

Table 713. Work Experience of People During 2008 by Poverty Status, Sex, and Age: 2008

[104,023 represents 104,023,000. Covers only persons 16 years old and over. Based on Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplement (ASEC); see text, this section, Section 1, and Appendix III]

Sex and age	Worked full-time year-round			Did not work full-time year-round			Did not work		
	Number (1,000)	Below poverty level		Number (1,000)	Below poverty level		Number (1,000)	Below poverty level	
		Number (1,000)	Percent		Number (1,000)	Percent		Number (1,000)	Percent
BOTH SEXES									
Total	104,023	2,754	2.6	54,294	7,331	13.5	77,707	17,131	22.0
16 to 17 years old	99	6	6.1	2,130	181	8.5	6,822	1,268	18.6
18 to 64 years old	100,626	2,711	2.7	47,837	7,029	14.7	40,723	12,365	30.4
18 to 24 years old	7,284	399	5.5	12,839	2,193	17.1	8,565	2,691	31.4
25 to 34 years old	23,580	875	3.7	10,484	2,011	19.2	6,455	2,465	38.2
35 to 54 years old	53,257	1,226	2.3	17,668	2,264	12.9	14,763	4,834	32.7
55 to 64 years old	16,504	211	1.3	6,846	561	8.2	10,940	2,374	21.7
65 years old and over	3,298	37	1.1	4,327	121	2.8	30,163	3,498	11.6
MALE									
Total	59,869	1,586	2.6	24,020	3,124	13.0	30,733	6,593	21.5
16 to 17 years old	55	6	(B)	1,068	91	8.5	3,472	635	18.3
18 to 64 years old	57,792	1,561	2.7	20,790	2,985	14.4	15,137	4,932	32.6
18 to 24 years old	4,158	210	5.0	6,294	882	14.0	4,057	1,184	29.2
25 to 34 years old	13,780	461	3.3	4,757	843	17.7	1,903	762	40.0
35 to 54 years old	30,593	746	2.4	6,892	1,006	14.6	4,778	1,935	40.5
55 to 64 years old	9,261	145	1.6	2,847	255	8.9	4,398	1,051	23.9
65 years old and over	2,023	19	0.9	2,162	47	2.2	12,124	1,026	8.5
FEMALE									
Total	44,154	1,168	2.6	30,274	4,207	13.9	46,975	10,537	22.4
16 to 17 years old	44	—	(B)	1,062	90	8.5	3,350	633	18.9
18 to 64 years old	42,834	1,150	2.7	27,047	4,044	15.0	25,586	7,433	29.1
18 to 24 years old	3,127	189	6.0	6,545	1,311	20.0	4,508	1,507	33.4
25 to 34 years old	9,800	415	4.2	5,728	1,169	20.4	4,552	1,703	37.4
35 to 54 years old	22,664	480	2.1	10,776	1,258	11.7	9,984	2,900	29.0
55 to 64 years old	7,243	66	0.9	3,998	307	7.7	6,542	1,323	20.2
65 years old and over	1,275	19	1.5	2,165	73	3.4	18,039	2,472	13.7

— Represents zero. B Base figure too small to meet statistical standards for reliability of a derived figure.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, *Income, Poverty, and Health Insurance Coverage in the United States: 2008*, Current Population Reports, P60-236, and Detailed Tables—Table POV22, September 2009. See also <<http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstables/032009/pov/toc.htm>>.

Table 714. Families Below Poverty Level and Below 125 Percent of Poverty by Race and Hispanic Origin: 1980 to 2008

[6,217 represents 6,217,000. Families as of March of the following year. Based on Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplement (ASEC); see text, this section and Section 1, and Appendix III. For data collection changes over time, see <<http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/income/data/historical/history.html>>]

Year	Number of families below poverty (1,000)					Percent of persons below poverty					Below 125 percent ⁶ of poverty level	
	All races ¹	White ²	Black ³	Asian and Pacific Islander ⁴	Hispanic ⁵	All races ¹	White ²	Black ³	Asian and Pacific Islander ⁴	Hispanic ⁵	Number (1,000)	Percent
1980	6,217	4,195	1,826	(NA)	751	10.3	8.0	28.9	(NA)	23.2	8,764	14.5
1985	7,223	4,983	1,983	(NA)	1,074	11.4	9.1	28.7	(NA)	25.5	9,753	15.3
1990	7,098	4,622	2,193	169	1,244	10.7	8.1	29.3	11.0	25.0	9,564	14.4
1995	7,532	4,994	2,127	264	1,695	10.8	8.5	26.4	12.4	27.0	10,223	14.7
1999 ⁷	6,792	4,447	1,887	258	1,593	9.3	7.3	21.8	10.3	20.5	9,320	12.9
2000 ⁸	6,400	4,333	1,686	233	1,540	8.7	7.1	19.3	7.8	19.2	9,032	12.2
2001 ⁹	6,813	4,579	1,829	234	1,649	9.2	7.4	20.7	7.8	19.4	9,525	12.8
2002 ⁹	7,229	4,862	1,923	210	1,792	9.6	7.8	21.5	7.4	19.7	9,998	13.2
2003	7,607	5,058	1,986	311	1,925	10.0	8.1	22.3	10.2	20.8	10,360	13.6
2004 ¹⁰	7,835	5,293	2,035	232	1,953	10.2	8.4	22.8	7.4	20.5	10,499	13.7
2005	7,657	5,068	1,997	289	1,948	9.9	8.0	22.1	9.0	19.7	10,442	13.5
2006	7,668	5,118	2,007	260	1,922	9.8	8.0	21.6	7.8	18.9	10,531	13.4
2007	7,623	5,046	2,045	261	2,045	9.8	7.9	22.1	7.9	19.7	10,551	13.5
2008	8,147	5,414	2,055	341	2,239	10.3	8.4	22.0	9.8	21.3	11,164	14.2

NA Not available. ¹ Includes other races, not shown separately. ² Beginning 2002, data represent White alone, which refers to people who reported White and did not report any other race category. ³ Beginning 2002, data represent Black alone, which refers to people who reported Black and did not report any other race category. ⁴ Beginning 2002, data represent Asian alone, which refers to people who reported Asian and did not report any other race category. ⁵ People of Hispanic origin may be any race. ⁶ See footnote 6, Table 710. ⁷ Implementation of Census 2000-based population controls. ⁸ Implementation of a 28,000 household sample expansion. ⁹ Beginning with the 2003 Current Population Survey (CPS), the questionnaire allowed respondents to choose more than one race. For 2002 and later, data represent persons who selected this race group only and excludes persons reporting more than one race. The CPS in prior years allowed respondents to report only one race group. See also comments on race in the text for Section 1. ¹⁰ Data have been revised to reflect a correction to the weights in the 2005 Annual Social and Economic Supplement (ASEC).

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, *Income, Poverty, and Health Insurance Coverage in the United States: 2008*, Current Population Reports, P60-236, and Historical and Detailed Tables—Tables 4 and POV04. See also <<http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/poverty/poverty.html>> and <<http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/poverty/data/historical/families.html>>.