOLDER 45 TO 54 YEARS . . . . .	954	943	786	738	731	1 438	642	628	522	531	473	1 026
HOUSEHOLDER 55 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	806	844	605	668	704	1 086	569	602	413	510	507	840
HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	713	831	837	728	1 188	1 860	515	578	603	528	918	1 540
<b>SIZE OF FAMILY</b>												
2 PERSONS . . . . .	2 283	2 484	2 034	1 784	1 970	2 850	1 655	1 786	1 527	1 367	1 584	2 318
3 PERSONS . . . . .	1 716	1 652	1 330	1 074	865	1 223	1 152	1 136	897	801	621	923
4 PERSONS . . . . .	1 516	1 562	1 234	939	736	1 167	1 026	1 083	811	636	497	887
5 PERSONS . . . . .	890	972	765	614	573	1 088	595	662	490	442	375	827
6 PERSONS . . . . .	458	494	414	451	397	705	277	321	248	271	232	471
7 PERSONS OR MORE . . . . .	414	482	439	589	720	1 257	220	232	222	321	400	759
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY . . . . .	3.64	3.65	3.64	3.81	3.87	4.15	3.51	3.53	3.48	3.59	3.59	3.95
<b>NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS</b>												
NO CHILDREN . . . . .	1 616	1 776	1 395	1 278	1 769	2 877	1 246	1 360	1 118	1 061	1 489	2 373
1 CHILD . . . . .	1 763	1 799	1 481	1 197	851	1 223	1 199	1 215	988	831	586	893
2 CHILDREN . . . . .	1 876	1 938	1 357	1 066	811	1 236	1 276	1 347	1 059	781	548	944
3 CHILDREN . . . . .	1 157	1 210	924	835	676	1 112	719	780	565	551	436	773
4 CHILDREN . . . . .	514	537	491	474	445	742	311	331	286	312	271	517
5 CHILDREN OR MORE . . . . .	351	388	369	599	711	1 131	174	185	180	302	380	685
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN PER FAMILY WITH CHILDREN . . . . .	2.28	2.29	2.31	2.61	2.93	3.16	2.19	2.21	2.22	2.43	2.77	2.99
<b>NUMBER OF WORKERS<sup>2</sup></b>												
NO WORKERS . . . . .	2 934	3 079	2 451	2 174	1 855	1 981	1 823	1 867	1 507	1 456	1 351	1 574
1 WORKER . . . . .	2 822	2 954	2 408	2 069	2 295	4 030	1 911	2 102	1 670	1 472	1 638	3 139
2 WORKERS . . . . .	1 192	1 283	1 032	883	816	1 659	949	1 000	789	673	552	1 106
3 WORKERS OR MORE . . . . .	310	298	269	295	295	650	230	228	181	209	167	366
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>3</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER EMPLOYED . . . . .	2 853	3 102	2 442	2 154	2 270	4 536	2 146	2 379	1 837	1 628	1 637	3 359
HOUSEHOLDER UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	879	1 005	666	505	272	559	567	654	413	361	185	376
HOUSEHOLDER NOT IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	3 526	3 507	3 109	2 791	2 720	3 225	2 202	2 163	1 945	1 849	1 886	2 450
<b>WORK EXPERIENCE OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>4</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED . . . . .	3 574	3 768	3 073	2 745	2 889	5 620	2 615	2 852	2 277	2 051	2 028	4 071
WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	1 577	1 597	1 217	1 070	1 311	3 042	1 171	1 252	922	826	963	2 261
FULL TIME . . . . .	1 242	1 289	1 007	866	1 073	2 617	958	1 040	804	693	807	1 953
WORKED 1 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	1 997	2 172	1 857	1 675	1 578	2 578	1 445	1 600	1 355	1 225	1 065	1 810
WORKED 27 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	719	737	719	591	(NA)	(NA)	536	576	520	454	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	1 277	1 435	1 137	1 084	(NA)	(NA)	908	1 022	835	770	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK . . . . .	3 684	3 847	3 086	2 675	2 316	2 538	2 299	2 345	1 870	1 760	1 636	1 962
HOUSEHOLDER IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	19	32	57	30	56	162	10	23	48	28	44	152
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>5</sup></b>												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS OLD & OVER . . . . .	6 359	6 688	5 396	4 600	(NA)	(NA)	4 317	4 579	3 661	3 261	(NA)	(NA)
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED . . . . .	95	105	142	153	(NA)	(NA)	64	65	88	101	(NA)	(NA)
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS . . . . .	1 044	1 166	1 120	1 141	(NA)	(NA)	710	739	775	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
8 YEARS . . . . .	620	650	565	629	(NA)	(NA)	457	455	417	488	(NA)	(NA)
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS . . . . .	1 469	1 547	1 267	1 118	(NA)	(NA)	875	960	747	708	(NA)	(NA)
4 YEARS . . . . .	2 056	2 228	1 593	1 090	(NA)	(NA)	1 442	1 566	1 144	787	(NA)	(NA)
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE . . . . .	1 075	992	708	470	(NA)	(NA)	770	743	526	401	(NA)	(NA)
PERCENT HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE . . . . .	49.2	48.1	42.6	33.9	(NA)	(NA)	51.2	50.4	45.6	36.4	(NA)	(NA)

SEE FOOTNOTE(S) AT END OF TABLE.

**Table 4. Selected Characteristics of Families Below the Poverty Level, by Type of Family and Race and Spanish Origin of Householder: 1959, 1970, 1975, 1980, 1983, and 1984 - Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS, FAMILIES AS OF MARCH OF THE FOLLOWING YEAR. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

CHARACTERISTIC	ALL FAMILIES						WHITE FAMILIES					
	1984	1983	1980	1975	1970	1959	1984	1983	1980	1975	1970	1959
<b>PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	11.6	12.3	10.3	9.7	10.1	18.5	9.1	9.7	8.0	7.7	8.0	15.2
<b>AGE OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER 15 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	29.4	29.6	21.8	21.0	15.5	26.9	23.6	23.5	16.9	16.9	13.1	22.5
HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	13.2	14.2	11.8	10.3	9.5	16.5	10.3	11.3	9.2	8.1	7.2	12.8
HOUSEHOLDER 45 TO 54 YEARS . . . . .	9.0	8.9	7.3	6.6	6.6	15.0	7.0	6.8	5.5	5.3	4.8	11.8
HOUSEHOLDER 55 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	8.2	8.6	6.3	7.5	8.2	15.9	6.5	6.9	4.8	6.3	6.5	13.4
HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	7.3	8.6	9.1	8.9	16.5	30.0	5.8	6.7	7.3	7.1	14.1	26.8
<b>SIZE OF FAMILY</b>												
2 PERSONS . . . . .	9.0	10.0	8.6	8.4	10.7	19.6	7.3	8.1	7.1	7.1	9.5	17.5
3 PERSONS . . . . .	11.6	11.4	9.5	8.8	8.0	12.8	9.0	9.1	7.3	7.4	6.4	10.3
4 PERSONS . . . . .	11.4	11.8	9.9	8.3	7.4	12.7	8.9	9.4	7.5	6.3	5.5	10.4
5 PERSONS . . . . .	15.1	16.4	12.7	9.9	8.8	18.3	12.2	13.4	9.6	8.1	6.4	15.2
6 PERSONS . . . . .	21.1	21.6	16.8	15.2	11.7	24.2	16.3	17.9	12.6	10.9	8.0	18.4
7 PERSONS OR MORE . . . . .	33.8	36.1	27.9	25.6	22.9	45.6	26.5	25.7	21.1	19.3	16.6	36.8
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY . . . . .	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS</b>												
NO CHILDREN . . . . .	5.4	6.1	5.1	5.1	8.0	15.9	4.6	5.1	4.4	4.6	7.3	14.2
1 CHILD . . . . .	12.7	13.3	11.1	10.4	8.5	13.8	10.3	10.6	8.7	8.3	6.6	11.0
2 CHILDREN . . . . .	15.4	15.8	13.0	10.1	8.7	14.7	12.4	12.9	10.3	8.3	6.6	12.2
3 CHILDREN . . . . .	24.1	25.5	19.0	15.5	12.1	21.5	18.6	20.6	14.3	11.8	8.9	16.5
4 CHILDREN . . . . .	34.5	33.8	28.6	21.0	15.8	31.1	27.3	27.6	22.4	16.8	11.5	24.9
5 CHILDREN OR MORE . . . . .	52.7	55.8	43.5	37.8	29.9	53.0	40.8	41.5	32.3	27.9	21.6	44.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN PER FAMILY WITH CHILDREN . . . . .	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>NUMBER OF WORKERS<sup>2</sup></b>												
NO WORKERS . . . . .	31.8	33.3	30.4	31.1	39.4	59.2	23.7	24.5	22.4	24.6	33.3	54.3
1 WORKER . . . . .	15.9	16.2	13.2	10.9	11.9	18.7	12.7	13.5	10.6	8.8	9.4	15.8
2 WORKERS . . . . .	4.5	5.0	4.2	4.1	4.0	10.6	4.1	4.4	3.6	3.5	3.0	7.8
3 WORKERS OR MORE . . . . .	3.5	3.6	3.2	3.7	3.9	14.2	3.0	3.1	2.4	2.9	2.5	9.2
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER EMPLOYED . . . . .	6.5	7.2	5.6	5.2	5.7	12.8	5.5	6.2	4.8	4.4	4.5	10.3
HOUSEHOLDER UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	34.7	36.3	27.2	21.2	16.7	33.7	29.2	30.5	21.6	18.4	13.4	28.1
HOUSEHOLDER NOT IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	22.7	23.0	21.5	21.8	26.7	40.8	17.0	16.9	16.0	17.1	21.2	35.2
<b>WORK EXPERIENCE OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED . . . . .	7.5	8.0	6.5	6.1	6.6	14.6	6.2	6.8	5.4	5.1	5.2	11.6
WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	4.2	4.4	3.3	3.1	3.9	10.6	3.5	3.9	2.8	2.7	3.1	8.5
FULL TIME . . . . .	3.5	3.8	2.9	2.6	3.3	9.4	3.0	3.4	2.6	2.3	2.7	7.6
WORKED 1 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	19.8	19.9	17.4	15.7	16.5	26.9	16.8	16.9	14.8	13.3	12.9	22.0
WORKED 27 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	11.9	11.8	10.7	8.9	(NA)	(NA)	10.2	10.4	8.9	7.8	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	31.5	30.7	28.9	26.8	(NA)	(NA)	27.0	26.1	25.1	23.0	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK . . . . .	25.9	27.1	24.9	25.2	30.7	45.2	19.6	20.1	18.3	19.8	25.4	40.4
HOUSEHOLDER IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	2.7	4.6	9.5	3.9	5.6	15.5	1.8	4.0	9.5	4.1	4.9	15.3
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS OLD & OVER . . . . .	10.7	11.4	9.5	8.8	(NA)	(NA)	8.3	8.9	7.4	7.0	(NA)	(NA)
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED . . . . .	35.4	38.3	36.8	39.6	(NA)	(NA)	34.2	33.2	34.0	37.3	(NA)	(NA)
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS . . . . .	25.4	26.8	23.9	21.1	(NA)	(NA)	22.2	23.5	20.6	18.5	(NA)	(NA)
8 YEARS . . . . .	16.3	16.7	13.1	12.6	(NA)	(NA)	13.6	13.3	10.8	10.9	(NA)	(NA)
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS . . . . .	19.6	20.6	16.2	14.0	(NA)	(NA)	14.5	15.7	11.7	10.5	(NA)	(NA)
4 YEARS . . . . .	9.5	10.5	8.0	6.2	(NA)	(NA)	7.5	8.3	6.4	4.9	(NA)	(NA)
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE . . . . .	4.8	4.6	3.7	3.0	(NA)	(NA)	3.9	3.9	3.0	2.7	(NA)	(NA)
PERCENT HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE . . . . .	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS, FAMILIES AS OF MARCH OF THE FOLLOWING YEAR. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

CHARACTERISTIC	ALL FAMILIES						WHITE FAMILIES					
	1984	1983 <sup>F</sup>	1980	1975	1970	1959	1984	1983 <sup>F</sup>	1980	1975	1970	1959
<b>PERCENT DISTRIBUTION</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
<b>AGE OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER 15 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	12.6	12.5	13.2	15.6	11.1	7.5	12.3	12.3	12.7	15.0	11.9	7.4
HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	53.4	53.2	51.0	45.2	39.0	39.8	52.6	53.1	50.6	44.1	36.9	37.5
HOUSEHOLDER 45 TO 54 YEARS . . . . .	13.1	12.3	12.6	13.5	13.9	17.3	13.0	12.0	12.4	13.8	12.8	16.6
HOUSEHOLDER 55 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	11.1	11.0	9.7	12.3	13.4	13.1	11.6	11.5	9.8	13.3	13.7	13.6
HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	9.8	10.9	13.5	13.4	22.6	22.4	10.5	11.1	14.4	13.6	24.8	24.9
<b>SIZE OF FAMILY</b>												
2 PERSONS . . . . .	31.4	32.5	32.7	32.7	37.5	34.3	33.6	34.2	36.4	35.6	42.7	37.5
3 PERSONS . . . . .	23.6	21.6	21.4	19.7	16.4	15.1	23.4	21.8	21.4	20.9	16.7	14.9
4 PERSONS . . . . .	20.8	20.4	19.8	17.2	14.0	14.0	20.8	20.7	19.3	16.6	13.4	14.3
5 PERSONS . . . . .	12.2	12.7	12.3	11.3	10.9	13.1	12.1	12.7	11.7	11.5	10.1	13.4
6 PERSONS . . . . .	6.3	6.5	6.7	8.3	7.5	8.5	5.6	6.1	5.9	7.1	6.3	7.6
7 PERSONS OR MORE . . . . .	5.7	6.3	7.1	10.8	13.7	15.1	4.5	4.4	5.3	8.4	10.8	12.3
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY . . . . .	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS</b>												
NO CHILDREN . . . . .	22.2	23.2	22.4	23.4	33.6	34.6	25.3	26.1	26.7	27.6	40.2	38.4
1 CHILD . . . . .	24.2	23.5	23.8	22.0	16.2	14.7	24.3	23.3	23.6	21.7	14.8	14.4
2 CHILDREN . . . . .	25.8	25.3	25.0	19.6	15.4	14.9	25.9	25.8	25.2	20.3	14.8	15.3
3 CHILDREN . . . . .	15.9	15.8	14.9	15.3	12.9	13.4	14.6	14.9	13.5	14.4	11.8	12.5
4 CHILDREN . . . . .	7.1	7.0	7.9	8.7	8.5	8.9	6.3	6.3	6.8	8.1	7.3	8.4
5 CHILDREN OR MORE . . . . .	4.8	5.1	5.9	11.0	13.5	13.6	3.5	3.5	4.3	7.9	10.2	11.1
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN PER FAMILY WITH CHILDREN . . . . .	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>NUMBER OF WORKERS<sup>2</sup></b>												
NO WORKERS . . . . .	40.3	40.3	39.4	39.9	35.3	23.8	37.0	35.8	35.9	37.9	36.4	25.4
1 WORKER . . . . .	38.8	38.6	38.7	38.0	43.6	48.4	38.8	40.3	39.8	38.4	44.2	50.8
2 WORKERS . . . . .	16.4	16.8	16.6	16.2	15.5	19.9	19.3	19.2	18.8	17.5	14.9	17.9
3 WORKERS OR MORE . . . . .	4.3	3.9	4.3	5.4	5.6	7.8	4.7	4.4	4.3	5.4	4.5	5.9
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER EMPLOYED . . . . .	39.2	40.6	39.3	39.5	43.2	54.5	43.6	45.6	43.8	42.4	44.1	54.3
HOUSEHOLDER UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	12.1	13.1	10.7	9.3	5.2	6.7	11.5	12.5	9.8	9.4	5.0	6.1
HOUSEHOLDER NOT IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	48.5	45.9	50.0	51.2	51.7	38.8	44.7	41.4	46.4	48.2	50.9	39.6
<b>WORK EXPERIENCE OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED . . . . .	49.1	49.3	49.4	50.4	54.9	67.5	53.1	54.6	54.3	53.4	54.7	65.8
WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	21.7	20.9	19.6	19.6	24.9	36.6	23.8	24.0	22.0	21.5	26.0	36.6
FULL TIME . . . . .	17.1	16.9	16.2	15.9	20.4	31.5	19.5	19.9	19.2	18.1	21.8	31.6
WORKED 1 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	27.4	28.4	29.9	30.7	30.0	31.0	29.3	30.7	32.3	31.9	28.7	29.3
WORKED 27 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	9.9	9.6	11.6	10.8	(NA)	(NA)	10.9	11.0	12.4	11.8	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	17.5	18.8	18.3	19.9	(NA)	(NA)	18.4	19.6	19.9	20.1	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK . . . . .	50.6	50.3	49.6	49.1	44.0	30.5	46.7	44.9	44.6	45.9	44.1	31.7
HOUSEHOLDER IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	0.3	0.4	0.9	0.6	1.1	1.9	0.2	0.4	1.1	0.7	1.2	2.5
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS OLD & OVER . . . . .	87.4	87.5	86.8	84.4	(NA)	(NA)	87.7	87.7	87.3	85.0	(NA)	(NA)
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED . . . . .	1.3	1.4	2.3	2.8	(NA)	(NA)	1.3	1.2	2.1	2.6	(NA)	(NA)
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS . . . . .	14.3	15.2	18.0	20.9	(NA)	(NA)	14.4	15.1	17.6	20.2	(NA)	(NA)
8 YEARS . . . . .	8.5	8.5	9.1	11.5	(NA)	(NA)	9.3	8.7	9.9	12.7	(NA)	(NA)
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS . . . . .	20.2	20.2	20.4	20.5	(NA)	(NA)	17.8	18.4	17.8	18.4	(NA)	(NA)
4 YEARS . . . . .	28.3	29.1	25.6	20.0	(NA)	(NA)	29.3	30.0	27.3	20.5	(NA)	(NA)
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE . . . . .	14.8	13.0	11.4	8.6	(NA)	(NA)	15.6	14.2	12.5	10.4	(NA)	(NA)
PERCENT HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE . . . . .	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH OF THE FOLLOWING YEAR. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

CHARACTERISTIC	BLACK FAMILIES						SPANISH ORIGIN FAMILIES					
	1984	1983 <sup>†</sup>	1980	1975	1970	1959	1984	1983 <sup>†</sup>	1980	1975	1970	1959
<b>NUMBER BELOW POVERTY LEVEL</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	2 094	2 161	1 826	1 513	1 481	(NA)	991	981	751	627	(NA)	(NA)
<b>AGE OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER 15 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	291	284	260	264	145	(NA)	138	151	103	105	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	1 145	1 157	941	721	649	(NA)	599	583	433	321	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER 45 TO 54 YEARS . . . . .	267	272	234	185	247	(NA)	122	124	103	100	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER 55 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	204	217	170	145	189	(NA)	74	75	59	49	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	188	232	221	197	253	(NA)	58	48	54	52	(NA)	(NA)
<b>SIZE OF FAMILY</b>												
2 PERSONS . . . . .	582	640	467	393	376	(NA)	182	200	168	136	(NA)	(NA)
3 PERSONS . . . . .	520	476	400	257	226	(NA)	225	227	168	125	(NA)	(NA)
4 PERSONS . . . . .	426	420	372	290	224	(NA)	222	219	139	107	(NA)	(NA)
5 PERSONS . . . . .	249	271	252	154	186	(NA)	170	145	109	92	(NA)	(NA)
6 PERSONS . . . . .	151	147	151	169	160	(NA)	82	93	72	57	(NA)	(NA)
7 PERSONS OR MORE . . . . .	165	208	184	250	310	(NA)	111	98	95	110	(NA)	(NA)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY . . . . .	3.86	3.87	3.94	4.32	4.51	(NA)	4.22	4.20	4.19	4.39	(NA)	(NA)
<b>NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS</b>												
NO CHILDREN . . . . .	336	372	243	199	269	(NA)	119	114	96	77	(NA)	(NA)
1 CHILD . . . . .	512	531	445	343	248	(NA)	194	230	180	129	(NA)	(NA)
2 CHILDREN . . . . .	527	533	454	277	246	(NA)	273	254	190	142	(NA)	(NA)
3 CHILDREN . . . . .	383	382	325	264	229	(NA)	194	196	115	104	(NA)	(NA)
4 CHILDREN . . . . .	176	168	190	149	168	(NA)	114	103	92	68	(NA)	(NA)
5 CHILDREN OR MORE . . . . .	160	174	170	282	323	(NA)	95	83	79	108	(NA)	(NA)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN PER FAMILY WITH CHILDREN . . . . .	2.45	2.38	2.47	2.96	3.24	(NA)	2.66	2.61	2.62	2.94	(NA)	(NA)
<b>NUMBER OF WORKERS<sup>2</sup></b>												
NO WORKERS . . . . .	1 005	1 086	865	688	484	(NA)	445	396	308	261	(NA)	(NA)
1 WORKER . . . . .	821	769	664	567	628	(NA)	367	391	301	249	(NA)	(NA)
2 WORKERS . . . . .	199	241	212	180	247	(NA)	143	158	110	85	(NA)	(NA)
3 WORKERS OR MORE . . . . .	60	59	76	77	123	(NA)	35	35	26	26	(NA)	(NA)
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER EMPLOYED . . . . .	615	632	524	474	604	(NA)	361	402	285	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	277	320	245	135	86	(NA)	121	118	68	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER NOT IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	1 193	1 203	1 058	904	793	(NA)	506	460	398	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>WORK EXPERIENCE OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED . . . . .	839	804	701	634	823	(NA)	453	487	362	305	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	360	291	261	225	323	(NA)	173	197	135	137	(NA)	(NA)
FULL TIME . . . . .	250	201	177	155	244	(NA)	147	171	119	119	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	479	513	440	409	500	(NA)	280	375	226	169	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 27 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	147	149	182	121	(NA)	(NA)	122	164	91	74	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	332	364	259	288	(NA)	(NA)	158	210	136	95	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK . . . . .	1 247	1 351	1 117	877	654	(NA)	536	492	384	317	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	8	6	9	2	6	(NA)	2	2	5	5	(NA)	(NA)
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS OLD & OVER . . . . .	1 803	1 877	1 566	1 249	(NA)	(NA)	853	830	648	522	(NA)	(NA)
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED . . . . .	16	23	27	46	(NA)	(NA)	42	44	50	65	(NA)	(NA)
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS . . . . .	300	344	345	352	(NA)	(NA)	323	322	262	230	(NA)	(NA)
8 YEARS . . . . .	152	179	141	133	(NA)	(NA)	100	80	72	52	(NA)	(NA)
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS . . . . .	542	538	489	393	(NA)	(NA)	168	163	120	92	(NA)	(NA)
4 YEARS . . . . .	544	600	417	276	(NA)	(NA)	147	162	99	63	(NA)	(NA)
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE . . . . .	249	194	147	49	(NA)	(NA)	73	61	46	19	(NA)	(NA)
PERCENT HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE . . . . .	44.0	42.3	36.0	26.0	(NA)	(NA)	25.8	26.9	22.4	15.7	(NA)	(NA)

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CHARACTERISTIC	BLACK FAMILIES						SPANISH ORIGIN FAMILIES					
	1984	1983 <sup>F</sup>	1980	1975	1970	1959	1984	1983 <sup>F</sup>	1980	1975	1970	1959
<b>PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	30.9	32.3	28.9	27.1	29.5	(NA)	25.2	25.9	23.2	25.1	(NA)	(NA)
<b>AGE OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER 15 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	60.8	66.7	48.0	45.7	36.3	(NA)	40.5	46.6	30.6	37.6	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	13.0	34.1	30.3	27.6	28.5	(NA)	27.4	28.0	24.4	24.1	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER 45 TO 54 YEARS . . . . .	24.0	24.9	21.5	18.7	24.6	(NA)	18.7	18.5	19.1	21.1	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER 55 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	22.9	23.7	21.4	19.6	26.1	(NA)	16.1	17.0	16.8	19.5	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	22.7	27.2	28.3	29.3	40.8	(NA)	19.4	17.8	23.6	31.5	(NA)	(NA)
<b>SIZE OF FAMILY</b>												
2 PERSONS . . . . .	25.7	28.7	23.8	22.6	24.8	(NA)	18.9	21.4	21.4	23.2	(NA)	(NA)
3 PERSONS . . . . .	30.1	29.9	26.4	20.9	23.3	(NA)	23.7	25.9	22.1	22.6	(NA)	(NA)
4 PERSONS . . . . .	31.4	31.0	29.3	27.8	27.8	(NA)	23.7	24.1	19.1	19.2	(NA)	(NA)
5 PERSONS . . . . .	32.7	35.0	33.6	26.7	31.2	(NA)	30.8	26.3	23.4	26.4	(NA)	(NA)
6 PERSONS . . . . .	41.3	37.8	36.3	39.8	36.5	(NA)	29.7	33.8	28.2	27.5	(NA)	(NA)
7 PERSONS OR MORE . . . . .	65.0	59.9	45.8	43.8	44.5	(NA)	41.7	40.2	38.6	44.4	(NA)	(NA)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY . . . . .	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS</b>												
NO CHILDREN . . . . .	14.8	16.9	13.1	11.7	17.3	(NA)	10.3	10.4	11.6	12.6	(NA)	(NA)
1 CHILD . . . . .	28.5	31.3	26.2	25.2	23.8	(NA)	20.2	25.7	21.2	20.7	(NA)	(NA)
2 CHILDREN . . . . .	35.5	35.7	32.8	26.4	29.7	(NA)	30.1	27.6	24.1	25.3	(NA)	(NA)
3 CHILDREN . . . . .	42.4	49.9	43.0	41.1	38.5	(NA)	37.0	37.2	27.2	30.4	(NA)	(NA)
4 CHILDREN . . . . .	61.3	53.7	49.4	42.2	40.7	(NA)	47.9	48.1	44.0	37.4	(NA)	(NA)
5 CHILDREN OR MORE . . . . .	75.1	80.6	70.0	59.7	54.5	(NA)	59.7	59.7	56.8	59.0	(NA)	(NA)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN PER FAMILY WITH CHILDREN . . . . .	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>NUMBER OF WORKERS<sup>2</sup></b>												
NO WORKERS . . . . .	73.0	75.4	72.8	68.9	79.3	(NA)	74.2	70.3	73.0	73.9	(NA)	(NA)
1 WORKER . . . . .	35.5	33.4	29.9	29.1	37.1	(NA)	28.6	29.9	26.8	26.5	(NA)	(NA)
2 WORKERS . . . . .	8.9	11.0	9.9	9.5	12.3	(NA)	9.6	11.5	9.1	9.8	(NA)	(NA)
3 WORKERS OR MORE . . . . .	8.0	8.8	11.1	11.4	17.3	(NA)	6.5	7.1	5.9	8.5	(NA)	(NA)
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>3</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER EMPLOYED . . . . .	15.6	16.1	13.7	13.9	17.7	(NA)	13.5	15.7	12.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	54.9	57.7	51.5	35.7	38.9	(NA)	45.8	42.3	35.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER NOT IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	53.3	57.0	52.4	50.6	56.8	(NA)	52.4	51.1	50.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>WORK EXPERIENCE OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>4</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED . . . . .	18.6	18.5	16.3	16.1	21.0	(NA)	15.3	17.1	14.3	15.7	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	11.1	9.3	8.6	8.4	12.0	(NA)	8.1	9.8	7.5	10.0	(NA)	(NA)
FULL TIME . . . . .	8.4	7.0	6.3	6.2	9.7	(NA)	7.2	9.0	6.9	9.0	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	37.8	42.6	34.8	32.1	40.5	(NA)	33.9	45.0	31.3	29.9	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 27 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	21.9	26.4	24.3	18.3	(NA)	(NA)	25.1	35.4	20.4	21.9	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	55.8	57.0	50.3	46.9	(NA)	(NA)	46.7	56.8	49.5	41.7	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK . . . . .	57.3	60.0	57.5	55.9	63.6	(NA)	56.7	55.3	57.1	60.5	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	8.1	6.9	12.3	(B)	7.1	(NA)	7.7	3.9	13.2	(B)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>5</sup></b>												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS OLD & OVER . . . . .	28.6	30.0	27.1	24.9	(NA)	(NA)	23.7	24.0	22.4	23.5	(NA)	(NA)
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED . . . . .	14.8	43.4	36.0	47.9	(NA)	(NA)	37.8	36.4	41.7	48.9	(NA)	(NA)
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS . . . . .	36.4	39.1	35.8	31.0	(NA)	(NA)	34.2	34.0	32.5	33.5	(NA)	(NA)
8 YEARS . . . . .	39.0	42.3	36.5	28.5	(NA)	(NA)	30.8	25.6	27.6	24.8	(NA)	(NA)
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS . . . . .	40.8	42.2	38.0	34.7	(NA)	(NA)	29.7	30.9	27.3	25.3	(NA)	(NA)
4 YEARS . . . . .	25.5	28.1	22.7	19.4	(NA)	(NA)	15.8	18.3	14.1	12.6	(NA)	(NA)
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE . . . . .	15.8	13.0	12.0	6.5	(NA)	(NA)	10.1	9.1	8.1	5.7	(NA)	(NA)
PERCENT HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE . . . . .	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

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**Table 4. Selected Characteristics of Families Below the Poverty Level, by Type of Family and Race and Spanish Origin of Householder: 1959, 1970, 1975, 1980, 1983, and 1984—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS, FAMILIES AS OF MARCH OF THE FOLLOWING YEAR. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

CHARACTERISTIC	BLACK FAMILIES						SPANISH ORIGIN FAMILIES					
	1984	1983 <sup>F</sup>	1980	1975	1970	1959	1984	1983 <sup>F</sup>	1980	1975	1970	1959
<b>PERCENT DISTRIBUTION</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(NA)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(NA)	(NA)
<b>AGE OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER 15 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	13.9	13.1	14.2	17.4	9.8	(NA)	13.9	15.4	13.7	16.7	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	54.7	53.5	51.5	47.7	43.8	(NA)	60.4	59.4	57.7	51.2	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER 45 TO 54 YEARS . . . . .	12.8	12.6	12.8	12.2	16.7	(NA)	12.3	12.6	13.7	15.9	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER 55 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	9.7	10.0	9.3	9.6	12.8	(NA)	7.5	7.6	7.9	7.8	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	9.0	10.7	12.1	13.0	17.1	(NA)	5.9	4.9	7.2	8.3	(NA)	(NA)
<b>SIZE OF FAMILY</b>												
2 PERSONS . . . . .	27.8	29.6	25.6	26.0	25.4	(NA)	18.4	20.4	22.4	21.7	(NA)	(NA)
3 PERSONS . . . . .	24.8	21.9	21.9	17.0	15.3	(NA)	22.7	23.1	22.4	19.9	(NA)	(NA)
4 PERSONS . . . . .	20.3	19.4	20.4	19.2	15.1	(NA)	22.4	22.3	18.5	17.1	(NA)	(NA)
5 PERSONS . . . . .	11.9	12.5	13.8	10.2	12.6	(NA)	17.2	14.8	14.5	14.7	(NA)	(NA)
6 PERSONS . . . . .	7.2	6.8	8.3	11.2	10.8	(NA)	8.3	9.5	9.6	9.1	(NA)	(NA)
7 PERSONS OR MORE . . . . .	7.9	9.6	10.1	16.5	20.9	(NA)	11.2	10.0	12.6	17.5	(NA)	(NA)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY . . . . .	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS</b>												
NO CHILDREN . . . . .	16.0	17.2	13.3	13.2	18.2	(NA)	12.0	11.6	12.8	12.3	(NA)	(NA)
1 CHILD . . . . .	24.5	24.6	24.4	22.7	16.7	(NA)	19.6	23.4	24.0	20.6	(NA)	(NA)
2 CHILDREN . . . . .	25.2	24.7	24.9	18.3	16.6	(NA)	27.5	25.9	25.3	22.6	(NA)	(NA)
3 CHILDREN . . . . .	18.3	17.7	17.8	17.4	15.5	(NA)	19.6	20.0	15.3	16.6	(NA)	(NA)
4 CHILDREN . . . . .	8.4	7.8	10.4	9.8	11.3	(NA)	11.5	10.5	12.3	10.8	(NA)	(NA)
5 CHILDREN OR MORE . . . . .	7.6	8.1	9.3	18.6	21.8	(NA)	9.6	8.5	10.5	17.2	(NA)	(NA)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN PER FAMILY WITH CHILDREN . . . . .	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>NUMBER OF WORKERS<sup>2</sup></b>												
NO WORKERS . . . . .	48.0	50.3	47.4	45.5	32.7	(NA)	44.9	40.4	41.0	41.6	(NA)	(NA)
1 WORKER . . . . .	39.2	35.6	37.4	37.5	42.4	(NA)	37.0	39.9	40.1	39.7	(NA)	(NA)
2 WORKERS . . . . .	9.5	11.2	11.6	11.9	16.7	(NA)	14.4	16.1	14.6	13.6	(NA)	(NA)
3 WORKERS OR MORE . . . . .	2.9	2.7	4.2	5.1	8.3	(NA)	3.5	3.6	3.5	4.1	(NA)	(NA)
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>3</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER EMPLOYED . . . . .	29.4	29.2	28.7	31.3	40.8	(NA)	36.4	41.0	37.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	13.2	14.8	13.4	8.9	5.8	(NA)	12.2	12.0	9.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER NOT IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	57.0	55.7	57.9	59.7	53.5	(NA)	51.1	46.9	53.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>WORK EXPERIENCE OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>4</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED . . . . .	40.1	37.2	38.4	41.9	55.6	(NA)	45.7	49.6	48.2	48.6	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	17.2	13.5	14.3	14.9	21.8	(NA)	17.5	20.1	18.0	21.9	(NA)	(NA)
FULL TIME . . . . .	11.9	9.3	9.7	10.2	16.5	(NA)	14.8	17.4	15.8	19.0	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	22.9	23.7	24.1	27.0	33.8	(NA)	28.3	38.2	30.1	27.0	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 27 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	7.0	6.9	10.0	8.0	(NA)	(NA)	12.3	16.7	12.1	11.8	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	15.9	16.8	14.2	19.0	(NA)	(NA)	15.9	21.4	18.1	15.2	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK . . . . .	59.6	62.5	61.2	58.0	44.2	(NA)	54.1	50.2	51.1	50.6	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.1	0.4	(NA)	0.2	0.2	0.7	0.8	(NA)	(NA)
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>5</sup></b>												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS OLD & OVER . . . . .	86.1	86.9	85.8	82.6	(NA)	(NA)	86.1	84.6	86.3	83.3	(NA)	(NA)
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED . . . . .	0.8	1.1	1.5	3.0	(NA)	(NA)	4.2	4.5	6.7	10.4	(NA)	(NA)
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS . . . . .	14.3	15.9	18.9	23.3	(NA)	(NA)	32.6	32.8	34.9	36.7	(NA)	(NA)
8 YEARS . . . . .	7.3	8.3	7.7	8.8	(NA)	(NA)	10.1	8.2	9.6	8.3	(NA)	(NA)
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS . . . . .	25.9	24.9	26.8	26.0	(NA)	(NA)	17.0	16.6	16.0	14.7	(NA)	(NA)
4 YEARS . . . . .	26.0	27.8	22.8	18.2	(NA)	(NA)	14.8	16.5	13.2	10.0	(NA)	(NA)
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE . . . . .	11.9	9.0	8.1	3.2	(NA)	(NA)	7.4	6.2	6.1	3.0	(NA)	(NA)
PERCENT HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE . . . . .	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS, FAMILIES AS OF MARCH OF THE FOLLOWING YEAR. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

CHARACTERISTIC	FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT						ALL OTHER FAMILIES					
	1984	1983 <sup>1</sup>	1980	1975	1970	1959	1984	1983 <sup>1</sup>	1980	1975	1970	1959
<b>NUMBER BELOW POVERTY LEVEL</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	3 498	3 564	2 972	2 430	1 952	1 916	3 779	4 083	3 245	3 020	3 309	6 404
<b>AGE OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER 15 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	556	559	505	463	284	149	363	400	315	387	301	473
HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	2 091	2 098	1 753	1 373	994	908	1 795	1 972	1 415	1 093	1 058	2 406
HOUSEHOLDER 45 TO 54 YEARS . . . . .	390	401	321	286	300	362	564	542	466	452	431	1 076
HOUSEHOLDER 55 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	250	260	204	164	166	173	556	584	401	504	539	913
HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	209	244	188	143	209	324	504	587	649	585	980	1 536
<b>SIZE OF FAMILY</b>												
2 PERSONS . . . . .	1 165	1 261	977	759	599	717	1 118	1 223	1 057	1 025	1 371	2 133
3 PERSONS . . . . .	1 066	989	831	617	419	382	650	663	499	457	446	871
4 PERSONS . . . . .	686	670	578	461	347	324	830	892	656	478	388	843
5 PERSONS . . . . .	304	340	305	212	223	214	586	632	460	402	350	874
6 PERSONS . . . . .	159	149	145	173	155	124	299	345	269	278	242	581
7 PERSONS OR MORE . . . . .	118	155	135	208	209	155	296	327	304	380	512	1 102
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY . . . . .	3.38	3.39	3.41	3.64	3.85	3.66	3.64	3.88	3.85	3.95	3.88	4.30
<b>NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS</b>												
NO CHILDREN . . . . .	374	442	268	178	272	391	1 242	1 334	1 127	1 100	1 496	2 486
1 CHILD . . . . .	1 077	1 061	910	705	433	474	686	738	571	493	418	748
2 CHILDREN . . . . .	1 043	1 040	906	610	426	372	833	898	650	457	385	864
3 CHILDREN . . . . .	595	605	477	437	339	286	562	605	447	398	336	826
4 CHILDREN . . . . .	256	251	251	200	190	181	258	286	240	273	254	560
5 CHILDREN OR MORE . . . . .	154	165	160	300	291	213	197	223	209	300	419	918
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN PER FAMILY WITH CHILDREN . . . . .	2.17	2.16	2.17	2.30	2.79	2.72	2.43	2.43	2.48	2.75	3.06	3.33
<b>NUMBER OF WORKERS<sup>2</sup></b>												
NO WORKERS . . . . .	1 840	1 920	1 509	1 281	882	854	1 094	1 159	942	893	973	1 127
1 WORKER . . . . .	1 361	1 340	1 178	919	811	744	1 461	1 614	1 231	1 150	1 484	3 266
2 WORKERS . . . . .	233	244	215	168	181	229	959	1 039	816	715	635	1 430
3 WORKERS OR MORE . . . . .	63	60	70	62	78	89	247	238	199	232	217	561
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER EMPLOYED . . . . .	955	996	826	629	561	587	1 898	2 106	1 615	1 526	1 709	3 949
HOUSEHOLDER UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	418	467	314	216	108	75	461	538	352	289	163	484
HOUSEHOLDER NOT IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	2 125	2 100	1 832	1 585	1 283	1 254	1 401	1 407	1 277	1 206	1 437	1 971
<b>WORK EXPERIENCE OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED . . . . .	1 313	1 325	1 143	887	847	822	2 261	2 443	1 930	1 857	2 042	4 798
WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	441	390	300	223	236	302	1 136	1 207	917	847	1 075	2 740
FULL TIME . . . . .	255	219	177	135	149	208	987	1 070	831	731	924	2 409
WORKED 1 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	871	935	843	664	611	520	1 126	1 237	1 013	1 010	967	2 058
WORKED 27 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	271	272	287	195	(NA)	(NA)	448	464	432	397	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	600	662	555	471	(NA)	(NA)	677	772	581	614	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK . . . . .	2 185	2 239	1 828	1 543	1 105	1 094	1 499	1 608	1 258	1 133	1 211	1 444
HOUSEHOLDER IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	-	-	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	19	-	57	30	56	162
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS OLD & OVER . . . . .	2 941	3 004	2 466	1 967	(NA)	(NA)	3 418	3 684	2 930	2 633	(NA)	(NA)
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED . . . . .	32	33	42	51	(NA)	(NA)	63	72	100	101	(NA)	(NA)
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS . . . . .	395	417	406	349	(NA)	(NA)	649	749	715	790	(NA)	(NA)
8 YEARS . . . . .	271	276	222	236	(NA)	(NA)	349	374	343	393	(NA)	(NA)
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS . . . . .	827	833	706	621	(NA)	(NA)	642	714	560	497	(NA)	(NA)
4 YEARS . . . . .	972	1 061	807	575	(NA)	(NA)	1 084	1 167	786	516	(NA)	(NA)
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE . . . . .	445	385	284	134	(NA)	(NA)	630	607	425	336	(NA)	(NA)
PERCENT HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE . . . . .	48.2	48.1	44.2	36.0	(NA)	(NA)	50.1	48.2	41.3	32.4	(NA)	(NA)

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CHARACTERISTIC	FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT						ALL OTHER FAMILIES					
	1984	1983 <sup>F</sup>	1980	1975	1970	1959	1984	1983 <sup>F</sup>	1980	1975	1970	1959
<b>PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	34.5	36.0	32.7	32.5	32.5	42.6	7.2	7.8	6.3	6.2	7.2	15.8
<b>AGE OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER 15 TO 24 YEARS. . . . .	70.9	70.1	66.0	62.7	60.4	89.8	15.5	16.4	10.5	11.7	9.1	22.0
HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 44 YEARS. . . . .	40.6	42.5	39.2	40.8	42.5	57.9	7.4	8.3	6.3	5.3	5.5	13.0
HOUSEHOLDER 45 TO 54 YEARS. . . . .	24.4	25.9	21.0	22.3	23.6	36.3	6.3	6.0	5.0	4.6	4.4	12.5
HOUSEHOLDER 55 TO 64 YEARS. . . . .	22.0	22.0	19.0	16.9	18.7	23.6	6.4	6.7	4.7	6.3	7.0	15.0
HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	14.4	17.0	15.2	12.7	20.1	31.5	6.0	7.1	8.2	8.3	15.9	29.7
<b>SIZE OF FAMILY</b>												
2 PERSONS . . . . .	24.5	26.8	23.6	22.6	22.4	33.8	5.4	6.1	5.4	5.7	8.7	17.2
3 PERSONS . . . . .	36.3	35.0	31.4	30.0	29.7	35.4	5.5	5.7	4.4	4.5	4.8	10.0
4 PERSONS . . . . .	49.6	51.7	47.0	44.6	41.3	53.6	7.0	7.5	5.9	4.7	4.3	9.8
5 PERSONS . . . . .	49.9	56.1	51.6	49.9	45.3	69.0	11.1	11.9	8.5	7.0	5.8	15.5
6 PERSONS . . . . .	60.5	64.2	57.8	57.3	58.5	63.9	15.6	16.7	12.1	10.4	7.7	21.3
7 PERSONS OR MORE . . . . .	62.8	65.7	60.8	67.1	65.3	82.9	28.5	29.8	22.5	19.1	18.1	42.9
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY . . . . .	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS</b>												
NO CHILDREN . . . . .	11.3	13.5	9.6	7.5	12.6	20.1	4.7	5.1	4.6	4.9	7.5	15.4
1 CHILD . . . . .	33.4	34.6	31.2	33.3	30.6	43.9	6.5	7.1	5.5	5.2	4.8	9.6
2 CHILDREN . . . . .	47.4	47.8	44.7	39.8	38.8	56.4	8.4	8.9	6.5	5.1	4.7	11.1
3 CHILDREN . . . . .	66.3	72.1	58.3	55.4	56.4	75.9	14.4	15.5	11.1	8.6	6.8	17.2
4 CHILDREN . . . . .	78.8	73.4	73.8	64.3	55.6	87.9	22.2	22.9	17.4	14.0	10.3	25.7
5 CHILDREN OR MORE . . . . .	85.6	85.1	83.3	80.9	76.0	97.3	40.5	44.5	31.8	24.7	21.0	48.0
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN PER FAMILY WITH CHILDREN . . . . .	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>NUMBER OF WORKERS<sup>2</sup></b>												
NO WORKERS . . . . .	74.3	74.3	72.0	65.5	66.1	80.3	16.2	17.4	15.8	17.8	28.8	49.3
1 WORKER . . . . .	29.6	29.8	27.1	26.5	30.5	37.4	11.1	11.7	8.8	7.4	8.9	16.8
2 WORKERS . . . . .	10.4	11.6	11.2	11.1	12.4	21.2	4.0	4.4	3.6	3.6	3.3	9.8
3 WORKERS OR MORE . . . . .	7.7	8.3	9.6	11.4	14.3	24.7	3.1	3.2	2.6	3.1	3.1	13.3
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>2</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER EMPLOYED. . . . .	17.3	18.6	16.6	16.7	18.8	27.9	4.9	5.5	4.2	4.1	4.6	11.8
HOUSEHOLDER UNEMPLOYED. . . . .	66.3	70.8	58.4	52.7	47.2	55.1	24.2	25.6	18.4	14.7	11.7	31.8
HOUSEHOLDER NOT IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE. . . . .	53.6	54.2	51.4	47.8	46.5	55.7	12.1	12.4	11.8	12.7	18.8	34.8
<b>WORK EXPERIENCE OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>2</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED. . . . .	21.0	22.1	20.2	20.3	23.3	33.3	5.4	5.9	4.6	4.6	5.1	13.4
WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	10.2	9.6	8.1	8.2	10.8	20.8	3.4	3.8	2.8	2.7	3.4	10.0
FULL TIME . . . . .	6.8	6.2	5.5	5.8	7.8	16.6	3.1	3.5	2.6	2.4	3.0	9.1
WORKED 1 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	45.4	48.9	43.1	40.2	41.9	50.9	13.8	13.8	11.6	11.2	11.9	24.0
WORKED 27 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	28.3	31.3	27.8	24.7	(NA)	(NA)	8.8	8.7	7.6	6.8	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	62.4	63.3	60.2	54.8	(NA)	(NA)	21.9	21.2	19.3	19.3	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK. . . . .	56.4	57.3	53.5	49.5	46.8	54.1	14.5	15.6	14.0	15.1	23.4	40.1
HOUSEHOLDER IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(NA)	(NA)	2.7	(B)	9.5	3.9	5.6	15.5
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>2</sup></b>												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS OLD & OVER. . . . .	31.5	33.0	29.7	29.2	(NA)	(NA)	6.8	7.4	6.1	5.8	(NA)	(NA)
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED. . . . .	47.8	44.6	48.8	49.0	(NA)	(NA)	31.3	36.0	33.3	35.8	(NA)	(NA)
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS. . . . .	46.1	46.1	43.0	39.6	(NA)	(NA)	19.9	21.7	19.1	17.5	(NA)	(NA)
8 YEARS. . . . .	39.3	41.8	34.8	33.6	(NA)	(NA)	11.2	11.5	9.4	9.2	(NA)	(NA)
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS . . . . .	50.2	51.7	45.3	44.6	(NA)	(NA)	11.0	12.1	9.0	7.6	(NA)	(NA)
4 YEARS. . . . .	26.6	28.9	25.3	23.7	(NA)	(NA)	6.0	6.6	4.7	3.4	(NA)	(NA)
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE . . . . .	18.3	17.7	15.0	10.9	(NA)	(NA)	3.2	3.2	2.4	2.3	(NA)	(NA)
PERCENT HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE. . . . .	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

SEE FOOTNOTE(S) AT END OF TABLE.

**Table 4. Selected Characteristics of Families Below the Poverty Level, by Type of Family and Race and Spanish Origin of Householder: 1959, 1970, 1975, 1980, 1983, and 1984—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS, FAMILIES AS OF MARCH OF THE FOLLOWING YEAR. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

CHARACTERISTIC	FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT						ALL OTHER FAMILIES					
	1984	1983 <sup>2</sup>	1980	1975	1970	1959	1984	1983 <sup>2</sup>	1980	1975	1970	1959
<b>PERCENT DISTRIBUTION</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
<b>AGE OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER 15 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	15.9	15.7	17.0	19.1	14.5	7.8	9.6	9.8	9.7	12.8	9.1	7.4
HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	59.8	58.9	59.0	56.5	50.9	47.4	47.5	48.3	43.6	36.2	32.0	37.6
HOUSEHOLDER 45 TO 54 YEARS . . . . .	11.1	11.3	10.8	11.8	15.4	18.9	14.9	13.3	14.4	15.0	13.0	16.8
HOUSEHOLDER 55 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	7.1	7.3	6.9	6.7	8.5	9.0	14.7	14.3	12.4	16.7	16.3	14.3
HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	6.0	6.8	6.3	5.9	10.7	16.9	13.3	14.4	20.0	19.4	29.6	24.0
<b>SIZE OF FAMILY</b>												
2 PERSONS . . . . .	33.3	35.4	32.9	31.2	30.7	37.4	29.6	30.0	32.6	33.9	41.4	33.3
3 PERSONS . . . . .	30.5	27.7	28.0	25.4	21.5	19.9	17.2	16.2	15.4	15.1	13.5	13.6
4 PERSONS . . . . .	19.6	18.8	19.4	19.0	17.8	16.9	22.0	21.8	20.2	15.8	11.7	13.2
5 PERSONS . . . . .	8.7	9.5	10.3	8.7	11.4	11.2	15.5	15.5	14.2	13.3	10.6	13.6
6 PERSONS . . . . .	4.5	4.2	4.9	7.1	7.9	6.5	7.9	8.4	8.3	9.2	7.3	9.1
7 PERSONS OR MORE . . . . .	3.4	4.3	4.5	8.6	10.7	8.1	7.8	8.0	9.4	12.6	15.5	17.2
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY . . . . .	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS</b>												
NO CHILDREN . . . . .	10.7	12.4	9.0	7.3	13.9	20.4	32.9	32.7	34.7	36.4	45.2	38.8
1 CHILD . . . . .	30.8	29.8	30.6	29.0	22.2	24.7	18.2	18.1	17.6	16.3	12.6	11.7
2 CHILDREN . . . . .	29.8	29.2	30.5	25.1	21.8	19.4	22.0	22.0	20.0	15.1	11.6	13.5
3 CHILDREN . . . . .	17.0	17.0	16.0	18.0	17.4	14.9	14.9	14.8	13.8	13.2	10.2	12.9
4 CHILDREN . . . . .	7.3	7.0	8.4	8.2	9.7	9.4	6.8	7.0	7.4	9.0	7.7	8.7
5 CHILDREN OR MORE . . . . .	4.4	4.6	5.4	12.3	14.9	11.1	5.2	5.5	6.4	9.9	12.7	14.3
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN PER FAMILY WITH CHILDREN . . . . .	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>NUMBER OF WORKERS<sup>2</sup></b>												
NO WORKERS . . . . .	52.6	53.9	50.8	52.7	45.2	44.6	28.9	28.4	29.0	29.6	29.4	17.6
1 WORKER . . . . .	38.9	37.6	39.6	37.8	41.5	38.8	38.7	39.5	37.9	38.1	44.8	51.3
2 WORKERS . . . . .	6.7	6.8	7.2	6.9	9.3	12.0	25.4	25.4	25.1	23.7	19.2	22.3
3 WORKERS OR MORE . . . . .	1.8	1.7	2.4	2.6	4.0	4.6	6.5	5.3	6.1	7.7	6.6	8.8
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER EMPLOYED . . . . .	27.3	27.9	27.8	25.9	28.7	30.6	50.2	51.6	49.8	50.5	51.6	61.7
HOUSEHOLDER UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	11.9	13.1	10.6	8.9	5.5	3.9	12.2	13.2	10.8	9.6	4.9	7.6
HOUSEHOLDER NOT IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	60.7	58.9	61.6	65.2	65.7	65.4	37.1	34.5	39.4	39.9	43.4	30.8
<b>WORK EXPERIENCE OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED . . . . .	37.5	37.2	38.5	36.5	43.4	42.9	59.8	59.8	59.5	61.5	61.7	74.9
WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	12.6	10.9	10.1	9.2	12.1	15.8	30.1	29.6	28.3	28.0	32.5	42.8
FULL TIME . . . . .	7.3	6.1	6.0	5.6	7.6	10.9	26.1	26.2	25.6	24.2	27.9	37.6
WORKED 1 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	24.9	26.2	28.4	27.3	31.3	27.1	29.8	30.3	31.2	33.4	29.2	32.1
WORKED 27 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	7.7	7.6	9.7	8.0	(NA)	(NA)	11.9	11.4	13.3	13.1	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 25 WEEKS . . . . .	17.2	18.6	18.7	19.4	(NA)	(NA)	17.9	18.9	17.9	20.3	(NA)	(NA)
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK . . . . .	62.5	62.8	61.5	63.5	56.6	57.1	39.7	39.4	38.8	37.5	36.6	22.5
HOUSEHOLDER IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	-	-	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	0.5	-	1.8	1.0	1.7	2.5
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HOUSEHOLDER<sup>1</sup></b>												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS OLD & OVER . . . . .	84.1	84.3	83.0	80.9	(NA)	(NA)	90.4	90.2	90.3	87.2	(NA)	(NA)
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED . . . . .	0.9	0.9	1.4	2.1	(NA)	(NA)	1.7	1.8	3.1	3.3	(NA)	(NA)
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS . . . . .	11.3	11.7	13.7	14.4	(NA)	(NA)	17.2	18.3	22.0	26.2	(NA)	(NA)
8 YEARS . . . . .	7.7	7.7	7.5	9.7	(NA)	(NA)	9.2	9.2	10.6	13.0	(NA)	(NA)
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS . . . . .	23.6	23.4	23.8	25.6	(NA)	(NA)	17.0	17.5	17.3	16.5	(NA)	(NA)
4 YEARS . . . . .	27.8	29.8	27.2	23.7	(NA)	(NA)	28.7	28.6	24.2	17.1	(NA)	(NA)
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE . . . . .	12.7	10.8	9.6	5.5	(NA)	(NA)	16.7	14.9	13.1	11.1	(NA)	(NA)
PERCENT HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE . . . . .	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

<sup>1</sup>FOR YEARS PRIOR TO 1980, CHARACTERISTICS OF THE FAMILY HEAD ARE SHOWN. SEE APPENDIX A FOR EXPLANATION.

<sup>2</sup>FOR YEARS PRIOR TO 1975, DATA ARE SHOWN FOR NUMBER OF EARNERS. RESTRICTED TO FAMILIES WITH CIVILIAN HOUSEHOLDERS.

NOTE: BEGINNING WITH 1983, 'SECONDARY FAMILIES' ARE EXCLUDED FROM THE COUNT OF FAMILIES. SEE APPENDIX A FOR EXPLANATION. FOR 1983 AND LATER YEARS, DATA BASED ON 1980 CENSUS POPULATION CONTROLS.



**Table 6. Ratio of Income to Poverty Level in 1984 — Persons, by Family Status, Sex of Householder, and Race**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

FAMILY STATUS	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	RATIO OF FAMILY (OR UNRELATED INDIVIDUAL) INCOME TO POVERTY LEVEL								4.00 OR MORE
			UNDER .50	UNDER .75	UNDER 1.25	UNDER 1.50	UNDER 1.75	UNDER 2.00	UNDER 3.00	UNDER 4.00	
<b>ALL RACES</b>											
<b>ALL PERSONS</b>											
TOTAL	233 816	33 700	12 770	22 573	45 268	56 880	68 558	80 988	128 552	165 455	68 361
65 YEARS AND OVER	26 818	3 330	453	1 243	5 684	7 796	9 683	11 423	16 944	20 478	6 340
IN FAMILIES	202 288	26 458	10 053	18 057	35 499	44 850	54 837	65 522	107 462	140 493	61 795
HOUSEHOLDER	62 706	7 277	2 762	4 908	9 901	12 672	15 644	18 733	31 260	41 501	21 205
65 YEARS AND OVER	9 806	713	137	329	1 230	1 829	2 491	3 160	5 466	6 963	2 843
SPOUSE OF HOUSEHOLDER	50 350	3 488	1 063	2 038	5 298	7 245	9 481	11 941	22 243	31 033	19 317
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	61 681	12 929	5 358	9 334	16 380	19 820	23 351	27 185	41 076	50 497	11 184
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	21 082	4 938	2 074	3 595	6 263	7 488	8 771	10 079	14 903	17 858	3 224
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	27 551	2 764	870	1 777	3 920	5 114	6 363	7 663	12 883	17 462	10 089
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.23	3.64	3.64	3.68	3.59	3.54	3.51	3.50	3.44	3.39	2.91
IN UNRELATED SUBFAMILIES	1 260	634	367	505	726	773	851	941	1 102	1 186	74
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	30 268	6 609	2 350	4 011	9 063	11 287	12 870	14 525	19 989	23 776	6 492
65 YEARS AND OVER	8 763	2 123	224	699	3 509	4 529	5 203	5 707	7 045	7 792	972
MALE	13 739	2 575	1 110	1 769	3 406	4 237	4 836	5 514	8 007	9 864	3 875
FEMALE	16 529	4 035	1 240	2 242	5 658	7 020	8 034	9 011	11 981	13 912	2 617
65 YEARS AND OVER	6 832	1 722	173	544	2 847	3 625	4 139	4 541	5 546	6 114	718
<b>PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT</b>											
TOTAL	30 844	11 831	5 509	9 122	13 982	16 142	18 023	19 559	24 820	27 733	3 110
HOUSEHOLDER	10 129	3 498	1 583	2 671	4 208	4 915	5 536	6 062	7 901	8 950	1 179
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 454	209	45	127	330	449	562	633	957	1 132	322
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	12 536	6 772	3 423	5 409	7 675	8 541	9 279	9 885	11 534	12 188	349
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	3 731	2 431	1 335	2 043	2 667	2 875	3 061	3 186	3 515	3 669	62
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	8 178	1 562	504	1 041	2 099	2 685	3 209	3 613	5 384	6 596	1 582
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.05	3.38	3.48	3.41	3.32	3.28	3.26	3.23	3.14	3.10	2.64
<b>PERSONS IN ALL OTHER FAMILIES</b>											
TOTAL	171 444	14 627	4 543	8 935	21 517	28 708	36 814	45 963	82 642	112 760	58 684
HOUSEHOLDER	52 574	3 780	1 180	2 236	5 693	7 757	10 108	12 671	23 359	32 551	20 026
65 YEARS AND OVER	8 352	503	92	202	900	1 360	1 929	2 527	4 508	5 831	2 521
SPOUSE OF HOUSEHOLDER	50 350	3 488	1 063	2 038	5 298	7 245	9 481	11 941	22 243	31 033	19 317
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	49 144	6 157	1 935	3 925	8 705	11 278	14 071	17 301	29 542	38 310	10 835
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	17 351	2 507	739	1 552	3 596	4 613	5 710	6 893	11 388	14 189	3 163
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	19 372	1 202	366	736	1 821	2 428	3 154	4 050	7 498	10 866	8 507
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.26	3.87	3.85	4.00	3.78	3.70	3.64	3.63	3.54	3.46	2.93
<b>WHITE</b>											
<b>ALL PERSONS</b>											
TOTAL	198 941	22 955	8 093	14 704	32 059	41 366	50 882	61 393	102 757	135 953	62 988
65 YEARS AND OVER	24 206	2 579	326	909	4 590	6 413	8 089	9 690	14 821	18 170	6 036
IN FAMILIES	171 839	17 299	6 030	11 253	24 230	31 626	39 669	48 639	85 120	114 838	57 001
HOUSEHOLDER	54 400	4 925	1 736	3 166	6 981	9 213	11 663	14 307	25 334	34 642	19 758
65 YEARS AND OVER	8 859	515	65	228	921	1 420	1 990	2 610	4 749	6 157	2 702
SPOUSE OF HOUSEHOLDER	45 574	2 878	875	1 663	4 435	6 128	8 061	10 262	19 541	27 609	17 965
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	50 350	8 086	2 967	5 535	10 690	13 399	16 198	19 434	31 565	40 027	10 164
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	17 158	3 133	1 162	2 143	4 189	5 180	6 211	7 366	11 570	14 199	2 959
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	21 672	1 411	422	889	2 124	2 887	3 748	4 636	8 681	12 559	9 113
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.16	3.51	3.47	3.55	3.47	3.43	3.40	3.40	3.36	3.31	2.88
IN UNRELATED SUBFAMILIES	1 008	475	246	353	552	592	658	735	866	939	69
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	26 094	5 181	1 817	3 098	7 278	9 148	10 555	12 019	16 771	20 176	5 918
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 886	1 688	164	532	2 921	3 828	4 456	4 935	6 210	6 937	949
MALE	11 529	1 920	827	1 311	2 566	3 247	3 737	4 306	6 398	8 020	3 509
FEMALE	14 565	3 262	996	1 787	4 712	5 901	6 818	7 713	10 373	12 157	2 409
65 YEARS AND OVER	6 238	1 402	133	428	2 414	3 119	3 611	3 998	4 970	5 531	707
<b>PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT</b>											
TOTAL	19 727	5 866	2 531	4 404	7 118	8 406	9 672	10 698	14 647	16 986	2 741
HOUSEHOLDER	6 941	1 878	793	1 393	2 318	2 777	3 222	3 587	5 026	5 885	1 056
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 141	119	23	73	196	271	363	418	694	848	294
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	7 352	3 377	1 554	2 611	3 892	4 414	4 901	5 310	6 532	7 052	300
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	2 028	1 217	626	1 004	1 347	1 466	1 571	1 658	1 869	1 976	53
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	5 434	610	184	399	908	1 215	1 549	1 800	3 089	4 049	1 385
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	2.84	3.12	3.19	3.16	3.07	3.03	3.00	2.98	2.91	2.89	2.60
<b>PERSONS IN ALL OTHER FAMILIES</b>											
TOTAL	152 111	11 434	3 499	6 850	17 111	23 221	29 997	37 941	70 474	97 852	54 260
HOUSEHOLDER	47 459	3 046	943	1 773	4 663	6 436	8 441	10 719	20 307	28 757	18 702
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 718	396	72	155	725	1 149	1 627	2 192	4 055	5 310	2 408
SPOUSE OF HOUSEHOLDER	45 574	2 878	875	1 663	4 435	6 128	8 061	10 262	19 541	27 609	17 965
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	42 839	4 709	1 443	2 924	6 798	8 985	11 297	14 124	25 033	32 975	9 864
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	15 130	1 916	537	1 140	2 842	3 714	4 640	5 708	9 702	12 224	2 906
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	16 239	801	237	490	1 215	1 671	2 198	2 836	5 592	8 511	7 728
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.21	3.75	3.71	3.86	3.67	3.61	3.55	3.54	3.47	3.40	2.90

**Table 6. Ratio of Income to Poverty Level in 1984—Persons, by Family Status, Sex of Householder, and Race—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

FAMILY STATUS	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	RATIO OF FAMILY (OR UNRELATED INDIVIDUAL) INCOME TO POVERTY LEVEL								
			UNDER .50	UNDER .75	UNDER 1.25	UNDER 1.50	UNDER 1.75	UNDER 2.00	UNDER 3.00	UNDER 4.00	4.00 OR MORE
<b>BLACK</b>											
<b>ALL PERSONS</b>											
TOTAL . . . . .	28 087	9 490	4 193	6 976	11 629	13 615	15 452	17 014	21 859	24 679	3 408
65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	2 238	710	123	319	1 022	1 294	1 482	1 608	1 913	2 054	184
IN FAMILIES . . . . .	24 387	8 104	3 637	6 064	9 930	11 641	13 287	14 674	18 905	21 395	2 992
HOUSEHOLDER . . . . .	6 778	2 094	926	1 558	2 587	3 057	3 514	3 886	5 097	5 624	993
65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	829	188	40	98	290	388	472	518	658	735	95
SPOUSE OF HOUSEHOLDER . . . . .	3 401	474	135	284	669	876	1 130	1 334	2 081	2 598	803
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS . . . . .	9 356	4 320	2 166	3 408	5 060	5 698	6 299	6 762	8 091	8 757	999
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS . . . . .	3 174	1 607	827	1 295	1 840	2 044	2 248	2 367	2 832	3 031	143
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS . . . . .	4 853	1 217	409	814	1 614	2 009	2 344	2 691	3 636	4 216	637
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY . . . . .	3.60	3.87	3.93	3.89	3.84	3.81	3.78	3.78	3.71	3.67	3.14
IN UNRELATED SUBFAMILIES . . . . .	199	132	103	127	137	143	152	165	187	199	-
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS . . . . .	3 501	1 255	453	785	1 561	1 831	2 012	2 175	2 766	3 085	416
65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	795	417	59	157	550	650	692	715	767	780	15
MALE . . . . .	1 827	568	241	388	727	846	943	1 041	1 398	1 574	252
FEMALE . . . . .	1 674	687	212	396	834	985	1 069	1 134	1 369	1 510	164
65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	544	308	39	110	406	472	492	504	531	535	9
<b>PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT</b>											
TOTAL . . . . .	10 384	5 666	2 863	4 479	6 543	7 362	7 945	8 397	9 592	10 109	275
HOUSEHOLDER . . . . .	2 964	1 533	754	1 210	1 797	2 029	2 195	2 340	2 705	2 871	94
65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	293	86	22	54	129	172	192	208	253	270	23
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS . . . . .	4 884	3 234	1 805	2 661	3 611	3 939	4 174	4 344	4 726	4 847	37
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS . . . . .	1 617	1 164	685	997	1 266	1 352	1 431	1 466	1 574	1 611	6
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS . . . . .	2 536	899	304	608	1 135	1 395	1 576	1 713	2 161	2 391	145
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY . . . . .	3.50	3.70	3.80	3.70	3.64	3.63	3.62	3.59	3.55	3.52	2.94
<b>PERSONS IN ALL OTHER FAMILIES</b>											
TOTAL . . . . .	14 002	2 438	774	1 585	3 387	4 279	5 342	6 277	9 313	11 285	2 717
HOUSEHOLDER . . . . .	3 813	561	173	348	790	1 029	1 319	1 546	2 393	2 954	860
65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	536	102	19	45	161	216	280	310	406	464	71
SPOUSE OF HOUSEHOLDER . . . . .	3 401	474	135	284	669	876	1 130	1 334	2 081	2 598	803
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS . . . . .	4 472	1 085	361	747	1 449	1 760	2 125	2 419	3 364	3 910	562
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS . . . . .	1 557	442	143	298	574	692	816	901	1 258	1 420	137
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS . . . . .	2 317	318	105	206	479	614	768	978	1 474	1 824	492
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY . . . . .	3.67	4.35	4.48	4.55	4.29	4.16	4.05	4.06	3.89	3.82	3.16

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

REGION	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>UNITED STATES</b>									
<b>ALL PERSONS</b>									
TOTAL	233 816	33 700	14.4	198 941	22 955	11.5	28 087	9 490	33.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	26 818	3 330	12.4	24 206	2 579	10.7	2 238	710	31.7
IN FAMILIES	202 288	26 458	13.1	171 839	17 299	10.1	24 387	8 104	33.2
HOUSEHOLDER	62 706	7 277	11.6	54 400	4 925	9.1	6 778	2 094	30.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	9 806	713	7.3	8 859	515	5.8	829	188	22.7
SPOUSE OF HOUSEHOLDER	50 350	3 488	6.9	45 574	2 878	6.3	3 401	474	13.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	61 681	12 929	21.0	50 192	8 086	16.1	9 356	4 200	46.2
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	21 082	4 938	23.4	17 158	3 133	18.3	3 174	1 607	50.6
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	27 551	2 764	10.0	21 672	1 411	6.5	4 853	1 217	25.1
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.23	3.64	(X)	3.16	3.51	(X)	3.60	3.87	(X)
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	31 052	5 457	(X)	32 422	5 409	(X)	19 778	5 486	(X)
IN UNRELATED SUBFAMILIES	1 260	634	50.3	1 008	475	47.1	199	132	66.2
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	30 268	6 609	21.8	26 094	5 181	19.9	3 501	1 255	35.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	8 763	2 123	24.2	7 886	1 688	21.4	795	417	52.4
MALE	13 739	2 575	18.7	11 529	1 920	16.7	1 827	568	31.1
FEMALE	16 529	4 035	24.4	14 565	3 262	22.4	1 674	687	41.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	6 832	1 722	25.2	6 238	1 402	22.5	544	308	56.6
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	14 687	2 951	(X)	15 193	2 971	(X)	10 738	2 937	(X)
<b>PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT</b>									
TOTAL	30 844	11 831	38.4	19 727	5 866	29.7	10 384	5 666	54.6
HOUSEHOLDER	10 129	3 498	34.5	6 941	1 878	27.1	2 964	1 533	51.7
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 454	209	14.4	1 141	119	10.4	293	86	29.4
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	12 536	6 772	54.0	7 352	3 377	45.9	4 884	3 234	66.2
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	3 731	1 562	41.9	2 028	1 217	60.0	1 617	1 164	72.0
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	8 178	1 562	19.1	5 434	610	11.2	2 536	899	35.5
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.05	3.38	(X)	2.84	3.12	(X)	3.50	3.70	(X)
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	16 501	4 915	(X)	18 596	4 820	(X)	11 494	5 029	(X)
<b>PERSONS IN ALL OTHER FAMILIES</b>									
TOTAL	171 444	14 627	8.5	152 111	11 434	7.5	14 002	2 438	17.4
HOUSEHOLDER	52 578	3 780	7.2	47 459	3 046	6.4	3 813	561	14.7
65 YEARS AND OVER	8 352	503	6.0	7 718	396	5.1	536	102	19.0
SPOUSE OF HOUSEHOLDER	50 350	3 488	6.9	45 574	2 878	6.3	3 401	474	13.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	49 144	6 157	12.5	42 839	4 709	11.0	4 472	1 085	24.3
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	17 351	2 507	14.4	15 130	1 916	12.7	1 557	442	28.4
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	19 372	1 202	6.2	16 239	801	4.9	2 317	318	13.7
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.26	3.87	(X)	3.21	3.75	(X)	3.67	4.35	(X)
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	33 855	5 959	(X)	34 444	5 773	(X)	26 219	6 734	(X)
<b>NORTHEAST</b>									
<b>ALL PERSONS</b>									
TOTAL	49 374	6 531	13.2	43 248	4 646	10.7	5 291	1 754	33.2
65 YEARS AND OVER	6 229	622	10.0	5 779	511	8.8	409	109	26.7
IN FAMILIES	42 769	5 045	11.8	37 442	3 455	9.2	4 569	1 487	32.5
HOUSEHOLDER	13 149	1 442	11.0	11 631	1 001	8.6	1 322	410	31.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 182	82	3.8	2 034	64	3.1	1 359	19	13.4
SPOUSE OF HOUSEHOLDER	10 291	520	5.0	9 530	445	4.7	581	66	11.4
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	12 121	2 486	20.5	10 186	1 675	16.4	1 673	764	45.7
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	3 957	949	24.0	3 305	633	19.1	551	300	54.4
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	7 208	598	8.3	6 095	334	5.5	994	248	24.9
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.25	3.50	(X)	3.22	3.45	(X)	3.46	3.63	(X)
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	32 875	5 624	(X)	34 183	5 719	(X)	20 915	5 446	(X)
IN UNRELATED SUBFAMILIES	204	112	55.2	171	92	53.9	29	17	(8)
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	6 402	1 374	21.5	5 635	1 099	19.5	692	250	36.2
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 096	484	23.1	1 930	401	20.8	153	81	52.9
MALE	2 655	467	17.6	2 253	351	15.6	354	101	28.6
FEMALE	3 747	907	24.2	3 382	749	22.1	337	149	44.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 634	405	24.8	1 514	340	22.5	110	62	56.0
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	15 009	3 074	(X)	15 473	3 173	(X)	11 190	2 686	(X)
<b>PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT</b>									
TOTAL	7 249	2 874	39.6	4 948	1 645	33.2	2 213	1 185	53.5
HOUSEHOLDER	2 390	873	36.5	1 706	525	30.8	660	336	50.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	363	34	9.3	316	24	7.6	45	9	(8)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2 771	1 615	58.3	1 757	948	54.0	981	648	66.0
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	864	621	71.9	506	355	70.1	351	263	74.8
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	2 088	386	18.5	1 486	172	11.6	573	201	35.2
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.03	3.29	(X)	2.90	3.14	(X)	3.35	3.53	(X)
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	17 153	5 137	(X)	19 066	5 130	(X)	12 219	5 173	(X)
<b>PERSONS IN ALL OTHER FAMILIES</b>									
TOTAL	35 519	2 171	6.1	32 494	1 810	5.6	2 356	302	12.8
HOUSEHOLDER	10 759	569	5.3	9 925	477	4.8	662	74	11.2
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 819	48	2.7	1 718	39	2.3	94	9	9.8
SPOUSE OF HOUSEHOLDER	10 291	520	5.0	9 530	445	4.7	581	66	11.4
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	9 351	871	9.3	8 430	726	8.6	692	116	16.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	3 093	328	10.6	2 798	278	9.9	200	37	18.7
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	5 119	212	4.1	4 609	161	3.5	421	46	10.9
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.30	3.82	(X)	3.27	3.80	(X)	3.56	(8)	(X)
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	36 369	6 371	(X)	36 781	6 367	(X)	29 586	(8)	(X)

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	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
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<b>MIDWEST (FORMERLY NORTH CENTRAL)</b>									
<b>ALL PERSONS</b>									
TOTAL	58 749	8 303	14.1	52 349	6 004	11.5	5 580	2 112	37.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	6 672	721	10.8	6 224	618	9.9	416	96	23.1
IN FAMILIES	51 263	6 609	12.9	45 716	4 623	10.1	4 818	1 830	38.0
HOUSEHOLDER	15 839	1 837	11.6	14 309	1 318	9.2	1 345	478	35.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 437	152	6.2	2 269	118	5.2	153	29	18.9
SPOUSE OF HOUSEHOLDER	12 904	874	6.8	12 133	788	6.5	603	67	11.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	16 055	3 291	20.5	13 880	2 196	15.8	1 900	1 029	54.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	5 441	1 307	24.0	4 747	900	19.0	593	376	63.4
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	6 465	607	9.4	5 394	320	5.9	970	256	26.4
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.24	3.60	(X)	3.19	3.51	(X)	3.58	3.83	(X)
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	30 234	5 036	(X)	31 255	4 981	(X)	19 520	5 127	(X)
IN UNRELATED SUBFAMILIES	214	110	51.1	176	88	49.8	32	16	(B)
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	7 272	1 585	21.8	6 456	1 294	20.0	730	266	36.4
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 296	464	20.2	2 148	417	19.4	145	48	32.8
MALE	3 238	677	20.9	2 762	488	17.7	426	171	40.2
FEMALE	4 034	908	22.5	3 694	805	21.8	304	95	31.2
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 789	357	20.0	1 704	329	19.3	84	29	34.1
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	13 838	2 923	(X)	14 119	3 002	(X)	11 102	2 629	(X)
<b>PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT</b>									
TOTAL	7 408	2 997	40.5	4 894	1 486	30.4	2 424	1 459	60.2
HOUSEHOLDER	2 421	886	36.6	1 719	484	28.2	674	386	57.2
65 YEARS AND OVER	311	39	12.5	257	16	6.2	51	21	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	3 130	1 787	57.1	1 858	876	47.2	1 231	861	71.6
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	944	691	73.2	525	354	67.4	406	328	80.8
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 856	325	17.5	1 317	126	9.5	519	192	37.1
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.06	3.38	(X)	2.85	3.07	(X)	3.60	3.78	(X)
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	16 131	4 772	(X)	18 296	4 695	(X)	10 927	4 911	(X)
<b>PERSONS IN ALL OTHER FAMILIES</b>									
TOTAL	43 855	3 612	8.2	40 822	3 137	7.7	2 394	371	15.5
HOUSEHOLDER	13 417	951	7.1	12 590	834	6.6	670	92	13.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 127	113	5.3	2 012	103	5.1	102	8	8.0
SPOUSE OF HOUSEHOLDER	12 904	874	6.8	12 133	788	6.5	603	67	11.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	12 924	1 504	11.6	12 022	1 320	11.0	670	148	22.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	4 497	616	13.7	4 222	546	12.9	187	48	25.7
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	4 609	282	6.1	4 077	195	4.8	451	64	14.2
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.27	3.80	(X)	3.24	3.76	(X)	3.57	4.02	(X)
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	32 779	5 281	(X)	33 024	5 146	(X)	28 162	6 031	(X)
<b>WEST</b>									
<b>ALL PERSONS</b>									
TOTAL	46 498	6 074	13.1	40 237	4 732	11.8	2 298	612	26.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	4 600	356	7.7	4 254	320	7.5	1 000	18	18.0
IN FAMILIES	39 017	4 633	11.9	35 522	3 487	10.4	1 917	509	26.5
HOUSEHOLDER	11 958	1 230	10.3	10 507	953	9.1	550	131	23.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 632	73	4.5	1 513	65	4.3	36	3	(B)
SPOUSE OF HOUSEHOLDER	9 698	651	6.7	8 657	536	6.2	264	26	10.0
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	12 583	2 363	18.8	10 582	1 739	16.4	755	294	38.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	4 495	916	20.4	3 787	671	17.7	271	124	45.7
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	4 797	389	8.1	3 775	259	6.9	388	57	16.4
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.27	3.77	(X)	3.19	3.66	(X)	3.88	3.87	(X)
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	32 872	5 672	(X)	33 480	5 509	(X)	18 779	5 748	(X)
IN UNRELATED SUBFAMILIES	429	168	39.2	387	152	39.3	22	2	(B)
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	7 053	1 273	18.0	6 329	1 093	17.3	370	102	27.5
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 531	211	13.8	1 440	193	13.4	42	13	(B)
MALE	3 559	582	16.3	3 167	500	15.8	203	47	23.4
FEMALE	3 494	691	19.8	3 161	593	18.8	167	54	32.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 151	167	14.6	1 092	155	14.2	26	9	(B)
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	16 247	2 619	(X)	16 477	2 648	(X)	12 574	2 402	(X)
<b>PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT</b>									
TOTAL	5 150	1 733	33.7	3 990	1 230	30.8	715	349	48.8
HOUSEHOLDER	1 729	516	29.9	1 382	380	27.5	213	92	43.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	174	20	11.2	141	14	9.9	18	3	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2 184	1 041	47.7	1 746	746	44.8	340	206	60.7
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	634	364	57.4	457	256	56.1	123	81	65.3
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 237	176	14.2	945	104	11.0	161	51	31.3
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	2.98	3.36	(X)	2.89	3.23	(X)	3.35	3.79	(X)
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	18 100	5 231	(X)	18 609	5 097	(X)	13 049	5 680	(X)
<b>PERSONS IN ALL OTHER FAMILIES</b>									
TOTAL	33 866	2 900	8.6	29 532	2 257	7.6	1 202	160	13.3
HOUSEHOLDER	10 209	714	7.0	9 125	572	6.3	337	39	11.7
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 458	54	3.7	1 372	51	3.7	19	-	(B)
SPOUSE OF HOUSEHOLDER	9 698	651	6.7	8 657	536	6.2	264	26	10.0
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	10 400	1 322	12.7	9 94	994	11.1	415	88	21.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	3 861	552	14.3	3 329	414	12.4	147	43	29.3
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	3 560	214	6.0	2 830	155	5.5	186	6	3.5
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.32	4.06	(X)	3.24	3.94	(X)	3.57	(B)	(X)
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	35 374	5 991	(X)	35 733	5 782	(X)	28 380	(B)	(X)

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REGION	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>SOUTH</b>									
<b>ALL PERSONS</b>									
TOTAL	79 195	12 792	16.2	63 107	7 573	12.0	14 918	5 012	33.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	9 317	1 631	17.5	7 948	1 130	14.2	1 312	487	37.1
IN FAMILIES	69 239	10 171	14.7	55 158	5 735	10.4	13 082	4 278	32.7
HOUSEHOLDER	21 781	2 769	12.7	17 933	1 653	9.2	3 561	1 075	30.2
65 YEARS AND OVER	3 555	405	11.4	3 043	267	8.8	500	137	27.4
SPOUSE OF HOUSEHOLDER	17 457	1 443	8.3	15 254	1 108	7.3	1 952	314	16.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	20 921	4 789	22.9	15 542	2 476	15.9	5 027	2 233	44.4
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	7 189	1 766	24.6	5 320	930	17.5	1 759	807	45.9
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	9 080	1 170	12.9	6 409	498	7.8	2 542	656	25.8
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.18	3.67	(X)	3.07	3.47	(X)	3.62	3.98	(X)
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	29 548	5 554	(X)	31 592	5 506	(X)	19 044	5 628	(X)
IN UNRELATED SUBFAMILIES	414	244	58.9	274	143	52.2	126	97	77.2
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	9 542	2 377	24.9	7 674	1 695	22.1	1 710	637	37.2
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 841	964	33.9	2 368	677	28.6	455	275	60.5
MALE	4 287	849	19.8	3 346	581	17.4	843	248	29.4
FEMALE	5 255	1 528	29.1	4 328	1 115	25.8	866	389	44.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 259	793	35.1	1 927	579	30.0	323	208	64.3
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	13 964	3 077	(X)	14 832	3 026	(X)	10 002	3 250	(X)
<b>PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT</b>									
TOTAL	11 036	4 227	38.3	5 895	1 505	25.5	5 033	2 674	53.1
HOUSEHOLDER	3 588	1 223	34.1	2 134	489	22.9	1 417	719	50.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	606	117	19.3	427	64	15.0	179	53	29.6
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	4 452	2 329	52.3	2 075	807	38.9	2 332	1 500	64.3
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 289	755	58.6	540	252	46.7	736	493	67.0
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	2 997	675	22.5	1 686	209	12.4	1 284	455	35.4
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.08	3.46	(X)	2.76	3.08	(X)	3.55	3.72	(X)
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	15 546	4 725	(X)	18 453	4 394	(X)	11 193	4 941	(X)
<b>PERSONS IN ALL OTHER FAMILIES</b>									
TOTAL	58 203	5 944	10.2	49 263	4 230	8.6	8 049	1 604	19.9
HOUSEHOLDER	18 193	1 546	8.5	15 819	1 164	7.4	2 144	355	16.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 949	288	9.8	2 616	203	7.8	321	84	26.2
SPOUSE OF HOUSEHOLDER	17 457	1 443	8.3	15 254	1 108	7.3	1 952	314	16.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	16 470	2 860	14.9	13 468	1 668	12.4	2 695	733	27.2
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	5 901	1 011	17.1	4 780	678	14.2	1 023	314	30.7
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	6 084	495	8.1	4 723	290	6.1	1 258	201	16.0
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.20	3.85	(X)	3.11	3.64	(X)	3.75	4.51	(X)
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	32 309	6 210	(X)	33 364	5 974	(X)	24 232	7 019	(X)



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AGE AND SEX	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK			SPANISH ORIGIN <sup>1</sup>			
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	
<b>ALL PERSONS</b>													
<b>BOTH SEXES</b>													
TOTAL . . . . .	233 816	33 700	14.4	198 941	22 955	11.5	28 087	9 400	33.8	16 916	4 806	28.4	
UNDER 15 YEARS . . . . .	51 500	11 455	22.2	41 851	7 195	17.2	7 853	3 805	48.5	5 140	2 049	39.9	
15 TO 17 YEARS . . . . .	10 947	1 965	17.9	8 963	1 277	14.3	1 627	608	37.3	928	327	35.3	
18 TO 21 YEARS . . . . .	15 352	2 668	17.4	12 705	1 793	14.1	2 188	763	34.9	1 298	387	29.9	
22 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	12 493	1 948	15.6	10 518	1 347	12.8	1 599	523	32.7	1 095	262	23.9	
25 TO 34 YEARS . . . . .	40 858	4 875	11.9	34 675	3 336	9.6	4 907	1 339	27.3	3 090	696	22.5	
35 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	31 299	3 063	9.8	26 991	2 219	8.2	3 270	687	21.0	2 139	482	22.5	
45 TO 54 YEARS . . . . .	22 398	2 100	9.4	19 402	1 517	7.8	2 359	513	21.8	1 366	217	15.9	
55 TO 59 YEARS . . . . .	11 432	1 131	9.9	10 082	811	8.0	1 087	281	25.9	593	108	18.1	
60 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	10 719	1 167	10.9	9 549	881	9.2	959	262	27.3	448	102	22.7	
65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	26 818	3 330	12.4	24 206	2 579	10.7	2 238	710	31.7	819	176	21.5	
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS . . . . .	31.5	23.2	(X)	32.3	24.7	(X)	26.6	19.7	(X)	25.0	18.3	(X)	
<b>MALE</b>													
TOTAL . . . . .	113 391	14 537	12.8	96 963	9 967	10.3	13 121	3 983	30.4	8 431	2 191	26.0	
UNDER 15 YEARS . . . . .	26 357	5 683	21.6	21 476	3 590	16.7	3 980	1 882	47.3	2 622	1 012	38.6	
15 TO 17 YEARS . . . . .	5 582	1 004	18.0	4 579	668	14.6	816	293	35.8	487	165	33.8	
18 TO 21 YEARS . . . . .	7 548	1 183	15.7	6 277	769	12.2	1 037	355	34.3	655	170	25.9	
22 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	6 148	828	13.5	5 226	596	11.4	735	197	26.8	600	134	22.2	
25 TO 34 YEARS . . . . .	20 184	1 888	9.4	17 336	1 355	7.8	2 232	432	19.4	1 533	276	18.0	
35 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	15 333	1 221	8.0	13 373	918	6.9	1 466	235	16.1	1 041	196	18.8	
45 TO 54 YEARS . . . . .	10 848	866	8.0	9 494	670	7.1	1 053	166	15.8	665	89	13.3	
55 TO 59 YEARS . . . . .	5 458	468	8.6	4 862	348	7.2	490	102	20.8	269	41	15.4	
60 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	4 919	438	8.9	4 394	338	7.7	424	90	21.1	202	36	17.8	
65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	11 014	959	8.7	9 945	714	7.2	890	231	25.9	353	73	20.6	
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS . . . . .	30.5	20.0	(X)	31.3	21.8	(X)	25.0	16.1	(X)	24.2	16.5	(X)	
<b>FEMALE</b>													
TOTAL . . . . .	120 425	19 163	15.9	101 978	12 988	12.7	14 966	5 507	36.8	8 485	2 615	30.8	
UNDER 15 YEARS . . . . .	25 143	5 772	23.0	20 375	3 604	17.7	3 873	1 923	49.6	2 518	1 037	41.2	
15 TO 17 YEARS . . . . .	5 365	961	17.9	4 384	609	13.9	811	315	38.9	441	163	36.9	
18 TO 21 YEARS . . . . .	7 804	1 485	19.0	6 277	769	12.2	1 037	355	34.3	655	170	25.9	
22 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	6 345	1 120	17.7	5 226	596	11.4	735	197	26.8	600	134	22.2	
25 TO 34 YEARS . . . . .	20 674	2 987	14.4	17 339	1 355	7.8	2 232	432	19.4	1 533	276	18.0	
35 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	15 966	1 842	11.5	13 619	1 301	9.5	1 804	451	25.0	1 097	286	26.1	
45 TO 54 YEARS . . . . .	11 550	1 234	10.7	9 907	848	8.6	1 306	347	26.6	702	128	18.3	
55 TO 59 YEARS . . . . .	5 973	663	11.1	5 220	463	8.9	598	180	30.1	324	66	20.4	
60 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	5 801	729	12.6	5 154	543	10.5	535	172	32.2	285	66	26.8	
65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	15 804	2 370	15.0	14 261	1 865	13.1	1 348	479	35.6	466	103	22.1	
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS . . . . .	32.5	25.8	(X)	33.4	27.6	(X)	27.9	23.0	(X)	26.0	20.0	(X)	
<b>HOUSEHOLDER</b>													
TOTAL . . . . .	62 706	7 277	11.6	54 400	4 925	9.1	6 778	2 094	30.9	3 939	991	25.2	
15 TO 17 YEARS . . . . .	19	11	(B)	19	11	(B)			(B)	1			
18 TO 21 YEARS . . . . .	850	320	37.7	698	218	31.3	133	94	71.0	119	60	50.6	
22 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	2 258	587	26.0	1 861	378	20.3	346	197	56.9	221	78	35.1	
25 TO 34 YEARS . . . . .	14 759	2 276	15.4	12 466	1 465	11.8	1 888	736	39.0	1 156	344	29.7	
35 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	14 671	1 610	11.0	12 663	1 126	8.9	1 580	409	25.9	1 031	255	24.8	
45 TO 54 YEARS . . . . .	10 542	954	9.1	9 125	642	7.0	1 114	267	23.9	652	122	18.7	
55 TO 59 YEARS . . . . .	5 163	410	7.9	4 560	270	5.9	486	118	24.3	260	45	17.4	
60 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	4 639	396	8.5	4 150	299	7.2	403	86	21.3	200	29	14.7	
65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	9 806	713	7.3	8 859	515	5.8	829	188	22.7	299	58	19.4	
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS . . . . .	44.2	37.8	(X)	44.6	38.5	(X)	41.5	35.5	(X)	39.6	35.6	(X)	
<b>SPOUSE OF HOUSEHOLDER</b>													
TOTAL . . . . .	50 350	3 488	6.9	45 574	2 878	6.3	3 401	474	13.9	2 983	483	16.2	
15 TO 17 YEARS . . . . .	54	20	(B)	50	18	(B)	4	2	(B)	10	2	24.6	
18 TO 21 YEARS . . . . .	1 220	215	17.6	1 117	187	16.8	88	25	28.9	123	38	30.6	
22 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	2 448	237	9.7	2 233	198	6.9	150	26	17.4	212	39	18.4	
25 TO 34 YEARS . . . . .	12 983	1 001	7.7	11 631	822	7.1	906	126	13.9	956	165	17.3	
35 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	11 392	730	6.4	10 163	602	5.9	804	83	10.3	721	129	17.9	
45 TO 54 YEARS . . . . .	8 345	470	5.6	7 517	394	5.2	592	60	10.1	493	48	9.8	
55 TO 59 YEARS . . . . .	4 154	244	5.9	3 790	191	5.1	288	49	17.0	195	21	10.7	
60 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	3 658	201	5.5	3 402	165	4.8	195	35	17.9	129	20	15.3	
65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	6 096	371	6.1	5 670	301	5.3	373	67	18.1	145	21	14.7	
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS . . . . .	42.4	38.7	(X)	42.6	38.5	(X)	41.9	41.9	(X)	37.6	34.8	(X)	
<b>RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS</b>													
TOTAL . . . . .	61 681	12 929	21.0	50 192	8 086	16.1	9 356	4 320	46.2	5 982	2 317	38.7	
UNDER 3 YEARS . . . . .	10 649	2 485	23.3	8 668	1 554	17.9	1 594	829	52.0	1 045	405	38.8	
3 TO 5 YEARS . . . . .	10 433	2 453	23.5	8 490	1 580	18.6	1 580	778	49.2	1 108	464	41.8	
6 TO 13 YEARS . . . . .	26 171	5 521	21.1	21 226	3 401	16.0	4 033	1 902	47.2	2 642	1 034	39.1	
14 AND 15 YEARS . . . . .	7 406	1 319	17.8	6 081	831	13.7	1 090	431	39.6	604	231	36.5	
16 AND 17 YEARS . . . . .	7 021	1 150	16.4	5 727	721	12.6	1 059	379	35.8	584	193	33.0	
5 TO 17 YEARS . . . . .	43 999	8 792	20.0	35 792	5 474	15.3	6 713	2 968	44.2	4 206	1 605	38.2	

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AGE AND SEX	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK			SPANISH ORIGIN <sup>1</sup>		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>ALL PERSONS--CONTINUED</b>												
<b>OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	27 551	2 764	10.0	21 672	1 411	6.5	4 853	1 217	25.1	2 389	402	16.8
18 TO 21 YEARS . . . . .	11 472	1 301	11.3	9 270	665	7.2	1 840	576	31.3	912	199	21.9
22 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	5 004	435	8.7	3 966	188	4.8	875	224	25.6	427	57	13.4
25 TO 34 YEARS . . . . .	5 487	530	9.7	4 070	253	6.2	1 225	245	20.0	545	82	15.0
35 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	1 582	180	11.4	1 172	104	8.9	351	69	19.6	167	25	15.3
45 TO 54 YEARS . . . . .	958	121	12.6	726	75	10.3	182	43	23.3	92	14	15.7
55 TO 59 YEARS . . . . .	527	40	7.6	394	29	7.2	84	9	10.8	49	1	3.1
60 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	365	35	9.1	297	21	7.2	55	14	(B)	39	12	30.0
65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	2 136	122	5.7	1 777	76	4.3	241	38	15.7	158	11	6.7
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS . . . . .	23.4	22.6	(X)	23.2	22.6	(X)	24.0	22.4	(X)	24.0	22.1	(X)
<b>UNRELATED SUBFAMILY MEMBERS</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	1 260	634	50.3	1 008	475	47.1	199	132	66.2	143	69	48.0
UNDER 15 YEARS . . . . .	512	317	62.0	409	243	59.5	89	65	73.4	46	32	68.1
15 TO 17 YEARS . . . . .	61	34	(B)	47	24	(B)	10	8	(B)	4	4	90.5
18 TO 21 YEARS . . . . .	122	63	51.4	96	38	39.9	21	20	(B)	22	6	27.3
22 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	98	51	51.7	72	36	(B)	19	12	(B)	23	7	30.2
25 TO 34 YEARS . . . . .	289	114	39.5	237	91	38.3	43	20	(B)	33	12	34.8
35 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	116	39	33.7	98	34	34.9	11	-	(B)	10	9	84.5
45 TO 54 YEARS . . . . .	24	9	(B)	20	4	(B)	3	3	(B)	3	-	-
55 TO 59 YEARS . . . . .	5	3	(B)	3	2	(B)	1	1	(B)	-	-	(B)
60 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	16	3	(B)	12	1	(B)	2	2	(B)	-	-	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	17	1	(B)	14	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS . . . . .	19.9	15.0	(X)	20.0	14.6	(X)	18.1	15.2	(X)	21.7	(B)	(X)
<b>ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	30 268	6 609	21.8	26 094	5 181	19.9	3 501	1 255	35.8	1 481	545	36.8
15 TO 17 YEARS . . . . .	120	108	90.4	97	89	91.8	22	18	(B)	25	22	89.3
18 TO 21 YEARS . . . . .	1 689	768	45.5	1 524	684	44.9	106	47	44.2	121	84	69.1
22 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	2 684	639	23.8	2 386	547	22.9	209	65	31.0	212	81	38.3
25 TO 34 YEARS . . . . .	7 340	954	13.0	6 271	705	11.2	845	211	24.9	400	94	23.5
35 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	3 539	503	14.2	2 896	353	12.2	524	65	12.4	309	40	13.0
45 TO 54 YEARS . . . . .	2 530	547	21.6	2 013	402	20.0	467	126	26.8	210	64	30.6
55 TO 59 YEARS . . . . .	1 583	434	27.4	1 334	319	23.9	228	104	45.7	126	32	25.6
60 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	2 020	532	26.3	1 688	395	23.4	304	125	41.2	90	40	44.5
65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	8 763	2 123	24.2	7 866	1 688	21.4	795	417	52.4	216	86	39.7
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS . . . . .	44.3	51.1	(X)	44.6	50.3	(X)	45.9	55.9	(X)	34.6	34.0	(X)
<b>MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	13 739	2 575	18.7	11 529	1 920	16.7	1 827	568	31.1	885	301	34.0
15 TO 17 YEARS . . . . .	60	49	(B)	46	39	(B)	14	10	(B)	9	6	70.8
18 TO 21 YEARS . . . . .	852	336	39.5	770	297	38.5	51	19	(B)	78	47	60.7
22 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	1 517	368	24.3	1 346	316	23.4	105	33	31.0	151	64	42.0
25 TO 34 YEARS . . . . .	4 561	579	12.7	3 860	409	10.6	561	148	26.4	276	58	21.1
35 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	2 236	298	13.3	1 797	195	10.9	359	94	26.2	158	52	33.2
45 TO 54 YEARS . . . . .	1 296	237	18.3	1 028	175	17.0	251	61	24.5	68	17	25.0
55 TO 59 YEARS . . . . .	640	166	25.9	519	114	21.9	114	49	42.6	45	17	38.1
60 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	647	140	21.7	514	91	17.7	120	45	37.3	24	8	33.2
65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	1 931	401	20.8	1 648	285	17.3	251	109	43.4	75	30	40.3
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS . . . . .	34.7	34.2	(X)	34.3	32.6	(X)	40.1	42.9	(X)	32.4	30.7	(X)
<b>FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	16 529	4 035	24.4	14 565	3 262	22.4	1 674	687	41.0	596	244	40.9
15 TO 17 YEARS . . . . .	60	60	(B)	50	50	(B)	8	8	(B)	16	16	100.0
18 TO 21 YEARS . . . . .	837	432	51.6	754	388	51.4	55	28	(B)	43	37	86.3
22 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	1 168	271	23.2	1 039	231	22.2	104	32	31.0	61	18	29.0
25 TO 34 YEARS . . . . .	2 779	375	13.5	2 411	295	12.3	284	63	22.0	124	36	28.9
35 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	1 302	205	15.7	1 099	158	14.4	165	32	19.2	52	12	22.6
45 TO 54 YEARS . . . . .	1 234	310	25.1	984	228	23.1	216	80	36.8	58	15	26.3
55 TO 59 YEARS . . . . .	943	268	28.4	815	206	25.3	114	56	48.8	45	23	51.0
60 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	1 375	391	28.5	1 174	304	25.9	184	80	43.8	56	33	58.6
65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	6 832	1 722	25.2	6 238	1 402	22.5	544	308	56.6	141	55	39.3
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS . . . . .	59.7	61.2	(X)	60.5	61.2	(X)	55.2	62.8	(X)	45.3	47.9	(X)
<b>PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT</b>												
<b>HOUSEHOLDER</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	10 129	3 498	34.5	6 941	1 878	27.1	2 964	1 533	51.7	905	483	53.4
15 TO 17 YEARS . . . . .	13	8	(B)	13	8	(B)	-	-	(B)	1	1	-
18 TO 21 YEARS . . . . .	242	179	73.8	149	101	67.7	85	73	85.9	46	39	86.1
22 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	529	370	70.0	299	190	63.5	220	174	79.1	50	35	69.9
25 TO 34 YEARS . . . . .	2 610	1 278	49.0	1 605	684	42.6	958	576	60.2	257	172	67.2
35 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	2 545	813	32.0	1 808	475	26.3	676	313	46.3	261	132	50.4
45 TO 54 YEARS . . . . .	1 599	390	24.4	1 112	182	16.4	448	193	43.1	135	57	41.8
55 TO 59 YEARS . . . . .	619	135	21.9	422	59	14.0	165	68	41.2	54	21	39.8
60 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	518	115	22.2	392	61	15.5	119	49	41.3	38	11	28.4
65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	1 454	209	14.4	1 141	119	10.4	293	86	29.4	63	17	26.5
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS . . . . .	41.6	34.3	(X)	42.8	34.4	(X)	38.3	34.0	(X)	38.8	34.7	(X)

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	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT--CON.</b>												
<b>RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	12 536	6 772	54.0	7 352	3 377	45.9	4 884	3 234	66.2	1 341	1 093	71.0
UNDER 3 YEARS . . . . .	1 759	1 202	68.3	900	571	63.4	815	608	74.6	234	181	77.5
3 TO 5 YEARS . . . . .	1 971	1 230	62.4	1 128	646	57.3	801	556	69.4	261	210	80.3
6 TO 13 YEARS . . . . .	5 577	2 995	53.7	3 294	1 460	44.3	2 160	1 466	67.9	694	488	70.3
14 AND 15 YEARS . . . . .	1 629	727	44.7	1 008	375	37.2	574	337	58.6	182	110	60.7
16 AND 17 YEARS . . . . .	1 604	618	38.6	1 023	325	31.8	533	267	50.1	171	104	61.2
5 TO 17 YEARS . . . . .	9 501	4 752	50.0	5 722	2 377	41.5	3 547	2 254	63.5	1 136	771	67.9
<b>OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	8 178	1 562	19.1	5 434	610	11.2	2 536	899	35.5	693	187	27.0
18 TO 21 YEARS . . . . .	2 580	675	26.2	1 653	246	14.9	871	407	46.8	250	92	36.8
22 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	1 302	243	18.7	823	69	8.4	437	164	37.6	118	27	23.1
25 TO 34 YEARS . . . . .	1 791	314	17.5	1 079	109	10.1	670	196	29.2	158	40	25.1
35 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	802	134	16.7	556	73	13.1	224	54	24.2	69	17	25.0
45 TO 54 YEARS . . . . .	519	91	17.6	390	49	12.6	120	39	32.9	31	2	6.2
55 TO 59 YEARS . . . . .	257	25	9.8	188	16	8.3	59	9	(B)	14	1	10.6
60 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	172	10	5.9	133	4	3.3	33	6	(B)	5	1	24.1
65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	756	68	9.0	612	44	7.2	123	24	19.2	48	6	13.5
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS . . . . .	26.2	23.3	(X)	27.2	24.6	(X)	24.7	22.8	(X)	24.4	22.2	(X)
<b>PERSONS IN ALL OTHER FAMILIES<sup>2</sup></b>												
<b>HOUSEHOLDER</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	52 578	3 780	7.2	47 459	3 046	6.4	3 813	561	14.7	3 034	508	16.7
15 TO 17 YEARS . . . . .	6	4	(B)	6	4	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
18 TO 21 YEARS . . . . .	607	142	23.3	548	117	21.3	48	22	(B)	73	21	28.6
22 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	1 729	217	12.5	1 561	188	12.0	126	23	17.9	171	43	25.0
25 TO 34 YEARS . . . . .	12 149	998	8.2	10 861	781	7.2	930	160	17.2	900	171	19.0
35 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	12 125	797	6.6	10 854	651	6.0	903	95	10.6	770	123	16.0
45 TO 54 YEARS . . . . .	8 942	564	6.3	8 014	460	5.7	666	74	11.0	517	65	12.7
55 TO 59 YEARS . . . . .	4 544	275	6.0	4 139	211	5.1	321	50	15.5	206	24	11.6
60 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	4 122	281	6.8	3 758	238	6.3	283	36	12.9	162	19	11.5
65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	8 352	503	6.0	7 118	396	5.1	536	102	19.0	236	41	17.4
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS . . . . .	44.7	41.6	(X)	44.9	41.7	(X)	43.9	43.0	(X)	39.9	36.5	(X)
<b>RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	49 144	6 157	12.5	42 839	4 709	11.0	4 472	1 085	24.3	4 441	1 223	27.5
UNDER 3 YEARS . . . . .	8 890	1 283	14.4	7 768	983	12.7	779	221	28.4	811	224	27.7
3 TO 5 YEARS . . . . .	8 461	1 224	14.5	7 362	933	12.7	778	222	28.5	847	254	30.0
6 TO 13 YEARS . . . . .	20 595	2 526	12.3	17 932	1 941	10.8	1 874	436	23.3	1 947	546	28.0
14 AND 15 YEARS . . . . .	5 781	592	10.2	5 073	456	9.0	516	94	18.3	422	110	26.1
16 AND 17 YEARS . . . . .	5 418	532	9.8	4 704	396	8.4	526	112	21.4	414	89	21.4
5 TO 17 YEARS . . . . .	34 499	4 041	11.7	30 070	3 097	10.3	3 166	714	22.6	3 070	833	27.1
<b>OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	19 372	1 202	6.2	16 239	801	4.9	2 317	318	13.7	1 696	215	12.7
18 TO 21 YEARS . . . . .	8 892	626	7.0	7 617	419	5.5	969	169	17.4	662	107	16.2
22 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	3 701	191	5.2	3 144	119	3.8	438	59	13.6	309	30	9.7
25 TO 34 YEARS . . . . .	3 696	216	5.8	2 991	144	4.8	555	49	8.9	386	42	10.8
35 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	780	47	6.0	615	31	5.0	128	15	11.7	98	8	8.5
45 TO 54 YEARS . . . . .	439	30	6.8	336	25	7.5	63	3	(B)	61	13	20.6
55 TO 59 YEARS . . . . .	270	15	5.5	206	13	6.2	25	-	(B)	35	-	-
60 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	214	25	11.6	164	17	10.3	22	8	(B)	34	10	30.8
65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	1 380	53	3.9	1 166	32	2.8	118	14	12.0	110	4	3.8
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS . . . . .	22.6	21.8	(X)	22.5	21.8	(X)	23.3	21.8	(X)	23.8	22.0	(X)

<sup>1</sup>PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

<sup>2</sup>DETAIL DOES NOT ADD TO TOTAL 'PERSONS IN ALL OTHER FAMILIES' BECAUSE SPOUSES ARE NOT SHOWN ON THIS BLOCK. SEE 'ALL PERSONS' BLOCK FOR A COUNT OF SPOUSES.

**Table 9. Educational Attainment—Poverty Status in 1984 of Persons 15 Years and Over, by Age, Sex, and Race**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS)							
		15 TO 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
<u>ALL RACES</u>									
<u>ALL INCOME LEVELS</u>									
<u>BOTH SEXES</u>									
TOTAL	182 316	10 947	15 352	53 350	31 299	22 398	11 432	10 719	26 818
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	1 134	19	33	191	131	127	90	96	448
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	4 417	24	75	385	410	570	452	499	2 002
6 AND 7 YEARS	6 235	503	178	657	587	758	507	595	2 453
8 YEARS	11 822	2 075	315	953	836	1 120	936	1 007	4 580
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	30 811	8 189	3 559	5 213	3 056	2 922	1 817	1 643	4 412
4 YEARS	67 194	109	6 933	22 035	12 094	9 506	4 518	4 233	7 765
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	60 703	27	4 263	23 916	14 185	7 395	3 112	2 647	5 158
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.5	9.8	12.5	12.9	12.9	12.6	12.4	12.4	11.5
PERCENT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	70.2	1.2	72.9	86.1	84.0	75.5	66.7	64.2	48.2
<u>MALE</u>									
TOTAL	87 034	5 582	7 548	26 332	15 333	10 848	5 458	4 919	11 014
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	558	16	26	106	76	62	45	50	176
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	2 312	12	59	217	222	323	250	267	963
6 AND 7 YEARS	3 155	327	106	336	316	424	263	295	1 088
8 YEARS	5 686	1 152	168	505	389	617	488	498	1 870
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	14 479	4 024	1 884	2 611	1 416	1 310	836	666	1 732
4 YEARS	29 476	38	3 313	10 527	5 187	4 023	1 819	1 659	2 909
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	31 368	13	1 992	12 030	7 726	4 089	1 756	1 483	2 278
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.6	9.7	12.5	12.9	13.1	12.7	12.5	12.4	11.3
PERCENT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	69.9	0.9	70.3	85.7	84.2	74.8	65.5	63.9	47.1
<u>FEMALE</u>									
TOTAL	95 282	5 365	7 804	27 018	15 966	11 550	5 973	5 801	15 804
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	576	3	7	85	55	65	44	45	272
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	2 105	12	16	168	188	246	202	233	1 040
6 AND 7 YEARS	3 080	176	69	321	271	334	244	299	1 365
8 YEARS	6 136	924	147	448	446	503	447	510	2 710
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	16 331	4 161	1 674	2 602	1 640	1 640	981	977	2 680
4 YEARS	37 719	76	3 620	11 507	6 908	5 483	2 699	2 574	4 856
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	29 335	14	2 270	11 886	6 459	3 306	1 355	1 163	2 880
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.5	9.9	12.5	12.9	12.8	12.5	12.5	12.4	11.7
PERCENT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	70.4	1.6	75.5	86.6	83.7	76.1	67.9	64.4	49.0
<u>INCOME BELOW POVERTY LEVEL</u>									
<u>BOTH SEXES</u>									
TOTAL	22 246	1 965	2 668	6 823	3 063	2 100	1 131	1 167	3 330
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	391	6	9	67	37	34	27	43	168
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	1 449	9	26	153	174	194	148	163	581
6 AND 7 YEARS	1 691	186	86	249	189	208	128	143	503
8 YEARS	2 532	497	158	362	228	248	149	174	735
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	6 111	1 250	1 006	1 660	678	461	250	227	579
4 YEARS	6 633	15	928	2 740	1 141	674	286	277	572
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	3 440	3	455	1 592	617	301	142	139	191
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	11.4	9.5	12.1	12.3	12.2	11.4	10.2	9.8	8.6
PERCENT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	45.3	0.9	51.8	63.5	57.4	46.4	37.9	35.6	22.9
<u>MALE</u>									
TOTAL	8 855	1 004	1 183	2 716	1 221	866	468	438	959
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	186	6	5	38	17	15	13	20	72
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	672	4	20	77	89	99	64	70	248
6 AND 7 YEARS	708	110	49	105	88	99	52	57	148
8 YEARS	990	252	84	144	96	105	73	62	174
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	2 365	630	461	625	219	158	90	65	118
4 YEARS	2 399	2	376	1 026	414	245	105	96	134
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	1 535	-	189	701	299	145	71	66	65
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	11.3	9.4	11.9	12.4	12.2	11.1	10.1	9.4	8.1
PERCENT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	44.4	0.2	47.7	63.6	58.4	45.1	37.6	37.2	20.8
<u>FEMALE</u>									
TOTAL	13 391	961	1 485	4 107	1 842	1 234	663	729	2 370
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	205	-	4	29	19	19	14	23	96
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	778	5	6	76	85	95	84	92	333
6 AND 7 YEARS	983	75	37	143	101	109	76	86	355
8 YEARS	1 541	244	75	219	132	122	76	112	561
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	3 745	620	545	1 034	459	304	160	162	462
4 YEARS	4 235	13	552	1 714	727	429	181	180	438
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	1 904	3	266	892	318	156	71	73	125
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	11.5	9.5	12.1	12.3	12.2	11.6	10.3	10.0	8.7
PERCENT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	45.8	1.6	55.1	63.4	56.8	47.4	38.1	34.7	23.8

Table 9. Educational Attainment—Poverty Status in 1984 of Persons 15 Years and Over, by Age, Sex, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS)							
		15 TO 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
<b>ALL RACES--CONTINUED</b>									
<b>PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL</b>									
<b>BOTH SEXES</b>									
TOTAL	12.2	17.9	17.4	12.8	9.8	9.4	9.9	10.9	12.4
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	34.4	(B)	(B)	35.2	27.8	26.7	30.3	44.9	37.6
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	32.8	(B)	35.0	39.7	42.5	34.1	32.8	32.6	29.0
6 AND 7 YEARS	27.1	36.9	49.1	37.8	32.1	27.5	25.2	24.1	20.5
8 YEARS	21.4	23.9	50.2	38.0	27.3	20.3	16.0	17.3	16.1
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	19.8	15.3	28.3	31.8	22.2	15.8	13.7	13.8	13.1
4 YEARS	9.9	13.5	13.4	12.4	9.4	7.1	6.3	6.5	7.4
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	5.7	(B)	10.7	6.7	4.4	4.1	4.6	5.3	3.7
<b>MALE</b>									
TOTAL	10.2	18.0	15.7	10.3	8.0	8.0	8.6	8.9	8.7
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	33.3	(B)	(B)	35.9	22.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	41.0
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	29.0	(B)	(B)	35.5	40.0	30.7	25.7	26.4	25.8
6 AND 7 YEARS	22.4	33.7	46.0	27.8	23.3	23.3	19.8	19.4	13.6
8 YEARS	17.4	21.9	49.8	28.5	24.6	17.1	14.9	12.5	9.3
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	16.3	15.7	24.5	23.9	15.5	12.0	10.7	9.7	6.8
4 YEARS	8.1	(B)	11.3	9.7	8.0	6.1	5.8	5.8	4.6
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	4.9	(B)	9.5	5.8	3.9	3.5	4.0	4.5	2.9
<b>FEMALE</b>									
TOTAL	14.1	17.9	19.0	15.2	11.5	10.7	11.1	12.6	15.0
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	35.6	(B)	(B)	34.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	35.4
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	36.9	(B)	(B)	45.1	45.3	38.6	41.6	39.7	32.0
6 AND 7 YEARS	31.9	42.8	(B)	44.7	37.2	32.8	31.0	28.8	26.0
8 YEARS	25.1	26.4	50.7	48.8	29.6	24.3	17.1	22.0	20.7
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	22.9	14.9	32.6	39.8	28.0	18.8	16.3	16.6	17.2
4 YEARS	11.2	(B)	15.3	14.9	10.5	7.8	6.7	7.0	9.0
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	6.5	(B)	11.7	7.5	4.9	4.7	5.3	6.3	4.3
<b>WHITE</b>									
<b>ALL INCOME LEVELS</b>									
<b>BOTH SEXES</b>									
TOTAL	157 090	8 963	12 705	45 193	26 991	19 402	10 082	9 549	24 206
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	768	17	14	137	103	84	54	66	293
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	3 254	20	68	336	335	438	336	333	1 388
6 AND 7 YEARS	4 958	355	158	570	468	565	378	462	2 003
8 YEARS	10 216	1 669	233	790	699	896	786	882	4 260
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	25 107	6 788	2 753	4 037	2 333	2 310	1 500	1 379	4 007
4 YEARS	59 047	90	5 807	18 620	10 558	8 519	4 124	3 946	7 383
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	53 739	23	3 672	20 703	12 494	6 590	2 905	2 481	4 871
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.6	9.8	12.5	12.9	12.9	12.6	12.5	12.4	12.0
PERCENT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	71.8	1.3	74.6	87.0	85.4	77.9	69.7	67.3	50.6
<b>MALE</b>									
TOTAL	75 487	4 579	6 277	22 562	13 373	9 494	4 862	4 394	9 945
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	379	15	8	81	62	43	31	38	100
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	1 700	10	54	193	182	244	174	172	671
6 AND 7 YEARS	2 562	243	95	296	245	332	208	226	918
8 YEARS	4 935	943	116	425	335	489	420	447	1 762
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	11 843	3 320	1 454	2 072	1 094	1 049	694	569	1 591
4 YEARS	25 949	36	2 783	8 553	4 552	3 650	1 675	1 539	2 761
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	28 119	13	1 767	10 543	6 904	3 687	1 660	1 403	2 142
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.6	9.7	12.5	12.9	13.2	12.7	12.5	12.5	11.8
PERCENT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	71.6	1.1	72.5	86.4	85.7	77.3	68.6	66.9	49.3
<b>FEMALE</b>									
TOTAL	81 603	4 384	6 427	22 631	13 619	9 907	5 220	5 154	14 261
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	389	3	6	56	42	40	22	28	192
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	1 554	10	14	143	154	193	162	160	718
6 AND 7 YEARS	2 396	113	63	274	223	233	170	236	1 086
8 YEARS	5 280	726	117	365	365	407	367	435	2 498
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	13 265	3 468	1 298	1 965	1 240	1 261	806	810	2 416
4 YEARS	33 098	54	3 024	9 667	6 006	4 869	2 449	2 407	4 622
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	25 621	10	1 905	10 160	5 590	2 903	1 245	1 079	2 729
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.5	10.0	12.6	12.9	12.8	12.6	12.4	12.4	12.0
PERCENT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	72.0	1.5	76.7	87.6	85.2	78.4	70.8	67.6	51.5

**Table 9. Educational Attainment—Poverty Status in 1984 of Persons 15 Years and Over, by Age, Sex, and Race—Continued**  
 (NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS)							
		15 TO 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
<b>WHITE--CONTINUED</b>									
<b>INCOME BELOW POVERTY LEVEL</b>									
<b>BOTH SEXES</b>									
TOTAL	15 761	1 277	1 793	4 683	2 219	1 517	811	881	2 579
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	252	6	4	43	33	20	20	28	99
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	962	5	22	131	136	128	106	98	335
6 AND 7 YEARS	1 211	120	73	204	142	124	79	97	372
8 YEARS	1 903	330	97	270	172	159	93	136	645
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	3 965	802	612	1 070	413	292	173	147	456
4 YEARS	4 848	11	638	1 826	849	543	224	246	510
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	2 619	3	347	1 138	473	251	115	129	162
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	11.6	9.5	12.1	12.3	12.3	12.1	10.6	10.5	8.8
PERCENT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	47.4	1.1	55.0	63.3	59.6	52.4	41.8	42.6	26.1
<b>MALE</b>									
TOTAL	6 376	668	769	1 951	918	670	348	338	714
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	118	6	-	27	16	8	13	14	34
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	444	1	18	66	66	68	43	40	140
6 AND 7 YEARS	539	81	41	88	61	70	37	41	121
8 YEARS	738	173	46	113	77	79	49	53	148
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	1 532	405	251	424	141	103	64	45	101
4 YEARS	1 791	2	265	693	333	216	84	83	114
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	1 214	-	149	539	224	125	58	61	57
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	11.6	9.4	12.1	12.4	12.3	12.0	10.5	10.4	8.4
PERCENT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	47.1	0.3	53.8	63.2	60.6	51.0	40.8	42.9	23.9
<b>FEMALE</b>									
TOTAL	9 384	609	1 024	2 732	1 301	848	463	543	1 865
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	134	-	4	16	17	12	6	14	65
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	518	4	18	65	69	60	43	57	195
6 AND 7 YEARS	672	39	32	116	81	53	63	57	251
8 YEARS	1 165	157	51	157	95	80	44	83	496
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	2 433	397	370	646	273	189	109	102	356
4 YEARS	3 057	9	374	1 133	515	327	140	162	397
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	1 406	3	198	598	250	126	57	68	105
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	11.6	9.5	12.2	12.3	12.2	12.0	10.7	10.6	8.8
PERCENT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	47.6	2.0	55.8	63.4	58.8	53.4	42.6	42.4	26.9
<b>PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL</b>									
<b>BOTH SEXES</b>									
TOTAL	10.0	14.3	14.1	10.4	8.2	7.8	8.0	9.2	10.7
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	32.9	(8)	(8)	31.3	32.4	23.5	(8)	(8)	33.8
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	29.6	(8)	(8)	38.9	40.5	29.3	31.7	29.4	24.1
6 AND 7 YEARS	24.4	33.7	46.2	35.8	30.4	21.9	21.0	21.1	18.6
8 YEARS	18.6	19.8	41.5	34.2	24.6	17.8	11.9	15.4	15.1
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	15.8	11.8	22.2	26.5	17.7	12.6	11.5	10.6	11.4
4 YEARS	8.2	12.3	11.0	9.8	8.0	6.4	5.4	6.2	6.9
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	4.9	(8)	9.5	5.5	3.8	3.8	4.0	5.2	3.3
<b>MALE</b>									
TOTAL	8.4	14.6	12.2	8.6	6.9	7.1	7.2	7.7	7.2
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	31.2	(8)	(8)	33.1	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)	33.8
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	26.1	(8)	(8)	34.4	36.6	27.9	24.9	23.7	20.9
6 AND 7 YEARS	21.0	33.4	42.7	29.9	24.8	21.2	17.7	17.8	13.1
8 YEARS	15.0	18.4	39.4	26.5	23.1	16.2	11.8	11.8	8.4
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	12.9	12.2	17.3	20.5	12.9	9.8	9.2	7.9	6.3
4 YEARS	6.9	(8)	9.5	7.7	7.3	5.9	5.0	5.4	4.1
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	4.3	(8)	8.4	5.1	3.2	3.4	3.5	4.4	2.6
<b>FEMALE</b>									
TOTAL	11.5	13.9	15.9	12.1	9.5	8.6	8.9	10.5	13.1
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	34.5	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)	33.8
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	33.3	(8)	(8)	45.0	45.1	31.1	39.0	35.6	27.2
6 AND 7 YEARS	28.0	34.2	(8)	42.2	36.5	22.9	25.1	24.2	23.1
8 YEARS	22.1	21.6	43.6	43.1	26.0	19.7	12.0	19.2	19.9
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	18.3	11.5	27.8	32.9	22.0	15.0	13.6	12.6	14.7
4 YEARS	9.2	(8)	12.4	11.7	8.6	6.7	5.7	6.7	8.6
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	5.5	(8)	10.4	5.9	4.5	4.3	4.6	6.3	3.8

**Table 9. Educational Attainment—Poverty Status in 1984 of Persons 15 Years and Over, by Age, Sex, and Race—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS)							
		15 TO 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
<b>BLACK</b>									
<b>ALL INCOME LEVELS</b>									
<b>BOTH SEXES</b>									
TOTAL	20 234	1 627	2 188	6 506	3 270	2 359	1 087	959	2 238
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	236	2	13	36	23	18	15	14	115
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	1 033	4	3	28	59	105	99	159	576
6 AND 7 YEARS	1 109	121	16	66	99	175	110	112	409
8 YEARS	1 361	348	75	136	106	176	139	107	278
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	4 921	1 135	671	1 038	643	552	278	232	372
4 YEARS	6 738	13	948	2 927	1 246	800	302	211	291
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	4 835	4	461	2 274	1 096	533	143	123	200
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.2	9.7	12.3	12.7	12.6	12.2	10.9	9.9	8.1
PERCENT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	57.2	1.1	64.4	79.9	71.6	56.5	41.0	34.9	22.0
<b>MALE</b>									
TOTAL	9 141	816	1 037	2 966	1 466	1 053	490	424	890
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	142	2	13	20	13	13	7	9	65
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	552	3	2	16	34	66	66	89	276
6 AND 7 YEARS	516	64	11	33	63	85	49	62	150
8 YEARS	638	184	46	63	42	100	66	45	91
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	2 274	562	365	476	290	248	127	86	120
4 YEARS	2 884	2	432	1 340	506	305	116	78	106
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	2 136	-	168	1 018	517	236	60	55	82
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.2	9.6	12.2	12.7	12.6	12.0	10.4	9.2	7.4
PERCENT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	54.9	0.2	57.8	79.5	69.8	51.3	35.8	31.4	21.2
<b>FEMALE</b>									
TOTAL	11 092	811	1 151	3 539	1 804	1 306	598	535	1 348
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	94	-	-	16	9	5	8	5	51
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	482	2	1	11	24	39	33	71	300
6 AND 7 YEARS	593	57	5	34	36	90	61	50	259
8 YEARS	723	164	28	73	63	76	73	62	183
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	2 647	573	306	562	353	304	151	146	252
4 YEARS	3 854	11	516	1 587	740	496	187	133	185
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	2 700	4	293	1 256	579	297	84	69	118
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.3	9.8	12.5	12.7	12.6	12.3	11.4	10.5	8.3
PERCENT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	59.1	1.9	70.3	86.3	73.1	60.7	45.3	37.7	22.5
<b>INCOME BELOW POVERTY LEVEL</b>									
<b>BOTH SEXES</b>									
TOTAL	5 685	608	763	1 862	687	513	281	262	710
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	95	-	2	15	1	7	4	7	60
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	446	4	1	13	28	57	40	61	242
6 AND 7 YEARS	442	61	13	38	37	81	44	42	126
8 YEARS	578	153	61	83	46	57	56	37	86
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	1 923	388	345	532	245	151	71	75	116
4 YEARS	1 581	2	260	826	237	123	49	30	55
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	620	-	81	355	94	38	18	10	25
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	11.0	9.4	11.8	12.3	11.8	10.2	8.9	8.6	6.8
PERCENT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	38.7	0.3	44.7	63.4	48.1	31.4	23.6	15.2	11.3
<b>MALE</b>									
TOTAL	2 101	293	355	629	235	166	102	90	231
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	51	-	2	7	-	4	-	4	35
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	208	2	-	8	19	28	20	27	106
6 AND 7 YEARS	150	25	8	13	23	28	13	15	26
8 YEARS	239	74	38	30	16	24	23	10	24
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	728	191	187	170	71	50	26	17	16
4 YEARS	512	-	98	287	58	24	15	12	19
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	212	-	23	114	49	10	5	5	6
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	10.6	9.4	11.3	12.3	11.4	9.0	8.8	7.9	4.8
PERCENT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	34.5	-	34.0	63.8	45.5	20.5	19.5	18.9	10.6
<b>FEMALE</b>									
TOTAL	3 584	315	408	1 232	451	347	180	172	479
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	44	-	-	7	1	3	-	3	25
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	237	2	1	5	9	29	20	34	137
6 AND 7 YEARS	292	36	5	25	14	53	31	26	101
8 YEARS	339	79	23	53	30	33	32	28	62
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	1 195	196	159	362	174	102	45	58	100
4 YEARS	1 069	2	162	539	179	100	34	18	36
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	408	-	58	241	45	27	13	5	19
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	11.2	9.4	12.1	12.3	12.0	10.6	9.1	8.8	7.6
PERCENT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	41.2	0.6	54.0	63.3	49.5	36.6	25.9	13.3	11.6

**Table 9. Educational Attainment—Poverty Status in 1984 of Persons 15 Years and Over, by Age, Sex, and Race—Continued**  
 (NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS)							
		15 TO 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
<b>BLACK--CONTINUED</b>									
<b>PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL</b>									
<b>BOTH SEXES</b>									
TOTAL	28.1	37.3	34.9	28.6	21.0	21.8	25.9	27.3	31.7
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	40.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	43.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
6 AND 7 YEARS	39.9	50.6	(E)	(B)	37.4	53.8	39.9	38.5	42.0
8 YEARS	42.5	43.9	81.1	61.2	43.4	46.2	40.4	37.0	30.8
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	39.1	34.2	51.4	51.2	38.1	32.3	40.1	34.7	31.3
4 YEARS	23.5	(B)	27.5	28.2	19.0	27.4	25.5	32.4	31.2
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	12.8	(B)	17.5	15.6	8.6	15.4	16.1	14.2	18.8
						7.1	12.3	8.0	12.6
<b>MALE</b>									
TOTAL	23.0	35.8	34.3	21.2	16.1	15.8	20.8	21.1	25.9
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	36.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	37.8	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
6 AND 7 YEARS	29.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	30.3	36.3
8 YEARS	37.4	40.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	32.6	(B)	(B)	17.0
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	32.0	34.1	51.1	35.7	24.4	23.7	(B)	(B)	26.6
4 YEARS	17.7	(B)	22.7	21.4	11.4	20.0	20.2	20.2	13.6
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	9.9	(B)	13.4	11.2	9.5	7.7	13.2	15.1	17.4
						4.4	(B)	(B)	7.2
<b>FEMALE</b>									
TOTAL	32.3	38.9	35.4	34.8	25.0	26.6	30.1	32.2	35.6
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	46.5	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	49.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
6 AND 7 YEARS	49.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	45.5
8 YEARS	46.9	48.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	59.0	(B)	(B)	38.8
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	45.1	34.3	51.7	64.3	49.3	43.4	(B)	(B)	33.6
4 YEARS	27.7	(B)	31.4	34.0	24.2	33.4	30.0	39.6	39.7
COLLEGE: 1 OR MORE YEARS	15.1	(B)	19.8	19.2	7.7	20.1	18.0	13.6	19.6
						9.2	15.5	(B)	16.4



**Table 10. Work Experience—Poverty Status in 1984 of Persons 15 Years and Over, by Age, Sex, and Race**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS)											
		15 TO 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 24	25 TO 29	30 TO 34	35 TO 39	40 TO 44	45 TO 49	50 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
<b>ALL RACES</b>													
<b>ALL INCOME LEVELS</b>													
<b>BOTH SEXES</b>													
TOTAL	182 316	10 947	15 352	53 350	31 299	22 398	11 432	10 719	26 818				
WORKED LAST YEAR	122 109	4 447	11 801	44 688	26 076	17 761	7 802	5 474	4 059				
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	43.3	21.6	33.1	44.2	46.7	47.2	46.8	44.8	38.1				
WORKED FULL-TIME	94 417	684	6 342	37 332	22 193	15 192	6 565	4 324	1 786				
50 TO 52 WEEKS	70 424	62	2 578	27 022	18 172	12 707	5 407	3 337	1 140				
40 TO 49 WEEKS	7 953	20	684	3 680	1 606	1 066	456	317	123				
27 TO 39 WEEKS	5 619	33	749	2 497	1 058	596	318	237	132				
26 WEEKS OR LESS	10 421	569	2 331	4 133	1 358	821	385	433	391				
WORKED PART-TIME	27 692	3 764	5 459	7 356	3 883	2 570	1 237	1 151	2 273				
50 TO 52 WEEKS	9 948	635	1 559	2 762	1 723	1 186	586	549	949				
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3 284	233	655	878	523	353	169	153	320				
27 TO 39 WEEKS	3 182	328	698	1 012	446	264	129	106	199				
26 WEEKS OR LESS	11 278	2 568	2 547	2 704	1 191	767	352	343	805				
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	41 737	3 751	7 664	14 904	6 181	3 868	1 810	1 589	1 970				
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:													
ILL OR DISABLED	2 616	15	158	795	528	419	239	217	245				
KEEPING HOUSE	7 344	38	417	3 336	1 825	963	331	220	215				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	13 758	244	2 009	6 279	2 499	1 577	646	384	121				
OTHER	18 019	3 453	5 080	4 494	1 331	910	594	768	1 389				
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:													
1 TO 4 WEEKS	3 731	315	838	1 676	508	228	87	60	19				
5 TO 14 WEEKS	6 004	214	962	2 734	1 054	591	261	142	47				
15 TO 26 WEEKS	4 377	89	683	1 978	748	522	202	117	39				
27 WEEKS OR MORE	3 624	115	635	1 535	623	410	164	106	37				
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	59 282	6 499	3 668	8 099	4 991	4 553	3 628	5 243	22 759				
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:													
ILL OR DISABLED	8 288	36	94	743	891	1 133	947	1 069	3 374				
KEEPING HOUSE	20 111	89	605	4 975	3 310	2 743	1 805	1 893	4 691				
GOING TO SCHOOL	9 632	6 157	2 122	1 121	159	58	9	5	1				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	2 713	138	460	1 017	483	335	156	67	56				
RETIRED	17 373	-	-	8	33	181	612	2 107	14 432				
OTHER	1 165	79	187	234	115	143	100	103	204				
IN ARMED FORCES	925	(X)	83	563	232	44	1	2	-				
<b>MALE</b>													
TOTAL	87 034	5 582	7 548	26 332	15 333	10 848	5 458	4 919	11 014				
WORKED LAST YEAR	66 513	2 384	6 061	24 033	14 214	9 797	4 467	3 156	2 403				
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	44.7	21.6	33.5	45.7	48.7	48.6	48.1	45.5	38.8				
WORKED FULL-TIME	56 995	447	3 619	21 883	13 627	9 305	4 179	2 736	1 198				
50 TO 52 WEEKS	43 836	44	1 437	16 300	11 606	7 966	3 543	2 140	802				
40 TO 49 WEEKS	4 454	18	418	2 090	845	576	243	194	68				
27 TO 39 WEEKS	3 095	18	421	1 365	557	328	186	149	72				
26 WEEKS OR LESS	5 610	367	1 344	2 128	620	434	208	253	256				
WORKED PART-TIME	9 518	1 936	2 441	2 150	587	491	288	420	1 205				
50 TO 52 WEEKS	3 175	347	732	850	257	195	116	182	496				
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 083	106	314	267	69	66	37	54	168				
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 028	176	281	289	58	51	29	31	113				
26 WEEKS OR LESS	4 233	1 307	1 114	744	203	178	106	153	427				
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	19 502	1 993	3 892	6 884	2 351	1 635	808	835	1 105				
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:													
ILL OR DISABLED	1 301	8	68	369	243	225	106	126	155				
KEEPING HOUSE	158	5	15	59	24	28	6	12	8				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	8 775	161	1 264	4 073	1 561	997	396	254	70				
OTHER	9 268	1 819	2 545	2 392	523	385	299	443	872				
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:													
1 TO 4 WEEKS	1 767	152	402	796	235	101	35	39	9				
5 TO 14 WEEKS	3 492	126	529	1 636	584	344	150	90	27				
15 TO 26 WEEKS	2 759	53	412	1 275	466	332	122	75	24				
27 WEEKS OR MORE	2 385	74	418	1 005	402	273	114	77	22				
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	19 595	3 198	1 404	1 736	887	1 008	991	1 760	8 612				
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:													
ILL OR DISABLED	3 720	14	56	466	506	602	505	513	1 059				
KEEPING HOUSE	174	7	7	29	12	35	10	15	49				
GOING TO SCHOOL	4 718	3 037	993	591	49	24	4	-	-				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 405	78	244	517	249	174	88	23	33				
RETIRED	9 142	-	-	7	25	120	356	1 188	7 447				
OTHER	435	32	104	126	47	53	29	21	24				
IN ARMED FORCES	925	(X)	83	563	232	44	1	2	-				

**Table 10. Work Experience—Poverty Status in 1984 of Persons 15 Years and Over, by Age, Sex, and Race—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS)							
		15 TO 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 24	25 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64
<b>ALL RACES--CONTINUED</b>									
<b>ALL INCOME LEVELS--CONTINUED</b>									
<b>FEMALE</b>									
TOTAL	95 282	5 365	7 804	27 018	15 966	11 550	5 973	5 801	15 804
WORKED LAST YEAR	55 596	2 064	5 740	20 655	11 862	7 965	3 336	2 318	1 656
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	41.6	21.6	32.7	42.4	44.3	45.6	45.1	43.9	37.1
WORKED FULL-TIME	37 422	236	2 722	15 449	8 566	5 886	2 387	1 587	588
50 TO 52 WEEKS	26 587	18	1 141	10 723	6 565	4 741	1 864	1 197	338
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3 499	2	266	1 590	761	490	213	123	55
27 TO 39 WEEKS	2 523	15	328	1 132	501	268	132	88	60
26 WEEKS OR LESS	4 812	201	987	2 005	739	388	178	180	135
WORKED PART-TIME	18 174	1 828	3 018	5 206	3 296	2 078	949	731	1 068
50 TO 52 WEEKS	6 774	827	1 912	1 466	454	991	470	367	453
40 TO 49 WEEKS	2 201	126	611	724	388	212	100	75	152
27 TO 39 WEEKS	2 154	152	417	724	388	212	100	75	86
26 WEEKS OR LESS	7 045	1 261	1 433	1 960	988	589	247	191	378
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	22 235	1 758	3 772	8 021	3 830	2 233	1 001	754	866
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 315	7	90	426	285	194	133	91	90
KEEPING HOUSE	7 186	33	402	3 277	1 801	935	324	208	207
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	4 983	83	745	2 206	937	580	250	130	52
OTHER	8 751	1 634	2 535	2 112	807	525	295	325	517
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	1 964	164	436	880	273	127	52	21	10
5 TO 14 WEEKS	2 512	88	433	1 096	470	242	111	52	20
15 TO 26 WEEKS	1 618	36	271	703	282	190	80	42	15
27 WEEKS OR MORE	1 239	41	217	529	220	137	51	29	15
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	39 686	3 301	2 064	6 363	4 104	3 586	2 637	3 483	14 147
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	4 568	22	38	278	385	531	442	556	2 316
KEEPING HOUSE	19 936	72	598	4 946	3 298	2 707	1 795	1 877	4 642
GOING TO SCHOOL	4 915	3 100	1 129	530	110	34	5	5	1
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 307	61	215	501	234	161	68	44	23
RETIRED	8 231	-	-	2	8	62	256	918	6 984
OTHER	730	47	83	107	68	90	71	82	181
<b>INCOME BELOW POVERTY LEVEL</b>									
<b>BOTH SEXES</b>									
TOTAL	22 246	1 965	2 668	6 823	3 063	2 100	1 131	1 167	3 330
WORKED LAST YEAR	9 104	472	1 476	3 897	1 578	907	400	224	151
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	31.3	16.9	25.8	31.2	35.6	36.6	38.1	35.5	33.2
WORKED FULL-TIME	5 418	113	750	2 529	1 052	558	230	121	66
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 076	10	125	851	525	326	137	65	37
40 TO 49 WEEKS	476	4	67	258	81	36	19	9	1
27 TO 39 WEEKS	633	5	118	329	102	46	18	10	5
26 WEEKS OR LESS	2 233	94	439	1 092	343	150	55	37	22
WORKED PART-TIME	3 687	359	726	1 368	527	348	170	103	85
50 TO 52 WEEKS	947	45	121	342	182	128	61	41	26
40 TO 49 WEEKS	343	6	73	131	61	25	26	7	14
27 TO 39 WEEKS	399	6	92	175	52	29	13	11	5
26 WEEKS OR LESS	1 997	286	439	721	232	166	70	44	40
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	6 082	417	1 230	2 704	871	453	202	118	87
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	392	2	35	126	93	60	34	21	22
KEEPING HOUSE	1 030	10	138	524	218	86	27	14	13
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	2 458	31	391	1 286	397	207	102	35	8
OTHER	2 202	374	666	768	163	99	38	48	45
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	485	32	120	233	58	24	11	2	3
5 TO 14 WEEKS	763	27	149	388	134	35	20	5	5
15 TO 26 WEEKS	873	22	149	461	114	75	38	15	1
27 WEEKS OR MORE	1 150	17	177	589	187	115	40	21	5
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	13 115	1 493	1 188	2 905	1 484	1 193	730	943	3 179
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	2 737	17	28	306	387	442	326	352	879
KEEPING HOUSE	4 128	45	273	1 625	681	475	216	231	582
GOING TO SCHOOL	2 280	1 341	544	316	51	21	3	2	1
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 426	56	244	556	295	169	64	23	19
RETIRED	2 081	-	-	1	7	21	89	310	1 653
OTHER	463	34	99	100	62	66	33	25	44
IN ARMED FORCES	26	(X)	4	21	1	-	-	-	-

Table 10. Work Experience—Poverty Status in 1984 of Persons 15 Years and Over, by Age, Sex, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS)							
		15 TO 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
<b>ALL RACES--CONTINUED</b>									
<b>INCOME BELOW POVERTY LEVEL--CONTINUED</b>									
<b>MALE</b>									
TOTAL	8 855	1 004	1 183	2 716	1 221	866	468	438	959
WORKED LAST YEAR	4 660	258	709	2 025	778	495	202	110	83
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	32.2	16.5	26.1	32.1	36.9	37.8	38.3	38.2	34.1
WORKED FULL-TIME	3 240	70	415	1 513	630	358	142	70	43
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 349	7	81	552	333	216	89	45	26
40 TO 49 WEEKS	280	3	41	148	53	22	7	4	1
27 TO 39 WEEKS	360	4	50	195	69	26	10	4	2
26 WEEKS OR LESS	1 251	55	243	618	175	94	36	16	14
WORKED PART-TIME	1 419	188	294	512	148	137	61	40	40
50 TO 52 WEEKS	324	20	43	119	36	52	21	19	15
40 TO 49 WEEKS	110	1	29	44	16	10	6	-	3
27 TO 39 WEEKS	141	14	43	55	12	5	9	3	2
26 WEEKS OR LESS	844	153	179	294	83	71	25	18	20
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	2 986	231	585	1 354	408	227	92	45	42
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	208	2	19	70	56	30	9	11	11
KEEPING HOUSE	36	-	8	13	6	7	1	-	-
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 583	20	241	846	258	133	66	14	6
OTHER	1 159	209	317	425	88	58	16	21	26
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	214	14	64	102	18	8	5	-	1
5 TO 14 WEEKS	428	20	69	229	81	15	8	3	4
15 TO 26 WEEKS	530	10	82	293	69	48	22	6	-
27 WEEKS OR MORE	769	12	115	305	123	80	33	8	4
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	4 169	746	469	670	443	371	266	328	876
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 131	8	11	188	220	197	143	134	229
KEEPING HOUSE	70	6	7	19	4	19	5	5	6
GOING TO SCHOOL	1 126	692	252	148	24	8	2	-	-
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	753	32	140	252	164	97	46	13	10
RETIRED	861	-	-	-	2	9	54	167	629
OTHER	228	9	59	62	29	40	17	9	2
IN ARMED FORCES	26	(X)	4	21	1	-	-	-	-
<b>FEMALE</b>									
TOTAL	13 391	961	1 485	4 107	1 842	1 234	663	729	2 370
WORKED LAST YEAR	4 444	214	767	1 872	801	411	198	114	67
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	30.4	17.4	25.5	30.1	34.3	35.2	37.9	32.9	32.1
WORKED FULL-TIME	2 177	43	335	1 016	422	200	88	51	22
50 TO 52 WEEKS	726	2	44	299	192	110	48	19	11
40 TO 49 WEEKS	196	1	26	110	28	14	12	4	-
27 TO 39 WEEKS	273	-	69	134	33	21	9	5	3
26 WEEKS OR LESS	2 982	39	196	473	168	56	20	22	9
WORKED PART-TIME	2 267	171	432	856	379	211	110	63	45
50 TO 52 WEEKS	623	26	78	223	146	76	40	22	12
40 TO 49 WEEKS	233	5	44	87	45	15	20	7	10
27 TO 39 WEEKS	258	8	50	120	39	25	4	8	3
26 WEEKS OR LESS	1 153	133	260	426	149	94	45	26	20
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	3 096	186	645	1 350	463	225	109	73	45
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	184	-	15	56	37	30	25	10	11
KEEPING HOUSE	994	10	129	511	212	79	26	14	13
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	875	11	150	441	139	75	36	22	2
OTHER	1 042	165	350	343	75	42	23	27	19
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	271	18	56	131	40	16	6	2	2
5 TO 14 WEEKS	335	7	80	159	53	20	12	2	1
15 TO 26 WEEKS	343	12	67	168	45	27	15	8	1
27 WEEKS OR MORE	381	6	62	194	63	35	6	14	1
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	8 947	747	719	2 235	1 041	823	464	615	2 303
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 606	9	17	118	167	245	183	218	650
KEEPING HOUSE	4 058	39	266	1 606	678	456	211	226	576
GOING TO SCHOOL	1 154	649	292	168	27	13	1	2	1
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	673	24	104	304	132	72	18	10	10
RETIRED	1 220	-	-	-	1	5	35	143	1 024
OTHER	235	25	40	38	33	26	16	15	42

**Table 10. Work Experience—Poverty Status in 1984 of Persons 15 Years and Over, by Age, Sex, and Race—Continued**  
 (NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS, PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS)											
		15 TO 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 24	25 TO 29	30 TO 34	35 TO 39	40 TO 44	45 TO 49	50 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
<b>ALL RACES--CONTINUED</b>													
<b>PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL</b>													
<b>BOTH SEXES</b>													
TOTAL . . . . .	12.2	17.9	17.4	12.8	9.8	9.4	9.9	10.9	12.4				
WORKED LAST YEAR . . . . .	7.5	10.6	12.5	8.7	6.1	5.1	5.1	4.1	3.7				
WORKED FULL-TIME . . . . .	5.7	16.5	11.8	6.8	4.7	3.7	3.5	2.8	3.7				
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	2.9	(B)	4.8	3.1	2.9	2.6	2.5	1.9	3.3				
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	6.0	(B)	9.8	7.0	5.0	3.4	4.3	2.8	3.3				
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	11.3	(B)	15.8	13.2	9.8	7.8	5.7	4.1	1.1				
26 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	21.4	16.6	18.8	26.4	25.3	18.3	14.3	8.6	5.7				
WORKED PART-TIME . . . . .	13.3	9.5	13.3	18.6	13.6	13.6	13.8	9.0	3.7				
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	9.5	7.1	7.8	12.4	10.6	10.8	10.4	7.4	2.7				
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	10.4	2.7	11.1	14.9	11.7	7.0	15.3	4.8	4.3				
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	12.6	6.6	13.2	17.2	11.6	11.2	10.3	10.5	2.7				
26 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	17.7	11.1	17.3	26.6	19.5	21.6	19.8	12.8	5.0				
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS . . . . .	14.6	11.1	16.0	18.1	14.1	11.7	11.1	7.4	4.4				
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:													
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	15.0	(B)	21.9	15.8	17.6	14.4	14.3	9.6	8.8				
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	14.0	(B)	33.0	12.0	12.0	8.9	8.3	6.3	5.9				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	17.9	12.7	19.5	20.5	15.9	13.1	15.8	9.2	6.5				
OTHER . . . . .	12.2	10.8	13.1	17.1	12.2	10.9	6.4	6.3	3.2				
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:													
1 TO 4 WEEKS . . . . .	13.0	10.2	14.4	13.9	11.5	10.7	13.2	(B)	(B)				
5 TO 14 WEEKS . . . . .	12.7	12.4	15.5	14.2	12.7	6.0	7.8	3.4	(B)				
15 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	19.9	24.5	21.8	23.3	15.2	14.3	18.7	12.4	(B)				
27 WEEKS OR MORE . . . . .	31.7	15.1	27.8	38.4	30.0	27.9	24.2	19.9	(B)				
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR . . . . .	22.1	23.0	34.3	35.9	29.7	26.0	20.1	18.0	14.0				
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:													
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	33.0	(B)	29.5	41.2	43.5	39.0	34.4	32.9	26.1				
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	20.5	50.3	45.1	32.7	20.6	17.3	11.9	12.2	12.4				
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	23.7	21.8	25.6	28.2	32.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	52.6	40.5	53.1	54.6	61.1	50.4	40.9	(B)	(B)				
RETIRED . . . . .	12.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	11.4	14.6	14.7	11.5				
OTHER . . . . .	39.8	43.3	53.1	42.9	53.5	45.9	33.0	24.2	21.7				
IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	2.8	(X)	5.1	3.8	0.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
<b>MALE</b>													
TOTAL . . . . .	10.2	18.0	15.7	10.3	8.0	8.0	8.6	8.9	8.7				
WORKED LAST YEAR . . . . .	7.0	10.8	11.7	8.4	5.5	5.1	4.5	3.5	3.5				
WORKED FULL-TIME . . . . .	5.7	15.6	11.5	6.9	4.6	3.8	3.4	2.6	3.6				
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	3.1	(B)	5.6	3.4	2.9	2.7	2.5	2.1	3.3				
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	6.3	(B)	9.9	7.1	6.2	3.8	3.0	2.3	(B)				
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	11.6	(B)	11.8	14.3	12.4	7.9	5.2	3.0	(B)				
26 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	22.3	15.1	18.1	29.0	28.3	21.7	17.1	6.2	5.4				
WORKED PART-TIME . . . . .	14.9	9.7	12.1	23.8	25.2	28.0	21.0	9.5	3.3				
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	10.2	5.6	5.9	14.0	14.2	26.5	17.9	10.5	2.9				
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	10.1	1.4	9.2	16.5	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	2.0				
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	13.8	(B)	15.2	19.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	1.7				
26 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	19.9	11.7	16.1	39.5	40.7	40.0	23.5	11.9	4.7				
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS . . . . .	15.3	11.6	15.0	19.7	17.4	13.9	11.4	5.4	3.8				
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:													
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	16.0	(B)	(B)	18.9	23.0	13.4	8.8	8.5	6.8				
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	22.9	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	18.0	12.4	19.1	20.8	16.5	13.3	16.8	5.3	(B)				
OTHER . . . . .	12.5	11.5	12.4	17.8	16.9	15.0	5.2	4.8	3.0				
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:													
1 TO 4 WEEKS . . . . .	12.1	9.3	16.0	12.8	7.9	8.0	(B)	(B)	(B)				
5 TO 14 WEEKS . . . . .	12.3	15.8	13.1	14.0	13.8	4.3	5.3	3.1	(B)				
15 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	19.2	(B)	19.8	22.9	14.7	14.5	18.2	8.3	(B)				
27 WEEKS OR MORE . . . . .	32.3	(B)	27.4	39.3	30.6	29.3	29.4	9.8	(B)				
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR . . . . .	21.3	23.3	33.4	38.6	49.9	36.8	26.8	18.6	10.2				
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:													
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	30.4	(B)	(B)	40.5	43.6	32.7	28.3	26.1	21.7				
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	40.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	23.9	22.6	25.4	25.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	53.6	40.7	57.4	48.7	65.8	55.8	51.9	(B)	(B)				
RETIRED . . . . .	9.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	7.8	15.1	14.0	8.4				
OTHER . . . . .	52.3	(B)	57.0	49.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	2.8	(X)	5.1	3.8	0.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				

Table 10. Work Experience—Poverty Status in 1984 of Persons 15 Years and Over, by Age, Sex, and Race—Continued

INUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT

WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS)							
		15 TO 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 24	25 TO 29	30 TO 34	35 TO 39	40 TO 44	45 AND OVER
<b>ALL RACES--CONTINUED</b>									
<b>PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL--CONTINUED</b>									
<b>FEMALE</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	14.1	17.9	19.0	15.2	11.5	10.7	11.1	12.6	15.0
WORKED LAST YEAR . . . . .	8.0	10.4	13.4	9.1	6.7	5.2	5.9	4.9	4.1
WORKED FULL-TIME . . . . .	5.8	18.2	12.3	6.6	4.9	3.4	3.7	3.2	3.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	2.7	(8)	3.9	2.8	2.9	2.3	2.6	1.6	3.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	5.6	(8)	9.8	6.9	3.7	2.9	5.7	3.5	(8)
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	10.8	(8)	20.9	11.8	6.6	7.7	6.5	6.0	(8)
26 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	20.4	19.4	19.9	23.6	22.8	14.4	11.0	12.0	6.3
WORKED PART-TIME . . . . .	12.5	9.4	14.3	16.4	11.5	10.1	11.5	8.7	4.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	9.2	9.0	9.4	11.7	9.9	7.7	8.6	5.9	2.5
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	10.6	3.8	12.9	14.2	9.9	5.3	15.0	7.4	6.7
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	12.0	5.1	11.9	16.6	10.1	11.7	4.4	11.3	3.9
26 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	16.4	10.5	18.2	21.8	15.1	16.0	18.2	13.6	5.3
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS . . . . .	13.9	10.6	17.1	16.8	12.1	10.1	10.9	9.7	5.2
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	14.0	(8)	17.1	13.1	13.0	15.4	18.8	11.1	12.2
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	13.8	(8)	32.2	15.6	11.8	8.5	8.1	6.7	6.1
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	17.6	13.3	20.2	20.0	14.9	12.9	14.2	16.8	(8)
OTHER . . . . .	11.9	10.1	13.8	16.2	9.2	7.9	7.7	8.3	3.7
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS . . . . .	13.8	11.0	12.9	14.9	14.6	12.9	(8)	14.9	(8)
5 TO 14 WEEKS . . . . .	13.3	7.5	18.4	14.5	11.4	8.4	11.2	(8)	(8)
15 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	21.2	(8)	24.7	23.9	16.1	14.0	19.4	(8)	(8)
27 WEEKS OR MORE . . . . .	30.7	(8)	28.6	36.6	28.8	25.2	(8)	(8)	(8)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR . . . . .	22.5	22.6	34.8	35.1	25.4	23.0	17.6	17.7	16.3
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	35.2	(8)	(8)	42.5	43.3	46.2	41.3	39.2	28.1
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	20.4	(8)	44.5	32.5	20.5	16.8	11.7	12.1	12.4
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	23.5	20.9	25.9	31.7	24.7	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	51.5	(8)	48.1	60.6	56.2	44.6	(8)	(8)	(8)
RETIRED . . . . .	14.8	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)	13.8	15.6	14.7
OTHER . . . . .	32.3	(8)	48.3	35.2	(8)	28.4	(8)	18.8	23.4
<b>WHITE</b>									
<b>ALL INCOME LEVELS</b>									
<b>BOTH SEXES</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	157 090	8 963	12 705	45 193	26 991	19 402	10 082	9 549	24 206
WORKED LAST YEAR . . . . .	106 711	4 032	10 294	38 603	22 735	15 525	6 976	4 900	3 645
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED . . . . .	43.4	22.2	33.6	44.4	46.8	47.3	46.9	44.8	37.8
WORKED FULL-TIME . . . . .	82 405	619	5 590	32 281	19 265	13 277	5 873	3 897	1 603
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	61 684	55	2 286	23 487	15 840	11 130	4 854	3 010	1 022
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	6 957	20	632	3 185	1 408	920	410	275	108
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	4 875	33	651	2 180	893	516	274	217	111
26 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	8 888	510	2 022	3 428	1 124	711	336	395	362
WORKED PART-TIME . . . . .	24 306	3 414	4 704	6 323	3 470	2 248	1 103	1 003	2 042
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	8 805	600	1 394	2 403	1 549	1 023	523	480	832
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	2 973	226	595	790	468	323	151	129	289
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	2 815	306	607	874	401	234	118	90	186
26 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	9 714	2 281	2 107	2 256	1 052	668	311	304	735
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS . . . . .	36 223	3 377	6 614	12 714	5 346	3 372	1 600	1 410	1 790
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	2 179	15	137	689	436	334	195	174	199
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	6 715	32	354	3 011	1 699	907	313	214	184
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	11 435	216	1 689	5 124	2 066	1 345	560	328	105
OTHER . . . . .	15 895	3 113	4 434	3 890	1 145	785	531	694	1 302
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS . . . . .	3 266	280	744	1 465	441	195	78	48	16
5 TO 14 WEEKS . . . . .	5 183	185	833	2 340	928	520	221	115	41
15 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	3 577	73	560	1 590	596	450	166	102	39
27 WEEKS OR MORE . . . . .	2 769	93	482	1 131	464	330	145	96	27
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR . . . . .	49 643	4 930	2 342	6 146	4 072	3 840	3 105	4 646	20 561
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	6 406	31	68	512	633	861	715	829	2 757
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	17 802	61	450	4 195	2 911	2 411	1 659	1 754	4 362
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	7 069	4 695	1 450	756	113	45	5	3	1
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	1 628	90	253	532	304	244	115	50	41
RETIRED . . . . .	15 872	-	-	6	28	171	527	1 916	13 224
OTHER . . . . .	865	54	122	145	83	107	84	94	175
IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	736	(X)	68	443	184	37	1	2	-

**Table 10. Work Experience—Poverty Status in 1984 of Persons 15 Years and Over, by Age, Sex, and Race—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS)											
		15 TO 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 24	25 TO 29	30 TO 34	35 TO 39	40 TO 44	45 TO 49	50 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
<b>WHITE--CONTINUED</b>													
<b>ALL INCOME LEVELS--CONTINUED</b>													
<b>MALE</b>													
TOTAL	75 487	4 579	6 277	22 562	13 373	9 494	4 862	4 394	9 945				
WORKED LAST YEAR	58 834	2 164	5 287	21 015	12 578	8 672	4 072	2 862	2 184				
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	45.0	22.2	34.0	46.0	49.0	48.7	48.4	45.6	38.6				
WORKED FULL-TIME	50 658	405	3 207	19 282	12 102	8 271	3 818	2 493	1 080				
50 TO 52 WEEKS	39 229	42	1 272	14 473	10 395	7 108	3 260	1 954	725				
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3 939	18	389	1 835	745	499	226	170	57				
27 TO 39 WEEKS	2 716	18	372	1 214	466	296	150	136	63				
26 WEEKS OR LESS	4 774	326	1 174	1 760	495	368	181	234	236				
WORKED PART-TIME	8 176	1 759	2 080	1 733	477	401	255	369	1 103				
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 760	329	640	694	221	156	110	159	453				
40 TO 49 WEEKS	989	102	292	238	61	63	36	48	150				
27 TO 39 WEEKS	890	166	240	235	44	42	28	30	105				
26 WEEKS OR LESS	3 537	1 163	907	566	151	141	80	132	396				
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	16 844	1 793	3 375	5 848	1 963	1 407	702	749	1 007				
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:													
ILL OR DISABLED	1 087	8	55	325	188	187	90	108	126				
KEEPING HOUSE	140	5	9	54	22	25	6	12	6				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	7 345	145	1 057	3 383	1 297	849	339	217	58				
OTHER	8 272	1 635	2 254	2 086	456	347	266	412	816				
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:													
1 TO 4 WEEKS	1 542	133	349	702	209	78	32	32	8				
5 TO 14 WEEKS	3 102	103	479	1 457	519	316	133	70	24				
15 TO 26 WEEKS	2 282	47	340	1 057	376	280	203	66	24				
27 WEEKS OR MORE	1 804	62	307	732	300	222	97	71	14				
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	15 917	2 415	922	1 104	610	785	789	1 530	7 761				
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:													
ILL OR DISABLED	2 870	13	41	315	356	465	393	414	873				
KEEPING HOUSE	125	8	3	21	6	28	6	10	42				
GOING TO SCHOOL	3 472	2 323	696	406	27	18	1	12	24				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	838	47	113	284	167	126	64	12	12				
RETIRED	8 323	-	-	5	22	111	302	1 073	6 810				
OTHER	288	24	68	73	32	36	23	21	12				
IN ARMED FORCES	736	(X)	68	443	184	37	1	2	-				
<b>FEMALE</b>													
TOTAL	81 603	4 384	6 427	22 631	13 619	9 907	5 220	5 154	14 261				
WORKED LAST YEAR	47 877	1 868	5 007	17 589	10 156	6 853	2 904	2 038	1 461				
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	41.5	22.2	33.3	42.4	44.1	45.4	44.8	43.7	36.6				
WORKED FULL-TIME	31 748	214	2 383	12 999	7 163	5 006	2 056	1 404	522				
50 TO 52 WEEKS	22 455	13	1 014	9 014	5 445	4 021	1 593	1 056	298				
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3 019	2	243	1 350	662	421	184	105	51				
27 TO 39 WEEKS	2 160	15	278	966	427	220	124	81	48				
26 WEEKS OR LESS	4 114	184	848	1 668	429	344	155	161	126				
WORKED PART-TIME	16 130	1 654	2 624	4 590	2 993	1 847	848	634	939				
50 TO 52 WEEKS	6 044	272	754	1 709	1 328	867	413	321	380				
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 984	124	303	553	408	261	114	81	140				
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 925	140	367	639	357	192	90	60	81				
26 WEEKS OR LESS	6 176	1 118	1 200	1 689	901	527	231	172	338				
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	19 378	1 583	3 239	6 866	3 383	1 965	898	661	784				
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:													
ILL OR DISABLED	1 092	7	82	364	248	148	105	66	73				
KEEPING HOUSE	6 575	27	345	2 957	1 677	882	308	202	178				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	4 089	71	632	1 741	770	496	221	111	47				
OTHER	7 622	1 478	2 181	1 804	689	439	265	282	485				
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:													
1 TO 4 WEEKS	1 725	147	395	763	232	117	47	16	8				
5 TO 14 WEEKS	2 081	82	354	883	409	204	88	45	17				
15 TO 26 WEEKS	1 295	27	220	534	221	171	73	36	15				
27 WEEKS OR MORE	965	32	175	400	165	108	48	24	13				
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	33 726	2 515	1 420	5 042	3 462	3 054	2 316	3 116	12 799				
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:													
ILL OR DISABLED	3 536	18	27	197	277	396	323	415	1 884				
KEEPING HOUSE	17 677	54	446	4 174	2 905	2 383	1 653	1 744	4 319				
GOING TO SCHOOL	3 598	2 371	754	350	86	27	4	3	1				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	790	42	139	248	137	118	51	37	16				
RETIRED	7 549	-	-	1	7	59	225	843	6 415				
OTHER	577	30	54	72	51	71	61	74	164				

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WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS)							
		15 TO 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
<b>WHITE--CONTINUED</b>									
<b>INCOME BELOW POVERTY LEVEL</b>									
<b>BOTH SEXES</b>									
TOTAL	15 761	1 277	1 793	4 683	2 219	1 517	811	881	2 579
WORKED LAST YEAR	6 866	358	1 108	2 899	1 242	691	289	164	115
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	32.1	19.6	27.3	31.6	36.1	37.0	38.3	35.0	34.6
WORKED FULL-TIME	4 167	88	564	1 910	828	450	171	102	54
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 654	4	97	656	432	270	101	55	33
40 TO 49 WEEKS	355	10	63	182	58	27	13	7	1
27 TO 39 WEEKS	516	5	100	273	77	40	10	10	2
26 WEEKS OR LESS	1 442	70	304	799	261	114	46	31	17
WORKED PART-TIME	2 699	270	544	989	413	241	118	62	61
50 TO 52 WEEKS	698	45	97	242	146	78	47	23	20
40 TO 49 WEEKS	269	6	65	113	50	25	16	2	11
27 TO 39 WEEKS	303	21	66	127	42	24	9	6	5
26 WEEKS OR LESS	1 409	198	315	507	175	114	46	29	25
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	4 514	303	913	2 001	664	343	142	86	62
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	290	2	27	108	74	36	18	11	14
KEEPING HOUSE	812	10	102	401	182	73	25	12	7
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 750	21	303	899	275	151	69	29	4
OTHER	1 662	271	481	592	133	84	30	34	37
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	370	23	99	177	41	20	9	2	-
5 TO 14 WEEKS	572	15	111	294	103	59	12	3	5
15 TO 26 WEEKS	595	13	115	307	76	29	20	10	1
27 WEEKS OR MORE	789	7	127	404	123	82	28	17	1
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	8 880	919	681	1 773	977	826	522	717	2 465
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 809	14	19	174	255	313	207	230	597
KEEPING HOUSE	2 935	26	173	1 091	483	330	166	190	476
GOING TO SCHOOL	1 376	832	306	195	28	13	1	-	-
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 770	29	128	260	171	108	49	14	11
RETIRED	1 711	-	-	1	5	21	78	264	1 343
OTHER	279	18	56	53	36	40	21	18	37
IN ARMED FORCES	15	(X)	4	11	-	-	-	-	-
<b>MALE</b>									
TOTAL	6 376	668	769	1 951	918	670	348	338	714
WORKED LAST YEAR	3 607	195	519	1 561	631	395	151	88	67
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	37.5	19.0	27.9	33.1	37.8	38.6	40.0	40.5	36.6
WORKED FULL-TIME	2 600	50	307	1 216	519	300	111	61	35
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 147	7	63	464	286	188	72	43	24
40 TO 49 WEEKS	222	3	39	116	40	16	4	2	1
27 TO 39 WEEKS	289	4	37	167	51	22	3	4	-
26 WEEKS OR LESS	941	36	169	468	142	75	31	11	10
WORKED PART-TIME	1 007	145	211	345	112	95	41	28	32
50 TO 52 WEEKS	235	19	34	72	31	34	16	15	13
40 TO 49 WEEKS	102	1	29	38	15	10	6	3	3
27 TO 39 WEEKS	105	14	29	36	11	5	7	1	2
26 WEEKS OR LESS	565	110	120	198	56	46	11	12	13
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	2 225	168	422	1 024	314	173	63	31	30
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	167	2	14	62	45	21	8	7	8
KEEPING HOUSE	28	-	3	12	6	7	-	-	-
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 143	14	176	617	186	95	43	10	2
OTHER	886	153	229	333	77	49	12	14	19
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	170	7	51	87	15	8	3	-	-
5 TO 14 WEEKS	346	10	59	188	67	12	6	1	4
15 TO 26 WEEKS	375	7	63	213	47	28	11	5	-
27 WEEKS OR MORE	521	6	71	271	85	61	22	5	-
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	2 754	474	246	379	287	275	197	249	647
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	759	7	7	113	149	155	95	90	143
KEEPING HOUSE	44	3	3	11	2	14	2	3	6
GOING TO SCHOOL	691	443	136	92	15	6	-	-	-
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	425	16	64	127	104	66	37	7	4
RETIRED	696	-	-	-	2	9	51	140	493
OTHER	139	5	36	35	15	25	12	9	1
IN ARMED FORCES	15	(X)	4	11	-	-	-	-	-

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WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS)							
		15 TO 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
<b>WHITE--CONTINUED</b>									
<b>INCOME BELOW POVERTY LEVEL--CONTINUED</b>									
<b>FEMALE</b>									
TOTAL	9 384	609	1 024	2 732	1 301	846	463	543	1 865
WORKED LAST YEAR	3 259	163	589	1 358	611	296	134	76	48
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	30.5	20.3	26.8	30.0	34.4	35.0	36.4	28.6	31.8
WORKED FULL-TIME	1 568	38	257	694	309	150	60	42	18
50 TO 52 WEEKS	507	2	35	192	146	82	29	12	9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	133	1	24	66	18	11	9	4	-
27 TO 39 WEEKS	227	-	63	105	25	18	7	5	2
26 WEEKS OR LESS	701	34	135	331	119	39	16	20	7
WORKED PART-TIME	1 691	125	333	644	302	146	78	34	29
50 TO 52 WEEKS	463	26	63	169	115	44	30	9	6
40 TO 49 WEEKS	186	5	36	75	36	15	10	2	8
27 TO 39 WEEKS	198	7	38	90	32	20	2	6	3
26 WEEKS OR LESS	844	88	196	309	119	67	35	17	12
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	2 289	135	491	976	350	171	79	55	32
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	123	-	13	46	30	14	10	4	6
KEEPING HOUSE	784	10	99	390	176	66	25	12	7
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	607	7	127	282	89	56	26	19	2
OTHER	775	118	252	259	55	34	18	20	18
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	200	16	48	91	26	12	6	2	-
5 TO 14 WEEKS	226	5	53	105	36	18	6	2	1
15 TO 26 WEEKS	220	6	51	95	29	24	9	5	1
27 WEEKS OR MORE	267	1	56	134	37	21	6	12	1
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	6 125	446	435	1 394	690	552	325	467	1 817
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 050	7	12	61	106	158	112	140	454
KEEPING HOUSE	2 892	23	169	1 080	480	317	164	187	470
GOING TO SCHOOL	685	389	170	103	13	8	1	-	1
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	345	13	64	133	67	42	12	7	6
RETIRED	1 015	-	-	1	3	11	26	124	850
OTHER	140	13	20	17	20	16	9	8	36
<b>PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL</b>									
<b>BOTH SEXES</b>									
TOTAL	10.0	14.3	14.1	10.4	8.2	7.8	8.0	9.2	10.7
WORKED LAST YEAR	6.4	8.9	10.8	7.5	5.5	4.5	4.1	3.4	3.1
WORKED FULL-TIME	5.1	14.2	10.1	5.9	4.3	3.4	2.9	2.6	3.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2.7	(8)	4.3	2.8	2.7	2.4	2.1	1.8	3.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS	5.1	(8)	9.9	5.7	4.1	2.9	3.3	2.4	1.3
27 TO 39 WEEKS	10.6	(8)	15.4	12.5	8.6	7.7	3.8	4.5	2.0
26 WEEKS OR LESS	18.5	13.6	15.0	23.3	23.3	16.0	13.8	7.8	4.8
WORKED PART-TIME	11.1	7.9	11.6	15.6	11.9	10.7	10.7	6.2	3.0
50 TO 52 WEEKS	7.9	7.5	7.0	10.1	9.4	7.7	8.9	4.9	2.4
40 TO 49 WEEKS	9.7	2.8	10.9	14.3	10.7	7.7	10.8	1.2	3.9
27 TO 39 WEEKS	10.6	6.9	10.9	14.5	10.5	10.4	7.9	8.8	2.8
26 WEEKS OR LESS	14.5	8.7	15.0	22.5	16.6	17.0	14.8	9.6	3.4
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	12.5	9.0	13.8	15.7	12.4	10.2	8.9	6.1	3.5
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	13.3	(8)	19.9	15.6	17.0	10.7	9.0	6.5	7.2
KEEPING HOUSE	12.1	(8)	28.9	13.3	10.7	8.0	8.0	5.7	3.9
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	15.3	9.6	17.9	17.6	13.3	11.2	12.3	8.7	3.5
OTHER	10.5	8.7	10.8	15.2	11.6	10.7	5.7	4.8	2.9
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	11.3	8.1	13.3	12.1	9.3	10.3	11.4	(8)	(8)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	11.0	8.1	13.4	12.6	11.1	5.6	5.4	2.7	(8)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	16.6	(8)	20.5	19.3	12.8	11.6	12.1	9.6	(8)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	28.5	7.6	26.3	35.7	26.4	24.9	19.3	18.0	(8)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	17.9	18.6	29.1	28.9	24.0	21.5	16.8	15.4	12.0
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	28.2	(8)	(8)	34.0	40.3	36.3	28.9	27.8	21.6
KEEPING HOUSE	16.5	(8)	38.4	26.0	16.6	13.7	10.0	10.8	10.9
GOING TO SCHOOL	19.5	17.7	21.1	25.8	24.6	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	47.3	31.9	50.5	48.8	56.3	44.4	42.4	(8)	(8)
RETIRED	10.8	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)	12.2	14.8	13.8	10.2
OTHER	32.3	(8)	45.8	36.5	43.1	37.6	25.4	19.0	20.9
IN ARMED FORCES	2.0	(X)	(8)	2.4	-	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)





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WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS)											
		15 TO 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 24	25 TO 29	30 TO 34	35 TO 39	40 TO 44	45 TO 49	50 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
<b>BLACK</b>													
<b>ALL INCOME LEVELS</b>													
<b>BOTH SEXES</b>													
TOTAL	20 234	1 627	2 188	6 506	3 270	2 359	1 087	959	2 238				
WORKED LAST YEAR	12 123	310	1 250	4 827	2 524	1 757	646	464	345				
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	42.0	13.5	28.6	42.8	45.7	47.2	45.8	44.7	40.6				
WORKED FULL-TIME	9 433	45	636	4 016	2 211	1 504	542	339	181				
50 TO 52 WEEKS	6 769	-	247	2 780	1 733	1 237	426	255	91				
40 TO 49 WEEKS	822	-	44	411	158	121	39	37	12				
27 TO 39 WEEKS	597	-	78	258	134	55	36	18	19				
26 WEEKS OR LESS	1 245	45	267	566	186	91	42	28	20				
WORKED PART-TIME	2 691	264	615	812	314	253	104	125	204				
50 TO 52 WEEKS	884	16	115	287	125	131	45	59	105				
40 TO 49 WEEKS	244	2	46	69	43	20	17	18	27				
27 TO 39 WEEKS	276	17	72	100	30	27	9	13	10				
26 WEEKS OR LESS	1 248	229	382	355	116	76	33	35	62				
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	4 471	293	888	1 760	666	390	175	149	150				
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:													
ILL OR DISABLED	398	-	22	93	81	80	42	40	40				
KEEPING HOUSE	477	6	58	244	89	38	9	4	29				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 965	25	287	983	351	184	73	45	14				
OTHER	1 631	262	521	440	146	88	49	60	66				
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:													
1 TO 4 WEEKS	375	29	70	173	60	23	7	11	2				
5 TO 14 WEEKS	684	26	109	332	101	51	34	24	6				
15 TO 26 WEEKS	682	13	112	329	130	56	31	12	-				
27 WEEKS OR MORE	735	21	142	347	123	68	18	6	8				
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	7 970	1 317	924	1 583	718	598	442	495	1 893				
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:													
ILL OR DISABLED	1 736	5	23	215	238	237	210	221	587				
KEEPING HOUSE	1 772	25	138	603	280	249	108	100	269				
GOING TO SCHOOL	1 995	1 221	505	241	23	2	1	2	-				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	981	45	195	450	152	75	35	13	15				
RETIRED	1 236	-	-	1	4	9	74	151	998				
OTHER	249	21	63	73	21	26	13	8	23				
IN ARMED FORCES	140	(X)	14	95	27	4	-	-	-				
<b>MALE</b>													
TOTAL	9 141	816	1 037	2 966	1 466	1 053	490	424	890				
WORKED LAST YEAR	5 926	162	636	2 341	1 211	871	312	224	170				
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	42.1	13.5	29.6	43.1	45.9	47.5	44.2	44.1	40.9				
WORKED FULL-TIME	4 865	32	343	2 019	1 118	799	289	180	85				
50 TO 52 WEEKS	3 453	-	143	1 373	874	658	221	131	53				
40 TO 49 WEEKS	434	-	22	228	77	61	14	23	9				
27 TO 39 WEEKS	301	-	35	116	75	26	28	14	9				
26 WEEKS OR LESS	677	32	143	303	93	53	25	14	14				
WORKED PART-TIME	1 061	130	293	322	92	73	23	43	85				
50 TO 52 WEEKS	313	7	65	124	28	30	2	17	39				
40 TO 49 WEEKS	68	2	15	19	7	3	-	5	18				
27 TO 39 WEEKS	107	8	33	37	11	9	1	1	5				
26 WEEKS OR LESS	573	113	179	141	47	31	20	20	23				
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	2 160	155	429	843	309	183	89	75	77				
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:													
ILL OR DISABLED	195	-	14	39	47	36	16	17	26				
KEEPING HOUSE	15	-	6	4	-	2	-	-	2				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 214	14	186	598	211	115	48	33	10				
OTHER	736	141	223	202	51	29	25	25	39				
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:													
1 TO 4 WEEKS	184	15	37	83	23	16	2	7	-				
5 TO 14 WEEKS	332	22	42	160	50	24	12	19	3				
15 TO 26 WEEKS	404	5	65	183	78	42	24	6	-				
27 WEEKS OR MORE	496	12	103	235	77	41	17	5	7				
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	3 075	654	387	530	227	178	178	200	720				
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:													
ILL OR DISABLED	763	1	12	138	134	110	102	92	173				
KEEPING HOUSE	38	7	-	8	5	7	4	4	3				
GOING TO SCHOOL	963	610	218	123	11	-	-	-	-				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	508	28	121	217	67	37	22	9	8				
RETIRED	679	-	-	-	2	8	46	96	528				
OTHER	125	7	36	45	9	15	4	-	9				
IN ARMED FORCES	140	(X)	14	95	27	4	-	-	-				

**Table 10. Work Experience—Poverty Status in 1984 of Persons 15 Years and Over, by Age, Sex, and Race—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS)							
		15 TO 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 24	25 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64
<b>BLACK--CONTINUED</b>									
<b>ALL INCOME LEVELS--CONTINUED</b>									
<b>FEMALE</b>									
TOTAL	11 092	811	1 151	3 539	1 804	1 306	598	535	1 348
WORKED LAST YEAR	6 197	147	614	2 487	1 313	886	334	240	1 175
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	41.9	13.6	27.6	42.5	45.6	46.9	47.3	45.3	40.3
WORKED FULL-TIME	4 567	13	292	1 997	1 092	705	253	158	54
50 TO 52 WEEKS	3 316	-	104	1 407	859	579	205	124	37
40 TO 49 WEEKS	388	-	22	183	81	60	24	14	3
27 TO 39 WEEKS	296	-	42	143	59	29	7	6	10
26 WEEKS OR LESS	568	13	123	264	93	38	17	14	6
WORKED PART-TIME	1 630	134	322	490	221	181	81	82	119
50 TO 52 WEEKS	571	9	50	163	97	100	44	42	66
40 TO 49 WEEKS	175	-	31	50	36	18	17	13	10
27 TO 39 WEEKS	169	9	38	63	18	18	7	11	5
26 WEEKS OR LESS	715	116	203	214	69	45	13	15	39
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	2 311	138	459	917	357	207	86	74	72
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	202	-	8	54	34	43	26	23	14
KEEPING HOUSE	463	6	52	240	89	36	9	4	27
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	751	12	102	386	141	69	26	12	5
OTHER	894	121	298	237	94	59	24	35	27
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	191	14	33	90	37	7	5	3	2
5 TO 14 WEEKS	352	4	68	172	51	27	22	6	3
15 TO 26 WEEKS	278	8	46	146	52	13	6	6	3
27 WEEKS OR MORE	239	9	39	113	46	28	2	1	2
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	4 895	664	537	1 053	491	420	264	295	1 173
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	974	4	11	77	104	127	108	128	414
KEEPING HOUSE	1 735	18	138	595	275	242	104	96	267
GOING TO SCHOOL	1 032	611	287	118	12	2	1	2	-
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	473	17	74	234	86	38	14	4	7
RETIRED	557	-	-	1	2	1	28	56	471
OTHER	124	14	27	28	12	11	9	8	14
<b>INCOME BELOW POVERTY LEVEL</b>									
<b>BOTH SEXES</b>									
TOTAL	5 685	608	763	1 862	687	513	281	262	710
WORKED LAST YEAR	1 911	102	316	853	259	194	95	58	34
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	28.9	8.4	20.4	30.2	33.9	34.9	36.1	37.4	29.8
WORKED FULL-TIME	1 049	22	169	522	164	94	49	18	12
50 TO 52 WEEKS	354	-	26	164	74	48	28	10	5
40 TO 49 WEEKS	99	-	5	68	13	7	4	2	-
27 TO 39 WEEKS	102	-	16	50	19	7	8	-	2
26 WEEKS OR LESS	494	22	122	239	58	32	9	6	5
WORKED PART-TIME	862	80	148	331	95	101	46	40	22
50 TO 52 WEEKS	222	-	15	95	30	47	10	17	6
40 TO 49 WEEKS	48	-	6	13	10	5	10	6	2
27 TO 39 WEEKS	74	-	17	37	8	5	4	3	-
26 WEEKS OR LESS	518	79	109	186	47	48	22	13	14
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	1 336	102	275	593	155	99	56	31	23
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	93	-	7	15	15	25	16	10	6
KEEPING HOUSE	190	-	34	106	27	13	2	2	6
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	602	10	80	332	91	49	31	5	4
OTHER	451	91	154	140	22	13	8	15	8
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	91	9	14	49	14	2	2	-	2
5 TO 14 WEEKS	168	12	37	84	22	6	7	2	-
15 TO 26 WEEKS	241	8	30	129	33	20	18	5	-
27 WEEKS OR MORE	312	10	46	160	48	30	11	2	4
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	3 763	505	446	998	427	319	187	204	676
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	880	3	9	124	128	122	108	113	274
KEEPING HOUSE	1 054	18	91	478	160	123	46	40	98
GOING TO SCHOOL	736	445	195	82	13	1	-	2	-
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	603	25	110	279	110	51	14	6	8
RETIRED	336	-	-	1	2	9	9	36	288
OTHER	154	15	42	36	15	22	10	7	8
IN ARMED FORCES	11	(X)	-	11	-	-	-	-	-

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS)											
		15 TO 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 24	25 TO 29	30 TO 34	35 TO 39	40 TO 44	45 TO 49	50 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
<b>BLACK--CONTINUED</b>													
<b>INCOME BELOW POVERTY LEVEL--CONTINUED</b>													
<b>MALE</b>													
TOTAL	2 101	293	355	629	235	166	102	90	231				
WORKED LAST YEAR	858	56	163	373	104	85	41	22	15				
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	27.2	8.8	20.3	29.2	34.0	33.8	30.5	28.9	25.7				
WORKED FULL-TIME	512	18	96	239	71	47	25	9	8				
50 TO 52 WEEKS	157	-	16	67	36	21	12	2	2				
40 TO 49 WEEKS	47	-	2	30	6	6	1	2	-				
27 TO 39 WEEKS	58	-	11	22	13	4	6	-	2				
26 WEEKS OR LESS	250	18	67	120	16	16	5	5	3				
WORKED PART-TIME	346	38	68	134	32	38	17	12	7				
50 TO 52 WEEKS	76	-	5	44	5	15	2	4	1				
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-				
27 TO 39 WEEKS	26	-	10	11	1	-	1	1	-				
26 WEEKS OR LESS	240	38	53	77	24	23	13	6	6				
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	625	56	142	262	63	49	27	15	11				
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:													
ILL OR DISABLED	33	-	5	5	7	9	2	4	1				
KEEPING HOUSE	6	-	5	1	-	-	-	-	-				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	366	6	59	190	49	33	22	4	4				
OTHER	220	50	73	66	7	7	3	8	7				
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:													
1 TO 4 WEEKS	32	7	11	11	1	-	2	-	-				
5 TO 14 WEEKS	69	10	11	35	9	3	-	2	-				
15 TO 26 WEEKS	132	3	16	64	20	17	11	1	-				
27 WEEKS OR MORE	208	6	39	105	24	17	11	2	4				
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	1 232	236	192	246	132	82	60	68	216				
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:													
ILL OR DISABLED	349	1	4	69	70	39	44	40	82				
KEEPING HOUSE	23	3	-	8	1	6	3	2	-				
GOING TO SCHOOL	350	216	93	37	4	-	-	-	-				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	288	14	72	113	49	24	8	4	5				
RETIRED	153	-	-	-	-	-	2	22	129				
OTHER	70	3	23	20	7	13	3	-	1				
IN ARMED FORCES	11	(X)	-	11	-	-	-	-	-				
<b>FEMALE</b>													
TOTAL	3 584	315	408	1 232	451	347	180	172	479				
WORKED LAST YEAR	1 053	46	153	480	155	109	53	36	20				
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	30.2	7.9	20.4	30.9	33.8	35.7	40.5	42.4	32.8				
WORKED FULL-TIME	537	5	73	283	93	46	24	9	4				
50 TO 52 WEEKS	197	-	9	97	38	27	16	7	2				
40 TO 49 WEEKS	52	-	2	39	7	3	3	-	-				
27 TO 39 WEEKS	44	-	5	28	6	3	2	-	-				
26 WEEKS OR LESS	244	5	56	119	41	16	4	1	1				
WORKED PART-TIME	516	41	80	197	63	63	29	27	16				
50 TO 52 WEEKS	145	-	11	51	25	33	8	13	5				
40 TO 49 WEEKS	44	-	6	12	9	-	10	6	2				
27 TO 39 WEEKS	48	-	7	25	7	5	3	2	-				
26 WEEKS OR LESS	278	41	56	109	23	26	8	7	8				
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	711	46	133	332	92	50	29	16	12				
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:													
ILL OR DISABLED	60	-	2	10	7	16	14	6	5				
KEEPING HOUSE	183	-	28	105	27	13	2	2	6				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	237	4	21	142	43	16	8	1	-				
OTHER	231	42	81	74	15	5	5	7	1				
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:													
1 TO 4 WEEKS	59	2	3	38	12	2	-	-	2				
5 TO 14 WEEKS	99	2	26	49	13	3	7	-	-				
15 TO 26 WEEKS	109	6	14	65	13	2	6	3	-				
27 WEEKS OR MORE	103	4	6	55	24	13	-	-	-				
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	2 531	269	255	752	296	237	126	136	460				
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:													
ILL OR DISABLED	531	2	5	55	59	83	63	73	192				
KEEPING HOUSE	1 031	15	91	470	158	118	43	38	98				
GOING TO SCHOOL	366	229	102	45	8	1	-	2	-				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	315	12	38	166	61	27	6	3	3				
RETIRED	183	-	-	1	2	7	7	14	159				
OTHER	84	12	19	16	8	9	7	7	7				

Table 10. Work Experience—Poverty Status in 1984 of Persons 15 Years and Over, by Age, Sex, and Race—Continued

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WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS)											
		15 TO 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 24	25 TO 29	30 TO 34	35 TO 39	40 TO 44	45 TO 49	50 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
<b>BLACK--CONTINUED</b>													
<b>PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL</b>													
<b>BOTH SEXES</b>													
TOTAL . . . . .	28.1	37.3	34.9	28.6	21.0	21.0	25.9	27.3	31.7				
WORKED LAST YEAR . . . . .	15.8	33.0	25.3	17.7	10.3	11.1	14.7	12.4	10.0				
WORKED FULL-TIME . . . . .	11.1	(B)	26.5	13.0	7.4	8.2	9.1	5.4	8.4				
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	5.2	(B)	10.4	5.9	4.3	5.2	5.8	3.7	5.2				
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	12.1	(B)	(B)	16.7	7.9	3.8	6.6	(B)	(B)				
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	17.1	(B)	20.7	19.3	14.5	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
26 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	39.7	(B)	45.9	42.2	31.1	35.5	(B)	(B)	(B)				
WORKED PART-TIME . . . . .	32.0	30.1	24.0	40.8	30.4	39.7	43.9	31.5	11.0				
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	25.1	(B)	13.3	33.1	23.6	36.4	(B)	(B)	6.1				
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	19.7	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	26.9	(B)	(B)	36.8	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
26 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	40.2	34.7	28.5	52.4	40.4	64.1	(B)	(B)	(B)				
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS . . . . .	29.9	34.7	31.0	33.7	23.3	25.5	32.4	20.7	15.5				
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:													
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	23.4	(B)	(B)	16.2	18.0	30.8	(B)	(B)	(B)				
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	39.8	(B)	(B)	43.5	30.9	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	30.6	(B)	27.9	33.8	26.0	26.6	(B)	(B)	(B)				
OTHER . . . . .	27.6	34.9	29.6	31.8	15.3	14.5	(B)	(B)	(B)				
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:													
1 TO 4 WEEKS . . . . .	24.3	(B)	(B)	28.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
5 TO 14 WEEKS . . . . .	24.6	(B)	33.6	25.2	21.9	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
15 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	35.4	(B)	26.4	39.1	25.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
27 WEEKS OR MORE . . . . .	42.4	(B)	32.2	46.2	39.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR . . . . .	47.2	38.4	48.3	63.1	59.5	53.4	42.3	41.2	35.7				
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:													
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	50.7	(B)	(B)	57.5	53.8	51.3	51.4	51.2	46.6				
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	59.5	(B)	65.9	79.2	57.0	49.5	42.3	39.6	36.6				
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	36.9	36.4	38.5	33.9	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	61.5	(B)	56.4	61.9	72.3	68.0	(B)	(B)	(B)				
RETIRED . . . . .	27.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	24.0	28.8				
OTHER . . . . .	62.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	7.6	(X)	(B)	11.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
<b>MALE</b>													
TOTAL . . . . .	23.0	35.8	34.3	21.2	16.1	15.8	20.8	21.1	25.9				
WORKED LAST YEAR . . . . .	14.5	34.5	25.7	15.9	8.6	9.7	13.3	9.6	8.6				
WORKED FULL-TIME . . . . .	10.5	(B)	27.9	11.8	6.4	5.9	8.5	5.2	9.1				
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	4.5	(B)	11.4	4.9	4.1	4.2	5.5	1.7	(B)				
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	10.9	(B)	(B)	13.0	7.9	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	19.3	(B)	(B)	19.3	17.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
26 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	36.9	(B)	46.4	39.6	17.6	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
WORKED PART-TIME . . . . .	32.6	29.5	23.1	41.6	35.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	6.1				
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	24.4	(B)	(B)	35.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	24.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
26 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	41.9	33.8	29.4	54.6	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS . . . . .	28.9	35.9	33.2	31.0	20.4	26.8	30.8	19.8	14.2				
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:													
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	16.8	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	30.1	(B)	31.7	31.8	23.1	28.5	(B)	(B)	(B)				
OTHER . . . . .	29.9	35.4	32.6	32.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:													
1 TO 4 WEEKS . . . . .	17.2	(B)	(B)	13.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
5 TO 14 WEEKS . . . . .	20.9	(B)	(B)	22.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
15 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	32.7	(B)	(B)	34.8	25.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
27 WEEKS OR MORE . . . . .	42.0	(B)	38.2	44.9	31.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR . . . . .	40.1	36.2	49.6	46.4	57.9	45.8	34.0	33.9	30.0				
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:													
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	45.7	(B)	(B)	50.0	52.1	35.3	43.5	43.6	47.1				
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	36.4	35.4	42.5	30.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	56.7	(B)	59.8	52.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
RETIRED . . . . .	22.6	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	23.3	24.4				
OTHER . . . . .	55.8	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	7.6	(X)	(B)	11.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				

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WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS)											
		15 TO 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 24	25 TO 29	30 TO 34	35 TO 39	40 TO 44	45 TO 49	50 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
BLACK--CONTINUED													
PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL--CONTINUED													
FEMALE													
TOTAL . . . . .	32.3	38.9	35.4	34.8	25.0	26.6	30.1	32.2	35.6				
WORKED LAST YEAR . . . . .	17.0	31.3	24.9	19.3	11.8	12.4	16.0	15.0	11.3				
WORKED FULL-TIME . . . . .	11.8	(B)	25.0	14.2	8.5	6.6	9.7	5.5	(B)				
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	5.9	(B)	8.9	6.9	4.5	4.6	7.7	5.9	(B)				
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	13.4	(B)	(B)	21.2	8.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	14.9	(B)	(B)	19.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
26 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	43.0	(B)	45.4	45.3	44.5	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
WORKED PART-TIME . . . . .	31.7	30.8	24.9	40.2	28.4	34.8	35.7	33.4	13.1				
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	25.4	(B)	(B)	31.3	25.4	32.5	(B)	(B)	(B)				
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	25.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	28.7	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
26 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	38.9	35.5	27.7	50.9	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS . . . . .	30.8	33.4	29.0	36.2	25.9	24.3	34.0	(B)	(B)				
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:													
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	29.8	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	39.6	(B)	(B)	43.9	30.9	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	31.5	(B)	21.1	36.9	30.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
OTHER . . . . .	25.8	34.5	27.3	31.3	16.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:													
1 TO 4 WEEKS . . . . .	31.0	(B)	(B)	42.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
5 TO 14 WEEKS . . . . .	28.1	(B)	(B)	28.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
15 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	39.2	(B)	(B)	44.5	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
27 WEEKS OR MORE . . . . .	43.3	(B)	(B)	49.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR . . . . .	51.7	40.5	47.4	71.5	60.3	56.6	47.9	46.1	39.2				
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:													
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	54.5	(B)	(B)	70.9	56.0	65.3	58.9	56.6	46.4				
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	59.4	(B)	65.9	79.0	57.6	48.6	41.3	39.3	36.9				
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	37.4	37.5	35.5	38.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	66.6	(B)	(B)	70.9	71.5	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
RETIRED . . . . .	32.9	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				
OTHER . . . . .	68.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)				

**Table 11. Selected Characteristics of the Aged—Poverty Status in 1984 of Persons 60 Years and Over, by Age and Sex**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

CHARACTERISTIC	ALL INCOME LEVELS						BELOW POVERTY LEVEL					
	TOTAL	60 AND 61 YEARS	62 TO 64 YEARS	65 YEARS OLD AND OVER			TOTAL	60 AND 61 YEARS	62 TO 64 YEARS	65 YEARS OLD AND OVER		
				TOTAL	65 TO 71 YEARS	72 YEARS AND OVER				TOTAL	65 TO 71 YEARS	72 YEARS AND OVER
<b>BOTH SEXES</b>												
<b>FAMILY STATUS AND COMPOSITION</b>												
TOTAL	37 537	4 355	6 364	26 818	12 511	14 307	4 496	478	688	3 330	1 208	2 122
IN FAMILIES	26 720	3 566	5 117	18 038	9 390	8 647	1 836	270	361	1 205	559	646
HOUSEHOLDER	14 445	1 881	2 758	9 806	5 098	4 708	1 108	157	239	713	325	388
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 181	254	306	621	410	212	310	50	82	178	106	72
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.62	1.54	1.60	1.66	1.70	1.59	1.97	(B)	1.85	2.07	2.33	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	2.46	2.72	2.58	2.38	2.45	2.30	2.84	2.86	2.83	2.84	3.21	2.53
SPOUSE OF HOUSEHOLDER	9 754	1 536	2 122	6 096	3 661	2 435	571	95	106	371	191	179
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	2 521	149	236	2 136	631	1 504	157	18	17	122	42	79
IN RELATED SUBFAMILIES	223	19	51	154	74	80	53	3	13	37	18	20
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	218	19	48	151	74	77	48	3	10	35	18	17
OTHER	5	7	2	3	4	3	5	-	2	3	-	3
IN UNRELATED SUBFAMILIES	34	7	9	17	4	13	5	1	2	6	-	1
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	10 784	782	1 238	8 763	3 117	5 647	2 655	207	325	2 123	649	1 475
LIVING ALONE	9 906	670	1 124	8 111	2 833	5 278	2 369	176	280	1 913	556	1 357
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	878	112	114	652	284	368	288	32	45	210	93	118
IN HOUSEHOLDS	748	99	111	537	249	289	243	23	44	176	83	93
IN GROUP QUARTERS	130	12	3	115	35	80	43	8	1	34	10	24
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>												
TOTAL	37 537	4 355	6 364	26 818	12 511	14 307	4 496	478	688	3 330	1 208	2 122
SINGLE	1 867	184	291	1 392	607	785	333	24	51	257	93	165
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	22 018	3 139	4 562	14 317	8 085	6 232	1 321	196	270	855	414	441
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	757	146	117	494	282	213	224	43	36	145	81	63
SEPARATED	476	90	91	295	194	101	152	30	33	89	55	34
OTHER	282	56	26	199	88	112	72	13	3	56	27	29
WIDOWER	11 074	563	976	9 535	2 906	6 629	2 223	159	247	1 817	481	1 336
DIVORCED	1 821	323	417	1 081	632	448	395	56	83	256	139	117
<b>WORK EXPERIENCE</b>												
PERSONS <sup>1</sup>	37 537	4 355	6 364	26 818	12 511	14 307	4 496	478	688	3 330	1 208	2 122
WORKED LAST YEAR	9 533	2 567	2 907	4 059	2 853	1 206	374	118	105	1 331	58	63
50 TO 52 WEEKS	5 974	1 897	1 989	2 089	1 522	567	149	61	45	63	39	24
FULL TIME	4 476	1 685	1 652	1 140	890	249	102	38	27	37	27	11
49 WEEKS OR LESS	3 559	670	918	1 970	1 331	639	205	58	61	87	49	38
FULL TIME	1 633	446	541	646	493	153	84	27	29	28	18	11
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:												
ILL OR DISABLED	463	109	109	245	159	86	42	9	11	22	8	14
KEEPING HOUSE	434	102	118	215	153	61	27	7	7	13	6	6
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	505	201	183	121	82	40	43	24	11	8	4	4
RETIRED	1 582	123	346	1 113	749	365	51	2	17	32	22	10
OTHER	575	137	162	276	189	87	42	14	15	13	9	3
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	42.0	45.7	44.0	38.1	38.5	37.1	34.6	37.1	33.7	33.2	33.9	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	28 002	1 785	3 458	22 759	9 658	13 101	4 122	360	583	3 179	1 120	2 059
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:												
ILL OR DISABLED	4 443	410	660	3 374	1 263	2 111	1 231	136	216	879	318	561
KEEPING HOUSE	6 584	776	1 116	4 691	2 367	2 324	813	101	130	582	238	343
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	123	34	33	56	35	22	42	13	10	19	12	7
RETIRED	16 539	518	1 589	14 432	5 912	8 519	1 963	92	218	1 653	535	1 118
OTHER	313	48	60	206	80	125	72	18	8	46	16	30
<b>FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS<sup>1</sup></b>												
WORKED LAST YEAR	14 445	1 881	2 758	9 806	5 098	4 708	1 108	157	239	713	325	388
50 TO 52 WEEKS	5 081	1 348	1 590	2 143	1 553	590	165	48	51	67	43	23
FULL TIME	3 300	1 036	1 114	1 150	881	269	88	30	25	33	24	8
49 WEEKS OR LESS	2 652	983	991	679	553	126	56	23	15	18	15	3
FULL TIME	1 781	311	476	993	672	321	77	18	25	34	19	15
OTHER	901	243	311	347	276	71	34	7	13	14	10	4
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:												
ILL OR DISABLED	241	66	59	116	74	42	17	5	4	8	3	5
KEEPING HOUSE	74	13	16	45	33	13	4	-	2	3	1	1
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	280	114	109	57	40	17	13	4	5	4	2	2
RETIRED	958	71	221	666	450	216	20	-	7	13	8	4
OTHER	228	48	72	109	75	33	23	9	8	6	5	2
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	42.7	46.6	44.7	38.7	39.6	36.3	37.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	9 364	533	1 168	7 663	3 545	4 118	944	109	188	646	282	364
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:												
ILL OR DISABLED	1 509	163	282	1 063	455	608	297	42	67	189	82	107
KEEPING HOUSE	630	83	84	463	235	228	108	22	27	59	34	25
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	44	15	10	19	14	5	13	7	3	2	1	2
RETIRED	7 143	256	783	6 105	2 833	3 271	512	30	89	394	165	229
OTHER	38	16	9	13	7	6	13	9	2	2	-	2

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**Table 11. Selected Characteristics of the Aged—Poverty Status in 1984 of Persons 60 Years and Over, by Age and Sex—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

CHARACTERISTIC	ALL INCOME LEVELS						BELOW POVERTY LEVEL					
	TOTAL	60 AND 61 YEARS	62 TO 64 YEARS	65 YEARS OLD AND OVER			TOTAL	60 AND 61 YEARS	62 TO 64 YEARS	65 YEARS OLD AND OVER		
				TOTAL	65 TO 71 YEARS	72 YEARS AND OVER				TOTAL	65 TO 71 YEARS	72 YEARS AND OVER
<b>BOTH SEXES--CONTINUED</b>												
<b>WORK EXPERIENCE--CONTINUED</b>												
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS <sup>1</sup>	10 784	782	1 238	8 763	3 117	5 647	2 655	207	325	2 123	649	1 475
WORKED LAST YEAR	2 130	479	544	1 107	666	441	149	42	37	70	34	35
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 282	356	378	548	342	206	55	19	11	26	11	15
FULL TIME	849	307	290	252	174	78	30	7	6	17	9	8
49 WEEKS OR LESS	848	123	166	560	325	235	93	23	26	44	23	21
FULL TIME	326	84	87	156	94	62	33	12	10	11	6	5
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:												
ILL OR DISABLED	127	13	28	87	50	37	24	3	7	13	5	9
KEEPING HOUSE	82	8	23	51	28	23	14	3	5	6	2	5
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	127	45	28	54	32	22	21	14	3	3	2	2
RETIRED	328	24	48	257	144	112	22	2	6	14	10	4
OTHER	184	34	38	112	71	41	12	1	5	6	5	2
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	41.6	45.9	44.1	38.5	38.9	37.9	32.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	8 681	301	694	7 656	2 450	5 206	2 506	165	287	2 054	614	1 440
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING <sup>1</sup> :												
ILL OR DISABLED	1 728	134	205	1 389	465	924	783	82	128	573	179	395
KEEPING HOUSE	1 358	44	111	1 203	390	813	409	27	52	330	107	223
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	48	11	12	26	12	14	23	4	4	12	9	3
RETIRED	5 357	96	348	4 914	1 530	3 384	1 242	42	101	1 098	303	795
OTHER	159	16	18	125	54	71	50	8	2	40	16	24
<b>SOURCE OF INCOME</b>												
PERSONS	37 537	4 355	6 364	26 818	12 511	14 307	4 496	478	688	3 330	1 208	2 122
EARNINGS ONLY	1 075	505	422	148	126	22	105	51	38	15	14	1
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	976	454	389	132	114	18	74	32	31	12	11	1
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	99	51	32	16	12	4	30	19	8	4	3	1
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	8 418	2 055	2 471	3 892	2 712	1 181	268	66	68	134	73	61
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	674	14	144	516	365	151	64	2	23	39	22	17
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	24	4	4	16	11	6	6	-	2	4	3	2
EARNINGS, SOCIAL SECURITY, AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	20	-	3	17	8	9	6	-	-	6	6	4
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	7 690	2 037	2 315	3 338	2 323	1 015	191	63	42	85	43	42
OTHER COMBINATIONS	10	-	5	5	5	-	2	-	2	-	-	-
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	27 295	1 559	3 254	22 482	9 515	12 967	3 877	302	513	3 063	1 067	1 996
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	4 511	130	492	3 889	1 563	2 326	1 324	69	179	1 076	390	686
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	437	46	63	328	104	224	247	30	45	171	61	110
OTHER INCOME ONLY	1 204	534	324	346	181	165	235	98	63	74	39	35
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY <sup>2</sup>	162	70	54	38	22	16	80	43	19	17	12	5
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1 127	26	76	1 025	316	709	675	19	54	602	195	407
SOCIAL SECURITY AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	18 620	324	1 949	16 348	7 126	9 222	1 238	39	132	1 067	354	714
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME AND OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY <sup>2</sup>	492	24	51	417	169	248	86	7	8	71	14	57
SOCIAL SECURITY AND ALL OTHER INCOME ONLY <sup>3</sup>	18 128	300	1 897	15 931	6 957	8 974	1 152	32	124	997	340	657
OTHER COMBINATIONS	1 396	499	350	547	226	321	159	47	40	72	28	44
NO INCOME	749	235	218	296	158	137	246	60	69	117	54	63
<b>FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS</b>												
EARNINGS ONLY	14 445	1 881	2 758	9 806	5 098	4 708	1 108	157	239	713	325	388
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	534	231	232	71	66	6	48	17	9	9	9	-
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	463	197	207	59	55	4	26	7	13	6	6	-
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	71	34	25	12	11	2	21	14	5	3	3	-
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	4 542	1 116	1 359	2 067	1 483	583	119	26	35	58	35	23
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	292	6	59	226	158	69	27	-	10	17	10	7
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	3	-	-	3	2	1	2	-	-	2	1	1
EARNINGS, SOCIAL SECURITY, AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	7	-	2	5	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	4 238	1 110	1 296	1 832	1 323	509	90	26	25	39	23	15
OTHER COMBINATIONS	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	9 268	512	1 135	7 622	3 530	4 092	884	100	164	619	272	347
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1 245	60	141	1 044	465	579	313	36	57	219	105	115
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	109	13	14	82	23	59	45	6	4	35	12	23
OTHER INCOME ONLY	252	96	73	81	47	33	74	27	27	20	9	11
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY <sup>2</sup>	61	24	25	12	8	4	27	12	9	6	2	4
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	288	12	21	255	76	179	130	6	14	109	37	72
SOCIAL SECURITY AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	6 890	155	775	5 960	2 817	3 144	272	8	45	219	100	119
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME AND OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY <sup>2</sup>	192	14	26	152	87	65	13	1	3	9	4	4
SOCIAL SECURITY AND ALL OTHER INCOME ONLY <sup>3</sup>	6 698	141	749	5 808	2 729	3 079	259	7	42	210	96	114
OTHER COMBINATIONS	484	174	111	200	102	97	50	17	17	16	9	7
NO INCOME	100	21	33	46	19	27	58	9	22	27	9	17
<b>UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS</b>												
EARNINGS ONLY	10 784	782	1 238	8 763	3 117	5 647	2 655	207	325	2 123	649	1 475
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	195	99	69	26	19	7	26	13	9	2	2	1
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	186	93	67	26	19	7	22	11	7	3	2	1
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	9	6	2	1	-	1	5	2	2	1	-	1
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	1 934	382	473	1 080	648	432	123	29	28	66	32	34
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	183	5	24	154	100	54	30	2	10	18	9	8
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	18	4	3	11	6	5	4	-	2	2	1	1
EARNINGS, SOCIAL SECURITY, AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	12	-	-	12	7	5	6	-	-	6	6	-
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	1 713	373	443	897	529	369	82	27	15	40	15	25
OTHER COMBINATIONS	8	-	3	5	5	-	2	-	2	-	-	-

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS, PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

CHARACTERISTIC	ALL INCOME LEVELS						BELOW POVERTY LEVEL					
	TOTAL	60 AND 61 YEARS		65 YEARS OLD AND OVER			TOTAL	60 AND 61 YEARS		65 YEARS OLD AND OVER		
		62 TO 64 YEARS	TOTAL	65 TO 71 YEARS	72 YEARS AND OVER	62 TO 64 YEARS		TOTAL	65 TO 71 YEARS	72 YEARS AND OVER		
<b>BOTH SEXES--CONTINUED</b>												
<b>SOURCE OF INCOME--CONTINUED</b>												
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS--CONTINUED												
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY.....	8 585	288	683	7 614	2 432	5 182	2 437	152	274	2 011	596	1 415
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY.....	1 343	34	123	1 186	357	829	794	22	96	675	206	469
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY.....	174	24	32	118	45	72	158	22	29	108	41	57
OTHER INCOME ONLY.....	180	63	29	88	41	47	98	43	18	37	19	18
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY <sup>1,2</sup> .....	62	31	14	17	12	5	43	25	9	10	9	-
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY.....	600	14	35	551	162	389	469	12	35	422	122	299
SOCIAL SECURITY AND OTHER INCOME ONLY.....	5 958	87	409	5 461	1 767	3 694	832	31	79	723	192	531
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME AND OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY <sup>2</sup> .....	252	7	25	220	61	158	71	5	5	60	10	50
SOCIAL SECURITY AND 'ALL OTHER' INCOME ONLY <sup>3</sup> .....	5 706	80	384	5 242	1 706	3 536	761	25	73	663	182	480
OTHER COMBINATIONS.....	331	66	54	210	59	151	85	22	17	46	16	31
NO INCOME.....	70	13	14	43	18	25	70	13	14	43	18	25
<b>TYPE OF INCOME</b>												
<b>PERSONS.....</b>												
EARNINGS <sup>4</sup> .....	37 537	4 355	6 364	26 818	12 511	14 307	4 496	478	688	3 330	1 208	2 122
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME.....	9 493	2 561	2 892	4 040	2 838	1 202	373	117	107	149	87	63
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME.....	8 147	2 295	2 557	3 296	2 382	913	254	76	80	98	57	41
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME.....	1 273	261	347	665	412	253	69	28	14	27	14	14
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>4</sup> .....	423	95	84	244	157	88	61	18	12	30	21	10
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME.....	35 714	3 614	5 725	26 375	12 227	14 147	4 146	367	581	3 197	1 140	2 057
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME.....	28 510	560	3 381	24 569	11 185	13 384	3 407	135	413	2 859	998	1 860
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> .....	2 113	110	192	1 811	611	1 200	1 173	61	128	984	337	647
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT.....	2 427	462	555	1 410	699	711	429	98	77	254	91	163
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.....	25 785	3 010	4 369	18 406	8 795	9 612	1 238	142	179	968	315	653
NO INCOME.....	10 897	871	1 643	8 382	4 227	4 155	369	59	75	234	123	110
	749	235	218	296	158	137	246	60	69	117	54	63
<b>FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS.....</b>												
EARNINGS <sup>4</sup> .....	14 445	1 881	2 758	9 806	5 098	4 708	1 108	157	239	713	325	388
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME.....	5 076	1 348	1 591	2 138	1 549	589	166	48	52	67	43	23
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME.....	4 156	1 167	1 361	1 629	1 219	410	83	18	31	35	20	14
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME.....	829	169	226	435	286	149	41	20	11	8	8	3
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>4</sup> .....	333	81	69	183	119	63	50	15	11	25	17	8
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME.....	13 811	1 629	2 494	9 688	5 013	4 675	1 003	126	199	677	307	370
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME.....	10 589	265	1 357	8 966	4 496	4 470	786	53	138	595	271	324
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> .....	507	31	54	422	144	278	210	14	27	169	64	105
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT.....	1 266	270	326	610	394	216	120	27	35	59	33	27
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.....	10 411	1 339	1 936	7 136	3 735	3 401	318	46	69	203	86	117
NO INCOME.....	5 708	512	942	4 254	2 364	1 890	134	23	35	77	43	33
	100	21	33	46	19	27	58	9	22	27	9	17
<b>UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS.....</b>												
EARNINGS <sup>4</sup> .....	10 784	782	1 238	8 763	3 117	5 647	2 655	207	325	2 123	649	1 475
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME.....	2 129	481	542	1 106	666	440	149	42	37	70	34	35
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME.....	1 909	451	495	963	596	367	120	35	34	52	29	23
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME.....	237	39	52	146	74	72	24	6	4	14	4	11
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>4</sup> .....	47	1	9	37	26	11	7	1	1	4	2	2
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME.....	10 519	670	1 155	8 694	3 080	5 615	2 589	181	302	2 077	628	1 449
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME.....	9 093	166	761	8 166	2 845	5 321	2 182	70	234	1 878	545	1 332
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> .....	1 119	58	95	966	317	648	832	43	84	704	227	477
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT.....	897	125	137	635	231	404	278	60	39	179	48	131
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.....	7 054	462	784	5 808	2 068	3 740	778	61	83	634	167	467
NO INCOME.....	3 343	194	381	2 769	1 143	1 626	206	35	32	138	63	75
	70	13	14	43	18	25	70	13	14	43	18	25
<b>TENURE AND LIVING ARRANGEMENTS</b>												
<b>LIVING WITH RELATIVES.....</b>												
ALL PERSONS.....	37 537	4 355	6 364	26 818	12 511	14 307	4 496	478	688	3 330	1 208	2 122
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS.....	26 720	3 566	5 117	18 038	9 390	8 647	1 836	270	361	1 205	559	646
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS.....	23 159	3 107	4 491	15 561	8 208	7 353	1 343	191	236	917	421	496
PUBLIC.....	3 562	459	626	2 476	1 182	1 294	493	79	125	289	138	156
PRIVATE.....	291	35	53	203	104	99	93	18	27	48	27	21
SUBSIDIZED.....	3 271	424	573	2 274	1 078	1 195	401	61	99	241	111	130
FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS.....	133	18	13	101	29	73	22	6	6	2	2	3
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS.....	14 445	1 881	2 758	9 806	5 098	4 708	1 108	157	239	713	325	388
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS.....	12 485	1 615	2 408	8 465	4 456	4 009	807	107	157	543	240	302
PUBLIC.....	1 960	266	353	1 341	642	699	301	50	81	170	85	85
PRIVATE.....	168	25	28	115	59	56	68	17	15	76	20	16
SUBSIDIZED.....	1 792	240	326	1 226	583	643	233	32	66	134	65	69
FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS.....	76	9	10	56	12	44	16	6	6	3	2	2
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES ONLY.....	912	119	123	669	288	381	291	33	47	211	93	119
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS.....	559	77	78	405	168	237	152	15	27	110	44	66
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS.....	352	42	46	264	120	144	139	18	19	101	49	52
PUBLIC.....	12	1	2	9	6	4	7	-	2	5	3	2
PRIVATE.....	341	42	44	255	114	141	132	18	18	96	46	51
SUBSIDIZED.....	11	-	-	11	6	5	6	-	-	-	4	3
LIVING ALONE.....	9 906	670	1 124	8 111	2 833	5 278	2 369	176	280	1 913	556	1 357
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS.....	6 128	402	680	5 046	1 812	3 233	1 174	95	101	978	275	703
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS.....	3 778	268	445	3 065	1 021	2 045	1 195	81	179	935	281	655
PUBLIC.....	746	24	73	692	181	471	344	19	51	274	71	204
PRIVATE.....	3 032	244	375	2 413	840	1 574	851	62	128	661	210	451
SUBSIDIZED.....	362	12	28	323	91	232	149	6	17	126	37	89

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NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT

CHARACTERISTIC	ALL INCOME LEVELS						BELOW POVERTY LEVEL					
	TOTAL	60 AND 61 YEARS	62 TO 64 YEARS	65 YEARS OLD AND OVER			TOTAL	60 AND 61 YEARS	62 TO 64 YEARS	65 YEARS OLD AND OVER		
				TOTAL	65 TO 71 YEARS	72 YEARS AND OVER				TOTAL	65 TO 71 YEARS	72 YEARS AND OVER
<b>FEMALE</b>												
<b>FAMILY STATUS AND COMPOSITION</b>												
TOTAL	21 605	2 397	3 404	15 804	6 963	8 841	3 099	312	417	2 370	825	1 545
IN FAMILIES	13 378	1 855	2 559	8 964	4 617	4 347	983	153	183	647	304	343
HOUSEHOLDER	2 394	292	381	1 721	784	937	354	57	74	224	106	117
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	445	69	106	270	164	106	165	29	43	94	52	42
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.68	(8)	1.58	1.73	1.88	1.49	1.97	(8)	(8)	2.05	(8)	(8)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	2.76	2.73	2.85	2.74	2.85	2.65	3.22	(8)	(8)	3.30	3.72	2.92
SPOUSE OF HOUSEHOLDER	9 208	1 469	2 010	5 728	3 464	2 264	529	90	100	340	171	169
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 776	94	168	1 514	369	1 145	100	6	10	84	27	57
IN RELATED SUBFAMILIES	99	8	31	60	26	34	28	1	11	16	7	9
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	94	8	29	57	26	32	24	1	9	14	7	6
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	5	-	2	3	-	3	4	-	2	3	-	3
OTHER	22	7	7	8	-	8	3	1	1	1	-	1
IN UNRELATED SUBFAMILIES	8 205	535	838	6 832	2 346	4 486	2 113	158	234	1 722	521	1 201
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	7 771	499	774	6 497	2 224	4 274	1 945	145	201	1 599	470	1 129
LIVING ALONE	435	36	64	335	122	213	168	13	33	123	50	73
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	377	36	62	278	116	162	149	13	33	103	48	55
IN HOUSEHOLDS	58	-	1	57	6	51	20	-	-	20	2	18
IN GROUP QUARTERS												
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>												
TOTAL	21 605	2 397	3 404	15 804	6 963	8 841	3 099	312	417	2 370	825	1 545
SINGLE	1 022	79	131	811	298	514	175	10	19	146	52	95
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	9 735	1 546	2 132	6 057	3 666	2 392	563	94	111	358	183	175
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	391	77	63	250	145	106	142	31	21	90	51	39
SEPARATED	232	49	44	139	89	50	93	23	18	52	30	22
OTHER	159	29	18	112	55	56	49	8	3	38	21	17
WIDOWED	9 309	490	807	8 012	2 452	5 560	1 949	135	206	1 609	448	1 161
DIVORCED	1 148	205	270	674	404	270	269	42	61	167	91	75
<b>WORK EXPERIENCE</b>												
PERSONS	21 605	2 397	3 404	15 804	6 963	8 841	3 099	312	417	2 370	825	1 545
WORKED LAST YEAR	3 974	1 132	1 186	1 656	1 165	491	181	65	49	67	36	31
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 354	780	784	791	563	227	84	27	14	23	9	13
FULL-TIME	1 535	619	578	338	264	73	31	10	9	11	5	6
49 WEEKS OR LESS	1 620	352	402	866	602	264	118	38	35	45	27	18
FULL-TIME	641	189	202	250	196	54	42	16	15	11	6	5
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:												
ILL OR DISABLED	181	42	49	90	57	33	21	3	7	11	7	4
KEEPING HOUSE	415	97	111	207	150	56	27	7	7	13	6	6
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	181	73	56	52	37	14	24	16	6	2	2	2
RETIRED	522	51	99	373	255	118	24	2	8	14	9	5
OTHER	320	89	87	144	103	41	22	10	7	5	3	2
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	41.0	44.6	43.2	37.1	37.0	37.2	32.6	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	17 630	1 265	2 218	14 147	5 798	8 350	2 918	247	368	2 303	789	1 514
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:												
ILL OR DISABLED	2 872	207	349	2 316	798	1 518	868	84	134	650	224	426
KEEPING HOUSE	6 519	770	1 107	4 642	2 334	2 308	802	100	127	576	234	342
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	67	19	25	23	13	10	20	3	7	10	5	5
RETIRED	7 903	232	686	6 984	2 584	4 400	1 167	47	96	1 024	310	714
OTHER	269	37	51	182	69	113	61	13	4	44	16	28
<b>FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS</b>												
WORKED LAST YEAR	2 394	292	381	1 721	784	937	354	57	74	224	106	117
50 TO 52 WEEKS	511	128	165	218	162	56	28	8	8	12	7	5
FULL-TIME	322	80	122	120	92	28	7	1	-	6	4	2
49 WEEKS OR LESS	215	72	92	50	43	7	21	6	8	6	3	3
FULL-TIME	189	47	43	98	71	28	21	6	8	6	3	3
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:												
ILL OR DISABLED	83	27	23	33	25	8	3	-	2	1	-	1
KEEPING HOUSE	25	7	8	10	5	4	4	-	-	4	2	2
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	54	8	9	37	30	8	4	-	2	3	1	1
RETIRED	24	12	7	5	4	2	2	-	2	-	-	-
OTHER	48	9	6	33	20	13	1	-	1	-	-	-
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	37	11	13	13	12	1	10	6	4	-	-	-
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	42.5	44.2	45.7	39.2	39.7	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	1 884	165	216	1 503	622	881	327	50	66	211	99	112
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:												
ILL OR DISABLED	454	46	52	356	122	234	113	20	25	68	25	43
KEEPING HOUSE	594	78	79	436	218	218	99	21	23	55	31	23
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	15	5	5	6	5	1	4	2	2	-	-	-
RETIRED	802	30	76	696	270	427	108	4	15	89	43	46
OTHER	19	6	4	9	7	2	3	3	-	-	-	-

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FEMALE--CONTINUED												
WORK EXPERIENCE--CONTINUED												
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS. . . . .	8 205	535	838	6 832	2 346	4 486	2 113	158	234	1 722	521	1 201
WORKED LAST YEAR. . . . .	1 468	332	356	780	477	303	106	36	27	43	21	22
50 TO 52 WEEKS. . . . .	859	249	245	365	232	133	35	16	8	12	2	10
FULL TIME. . . . .	523	204	180	139	98	41	14	5	3	6	6	6
49 WEEKS OR LESS. . . . .	609	83	111	415	245	170	71	20	31	19	12	12
FULL TIME. . . . .	208	52	51	105	68	38	26	11	9	7	4	2
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:												
ILL OR DISABLED. . . . .	79	7	21	51	26	24	16	2	7	7	5	2
KEEPING HOUSE. . . . .	82	8	23	51	28	23	14	3	5	6	2	5
UNABLE TO FIND WORK. . . . .	79	28	13	38	25	12	18	13	3	2	2	—
RETIRED. . . . .	229	15	28	187	106	80	16	2	3	11	8	3
OTHER. . . . .	141	26	26	90	59	30	7	1	5	3	3	2
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED. . . . .	41.4	45.9	44.1	38.3	38.9	37.3	32.7	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR. . . . .	6 737	203	482	6 052	1 869	4 183	2 008	122	206	1 679	500	1 179
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:												
ILL OR DISABLED. . . . .	1 394	79	147	1 168	379	789	630	56	90	484	149	335
KEEPING HOUSE. . . . .	1 343	44	107	1 192	363	809	407	27	52	329	106	223
UNABLE TO FIND WORK. . . . .	29	6	11	12	4	8	13	2	4	7	4	3
RETIRED. . . . .	3 826	58	204	3 564	1 055	2 509	909	30	60	819	225	594
OTHER. . . . .	144	15	13	116	48	68	48	8	—	40	16	24
SOURCE OF INCOME												
PERSONS. . . . .	21 605	2 397	3 404	15 804	6 963	8 841	3 099	312	417	2 370	825	1 545
EARNINGS ONLY. . . . .	475	240	176	59	51	8	47	22	19	6	5	1
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY. . . . .	456	227	170	58	50	8	41	19	16	6	5	1
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY. . . . .	20	13	6	—	—	—	5	3	2	—	—	—
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME. . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS. . . . .	3 462	882	994	1 586	1 102	484	132	41	30	61	30	30
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY. . . . .	338	13	86	240	180	59	28	2	12	13	5	8
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY. . . . .	5	—	—	5	4	—	2	—	—	1	1	—
EARNINGS, SOCIAL SECURITY, AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY. . . . .	13	—	1	12	5	7	3	—	—	3	3	—
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY. . . . .	3 102	870	905	1 327	909	418	97	39	17	42	20	22
OTHER COMBINATIONS. . . . .	4	—	2	3	3	—	2	—	—	—	—	—
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY. . . . .	17 057	1 061	2 058	13 939	5 694	8 245	2 753	199	327	2 227	753	1 473
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY. . . . .	3 166	62	355	2 749	1 097	1 652	948	35	110	803	293	510
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY. . . . .	333	38	48	246	81	166	185	23	35	127	46	81
OTHER INCOME ONLY. . . . .	932	448	243	241	117	125	144	68	36	40	15	25
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY. . . . .	81	40	22	19	8	11	47	24	11	12	8	4
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY. . . . .	836	20	55	761	242	519	497	15	36	446	154	292
SOCIAL SECURITY AND OTHER INCOME ONLY. . . . .	10 946	182	1 129	9 635	4 046	5 589	883	29	83	771	236	535
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME AND OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY. . . . .	264	9	28	227	64	164	67	7	7	54	10	43
SOCIAL SECURITY AND "ALL OTHER" INCOME ONLY. . . . .	10 682	172	1 102	9 408	3 982	5 426	815	23	76	717	226	491
OTHER COMBINATIONS. . . . .	846	311	228	307	112	195	96	28	28	41	11	30
NO INCOME. . . . .	610	214	176	220	117	103	168	50	41	77	36	41
FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS. . . . .												
EARNINGS ONLY. . . . .	2 394	292	381	1 721	784	937	354	57	74	224	106	117
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY. . . . .	81	29	39	13	12	1	8	1	3	4	4	—
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY. . . . .	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME. . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS. . . . .	427	99	125	203	149	54	20	6	5	9	4	5
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY. . . . .	54	5	14	34	32	2	3	—	1	2	—	2
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY. . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
EARNINGS, SOCIAL SECURITY, AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY. . . . .	5	—	—	5	1	4	—	—	—	—	—	—
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY. . . . .	368	93	110	164	116	49	17	6	4	7	4	3
OTHER COMBINATIONS. . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY. . . . .	1 840	155	205	1 480	614	866	306	44	60	203	98	105
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY. . . . .	448	26	49	373	163	210	124	15	24	85	47	38
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY. . . . .	74	10	9	54	20	35	27	4	3	20	11	9
OTHER INCOME ONLY. . . . .	80	47	16	18	6	11	23	13	5	5	—	5
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY. . . . .	23	14	6	3	—	3	14	8	3	3	—	3
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY. . . . .	148	10	15	123	43	80	53	6	9	38	15	23
SOCIAL SECURITY AND OTHER INCOME ONLY. . . . .	1 003	40	96	867	362	506	68	5	10	53	23	30
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME AND OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY. . . . .	42	1	6	35	13	22	6	1	3	2	2	—
SOCIAL SECURITY AND "ALL OTHER" INCOME ONLY. . . . .	961	39	90	832	348	484	61	3	7	51	21	30
OTHER COMBINATIONS. . . . .	85	21	20	44	20	24	11	9	2	2	2	—
NO INCOME. . . . .	46	9	12	25	9	16	20	6	6	8	2	7
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS. . . . .												
EARNINGS ONLY. . . . .	8 205	535	838	6 832	2 346	4 486	2 113	158	234	1 722	521	1 201
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY. . . . .	108	56	36	16	13	3	19	10	7	1	—	1
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY. . . . .	5	4	1	—	—	—	3	2	1	—	—	—
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME. . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS. . . . .	1 358	276	317	764	464	300	87	25	20	42	20	21
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY. . . . .	122	5	16	101	64	37	17	2	8	7	3	4
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY. . . . .	5	—	—	5	4	—	1	—	—	1	1	—
EARNINGS, SOCIAL SECURITY, AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY. . . . .	7	—	—	7	4	3	3	—	—	3	3	—
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY. . . . .	1 220	271	300	649	389	260	63	23	11	29	12	17
OTHER COMBINATIONS. . . . .	4	—	2	3	3	—	2	—	—	—	—	—

SEE FOOTNOTE(S) AT END OF TABLE.

**Table 11. Selected Characteristics of the Aged—Poverty Status in 1984 of Persons 60 Years and Over, by Age and Sex—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

CHARACTERISTIC	ALL INCOME LEVELS						BELOW POVERTY LEVEL					
	TOTAL	60 AND 61 YEARS	62 TO 64 YEARS	65 YEARS OLD AND OVER			TOTAL	60 AND 61 YEARS	62 TO 64 YEARS	65 YEARS OLD AND OVER		
				TOTAL	65 TO 71 YEARS	72 YEARS AND OVER				TOTAL	65 TO 71 YEARS	72 YEARS AND OVER
<b>FEMALE--CONTINUED</b>												
<b>SOURCE OF INCOME--CONTINUED</b>												
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS--CONTINUED												
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	6 693	194	477	6 022	1 856	4 166	1 961	113	198	1 650	487	1 162
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1 058	19	87	951	282	670	64	17	64	560	179	382
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	139	20	25	94	34	60	123	18	22	84	29	55
OTHER INCOME ONLY	111	37	15	60	23	37	61	26	13	27	7	15
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY	26	10	8	10	7	3	23	10	6	7	7	-
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	4 779	9	23	447	134	313	374	9	23	342	104	238
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	4 673	66	255	4 312	1 348	2 964	696	25	64	607	162	465
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME AND OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY	191	5	22	164	39	125	59	5	4	49	8	41
SOCIAL SECURITY AND "ALL OTHER" INCOME ONLY	4 482	60	273	4 148	1 309	2 839	637	19	60	558	154	404
OTHER COMBINATIONS	233	44	32	157	35	122	66	19	12	35	7	28
NO INCOME	46	9	8	30	13	17	46	9	8	30	13	17
<b>TYPE OF INCOME</b>												
PERSONS												
EARNINGS	21 605	2 397	3 404	15 804	6 963	8 841	3 099	312	417	2 370	825	1 545
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	3 938	1 123	1 170	1 645	1 152	492	178	63	49	66	35	31
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	3 624	1 055	1 098	1 471	1 056	415	158	55	45	58	32	26
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	344	74	85	184	106	78	20	3	11	4	7	7
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	51	11	7	33	18	15	3	1	1	-	-	-
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	20 520	1 943	3 052	15 525	6 796	8 729	2 884	239	358	2 287	784	1 503
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	16 834	328	1 956	14 549	6 327	8 223	2 411	87	254	2 070	705	1 365
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS	1 561	85	140	1 336	452	884	880	50	92	738	263	475
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1 014	176	195	643	223	420	279	60	46	172	44	128
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	14 448	1 640	2 293	10 515	4 773	5 742	898	99	106	693	212	481
NO INCOME	4 412	360	590	3 462	1 595	1 867	205	37	40	128	62	66
	610	214	176	220	117	103	168	50	41	77	36	41
FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS												
EARNINGS	2 394	292	381	1 721	784	937	354	57	74	224	106	117
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	508	128	164	217	161	56	28	8	8	12	7	5
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	472	125	157	190	143	48	28	8	8	12	7	5
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	45	3	8	35	24	11	2	-	-	2	-	2
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	4	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	2 267	254	330	1 683	765	920	326	50	65	212	101	110
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 853	102	215	1 536	688	848	258	29	46	183	87	96
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS	277	24	36	217	85	132	100	12	19	69	33	37
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	211	49	47	116	52	64	50	12	13	25	9	16
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	1 279	158	189	933	415	517	65	8	12	45	21	24
NO INCOME	534	67	71	396	196	201	23	4	10	9	6	4
	46	9	12	25	9	16	20	6	6	8	2	7
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
EARNINGS	8 205	535	838	6 832	2 346	4 486	2 113	158	234	1 722	521	1 201
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	1 466	332	354	780	477	303	106	36	27	43	21	22
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1 349	318	328	703	440	263	90	29	25	36	19	17
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	132	21	29	82	40	42	14	5	3	7	1	5
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	15	1	2	10	2	2	1	1	-	-	-	-
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	8 050	470	794	6 786	2 321	4 466	2 048	139	219	1 691	508	1 183
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	7 077	123	541	6 413	2 173	4 239	1 771	56	170	1 545	460	1 086
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS	887	41	66	779	249	530	665	35	58	572	187	385
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	590	75	87	427	131	296	203	39	30	134	29	106
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	5 506	344	554	4 608	1 586	3 022	655	56	67	532	139	394
NO INCOME	2 397	145	246	2 005	821	1 184	162	31	22	108	45	62
	46	9	8	30	13	17	46	9	8	30	13	17
<b>TENURE AND LIVING ARRANGEMENTS</b>												
ALL PERSONS												
LIVING WITH RELATIVES	21 605	2 397	3 404	15 804	6 963	8 841	3 099	312	417	2 370	825	1 545
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	13 378	1 855	2 559	8 964	4 617	4 347	983	153	183	647	304	343
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	11 443	1 630	2 227	7 586	3 954	3 632	698	106	113	479	221	258
PUBLIC	1 935	225	332	1 378	663	715	285	47	70	168	83	85
PRIVATE	175	21	34	119	66	54	62	10	21	30	19	11
SUBSIDIZED	1 760	204	298	1 259	597	662	223	36	49	138	64	74
FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS	78	15	6	57	18	39	12	8	1	3	-	3
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	2 394	292	381	1 721	784	937	354	57	74	224	106	117
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	1 840	218	291	1 330	588	742	222	31	79	151	66	85
PUBLIC	555	74	90	391	196	195	133	26	34	72	40	32
PRIVATE	69	14	13	42	28	14	37	9	10	18	12	6
SUBSIDIZED	486	60	77	349	168	182	95	17	24	54	28	26
	24	6	3	15	1	14	6	4	1	1	-	1
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES ONLY												
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	456	43	70	343	122	220	171	14	33	124	50	74
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	289	32	45	212	74	138	95	9	20	66	27	40
PUBLIC	167	11	25	131	49	82	75	5	13	57	23	34
PRIVATE	7	1	-	6	2	4	2	-	2	-	-	2
SUBSIDIZED	160	10	25	125	46	78	73	5	13	56	23	32
	8	-	-	8	3	5	5	-	5	3	3	3
LIVING ALONE												
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	7 771	499	774	6 497	2 224	4 274	1 945	145	201	1 599	470	1 129
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	4 907	323	490	4 094	1 454	2 639	1 000	80	79	840	249	591
PUBLIC	2 864	176	284	2 404	769	1 634	945	64	122	759	221	538
PRIVATE	605	19	47	540	152	388	289	16	33	240	64	176
SUBSIDIZED	2 259	157	237	1 864	617	1 247	657	49	89	519	157	362
	309	9	18	282	74	207	124	6	10	109	31	78

\*INCLUDES MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES. NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY.  
 \*\*OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS INCLUDE PUBLIC ASSISTANCE, UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION, WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION, AND VETERANS' PAYMENTS.  
 \*\*\*"ALL OTHER" INCOME INCLUDES DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, RENT, PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, AND ANNUITY INCOME.  
 \*\*\*\*DETAIL DOES NOT ADD TO TOTAL BECAUSE SOME PERSONS RECEIVE MORE THAN ONE OF THE SPECIFIED TYPES OF INCOME.

Table 12. Standard Errors of Estimates of Persons Below the Poverty Level in 1984, by Selected Characteristics

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

CHARACTERISTIC	ALL RACES		WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH ORIGIN <sup>1</sup>	
	NUMBER	STANDARD ERROR	NUMBER	STANDARD ERROR	NUMBER	STANDARD ERROR	NUMBER	STANDARD ERROR
<b>AGE</b>								
TOTAL . . . . .	33 700	483	22 955	408	9 490	226	4 806	232
UNDER 15 YEARS . . . . .	11 455	250	7 195	202	3 805	149	2 049	110
15 TO 24 YEARS . . . . .	6 581	129	4 417	109	1 893	61	977	76
25 TO 34 YEARS . . . . .	4 875	111	3 336	95	1 339	49	696	55
35 TO 44 YEARS . . . . .	3 063	89	2 219	78	687	38	482	46
45 TO 64 YEARS . . . . .	4 397	109	3 210	95	1 056	48	426	44
65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	3 330	92	2 579	83	710	36	176	28
<b>SEX</b>								
TOTAL . . . . .	33 700	483	22 955	408	9 490	226	4 806	232
MALE . . . . .	14 537	319	9 967	270	3 983	150	2 191	157
FEMALE . . . . .	19 163	361	12 988	305	5 507	168	2 615	171
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS</b>								
TOTAL, 15 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	22 246	240	15 761	207	5 685	107	2 757	111
IN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	9 280	162	6 878	141	2 071	74	1 170	72
IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	26	9	15	7	11	6	2	3
IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	9 254	162	6 864	141	2 061	74	1 168	72
UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	6 889	141	5 370	125	1 270	60	845	62
NOT IN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	2 365	84	1 493	67	791	48	323	38
UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	12 966	190	8 882	159	3 614	93	1 586	84
<b>WORK EXPERIENCE</b>								
TOTAL, 15 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	22 246	240	15 761	207	5 685	107	2 757	111
WORKED LAST YEAR . . . . .	9 104	161	6 866	141	1 911	72	1 049	69
90 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	3 022	95	2 352	84	575	41	306	37
FULL TIME . . . . .	2 076	79	1 654	70	354	32	235	33
1 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	6 082	133	4 514	115	1 336	61	743	58
REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:								
UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	2 458	85	1 750	72	602	42	353	40
OTHER . . . . .	3 624	103	2 764	91	733	46	390	42
DID NOT WORK . . . . .	13 115	191	8 880	159	3 763	94	1 705	87
REASON FOR NOT WORKING:								
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	2 737	90	1 809	73	880	50	220	32
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	4 128	110	2 935	93	1 054	55	719	57
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	2 280	82	1 376	64	736	46	386	42
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	1 426	65	770	48	603	42	174	28
OTHER . . . . .	2 545	87	1 990	77	490	38	206	31
IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	26	9	15	7	11	6	2	3

<sup>1</sup>PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

Table 13. Size of Family—Poverty Status in 1984 of Families, by Type of Family and Race of Householder

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SIZE OF FAMILY	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>ALL FAMILIES</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	62 706	7 277	11.6	54 400	4 925	9.1	6 778	2 094	30.9
2 PERSONS . . . . .	25 349	2 283	9.0	22 711	1 655	7.3	2 261	582	25.7
HOUSEHOLDER UNDER 65 YEARS . . . . .	17 357	1 785	10.3	15 297	1 262	8.2	1 746	483	27.7
HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	7 992	498	6.2	7 415	393	5.3	515	99	19.2
3 PERSONS . . . . .	14 804	1 716	11.6	12 743	1 152	9.0	1 730	520	30.0
4 PERSONS . . . . .	13 259	1 516	11.4	11 517	1 026	8.9	1 358	426	31.4
5 PERSONS . . . . .	5 894	890	15.1	4 894	595	12.2	762	249	32.7
6 PERSONS . . . . .	2 175	458	21.0	1 704	277	16.3	366	151	41.3
7 PERSONS . . . . .	746	231	31.0	532	128	24.0	163	86	52.7
8 PERSONS . . . . .	257	86	33.4	178	49	27.6	59	33	(B)
9 PERSONS OR MORE . . . . .	223	97	43.6	122	43	35.7	78	46	59.3
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY . . . . .	3.23	3.64	(X)	3.16	3.51	(X)	3.60	3.86	(X)
<b>FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	10 129	3 498	34.5	6 941	1 878	27.1	2 964	1 533	51.7
2 PERSONS . . . . .	4 747	1 165	24.5	3 593	709	19.7	1 063	433	40.8
HOUSEHOLDER UNDER 65 YEARS . . . . .	3 725	1 040	27.9	2 751	628	22.8	895	391	43.7
HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	1 022	125	12.2	842	81	9.6	167	42	25.0
3 PERSONS . . . . .	2 938	1 066	36.3	1 997	607	30.4	881	435	49.4
4 PERSONS . . . . .	1 383	686	49.6	847	342	40.4	499	322	64.6
5 PERSONS . . . . .	609	304	49.8	340	138	40.5	254	156	61.4
6 PERSONS . . . . .	263	159	60.6	106	53	50.2	149	102	68.5
7 PERSONS . . . . .	106	67	62.8	38	19	(B)	61	44	(B)
8 PERSONS . . . . .	40	22	(B)	11	5	(B)	26	18	(B)
9 PERSONS OR MORE . . . . .	42	29	(B)	9	6	(B)	32	22	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY . . . . .	3.05	3.38	(X)	2.85	3.13	(X)	3.48	3.68	(X)
<b>ALL OTHER FAMILIES</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	52 578	3 780	7.2	47 459	3 046	6.4	3 813	561	14.7
2 PERSONS . . . . .	20 602	1 118	5.4	19 118	946	4.9	1 199	149	12.4
HOUSEHOLDER UNDER 65 YEARS . . . . .	13 632	745	5.5	12 546	634	5.1	851	92	10.8
HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER . . . . .	6 970	373	5.4	6 572	312	4.8	348	57	16.4
3 PERSONS . . . . .	11 866	650	5.5	10 746	545	5.1	849	84	9.9
4 PERSONS . . . . .	11 876	830	7.0	10 670	684	6.4	859	104	12.1
5 PERSONS . . . . .	5 284	587	11.1	4 555	457	10.0	508	93	18.4
6 PERSONS . . . . .	1 912	298	15.6	1 597	223	14.0	217	49	22.6
7 PERSONS . . . . .	640	165	25.7	494	109	22.0	102	42	40.8
8 PERSONS . . . . .	217	63	29.2	166	44	26.7	33	15	(B)
9 PERSONS OR MORE . . . . .	181	69	38.0	112	37	33.2	46	24	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY . . . . .	3.26	3.87	(X)	3.21	3.74	(X)	3.69	4.35	(X)

**Table 14. Number of Related Children Under 18 Years—Poverty Status in 1984 of Families, by Type of Family and Race of Householder**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

PRESENCE OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>ALL FAMILIES</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	62 706	7 277	11.6	54 400	4 925	9.1	6 778	2 094	30.9
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS . . . . .	29 764	1 616	5.4	27 021	1 246	4.6	2 265	336	14.8
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS . . . . .	32 942	5 662	17.2	27 380	3 679	13.4	4 512	1 758	39.0
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN . . . . .	1.87	2.28	(X)	1.84	2.19	(X)	2.06	2.45	(X)
1 CHILD . . . . .	13 844	1 763	12.7	11 672	1 199	10.3	1 796	512	28.5
2 CHILDREN . . . . .	12 146	1 676	15.4	10 270	1 276	12.4	1 485	527	35.5
3 CHILDREN . . . . .	4 797	1 157	24.1	3 672	719	18.6	731	383	52.4
4 CHILDREN . . . . .	1 488	514	34.5	1 140	311	27.3	287	176	61.1
5 CHILDREN . . . . .	433	214	49.5	289	105	36.2	124	97	78.1
6 CHILDREN . . . . .	129	77	59.2	72	36	(B)	51	36	(B)
7 OR MORE CHILDREN . . . . .	104	60	57.8	65	33	(B)	37	27	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS . . . . .	7.59	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
<b>FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	10 129	3 498	34.5	6 941	1 878	27.1	2 964	1 533	51.7
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS . . . . .	3 297	374	11.3	2 605	196	7.5	629	169	26.8
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS . . . . .	6 832	3 124	45.7	4 337	1 682	38.8	2 335	1 364	58.4
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN . . . . .	1.84	2.17	(X)	1.71	2.01	(X)	2.07	2.36	(X)
1 CHILD . . . . .	3 229	1 077	33.3	2 207	634	28.7	955	419	43.9
2 CHILDREN . . . . .	2 201	1 043	47.4	1 428	604	42.3	720	415	57.5
3 CHILDREN . . . . .	897	595	66.3	481	282	58.6	384	290	75.6
4 CHILDREN . . . . .	325	256	78.8	161	114	71.0	158	137	86.8
5 CHILDREN . . . . .	111	98	88.1	41	33	(B)	68	63	(B)
6 CHILDREN . . . . .	43	33	(B)	10	8	(B)	33	24	(B)
7 OR MORE CHILDREN . . . . .	26	23	(B)	9	8	(B)	17	15	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
<b>ALL OTHER FAMILIES</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	52 578	3 780	7.2	47 459	3 046	6.4	3 813	561	14.7
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS . . . . .	26 467	1 242	4.7	24 416	1 050	4.3	1 636	167	10.2
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS . . . . .	26 110	2 538	9.7	23 043	1 996	8.7	2 177	394	18.1
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN . . . . .	1.88	2.43	(X)	1.86	2.35	(X)	2.06	2.75	(X)
1 CHILD . . . . .	10 615	687	6.5	9 464	565	6.0	841	93	11.1
2 CHILDREN . . . . .	9 945	833	8.4	8 842	673	7.6	765	113	14.7
3 CHILDREN . . . . .	3 901	562	14.4	3 391	437	12.9	347	93	26.7
4 CHILDREN . . . . .	1 163	256	22.2	979	196	20.1	129	38	29.6
5 CHILDREN . . . . .	321	116	36.2	249	72	28.8	56	34	(B)
6 CHILDREN . . . . .	87	44	50.6	63	28	(B)	19	12	(B)
7 OR MORE CHILDREN . . . . .	78	38	47.9	56	25	(B)	21	11	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS . . . . .	7.61	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)

**Table 15. Presence and Age of Related Children—Poverty Status in 1984 of Families, by Type of Family and Age and Race of Householder.**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

PRESENCE AND AGE OF CHILDREN	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>ALL FAMILIES</b>									
<b>HOUSEHOLDER ALL AGES</b>									
TOTAL	62 706	7 277	11.6	54 400	4 925	9.1	6 778	2 094	30.9
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	29 764	1 616	5.4	27 021	1 246	4.6	2 265	336	14.8
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	32 942	5 662	17.2	27 380	3 679	13.4	4 512	1 758	39.0
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.87	2.28	(X)	1.84	2.19	(X)	2.06	2.45	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	15 537	3 288	21.2	12 742	2 104	16.5	2 269	1 057	46.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.36	1.50	(X)	1.35	1.48	(X)	1.39	1.52	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	8 592	1 509	17.6	7 296	1 041	14.3	1 009	411	40.7
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.42	1.57	(X)	1.42	1.56	(X)	1.41	1.58	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	6 945	1 779	25.6	5 846	1 063	19.5	1 259	646	51.3
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.87	3.30	(X)	2.81	3.20	(X)	3.14	3.47	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	17 405	2 374	13.6	14 637	1 575	10.8	2 244	701	31.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.70	1.98	(X)	1.69	1.94	(X)	1.75	2.03	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER UNDER 25 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	3 127	919	29.4	2 577	607	23.6	479	291	60.8
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 181	84	7.1	1 076	77	7.2	79	5	6.8
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 946	834	42.9	1 501	530	35.3	400	286	71.4
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.54	1.77	(X)	1.47	1.65	(X)	1.84	1.99	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 838	785	42.7	1 433	505	35.2	367	267	72.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.42	1.58	(X)	1.38	1.55	(X)	1.58	1.65	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	1 607	637	39.6	1 296	445	34.3	278	183	66.0
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.42	1.58	(X)	1.39	1.55	(X)	1.58	1.66	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	231	148	63.9	137	60	44.0	89	83	93.3
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.61	2.80	(X)	2.42	(8)	(X)	2.92	2.96	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	107	50	46.1	68	25	(8)	33	19	(8)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.19	(8)	(X)	(8)	(8)	(X)	(8)	(8)	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 44 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	29 430	3 886	13.2	25 129	2 591	10.3	3 467	1 145	33.0
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	5 729	182	3.2	5 107	131	2.6	487	43	8.9
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	23 700	3 704	15.6	20 022	2 460	12.3	2 980	1 101	37.0
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.98	2.47	(X)	1.95	2.40	(X)	2.15	2.61	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	12 221	2 131	17.4	10 296	1 418	13.8	1 515	624	41.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.35	1.47	(X)	1.35	1.48	(X)	1.32	1.42	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	6 286	726	11.5	5 503	516	9.4	557	173	31.1
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.43	1.60	(X)	1.44	1.58	(X)	1.37	1.57	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	5 935	1 405	23.7	4 793	902	18.8	958	451	47.1
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.85	3.29	(X)	2.80	3.21	(X)	3.04	3.43	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	11 479	1 573	13.7	9 727	1 042	10.7	1 465	477	32.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.82	2.15	(X)	1.81	2.11	(X)	1.86	2.22	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 45 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	20 344	1 760	8.6	17 835	1 212	6.8	2 003	470	23.5
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	13 669	814	6.0	12 400	623	5.0	1 047	174	16.6
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	6 675	946	14.2	5 435	588	10.8	955	297	31.1
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.62	2.04	(X)	1.56	1.88	(X)	1.90	2.28	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 269	305	24.0	885	149	16.8	318	132	41.5
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.32	1.49	(X)	1.25	1.33	(X)	1.52	1.70	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	577	117	20.3	413	63	15.3	144	44	30.7
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.26	1.37	(X)	1.26	(8)	(X)	1.30	(8)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	692	188	27.1	472	86	18.2	175	88	50.3
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	3.14	3.68	(X)	2.96	3.41	(X)	3.68	3.97	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	5 406	641	11.9	4 850	439	9.7	637	165	25.9
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.46	1.68	(X)	1.44	1.66	(X)	1.54	1.62	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL	9 806	713	7.3	8 859	515	5.8	829	188	22.7
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	9 184	535	5.8	8 438	414	4.9	652	114	17.5
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	621	178	28.6	421	100	23.8	177	74	41.8
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.66	2.05	(X)	1.60	1.73	(X)	1.99	(8)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	208	67	32.4	128	32	24.9	68	34	(8)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.41	(8)	(X)	1.38	(8)	(X)	(8)	(8)	(X)



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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS, FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

PRESENCE AND AGE OF CHILDREN	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES</b>									
<b>HOUSEHOLDER ALL AGES</b>									
TOTAL	50 350	3 488	6.9	45 643	2 858	6.3	3 469	479	13.8
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	25 312	1 144	4.5	23 482	979	4.2	1 467	148	10.1
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	25 038	2 344	9.4	22 181	1 879	8.5	2 001	331	16.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.89	2.46	(X)	1.87	2.39	(X)	2.06	2.77	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	12 360	1 476	11.9	10 877	1 165	10.7	1 034	228	22.1
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.36	1.58	(X)	1.36	1.57	(X)	1.38	1.59	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	6 950	684	9.8	6 229	561	9.0	472	84	17.7
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.43	1.67	(X)	1.44	1.64	(X)	1.41	1.80	(X)
AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	5 410	792	14.6	4 648	604	13.0	561	145	25.8
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.84	3.45	(X)	2.81	3.40	(X)	3.05	3.62	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	12 678	868	6.8	11 304	714	6.3	968	103	10.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.74	2.18	(X)	1.73	2.12	(X)	1.80	2.36	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER UNDER 25 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	2 148	308	14.4	1 966	272	13.8	138	31	22.4
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	977	54	5.5	911	53	5.8	49	1	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 171	259	21.8	1 055	219	20.8	90	30	33.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.48	1.73	(X)	1.46	1.69	(X)	1.73	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 139	251	22.1	1 034	169	21.2	83	29	34.9
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.39	1.63	(X)	1.37	1.60	(X)	1.68	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	1 046	231	22.1	947	201	21.2	77	27	35.5
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.40	1.63	(X)	1.38	1.58	(X)	1.72	(B)	(X)
AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	93	20	21.8	87	18	20.8	6	2	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.41	(B)	(X)	2.40	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	31	3	(P)	20	-	(B)	7	1	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 44 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	23 234	1 669	7.2	20 869	1 360	6.5	1 672	213	12.7
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	4 894	122	2.5	4 456	104	2.3	325	13	3.9
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	18 340	1 547	8.4	16 413	1 256	7.7	1 347	200	14.9
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.00	2.67	(X)	1.99	2.61	(X)	2.16	3.03	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	10 246	1 037	10.1	9 094	820	9.0	786	153	19.5
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.37	1.59	(X)	1.37	1.58	(X)	1.33	1.56	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	5 476	378	6.9	4 945	394	6.2	326	45	13.9
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.45	1.75	(X)	1.46	1.72	(X)	1.38	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	4 770	658	13.8	4 149	516	12.4	460	107	23.4
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.82	3.42	(X)	2.80	3.38	(X)	2.95	3.60	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	8 094	511	6.3	7 319	436	6.0	561	47	8.4
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.89	2.39	(X)	1.88	2.33	(X)	1.96	(B)	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 45 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	16 911	1 034	6.1	15 326	846	5.5	1 179	145	12.3
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	11 683	564	4.8	10 817	482	4.5	689	74	10.7
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	5 228	471	9.0	4 509	365	8.1	490	71	14.5
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.63	2.20	(X)	1.59	2.09	(X)	1.88	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	886	162	18.3	690	110	15.9	147	39	26.3
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.29	1.37	(X)	1.26	1.35	(X)	1.44	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	373	63	16.8	299	47	15.9	60	9	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.26	(B)	(X)	1.28	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	513	100	19.4	391	62	15.9	87	30	34.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	3.09	3.72	(X)	3.00	(B)	(X)	3.51	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	4 342	308	7.1	3 819	255	6.7	343	33	9.5
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.49	1.89	(X)	1.47	1.81	(X)	1.58	(B)	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL	8 057	476	5.9	7 482	380	5.1	479	90	18.9
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	7 757	405	5.2	7 278	341	4.7	404	60	14.8
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	299	71	23.8	205	39	19.1	75	30	40.5
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.64	(B)	(X)	1.50	(B)	(X)	1.91	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	89	26	29.1	60	17	(B)	18	8	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.36	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS, FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

PRESENCE AND AGE OF CHILDREN	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>OTHER FAMILIES, MALE HOUSEHOLDER</b>									
<b>HOUSEHOLDER ALL AGES</b>									
TOTAL	2 228	292	13.1	1 816	189	10.4	344	82	23.8
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 155	98	8.5	954	71	7.5	169	20	11.6
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 072	194	18.1	862	117	13.6	175	62	35.5
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.60	2.06	(X)	1.50	1.72	(X)	2.02	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	378	108	28.6	277	61	22.1	82	37	45.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.37	1.66	(X)	1.24	(B)	(X)	1.75	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	244	59	24.3	185	36	19.7	50	20	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.32	(B)	(X)	1.25	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	134	49	36.5	92	25	26.9	32	17	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	3.17	(B)	(X)	2.84	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	695	86	12.4	585	56	9.6	93	25	26.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.40	1.59	(X)	1.38	(B)	(X)	1.56	(B)	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER UNDER 25 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	195	54	27.6	150	37	24.7	36	13	(B)
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	131	20	15.6	106	17	15.6	21	2	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	64	33	(B)	44	20	(B)	15	11	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	53	28	(B)	35	17	(X)	15	11	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	42	21	(B)	29	15	(B)	10	6	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	12	7	(B)	6	2	(B)	5	5	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	11	5	(B)	8	3	(B)	-	-	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 44 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	1 040	126	12.1	847	73	8.6	161	42	26.3
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	358	19	5.2	288	12	4.2	58	5	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	682	108	15.8	559	61	10.8	103	37	36.1
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.63	1.99	(X)	1.57	(B)	(X)	1.84	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	257	57	22.3	196	32	16.4	49	18	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.33	(B)	(X)	1.24	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	170	37	21.8	128	22	16.9	35	13	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.34	(B)	(X)	1.26	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	87	20	23.2	68	10	(B)	14	5	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	3.04	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	426	51	11.9	363	28	7.8	55	19	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.45	(B)	(X)	1.43	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 45 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	697	85	12.2	584	63	10.8	91	15	16.4
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	431	47	11.0	368	36	9.9	50	7	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	266	37	14.0	216	27	12.3	41	8	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.58	(B)	(X)	1.40	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	52	15	(B)	36	8	(B)	13	5	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	25	-	(B)	21	-	(B)	3	-	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	27	15	(B)	15	8	(B)	10	5	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	214	22	10.3	180	18	10.2	28	4	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.34	(B)	(X)	1.32	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL	295	27	9.2	235	16	6.8	57	11	(B)
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	236	12	5.0	192	6	3.3	41	6	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	60	15	(B)	43	6	(B)	16	6	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	15	7	(B)	10	4	(B)	6	4	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)

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INUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT

PRESENCE AND AGE OF CHILDREN	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>OTHER FAMILIES, FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER</b>									
<b>HOUSEHOLDER ALL AGES</b>									
TOTAL	10 129	3 498	34.5	6 941	1 878	27.1	2 964	1 533	51.7
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	3 297	374	11.3	2 605	196	7.5	629	169	26.8
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	6 832	3 124	45.7	4 337	1 682	38.8	2 335	1 364	58.4
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.84	2.17	(X)	1.71	2.01	(X)	2.07	2.36	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	2 800	1 704	60.9	1 588	877	55.2	1 153	791	68.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.33	1.43	(X)	1.29	1.39	(X)	1.39	1.46	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	1 399	766	54.8	882	443	50.3	487	308	63.1
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.36	1.49	(X)	1.34	1.48	(X)	1.40	1.50	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	1 401	938	66.9	706	434	61.5	666	484	72.7
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.96	3.16	(X)	2.76	2.93	(X)	3.17	3.37	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	4 032	1 420	35.2	2 748	805	29.3	1 183	573	48.4
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.61	1.88	(X)	1.56	1.81	(X)	1.72	1.98	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER UNDER 25 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	784	556	70.9	461	299	64.7	305	247	81.0
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	73	10	(B)	59	8	(B)	9	2	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	711	546	76.8	402	291	72.1	295	245	82.8
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.66	1.81	(X)	1.51	1.65	(X)	1.86	2.00	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	646	505	78.2	364	269	73.8	270	227	84.0
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.48	1.58	(X)	1.42	1.53	(X)	1.56	1.64	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	519	385	74.1	320	229	71.6	191	150	78.3
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.46	1.58	(X)	1.43	1.56	(X)	1.52	1.62	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	126	120	95.2	44	40	(B)	79	77	97.7
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.75	2.79	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	2.96	2.98	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	66	41	(B)	39	22	(B)	25	18	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 44 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	5 155	2 091	40.6	3 413	1 159	34.0	1 634	889	54.4
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	4 778	42	8.8	363	15	4.2	104	25	24.4
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	4 677	2 049	43.8	3 051	1 144	37.5	1 530	864	56.5
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.93	2.35	(X)	1.82	2.21	(X)	2.16	2.54	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 719	1 037	60.3	1 008	566	56.3	681	453	66.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.26	1.34	(X)	1.25	1.32	(X)	1.29	1.34	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	641	311	48.5	430	190	44.1	196	115	58.8
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.30	1.41	(X)	1.29	1.38	(X)	1.32	1.41	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	1 079	727	67.4	576	376	65.3	485	338	69.7
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.95	3.17	(X)	2.80	2.98	(X)	3.12	3.37	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	2 959	1 012	34.2	2 045	578	28.3	849	411	48.4
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.70	2.05	(X)	1.65	1.97	(X)	1.81	2.16	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 45 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	2 736	641	23.4	1 925	302	15.7	733	310	42.4
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 556	203	13.1	1 215	105	8.7	308	93	30.2
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 180	438	37.1	710	197	27.7	424	217	51.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.58	1.80	(X)	1.41	1.51	(X)	1.86	2.06	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	331	127	38.4	160	31	19.5	158	89	56.1
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.37	1.56	(X)	1.23	(B)	(X)	1.51	1.63	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	179	55	30.4	93	16	16.9	80	35	44.4
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.28	(B)	(X)	1.22	(B)	(X)	1.35	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	152	73	47.9	67	16	(B)	78	53	67.9
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	3.21	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	3.65	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	849	310	36.6	550	166	30.1	266	128	48.3
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.35	1.46	(X)	1.28	1.41	(X)	1.49	1.51	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL	1 454	209	14.4	1 141	119	10.4	293	86	29.4
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 191	118	9.9	968	67	6.9	207	48	23.3
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	262	91	34.7	173	51	29.7	86	38	44.3
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.70	1.99	(X)	1.54	(B)	(X)	2.03	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	104	34	33.1	59	11	(B)	43	22	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.42	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)

**Table 16. Living Arrangements—Poverty Status in 1984 of Unrelated Individuals 16 Years and Over, by Age, Sex, and Race**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

LIVING ARRANGEMENTS	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>BOTH SEXES</b>									
<b>16 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	30 244	6 586	21.8	26 081	5 168	19.8	3 491	1 245	35.7
LIVING ALONE . . . . .	20 596	3 931	19.1	17 876	3 054	17.1	2 362	810	34.3
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES . . . . .	9 648	2 655	27.5	8 204	2 114	25.8	1 130	435	38.5
IN HOUSEHOLDS . . . . .	9 177	2 447	26.7	7 791	1 938	24.9	1 088	411	37.7
IN GROUP QUARTERS . . . . .	472	207	44.0	414	176	42.4	42	24	(B)
<b>16 TO 21 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	1 785	853	47.8	1 607	759	47.3	119	56	47.0
LIVING ALONE . . . . .	389	130	33.6	342	118	34.6	43	10	(B)
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES . . . . .	1 396	723	51.8	1 265	641	50.7	76	45	59.7
IN HOUSEHOLDS . . . . .	1 324	664	50.2	1 196	585	48.9	75	44	58.9
IN GROUP QUARTERS . . . . .	72	59	(B)	69	56	(B)	1	1	(B)
<b>22 TO 34 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	10 024	1 594	15.9	8 657	1 251	14.5	1 055	276	26.1
LIVING ALONE . . . . .	4 835	513	10.6	4 140	384	9.3	567	109	19.2
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES . . . . .	5 189	1 081	20.8	4 517	867	19.2	488	167	34.3
IN HOUSEHOLDS . . . . .	5 044	1 019	20.2	4 394	821	18.7	477	156	32.8
IN GROUP QUARTERS . . . . .	145	62	42.5	123	46	37.1	11	11	(B)
<b>35 TO 54 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	6 069	1 050	17.3	4 909	755	15.4	991	267	26.9
LIVING ALONE . . . . .	4 173	606	14.5	3 409	438	12.8	655	161	24.6
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES . . . . .	1 896	443	23.4	1 500	318	21.2	336	106	31.6
IN HOUSEHOLDS . . . . .	1 789	402	22.5	1 422	285	20.1	309	97	31.3
IN GROUP QUARTERS . . . . .	107	42	38.9	78	32	41.6	26	9	(B)
<b>55 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	3 603	966	26.8	3 022	714	23.6	532	230	43.1
LIVING ALONE . . . . .	3 089	768	24.9	2 617	571	21.8	429	177	41.3
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES . . . . .	515	198	38.4	405	143	35.4	103	53	51.0
IN HOUSEHOLDS . . . . .	482	186	38.6	375	135	35.9	100	50	49.4
IN GROUP QUARTERS . . . . .	33	12	(B)	30	8	(B)	3	3	(B)
<b>65 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	8 763	2 123	24.2	7 886	1 688	21.4	795	417	52.4
LIVING ALONE . . . . .	8 111	1 913	23.6	7 368	1 542	20.9	668	353	52.9
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES . . . . .	652	210	32.2	518	146	28.1	127	64	50.1
IN HOUSEHOLDS . . . . .	537	176	32.8	404	112	27.8	127	64	50.1
IN GROUP QUARTERS . . . . .	115	34	29.6	114	33	29.2	-	-	(B)
<b>MALE</b>									
<b>16 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	13 729	2 564	18.7	11 525	1 916	16.6	1 820	561	30.8
LIVING ALONE . . . . .	7 919	1 146	14.5	6 681	825	12.3	1 040	289	27.8
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES . . . . .	5 810	1 418	24.4	4 845	1 091	22.5	780	272	34.8
IN HOUSEHOLDS . . . . .	5 528	1 302	23.6	4 608	1 000	21.7	745	252	33.9
IN GROUP QUARTERS . . . . .	282	116	41.0	237	92	38.7	34	19	(B)
<b>16 TO 21 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	901	375	41.6	812	332	40.8	58	22	(B)
LIVING ALONE . . . . .	230	67	29.0	211	62	29.4	18	5	(B)
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES . . . . .	671	308	45.9	602	270	44.8	40	17	(B)
IN HOUSEHOLDS . . . . .	646	288	44.5	579	252	43.5	39	16	(B)
IN GROUP QUARTERS . . . . .	25	20	(B)	22	18	(B)	1	1	(B)
<b>22 TO 34 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	6 077	947	15.6	5 206	725	13.9	666	181	27.1
LIVING ALONE . . . . .	2 824	297	10.5	2 402	212	8.8	330	69	21.0
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES . . . . .	3 253	650	20.0	2 804	512	18.3	336	112	33.2
IN HOUSEHOLDS . . . . .	3 163	607	19.2	2 726	478	17.5	331	106	32.1
IN GROUP QUARTERS . . . . .	90	43	47.8	79	35	44.1	5	5	(B)
<b>35 TO 54 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	3 532	535	15.1	2 825	370	13.1	610	156	25.5
LIVING ALONE . . . . .	2 271	262	11.5	1 858	179	9.7	349	78	22.4
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES . . . . .	1 262	273	21.7	968	190	19.7	261	77	29.7
IN HOUSEHOLDS . . . . .	1 179	246	20.9	912	173	19.0	237	68	28.9
IN GROUP QUARTERS . . . . .	83	27	32.3	56	18	(B)	24	9	(B)

**Table 16. Living Arrangements—Poverty Status in 1984 of Unrelated Individuals 16 Years and Over, by Age, Sex, and Race—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

LIVING ARRANGEMENTS	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>MALE--CONTINUED</b>									
<b>55 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	1 287	306	23.8	1 033	205	19.8	235	94	39.9
LIVING ALONE . . . . .	980	207	21.1	802	159	17.4	163	61	37.5
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES . . . . .	307	100	32.4	231	65	28.3	71	32	(B)
IN HOUSEHOLDS . . . . .	281	88	31.4	209	57	27.5	68	29	(B)
IN GROUP QUARTERS . . . . .	26	11	(B)	23	8	(B)	3	3	(B)
<b>65 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	1 931	401	20.8	1 648	285	17.3	251	109	43.4
LIVING ALONE . . . . .	1 614	314	19.5	1 408	232	16.5	180	76	42.1
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES . . . . .	317	87	27.5	240	53	22.3	71	33	(B)
IN HOUSEHOLDS . . . . .	259	73	28.2	183	40	21.8	71	33	(B)
IN GROUP QUARTERS . . . . .	58	14	(B)	57	14	(B)	-	-	(B)
<b>FEMALE</b>									
<b>16 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	16 515	4 021	24.3	14 555	3 252	22.3	1 672	684	40.9
LIVING ALONE . . . . .	12 677	2 784	22.0	11 196	2 229	19.9	1 321	521	39.4
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES . . . . .	3 838	1 237	32.2	3 360	1 023	30.4	350	163	46.6
IN HOUSEHOLDS . . . . .	3 649	1 145	31.4	3 183	939	29.5	343	158	46.1
IN GROUP QUARTERS . . . . .	190	92	48.3	177	84	47.5	7	5	(B)
<b>16 TO 21 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	883	478	54.2	799	428	53.9	60	34	(B)
LIVING ALONE . . . . .	159	64	40.2	131	56	43.0	24	6	(B)
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES . . . . .	725	415	57.2	663	371	56.0	36	28	(B)
IN HOUSEHOLDS . . . . .	678	377	55.5	617	333	54.0	36	28	(B)
IN GROUP QUARTERS . . . . .	47	38	(B)	47	38	(B)	-	-	(B)
<b>22 TO 34 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	3 947	646	16.4	3 451	527	15.3	389	95	24.4
LIVING ALONE . . . . .	2 010	215	10.7	1 738	172	9.9	238	40	16.6
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES . . . . .	1 937	431	22.3	1 713	355	20.7	151	55	36.7
IN HOUSEHOLDS . . . . .	1 881	413	21.9	1 669	343	20.6	146	50	34.4
IN GROUP QUARTERS . . . . .	55	19	(B)	45	11	(B)	5	5	(B)
<b>35 TO 54 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	2 536	515	20.3	2 084	385	18.5	381	111	29.2
LIVING ALONE . . . . .	1 902	345	18.1	1 552	258	16.7	306	83	27.0
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES . . . . .	634	170	26.8	532	127	23.9	74	29	(B)
IN HOUSEHOLDS . . . . .	611	155	25.5	510	112	22.0	72	29	(B)
IN GROUP QUARTERS . . . . .	24	15	(B)	22	15	(B)	2	-	(B)
<b>55 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	2 317	660	28.5	1 988	509	25.6	298	136	45.7
LIVING ALONE . . . . .	2 109	562	26.6	1 815	432	23.8	265	116	43.6
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES . . . . .	208	98	47.2	173	76	44.8	32	20	(B)
IN HOUSEHOLDS . . . . .	201	98	48.7	166	77	46.5	32	20	(B)
IN GROUP QUARTERS . . . . .	7	-	(B)	7	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
<b>65 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	6 832	1 722	25.2	6 238	1 402	22.5	544	308	56.6
LIVING ALONE . . . . .	6 497	1 599	24.6	5 960	1 310	22.0	488	277	56.9
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES . . . . .	335	123	36.6	278	92	33.2	56	31	(B)
IN HOUSEHOLDS . . . . .	278	103	37.1	221	73	32.8	56	31	(B)
IN GROUP QUARTERS . . . . .	57	20	(B)	57	20	(B)	-	-	(B)

**Table 17. Employment Status in March 1985—Poverty Status in 1984 of Family Householders and Unrelated Individuals, by Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND SEX	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK			SPANISH ORIGIN <sup>1</sup>		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>ALL FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	62 706	7 277	11.6	54 400	4 925	9.1	6 778	2 094	30.9	3 939	991	25.2
IN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	47 169	3 751	8.0	41 423	2 723	6.6	4 539	901	19.8	2 973	485	16.3
IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	713	19	2.7	571	10	1.8	99	8	8.3	26	2	7.8
IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	46 456	3 732	8.0	40 852	2 712	6.6	4 440	892	20.1	2 947	483	16.4
EMPLOYED . . . . .	43 921	2 853	6.5	38 908	2 146	5.5	3 935	615	15.6	2 683	361	13.5
UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	2 536	879	34.7	1 944	567	29.1	505	277	54.9	264	121	46.0
PERCENT UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	5.5	23.5	(X)	4.8	20.9	(X)	11.4	31.0	(X)	9.0	25.2	(X)
NOT IN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	15 537	3 526	22.7	12 977	2 202	17.0	2 238	1 193	53.3	966	506	52.4
<b>FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	10 129	3 498	34.5	6 941	1 878	27.1	2 964	1 533	51.7	905	483	53.4
IN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	6 164	1 373	22.3	4 369	754	17.3	1 663	590	35.4	443	136	30.6
IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	6 164	1 373	22.3	4 369	754	17.3	1 663	590	35.4	443	136	30.6
EMPLOYED . . . . .	5 534	955	17.3	4 021	558	13.9	1 390	378	27.2	386	97	25.1
UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	630	418	66.3	347	196	56.4	273	212	77.6	57	39	67.9
PERCENT UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	10.2	30.4	(X)	8.0	26.0	(X)	16.4	36.0	(X)	12.8	28.5	(X)
NOT IN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	3 965	2 125	53.6	2 572	1 124	43.7	1 301	943	72.5	461	348	75.3
<b>ALL OTHER HOUSEHOLDERS</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	52 578	3 780	7.2	47 459	3 046	6.4	3 813	561	14.7	3 034	508	16.7
IN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	41 005	2 378	5.8	37 034	1 968	5.3	2 876	311	10.8	2 530	349	13.8
IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	713	19	2.7	571	10	1.8	99	8	8.3	26	2	7.8
IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	40 292	2 359	5.9	36 463	1 958	5.4	2 777	303	10.9	2 504	347	13.9
EMPLOYED . . . . .	38 387	1 898	4.9	34 886	1 587	4.6	2 545	238	9.3	2 296	264	11.5
UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	1 905	461	24.2	1 597	371	23.2	232	65	28.1	207	83	40.0
PERCENT UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	4.7	19.5	(X)	4.4	18.9	(X)	8.3	21.5	(X)	8.3	23.9	(X)
NOT IN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	11 573	1 401	12.1	10 405	1 078	10.4	937	250	26.6	504	159	31.4
<b>ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	30 268	6 609	21.8	26 094	5 181	19.9	3 501	1 255	35.8	1 481	545	36.8
IN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	18 814	2 541	13.5	16 166	2 063	12.8	2 165	398	18.4	1 061	298	28.1
IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	147	1	0.9	114	1	1.2	29	-	(8)	10	-	-
IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	18 667	2 540	13.6	16 052	2 062	12.8	2 136	398	18.6	1 051	298	28.4
EMPLOYED . . . . .	17 367	1 983	11.4	15 035	1 655	11.0	1 894	270	14.2	942	228	24.2
UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	1 299	557	42.9	1 017	407	40.0	242	128	53.0	108	70	64.8
PERCENT UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	7.0	21.9	(X)	6.3	19.7	(X)	11.3	32.2	(X)	10.3	23.6	(X)
NOT IN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	11 455	4 068	35.5	9 929	3 118	31.4	1 336	857	64.1	420	246	58.6
<b>MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	13 739	2 575	18.7	11 529	1 920	16.7	1 827	568	31.1	885	301	34.0
IN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	10 523	1 376	13.1	8 967	1 101	12.3	1 275	232	18.2	729	217	29.8
IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	147	1	0.9	114	1	1.2	29	-	(8)	10	-	-
IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	10 377	1 374	13.2	8 853	1 100	12.4	1 247	232	18.6	719	217	30.2
EMPLOYED . . . . .	9 510	1 030	10.8	8 198	858	10.5	1 061	144	13.6	631	159	25.2
UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	867	345	39.8	655	241	36.8	185	88	47.6	88	58	66.3
PERCENT UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	8.4	25.1	(X)	7.4	22.0	(X)	14.9	38.0	(X)	12.2	26.8	(X)
NOT IN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	3 216	1 199	37.3	2 562	818	31.9	551	335	60.8	156	83	53.4
<b>FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	16 529	4 035	24.4	14 565	3 262	22.4	1 674	687	41.0	596	244	40.9
IN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	8 290	1 166	14.1	7 198	962	13.4	889	165	18.6	332	81	24.4
IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	8 290	1 166	14.1	7 198	962	13.4	889	165	18.6	332	81	24.4
EMPLOYED . . . . .	7 857	953	12.1	6 837	797	11.7	833	126	15.1	311	69	22.2
UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	433	212	49.0	361	165	45.7	56	40	(8)	20	12	58.5
PERCENT UNEMPLOYED . . . . .	5.2	18.2	(X)	5.0	17.2	(X)	6.3	24.1	(X)	6.2	14.8	(X)
NOT IN LABOR FORCE . . . . .	8 239	2 869	34.8	7 367	2 300	31.2	785	521	66.4	264	163	61.7

<sup>1</sup>PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

**Table 18. Number of Workers—Poverty Status in 1984 of Families With Civilian Householders, by Sex and Race of Householder**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS, FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

NUMBER OF WORKERS	ALL RACES					WHITE					BLACK						
	TOTAL	HOUSEHOLDER A WORKER		HOUSEHOLDER NOT A WORKER		TOTAL	HOUSEHOLDER A WORKER		HOUSEHOLDER NOT A WORKER		TOTAL	HOUSEHOLDER A WORKER		HOUSEHOLDER NOT A WORKER			
		TOTAL	WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	TOTAL	HMLDR UNDER 65 YEARS		TOTAL	TOTAL	WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	TOTAL		HMLDR UNDER 65 YEARS	TOTAL	TOTAL	WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	TOTAL	HMLDR UNDER 65 YEARS
<b>ALL INCOME LEVELS</b>																	
<b>ALL FAMILIES</b>																	
<b>TOTAL</b>																	
TOTAL	61 994	47 786	35 788	14 208	6 545	53 829	42 102	31 906	11 727	4 818	6 678	4 500	2 968	2 178	1 509		
NO WORKERS	9 230	-	-	9 230	3 705	7 682	-	-	7 682	2 586	1 376	-	-	1 376	989		
1 WORKER	17 745	13 976	9 626	3 768	2 082	15 013	11 904	8 366	3 109	1 657	2 315	1 750	1 035	563	359		
2 WORKERS	26 282	25 366	19 373	916	552	23 425	22 695	17 440	729	430	2 235	2 067	1 444	168	108		
3 WORKERS	6 132	5 896	4 653	236	160	5 412	5 244	4 163	168	112	534	475	349	59	43		
4 OR MORE WORKERS	2 605	2 548	2 136	57	46	2 298	2 259	1 937	39	32	218	208	140	10	9		
<b>MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES</b>																	
TOTAL	49 655	39 818	30 775	9 838	3 691	45 086	36 216	28 085	8 870	3 152	3 373	2 600	1 895	773	408		
NO WORKERS	6 499	-	-	6 499	1 653	6 002	-	-	6 002	1 437	385	-	-	385	146		
1 WORKER	12 099	9 580	7 018	2 519	1 491	11 038	8 852	6 926	2 186	1 271	770	498	326	272	176		
SPOUSE A WORKER	1 956	18	12	1 938	1 251	1 692	15	10	1 676	1 064	214	3	3	211	148		
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	1 025	-	-	1 025	753	873	-	-	873	633	129	-	-	129	101		
SPOUSE NOT A WORKER	10 143	9 562	7 006	581	240	9 347	8 837	6 516	510	207	557	496	323	61	28		
2 WORKERS	23 328	22 716	17 563	612	388	21 100	20 873	15 946	527	327	1 671	1 599	1 171	72	51		
SPOUSE A WORKER	21 185	20 741	15 952	445	308	19 121	18 740	14 447	381	259	1 564	1 507	1 099	57	43		
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	10 409	10 154	8 042	255	193	9 154	8 944	7 099	210	156	940	92	72	15	8		
SPOUSE NOT A WORKER	2 143	1 975	1 611	167	81	1 979	1 833	1 498	146	68	107	92	72	44	35		
3 OR MORE WORKERS	7 735	7 522	6 194	213	158	6 946	6 792	5 614	154	117	546	502	398	72	44		
SPOUSE A WORKER	6 858	6 697	5 532	160	133	6 146	6 026	4 990	121	100	495	461	371	35	31		
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	3 497	3 402	2 894	95	84	3 057	2 987	2 533	70	62	312	291	255	21	20		
SPOUSE NOT A WORKER	877	825	662	52	25	800	766	624	34	17	51	41	27	9	4		
<b>OTHER FAMILIES, MALE HOUSEHOLDER</b>																	
TOTAL	2 210	1 716	1 235	494	250	1 802	1 432	1 065	370	182	341	232	138	109	57		
NO WORKERS	259	-	-	259	146	187	-	-	187	101	59	-	-	59	34		
1 WORKER	1 051	862	607	189	85	843	691	504	152	68	180	143	88	37	17		
2 OR MORE WORKERS	899	853	628	46	19	772	740	562	32	13	102	89	50	13	5		
<b>OTHER FAMILIES, FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER</b>																	
TOTAL	10 129	6 253	3 777	3 876	2 604	6 941	4 454	2 755	2 487	1 485	2 964	1 669	935	1 296	1 044		
NO WORKERS	2 477	-	-	2 477	1 906	1 493	-	-	1 493	1 048	932	-	-	932	809		
1 WORKER	4 594	3 534	2 000	1 060	506	3 132	2 361	1 337	771	319	1 365	1 109	621	256	166		
2 OR MORE WORKERS	3 057	2 718	1 777	339	193	2 316	2 093	1 418	223	118	668	560	314	108	69		
<b>FAMILIES WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS</b>																	
<b>TOTAL</b>																	
TOTAL	32 416	28 375	21 775	4 041	3 550	26 960	24 379	19 022	2 581	2 252	4 442	3 168	2 114	1 274	1 130		
NO WORKERS	2 464	-	-	2 464	2 276	1 452	-	-	1 452	1 336	908	-	-	908	842		
1 WORKER	10 489	9 439	6 754	1 050	897	8 514	7 746	5 740	768	655	1 669	1 439	839	229	195		
2 WORKERS	14 396	14 005	11 043	391	273	12 577	12 303	9 740	275	193	1 399	1 299	972	100	67		
3 WORKERS	3 435	3 323	2 635	113	86	2 990	2 918	2 329	72	57	323	289	213	34	24		
4 OR MORE WORKERS	1 631	1 608	1 343	23	17	1 426	1 412	1 213	14	11	143	141	89	2	2		
<b>MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES</b>																	
TOTAL	24 530	22 991	18 486	1 539	1 322	21 776	20 601	16 638	1 175	1 030	1 935	1 685	1 283	250	192		
NO WORKERS	528	-	-	528	455	391	-	-	391	351	81	-	-	81	55		
1 WORKER	6 306	5 624	4 539	682	615	5 668	5 127	4 187	541	493	426	320	222	106	89		
SPOUSE A WORKER	546	13	9	533	517	432	10	6	422	412	83	3	3	81	76		
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	342	-	-	342	337	268	-	-	268	263	57	-	-	57	57		
SPOUSE NOT A WORKER	5 760	5 611	4 530	149	98	5 236	5 116	4 181	120	82	342	318	220	25	13		
2 WORKERS	13 199	12 961	10 309	238	181	11 707	11 528	9 181	179	134	1 101	1 054	814	47	37		
SPOUSE A WORKER	12 099	11 935	9 427	164	140	10 707	10 583	8 369	124	106	1 035	1 002	767	33	29		
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	5 113	5 015	4 016	98	86	4 276	4 207	3 356	68	59	651	624	494	27	24		
SPOUSE NOT A WORKER	1 101	1 026	883	74	41	1 000	945	812	55	28	65	52	47	14	8		
3 OR MORE WORKERS	4 497	4 406	3 637	91	70	4 010	3 946	3 269	64	52	327	311	247	16	11		
SPOUSE A WORKER	3 994	3 934	3 255	61	54	3 552	3 504	2 908	48	43	304	295	237	9	9		
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	1 905	1 868	1 571	37	34	1 636	1 606	1 346	30	27	189	183	160	5	5		
SPOUSE NOT A WORKER	503	473	382	30	16	458	442	362	16	9	23	16	10	7	2		
<b>OTHER FAMILIES, MALE HOUSEHOLDER</b>																	
TOTAL	1 054	904	657	150	98	847	748	562	100	63	172	125	78	47	32		
NO WORKERS	102	-	-	102	74	64	-	-	64	44	35	-	-	35	27		
1 WORKER	683	646	464	37	19	555	527	393	28	16	108	99	60	9	2		
2 OR MORE WORKERS	269	258	193	11	5	229	221	169	7	2	29	26	18	3	2		
<b>OTHER FAMILIES, FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER</b>																	
TOTAL	6 832	4 480	2 632	2 352	2 131	4 337	3 030	1 823	1 306	1 159	2 335	1 358	753	977	906		
NO WORKERS	1 835	-	-	1 835	1 747	997	-	-	997	941	792	-	-	792	760		
1 WORKER	3 501	3 170	1 751	331	264	2 291	2 093	1 160	199	145	1 135	1 020	557	115	103		
2 OR MORE WORKERS	1 496	1 310	881	186	120	1 048	938	663	110	72	408	338	196	70	43		

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INUMBERS IN THOUSANDS, FAMILIES AS OF MARCH, 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT

NUMBER OF WORKERS	ALL RACES					WHITE					BLACK				
	HOUSEHOLDER A WORKER		HOUSEHOLDER NOT A WORKER			HOUSEHOLDER A WORKER		HOUSEHOLDER NOT A WORKER			HOUSEHOLDER A WORKER		HOUSEHOLDER NOT A WORKER		
	TOTAL	WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	TOTAL	HHLDR UNDER 65 YEARS	TOTAL	TOTAL	WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	TOTAL	HHLDR UNDER 65 YEARS	TOTAL	TOTAL	WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	TOTAL	HHLDR UNDER 65 YEARS	
<b>ALL INCOME LEVELS--CONTINUED</b>															
<b>FAMILIES WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS</b>															
TOTAL	15 197	13 218	9 847	1 979	1 817	12 467	11 292	8 596	1 175	1 076	2 226	1 522	934	704	649
NO WORKERS	1 324	-	-	1 324	1 272	737	-	-	737	712	525	-	-	525	502
1 WORKER	5 595	5 124	3 624	471	418	4 612	4 278	3 160	334	295	813	703	362	110	97
2 WORKERS	7 366	7 231	5 591	135	91	6 429	6 344	4 932	85	53	719	671	475	47	35
3 WORKERS	640	599	435	41	31	490	473	346	17	14	116	95	67	21	14
4 OR MORE WORKERS	271	264	197	7	5	199	197	158	2	2	53	52	30	-	-
<b>MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES</b>															
TOTAL	12 030	11 366	8 901	665	610	10 611	10 118	7 974	492	455	992	882	633	110	98
NO WORKERS	246	-	-	246	233	181	-	-	181	174	28	-	-	28	26
1 WORKER	3 990	3 657	2 922	333	314	3 600	3 340	2 707	260	247	255	201	128	54	49
SPOUSE A WORKER	291	11	7	280	277	233	9	5	224	221	42	3	3	39	39
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	187	-	-	187	187	150	-	-	150	150	27	-	-	27	27
SPOUSE NOT A WORKER	3 699	3 646	2 914	53	38	3 367	3 331	2 702	35	25	213	198	125	15	11
2 WORKERS	7 058	6 992	5 425	65	47	6 239	6 196	4 817	42	27	608	585	428	22	20
SPOUSE A WORKER	6 787	6 742	5 215	44	35	6 002	5 973	4 631	28	19	578	562	408	15	15
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	2 517	2 487	1 949	30	24	2 096	2 079	1 625	17	11	327	315	238	13	13
SPOUSE NOT A WORKER	271	250	210	21	12	237	223	186	14	8	30	23	20	7	4
3 OR MORE WORKERS	737	716	554	21	16	591	582	451	9	8	101	96	77	6	4
SPOUSE A WORKER	621	608	490	13	12	499	490	393	8	7	90	86	74	4	4
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	252	242	205	10	9	182	176	148	6	5	52	48	45	4	4
SPOUSE NOT A WORKER	116	108	64	8	4	93	92	58	1	1	12	9	3	2	-
<b>OTHER FAMILIES, MALE HOUSEHOLDER</b>															
TOTAL	367	314	203	53	38	268	234	162	34	24	81	63	32	17	12
NO WORKERS	38	-	-	38	31	23	-	-	23	19	14	-	-	14	10
1 WORKER	253	246	153	7	3	187	181	120	6	3	54	52	27	2	-
2 OR MORE WORKERS	76	68	50	8	5	58	53	42	6	2	14	11	5	2	2
<b>OTHER FAMILIES, FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER</b>															
TOTAL	2 800	1 539	743	1 261	1 169	1 588	939	460	649	596	1 153	577	270	576	539
NO WORKERS	1 040	-	-	1 040	1 008	534	-	-	534	519	484	-	-	484	467
1 WORKER	1 352	1 221	550	131	101	825	757	334	68	46	505	450	208	54	48
2 OR MORE WORKERS	407	318	193	89	59	229	182	126	47	31	165	126	62	38	24
<b>BELOW POVERTY LEVEL</b>															
<b>ALL FAMILIES</b>															
TOTAL	7 258	3 574	1 242	3 684	3 038	4 914	2 615	958	2 299	1 839	2 085	839	250	1 247	1 071
NO WORKERS	2 934	-	-	2 934	2 419	1 823	-	-	1 823	1 443	1 005	-	-	1 005	876
1 WORKER	2 822	2 205	676	617	495	1 911	1 513	473	398	324	821	632	190	190	146
2 WORKERS	1 192	1 091	416	101	95	949	889	354	61	58	199	161	50	38	35
3 WORKERS	243	213	112	30	27	182	168	98	15	12	45	31	7	14	14
4 OR MORE WORKERS	67	64	37	3	2	48	45	33	3	2	15	15	3	-	-
<b>MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES</b>															
TOTAL	3 468	2 102	935	1 366	943	2 847	1 774	802	1 074	741	471	244	103	227	143
NO WORKERS	983	-	-	983	627	785	-	-	785	499	145	-	-	145	81
1 WORKER	1 328	1 013	431	314	253	1 074	837	362	237	197	209	144	60	66	46
SPOUSE A WORKER	221	4	2	217	189	165	2	-	163	147	47	2	2	45	33
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	75	-	-	75	65	52	-	-	52	46	21	-	-	21	18
SPOUSE NOT A WORKER	1 107	1 009	429	97	65	909	835	362	74	50	162	141	57	21	13
2 WORKERS	919	867	364	52	50	789	749	315	40	37	91	80	36	12	12
SPOUSE A WORKER	804	768	307	36	35	701	672	272	29	27	70	63	24	7	7
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	133	121	78	12	12	120	112	73	8	8	7	2	-	5	5
SPOUSE NOT A WORKER	115	98	57	16	15	88	77	43	12	10	21	17	13	4	4
3 OR MORE WORKERS	239	222	141	17	13	199	188	125	5	5	21	7	4	4	4
SPOUSE A WORKER	200	192	120	8	8	169	164	108	5	5	21	19	7	3	3
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	63	60	57	3	3	57	54	35	1	1	4	2	2	3	3
SPOUSE NOT A WORKER	39	30	20	9	5	30	24	17	5	2	4	2	-	2	2
<b>OTHER FAMILIES, MALE HOUSEHOLDER</b>															
TOTAL	292	159	52	133	108	189	108	35	81	67	82	38	14	43	32
NO WORKERS	111	-	-	111	89	63	-	-	63	51	40	-	-	40	30
1 WORKER	133	114	36	19	16	88	73	23	16	13	35	31	10	4	3
2 OR MORE WORKERS	48	45	16	3	3	38	35	13	3	3	7	7	3	-	-
<b>OTHER FAMILIES, FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER</b>															
TOTAL	3 498	1 313	255	2 185	1 987	1 878	734	120	1 145	1 031	1 533	557	133	976	896
NO WORKERS	1 840	-	-	1 840	1 702	975	-	-	975	893	820	-	-	820	766
1 WORKER	1 361	1 078	209	283	226	749	604	88	145	114	577	457	120	120	98
2 OR MORE WORKERS	296	235	45	62	59	154	130	32	24	24	136	100	13	36	33



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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

NUMBER OF WORKERS	ALL RACES					WHITE					BLACK						
	TOTAL	HOUSEHOLDER A WORKER		HOUSEHOLDER NOT A WORKER		TOTAL	HOUSEHOLDER A WORKER		HOUSEHOLDER NOT A WORKER		TOTAL	HOUSEHOLDER A WORKER		HOUSEHOLDER NOT A WORKER			
		TOTAL	WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	TOTAL	HMLDR UNDER 65 YEARS		TOTAL	TOTAL	WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	TOTAL		HMLDR UNDER 65 YEARS	TOTAL	TOTAL	WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	TOTAL	HMLDR UNDER 65 YEARS
<b>BELOW POVERTY LEVEL--CONTINUED</b>																	
<b>FAMILIES WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS</b>																	
<b>TOTAL</b>																	
TOTAL	5 642	3 014	1 012	2 628	2 474	3 668	2 150	754	1 519	1 431	1 749	754	226	995	932		
NO WORKERS	2 128	-	-	2 128	2 029	1 201	-	-	1 201	1 150	842	-	-	842	795		
1 WORKER	2 325	1 942	573	383	335	1 546	1 294	392	252	220	698	592	170	106	92		
2 WORKERS	924	837	323	87	83	727	677	262	51	50	158	125	49	34	31		
3 WORKERS	203	175	83	28	25	150	138	71	12	9	38	24	5	14	14		
4 OR MORE WORKERS	62	59	33	3	2	44	41	29	3	2	14	14	3	-	-		
<b>MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES</b>																	
TOTAL	2 324	1 684	739	640	584	1 869	1 396	620	473	442	323	210	91	114	89		
NO WORKERS	376	-	-	376	352	273	-	-	273	266	61	-	-	61	45		
1 WORKER	1 013	808	347	204	176	810	653	288	157	138	162	125	52	37	28		
SPOUSE A WORKER	139	4	2	135	130	107	2	-	32	32	14	2	2	22	21		
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	47	-	-	47	47	32	-	-	105	102	24	2	2	14	8		
SPOUSE NOT A WORKER	874	804	344	69	46	703	651	288	52	36	138	123	49	15	8		
2 WORKERS	735	691	285	44	43	620	588	238	32	31	79	68	35	12	7		
SPOUSE A WORKER	641	611	240	30	29	551	528	206	23	22	60	53	24	7	7		
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	92	83	47	10	10	80	75	42	5	5	7	2	2	5	5		
SPOUSE NOT A WORKER	94	80	44	14	14	69	32	9	9	9	19	15	11	4	4		
3 OR MORE WORKERS	201	184	108	17	13	165	154	94	11	7	21	16	5	4	4		
SPOUSE A WORKER	167	159	91	8	8	141	135	80	5	5	17	15	5	3	3		
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	43	40	38	3	3	39	38	36	1	1	3	-	-	3	3		
SPOUSE NOT A WORKER	34	25	17	9	5	25	19	13	5	2	4	2	-	2	2		
<b>OTHER FAMILIES, MALE HOUSEHOLDER</b>																	
TOTAL	194	111	33	83	68	117	69	20	49	39	62	31	10	31	25		
NO WORKERS	76	-	-	76	61	43	-	-	43	33	30	31	10	30	25		
1 WORKER	100	95	27	5	5	65	60	18	5	4	27	26	6	1	1		
2 OR MORE WORKERS	18	17	5	2	2	10	8	2	2	2	6	6	3	-	-		
<b>OTHER FAMILIES, FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER</b>																	
TOTAL	3 124	1 219	240	1 905	1 823	1 682	685	114	997	949	1 364	513	125	851	817		
NO WORKERS	1 677	-	-	1 677	1 616	885	-	-	885	850	751	-	-	751	726		
1 WORKER	1 212	1 039	199	173	154	671	581	86	90	77	509	441	112	68	63		
2 OR MORE WORKERS	235	180	41	55	52	126	105	28	22	22	104	72	13	31	29		
<b>FAMILIES WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS</b>																	
<b>TOTAL</b>																	
TOTAL	3 269	1 794	562	1 475	1 417	2 093	1 285	410	808	782	1 049	446	125	602	572		
NO WORKERS	1 290	-	-	1 290	1 204	677	-	-	677	664	513	-	-	513	491		
1 WORKER	1 384	1 196	344	188	167	931	817	250	114	102	407	347	84	60	52		
2 WORKERS	550	517	191	32	31	431	416	141	15	14	97	79	39	17	17		
3 WORKERS	74	61	20	13	13	47	45	16	2	2	21	10	10	12	12		
4 OR MORE WORKERS	21	20	7	1	1	7	6	3	1	1	11	11	3	-	-		
<b>MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES</b>																	
TOTAL	1 457	1 118	453	339	321	1 155	911	360	244	233	220	159	69	61	56		
NO WORKERS	206	-	-	206	200	151	-	-	151	149	28	-	-	28	26		
1 WORKER	702	585	249	118	106	560	473	208	87	79	115	91	34	24	21		
SPOUSE A WORKER	87	4	2	82	79	65	2	-	63	60	17	2	2	15	14		
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	33	-	-	33	33	24	-	-	24	24	8	-	-	8	8		
SPOUSE NOT A WORKER	616	581	247	35	27	495	472	208	23	18	98	88	32	9	7		
2 WORKERS	486	473	177	13	12	400	393	134	6	5	65	58	32	7	7		
SPOUSE A WORKER	440	431	152	8	7	370	366	120	4	3	50	45	22	5	5		
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	54	50	24	5	5	43	43	20	4	3	7	2	-	5	5		
SPOUSE NOT A WORKER	46	41	25	5	5	30	27	14	2	2	15	13	10	2	2		
3 OR MORE WORKERS	64	61	26	3	3	44	44	18	3	3	13	10	3	3	3		
SPOUSE A WORKER	50	47	19	3	3	36	36	14	3	3	11	8	3	3	3		
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	11	9	9	3	3	7	7	7	-	-	3	-	-	3	3		
SPOUSE NOT A WORKER	14	14	7	-	-	8	8	5	-	-	2	2	-	-	-		
<b>OTHER FAMILIES, MALE HOUSEHOLDER</b>																	
TOTAL	108	70	20	38	31	61	39	12	22	19	37	24	6	14	10		
NO WORKERS	37	-	-	37	29	21	-	-	21	17	14	-	-	14	10		
1 WORKER	64	64	19	-	-	37	37	12	-	-	20	20	5	-	-		
2 OR MORE WORKERS	8	6	1	2	2	3	2	-	2	2	3	3	1	-	-		
<b>OTHER FAMILIES, FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER</b>																	
TOTAL	1 704	606	90	1 098	1 065	877	336	38	542	530	791	264	51	527	506		
NO WORKERS	998	-	-	998	975	505	-	-	505	497	471	-	-	471	456		
1 WORKER	618	547	76	71	61	335	307	30	28	23	272	236	45	36	31		
2 OR MORE WORKERS	88	59	14	29	29	38	29	8	9	9	48	28	6	20	20		

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WORK EXPERIENCE AND PRESENCE OF CHILDREN	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>ALL FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS</b>									
TOTAL	62 706	7 277	11.6	54 400	4 925	9.1	6 778	2 094	30.9
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED LAST YEAR	47 786	3 574	7.5	42 102	2 615	6.2	4 500	839	18.6
50 TO 52 WEEKS	37 693	1 577	4.2	33 497	1 171	3.5	3 234	360	11.1
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3 747	362	9.7	3 272	255	7.8	404	88	21.9
27 TO 39 WEEKS	2 297	357	15.6	1 971	281	14.3	268	59	22.1
14 TO 26 WEEKS	2 355	682	29.0	1 976	489	24.8	331	173	52.3
13 WEEKS OR LESS	1 694	595	35.1	1 387	419	30.2	264	159	60.2
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	47.4	36.1	(X)	47.7	36.4	(X)	45.4	35.1	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME	43 332	2 564	5.9	38 372	1 939	5.1	3 879	539	13.9
50 TO 52 WEEKS	35 788	1 242	3.5	31 906	958	3.0	2 968	250	8.4
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3 148	271	8.6	2 740	192	7.0	347	64	18.4
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 874	266	14.2	1 617	217	13.4	210	38	17.8
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 606	442	27.5	1 357	323	23.8	220	108	49.3
13 WEEKS OR LESS	916	343	37.5	752	248	33.0	134	80	59.7
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 031	156	15.1	827	110	13.3	193	43	22.3
KEEPING HOUSE	930	390	41.9	761	273	35.8	152	110	72.2
GOING TO SCHOOL	434	100	22.9	366	70	19.1	58	28	(8)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	5 017	1 060	21.1	4 269	773	18.1	629	235	37.3
OTHER	2 680	292	10.9	2 382	219	9.2	234	64	27.5
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	917	148	16.1	788	100	12.7	115	41	36.1
5 TO 14 WEEKS	2 058	330	16.1	1 796	241	13.4	221	75	34.1
15 TO 26 WEEKS	1 498	367	24.5	1 236	237	20.8	225	92	41.0
27 WEEKS OR MORE	1 135	442	38.9	908	319	35.1	190	105	55.4
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	14 208	3 684	25.9	11 727	2 299	19.6	2 178	1 247	57.2
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	2 882	910	31.6	2 228	577	25.9	589	309	52.5
KEEPING HOUSE	2 557	1 438	56.2	1 769	830	46.9	721	568	78.8
GOING TO SCHOOL	250	138	55.3	163	84	51.6	49	33	(8)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	791	536	67.8	486	308	63.4	269	201	74.8
RETIRED	7 556	558	7.4	6 975	452	6.5	498	92	18.5
OTHER	172	103	60.1	107	47	44.3	52	43	(8)
HOUSEHOLDER IN ARMED FORCES	713	19	2.7	571	10	1.8	99	8	8.3
<b>WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	32 942	5 662	17.2	27 380	3 679	13.4	4 512	1 758	39.0
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED LAST YEAR	28 375	3 014	10.6	24 379	2 150	8.8	3 168	754	23.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS	22 651	1 282	5.7	19 705	923	4.7	2 278	316	13.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	2 219	315	14.2	1 893	223	11.8	276	77	28.0
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 333	322	24.1	1 126	248	22.1	163	56	34.4
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 320	585	44.3	1 030	410	39.8	253	156	61.9
13 WEEKS OR LESS	852	509	59.8	625	346	55.4	199	149	74.7
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	47.8	35.8	(X)	48.1	36.1	(X)	45.2	34.8	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME	26 317	2 178	8.3	22 816	1 607	7.0	2 739	493	18.0
50 TO 52 WEEKS	21 775	1 012	4.6	19 022	754	4.0	2 114	226	10.7
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 968	244	12.4	1 687	176	10.5	239	56	23.4
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 136	248	21.8	978	201	20.5	123	36	29.0
14 TO 26 WEEKS	944	381	40.3	759	271	35.7	161	99	61.6
13 WEEKS OR LESS	493	293	59.5	370	205	55.4	102	76	74.7
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	524	120	22.9	408	86	21.2	108	31	28.3
KEEPING HOUSE	727	362	49.8	573	252	43.9	137	105	76.5
GOING TO SCHOOL	223	79	35.2	177	51	28.9	40	25	(8)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	3 359	948	28.2	2 795	680	24.3	467	221	47.3
OTHER	890	223	25.1	721	158	21.9	137	56	40.9
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	632	137	21.8	525	91	17.4	95	40	41.7
5 TO 14 WEEKS	1 359	295	21.7	1 172	211	18.0	159	73	45.7
15 TO 26 WEEKS	994	333	33.5	796	227	28.5	165	89	54.1
27 WEEKS OR MORE	770	387	50.2	589	277	47.1	151	95	62.7
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	4 041	2 628	65.0	2 581	1 519	58.8	1 274	995	78.1
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	949	539	56.8	616	317	51.4	299	206	68.7
KEEPING HOUSE	1 737	1 302	74.9	1 091	744	68.2	593	518	87.4
GOING TO SCHOOL	174	120	68.7	107	73	68.1	37	29	(8)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	588	460	78.3	341	257	75.3	214	177	82.9
RETIRED	498	134	26.9	378	97	25.8	95	33	34.4
OTHER	95	74	77.6	49	31	(8)	37	33	(8)
HOUSEHOLDER IN ARMED FORCES	526	19	3.7	420	10	2.5	70	8	(8)

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WORK EXPERIENCE AND PRESENCE OF CHILDREN	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>ALL FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS--CONTINUED</b>									
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	15 537	3 288	21.2	12 742	2 104	16.5	2 269	1 057	46.6
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED LAST YEAR	13 218	1 794	13.6	11 292	1 285	11.4	1 522	446	29.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	10 249	703	6.9	8 908	497	5.6	1 010	175	17.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 116	220	19.8	948	169	17.9	143	46	32.0
27 TO 39 WEEKS	661	190	28.7	547	148	27.0	97	34	35.0
14 TO 26 WEEKS	723	372	51.5	553	263	47.5	156	101	64.3
13 WEEKS OR LESS	469	309	65.8	336	208	62.1	116	92	79.0
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	47.2	35.1	(X)	47.7	35.4	(X)	43.6	33.8	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME	12 178	1 310	10.8	10 519	972	9.2	1 290	292	22.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS	9 847	562	5.7	8 596	410	4.8	934	125	13.4
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 011	183	18.0	862	146	16.9	130	35	27.0
27 TO 39 WEEKS	552	149	26.9	468	121	25.9	72	22	(8)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	515	244	47.5	405	172	42.5	102	68	67.3
13 WEEKS OR LESS	253	172	68.1	188	123	65.3	52	41	(8)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	235	65	27.4	192	48	25.3	42	16	(8)
KEEPING HOUSE	405	232	57.4	308	156	50.6	90	76	84.0
GOING TO SCHOOL	150	51	34.3	121	35	28.8	26	17	(8)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 755	598	34.1	1 447	446	30.8	267	130	48.8
OTHER	425	145	34.2	316	103	32.8	88	34	38.4
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	365	99	27.1	310	72	23.2	50	26	(8)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	727	207	28.5	609	149	24.4	109	55	50.6
15 TO 26 WEEKS	516	201	39.0	420	148	35.3	84	43	51.7
27 WEEKS OR MORE	398	230	57.7	289	160	55.4	93	60	65.2
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	1 979	1 475	74.5	1 175	808	68.8	704	602	85.5
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	327	216	66.1	185	117	62.9	127	91	71.7
KEEPING HOUSE	1 095	883	80.7	630	479	73.8	411	378	92.0
GOING TO SCHOOL	88	57	64.8	54	34	(8)	21	16	(8)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	286	234	81.9	169	135	80.0	96	84	87.8
RETIRED	143	50	35.0	99	30	30.5	32	17	(8)
OTHER	41	35	(8)	18	13	(8)	17	16	(8)
HOUSEHOLDER IN ARMED FORCES	340	19	5.5	276	10	3.8	43	8	(8)
<b>FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS 22 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	52 032	6 233	12.0	44 825	4 181	9.3	5 816	1 811	31.1
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED LAST YEAR	44 987	3 314	7.4	39 582	2 418	6.1	4 267	778	18.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	36 195	1 504	4.2	32 142	1 117	3.5	3 112	341	10.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	5 438	322	9.4	2 978	215	7.2	393	88	22.5
27 TO 39 WEEKS	2 078	332	16.0	1 788	268	15.0	240	50	20.7
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 974	625	31.7	1 639	447	27.3	291	158	54.4
13 WEEKS OR LESS	1 301	531	40.8	1 035	372	36.0	231	141	61.2
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	48.0	36.5	(X)	48.2	36.8	(X)	45.8	35.6	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME	41 760	2 394	5.7	36 962	1 814	4.9	3 749	496	13.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	34 783	1 191	3.4	30 995	918	3.0	2 895	239	8.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	2 999	240	8.0	2 598	162	6.2	343	64	18.6
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 765	244	13.8	1 532	207	13.5	191	28	14.7
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 443	410	28.4	1 212	303	25.0	201	97	48.0
13 WEEKS OR LESS	770	309	40.1	625	225	36.1	119	68	57.4
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	903	141	15.6	717	97	13.5	176	41	23.1
KEEPING HOUSE	834	352	42.2	689	250	36.2	128	96	74.5
GOING TO SCHOOL	390	81	20.7	327	54	16.4	55	25	(8)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	4 800	987	20.6	4 079	717	17.6	605	221	36.5
OTHER	1 864	249	13.4	1 627	184	11.3	190	56	29.3
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	866	133	15.4	739	87	11.8	112	39	35.1
5 TO 14 WEEKS	1 957	294	15.0	1 705	213	12.5	211	66	31.4
15 TO 26 WEEKS	1 429	339	23.7	1 181	239	20.2	213	84	39.7
27 WEEKS OR MORE	1 087	420	38.7	871	304	34.9	180	99	55.1
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	6 369	2 899	45.5	4 700	1 752	37.3	1 458	1 025	70.3
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 817	721	39.7	1 378	465	33.8	383	234	61.1
KEEPING HOUSE	1 991	1 296	65.1	1 329	748	56.3	613	513	83.6
GOING TO SCHOOL	213	114	53.5	128	62	48.5	47	32	(8)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	748	513	68.6	454	294	64.7	259	193	74.8
RETIRED	1 451	164	11.3	1 324	143	10.8	108	15	13.5
OTHER	149	91	61.5	88	40	45.1	48	39	(8)
HOUSEHOLDER IN ARMED FORCES	676	19	2.8	542	10	1.9	91	8	9.1

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WORK EXPERIENCE AND PRESENCE OF CHILDREN	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS 22 TO 64 YEARS--CONTINUED									
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS . . . . .	31 798	5 198	16.3	26 560	3 394	12.8	4 225	1 590	37.6
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED LAST YEAR . . . . .	27 894	2 841	10.2	24 005	2 036	8.5	3 074	696	22.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	22 409	1 238	5.5	19 503	897	4.6	2 240	297	13.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	2 166	291	13.4	1 843	198	10.7	273	77	28.2
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	1 291	300	23.2	1 102	238	21.6	150	47	31.1
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	1 242	547	44.0	976	385	39.4	229	143	62.4
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	787	466	59.2	581	319	54.8	181	133	73.3
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED . . . . .	48.0	36.1	(X)	48.3	36.4	(X)	45.5	35.2	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME . . . . .	25 968	2 058	7.9	22 541	1 533	6.8	2 675	450	16.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	21 577	981	4.5	18 855	734	3.9	2 087	216	10.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	1 918	221	11.5	1 639	153	9.4	237	56	23.6
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	1 109	229	20.6	965	194	20.1	114	26	23.1
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	902	357	39.5	730	259	35.4	148	87	59.0
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	461	270	58.5	353	193	54.7	89	65	73.0
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	512	112	22.0	397	79	20.0	108	30	28.1
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	667	329	49.3	534	233	43.6	117	90	77.4
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	210	70	33.2	169	45	26.7	38	23	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	3 261	893	27.4	2 717	640	23.6	450	208	46.3
OTHER . . . . .	836	199	23.8	686	142	20.8	121	48	39.4
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS . . . . .	609	129	21.2	503	83	16.5	94	39	41.9
5 TO 14 WEEKS . . . . .	1 313	267	20.4	1 136	192	16.9	149	64	42.7
15 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	961	311	32.4	775	214	27.6	156	83	53.0
27 WEEKS OR MORE . . . . .	746	370	49.6	571	266	46.6	144	88	61.2
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR . . . . .	3 394	2 338	68.9	2 151	1 347	62.6	1 081	886	81.9
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	847	495	58.4	562	301	53.5	252	178	70.6
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	1 585	1 194	75.3	996	684	68.7	542	476	87.8
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	148	98	66.0	83	53	64.0	36	27	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	562	439	78.2	323	244	75.5	206	169	82.2
RETIRED . . . . .	172	50	29.3	147	41	27.6	13	6	(B)
OTHER . . . . .	80	63	78.0	38	24	(B)	33	29	(B)
HOUSEHOLDER IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	510	19	3.8	404	10	2.5	69	8	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS									
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED LAST YEAR . . . . .	14 833	2 948	19.9	12 238	1 897	15.5	2 091	931	44.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	12 836	1 639	12.8	10 992	1 179	10.7	1 449	396	27.4
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	10 066	664	6.6	8 756	475	5.4	982	157	16.0
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	1 065	196	18.4	899	145	16.1	141	46	32.5
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	631	172	27.3	532	138	25.9	86	26	30.8
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	660	337	51.0	509	240	47.1	137	88	64.0
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED . . . . .	41.4	269	65.0	296	181	61.2	103	79	76.4
WORKED FULL-TIME . . . . .	11 891	1 201	10.1	10 288	898	8.7	1 241	257	20.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	9 688	534	5.5	8 460	390	4.6	915	116	12.7
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	962	160	16.6	815	123	15.1	128	35	27.5
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	532	134	25.2	458	114	24.9	64	15	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	479	221	46.2	380	160	41.9	90	58	64.2
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	230	152	66.0	175	111	63.5	44	33	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	228	59	25.9	185	43	23.5	41	15	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	352	200	57.0	272	137	50.3	73	63	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	137	43	31.2	113	29	25.6	23	14	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	1 664	548	32.9	1 372	406	29.6	253	120	47.7
OTHER . . . . .	390	125	32.0	294	89	30.4	78	27	35.1
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS . . . . .	342	91	26.5	288	64	22.1	49	26	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS . . . . .	682	180	26.4	574	131	22.8	98	46	46.6
15 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	489	182	37.3	401	135	33.7	76	38	49.9
27 WEEKS OR MORE . . . . .	375	214	57.1	272	149	55.0	88	56	63.4
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR . . . . .	1 673	1 291	77.2	985	707	71.7	601	526	87.6
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	285	195	68.4	165	110	66.4	107	79	73.1
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	974	790	81.1	580	430	74.2	366	339	92.6
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	74	45	(B)	41	23	(B)	19	15	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	261	213	81.7	152	122	80.4	88	76	86.6
RETIRED . . . . .	51	22	(B)	39	15	(B)	6	5	(B)
OTHER . . . . .	28	25	(B)	8	7	(B)	14	13	(B)
HOUSEHOLDER IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	324	19	5.7	260	10	4.0	42	8	(B)

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS, FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE AND PRESENCE OF CHILDREN	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>FEMALE FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS, NO HUSBAND PRESENT</b>									
TOTAL	10 129	3 498	34.5	6 941	1 878	27.1	2 964	1 533	51.7
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED LAST YEAR	6 253	1 313	21.0	4 454	734	16.5	1 669	557	33.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	4 333	441	10.2	3 139	221	7.0	1 099	214	19.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	611	140	22.9	446	78	17.5	157	58	36.7
27 TO 39 WEEKS	346	131	38.0	252	90	35.7	85	38	44.9
14 TO 26 WEEKS	513	293	57.1	331	168	50.7	171	118	69.2
13 WEEKS OR LESS	449	307	68.3	287	177	61.7	157	128	81.8
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	44.5	31.9	(X)	45.1	31.0	(X)	43.0	33.0	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME	4 981	713	14.3	3 576	384	10.7	1 297	320	24.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS	3 777	255	6.7	2 755	120	4.4	935	133	14.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	450	82	18.3	321	42	12.9	122	36	29.9
27 TO 39 WEEKS	234	69	29.7	173	50	28.7	55	19	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	303	163	53.7	194	92	47.4	106	70	66.1
13 WEEKS OR LESS	217	144	66.3	133	81	60.8	79	62	77.9
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	188	56	29.7	127	30	23.6	60	25	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	575	336	58.5	437	224	51.3	130	108	83.4
GOING TO SCHOOL	103	53	51.3	72	31	(B)	30	21	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	720	319	44.4	449	166	37.0	252	143	56.6
OTHER	335	108	32.1	230	61	26.5	98	45	46.3
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	209	84	40.3	147	44	30.1	58	37	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	310	119	38.5	206	63	30.6	95	53	55.1
15 TO 26 WEEKS	221	128	57.8	125	67	53.6	89	56	62.6
27 WEEKS OR MORE	205	133	65.2	109	66	60.8	91	66	72.5
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	3 876	2 185	56.4	2 487	1 145	46.0	1 296	976	75.3
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	758	359	47.4	429	149	34.8	314	198	63.1
KEEPING HOUSE	1 932	1 330	68.8	1 240	749	60.4	641	545	85.0
GOING TO SCHOOL	105	78	74.5	66	46	(B)	31	28	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	342	279	81.4	151	114	75.3	182	160	88.0
RETIRED	683	102	14.9	569	49	12.1	104	26	25.0
OTHER	56	38	(B)	31	17	(B)	23	19	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	6 832	3 124	45.7	4 337	1 682	38.8	2 335	1 364	58.4
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED LAST YEAR	4 480	1 210	27.2	3 030	685	22.6	1 358	513	37.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3 002	402	13.4	2 069	206	10.0	870	191	21.9
50 TO 52 WEEKS	424	134	31.5	293	73	25.0	124	56	45.1
27 TO 39 WEEKS	273	126	46.3	196	85	43.2	71	38	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	409	268	65.6	248	155	62.7	151	107	70.7
13 WEEKS OR LESS	373	288	77.4	225	166	73.7	143	122	85.0
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	43.7	31.8	(X)	44.3	31.0	(X)	42.2	32.7	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME	3 560	678	19.1	2 425	366	15.1	1 063	305	28.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 632	240	9.1	1 823	114	6.2	753	125	16.6
40 TO 49 WEEKS	313	81	25.8	213	40	18.9	95	36	38.3
27 TO 39 WEEKS	186	68	36.7	135	49	36.1	48	19	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	240	149	62.3	144	85	59.4	93	63	68.1
13 WEEKS OR LESS	188	140	74.2	110	78	70.6	74	62	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	123	51	41.7	78	30	38.2	45	21	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	488	324	66.4	357	217	60.7	124	105	84.3
GOING TO SCHOOL	81	47	58.4	54	26	(B)	26	21	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	588	301	51.2	353	155	44.0	220	136	61.9
OTHER	198	93	46.8	120	51	42.8	74	40	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	166	81	48.6	112	43	38.1	51	35	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	249	114	45.7	158	60	38.1	86	50	58.0
15 TO 26 WEEKS	185	123	66.4	99	62	62.5	79	56	70.5
27 WEEKS OR MORE	178	122	68.6	94	63	66.4	80	59	73.9
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	2 352	1 905	81.0	1 306	997	76.3	977	851	87.1
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	366	269	73.5	164	109	66.4	193	151	78.4
KEEPING HOUSE	1 433	1 230	85.8	847	693	81.8	544	502	92.2
GOING TO SCHOOL	90	75	83.3	55	45	(B)	29	26	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	287	257	89.7	122	106	87.2	159	146	92.3
RETIRED	136	44	32.3	94	28	30.1	37	12	(B)
OTHER	41	31	(B)	24	16	(B)	15	13	(B)

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WORK EXPERIENCE AND PRESENCE OF CHILDREN	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>FEMALE FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS, NO HUSBAND PRESENT--CONTINUED</b>									
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS . . . . .	2 800	1 704	60.9	1 588	877	55.2	1 153	791	68.6
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED LAST YEAR . . . . .	1 539	606	39.4	939	336	35.7	577	264	45.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	883	165	18.7	551	81	14.8	315	81	25.7
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	162	76	46.9	100	44	44.1	59	30	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	102	58	56.9	60	34	(B)	42	23	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	199	143	72.0	115	84	72.8	81	58	70.8
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	193	164	84.6	113	92	81.5	80	72	89.3
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED . . . . .	40.4	29.8	(X)	40.9	29.0	(X)	39.4	30.5	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME . . . . .	1 127	320	28.4	679	166	24.5	431	151	35.0
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	743	90	12.1	480	38	8.3	270	51	18.7
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	125	52	42.0	75	31	41.9	47	20	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	59	26	(B)	31	15	(B)	28	12	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	113	78	68.9	63	40	(B)	49	38	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	87	74	84.6	50	42	(B)	37	32	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	40	19	(B)	23	11	(B)	17	7	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	257	202	78.7	172	126	73.4	84	76	90.4
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	40	26	(B)	26	14	(B)	14	12	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	224	143	63.7	112	72	64.1	108	68	63.2
OTHER . . . . .	96	51	53.1	55	31	(B)	40	20	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS . . . . .	84	55	65.5	53	31	(B)	30	23	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS . . . . .	111	65	58.2	48	27	(B)	61	36	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	69	53	(B)	41	31	(B)	26	21	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE . . . . .	73	59	(B)	33	27	(B)	39	32	(B)
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR . . . . .	1 261	1 098	87.1	649	542	83.5	576	527	91.5
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	124	90	72.5	44	26	(B)	78	62	79.4
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	904	829	91.8	494	441	89.1	384	367	95.6
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	35	31	(B)	20	18	(B)	15	13	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	126	115	91.4	50	46	(B)	73	68	(B)
RETIRED . . . . .	56	15	(B)	31	6	(B)	16	8	(B)
OTHER . . . . .	22	17	(B)	9	6	(B)	11	9	(B)
<b>FEMALE FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS, NO HUSBAND PRESENT 22 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	8 420	3 102	36.8	5 637	1 651	29.3	2 586	1 374	53.1
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED LAST YEAR . . . . .	5 944	1 226	20.6	4 231	685	16.2	1 585	519	32.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	4 181	423	10.1	3 032	216	7.1	1 056	201	19.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	583	131	22.4	419	69	16.4	156	58	37.1
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	322	122	37.8	234	83	35.5	79	35	44.4
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	461	271	58.9	293	154	52.6	157	110	70.3
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	397	280	70.5	254	163	64.2	138	115	83.2
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED . . . . .	44.9	32.3	(X)	45.4	31.4	(X)	43.4	33.3	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME . . . . .	4 815	665	13.8	3 461	363	10.5	1 247	294	23.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	3 692	246	6.7	2 696	118	4.4	910	127	14.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	431	76	17.6	303	35	11.6	120	36	30.3
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	222	63	28.2	164	46	27.9	52	16	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	279	151	54.1	178	88	49.5	98	62	63.2
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	191	129	67.8	120	76	63.2	66	52	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	177	49	27.7	118	25	21.1	59	24	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	512	304	59.5	396	206	52.1	108	94	87.1
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	87	41	47.3	60	23	(B)	27	18	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	703	310	44.1	438	160	36.5	246	139	56.5
OTHER . . . . .	284	99	34.9	187	54	29.1	90	43	47.8
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS . . . . .	195	80	40.8	136	42	30.9	56	35	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS . . . . .	295	108	36.7	200	59	29.7	87	46	52.4
15 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	214	123	57.3	121	65	53.6	87	53	61.3
27 WEEKS OR MORE . . . . .	199	130	65.2	106	63	59.7	89	65	73.2
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR . . . . .	2 476	1 876	75.8	1 406	966	68.7	1 001	855	85.4
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	434	294	67.9	210	123	58.5	212	160	75.7
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	1 508	1 203	79.8	920	677	73.6	551	495	89.8
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	80	62	78.1	44	33	(B)	30	27	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	325	267	82.2	141	108	76.6	175	154	88.2
RETIRED . . . . .	89	31	21.3	71	12	(B)	14	3	(B)
OTHER . . . . .	41	19	(B)	20	13	(B)	20	16	(B)

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WORK EXPERIENCE AND PRESENCE OF CHILDREN	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
FEMALE FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS, NO HUSBAND PRESENT 22 TO 64 YEARS--CONTINUED									
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS . . . . .	6 344	2 853	45.0	4 029	1 528	37.9	2 166	1 253	57.9
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED LAST YEAR . . . . .	4 335	1 140	26.3	2 943	643	21.9	1 303	477	36.6
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	2 944	384	13.0	2 037	201	9.9	844	178	21.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	413	127	30.8	285	67	23.6	122	56	45.7
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	259	117	45.4	185	79	42.7	68	35	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	378	249	65.9	229	145	63.1	138	98	71.0
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	341	263	77.0	207	152	73.2	130	110	84.8
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED . . . . .	44.0	32.2	(X)	44.6	31.4	(X)	42.6	33.0	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME . . . . .	3 472	631	18.2	2 379	346	14.5	1 023	278	27.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	2 595	232	8.9	1 803	112	6.2	737	119	16.1
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	303	75	24.6	204	34	16.6	93	36	39.0
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	180	63	34.8	131	46	34.9	45	16	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	225	137	61.0	137	81	59.3	85	55	64.9
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	170	125	73.7	104	73	70.3	63	52	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	117	46	39.8	72	25	(B)	45	21	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	444	294	66.2	333	201	60.3	104	90	86.8
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	72	41	(B)	48	22	(B)	23	18	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	577	292	50.6	347	150	43.2	215	132	61.6
OTHER . . . . .	181	84	46.3	106	45	42.4	72	38	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS . . . . .	158	78	49.3	105	40	38.6	51	35	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS . . . . .	238	104	43.8	155	57	36.9	78	43	55.3
15 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	180	118	65.5	97	60	61.7	76	53	69.4
27 WEEKS OR MORE . . . . .	174	119	68.2	92	60	65.4	79	58	73.6
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR . . . . .	2 009	1 712	85.2	1 086	885	81.5	863	776	89.9
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	312	247	79.3	136	103	75.6	167	136	81.3
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	1 297	1 129	87.1	764	636	83.3	498	463	92.9
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	70	59	(B)	38	32	(B)	28	25	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	274	245	89.6	115	100	87.5	153	140	92.0
RETIRED . . . . .	27	8	(B)	17	2	(B)	6	2	(B)
OTHER . . . . .	30	23	(B)	16	11	(B)	12	10	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS . . . . .	2 483	1 496	60.3	1 406	769	54.7	1 026	696	67.9
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED LAST YEAR . . . . .	1 427	534	37.5	875	297	34.0	530	231	43.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	844	150	17.8	533	78	14.6	295	69	23.5
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	152	70	45.9	92	38	41.4	57	30	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	92	49	53.4	53	28	(B)	39	21	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	174	126	72.8	102	75	73.6	69	49	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	165	139	84.3	95	78	81.7	70	61	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED . . . . .	41.1	30.3	(X)	41.7	29.7	(X)	40.0	30.7	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME . . . . .	1 054	276	26.2	640	146	22.8	398	127	31.9
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	717	83	11.6	447	36	8.1	257	46	17.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	115	46	40.2	66	25	(B)	46	20	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	52	21	(B)	27	12	(B)	25	9	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	99	66	66.8	57	36	(B)	41	29	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	72	60	(B)	43	37	(B)	28	23	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	37	16	(B)	20	8	(B)	17	7	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	219	173	78.8	151	110	72.7	67	63	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	31	20	(B)	20	10	(B)	11	9	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	213	134	62.8	107	67	62.4	103	65	62.7
OTHER . . . . .	82	42	51.5	44	24	(B)	38	18	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS . . . . .	76	52	68.9	45	29	(B)	30	23	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS . . . . .	100	55	54.8	45	24	(B)	53	29	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	64	48	(B)	39	29	(B)	23	18	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE . . . . .	69	55	(B)	30	24	(B)	39	31	(B)
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR . . . . .	1 056	962	91.1	532	472	88.7	496	466	93.9
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	99	78	78.5	34	24	(B)	63	52	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	798	744	93.2	437	396	90.6	342	331	96.7
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	24	22	(B)	11	11	(B)	13	12	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	115	104	90.6	45	40	(B)	67	62	(B)
RETIRED . . . . .	9	5	(B)	5	-	(B)	2	2	(B)
OTHER . . . . .	11	9	(B)	1	1	(B)	8	6	(B)

**Table 19. Work Experience of Householder—Poverty Status in 1984 of Family Householders, by Presence of Children, Sex, and Race—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE AND PRESENCE OF CHILDREN	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
ALL OTHER FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS									
TOTAL	52 578	3 780	7.2	47 459	3 046	6.4	3 813	561	14.7
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED LAST YEAR	41 533	2 261	5.4	37 648	1 882	5.0	2 831	282	10.0
50 TO 52 WEEKS	33 360	1 136	3.4	30 357	949	3.1	2 135	146	6.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3 136	222	7.1	2 826	177	6.3	247	31	12.4
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 951	226	11.6	1 719	191	11.1	183	21	11.5
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 842	389	21.1	1 645	322	19.6	160	55	34.2
13 WEEKS OR LESS	1 244	288	23.1	1 100	242	22.0	107	30	28.4
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	47.9	38.5	(X)	48.0	38.5	(X)	46.8	39.3	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME	38 351	1 851	4.8	34 796	1 555	4.5	2 582	219	8.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	32 011	987	3.1	29 151	838	2.9	2 034	116	5.7
40 TO 49 WEEKS	2 698	188	7.0	2 419	151	6.2	225	27	12.1
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 641	197	12.0	1 444	167	11.6	155	18	11.8
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 303	279	21.4	1 163	231	19.9	114	38	33.6
13 WEEKS OR LESS	699	199	28.5	619	167	27.1	55	18	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	844	100	11.9	700	80	11.4	133	18	13.2
KEEPING HOUSE	356	54	15.0	324	49	15.0	22	2	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	332	47	14.2	294	38	13.1	28	7	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	4 298	740	17.2	3 821	607	15.9	377	92	24.4
OTHER	2 345	185	7.9	2 152	158	7.3	137	19	13.9
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	709	64	9.0	641	56	8.7	57	4	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	1 748	211	12.1	1 590	178	11.2	126	23	18.1
15 TO 26 WEEKS	1 277	239	18.7	1 111	190	17.1	135	36	26.7
27 WEEKS OR MORE	930	308	33.1	799	253	31.7	99	39	39.7
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	10 332	1 499	14.5	9 240	1 154	12.5	882	270	30.6
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	2 124	551	26.0	1 799	428	23.8	276	111	40.4
KEEPING HOUSE	626	109	17.4	529	81	15.3	80	23	28.9
GOING TO SCHOOL	145	60	41.5	96	38	39.1	18	5	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	4 449	258	57.4	3 335	194	58.1	87	41	47.3
RETIRED	6 873	456	6.6	6 407	383	6.0	393	66	16.7
OTHER	116	65	56.3	75	30	39.4	29	24	(B)
HOUSEHOLDER IN ARMED FORCES	713	19	2.7	571	10	1.8	99	8	8.3
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	26 110	2 538	9.7	23 043	1 996	8.7	2 177	394	18.1
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED LAST YEAR	23 895	1 795	7.5	21 349	1 464	6.9	1 809	241	13.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	19 649	880	4.5	17 636	717	4.1	1 408	125	8.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 795	182	10.1	1 600	149	9.3	152	21	13.9
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 060	195	18.4	930	164	17.6	92	18	19.4
14 TO 26 WEEKS	911	317	34.8	783	255	32.5	102	50	48.9
13 WEEKS OR LESS	479	221	46.1	400	180	45.1	56	27	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	48.6	38.4	(X)	48.7	38.4	(X)	47.4	39.1	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME	22 757	1 499	6.6	20 392	1 241	6.1	1 675	188	11.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	19 143	772	4.0	17 199	640	3.7	1 361	101	7.4
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 655	163	9.9	1 474	136	9.2	144	19	13.6
27 TO 39 WEEKS	950	180	18.9	843	152	18.1	75	16	21.9
14 TO 26 WEEKS	704	231	32.8	615	186	30.2	68	36	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	305	154	50.4	260	127	48.9	28	15	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	401	68	17.1	330	56	17.1	64	10	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	238	38	15.9	216	35	16.0	13	-	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	142	31	22.0	122	25	20.3	14	4	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	2 772	647	23.3	2 443	525	21.5	247	85	34.5
OTHER	693	131	18.9	601	107	17.8	63	16	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	466	57	12.2	413	49	11.8	44	4	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	1 110	181	16.3	1 014	150	14.8	73	23	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	809	211	26.0	697	165	23.7	86	33	38.8
27 WEEKS OR MORE	592	264	44.7	495	215	43.4	71	36	(B)
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	1 689	723	42.8	1 275	522	40.9	297	144	48.6
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	584	270	46.3	453	208	46.0	106	54	51.2
KEEPING HOUSE	305	72	23.7	243	51	21.1	49	16	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	84	45	53.1	52	28	(B)	8	3	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	301	203	67.5	219	150	68.7	55	31	(B)
RETIRED	362	90	24.9	284	69	24.3	58	21	(B)
OTHER	54	43	(B)	25	15	(B)	22	20	(B)
HOUSEHOLDER IN ARMED FORCES	526	19	3.7	420	10	2.5	70	8	(B)



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WORK EXPERIENCE AND PRESENCE OF CHILDREN	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>ALL OTHER FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS--CONTINUED</b>									
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS . . . . .	12 737	1 584	12.4	11 154	1 227	11.0	1 116	266	23.8
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED LAST YEAR . . . . .	11 679	1 188	10.2	10 352	949	9.2	945	183	19.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	9 366	538	5.7	8 356	415	5.0	695	94	13.5
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	954	145	15.2	847	125	14.7	84	15	18.3
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	560	132	23.6	488	113	23.3	55	10	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	524	229	43.7	438	179	40.9	75	43	57.2
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	276	145	52.7	223	117	52.3	36	20	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED . . . . .	48.1	37.8	(X)	48.3	37.7	(X)	46.2	38.6	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME . . . . .	11 051	990	9.0	9 840	806	8.2	858	141	16.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	9 104	473	5.2	8 136	372	4.6	665	75	11.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	887	130	14.7	787	115	14.6	83	15	18.7
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	493	122	24.8	437	106	24.4	44	10	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	402	166	41.4	342	132	38.5	52	31	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	166	99	59.5	139	81	58.4	15	10	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	195	46	23.5	169	38	22.3	25	8	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	148	30	20.4	136	29	21.6	6	—	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	110	25	22.7	95	21	21.5	12	4	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	1 531	455	29.7	1 335	374	28.0	159	62	39.1
OTHER . . . . .	329	95	28.7	261	73	27.9	48	14	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS . . . . .	281	44	15.7	257	41	15.8	19	3	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS . . . . .	616	143	23.1	561	122	21.7	47	19	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	447	148	33.1	379	117	31.0	57	23	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE . . . . .	325	171	52.6	256	133	52.0	53	29	(B)
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR . . . . .	718	377	52.5	526	267	50.7	128	75	58.7
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	202	126	62.1	142	91	64.1	49	29	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	191	54	28.2	155	39	24.9	27	11	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	54	26	(B)	34	16	(B)	6	3	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	159	119	74.4	118	89	75.4	24	16	(B)
RETIRED . . . . .	92	35	37.4	68	25	(B)	16	9	(B)
OTHER . . . . .	19	18	(B)	8	8	(B)	7	7	(B)
HOUSEHOLDER IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	340	19	5.5	276	10	3.8	43	8	(B)
<b>ALL OTHER FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS 22 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL . . . . .	43 612	3 131	7.2	39 187	2 530	6.5	3 229	438	13.6
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED LAST YEAR . . . . .	39 043	2 088	5.3	35 351	1 734	4.9	2 682	260	9.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	32 014	1 082	3.4	29 111	901	3.1	2 056	140	6.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	2 855	192	6.7	2 559	146	5.7	237	31	12.9
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	1 756	211	12.0	1 554	185	11.9	161	14	9.0
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	1 513	354	23.4	1 346	293	21.7	135	48	35.8
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	905	251	27.7	781	209	26.8	93	26	28.5
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED . . . . .	48.4	39.0	(X)	48.5	38.9	(X)	47.2	40.1	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME . . . . .	36 945	1 729	4.7	33 502	1 451	4.3	2 502	202	8.1
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	31 090	944	3.0	28 299	799	2.8	1 985	112	5.6
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	2 568	164	6.4	2 295	127	5.5	222	27	12.3
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	1 543	181	11.8	1 369	161	11.7	139	12	8.5
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	1 165	259	22.3	1 035	215	20.8	104	35	33.6
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	579	179	31.0	505	149	29.6	53	17	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	726	92	12.6	600	72	12.0	118	17	14.6
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	323	48	14.9	293	43	14.8	20	2	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	303	39	13.0	267	31	11.5	28	7	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	4 097	678	16.5	3 641	557	15.3	359	82	22.8
OTHER . . . . .	1 580	150	9.5	1 440	130	9.0	100	13	12.6
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS . . . . .	671	54	8.0	604	46	7.5	56	4	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS . . . . .	1 662	185	11.2	1 506	154	10.2	124	21	16.6
15 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	1 215	216	17.8	1 060	174	16.4	127	31	24.9
27 WEEKS OR MORE . . . . .	887	290	32.7	765	241	31.5	91	34	37.3
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR . . . . .	3 893	1 023	26.3	3 294	785	23.8	456	170	37.2
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	1 383	427	30.8	1 168	342	29.3	171	74	43.0
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	484	93	19.2	408	71	17.3	62	18	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	133	52	38.9	84	29	34.5	18	5	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	423	246	58.2	313	186	59.3	84	39	46.6
RETIRED . . . . .	1 362	145	10.6	1 252	131	10.5	94	11	12.0
OTHER . . . . .	107	61	56.7	68	27	(B)	28	23	(B)
HOUSEHOLDER IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	676	19	2.8	542	10	1.9	91	8	9.1

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WORK EXPERIENCE AND PRESENCE OF CHILDREN	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
ALL OTHER FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS 22 TO 64 YEARS --CONTINUED									
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 10 YEARS . . . . .	25 454	2 346	9.2	22 531	1 866	8.3	2 059	337	16.4
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED LAST YEAR . . . . .	23 559	1 700	7.2	21 063	1 393	6.6	1 771	219	12.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	19 464	854	4.4	17 466	696	4.0	1 396	119	8.6
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	1 753	164	9.3	1 559	131	8.4	1 51	21	14.0
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	1 032	182	17.6	917	159	17.4	82	11	13.9
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	864	297	34.4	747	240	32.2	90	44	49.3
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	446	203	45.6	373	167	44.7	52	23	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED . . . . .	48.7	38.7	(X)	48.8	38.6	(X)	47.7	39.9	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME . . . . .	22 495	1 426	6.3	20 162	1 187	5.9	1 652	172	10.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	18 982	750	3.9	17 052	623	3.7	1 351	97	7.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	1 615	146	9.1	1 435	119	8.3	1 143	19	13.6
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	929	166	17.9	834	148	17.7	69	10	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	677	219	32.4	592	177	29.9	64	33	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	291	145	49.6	249	120	46.2	26	13	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	396	66	16.7	325	55	16.8	63	9	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	223	35	15.9	201	32	16.0	13	-	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	138	29	21.2	120	23	18.9	14	4	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	2 684	601	22.4	2 369	490	20.7	235	76	32.4
OTHER . . . . .	654	115	17.6	580	98	16.8	49	10	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS . . . . .	451	51	11.3	399	43	10.7	43	4	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS . . . . .	1 075	164	15.2	981	135	13.8	71	21	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	781	194	24.8	678	154	22.7	80	30	37.3
27 WEEKS OR MORE . . . . .	572	251	43.9	480	206	43.0	65	30	(B)
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR . . . . .	1 385	626	45.2	1 065	462	43.4	218	109	50.1
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	535	248	46.3	426	198	46.4	85	42	49.7
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	288	65	22.4	232	47	20.5	44	13	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	78	39	49.5	46	22	(B)	8	3	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	288	194	67.3	208	144	69.0	53	29	(B)
RETIRED . . . . .	146	43	29.3	130	39	29.8	7	4	(B)
OTHER . . . . .	51	39	(B)	22	13	(B)	20	19	(B)
HOUSEHOLDER IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	510	19	3.8	404	10	2.5	69	8	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS . . . . .	12 350	1 452	11.8	10 831	1 128	10.4	1 066	235	22.0
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED LAST YEAR . . . . .	11 409	1 104	9.7	10 118	882	8.7	919	166	18.0
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	9 221	914	5.6	8 223	397	4.8	686	88	12.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	913	127	13.9	807	107	13.3	84	15	18.4
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	540	123	22.9	479	110	22.9	47	6	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	486	210	43.2	407	165	40.5	68	39	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	249	130	52.3	201	104	51.5	34	18	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED . . . . .	48.3	38.1	(X)	48.4	38.0	(X)	46.5	39.1	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME . . . . .	10 837	926	8.5	9 649	752	7.8	843	130	15.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	8 971	451	5.0	8 013	354	4.4	658	70	10.7
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	848	114	13.4	749	98	13.1	82	15	18.8
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	480	114	23.7	431	103	23.8	39	6	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	380	155	40.9	324	123	38.1	49	29	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	159	92	57.9	132	74	56.3	15	10	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	191	43	22.7	165	36	21.6	25	8	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	133	28	20.8	121	27	22.3	6	-	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	106	23	21.7	93	19	19.8	12	4	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	1 450	414	28.5	1 265	339	26.8	150	56	37.4
OTHER . . . . .	308	82	26.7	250	65	26.0	40	10	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS . . . . .	266	38	14.3	243	35	14.3	19	3	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS . . . . .	581	125	21.5	529	106	20.1	45	16	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	425	135	31.7	362	106	29.3	52	20	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE . . . . .	306	159	51.9	241	125	51.8	50	25	(B)
HOUSEHOLDER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR . . . . .	617	330	53.4	454	235	51.8	105	61	57.7
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED . . . . .	186	117	62.9	131	85	65.2	44	27	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	176	46	26.4	144	35	24.1	24	8	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL . . . . .	50	23	(B)	31	13	(B)	6	3	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK . . . . .	147	110	74.7	108	62	76.5	21	14	(B)
RETIRED . . . . .	41	18	(B)	34	15	(B)	7	3	(B)
OTHER . . . . .	17	16	(B)	6	5	(B)	7	7	(B)
HOUSEHOLDER IN ARMED FORCES . . . . .	324	19	5.7	260	10	4.0	42	8	(B)

**Table 20. Work Experience of Unrelated Individuals—Poverty Status in 1984 of Unrelated Individuals, by Age, Sex, and Race**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS</b>									
<b>15 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL	30 268	6 609	21.8	26 094	5 181	19.9	3 501	1 255	35.8
WORKED LAST YEAR	19 329	2 577	13.3	16 679	2 115	12.7	2 165	375	17.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	13 365	638	4.8	11 540	539	4.7	1 506	82	5.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 970	256	13.0	1 717	223	13.0	216	27	12.6
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 454	377	26.0	1 294	327	25.3	119	43	35.8
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 451	629	43.3	1 213	496	40.9	193	110	57.1
13 WEEKS OR LESS	1 088	678	62.3	915	530	57.9	131	113	86.1
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	45.0	29.3	(X)	45.1	30.0	(X)	44.8	27.0	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME	16 124	1 425	8.8	13 963	1 191	8.5	1 767	183	10.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	12 014	362	3.0	10 409	321	3.1	1 318	27	2.1
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 494	110	7.4	1 293	89	6.9	176	18	10.2
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 055	212	20.0	951	182	19.1	85	29	33.7
14 TO 26 WEEKS	998	369	37.0	847	305	36.1	129	59	47.6
13 WEEKS OR LESS	562	372	66.3	464	294	63.5	65	51	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	479	166	34.7	393	127	32.3	80	37	46.2
KEEPING HOUSE	306	134	43.9	274	118	42.8	25	13	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	1 112	553	49.7	987	483	49.0	71	43	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	2 520	755	29.9	2 079	572	27.5	385	154	40.1
OTHER	1 546	332	21.4	1 406	277	19.7	97	46	46.9
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	674	197	29.2	589	168	28.6	69	18	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	1 065	245	23.0	914	196	21.5	131	45	34.3
15 TO 26 WEEKS	792	295	37.2	667	227	34.1	108	56	51.5
27 WEEKS OR MORE	622	333	53.6	469	240	51.2	128	79	61.3
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	10 793	4 031	37.3	9 301	3 065	33.0	1 307	879	67.3
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	2 505	1 320	52.7	1 965	923	47.0	513	380	74.0
KEEPING HOUSE	1 642	638	38.9	1 497	522	34.8	136	109	80.0
GOING TO SCHOOL	479	320	66.8	353	244	69.3	54	38	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	355	292	82.2	229	178	77.7	120	111	92.4
RETIRED	5 504	1 284	23.3	4 991	1 059	21.2	449	209	46.5
OTHER	308	176	57.3	267	140	52.5	35	33	(B)
IN ARMED FORCES	147	1	0.9	114	1	1.2	29	-	(B)
<b>22 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	19 696	3 609	18.3	16 588	2 721	16.4	2 577	772	30.0
WORKED LAST YEAR	16 740	1 900	11.3	14 355	1 516	10.6	1 957	318	16.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	12 186	507	4.2	10 500	421	4.0	1 391	71	5.1
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 580	183	11.6	1 366	157	11.5	183	22	12.2
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 159	259	22.4	1 021	218	21.4	109	39	35.3
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 119	461	41.2	905	344	38.0	172	97	56.3
13 WEEKS OR LESS	696	490	70.4	564	376	66.7	101	88	87.5
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	46.1	29.7	(X)	46.3	30.4	(X)	45.3	27.3	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME	14 738	1 095	7.4	12 708	895	7.0	1 667	158	9.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	11 300	307	2.7	9 768	272	2.8	1 259	21	1.7
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 310	86	6.6	1 125	67	5.9	161	16	9.7
27 TO 39 WEEKS	890	147	16.5	795	119	15.0	80	27	33.2
14 TO 26 WEEKS	828	277	33.4	687	220	32.1	115	52	45.2
13 WEEKS OR LESS	409	278	67.8	333	216	65.0	52	42	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	365	135	36.8	302	105	34.9	59	28	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	222	102	45.9	198	89	44.8	20	11	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	738	306	41.5	648	265	40.9	50	26	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	2 184	616	28.2	1 769	441	24.9	360	146	40.6
OTHER	1 044	235	22.5	938	195	20.8	77	35	45.4
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	516	125	24.2	447	107	23.9	60	14	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	917	186	20.3	785	144	18.4	115	37	32.6
15 TO 26 WEEKS	686	232	33.8	566	165	29.2	103	55	53.5
27 WEEKS OR MORE	544	284	52.1	398	197	49.6	121	72	59.2
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	2 838	1 709	60.2	2 142	1 204	56.2	595	454	76.3
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 096	729	66.5	789	493	62.5	288	223	77.4
KEEPING HOUSE	408	276	67.7	346	220	63.5	56	52	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	291	158	54.1	199	110	55.2	36	23	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	296	251	84.6	180	142	79.1	111	106	95.3
RETIRED	590	186	31.6	500	157	31.3	78	25	32.4
OTHER	156	109	70.0	128	82	64.1	26	25	(B)
IN ARMED FORCES	119	-	0.2	90	-	0.3	25	-	(B)

**Table 20. Work Experience of Unrelated Individuals—Poverty Status in 1984 of Unrelated Individuals, by Age, Sex, and Race—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS</b>									
<b>15 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL	13 739	2 575	18.7	11 529	1 920	16.7	1 827	568	31.1
WORKED LAST YEAR	10 624	1 385	13.0	9 071	1 099	12.1	1 267	234	18.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	7 318	321	4.4	6 291	276	4.4	846	37	4.4
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 088	110	10.1	931	94	10.1	133	16	11.8
27 TO 39 WEEKS	790	190	24.1	707	157	22.3	60	28	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	826	358	43.3	653	262	40.1	142	80	56.5
13 WEEKS OR LESS	603	407	67.5	489	310	63.5	86	72	83.6
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	45.0	27.8	(X)	45.2	28.7	(X)	43.9	25.0	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME	9 319	852	9.1	8 010	706	8.8	1 075	121	11.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	6 814	222	3.3	5 869	200	3.4	775	16	2.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	905	53	5.8	771	39	5.0	117	14	11.9
27 TO 39 WEEKS	622	118	18.6	564	94	16.7	47	21	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	617	225	36.5	503	180	35.7	95	42	44.0
13 WEEKS OR LESS	362	237	65.6	303	193	63.7	40	28	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	237	76	32.3	196	61	31.1	38	13	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	16	5	(B)	14	4	(B)	2	1	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	617	292	47.3	549	253	46.1	30	19	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 697	502	29.6	1 369	356	26.0	288	129	44.8
OTHER	739	188	25.5	652	150	23.0	64	34	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	373	105	28.2	317	87	27.6	45	10	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	671	143	21.3	579	112	19.3	83	31	36.9
15 TO 26 WEEKS	524	185	35.2	443	134	30.3	71	44	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	467	249	53.4	333	169	50.8	114	68	59.0
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	2 969	1 188	40.0	2 344	819	34.9	530	334	63.0
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	736	405	55.0	515	244	47.4	207	152	73.4
KEEPING HOUSE	30	14	(B)	21	8	(B)	5	3	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	278	156	56.0	194	114	58.5	39	26	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	214	177	82.9	138	109	79.3	72	65	(B)
RETIRED	1 612	355	22.0	1 390	271	19.5	197	80	40.6
OTHER	99	81	82.7	85	73	85.1	10	8	(B)
IN ARMED FORCES	147	1	0.9	114	1	1.2	29	-	(B)
<b>22 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	10 897	1 788	16.4	9 065	1 299	14.3	1 510	430	28.5
WORKED LAST YEAR	9 552	1 090	11.4	8 115	847	10.4	1 178	205	17.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	6 806	268	3.9	5 838	230	3.9	796	32	4.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	935	86	9.2	791	71	8.9	122	16	12.9
27 TO 39 WEEKS	679	141	20.8	602	113	18.7	59	27	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	691	284	41.0	532	198	37.2	132	72	55.0
13 WEEKS OR LESS	441	311	70.6	352	235	66.9	69	58	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	45.7	28.1	(X)	46.0	29.1	(X)	44.3	25.4	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME	8 619	690	8.0	7 381	566	7.7	1 019	104	10.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	6 436	188	2.9	5 533	173	3.1	739	10	1.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	812	44	5.4	684	30	4.3	113	14	12.4
27 TO 39 WEEKS	556	94	16.9	501	74	14.8	46	20	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	536	176	32.9	431	137	31.8	87	36	41.6
13 WEEKS OR LESS	281	188	67.1	232	153	65.7	34	24	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	187	61	32.7	158	51	32.0	28	10	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	15	3	(B)	12	2	(B)	2	1	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	448	183	40.9	391	156	39.8	26	15	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 528	436	28.6	1 215	296	24.4	275	122	44.5
OTHER	567	138	24.3	500	111	22.3	51	25	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	291	68	23.3	244	58	23.9	42	7	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	601	118	19.6	519	90	17.4	74	26	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	473	157	33.2	394	107	27.1	69	44	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	425	223	52.5	297	148	50.0	109	62	57.0
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	1 225	698	57.0	860	453	52.6	307	225	73.1
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	506	310	61.2	342	183	53.6	156	121	77.7
KEEPING HOUSE	13	6	(B)	10	3	(B)	3	3	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	190	87	45.7	127	59	46.6	27	17	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	185	159	86.1	113	94	83.0	68	63	(B)
RETIRED	263	77	29.2	208	61	29.5	46	14	(B)
OTHER	69	60	(B)	60	52	(B)	9	8	(B)
IN ARMED FORCES	119	-	0.2	90	-	0.3	25	-	(B)

**Table 20. Work Experience of Unrelated Individuals—Poverty Status in 1984 of Unrelated Individuals, by Age, Sex, and Race—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS</b>									
<b>15 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL	16 529	4 035	24.4	14 565	3 262	22.4	1 674	687	41.0
WORKED LAST YEAR	8 705	1 192	13.7	7 608	1 016	13.3	897	141	15.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS	6 047	317	5.2	5 249	263	5.0	660	45	6.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	882	146	16.5	786	129	16.5	82	11	14.0
27 TO 39 WEEKS	664	187	28.2	587	169	28.9	59	14	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	626	271	43.3	561	235	41.9	51	30	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	486	271	55.8	426	219	51.5	45	41	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	45.1	31.2	(X)	45.1	31.4	(X)	46.1	30.3	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME	6 806	573	8.4	5 953	485	8.2	692	63	9.1
50 TO 52 WEEKS	5 201	140	2.7	4 540	120	2.7	543	11	2.1
40 TO 49 WEEKS	590	57	9.7	522	50	9.6	58	4	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	433	96	22.1	387	88	22.7	37	7	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	381	144	37.8	343	125	36.5	29	17	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	200	135	67.6	161	102	63.1	24	23	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	242	90	37.1	197	66	33.6	42	24	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	290	129	44.7	260	114	43.6	23	11	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	494	261	52.7	438	230	52.6	41	24	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	824	252	30.6	709	216	30.5	97	25	26.2
OTHER	807	143	17.7	754	126	16.8	34	12	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	302	92	30.4	272	81	29.7	24	8	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	395	102	25.8	335	84	25.2	48	14	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	268	110	41.1	224	93	41.5	38	12	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	155	84	54.2	136	71	52.1	14	11	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	7 824	2 842	36.3	6 957	2 246	32.3	777	546	70.2
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 769	915	51.8	1 450	679	46.8	306	227	74.4
KEEPING HOUSE	1 612	624	38.7	1 476	513	34.8	131	106	81.3
GOING TO SCHOOL	201	165	81.8	158	130	82.5	15	12	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	141	115	81.2	91	69	75.3	49	46	(B)
RETIRED	3 892	929	23.9	3 600	787	21.9	252	129	51.1
OTHER	209	95	45.3	182	68	37.3	25	25	(B)
<b>22 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	8 800	1 821	20.7	7 523	1 421	18.9	1 067	342	32.1
WORKED LAST YEAR	7 187	810	11.3	6 240	670	10.7	780	113	14.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	5 380	239	4.4	4 662	191	4.1	595	40	6.7
40 TO 49 WEEKS	645	97	15.0	575	87	15.1	61	7	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	480	118	24.6	418	105	25.2	51	12	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	428	178	41.6	373	146	39.3	41	25	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	255	178	70.0	212	141	66.3	32	30	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	46.7	31.9	(X)	46.7	32.1	(X)	46.7	30.9	(X)
WORKED FULL-TIME	6 119	404	6.6	5 328	329	6.2	647	54	8.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	4 865	119	2.5	4 236	99	2.3	519	11	2.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS	498	42	8.4	441	37	8.4	48	2	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	335	53	15.9	294	45	15.5	34	7	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	293	101	34.3	256	83	32.5	28	16	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	129	89	69.4	101	64	63.5	18	18	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	178	73	41.2	144	55	38.0	31	18	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	207	98	47.6	185	86	46.6	18	10	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	290	123	42.4	257	109	42.6	25	11	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	656	179	27.3	554	145	26.2	85	24	28.0
OTHER	477	97	20.4	439	84	19.1	27	10	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	225	57	25.4	204	49	23.9	18	8	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	316	68	21.7	266	54	20.2	40	11	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	213	75	35.2	172	58	33.8	35	12	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	119	60	50.9	101	49	48.2	12	10	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	1 613	1 011	62.7	1 282	752	58.6	288	229	79.8
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	589	419	71.1	447	310	69.3	132	102	76.9
KEEPING HOUSE	395	270	68.4	336	216	64.5	54	49	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	101	71	70.0	72	51	(B)	9	6	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	112	92	82.1	67	49	(B)	43	43	(B)
RETIRED	328	110	33.5	292	95	32.6	32	12	(B)
OTHER	88	49	56.5	68	31	(B)	17	17	(B)

**Table 21. Working Mothers—Poverty Status in 1984 of Women With Own Children Under 18 Years, by Work Experience, Age of Children, Type of Family, and Race**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. WOMEN AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE AND TYPE OF FAMILY	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>ALL WOMEN WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	32 310	5 728	17.7	26 777	3 722	13.9	4 502	1 789	39.7
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	21 614	2 256	10.4	18 088	1 558	8.6	2 880	630	21.9
50 TO 52 WEEKS	12 468	714	5.7	10 253	486	4.7	1 804	208	11.6
40 TO 49 WEEKS	2 375	220	9.3	2 030	150	7.4	284	65	22.8
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 995	246	12.3	1 729	179	10.4	212	58	27.4
14 TO 26 WEEKS	2 332	456	19.5	2 003	307	15.3	274	129	47.2
13 WEEKS OR LESS	2 444	620	25.4	2 073	436	21.0	306	170	55.5
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	41.0	30.5	(X)	40.8	30.3	(X)	42.2	31.1	(X)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	14 362	1 208	8.4	11 583	796	6.9	2 301	375	16.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	9 720	417	4.3	7 731	264	3.4	1 638	145	8.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 516	122	8.1	1 263	76	6.0	211	41	19.5
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 095	139	12.7	911	105	11.5	158	32	20.6
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 105	251	22.7	919	164	17.8	151	76	49.9
13 WEEKS OR LESS	927	279	30.1	760	188	24.7	143	81	56.5
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	4 980	743	14.9	4 516	571	12.7	345	151	43.8
OTHER	4 166	798	19.2	3 319	501	15.1	731	271	37.0
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	10 696	3 472	32.5	8 690	2 164	24.9	1 622	1 159	71.4
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	9 049	2 565	28.3	7 709	1 710	22.2	1 029	741	72.0
OTHER	1 647	907	55.1	981	455	46.3	593	418	70.5
<b>WOMEN WITH CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY</b>									
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	9 026	1 742	19.3	7 513	1 152	15.3	1 218	531	43.6
50 TO 52 WEEKS	5 798	670	11.6	4 909	473	9.6	710	177	24.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	2 690	138	5.1	2 240	86	3.8	352	45	12.8
27 TO 39 WEEKS	661	74	8.6	613	46	7.5	74	14	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	820	146	17.8	587	57	9.6	59	16	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	922	251	27.3	709	112	15.8	93	30	32.1
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	37.4	25.4	(X)	37.3	24.8	(X)	37.2	26.3	(X)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	3 750	351	9.4	3 097	239	7.7	519	97	18.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 113	67	4.1	1 715	239	3.2	314	27	8.5
40 TO 49 WEEKS	487	33	6.8	423	27	6.4	49	4	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	393	47	11.8	340	35	10.2	46	12	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	392	79	20.2	321	54	16.7	56	22	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	364	106	29.1	298	69	23.2	54	32	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	1 800	286	15.9	1 625	228	14.0	132	54	40.7
OTHER	1 309	247	18.9	1 044	160	15.3	226	78	34.7
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	3 228	1 072	33.2	2 604	678	26.0	508	354	69.6
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	2 771	820	29.6	2 356	560	23.8	312	224	72.0
OTHER	458	251	54.9	248	118	47.6	196	129	65.8
<b>WOMEN WITH CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS</b>									
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	6 353	1 587	25.0	5 094	1 001	19.6	1 050	532	50.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS	3 577	551	15.4	2 854	365	12.8	607	171	28.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 785	170	9.5	1 389	127	9.1	330	41	12.4
27 TO 39 WEEKS	411	57	13.9	320	32	10.1	83	23	27.7
14 TO 26 WEEKS	393	54	13.7	322	37	11.5	60	16	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	487	127	26.0	394	73	18.5	75	46	60.9
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	501	144	28.7	428	95	22.3	59	45	(B)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	38.6	30.4	(X)	38.0	31.3	(X)	41.0	29.1	(X)
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 147	298	13.9	1 576	181	11.5	487	108	22.1
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 269	88	6.9	909	55	6.0	303	31	10.3
27 TO 39 WEEKS	256	42	16.4	183	22	11.8	67	19	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	213	31	14.5	156	19	12.4	50	11	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	228	72	31.6	177	40	22.3	40	27	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	180	65	36.2	150	45	30.3	28	19	(B)
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	1 112	211	19.0	983	144	14.7	97	60	61.9
OTHER	679	170	25.1	481	94	19.4	180	70	38.8
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	2 777	1 036	37.3	2 240	636	28.4	443	361	81.6
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	2 552	888	34.8	2 119	570	26.9	348	283	81.4
OTHER	225	148	65.8	122	66	53.7	94	78	82.6
<b>WOMEN WITH CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY</b>									
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	16 930	2 399	14.2	14 171	1 570	11.1	2 234	726	32.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	12 239	1 034	8.5	10 325	720	7.0	1 563	282	18.1
40 TO 49 WEEKS	7 993	407	5.1	6 624	273	4.1	1 122	122	10.9
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 260	102	8.1	1 094	72	6.5	127	28	21.8
14 TO 26 WEEKS	941	117	12.5	86	93	10.5	26	26	28.3
13 WEEKS OR LESS	1 024	183	17.9	900	122	13.6	106	54	50.6
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	1 020	225	22.0	885	167	18.9	114	52	45.6
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	43.5	33.9	(X)	43.2	33.4	(X)	44.9	35.3	(X)
50 TO 52 WEEKS	8 466	559	6.6	6 909	376	5.4	1 295	170	13.1
40 TO 49 WEEKS	6 337	243	3.8	5 106	155	3.0	1 021	87	8.5
27 TO 39 WEEKS	773	47	6.1	656	27	4.1	63	10	18.5
14 TO 26 WEEKS	489	62	12.6	414	51	12.3	63	10	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	485	100	20.6	421	70	16.7	56	26	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	382	107	28.0	312	73	23.5	61	29	(B)
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	2 067	247	11.9	1 908	199	10.4	116	37	32.2
OTHER	2 179	381	17.5	1 793	247	13.8	325	122	37.7
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	4 691	1 364	29.1	3 845	850	22.1	671	443	66.1
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	3 726	857	23.0	3 234	579	17.9	369	233	63.1
OTHER	965	508	52.6	611	271	44.3	302	210	69.7

**Table 21. Working Mothers—Poverty Status in 1984 of Women With Own Children Under 18 Years, by Work Experience, Age of Children, Type of Family, and Race—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. WOMEN AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE AND TYPE OF FAMILY	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
SPOUSE IN MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS									
TOTAL	24 210	2 218	9.2	21 565	1 806	8.4	1 822	285	15.7
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	16 285	884	5.4	14 421	753	5.2	1 343	90	6.7
SPOUSE DID NOT WORK	4 07	107	26.3	3 17	88	27.7	62	17	(B)
50 TO 52 WEEKS	9 170	299	3.3	7 949	253	3.2	887	32	3.6
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 843	73	4.0	1 636	58	3.5	157	11	7.3
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 609	86	5.4	1 454	76	5.2	116	9	7.8
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 766	153	8.7	1 655	133	8.1	72	10	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	1 896	272	14.4	1 728	233	13.5	110	27	24.4
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	40.7	30.1	(X)	40.3	29.9	(X)	44.1	31.8	(X)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	10 218	442	4.3	8 721	359	4.1	1 113	54	4.9
50 TO 52 WEEKS	6 823	161	2.4	5 714	130	2.3	827	25	3.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 123	34	3.1	973	25	2.6	117	6	5.5
27 TO 39 WEEKS	826	51	6.2	715	44	6.1	90	7	7.3
14 TO 26 WEEKS	777	78	10.1	723	66	9.2	26	3	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	669	117	17.5	596	94	15.7	53	13	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	4 272	355	8.3	3 992	307	7.7	173	31	17.8
OTHER	2 844	230	8.1	2 481	194	7.8	282	26	9.4
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	7 925	1 334	16.8	7 144	1 053	14.7	479	196	40.8
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	7 223	1 137	15.7	6 604	912	13.8	364	155	42.6
OTHER	702	197	28.0	540	141	26.0	115	40	35.2
WOMEN WITH CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY									
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	6 668	637	9.6	6 027	535	8.9	407	69	16.8
SPOUSE DID NOT WORK	4 410	253	5.7	3 973	220	5.5	294	22	7.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	55	13	(B)	44	12	(B)	5	-	(B)
40 TO 49 WEEKS	2 052	42	2.1	1 816	34	1.9	162	2	1.4
27 TO 39 WEEKS	537	13	2.5	488	13	2.8	35	-	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	552	32	5.8	502	30	6.0	36	2	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	591	52	8.8	557	49	8.8	21	2	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	679	114	16.7	610	93	15.3	40	16	(B)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	37.6	22.0	(X)	37.4	22.2	(X)	40.3	(B)	(X)
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 797	126	4.5	2 451	106	4.3	242	11	4.7
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 576	29	1.8	1 357	23	1.7	156	2	1.5
27 TO 39 WEEKS	370	5	1.4	331	5	1.5	28	-	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	313	20	6.5	276	18	6.6	29	2	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	268	25	9.3	246	24	9.7	11	-	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	271	47	17.5	241	36	14.8	18	7	(B)
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	1 503	144	9.6	1 400	128	9.1	62	12	(B)
OTHER	855	68	7.9	757	58	7.7	71	7	(B)
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	2 258	383	17.0	2 054	315	15.3	112	47	41.5
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	2 097	334	15.9	1 936	281	14.5	79	34	43.0
OTHER	161	49	30.6	118	34	29.1	34	13	(B)
WOMEN WITH CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS									
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	5 048	717	14.2	4 384	565	12.9	475	112	23.7
SPOUSE DID NOT WORK	2 924	261	8.9	2 478	209	8.4	336	39	11.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	67	34	(B)	44	24	(B)	17	9	(B)
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 448	97	6.7	1 182	79	6.7	202	16	8.0
27 TO 39 WEEKS	341	20	6.0	279	12	4.3	55	7	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	336	23	6.8	296	21	6.9	30	1	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	395	52	13.1	352	41	11.5	28	6	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	403	68	16.9	368	57	15.4	21	9	(B)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	38.6	31.7	(X)	37.9	31.4	(X)	43.8	(B)	(X)
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 682	142	8.4	1 320	104	7.9	281	28	10.1
40 TO 49 WEEKS	995	51	5.1	749	34	4.6	191	15	7.6
27 TO 39 WEEKS	195	12	6.0	149	7	4.4	41	4	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	183	17	9.2	150	15	9.7	25	1	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	176	31	17.8	154	24	15.5	12	3	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	133	31	23.5	118	25	21.2	12	5	(B)
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	971	99	10.2	896	82	9.1	43	11	(B)
OTHER	505	65	12.8	399	48	12.0	91	12	12.9
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	2 124	457	21.5	1 906	356	18.7	139	74	53.1
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	2 022	415	20.5	1 829	327	17.9	119	63	53.4
OTHER	102	42	40.8	77	29	37.5	20	10	(B)
WOMEN WITH CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY									
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	12 495	864	6.9	11 155	706	6.3	940	104	11.1
SPOUSE DID NOT WORK	8 952	370	4.1	7 971	324	4.1	712	29	4.1
50 TO 52 WEEKS	285	60	20.9	228	52	22.6	40	8	(B)
40 TO 49 WEEKS	5 670	159	2.8	4 951	139	2.8	523	14	2.6
27 TO 39 WEEKS	966	39	4.1	869	32	3.7	67	5	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	721	32	4.4	656	26	3.9	50	6	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	780	49	6.3	746	44	5.9	23	2	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	814	90	11.1	749	83	11.1	49	2	(B)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	42.9	34.6	(X)	42.5	34.2	(X)	45.9	(B)	(X)
50 TO 52 WEEKS	5 739	173	3.0	4 949	148	3.0	590	14	2.4
40 TO 49 WEEKS	4 252	81	1.9	3 608	72	2.0	479	8	1.6
27 TO 39 WEEKS	558	18	3.2	493	13	2.7	48	2	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	330	14	4.3	289	11	3.8	36	3	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	333	22	6.5	323	19	5.8	4	-	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS	265	38	14.4	237	33	14.0	23	1	(B)
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	1 798	113	6.3	1 696	97	5.7	69	8	(B)
OTHER	1 483	98	6.6	1 324	88	6.6	120	7	33.0
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	3 543	494	13.9	3 184	382	12.0	227	75	61.1
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	3 104	388	12.5	2 838	304	10.7	167	58	34.7
OTHER	439	106	24.1	346	78	22.5	61	17	(B)

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. WOMEN AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE AND TYPE OF FAMILY	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>FEMALE FAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS, NO HUSBAND PRESENT WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	6 006	2 822	47.0	3 922	1 571	40.0	1 942	1 183	60.9
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	4 088	1 145	28.0	2 841	668	23.5	1 164	459	39.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 712	362	13.4	1 907	194	10.2	747	163	21.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	400	129	32.3	291	73	25.3	105	53	50.8
27 TO 39 WEEKS	260	123	47.1	192	85	44.3	63	34	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	376	259	69.0	254	154	60.5	132	100	76.1
13 WEEKS OR LESS	340	272	79.9	217	162	74.7	119	108	91.3
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	43.5	31.5	(X)	44.0	30.8	(X)	42.2	32.3	(X)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	3 265	641	19.6	2 272	357	15.7	926	278	30.1
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 392	220	9.2	1 683	107	6.4	656	111	17.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	294	77	26.3	210	40	19.1	81	35	43.0
27 TO 39 WEEKS	182	67	36.7	135	49	36.1	44	18	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	226	146	64.8	137	85	62.0	85	60	70.8
13 WEEKS OR LESS	171	131	76.6	107	76	71.2	60	54	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	467	317	67.8	349	215	61.6	111	99	89.2
OTHER	910	466	51.2	584	259	44.3	307	198	64.4
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	1 918	1 677	87.4	1 082	903	83.4	778	724	93.1
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	1 297	1 145	88.3	774	654	84.5	484	458	94.6
OTHER	621	532	85.7	308	249	80.8	295	267	90.6
<b>WOMEN WITH CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY</b>	1 144	702	61.3	740	422	57.0	380	268	70.5
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	702	282	40.1	480	177	36.8	210	103	49.1
50 TO 52 WEEKS	377	64	16.9	247	27	11.1	120	35	29.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS	89	39	44.2	62	24	(B)	25	14	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	42	24	(B)	33	17	(B)	9	7	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	97	67	68.8	73	52	(B)	23	15	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	97	88	90.8	65	56	(B)	32	32	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	39.6	28.1	(X)	39.2	26.0	(X)	40.1	31.4	(X)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	509	142	27.9	341	83	24.3	155	57	36.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	319	31	9.8	209	10	4.8	100	20	20.1
40 TO 49 WEEKS	61	22	(B)	44	16	(B)	16	4	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	31	13	(B)	25	10	(B)	5	3	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	57	38	(B)	38	24	(B)	18	14	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	41	37	(B)	25	22	(B)	15	15	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	136	100	73.3	103	71	68.7	32	29	(B)
OTHER	189	119	62.7	129	78	60.5	58	39	(B)
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	442	420	95.0	260	245	94.2	170	165	97.0
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	350	334	95.4	209	198	94.8	131	127	97.1
OTHER	92	86	93.5	51	47	(B)	39	37	(B)
<b>WOMEN WITH CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS</b>	1 067	761	71.3	575	385	66.8	473	363	76.7
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	537	261	48.6	307	137	44.6	225	122	54.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	282	67	23.7	176	43	24.6	103	24	22.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	61	37	(B)	36	20	(B)	23	16	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	44	25	(B)	20	13	(B)	24	12	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	77	70	90.7	35	31	(B)	41	37	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	73	63	(B)	39	29	(B)	34	34	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	39.1	29.9	(X)	40.6	32.2	(X)	37.0	27.3	(X)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	381	143	37.7	210	69	33.1	167	74	44.1
50 TO 52 WEEKS	231	36	15.7	137	19	14.2	91	17	18.4
40 TO 49 WEEKS	52	30	(B)	29	15	(B)	22	15	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	24	11	(B)	4	3	(B)	20	8	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	41	37	(B)	19	16	(B)	22	21	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	33	29	(B)	21	16	(B)	13	13	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	108	97	89.8	63	53	(B)	44	44	(B)
OTHER	146	97	66.3	67	41	(B)	77	54	70.7
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	530	500	94.3	269	248	92.2	248	240	96.8
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	429	408	95.1	233	216	92.9	186	182	97.5
OTHER	101	92	91.2	36	31	(B)	62	59	(B)
<b>WOMEN WITH CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY</b>	3 795	1 359	35.8	2 607	764	29.3	1 090	553	50.7
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	2 849	602	21.1	2 054	355	17.3	730	234	32.0
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 053	232	11.3	1 484	123	8.3	523	104	19.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	250	53	21.2	192	29	15.1	56	23	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	174	74	42.5	138	55	39.8	29	15	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	202	123	60.8	127	71	55.9	68	48	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	170	120	70.7	114	77	67.7	53	43	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	45.4	33.8	(X)	45.7	32.6	(X)	44.5	35.3	(X)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	2 376	356	15.0	1 721	205	11.9	604	148	24.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 843	152	8.3	1 336	78	5.8	465	74	16.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	181	25	13.8	137	9	6.3	43	15	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	128	43	33.6	106	36	33.8	19	7	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	128	71	55.5	81	45	55.9	45	26	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	96	64	67.0	61	38	(B)	32	26	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	273	120	53.9	183	92	50.3	34	25	(B)
OTHER	574	290	43.6	388	140	36.0	173	104	60.3
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	946	757	80.1	553	410	74.1	360	319	88.6
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	518	404	77.9	332	240	72.1	166	146	89.4
OTHER	428	354	82.7	221	170	77.0	194	171	88.0



**Table 22. Own Children—Poverty Status in 1984 of Own Children Under 18 Years, by Age, Type of Family, and Work Experience and Race of Mother**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. OWN CHILDREN AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE OF MOTHER AND TYPE OF FAMILY	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>ALL OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	59 200	12 346	20.9	48 603	7 920	16.3	8 570	3 940	46.0
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	37 607	4 577	12.2	31 264	3 105	9.9	5 122	1 329	26.0
50 TO 52 WEEKS	20 972	1 476	7.0	17 070	989	5.8	3 123	448	14.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	4 181	447	10.7	3 526	293	8.3	542	134	24.8
27 TO 39 WEEKS	3 683	498	13.5	3 195	356	11.1	389	128	33.0
14 TO 26 WEEKS	4 199	908	21.6	3 593	594	16.5	499	274	54.8
13 WEEKS OR LESS	4 573	1 248	27.3	3 880	873	22.5	570	345	60.6
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	40.4	30.8	(X)	30.5	(X)		41.7	31.2	(X)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	24 113	2 496	10.3	19 131	1 579	8.3	4 096	837	20.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	15 925	871	5.5	12 437	513	4.1	2 831	338	11.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	2 584	259	10.0	2 099	159	7.6	412	88	21.4
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 963	300	15.3	1 608	210	13.0	309	87	28.0
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 931	507	26.2	1 587	322	20.3	276	158	57.2
13 WEEKS OR LESS	1 710	959	32.7	1 399	375	26.8	267	166	62.0
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	9 443	1 564	16.6	8 508	1 149	13.5	704	359	51.0
OTHER	7 193	1 538	21.4	5 686	968	17.0	1 295	523	40.4
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	21 593	7 769	36.0	17 339	4 815	27.8	3 448	2 611	75.7
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	18 852	6 163	32.7	15 772	4 055	25.7	2 422	1 843	76.1
OTHER	2 741	1 606	58.6	1 567	760	48.5	1 026	768	74.9
<b>CHILDREN UNDER 3 YEARS</b>	10 404	2 420	23.3	8 539	1 539	18.0	1 504	788	52.4
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	5 998	833	13.9	5 033	565	11.2	780	239	30.6
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 523	165	6.5	2 096	105	5.0	338	52	15.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	752	69	9.2	624	42	6.7	109	25	23.1
27 TO 39 WEEKS	780	92	11.8	680	67	9.8	85	23	27.8
14 TO 26 WEEKS	887	172	19.4	754	123	16.3	102	40	38.9
13 WEEKS OR LESS	1 055	334	31.7	879	229	26.0	145	98	67.6
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	36.0	24.7	(X)	36.0	24.0	(X)	36.3	25.7	(X)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	3 750	445	11.9	3 039	287	9.4	575	136	23.6
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 920	105	5.5	1 544	62	4.0	302	36	11.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	828	43	8.1	728	22	6.0	83	16	18.8
27 TO 39 WEEKS	464	56	12.1	388	42	10.8	69	14	(8)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	411	80	19.5	333	50	15.1	57	23	(8)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	427	161	37.6	346	107	30.9	64	47	(8)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	2 167	392	18.1	1 921	293	15.3	192	90	46.7
OTHER	1 309	276	21.1	1 017	167	16.4	249	97	38.9
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	4 406	1 587	36.0	3 506	974	27.8	724	549	75.8
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	3 987	1 343	33.7	3 295	872	26.5	530	412	77.8
OTHER	420	245	58.3	211	101	48.0	194	137	70.6
<b>CHILDREN 3 TO 5 YEARS</b>	10 191	2 411	23.7	8 375	1 601	19.1	1 466	720	49.1
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	5 952	833	14.0	4 899	576	11.7	841	228	27.1
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 976	237	8.0	2 352	162	6.9	486	66	13.6
40 TO 49 WEEKS	650	85	13.0	558	58	10.4	80	23	28.4
27 TO 39 WEEKS	644	86	13.4	552	62	11.3	75	22	29.9
14 TO 26 WEEKS	791	183	23.2	669	120	18.0	104	55	53.1
13 WEEKS OR LESS	891	242	27.1	769	173	22.4	96	62	64.3
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	38.3	29.3	(X)	37.7	29.0	(X)	40.8	29.9	(X)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	3 621	463	12.8	2 801	297	10.6	670	146	21.6
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 193	136	6.2	1 637	81	4.9	446	49	11.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	408	60	14.8	339	41	12.1	62	17	(8)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	321	57	17.7	250	39	15.4	60	16	(8)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	374	113	30.3	301	72	23.8	60	36	(8)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	325	97	29.7	274	65	23.9	42	27	(8)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	1 804	323	17.9	1 639	239	14.6	126	77	60.8
OTHER	1 171	273	23.3	909	174	19.1	228	85	37.3
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	4 240	1 578	37.2	3 476	1 026	29.5	625	492	78.8
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	3 838	1 338	34.9	3 250	914	28.1	467	373	79.8
OTHER	402	240	59.8	226	112	49.5	158	119	75.6
<b>CHILDREN 6 TO 14 YEARS</b>	28 725	5 915	20.6	23 512	3 736	15.9	4 229	1 947	46.1
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	18 820	2 276	12.1	15 571	1 517	9.7	2 634	692	26.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	11 046	799	7.2	8 960	528	5.9	1 685	255	15.1
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 995	229	11.5	1 666	145	8.7	267	71	26.5
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 744	249	14.3	1 510	175	11.6	182	66	36.3
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 995	453	22.7	1 720	293	17.1	229	143	62.3
13 WEEKS OR LESS	2 039	546	26.8	1 715	376	21.9	272	158	58.1
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	41.3	32.2	(X)	41.0	32.1	(X)	42.6	32.6	(X)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	12 063	1 255	10.4	9 487	779	8.2	2 136	445	20.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS	8 315	460	5.5	6 441	261	4.0	1 533	195	12.7
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 170	132	11.3	933	75	8.1	198	49	24.5
27 TO 39 WEEKS	908	145	16.0	745	101	13.5	141	42	29.6
14 TO 26 WEEKS	910	261	28.7	761	169	22.2	123	81	66.2
13 WEEKS OR LESS	760	257	33.8	606	172	28.4	141	78	55.4
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	4 282	697	16.3	3 850	505	13.1	320	160	50.1
OTHER	3 491	780	22.3	2 780	484	17.5	630	277	44.0
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	9 905	3 639	36.7	7 941	2 219	27.9	1 594	1 255	78.7
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	8 547	2 803	32.8	7 153	1 828	25.6	1 101	858	77.9
OTHER	1 358	836	61.6	789	391	49.6	493	397	80.5

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. OWN CHILDREN AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE OF MOTHER AND TYPE OF FAMILY	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
ALL OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS--CONTINUED									
CHILDREN 15 TO 17 YEARS . . . . .	9 880	1 601	16.2	8 177	1 044	12.8	1 372	485	35.3
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR . . . . .	6 838	636	9.3	5 761	448	7.8	867	170	19.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	4 426	275	6.2	3 662	194	5.3	613	75	12.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	783	65	8.3	678	48	7.0	85	16	18.3
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	515	71	13.6	453	53	11.7	47	16	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	526	100	18.9	450	57	12.7	65	36	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	588	126	21.4	518	96	18.6	57	27	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED . . . . .	43.5	35.4	(X)	43.2	35.6	(X)	44.9	35.2	(X)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME . . . . .	4 680	333	7.1	3 805	217	5.7	715	110	15.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	3 496	170	4.8	2 815	110	3.9	550	58	10.6
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	478	24	5.1	400	17	4.4	69	7	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	271	43	15.8	224	28	12.7	40	14	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	237	52	22.0	192	30	15.8	37	18	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	197	44	22.4	173	31	17.7	19	13	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS . . . . .									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	1 190	152	12.8	1 098	112	10.2	66	32	(B)
OTHER . . . . .	1 222	210	17.1	1 001	143	14.3	188	63	33.7
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR . . . . .	3 042	964	31.7	2 416	597	24.7	504	314	62.3
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	2 481	679	27.4	2 075	441	21.2	323	199	61.6
OTHER . . . . .	561	285	50.8	341	156	45.7	182	115	63.5
OWN CHILDREN IN MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES									
TOTAL . . . . .	46 128	5 464	11.8	40 676	4 348	10.7	3 738	796	21.3
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR . . . . .	29 592	1 990	6.7	25 975	1 675	6.5	2 575	224	8.7
SPOUSE DID NOT WORK . . . . .	7 339	268	36.2	580	222	38.3	111	40	36.0
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	16 118	677	4.2	13 780	572	4.2	1 664	79	4.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	3 376	184	5.4	2 954	137	4.6	320	31	9.7
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	3 082	193	6.3	2 790	168	6.0	209	20	9.7
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	3 220	327	9.9	3 096	285	9.2	146	19	13.3
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	3 697	610	16.5	3 355	513	15.3	236	74	31.3
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED . . . . .	40.1	30.4	(X)	39.6	30.3	(X)	43.7	31.4	(X)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME . . . . .	17 913	1 004	5.6	15 012	787	5.2	2 151	156	7.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	11 705	360	3.1	9 565	274	2.9	1 557	70	4.5
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	1 977	90	4.6	1 670	65	3.9	242	16	6.7
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	1 542	124	8.0	1 331	102	7.7	175	18	10.3
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	1 415	180	12.7	1 303	153	11.7	61	9	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	1 273	249	19.6	1 123	193	17.2	118	43	36.0
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS . . . . .									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	8 325	799	9.6	7 760	677	8.7	355	73	20.5
OTHER . . . . .	5 149	515	10.0	4 434	426	9.6	556	72	12.9
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR . . . . .	16 535	3 474	21.0	14 702	2 673	18.2	1 163	572	49.2
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	15 273	3 057	20.0	13 755	2 390	17.4	949	481	50.7
OTHER . . . . .	1 262	417	33.0	947	283	29.9	215	91	42.6
CHILDREN UNDER 3 YEARS . . . . .	8 376	1 123	13.4	7 467	909	12.2	596	148	24.8
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR . . . . .	5 037	407	8.1	4 475	338	7.6	401	48	11.9
SPOUSE DID NOT WORK . . . . .	63	26	(B)	52	20	(B)	8	5	(B)
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	2 156	79	3.7	1 877	64	3.4	198	8	3.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	635	26	4.1	556	20	3.6	61	4	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	702	46	6.6	637	42	6.6	51	4	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	726	82	11.3	665	71	10.7	39	5	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	818	174	21.3	739	141	19.1	51	27	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED . . . . .	36.5	23.4	(X)	36.2	23.4	(X)	39.5	(B)	(X)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME . . . . .	3 117	218	7.0	2 666	167	6.3	332	33	9.9
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	1 612	52	3.2	1 355	38	2.8	151	8	(B)
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	446	16	3.6	377	11	2.8	53	4	4.0
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	409	30	7.3	356	26	7.3	46	4	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	334	42	12.5	301	35	11.5	18	3	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	316	78	24.7	277	58	20.8	25	14	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS . . . . .									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	1 891	211	11.2	1 753	182	10.4	92	20	21.5
OTHER . . . . .	990	117	11.8	845	92	10.9	110	20	18.3
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR . . . . .	3 340	716	21.4	2 992	571	19.1	195	100	51.3
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	3 169	649	20.5	2 869	531	18.5	157	75	47.8
OTHER . . . . .	170	67	39.4	123	40	32.3	38	25	(B)
CHILDREN 3 TO 5 YEARS . . . . .	7 940	1 053	13.3	7 012	852	12.1	623	142	22.8
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR . . . . .	4 703	355	7.6	4 086	300	7.3	429	40	9.2
SPOUSE DID NOT WORK . . . . .	98	41	41.4	74	33	(B)	17	6	(B)
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	2 324	122	5.3	1 921	101	5.2	275	15	5.6
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	493	20	4.1	440	17	3.8	44	3	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	558	36	6.4	494	30	6.0	46	4	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	605	59	9.7	563	52	9.2	28	4	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	723	118	16.3	668	102	15.2	35	13	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED . . . . .	38.0	29.3	(X)	37.3	28.8	(X)	43.4	(B)	(X)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME . . . . .	2 708	186	6.9	2 215	149	6.7	363	27	7.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . . . .	1 649	67	4.1	1 286	49	3.8	263	14	5.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS . . . . .	280	10	3.5	244	10	4.0	31	-	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS . . . . .	265	27	10.3	217	21	9.7	38	4	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS . . . . .	257	34	13.1	235	30	13.0	14	1	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS . . . . .	257	47	18.5	233	39	16.8	18	8	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS . . . . .									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	1 581	153	9.7	1 486	131	8.8	57	15	(B)
OTHER . . . . .	798	80	10.0	680	68	10.0	97	9	9.4
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR . . . . .	3 237	697	21.5	2 925	552	18.9	194	102	52.6
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE . . . . .	3 050	632	20.7	2 788	506	18.2	158	89	56.3
OTHER . . . . .	187	65	35.0	137	45	33.0	37	13	(B)

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS, OWN CHILDREN AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT.)

WORK EXPERIENCE OF MOTHER AND TYPE OF FAMILY	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>OWN CHILDREN IN MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES</b>									
<b>--CONTINUED</b>									
CHILDREN 6 TO 14 YEARS.	22 179	2 566	11.6	19 505	2 034	10.4	1 839	377	20.5
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	14 573	949	6.5	12 754	809	6.3	1 294	97	7.5
SPOUSE DID NOT WORK	361	146	40.4	285	125	44.0	54	18	(8)
50 TO 52 WEEKS	8 299	344	4.1	7 093	302	4.3	865	34	3.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 610	102	6.3	1 394	74	5.3	158	17	10.5
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 407	90	6.4	1 279	80	6.3	83	8	9.9
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 504	164	10.9	1 495	144	9.6	65	9	(8)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	1 663	299	15.0	1 492	208	14.0	122	29	24.0
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	40.9	32.2	(X)	40.4	32.3	(X)	44.1	32.4	(X)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	8 680	475	5.5	7 225	377	5.2	1 080	69	6.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	5 908	169	2.9	4 816	137	2.8	804	28	3.5
40 TO 49 WEEKS	884	52	5.8	733	34	4.6	115	10	8.5
27 TO 39 WEEKS	668	55	8.3	584	48	8.2	65	6	(8)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	665	94	14.2	619	81	13.0	25	5	(8)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	555	105	18.9	473	78	16.5	71	21	(8)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	3 775	347	9.2	3 503	292	8.3	168	29	17.5
OTHER	2 499	258	10.3	2 157	215	10.0	261	34	12.9
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	7 606	1 617	21.3	6 751	1 225	18.1	545	280	51.4
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	6 974	1 405	20.1	6 271	1 083	17.3	447	237	53.0
OTHER	631	212	33.6	480	141	29.4	98	43	44.0
CHILDREN 15 TO 17 YEARS.	7 633	723	9.5	6 693	554	8.3	680	129	19.0
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	5 280	279	5.3	4 660	229	4.9	451	40	8.8
SPOUSE DID NOT WORK	55	55	25.4	169	44	25.8	32	11	(8)
50 TO 52 WEEKS	3 340	131	3.9	2 889	105	3.7	325	22	6.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	639	35	5.5	564	16	4.3	57	8	(8)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	416	20	4.9	380	18	4.7	26	4	(8)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	394	23	5.9	372	18	4.9	2	2	(8)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	492	69	14.0	456	62	13.6	28	5	(8)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	43.2	36.2	(X)	42.7	35.3	(X)	46.3	(8)	(X)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	3 408	125	3.7	2 906	93	3.2	376	26	7.0
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 536	72	2.8	2 129	50	2.3	298	20	6.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	368	13	3.5	316	11	3.3	44	2	(8)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	200	11	5.5	174	8	4.3	25	4	(8)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	159	11	6.6	148	7	4.8	4	-	(8)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	145	19	12.9	140	18	13.2	5	-	(8)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	1 078	87	8.1	1 019	72	7.0	38	9	(8)
OTHER	862	60	7.0	753	51	6.8	88	9	10.0
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	2 353	444	18.9	2 033	325	16.0	228	90	39.2
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	2 079	372	17.9	1 827	269	14.7	187	80	42.7
OTHER	273	72	26.3	206	57	27.4	42	10	(8)
OWN CHILDREN IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT									
TOTAL	13 073	6 882	52.6	7 926	3 572	45.1	4 832	3 144	65.1
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	8 015	2 587	32.3	5 289	1 430	27.0	2 547	1 105	43.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	4 854	799	16.5	3 290	417	12.7	1 459	368	25.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS	805	264	32.8	572	156	27.4	221	103	46.7
27 TO 39 WEEKS	601	306	50.8	405	188	46.3	180	108	60.1
14 TO 26 WEEKS	879	581	66.1	498	308	62.0	354	254	72.0
13 WEEKS OR LESS	876	638	72.8	525	360	68.6	334	271	81.3
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	41.6	31.0	(X)	42.5	30.8	(X)	39.8	31.2	(X)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	6 201	1 492	24.1	4 118	793	19.3	1 945	681	35.0
50 TO 52 WEEKS	4 220	511	12.1	2 852	240	8.4	1 275	268	21.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	607	169	27.8	430	94	22.0	169	72	42.4
27 TO 39 WEEKS	420	177	42.0	277	107	38.8	136	69	50.5
14 TO 26 WEEKS	516	327	63.2	284	169	59.3	216	149	69.0
13 WEEKS OR LESS	437	309	70.8	276	182	66.2	149	123	82.7
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	1 118	765	68.5	748	472	63.0	349	286	82.0
OTHER	2 044	1 023	50.1	1 251	541	43.3	739	451	61.0
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	5 058	4 295	84.9	2 637	2 142	81.2	2 285	2 038	89.2
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	3 579	3 106	86.8	2 018	1 665	82.5	1 473	1 362	92.4
OTHER	1 479	1 190	80.4	620	477	77.0	811	677	83.4
CHILDREN UNDER 3 YEARS.	2 028	1 297	64.0	1 072	630	58.7	908	640	70.5
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	961	425	44.2	558	227	40.7	379	191	50.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	367	86	23.3	218	41	18.7	140	44	31.5
40 TO 49 WEEKS	118	43	36.8	66	22	(8)	49	21	(8)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	78	46	58.6	43	25	(8)	33	19	(8)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	161	90	56.0	90	51	57.5	63	35	(8)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	237	160	67.5	139	88	63.1	94	72	75.9
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	33.4	25.8	(X)	33.8	24.8	(X)	32.9	27.0	(X)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	633	227	35.8	373	120	32.2	243	102	42.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	308	53	17.1	188	24	12.7	111	28	25.1
40 TO 49 WEEKS	82	27	32.4	51	15	(8)	30	11	(8)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	55	26	(8)	32	16	(8)	22	10	(8)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	77	39	49.9	32	16	(8)	39	20	(8)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	111	83	74.4	69	49	(8)	40	33	(8)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	276	181	65.6	168	111	66.0	100	70	69.8
OTHER	319	159	49.8	172	75	43.7	139	77	55.3
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	1 067	872	81.7	514	403	78.4	529	449	84.9
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	817	694	84.9	426	341	80.1	373	337	90.3
OTHER	249	178	71.3	88	61	70.0	156	112	71.9

**Table 22. Own Children—Poverty Status in 1984 of Own Children Under 18 Years, by Age, Type of Family, and Work Experience and Race of Mother—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. OWN CHILDREN AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE OF MOTHER AND TYPE OF FAMILY	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>OWN CHILDREN IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT--CONTINUED</b>									
CHILDREN 3 TO 5 YEARS	2 252	1 358	60.3	1 363	750	55.0	843	579	68.6
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	1 249	477	38.2	813	276	33.9	412	188	45.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS	653	115	17.6	431	62	14.4	211	51	24.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	158	64	40.7	118	42	35.2	36	20	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	86	50	58.6	57	32	(B)	29	18	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	186	125	67.2	105	69	65.1	75	51	68.4
13 WEEKS OR LESS	167	124	73.8	101	71	70.2	61	48	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	39.3	29.3	(X)	40.1	29.2	(X)	38.0	29.6	(X)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	913	277	30.4	586	148	25.3	307	119	38.6
50 TO 52 WEEKS	545	69	12.7	351	32	9.0	183	35	19.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	128	50	39.4	95	31	32.9	31	17	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	55	29	(B)	33	17	(B)	22	12	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	117	80	68.2	67	41	(B)	46	35	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	68	49	(B)	40	26	(B)	24	20	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	223	170	76.1	153	108	70.4	69	62	(B)
OTHER	373	193	51.7	229	106	46.2	132	76	57.8
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	1 002	881	87.9	550	474	86.1	431	390	90.6
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	788	706	89.6	462	408	88.2	310	284	91.8
OTHER	215	175	81.4	88	66	75.3	121	106	87.4
CHILDREN 6 TO 14 YEARS	6 546	3 349	51.2	4 007	1 703	42.5	2 389	1 570	65.7
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	4 247	1 327	31.2	2 817	708	25.1	1 340	595	44.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 747	1 455	52.9	1 867	226	12.1	819	221	27.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	386	127	32.9	272	71	25.2	108	54	50.0
27 TO 39 WEEKS	338	159	47.0	230	94	40.8	99	58	58.7
14 TO 26 WEEKS	400	290	72.3	225	150	66.5	164	134	81.5
13 WEEKS OR LESS	376	297	79.1	223	167	75.1	150	129	85.7
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	43.0	32.3	(X)	43.8	31.8	(X)	41.2	32.7	(X)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	3 383	780	23.1	2 262	402	17.8	1 056	375	35.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 407	291	12.1	1 626	124	7.6	728	167	22.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	287	80	28.0	200	41	20.7	73	39	46.6
27 TO 39 WEEKS	240	90	37.3	161	53	33.0	86	36	47.2
14 TO 26 WEEKS	244	167	68.3	141	88	62.5	98	77	78.4
13 WEEKS OR LESS	205	152	74.1	134	95	70.8	70	57	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	507	350	69.0	347	213	61.3	152	131	86.0
OTHER	992	522	52.6	603	269	44.7	369	243	66.0
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	2 299	2 022	87.9	1 190	994	83.5	1 049	975	92.9
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	1 572	1 398	88.9	889	744	84.5	654	621	94.9
OTHER	727	624	85.8	309	250	80.9	395	354	89.6
CHILDREN 15 TO 17 YEARS	2 247	878	39.1	1 484	490	33.1	692	355	51.3
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	1 558	357	22.9	1 101	219	19.9	416	131	31.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 087	144	13.2	773	88	11.4	288	52	18.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS	144	29	20.4	114	21	18.9	28	8	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	99	50	50.9	74	37	(B)	20	13	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	132	76	57.9	78	39	50.0	51	35	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	96	57	59.9	62	34	(B)	28	23	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	44.8	34.8	(X)	45.4	35.9	(X)	43.3	32.9	(X)
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	1 271	208	16.4	898	123	13.7	340	84	24.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS	960	98	10.2	687	60	8.7	252	38	15.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	110	11	10.3	84	7	8.1	25	4	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	70	32	(B)	50	21	(B)	15	11	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	78	42	53.2	45	23	(B)	33	18	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	52	26	(B)	32	12	(B)	15	13	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	111	64	57.7	80	40	50.2	28	24	(B)
OTHER	360	149	41.5	248	91	36.8	100	55	54.5
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	690	521	75.5	383	271	70.8	276	224	81.4
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	402	307	76.5	248	172	69.4	136	119	87.5
OTHER	288	213	74.1	135	99	73.6	140	105	75.3

Table 23. Total Money Income of Families Below Poverty Level in 1984, by Presence of Related Children Under 18 Years, and Age, Race, and Spanish Origin of Householder

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS, FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1985, FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

Table with 13 columns: Income level, All Races (Total, Female Hholder, All Other), White (Total, Female Hholder, All Other), Black (Total, Female Hholder, All Other), Spanish Origin (Total, Female Hholder, All Other). Rows include ALL FAMILIES, HOUSEHOLDER WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME, FAMILIES WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, and FAMILIES WITH 1 OR MORE RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS. Each section includes income brackets from \$1 to \$20,000 and over, plus median/mean income and income per family member.

\*PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.



**Table 23. Total Money Income of Families Below Poverty Level in 1984, by Presence of Related Children Under 18 Years, and Age, Race, and Spanish Origin of Householder—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TOTAL MONEY INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK			SPANISH ORIGIN <sup>1</sup>		
	TOTAL	FEMALE HHLDR. NO HUSB. PRESENT	ALL OTHER	TOTAL	FEMALE HHLDR. NO HUSB. PRESENT	ALL OTHER	TOTAL	FEMALE HHLDR. NO HUSB. PRESENT	ALL OTHER	TOTAL	FEMALE HHLDR. NO HUSB. PRESENT	ALL OTHER
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 44 YEARS</b>												
TOTAL	3 886	2 091	1 795	2 591	1 159	1 432	1 145	889	255	599	304	295
NO INCOME OR LOSS	147	50	96	121	33	88	17	12	5	23	15	8
\$1 TO \$999	135	80	55	104	61	43	24	19	5	12	4	8
\$1,000 TO \$1,999	171	114	57	109	61	48	56	51	6	28	18	10
\$2,000 TO \$2,999	296	216	80	175	113	63	110	101	10	36	30	6
\$3,000 TO \$3,999	401	314	87	228	165	63	167	145	22	53	39	14
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	430	305	125	258	159	99	158	143	15	61	45	16
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	479	282	197	306	159	147	154	118	36	60	46	14
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	439	273	166	309	167	142	117	100	17	61	37	24
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	343	177	166	235	95	140	92	75	18	53	22	31
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	290	120	170	200	67	134	80	50	30	51	17	34
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	237	64	174	181	40	141	47	23	24	41	17	24
\$10,000 TO \$12,499	389	72	317	272	30	243	95	40	55	81	11	70
\$12,500 TO \$14,999	97	17	80	72	10	61	21	7	14	24	3	21
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	28	5	24	20	-	20	6	5	1	13	-	13
\$20,000 AND OVER	2	-	2	2	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	1
MEDIAN INCOME	5 756	4 885	7 203	5 983	4 919	7 174	5 253	4 818	7 709	6 437	5 009	8 485
MEAN INCOME	5 797	4 999	6 727	5 852	4 911	6 613	5 620	5 121	7 358	6 614	5 091	8 184
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER	1 448	1 409	1 485	1 478	1 470	1 483	1 390	1 344	1 516	1 454	1 301	1 572
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 45 TO 59 YEARS</b>												
TOTAL	1 364	526	838	913	241	671	384	261	123	167	78	89
NO INCOME OR LOSS	101	11	90	84	5	78	12	6	6	11	5	5
\$1 TO \$999	62	26	36	36	7	29	14	19	5	2	2	2
\$1,000 TO \$1,999	62	24	38	46	11	35	13	12	2	4	2	2
\$2,000 TO \$2,999	102	57	46	64	23	41	37	33	4	14	5	9
\$3,000 TO \$3,999	107	64	43	75	37	38	30	25	4	18	13	5
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	150	72	78	88	35	54	58	35	23	18	15	3
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	183	77	106	126	35	92	52	40	12	12	7	4
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	171	63	108	134	37	97	27	22	4	20	8	12
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	117	49	68	82	29	53	27	16	11	23	11	12
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	86	24	62	53	13	40	25	8	17	10	2	8
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	64	19	45	36	-	36	23	16	6	11	1	9
\$10,000 TO \$12,499	105	26	79	64	8	57	36	18	18	12	4	8
\$12,500 TO \$14,999	35	5	30	16	1	15	12	3	9	10	1	9
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	17	7	10	6	-	6	9	7	2	3	-	3
\$20,000 AND OVER	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
MEDIAN INCOME	5 533	5 107	5 842	5 495	5 103	5 643	5 340	4 999	7 082	6 258	4 757	7 323
MEAN INCOME	5 363	5 319	5 390	5 016	5 098	4 987	5 899	5 412	6 929	6 205	5 137	7 138
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER	1 478	1 583	1 419	1 496	1 758	1 419	1 431	1 437	1 421	1 493	1 579	1 443
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 60 TO 64 YEARS</b>												
TOTAL	396	115	281	299	61	238	86	49	36	29	11	19
NO INCOME OR LOSS	28	-	28	26	-	26	2	-	2	-	-	-
\$1 TO \$999	15	1	14	13	-	13	2	-	2	-	-	-
\$1,000 TO \$1,999	20	7	13	11	3	9	5	1	4	3	1	2
\$2,000 TO \$2,999	32	6	26	23	2	22	9	5	4	2	1	2
\$3,000 TO \$3,999	39	18	21	22	3	19	16	14	2	3	1	2
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	50	17	33	38	12	25	10	5	6	4	1	2
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	71	21	50	60	16	44	11	5	6	4	2	2
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	76	24	52	59	15	43	15	9	6	6	4	1
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	17	9	9	13	6	7	5	3	2	3	1	2
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	13	1	11	11	-	11	2	1	-	1	-	1
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	2	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	2	-	-	-
\$10,000 TO \$12,499	27	9	18	19	3	16	7	6	1	3	1	2
\$12,500 TO \$14,999	4	-	4	4	-	4	-	-	1	1	-	1
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
\$20,000 AND OVER	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MEDIAN INCOME	5 194	5 413	5 100	5 269	(B)	5 137	4 953	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEAN INCOME	4 822	5 645	4 485	4 690	(B)	4 433	5 409	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER	1 696	1 765	1 663	1 727	(B)	1 630	1 647	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER</b>												
TOTAL	713	209	503	515	119	396	188	86	102	58	17	41
NO INCOME OR LOSS	18	6	12	10	1	9	8	5	3	1	1	-
\$1 TO \$999	15	-	15	15	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000 TO \$1,999	20	3	17	16	1	14	4	2	2	2	-	2
\$2,000 TO \$2,999	44	14	30	33	9	24	11	5	6	3	3	6
\$3,000 TO \$3,999	69	23	46	47	13	34	21	9	11	4	2	2
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	121	51	70	95	35	60	26	16	10	13	6	6
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	208	47	161	158	30	127	48	15	33	19	2	16
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	115	29	86	88	15	73	22	12	11	8	1	7
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	44	17	27	19	4	15	25	13	11	2	1	2
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	14	3	10	9	3	6	5	5	3	3	1	2
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	10	6	4	7	5	2	3	2	1	1	-	1
\$10,000 TO \$12,499	22	6	15	12	-	12	10	6	3	2	-	2
\$12,500 TO \$14,999	10	3	7	7	1	4	4	1	3	2	-	2
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	2	1	1	1	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	-
\$20,000 AND OVER	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
MEDIAN INCOME	5 336	5 170	5 384	5 261	4 990	5 325	5 518	5 416	5 564	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEAN INCOME	5 295	5 315	5 287	5 107	5 165	5 089	5 735	5 447	5 980	(B)	(B)	(B)
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER	1 862	1 613	1 990	1 980	1 775	2 052	1 615	1 424	1 801	(B)	(B)	(B)

<sup>1</sup>PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

**Table 24. Total Money Income of Unrelated Individuals Below the Poverty Level in 1984, by Age, Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin**

NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS, UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT

TOTAL MONEY INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK			SPANISH ORIGIN <sup>1</sup>		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
<b>TOTAL</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	6 609	2 575	4 035	5 181	1 920	3 262	1 255	568	687	545	301	244
NO INCOME . . . . .	584	289	295	438	215	223	122	63	60	99	54	45
LOSS . . . . .	47	27	21	42	27	16	2	-	2	2	2	-
\$1 TO 999 . . . . .	591	305	285	458	219	239	110	70	39	55	38	17
\$1,000 TO 1,999 . . . . .	593	273	320	465	205	260	112	59	53	57	42	15
\$2,000 TO 2,999 . . . . .	813	343	470	631	251	381	157	78	80	78	45	34
\$3,000 TO 3,999 . . . . .	593	223	370	476	177	299	97	37	59	47	30	17
\$3,500 TO 3,999 . . . . .	970	298	672	738	199	539	219	94	124	55	24	31
\$4,000 TO 4,999 . . . . .	1 988	594	1 391	1 597	459	1 137	361	123	239	114	39	74
\$5,000 AND OVER . . . . .	434	223	211	336	169	167	74	44	31	38	28	10
MEDIAN INCOME . . . . . DOLLARS . . . . .	3 543	3 113	3 690	3 554	3 123	3 698	3 562	3 189	3 703	2 757	2 339	3 313
MEAN INCOME . . . . . DOLLARS . . . . .	2 951	2 662	3 136	2 971	2 649	3 161	2 937	2 743	3 098	2 475	2 282	2 712
<b>WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	362	222	140	321	200	120	27	16	11	45	31	15
NO INCOME . . . . .	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LOSS . . . . .	26	18	9	24	18	6	2	-	2	-	-	-
\$1 TO 999 . . . . .	34	23	11	33	23	10	-	-	-	4	3	2
\$1,000 TO 1,999 . . . . .	36	16	20	33	16	17	1	-	1	7	5	2
\$2,000 TO 2,999 . . . . .	43	27	15	40	26	14	2	2	-	5	3	2
\$3,000 TO 3,499 . . . . .	47	29	19	44	25	19	-	-	-	7	5	2
\$3,500 TO 3,999 . . . . .	17	13	4	9	7	2	8	7	2	1	-	-
\$4,000 TO 4,999 . . . . .	78	53	25	70	46	25	5	5	-	4	2	2
\$5,000 AND OVER . . . . .	80	42	39	68	40	29	8	2	6	17	13	4
MEDIAN INCOME . . . . . DOLLARS . . . . .	3 441	3 452	3 425	3 348	3 338	3 363	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEAN INCOME . . . . . DOLLARS . . . . .	2 671	2 606	2 776	2 627	2 475	2 879	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
<b>UNDER 25 YEARS</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	1 516	753	763	1 320	651	669	130	61	69	187	117	70
NO INCOME . . . . .	230	108	122	187	87	100	27	12	15	65	30	34
LOSS . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1 TO 999 . . . . .	204	111	93	168	83	85	24	17	6	28	24	4
\$1,000 TO 1,999 . . . . .	197	89	108	173	82	92	19	4	16	18	14	4
\$2,000 TO 2,999 . . . . .	218	109	109	190	94	96	17	8	9	15	11	4
\$3,000 TO 3,499 . . . . .	167	85	82	150	76	74	13	5	8	20	13	6
\$3,500 TO 3,999 . . . . .	140	66	74	129	59	70	4	3	1	16	10	7
\$4,000 TO 4,999 . . . . .	227	114	113	205	107	98	14	3	11	15	7	8
\$5,000 AND OVER . . . . .	133	71	62	116	62	54	12	8	4	12	9	2
MEDIAN INCOME . . . . . DOLLARS . . . . .	2 582	2 632	2 532	2 690	2 778	2 604	1 729	(B)	(B)	1 078	1 356	(B)
MEAN INCOME . . . . . DOLLARS . . . . .	2 420	2 464	2 377	2 478	2 550	2 408	1 990	(B)	(B)	1 724	1 838	(B)
<b>25 TO 44 YEARS</b>												
TOTAL . . . . .	1 457	877	580	1 058	604	453	337	242	94	158	111	48
NO INCOME . . . . .	147	84	63	96	52	44	42	28	14	21	14	7
LOSS . . . . .	23	15	9	21	15	6	-	-	-	1	1	-
\$1 TO 999 . . . . .	195	117	79	140	79	61	47	32	14	13	6	7
\$1,000 TO 1,999 . . . . .	199	116	83	148	80	68	45	33	11	30	22	8
\$2,000 TO 2,999 . . . . .	199	117	82	140	76	64	53	36	17	33	24	9
\$3,000 TO 3,499 . . . . .	124	67	58	91	44	47	26	22	4	16	13	3
\$3,500 TO 3,999 . . . . .	133	82	51	96	55	42	36	28	9	9	6	2
\$4,000 TO 4,999 . . . . .	281	167	113	212	122	90	61	42	19	16	7	10
\$5,000 AND OVER . . . . .	155	113	42	113	83	30	26	21	5	19	17	2
MEDIAN INCOME . . . . . DOLLARS . . . . .	2 821	2 917	2 684	2 884	3 009	2 735	2 658	2 756	2 447	2 431	2 495	(B)
MEAN INCOME . . . . . DOLLARS . . . . .	2 522	2 581	2 433	2 537	2 577	2 483	2 528	2 585	2 381	2 401	2 488	(B)

<sup>1</sup>PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.



**Table 24. Total Money Income of Unrelated Individuals Below the Poverty Level in 1984, by Age, Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TOTAL MONEY INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK			SPANISH ORIGIN <sup>1</sup>		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
<b>45 TO 59 YEARS</b>												
TOTAL	981	403	578	722	288	433	245	110	135	72	34	38
NO INCOME	138	75	63	101	59	41	37	15	22	13	9	3
LOSS	17	10	7	14	10	5	2	-	2	-	-	-
\$1 TO 999	112	52	60	85	37	48	27	15	12	11	8	3
\$1,000 TO 1,999	105	49	56	79	36	43	23	12	11	6	4	1
\$2,000 TO 2,999	124	48	76	98	38	60	26	10	15	10	6	4
\$3,000 TO 3,999	64	26	38	44	17	26	16	6	11	3	1	2
\$3,500 TO 3,999	136	32	104	93	21	72	40	11	29	5	2	3
\$4,000 TO 4,999	204	82	122	153	55	99	50	27	22	21	3	17
\$5,000 AND OVER	81	29	52	55	16	39	24	13	11	3	-	3
MEDIAN INCOME, DOLLARS	2 959	2 331	3 359	2 835	2 049	3 375	3 216	3 151	3 250	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	2 460	2 100	2 711	2 418	1 875	2 779	2 533	2 649	2 439	(B)	(B)	(B)
<b>60 TO 64 YEARS</b>												
TOTAL	532	140	391	395	91	304	125	45	80	41	8	33
NO INCOME	27	10	17	24	9	15	3	1	1	-	-	-
LOSS	3	-	3	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1 TO 999	40	13	27	37	11	25	3	2	1	2	-	2
\$1,000 TO 1,999	31	8	23	21	2	20	7	4	3	3	2	1
\$2,000 TO 2,999	89	25	63	64	17	47	20	8	12	13	2	11
\$3,000 TO 3,499	37	7	30	30	4	26	7	3	4	2	-	2
\$3,500 TO 3,999	90	28	61	55	13	42	34	15	20	7	-	7
\$4,000 TO 4,999	151	38	113	109	27	82	38	9	29	9	4	6
\$5,000 AND OVER	65	10	54	52	9	43	12	2	11	4	1	3
MEDIAN INCOME, DOLLARS	3 719	3 605	3 771	3 665	3 606	3 683	3 824	(B)	3 988	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	3 297	3 125	3 359	3 223	3 082	3 265	3 570	(B)	3 750	(B)	(B)	(B)
<b>65 YEARS AND OVER</b>												
TOTAL	2 123	401	1 722	1 688	285	1 402	417	109	308	86	30	55
NO INCOME	43	13	30	30	7	23	13	6	7	1	-	-
LOSS	4	2	2	4	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1 TO 999	39	12	27	29	9	20	9	3	6	1	-	1
\$1,000 TO 1,999	61	11	50	43	5	37	18	6	12	1	-	1
\$2,000 TO 2,999	183	43	140	139	26	113	42	14	27	7	2	5
\$3,000 TO 3,499	200	38	162	160	36	125	34	1	33	5	3	3
\$3,500 TO 3,999	472	89	382	365	51	314	103	38	66	18	6	12
\$4,000 TO 4,999	1 122	193	929	917	149	769	198	41	157	53	19	34
\$5,000 AND OVER	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MEDIAN INCOME, DOLLARS	4 053	3 957	4 073	4 080	4 042	4 088	3 951	3 823	4 021	4 186	(B)	(B)
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	3 765	3 611	3 801	3 807	3 670	3 835	3 611	3 462	3 664	3 974	(B)	(B)

<sup>1</sup>PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

**Table 25. Type of Income—Poverty Status in 1984 of Families and Unrelated Individuals, by Age, Sex, and Race of Family Householder or Unrelated Individual**

NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT

TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<u>NUMBER</u>									
<b>ALL FAMILIES</b>									
TOTAL									
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	62 706	7 277	11.6	54 400	4 925	9.1	6 778	2 094	30.9
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	53 482	4 343	8.1	46 724	3 101	6.6	5 401	1 089	20.2
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	51 392	3 923	7.6	44 742	2 719	6.1	5 340	1 066	20.0
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	7 942	729	9.2	7 481	637	8.5	274	58	21.1
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>2</sup>	53 766	5 745	10.7	47 400	3 855	8.1	5 107	1 692	33.1
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	14 494	1 343	9.3	12 827	933	7.3	1 447	389	26.9
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	3 590	2 724	75.9	2 075	1 528	73.6	1 371	1 092	79.7
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 606	558	34.7	1 050	296	28.2	513	246	47.7
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>3</sup>	9 042	862	9.5	7 820	619	7.9	1 036	219	21.1
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	42 357	1 581	3.7	39 125	1 358	3.5	2 240	162	7.2
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	15 963	1 176	7.4	14 243	824	5.8	1 402	307	21.9
NO INCOME	163	163	100.0	107	107	100.0	46	46	(B)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER UNDER 25 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	3 127	919	29.4	2 577	607	23.6	479	291	60.8
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	2 731	547	20.0	2 341	389	16.6	333	149	44.8
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	2 706	540	20.0	2 316	383	16.5	333	149	44.8
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	188	29	15.4	181	28	15.7	4	-	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	40	4	(B)	40	4	(B)	-	-	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>2</sup>	2 233	694	31.1	1 848	448	24.2	335	231	69.1
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	64	17	(F)	50	9	(B)	12	8	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	580	507	87.5	358	305	85.3	201	191	95.1
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	23	10	(B)	14	3	(B)	7	7	(B)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>3</sup>	506	78	15.4	446	51	11.6	56	24	(B)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1 303	124	9.5	1 199	107	8.9	79	16	20.3
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	489	123	25.1	409	83	20.4	63	38	(B)
NO INCOME	34	34	(B)	20	20	(B)	10	10	(B)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	49 773	5 646	11.3	42 964	3 803	8.9	5 470	1 615	29.5
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	46 470	3 599	7.7	40 618	2 577	6.3	4 626	880	19.0
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	44 871	3 224	7.2	39 111	2 235	5.7	4 578	863	18.8
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	7 069	673	9.5	6 650	585	8.8	247	54	22.1
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1 297	278	21.4	1 279	276	21.6	7	2	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>2</sup>	41 794	4 362	10.4	36 746	2 904	7.9	3 955	1 284	32.5
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	5 221	714	13.7	4 422	474	10.7	683	226	33.1
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	2 846	2 138	75.1	1 624	1 182	72.8	1 107	866	78.2
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	987	356	36.1	652	191	29.3	303	154	51.0
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>3</sup>	7 648	723	9.5	6 616	530	8.0	862	172	19.9
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	33 582	1 245	3.7	30 864	1 057	3.4	1 843	130	7.0
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	10 626	954	9.0	9 325	665	7.1	1 050	247	23.5
NO INCOME	116	116	100.0	81	81	100.0	29	29	(B)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL	9 806	713	7.3	8 859	515	5.8	829	188	22.7
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	4 282	197	4.6	3 765	134	3.6	442	59	13.4
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	3 816	158	4.2	3 315	101	3.1	428	54	12.6
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	685	27	4.0	650	24	3.7	23	3	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	207	27	13.0	197	23	11.9	8	3	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>2</sup>	9 739	689	7.1	8 806	502	5.7	817	177	21.7
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	9 209	612	6.6	8 355	450	5.4	753	155	20.6
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	165	78	47.5	94	41	43.7	63	35	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	596	191	32.1	383	102	26.5	202	85	41.9
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>3</sup>	888	61	6.9	758	38	5.0	118	23	20.0
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	7 472	212	2.8	7 061	194	2.7	318	16	5.0
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	4 848	99	2.0	4 508	75	1.7	289	22	7.7
NO INCOME	12	12	(B)	7	7	(B)	6	6	(B)

SEE FOOTNOTE(S) AT END OF TABLE.

**Table 25. Type of Income—Poverty Status in 1984 of Families and Unrelated Individuals, by Age, Sex, and Race of Family Householder or Unrelated Individual—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
NUMBER--CONTINUED									
<b>FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT</b>									
<b>TOTAL</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	10 129	3 498	34.5	6 941	1 878	27.1	2 964	1 533	51.7
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	7 849	1 655	21.6	5 447	901	16.5	2 033	713	35.1
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	7 489	1 606	21.5	5 311	863	16.2	2 013	705	35.0
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	495	84	16.9	441	70	16.0	48	10	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	39	2	(B)	37	-	(B)	2	2	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	8 715	3 009	34.5	6 187	1 629	26.3	2 347	1 308	55.8
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	2 690	500	18.6	2 069	280	13.5	357	206	36.1
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	2 426	2 030	83.7	1 233	1 018	82.5	1 143	970	84.9
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	686	282	41.1	340	106	31.2	337	169	50.2
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	1 203	274	22.8	828	134	16.1	358	134	37.5
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	4 268	463	10.8	3 570	340	9.5	596	107	17.9
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	3 476	680	19.6	2 798	420	15.0	610	243	39.8
NO INCOME . . . . .	86	86	100.0	51	51	(B)	29	29	(B)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER UNDER 25 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	784	556	70.9	461	299	64.7	305	247	81.0
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	440	228	51.7	269	118	43.7	164	110	66.8
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	438	225	51.4	267	115	43.2	164	110	66.8
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	9	4	(B)	8	4	(B)	2	-	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	3	-	(B)	3	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	644	484	75.2	387	263	68.1	242	213	88.0
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	32	12	(B)	22	6	(B)	10	6	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	445	414	93.1	246	228	92.7	189	179	94.8
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	12	8	(B)	6	9	(B)	7	7	(B)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	49	29	(B)	20	9	(B)	29	20	(B)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	135	48	35.4	103	35	33.7	25	13	(B)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	142	76	53.6	93	41	44.3	44	35	(B)
NO INCOME . . . . .	23	23	(B)	11	11	(B)	8	8	(B)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	7 891	2 732	34.6	5 338	1 461	27.4	2 366	1 200	50.7
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	6 327	1 357	21.4	4 481	747	16.7	1 698	571	33.6
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	6 221	1 318	21.2	4 391	714	16.3	1 684	569	33.8
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	398	73	18.4	354	63	17.8	38	6	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	25	-	(B)	25	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	6 627	2 321	35.0	4 663	1 248	26.8	1 816	1 013	55.8
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	1 308	310	23.7	973	171	17.5	301	129	43.0
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	1 899	1 566	82.5	947	770	81.3	914	762	83.4
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	392	197	50.2	184	74	39.9	201	118	58.5
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	944	220	23.3	652	109	16.8	278	106	37.9
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	3 287	371	11.3	2 718	273	10.0	487	82	16.9
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	2 839	582	20.5	2 275	364	16.0	505	200	39.7
NO INCOME . . . . .	59	59	(B)	39	39	(B)	18	18	(B)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	1 454	209	14.4	1 141	119	10.4	293	86	29.4
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	881	70	8.0	696	36	5.2	171	32	18.7
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	829	63	7.6	652	34	5.2	164	27	16.2
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	89	7	8.3	79	4	5.1	9	3	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	11	2	(B)	9	-	(B)	2	2	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	1 444	204	14.1	1 137	117	10.3	288	82	28.4
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	1 350	177	13.1	1 074	103	9.6	259	70	27.0
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	82	49	60.1	40	19	(B)	39	28	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	282	77	27.2	151	31	20.4	129	44	34.5
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	209	24	11.7	156	16	10.0	51	9	(B)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	847	44	5.2	749	32	4.3	84	11	13.7
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	496	23	4.6	431	15	3.5	61	8	(B)
NO INCOME . . . . .	4	4	(B)	1	1	(B)	3	3	(B)

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**Table 25. Type of Income—Poverty Status in 1984 of Families and Unrelated Individuals, by Age, Sex, and Race of Family Householder or Unrelated Individual—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>NUMBER--CONTINUED</b>									
<b>ALL OTHER FAMILIES</b>									
<b>TOTAL</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	52 578	3 780	7.2	47 459	3 046	6.4	3 813	561	14.7
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	45 834	2 688	5.9	41 277	2 200	5.3	3 369	376	11.2
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	43 904	2 317	5.3	39 432	1 856	4.7	3 327	361	10.8
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	7 446	645	8.7	7 041	567	8.0	226	48	21.3
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	1 504	307	20.4	1 479	304	20.5	14	3	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	45 052	2 737	6.1	41 213	2 226	5.4	2 761	384	13.9
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	11 804	843	7.1	10 758	653	6.1	878	183	20.9
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	1 164	694	59.6	842	510	60.6	228	122	53.5
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	920	276	30.0	709	190	26.8	177	77	43.5
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	7 840	588	7.5	6 992	486	6.9	677	84	12.5
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	38 089	1 119	2.9	35 554	1 019	2.9	1 644	55	3.4
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	12 487	496	4.0	11 444	403	3.5	791	64	8.1
NO INCOME . . . . .	77	77	100.0	56	56	(B)	16	16	(B)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER UNDER 25 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	2 343	362	15.5	2 116	309	14.6	174	44	25.4
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	2 290	319	13.9	2 072	272	13.1	170	40	23.5
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	2 268	315	13.9	2 049	268	13.1	170	40	23.5
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	178	25	14.3	174	25	14.3	3	-	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	37	4	(B)	37	4	(B)	-	-	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	1 589	210	13.2	1 461	185	12.6	92	18	19.7
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	32	5	(B)	3	3	(B)	2	2	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	135	93	68.9	112	77	68.9	12	11	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	11	1	(B)	9	1	(B)	-	-	(B)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	458	49	10.7	425	43	10.0	27	4	(B)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	1 168	76	6.5	1 096	72	6.6	54	3	(B)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	347	47	13.5	316	42	13.4	19	3	(B)
NO INCOME . . . . .	11	11	(B)	9	9	(B)	3	3	(B)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	41 882	2 914	7.0	37 626	2 342	6.2	3 103	415	13.4
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	40 143	2 242	5.6	36 137	1 830	5.1	2 928	309	10.5
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	38 650	1 906	4.9	34 720	1 521	4.4	2 893	294	10.2
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	6 671	600	9.0	6 296	522	8.3	209	48	23.0
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	1 272	278	21.8	1 254	276	22.0	7	2	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	35 168	2 041	5.8	32 083	1 656	5.2	2 140	271	12.7
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	3 913	403	10.3	3 449	303	8.8	381	96	25.2
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	947	572	60.4	676	411	60.8	193	104	53.9
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	595	160	26.8	467	117	25.1	102	37	36.0
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	6 703	502	7.5	5 965	421	7.1	584	66	11.3
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	30 295	874	2.9	28 147	784	2.8	1 356	48	3.5
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	7 786	372	4.8	7 051	301	4.3	545	46	8.5
NO INCOME . . . . .	57	57	(B)	42	42	(B)	11	11	(B)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	8 352	503	6.0	7 718	396	5.1	536	102	19.0
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	3 401	126	3.7	3 068	98	3.2	271	27	10.1
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	2 986	96	3.2	2 663	67	2.5	264	27	10.4
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	597	20	3.3	571	20	3.5	14	-	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	196	25	12.7	188	23	12.5	6	1	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	8 295	486	5.9	7 669	385	5.0	529	95	18.0
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	7 859	435	5.5	7 282	347	4.8	494	85	17.2
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	83	29	35.1	54	22	(B)	24	7	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	314	115	36.5	233	71	30.5	73	40	(B)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	679	37	5.4	602	22	3.7	66	15	(B)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	6 625	168	2.5	6 312	162	2.6	234	4	1.9
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	4 353	77	1.8	4 077	60	1.5	227	15	6.4
NO INCOME . . . . .	8	8	(B)	6	6	(B)	3	3	(B)

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**Table 25. Type of Income—Poverty Status in 1984 of Families and Unrelated Individuals, by Age, Sex, and Race of Family Householder or Unrelated Individual—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
NUMBER--CONTINUED									
<u>ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS</u>									
TOTAL									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	30 268	6 609	21.8	26 094	5 181	19.9	3 501	1 255	35.8
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	19 470	2 577	13.2	16 787	2 114	12.6	2 195	376	17.1
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	18 439	2 354	12.8	15 848	1 916	12.1	2 137	356	16.7
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	1 541	247	16.1	1 405	212	15.1	92	25	27.6
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	161	43	26.4	149	37	24.8	7	6	(8)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	24 002	4 750	19.8	21 159	3 751	17.7	2 353	890	37.8
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	9 566	2 416	25.3	8 556	1 910	22.3	915	480	52.4
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	654	501	76.6	459	337	73.3	175	149	85.2
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	1 516	1 102	72.6	1 058	737	69.7	430	352	81.9
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	2 614	455	17.4	2 252	358	15.9	320	86	26.9
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	17 879	1 763	9.9	16 475	1 583	9.6	1 053	138	13.1
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	6 104	829	13.6	5 496	684	12.4	447	101	22.6
NO INCOME . . . . .	584	584	100.0	438	438	100.0	122	122	100.0
UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	4 493	1 516	33.7	4 006	1 320	32.9	338	130	38.6
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	4 009	1 129	28.2	3 621	1 002	27.7	287	88	30.7
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	3 956	1 116	28.2	3 570	989	27.7	287	88	30.6
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	146	41	28.2	130	34	26.2	14	7	(8)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	14	2	(8)	14	2	(8)	-	-	(8)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	2 815	756	26.8	2 542	672	26.4	166	49	29.4
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	69	45	(8)	60	39	(8)	10	6	(8)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	96	73	76.3	76	59	78.2	15	9	(8)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	23	15	(8)	18	9	(8)	6	6	(8)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	289	54	18.7	276	53	19.1	12	1	(8)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	2 149	460	21.4	1 982	420	21.2	101	24	24.1
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	1 033	330	32.0	899	296	32.9	64	10	(8)
NO INCOME . . . . .	230	230	100.0	187	187	100.0	27	27	(8)
25 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	17 012	2 970	17.5	14 202	2 174	15.3	2 368	707	29.9
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	14 355	1 378	9.6	12 193	1 062	8.7	1 793	270	15.0
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	13 520	1 187	8.8	11 434	891	7.8	1 744	254	14.6
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	1 248	192	15.4	1 141	168	14.7	66	14	(8)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	111	34	31.1	105	31	29.6	5	3	(8)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	12 492	1 918	15.4	10 780	1 424	13.2	1 412	439	31.1
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	1 331	494	37.1	1 106	363	32.8	211	123	58.3
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	498	387	77.6	339	250	73.8	147	129	87.8
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	527	383	72.5	331	232	70.2	184	142	77.0
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	1 750	262	15.0	1 456	186	12.8	261	67	25.8
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	9 920	669	6.7	8 949	597	6.7	737	50	6.8
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	2 302	360	15.6	1 985	269	13.6	251	71	28.5
NO INCOME . . . . .	312	312	100.0	220	220	100.0	82	82	100.0
65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	8 763	2 123	24.2	7 886	1 688	21.4	795	417	52.4
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	1 106	70	6.3	973	50	5.1	114	18	18.0
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	963	52	5.4	844	36	4.3	106	14	13.1
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	146	14	9.8	134	10	7.4	12	4	(8)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	37	6	(8)	29	4	(8)	2	2	(8)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	8 694	2 077	23.9	7 837	1 655	21.1	775	403	51.9
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	8 166	1 878	23.0	7 390	1 508	20.4	695	351	50.5
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	60	41	(8)	44	27	(8)	13	11	(8)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	966	704	72.9	709	496	69.9	241	205	85.2
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	575	138	24.1	520	119	23.0	47	18	(8)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	5 810	634	10.9	5 544	566	10.2	215	64	29.5
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	2 769	138	5.0	2 612	119	4.5	132	19	14.7
NO INCOME . . . . .	43	43	(8)	30	30	(8)	13	13	(8)

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**Table 25. Type of Income—Poverty Status in 1984 of Families and Unrelated Individuals, by Age, Sex, and Race of Family Householder or Unrelated Individual—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS, FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
NUMBER--CONTINUED									
<u>MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS</u>									
TOTAL									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup>	13 739	2 575	18.7	11 529	1 920	16.7	1 827	568	31.1
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	10 767	1 384	12.9	9 181	1 098	12.0	1 296	234	18.0
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	10 029	1 228	12.2	8 512	961	11.3	1 251	218	17.5
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1 067	165	15.5	972	138	14.2	66	20	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	125	34	27.4	115	29	25.0	7	6	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	9 869	1 537	15.5	8 535	1 144	13.4	1 075	338	31.5
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	2 236	512	22.9	1 878	358	19.1	324	147	45.2
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	301	225	74.7	196	136	69.2	93	81	86.9
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	404	262	65.0	261	150	57.4	130	106	81.5
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	1 536	210	13.7	1 293	153	11.8	215	50	23.2
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	7 481	592	7.9	6 797	519	7.6	486	55	11.3
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	2 311	325	14.1	2 005	267	13.3	210	36	17.0
NO INCOME	289	289	100.0	215	215	100.0	63	63	(B)
<u>UNDER 25 YEARS</u>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup>	2 428	753	31.0	2 162	651	30.1	170	61	36.0
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	2 180	571	26.2	1 971	502	25.5	146	43	29.4
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	2 135	560	26.2	1 929	491	25.4	146	42	29.1
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	105	27	26.1	91	20	22.3	12	7	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	11	2	(B)	11	2	(B)	-	-	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	1 482	365	24.6	1 340	325	24.2	76	19	25.3
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	36	23	(B)	31	21	(B)	5	1	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	36	31	(B)	28	23	(B)	4	4	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	15	10	(B)	12	7	(B)	3	3	(B)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	1 190	35	18.5	103	34	18.6	7	1	(B)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1 131	225	19.9	1 039	205	19.7	52	13	(B)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	520	164	31.5	453	149	32.9	20	1	(B)
NO INCOME	108	108	100.0	87	87	100.0	12	12	(B)
<u>25 TO 64 YEARS</u>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup>	9 380	1 421	15.1	7 719	984	12.7	1 405	397	28.3
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	8 261	785	9.5	6 934	580	8.4	1 108	182	16.4
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	7 633	653	8.6	6 362	462	7.3	1 070	170	15.9
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	897	130	14.5	827	113	13.7	44	10	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	89	26	29.5	83	23	27.4	5	3	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	6 499	786	12.1	5 561	542	9.7	757	218	28.7
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	447	157	35.1	350	105	29.9	95	52	55.0
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	255	185	72.7	163	109	66.8	85	72	85.6
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	202	120	59.5	118	62	52.5	77	55	71.4
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	1 148	139	12.1	935	91	9.7	188	43	22.7
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	5 150	265	5.2	4 641	231	5.0	366	23	6.4
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	1 028	131	12.7	865	87	10.1	128	35	27.4
NO INCOME	169	169	100.0	120	120	100.0	45	45	(B)
<u>65 YEARS AND OVER</u>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup>	1 931	401	20.8	1 648	285	17.3	251	109	43.4
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	326	27	8.2	276	16	5.9	42	9	(B)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	261	16	6.0	221	8	3.6	35	6	(B)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	64	8	(B)	54	5	(B)	10	3	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	25	6	(B)	20	4	(B)	2	2	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	1 908	386	20.2	1 634	277	17.0	242	101	42.0
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	1 753	332	19.0	1 498	233	15.5	224	93	41.4
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	10	8	(B)	5	4	(B)	4	4	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	186	132	70.9	131	81	61.8	50	48	(B)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	198	36	18.2	175	29	16.4	20	6	(B)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1 200	101	8.4	1 117	83	7.4	67	18	(B)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	763	31	4.0	687	31	4.5	62	-	(B)
NO INCOME	13	13	(B)	7	7	(B)	6	6	(B)

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**Table 25. Type of Income—Poverty Status in 1984 of Families and Unrelated Individuals, by Age, Sex, and Race of Family Householder or Unrelated Individual—Continued**

IN NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<u>NUMBER--CONTINUED</u>									
<u>FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS</u>									
<b>TOTAL</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	16 529	4 035	24.4	14 565	3 262	22.4	1 674	687	41.0
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	8 704	1 193	13.7	7 606	1 016	13.4	898	142	15.8
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	8 410	1 126	13.4	7 336	955	13.0	886	137	15.5
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	474	82	17.3	433	74	17.0	26	5	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	36	8	(B)	34	8	(B)	-	-	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	14 113	3 213	22.8	12 623	2 607	20.7	1 278	552	43.2
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	7 330	1 904	26.0	6 678	1 551	23.2	591	333	56.4
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	353	276	78.1	263	201	76.4	82	69	83.3
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	1 113	89	7.9	957	587	61.3	300	246	82.1
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	1 079	244	22.6	959	205	21.4	105	36	34.4
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	10 398	1 171	11.3	9 678	1 065	11.0	567	83	14.7
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	3 793	503	13.3	3 491	416	11.9	237	65	27.6
NO INCOME . . . . .	295	295	100.0	223	223	100.0	60	60	(B)
<b>UNDER 25 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	2 065	763	37.0	1 844	669	36.3	168	69	41.2
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	1 830	558	30.5	1 650	500	30.3	141	45	32.1
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	1 821	556	30.5	1 641	498	30.3	141	45	32.1
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	41	14	(B)	39	14	(B)	2	-	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	2	-	(B)	2	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	1 334	390	29.3	1 202	347	28.8	90	29	32.7
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	34	22	(B)	29	18	(B)	5	5	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	59	42	(B)	48	36	(B)	12	6	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	8	5	(B)	6	2	(B)	3	3	(B)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	99	19	19.1	94	19	20.2	5	-	(B)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	1 018	234	23.0	943	216	22.9	48	11	(B)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	513	166	32.5	446	147	32.9	44	10	(B)
NO INCOME . . . . .	122	122	100.0	100	100	100.0	15	15	(B)
<b>25 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	7 632	1 549	20.3	6 483	1 190	18.4	963	310	32.2
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	6 094	593	9.7	5 259	482	9.2	685	88	12.8
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	5 887	534	9.1	5 072	429	8.5	674	84	12.5
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	351	62	17.6	314	55	17.4	22	3	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	22	8	(B)	22	8	(B)	-	-	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	5 993	1 132	18.9	5 219	882	16.9	654	221	33.8
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	883	337	38.1	756	258	34.2	115	70	61.1
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	243	202	82.8	176	141	80.2	62	56	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	325	262	80.7	213	170	80.0	107	86	81.0
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	603	123	20.4	520	95	18.3	72	24	(B)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	4 770	404	8.5	4 308	366	8.5	370	27	7.3
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	1 275	229	17.9	1 120	182	16.2	123	36	29.5
NO INCOME . . . . .	143	143	100.0	100	100	100.0	38	38	(B)
<b>65 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	6 832	1 722	25.2	6 238	1 402	22.5	544	308	56.6
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	780	43	5.5	697	34	4.8	72	9	9
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	703	36	5.1	623	28	4.6	71	8	(B)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	82	7	8.0	80	5	6.6	2	1	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	12	-	(B)	10	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	6 786	1 691	24.9	6 202	1 378	22.2	534	301	56.4
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	6 413	1 345	24.1	5 893	1 275	21.6	471	259	54.8
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	50	32	(B)	39	23	(B)	9	7	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	779	572	73.4	578	415	71.8	191	157	82.4
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	377	102	27.2	345	91	26.3	27	12	(B)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	4 609	532	11.6	4 427	483	10.9	148	45	30.6
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	2 005	108	5.4	1 925	88	4.6	69	19	(B)
NO INCOME . . . . .	30	30	(B)	23	23	(B)	7	7	(B)

SEE FOOTNOTE(S) AT END OF TABLE.

**Table 25. Type of Income—Poverty Status in 1984 of Families and Unrelated Individuals, by Age, Sex, and Race of Family Householder or Unrelated Individual—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>MEAN INCOME (DOLLARS)</b>									
<b>ALL FAMILIES</b>									
TOTAL	31 051	5 457	(X)	32 422	5 409	(X)	19 778	5 485	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	29 470	4 292	(X)	30 460	4 202	(X)	20 442	4 448	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	28 409	4 727	(X)	29 332	4 796	(X)	20 230	4 470	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	13 628	1 241	(X)	13 760	1 233	(X)	8 736	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	5 096	-2 619	(X)	5 189	-2 618	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	6 900	3 667	(X)	7 184	3 929	(X)	4 627	3 925	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	7 126	3 993	(X)	7 332	4 104	(X)	5 373	3 667	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	3 287	3 500	(X)	3 238	3 504	(X)	3 259	3 365	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	3 002	2 756	(X)	3 011	2 789	(X)	2 943	2 696	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	2 299	2 059	(X)	2 290	2 224	(X)	2 314	1 639	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	3 360	539	(X)	3 523	562	(X)	964	380	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	5 510	1 710	(X)	5 676	1 769	(X)	3 795	1 495	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER UNDER 25 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup>	16 148	4 556	(X)	17 503	4 721	(X)	8 770	4 273	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	16 865	4 308	(X)	17 868	4 515	(X)	9 960	3 788	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	16 387	4 321	(X)	17 336	4 538	(X)	9 879	3 788	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	7 170	(B)	(X)	7 244	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	1 988	2 636	(X)	1 775	2 476	(X)	2 619	2 927	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	2 927	2 989	(X)	2 918	3 045	(X)	2 884	2 886	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	1 297	1 127	(X)	1 227	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	487	-93	(X)	448	-110	(X)	156	(B)	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	2 380	1 271	(X)	2 305	1 185	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup>	33 332	5 624	(X)	34 877	5 560	(X)	21 265	5 675	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	31 466	4 470	(X)	32 525	4 349	(X)	21 912	4 725	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	30 223	4 925	(X)	31 194	4 979	(X)	21 634	4 705	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	14 048	1 351	(X)	14 181	1 320	(X)	9 442	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	5 222	-2 527	(X)	5 306	-2 506	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	4 710	3 591	(X)	4 826	3 420	(X)	3 782	3 898	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	5 363	3 885	(X)	5 489	4 024	(X)	4 539	3 469	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	3 409	3 661	(X)	3 357	3 662	(X)	3 374	3 507	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	3 247	3 057	(X)	3 297	3 134	(X)	3 190	3 019	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	2 326	2 192	(X)	2 313	2 363	(X)	2 356	1 720	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	2 544	554	(X)	2 669	580	(X)	819	381	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	4 961	1 778	(X)	5 123	1 855	(X)	3 448	1 523	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup>	24 226	5 295	(X)	24 853	5 106	(X)	16 324	5 735	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	15 850	994	(X)	16 005	492	(X)	12 972	(B)	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	15 609	2 073	(X)	15 751	1 742	(X)	13 280	(B)	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	11 066	(B)	(X)	11 270	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	3 493	(B)	(X)	3 602	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	17 423	5 191	(X)	18 160	5 100	(X)	9 543	5 422	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	8 152	4 150	(X)	8 332	4 218	(X)	6 159	3 979	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	2 451	2 418	(X)	2 395	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	2 586	2 173	(X)	2 507	2 109	(X)	2 568	2 094	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	2 641	(B)	(X)	2 709	(B)	(X)	2 244	(B)	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	7 528	819	(X)	7 778	833	(X)	2 010	(B)	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	7 028	1 592	(X)	7 127	1 655	(X)	5 491	(B)	(X)



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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>MEAN INCOME (DOLLARS)--CONTINUED</b>									
<b>FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT</b>									
TOTAL									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	16 501	4 914	(X)	18 596	4 819	(X)	11 494	5 028	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	15 053	3 465	(X)	16 193	3 311	(X)	11 885	3 691	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	14 808	3 486	(X)	15 866	3 280	(X)	11 862	3 746	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	8 149	1 638	(X)	8 453	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	5 966	3 807	(X)	6 607	3 725	(X)	4 225	3 880	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	5 266	3 532	(X)	5 536	3 583	(X)	4 247	3 359	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	3 433	3 525	(X)	3 474	3 609	(X)	3 341	3 413	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	2 962	2 762	(X)	2 888	2 767	(X)	3 045	2 760	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	2 075	1 637	(X)	2 178	1 651	(X)	1 793	1 636	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	2 723	435	(X)	3 059	444	(X)	730	357	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	3 839	1 622	(X)	4 085	1 729	(X)	2 540	1 449	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER UNDER 25 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	7 396	3 912	(X)	8 221	3 922	(X)	5 559	3 957	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	8 184	2 984	(X)	9 132	2 880	(X)	5 940	3 094	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	8 071	2 999	(X)	9 008	2 908	(X)	5 854	3 094	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	3 408	3 092	(X)	3 450	3 160	(X)	2 971	2 988	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	3 109	3 117	(X)	3 222	3 260	(X)	2 909	2 912	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	2 162	(B)	(X)	2 080	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	1 938	1 340	(X)	1 961	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	16 570	5 088	(X)	18 576	4 975	(X)	11 958	5 219	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	15 482	3 647	(X)	16 583	3 466	(X)	12 495	3 932	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	15 215	3 639	(X)	16 234	3 421	(X)	12 431	3 926	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	7 988	(B)	(X)	8 138	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	4 949	3 857	(X)	5 330	3 748	(X)	3 900	3 962	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	4 833	3 476	(X)	5 064	3 455	(X)	3 968	3 343	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	3 560	3 674	(X)	3 600	3 745	(X)	3 494	3 576	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	3 211	2 945	(X)	3 067	(B)	(X)	3 360	2 941	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	2 001	1 769	(X)	2 041	1 749	(X)	1 851	1 814	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	1 902	445	(X)	2 143	459	(X)	647	337	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	3 632	1 687	(X)	3 868	1 829	(X)	2 349	1 451	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	21 035	5 314	(X)	22 884	5 164	(X)	13 911	5 447	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	15 406	(B)	(X)	16 413	(B)	(X)	11 519	(B)	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	15 312	(B)	(X)	16 187	(B)	(X)	12 014	(B)	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	9 250	(B)	(X)	10 316	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	11 775	4 935	(X)	12 920	4 745	(X)	7 325	5 185	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	5 711	3 604	(X)	5 991	3 797	(X)	4 570	(B)	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	2 252	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	2 636	2 259	(X)	2 701	(B)	(X)	2 562	(B)	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	2 512	(B)	(X)	2 762	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	6 003	(B)	(X)	6 518	(B)	(X)	1 448	(B)	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	5 563	(B)	(X)	5 685	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)

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TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
MEAN INCOME (DOLLARS)--CONTINUED									
ALL OTHER FAMILIES									
TOTAL									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	33 854	5 959	(X)	34 444	5 772	(X)	26 218	6 734	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	31 876	4 802	(X)	32 343	4 567	(X)	25 606	5 882	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	30 729	5 587	(X)	31 146	5 501	(X)	25 292	5 886	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	13 993	1 189	(X)	14 092	1 113	(X)	9 325	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	5 088	-2 623	(X)	5 174	-2 618	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	7 080	3 514	(X)	7 271	3 386	(X)	4 969	4 077	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	7 550	4 267	(X)	7 678	4 327	(X)	6 105	4 012	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	2 982	3 425	(X)	2 892	3 294	(X)	2 753	2 986	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	3 033	2 749	(X)	3 069	2 801	(X)	2 748	2 556	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	2 333	2 255	(X)	2 303	2 382	(X)	2 590	1 644	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	3 431	582	(X)	3 570	601	(X)	1 049	(B)	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	5 975	1 830	(X)	6 066	1 811	(X)	4 763	(B)	(X)
HOUSEHOLDER UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	19 077	5 546	(X)	19 527	5 495	(X)	14 393	(B)	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	18 535	5 252	(X)	19 004	5 223	(X)	13 844	(B)	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	17 994	5 264	(X)	18 420	5 240	(X)	13 769	(B)	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	7 306	(B)	(X)	7 395	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	1 413	1 582	(X)	1 331	1 500	(X)	1 696	(B)	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	2 329	2 417	(X)	2 252	2 413	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	1 261	(B)	(X)	1 185	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	293	-216	(X)	294	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	2 560	(B)	(X)	2 405	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	36 490	6 126	(X)	37 190	5 925	(X)	28 361	6 993	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	33 985	4 969	(X)	34 502	4 709	(X)	27 373	6 192	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	32 638	5 815	(X)	33 086	5 709	(X)	26 991	6 214	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	14 409	1 266	(X)	14 521	1 195	(X)	9 824	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	5 221	-2 527	(X)	5 306	-2 506	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	4 665	3 288	(X)	4 753	3 173	(X)	3 681	3 659	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	5 541	4 200	(X)	5 608	4 345	(X)	4 989	3 638	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	3 105	3 623	(X)	3 016	3 508	(X)	2 809	2 995	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	3 271	3 195	(X)	3 387	3 226	(X)	2 852	(B)	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	2 372	2 378	(X)	2 343	2 523	(X)	2 597	(B)	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	2 613	600	(X)	2 720	623	(X)	880	(B)	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	5 446	1 921	(X)	5 528	1 886	(X)	4 467	(B)	(X)
HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	24 781	5 287	(X)	25 144	5 089	(X)	17 645	5 980	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	15 965	700	(X)	15 912	111	(X)	13 888	(B)	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	15 691	2 103	(X)	15 644	(B)	(X)	14 069	(B)	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	11 335	(B)	(X)	11 401	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	3 419	(B)	(X)	3 474	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	18 406	5 298	(X)	18 937	5 208	(X)	10 752	5 625	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	8 572	4 373	(X)	8 678	4 343	(X)	6 990	4 526	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	2 648	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	2 540	2 115	(X)	2 382	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	2 680	(B)	(X)	2 696	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	7 723	848	(X)	7 927	869	(X)	2 211	(B)	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	7 194	1 800	(X)	7 279	(B)	(X)	5 685	(B)	(X)

**Table 25. Type of Income—Poverty Status in 1984 of Families and Unrelated Individuals, by Age, Sex, and Race of Family Householder or Unrelated Individual—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>MEAN INCOME (DOLLARS)---CONTINUED</b>									
<b>ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS</b>									
<b>TOTAL</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	14 686	2 951	(X)	15 193	2 971	(X)	10 737	2 937	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	15 847	2 272	(X)	16 174	2 279	(X)	13 264	2 332	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	15 756	2 418	(X)	16 099	2 429	(X)	13 299	2 428	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	11 257	(B)	(X)	11 172	830	(X)	7 753	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	4 199	(B)	(X)	4 593	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	5 666	2 873	(X)	5 904	2 819	(X)	3 603	3 153	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	4 900	3 271	(X)	5 000	3 341	(X)	4 002	3 015	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	1 807	1 771	(X)	1 772	1 710	(X)	1 913	1 941	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	2 185	1 926	(X)	2 172	1 898	(X)	2 198	1 972	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	2 334	1 566	(X)	2 372	1 459	(X)	2 068	1 903	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	2 884	352	(X)	3 002	364	(X)	1 040	274	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	4 415	1 692	(X)	4 407	1 641	(X)	3 976	1 719	(X)
<b>UNDER 25 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	9 721	2 420	(X)	9 800	2 478	(X)	8 060	1 990	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	9 538	2 380	(X)	9 584	2 427	(X)	8 441	2 056	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	9 419	2 360	(X)	9 466	2 408	(X)	8 345	2 018	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	6 062	(B)	(X)	6 261	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	1 931	1 297	(X)	1 790	1 248	(X)	1 780	(B)	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	1 466	(B)	(X)	1 473	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	1 444	(B)	(X)	1 466	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	501	185	(X)	525	190	(X)	155	(B)	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	3 472	1 814	(X)	3 151	1 761	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
<b>25 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	17 995	2 640	(X)	18 888	2 622	(X)	12 713	2 714	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	18 344	2 274	(X)	18 905	2 231	(X)	14 547	2 516	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	18 264	2 535	(X)	18 860	2 511	(X)	14 594	2 643	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	12 705	637	(X)	12 554	777	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	4 796	(B)	(X)	5 065	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	3 426	2 454	(X)	3 501	2 338	(X)	2 845	2 828	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	4 209	3 112	(X)	4 327	3 220	(X)	3 585	2 800	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	1 981	1 933	(X)	1 976	1 919	(X)	2 041	2 025	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	3 023	2 632	(X)	3 088	2 686	(X)	2 866	2 523	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	2 418	1 856	(X)	2 462	1 739	(X)	2 197	(B)	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	1 965	397	(X)	2 027	406	(X)	1 108	(B)	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	4 729	1 842	(X)	4 808	1 828	(X)	4 167	(B)	(X)
<b>65 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	10 810	3 765	(X)	11 278	3 807	(X)	5 991	3 611	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	6 312	(B)	(X)	6 484	(B)	(X)	5 239	(B)	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	6 573	(B)	(X)	6 748	(B)	(X)	5 355	(B)	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	4 081	(B)	(X)	4 182	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	10 093	3 833	(X)	10 544	3 871	(X)	5 374	3 698	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	5 035	3 341	(X)	5 126	3 405	(X)	4 129	3 094	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	1 718	1 541	(X)	1 736	1 536	(X)	1 674	1 569	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	2 526	1 154	(X)	2 602	1 122	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	5 335	425	(X)	5 462	450	(X)	1 223	(B)	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	4 506	1 014	(X)	4 534	919	(X)	4 076	(B)	(X)

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TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>MEAN INCOME (DOLLARS)--CONTINUED</b>									
<b>MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS</b>									
TOTAL									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup>	17 236	2 661	(X)	18 098	2 649	(X)	11 799	2 742	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	17 871	2 305	(X)	18 469	2 282	(X)	13 775	2 528	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	17 702	2 478	(X)	18 328	2 497	(X)	13 794	2 536	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	13 503	1 018	(X)	13 454	915	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	3 848	(B)	(X)	4 248	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	4 490	2 383	(X)	4 580	2 254	(X)	3 436	2 853	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	5 099	3 234	(X)	5 252	3 313	(X)	4 249	3 062	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	1 766	1 790	(X)	1 737	1 777	(X)	1 867	1 834	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	2 567	2 161	(X)	2 587	2 189	(X)	2 466	2 125	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	2 423	1 532	(X)	2 474	1 418	(X)	2 159	(B)	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	2 139	292	(X)	2 207	313	(X)	883	(B)	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	5 062	1 666	(X)	4 993	1 655	(X)	4 433	(B)	(X)
<b>UNDER 25 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup>	10 603	2 463	(X)	10 782	2 550	(X)	7 834	(B)	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	10 352	2 390	(X)	10 525	2 439	(X)	8 433	(B)	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	10 198	2 362	(X)	10 375	2 414	(X)	8-317	(B)	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	6 787	(B)	(X)	7 181	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	2 149	1 339	(X)	1 916	1 341	(X)	1 298	(B)	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	1 442	(B)	(X)	1 439	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	644	209	(X)	676	227	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	3 839	1 764	(X)	3 236	1 779	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
<b>25 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup>	20 065	2 498	(X)	21 327	2 418	(X)	13 150	2 677	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	20 197	2 336	(X)	21 079	2 241	(X)	14 726	2 694	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	20 066	2 627	(X)	21 017	2 626	(X)	14 724	2 705	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	14 838	957	(X)	14 604	833	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	4 237	(B)	(X)	4 541	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	3 235	2 131	(X)	3 319	1 988	(X)	2 358	2 638	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	4 527	3 243	(X)	4 684	3 349	(X)	3 909	(B)	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	1 867	1 903	(X)	1 870	1 936	(X)	1 933	(B)	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	3 249	2 576	(X)	3 265	(B)	(X)	3 113	(B)	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	2 484	1 612	(X)	2 556	1 449	(X)	2 155	(B)	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1 849	345	(X)	1 875	369	(X)	1 091	(B)	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	5 663	1 727	(X)	5 828	1 711	(X)	4 564	(B)	(X)
<b>65 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup>	11 837	3 611	(X)	12 575	3 670	(X)	6 923	3 461	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	9 197	(B)	(X)	9 636	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	9 942	(B)	(X)	10 326	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup>	10 411	3 785	(X)	11 052	3 842	(X)	5 923	3 649	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	5 296	3 316	(X)	5 444	3 408	(X)	4 392	3 123	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 818	1 797	(X)	1 991	2 080	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	3 008	(B)	(X)	3 116	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	4 793	339	(X)	5 008	371	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	5 087	(B)	(X)	5 103	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)

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TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<u>MEAN INCOME (DOLLARS)--CONTINUED</u>									
<u>FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS</u>									
<b>TOTAL</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	12 567	3 136	(X)	12 893	3 161	(X)	9 579	3 097	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	13 342	2 235	(X)	13 404	2 277	(X)	12 528	2 008	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	13 434	2 353	(X)	13 513	2 360	(X)	12 601	2 257	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	6 202	125	(X)	6 049	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	6 490	3 107	(X)	6 800	3 068	(X)	3 743	3 338	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	4 839	3 281	(X)	4 930	3 347	(X)	3 867	2 995	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	1 843	1 756	(X)	1 798	1 664	(X)	1 965	(B)	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	2 047	1 852	(X)	2 036	1 823	(X)	2 082	1 906	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	2 208	1 595	(X)	2 235	1 489	(X)	1 881	(B)	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	3 420	382	(X)	3 561	389	(X)	1 175	341	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	4 020	1 709	(X)	4 070	1 633	(X)	3 571	(B)	(X)
<b>UNDER 25 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	8 684	2 377	(X)	8 648	2 408	(X)	8 288	(B)	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	8 568	2 370	(X)	8 461	2 415	(X)	8 450	(B)	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	8 506	2 358	(X)	8 398	2 401	(X)	8 374	(B)	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	1 688	1 259	(X)	1 650	1 160	(X)	2 188	(B)	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	1 448	(B)	(X)	1 518	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	342	163	(X)	358	155	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	3 100	1 863	(X)	3 064	1 743	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
<b>25 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	15 450	2 770	(X)	15 984	2 790	(X)	12 075	2 762	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	15 830	2 193	(X)	16 038	2 220	(X)	14 258	2 149	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	15 927	2 422	(X)	16 155	2 388	(X)	14 387	2 518	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	7 257	(B)	(X)	7 160	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	3 579	2 644	(X)	3 695	2 553	(X)	2 829	3 014	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	4 048	3 051	(X)	4 162	3 168	(X)	3 316	(B)	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	2 101	1 960	(X)	2 074	1 906	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	2 882	2 657	(X)	2 990	2 776	(X)	2 687	2 434	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	2 293	2 131	(X)	2 294	2 014	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	2 091	451	(X)	2 190	429	(X)	1 125	(B)	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	3 976	1 908	(X)	4 022	1 884	(X)	3 755	(B)	(X)
<b>65 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	10 519	3 800	(X)	10 935	3 835	(X)	5 561	3 664	(X)
EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	5 106	(B)	(X)	5 233	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME . . . . .	5 324	(B)	(X)	5 480	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	2 684	(B)	(X)	2 633	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	10 004	3 844	(X)	10 410	3 877	(X)	5 125	3 714	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	4 963	3 346	(X)	5 045	3 404	(X)	4 004	3 084	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME . . . . .	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME . . . . .	1 695	1 482	(X)	1 679	1 430	(X)	1 749	1 619	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	2 271	1 004	(X)	2 342	976	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT . . . . .	5 476	441	(X)	5 577	463	(X)	1 629	(B)	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC. . . . .	4 284	1 050	(X)	4 330	930	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)

**Table 25. Type of Income—Poverty Status in 1984 of Families and Unrelated Individuals, by Age, Sex, and Race of Family Householder or Unrelated Individual—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<u>PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF AGGREGATE INCOME</u>									
<u>ALL FAMILIES</u>									
TOTAL									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
EARNINGS	80.9	46.9	(X)	80.7	48.9	(X)	82.4	42.2	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	75.0	46.7	(X)	74.4	49.0	(X)	80.6	41.5	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	5.6	2.3	(X)	5.8	2.9	(X)	1.8	0.8	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.4	-2.0	(X)	0.4	-3.0	(X)	-	-0.1	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	19.1	53.1	(X)	19.3	51.1	(X)	17.6	57.8	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	5.3	13.5	(X)	5.3	14.4	(X)	5.8	12.4	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.6	24.0	(X)	0.4	20.1	(X)	3.3	32.0	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.2	3.9	(X)	0.2	3.1	(X)	1.1	5.8	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	1.1	4.5	(X)	1.0	5.2	(X)	1.8	3.1	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	7.3	2.1	(X)	7.8	2.9	(X)	1.6	0.5	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	4.5	5.1	(X)	4.6	5.5	(X)	4.0	4.0	(X)
<u>HOUSEHOLDER UNDER 25 YEARS</u>									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
EARNINGS	91.2	56.3	(X)	92.7	61.3	(X)	79.1	45.5	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	87.8	55.8	(X)	89.0	60.6	(X)	78.5	45.5	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2.7	0.5	(X)	2.9	0.7	(X)	0.6	-	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.7	-	(X)	0.8	-	(X)	-	-	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	8.8	43.7	(X)	7.3	38.7	(X)	20.9	54.5	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	0.4	1.2	(X)	0.4	0.8	(X)	1.0	2.2	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	3.4	36.2	(X)	2.3	32.4	(X)	13.8	44.3	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.1	0.7	(X)	0.1	0.4	(X)	0.6	1.5	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	1.3	2.1	(X)	1.2	2.1	(X)	2.4	2.2	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1.3	-0.3	(X)	1.2	-0.4	(X)	0.3	-	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	2.3	3.7	(X)	2.1	3.4	(X)	2.7	4.3	(X)
<u>HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 64 YEARS</u>									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
EARNINGS	88.1	50.7	(X)	88.2	53.0	(X)	87.1	45.4	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	81.7	50.0	(X)	81.4	52.6	(X)	85.1	44.3	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	6.0	2.9	(X)	6.3	3.7	(X)	2.0	1.2	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.4	-2.2	(X)	0.5	-3.3	(X)	-	-0.1	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	11.9	49.3	(X)	11.8	47.0	(X)	12.9	54.6	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	1.7	8.7	(X)	1.6	9.0	(X)	2.7	8.5	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.6	24.7	(X)	0.4	20.5	(X)	3.2	33.1	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.2	3.4	(X)	0.1	2.8	(X)	0.8	5.1	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	1.1	5.0	(X)	1.0	5.9	(X)	1.7	3.2	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	5.1	2.2	(X)	5.5	2.9	(X)	1.3	0.5	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	3.2	5.3	(X)	3.2	5.8	(X)	3.1	4.1	(X)
<u>HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER</u>									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
EARNINGS	28.6	5.2	(X)	27.4	2.5	(X)	42.4	11.0	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	25.1	8.7	(X)	23.7	6.7	(X)	42.0	13.1	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	3.2	-0.7	(X)	3.3	-0.3	(X)	0.3	-1.8	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.3	-2.8	(X)	0.3	-3.9	(X)	0.1	-0.3	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	71.4	94.8	(X)	72.6	97.5	(X)	57.6	89.0	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	31.6	67.3	(X)	31.6	72.2	(X)	34.3	57.2	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.2	5.0	(X)	0.1	3.7	(X)	1.1	8.1	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.6	11.0	(X)	0.4	8.2	(X)	3.8	16.4	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	1.0	2.7	(X)	0.9	2.5	(X)	2.0	3.4	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	23.7	4.6	(X)	24.9	6.1	(X)	4.7	1.1	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	14.3	4.2	(X)	14.6	4.7	(X)	11.7	2.7	(X)

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TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF AGGREGATE INCOME--CONTINUED</b>									
<b>FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT</b>									
<b>TOTAL</b>									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
EARNINGS	68.9	33.4	(X)	68.3	33.0	(X)	70.9	34.1	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	66.3	32.6	(X)	65.3	31.3	(X)	70.1	34.3	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2.4	0.8	(X)	2.9	1.7	(X)	0.8	-0.1	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.1	-	(X)	0.2	-	(X)	-	-	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	31.1	66.6	(X)	31.7	67.0	(X)	29.1	65.9	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	8.5	10.3	(X)	8.9	11.1	(X)	7.1	9.0	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	5.0	41.6	(X)	3.3	40.6	(X)	11.3	42.9	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1.2	4.5	(X)	0.8	3.2	(X)	3.0	6.0	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	1.5	2.6	(X)	1.4	2.4	(X)	1.9	2.9	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	7.0	1.2	(X)	8.5	1.7	(X)	1.3	0.5	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	8.0	6.4	(X)	8.9	8.0	(X)	4.6	4.6	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER UNDER 25 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
EARNINGS	62.2	31.2	(X)	64.8	28.9	(X)	57.5	34.7	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	60.9	31.0	(X)	63.3	28.6	(X)	56.6	34.7	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.7	0.2	(X)	0.8	0.3	(X)	0.8	-	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.5	-	(X)	0.7	-	(X)	-	-	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	37.8	68.8	(X)	35.2	71.1	(X)	42.5	65.3	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	2.3	2.2	(X)	2.5	1.8	(X)	2.5	2.7	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	23.8	59.3	(X)	20.9	63.4	(X)	32.5	53.5	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.5	1.2	(X)	0.3	0.6	(X)	1.1	1.9	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	1.4	1.2	(X)	1.1	0.8	(X)	2.2	1.7	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	5.0	0.2	(X)	5.7	0.4	(X)	-0.1	-	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	4.7	4.7	(X)	4.8	4.2	(X)	4.3	5.3	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
EARNINGS	74.9	35.6	(X)	74.9	35.6	(X)	75.0	35.9	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	72.4	34.5	(X)	71.9	33.6	(X)	74.0	35.7	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2.4	1.1	(X)	2.9	2.0	(X)	1.0	0.2	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.1	-	(X)	0.1	-	(X)	-	-	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	25.1	64.4	(X)	25.1	64.4	(X)	25.0	64.1	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	4.8	7.8	(X)	5.0	8.1	(X)	4.2	6.9	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	5.2	41.4	(X)	3.4	39.7	(X)	11.3	43.5	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1.0	4.2	(X)	0.6	3.0	(X)	2.4	5.5	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	1.4	2.8	(X)	1.3	2.6	(X)	1.8	3.1	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	4.8	1.2	(X)	5.9	1.7	(X)	1.1	0.4	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	7.9	7.1	(X)	8.9	9.2	(X)	4.2	4.6	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
EARNINGS	44.4	9.6	(X)	43.8	9.0	(X)	48.3	9.8	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	41.5	11.5	(X)	40.4	8.6	(X)	48.4	14.7	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2.7	-1.5	(X)	3.1	0.4	(X)	-	-4.1	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.2	-0.3	(X)	0.2	-	(X)	-	-0.8	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	55.6	90.4	(X)	56.2	91.0	(X)	51.7	90.2	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	25.2	57.4	(X)	24.6	64.1	(X)	29.0	49.1	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.6	9.9	(X)	0.3	7.3	(X)	2.3	13.2	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	2.4	15.6	(X)	1.6	10.9	(X)	8.1	21.4	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	1.7	2.9	(X)	1.7	3.4	(X)	2.2	2.4	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	16.6	2.8	(X)	18.7	3.4	(X)	3.0	2.2	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	9.0	1.8	(X)	9.4	1.8	(X)	7.2	1.9	(X)

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TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<u>PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF AGGREGATE INCOME--CONTINUED</u>									
<u>ALL OTHER FAMILIES</u>									
TOTAL									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
EARNINGS	82.1	57.3	(X)	81.7	57.1	(X)	86.3	58.5	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	75.8	57.5	(X)	75.1	58.1	(X)	84.2	56.2	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	5.9	3.4	(X)	5.9	3.6	(X)	2.1	2.6	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.4	-3.6	(X)	0.5	-4.5	(X)	-	-0.3	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	17.9	42.7	(X)	18.3	42.9	(X)	13.7	41.5	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	5.0	16.0	(X)	5.1	16.1	(X)	5.4	19.5	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.2	10.5	(X)	0.1	9.6	(X)	0.6	9.7	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.2	3.4	(X)	0.1	3.0	(X)	0.5	5.2	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>1</sup>	1.0	5.9	(X)	1.0	6.6	(X)	1.8	3.7	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	7.3	2.9	(X)	7.8	3.5	(X)	1.7	0.6	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	4.2	4.0	(X)	4.2	4.2	(X)	3.8	2.8	(X)
<u>HOUSEHOLDER UNDER 25 YEARS</u>									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
EARNINGS	95.0	83.5	(X)	95.3	83.7	(X)	93.7	85.0	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	91.3	82.6	(X)	91.4	82.7	(X)	93.2	85.0	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2.9	0.9	(X)	3.1	1.0	(X)	0.5	-	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.8	-	(X)	0.8	-	(X)	-	-	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	5.0	16.5	(X)	4.7	16.3	(X)	6.3	15.0	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	0.2	0.1	(X)	0.2	0.1	(X)	-	0.2	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.7	11.2	(X)	0.6	11.0	(X)	1.1	10.5	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.1	0.3	(X)	0.1	0.3	(X)	0.3	-	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>1</sup>	1.3	3.1	(X)	1.2	3.0	(X)	2.6	3.7	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	0.8	-0.8	(X)	0.8	-1.0	(X)	0.5	-	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	2.0	2.7	(X)	1.8	2.9	(X)	1.7	0.5	(X)
<u>HOUSEHOLDER 25 TO 64 YEARS</u>									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
EARNINGS	89.3	62.4	(X)	89.1	62.1	(X)	91.1	65.9	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	82.5	62.1	(X)	82.1	62.6	(X)	88.7	62.9	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	6.3	4.3	(X)	6.5	4.5	(X)	2.3	3.3	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.4	-3.9	(X)	0.5	-5.0	(X)	-	-0.3	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	10.7	37.6	(X)	10.9	37.9	(X)	8.9	34.1	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	1.4	9.5	(X)	1.4	9.5	(X)	2.2	12.1	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.2	11.6	(X)	0.1	10.4	(X)	0.6	10.7	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.1	2.9	(X)	0.1	2.7	(X)	0.3	4.1	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>1</sup>	1.0	6.7	(X)	1.0	7.7	(X)	1.7	3.6	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	5.2	2.9	(X)	5.5	3.5	(X)	1.4	0.7	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	2.8	4.0	(X)	2.8	4.1	(X)	2.8	2.9	(X)
<u>HOUSEHOLDER 65 YEARS AND OVER</u>									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
EARNINGS	26.2	3.3	(X)	25.2	0.5	(X)	39.9	11.9	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	22.6	7.5	(X)	21.5	6.1	(X)	39.3	11.9	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	3.3	-0.4	(X)	3.4	-0.5	(X)	0.4	-	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.3	-3.9	(X)	0.3	-5.1	(X)	0.1	0.1	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	73.8	96.7	(X)	74.8	99.5	(X)	60.1	88.1	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	32.5	71.4	(X)	32.6	74.7	(X)	36.5	63.5	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.1	3.0	(X)	0.1	2.6	(X)	0.6	4.2	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.4	9.1	(X)	0.3	7.3	(X)	2.0	12.6	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>1</sup>	0.9	2.6	(X)	0.8	2.2	(X)	1.8	4.1	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	24.7	5.3	(X)	25.8	7.0	(X)	5.5	0.3	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	15.1	5.2	(X)	15.3	5.6	(X)	13.7	3.4	(X)



**Table 25. Type of Income—Poverty Status in 1984 of Families and Unrelated Individuals, by Age, Sex, and Race of Family Householder or Unrelated Individual—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF AGGREGATE INCOME--CONTINUED</b>									
<b>ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS</b>									
<b>TOTAL</b>									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
EARNINGS	69.4	30.0	(X)	68.5	31.3	(X)	77.4	23.8	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	65.4	29.2	(X)	64.4	30.2	(X)	75.6	23.5	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	3.9	0.9	(X)	4.0	1.1	(X)	1.9	0.4	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.2	-0.1	(X)	0.2	-0.1	(X)	-	-0.1	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	30.6	70.0	(X)	31.5	68.7	(X)	22.6	76.2	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	10.5	40.5	(X)	10.8	41.4	(X)	9.7	39.3	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.3	4.5	(X)	0.2	3.7	(X)	0.9	7.9	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.7	10.9	(X)	0.6	9.1	(X)	2.5	18.9	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS	1.4	3.6	(X)	1.3	3.4	(X)	1.8	4.4	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	11.6	3.2	(X)	12.5	3.7	(X)	2.9	1.0	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	6.1	7.2	(X)	6.1	7.3	(X)	4.7	4.7	(X)
<b>UNDER 25 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
EARNINGS	87.6	73.3	(X)	88.4	74.4	(X)	89.1	70.0	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	85.3	71.8	(X)	86.1	72.8	(X)	87.9	68.2	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2.0	1.3	(X)	2.1	1.3	(X)	1.2	1.8	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.2	0.2	(X)	0.2	0.3	(X)	-	-	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	12.4	26.7	(X)	11.6	25.6	(X)	10.9	30.0	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	0.4	2.6	(X)	0.3	2.4	(X)	1.4	6.5	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.3	2.9	(X)	0.3	2.5	(X)	0.7	6.5	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.1	0.8	(X)	0.1	0.4	(X)	0.6	6.1	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS	1.0	1.8	(X)	1.0	2.0	(X)	0.4	0.1	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	2.5	2.3	(X)	2.6	2.4	(X)	0.6	1.7	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	8.2	16.3	(X)	7.2	15.9	(X)	7.2	9.1	(X)
<b>25 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
EARNINGS	86.0	40.0	(X)	85.9	41.6	(X)	86.7	35.3	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	80.7	38.4	(X)	80.4	39.3	(X)	84.6	35.0	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	5.2	1.6	(X)	5.3	2.3	(X)	2.1	0.2	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.2	-	(X)	0.2	-	(X)	-	0.1	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	14.0	60.0	(X)	14.1	58.4	(X)	13.3	64.7	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	1.8	19.6	(X)	1.8	20.5	(X)	2.5	17.9	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.3	9.5	(X)	0.2	8.4	(X)	1.0	13.6	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.5	12.8	(X)	0.4	10.9	(X)	1.8	18.6	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS	1.4	6.2	(X)	1.3	5.7	(X)	1.9	7.3	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	6.4	3.4	(X)	6.8	4.3	(X)	2.7	1.0	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	3.6	8.4	(X)	3.6	8.6	(X)	3.5	6.2	(X)
<b>65 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
EARNINGS	7.4	0.4	(X)	7.1	0.3	(X)	12.5	1.1	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	6.7	0.6	(X)	6.4	0.6	(X)	11.9	1.0	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.6	0.1	(X)	0.6	-	(X)	0.8	0.4	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.1	-0.3	(X)	0.1	-0.3	(X)	-0.1	-0.3	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	92.6	99.6	(X)	92.9	99.7	(X)	87.5	98.9	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	43.4	78.5	(X)	42.6	79.9	(X)	60.2	72.2	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.1	0.4	(X)	-	0.2	(X)	0.4	0.8	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1.8	13.6	(X)	1.4	11.9	(X)	8.5	21.4	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS	1.5	2.0	(X)	1.5	2.1	(X)	1.0	1.5	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	32.7	3.4	(X)	34.1	4.0	(X)	5.5	0.9	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	13.2	1.8	(X)	13.3	1.7	(X)	11.3	2.0	(X)

**Table 25. Type of Income—Poverty Status in 1984 of Families and Unrelated Individuals, by Age, Sex, and Race of Family Householder or Unrelated Individual—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS, FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF AGGREGATE INCOME--CONTINUED</b>									
<b>MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS</b>									
<b>TOTAL</b>									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
EARNINGS	81.3	46.5	(X)	81.3	49.3	(X)	82.9	38.0	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	75.0	44.4	(X)	74.8	47.2	(X)	80.0	35.6	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	6.1	2.5	(X)	6.3	2.5	(X)	2.9	2.5	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.2	-0.3	(X)	0.2	-0.4	(X)	-0.1	-0.1	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	18.7	53.5	(X)	18.7	50.7	(X)	17.1	62.0	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	4.8	24.2	(X)	4.7	23.4	(X)	6.4	28.8	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.2	5.9	(X)	0.2	4.7	(X)	0.8	9.5	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.4	8.3	(X)	0.3	6.4	(X)	1.5	14.5	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>1</sup>	1.6	4.7	(X)	1.5	4.3	(X)	2.2	5.4	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	6.8	2.5	(X)	7.2	3.2	(X)	2.0	0.6	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	4.9	7.9	(X)	4.8	8.7	(X)	4.3	3.2	(X)
<b>UNDER 25 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
EARNINGS	87.6	73.6	(X)	89.0	73.7	(X)	92.6	81.8	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	84.6	71.3	(X)	85.9	71.4	(X)	90.9	77.8	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2.8	1.8	(X)	2.8	1.8	(X)	1.7	4.0	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.3	0.5	(X)	0.3	0.5	(X)	-	-	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	12.4	26.4	(X)	11.0	26.3	(X)	7.4	18.2	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	0.4	2.4	(X)	0.3	2.6	(X)	1.7	0.5	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.2	2.6	(X)	0.1	1.8	(X)	0.6	6.6	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.2	1.1	(X)	0.1	0.5	(X)	0.9	10.0	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>1</sup>	1.1	2.2	(X)	1.1	2.4	(X)	0.8	0.2	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	2.8	2.5	(X)	3.0	2.8	(X)	0.6	0.2	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	7.8	15.6	(X)	6.3	16.0	(X)	3.0	0.7	(X)
<b>25 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
EARNINGS	88.7	51.7	(X)	88.8	54.7	(X)	88.3	46.0	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	81.4	48.3	(X)	81.2	51.0	(X)	85.2	43.2	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	7.1	3.5	(X)	7.3	4.0	(X)	3.1	2.6	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.2	-0.1	(X)	0.2	-0.3	(X)	-0.1	0.2	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	11.3	48.3	(X)	11.2	45.3	(X)	11.7	54.0	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	1.1	14.4	(X)	1.0	14.7	(X)	2.0	14.9	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.3	9.9	(X)	0.2	8.8	(X)	0.9	13.0	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.3	8.7	(X)	0.2	6.3	(X)	1.3	13.8	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>1</sup>	1.5	6.3	(X)	1.5	5.5	(X)	2.2	7.1	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	5.1	2.6	(X)	5.3	3.6	(X)	2.2	0.5	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	3.1	6.4	(X)	3.1	6.3	(X)	3.2	4.6	(X)
<b>65 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
EARNINGS	13.1	-0.7	(X)	12.8	-1.8	(X)	17.7	1.9	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	11.3	0.4	(X)	11.0	0.1	(X)	16.4	1.1	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1.6	0.7	(X)	1.7	0.3	(X)	1.5	1.9	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.1	-1.8	(X)	0.2	-2.1	(X)	-0.2	-1.1	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	86.9	100.7	(X)	87.2	101.8	(X)	82.3	98.1	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	40.6	76.0	(X)	39.3	75.7	(X)	56.5	76.7	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	-	0.2	(X)	-	-	(X)	0.1	0.6	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1.5	16.4	(X)	1.3	16.1	(X)	4.0	17.7	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>1</sup>	2.6	3.9	(X)	2.6	4.3	(X)	2.7	2.3	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	25.2	2.4	(X)	27.0	2.9	(X)	1.2	0.9	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	17.0	1.9	(X)	16.9	2.6	(X)	17.8	-	(X)

**Table 25. Type of Income—Poverty Status in 1984 of Families and Unrelated Individuals, by Age, Sex, and Race of Family Householder or Unrelated Individual—Continued**

NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT

TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF AGGREGATE INCOME--CONTINUED</b>									
<b>FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS</b>									
<b>TOTAL</b>									
<b>TOTAL</b>	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
<b>EARNINGS</b>	55.9	21.1	(X)	54.3	22.4	(X)	70.2	13.4	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	54.4	20.9	(X)	52.8	21.9	(X)	69.6	14.6	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1.4	0.1	(X)	1.4	0.5	(X)	0.6	-1.1	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.1	0.1	(X)	0.1	0.1	(X)	-	-	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	44.1	78.9	(X)	45.7	77.6	(X)	29.8	86.6	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	17.1	49.4	(X)	17.5	50.4	(X)	14.3	46.9	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.3	3.8	(X)	0.3	3.2	(X)	1.0	6.7	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1.1	12.3	(X)	0.9	10.4	(X)	3.9	22.1	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	1.1	3.1	(X)	1.1	3.0	(X)	1.2	3.7	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	17.1	3.5	(X)	18.4	4.0	(X)	4.2	1.3	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	7.3	6.8	(X)	7.6	6.6	(X)	5.3	5.8	(X)
<b>UNDER 25 YEARS</b>									
<b>TOTAL</b>	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
<b>EARNINGS</b>	87.4	72.9	(X)	87.6	75.0	(X)	85.8	60.5	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	86.4	72.2	(X)	86.4	74.2	(X)	85.0	60.5	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.9	0.7	(X)	1.0	0.8	(X)	0.8	-	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.1	-	(X)	0.1	-	(X)	-	-	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	12.6	27.1	(X)	12.4	25.0	(X)	14.2	39.5	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	0.3	2.7	(X)	0.3	2.1	(X)	1.2	11.4	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.5	3.3	(X)	0.5	3.1	(X)	0.8	6.4	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.1	0.5	(X)	0.1	0.3	(X)	0.3	3.0	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	0.8	1.4	(X)	0.9	1.5	(X)	0.1	-	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1.9	2.1	(X)	2.1	2.1	(X)	0.6	2.9	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	8.9	17.1	(X)	8.6	15.9	(X)	11.2	15.8	(X)
<b>25 TO 64 YEARS</b>									
<b>TOTAL</b>	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
<b>EARNINGS</b>	81.8	30.3	(X)	81.4	32.2	(X)	84.1	22.1	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	79.5	30.1	(X)	79.1	30.8	(X)	83.5	24.8	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2.2	-0.1	(X)	2.2	1.1	(X)	0.6	-2.8	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.1	0.2	(X)	0.1	0.3	(X)	-	-	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	18.2	69.7	(X)	18.6	67.8	(X)	15.9	77.9	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	3.0	23.9	(X)	3.0	24.7	(X)	3.3	21.6	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.4	9.2	(X)	0.4	8.1	(X)	1.2	14.3	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.8	16.2	(X)	0.6	14.2	(X)	2.5	24.6	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	1.2	6.1	(X)	1.2	5.8	(X)	1.4	7.6	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	8.5	4.0	(X)	9.1	4.7	(X)	3.6	1.6	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	4.3	10.2	(X)	4.3	10.3	(X)	4.0	8.2	(X)
<b>65 YEARS AND OVER</b>									
<b>TOTAL</b>	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)	100.0	100.0	(X)
<b>EARNINGS</b>	5.5	0.7	(X)	5.3	0.6	(X)	9.6	0.9	(X)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	5.2	0.7	(X)	5.0	0.6	(X)	9.3	0.9	(X)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.3	-	(X)	0.3	-	(X)	0.3	-0.1	(X)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	-	-	(X)	-	-	(X)	-	-	(X)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	94.5	99.3	(X)	94.7	99.4	(X)	90.4	99.1	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	44.3	79.0	(X)	43.6	80.7	(X)	62.4	70.7	(X)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.1	0.4	(X)	-	0.3	(X)	0.5	0.9	(X)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1.8	13.0	(X)	1.4	11.0	(X)	11.0	22.6	(X)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS <sup>2</sup>	1.2	1.6	(X)	1.2	1.6	(X)	1.0	1.3	(X)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	35.1	3.6	(X)	36.2	4.2	(X)	8.0	0.9	(X)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	12.0	1.7	(X)	12.2	1.5	(X)	7.5	2.7	(X)

<sup>1</sup>DETAIL DOES NOT ADD TO TOTAL BECAUSE SOME FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVE MORE THAN ONE OF THE SPECIFIED TYPES OF INCOME.  
<sup>2</sup>UNEMPLOYMENT AND WORKER'S COMPENSATION, AND VETERANS' PAYMENTS.

**Table 26. Size of Income Deficit—Families and Unrelated Individuals Below the Poverty Level in 1984,  
by Presence of Related Children, and Sex and Race of Family Householder or Unrelated Individual**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS, FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

INCOME DEFICIT	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	FEMALE HHLDR, NO HUSBAND PRESENT <sup>1</sup>	ALL OTHER <sup>2</sup>	TOTAL	FEMALE HHLDR, NO HUSBAND PRESENT <sup>1</sup>	ALL OTHER <sup>2</sup>	TOTAL	FEMALE HHLDR, NO HUSBAND PRESENT <sup>1</sup>	ALL OTHER <sup>2</sup>
<b>ALL FAMILIES<sup>3</sup></b>									
TOTAL	7 532	3 727	3 805	5 120	2 057	3 062	2 142	1 573	569
LESS THAN \$250	307	115	192	223	69	153	73	44	29
\$250 TO \$499	301	92	209	252	64	189	46	28	17
\$500 TO \$999	555	192	363	436	129	307	102	56	46
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	481	175	306	349	94	255	123	77	46
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	535	247	288	391	159	232	133	84	48
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	473	263	210	326	154	172	123	103	20
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	468	230	238	310	126	184	138	93	45
\$3,000 TO \$3,999	929	553	376	610	310	300	286	228	58
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	848	452	397	555	242	313	266	202	64
\$5,000 OR MORE	2 635	1 408	1 227	1 668	709	958	853	658	195
MEDIAN INCOME DEFICIT . . . . . DOLLARS	3 696	3 993	3 259	3 447	3 751	3 133	4 180	4 365	3 552
MEAN INCOME DEFICIT . . . . . DOLLARS	4 157	4 348	3 970	3 947	4 051	3 878	4 578	4 725	4 172
DEFICIT PER FAMILY MEMBER . . . . . DOLLARS	1 156	1 306	1 029	1 137	1 321	1 036	1 191	1 287	965
<b>FAMILIES WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	1 637	384	1 252	1 260	204	1 056	339	169	170
LESS THAN \$250	106	17	89	89	10	79	17	8	9
\$250 TO \$499	134	23	111	116	14	101	16	8	8
\$500 TO \$999	225	45	181	178	30	148	39	12	27
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	174	34	140	138	18	120	36	17	19
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	157	38	119	113	21	92	41	16	25
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	125	54	72	84	24	60	36	28	8
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	138	40	98	91	18	74	40	19	21
\$3,000 TO \$3,999	146	60	87	106	29	77	40	31	9
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	130	27	103	105	18	87	22	9	13
\$5,000 OR MORE	301	47	254	240	22	218	52	22	30
MEDIAN INCOME DEFICIT . . . . . DOLLARS	2 087	2 327	1 945	1 983	2 183	1 930	2 288	2 435	1 934
MEAN INCOME DEFICIT . . . . . DOLLARS	2 737	2 632	2 770	2 736	2 525	2 777	2 707	2 722	2 692
DEFICIT PER FAMILY MEMBER . . . . . DOLLARS	1 182	1 032	1 235	1 225	1 087	1 253	1 026	1 962	1 098
<b>FAMILIES WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS</b>									
TOTAL	5 896	3 342	2 553	3 860	1 853	2 006	1 803	1 404	399
LESS THAN \$250	200	97	103	134	60	74	56	36	20
\$250 TO \$499	167	69	98	137	49	87	30	20	19
\$500 TO \$999	330	148	182	258	99	159	63	44	49
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	307	141	166	211	77	134	87	60	26
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	379	210	169	278	138	140	92	69	23
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	347	209	138	242	130	112	87	75	12
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	331	190	140	218	108	110	99	74	25
\$3,000 TO \$3,999	783	493	290	504	281	223	246	197	49
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	718	425	294	451	224	226	244	193	51
\$5,000 OR MORE	2 334	1 361	973	1 427	687	740	800	636	164
MEDIAN INCOME DEFICIT . . . . . DOLLARS	4 146	4 270	3 967	3 897	3 946	3 836	4 585	4 659	4 306
MEAN INCOME DEFICIT . . . . . DOLLARS	4 551	4 545	4 558	4 343	4 219	4 458	4 929	4 965	4 802
DEFICIT PER FAMILY MEMBER . . . . . DOLLARS	1 151	1 330	980	1 120	1 340	980	1 211	1 316	938
<b>UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS</b>									
TOTAL	6 609	4 035	2 575	5 181	3 262	1 920	1 255	687	568
LESS THAN \$250	415	282	133	349	243	106	56	34	21
\$250 TO \$499	579	377	202	470	321	148	96	48	48
\$500 TO \$999	1 052	759	294	844	610	233	193	139	53
\$1,000 TO \$1,499	917	614	303	692	488	204	212	119	93
\$1,500 TO \$1,999	683	441	242	524	338	186	144	94	50
\$2,000 TO \$2,499	499	266	233	396	223	172	81	34	48
\$2,500 TO \$2,999	377	223	154	312	186	126	62	37	25
\$3,000 TO \$3,999	640	348	291	478	276	201	139	67	78
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	591	310	282	452	243	209	119	57	62
\$5,000 OR MORE	856	414	441	666	333	333	153	64	89
MEDIAN INCOME DEFICIT . . . . . DOLLARS	1 750	1 488	2 245	1 725	1 468	2 237	1 748	1 517	2 189
MEAN INCOME DEFICIT . . . . . DOLLARS	2 274	2 058	2 611	2 248	2 038	2 606	2 304	2 079	2 577

<sup>1</sup>FOR 'UNRELATED INDIVIDUAL' DATA REFERS TO FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS.

<sup>2</sup>FOR 'UNRELATED INDIVIDUAL' DATA REFERS TO MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS.

<sup>3</sup>INCLUDES UNRELATED SUBFAMILIES.

\*CHILDREN DISTRIBUTED BY THE INCOME DEFICIT OF THEIR FAMILY.

**Table 27. Standard Errors of Estimates of Families Below the Poverty Level in 1984, by Selected Characteristics**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

CHARACTERISTIC	ALL FAMILIES						FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT						ALL OTHER FAMILIES						
	ALL RACES		WHITE		BLACK		ALL RACES		WHITE		BLACK		ALL RACES		WHITE		BLACK		
	NUM- BER	STAND- ARD ERROR	NUM- BER	STAND- ARD ERROR	NUM- BER	STAND- ARD ERROR	NUM- BER	STAND- ARD ERROR	NUM- BER	STAND- ARD ERROR	NUM- BER	STAND- ARD ERROR	NUM- BER	STAND- ARD ERROR	NUM- BER	STAND- ARD ERROR	NUM- BER	STAND- ARD ERROR	
AGE OF HOUSEHOLDER																			
TOTAL	7 277	133	4 925	105	2 094	65	3 498	87	1 878	62	1 533	55	3 780	90	3 046	80	561	33	
15 TO 24 YEARS	919	42	607	34	291	23	556	33	299	24	247	22	362	26	309	24	44	9	
25 TO 34 YEARS	2 276	68	1 465	54	736	38	1 278	50	684	36	576	33	998	44	781	39	160	17	
35 TO 44 YEARS	1 610	57	1 126	47	409	28	813	40	475	30	313	24	797	39	651	35	95	13	
45 TO 54 YEARS	954	43	642	35	267	22	390	27	182	19	193	19	564	33	460	30	74	12	
55 TO 59 YEARS	410	28	270	23	118	15	135	16	59	11	68	11	275	23	211	20	36	10	
60 TO 64 YEARS	396	27	299	24	86	13	115	15	61	11	49	10	281	23	238	21	36	10	
65 YEARS AND OVER	713	37	515	31	188	19	209	20	119	15	86	13	503	31	396	27	102	14	
EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HOUSEHOLDER																			
TOTAL	7 277	133	4 925	105	2 094	65	3 498	87	1 878	62	1 533	55	3 780	90	3 046	80	561	33	
IN LABOR FORCE	3 751	90	2 723	75	901	42	1 373	52	754	38	590	34	2 378	70	1 968	63	311	24	
IN ARMED FORCES	19	6	10	4	8	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	
IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	3 732	90	2 712	75	892	42	1 373	52	754	38	590	34	2 359	70	1 958	63	303	24	
EMPLOYED	2 853	77	2 146	66	615	34	955	43	558	33	378	27	1 898	62	1 587	56	238	21	
UNEMPLOYED	879	41	567	33	277	23	418	28	196	19	212	20	461	30	371	27	65	11	
NOT IN LABOR FORCE	3 526	87	2 202	67	1 193	48	2 125	66	1 124	47	943	43	1 401	53	1 078	46	250	22	
WORK EXPERIENCE OF HOUSEHOLDER																			
TOTAL	7 277	133	4 925	105	2 094	65	3 498	87	1 878	62	1 533	55	3 780	90	3 046	80	561	33	
WORKED LAST YEAR	3 574	88	2 615	74	839	40	1 313	51	734	38	557	33	2 261	68	1 862	62	282	23	
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 577	56	1 171	48	360	26	441	29	221	20	214	20	1 136	47	949	43	146	17	
FULL TIME	1 242	49	958	43	250	22	255	22	120	15	133	16	987	44	838	40	116	15	
1 TO 49 WEEKS	1 997	64	1 445	54	479	30	871	41	512	31	343	26	1 125	47	932	43	137	16	
REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:																			
UNEMPLOYED	1 060	46	773	39	235	21	319	25	166	18	143	16	740	38	607	34	92	13	
OTHER	937	43	671	36	245	22	552	33	346	26	200	19	385	27	325	25	45	9	
DID NOT WORK	3 684	89	2 299	69	1 247	50	2 185	67	1 145	47	976	44	1 499	55	1 154	48	270	23	
REASON FOR NOT WORKING:																			
ILL OR DISABLED	910	42	577	33	309	24	359	26	149	17	198	19	551	33	428	29	111	14	
KEEPING HOUSE	1 438	53	830	40	568	33	1 330	51	749	38	545	32	1 099	44	81	12	23	7	
GOING TO SCHOOL	138	16	84	13	33	8	78	12	46	9	28	7	60	11	38	8	5	3	
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	536	32	308	24	201	20	279	23	114	15	160	17	258	22	194	19	41	9	
OTHER	661	36	500	31	135	16	140	16	86	13	45	9	521	32	413	28	90	13	
HOUSEHOLDER IN ARMED FORCES	19	6	10	4	8	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	
NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS																			
TOTAL	7 277	133	4 925	105	2 094	65	3 498	87	1 878	62	1 533	55	3 780	90	3 046	80	561	33	
NO CHILDREN	1 616	57	1 246	50	336	25	374	27	196	19	169	18	1 242	49	1 050	45	167	18	
1 CHILD UNDER 18 YEARS	1 763	60	1 199	49	512	31	1 077	46	634	35	419	28	687	36	565	33	93	13	
2 CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 876	62	1 276	50	527	32	1 043	45	604	34	415	28	833	40	673	36	113	15	
3 CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 157	48	719	37	383	27	595	34	282	23	290	23	562	33	437	29	93	13	
4 CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	514	31	311	24	176	18	256	22	114	15	137	16	258	22	196	19	38	8	
5 CHILDREN OR MORE	351	26	174	18	160	17	154	17	49	10	102	14	198	19	125	15	57	10	
SIZE OF FAMILY																			
2 PERSONS	2 283	68	1 655	58	582	33	1 165	48	709	37	433	29	1 118	47	946	43	149	17	
3 PERSONS	1 716	59	1 152	48	520	32	1 066	46	607	34	435	29	650	35	545	32	84	13	
4 PERSONS	1 516	55	1 026	45	426	29	686	36	342	25	322	25	830	40	684	36	104	14	
5 PERSONS	890	42	595	34	249	22	304	24	138	16	156	17	587	34	457	30	93	13	
6 PERSONS	458	30	277	23	151	17	159	17	53	10	102	14	298	24	223	21	49	10	
7 OR MORE PERSONS	414	28	220	20	165	18	118	15	30	7	84	13	297	24	190	19	81	12	
NUMBER OF WORKERS																			
NO WORKERS	2 949	79	1 831	61	1 011	44	1 840	61	975	44	820	40	1 108	47	856	41	191	19	
1 WORKER	2 826	77	1 914	62	823	40	1 361	52	749	38	577	33	1 465	54	1 165	48	246	22	
2 WORKERS	1 192	48	949	43	199	19	233	21	124	15	103	14	959	43	823	40	96	13	
3 WORKERS OR MORE	310	24	230	21	60	11	63	11	28	7	33	8	247	22	202	20	27	7	
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HOUSEHOLDER																			
TOTAL, 25 YEARS AND OVER	6 359	122	4 317	98	1 803	60	2 941	79	1 580	56	1 286	50	3 418	85	2 738	76	517	31	
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	1 140	47	774	39	316	25	427	29	236	21	173	18	713	37	537	32	144	16	
8 YEARS	620	35	457	30	152	17	271	23	154	17	111	14	349	26	303	24	41	9	
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	1 469	54	875	41	542	32	827	40	399	28	410	28	642	35	476	30	132	16	
4 YEARS	2 056	65	1 442	54	544	32	972	44	535	32	415	28	1 084	46	907	42	128	16	
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	1 075	46	770	39	249	22	445	29	256	22	177	18	629	35	514	31	71	12	

**Table 28. Poverty Status in 1984 of Spanish-Origin Persons, by Family Status and Type of Spanish Origin**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

FAMILY STATUS	TOTAL			MEXICAN			PUERTO RICAN			OTHER SPANISH ORIGIN		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<u>UNITED STATES</u>												
ALL PERSONS												
TOTAL	16 916	4 806	28.4	10 251	2 904	28.3	2 560	1 106	43.2	4 105	795	19.4
65 YEARS AND OVER	819	176	21.5	428	94	22.0	68	21	(8)	322	61	19.0
IN FAMILIES	15 293	4 192	27.4	9 407	2 573	27.4	2 249	943	41.9	3 636	676	18.6
HOUSEHOLDER	3 939	991	25.2	2 251	541	24.1	621	260	41.9	1 067	189	17.7
SPOUSE OF HOUSEHOLDER	2 983	483	16.2	1 790	348	19.5	355	55	15.6	838	79	9.5
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	5 982	2 317	38.7	3 952	1 478	37.4	927	521	56.2	1 103	318	28.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	2 153	869	40.4	1 435	554	38.6	326	185	56.9	391	130	33.1
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	2 389	402	16.8	1 414	206	14.6	346	106	30.6	628	90	14.3
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.88	4.23	(X)	4.18	4.75	(X)	3.62	3.62	(X)	3.41	3.58	(X)
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	22 568	6 216	(X)	22 250	6 895	(X)	17 145	5 204	(X)	26 394	5 663	(X)
IN UNRELATED SUBFAMILIES	143	69	48.0	83	34	40.4	30	25	(8)	29	10	(8)
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	1 481	545	36.8	761	297	39.0	281	138	49.3	439	109	24.9
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	10 411	2 475	(X)	9 699	2 190	(X)	8 426	2 627	(X)	12 913	3 058	(X)
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER, NO HUSBAND PRESENT												
TOTAL	3 139	1 764	56.2	1 556	748	48.1	914	697	76.3	668	318	47.7
HOUSEHOLDER	905	483	53.4	418	183	43.8	273	203	74.4	213	97	45.5
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 541	1 093	71.0	789	506	64.2	479	410	85.7	273	177	64.7
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	494	390	79.0	287	178	71.9	151	139	91.9	96	74	76.9
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	693	187	27.0	349	58	16.8	163	84	51.7	181	44	24.4
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.47	3.65	(X)	3.72	4.08	(X)	3.35	3.44	(X)	3.13	3.28	(X)
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	11 891	4 936	(X)	13 087	4 889	(X)	8 611	5 100	(X)	13 739	4 683	(X)

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CHARACTERISTICS	TOTAL			MEXICAN			PUERTO RICAN			OTHER SPANISH ORIGIN		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>FAMILIES</b>												
<b>AGE OF HOUSEHOLDER</b>												
TOTAL	3 939	991	25.2	2 251	541	24.1	621	260	41.9	1 067	189	17.7
15 TO 24 YEARS	341	138	40.4	219	82	37.4	57	36	(B)	64	20	(B)
25 TO 34 YEARS	1 156	344	29.7	708	186	26.4	184	99	53.9	268	59	22.0
35 TO 44 YEARS	1 031	255	24.8	572	137	23.9	195	70	35.8	264	49	18.4
45 TO 54 YEARS	652	122	18.7	335	66	19.8	99	28	28.5	220	48	12.5
55 TO 59 YEARS	260	45	17.4	142	21	14.8	44	17	(B)	73	7	(B)
60 AND 61 YEARS	85	11	12.9	48	7	(B)	7	2	(B)	30	2	(B)
62 TO 64 YEARS	115	18	16.1	60	9	(B)	20	6	(B)	35	3	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	299	58	19.4	172	33	19.2	15	3	(B)	112	22	19.8
MEDIAN AGE	39.6	35.6	(X)	38.5	35.2	(X)	38.6	34.6	(X)	42.6	38.2	(X)
<b>TYPE OF FAMILY</b>												
TOTAL	3 939	991	25.2	2 251	541	24.1	621	260	41.9	1 067	189	17.7
MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILY	2 824	469	16.6	1 703	341	20.0	323	50	15.3	798	79	9.9
OTHER FAMILY, MALE HOUSEHOLDER	210	39	18.4	130	17	13.5	25	8	(B)	56	13	(B)
OTHER FAMILY, FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER	905	483	53.4	418	183	43.8	273	203	74.4	213	97	45.5
<b>SIZE OF FAMILY</b>												
TOTAL	3 939	991	25.2	2 251	541	24.1	621	260	41.9	1 067	189	17.7
2 PERSONS	962	182	18.9	471	68	14.5	151	57	38.0	340	57	16.6
3 PERSONS	948	225	23.7	496	98	19.4	168	78	46.4	284	50	17.7
4 PERSONS	936	222	23.7	509	114	22.3	179	71	39.6	248	37	15.1
5 PERSONS	552	170	30.7	353	112	31.6	79	33	41.7	120	25	21.0
6 PERSONS	276	82	29.6	202	62	30.8	28	14	(B)	46	6	(B)
7 PERSONS	140	52	37.3	112	39	35.0	8	5	(B)	20	6	(B)
8 PERSONS	69	27	(B)	57	22	(B)	5	1	(B)	6	3	(B)
9 PERSONS OR MORE	37	32	(B)	51	28	(B)	3	2	(B)	3	2	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.88	4.23	(X)	4.18	4.75	(X)	3.62	3.62	(X)	3.41	3.58	(X)
<b>PRESENCE OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS</b>												
TOTAL	3 939	991	25.2	2 251	541	24.1	621	260	41.9	1 067	189	17.7
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 150	119	10.4	592	50	8.5	139	28	20.5	420	41	9.7
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2 789	872	31.3	1 659	491	29.6	482	232	48.1	647	148	22.9
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2.15	2.66	(X)	2.38	3.01	(X)	1.92	2.24	(X)	1.70	2.14	(X)
1 CHILD	959	194	20.2	497	88	17.7	56	56	31.5	286	51	17.8
2 CHILDREN	907	273	30.1	512	136	26.6	171	89	52.3	223	47	21.2
3 CHILDREN	525	194	37.0	337	106	31.5	96	59	61.4	93	30	32.0
4 CHILDREN	238	114	48.0	178	83	46.6	27	19	(B)	33	12	(B)
5 OR MORE CHILDREN	159	95	59.9	135	77	57.5	12	10	(B)	13	8	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	5.59	5.87	(X)	5.57	5.88	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 533	549	35.8	966	332	34.3	243	126	51.8	324	91	28.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1.40	1.58	(X)	1.49	1.67	(X)	1.34	1.47	(X)	1.21	1.42	(X)
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HOUSEHOLDER</b>												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS AND OVER	3 598	853	23.7	2 032	459	22.6	564	225	39.9	1 003	169	16.9
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	1 055	365	34.6	739	247	33.4	133	65	48.4	182	53	29.2
8 YEARS	325	100	30.9	180	49	27.0	54	28	(B)	91	24	26.6
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	566	168	29.6	311	71	22.8	122	71	57.7	133	26	19.8
4 YEARS	931	147	15.8	472	69	14.7	159	43	27.3	300	35	11.6
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	721	73	10.1	329	23	7.1	95	19	19.9	297	31	10.3
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	11.1	8.6	(X)	9.9	7.7	(X)	11.0	9.6	(X)	12.3	9.7	(X)
PERCENT HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	45.9	25.8	(X)	39.4	20.2	(X)	45.0	27.7	(X)	59.5	38.7	(X)
<b>NUMBER OF WORKERS</b>												
TOTAL FAMILIES WITH CIVILIAN HOUSEHOLDERS	3 913	989	25.3	2 240	541	24.2	613	260	42.5	1 060	187	17.7
NO WORKERS	600	445	74.1	244	160	65.8	218	197	90.3	138	88	63.4
HOUSEHOLDER UNDER 65 YEARS	464	404	86.9	164	141	86.4	212	194	91.5	89	68	76.8
1 WORKER	1 281	287	22.6	759	249	32.8	210	55	26.0	312	63	20.3
HOUSEHOLDER ONLY WORKER	1 042	292	28.0	636	208	32.8	153	28	18.2	253	56	22.0
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	239	103	42.9	142	75	52.8	115	16	13.6	166	12	7.1
SPOUSE OR OTHER RELATIVE ONLY WORKER	167	75	44.9	123	40	32.7	56	27	(B)	59	8	(B)
HOUSEHOLDER UNDER 65 YEARS	1 497	143	9.5	81	32	39.1	51	27	(B)	35	8	(B)
HOUSEHOLDER A WORKER	1 427	131	9.2	862	106	11.7	123	7	5.5	468	30	6.3
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	973	37	3.8	575	99	11.4	115	4	3.2	450	28	6.3
SPOUSE A WORKER	1 081	84	7.8	639	63	9.9	89	2	1.9	318	10	3.0
HOUSEHOLDER NOT A WORKER	71	12	(B)	45	8	(B)	8	3	(B)	19	5	4
HOUSEHOLDER UNDER 65 YEARS	54	11	(B)	33	7	(B)	7	3	(B)	18	1	(B)
SPOUSE A WORKER	37	3	(B)	18	1	(B)	4	1	(B)	15	1	(B)
3 OR MORE WORKERS	535	35	6.5	331	26	7.8	62	2	(B)	141	7	4.7
HOUSEHOLDER A WORKER	498	31	6.1	307	24	7.7	59	2	(B)	133	5	3.7
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	362	7	2.1	217	7	3.2	42	-	(B)	102	-	0.5
SPOUSE A WORKER	355	19	5.4	210	14	6.7	40	-	(B)	105	5	4.7
HOUSEHOLDER NOT A WORKER	36	4	(B)	25	2	(B)	3	-	(B)	9	2	(B)
HOUSEHOLDER UNDER 65 YEARS	26	4	(B)	15	2	(B)	3	-	(B)	8	2	(B)

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	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>FAMILIES--CONTINUED</b>												
<b>OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HOUSEHOLDER</b>												
HOUSEHOLDER WORKED LAST YEAR, TOTAL	2 967	453	15.3	1 804	330	18.3	327	34	10.3	836	89	10.7
MANAGERIAL AND PROFESSIONAL SPECIALTY	398	24	5.9	179	14	7.5	45	-	(B)	174	10	5.8
TECHNICAL, SALES, AND ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT	480	57	11.8	247	31	12.5	75	12	16.7	158	14	8.6
TECHNICIANS AND RELATED SUPPORT	51	3	(B)	23	1	(B)	10	1	(B)	17	1	(B)
SALES OCCUPATIONS	178	24	13.5	93	12	13.3	11	2	(B)	75	9	12.5
ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT, INCLUDING CLERICAL	251	29	11.7	132	18	13.3	54	9	(B)	66	3	(B)
SERVICE	417	101	24.3	233	62	26.4	64	14	(B)	119	26	21.9
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	26	13	(B)	16	10	(B)	1	-	(B)	9	3	(B)
PROTECTIVE SERVICE	58	6	(B)	38	5	(B)	12	-	(B)	8	-	(B)
SERVICE, EXCLUDING PROTECTIVE AND HOUSEHOLD	333	83	24.9	179	47	26.1	52	14	(B)	103	23	22.2
FARMING, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	183	65	35.3	169	63	37.0	2	-	(B)	12	2	(B)
PRECISION PRODUCTION, CRAFT AND REPAIR	610	61	10.1	403	48	11.9	47	-	(B)	160	13	8.2
OPERATORS, FABRICATORS, AND LABORERS	876	144	16.4	571	112	19.7	94	7	7.6	210	24	11.5
IN ARMED FORCES LAST YEAR	4	2	(B)	2	2	(B)	-	-	(B)	2	-	(B)
<b>WORK EXPERIENCE OF HOUSEHOLDER</b>												
TOTAL	3 939	991	25.2	2 251	541	24.1	621	260	41.9	1 067	189	17.7
WORKED LAST YEAR	2 967	453	15.3	1 804	330	18.3	327	34	10.3	836	89	10.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 143	173	8.1	1 272	123	9.6	242	18	7.3	628	33	5.2
FULL-TIME	2 037	147	7.2	1 214	108	8.9	236	17	7.1	587	22	3.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	310	60	19.2	207	45	21.6	37	-	(B)	67	15	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	176	62	35.5	109	49	45.2	19	4	(B)	48	9	(B)
26 WEEKS OR LESS	338	158	46.7	217	114	52.7	29	12	(B)	92	32	34.5
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	46.2	36.2	(X)	45.9	36.3	(X)	47.1	37.1	(X)	46.5	35.4	(X)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	946	536	56.6	436	211	48.3	285	227	79.4	224	98	43.8
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:												
ILL OR DISABLED	216	94	43.3	128	54	41.8	45	25	(B)	43	15	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	404	306	75.8	144	95	65.7	181	159	87.7	79	52	66.6
OTHER	326	136	41.8	164	62	38.1	60	43	(B)	103	31	30.1
IN ARMED FORCES	26	2	(B)	11	-	(B)	8	-	(B)	7	2	(B)
<b>SOURCE OF INCOME</b>												
TOTAL	3 939	991	25.2	2 251	541	24.1	621	260	41.9	1 067	189	17.7
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	22 568	6 216	(X)	22 250	6 895	(X)	17 145	5 204	(X)	26 394	5 663	(X)
EARNINGS ONLY	1 157	261	22.5	765	195	25.5	125	20	15.7	266	46	17.2
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	19 702	7 700	(X)	18 898	8 092	(X)	20 953	(B)	(X)	21 422	(B)	(X)
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	1 060	240	22.6	699	178	25.5	121	19	15.3	240	43	18.0
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	33	11	(B)	26	9	(B)	-	-	(B)	7	1	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	63	10	(B)	40	8	(B)	4	1	(B)	19	1	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	2 183	285	13.1	1 242	186	15.0	277	44	15.8	663	56	8.4
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	28 371	7 236	(X)	27 178	7 315	(X)	24 804	(B)	(X)	32 095	(B)	(X)
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	89	17	19.0	66	14	(B)	6	1	(B)	18	2	(B)
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	100	66	65.8	58	43	(B)	30	17	(B)	13	6	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	34	7	(B)	15	2	(B)	6	2	(B)	12	2	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	1 583	133	8.4	901	89	9.8	188	13	6.7	493	31	6.4
OTHER COMBINATIONS	377	63	16.7	202	38	18.7	47	11	(B)	127	15	11.4
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	566	412	72.7	229	145	63.6	208	186	89.8	130	80	61.6
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	7 370	5 070	(X)	8 140	5 452	(X)	5 482	4 878	(X)	9 035	4 822	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	34	18	(B)	21	12	(B)	6	4	(B)	7	3	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	251	251	100.0	70	70	(B)	139	139	100.0	42	42	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	16	11	(B)	4	2	(B)	2	2	(B)	10	7	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	23	19	(B)	8	8	(B)	3	3	(B)	11	9	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	26	15	(B)	20	12	(B)	3	1	(B)	3	2	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	26	20	(B)	7	5	(B)	15	12	(B)	3	3	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	3	1	(B)	1	-	(B)	1	1	(B)	1	-	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	188	75	40.1	97	36	37.4	39	24	(B)	52	15	(B)
NO INCOME	33	33	(B)	15	15	(B)	11	11	(B)	8	8	(B)
<b>TENURE</b>												
FAMILIES	3 939	991	25.2	2 251	541	24.1	621	260	41.9	1 067	189	17.7
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	1 772	200	11.3	1 138	155	13.6	124	8	6.8	511	36	7.1
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	2 167	791	36.5	1 113	386	34.7	497	252	50.7	557	153	27.5
PUBLIC	195	110	56.7	68	47	(B)	90	48	52.6	36	16	(B)
PRIVATE	1 972	681	34.5	1 045	340	32.5	407	204	50.3	521	137	26.3
SUBSIDIZED	79	55	70.4	35	22	(B)	29	22	(B)	14	11	(B)



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	TOTAL	BELOW PCVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS</b>												
<b>AGE</b>												
MALE												
15 TO 24 YEARS	865	301	34.0	499	197	39.5	155	62	40.0	231	42	18.0
25 TO 34 YEARS	238	117	49.2	149	81	54.6	37	18	(B)	53	18	(B)
35 TO 44 YEARS	276	58	21.1	164	46	28.4	39	5	(B)	73	6	(B)
45 TO 54 YEARS	158	52	33.2	94	34	36.4	26	14	(B)	38	5	(B)
55 TO 59 YEARS	68	17	(B)	24	9	(B)	20	7	(B)	25	2	(B)
60 AND 61 YEARS	45	17	(B)	20	9	(B)	12	9	(B)	14	—	(B)
62 TO 64 YEARS	13	4	(B)	10	2	(B)	—	—	(B)	3	2	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	11	4	(B)	2	—	(B)	5	4	(B)	4	—	(B)
MEDIAN AGE	75	30	40.3	37	15	(B)	16	6	(B)	22	10	(B)
	32.4	30.7	(X)	31.1	28.7	(X)	35.7	(B)	(X)	33.6	(B)	(X)
FEMALE												
15 TO 24 YEARS	596	244	40.9	262	100	38.2	125	76	60.7	208	68	32.5
25 TO 34 YEARS	120	70	58.3	64	36	(B)	26	18	(B)	30	16	(B)
35 TO 44 YEARS	124	36	28.9	55	10	(B)	31	14	(B)	37	13	(B)
45 TO 54 YEARS	52	12	(B)	14	4	(B)	13	5	(B)	25	3	(B)
55 TO 59 YEARS	56	15	(B)	20	3	(B)	10	3	(B)	28	9	(B)
60 AND 61 YEARS	45	23	(B)	16	5	(B)	15	13	(B)	13	3	(B)
62 TO 64 YEARS	17	8	(B)	10	5	(B)	1	1	(B)	6	2	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	40	25	(B)	12	8	(B)	10	8	(B)	18	9	(B)
MEDIAN AGE	141	55	39.3	71	30	(B)	19	12	(B)	52	14	(B)
	45.3	47.9	(X)	43.3	44.9	(X)	38.8	50.5	(X)	49.4	(B)	(X)
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS AND OVER	1 122	357	31.8	548	179	32.7	217	102	47.0	357	76	21.3
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	369	200	54.0	221	126	56.9	64	41	(B)	85	34	39.5
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	101	37	36.8	38	10	(B)	30	17	(B)	34	10	(B)
4 YEARS	114	36	32.0	53	13	(B)	40	21	(B)	21	2	(B)
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	274	57	20.7	118	23	19.3	48	18	(B)	108	16	14.9
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	264	27	10.4	118	8	6.4	36	5	(B)	110	14	13.2
PERCENT HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	11.1	7.4	(X)	9.6	6.5	(X)	10.2	8.6	(X)	12.4	8.4	(X)
	47.9	23.5	(X)	43.1	16.9	(X)	38.7	22.6	(X)	60.9	40.2	(X)
<b>WORKER STATUS</b>												
TOTAL CIVILIANS	1 481	545	36.8	761	297	39.0	281	138	49.3	439	109	24.9
WORKER	1 037	248	23.9	564	159	28.1	150	36	24.0	323	53	16.4
NONWORKER	444	297	66.8	197	138	70.2	131	102	78.2	117	56	48.4
65 YEARS AND OVER	193	86	44.4	94	45	47.5	34	18	(B)	65	23	(B)
<b>OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB</b>												
WORKED LAST YEAR, TOTAL	1 027	248	24.1	560	159	28.4	147	36	24.5	320	53	16.5
MANAGERIAL AND PROFESSIONAL SPECIALTY	133	6	4.2	59	2	(B)	23	2	(B)	52	1	(B)
TECHNICAL, SALES, AND ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT	227	27	11.7	109	11	10.1	33	3	(B)	85	13	15.3
TECHNICIANS AND RELATED SUPPORT	33	4	(B)	16	1	(B)	3	—	(B)	14	3	(B)
SALES OCCUPATIONS	94	17	18.0	44	8	(B)	8	—	(B)	42	9	(B)
ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT, INCLUDING CLERICAL	100	6	5.9	49	2	(B)	22	3	(B)	29	1	(B)
SERVICE	240	82	34.1	122	45	37.1	35	18	(B)	83	19	22.8
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	30	16	(B)	12	5	(B)	3	3	(B)	15	8	(B)
PROTECTIVE SERVICE	12	1	(B)	7	1	(B)	1	—	(B)	4	—	(B)
SERVICE, EXCLUDING PROTECTIVE AND HOUSEHOLD	199	65	32.6	103	39	38.3	31	14	(B)	65	11	(B)
FARMING, FORESTRY, AND FISHING	67	38	(B)	62	36	(B)	—	—	(B)	5	2	(B)
PRECISION PRODUCTION, CRAFT AND REPAIR	157	47	30.1	100	35	34.5	22	6	(B)	35	6	(B)
OPERATORS, FABRICATORS, AND LABORERS	201	49	24.2	108	30	28.0	34	7	(B)	59	11	(B)
IN ARMED FORCES LAST YEAR	1	—	(B)	—	—	(B)	—	—	(B)	1	—	(B)
<b>WORK EXPERIENCE</b>												
TOTAL	1 481	545	36.8	761	297	39.0	281	138	49.3	439	109	24.9
WORKED LAST YEAR	1 027	248	24.1	560	159	28.4	147	36	24.5	320	53	16.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	663	57	8.5	345	40	11.7	85	9	10.2	233	7	3.1
FULL-TIME	598	45	7.6	304	33	10.8	91	9	10.8	213	4	1.7
40 TO 49 WEEKS	78	20	25.9	45	9	(B)	10	4	(B)	23	7	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	88	34	38.1	54	23	(B)	13	2	(B)	21	9	(B)
26 WEEKS OR LESS	197	137	69.6	115	86	75.1	38	21	(B)	44	30	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	43.1	29.1	(X)	42.3	29.6	(X)	40.6	26.9	(X)	45.7	28.9	(X)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	444	297	66.8	197	138	70.2	131	102	78.2	117	56	48.4
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:												
ILL OR DISABLED	121	76	62.9	46	26	(B)	44	35	(B)	31	15	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	69	52	(B)	28	22	(B)	23	20	(B)	18	10	(B)
OTHER	254	169	66.5	124	90	73.2	63	47	(B)	68	31	(B)
IN ARMED FORCES	10	—	(B)	5	—	(B)	3	—	(B)	2	—	(B)

**Table 29. Poverty Status in 1984 of Spanish-Origin Families and Unrelated Individuals, by Type of Spanish Origin and Other Selected Characteristics—Continued**

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1985. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

CHARACTERISTICS	TOTAL			MEXICAN			PUERTO RICAN			OTHER SPANISH ORIGIN		
	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
<b>UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS--CONTINUED</b>												
<b>SOURCE OF INCOME</b>												
TOTAL	1 481	545	36.8	761	297	39.0	281	138	49.3	439	109	24.9
MEAN INCOME	10 411	2 475	(X)	9 699	2 190	(X)	8 426	2 627	(X)	12 913	3 058	(X)
EARNINGS ONLY	524	179	34.2	307	126	41.0	78	20	26.0	140	33	23.8
MEAN INCOME	9 650	2 501	(X)	8 290	2 410	(X)	11 346	(B)	(X)	11 692	(B)	(X)
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	497	172	34.5	290	122	42.1	78	20	26.0	129	29	22.6
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	21	7	(B)	12	4	(B)	-	-	(B)	9	4	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	6	-	(B)	4	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	2	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	512	68	13.4	257	33	12.8	72	16	(B)	183	20	10.7
MEAN INCOME	16 210	(B)	(X)	16 012	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)	17 537	(B)	(X)
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	18	3	(B)	8	-	(B)	1	-	(B)	8	3	(B)
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	16	7	(B)	5	3	(B)	10	3	(B)	1	1	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	8	-	(B)	5	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	2	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	452	57	12.6	225	28	12.6	61	13	(B)	165	15	9.3
OTHER COMBINATIONS	19	1	(B)	13	1	(B)	-	-	(B)	5	-	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	345	198	57.3	126	67	53.4	113	84	74.7	107	46	43.5
MEAN INCOME	5 950	3 372	(X)	5 702	(B)	(X)	4 465	3 147	(X)	7 814	(B)	(X)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	70	40	(B)	34	20	(B)	18	11	(B)	18	9	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	45	42	(B)	5	5	(B)	36	33	(B)	4	3	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	39	37	(B)	7	7	(B)	19	18	(B)	13	12	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	29	24	(B)	7	5	(B)	12	12	(B)	10	7	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	42	26	(B)	30	19	(B)	7	5	(B)	5	2	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	119	30	25.1	42	11	(B)	22	6	(B)	56	14	(B)
NO INCOME	99	99	100.0	71	71	(B)	18	18	(B)	10	10	(B)
<b>TENURE</b>												
NONFAMILY HOUSEHOLDERS	944	289	30.7	440	133	30.2	190	91	47.7	313	66	21.0
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	234	47	20.1	128	34	26.4	17	3	(B)	90	11	11.9
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	709	242	34.1	312	99	31.7	174	88	50.7	223	55	24.6
PUBLIC	69	46	(B)	29	18	(B)	28	23	(B)	12	6	(B)
PRIVATE	640	196	30.6	283	81	28.7	146	65	44.9	212	49	23.3
SUBSIDIZED	21	17	(B)	3	3	(B)	14	12	(B)	3	3	(B)

## Appendix A. Definitions, Explanations, and Comparability of Data

### DEFINITIONS AND EXPLANATIONS

**Population coverage.** This report includes the civilian noninstitutional population of the United States and members of the Armed Forces in the United States living off post or with their families on post, but excludes all other members of the Armed Forces. Unrelated individuals under 15 years old are also excluded from this report.

**Geographic regions.** The four major regions of the United States for which data are presented in this report represent groups of States, as follows:

*Northeast:* Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

*Midwest (formerly the North Central Region):* Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, and Wisconsin.

*South:* Alabama, Arkansas, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and West Virginia.

*West:* Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming.

*North and West:* Northeast, Midwest (formerly the North Central Region) and West Regions combined.

**Tenure.** A housing unit is "owner occupied" if the owner or co-owner lives in the unit, even if it is mortgaged or not fully paid for. A cooperative or condominium unit is "owner occupied" only if the owner or co-owner lives in it. All other occupied units are classified as "renter occupied," including units rented for cash rent and those occupied without payment of cash rent. For renter-occupied units, information was also obtained as to whether the unit was publicly owned or subsidized by the Federal, State, or local government.

**Income.** For each person in the sample 15 years old and over, questions were asked on the amount of money income received in the preceding calendar year from each of the following sources: (1) money wages or salary; (2) net income from nonfarm self-employment; (3) net income from farm self-employment; (4) Social Security or railroad retirement; (5) Sup-

plemental Security income; (6) public assistance or welfare payments; (7) interest on savings or other investments which pay interest; (8) dividends, income from estates or trusts, or net rental income; (9) veteran's payments or unemployment and worker's compensation; (10) private pensions or government employee pensions; (11) alimony or child support, regular contributions from persons not living in the household, and other periodic income.

All sources of income may be combined into two major types:

*Total money earnings.* The algebraic sum of money wages or salary and net income from farm and nonfarm self-employment.

*Income other than earnings.* The algebraic sum of all sources of money income except wages and salaries and income from self-employment.

It should be noted that although the income statistics refer to receipts during the preceding year the characteristics of the person, such as age and labor force status, and the composition of families refer to the time of the survey. The income of the family does not include amounts received by persons who were members of the family during all or part of the income year if these persons no longer resided with the family at the time of enumeration. However, family income includes amounts reported by related persons who did not reside with the family during the income year but who were members of the family at the time of enumeration.

Data on consumer income collected in the CPS by the Bureau of the Census cover money income received (exclusive of certain money receipts such as capital gains) before payments for personal income taxes, Social Security, union dues, Medicare deductions, etc. Therefore, money income does not reflect the fact that many families receive part of their income in the form of nonmoney transfers such as food stamps, health benefits, and subsidized housing; that many farm families receive nonmoney income in the form of rent-free housing and goods produced and consumed on the farm; or that nonmoney income is also received by some nonfarm residents in the form of access to business transportation and facilities, full or partial payments by business for retirement programs, medical and educational expenses, etc. These elements should be considered when comparing income levels. Moreover, readers should be aware that for many different reasons there is a tendency in household surveys for respondents to underreport their income. From an analysis of

independently derived income estimates, it has been determined that income earned from wages or salaries is much better reported than other sources of income, and is nearly equal to independent estimates of aggregate income.

The various sources for which income is reported are defined as follows:

*Money wages or salary* is total money earnings received for work performed as an employee during the income year. It includes wages, salary, Armed Forces pay, commissions, tips, piece-rate payments, and cash bonuses earned, before deductions were made for taxes, bonds, pensions, union dues, etc.

*Net income from nonfarm self-employment* is net money income (gross receipts minus expenses) from one's own business, professional enterprise, or partnership. Gross receipts include the value of all goods sold and services rendered. Expenses include cost of goods purchased, rent, heat, light, power, depreciation charges, wages and salaries paid, business taxes (not personal income taxes), etc. In general, inventory changes were considered in determining net income; replies based on income tax returns or other official records do reflect inventory changes. However, when values of inventory changes were not reported, net income figures exclusive of inventory changes were accepted. The value of saleable merchandise consumed by the proprietors of retail stores is not included as part of net income.

*Net income from farm self-employment* is net money income (gross receipts minus operating expenses) from the operation of a farm by a person on his own account, as an owner, renter, or sharecropper. Gross receipts include the value of all products sold, government crop loans, money received from the rental of farm equipment to others, and incidental receipts from the sale of wood, sand, gravel, etc. Operating expenses include cost of feed, fertilizer, seed, and other farming supplies, cash wages paid to farmhands, depreciation charges, cash rent, interest on farm mortgages, farm building repairs, farm taxes (not State and Federal income taxes), etc. The value of fuel, food, or other farm products used for family living is not included as part of net income. In general, inventory changes were considered in determining net income only when they were accounted for in replies based on income tax returns or other official records which reflect inventory changes; otherwise, inventory changes were not taken into account.

*Social Security* includes Social Security pensions and survivors' benefits, and permanent disability insurance payments made by the Social Security Administration prior to deductions for medical insurance. Railroad retirement insurance checks from the U.S. Government are also included. Medicare reimbursements are not included.

*Supplemental Security income* includes payments made by Federal, State, and local welfare agencies to low-income persons who are (1) aged (65 years old or over), (2) blind or (3) disabled.

*Public assistance or welfare payments* include public assistance payments such as aid to families with dependent children and general assistance. Separate payments received

for hospital or other medical care (vendor payments) are excluded from this item.

*Dividends, interest on savings or other investments, income from estates or trusts, net rental income or royalties* include dividends from stockholdings or membership in associations; interest on savings or any type of investment which pays interest; periodic receipts from estates or trust funds; net income from rental of a house, store, or other property to others; receipts from boarders or lodgers; and net royalties.

*Unemployment compensation, veterans' payments, or workers' compensation* include (1) unemployment compensation received from government unemployment insurance agencies or private companies during periods of unemployment and any strike benefits received from union funds; (2) money paid periodically by the Veterans' Administration to disabled members of the Armed Forces or to survivors of deceased veterans, subsistence allowances paid to veterans for education and on-the-job training, as well as so-called "refunds" paid to ex-servicemen as GI insurance premiums; and (3) workers' compensation received periodically from public or private insurance companies for injuries incurred at work. The cost of this insurance must have been paid by the employer and not by the person.

*Private and government employee pensions* include (1) private pensions or retirement benefits paid to a retired person or his survivors by a former employer or by a union, either directly or through an insurance company; (2) government employee pensions paid by Federal, State, county, or other governmental agencies to former employees (including members of the Armed Forces) or their survivors.

*Annuities, alimony, regular contributions from persons not living in the household, and other periodic income* include the following types of income: (1) periodic receipts from annuities or insurance; (2) alimony and child support; (3) contributions received periodically from persons not living in the household; (4) other periodic income such as military family allotments, net gambling winnings, and other kinds of periodic income other than earnings.

**Receipts not counted as income.** Receipts from the following sources were not included as income: (1) money received from the sale of property, such as stocks, bonds, a house, or a car (unless the person was engaged in the business of selling such property, in which case the net proceeds would be counted as income from self-employment); (2) withdrawals of bank deposits; (3) money borrowed; (4) tax refunds; (5) gifts; and (6) lump-sum inheritances or insurance payments.

**Total money income.** The algebraic sum of money wages and salaries, net income from self-employment, and income other than earnings represents total money income. The total income of a family is the algebraic sum of the amounts received by all income recipients in the family.

The income tables for families and unrelated individuals include in the lowest income group those who were classified as having no income in the income year and those reporting a loss in net income from farm and nonfarm self-employment

or in rental income. Many of these were living on income "in kind," savings, or gifts; or were newly constituted families, unrelated individuals who had recently left families, or families in which the sole breadwinner had recently died or had left the household. However, many of the families and unrelated individuals who reported no income probably had some money income which was not recorded in the survey.

**Median income.** The median income is the amount which divides the distribution into two equal groups, one having incomes above the median, and the other having incomes below the median.

**Mean income.** The mean income is the amount obtained by dividing the total income of a group by the number of families or unrelated individuals (as appropriate) in that group.

**Income per family member.** The income per family member is the average amount of income available to every man, woman, and child in a family. Income per family member is derived by dividing the total family income of a group by the number of family members in the same group.

**Poverty definition.** Poverty statistics presented in this report are based on a definition developed by the Social Security Administration in 1964 and revised in 1969 and 1981.

Statistics presented in Census Bureau reports prior to publication of Current Population Reports, Series P-60, No. 68, *Poverty in the United States, 1959 to 1968*, were based on the poverty index developed by the Social Security Administration (SSA) in 1964. This index provided a range of income cutoffs adjusted by such factors as family size, sex of the family head, number of children under 18 years old, and farm-nonfarm residence. At the core of this definition of poverty was the economy food plan, the least costly of four nutritionally adequate food plans designed by the Department of Agriculture. It was determined from the Department of Agriculture's 1955 survey of food consumption that families of three or more persons spent approximately one-third of their income on food; the poverty level for these families was, therefore, set at three times the cost of the economy food plan. For smaller families and persons living alone, the cost of the economy food plan was multiplied by factors that were slightly higher in order to compensate for the relatively larger fixed expenses of these smaller households. Annual revisions of these SSA poverty cutoffs were based on price changes of the items in the economy food budget.

As a result of deliberations of a Federal Interagency Committee in 1969, the following two modifications to the original SSA definition of poverty were recommended: (1) that the SSA thresholds for nonfarm families be retained for the base year 1963, but that annual adjustments in the levels be based on changes in the Consumer Price Index (CPI) rather than on changes in the cost of food included in the economy food plan; and (2) that the farm thresholds be raised from 70 to 85 percent of the corresponding nonfarm levels. The combined

impact of these two modifications resulted in an increase of 360,000 poor families and 1.6 million poor persons in 1967.

In 1980, another interagency committee recommended three additional modifications that were implemented in the March 1982 CPS as well as in the 1980 census: (1) elimination of separate thresholds for farm families, (2) averaging of thresholds for female-householder and "all other" families, and (3) extension of the poverty matrix to families with 9 or more members. For further details, see the section, "Changes in the Definition of Poverty," in Current Population Reports, Series P-60, No. 133.

The poverty thresholds rise each year by the same percentage as the annual average Consumer Price Index. Table A-1 shows the CPI and the corresponding thresholds for a family of four for the years 1959 to 1984.

**Table A-1. The Consumer Price Index and the Average Poverty Threshold for a Family of Four: 1959 to 1984**

Year	Consumer Price Index (1967=100)	Average threshold for a family of four persons <sup>1</sup>
1984	311.1	\$10,609
1983	298.4	\$10,178
1982	289.1	9,862
1981	272.4	9,287
1980	246.8	8,414
1979	217.4	7,412
1978	195.4	6,662
1977	181.5	6,191
1976	170.5	5,815
1975	161.2	5,500
1974	147.7	5,038
1973	133.1	4,540
1972	125.3	4,275
1971	121.3	4,137
1970	116.3	3,968
1969	109.2	3,743
1968	104.8	3,553
1967	100.0	3,410
1966	97.2	3,317
1965	94.5	3,223
1964	92.9	3,169
1963	91.7	3,128
1962	90.6	3,089
1961	89.6	3,054
1960	88.7	3,022
1959	87.3	2,973

<sup>1</sup>For years prior to 1981, average threshold for a nonfarm family of four is shown.

**Alternate level.** Because the poverty definition currently in use by the Federal Government does not meet all the needs of the analysts of the data, a variation was introduced at the same time that modifications were made to the SSA poverty index. This alternate cutoff, set at 125 percent of the official government standard, is obtained by multiplying the income cutoffs at the poverty level by 1.25. Thus, the income cutoff for a family of four at 125 percent of the poverty level was \$13,261 in 1984. Table 2 presents selected data for persons, families, and unrelated individuals below 125 percent of the poverty level. Also, some of the detailed tables shown in this report have been tabulated for those below 125 percent of the poverty level. Requests for these unpublished data, giving a

specific description of the figures desired, may be made in writing to the Chief, Population Division, Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C. 20233.

**Weighted average thresholds at the poverty level.** As shown in table A-2, the poverty cutoffs used by the Bureau of the Census to determine the poverty status of families and unrelated individuals consist of a set of 48 thresholds arranged in a two-dimensional matrix consisting of family size (from one person, i.e., unrelated individuals, to nine or more persons) cross-classified by presence and number of family members under 18 years old (from no children present to eight or more children present). Unrelated individuals and two-person families are further differentiated by the age of the individual or family householder (under 65 years and 65 years and over). The total family income of each family in the sample is tested against the appropriate dollar threshold to determine the poverty status of that family. If the family's total income is less than its corresponding cutoff, the family is classified as below the poverty level. The average thresholds shown in table A-2 were weighted by the presence and number of children. For a given size of family, the weighted average threshold for that group is obtained by multiplying the threshold for each presence and number of children category within the given family size by the number of families in that category. These products are then aggregated across the entire range of presence and number of children categories, and the total aggregate is divided by the total number of families in the group to yield the weighted average threshold at the poverty level for that size family. Because family composition does not remain constant from year to year, the weighted average thresholds for 1984 will not reflect, identically, the change in the CPI between 1984 and earlier years.

Since the basic thresholds used to determine the poverty status of families and unrelated individuals are applied to

all families and unrelated individuals, the weighted poverty thresholds are derived using all families and unrelated individuals rather than just those families and unrelated individuals classified as below the poverty level. To obtain the weighted poverty thresholds for families and unrelated individuals below 125 percent of the poverty level, the weighted thresholds may be multiplied directly by 1.25.

**Income deficit.** Income deficit is the difference between the total income of families and unrelated individuals below the poverty level, and their respective poverty thresholds. In computing the income deficit, families reporting a net income loss are assigned zero dollars and for such cases the deficit is equal to the poverty threshold. This measure provides an estimate of the amount which would be required to raise the incomes of all poor families and unrelated individuals to their respective poverty thresholds. The income deficit is thus a measure of the degree of impoverishment of a family or unrelated individual. However, caution must be exercised in comparing the average deficit of families classified by the race or sex of the householder. Since the poverty thresholds used in this report are based on family size and composition, apparent differences in the average income deficits may, to some extent, be a function of the differences in these characteristics.

**Median income deficit.** The median income deficit is the amount which divides the distribution into two equal groups, one having an income deficit above the median and the other having an income deficit below the median.

**Mean income deficit.** The mean income deficit is the amount obtained by dividing the total income deficit of a group below the poverty level by the number of families or unrelated individuals (as appropriate) in that group.

**Table A-2. Poverty Thresholds in 1984, by Size of Family and Number of Related Children Under 18 Years Old**

Size of family unit	Weighted average thresholds	Related children under 18 years								
		None	One	Two	Three	Four	Five	Six	Seven or more	
One person (unrelated individual) . . . . .	\$5,278									
Under 65 years . . . . .	5,400	\$5,400								
65 years and over . . . . .	4,979	4,979								
Two persons . . . . .	6,762									
Householder under 65 years . . . . .	6,983	6,951	\$7,155							
Householder 65 years and over . . . . .	6,282	6,275	7,128							
Three persons . . . . .	8,277	8,120	8,355	\$8,363						
Four persons . . . . .	10,609	10,707	10,882	10,527	\$10,564					
Five persons . . . . .	12,566	12,912	13,100	12,699	12,388	\$12,199				
Six persons . . . . .	14,207	14,851	14,910	14,603	14,308	13,871	\$13,611			
Seven persons . . . . .	16,096	17,088	17,195	16,827	16,571	16,093	15,536	\$14,925		
Eight persons . . . . .	17,961	19,112	19,281	18,933	18,629	18,198	17,650	17,080	\$16,935	
Nine persons or more . . . . .	21,247	22,990	23,102	22,794	22,536	22,113	21,530	21,003	20,873	\$20,069

**Deficit per family member.** The deficit per family member is the average amount of money necessary to raise every man, woman, and child in a family out of poverty. The deficit per family member is derived by dividing the total family income deficit of a group by the number of family members in the same group.

**Household.** A household consists of all the persons who occupy a housing unit. A house, an apartment or other group of rooms, or a single room, is regarded as a housing unit, when it is occupied or intended for occupancy as separate living quarters; that is, when the occupants do not live and eat with any other person in the structure and there is either (1) direct access from the outside or through a common hall or (2) a kitchen or cooking equipment for the exclusive use of the occupants.

A household includes the related family members and all the unrelated persons, if any, such as lodgers, foster children, wards, or employees who share the housing unit. A person living alone in a housing unit, or a group of unrelated persons sharing a housing unit as partners, is also counted as a household. The count of households excludes group quarters.

**Group quarters.** All persons who are not members of households are regarded as living in group quarters. Group quarters are living arrangements for groups containing five or more persons unrelated to the person in charge, such as residents of lodging and boarding houses. Persons living in military barracks and inmates of institutions were excluded from the survey.

**Householder.** The householder is the first adult listed on the CPS questionnaire. The instructions call for listing first the person (or one of the persons) in whose name the home is owned or rented. If the house is owned jointly by a married couple, either the husband or the wife may be listed first, thereby becoming the reference person, or householder, to whom the relationship of the other household members is recorded. One person in each household is designated as the householder. The number of householders, therefore, is equal to the number of households.

**Family.** The term "family" refers to a group of two or more persons related by birth, marriage, or adoption who reside together; all such persons are considered as members of one family. For example, if the son of the person who maintains the household and the son's wife are members of the household, they are treated as members of the parent's family. Every family must include a householder; two or more people living in the same household who are related to one another, but are not related to the householder, form an "unrelated subfamily" and are not included in the count of families.

**Subfamily.** A subfamily is a married couple with or without children, or one parent with one or more own single children under 18 years old living in a household but not including

among its members the person or couple maintaining the household. Because a subfamily does not include a householder, it is by definition excluded from the count of families. There are two kinds of subfamilies, related and unrelated:

**Related subfamily.** A related subfamily is a subfamily whose members are related to the person or couple maintaining the household. The most common example of a related subfamily is a young married couple sharing the home of the husband's or wife's parents. Members of a related subfamily are also members of the householder's family.

**Unrelated subfamily.** An unrelated subfamily is a subfamily whose members are not related to the person or couple maintaining the household. Members of unrelated subfamilies may include such persons as guests, lodgers, or resident employees and their relatives living in a household. Unrelated subfamily members are not part of the householder's family. Even though unrelated subfamilies are not counted as families, they are treated as families for the purpose of determining whether their members are above or below the poverty level.

**Unrelated individuals.** The term "unrelated individuals" refers to persons 15 years old and over (other than inmates of institutions) who are not living with any relatives. An unrelated individual may (1) constitute a one-person household; (2) be part of a household including one or more other families or unrelated individuals; or (3) reside in group quarters such as a rooming house. Thus, a widow living by herself or with one or more other persons not related to her, a lodger not related to anyone else in the household, and a resident employee with no relatives living in the household are examples of unrelated individuals.

**Size of family.** The term "size of family" refers to the number of persons who are living together and are related to the householder by birth, marriage, or adoption.

**Own children and related children.** "Own" children in a family are sons and daughters, including stepchildren and adopted children, of the householder. Similarly, "own" children in a subfamily are sons and daughters of the married couple or parent in the subfamily. "Related" children in a family include own children and all other children in the household who are related to the householder by birth, marriage, or adoption. All children shown as members of subfamilies are own children.

**Marital status.** The marital status classification identifies four major categories: single, married, widowed, and divorced. These terms refer to the marital status at the time of the enumeration.

The category "married" is further divided into "married, spouse present," "separated," and "other married, spouse absent." A householder is classified as "married, spouse present" if the spouse was reported as a member of the household, even though he or she may have been temporarily absent on business or on vacation, visiting, in a hospital, etc.,

at the time of the enumeration. Persons reported as separated include those with legal separations, those living apart with intentions of obtaining a divorce, and other persons permanently or temporarily separated because of marital discord. The group "other married, spouse absent" includes married persons living apart because either the wife or the husband was employed and living at a considerable distance from home, was residing in an institution, had moved to another area, or had a different place of residence for any other reason except separation as defined above.

**Age.** The age classification is based on the age of the person at his last birthday.

**Race.** The population is divided into three groups on the basis of race: White, Black, and "other races." The last category includes Indians, Japanese, Chinese, and any other race except White and Black. "Other races" are sometimes shown in combination with the Black population.

**Persons of Spanish origin.** Persons of Spanish origin were identified by a question that asked for self-identification of the person's origin or descent. Respondents were asked to select their origin (and the origin of other household members) from a "flash card" listing ethnic origins. Persons of Spanish origin, in particular, were those who indicated that their origin was Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American, or some other Spanish origin. It should be noted that persons of Spanish origin can be of any race.

**Years of school completed.** Data on years of school completed were derived from the combination of answers to questions concerning the highest grade of school attended by the person and whether or not that grade was finished. The questions on educational attainment apply only to progress in "regular" schools. Such schools include graded public, private, and parochial elementary and high schools (both junior and senior), colleges, universities, and professional schools, whether day schools or night schools. Thus, regular schooling is that which may advance a person toward an elementary school certificate or a high school diploma, or a college, university, or professional school degree. Schooling in other than regular schools was counted only if the credits obtained were regarded as transferable to a school in the regular school system.

**Labor force and employment status.** The definitions of labor force and employment status relate to the population 15 years old and over.

**Employed.** Employed persons include (1) all civilians who, during the survey week, did any work at all as paid employees or in their own business or profession, or on their own farm, or who worked 15 hours or more as unpaid workers on a farm or in a business operated by a member of the family, and (2) all those who were not working but who had jobs or businesses from which they were temporarily absent because of

illness, bad weather, vacation, or labor-management dispute, or because they were taking time off for personal reasons, whether or not they were paid by their employers for time off, and whether or not they were seeking other jobs. Excluded from the employed group are persons whose only activity consisted of work around the house (such as own home housework, painting or repairing own home, etc.) or volunteer work for religious, charitable, and similar organizations.

**Unemployed.** Unemployed persons are those civilians who, during the survey week, had no employment but were available for work and (1) had engaged in any specific job-seeking activity within the past 4 weeks, such as registering at a public or private employment office, meeting with prospective employers, checking with friends or relatives, placing or answering advertisements, writing letters of application, or being on a union or professional register; (2) were waiting to be called back to a job from which they had been laid off; or (3) were waiting to report to a new wage or salary job within 30 days.

**Labor force.** Persons are classified as in the labor force if they were employed as civilians, unemployed, or in the Armed Forces during the survey week. The "civilian labor force" is comprised of all civilians classified as employed or unemployed.

**Not in the labor force.** All civilians 15 years old and over who are not classified as employed or unemployed are defined as "not in the labor force." This group of persons who are neither employed nor seeking work includes those engaged only in own home housework, attending school, or unable to work because of long-term physical or mental illness; persons who are retired or too old to work; seasonal workers for whom the survey week fell in an off season; and the voluntarily idle. Persons doing only unpaid family work (less than 15 hours during the survey week) are also classified as not in the labor force.

**Occupation and class of worker.** Persons are classified according to the civilian job held longest during the year. Persons who held two jobs or more were reported in the job at which they worked the greatest number of weeks.

The occupation groupings included in this report are based on the classification system used in the 1980 census. The data included in previous Current Population Reports in the P-60 series, starting with No. 81, were based on the classification system used in the 1970 census. For an explanation and description of the changes from the old to the new system, see the February 1983 issue of "Employment and Earnings," published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Class of worker refers to the subdivision of workers into three groups: wage and salary workers, self-employed workers, and unpaid family workers. The first group refers to persons working for wages, salaries, commissions, tips, pay "in kind," or at piece rate for private employer or for any government unit. The second group refers to persons working



in their own business, profession, or trade, for profit or fees. The third group refers to persons working without pay in a business operated by a member of the household to whom they are related by birth or marriage.

**Work experience.** A person with work experience is one who, during the preceding calendar year, did any civilian work for pay or profit or worked without pay on a family-operated farm or business at any time during the year, on a part-time or full-time basis.

**Weeks worked in the income year.** Persons are classified according to the number of different weeks, during the preceding calendar year, in which they did any civilian work for pay or profit (including paid vacations and sick leave) or worked without pay on a family-operated farm or business.

**Part-time or full-time jobs.** A person is classified as having worked at part-time jobs during the preceding calendar year, if he worked at civilian jobs which provided less than 35 hours of work per week in a majority of the weeks in which he worked during the year. He is classified as having worked at full-time jobs if he worked 35 hours or more per week during a majority of the weeks in which he worked.

**Year-round, full-time worker.** A year-round, full-time worker is one who worked primarily at full-time civilian jobs (35 hours or more per week) 50 weeks or more during the preceding calendar year.

**Number of workers.** The number includes all persons in the family who worked at anytime during the year.

**Nonworker.** A nonworker is one who did not do any civilian work in the calendar year preceding the survey.

**Main reason for working part year.** For persons who worked 1 to 49 weeks during the year, the main reason for working part year is based on the response to the question "What were you doing most of the remaining weeks?"

**Main reason for not working.** For persons who reported that they did not work at a civilian job for pay or profit or on a family-operated farm or business during the year, the main reason for not working is derived from the response to the question "What were you doing most of last year?"

**Rounding.** Percentages are rounded to the nearest tenth of a percent; therefore, the percentages in a distribution do not always add to exactly 100.0 percent. The totals, however, are always shown as 100.0. Moreover, individual figures are rounded to the nearest thousand without being adjusted to group totals, which are independently rounded; percentages are based on the unrounded numbers.

**Symbols.** A dash (—) represents or rounds to zero. The symbol "B" means that the base for the derived figures is less than

75,000. The symbol "X" means not applicable, "NA" means not available, and the symbol "r" means revised.

**Base figures.** The base figures shown for 1980 and later years were prepared by inflating weighted sample results to agree with independent estimates of the population based on statistics updated from the 1980 census. The base figures shown for 1969 to 1979 were based on statistics updated from the 1970 census, whereas the figures for the years 1961 to 1968 were inflated to estimates derived from the 1960 census. The data for the years prior to 1961 were based on the 1950 census. A more detailed description of this change can be found in an article entitled "Revisions in Current Population Survey," *Employment and Earnings*, Vol 18, No. 8, February 1972, published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

The introduction of population controls and estimation procedures based on the 1980 census raised the number of persons from 217.8 million to 222.9 million in the March 1980 CPS and the number of families from 58.4 to 59.6 million. The number of persons and families below the poverty level rose proportionately, from 25.3 to 26.1 million, and from 5.3 to 5.5 million, respectively.

## THE POVERTY CONCEPT

In analyzing data on the low-income population, the following limitations should be noted. The poverty concept has been developed in order to identify, in dollar terms, a minimum level of income adequacy for families of different types in keeping with American consumption patterns. Based on an analysis of the percent of income devoted to food expenditures, an estimate was developed of the minimum cost at which an American family, making average choices, can be provided with a diet meeting recommended nutritional goals. Consequently, it is an overall statistical yardstick which reflects the different consumption requirements of families of different size, taking into account family composition. Insofar as individual circumstances or consumption patterns differ, the dollar value of the poverty threshold for a given family size may not represent the money income required by an individual family to maintain a level of economic well being equivalent to other families with similar incomes. For a discussion of the limitations of money income as a measure of economic status, see "Trends and Composition of the Low-Income Population," by Renee Miller and Arno Winard, Proceedings of the Social Statistics Section, American Statistical Association, 1974.

A detailed review of the poverty definition was completed in 1976. The Education Amendments of 1974 required the Assistant Secretary of Education, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, to supervise a "thorough study of the manner in which the relative measure of poverty for use in the financial assistance program authorized by Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 may be more accurately and currently developed." At the end of 1974 an interagency Poverty Studies Task Force was established under the leadership of HEW which undertook an intensive

review of the present definition of poverty and of the implications of various alternative measurement schemes. The findings of this study have been summarized in the report entitled "The Measure of Poverty" which was transmitted to Congress in April 1976.

Because of increasing interest in the effect of the receipt of noncash benefits on the income and poverty data, the March 1980 CPS introduced supplemental questions covering a selected group of such benefits. Data on this subject from the March 1984 survey are presented in Current Population Reports, Series P-60, No. 150, *Characteristics of Households and Persons Receiving Selected Noncash Benefits: 1984*. Results of research conducted at the Census Bureau on the valuation of in-kind transfers are presented in Technical Paper 55, *Estimates of Poverty Including the Value of Noncash Benefits: 1984*.

## COMPARABILITY OF ESTIMATES FROM MARCH 1985 CPS WITH ESTIMATES FOR PREVIOUS YEARS

Estimates from the March 1985 CPS are in some instances not strictly comparable with estimates for previous years due to several factors. Among these factors are changes in (1) population controls and metropolitan residence definitions; (2) collection of income and work experience data; (3) noninterviews, nonresponses, and allocations; (4) questionnaire wording and procedures; (5) change in sample size; and (6) definition of the income universe. Each of these factors is discussed in the following sections, and readers should consider these differences when comparing current with previous years' estimates.

### Population Controls

Beginning with 1979, the data shown in this report are based on population controls derived from the 1980 census. The data for 1969 to 1978 reflect 1970 census-based population controls, while figures for previous years are tied in with 1960 census-based controls. Basically, these changes should have no substantial impact on summary measures, such as medians and means, and on proportional measures, such as percent distributions and poverty rates. However, the changes may have more impact on the population levels in different sub-groupings such as the total number of persons or families either overall, within some particular income interval, or below the poverty level. A detailed description of these changes appears in the Bureau of Labor Statistics report, *Employment and Earnings*, Vol. 18, No. 8, February 1972.

### Collection of Income and Work Experience Data

This report presents data for persons and family householders with varying amounts of work experience. In the surveys from March 1966 to March 1969, civilian work experience data collected in the February and April surveys were matched with income data collected in the March survey for

all households. In the surveys prior to March 1966 only persons included in the February and March surveys were matched.

Nonmatched persons included in the February and March interviews or the March and April interviews were almost always assigned work experience information from actual respondents with similar economic and demographic characteristics. Work experience values were estimated only when there was a nonmatched person with a given classification, but no respondent with similar economic and demographic characteristics.

No April or February 1969 survey record could be found for about 6 percent of the people included in the March 1969 survey. The major reasons for these nonmatches were migration, noninterviews, and coding errors. Beginning with the March 1970 survey, in order to eliminate the nonmatches and to improve the consistency between income and work experience data, both the income and work experience data were collected together in the March surveys.

The remaining persons, whose work experience data were assigned, resulted from inconsistencies between their work experience and income data and from persons who did not answer the work experience questions.

### Noninterviews, Nonresponses, and Allocations

In the March 1985 CPS, no interview was obtained for approximately 5 percent of the 62,000 households in the sample. No interview was obtained at these households during the enumeration week for reasons such as "no one home," "temporarily absent," or "refusals." In order to account for these households, the weights assigned to households in which interviews were obtained have been increased slightly. This "noninterview" adjustment procedure adjusts the weights of sample households by race of head and within a specified set of geographical restrictions.

The nonresponse problem, which is sometimes referred to as "item nonresponse," is a serious problem in most household surveys and is especially troublesome for income. In many cases, even though an interview is obtained, complete information for all of the income questions is not available, unknown, or refused. In March 1985 the income data were incomplete for about 30 percent of the persons 15 years old and over. About 36 percent of the families had one or more members with incomplete income information. In order that the maximum amount of information can be utilized, missing income items are imputed or allocated by values which are obtained from active respondents with similar economic and demographic characteristics.

Although nonresponse rates for families by poverty status are not available, it is known that families in the lower income intervals tend to have lower nonresponse rates than those in the middle and upper income intervals. This is due in part to the fact that lower income families have less complicated financial arrangements than those in other income groups. For a more detailed discussion of this topic see "Income

Nonresponses in the Current Population Survey" by Mitsuo Ono and Herman P. Miller published in *Proceedings of the Social Statistics Section, American Statistical Association, 1969*.

### **Questionnaire Wording and Procedures**

A modified version of an experimental questionnaire which was tested on three-eighths of the March 1979 sample was used for the full sample beginning in March 1980. The experimental questionnaire contained a number of modifications designed to improve income reporting. For further discussion, see the section, "Modifications to the March 1980 CPS" in Current Population Reports, Series P-60, No. 130.

### **Changes in Sample Size**

Starting with the March 1977 CPS, the basic monthly sample was expanded from about 56,000 housing units to 68,000. The expanded sample was used until the March 1982 survey, when the sample size was reduced to about 62,000 households. Neither of these changes in sample size had any major effect on the data for the poverty population.

### **Definition of the Income Universe**

Starting in the March 1980 CPS, a decision was made to restrict the universe for presenting income data to persons 15 years old and over instead of 14 years old and over. This change was made to establish consistency between the results from the March 1980 CPS and the 1980 Census of Population. Although income data were collected for persons 14 years old and over, the income of the 14-year-olds was not used for processing and tabulation purposes.

The March 1980 CPS also incorporated the use of the "householder" concept rather than the traditional "head" concept. Under the new procedure, the householder is the first adult household member listed on the questionnaire. The instructions call for listing first the person (or one of the persons) in whose name the home is owned or rented.

Another change made in the March 1980 CPS was the exclusion of secondary families (now called unrelated subfamilies) from the count of all families. This modification was required because of the introduction of the householder concept, since unrelated subfamilies do not have a householder. For more discussion on all of the above-mentioned changes, see the section, "Modifications to the March 1980 CPS" in Current Population Reports, Series P-60, No. 130.

## Appendix B. Source and Reliability of Estimates

### SOURCE OF DATA

Most of the estimates in this report are based on data obtained from the March 1985 Current Population Survey (CPS). However, some estimates are based on data obtained from the CPS in earlier years and from the 1960 decennial census.

The monthly CPS deals mainly with labor force data for the civilian noninstitutional population. Questions relating to labor force participation are asked about each member in every sample household. In addition, supplementary questions are asked every March about income for the previous year. Unrelated individuals under 15 years are excluded from the income supplement. In order to obtain more reliable data for the Spanish population, the March CPS sample was enlarged to include all households from the previous November sample which contained at least one person of Spanish origin. For this report, persons in the Armed Forces living off post or with their families on post are included.

The present CPS sample was initially selected from census files with coverage in all 50 States and the District of Columbia. The sample is continually updated to reflect new construction. In this sample, approximately 59,500 housing units were eligible for interview. Of this number, about 2,500 units were visited but interviews were not obtained because the occupants were not found at home after repeated calls or were unavailable for some other reason. The Spanish supplemental sample adds about 2,500 eligible housing units.

The following table provides a description of some aspects of the CPS sample design in use during the referenced data collection periods.

#### Description of the March Current Population Survey

Time period	Number of sample areas <sup>1</sup>	Housing units eligible <sup>2</sup>	
		Inter-viewed	Not inter-viewed
1985 .....	3	57,000	2,500
1982 to 1984 .....	629	58,000	2,500
1980 to 1981 .....	629	65,500	3,000
1977 to 1979 .....	614	55,000	3,000
1973 to 1976 .....	481	48,500	2,500
1972 .....	449	45,000	2,000
1967 to 1971 .....	449	48,000	2,000
1963 to 1966 .....	357	33,500	1,500
1960 to 1962 .....	*333	33,500	1,500
1959 .....	330	33,500	1,500

Note: Prior to 1966, income data were collected from approximately 75 percent of occupied households in CPS.

<sup>1</sup>These sample areas were chosen to provide coverage in each State and the District of Columbia.

<sup>2</sup>Does not include enlargements for Spanish households.

<sup>3</sup>Three rotation groups were located in 629 areas and five rotation groups in 729 areas.

<sup>4</sup>Three sample areas were added in 1960 to represent Alaska and Hawaii after statehood.

The estimation procedure used in this survey involved the inflation of the weighted sample results to independent estimates of the total civilian noninstitutional population of the United States by age, race, and sex and Hispanic/non-Hispanic categories. These independent estimates were based on statistics from decennial censuses of population; statistics on births, deaths, immigration and emigration; and statistics on the strength of the Armed Forces. The independent population estimates used to obtain data for money income for 1979 and later are based on the 1980 decennial census. In earlier reports in this series (P-60), data for 1971 through 1979 were obtained using independent population estimates based on the 1970 decennial census. For more details on this change, see the section of the text, "Introduction of 1980 Census Population Controls" in an earlier report (Series P-60, No. 133). The estimation procedure for the data in the report also involved a further adjustment so that husband and wife of a household received the same weight.

**CPS design phase-in.** Since the inception of the CPS in 1940, the sample has been redesigned several times, to upgrade the quality and reliability of the data and to meet changing data needs. Beginning in April 1984, the CPS design was phased out through a series of changes that were completed in July 1985. The March 1985 CPS sample consisted of three rotation groups where sample segments in continuing and outgoing areas were obtained by sampling from 1970 census materials; one rotation group where sample segments in continuing areas were obtained by sampling from 1970 census materials, sample segments in new areas were based on 1980 census materials, and no sample in outgoing areas; and four rotation groups where sample segments in continuing and new areas were obtained from 1980 census materials. A continuing area was one that stayed in sample with both the 1970 and 1980 designs and an outgoing area was one that was no longer in sample in the 1980 design. The March sample had three rotation groups located in 629 areas comprising 1,148 counties, independent cities, and minor civil divisions and five rotation groups located in 729 sample areas representing 1,973 counties and equivalent geographic areas.

### RELIABILITY OF ESTIMATES

Since the CPS estimates were based on a sample, they may differ somewhat from the figures that would have been obtained if a complete census had been taken using the same questionnaires, instructions, and enumerators. There are two types of errors possible in an estimate based on a sample survey: sampling and nonsampling. The accuracy of a survey

result depends on both types of errors, but the full extent of the nonsampling error is unknown. Consequently, particular care should be exercised in the interpretation of figures based on a relatively small number of cases or on small differences between estimates. The standard errors provided for the CPS estimates primarily indicate the magnitude of the sampling error. They also partially measure the effect of some nonsampling errors in responses and enumeration; but do not measure any systematic biases in the data. (Bias is the difference, averaged over all possible samples, between the estimate and the desired value.)

**Nonsampling variability.** Nonsampling errors can be attributed to many sources, e.g., inability to obtain information about all cases in the sample, definitional difficulties, differences in the interpretation of questions, inability or unwillingness on the part of respondents to provide correct information, inability to recall information, errors made in collection such as in recording or coding the data, errors made in processing the data, errors made in estimating values for missing data, and failure to represent all units with the sample (undercoverage).

Undercoverage in the CPS results from missed housing units and missed persons within sample households. Overall undercoverage as compared to the level of the 1980 Decennial Census, is about 7 percent. It is known that CPS undercoverage varies with age, sex, and race. Generally, undercoverage is larger for males than for females and larger for Blacks and other races combined than for Whites. Ratio estimation to independent age-sex-race Hispanic population controls, as described previously, partially corrects for the bias due to survey undercoverage. However, biases exist in the estimates to the extent that missed persons in missed households or missed persons in interviewed households have different characteristics than interviewed persons in the same age-sex-race group. Further, the independent population controls used have not been adjusted for undercoverage in the 1980 census.

In most cases, the questionnaire entries for income are based on the memory or knowledge of one person, usually the wife. The memory factor in data derived from field surveys of income probably produces underestimates because the tendency is to forget minor or irregular sources of income. Other errors of reporting are due to misrepresentation or to misunderstanding as to the scope of the income concept. See also the section entitled "Other Limitations of the Data" in appendix A.

For additional information on nonsampling error including the possible impact on CPS data when known, refer to Statistical Policy Working Paper 3, *An Error Profile: Employment as Measured by the Current Population Survey*, Office of Federal Statistical Policy and Standards, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1978 and Technical Paper 40, *The Current Population Survey: Design and Methodology*, Bureau of the Census, U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Sampling variability.** The standard errors given in the following tables are primarily measures of sampling variability, that is,

of the variations that occurred by chance because a sample rather than the entire population was surveyed. The sample estimate and its standard error enable one to construct confidence intervals, ranges that would include the average results of all possible samples with a known probability. For example, if all possible samples were selected, each of these being surveyed under essentially the same general conditions and using the same sample design, and if an estimate and its standard error were calculated from each sample, then:

1. Approximately 68 percent of the intervals from one standard error below the estimate to one standard error above the estimate would include the average results of all possible samples.
2. Approximately 90 percent of the intervals from 1.6 standard errors below the estimate to 1.6 standard errors above the estimate would include the average results of all possible samples.
3. Approximately 95 percent of the intervals from two standard errors below the estimate to two standard errors above the estimate would include the average results of all possible samples.

The average estimate derived from all possible samples is or is not contained in any particular computed interval. However, for a particular sample, one can say with specified confidence that the average estimate derived from all possible samples is included in the confidence interval.

Standard errors may also be used to perform hypothesis testing, a procedure for distinguishing between population parameters using sample estimates. The most common types of hypotheses appearing in this report are: (1) the population parameters are identical, and, (2) the population parameters are different. An example of this would be comparing the poverty rate for Whites to the poverty rate for Blacks. Tests may be performed at various levels of significance, where a level of significance is the probability of concluding that the parameters are different when, in fact, they are identical.

To perform the most common test, let  $x$  and  $y$  be sample estimates for two characteristics of interest. Let the standard error on the difference  $x-y$  be  $\sigma_{DIFF}$ . If the ratio  $R = (x-y)/\sigma_{DIFF}$ , is between  $-2$  and  $+2$ , no conclusion about the characteristics is justified at the 0.05 level of significance. If, on the other hand, this ratio is smaller than  $-2$  or larger than  $+2$ , the observed difference is significant at the 0.05 level. In this event, it is commonly accepted practice to say that the characteristics are different. Of course, sometimes this conclusion will be wrong. When the characteristics are, in fact, the same, there is a 5 percent chance of concluding that they are different. All statements of comparison in the text have passed a hypothesis test at the 0.10 level of significance or better, and most have passed a hypothesis test at the 0.05 level of significance or better. This means that, for most differences cited in the text, the estimated difference between characteristics is greater than twice the standard error of the difference. For the other differences mentioned, the estimated difference between characteristics is between 1.6 and 2.0

times the standard error of the difference. When this is the case, the statement of comparison is qualified by the use of the phrase "some evidence."

**Comparability of data.** Caution should be used when comparing estimates for 1979 and later, which reflect 1980 census-based population controls, to those for 1971 through 1978, which reflect 1970 census-based population controls. This change in population controls had relatively little impact on summary measures such as means, medians, and percent distributions, but did have a significant impact on levels. For example, use of 1980 based population controls resulted in about a 2-percent increase in the civilian noninstitutional population and in the number of families and households. Thus, estimates of levels for 1970 and later will differ from those for earlier years more than what could be attributed to actual changes in the population and these differences could be disproportionately greater for certain subpopulation groups than for the total population.

A number of changes were made in data collection and estimation procedures beginning with the March 1980 CPS. The major changes were the use of a more detailed income questionnaire, the use of the "householder" concept instead of the traditional "head" concept, the introduction of the new farm definition, and use of more detailed income intervals in the upper range of the income distribution. Due to these and other changes caution should be used in comparing estimates for 1979 through 1984 with estimates for earlier years. A description of these changes and the effect they had on the data is given in the section "Modifications to the March 1980 CPS" of an earlier report (Series P-60, No. 130).

Another major change is the phase-out of the 629 sampling areas obtained by sampling from 1970 census materials and using the 729 sampling areas obtained by sampling from 1980 census materials. The current number of sample areas is not completely comparable to the old number of sample areas since many of the sample areas have been redefined.

**Note when using small estimates.** Summary measures (such as medians and percent distributions) are shown only when the base is 75,000 or greater. Because of the large standard errors involved, there is little chance that summary measures would reveal useful information when computed on a smaller base. Estimated numbers are shown, however, even though the relative standard errors of these numbers are larger than those for corresponding percentages. These smaller estimates are provided primarily to permit such combinations of the categories as serve each data user's needs. Also, care must be taken in the interpretation of small differences. For instance, even a small amount of nonsampling error can cause a borderline difference to appear significant or not, thus, distorting a seemingly valid hypothesis test.

**Standard error tables and their use.** In order to derive standard errors that would be applicable to a large number of estimates and could be prepared at a moderate cost, a number

of approximations were required. Therefore, instead of providing an individual standard error for each estimate, generalized sets of standard errors are provided for various types of characteristics. As a result, the sets of standard errors provided give an indication of the order of magnitude of the standard error of an estimate rather than the precise standard error.

The figures presented in table B-1 provide approximations to the standard errors of estimates of the number of persons and families by poverty status and race for the years 1966 through 1984. Table B-2 contains approximations to standard errors of estimated percentages of persons below the poverty level. Table B-3 presents the factors ( $f_1$ ) to be used to calculate standard errors for selected characteristics. Table B-4 presents the factors ( $f_2$ ) to be used to estimate standard errors for the years 1959 to 1965.

To calculate standard errors for estimated numbers and percentages of persons and families in poverty it was necessary to use two parameters (denoted as "a" and "b") which are presented in tables B-5 through B-9. These parameters were used to calculate the standard errors in tables B-1 and B-2 and to calculate the "f" factors in table B-3. Direct computation of the standard errors will give more accurate results than the use of the standard error tables. Methods for direct computations are given in the following sections.

**Data based on 1960 census 1-in-1,000 sample.** Standard errors for data based on the 1960 census 1-in-1,000 sample are estimated by applying the appropriate factor given in table B-4 to the standard errors shown in tables B-1 and B-2.

**Standard errors of estimated numbers.** The approximate standard errors  $\sigma_x$ , of an estimated number shown in this report can be obtained in two ways. It may be obtained by use of the formula

$$\sigma_x = f_2 \sigma \quad (1)$$

where  $f_2$  is the appropriate factor from table B-4 to be used for estimates for the years 1959 to 1965, and  $\sigma$  is the standard error of the estimate obtained by interpolation from table B-1. Alternatively, the standard errors may be approximated by formula (2), from which the standard errors were calculated in table B-1. Use of this formula will provide more accurate results than the use of formula (1) above.

$$\sigma_x = f_2 \sqrt{ax^2 + bx} \quad (2)$$

Here  $x$  is the size of the estimate and  $a$  and  $b$  are the parameters in tables B-5 through B-9 associated with the particular type of characteristic, and  $f_2$  is the appropriate factor from table B-4. When calculating standard errors for numbers from cross-tabulations involving different characteristics, use the factor or set of parameters for the characteristic which will give the largest standard error.

**Illustration of the computation of the standard error of an estimated number.** The text table of this report shows that in 1984 there were 33,700,000 persons below the poverty

**Table B-1. Standard Errors of Estimated Numbers of Persons and Families, by Poverty Status and Race: 1966 Through 1984**

(Numbers in thousands)

Size of estimate	Standard error for persons				Standard error for families and unrelated individuals	
	All income levels		Below poverty level		All income levels	Below poverty level
	Total	65 years and over	Total	65 years and over		
<b>Total or White<sup>1</sup></b>						
100	14	14	28	17	13	14
250	22	22	45	27	21	22
500	31	30	63	38	29	31
1,000	43	42	89	54	41	44
2,500	68	65	140	82	65	72
5,000	96	86	197	108	91	106
10,000	134	103	276	128	127	162
25,000	204	(X)	423	(X)	192	307
50,000	268	(X)	566	(X)	247	532
100,000	314	(X)	696	(X)	269	(X)
<b>Black<sup>1</sup></b>						
100	15	14	28	17	14	14
250	23	22	44	25	22	22
500	33	29	62	33	30	31
1,000	46	34	88	37	42	44
2,500	70	(X)	135	(X)	64	72
5,000	94	(X)	182	(X)	85	106
10,000	118	(X)	229	(X)	(X)	(X)
15,000	122	(X)	242	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>Spanish Origin (1973-82)<sup>2</sup></b>						
100	17	17	34	21	16	16
250	27	27	54	33	25	25
500	39	38	76	47	35	35
1,000	55	(X)	107	(X)	49	49
2,500	86	(X)	169	(X)	77	77
5,000	120	(X)	237	(X)	108	108
10,000	167	(X)	330	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>Spanish Origin (1983-84)</b>						
100	18	17	36	21	16	16
250	29	25	56	30	26	26
500	41	26	79	32	36	36
1,000	56	(X)	109	(X)	50	50
2,500	82	(X)	159	(X)	73	73
5,000	98	(X)	191	(X)	87	87
10,000	66	(X)	127	(X)	(X)	(X)

X Not applicable.

<sup>1</sup>To estimate standard errors for the years 1959 to 1965 multiply the above standard errors by the appropriate factor in table B-4.<sup>2</sup>Poverty status for persons of Spanish origin was published beginning in 1973.

level. Using formula (2) with  $a = -0.000031$  and  $b = 7946$  from table B-5 and  $f_2 = 1.0$  from table B-4, the approximate standard error is:

$$1.0 \sqrt{(-0.000031)(33,700,000)^2 + (7946)(33,700,000)} = 482,000^1$$

This means that a 68-percent confidence interval for the number of persons that reported they were below the poverty level in 1984 is from 33,218,000 to 34,182,000. A 95-percent confidence interval is from 32,736,000 to 34,664,000.

<sup>1</sup>Using formula (1), table B-1, and the appropriate  $f_2$  (1.0) from table B-4, the approximate standard error is 473,000.

**Standard errors of estimated percentages.** The reliability of an estimated percentage, computed using sample data for both numerator and denominator, depends on both the size of the percentage and the size of the total upon which this percentage is based. Estimated percentages are relatively more reliable than the corresponding estimates of the numerators of the percentages, particularly if the percentages are 50 percent or more. When the numerator and denominator of the percentage are in different categories, use the factor or parameter indicated by the numerator. The approximate standard error,  $\sigma(x,p)$ , of an estimated percentage can be obtained by use of the formula

$$\sigma(x,p) = f_1 f_2 \sigma \quad (3)$$

Table B-2. Standard Errors of Estimated Percentages of Persons Below the Poverty Level: 1966 Through 1984

Base of estimated percentage (thousands)	Estimated percentage				
	2 or 98	5 or 95	10 or 90	25 or 75	50
75	4.6	7.1	9.8	14.1	16.3
100	3.9	6.1	8.5	12.2	14.1
250	2.5	3.9	5.3	7.7	8.9
500	1.8	2.7	3.8	5.5	6.3
1,000	1.2	1.9	2.7	3.9	4.5
2,500	0.8	1.2	1.7	2.4	2.8
5,000	0.6	0.9	1.2	1.7	2.0
10,000	0.4	0.6	0.8	1.2	1.4
25,000	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.8	0.9
50,000	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6
100,000	0.12	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.4

Note: To estimate the standard errors for a specific characteristic multiply the above standard errors by the appropriate factor in table B-3. To estimate standard errors for the years 1959 to 1965 multiply the above standard errors by the appropriate factor in table B-4.

Table B-3. Factors to be Applied to Generalized Standard Errors in Table B-2

Characteristic	Factor (f <sub>1</sub> )
Persons below the poverty level:	
Total or White	1.0
Black	1.0
Spanish origin (1972-82)	1.2
Spanish origin (1983 & 1984)	1.3
Families or unrelated individuals below the poverty level:	
Total or White	1
Black	1
Spanish origin (1973-82)	0.6
Spanish origin (1983 & 1984)	0.6
Persons of all income levels:	
Total or White	0.5
Black	0.5
Spanish origin (1973-82)	0.6
Spanish origin (1983 & 1984)	0.7
Families or unrelated individuals of all income levels:	
Total or White	0.5
Black	0.5
Spanish origin (1973-82)	0.6
Spanish origin (1983 & 1984)	0.6
Age of householder	<sup>2</sup> 0.5
Number of related children under 18 years	<sup>2</sup> 0.5
Size of family	<sup>2</sup> 0.5
Educational attainment of householder	<sup>2</sup> 0.5

Note: For characteristics not appearing in this table, f<sub>1</sub> = appropriate b parameter / 7946

<sup>1</sup>Factors do not exist for these characteristics. Standard errors must be calculated using formula (4) and appropriate parameters in table B-7.

<sup>2</sup>Use these factors to obtain standard errors of these characteristics by race.

In this formula, f<sub>1</sub> and f<sub>2</sub> are the appropriate factors from tables B-3 and B-4, and  $\sigma$  is the standard error of the estimate obtained by interpolation from table B-2. Alternatively, the standard errors may be approximated by formula (4). Use of this formula will provide more accurate results than use of formula (3) above.

$$\sigma(x,p) = f_2 \sqrt{\frac{b}{x} \cdot p(100-p)} \quad (4)$$

Here x is the size of the subclass of persons, or families and unrelated individuals which is the base of the percentage, p is the percentage (0 < p < 100), b is the parameter in tables B-5 through B-9 associated with the particular type of characteristic in the numerator of the percentage, and f<sub>2</sub> is the appropriate factor from table B-4.

**Illustration of the computation of the standard error of a percentage.** The text table also shows that of the 33,700,000 persons below the poverty level, 9,490,000 or 28.2 percent, were Black. Using formula (4) with b = 7946 from table B-5, and f<sub>2</sub> = 1.0 from table B-4, the approximate standard error on an estimate of 28.2 percent is

$$1.0 \sqrt{\frac{7946}{33,700,000} (28.2)(100-28.2)} = 0.7 \text{ percent}^2$$

This means that a 68-percent confidence interval for the percentage of Black persons below the poverty level in 1984 is from 27.5 to 28.9 percent. A 95-percent confidence interval is from 26.8 to 29.6 percent.

**Standard error of a difference.** For a difference between two sample estimates, the standard error is approximately equal to

$$\sigma(x,y) = \sqrt{\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2 - 2 \rho \sigma_x \sigma_y} \quad (5)$$

<sup>2</sup>Using formula (3), table B-2, and the appropriate f<sub>1</sub> and f<sub>2</sub> from tables B-3 and B-4, the approximate standard error is 0.7.

Table B-4. Factors to be Applied to All Standard Errors For 1959 to Present

Year	Source of data	Factor (f <sub>2</sub> )
1959	1-in-1,000 sample of 1960 census	0.6
1959 to 1964	CPS	1.4
1965	CPS	1.2
1966 to present	CPS	1.0



**Table B-5. Parameters for Estimated Numbers and Percentages of Persons, by Poverty Status, Age, Sex, and Race: 1966 Through 1984**

Characteristic	Below the poverty level				All income levels			
	Total or White		Black		Total or White		Black	
	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b
Total persons <sup>1</sup>	-0.000031	7946	-0.000270	7946	-0.000009	1885	-0.000077	2155
Male	-0.000064	7946	-0.000577	7946	-0.000024	1885	-0.000232	2155
Female	-0.000060	7946	-0.000508	7946	-0.000022	1885	-0.000192	2155
Under 14	-0.000052	6057	-0.000052	6057	-0.000056	1885	-0.000308	2155
14 years and over	-0.000019	3017	-0.000178	3017	-0.000011	1885	-0.000105	2155
14 to 24	-0.000077	3017	-0.000542	3017	-0.000043	1885	-0.000329	2155
25 to 34	-0.000098	3017	-0.000939	3017	-0.000058	1885	-0.000511	2155
35 to 44	-0.000134	3017	-0.001253	3017	-0.000080	1885	-0.000727	2155
45 to 64	-0.000070	3017	-0.000765	3017	-0.000043	1885	-0.000466	2155
65 years and over	-0.000139	3017	-0.001683	3017	-0.000083	1885	-0.001001	2155

<sup>1</sup>These parameters should be multiplied by 1.5 for nonmetropolitan residence categories.

Note: To estimate standard errors for the years 1959 through 1965 use the appropriate factor in Table B-4.

where  $\sigma_x$  and  $\sigma_y$  are the standard errors of the estimates  $x$  and  $y$ . The estimates can be numbers, percents, ratios, etc. The correlation coefficient  $\rho$  can be determined from table B-10 for year-to-year comparisons for poverty estimates of numbers and proportions; for other comparisons assume that  $\rho$  equals zero. Making this assumption will result in accurate estimates of the same characteristic in two different areas, or for the difference between separate and uncorrelated characteristics in the same area. If, however, there is a high positive (negative) correlation between the two characteristics, the formula will overestimate (underestimate) the true standard error.

**Illustration of the computation of the standard error of a difference.** The text table shows that the number of families below the poverty level in 1984 was 7,277,000 and in 1983 was 7,647,000. The apparent difference is 370,000. Using formula (2), the appropriate b-parameter from table B-7, the

standard errors on 7,277,000 and 7,647,000 are approximately 133,000 and 137,000, respectively.<sup>3</sup>

Therefore, using formula (5) with  $\rho = 0.30$  from table B-10, the standard error of the estimated difference of 370,000 is about

$$\sqrt{(133,000)^2 + (137,000)^2 - 2(.30)(133,000)(137,000)} = 160,000.$$

This means that a 68-percent confidence interval for the difference between the number of families below the poverty level in 1983 and 1984 is from 210,000 to 530,000. A 95-percent confidence interval is from 50,000 to 690,000. Since zero is not contained in the confidence interval, we may conclude with 95-percent confidence that between 1983 and 1984 the number of families below the poverty level decreased.

<sup>3</sup>a = 0.0000076, b = 1876 and  $f_2 = 1.0$ .

**Table B-6. Parameters for Estimated Numbers and Percentages of Persons of Spanish Origin, by Poverty Status, Age, and Sex: 1973 Through 1984**

Characteristic	Below the poverty level				All income levels			
	1973-82		1983 and 1984		1973-82		1983 and 1984	
	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b
Total persons	-0.000063	11528	-0.001131	12923	-0.000020	3000	-0.000301	3444
Male	-0.000130	11528	-0.002307	12923	-0.000043	3000	-0.000615	3444
Female	-0.000123	11528	-0.002219	12923	-0.000038	3000	-0.000591	3444
Under 14	-0.000052	6057	-0.001399	6790	-0.000089	3000	-0.000710	3444
14 years and over	-0.000032	4520	-0.000421	5067	-0.000021	3000	-0.000286	3444
14 to 24	-0.000122	4520	-0.001414	5067	-0.000080	3000	-0.000961	3444
25 to 34	-0.000169	4520	-0.001587	5067	-0.000105	3000	-0.001079	3444
35 to 44	-0.000230	4520	-0.002443	5067	-0.000145	3000	-0.001880	3444
45 to 64	-0.000117	4520	-0.002147	5067	-0.000077	3000	-0.001459	3444
65 years and over	-0.000153	4520	-0.006068	5067	-0.000147	3000	-0.004124	3444

Note: Poverty status for persons of Spanish origin was published beginning in 1973. These parameters should be multiplied by 1.5 for nonmetropolitan residence categories.

**Table B-7. Parameters for Estimated Numbers and Percentages of Families or Unrelated Individuals, by Poverty Status and Race: 1966 Through 1984**

Race	Below the poverty level		All income levels	
	a	b	a	b
Total or White <sup>1</sup> . . .	+0.000076	1876	-0.000010	1721
Black <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	+0.000076	1876	-0.000089	1876
Spanish Origin:				
1973-82 . . . . .	-0.000014	2420	-0.000014	2420
1983-84 . . . . .	-0.000237	2713	-0.000237	2713

<sup>1</sup>To estimate standard errors for the years 1959 to 1965, use the appropriate factor in table B-4.

Note: These parameters should be multiplied by 1.5 for nonmetropolitan residence categories.

**Confidence interval and standard error of a median.** The sampling variability of an estimated median depends upon the form of the distribution as well as the size of its base. An approximate method for measuring the reliability of an estimated median is to determine a confidence interval about it. The following procedure may be used to estimate a 68-percent confidence interval and hence the standard error of a median based on sample data.

1. Determine, using the standard error tables and factors or formula (4), the standard error of the estimate of 50 percent from the distribution.
2. Add to and subtract from 50 percent the standard error determined in step (1).
3. Using the distribution of the characteristic, calculate the values from the distribution corresponding to the two points established in step (2). These values will be the limits for the 68-percent confidence interval.
4. Divide the difference between the two points determined in step (3) by two to obtain the standard error of the median.

A 95-percent confidence interval may be determined by finding the values corresponding to 50 percent plus and minus twice the standard error determined in step (1).

The formula used to implement step (3) for linear interpolation is:

$$\text{Linear: } x_{pn} = \frac{N_1 - pN}{N_1 - N_2} (A_2 - A_1) + A_1 \quad (6)$$

where  $N$  = total number of families or persons in the distribution.

$x_{pN}$  = estimated upper and lower limits for the confidence interval ( $0 < p < 1$ ). For the purposes of calculating the confidence interval,  $p$  takes on the two values in step (2).

$A_1$  and  $A_2$  = The estimates which are the lower and upper limits, respectively, for the interval in which the median falls.

$N_1$  and  $N_2$  = the estimated number of families or persons with incomes (or deficits) greater than or equal to  $A_1$  and  $A_2$ , respectively.

**Illustration of the computation of a confidence interval for a median.** Using the estimates from table 26 it can be shown that the median income deficit for poor White families with a female householder (no husband present) was \$3,751 in 1984. The size, or base, of the distribution from which this median was determined is 2,057,000 families.

1. Using formula (4) with  $b = 876$  and  $f_2 = 1.0$ , the standard error of 50 percent on a base of 2,057,000 is about 1.5 percent.

**Table B-8. Parameters for Estimated Numbers and Percentages of Selected Characteristics of Families or Unrelated Individuals Regardless of Income Status**

Characteristics of families	Total or White <sup>1</sup>		Black <sup>1</sup>		Spanish Origin			
	1973-84		1973-84		1973-82		1983-84	
	a	b	a	b	a	b	a	b
Age of householder . . . . .	-0.000010	1778	-0.000066	1606	-0.000010	1820	-0.000108	1820
Employment status of householder . . . . .	-0.000025	2013	-0.000243	2013	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Work experience of householder . . . . .	-0.000025	2013	-0.000243	2013	-0.000007	1241	-0.000222	1241
Number of related children under 18 . . . . .	-0.000010	1778	-0.000066	1606	-0.000010	1820	-0.000108	1820
Size of family . . . . .	-0.000010	1778	-0.000087	1606	-0.000010	1820	-0.000104	1820
Number of workers . . . . .	-0.000016	2327	-0.000144	2327	-0.000007	1241	-0.000109	1241
Educational attainment of householder . . . . .	-0.000010	1778	-0.000146	1606	-0.000010	1820	-0.000108	1820

<sup>1</sup>To obtain standard errors for data prior to 1973, see parameters provided in earlier reports.

Note: These parameters should be multiplied by 1.5 for nonmetropolitan residence categories.

**Table B-9. Parameters for Estimated Numbers and Percentages of Persons and Families Below the Poverty Level, by Region and Farm-Nonfarm Residence: 1966 Through 1984**

Region	Persons <sup>1</sup>		Families or unrelated individuals			
			Below poverty level		All income levels	
	a	b	a	b	a	b
North and West . . . . .	-0.000032	8184	0.000078	1932	-0.000010	1601
Northeast . . . . .	-0.000032	8184	0.000078	1932	-0.000010	1773
Midwest (formerly North Central) . . . . .	-0.000032	8264	0.000079	1951	-0.000010	1790
West . . . . .	-0.000029	7390	0.000071	1745	-0.000010	1601
South . . . . .	-0.000034	8661	0.000083	2045	-0.000011	1876
Farm <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	-0.000042	15177	0.000085	3452	-0.000011	3167
Nonfarm <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	-0.000031	7946	0.000076	1876	-0.000010	1721

<sup>1</sup>To estimate standard errors for persons at all income levels divide these parameters by 4.3 and use the appropriate formula given in the text.  
<sup>2</sup>Introduction of the new sample design has temporarily prevented the development of farm-nonfarm estimates.

Note: To estimate standard errors for the years 1959 to 1965 use the appropriate factor in table B-4.

- To obtain a 68-percent confidence interval on an estimated median, add to and subtract from 50 percent the standard error found in step 1. This yields percent limits of 48.5 and 51.5.
- From table 26, the lower and upper limits for the interval in which the median falls are \$3,000 and \$4,000, respectively. From the same table, the estimated numbers of poor White families with a female householder with an income deficit greater than or equal to \$3,000 and \$4,000 are 1,261,000 and 951,000, respectively.

Using formula (6), the lower limit for the confidence interval of the median is found to be about

$$\frac{1,261,000 - (.515)(2,057,000)}{1,261,000 - 951,000} (\$4,000 - \$3,000) + \$3,000 = \$3,650$$

Similarly, the upper limit is found to be about

$$\frac{1,261,000 - (.485)(2,057,000)}{1,261,000 - 951,000} (\$4,000 - \$3,000) + \$3,000 = \$3,850$$

Thus, a 68-percent confidence interval for the median income deficit for poor White families with a female householder is from \$3,650 to \$3,850.

The standard error of the median is, therefore,

$$\frac{\$3,850 - \$3,650}{2} = \$100$$

**Standard error of an estimated arithmetic mean.** The standard error of an arithmetic mean can be approximated by formula (7). Because of the approximations used in developing formula (7), an estimate of the standard error of the mean obtained from that formula will generally underestimate the true standard error. The formula used to estimate the standard error of a mean is

$$\sigma_{\bar{x}} = f_2 \sqrt{\frac{b}{y} \cdot S^2} \tag{7}$$

In this formula,  $f_2$  is the appropriate factor from table B-4,  $y$  is the size, or the base, of the distribution and  $b$  is the parameter in tables B-5 to B-9. The variance,  $S^2$  is given by the following formula:

$$S^2 = \sum_{i=1}^c p_i \bar{x}_i^2 - \bar{x}^2$$

**Table B-10. Year-to-Year Correlation Coefficients for Poverty Estimates**

Characteristic	1983-84 <sup>1</sup>		1972-73 to 1982-83 <sup>1</sup>		1971-72		1970-71	
	Persons	Families	Persons	Families	Persons	Families	Persons	Families
Total . . . . .	0.39	0.30	0.45	0.35	0.15	0.14	0.31	0.28
White . . . . .	0.30	0.26	0.35	0.30	0.14	0.13	0.28	0.25
Black . . . . .	0.39	0.30	0.45	0.35	0.17	0.16	0.35	0.32
Other races . . . . .	0.39	0.39	0.45	0.35	0.17	0.16	0.35	0.32
Spanish origin . . . . .	0.56	0.47	0.65	0.55	<sup>2</sup>	<sup>2</sup>	<sup>2</sup>	<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Correlation coefficients for 1983-1984 are lower than those for 1982-1983 because of the phase-in of the new sample design.  
<sup>2</sup>Poverty status for persons of Spanish origin was published beginning in 1973.

Note: These correlation coefficients are for estimates of consecutive years. For estimates of nonconsecutive years, all correlation coefficients should be assumed zero.

where  $\bar{x}$  is the mean of the distribution, defined by  $\sum_{i=1}^c p_i \bar{x}_i$ ;  $c$  is the number of intervals;  $i$  indicates a specific interval, taking on values 1 through  $c$ ;  $p_i$  is the percentage of total cases in the  $i$ th interval; and  $\bar{x}_i$  is the midpoint of the  $i$ th interval (or discrete value of the  $i$ th interval).<sup>4</sup>

**Standard error of a ratio.** Certain mean values for persons in families or households shown in tables of this report were calculated as the ratio of two numbers. For example, the mean number of children per family with children is calculated as

$$\frac{x}{y} = \frac{\text{total number of children in families}}{\text{total number of families with children}}$$

Standard errors for these means may be approximated as shown below. There are two cases to consider. In either case, the denominator  $y$  represents a count of families or households of a certain class, and the numerator  $x$  represents a count of persons with the characteristic under consideration who are members of these families or households.

<sup>4</sup>For income table of families below the poverty level, use -\$2,500 as the midpoint for "Loss" and \$20,600 as the midpoint for "\$20,000 and over." For incomes of unrelated individuals below the poverty level, use -\$9,100 as the midpoint for "Loss" and \$5,200 as the midpoint for "5,000 and over". For the income deficit table, use \$7,400 as the midpoint of the "\$5,000 or more" interval and \$4,900 for the "\$1,500 or more" interval.

**Case 1:** There is at least one person having the characteristic in every family or household of the class: for example, the mean number of persons per family or the mean number of children per family with children. For ratios of this kind, the standard errors are approximated by the following formula:

$$\frac{\sigma_x}{y} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{x}{y}\right)^2 \left[\left(\frac{\sigma_y}{y}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\sigma_x}{x}\right)^2 - 2\rho \left(\frac{\sigma_x}{x}\right) \left(\frac{\sigma_y}{y}\right)\right]} \quad (8)$$

The standard error of the estimated number of families,  $\sigma_y$  and the standard error of the estimated number of persons with the characteristic,  $\sigma_x$ , may be obtained from table B-1. Alternatively, formula (2) may be used. In formula (8),  $\rho$  represents the correlation coefficient between the numerator and the denominator of the estimate. In the above example, and for other ratios of this kind, use 0.7 as an estimate of  $\rho$ .

**Case 2:** The number of persons having the characteristic in a given family may be 0, 1, 2, 3, or more; for example, the mean number of children per family. For ratios of this kind the standard error is approximated by formula (8) but  $\rho$  is assumed to be zero. If  $\rho$  is actually positive (negative), then this procedure will provide an overestimate (underestimate) of the true standard error of the ratio.

## Appendix C. Underreporting of Income

As in most household surveys, the estimated total amount of income received by persons is somewhat less than estimated amounts derived from independent sources, such as the Bureau of Economic Analysis, the Social Security Administration, and the Veterans Administration. The difference between the survey estimate and the independent estimate is termed "underreporting."

In order to estimate the magnitude of underreporting in the CPS, estimates of aggregate money income are made from independent sources (for each income source) by adjusting aggregate income figures from these sources to CPS money income concepts. One of the more important adjustments is the exclusion of "nonmoney" income amounts, such as pay to employees in the form of food or lodging or imputed rent of owner-occupied housing, from aggregate personal income figures obtained from BEA.

Because of the difficulty in obtaining reliable independent estimates of aggregate income for some individual sources of income collected in the CPS, the independent estimates shown in table C-1 do not include figures for (1) estates or trusts, (2) alimony and child support, (3) contributions from persons not living in the household, (4) general assistance, and (5) the "anything else" category. Independent estimates of aggregate nonfarm and farm self-employment income are based on the BEA personal income series even though they pose some troublesome conceptual problems. It should be noted that the independent estimates are themselves subject to errors because there is no precise method of measuring the amounts of certain types of income (e.g. interest, dividends and rent) that are received by households. In addition, the independent estimates probably understate certain types of income because they only partially take into account income received through the underground economy.

The data in table C-1 show comparisons of CPS aggregate money income in 1983 with independent estimates. Com-

parisons of the CPS estimates with the independent totals reveal that overall income in the survey after allocation is underreported by about 10 percent. However, wide variations are found in the amount of underreporting by source of income. Underreporting varied from about 45 percent for interest income to only about 1 percent for wage and salary income. Both reported and allocated proportions of CPS aggregate incomes are shown in table C-1. The estimates of underreporting are shown for the total population. Comparable estimates are not available for the poverty population.

In 1983 \$442.2 billion, or about 20 percent of the total aggregate income was allocated as a result of nonresponses to the income questions. About 13 percent of the \$10.5 billion of the CPS public assistance or welfare income in 1983 was allocated, while about 33 percent of the \$119.8 billion of nonfarm self-employment income was allocated. Other sources of income with allocated proportions of 30 percent or above include interest and dividends.

The reasons for underreporting of income in the CPS and in other household surveys are many and varied. Some of the more important of these reasons include (1) respondent's overlooking income received (especially small amounts not regularly received), (2) reluctance to reveal the receipt of certain income types, (3) reporting rounded amounts, (4) misunderstanding the questions, (5) lack of information especially covering family members not present during the interview, (6) interviewer's errors in recording information on the questionnaire, (7) biases in the allocation of nonresponses, and (8) errors resulting from the aggregation of the information collected from individual questionnaires.

For additional information on reporting accuracy, see "Income Reported in the 1970 Census Versus Income Reported in Federal Income Tax Returns: a Case-by-Case Comparison," by Douglas K. Sater, in *Proceedings of the Social Statistics Section of the American Statistical Association: 1978*.

**Table C-1. Comparison of CPS Aggregate Money Income in 1983 With Independent Estimates of Aggregate Money Income Adjusted to CPS Money Income Concepts, by Type of Income and Reported and Allocated CPS Amounts**

Source of income	Independent source		CPS					
	Millions of dollars	Percent distribution	Total		Reported		Allocated	
			Millions of dollars	Percent distribution	Millions of dollars	Percent distribution	Millions of dollars	Percent distribution
Total income.....	(NA)	(A)	2,201.2	(X)	1,759.0	(X)	442.2	(X)
Total income, independent estimates.....	2,402.5	100.0	2,164.9	100.0	1,730.4	100.0	434.4	100.0
SOURCES WITH INDEPENDENT ESTIMATES								
Wages or salaries.....	1,632.3	67.9	1,616.3	74.7	1,327.3	76.7	288.9	66.5
Nonfarm self-employment.....	104.1	4.3	119.8	5.5	80.4	4.6	39.4	9.1
Farm self-employment.....	8.5	0.4	10.3	0.5	8.1	0.5	2.2	0.5
Social Security/railroad retirement.....	155.2	6.5	142.3	6.6	113.2	6.5	29.1	6.7
Supplemental Security Income.....	9.0	0.4	7.6	0.4	6.3	0.4	1.3	0.3
Aid to Families with Dependent Children....	13.8	0.6	10.5	0.5	9.2	0.5	1.3	0.3
Interest.....	220.9	9.2	99.4	4.6	65.7	3.8	33.8	7.8
Dividends.....	60.2	2.5	27.3	1.3	18.1	1.0	9.2	2.1
Net rent and royalties.....	34.3	1.4	16.5	0.8	12.8	0.7	3.6	0.8
Veterans' payments.....	14.0	0.6	8.8	0.4	7.3	0.4	1.5	0.4
Unemployment compensation.....	26.1	1.1	19.7	0.9	16.0	0.9	3.8	0.9
Workers' compensation.....	14.1	0.6	6.6	0.3	5.0	0.3	1.7	0.4
Private pensions and annuities.....	54.7	2.3	34.6	1.6	26.4	1.5	8.3	1.9
Federal government and military retirement.....	34.9	1.5	31.8	1.5	24.1	1.4	7.7	1.8
State and local government retirement.....	20.5	0.9	13.3	0.6	10.7	0.6	2.6	0.6
SOURCES WITHOUT INDEPENDENT ESTIMATES								
Estates and trusts.....	(NA)	(X)	6.7	(X)	4.8	(X)	1.9	(X)
Alimony and child support.....	(NA)	(X)	8.3	(X)	7.1	(X)	1.3	(X)
Contributions from persons not living in household.....	(NA)	(X)	5.4	(X)	4.2	(X)	1.2	(X)
Other public assistance.....	(NA)	(X)	2.4	(X)	1.9	(X)	0.5	(X)
All other money income.....	(NA)	(X)	13.6	(X)	10.6	(X)	3.0	(X)
			CPS reported and allocated as a percent of CPS total			CPS as a percent of independent sources		
Source of income			Total	Reported	Allocated	Total	Reported	Allocated
Total income.....	100.0		79.9	20.1		(X)	(X)	(X)
Total income, independent estimates.....	100.0		80.0	20.0		90.1	72.0	18.1
SOURCES WITH INDEPENDENT ESTIMATES								
Wages or salaries.....	100.0		82.1	17.9		99.0	81.3	17.7
Nonfarm self-employment.....	100.0		67.1	32.9		115.1	77.2	37.8
Farm self-employment.....	100.0		78.6	21.4		121.3	95.3	26.0
Social Security/railroad retirement.....	100.0		79.5	20.5		91.7	72.9	18.7
Supplemental Security Income.....	100.0		82.4	17.6		84.9	70.0	14.9
Aid to Families with Dependent Children....	100.0		87.2	12.8		76.0	66.3	9.7
Interest.....	100.0		66.0	34.0		45.0	29.7	15.3
Dividends.....	100.0		66.4	33.6		45.4	30.1	15.2
Net rent and royalties.....	100.0		77.9	22.1		48.1	37.5	10.6
Veterans' payments.....	100.0		82.6	17.3		63.3	52.3	11.0
Unemployment compensation.....	100.0		80.9	19.1		75.5	61.1	14.4
Workers' compensation.....	100.0		75.0	25.0		47.0	35.3	11.7
Private pensions and annuities.....	100.0		76.1	23.9		63.3	48.2	15.1
Federal government and military retirement.....	100.0		75.7	24.3		91.2	69.1	22.2
State and local government retirement.....	100.0		80.3	19.7		64.7	52.0	12.7
SOURCES WITHOUT INDEPENDENT ESTIMATES								
Estates and trusts.....	100.0		71.8	28.2		(X)	(X)	(X)
Alimony and child support.....	100.0		84.7	15.3		(X)	(X)	(X)
Contributions from persons not living in household.....	100.0		78.4	21.6		(X)	(X)	(X)
Other public assistance.....	100.0		80.5	19.5		(X)	(X)	(X)
All other money income.....	100.0		77.7	22.3		(X)	(X)	(X)

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