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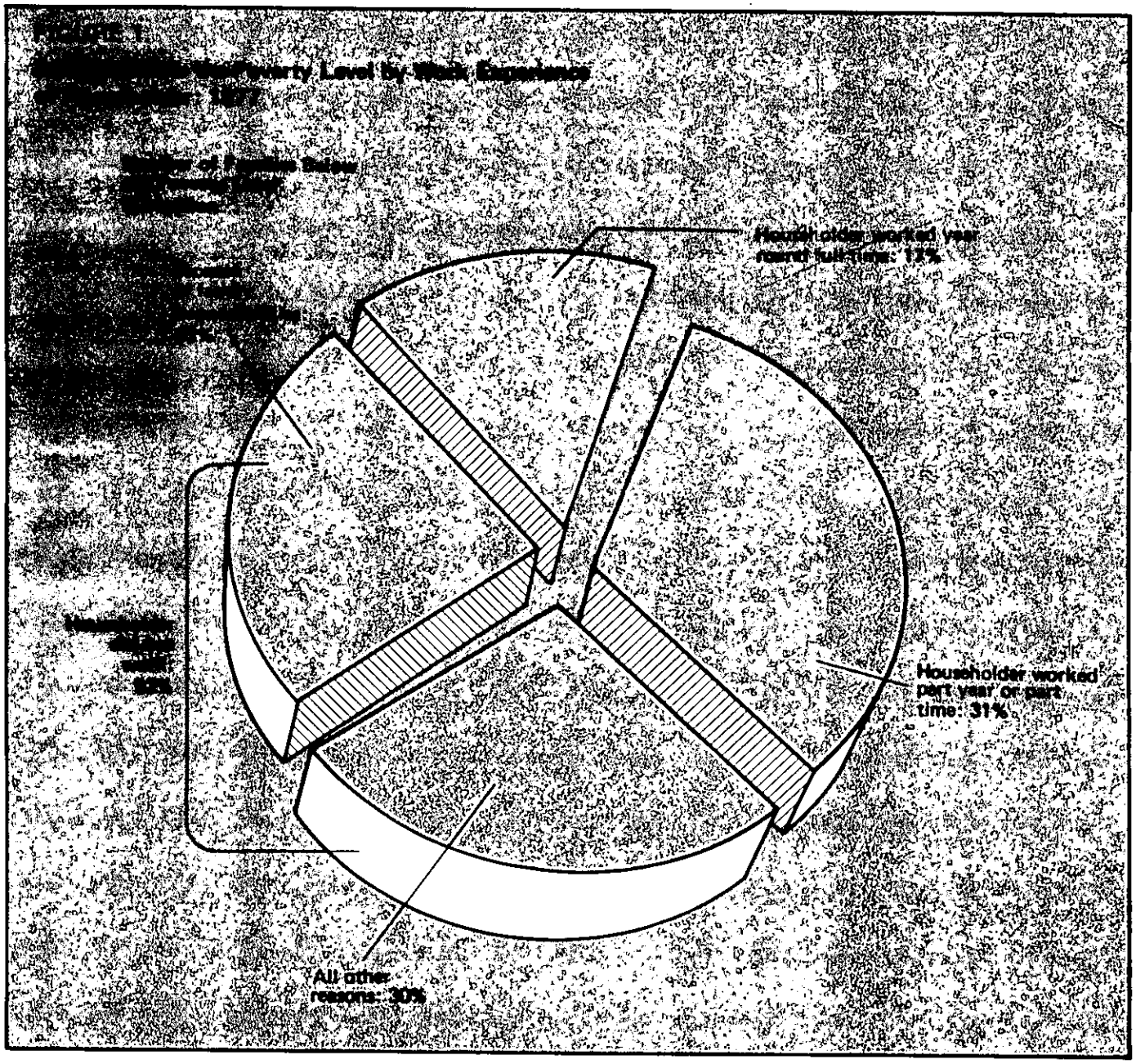

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. . .	Not applicable.
B	Base less than 75,000.
NA	Not available.
r	Revised.

Characteristics of the Population Below the Poverty Level: 1977

This report presents detailed social and economic statistics for the population of the United States below the poverty level in 1977 based on the March 1978 Current Population Survey (CPS). As in previous poverty reports, data are presented by selected characteristics such as race, family status, residence, education, work experience, and type and source of income. It should be noted that the term "householder" has been used in the text of this report in place of the term "head", which appears in the detailed tables. See the section "Head vs. Householder" for further details.

The poverty threshold for a nonfarm family of four persons was $6,191 in 1977, about 6.5 percent higher than the comparable 1976 figure of $5,815. The poverty thresholds are updated every year to reflect changes in the annual average Consumer Price Index (CPI). See page 203 for a detailed explanation of the poverty concept. In this text, the terms "poverty," "low-income," and "poor" are used interchangeably.

HIGHLIGHTS

As indicated in the advance report on income and poverty (**Current Population Reports**, Series P-60, No. 116), there were 24.7 million persons in poverty in 1977, 11.6 percent of the total population. Neither of these figures differed significantly from the previous year's estimate. Median family income also held steady between 1976 and 1977 after adjustment for inflation. In contrast, during the 1975-76 period, the number of poor dropped by about 900,000 and real median family income increased by 3 percent. Consistent with the overall lack of change between 1976 and 1977, only a few of the major subgroups within the population experienced significant changes in the number of poor or the poverty rate during this period. Table A compares poverty data for the 2 years by race, age, residence, and family status.

- About 16.4 million Whites and 7.7 million Blacks had incomes below the poverty level in 1977, essentially the same as in the previous year. While the number of poor persons of Spanish origin also did not change significantly, there was some evidence that the poverty rate for this group decreased. The poverty rate in 1977 for Whites (9 percent) was considerably lower than the rate for Blacks and persons of Spanish origin (31 and 22 percent, respectively).

- There were 3.2 million elderly persons (65 years and over) below the poverty level in 1977. The poverty rate for the aged was 14 percent, compared to 11 percent for persons under 65 years. Of the 21.5 million poor persons in 1977 who were below age 65, about half (10 million) were children less than 18 years old.

- In 1977, 14.9 million persons (about three-fifths of all the poor) lived in metropolitan areas. Of these persons, 62 percent lived in central cities, the remainder in the suburban rings outside central cities. There were no significant changes in the number of poor in either metropolitan or nonmetropolitan areas between 1976 and 1977. The same was true in the major geographic regions of the Nation. The South had 10.2 million poor in 1977, 41 percent of the U.S. total, while 14.5 million poor persons lived in the North and West.

- The number of poor families remained at about 5.3 million in 1977. About half were families with a female householder, no husband present. The poverty rate for this group (31.7 percent) was much higher than that of husband-wife families (5.3 percent) or families with a male householder, no wife present (11.1 percent).

- There were 5.2 million unrelated individuals (persons living alone or with nonrelatives) below the poverty level in 1977, not significantly different from the previous year's estimate. However, the number of poor female unrelated individuals declined by about 4 percent, from 3.6 to 3.4 million. Both male and female unrelated individuals experienced statistically significant declines in the poverty rate (from 20 percent to 18 percent for males, and from 29 to 26 percent for females).

- About two-fifths of all families[1] below the poverty level in 1977 lived in owner-occupied units, compared to three-fourths of nonpoor families. The proportion of homeowners among primary individuals below the poverty level was similar to that for primary families (table 24). More than three-fifths of poor unrelated individuals who owned their own homes were elderly. For these individuals,

[1] Limited to primary families. A primary family is a family that includes the householder among its members. A primary individual is a householder who lives alone or with non-relatives only. The data on housing in this section refer only to primary families and individuals.

Table A. Persons, Families, and Unrelated Individuals Below the Poverty Level: 1976 and 1977

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

Selected characteristics	Below poverty level		Poverty rate	
	1977	1976	1977	1976
All persons	24,720	24,975	11.6	11.8
White	16,416	16,713	8.9	9.1
Black	7,726	7,595	31.3	31.1
Spanish origin[1]	2,700	2,783	22.4	24.7
Under 65 years	21,543	21,662	11.3	11.4
65 years and over	3,177	3,313	14.1	15.0
Related children under 18 years	10,028	10,081	16.0	15.8
Related children 5 to 17 years	7,249	7,370	15.2	15.2
North and West	14,471	14,621	10.0	10.1
South	10,249	10,354	14.8	15.2
Inside metropolitan areas	14,859	15,229	10.4	10.7
Inside central cities	9,203	9,482	15.4	15.8
Outside central cities	5,657	5,747	6.8	6.9
Outside metropolitan areas	9,861	9,746	13.9	14.0
All families	5,311	5,311	9.3	9.4
Husband-wife	2,524	2,606	5.3	5.5
Male householder, no wife present	177	162	11.1	10.8
Female householder, no husband present	2,610	2,543	*31.7	33.0
All unrelated individuals	5,216	5,344	*22.6	24.9
Male	1,796	1,787	*18.0	19.7
Female	*3,419	3,557	*26.1	28.7

*Significantly different from 1976 figure at 95-percent confidence level.
[1]Persons of Spanish origin may be of any race.

ownership of a home (which was likely to have been purchased years earlier) would not appear to reflect current economic well-being as measured by current money income.

- Only 29 percent of Black families below the poverty level in 1977 lived in owner-occupied housing units, compared to 46 percent of White families. The relatively low degree of ownership among poor Black families is associated with their concentration in central cities and the large proportion of families with a female householder.

- Less than half of the 2.1 million primary families and individuals living in publicly owned or subsidized housing units had incomes below the poverty level. Of all renters who were poor, 18 percent of families and 15 percent of unrelated individuals lived in publicly supported housing (table B).

- Almost four-fifths of the poor families living in publicly owned or subsidized housing were families with a female householder; nearly all had children living with them. Black female family householders with children accounted for one-half of all poor families living in publicly supported housing. Females also accounted for a large proportion of poor primary individuals living in public housing. This is partly due to the fact that women make up a large majority of all primary individuals below the poverty level.

SUMMARY OF CHANGES IN POVERTY, 1959 TO 1977

Composition of the poverty population. Between 1959 (the first year for which data on poverty are available) and 1969, the poverty population grew substantially smaller. During this period, the number of poor persons dropped by about 15 million (from 39 million to 24 million) and the poverty rate declined from 22 percent to 12 percent. At the same time, there were a number of changes in the composition of the poor. For example, as shown in table C, there were

Table B. Selected Characteristics of Primary Families and Individuals in Publicly Supported Housing, by Poverty Status in 1977

(Numbers in thousands. Primary families and unrelated individuals as of March 1978)

Selected characteristics	Total			Below poverty level		Above poverty level	
	Number	Percent		Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
		Below poverty level	Above poverty level				
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS							
Primary families, total	15,532	19.8	80.2	3,068	100.0	12,464	100.0
In publicly owned units	1,021	43.7	56.3	446	14.5	575	4.6
In subsidized units	275	42.9	57.1	118	3.8	157	1.3
Primary individuals, total	11,100	21.0	79.0	2,328	100.0	8,772	100.0
In publicly owned units	554	47.7	52.3	264	11.3	290	3.3
In subsidized units	207	36.2	63.8	75	3.2	132	1.5
PUBLICLY OWNED OR SUBSIDIZED UNITS							
Primary families, total	1,296	43.5	56.5	564	100.0	732	100.0
White	667	31.9	68.1	213	37.8	454	62.0
Black	586	56.8	43.2	333	59.0	253	34.6
Female householder, no husband present	662	67.1	32.9	444	78.7	218	29.8
Black	407	72.0	28.0	293	52.0	114	15.6
With related children under 18 years	603	70.3	29.7	424	75.2	179	24.5
Black	373	75.1	24.9	280	49.6	93	12.7
All other householders	634	18.9	81.1	120	21.3	514	70.2
Primary individuals, total	761	44.5	55.5	339	100.0	422	100.0
Male	127	36.2	63.8	46	13.6	81	19.2
65 years and over	76	36.8	63.2	28	8.3	48	11.4
Female	634	46.2	53.8	293	86.4	341	80.8
65 years and over	445	43.4	56.6	193	56.9	252	59.7

substantial increases in the proportions of the poverty population consisting of unrelated individuals and the aged.

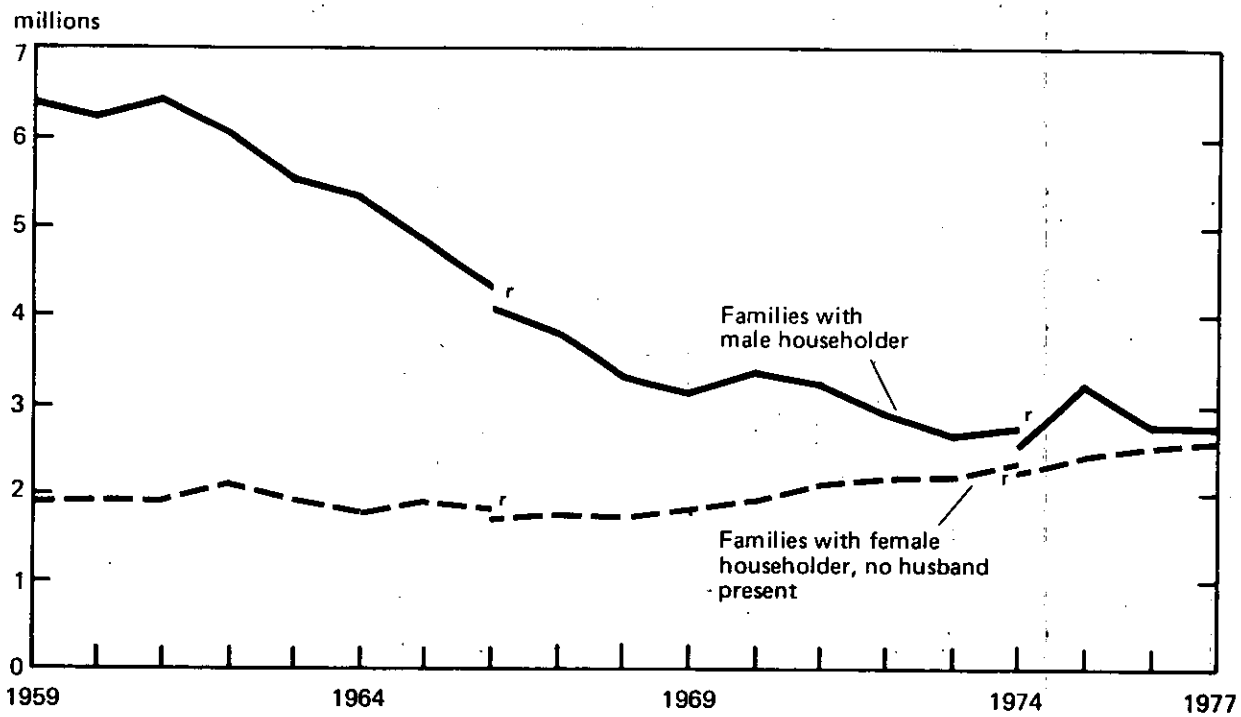
In contrast to the 1960's, the size of the poverty population in the 1970's has fluctuated, so that in 1977 the number of poor was not significantly different from the 1969 figure. However, there were some important changes in the composition of the poor during this period.

In 1969, one-fifth of all poor persons were 65 years old or over (table C). This proportion had risen during the preceding 10 years, as poverty declined more slowly among the aged than among the total population. In subsequent years, however, the enactment of substantial increases in Social Security benefits contributed to a significant decline in the number of low-income elderly; as a result, the proportion of the poor who were aged was only 13 percent in 1977.

The increase in the number of poor families with a female householder, no husband present (from 1.8 million to 2.6 million), was one of the most significant changes in the poverty population between 1969 and 1977 (figure 2). This rise was coupled with a decline in the number of poor families with a male householder, resulting in an increase in the proportion of poor families with a female householder, from 36 percent in 1969 to 49 percent in 1977. Among the factors underlying these changes were the large increase in the number of families with a female householder in the total population and their high poverty rate relative to families with a male householder. In 1977, the poverty rate for families with a female householder was 32 percent, compared to only 6 percent for all other families (table C).

The increasing concentration of the poor in families where the householder is a female (and no spouse present) was especially evident among Blacks. The number of such families in poverty rose from 740,000 in 1969 to 1.2 million in 1977; they accounted for 71 percent of poor Black families in 1977, compared to 54 percent in 1969. These

FIGURE 2.
Families Below the Poverty Level by Sex of Householder: 1959 to 1977



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increases reflected the growing number of families with a female householder in the total Black population, rather than an increase in the incidence of poverty among such families. However, the poverty rate for Black families with a female householder did not change significantly between 1969 and 1977, while that for all other Black families declined from 18 percent to 13 percent.

Geographical distribution of the poor. During the 1959-77 period, there was a steady decline in the proportion of the poverty population living in the South (figure 3). In 1959, about half of all poor persons resided in the South, compared to 46 percent in 1969 and 41 percent in 1977. At the same time, the proportion of the total population living in the South remained fairly constant at slightly more than 30 percent.

The proportion of the poor residing in metropolitan areas has been rising steadily, from 44 percent in 1959 to 54 percent in 1969 and 60 percent in 1977. While the number of poor in nonmetropolitan areas fell by about 1.2 million between 1969 and 1977, metropolitan areas experienced an increase of 1.8 million during this period (table D).

The poor have become increasingly concentrated in the central cities of metropolitan areas. Only 27 percent of all poor persons in 1959 were central city residents, compared to 33 percent in 1969 and 37 percent in 1977. The increase which took place during the 1969-77 period occurred at the same time that the proportion of the total population living in central cities was dropping, from 32 percent to 28 percent.

WORK EXPERIENCE OF THE POOR

In 1959, most family householders below the poverty level were workers whose incomes were simply too low to raise their families above the poverty level. In subsequent years, however, the earnings of many working householders increased enough to enable their families to move out of poverty. This development has contributed to the substantial decline since 1959 in the proportion of poor families with a working householder. In that year, 69 percent of civilian householders below the poverty level worked at some time during the year. Ten years later, this proportion had fallen to 55 percent; by 1977, it was 49 percent (table E).

Among the factors underlying this change were economic conditions during the 1960's which benefited the working poor. A growing economy, moderate inflation, and increases in the minimum wage helped raise many families with a working householder out of poverty. During this period, the number of such families below the poverty level dropped from 5.6 million in 1959 to 2.7 million in 1969; their poverty rate fell from 15 percent to 6 percent. At the same time, the number of poor families in which the householder did not work during the year declined much less, from 2.5 million in 1959 to 2.2 million in 1969.

Table C. Persons Below the Poverty Level by Family Status and Race: 1959, 1969, and 1977

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March of the following year)

Family status and race	Below poverty level			Poverty rate			Percent distribution		
	1977	1969	1959	1977	1969	1959	1977	1969	1959
ALL RACES									
Total	24,720	24,147	39,490	11.6	12.1	22.4	100.0	100.0	100.0
65 years old and over	3,177	4,787	5,481	14.1	25.3	35.2	12.9	19.8	13.9
Family members	19,505	19,175	34,562	10.2	10.4	20.8	78.9	79.4	87.5
Householder	5,311	5,008	8,320	9.3	9.7	18.5	21.5	20.7	21.1
Female, no husband present	2,610	1,827	1,916	31.7	32.7	42.6	10.6	7.6	4.9
All other	2,701	3,181	6,404	5.5	6.9	15.8	10.9	13.2	16.2
Other family members	4,165	4,667	9,034	5.9	7.2	15.9	16.8	19.3	22.9
Unrelated individuals	5,216	4,972	4,928	22.6	34.0	46.1	21.1	20.6	12.5
Male	1,796	1,439	1,552	18.0	26.2	36.8	7.3	6.0	3.9
Female	3,419	3,532	3,376	26.1	38.7	52.1	13.8	14.6	8.5
WHITE									
Total	16,416	16,659	28,484	8.9	9.5	18.1	100.0	100.0	100.0
65 years old and over	2,426	4,052	4,744	11.9	23.3	33.1	14.8	24.3	16.7
Family members	12,364	12,623	24,443	7.5	7.8	16.5	75.3	75.8	85.8
Householder	3,540	3,575	6,185	7.0	7.7	15.2	21.6	21.5	21.7
Female, no husband present	1,400	1,069	1,233	24.0	25.7	34.8	8.5	6.4	4.3
All other	2,140	2,506	4,952	4.8	6.0	13.3	13.0	15.0	17.4
Other family members	2,882	3,381	6,872	4.6	5.8	13.3	17.6	20.3	24.1
Unrelated individuals	4,051	4,036	4,041	20.4	32.1	44.1	24.7	24.2	14.2
Male	1,305	1,083	1,158	15.7	24.1	33.8	7.9	6.5	4.1
Female	2,747	2,953	2,883	23.7	36.6	50.3	16.7	17.7	10.1
BLACK									
Total	7,726	7,095	9,927	31.3	32.2	55.1	100.0	100.0	100.0
65 years old and over	701	689	711	36.3	50.2	62.5	9.1	9.7	7.2
Family members	6,667	6,245	9,112	30.5	30.9	54.9	86.3	88.0	91.8
Householder	1,637	1,366	1,860	28.2	27.9	48.1	21.2	19.3	18.7
Female, no husband present	1,162	737	551	51.0	53.3	65.4	15.0	10.4	5.6
All other	475	629	1,309	13.5	17.9	43.3	6.1	8.9	13.2
Other family members	1,181	1,202	2,230	17.4	20.0	44.1	15.3	16.9	22.5
Unrelated individuals	1,059	850	815	37.0	46.7	57.0	13.7	12.0	8.2
Male	423	308	325	28.8	36.5	46.4	5.5	4.3	3.3
Female	636	541	490	45.8	55.5	67.1	8.2	7.6	4.9

Note: For the year 1959, data for persons 65 years and over and for Blacks are based on 1-in-1,000 sample of the 1960 census.

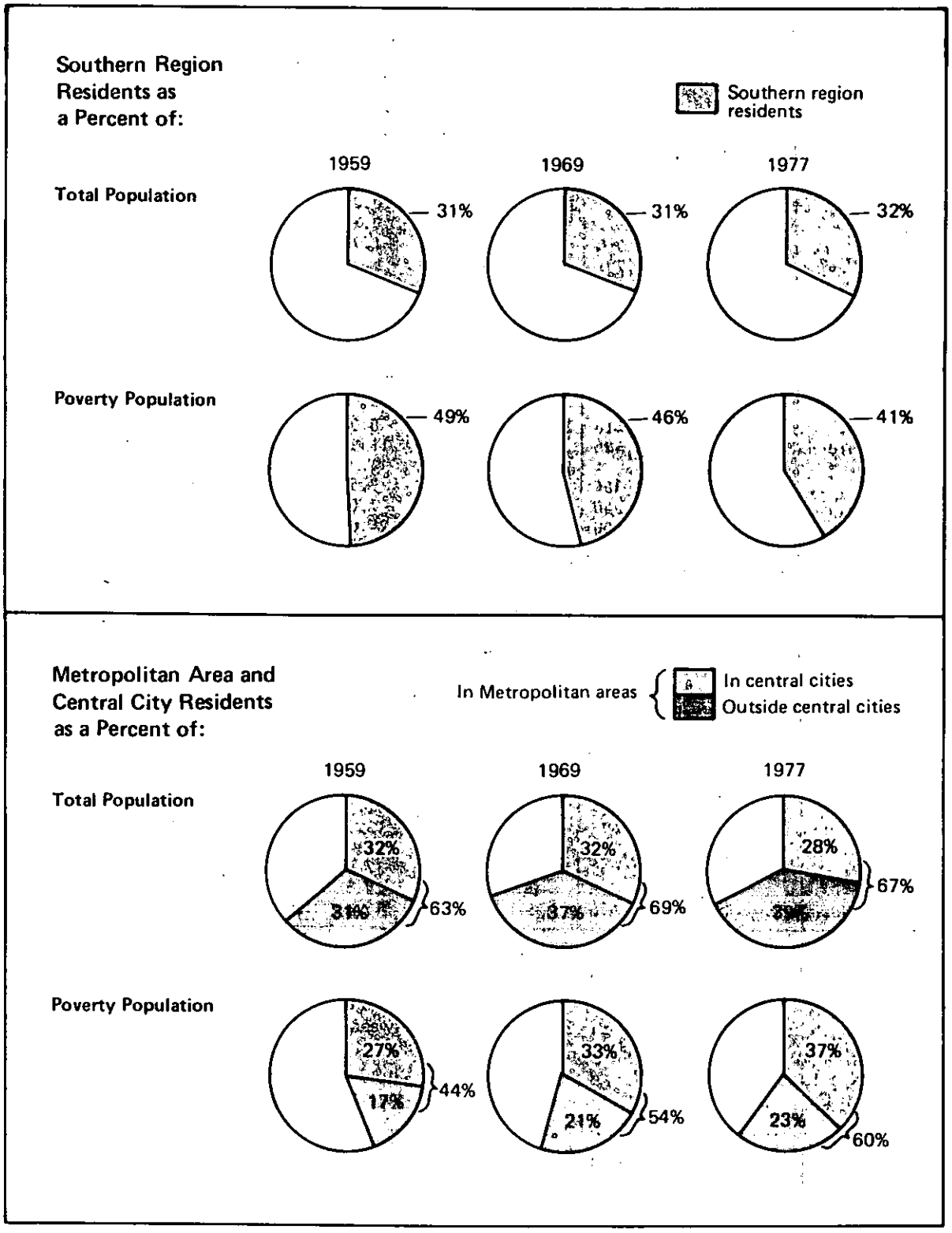
The declining proportion of poor families with a working householder is also partly the result of changes in family composition. Between 1959 and 1977, there was a striking increase in the proportion of poor families with a female householder, from 23 percent to 49 percent. Because female householders are less likely to work than their male counterparts (primarily due to family responsibilities), this increase has had the effect of further reducing the proportion of poor householders who worked. As shown in figure 4, only 36 percent of poor female householders worked during 1977, compared to 61 percent of all other householders below the poverty level; in 1959, the comparable figures were 43 percent and 77 percent, respectively.

Between 1959 and 1977, there was a particularly large decline in the number of poor families in which the householder worked year round full time, from 2.6 million to 900,000. Poor householders in this group are likely to be in low-paying jobs and to have relatively large families, so that their earnings are insufficient to raise their family incomes above the poverty level. Under these circumstances, wage subsidies or training for higher-paying jobs would be two possible ways to bring them out of poverty.

There are always a number of poor who would like to work but are unable to find a job. In 1977, 210,000 family householders with incomes below the poverty level indicated that they did not work for this reason. These persons, as well

FIGURE 3.

Proportions of the Total and Poverty Populations, for Selected Groups: 1959, 1969, and 1977



1959: Total—177.3 million persons; poor—39.5 million persons
1969: Total—199.5 million persons; poor—24.1 million persons
1977: Total—213.9 million persons; poor—24.7 million persons

Table D. Metropolitan-Nonmetropolitan Residence of Persons by Poverty Status: 1959, 1969, and 1977

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March of the following year)

Metropolitan-nonmetropolitan residence	All income levels	Below poverty level	Poverty rate	Percent distribution	
				All income levels	Below poverty level
1977					
Total	213,867	24,720	11.6	100.0	100.0
Metropolitan areas	142,791	14,859	10.4	66.8	60.1
Inside central cities	59,626	9,203	15.4	27.9	37.2
Outside central cities	83,165	5,657	6.8	38.9	22.9
Nonmetropolitan areas	71,076	9,861	13.9	33.2	39.9
1969					
Total	199,517	24,147	12.1	100.0	100.0
Metropolitan areas	137,690	13,084	9.5	69.0	54.2
Inside central cities	63,079	7,993	12.7	31.6	33.1
Outside central cities	74,611	5,091	6.8	37.4	21.1
Nonmetropolitan areas	61,827	11,063	17.9	31.0	45.8
1959 [1]					
Total	176,502	38,766	22.0	100.0	100.0
Metropolitan areas	111,074	17,019	15.3	62.9	43.9
Inside central cities	57,180	10,437	18.3	32.4	26.9
Outside central cities	53,894	6,582	12.2	30.5	17.0
Nonmetropolitan areas	65,428	21,747	33.2	37.1	56.1

[1] Based on 1-in-1,000 sample of 1960 census.

as the 600,000 householders who only worked part year due to unemployment, could reasonably be expected to work (or work more) if suitable jobs were made available, and could possibly be raised above the poverty level if their wages were sufficiently high.

While employment has provided a way out of poverty for many families, it is not a feasible alternative for all families. In 1977, there were 2.7 million poor family householders (51 percent of the total) who did not work at all during the year. Of the 2.7 million, almost 800,000 were ill or disabled, and another 400,000 were retired (figure 5). Additional transfer payments, rather than placement in a job might be more appropriate to lift these householders and their families out of poverty.

Another 1.1 million poor householders did not work because they were caring for their homes and families. The vast majority of these were women, nearly all of them with children (about 1 million had children under 18 years and 660,000 had children under 6 years). Potentially, many of these women could work if child-care facilities were available, although the cost of child care would have to be weighed against their earning capacity. The same is true of the 430,000 householders who worked less than a full year because of family responsibilities.

These are some of the highlights obtained from the Consumer Income Supplement conducted in March 1978 in connection with the Bureau's monthly Current Population Survey (CPS). The information was collected from a sample of persons representing: (1) the civilian noninstitutional population, and (2) members of the Armed Forces living off post or with their families on post in the United States. Unrelated individuals under 14 years of age 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 a Federal Interagency Committee in 1969. A directive from the Bureau of the Budget established the Census Bureau's statistics on poverty as the standard data series to be used by all Federal agencies.[2]

The poverty concept is a statistical yardstick based on the Department of Agriculture's 1961 Economy food plan and

[2] **Statistical Policy Handbook**, Directive 14, Office of Federal Statistical Policy and Standards, U.S. Department of Commerce, May 1978.

Table E. Work Experience of Civilian Family Householders by Poverty Status: 1959, 1969, and 1977

Work experience	Number (thousands)			Percent distribution		
	1977	1969	1959	1977	1969	1959
ABOVE POVERTY LEVEL						
Total	51,181	45,625	35,850	100.0	100.0	100.0
Worked	42,931	40,645	32,767	83.9	89.1	91.4
Did not work	8,251	4,981	3,080	16.1	10.9	8.6
BELOW POVERTY LEVEL						
Total	5,290	4,947	8,158	100.0	100.0	100.0
Female householder	2,610	1,825	1,916	49.3	36.9	23.5
All other householders	2,679	3,121	6,242	50.6	63.1	76.5
Worked	2,567	2,711	5,620	48.5	54.8	68.9
Female householder	937	778	822	17.7	15.7	10.1
All other householders	1,630	1,933	4,798	30.8	39.1	58.8
50 to 52 weeks	1,068	1,295	3,042	20.2	26.2	37.3
Full time	912	1,067	2,617	17.2	21.6	32.1
Less than 50 weeks	1,500	1,416	2,578	28.4	28.6	31.6
Main reason for working part year:						
Unable to find work	599	354	1,202	11.3	7.2	14.7
Ill or disabled	202			3.8		
Keeping house	428	1,062	1,376	8.1	21.5	16.9
Other	271			5.1		
Did not work	2,722	2,235	2,538	51.5	45.2	31.1
Female householder	1,673	1,047	1,094	31.6	21.2	13.4
All other householder	1,049	1,188	1,444	19.8	24.0	17.7
Main reasons for not working:						
Ill or disabled	759	761	793	14.3	15.4	9.7
Keeping house	1,149	751	910	21.7	15.2	11.2
With children under 18 years	1,041	(NA)	(NA)	19.7	(NA)	(NA)
With children under 6 years	659	(NA)	(NA)	12.5	(NA)	(NA)
Going to school	114	51	12	2.2	1.0	0.1
Unable to find work	207	36	96	3.9	0.7	1.2
Retired	409	635	727	7.7	12.8	8.9
Other	84			1.6		

reflects the different consumption requirements of families in relation to their size and composition, sex and age of the family head, and farm-nonfarm residence. A food-to-income ratio of one-third for families of three or more, based on the Department of Agriculture's 1955 Survey of Food Consumption, was used to derive the poverty thresholds from the economy food plan. For further details, see the appendix section, "Definitions and Explanations."

When analyzing CPS data on the poverty population, it is important to keep in mind that these data are based on a sample survey (56,000 households) and are therefore subject to sampling variability. An explanation of sampling variability is found in the section entitled, "Source and Reliability of the Estimates" and tables 10, 16, 40, and 46 include standard errors.

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 workmen'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 receive part of their income in the form of nonmoney transfers such as food stamps, health benefits, and subsidized housing; that many farm families received nonmoney income in the form of rent-free housing and goods produced and consumed on the farm; or that nonmoney incomes are also received by

FIGURE 4.

Proportion of Poor Family Householders Who Worked, by Sex of Householder: 1959, 1969 and 1977

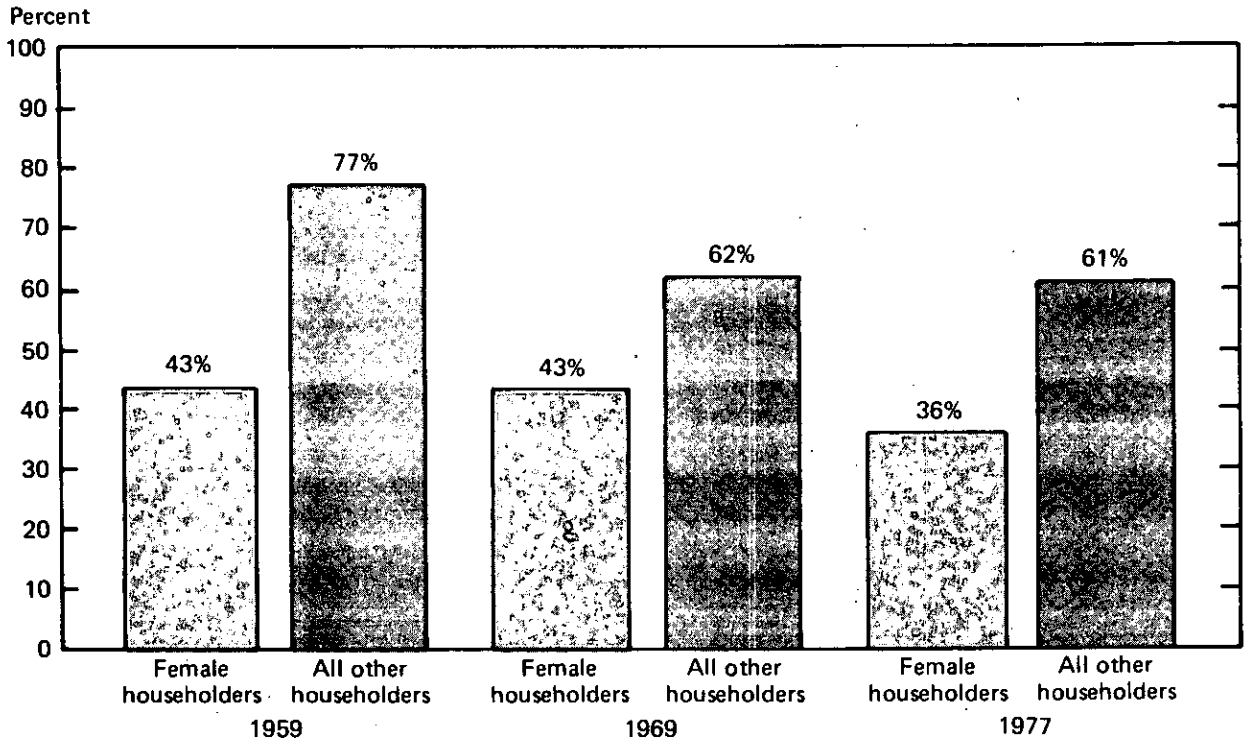
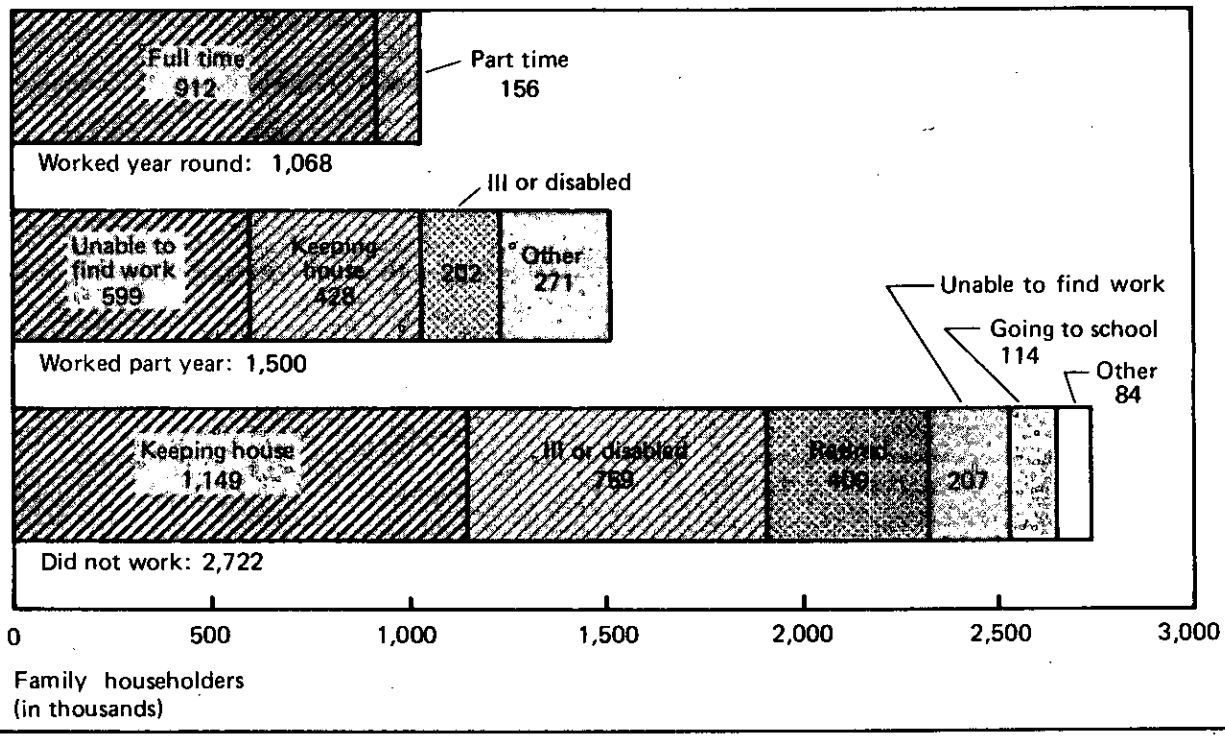


FIGURE 5.

Work Experience and Reasons For Not Working of Civilian Family Householders Below the Poverty Level in 1977



some nonfarm residents such as the use of business transportation and facilities, full or partial payments by business for retirement programs, medical and educational expenses.

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.[3] Data from the 1976 Survey of Income and Education (SIE) indicate that about 40 percent of all poor families and unrelated individuals participated in the food stamp program.

The Bureau of the Census and the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare are currently involved in a research program designed to improve and expand the collection of income data. The Income Survey Development Program is in the early stages of testing and will not be fully operational until sometime after 1980. In addition to the questions on various types of money income, this developmental program will also collect information on sources of nonmoney income, participation in major governmental progams, amount of taxes paid, and assets and liabilities.

Readers should be aware that for many different reasons, there is a tendency in household surveys for respondents to underreport their income. Underreporting tends to be more pronounced for income sources that are not derived from earnings, such as Social Security, public assistance, unemployment compensation and net income from interest, dividends, rentals, etc. Overall, income earned from wages or salary is more accurately reported than other sources of income. After editing and allocation of missing amounts, wages and salaries in the survey accounted for approximately 97 percent of independently derived administrative sources. By contrast, 1977 income data on Social Security and public assistance payments to beneficiaries amounted to approximately 90 and 78 percent, respectively, of independently derived estimates. Comparable estimates are not available for the poverty population. For further details, see the appendix section on "Comparability of Current Population Survey Income Data with Other Data."

A study which attempts to adjust the CPS data for underreporting and to impute government "in-kind" transfer program benefits, such as food stamps, Medicare, and subsidized housing to families in the survey, has been prepared by the Congressional Budget Office (CBO).[4] Statistical techniques were used to simulate eligibility and participation of persons in the various programs. For simulated participants, the services received were given a money "value" based on the assumption that the value of these services to the beneficiaries is equal, on the average, to the government's cost.

The Census Bureau is also conducting research to improve the collection of money income data from the CPS. A special supplement was conducted on a portion (one rotation group) of the April 1978 CPS using a questionnaire with more detailed income questions and probes for different income types. The data from this experiment will be analyzed to determine whether or not the new approach obtains more complete and accurate income data.

The CBO report represents one attempt to measure and study the effects of adjusting for underreporting of money income and the inclusion of nonmoney transfer payments on the size distribution of income and poverty counts. Although, the procedures used by the CBO provide one approach, there continues to be a general lack of agreement of how to measure and value in-kind income. The interested reader may wish to consult a report by a governmental interagency task force which discusses many of these issues.[5]

The poverty counts presented in the CBO report are not entirely comparable to those presented in the P-60 reports because the institutionalized population, members of the Armed Forces living in group quarters, and the population of Puerto Rico are included in the CBO report but are excluded from the estimates presented here. In addition, the CBO estimates, although based on data from the March 1976 CPS, are for fiscal year 1976 rather than calendar year 1975. The poverty threshold levels used in the CBO report were also adjusted to cover the fiscal year reference period, and therefore do not match those published in **Current Population Reports**, Series P-60, No. 106.

It also should be noted that the poverty threshold levels used in this Census report correspond to a measure of income adequacy which was originally developed as a relative measure based on money income.[6] Whether this measure also would serve as a measure of income adequacy for an income distribution which includes nonmoney as well as money income as in the CBO report, is an issue which deserves attention.[7]

HEAD VERSUS HOUSEHOLDER

In the 1980 census the Census Bureau plans to discontinue the use of the terms "head of family" and "head of household." Recent social changes have resulted in a trend toward more nearly equal status for adult members of a household and, therefore, have made the term "head" increasingly inappropriate in the analysis of household and family data. Specifically, the Bureau is planning to change its longtime practice of always classifying the husband as head when he and his wife are living together.

In the 1980 census, a "householder" will be designated as the household reference person. The householder is to be the first adult household member listed on the census questionnaire. The instructions call for listing first the person (or one of the persons) in whose name the home is owned or rented.

[3] Statistical Abstract of the United States: 1976, table 688.

[4] Background Paper No. 17, **Poverty Status of Families Under Alternative Definitions of Income**, Congress of the United States, Congressional Budget Office, Washington, D.C., June 1977.

[5] **The Measure of Poverty**, A Report to Congress as Mandated by the Education Amendments of 1974, and in particular, see Technical Paper VII, "In-Kind Income and the Measurement of Poverty," prepared by Janice Peskin, U.S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, April 1976.

[6] **Social Security Bulletin**, "Counting the Poor: Another Look at the Poverty Profile," January 1965.

[7] See **The Measure of Poverty** report for a more complete discussion of this issue.

If a home is owned jointly by a married couple either the husband or the wife may be listed first and thereby becomes the reference person, or householder, to whom the relationship of other household members is to be recorded. However, in order to provide some comparability with earlier years, the husband will be shown as the householder in a selected number of tables.

Beginning with the October 1978 CPS, the Bureau started to collect information based on the householder concept. The publication of data incorporating the new concept will begin after the necessary programming changes to the detailed tables have been made. The user of this report is cautioned that the term "householder" as used in the text refers to the "head," as defined in earlier reports; the term "head" is retained in the detailed tables.

RELATED MATERIALS

Current Population Survey

Current Population Survey Reports. A detailed explanation of the poverty concept appears in **Current Population Reports,** Series P-23, No. 28, "Revision in Poverty Statistics, 1959 to 1968" and in **The Measure of Poverty, A Report to Congress as Mandated by the Education Amendments 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 current 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 in "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 Series P-60, No. 68, "Poverty in the United States, 1959 to 1968;" P-60, No. 76, "24 MILLION AMERICANS, Poverty in the United States: 1969;" P-60, No. 81, "Characteristics of the Low-Income Population: 1970;" P-60, No. 86, "Characteristics of the Low-Income Population: 1971;" P-60, No. 91, "Characteristics of the Low-Income Population: 1972;" P-60, No. 95, "Supplementary Report on the Low-Income Population: 1966 to 1972;" P-60, No. 98, "Characteristics of the Low-Income Population: 1973;" P-60, No. 102, "Characteristics of the Population Below the Poverty Level: 1974;" P-60, No. 106, "Characteristics of the Population Below the Poverty Level: 1975;" and P-60, No. 115, "Characteristics of the Population Below the Poverty Level: 1976." Data based on the Current Population Survey showing the distribution of families and persons, by income levels, appear in the other P-60 reports, the latest of which is P-60, No. 118, "Money Income in 1977 of Families and Persons in the United States."

Advance data on the poverty population in 1977 cross-classified by selected characteristics appear in **Current Population Reports,** Series P-60, No. 116, "Money Income and Poverty Status of Families and Persons in the United States: 1977."

A summary of the changes in the composition of the low-income population since 1959 and the limitations of the data used to quantify poverty are presented in "Trends and Composition of the Low-Income Population," by Renée Miller and Arno Winard, **Proceedings of the Social Statistics Section,** American Statistical Association, 1974.

An analysis of the characteristics of food stamp households appears in **Current Population Reports,** Series P-23, No. 61, "Characteristics of Households Purchasing Food Stamps."

Office of Economic Opportunity Tabulations. The contents of the tabulations originally prepared for the Office of Economic Opportunity (OEO tables) are outlined in appendix B. These tabulations contain more detailed cross-classifications by age than are shown in the tables presented in this report.

Survey of Income and Education

The Survey of Income and Education (SIE) was a one-time survey of approximately 151,000 interviewed households nationwide, conducted in each State by the Bureau of the Census between April and July 1976. The purpose of the SIE was to provide estimates of the number of children 5 to17 years old in poverty families in each State and the District of Columbia, as required by the Education Amendments of 1974.

In addition to collecting income data needed to determine poverty status, the opportunity presented by such a large survey was also used to gather some additional income-related information not usually collected in the Census Bureau's current income surveys. Such data include the receipt of food stamps, housing costs for homeowners and renters, and estimated cash assets. Also, information relevant to a number of Department of Health, Education, and Welfare (HEW) programs was collected, including data on English language proficiency, school enrollment, food stamp and public assistance recipiency, housing tenure, liquid asset holdings, child and adult disability, and health insurance coverage.

Income and poverty data from the SIE have been published in a series of four reports (one for each of the four major regions in the Nation): **Current Population Reports,** Series P-60, No. 110 (Northeast); No. 111 (North Central);

No. 112 (South); and No. 113 (West). Each report presents data for the divisions and States within the region and for the total United States. Contained in the reports are income distributions and poverty data for families, persons, and unrelated individuals, cross-classified by a broad range of socioeconomic and demographic characteristics similar in content to data published from the Current Population Survey. The income tables include such characteristics as residence, housing tenure, age, race, size and type of family, number of children under 18 years old, number of earners, and occupation, work experience, and education of head. In addition to many of the above characteristics, the poverty tables also include information on reasons for not working, type of income, subsidized housing of renters and living arrangements for unrelated individuals.

An additional report, **Current Population Reports,** Series P-60, No. 108, contains estimates of household money income in 1975 for the United States, regions, divisions, and States. The primary focus of this report is to show income distributions by housing tenure and type of residence, cross-classified by age of head and other key characteristics of households. Added emphasis has been placed on showing summary statistics and in addition to mean and median incomes, average household size and per capita income are shown along with each income distribution.

Data on income and poverty for calendar year 1975 from the SIE differ somewhat from those based on the CPS. In general, the estimates of median income from the SIE are slightly higher than comparable estimates from the CPS. For example, the median family income from the SIE was $14,094 compared to $13,719 from the CPS. Estimates of the number of persons below the poverty level by various characteristics from the SIE are generally lower than from the CPS. For example, there were 23,991,000 persons below the poverty level in 1975 from the SIE compared to 25,877,000 from the CPS.

Although two major aspects of these surveys were the same — the money income concept and the questionnaire wording and design — there were some significant procedural differences which probably cause the income estimates in these surveys to differ. For a detailed discussion of these differences, see the published SIE reports.

Decennial Census

Poverty data collected in the 1970 Census of Population appear in a number of published reports. Selected characteristics of persons, families, and unrelated individuals below the poverty level, for the United States, each of the States, counties, standard metropolitan statistical areas, urbanized areas, and urban places are presented in **1970 Census of Population,** Vol. I, **Characteristics of the Population,** chapter C, "General Social and Economic Characteristics." Statistics on poverty status in 1969 of persons and families by detailed characteristics, including cross-classifications by race, age, weeks worked, education, type of family, etc., are presented in **1970 Census of Population,** Vol. I, **Characteristics of the Population,** chapter D, "Detailed Characteristics," for some or all of the following areas: United States, each of the States, and standard metropolitan statistical areas of 250,000 inhabitants or more. Further information is contained in **Data Access Description** No. 29, Collection, Evaluation, and Processing Series CEP-7, "Low-Income Data from the 1970 census."

Cross-classifications of poverty status in 1969 for persons and families by detailed social, economic, and housing characteristics are presented in **1970 Census of Population,** Vol. II Report PC(2)-9A, "Low-Income Population." Tables are generally for the United States, although some are repeated for regions and metropolitan-nonmetropolitan residence. Data on the social, economic, and housing characteristics of the low-income population residing in poverty areas in the 50 largest cities can be found in **1970 Census of Population,** Vol. II Report PC(2)-9B, "Low-Income Areas in Large Cities," Supplementary Report PC(S1)-56, "Selected Characteristics of the Population in Low-Income Areas of Large Cities," and Supplementary Reports PC(S1)-65 to PC(S1)-103, "Low-Income Neighborhoods in Large Cities: 1970." Selected data on the poverty status in 1969 and 1959 of persons and families for the United States, each of the States, counties, standard metropolitan statistical areas (SMSA's), and central cities of large SMSA's appear in **1970 Census of Population,** Supplementary Report PC(S1)-105, "Poverty Status in 1969 and 1959 of Persons and Familes, for States, SMSA's, Central Cities, and Counties: 1970 and 1960."

NOTE

In the past the Census Bureau has designated a head of household to serve as the central reference person for the collection and tabulation of data for each member of the household (or family). However, the trend toward recognition of equal status and roles for adult family members makes the term "head" less relevant in the analysis of household and family data. As a result, the Bureau is currently developing new techniques for the enumeration and presentation of data which will eliminate the concept "head." Although the data in this report are based on this concept, methodology for future Census Bureau reports will reflect a gradual movement away from this traditional practice.

Table 1. Persons Below the Poverty Level by Family Status, Sex of Head and Race and Spanish Origin: 1959 to 1977

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH OF THE FOLLOWING YEAR. ALL TABLES EXCLUDE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS UNDER 14 YEARS OLD, INMATES OF INSTITUTIONS, AND MEMBERS OF ARMED FORCES, EXCEPT THOSE LIVING OFF POST AND THOSE LIVING WITH FAMILIES ON POST. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

YEAR	NUMBER BELOW POVERTY LEVEL						POVERTY RATE					
		IN FAMILIES						IN FAMILIES				
	TOTAL	TOTAL	HEAD	RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	TOTAL	TOTAL	HEAD	RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
ALL RACES												
ALL PERSONS												
1977	24 720	19 505	5 311	10 028	4 165	5 216	11.6	10.2	9.3	16.0	5.9	22.6
1976	24 975	19 632	5 311	10 081	4 240	5 344	11.8	10.3	9.4	15.8	6.0	24.9
1975	25 877	20 789	5 450	10 882	4 457	5 088	12.3	10.9	9.7	16.8	6.4	25.1
1974[r]	23 370	18 817	4 922	9 967	3 928	4 553	11.2	9.9	8.8	15.1	5.7	24.1
1974	24 260	19 440	5 109	10 196	4 135	4 820	11.6	10.2	9.2	15.5	6.0	25.5
1973	22 973	18 299	4 828	9 453	4 018	4 674	11.1	9.7	8.8	14.2	5.9	25.6
1972	24 460	19 577	5 075	10 082	4 420	4 883	11.9	10.3	9.3	14.9	6.6	29.0
1971	25 559	20 405	5 303	10 344	4 757	5 154	12.5	10.8	10.0	15.1	7.2	31.6
1970	25 420	20 330	5 260	10 235	4 835	5 090	12.6	10.9	10.1	14.9	7.4	32.9
1969[1]	24 147	19 175	5 008	9 501	4 667	4 972	12.1	10.4	9.7	13.8	7.2	34.0
1968	25 389	20 695	5 047	10 739	4 909	4 694	12.8	11.3	10.0	15.3	7.8	34.0
1967	27 769	22 771	5 667	11 427	5 677	4 998	14.2	12.5	11.4	16.3	9.1	38.1
1966[r]	28 510	23 809	5 784	12 146	5 879	4 701	14.7	13.1	11.8	17.4	9.5	38.3
1966	30 424	25 614	6 200	12 876	6 538	4 810	15.7	14.2	12.7	18.4	10.5	38.9
1965	33 185	28 358	6 721	14 388	7 249	4 827	17.3	15.8	13.9	20.7	11.8	39.8
1964	36 055	30 912	7 160	15 736	8 016	5 143	19.0	17.4	15.0	22.7	13.3	42.7
1963	36 436	31 498	7 554	15 691	8 253	4 938	19.5	17.9	15.9	22.8	13.8	44.2
1962	38 625	33 623	8 077	16 630	8 916	5 002	21.0	19.4	17.2	24.7	15.1	45.4
1961	39 628	34 509	8 391	16 577	9 541	5 119	21.9	20.3	18.1	25.2	16.5	45.9
1960	39 851	34 925	8 243	17 288	9 394	4 926	22.2	20.7	18.1	26.5	16.2	45.2
1959	39 490	34 562	8 320	17 208	9 034	4 928	22.4	20.8	18.5	26.9	15.9	46.1
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD[2]												
1977	12 096	10 300	2 701	4 371	3 228	1 796	6.9	6.2	5.5	8.5	5.0	18.0
1976	12 390	10 603	2 768	4 497	3 337	1 787	7.1	6.4	5.6	8.5	5.2	19.7
1975	13 609	11 943	3 020	5 284	3 638	1 667	7.8	7.1	6.2	9.8	5.7	19.9
1974[r]	11 901	10 355	2 598	4 605	3 151	1 547	6.8	6.2	5.4	8.3	5.0	19.5
1974	12 484	10 877	2 757	4 809	3 310	1 607	7.1	6.5	5.7	8.7	5.2	20.4
1973	11 616	10 121	2 635	4 282	3 204	1 495	6.6	6.0	5.5	7.6	5.1	19.8
1972	12 873	11 463	2 917	4 988	3 558	1 410	7.4	6.8	6.1	8.6	5.7	21.1
1971	14 151	12 608	3 203	5 494	3 910	1 543	8.1	7.5	6.8	9.3	6.3	23.9
1970	14 266	12 828	3 309	5 546	3 973	1 438	8.2	7.7	7.2	9.2	6.5	24.0
1969[1]	13 735	12 296	3 181	5 253	3 862	1 439	8.0	7.4	6.9	8.6	6.4	26.2
1968	15 025	13 705	3 292	6 330	4 083	1 320	8.8	8.3	7.3	10.2	7.0	25.4
1967	17 178	15 873	3 893	7 181	4 799	1 305	10.1	9.6	8.7	11.5	8.3	26.9
1966[r]	18 260	16 948	4 063	7 884	5 001	1 312	10.8	10.3	9.3	12.6	8.7	29.3
1966	19 579	18 314	4 384	8 374	5 556	1 265	11.6	11.2	10.0	13.4	9.6	27.7
1965	22 127	20 834	4 805	9 826	6 203	1 293	13.2	12.8	11.1	15.7	10.9	28.9
1964	25 084	23 615	5 338	11 314	6 963	1 469	15.1	14.6	12.5	18.2	12.4	32.0
1963	25 339	23 852	5 582	11 137	7 133	1 487	15.4	14.9	13.1	18.0	12.9	34.8
1962	27 394	25 842	6 043	12 124	7 675	1 552	16.9	16.4	14.3	19.9	14.1	36.5
1961	28 830	27 257	6 437	12 533	8 287	1 573	18.1	17.6	15.4	21.0	15.4	36.0
1960	29 188	27 678	6 288	13 193	8 197	1 510	18.5	18.0	15.4	22.3	15.3	36.1
1959	29 100	27 548	6 404	13 063	8 081	1 552	18.7	18.2	15.8	22.4	15.3	36.8
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD[2]												
1977	12 624	9 205	2 610	5 658	938	3 419	32.8	36.2	31.7	50.3	15.8	26.1
1976	12 586	9 029	2 543	5 583	903	3 557	34.4	37.3	33.0	52.0	15.7	28.7
1975	12 268	8 846	2 430	5 597	819	3 422	34.6	37.5	32.5	52.7	15.0	28.9
1974[r]	11 469	8 462	2 324	5 361	777	3 007	33.6	36.5	32.1	51.5	14.1	27.3
1974	11 775	8 563	2 351	5 387	825	3 212	34.4	36.8	32.5	51.5	14.9	29.3
1973	11 357	8 178	2 193	5 171	814	3 179	34.9	37.5	32.2	52.1	16.0	29.7
1972	11 587	8 114	2 158	5 094	862	3 473	36.9	38.2	32.7	53.1	17.0	34.3
1971	11 409	7 797	2 100	4 850	847	3 611	38.0	38.7	33.9	53.1	17.5	36.6
1970	11 154	7 503	1 951	4 689	862	3 652	38.2	38.1	32.5	53.0	17.9	38.4
1969[1]	10 412	6 879	1 827	4 247	805	3 532	38.4	38.2	32.7	54.4	17.5	38.7
1968	10 364	6 990	1 755	4 409	826	3 374	38.9	38.7	32.3	55.2	17.8	39.2
1967	10 591	6 898	1 774	4 246	878	3 693	40.6	38.8	33.3	54.3	18.9	44.7
1966[r]	10 250	6 861	1 721	4 262	878	3 389	41.0	39.8	33.1	58.2	18.6	43.5
1966	10 845	7 300	1 816	4 502	982	3 545	43.8	43.1	35.1	61.3	22.2	45.4
1965	11 058	7 524	1 916	4 562	1 046	3 534	46.0	46.0	38.4	64.2	24.5	46.2
1964	10 971	7 297	1 822	4 422	1 053	3 674	45.9	44.4	36.4	62.3	24.3	49.3
1963	11 097	7 646	1 972	4 554	1 120	3 451	48.4	47.7	40.4	66.6	26.0	50.0
1962	11 231	7 781	2 034	4 506	1 241	3 450	50.5	50.3	42.9	70.2	28.8	51.0
1961	10 798	7 252	1 954	4 044	1 254	3 546	49.5	48.1	42.1	65.1	29.8	52.4
1960	10 663	7 247	1 955	4 095	1 197	3 416	49.5	48.9	42.4	68.4	28.3	50.9
1959	10 390	7 014	1 916	4 145	953	3 376	50.2	49.4	42.6	72.2	24.0	52.1

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YEAR	NUMBER BELOW POVERTY LEVEL						POVERTY RATE					
		IN FAMILIES						IN FAMILIES				
	TOTAL	TOTAL	HEAD	RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	TOTAL	TOTAL	HEAD	RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
WHITE												
ALL PERSONS												
1977	16 416	12 364	3 540	5 943	2 882	4 051	8.9	7.5	7.0	11.4	4.6	20.4
1976	16 713	12 500	3 560	6 034	2 906	4 213	9.1	7.5	7.1	11.3	4.7	22.7
1975	17 770	13 799	3 838	6 748	3 213	3 972	9.7	8.3	7.7	12.5	5.2	22.7
1974[r]	15 736	12 181	3 352	6 079	2 750	3 555	8.6	7.3	6.8	11.0	4.5	21.8
1974	16 290	12 517	3 482	6 180	2 855	3 773	8.9	7.5	7.0	11.2	4.7	23.2
1973	15 142	11 412	3 219	5 462	2 731	3 730	8.4	6.9	6.6	9.7	4.5	23.7
1972	16 203	12 268	3 441	5 784	3 043	3 935	9.0	7.4	7.1	10.1	5.1	27.1
1971	17 780	13 566	3 751	6 341	3 474	4 214	9.9	8.2	7.9	10.9	5.8	29.6
1970	17 484	13 323	3 708	6 138	3 477	4 161	9.9	8.1	8.0	10.5	5.9	30.8
1969[1]	16 659	12 623	3 575	5 667	3 381	4 036	9.5	7.8	7.7	9.7	5.8	32.1
1968	17 395	13 546	3 616	6 373	3 557	3 849	10.0	8.4	8.0	10.7	6.3	32.2
1967	18 983	14 851	4 056	6 729	4 066	4 132	11.0	9.2	9.0	11.3	7.2	36.5
1966[r]	19 290	15 430	4 106	7 204	4 120	3 860	11.3	9.7	9.3	12.1	7.4	36.1
1966	20 751	16 732	4 481	7 649	4 602	4 019	12.2	10.5	10.2	12.8	8.2	37.3
1965	22 496	18 508	4 824	8 595	5 089	3 988	13.3	11.7	11.1	14.4	9.2	38.1
1964	24 957	20 716	5 258	9 573	5 885	4 241	14.9	13.2	12.2	16.1	10.8	40.7
1963	25 238	21 149	5 466	9 749	5 934	4 089	15.3	13.6	12.8	16.5	11.0	42.0
1962	26 672	22 613	5 887	10 382	6 344	4 059	16.4	14.7	13.9	17.9	12.0	42.7
1961	27 890	23 747	6 205	10 614	6 928	4 143	17.4	15.8	14.8	18.7	13.3	43.2
1960	28 309	24 262	6 115	11 229	6 918	4 047	17.8	16.2	14.9	20.0	13.3	43.0
1959	28 484	24 443	6 185	11 386	6 872	4 041	18.1	16.5	15.2	20.6	13.3	44.1
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD[2]												
1977	9 195	7 890	2 140	3 250	2 501	1 305	5.9	5.3	4.8	7.1	4.3	15.7
1976	9 357	8 037	2 182	3 321	2 534	1 321	6.0	5.4	4.9	7.1	4.4	17.3
1975	10 446	9 221	2 444	3 934	2 843	1 225	6.6	6.1	5.5	8.2	4.9	17.4
1974[r]	9 063	7 902	2 063	3 396	2 444	1 161	5.8	5.2	4.7	6.9	4.3	17.7
1974	9 437	8 238	2 185	3 500	2 553	1 200	6.0	5.5	4.9	7.1	4.5	18.3
1973	8 500	7 409	2 029	3 001	2 379	1 091	5.4	4.9	4.6	6.0	4.2	17.5
1972	9 521	8 499	2 306	3 511	2 681	1 022	6.0	5.6	5.3	6.8	4.8	18.6
1971	10 635	9 468	2 560	3 889	3 019	1 167	6.8	6.2	5.9	7.4	5.4	21.5
1970	10 653	9 562	2 606	3 891	3 065	1 091	6.8	6.3	6.2	7.3	5.6	21.8
1969[1]	10 128	9 046	2 506	3 598	2 941	1 083	6.5	6.0	6.0	6.7	5.4	24.1
1968	10 995	9 995	2 595	4 298	3 102	1 000	7.1	6.7	6.3	7.8	5.8	23.3
1967	12 383	11 398	3 019	4 799	3 580	985	8.1	7.7	7.4	8.7	6.8	24.9
1966[r]	12 779	11 784	3 070	5 092	3 622	995	8.5	8.0	7.7	9.2	7.0	26.6
1966	13 837	12 840	3 365	5 411	4 064	997	9.2	8.7	8.4	9.8	7.8	26.1
1965	15 411	14 416	3 628	6 274	4 514	995	10.3	9.8	9.2	11.4	8.7	27.2
1964	17 911	16 805	4 133	7 373	5 299	1 106	12.0	11.6	10.5	13.4	10.4	29.4
1963	18 256	17 098	4 275	7 498	5 325	1 158	12.4	11.9	11.0	13.7	10.6	32.2
1962	19 657	18 524	4 657	8 170	5 697	1 133	13.5	13.0	12.0	15.1	11.5	32.5
1961	20 842	19 685	4 997	8 450	6 238	1 157	14.5	14.1	13.1	16.0	12.8	32.4
1960	21 102	19 966	4 863	8 872	6 231	1 136	14.9	14.4	13.0	17.0	12.8	33.3
1959	21 369	20 211	4 952	8 966	6 293	1 158	15.2	14.7	13.3	17.4	13.0	33.8
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD[2]												
1977	7 221	4 474	1 400	2 693	381	2 747	25.5	26.8	24.0	40.3	9.0	23.7
1976	7 356	4 463	1 379	2 713	372	2 892	27.3	28.0	25.2	42.7	9.0	26.4
1975	7 324	4 577	1 394	2 813	370	2 747	28.1	29.4	25.9	44.2	9.7	26.3
1974[r]	6 673	4 278	1 289	2 683	306	2 394	26.5	27.7	24.8	42.9	7.7	24.6
1974	6 852	4 279	1 297	2 680	302	2 573	27.2	27.6	24.9	42.6	7.6	26.5
1973	6 642	4 003	1 190	2 461	352	2 639	27.9	28.0	24.5	42.1	9.8	27.7
1972	6 682	3 770	1 135	2 273	362	2 913	29.4	27.4	24.3	41.1	10.2	32.3
1971	7 146	4 099	1 191	2 452	456	3 047	32.1	30.4	26.5	44.6	13.0	34.7
1970	6 832	3 761	1 102	2 247	413	3 070	31.4	28.4	25.0	43.1	11.5	36.1
1969[1]	6 531	3 577	1 069	2 068	440	2 953	32.1	29.1	25.7	45.2	12.4	36.6
1968	6 400	3 551	1 021	2 075	455	2 849	32.3	29.1	25.2	44.4	13.1	37.1
1967	6 600	3 453	1 037	1 930	486	3 147	33.9	28.5	25.9	42.1	13.7	42.8
1966[r]	6 511	3 646	1 036	2 112	498	2 865	33.9	29.7	25.7	46.9	13.4	41.2
1966	6 914	3 892	1 116	2 238	538	3 022	36.5	32.4	27.6	49.7	15.4	43.4
1965	7 085	4 092	1 196	2 321	575	2 993	38.5	35.4	31.0	52.9	17.3	43.9
1964	7 046	3 911	1 125	2 200	586	3 135	38.3	33.4	29.0	49.7	17.2	47.1
1963	6 982	4 051	1 191	2 251	609	2 931	39.9	35.6	31.4	54.1	17.8	47.8
1962	7 015	4 089	1 230	2 212	647	2 926	41.8	37.9	33.9	57.6	19.5	48.7
1961	7 048	4 062	1 208	2 164	690	2 986	41.9	37.6	33.5	54.6	21.4	49.6
1960	7 207	4 296	1 252	2 357	687	2 911	42.3	39.0	34.0	59.9	20.1	48.6
1959	7 115	4 232	1 233	2 420	579	2 883	43.8	40.2	34.8	64.6	17.9	50.3

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YEAR	NUMBER BELOW POVERTY LEVEL						POVERTY RATE					
		IN FAMILIES						IN FAMILIES				
	TOTAL	TOTAL	HEAD	RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	TOTAL	TOTAL	HEAD	RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
BLACK												
ALL PERSONS												
1977	7 726	6 667	1 637	3 850	1 181	1 059	31.3	30.5	28.2	41.6	17.4	37.0
1976	7 595	6 576	1 617	3 758	1 201	1 019	31.1	30.1	27.9	40.4	17.8	39.8
1975	7 545	6 533	1 513	3 884	1 136	1 011	31.3	30.1	27.1	41.4	16.9	42.1
1974[r]	7 182	6 255	1 479	3 713	1 063	927	30.3	29.3	26.9	39.6	16.4	39.3
1974	7 467	6 506	1 530	3 819	1 157	961	31.4	30.3	27.8	40.7	17.6	41.0
1973	7 388	6 560	1 527	3 822	1 211	828	31.4	30.8	28.1	40.6	18.7	37.9
1972	7 710	6 841	1 529	4 025	1 287	870	33.3	32.4	29.0	42.7	20.0	42.9
1971	7 396	6 530	1 484	3 836	1 210	866	32.5	31.2	28.8	40.7	19.1	46.0
1970	7 548	6 683	1 481	3 922	1 279	865	33.5	32.2	29.5	41.5	20.5	48.3
1969[1]	7 095	6 245	1 366	3 677	1 202	850	32.2	30.9	27.9	39.6	20.0	46.7
1968	7 616	6 839	1 366	4 188	1 285	777	34.7	33.7	29.4	43.1	21.7	46.3
1967	8 486	7 677	1 555	4 558	1 564	809	39.3	38.4	33.9	47.4	27.1	49.3
1966[r]	8 867	8 090	1 620	4 774	1 696	777	41.8	40.9	35.5	50.6	29.4	54.4
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD[2]												
1977	2 495	2 072	475	965	633	423	16.6	15.3	13.5	19.9	12.3	28.8
1976	2 571	2 161	495	980	686	410	16.9	15.5	13.5	19.4	13.2	31.7
1975	2 761	2 365	509	1 161	694	396	18.2	16.9	14.2	22.1	13.4	34.0
1974[r]	2 477	2 140	470	1 062	608	338	16.5	15.4	13.2	20.0	12.2	28.5
1974	2 671	2 320	506	1 151	663	351	17.7	16.6	14.2	21.7	13.0	29.9
1973	2 824	2 496	553	1 188	756	328	18.5	17.7	15.4	21.7	14.9	29.1
1972	3 040	2 701	558	1 338	805	338	20.3	19.3	16.2	24.1	16.2	33.7
1971	3 267	2 943	605	1 507	831	324	21.2	20.3	17.2	25.5	16.4	36.5
1970	3 334	3 030	648	1 542	840	304	21.7	20.9	18.6	26.0	16.5	35.9
1969[1]	3 328	3 020	629	1 539	852	308	21.5	20.6	17.9	25.0	17.1	36.5
1968	3 809	3 527	660	1 947	920	282	24.7	24.1	19.9	29.8	19.2	35.1
1967	4 594	4 315	839	2 293	1 183	279	30.0	29.7	25.3	35.3	25.1	36.0
1966[r]	5 210	4 930	946	2 667	1 317	280	33.4	33.0	27.6	39.9	27.3	43.2
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD[2]												
1977	5 230	4 595	1 162	2 885	548	636	53.9	55.3	51.0	65.7	33.3	45.8
1976	5 024	4 415	1 122	2 778	515	609	54.7	55.7	52.2	65.6	33.4	48.1
1975	4 784	4 168	1 004	2 724	441	616	53.6	54.3	50.1	66.0	28.5	49.7
1974[r]	4 705	4 116	1 010	2 651	455	589	54.3	55.0	52.2	65.0	31.0	50.1
1974	4 796	4 186	1 024	2 668	494	611	55.4	55.9	52.8	65.7	33.3	51.9
1973	4 564	4 064	974	2 635	455	500	55.4	56.5	52.7	67.2	32.2	47.3
1972	4 670	4 139	972	2 686	481	531	57.3	58.1	53.3	69.5	33.4	51.9
1971	4 129	3 587	879	2 329	379	542	55.8	56.1	53.5	66.6	30.2	54.4
1970	4 213	3 656	834	2 383	439	560	58.8	58.7	54.3	67.7	37.5	59.3
1969[1]	3 766	3 225	737	2 137	350	541	57.8	58.2	53.3	68.2	34.4	55.5
1968	3 807	3 312	706	2 241	365	495	58.6	58.9	53.2	70.5	32.6	56.6
1967	3 892	3 362	716	2 265	381	530	61.6	61.6	56.3	72.4	36.1	61.3
1966[r]	3 657	3 160	674	2 107	379	497	65.1	65.3	59.2	76.6	39.9	63.7
SPANISH ORIGIN												
ALL PERSONS												
1977	2 700	2 463	591	1 402	469	237	22.4	21.9	21.4	28.0	13.5	29.8
1976	2 783	2 516	598	1 424	494	266	24.7	23.8	23.1	30.1	15.3	37.2
1975	2 991	2 755	627	1 619	508	236	26.9	26.3	25.1	33.1	16.5	36.6
1974[r]	2 575	2 374	526	1 414	435	201	23.0	22.4	21.2	28.6	13.7	32.6
1974	2 601	2 394	527	1 433	434	207	23.2	22.6	21.3	29.0	13.7	33.7
1973	2 366	2 209	468	1 364	377	157	21.9	21.5	19.8	27.8	12.6	29.9
1972	2 414	2 252	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	162	22.8	22.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	33.2
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD[2]												
1977	1 497	1 386	290	716	380	111	15.3	14.8	13.2	17.9	12.1	25.2
1976	1 639	1 516	323	789	404	123	17.9	17.3	15.6	20.8	13.8	32.6
1975	1 802	1 702	348	925	429	100	20.1	19.7	17.6	23.8	15.5	28.8
1974[r]	1 563	1 460	297	793	370	103	16.9	16.5	14.7	20.0	12.9	27.8
1974	1 580	1 473	296	813	364	107	17.1	16.6	14.7	20.5	12.7	29.0
1973	1 395	1 328	256	758	314	67	15.4	15.2	13.1	18.8	11.4	21.6
1972	1 592	1 519	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	73	18.4	17.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	28.0
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD[2]												
1977	1 204	1 077	301	686	89	127	53.3	56.7	53.6	68.6	26.5	35.3
1976	1 144	1 000	275	636	90	143	54.3	56.6	53.1	67.3	29.5	42.3
1975	1 189	1 053	279	694	79	136	55.6	57.2	53.6	68.4	26.0	45.8
1974[r]	1 012	915	229	621	65	98	51.4	53.1	49.6	64.3	21.8	39.8
1974	1 021	921	231	619	71	100	51.6	53.2	49.6	63.9	23.9	40.7
1973	971	881	211	606	64	90	55.5	57.4	51.4	68.7	26.6	42.0
1972	822	733	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	89	51.5	53.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	39.2

[r]BASED ON REVISED METHODOLOGY; SEE TEXT FOR EXPLANATION.
[1]BEGINNING WITH MARCH 1970 CPS, DATA BASED ON 1970 CENSUS POPULATION CONTROLS; SEE TEXT FOR EXPLANATION.
[2]FOR UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS, SEX OF THE INDIVIDUAL.

NOTE: PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

Table 2. Persons Below 125 Percent of the Poverty Level by Family Status, Sex of Head and Race and Spanish Origin: 1959 to 1977

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

YEAR	NUMBER BELOW 125% OF POVERTY LEVEL						POVERTY RATE					
		IN FAMILIES						IN FAMILIES				
	TOTAL	TOTAL	HEAD	RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	UNRELATED INDI-VIDUALS	TOTAL	TOTAL	HEAD	RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	UNRELATED INDI-VIDUALS
ALL RACES												
ALL PERSONS												
1977.	35 659	28 176	7 713	13 780	6 682	7 484	16.7	14.8	13.5	21.9	9.4	32.4
1976.	35 509	28 108	7 647	13 691	6 771	7 401	16.7	14.7	13.5	21.5	9.6	34.5
1975.	37 182	30 127	7 974	14 961	7 192	7 055	17.6	15.8	14.2	23.1	10.3	34.9
1974[r]	33 666	27 086	7 195	13 638	6 252	6 580	16.1	14.2	12.9	20.7	9.1	34.8
1974.	34 615	27 783	7 437	13 784	6 562	6 832	16.5	14.6	13.3	20.9	9.5	36.2
1973.	32 828	26 509	7 044	13 074	6 392	6 318	15.8	14.0	12.8	19.6	9.4	34.6
1972.	34 653	28 208	7 347	14 058	6 803	6 445	16.8	14.9	13.5	20.8	10.1	38.3
1971.	36 501	29 949	7 761	14 736	7 452	6 552	17.8	15.9	14.6	21.5	11.2	40.2
1970.	35 624	29 222	7 516	14 296	7 410	6 402	17.6	15.7	14.4	20.8	11.3	41.3
1969[1]	34 665	28 550	7 353	13 920	7 277	6 115	17.4	15.4	14.3	20.2	11.3	41.8
1968.	35 905	30 056	7 399	15 080	7 577	5 849	18.2	16.4	14.6	21.5	12.0	42.4
1967.	39 206	33 204	8 272	16 314	8 618	6 002	20.0	18.2	16.6	23.3	13.8	45.8
1966[r]	41 267	35 570	8 637	17 667	9 266	5 697	21.3	19.6	17.6	25.3	14.9	46.4
1966.	40 617	34 930	8 484	17 410	9 036	5 687	21.0	19.3	17.3	24.9	14.5	46.3
1965.	46 163	40 430	9 592	20 055	10 783	5 733	24.1	22.6	19.9	28.8	17.6	47.3
1964.	49 819	43 873	10 301	21 738	11 834	5 946	26.3	24.7	21.5	31.3	19.6	49.3
1963.	50 778	44 974	10 798	21 961	12 215	5 804	27.1	25.5	22.8	31.9	20.4	51.9
1962.	53 119	47 279	11 337	23 090	12 852	5 840	28.8	27.3	24.1	34.3	21.8	53.0
1961.	54 280	48 362	11 732	23 041	13 589	5 918	30.0	28.4	25.3	35.0	23.4	53.1
1960.	54 560	49 012	11 525	23 874	13 613	5 548	30.4	29.1	25.4	36.6	23.5	51.0
1959.	54 942	49 303	11 790	24 271	13 242	5 639	31.1	29.7	26.2	37.9	23.3	52.7
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD[2]												
1977.	19 291	16 749	4 408	6 993	5 348	2 542	11.0	10.1	9.0	13.6	8.3	25.4
1976.	19 542	17 167	4 513	7 165	5 489	2 375	11.1	10.3	9.2	13.5	8.5	26.2
1975.	21 446	19 199	4 907	8 294	5 998	2 247	12.2	11.5	10.1	15.3	9.3	26.8
1974[r]	18 683	16 549	4 285	7 136	5 128	2 134	10.7	9.9	8.8	12.9	8.1	26.9
1974.	19 291	17 085	4 483	7 240	5 361	2 206	11.0	10.2	9.2	13.1	8.5	28.0
1973.	18 380	16 461	4 297	6 930	5 235	1 919	10.5	9.8	8.9	12.2	8.4	25.4
1972.	20 031	18 171	4 611	7 921	5 640	1 860	11.5	10.8	9.7	13.7	9.1	27.9
1971.	22 133	20 188	5 099	8 848	6 241	1 945	12.7	12.0	10.8	14.9	10.1	30.1
1970.	21 909	20 097	5 113	8 739	6 245	1 812	12.7	12.0	11.1	14.6	10.2	30.3
1969[1]	21 691	19 910	5 030	8 753	6 127	1 781	12.6	11.9	10.9	14.4	10.2	32.4
1968.	23 195	21 534	5 206	9 885	6 443	1 661	13.6	13.0	11.6	15.9	11.0	31.9
1967.	26 511	24 872	6 088	11 349	7 435	1 639	15.6	15.1	13.7	18.2	12.8	33.8
1966[r]	28 865	27 240	6 496	12 731	8 013	1 625	17.1	16.6	14.8	20.4	13.9	36.2
1966.	28 258	26 642	6 352	12 488	7 802	1 616	16.8	16.3	14.5	20.0	13.6	36.0
1965.	33 195	31 534	7 262	14 859	9 413	1 661	19.8	19.4	16.8	23.8	16.5	37.1
1964.	37 059	35 269	8 066	16 714	10 489	1 790	22.3	21.9	18.8	26.8	18.7	38.9
1963.	37 942	36 099	8 446	16 848	10 805	1 843	23.1	22.6	19.8	27.2	19.5	43.1
1962.	40 399	38 492	8 965	18 163	11 364	1 907	24.9	24.4	21.2	29.8	20.8	44.8
1961.	41 668	39 849	9 403	18 462	11 984	1 819	26.1	25.7	22.6	31.0	22.3	41.6
1960.	42 319	40 617	9 233	19 249	12 135	1 702	26.8	26.4	22.6	32.5	22.6	40.7
1959.	43 132	41 328	9 585	19 712	12 061	1 804	27.7	27.3	23.6	33.8	22.8	42.8
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD[3]												
1977.	16 368	11 427	3 305	6 788	1 334	4 941	42.5	45.0	40.1	60.4	22.5	37.7
1976.	15 968	10 941	3 134	6 526	1 282	5 027	43.6	45.2	40.6	60.8	22.3	40.6
1975.	15 737	10 928	3 068	6 668	1 193	4 808	44.4	46.3	41.0	62.8	21.8	40.6
1974[r]	14 983	10 537	2 910	6 502	1 125	4 446	43.9	45.5	40.2	62.5	20.4	40.4
1974.	15 324	10 698	2 953	6 544	1 201	4 626	44.8	46.0	40.8	62.6	21.7	42.1
1973.	14 447	10 048	2 747	6 144	1 157	4 400	44.4	46.0	40.4	61.9	22.7	41.0
1972.	14 622	10 037	2 737	6 137	1 163	4 585	46.6	47.2	41.4	63.9	23.0	45.2
1971.	14 368	9 761	2 662	5 888	1 211	4 607	47.9	48.4	43.0	64.5	25.1	46.7
1970.	13 716	9 125	2 403	5 558	1 164	4 591	47.0	46.4	40.0	62.9	24.1	48.3
1969[1]	12 973	8 639	2 323	5 167	1 149	4 334	47.8	48.0	41.5	66.2	25.0	47.5
1968.	12 709	8 521	2 193	5 195	1 133	4 188	47.7	47.2	40.3	65.1	24.5	46.7
1967.	12 695	8 333	2 184	4 965	1 184	4 362	48.7	46.8	41.0	63.5	25.5	52.8
1966[r]	12 402	8 330	2 141	4 936	1 253	4 072	49.6	48.3	41.1	67.4	26.6	52.3
1966.	12 358	8 287	2 132	4 922	1 233	4 071	49.4	48.1	41.0	67.2	26.1	52.3
1965.	12 968	8 896	2 330	5 196	1 370	4 072	54.0	54.3	46.7	73.1	32.1	53.2
1964.	12 760	8 604	2 235	5 023	1 346	4 156	53.4	52.4	44.6	70.8	31.1	55.7
1963.	12 835	8 874	2 351	5 113	1 410	3 961	56.0	55.4	48.2	74.8	32.8	57.3
1962.	12 719	8 787	2 372	4 927	1 488	3 932	57.2	56.8	50.0	76.7	34.5	58.2
1961.	12 612	8 513	2 329	4 578	1 606	4 099	57.8	56.5	50.2	73.7	38.1	60.5
1960.	12 240	8 394	2 292	4 625	1 477	3 846	56.8	56.6	49.7	77.3	34.9	57.4
1959.	11 811	7 976	2 235	4 559	1 182	3 835	57.1	56.2	49.7	79.4	29.8	59.1

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

YEAR	NUMBER BELOW 125% OF POVERTY LEVEL						POVERTY RATE					
		IN FAMILIES						IN FAMILIES				
	TOTAL	TOTAL	HEAD	RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	TOTAL	TOTAL	HEAD	RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
WHITE												
ALL PERSONS												
1977	24 636	18 597	5 344	8 544	4 709	6 039	13.3	11.2	10.6	16.3	7.5	30.4
1976	24 736	18 708	5 359	8 545	4 803	6 029	13.4	11.3	10.7	16.1	7.7	32.4
1975	26 595	20 898	5 818	9 801	5 278	5 697	14.5	12.6	11.7	18.1	8.6	32.5
1974[r]	23 456	18 141	5 052	8 630	4 458	5 315	12.9	10.9	10.2	15.6	7.3	32.6
1974	24 031	18 529	5 236	8 641	4 652	5 502	13.2	11.2	10.6	15.6	7.6	33.9
1973	22 641	17 460	4 935	8 009	4 517	5 180	12.5	10.6	10.1	14.2	7.5	32.9
1972	24 164	18 864	5 234	8 745	4 886	5 300	13.4	11.4	10.8	15.3	8.1	36.6
1971	26 217	20 791	5 692	9 566	5 533	5 426	14.6	12.6	11.9	16.5	9.3	38.2
1970	25 373	20 045	5 504	9 080	5 461	5 328	14.3	12.2	11.8	15.5	9.3	39.5
1969[1]	24 524	19 493	5 393	8 742	5 358	5 031	14.0	12.0	11.7	14.9	9.2	40.0
1968	25 509	20 666	5 487	9 529	5 650	4 843	14.7	12.8	12.1	16.0	9.9	40.5
1967	28 005	22 992	6 181	10 367	6 444	5 013	16.3	14.3	13.8	17.4	11.4	44.3
1966[r]	29 477	24 733	6 451	11 459	6 823	4 744	17.3	15.5	14.6	19.2	12.2	44.4
1966	28 896	24 160	6 305	11 237	6 618	4 736	17.0	15.1	14.3	18.9	11.9	44.3
1965	33 090	28 316	7 226	13 122	7 968	4 774	19.6	17.9	16.6	22.0	14.4	45.6
1964	36 488	31 564	7 920	14 568	9 076	4 924	21.8	20.1	18.4	24.6	16.7	47.3
1963	37 155	32 298	8 179	14 907	9 212	4 857	22.5	20.8	19.2	25.2	17.1	49.9
1962	38 844	34 085	8 672	15 782	9 651	4 759	23.9	22.2	20.4	27.2	18.2	50.1
1961	40 512	35 666	9 126	16 121	10 419	4 846	25.3	23.7	21.8	28.4	20.0	50.5
1960	41 126	36 521	8 986	16 950	10 585	4 605	25.9	24.4	21.9	30.2	20.3	49.0
1959	41 849	37 199	9 209	17 462	10 528	4 650	26.7	25.2	22.6	31.6	20.4	50.8
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD[2]												
1977	14 810	12 889	3 522	5 229	4 138	1 922	9.4	8.7	7.9	11.5	7.1	23.2
1976	14 988	13 162	3 612	5 316	4 235	1 826	9.5	8.8	8.1	11.4	7.3	23.9
1975	16 803	15 100	4 026	6 350	4 724	1 703	10.7	10.1	9.0	13.3	8.2	24.2
1974[r]	14 315	12 683	3 416	5 287	3 980	1 632	9.1	8.4	7.7	10.8	6.9	24.9
1974	14 676	13 008	3 575	5 277	4 156	1 668	9.3	8.6	8.1	10.8	7.2	25.5
1973	13 843	12 396	3 395	5 013	3 988	1 447	8.8	8.2	7.7	10.0	7.0	23.3
1972	15 285	13 898	3 720	5 835	4 342	1 388	9.7	9.1	8.5	11.3	7.7	25.3
1971	17 010	15 510	4 121	6 522	4 867	1 500	10.8	10.2	9.5	12.4	8.7	27.6
1970	16 645	15 248	4 087	6 294	4 867	1 397	10.7	10.1	9.7	11.8	8.8	27.9
1969[1]	16 243	14 894	4 002	6 176	4 716	1 349	10.5	9.9	9.5	11.4	8.7	30.0
1968	17 458	16 186	4 181	6 991	5 014	1 272	11.3	10.8	10.1	12.7	9.4	29.7
1967	19 863	18 601	4 852	7 987	5 762	1 262	13.0	12.5	11.9	14.5	10.9	31.8
1966[r]	21 340	20 086	5 104	8 910	6 072	1 254	14.1	13.6	12.7	16.2	11.7	33.5
1966	20 780	19 534	4 963	8 692	5 879	1 246	13.8	13.3	12.4	15.8	11.3	33.3
1965	24 516	23 218	5 711	10 349	7 158	1 298	16.3	15.8	14.4	18.8	13.8	35.4
1964	28 009	26 652	6 476	11 894	8 282	1 357	18.8	18.4	16.5	21.7	16.2	36.1
1963	28 799	27 334	6 698	12 235	8 401	1 465	19.5	19.0	17.2	22.3	16.7	40.8
1962	30 642	29 227	7 178	13 242	8 807	1 415	21.0	20.5	18.5	24.5	17.8	40.7
1961	31 985	30 633	7 616	13 548	9 469	1 352	22.3	21.9	19.9	25.7	19.4	37.9
1960	32 593	31 290	7 457	14 164	9 669	1 303	23.0	22.6	19.9	27.1	19.8	38.2
1959	33 577	32 215	7 721	14 724	9 770	1 362	23.9	23.5	20.7	28.6	20.1	39.8
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD[2]												
1977	9 826	5 708	1 822	3 315	571	4 118	34.7	34.1	31.3	49.6	13.6	35.6
1976	9 749	5 546	1 748	3 229	569	4 203	36.2	34.8	32.0	50.9	13.8	38.3
1975	9 792	5 798	1 793	3 451	554	3 994	37.6	37.2	33.3	54.2	14.5	38.2
1974[r]	9 141	5 458	1 636	3 343	479	3 683	36.3	35.4	31.4	53.5	12.0	37.9
1974	9 355	5 521	1 661	3 364	496	3 834	37.1	35.7	31.9	53.4	12.5	39.5
1973	8 798	5 064	1 539	2 996	529	3 733	36.9	35.4	31.7	51.2	14.7	39.1
1972	8 879	4 966	1 513	2 910	543	3 912	39.0	36.1	32.4	52.7	15.3	43.4
1971	9 207	5 281	1 571	3 044	666	3 926	41.3	39.1	35.0	55.4	18.9	44.7
1970	8 728	4 797	1 418	2 786	593	3 931	40.2	36.3	32.2	53.4	16.5	46.3
1969[1]	8 281	4 599	1 391	2 566	642	3 682	40.7	37.4	33.4	56.1	18.1	45.6
1968	8 051	4 480	1 306	2 539	635	3 571	40.5	36.7	32.2	54.5	18.3	46.5
1967	8 141	4 391	1 329	2 380	682	3 750	41.3	36.2	33.2	51.9	19.3	51.0
1966[r]	8 139	4 648	1 348	2 550	750	3 491	42.4	37.9	33.4	56.6	20.1	50.2
1966	8 117	4 626	1 342	2 545	739	3 491	42.2	37.7	33.3	56.5	19.8	50.2
1965	8 574	5 098	1 514	2 773	811	3 476	46.6	44.1	39.2	63.2	24.4	51.0
1964	8 479	4 912	1 444	2 674	794	3 567	46.1	41.9	37.2	60.4	23.2	53.6
1963	8 356	4 964	1 481	2 672	811	3 392	47.7	43.7	39.0	64.2	23.8	55.3
1962	8 202	4 858	1 494	2 519	845	3 344	48.8	45.0	41.2	65.5	25.4	55.6
1961	8 527	5 033	1 511	2 572	950	3 494	50.7	46.6	41.9	64.8	29.5	58.0
1960	8 533	5 231	1 529	2 786	916	3 302	50.1	47.4	41.6	70.8	26.8	55.1
1959	8 271	4 983	1 488	2 737	758	3 288	50.9	47.4	42.0	73.1	23.5	57.4

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YEAR	NUMBER BELOW 125% OF POVERTY LEVEL						POVERTY RATE					
		IN FAMILIES						IN FAMILIES				
	TOTAL	TOTAL	HEAD	RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	UNRELATED INDI-VIDUALS	TOTAL	TOTAL	HEAD	RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	UNRELATED INDI-VIDUALS
BLACK												
ALL PERSONS												
1977	10 135	8 827	2 162	4 885	1 780	1 308	41.0	40.4	37.2	52.8	26.2	45.7
1976	9 877	8 641	2 110	4 753	1 778	1 235	40.5	39.6	36.3	51.2	26.4	48.3
1975	9 788	8 560	2 016	4 797	1 748	1 227	40.6	39.5	36.1	51.2	26.0	51.1
1974[r]	9 585	8 416	2 013	4 764	1 640	1 168	40.4	39.4	36.7	50.8	25.4	49.5
1974	9 859	8 640	2 056	4 850	1 735	1 219	41.4	40.3	37.4	51.7	26.4	51.9
1973	9 540	8 539	1 986	4 796	1 757	1 001	40.6	40.0	36.5	51.0	27.1	45.8
1972	9 763	8 717	1 966	4 963	1 788	1 046	42.2	41.3	37.3	52.7	27.8	51.6
1971	9 739	8 696	1 972	4 926	1 798	1 043	42.7	41.6	38.2	52.3	28.4	55.4
1970	9 668	8 681	1 908	4 942	1 831	987	42.9	41.9	38.0	52.3	29.3	55.1
1969[1]	9 507	8 527	1 854	4 898	1 775	980	43.2	42.2	37.9	52.7	29.5	53.9
1968	9 862	8 940	1 822	5 293	1 825	922	44.9	44.1	39.2	54.5	30.9	55.0
1967	10 701	9 777	1 995	5 696	2 086	924	49.5	48.9	43.5	59.2	36.2	56.3
1966[r]	11 232	10 352	2 091	5 929	2 332	880	53.0	52.4	45.9	62.8	40.4	61.6
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD[2]												
1977	3 840	3 306	751	1 520	1 034	534	25.6	24.4	21.3	31.3	20.1	36.3
1976	3 904	3 421	771	1 561	1 089	483	25.7	24.6	21.1	30.9	20.9	37.4
1975	4 037	3 552	780	1 650	1 122	484	26.6	25.4	21.8	31.4	21.7	41.7
1974[r]	3 894	3 455	779	1 658	1 018	439	25.9	24.9	21.9	31.3	20.4	37.1
1974	4 070	3 607	806	1 737	1 063	463	26.9	25.8	22.7	32.7	20.9	39.5
1973	4 088	3 697	816	1 745	1 136	391	26.8	26.1	22.7	31.8	22.4	34.7
1972	4 314	3 906	809	1 907	1 190	409	28.8	27.9	23.5	34.3	23.9	40.7
1971	4 746	4 362	914	2 179	1 269	384	30.8	30.1	26.0	36.8	25.0	43.2
1970	4 801	4 445	940	2 234	1 271	356	31.3	30.7	26.9	37.7	25.0	42.1
1969[1]	4 981	4 612	949	2 375	1 288	369	32.1	31.5	27.1	38.6	25.8	43.7
1968	5 369	5 034	964	2 733	1 337	335	34.8	34.4	29.0	41.9	27.9	41.7
1967	6 266	5 934	1 163	3 174	1 597	332	41.0	40.9	35.1	48.9	33.9	42.8
1966[r]	7 059	6 731	1 310	3 587	1 834	328	45.3	45.1	38.3	53.7	38.0	50.7
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD[2]												
1977	6 296	5 521	1 411	3 365	746	774	64.9	66.4	62.0	76.6	45.4	55.8
1976	5 973	5 220	1 338	3 192	689	752	65.0	65.9	62.2	75.4	44.7	59.4
1975	5 751	5 008	1 236	3 147	626	743	64.5	65.2	61.7	76.3	40.4	60.0
1974[r]	5 691	4 961	1 234	3 106	621	729	65.7	66.3	63.8	76.1	42.3	62.1
1974	5 789	5 033	1 249	3 113	671	756	66.8	67.2	64.4	76.6	45.3	64.3
1973	5 452	4 842	1 170	3 051	621	610	66.1	67.4	63.3	77.8	43.9	57.7
1972	5 449	4 811	1 157	3 057	598	637	66.9	67.5	63.5	79.1	41.5	62.3
1971	4 993	4 334	1 058	2 747	529	659	67.5	67.7	64.4	78.5	42.1	66.1
1970	4 866	4 235	968	2 708	559	631	67.9	68.0	63.1	77.0	47.7	66.8
1969[1]	4 526	3 916	905	2 523	488	610	69.5	70.7	65.5	80.5	47.8	62.6
1968	4 493	3 906	858	2 560	488	587	69.1	69.4	64.7	80.5	43.6	67.2
1967	4 435	3 843	832	2 523	488	592	70.2	70.5	65.4	80.7	46.3	68.4
1966[r]	4 172	3 621	781	2 342	498	551	74.2	74.8	68.6	85.1	52.4	70.6
SPANISH ORIGIN												
ALL PERSONS												
1977[r]	3 686	3 370	796	1 865	709	316	30.6	30.0	28.8	37.3	20.3	39.7
1976	3 771	3 447	812	1 895	740	324	33.5	32.7	31.4	40.0	22.9	45.2
1975	4 058	3 782	855	2 179	747	277	36.5	36.1	34.2	44.5	24.3	42.8
1974[r]	3 523	3 260	719	1 908	633	263	31.5	30.8	29.1	38.6	20.0	42.6
1974	3 519	3 248	720	1 890	638	271	31.4	30.7	29.1	38.2	20.1	44.2
1973	3 359	3 162	670	1 899	593	197	31.1	30.8	28.3	38.7	19.8	37.6
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD[2]												
1977	2 304	2 156	454	1 106	595	148	23.5	23.1	20.6	27.7	18.9	33.9
1976	2 404	2 258	481	1 159	618	146	26.2	25.7	23.3	30.6	21.1	38.7
1975	2 628	2 514	515	1 359	640	115	29.3	29.1	26.0	35.0	23.1	33.0
1974[r]	2 258	2 129	439	1 154	536	129	24.5	24.0	21.8	29.0	18.6	34.8
1974	2 252	2 117	437	1 145	535	135	24.4	23.9	21.7	28.8	18.6	36.7
1973	2 204	2 120	412	1 196	512	84	24.4	24.3	21.1	29.7	18.6	26.9
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD[2]												
1977	1 382	1 214	342	758	113	168	61.2	63.9	60.9	75.8	33.6	47.0
1976	1 366	1 189	331	736	122	178	64.9	67.3	64.0	77.9	39.9	52.4
1975	1 430	1 268	341	820	107	162	66.8	68.9	65.3	80.7	35.3	54.3
1974[r]	1 265	1 132	280	753	99	134	64.2	65.7	60.6	78.0	33.4	54.5
1974	1 267	1 131	283	744	104	136	64.1	65.3	60.7	76.8	35.0	55.5
1973	1 155	1 042	256	703	83	113	66.1	67.9	62.3	79.7	34.4	52.8

[r] BASED ON REVISED METHODOLOGY; SEE TEXT FOR EXPLANATION.
[1] BEGINNING WITH MARCH 1970 CPS, DATA BASED ON 1970 CENSUS POPULATION CONTROLS; SEE TEXT FOR EXPLANATION.
[2] FOR UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS, SEX OF THE INDIVIDUAL.

NOTE: PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

Table 3. Persons 65 Years and Over Below the Poverty Level by Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin: 1959 and 1967 to 1977

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

YEAR	NUMBER BELOW POVERTY LEVEL						POVERTY RATE					
	TOTAL	IN FAMILIES				UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	TOTAL	IN FAMILIES				UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
		TOTAL	HEAD	WIFE	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS			TOTAL	HEAD	WIFE	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	
ALL RACES												
ALL PERSONS												
1977	3 177	1 176	710	364	102	2 001	14.1	7.8	8.5	7.5	4.8	27.3
1976	3 313	1 185	726	353	106	2 129	15.0	7.9	8.9	7.5	4.8	30.3
1975	3 317	1 192	728	376	88	2 125	15.3	8.0	8.9	8.2	4.3	31.0
1974r	3 085	1 110	686	337	87	1 975	14.6	7.6	8.5	7.3	4.4	30.3
1974	3 308	1 243	760	382	101	2 065	15.7	8.5	9.5	8.3	5.0	31.8
1973	3 354	1 340	829	371	140	2 014	16.3	9.4	10.5	8.4	7.0	32.0
1972	3 738	1 444	879	403	161	2 295	18.6	10.4	11.6	9.7	7.3	37.1
1971	4 273	1 710	1 062	485	163	2 563	21.6	12.4	14.2	11.8	7.5	42.3
1970	4 709	1 975	1 166	606	202	2 735	24.5	14.7	16.3	15.4	8.6	47.1
1969	4 787	2 127	1 239	646	243	2 660	25.3	16.0	17.5	17.2	10.0	47.3
1968	4 632	2 048	1 200	576	272	2 584	25.0	15.4	17.0	15.8	10.7	48.8
1967	5 388	2 592	1 518	784	290	2 796	29.5	19.7	21.5	21.4	11.9	55.2
1959[1]	5 481	3 187	1 787	952	448	2 294	35.2	26.9	29.1	30.5	17.4	61.9
MALE												
1977	961	575	551	-	24	386	10.5	7.3	7.8	-	5.0	23.6
1976	988	585	561	-	25	403	10.8	7.7	8.0	-	4.3	25.9
1975	1 013	603	585	-	18	410	11.4	8.1	8.3	-	4.5	27.8
1974r	944	566	548	-	18	378	10.8	7.8	7.9	-	5.4	25.8
1974	1 033	643	616	-	27	390	11.8	8.8	8.9	-	7.9	26.8
1973	1 056	665	638	-	27	391	12.4	9.4	9.5	-	8.0	27.1
1972	1 096	718	686	-	32	378	13.1	10.4	10.7	-	6.7	26.3
1971	1 290	845	828	-	17	445	15.6	12.2	12.8	-	3.8	32.6
1970	1 552	1 003	964	-	39	549	19.0	14.9	15.6	-	6.6	38.9
1969	1 626	1 059	976	-	83	567	20.2	16.0	16.4	-	12.3	39.8
1968	1 613	1 039	946	-	93	574	20.3	15.7	15.9	-	13.3	43.4
1967	1 867	1 283	1 227	-	56	584	23.7	19.5	20.6	-	9.0	44.8
1959[1]	(NA)	(NA)	1 507	-	(NA)	703	(NA)	(NA)	29.1	-	(NA)	59.0
FEMALE												
1977	2 216	601	159	364	77	1 615	16.7	7.9	13.7	7.5	4.7	28.4
1976	2 326	600	165	353	81	1 726	17.9	8.0	14.4	7.5	5.0	31.5
1975	2 303	587	143	376	68	1 716	18.1	8.0	12.7	8.2	4.1	31.9
1974r	2 140	543	137	337	69	1 597	17.3	7.4	12.3	7.3	4.2	31.6
1974	2 275	600	144	382	74	1 675	18.3	8.2	13.0	8.3	4.5	33.2
1973	2 298	674	191	371	112	1 624	19.0	9.3	16.8	8.4	6.7	33.5
1972	2 642	725	193	403	129	1 917	22.4	10.3	16.5	9.7	7.5	40.4
1971	2 983	865	234	485	146	2 118	25.8	12.6	23.0	11.8	8.4	45.1
1970	3 158	972	202	606	164	2 186	28.5	14.5	19.9	15.4	9.4	49.7
1969	3 162	1 069	263	646	160	2 093	29.2	16.1	23.6	17.2	9.1	49.9
1968	3 019	1 009	254	576	179	2 010	28.5	15.2	22.3	15.8	9.8	50.6
1967	3 520	1 308	290	784	234	2 212	33.9	19.8	25.8	21.4	12.9	59.5
1959[1]	(NA)	(NA)	280	949	(NA)	1 591	(NA)	(NA)	28.8	30.5	(NA)	63.3
WHITE												
ALL PERSONS												
1977	2 426	809	472	281	56	1 617	11.9	5.9	6.3	6.2	3.1	24.6
1976	2 633	867	515	281	71	1 766	13.2	6.4	7.0	6.4	3.8	27.7
1975	2 634	898	528	313	57	1 736	13.4	6.7	7.1	7.2	3.3	28.0
1974r	2 460	836	502	279	55	1 624	12.8	6.3	6.9	6.5	3.3	27.6
1974	2 642	944	567	318	59	1 697	13.8	7.1	7.7	7.4	3.5	28.9
1973	2 698	988	595	300	93	1 711	14.4	7.6	8.4	7.2	5.4	29.7
1972	3 072	1 130	678	338	113	1 942	16.8	8.9	9.8	8.7	5.8	34.7
1971	3 605	1 383	842	420	121	2 222	19.9	11.0	12.4	10.9	6.3	40.2
1970	3 984	1 592	921	519	151	2 392	22.5	12.9	14.1	14.0	7.3	44.8
1969	4 052	1 753	1 011	565	176	2 300	23.3	14.3	15.5	15.8	8.1	45.0
1968	3 939	1 689	981	503	204	2 250	23.1	13.8	15.1	14.4	9.1	46.7
1967	4 646	2 181	1 246	699	237	2 465	27.7	17.9	19.2	20.1	10.7	53.5
1959[1]	4 744	2 696	1 495	846	352	2 048	33.1	24.6	26.4	28.9	15.0	60.2
MALE												
1977	686	414	403	-	11	273	8.3	6.0	6.2	-	3.0	20.1
1976	749	455	439	-	16	295	9.1	6.6	6.8	-	3.5	22.1
1975	767	468	460	-	8	299	9.5	6.9	7.1	-	2.8	23.8
1974r	733	439	431	-	8	294	9.3	6.6	6.7	-	3.3	23.6
1974	797	505	493	-	12	292	10.1	7.6	7.7	-	4.8	23.7
1973	801	514	503	-	11	287	10.4	7.9	8.1	-	4.3	22.9
1972	852	588	568	-	20	264	11.3	9.3	9.5	-	5.1	21.6
1971	1 037	699	681	-	18	338	13.8	11.0	11.4	-	4.7	28.8
1970	1 273	817	783	-	34	456	17.0	13.2	13.8	-	6.5	36.0
1969	1 333	885	832	-	53	448	18.1	14.4	15.0	-	9.1	36.3
1968	1 324	854	788	-	66	470	18.2	13.9	14.2	-	10.7	41.0
1967	1 541	1 072	1 023	-	49	469	21.3	17.6	18.6	-	8.3	41.9
1959[1]	(NA)	(NA)	1 288	-	(NA)	603	(NA)	(NA)	26.8	-	(NA)	56.8

SEE FOOTNOTE(S) AT END OF TABLE.

Table 3. Persons 65 Years and Over Below the Poverty Level by Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin: 1959 and 1967 to 1977—Continued

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

YEAR	NUMBER BELOW POVERTY LEVEL						POVERTY RATE					
		IN FAMILIES						IN FAMILIES				
	TOTAL	TOTAL	HEAD	WIFE	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	TOTAL	TOTAL	HEAD	WIFE	OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
WHITE--CON.												
FEMALE												
1977	1 739	395	70	281	45	1 344	14.4	5.8	7.5	6.2	3.2	25.8
1976	1 884	412	76	281	55	1 472	16.0	6.1	8.3	6.4	3.9	29.2
1975	1 866	429	68	313	48	1 437	16.1	6.4	7.4	7.2	3.4	29.1
1974[r]	1 727	397	72	279	46	1 330	15.3	6.0	7.9	6.5	3.2	28.7
1974	1 845	440	74	318	48	1 405	16.3	6.6	8.1	7.4	3.3	30.3
1973	1 896	473	92	300	81	1 423	17.2	7.3	10.2	7.2	5.5	31.6
1972	2 219	541	110	338	93	1 678	20.6	8.5	11.6	8.7	6.0	38.3
1971	2 568	684	161	420	103	1 884	24.3	11.0	19.2	10.9	6.7	43.3
1970	2 710	774	138	519	117	1 936	26.5	12.6	15.8	14.0	7.5	47.5
1969	2 719	867	179	565	123	1 852	27.2	14.2	18.8	15.8	7.8	47.7
1968	2 615	835	193	503	139	1 780	26.8	13.7	19.6	14.4	8.5	48.5
1967	3 105	1 110	223	699	188	1 995	32.4	18.2	22.9	20.1	11.6	57.2
1959[1]	(NA)	(NA)	207	846	(NA)	1 445	(NA)	(NA)	24.3	28.9	(NA)	61.8
BLACK												
ALL PERSONS												
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[r]	591	256	168	56	32	335	34.3	22.4	26.1	22.3	12.9	58.0
1974	626	278	177	61	40	349	36.4	24.3	27.6	24.3	15.8	60.5
1973	620	331	219	67	44	289	37.1	28.0	31.4	27.6	18.2	59.1
1972	640	294	186	60	48	346	39.9	27.8	30.8	30.0	19.0	63.4
1971	623	307	211	58	38	317	39.3	28.2	33.4	25.9	16.4	64.0
1970	683	360	229	81	51	322	48.0	36.7	40.9	41.8	22.5	73.2
1969	689	353	211	76	65	336	50.2	38.2	41.6	44.7	26.3	74.8
1968	655	339	207	71	61	316	47.7	36.3	39.7	44.7	24.1	71.7
1967	715	403	265	85	53	312	53.3	44.0	48.4	48.9	27.2	73.4
1959[1]	711	475	280	101	94	236	62.5	55.9	60.3	57.7	44.8	81.7
MALE												
1977	243	144	132	-	12	99	29.7	25.4	28.4	-	11.5	39.4
1976	217	114	106	-	9	103	28.0	19.9	22.2	-	9.3	51.0
1975	234	131	122	-	9	103	31.0	23.6	26.0	-	10.5	51.8
1974[r]	188	113	104	-	9	75	25.9	21.4	22.9	-	12.2	38.1
1974	209	123	108	-	15	86	28.7	23.1	23.8	-	19.0	44.1
1973	232	135	120	-	15	97	32.4	24.7	25.4	-	20.5	57.1
1972	233	123	111	-	12	110	34.4	25.8	28.0	-	15.0	54.7
1971	226	138	138	-	-	88	33.5	26.9	29.7	-	-	54.7
1970	253	173	167	-	6	80	41.3	36.1	39.2	-	11.3	59.7
1969	271	164	135	-	29	107	46.2	37.8	38.4	-	35.4	69.9
1968	275	177	149	-	28	98	45.2	39.4	40.2	-	35.9	61.6
1967	305	204	197	-	7	101	51.4	47.6	49.4	-	23.3	61.6
1959[1]	(NA)	(NA)	212	-	(NA)	93	(NA)	(NA)	60.4	-	(NA)	77.5
FEMALE												
1977	457	194	82	79	33	263	41.1	28.6	38.3	26.8	19.6	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[r]	402	142	65	56	21	260	40.4	23.1	34.6	22.3	12.0	68.2
1974	417	155	69	61	25	262	41.9	25.2	36.9	24.3	14.2	68.8
1973	388	195	99	67	29	193	40.5	30.6	44.0	27.6	17.1	60.5
1972	407	171	75	60	36	236	44.0	29.5	36.1	30.0	20.9	68.4
1971	398	170	73	58	39	228	43.7	29.5	43.5	25.9	21.2	68.3
1970	429	186	61	81	44	243	53.2	37.2	45.5	41.8	25.6	79.2
1969	418	189	77	76	36	229	53.1	38.5	49.7	44.7	21.7	77.4
1968	380	162	57	71	34	218	49.7	33.5	38.0	44.7	19.4	77.6
1967	410	199	68	85	46	211	54.7	40.8	45.9	48.9	27.7	80.8
1959[1]	(NA)	(NA)	68	101	(NA)	143	(NA)	(NA)	60.2	57.7	(NA)	84.6
SPANISH ORIGIN												
ALL PERSONS												
1977	113	51	35	10	6	62	21.9	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	(B)	52.3
1974[r]	117	70	44	17	9	47	28.9	22.2	25.3	(B)	12.0	52.2
1974	116	69	43	16	10	48	28.5	21.8	24.7	(B)	13.0	53.9
1973	95	52	33	13	6	43	24.9	17.5	21.3	(B)	7.1	51.8
MALE												
1977	55	31	29	-	2	24	23.7	16.4	17.8	-	(B)	(B)
1976	57	39	35	-	4	18	27.0	23.1	25.0	-	(B)	(B)
1975	51	39	39	-	-	12	28.2	26.5	29.5	-	(B)	(B)
1974[r]	50	38	36	-	2	12	26.7	23.5	23.8	-	(B)	(B)
1974	51	38	35	-	3	13	26.8	23.0	23.2	-	(B)	(B)
1973	37	27	27	-	-	10	22.0	18.6	20.8	-	(B)	(B)
FEMALE												
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)
1974[r]	66	31	8	17	6	35	30.4	20.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
1974	66	31	8	16	7	35	30.3	20.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
1973	59	25	6	13	6	34	27.7	16.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)

[r]BASED ON REVISED METHODOLOGY; SEE TEXT FOR EXPLANATION.
[1]BASED ON 1-IN-1000 SAMPLE OF 1960 CENSUS.
NOTE: PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

Table 4. Metropolitan-Nonmetropolitan Residence and Region of Persons and Families Below the Poverty Level by Race: 1959, 1967, 1969, and 1975 to 1977

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

RESIDENCE	PERSONS						FAMILIES					
	1977	1976	1975	1969[1]	1967	1959[2]	1977	1976	1975	1969[1]	1967	1959[2]
NUMBER BELOW POVERTY LEVEL												
ALL RACES												
TOTAL	24 720	24 975	25 877	24 147	27 769	38 766	5 311	5 311	5 450	5 008	5 667	7 974
NONFARM	23 381	23 716	24 562	22 149	25 060	(NA)	4 983	5 016	5 148	4 582	5 093	6 555
FARM	1 339	1 259	1 316	1 998	2 709	(NA)	328	295	302	426	574	1 419
METROPOLITAN AREAS	14 859	15 229	15 348	13 084	13 832	17 019	3 141	3 237	3 216	2 611	2 747	3 342
INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	9 203	9 482	9 090	7 993	8 649	10 437	1 925	1 961	1 863	1 609	1 672	2 013
IN POVERTY AREAS	4 132	4 306	4 446	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	865	911	873	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	5 657	5 747	6 259	5 091	5 183	6 582	1 216	1 276	1 352	1 002	1 075	1 329
IN POVERTY AREAS	972	996	900	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	195	209	179	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS	9 861	9 746	10 529	11 063	13 936	21 747	2 170	2 074	2 234	2 397	2 921	4 632
IN POVERTY AREAS	5 236	5 224	5 739	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1 163	1 118	1 194	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
NORTH AND WEST	14 471	14 621	14 818	13 057	14 793	19 650	3 084	3 108	3 107	2 632	3 018	3 945
SOUTH	10 249	10 354	11 059	11 090	12 976	19 116	2 226	2 203	2 343	2 376	2 649	4 029
WHITE												
TOTAL	16 416	16 713	17 770	16 659	18 983	28 336	3 540	3 560	3 838	3 575	4 056	6 027
NONFARM	15 291	15 734	16 698	15 159	17 068	(NA)	3 265	3 318	3 587	3 229	3 610	4 849
FARM	1 125	979	1 073	1 501	1 915	(NA)	275	243	251	346	446	1 178
METROPOLITAN AREAS	9 265	9 659	10 014	8 804	9 110	11 825	1 949	2 031	2 120	1 782	1 873	2 369
INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	4 762	5 068	4 874	4 765	4 902	6 513	986	1 005	1 003	955	973	1 265
IN POVERTY AREAS	1 312	1 554	1 566	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	267	319	307	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	4 503	4 591	5 139	4 038	4 208	5 312	963	1 026	1 117	827	900	1 104
IN POVERTY AREAS	511	489	527	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	103	105	106	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS	7 151	7 054	7 757	7 855	9 873	16 511	1 590	1 529	1 718	1 793	2 183	3 658
IN POVERTY AREAS	3 115	3 055	3 598	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	701	676	811	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
NORTH AND WEST	10 681	10 799	11 540	10 486	11 747	16 859	2 291	2 272	2 440	2 123	2 437	3 415
SOUTH	5 735	5 914	6 230	6 173	7 236	11 477	1 248	1 288	1 398	1 452	1 619	2 612
BLACK												
TOTAL	7 726	7 595	7 545	7 095	8 486	9 927	1 637	1 617	1 513	1 366	1 555	1 860
NONFARM	7 561	7 361	7 324	6 597	7 734	(NA)	1 597	1 572	1 467	1 287	1 434	1 637
FARM	165	234	220	498	752	(NA)	40	45	46	79	121	223
METROPOLITAN AREAS	5 289	5 149	4 967	4 005	4 578	5 002	1 118	1 126	1 029	782	852	940
INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	4 254	4 167	4 033	3 076	3 669	3 816	892	908	830	623	688	729
IN POVERTY AREAS	2 755	2 654	2 826	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	578	574	560	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	1 035	982	934	930	909	1 186	225	218	199	159	164	211
IN POVERTY AREAS	448	455	367	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	88	92	70	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS	2 437	2 447	2 578	3 089	3 907	4 925	519	491	484	584	704	920
IN POVERTY AREAS	1 904	1 973	2 060	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	411	397	371	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
NORTH AND WEST	3 342	3 259	2 834	2 245	2 797	2 422	695	726	590	455	539	466
SOUTH	4 383	4 336	4 711	4 850	5 688	7 505	942	891	923	911	1 016	1 394
POVERTY RATE												
ALL RACES												
TOTAL	11.6	11.8	12.3	12.1	14.2	22.0	9.3	9.4	9.7	9.7	11.4	17.7
NONFARM	11.3	11.6	12.1	11.7	13.5	(NA)	9.1	9.2	9.5	9.3	10.8	15.7
FARM	17.1	15.9	16.4	20.7	25.9	(NA)	15.1	13.5	13.7	17.5	21.4	42.8
METROPOLITAN AREAS	10.4	10.7	10.8	9.5	10.9	15.3	8.3	8.5	8.5	7.4	8.5	11.7
INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	15.4	15.8	15.0	12.7	15.0	18.3	12.5	12.6	11.8	9.8	11.4	13.7
IN POVERTY AREAS	36.4	36.7	34.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	33.3	33.6	29.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	6.8	6.9	7.6	6.8	7.5	12.2	5.4	5.7	6.1	5.3	6.1	9.6
IN POVERTY AREAS	21.5	22.2	20.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	17.4	17.9	15.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS	13.9	14.0	15.4	17.9	20.2	33.2	11.2	11.1	12.1	14.8	16.6	28.2
IN POVERTY AREAS	21.4	21.7	23.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	17.6	17.4	18.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
NORTH AND WEST	10.0	10.1	10.4	9.5	10.8	16.0	8.0	8.1	8.2	7.4	8.7	12.5
SOUTH	14.8	15.2	16.2	17.9	22.1	35.4	11.9	12.0	12.7	14.7	17.7	29.9
WHITE												
TOTAL	8.9	9.1	9.7	9.5	11.0	18.1	7.0	7.1	7.7	7.7	9.1	14.8
NONFARM	8.6	8.9	9.5	9.1	10.5	(NA)	6.7	6.9	7.5	7.3	8.5	12.8
FARM	15.4	13.3	14.2	17.1	20.7	(NA)	13.3	11.7	11.9	15.1	18.1	38.7
METROPOLITAN AREAS	7.6	7.9	8.2	7.4	8.3	12.0	5.9	6.2	6.5	5.7	6.5	9.2
INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	10.7	11.3	10.8	9.7	10.9	13.8	8.3	8.4	8.2	7.2	8.2	10.2
IN POVERTY AREAS	27.7	31.3	29.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	23.9	27.4	24.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	5.9	5.9	6.7	5.8	6.5	10.4	4.6	4.9	5.4	4.6	5.4	8.3
IN POVERTY AREAS	15.6	15.1	16.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	12.4	12.1	12.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS	11.2	11.4	12.6	14.1	15.9	28.2	9.0	8.9	10.1	12.0	13.5	24.3
IN POVERTY AREAS	15.9	16.0	18.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	12.8	12.7	14.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
NORTH AND WEST	8.2	8.3	9.0	8.3	9.4	14.8	6.5	6.5	7.1	6.5	7.6	11.5
SOUTH	10.4	10.8	11.4	12.4	15.3	26.8	8.0	8.4	9.1	10.7	12.9	23.4

SEE FOOTNOTE(S) AT END OF TABLE.

Table 4. Metropolitan-Nonmetropolitan Residence and Region of Persons and Families Below the Poverty Level by Race: 1959, 1967, 1969, and 1975 to 1977—Continued

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

RESIDENCE	PERSONS						FAMILIES					
	1977	1976	1975	1969[1]	1967	1959[2]	1977	1976	1975	1969[1]	1967	1959[2]
POVERTY RATE--CON.												
BLACK												
TOTAL	31.3	31.1	31.3	32.2	39.3	55.1	28.2	27.9	27.1	27.9	33.9	48.1
NONFARM	31.1	30.8	31.0	31.1	37.7	(NA)	27.9	27.5	26.7	27.1	32.6	45.3
FARM	39.9	49.8	50.0	63.9	69.1	(NA)	46.5	46.4	51.7	56.4	62.1	88.1
METROPOLITAN AREAS	28.6	28.6	27.6	24.5	30.7	42.8	25.7	25.7	24.0	21.2	26.2	36.1
INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	31.2	31.0	29.1	24.3	31.2	40.8	28.0	28.0	25.4	21.5	26.5	34.3
IN POVERTY AREAS	42.8	40.8	39.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	40.3	38.4	34.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	21.3	21.5	22.5	25.4	28.8	50.9	19.2	19.0	19.7	20.1	24.9	44.0
IN POVERTY AREAS	38.0	39.4	32.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	33.2	33.3	26.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS	39.1	38.2	42.4	54.3	58.5	77.7	35.8	34.7	37.1	49.0	52.6	73.2
IN POVERTY AREAS	43.5	43.2	46.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	40.6	39.8	40.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
NORTH AND WEST	28.9	28.9	25.2	22.2	27.3	34.3	25.4	26.1	21.9	19.5	24.0	28.9
SOUTH	33.3	33.1	36.6	40.8	50.1	68.5	30.7	29.5	31.9	35.7	43.4	62.0
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION												
ALL RACES												
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
NONFARM	94.6	95.0	94.9	91.7	90.2	(NA)	93.8	94.4	94.5	91.5	89.9	82.2
FARM	5.4	5.0	5.1	8.3	9.8	(NA)	6.2	5.6	5.5	8.5	10.1	17.8
METROPOLITAN AREAS	60.1	61.0	59.3	54.2	49.8	43.9	59.1	60.9	59.0	52.1	48.5	41.9
INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	37.2	38.0	35.1	33.1	31.1	26.9	36.2	36.9	34.2	32.1	29.5	25.2
IN POVERTY AREAS	16.7	17.2	17.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	16.3	17.2	16.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	22.9	23.0	24.2	21.1	18.7	17.0	22.9	24.0	24.8	20.0	19.0	16.7
IN POVERTY AREAS	3.9	4.0	3.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	3.7	3.9	3.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS	39.9	39.0	40.7	45.8	50.2	56.1	40.9	39.1	41.0	47.9	51.5	58.1
IN POVERTY AREAS	21.2	20.9	22.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	21.9	21.1	21.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
NORTH AND WEST	58.5	58.5	57.3	54.1	53.3	50.7	58.1	58.5	57.0	52.6	53.3	49.5
SOUTH	41.5	41.5	42.7	45.9	46.7	49.3	41.9	41.5	43.0	47.4	46.7	50.5
WHITE												
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
NONFARM	93.1	94.1	94.0	91.0	89.9	(NA)	92.2	93.2	93.5	90.3	89.0	80.5
FARM	6.9	5.9	6.0	9.0	10.1	(NA)	7.8	6.8	6.5	9.7	11.0	19.5
METROPOLITAN AREAS	56.4	57.8	56.4	52.8	48.0	41.7	55.1	57.1	55.2	49.8	46.2	39.3
INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	29.0	30.3	27.4	28.6	25.8	23.0	27.9	28.2	26.1	26.7	24.0	21.0
IN POVERTY AREAS	8.0	9.3	8.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	7.5	9.0	8.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	27.4	27.5	28.9	24.2	22.2	18.7	27.2	28.8	29.1	23.1	22.2	18.3
IN POVERTY AREAS	3.1	2.9	3.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2.9	2.9	2.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS	43.6	42.2	43.7	47.2	52.0	58.3	44.9	42.9	44.8	50.2	53.8	60.7
IN POVERTY AREAS	19.0	18.3	20.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	19.8	19.0	21.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
NORTH AND WEST	65.1	64.6	64.9	62.9	61.9	59.5	64.7	63.8	63.6	59.4	60.1	56.7
SOUTH	34.9	35.4	35.1	37.1	38.1	40.5	35.3	36.2	36.4	40.6	39.9	43.3
BLACK												
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
NONFARM	97.9	96.9	97.1	93.0	91.1	(NA)	97.6	97.2	97.0	94.2	92.2	88.0
FARM	2.1	3.1	2.9	7.0	8.9	(NA)	2.4	2.8	3.0	5.8	7.8	12.0
METROPOLITAN AREAS	68.5	67.8	65.8	56.4	53.9	50.4	68.3	69.6	68.0	57.2	54.8	50.5
INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	55.1	54.9	53.5	43.4	43.2	38.4	54.5	56.2	54.9	45.6	44.2	39.2
IN POVERTY AREAS	35.7	34.9	37.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	35.3	35.5	37.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	13.4	12.9	12.4	13.1	10.7	11.9	13.7	13.5	13.2	11.6	10.5	11.3
IN POVERTY AREAS	5.8	6.0	4.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	5.4	5.7	4.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS	31.5	32.2	34.2	43.5	46.0	49.6	31.7	30.4	32.0	42.8	45.3	49.5
IN POVERTY AREAS	24.6	26.0	27.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	25.1	24.6	24.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
NORTH AND WEST	43.3	42.9	37.6	31.6	33.0	24.4	42.5	44.9	39.0	33.3	34.7	25.1
SOUTH	56.7	57.1	62.4	68.4	67.0	75.6	57.5	55.1	61.0	66.7	65.3	74.9

[1]BEGINNING WITH THE MARCH 1970 CPS, DATA BASED ON 1970 CENSUS POPULATION CONTROLS; SEE TEXT FOR EXPLANATION.
[2]BASED ON 1-IN-1000 SAMPLE OF 1960 CENSUS.

Table 5. Selected Characteristics of Families Below the Poverty Level by Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin of Head: 1959, 1967, 1969, and 1975 to 1977

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

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	ALL FAMILIES						WHITE FAMILIES					
	1977	1976	1975	1969[1]	1967	1959	1977	1976	1975	1969[1]	1967	1959
NUMBER BELOW POVERTY LEVEL												
ALL FAMILIES												
TOTAL	5 311	5 311	5 450	5 005	5 667	8 320	3 540	3 560	3 838	3 574	4 056	6 185
AGE OF HEAD												
HEAD 14 TO 24 YEARS	750	762	850	529	531	622	463	457	577	376	389	460
HEAD 25 TO 44 YEARS	2 537	2 473	2 466	1 827	2 064	3 314	1 697	1 654	1 693	1 210	1 372	2 319
HEAD 45 TO 54 YEARS	698	712	738	703	768	1 436	486	504	531	484	496	1 026
HEAD 55 TO 64 YEARS	616	639	668	668	786	1 086	421	431	510	467	553	840
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER	710	726	728	1 276	1 518	1 860	472	515	528	1 036	1 246	1 540
SIZE OF FAMILY												
2 PERSONS	1 816	1 748	1 784	1 936	2 163	2 850	1 331	1 309	1 367	1 562	1 822	2 318
3 PERSONS	1 038	1 085	1 074	804	843	1 253	698	724	801	600	589	923
4 PERSONS	980	946	939	675	719	1 167	661	645	636	476	473	887
5 PERSONS	696	679	614	518	572	1 088	433	437	442	348	378	827
6 PERSONS	355	369	451	395	472	705	211	211	271	228	288	471
7 PERSONS OR MORE	426	484	589	675	898	1 257	206	234	321	360	506	759
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.67	3.70	3.81	3.83	4.02	4.15	3.49	3.51	3.59	3.53	3.66	3.95
NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS												
NO CHILDREN	1 229	1 251	1 278	1 779	2 081	2 877	967	995	1 061	1 485	1 780	2 373
1 AND 2 CHILDREN	2 373	2 307	2 263	1 514	1 590	2 458	1 606	1 548	1 612	1 085	1 084	1 836
3 AND 4 CHILDREN	1 296	1 274	1 309	1 051	1 137	1 854	773	794	863	675	733	1 291
5 CHILDREN OR MORE	413	479	599	661	859	1 131	193	224	302	330	459	685
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN PER FAMILY WITH CHILDREN	2.46	2.48	2.61	2.95	3.19	3.16	2.31	2.35	2.43	2.71	2.96	2.99
NUMBER OF WORKERS[2]												
NO WORKERS	2 239	2 209	2 174	1 790	1 868	1 981	1 399	1 407	1 456	1 363	1 453	1 574
1 WORKER	1 972	1 954	2 069	2 144	2 271	4 030	1 327	1 334	1 472	1 566	1 673	3 139
2 WORKERS	815	845	883	823	1 141	1 659	596	599	673	521	753	1 106
3 WORKERS OR MORE	264	281	295	248	387	650	201	201	209	123	177	366
EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HEAD												
HEAD EMPLOYED	2 113	2 012	2 154	2 156	2 672	4 536	1 540	1 482	1 628	1 539	1 875	3 359
HEAD UNEMPLOYED	477	521	505	211	209	559	286	338	361	127	127	376
HEAD NOT IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	2 721	2 779	2 791	2 638	2 786	3 225	1 714	1 741	1 849	1 908	2 054	2 450
WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD												
HEAD WORKED	2 567	2 545	2 745	2 711	3 215	5 620	1 835	1 815	2 051	1 869	2 200	4 071
WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 068	1 043	1 070	1 295	1 746	3 042	793	739	826	901	1 201	2 261
FULL TIME	912	853	866	1 067	1 528	2 617	705	628	693	763	1 069	1 953
WORKED 1 TO 49 WEEKS	1 500	1 502	1 675	1 416	1 469	2 578	1 041	1 076	1 225	968	999	1 810
WORKED 27 TO 49 WEEKS	516	562	591	(NA)	687	(NA)	387	400	454	(NA)	450	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 26 WEEKS	984	940	1 084	(NA)	782	(NA)	655	677	770	(NA)	547	(NA)
HEAD DID NOT WORK	2 722	2 745	2 675	2 235	2 381	2 538	1 688	1 726	1 760	1 652	1 793	1 962
HEAD IN ARMED FORCES	21	22	30	58	71	162	17	19	28	53	63	152
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HEAD												
HEAD WORKED	2 567	2 545	2 745	2 711	3 215	5 620	1 835	1 815	2 051	1 869	2 200	4 071
PROFESSIONAL & MANAGERIAL WORKERS	305	250	303	316	342	471	257	205	263	272	295	429
CLERICAL AND SALES WORKERS	309	308	297	218	270	284	214	227	235	170	220	258
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	335	316	384	309	354	558	262	271	329	254	282	454
OPERATIVES, INCL. TRANSPORT WKRS.	470	509	513	496	613	1 064	315	349	382	309	420	754
SERVICE WORKERS, INCL. PVT. HSHLD	546	545	617	515	531	732	295	296	344	251	240	407
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	201	206	244	288	329	701	132	141	182	175	184	418
FARMERS AND FARM LABORERS	402	410	386	568	776	1 810	360	326	316	437	559	1 351
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS OLD & OVER	4 561	4 549	4 600	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	3 077	3 104	3 261	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	1 209	1 224	1 293	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	782	777	877	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
8 YEARS	606	526	629	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	445	380	488	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	1 055	1 163	1 118	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	609	715	708	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
4 YEARS	1 172	1 137	1 090	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	846	828	787	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
COLLEGE: TOTAL	519	498	470	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	394	404	401	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	62.9	64.0	66.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	59.7	60.3	63.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

SEE FOOTNOTE(S) AT END OF TABLE.

Table 5. Selected Characteristics of Families Below the Poverty Level by Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin of Head: 1959, 1967, 1969, and 1975 to 1977—Continued

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

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	ALL FAMILIES						WHITE FAMILIES					
	1977	1976	1975	1969[1]	1967	1959	1977	1976	1975	1969[1]	1967	1959
POVERTY RATE												
ALL FAMILIES												
TOTAL	9.3	9.4	9.7	9.7	11.4	18.5	7.0	7.1	7.7	7.7	9.1	15.2
AGE OF HEAD												
HEAD 14 TO 24 YEARS	19.5	19.2	21.0	14.8	16.8	26.9	14.3	13.6	16.9	12.1	13.9	22.5
HEAD 25 TO 44 YEARS	10.2	10.1	10.3	8.4	9.9	16.5	7.8	7.8	8.1	6.3	7.4	12.8
HEAD 45 TO 54 YEARS	6.4	6.4	6.6	6.5	7.2	15.0	5.0	5.1	5.3	4.9	5.1	11.8
HEAD 55 TO 64 YEARS	6.6	7.1	7.5	8.0	9.7	15.9	5.0	5.3	6.3	6.2	7.6	13.4
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER	8.6	8.9	8.9	17.7	21.5	30.0	6.3	7.0	7.1	15.7	19.2	26.8
SIZE OF FAMILY												
2 PERSONS	8.2	8.1	8.4	10.9	12.8	19.6	6.6	6.7	7.1	9.6	11.7	17.5
3 PERSONS	8.2	8.7	8.8	7.5	8.2	12.8	6.3	6.6	7.4	6.2	6.3	10.3
4 PERSONS	8.3	8.2	8.3	6.8	7.6	12.7	6.3	6.3	6.3	5.2	5.5	10.4
5 PERSONS	11.1	10.9	9.9	8.0	9.2	18.3	8.0	8.1	8.1	6.0	6.7	15.2
6 PERSONS	13.4	13.2	15.2	11.3	13.3	24.2	9.5	9.1	10.9	7.6	9.3	18.4
7 PERSONS OR MORE	22.9	21.8	25.6	21.6	26.4	45.6	15.6	14.8	19.3	15.2	19.4	36.8
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS												
NO CHILDREN	4.8	4.9	5.1	8.2	10.0	15.9	4.1	4.3	4.6	7.4	9.2	14.2
1 AND 2 CHILDREN	10.2	10.2	10.2	7.9	8.9	14.2	8.0	7.9	8.3	6.3	6.7	11.6
3 AND 4 CHILDREN	17.9	17.1	17.1	12.4	13.5	24.5	12.8	12.8	13.2	9.1	9.8	19.1
5 CHILDREN OR MORE	36.1	34.9	37.8	27.2	32.2	53.0	25.2	24.7	27.9	18.5	23.3	44.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN PER FAMILY WITH CHILDREN	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NUMBER OF WORKERS[2]												
NO WORKERS	30.8	31.1	31.1	40.6	45.0	59.2	22.8	23.5	24.6	35.4	39.9	54.3
1 WORKER	11.0	10.8	10.9	11.1	11.8	18.7	8.5	8.4	8.8	8.9	9.4	15.8
2 WORKERS	3.6	3.8	4.1	4.1	5.9	10.6	2.9	3.0	3.5	2.9	4.4	7.8
3 WORKERS OR MORE	3.1	3.4	3.7	3.3	5.5	14.2	2.6	2.7	2.9	1.8	2.8	9.2
EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HEAD												
HEAD EMPLOYED	5.0	4.8	5.2	5.3	6.8	12.8	4.1	4.0	4.4	4.2	5.2	10.3
HEAD UNEMPLOYED	25.9	23.8	21.2	18.0	23.4	33.7	19.6	18.9	18.4	12.9	17.8	28.1
HEAD NOT IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	20.8	21.3	21.8	26.7	29.5	40.8	15.4	15.9	17.1	22.3	24.9	35.2
WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD												
HEAD WORKED	5.6	5.7	6.1	6.3	7.6	14.6	4.5	4.5	5.1	4.8	5.8	11.6
WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.7	5.1	10.6	2.5	2.4	2.7	2.8	3.9	8.5
FULL TIME	2.7	2.6	2.6	3.2	4.6	9.4	2.3	2.1	2.3	2.5	3.5	7.6
WORKED 1 TO 49 WEEKS	14.8	14.5	15.7	16.5	18.3	26.9	11.9	11.9	13.3	13.1	14.5	22.0
WORKED 27 TO 49 WEEKS	8.0	8.5	8.9	(NA)	12.7	(NA)	6.8	6.8	7.8	(NA)	9.6	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 26 WEEKS	26.9	25.2	26.8	(NA)	29.7	(NA)	21.8	21.6	23.0	(NA)	24.9	(NA)
HEAD DID NOT WORK	24.8	25.3	25.2	31.0	35.1	45.2	18.3	19.0	19.8	26.5	30.4	40.4
HEAD IN ARMED FORCES	2.8	2.7	3.9	5.7	8.0	15.5	2.7	2.8	4.1	5.7	7.6	15.3
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HEAD												
HEAD WORKED	5.6	5.7	6.1	6.3	7.6	14.6	4.5	4.5	5.1	4.8	5.8	11.6
PROFESSIONAL & MANAGERIAL WORKERS	2.2	1.8	2.2	2.5	2.8	5.0	2.0	1.6	2.0	2.2	2.6	4.6
CLERICAL AND SALES WORKERS	4.8	4.9	4.7	3.6	4.9	5.7	3.7	4.0	4.1	3.1	4.3	5.4
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	3.5	3.4	4.1	3.4	4.1	7.2	3.0	3.1	3.7	3.0	3.4	6.1
OPERATIVES, INCL. TRANSPORT WKRS.	6.0	6.4	6.7	5.9	7.5	14.1	4.7	5.1	5.8	4.3	5.9	11.3
SERVICE WORKERS, INCL. PVT. HSHLD	14.1	14.0	15.9	16.6	16.7	25.3	10.1	10.1	12.0	11.1	10.3	18.8
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	9.1	9.7	10.7	13.6	15.6	29.4	7.6	8.4	10.0	11.2	12.0	23.5
FARMERS AND FARM LABORERS	23.8	23.2	21.8	26.5	30.7	54.0	22.9	20.3	19.5	22.6	25.2	47.1
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS OLD & OVER	8.5	8.6	8.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	6.5	6.6	7.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	22.5	21.9	22.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	18.9	18.2	19.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
8 YEARS	12.5	10.8	12.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	10.1	8.6	10.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	13.6	14.4	14.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	9.4	10.6	10.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
4 YEARS	6.5	6.4	6.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	5.2	5.2	4.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
COLLEGE: TOTAL	3.0	3.0	3.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2.5	2.6	2.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

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Table 5. Selected Characteristics of Families Below the Poverty Level by Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin of Head: 1959, 1967, 1969, and 1975 to 1977—Continued

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

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	ALL FAMILIES						WHITE FAMILIES					
	1977	1976	1975	1969[1]	1967	1959	1977	1976	1975	1969[1]	1967	1959
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION												
ALL FAMILIES												
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
AGE OF HEAD												
HEAD 14 TO 24 YEARS	14.1	14.3	15.6	10.6	9.4	7.5	13.1	12.8	15.0	10.5	9.6	7.4
HEAD 25 TO 44 YEARS	47.8	46.6	45.2	36.5	36.4	39.8	47.9	46.5	44.1	33.9	33.8	37.5
HEAD 45 TO 54 YEARS	13.1	13.4	13.5	14.0	13.6	17.3	13.7	14.2	13.8	13.5	12.2	16.6
HEAD 55 TO 64 YEARS	11.6	12.0	12.3	13.3	13.9	13.1	11.9	12.1	13.3	13.1	13.6	13.6
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER	13.4	13.7	13.4	25.5	26.8	22.4	13.3	14.5	13.8	29.0	30.7	24.9
SIZE OF FAMILY												
2 PERSONS	34.2	32.9	32.7	38.7	38.2	34.3	37.6	36.8	35.6	43.7	44.9	37.5
3 PERSONS	19.5	20.4	19.7	16.1	14.9	15.1	19.7	20.3	20.9	16.8	14.5	14.9
4 PERSONS	18.5	17.8	17.2	13.5	12.7	14.0	18.7	18.1	16.6	13.3	11.7	14.3
5 PERSONS	13.1	12.8	11.3	10.3	10.1	13.1	12.2	12.3	11.5	9.7	9.3	13.4
6 PERSONS	6.7	6.9	8.3	7.9	8.3	8.5	6.0	5.9	7.1	6.4	7.1	7.6
7 PERSONS OR MORE	8.0	9.1	10.8	13.5	15.8	15.1	5.8	6.6	8.4	10.1	12.5	12.3
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS												
NO CHILDREN	23.1	23.6	23.4	35.5	36.7	34.6	27.3	27.9	27.6	41.6	43.9	38.4
1 AND 2 CHILDREN	44.7	43.4	41.5	30.2	28.1	29.5	45.4	43.5	42.0	30.4	26.7	29.7
3 AND 4 CHILDREN	24.4	24.0	24.0	21.0	20.1	22.3	21.8	22.3	22.5	18.9	18.1	20.9
5 CHILDREN OR MORE	7.8	9.0	11.0	13.2	15.2	13.6	5.5	6.3	7.9	9.2	11.3	11.1
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN PER FAMILY WITH CHILDREN	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NUMBER OF WORKERS[2]												
NO WORKERS	42.2	41.6	39.9	35.8	33.0	23.8	39.5	39.5	37.9	38.1	35.8	25.4
1 WORKER	37.1	36.8	38.0	42.8	40.1	48.4	37.5	37.5	38.4	43.8	41.2	50.8
2 WORKERS	15.3	15.9	16.2	16.4	20.1	19.9	16.8	16.8	17.5	14.6	18.6	17.9
3 WORKERS OR MORE	5.0	5.3	5.4	5.0	6.8	7.8	5.7	5.6	5.4	3.4	4.4	5.9
EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HEAD												
HEAD EMPLOYED	39.8	37.9	39.5	43.1	47.2	54.5	43.5	41.6	42.4	43.1	46.2	54.3
HEAD UNEMPLOYED	9.0	9.8	9.3	4.2	3.7	6.7	8.1	9.5	9.4	3.6	3.1	6.1
HEAD NOT IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	51.2	52.3	51.2	52.7	49.2	38.8	48.4	48.9	48.2	53.4	50.6	39.6
WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD												
HEAD WORKED	48.3	47.9	50.4	54.2	56.7	67.5	51.8	51.0	53.4	52.3	54.2	65.8
WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS	20.1	19.6	19.6	25.9	30.8	36.6	22.4	20.8	21.5	25.2	29.6	36.6
FULL TIME	17.2	16.1	15.9	21.3	27.0	31.5	19.9	17.6	18.1	21.3	26.4	31.6
WORKED 1 TO 49 WEEKS	28.2	28.3	30.7	28.3	25.9	31.0	29.4	30.2	31.9	27.1	24.6	29.3
WORKED 27 TO 49 WEEKS	9.7	10.6	10.8	(NA)	12.1	(NA)	10.9	11.2	11.8	(NA)	11.1	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 26 WEEKS	18.5	17.7	19.9	(NA)	13.8	(NA)	18.5	19.0	20.1	(NA)	13.5	(NA)
HEAD DID NOT WORK	51.3	51.7	49.1	44.7	42.0	30.5	47.7	48.5	45.9	46.2	48.2	31.7
HEAD IN ARMED FORCES	0.4	0.4	0.6	1.2	1.3	1.9	0.5	0.5	0.7	1.5	1.6	2.5
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HEAD												
HEAD WORKED	48.3	47.9	50.4	54.2	56.7	67.5	51.8	51.0	53.4	52.3	54.2	65.8
PROFESSIONAL & MANAGERIAL WORKERS	5.7	4.7	5.6	6.3	6.0	5.7	7.3	5.8	6.9	7.6	7.3	6.9
CLERICAL AND SALES WORKERS	5.8	5.8	5.4	4.4	4.8	3.4	6.0	6.4	6.1	4.8	5.4	4.2
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	6.3	5.9	7.0	6.2	6.2	6.7	7.4	7.6	8.6	7.1	7.0	7.3
OPERATIVES, INCL. TRANSPORT WKRS.	8.8	9.6	9.4	9.9	10.8	12.8	8.9	9.8	10.0	8.6	10.4	12.2
SERVICE WORKERS, INCL. PVT. HSHLD	10.3	10.3	11.3	10.3	9.4	8.8	8.3	8.3	9.0	7.0	5.9	6.6
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	3.8	3.9	4.5	5.8	5.8	8.4	3.7	4.0	4.7	4.9	4.5	6.8
FARMERS AND FARM LABORERS	7.6	7.7	7.1	11.3	13.7	21.8	10.2	9.2	8.2	12.2	13.8	21.8
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS OLD & OVER	85.9	85.7	84.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	86.9	87.2	85.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	22.8	23.0	23.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	22.1	21.8	22.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
8 YEARS	11.4	9.9	11.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	12.6	10.7	12.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	19.9	21.9	20.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	17.2	20.1	18.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
4 YEARS	22.1	21.4	20.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	23.9	23.3	20.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
COLLEGE: TOTAL	9.8	9.4	8.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	11.1	11.3	10.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

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Table 5. Selected Characteristics of Families Below the Poverty Level by Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin of Head: 1959, 1967, 1969, and 1975 to 1977—Continued

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

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	BLACK FAMILIES						SPANISH ORIGIN FAMILIES					
	1977	1976	1975	1969[1]	1967	1959	1977	1976	1975	1969[1]	1967	1959
NUMBER BELOW POVERTY LEVEL												
ALL FAMILIES												
TOTAL	1 637	1 617	1 513	1 365	1 555	(NA)	591	598	627	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
AGE OF HEAD												
HEAD 14 TO 24 YEARS	278	295	264	150	137	(NA)	75	91	105	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD 25 TO 44 YEARS	767	748	721	591	665	(NA)	343	319	321	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD 45 TO 54 YEARS	196	190	185	210	270	(NA)	96	95	100	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD 55 TO 64 YEARS	182	193	145	191	218	(NA)	41	49	49	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER	214	191	197	224	265	(NA)	35	44	52	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
SIZE OF FAMILY												
2 PERSONS	439	408	393	352	335	(NA)	144	129	136	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 PERSONS	312	339	257	194	241	(NA)	102	122	125	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
4 PERSONS	298	277	290	194	234	(NA)	135	120	107	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 PERSONS	243	218	154	161	186	(NA)	82	89	92	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
6 PERSONS	137	143	169	165	181	(NA)	64	60	57	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
7 PERSONS OR MORE	208	233	250	298	378	(NA)	64	78	110	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	4.07	4.06	4.32	4.58	4.94	(NA)	4.17	4.21	4.39	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS												
NO CHILDREN	231	235	199	270	294	(NA)	71	81	77	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1 AND 2 CHILDREN	704	700	620	415	484	(NA)	270	262	271	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 AND 4 CHILDREN	497	439	413	359	387	(NA)	192	182	172	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 CHILDREN OR MORE	204	242	282	321	390	(NA)	57	73	108	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN PER FAMILY WITH CHILDREN	2.74	2.72	2.96	3.36	3.64	(NA)	2.70	2.75	2.94	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
NUMBER OF WORKERS[2]												
NO WORKERS	797	756	688	405	392	(NA)	268	274	261	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1 WORKER	587	575	567	549	579	(NA)	223	213	249	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2 WORKERS	193	217	180	290	381	(NA)	78	82	85	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 WORKERS OR MORE	57	69	77	121	203	(NA)	22	29	26	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HEAD												
HEAD EMPLOYED	512	471	474	594	777	(NA)	233	202	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD UNEMPLOYED	176	171	135	78	77	(NA)	50	77	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD NOT IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	948	974	904	693	701	(NA)	308	319	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD												
HEAD WORKED	653	658	634	807	985	(NA)	285	272	305	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS	250	270	225	376	527	(NA)	103	91	137	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
FULL TIME	187	194	155	288	444	(NA)	92	82	119	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 49 WEEKS	403	388	409	432	458	(NA)	182	181	169	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 27 TO 49 WEEKS	114	154	121	(NA)	230	(NA)	78	73	74	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 26 WEEKS	289	234	288	(NA)	228	(NA)	104	108	95	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD DID NOT WORK	980	959	877	555	562	(NA)	306	326	317	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD IN ARMED FORCES	3	-	2	2	8	(NA)	-	-	5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HEAD												
HEAD WORKED	653	658	634	807	985	(NA)	285	272	305	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
PROFESSIONAL & MANAGERIAL WORKERS	28	33	30	31	44	(NA)	23	13	10	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
CLERICAL AND SALES WORKERS	85	77	60	45	48	(NA)	20	26	20	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	65	35	48	51	70	(NA)	41	35	47	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
OPERATIVES, INCL. TRANSPORT WKRS.	142	147	121	183	192	(NA)	82	84	76	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
SERVICE WORKERS, INCL. PVT. HSHLD	232	240	254	263	285	(NA)	53	45	65	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	64	54	58	112	140	(NA)	30	32	35	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
FARMERS AND FARM LABORERS	37	72	62	123	206	(NA)	35	38	53	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS OLD & OVER	1 359	1 322	1 249	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	516	507	522	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	393	402	397	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	246	262	296	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
8 YEARS	141	135	133	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	49	64	52	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	426	436	393	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	105	96	92	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
4 YEARS	305	284	276	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	75	63	63	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
COLLEGE: TOTAL	94	65	49	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	41	23	19	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	70.7	73.6	74.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	77.5	83.1	84.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

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Table 5. Selected Characteristics of Families Below the Poverty Level by Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin of Head: 1959, 1967, 1969, and 1975 to 1977—Continued

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

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	BLACK FAMILIES						SPANISH ORIGIN FAMILIES					
	1977	1976	1975	1969[1]	1967	1959	1977	1976	1975	1969[1]	1967	1959
POVERTY RATE												
ALL FAMILIES												
TOTAL	28.2	27.9	27.1	27.9	33.9	(NA)	21.4	23.2	25.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
AGE OF HEAD												
HEAD 14 TO 24 YEARS	48.9	51.2	45.7	34.2	39.8	(NA)	24.2	30.6	37.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD 25 TO 44 YEARS	27.7	27.4	27.6	26.6	31.6	(NA)	22.9	22.9	24.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD 45 TO 54 YEARS	19.4	18.0	18.7	22.6	29.4	(NA)	19.2	20.4	21.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD 55 TO 64 YEARS	23.2	25.8	19.6	25.5	32.2	(NA)	15.8	19.2	19.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER	31.5	27.5	29.3	41.0	48.4	(NA)	17.9	25.4	31.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
SIZE OF FAMILY												
2 PERSONS	24.8	23.6	22.6	24.9	26.6	(NA)	21.8	20.7	23.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 PERSONS	23.2	25.0	20.9	20.1	26.7	(NA)	16.0	20.5	22.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
4 PERSONS	26.3	26.1	27.8	24.8	31.0	(NA)	21.6	20.9	19.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 PERSONS	34.7	31.7	26.7	28.3	35.1	(NA)	20.1	24.3	26.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
6 PERSONS	35.7	35.5	39.8	35.7	44.4	(NA)	29.4	26.8	27.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
7 PERSONS OR MORE	43.9	41.2	43.8	42.8	51.7	(NA)	29.6	39.0	44.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS												
NO CHILDREN	13.6	13.4	11.7	18.0	21.2	(NA)	10.0	11.8	12.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1 AND 2 CHILDREN	26.4	27.8	25.7	23.2	28.8	(NA)	20.5	21.6	22.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 AND 4 CHILDREN	45.2	39.9	41.5	36.2	44.6	(NA)	31.9	33.2	32.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 CHILDREN OR MORE	59.1	56.1	59.7	53.1	59.8	(NA)	40.4	52.1	59.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN PER FAMILY WITH CHILDREN	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NUMBER OF WORKERS[2]												
NO WORKERS	74.7	72.8	68.9	78.3	84.3	(NA)	70.2	72.3	73.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1 WORKER	28.9	29.2	29.1	34.7	40.0	(NA)	23.1	22.7	26.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2 WORKERS	9.9	10.7	9.5	14.3	19.8	(NA)	7.7	9.1	9.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 WORKERS OR MORE	8.5	10.4	11.4	16.0	27.0	(NA)	5.9	8.8	8.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HEAD												
HEAD EMPLOYED	14.0	13.2	13.9	17.0	23.6	(NA)	11.6	11.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD UNEMPLOYED	51.3	46.5	35.7	45.9	45.8	(NA)	34.0	47.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD NOT IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	52.8	52.3	50.6	56.6	62.1	(NA)	49.9	52.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD												
HEAD WORKED	16.1	16.2	16.1	20.6	26.5	(NA)	13.0	13.6	15.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS	8.8	9.4	8.4	13.5	19.8	(NA)	6.7	6.6	10.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
FULL TIME	7.0	7.3	6.2	11.0	17.7	(NA)	6.2	6.1	9.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 49 WEEKS	33.3	32.6	32.1	38.6	43.4	(NA)	28.4	29.2	29.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 27 TO 49 WEEKS	17.7	23.1	18.3	(NA)	35.4	(NA)	18.9	18.8	21.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 26 WEEKS	51.0	44.7	46.9	(NA)	56.4	(NA)	45.6	47.0	41.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD DID NOT WORK	59.5	58.4	55.9	60.9	68.3	(NA)	55.1	59.7	60.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD IN ARMED FORCES	3.1	-	2.9	3.0	(B)	(NA)	(B)	(B)	14.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HEAD												
HEAD WORKED	16.1	16.2	16.1	20.6	26.5	(NA)	13.0	13.6	15.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
PROFESSIONAL & MANAGERIAL WORKERS	5.0	5.9	7.0	9.1	12.0	(NA)	7.1	4.7	3.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
CLERICAL AND SALES WORKERS	14.5	14.3	11.5	10.9	14.7	(NA)	9.7	13.2	9.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	12.2	7.2	9.2	10.0	16.4	(NA)	8.9	8.6	11.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
OPERATIVES, INCL. TRANSPORT WKRS.	14.2	13.7	12.1	16.2	19.4	(NA)	13.5	15.1	14.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
SERVICE WORKERS, INCL. PVT. HSHLD	27.3	27.2	27.2	32.8	35.8	(NA)	20.3	15.7	25.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	14.6	13.9	14.3	21.1	25.8	(NA)	14.1	17.4	18.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
FARMERS AND FARM LABORERS	39.8	57.1	48.4	68.0	76.3	(NA)	31.5	38.4	43.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS OLD & OVER	25.9	25.3	24.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	21.0	22.2	23.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	35.6	33.6	32.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	29.3	34.2	36.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
8 YEARS	35.4	30.8	28.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	21.9	28.1	24.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	35.4	35.1	34.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	26.5	23.9	25.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
4 YEARS	19.4	18.9	19.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	13.0	11.6	12.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
COLLEGE: TOTAL	9.8	7.6	6.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	9.9	6.6	5.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

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Table 5. Selected Characteristics of Families Below the Poverty Level by Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin of Head: 1959, 1967, 1969, and 1975 to 1977—Continued

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

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	BLACK FAMILIES						SPANISH ORIGIN FAMILIES					
	1977	1976	1975	1969[1]	1967	1959	1977	1976	1975	1969[1]	1967	1959
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION												
ALL FAMILIES												
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(NA)	100.0	100.0	100.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
AGE OF HEAD												
HEAD 14 TO 24 YEARS	17.0	18.2	17.4	11.0	8.8	(NA)	12.7	15.2	16.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD 25 TO 44 YEARS	46.9	46.3	47.7	43.3	42.8	(NA)	58.0	53.3	51.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD 45 TO 54 YEARS	12.0	11.8	12.2	15.4	17.4	(NA)	16.2	15.9	15.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD 55 TO 64 YEARS	11.1	11.9	9.6	14.0	14.0	(NA)	6.9	8.2	7.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER	13.1	11.8	13.0	16.4	17.0	(NA)	5.9	7.4	8.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
SIZE OF FAMILY												
2 PERSONS	26.8	25.2	26.0	25.8	21.5	(NA)	24.4	21.6	21.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 PERSONS	19.1	21.0	17.0	18.2	15.5	(NA)	17.3	20.4	19.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
4 PERSONS	18.2	17.1	19.2	18.2	15.0	(NA)	22.8	20.1	17.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 PERSONS	14.8	13.5	10.2	11.8	12.0	(NA)	13.9	14.9	14.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
6 PERSONS	8.4	8.8	11.2	12.1	11.6	(NA)	10.8	10.0	9.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
7 PERSONS OR MORE	12.7	14.4	16.5	21.8	24.3	(NA)	10.8	13.0	17.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS												
NO CHILDREN	14.1	14.5	13.2	19.8	18.9	(NA)	12.0	13.5	12.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1 AND 2 CHILDREN	43.0	43.3	41.0	30.4	31.1	(NA)	45.7	43.8	43.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 AND 4 CHILDREN	30.4	27.1	27.3	26.3	24.9	(NA)	32.5	30.4	27.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 CHILDREN OR MORE	12.5	15.0	18.6	23.5	25.1	(NA)	9.6	12.2	17.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN PER FAMILY WITH CHILDREN	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NUMBER OF WORKERS[1]												
NO WORKERS	48.7	46.8	45.5	29.7	25.2	(NA)	45.3	45.8	41.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1 WORKER	35.9	35.6	37.5	40.2	37.2	(NA)	37.7	35.6	39.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2 WORKERS	11.8	13.4	11.9	21.2	24.5	(NA)	13.2	13.7	13.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 WORKERS OR MORE	3.5	4.3	5.1	8.9	13.1	(NA)	3.7	4.8	4.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HEAD												
HEAD EMPLOYED	31.3	29.1	31.3	43.5	50.0	(NA)	39.4	33.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD UNEMPLOYED	10.8	10.6	8.9	5.7	5.0	(NA)	8.5	12.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD NOT IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	57.9	60.2	59.7	50.8	45.1	(NA)	52.1	53.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD												
HEAD WORKED	39.9	40.7	41.9	59.1	63.3	(NA)	48.2	45.5	48.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS	15.3	16.7	14.9	27.5	33.9	(NA)	17.4	15.2	21.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
FULL TIME	11.4	12.0	10.2	21.1	28.6	(NA)	15.6	13.7	19.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 49 WEEKS	24.6	24.0	27.0	31.6	29.5	(NA)	30.8	30.3	27.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 27 TO 49 WEEKS	7.0	9.5	8.0	(NA)	14.8	(NA)	13.2	12.2	11.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 26 WEEKS	17.7	14.5	19.0	(NA)	14.7	(NA)	17.6	18.1	15.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD DID NOT WORK	59.9	59.3	58.0	40.7	36.1	(NA)	51.8	54.5	50.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HEAD IN ARMED FORCES	0.2	-	0.1	0.1	0.5	(NA)	-	-	0.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HEAD												
HEAD WORKED	39.9	40.7	41.9	59.1	63.3	(NA)	48.2	45.5	48.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
PROFESSIONAL & MANAGERIAL WORKERS	1.7	2.0	2.0	2.3	2.8	(NA)	3.9	2.2	1.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
CLERICAL AND SALES WORKERS	5.2	4.8	4.0	3.3	3.1	(NA)	3.4	4.3	3.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	4.0	2.2	3.2	3.7	4.5	(NA)	6.9	5.9	7.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
OPERATIVES, INCL. TRANSPORT WKRS.	8.7	9.1	8.0	13.4	12.3	(NA)	13.9	14.0	12.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
SERVICE WORKERS, INCL. PVT. HSHLD	14.2	14.8	16.8	19.3	18.3	(NA)	9.0	7.5	10.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	3.9	3.3	3.8	8.2	9.0	(NA)	5.1	5.4	5.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
FARMERS AND FARM LABORERS	2.3	4.5	4.1	9.0	13.2	(NA)	5.9	6.4	8.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS OLD & OVER	83.0	81.8	82.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	87.3	84.8	83.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	24.0	24.9	26.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	41.6	43.8	47.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
8 YEARS	8.6	8.3	8.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	8.3	10.7	8.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	26.0	27.0	26.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	17.8	16.1	14.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
4 YEARS	18.6	17.6	18.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	12.7	10.5	10.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
COLLEGE: TOTAL	5.7	4.0	3.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	6.9	3.8	3.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

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Table 5. Selected Characteristics of Families Below the Poverty Level by Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin of Head: 1959, 1967, 1969, and 1975 to 1977—Continued

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

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD						FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD					
	1977	1976	1975	1969[1]	1967	1959	1977	1976	1975	1969[1]	1967	1959
NUMBER BELOW POVERTY LEVEL												
ALL FAMILIES												
TOTAL	2 701	2 768	3 020	3 179	3 893	6 404	2 610	2 543	2 430	1 825	1 774	1 916
AGE OF HEAD												
HEAD 14 TO 24 YEARS	228	274	387	263	339	473	522	488	463	266	192	149
HEAD 25 TO 44 YEARS	1 059	1 075	1 093	960	1 224	2 406	1 478	1 398	1 373	868	840	908
HEAD 45 TO 54 YEARS	402	405	452	456	493	1 076	296	307	286	248	275	362
HEAD 55 TO 64 YEARS	462	454	504	490	609	913	154	185	164	178	177	173
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER	551	561	585	1 010	1 228	1 536	159	165	143	266	290	324
SIZE OF FAMILY												
2 PERSONS	951	961	1 025	1 351	1 566	2 133	864	787	759	585	597	717
3 PERSONS	399	449	457	418	493	871	639	636	617	386	350	382
4 PERSONS	497	467	478	376	437	843	483	479	461	299	282	324
5 PERSONS	378	368	402	296	367	874	318	311	212	222	205	214
6 PERSONS	204	217	278	239	338	581	151	152	173	156	134	124
7 PERSONS OR MORE	272	305	380	498	692	1 102	154	179	208	177	206	155
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.81	3.83	3.95	3.87	4.08	4.30	3.53	3.55	3.64	3.77	3.88	3.66
NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS												
NO CHILDREN	1 004	1 051	1 100	1 473	1 725	2 486	225	200	178	306	356	391
1 AND 2 CHILDREN	943	924	950	743	896	1 613	1 430	1 383	1 315	769	694	845
3 AND 4 CHILDREN	552	559	671	565	689	1 387	744	715	637	486	448	467
5 CHILDREN OR MORE	204	233	300	398	583	918	210	246	300	263	276	213
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN PER FAMILY WITH CHILDREN	2.58	2.62	2.75	3.08	3.31	3.33	2.37	2.38	2.49	2.80	2.99	2.72
NUMBER OF WORKERS[2]												
NO WORKERS	832	847	893	971	1 096	1 127	1 407	1 362	1 281	819	772	854
1 WORKER	1 006	1 034	1 150	1 399	1 604	3 286	966	920	919	745	667	744
2 WORKERS	637	638	715	626	895	1 430	177	207	168	198	246	229
3 WORKERS OR MORE	205	227	232	184	298	561	60	54	62	64	89	89
EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HEAD												
HEAD EMPLOYED	1 424	1 381	1 526	1 630	2 158	3 949	689	631	629	526	514	587
HEAD UNEMPLOYED	211	286	289	126	140	484	265	235	216	85	69	75
HEAD NOT IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	1 065	1 103	1 206	1 424	1 595	1 971	1 656	1 676	1 585	1 214	1 191	1 254
WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD												
HEAD WORKED	1 631	1 654	1 857	1 933	2 475	4 798	937	891	887	778	740	822
WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS	864	831	847	1 063	1 466	2 740	203	212	223	232	280	302
FULL TIME	783	736	731	921	1 333	2 409	129	117	135	146	195	208
WORKED 1 TO 49 WEEKS	766	823	1 010	870	1 009	2 058	733	679	664	546	460	520
WORKED 27 TO 49 WEEKS	300	334	397	(NA)	530	(NA)	216	228	195	(NA)	155	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 26 WEEKS	466	489	614	(NA)	478	(NA)	517	451	471	(NA)	305	(NA)
HEAD DID NOT WORK	1 049	1 093	1 133	1 188	1 347	1 444	1 673	1 652	1 543	1 047	1 034	1 094
HEAD IN ARMED FORCES	21	22	30	58	71	162	-	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HEAD												
HEAD WORKED	1 631	1 654	1 857	1 933	2 475	4 798	937	891	887	778	740	822
PROFESSIONAL & MANAGERIAL WORKERS	245	206	264	277	298	418	60	44	39	40	44	53
CLERICAL AND SALES WORKERS	85	83	104	87	136	183	224	225	194	131	134	101
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	301	309	377	305	345	555	34	7	7	4	9	3
OPERATIVES, INCL. TRANSPORT WKRS.	309	348	346	349	491	920	160	161	167	147	122	144
SERVICE WORKERS, INCL. PVT. HSHLD	133	132	174	123	164	314	412	413	443	393	367	418
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	184	186	219	273	322	691	17	20	25	15	7	10
FARMERS AND FARM LABORERS	373	389	373	521	719	1 717	28	21	14	47	57	93
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS OLD & OVER	2 474	2 494	2 633	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2 087	2 055	1 967	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	796	805	891	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	413	420	402	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
8 YEARS	389	320	393	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	217	206	236	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	441	512	497	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	614	651	621	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
4 YEARS	556	537	516	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	616	600	575	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
COLLEGE: TOTAL	292	320	336	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	227	178	134	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	65.7	65.6	67.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	59.6	62.1	64.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

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Table 5. Selected Characteristics of Families Below the Poverty Level by Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin of Head: 1959, 1967, 1969, and 1975 to 1977—Continued

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

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD						FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD					
	1977	1976	1975	1969[1]	1967	1959	1977	1976	1975	1969[1]	1967	1959
POVERTY RATE												
ALL FAMILIES												
TOTAL	5.5	5.6	6.2	6.9	8.7	15.8	31.7	33.0	32.5	32.6	33.3	42.6
AGE OF HEAD												
HEAD 14 TO 24 YEARS	7.5	8.5	11.7	8.4	11.9	22.0	65.7	67.3	62.7	61.0	62.1	89.8
HEAD 25 TO 44 YEARS	5.0	5.1	5.3	4.9	6.5	13.0	37.8	40.1	40.8	43.3	42.9	57.9
HEAD 45 TO 54 YEARS	4.2	4.1	4.6	4.7	5.2	12.5	20.9	22.2	22.3	22.5	24.8	36.3
HEAD 55 TO 64 YEARS	5.5	5.6	6.3	6.6	8.4	15.0	16.2	19.1	16.9	19.3	21.2	23.6
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER	7.8	8.0	8.3	16.6	20.7	29.7	13.7	14.4	12.7	23.5	25.8	31.5
SIZE OF FAMILY												
2 PERSONS	5.2	5.3	5.7	8.8	10.8	17.2	22.7	23.0	22.6	23.1	24.8	33.8
3 PERSONS	3.8	4.3	4.5	4.4	5.4	10.0	29.4	31.1	30.0	28.9	28.5	35.4
4 PERSONS	4.7	4.5	4.7	4.1	5.0	9.8	41.9	42.7	44.6	39.2	39.8	53.6
5 PERSONS	6.7	6.5	7.0	4.9	6.3	15.5	52.1	54.4	49.9	50.5	48.7	69.0
6 PERSONS	8.5	8.6	10.4	7.4	10.2	21.3	57.9	56.5	57.3	62.2	53.6	63.9
7 PERSONS OR MORE	16.7	15.8	19.1	17.4	22.4	42.9	66.7	62.6	67.1	66.0	66.2	82.9
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS												
NO CHILDREN	4.4	4.6	4.9	7.6	9.2	15.4	8.9	8.3	7.5	13.9	16.6	20.1
1 AND 2 CHILDREN	5.0	4.9	5.1	4.4	5.6	10.4	34.2	36.6	36.1	35.1	34.4	48.6
3 AND 4 CHILDREN	9.2	9.0	10.2	7.4	9.0	19.9	59.1	59.2	57.9	57.4	55.6	80.1
5 CHILDREN OR MORE	23.1	22.1	24.7	19.1	25.3	48.0	79.8	77.1	80.9	76.2	75.6	97.3
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN PER FAMILY WITH CHILDREN	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NUMBER OF WORKERS[2]												
NO WORKERS	16.0	16.7	17.8	30.3	35.7	49.3	68.4	66.9	65.5	68.0	71.9	80.3
1 WORKER	7.1	7.0	7.4	8.3	9.4	16.8	25.6	26.6	26.5	30.1	28.9	37.4
2 WORKERS	3.1	3.1	3.6	3.3	5.0	9.8	9.9	12.9	11.1	14.1	17.3	21.2
3 WORKERS OR MORE	2.6	2.9	3.1	2.6	4.5	13.3	9.7	8.8	11.4	12.5	16.8	24.7
EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HEAD												
HEAD EMPLOYED	3.8	3.7	4.1	4.3	5.8	11.8	15.6	16.3	16.7	18.9	19.8	27.9
HEAD UNEMPLOYED	15.0	16.4	14.7	12.5	18.5	31.8	60.5	52.8	52.7	51.5	50.4	55.1
HEAD NOT IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	11.0	11.5	12.7	19.7	23.3	34.8	48.9	49.2	47.8	45.8	45.8	55.7
WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD												
HEAD WORKED	4.0	4.1	4.6	4.8	6.3	13.4	18.9	19.8	20.3	23.5	23.7	33.3
WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS	2.7	2.6	2.7	3.2	4.6	10.0	6.6	7.8	8.2	11.6	14.1	20.8
FULL TIME	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.9	4.3	9.1	4.7	5.0	5.8	8.5	11.2	16.6
WORKED 1 TO 49 WEEKS	9.3	9.6	11.2	12.0	14.6	24.0	38.7	38.0	40.2	41.5	40.3	50.9
WORKED 27 TO 49 WEEKS	5.4	5.8	6.8	(NA)	10.9	(NA)	22.6	24.9	24.7	(NA)	28.3	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 26 WEEKS	17.1	17.1	19.3	(NA)	23.4	(NA)	54.9	51.8	54.8	(NA)	51.4	(NA)
HEAD DID NOT WORK	13.6	14.3	15.1	24.1	29.4	40.1	51.2	51.5	49.5	45.9	46.9	54.1
HEAD IN ARMED FORCES	2.8	2.7	3.9	5.7	8.0	15.5	-	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HEAD												
HEAD WORKED	4.0	4.1	4.6	4.8	6.3	13.4	18.9	19.8	20.3	23.5	23.7	33.3
PROFESSIONAL & MANAGERIAL WORKERS	1.9	1.6	2.1	2.3	2.6	4.6	6.6	5.6	5.4	8.2	9.1	13.1
CLERICAL AND SALES WORKERS	1.8	1.8	2.2	1.8	3.0	4.3	12.3	13.9	12.0	12.1	13.8	15.1
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	3.2	3.4	4.0	3.4	4.0	7.2	27.9	8.9	(B)	(B)	(B)	13.6
OPERATIVES, INCL. TRANSPORT WKRS.	4.4	4.8	5.0	4.5	6.5	13.0	21.1	22.7	24.9	23.4	21.1	33.1
SERVICE WORKERS, INCL. PVT. HSHLD	5.1	4.9	6.5	5.7	7.2	15.1	33.0	34.0	36.9	41.4	40.6	51.4
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	8.6	9.0	9.9	13.1	15.4	29.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	58.8
FARMERS AND FARM LABORERS	22.7	22.6	21.4	25.3	29.7	53.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	58.0	52.3	83.8
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS OLD & OVER	5.4	5.5	5.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	28.0	29.4	29.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	18.1	17.4	18.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	42.7	43.7	40.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
8 YEARS	9.4	7.5	9.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	30.6	32.3	33.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	7.1	7.8	7.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	40.6	42.0	44.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
4 YEARS	3.6	3.5	3.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	22.6	23.7	23.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
COLLEGE: TOTAL	1.9	2.1	2.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	14.9	13.6	10.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

SEE FOOTNOTE(S) AT END OF TABLE.

Table 5. Selected Characteristics of Families Below the Poverty Level by Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin of Head: 1959, 1967, 1969, and 1975 to 1977—Continued

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

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD						FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD					
	1977	1976	1975	1969[1]	1967	1959	1977	1976	1975	1969[1]	1967	1959
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION												
ALL FAMILIES												
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
AGE OF HEAD												
HEAD 14 TO 24 YEARS	8.4	9.9	12.8	8.3	8.7	7.4	20.0	19.2	19.1	14.6	10.8	7.8
HEAD 25 TO 44 YEARS	39.2	38.8	36.2	30.2	31.4	37.6	56.6	55.0	56.5	47.6	47.4	47.4
HEAD 45 TO 54 YEARS	14.9	14.6	15.0	14.3	12.7	16.8	11.3	12.1	11.8	13.6	15.5	18.9
HEAD 55 TO 64 YEARS	17.1	16.4	16.7	15.4	15.6	14.3	5.9	7.3	6.7	9.8	10.0	9.0
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER	20.4	20.3	19.4	31.8	31.5	24.0	6.1	6.5	5.9	14.6	16.3	16.9
SIZE OF FAMILY												
2 PERSONS	35.2	34.7	33.9	42.5	40.2	33.3	33.1	30.9	31.2	32.1	33.7	37.4
3 PERSONS	14.8	16.2	15.1	13.1	12.7	13.6	24.5	25.0	25.4	21.2	19.7	19.9
4 PERSONS	18.4	16.9	15.8	11.8	11.2	13.2	18.5	18.8	19.0	16.4	15.9	16.9
5 PERSONS	14.0	13.3	13.3	9.3	9.4	13.6	12.2	12.2	8.7	12.2	11.6	11.2
6 PERSONS	7.6	7.8	9.2	7.5	8.7	9.1	5.8	6.0	7.1	8.5	7.6	6.5
7 PERSONS OR MORE	10.1	11.0	12.6	15.7	17.8	17.2	5.9	7.0	8.6	9.7	11.6	8.1
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS												
NO CHILDREN	37.2	38.0	36.4	46.3	44.3	38.8	8.6	7.9	7.3	16.8	20.1	20.4
1 AND 2 CHILDREN	34.9	33.4	31.5	23.4	23.0	25.2	54.8	54.4	54.1	42.1	39.1	44.1
3 AND 4 CHILDREN	20.4	20.2	22.2	17.8	17.7	21.7	28.5	28.1	26.2	26.6	25.3	24.4
5 CHILDREN OR MORE	7.6	8.4	9.9	12.5	15.0	14.3	8.0	9.7	12.3	14.4	15.6	11.1
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN PER FAMILY WITH CHILDREN	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NUMBER OF WORKERS[2]												
NO WORKERS	30.8	30.6	29.6	30.5	28.2	17.6	53.9	53.6	52.7	44.9	43.5	44.6
1 WORKER	37.2	37.4	38.1	44.0	41.2	51.3	37.0	36.2	37.8	40.8	37.6	38.8
2 WORKERS	23.6	23.0	23.7	19.7	23.0	22.3	6.8	8.1	6.9	10.8	13.9	12.0
3 WORKERS OR MORE	7.6	8.2	7.7	5.8	7.7	8.8	2.3	2.1	2.6	3.5	5.0	4.6
EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HEAD												
HEAD EMPLOYED	52.7	49.9	50.5	51.3	55.4	61.7	26.4	24.8	25.9	28.8	29.0	30.6
HEAD UNEMPLOYED	7.8	10.3	9.6	4.0	3.6	7.6	10.2	9.2	8.9	4.7	3.9	3.9
HEAD NOT IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	39.4	39.8	39.9	44.8	41.0	30.8	63.4	65.9	65.2	66.5	67.1	65.4
WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD												
HEAD WORKED	60.4	59.8	61.5	60.8	63.6	74.9	35.9	35.0	36.5	42.6	41.7	42.9
WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS	32.0	30.0	28.0	33.4	37.7	42.8	7.8	8.3	9.2	12.7	15.8	15.8
FULL TIME	29.0	26.6	24.2	29.0	34.2	37.6	4.9	4.6	5.6	8.0	11.0	10.9
WORKED 1 TO 49 WEEKS	28.4	29.7	33.4	27.4	25.9	32.1	28.1	26.7	27.3	29.9	25.9	27.1
WORKED 27 TO 49 WEEKS	11.1	12.1	13.1	(NA)	13.6	(NA)	8.3	9.0	8.0	(NA)	8.7	(NA)
WORKED 1 TO 26 WEEKS	17.3	17.7	20.3	(NA)	12.3	(NA)	19.8	17.7	19.4	(NA)	17.2	(NA)
HEAD DID NOT WORK	38.8	39.5	37.5	37.4	34.6	22.5	64.1	65.0	63.5	57.4	58.3	57.1
HEAD IN ARMED FORCES	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.8	1.8	2.5	-	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HEAD												
HEAD WORKED	60.4	59.8	61.5	60.8	63.6	74.9	35.9	35.0	36.5	42.6	41.7	42.9
PROFESSIONAL & MANAGERIAL WORKERS	9.1	7.4	8.7	8.7	7.7	6.5	2.3	1.7	1.6	2.2	2.5	2.8
CLERICAL AND SALES WORKERS	3.1	3.0	3.4	2.7	3.5	2.9	8.6	8.8	8.0	7.2	7.6	5.3
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	11.1	11.2	12.5	9.6	8.9	8.7	1.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.2
OPERATIVES, INCL. TRANSPORT WKRS.	11.4	12.6	11.5	11.0	12.6	14.4	6.1	6.3	6.9	8.1	6.9	7.5
SERVICE WORKERS, INCL. PVT. HSHLD	4.9	4.8	5.8	3.9	4.2	4.9	15.9	16.2	18.2	21.5	20.7	21.8
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	6.8	6.7	7.3	8.6	8.3	10.8	0.7	0.8	1.0	0.8	0.4	0.5
FARMERS AND FARM LABORERS	13.8	14.1	12.4	16.4	18.5	26.8	1.1	0.8	0.6	2.6	3.2	4.9
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS OLD & OVER	91.6	90.1	87.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	80.0	80.8	80.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	29.5	29.1	29.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	15.8	16.5	16.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
8 YEARS	14.4	11.6	13.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	8.3	8.1	9.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	16.3	18.5	16.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	23.5	25.6	25.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
4 YEARS	20.6	19.4	17.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	23.6	23.6	23.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
COLLEGE: TOTAL	10.8	11.6	11.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	8.7	7.0	5.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

NOTE: PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

[1]BEGINNING WITH THE MARCH 1970 CPS, DATA BASED ON 1970 CENSUS POPULATION CONTROLS; SEE TEXT FOR EXPLANATION.
[2]FOR YEARS 1959, 1967, AND 1969, DATA ARE SHOWN FOR NUMBER OF EARNERS.

Table 6. Selected Measures of Income Deficit for Families and Unrelated Individuals Below the Poverty Level by Sex and Race of Head: 1959 and 1967 to 1977

(1977 DOLLARS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH OF THE FOLLOWING YEAR. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

YEAR	TOTAL				WHITE				BLACK			
	NUMBER (THOUSANDS)	INCOME DEFICIT			NUMBER (THOUSANDS)	INCOME DEFICIT			NUMBER (THOUSANDS)	INCOME DEFICIT		
		MEDIAN	MEAN	AGGREGATE (MILLIONS)		MEDIAN	MEAN	AGGREGATE (MILLIONS)		MEDIAN	MEAN	AGGREGATE (MILLIONS)
ALL FAMILIES												
1977	5 311	$1 775	$2 177	$11 560	3 540	$1 626	$2 112	$7 477	1 637	$2 023	$2 299	$3 763
1976	5 311	1 683	2 121	11 252	3 560	1 578	2 053	7 310	1 617	1 893	2 256	3 647
1975	5 450	1 689	2 192	11 947	3 838	1 571	2 075	7 964	1 513	2 032	2 473	3 741
1974[r]	4 922	1 857	2 232	10 988	3 352	1 725	2 163	7 254	1 479	2 105	2 380	3 521
1974	5 109	1 890	2 267	11 583	3 482	1 738	2 178	7 582	1 530	2 147	2 464	3 770
1973	4 828	1 692	2 150	10 382	3 219	1 570	2 061	6 633	1 527	1 971	2 335	3 565
1972	5 075	1 742	2 174	11 031	3 441	1 631	2 076	7 141	1 529	2 028	2 383	3 642
1971	5 303	1 679	2 164	11 476	3 751	1 599	2 104	7 893	1 484	1 857	2 304	3 420
1970	5 260	1 735	2 216	11 657	3 708	1 601	2 087	7 736	1 481	2 052	2 526	3 742
1969[1]	5 008	1 626	2 114	10 584	3 575	1 491	1 974	7 054	1 366	2 063	2 476	3 383
1968	5 047	1 729	2 227	11 239	3 616	1 580	2 080	7 524	1 366	2 165	2 533	3 459
1967	5 667	1 686	2 189	12 404	4 056	1 493	2 028	8 225	1 555	2 252	2 597	4 038
1959	8 320	1 987	2 450	20 388	6 185	1 805	2 245	13 883	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD												
1977	2 701	1 603	2 117	5 718	2 140	1 570	2 129	4 554	475	1 642	2 016	957
1976	2 768	1 555	2 084	5 769	2 182	1 544	2 076	4 527	495	1 548	2 109	10 430
1975	3 020	1 530	2 095	6 328	2 444	1 476	2 046	5 000	509	1 695	2 252	1 146
1974[r]	2 598	1 644	2 152	5 595	2 063	1 579	2 127	4 391	470	1 965	2 216	1 041
1974	2 757	1 708	2 189	6 034	2 185	1 621	2 152	4 702	506	2 013	2 277	1 153
1973	2 635	1 536	2 028	5 343	2 029	1 454	1 977	4 012	553	1 829	2 209	1 221
1972	2 917	1 562	2 051	5 982	2 306	1 545	2 028	4 676	558	1 648	2 143	1 196
1971	3 203	1 482	2 003	6 416	2 560	1 451	1 977	5 062	605	1 601	2 104	1 273
1970	3 309	1 545	2 046	6 770	2 606	1 493	1 998	5 207	648	1 729	2 225	1 443
1969[1]	3 181	1 457	1 938	6 164	2 506	1 390	1 864	4 672	629	1 749	2 213	1 392
1968	3 292	1 524	2 010	6 616	2 595	1 425	1 910	4 955	660	1 906	2 297	1 515
1967	3 893	1 481	2 018	7 857	3 019	1 354	1 907	5 760	839	1 994	2 396	2 010
1959	6 404	1 862	2 323	14 871	4 952	1 695	2 119	10 493	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD												
1977	2 610	1 932	2 239	5 842	1 400	1 698	2 088	2 923	1 162	2 205	2 415	2 805
1976	2 543	1 826	2 160	5 492	1 379	1 626	2 018	2 782	1 122	2 049	2 321	2 604
1975	2 430	1 911	2 310	5 614	1 394	1 710	2 128	2 967	1 004	2 189	2 585	2 595
1974[r]	2 324	2 036	2 320	5 392	1 289	1 927	2 219	2 861	1 010	2 176	2 456	2 481
1974	2 351	2 044	2 361	5 549	1 297	1 902	2 221	2 880	1 024	2 228	2 556	2 617
1973	2 193	1 903	2 298	5 038	1 190	1 777	2 201	2 620	974	2 063	2 405	2 342
1972	2 158	2 028	2 341	5 052	1 135	1 798	2 173	2 465	972	2 273	2 519	2 448
1971	2 100	2 001	2 407	5 055	1 191	1 922	2 384	2 839	879	2 088	2 440	2 146
1970	1 951	2 106	2 503	4 885	1 102	1 900	2 300	2 535	834	2 327	2 760	2 302
1969[1]	1 827	2 034	2 420	4 420	1 069	1 794	2 228	2 383	737	2 282	2 701	1 991
1968	1 755	2 248	2 632	4 619	1 021	2 048	2 520	2 573	706	2 491	2 753	1 943
1967	1 774	2 179	2 563	4 548	1 037	1 950	2 377	2 464	716	2 503	2 828	2 025
1959	1 916	2 422	2 882	5 521	1 233	2 255	2 755	3 397	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
1977	5 216	910	1 188	6 196	4 051	894	1 159	4 695	1 059	929	1 250	1 323
1976	5 344	946	1 225	6 549	4 213	935	1 206	5 080	1 019	948	1 254	1 278
1975	5 088	945	1 212	6 164	3 972	928	1 195	4 745	1 011	971	1 250	1 263
1974[r]	4 553	930	1 166	5 310	3 555	906	1 139	4 049	927	986	1 251	1 160
1974	4 820	929	1 230	5 929	3 773	907	1 203	4 539	961	1 002	1 312	1 261
1973	4 674	1 085	1 273	5 946	3 730	1 045	1 230	4 587	828	1 153	1 332	1 104
1972	4 883	1 124	1 309	6 392	3 935	1 091	1 280	5 038	870	1 207	1 358	1 182
1971	5 154	1 078	1 267	6 529	4 214	1 042	1 240	5 224	866	1 256	1 376	1 192
1970	5 090	1 074	1 256	6 392	4 161	1 033	1 226	5 101	865	1 255	1 382	1 196
1969[1]	4 972	1 121	1 280	6 367	4 036	1 064	1 251	5 047	850	1 352	1 414	1 202
1968	4 694	1 108	1 261	5 921	3 849	1 073	1 239	4 765	777	1 218	1 322	1 029
1967	4 998	1 207	1 347	6 734	4 132	1 186	1 322	5 466	809	1 283	1 456	1 178
1959	4 928	1 518	1 628	8 023	4 041	1 475	1 609	6 502	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
1977	1 796	1 189	1 435	2 577	1 305	1 194	1 422	1 855	423	1 089	1 409	596
1976	1 787	1 090	1 373	2 455	1 321	1 088	1 355	1 789	410	1 050	1 390	571
1975	1 667	1 105	1 380	2 301	1 225	1 072	1 359	1 665	396	1 160	1 416	561
1974[r]	1 547	1 142	1 394	2 155	1 161	1 133	1 362	1 580	338	1 162	1 509	510
1974	1 607	1 178	1 461	2 348	1 200	1 151	1 428	1 713	351	1 210	1 580	554
1973	1 495	1 180	1 409	2 109	1 091	1 143	1 341	1 462	328	1 140	1 397	458
1972	1 410	1 276	1 476	2 080	1 022	1 255	1 448	1 480	338	1 235	1 445	488
1971	1 543	1 249	1 467	2 264	1 167	1 230	1 460	1 704	324	1 307	1 505	488
1970	1 438	1 228	1 432	2 060	1 091	1 172	1 401	1 527	304	1 413	1 527	463
1969[1]	1 439	1 240	1 395	2 007	1 083	1 108	1 335	1 445	308	1 497	1 578	485
1968	1 320	1 119	1 310	1 730	1 000	1 069	1 289	1 289	282	1 180	1 320	372
1967	1 305	1 234	1 397	1 825	985	1 218	1 368	1 347	279	1 261	1 499	419
1959	1 552	1 518	1 601	2 485	1 158	1 464	1 584	1 836	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
1977	3 419	826	1 059	3 619	2 747	809	1 034	2 840	636	872	1 144	727
1976	3 557	887	1 152	4 094	2 892	875	1 138	3 289	609	891	1 162	709
1975	3 422	874	1 128	3 861	2 747	866	1 120	3 077	616	882	1 143	704
1974[r]	3 007	810	1 049	3 156	2 394	778	1 032	2 471	589	901	1 102	649
1974	3 212	828	1 115	3 580	2 573	813	1 099	2 826	611	876	1 161	709
1973	3 179	1 036	1 209	3 839	2 639	1 002	1 185	3 127	500	1 160	1 290	645
1972	3 473	1 078	1 242	4 314	2 913	1 045	1 220	3 555	531	1 193	1 304	693
1971	3 611	1 022	1 181	4 264	3 047	987	1 156	3 523	542	1 223	1 301	705
1970	3 652	1 027	1 188	4 338	3 070	992	1 164	3 571	560	1 197	1 305	731
1969[1]	3 532	1 084	1 234	4 359	2 953	1 052	1 217	3 592	541	1 264	1 321	714
1968	3 374	1 104	1 240	4 182	2 849	1 074	1 220	3 478	495	1 235	1 325	656
1967	3 693	1 197	1 328	4 906	3 147	1 178	1 307	4 115	530	1 298	1 433	759
1959	3 376	1 518	1 639	5 533	2 883	1 477	1 620	4 671	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

[r]BASED ON REVISED METHODOLOGY; SEE TEXT FOR EXPLANATION.
[1]BEGINNING WITH THE MARCH 1970 CPS, DATA BASED ON 1970 CENSUS POPULATION CONTROLS; SEE TEXT FOR EXPLANATION.

Table 7. Ratio of Income to Poverty Level in 1977—Persons by Family Status, Sex of Head, and Race

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

FAMILY STATUS	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	RATIO OF FAMILY (OR UNRELATED INDIVIDUAL) INCOME TO POVERTY LEVEL									
			UNDER .50	.50 TO .74	.75 TO .99	1.00 TO 1.24	1.25 TO 1.49	1.50 TO 1.74	1.75 TO 1.99	2.00 TO 2.99	3.00 TO 3.99	4.00 OR MORE
ALL RACES												
ALL PERSONS												
TOTAL	213 867	24 720	7 474	7 420	9 826	10 939	10 892	11 600	11 887	46 478	37 268	60 083
65 YEARS AND OVER	22 468	3 177	378	839	1 959	2 326	2 176	1 909	1 645	4 577	2 504	4 155
IN FAMILIES	190 757	19 505	5 878	6 045	7 581	8 671	9 193	10 032	10 530	42 657	34 337	55 833
HEAD	57 215	5 311	1 617	1 569	2 125	2 402	2 658	2 853	3 057	12 091	10 133	18 710
65 YEARS AND OVER	8 212	710	110	186	414	551	674	689	671	1 899	1 111	1 906
WIFE OF HEAD	47 385	2 524	682	659	1 183	1 648	1 993	2 257	2 469	10 368	9 012	17 114
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	62 823	10 028	3 204	3 271	3 554	3 752	3 606	3 900	3 999	15 726	10 777	11 034
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	18 335	3 326	1 146	1 017	1 163	1 166	1 145	1 247	1 235	4 788	2 975	2 452
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	23 335	1 641	375	546	720	869	936	1 022	1 004	4 472	4 416	8 975
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.33	3.67	3.63	3.85	3.57	3.61	3.46	3.52	3.44	3.53	3.39	2.98
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	23 110	5 216	1 596	1 375	2 245	2 268	1 700	1 568	1 357	3 821	2 931	4 249
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 319	2 001	206	558	1 237	1 375	909	626	426	1 033	410	539
MALE	10 005	1 796	683	493	620	746	522	624	601	1 620	1 492	2 603
FEMALE	13 105	3 419	913	882	1 625	1 522	1 178	944	756	2 201	1 438	1 647
65 YEARS AND OVER	5 680	1 615	163	440	1 012	1 084	720	478	303	790	301	390
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD												
TOTAL	165 353	10 300	2 903	2 890	4 506	6 449	7 335	8 491	9 067	38 648	31 903	53 161
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	14 891	1 350	179	332	840	1 093	1 307	1 262	1 217	3 417	1 918	3 328
HEAD	48 979	2 701	755	714	1 231	1 706	2 069	2 335	2 544	10 681	9 253	17 689
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 048	551	80	129	341	450	584	593	603	1 679	947	1 641
WIFE OF HEAD	47 385	2 524	682	659	1 183	1 648	1 993	2 257	2 469	10 368	9 012	17 114
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	51 585	4 371	1 301	1 312	1 757	2 622	2 709	3 258	3 443	14 295	10 176	10 710
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	15 443	1 442	383	428	632	925	953	1 124	1 123	4 556	2 905	2 415
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	17 405	704	165	204	335	473	563	641	611	3 304	3 462	7 648
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.38	3.81	3.84	4.05	3.66	3.78	3.55	3.64	3.56	3.62	3.45	3.01
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD												
TOTAL	25 404	9 205	2 975	3 155	3 075	2 222	1 858	1 541	1 462	4 008	2 434	2 672
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	7 577	1 827	199	507	1 120	1 233	869	647	427	1 160	587	827
HEAD	8 236	2 610	862	854	893	696	589	519	512	1 410	880	1 021
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 164	159	30	57	72	101	50	96	68	220	164	265
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	11 238	5 658	1 902	1 959	1 796	1 130	896	642	557	1 431	601	325
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	2 892	1 884	764	590	531	240	192	123	113	232	71	37
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	5 930	938	211	342	385	396	373	381	393	1 168	954	1 327
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.08	3.53	3.45	3.69	3.44	3.19	3.15	2.97	2.85	2.84	2.77	2.62
WHITE												
ALL PERSONS												
TOTAL	185 254	16 416	4 970	4 621	6 825	8 220	8 638	9 811	10 204	41 381	34 137	56 448
65 YEARS AND OVER	20 316	2 426	274	616	1 535	2 026	1 957	1 754	1 499	4 301	2 360	3 995
IN FAMILIES	165 385	12 364	3 760	3 583	5 021	6 233	7 117	8 477	9 051	38 011	31 547	52 585
HEAD	50 530	3 540	1 067	977	1 496	1 804	2 154	2 448	2 667	10 882	9 353	17 682
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 463	472	65	108	300	460	595	632	614	1 794	1 055	1 841
WIFE OF HEAD	43 369	2 033	587	504	941	1 356	1 692	2 006	2 215	9 455	8 377	16 235
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	52 299	5 943	1 876	1 853	2 214	2 601	2 705	3 269	3 439	14 099	9 937	10 306
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	15 114	1 965	652	586	728	846	875	1 061	1 056	4 334	2 719	2 259
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	19 187	849	230	249	370	471	566	754	730	3 576	3 880	8 361
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.27	3.49	3.52	3.67	3.36	3.45	3.30	3.46	3.39	3.49	3.37	2.97
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	19 869	4 051	1 210	1 038	1 804	1 988	1 521	1 334	1 153	3 369	2 589	3 863
65 YEARS AND OVER	6 566	1 617	167	441	1 009	1 241	830	574	401	978	396	529
MALE	8 300	1 305	491	345	468	617	446	483	456	1 365	1 276	2 352
FEMALE	11 569	2 747	718	693	1 336	1 371	1 075	851	697	2 004	1 313	1 511
65 YEARS AND OVER	5 209	1 344	137	364	843	1 009	665	454	293	765	294	385
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD												
TOTAL	148 664	7 890	2 373	2 083	3 433	4 999	5 929	7 339	7 979	34 863	29 493	50 173
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	13 581	990	115	225	650	921	1 191	1 152	1 109	3 216	1 805	3 198
HEAD	44 701	2 140	626	538	975	1 382	1 745	2 058	2 278	9 740	8 606	16 752
65 YEARS AND OVER	6 530	403	45	88	270	390	535	547	557	1 602	906	1 589
WIFE OF HEAD	43 369	2 033	587	504	941	1 356	1 692	2 006	2 215	9 455	8 377	16 235
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	45 618	3 250	1 035	916	1 299	1 979	2 123	2 808	3 042	12 961	9 435	10 019
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	13 619	1 098	312	315	471	733	765	980	978	4 168	2 672	2 225
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	14 976	468	125	125	218	281	370	468	443	2 706	3 074	7 166
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.33	3.69	3.79	3.87	3.52	3.62	3.40	3.57	3.50	3.58	3.43	3.00
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD												
TOTAL	16 721	4 474	1 387	1 499	1 588	1 234	1 187	1 137	1 073	3 149	2 054	2 412
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	6 735	1 435	159	391	885	1 105	766	602	391	1 085	555	796
HEAD	5 828	1 400	441	439	520	422	409	390	390	1 142	747	930
65 YEARS AND OVER	933	70	20	20	29	70	60	85	57	192	149	252
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	6 682	2 693	842	937	915	622	582	461	397	1 137	502	287
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 496	868	340	271	257	113	109	80	79	166	47	33
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	4 210	381	105	124	152	190	196	286	287	870	806	1 195
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	2.87	3.20	3.15	3.42	3.05	2.93	2.90	2.92	2.75	2.76	2.75	2.59

[1]INCLUDES UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS, NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY.

Table 7. Ratio of Income to Poverty Level in 1977—Persons by Family Status, Sex of Head, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

FAMILY STATUS	TOTAL	BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	RATIO OF FAMILY (OR UNRELATED INDIVIDUAL) INCOME TO POVERTY LEVEL									
			UNDER .50	.50 TO .74	.75 TO .99	1.00 TO 1.24	1.25 TO 1.49	1.50 TO 1.74	1.75 TO 1.99	2.00 TO 2.99	3.00 TO 3.99	4.00 OR MORE
BLACK												
ALL PERSONS												
TOTAL	24 710	7 726	2 310	2 629	2 787	2 410	2 010	1 561	1 479	4 353	2 461	2 710
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 930	701	94	215	391	276	197	145	136	241	109	126
IN FAMILIES	21 850	6 667	1 983	2 304	2 380	2 160	1 855	1 359	1 301	3 943	2 177	2 387
HEAD	5 806	1 637	501	554	582	525	457	363	349	1 056	634	785
65 YEARS AND OVER	679	214	37	72	106	81	75	52	52	99	52	54
WIFE OF HEAD	3 166	419	80	132	206	244	253	205	203	742	473	627
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	9 253	3 850	1 265	1 326	1 258	1 036	807	548	504	1 352	650	506
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	2 831	1 293	472	408	413	292	250	152	160	384	182	117
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	3 625	762	136	292	333	355	338	243	245	793	419	469
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.76	4.07	3.96	4.16	4.09	4.12	4.06	3.74	3.73	3.73	3.43	3.04
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	2 860	1 059	327	325	407	249	155	202	178	410	284	323
65 YEARS AND OVER	684	362	39	116	207	121	65	50	24	43	12	7
MALE	1 473	423	153	137	134	111	66	116	128	235	182	210
FEMALE	1 387	636	175	188	273	139	89	85	50	175	102	112
65 YEARS AND OVER	433	263	26	76	161	71	43	21	10	14	5	5
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD												
TOTAL	13 535	2 072	443	685	944	1 234	1 193	961	921	3 155	1 831	2 167
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	1 149	325	55	103	167	157	107	102	99	178	83	99
HEAD	3 529	475	99	150	226	276	278	237	229	808	515	711
65 YEARS AND OVER	464	132	28	38	66	55	45	40	41	72	38	42
WIFE OF HEAD	3 166	419	80	132	206	244	253	205	203	742	473	627
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	4 859	965	229	328	408	555	496	371	347	1 085	564	477
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 469	297	55	96	146	173	168	110	127	323	158	115
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 981	214	34	76	103	158	165	149	143	520	280	352
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.84	4.36	4.47	4.58	4.17	4.47	4.29	4.06	4.03	3.90	3.56	3.05
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD												
TOTAL	8 315	4 595	1 540	1 619	1 436	927	662	397	380	788	346	220
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	781	376	39	113	225	119	90	43	37	63	25	27
HEAD	2 277	1 162	402	404	356	249	178	126	120	248	120	74
65 YEARS AND OVER	214	82	8	34	40	26	30	12	11	27	14	12
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	4 393	2 885	1 036	998	851	480	311	177	158	267	87	30
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 361	997	417	312	268	120	82	42	33	61	24	3
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 644	548	102	216	230	198	172	95	102	273	139	117
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.65	3.95	3.83	4.00	4.04	3.72	3.71	3.15	3.17	3.17	2.89	(B)

[1]INCLUDES UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS, NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY.

Table 8. Farm-Nonfarm Residence and Region—Persons by Poverty Status in 1977, Family Status, Sex of Head, and Race

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

FARM-NONFARM RESIDENCE AND REGION	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
UNITED STATES									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	213 867	24 720	11.6	185 254	16 416	8.9	24 710	7 726	31.3
65 YEARS AND OVER	22 468	3 177	14.1	20 316	2 426	11.9	1 930	701	36.3
IN FAMILIES	190 757	19 505	10.2	165 385	12 364	7.5	21 850	6 667	30.5
HEAD	57 215	5 311	9.3	50 530	3 540	7.0	5 806	1 637	28.2
65 YEARS AND OVER	8 212	710	8.6	7 463	472	6.3	679	214	31.5
WIFE OF HEAD	47 385	2 524	5.3	43 369	2 033	4.7	3 166	419	13.2
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	62 823	10 028	16.0	52 299	5 943	11.4	9 253	3 850	41.6
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	18 335	3 326	18.1	15 114	1 965	13.0	2 831	1 293	45.7
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	23 335	1 641	7.0	19 187	849	4.4	3 625	762	21.0
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.33	3.67	...	3.27	3.49	...	3.76	4.07	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME DOLLARS	18 264	3 292	...	18 997	3 056	...	11 962	3 807	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	23 110	5 216	22.6	19 869	4 051	20.4	2 860	1 059	37.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 319	2 001	27.3	6 566	1 617	24.6	684	362	53.0
MALE	10 005	1 796	18.0	8 300	1 305	15.7	1 473	423	28.8
FEMALE	13 105	3 419	26.1	11 569	2 747	23.7	1 387	636	45.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	5 680	1 615	28.4	5 209	1 344	25.8	433	263	60.8
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS	7 981	1 799	...	8 253	1 807	...	6 158	1 804	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	165 353	10 300	6.2	148 664	7 890	5.3	13 535	2 072	15.3
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	14 891	1 350	9.1	13 581	990	7.3	1 149	325	28.2
HEAD	48 979	2 701	5.5	44 701	2 140	4.8	3 529	475	13.5
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 048	551	7.8	6 530	403	6.2	464	132	28.4
WIFE OF HEAD	47 385	2 524	5.3	43 369	2 033	4.7	3 166	419	13.2
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	51 585	4 371	8.5	45 618	3 250	7.1	4 859	965	19.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	15 443	1 442	9.3	13 619	1 098	8.1	1 469	297	20.2
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	17 405	704	4.0	14 976	468	3.1	1 981	214	10.8
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.38	3.81	...	3.33	3.69	...	3.84	4.36	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME DOLLARS	19 686	3 263	...	20 047	3 006	...	15 190	4 399	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	25 404	9 205	36.2	16 721	4 474	26.8	8 315	4 595	55.3
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	7 577	1 827	24.1	6 735	1 435	21.3	781	376	48.2
HEAD	8 236	2 610	31.7	5 828	1 400	24.0	2 277	1 162	51.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 164	159	13.7	933	70	7.5	214	82	38.3
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	11 238	5 658	50.3	6 682	2 693	40.3	4 393	2 885	65.7
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	2 892	1 884	65.2	1 496	868	58.0	1 361	997	73.2
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	5 930	938	15.8	4 210	381	9.0	1 644	548	33.3
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.08	3.53	...	2.87	3.20	...	3.65	3.95	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME DOLLARS	9 811	3 321	...	10 947	3 133	...	6 959	3 565	...
NONFARM									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	206 032	23 381	11.3	177 941	15 291	8.6	24 296	7 561	31.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	21 432	3 047	14.2	19 342	2 322	12.0	1 875	681	36.3
IN FAMILIES	183 308	18 262	10.0	158 441	11 333	7.2	21 453	6 505	30.3
HEAD	55 042	4 983	9.1	48 467	3 265	6.7	5 721	1 597	27.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 747	658	8.5	7 026	438	6.2	658	203	30.9
WIFE OF HEAD	45 384	2 237	4.9	41 444	1 773	4.3	3 106	396	12.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	60 579	9 523	15.7	50 261	5 534	11.0	9 098	3 782	41.6
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	17 801	3 174	17.8	14 637	1 855	12.7	2 776	1 253	45.1
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	22 303	1 520	6.8	18 269	761	4.2	3 529	730	20.7
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.33	3.67	...	3.27	3.47	...	3.75	4.07	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME DOLLARS	18 385	3 507	...	19 141	3 365	...	12 034	3 811	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	22 724	5 119	22.5	19 500	3 958	20.3	2 843	1 056	37.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 119	1 962	27.6	6 375	1 580	24.8	675	361	53.4
MALE	9 804	1 750	17.8	8 111	1 260	15.5	1 463	422	28.8
FEMALE	12 919	3 369	26.1	11 390	2 698	23.7	1 380	634	45.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	5 554	1 591	28.6	5 089	1 321	26.0	428	262	61.2
MEAN INCOME DOLLARS	8 001	1 819	...	8 277	1 833	...	6 175	1 802	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	158 258	9 162	5.8	141 974	6 887	4.9	13 227	1 978	15.0
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	14 030	1 255	8.9	12 771	916	7.2	1 105	310	28.0
HEAD	46 911	2 398	5.1	42 721	1 875	4.4	3 463	448	12.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	6 621	508	7.7	6 128	375	6.1	447	123	27.5
WIFE OF HEAD	45 384	2 237	4.9	41 444	1 773	4.3	3 106	396	12.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	49 447	3 917	7.9	43 634	2 849	6.5	4 749	935	19.7
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	14 937	1 308	8.6	13 149	989	7.5	1 437	274	19.1
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	16 516	610	3.7	14 175	390	2.8	1 910	199	10.4
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.37	3.82	...	3.32	3.67	...	3.82	4.42	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME DOLLARS	19 877	3 707	...	20 249	3 528	...	15 334	4 475	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	25 050	9 100	36.3	16 467	4 446	27.0	8 226	4 527	55.0
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	7 402	1 792	24.2	6 571	1 406	21.4	770	371	48.2
HEAD	8 131	2 584	31.8	5 746	1 389	24.2	2 258	1 149	50.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 126	151	13.4	898	63	7.0	211	80	38.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	11 131	5 606	50.4	6 627	2 686	40.5	4 349	2 847	65.5
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	2 863	1 866	65.2	1 489	867	58.2	1 340	980	73.1
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	5 787	911	15.7	4 094	371	9.1	1 619	531	32.8
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.08	3.52	...	2.87	3.20	...	3.64	3.94	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME DOLLARS	9 781	3 321	...	10 906	3 145	...	6 972	3 552	...

[1]INCLUDES UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS, NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY.

Table 8. Farm-Nonfarm Residence and Region—Persons by Poverty Status in 1977, Family Status, Sex of Head, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

FARM-NONFARM RESIDENCE AND 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
FARM									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	7 835	1 339	17.1	7 313	1 125	15.4	414	165	39.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 037	130	12.5	974	104	10.6	55	20	(B)
IN FAMILIES	7 449	1 242	16.7	6 944	1 032	14.9	397	162	40.8
HEAD	2 172	328	15.1	2 063	275	13.3	86	40	46.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	465	51	11.0	437	34	7.8	21	10	(B)
WIFE OF HEAD	2 001	287	14.4	1 925	260	13.5	60	22	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2 244	506	22.5	2 038	409	20.1	155	68	43.6
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	534	152	28.5	477	110	23.1	54	40	(B)
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 032	121	11.7	918	88	9.6	96	32	33.0
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.43	3.78	...	3.37	3.75	...	4.64	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	15 202	32	...	15 615	-610	...	7 171	(B)	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	386	97	25.1	369	93	25.3	17	3	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	199	39	19.4	190	37	19.5	9	2	(B)
MALE	200	46	23.2	190	44	23.4	10	1	(B)
FEMALE	186	51	27.2	179	49	27.3	7	2	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	125	25	19.6	120	23	19.0	5	2	(B)
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	6 809	730	...	6 973	663	...	(B)	(B)	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	7 095	1 138	16.0	6 691	1 003	15.0	308	94	30.5
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	862	95	11.1	810	74	9.1	44	15	(B)
HEAD	2 068	303	14.6	1 980	264	13.3	66	27	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	427	43	10.1	402	27	6.8	17	9	(B)
WIFE OF HEAD	2 001	287	14.4	1 925	260	13.5	60	22	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2 137	454	21.2	1 983	401	20.2	110	30	27.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	506	134	26.6	470	109	23.2	33	23	(B)
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	889	94	10.5	802	78	9.7	71	14	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.43	3.76	...	3.38	3.80	...	(B)	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	15 361	-251	...	15 692	-700	...	(B)	(B)	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	354	105	29.6	253	29	11.3	89	68	76.5
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	175	34	19.7	164	30	18.0	10	5	(B)
HEAD	105	26	24.4	83	11	13.1	19	13	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	38	8	(B)	35	7	(B)	3	2	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	107	52	48.6	55	8	(B)	45	38	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	28	18	(B)	7	1	(B)	22	17	(B)
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	142	27	19.1	116	10	8.6	25	17	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.38	(B)	...	3.07	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	12 061	(B)	...	13 784	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
NORTHEAST									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	48 823	4 956	10.2	43 991	3 725	8.5	4 364	1 183	27.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	5 491	545	9.9	5 179	470	9.1	296	75	25.3
IN FAMILIES	43 645	3 816	8.7	39 465	2 844	7.2	3 763	934	24.8
HEAD	12 936	1 048	8.1	11 797	800	6.8	1 035	237	22.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 960	65	3.3	1 875	52	2.8	84	14	16.1
WIFE OF HEAD	10 486	395	3.8	9 864	345	3.5	509	40	7.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	13 787	2 096	15.2	12 093	1 512	12.5	1 551	569	36.7
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	3 768	634	16.8	3 231	428	13.2	479	199	41.5
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	6 436	277	4.3	5 711	187	3.3	668	89	13.3
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.37	3.64	...	3.35	3.56	...	3.64	3.95	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	19 054	3 752	...	19 525	3 653	...	13 199	4 194	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	5 178	1 140	22.0	4 526	881	19.5	601	248	41.3
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 769	426	24.1	1 645	375	22.8	115	51	44.6
MALE	2 101	391	18.6	1 778	281	15.8	296	107	36.1
FEMALE	3 077	749	24.3	2 748	600	21.8	305	142	46.4
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 341	346	25.8	1 268	312	24.6	67	34	(B)
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	8 013	1 887	...	8 240	1 941	...	6 093	1 727	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	37 470	1 644	4.4	34 956	1 434	4.1	2 149	183	8.5
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	3 569	162	4.5	3 383	136	4.0	176	27	15.1
HEAD	10 893	418	3.8	10 231	366	3.6	575	44	7.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 635	46	2.8	1 572	41	2.6	62	5	(B)
WIFE OF HEAD	10 486	395	3.8	9 864	345	3.5	509	40	7.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	11 229	744	6.6	10 395	645	6.2	709	90	12.7
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	3 137	240	7.7	2 874	193	6.7	208	40	19.1
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	4 861	87	1.8	4 466	77	1.7	356	10	2.7
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.44	3.93	...	3.42	3.91	...	3.74	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	20 766	3 873	...	20 895	3 892	...	17 641	(B)	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	6 176	2 172	35.2	4 509	1 410	31.3	1 614	751	46.5
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	1 922	383	19.9	1 796	335	18.6	119	48	40.4
HEAD	2 042	630	30.8	1 566	434	27.7	459	193	42.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	325	19	5.9	303	11	3.6	22	8	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2 559	1 352	52.8	1 698	867	51.0	843	479	56.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	631	394	62.5	357	235	65.8	271	159	58.7
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 575	190	12.1	1 245	110	8.8	312	79	25.4
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.02	3.45	...	2.88	3.25	...	3.51	3.90	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	9 924	3 672	...	10 573	3 451	...	7 639	4 184	...

[1] INCLUDES UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS, NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY.

Table 8. Farm-Nonfarm Residence and Region—Persons by Poverty Status in 1977, Family Status, Sex of Head, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

FARM-NONFARM RESIDENCE AND REGION	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
NORTH CENTRAL									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	56 969	5 589	9.8	51 544	3 938	7.6	4 931	1 584	32.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	6 018	702	11.7	5 692	612	10.8	316	89	28.0
IN FAMILIES	51 097	4 359	8.5	46 308	2 887	6.2	4 339	1 406	32.5
HEAD	15 308	1 192	7.8	14 045	847	6.0	1 152	329	28.5
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 162	127	5.9	2 062	108	5.2	97	19	19.7
WIFE OF HEAD	12 897	569	4.4	12 206	497	4.1	590	65	11.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	16 928	2 256	13.3	14 804	1 337	9.0	1 943	883	45.5
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	4 805	733	15.3	4 175	454	10.9	571	272	47.7
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	5 963	342	5.7	5 253	206	3.9	653	131	20.1
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.34	3.66	...	3.30	3.41	...	3.77	4.29	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	18 830	2 930	...	19 304	2 458	...	13 141	4 098	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	5 872	1 230	20.9	5 235	1 050	20.1	592	175	29.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 050	477	23.3	1 918	414	21.6	132	63	47.8
MALE	2 384	384	16.1	2 068	324	15.7	290	56	19.2
FEMALE	3 489	846	24.3	3 168	726	22.9	302	120	39.7
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 602	395	24.6	1 515	345	22.8	87	50	57.5
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	7 854	1 808	...	7 906	1 788	...	7 282	1 943	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	44 812	2 247	5.0	41 930	1 858	4.4	2 498	357	14.3
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	3 988	274	6.9	3 801	243	6.4	178	30	17.1
HEAD	13 289	604	4.5	12 533	521	4.2	666	76	11.4
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 891	103	5.5	1 820	89	4.9	69	14	(B)
WIFE OF HEAD	12 897	569	4.4	12 206	497	4.1	590	65	11.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	14 080	926	6.6	13 031	722	5.5	908	190	21.0
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	4 104	287	7.0	3 790	249	6.6	260	35	13.5
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	4 545	148	3.2	4 160	118	2.8	334	25	7.6
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.37	3.72	...	3.35	3.57	...	3.75	4.69	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	20 117	2 455	...	20 280	2 063	...	17 146	5 008	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	6 285	2 112	33.6	4 378	1 030	23.5	1 841	1 051	57.1
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	2 030	427	21.1	1 891	369	19.5	138	58	42.1
HEAD	2 019	588	29.1	1 512	326	21.6	486	252	51.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	271	24	8.8	243	19	7.7	29	5	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2 848	1 330	46.7	1 774	615	34.7	1 035	693	66.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	701	447	63.7	386	205	53.3	311	237	76.3
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 418	194	13.7	1 093	88	8.1	319	106	33.1
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.11	3.59	...	2.90	3.16	...	3.79	4.16	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	10 360	3 418	...	11 210	3 088	...	7 658	3 823	...
WEST									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	38 927	3 927	10.1	34 314	3 018	8.8	2 253	576	25.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	3 541	366	10.3	3 211	303	9.4	157	30	18.8
IN FAMILIES	33 640	2 957	8.8	29 595	2 200	7.4	1 903	480	25.2
HEAD	10 247	845	8.2	9 167	645	7.0	552	130	23.5
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 236	88	7.1	1 130	65	5.8	50	9	(B)
WIFE OF HEAD	8 467	403	4.8	7 667	334	4.4	296	21	7.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	11 440	1 533	13.4	9 904	1 107	11.2	810	288	35.6
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	3 520	581	16.5	3 081	446	14.5	229	94	41.0
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	3 486	176	5.0	2 857	114	4.0	245	41	16.9
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.28	3.50	...	3.23	3.41	...	3.45	3.70	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	18 882	3 259	...	19 282	3 058	...	13 518	4 102	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	5 287	970	18.3	4 719	818	17.3	350	96	27.4
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 277	226	17.7	1 163	193	16.6	65	16	(B)
MALE	2 631	413	15.7	2 284	316	13.8	215	62	28.8
FEMALE	2 656	557	21.0	2 435	502	20.6	135	34	25.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	970	176	18.2	909	160	17.6	38	13	(B)
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	8 648	1 681	...	8 839	1 693	...	6 996	1 676	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	29 395	1 661	5.7	26 265	1 340	5.1	1 186	106	9.0
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	2 362	170	7.2	2 140	132	6.2	94	15	15.8
HEAD	8 777	432	4.9	7 974	357	4.5	344	27	7.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 109	70	6.3	1 029	57	5.5	40	8	(B)
WIFE OF HEAD	8 467	403	4.8	7 667	334	4.4	296	21	7.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	9 467	736	7.8	8 408	580	6.9	414	50	12.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	3 054	298	9.8	2 731	239	8.8	131	24	18.3
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	2 684	90	3.4	2 216	69	3.1	132	8	6.2
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.35	3.85	...	3.29	3.75	...	3.45	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	20 332	3 055	...	20 536	2 875	...	17 520	(B)	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	4 245	1 296	30.5	3 330	860	25.8	717	374	52.2
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	1 180	196	16.6	1 071	170	15.9	64	15	(B)
HEAD	1 470	413	28.1	1 193	288	24.1	208	103	49.5
65 YEARS AND OVER	127	18	13.9	101	8	8.4	9	2	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 973	797	40.4	1 496	527	35.2	396	238	60.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	466	284	60.8	351	207	59.0	97	70	71.5
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	802	86	10.7	641	45	7.1	113	33	29.3
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	2.89	3.14	...	2.79	2.99	...	3.44	3.63	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	10 227	3 472	...	10 899	3 285	...	6 901	4 164	...

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Table 8. Farm-Nonfarm Residence and Region—Persons by Poverty Status in 1977, Family Status, Sex of Head, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

FARM-NONFARM RESIDENCE AND 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
SOUTH									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	69 148	10 249	14.8	55 406	5 735	10.3	13 162	4 383	33.3
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 918	1 563	21.1	6 234	1 040	16.7	1 161	507	43.7
IN FAMILIES	62 375	8 373	13.4	50 017	4 433	8.9	11 845	3 844	32.5
HEAD	18 724	2 226	11.9	15 521	1 248	8.0	3 067	942	30.7
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 854	430	15.1	2 396	247	10.3	448	172	38.4
WIFE OF HEAD	15 534	1 157	7.4	13 633	856	6.3	1 770	292	16.5
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	20 667	4 143	20.0	15 498	1 987	12.8	4 949	2 109	42.6
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	6 242	1 378	22.1	4 626	637	13.8	1 552	728	46.9
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	7 450	847	11.4	5 365	341	6.4	2 059	501	24.3
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.33	3.76	...	3.22	3.55	...	3.86	4.08	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	16 918	3 282	...	18 151	3 079	...	10 821	3 568	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	6 773	1 876	27.7	5 389	1 302	24.2	1 317	539	41.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 222	872	39.2	1 841	635	34.5	373	232	62.2
MALE	2 889	608	21.0	2 171	384	17.7	671	199	29.6
FEMALE	3 884	1 268	32.6	3 218	918	28.5	646	341	52.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 767	698	39.5	1 517	527	34.7	241	166	69.0
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	7 548	1 799	...	8 087	1 802	...	5 459	1 816	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	53 677	4 748	8.8	45 514	3 258	7.2	7 702	1 425	18.5
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	4 972	743	14.9	4 256	480	11.3	701	253	36.0
HEAD	16 019	1 247	7.8	13 963	896	6.4	1 944	328	16.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 413	331	13.7	2 109	215	10.2	293	105	35.8
WIFE OF HEAD	15 534	1 157	7.4	13 633	856	6.3	1 770	292	16.5
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	16 809	1 965	11.7	13 784	1 303	9.5	2 829	634	22.4
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	5 148	618	12.0	4 224	417	9.9	870	198	22.7
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	5 315	379	7.1	4 134	203	4.9	1 159	171	14.7
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.35	3.81	...	3.26	3.64	...	3.96	4.34	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	18 240	3 523	...	18 937	3 243	...	13 383	4 323	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	8 698	3 626	41.7	4 504	1 175	26.1	4 193	2 419	58.4
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	2 446	820	33.5	1 978	561	28.4	459	255	55.5
HEAD	2 705	980	36.2	1 558	353	22.6	1 123	614	54.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	441	99	22.3	287	32	11.0	155	67	43.4
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	3 858	2 178	56.5	1 714	685	39.9	2 120	1 475	69.6
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 094	760	69.5	402	221	54.9	682	530	77.8
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	2 134	468	21.9	1 231	138	11.2	900	330	36.7
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.22	3.70	...	2.89	3.33	...	3.69	3.94	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	9 088	2 975	...	11 104	2 661	...	6 388	3 164	...

[1]INCLUDES UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS, NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY.

Table 9. Metropolitan-Nonmetropolitan and Poverty Area Residence —Persons by Poverty Status in 1977, Family Status, Sex of Head, and Race

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN AND POVERTY AREA RESIDENCE	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
UNITED STATES-TOTAL									
ALL AREAS									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	213 867	24 720	11.6	185 254	16 416	8.9	24 710	7 726	31.3
65 YEARS AND OVER	22 468	3 177	14.1	20 316	2 426	11.9	1 930	701	36.3
IN FAMILIES	190 757	19 505	10.2	165 385	12 364	7.5	21 850	6 667	30.5
HEAD	57 215	5 311	9.3	50 530	3 540	7.0	5 806	1 637	28.2
65 YEARS AND OVER	8 212	710	8.6	7 463	472	6.3	679	214	31.5
WIFE OF HEAD	47 385	2 524	5.3	43 369	2 033	4.7	3 166	419	13.2
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	62 823	10 028	16.0	52 299	5 943	11.4	9 253	3 850	41.6
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	19 335	3 326	18.1	15 114	1 965	13.0	2 831	1 293	45.7
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	23 335	1 641	7.0	19 187	849	4.4	3 625	762	21.0
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.33	3.67	...	3.27	3.49	...	3.76	4.07	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS.	18 264	3 292	...	18 997	3 056	...	11 962	3 807	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	23 110	5 216	22.6	19 869	4 051	20.4	2 860	1 059	37.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 319	2 001	27.3	6 566	1 617	24.6	684	362	53.0
MALE	10 005	1 796	18.0	8 300	1 305	15.7	1 473	423	28.8
FEMALE	13 105	3 419	26.1	11 569	2 747	23.7	1 387	636	45.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	5 680	1 615	28.4	5 209	1 344	25.8	433	263	60.8
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	7 981	1 799	...	8 253	1 807	...	6 158	1 804	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	165 353	10 300	6.2	148 664	7 890	5.3	13 535	2 072	15.3
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	14 891	1 350	9.1	13 581	990	7.3	1 149	325	28.2
HEAD	48 979	2 701	5.5	44 701	2 140	4.8	3 529	475	13.5
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 048	551	7.8	6 530	403	6.2	464	132	28.4
WIFE OF HEAD	47 385	2 524	5.3	43 369	2 033	4.7	3 166	419	13.2
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	51 585	4 371	8.5	45 618	3 250	7.1	4 859	965	19.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	15 443	1 442	9.3	13 619	1 098	8.1	1 469	297	20.2
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	17 405	704	4.0	14 976	468	3.1	1 981	214	10.8
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.38	3.81	...	3.33	3.69	...	3.84	4.36	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS.	19 686	3 263	...	20 047	3 006	...	15 190	4 399	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	25 404	9 205	36.2	16 721	4 474	26.8	8 315	4 595	55.3
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	7 577	1 827	24.1	6 735	1 435	21.3	781	376	48.2
HEAD	8 236	2 610	31.7	5 828	1 400	24.0	2 277	1 162	51.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 164	159	13.7	933	70	7.5	214	82	38.3
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	11 238	5 658	50.3	6 682	2 693	40.3	4 393	2 885	65.7
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	2 892	1 884	65.2	1 496	868	58.0	1 361	997	73.2
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	5 930	938	15.8	4 210	381	9.0	1 644	548	33.3
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.08	3.53	...	2.87	3.20	...	3.65	3.95	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS.	9 811	3 321	...	10 947	3 133	...	6 959	3 565	...
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	40 319	10 340	25.6	27 579	4 937	17.9	11 995	5 108	42.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	5 024	1 369	27.3	3 753	818	21.8	1 206	523	43.4
IN FAMILIES	35 672	8 673	24.3	24 457	3 950	16.2	10 541	4 454	42.2
HEAD	10 334	2 224	21.5	7 441	1 070	14.4	2 711	1 077	39.7
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 888	391	20.7	1 424	200	14.0	432	173	40.0
WIFE OF HEAD	7 822	1 020	13.0	6 384	702	11.0	1 318	288	21.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	12 864	4 518	35.1	8 017	1 866	23.3	4 560	2 511	55.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	3 982	1 477	37.1	2 533	585	23.1	1 389	858	61.8
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	4 652	911	19.6	2 615	312	11.9	1 952	578	29.6
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.45	3.90	...	3.29	3.69	...	3.89	4.13	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS.	12 711	3 436	...	14 062	3 059	...	9 246	3 802	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	4 647	1 666	35.9	3 122	987	31.6	1 454	654	45.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 721	747	43.4	1 245	488	39.2	457	253	55.3
MALE	2 075	572	27.6	1 266	299	23.6	764	257	33.6
FEMALE	2 572	1 094	42.5	1 857	688	37.1	690	398	57.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 274	580	45.5	976	398	40.7	283	180	63.4
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	5 791	1 860	...	6 229	1 888	...	4 868	1 873	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	28 045	4 351	15.5	21 699	2 760	12.7	5 813	1 415	24.3
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	3 258	655	20.1	2 516	387	15.4	703	247	35.1
HEAD	8 183	1 103	13.5	6 575	731	11.1	1 481	330	22.3
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 543	286	18.5	1 239	170	13.7	280	102	36.4
WIFE OF HEAD	7 822	1 020	13.0	6 384	702	11.0	1 318	288	21.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	9 041	1 858	20.5	6 800	1 143	16.8	2 027	626	30.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	2 818	574	20.4	2 192	350	16.0	578	201	34.7
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	2 998	370	12.3	1 940	185	9.5	987	171	17.3
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.43	3.94	...	3.30	3.78	...	3.93	4.29	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS.	14 219	3 427	...	14 799	2 990	...	11 945	4 324	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	7 627	4 322	56.7	2 757	1 191	43.2	4 728	3 039	64.3
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	1 766	715	40.5	1 238	431	34.8	503	277	54.9
HEAD	2 150	1 121	52.1	865	340	39.3	1 230	747	60.7
65 YEARS AND OVER	344	105	30.4	184	30	16.0	152	71	46.6
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	3 823	2 661	69.6	1 217	723	59.4	2 533	1 885	74.4
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 164	903	77.6	341	235	68.9	811	657	81.1
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 654	541	32.7	675	128	18.9	965	407	42.2
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.55	3.86	...	3.19	3.50	...	3.84	4.07	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS.	6 974	3 445	...	8 466	3 208	...	5 998	3 572	...

[1]INCLUDES UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS, NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY.

Table 9. Metropolitan-Nonmetropolitan and Poverty Area Residence —Persons by Poverty Status in 1977, Family Status, Sex of Head, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN AND POVERTY AREA RESIDENCE	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
UNITED STATES-TOTAL--CONTINUED									
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	173 548	14 381	8.3	157 675	11 478	7.3	12 715	2 618	20.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	17 445	1 807	10.4	16 563	1 608	9.7	724	177	24.5
IN FAMILIES	155 084	10 832	7.0	140 928	8 414	6.0	11 309	2 213	19.6
HEAD	46 881	3 087	6.6	43 089	2 469	5.7	3 095	560	18.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	6 324	319	5.0	6 039	272	4.5	247	41	16.7
WIFE OF HEAD	39 562	1 504	3.8	36 985	1 331	3.6	1 848	131	7.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	49 959	5 510	11.0	44 282	4 077	9.2	4 692	1 339	28.5
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	14 353	1 850	12.9	12 581	1 380	11.0	1 442	435	30.2
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	18 683	731	3.9	16 572	537	3.2	1 673	184	11.0
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.31	3.51	...	3.27	3.41	...	3.65	3.95	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	19 488	3 188	...	19 850	3 055	...	14 341	3 816	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	18 463	3 549	19.2	16 747	3 065	18.3	1 406	405	28.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	5 598	1 254	22.4	5 321	1 129	21.2	227	110	48.3
MALE	7 929	1 224	15.4	7 035	1 006	14.3	708	167	23.5
FEMALE	10 534	2 325	22.1	9 712	2 059	21.2	698	238	34.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	4 406	1 035	23.5	4 232	946	22.4	150	84	55.8
MEAN INCOME ..... DOLLARS	8 533	1 760	...	8 630	1 780	...	7 492	1 693	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	137 308	5 949	4.3	126 965	5 130	4.0	7 723	657	8.5
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	11 633	695	6.0	11 065	604	5.5	446	78	17.5
HEAD	40 795	1 598	3.9	38 126	1 409	3.7	2 048	145	7.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	5 504	264	4.8	5 290	232	4.4	185	30	16.4
WIFE OF HEAD	39 562	1 504	3.8	36 985	1 331	3.6	1 848	131	7.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	42 543	2 513	5.9	38 818	2 107	5.4	2 832	338	11.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	12 625	869	6.9	11 427	747	6.5	891	96	10.8
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	14 407	333	2.3	13 037	283	2.2	994	43	4.3
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.37	3.72	...	3.33	3.64	...	3.77	4.53	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	20 783	3 150	...	20 952	3 014	...	17 537	4 569	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	17 776	4 883	27.5	13 963	3 284	23.5	3 586	1 556	43.4
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	5 811	1 112	19.1	5 498	1 004	18.3	277	99	35.9
HEAD	6 086	1 489	24.5	4 963	1 060	21.4	1 047	414	39.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	820	54	6.6	749	40	5.3	62	11	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	7 415	2 997	40.4	5 465	1 970	36.1	1 860	1 000	53.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 728	981	56.8	1 154	633	54.8	551	339	61.6
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	4 276	397	9.3	3 535	253	7.2	680	141	20.8
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	2.92	3.28	...	2.81	3.10	...	3.43	3.75	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	10 813	3 228	...	11 380	3 110	...	8 087	3 553	...
UNITED STATES-METROPOLITAN AREAS									
ALL AREAS									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	142 791	14 859	10.4	121 409	9 265	7.6	18 483	5 289	28.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	14 000	1 593	11.4	12 571	1 195	9.5	1 279	382	29.8
IN FAMILIES	125 959	11 477	9.1	107 240	6 752	6.3	16 118	4 492	27.9
HEAD	37 841	3 141	8.3	32 824	1 949	5.9	4 358	1 118	25.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	4 901	279	5.7	4 453	184	4.1	411	91	22.2
WIFE OF HEAD	30 787	1 219	4.0	27 802	953	3.4	2 336	230	9.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	41 117	6 208	15.1	33 364	3 412	10.2	6 858	2 681	39.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	11 935	2 148	18.0	9 543	1 185	12.4	2 097	923	44.0
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	16 214	909	5.6	13 251	437	3.3	2 566	464	18.1
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.33	3.65	...	3.27	3.46	...	3.70	4.02	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	19 579	3 568	...	20 485	3 442	...	12 879	3 833	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	16 832	3 362	20.1	14 169	2 513	17.7	2 366	797	33.7
65 YEARS AND OVER	4 727	1 118	23.7	4 166	869	20.9	510	237	46.4
MALE	7 535	1 249	16.6	6 130	876	14.3	1 234	327	26.5
FEMALE	9 296	2 133	22.9	8 039	1 637	20.4	1 132	469	41.4
65 YEARS AND OVER	3 677	902	24.5	3 336	733	22.0	311	164	52.8
MEAN INCOME ..... DOLLARS	8 536	1 778	...	8 884	1 789	...	6 555	1 780	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	107 641	5 079	4.7	95 450	3 757	3.9	9 836	1 164	11.8
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	9 077	599	6.6	8 215	427	5.2	755	163	21.6
HEAD	31 868	1 308	4.1	28 688	998	3.5	2 606	263	10.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	4 176	214	5.1	3 858	160	4.1	289	53	18.2
WIFE OF HEAD	30 787	1 219	4.0	27 802	953	3.4	2 336	230	9.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	32 969	2 234	6.8	28 682	1 598	5.6	3 496	567	16.2
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	9 858	805	8.2	8 550	606	7.1	1 039	172	16.5
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	12 017	318	2.6	10 279	208	2.0	1 398	103	7.4
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.38	3.88	...	3.33	3.76	...	3.77	4.42	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	21 318	3 779	...	21 762	3 623	...	16 692	4 526	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	18 318	6 398	34.9	11 790	2 995	25.4	6 282	3 329	53.0
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	4 923	993	20.2	4 355	768	17.6	524	219	41.8
HEAD	5 973	1 833	30.7	4 136	951	23.0	1 752	854	48.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	725	65	9.0	595	24	4.1	122	39	31.6
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	8 148	3 974	48.8	4 682	1 814	38.7	3 362	2 114	62.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	2 077	1 342	64.6	993	579	58.3	1 058	751	71.0
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	4 197	591	14.1	2 972	230	7.7	1 168	361	30.9
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.07	3.49	...	2.85	3.15	...	3.59	3.90	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	10 305	3 417	...	11 630	3 252	...	7 207	3 620	...

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		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
UNITED STATES-METROPOLITAN AREAS--CONTINUED									
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	15 871	5 104	32.2	8 017	1 823	22.7	7 615	3 203	42.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 778	493	27.7	1 041	220	21.2	706	267	37.8
IN FAMILIES	13 348	4 245	31.8	6 637	1 431	21.6	6 511	2 748	42.2
HEAD	3 720	1 061	28.5	1 950	370	19.0	1 699	666	39.2
65 YEARS AND OVER	568	108	19.0	338	36	10.7	222	70	31.4
WIFE OF HEAD	2 289	319	13.9	1 508	175	11.6	741	138	18.6
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	5 370	2 438	45.4	2 390	780	32.6	2 916	1 627	55.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 696	856	50.4	810	277	34.3	872	570	65.4
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 968	427	21.7	790	106	13.4	1 155	317	27.5
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.59	4.00	...	3.40	3.87	...	3.83	4.12	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	11 737	3 864	...	13 502	3 901	...	9 795	3 869	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	2 523	859	34.1	1 379	391	28.4	1 103	455	41.2
65 YEARS AND OVER	786	322	40.9	440	157	35.7	330	160	48.5
MALE	1 247	315	25.2	636	132	20.7	590	173	29.4
FEMALE	1 276	545	42.7	744	260	34.9	513	282	54.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	540	237	43.9	334	128	38.4	195	109	55.9
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	5 972	1 895	...	6 593	1 921	...	5 227	1 875	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	8 741	1 473	16.9	5 374	746	13.9	3 230	704	21.8
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	1 043	204	19.5	629	84	13.4	399	114	28.5
HEAD	2 458	346	14.1	1 568	178	11.3	846	160	19.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	432	70	16.3	281	30	10.8	145	38	26.5
WIFE OF HEAD	2 289	319	13.9	1 508	175	11.6	741	138	18.6
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2 904	681	23.4	1 764	344	19.5	1 106	331	29.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	916	239	26.1	624	133	21.4	283	103	36.5
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 089	128	11.8	534	49	9.2	536	75	14.1
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.56	4.26	...	3.43	4.19	...	3.82	4.39	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	14 247	4 392	...	14 772	4 280	...	13 392	4 528	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	4 607	2 771	60.1	1 263	685	54.2	3 282	2 044	62.3
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	735	289	39.4	412	136	33.1	307	153	49.8
HEAD	1 262	715	56.6	382	192	50.2	853	506	59.3
65 YEARS AND OVER	136	37	27.5	58	6	(B)	77	31	40.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2 466	1 757	71.3	626	437	69.8	1 809	1 296	71.7
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	780	616	79.0	186	144	77.6	589	467	79.2
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	879	299	34.0	255	57	22.1	619	242	39.0
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.65	3.88	...	3.31	3.57	...	3.85	4.04	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	6 849	3 609	...	8 289	3 550	...	6 230	3 660	...
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	126 920	9 756	7.7	113 392	7 443	6.6	10 869	2 086	19.2
65 YEARS AND OVER	12 222	1 100	9.0	11 529	975	8.5	573	115	20.0
IN FAMILIES	112 611	7 233	6.4	100 602	5 321	5.3	9 606	1 744	18.2
HEAD	34 121	2 080	6.1	30 874	1 579	5.1	2 659	451	17.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	4 334	172	4.0	4 115	148	3.6	188	21	11.3
WIFE OF HEAD	28 497	901	3.2	26 294	777	3.0	1 594	92	5.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	35 747	3 770	10.5	30 974	2 632	8.5	3 943	1 054	26.7
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	10 239	1 292	12.6	8 733	907	10.4	1 226	353	28.8
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	14 246	481	3.4	12 461	332	2.7	1 411	147	10.4
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.30	3.48	...	3.26	3.37	...	3.61	3.86	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	20 435	3 417	...	20 926	3 335	...	14 850	3 781	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	14 309	2 523	17.6	12 790	2 122	16.6	1 262	342	27.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	3 941	796	20.2	3 727	712	19.1	180	76	42.5
MALE	6 289	935	14.9	5 494	745	13.6	644	154	23.9
FEMALE	8 021	1 588	19.8	7 296	1 377	18.9	618	188	30.3
55 YEARS AND OVER	3 136	665	21.2	3 003	605	20.1	116	55	47.6
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	8 988	1 739	...	9 131	1 764	...	7 716	1 654	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	98 900	3 606	3.6	90 076	3 011	3.3	6 606	459	6.9
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	8 034	396	4.9	7 586	343	4.5	357	49	13.8
HEAD	29 410	962	3.3	27 120	820	3.0	1 760	103	5.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	3 744	144	3.8	3 577	129	3.6	143	14	9.9
WIFE OF HEAD	28 497	901	3.2	26 294	777	3.0	1 594	92	5.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	30 064	1 553	5.2	26 917	1 255	4.7	2 390	236	9.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	8 942	566	6.3	7 926	473	6.0	756	68	9.0
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	10 928	190	1.7	9 744	159	1.6	862	28	3.2
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.36	3.75	...	3.32	3.67	...	3.75	4.46	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	21 909	3 559	...	22 166	3 480	...	18 278	4 523	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	13 711	3 627	26.5	10 526	2 310	21.9	3 000	1 285	42.8
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	4 188	704	16.8	3 943	632	16.0	216	66	30.3
HEAD	4 711	1 118	23.7	3 754	759	20.2	899	348	38.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	589	28	4.7	537	19	3.5	45	7	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	5 682	2 217	39.0	4 056	1 377	34.0	1 553	818	52.7
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 296	726	56.0	807	435	53.9	470	284	60.6
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	3 317	292	8.8	2 717	173	6.4	549	119	21.6
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	2.91	3.24	...	2.80	3.04	...	3.34	3.69	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	11 231	3 294	...	11 970	3 177	...	8 135	3 561	...

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Table 9. Metropolitan-Nonmetropolitan and Poverty Area Residence—Persons by Poverty Status in 1977, Family Status, Sex of Head, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN AND POVERTY AREA RESIDENCE	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
UNITED STATES-INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES									
ALL AREAS									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	59 626	9 203	15.4	44 556	4 762	10.7	13 627	4 254	31.2
65 YEARS AND OVER	6 699	953	14.2	5 583	638	11.4	1 021	303	29.7
IN FAMILIES	50 301	7 129	14.2	37 269	3 385	9.1	11 760	3 598	30.6
HEAD	15 360	1 925	12.5	11 817	986	8.3	3 188	892	28.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 189	149	6.8	1 843	82	4.4	318	67	21.0
WIFE OF HEAD	11 465	653	5.7	9 555	456	4.8	1 604	175	10.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	16 526	3 949	23.9	11 116	1 722	15.5	5 027	2 153	42.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	5 148	1 417	27.5	3 466	656	18.9	1 552	739	47.6
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	5 950	602	8.7	4 781	221	4.6	1 940	378	19.5
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.27	3.70	...	3.15	3.43	...	3.69	4.03	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	17 404	3 680	...	18 816	3 497	...	12 088	3 906	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	9 325	2 074	22.2	7 287	1 377	18.9	1 867	656	35.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 596	700	27.0	2 133	493	23.1	429	195	45.6
MALE	4 182	784	18.7	3 124	495	15.8	970	270	27.8
FEMALE	5 143	1 290	25.1	4 163	882	21.2	898	386	43.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 964	550	28.0	1 690	413	24.4	257	132	51.4
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	8 193	1 813	...	8 688	1 823	...	6 283	1 802	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	39 569	2 696	6.8	31 780	1 762	5.5	6 666	854	12.8
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	4 048	338	8.3	3 396	209	6.1	583	122	20.9
HEAD	12 007	708	5.9	9 919	482	4.9	1 781	203	11.4
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 801	106	5.9	1 560	72	4.6	220	33	15.1
WIFE OF HEAD	11 465	653	5.7	9 555	456	4.8	1 604	175	10.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	11 584	1 163	10.0	8 949	729	8.1	2 317	403	17.4
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	3 766	464	12.3	2 941	312	10.6	711	143	20.1
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	4 513	173	3.8	3 356	95	2.8	965	74	7.6
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.30	3.81	...	3.20	3.66	...	3.74	4.21	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	19 673	3 842	...	20 326	3 602	...	16 021	4 425	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	10 733	4 433	41.3	5 489	1 623	29.6	5 094	2 744	53.9
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	2 651	615	23.2	2 187	429	19.6	438	182	41.5
HEAD	3 353	1 217	36.3	1 897	505	26.6	1 408	689	49.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	387	43	11.1	283	10	3.4	98	33	34.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	4 942	2 786	56.4	2 167	993	45.8	2 710	1 750	64.6
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 382	953	69.0	525	345	65.7	841	596	70.9
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	2 437	429	17.6	1 425	126	8.8	976	304	31.1
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.20	3.64	...	2.89	3.22	...	3.62	3.98	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	9 279	3 585	...	10 926	3 397	...	7 113	3 753	...
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	11 340	4 132	36.4	4 733	1 312	27.7	6 435	2 755	42.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 273	389	30.6	633	156	24.7	615	228	37.1
IN FAMILIES	9 344	3 437	36.8	3 735	1 022	27.4	5 471	2 362	43.2
HEAD	2 599	865	33.3	1 116	267	23.9	1 434	578	40.3
65 YEARS AND OVER	397	79	19.8	201	24	12.0	190	55	28.7
WIFE OF HEAD	1 415	229	16.2	795	115	14.4	597	110	18.5
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	3 838	1 992	51.9	1 345	563	41.9	2 443	1 404	57.5
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 229	718	58.4	478	213	44.5	739	499	67.4
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 492	350	23.4	478	77	16.1	997	270	27.0
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.60	3.97	...	3.35	3.82	...	3.82	4.09	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	10 922	3 908	...	12 586	3 913	...	9 680	3 935	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	1 996	695	34.8	998	290	29.0	964	393	40.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	585	260	44.4	282	112	39.6	290	143	49.4
MALE	1 026	265	25.8	491	107	21.8	515	149	28.8
FEMALE	970	430	44.3	508	183	36.0	449	245	54.5
65 YEARS AND OVER	386	182	47.3	210	88	41.8	168	95	56.2
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	5 939	1 887	...	6 571	1 883	...	5 325	1 895	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	5 446	1 039	19.1	2 793	485	17.4	2 561	538	21.0
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	726	160	22.1	367	64	17.5	344	91	26.5
HEAD	1 545	253	16.4	834	118	14.2	681	129	19.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	288	47	16.3	161	22	13.4	123	25	20.5
WIFE OF HEAD	1 415	229	16.2	795	115	14.4	597	110	18.5
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 754	471	26.9	882	222	25.2	848	245	28.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	563	184	32.7	332	97	29.2	225	86	38.3
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	731	86	11.7	282	30	10.5	435	53	12.1
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.52	4.11	...	3.35	4.11	...	3.76	4.15	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	13 736	4 360	...	14 063	4 237	...	13 423	4.472	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	3 899	2 397	61.5	942	537	57.0	2 910	1 824	62.7
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	547	229	41.8	265	92	34.7	271	137	50.4
HEAD	1 053	613	58.2	282	149	52.8	753	449	59.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	109	32	29.2	40	2	(B)	68	29	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2 085	1 521	72.9	464	341	73.5	1 595	1 159	72.7
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	666	534	80.2	146	116	79.5	515	413	80.1
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	761	264	34.7	196	47	24.0	562	217	38.6
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.70	3.91	...	3.34	3.60	...	3.86	4.07	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	6 795	3 722	...	8 224	3 656	...	6 296	3 780	...

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Table 9. Metropolitan-Nonmetropolitan and Poverty Area Residence—Persons by Poverty Status in 1977, Family Status, Sex of Head, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN AND POVERTY AREA RESIDENCE	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
UNITED STATES-INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES--CONTINUED									
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	48 286	5 071	10.5	39 623	3 451	8.7	7 192	1 499	20.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	5 426	564	10.4	4 951	482	9.7	405	75	18.6
IN FAMILIES	40 957	3 692	9.0	33 534	2 363	7.0	6 289	1 236	19.7
HEAD	12 761	1 059	8.3	10 700	719	6.7	1 755	314	17.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 792	70	3.9	1 642	58	3.5	128	12	9.5
WIFE OF HEAD	10 050	424	4.2	8 761	341	3.9	1 007	64	6.4
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	12 688	1 957	15.4	9 771	1 158	11.9	2 584	749	29.0
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	3 919	699	17.8	2 988	444	14.8	813	240	29.5
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	5 458	252	4.6	4 303	144	3.4	943	108	11.4
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.21	3.49	...	3.13	3.29	...	3.58	3.93	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	18 724	3 493	...	19 466	3 343	...	14 056	3 852	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	7 329	1 379	18.8	6 289	1 087	17.3	904	263	29.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 011	441	21.9	1 851	381	20.6	139	52	37.7
MALE	3 156	519	16.4	2 633	388	14.7	454	121	26.7
FEMALE	4 173	860	20.6	3 656	700	19.1	449	142	31.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 578	367	23.3	1 479	325	22.0	88	37	42.3
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	8 807	1 775	...	9 024	1 806	...	7 305	1 662	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	34 123	1 657	4.9	28 987	1 277	4.4	4 105	317	7.7
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	3 323	178	5.4	3 029	144	4.8	239	30	12.8
HEAD	10 461	455	4.3	9 085	364	4.0	1 100	74	6.7
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 514	59	3.9	1 399	51	3.6	97	8	8.3
WIFE OF HEAD	10 050	424	4.2	8 761	341	3.9	1 007	64	6.4
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	9 830	691	7.0	8 068	506	6.3	1 469	158	10.7
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	3 203	280	8.7	2 609	215	8.2	487	57	11.6
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	3 782	87	2.3	3 074	66	2.1	530	21	4.0
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.26	3.64	...	3.19	3.51	...	3.73	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	20 550	3 553	...	20 901	3 395	...	17 629	(B)	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	6 834	2 035	29.8	4 547	1 086	23.9	2 183	919	42.1
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	2 103	387	18.4	1 922	337	17.5	167	45	26.9
HEAD	2 300	605	26.3	1 615	355	22.0	655	241	36.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	278	11	4.0	243	7	2.9	31	4	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2 858	1 266	44.3	1 703	652	38.3	1 115	592	53.0
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	716	419	58.6	379	229	60.4	326	183	56.2
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 676	165	9.9	1 229	78	6.4	413	87	21.0
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	2.97	3.37	...	2.82	3.06	...	3.33	3.82	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	10 416	3 448	...	11 398	3 289	...	8 053	3 703	...
UNITED STATES-OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES									
ALL AREAS									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	83 165	5 657	6.8	76 852	4 503	5.9	4 856	1 035	21.3
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 301	639	8.8	6 987	557	8.0	258	78	30.3
IN FAMILIES	75 658	4 348	5.7	69 971	3 367	4.8	4 358	894	20.5
HEAD	22 481	1 216	5.4	21 007	963	4.6	1 170	225	19.3
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 713	131	4.8	2 610	102	3.9	93	25	26.5
WIFE OF HEAD	19 321	566	2.9	18 246	496	2.7	732	55	7.5
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	24 591	2 259	9.2	22 248	1 691	7.6	1 831	528	28.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	6 787	730	10.8	6 077	529	8.7	545	184	33.8
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	9 264	307	3.3	8 470	216	2.6	625	86	13.8
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.37	3.58	...	3.33	3.50	...	3.73	3.97	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	21 066	3 391	...	21 424	3 385	...	15 035	3 545	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	7 507	1 308	17.4	6 882	1 136	16.5	498	140	28.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 131	418	19.6	2 033	377	18.5	81	41	50.7
MALE	3 354	466	13.9	3 006	382	12.7	264	57	21.8
FEMALE	4 154	843	20.3	3 876	755	19.5	234	83	35.4
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 713	352	20.6	1 647	320	19.4	54	32	(B)
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	8 962	1 723	...	9 092	1 748	...	7 574	1 679	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	68 072	2 383	3.5	63 670	1 995	3.1	3 170	309	9.8
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	5 029	261	5.2	4 819	218	4.5	172	41	23.8
HEAD	19 861	601	3.0	18 769	516	2.7	825	60	7.3
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 375	109	4.6	2 298	87	3.8	69	19	(B)
WIFE OF HEAD	19 321	566	2.9	18 246	496	2.7	732	55	7.5
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	21 385	1 071	5.0	19 733	870	4.4	1 179	164	13.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	6 092	341	5.6	5 609	295	5.3	328	29	8.9
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	7 504	145	1.9	6 923	112	1.6	433	30	6.8
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.43	3.97	...	3.39	3.86	...	3.84	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	22 312	3 706	...	22 520	3 643	...	18 139	(B)	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	7 586	1 965	25.9	6 300	1 372	21.8	1 188	585	49.3
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	2 272	378	16.6	2 168	339	15.6	86	37	43.3
HEAD	2 620	616	23.5	2 238	447	20.0	344	165	47.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	338	22	6.5	312	15	4.8	24	5	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	3 206	1 188	37.1	2 515	821	32.6	652	364	55.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	695	389	56.0	468	234	50.0	218	155	71.3
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 760	161	9.2	1 547	104	6.7	192	57	29.5
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	2.90	3.19	...	2.81	3.07	...	3.45	3.55	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	11 619	3 084	...	12 227	3 089	...	7 592	3 061	...

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN AND POVERTY AREA RESIDENCE	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
UNITED STATES-OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES--CONTINUED									
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	4 531	972	21.5	3 284	511	15.6	1 180	448	38.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	505	104	20.6	409	64	15.7	90	39	42.7
IN FAMILIES	4 004	808	20.2	2 903	409	14.1	1 040	387	37.2
HEAD	1 122	195	17.4	834	103	12.3	265	88	33.3
65 YEARS AND OVER	171	29	17.0	137	12	8.8	32	15	(B)
WIFE OF HEAD	874	89	10.2	713	61	8.5	145	27	18.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 532	446	29.1	1 045	217	20.8	473	223	47.2
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	467	137	29.4	332	65	19.5	132	71	53.9
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	476	77	16.2	311	29	9.3	158	48	30.2
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.57	4.13	...	3.48	3.99	...	3.92	4.37	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	13 625	3 670	...	14 727	3 870	...	10 419	3 436	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	527	164	31.2	381	102	26.7	139	61	44.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	201	62	30.8	157	45	28.7	40	17	(B)
MALE	221	50	22.4	145	25	17.2	74	25	(B)
FEMALE	306	115	37.5	236	77	32.6	65	37	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	154	55	35.3	123	40	32.6	27	14	(B)
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	6 095	1 926	...	6 651	2 028	...	4 548	(B)	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	3 295	434	13.2	2 582	261	10.1	669	167	24.9
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	317	43	13.7	262	20	7.6	54	22	(B)
HEAD	913	93	10.2	734	60	8.1	165	31	18.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	144	23	16.3	120	9	7.3	23	13	(B)
WIFE OF HEAD	874	89	10.2	713	61	8.5	145	27	18.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 151	209	18.2	883	121	13.7	258	86	33.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	353	55	15.6	292	36	12.5	58	17	(B)
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	358	42	11.8	252	19	7.7	101	23	22.7
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.61	4.67	...	3.52	(B)	...	4.05	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	15 112	4 477	...	15 577	(B)	...	13 265	(B)	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	709	374	52.7	321	148	46.1	371	220	59.2
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	188	61	32.4	147	44	30.1	36	16	(B)
HEAD	209	102	49.0	100	43	42.9	100	57	57.2
65 YEARS AND OVER	27	6	(B)	17	3	(B)	9	2	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	381	236	62.1	162	96	59.2	214	138	64.2
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	114	82	72.2	40	28	(B)	74	54	(B)
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	119	35	29.4	59	10	(B)	57	25	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.39	3.65	...	3.22	(B)	...	3.70	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	7 125	2 937	...	8 472	(B)	...	5 738	(B)	...
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	78 634	4 665	6.0	73 569	3 992	5.4	3 676	587	16.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	6 796	535	7.9	6 578	493	7.5	167	40	23.6
IN FAMILIES	71 654	3 540	4.9	67 068	2 957	4.4	3 317	508	15.3
HEAD	21 360	1 021	4.8	20 173	860	4.3	904	137	15.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 542	102	4.0	2 473	90	3.6	61	9	(B)
WIFE OF HEAD	18 447	477	2.6	17 533	436	2.5	587	28	4.7
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	23 059	1 814	7.9	21 203	1 474	7.0	1 358	305	22.4
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	6 320	593	9.4	5 745	464	8.1	413	113	27.3
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	8 768	229	2.6	8 158	188	2.3	468	39	8.3
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.35	3.47	...	3.32	3.44	...	3.67	3.71	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	21 457	3 337	...	21 700	3 328	...	16 390	3 616	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	6 980	1 144	16.4	6 501	1 034	15.9	359	79	21.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 930	356	18.4	1 876	331	17.7	41	24	(B)
MALE	3 133	416	13.3	2 861	357	12.5	190	33	17.4
FEMALE	3 847	728	18.9	3 640	678	18.6	169	46	27.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 558	297	19.1	1 524	280	18.4	27	18	(B)
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	9 178	1 694	...	9 235	1 720	...	8 749	1 626	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	64 777	1 949	3.0	61 089	1 734	2.8	2 501	142	5.7
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	4 712	218	4.6	4 557	198	4.4	118	19	16.0
HEAD	18 948	508	2.7	18 035	456	2.5	660	29	4.5
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 231	85	3.8	2 178	79	3.6	46	6	(B)
WIFE OF HEAD	18 447	477	2.6	17 533	436	2.5	587	28	4.7
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	20 234	862	4.3	18 850	749	4.0	921	79	8.5
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	5 740	286	5.0	5 318	258	4.9	269	12	4.3
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	7 147	103	1.4	6 671	93	1.4	332	7	2.0
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.42	3.84	...	3.39	3.80	...	3.79	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	22 659	3 564	...	22 803	3 548	...	19 357	(B)	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	6 877	1 591	23.1	5 979	1 224	20.5	817	366	44.8
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	2 084	317	15.2	2 021	295	14.6	50	21	(B)
HEAD	2 411	513	21.3	2 138	404	18.9	244	107	44.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	311	16	5.3	294	12	3.9	15	3	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2 825	952	33.7	2 353	725	30.8	437	226	51.7
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	580	307	52.8	428	206	48.1	143	101	70.5
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 641	127	7.7	1 488	95	6.4	135	32	23.6
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	2.85	3.10	...	2.80	3.03	...	3.35	3.40	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	12 008	3 113	...	12 402	3 079	...	8 355	3 244	...

[1] INCLUDES UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS, NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY.

Table 9. Metropolitan-Nonmetropolitan and Poverty Area Residence —Persons by Poverty Status in 1977, Family Status, Sex of Head, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN AND POVERTY AREA RESIDENCE	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
UNITED STATES-NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS									
ALL AREAS									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	71 076	9 861	13.9	63 846	7 151	11.2	6 227	2 437	39.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	8 468	1 584	18.7	7 746	1 231	15.9	651	319	49.0
IN FAMILIES	64 798	8 027	12.4	58 146	5 613	9.7	5 732	2 174	37.9
HEAD	19 374	2 170	11.2	17 706	1 590	9.0	1 448	519	35.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	3 310	430	13.0	3 010	288	9.6	268	123	45.8
WIFE OF HEAD	16 598	1 305	7.9	15 568	1 080	6.9	830	189	22.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	21 706	3 820	17.6	18 936	2 531	13.4	2 395	1 168	48.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	6 400	1 179	18.4	5 571	781	14.0	733	370	50.5
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	7 121	733	10.3	5 936	412	6.9	1 059	298	28.1
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.34	3.70	...	3.28	3.53	...	3.96	4.19	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS.	15 696	2 893	...	16 240	2 583	...	9 202	3 751	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	6 278	1 834	29.2	5 700	1 538	27.0	494	263	53.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 592	883	34.1	2 399	748	31.2	174	126	72.1
MALE	2 469	547	22.1	2 171	428	19.7	239	96	40.2
FEMALE	3 809	1 287	33.8	3 529	1 110	31.4	256	167	65.2
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 003	714	35.6	1 872	611	32.6	122	99	81.1
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	6 494	1 836	...	6 684	1 836	...	4 257	1 876	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	57 713	5 220	9.0	53 215	4 133	7.8	3 699	908	24.6
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	5 814	751	12.9	5 366	564	10.5	394	162	41.0
HEAD	17 111	1 393	8.1	16 013	1 142	7.1	923	212	22.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 872	336	11.7	2 672	243	9.1	176	79	45.1
WIFE OF HEAD	16 598	1 305	7.9	15 568	1 080	6.9	830	189	22.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	18 616	2 137	11.5	16 936	1 651	9.8	1 363	398	29.2
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	5 585	637	11.4	5 068	491	9.7	430	125	29.0
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	5 388	386	7.2	4 698	260	5.5	583	110	18.9
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.37	3.75	...	3.32	3.62	...	4.01	4.29	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS.	16 646	2 779	...	16 975	2 466	...	10 950	4 240	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	7 085	2 807	39.6	4 931	1 479	30.0	2 033	1 266	62.3
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	2 654	833	31.4	2 380	667	28.0	257	157	61.2
HEAD	2 263	777	34.3	1 693	449	26.5	525	308	58.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	439	94	21.5	338	45	13.3	92	43	47.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	3 090	1 683	54.5	2 000	879	44.0	1 032	771	74.7
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	815	542	66.5	503	289	57.5	303	245	81.0
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 733	347	20.0	1 238	151	12.2	476	188	39.4
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.13	3.61	...	2.91	3.30	...	3.87	4.12	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS.	8 504	3 096	...	9 279	2 881	...	6 129	3 414	...
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	24 449	5 236	21.4	19 562	3 115	15.9	4 381	1 904	43.5
65 YEARS AND OVER	3 246	876	27.0	2 712	598	22.0	500	257	51.3
IN FAMILIES	22 324	4 428	19.8	17 820	2 519	14.1	4 029	1 705	42.3
HEAD	6 614	1 163	17.6	5 491	701	12.8	1 012	411	40.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 320	283	21.5	1 085	164	15.1	210	103	49.0
WIFE OF HEAD	5 533	701	12.7	4 877	526	10.8	576	150	26.0
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	7 494	2 080	27.8	5 627	1 086	19.3	1 645	884	53.7
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	2 286	621	27.2	1 723	308	17.9	517	288	55.6
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	2 684	484	18.0	1 825	207	11.3	797	260	32.7
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.38	3.61	...	3.25	3.60	...	3.98	4.15	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS.	13 259	3 046	...	14 261	2 614	...	8 324	3 694	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	2 124	807	38.0	1 743	595	34.2	351	199	56.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	935	426	45.5	805	331	41.1	127	92	72.6
MALE	828	258	31.1	630	167	26.5	175	83	47.8
FEMALE	1 296	549	42.4	1 113	428	38.5	176	116	65.7
65 YEARS AND OVER	734	343	46.7	643	270	41.9	88	71	80.2
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	5 577	1 865	...	5 942	1 867	...	3 743	1 867	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	19 304	2 877	14.9	16 325	2 014	12.3	2 583	710	27.5
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	2 215	451	20.4	1 887	303	16.0	304	133	43.7
HEAD	5 725	758	13.2	5 007	553	11.0	635	169	26.7
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 111	216	19.4	959	140	14.6	134	63	47.1
WIFE OF HEAD	5 533	701	12.7	4 877	526	10.8	576	150	26.0
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	6 137	1 177	19.2	5 036	799	15.9	921	296	32.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 902	334	17.6	1 568	217	13.8	296	97	32.9
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 909	242	12.7	1 405	135	9.6	451	95	21.1
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.37	3.80	...	3.26	3.64	...	4.07	4.19	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS.	14 207	2 987	...	14 807	2 574	...	10 017	4 131	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	3 020	1 551	51.4	1 494	505	33.8	1 447	995	68.8
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	1 031	425	41.2	825	295	35.7	196	123	63.0
HEAD	888	406	45.7	483	148	30.6	377	241	64.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	209	67	32.4	127	24	18.7	75	40	52.5
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 357	904	66.6	591	287	48.5	724	588	81.2
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	384	287	74.7	155	91	58.5	222	190	85.9
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	775	242	31.2	420	71	16.9	346	165	47.8
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.40	3.82	...	3.09	3.42	...	3.84	4.12	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS.	7 152	3 156	...	8 607	2 764	...	5 472	3 388	...

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN AND POVERTY AREA RESIDENCE	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
UNITED STATES-NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS--CONTINUED									
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	46 628	4 625	9.9	44 283	4 036	9.1	1 846	532	28.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	5 223	708	13.5	5 034	633	12.6	151	62	41.4
IN FAMILIES	42 474	3 599	8.5	40 326	3 093	7.7	1 703	469	27.6
HEAD	12 760	1 006	7.9	12 216	890	7.3	436	108	24.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 990	147	7.4	1 925	125	6.5	58	20	(B)
WIFE OF HEAD	11 065	603	5.5	10 691	554	5.2	254	39	15.3
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	14 212	1 740	12.2	13 309	1 445	10.9	750	284	37.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	4 114	558	13.6	3 848	473	12.3	216	82	38.2
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	4 437	249	5.6	4 111	205	5.0	263	38	14.3
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.33	3.58	...	3.30	3.48	...	3.90	4.33	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	16 958	2 715	...	17 129	2 559	...	11 238	3 964	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	4 154	1 026	24.7	3 957	943	23.8	143	63	44.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 657	457	27.6	1 594	417	26.2	47	33	(B)
MALE	1 641	289	17.6	1 541	261	16.9	64	13	(B)
FEMALE	2 513	737	29.3	2 416	681	28.2	79	51	63.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 269	371	29.2	1 229	341	27.8	34	29	(B)
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	6 963	1 813	...	7 011	1 816	...	5 518	(B)	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	38 408	2 343	6.1	36 889	2 119	5.7	1 116	198	17.8
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	3 599	300	8.3	3 479	261	7.5	90	29	31.8
HEAD	11 386	636	5.6	11 006	589	5.4	288	42	14.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 760	120	6.8	1 713	103	6.0	41	16	(B)
WIFE OF HEAD	11 065	603	5.5	10 691	554	5.2	254	39	15.3
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	12 479	960	7.7	11 900	852	7.2	442	102	23.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	3 683	303	8.2	3 500	275	7.8	135	27	20.4
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	3 479	144	4.1	3 292	125	3.8	132	15	11.5
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.37	3.69	...	3.35	3.60	...	3.88	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	17 873	2 531	...	17 962	2 365	...	13 008	(B)	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	4 065	1 256	30.9	3 437	974	28.3	586	271	46.2
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	1 623	408	25.1	1 555	372	23.9	61	34	(B)
HEAD	1 374	371	27.0	1 210	301	24.9	148	66	44.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	230	27	11.6	212	21	10.1	17	4	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 733	780	45.0	1 409	593	42.1	307	182	59.3
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	431	255	59.2	348	198	57.0	81	55	67.7
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	958	105	11.0	819	80	9.8	131	22	17.1
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	2.96	3.39	...	2.84	3.24	...	3.96	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	9 379	3 030	...	9 548	2 939	...	7 799	(B)	...
SOUTH-TOTAL									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	69 148	10 249	14.8	55 406	5 735	10.3	13 162	4 383	33.3
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 418	1 563	21.1	6 234	1 040	16.7	1 161	507	43.7
IN FAMILIES	62 375	8 373	13.4	50 017	4 433	8.9	11 845	3 884	32.5
HEAD	18 724	2 226	11.9	15 521	1 248	8.0	3 067	942	30.7
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 854	430	15.1	2 396	247	10.3	448	172	38.4
WIFE OF HEAD	15 534	1 157	7.4	13 633	856	6.3	1 770	292	16.5
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	20 667	4 143	20.0	15 498	1 987	12.8	4 949	2 109	42.6
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	6 242	1 378	22.1	4 626	637	13.8	1 552	728	46.9
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	7 450	847	11.4	5 365	341	6.4	2 059	501	24.3
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.33	3.76	...	3.22	3.55	...	3.86	4.08	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	16 918	3 282	...	18 151	3 079	...	10 821	3 568	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	6 773	1 876	27.7	5 389	1 302	24.2	1 317	539	41.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 222	872	39.2	1 841	635	34.5	373	232	62.2
MALE	2 889	608	21.0	2 171	384	17.7	671	199	29.6
FEMALE	3 884	1 268	32.6	3 218	918	28.5	646	341	52.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 767	698	39.5	1 517	527	34.7	241	166	69.0
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	7 548	1 799	...	8 087	1 802	...	5 459	1 816	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	53 677	4 748	8.8	45 514	3 258	7.2	7 702	1 425	18.5
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	4 972	743	14.9	4 256	480	11.3	701	253	36.0
HEAD	16 019	1 247	7.8	13 963	896	6.4	1 944	328	16.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 413	331	13.7	2 109	215	10.2	293	105	35.8
WIFE OF HEAD	15 534	1 157	7.4	13 633	856	6.3	1 770	292	16.5
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	16 809	1 965	11.7	13 784	1 303	9.5	2 829	634	22.4
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	5 148	618	12.0	4 224	417	9.9	870	198	22.7
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	5 315	379	7.1	4 134	203	4.9	1 159	171	14.7
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.35	3.81	...	3.26	3.64	...	3.96	4.34	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	18 240	3 523	...	18 937	3 243	...	13 383	4 323	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	8 698	3 626	41.7	4 504	1 175	26.1	4 143	2 419	58.4
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	2 446	820	33.5	1 978	561	28.4	459	255	55.5
HEAD	2 705	980	36.2	1 558	353	22.6	1 123	614	54.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	441	99	22.3	287	32	11.0	155	67	43.4
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	3 858	2 178	56.5	1 714	685	39.9	2 120	1 475	69.6
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 094	760	69.5	402	221	54.9	682	530	77.8
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	2 134	468	21.9	1 231	138	11.2	900	330	36.7
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.22	3.70	...	2.89	3.33	...	3.69	3.94	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	9 088	2 975	...	11 104	2 661	...	6 388	3 164	...

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN AND POVERTY AREA RESIDENCE	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
SOUTH-METROPOLITAN AREAS									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	38 128	4 694	12.3	30 155	2 501	8.3	7 549	2 134	28.3
65 YEARS AND OVER	3 663	638	17.4	3 095	426	13.8	556	208	37.4
IN FAMILIES	33 814	3 675	10.9	26 775	1 814	6.8	6 659	1 826	27.4
HEAD	10 203	1 000	9.8	8 335	526	6.3	1 771	459	25.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 322	138	10.4	1 124	82	7.3	196	54	27.6
WIFE OF HEAD	8 371	455	5.4	7 260	335	4.6	1 012	115	11.3
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	11 140	1 867	16.8	8 175	815	10.0	2 803	1 039	37.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	3 401	697	20.5	2 450	302	12.3	896	387	43.2
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	4 100	353	8.6	3 005	137	4.6	1 072	213	19.9
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.31	3.67	...	3.21	3.45	...	3.76	3.98	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	19 013	3 279	...	20 489	3 176	...	12 188	3 404	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	4 315	1 020	23.6	3 380	686	20.3	891	308	34.5
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 170	408	34.9	947	286	30.2	217	120	55.2
MALE	1 957	354	18.1	1 469	226	15.4	460	107	23.3
FEMALE	2 358	666	28.2	1 910	460	24.1	430	200	46.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	929	318	34.3	788	235	29.9	134	81	60.3
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	8 347	1 747	...	8 959	1 756	...	6 198	1 764	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	28 947	1 873	6.5	24 250	1 278	5.3	4 337	570	13.2
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	2 409	283	11.8	2 070	185	8.9	332	97	29.2
HEAD	8 638	489	5.7	7 434	351	4.7	1 120	128	11.5
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 121	108	9.7	989	76	7.7	131	30	23.3
WIFE OF HEAD	8 371	455	5.4	7 260	335	4.6	1 012	115	11.3
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	8 981	774	8.6	7 238	503	6.9	1 588	263	16.5
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	2 773	275	9.9	2 242	192	8.6	482	79	16.4
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	2 956	156	5.3	2 318	89	3.8	618	65	10.5
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.35	3.83	...	3.26	3.64	...	3.87	4.45	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	20 630	3 734	...	21 446	3 465	...	15 392	4 477	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	4 867	1 802	37.0	2 525	536	21.2	2 321	1 256	54.1
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	1 255	355	28.3	1 024	242	23.6	224	111	49.7
HEAD	1 564	512	32.7	901	175	19.4	652	331	50.7
65 YEARS AND OVER	201	29	14.6	135	6	4.2	66	24	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2 159	1 093	50.6	937	312	33.3	1 215	777	63.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	628	422	67.3	209	110	52.9	414	308	74.4
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 144	197	17.2	686	49	7.1	454	148	32.7
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.11	3.52	...	2.80	3.06	...	3.56	3.80	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	10 084	2 844	...	12 599	2 598	...	6 686	2 988	...
SOUTH-INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	17 377	2 815	16.2	12 138	1 235	10.2	5 095	1 553	30.5
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 793	368	20.5	1 390	219	15.7	401	147	36.6
IN FAMILIES	14 905	2 203	14.8	10 354	872	8.4	4 424	1 313	29.7
HEAD	4 531	595	13.1	3 294	251	7.6	1 197	335	28.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	611	67	11.0	473	36	7.6	138	31	22.7
WIFE OF HEAD	3 465	240	6.9	2 791	160	5.7	644	78	12.2
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	4 919	1 146	23.3	3 014	387	12.9	1 855	750	40.4
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 570	439	28.0	971	147	15.1	578	286	49.4
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 990	223	11.2	1 256	73	5.8	728	149	20.5
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.29	3.70	...	3.14	3.47	...	3.70	3.92	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	17 959	3 276	...	20 384	3 149	...	11 374	3 373	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	2 471	612	24.8	1 784	363	20.3	671	241	35.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	649	253	39.0	480	158	32.8	166	93	56.0
MALE	1 108	207	18.7	756	117	15.4	345	85	24.7
FEMALE	1 363	404	29.7	1 028	246	23.9	326	155	47.7
65 YEARS AND OVER	496	188	37.9	395	128	32.3	99	58	58.7
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	8 218	1 712	...	9 127	1 681	...	5 834	1 768	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	11 882	978	8.2	9 106	606	6.7	2 660	363	13.7
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	1 099	154	14.0	868	91	10.5	231	63	27.5
HEAD	3 599	260	7.2	2 862	170	5.9	703	87	12.3
65 YEARS AND OVER	494	49	9.8	405	36	8.9	89	13	14.3
WIFE OF HEAD	3 465	240	6.9	2 791	160	5.7	644	78	12.2
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	3 566	391	11.0	2 580	230	8.9	939	157	16.7
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 160	155	13.3	865	94	10.8	278	59	21.0
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 251	87	7.0	873	46	5.3	373	41	11.0
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.30	3.76	...	3.18	3.56	...	3.78	4.19	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	20 167	3 749	...	21 558	3 458	...	14 636	4 268	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	3 024	1 226	40.5	1 248	266	21.3	1 764	949	53.8
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	694	213	30.7	522	128	24.5	170	83	49.0
HEAD	931	335	36.0	432	81	18.7	494	249	50.4
65 YEARS AND OVER	117	19	15.9	68	-	(B)	49	19	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 353	755	55.6	433	158	36.4	915	593	64.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	410	285	69.5	106	53	50.3	300	227	75.8
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	739	135	18.3	382	27	7.1	355	108	30.4
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.25	3.66	...	2.89	3.28	...	3.57	3.82	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	9 429	2 909	...	12 612	2 500	...	6 724	3 061	...

[1]INCLUDES UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS, NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY.

Table 9. Metropolitan-Nonmetropolitan and Poverty Area Residence—Persons by Poverty Status in 1977, Family Status, Sex of Head, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN AND POVERTY AREA RESIDENCE	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
SOUTH-OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	20 751	1 879	9.1	18 017	1 266	7.0	2 454	580	23.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 870	271	14.5	1 705	208	12.2	156	62	39.6
IN FAMILIES	18 908	1 471	7.8	16 421	942	5.7	2 234	513	23.0
HEAD	5 672	405	7.1	5 041	275	5.5	575	124	21.5
65 YEARS AND OVER	711	70	9.9	651	46	7.1	59	23	(B)
WIFE OF HEAD	4 906	215	4.4	4 469	175	3.9	368	36	9.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	6 220	721	11.6	5 162	428	8.3	948	289	30.5
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 831	258	14.1	1 479	156	10.5	318	101	31.8
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	2 110	130	6.2	1 749	64	3.7	344	64	18.6
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.33	3.63	...	3.26	3.42	...	3.89	4.15	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	19 855	3 283	...	20 557	3 202	...	13 885	3 488	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	1 843	408	22.1	1 596	323	20.3	220	67	30.4
65 YEARS AND OVER	521	155	29.8	466	129	27.6	50	26	(B)
MALE	849	146	17.3	713	110	15.4	116	22	19.1
FEMALE	995	261	26.3	882	214	24.2	104	45	43.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	432	131	30.2	393	108	27.4	35	23	(B)
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	8 521	1 800	...	8 771	1 840	...	7 311	(B)	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	17 065	895	5.2	15 144	672	4.4	1 678	207	12.3
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	1 310	129	9.8	1 202	94	7.8	102	34	33.2
HEAD	5 039	228	4.5	4 572	181	4.0	416	42	10.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	627	60	9.5	584	40	6.9	42	18	(B)
WIFE OF HEAD	4 906	215	4.4	4 469	175	3.9	368	36	9.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	5 415	383	7.1	4 658	273	5.9	648	105	16.3
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 613	120	7.4	1 376	98	7.1	204	21	10.1
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 705	69	4.0	1 445	43	3.0	245	24	9.7
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.39	3.92	...	3.31	3.71	...	4.03	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	20 961	3 717	...	21 375	3 472	...	16 670	(B)	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	1 843	576	31.3	1 277	270	21.1	557	306	55.0
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	561	142	25.3	503	114	22.7	54	28	(B)
HEAD	633	176	27.9	469	94	20.1	158	82	51.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	84	11	12.8	67	6	(B)	17	5	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	806	338	42.0	504	154	30.6	300	184	61.3
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	218	138	63.2	103	57	55.5	114	81	70.5
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	405	62	15.3	304	21	7.0	99	40	40.9
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	2.91	3.27	...	2.72	2.86	...	3.52	3.73	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	11 049	2 722	...	12 587	2 683	...	6 567	2 767	...
SOUTH-NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS									
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	31 020	5 555	17.9	25 252	3 234	12.8	5 613	2 250	40.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	3 755	925	24.6	3 139	614	19.6	604	299	49.5
IN FAMILIES	28 561	4 699	16.5	23 242	2 618	11.3	5 186	2 018	38.9
HEAD	8 521	1 226	14.4	7 186	722	10.0	1 296	483	37.3
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 532	292	19.1	1 272	165	13.0	252	118	46.9
WIFE OF HEAD	7 163	702	9.8	6 373	521	8.2	758	177	23.4
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	9 527	2 276	23.9	7 323	1 172	16.0	2 146	1 070	49.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	2 841	681	24.0	2 176	335	15.4	655	341	52.1
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	3 350	494	14.7	2 361	204	8.6	986	287	29.1
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.35	3.83	...	3.23	3.63	...	4.00	4.18	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	14 410	3 285	...	15 438	3 007	...	8 953	3 723	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	2 459	856	34.8	2 009	616	30.6	427	232	54.4
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 052	464	44.1	894	349	39.1	156	112	71.9
MALE	932	254	27.2	702	157	22.4	211	92	43.4
FEMALE	1 526	602	39.5	1 307	458	35.1	215	140	65.2
65 YEARS AND OVER	839	380	45.3	729	292	40.0	107	86	79.9
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	6 144	1 861	...	6 621	1 854	...	3 915	1 886	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	24 730	2 875	11.6	21 263	1 980	9.3	3 364	855	25.4
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	2 564	460	17.9	2 186	295	13.5	369	156	42.2
HEAD	7 381	758	10.3	6 529	545	8.3	824	200	24.3
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 292	223	17.2	1 120	139	12.4	163	75	45.9
WIFE OF HEAD	7 163	702	9.8	6 373	521	8.2	758	177	23.4
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	7 827	1 191	15.2	6 546	800	12.2	1 241	372	30.0
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	2 375	343	14.4	1 982	224	11.3	387	119	30.6
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	2 359	223	9.5	1 816	115	6.3	541	106	19.6
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.35	3.79	...	3.26	3.63	...	4.08	4.28	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	15 443	3 387	...	16 081	3 100	...	10 655	4 224	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	3 831	1 824	47.6	1 979	639	32.3	1 822	1 163	63.8
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	1 191	465	39.0	953	319	33.5	235	144	61.0
HEAD	1 140	468	41.0	657	177	27.0	471	283	60.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	241	69	28.8	152	26	17.1	89	43	48.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 700	1 085	63.8	777	372	47.9	905	698	77.2
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	466	338	72.4	194	110	57.0	268	223	83.1
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	991	271	27.3	545	89	16.3	446	182	40.8
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.36	3.90	...	3.01	3.60	...	3.87	4.11	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	7 721	3 118	...	9 054	2 723	...	5 975	3 369	...

[1] INCLUDES UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS, NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY.

Table 10. Ten Federal Regions—Persons and Families by Poverty Status in 1977, Race, and Spanish Origin

(Numbers in thousands. Persons and families as of March 1978. For a list of States contained in each region, see page 201. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Federal regions	Persons						Families					
	Total		Below poverty level		Poverty rate		Total		Below poverty level		Poverty rate	
	Number	Standard error	Number	Standard error	Percent	Standard error	Number	Standard error	Number	Standard error	Percent	Standard error
ALL RACES												
I Boston	11,945	1,127	1,059	232	8.9	1.0	3,171	259	222	29	7.0	0.7
II New York	24,978	1,551	2,705	386	10.8	0.8	6,596	358	567	48	8.6	0.6
III Philadelphia	24,293	1,653	2,392	393	9.8	0.9	6,427	388	506	52	7.9	0.7
IV Atlanta	35,590	1,531	5,775	589	16.2	0.9	9,706	381	1,264	81	13.0	0.7
V Chicago	44,270	2,215	4,005	474	9.0	0.6	11,867	519	844	62	7.1	0.4
VI Dallas-Fort Worth	22,395	1,400	3,503	522	15.6	1.3	6,068	347	760	71	12.5	0.9
VII Kansas City	11,394	1,235	1,390	357	12.2	1.7	3,095	300	306	48	9.9	1.2
VIII Denver	6,338	1,426	668	359	10.5	3.1	1,646	330	140	47	8.5	2.3
IX San Francisco	25,321	1,810	2,482	418	9.8	0.9	6,669	420	535	54	8.0	0.6
X Seattle	7,342	1,358	741	321	10.1	2.3	1,961	319	161	42	8.2	1.7
WHITE												
I Boston	11,425	1,078	925	207	8.1	1.0	3,044	249	192	26	6.3	0.7
II New York	21,659	1,349	1,898	287	8.8	0.8	5,823	319	410	39	7.0	0.5
III Philadelphia	20,705	1,415	1,549	277	7.5	0.9	5,573	341	323	40	5.8	0.6
IV Atlanta	27,821	1,210	2,958	349	10.6	0.9	7,945	321	669	55	8.4	0.6
V Chicago	39,786	1,995	2,714	345	6.8	0.5	10,804	476	576	49	5.3	0.4
VI Dallas-Fort Worth	18,847	1,187	2,270	369	12.0	1.2	5,206	304	481	54	9.2	0.9
VII Kansas City	10,519	1,143	1,062	286	10.1	1.6	2,909	283	237	41	8.1	1.1
VIII Denver	6,075	1,369	598	328	9.8	3.1	1,588	319	126	44	7.9	2.3
IX San Francisco	21,518	1,544	1,807	321	8.4	0.9	5,759	367	379	44	6.6	0.6
X Seattle	6,899	1,278	634	281	9.2	2.2	1,878	306	144	39	7.7	1.7
BLACK												
I Boston	458	59	119	47	26.0	7.7	113	19	27	8	23.9	6.3
II New York	2,966	210	785	146	26.5	3.2	695	56	154	22	22.2	2.6
III Philadelphia	3,367	262	814	173	24.2	3.5	805	71	174	28	21.6	2.9
IV Atlanta	7,585	372	2,771	332	36.5	2.6	1,718	99	580	50	33.8	2.2
V Chicago	4,128	244	1,273	196	30.8	3.1	976	68	264	31	27.0	2.5
VI Dallas-Fort Worth	3,183	242	1,088	217	34.2	4.4	772	72	240	36	31.1	3.6
VII Kansas City	794	113	308	116	38.8	9.4	172	33	62	19	36.0	8.3
VIII Denver	82	41	11	27	13.0	29.8	26	18	4	7	(B)	(B)
IX San Francisco	1,987	173	499	125	25.1	4.5	491	51	116	22	23.6	3.7
X Seattle	159	50	59	54	36.9	24.7	33	16	9	8	(B)	(B)
SPANISH ORIGIN[1]												
I Boston	237	36	105	43	44.1	12.1	53	12	21	7	(B)	(B)
II New York	1,958	147	669	130	34.2	4.2	486	44	168	23	34.6	3.5
III Philadelphia	278	43	53	35	18.9	11.1	60	16	15	8	(B)	(B)
IV Atlanta	854	76	157	59	18.4	6.1	201	28	34	11	16.9	5.1
V Chicago	843	74	131	50	15.5	5.3	191	26	31	10	16.2	4.7
VI Dallas-Fort Worth	3,157	240	824	180	26.1	4.1	698	67	164	29	23.5	3.5
VII Kansas City	191	43	18	23	9.4	11.5	42	15	3	4	(B)	(B)
VIII Denver	321	101	60	68	18.7	17.5	71	31	13	12	(B)	(B)
IX San Francisco	4,036	319	662	151	16.4	2.7	931	80	136	24	14.6	2.2
X Seattle	171	52	21	31	12.4	16.3	32	16	5	6	(B)	(B)

[1]Persons of Spanish origin may be of any race.

Table 11. Age and Sex—Persons by Poverty Status in 1977, Sex of Head, Family Relationship, Race, and Spanish Origin

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

AGE AND SEX	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK			SPANISH ORIGIN[1]		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
ALL PERSONS												
BOTH SEXES												
TOTAL	213 867	24 720	11.6	185 254	16 416	8.9	24 710	7 726	31.3	12 046	2 700	22.4
UNDER 14 YEARS	46 605	7 856	16.9	38 653	4 708	12.2	6 969	2 964	42.5	3 985	1 132	28.4
14 TO 17 YEARS	16 532	2 372	14.3	13 910	1 389	10.0	2 327	924	39.7	1 043	290	27.8
18 TO 21 YEARS	16 282	1 974	12.1	13 895	1 293	9.3	2 077	638	30.7	968	188	19.4
22 TO 24 YEARS	11 429	1 223	10.7	9 828	842	8.6	1 377	354	25.7	711	122	17.2
25 TO 34 YEARS	33 120	2 702	8.2	28 831	1 925	6.7	3 517	672	19.1	1 900	372	19.6
35 TO 44 YEARS	23 851	1 855	7.8	20 865	1 244	6.0	2 503	562	22.4	1 330	195	14.7
45 TO 54 YEARS	23 071	1 672	7.2	20 425	1 199	5.9	2 273	441	19.4	1 012	179	17.7
55 TO 59 YEARS	11 031	944	8.6	9 950	664	6.7	945	262	27.8	353	64	18.2
60 TO 64 YEARS	9 478	946	10.0	8 580	726	8.5	791	208	26.3	226	44	19.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	22 468	3 177	14.1	20 316	2 426	11.9	1 930	701	36.3	518	113	21.9
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS	29.9	22.4	...	30.7	24.9	...	24.1	17.9	...	22.1	17.0	...
MALE												
TOTAL	103 629	10 340	10.0	90 182	6 916	7.7	11 556	3 120	27.0	5 850	1 197	20.5
UNDER 14 YEARS	23 766	3 992	16.8	19 774	2 419	12.2	3 499	1 470	42.0	2 001	572	28.6
14 TO 17 YEARS	8 399	1 163	13.8	7 046	700	9.9	1 163	430	37.0	550	149	27.1
18 TO 21 YEARS	7 947	769	9.7	6 836	499	7.3	952	243	25.5	439	69	15.7
22 TO 24 YEARS	5 595	462	8.3	4 866	343	7.1	633	104	16.4	354	43	12.1
25 TO 34 YEARS	16 263	930	5.7	14 333	714	5.0	1 565	175	11.2	884	135	15.3
35 TO 44 YEARS	11 566	694	6.0	10 242	510	5.0	1 089	156	14.4	648	66	10.1
45 TO 54 YEARS	11 154	666	6.0	9 933	514	5.2	1 058	140	13.3	468	71	15.1
55 TO 59 YEARS	5 239	338	6.5	4 754	243	5.1	414	88	21.3	172	25	14.7
60 TO 64 YEARS	4 530	364	8.0	4 107	288	7.0	365	70	19.3	101	12	11.9
65 YEARS AND OVER	9 170	961	10.5	8 249	686	8.3	819	243	29.7	232	55	23.7
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS	28.8	18.1	...	29.6	20.7	...	22.8	14.8	...	21.4	14.7	...
FEMALE												
TOTAL	110 238	14 381	13.0	95 073	9 500	10.0	13 154	4 606	35.0	6 196	1 504	24.3
UNDER 14 YEARS	22 839	3 864	16.9	18 879	2 290	12.1	3 469	1 494	43.1	1 984	561	28.3
14 TO 17 YEARS	8 133	1 209	14.9	6 824	689	10.1	1 164	494	42.4	493	141	28.6
18 TO 21 YEARS	8 335	1 205	14.5	7 059	794	11.2	1 125	395	35.1	529	119	22.4
22 TO 24 YEARS	5 834	761	13.0	4 962	498	10.0	744	250	33.6	357	80	22.3
25 TO 34 YEARS	16 857	1 772	10.5	14 498	1 211	8.4	1 952	497	25.5	1 015	237	23.3
35 TO 44 YEARS	12 285	1 161	9.5	10 623	735	6.9	1 414	405	26.7	682	129	18.9
45 TO 54 YEARS	11 917	1 005	8.4	10 492	685	6.5	1 215	300	24.7	544	108	19.9
55 TO 59 YEARS	5 792	605	10.4	5 196	422	8.1	531	174	32.8	181	39	21.4
60 TO 64 YEARS	4 948	582	11.8	4 473	438	9.8	426	138	32.4	125	32	25.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	13 298	2 216	16.7	12 067	1 739	14.4	1 111	457	41.2	286	58	20.4
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS	30.9	25.9	...	31.8	29.0	...	25.4	21.2	...	22.8	19.7	...
HEAD OF FAMILY												
TOTAL	57 215	5 311	9.3	50 530	3 540	7.0	5 806	1 637	28.2	2 764	591	21.4
14 TO 17 YEARS	39	31	(B)	31	23	(B)	8	8	(B)	7	6	(B)
18 TO 21 YEARS	1 165	311	26.7	982	205	20.9	171	102	59.6	100	31	31.3
22 TO 24 YEARS	2 647	407	15.4	2 228	234	10.5	390	169	43.3	203	38	18.5
25 TO 34 YEARS	13 432	1 430	10.6	11 668	979	8.4	1 501	412	27.4	850	229	27.0
35 TO 44 YEARS	11 528	1 107	9.6	10 033	718	7.2	1 264	355	28.1	651	114	17.5
45 TO 54 YEARS	10 888	698	6.4	9 720	486	5.0	1 012	196	19.4	499	96	19.3
55 TO 59 YEARS	5 094	322	6.3	4 611	210	4.6	417	105	25.3	167	28	16.8
60 TO 64 YEARS	4 211	294	7.0	3 792	211	5.6	366	77	21.0	92	13	14.6
65 YEARS AND OVER	8 212	710	8.6	7 463	472	6.3	679	214	31.5	195	35	18.1
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS	44.8	39.3	...	45.3	39.6	...	41.6	38.6	...	38.4	34.6	...
WIFE OF HEAD												
TOTAL	47 365	2 524	5.3	43 369	2 033	4.7	3 166	419	13.2	2 155	284	13.2
14 TO 17 YEARS	129	26	20.5	121	23	19.0	6	3	(B)	11	3	(B)
18 TO 21 YEARS	1 919	147	7.7	1 771	125	7.1	122	21	17.0	143	23	15.9
22 TO 24 YEARS	2 947	172	5.8	2 726	162	5.9	180	10	5.7	201	31	15.5
25 TO 34 YEARS	11 908	601	5.0	10 759	483	4.5	842	81	9.6	687	87	12.7
35 TO 44 YEARS	9 410	430	4.6	8 507	333	3.9	702	85	12.1	495	65	13.0
45 TO 54 YEARS	9 055	402	4.4	8 307	334	4.0	590	59	10.1	354	40	11.3
55 TO 59 YEARS	4 058	217	5.4	3 779	174	4.6	237	36	15.3	110	16	14.4
60 TO 64 YEARS	3 115	165	5.3	2 893	118	4.1	192	43	22.5	68	10	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	4 824	364	7.5	4 507	281	6.2	295	79	26.9	86	10	11.4
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS	42.2	42.4	...	42.4	41.7	...	41.2	46.5	...	35.7	34.7	...
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS												
TOTAL	62 823	10 028	16.0	52 299	5 943	11.4	9 253	3 850	41.6	5 000	1 402	28.0
UNDER 3 YEARS	9 197	1 693	18.4	7 610	989	13.0	1 424	666	46.8	948	268	28.3
3 TO 5 YEARS	9 138	1 634	17.9	7 504	977	13.0	1 406	627	44.6	854	268	31.4
6 TO 13 YEARS	28 270	4 529	16.0	23 538	2 743	11.7	4 138	1 671	40.4	2 183	596	27.3
14 AND 15 YEARS	8 123	1 140	14.0	6 836	656	9.6	1 145	458	40.0	514	143	27.8
16 AND 17 YEARS	8 095	1 032	12.7	6 811	579	8.5	1 140	427	37.5	501	128	25.4
5 TO 17 YEARS	47 615	7 249	15.2	39 745	4 290	10.8	6 913	2 782	40.2	3 478	961	27.6

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Table 11. Age and Sex—Persons by Poverty Status in 1977, Sex of Head, Family Relationship, Race, and Spanish Origin—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

AGE AND SEX	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK			SPANISH ORIGIN[1]		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
ALL PERSONS--CONTINUED												
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS												
TOTAL	23 335	1 641	7.0	19 187	849	4.4	3 625	762	21.0	1 330	185	13.9
18 TO 21 YEARS	11 537	952	8.3	9 665	477	4.9	1 653	461	27.9	636	106	16.6
22 TO 24 YEARS	3 509	172	4.9	2 873	80	2.8	552	86	15.5	196	25	12.7
25 TO 34 YEARS	3 237	193	6.0	2 513	97	3.8	631	93	14.7	172	18	10.6
35 TO 44 YEARS	1 078	77	7.1	868	42	4.8	192	35	18.2	74	2	(B)
45 TO 54 YEARS	1 017	95	9.3	771	64	8.2	226	28	12.2	70	16	(B)
55 TO 59 YEARS	407	38	9.3	343	25	7.4	51	12	(B)	36	8	(B)
60 TO 64 YEARS	437	12	2.8	374	9	2.5	47	3	(B)	32	4	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	2 114	102	4.8	1 780	56	3.1	272	45	16.5	113	6	5.3
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS	22.1	21.4	...	22.0	21.6	...	22.9	21.3	...	22.4	21.5	...
ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
TOTAL	23 110	5 216	22.6	19 869	4 051	20.4	2 860	1 059	37.0	797	237	29.8
14 TO 17 YEARS	147	142	96.5	112	108	96.6	29	28	(B)	10	10	(B)
18 TO 21 YEARS	1 662	564	33.9	1 477	486	32.9	132	55	41.5	89	28	31.5
22 TO 24 YEARS	2 306	472	20.4	2 001	366	18.3	255	89	34.9	111	29	26.0
25 TO 34 YEARS	4 544	478	10.5	3 892	366	9.4	542	86	15.9	190	37	19.5
35 TO 44 YEARS	1 834	241	13.1	1 457	152	10.4	346	87	25.1	109	15	13.5
45 TO 54 YEARS	2 111	477	22.6	1 627	315	19.3	445	158	35.5	89	27	30.7
55 TO 59 YEARS	1 472	366	24.9	1 217	255	21.0	240	109	45.3	40	12	(B)
60 TO 64 YEARS	1 715	475	27.7	1 521	387	25.5	187	86	45.8	34	17	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 319	2 001	27.3	6 566	1 617	24.6	684	362	53.0	124	62	50.3
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS	50.0	58.2	...	51.1	59.6	...	47.8	56.2	...	34.9	44.6	...
MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
TOTAL	10 005	1 796	18.0	8 300	1 305	15.7	1 473	423	28.8	439	111	25.2
14 TO 17 YEARS	66	64	(B)	48	46	(B)	12	12	(B)	5	5	(B)
18 TO 21 YEARS	775	227	29.2	705	196	27.7	39	16	(B)	49	17	(B)
22 TO 24 YEARS	1 243	249	19.2	1 112	189	17.0	151	48	31.9	69	16	(B)
25 TO 34 YEARS	2 896	290	10.0	2 452	213	8.7	363	60	16.5	133	21	16.1
35 TO 44 YEARS	1 201	146	12.2	936	82	8.7	251	63	25.2	70	8	(B)
45 TO 54 YEARS	1 067	210	19.6	818	146	17.8	221	60	27.2	46	15	(B)
55 TO 59 YEARS	545	109	20.0	431	68	15.7	107	42	39.0	15	2	(B)
60 TO 64 YEARS	523	117	22.3	442	93	21.0	78	24	30.4	7	2	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 639	386	23.5	1 357	273	20.1	251	99	39.4	44	24	(B)
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS	34.9	39.8	...	34.3	36.1	...	41.9	47.2	...	32.2	33.0	...
FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
TOTAL	13 105	3 419	26.1	11 569	2 747	23.7	1 387	636	45.8	358	127	35.3
14 TO 17 YEARS	81	78	96.2	64	62	(B)	17	16	(B)	5	5	(B)
18 TO 21 YEARS	887	337	38.0	772	290	37.6	94	39	42.0	41	11	(B)
22 TO 24 YEARS	1 013	223	22.0	889	177	19.9	104	41	39.2	42	13	(B)
25 TO 34 YEARS	1 648	189	11.4	1 440	153	10.6	179	26	14.6	57	16	(B)
35 TO 44 YEARS	633	94	14.9	521	70	13.5	95	24	25.0	39	7	(B)
45 TO 54 YEARS	1 044	267	25.6	809	169	20.8	224	98	43.6	43	12	(B)
55 TO 59 YEARS	927	257	27.7	787	188	23.8	133	67	50.4	25	10	(B)
60 TO 64 YEARS	1 192	358	30.1	1 078	294	27.3	108	62	56.9	26	15	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	5 680	1 615	28.4	5 209	1 344	25.8	433	263	60.8	80	38	47.8
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS	61.3	63.7	...	62.3	64.5	...	54.2	60.6	...	43.7	54.6	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD[1]												
HEAD OF FAMILY												
TOTAL	48 979	2 701	5.5	44 701	2 140	4.8	3 529	475	13.5	2 203	290	13.2
14 TO 17 YEARS	17	11	(B)	16	10	(B)	-	-	(B)	3	3	(B)
18 TO 21 YEARS	876	90	10.3	807	81	10.1	60	9	(B)	70	7	(B)
22 TO 24 YEARS	2 163	126	5.8	1 971	103	5.2	173	22	13.0	169	13	7.8
25 TO 34 YEARS	11 379	553	4.9	10 305	450	4.4	848	79	9.4	652	102	15.7
35 TO 44 YEARS	9 671	506	5.2	8 735	403	4.6	727	77	10.6	534	57	10.6
45 TO 54 YEARS	9 474	403	4.2	8 663	330	3.8	688	66	9.6	388	50	12.9
55 TO 59 YEARS	4 520	217	4.8	4 170	167	4.0	289	43	15.0	140	18	13.0
60 TO 64 YEARS	3 831	245	6.4	3 503	192	5.5	278	47	16.7	83	10	12.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 048	551	7.8	6 530	403	6.2	464	132	28.4	163	29	17.7
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS	45.4	46.6	...	45.6	45.7	...	44.4	52.6	...	38.9	38.3	...
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS												
TOTAL	51 585	4 371	8.5	45 618	3 250	7.1	4 859	965	19.9	3 999	716	17.9
UNDER 3 YEARS	7 868	761	9.7	6 958	579	8.3	763	156	20.5	794	160	20.2
3 TO 5 YEARS	7 575	681	9.0	6 661	519	7.8	706	140	19.9	695	137	19.8
6 TO 13 YEARS	23 015	1 964	8.5	20 346	1 464	7.2	2 157	424	19.7	1 737	287	16.5
14 AND 15 YEARS	6 595	507	7.7	5 850	361	6.2	624	129	20.7	389	69	17.8
16 AND 17 YEARS	6 531	457	7.0	5 803	327	5.6	609	115	18.8	384	62	16.2
5 TO 17 YEARS	38 744	3 166	8.2	34 292	2 328	6.8	3 629	722	19.9	2 730	461	16.9

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Table 11. Age and Sex—Persons by Poverty Status in 1977, Sex of Head, Family Relationship, Race, and Spanish Origin—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

AGE AND SEX	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK			SPANISH ORIGIN[1]		
	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
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD[2] --CONTINUED												
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS												
TOTAL	17 405	704	4.0	14 976	468	3.1	1 981	214	10.8	991	96	9.6
18 TO 21 YEARS	9 423	416	4.4	8 285	275	3.3	948	131	13.8	507	60	11.8
22 TO 24 YEARS	2 789	76	2.7	2 372	44	1.9	345	26	7.5	144	7	4.6
25 TO 34 YEARS	2 278	77	3.4	1 856	49	2.6	340	25	7.3	124	8	6.3
35 TO 44 YEARS	623	26	4.2	510	19	3.7	99	7	7.0	36	1	(B)
45 TO 54 YEARS	438	38	8.6	355	30	8.5	72	6	(B)	41	8	(B)
55 TO 59 YEARS	216	13	5.9	186	9	4.9	18	3	(B)	27	4	(B)
60 TO 64 YEARS	257	9	3.3	225	7	3.1	19	2	(B)	22	4	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 380	50	3.6	1 187	34	2.9	139	14	10.2	89	4	5.0
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS	21.7	21.4	...	21.6	21.4	...	22.4	21.3	...	21.9	21.2	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD												
HEAD OF FAMILY												
TOTAL	8 236	2 610	31.7	5 828	1 400	24.0	2 277	1 162	51.0	561	301	53.6
14 TO 17 YEARS	22	21	(B)	14	13	(B)	8	8	(B)	4	3	(B)
18 TO 21 YEARS	289	221	76.5	175	124	71.0	110	93	84.4	30	24	(B)
22 TO 24 YEARS	484	281	58.0	257	130	50.7	217	146	67.5	34	24	(B)
25 TO 34 YEARS	2 053	877	42.7	1 363	529	38.8	653	333	50.9	198	127	64.0
35 TO 44 YEARS	1 858	601	32.4	1 298	315	24.3	536	278	51.9	116	57	49.0
45 TO 54 YEARS	1 414	296	20.9	1 057	157	14.8	324	130	40.0	110	46	41.7
55 TO 59 YEARS	574	105	18.3	441	43	9.7	127	62	48.9	27	10	(B)
60 TO 64 YEARS	379	49	12.9	289	19	6.5	88	30	34.4	9	3	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 164	159	13.7	933	70	7.5	214	82	38.3	33	7	(B)
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS	41.8	33.9	...	43.5	33.2	...	37.8	35.0	...	36.3	32.8	...
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS												
TOTAL	11 238	5 658	50.3	6 682	2 693	40.3	4 393	2 885	65.7	1 001	686	68.6
UNDER 3 YEARS	1 329	931	70.1	653	410	62.8	661	510	77.1	154	108	70.0
3 TO 5 YEARS	1 563	953	61.0	843	458	54.3	700	487	69.5	159	131	82.0
6 TO 13 YEARS	5 255	2 565	48.8	3 192	1 279	40.1	1 961	1 246	62.9	446	309	69.2
14 AND 15 YEARS	1 528	633	41.5	986	295	29.9	521	329	63.2	125	74	59.1
16 AND 17 YEARS	1 563	575	36.8	1 008	252	25.0	530	313	59.0	117	65	55.9
5 TO 17 YEARS	8 870	4 083	46.0	5 454	1 962	36.0	3 285	2 060	62.7	747	500	66.9
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS												
TOTAL	5 930	938	15.8	4 210	381	9.0	1 644	548	33.3	338	89	26.5
18 TO 21 YEARS	2 114	536	25.4	1 381	201	14.6	705	330	46.8	128	46	35.5
22 TO 24 YEARS	720	96	13.4	500	36	7.1	207	60	29.0	51	18	(B)
25 TO 34 YEARS	959	116	12.1	657	48	7.3	291	68	23.3	49	10	(B)
35 TO 44 YEARS	455	51	11.2	358	23	6.3	93	28	30.1	38	1	(B)
45 TO 54 YEARS	578	57	9.9	416	33	8.0	154	21	13.7	29	8	(B)
55 TO 59 YEARS	191	25	13.2	157	16	10.4	33	9	(B)	10	4	(B)
60 TO 64 YEARS	180	4	2.1	148	2	1.6	27	1	(B)	10	1	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	733	52	7.1	593	21	3.6	133	31	23.0	24	2	(B)
MEDIAN AGE . . . . . YEARS	26.4	21.5	...	28.4	21.8	...	23.7	21.3	...	24.4	21.9	...

[1]PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.
[2]DETAIL DOES NOT ADD TO TOTAL PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH A MALE HEAD BECAUSE WIVES ARE NOT SHOWN ON THIS BLOCK. SEE "ALL PERSONS" BLOCK FOR A COUNT OF WIVES.

Table 12. Children Under 3 Years Old Per 1,000 Women—Women 15 to 44 Years Old and Children Under 3 Years Old by Poverty Status in 1977, Metropolitan-Nonmetropolitan Residence, Poverty Area Residence, and Race

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. WOMEN AND CHILDREN AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

POVERTY STATUS, METROPOLITAN-NONMETROPOLITAN RESIDENCE, AND POVERTY AREA RESIDENCE	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	WOMEN 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD	CHILDREN UNDER 3 YEARS OLD[1]		WOMEN 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD	CHILDREN UNDER 3 YEARS OLD[1]		WOMEN 15 TO 44 YEARS OLD	CHILDREN UNDER 3 YEARS OLD[1]	
		NUMBER	PER 1,000 WOMEN		NUMBER	PER 1,000 WOMEN		NUMBER	PER 1,000 WOMEN
ALL INCOME LEVELS									
TOTAL	49 418	9 275	187.69	42 279	7 638	180.65	6 104	1 473	241.35
METROPOLITAN AREAS	33 949	6 121	180.31	28 436	4 890	171.97	4 728	1 109	234.53
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	3 543	890	251.06	1 754	400	227.96	1 745	479	274.72
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	30 406	5 232	172.07	26 681	4 490	168.29	2 982	629	211.01
INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	14 064	2 690	191.24	10 253	1 793	174.91	3 435	836	243.51
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	2 489	671	269.79	1 002	245	244.42	1 464	418	285.70
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	11 575	2 018	174.35	9 250	1 548	167.38	1 971	418	212.17
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	19 885	3 432	172.58	18 183	3 097	170.32	1 293	272	210.66
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	1 054	218	206.90	752	155	206.01	281	61	217.56
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	18 831	3 214	170.66	17 431	2 942	168.78	1 012	211	208.74
NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS	15 469	3 154	203.89	13 843	2 748	198.48	1 376	364	264.77
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	5 057	1 128	222.96	4 010	845	210.60	925	264	285.98
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	10 412	2 026	194.62	9 833	1 903	193.54	451	100	221.31
ABOVE POVERTY LEVEL									
TOTAL	43 634	7 505	171.99	38 521	6 622	171.90	4 211	758	180.12
METROPOLITAN AREAS	30 276	4 953	163.58	26 201	4 267	162.86	3 365	588	174.79
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	2 353	412	174.89	1 352	265	195.75	974	142	146.16
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	27 923	4 541	162.63	24 849	4 003	161.07	2 391	446	186.46
INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	11 790	1 917	162.63	9 124	1 460	159.97	2 344	414	176.50
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	1 517	261	171.96	708	143	202.35	798	115	143.51
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	10 274	1 657	161.26	8 416	1 316	156.41	1 546	299	193.54
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	18 486	3 035	164.19	17 078	2 808	164.41	1 021	174	170.87
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	837	151	180.19	645	121	188.50	176	28	158.18
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	17 649	2 884	163.43	16 433	2 686	163.46	845	147	173.51
NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS	13 358	2 552	191.05	12 319	2 354	191.12	846	170	201.29
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	4 046	796	196.84	3 445	682	197.98	523	107	204.12
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	9 312	1 756	188.54	8 874	1 672	188.45	323	64	196.72
BELOW POVERTY LEVEL									
TOTAL	5 785	1 771	306.12	3 758	1 016	270.37	1 893	715	377.52
METROPOLITAN AREAS	3 673	1 169	318.21	2 234	623	278.79	1 363	521	381.96
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	1 190	478	401.82	402	135	336.17	771	337	437.07
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	2 484	691	278.16	1 832	488	266.18	592	184	310.15
INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	2 274	772	339.57	1 129	334	295.64	1 091	423	387.49
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	972	411	422.35	295	102	345.37	666	304	456.14
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	1 301	361	277.72	834	232	278.06	425	119	279.95
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	1 400	397	283.49	1 105	289	261.57	272	98	359.81
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	217	67	309.87	108	33	310.94	105	33	316.63
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	1 183	330	278.65	998	256	256.25	167	65	387.10
NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS	2 111	602	285.09	1 524	393	258.02	530	194	366.11
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	1 011	331	327.49	565	162	287.52	402	158	392.42
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	1 100	271	246.12	959	231	240.65	128	36	283.46

[1]INCLUDES UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS UNDER 3 YEARS OLD.

Table 13. Educational Attainment—Persons 14 Years Old and Over by Poverty Status in 1977, Age, Sex, and Race

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS) 14 AND 15	16 AND 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
ALL RACES										
ALL INCOME LEVELS										
BOTH SEXES										
TOTAL	167 262	8 200	8 332	16 282	44 549	23 851	23 071	11 031	9 478	22 468
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	1 222	22	27	45	159	98	165	90	90	525
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	5 193	38	16	55	367	495	816	499	531	2 377
6 AND 7 YEARS	9 023	2 107	120	137	702	746	1 186	651	779	2 594
8 YEARS	15 992	3 867	533	297	967	1 128	1 732	1 186	1 456	4 827
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	33 114	2 149	7 448	3 994	4 864	3 478	4 111	1 866	1 613	3 591
4 YEARS	57 336	17	167	7 685	18 078	9 985	9 028	4 166	3 346	4 864
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	45 383	-	20	4 068	19 413	7 921	6 032	2 574	1 663	3 691
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.3	8.5	10.4	12.5	12.8	12.6	12.4	12.3	12.1	9.7
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	38.6	99.8	97.8	27.8	15.8	24.9	34.7	38.9	47.2	61.9
MALE										
TOTAL	79 863	4 175	4 224	7 947	21 858	11 566	11 154	5 239	4 530	9 170
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	614	15	14	22	71	63	93	48	52	237
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	2 626	27	9	26	181	257	456	261	306	1 104
6 AND 7 YEARS	4 511	1 175	69	68	335	378	633	352	347	1 153
8 YEARS	7 666	1 959	283	132	475	582	926	603	746	1 959
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	15 467	994	3 775	2 223	2 179	1 493	1 883	832	715	1 371
4 YEARS	24 600	6	60	3 527	8 087	4 275	3 726	1 680	1 493	1 746
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	24 378	-	13	1 948	10 530	4 517	3 437	1 463	871	1 600
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.4	8.4	10.4	12.4	13.0	12.7	12.4	12.3	12.1	9.2
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	38.7	99.9	98.3	31.1	14.8	24.0	35.8	40.0	47.8	63.5
FEMALE										
TOTAL	87 399	4 025	4 108	8 335	22 691	12 285	11 917	5 792	4 948	13 298
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	607	7	13	23	88	36	73	42	38	287
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	2 567	11	7	29	185	238	361	238	225	1 273
6 AND 7 YEARS	4 512	933	51	68	368	368	553	298	432	1 441
8 YEARS	8 326	1 908	250	165	492	545	806	583	710	2 867
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	17 647	1 155	3 673	1 771	2 685	1 985	2 227	1 034	897	2 220
4 YEARS	32 735	12	107	4 158	9 991	5 709	5 302	2 486	1 853	3 118
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	21 004	-	7	2 120	8 883	3 404	2 595	1 111	793	2 091
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.3	8.6	10.4	12.5	12.8	12.5	12.4	12.3	12.1	10.0
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	38.5	99.7	97.2	24.7	16.8	25.8	33.7	37.9	46.5	60.8
INCOME BELOW POVERTY LEVEL										
BOTH SEXES										
TOTAL	16 864	1 210	1 162	1 974	3 925	1 855	1 672	944	946	3 177
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	332	4	3	9	36	24	40	31	34	151
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	1 535	23	6	9	121	135	232	141	131	737
6 AND 7 YEARS	1 989	482	47	35	209	168	194	118	179	557
8 YEARS	2 498	475	162	98	233	220	228	164	178	738
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	4 551	222	931	743	959	484	419	190	156	447
4 YEARS	3 850	3	12	688	1 334	591	402	225	201	393
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	2 110	-	-	392	1 033	233	157	73	67	155
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	10.3	8.2	10.1	12.1	12.3	11.2	10.0	9.3	8.7	8.2
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	64.7	99.7	98.9	45.3	39.7	55.5	66.6	68.4	71.6	82.8
MALE										
TOTAL	6 348	591	572	769	1 392	694	666	338	364	961
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	145	2	3	4	11	15	13	13	18	67
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	632	14	3	1	41	63	114	46	57	291
6 AND 7 YEARS	807	255	29	10	61	71	79	53	60	189
8 YEARS	929	207	72	42	83	83	106	63	77	196
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	1 664	113	463	320	253	157	143	71	51	93
4 YEARS	1 226	-	1	238	445	195	135	57	71	83
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	944	-	-	154	498	110	75	34	30	41
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	10.1	8.1	10.0	12.0	12.6	11.1	9.4	8.9	8.6	7.3
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	65.8	100.0	99.8	49.0	32.3	56.0	68.4	73.0	72.2	87.1
FEMALE										
TOTAL	10 516	619	590	1 205	2 533	1 161	1 005	605	582	2 216
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	187	2	-	6	25	9	27	18	16	83
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	904	9	3	8	79	72	118	95	74	446
6 AND 7 YEARS	1 182	227	18	25	148	96	115	66	118	368
8 YEARS	1 568	268	90	56	150	138	122	101	101	542
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	2 886	109	467	422	707	327	276	119	106	354
4 YEARS	2 624	3	11	450	889	396	266	168	130	310
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	1 166	-	-	237	534	123	82	39	37	114
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	10.4	8.3	10.1	12.2	12.2	11.3	10.2	9.6	8.8	8.4
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	64.0	99.5	98.1	43.0	43.8	55.3	65.4	65.8	71.3	80.9

Table 13. Educational Attainment—Persons 14 Years Old and Over by Poverty Status in 1977, Age, Sex, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS) 14 AND 15	16 AND 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
ALL RACES--CONTINUED										
PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL										
BOTH SEXES										
TOTAL	10.1	14.8	13.9	12.1	8.8	7.8	7.2	8.6	10.0	14.1
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	27.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	22.7	24.3	24.2	34.7	37.3	28.7
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	29.6	(B)	(B)	(B)	32.9	27.3	28.4	28.3	24.7	31.0
6 AND 7 YEARS	22.0	22.9	39.2	25.7	29.8	22.4	16.4	18.2	23.0	21.5
8 YEARS	15.6	12.3	30.4	33.0	24.1	19.5	13.1	13.9	12.2	15.3
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	13.7	10.4	12.5	18.6	19.7	13.9	10.2	10.2	9.7	12.4
4 YEARS	6.7	(B)	7.5	9.0	7.4	5.9	4.4	5.4	6.0	8.1
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	4.6	(B)	(B)	9.6	5.3	2.9	2.6	2.8	4.0	4.2
MALE										
TOTAL	7.9	14.2	13.5	9.7	6.4	6.0	6.0	6.5	8.0	10.5
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	23.6	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	14.6	(B)	(B)	28.4
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	24.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	22.9	24.4	25.1	17.8	18.7	26.4
6 AND 7 YEARS	17.9	21.7	(B)	(B)	18.3	18.8	12.5	15.0	17.4	16.4
8 YEARS	12.1	10.6	25.6	31.6	17.5	14.2	11.4	10.5	10.3	10.0
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	10.8	11.4	12.3	14.4	11.6	10.5	7.6	8.6	7.1	6.8
4 YEARS	5.0	(B)	(B)	6.8	5.5	4.6	3.6	3.4	4.8	4.7
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	3.9	(B)	(B)	7.9	4.7	2.4	2.2	2.4	3.5	2.6
FEMALE										
TOTAL	12.0	15.4	14.4	14.5	11.2	9.5	8.4	10.4	11.8	16.7
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	30.7	(B)	(B)	(B)	28.8	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	28.9
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	35.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	42.7	30.5	32.7	39.8	32.8	35.0
6 AND 7 YEARS	26.2	24.4	(B)	(B)	40.3	26.2	20.8	22.0	27.4	25.6
8 YEARS	18.8	14.1	35.9	34.1	30.6	25.2	15.1	17.4	14.2	18.9
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	16.4	9.5	12.7	23.8	26.3	16.5	12.4	11.5	11.8	15.9
4 YEARS	8.0	(B)	10.5	10.8	8.9	6.9	5.0	6.8	7.0	9.9
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	5.5	(B)	(B)	11.2	6.0	3.6	3.2	3.5	4.7	5.4
WHITE										
ALL INCOME LEVELS										
BOTH SEXES										
TOTAL	146 601	6 883	7 027	13 895	38 659	20 865	20 425	9 950	8 580	20 316
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	858	18	27	36	114	81	91	57	65	368
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	3 664	18	14	48	300	383	562	347	344	1 648
6 AND 7 YEARS	7 363	1 668	96	108	587	613	919	505	630	2 237
8 YEARS	14 100	3 314	385	240	814	953	1 470	1 047	1 318	4 558
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	27 694	1 851	6 336	3 140	3 821	2 708	3 456	1 635	1 438	3 308
4 YEARS	51 640	13	149	6 783	15 669	8 951	8 322	3 922	3 201	4 629
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	41 282	-	19	3 540	17 354	7 177	5 605	2 436	1 584	3 567
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.4	8.5	10.4	12.5	12.9	12.6	12.4	12.4	12.2	10.1
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	36.6	99.8	97.6	25.7	14.6	22.7	31.8	36.1	44.2	59.7
MALE										
TOTAL	70 407	3 513	3 573	6 836	19 199	10 242	9 933	4 754	4 107	8 249
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	399	12	14	18	54	51	39	27	37	146
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	1 840	15	9	18	147	190	310	187	205	759
6 AND 7 YEARS	3 698	937	52	51	274	309	506	279	281	1 009
8 YEARS	6 839	1 690	211	108	412	516	803	557	682	1 861
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	13 055	855	3 218	1 744	1 765	1 179	1 628	736	649	1 281
4 YEARS	22 172	4	56	3 164	7 013	3 865	3 417	1 583	1 422	1 649
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	22 405	-	13	1 735	9 535	4 131	3 231	1 385	831	1 545
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.4	8.5	10.4	12.5	13.0	12.7	12.5	12.4	12.1	9.7
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	36.7	99.9	98.1	28.3	13.8	21.9	33.1	37.6	45.1	61.3
FEMALE										
TOTAL	76 194	3 370	3 454	7 059	19 460	10 623	10 492	5 196	4 473	12 067
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	459	6	13	18	60	30	52	30	27	222
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	1 824	3	5	29	153	193	252	159	139	890
6 AND 7 YEARS	3 666	731	45	57	312	304	413	226	349	1 228
8 YEARS	7 261	1 624	174	133	402	437	667	491	636	2 697
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	14 638	996	3 118	1 396	2 056	1 528	1 827	899	790	2 027
4 YEARS	29 469	10	93	3 620	8 657	5 086	4 906	2 339	1 779	2 981
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	18 878	-	6	1 805	7 820	3 046	2 375	1 051	753	2 023
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.3	8.6	10.5	12.5	12.8	12.6	12.4	12.3	12.2	10.3
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	36.5	99.7	97.1	23.1	15.3	23.5	30.6	34.7	43.4	58.5

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS) 14 AND 15	16 AND 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
WHITE--CONTINUED										
INCOME BELOW POVERTY LEVEL										
BOTH SEXES										
TOTAL	11 707	696	693	1 293	2 767	1 244	1 199	664	726	2 426
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	197	2	3	2	18	14	28	17	22	91
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	939	8	5	9	99	100	153	81	73	412
6 AND 7 YEARS	1 387	267	35	27	166	126	126	82	125	433
8 YEARS	1 824	286	92	61	167	149	163	116	139	651
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	2 793	129	549	424	568	262	260	119	127	355
4 YEARS	2 890	3	9	478	943	414	328	182	183	349
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	1 677	-	-	292	805	180	140	67	59	134
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	10.5	8.2	10.0	12.3	12.4	11.5	10.3	10.0	9.1	8.4
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	61.0	99.5	98.7	40.4	36.8	52.2	60.9	62.5	66.7	80.1
MALE										
TOTAL	4 497	350	350	499	1 057	510	514	243	288	686
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	81	-	3	-	8	7	10	8	9	37
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	399	5	3	1	37	45	85	28	32	163
6 AND 7 YEARS	568	148	20	6	52	56	60	37	44	145
8 YEARS	687	130	45	27	61	62	81	51	67	163
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	1 039	67	278	181	165	95	98	44	39	71
4 YEARS	941	-	1	158	331	153	112	47	69	71
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	781	-	-	127	402	93	67	28	28	37
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	10.3	8.2	9.9	12.2	12.6	11.6	9.6	8.9	8.9	8.0
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	61.7	100.0	99.6	43.0	30.7	51.8	65.1	69.4	66.5	84.2
FEMALE										
TOTAL	7 210	346	343	794	1 709	735	685	422	438	1 739
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	116	2	-	2	10	7	18	9	13	55
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	539	3	2	8	62	55	68	52	40	249
6 AND 7 YEARS	819	119	15	21	113	70	66	45	80	288
8 YEARS	1 137	157	47	34	106	86	82	65	72	488
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	1 754	61	271	243	403	167	162	75	88	284
4 YEARS	1 949	3	8	320	612	262	216	136	114	278
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	896	-	-	166	403	87	73	39	31	97
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	10.5	8.3	10.1	12.3	12.3	11.3	10.8	10.7	9.4	8.6
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	60.5	99.1	97.7	38.8	40.6	52.5	57.8	58.6	66.8	78.5
PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL										
BOTH SEXES										
TOTAL	8.0	10.1	9.9	9.3	7.2	6.0	5.9	6.7	8.5	11.9
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	23.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	16.0	16.7	31.1	(B)	(B)	24.8
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	25.6	(B)	(B)	(B)	33.2	26.0	27.2	23.2	21.1	25.0
6 AND 7 YEARS	18.8	16.0	36.2	24.5	28.2	20.6	13.7	16.3	19.8	19.4
8 YEARS	12.9	8.6	23.8	25.2	20.5	15.6	11.1	11.1	10.6	14.3
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	10.1	6.9	8.7	13.5	14.9	9.7	7.5	7.3	8.8	10.7
4 YEARS	5.6	(B)	6.2	7.0	6.0	4.6	3.9	4.7	5.7	7.5
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	4.1	(B)	(B)	8.3	4.6	2.5	2.5	2.7	3.7	3.8
MALE										
TOTAL	6.4	10.0	9.8	7.3	5.5	5.0	5.2	5.1	7.0	8.3
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	20.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	25.1
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	21.7	(B)	(B)	(B)	25.4	23.5	27.4	15.0	15.7	21.5
6 AND 7 YEARS	15.4	15.8	(B)	(B)	19.1	18.1	11.9	13.2	15.8	14.4
8 YEARS	10.0	7.7	21.2	24.6	14.9	12.1	10.1	9.2	9.9	8.7
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	8.0	7.9	8.7	10.4	9.3	8.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	5.5
4 YEARS	4.2	(B)	(B)	5.0	4.7	4.0	3.3	2.9	4.8	4.3
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	3.5	(B)	(B)	7.3	4.2	2.2	2.1	2.0	3.4	2.4
FEMALE										
TOTAL	9.5	10.3	9.9	11.2	8.8	6.9	6.5	8.1	9.8	14.4
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	25.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	24.6
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	29.6	(B)	(B)	(B)	40.6	28.6	27.0	32.9	29.0	28.0
6 AND 7 YEARS	22.3	16.3	(B)	(B)	36.3	23.1	16.0	20.0	23.0	23.5
8 YEARS	15.7	9.6	27.1	25.6	26.3	19.7	12.3	13.3	11.3	18.1
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	12.0	6.1	8.7	17.4	19.6	10.9	8.8	8.4	11.1	14.0
4 YEARS	6.6	(B)	8.6	8.8	7.1	5.1	4.4	5.8	6.4	9.3
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	4.7	(B)	(B)	9.2	5.2	2.9	3.1	3.7	4.1	4.8

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS) 14 AND 15	16 AND 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
BLACK										
ALL INCOME LEVELS										
BOTH SEXES										
TOTAL	17 741	1 169	1 158	2 077	4 894	2 503	2 273	945	791	1 930
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	273	3	-	9	29	11	51	25	21	123
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	1 371	20	1	6	52	91	215	141	174	670
6 AND 7 YEARS	1 495	393	23	21	102	119	241	132	142	323
8 YEARS	1 667	486	124	52	127	157	241	124	120	235
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	4 988	265	995	784	960	729	617	216	159	263
4 YEARS	4 880	2	15	779	2 064	905	596	206	117	195
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	3 067	-	1	426	1 559	492	312	100	58	120
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	11.4	8.3	10.2	12.2	12.6	12.2	10.8	9.7	8.5	7.1
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	55.2	99.8	98.6	42.0	26.0	44.2	60.1	67.6	77.9	83.7
MALE										
TOTAL	8 057	587	576	952	2 198	1 089	1 058	414	365	819
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	177	3	-	4	14	9	43	16	15	73
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	712	12	-	6	29	60	124	69	94	318
6 AND 7 YEARS	738	215	16	12	55	63	117	66	64	130
8 YEARS	724	236	57	24	60	61	115	40	55	78
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	2 200	121	499	436	378	298	236	89	58	84
4 YEARS	2 078	-	4	311	918	351	274	83	55	82
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	1 428	-	-	159	744	247	149	50	24	54
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	11.3	8.3	10.2	12.0	12.6	12.2	10.5	9.5	8.2	6.3
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	56.5	100.0	99.3	50.6	24.4	45.0	60.1	67.7	78.3	83.4
FEMALE										
TOTAL	9 684	582	582	1 125	2 696	1 414	1 215	531	426	1 111
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	95	-	-	5	16	2	8	9	7	50
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	660	8	1	-	24	32	91	72	80	352
6 AND 7 YEARS	757	178	6	10	47	56	124	65	78	193
8 YEARS	943	251	67	28	67	96	127	84	65	158
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	2 788	143	496	348	582	431	381	128	101	179
4 YEARS	2 802	2	11	468	1 146	554	323	123	62	114
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	1 639	-	1	267	815	244	163	50	33	65
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	11.6	8.4	10.3	12.4	12.5	12.2	10.9	10.0	8.7	7.6
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	54.1	99.7	98.0	34.7	27.3	43.6	60.0	67.5	77.6	83.9
INCOME BELOW POVERTY LEVEL										
BOTH SEXES										
TOTAL	4 762	483	442	638	1 026	562	441	262	208	701
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	107	2	-	6	10	6	9	11	12	50
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	566	15	1	-	20	29	74	57	57	312
6 AND 7 YEARS	572	202	12	7	42	39	64	35	53	117
8 YEARS	615	178	67	37	60	65	58	45	32	72
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	1 674	85	358	308	374	213	154	68	29	85
4 YEARS	895	-	3	193	362	168	66	42	18	44
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	334	-	-	86	157	41	17	5	7	21
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	9.9	8.1	10.1	11.8	12.0	11.1	9.3	8.6	7.3	5.8
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	74.2	100.0	99.3	56.2	49.5	62.8	81.3	82.2	87.8	90.9
MALE										
TOTAL	1 650	221	210	243	278	156	140	88	70	243
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	53	2	-	3	3	6	3	3	9	25
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	218	9	-	-	4	15	27	17	24	122
6 AND 7 YEARS	226	101	10	3	8	14	19	16	15	40
8 YEARS	209	69	27	15	21	18	21	12	7	19
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	588	40	173	133	82	59	44	25	12	21
4 YEARS	246	-	-	67	101	35	18	10	3	11
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	110	-	-	23	59	10	8	5	1	4
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	9.6	8.0	10.2	11.5	12.2	10.4	9.0	8.7	(B)	5.3
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	78.4	100.0	100.0	63.1	42.4	70.9	81.4	82.5	(B)	93.7
FEMALE										
TOTAL	3 112	262	232	395	748	405	300	174	138	457
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	54	-	-	4	8	-	6	7	3	25
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	348	6	1	-	16	14	46	40	33	190
6 AND 7 YEARS	346	101	3	4	34	25	45	19	37	77
8 YEARS	406	109	40	22	39	48	36	33	25	53
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	1 086	46	185	175	292	154	110	44	18	63
4 YEARS	649	-	3	126	261	133	47	31	16	32
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	223	-	-	64	97	31	9	-	6	16
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	10.2	8.2	10.1	11.9	11.9	11.4	9.4	8.6	7.7	6.3
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	72.0	100.0	98.6	51.9	52.1	59.7	81.2	82.1	84.2	89.4

Table 13. Educational Attainment—Persons 14 Years Old and Over by Poverty Status in 1977, Age, Sex, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS) 14 AND 15	16 AND 17	18 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
BLACK--CONTINUED										
PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL										
BOTH SEXES										
TOTAL	26.8	41.3	38.1	30.7	21.0	22.4	19.4	27.8	26.3	36.3
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	39.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	40.8
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	41.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	31.9	34.3	40.6	32.6	46.5
6 AND 7 YEARS	38.2	51.5	(B)	(B)	41.4	32.9	26.6	26.4	37.2	36.3
8 YEARS	36.9	36.7	54.4	(B)	47.6	41.6	23.8	35.8	26.7	30.7
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	33.6	32.2	36.0	39.2	38.9	29.2	25.0	31.5	18.5	32.2
4 YEARS	18.3	(B)	(B)	24.8	17.5	18.5	11.0	20.1	15.6	22.3
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	10.9	(B)	(B)	20.3	10.0	8.4	5.5	5.0	(B)	17.1
MALE										
TOTAL	20.5	37.6	36.4	25.5	12.7	14.4	13.3	21.3	19.3	29.7
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	29.9	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	30.6	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	22.0	(B)	25.4	38.2
6 AND 7 YEARS	30.6	47.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	16.0	(B)	(B)	31.1
8 YEARS	28.9	29.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	18.5	(B)	(B)	24.6
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	26.7	32.8	34.7	30.4	21.8	19.6	18.7	27.8	(B)	25.6
4 YEARS	11.8	(B)	(B)	21.6	11.0	10.0	6.6	12.5	(B)	13.8
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	7.7	(B)	(B)	14.2	8.0	4.2	5.3	(B)	(B)	(B)
FEMALE										
TOTAL	32.1	45.0	39.9	35.1	27.7	28.7	24.7	32.8	32.4	41.2
NO YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	56.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
ELEMENTARY: 1 TO 5 YEARS	52.8	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	51.0	(B)	41.0	54.1
6 AND 7 YEARS	45.7	56.9	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	36.6	(B)	47.8	39.8
8 YEARS	43.1	43.5	(B)	(B)	(B)	49.7	28.6	38.9	(B)	33.6
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	38.9	31.8	37.2	50.3	50.1	35.9	28.9	34.2	17.5	35.3
4 YEARS	23.2	(B)	(B)	26.9	22.8	24.0	14.7	25.3	(B)	28.3
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	13.6	(B)	(B)	23.9	11.9	12.6	5.6	(B)	(B)	(B)

Table 14. Work Experience—Persons 14 Years Old and Over by Poverty Status in 1977, Age, Sex, and Race

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS) 14 AND 15	16 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
ALL RACES									
ALL INCOME LEVELS									
BOTH SEXES									
TOTAL	167 262	8 200	24 614	44 549	23 851	23 071	11 031	9 478	22 468
WORKED LAST YEAR	109 292	2 197	17 385	36 205	19 027	17 606	7 638	5 183	4 052
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	42.0	22.0	30.6	43.3	46.0	46.8	47.0	44.5	37.3
WORKED FULL TIME	84 498	309	9 138	31 046	16 256	15 127	6 594	4 142	1 886
50 TO 52 WEEKS	58 869	22	3 092	21 005	12 878	12 339	5 373	3 088	1 072
40 TO 49 WEEKS	7 865	-	1 011	3 422	1 326	1 147	519	311	129
27 TO 39 WEEKS	6 030	13	1 191	2 568	831	710	292	257	167
26 WEEKS OR LESS	11 734	274	3 845	4 052	1 221	930	409	486	518
WORKED PART TIME	24 794	1 888	8 247	5 159	2 771	2 479	1 044	1 040	2 166
50 TO 52 WEEKS	8 089	430	2 062	1 595	1 109	1 065	478	482	868
40 TO 49 WEEKS	2 869	95	752	720	362	343	147	152	298
27 TO 39 WEEKS	3 052	88	1 027	769	373	315	123	105	252
26 WEEKS OR LESS	10 784	1 274	4 407	2 076	927	756	296	301	748
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	3 263	3	234	819	591	707	351	268	290
KEEPING HOUSE	9 853	14	802	4 148	2 011	1 426	496	433	523
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	11 592	42	2 467	4 997	1 669	1 387	521	347	162
OTHER	17 626	1 686	8 729	3 642	769	682	418	564	1 137
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	4 289	105	1 618	1 670	435	296	84	52	30
5 TO 14 WEEKS	5 769	40	1 589	2 387	725	599	239	125	66
15 TO 26 WEEKS	3 723	16	881	1 587	510	443	148	99	40
27 WEEKS OR MORE	2 695	20	665	1 017	382	307	119	128	57
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	57 096	6 003	7 117	7 821	4 624	5 426	3 393	4 295	18 417
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	7 472	22	140	615	599	1 177	922	1 083	2 914
KEEPING HOUSE	24 818	33	868	5 751	3 654	3 801	2 034	2 060	6 616
GOING TO SCHOOL	12 174	5 868	5 482	676	78	53	9	3	5
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 385	21	366	447	178	158	83	54	79
RETIRED	9 925	2	-	8	15	108	283	1 025	8 485
OTHER	1 322	58	261	324	100	129	62	70	318
IN ARMED FORCES	874	...	112	523	200	39	-	-	-
MALE									
TOTAL	79 863	4 175	12 171	21 858	11 566	11 154	5 239	4 530	9 170
WORKED LAST YEAR	61 959	1 242	9 168	20 270	10 903	10 250	4 500	3 175	2 452
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	44.1	22.1	31.1	45.9	48.9	48.9	48.5	45.4	37.8
WORKED FULL TIME	53 317	205	5 203	18 935	10 618	9 933	4 297	2 840	1 286
50 TO 52 WEEKS	39 325	18	1 747	13 741	8 902	8 425	3 576	2 158	758
40 TO 49 WEEKS	4 737	-	590	2 039	813	674	325	207	90
27 TO 39 WEEKS	3 359	5	668	1 360	423	431	195	163	114
26 WEEKS OR LESS	5 895	182	2 198	1 796	480	403	200	313	324
WORKED PART TIME	8 643	1 038	3 965	1 334	285	317	203	334	1 166
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 755	269	1 081	479	118	126	87	150	445
40 TO 49 WEEKS	966	45	354	234	49	38	29	45	173
27 TO 39 WEEKS	984	46	487	195	27	42	25	30	132
26 WEEKS OR LESS	3 937	678	2 044	425	91	111	61	110	417
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 801	3	107	450	281	389	207	178	186
KEEPING HOUSE	261	6	20	70	37	41	11	31	46
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	7 315	27	1 556	3 208	1 027	833	325	221	117
OTHER	10 502	920	4 656	2 321	538	436	293	437	901
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	2 068	67	773	804	188	138	51	31	17
5 TO 14 WEEKS	3 457	21	948	1 463	432	329	153	68	42
15 TO 26 WEEKS	2 394	10	566	1 028	319	286	95	61	30
27 WEEKS OR MORE	1 545	14	413	579	196	156	58	88	40
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	17 030	2 933	2 891	1 065	463	865	739	1 355	6 718
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	3 464	10	79	327	294	609	464	591	1 089
KEEPING HOUSE	180	8	9	13	13	21	13	11	93
GOING TO SCHOOL	5 758	2 874	2 505	344	15	15	4	-	1
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	601	10	164	182	69	69	37	27	44
RETIRED	6 439	2	-	8	15	82	191	705	5 437
OTHER	588	29	135	191	56	70	30	22	54
IN ARMED FORCES	874	...	112	523	200	39	-	-	-

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS) 14 AND 15	16 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
ALL RACES--CONTINUED									
ALL INCOME LEVELS--CONTINUED									
FEMALE									
TOTAL	87 399	4 025	12 443	22 691	12 285	11 917	5 792	4 948	13 298
WORKED LAST YEAR	47 333	954	8 217	15 935	8 124	7 356	3 138	2 008	1 600
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	39.2	21.7	29.9	39.9	42.3	43.9	44.8	43.1	36.5
WORKED FULL TIME	31 182	104	3 935	12 111	5 638	5 194	2 297	1 302	600
50 TO 52 WEEKS	19 544	4	1 345	7 264	3 976	3 915	1 797	930	314
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3 127	-	421	1 383	512	474	194	104	39
27 TO 39 WEEKS	2 671	8	523	1 208	408	280	97	95	53
26 WEEKS OR LESS	5 839	92	1 647	2 256	741	526	209	174	194
WORKED PART TIME	16 151	850	4 282	3 825	2 486	2 162	841	706	999
50 TO 52 WEEKS	5 334	161	981	1 116	991	939	391	333	423
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 903	51	398	486	313	305	118	107	125
27 TO 39 WEEKS	2 068	42	540	573	346	274	98	75	120
26 WEEKS OR LESS	6 847	596	2 363	1 650	836	645	235	191	331
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 462	-	127	368	311	318	144	90	104
KEEPING HOUSE	9 592	8	782	4 078	1 974	1 385	485	402	477
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	4 277	15	911	1 789	642	555	195	126	45
OTHER	7 124	766	4 072	1 321	231	245	126	127	236
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	2 221	38	845	867	247	158	32	22	12
5 TO 14 WEEKS	2 312	19	641	924	293	269	86	56	23
15 TO 26 WEEKS	1 330	5	316	560	191	157	53	38	11
27 WEEKS OR MORE	1 150	6	251	438	186	151	61	39	18
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	40 066	3 071	4 226	6 756	4 161	4 561	2 654	2 940	11 699
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	4 008	11	61	287	305	568	458	492	1 825
KEEPING HOUSE	24 638	24	859	5 739	3 641	3 780	2 021	2 050	6 523
GOING TO SCHOOL	6 416	2 995	2 977	332	63	38	5	3	4
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	784	11	202	265	109	90	46	27	35
RETIRED	3 486	-	-	-	-	27	91	320	3 048
OTHER	734	29	126	133	44	58	32	48	263
INCOME BELOW POVERTY LEVEL									
BOTH SEXES									
TOTAL	16 864	1 210	3 136	3 925	1 855	1 672	944	946	3 177
WORKED LAST YEAR	6 459	237	1 540	2 129	989	734	316	266	248
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	30.3	21.8	23.1	29.7	35.9	36.5	37.6	36.7	31.8
WORKED FULL TIME	4 035	60	803	1 477	747	501	202	149	96
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 458	12	89	448	384	259	118	84	63
40 TO 49 WEEKS	294	-	43	118	76	41	10	7	-
27 TO 39 WEEKS	419	3	98	187	63	42	10	12	5
26 WEEKS OR LESS	1 863	44	574	725	225	158	63	47	28
WORKED PART TIME	2 424	177	737	651	242	233	115	116	151
50 TO 52 WEEKS	606	46	131	128	62	92	50	49	48
40 TO 49 WEEKS	213	5	62	71	18	21	15	11	9
27 TO 39 WEEKS	274	3	90	97	31	23	8	12	10
26 WEEKS OR LESS	1 331	123	453	356	131	97	41	44	84
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	396	-	44	88	82	69	44	32	37
KEEPING HOUSE	988	3	135	454	157	104	38	43	55
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 276	17	277	536	230	138	42	30	5
OTHER	1 735	159	863	475	76	73	23	28	40
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	419	13	165	176	38	14	6	6	1
5 TO 14 WEEKS	537	7	173	215	79	45	10	6	2
15 TO 26 WEEKS	473	6	131	183	78	50	15	9	2
27 WEEKS OR MORE	552	8	107	235	94	69	21	15	2
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	10 384	974	1 591	1 779	866	938	627	681	2 929
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	2 299	9	41	228	201	390	316	281	833
KEEPING HOUSE	3 788	6	275	1 045	527	420	227	247	1 042
GOING TO SCHOOL	2 241	948	1 066	198	22	3	1	1	2
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	553	4	134	192	84	69	23	14	33
RETIRED	1 131	-	-	3	-	12	43	122	951
OTHER	371	6	75	113	31	45	18	16	68
IN ARMED FORCES	22	...	4	18	-	-	-	-	-

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS) 14 AND 15	16 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
ALL RACES--CONTINUED									
INCOME BELOW POVERTY LEVEL--CONTINUED									
MALE									
TOTAL	6 348	591	1 341	1 392	694	666	338	364	961
WORKED LAST YEAR	3 266	141	756	1 033	523	400	146	147	120
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	32.6	22.3	23.4	33.6	39.0	39.2	36.9	37.8	32.3
WORKED FULL TIME	2 339	36	437	789	457	342	121	107	51
50 TO 52 WEEKS	996	9	61	307	258	192	65	64	39
40 TO 49 WEEKS	188	-	18	71	48	36	10	5	-
27 TO 39 WEEKS	213	-	47	89	30	30	7	7	3
26 WEEKS OR LESS	943	26	312	321	121	84	39	31	9
WORKED PART TIME	927	105	319	245	66	58	25	40	69
50 TO 52 WEEKS	247	28	71	65	20	16	7	19	21
40 TO 49 WEEKS	67	2	23	24	6	5	3	4	1
27 TO 39 WEEKS	92	2	25	44	9	6	2	3	1
26 WEEKS OR LESS	520	73	200	111	31	31	13	14	46
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	216	-	13	47	40	40	32	24	20
KEEPING HOUSE	26	-	1	3	4	7	4	2	6
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	742	12	150	307	138	90	25	16	4
OTHER	1 039	91	460	304	64	55	13	22	31
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	165	9	65	66	18	4	-	1	1
5 TO 14 WEEKS	265	6	90	99	39	19	7	3	1
15 TO 26 WEEKS	310	3	87	113	47	41	11	7	2
27 WEEKS OR MORE	318	6	63	131	61	37	9	9	2
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	3 060	450	582	341	171	266	193	217	840
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	928	3	19	108	104	180	134	125	255
KEEPING HOUSE	47	-	3	3	8	11	9	-	13
GOING TO SCHOOL	1 010	442	473	90	4	1	-	-	-
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	246	3	53	82	38	34	12	8	16
RETIRED	652	-	-	3	-	10	25	77	536
OTHER	178	3	33	55	16	31	12	8	20
IN ARMED FORCES	22	...	4	18	-	-	-	-	-
FEMALE									
TOTAL	10 516	619	1 794	2 533	1 161	1 005	605	582	2 216
WORKED LAST YEAR	3 192	96	785	1 095	466	334	171	119	127
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	28.0	21.2	22.7	26.0	32.4	33.3	38.2	35.3	31.4
WORKED FULL TIME	1 696	24	367	689	290	159	81	42	45
50 TO 52 WEEKS	462	3	29	141	126	66	53	20	24
40 TO 49 WEEKS	107	-	25	46	28	6	-	1	-
27 TO 39 WEEKS	206	3	51	97	32	12	4	5	2
26 WEEKS OR LESS	921	18	262	404	104	75	25	15	19
WORKED PART TIME	1 497	72	418	407	176	175	90	77	82
50 TO 52 WEEKS	358	18	60	62	42	76	43	30	27
40 TO 49 WEEKS	145	3	39	47	13	16	12	8	8
27 TO 39 WEEKS	183	-	66	53	22	17	6	9	10
26 WEEKS OR LESS	810	50	253	245	100	66	28	30	38
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	179	-	31	41	42	29	12	8	17
KEEPING HOUSE	962	3	134	451	153	97	35	41	49
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	535	6	127	229	92	48	18	13	1
OTHER	696	67	404	171	12	18	10	6	9
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	254	5	100	110	20	10	6	4	-
5 TO 14 WEEKS	272	2	83	116	40	26	2	3	1
15 TO 26 WEEKS	163	3	44	70	31	9	3	2	-
27 WEEKS OR MORE	234	2	44	104	33	32	12	6	-
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	7 324	523	1 010	1 438	695	672	435	463	2 089
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 372	7	22	120	97	210	182	156	578
KEEPING HOUSE	3 742	6	272	1 042	519	409	218	247	1 029
GOING TO SCHOOL	1 231	506	593	108	18	2	1	1	2
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	307	1	81	110	45	36	11	6	17
RETIRED	479	-	-	-	-	2	18	45	415
OTHER	194	3	41	57	16	14	6	8	48

Table 14. Work Experience—Persons 14 Years Old and Over by Poverty Status in 1977, Age, Sex, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS) 14 AND 15	16 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
ALL RACES--CONTINUED									
PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL									
BOTH SEXES									
TOTAL	10.1	14.8	12.7	8.8	7.8	7.2	8.6	10.0	14.1
WORKED LAST YEAR	5.9	10.8	8.9	5.9	5.2	4.2	4.1	5.1	6.1
WORKED FULL TIME	4.8	19.3	8.8	4.8	4.6	3.3	3.1	3.6	5.1
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2.5	(B)	2.9	2.1	3.0	2.1	2.2	2.7	5.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3.7	(B)	4.3	3.4	5.7	3.6	1.9	2.2	-
27 TO 39 WEEKS	7.0	(B)	8.2	7.3	7.5	5.9	3.5	4.5	3.1
26 WEEKS OR LESS	15.9	16.2	14.9	17.9	18.4	17.0	15.4	9.6	5.4
WORKED PART TIME	9.8	9.4	8.9	12.6	8.7	9.4	11.0	11.2	7.0
50 TO 52 WEEKS	7.5	10.7	6.4	8.0	5.5	8.6	10.5	10.1	5.5
40 TO 49 WEEKS	7.4	5.7	8.2	9.9	5.1	6.2	10.4	7.3	2.9
27 TO 39 WEEKS	9.0	3.1	8.8	12.6	8.4	7.3	6.4	11.5	4.1
26 WEEKS OR LESS	12.3	9.7	10.3	17.2	14.2	12.8	13.9	14.8	11.3
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	12.1	(B)	18.6	10.8	13.8	9.8	12.6	12.0	12.6
KEEPING HOUSE	10.0	(B)	16.9	10.9	7.8	7.3	7.7	9.9	10.5
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	11.0	(B)	11.2	10.7	13.8	9.9	8.1	8.6	3.3
OTHER	9.8	9.4	9.9	13.0	9.8	10.6	5.5	4.9	3.5
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	9.8	12.8	10.2	10.6	8.8	4.7	7.3	(B)	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	9.3	(B)	10.9	9.0	10.9	7.5	4.0	4.9	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	12.7	(B)	14.8	11.5	15.2	11.3	9.8	9.2	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	20.5	(B)	16.1	23.2	24.7	22.6	17.6	11.5	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	18.2	16.2	22.4	22.7	18.7	17.3	16.5	15.8	15.9
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	30.8	(B)	29.6	37.1	33.6	33.1	34.3	26.0	28.6
KEEPING HOUSE	15.3	(B)	31.7	18.2	14.4	11.0	11.1	12.0	15.7
GOING TO SCHOOL	18.4	16.2	19.5	29.2	28.7	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	39.9	(B)	36.6	43.0	47.0	43.9	27.5	(B)	41.8
RETIRED	11.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	10.8	15.2	11.9	11.2
OTHER	28.1	(B)	28.6	34.8	31.5	34.7	(B)	(B)	21.4
IN ARMED FORCES	2.5	...	3.6	3.4	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
MALE									
TOTAL	7.9	14.2	11.0	6.4	6.0	6.0	6.5	8.0	10.5
WORKED LAST YEAR	5.3	11.3	8.2	5.1	4.8	3.9	3.2	4.6	4.9
WORKED FULL TIME	4.4	17.5	8.4	4.2	4.3	3.4	2.8	3.8	4.0
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2.5	(B)	3.5	2.2	2.9	2.3	1.8	3.0	5.1
40 TO 49 WEEKS	4.0	(B)	3.0	3.5	5.9	5.3	3.1	2.6	-
27 TO 39 WEEKS	6.3	(B)	7.0	6.6	7.1	7.0	3.4	4.2	2.7
26 WEEKS OR LESS	16.0	14.5	14.2	17.9	25.2	20.8	19.3	10.0	2.8
WORKED PART TIME	10.7	10.1	8.0	18.3	23.2	18.4	12.3	11.9	5.9
50 TO 52 WEEKS	9.0	10.4	6.6	13.6	16.8	13.1	8.2	12.4	4.7
40 TO 49 WEEKS	7.0	(B)	6.5	10.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	0.6
27 TO 39 WEEKS	9.3	(B)	5.1	22.5	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	0.7
26 WEEKS OR LESS	13.2	10.7	9.8	26.1	34.5	27.5	(B)	13.2	11.1
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	12.0	(B)	12.0	10.4	14.3	10.3	15.5	13.7	10.6
KEEPING HOUSE	9.9	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	10.1	(B)	9.7	9.6	13.4	10.8	7.5	7.4	3.6
OTHER	9.9	9.9	9.9	13.1	11.8	12.6	4.3	5.1	3.4
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	8.0	(B)	8.4	8.2	9.7	3.0	(B)	(B)	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	7.7	(B)	9.5	6.8	9.1	5.7	4.7	(B)	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	13.0	(B)	15.4	11.0	14.7	14.3	11.7	(B)	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	20.6	(B)	15.3	22.7	31.1	23.7	(B)	10.0	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	18.0	15.4	20.1	32.0	36.9	30.8	26.1	16.0	12.5
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	26.8	(B)	24.2	33.0	35.5	29.5	28.9	21.1	23.4
KEEPING HOUSE	25.9	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	13.7
GOING TO SCHOOL	17.5	15.4	18.9	26.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	40.9	(B)	32.2	44.9	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
RETIRED	10.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	12.2	13.3	10.9	9.9
OTHER	30.2	(B)	24.7	29.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
IN ARMED FORCES	2.5	...	3.6	3.4	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS) 14 AND 15	16 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
ALL RACES--CONTINUED									
PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL--CONTINUED									
FEMALE									
TOTAL	12.0	15.4	14.4	11.2	9.5	8.4	10.4	11.8	16.7
WORKED LAST YEAR	6.7	10.1	9.5	6.9	5.7	4.5	5.4	5.9	8.0
WORKED FULL TIME	5.4	22.7	9.3	5.7	5.1	3.1	3.5	3.2	7.6
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2.4	(B)	2.1	1.9	3.2	1.7	2.9	2.2	7.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3.4	(B)	6.1	3.3	5.5	1.2	-	1.4	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	7.7	(B)	9.7	8.1	7.9	4.2	3.9	5.0	(B)
26 WEEKS OR LESS	15.8	19.4	15.9	17.9	14.0	14.2	11.8	8.7	9.8
WORKED PART TIME	9.3	8.5	9.8	10.6	7.1	8.1	10.7	10.9	8.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	6.7	11.3	6.2	5.6	4.2	8.0	11.0	9.1	6.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	7.6	(B)	9.8	9.7	4.1	5.2	10.4	7.0	6.2
27 TO 39 WEEKS	8.8	(B)	12.2	9.2	6.3	6.3	6.5	12.0	7.9
26 WEEKS OR LESS	11.8	8.5	10.7	14.8	12.0	10.3	11.8	15.7	11.5
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	12.3	(B)	24.2	11.3	13.4	9.1	8.4	8.5	16.3
KEEPING HOUSE	10.0	(B)	17.1	11.1	7.7	7.0	7.1	10.2	10.3
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	12.5	(B)	14.0	12.8	14.4	8.7	9.1	10.7	(B)
OTHER	9.8	8.8	9.9	12.9	5.2	7.2	8.1	4.5	3.8
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	11.5	(B)	11.8	12.7	8.1	6.1	(B)	(B)	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	11.8	(B)	13.0	12.5	13.5	9.6	2.8	(B)	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	12.2	(B)	13.8	12.5	16.1	5.8	(B)	(B)	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	20.4	(B)	17.6	23.7	17.8	21.5	(B)	(B)	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	18.3	17.0	23.9	21.3	16.7	14.7	16.4	15.8	17.9
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	34.2	(B)	(B)	41.7	31.7	37.0	39.7	31.7	31.7
KEEPING HOUSE	15.2	(B)	31.6	18.2	14.3	10.8	10.8	12.0	15.8
GOING TO SCHOOL	19.2	16.9	19.9	32.5	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	39.2	(B)	40.1	41.6	41.5	40.0	(B)	(B)	(B)
RETIRED	13.7	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	19.3	13.9	13.6
OTHER	26.4	(B)	32.7	43.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	18.1
WHITE									
ALL INCOME LEVELS									
BOTH SEXES									
TOTAL	146 601	6 883	20 922	38 659	20 865	20 425	9 950	8 580	20 316
WORKED LAST YEAR	97 019	2 028	15 570	31 728	16 723	15 661	6 985	4 702	3 622
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	42.2	22.5	31.2	43.5	46.2	46.9	47.0	44.6	37.6
WORKED FULL TIME	74 866	276	8 186	27 136	14 277	13 447	6 068	3 774	1 702
50 TO 52 WEEKS	52 496	21	2 856	18 501	11 360	10 999	4 949	2 827	982
40 TO 49 WEEKS	7 088	-	956	3 045	1 178	1 042	479	278	110
27 TO 39 WEEKS	5 278	13	1 057	2 214	708	626	271	229	160
26 WEEKS OR LESS	10 003	242	3 317	3 377	1 030	780	368	439	450
WORKED PART TIME	22 154	1 752	7 383	4 592	2 446	2 214	917	928	1 920
50 TO 52 WEEKS	7 279	415	1 901	1 407	993	943	415	431	773
40 TO 49 WEEKS	2 639	94	709	669	318	314	136	133	267
27 TO 39 WEEKS	2 780	83	942	704	335	289	106	92	228
26 WEEKS OR LESS	9 456	1 162	3 830	1 811	800	659	260	272	652
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	2 711	3	197	662	500	585	313	226	225
KEEPING HOUSE	8 904	13	706	3 711	1 842	1 320	472	388	452
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	9 801	33	2 143	4 168	1 368	1 198	451	303	139
OTHER	15 829	1 544	7 766	3 279	660	617	385	526	1 050
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	3 769	87	1 432	1 460	379	273	70	42	25
5 TO 14 WEEKS	5 022	38	1 410	2 071	628	511	205	106	53
15 TO 26 WEEKS	3 086	12	741	1 295	408	378	128	91	32
27 WEEKS OR MORE	2 107	13	515	777	283	250	103	112	53
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	48 863	4 855	5 258	6 515	3 967	4 731	2 965	3 878	16 695
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	5 832	16	106	431	438	863	707	911	2 360
KEEPING HOUSE	22 550	23	645	5 115	3 271	3 515	1 871	1 918	6 193
GOING TO SCHOOL	9 483	4 750	4 122	486	59	48	8	3	5
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	859	15	193	251	107	115	66	43	69
RETIRED	9 116	2	-	6	11	103	255	946	7 794
OTHER	1 024	50	193	226	80	87	58	57	274
IN ARMED FORCES	719	...	94	416	175	33	-	-	

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WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS) 14 AND 15	16 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
WHITE--CONTINUED									
ALL INCOME LEVELS--CONTINUED									
MALE									
TOTAL	70 407	3 513	10 409	19 199	10 242	9 933	4 754	4 107	8 249
WORKED LAST YEAR	55 552	1 128	8 197	18 043	9 721	9 208	4 147	2 888	2 220
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	44.4	22.8	31.8	46.2	49.1	49.1	48.5	45.5	38.0
WORKED FULL TIME	47 958	182	4 671	16 932	9 526	8 939	3 962	2 581	1 165
50 TO 52 WEEKS	35 629	18	1 610	12 372	8 049	7 609	3 304	1 974	693
40 TO 49 WEEKS	4 307	-	559	1 847	725	618	298	183	77
27 TO 39 WEEKS	2 969	5	602	1 178	360	390	181	143	110
26 WEEKS OR LESS	5 053	160	1 900	1 535	392	322	179	280	285
WORKED PART TIME	7 594	946	3 526	1 111	195	269	185	307	1 055
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 469	256	985	394	90	116	83	137	409
40 TO 49 WEEKS	882	43	335	208	34	37	25	42	159
27 TO 39 WEEKS	875	41	451	175	13	30	20	28	116
26 WEEKS OR LESS	3 369	606	1 755	335	58	86	57	100	372
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 527	3	96	382	242	323	186	150	147
KEEPING HOUSE	241	6	16	68	33	39	9	28	43
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	6 296	21	1 366	2 743	862	723	289	189	103
OTHER	9 391	825	4 125	2 085	446	398	275	410	826
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	1 817	54	698	698	159	124	41	26	17
5 TO 14 WEEKS	3 026	20	841	1 288	374	279	131	58	35
15 TO 26 WEEKS	2 015	8	482	864	255	243	86	55	23
27 WEEKS OR MORE	1 254	10	323	477	148	127	57	74	39
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	14 136	2 385	2 118	740	346	692	607	1 219	6 029
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	2 771	10	58	230	224	481	371	518	879
KEEPING HOUSE	161	7	8	8	12	16	13	11	86
GOING TO SCHOOL	4 476	2 328	1 865	252	12	14	4	-	1
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	387	9	86	111	39	55	28	20	40
RETIRED	5 901	2	-	6	11	76	166	656	4 984
OTHER	440	29	101	133	48	50	27	15	38
IN ARMED FORCES	719	...	94	416	175	33	-	-	-
FEMALE									
TOTAL	76 194	3 370	10 513	19 460	10 623	10 492	5 196	4 473	12 067
WORKED LAST YEAR	41 467	900	7 372	13 685	7 002	6 454	2 839	1 814	1 401
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	39.2	22.2	30.6	39.9	42.0	43.7	44.8	43.1	36.8
WORKED FULL TIME	26 908	94	3 515	10 204	4 751	4 508	2 106	1 193	537
50 TO 52 WEEKS	16 868	3	1 246	6 129	3 311	3 390	1 645	854	290
40 TO 49 WEEKS	2 781	-	397	1 198	454	424	181	95	33
27 TO 39 WEEKS	2 309	8	456	1 036	348	236	90	86	50
26 WEEKS OR LESS	4 950	83	1 417	1 842	638	459	190	159	164
WORKED PART TIME	14 559	807	3 857	3 480	2 251	1 945	733	621	865
50 TO 52 WEEKS	4 810	159	917	1 014	903	827	331	294	365
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 757	51	374	461	284	276	112	91	108
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 905	42	491	530	322	258	86	64	112
26 WEEKS OR LESS	6 087	555	2 075	1 476	742	583	203	172	280
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 183	-	101	280	258	262	127	76	78
KEEPING HOUSE	8 663	7	690	3 643	1 809	1 281	464	360	409
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	3 505	12	777	1 424	506	475	161	114	36
OTHER	6 438	719	3 641	1 194	215	219	110	116	224
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	1 952	33	734	762	220	149	29	16	7
5 TO 14 WEEKS	1 996	18	569	783	253	232	74	48	18
15 TO 26 WEEKS	1 071	4	260	431	153	136	43	36	8
27 WEEKS OR MORE	853	3	192	301	135	123	47	38	15
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	34 727	2 470	3 141	5 775	3 621	4 038	2 357	2 659	10 666
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	3 060	6	48	201	214	382	336	393	1 481
KEEPING HOUSE	22 389	16	637	5 106	3 259	3 499	1 859	1 907	6 106
GOING TO SCHOOL	5 007	2 421	2 258	234	48	34	4	3	4
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	472	6	106	140	68	60	38	23	30
RETIRED	3 215	-	-	-	-	26	89	291	2 809
OTHER	584	21	91	93	33	37	31	42	235

Table 14. Work Experience—Persons 14 Years Old and Over by Poverty Status in 1977, Age, Sex, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS) 14 AND 15	16 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
WHITE--CONTINUED									
INCOME BELOW POVERTY LEVEL									
BOTH SEXES									
TOTAL	11 707	696	1 986	2 767	1 244	1 199	664	726	2 426
WORKED LAST YEAR	4 780	170	1 155	1 590	710	550	242	195	169
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	31.2	25.6	24.8	30.3	36.4	36.8	37.7	36.7	33.3
WORKED FULL TIME	3 072	44	613	1 096	561	395	168	120	74
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 151	11	72	345	294	205	102	70	52
40 TO 49 WEEKS	239	-	41	93	55	35	9	5	-
27 TO 39 WEEKS	336	3	84	141	50	37	8	8	5
26 WEEKS OR LESS	1 346	30	416	518	162	118	49	37	17
WORKED PART TIME	1 708	126	541	493	149	155	74	75	95
50 TO 52 WEEKS	439	43	109	95	41	55	30	33	33
40 TO 49 WEEKS	173	5	55	62	12	18	10	7	4
27 TO 39 WEEKS	204	3	72	80	15	17	5	5	7
26 WEEKS OR LESS	892	75	306	257	81	65	29	30	51
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	275	-	33	60	60	50	33	24	16
KEEPING HOUSE	719	1	99	330	121	83	27	26	32
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	878	12	213	364	139	97	29	20	4
OTHER	1 318	103	628	396	55	60	21	22	32
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	306	7	123	135	26	10	3	2	1
5 TO 14 WEEKS	394	5	134	159	61	27	5	3	-
15 TO 26 WEEKS	307	5	89	112	47	36	9	7	2
27 WEEKS OR MORE	368	4	77	156	49	52	16	12	2
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	6 909	526	829	1 161	534	649	422	531	2 257
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 483	5	20	130	122	237	193	211	566
KEEPING HOUSE	2 808	2	152	744	345	334	164	193	874
GOING TO SCHOOL	1 209	511	561	118	13	3	1	1	2
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	274	3	49	94	36	41	15	8	27
RETIRED	893	-	-	2	-	10	36	103	742
OTHER	242	6	46	74	18	24	14	14	46
IN ARMED FORCES	18	...	2	16	-	-	-	-	-
MALE									
TOTAL	4 497	350	849	1 057	510	514	243	288	686
WORKED LAST YEAR	2 530	101	561	820	393	327	124	116	88
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	33.7	26.2	25.1	34.1	40.0	39.4	37.8	37.9	32.9
WORKED FULL TIME	1 858	26	331	633	356	280	104	88	38
50 TO 52 WEEKS	818	9	49	252	207	156	62	56	28
40 TO 49 WEEKS	160	-	18	57	42	31	9	4	-
27 TO 39 WEEKS	176	-	39	73	23	27	5	4	3
26 WEEKS OR LESS	703	17	226	251	84	66	28	24	7
WORKED PART TIME	673	75	230	187	37	47	20	27	50
50 TO 52 WEEKS	192	25	57	52	10	14	4	13	17
40 TO 49 WEEKS	54	2	20	19	3	5	2	2	1
27 TO 39 WEEKS	73	2	21	39	3	4	2	2	1
26 WEEKS OR LESS	353	46	132	78	20	23	12	10	31
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	167	-	7	38	33	38	25	18	8
KEEPING HOUSE	20	-	1	3	2	6	2	1	6
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	547	9	116	224	97	68	20	10	4
OTHER	786	58	331	252	44	46	11	18	25
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	128	4	48	52	16	4	-	1	1
5 TO 14 WEEKS	202	5	70	79	32	12	3	1	-
15 TO 26 WEEKS	203	2	59	69	31	28	7	4	2
27 WEEKS OR MORE	242	4	48	104	36	31	9	8	2
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	1 949	249	285	222	117	186	119	173	598
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	611	3	7	69	75	126	76	95	161
KEEPING HOUSE	40	-	2	3	8	9	9	-	10
GOING TO SCHOOL	583	240	238	59	4	1	-	-	-
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	143	3	18	51	19	26	8	6	12
RETIRED	499	-	-	2	-	9	18	66	404
OTHER	113	3	20	38	11	15	8	6	12
IN ARMED FORCES	18	...	2	16	-	-	-	-	-

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS) 14 AND 15	16 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
WHITE--CONTINUED									
INCOME BELOW POVERTY LEVEL--CONTINUED									
FEMALE									
TOTAL	7 210	346	1 137	1 709	735	685	422	438	1 739
WORKED LAST YEAR	2 250	68	594	770	317	222	119	79	81
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	28.4	(B)	24.4	26.3	31.9	32.9	37.6	35.0	33.8
WORKED FULL TIME	1 218	17	282	463	205	115	65	32	36
50 TO 52 WEEKS	333	1	23	93	87	49	41	14	24
40 TO 49 WEEKS	79	-	24	35	14	4	-	1	-
27 TO 39 WEEKS	160	3	45	67	27	10	3	3	2
26 WEEKS OR LESS	642	13	190	267	77	52	21	13	9
WORKED PART TIME	1 036	51	311	307	112	108	54	48	45
50 TO 52 WEEKS	247	18	52	43	31	41	26	20	16
40 TO 49 WEEKS	118	3	35	43	9	13	8	5	3
27 TO 39 WEEKS	131	-	51	41	12	13	4	3	6
26 WEEKS OR LESS	540	29	174	179	60	42	16	19	20
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	108	-	26	22	27	12	7	6	8
KEEPING HOUSE	699	1	98	327	119	77	25	25	26
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	331	3	97	140	43	29	9	10	-
OTHER	532	44	297	144	10	14	10	4	7
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	178	3	74	82	10	6	3	-	-
5 TO 14 WEEKS	192	-	65	79	29	15	1	3	-
15 TO 26 WEEKS	104	3	30	43	16	8	2	2	-
27 WEEKS OR MORE	126	-	29	52	13	21	7	4	-
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	4 960	277	543	939	418	463	303	358	1 658
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	872	2	13	61	48	111	117	116	405
KEEPING HOUSE	2 768	2	151	741	337	325	155	193	865
GOING TO SCHOOL	666	270	322	59	9	2	1	1	2
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	130	-	31	42	16	15	8	2	16
RETIRED	395	-	-	-	-	2	18	37	338
OTHER	129	3	26	36	7	8	6	8	34
PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL									
BOTH SEXES									
TOTAL	8.0	10.1	9.5	7.2	6.0	5.9	6.7	8.5	11.9
WORKED LAST YEAR	4.9	8.4	7.4	5.0	4.2	3.5	3.5	4.1	4.7
WORKED FULL TIME	4.1	15.9	7.5	4.0	3.9	2.9	2.8	3.2	4.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2.2	(B)	2.5	1.9	2.6	1.9	2.1	2.5	5.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3.4	(B)	4.3	3.0	4.7	3.4	2.0	1.8	-
27 TO 39 WEEKS	6.4	(B)	8.0	6.4	7.1	5.9	2.8	3.4	3.2
26 WEEKS OR LESS	13.5	12.3	12.5	15.3	15.7	15.2	13.3	8.4	3.7
WORKED PART TIME	7.7	7.2	7.3	10.7	6.1	7.0	8.1	8.1	4.9
50 TO 52 WEEKS	6.0	10.3	5.7	6.8	4.1	5.8	7.3	7.6	4.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS	6.6	5.7	7.8	9.2	3.8	5.7	7.2	5.5	1.4
27 TO 39 WEEKS	7.3	3.2	7.6	11.4	4.4	6.0	4.8	5.7	3.2
26 WEEKS OR LESS	9.4	6.5	8.0	14.2	10.1	9.7	11.0	10.9	7.8
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	10.1	(B)	16.7	9.1	12.0	8.5	10.4	10.8	7.0
KEEPING HOUSE	8.1	(B)	14.1	8.9	6.6	6.3	5.6	6.7	7.0
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	9.0	(B)	10.0	8.7	10.2	8.1	6.4	6.4	3.0
OTHER	8.3	6.6	8.1	12.1	8.3	9.8	5.6	4.2	3.1
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	8.1	7.9	8.6	9.2	7.0	3.7	(B)	(B)	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	7.8	(B)	9.5	7.7	9.7	5.2	2.4	3.1	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	9.9	(B)	12.0	8.7	11.5	9.5	7.3	7.3	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	17.5	(B)	15.0	20.1	17.2	20.9	15.6	10.7	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	14.1	10.8	15.8	17.8	13.5	13.7	14.2	13.7	13.5
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	25.4	(B)	19.1	30.1	27.9	27.4	27.3	23.2	24.0
KEEPING HOUSE	12.5	(B)	23.6	14.5	10.6	9.5	8.7	10.1	14.1
GOING TO SCHOOL	12.8	10.8	13.6	24.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	31.9	(B)	25.6	37.3	33.2	35.9	(B)	(B)	(B)
RETIRED	9.8	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	10.0	14.1	10.9	9.5
OTHER	23.6	(B)	24.0	32.9	22.7	27.5	(B)	(B)	16.7
IN ARMED FORCES	2.5	...	2.2	3.7	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS) 14 AND 15	16 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
WHITE--CONTINUED									
PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL--CONTINUED									
MALE									
TOTAL	6.4	10.0	8.2	5.5	5.0	5.2	5.1	7.0	8.3
WORKED LAST YEAR	4.6	9.0	6.8	4.5	4.0	3.6	3.0	4.0	4.0
WORKED FULL TIME	3.9	14.5	7.1	3.7	3.7	3.1	2.6	3.4	3.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2.3	(B)	3.0	2.0	2.6	2.0	1.9	2.8	4.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3.7	(B)	3.1	3.1	5.7	5.0	3.1	2.0	-
27 TO 39 WEEKS	5.9	(B)	6.5	6.2	6.5	7.0	2.7	3.0	2.8
26 WEEKS OR LESS	13.9	10.6	11.9	16.3	21.5	20.6	15.5	8.7	2.6
WORKED PART TIME	8.9	7.9	6.5	16.8	18.9	17.4	10.9	8.9	4.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS	7.8	9.6	5.8	13.2	11.6	12.1	5.2	9.4	4.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS	6.2	(B)	6.0	8.9	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	0.6
27 TO 39 WEEKS	8.4	(B)	4.6	22.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	0.8
26 WEEKS OR LESS	10.5	7.6	7.5	23.1	(B)	27.3	(B)	10.2	8.3
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	10.9	(B)	7.6	9.9	13.7	11.7	13.5	12.0	5.5
KEEPING HOUSE	8.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	8.7	(B)	8.5	8.1	11.2	9.4	6.8	5.2	4.0
OTHER	8.4	7.1	8.0	12.1	9.9	11.6	4.1	4.4	3.1
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	7.1	(B)	6.9	7.5	10.2	3.3	(B)	(B)	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	6.7	(B)	8.3	6.2	8.4	4.3	2.7	(B)	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	10.1	(B)	12.2	8.0	12.3	11.6	8.4	(B)	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	19.3	(B)	14.9	21.8	24.4	24.7	(B)	(B)	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	13.8	10.4	13.5	30.0	33.8	26.9	19.6	14.2	9.9
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	22.0	(B)	(B)	30.2	33.3	26.2	20.5	18.3	18.3
KEEPING HOUSE	24.8	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	11.2
GOING TO SCHOOL	12.1	10.3	12.8	23.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	37.1	(B)	21.4	46.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
RETIRED	8.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	11.2	11.0	10.1	8.1
OTHER	25.7	(B)	19.9	28.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
IN ARMED FORCES	2.5	...	2.2	3.7	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
FEMALE									
TOTAL	9.5	10.3	10.8	8.8	6.9	6.5	8.1	9.8	14.4
WORKED LAST YEAR	5.4	7.6	8.1	5.6	4.5	3.4	4.2	4.4	5.8
WORKED FULL TIME	4.5	18.7	8.0	4.5	4.3	2.5	3.1	2.6	6.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2.0	(B)	1.9	1.5	2.6	1.4	2.5	1.6	8.4
40 TO 49 WEEKS	2.8	(B)	6.0	3.0	3.1	1.0	-	1.5	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	6.9	(B)	9.8	6.5	7.6	4.0	3.0	4.0	(B)
26 WEEKS OR LESS	13.0	15.6	13.4	14.5	12.1	11.3	11.2	8.0	5.6
WORKED PART TIME	7.1	6.3	8.1	8.8	5.0	5.6	7.4	7.7	5.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	5.1	11.5	5.7	4.3	3.4	4.9	7.9	6.8	4.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	6.7	(B)	9.3	9.3	3.1	4.5	7.0	5.8	2.6
27 TO 39 WEEKS	6.9	(B)	10.4	7.8	3.7	5.1	4.1	(B)	5.6
26 WEEKS OR LESS	8.9	5.2	8.4	12.1	8.1	7.1	8.1	11.3	7.2
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	9.1	(B)	25.3	8.0	10.3	4.6	5.8	8.5	9.8
KEEPING HOUSE	8.1	(B)	14.2	9.0	6.6	6.0	5.4	7.0	6.3
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	9.5	(B)	12.5	9.8	8.4	6.2	5.7	8.6	(B)
OTHER	8.3	6.2	8.2	12.1	4.9	6.6	9.3	3.5	3.1
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	9.1	(B)	10.1	10.8	4.6	4.0	(B)	(B)	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	9.6	(B)	11.3	10.1	11.5	6.3	(B)	(B)	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	9.7	(B)	11.7	10.0	10.2	5.6	(B)	(B)	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	14.8	(B)	15.1	17.4	9.4	16.9	(B)	(B)	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	14.3	11.2	17.3	16.3	11.5	11.5	12.9	13.5	15.5
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	28.5	(B)	(B)	30.1	22.3	29.0	34.8	29.5	27.3
KEEPING HOUSE	12.4	(B)	23.6	14.5	10.4	9.3	8.3	10.1	14.2
GOING TO SCHOOL	13.3	11.2	14.3	25.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	27.7	(B)	29.0	30.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
RETIRED	12.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	19.8	12.9	12.0
OTHER	22.1	(B)	28.6	39.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	14.3

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WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS) 14 AND 15	16 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
BLACK									
ALL INCOME LEVELS									
BOTH SEXES									
TOTAL	17 741	1 169	3 236	4 894	2 503	2 273	945	791	1 930
WORKED LAST YEAR	10 332	134	1 530	3 725	1 909	1 658	553	424	400
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	40.5	14.0	24.5	42.2	45.5	46.0	46.5	44.2	34.9
WORKED FULL TIME	8 119	24	814	3 296	1 649	1 417	441	316	163
50 TO 52 WEEKS	5 380	1	195	2 104	1 287	1 125	360	229	80
40 TO 49 WEEKS	660	-	52	326	114	89	35	27	17
27 TO 39 WEEKS	652	-	122	307	102	75	15	23	7
26 WEEKS OR LESS	1 427	23	445	558	145	129	30	36	60
WORKED PART TIME	2 213	110	716	430	261	241	112	108	237
50 TO 52 WEEKS	686	13	122	145	97	114	54	51	91
40 TO 49 WEEKS	187	-	34	40	33	25	7	17	30
27 TO 39 WEEKS	225	1	67	49	27	27	17	12	24
26 WEEKS OR LESS	1 116	96	492	196	103	76	34	27	92
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	523	-	37	152	80	115	35	40	64
KEEPING HOUSE	741	1	79	337	122	80	22	36	65
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 565	9	292	734	248	163	58	38	23
OTHER	1 437	110	805	254	74	61	25	30	76
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	436	17	156	177	43	18	11	8	5
5 TO 14 WEEKS	636	2	159	277	74	77	24	10	13
15 TO 26 WEEKS	576	3	130	263	92	55	18	6	8
27 WEEKS OR MORE	517	6	135	210	80	51	15	15	4
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	7 286	1 035	1 690	1 084	577	610	392	367	1 530
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 573	6	34	176	157	299	214	160	526
KEEPING HOUSE	1 883	10	212	498	317	223	134	127	360
GOING TO SCHOOL	2 402	1 011	1 215	153	17	5	1	-	-
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	492	6	170	182	64	40	16	5	9
RETIRED	697	-	-	2	4	5	24	68	594
OTHER	240	3	58	73	18	38	3	8	40
IN ARMED FORCES	123	...	16	85	17	5	-	-	-
MALE									
TOTAL	8 057	587	1 528	2 198	1 089	1 058	414	365	819
WORKED LAST YEAR	5 333	92	811	1 825	961	892	288	250	216
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	41.6	13.9	24.9	44.3	46.8	46.8	48.3	44.6	35.6
WORKED FULL TIME	4 469	19	447	1 655	890	848	277	223	109
50 TO 52 WEEKS	3 082	-	113	1 128	709	687	226	161	59
40 TO 49 WEEKS	362	-	29	161	65	50	25	18	12
27 TO 39 WEEKS	339	-	59	158	50	39	12	17	4
26 WEEKS OR LESS	687	19	245	208	67	72	14	27	34
WORKED PART TIME	864	73	364	169	70	44	11	26	106
50 TO 52 WEEKS	228	10	75	65	21	8	1	13	35
40 TO 49 WEEKS	65	-	14	23	11	1	1	3	13
27 TO 39 WEEKS	85	1	24	15	10	12	5	2	16
26 WEEKS OR LESS	485	62	251	66	28	24	4	9	42
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	262	-	12	67	35	65	19	25	38
KEEPING HOUSE	14	-	3	1	2	-	2	2	3
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	872	6	167	405	129	94	30	29	13
OTHER	873	75	442	158	64	37	9	20	67
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	203	13	57	88	21	13	8	4	-
5 TO 14 WEEKS	361	1	94	150	40	45	17	6	8
15 TO 26 WEEKS	343	2	78	146	58	39	9	5	6
27 WEEKS OR MORE	241	4	77	85	34	23	1	14	1
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	2 601	495	701	288	111	160	126	115	604
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	656	-	21	94	70	121	92	65	194
KEEPING HOUSE	19	1	2	4	2	4	-	-	6
GOING TO SCHOOL	1 144	493	575	73	2	1	-	-	-
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	202	1	76	69	27	13	9	3	4
RETIRED	460	-	-	2	4	5	22	42	384
OTHER	120	-	27	48	8	16	2	4	15
IN ARMED FORCES	123	...	16	85	17	5	-	-	-

Table 14. Work Experience—Persons 14 Years Old and Over by Poverty Status in 1977, Age, Sex, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS) 14 AND 15	16 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
BLACK--CONTINUED									
ALL INCOME LEVELS--CONTINUED									
FEMALE									
TOTAL	9 684	582	1 708	2 696	1 414	1 215	531	426	1 111
WORKED LAST YEAR	4 999	42	719	1 901	949	766	265	174	184
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	39.3	(B)	24.1	40.1	44.3	45.1	44.5	43.6	34.2
WORKED FULL TIME	3 649	5	367	1 640	758	568	164	92	54
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 298	1	82	976	578	437	134	68	21
40 TO 49 WEEKS	298	-	22	165	50	38	10	9	4
27 TO 39 WEEKS	313	-	63	149	52	36	4	6	3
26 WEEKS OR LESS	740	4	200	351	78	57	16	9	25
WORKED PART TIME	1 350	37	352	260	190	198	101	82	130
50 TO 52 WEEKS	458	3	48	79	76	106	53	38	56
40 TO 49 WEEKS	122	-	21	16	22	25	6	14	17
27 TO 39 WEEKS	139	-	43	34	17	15	12	10	8
26 WEEKS OR LESS	631	34	240	131	75	52	30	19	50
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	261	-	25	85	45	49	16	14	26
KEEPING HOUSE	727	1	75	335	120	80	20	33	62
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	692	2	125	329	120	69	28	9	9
OTHER	564	35	364	96	10	24	16	10	9
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	233	4	100	89	22	5	3	4	5
5 TO 14 WEEKS	275	2	65	127	34	32	7	4	5
15 TO 26 WEEKS	233	1	52	117	34	16	9	1	2
27 WEEKS OR MORE	276	2	58	124	46	28	13	1	3
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	4 685	540	989	796	466	449	266	253	927
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	916	6	13	82	88	178	122	95	332
KEEPING HOUSE	1 863	9	211	494	316	219	134	127	354
GOING TO SCHOOL	1 258	518	640	81	15	4	1	-	-
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	290	5	94	113	37	27	7	1	5
RETIRED	238	-	-	-	-	-	2	26	210
OTHER	121	3	31	26	10	21	1	4	26
INCOME BELOW POVERTY LEVEL									
BOTH SEXES									
TOTAL	4 762	483	1 080	1 026	562	441	262	208	701
WORKED LAST YEAR	1 504	61	350	465	245	172	69	66	74
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	27.7	(B)	17.6	27.8	35.2	36.1	(B)	(B)	(B)
WORKED FULL TIME	853	13	177	332	158	98	31	25	19
50 TO 52 WEEKS	275	1	15	90	84	49	16	11	8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	48	-	2	24	13	6	1	2	-
27 TO 39 WEEKS	67	-	13	34	11	5	2	3	-
26 WEEKS OR LESS	464	12	147	184	50	38	12	10	11
WORKED PART TIME	650	48	173	133	87	74	38	41	55
50 TO 52 WEEKS	154	2	19	27	20	37	18	16	15
40 TO 49 WEEKS	36	-	5	8	6	3	5	4	5
27 TO 39 WEEKS	66	-	16	17	15	6	3	7	3
26 WEEKS OR LESS	394	46	133	81	47	28	13	15	32
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	115	-	11	28	22	16	10	8	21
KEEPING HOUSE	239	1	31	108	30	18	12	17	22
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	361	5	61	155	78	40	13	9	1
OTHER	360	51	213	57	12	12	1	6	8
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	105	7	39	41	8	4	3	4	-
5 TO 14 WEEKS	125	2	38	50	11	15	4	2	2
15 TO 26 WEEKS	159	1	41	64	30	14	5	2	-
27 WEEKS OR MORE	163	4	27	70	38	16	5	3	-
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	3 255	422	728	559	316	269	193	142	626
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	788	4	21	95	76	144	123	68	257
KEEPING HOUSE	913	5	122	274	173	78	54	52	156
GOING TO SCHOOL	962	411	475	66	9	-	-	-	-
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	269	1	84	95	44	28	7	3	6
RETIRED	214	-	-	2	-	1	6	18	187
OTHER	109	-	26	27	13	18	3	1	21
IN ARMED FORCES	3	...	2	1	-	-	-	-	-

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS)							
		14 AND 15	16 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
BLACK--CONTINUED									
INCOME BELOW POVERTY LEVEL--CONTINUED									
MALE									
TOTAL	1 650	221	453	278	156	140	88	70	243
WORKED LAST YEAR	627	35	176	171	104	67	18	27	29
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	28.6	(B)	18.2	32.1	37.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
WORKED FULL TIME	406	8	94	129	79	57	15	15	10
50 TO 52 WEEKS	153	-	10	46	47	33	4	5	8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	22	-	-	14	1	5	1	2	-
27 TO 39 WEEKS	24	-	7	7	5	3	1	1	-
26 WEEKS OR LESS	206	8	77	61	26	16	9	7	2
WORKED PART TIME	221	27	81	43	25	10	3	12	19
50 TO 52 WEEKS	45	2	12	9	9	2	1	6	4
40 TO 49 WEEKS	12	-	3	4	2	-	1	2	-
27 TO 39 WEEKS	17	-	4	5	5	2	-	1	-
26 WEEKS OR LESS	147	25	62	23	9	7	1	4	16
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	47	-	6	9	7	3	5	6	11
KEEPING HOUSE	3	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	166	3	31	71	31	21	5	5	-
OTHER	212	30	116	35	10	9	1	4	6
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	32	4	14	13	-	-	-	-	-
5 TO 14 WEEKS	50	1	19	16	1	7	3	2	1
15 TO 26 WEEKS	102	1	28	38	15	13	4	2	-
27 WEEKS OR MORE	59	2	12	22	17	4	-	1	-
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	1 020	186	275	105	53	73	70	43	214
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	302	-	12	37	30	50	58	29	86
KEEPING HOUSE	7	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	3
GOING TO SCHOOL	426	186	216	23	-	-	-	-	-
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	100	-	34	29	18	7	4	2	4
RETIRED	133	-	-	2	-	1	6	11	113
OTHER	52	-	10	14	5	12	2	1	7
IN ARMED FORCES	3	...	2	1	-	-	-	-	-
FEMALE									
TOTAL	3 112	262	627	748	405	300	174	138	457
WORKED LAST YEAR	877	27	175	294	142	105	51	39	45
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	27.2	(B)	16.9	25.3	33.7	34.9	(B)	(B)	(B)
WORKED FULL TIME	448	5	83	203	79	41	16	10	10
50 TO 52 WEEKS	122	1	5	44	37	16	12	6	-
40 TO 49 WEEKS	26	-	2	10	12	2	-	-	-
27 TO 39 WEEKS	42	-	6	27	6	2	1	1	-
26 WEEKS OR LESS	258	4	70	122	24	22	3	3	10
WORKED PART TIME	429	21	92	91	62	63	35	29	35
50 TO 52 WEEKS	108	-	7	18	11	35	16	10	11
40 TO 49 WEEKS	25	-	2	4	4	3	5	2	5
27 TO 39 WEEKS	49	-	12	11	10	4	3	6	3
26 WEEKS OR LESS	247	21	71	58	38	21	11	11	16
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	68	-	5	19	15	13	5	1	9
KEEPING HOUSE	236	1	31	108	30	18	10	16	22
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	195	2	30	84	47	19	9	4	1
OTHER	148	21	96	21	2	3	-	2	2
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	73	2	24	28	8	4	3	4	-
5 TO 14 WEEKS	75	2	18	34	10	8	1	-	1
15 TO 26 WEEKS	57	-	13	26	14	1	1	-	-
27 WEEKS OR MORE	104	2	15	48	20	12	5	1	-
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	2 235	235	453	454	264	196	123	99	412
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	485	4	9	57	46	94	65	38	171
KEEPING HOUSE	906	5	120	274	173	76	54	52	153
GOING TO SCHOOL	536	225	258	43	9	-	-	-	-
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	169	1	50	66	26	21	3	1	1
RETIRED	81	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	74
OTHER	57	-	15	13	8	6	1	-	14

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS) 14 AND 15	16 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
BLACK--CONTINUED									
PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL									
BOTH SEXES									
TOTAL	26.8	41.3	33.4	21.0	22.4	19.4	27.8	26.3	36.3
WORKED LAST YEAR	14.6	45.8	22.9	12.5	12.9	10.4	12.6	15.7	18.5
WORKED FULL TIME	10.5	(B)	21.8	10.1	9.6	6.9	7.0	7.9	11.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS	5.1	(B)	8.0	4.3	6.5	4.4	4.4	4.9	9.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	7.3	(B)	(B)	7.5	11.6	7.0	(B)	(B)	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	10.2	(B)	10.4	11.1	10.4	6.0	(B)	(B)	(B)
26 WEEKS OR LESS	32.5	(B)	33.1	32.9	34.5	29.7	(B)	(B)	(B)
WORKED PART TIME	29.4	43.9	24.2	31.1	33.5	30.5	34.3	38.3	23.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	22.4	(B)	15.8	18.8	20.2	32.3	(B)	(B)	16.4
40 TO 49 WEEKS	19.5	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	29.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
26 WEEKS OR LESS	35.3	47.8	27.0	41.4	45.5	36.7	(B)	(B)	34.7
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	22.0	(B)	(B)	18.7	27.5	13.9	(B)	(B)	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	32.3	(B)	39.5	32.2	24.6	22.9	(B)	(B)	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	23.1	(B)	20.8	21.1	31.3	24.2	(B)	(B)	(B)
OTHER	25.0	46.6	26.4	22.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	10.2
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	24.1	(B)	24.6	23.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	19.7	(B)	23.8	18.2	(B)	19.9	(B)	(B)	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	27.6	(B)	31.7	24.4	32.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	31.5	(B)	19.8	33.6	47.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	44.7	40.7	43.1	51.6	54.8	44.1	49.2	38.6	40.9
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	50.1	(B)	(B)	53.9	48.3	48.1	57.3	42.4	48.8
KEEPING HOUSE	48.5	(B)	57.3	55.1	54.6	34.7	40.4	40.8	43.2
GOING TO SCHOOL	40.0	40.7	39.1	43.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	54.8	(B)	49.7	52.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
RETIRED	30.7	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	31.5
OTHER	45.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
IN ARMED FORCES	2.7	...	(B)	1.7	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
MALE									
TOTAL	20.5	37.6	29.6	12.7	14.4	13.3	21.3	19.3	29.7
WORKED LAST YEAR	11.7	37.9	21.7	9.4	10.8	7.5	6.2	10.9	13.4
WORKED FULL TIME	9.1	(B)	21.1	7.8	8.8	6.7	5.3	6.6	8.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS	5.0	(B)	9.2	4.1	6.6	4.8	1.7	3.0	(B)
40 TO 49 WEEKS	6.1	(B)	(B)	8.7	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	7.2	(B)	(B)	4.7	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
26 WEEKS OR LESS	30.1	(B)	31.5	29.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
WORKED PART TIME	25.6	(B)	22.3	25.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	18.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	19.8	(B)	16.6	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
40 TO 49 WEEKS	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	19.8	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
26 WEEKS OR LESS	30.3	(B)	24.8	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	18.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	19.0	(B)	18.5	17.5	23.9	22.1	(B)	(B)	(B)
OTHER	24.3	39.4	26.4	22.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	15.5	(B)	(B)	14.7	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	13.9	(B)	20.5	10.6	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	29.7	(B)	35.9	26.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	24.3	(B)	15.0	26.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	39.2	37.6	39.2	36.5	47.5	45.6	55.6	37.5	35.5
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	46.1	(B)	(B)	39.8	(B)	41.6	62.5	(B)	44.4
KEEPING HOUSE	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	37.2	37.8	37.6	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	49.4	(B)	45.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
RETIRED	28.9	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	29.5
OTHER	43.5	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
IN ARMED FORCES	2.7	...	(B)	1.7	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	TOTAL	AGE (YEARS)							
		14 AND 15	16 TO 21	22 TO 34	35 TO 44	45 TO 54	55 TO 59	60 TO 64	65 AND OVER
BLACK--CONTINUED									
PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL--CONTINUED									
FEMALE									
TOTAL	32.1	45.0	36.7	27.7	28.7	24.7	32.8	32.4	41.2
WORKED LAST YEAR	17.5	(B)	24.3	15.5	14.9	13.7	19.4	22.5	24.5
WORKED FULL TIME	12.3	(B)	22.6	12.4	10.5	7.3	10.0	11.0	(B)
50 TO 52 WEEKS	5.3	(B)	6.2	4.5	6.4	3.7	9.0	(B)	(B)
40 TO 49 WEEKS	8.7	(B)	(B)	6.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	13.5	(B)	(B)	17.8	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
26 WEEKS OR LESS	34.8	(B)	35.0	34.9	30.7	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
WORKED PART TIME	31.8	(B)	26.1	34.9	32.8	32.1	34.8	35.5	27.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	23.7	(B)	(B)	22.3	14.5	33.0	(B)	(B)	(B)
40 TO 49 WEEKS	20.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	35.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
26 WEEKS OR LESS	39.1	(B)	29.4	44.3	50.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	26.0	(B)	(B)	22.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	32.5	(B)	41.3	32.3	25.0	22.9	(B)	(B)	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	28.2	(B)	24.0	25.4	39.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
OTHER	26.2	(B)	26.5	22.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	31.5	(B)	24.5	31.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	27.3	(B)	(B)	27.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	24.4	(B)	(B)	22.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	37.7	(B)	(B)	38.9	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	47.7	43.6	45.8	57.0	56.6	43.5	46.1	39.1	44.5
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	53.0	(B)	(B)	70.1	52.9	52.5	53.3	40.7	51.4
KEEPING HOUSE	48.6	(B)	57.0	55.6	54.8	34.5	40.4	40.8	43.1
GOING TO SCHOOL	42.6	43.5	40.4	53.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	58.5	(B)	53.2	58.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
RETIRED	34.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	35.3
OTHER	47.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)

Table 15. Selected Characteristics of the Aged—Persons 60 Years Old and Over by Poverty Status in 1977, Age and Sex

[NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT]

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	ALL INCOME LEVELS						BELOW POVERTY LEVEL					
				65 YEARS OLD AND OVER						65 YEARS OLD AND OVER		
	TOTAL	60 AND 61 YEARS	62 TO 64 YEARS	TOTAL	65 TO 71 YEARS	72 YEARS AND OVER	TOTAL	60 AND 61 YEARS	62 TO 64 YEARS	TOTAL	65 TO 71 YEARS	72 YEARS AND OVER
BOTH SEXES												
FAMILY STATUS AND COMPOSITION												
TOTAL	31 946	3 824	5 654	22 468	10 844	11 624	4 123	332	614	3 177	1 287	1 890
IN FAMILIES	22 913	3 222	4 541	15 150	7 921	7 229	1 647	174	297	1 176	553	622
HEAD OF FAMILY	12 422	1 741	2 469	8 212	4 261	3 950	1 003	97	197	710	310	400
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 139	304	290	545	371	174	267	42	52	172	94	78
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.56	1.55	1.47	1.62	1.67	1.52	1.86	(B)	(B)	1.81	2.01	1.58
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	2.44	2.73	2.53	2.35	2.40	2.29	2.66	3.31	2.69	2.56	2.72	2.43
WIFE OF FAMILY HEAD	7 940	1 327	1 788	4 824	2 965	1 860	529	70	95	364	204	160
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	2 551	153	284	2 114	694	1 419	114	7	5	102	39	62
IN SUBFAMILIES	200	4	44	151	55	96	57	2	19	35	17	19
HEAD OF SUBFAMILY	108	3	26	79	30	49	31	2	11	18	9	9
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	3	-	2	1	-	1	2	-	2	-	-	-
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
WIFE OF SUBFAMILY HEAD	91	1	18	73	25	47	25	-	8	17	8	9
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	9 033	602	1 113	7 319	2 923	4 395	2 476	158	317	2 001	733	1 268
LIVING ALONE	8 326	551	974	6 801	2 656	4 145	2 235	143	265	1 827	641	1 187
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	707	51	139	517	267	250	241	15	52	174	93	81
IN HOUSEHOLDS	613	45	119	448	228	221	207	13	51	143	75	68
IN GROUP QUARTERS	95	6	20	69	40	29	34	2	1	31	18	13
TYPE OF RESIDENCE												
TOTAL	31 946	3 824	5 654	22 468	10 844	11 624	4 123	332	614	3 177	1 287	1 890
METROPOLITAN AREAS	20 124	2 494	3 630	14 000	6 854	7 146	2 086	184	309	1 593	691	902
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	2 415	246	391	1 778	853	925	628	59	76	493	226	267
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	17 709	2 248	3 239	12 222	6 001	6 221	1 458	125	233	1 100	465	635
INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	9 431	1 086	1 646	6 699	3 255	3 443	1 242	127	161	953	436	517
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	1 727	190	265	1 273	608	665	487	47	51	389	175	214
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	7 703	896	1 382	5 426	2 648	2 778	755	80	111	564	261	303
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	10 693	1 409	1 984	7 301	3 599	3 703	844	57	148	639	254	385
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	688	56	126	505	245	260	141	11	26	104	51	53
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	10 006	1 352	1 857	6 796	3 353	3 443	703	46	122	535	203	332
NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS	11 822	1 330	2 024	8 468	3 990	4 478	2 037	148	305	1 584	596	988
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	4 515	487	783	3 246	1 541	1 705	1 113	79	158	876	344	533
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	7 307	843	1 241	5 223	2 450	2 773	923	69	147	708	252	455
MARITAL STATUS												
TOTAL	31 946	3 824	5 654	22 468	10 844	11 624	4 123	332	614	3 177	1 287	1 890
SINGLE	1 827	182	322	1 322	685	637	367	36	64	267	135	132
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	18 630	2 868	4 018	11 744	6 642	5 102	1 272	149	244	880	443	437
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	741	108	140	493	275	218	240	29	47	164	89	75
SEPARATED	469	75	90	304	195	108	181	24	32	125	79	47
OTHER	272	33	50	189	80	109	59	5	15	39	10	28
WIDOWED	9 556	450	899	8 217	2 792	5 425	1 986	81	193	1 712	538	1 174
DIVORCED	1 193	216	285	692	450	242	257	37	67	153	82	72
WORK EXPERIENCE												
PERSONS[1]	31 946	3 824	5 654	22 468	10 844	11 624	4 123	332	614	3 177	1 287	1 890
WORKED LAST YEAR	9 234	2 358	2 824	4 052	2 895	1 157	513	116	150	248	161	87
50 TO 52 WEEKS	5 510	1 742	1 828	1 940	1 359	581	244	62	71	111	65	46
FULL-TIME	4 160	1 544	1 544	1 072	820	252	148	41	43	63	42	22
49 WEEKS OR LESS	3 724	616	996	2 112	1 536	576	269	54	79	137	96	41
FULL-TIME	1 868	419	635	814	653	161	98	26	39	33	27	6
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:												
ILL OR DISABLED	558	129	139	290	201	89	69	18	14	37	30	6
KEEPING HOUSE	956	160	273	523	402	120	98	17	26	55	38	17
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	509	151	196	162	123	39	35	10	20	5	3	2
RETIRED	1 216	63	275	879	628	250	38	3	8	27	14	13
OTHER	485	113	113	258	181	78	30	6	10	13	10	3
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	41.3	46.3	43.0	37.3	37.2	37.6	34.3	38.3	35.4	31.8	30.8	33.8
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	22 712	1 466	2 830	18 417	7 949	10 467	3 610	216	465	2 929	1 126	1 803
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:												
ILL OR DISABLED	3 997	399	684	2 914	1 157	1 757	1 114	95	186	833	320	513
KEEPING HOUSE	8 676	792	1 268	6 616	3 090	3 526	1 289	84	163	1 042	410	632
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	133	23	31	79	54	25	47	5	9	33	23	10
RETIRED	9 510	216	808	8 485	3 550	4 935	1 073	22	99	951	350	601
OTHER	396	35	38	323	98	225	87	9	8	70	23	47
FAMILY HEADS[1]	12 422	1 741	2 469	8 212	4 261	3 950	1 003	97	197	710	310	400
WORKED LAST YEAR	5 179	1 370	1 588	2 221	1 562	659	213	51	63	99	63	36
50 TO 52 WEEKS	3 254	1 081	1 117	1 056	737	319	122	34	42	46	24	22
FULL-TIME	2 687	1 020	1 019	647	501	146	89	26	31	32	19	14
49 WEEKS OR LESS	1 925	288	471	1 165	826	339	91	17	22	53	39	13
FULL-TIME	1 060	234	352	474	368	106	35	12	12	12	9	3
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:												
ILL OR DISABLED	323	76	65	182	115	67	37	10	9	18	15	4
KEEPING HOUSE	144	16	38	90	76	14	16	1	1	14	12	2
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	285	88	95	102	73	29	12	3	5	4	2	2
RETIRED	882	36	203	643	459	183	14	2	3	9	6	3
OTHER	291	72	70	148	103	46	13	1	5	7	5	3
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	42.4	47.9	44.6	37.4	37.6	36.9	38.6	(B)	(B)	33.7	(B)	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	7 243	372	881	5 991	2 699	3 292	790	46	133	611	247	364
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:												
ILL OR DISABLED	1 453	186	298	969	467	501	266	27	58	181	76	105
KEEPING HOUSE	694	46	75	572	247	325	105	11	18	76	34	43
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	56	12	11	32	18	14	9	2	2	5	3	1
RETIRED	4 979	123	485	4 371	1 951	2 420	391	6	49	335	132	203
OTHER	63	4	12	48	16	31	20	1	5	14	1	12

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SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	ALL INCOME LEVELS						BELOW POVERTY LEVEL					
				65 YEARS OLD AND OVER						65 YEARS OLD AND OVER		
	TOTAL	60 AND 61 YEARS	62 TO 64 YEARS	TOTAL	65 TO 71 YEARS	72 YEARS AND OVER	TOTAL	60 AND 61 YEARS	62 TO 64 YEARS	TOTAL	65 TO 71 YEARS	72 YEARS AND OVER
BOTH SEXES--CONTINUED												
WORK EXPERIENCE--CONTINUED												
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS[1]	9 033	602	1 113	7 319	2 923	4 395	2 476	158	317	2 001	733	1 268
WORKED LAST YEAR	2 078	375	566	1 137	776	361	251	49	71	131	84	47
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 153	260	340	553	362	191	101	19	26	57	34	23
FULL-TIME	770	235	262	272	190	83	45	10	9	26	17	8
49 WEEKS OR LESS	925	115	226	584	414	170	150	30	45	74	50	24
FULL-TIME	421	73	145	204	163	41	52	12	23	17	14	2
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:												
ILL OR DISABLED	135	25	45	66	54	12	25	8	5	12	10	1
KEEPING HOUSE	327	32	60	236	164	71	60	9	14	38	25	13
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	124	27	57	41	34	7	24	7	15	2	2	-
RETIRED	220	11	41	168	114	54	25	1	6	18	7	10
OTHER	118	20	24	74	47	26	16	5	6	6	6	-
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	39.6	44.8	40.9	37.3	36.8	38.3	30.9	(B)	(B)	30.4	30.2	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	6 955	227	547	6 182	2 148	4 034	2 225	109	246	1 870	650	1 220
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:												
ILL OR DISABLED	1 413	111	188	1 114	383	731	735	62	113	559	204	355
KEEPING HOUSE	2 486	55	179	2 252	744	1 508	777	23	78	676	219	457
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	60	3	16	41	30	10	34	1	6	26	18	8
RETIRED	2 859	44	158	2 657	957	1 700	630	15	45	569	196	373
OTHER	136	13	5	118	34	84	50	7	3	40	13	27
SOURCE OF INCOME												
PERSONS	31 946	3 829	5 654	22 468	10 844	11 624	4 123	332	614	3 177	1 287	1 890
EARNINGS ONLY	2 007	918	793	296	252	44	164	76	53	36	24	12
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	1 742	795	693	254	219	35	112	50	36	26	14	12
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	262	120	100	42	32	9	52	26	17	9	9	-
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	7 473	1 433	2 043	3 997	2 713	1 284	366	40	100	227	146	81
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1 312	31	301	979	673	306	150	3	44	103	65	37
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	14	2	2	10	6	3	10	2	2	7	5	1
EARNINGS, SOCIAL SECURITY, AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	79	1	4	75	49	26	35	1	-	34	21	13
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	6 048	1 398	1 732	2 916	1 977	940	169	34	54	82	52	29
OTHER COMBINATIONS	20	-	4	17	8	8	2	-	-	2	2	-
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	20 355	855	2 326	17 174	7 373	9 800	3 333	147	400	2 786	1 065	1 721
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	6 441	183	837	5 421	2 535	2 887	1 362	30	193	1 139	480	659
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	450	47	56	347	134	213	236	18	32	186	67	118
OTHER INCOME ONLY	621	171	146	304	121	182	152	29	37	85	34	51
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY[2]	147	29	27	91	31	59	80	8	17	55	19	36
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1 213	34	81	1 098	416	683	575	15	37	523	207	316
SOCIAL SECURITY AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	11 031	281	1 101	9 650	4 034	5 616	927	37	85	805	264	541
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME AND OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY[2]	458	30	58	369	136	233	74	11	6	56	18	39
SOCIAL SECURITY AND "ALL OTHER" INCOME ONLY[3]	10 574	251	1 043	9 280	3 898	5 382	853	25	79	748	246	503
OTHER COMBINATIONS	599	139	106	354	134	220	82	18	16	48	13	35
NO INCOME	2 112	619	492	1 001	506	496	259	69	61	129	52	76
FAMILY HEADS	12 422	1 741	2 469	8 212	4 261	3 950	1 003	97	197	710	310	400
EARNINGS ONLY	874	389	364	122	110	11	72	31	28	13	7	5
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	730	327	302	100	89	11	43	17	16	10	4	5
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	143	59	61	22	21	1	29	14	12	3	3	-
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	4 453	983	1 244	2 226	1 496	730	148	21	36	90	61	28
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	529	12	101	416	268	148	61	2	14	44	31	14
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	9	2	-	6	4	2	5	2	-	3	3	-
EARNINGS, SOCIAL SECURITY, AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	37	1	4	32	19	13	16	1	-	14	8	7
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	3 871	967	1 139	1 765	1 204	561	67	16	22	28	20	8
OTHER COMBINATIONS	7	-	1	7	1	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	7 048	355	844	5 850	2 650	3 200	760	39	121	600	240	360
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1 328	66	155	1 107	477	630	312	11	60	241	112	129
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	102	10	9	83	29	55	65	2	8	56	21	35
OTHER INCOME ONLY	135	45	37	53	16	37	34	9	10	16	5	10
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY[2]	45	15	12	18	2	16	21	5	5	11	2	9
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	320	6	30	284	107	177	134	1	14	120	44	76
SOCIAL SECURITY AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	4 910	152	562	4 196	1 969	2 227	184	10	22	152	56	96
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME AND OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY[2]	219	17	38	164	70	94	23	5	3	14	6	8
SOCIAL SECURITY AND "ALL OTHER" INCOME ONLY[3]	4 691	135	525	4 032	1 899	2 133	161	4	19	138	50	88
OTHER COMBINATIONS	252	76	50	126	53	74	31	8	9	15	2	13
NO INCOME	46	15	18	14	5	9	23	5	11	7	1	6
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	9 033	602	1 113	7 319	2 923	4 395	2 476	158	317	2 001	733	1 268
EARNINGS ONLY	321	133	121	68	52	15	70	34	16	20	13	7
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	287	114	112	61	46	15	53	27	12	14	7	7
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	33	18	9	6	6	-	17	8	4	6	6	-
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	1 915	248	461	1 205	778	427	204	17	61	127	76	50
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	369	7	78	284	185	99	81	1	27	53	31	22
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	5	-	2	4	2	1	5	-	2	4	2	1
EARNINGS, SOCIAL SECURITY, AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	37	-	-	37	24	13	19	-	-	19	13	6
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	1 491	241	379	871	559	312	96	16	32	49	28	21
OTHER COMBINATIONS	13	-	3	10	7	3	2	-	-	2	2	-

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				65 YEARS OLD AND OVER						65 YEARS OLD AND OVER		
	TOTAL	60 AND 61 YEARS	62 TO 64 YEARS	TOTAL	65 TO 71 YEARS	72 YEARS AND OVER	TOTAL	60 AND 61 YEARS	62 TO 64 YEARS	TOTAL	65 TO 71 YEARS	72 YEARS AND OVER
BOTH SEXES--CONTINUED												
SOURCE OF INCOME--CONTINUED												
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS--CONTINUED												
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	6 760	210	524	6 027	2 087	3 940	2 164	95	233	1 836	637	1 199
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1 386	28	121	1 237	432	805	821	15	104	702	257	446
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	154	16	25	113	49	64	133	14	19	100	38	62
OTHER INCOME ONLY	154	31	36	87	28	59	90	19	22	49	16	33
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY[2]	57	6	10	41	15	25	46	3	10	34	11	23
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	602	15	29	558	204	354	362	10	20	332	128	204
SOCIAL SECURITY AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	4 278	90	299	3 889	1 328	2 562	711	27	63	621	188	433
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME AND OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY[2]	207	11	15	181	55	125	47	6	3	38	7	30
SOCIAL SECURITY AND "ALL OTHER" INCOME ONLY[3]	4 072	79	284	3 708	1 272	2 436	664	21	60	583	180	403
OTHER COMBINATIONS	185	30	13	142	46	96	48	10	6	32	11	21
NO INCOME	37	12	7	19	7	12	37	12	7	19	7	12
TYPE OF INCOME												
PERSONS[4]	31 946	3 824	5 654	22 468	10 844	11 624	4 123	332	614	3 177	1 287	1 890
EARNINGS[4]	9 480	2 351	2 836	4 293	2 965	1 328	531	116	153	262	169	93
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	7 618	2 039	2 437	3 142	2 346	796	336	72	105	159	108	51
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1 402	304	345	753	456	297	105	27	29	49	31	17
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	927	136	182	609	325	283	106	22	27	56	30	26
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[4]	27 822	2 288	4 363	21 171	10 087	11 084	3 700	187	500	3 012	1 211	1 802
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	23 194	594	2 887	19 643	9 218	10 425	3 133	88	384	2 661	1 071	1 590
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	2 188	124	173	1 892	754	1 138	1 030	55	82	893	365	528
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	2 385	369	491	1 524	697	827	408	51	79	279	104	175
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	14 703	1 584	2 477	10 642	4 976	5 666	859	55	105	699	231	468
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC	7 240	523	1 136	5 582	2 851	2 731	167	23	25	119	45	75
NO INCOME	2 112	619	492	1 001	506	496	259	69	61	129	52	76
FAMILY HEADS[4]	12 422	1 741	2 469	8 212	4 261	3 950	1 003	97	197	710	310	400
EARNINGS[4]	5 327	1 371	1 608	2 348	1 607	741	220	53	65	103	69	34
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	4 096	1 162	1 327	1 607	1 190	417	114	27	36	51	36	15
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	962	211	242	510	319	191	46	15	12	20	15	5
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	655	113	141	402	233	169	71	15	25	32	19	13
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[4]	11 496	1 338	2 083	8 076	4 146	3 929	908	60	158	690	301	388
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	8 896	272	1 158	7 467	3 726	3 741	736	25	117	594	265	329
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	615	35	60	521	206	315	271	13	28	230	93	137
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 226	244	300	682	357	326	118	25	28	65	26	39
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	7 589	1 011	1 508	5 071	2 661	2 410	185	17	36	133	52	81
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC	3 848	340	669	2 838	1 602	1 236	38	8	4	25	10	16
NO INCOME	46	15	18	14	5	9	23	5	11	7	1	6
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS[4]	9 033	602	1 113	7 319	2 923	4 395	2 476	158	317	2 001	733	1 268
EARNINGS[4]	2 236	380	582	1 273	830	443	275	51	77	147	90	57
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	1 834	334	522	978	689	289	199	39	60	100	65	34
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	258	39	59	160	88	72	49	6	16	27	15	12
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	213	16	25	172	78	94	32	7	2	22	9	13
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[4]	8 675	457	985	7 232	2 864	4 368	2 369	112	294	1 962	713	1 249
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	7 638	163	698	6 778	2 647	4 131	2 048	55	230	1 763	636	1 127
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 034	50	67	917	367	550	633	35	44	555	223	331
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	825	64	126	635	253	383	255	26	47	182	56	126
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	4 970	312	564	4 094	1 578	2 516	644	35	66	543	163	380
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC	2 273	105	262	1 907	802	1 105	123	14	21	87	31	56
NO INCOME	37	12	7	19	7	12	37	12	7	19	7	12
TENURE AND LIVING ARRANGEMENTS												
PERSONS IN HOUSEHOLDS	31 946	3 824	5 654	22 468	10 844	11 624	4 123	332	614	3 177	1 287	1 890
LIVING WITH RELATIVES	23 078	3 227	4 583	15 268	7 995	7 273	1 719	173	314	1 231	590	641
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	19 148	2 747	3 852	12 550	6 661	5 889	1 184	116	220	847	387	461
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	3 930	480	732	2 718	1 334	1 384	535	57	94	383	203	180
PUBLIC	237	26	43	168	80	88	64	5	9	50	25	25
PRIVATE	3 692	454	689	2 550	1 254	1 295	471	52	86	334	179	155
SUBSIDIZED	69	4	6	58	25	33	7	1	2	4	-	4
FAMILY HEADS	12 412	1 739	2 469	8 204	4 260	3 944	1 001	94	197	710	310	400
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	10 328	1 487	2 082	6 759	3 567	3 192	699	63	136	500	200	299
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	2 084	252	386	1 444	693	752	302	31	61	210	110	101
PUBLIC	133	16	19	98	48	50	38	5	1	32	16	17
PRIVATE	1 951	236	369	1 346	645	701	264	27	59	178	94	84
SUBSIDIZED	38	3	4	31	9	22	4	-	1	2	-	2
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES ONLY	542	47	96	399	193	206	169	15	35	119	56	63
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	353	31	62	260	118	141	91	8	18	66	31	35
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	190	16	34	140	75	65	78	8	17	53	25	28
PUBLIC	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PRIVATE	190	16	34	140	75	65	78	8	17	53	25	28
SUBSIDIZED	3	-	-	3	-	3	1	-	-	1	-	1
LIVING ALONE	8 326	551	974	6 801	2 656	4 145	2 235	143	265	1 827	641	1 187
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	4 979	320	587	4 071	1 569	2 502	1 174	62	147	964	310	654
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	3 347	230	387	2 730	1 087	1 643	1 062	81	118	863	330	532
PUBLIC	424	10	34	380	136	244	207	7	22	179	63	116
PRIVATE	2 923	220	353	2 350	952	1 398	854	74	96	684	268	416
SUBSIDIZED	161	6	15	141	67	74	56	3	13	41	20	21

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	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
FEMALE												
FAMILY STATUS AND COMPOSITION												
TOTAL	18 246	2 008	2 940	13 298	6 191	7 107	2 798	212	370	2 216	867	1 349
IN FAMILIES	11 374	1 607	2 149	7 618	3 943	3 676	824	94	130	601	286	313
HEAD OF FAMILY	1 543	170	209	1 164	535	629	208	19	30	159	63	96
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	266	45	43	178	108	70	91	15	14	62	34	28
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.57	(B)	(B)	1.56	1.72	(B)	1.73	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	2.68	2.91	2.68	2.64	2.68	2.62	2.85	(B)	(B)	2.69	(B)	2.54
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 892	109	152	1 630	443	1 187	87	5	4	77	21	57
IN SUBFAMILIES	91	1	18	73	25	47	25	-	8	17	8	9
HEAD OF SUBFAMILY	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	6 872	401	791	5 680	2 248	3 431	1 974	118	241	1 615	579	1 036
LIVING ALONE	6 468	379	727	5 362	2 097	3 265	1 840	107	218	1 515	531	984
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	404	22	64	318	152	166	133	11	23	100	48	52
IN HOUSEHOLDS	341	16	53	271	124	147	113	9	23	81	35	46
IN GROUP QUARTERS	63	6	11	46	27	19	21	2	-	19	13	6
TYPE OF RESIDENCE												
TOTAL	18 246	2 008	2 940	13 298	6 191	7 107	2 798	212	370	2 216	867	1 349
METROPOLITAN AREAS	11 656	1 313	1 892	8 451	3 985	4 466	1 477	127	198	1 151	477	674
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	1 402	128	211	1 063	520	543	422	37	56	329	139	190
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	10 254	1 185	1 681	7 389	3 465	3 923	1 055	91	142	822	338	484
INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	5 592	580	885	4 127	1 947	2 180	889	88	108	692	305	387
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	1 006	100	145	760	366	394	326	29	36	260	110	150
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	4 587	480	739	3 367	1 581	1 786	563	60	72	432	195	237
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	6 063	732	1 007	4 324	2 038	2 286	588	39	90	459	172	287
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	396	28	65	303	154	149	97	8	20	69	29	40
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	5 667	704	942	4 022	1 884	2 137	491	31	70	390	143	247
NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS	6 590	695	1 049	4 847	2 205	2 641	1 321	84	172	1 065	390	675
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	2 504	255	377	1 873	863	1 010	701	48	84	569	218	351
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	4 086	441	672	2 974	1 342	1 631	620	36	88	496	171	324
MARITAL STATUS												
TOTAL	18 246	2 008	2 940	13 298	6 191	7 107	2 796	212	370	2 216	867	1 349
SINGLE	1 090	96	166	828	406	421	197	21	28	148	68	80
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	8 031	1 345	1 801	4 885	2 994	1 891	532	72	95	365	204	161
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	369	61	63	245	134	111	140	23	28	89	51	38
SEPARATED	234	44	44	146	98	48	103	18	18	67	46	21
OTHER	135	17	19	99	36	64	36	5	10	22	5	16
WIDOWED	8 062	391	754	6 917	2 387	4 530	1 749	77	171	1 502	481	1 021
DIVORCED	694	114	156	423	270	153	180	19	49	113	63	50
WORK EXPERIENCE												
PERSONS	18 246	2 008	2 940	13 298	6 191	7 107	2 798	212	370	2 216	867	1 349
WORKED LAST YEAR	3 608	925	1 083	1 600	1 201	398	246	51	68	127	88	39
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 000	629	634	737	533	204	102	24	26	51	32	19
FULL-TIME	1 244	479	451	314	246	68	45	11	9	24	18	6
49 WEEKS OR LESS	1 608	296	449	862	668	194	144	27	41	76	56	21
FULL-TIME	658	150	223	286	247	39	42	8	13	21	17	4
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:												
ILL OR DISABLED	195	42	49	104	84	20	25	6	1	17	16	1
KEEPING HOUSE	879	148	255	477	365	112	90	16	25	49	33	16
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	171	54	72	45	38	7	15	2	12	1	1	-
RETIRED	207	19	42	146	115	32	6	1	2	3	1	2
OTHER	156	34	32	90	66	24	9	2	1	6	5	1
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	40.2	44.6	41.9	36.5	36.2	37.6	33.2	(B)	(B)	31.4	30.8	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	14 639	1 082	1 858	11 699	4 990	6 709	2 552	161	302	2 089	779	1 310
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:												
ILL OR DISABLED	2 317	180	312	1 825	585	1 240	735	57	99	578	190	388
KEEPING HOUSE	8 573	789	1 260	6 523	3 065	3 458	1 276	84	163	1 029	407	622
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	62	12	15	35	30	4	23	4	2	17	16	1
RETIRED	3 368	73	246	3 048	1 239	1 809	459	9	35	415	150	265
OTHER	319	28	24	267	70	197	59	7	3	50	16	33
FAMILY HEADS	1 543	170	209	1 164	535	629	208	19	30	159	63	96
WORKED LAST YEAR	377	100	98	178	142	37	28	4	4	20	14	6
50 TO 52 WEEKS	208	77	58	73	54	19	10	3	2	5	2	3
FULL-TIME	134	59	44	31	26	4	5	1	2	2	2	-
49 WEEKS OR LESS	168	23	40	105	87	18	18	1	2	15	12	3
FULL-TIME	70	11	19	40	35	5	5	-	-	5	3	1
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:												
ILL OR DISABLED	22	4	4	14	10	3	1	-	-	1	1	-
KEEPING HOUSE	77	5	20	53	46	6	12	1	-	11	9	1
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	29	10	8	11	10	2	3	-	2	1	1	-
RETIRED	21	-	2	19	16	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
OTHER	20	4	8	8	5	3	1	-	-	1	-	1
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	41.1	48.2	43.3	35.9	34.6	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	1 166	70	111	986	393	592	180	15	26	139	50	89
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:												
ILL OR DISABLED	234	17	23	193	56	137	53	3	5	45	11	34
KEEPING HOUSE	627	45	70	513	227	286	102	11	18	73	34	39
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	9	2	3	3	2	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
RETIRED	281	6	12	264	105	159	23	1	2	20	5	15
OTHER	15	-	3	12	3	10	2	-	-	2	-	2

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SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	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
FEMALE--CONTINUED												
WORK EXPERIENCE--CONTINUED												
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	6 872	401	791	5 680	2 248	3 431	1 974	118	241	1 615	579	1 036
WORKED LAST YEAR	1 438	238	376	824	574	250	174	32	48	94	63	31
50 TO 52 WEEKS	789	163	238	388	258	131	75	14	21	40	25	15
FULL-TIME	479	142	172	165	117	48	31	7	4	20	13	6
49 WEEKS OR LESS	649	75	138	436	317	119	99	18	27	53	37	16
FULL-TIME	256	38	83	135	115	20	27	6	10	11	10	1
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:												
ILL OR DISABLED	88	14	22	52	44	8	18	6	1	11	9	1
KEEPING HOUSE	319	31	60	229	159	70	56	8	14	35	22	13
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	63	11	29	22	19	3	11	2	10	-	-	-
RETIRED	109	8	19	82	60	22	6	1	2	3	1	2
OTHER	69	11	8	51	35	15	8	2	1	5	5	-
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	39.7	45.1	42.7	36.8	36.5	37.6	33.4	(B)	(B)	31.6	(B)	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	5 434	164	414	4 856	1 674	3 182	1 799	85	192	1 522	516	1 006
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:												
ILL OR DISABLED	1 094	72	127	895	275	621	581	48	81	452	150	303
KEEPING HOUSE	2 452	55	178	2 219	739	1 480	769	23	78	668	217	451
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	36	1	9	26	23	3	17	1	1	15	14	1
RETIRED	1 727	25	96	1 606	607	998	390	7	29	354	126	228
OTHER	124	10	5	109	30	79	41	6	3	33	9	23
SOURCE OF INCOME												
PERSONS	18 246	2 008	2 940	13 298	6 191	7 107	2 798	212	370	2 216	867	1 349
EARNINGS ONLY	1 029	504	382	144	116	28	79	34	23	22	16	6
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	937	455	357	126	107	19	65	27	21	18	12	6
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	92	49	25	18	9	9	14	7	2	4	4	-
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	2 665	410	691	1 564	1 109	456	171	13	48	111	73	37
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	718	25	184	510	385	125	71	1	25	45	31	13
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	6	-	2	5	3	1	5	-	2	4	2	1
EARNINGS, SOCIAL SECURITY, AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	36	-	2	34	21	13	19	-	-	19	10	9
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	1 898	385	504	1 008	693	315	75	12	21	43	29	14
OTHER COMBINATIONS	7	-	-	7	7	-	1	-	-	1	1	-
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	12 501	490	1 398	10 614	4 474	6 140	2 310	101	248	1 961	726	1 235
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	4 891	116	667	4 108	1 978	2 130	919	19	124	776	308	468
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	340	40	38	262	95	167	164	15	20	129	44	85
OTHER INCOME ONLY	460	129	95	236	92	144	95	20	12	63	25	38
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY[2]	92	17	12	63	18	45	50	5	5	39	11	28
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	811	21	55	735	286	449	393	12	26	356	148	207
SOCIAL SECURITY AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	5 663	121	490	5 052	1 956	3 096	688	28	58	602	191	411
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME AND OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY[2]	228	10	15	203	65	138	57	6	5	46	17	29
SOCIAL SECURITY AND "ALL OTHER" INCOME ONLY[3]	5 434	111	475	4 849	1 891	2 958	631	22	54	555	174	382
OTHER COMBINATIONS	335	62	52	221	67	153	51	8	8	36	11	25
NO INCOME	2 050	604	464	976	493	484	238	63	52	122	51	71
FAMILY HEADS	1 543	170	209	1 164	535	629	208	19	30	159	63	96
EARNINGS ONLY	65	29	24	11	8	3	9	1	3	5	2	3
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	64	29	24	11	8	3	9	1	3	5	2	3
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	334	70	76	188	139	49	22	3	3	16	13	3
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	84	7	17	60	48	12	8	-	3	4	4	-
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EARNINGS, SOCIAL SECURITY, AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	9	-	2	7	3	4	5	-	-	5	2	3
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	239	63	57	119	86	33	9	2	-	7	7	-
OTHER COMBINATIONS	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	1 128	68	105	956	385	571	168	13	23	132	47	85
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	263	17	30	216	99	117	47	3	8	36	16	20
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	58	8	4	46	11	34	26	1	3	22	6	17
OTHER INCOME ONLY	47	15	8	24	10	15	11	5	-	6	4	2
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY[2]	21	8	4	9	2	7	7	3	-	4	2	2
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	95	1	11	83	37	46	33	-	3	30	11	19
SOCIAL SECURITY AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	622	16	48	558	226	332	40	2	7	31	10	21
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME AND OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY[2]	46	3	5	38	17	21	11	1	3	7	5	1
SOCIAL SECURITY AND "ALL OTHER" INCOME ONLY[3]	576	14	42	520	209	311	29	1	4	24	5	19
OTHER COMBINATIONS	43	10	5	29	2	27	12	1	2	8	1	7
NO INCOME	16	4	4	8	3	6	9	2	2	5	1	4
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	6 872	401	791	5 680	2 248	3 431	1 974	118	241	1 615	579	1 036
EARNINGS ONLY	199	83	74	42	34	8	49	23	12	14	11	2
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	182	75	69	37	30	8	41	20	11	10	7	2
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	17	7	5	5	5	-	8	3	1	4	4	-
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	1 363	159	315	889	585	304	140	10	42	88	54	33
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	250	7	54	189	128	61	57	1	20	36	23	13
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	5	-	2	4	2	1	5	-	2	4	2	1
EARNINGS, SOCIAL SECURITY, AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	22	-	-	22	13	9	14	-	-	14	8	6
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	1 079	152	259	668	435	232	63	9	20	33	20	13
OTHER COMBINATIONS	6	-	-	6	6	-	1	-	-	1	1	-

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SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	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
FEMALE--CONTINUED												
SOURCE OF INCOME--CONTINUED												
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS--CONTINUED												
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	5 278	151	395	4 733	1 622	3 110	1 753	75	180	1 498	506	991
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1 069	13	100	956	315	641	657	11	87	559	194	365
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	112	11	14	87	37	50	100	11	12	77	30	48
OTHER INCOME ONLY	105	23	18	64	17	48	60	14	7	39	10	29
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY[2]	38	5	3	29	6	23	33	2	3	27	5	23
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	462	11	28	424	159	264	282	7	19	255	102	153
SOCIAL SECURITY AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	3 385	71	228	3 085	1 056	2 029	617	26	51	540	161	380
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME AND OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS ONLY[2]	159	6	8	145	40	104	42	5	2	35	7	28
SOCIAL SECURITY AND "ALL OTHER" INCOME ONLY[3]	3 226	65	221	2 941	1 016	1 925	575	21	49	505	153	352
OTHER COMBINATIONS	146	23	8	116	38	78	37	6	4	27	10	17
NO INCOME	32	9	7	16	7	9	32	9	7	16	7	9
TYPE OF INCOME												
PERSONS[4]	18 246	2 008	2 940	13 298	6 191	7 107	2 798	212	370	2 216	867	1 349
EARNINGS[4]	3 695	914	1 073	1 708	1 224	484	250	47	70	132	89	43
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	3 205	834	992	1 379	1 062	317	196	37	59	100	69	31
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	365	77	79	209	118	90	42	9	11	22	16	7
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	191	16	26	150	67	83	17	3	2	11	5	7
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[4]	15 166	900	2 088	12 178	5 582	6 596	2 481	114	295	2 072	800	1 272
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	13 304	325	1 632	11 347	5 228	6 118	2 134	61	242	1 831	710	1 122
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 491	85	107	1 299	512	786	710	38	54	619	253	366
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 023	101	156	767	285	482	281	26	43	212	80	132
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	6 602	538	851	5 213	2 214	2 999	595	31	53	511	156	355
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC	2 913	168	411	2 334	1 105	1 229	113	15	14	83	29	55
NO INCOME	2 050	604	469	976	493	484	238	63	52	122	51	71
FAMILY HEADS[4]	1 543	170	209	1 164	535	629	208	19	30	159	63	96
EARNINGS[4]	399	99	100	199	147	52	31	4	5	21	15	6
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	354	92	95	167	134	33	27	3	4	20	14	6
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	34	6	7	21	10	11	1	-	1	-	-	-
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	22	3	3	16	8	8	2	-	-	2	2	-
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[4]	1 462	137	181	1 144	524	620	190	16	25	149	61	88
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	1 230	57	138	1 035	491	544	138	6	20	111	49	62
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	223	15	21	187	74	114	86	4	9	73	26	46
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	179	18	30	131	52	79	38	8	8	23	11	12
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	732	76	85	572	252	319	32	2	3	27	9	18
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC	291	26	34	231	120	111	9	4	-	4	1	3
NO INCOME	16	4	4	8	3	6	9	2	2	5	1	4
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS[4]	6 872	401	791	5 680	2 248	3 431	1 974	118	241	1 615	579	1 036
EARNINGS[4]	1 562	242	389	931	619	312	189	34	54	101	66	36
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	1 312	220	360	733	523	210	146	29	45	73	49	24
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	166	22	32	112	61	51	32	4	8	20	14	6
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	127	6	12	109	51	58	15	2	2	10	3	7
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[4]	6 641	309	710	5 622	2 207	3 414	1 893	85	222	1 585	561	1 025
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	5 953	122	534	5 297	2 067	3 230	1 665	46	187	1 432	504	928
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	791	36	47	708	283	425	499	27	34	439	179	260
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	585	38	74	473	170	303	210	19	31	161	49	111
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	3 939	220	406	3 313	1 295	2 017	537	27	46	464	134	331
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC	1 636	70	192	1 374	600	775	97	11	14	72	24	48
NO INCOME	32	9	7	16	7	9	32	9	7	16	7	9
TENURE AND LIVING ARRANGEMENTS												
PERSONS IN HOUSEHOLDS	18 246	2 008	2 940	13 298	6 191	7 107	2 798	212	370	2 216	867	1 349
LIVING WITH RELATIVES	11 457	1 613	2 168	7 677	3 974	3 703	856	96	136	624	303	321
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	9 369	1 344	1 807	6 219	3 250	2 969	570	58	90	421	206	215
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	2 088	269	361	1 458	724	734	286	38	45	203	97	106
PUBLIC	137	17	25	94	51	44	44	3	8	34	21	13
PRIVATE	1 951	252	336	1 363	673	690	242	35	37	169	76	93
SUBSIDIZED	37	3	2	32	18	13	4	1	-	2	-	2
FAMILY HEADS	1 538	170	209	1 158	533	625	208	19	30	159	63	96
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	1 136	118	151	867	390	478	118	7	14	97	38	59
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	401	52	58	291	144	147	90	12	16	62	25	37
PUBLIC	36	7	1	28	19	10	20	2	-	18	12	6
PRIVATE	365	45	58	263	125	138	70	10	16	44	13	31
SUBSIDIZED	6	2	-	5	2	3	1	-	-	1	-	1
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES ONLY	321	16	46	259	120	139	102	9	17	76	32	44
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	212	7	30	175	81	94	55	4	7	45	23	22
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	109	9	16	84	39	45	46	5	10	31	9	22
PUBLIC	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PRIVATE	109	9	16	84	39	45	46	5	10	31	9	22
SUBSIDIZED	1	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	1
LIVING ALONE	6 468	379	727	5 362	2 097	3 265	1 840	107	218	1 515	531	984
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	3 927	228	459	3 240	1 276	1 963	994	47	123	824	268	556
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	2 541	151	268	2 122	820	1 302	846	60	94	691	263	428
PUBLIC	352	6	30	315	107	208	179	4	21	154	52	102
PRIVATE	2 189	145	238	1 807	714	1 093	667	56	74	537	211	326
SUBSIDIZED	150	6	14	130	62	68	55	3	13	38	20	18

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

Table 16. Standard Errors for Selected Characteristics of Persons Below the Poverty Level in 1977

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	ALL RACES		WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH ORIGIN[1]	
	NUMBER	STANDARD ERROR	NUMBER	STANDARD ERROR	NUMBER	STANDARD ERROR	NUMBER	STANDARD ERROR
AGE								
TOTAL	24 720	365	16 416	304	7 726	176	2 700	154
UNDER 14 YEARS	7 856	201	4 708	162	2 964	102	1 132	99
14 TO 24 YEARS	5 569	173	3 523	141	1 917	86	601	73
25 TO 34 YEARS	2 702	123	1 925	105	672	55	372	57
35 TO 44 YEARS	1 855	102	1 244	85	562	50	195	42
45 TO 64 YEARS	3 562	142	2 589	122	911	63	287	50
65 YEARS AND OVER	3 177	129	2 426	115	701	50	113	32
SEX								
TOTAL	24 720	365	16 416	304	7 726	176	2 700	154
MALE	10 340	239	6 916	199	3 120	115	1 197	103
FEMALE	14 381	277	9 500	231	4 606	132	1 504	115
RESIDENCE								
TOTAL	24 720	365	16 416	304	7 726	176	2 700	154
METROPOLITAN AREAS	14 859	291	9 265	233	5 289	154	2 255	141
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	5 104	175	1 823	105	3 203	125	911	90
INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	9 203	232	4 762	169	4 254	141	1 539	117
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	4 132	158	1 312	89	2 755	117	710	79
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	5 657	184	4 503	164	1 035	74	717	80
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	972	77	511	56	448	49	201	42
NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS	9 861	240	7 151	206	2 437	111	445	63
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	5 236	177	3 115	137	1 904	99	303	52
EMPLOYMENT STATUS								
TOTAL, 14 YEARS AND OVER	16 864	305	11 707	258	4 762	141	1 568	118
IN LABOR FORCE	6 125	190	4 372	162	1 583	90	558	70
IN ARMED FORCES	22	12	18	10	3	4	-	-
IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	6 104	190	4 354	161	1 579	90	557	70
EMPLOYED	4 800	169	3 623	147	1 041	74	433	62
UNEMPLOYED	1 303	89	731	67	538	54	124	33
NOT IN LABOR FORCE	10 739	248	7 336	207	3 179	121	1 011	95
WORK EXPERIENCE								
TOTAL, 14 YEARS AND OVER	16 864	305	11 707	258	4 762	141	1 568	118
WORKED LAST YEAR	6 459	195	4 780	169	1 504	88	567	71
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 063	112	1 590	98	428	48	151	37
FULL-TIME	1 458	94	1 151	84	275	39	113	32
1 TO 49 WEEKS	4 395	162	3 190	139	1 075	75	416	61
REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:								
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 276	88	878	73	361	44	140	35
OTHER	3 119	137	2 312	118	714	62	276	50
DID NOT WORK	10 384	244	6 909	202	3 255	123	1 001	94
REASON FOR NOT WORKING:								
ILL OR DISABLED	2 299	118	1 483	95	788	65	136	35
KEEPING HOUSE	3 788	151	2 808	130	913	69	442	63
GOING TO SCHOOL	2 241	116	1 209	86	962	71	291	51
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	553	58	274	41	269	38	49	21
OTHER	1 502	96	1 136	83	323	42	81	27
IN ARMED FORCES	22	12	18	10	3	4	-	-

[1]PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

Table 17. Size of Family—Families by Poverty Status in 1977 and Sex and Race of Head

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SIZE OF FAMILY	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
ALL FAMILIES									
TOTAL	57 215	5 311	9.3	50 530	3 540	7.0	5 806	1 637	28.2
2 PERSONS	22 033	1 815	8.2	20 033	1 331	6.6	1 773	439	24.8
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	15 354	1 274	8.3	13 783	919	6.7	1 386	330	23.8
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER	6 679	542	8.1	6 250	413	6.6	387	109	28.1
3 PERSONS	12 629	1 038	8.2	11 078	698	6.3	1 343	312	23.2
4 PERSONS	11 774	980	8.3	10 441	661	6.3	1 133	298	26.3
5 PERSONS	6 269	696	11.1	5 431	433	8.0	700	243	34.8
6 PERSONS	2 649	355	13.4	2 221	211	9.5	384	137	35.7
7 PERSONS	1 070	208	19.4	809	101	12.5	234	104	44.4
8 PERSONS	441	122	27.7	303	58	19.1	115	56	48.7
9 PERSONS OR MORE	349	96	27.6	212	47	21.9	125	48	38.2
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.33	3.67	...	3.28	3.49	...	3.77	4.07	...
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	48 979	2 701	5.5	44 701	2 140	4.8	3 529	475	13.5
2 PERSONS	18 226	951	5.2	17 075	790	4.6	989	134	13.6
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	12 400	523	4.2	11 546	440	3.8	729	71	9.9
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER	5 826	428	7.3	5 530	350	6.3	266	63	23.7
3 PERSONS	10 454	399	3.8	9 470	317	3.3	611	66	8.1
4 PERSONS	10 623	497	4.7	9 704	410	4.2	733	73	9.9
5 PERSONS	5 659	378	6.7	5 100	303	6.0	430	63	14.5
6 PERSONS	2 388	204	8.6	2 097	151	7.2	251	48	19.1
7 PERSONS	943	129	13.7	766	83	10.9	151	43	28.7
8 PERSONS	382	80	21.0	282	43	15.2	78	29	37.9
9 PERSONS OR MORE	304	63	20.7	207	42	20.3	85	19	22.0
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.38	3.81	...	3.33	3.69	...	3.86	4.37	...
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	8 236	2 610	31.7	5 828	1 400	24.0	2 277	1 162	51.0
2 PERSONS	3 807	864	22.7	2 958	542	18.3	783	305	38.9
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	2 954	750	25.4	2 237	479	21.4	662	259	39.1
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER	854	114	13.4	720	63	8.7	121	46	37.8
3 PERSONS	2 175	639	29.4	1 608	381	23.7	533	246	46.1
4 PERSONS	1 152	483	42.0	737	250	33.9	400	226	56.5
5 PERSONS	610	318	52.1	331	130	39.1	269	181	67.1
6 PERSONS	261	151	57.8	124	60	48.2	132	89	67.2
7 PERSONS	127	79	62.2	44	18	(B)	83	60	73.2
8 PERSONS	59	42	(B)	21	15	(B)	38	27	(B)
9 PERSONS OR MORE	45	33	(B)	5	4	(B)	40	29	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.08	3.53	...	2.87	3.20	...	3.64	3.94	...

Table 18. Number of Related Children Under 18 Years Old—Families by Poverty Status in 1977 and Sex and Race of Head

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

NUMBER 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
ALL FAMILIES									
TOTAL	57 215	5 311	9.3	50 530	3 540	7.0	5 806	1 637	28.2
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	25 578	1 229	4.8	23 605	967	4.1	1 700	231	13.6
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	31 637	4 081	12.9	26 924	2 572	9.6	4 107	1 406	34.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.99	2.46	...	1.94	2.31	...	2.25	2.74	...
1 CHILD	12 053	1 179	9.8	10 355	800	7.7	1 468	344	23.5
2 CHILDREN	11 183	1 194	10.7	9 779	806	8.2	1 195	360	30.1
3 CHILDREN	5 242	813	15.5	4 428	508	11.5	711	288	40.5
4 CHILDREN	2 013	483	24.0	1 597	265	16.6	388	209	53.8
5 CHILDREN	708	217	30.6	502	102	20.4	190	108	57.1
6 CHILDREN	262	112	42.9	165	55	33.3	84	50	59.4
7 OR MORE CHILDREN	175	84	47.9	98	36	36.5	71	46	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	7.45	7.57	...	7.27	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	48 979	2 701	5.5	44 701	2 140	4.8	3 529	475	13.5
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	23 051	1 004	4.4	21 512	828	3.9	1 301	150	11.5
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	25 928	1 697	6.5	23 189	1 311	5.7	2 228	325	14.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.99	2.58	...	1.97	2.48	...	2.18	2.97	...
1 CHILD	9 594	426	4.4	8 596	345	4.0	817	61	7.4
2 CHILDREN	9 455	517	5.5	8 578	415	4.8	694	87	12.5
3 CHILDREN	4 405	360	8.2	3 955	285	7.2	357	65	18.1
4 CHILDREN	1 592	192	12.0	1 383	138	10.0	187	51	27.1
5 CHILDREN	551	95	17.2	441	61	13.9	97	30	30.8
6 CHILDREN	207	67	32.3	145	38	26.1	48	21	(B)
7 OR MORE CHILDREN	125	42	33.5	90	28	31.5	29	11	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	7.41	(B)	...	7.20	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	8 236	2 610	31.7	5 828	1 400	24.0	2 277	1 162	51.0
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2 527	225	8.9	2 094	139	6.6	399	81	20.4
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	5 709	2 384	41.8	3 735	1 261	33.8	1 878	1 081	57.5
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.97	2.37	...	1.79	2.14	...	2.34	2.67	...
1 CHILD	2 459	753	30.6	1 759	455	25.9	651	284	43.6
2 CHILDREN	1 728	677	39.2	1 200	391	32.5	501	273	54.5
3 CHILDREN	837	453	54.1	473	222	47.0	354	224	63.1
4 CHILDREN	421	291	69.1	214	127	59.4	201	158	78.7
5 CHILDREN	157	122	77.5	61	41	(B)	93	79	84.5
6 CHILDREN	55	46	(B)	19	17	(B)	36	29	(B)
7 OR MORE CHILDREN	51	42	(B)	8	8	(B)	43	35	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...

Table 19. Children by Size of Family—Related Children Under 18 Years Old by Poverty Status in 1977 and Sex and Race of Head

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. RELATED CHILDREN AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

RELATED CHILDREN BY SIZE OF FAMILY	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
ALL CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS									
TOTAL	62 823	10 028	16.0	52 299	5 943	11.4	9 253	3 850	41.6
IN 2-PERSON FAMILIES	1 999	692	34.6	1 428	420	29.4	526	254	48.3
IN 3-PERSON FAMILIES	9 690	1 457	15.0	8 160	952	11.7	1 362	477	35.0
IN 4-PERSON FAMILIES	19 218	2 149	11.2	16 871	1 410	8.4	2 040	709	34.7
IN 5-PERSON FAMILIES	15 256	2 119	13.9	13 123	1 289	9.8	1 818	780	42.9
IN 6-PERSON FAMILIES	8 385	1 352	16.1	6 975	785	11.2	1 260	537	42.6
IN 7-PERSON FAMILIES	4 092	911	22.3	3 085	445	14.4	900	450	50.0
IN 8-PERSON FAMILIES	2 098	673	32.1	1 416	323	22.8	572	301	52.7
IN 9-OR-MORE PERSON FAMILIES	2 085	676	32.4	1 241	319	25.7	775	341	44.0
CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	51 585	4 371	8.5	45 618	3 250	7.1	4 459	965	19.9
IN 2-PERSON FAMILIES	256	37	14.4	197	24	12.1	47	6	(B)
IN 3-PERSON FAMILIES	6 704	332	5.0	6 015	268	4.5	580	54	9.4
IN 4-PERSON FAMILIES	16 734	878	5.2	15 336	734	4.8	1 110	123	11.1
IN 5-PERSON FAMILIES	13 398	1 019	7.6	12 131	814	6.7	979	182	18.5
IN 6-PERSON FAMILIES	7 414	718	9.7	6 527	531	8.1	756	167	22.0
IN 7-PERSON FAMILIES	3 529	532	15.1	2 904	355	12.2	522	166	31.8
IN 8-PERSON FAMILIES	1 789	429	24.0	1 305	233	17.8	372	148	39.8
IN 9-OR-MORE PERSON FAMILIES	1 760	425	24.1	1 202	291	24.2	491	118	24.1
CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	11 238	5 658	50.3	6 682	2 693	40.3	4 393	2 885	65.7
IN 2-PERSON FAMILIES	1 743	655	37.6	1 231	396	32.2	479	248	51.8
IN 3-PERSON FAMILIES	2 986	1 125	37.7	2 145	683	31.9	782	422	54.0
IN 4-PERSON FAMILIES	2 483	1 271	51.2	1 535	677	44.1	929	585	63.0
IN 5-PERSON FAMILIES	1 858	1 100	59.2	992	475	47.8	838	599	71.4
IN 6-PERSON FAMILIES	971	633	65.2	448	253	56.6	504	371	73.5
IN 7-PERSON FAMILIES	563	379	67.2	181	90	49.8	378	284	75.2
IN 8-PERSON FAMILIES	310	244	78.7	110	90	81.8	199	153	77.0
IN 9-OR-MORE PERSON FAMILIES	324	251	77.3	39	28	(B)	284	222	78.4

Table 20. Presence and Age of Related Children—Families by Poverty Status in 1977 and Age, Sex, and Race of Head

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

PRESENCE AND AGE OF CHILDREN	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
TOTAL									
ALL FAMILIES									
TOTAL	57 215	5 311	9.3	50 530	3 540	7.0	5 806	1 637	28.2
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	25 578	1 229	4.8	23 605	967	4.1	1 700	231	13.6
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	31 637	4 081	12.9	26 924	2 572	9.6	4 107	1 406	34.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.99	2.46	...	1.94	2.31	...	2.25	2.74	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	13 944	2 282	16.4	11 621	1 393	12.0	1 992	830	41.7
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.31	1.46	...	1.30	1.41	...	1.42	1.56	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	7 369	1 040	14.1	6 364	703	11.0	831	312	37.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.38	1.51	...	1.37	1.46	...	1.45	1.62	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	6 575	1 241	18.9	5 257	690	13.1	1 161	518	44.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.95	3.51	...	2.84	3.32	...	3.39	3.78	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	17 693	1 800	10.2	15 304	1 179	7.7	2 115	576	27.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.88	2.29	...	1.87	2.23	...	1.94	2.42	...
HEAD UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL	3 851	750	19.5	3 241	463	14.3	569	278	48.9
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 586	70	4.4	1 486	61	4.1	88	7	7.6
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2 265	680	30.0	1 755	401	22.9	481	271	56.4
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.43	1.64	...	1.33	1.38	...	1.80	2.01	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	2 131	636	29.8	1 667	373	22.4	441	257	58.3
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.33	1.47	...	1.27	1.31	...	1.56	1.69	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	1 937	541	27.9	1 573	346	22.0	346	190	55.0
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.31	1.42	...	1.26	1.30	...	1.52	1.63	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	194	95	49.0	94	27	28.3	95	67	70.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.76	3.00	...	2.60	(B)	...	2.97	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	134	44	32.6	88	29	32.4	40	15	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.35	(B)	...	1.24	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
HEAD 25 TO 44 YEARS									
TOTAL	24 960	2 538	10.2	21 701	1 697	7.8	2 765	767	27.7
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	4 219	91	2.2	3 795	72	1.9	330	13	4.1
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	20 741	2 447	11.8	17 907	1 625	9.1	2 434	753	30.9
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.14	2.76	...	2.10	2.59	...	2.43	3.15	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	10 535	1 381	13.1	9 090	912	10.0	1 177	417	35.4
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.32	1.48	...	1.32	1.47	...	1.38	1.54	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	4 978	440	8.8	4 457	328	7.4	374	91	24.4
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.42	1.64	...	1.43	1.64	...	1.47	1.73	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	5 557	941	16.9	4 633	584	12.6	803	326	40.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.91	3.55	...	2.82	3.33	...	3.39	3.98	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	10 206	1 066	10.4	8 616	713	8.1	1 257	336	26.7
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.07	2.53	...	2.05	2.43	...	2.11	2.72	...
HEAD 45 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL	20 192	1 314	6.5	18 124	908	5.0	1 794	378	21.1
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	12 106	532	4.4	11 175	415	3.7	811	106	13.0
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	8 086	782	9.7	6 950	493	7.1	983	272	27.7
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.78	2.36	...	1.72	2.21	...	2.14	2.65	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 149	220	19.2	805	102	12.7	305	118	38.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.23	1.39	...	1.15	1.27	...	1.44	1.49	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	399	48	12.1	300	25	8.5	90	23	25.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.19	(B)	...	1.16	(B)	...	1.25	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	750	172	22.9	505	76	15.1	215	95	44.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	3.25	3.64	...	3.04	3.55	...	3.70	3.70	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	6 937	562	8.1	6 145	392	6.4	678	155	22.8
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.65	2.05	...	1.63	2.00	...	1.76	2.20	...
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL	8 212	710	8.6	7 463	472	6.3	679	214	31.5
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	7 667	537	7.0	7 150	420	5.9	470	105	22.4
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	545	172	31.6	313	53	16.8	208	108	52.1
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.62	1.81	...	1.56	(B)	...	1.75	1.95	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	129	45	34.8	59	7	(B)	69	38	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.07	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...

Table 20. Presence and Age of Related Children—Families by Poverty Status in 1977 and Age, Sex, and Race of Head—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

PRESENCE AND AGE OF CHILDREN	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
ALL FAMILIES									
TOTAL	48 979	2 701	5.5	44 701	2 140	4.8	3 529	475	13.5
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	23 051	1 004	4.4	21 512	828	3.9	1 301	150	11.5
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	25 928	1 697	6.5	23 189	1 311	5.7	2 228	325	14.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.99	2.58	...	1.97	2.48	...	2.18	2.97	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	11 721	940	8.0	10 362	718	6.9	1 062	183	17.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.32	1.54	...	1.31	1.53	...	1.38	1.62	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	6 282	420	6.7	5 655	337	6.0	465	63	13.7
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.39	1.66	...	1.39	1.64	...	1.44	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	5 439	519	9.5	4 707	380	8.1	597	119	20.0
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.90	3.62	...	2.84	3.47	...	3.29	4.01	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	14 207	758	5.3	12 828	594	4.6	1 167	142	12.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.91	2.38	...	1.90	2.33	...	1.91	2.56	...
HEAD UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL	3 056	227	7.4	2 795	195	7.0	234	31	13.3
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 531	57	3.8	1 441	52	3.6	79	6	7.0
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 526	170	11.1	1 354	144	10.6	155	25	16.5
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.38	1.68	...	1.35	1.53	...	1.64	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 461	157	10.7	1 297	134	10.3	148	23	15.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.31	1.56	...	1.29	1.42	...	1.51	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	1 370	141	10.3	1 225	120	9.8	133	21	15.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.30	1.53	...	1.28	1.42	...	1.47	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	91	16	17.6	72	14	(B)	16	2	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.68	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	64	13	(B)	57	10	(B)	6	3	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
HEAD 25 TO 44 YEARS									
TOTAL	21 050	1 059	5.0	19 040	853	4.5	1 576	156	9.9
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	3 925	77	2.0	3 571	61	1.7	266	11	4.0
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	17 125	982	5.7	15 469	791	5.1	1 309	146	11.1
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.13	2.82	...	2.11	2.71	...	2.32	3.44	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	9 256	624	6.7	8 320	499	6.0	693	87	12.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.33	1.60	...	1.33	1.61	...	1.36	1.70	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	4 564	245	5.4	4 159	199	4.8	263	26	10.0
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.43	1.79	...	1.44	1.82	...	1.48	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	4 693	379	8.1	4 161	299	7.2	429	61	14.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.86	3.59	...	2.82	3.46	...	3.11	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	7 869	358	4.5	7 149	292	4.1	617	58	9.4
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.10	2.71	...	2.09	2.56	...	2.13	(B)	...
HEAD 45 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL	17 825	864	4.8	16 336	689	4.2	1 255	156	12.4
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	10 915	429	3.9	10 203	354	3.5	612	64	10.5
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	6 910	435	6.3	6 134	336	5.5	643	92	14.3
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.79	2.54	...	1.75	2.43	...	2.10	2.93	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	919	129	14.0	703	78	11.1	179	50	27.8
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.21	1.28	...	1.14	1.21	...	1.44	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	309	25	8.0	245	15	6.1	55	10	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.17	(B)	...	1.15	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	610	104	17.0	458	63	13.8	124	40	32.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	3.30	3.84	...	3.09	(B)	...	4.00	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	5 991	307	5.1	5 431	257	4.7	464	42	9.1
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.67	2.20	...	1.66	2.19	...	1.70	(B)	...
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL	7 048	551	7.8	6 530	403	6.2	464	132	28.4
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	6 681	440	6.6	6 297	362	5.7	343	70	20.4
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	367	110	30.0	232	41	17.5	121	62	51.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.65	1.91	...	1.61	(B)	...	1.75	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	85	30	35.3	42	7	(B)	42	23	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.09	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

PRESENCE AND AGE OF CHILDREN	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
HUSBAND-WIFE FAMILIES									
ALL FAMILIES									
TOTAL	47 385	2 524	5.3	43 423	2 028	4.7	3 260	429	13.1
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	22 101	922	4.2	20 720	772	3.7	1 172	134	11.4
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	25 284	1 602	6.3	22 703	1 256	5.5	2 088	295	14.1
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.00	2.61	...	1.97	2.51	...	2.22	3.01	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	11 556	914	7.9	10 256	706	6.9	1 006	169	16.8
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.32	1.54	...	1.32	1.54	...	1.38	1.61	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	6 175	407	6.6	5 587	331	5.9	427	56	13.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.39	1.66	...	1.40	1.65	...	1.44	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	5 381	507	9.4	4 668	375	8.0	579	113	19.4
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.90	3.69	...	2.84	3.50	...	3.31	4.06	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	13 728	688	5.0	12 448	550	4.4	1 082	126	11.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.92	2.41	...	1.91	2.36	...	1.94	2.57	...
HEAD UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL	2 901	200	6.9	2 676	169	6.3	201	30	14.8
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 431	45	3.1	1 359	39	2.8	63	6	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 470	155	10.6	1 316	130	9.9	139	24	17.5
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.39	1.74	...	1.35	1.58	...	1.69	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 424	151	10.6	1 275	130	10.2	134	21	16.0
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.31	1.57	...	1.29	1.43	...	1.56	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	1 335	135	10.1	1 203	115	9.6	120	20	16.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.30	1.54	...	1.29	1.43	...	1.51	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	89	16	18.2	72	14	(B)	14	2	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.69	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	46	4	(B)	41	1	(B)	5	3	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
HEAD 25 TO 44 YEARS									
TOTAL	20 500	1 008	4.9	18 614	824	4.4	1 468	137	9.3
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	3 686	60	1.6	3 380	50	1.5	232	7	2.9
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	16 814	948	5.6	15 233	774	5.1	1 235	130	10.5
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.14	2.82	...	2.12	2.72	...	2.35	3.47	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	9 177	610	6.6	8 270	494	6.0	663	78	11.8
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.33	1.61	...	1.33	1.62	...	1.35	1.68	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	4 524	240	5.3	4 136	199	4.8	247	22	8.8
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.43	1.78	...	1.44	1.82	...	1.45	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	4 652	370	8.0	4 134	295	7.1	416	56	13.5
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.85	3.61	...	2.82	3.48	...	3.12	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	7 637	338	4.4	6 964	279	4.0	572	52	9.1
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.12	2.70	...	2.10	2.55	...	2.17	(B)	...
HEAD 45 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL	17 203	803	4.7	15 825	650	4.1	1 160	141	12.1
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	10 520	393	3.7	9 876	333	3.4	552	54	9.7
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	6 684	410	6.1	5 949	317	5.3	608	87	14.3
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.80	2.56	...	1.76	2.47	...	2.15	2.93	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	881	125	14.2	676	77	11.4	170	48	28.0
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.21	1.27	...	1.14	1.21	...	1.45	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	281	24	8.7	226	15	6.6	48	10	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.17	(B)	...	1.14	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	601	101	16.8	450	62	13.8	122	38	31.1
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	3.31	3.87	...	3.10	(B)	...	4.02	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	5 802	284	4.9	5 273	240	4.6	438	39	9.0
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.67	2.21	...	1.67	2.22	...	1.72	(B)	...
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL	6 781	513	7.6	6 309	386	6.1	431	121	28.2
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	6 464	424	6.6	6 104	351	5.7	325	68	20.8
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	317	89	28.1	205	35	17.1	106	54	50.7
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.69	2.03	...	1.63	(B)	...	1.80	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	75	28	36.9	34	6	(B)	39	22	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.09	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...

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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
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
ALL FAMILIES									
TOTAL	8 236	2 610	31.7	5 828	1 400	24.0	2 277	1 162	51.0
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2 527	225	8.9	2 094	139	6.6	399	81	20.4
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	5 709	2 384	41.8	3 735	1 261	33.8	1 878	1 081	57.5
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.97	2.37	...	1.79	2.14	...	2.34	2.67	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	2 222	1 342	60.4	1 259	676	53.7	930	647	69.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.30	1.40	...	1.19	1.28	...	1.46	1.54	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	1 086	620	57.1	709	366	51.6	366	249	67.9
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.31	1.40	...	1.21	1.30	...	1.48	1.54	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	1 136	722	63.6	550	310	56.4	564	398	70.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	3.16	3.43	...	2.84	3.14	...	3.50	3.71	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	3 486	1 042	29.9	2 476	586	23.6	948	434	45.7
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.79	2.22	...	1.72	2.13	...	1.98	2.37	...
HEAD UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL	795	522	65.7	446	268	59.9	335	247	73.8
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	55	12	(B)	45	10	(B)	8	1	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	739	510	69.0	401	258	64.3	326	246	75.4
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.54	1.62	...	1.25	1.29	...	1.88	1.95	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	670	479	71.6	370	239	64.6	292	234	80.1
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.37	1.43	...	1.20	1.25	...	1.58	1.62	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	567	400	70.6	348	227	65.1	213	169	79.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.34	1.39	...	1.20	1.24	...	1.55	1.57	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	103	79	76.9	21	12	(B)	79	65	81.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.82	2.94	...	(B)	(B)	...	2.96	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	70	31	(B)	31	19	(B)	34	12	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
HEAD 25 TO 44 YEARS									
TOTAL	3 910	1 478	37.8	2 661	844	31.7	1 189	611	51.4
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	294	13	4.5	223	10	4.7	64	3	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	3 616	1 465	40.5	2 438	834	34.2	1 125	608	54.0
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.17	2.73	...	2.00	2.48	...	2.56	3.08	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 278	757	59.2	770	413	53.6	485	330	68.1
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.27	1.37	...	1.19	1.30	...	1.41	1.50	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	414	195	47.2	297	129	43.2	111	65	58.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.29	1.45	...	1.23	1.37	...	1.44	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	865	561	64.9	473	285	60.2	374	265	70.9
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	3.23	3.53	...	2.90	3.20	...	3.70	3.95	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	2 338	708	30.3	1 667	421	25.2	640	278	43.4
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.94	2.44	...	1.88	2.34	...	2.08	2.60	...
HEAD 45 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL	2 367	450	19.0	1 788	219	12.2	539	222	41.2
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 191	103	8.6	972	61	6.3	199	42	21.0
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 176	347	29.5	816	158	19.3	340	180	53.0
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.68	2.12	...	1.46	1.73	...	2.21	2.50	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	230	91	39.8	102	23	23.1	126	68	53.9
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.34	1.54	...	1.21	(B)	...	1.45	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	90	23	26.1	54	10	(B)	36	13	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.23	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	140	68	48.5	48	13	(B)	91	55	60.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	3.05	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	3.29	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	946	256	27.0	714	134	18.8	214	112	52.5
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.52	1.87	...	1.41	1.64	...	1.91	2.19	...
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL	1 164	159	13.7	933	70	7.5	214	82	38.3
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	986	97	9.8	853	58	6.8	127	36	27.9
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	178	62	35.0	81	12	14.7	87	46	53.3
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.56	(B)	...	1.41	(B)	...	1.76	(B)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	44	15	(B)	17	-	(B)	27	15	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS, FAMILY HEADS, AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

MARITAL STATUS, AGE, AND SEX	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
MALE									
TOTAL									
TOTAL, 15 YEARS AND OVER	77 732	6 034	7.8	68 611	4 300	6.3	7 759	1 541	19.9
SINGLE	22 325	2 505	11.2	18 802	1 606	8.5	3 022	806	26.7
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	47 920	2 539	5.3	43 867	2 038	4.6	3 326	433	13.0
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	2 242	352	15.7	1 536	185	12.0	647	156	24.1
SEPARATED	1 451	264	18.2	901	118	13.1	534	142	26.6
OTHER	791	87	11.0	635	67	10.5	113	14	12.1
WIDOWED	1 861	277	14.9	1 539	187	12.1	285	76	26.5
DIVORCED	3 384	362	10.7	2 868	284	9.9	478	70	14.6
15 TO 44 YEARS	47 639	3 705	7.8	41 568	2 569	6.2	5 104	999	19.6
SINGLE	20 540	2 175	10.6	17 304	1 366	7.9	2 770	728	26.3
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	23 789	1 219	5.1	21 621	1 001	4.6	1 715	170	9.9
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	1 303	155	11.9	927	79	8.6	344	70	20.3
SEPARATED	839	114	13.6	552	48	8.8	274	63	23.1
OTHER	465	41	8.8	375	31	8.3	70	6	(B)
WIDOWED	72	5	(B)	53	3	(B)	19	2	(B)
DIVORCED	1 935	151	7.8	1 663	121	7.3	255	30	11.9
15 TO 19 YEARS	10 238	1 282	12.5	8 689	763	8.8	1 359	479	35.3
SINGLE	9 985	1 242	12.4	8 451	728	8.6	1 345	474	35.2
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	208	38	18.1	198	32	16.2	9	5	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	38	1	(B)	35	1	(B)	3	-	(B)
SEPARATED	1	-	(B)	1	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
OTHER	37	1	(B)	34	1	(B)	3	-	(B)
WIDOWED	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
DIVORCED	7	2	(B)	5	2	(B)	2	-	(B)
20 TO 24 YEARS	9 572	798	8.3	8 303	583	7.0	1 091	189	17.3
SINGLE	6 296	595	9.5	5 329	406	7.6	816	163	20.0
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	2 872	171	6.0	2 636	145	5.5	211	26	12.2
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	216	16	7.3	172	16	9.2	42	-	(B)
SEPARATED	110	11	10.2	87	11	13.0	23	-	(B)
OTHER	106	5	4.4	86	5	5.4	19	-	(B)
WIDOWED	6	-	(B)	1	-	(B)	5	-	(B)
DIVORCED	183	16	8.8	165	16	9.8	18	-	(B)
25 TO 29 YEARS	8 650	521	6.0	7 591	407	5.4	857	94	11.0
SINGLE	2 401	192	8.0	1 966	131	6.7	346	49	14.1
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	5 444	270	5.0	4 980	232	4.6	364	31	8.4
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	290	31	10.8	194	23	11.9	85	8	9.5
SEPARATED	198	23	11.5	123	16	12.7	70	7	(B)
OTHER	92	8	9.2	71	7	(B)	15	1	(B)
WIDOWED	6	-	(B)	5	-	(B)	2	-	(B)
DIVORCED	509	28	5.6	446	22	4.8	61	7	(B)
30 TO 34 YEARS	7 613	409	5.4	6 743	307	4.5	708	80	11.3
SINGLE	975	82	8.5	812	63	7.7	137	15	11.2
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	5 830	257	4.4	5 266	204	3.9	442	40	8.9
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	272	38	14.1	192	14	7.1	71	21	(B)
SEPARATED	189	27	14.0	128	10	8.2	57	15	(B)
OTHER	82	12	14.3	64	3	(B)	15	5	(B)
WIDOWED	13	-	(B)	11	-	(B)	2	-	(B)
DIVORCED	524	31	5.9	461	26	5.7	56	5	(B)
35 TO 44 YEARS	11 566	694	6.0	10 242	510	5.0	1 089	156	14.4
SINGLE	884	64	7.3	746	38	5.1	127	26	20.8
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	9 434	483	5.1	8 541	388	4.5	689	68	9.9
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	488	68	14.0	333	26	7.7	143	41	28.8
SEPARATED	341	54	15.7	213	11	5.2	124	41	33.1
OTHER	148	15	10.0	120	15	12.2	19	-	(B)
WIDOWED	47	5	(B)	37	3	(B)	10	2	(B)
DIVORCED	712	74	10.4	585	55	9.4	120	19	15.6
45 TO 54 YEARS	11 154	666	6.0	9 933	514	5.2	1 058	140	13.3
SINGLE	761	114	15.0	595	82	13.8	146	28	19.4
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	9 160	375	4.1	8 406	313	3.7	640	60	9.4
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	411	68	16.6	264	37	13.9	127	28	22.0
SEPARATED	265	48	18.3	154	22	14.1	110	27	24.2
OTHER	146	20	13.5	110	15	13.5	17	1	(B)
WIDOWED	176	26	15.0	131	17	12.9	44	10	(B)
DIVORCED	646	82	12.7	538	65	12.0	101	14	14.2
55 TO 64 YEARS	9 769	703	7.2	8 861	531	6.0	778	158	20.3
SINGLE	529	96	18.2	474	71	15.0	50	25	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	8 113	429	5.3	7 469	337	4.5	531	82	15.5
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	280	53	19.1	191	32	16.8	85	20	23.2
SEPARATED	190	44	23.1	116	24	20.9	72	18	(B)
OTHER	90	10	10.6	75	8	10.4	14	2	(B)
WIDOWED	312	36	11.4	271	23	8.3	38	13	(B)
DIVORCED	534	88	16.4	455	69	15.1	74	18	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	9 170	961	10.5	8 249	686	8.3	819	243	29.7
SINGLE	495	119	24.0	428	87	20.4	56	25	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	6 859	515	7.5	6 371	388	6.1	441	121	27.5
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	248	75	30.3	154	37	24.0	90	38	42.3
SEPARATED	158	58	36.8	79	24	30.2	78	34	43.4
OTHER	90	17	19.0	75	13	17.4	12	4	(B)
WIDOWED	1 300	211	16.2	1 083	145	13.4	185	51	27.7
DIVORCED	269	41	15.2	213	30	14.0	48	7	(B)

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS, FAMILY HEADS, AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

MARITAL STATUS, AGE, AND SEX	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
MALE--CONTINUED									
FAMILY HEADS									
TOTAL, 15 YEARS AND OVER	48 979	2 701	5.5	44 701	2 140	4.8	3 529	475	13.5
SINGLE	520	66	12.7	419	46	11.0	81	14	17.6
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	47 385	2 524	5.3	43 423	2 028	4.7	3 260	429	13.1
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	273	29	10.5	192	15	7.8	75	11	15.1
SEPARATED	179	17	9.4	114	5	4.6	60	10	(B)
OTHER	94	12	12.7	78	10	12.3	15	1	(B)
WIDOWED	378	44	11.7	306	19	6.3	59	16	(B)
DIVORCED	423	38	9.0	361	32	8.7	54	5	(B)
15 TO 44 YEARS	24 106	1 286	5.3	21 835	1 048	4.8	1 809	187	10.3
SINGLE	318	46	14.4	245	32	13.0	60	11	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	23 401	1 208	5.2	21 289	993	4.7	1 669	167	10.0
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	129	10	7.3	94	5	5.1	31	5	(B)
SEPARATED	81	4	5.2	53	1	(B)	24	3	(B)
OTHER	48	5	(B)	41	4	(B)	7	1	(B)
WIDOWED	36	3	(B)	23	1	(B)	13	2	(B)
DIVORCED	221	20	9.2	183	17	9.5	35	3	(B)
15 TO 19 YEARS	201	46	23.2	187	41	21.9	14	5	(B)
SINGLE	22	13	(B)	19	12	(B)	3	-	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	177	34	19.2	168	29	17.1	9	5	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
SEPARATED	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
OTHER	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
WIDOWED	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
DIVORCED	2	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	2	-	(B)
20 TO 24 YEARS	2 855	181	6.3	2 608	154	5.9	220	26	11.6
SINGLE	106	12	10.9	85	10	12.3	18	1	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	2 725	166	6.1	2 508	141	5.6	192	24	12.7
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	4	1	(B)	2	1	(B)	2	-	(B)
SEPARATED	3	-	(B)	2	-	(B)	2	-	(B)
OTHER	1	1	(B)	1	1	(B)	-	-	(B)
WIDOWED	5	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	5	-	(B)
DIVORCED	15	3	(B)	12	3	(B)	3	-	(B)
25 TO 29 YEARS	5 471	279	5.1	4 984	237	4.8	386	34	8.8
SINGLE	83	9	10.6	60	5	(B)	19	4	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	5 329	268	5.0	4 887	232	4.7	347	29	8.4
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	24	-	(B)	13	-	(B)	10	-	(B)
SEPARATED	14	-	(B)	8	-	(B)	6	-	(B)
OTHER	10	-	(B)	5	-	(B)	4	-	(B)
WIDOWED	3	-	(B)	2	-	(B)	2	-	(B)
DIVORCED	32	2	(B)	23	1	(B)	8	1	(B)
30 TO 34 YEARS	5 908	274	4.6	5 321	213	4.0	462	45	9.8
SINGLE	54	11	(B)	38	4	(B)	12	4	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	5 772	257	4.5	5 217	204	3.9	437	40	9.1
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	26	1	(B)	16	-	(B)	6	1	(B)
SEPARATED	18	-	(B)	10	-	(B)	5	-	(B)
OTHER	7	1	(B)	6	-	(B)	1	1	(B)
WIDOWED	5	-	(B)	5	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
DIVORCED	52	5	(B)	44	5	(B)	7	-	(B)
35 TO 44 YEARS	9 671	506	5.2	8 735	403	4.6	727	77	10.6
SINGLE	53	2	(B)	43	-	(B)	9	2	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	9 399	483	5.1	8 510	388	4.6	684	68	9.9
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	76	8	9.9	63	4	(B)	13	3	(B)
SEPARATED	45	4	(B)	34	1	(B)	11	3	(B)
OTHER	31	3	(B)	29	3	(B)	2	-	(B)
WIDOWED	23	3	(B)	16	1	(B)	7	2	(B)
DIVORCED	121	11	8.8	104	9	8.7	15	2	(B)
45 TO 54 YEARS	9 474	403	4.2	8 663	330	3.8	688	66	9.6
SINGLE	82	8	9.4	64	5	(B)	12	-	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	9 129	375	4.1	8 386	313	3.7	633	60	9.5
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	66	8	(B)	45	2	(B)	20	5	(B)
SEPARATED	46	5	(B)	29	-	(B)	17	5	(B)
OTHER	20	2	(B)	16	2	(B)	3	-	(B)
WIDOWED	72	4	(B)	62	4	(B)	9	-	(B)
DIVORCED	125	8	6.6	107	6	5.5	13	1	(B)
55 TO 64 YEARS	8 351	462	5.5	7 673	360	4.7	568	90	15.8
SINGLE	61	9	(B)	54	6	(B)	6	3	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	8 074	428	5.3	7 439	336	4.5	528	81	15.3
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	60	7	(B)	39	5	(B)	19	-	(B)
SEPARATED	46	5	(B)	28	3	(B)	16	-	(B)
OTHER	15	2	(B)	12	2	(B)	3	-	(B)
WIDOWED	95	9	8.9	85	4	4.9	10	4	(B)
DIVORCED	61	9	(B)	56	8	(B)	4	1	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 048	551	7.8	6 530	403	6.2	464	132	28.4
SINGLE	58	3	(B)	56	3	(B)	2	-	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	6 781	513	7.6	6 309	386	6.1	431	121	28.2
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	18	5	(B)	14	3	(B)	4	1	(B)
SEPARATED	7	2	(B)	4	1	(B)	3	1	(B)
OTHER	11	2	(B)	10	2	(B)	1	-	(B)
WIDOWED	175	29	16.7	137	10	7.6	26	9	(B)
DIVORCED	16	-	(B)	14	-	(B)	1	-	(B)

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MARITAL STATUS, AGE, AND SEX	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
MALE--CONTINUED									
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
TOTAL, 15 YEARS AND OVER	9 987	1 779	17.8	8 292	1 296	15.6	1 466	417	28.4
SINGLE	5 124	995	19.4	4 402	764	17.4	566	182	32.1
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	1 333	273	20.5	927	142	15.4	365	122	33.3
SEPARATED	937	210	22.4	619	97	15.6	310	110	35.6
OTHER	396	63	15.9	308	45	14.8	55	11	(B)
WIDOWED	1 219	217	17.8	1 029	161	15.6	175	53	29.9
DIVORCED	2 312	294	12.7	1 934	229	11.9	359	61	16.9
15 TO 44 YEARS	6 213	957	15.4	5 244	717	13.7	809	192	23.7
SINGLE	4 169	733	17.6	3 592	569	15.8	444	122	27.4
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	721	108	14.9	525	55	10.4	180	47	26.0
SEPARATED	532	80	15.1	378	35	9.3	147	43	29.1
OTHER	190	27	14.4	146	20	13.4	33	4	(B)
WIDOWED	30	2	(B)	25	2	(B)	5	-	(B)
DIVORCED	1 293	115	8.9	1 103	91	8.3	179	23	13.1
15 TO 19 YEARS	247	125	50.8	217	98	45.3	16	14	(B)
SINGLE	242	124	51.2	213	97	45.7	16	14	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	3	1	(B)	3	1	(B)	-	-	(B)
SEPARATED	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
OTHER	3	1	(B)	3	1	(B)	-	-	(B)
WIDOWED	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
DIVORCED	1	-	(B)	1	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
20 TO 24 YEARS	1 869	396	21.2	1 639	323	19.7	179	55	30.7
SINGLE	1 681	375	22.3	1 479	303	20.5	151	55	36.4
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	86	9	10.2	65	9	(B)	20	-	(B)
SEPARATED	52	5	(B)	43	5	(B)	9	-	(B)
OTHER	34	4	(B)	23	4	(B)	11	-	(B)
WIDOWED	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
DIVORCED	102	12	11.5	95	12	12.5	8	-	(B)
25 TO 29 YEARS	1 765	186	10.5	1 488	136	9.1	221	40	17.8
SINGLE	1 265	137	10.8	1 067	97	9.1	149	29	19.6
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	171	27	16.0	132	22	17.0	34	5	(B)
SEPARATED	130	20	15.2	97	15	15.5	31	5	(B)
OTHER	40	7	(B)	35	7	(B)	3	-	(B)
WIDOWED	2	-	(B)	2	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
DIVORCED	328	22	6.7	287	16	5.7	39	6	(B)
30 TO 34 YEARS	1 131	104	9.2	964	77	8.0	141	20	14.5
SINGLE	570	56	9.9	488	46	9.5	66	8	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	172	24	14.2	135	11	8.4	33	9	(B)
SEPARATED	123	15	12.1	98	9	9.1	23	5	(B)
OTHER	50	10	(B)	37	2	(B)	10	4	(B)
WIDOWED	7	-	(B)	6	-	(B)	2	-	(B)
DIVORCED	381	23	6.1	336	20	5.9	41	3	(B)
35 TO 44 YEARS	1 201	146	12.2	936	82	8.7	251	63	25.2
SINGLE	411	41	9.9	345	26	7.4	62	15	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	289	46	15.9	190	11	5.9	93	33	35.5
SEPARATED	227	41	18.1	141	7	4.7	84	33	39.4
OTHER	62	5	(B)	49	5	(B)	9	-	(B)
WIDOWED	21	2	(B)	17	2	(B)	4	-	(B)
DIVORCED	480	58	12.0	384	43	11.2	92	15	16.0
45 TO 54 YEARS	1 067	210	19.6	818	146	17.8	221	60	27.2
SINGLE	330	68	20.6	270	53	19.6	52	15	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	247	56	22.8	162	31	19.1	66	23	(B)
SEPARATED	164	43	26.4	102	22	21.2	60	22	(B)
OTHER	84	13	15.8	60	9	(B)	6	1	(B)
WIDOWED	81	18	22.2	53	8	(B)	28	10	(B)
DIVORCED	408	67	16.4	333	53	16.1	74	13	(B)
55 TO 64 YEARS	1 068	226	21.2	873	161	18.4	185	65	35.4
SINGLE	292	83	28.4	257	63	24.4	30	20	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	187	44	23.6	119	24	20.4	66	20	(B)
SEPARATED	122	37	29.9	67	18	(B)	56	18	(B)
OTHER	65	8	(B)	53	6	(B)	11	2	(B)
WIDOWED	188	26	13.7	161	17	10.6	25	9	(B)
DIVORCED	401	73	18.3	336	56	16.8	63	17	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 639	386	23.5	1 357	273	20.1	251	99	39.4
SINGLE	333	111	33.2	284	79	28.0	39	25	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	177	64	36.4	121	32	26.6	53	32	(B)
SEPARATED	120	50	41.5	72	21	(B)	47	28	(B)
OTHER	58	15	(B)	49	11	(B)	5	4	(B)
WIDOWED	919	172	18.7	790	133	16.9	117	34	29.5
DIVORCED	209	39	18.7	163	28	17.3	42	7	(B)

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS, FAMILY HEADS, AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

MARITAL STATUS, AGE, AND SEX	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
FEMALE									
TOTAL									
TOTAL, 15 YEARS AND OVER	85 373	10 193	11.9	74 507	7 042	9.5	9 388	2 963	31.6
SINGLE	18 873	2 956	15.7	15 406	1 693	11.0	3 128	1 213	38.8
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	47 915	2 537	5.3	43 808	2 041	4.7	3 233	423	13.1
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	3 181	1 289	40.5	2 064	736	35.7	1 066	533	50.0
SEPARATED	2 419	1 040	43.0	1 458	555	38.1	930	474	51.0
OTHER	762	248	32.6	606	181	29.9	136	59	43.4
WIDOWED	10 147	2 222	21.9	8 648	1 700	19.2	1 166	500	42.9
DIVORCED	5 258	1 190	22.6	4 382	873	19.9	795	295	37.1
15 TO 44 YEARS	49 418	5 785	11.7	42 279	3 758	8.9	6 104	1 893	31.0
SINGLE	17 002	2 641	15.5	13 732	1 462	10.6	2 944	1 131	38.4
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	26 727	1 384	5.2	24 214	1 131	4.7	1 904	203	10.7
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	2 084	894	42.9	1 366	524	38.4	682	350	51.3
SEPARATED	1 614	732	45.3	1 010	411	40.7	581	309	53.2
OTHER	470	162	34.4	356	113	31.8	101	40	40.0
WIDOWED	404	90	22.2	293	49	16.8	105	40	38.0
DIVORCED	3 201	776	24.2	2 674	591	22.1	469	169	36.1
15 TO 19 YEARS	10 287	1 477	14.4	8 671	901	10.4	1 434	552	38.5
SINGLE	9 305	1 351	14.5	7 786	801	10.3	1 354	525	38.8
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	844	93	11.0	770	74	9.6	57	19	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	106	22	20.4	86	16	18.2	20	6	(B)
SEPARATED	41	14	(B)	28	10	(B)	13	4	(B)
OTHER	65	8	(B)	59	6	(B)	7	2	(B)
WIDOWED	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
DIVORCED	32	11	(B)	28	10	(B)	3	2	(B)
20 TO 24 YEARS	9 989	1 374	13.8	8 487	912	10.7	1 304	439	33.6
SINGLE	4 759	808	17.0	3 781	456	12.1	876	339	38.7
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	4 389	261	5.9	4 042	241	6.0	273	18	6.7
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	459	189	41.1	337	123	36.4	110	60	54.1
SEPARATED	325	150	46.1	231	93	40.2	88	53	60.7
OTHER	135	39	28.9	106	29	27.9	22	6	(B)
WIDOWED	22	4	(B)	14	2	(B)	8	3	(B)
DIVORCED	360	113	31.3	314	91	29.0	37	19	(B)
25 TO 29 YEARS	8 953	964	10.8	7 663	639	8.3	1 080	288	26.6
SINGLE	1 614	268	16.6	1 210	117	9.7	372	142	38.2
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	6 109	299	4.9	5 509	239	4.3	445	41	9.1
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	452	193	42.7	291	127	43.6	157	63	40.3
SEPARATED	375	166	44.2	237	104	43.7	134	59	44.4
OTHER	77	28	35.7	54	24	(B)	23	4	(B)
WIDOWED	58	18	(B)	35	10	(B)	20	7	(B)
DIVORCED	721	186	25.8	617	146	23.6	87	34	39.4
30 TO 34 YEARS	7 904	808	10.2	6 835	572	8.4	871	209	24.0
SINGLE	664	106	15.9	490	44	9.0	163	60	37.0
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	5 945	301	5.1	5 362	245	4.6	423	40	9.6
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	414	197	47.5	273	119	43.7	133	71	53.6
SEPARATED	331	156	47.2	214	94	43.9	114	60	52.2
OTHER	83	40	48.6	59	25	(B)	19	12	(B)
WIDOWED	49	9	(B)	26	4	(B)	22	4	(B)
DIVORCED	832	196	23.6	663	160	23.4	131	33	25.3
35 TO 44 YEARS	12 285	1 161	9.5	10 623	735	6.9	1 414	405	28.7
SINGLE	660	108	16.4	465	44	9.5	179	64	35.7
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	9 439	430	4.6	8 531	333	3.9	706	85	12.0
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	653	294	44.9	379	140	36.9	263	150	57.0
SEPARATED	543	246	45.3	300	110	36.7	232	133	57.2
OTHER	110	47	43.0	79	29	37.5	31	17	(B)
WIDOWED	275	59	21.4	218	33	15.3	56	25	(B)
DIVORCED	1 257	270	21.5	1 030	185	17.9	210	81	38.6
45 TO 54 YEARS	11 917	1 005	8.4	10 492	685	6.5	1 215	300	24.7
SINGLE	524	80	15.2	427	44	10.2	86	34	39.1
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	9 084	403	4.4	8 330	334	4.0	595	61	10.2
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	511	184	35.9	303	100	33.0	205	84	40.8
SEPARATED	409	153	37.4	213	76	35.5	193	77	39.9
OTHER	102	31	30.1	90	24	27.0	12	7	(B)
WIDOWED	854	171	20.1	680	106	15.6	156	62	39.8
DIVORCED	944	168	17.8	753	102	13.5	173	60	34.7
55 TO 64 YEARS	10 740	1 187	11.1	9 669	859	8.9	958	312	32.6
SINGLE	519	87	16.7	462	58	12.5	54	29	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	7 219	385	5.3	6 706	294	4.4	433	79	18.3
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	340	122	36.0	214	68	32.0	119	54	45.2
SEPARATED	251	88	35.3	141	41	28.9	105	48	45.2
OTHER	90	34	37.9	73	28	(B)	14	6	(B)
WIDOWED	1 972	460	23.3	1 697	346	20.4	253	109	43.3
DIVORCED	690	134	19.4	589	93	15.8	99	41	41.2
65 YEARS AND OVER	13 298	2 216	16.7	12 067	1 739	14.4	1 111	457	41.2
SINGLE	828	148	17.9	784	129	16.5	43	19	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	4 885	365	7.5	4 558	281	6.2	301	79	26.4
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	245	89	36.4	181	43	23.9	60	46	(B)
SEPARATED	146	67	46.3	93	27	29.5	51	40	(B)
OTHER	99	22	21.7	87	16	17.9	9	6	(B)
WIDOWED	6 917	1 502	21.7	6 178	1 199	19.4	652	288	44.2
DIVORCED	423	113	26.6	367	87	23.7	55	26	(B)

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MARITAL STATUS, AGE, AND SEX	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--CONTINUED									
FAMILY HEADS									
TOTAL, 15 YEARS AND OVER	8 233	2 607	31.7	5 828	1 400	24.0	2 274	1 159	51.0
SINGLE	1 284	601	46.8	626	200	31.9	643	395	61.4
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	1 781	897	50.4	1 088	500	46.0	667	383	57.3
SEPARATED	1 485	760	51.2	870	403	46.3	599	350	58.4
OTHER	296	137	46.3	217	97	44.8	68	33	(B)
WIDOWED	2 381	388	16.3	1 863	191	10.2	477	187	39.1
DIVORCED	2 787	720	25.8	2 251	509	22.6	486	195	40.1
15 TO 44 YEARS	4 702	1 998	42.5	3 107	1 112	35.8	1 521	855	56.2
SINGLE	996	555	55.7	395	180	45.5	587	369	62.7
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	1 327	740	55.8	821	425	51.7	484	301	62.3
SEPARATED	1 117	626	56.1	676	347	51.3	429	272	63.5
OTHER	211	114	54.2	145	78	54.0	55	29	(B)
WIDOWED	316	71	22.5	223	38	16.9	90	33	36.7
DIVORCED	2 063	632	30.6	1 668	469	28.2	360	152	42.3
15 TO 19 YEARS	95	81	85.1	60	50	(B)	33	29	(B)
SINGLE	76	65	84.9	45	35	(B)	29	28	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	10	8	(B)	8	8	(B)	2	-	(B)
SEPARATED	8	6	(B)	6	6	(B)	2	-	(B)
OTHER	2	2	(B)	2	2	(B)	-	-	(B)
WIDOWED	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
DIVORCED	9	9	(B)	7	7	(B)	2	2	(B)
20 TO 24 YEARS	697	439	63.0	386	218	56.4	299	215	72.0
SINGLE	342	231	67.6	134	78	58.7	206	151	73.0
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	197	133	67.5	123	79	64.0	68	50	(B)
SEPARATED	166	116	70.0	102	66	64.1	62	49	(B)
OTHER	31	17	(B)	21	13	(B)	6	1	(B)
WIDOWED	18	4	(B)	10	2	(B)	8	3	(B)
DIVORCED	140	70	50.1	119	59	49.2	16	11	(B)
25 TO 29 YEARS	984	464	47.2	616	262	42.4	352	196	55.8
SINGLE	268	143	53.3	97	36	37.2	168	104	62.1
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	285	161	56.3	184	106	57.9	100	54	53.3
SEPARATED	248	141	56.9	156	89	57.1	92	52	56.4
OTHER	37	20	(B)	28	17	(B)	9	2	(B)
WIDOWED	29	13	(B)	15	7	(B)	15	6	(B)
DIVORCED	402	148	36.9	321	112	35.0	69	33	(B)
30 TO 34 YEARS	1 069	413	38.6	747	268	35.9	301	136	45.3
SINGLE	142	55	38.6	52	15	(B)	88	40	45.3
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	316	172	54.5	207	106	51.2	102	61	59.6
SEPARATED	261	141	54.1	170	87	51.1	89	52	58.9
OTHER	56	31	(B)	37	19	(B)	13	9	(B)
WIDOWED	42	7	(B)	23	3	(B)	19	4	(B)
DIVORCED	568	178	31.4	465	144	30.9	93	31	33.8
35 TO 44 YEARS	1 858	601	32.4	1 298	315	24.3	536	278	51.9
SINGLE	167	61	36.5	67	15	(B)	96	46	48.2
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	519	267	51.5	299	126	42.2	210	136	64.8
SEPARATED	434	222	51.2	242	100	41.1	184	119	64.9
OTHER	84	45	52.8	57	27	(B)	27	17	(B)
WIDOWED	227	47	20.5	176	27	15.1	49	20	(B)
DIVORCED	945	227	24.0	756	148	19.5	180	75	41.8
45 TO 54 YEARS	1 414	296	20.9	1 057	157	14.8	324	130	40.0
SINGLE	97	25	26.1	67	11	(B)	29	15	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	295	107	36.3	174	56	32.2	119	51	42.9
SEPARATED	233	91	38.9	120	42	34.8	111	49	44.0
OTHER	62	16	(B)	54	14	(B)	8	2	(B)
WIDOWED	528	100	18.9	412	56	13.5	98	41	41.7
DIVORCED	494	63	12.8	403	34	8.4	78	23	29.9
55 TO 64 YEARS	953	154	16.2	731	62	8.5	215	92	43.0
SINGLE	65	9	(B)	51	1	(B)	14	9	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	114	37	32.2	65	18	(B)	47	18	(B)
SEPARATED	98	30	31.1	54	14	(B)	41	17	(B)
OTHER	16	6	(B)	11	5	(B)	5	2	(B)
WIDOWED	601	89	14.9	474	38	7.9	122	52	42.5
DIVORCED	173	19	11.0	140	5	3.8	32	14	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 164	159	13.7	933	70	7.5	214	82	38.3
SINGLE	125	12	9.2	113	9	7.6	12	3	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	45	13	(B)	27	1	(B)	18	12	(B)
SEPARATED	37	13	(B)	19	1	(B)	18	12	(B)
OTHER	8	-	(B)	7	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
WIDOWED	936	128	13.7	754	60	7.9	168	61	36.4
DIVORCED	58	6	(B)	40	-	(B)	17	6	(B)

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MARITAL STATUS, AGE, AND SEX	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
FEMALE--CONTINUED									
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
TOTAL, 15 YEARS AND OVER	13 095	3 409	26.0	11 561	2 739	23.7	1 385	633	45.7
SINGLE	4 159	923	22.2	3 666	763	20.8	429	147	34.3
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	792	308	38.9	546	189	34.6	231	114	49.2
SEPARATED	572	223	38.9	364	123	33.7	198	95	48.2
OTHER	219	85	38.9	182	66	36.4	33	18	(B)
WIDOWED	6 244	1 759	28.2	5 698	1 462	25.7	501	284	56.7
DIVORCED	1 900	419	22.0	1 652	326	19.7	224	88	39.4
15 TO 44 YEARS	4 252	911	21.4	3 678	745	20.3	486	143	29.4
SINGLE	3 112	696	22.4	2 708	578	21.3	348	106	30.4
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	297	88	29.7	212	59	28.1	75	23	30.6
SEPARATED	227	65	28.5	158	41	25.7	62	20	(B)
OTHER	69	23	(B)	53	19	(B)	13	3	(B)
WIDOWED	61	14	(B)	50	8	(B)	9	5	(B)
DIVORCED	783	113	14.5	709	99	14.0	54	9	(B)
15 TO 19 YEARS	388	220	56.7	336	188	56.0	52	32	(B)
SINGLE	383	217	56.6	330	185	55.8	52	32	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	2	2	(B)	2	2	(B)	-	-	(B)
SEPARATED	2	2	(B)	2	2	(B)	-	-	(B)
OTHER	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
WIDOWED	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
DIVORCED	3	2	(B)	3	2	(B)	-	-	(B)
20 TO 24 YEARS	1 583	408	25.8	1 382	334	24.2	160	61	38.4
SINGLE	1 362	341	25.0	1 191	280	23.5	137	54	39.3
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	93	31	33.8	74	26	(B)	14	3	(B)
SEPARATED	64	18	(B)	53	15	(B)	10	2	(B)
OTHER	28	13	(B)	21	11	(B)	4	1	(B)
WIDOWED	3	-	(B)	3	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
DIVORCED	125	36	28.5	114	28	25.0	8	4	(B)
25 TO 29 YEARS	1 111	138	12.4	979	112	11.5	118	17	14.2
SINGLE	789	82	10.4	691	68	9.8	92	10	11.1
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	77	20	26.6	55	13	(B)	18	5	(B)
SEPARATED	63	16	(B)	43	9	(B)	16	5	(B)
OTHER	14	4	(B)	12	4	(B)	2	-	(B)
WIDOWED	18	3	(B)	11	2	(B)	5	1	(B)
DIVORCED	228	33	14.4	222	30	13.7	3	-	(B)
30 TO 34 YEARS	537	51	9.5	461	40	8.8	61	9	(B)
SINGLE	306	27	8.9	270	23	8.5	30	4	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	44	13	(B)	32	6	(B)	11	6	(B)
SEPARATED	31	9	(B)	23	5	(B)	8	4	(B)
OTHER	12	3	(B)	9	1	(B)	3	2	(B)
WIDOWED	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
DIVORCED	187	11	6.0	159	11	7.0	21	-	(B)
35 TO 44 YEARS	633	94	14.9	521	70	13.5	95	24	25.0
SINGLE	271	29	10.8	225	23	10.1	37	6	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	82	22	26.9	49	13	(B)	32	9	(B)
SEPARATED	67	19	(B)	38	10	(B)	28	9	(B)
OTHER	15	3	(B)	11	3	(B)	4	-	(B)
WIDOWED	40	11	(B)	36	7	(B)	4	4	(B)
DIVORCED	240	32	13.5	211	28	13.1	22	5	(B)
45 TO 54 YEARS	1 044	267	25.6	809	169	20.8	224	98	43.6
SINGLE	237	39	16.5	199	22	11.2	32	16	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	159	65	40.5	99	39	39.3	61	26	(B)
SEPARATED	131	50	38.2	75	29	38.5	56	21	(B)
OTHER	28	14	(B)	23	10	(B)	5	5	(B)
WIDOWED	275	67	24.2	226	46	20.4	48	20	(B)
DIVORCED	372	97	26.1	285	61	21.5	83	36	43.1
55 TO 64 YEARS	2 119	615	29.0	1 865	482	25.8	242	129	53.4
SINGLE	303	66	21.9	272	50	18.5	30	16	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	182	82	44.9	124	49	39.3	56	33	(B)
SEPARATED	130	55	42.7	78	27	34.7	50	28	(B)
OTHER	52	26	(B)	46	22	(B)	6	5	(B)
WIDOWED	1 188	359	30.2	1 078	299	27.8	100	55	54.7
DIVORCED	447	108	24.3	391	83	21.2	56	26	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	5 680	1 615	28.4	5 209	1 344	25.8	433	263	60.8
SINGLE	507	122	24.0	487	112	23.0	20	10	(B)
MARRIED, SPOUSE PRESENT	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT	153	74	48.0	111	41	37.5	39	32	(B)
SEPARATED	83	52	62.5	52	26	(B)	30	26	(B)
OTHER	70	21	(B)	59	16	(B)	9	6	(B)
WIDOWED	4 721	1 320	28.0	4 344	1 108	25.5	344	204	59.4
DIVORCED	299	100	33.5	267	82	30.8	31	18	(B)

Table 22. Living Arrangements—Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977, Age, Sex, and Race

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

LIVING ARRANGEMENTS	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
BOTH SEXES									
14 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL	23 110	5 216	22.6	19 869	4 051	20.4	2 860	1 059	37.0
LIVING ALONE	16 715	3 494	20.9	14 598	2 785	19.1	1 925	676	35.1
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	6 395	1 721	26.9	5 271	1 267	24.0	935	383	41.0
IN HOUSEHOLDS	5 964	1 537	25.8	4 936	1 130	22.9	852	344	40.4
IN GROUP QUARTERS	431	185	42.9	336	137	40.8	83	39	47.3
14 AND 15 YEARS									
TOTAL	58	58	(B)	32	32	(B)	20	20	(B)
LIVING ALONE	2	2	(B)	2	2	(B)	-	-	(B)
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	56	56	(B)	30	30	(B)	20	20	(B)
IN HOUSEHOLDS	48	48	(B)	29	29	(B)	14	14	(B)
IN GROUP QUARTERS	7	7	(B)	1	1	(B)	6	6	(B)
16 TO 21 YEARS									
TOTAL	1 751	648	37.0	1 556	561	36.1	141	62	44.2
LIVING ALONE	547	142	25.9	503	128	25.4	40	12	(B)
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	1 204	506	42.0	1 053	433	41.2	101	51	50.3
IN HOUSEHOLDS	1 122	449	40.0	985	389	39.5	93	44	47.2
IN GROUP QUARTERS	82	57	70.0	68	45	(B)	8	7	(B)
22 TO 34 YEARS									
TOTAL	6 850	950	13.9	5 893	732	12.4	797	175	22.0
LIVING ALONE	3 758	346	9.2	3 223	274	8.5	463	63	13.5
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	3 092	603	19.5	2 670	458	17.2	334	112	33.6
IN HOUSEHOLDS	2 986	558	18.7	2 601	429	16.5	301	99	32.9
IN GROUP QUARTERS	106	46	43.1	69	30	(B)	32	13	(B)
35 TO 54 YEARS									
TOTAL	3 945	718	18.2	3 084	467	15.1	791	245	30.9
LIVING ALONE	2 861	481	16.8	2 294	322	14.0	526	153	29.1
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	1 084	237	21.8	790	145	18.3	265	92	34.5
IN HOUSEHOLDS	981	209	21.3	707	118	16.7	246	90	36.7
IN GROUP QUARTERS	103	28	27.2	63	27	32.2	19	1	(B)
55 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL	3 187	841	26.4	2 738	642	23.5	427	194	45.6
LIVING ALONE	2 746	696	25.3	2 369	539	22.8	356	153	43.0
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	442	145	32.9	369	103	28.0	70	41	(B)
IN HOUSEHOLDS	378	130	34.3	307	89	29.0	69	40	(B)
IN GROUP QUARTERS	63	15	(B)	62	14	(B)	2	1	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL	7 319	2 001	27.3	6 566	1 617	24.5	684	362	53.0
LIVING ALONE	6 801	1 827	26.9	6 206	1 520	24.5	540	295	54.7
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	517	174	33.6	360	96	26.8	144	67	46.5
IN HOUSEHOLDS	448	143	31.9	307	76	24.8	129	57	43.9
IN GROUP QUARTERS	69	31	(B)	53	20	(B)	16	11	(B)
MALE									
14 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL	10 005	1 796	18.0	8 300	1 305	15.7	1 473	423	28.8
LIVING ALONE	6 352	947	14.9	5 380	718	13.3	873	214	24.5
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	3 653	849	23.3	2 921	587	20.1	600	209	34.9
IN HOUSEHOLDS	3 474	788	22.7	2 808	554	19.7	542	188	34.6
IN GROUP QUARTERS	179	61	34.2	112	32	29.0	58	21	(B)
14 AND 15 YEARS									
TOTAL	29	29	(B)	12	12	(B)	12	12	(B)
LIVING ALONE	2	2	(B)	2	2	(B)	-	-	(B)
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	27	27	(B)	10	10	(B)	12	12	(B)
IN HOUSEHOLDS	23	23	(B)	10	10	(B)	8	8	(B)
IN GROUP QUARTERS	3	3	(B)	-	-	(B)	3	3	(B)
16 TO 21 YEARS									
TOTAL	812	261	32.2	741	229	30.9	39	16	(B)
LIVING ALONE	281	55	19.6	264	50	18.9	16	5	(B)
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	531	206	38.8	477	179	37.5	23	11	(B)
IN HOUSEHOLDS	513	191	37.3	464	169	36.5	23	11	(B)
IN GROUP QUARTERS	18	15	(B)	13	10	(B)	-	-	(B)
22 TO 34 YEARS									
TOTAL	4 189	538	12.8	3 564	403	11.3	514	108	21.1
LIVING ALONE	2 262	201	8.9	1 934	151	7.8	276	44	16.1
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	1 927	337	17.5	1 630	252	15.4	238	64	26.8
IN HOUSEHOLDS	1 861	319	17.1	1 591	242	15.2	215	57	26.7
IN GROUP QUARTERS	65	18	(B)	39	10	(B)	24	7	(B)

Table 22. Living Arrangements—Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977, Age, Sex, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

LIVING ARRANGEMENTS	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
MALE--CONTINUED									
35 TO 54 YEARS									
TOTAL	2 268	356	15.7	1 754	228	13.0	472	123	26.1
LIVING ALONE	1 550	224	14.5	1 250	156	12.5	280	63	22.5
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	718	132	18.3	504	71	14.2	192	60	31.4
IN HOUSEHOLDS	667	123	18.4	468	62	13.3	178	60	34.0
IN GROUP QUARTERS	51	9	(B)	36	9	(B)	14	-	(B)
55 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL	1 068	226	21.2	873	161	18.4	185	65	35.4
LIVING ALONE	818	152	18.6	670	111	16.5	139	42	29.9
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	250	74	29.5	203	50	24.7	46	24	(B)
IN HOUSEHOLDS	232	70	30.3	186	48	25.6	44	23	(B)
IN GROUP QUARTERS	18	3	(B)	16	2	(B)	2	1	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL	1 639	386	23.5	1 357	273	20.1	251	99	39.4
LIVING ALONE	1 439	312	21.7	1 259	248	19.7	162	60	36.9
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	199	74	37.1	98	25	25.3	89	39	44.0
IN HOUSEHOLDS	177	62	34.9	90	23	25.5	74	29	(B)
IN GROUP QUARTERS	23	12	(B)	8	2	(B)	14	11	(B)
FEMALE									
14 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL	13 105	3 419	26.1	11 569	2 747	23.7	1 387	636	45.8
LIVING ALONE	10 363	2 547	24.6	9 218	2 067	22.4	1 053	462	43.9
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	2 742	872	31.8	2 351	680	28.9	335	174	52.0
IN HOUSEHOLDS	2 490	748	30.1	2 127	576	27.1	309	156	50.5
IN GROUP QUARTERS	252	124	49.1	224	104	46.7	26	18	(B)
14 AND 15 YEARS									
TOTAL	29	29	(B)	20	20	(B)	9	9	(B)
LIVING ALONE	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	29	29	(B)	20	20	(B)	9	9	(B)
IN HOUSEHOLDS	25	25	(B)	19	19	(B)	6	6	(B)
IN GROUP QUARTERS	4	4	(B)	1	1	(B)	3	3	(B)
16 TO 21 YEARS									
TOTAL	939	387	41.2	815	332	40.7	102	47	45.6
LIVING ALONE	266	87	32.5	239	78	32.5	25	6	(B)
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	672	300	44.6	576	254	44.2	78	40	51.8
IN HOUSEHOLDS	609	258	42.3	521	219	42.1	70	33	(B)
IN GROUP QUARTERS	63	42	(B)	55	35	(B)	8	7	(B)
22 TO 34 YEARS									
TOTAL	2 662	412	15.5	2 329	330	14.2	283	67	23.6
LIVING ALONE	1 496	145	9.7	1 289	123	9.5	188	18	9.7
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	1 165	267	22.9	1 040	207	19.9	96	49	50.8
IN HOUSEHOLDS	1 124	239	21.3	1 010	187	18.5	87	42	48.3
IN GROUP QUARTERS	41	28	(B)	30	20	(B)	9	7	(B)
35 TO 54 YEARS									
TOTAL	1 677	362	21.6	1 330	239	18.0	318	121	38.1
LIVING ALONE	1 311	257	19.6	1 044	166	15.9	245	90	36.7
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	367	105	28.7	286	74	25.7	73	31	(B)
IN HOUSEHOLDS	315	86	27.4	239	56	23.4	68	30	(B)
IN GROUP QUARTERS	52	19	(B)	47	18	(B)	5	1	(B)
55 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL	2 119	615	29.0	1 865	482	25.8	242	129	53.4
LIVING ALONE	1 928	544	28.2	1 699	428	25.2	217	112	51.4
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	191	71	37.3	166	53	32.1	24	17	(B)
IN HOUSEHOLDS	146	59	40.6	121	41	34.2	24	17	(B)
IN GROUP QUARTERS	45	12	(B)	45	12	(B)	-	-	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL	5 680	1 615	28.4	5 209	1 344	25.8	433	263	60.8
LIVING ALONE	5 362	1 515	28.3	4 947	1 272	25.7	378	235	62.3
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	318	100	31.4	262	72	27.4	56	28	(B)
IN HOUSEHOLDS	271	81	29.9	217	53	24.5	54	28	(B)
IN GROUP QUARTERS	46	19	(B)	45	19	(B)	1	-	(B)

Table 23. Geographical Mobility Between March 1975 and March 1978—Family Heads and Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977, Sex, and Race

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILY HEADS AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

GEOGRAPHICAL MOBILITY BETWEEN MARCH 1975 AND MARCH 1978	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
ALL FAMILY HEADS									
UNITED STATES									
TOTAL	57 215	5 311	9.3	50 530	3 540	7.0	5 806	1 637	28.2
SAME HOUSE (NONMOVERS)	37 167	2 802	7.5	33 057	1 816	5.5	3 665	916	25.0
DIFFERENT HOUSE (MOVERS)	19 350	2 397	12.4	16 945	1 640	9.7	2 077	711	34.2
SAME COUNTY	11 835	1 599	13.5	10 049	997	9.9	1 586	573	36.1
DIFFERENT COUNTY	7 515	798	10.6	6 896	643	9.3	491	138	28.1
WITHIN STATE	4 114	397	9.6	3 791	324	8.6	267	65	24.5
BETWEEN STATES	3 402	401	11.8	3 105	319	10.3	225	73	32.5
CONTIGUOUS	1 100	140	12.8	1 005	111	11.0	74	27	(B)
NONCONTIGUOUS	2 301	261	11.3	2 100	208	9.9	151	46	30.4
ABROAD IN 1975	697	112	16.1	527	83	15.8	65	10	(B)
NORTH AND WEST									
TOTAL	38 491	3 084	8.0	35 009	2 291	6.5	2 739	695	25.4
SAME HOUSE (NONMOVERS)	25 236	1 544	6.1	23 195	1 151	5.0	1 660	342	20.6
DIFFERENT HOUSE (MOVERS)	12 809	1 457	11.4	11 473	1 077	9.4	1 061	352	33.2
SAME REGION (NORTH AND WEST AT BOTH DATES)	12 319	1 380	11.2	11 042	1 014	9.2	1 006	338	33.6
SAME COUNTY	8 069	1 003	12.4	7 091	702	9.9	802	284	35.4
DIFFERENT COUNTY	4 250	376	8.9	3 951	312	7.9	205	54	26.5
WITHIN STATE	2 733	228	8.4	2 534	191	7.5	148	30	20.2
BETWEEN STATES	1 518	148	9.8	1 417	121	8.5	57	24	(B)
CONTIGUOUS	597	68	11.3	565	55	9.8	17	12	(B)
NONCONTIGUOUS	920	81	8.8	851	65	7.7	39	13	(B)
DIFFERENT REGION (FROM SOUTH IN 1975 TO NORTH AND WEST IN 1978)	490	77	15.8	431	63	14.6	54	14	(B)
ABROAD IN 1975	447	83	18.7	340	63	18.5	18	1	(B)
SOUTH									
TOTAL	18 724	2 226	11.9	15 521	1 248	8.0	3 067	942	30.7
SAME HOUSE (NONMOVERS)	11 931	1 258	10.5	9 862	665	6.7	2 004	574	28.6
DIFFERENT HOUSE (MOVERS)	6 542	940	14.4	5 472	563	10.3	1 016	359	35.3
SAME REGION (SOUTH AT BOTH DATES)	5 795	848	14.6	4 778	490	10.3	974	343	35.2
SAME COUNTY	3 766	596	15.8	2 958	295	10.0	784	289	36.9
DIFFERENT COUNTY	2 028	252	12.4	1 820	195	10.7	190	54	28.6
WITHIN STATE	1 381	168	12.2	1 257	133	10.6	118	35	29.8
BETWEEN STATES	647	83	12.9	553	62	10.9	71	19	(B)
CONTIGUOUS	360	53	14.8	303	38	12.6	50	13	(B)
NONCONTIGUOUS	287	30	10.5	260	23	8.9	21	5	(B)
DIFFERENT REGION (FROM NORTH AND WEST IN 1975 TO SOUTH IN 1978)	747	92	12.4	694	74	10.6	42	16	(B)
ABROAD IN 1975	251	29	11.5	187	20	10.8	47	9	(B)
MALE FAMILY HEADS									
UNITED STATES									
TOTAL	48 979	2 701	5.5	44 701	2 140	4.8	3 529	475	13.5
SAME HOUSE (NONMOVERS)	32 352	1 656	5.1	29 588	1 276	4.3	2 395	337	14.1
DIFFERENT HOUSE (MOVERS)	16 008	975	6.1	14 644	809	5.5	1 080	137	12.7
SAME COUNTY	9 500	585	6.2	8 555	461	5.4	777	107	13.8
DIFFERENT COUNTY	6 508	390	6.0	6 090	348	5.7	302	30	10.0
WITHIN STATE	3 557	191	5.4	3 335	171	5.1	173	15	8.5
BETWEEN STATES	2 951	199	6.7	2 754	176	6.4	129	15	12.0
CONTIGUOUS	948	76	8.1	885	68	7.7	43	6	(B)
NONCONTIGUOUS	2 002	123	6.1	1 869	108	5.8	86	10	11.1
ABROAD IN 1975	618	71	11.4	469	55	11.7	54	-	(B)
NORTH AND WEST									
TOTAL	32 960	1 454	4.4	30 739	1 244	4.0	1 585	147	9.3
SAME HOUSE (NONMOVERS)	22 026	872	4.0	20 663	752	3.6	1 049	92	8.8
DIFFERENT HOUSE (MOVERS)	10 544	527	5.0	9 779	452	4.6	521	54	10.4
SAME REGION (NORTH AND WEST AT BOTH DATES)	10 136	496	4.9	9 404	424	4.5	491	53	10.7
SAME COUNTY	6 460	330	5.1	5 945	276	4.6	360	42	11.7
DIFFERENT COUNTY	3 677	166	4.5	3 459	148	4.3	132	11	8.1
WITHIN STATE	2 357	101	4.3	2 214	90	4.1	99	6	6.1
BETWEEN STATES	1 320	64	4.9	1 245	57	4.6	32	5	(B)
CONTIGUOUS	509	30	5.8	490	27	5.6	6	2	(B)
NONCONTIGUOUS	811	35	4.3	755	30	4.0	27	3	(B)
DIFFERENT REGION (FROM SOUTH IN 1975 TO NORTH AND WEST IN 1978)	407	31	7.6	375	29	7.7	30	2	(B)
ABROAD IN 1975	390	56	14.3	297	40	13.4	16	-	(B)
SOUTH									
TOTAL	16 019	1 247	7.8	13 963	896	6.4	1 944	328	16.9
SAME HOUSE (NONMOVERS)	10 326	784	7.6	8 925	525	5.9	1 347	245	18.2
DIFFERENT HOUSE (MOVERS)	5 465	448	8.2	4 865	356	7.3	559	83	14.9
SAME REGION (SOUTH AT BOTH DATES)	4 795	397	8.3	4 231	313	7.4	534	78	14.6
SAME COUNTY	3 041	255	8.4	2 610	185	7.1	418	65	15.6
DIFFERENT COUNTY	1 754	142	8.1	1 621	128	7.9	116	13	11.0
WITHIN STATE	1 200	90	7.5	1 121	81	7.2	74	9	(B)
BETWEEN STATES	553	53	9.5	500	47	9.4	41	4	(B)
CONTIGUOUS	310	37	11.9	271	31	11.6	33	4	(B)
NONCONTIGUOUS	243	16	6.4	229	16	6.8	9	-	(B)
DIFFERENT REGION (FROM NORTH AND WEST IN 1975 TO SOUTH IN 1978)	670	51	7.6	634	43	6.8	25	5	(B)
ABROAD IN 1975	228	15	6.6	173	15	8.7	38	-	(B)

Table 23. Geographical Mobility Between March 1975 and March 1978—Family Heads and Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977, Sex, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILY HEADS AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

GEOGRAPHICAL MOBILITY BETWEEN MARCH 1975 AND MARCH 1978	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
FEMALE FAMILY HEADS									
UNITED STATES									
TOTAL	8 236	2 610	31.7	5 828	1 400	24.0	2 277	1 162	51.0
SAME HOUSE (NONMOVERS)	4 815	1 146	23.8	3 470	540	15.5	1 269	579	45.6
DIFFERENT HOUSE (MOVERS)	3 342	1 422	42.6	2 301	832	36.2	997	573	57.5
SAME COUNTY	2 335	1 014	43.4	1 494	537	35.9	808	465	57.6
DIFFERENT COUNTY	1 007	408	40.5	807	295	36.6	189	108	57.2
WITHIN STATE	556	206	37.0	456	153	33.5	93	51	54.3
BETWEEN STATES	451	202	44.9	350	143	40.7	96	58	60.1
CONTIGUOUS	152	64	42.1	120	43	35.6	31	21	(B)
NONCONTIGUOUS	299	138	46.3	231	100	43.3	65	36	(B)
ABROAD IN 1975	79	41	52.5	58	29	(B)	11	9	(B)
NORTH AND WEST									
TOTAL	5 531	1 630	29.5	4 270	1 047	24.5	1 154	548	47.5
SAME HOUSE (NONMOVERS)	3 210	672	20.9	2 533	399	15.8	612	250	40.9
DIFFERENT HOUSE (MOVERS)	2 265	930	41.1	1 694	625	36.9	540	297	55.1
SAME REGION (NORTH AND WEST AT BOTH DATES)	2 183	684	40.5	1 638	590	36.0	515	285	55.3
SAME COUNTY	1 609	673	41.8	1 146	426	37.2	442	242	54.6
DIFFERENT COUNTY	574	211	36.7	492	164	33.4	73	44	(B)
WITHIN STATE	376	127	33.7	320	101	31.5	49	24	(B)
BETWEEN STATES	198	84	42.4	172	63	37.0	24	20	(B)
CONTIGUOUS	88	38	43.0	75	28	37.3	12	10	(B)
NONCONTIGUOUS	110	46	42.0	96	35	36.8	12	10	(B)
DIFFERENT REGION (FROM SOUTH IN 1975 TO NORTH AND WEST IN 1978)	82	46	56.6	56	34	(B)	25	12	(B)
ABROAD IN 1975	56	25	(B)	44	23	(B)	2	1	(B)
SOUTH									
TOTAL	2 705	980	36.2	1 558	353	22.6	1 123	614	54.6
SAME HOUSE (NONMOVERS)	1 605	474	29.5	937	140	14.9	657	329	50.1
DIFFERENT HOUSE (MOVERS)	1 077	492	45.7	607	207	34.2	457	276	60.4
SAME REGION (SOUTH AT BOTH DATES)	1 000	451	45.1	547	177	32.4	440	265	60.2
SAME COUNTY	726	341	47.0	348	110	31.7	366	224	61.1
DIFFERENT COUNTY	274	110	40.0	199	67	33.5	74	41	(B)
WITHIN STATE	180	79	43.7	136	52	38.2	44	27	(B)
BETWEEN STATES	94	31	32.8	63	15	(B)	30	15	(B)
CONTIGUOUS	50	16	(B)	32	7	(B)	17	9	(B)
NONCONTIGUOUS	44	15	(B)	30	8	(B)	13	5	(B)
DIFFERENT REGION (FROM NORTH AND WEST IN 1975 TO SOUTH IN 1978)	77	41	53.3	60	30	(B)	17	11	(B)
ABROAD IN 1975	23	14	(B)	14	5	(B)	9	9	(B)
ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
UNITED STATES									
TOTAL	23 110	5 216	22.6	19 869	4 051	20.4	2 860	1 059	37.0
SAME HOUSE (NONMOVERS)	11 982	2 875	24.0	10 322	2 191	21.2	1 519	647	42.6
DIFFERENT HOUSE (MOVERS)	10 782	2 221	20.6	9 302	1 785	19.2	1 316	407	31.0
SAME COUNTY	6 328	1 267	20.0	5 284	947	17.9	953	301	31.5
DIFFERENT COUNTY	4 455	954	21.4	4 018	838	20.9	363	107	29.4
WITHIN STATE	2 394	543	22.7	2 168	477	22.0	194	65	33.7
BETWEEN STATES	2 061	411	19.9	1 851	361	19.5	169	41	24.5
CONTIGUOUS	611	122	19.9	562	109	19.4	32	7	(B)
NONCONTIGUOUS	1 449	289	19.9	1 288	252	19.6	137	34	25.2
ABROAD IN 1975	346	120	34.7	245	76	31.0	25	5	(B)
NORTH AND WEST									
TOTAL	16 337	3 340	20.4	14 480	2 749	19.0	1 543	520	33.7
SAME HOUSE (NONMOVERS)	8 433	1 705	20.2	7 566	1 405	18.6	746	271	36.3
DIFFERENT HOUSE (MOVERS)	7 671	1 556	20.3	6 739	1 290	19.1	785	244	31.1
SAME REGION (NORTH AND WEST AT BOTH DATES)	7 385	1 502	20.3	6 502	1 256	19.3	737	224	30.4
SAME COUNTY	4 612	854	18.5	3 957	673	17.0	570	166	29.2
DIFFERENT COUNTY	2 773	648	23.4	2 545	582	22.9	167	58	34.6
WITHIN STATE	1 723	429	24.9	1 578	383	24.3	118	45	37.9
BETWEEN STATES	1 050	219	20.9	967	199	20.6	49	13	(B)
CONTIGUOUS	388	80	20.5	363	72	19.8	8	2	(B)
NONCONTIGUOUS	661	140	21.1	604	127	21.1	41	12	(B)
DIFFERENT REGION (FROM SOUTH IN 1975 TO NORTH AND WEST IN 1978)	287	54	18.8	237	34	14.3	48	20	(B)
ABROAD IN 1975	232	79	34.1	176	55	31.2	12	5	(B)
SOUTH									
TOTAL	6 773	1 876	27.7	5 389	1 302	24.2	1 317	539	41.0
SAME HOUSE (NONMOVERS)	3 549	1 170	33.0	2 757	785	28.5	773	376	48.7
DIFFERENT HOUSE (MOVERS)	3 111	665	21.4	2 563	495	19.3	530	163	30.8
SAME REGION (SOUTH AT BOTH DATES)	2 698	595	22.1	2 198	432	19.6	489	159	32.5
SAME COUNTY	1 716	412	24.0	1 327	273	20.6	383	135	35.1
DIFFERENT COUNTY	982	183	18.6	872	158	18.1	106	25	23.2
WITHIN STATE	671	115	17.1	589	94	15.9	76	21	27.2
BETWEEN STATES	312	68	21.8	282	64	22.8	30	4	(B)
CONTIGUOUS	185	35	18.9	167	31	18.8	19	4	(B)
NONCONTIGUOUS	127	33	26.1	116	33	28.5	11	-	(B)
DIFFERENT REGION (FROM NORTH AND WEST IN 1975 TO SOUTH IN 1978)	413	70	16.9	365	64	17.5	41	4	(B)
ABROAD IN 1975	114	41	35.8	69	21	(B)	14	-	(B)

Table 23. Geographical Mobility Between March 1975 and March 1978—Family Heads and Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977, Sex, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILY HEADS AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

GEOGRAPHICAL MOBILITY BETWEEN MARCH 1975 AND MARCH 1978	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
UNITED STATES									
TOTAL	10 005	1 796	18.0	8 300	1 305	15.7	1 473	423	28.8
SAME HOUSE (NONMOVERS)	3 994	753	18.9	3 240	504	15.5	686	225	32.8
DIFFERENT HOUSE (MOVERS)	5 761	966	16.8	4 693	757	15.5	767	193	25.2
SAME COUNTY	3 317	501	15.1	2 726	365	13.4	538	128	23.8
DIFFERENT COUNTY	2 444	465	19.0	2 168	392	18.1	229	65	28.5
WITHIN STATE	1 267	244	19.2	1 125	205	18.2	121	38	31.1
BETWEEN STATES	1 176	221	18.8	1 043	187	17.9	109	28	25.5
CONTIGUOUS	341	60	17.6	315	56	17.7	13	-	(B)
NONCONTIGUOUS	836	161	19.3	728	131	18.0	95	28	29.1
ABROAD IN 1975	250	77	30.9	167	44	26.3	19	5	(B)
NORTH AND WEST									
TOTAL	7 116	1 188	16.7	6 129	921	15.0	801	225	28.0
SAME HOUSE (NONMOVERS)	2 895	458	15.8	2 495	345	13.8	338	94	27.7
DIFFERENT HOUSE (MOVERS)	4 066	685	16.8	3 524	547	15.5	453	126	27.8
SAME REGION (NORTH AND WEST AT BOTH DATES)	3 900	650	16.7	3 394	528	15.6	420	110	26.3
SAME COUNTY	2 400	338	14.1	2 040	260	12.7	309	73	23.5
DIFFERENT COUNTY	1 500	312	20.8	1 354	268	19.8	111	38	34.2
WITHIN STATE	919	198	21.5	826	168	20.4	77	29	37.1
BETWEEN STATES	581	115	19.7	527	100	19.0	34	9	(B)
CONTIGUOUS	207	40	19.4	192	36	18.6	2	-	(B)
NONCONTIGUOUS	374	75	19.9	335	64	19.2	32	9	(B)
DIFFERENT REGION (FROM SOUTH IN 1975 TO NORTH AND WEST IN 1978)	165	35	21.1	131	19	14.8	33	15	(B)
ABROAD IN 1975	155	45	29.0	109	28	25.9	10	5	(B)
SOUTH									
TOTAL	2 889	608	21.0	2 171	384	17.7	671	199	29.6
SAME HOUSE (NONMOVERS)	1 099	295	26.8	745	158	21.3	348	131	37.8
DIFFERENT HOUSE (MOVERS)	1 695	281	16.6	1 369	210	15.3	314	67	21.4
SAME REGION (SOUTH AT BOTH DATES)	1 466	246	16.8	1 171	179	15.3	287	64	22.4
SAME COUNTY	917	163	17.8	686	105	15.4	229	55	24.2
DIFFERENT COUNTY	549	83	15.2	485	74	15.3	58	9	(B)
WITHIN STATE	348	46	13.2	299	37	12.4	44	9	(B)
BETWEEN STATES	201	37	18.5	187	37	19.9	14	-	(B)
CONTIGUOUS	109	17	15.3	102	17	16.4	8	-	(B)
NONCONTIGUOUS	91	20	22.3	85	20	24.0	7	-	(B)
DIFFERENT REGION (FROM NORTH AND WEST IN 1975 TO SOUTH IN 1978)	229	35	15.2	198	30	15.3	27	3	(B)
ABROAD IN 1975	95	32	33.9	58	16	(B)	10	-	(B)
FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
UNITED STATES									
TOTAL	13 105	3 419	26.1	11 569	2 747	23.7	1 387	636	45.8
SAME HOUSE (NONMOVERS)	7 988	2 122	26.6	7 082	1 687	23.8	833	422	50.6
DIFFERENT HOUSE (MOVERS)	5 022	1 255	25.0	4 409	1 028	23.3	548	214	39.0
SAME COUNTY	3 011	766	25.4	2 558	581	22.7	415	173	41.6
DIFFERENT COUNTY	2 011	489	24.3	1 851	446	24.1	133	41	31.0
WITHIN STATE	1 127	300	26.6	1 043	272	26.1	73	28	(B)
BETWEEN STATES	884	189	21.4	808	174	21.6	60	14	(B)
CONTIGUOUS	271	62	22.8	247	53	21.5	19	7	(B)
NONCONTIGUOUS	614	128	20.8	561	121	21.6	41	7	(B)
ABROAD IN 1975	96	43	44.6	78	32	41.2	6	-	(B)
NORTH AND WEST									
TOTAL	9 221	2 151	23.3	8 351	1 828	21.9	742	295	39.8
SAME HOUSE (NONMOVERS)	5 538	1 246	22.5	5 070	1 060	20.9	408	177	43.4
DIFFERENT HOUSE (MOVERS)	3 606	871	24.2	3 215	742	23.1	332	118	35.6
SAME REGION (NORTH AND WEST AT BOTH DATES)	3 485	852	24.4	3 108	728	23.4	317	114	35.8
SAME COUNTY	2 212	516	23.3	1 917	413	21.6	261	94	35.9
DIFFERENT COUNTY	1 273	336	26.4	1 192	314	26.4	56	20	(B)
WITHIN STATE	804	231	28.7	752	215	28.6	41	16	(B)
BETWEEN STATES	469	105	22.3	440	99	22.6	15	4	(B)
CONTIGUOUS	182	40	21.8	171	36	21.3	6	2	(B)
NONCONTIGUOUS	287	65	22.7	269	63	23.4	9	2	(B)
DIFFERENT REGION (FROM SOUTH IN 1975 TO NORTH AND WEST IN 1978)	121	19	15.7	106	15	13.7	15	5	(B)
ABROAD IN 1975	77	34	44.3	66	26	(B)	2	-	(B)
SOUTH									
TOTAL	3 884	1 268	32.6	3 218	918	28.5	646	341	52.8
SAME HOUSE (NONMOVERS)	2 449	876	35.8	2 012	627	31.2	425	245	57.5
DIFFERENT HOUSE (MOVERS)	1 416	364	27.1	1 194	286	23.9	216	96	44.4
SAME REGION (SOUTH AT BOTH DATES)	1 233	349	28.3	1 027	252	24.5	202	95	46.9
SAME COUNTY	799	250	31.2	641	168	26.2	154	79	51.3
DIFFERENT COUNTY	434	100	22.9	386	84	21.8	48	15	(B)
WITHIN STATE	323	69	21.2	291	57	19.6	32	12	(B)
BETWEEN STATES	111	31	27.9	96	27	28.4	15	4	(B)
CONTIGUOUS	76	18	24.2	65	15	(B)	11	4	(B)
NONCONTIGUOUS	35	13	(B)	31	13	(B)	4	-	(B)
DIFFERENT REGION (FROM NORTH AND WEST IN 1975 TO SOUTH IN 1978)	183	35	18.9	167	33	20.0	14	1	(B)
ABROAD IN 1975	19	9	(B)	12	6	(B)	4	-	(B)

Table 24. Tenure by Selected Characteristics—Primary Families and Primary Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Race of Head

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PRIMARY FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	ALL INCOME LEVELS					BELOW POVERTY LEVEL					PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL				
	TOTAL	IN OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	IN RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS			TOTAL	IN OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	IN RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS			TOTAL	IN OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	IN RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS		
			TOTAL	PUBLICLY OWNED	SUBSIDIZED			TOTAL	PUBLICLY OWNED	SUBSIDIZED			TOTAL	PUBLICLY OWNED	SUBSIDIZED
ALL RACES															
PRIMARY FAMILIES															
TYPE OF RESIDENCE															
TOTAL	56 958	41 427	15 531	1 022	275	5 184	2 116	3 068	446	118	9.1	5.1	19.8	43.7	42.8
METROPOLITAN AREAS	37 667	26 482	11 185	796	175	3 061	924	2 137	353	77	8.1	3.5	19.1	44.4	44.0
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	3 691	1 649	2 042	361	27	1 042	209	833	231	16	28.2	12.7	40.8	60.5	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	33 977	24 833	9 144	415	148	2 019	715	1 304	122	61	5.9	2.9	14.3	29.5	41.0
INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	15 274	9 100	6 174	617	102	1 876	411	1 465	292	50	12.3	4.5	23.7	47.2	48.8
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	2 574	934	1 641	355	23	847	137	710	219	14	32.9	14.7	43.3	61.7	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	12 700	8 167	4 533	262	79	1 030	274	756	73	36	8.1	3.4	16.7	27.7	45.5
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	22 393	17 382	5 011	178	74	1 184	513	672	61	28	5.3	3.0	13.4	34.4	(B)
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	1 117	715	401	26	4	195	72	123	12	3	17.5	10.1	30.7	(B)	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	21 276	16 666	4 610	152	69	989	441	548	50	25	4.6	2.6	11.9	32.7	(B)
NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS	19 291	14 945	4 346	226	100	2 124	1 193	931	93	41	11.0	8.0	21.4	41.3	40.7
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	6 589	4 964	1 625	110	13	1 147	650	498	51	7	17.4	13.1	30.6	45.9	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	12 701	9 981	2 721	116	87	976	543	433	43	34	7.7	5.4	15.9	36.8	38.9
AGE OF HEAD															
TOTAL	56 958	41 427	15 531	1 022	275	5 184	2 116	3 068	446	118	9.1	5.1	19.8	43.7	42.8
14 TO 24 YEARS	3 759	1 083	2 676	153	64	681	72	609	77	36	18.1	6.7	22.8	50.3	(B)
25 TO 34 YEARS	13 323	7 914	5 410	313	88	1 389	328	1 061	119	43	10.4	4.1	19.6	38.0	48.9
35 TO 44 YEARS	11 500	8 739	2 761	215	59	1 096	431	665	120	28	9.5	4.9	24.1	55.7	(B)
45 TO 54 YEARS	10 873	9 064	1 810	156	23	695	387	307	71	7	6.4	4.3	17.0	45.4	(B)
55 TO 59 YEARS	5 091	4 300	791	53	3	322	199	123	22	-	6.3	4.6	15.6	(B)	(B)
60 TO 64 YEARS	4 208	3 568	640	35	7	291	199	92	6	2	6.9	5.6	14.4	(B)	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	8 204	6 759	1 444	98	31	710	500	210	32	2	8.7	7.4	14.6	33.1	(B)
MEDIAN AGE, YEARS	44.9	48.3	34.4	37.1	33.3	39.8	50.9	33.7	37.3	30.4	...	...	...	...	...
SIZE OF FAMILY															
TOTAL	56 958	41 427	15 531	1 022	275	5 184	2 116	3 068	446	118	9.1	5.1	19.8	43.7	42.8
2 PERSONS	21 854	15 291	6 563	315	115	1 730	840	890	91	45	7.9	5.5	13.6	28.9	38.7
3 PERSONS	12 566	8 829	3 736	220	64	1 008	350	658	80	20	8.0	4.0	17.6	36.5	(B)
4 PERSONS	11 759	9 045	2 715	190	48	969	356	613	89	21	8.2	3.9	22.6	46.9	(B)
5 PERSONS	6 269	4 852	1 417	136	38	696	248	448	84	25	11.1	5.1	31.6	61.9	(B)
6 PERSONS	2 649	2 072	577	77	7	355	134	221	51	5	13.4	6.5	38.3	65.6	(B)
7 PERSONS OR MORE	1 861	1 338	523	84	4	426	188	238	51	2	22.9	14.1	45.6	60.9	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.34	3.39	3.20	3.75	3.14	3.70	3.62	3.76	4.25	3.39	...	...	...	...	...
PRESENCE OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS															
TOTAL PRIMARY FAMILIES	56 958	41 427	15 531	1 022	275	5 184	2 116	3 068	446	118	9.1	5.1	19.8	43.7	42.8
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	25 522	19 532	5 990	237	64	1 215	789	426	47	4	4.8	4.0	7.1	20.0	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	31 436	21 894	9 542	784	212	3 969	1 327	2 642	399	114	12.6	6.1	27.7	50.9	54.0
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.99	2.00	1.98	2.49	1.84	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.98	2.04	...	...	...	...	...
1 CHILD	11 914	7 879	4 035	247	98	1 105	353	753	72	50	9.3	4.5	18.6	29.0	50.8
2 CHILDREN	11 132	8 154	2 978	201	56	1 162	424	738	90	23	10.4	5.2	24.8	44.8	(B)
3 OR MORE CHILDREN	8 391	5 862	2 528	336	57	1 702	550	1 152	237	41	20.3	9.4	45.6	70.6	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	13 836	8 344	5 492	447	132	2 205	563	1 643	245	73	15.9	6.7	29.9	54.8	55.5
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.32	1.30	1.34	1.40	1.31	1.46	1.38	1.49	1.53	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
PRIMARY FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD	8 037	3 780	4 257	539	123	2 500	592	1 908	358	86	31.1	15.7	44.8	66.5	70.0
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2 508	1 679	829	49	10	222	123	98	19	1	8.8	7.4	11.9	(B)	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	5 530	2 101	3 428	490	113	2 278	469	1 809	339	85	41.2	22.3	52.8	69.3	75.0
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.99	1.90	2.05	2.65	1.86	2.43	2.34	2.45	2.94	1.97	...	...	...	...	...
1 CHILD	2 337	893	1 444	134	57	682	132	550	62	42	29.2	14.8	38.1	45.9	(B)
2 CHILDREN	1 680	705	975	115	23	649	161	488	78	15	38.6	22.8	50.1	67.3	(B)
3 OR MORE CHILDREN	1 513	503	1 010	240	33	947	176	771	200	28	62.6	35.0	76.4	83.3	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	2 127	493	1 633	257	68	1 268	178	1 090	206	54	59.6	36.2	66.7	80.1	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.30	1.20	1.34	1.45	(B)	1.41	1.32	1.43	1.48	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
NUMBER OF WORKERS															
PRIMARY FAMILIES WITH CIVILIAN HEADS	56 214	41 149	15 065	971	237	5 163	2 112	3 051	444	117	9.2	5.1	20.3	45.7	49.5
NO WORKERS	7 195	4 792	2 402	317	102	2 181	779	1 402	243	66	30.3	16.3	58.3	76.5	64.2
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	2 829	1 253	1 576	245	75	1 643	406	1 238	214	63	58.1	32.4	78.5	87.3	84.3
1 WORKER	17 795	12 394	5 401	390	78	1 908	727	1 181	152	35	10.7	5.9	21.9	39.1	44.3
HEAD ONLY WORKER	14 970	10 321	4 649	310	67	1 529	546	984	119	33	10.2	5.3	21.2	38.4	(B)
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	10 533	7 723	2 810	144	20	440	215	225	25	4	4.2	2.8	8.0	17.4	(B)
WIFE OR OTHER RELATIVE ONLY WORKER	2 825	2 073	752	80	12	379	182	197	33	2	13.4	8.8	26.2	41.4	(B)
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	1 462	947	514	68	12	315	132	182	31	2	21.5	13.9	35.5	(B)	(B)
2 WORKERS	22 591	16 391	6 200	207	49	810	425	385	37	15	3.6	2.6	6.2	17.9	(B)
HEAD A WORKER	21 962	15 900	6 062	184	47	738	388	350	28	15	3.4	2.4	5.8	15.1	(B)
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	16 665	12 756	3 910	94	16	331	225	106	3	1	2.0	1.8	2.7	3.1	(B)
WIFE A WORKER	17 417	12 535	4 883	128	25	483	261	222	8	5	2.8	2.1	4.5	6.4	(B)
HEAD NOT A WORKER	629	491	138	23	2	72	38	34	9	-	11.5	7.7	24.9	(B)	(B)
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	423	314	109	20	1	65	31	33	9	-	15.3	10.0	30.5	(B)	(B)
WIFE A WORKER	272	223	48	7	1	12	10	2	-	-	4.4	4.5	(B)	(B)	(B)
3 OR MORE WORKERS	8 633	7 572	1 062	57	7	264	180	84	12	2	3.1	2.4	7.9	(B)	(B)
HEAD A WORKER	8 391	7 392	999	46	6	236	168	69	8	1	2.8	2.3	6.9	(B)	(B)
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	6 813	6 126	688	24	6	136	110	26	1	1	2.0	1.8	3.8	(B)	(B)
WIFE A WORKER	6 465	5 792	674	23	5	158	120	38	2	-	2.4	2.1	5.7	(B)	(B)
HEAD NOT A WORKER	243	180	63	12	1	28	12	15	4	1	11.5	6.9	(B)	(B)	(B)
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	192	141	52	12	1	27	12	14	4	1	13.8	8.8	(B)	(B)	(B)

Table 24. Tenure by Selected Characteristics—Primary Families and Primary Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Race of Head—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PRIMARY FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	ALL INCOME LEVELS					BELOW POVERTY LEVEL					PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL				
	TOTAL	IN OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	IN RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS			TOTAL	IN OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	IN RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS			TOTAL	IN OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	IN RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS		
			TOTAL	PUBLICLY OWNED	SUBSIDIZED			TOTAL	PUBLICLY OWNED	SUBSIDIZED			TOTAL	PUBLICLY OWNED	SUBSIDIZED
ALL RACES--CONTINUED															
PRIMARY FAMILIES--CONTINUED															
TYPE OF INCOME															
TOTAL	56 958	41 427	15 531	1 022	275	5 184	2 116	3 068	446	118	9.1	5.1	19.8	43.7	42.8
EARNINGS[1]	46 296	34 080	12 216	596	161	2 530	1 109	1 421	159	49	5.5	3.3	11.6	26.6	30.4
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	41 711	30 131	11 579	577	158	1 952	655	1 297	153	49	4.7	2.2	11.2	26.5	31.0
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	5 694	4 766	928	21	3	428	305	124	6	-	7.5	6.4	13.3	(B)	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2 287	2 027	260	4	-	321	262	59	-	-	14.0	12.9	22.9	(B)	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	28 016	20 817	7 199	658	188	3 530	1 345	2 185	369	99	12.6	6.5	30.4	56.2	52.8
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	10 581	8 482	2 099	203	47	1 077	665	412	82	8	10.2	7.8	19.6	40.6	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	2 480	467	2 013	348	95	1 704	237	1 467	279	75	68.7	50.8	72.9	80.2	79.0
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	936	504	433	67	17	421	211	209	44	7	44.9	42.0	48.4	(B)	(B)
ALL OTHER TYPES OF INCOME	21 044	16 853	4 191	218	69	1 060	568	492	62	22	5.0	3.4	11.7	28.4	(B)
NO INCOME	101	58	43	-	3	101	58	43	-	3	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
PRIMARY UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS															
TYPE OF RESIDENCE															
TOTAL	19 071	7 971	11 101	554	207	3 927	1 599	2 328	264	75	20.6	20.1	21.0	47.6	36.1
METROPOLITAN AREAS	13 702	4 880	8 822	390	162	2 430	798	1 631	169	57	17.7	16.4	18.5	43.3	35.0
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	2 065	563	1 502	128	24	687	166	521	71	13	33.3	29.5	34.7	55.1	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	11 637	4 317	7 320	262	138	1 743	632	1 110	98	44	15.0	14.7	15.2	37.6	31.8
INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	7 640	2 212	5 427	279	110	1 516	388	1 128	134	42	19.8	17.5	20.8	48.2	38.2
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	1 612	364	1 248	112	24	547	118	428	62	13	33.9	32.5	34.3	55.4	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	6 028	1 848	4 180	166	86	969	270	700	72	29	16.1	14.6	16.7	43.3	33.9
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	6 062	2 667	3 395	111	52	913	410	503	35	15	15.1	15.4	14.8	31.3	(B)
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	453	199	254	16	-	140	48	92	9	-	30.9	23.9	36.4	(B)	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	5 609	2 469	3 141	95	52	774	363	411	26	15	13.8	14.7	13.1	27.6	(B)
NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS	5 370	3 091	2 273	164	45	1 498	800	697	95	18	27.9	25.9	30.6	57.8	(B)
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	1 826	1 136	690	43	1	680	386	295	31	-	37.3	33.9	42.7	(B)	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	3 544	1 955	1 589	121	44	817	415	402	64	18	23.1	21.2	25.3	53.0	(B)
AGE															
MALE	7 811	2 568	5 243	106	21	1 184	321	863	40	6	15.2	12.5	16.5	37.9	(B)
14 TO 24 YEARS	1 373	161	1 213	8	1	259	17	242	2	1	18.8	10.5	19.9	(B)	(B)
25 TO 34 YEARS	2 286	506	1 780	8	5	181	27	154	1	-	7.9	5.3	8.6	(B)	(B)
35 TO 44 YEARS	960	325	636	1	-	102	26	75	-	-	10.6	8.0	11.9	(B)	(B)
45 TO 54 YEARS	811	301	510	12	2	152	43	109	7	-	18.7	14.1	21.4	(B)	(B)
55 TO 59 YEARS	438	177	261	4	2	76	18	57	1	2	17.2	10.3	21.9	(B)	(B)
60 AND 61 YEARS	177	95	81	4	-	37	16	21	3	-	21.1	16.9	26.0	(B)	(B)
62 TO 64 YEARS	273	138	135	4	-	55	27	28	1	-	20.2	19.4	21.0	(B)	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 492	865	627	65	12	323	147	176	25	3	21.7	17.0	28.1	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN AGE, YEARS	37.6	54.7	32.9	65+	(B)	48.4	63.5	39.8	(B)	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
FEMALE	11 261	5 403	5 858	448	185	2 743	1 278	1 465	224	69	24.4	23.6	25.0	49.9	37.0
14 TO 24 YEARS	1 087	64	1 023	24	7	244	16	227	5	-	22.4	(B)	22.2	(B)	(B)
25 TO 34 YEARS	1 222	197	1 024	9	-	91	7	84	-	-	7.5	3.3	8.2	(B)	(B)
35 TO 44 YEARS	509	171	338	9	5	61	20	41	1	3	11.9	11.5	12.2	(B)	(B)
45 TO 54 YEARS	918	434	484	28	15	220	96	125	17	8	24.0	22.0	25.8	(B)	(B)
55 TO 59 YEARS	861	472	389	27	7	233	115	118	22	2	27.1	24.4	30.4	(B)	(B)
60 AND 61 YEARS	384	231	154	6	6	109	47	63	4	3	28.4	20.2	40.7	(B)	(B)
62 TO 64 YEARS	750	475	275	30	14	224	125	99	21	13	29.9	26.4	36.0	(B)	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	5 530	3 360	2 170	315	131	1 560	852	708	154	39	28.2	25.4	32.6	48.8	30.1
MEDIAN AGE, YEARS	64.6	65+	55.8	65+	65+	65+	65+	64.2	65+	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
LIVING ARRANGEMENTS															
TOTAL	19 071	7 971	11 101	554	207	3 927	1 599	2 328	264	75	20.6	20.1	21.0	47.6	36.1
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	2 356	611	1 745	11	6	433	88	345	4	1	18.4	14.4	19.7	(B)	(B)
LIVING ALONE	16 715	7 360	9 356	542	201	3 494	1 511	1 984	260	74	20.9	20.5	21.2	47.9	36.6
65 YEARS OLD AND OVER	6 801	4 071	2 730	380	141	1 827	964	863	179	41	26.9	23.7	31.6	47.0	29.3
WORKER STATUS															
TOTAL CIVILIANS	19 071	7 971	11 101	554	207	3 927	1 599	2 328	264	75	20.6	20.1	21.0	47.6	36.1
WORKER	11 518	3 818	7 701	104	39	1 217	340	877	21	8	10.6	8.9	11.4	20.5	(B)
NONWORKER	7 553	4 153	3 400	450	168	2 710	1 258	1 452	242	67	35.9	30.3	42.7	53.9	39.7
65 YEARS OLD AND OVER	5 832	3 423	2 408	354	133	1 751	913	839	173	42	30.0	26.7	34.8	48.7	31.9
TYPE OF INCOME															
TOTAL	19 071	7 971	11 101	554	207	3 927	1 599	2 328	264	75	20.6	20.1	21.0	47.6	36.1
EARNINGS[1]	11 518	3 818	7 701	104	39	1 217	340	877	21	8	10.6	8.9	11.4	20.5	(B)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	10 700	3 299	7 401	101	38	1 048	233	816	19	8	9.8	7.1	11.0	18.4	(B)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1 059	489	571	4	-	164	80	83	3	-	15.5	16.4	14.6	(B)	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	339	280	59	-	1	59	51	8	-	-	17.3	18.2	(B)	(B)	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	11 842	6 057	5 785	496	184	2 983	1 356	1 628	250	70	25.2	22.4	28.1	50.3	38.0
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	7 739	4 562	3 177	426	160	2 085	1 063	1 022	201	56	26.9	23.3	32.2	47.1	34.8
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	415	69	345	37	16	276	46	230	29	9	66.6	(B)	66.7	(B)	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 232	415	818	135	67	772	282	490	96	31	62.6	68.0	59.9	71.3	(B)
ALL OTHER TYPES OF INCOME	7 186	3 813	3 372	119	54	807	413	395	29	7	11.2	10.8	11.7	24.0	(B)
NO INCOME	134	55	79	3	-	134	55	79	3	-	100.0	(B)	100.0	(B)	(B)

[1]DETAIL DOES NOT ADD TO TOTAL BECAUSE SOME PERSONS RECEIVE MORE THAN ONE OF THE SPECIFIED TYPES OF INCOME.

Table 24. Tenure by Selected Characteristics—Primary Families and Primary Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Race of Head—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PRIMARY FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	ALL INCOME LEVELS					BELOW POVERTY LEVEL					PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL				
	TOTAL	IN OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	IN RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS			TOTAL	IN OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	IN RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS			TOTAL	IN OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	IN RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS		
			TOTAL	PUBLICLY OWNED	SUBSIDIZED			TOTAL	PUBLICLY OWNED	SUBSIDIZED			TOTAL	PUBLICLY OWNED	SUBSIDIZED
WHITE															
PRIMARY FAMILIES															
TYPE OF RESIDENCE															
TOTAL	50 345	38 041	12 304	473	193	3 454	1 602	1 853	139	74	6.9	4.2	15.1	29.3	38.3
METROPOLITAN AREAS	32 704	24 094	8 610	341	111	1 900	678	1 222	101	42	5.8	2.8	14.2	29.5	37.7
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	1 942	1 014	928	84	16	367	87	280	37	5	18.9	8.6	30.2	43.7	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	30 762	23 080	7 682	257	95	1 533	591	942	64	37	5.0	2.6	12.3	24.9	38.7
INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	11 766	7 585	4 181	226	62	960	242	717	66	24	8.2	3.2	17.2	30.3	(B)
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	1 112	460	651	77	13	265	45	220	36	4	23.8	9.8	33.7	46.8	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	10 654	7 125	3 529	149	49	695	198	497	33	20	6.5	2.8	14.1	21.9	(B)
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	20 938	16 509	4 429	116	48	940	435	505	32	18	4.5	2.6	11.4	28.0	(B)
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	830	554	277	7	3	103	42	60	1	1	12.4	7.6	21.8	(B)	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	20 108	15 955	4 153	108	46	838	393	444	32	17	4.2	2.5	10.7	29.1	(B)
NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS	17 641	13 947	3 694	132	82	1 554	924	631	38	32	8.8	6.6	17.1	28.6	39.1
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	5 476	4 298	1 178	60	4	690	435	254	16	1	12.6	10.1	21.6	(B)	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	12 165	9 650	2 516	72	79	865	488	376	22	31	7.1	5.1	15.0	(B)	39.3
AGE OF HEAD															
TOTAL	50 345	38 041	12 304	473	193	3 454	1 602	1 853	139	74	6.9	4.2	15.1	29.3	38.3
14 TO 24 YEARS	3 175	998	2 177	79	39	416	60	356	24	18	13.1	6.0	16.3	30.8	(B)
25 TO 34 YEARS	11.586	7 279	4 308	165	56	946	257	690	44	25	8.2	3.5	16.0	26.7	(B)
35 TO 44 YEARS	10 012	7 959	2 053	73	42	713	331	382	32	20	7.1	4.2	18.6	(B)	(B)
45 TO 54 YEARS	9 713	8 315	1 398	57	19	486	305	180	17	7	5.0	3.7	12.9	(B)	(B)
55 TO 59 YEARS	4 611	3 991	620	21	1	210	147	64	6	-	4.6	3.7	10.3	(B)	(B)
60 TO 64 YEARS	3 792	3 266	527	22	6	211	152	60	2	2	5.6	4.6	11.3	(B)	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 456	6 234	1 222	56	29	472	351	122	13	2	6.3	5.6	9.9	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN AGE, YEARS	45.4	48.3	34.2	34.6	35.3	40.1	50.0	33.3	35.3	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
SIZE OF FAMILY															
TOTAL	50 345	38 041	12 304	473	193	3 454	1 602	1 853	139	74	6.9	4.2	15.1	29.3	38.3
2 PERSONS	19 907	14 380	5 527	175	85	1 276	682	595	36	26	6.4	4.7	10.8	20.6	31.0
3 PERSONS	11 030	8 063	2 966	105	41	675	259	416	26	14	6.1	3.2	14.0	25.1	(B)
4 PERSONS	10 431	8 318	2 113	88	37	653	277	376	28	14	6.3	3.3	17.8	32.3	(B)
5 PERSONS	5 431	4 406	1 025	62	25	433	184	249	28	15	8.0	4.2	24.3	(B)	(B)
6 PERSONS	2 221	1 832	389	23	2	211	93	118	13	2	9.5	5.1	30.4	(B)	(B)
7 PERSONS OR MORE	1 325	1 042	283	21	2	206	108	98	7	2	15.5	10.3	34.6	(B)	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.28	3.35	3.08	3.39	3.07	3.52	3.48	3.56	3.80	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
PRESENCE OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS															
TOTAL PRIMARY FAMILIES	50 345	38 041	12 304	473	193	3 454	1 602	1 853	139	74	6.9	4.2	15.1	29.3	38.3
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	23 565	18 325	5 239	151	53	961	645	316	25	2	4.1	3.5	6.0	16.2	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	26 780	19 716	7 064	322	140	2 494	957	1 537	114	72	9.3	4.9	21.8	35.4	51.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.96	1.98	1.89	2.18	1.89	2.36	2.40	2.33	2.72	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
1 CHILD	10 259	7 132	3 128	126	60	752	270	482	24	30	7.3	3.8	15.4	19.3	(B)
2 CHILDREN	9 739	7 452	2 287	64	41	781	319	462	28	16	8.0	4.3	20.2	33.9	(B)
3 OR MORE CHILDREN	6 782	5 132	1 650	112	39	961	368	593	61	25	14.2	7.2	35.9	54.7	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	11 540	7 450	4 090	202	85	1 336	386	951	74	40	11.6	5.2	23.3	36.4	46.7
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.31	1.30	1.31	1.31	1.36	1.42	1.36	1.45	(B)	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
PRIMARY FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD	5 682	3 040	2 642	160	81	1 323	369	954	91	51	23.3	12.1	36.1	56.7	62.7
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2 076	1 433	643	25	8	137	81	56	7	-	6.6	5.6	8.7	(B)	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	3 606	1 606	1 999	136	72	1 187	288	899	84	50	32.9	18.0	44.9	61.9	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.82	1.81	1.83	2.26	(B)	2.19	2.15	2.21	2.66	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
1 CHILD	1 673	720	953	50	37	407	91	316	18	25	24.4	12.7	33.2	(B)	(B)
2 CHILDREN	1 164	556	608	34	15	369	103	266	23	10	31.7	18.6	43.7	(B)	(B)
3 OR MORE CHILDREN	769	330	438	51	21	410	94	317	42	16	53.4	28.4	72.2	(B)	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 184	322	862	71	38	620	101	519	52	26	52.3	31.4	60.2	(B)	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.20	1.15	1.22	(B)	(B)	1.30	1.27	1.30	(B)	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
NUMBER OF WORKERS															
PRIMARY FAMILIES WITH CIVILIAN HEADS	49 726	37 793	11 933	434	167	3 437	1 597	1 840	137	73	6.9	4.2	15.4	31.5	44.1
NO WORKERS	6 085	4 422	1 663	145	69	1 365	580	786	90	39	22.4	13.1	47.2	61.7	(B)
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	2 031	1 086	945	99	43	982	297	685	77	37	48.4	27.4	72.5	77.7	(B)
1 WORKER	15 567	11 376	4 191	154	56	1 279	523	756	35	22	8.2	4.6	18.0	22.4	(B)
HEAD ONLY WORKER	13 193	9 554	3 639	127	49	1 037	401	636	27	20	7.9	4.2	17.5	21.1	(B)
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	9 454	7 179	2 275	62	12	302	160	143	5	-	3.2	2.2	6.3	(B)	(B)
WIFE OR OTHER RELATIVE ONLY WORKER	2 374	1 822	552	28	6	242	122	120	8	2	10.2	6.7	21.8	(B)	(B)
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	1 174	817	358	24	6	208	95	112	8	2	17.7	11.7	31.4	(B)	(B)
2 WORKERS	20 266	15 021	5 245	108	38	591	345	247	9	10	2.9	2.3	4.7	8.4	(B)
HEAD A WORKER	19 754	14 601	5 153	103	36	557	321	236	9	10	2.8	2.2	4.6	8.3	(B)
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	15 120	11 791	3 328	51	13	276	202	74	-	-	1.8	1.7	2.2	(B)	(B)
WIFE A WORKER	15 797	11 535	4 262	88	16	397	229	167	5	2	2.5	2.0	3.9	6.1	(B)
HEAD NOT A WORKER	512	420	92	6	2	34	24	10	1	-	6.7	5.6	11.4	(B)	(B)
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	344	275	69	5	1	32	22	10	1	-	9.4	7.9	(B)	(B)	(B)
WIFE A WORKER	231	193	38	5	1	4	3	1	-	-	1.8	1.6	(B)	(B)	(B)
3 OR MORE WORKERS	7 809	6 974	835	26	4	201	150	51	3	2	2.6	2.1	6.2	(B)	(B)
HEAD A WORKER	7 631	6 836	795	22	2	190	143	48	3	1	2.5	2.1	6.0	(B)	(B)
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	6 270	5 715	554	13	2	126	106	20	-	1	2.0	1.9	3.6	(B)	(B)
WIFE A WORKER	5 916	5 370	546	11	2	142	111	31	2	-	2.4	2.1	5.6	(B)	(B)
HEAD NOT A WORKER	178	138	39	4	1	11	7	4	-	1	6.0	5.0	(B)	(B)	(B)
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	145	112	33	4	1	11	7	4	-	1	7.3	6.2	(B)	(B)	(B)

Table 24. Tenure by Selected Characteristics—Primary Families and Primary Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Race of Head—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PRIMARY FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	ALL INCOME LEVELS					BELOW POVERTY LEVEL					PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL				
	TOTAL	IN OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	IN RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS			TOTAL	IN OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	IN RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS			TOTAL	IN OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	IN RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS		
			TOTAL	PUBLICLY OWNED	SUBSIDIZED			TOTAL	PUBLICLY OWNED	SUBSIDIZED			TOTAL	PUBLICLY OWNED	SUBSIDIZED
WHITE--CONTINUED															
PRIMARY FAMILIES--CONTINUED															
TYPE OF INCOME															
TOTAL	50 345	38 041	12 304	473	193	3 454	1 602	1 853	139	74	6.9	4.2	15.1	29.3	38.3
EARNINGS[1]	41 412	31 422	9 990	293	117	1 807	873	934	40	31	4.4	2.8	9.3	13.8	26.9
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	37 079	27 657	9 422	281	116	1 290	459	831	36	31	3.5	1.7	8.8	12.9	27.2
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	5 399	4 561	838	13	1	373	271	102	4	-	6.9	5.9	12.2	(B)	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2 219	1 970	249	2	-	304	249	55	-	-	13.7	12.6	22.3	(B)	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	24 823	19 273	5 550	288	131	2 208	971	1 237	115	62	8.9	5.0	22.3	39.9	47.6
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	9 454	7 759	1 695	102	38	704	471	232	24	7	7.4	6.1	13.7	23.4	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	1 402	307	1 095	105	53	884	137	747	77	39	63.1	44.7	68.2	73.3	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	602	330	272	31	11	226	123	103	13	6	37.5	37.3	37.8	(B)	(B)
ALL OTHER TYPES OF INCOME	19 588	15 927	3 661	130	53	807	446	360	29	18	4.1	2.8	9.8	22.5	(B)
NO INCOME	76	48	28	-	3	76	48	28	-	3	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
PRIMARY UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS															
TYPE OF RESIDENCE															
TOTAL	16 590	7 250	9 340	403	177	3 103	1 343	1 760	171	63	18.7	18.5	18.8	42.6	35.3
METROPOLITAN AREAS	11 686	4 390	7 296	260	136	1 845	673	1 172	92	46	15.8	15.3	16.1	35.4	34.1
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	1 175	335	839	53	17	341	96	245	20	10	29.0	28.5	29.2	(B)	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	10 512	4 055	6 457	207	119	1 505	577	927	71	37	14.3	14.2	14.4	34.6	30.9
INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	6 078	1 852	4 225	167	93	1 044	291	754	65	32	17.2	15.7	17.8	39.0	34.1
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	840	180	659	44	17	252	60	191	16	10	30.0	33.5	29.0	(B)	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	5 238	1 672	3 566	123	76	793	230	562	44	22	15.1	13.8	15.8	39.9	29.0
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	5 608	2 538	3 071	93	42	801	382	419	27	15	14.3	15.1	13.6	28.8	(B)
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	335	155	180	9	-	89	35	54	4	-	26.6	22.8	30.0	(B)	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	5 273	2 383	2 891	84	42	712	347	365	22	15	13.5	14.6	12.6	26.7	(B)
NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS	4 904	2 860	2 044	143	42	1 258	670	588	80	16	25.6	23.4	28.8	55.7	(B)
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	1 520	964	556	34	-	505	287	217	23	-	33.2	29.8	39.1	(B)	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	3 384	1 896	1 488	109	41	753	383	370	56	16	22.3	20.2	24.9	51.5	(B)
AGE															
MALE	6 613	2 294	4 319	70	18	900	265	635	25	6	13.6	11.6	14.7	(B)	(B)
14 TO 24 YEARS	1 216	148	1 068	7	1	212	17	195	2	1	17.4	11.4	18.3	(B)	(B)
25 TO 34 YEARS	1 958	465	1 492	2	3	140	23	117	-	-	7.1	4.9	7.8	(B)	(B)
35 TO 44 YEARS	769	287	482	1	-	60	20	40	-	-	7.8	7.1	8.3	(B)	(B)
45 TO 54 YEARS	654	252	401	10	2	115	36	80	5	-	17.7	14.2	19.9	(B)	(B)
55 TO 59 YEARS	347	150	197	2	2	51	11	39	-	2	14.6	7.6	19.9	(B)	(B)
60 AND 61 YEARS	145	89	56	1	-	26	15	11	-	-	17.7	16.8	(B)	(B)	(B)
62 TO 64 YEARS	231	120	111	2	-	45	24	21	1	-	19.6	20.1	19.0	(B)	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 294	782	512	46	10	251	119	132	17	3	19.4	15.2	25.9	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN AGE, YEARS	36.7	54.8	32.3	(B)	(B)	48.3	63.3	36.4	(B)	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
FEMALE	9 977	4 956	5 021	332	160	2 203	1 078	1 125	147	57	22.1	21.7	22.4	44.1	35.4
14 TO 24 YEARS	956	59	897	14	6	213	14	198	2	-	22.2	(B)	22.1	(B)	(B)
25 TO 34 YEARS	1 059	176	883	7	-	75	7	69	-	-	7.1	3.8	7.8	(B)	(B)
35 TO 44 YEARS	419	147	273	4	3	41	13	28	1	2	9.8	9.0	10.3	(B)	(B)
45 TO 54 YEARS	709	373	335	14	9	133	73	60	5	4	18.8	19.6	17.9	(B)	(B)
55 TO 59 YEARS	727	417	310	11	5	168	95	73	8	2	23.1	22.7	23.6	(B)	(B)
60 AND 61 YEARS	353	217	136	4	3	87	40	47	2	3	24.7	18.4	34.7	(B)	(B)
62 TO 64 YEARS	678	439	239	22	13	192	107	84	16	13	28.2	24.4	35.3	(B)	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	5 076	3 128	1 948	254	121	1 294	728	566	113	32	25.5	23.3	29.0	44.3	26.5
MEDIAN AGE, YEARS	65+	65+	57.0	65+	65+	65+	65+	65+	65+	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
LIVING ARRANGEMENTS															
TOTAL	16 590	7 250	9 340	403	177	3 103	1 343	1 760	171	63	18.7	18.5	18.8	42.6	35.3
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	1 992	531	1 461	5	4	318	63	256	2	-	16.0	11.8	17.5	(B)	(B)
LIVING ALONE	14 598	6 719	7 879	397	173	2 785	1 280	1 505	169	63	19.1	19.1	19.1	42.6	36.3
65 YEARS OLD AND OVER	6 206	3 787	2 419	300	132	1 520	828	692	129	35	24.5	21.9	28.6	43.1	26.8
WORKER STATUS															
TOTAL CIVILIANS	16 590	7 250	9 340	403	177	3 103	1 343	1 760	171	63	18.7	18.5	18.8	42.6	35.3
WORKER	9 929	3 409	6 519	77	27	956	267	688	16	5	9.6	7.8	10.6	20.4	(B)
NONWORKER	6 661	3 840	2 820	326	150	2 148	1 076	1 072	156	58	32.2	28.0	38.0	47.8	38.4
65 YEARS OLD AND OVER	5 307	3 182	2 125	276	123	1 439	777	663	123	35	27.1	24.4	31.2	44.6	28.8
TYPE OF INCOME															
TOTAL	16 590	7 250	9 340	403	177	3 103	1 343	1 760	171	63	18.7	18.5	18.8	42.6	35.3
EARNINGS[1]	9 929	3 409	6 519	77	27	956	267	688	16	5	9.6	7.8	10.6	20.4	(B)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	9 163	2 915	6 248	74	27	799	166	633	13	5	8.7	5.7	10.1	(B)	(B)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	968	450	518	4	-	143	72	71	3	-	14.8	16.1	13.7	(B)	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	325	269	56	-	1	54	47	7	-	-	16.5	17.4	(B)	(B)	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	10 535	5 597	4 938	366	165	2 369	1 151	1 218	164	60	22.5	20.6	24.7	44.8	36.1
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	7 018	4 237	2 781	334	148	1 721	913	808	144	48	24.5	21.5	29.1	43.0	32.7
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	262	52	210	14	14	164	31	133	11	9	62.7	(B)	63.3	(B)	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	901	318	584	74	50	527	208	319	48	21	58.4	65.4	54.6	(B)	(B)
ALL OTHER TYPES OF INCOME	6 623	3 607	3 016	96	51	686	361	325	19	7	10.4	10.0	10.8	19.9	(B)
NO INCOME	100	46	54	1	-	100	46	54	1	-	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)

[1]DETAIL DOES NOT ADD TO TOTAL BECAUSE SOME PERSONS RECEIVE MORE THAN ONE OF THE SPECIFIED TYPES OF INCOME.

Table 24. Tenure by Selected Characteristics—Primary Families and Primary Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Race of Head—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PRIMARY FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	ALL INCOME LEVELS					BELOW POVERTY LEVEL					PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL				
	TOTAL	IN OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	IN RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS			TOTAL	IN OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	IN RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS			TOTAL	IN OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	IN RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS		
			TOTAL	PUBLICLY OWNED	SUBSIDIZED			TOTAL	PUBLICLY OWNED	SUBSIDIZED			TOTAL	PUBLICLY OWNED	SUBSIDIZED
BLACK															
PRIMARY FAMILIES															
TYPE OF RESIDENCE															
TOTAL	5 748	2 905	2 844	516	70	1 601	457	1 144	295	38	27.9	15.7	40.2	57.2	(B)
METROPOLITAN AREAS	4 314	2 040	2 274	434	56	1 092	226	866	243	31	25.3	11.1	38.1	56.1	(B)
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	1 682	611	1 071	287	11	653	118	535	186	11	38.8	19.2	50.0	64.5	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	2 633	1 430	1 203	147	44	439	108	331	58	20	16.7	7.6	27.5	39.5	(B)
INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	3 156	1 369	1 787	375	34	873	163	710	215	22	27.7	11.9	39.7	57.2	(B)
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	1 416	464	953	269	10	564	89	475	175	10	39.8	19.2	49.9	65.0	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	1 740	906	834	107	24	309	74	235	40	12	17.8	8.2	28.1	37.6	(B)
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	1 158	671	487	59	22	219	62	156	28	9	18.9	9.3	32.1	(B)	(B)
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	265	147	118	19	2	88	28	60	11	2	33.3	19.3	50.8	(B)	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	893	524	369	40	20	130	34	96	18	7	14.6	6.5	26.2	(B)	(B)
NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS	1 434	864	570	82	14	509	231	278	52	7	35.5	26.7	48.8	63.3	(B)
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	1 003	601	402	40	7	406	182	224	31	4	40.5	30.2	55.8	(B)	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	431	263	169	41	7	103	49	54	21	3	23.9	18.7	32.0	(B)	(B)
AGE OF HEAD															
TOTAL	5 748	2 905	2 844	516	70	1 601	457	1 144	295	38	27.9	15.7	40.2	57.2	(B)
14 TO 24 YEARS	545	78	467	71	25	257	8	249	52	17	47.2	10.5	53.3	(B)	(B)
25 TO 34 YEARS	1 480	525	956	137	25	404	59	345	72	13	27.3	11.3	36.1	52.2	(B)
35 TO 44 YEARS	1 257	645	612	134	16	348	87	261	86	8	27.7	13.5	42.6	62.3	(B)
45 TO 54 YEARS	1 007	648	360	89	1	196	81	115	47	-	19.4	12.5	32.0	52.8	(B)
55 TO 59 YEARS	415	271	144	30	2	105	48	58	15	-	25.4	17.7	40.0	(B)	(B)
60 TO 64 YEARS	366	264	102	12	-	77	45	32	4	-	21.0	17.0	31.2	(B)	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	678	475	203	39	2	214	129	85	19	-	31.6	27.1	42.0	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN AGE, YEARS	41.8	48.2	35.0	36.6	(B)	39.0	54.1	34.4	37.8	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
SIZE OF FAMILY															
TOTAL	5 748	2 905	2 844	516	70	1 601	457	1 144	295	38	27.9	15.7	40.2	57.2	(B)
2 PERSONS	1 728	800	929	133	28	412	131	280	51	18	23.8	16.4	30.2	38.5	(B)
3 PERSONS	1 334	660	675	104	17	308	85	223	49	4	23.1	12.8	33.1	46.5	(B)
4 PERSONS	1 129	606	523	94	10	294	70	224	60	7	26.0	11.5	42.9	63.3	(B)
5 PERSONS	700	365	335	72	12	243	59	185	55	10	34.8	16.0	55.1	(B)	(B)
6 PERSONS	384	212	172	51	2	137	38	99	38	1	35.7	18.1	57.5	(B)	(B)
7 PERSONS OR MORE	474	262	212	61	-	208	74	133	43	-	43.8	28.3	63.0	(B)	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.79	3.90	3.67	4.10	(B)	4.11	4.17	4.08	4.51	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
PRESENCE OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS															
TOTAL PRIMARY FAMILIES	5 748	2 905	2 844	516	70	1 601	457	1 144	295	38	27.9	15.7	40.2	57.2	(B)
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 691	1 057	634	79	9	229	125	104	21	1	13.5	11.8	16.3	27.1	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	4 057	1 848	2 209	437	61	1 373	332	1 041	274	37	33.8	18.0	47.1	62.7	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.26	2.21	2.30	2.74	(B)	2.77	2.80	2.76	3.13	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
1 CHILD	1 430	632	797	113	33	320	68	251	44	17	22.3	10.8	31.5	38.8	(B)
2 CHILDREN	1 186	583	602	106	12	354	98	256	56	6	29.8	16.8	42.5	53.1	(B)
3 OR MORE CHILDREN	1 442	632	810	218	16	699	165	534	174	14	48.5	26.2	65.9	79.7	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 966	731	1 235	234	41	810	155	655	169	30	41.2	21.2	53.1	72.3	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.41	1.33	1.45	1.50	(B)	1.55	1.38	1.59	1.58	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
PRIMARY FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD	2 230	682	1 548	367	40	1 129	206	923	258	35	50.6	30.2	59.6	70.2	(B)
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	396	220	176	24	1	80	38	42	12	1	20.2	17.1	24.1	(B)	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 834	462	1 372	343	40	1 049	168	881	246	34	57.2	36.4	64.2	71.7	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	2.35	2.23	2.39	2.83	(B)	2.70	2.69	2.70	3.08	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
1 CHILD	618	158	460	80	20	260	37	223	40	17	42.1	23.3	48.6	49.6	(B)
2 CHILDREN	492	139	352	75	7	267	55	213	50	5	54.3	39.2	60.3	66.3	(B)
3 OR MORE CHILDREN	724	164	560	188	12	521	77	445	156	12	72.0	46.7	79.4	83.4	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	909	159	751	184	30	629	70	559	152	28	69.2	44.3	74.4	83.0	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN	1.44	1.30	1.48	1.50	(B)	1.53	(B)	1.55	1.52	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
NUMBER OF WORKERS															
PRIMARY FAMILIES WITH CIVILIAN HEADS	5 651	2 884	2 768	508	60	1 598	457	1 141	295	38	28.3	15.8	41.2	58.2	(B)
NO WORKERS	1 045	332	713	163	33	776	177	598	146	27	74.2	53.3	83.9	89.6	(B)
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	762	150	612	139	32	636	98	538	130	27	83.4	65.4	87.9	93.5	(B)
1 WORKER	1 998	899	1 098	227	17	573	182	391	114	9	28.7	20.3	35.6	50.3	(B)
HEAD ONLY WORKER	1 584	669	915	177	12	444	129	315	90	9	28.1	19.3	34.5	51.2	(B)
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	956	474	482	81	5	128	55	73	20	2	13.4	11.5	15.2	24.2	(B)
WIFE OR OTHER RELATIVE ONLY WORKER	414	230	184	50	5	128	53	76	24	-	31.0	23.0	41.1	(B)	(B)
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	274	125	149	42	5	103	35	69	21	-	37.7	27.8	46.0	(B)	(B)
2 WORKERS	1 938	1 149	789	88	7	193	69	124	26	3	9.9	6.0	15.7	30.1	(B)
HEAD A WORKER	1 833	1 084	749	74	7	157	55	102	19	3	8.6	5.0	13.7	(B)	(B)
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	1 274	802	472	36	1	47	19	28	3	1	3.7	2.4	5.9	(B)	(B)
WIFE A WORKER	1 338	840	497	34	6	71	25	46	3	1	5.3	3.0	9.2	(B)	(B)
HEAD NOT A WORKER	105	66	39	14	-	36	14	22	7	-	34.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	71	36	35	14	-	30	10	20	7	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
WIFE A WORKER	36	27	9	2	-	7	7	-	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
3 OR MORE WORKERS	671	503	168	30	2	57	29	28	8	-	8.4	5.7	16.6	(B)	(B)
HEAD A WORKER	614	467	147	22	2	40	24	16	4	-	6.6	5.2	11.0	(B)	(B)
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	431	336	95	11	2	9	3	6	1	-	2.1	0.9	6.4	(B)	(B)
WIFE A WORKER	435	345	89	12	2	13	9	5	-	-	3.1	2.5	5.3	(B)	(B)
HEAD NOT A WORKER	57	36	20	7	-	16	5	12	4	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	41	25	16	7	-	15	5	10	4	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)

Table 24. Tenure by Selected Characteristics—Primary Families and Primary Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Race of Head—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PRIMARY FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	ALL INCOME LEVELS					BELOW POVERTY LEVEL					PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL				
	TOTAL	IN OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	IN RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS			TOTAL	IN OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	IN RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS			TOTAL	IN OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	IN RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS		
			TOTAL	PUBLICLY OWNED	SUBSIDIZED			TOTAL	PUBLICLY OWNED	SUBSIDIZED			TOTAL	PUBLICLY OWNED	SUBSIDIZED
BLACK--CONTINUED															
PRIMARY FAMILIES--CONTINUED															
TYPE OF INCOME															
TOTAL	5 748	2 905	2 844	516	70	1 601	457	1 144	295	38	27.9	15.7	40.2	57.2	(B)
EARNINGS[1]	4 142	2 250	1 892	283	32	648	211	437	115	12	15.7	9.4	23.1	40.7	(B)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	3 960	2 116	1 844	277	32	598	175	423	114	12	15.1	8.3	22.9	41.1	(B)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	209	151	58	6	-	44	29	15	1	-	21.3	19.3	(B)	(B)	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	49	42	8	2	-	14	11	3	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	2 859	1 337	1 522	351	54	1 246	331	915	244	36	43.6	24.7	60.2	69.4	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	1 036	663	373	94	9	347	176	170	54	2	33.5	26.6	45.6	57.4	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	1 014	141	874	231	41	784	85	699	193	34	77.3	60.7	80.0	83.7	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	321	166	155	34	7	187	82	105	31	1	58.4	49.6	67.8	(B)	(B)
ALL OTHER TYPES OF INCOME	1 220	763	457	85	14	228	103	125	33	4	18.7	13.6	27.3	38.4	(B)
NO INCOME	24	9	15	-	-	24	9	15	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
PRIMARY UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS															
TYPE OF RESIDENCE															
TOTAL	2 229	648	1 581	144	26	768	237	531	89	12	34.5	36.6	33.6	61.8	(B)
METROPOLITAN AREAS	1 816	437	1 379	124	23	545	118	428	74	10	30.0	26.9	31.0	59.9	(B)
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	857	213	645	74	6	337	66	270	50	3	39.3	31.1	41.9	(B)	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	958	224	735	50	17	209	51	157	25	7	21.8	23.0	21.4	(B)	(B)
INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	1 438	326	1 112	108	16	448	91	357	66	10	31.2	27.9	32.1	61.4	(B)
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	745	173	571	67	6	287	54	233	45	3	38.5	31.2	40.8	(B)	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	693	153	540	41	10	161	37	124	21	7	23.3	24.2	23.0	(B)	(B)
OUTSIDE CENTRAL CITIES	378	110	268	16	7	97	27	70	8	-	25.7	24.0	26.3	(B)	(B)
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	113	39	73	7	-	50	12	38	4	-	44.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	266	71	194	9	7	47	14	33	4	-	17.8	(B)	16.9	(B)	(B)
NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS	413	211	202	20	3	223	120	103	15	2	54.0	56.5	51.3	(B)	(B)
INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	287	164	123	9	-	168	92	76	7	-	58.4	56.0	61.5	(B)	(B)
OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	126	47	79	11	3	55	28	28	8	2	44.0	(B)	35.3	(B)	(B)
AGE															
MALE	1 050	238	811	34	3	250	45	205	15	-	23.8	18.8	25.3	(B)	(B)
14 TO 24 YEARS	125	12	112	2	-	36	-	36	-	-	28.8	(B)	31.9	(B)	(B)
25 TO 34 YEARS	270	31	239	5	2	30	3	27	1	-	11.2	(B)	11.3	(B)	(B)
35 TO 44 YEARS	182	35	148	-	-	40	6	34	-	-	21.9	(B)	23.1	(B)	(B)
45 TO 54 YEARS	141	42	99	2	-	33	4	29	2	-	23.4	(B)	29.6	(B)	(B)
55 TO 59 YEARS	85	26	59	2	-	25	7	18	1	-	29.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
60 AND 61 YEARS	30	6	24	3	-	12	1	10	3	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
62 TO 64 YEARS	42	19	24	2	-	10	3	7	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	175	68	107	18	1	64	21	43	8	-	36.9	(B)	40.2	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN AGE, YEARS	42.2	54.9	38.7	(B)	(B)	50.7	(B)	46.9	(B)	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
FEMALE	1 179	410	770	111	22	518	192	326	75	12	44.0	46.9	42.4	67.3	(B)
14 TO 24 YEARS	116	5	111	9	2	27	2	25	3	-	23.4	(B)	22.4	(B)	(B)
25 TO 34 YEARS	147	22	125	2	-	11	-	11	-	-	7.5	(B)	8.9	(B)	(B)
35 TO 44 YEARS	73	23	50	3	3	20	6	13	-	1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
45 TO 54 YEARS	202	61	142	14	7	86	22	64	12	4	42.5	(B)	45.0	(B)	(B)
55 TO 59 YEARS	127	49	78	16	2	63	18	45	14	-	50.2	(B)	58.1	(B)	(B)
60 AND 61 YEARS	30	13	17	2	1	22	7	15	2	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
62 TO 64 YEARS	69	34	35	8	1	31	17	14	5	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	416	204	213	58	7	258	119	139	39	7	62.0	58.6	65.3	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN AGE, YEARS	57.0	64.9	52.0	65+	(B)	64.9	65+	60.7	65+	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
LIVING ARRANGEMENTS															
TOTAL	2 229	648	1 581	144	26	768	237	531	89	12	34.5	36.6	33.6	61.8	(B)
LIVING WITH NONRELATIVES	304	69	235	6	1	92	21	72	2	1	30.4	(B)	30.5	(B)	(B)
LIVING ALONE	1 925	579	1 346	138	25	676	216	459	87	11	35.1	37.4	34.1	63.0	(B)
65 YEARS OLD AND OVER	540	246	294	76	7	295	128	167	46	6	54.7	52.1	56.9	61.2	(B)
WORKER STATUS															
TOTAL CIVILIANS	2 229	648	1 581	144	26	768	237	531	89	12	34.5	36.6	33.6	61.8	(B)
WORKER	1 407	372	1 034	25	10	230	69	161	6	3	16.3	18.4	15.6	(B)	(B)
NONWORKER	822	275	547	120	16	539	168	370	84	9	65.5	61.1	67.7	69.7	(B)
65 YEARS OLD AND OVER	476	206	269	74	8	296	124	173	46	7	62.3	60.0	64.0	(B)	(B)
TYPE OF INCOME															
TOTAL	2 229	648	1 581	144	26	768	237	531	89	12	34.5	36.6	33.6	61.8	(B)
EARNINGS[1]	1 407	372	1 034	25	10	230	69	161	6	3	16.3	18.4	15.6	(B)	(B)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	1 373	356	1 017	25	10	219	63	156	6	3	15.9	17.6	15.4	(B)	(B)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	66	30	35	-	-	15	7	8	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	11	10	1	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	1 185	409	777	124	17	589	191	398	83	10	49.7	46.7	51.2	66.9	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	661	284	378	88	10	350	141	209	54	7	53.0	49.8	55.4	61.1	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	152	18	134	22	2	112	14	97	16	-	73.6	(B)	72.6	(B)	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	317	94	222	58	15	240	71	168	46	10	75.8	75.8	75.7	(B)	(B)
ALL OTHER TYPES OF INCOME	479	177	302	20	4	107	44	63	9	-	22.3	24.9	20.8	(B)	(B)
NO INCOME	31	7	23	2	-	31	7	23	2	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)

[1]DETAIL DOES NOT ADD TO TOTAL BECAUSE SOME PERSONS RECEIVE MORE THAN ONE OF THE SPECIFIED TYPES OF INCOME.

Table 25. Employment Status in March 1978—Persons, Family Heads, and Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977, Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin

(Numbers in thousands. Persons, family heads, and unrelated individuals as of March 1978. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Employment status and sex	All races			White			Black			Spanish origin[1]		
	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
ALL PERSONS												
Total	167,262	16,864	10.1	146,601	11,707	8.0	17,741	4,762	26.8	8,060	1,568	19.5
In civilian labor force	99,878	6,104	6.1	88,062	4,354	4.9	10,011	1,579	15.8	4,710	557	11.8
Employed	93,194	4,800	5.2	82,907	3,623	4.4	8,655	1,041	12.0	4,249	433	10.2
Unemployed	6,684	1,303	19.5	5,155	731	14.2	1,356	538	39.7	461	124	26.9
Percent unemployed	6.7	21.4	...	5.9	16.8	...	13.5	34.1	...	9.8	22.3	...
Not in labor force	66,510	10,739	16.1	57,820	7,336	12.7	7,608	3,179	41.8	3,324	1,011	30.4
In Armed Forces	874	22	2.5	719	18	2.5	123	3	2.7	26	-	(B)
MALE												
Total	79,863	6,348	7.9	70,407	4,497	6.4	8,057	1,650	20.5	3,848	625	16.2
In civilian labor force	58,216	3,207	5.5	51,996	2,408	4.6	5,225	697	13.3	2,892	338	11.7
Employed	54,478	2,575	4.7	49,033	2,027	4.1	4,534	462	10.2	2,622	268	10.2
Unemployed	3,738	633	16.9	2,963	381	12.9	691	235	34.0	271	70	25.8
Percent unemployed	6.4	19.7	...	5.7	15.8	...	13.2	33.7	...	9.4	20.6	...
Not in labor force	20,773	3,119	15.0	17,692	2,071	11.7	2,709	949	35.1	930	286	30.8
In Armed Forces	874	22	2.5	719	18	2.5	123	3	2.7	26	-	(B)
FEMALE												
Total	87,399	10,516	12.0	76,194	7,210	9.5	9,684	3,112	32.1	4,212	943	22.4
In civilian labor force	41,662	2,896	7.0	36,066	1,946	5.4	4,785	883	18.4	1,818	219	12.0
Employed	38,716	2,225	5.7	33,874	1,596	4.7	4,121	579	14.0	1,628	165	10.1
Unemployed	2,946	671	22.8	2,192	350	16.0	665	304	45.7	190	54	28.6
Percent unemployed	7.1	23.2	...	6.1	18.0	...	13.9	34.4	...	10.5	24.8	...
Not in labor force	45,737	7,620	16.7	40,128	5,264	13.1	4,899	2,230	45.5	2,394	724	30.2
ALL FAMILY HEADS												
Total	57,215	5,311	9.3	50,530	3,540	7.0	5,806	1,637	28.2	2,764	591	21.4
In civilian labor force	44,122	2,590	5.9	39,406	1,826	4.6	4,012	688	17.2	2,147	283	13.2
Employed	42,277	2,113	5.0	37,949	1,540	4.1	3,669	512	14.0	2,000	233	11.6
Unemployed	1,845	477	25.9	1,457	286	19.6	343	176	51.3	147	50	33.9
Percent unemployed	4.2	18.4	...	3.7	15.7	...	8.6	25.6	...	6.9	17.7	...
Not in labor force	12,349	2,700	21.9	10,505	1,697	16.2	1,697	945	55.7	592	308	52.1
In Armed Forces	744	21	2.8	619	17	2.8	97	3	3.5	25	-	(B)
MALE FAMILY HEADS												
Total	48,979	2,701	5.5	44,701	2,140	4.8	3,529	475	13.5	2,203	290	13.2
In civilian labor force	39,270	1,636	4.2	35,908	1,332	3.7	2,749	250	9.1	1,920	217	11.3
Employed	37,863	1,424	3.8	34,682	1,160	3.3	2,601	220	8.4	1,792	183	10.2
Unemployed	1,407	211	15.0	1,225	173	14.1	148	30	20.2	127	34	26.7
Percent unemployed	3.6	12.9	...	3.4	13.0	...	5.4	12.0	...	6.6	15.7	...
Not in labor force	8,965	1,044	11.6	8,175	790	9.7	683	222	32.5	258	73	28.4
In Armed Forces	744	21	2.8	619	17	2.8	97	3	3.5	25	-	(B)
FEMALE FAMILY HEADS												
Total	8,236	2,610	31.7	5,828	1,400	24.0	2,277	1,162	51.0	561	301	53.6
In civilian labor force	4,852	954	19.7	3,499	493	14.1	1,264	439	34.7	228	66	29.0
Employed	4,414	689	15.6	3,267	380	11.6	1,069	293	27.4	208	50	24.1
Unemployed	438	265	60.6	232	113	48.8	195	146	74.8	20	16	79.4
Percent unemployed	9.0	27.8	...	6.6	22.9	...	15.4	33.3	...	8.8	24.1	...
Not in labor force	3,384	1,656	48.9	2,330	907	38.9	1,013	723	71.4	334	235	70.5
ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
Total	23,110	5,216	22.6	19,869	4,051	20.4	2,860	1,059	37.0	797	237	29.8
In civilian labor force	13,584	1,737	12.8	11,562	1,314	11.4	1,756	366	20.8	563	97	17.2
Employed	12,760	1,420	11.1	10,949	1,122	10.2	1,570	248	15.8	507	76	14.9
Unemployed	824	317	38.5	613	193	31.5	186	118	63.4	56	21	(B)
Percent unemployed	6.1	18.3	...	5.3	14.7	...	10.6	32.1	...	9.9	21.7	...
Not in labor force	9,421	3,478	36.9	8,220	2,737	33.3	1,089	693	63.6	234	140	59.9
In Armed Forces	105	-	0.4	87	-	0.5	15	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
Total	10,005	1,796	18.0	8,300	1,305	15.7	1,473	423	28.8	439	111	25.2
In civilian labor force	7,359	880	12.0	6,144	635	10.3	1,054	209	19.8	352	62	17.5
Employed	6,846	715	10.4	5,767	550	9.5	932	132	14.1	315	51	16.1
Unemployed	513	165	32.2	377	85	22.5	123	78	63.3	37	11	(B)
Percent unemployed	7.0	18.8	...	6.1	13.4	...	11.6	37.1	...	10.6	17.8	...
Not in labor force	2,540	915	36.0	2,069	669	32.4	403	214	53.2	86	48	56.3
In Armed Forces	105	-	0.4	87	-	0.5	15	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
Total	13,105	3,419	26.1	11,569	2,747	23.7	1,387	636	45.8	358	127	35.3
In civilian labor force	6,225	857	13.8	5,418	679	12.5	701	157	22.4	211	35	16.6
Employed	5,914	705	11.9	5,182	572	11.0	638	117	18.3	193	25	13.0
Unemployed	311	152	49.0	235	108	45.8	63	40	(B)	18	10	(B)
Percent unemployed	5.0	17.8	...	4.3	15.9	...	9.0	25.6	...	8.7	28.6	...
Not in labor force	6,880	2,562	37.2	6,151	2,067	33.6	686	479	69.8	148	92	62.0

[1]Persons of Spanish origin may be of any race.

Table 26. Number of Workers—Families With Civilian Heads by Poverty Status in 1977 and Sex and Race of Head

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

NUMBER OF WORKERS	ALL RACES					WHITE					BLACK				
	TOTAL	HEAD A WORKER		HEAD NOT A WORKER		TOTAL	HEAD A WORKER		HEAD NOT A WORKER		TOTAL	HEAD A WORKER		HEAD NOT A WORKER	
		TOTAL	WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	TOTAL	HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS		TOTAL	WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	TOTAL	HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS		TOTAL	WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	TOTAL	HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS
ALL INCOME LEVELS															
ALL FAMILIES															
TOTAL															
TOTAL	56 471	45 498	34 083	10 973	4 982	49 911	40 711	30 889	9 201	3 741	5 709	4 063	2 681	1 646	1 174
NO WORKERS	7 263	-	-	7 263	2 893	6 128	-	-	6 128	2 070	1 067	-	-	1 067	783
1 WORKER	17 947	15 109	10 586	2 838	1 474	15 680	13 297	9 486	2 383	1 182	2 029	1 611	973	418	278
2 WORKERS	22 622	21 993	16 682	629	423	20 290	19 778	15 132	512	344	1 943	1 838	1 277	105	71
3 WORKERS	5 702	5 526	4 402	176	137	5 167	5 037	4 052	130	102	441	397	275	44	35
4 OR MORE WORKERS	2 937	2 870	2 413	66	55	2 646	2 598	2 219	48	44	230	217	156	13	6
HUSBAND-WIFE FAMILIES															
TOTAL	46 656	39 313	30 496	7 343	2 544	42 816	36 098	28 169	6 718	2 237	3 166	2 610	1 888	556	273
NO WORKERS	5 011	-	-	5 011	1 209	4 692	-	-	4 692	1 084	294	-	-	294	114
1 WORKER	13 509	11 701	8 702	1 808	932	12 505	10 911	8 133	1 594	812	829	642	468	187	110
WIFE A WORKER	1 331	-	-	1 331	732	1 177	-	-	1 177	638	136	-	-	136	86
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	602	-	-	602	380	534	-	-	534	334	56	-	-	56	43
WIFE NOT A WORKER	12 178	11 701	8 702	476	201	11 328	10 911	8 133	418	174	693	642	468	51	24
2 WORKERS	20 264	19 891	15 374	372	277	18 416	18 100	14 089	316	241	1 519	1 472	1 056	47	30
WIFE A WORKER	17 702	17 431	13 394	272	215	16 036	15 807	12 231	231	189	1 377	1 340	968	36	23
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	7 379	7 236	5 756	143	121	6 558	6 435	5 143	123	105	685	669	509	16	13
WIFE NOT A WORKER	2 561	2 461	1 979	100	61	2 378	2 293	1 858	85	51	142	131	88	11	6
3 OR MORE WORKERS	7 872	7 720	6 420	152	125	7 203	7 088	5 947	115	100	525	497	364	28	19
WIFE A WORKER	6 582	6 465	5 377	117	100	6 001	5 916	4 956	85	78	458	435	325	24	16
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	2 866	2 814	2 374	52	47	2 549	2 505	2 130	44	41	256	249	192	7	5
WIFE NOT A WORKER	1 290	1 255	1 043	35	25	1 202	1 172	991	30	22	67	62	39	5	3
OTHER FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD															
TOTAL	1 579	1 215	859	364	158	1 266	982	676	284	116	266	202	162	63	34
NO WORKERS	194	-	-	194	92	143	-	-	143	64	37	-	-	37	21
1 WORKER	669	536	384	133	53	531	422	295	109	42	133	110	86	23	11
2 OR MORE WORKERS	716	679	475	37	13	592	560	381	31	11	96	92	76	4	2
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD															
TOTAL	8 236	4 970	2 728	3 266	2 281	5 828	3 630	2 044	2 199	1 388	2 277	1 250	631	1 027	867
NO WORKERS	2 058	-	-	2 058	1 592	1 293	-	-	1 293	922	736	-	-	736	649
1 WORKER	3 769	2 871	1 500	897	488	2 643	1 964	1 059	679	329	1 068	859	419	208	157
2 OR MORE WORKERS	2 409	2 098	1 228	311	200	1 893	1 666	986	227	138	474	391	212	83	61
FAMILIES WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS															
TOTAL															
TOTAL	31 077	27 859	21 613	3 217	2 848	26 460	24 377	19 294	2 083	1 880	4 034	2 959	1 966	1 075	928
NO WORKERS	1 988	-	-	1 988	1 831	1 214	-	-	1 214	1 144	732	-	-	732	662
1 WORKER	10 846	10 091	7 385	755	619	9 158	8 623	6 496	535	450	1 513	1 299	782	214	165
2 WORKERS	12 168	11 877	9 361	291	241	10 637	10 431	8 338	205	173	1 275	1 196	851	79	62
3 WORKERS	3 776	3 643	2 961	133	115	3 393	3 299	2 713	94	81	322	284	203	38	33
4 OR MORE WORKERS	2 300	2 249	1 905	51	42	2 058	2 023	1 746	34	32	192	180	130	13	6
HUSBAND-WIFE FAMILIES															
TOTAL	24 737	23 671	19 319	1 066	876	22 248	21 423	17 647	825	710	2 019	1 799	1 354	219	149
NO WORKERS	406	-	-	406	328	321	-	-	321	275	78	-	-	78	49
1 WORKER	7 649	7 253	5 869	396	318	7 002	6 695	5 451	307	257	520	436	333	85	58
WIFE A WORKER	235	-	-	235	212	174	-	-	174	162	57	-	-	57	46
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	85	-	-	85	80	61	-	-	61	57	23	-	-	23	23
WIFE NOT A WORKER	7 415	7 253	5 869	162	107	6 828	6 695	5 451	133	95	464	436	333	28	11
2 WORKERS	11 137	10 982	8 841	155	132	9 882	9 761	7 942	120	104	1 021	991	740	30	23
WIFE A WORKER	9 625	9 522	7 639	103	93	8 484	8 406	6 821	78	74	933	910	679	24	19
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	3 175	3 128	2 536	46	43	2 638	2 604	2 119	34	31	451	440	349	11	11
WIFE NOT A WORKER	1 512	1 460	1 202	52	39	1 397	1 355	1 121	42	31	88	81	61	6	5
3 OR MORE WORKERS	5 544	5 437	4 609	108	97	5 043	4 966	4 254	77	73	400	373	281	27	19
WIFE A WORKER	4 537	4 457	3 785	81	73	4 106	4 051	3 471	55	53	347	324	250	22	16
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	1 836	1 802	1 552	34	33	1 609	1 581	1 378	27	27	191	184	144	7	5
WIFE NOT A WORKER	1 007	980	824	27	24	937	915	783	22	21	53	48	32	5	3
OTHER FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD															
TOTAL	631	533	399	98	58	476	414	303	62	43	137	109	90	28	14
NO WORKERS	67	-	-	67	43	37	-	-	37	33	22	-	-	22	9
1 WORKER	333	314	232	20	9	252	237	171	15	7	78	74	60	4	2
2 OR MORE WORKERS	231	219	166	12	5	187	177	132	10	3	38	36	29	2	2
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD															
TOTAL	5 709	3 655	1 895	2 053	1 914	3 735	2 540	1 343	1 195	1 127	1 878	1 050	522	828	765
NO WORKERS	1 515	-	-	1 515	1 459	856	-	-	856	836	632	-	-	632	603
1 WORKER	2 863	2 524	1 284	339	291	1 903	1 690	874	213	186	915	790	389	125	105
2 OR MORE WORKERS	1 330	1 131	611	199	163	976	850	469	126	105	331	260	133	71	57

Table 26. Number of Workers—Families With Civilian Heads by Poverty Status in 1977 and Sex and Race of Head—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

NUMBER OF WORKERS	ALL RACES					WHITE					BLACK				
		HEAD A WORKER		HEAD NOT A WORKER			HEAD A WORKER		HEAD NOT A WORKER			HEAD A WORKER		HEAD NOT A WORKER	
	TOTAL	TOTAL	WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	TOTAL	HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	TOTAL	TOTAL	WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	TOTAL	HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	TOTAL	TOTAL	WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	TOTAL	HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS
ALL INCOME LEVELS--CONTINUED															
FAMILIES WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS															
TOTAL															
TOTAL	13 568	12 233	9 134	1 335	1 257	11 318	10 551	8 105	767	726	1 939	1 386	828	552	516
NO WORKERS	1 004	-	-	1 004	979	575	-	-	575	564	419	-	-	419	405
1 WORKER	5 980	5 778	4 202	202	171	5 140	5 019	3 784	121	104	725	648	349	77	63
2 WORKERS	5 728	5 638	4 318	90	73	4 945	4 889	3 831	57	45	630	598	381	32	28
3 WORKERS	581	552	404	29	25	440	431	322	9	8	116	97	64	20	18
4 OR MORE WORKERS	276	266	211	10	9	217	212	168	6	6	47	43	34	4	2
HUSBAND-WIFE FAMILIES															
TOTAL	11 189	10 849	8 559	340	297	9 958	9 707	7 747	251	226	956	873	621	83	65
NO WORKERS	169	-	-	169	157	136	-	-	136	129	33	-	-	33	27
1 WORKER	4 783	4 671	3 753	112	89	4 408	4 328	3 499	80	66	283	254	194	29	20
WIFE A WORKER	75	-	-	75	66	51	-	-	51	47	20	-	-	20	16
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	20	-	-	20	17	11	-	-	11	8	9	-	-	9	9
WIFE NOT A WORKER	4 709	4 671	3 753	38	23	4 357	4 328	3 499	29	19	263	254	194	8	4
2 WORKERS	5 495	5 454	4 235	41	37	4 818	4 790	3 784	28	25	526	515	346	11	11
WIFE A WORKER	5 196	5 171	4 025	25	25	4 559	4 542	3 598	17	17	497	489	332	8	8
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	1 342	1 327	1 042	15	15	1 104	1 097	867	7	7	190	183	131	7	7
WIFE NOT A WORKER	299	283	209	16	13	259	248	186	12	9	29	26	14	3	3
3 OR MORE WORKERS	741	723	571	18	14	597	589	464	8	7	114	105	82	10	6
WIFE A WORKER	563	553	442	11	8	453	448	355	4	4	91	85	68	6	4
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	212	208	172	4	4	162	160	132	2	2	40	38	31	2	2
WIFE NOT A WORKER	177	171	128	7	5	144	141	108	3	3	23	20	14	4	2
OTHER FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD															
TOTAL	157	140	91	17	12	101	90	59	11	9	53	47	30	6	3
NO WORKERS	11	-	-	11	8	7	-	-	7	6	4	-	-	4	2
1 WORKER	105	103	73	2	2	67	67	48	1	1	36	35	24	1	1
2 OR MORE WORKERS	41	38	18	4	2	27	23	11	4	2	12	12	6	-	-
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD															
TOTAL	2 222	1 244	485	978	949	1 259	754	299	505	491	930	466	177	464	448
NO WORKERS	824	-	-	824	815	432	-	-	432	430	382	-	-	382	376
1 WOPKER	1 092	1 004	376	88	80	665	624	236	41	38	406	359	131	47	42
2 OR MORE WORKERS	307	240	109	67	54	162	130	62	32	23	142	107	46	35	31
BELOW POVERTY LEVEL															
ALL FAMILIES															
TOTAL															
TOTAL	5 290	2 567	912	2 722	2 112	3 522	1 835	705	1 688	1 268	1 633	653	187	980	808
NO WORKERS	2 239	-	-	2 239	1 702	1 399	-	-	1 399	1 016	797	-	-	797	657
1 WORKER	1 972	1 588	446	383	319	1 327	1 083	303	244	210	587	456	130	131	106
2 WORKERS	815	742	331	72	65	596	562	276	34	32	193	157	47	36	30
3 WORKERS	177	155	79	23	23	129	122	74	7	7	45	30	6	15	15
4 OR MORE WORKERS	87	82	56	5	4	72	68	53	4	4	11	10	3	1	-
HUSBAND-WIFE FAMILIES															
TOTAL	2 503	1 554	755	949	511	2 011	1 276	632	734	399	425	225	110	200	103
NO WORKERS	756	-	-	756	357	600	-	-	600	284	147	-	-	147	70
1 WORKER	939	780	333	159	126	748	632	253	116	99	155	116	69	40	24
WIFE A WORKER	96	-	-	96	80	69	-	-	69	62	25	-	-	25	16
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	16	-	-	16	16	12	-	-	12	12	4	-	-	4	4
WIFE NOT A WORKER	844	780	333	64	46	679	632	253	47	37	131	116	69	15	8
2 WORKERS	605	586	300	19	14	491	480	262	11	10	96	89	36	7	4
WIFE A WORKER	498	486	252	12	9	404	400	223	4	4	78	71	28	7	4
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	106	100	71	5	5	88	85	64	3	3	14	13	7	1	1
WIFE NOT A WORKER	107	99	48	7	6	87	80	40	7	6	18	18	8	-	-
3 OR MORE WORKERS	202	188	122	14	13	171	165	117	7	7	27	20	5	6	5
WIFE A WORKER	169	158	105	10	9	147	142	102	5	5	18	13	3	4	3
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	56	55	46	1	1	53	53	44	-	-	3	2	2	1	1
WIFE NOT A WORKER	34	30	17	4	4	25	23	15	1	1	9	7	2	2	2
OTHER FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD															
TOTAL	177	76	27	101	67	112	53	18	59	43	46	18	6	29	18
NO WORKERS	76	-	-	76	49	42	-	-	42	30	21	-	-	21	13
1 WORKER	66	44	10	23	17	45	28	7	17	13	21	15	3	6	3
2 OR MORE WORKERS	35	33	17	2	2	25	25	11	-	-	4	2	2	2	2
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD															
TOTAL	2 610	937	129	1 673	1 534	1 400	506	56	894	826	1 162	410	71	752	687
NO WORKERS	1 407	-	-	1 407	1 296	757	-	-	757	702	629	-	-	629	575
1 WORKER	966	765	103	201	176	534	423	44	111	98	410	324	58	86	79
2 OR MORE WORKERS	237	172	26	65	62	109	83	12	27	27	122	86	13	37	34

Table 26. Number of Workers—Families With Civilian Heads by Poverty Status in 1977 and Sex and Race of Head—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

NUMBER OF WORKERS	ALL RACES					WHITE					BLACK				
	TOTAL	HEAD A WORKER		HEAD NOT A WORKER		TOTAL	HEAD A WORKER		HEAD NOT A WORKER		TOTAL	HEAD A WORKER		HEAD NOT A WORKER	
		TOTAL	WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	TOTAL	HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS		TOTAL	WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	TOTAL	HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS		TOTAL	WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	TOTAL	HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS
BELOW POVERTY LEVEL--CONTINUED															
FAMILIES WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS															
TOTAL															
TOTAL	4 064	2 158	736	1 906	1 768	2 557	1 489	547	1 068	1 020	1 404	602	176	802	722
NO WORKERS	1 557	-	-	1 557	1 454	876	-	-	876	840	652	-	-	652	593
1 WORKER	1 633	1 380	374	253	227	1 058	906	242	152	141	528	429	124	98	84
2 WORKERS	627	557	238	69	62	438	407	190	31	29	169	133	43	36	30
3 WORKERS	164	142	70	23	23	116	109	64	7	7	45	30	6	15	15
4 OR MORE WORKERS	82	79	54	4	2	69	66	51	2	2	10	9	3	1	-
HUSBAND-WIFE FAMILIES															
TOTAL	1 584	1 210	593	375	304	1 240	973	481	267	235	293	192	102	101	63
NO WORKERS	241	-	-	241	194	179	-	-	179	156	60	-	-	60	36
1 WORKER	709	606	264	103	86	550	477	192	73	66	130	102	64	28	19
WIFE A WORKER	54	-	-	54	50	37	-	-	37	37	15	-	-	15	11
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	6	-	-	6	6	4	-	-	4	4	2	-	-	2	2
WIFE NOT A WORKER	655	606	264	49	36	513	477	192	36	29	115	102	64	13	7
2 WORKERS	448	431	217	18	13	355	345	182	10	8	78	71	33	7	4
WIFE A WORKER	353	343	178	10	7	278	275	151	3	3	61	55	25	7	4
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	64	60	41	4	4	49	47	34	1	1	14	13	7	1	1
WIFE NOT A WORKER	95	88	40	7	6	77	70	31	7	6	17	17	8	-	-
3 OR MORE WORKERS	186	173	112	12	11	156	151	107	5	5	26	19	5	6	5
WIFE A WORKER	154	145	97	9	7	133	129	93	4	4	16	12	3	4	3
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	53	52	43	1	1	50	50	41	-	-	3	2	2	1	1
WIFE NOT A WORKER	32	28	15	4	4	23	21	14	1	1	9	7	2	2	2
OTHER FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD															
TOTAL	95	45	17	50	29	55	29	10	26	20	30	14	6	16	8
NO WORKERS	43	-	-	43	24	21	-	-	21	17	14	-	-	14	6
1 WORKER	36	31	9	5	4	24	19	6	5	4	12	12	3	-	-
2 OR MORE WORKERS	15	13	8	2	2	10	10	5	-	-	4	2	2	2	2
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD															
TOTAL	2 384	903	126	1 481	1 434	1 261	487	56	774	764	1 081	395	68	685	651
NO WORKERS	1 273	-	-	1 273	1 236	675	-	-	675	667	578	-	-	578	552
1 WORKER	888	743	101	145	137	484	410	44	74	72	386	316	57	70	66
2 OR MORE WORKERS	224	160	24	63	61	102	77	12	25	25	116	80	11	37	34
FAMILIES WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS															
TOTAL															
TOTAL	2 265	1 265	393	1 000	977	1 378	836	277	542	535	828	381	107	448	431
NO WORKERS	877	-	-	877	859	487	-	-	487	482	381	-	-	381	369
1 WORKER	999	903	238	96	90	647	598	155	49	48	316	271	75	45	40
2 WORKERS	322	308	134	14	14	203	200	101	3	3	106	95	31	11	11
3 WORKERS	50	39	15	11	11	27	27	14	-	-	23	12	1	11	11
4 OR MORE WORKERS	17	15	7	2	2	13	11	7	2	2	3	3	-	-	-
HUSBAND-WIFE FAMILIES															
TOTAL	897	728	331	170	156	691	565	258	126	120	167	126	63	41	34
NO WORKERS	120	-	-	120	111	96	-	-	96	91	23	-	-	23	20
1 WORKER	478	437	187	41	37	376	348	139	28	27	78	66	40	12	8
WIFE A WORKER	25	-	-	25	23	18	-	-	18	18	5	-	-	5	3
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	1	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
WIFE NOT A WORKER	454	437	187	17	14	358	348	139	10	10	72	66	40	6	4
2 WORKERS	256	252	124	4	4	185	184	99	2	2	57	55	24	2	2
WIFE A WORKER	223	219	106	3	3	164	163	86	1	1	46	43	19	2	2
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	35	34	25	1	1	21	21	18	-	-	14	13	7	1	1
WIFE NOT A WORKER	33	33	18	1	1	21	20	13	1	1	12	12	5	-	-
3 OR MORE WORKERS	43	38	20	5	5	34	33	20	1	1	9	5	-	4	4
WIFE A WORKER	28	25	11	3	3	23	23	11	1	1	4	3	-	2	2
YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	5	5	4	-	-	5	5	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WIFE NOT A WORKER	15	13	9	2	2	10	10	9	-	-	5	3	-	2	2
OTHER FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD															
TOTAL	25	17	3	8	6	12	7	-	5	4	14	10	3	3	2
NO WORKERS	8	-	-	8	5	4	-	-	4	3	3	-	-	3	2
1 WORKER	16	16	3	1	1	6	5	-	1	1	10	10	3	-	-
2 OR MORE WORKERS	2	2	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD															
TOTAL	1 342	520	59	822	814	676	265	19	411	411	647	244	40	403	396
NO WORKERS	749	-	-	749	743	388	-	-	388	388	354	-	-	354	347
1 WORKER	504	450	48	54	53	266	245	17	21	21	228	195	32	33	32
2 OR MORE WORKERS	89	70	11	19	19	22	20	2	3	3	65	49	9	16	16

Table 27. Work Experience of Head by Presence of Children—Family Heads by Poverty Status in 1977, Sex, and Race

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILY HEADS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE AND PRESENCE OF CHILDREN	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
ALL FAMILY HEADS									
TOTAL	57 215	5 311	9.3	50 530	3 540	7.0	5 806	1 637	28.2
HEAD WORKED LAST YEAR	45 498	2 567	5.6	40 711	1 835	4.5	4 063	653	16.1
50 TO 52 WEEKS	35 366	1 068	3.0	31 988	793	2.5	2 851	250	8.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3 983	239	6.0	3 547	174	4.9	366	58	15.9
27 TO 39 WEEKS	2 485	277	11.1	2 170	213	9.8	279	56	19.9
14 TO 26 WEEKS	2 176	514	23.6	1 797	335	18.6	326	161	49.4
13 WEEKS OR LESS	1 488	470	31.6	1 209	320	26.4	241	128	53.1
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	47.5	35.0	...	47.7	35.8	...	45.1	33.6	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	42 266	1 976	4.7	38 010	1 476	3.9	3 581	436	12.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	34 083	912	2.7	30 889	705	2.3	2 681	187	7.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3 477	175	5.0	3 122	135	4.3	295	33	11.3
27 TO 39 WEEKS	2 093	203	9.7	1 842	163	8.8	221	33	15.2
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 656	383	23.2	1 370	261	19.0	244	108	44.3
13 WEEKS OR LESS	957	303	31.6	786	213	27.0	141	75	53.2
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 463	202	13.8	1 234	139	11.3	218	59	26.9
KEEPING HOUSE	1 013	428	42.3	783	280	35.7	210	136	64.9
GOING TO SCHOOL	489	82	16.7	419	66	15.8	49	13	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	4 408	599	13.6	3 759	398	10.6	552	174	31.4
OTHER	2 759	190	6.9	2 528	158	6.2	183	22	11.8
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	993	129	13.0	839	84	10.0	122	40	33.2
5 TO 14 WEEKS	1 960	210	10.7	1 721	147	8.5	189	50	26.4
15 TO 26 WEEKS	1 334	208	15.6	1 120	139	12.4	203	65	32.1
27 WEEKS OR MORE	800	257	32.1	625	166	26.6	143	75	52.8
HEAD DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	10 973	2 722	24.8	9 201	1 688	18.3	1 646	980	59.6
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	2 839	759	26.7	2 258	476	21.1	554	269	48.5
KEEPING HOUSE	2 138	1 149	53.7	1 529	666	43.6	582	465	79.9
GOING TO SCHOOL	215	114	52.8	150	61	40.4	58	49	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	364	207	56.9	233	117	50.2	123	89	72.5
RETIRED	5 200	409	7.9	4 859	312	6.4	295	87	29.7
OTHER	216	84	39.0	172	56	32.6	34	20	(B)
HEAD IN ARMED FORCES	744	21	2.8	619	17	2.8	97	3	3.5
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	31 637	4 081	12.9	26 924	2 572	9.6	4 107	1 406	34.2
HEAD WORKED LAST YEAR	27 859	2 158	7.7	24 377	1 489	6.1	2 959	602	20.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	22 101	856	3.9	19 662	612	3.1	2 078	228	11.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	2 337	205	8.8	2 027	143	7.1	252	54	21.5
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 464	241	16.5	1 230	183	14.8	208	54	26.1
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 204	449	37.3	910	283	31.1	250	148	59.4
13 WEEKS OR LESS	754	407	53.9	548	268	48.8	171	117	68.5
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	47.9	34.4	...	48.4	35.2	...	45.0	33.5	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	26 586	1 682	6.3	23 452	1 214	5.2	2 644	413	15.6
50 TO 52 WEEKS	21 613	736	3.4	19 294	547	2.8	1 966	176	8.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	2 141	154	7.2	1 885	115	6.1	207	32	15.2
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 297	180	13.9	1 100	142	12.9	173	33	19.4
14 TO 26 WEEKS	985	344	34.9	766	231	30.1	183	100	54.5
13 WEEKS OR LESS	549	267	48.7	407	179	44.0	115	73	63.2
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	794	151	19.1	654	101	15.4	133	47	35.3
KEEPING HOUSE	802	413	51.4	595	267	44.9	187	133	71.3
GOING TO SCHOOL	257	64	24.8	198	49	25.0	42	12	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	2 933	536	18.3	2 425	345	14.2	426	166	38.9
OTHER	972	138	14.2	843	114	13.5	93	16	17.4
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	666	116	17.4	538	71	13.2	96	40	41.9
5 TO 14 WEEKS	1 305	193	14.8	1 118	134	11.9	147	49	33.0
15 TO 26 WEEKS	892	181	20.3	724	117	16.2	158	60	38.1
27 WEEKS OR MORE	538	234	43.5	390	146	37.5	118	72	61.1
HEAD DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	3 217	1 906	59.2	2 083	1 068	51.3	1 075	802	74.6
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	999	455	45.6	677	259	38.3	302	186	61.5
KEEPING HOUSE	1 424	1 041	73.1	897	594	66.3	508	432	85.1
GOING TO SCHOOL	143	100	69.9	88	49	55.0	53	49	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	249	184	73.8	134	96	71.5	109	87	79.7
RETIRED	295	72	24.5	202	33	16.5	82	32	38.3
OTHER	107	54	50.2	84	37	43.6	20	16	(B)
HEAD IN ARMED FORCES	560	18	3.2	465	16	3.4	72	1	(B)

Table 27. Work Experience of Head by Presence of Children—Family Heads by Poverty Status in 1977, Sex, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILY HEADS AS OF MARCH 1978. 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 FAMILY HEADS--CONTINUED									
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	13 944	2 282	16.4	11 621	1 393	12.0	1 992	830	41.7
HEAD WORKED LAST YEAR	12 233	1 265	10.3	10 551	836	7.9	1 386	381	27.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	9 347	459	4.9	8 252	308	3.7	889	140	15.7
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 134	117	10.4	969	84	8.7	134	28	21.2
27 TO 39 WEEKS	719	144	20.1	600	111	18.6	111	32	29.0
14 TO 26 WEEKS	647	287	44.4	464	171	36.9	155	102	65.7
13 WEEKS OR LESS	386	257	66.6	264	161	60.9	98	78	80.3
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	47.3	33.2	...	47.9	33.9	...	43.3	32.5	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	11 672	993	8.5	10 184	698	6.9	1 206	255	21.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	9 134	393	4.3	8 105	277	3.4	828	107	12.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 067	90	8.4	925	69	7.4	112	16	14.3
27 TO 39 WEEKS	657	109	16.6	555	90	16.3	94	18	19.1
14 TO 26 WEEKS	534	230	43.1	398	147	36.9	112	71	63.2
13 WEEKS OR LESS	279	171	61.2	200	115	57.4	60	44	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	315	60	19.1	261	41	15.8	54	19	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	411	266	64.8	278	160	57.7	120	96	80.0
GOING TO SCHOOL	168	40	24.0	133	29	22.0	26	9	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 544	353	22.9	1 253	231	18.4	244	103	42.2
OTHER	448	85	19.0	373	66	17.7	53	14	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	352	75	21.2	287	47	16.3	51	25	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	701	124	17.7	593	84	14.2	92	36	38.7
15 TO 26 WEEKS	468	118	25.3	363	74	20.2	98	42	42.8
27 WEEKS OR MORE	283	154	54.5	200	99	49.5	62	41	(B)
HEAD DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	1 335	1 000	74.9	767	542	70.6	552	448	81.1
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	278	148	53.1	174	87	49.8	103	61	59.0
KEEPING HOUSE	763	659	86.3	422	353	83.8	333	297	89.2
GOING TO SCHOOL	85	64	75.8	47	30	(B)	36	32	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	110	93	84.8	57	47	(B)	50	46	(B)
RETIRED	61	16	(B)	38	9	(B)	23	7	(B)
OTHER	37	20	(B)	29	15	(B)	7	5	(B)
HEAD IN ARMED FORCES	376	17	4.5	303	15	5.1	53	1	(B)
FAMILY HEADS 22 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL	47 800	4 259	8.9	42 054	2 839	6.7	4 949	1 314	26.5
HEAD WORKED LAST YEAR	42 327	2 286	5.4	37 844	1 631	4.3	3 779	583	15.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	33 802	1 000	3.0	30 540	745	2.4	2 745	234	8.5
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3 602	218	6.1	3 209	158	4.9	324	53	16.4
27 TO 39 WEEKS	2 143	245	11.4	1 860	187	10.1	247	50	20.0
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 755	442	25.2	1 418	278	19.6	287	146	50.9
13 WEEKS OR LESS	1 025	382	37.3	817	262	32.1	175	101	57.5
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	48.1	36.0	...	48.4	36.8	...	45.8	34.5	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	40 314	1 811	4.5	36 215	1 337	3.7	3 439	414	12.0
50 TO 52 WEEKS	32 961	867	2.6	29 840	673	2.3	2 617	178	6.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3 273	165	5.0	2 937	124	4.2	277	33	12.0
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 893	182	9.6	1 657	142	8.6	207	33	16.2
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 425	336	23.6	1 169	218	18.7	216	103	47.7
13 WEEKS OR LESS	761	261	34.3	611	180	29.5	123	66	53.6
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 251	172	13.7	1 063	125	11.7	176	44	24.7
KEEPING HOUSE	851	359	42.1	664	236	35.5	170	114	67.1
GOING TO SCHOOL	428	57	13.4	359	44	12.3	47	11	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	4 089	542	13.3	3 480	348	10.0	515	167	32.4
OTHER	1 905	157	8.2	1 737	132	7.6	125	15	11.6
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	906	109	12.0	759	68	9.0	115	37	31.7
5 TO 14 WEEKS	1 808	184	10.2	1 585	125	7.9	175	46	26.2
15 TO 26 WEEKS	1 241	184	14.9	1 046	119	11.4	184	62	33.5
27 WEEKS OR MORE	736	236	32.1	569	148	25.9	134	73	54.1
HEAD DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	4 807	1 955	40.7	3 658	1 193	32.6	1 084	729	67.3
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 865	574	30.8	1 459	363	24.9	387	201	51.9
KEEPING HOUSE	1 452	969	66.7	980	577	58.9	457	380	83.1
GOING TO SCHOOL	184	85	46.5	136	48	35.0	42	36	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	318	188	59.2	197	107	54.4	113	80	70.9
RETIRED	830	74	8.9	764	58	7.6	58	15	(B)
OTHER	160	65	40.9	122	40	32.9	27	17	(B)
HEAD IN ARMED FORCES	665	17	2.6	552	15	2.7	87	1	1.7

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILY HEADS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE AND PRESENCE OF CHILDREN	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
FAMILY HEADS 22 TO 64 YEARS--CONTINUED									
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	30 411	3 613	11.9	26 081	2 329	8.9	3 756	1 194	31.8
HEAD WORKED LAST YEAR	27 197	1 976	7.3	23 840	1 363	5.7	2 844	549	19.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	21 793	831	3.8	19 402	598	3.1	2 034	217	10.7
40 TO 49 WEEKS	2 252	190	8.5	1 962	134	6.8	234	49	21.1
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 379	215	15.6	1 160	161	13.9	193	50	25.6
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 117	399	35.7	836	244	29.2	237	138	58.2
13 WEEKS OR LESS	656	340	51.8	481	226	47.0	146	95	65.2
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	48.2	35.4	...	48.6	36.2	...	45.4	34.3	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	26 062	1 569	6.0	22 999	1 120	4.9	2 580	395	15.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	21 337	721	3.4	19 051	538	2.8	1 936	170	8.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	2 074	147	7.1	1 829	108	5.9	197	32	16.0
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 229	163	13.3	1 043	125	12.0	162	33	20.6
14 TO 26 WEEKS	927	306	33.0	714	196	27.4	177	96	54.4
13 WEEKS OR LESS	495	232	46.9	363	153	42.1	107	64	60.3
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	754	133	17.7	629	92	14.6	118	38	32.1
KEEPING HOUSE	720	348	48.3	544	226	41.6	160	112	70.4
GOING TO SCHOOL	235	49	20.8	178	37	20.7	40	10	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	2 804	493	17.6	2 312	309	13.4	411	159	38.6
OTHER	891	122	13.7	776	101	13.0	81	13	15.8
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	630	102	16.1	507	60	11.9	93	37	39.5
5 TO 14 WEEKS	1 236	172	13.9	1 056	116	10.9	141	46	32.5
15 TO 26 WEEKS	849	162	19.1	690	102	14.8	150	57	37.8
27 WEEKS OR MORE	514	218	42.5	369	133	36.0	115	70	60.8
HEAD DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	2 687	1 620	60.3	1 805	951	52.7	842	644	76.5
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	888	395	44.5	624	234	37.4	248	152	61.1
KEEPING HOUSE	1 240	916	73.9	805	541	67.2	422	363	86.2
GOING TO SCHOOL	118	76	64.3	76	38	49.6	39	36	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	236	171	72.4	130	92	70.9	100	77	77.8
RETIRED	109	18	16.1	92	14	15.6	17	3	(B)
OTHER	97	45	46.5	77	31	40.5	17	13	(B)
HEAD IN ARMED FORCES	526	17	3.3	436	15	3.5	69	1	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	13 171	1 962	14.9	11 064	1 213	11.0	1 785	693	38.8
HEAD WORKED LAST YEAR	11 717	1 104	9.4	10 128	724	7.2	1 300	334	25.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS	9 105	439	4.8	8 045	297	3.7	857	130	15.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 071	106	9.9	917	74	8.1	125	27	21.9
27 TO 39 WEEKS	648	120	18.5	543	92	17.0	97	27	28.2
14 TO 26 WEEKS	576	240	41.6	404	134	33.3	145	91	63.2
13 WEEKS OR LESS	318	199	62.7	220	126	57.3	76	58	76.0
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	47.6	34.5	...	48.2	35.4	...	44.0	33.8	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	11 242	892	7.9	9 809	612	6.2	1 157	240	20.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS	8 911	383	4.3	7 906	270	3.4	806	102	12.7
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 008	82	8.1	876	61	7.0	104	16	15.5
27 TO 39 WEEKS	596	94	15.8	504	76	15.0	85	18	21.1
14 TO 26 WEEKS	487	194	39.8	355	114	32.2	108	67	62.0
13 WEEKS OR LESS	240	140	58.3	168	91	54.1	53	37	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	286	45	15.9	241	34	14.1	45	11	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	342	208	60.8	232	121	52.2	99	79	79.8
GOING TO SCHOOL	156	33	21.1	123	24	19.5	24	7	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 431	310	21.7	1 154	195	16.9	231	96	41.5
OTHER	398	69	17.3	334	53	15.9	42	10	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	322	60	18.7	262	37	14.0	48	21	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	637	107	16.8	535	70	13.0	87	33	37.8
15 TO 26 WEEKS	429	100	23.2	332	58	17.6	91	38	42.1
27 WEEKS OR MORE	265	138	52.2	184	86	46.5	60	38	(B)
HEAD DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	1 109	842	75.9	659	474	71.8	435	357	82.2
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	262	138	52.7	164	83	50.6	96	54	56.4
KEEPING HOUSE	634	552	87.1	362	306	84.5	264	239	90.5
GOING TO SCHOOL	68	49	(B)	40	25	(B)	26	23	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	97	81	83.0	53	44	(B)	41	37	(B)
RETIRED	17	7	(B)	15	5	(B)	2	1	(B)
OTHER	31	15	(B)	24	11	(B)	6	3	(B)
HEAD IN ARMED FORCES	345	16	4.7	277	15	5.3	50	1	(B)

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WORK EXPERIENCE AND PRESENCE OF CHILDREN	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
MALE FAMILY HEADS									
TOTAL	48 979	2 701	5.5	44 701	2 140	4.8	3 529	475	13.5
HEAD WORKED LAST YEAR	40 528	1 631	4.0	37 081	1 329	3.6	2 813	243	8.6
50 TO 52 WEEKS	32 292	864	2.7	29 695	710	2.4	2 123	132	6.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3 444	148	4.3	3 143	127	4.0	235	17	7.1
27 TO 39 WEEKS	2 070	151	7.3	1 858	131	7.0	181	13	6.9
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 674	269	16.1	1 475	208	14.1	163	52	31.7
13 WEEKS OR LESS	1 048	198	18.9	910	154	16.9	110	30	27.4
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	48.1	39.3	...	48.2	39.6	...	46.8	39.0	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	38 249	1 397	3.7	35 056	1 162	3.3	2 598	186	7.1
50 TO 52 WEEKS	31 355	783	2.5	28 845	649	2.3	2 050	115	5.6
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3 093	127	4.1	2 826	110	3.9	211	12	5.7
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 803	125	7.0	1 633	111	6.8	147	8	5.5
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 304	219	16.8	1 146	175	15.3	127	35	27.3
13 WEEKS OR LESS	693	143	20.7	606	117	19.3	64	16	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS[1]									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 220	139	11.4	1 065	108	10.2	145	29	20.1
GOING TO SCHOOL	395	42	10.6	360	40	11.0	19	1	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	3 787	397	10.5	3 350	315	9.4	352	61	17.4
OTHER	2 640	174	6.6	2 425	144	5.9	167	20	11.8
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	796	55	6.9	703	48	6.8	71	4	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	1 665	104	6.3	1 499	84	5.6	121	10	8.3
15 TO 26 WEEKS	1 126	134	11.9	985	102	10.4	133	30	22.8
27 WEEKS OR MORE	643	178	27.7	545	143	26.2	71	23	(B)
HEAD DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR[2]	7 707	1 049	13.6	7 002	793	11.3	620	229	36.9
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	2 225	487	21.9	1 919	356	18.6	289	124	42.8
GOING TO SCHOOL	115	30	25.8	97	23	23.6	12	5	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	199	76	38.3	162	66	40.6	30	10	(B)
RETIRED	4 910	383	7.8	4 604	296	6.4	262	77	29.5
OTHER	175	61	34.8	143	42	29.2	23	11	(B)
HEAD IN ARMED FORCES	744	21	2.8	619	17	2.8	97	3	3.5
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	25 928	1 697	6.5	23 189	1 311	5.7	2 228	325	14.6
HEAD WORKED LAST YEAR	24 204	1 254	5.2	21 837	1 002	4.6	1 909	207	10.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS	19 977	663	3.3	18 165	530	2.9	1 482	119	8.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 947	117	6.0	1 739	99	5.7	154	13	8.3
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 111	118	10.6	975	101	10.3	115	13	10.9
14 TO 26 WEEKS	783	211	27.0	657	163	24.7	99	40	40.7
13 WEEKS OR LESS	385	146	37.8	302	110	36.3	59	22	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	48.9	39.4	...	49.1	39.7	...	47.4	40.0	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	23 631	1 118	4.7	21 392	910	4.3	1 806	167	9.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	19 717	611	3.1	17 950	491	2.7	1 444	108	7.5
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 857	107	5.8	1 671	92	5.5	141	10	7.3
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 047	103	9.9	928	91	9.8	101	8	8.0
14 TO 26 WEEKS	690	185	26.8	589	148	25.2	76	28	36.9
13 WEEKS OR LESS	319	112	35.0	254	88	34.5	45	13	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS[1]									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	614	92	14.9	530	72	13.6	79	18	23.4
GOING TO SCHOOL	169	27	15.8	146	26	17.6	12	-	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	2 423	338	13.9	2 107	266	12.6	246	53	21.7
OTHER	919	125	13.6	799	102	12.7	85	16	18.4
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	503	44	8.8	431	37	8.5	50	4	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	1 065	90	8.5	943	73	7.8	87	9	10.1
15 TO 26 WEEKS	718	109	15.1	620	81	13.1	91	25	27.7
27 WEEKS OR MORE	399	155	39.0	322	123	38.2	52	20	(B)
HEAD DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR[2]	1 164	425	36.5	887	294	33.1	247	117	47.2
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	663	243	36.6	519	173	33.3	135	67	49.7
GOING TO SCHOOL	46	19	(B)	37	12	(B)	7	5	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	104	58	56.1	77	49	63.2	22	9	(B)
RETIRED	260	65	24.9	180	30	16.6	71	28	(B)
OTHER	81	32	39.5	67	24	(B)	11	7	(B)
HEAD IN ARMED FORCES	560	18	3.2	465	16	3.4	72	1	(B)

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Table 27. Work Experience of Head by Presence of Children—Family Heads by Poverty Status in 1977, Sex, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILY HEADS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE AND PRESENCE OF CHILDREN	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
MALE FAMILY HEADS--CONTINUED									
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	11 721	940	8.0	10 362	718	6.9	1 062	183	17.2
HEAD WORKED LAST YEAR	10 989	745	6.8	9 797	572	5.8	920	137	14.9
50 TO 52 WEEKS	8 785	366	4.2	7 913	279	3.5	676	75	11.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 005	77	7.7	883	63	7.2	92	10	10.5
27 TO 39 WEEKS	567	74	13.0	496	64	12.8	63	9	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	446	144	32.3	368	110	30.0	60	26	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	186	84	45.0	138	56	40.5	30	16	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	48.5	38.6	...	48.7	39.0	...	46.7	39.3	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	10 706	657	6.1	9 590	523	5.5	854	102	12.0
50 TO 52 WEEKS	8 650	334	3.9	7 806	258	3.3	651	67	10.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS	970	69	7.1	855	57	6.7	85	7	8.4
27 TO 39 WEEKS	545	64	11.7	480	58	12.2	58	5	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	390	126	32.3	330	102	31.1	42	16	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	151	64	42.0	118	48	40.2	19	6	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS[1]									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	267	41	15.2	228	29	12.8	39	11	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	130	18	14.0	115	17	14.9	7	-	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 332	237	17.8	1 140	184	16.1	150	37	24.7
OTHER	422	77	18.2	355	58	16.3	45	13	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	282	32	11.3	244	26	10.6	25	3	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	600	69	11.5	526	57	10.8	57	8	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	386	72	18.6	322	53	16.4	59	17	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	224	108	48.4	178	85	47.5	28	12	(B)
HEAD DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR[2]	357	178	49.9	262	131	49.8	88	45	50.5
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	192	93	48.5	140	67	47.8	50	26	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	25	13	(B)	18	8	(B)	5	3	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	51	40	(B)	40	32	(B)	9	7	(B)
RETIRED	53	15	(B)	35	9	(B)	18	5	(B)
OTHER	33	16	(B)	27	12	(B)	6	4	(B)
HEAD IN ARMED FORCES	376	17	4.5	303	15	5.1	53	1	(B)
MALE FAMILY HEADS 22 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL	41 038	2 050	5.0	37 348	1 645	4.4	3 004	335	11.1
HEAD WORKED LAST YEAR	37 688	1 465	3.9	34 457	1 199	3.5	2 613	212	8.1
50 TO 52 WEEKS	30 832	807	2.6	28 330	667	2.4	2 038	122	6.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3 113	139	4.5	2 837	117	4.1	211	17	7.9
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 764	133	7.5	1 575	114	7.3	160	11	6.8
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 308	228	17.4	1 139	173	15.2	135	45	33.3
13 WEEKS OR LESS	671	159	23.6	576	127	22.1	70	17	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	48.7	40.2	...	48.8	40.4	...	47.6	40.7	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	36 472	1 294	3.5	33 400	1 071	3.2	2 491	177	7.1
50 TO 52 WEEKS	30 289	743	2.5	27 845	619	2.2	1 992	108	5.4
40 TO 49 WEEKS	2 913	120	4.1	2 661	103	3.9	196	12	6.1
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 623	109	6.7	1 460	96	6.6	139	8	5.8
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 108	192	17.4	972	149	15.4	107	34	31.6
13 WEEKS OR LESS	540	129	23.9	461	104	22.4	58	15	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS[1]									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 033	116	11.2	914	99	10.9	110	16	14.1
GOING TO SCHOOL	344	26	7.7	310	25	8.0	19	1	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	3 510	357	10.2	3 100	277	8.9	328	60	18.2
OTHER	1 823	147	8.1	1 665	123	7.4	115	14	12.1
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	724	44	6.1	632	37	5.9	70	4	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	1 537	91	5.9	1 382	72	5.2	112	9	7.9
15 TO 26 WEEKS	1 046	117	11.2	919	86	9.4	119	29	24.0
27 WEEKS OR MORE	592	162	27.4	497	127	25.5	69	23	(B)
HEAD DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR[2]	2 685	567	21.1	2 338	431	18.4	305	121	39.8
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 448	349	24.1	1 245	263	21.2	191	84	43.6
GOING TO SCHOOL	107	23	22.0	92	17	18.7	10	5	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	169	71	41.7	132	60	45.5	30	10	(B)
RETIRED	804	68	8.4	741	53	7.1	55	14	(B)
OTHER	134	47	34.8	108	31	28.7	17	8	(B)
HEAD IN ARMED FORCES	665	17	2.6	552	15	2.7	87	1	1.7

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Table 27. Work Experience of Head by Presence of Children—Family Heads by Poverty Status in 1977, Sex, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILY HEADS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE AND PRESENCE OF CHILDREN	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
MALE FAMILY HEADS 22 TO 64 YEARS--CONTINUED									
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	25 166	1 524	6.1	22 597	1 211	5.4	2 079	260	12.5
HEAD WORKED LAST YEAR	23 714	1 180	5.0	21 417	947	4.4	1 846	187	10.1
50 TO 52 WEEKS	19 705	647	3.3	17 928	521	2.9	1 450	113	7.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 882	112	6.0	1 685	94	5.6	144	13	8.8
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 051	104	9.9	924	89	9.7	107	11	10.1
14 TO 26 WEEKS	729	189	26.0	607	144	23.7	94	37	39.2
13 WEEKS OR LESS	346	127	36.7	274	99	36.2	50	14	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	49.1	40.1	...	49.2	40.3	...	47.7	41.3	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	23 208	1 064	4.6	21 015	862	4.1	1 767	162	9.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	19 465	600	3.1	17 725	485	2.7	1 421	103	7.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 801	102	5.7	1 624	87	5.4	133	10	7.7
27 TO 39 WEEKS	994	91	9.2	882	79	9.0	94	8	8.5
14 TO 26 WEEKS	652	166	25.4	554	130	23.6	74	27	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	295	104	35.2	232	80	34.4	45	13	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS[1]									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	586	79	13.5	514	67	13.0	67	11	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	157	21	13.3	134	20	15.1	12	-	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	2 322	310	13.4	2 016	240	11.9	237	52	21.8
OTHER	849	114	13.4	738	93	12.6	77	12	15.8
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	479	38	8.0	408	31	7.7	50	4	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	1 014	81	8.0	896	64	7.1	84	9	10.5
15 TO 26 WEEKS	687	96	14.0	594	71	11.9	86	24	27.4
27 WEEKS OR MORE	382	145	38.0	306	113	36.9	52	20	(B)
HEAD DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR[2]	925	327	35.3	744	249	33.5	163	71	43.6
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	596	205	34.4	478	152	31.8	109	51	46.3
GOING TO SCHOOL	42	15	(B)	34	9	(B)	7	5	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	103	58	56.0	76	48	63.1	22	9	(B)
RETIRED	100	14	14.1	85	12	14.6	15	2	(B)
OTHER	74	27	(B)	63	22	(B)	8	4	(B)
HEAD IN ARMED FORCES	526	17	3.3	436	15	3.5	69	1	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	11 263	854	7.6	9 981	658	6.6	992	157	15.8
HEAD WORKED LAST YEAR	10 614	678	6.4	9 474	523	5.5	873	120	13.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS	8 571	353	4.1	7 724	271	3.5	654	71	10.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	956	72	7.6	841	58	6.9	86	10	11.2
27 TO 39 WEEKS	519	62	11.9	455	54	11.8	56	8	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	404	122	30.3	329	91	27.8	57	23	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	163	69	42.0	124	49	39.1	21	9	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	48.7	39.5	...	48.9	39.8	...	47.2	41.4	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	10 367	608	5.9	9 283	479	5.2	825	98	11.9
50 TO 52 WEEKS	8 445	326	3.9	7 621	253	3.3	634	64	10.1
40 TO 49 WEEKS	923	64	6.9	815	52	6.4	79	7	9.1
27 TO 39 WEEKS	500	54	10.7	440	48	11.0	53	5	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	360	107	29.8	301	85	28.1	41	15	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	139	56	40.6	106	40	38.2	19	8	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS[1]									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	247	30	11.9	217	26	11.9	30	4	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	124	16	12.9	109	15	14.0	7	-	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 243	209	16.8	1 060	158	14.9	142	35	24.8
OTHER	381	65	17.0	321	50	15.5	38	10	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	264	26	9.9	227	21	9.1	25	3	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	550	60	10.8	480	47	9.8	54	8	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	356	60	16.7	297	42	14.2	54	15	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	211	98	46.4	166	74	44.9	28	12	(B)
HEAD DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR[2]	304	159	52.5	231	121	52.4	68	36	(B)
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	182	88	48.4	133	64	48.3	48	24	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	25	13	(B)	18	8	(B)	5	3	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	50	39	(B)	39	32	(B)	9	7	(B)
RETIRED	16	5	(B)	15	5	(B)	1	-	(B)
OTHER	28	12	(B)	23	10	(B)	5	2	(B)
HEAD IN ARMED FORCES	345	16	4.7	277	15	5.3	50	1	(B)

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILY HEADS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE AND PRESENCE OF CHILDREN	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
FEMALE FAMILY HEADS									
TOTAL	8 236	2 610	31.7	5 828	1 400	24.0	2 277	1 162	51.0
HEAD WORKED LAST YEAR	4 970	937	18.8	3 630	506	13.9	1 250	410	32.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS	3 074	203	6.6	2 293	83	3.6	728	118	16.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS	538	91	16.8	404	47	11.6	131	42	31.7
27 TO 39 WEEKS	415	126	30.3	312	82	26.4	98	43	44.1
14 TO 26 WEEKS	502	246	48.9	322	127	39.5	163	110	67.0
13 WEEKS OR LESS	440	272	61.7	299	166	55.4	130	98	74.9
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	42.5	27.6	...	43.1	25.7	...	41.1	30.4	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	4 017	578	14.4	2 955	314	10.6	983	250	25.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 728	129	4.7	2 044	56	2.7	631	71	11.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	384	49	12.6	296	25	8.4	84	21	25.3
27 TO 39 WEEKS	289	77	26.7	210	51	24.5	74	25	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	352	164	46.7	224	86	38.3	116	73	62.9
13 WEEKS OR LESS	264	159	60.4	180	95	52.9	77	59	77.1
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	243	63	25.9	168	31	18.5	72	29	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	817	412	50.5	598	267	44.7	204	136	66.6
GOING TO SCHOOL	95	40	42.2	59	27	(B)	30	12	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	621	202	32.5	409	83	20.3	200	112	56.2
OTHER	119	16	13.5	103	14	13.7	16	2	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	197	74	37.6	136	36	26.4	50	36	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	295	105	35.7	222	63	28.3	68	40	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	208	74	35.5	135	37	27.6	70	35	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	158	79	50.4	80	24	29.3	71	52	(B)
HEAD DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	3 266	1 673	51.2	2 199	894	40.7	1 027	752	73.2
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	614	272	44.4	339	120	35.4	265	145	54.7
KEEPING HOUSE	2 056	1 136	55.2	1 452	655	45.1	578	463	80.2
GOING TO SCHOOL	100	84	83.7	53	38	(B)	46	45	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	165	131	79.4	71	51	(B)	93	80	85.6
RETIRED	290	26	9.1	255	16	6.3	33	10	(B)
OTHER	41	23	(B)	29	14	(B)	12	9	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	5 709	2 384	41.8	3 735	1 261	33.8	1 878	1 081	57.5
HEAD WORKED LAST YEAR	3 655	903	24.7	2 540	487	19.2	1 050	395	37.6
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 123	193	9.1	1 497	83	5.5	596	109	18.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS	390	88	22.6	288	44	15.3	98	42	42.2
27 TO 39 WEEKS	353	124	35.0	255	82	32.0	92	42	45.1
14 TO 26 WEEKS	421	238	56.4	254	121	47.5	151	108	71.6
13 WEEKS OR LESS	368	261	70.8	246	158	64.2	112	95	84.8
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	41.3	27.6	...	41.8	25.9	...	40.5	30.1	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	2 955	564	19.1	2 060	304	14.8	838	246	29.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 895	126	6.6	1 343	56	4.1	522	68	13.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	284	47	16.5	214	23	10.9	67	21	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	250	77	30.6	172	51	29.6	72	25	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	296	160	53.9	178	82	46.4	107	72	67.0
13 WEEKS OR LESS	230	156	67.7	153	92	59.9	70	59	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	180	60	33.0	124	29	23.3	54	28	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	701	402	57.4	504	260	51.6	182	133	73.3
GOING TO SCHOOL	88	37	42.1	52	24	(B)	30	12	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	510	198	38.8	318	79	24.9	180	112	62.4
OTHER	52	13	(B)	44	12	(B)	8	1	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	163	72	44.1	107	34	31.8	46	36	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	240	103	42.8	175	60	34.3	60	40	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	174	72	41.6	104	36	34.3	67	35	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	139	79	56.6	67	23	(B)	66	52	(B)
HEAD DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	2 053	1 481	72.1	1 195	774	64.8	828	685	82.8
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	336	213	63.2	159	86	54.3	167	119	70.9
KEEPING HOUSE	1 415	1 033	73.0	889	589	66.2	506	431	85.0
GOING TO SCHOOL	97	81	83.2	51	36	(B)	46	45	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	145	125	86.5	57	47	(B)	87	78	89.9
RETIRED	34	7	(B)	23	3	(B)	12	4	(B)
OTHER	26	22	(B)	17	13	(B)	9	9	(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 HEADS--CONTINUED									
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	2 222	1 342	60.4	1 259	676	53.7	930	647	69.6
HEAD WORKED LAST YEAR	1 244	520	41.8	754	265	35.1	466	244	52.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	562	94	16.7	340	29	8.7	213	64	30.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS	129	40	30.9	87	21	24.4	43	19	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	152	71	46.4	104	48	45.9	48	23	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	201	143	71.2	97	61	63.1	95	76	79.8
13 WEEKS OR LESS	200	173	86.5	127	105	83.2	68	62	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	36.7	25.4	...	37.1	23.0	...	36.6	28.7	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	965	336	34.8	594	175	29.4	352	153	43.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	485	59	12.2	299	19	6.4	177	40	22.7
40 TO 49 WEEKS	97	21	21.2	70	12	(B)	27	9	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	111	45	40.5	75	32	42.7	36	13	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	144	104	72.0	68	44	(B)	70	55	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	128	107	84.0	82	67	82.0	42	36	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	48	20	(B)	33	12	(B)	15	8	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	358	260	72.5	232	156	67.3	117	96	82.2
GOING TO SCHOOL	38	22	(B)	18	12	(B)	19	9	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	212	117	55.0	113	47	41.8	95	66	70.0
OTHER	27	9	(B)	19	8	(B)	8	1	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	70	43	(B)	43	21	(B)	27	22	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	102	55	54.0	66	27	(B)	36	28	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	82	47	57.1	41	21	(B)	38	25	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	59	46	(B)	22	14	(B)	34	28	(B)
HEAD DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	978	822	84.0	505	411	81.4	464	403	86.9
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	86	54	63.2	34	19	(B)	52	35	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	761	657	86.3	420	352	83.8	333	297	89.2
GOING TO SCHOOL	59	52	(B)	29	22	(B)	31	29	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	59	54	(B)	17	15	(B)	41	39	(B)
RETIRED	9	1	(B)	3	-	(B)	6	1	(B)
OTHER	4	4	(B)	3	3	(B)	1	1	(B)
FEMALE FAMILY HEADS 22 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL	6 761	2 209	32.7	4 706	1 193	25.4	1 945	979	50.3
HEAD WORKED LAST YEAR	4 639	821	17.7	3 387	432	12.7	1 166	371	31.9
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 971	192	6.5	2 209	78	3.6	708	112	15.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	489	79	16.3	372	40	10.9	114	37	32.3
27 TO 39 WEEKS	379	112	29.5	285	73	25.5	88	39	44.1
14 TO 26 WEEKS	447	215	48.0	279	105	37.5	151	101	66.6
13 WEEKS OR LESS	354	223	63.1	241	135	55.9	106	84	79.1
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	43.3	28.4	...	43.9	26.5	...	41.8	31.0	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	3 842	517	13.4	2 815	266	9.4	948	236	25.0
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 672	125	4.7	1 995	53	2.7	625	70	11.1
40 TO 49 WEEKS	360	44	12.3	276	21	7.5	81	21	26.4
27 TO 39 WEEKS	271	72	26.7	197	47	23.7	68	25	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	318	143	45.1	197	69	34.9	109	69	63.5
13 WEEKS OR LESS	222	132	59.6	150	77	51.1	65	51	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	218	56	25.6	150	26	17.1	66	28	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	705	347	49.3	526	227	43.2	167	114	68.4
GOING TO SCHOOL	84	31	36.8	50	19	(B)	29	10	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	579	185	31.9	380	71	18.8	187	107	57.3
OTHER	82	10	12.1	72	9	(B)	10	1	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	183	65	35.7	127	31	24.3	45	32	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	271	93	34.1	203	53	26.0	63	37	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	195	67	34.6	127	33	25.8	65	33	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	144	74	51.4	73	21	(B)	66	50	(B)
HEAD DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	2 123	1 388	65.4	1 319	762	57.7	779	608	78.0
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	417	224	53.8	214	99	46.5	195	117	60.1
KEEPING HOUSE	1 430	960	67.1	959	570	59.5	455	378	83.1
GOING TO SCHOOL	77	62	80.4	44	31	(B)	33	31	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	148	117	79.2	65	47	(B)	82	70	85.2
RETIRED	26	6	(B)	22	5	(B)	3	1	(B)
OTHER	25	18	(B)	15	9	(B)	11	9	(B)

Table 27. Work Experience of Head by Presence of Children—Family Heads by Poverty Status in 1977, Sex, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILY HEADS AS OF MARCH 1978. 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
FEMALE FAMILY HEADS 22 TO 64 YEARS--CONTINUED									
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	5 245	2 089	39.8	3 484	1 118	32.1	1 677	935	55.7
HEAD WORKED LAST YEAR	3 483	796	22.8	2 423	416	17.2	998	361	36.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 088	184	8.8	1 474	78	5.3	584	104	17.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	370	78	21.2	277	39	14.2	89	37	40.9
27 TO 39 WEEKS	328	111	33.9	237	72	30.5	86	39	45.1
14 TO 26 WEEKS	388	210	54.1	229	100	43.7	143	101	70.8
13 WEEKS OR LESS	310	213	68.6	207	127	61.3	96	81	84.4
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	42.0	28.5	...	42.6	26.8	...	41.1	30.7	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	2 853	506	17.7	1 984	258	13.0	813	233	28.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 872	121	6.5	1 327	53	4.0	515	66	12.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	272	44	16.2	205	21	10.1	64	21	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	235	72	30.5	161	46	28.6	68	25	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	275	140	51.0	160	65	40.9	103	69	67.1
13 WEEKS OR LESS	199	128	64.4	131	73	55.6	62	51	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	168	54	32.3	115	25	21.8	51	27	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	625	339	54.2	457	220	48.2	156	112	71.9
GOING TO SCHOOL	78	28	36.0	43	17	(B)	29	10	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	482	183	37.8	296	69	23.3	174	107	61.6
OTHER	42	8	(B)	39	8	(B)	4	1	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	152	63	41.6	99	29	29.2	42	32	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	222	92	41.2	160	52	32.3	57	37	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	163	66	40.5	96	31	32.5	64	33	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	131	73	55.8	63	20	(B)	63	50	(B)
HEAD DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	1 761	1 293	73.4	1 061	701	66.1	679	573	84.4
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	292	190	65.1	146	81	55.8	139	101	72.8
KEEPING HOUSE	1 230	908	73.8	797	535	67.2	420	362	86.1
GOING TO SCHOOL	75	60	80.0	43	29	(B)	33	31	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	133	113	85.3	54	44	(B)	78	69	88.6
RETIRED	9	3	(B)	7	2	(B)	1	1	(B)
OTHER	23	18	(B)	13	9	(B)	9	9	(B)
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 908	1 108	58.1	1 083	554	51.2	793	536	67.6
HEAD WORKED LAST YEAR	1 103	426	38.6	655	201	30.8	426	215	50.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	533	86	16.1	321	26	8.2	203	60	29.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	115	34	29.7	76	16	21.7	39	18	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	129	58	45.1	88	39	43.9	41	20	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	172	117	68.4	75	43	57.4	88	69	78.1
13 WEEKS OR LESS	154	131	84.6	95	77	81.1	55	49	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	37.9	26.6	...	38.6	24.0	...	37.4	29.6	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	876	284	32.5	525	134	25.5	331	142	42.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS	466	56	12.1	285	18	6.2	172	39	22.4
40 TO 49 WEEKS	86	18	20.9	61	9	(B)	25	9	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	96	40	41.7	64	27	(B)	33	13	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	127	87	68.2	54	30	(B)	68	52	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	100	83	82.6	62	50	(B)	35	29	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	39	16	(B)	24	8	(B)	15	8	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	294	203	68.8	189	118	62.3	98	79	80.8
GOING TO SCHOOL	32	17	(B)	13	9	(B)	17	7	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	188	101	53.7	94	37	39.3	89	61	68.2
OTHER	17	4	(B)	13	3	(B)	4	1	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	59	34	(B)	35	16	(B)	23	18	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	88	47	54.0	55	23	(B)	33	25	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	73	40	(B)	34	16	(B)	37	23	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	54	40	(B)	19	11	(B)	32	26	(B)
HEAD DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	805	682	84.7	429	353	82.3	367	322	87.6
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	79	49	62.5	31	19	(B)	48	31	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	632	550	87.1	360	304	84.4	264	239	90.5
GOING TO SCHOOL	43	37	(B)	22	17	(B)	21	20	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	47	42	(B)	14	12	(B)	31	30	(B)
RETIRED	1	1	(B)	-	-	(B)	1	1	(B)
OTHER	3	3	(B)	1	1	(B)	1	1	(B)

[1]EXCLUDES "KEEPING HOUSE".
[2]TOTAL INCLUDES "KEEPING HOUSE", NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY.

Table 28. Work Experience of Unrelated Individuals—Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977, Sex, and Race

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
14 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL	23 110	5 216	22.6	19 869	4 051	20.4	2 860	1 059	37.0
WORKED LAST YEAR	14 467	1 899	13.1	12 429	1 523	12.3	1 766	324	18.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	9 088	450	4.9	7 755	352	4.5	1 164	85	7.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 731	186	10.8	1 568	166	10.6	143	17	11.8
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 403	256	18.2	1 210	207	17.1	167	40	23.7
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 297	474	36.6	1 085	366	33.7	171	95	55.5
13 WEEKS OR LESS	948	532	56.2	810	432	53.3	121	87	72.4
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	43.7	28.8	...	43.7	28.9	...	43.8	28.4	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	11 998	1 039	8.7	10 336	858	8.3	1 451	163	11.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	8 146	243	3.0	6 969	202	2.9	1 028	35	3.4
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 348	80	6.0	1 218	70	5.8	117	10	8.5
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 059	136	12.8	911	112	12.3	127	17	13.6
14 TO 26 WEEKS	888	273	30.8	756	221	29.3	110	50	45.5
13 WEEKS OR LESS	558	307	55.0	483	253	52.4	69	50	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	524	131	24.9	409	96	23.6	107	33	31.1
KEEPING HOUSE	569	163	28.6	504	120	23.9	55	37	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	1 004	455	45.3	903	402	44.4	62	36	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	2 004	418	20.9	1 698	316	18.6	284	98	34.5
OTHER	1 278	282	22.1	1 159	236	20.4	95	35	36.3
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	656	167	25.4	587	144	24.6	64	22	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	944	188	19.9	818	156	19.0	113	31	27.0
15 TO 26 WEEKS	623	155	24.9	504	103	20.4	110	49	44.4
27 WEEKS OR MORE	411	159	38.6	337	118	34.9	72	40	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	8 538	3 316	38.8	7 353	2 528	34.4	1 079	735	68.1
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	2 018	1 172	58.1	1 557	816	52.4	448	349	77.8
KEEPING HOUSE	2 758	958	34.7	2 561	835	32.6	186	116	62.3
GOING TO SCHOOL	321	218	67.9	228	152	66.9	54	44	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	220	163	74.1	133	88	66.0	84	73	87.0
RETIRED	2 947	657	22.3	2 653	530	20.0	258	114	44.3
OTHER	274	149	54.3	220	106	48.3	49	39	(B)
IN ARMED FORCES	105	-	-	87	-	-	15	-	(B)
22 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL	13 983	2 509	17.9	11 715	1 841	15.7	2 015	614	30.5
WORKED LAST YEAR	11 760	1 236	10.5	10 007	944	9.4	1 532	258	16.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS	7 897	320	4.1	6 699	243	3.6	1 050	69	6.5
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 356	128	9.4	1 224	109	8.9	119	17	14.3
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 044	154	14.8	877	115	13.1	146	33	22.5
14 TO 26 WEEKS	907	310	34.2	741	223	30.0	136	78	57.4
13 WEEKS OR LESS	557	323	58.1	466	254	54.6	81	61	75.5
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	45.1	29.7	...	45.2	29.8	...	44.7	29.2	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	10 373	714	6.9	8 871	566	6.4	1 321	132	10.0
50 TO 52 WEEKS	7 352	188	2.6	6 257	153	2.4	962	30	3.1
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 128	61	5.4	1 017	51	5.0	100	10	9.9
27 TO 39 WEEKS	855	85	9.9	721	66	9.2	116	12	10.7
14 TO 26 WEEKS	666	185	27.7	556	138	24.8	97	46	48.0
13 WEEKS OR LESS	371	195	52.7	319	158	49.6	46	34	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	431	104	24.2	329	74	22.5	93	29	31.0
KEEPING HOUSE	293	93	31.8	266	68	25.6	24	22	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	607	208	34.2	549	177	32.3	33	23	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 655	311	18.8	1 379	221	16.0	260	86	33.1
OTHER	878	200	22.8	785	162	20.6	73	29	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	458	94	20.5	411	77	18.8	44	17	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	761	120	15.8	647	91	14.1	102	27	26.3
15 TO 26 WEEKS	517	111	21.4	408	65	15.9	102	43	41.7
27 WEEKS OR MORE	351	133	37.9	285	98	34.4	65	35	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	2 135	1 272	59.6	1 637	897	54.8	469	356	75.9
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	897	606	67.6	648	405	62.5	247	199	80.6
KEEPING HOUSE	489	270	55.2	425	224	52.8	61	43	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	157	92	58.9	115	67	58.1	23	15	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	163	122	74.7	88	57	65.0	72	63	(B)
RETIRED	290	88	30.5	255	77	30.0	35	12	(B)
OTHER	139	94	67.7	106	67	63.3	30	25	(B)
IN ARMED FORCES	87	-	-	71	-	(B)	14	-	(B)

Table 28. Work Experience of Unrelated Individuals—Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977, Sex, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. 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
MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
14 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL	10 005	1 796	18.0	8 300	1 305	15.7	1 473	423	28.8
WORKED LAST YEAR	7 689	910	11.8	6 490	717	11.1	1 031	157	15.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	4 787	202	4.3	3 974	163	4.1	647	28	4.4
40 TO 49 WEEKS	973	86	8.8	868	70	8.1	97	14	14.6
27 TO 39 WEEKS	840	121	14.5	699	93	13.2	125	22	17.8
14 TO 26 WEEKS	687	234	34.1	559	173	30.9	103	51	49.5
13 WEEKS OR LESS	461	267	58.0	392	219	55.7	59	42	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	43.8	28.1	...	43.8	28.2	...	43.7	27.1	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	6 758	567	8.4	5 733	454	7.9	898	98	11.0
50 TO 52 WEEKS	4 412	120	2.7	3 717	100	2.7	602	15	2.5
40 TO 49 WEEKS	819	52	6.3	730	42	5.8	81	10	12.3
27 TO 39 WEEKS	687	72	10.4	573	53	9.3	100	12	11.9
14 TO 26 WEEKS	524	147	28.1	437	110	25.3	78	35	45.1
13 WEEKS OR LESS	315	175	55.7	276	148	53.6	36	26	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS[1]									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	298	62	20.8	228	47	20.7	69	15	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	588	241	41.0	528	206	39.1	31	21	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 303	228	17.5	1 078	158	14.6	208	67	32.1
OTHER	743	169	22.8	662	139	21.0	67	24	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	342	65	19.1	302	56	18.6	36	9	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	609	99	16.2	517	76	14.6	82	22	26.4
15 TO 26 WEEKS	451	108	24.0	347	64	18.4	95	41	43.0
27 WEEKS OR MORE	242	79	32.6	200	58	29.1	41	20	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR[2]	2 211	886	40.1	1 723	587	34.1	427	266	62.4
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	595	346	58.1	424	219	51.6	165	123	74.6
GOING TO SCHOOL	178	113	63.5	116	74	64.0	31	23	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	119	97	81.4	63	47	(B)	56	49	(B)
RETIRED	1 194	261	21.9	1 022	198	19.4	150	52	34.8
OTHER	81	53	65.5	60	36	(B)	20	16	(B)
IN ARMED FORCES	105	-	-	87	-	-	15	-	(B)
22 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL	7 525	1 120	14.9	6 191	791	12.8	1 171	297	25.4
WORKED LAST YEAR	6 647	654	9.8	5 554	489	8.8	946	139	14.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS	4 282	152	3.6	3 581	124	3.5	601	20	3.4
40 TO 49 WEEKS	818	67	8.2	723	51	7.1	86	14	16.5
27 TO 39 WEEKS	682	85	12.4	552	60	10.9	116	18	15.7
14 TO 26 WEEKS	550	166	30.2	438	112	25.6	92	48	51.8
13 WEEKS OR LESS	315	184	58.4	260	141	54.4	50	39	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	44.7	28.7	...	44.8	29.3	...	44.0	26.1	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	5 992	418	7.0	5 034	320	6.4	842	86	10.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	4 062	100	2.5	3 403	84	2.5	572	11	1.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	705	44	6.2	625	34	5.5	73	10	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	573	48	8.4	465	34	7.3	96	8	8.3
14 TO 26 WEEKS	430	107	24.8	351	73	20.7	72	34	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	222	119	53.7	190	95	50.1	30	23	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS[1]									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	273	57	20.9	208	42	20.3	63	15	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	396	129	32.5	353	104	29.6	23	18	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	1 118	184	16.4	906	118	13.1	199	61	30.8
OTHER	556	128	23.0	489	98	20.1	55	22	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	261	44	16.8	226	35	15.6	33	9	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	509	64	12.6	421	42	10.1	79	20	25.6
15 TO 26 WEEKS	380	80	21.0	285	41	14.5	88	35	40.1
27 WEEKS OR MORE	217	72	33.3	177	52	29.3	40	20	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR[2]	791	466	58.9	566	301	53.3	212	158	74.5
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	372	235	63.1	265	150	56.7	107	84	78.8
GOING TO SCHOOL	102	57	55.8	72	40	(B)	18	12	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	99	81	81.5	47	36	(B)	51	44	(B)
RETIRED	143	46	32.5	123	40	32.8	19	6	(B)
OTHER	64	40	(B)	47	27	(B)	16	12	(B)
IN ARMED FORCES	87	-	-	71	-	(B)	14	-	(B)

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Table 28. Work Experience of Unrelated Individuals—Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977, Sex, and Race—Continued

[NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT]

WORK EXPERIENCE	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
14 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL	13 105	3 419	26.1	11 569	2 747	23.7	1 387	636	45.8
WORKED LAST YEAR	6 778	989	14.6	5 939	806	13.6	735	167	22.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS	4 361	248	5.7	3 782	189	5.0	517	57	11.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	757	101	13.3	703	96	13.7	46	3	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	563	134	23.8	511	114	22.4	42	17	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	610	240	39.4	526	193	36.7	68	44	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	487	265	54.5	418	213	51.1	62	46	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	43.7	29.4	...	43.7	29.5	...	43.9	29.5	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	5 241	472	9.0	4 603	404	8.8	553	64	11.6
50 TO 52 WEEKS	3 734	122	3.3	3 252	101	3.1	426	20	4.7
40 TO 49 WEEKS	529	28	5.4	488	28	5.8	36	-	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	371	64	17.2	337	59	17.4	27	5	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	364	126	34.6	319	111	34.7	31	15	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	243	131	54.1	206	105	50.8	33	24	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	226	69	30.4	181	49	27.2	38	19	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	539	156	28.9	483	116	24.1	46	34	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	416	214	51.4	376	195	52.0	30	15	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	701	190	27.1	620	159	25.6	76	31	41.1
OTHER	535	113	21.0	497	97	19.6	28	11	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	314	102	32.3	284	88	31.0	27	13	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	335	89	26.7	301	80	26.6	31	9	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	172	47	27.4	157	39	24.9	15	8	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	169	80	47.2	137	59	43.3	31	20	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	6 327	2 431	38.4	5 630	1 941	34.5	652	469	71.9
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 423	826	58.1	1 133	597	52.7	283	226	79.6
KEEPING HOUSE	2 714	942	34.7	2 522	823	32.6	182	113	62.1
GOING TO SCHOOL	143	105	73.3	112	78	69.8	22	21	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	101	66	65.4	71	41	(B)	28	25	(B)
RETIRED	1 753	396	22.6	1 632	332	20.3	107	62	57.7
OTHER	193	96	49.6	160	71	43.9	29	24	(B)
22 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL	6 458	1 389	21.5	5 524	1 050	19.0	843	317	37.6
WORKED LAST YEAR	5 114	582	11.4	4 453	455	10.2	586	119	20.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	3 614	168	4.7	3 118	118	3.8	449	48	10.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	539	61	11.3	501	58	11.6	32	3	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	363	69	19.1	325	55	16.9	30	15	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	357	145	40.5	303	110	36.4	44	31	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	241	139	57.6	206	113	54.8	31	22	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	45.7	30.5	...	45.6	30.5	...	46.0	32.9	...
WORKED FULL-TIME	4 381	296	6.8	3 837	247	6.4	479	46	9.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS	3 291	88	2.7	2 854	69	2.4	391	19	4.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	423	17	4.1	393	17	4.4	27	-	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	283	37	13.0	256	32	12.6	19	4	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	236	78	33.1	205	65	31.7	25	13	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	148	76	51.1	129	63	48.9	16	11	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
ILL OR DISABLED	158	47	29.8	121	32	26.3	29	14	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	271	88	32.6	249	66	26.7	19	19	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	211	79	37.4	196	73	37.1	10	5	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	538	127	23.6	473	102	21.6	61	25	(B)
OTHER	322	72	22.5	296	63	21.4	18	7	(B)
NUMBER OF WEEKS UNEMPLOYED:									
1 TO 4 WEEKS	197	50	25.3	185	42	22.7	11	8	(B)
5 TO 14 WEEKS	253	56	22.1	226	49	21.5	23	7	(B)
15 TO 26 WEEKS	137	31	22.5	123	24	19.1	14	7	(B)
27 WEEKS OR MORE	134	61	45.5	108	46	42.8	26	15	(B)
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	1 344	807	60.0	1 071	595	55.6	257	198	77.1
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	525	371	70.8	382	254	66.5	141	115	81.9
KEEPING HOUSE	478	263	54.9	414	217	52.4	61	43	(B)
GOING TO SCHOOL	55	36	(B)	43	26	(B)	5	4	(B)
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	64	41	(B)	41	22	(B)	21	18	(B)
RETIRED	148	42	28.5	132	36	27.5	15	6	(B)
OTHER	74	54	(B)	59	40	(B)	14	13	(B)

[1]EXCLUDES "KEEPING HOUSE".
[2]TOTAL INCLUDES "KEEPING HOUSE", NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY.

Table 29. Family Members by Work Experience of Head—Persons in Families by Poverty Status in 1977, Sex of Head, and Race

(Numbers in thousands. Persons in families as of March 1978. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Family members by work experience of head	All races			White			Black		
		Below poverty level			Below poverty level			Below poverty level	
	Total	Number	Percent of total	Total	Number	Percent of total	Total	Number	Percent of total
ALL PERSONS IN FAMILIES									
Total	190,757	19,505	10.2	165,385	12,364	7.5	21,850	6,667	30.5
Head worked last year	157,784	10,173	6.4	139,335	7,007	5.0	15,493	2,862	18.5
Full time	148,631	8,145	5.5	132,089	5,874	4.4	13,752	2,015	14.7
50 to 52 weeks	120,984	4,066	3.4	108,471	2,996	2.8	10,381	1,000	9.6
40 to 49 weeks	11,995	776	6.5	10,654	580	5.4	1,085	153	14.1
27 to 39 weeks	7,161	822	11.5	6,188	646	10.4	851	143	16.8
26 weeks or less	8,492	2,481	29.2	6,775	1,652	24.4	1,435	720	50.2
Part time	9,153	2,027	22.2	7,246	1,133	15.6	1,742	846	48.6
50 to 52 weeks	3,729	581	15.6	3,010	302	10.0	669	265	39.6
40 to 49 weeks	1,416	219	15.4	1,148	128	11.1	231	91	39.3
27 to 39 weeks	1,091	237	21.7	883	146	16.5	193	86	44.5
26 weeks or less	2,917	991	34.0	2,205	557	25.3	649	405	62.3
Head did not work last year	30,340	9,242	30.5	23,894	5,284	22.1	6,040	3,794	62.8
Main reason for not working:									
Ill or disabled	8,646	2,686	31.1	6,585	1,649	25.0	1,958	993	50.7
Keeping house	7,099	4,193	59.1	4,634	2,185	47.2	2,387	1,951	81.7
Going to school	630	351	55.8	414	171	41.3	197	175	88.9
Unable to find work	1,252	743	59.3	768	418	54.4	453	318	70.1
Retired	12,022	993	8.3	10,970	691	6.3	913	275	30.1
Other	690	275	39.9	521	170	32.6	132	83	62.7
Head in Armed Forces	2,633	90	3.4	2,156	73	3.4	316	11	3.5
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
Total	165,353	10,300	6.2	148,664	7,890	5.3	13,535	2,072	15.3
Head worked last year	143,018	6,910	4.8	129,157	5,415	4.2	11,164	1,250	11.2
Full time	136,816	6,086	4.4	123,843	4,845	3.9	10,413	1,024	9.8
50 to 52 weeks	113,116	3,524	3.1	102,881	2,785	2.7	8,255	677	8.2
40 to 49 weeks	10,885	589	5.4	9,839	489	5.0	803	66	8.2
27 to 39 weeks	6,273	545	8.7	5,570	465	8.4	599	48	8.1
26 weeks or less	6,541	1,428	21.8	5,552	1,105	19.9	756	233	30.8
Part time	6,202	825	13.3	5,314	570	10.7	752	227	30.1
50 to 52 weeks	2,611	294	11.3	2,293	212	9.2	274	69	25.1
40 to 49 weeks	943	74	7.9	834	60	7.2	73	15	(B)
27 to 39 weeks	715	89	12.4	587	62	10.5	114	24	21.0
26 weeks or less	1,933	367	19.0	1,601	237	14.8	290	119	41.0
Head did not work last year	19,703	3,299	16.7	17,351	2,402	13.8	2,055	811	39.5
Main reason for not working:									
Ill or disabled	6,647	1,733	26.1	5,574	1,266	22.7	994	441	44.4
Keeping house	189	40	21.3	175	31	17.6	14	9	(B)
Going to school	322	90	27.8	273	68	25.0	32	18	(B)
Unable to find work	697	304	43.6	537	245	45.6	131	51	39.1
Retired	11,283	927	8.2	10,348	659	6.4	800	242	30.3
Other	564	206	36.4	443	134	30.2	84	49	58.1
Head in Armed Forces	2,633	90	3.4	2,156	73	3.4	316	11	3.5
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
Total	25,404	9,205	36.2	16,721	4,474	26.8	8,315	4,595	55.3
Head worked last year	14,766	3,262	22.1	10,178	1,592	15.6	4,329	1,611	37.2
Full time	11,815	2,060	17.4	8,246	1,029	12.5	3,339	992	29.7
50 to 52 weeks	7,867	542	6.9	5,590	211	3.8	2,126	323	15.2
40 to 49 weeks	1,110	187	16.8	815	91	11.2	282	88	31.1
27 to 39 weeks	888	277	31.2	618	180	29.2	253	95	37.6
26 weeks or less	1,950	1,054	54.0	1,223	547	44.7	679	487	
Part time	2,951	1,203	40.8	1,932	563	29.2	990	620	62.6
50 to 52 weeks	1,118	287	25.6	717	91	12.6	394	196	49.8
40 to 49 weeks	473	144	30.5	314	68	21.7	158	76	48.0
27 to 39 weeks	376	148	39.4	296	84	28.5	78	62	78.9
26 weeks or less	984	624	63.4	604	320	53.0	359	286	79.6
Head did not work last year	10,637	5,943	55.9	6,543	2,882	44.0	3,985	2,983	74.9
Main reason for not working:									
Ill or disabled	1,999	953	47.7	1,011	384	37.9	964	552	57.2
Keeping house	6,909	4,153	60.1	4,459	2,154	48.3	2,373	1,941	81.8
Going to school	309	262	84.9	141	103	72.6	166	158	95.2
Unable to find work	556	439	79.0	231	173	74.8	322	266	82.7
Retired	738	66	9.0	622	33	5.3	113	33	28.8
Other	126	70	55.2	79	36	45.9	47	34	(B)

Table 30. Occupation of Longest Job and Class of Worker—Civilian Family Heads and Unrelated Individuals Who Worked Last Year by Poverty Status in 1977, Sex, and Race

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILY HEADS AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. EXCLUDES FAMILY HEADS AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN ARMED FORCES. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB AND CLASS OF WORKER	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB									
ALL FAMILY HEADS									
WORKED LAST YEAR	45 498	2 567	5.6	40 711	1 835	4.5	4 063	653	16.1
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL, AND KINDRED WORKERS	6 865	100	1.5	6 372	79	1.2	332	14	4.1
SALARIED	6 188	86	1.4	5 713	67	1.2	324	14	4.2
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	7 123	205	2.9	6 790	178	2.6	228	14	6.3
SELF-EMPLOYED	1 299	134	10.3	1 224	123	10.0	45	5	(B)
SALES WORKERS	2 622	85	3.3	2 525	67	2.7	75	12	15.4
IN RETAIL TRADE	1 858	73	3.9	1 784	54	3.1	57	12	(B)
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	3 814	224	5.9	3 229	147	4.5	512	73	14.4
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	9 523	335	3.5	8 870	262	3.0	533	65	12.1
CONSTRUCTION	2 957	136	4.6	2 734	110	4.0	180	21	11.6
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT	5 213	323	6.2	4 456	210	4.7	691	103	15.0
MANUFACTURING	3 939	229	5.8	3 335	144	4.3	558	76	13.6
DURABLE GOODS	2 571	107	4.2	2 231	82	3.7	314	24	7.7
NONDURABLE GOODS	1 368	122	8.9	1 104	63	5.7	244	52	21.3
NONMANUFACTURING	1 273	94	7.3	1 122	65	5.8	133	28	20.7
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	2 578	147	5.7	2 248	105	4.7	311	39	12.6
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	2 201	201	9.1	1 726	132	7.6	438	64	14.6
CONSTRUCTION	440	54	12.3	345	36	10.5	90	15	16.1
MANUFACTURING	633	44	6.9	487	33	6.7	138	11	7.9
OTHER INDUSTRIES	1 128	103	9.2	894	63	7.0	210	39	18.5
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	1 163	284	24.4	1 127	271	24.1	26	11	(B)
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	524	118	22.6	442	89	20.2	67	26	(B)
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	3 680	452	12.3	2 847	268	9.4	739	165	22.3
CLEANING SERVICE WORKERS	1 090	92	8.4	798	42	5.3	269	44	16.4
FOOD SERVICE WORKERS	829	226	27.3	637	154	24.2	146	62	42.2
OTHER SERVICE WORKERS	1 760	133	7.6	1 413	71	5.1	324	59	18.2
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	192	94	49.1	79	27	34.8	112	67	59.5
MALE FAMILY HEADS									
WORKED LAST YEAR	40 528	1 631	4.0	37 081	1 329	3.6	2 813	243	8.6
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL, AND KINDRED WORKERS	6 256	61	1.0	5 901	50	0.8	209	4	2.1
SALARIED	5 606	48	0.8	5 267	38	0.7	203	4	2.2
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	6 817	184	2.7	6 516	164	2.5	203	8	3.8
SELF-EMPLOYED	1 276	129	10.1	1 202	120	10.0	43	3	(B)
SALES WORKERS	2 384	48	2.0	2 323	42	1.8	47	2	(B)
IN RETAIL TRADE	1 667	36	2.1	1 623	29	1.8	33	2	(B)
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	2 237	37	1.6	1 993	34	1.7	193	2	0.9
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	9 401	301	3.2	8 778	246	2.8	504	46	9.2
CONSTRUCTION	2 949	130	4.4	2 726	104	3.8	180	21	11.6
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT	4 470	169	3.8	3 953	142	3.6	468	26	5.5
MANUFACTURING	3 321	105	3.2	2 910	88	3.0	380	15	4.0
DURABLE GOODS	2 301	76	3.3	2 032	66	3.2	250	11	4.3
NONDURABLE GOODS	1 020	28	2.8	878	22	2.6	131	5	3.6
NONMANUFACTURING	1 149	65	5.6	1 043	54	5.1	88	10	11.7
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	2 563	140	5.4	2 235	99	4.4	308	38	12.2
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	2 135	184	8.6	1 690	124	7.3	409	55	13.4
CONSTRUCTION	439	53	12.1	344	36	10.3	90	15	16.1
MANUFACTURING	599	40	6.6	468	30	6.5	124	9	7.5
OTHER INDUSTRIES	1 097	91	8.3	878	58	6.6	196	31	15.9
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	1 156	283	24.5	1 120	271	24.2	25	11	(B)
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	485	90	18.6	413	71	17.3	57	16	(B)
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	2 616	133	5.1	2 151	86	4.0	389	36	9.3
CLEANING SERVICE WORKERS	935	59	6.3	725	31	4.3	189	23	12.4
FOOD SERVICE WORKERS	374	50	13.4	293	37	12.7	43	6	(B)
OTHER SERVICE WORKERS	1 308	25	1.9	1 133	18	1.6	157	7	4.4
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	7	-	(B)	6	-	(B)	1	-	(B)
FEMALE FAMILY HEADS									
WORKED LAST YEAR	4 970	937	18.8	3 630	506	13.9	1 250	410	32.8
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL, AND KINDRED WORKERS	609	39	6.4	470	29	6.2	123	9	7.6
SALARIED	582	38	6.6	445	28	6.3	121	9	7.7
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	306	21	6.9	274	14	5.3	25	7	(B)
SELF-EMPLOYED	23	5	(B)	21	3	(B)	2	2	(B)
SALES WORKERS	238	37	15.6	202	25	12.4	28	10	(B)
IN RETAIL TRADE	192	37	19.3	160	25	15.6	24	10	(B)
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	1 577	187	11.9	1 236	113	9.1	319	72	22.5
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	122	34	28.0	91	16	17.3	30	18	(B)
CONSTRUCTION	8	6	(B)	8	6	(B)	-	-	(B)
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT	742	153	20.7	503	68	13.5	223	78	34.9
MANUFACTURING	618	124	20.1	425	56	13.2	178	61	34.0
DURABLE GOODS	270	31	11.5	199	16	8.1	65	13	(B)
NONDURABLE GOODS	348	93	26.8	226	40	17.7	113	47	41.7
NONMANUFACTURING	124	29	23.2	78	12	14.8	45	17	(B)
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	15	7	(B)	12	6	(B)	3	2	(B)
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	65	17	(B)	36	8	(B)	29	9	(B)
CONSTRUCTION	1	1	(B)	1	1	(B)	-	-	(B)
MANUFACTURING	34	4	(B)	19	2	(B)	15	2	(B)
OTHER INDUSTRIES	31	12	(B)	16	4	(B)	14	8	(B)
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	7	-	(B)	7	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	39	28	(B)	29	18	(B)	10	10	(B)
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	1 064	318	29.9	696	182	26.1	350	129	36.8
CLEANING SERVICE WORKERS	155	33	21.4	73	11	(B)	80	21	25.8
FOOD SERVICE WORKERS	456	176	38.7	344	117	34.0	103	56	54.1
OTHER SERVICE WORKERS	453	109	24.0	280	54	19.1	166	52	31.2
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	184	94	51.1	73	27	(B)	111	67	60.1

Table 30. Occupation of Longest Job and Class of Worker—Civilian Family Heads and Unrelated Individuals Who Worked Last Year by Poverty Status in 1977, Sex, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILY HEADS AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. EXCLUDES FAMILY HEADS AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN ARMED FORCES. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB AND CLASS OF WORKER	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB--CONTINUED									
ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
WORKED LAST YEAR	14 467	1 899	13.1	12 429	1 523	12.3	1 766	324	18.3
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL, AND KINDRED WORKERS	2 939	177	6.0	2 665	147	5.5	196	15	7.6
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	1 409	115	8.2	1 314	105	8.0	73	9	(B)
SALES WORKERS	769	97	12.6	710	87	12.2	48	6	(B)
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	2 654	254	9.6	2 376	216	9.1	253	30	12.0
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	1 454	122	8.4	1 278	105	8.2	150	14	9.0
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT WORKERS	1 371	176	12.9	1 092	133	12.2	254	38	14.8
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	397	63	15.8	314	52	16.4	78	11	14.2
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	747	127	17.0	556	96	17.2	170	27	15.8
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	112	33	29.6	105	31	29.8	6	2	(B)
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	174	68	38.9	132	48	36.4	39	18	(B)
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	2 110	513	24.3	1 690	420	24.9	370	84	22.8
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	331	154	46.7	198	83	41.8	128	70	54.4
MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
WORKED LAST YEAR	7 689	910	11.8	6 490	717	11.1	1 031	157	15.3
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL, AND KINDRED WORKERS	1 471	96	6.5	1 335	77	5.8	93	8	8.2
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	906	70	7.7	834	60	7.2	59	9	(B)
SALES WORKERS	425	35	8.3	390	27	7.0	28	5	(B)
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	537	61	11.4	464	43	9.2	64	13	(B)
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	1 348	113	8.4	1 181	98	8.3	145	14	9.3
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT WORKERS	777	103	13.3	585	72	12.2	178	29	16.1
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	363	51	14.0	281	40	14.1	76	11	14.5
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	682	119	17.4	504	88	17.4	162	26	16.2
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	94	28	30.0	88	26	29.8	6	2	(B)
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	147	52	35.2	111	36	32.1	33	14	(B)
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	931	181	19.4	711	149	21.0	185	26	14.2
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	6	2	(B)	4	2	(B)	2	-	(B)
FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
WORKED LAST YEAR	6 778	989	14.6	5 939	806	13.6	735	167	22.7
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL, AND KINDRED WORKERS	1 468	81	5.5	1 330	70	5.3	103	7	7.0
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	503	45	9.0	480	45	9.5	15	-	(B)
SALES WORKERS	344	61	17.9	319	60	18.7	20	1	(B)
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	2 117	193	9.1	1 912	173	9.1	189	17	9.0
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	106	9	8.8	97	7	6.7	4	-	(B)
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT WORKERS	593	73	12.2	506	61	12.1	77	9	11.7
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	34	12	(B)	32	12	(B)	2	-	(B)
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	65	9	(B)	52	8	(B)	8	1	(B)
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	18	5	(B)	17	5	(B)	-	-	(B)
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	27	16	(B)	20	12	(B)	6	4	(B)
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	1 179	332	28.2	980	271	27.7	185	58	31.4
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	325	152	46.9	194	81	41.8	127	70	55.1
CLASS OF WORKER									
ALL FAMILY HEADS									
WORKED LAST YEAR	45 498	2 567	5.6	40 711	1 835	4.5	4 063	653	16.1
PRIVATE WAGE AND SALARY WORKERS	33 345	1 659	5.0	29 898	1 099	3.7	2 954	511	17.3
GOVERNMENT WORKERS	7 048	240	3.4	5 984	135	2.3	918	87	9.5
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	1 877	33	1.7	1 536	19	1.2	287	12	4.1
STATE GOVERNMENT	1 614	45	2.8	1 409	41	2.9	171	4	2.6
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	3 557	162	4.6	3 038	75	2.5	461	71	15.4
SELF-EMPLOYED WORKERS	5 057	654	12.9	4 787	591	12.3	189	53	27.8
UNPAID FAMILY WORKERS	47	15	(B)	42	10	(B)	2	2	(B)
MALE FAMILY HEADS									
WORKED LAST YEAR	40 528	1 631	4.0	37 081	1 329	3.6	2 813	243	8.6
PRIVATE WAGE AND SALARY WORKERS	29 515	877	3.0	27 043	679	2.5	2 036	166	8.1
GOVERNMENT WORKERS	6 051	111	1.8	5 339	73	1.4	596	26	4.4
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	1 717	16	0.9	1 454	12	0.8	219	2	1.0
STATE GOVERNMENT	1 343	27	2.0	1 222	25	2.0	94	2	2.3
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	2 991	69	2.3	2 663	36	1.4	282	22	7.6
SELF-EMPLOYED WORKERS	4 924	632	12.8	4 666	572	12.3	179	49	27.6
UNPAID FAMILY WORKERS	38	11	(B)	33	6	(B)	2	2	(B)
FEMALE FAMILY HEADS									
WORKED LAST YEAR	4 970	937	18.8	3 630	506	13.9	1 250	410	32.8
PRIVATE WAGE AND SALARY WORKERS	3 830	782	20.4	2 854	420	14.7	918	346	37.6
GOVERNMENT WORKERS	997	128	12.9	645	63	9.7	322	61	19.0
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	160	17	10.5	83	7	8.0	67	9	(B)
STATE GOVERNMENT	271	18	6.7	188	16	8.5	77	2	3.0
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	566	93	16.4	375	40	10.7	178	49	27.7
SELF-EMPLOYED WORKERS	133	22	16.5	121	19	15.6	10	3	(B)
UNPAID FAMILY WORKERS	9	4	(B)	9	4	(B)	-	-	(B)

Table 30. Occupation of Longest Job and Class of Worker—Civilian Family Heads and Unrelated Individuals Who Worked Last Year by Poverty Status in 1977, Sex, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILY HEADS AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. EXCLUDES FAMILY HEADS AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN ARMED FORCES. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB AND CLASS OF WORKER	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
CLASS OF WORKER--CONTINUED									
ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
WORKED LAST YEAR	14 467	1 899	13.1	12 429	1 523	12.3	1 766	324	18.3
PRIVATE WAGE AND SALARY WORKERS	10 876	1 453	13.4	9 316	1 146	12.3	1 377	276	20.0
GOVERNMENT WORKERS	2 671	236	8.8	2 262	190	8.4	346	32	9.1
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	507	22	4.3	405	18	4.4	88	1	1.6
STATE GOVERNMENT	778	93	12.0	680	79	11.6	74	10	(B)
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	1 387	121	8.7	1 178	93	7.9	183	21	11.2
SELF-EMPLOYED WORKERS	906	200	22.0	838	176	21.0	43	17	(B)
UNPAID INDIVIDUAL WORKERS	14	11	(B)	14	11	(B)	-	-	(B)
MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
WORKED LAST YEAR	7 689	910	11.8	6 490	717	11.1	1 031	157	15.3
PRIVATE WAGE AND SALARY WORKERS	5 834	654	11.2	4 892	506	10.3	823	125	15.2
GOVERNMENT WORKERS	1 222	117	9.6	1 010	89	8.9	177	19	10.6
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	246	13	5.3	191	11	5.6	46	-	(B)
STATE GOVERNMENT	372	45	12.0	326	37	11.5	38	5	(B)
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	603	59	9.8	492	41	8.4	93	14	14.9
SELF-EMPLOYED WORKERS	629	136	21.6	585	118	20.3	31	13	(B)
UNPAID INDIVIDUAL WORKERS	4	4	(B)	4	4	(B)	-	-	(B)
FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
WORKED LAST YEAR	6 778	989	14.6	5 939	806	13.6	735	167	22.7
PRIVATE WAGE AND SALARY WORKERS	5 043	799	15.8	4 424	641	14.5	554	150	27.2
GOVERNMENT WORKERS	1 449	119	8.2	1 253	101	8.0	169	13	7.5
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	260	9	3.4	213	7	3.4	43	1	(B)
STATE GOVERNMENT	405	48	12.0	353	41	11.7	36	5	(B)
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	783	62	7.9	686	52	7.6	90	7	7.4
SELF-EMPLOYED WORKERS	277	64	23.0	253	58	22.8	12	4	(B)
UNPAID INDIVIDUAL WORKERS	10	7	(B)	10	7	(B)	-	-	(B)

Table 31. Working Mothers—Women With Own Children Under 18 Years Old by Poverty Status in 1977, Work Experience, Age of Children, Type of Family or Subfamily, and Race

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. WOMEN AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE AND TYPE OF FAMILY OR SUBFAMILY	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
ALL WOMEN WITH OWN CHILDREN									
TOTAL	30 531	3 810	12.5	26 201	2 471	9.4	3 757	1 250	33.3
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	18 185	1 427	7.8	15 445	933	6.0	2 375	452	19.1
50 TO 52 WEEKS	8 947	367	4.1	7 460	235	3.1	1 316	127	9.6
40 TO 49 WEEKS	2 036	106	5.2	1 779	70	4.0	224	33	14.5
27 TO 39 WEEKS	2 067	179	8.7	1 788	122	6.8	239	53	22.0
14 TO 26 WEEKS	2 508	326	13.0	2 123	197	9.3	315	115	36.6
13 WEEKS OR LESS	2 627	448	17.1	2 295	310	13.5	280	125	44.7
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	38.4	27.9	...	38.1	27.5	...	40.2	29.1	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	11 995	877	7.3	9 818	565	5.8	1 908	289	15.1
50 TO 52 WEEKS	6 952	240	3.4	5 646	153	2.7	1 154	83	7.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 279	64	5.0	1 086	37	3.4	172	25	14.2
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 179	109	9.3	964	74	7.7	186	30	16.3
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 376	214	15.6	1 107	130	11.8	229	76	33.4
13 WEEKS OR LESS	1 209	251	20.7	1 016	170	16.7	167	75	44.6
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	6 429	676	10.5	5 812	499	8.6	485	154	31.7
OTHER	2 809	384	13.7	2 172	200	9.2	574	172	30.0
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	12 346	2 383	19.3	10 756	1 537	14.3	1 382	797	57.7
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	11 156	1 877	16.8	9 981	1 302	13.0	995	538	54.1
OTHER	1 190	506	42.5	775	235	30.3	387	259	67.0
WOMEN WITH CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	7 392	1 051	14.2	6 398	717	11.2	810	306	37.8
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	4 165	401	9.6	3 581	281	7.9	466	103	22.1
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 299	46	3.5	1 103	24	2.2	155	21	13.4
40 TO 49 WEEKS	514	25	4.9	447	23	5.1	54	2	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	591	43	7.3	506	32	6.4	72	10	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	818	106	13.0	710	73	10.3	81	27	33.3
13 WEEKS OR LESS	943	181	19.2	814	130	15.9	104	43	41.4
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	32.3	21.2	...	32.2	20.7	...	33.1	23.1	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	2 791	250	9.0	2 334	174	7.4	376	71	18.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 029	26	2.5	854	12	1.5	137	14	10.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	383	16	4.2	330	14	4.2	43	2	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	396	25	6.3	326	18	5.6	63	5	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	494	79	15.9	412	53	12.9	69	22	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	488	105	21.5	412	76	18.5	65	28	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	2 123	245	11.5	1 907	188	9.9	159	44	27.4
OTHER	743	111	15.0	570	70	12.2	152	38	25.3
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	3 228	650	20.1	2 818	436	15.5	344	203	59.1
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	2 965	537	18.1	2 656	385	14.5	247	142	57.5
OTHER	263	113	42.8	162	51	31.6	96	61	63.3
WOMEN WITH CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	5 919	1 046	17.7	4 915	638	13.0	866	376	43.5
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	2 809	331	11.8	2 241	186	8.3	489	134	27.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 115	74	6.6	864	43	4.9	216	31	14.4
40 TO 49 WEEKS	308	21	6.7	247	10	4.1	53	9	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	351	46	13.2	287	31	10.6	53	14	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	475	82	17.3	352	32	9.0	106	48	45.1
13 WEEKS OR LESS	559	108	19.3	491	71	14.5	60	32	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	34.6	26.3	...	34.0	25.7	...	37.1	27.5	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	1 772	214	12.1	1 334	118	8.8	383	87	22.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS	860	56	6.5	645	30	4.7	189	25	13.5
40 TO 49 WEEKS	197	9	4.8	149	4	2.8	46	5	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	207	34	16.3	159	24	14.9	41	8	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	269	55	20.4	182	19	10.6	76	33	42.7
13 WEEKS OR LESS	238	60	25.3	196	40	20.2	31	16	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	1 290	172	13.4	1 110	108	9.8	150	57	38.0
OTHER	405	85	20.9	267	35	13.3	123	46	37.5
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	3 110	715	23.0	2 674	452	16.9	377	242	64.2
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	2 941	634	21.5	2 573	420	16.3	317	196	61.8
OTHER	170	81	47.9	101	33	32.1	60	46	(B)
WOMEN WITH CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	17 220	1 713	9.9	14 887	1 115	7.5	2 081	568	27.3
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	11 212	695	6.2	9 623	466	4.8	1 420	215	15.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	6 534	247	3.8	5 493	168	3.1	945	75	7.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 213	61	5.0	1 085	37	3.4	117	21	18.0
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 125	90	8.0	995	59	6.0	113	29	25.9
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 215	138	11.3	1 061	92	8.7	128	41	31.7
13 WEEKS OR LESS	1 125	160	14.2	990	109	11.0	116	50	42.7
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	41.6	32.5	...	41.3	32.3	...	43.6	32.9	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	7 432	413	5.6	6 150	274	4.4	1 148	131	11.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	5 063	158	3.1	4 146	111	2.7	828	44	5.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	699	38	5.5	607	19	3.1	83	17	20.5
27 TO 39 WEEKS	574	51	8.8	479	33	6.8	81	17	21.3
14 TO 26 WEEKS	613	81	13.2	513	58	11.3	84	22	26.3
13 WEEKS OR LESS	483	86	17.7	405	54	13.3	72	30	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	3 016	259	8.6	2 795	202	7.2	176	53	30.2
OTHER	1 662	188	11.3	1 335	95	7.1	299	87	29.3
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	6 008	1 018	16.9	5 264	649	12.3	661	352	53.3
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	5 251	706	13.5	4 752	498	10.5	430	200	46.4
OTHER	757	312	41.2	512	151	29.6	231	153	66.0

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. WOMEN AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE AND TYPE OF FAMILY OR SUBFAMILY	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
WIVES OF FAMILY AND SUBFAMILY HEADS WITH OWN CHILDREN									
TOTAL	24 850	1 499	6.0	22 436	1 220	5.4	1 930	230	11.9
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	14 469	548	3.8	12 839	447	3.5	1 328	81	6.1
SPOUSE DID NOT WORK	370	65	17.7	277	42	15.3	85	20	23.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	6 830	185	2.7	5 956	155	2.6	735	28	3.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 657	30	1.8	1 489	26	1.7	139	3	2.3
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 691	54	3.2	1 519	39	2.6	138	11	8.0
14 TO 26 WEEKS	2 067	98	4.8	1 847	80	4.3	162	13	8.0
13 WEEKS OR LESS	2 224	180	8.1	2 028	147	7.3	154	26	16.7
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	37.7	29.3	...	37.5	29.5	...	40.6	29.8	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	8 975	318	3.5	7 698	261	3.4	1 063	48	4.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	5 051	120	2.4	4 294	101	2.3	637	18	2.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	988	16	1.6	867	13	1.5	104	3	3.1
27 TO 39 WEEKS	907	31	3.4	773	22	2.8	109	5	4.5
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 067	60	5.6	916	51	5.6	118	6	4.9
13 WEEKS OR LESS	962	92	9.6	847	75	8.8	95	16	16.8
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	5 681	283	5.0	5 261	236	4.5	303	32	10.6
OTHER	1 958	79	4.0	1 622	56	3.5	290	21	7.2
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	10 382	951	9.2	9 597	772	8.0	602	149	24.7
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	9 751	858	8.8	9 090	710	7.8	497	122	24.6
OTHER	630	93	14.7	507	63	12.3	105	26	25.2
WOMEN WITH CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	6 163	397	6.4	5 593	336	6.0	403	41	10.3
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	3 433	135	3.9	3 063	112	3.6	265	12	4.4
SPOUSE DID NOT WORK	37	14	(B)	27	9	(B)	7	3	(B)
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 026	17	1.7	965	13	1.5	85	4	4.7
40 TO 49 WEEKS	440	10	2.2	387	10	2.5	40	-	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	492	9	1.8	435	8	1.7	44	-	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	687	32	4.7	623	27	4.3	44	2	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	788	66	8.4	713	55	7.7	51	6	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	32.0	20.5	...	31.8	20.7	...	34.3	(B)	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	2 224	82	3.7	1 927	69	3.6	224	8	3.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS	784	11	1.5	674	8	1.2	76	4	4.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	321	8	2.4	280	7	2.7	31	-	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	326	4	1.4	273	3	1.1	44	-	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	401	22	5.5	352	20	5.6	38	-	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	393	37	9.3	347	32	9.1	34	5	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	1 887	99	5.2	1 730	82	4.7	106	7	7.0
OTHER	520	19	3.6	428	17	3.9	74	-	(B)
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	2 730	262	9.6	2 531	224	8.9	138	30	21.5
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	2 582	239	9.3	2 417	205	8.5	108	26	24.1
OTHER	149	23	15.8	113	19	16.8	31	4	(B)
WOMEN WITH CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	4 988	442	8.9	4 432	354	8.0	437	69	15.7
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	2 325	126	5.4	1 977	94	4.8	282	28	10.1
SPOUSE DID NOT WORK	34	8	(B)	26	8	(B)	7	-	(B)
50 TO 52 WEEKS	895	30	3.4	739	25	3.3	127	6	4.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	263	6	2.1	223	4	1.9	31	-	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	288	15	5.1	244	9	3.7	34	4	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	391	26	6.6	323	18	5.5	54	8	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	488	50	10.2	448	39	8.6	35	11	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	34.2	25.0	...	33.5	25.3	...	37.8	(B)	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	1 387	66	4.8	1 127	51	4.5	219	13	6.0
50 TO 52 WEEKS	668	21	3.2	538	18	3.3	109	4	3.6
40 TO 49 WEEKS	163	1	0.5	131	1	0.7	30	-	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	158	10	6.2	126	8	6.1	26	-	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	205	13	6.6	159	9	5.8	38	4	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	193	21	10.8	172	16	9.1	16	5	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	1 141	74	6.5	1 024	58	5.7	91	13	13.8
OTHER	289	22	7.5	214	12	5.4	63	10	(B)
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	2 663	316	11.9	2 455	260	10.6	155	40	25.8
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	2 565	297	11.6	2 376	248	10.4	144	37	25.4
OTHER	98	19	19.2	79	12	15.5	11	3	(B)
WOMEN WITH CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	13 699	660	4.8	12 411	529	4.3	1 089	120	11.0
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	8 710	286	3.3	7 799	241	3.1	781	41	5.3
SPOUSE DID NOT WORK	299	44	14.6	224	25	11.1	70	17	(B)
50 TO 52 WEEKS	4 909	138	2.8	4 312	117	2.7	523	19	3.6
40 TO 49 WEEKS	954	15	1.6	879	12	1.4	67	3	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	911	30	3.3	840	23	2.7	60	7	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	988	41	4.1	901	35	3.9	64	3	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	949	63	6.7	867	54	6.2	67	9	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	41.0	35.3	...	40.7	35.2	...	43.8	(B)	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	5 363	170	3.2	4 644	141	3.0	621	26	4.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	3 600	87	2.4	3 082	75	2.4	452	10	2.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	503	7	1.5	455	4	1.0	43	3	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	423	16	3.9	374	11	3.0	40	5	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	461	24	5.2	405	22	5.5	42	2	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	376	35	9.2	328	28	8.4	44	6	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	2 653	111	4.2	2 507	96	3.8	106	12	11.3
OTHER	1 149	39	3.4	980	28	2.9	152	10	6.8
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	4 988	372	7.5	4 612	288	6.2	308	79	25.5
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	4 604	322	7.0	4 297	257	6.0	246	60	24.3
OTHER	384	51	13.2	315	31	9.9	63	19	(B)

Table 31. Working Mothers—Women With Own Children Under 18 Years Old by Poverty Status in 1977, Work Experience, Age of Children, Type of Family or Subfamily, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. WOMEN AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE AND TYPE OF FAMILY OR SUBFAMILY	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 AND SUBFAMILY HEADS WITH OWN CHILDREN									
TOTAL	5 681	2 311	40.7	3 764	1 251	33.2	1 827	1 020	55.8
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	3 717	879	23.6	2 606	486	18.7	1 047	371	35.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 118	181	8.5	1 504	80	5.3	581	98	16.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	379	76	20.1	290	44	15.3	85	29	34.3
27 TO 39 WEEKS	376	125	33.2	269	83	30.9	101	42	41.2
14 TO 26 WEEKS	441	228	51.7	276	117	42.3	153	103	66.9
13 WEEKS OR LESS	403	269	66.7	267	162	60.9	127	99	78.5
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	40.9	26.9	...	41.4	25.6	...	39.7	28.9	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	3 020	559	18.5	2 120	303	14.3	845	241	28.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 900	120	6.3	1 351	53	3.9	517	65	12.6
40 TO 49 WEEKS	291	48	16.4	219	24	11.0	68	21	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	273	78	28.8	190	53	27.7	77	25	33.2
14 TO 26 WEEKS	309	155	50.1	191	79	41.2	111	71	63.8
13 WEEKS OR LESS	247	159	64.1	168	95	56.5	72	59	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	748	393	52.5	551	263	47.7	182	122	66.7
OTHER	851	305	35.8	551	144	26.1	284	151	53.3
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	1 965	1 432	72.9	1 159	765	66.0	780	649	83.2
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	1 405	1 019	72.6	891	592	66.5	497	416	83.6
OTHER	560	413	73.8	268	172	64.4	283	233	82.4
WOMEN WITH CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	1 229	655	53.2	805	381	47.3	407	265	65.1
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	732	267	36.5	518	170	32.8	201	91	45.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	273	29	10.5	198	11	5.4	70	17	(B)
40 TO 49 WEEKS	74	15	(B)	60	13	(B)	13	2	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	99	34	34.5	71	25	(B)	28	10	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	130	74	57.1	87	46	52.9	37	25	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	155	114	73.6	100	75	74.5	53	37	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	33.9	21.5	...	34.9	20.7	...	31.6	23.0	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	567	168	29.7	408	104	25.5	153	62	40.9
50 TO 52 WEEKS	245	15	6.0	181	5	2.6	61	10	(B)
40 TO 49 WEEKS	62	8	(B)	50	6	(B)	12	2	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	72	20	(B)	53	15	(B)	20	5	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	93	57	60.9	59	33	(B)	30	22	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	95	68	71.5	65	45	(B)	30	24	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	236	146	61.9	177	106	60.0	53	36	(B)
OTHER	223	92	41.4	143	53	37.1	78	38	49.2
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	498	388	77.9	267	211	73.7	205	174	84.5
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	383	299	78.0	239	179	75.1	140	116	83.3
OTHER	115	89	77.8	48	32	(B)	66	57	(B)
WOMEN WITH CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	931	604	64.9	483	284	58.8	429	308	71.8
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	484	205	42.3	263	92	34.9	207	106	51.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	220	44	19.8	125	18	14.3	88	26	29.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	46	15	(B)	24	6	(B)	22	9	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	63	31	(B)	42	21	(B)	20	10	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	84	57	67.5	29	14	(B)	52	40	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	72	59	(B)	43	33	(B)	25	21	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	36.8	27.1	...	37.7	26.1	...	36.2	29.0	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	384	148	38.4	207	67	32.2	164	74	45.0
50 TO 52 WEEKS	193	34	17.9	107	13	12.1	80	22	27.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	34	9	(B)	18	3	(B)	16	5	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	49	24	(B)	33	16	(B)	16	8	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	64	41	(B)	23	10	(B)	38	28	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	45	39	(B)	26	24	(B)	14	11	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	148	98	66.2	66	50	58.5	59	44	(B)
OTHER	115	63	54.5	52	24	(B)	60	36	(B)
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	447	399	89.2	219	192	87.6	222	202	91.0
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	375	336	89.6	197	172	87.2	173	159	92.0
OTHER	72	63	(B)	22	20	(B)	49	42	(B)
WOMEN WITH CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	3 521	1 053	29.9	2 476	586	23.7	992	448	45.1
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	2 501	407	16.3	1 824	224	12.3	639	174	27.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 625	109	6.7	1 180	51	4.3	422	56	13.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS	259	46	17.6	206	25	12.3	50	18	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	214	59	27.6	155	37	23.7	53	22	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	227	97	42.8	160	57	35.6	64	37	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	176	96	54.8	123	55	44.3	49	41	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	43.7	30.5	...	43.8	29.2	...	43.4	32.0	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	2 068	243	11.8	1 506	133	8.8	527	105	19.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 463	71	4.8	1 064	35	3.3	376	33	8.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	195	31	15.8	151	14	9.5	41	14	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	152	34	22.4	105	21	20.4	41	12	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	151	57	37.4	108	35	32.7	42	20	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	107	51	47.7	77	26	34.0	27	24	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	364	149	40.9	288	107	37.0	71	41	(B)
OTHER	513	150	29.2	356	67	18.8	146	77	52.7
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	1 020	646	63.3	652	361	55.4	353	274	77.5
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	647	385	59.5	455	241	53.0	184	140	76.0
OTHER	373	261	70.0	197	120	61.0	168	134	79.2

Table 31. Working Mothers—Women With Own Children Under 18 Years Old by Poverty Status in 1977, Work Experience, Age of Children, Type of Family or Subfamily, and Race—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. WOMEN AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE AND TYPE OF FAMILY OR SUBFAMILY	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 HEADS WITH OWN CHILDREN									
TOTAL	5 206	2 217	42.6	3 485	1 216	34.9	1 641	962	58.6
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	3 425	852	24.9	2 418	475	19.6	949	357	37.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 983	174	8.8	1 420	77	5.5	534	95	17.7
40 TO 49 WEEKS	357	74	20.9	275	43	15.6	78	29	37.5
27 TO 39 WEEKS	334	120	36.1	238	80	33.4	90	41	45.2
14 TO 26 WEEKS	400	227	56.7	248	117	47.2	142	101	71.4
13 WEEKS OR LESS	352	256	72.9	237	158	66.6	106	92	86.8
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	41.2	26.9	...	41.8	25.5	...	40.0	29.1	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	2 796	543	19.4	1 970	295	15.0	776	233	30.1
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 780	115	6.4	1 275	51	4.0	476	61	12.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	271	46	17.0	205	23	11.0	63	21	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	243	77	31.5	167	51	30.5	70	25	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	281	153	54.5	174	79	45.3	102	69	67.8
13 WEEKS OR LESS	221	152	69.0	149	92	61.5	65	56	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	673	387	57.6	493	259	52.6	166	120	72.3
OTHER	769	291	37.8	505	138	27.4	249	143	57.2
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	1 781	1 365	76.6	1 067	742	69.5	692	604	87.3
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	1 280	975	76.1	813	569	70.0	453	394	87.1
OTHER	501	390	77.8	254	172	68.0	239	210	87.9
WOMEN WITH CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS ONLY	977	603	61.7	641	361	56.3	322	234	72.6
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	582	252	43.4	413	163	39.5	160	84	52.9
50 TO 52 WEEKS	219	27	12.3	157	10	6.4	59	17	(B)
40 TO 49 WEEKS	67	14	(B)	55	12	(B)	12	2	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	76	33	43.8	54	24	(B)	22	10	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	103	73	70.8	67	46	(B)	32	24	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	118	105	89.7	80	71	89.2	36	32	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	34.3	21.6	...	35.0	20.5	...	32.7	24.0	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	456	159	34.9	321	99	30.9	131	58	44.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	196	15	7.5	142	5	3.3	51	10	(B)
40 TO 49 WEEKS	56	7	(B)	45	5	(B)	12	2	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	55	19	(B)	38	14	(B)	17	5	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	74	55	(B)	46	33	(B)	27	20	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	75	63	84.1	50	42	(B)	24	21	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	191	143	75.1	141	104	73.9	45	36	(B)
OTHER	173	82	47.7	115	49	42.6	56	32	(B)
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	394	350	88.8	228	198	86.7	163	150	92.0
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	310	274	88.4	190	166	87.5	117	105	89.9
OTHER	84	76	90.5	39	32	(B)	46	44	(B)
WOMEN WITH CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS AND 6 TO 17 YEARS	868	585	67.4	463	281	60.8	386	292	75.6
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	449	203	45.2	251	92	36.7	185	104	56.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	204	42	20.5	122	18	14.7	77	24	31.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	40	15	(B)	22	6	(B)	18	9	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	57	31	(B)	39	21	(B)	18	10	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	79	57	71.8	27	14	(B)	49	40	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	68	58	(B)	41	33	(B)	23	21	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	36.6	26.8	...	37.8	26.1	...	35.5	28.6	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	354	146	41.2	198	67	33.8	143	72	50.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	178	33	18.4	103	13	12.5	69	20	(B)
40 TO 49 WEEKS	29	9	(B)	16	3	(B)	12	5	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	44	24	(B)	30	16	(B)	14	8	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	59	41	(B)	22	10	(B)	35	28	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	43	39	(B)	26	24	(B)	13	11	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	139	98	70.8	81	50	61.9	54	44	(B)
OTHER	105	63	59.7	48	24	(B)	54	36	(B)
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	420	382	91.1	212	189	89.3	201	188	93.2
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	360	327	90.8	190	169	89.2	165	153	92.5
OTHER	60	55	(B)	22	20	(B)	36	35	(B)
WOMEN WITH CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	3 360	1 029	30.6	2 380	574	24.1	932	436	46.7
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	2 394	397	16.6	1 754	220	12.5	604	169	27.9
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 559	105	6.7	1 141	49	4.3	399	54	13.5
40 TO 49 WEEKS	249	46	18.3	197	25	12.8	49	18	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	201	56	27.7	145	34	23.7	50	21	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	218	97	44.6	154	57	36.9	61	37	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	166	93	56.1	116	54	46.3	47	39	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	43.7	30.4	...	43.9	29.0	...	43.4	32.0	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	1 986	238	12.0	1 452	129	8.9	502	103	20.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 406	67	4.8	1 030	34	3.3	356	31	8.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	186	31	16.5	144	14	10.0	39	14	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	144	33	23.1	99	20	20.7	39	12	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	148	57	38.4	107	35	33.3	40	20	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	103	50	49.0	72	25	(B)	27	24	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	343	146	42.5	271	105	38.7	67	40	(B)
OTHER	491	146	29.7	342	65	19.1	139	75	53.9
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	967	632	65.4	626	354	56.6	328	267	81.5
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	610	374	61.3	434	234	54.0	171	136	79.8
OTHER	357	258	72.4	192	120	62.4	157	131	83.2

Table 32. Own Children by Work Experience of Mother—Own Children Under 18 Years Old by Poverty Status in 1977, Age, Type of Family or Subfamily and Work Experience and Race of Mother

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. OWN CHILDREN AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE OF MOTHER AND TYPE OF FAMILY OR SUBFAMILY	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									
TOTAL	59 813	9 496	15.9	50 534	5 873	11.6	8 090	3 416	42.2
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	33 800	3 428	10.1	28 238	2 109	7.5	4 843	1 248	25.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS	16 137	942	5.8	13 209	559	4.2	2 579	366	14.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3 734	257	6.9	3 214	153	4.7	452	98	21.7
27 TO 39 WEEKS	3 943	451	11.4	3 369	289	8.6	495	144	29.2
14 TO 26 WEEKS	4 845	766	15.8	3 993	415	10.4	712	329	46.2
13 WEEKS OR LESS	5 140	1 012	19.7	4 453	693	15.6	605	310	51.3
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	37.8	28.7	...	37.5	27.8	...	39.5	30.0	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	21 542	2 134	9.9	17 225	1 283	7.4	3 792	801	21.1
50 TO 52 WEEKS	12 201	624	5.1	9 693	364	3.8	2 210	250	11.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	2 243	166	7.4	1 862	84	4.5	343	75	22.0
27 TO 39 WEEKS	2 177	302	13.9	1 737	198	11.4	384	87	22.8
14 TO 26 WEEKS	2 629	484	18.4	2 044	265	12.9	498	206	41.4
13 WEEKS OR LESS	2 292	558	24.4	1 889	373	19.7	358	183	51.1
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	12 597	1 616	12.8	11 212	1 139	10.2	1 145	439	38.4
OTHER	5 066	870	17.2	3 817	411	10.8	1 120	442	39.5
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	26 013	6 068	23.3	22 295	3 764	16.9	3 246	2 168	66.8
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	23 855	4 998	20.9	20 927	3 286	15.7	2 511	1 602	63.8
OTHER	2 158	1 070	49.6	1 369	478	34.9	736	566	76.9
CHILDREN UNDER 3 YEARS	8 655	1 628	18.8	7 396	1 049	14.2	1 101	540	49.0
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	4 192	545	13.0	3 549	366	10.3	555	165	29.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 089	72	6.6	889	40	4.5	170	32	18.6
40 TO 49 WEEKS	531	32	6.1	465	25	5.3	59	7	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	635	67	10.6	530	47	8.9	90	16	18.2
14 TO 26 WEEKS	862	124	14.3	732	74	10.1	115	46	40.3
13 WEEKS OR LESS	1 076	250	23.2	933	180	19.3	121	64	53.2
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	30.4	21.6	...	30.1	20.6	...	32.3	23.7	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	2 707	332	12.3	2 182	219	10.1	459	105	22.9
50 TO 52 WEEKS	830	35	4.3	658	17	2.5	149	19	12.6
40 TO 49 WEEKS	382	18	4.7	324	14	4.2	52	4	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	414	45	10.9	323	36	11.0	78	6	7.2
14 TO 26 WEEKS	522	82	15.7	413	46	11.2	98	33	33.9
13 WEEKS OR LESS	560	152	27.2	465	107	23.1	82	43	52.8
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	2 464	333	13.5	2 173	241	11.1	244	80	32.9
OTHER	639	140	21.8	486	84	17.3	141	54	38.1
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	4 463	1 083	24.3	3 847	684	17.8	547	375	68.5
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	4 195	944	22.5	3 693	631	17.1	440	293	66.6
OTHER	268	138	51.6	153	53	34.5	107	81	76.4
CHILDREN 3 TO 5 YEARS	8 769	1 612	18.4	7 320	1 001	13.7	1 226	580	47.4
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	4 393	557	12.7	3 564	337	9.5	695	212	30.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 688	98	5.8	1 364	54	4.0	270	44	16.4
40 TO 49 WEEKS	490	28	5.7	389	15	3.9	82	13	15.6
27 TO 39 WEEKS	531	69	13.0	432	45	10.4	88	21	23.9
14 TO 26 WEEKS	774	154	19.9	600	82	13.7	133	67	50.2
13 WEEKS OR LESS	910	208	22.9	780	141	18.1	122	67	55.1
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	34.2	23.9	...	33.9	22.7	...	35.2	25.7	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	2 786	354	12.7	2 160	212	9.8	540	135	25.1
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 297	75	5.8	1 024	43	4.2	230	31	13.7
40 TO 49 WEEKS	328	19	5.9	253	9	3.5	67	10	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	332	44	13.4	253	30	11.9	73	12	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	437	112	25.5	317	59	18.5	100	49	49.0
13 WEEKS OR LESS	391	103	26.5	313	71	22.7	70	32	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	1 960	315	16.1	1 694	217	12.8	219	93	42.2
OTHER	744	144	19.3	506	66	13.1	206	75	36.6
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	4 377	1 054	24.1	3 755	664	17.7	530	368	69.5
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	4 113	909	22.1	3 607	609	16.9	428	283	66.2
OTHER	264	145	54.8	149	55	37.2	103	85	83.0
CHILDREN 6 TO 14 YEARS	31 079	4 822	15.5	26 200	2 993	11.4	4 248	1 724	40.6
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	18 082	1 797	9.9	15 029	1 081	7.2	2 580	684	25.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	9 199	571	6.2	7 433	333	4.5	1 565	227	14.5
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 904	150	7.9	1 642	86	5.3	228	59	25.7
27 TO 39 WEEKS	2 068	245	11.8	1 792	158	8.8	236	78	33.0
14 TO 26 WEEKS	2 418	383	15.8	2 005	210	10.5	356	167	46.8
13 WEEKS OR LESS	2 492	449	18.0	2 157	293	13.6	296	154	52.0
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	38.8	30.9	...	38.5	30.2	...	40.9	31.8	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	11 443	1 142	10.0	9 030	664	7.4	2 139	451	21.1
50 TO 52 WEEKS	6 895	383	5.5	5 369	219	4.1	1 353	157	11.6
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 117	101	9.1	916	47	5.2	185	49	26.3
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 083	167	15.5	873	106	12.1	181	53	29.1
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 282	234	18.2	998	131	13.2	246	98	40.0
13 WEEKS OR LESS	1 066	256	24.1	875	161	18.4	174	94	54.3
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	6 235	775	12.4	5 595	541	9.7	532	222	41.7
OTHER	2 647	452	17.1	2 001	207	10.3	584	235	40.3
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	12 997	3 025	23.3	11 171	1 912	17.1	1 568	1 040	66.3
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	11 853	2 459	20.7	10 408	1 637	15.7	1 211	763	63.0
OTHER	1 145	566	49.4	763	275	36.0	357	276	77.5

Table 32. Own Children by Work Experience of Mother—Own Children Under 18 Years Old by Poverty Status in 1977, Age, Type of Family or Subfamily and Work Experience and Race of Mother —Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. OWN CHILDREN AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE OF MOTHER AND TYPE OF FAMILY OR SUBFAMILY	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
ALL OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS--CONTINUED									
CHILDREN 15 TO 17 YEARS	11 309	1 434	12.7	9 619	830	8.6	1 515	571	37.7
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	7 133	528	7.4	6 096	326	5.3	913	186	20.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	4 161	201	4.8	3 522	132	3.7	574	63	11.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	809	47	5.8	718	27	3.7	83	20	23.6
27 TO 39 WEEKS	710	70	9.8	615	38	6.3	82	29	35.6
14 TO 26 WEEKS	790	105	13.3	657	50	7.6	108	49	45.4
13 WEEKS OR LESS	663	105	15.9	583	79	13.6	67	25	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	41.7	33.3	...	41.6	32.8	...	42.9	34.2	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	4 606	306	6.7	3 853	187	4.9	654	110	16.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS	3 178	131	4.1	2 642	85	3.2	478	43	8.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	416	27	6.5	369	14	3.8	40	12	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	349	46	13.0	288	26	9.1	51	17	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	389	57	14.6	317	29	9.0	53	25	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	275	46	16.7	236	33	14.1	32	13	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	1 937	192	9.9	1 750	140	8.0	150	45	29.7
OTHER	1 035	135	13.0	824	54	6.5	189	78	41.3
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	4 176	906	21.7	3 522	504	14.3	601	385	64.1
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	3 695	685	18.5	3 219	409	12.7	432	263	60.9
OTHER	481	222	46.1	303	95	31.3	169	122	72.2
OWN CHILDREN IN HUSBAND-WIFE FAMILIES AND SUBFAMILIES									
TOTAL	49 077	3 936	8.0	43 946	3 084	7.0	4 094	717	17.5
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	27 308	1 338	4.9	23 935	1 039	4.3	2 761	260	9.4
SPOUSE DID NOT WORK	667	153	22.9	485	95	19.7	164	54	32.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS	12 558	454	3.6	10 783	355	3.3	1 486	89	6.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3 079	63	2.0	2 743	52	1.9	277	10	3.6
27 TO 39 WEEKS	3 284	152	4.6	2 911	99	3.4	301	37	12.2
14 TO 26 WEEKS	3 978	221	5.6	3 509	166	4.7	350	45	12.8
13 WEEKS OR LESS	4 409	449	10.2	3 989	366	9.2	348	79	22.7
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	37.3	29.2	...	36.9	28.8	...	40.0	29.8	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	16 309	756	4.6	13 739	584	4.2	2 137	146	6.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS	9 017	283	3.1	7 527	226	3.0	1 251	53	4.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 753	32	1.8	1 522	22	1.5	202	10	4.9
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 687	90	5.3	1 401	58	4.1	234	17	7.1
14 TO 26 WEEKS	2 022	127	6.3	1 703	103	6.0	246	18	7.5
13 WEEKS OR LESS	1 830	224	12.2	1 586	175	11.0	204	48	23.4
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	11 130	692	6.2	10 201	559	5.5	708	107	15.1
OTHER	3 620	193	5.3	2 951	126	4.3	567	64	11.2
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	21 769	2 598	11.9	20 011	2 046	10.2	1 333	457	34.3
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	20 673	2 400	11.6	19 125	1 921	10.0	1 167	401	34.4
OTHER	1 095	197	18.0	887	124	14.0	166	56	33.5
CHILDREN UNDER 3 YEARS	7 445	709	9.5	6 733	579	8.6	569	103	18.1
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	3 614	214	5.9	3 191	173	5.4	342	32	9.2
SPOUSE DID NOT WORK	52	21	(B)	36	14	(B)	14	5	(B)
50 TO 52 WEEKS	925	29	3.1	791	23	2.9	108	6	5.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS	469	11	2.3	421	10	2.4	41	-	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	537	18	3.4	465	13	2.7	57	2	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	758	47	6.1	675	37	5.4	69	8	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	925	110	11.9	839	90	10.8	67	16	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	30.3	19.6	...	30.0	19.5	...	33.4	(B)	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	2 277	128	5.6	1 916	100	5.2	301	22	7.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	697	13	1.9	575	10	1.7	101	3	3.5
40 TO 49 WEEKS	333	8	2.4	290	8	2.7	37	-	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	337	13	3.7	271	9	3.2	54	-	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	449	30	6.8	378	24	6.4	62	5	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	461	64	13.9	403	50	12.4	46	14	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	2 236	155	6.9	2 027	126	6.2	166	21	12.5
OTHER	453	31	6.9	373	24	6.5	68	5	(B)
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	3 831	494	12.9	3 543	406	11.5	227	71	31.4
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	3 667	452	12.3	3 420	376	11.0	194	63	32.6
OTHER	164	42	25.6	123	30	24.2	34	8	(B)
CHILDREN 3 TO 5 YEARS	7 246	634	8.8	6 468	511	7.9	579	101	17.5
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	3 543	191	5.4	3 050	150	4.9	377	36	9.5
SPOUSE DID NOT WORK	42	10	(B)	35	9	(B)	6	1	(B)
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 314	39	3.0	1 121	28	2.5	144	11	7.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	415	10	2.4	342	10	2.8	55	-	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	429	18	4.3	366	14	3.7	53	3	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	615	36	5.9	527	30	5.7	58	4	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	770	87	11.3	694	69	10.0	68	18	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	33.7	23.2	...	33.3	22.6	...	36.0	(B)	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	2 106	105	5.0	1 743	81	4.7	290	19	6.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	958	31	3.3	805	23	2.9	114	8	6.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	266	5	1.9	214	5	2.3	44	-	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	256	9	3.5	203	7	3.4	46	-	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	316	23	7.4	260	19	7.3	45	2	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	311	36	11.6	261	27	10.4	41	9	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	1 705	124	7.3	1 534	102	6.7	127	17	13.3
OTHER	524	28	5.3	394	20	5.1	107	8	7.2
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	3 703	444	12.0	3 418	361	10.6	202	65	32.4
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	3 569	422	11.8	3 313	348	10.5	184	61	33.0
OTHER	134	22	16.2	105	13	12.9	18	5	(B)

Table 32. Own Children by Work Experience of Mother—Own Children Under 18 Years Old by Poverty Status in 1977, Age, Type of Family or Subfamily and Work Experience and Race of Mother—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. OWN CHILDREN AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE OF MOTHER AND TYPE OF FAMILY OR SUBFAMILY	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
OWN CHILDREN IN HUSBAND-WIFE FAMILIES AND SUBFAMILIES--CONTINUED									
CHILDREN 6 TO 14 YEARS	25 270	1 991	7.9	22 570	1 544	6.8	2 152	381	17.7
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	14 418	701	4.9	12 602	532	4.2	1 502	153	10.2
SPOUSE DID NOT WORK	386	94	24.4	274	54	19.8	102	39	38.6
50 TO 52 WEEKS	7 062	271	3.8	6 004	211	3.5	895	55	6.2
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 525	31	2.0	1 370	24	1.8	126	6	5.1
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 717	91	5.3	1 544	60	3.9	139	23	16.6
14 TO 26 WEEKS	1 966	107	5.5	1 740	76	4.4	173	29	16.9
13 WEEKS OR LESS	2 148	200	9.3	1 943	160	8.3	169	39	23.1
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	38.2	31.6	...	37.8	31.6	...	41.3	31.2	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	8 422	399	4.7	7 029	306	4.3	1 172	81	6.9
50 TO 52 WEEKS	4 986	168	3.4	4 093	136	3.3	757	30	4.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	824	15	1.8	715	8	1.2	99	6	6.5
27 TO 39 WEEKS	816	55	6.7	687	35	5.1	104	12	11.8
14 TO 26 WEEKS	958	59	6.2	807	48	5.9	116	9	8.0
13 WEEKS OR LESS	838	102	12.2	726	79	10.8	97	23	23.8
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	5 487	327	6.0	5 075	261	5.1	311	58	18.6
OTHER	1 869	103	5.5	1 523	60	4.0	296	40	13.6
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	10 852	1 290	11.9	9 968	1 012	10.1	650	228	35.0
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	10 280	1 196	11.6	9 485	950	10.0	579	205	35.3
OTHER	573	94	16.4	483	62	12.8	71	23	(B)
CHILDREN 15 TO 17 YEARS	9 116	602	6.6	8 175	450	5.5	794	132	16.6
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	5 734	232	4.0	5 092	183	3.6	540	39	7.2
SPOUSE DID NOT WORK	187	28	14.8	140	18	12.5	42	9	(B)
50 TO 52 WEEKS	3 257	115	3.5	2 867	93	3.2	339	17	5.1
40 TO 49 WEEKS	670	11	1.6	609	8	1.3	54	3	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	601	24	3.9	536	13	2.3	53	10	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	639	31	4.8	567	23	4.1	50	4	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	567	52	9.1	513	46	9.0	44	5	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	41.4	35.4	...	41.3	34.8	...	43.1	(B)	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	3 505	124	3.5	3 051	96	3.1	375	24	6.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 376	71	3.0	2 054	57	2.8	278	12	4.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	330	4	1.3	303	1	0.4	22	3	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	278	13	4.7	240	7	3.0	29	4	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	299	14	4.7	259	11	4.4	24	3	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	221	22	9.8	195	19	9.8	20	2	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	1 702	85	5.0	1 565	69	4.4	104	11	11.0
OTHER	774	31	4.0	660	21	3.2	97	10	10.8
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	3 382	370	10.9	3 083	267	8.7	254	92	36.4
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	3 157	330	10.4	2 907	247	8.5	210	73	34.7
OTHER	225	40	17.8	176	20	11.1	44	20	(B)
OWN CHILDREN IN FAMILIES AND SUBFAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	10 736	5 560	51.8	6 588	2 789	42.3	3 996	2 699	67.5
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	6 492	2 090	32.2	4 304	1 071	24.9	2 082	988	47.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	3 579	488	13.6	2 425	205	8.4	1 093	277	25.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	655	194	29.7	472	100	21.3	175	88	50.3
27 TO 39 WEEKS	660	299	45.3	456	189	41.4	193	107	55.5
14 TO 26 WEEKS	867	545	62.8	484	249	51.4	362	284	78.4
13 WEEKS OR LESS	731	563	77.1	464	327	70.4	258	231	89.8
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	40.1	28.3	...	40.8	26.7	...	38.8	30.1	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	5 234	1 378	26.3	3 486	699	20.1	1 655	655	39.6
50 TO 52 WEEKS	3 184	341	10.7	2 166	138	6.4	960	196	20.5
40 TO 49 WEEKS	490	133	27.2	341	62	18.2	141	66	46.5
27 TO 39 WEEKS	491	213	43.3	336	140	41.7	150	71	47.4
14 TO 26 WEEKS	607	358	58.9	341	162	47.6	251	188	74.7
13 WEEKS OR LESS	462	334	72.3	303	197	65.2	153	135	87.8
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	1 467	924	63.0	1 012	581	57.4	437	332	76.1
OTHER	1 446	677	46.8	867	285	32.9	552	379	68.6
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	4 244	3 470	81.8	2 284	1 718	75.2	1 914	1 711	89.4
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	3 182	2 597	81.6	1 802	1 364	75.7	1 344	1 201	89.4
OTHER	1 063	873	82.2	482	354	73.4	569	510	89.6
CHILDREN UNDER 3 YEARS	1 210	919	75.9	662	470	71.0	533	437	82.1
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	579	330	57.1	358	193	53.7	213	134	62.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS	164	43	26.4	99	17	17.5	62	26	(B)
40 TO 49 WEEKS	62	21	(B)	44	14	(B)	18	7	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	98	49	50.1	65	34	(B)	33	15	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	104	77	73.8	57	37	(B)	46	39	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	151	140	92.8	94	89	95.3	54	48	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	31.1	22.8	...	31.4	21.7	...	30.6	24.8	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	430	204	47.5	266	119	44.7	159	83	52.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	134	22	16.7	83	7	8.5	48	15	(B)
40 TO 49 WEEKS	49	10	(B)	35	6	(B)	15	4	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	76	32	42.7	52	27	(B)	24	6	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	72	51	(B)	35	22	(B)	36	28	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	99	88	89.2	62	57	(B)	36	30	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	229	179	78.1	147	115	78.5	78	60	76.3
OTHER	186	108	58.3	113	60	53.1	73	48	(B)
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	632	589	93.2	304	278	91.4	320	303	94.9
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	528	492	93.3	273	254	93.1	246	230	93.4
OTHER	104	96	92.7	30	23	(B)	73	73	(B)

Table 32. Own Children by Work Experience of Mother—Own Children Under 18 Years Old by Poverty Status in 1977, Age, Type of Family or Subfamily and Work Experience and Race of Mother—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. OWN CHILDREN AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE OF MOTHER AND TYPE OF FAMILY OR SUBFAMILY	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
OWN CHILDREN IN FAMILIES AND SUBFAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD--CONTINUED									
CHILDREN 3 TO 5 YEARS	1 523	977	64.2	852	490	57.5	646	479	74.1
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	850	367	43.2	515	187	36.3	318	176	55.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	374	59	15.8	243	26	10.9	127	33	26.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	74	18	(B)	47	5	(B)	27	13	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	102	51	49.7	65	31	(B)	35	18	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	159	118	74.0	73	52	(B)	75	63	84.0
13 WEEKS OR LESS	140	121	86.5	86	72	83.9	54	49	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	36.0	24.2	...	37.2	22.8	...	34.2	25.9	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	680	249	36.6	418	131	31.4	250	117	46.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS	339	43	12.8	219	20	9.1	116	23	20.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	62	14	(B)	39	4	(B)	23	10	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	77	35	46.0	50	23	(B)	27	12	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	121	88	72.8	57	40	(B)	56	47	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	81	68	84.0	52	44	(B)	29	24	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	255	191	75.1	160	115	71.8	92	76	82.0
OTHER	220	116	52.7	112	46	41.2	99	68	68.3
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	674	611	90.6	338	303	89.7	329	303	92.2
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	543	487	89.7	294	261	88.9	244	222	91.2
OTHER	130	123	94.5	44	42	(B)	85	81	95.1
CHILDREN 6 TO 14 YEARS	5 809	2 831	48.7	3 630	1 449	39.9	2 096	1 343	64.1
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	3 664	1 097	29.9	2 427	549	22.6	1 178	531	45.1
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 137	300	14.0	1 429	122	8.5	670	172	25.7
40 TO 49 WEEKS	380	120	31.5	271	62	22.8	102	52	51.2
27 TO 39 WEEKS	351	153	43.7	248	98	39.4	97	55	56.6
14 TO 26 WEEKS	452	275	60.9	265	133	50.4	183	137	75.0
13 WEEKS OR LESS	344	249	72.3	214	133	62.0	126	115	90.7
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	41.4	30.5	...	41.8	28.9	...	40.3	31.9	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	3 021	743	24.6	2 001	358	17.9	967	370	38.3
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 909	215	11.3	1 277	83	6.5	597	127	21.3
40 TO 49 WEEKS	293	87	29.6	200	39	19.5	86	42	49.0
27 TO 39 WEEKS	267	112	42.0	185	71	38.3	77	40	52.7
14 TO 26 WEEKS	323	175	54.0	190	83	43.7	131	89	68.2
13 WEEKS OR LESS	228	154	67.4	149	82	55.2	77	71	92.6
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	749	447	59.8	520	280	53.8	220	164	74.4
OTHER	779	350	44.9	478	146	30.5	288	195	67.8
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	2 145	1 735	80.9	1 203	901	74.9	918	812	98.5
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	1 573	1 263	80.3	923	687	74.5	632	559	88.4
OTHER	572	472	82.5	280	213	76.2	286	253	88.7
CHILDREN 15 TO 17 YEARS	2 193	833	38.0	1 444	380	26.3	721	440	61.0
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	1 399	296	21.2	1 004	143	14.2	373	147	39.4
50 TO 52 WEEKS	904	86	9.5	655	39	5.9	235	46	19.5
40 TO 49 WEEKS	139	36	25.5	109	19	17.1	28	16	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	109	46	42.4	79	26	32.8	29	20	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	151	75	49.3	90	26	29.4	58	45	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	96	54	55.8	71	33	(B)	23	20	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	43.2	31.6	...	43.5	30.1	...	42.5	33.2	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	1 102	182	16.5	801	91	11.4	279	85	30.6
50 TO 52 WEEKS	802	60	7.5	588	28	4.7	200	31	15.4
40 TO 49 WEEKS	85	23	26.5	66	13	(B)	17	9	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	71	32	(B)	48	19	(B)	22	13	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	90	43	47.8	58	17	(B)	29	23	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	54	24	(B)	41	14	(B)	12	10	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	234	107	45.5	185	71	38.4	46	33	(B)
OTHER	261	103	39.5	164	33	20.0	92	68	73.4
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	794	537	67.6	440	237	53.9	347	293	84.3
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	538	355	66.0	313	162	51.7	222	190	85.7
OTHER	257	182	70.9	127	75	59.2	126	103	81.9
OWN CHILDREN IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	10 029	5 078	50.6	6 223	2 563	41.2	3 665	2 446	66.8
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	6 075	1 881	31.0	4 067	960	23.6	1 911	891	46.6
50 TO 52 WEEKS	3 390	450	13.3	2 318	186	8.0	1 013	258	25.5
40 TO 49 WEEKS	617	172	27.9	452	94	20.9	157	72	45.6
27 TO 39 WEEKS	592	246	41.5	414	154	37.2	171	89	52.0
14 TO 26 WEEKS	812	514	63.3	452	231	51.0	343	272	79.2
13 WEEKS OR LESS	664	499	75.1	430	295	68.6	227	200	88.4
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	40.3	26.3	...	40.9	26.5	...	38.9	30.2	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	4 909	1 253	25.5	3 300	633	19.2	1 521	596	39.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	3 016	322	10.7	2 072	130	6.3	887	185	20.9
40 TO 49 WEEKS	455	113	24.9	322	56	17.5	124	51	40.8
27 TO 39 WEEKS	442	174	39.5	301	113	37.4	135	60	44.6
14 TO 26 WEEKS	569	342	60.1	322	156	48.3	236	179	75.9
13 WEEKS OR LESS	427	301	70.5	282	178	63.3	139	121	86.6
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	1 356	833	61.4	937	519	55.4	403	303	75.1
OTHER	1 329	598	45.0	813	255	31.4	495	330	66.7
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	3 953	3 198	80.9	2 157	1 603	74.3	1 755	1 556	88.7
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	2 980	2 411	80.9	1 689	1 264	74.8	1 259	1 117	88.8
OTHER	973	786	80.8	467	339	72.6	496	439	88.5

Table 32. Own Children by Work Experience of Mother—Own Children Under 18 Years Old by Poverty Status in 1977, Age, Type of Family or Subfamily and Work Experience and Race of Mother—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. OWN CHILDREN AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

WORK EXPERIENCE OF MOTHER AND TYPE OF FAMILY OR SUBFAMILY	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
OWN CHILDREN IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD--CON.									
CHILDREN UNDER 3 YEARS	994	745	74.9	537	373	69.5	443	360	81.3
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	464	257	55.4	287	149	52.1	171	104	61.0
50 TO 52 WEEKS	134	36	26.9	80	13	15.8	51	23	(B)
40 TO 49 WEEKS	54	19	(B)	39	14	(B)	15	5	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	73	32	(B)	47	23	(B)	25	9	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	92	68	74.1	49	31	(B)	42	36	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	111	102	91.7	71	68	(B)	38	31	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	31.4	23.2	...	31.6	21.6	...	31.2	26.0	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	350	164	47.0	211	92	43.6	133	70	52.6
50 TO 52 WEEKS	109	20	18.3	67	6	(B)	38	14	(B)
40 TO 49 WEEKS	43	9	(B)	30	5	(B)	14	4	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	58	21	(B)	37	18	(B)	20	4	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	64	47	(B)	31	20	(B)	32	26	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	76	67	88.1	46	43	(B)	28	22	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	182	138	76.0	112	85	75.8	66	49	(B)
OTHER	148	83	56.0	94	52	54.8	54	31	(B)
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	530	487	91.9	250	224	89.6	272	256	94.0
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	456	421	92.2	227	208	91.7	221	205	92.6
OTHER	74	67	(B)	23	16	(B)	51	51	(B)
CHILDREN 3 TO 5 YEARS	1 366	871	63.8	775	442	57.0	574	422	73.6
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	760	326	42.9	462	164	35.4	285	159	55.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS	330	52	15.9	216	22	10.0	110	31	28.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	68	13	(B)	44	4	(B)	24	9	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	94	43	45.8	60	25	(B)	33	17	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	136	104	76.7	60	44	(B)	68	58	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	132	113	85.7	83	69	83.3	49	44	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	35.7	23.6	...	36.9	21.6	...	33.9	25.9	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	607	223	36.8	373	114	30.7	225	107	47.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS	299	39	13.1	194	17	8.5	100	23	22.5
40 TO 49 WEEKS	56	9	(B)	36	2	(B)	20	7	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	71	30	(B)	44	17	(B)	27	12	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	103	80	77.3	48	35	(B)	50	43	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	78	65	83.5	51	43	(B)	28	23	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	238	175	73.5	148	103	69.6	87	71	81.0
OTHER	192	99	51.5	98	39	39.6	87	57	65.6
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	606	545	90.0	312	278	89.0	289	263	91.1
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	496	443	89.2	272	240	88.2	221	200	90.3
OTHER	110	102	93.4	41	39	(B)	68	64	(B)
CHILDREN 6 TO 14 YEARS	5 550	2 672	48.1	3 501	1 380	39.4	1 968	1 254	63.7
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	3 491	1 016	29.1	2 334	509	21.8	1 100	490	44.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 051	282	13.7	1 383	115	8.3	630	162	25.7
40 TO 49 WEEKS	358	105	29.3	262	59	22.4	90	41	45.4
27 TO 39 WEEKS	317	125	39.4	228	80	35.0	84	44	52.3
14 TO 26 WEEKS	435	268	61.8	253	129	50.8	177	135	76.5
13 WEEKS OR LESS	331	236	71.4	208	127	61.1	120	108	90.2
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	41.3	30.1	...	41.8	28.6	...	40.2	31.5	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	2 883	692	24.0	1 931	338	17.5	900	340	37.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 834	206	11.2	1 237	80	6.5	561	121	21.6
40 TO 49 WEEKS	271	72	26.7	191	36	19.0	74	31	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	242	91	37.5	172	59	34.3	66	31	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	312	173	55.3	185	83	44.9	124	87	70.1
13 WEEKS OR LESS	224	150	66.9	145	79	54.5	76	70	92.4
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	704	414	58.8	494	261	52.9	204	149	73.2
OTHER	736	320	43.5	457	133	29.1	266	179	67.1
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	2 059	1 656	80.4	1 167	871	74.6	868	763	88.0
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	1 517	1 215	80.0	890	661	74.2	609	537	88.2
OTHER	542	442	81.6	277	211	76.0	259	226	87.5
CHILDREN 15 TO 17 YEARS	2 118	790	37.3	1 411	368	26.1	680	411	60.4
MOTHER WORKED LAST YEAR	1 360	282	20.7	984	138	14.1	355	138	38.8
50 TO 52 WEEKS	874	80	9.2	639	37	5.8	221	42	18.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	138	35	25.4	108	18	16.8	28	16	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	109	46	42.4	79	26	32.8	29	20	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	150	73	48.8	90	26	29.4	57	44	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	90	47	52.5	68	31	(B)	19	16	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	43.2	31.9	...	43.4	30.2	...	42.7	33.5	...
MOTHER WORKED FULL-TIME	1 069	173	16.2	785	89	11.4	263	79	29.9
50 TO 52 WEEKS	775	57	7.3	573	28	4.8	188	28	14.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	85	22	26.1	66	12	(B)	17	9	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	71	32	(B)	48	19	(B)	22	13	(B)
14 TO 26 WEEKS	90	43	47.8	58	17	(B)	29	23	(B)
13 WEEKS OR LESS	49	19	(B)	40	13	(B)	8	6	(B)
WORKED LESS THAN 50 WEEKS									
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:									
KEEPING HOUSE	232	105	45.3	182	69	38.0	46	33	(B)
OTHER	254	96	37.9	163	32	19.6	87	63	71.8
MOTHER DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	758	509	67.1	427	230	53.8	326	273	83.9
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
KEEPING HOUSE	510	333	65.3	301	155	51.7	207	175	84.7
OTHER	248	176	70.7	126	74	58.8	118	98	82.6

Table 33. Educational Attainment—Poverty Status in 1977 of Family Heads and Unrelated Individuals 22 Years Old and Over by Race and Sex

(Numbers in thousands. Families and unrelated individuals as of March 1978. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Years of school completed	All races			White			Black		
		Below poverty level			Below poverty level			Below poverty level	
	Total	Number	Percent of total	Total	Number	Percent of total	Total	Number	Percent of total
ALL FAMILIES									
Total	56,011	4,969	8.9	49,518	3,311	6.7	5,628	1,528	27.1
Elementary: Less than 8 years	5,428	1,227	22.6	4,192	797	19.0	1,111	394	35.5
8 years	4,914	633	12.9	4,456	462	10.4	411	151	36.7
High school: 1 to 3 years	8,224	1,209	14.7	6,809	676	9.9	1,328	511	38.5
4 years	19,454	1,334	6.9	17,467	947	5.4	1,755	364	20.7
College (1 year or more)	17,992	568	3.2	16,594	430	2.6	1,024	107	10.4
Median years of school completed	12.5	10.5	...	12.5	10.8	...	11.9	10.3	...
Percent not a high school graduate	33.1	61.8	...	31.2	58.4	...	50.6	69.1	...
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
Total	48,086	2,600	5.4	43,877	2,048	4.7	3,469	466	13.4
Elementary: Less than 8 years	4,447	804	18.1	3,570	576	16.1	778	207	26.6
8 years	4,186	400	9.6	3,897	334	8.6	249	53	21.3
High school: 1 to 3 years	6,563	470	7.2	5,835	350	6.0	664	110	16.6
4 years	16,491	607	3.7	15,211	512	3.4	1,084	80	7.4
College (1 year or more)	16,397	318	1.9	15,362	275	1.8	693	17	2.5
Median years of school completed	12.5	9.6	...	12.6	10.0	...	12.0	8.5	...
Percent not a high school graduate	31.6	64.4	...	30.3	61.5	...	48.7	79.4	...
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
Total	7,925	2,369	29.9	5,639	1,263	22.4	2,160	1,062	49.2
Elementary: Less than 8 years	979	422	43.1	622	221	35.5	333	187	56.2
8 years	728	231	31.7	559	128	22.9	161	98	60.9
High school: 1 to 3 years	1,660	737	44.4	974	325	33.4	664	401	60.4
4 years	2,964	727	24.5	2,254	434	19.3	671	284	42.3
College (1 year or more)	1,595	250	15.7	1,232	155	12.6	330	90	27.3
Median years of school completed	12.2	11.2	...	12.3	11.6	...	11.6	10.8	...
Percent not a high school graduate	42.5	58.7	...	38.2	53.4	...	53.6	64.6	...
ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
Total	21,301	4,510	21.2	18,281	3,458	18.9	2,699	977	36.2
Elementary: Less than 8 years	2,899	1,288	44.4	2,077	860	41.4	762	409	53.7
8 years	2,275	737	32.4	2,028	613	30.2	230	116	50.4
High school: 1 to 3 years	2,825	735	26.0	2,288	528	23.1	512	203	39.6
4 years	5,800	918	15.8	5,104	744	14.6	622	164	26.4
College (1 year or more)	7,502	833	11.1	6,784	714	10.5	571	86	15.1
Median years of school completed	12.5	9.9	...	12.5	10.5	...	11.1	8.7	...
Percent not a high school graduate	37.6	61.2	...	35.0	57.9	...	55.7	74.5	...
MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
Total	9,164	1,505	16.4	7,547	1,064	14.1	1,422	395	27.8
Elementary: Less than 8 years	1,167	381	32.6	769	234	30.4	361	136	37.7
8 years	697	182	26.1	599	136	22.7	90	39	43.3
High school: 1 to 3 years	1,063	214	20.1	771	129	16.7	279	84	30.1
4 years	2,389	298	12.5	2,001	215	10.7	342	76	22.2
College (1 year or more)	3,850	432	11.2	3,410	349	10.2	350	61	17.4
Median years of school completed	12.7	11.7	...	12.8	12.2	...	11.8	9.8	...
Percent not a high school graduate	31.9	51.6	...	28.3	46.9	...	51.3	65.6	...
FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
Total	12,137	3,004	24.8	10,733	2,395	22.3	1,275	581	45.6
Elementary: Less than 8 years	1,732	906	52.3	1,309	626	47.8	402	271	67.4
8 years	1,579	556	35.2	1,429	477	33.4	139	77	55.4
High school: 1 to 3 years	1,764	521	29.5	1,517	397	26.2	235	119	50.6
4 years	3,412	620	18.2	3,103	528	17.0	280	89	31.8
College (1 year or more)	3,652	401	11.0	3,375	365	10.8	221	25	11.3
Median years of school completed	12.3	9.2	...	12.4	9.7	...	10.2	8.3	...
Percent not a high school graduate	41.8	66.0	...	39.6	62.6	...	60.9	80.4	...

Table 34. Total Money Income of Families—Families Below the Poverty Level in 1977 by Presence of Related Children Under 18 Years Old and Age, Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin of Head

(FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TOTAL MONEY INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK			SPANISH ORIGIN[1]		
	TOTAL	MALE HEAD	FEMALE HEAD	TOTAL	MALE HEAD	FEMALE HEAD	TOTAL	MALE HEAD	FEMALE HEAD	TOTAL	MALE HEAD	FEMALE HEAD
ALL FAMILIES												
TOTAL. . . . . .THOUSANDS. .	5 311	2 701	2 610	3 540	2 140	1 400	1 637	475	1 162	591	290	301
PERCENT.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
NO INCOME.	2.3	1.1	3.5	2.4	1.0	4.5	2.1	1.4	2.4	1.6	0.8	2.3
LOSS	3.7	7.1	0.2	5.4	8.6	0.4	0.1	0.5	-	0.4	0.7	-
$1 TO $499	2.7	2.8	2.5	3.3	3.2	3.4	1.0	0.4	1.3	2.4	1.6	3.2
$500 TO $999	2.5	2.3	2.8	2.6	2.2	3.1	2.4	2.5	2.4	1.2	1.4	1.0
$1,000 TO $1,499	4.3	3.0	5.6	4.0	2.9	5.8	4.4	2.4	5.2	4.8	2.2	7.3
$1,500 TO $1,999	5.9	3.9	7.9	5.5	4.3	7.3	7.0	2.8	8.8	2.9	2.9	2.9
$2,000 TO $2,499	8.7	7.4	10.0	8.1	7.3	9.3	9.9	8.5	10.5	6.3	6.2	6.3
$2,500 TO $2,999	8.7	7.9	9.4	8.7	8.2	9.5	8.3	5.9	9.3	6.0	5.2	6.9
$3,000 TO $3,499	14.1	14.0	14.3	13.9	14.2	13.5	15.2	14.7	15.5	12.1	10.1	13.9
$3,500 TO $3,999	11.2	11.1	11.3	12.0	11.2	13.2	9.3	10.3	8.9	10.3	7.4	13.0
$4,000 TO $4,999	14.4	13.2	15.6	14.6	13.2	16.8	14.1	13.4	14.4	18.6	15.8	21.3
$5,000 TO $5,999	9.8	10.7	8.8	9.5	10.0	8.7	10.6	14.6	9.0	14.9	17.3	12.6
$6,000 TO $6,999	6.5	7.7	5.2	5.7	7.5	3.1	8.1	8.3	8.0	8.5	11.8	5.3
$7,000 TO $7,999	2.7	3.9	1.4	2.3	3.2	0.9	3.4	6.6	2.0	4.9	7.8	2.0
$8,000 AND OVER.	2.7	3.9	1.4	2.0	3.0	0.6	3.9	7.7	2.4	5.3	8.7	2.1
MEDIAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	3 401	3 521	3 283	3 364	3 435	3 249	3 480	4 039	3 329	4 116	4 725	3 739
MEAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	3 292	3 263	3 321	3 056	3 006	3 133	3 607	4 399	3 565	4 192	4 702	3 700
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER . . . . . .DOLLARS. .	896	856	942	875	815	980	936	1 006	904	1 024	1 014	1 037
HEAD WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME												
TOTAL. . . . . .THOUSANDS. .	912	783	129	705	649	56	187	115	71	92	88	4
PERCENT.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0	100.0	(B)
NO INCOME.	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
LOSS	16.4	19.0	-	21.0	22.7	(B)	-	-	(B)	1.6	1.7	(B)
$1 TO $499	3.9	4.4	1.0	5.0	5.3	(B)	-	-	(B)	1.0	1.0	(B)
$500 TO $999	1.7	1.8	1.1	1.7	1.8	(B)	2.0	2.0	(B)	-	-	(B)
$1,000 TO $1,499	2.2	2.0	3.7	2.6	2.4	(B)	0.8	-	(B)	2.6	2.7	(B)
$1,500 TO $1,999	3.2	3.3	2.3	3.7	3.5	(B)	1.7	2.7	(B)	-	-	(B)
$2,000 TO $2,499	4.8	5.0	3.9	5.8	5.6	(B)	1.3	1.2	(B)	1.9	2.0	(B)
$2,500 TO $2,999	4.3	4.8	1.2	4.4	4.8	(B)	1.4	0.8	(B)	1.9	2.0	(B)
$3,000 TO $3,499	7.0	5.1	18.0	6.0	5.2	(B)	11.1	5.9	(B)	2.7	2.9	(B)
$3,500 TO $3,999	5.1	5.1	4.9	5.8	5.9	(B)	3.2	1.7	(B)	1.9	2.0	(B)
$4,000 TO $4,999	14.3	12.4	25.8	13.7	12.3	(B)	15.1	11.1	(B)	14.0	14.5	(B)
$5,000 TO $5,999	14.5	14.1	16.7	12.4	11.8	(B)	22.6	27.3	(B)	28.8	29.0	(B)
$6,000 TO $6,999	10.1	9.6	12.7	9.2	9.5	(B)	13.6	10.8	(B)	15.7	14.3	(B)
$7,000 TO $7,999	5.4	5.7	3.5	4.4	4.4	(B)	9.5	13.3	(B)	15.1	14.8	(B)
$8,000 AND OVER.	7.2	7.6	4.7	4.4	4.8	(B)	17.6	23.2	(B)	12.7	13.2	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	4 104	3 952	4 520	3 491	3 379	(B)	5 591	5 901	(B)	5 777	5 736	(B)
MEAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	2 875	2 608	4 490	2 105	1 944	(B)	5 667	6 132	(B)	5 688	5 657	(B)
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER . . . . . .DOLLARS. .	645	579	1 071	497	455	(B)	1 052	1 037	(B)	1 065	1 060	(B)
FAMILIES WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS												
TOTAL. . . . . .THOUSANDS. .	1 229	1 004	225	967	828	139	231	150	81	71	55	16
PERCENT.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)
NO INCOME.	2.3	1.9	3.8	1.8	1.6	2.8	4.8	4.3	5.6	(B)	(B)	(B)
LOSS	5.5	6.5	1.0	6.8	7.7	1.6	0.5	0.8	-	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1 TO $499	3.9	4.3	2.3	4.4	4.5	3.7	0.8	1.2	-	(B)	(B)	(B)
$500 TO $999	3.6	3.3	4.7	2.6	2.6	3.0	6.3	6.3	6.3	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1,000 TO $1,499	3.3	2.9	5.2	3.5	2.9	7.3	2.8	3.4	1.6	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1,500 TO $1,999	5.2	4.8	6.8	5.9	5.2	10.0	2.5	2.9	1.8	(B)	(B)	(B)
$2,000 TO $2,499	13.3	11.6	21.1	12.9	11.2	22.8	15.9	13.8	19.6	(B)	(B)	(B)
$2,500 TO $2,999	14.1	13.8	15.6	14.8	14.6	16.2	11.6	9.5	15.5	(B)	(B)	(B)
$3,000 TO $3,499	27.3	28.0	24.3	26.4	27.8	17.9	33.9	32.4	36.7	(B)	(B)	(B)
$3,500 TO $3,999	17.1	17.9	13.4	17.3	17.8	14.7	14.7	18.4	7.8	(B)	(B)	(B)
$4,000 TO $4,999	4.0	4.5	1.9	3.3	3.9	-	5.6	5.8	5.1	(B)	(B)	(B)
$5,000 TO $5,999	0.1	0.2	-	-	-	-	0.7	1.1	-	(B)	(B)	(B)
$6,000 TO $6,999	0.2	0.2	-	0.3	0.3	-	-	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)
$7,000 TO $7,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)
$8,000 AND OVER.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	2 956	3 015	2 666	2 908	2 991	2 475	3 072	3 119	2 988	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	2 300	2 266	2 448	2 195	2 174	2 321	2 713	2 748	2 647	(B)	(B)	(B)
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER . . . . . .DOLLARS. .	1 070	1 070	1 067	1 033	1 032	1 041	1 193	1 259	1 082	(B)	(B)	(B)
FAMILIES WITH 1 OR MORE RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS												
TOTAL. . . . . .THOUSANDS. .	4 081	1 697	2 384	2 572	1 311	1 261	1 406	325	1 081	520	234	285
PERCENT.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
NO INCOME.	2.3	0.5	3.5	2.6	0.7	4.6	1.6	-	2.1	1.3	-	2.4
LOSS	3.2	7.5	0.1	4.8	9.2	0.3	0.1	0.4	-	-	-	-
$1 TO $499	2.3	1.9	2.5	2.8	2.3	3.4	1.1	-	1.4	2.0	0.7	3.1
$500 TO $999	2.2	1.7	2.6	2.6	2.0	3.1	1.8	0.8	2.1	1.1	1.4	0.8
$1,000 TO $1,499	4.6	3.1	5.7	4.2	2.9	5.6	4.7	1.9	5.5	4.6	1.8	6.9
$1,500 TO $1,999	6.1	3.4	8.0	5.3	3.7	7.0	7.8	2.8	9.3	2.8	2.6	3.0
$2,000 TO $2,499	7.3	5.0	8.9	6.3	4.8	7.9	8.9	6.0	9.8	5.2	5.2	5.2
$2,500 TO $2,999	7.0	4.4	8.8	6.4	4.1	8.7	7.8	4.3	8.9	5.0	3.6	6.2
$3,000 TO $3,499	10.2	5.7	13.4	9.3	5.6	13.0	12.2	6.6	13.9	9.5	4.8	13.4
$3,500 TO $3,999	9.4	7.0	11.2	10.0	7.1	13.0	8.5	6.6	9.0	10.1	6.2	13.2
$4,000 TO $4,999	17.5	18.4	16.9	18.9	19.1	18.6	15.5	16.8	15.1	20.1	17.4	22.4
$5,000 TO $5,999	12.7	17.0	9.7	13.1	16.3	9.6	12.2	20.8	9.6	17.0	21.5	13.3
$6,000 TO $6,999	8.4	12.1	5.7	7.8	12.0	3.4	9.5	12.1	8.6	9.4	14.2	5.6
$7,000 TO $7,999	3.5	6.3	1.5	3.2	5.3	1.0	3.9	9.7	2.2	5.5	9.7	2.1
$8,000 AND OVER.	3.5	6.2	1.5	2.8	4.9	0.7	4.6	11.2	2.6	6.0	10.7	2.2
MEDIAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	3 762	4 535	3 369	3 786	4 399	3 360	3 741	5 184	3 396	4 404	5 282	3 833
MEAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	3 591	3 853	3 404	3 380	3 531	3 223	3 987	5 161	3 634	4 410	5 192	3 769
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER . . . . . .DOLLARS. .	869	800	934	844	754	976	914	959	896	1 013	992	1 037

[1]PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

Table 34. Total Money Income of Families—Families Below the Poverty Level in 1977 by Presence of Related Children Under 18 Years Old and Age, Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin of Head—Continued

(FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TOTAL MONEY INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK			SPANISH ORIGIN[1]		
	TOTAL	MALE HEAD	FEMALE HEAD	TOTAL	MALE HEAD	FEMALE HEAD	TOTAL	MALE HEAD	FEMALE HEAD	TOTAL	MALE HEAD	FEMALE HEAD
FAMILIES WITH 1 RELATED CHILD UNDER 18 YEARS												
TOTAL. . . . . .THOUSANDS. .	1 179	426	753	800	345	455	344	61	284	131	42	89
PERCENT.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0
NO INCOME.	3.8	1.4	5.1	3.8	1.7	5.5	3.8	(B)	4.7	0.7	(B)	1.0
LOSS	3.1	8.6	-	4.4	10.2	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-
$1 TO $499	3.8	4.5	3.5	4.8	5.5	4.2	2.0	(B)	2.5	3.8	(B)	3.6
$500 TO $999	3.3	1.8	4.1	3.5	1.9	4.7	3.2	(B)	3.4	1.2	(B)	1.8
$1,000 TO $1,499	7.2	5.2	8.3	5.4	3.6	6.8	8.8	(B)	10.2	9.2	(B)	12.5
$1,500 TO $1,999	8.6	6.1	10.0	7.2	6.3	7.8	12.7	(B)	14.0	3.7	(B)	1.6
$2,000 TO $2,499	10.2	8.5	11.1	10.0	8.4	11.2	11.2	(B)	11.0	10.7	(B)	10.8
$2,500 TO $2,999	11.9	8.3	14.0	11.3	7.4	14.2	11.9	(B)	12.6	11.0	(B)	11.9
$3,000 TO $3,499	17.0	9.3	21.3	16.1	9.2	21.4	19.5	(B)	20.8	21.1	(B)	25.7
$3,500 TO $3,999	13.2	11.2	14.4	14.0	9.6	17.3	12.1	(B)	10.3	16.1	(B)	20.4
$4,000 TO $4,999	13.3	24.3	7.0	14.5	25.9	5.9	11.4	(B)	9.1	16.3	(B)	7.9
$5,000 TO $5,999	2.8	5.9	1.0	3.3	6.3	1.0	1.3	(B)	0.9	6.1	(B)	2.9
$6,000 TO $6,999	1.4	3.4	0.2	1.3	3.0	-	1.5	(B)	0.6	-	(B)	-
$7,000 TO $7,999	0.4	1.1	-	0.4	1.0	-	0.3	(B)	-	-	(B)	-
$8,000 AND OVER.	0.1	0.3	-	-	-	-	0.4	(B)	-	-	(B)	-
MEDIAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	2 921	3 297	2 782	2 985	3 276	2 845	2 852	(B)	2 669	3 230	(B)	3 132
MEAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	2 524	2 539	2 515	2 453	2 364	2 520	2 723	(B)	2 501	3 064	(B)	2 839
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER . . . . . .DOLLARS. .	1 002	801	1 171	963	750	1 206	1 112	(B)	1 110	1 224	(B)	1 303
FAMILIES WITH 2 RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS												
TOTAL. . . . . .THOUSANDS. .	1 194	517	677	806	415	391	360	87	273	139	68	71
PERCENT.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	(B)
NO INCOME.	2.4	0.2	4.2	2.7	0.2	5.5	1.9	-	2.5	2.4	(B)	(B)
LOSS	5.0	10.8	0.5	6.8	12.4	0.9	0.3	1.4	-	-	(B)	(B)
$1 TO $499	3.2	2.0	4.1	3.6	2.0	5.2	1.2	-	1.6	1.8	(B)	(B)
$500 TO $999	2.3	1.9	2.6	2.2	2.1	2.3	2.9	1.6	3.3	0.6	(B)	(B)
$1,000 TO $1,499	4.9	3.0	6.3	4.3	3.7	4.8	6.0	-	7.9	4.3	(B)	(B)
$1,500 TO $1,999	6.9	3.6	9.4	5.6	3.5	7.9	10.3	4.6	12.1	5.2	(B)	(B)
$2,000 TO $2,499	7.1	5.0	8.6	5.4	4.8	6.1	10.2	5.4	11.7	5.8	(B)	(B)
$2,500 TO $2,999	6.4	4.7	7.8	5.7	4.0	7.4	7.9	5.5	8.7	5.6	(B)	(B)
$3,000 TO $3,499	8.4	4.9	11.1	7.1	4.9	9.4	12.0	5.3	14.1	6.4	(B)	(B)
$3,500 TO $3,999	11.5	7.1	14.9	12.4	8.0	17.0	10.3	4.0	12.3	12.8	(B)	(B)
$4,000 TO $4,999	20.4	19.0	21.5	22.8	19.2	26.7	15.7	20.4	14.2	26.6	(B)	(B)
$5,000 TO $5,999	14.2	25.6	5.5	15.0	24.0	5.5	12.4	35.1	5.2	22.1	(B)	(B)
$6,000 TO $6,999	5.7	9.7	2.7	5.0	8.4	1.4	6.8	13.7	4.6	4.0	(B)	(B)
$7,000 TO $7,999	1.3	2.0	0.7	1.0	1.8	-	2.1	2.9	1.8	1.4	(B)	(B)
$8,000 AND OVER.	0.3	0.8	-	0.5	1.0	-	-	-	-	0.7	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	3 649	4 367	3 291	3 771	4 229	3 518	3 386	5 051	3 078	4 182	(B)	(B)
MEAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	3 073	3 102	3 051	2 925	2 816	3 041	3 438	4 544	3 088	3 893	(B)	(B)
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER . . . . . .DOLLARS. .	849	747	949	803	680	977	959	1 071	915	1 060	(B)	(B)
FAMILIES WITH 3 OR MORE RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS												
TOTAL. . . . . .THOUSANDS. .	1 709	755	954	966	551	415	701	178	523	250	125	125
PERCENT.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
NO INCOME.	1.1	0.3	1.7	1.5	0.4	3.0	0.4	-	0.6	1.1	-	2.1
LOSS	2.0	4.5	-	3.5	6.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1 TO $499	0.6	0.4	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.8	0.5	-	0.7	1.3	-	2.5
$500 TO $999	1.4	1.6	1.3	2.1	2.2	2.1	0.5	-	0.7	1.3	2.0	0.6
$1,000 TO $1,499	2.6	1.9	3.2	3.2	1.8	5.1	1.9	2.7	1.7	2.4	-	4.8
$1,500 TO $1,999	3.8	1.7	5.5	3.4	2.1	5.2	4.1	0.7	5.3	1.0	-	1.8
$2,000 TO $2,499	5.4	2.9	7.3	4.0	2.5	5.9	7.2	4.3	8.2	2.0	1.2	2.9
$2,500 TO $2,999	4.0	2.1	5.6	2.9	2.0	4.0	5.8	2.3	6.9	1.6	0.4	2.3
$3,000 TO $3,499	6.7	4.2	8.6	5.4	4.0	7.3	8.7	4.9	10.0	5.2	3.1	7.3
$3,500 TO $3,999	5.3	4.5	5.9	4.7	4.8	4.6	5.7	3.0	6.6	5.4	5.2	5.5
$4,000 TO $4,999	18.4	14.6	21.4	19.1	14.8	24.9	17.4	13.2	18.8	18.5	12.0	25.0
$5,000 TO $5,999	18.6	17.3	19.5	19.5	16.9	23.0	17.5	19.7	16.7	19.8	16.2	23.4
$6,000 TO $6,999	15.1	18.7	12.3	15.5	20.4	9.0	14.7	13.6	15.1	17.4	22.9	12.0
$7,000 TO $7,999	7.2	12.1	3.3	7.3	10.6	3.0	6.7	15.7	3.6	10.7	16.7	4.8
$8,000 AND OVER.	7.9	13.1	3.8	7.1	10.8	2.1	9.0	19.8	5.3	12.2	19.4	5.0
MEDIAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	4 932	5 649	4 480	4 968	5 515	4 481	4 874	5 955	4 503	5 512	6 394	4 807
MEAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	4 689	5 110	4 356	4 528	4 802	4 164	4 890	5 936	4 534	5 405	6 220	4 594
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER . . . . . .DOLLARS. .	837	824	849	820	793	866	857	896	841	947	957	934
HEAD UNDER 25 YEARS												
TOTAL. . . . . .THOUSANDS. .	750	227	522	463	195	268	278	31	247	75	24	51
PERCENT.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0	100.0	(B)	(B)
NO INCOME.	4.5	1.6	5.8	5.0	1.6	7.3	3.9	(B)	4.3	2.9	(B)	(B)
LOSS	1.2	4.0	-	2.0	4.7	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	(B)
$1 TO $499	5.8	8.3	4.8	6.7	8.7	5.3	3.8	(B)	3.5	2.3	(B)	(B)
$500 TO $999	4.9	5.5	4.7	6.0	5.8	6.2	2.7	(B)	2.6	5.4	(B)	(B)
$1,000 TO $1,499	6.4	3.2	7.8	4.8	3.7	5.6	8.3	(B)	9.4	10.0	(B)	(B)
$1,500 TO $1,999	9.0	2.6	11.8	6.0	2.8	8.3	14.2	(B)	15.9	4.3	(B)	(B)
$2,000 TO $2,499	11.1	7.8	12.5	9.9	8.4	10.9	13.4	(B)	14.5	16.3	(B)	(B)
$2,500 TO $2,999	12.1	9.6	13.1	12.0	9.7	13.8	12.4	(B)	12.8	9.7	(B)	(B)
$3,000 TO $3,499	15.5	14.0	16.1	15.3	13.7	16.4	15.7	(B)	15.7	8.8	(B)	(B)
$3,500 TO $3,999	12.4	10.7	13.2	13.9	10.4	16.4	10.4	(B)	10.1	17.6	(B)	(B)
$4,000 TO $4,999	11.4	18.2	8.5	12.5	17.8	8.6	9.9	(B)	8.6	13.9	(B)	(B)
$5,000 TO $5,999	4.3	10.7	1.5	4.2	8.2	1.2	4.6	(B)	1.8	7.1	(B)	(B)
$6,000 TO $6,999	1.4	3.8	0.4	1.8	4.3	-	0.9	(B)	0.8	1.3	(B)	(B)
$7,000 TO $7,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	(B)
$8,000 AND OVER.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	2 794	3 267	2 605	2 902	3 163	2 733	2 651	(B)	2 492	2 934	(B)	(B)
MEAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	2 583	2 873	2 457	2 567	2 725	2 451	2 640	(B)	2 495	2 838	(B)	(B)
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER . . . . . .DOLLARS. .	914	887	929	964	877	1 048	849	(B)	835	993	(B)	(B)

[1]PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

Table 34. Total Money Income of Families—Families Below the Poverty Level in 1977 by Presence of Related Children Under 18 Years Old and Age, Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin of Head—Continued

(FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TOTAL MONEY INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK			SPANISH ORIGIN[1]		
	TOTAL	MALE HEAD	FEMALE HEAD	TOTAL	MALE HEAD	FEMALE HEAD	TOTAL	MALE HEAD	FEMALE HEAD	TOTAL	MALE HEAD	FEMALE HEAD
HEAD 25 TO 44 YEARS												
TOTAL. . . . . .THOUSANDS. .	2 538	1 059	1 478	1 697	853	844	767	156	611	343	159	184
PERCENT.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
NO INCOME.	2.1	0.4	3.3	2.1	0.3	3.8	2.2	0.9	2.5	1.8	-	3.4
LOSS	3.9	8.9	0.2	5.4	10.4	0.4	0.2	0.8	-	-	-	-
$1 TO $499	2.5	2.4	2.6	3.1	2.5	3.7	0.8	-	1.0	3.1	1.7	4.3
$500 TO $999	2.0	2.2	1.9	2.4	2.4	2.3	1.5	1.8	1.4	0.7	1.5	-
$1,000 TO $1,499	4.5	4.0	4.8	4.9	4.1	5.7	3.7	3.1	3.8	4.6	2.1	6.8
$1,500 TO $1,999	5.7	3.7	7.2	5.4	4.2	6.7	6.5	2.1	7.7	2.1	2.0	2.2
$2,000 TO $2,499	6.2	4.4	7.5	5.9	4.4	7.5	6.6	3.0	7.5	2.5	1.5	3.5
$2,500 TO $2,999	6.1	4.8	7.1	6.0	4.9	7.0	6.0	1.5	7.1	4.3	4.4	4.1
$3,000 TO $3,499	9.1	4.8	12.2	8.2	5.4	11.0	12.0	2.8	14.3	9.2	6.3	11.6
$3,500 TO $3,999	8.5	6.2	10.1	9.1	6.3	11.8	7.1	5.0	7.7	7.5	5.5	9.3
$4,000 TO $4,999	19.0	16.6	20.6	19.6	16.9	22.3	18.3	18.2	18.3	22.5	16.1	28.0
$5,000 TO $5,999	13.8	16.6	11.8	13.8	16.1	11.5	13.7	20.9	11.9	19.0	23.9	14.8
$6,000 TO $6,999	9.4	13.0	6.8	8.3	12.4	4.3	11.6	15.8	10.6	11.1	15.3	7.5
$7,000 TO $7,999	3.7	6.2	1.8	3.3	5.4	1.2	4.3	10.0	2.8	6.2	10.9	2.0
$8,000 AND OVER.	3.5	5.8	1.9	2.5	4.2	0.8	5.6	14.1	3.4	5.3	8.6	2.4
MEDIAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	3 961	4 494	3 653	3 866	4 294	3 579	4 191	5 516	3 801	4 625	5 366	4 170
MEAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	3 647	3 669	3 631	3 373	3 354	3 393	4 247	5 368	3 960	4 521	5 221	3 915
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER . . . . . .DOLLARS. .	856	777	925	823	727	947	923	997	900	1 013	1 014	1 011
HEAD 45 TO 59 YEARS												
TOTAL. . . . . .THOUSANDS. .	1 020	620	401	697	497	200	301	109	192	124	68	56
PERCENT.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	(B)
NO INCOME.	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	1.6	3.4	2.2	4.6	0.8	0.6	(B)	(B)
LOSS	5.9	9.7	-	8.6	12.1	-	-	-	-	0.6	(B)	(B)
$1 TO $499	1.9	2.8	0.7	2.5	3.1	1.0	-	-	-	1.3	(B)	(B)
$500 TO $999	2.1	1.5	3.0	1.6	1.2	2.6	2.6	1.0	3.5	0.6	(B)	(B)
$1,000 TO $1,499	3.6	1.8	6.4	2.9	2.2	4.5	4.7	-	7.3	2.4	(B)	(B)
$1,500 TO $1,999	4.8	3.1	7.4	4.5	3.2	7.6	5.9	3.2	7.4	3.3	(B)	(B)
$2,000 TO $2,499	8.1	6.4	10.7	7.7	6.5	10.7	8.6	6.7	9.7	5.2	(B)	(B)
$2,500 TO $2,999	6.0	3.4	9.9	5.9	3.6	11.7	6.0	1.8	8.5	6.7	(B)	(B)
$3,000 TO $3,499	14.1	12.2	17.1	13.4	10.6	20.5	15.6	19.7	13.3	15.5	(B)	(B)
$3,500 TO $3,999	13.9	14.8	12.5	14.5	15.0	13.0	12.6	13.2	12.2	11.8	(B)	(B)
$4,000 TO $4,999	13.0	14.7	10.4	13.7	15.1	10.3	11.1	11.3	11.0	16.2	(B)	(B)
$5,000 TO $5,999	10.3	10.5	10.0	9.5	9.2	10.1	12.9	17.6	10.3	11.8	(B)	(B)
$6,000 TO $6,999	6.0	6.3	5.6	6.0	7.4	2.6	6.4	2.1	8.9	7.8	(B)	(B)
$7,000 TO $7,999	3.7	4.7	2.2	3.4	4.3	1.1	4.7	6.9	3.4	5.4	(B)	(B)
$8,000 AND OVER.	4.5	6.1	2.2	3.7	4.9	0.9	6.7	12.1	3.6	10.8	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	3 553	3 738	3 291	3 528	3 697	3 208	3 674	3 997	3 478	4 115	(B)	(B)
MEAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	3 299	3 190	3 467	2 983	2 879	3 241	4 081	4 640	3 762	4 532	(B)	(B)
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER . . . . . .DOLLARS. .	860	795	973	823	745	1 073	930	972	902	1 062	(B)	(B)
HEAD 60 TO 64 YEARS												
TOTAL. . . . . .THOUSANDS. .	294	245	49	211	192	19	77	47	30	13	10	3
PERCENT.	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
NO INCOME.	2.1	2.5	(B)	2.9	3.1	(B)	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
LOSS	5.7	6.7	(B)	7.4	7.9	(B)	1.5	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1 TO $499	4.3	5.2	(B)	6.0	6.6	(B)	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$500 TO $999	1.7	1.3	(B)	-	-	(B)	6.7	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1,000 TO $1,499	3.8	3.4	(B)	3.2	2.0	(B)	5.9	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1,500 TO $1,999	5.9	6.1	(B)	7.7	7.8	(B)	1.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$2,000 TO $2,499	13.7	13.0	(B)	14.7	14.4	(B)	11.8	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$2,500 TO $2,999	12.6	10.1	(B)	10.8	8.7	(B)	18.5	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$3,000 TO $3,499	10.7	10.4	(B)	10.2	10.3	(B)	13.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$3,500 TO $3,999	16.0	18.2	(B)	18.6	19.8	(B)	6.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$4,000 TO $4,999	11.8	11.1	(B)	10.1	10.3	(B)	13.9	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$5,000 TO $5,999	4.6	4.6	(B)	4.3	4.3	(B)	4.7	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$6,000 TO $6,999	4.2	3.8	(B)	2.9	3.2	(B)	7.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$7,000 TO $7,999	1.9	2.3	(B)	0.4	0.5	(B)	5.5	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$8,000 AND OVER.	1.1	1.3	(B)	1.0	1.1	(B)	1.6	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	3 010	3 085	(B)	2 882	2 970	(B)	3 160	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	2 737	2 653	(B)	2 406	2 381	(B)	3 502	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER . . . . . .DOLLARS. .	944	947	(B)	906	903	(B)	1 006	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER												
TOTAL. . . . . .THOUSANDS. .	710	551	159	472	403	70	214	132	82	35	29	7
PERCENT.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)
NO INCOME.	0.8	0.3	2.6	1.3	0.4	(B)	-	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)
LOSS	2.0	2.2	1.2	2.9	2.9	(B)	-	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1 TO $499	0.1	0.2	-	0.2	0.3	(B)	-	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)
$500 TO $999	2.8	2.6	3.7	2.7	2.6	(B)	3.5	2.8	4.6	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1,000 TO $1,499	2.6	2.3	3.9	2.2	1.0	(B)	1.0	1.6	-	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1,500 TO $1,999	4.6	4.8	4.0	5.4	4.7	(B)	3.2	5.1	-	(B)	(B)	(B)
$2,000 TO $2,499	13.7	11.8	20.4	11.9	10.4	(B)	18.4	17.4	20.0	(B)	(B)	(B)
$2,500 TO $2,999	16.3	17.4	12.5	16.3	19.6	(B)	11.3	10.1	13.3	(B)	(B)	(B)
$3,000 TO $3,499	32.1	35.3	21.3	35.8	39.4	(B)	26.7	25.4	28.8	(B)	(B)	(B)
$3,500 TO $3,999	13.8	13.3	15.5	14.2	13.1	(B)	11.6	13.4	8.9	(B)	(B)	(B)
$4,000 TO $4,999	4.1	3.7	5.4	2.2	2.2	(B)	8.8	8.8	8.7	(B)	(B)	(B)
$5,000 TO $5,999	2.8	2.4	4.0	1.5	1.7	(B)	5.9	5.0	7.4	(B)	(B)	(B)
$6,000 TO $6,999	3.1	2.4	5.4	1.1	0.9	(B)	7.8	7.3	8.5	(B)	(B)	(B)
$7,000 TO $7,999	0.8	1.1	-	0.2	0.3	(B)	1.9	3.1	-	(B)	(B)	(B)
$8,000 AND OVER.	0.3	0.3	-	0.4	0.4	(B)	-	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	3 108	3 121	3 037	3 075	3 102	(B)	3 238	3 257	3 212	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	2 992	2 998	2 969	2 795	2 859	(B)	3 472	3 502	3 423	(B)	(B)	(B)
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER . . . . . .DOLLARS. .	1 170	1 190	1 103	1 215	1 252	(B)	1 098	1 072	1 143	(B)	(B)	(B)

[1]PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

Table 35. Total Money Income of Unrelated Individuals—Unrelated Individuals Below the Poverty Level in 1977 by Age, Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin

(UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TOTAL MONEY INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK			SPANISH ORIGIN[1]		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
TOTAL												
TOTAL. . . . . .THOUSANDS. .	5 216	1 796	3 419	4 051	1 305	2 747	1 059	423	636	237	111	127
PERCENT.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
NO INCOME.	7.2	8.3	6.6	6.2	6.8	5.9	10.0	11.0	9.2	12.7	10.2	15.0
LOSS	1.2	2.7	0.5	1.6	3.6	0.6	0.1	0.3	-	-	-	-
$1 TO $499	5.1	6.9	4.2	5.0	7.0	4.0	5.9	6.6	5.4	6.9	4.5	8.9
$500 TO $999	5.0	6.9	4.0	5.2	7.4	4.2	3.8	4.4	3.4	7.5	9.1	6.1
$1,000 TO $1,499	10.9	10.2	11.3	10.8	9.6	11.4	10.4	11.0	10.1	10.4	10.5	10.4
$1,500 TO $1,999	13.7	13.3	14.0	14.2	13.5	14.6	12.8	13.6	12.3	9.7	6.9	12.1
$2,000 TO $2,499	29.7	24.3	32.5	28.4	22.9	31.1	35.2	28.4	39.7	27.0	27.1	27.0
$2,500 TO $2,999	27.1	27.5	26.9	28.7	29.2	28.4	21.8	24.6	20.0	25.7	31.8	20.4
$3,000 AND OVER.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MEDIAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	2 114	2 036	2 145	2 125	2 045	2 153	2 100	2 053	2 122	2 051	2 164	1 896
MEAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	1 799	1 638	1 883	1 807	1 610	1 900	1 804	1 771	1 826	1 692	1 838	1 564
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME												
TOTAL. . . . . .THOUSANDS. .	243	120	122	202	100	101	35	15	20	7	4	3
PERCENT.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
NO INCOME.	1.8	0.2	3.4	2.2	-	4.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
LOSS	17.5	30.1	5.1	20.4	34.8	6.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1 TO $499	3.0	6.0	-	3.6	7.2	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$500 TO $999	3.1	2.5	3.7	2.5	1.2	3.8	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1,000 TO $1,499	9.3	8.1	10.4	7.1	6.9	7.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1,500 TO $1,999	10.2	7.3	13.0	11.1	6.5	15.7	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$2,000 TO $2,499	25.4	11.6	39.0	26.7	13.9	39.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$2,500 TO $2,999	29.7	34.2	25.3	26.4	29.2	23.6	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$3,000 AND OVER.	-	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	2 101	1 710	2 184	2 058	1 475	2 165	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	1 014	149	1 866	801	-225	1 815	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
UNDER 25 YEARS												
TOTAL. . . . . .THOUSANDS. .	1 177	539	639	960	430	529	172	76	96	67	38	29
PERCENT.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)
NO INCOME.	13.9	14.5	13.4	9.9	9.0	10.7	32.9	37.8	29.0	(B)	(B)	(B)
LOSS	0.6	1.3	-	0.7	1.6	-	-	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1 TO $499	10.0	8.3	11.4	8.9	8.4	9.4	16.3	8.2	22.7	(B)	(B)	(B)
$500 TO $999	9.2	9.8	8.6	9.2	9.7	8.8	7.9	6.2	9.2	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1,000 TO $1,499	13.2	11.9	14.3	13.6	11.2	15.6	6.9	10.8	3.8	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1,500 TO $1,999	15.6	15.9	15.4	17.6	18.5	16.9	8.6	7.9	9.1	(B)	(B)	(B)
$2,000 TO $2,499	16.4	15.5	17.2	17.5	16.2	18.5	11.9	11.5	12.2	(B)	(B)	(B)
$2,500 TO $2,999	21.1	22.7	19.7	22.5	25.4	20.2	15.5	17.6	13.9	(B)	(B)	(B)
$3,000 AND OVER.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	1 599	1 630	1 573	1 715	1 772	1 665	550	825	462	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	1 446	1 421	1 467	1 536	1 523	1 547	1 062	1 138	1 001	(B)	(B)	(B)
25 TO 44 YEARS												
TOTAL. . . . . .THOUSANDS. .	719	436	283	518	295	223	173	123	50	52	30	22
PERCENT.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
NO INCOME.	13.1	8.9	19.6	13.9	9.6	19.5	9.5	6.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
LOSS	4.2	5.9	1.5	5.5	8.3	1.8	0.8	1.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1 TO $499	8.7	9.1	8.1	9.5	10.0	8.8	7.1	7.6	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$500 TO $999	7.4	7.8	6.6	8.6	10.0	6.8	4.1	3.8	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1,000 TO $1,499	12.0	9.0	16.7	12.3	9.6	15.8	9.5	6.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1,500 TO $1,999	11.7	14.1	8.1	9.5	11.2	7.3	16.9	18.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$2,000 TO $2,499	16.8	16.2	17.8	16.1	15.5	16.9	20.9	19.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$2,500 TO $2,999	26.1	29.0	21.6	24.6	25.8	23.1	31.3	37.8	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$3,000 AND OVER.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	1 697	1 828	1 425	1 514	1 614	1 413	2 052	2 179	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	1 386	1 397	1 371	1 250	1 166	1 362	1 798	1 923	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
45 TO 59 YEARS												
TOTAL. . . . . .THOUSANDS. .	843	319	524	570	214	356	267	102	165	39	17	22
PERCENT.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)
NO INCOME.	9.5	8.6	10.0	9.6	7.9	10.7	8.8	10.5	7.8	(B)	(B)	(B)
LOSS	2.1	2.8	1.7	3.1	4.2	2.5	-	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1 TO $499	6.3	7.2	5.7	6.6	6.9	6.3	5.8	8.1	4.4	(B)	(B)	(B)
$500 TO $999	6.6	8.6	5.4	7.5	8.7	6.8	4.3	7.0	2.6	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1,000 TO $1,499	11.3	9.9	12.1	10.8	7.3	12.9	12.2	15.7	10.0	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1,500 TO $1,999	12.5	6.4	16.3	12.6	5.1	17.2	12.7	9.3	14.7	(B)	(B)	(B)
$2,000 TO $2,499	27.5	24.0	29.7	22.5	21.0	23.4	38.3	30.0	43.4	(B)	(B)	(B)
$2,500 TO $2,999	24.1	32.5	19.0	27.2	38.9	20.2	17.9	19.4	17.0	(B)	(B)	(B)
$3,000 AND OVER.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	2 030	2 134	1 962	1 989	2 235	1 814	2 081	1 971	2 120	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	1 658	1 692	1 637	1 600	1 693	1 544	1 793	1 693	1 855	(B)	(B)	(B)

[1]PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

Table 35. Total Money Income of Unrelated Individuals—Unrelated Individuals Below the Poverty Level in 1977 by Age, Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin—Continued

(UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TOTAL MONEY INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK			SPANISH ORIGIN[1]		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
00 TO 64 YEARS												
TOTAL. . . . . .THOUSANDS. .	475	117	358	387	93	294	86	24	62	17	2	15
PERCENT.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
NO INCOME.	3.9	2.4	4.4	2.8	3.0	2.7	9.2	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
LOSS	1.2	3.4	0.5	1.4	4.2	0.6	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1 TO $499	4.8	11.4	2.7	4.8	9.6	3.3	5.1	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$500 TO $999	4.9	3.8	5.3	4.8	4.7	4.8	5.5	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1,000 TO $1,499	10.5	13.0	9.7	9.3	12.0	8.5	14.6	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1,500 TO $1,999	12.6	10.0	13.4	13.3	10.1	14.4	9.6	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$2,000 TO $2,499	29.2	31.4	28.5	28.5	32.7	27.2	33.3	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$2,500 TO $2,999	32.9	24.7	35.5	35.1	23.8	38.7	22.5	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
$3,000 AND OVER.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	2 206	2 097	2 246	2 238	2 098	2 292	2 088	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	1 916	1 689	1 990	1 940	1 630	2 038	1 810	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER												
TOTAL. . . . . .THOUSANDS. .	2 001	386	1 615	1 617	273	1 344	362	99	263	62	24	38
PERCENT.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)
NO INCOME.	0.9	0.7	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.1	0.3	-	0.5	(B)	(B)	(B)
LOSS	0.2	0.6	0.1	0.3	0.9	0.1	-	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1 TO $499	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.8	0.6	0.6	-	0.8	(B)	(B)	(B)
$500 TO $999	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.7	1.1	0.9	2.2	0.4	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1,000 TO $1,499	9.1	8.6	9.3	9.0	8.2	9.2	10.3	10.9	10.0	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1,500 TO $1,999	14.2	15.7	13.8	14.5	15.8	14.2	13.7	17.2	12.3	(B)	(B)	(B)
$2,000 TO $2,499	43.1	43.7	42.9	40.9	39.6	41.2	51.2	51.9	50.9	(B)	(B)	(B)
$2,500 TO $2,999	30.9	29.1	31.3	32.6	33.0	32.5	23.0	17.7	25.0	(B)	(B)	(B)
$3,000 AND OVER.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEDIAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	2 278	2 261	2 282	2 288	2 286	2 288	2 236	2 189	2 254	(B)	(B)	(B)
MEAN INCOME. . . . . .DOLLARS. .	2 185	2 154	2 193	2 186	2 155	2 192	2 165	2 108	2 186	(B)	(B)	(B)

[1]PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

Table 36. Total Money Income by Size of Family—Families and Related Children Under 18 Years Old Below the Poverty Level in 1977 by Sex and Race of Head

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND RELATED CHILDREN AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TOTAL MONEY INCOME	SIZE OF FAMILY									PERSONS IN FAMILIES[1]	RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS[1]		
	TOTAL	2 PERSONS	3 PERSONS	4 PERSONS	5 PERSONS	6 PERSONS	7 PERSONS	8 OR MORE PERSONS NUMBER	8 OR MORE PERSONS MEAN		TOTAL	UNDER 6 YEARS	6 TO 17 YEARS
ALL RACES													
ALL FAMILIES													
TOTAL	5 311	1 816	1 038	980	696	355	208	218	8.77	19 505	10 028	3 326	6 702
NO INCOME	122	69	31	12	2	5	1	2	(B)	341	173	70	104
LOSS	198	53	46	52	31	11	3	1	(B)	701	258	71	187
$1 TO $999	273	145	74	33	17	2	-	3	(B)	758	321	113	208
$1,000 TO $1,499	228	101	65	36	18	5	2	1	(B)	687	356	164	193
$1,500 TO $1,999	312	138	75	58	30	7	2	2	(B)	932	471	205	266
$2,000 TO $2,499	460	232	106	56	39	14	6	8	(B)	1 388	631	266	364
$2,500 TO $2,999	460	266	95	45	29	14	5	5	(B)	1 301	541	218	324
$3,000 TO $3,499	751	464	134	79	39	20	7	8	(B)	2 086	817	314	503
$3,500 TO $3,999	595	284	163	80	39	15	10	4	(B)	1 750	736	272	465
$4,000 TO $4,999	763	63	248	214	132	58	20	28	(B)	3 084	1 795	547	1 248
$5,000 TO $5,999	520	-	-	246	160	60	23	32	(B)	2 541	1 528	457	1 071
$6,000 TO $6,999	345	-	-	70	129	83	33	30	(B)	1 906	1 150	310	840
$7,000 TO $7,999	142	-	-	-	32	52	26	33	(B)	934	567	147	419
$8,000 AND OVER	141	-	-	-	-	9	71	61	(B)	1 097	684	173	511
MEDIAN INCOME .DOLLARS	3 401	2 818	3 100	4 183	4 793	5 438	6 779	6 484	...	...	...	...	...
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	3 292	2 334	2 556	3 393	4 076	4 846	6 459	6 255	...	...	...	...	...
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER .DOLLARS	896	1 160	858	859	826	817	937	713	...	...	...	...	...
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD													
TOTAL	2 701	951	399	497	378	204	129	143	8.74	10 300	4 371	1 442	2 928
NO INCOME	31	26	1	1	-	-	-	2	(B)	81	23	4	19
LOSS	192	51	43	52	31	11	3	1	(B)	685	251	69	182
$1 TO $999	136	78	25	19	11	1	-	3	(B)	390	118	34	84
$1,000 TO $1,499	81	33	18	15	11	2	-	1	(B)	263	105	38	66
$1,500 TO $1,999	106	50	21	19	9	4	-	2	(B)	321	108	34	74
$2,000 TO $2,499	200	113	41	24	12	6	1	3	(B)	578	169	63	106
$2,500 TO $2,999	214	136	41	19	11	6	1	1	(B)	570	135	51	85
$3,000 TO $3,499	378	272	45	29	16	10	3	3	(B)	985	206	69	137
$3,500 TO $3,999	299	166	58	36	21	10	4	4	(B)	873	241	88	153
$4,000 TO $4,999	356	27	105	105	50	35	13	21	(B)	1 524	748	281	467
$5,000 TO $5,999	290	-	-	135	93	26	18	18	(B)	1 431	766	286	479
$6,000 TO $6,999	208	-	-	43	87	43	17	17	(B)	1 118	626	213	413
$7,000 TO $7,999	106	-	-	-	25	45	15	21	(B)	675	389	100	290
$8,000 AND OVER	105	-	-	-	-	6	54	45	(B)	806	486	114	373
MEDIAN INCOME .DOLLARS	3 521	2 961	3 094	4 330	5 174	5 682	7 258	6 704	...	...	...	...	...
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	3 263	2 264	2 226	3 035	3 941	4 856	6 842	6 308	...	...	...	...	...
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER .DOLLARS	856	1 129	744	766	795	819	988	722	...	...	...	...	...
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD													
TOTAL	2 610	864	639	483	318	151	79	75	8.83	9 205	5 658	1 884	3 774
NO INCOME	92	44	30	10	2	5	1	-	(B)	260	150	66	84
LOSS	6	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	16	7	2	5
$1 TO $999	137	67	49	14	6	1	-	-	(B)	368	203	79	124
$1,000 TO $1,499	147	68	46	21	7	3	2	-	(B)	423	252	125	127
$1,500 TO $1,999	207	88	54	39	21	3	2	-	(B)	612	363	171	192
$2,000 TO $2,499	260	119	64	32	26	8	4	5	(B)	810	462	203	259
$2,500 TO $2,999	246	131	54	26	18	8	4	4	(B)	731	406	167	239
$3,000 TO $3,499	373	191	90	50	23	10	4	5	(B)	1 100	611	245	366
$3,500 TO $3,999	296	118	105	44	18	5	5	-	(B)	878	495	184	311
$4,000 TO $4,999	407	36	143	109	82	23	7	7	(B)	1 560	1 047	267	781
$5,000 TO $5,999	231	-	-	111	67	34	5	14	(B)	1 110	762	171	591
$6,000 TO $6,999	137	-	-	26	42	40	16	12	(B)	788	524	97	427
$7,000 TO $7,999	36	-	-	-	7	7	11	11	(B)	259	177	48	130
$8,000 AND OVER	36	-	-	-	-	3	17	16	(B)	291	198	59	139
MEDIAN INCOME .DOLLARS	3 283	2 669	3 102	4 041	4 467	5 255	6 315	6 174	...	...	...	...	...
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	3 321	2 412	2 762	3 761	4 237	4 832	5 837	6 154	...	...	...	...	...
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER .DOLLARS	942	1 194	929	956	864	815	853	697	...	...	...	...	...

[1]DISTRIBUTED BY THE INCOME OF THE FAMILY.

Table 36. Total Money Income by Size of Family—Families and Related Children Under 18 Years Old Below the Poverty Level in 1977 by Sex and Race of Head—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND RELATED CHILDREN AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TOTAL MONEY INCOME	SIZE OF FAMILY										RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS[1]		
								8 OR MORE PERSONS					
	TOTAL	2 PERSONS	3 PERSONS	4 PERSONS	5 PERSONS	6 PERSONS	7 PERSONS	NUMBER	MEAN	PERSONS IN FAMILIES[1]	TOTAL	UNDER 6 YEARS	6 TO 17 YEARS
WHITE													
ALL FAMILIES													
TOTAL	3 540	1 331	698	661	433	211	101	105	8.76	12 364	5 943	1 965	3 978
NO INCOME	87	47	24	7	2	3	1	2	(B)	248	134	58	76
LOSS	190	52	44	48	31	11	3	1	(B)	673	248	65	183
$1 TO $999	204	106	55	25	15	1	-	3	(B)	581	241	80	162
$1,000 TO $1,499	143	58	36	32	11	2	2	1	(B)	450	221	93	128
$1,500 TO $1,999	193	93	41	36	17	4	-	2	(B)	573	262	103	159
$2,000 TO $2,499	287	166	61	37	13	6	1	3	(B)	800	301	128	173
$2,500 TO $2,999	307	200	60	24	17	3	1	2	(B)	803	275	117	159
$3,000 TO $3,499	493	341	75	44	15	10	4	5	(B)	1 279	423	167	256
$3,500 TO $3,999	425	227	116	43	25	11	3	2	(B)	1 186	457	172	285
$4,000 TO $4,999	518	42	187	145	80	41	9	14	(B)	2 027	1 152	358	794
$5,000 TO $5,999	336	-	-	176	104	28	15	13	(B)	1 589	937	279	658
$6,000 TO $6,999	203	-	-	45	84	45	13	17	(B)	1 097	653	183	470
$7,000 TO $7,999	82	-	-	-	20	39	14	10	(B)	510	305	83	222
$8,000 AND OVER	72	-	-	-	-	6	36	30	(B)	549	333	79	254
MEDIAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	3 364	2 860	3 191	4 242	4 881	5 453	6 911	6 257	...	...	...	...	...
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	3 056	2 297	2 469	3 170	3 844	4 745	6 489	5 942	...	...	...	...	...
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER .DOLLARS.	875	1 145	829	799	780	802	939	679	...	...	...	...	...
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD													
TOTAL	2 140	790	317	410	303	151	83	85	8.90	7 890	3 250	1 098	2 152
NO INCOME	24	19	1	1	-	-	-	2	(B)	66	23	3	19
LOSS	184	50	40	48	31	11	3	1	(B)	658	242	63	178
$1 TO $999	114	60	24	16	11	1	-	3	(B)	340	110	29	80
$1,000 TO $1,499	61	22	15	15	7	2	-	1	(B)	206	79	33	46
$1,500 TO $1,999	91	45	16	17	8	3	-	2	(B)	276	91	29	62
$2,000 TO $2,499	156	90	32	20	6	4	1	2	(B)	444	121	49	72
$2,500 TO $2,999	175	118	30	15	9	2	1	1	(B)	454	96	41	55
$3,000 TO $3,499	304	228	31	22	11	6	3	3	(B)	777	155	57	98
$3,500 TO $3,999	240	139	41	29	17	9	3	2	(B)	683	186	68	118
$4,000 TO $4,999	283	20	88	86	42	26	9	13	(B)	1 188	575	227	348
$5,000 TO $5,999	214	-	-	107	68	17	15	8	(B)	1 028	545	198	347
$6,000 TO $6,999	160	-	-	34	73	31	9	13	(B)	857	491	160	331
$7,000 TO $7,999	69	-	-	-	20	35	8	7	(B)	424	241	71	170
$8,000 AND OVER	64	-	-	-	-	3	33	28	(B)	488	295	69	226
MEDIAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	3 435	2 964	3 025	4 260	5 135	5 611	6 825	6 421	...	...	...	...	...
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	3 006	2 207	2 036	2 824	3 733	4 645	6 519	5 961	...	...	...	...	...
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER .DOLLARS.	815	1 098	678	711	757	786	945	669	...	...	...	...	...
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD													
TOTAL	1 400	542	381	250	130	60	18	20	(B)	4 474	2 693	868	1 826
NO INCOME	63	28	23	6	2	3	1	-	(B)	182	111	54	57
LOSS	6	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	16	7	2	5
$1 TO $999	90	46	31	9	4	-	-	-	(B)	240	132	50	82
$1,000 TO $1,499	81	36	21	17	5	-	2	-	(B)	244	142	60	82
$1,500 TO $1,999	102	48	26	18	8	1	-	-	(B)	297	171	74	97
$2,000 TO $2,499	131	76	29	17	7	1	-	1	(B)	356	180	79	101
$2,500 TO $2,999	133	82	31	10	9	-	-	1	(B)	350	179	76	104
$3,000 TO $3,499	189	113	44	22	4	4	1	2	(B)	502	268	110	158
$3,500 TO $3,999	185	88	74	13	7	2	-	-	(B)	502	271	104	167
$4,000 TO $4,999	235	22	99	59	38	15	-	1	(B)	839	577	131	445
$5,000 TO $5,999	121	-	-	69	36	11	-	5	(B)	560	392	81	311
$6,000 TO $6,999	43	-	-	10	10	14	5	4	(B)	240	163	24	139
$7,000 TO $7,999	13	-	-	-	-	4	6	2	(B)	87	63	12	51
$8,000 AND OVER	9	-	-	-	-	3	3	3	(B)	61	38	11	27
MEDIAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	3 249	2 709	3 309	4 215	4 506	(B)	(B)	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	3 133	2 427	2 830	3 737	4 102	(B)	(B)	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER .DOLLARS.	980	1 215	957	944	834	842	914	722	...	...	...	...	...

[1]DISTRIBUTED BY THE INCOME OF THE FAMILY.

Table 36. Total Money Income by Size of Family—Families and Related Children Under 18 Years Old Below the Poverty Level in 1977 by Sex and Race of Head—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND RELATED CHILDREN AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TOTAL MONEY INCOME	SIZE OF FAMILY									PERSONS IN FAMILIES[1]	RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS[1]		
	TOTAL	2 PERSONS	3 PERSONS	4 PERSONS	5 PERSONS	6 PERSONS	7 PERSONS	8 OR MORE PERSONS NUMBER	8 OR MORE PERSONS MEAN		TOTAL	UNDER 6 YEARS	6 TO 17 YEARS
BLACK													
ALL FAMILIES													
TOTAL	1 637	439	312	298	243	137	104	104	8.81	6 667	3 850	1 293	2 556
NO INCOME	34	22	7	3	-	1	-	-	(B)	87	37	12	25
LOSS	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	(B)	10	3	-	3
$1 TO $999	56	31	17	7	1	1	-	-	(B)	149	70	30	40
$1,000 TO $1,499	72	34	25	4	7	3	-	-	(B)	207	122	65	57
$1,500 TO $1,999	115	44	34	19	13	3	2	-	(B)	353	208	101	107
$2,000 TO $2,499	162	64	41	16	24	8	4	5	(B)	560	318	136	182
$2,500 TO $2,999	137	58	30	18	12	11	4	3	(B)	459	253	94	159
$3,000 TO $3,499	250	116	59	34	24	10	3	3	(B)	784	384	146	238
$3,500 TO $3,999	153	50	44	37	11	3	6	2	(B)	511	259	92	166
$4,000 TO $4,999	231	21	54	69	50	14	11	12	(B)	986	605	183	421
$5,000 TO $5,999	173	-	-	67	51	30	7	19	(B)	896	556	168	388
$6,000 TO $6,999	133	-	-	23	42	39	19	10	(B)	763	469	118	351
$7,000 TO $7,999	55	-	-	-	10	12	12	21	(B)	391	240	59	181
$8,000 AND OVER	64	-	-	-	-	1	35	29	(B)	509	326	88	238
MEDIAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	3 480	2 714	3 010	4 143	4 609	5 439	6 730	6 788	...	...	...	...	...
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	3 807	2 467	2 774	3 966	4 418	4 951	6 458	6 527	...	...	...	...	...
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER .DOLLARS.	935	1 203	926	1 004	885	830	945	741	...	...	...	...	...
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD													
TOTAL	475	134	66	73	63	48	43	48	(B)	2 072	965	297	668
NO INCOME	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	13	-	-	-
LOSS	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	(B)	10	3	-	3
$1 TO $999	14	11	1	1	-	-	-	-	(B)	33	5	3	2
$1,000 TO $1,499	11	5	1	-	5	-	-	-	(B)	38	17	3	14
$1,500 TO $1,999	14	4	5	2	1	1	-	-	(B)	42	17	5	12
$2,000 TO $2,499	40	21	10	2	5	1	-	1	(B)	123	45	12	33
$2,500 TO $2,999	28	14	7	2	2	3	-	-	(B)	86	30	4	26
$3,000 TO $3,499	70	42	13	6	5	4	-	-	(B)	193	45	11	34
$3,500 TO $3,999	49	23	14	6	2	-	2	2	(B)	158	46	16	30
$4,000 TO $4,999	63	7	13	19	7	7	4	6	(B)	284	148	49	99
$5,000 TO $5,999	69	-	-	26	22	9	2	10	(B)	374	208	84	124
$6,000 TO $6,999	39	-	-	7	11	12	8	1	(B)	217	109	46	63
$7,000 TO $7,999	32	-	-	-	3	10	7	12	(B)	219	126	23	103
$8,000 AND OVER	36	-	-	-	-	1	20	15	(B)	279	166	39	127
MEDIAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	4 039	3 057	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	4 399	2 686	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER .DOLLARS.	1 008	1 351	1 060	1 115	881	898	1 090	805	...	...	...	...	...
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD													
TOTAL	1 162	305	246	226	181	89	60	56	(B)	4 595	2 885	997	1 888
NO INCOME	28	16	7	3	-	1	-	-	(B)	74	37	12	25
LOSS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	-	-	-	-
$1 TO $999	42	19	16	5	1	1	-	-	(B)	116	65	27	38
$1,000 TO $1,499	61	29	23	4	2	3	-	-	(B)	169	105	62	43
$1,500 TO $1,999	102	40	28	18	12	2	2	-	(B)	310	191	96	95
$2,000 TO $2,499	122	43	32	14	19	7	4	4	(B)	437	273	124	149
$2,500 TO $2,999	108	44	23	16	9	8	4	3	(B)	373	223	90	133
$3,000 TO $3,499	180	74	46	28	19	6	3	3	(B)	591	340	135	204
$3,500 TO $3,999	104	26	30	31	9	3	5	-	(B)	353	212	77	136
$4,000 TO $4,999	167	14	41	50	43	7	7	6	(B)	702	457	134	323
$5,000 TO $5,999	104	-	-	41	29	21	5	8	(B)	521	348	84	264
$6,000 TO $6,999	93	-	-	16	31	26	12	8	(B)	546	360	72	288
$7,000 TO $7,999	24	-	-	-	7	3	5	9	(B)	172	114	36	78
$8,000 AND OVER	28	-	-	-	-	-	14	14	(B)	230	160	48	111
MEDIAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	3 329	2 567	2 864	3 900	4 444	5 274	(B)	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	3 565	2 370	2 682	3 826	4 344	4 716	(B)	(B)	...	...	...	...	...
INCOME PER FAMILY MEMBER .DOLLARS.	901	1 140	891	968	886	794	840	689	...	...	...	...	...

[1]DISTRIBUTED BY THE INCOME OF THE FAMILY.

Table 37. Source of Income—Families and Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Age, Sex, and Race of Head

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SOURCE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
ALL FAMILIES									
TOTAL	57 215	5 311	9.3	50 530	3 540	7.0	5 806	1 537	28.2
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	18 264	3 292	...	18 997	3 056	...	11 962	3 807	...
EARNINGS ONLY	13 775	1 151	8.4	11 569	850	7.4	1 964	264	13.5
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	16 410	3 226	...	16 892	2 856	...	13 882	4 406	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	11 492	816	7.1	9 463	558	5.9	1 825	232	12.7
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	585	183	31.3	542	160	29.6	32	17	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1 697	152	8.9	1 565	132	8.4	107	15	14.2
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	36 356	1 930	5.3	33 001	1 298	3.9	2 790	580	20.8
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	21 005	3 593	...	21 629	3 170	...	13 597	4 512	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1 513	164	10.8	1 195	103	8.6	291	53	18.1
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	1 072	539	50.3	613	285	46.4	425	242	56.9
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	159	40	24.9	91	19	20.9	65	21	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	26 578	743	2.8	24 897	632	2.5	1 273	90	7.1
OTHER COMBINATIONS	7 034	445	6.3	6 205	259	4.2	735	175	23.8
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	6 963	2 110	30.3	5 875	1 307	22.3	1 018	758	74.4
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	7 936	3 240	...	8 633	3 271	...	4 181	3 230	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	812	313	38.5	704	241	34.2	99	64	64.5
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	942	895	95.0	489	470	96.1	440	413	93.7
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	69	62	(B)	39	34	(B)	28	27	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	270	164	60.6	210	123	58.5	48	32	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	294	147	49.9	194	84	43.5	98	63	63.6
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	87	63	72.0	58	36	(B)	25	24	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	70	38	(B)	40	18	(B)	30	19	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	4 419	430	9.7	4 140	302	7.3	250	117	47.0
NO INCOME	120	120	100.0	85	85	100.0	34	34	(B)
HEAD UNDER 25 YEARS	3 851	750	19.5	3 241	463	14.3	569	278	48.9
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	10 970	2 583	...	11 727	2 567	...	6 673	2 640	...
EARNINGS ONLY	1 456	172	11.8	1 239	134	10.8	200	36	18.0
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	11 027	2 169	...	11 245	2 038	...	9 762	(B)	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	1 346	157	11.6	1 130	119	10.5	200	36	18.0
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	14	4	(B)	14	4	(B)	-	-	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	96	11	11.7	94	11	11.8	-	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	2 045	263	12.9	1 831	177	9.6	194	84	43.3
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	12 328	3 171	...	12 874	3 224	...	7 052	3 124	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	33	4	(B)	28	3	(B)	5	1	(B)
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	210	136	64.7	132	78	59.1	74	57	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	3	1	(B)	1	1	(B)	2	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	1 628	90	5.6	1 535	74	4.8	81	14	17.4
OTHER COMBINATIONS	171	32	18.5	135	20	15.2	31	11	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	316	280	88.7	148	129	87.1	164	147	89.9
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	3 104	2 595	...	3 390	2 674	...	2 898	2 568	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	10	4	(B)	5	1	(B)	5	3	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	245	231	94.4	101	98	97.4	142	131	92.2
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	2	2	(B)	1	1	(B)	1	1	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	34	23	(B)	25	16	(B)	7	6	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	5	-	(B)	2	-	(B)	3	-	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	21	19	(B)	14	13	(B)	6	6	(B)
NO INCOME	34	34	(B)	23	23	(B)	11	11	(B)
HEAD 25 TO 64 YEARS	45 152	3 852	8.5	39 826	2 605	6.5	4 559	1 145	25.1
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	19 938	3 485	...	20 734	3 190	...	13 157	4 153	...
EARNINGS ONLY	12 230	966	7.9	10 261	711	6.9	1 744	221	12.7
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	17 043	3 444	...	17 554	3 037	...	14 401	4 770	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	10 083	649	6.4	8 286	436	5.3	1 608	188	11.7
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	561	177	31.5	517	154	29.8	32	17	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1 586	140	8.8	1 458	120	8.3	104	15	14.5
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	30 493	1 503	4.9	27 722	1 031	3.7	2 213	429	19.4
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	22 208	3 721	...	22 811	3 219	...	14 686	4 872	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	876	98	11.2	697	66	9.4	163	29	17.9
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	858	400	46.7	480	205	42.8	349	184	52.7
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	138	30	22.0	82	16	19.4	53	14	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	24 625	647	2.6	23 052	557	2.4	1 179	71	6.0
OTHER COMBINATIONS	3 946	327	8.3	3 412	187	5.5	469	130	27.8
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	2 399	1 303	54.3	1 786	808	45.2	578	472	81.6
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	6 558	3 459	...	7 410	3 508	...	4 086	3 417	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	217	128	59.2	183	98	53.4	33	30	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	694	660	95.2	387	370	95.7	296	280	94.4
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	26	23	(B)	17	14	(B)	9	9	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	225	139	61.5	176	105	59.5	39	26	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	67	35	(B)	39	19	(B)	28	16	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	76	51	67.7	52	29	(B)	23	22	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	40	20	(B)	27	13	(B)	13	8	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	1 055	247	23.4	907	160	17.6	137	83	60.3
NO INCOME	80	80	100.0	56	56	(B)	23	23	(B)

Table 37. Source of Income—Families and Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Age, Sex, and Race of Head—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SOURCE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
ALL FAMILIES--CONTINUED									
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER	8 212	710	8.6	7 463	472	6.3	679	214	31.5
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	12 482	2 992	...	12 889	2 795	...	8 363	3 472	...
EARNINGS ONLY	89	13	14.6	69	5	(B)	19	7	(B)
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	17 484	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	64	10	(B)	47	3	(B)	17	7	(B)
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	10	3	(B)	10	2	(B)	-	-	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	15	1	(B)	12	1	(B)	2	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	3 868	164	4.2	3 448	90	2.6	383	68	17.7
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	16 129	3 100	...	16 777	2 497	...	10 618	(B)	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	604	61	10.1	471	35	7.4	123	22	17.9
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	4	3	(B)	1	1	(B)	2	1	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	19	8	(B)	8	2	(B)	11	6	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	329	6	1.7	310	1	0.3	12	5	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	2 917	85	2.9	2 658	52	1.9	235	34	14.4
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	4 248	527	12.4	3 940	371	9.4	276	139	50.2
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	9 073	3 040	...	9 384	2 962	...	5 143	3 299	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	585	180	30.8	516	142	27.5	62	31	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	3	3	(B)	1	1	(B)	2	2	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	41	37	(B)	21	19	(B)	18	17	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	11	2	(B)	9	2	(B)	2	-	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	227	112	49.4	155	65	42.1	70	47	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	12	12	(B)	6	6	(B)	2	2	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	26	18	(B)	12	6	(B)	14	11	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	3 343	163	4.9	3 219	129	4.0	107	29	26.9
NO INCOME	6	6	(B)	6	6	(B)	-	-	(B)
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL	48 979	2 701	5.5	44 701	2 140	4.8	3 529	475	13.5
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	19 686	3 263	...	20 047	3 006	...	15 190	4 399	...
EARNINGS ONLY	12 533	838	6.7	10 836	669	6.2	1 480	141	9.5
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	17 109	3 318	...	17 377	2 929	...	15 507	5 185	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	10 292	516	5.0	8 763	385	4.4	1 348	112	8.3
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	572	177	30.9	530	155	29.3	30	16	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1 669	146	8.7	1 542	128	8.3	102	13	12.8
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	31 403	1 041	3.3	29 184	836	2.9	1 727	169	9.8
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	22 432	3 266	...	22 765	2 910	...	16 767	4 797	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1 117	106	9.5	917	68	7.4	185	33	17.7
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	397	125	31.4	273	93	34.2	99	24	23.9
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	114	21	18.6	67	11	(B)	43	10	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	24 484	553	2.3	23 092	493	2.1	1 014	42	4.1
OTHER COMBINATIONS	5 291	235	4.4	4 834	170	3.5	386	61	15.8
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	5 014	793	15.8	4 660	613	13.2	316	158	50.1
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	9 045	3 320	...	9 330	3 326	...	5 390	3 453	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	677	247	36.4	602	202	33.5	67	37	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	81	81	99.0	69	69	(B)	10	10	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	42	40	(B)	26	24	(B)	14	14	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	127	57	44.5	93	34	36.5	26	17	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	209	112	53.4	152	73	47.9	56	39	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	28	24	(B)	25	21	(B)	3	3	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	46	21	(B)	35	17	(B)	11	3	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	3 804	212	5.6	3 657	173	4.7	128	34	26.3
NO INCOME	29	29	(B)	22	22	(B)	6	6	(B)
HEAD UNDER 25 YEARS	3 056	227	7.4	2 795	195	7.0	234	31	13.3
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	12 561	2 873	...	12 703	2 725	...	10 608	(B)	...
EARNINGS ONLY	1 317	106	8.1	1 159	92	7.9	147	14	9.6
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	11 619	2 374	...	11 640	2 207	...	11 327	(B)	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	1 207	91	7.5	1 051	77	7.3	147	14	9.6
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	14	4	(B)	14	4	(B)	-	-	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	96	11	11.7	94	11	11.8	-	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	1 708	101	5.9	1 612	87	5.4	79	13	16.7
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	13 444	3 564	...	13 596	3 457	...	9 825	(B)	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	22	-	(B)	21	-	(B)	1	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	59	22	(B)	46	16	(B)	12	7	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	3	1	(B)	1	1	(B)	2	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	1 502	61	4.1	1 441	58	4.0	51	3	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	122	16	13.0	103	12	11.8	14	3	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	28	17	(B)	20	13	(B)	8	4	(B)
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	5	5	(B)	5	5	(B)	-	-	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1	1	(B)	1	1	(B)	-	-	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	14	7	(B)	10	4	(B)	4	2	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	5	-	(B)	2	-	(B)	3	-	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	3	3	(B)	2	2	(B)	1	1	(B)
NO INCOME	4	4	(B)	4	4	(B)	-	-	(B)

Table 37. Source of Income—Families and Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Age, Sex, and Race of Head—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SOURCE 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
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD--CONTINUED									
HEAD 25 TO 64 YEARS	38 875	1 923	4.9	35 377	1 542	4.4	2 831	312	11.0
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS.	21 530	3 385	...	21 946	3 080	...	16 625	4 838	...
EARNINGS ONLY	11 138	724	6.5	9 612	571	5.9	1 319	125	9.5
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS.	17 748	3 482	...	18 052	3 079	...	15 993	5 378	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	9 031	420	4.7	7 669	306	4.0	1 190	96	8.0
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	549	170	31.0	507	149	29.4	30	16	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1 558	134	8.6	1 436	117	8.1	100	13	13.1
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	26 518	817	3.1	24 687	676	2.7	1 388	110	7.9
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS.	23 726	3 286	...	24 038	2 898	...	18 262	5 306	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	608	53	8.8	511	39	7.6	91	12	13.1
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	336	100	29.8	226	77	34.0	86	16	18.2
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	101	16	16.1	63	10	(B)	34	6	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	22 673	488	2.2	21 355	434	2.0	952	35	3.7
OTHER COMBINATIONS	2 800	160	5.7	2 532	116	4.6	224	41	18.4
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	1 196	358	29.9	1 061	278	26.2	117	71	60.3
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS.	8 477	3 639	...	8 905	3 706	...	5 276	(B)	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	140	86	61.3	126	74	58.7	14	12	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	75	74	98.9	63	62	(B)	10	10	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	13	13	(B)	9	8	(B)	4	4	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	107	48	44.7	77	28	36.3	23	15	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	48	28	(B)	32	16	(B)	16	12	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	23	20	(B)	20	17	(B)	3	3	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	24	11	(B)	22	11	(B)	2	-	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	765	79	10.3	711	61	8.6	44	15	(B)
NO INCOME	23	23	(B)	17	17	(B)	6	6	(B)
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER	7 048	551	7.8	6 530	403	6.2	464	132	28.4
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS.	12 604	2 998	...	12 900	2 859	...	8 752	3 502	...
EARNINGS ONLY	78	8	10.1	64	5	(B)	13	2	(B)
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS.	18 560	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	54	5	(B)	43	3	(B)	11	2	(B)
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	9	3	(B)	9	2	(B)	-	-	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	15	1	(B)	12	1	(B)	2	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	3 177	123	3.9	2 885	73	2.5	261	46	17.6
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS.	16 457	2 891	...	16 993	(B)	...	10 912	(B)	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	487	53	10.9	385	29	7.6	93	21	22.5
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	2	2	(B)	1	1	(B)	1	1	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	10	4	(B)	3	-	(B)	7	4	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	309	4	1.4	297	1	0.3	11	3	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	2 369	59	2.5	2 200	42	1.9	149	17	11.1
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	3 790	418	11.0	3 579	322	9.0	191	84	44.0
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS.	9 257	3 080	...	9 482	3 041	...	5 485	3 333	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	536	161	29.9	476	128	26.9	53	26	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	1	1	(B)	1	1	(B)	-	-	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	27	26	(B)	15	14	(B)	10	10	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	7	2	(B)	7	2	(B)	-	-	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	161	84	52.1	120	56	47.0	39	28	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	5	5	(B)	5	5	(B)	-	-	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	17	9	(B)	11	6	(B)	6	3	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	3 036	130	4.3	2 944	110	3.7	83	17	20.8
NO INCOME	2	2	(B)	2	2	(B)	-	-	(B)
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL	8 236	2 610	31.7	5 828	1 400	24.0	2 277	1 162	51.0
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS.	9 811	3 321	...	10 947	3 133	...	6 959	3 565	...
EARNINGS ONLY	1 242	312	25.1	734	182	24.8	484	123	25.4
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS.	9 362	2 978	...	9 730	2 586	...	8 914	3 514	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	1 200	300	25.0	700	173	24.7	477	120	25.1
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	14	7	(B)	11	5	(B)	2	1	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	29	6	(B)	22	4	(B)	5	2	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	4 954	889	17.9	3 817	462	12.1	1 063	411	38.7
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS.	11 964	3 976	...	12 947	3 639	...	8 445	4 394	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	396	57	14.4	278	36	12.8	106	20	18.7
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	675	414	61.4	340	191	56.2	326	219	67.0
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	45	18	(B)	23	7	(B)	22	11	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	2 094	189	9.0	1 805	139	7.7	259	48	18.5
OTHER COMBINATIONS	1 743	210	12.0	1 371	89	6.5	349	114	32.6
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	1 949	1 317	67.6	1 215	694	57.2	703	600	85.3
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS.	5 083	3 191	...	5 961	3 223	...	3 638	3 172	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	135	66	48.9	102	38	37.8	32	27	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	861	814	94.6	419	401	95.6	430	403	93.6
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	28	22	(B)	14	10	(B)	14	12	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	143	107	75.0	116	89	76.2	21	15	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	85	35	41.4	42	12	(B)	43	23	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	59	38	(B)	33	14	(B)	22	21	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	24	17	(B)	5	1	(B)	19	16	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	615	217	35.3	483	129	26.7	122	84	68.8
NO INCOME	91	91	100.0	63	63	(B)	28	28	(B)

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SOURCE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD--CONTINUED									
HEAD UNDER 25 YEARS	795	522	65.7	446	268	59.9	335	247	73.8
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	4 853	2 457	...	5 616	2 451	...	3 926	2 495	...
EARNINGS ONLY	139	66	47.3	80	42	52.7	53	22	(B)
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	5 401	(B)	...	5 503	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	139	66	47.3	80	42	52.7	53	22	(B)
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	338	163	48.2	219	90	41.0	115	71	61.7
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	6 683	2 928	...	7 566	3 000	...	5 139	(B)	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	11	4	(B)	7	3	(B)	4	1	(B)
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	151	113	75.2	86	63	72.5	63	51	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	127	29	22.9	94	16	17.0	30	11	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	49	16	(B)	32	8	(B)	18	8	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	288	264	91.5	128	116	90.8	157	144	91.8
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	2 957	2 602	...	3 198	2 721	...	2 807	2 547	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	10	4	(B)	5	1	(B)	5	3	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	240	226	94.3	96	93	97.2	142	131	92.2
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1	1	(B)	-	-	(B)	1	1	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	20	16	(B)	15	11	(B)	4	4	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	18	16	(B)	13	11	(B)	5	5	(B)
NO INCOME	30	30	(B)	19	19	(B)	11	11	(B)
HEAD 25 TO 64 YEARS	6 277	1 928	30.7	4 449	1 063	23.9	1 728	833	48.2
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	10 080	3 585	...	11 090	3 351	...	7 477	3 897	...
EARNINGS ONLY	1 092	241	22.1	649	140	21.5	425	96	22.6
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	9 861	3 329	...	10 171	2 863	...	9 457	3 980	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	1 051	229	21.8	617	131	21.2	418	93	22.1
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	12	7	(B)	10	5	(B)	2	1	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	29	6	(B)	22	4	(B)	5	2	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	3 925	685	17.5	3 036	355	11.7	825	318	38.6
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	11 950	4 239	...	12 831	3 831	...	8 673	4 722	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	268	45	16.7	186	27	14.5	72	17	(B)
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	522	300	57.5	254	129	50.5	262	168	64.0
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	37	14	(B)	19	5	(B)	18	9	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	1 953	159	8.1	1 697	123	7.2	227	36	15.7
OTHER COMBINATIONS	1 146	167	14.6	880	71	8.1	245	89	36.3
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	1 203	945	78.5	725	530	73.0	461	401	87.0
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	4 651	3 390	...	5 225	3 405	...	3 784	3 385	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	76	42	55.2	57	24	(B)	19	18	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	619	586	94.7	324	308	95.2	286	270	94.2
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	13	10	(B)	8	5	(B)	5	5	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	119	91	76.5	99	77	78.0	16	11	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	19	7	(B)	7	3	(B)	12	4	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	52	32	(B)	31	13	(B)	20	19	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	15	9	(B)	4	1	(B)	11	8	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	290	168	57.9	195	98	50.3	92	67	72.7
NO INCOME	57	57	(B)	39	39	(B)	17	17	(B)
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER	1 164	159	13.7	933	70	7.5	214	82	38.3
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	11 743	2 969	...	12 814	(B)	...	7 519	3 423	...
EARNINGS ONLY	11	5	(B)	5	-	(B)	6	5	(B)
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	10	5	(B)	3	-	(B)	6	5	(B)
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	1	-	(B)	1	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	691	41	5.9	563	17	3.0	123	22	17.9
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	14 619	(B)	...	15 670	(B)	...	9 996	(B)	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	117	8	6.7	86	6	6.5	30	1	(B)
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	2	1	(B)	-	-	(B)	1	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	9	4	(B)	5	2	(B)	4	2	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	15	1	(B)	13	-	(B)	1	1	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	548	27	4.6	459	9	2.0	86	17	20.0
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	458	109	23.8	362	49	13.4	85	55	64.3
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	7 556	2 887	...	8 416	(B)	...	4 378	(B)	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	49	20	(B)	40	14	(B)	8	6	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	2	2	(B)	-	-	(B)	2	2	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	14	11	(B)	6	4	(B)	8	6	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	4	-	(B)	2	-	(B)	2	-	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	66	28	(B)	35	9	(B)	31	19	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	7	7	(B)	2	2	(B)	2	2	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	9	8	(B)	1	-	(B)	8	8	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	307	33	10.8	275	20	7.2	24	12	(B)
NO INCOME	4	4	(B)	4	4	(B)	-	-	(B)

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SOURCE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
TOTAL	23 110	5 216	22.6	19 869	4 051	20.4	2 860	1 059	37.0
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	7 981	1 799	...	8 253	1 807	...	6 158	1 804	...
EARNINGS ONLY	6 136	1 060	17.3	4 863	803	16.5	1 143	217	19.0
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	8 390	1 485	...	8 624	1 428	...	7 569	1 722	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	5 645	931	16.5	4 425	699	15.8	1 107	202	18.2
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	256	87	33.9	225	73	32.3	21	8	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	235	42	18.0	213	32	14.9	14	6	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	8 627	869	10.1	7 831	743	9.5	649	113	17.4
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	11 163	1 821	...	11 316	1 789	...	9 348	2 059	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	438	100	22.8	358	73	20.4	78	27	34.0
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	96	56	58.6	63	38	(B)	33	18	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	48	25	(B)	31	16	(B)	16	9	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	6 857	572	8.3	6 285	521	8.3	441	38	8.7
OTHER COMBINATIONS	1 189	116	9.8	1 094	95	8.7	81	21	25.7
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	7 972	2 912	36.5	6 925	2 255	32.6	962	624	64.9
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	4 598	2 137	...	4 626	2 147	...	3 002	2 091	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1 516	916	60.4	1 280	749	58.5	221	152	69.0
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	237	205	86.7	110	100	91.0	125	105	83.7
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	306	255	83.3	194	155	79.9	112	100	89.3
OTHER INCOME ONLY	404	227	56.2	333	190	57.2	52	33	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	650	393	60.4	473	265	56.1	169	126	74.2
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	23	18	(B)	10	8	(B)	13	10	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	38	20	(B)	32	17	(B)	5	3	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	4 798	877	18.3	4 493	771	17.2	264	95	35.9
NO INCOME	375	375	100.0	250	250	100.0	105	105	100.0
UNDER 25 YEARS	4 115	1 177	28.6	3 590	960	26.7	416	172	41.2
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	6 009	1 446	...	6 164	1 536	...	5 013	1 062	...
EARNINGS ONLY	1 862	516	27.7	1 609	429	26.6	224	67	30.1
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	5 948	1 437	...	6 013	1 472	...	5 901	(B)	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	1 763	479	27.2	1 519	399	26.3	221	66	29.8
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	44	23	(B)	39	18	(B)	-	-	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	55	13	(B)	51	11	(B)	3	2	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	1 893	388	20.5	1 755	355	20.3	93	23	25.3
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	6 878	1 989	...	6 871	1 985	...	6 947	(B)	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	50	12	(B)	49	12	(B)	1	1	(B)
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	41	26	(B)	29	16	(B)	12	11	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	3	1	(B)	3	1	(B)	-	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	1 679	322	19.2	1 564	305	19.5	73	9	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	119	25	21.1	110	22	19.9	6	3	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	197	110	56.2	130	80	61.6	43	24	(B)
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	3 213	1 725	...	3 009	1 723	...	(B)	(B)	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	7	7	(B)	5	4	(B)	2	2	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	43	32	(B)	20	19	(B)	22	14	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	87	39	45.4	63	34	(B)	6	2	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	59	32	(B)	41	23	(B)	12	6	(B)
NO INCOME	164	164	100.0	95	95	100.0	56	56	(B)
25 TO 64 YEARS	11 676	2 037	17.4	9 714	1 475	15.2	1 759	525	29.8
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	10 341	1 622	...	10 861	1 566	...	7 507	1 797	...
EARNINGS ONLY	8 206	524	12.5	3 198	354	11.1	907	149	16.5
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	9 496	1 544	...	9 965	1 389	...	7 997	1 882	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	3 821	438	11.5	2 857	285	10.0	875	136	15.6
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	205	57	27.9	180	49	27.0	21	8	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	180	29	16.3	162	21	12.7	11	5	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	5 529	355	6.4	4 998	289	5.8	442	61	13.9
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	13 291	1 576	...	13 479	1 502	...	11 110	(B)	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	104	35	33.3	80	24	29.2	23	11	(B)
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	54	29	(B)	32	21	(B)	21	8	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	41	20	(B)	27	13	(B)	14	7	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	5 075	238	4.7	4 623	204	4.4	364	29	7.9
OTHER COMBINATIONS	256	34	13.3	235	27	11.4	20	7	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	1 749	966	55.2	1 380	694	50.3	363	267	73.5
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	4 185	2 006	...	4 537	1 993	...	2 879	2 045	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	272	207	76.3	213	167	78.3	55	37	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	165	146	89.0	73	65	(B)	90	80	89.3
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	193	155	80.3	118	87	74.1	75	68	90.2
OTHER INCOME ONLY	259	166	64.0	221	141	63.6	37	25	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	92	61	66.4	66	38	(B)	27	23	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	19	14	(B)	8	7	(B)	11	7	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	11	8	(B)	8	6	(B)	3	2	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	739	209	28.2	673	183	27.2	64	24	(B)
NO INCOME	192	192	100.0	137	137	100.0	48	48	(B)

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SOURCE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS--CONTINUED									
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 319	2 001	27.3	6 566	1 617	24.6	684	362	53.0
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	5 326	2 185	...	5 536	2 186	...	3 384	2 165	...
EARNINGS ONLY	68	20	(B)	56	20	(B)	12	-	(B)
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	61	14	(B)	49	14	(B)	12	-	(B)
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	6	6	(B)	6	6	(B)	-	-	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	1 205	127	10.5	1 078	99	9.2	115	28	24.4
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	8 133	1 993	...	8 529	1 925	...	4 493	(B)	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	284	53	18.6	228	38	16.6	54	15	(B)
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	1	1	(B)	1	1	(B)	-	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	4	4	(B)	1	1	(B)	2	2	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	102	12	11.5	98	12	12.0	4	-	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	814	57	7.0	749	46	6.2	54	11	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	6 027	1 836	30.5	5 415	1 481	27.3	556	333	59.9
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	4 763	2 232	...	4 943	2 243	...	3 098	2 167	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1 237	702	56.6	1 061	578	54.4	163	113	69.2
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	29	26	(B)	16	16	(B)	13	11	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	113	100	88.5	76	68	88.9	37	32	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	58	22	(B)	49	16	(B)	10	6	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	558	332	59.5	408	227	55.7	143	103	72.0
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	4	4	(B)	2	1	(B)	3	3	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	27	13	(B)	24	11	(B)	2	2	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	4 000	636	15.9	3 779	565	14.9	187	64	34.4
NO INCOME	19	19	(B)	17	17	(B)	1	1	(B)
MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
TOTAL	10 005	1 796	18.0	8 300	1 305	15.7	1 473	423	28.8
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	9 968	1 638	...	10 500	1 610	...	7 280	1 771	...
EARNINGS ONLY	3 520	542	15.4	2 746	397	14.5	693	119	17.2
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	9 358	1 440	...	9 784	1 309	...	7 989	1 887	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	3 143	451	14.4	2 405	324	13.5	667	107	16.1
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	187	55	29.4	169	48	28.7	13	6	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	190	35	18.5	172	25	14.4	13	6	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	4 328	382	8.8	3 878	332	8.5	359	41	11.3
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	13 217	1 782	...	13 440	1 743	...	11 020	(B)	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	152	35	23.1	118	25	20.9	34	11	(B)
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	38	16	(B)	24	11	(B)	14	6	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	22	5	(B)	15	5	(B)	7	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	3 800	281	7.4	3 440	253	7.4	276	18	6.6
OTHER COMBINATIONS	316	44	14.0	281	38	13.5	29	6	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	2 008	723	36.0	1 587	487	30.7	373	217	58.1
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	4 775	2 050	...	5 143	2 061	...	3 275	2 005	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	379	210	55.4	279	141	50.6	89	59	65.8
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	92	88	95.8	34	33	(B)	58	55	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	89	66	74.4	59	42	(B)	30	24	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	211	117	55.6	164	96	58.4	30	18	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	156	90	57.6	103	55	53.7	49	35	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	4	-	(B)	4	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	1 077	151	14.0	944	119	12.6	116	26	22.3
NO INCOME	150	150	100.0	89	89	100.0	47	47	(B)
UNDER 25 YEARS	2 134	539	25.3	1 865	430	23.1	201	76	37.5
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	6 764	1 421	...	6 939	1 523	...	6 058	1 138	...
EARNINGS ONLY	962	252	26.2	836	207	24.7	107	32	30.2
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	6 499	1 375	...	6 562	1 385	...	6 661	(B)	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	885	225	25.5	763	183	24.0	104	31	29.5
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	33	15	(B)	32	13	(B)	-	-	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	44	12	(B)	40	10	(B)	3	2	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	1 011	173	17.1	938	157	16.7	53	10	(B)
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	7 780	2 096	...	7 765	2 098	...	(B)	(B)	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	22	5	(B)	22	5	(B)	1	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	16	6	(B)	11	2	(B)	6	5	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	2	-	(B)	2	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	905	151	16.7	840	139	16.5	46	6	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	65	12	(B)	63	12	(B)	-	-	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	83	36	43.2	52	28	(B)	13	4	(B)
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	3 831	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	9	9	(B)	4	4	(B)	4	4	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	54	19	(B)	34	16	(B)	4	-	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	21	8	(B)	14	8	(B)	5	-	(B)
NO INCOME	78	78	100.0	39	39	(B)	29	29	(B)

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SOURCE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS--CONTINUED									
25 TO 64 YEARS	6 232	872	14.0	5 079	602	11.8	1 020	249	24.4
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	12 081	1 544	...	12 857	1 425	...	8 373	1 828	...
EARNINGS ONLY	2 532	284	11.2	1 894	184	9.7	576	87	15.1
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	10 464	1 524	...	11 225	1 260	...	8 251	2 033	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	2 234	222	9.9	1 628	136	8.4	553	77	13.9
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	151	38	25.4	134	33	24.5	13	6	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	147	24	16.1	132	15	11.2	10	5	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	3 000	170	5.7	2 669	140	5.3	265	26	9.8
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	15 392	1 380	...	15 704	1 257	...	12 464	(B)	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	35	14	(B)	24	6	(B)	11	8	(B)
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	22	10	(B)	14	9	(B)	8	1	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	20	5	(B)	13	5	(B)	7	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	2 842	123	4.3	2 551	107	4.2	225	12	5.5
OTHER COMBINATIONS	81	18	21.9	67	13	(B)	14	5	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	631	349	55.3	468	229	49.1	160	118	73.6
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	4 134	1 945	...	4 534	1 959	...	2 989	1 925	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	99	66	67.1	75	48	63.9	24	18	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	79	78	98.5	30	28	(B)	49	49	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	63	44	(B)	41	25	(B)	22	18	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	139	91	65.2	115	75	65.3	23	16	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	22	13	(B)	12	5	(B)	10	8	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	1	-	(B)	1	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	228	58	25.3	195	48	24.7	32	8	(B)
NO INCOME	69	69	(B)	48	48	(B)	18	18	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 639	386	23.5	1 357	273	20.1	251	99	39.4
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	6 105	2 154	...	6 570	2 155	...	3 822	2 108	...
EARNINGS ONLY	26	6	(B)	16	6	(B)	10	-	(B)
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	24	4	(B)	14	4	(B)	10	-	(B)
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	2	2	(B)	2	2	(B)	-	-	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	316	39	12.3	271	35	12.7	41	4	(B)
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	9 967	(B)	...	10 789	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	95	17	17.7	72	14	(B)	23	3	(B)
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	52	7	(B)	48	7	(B)	4	-	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	169	15	8.7	151	14	8.9	15	1	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	1 294	338	26.1	1 067	229	21.5	200	95	47.4
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	5 148	2 208	...	5 498	2 240	...	3 435	2 092	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	281	144	51.3	204	93	45.7	66	41	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	5	2	(B)	-	-	(B)	5	2	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	26	23	(B)	19	17	(B)	8	6	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	18	7	(B)	15	5	(B)	3	2	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	134	76	57.0	91	50	55.2	39	26	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	2	-	(B)	2	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	828	85	10.3	735	63	8.6	79	18	22.3
NO INCOME	3	3	(B)	3	3	(B)	-	-	(B)
FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
TOTAL	13 105	3 419	26.1	11 569	2 747	23.7	1 387	636	45.8
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	6 465	1 883	...	6 641	1 900	...	4 966	1 826	...
EARNINGS ONLY	2 616	518	19.8	2 117	406	19.2	450	98	21.7
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	7 088	1 533	...	7 118	1 545	...	6 922	1 522	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	2 502	480	19.2	2 020	375	18.5	440	95	21.5
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	69	32	(B)	57	24	(B)	8	3	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	45	7	(B)	40	7	(B)	1	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	4 300	487	11.3	3 953	411	10.4	290	72	24.9
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	9 096	1 851	...	9 233	1 827	...	7 278	(B)	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	286	65	22.6	240	48	20.2	44	16	(B)
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	58	40	(B)	39	27	(B)	19	13	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	25	20	(B)	16	11	(B)	9	9	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	3 057	291	9.5	2 845	268	9.4	166	20	12.0
OTHER COMBINATIONS	873	72	8.2	813	57	7.0	52	15	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	5 965	2 189	36.7	5 338	1 768	33.1	589	407	69.1
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	4 539	2 166	...	4 732	2 171	...	2 829	2 136	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1 137	706	62.1	1 001	608	60.8	131	93	71.2
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	144	117	80.8	75	67	88.5	67	49	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	217	189	87.0	134	112	83.7	83	76	92.4
OTHER INCOME ONLY	193	110	56.9	169	95	56.0	22	15	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	494	303	61.3	370	210	56.7	120	91	75.7
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	23	18	(B)	10	8	(B)	13	10	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	34	20	(B)	29	17	(B)	5	3	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	3 722	726	19.5	3 549	651	18.4	148	69	46.5
NO INCOME	225	225	100.0	161	161	100.0	59	59	(B)

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SOURCE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS--CONTINUED									
UNDER 25 YEARS	1 981	639	32.2	1 725	529	30.7	215	96	44.7
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	5 195	1 467	...	5 326	1 547	...	4 034	1 001	...
EARNINGS ONLY	900	264	29.3	773	222	28.7	117	35	30.0
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	5 360	1 496	...	5 420	1 552	...	5 207	(B)	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	878	254	28.9	756	216	28.6	117	35	30.0
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	11	9	(B)	6	5	(B)	-	-	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	12	1	(B)	11	1	(B)	-	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	882	214	24.3	818	199	24.3	40	13	(B)
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	5 842	1 903	...	5 846	1 895	...	(B)	(B)	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	28	8	(B)	27	7	(B)	1	1	(B)
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	25	20	(B)	19	14	(B)	6	6	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1	1	(B)	1	1	(B)	-	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	774	172	22.2	723	166	23.0	27	3	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	53	13	(B)	47	10	(B)	6	3	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	114	75	65.6	78	52	66.9	30	20	(B)
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	2 765	1 790	...	2 789	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	7	7	(B)	5	4	(B)	2	2	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	35	24	(B)	16	14	(B)	18	9	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	33	20	(B)	29	18	(B)	2	2	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	39	24	(B)	26	15	(B)	8	6	(B)
NO INCOME	85	85	100.0	57	57	(B)	28	28	(B)
25 TO 64 YEARS	5 444	1 166	21.4	4 635	873	18.8	739	276	37.4
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	8 350	1 681	...	8 674	1 664	...	6 313	1 769	...
EARNINGS ONLY	1 673	240	14.4	1 304	170	13.1	330	62	18.9
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	8 031	1 567	...	8 135	1 529	...	7 553	(B)	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	1 587	216	13.6	1 229	149	12.1	321	60	18.5
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	54	19	(B)	46	16	(B)	8	3	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	33	6	(B)	30	6	(B)	1	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	2 529	185	7.3	2 329	149	6.4	177	35	20.1
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	10 798	1 755	...	10 929	1 734	...	9 080	(B)	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	69	21	(B)	57	17	(B)	12	3	(B)
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	32	18	(B)	19	12	(B)	13	6	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	21	15	(B)	14	8	(B)	7	7	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	2 233	114	5.1	2 072	97	4.7	139	17	11.9
OTHER COMBINATIONS	175	16	9.3	168	14	8.2	6	2	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	1 118	617	55.1	912	465	51.0	202	149	73.4
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	4 214	2 040	...	4 538	2 010	...	2 792	2 139	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	173	141	81.5	139	119	86.1	32	19	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	86	69	80.3	44	37	(B)	41	31	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	130	112	85.6	77	62	80.0	53	50	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	120	75	62.6	106	66	61.8	13	9	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	70	48	(B)	54	33	(B)	17	14	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	19	14	(B)	8	7	(B)	11	7	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	10	8	(B)	6	6	(B)	3	2	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	510	151	29.6	478	135	28.2	32	16	(B)
NO INCOME	124	124	100.0	89	89	100.0	30	30	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	5 680	1 615	28.4	5 209	1 344	25.8	433	263	60.8
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	5 101	2 193	...	5 267	2 192	...	3 130	2 186	...
EARNINGS ONLY	42	14	(B)	40	14	(B)	2	-	(B)
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	37	10	(B)	35	10	(B)	2	-	(B)
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	5	4	(B)	5	4	(B)	-	-	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	889	88	9.9	806	64	7.9	73	24	(B)
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	7 480	1 926	...	7 768	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	189	36	19.1	156	24	15.4	31	12	(B)
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	1	1	(B)	1	1	(B)	-	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	4	4	(B)	1	1	(B)	2	2	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	50	5	(B)	50	5	(B)	-	-	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	645	42	6.6	598	33	5.5	40	10	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	4 733	1 498	31.6	4 348	1 251	28.8	357	238	66.8
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS.	4 658	2 237	...	4 807	2 243	...	2 910	2 197	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	956	559	58.4	857	484	56.5	97	72	74.2
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	24	24	(B)	15	15	(B)	9	9	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	87	77	89.2	57	51	(B)	29	26	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	40	15	(B)	34	11	(B)	7	4	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	424	255	60.2	317	177	55.8	103	76	74.0
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	4	4	(B)	2	1	(B)	3	3	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	24	12	(B)	22	11	(B)	2	2	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	3 173	551	17.4	3 044	501	16.5	108	47	43.4
NO INCOME	16	16	(B)	15	15	(B)	1	1	(B)

Table 38. Type of Income — Families and Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Age, Sex, and Race of Head

[NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. 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									
ALL FAMILIES									
TOTAL									
TOTAL[1]	57 215	5 311	9.3	50 530	3 540	7.0	5 806	1 637	28.2
EARNINGS[1]	50 131	3 080	6.1	44 571	2 148	4.8	4 754	845	17.8
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	47 783	2 674	5.6	42 321	1 782	4.2	4 679	812	17.4
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	7 463	492	6.6	7 067	425	6.0	278	52	18.7
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2 458	329	13.4	2 383	310	13.0	54	16	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	43 320	4 040	9.3	38 876	2 605	6.7	3 808	1 338	35.1
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	12 932	1 191	9.2	11 542	780	6.8	1 262	381	30.2
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	3 417	1 999	58.5	2 013	1 057	52.5	1 314	903	68.7
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 587	508	32.0	1 080	273	25.3	483	227	46.9
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[1]	8 601	551	6.4	7 671	399	5.2	808	139	17.2
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	30 342	700	2.3	28 928	629	2.2	981	44	4.5
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	9 761	516	5.3	9 000	373	4.1	659	133	20.2
NO INCOME	122	122	100.0	87	87	100.0	34	34	(B)
HEAD UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	3 851	750	19.5	3 241	463	14.3	569	278	48.9
EARNINGS[1]	3 501	435	12.4	3 070	311	10.1	394	120	30.5
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	3 467	419	12.1	3 037	295	9.7	394	120	30.5
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	241	20	8.4	236	20	8.5	2	-	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	67	17	(B)	67	17	(B)	-	-	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	2 361	544	23.0	1 979	305	15.4	358	231	64.7
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	125	20	16.2	96	13	13.6	26	7	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	582	411	70.5	326	203	62.4	248	205	82.5
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	19	5	(B)	8	2	(B)	11	2	(B)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[1]	659	57	8.6	602	46	7.7	54	11	(B)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1 191	53	4.5	1 141	47	4.1	36	4	(B)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	331	63	19.0	283	41	14.5	45	20	(B)
NO INCOME	34	34	(B)	23	23	(B)	11	11	(B)
HEAD 25 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	45 152	3 852	8.5	39 826	2 605	6.5	4 559	1 145	25.1
EARNINGS[1]	42 673	2 469	5.8	37 984	1 741	4.6	3 957	649	16.4
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	40 995	2 143	5.2	36 383	1 446	4.0	3 899	624	16.0
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	6 520	431	6.6	6 169	375	6.1	243	43	17.8
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1 944	274	14.1	1 885	261	13.8	41	11	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	32 842	2 806	8.5	29 509	1 838	6.2	2 791	900	32.3
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	5 215	564	10.8	4 510	351	7.8	639	201	31.4
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	2 643	1 514	57.3	1 593	824	51.7	981	658	67.1
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	879	251	28.6	590	134	22.8	276	114	41.4
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[1]	7 098	459	6.5	6 309	330	5.2	678	118	17.5
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	23 765	502	2.1	22 567	451	2.0	804	31	3.9
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	6 168	416	6.7	5 595	310	5.5	494	98	19.8
NO INCOME	83	83	100.0	58	58	(B)	23	23	(B)
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL[1]	8 212	710	8.6	7 463	472	6.3	679	214	31.5
EARNINGS[1]	3 958	177	4.5	3 517	96	2.7	403	75	18.7
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	3 321	112	3.4	2 900	41	1.4	386	68	17.7
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	701	41	5.9	662	30	4.5	33	9	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	447	37	8.4	432	32	7.3	13	5	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	8 116	691	8.5	7 388	461	6.2	660	207	31.3
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	7 592	606	8.0	6 936	415	6.0	597	174	29.1
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	192	75	39.0	94	30	31.5	86	40	47.1
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	688	252	36.6	483	137	28.3	195	110	56.3
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[1]	844	35	4.1	760	22	3.0	76	10	12.9
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	5 386	145	2.7	5 219	131	2.5	141	9	6.1
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	3 262	37	1.1	3 122	22	0.7	120	15	12.4
NO INCOME	6	6	(B)	6	6	(B)	-	-	(B)

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Table 38. Type of Income—Families and Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Age, Sex, and Race of Head—Continued

[NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT]

TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
NUMBER--CONTINUED									
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL									
TOTAL[1]	48 979	2 701	5.5	44 701	2 140	4.8	3 529	475	13.5
EARNINGS[1]	43 936	1 879	4.3	40 020	1 505	3.8	3 207	310	9.7
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	41 694	1 500	3.6	37 865	1 163	3.1	3 144	283	9.0
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	7 144	455	6.4	6 781	395	5.8	252	45	18.0
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2 375	322	13.5	2 307	305	13.2	49	14	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	36 417	1 834	5.0	33 844	1 449	4.3	2 043	327	16.0
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	10 397	809	7.8	9 562	603	6.3	744	186	24.9
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	1 175	411	35.0	869	309	35.5	256	92	36.0
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 020	319	31.3	755	214	28.3	248	101	40.5
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	7 575	417	5.5	6 870	325	4.7	592	80	13.4
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	27 786	521	1.9	26 611	487	1.8	779	14	1.8
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	7 469	144	1.9	7 012	111	1.6	380	28	7.4
NO INCOME	31	31	(B)	24	24	(B)	6	6	(B)
HEAD UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	3 056	227	7.4	2 795	195	7.0	234	31	13.3
EARNINGS[1]	3 025	207	6.8	2 771	179	6.5	226	27	12.1
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	2 993	193	6.4	2 740	165	6.0	226	27	12.1
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	235	18	7.8	230	18	8.0	2	-	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	67	17	(B)	67	17	(B)	-	-	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	1 736	117	6.8	1 632	99	6.1	87	17	19.5
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	82	5	6.3	69	3	(B)	10	1	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	140	43	30.7	111	32	28.5	25	11	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	17	4	(B)	8	2	(B)	9	1	(B)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	621	50	8.1	578	43	7.4	41	7	(B)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1 120	30	2.7	1 085	30	2.8	24	-	(B)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	204	14	7.0	191	13	7.1	11	-	(B)
NO INCOME	4	4	(B)	4	4	(B)	-	-	(B)
HEAD 25 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	38 875	1 923	4.9	35 377	1 542	4.4	2 831	312	11.0
EARNINGS[1]	37 655	1 542	4.1	34 299	1 247	3.6	2 707	235	8.7
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	36 043	1 233	3.4	32 757	965	2.9	2 656	214	8.1
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	6 276	404	6.4	5 951	354	6.0	224	37	16.7
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1 894	269	14.2	1 838	258	14.1	39	9	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	27 714	1 176	4.2	25 748	954	3.7	1 505	181	12.0
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	3 789	319	8.4	3 430	238	6.9	318	74	23.2
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	925	321	34.7	693	251	36.2	190	60	31.6
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	561	141	25.2	417	97	23.4	134	41	30.7
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	6 278	340	5.4	5 674	264	4.7	502	66	13.2
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	21 927	374	1.7	20 908	346	1.7	654	13	1.9
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	4 326	98	2.3	4 003	78	2.0	267	15	5.8
NO INCOME	25	25	(B)	18	18	(B)	6	6	(B)
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL[1]	7 048	551	7.8	6 530	403	6.2	464	132	28.4
EARNINGS[1]	3 256	130	4.0	2 949	79	2.7	273	48	17.6
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	2 658	74	2.8	2 369	33	1.4	261	41	15.7
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	633	33	5.2	600	22	3.7	26	8	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	414	35	8.4	401	29	7.2	10	5	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	6 968	541	7.8	6 464	395	6.1	451	130	28.8
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	6 526	486	7.4	6 063	361	6.0	416	111	26.6
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	109	47	43.1	65	26	(B)	41	21	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	442	174	39.4	331	114	34.5	105	58	55.4
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	676	27	4.0	619	18	2.9	49	6	(B)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	4 739	116	2.4	4 618	111	2.4	101	1	1.4
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	2 939	32	1.1	2 819	19	0.7	103	12	11.9
NO INCOME	2	2	(B)	2	2	(B)	-	-	(B)

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Table 38. Type of Income — Families and Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Age, Sex, and Race of Head—Continued

[NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. 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									
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL									
TOTAL[1]	8 236	2 610	31.7	5 828	1 400	24.0	2 277	1 162	51.0
EARNINGS[1]	6 196	1 201	19.4	4 551	643	14.1	1 547	534	34.6
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	6 089	1 173	19.3	4 455	620	13.9	1 536	530	34.5
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	319	37	11.6	286	30	10.5	26	7	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	82	7	8.5	77	5	6.4	5	2	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	6 903	2 206	32.0	5 032	1 156	23.0	1 765	1 011	57.3
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	2 536	382	15.1	1 980	177	8.9	519	196	37.7
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	2 243	1 588	70.8	1 144	749	65.4	1 058	811	76.6
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	567	189	33.3	325	59	18.2	235	126	53.7
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 026	134	13.0	800	73	9.2	216	59	27.6
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	2 556	179	7.0	2 317	142	6.1	202	30	14.7
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	2 292	372	16.2	1 988	262	13.2	279	105	37.6
NO INCOME	92	92	100.0	63	63	(B)	28	28	(B)
HEAD UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	795	522	65.7	446	266	59.9	335	247	73.8
EARNINGS[1]	476	228	47.9	299	132	44.1	167	93	55.3
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	474	226	47.7	297	130	43.8	167	93	55.3
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	6	2	(B)	6	2	(B)	-	-	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	626	426	68.1	347	206	59.4	271	215	79.1
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	43	15	(B)	27	10	(B)	16	5	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	442	367	83.2	215	172	79.9	223	193	86.8
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	2	1	(B)	-	-	(B)	2	1	(B)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	37	7	(B)	24	3	(B)	13	4	(B)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	71	23	(B)	57	17	(B)	12	4	(B)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	128	49	38.1	92	28	30.0	34	20	(B)
NO INCOME	30	30	(B)	19	19	(B)	11	11	(B)
HEAD 25 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	6 277	1 928	30.7	4 449	1 063	23.9	1 728	833	48.2
EARNINGS[1]	5 017	927	18.5	3 685	494	13.4	1 250	415	33.2
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	4 952	909	18.4	3 627	481	13.3	1 243	410	33.0
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	244	26	10.8	218	21	9.5	18	6	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	50	4	(B)	47	2	(B)	2	2	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	5 128	1 630	31.8	3 761	884	23.5	1 286	720	56.0
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	1 426	246	17.3	1 080	113	10.5	321	127	39.6
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	1 719	1 193	69.4	900	573	63.7	791	598	75.7
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	319	110	34.5	173	37	21.3	142	73	51.4
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	821	119	14.5	635	66	10.4	175	52	29.8
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1 838	128	6.9	1 659	106	6.4	150	19	12.4
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	1 841	318	17.3	1 593	232	14.6	227	83	36.3
NO INCOME	57	57	(B)	40	40	(B)	17	17	(B)
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL[1]	1 164	159	13.7	933	70	7.5	214	82	38.3
EARNINGS[1]	702	46	6.6	568	17	3.0	129	27	21.1
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	662	38	5.7	532	8	1.6	125	27	21.7
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	69	9	(B)	61	7	(B)	7	1	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	33	3	(B)	30	3	(B)	3	-	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	1 149	150	13.0	924	65	7.1	208	77	36.9
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	1 066	121	11.3	873	54	6.2	181	63	34.8
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	82	28	33.5	29	4	(B)	45	19	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	246	78	31.5	153	23	14.8	90	52	57.3
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	168	8	4.7	141	4	3.1	27	4	(B)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	647	29	4.5	601	20	3.3	39	7	(B)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	323	5	1.7	303	3	0.9	17	3	(B)
NO INCOME	4	4	(B)	4	4	(B)	-	-	(B)

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Table 38. Type of Income — Families and Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Age, Sex, and Race of Head—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
NUMBER--CONTINUED									
ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
TOTAL									
TOTAL[1]	23 110	5 216	22.6	19 869	4 051	20.4	2 860	1 059	37.0
EARNINGS[1]	14 763	1 929	13.1	12 694	1 546	12.2	1 792	330	18.4
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	13 844	1 733	12.5	11 834	1 368	11.6	1 756	316	18.0
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1 271	204	16.1	1 166	177	15.2	73	18	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	357	63	17.7	340	58	17.0	12	3	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	16 599	3 781	22.8	14 755	2 998	20.3	1 612	737	45.7
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	8 159	2 252	27.6	7 316	1 828	25.0	775	403	52.0
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	553	376	68.0	331	210	63.4	218	164	75.3
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 351	847	62.7	972	568	58.5	364	273	75.0
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	2 299	377	16.4	2 000	316	15.8	277	59	21.2
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	10 575	1 187	11.2	10 014	1 098	11.0	393	68	17.3
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	3 440	406	11.8	3 149	337	10.7	229	58	25.5
NO INCOME	375	375	100.0	250	250	100.0	105	105	100.0
UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	4 115	1 177	28.6	3 590	960	26.7	416	172	41.2
EARNINGS[1]	3 755	903	24.1	3 364	784	23.3	317	91	28.7
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	3 689	875	23.7	3 303	761	23.0	317	91	28.7
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	181	43	23.7	167	36	21.4	8	2	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	21	7	(B)	21	7	(B)	-	-	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	2 089	498	23.8	1 885	436	23.1	136	48	35.2
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	172	46	26.6	160	40	25.0	10	6	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	107	64	59.9	67	36	(B)	39	28	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	5	3	(B)	5	3	(B)	-	-	(B)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	426	48	11.3	381	41	10.6	43	8	(B)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1 424	292	20.5	1 326	271	20.5	52	12	(B)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	445	157	35.4	390	144	36.9	22	5	(B)
NO INCOME	164	164	100.0	95	95	100.0	56	56	(B)
25 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	11 676	2 037	17.4	9 714	1 475	15.2	1 759	525	29.8
EARNINGS[1]	9 735	879	9.0	8 196	643	7.8	1 349	211	15.6
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	9 177	758	8.3	7 671	533	6.9	1 324	200	15.1
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	929	135	14.5	855	115	13.4	57	16	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	164	35	21.1	155	32	20.5	5	1	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	7 278	1 321	18.1	6 378	983	15.4	805	328	40.8
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	1 210	443	36.6	1 034	346	33.4	172	94	55.0
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	323	242	75.0	176	127	72.3	146	114	78.5
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	429	289	67.4	287	180	62.6	141	109	77.1
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 360	215	15.8	1 154	184	15.9	192	29	15.3
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	5 057	352	7.0	4 745	328	6.9	232	19	8.2
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	1 088	162	14.9	972	124	12.7	101	35	34.6
NO INCOME	192	192	100.0	137	137	100.0	48	48	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL[1]	7 319	2 001	27.3	6 566	1 617	24.6	684	362	53.0
EARNINGS[1]	1 273	147	11.5	1 134	119	10.5	127	28	22.1
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	978	100	10.2	859	74	8.6	115	26	22.3
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	160	27	16.6	145	27	18.4	8	-	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	172	22	12.8	164	20	12.0	6	2	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	7 232	1 962	27.1	6 493	1 579	24.3	671	361	53.8
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	6 778	1 763	26.0	6 122	1 442	23.6	593	303	51.0
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	122	69	56.3	88	47	53.2	34	22	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	917	555	60.5	680	385	56.7	223	164	73.6
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	513	113	22.1	466	92	19.7	42	22	(B)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	4 094	543	13.3	3 943	498	12.6	109	37	34.3
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	1 907	87	4.6	1 787	69	3.9	105	18	17.1
NO INCOME	19	19	(B)	17	17	(B)	1	1	(B)

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Table 38. Type of Income—Families and Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Age, Sex, and Race of Head—Continued

[NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT]

TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
NUMBER--CONTINUED									
MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
TOTAL									
TOTAL[1]	10 005	1 796	18.0	8 300	1 305	15.7	1 473	423	28.8
EARNINGS[1]	7 847	924	11.8	6 624	728	11.0	1 053	160	15.2
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	7 308	805	11.0	6 113	617	10.1	1 033	153	14.8
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	837	128	15.3	771	111	14.4	48	12	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	196	42	21.4	184	38	20.8	10	2	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	6 335	1 105	17.4	5 464	818	15.0	733	258	35.2
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	1 935	478	24.7	1 606	336	20.9	301	132	43.8
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	188	132	70.2	95	55	58.0	93	77	82.7
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	346	190	54.9	240	127	52.8	102	63	62.0
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 349	155	11.5	1 149	129	11.3	188	23	12.5
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	4 046	365	9.0	3 783	339	9.0	170	14	8.0
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	1 170	130	11.1	999	93	9.3	127	28	22.3
NO INCOME	150	150	100.0	89	89	100.0	47	47	(B)
UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	2 134	539	25.3	1 865	430	23.1	201	76	37.5
EARNINGS[1]	1 973	425	21.5	1 774	363	20.5	160	43	26.7
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	1 922	405	21.1	1 724	345	20.0	160	43	26.7
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	134	31	23.3	126	28	22.3	7	2	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	21	6	(B)	21	6	(B)	-	-	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	1 093	209	19.1	990	185	18.7	66	15	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	81	17	21.5	78	17	22.3	1	-	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	34	15	(B)	24	6	(B)	10	9	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	2	-	(B)	2	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	298	26	8.8	268	24	9.0	29	2	(B)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	730	137	18.7	685	129	18.9	25	3	(B)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	207	54	26.2	170	47	27.8	15	2	(B)
NO INCOME	78	78	100.0	39	39	(B)	29	29	(B)
25 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	6 232	872	14.0	5 079	602	11.8	1 020	249	24.4
EARNINGS[1]	5 532	454	8.2	4 563	324	7.1	842	113	13.4
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	5 141	373	7.3	4 194	249	5.9	827	107	13.0
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	654	90	13.8	598	77	12.8	39	10	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	113	24	21.2	105	21	20.0	5	1	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	3 631	519	14.3	3 136	370	11.8	425	144	33.8
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	373	129	34.7	292	86	29.5	80	43	53.4
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	132	108	81.6	63	46	(B)	69	62	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	135	74	54.8	90	47	52.0	45	27	(B)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	910	116	12.8	757	99	13.1	144	15	10.3
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	2 535	149	5.9	2 353	137	5.8	123	8	6.1
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	430	60	14.0	363	38	10.5	57	20	(B)
NO INCOME	69	69	(B)	48	48	(B)	18	18	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL[1]	1 639	386	23.5	1 357	273	20.1	251	99	39.4
EARNINGS[1]	342	45	13.2	287	41	14.2	51	4	(B)
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	245	27	10.9	195	23	12.0	46	3	(B)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	48	7	(B)	46	7	(B)	2	-	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	63	12	(B)	58	11	(B)	5	1	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	1 611	377	23.4	1 338	264	19.7	241	99	41.1
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	1 481	331	22.3	1 235	232	18.8	220	89	40.4
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	22	9	(B)	8	3	(B)	14	6	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	209	116	55.6	148	80	54.1	57	36	(B)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	141	12	8.8	125	6	4.8	14	6	(B)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	781	79	10.1	745	72	9.7	21	3	(B)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	532	15	2.8	466	8	1.7	55	7	(B)
NO INCOME	3	3	(B)	3	3	(B)	-	-	(B)

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[NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT]

TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
NUMBER--CONTINUED									
FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
TOTAL									
TOTAL[1]	13 105	3 419	26.1	11 569	2 747	23.7	1 387	636	45.8
EARNINGS[1]	6 915	1 005	14.5	6 070	818	13.5	740	170	23.0
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	6 536	927	14.2	5 721	751	13.1	723	163	22.6
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	434	76	17.5	396	66	16.6	24	5	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	161	21	13.1	156	20	12.6	1	1	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	10 264	2 676	26.1	9 291	2 180	23.5	879	479	54.5
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	6 225	1 774	28.5	5 710	1 493	26.1	473	271	57.3
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	365	244	66.8	236	155	65.6	126	88	69.9
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 005	657	65.3	732	442	60.3	262	210	80.0
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	951	222	23.4	851	187	21.9	89	35	39.6
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	6 529	823	12.6	6 232	759	12.2	223	54	24.4
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	2 271	277	12.2	2 150	244	11.4	101	30	29.5
NO INCOME	225	225	100.0	161	161	100.0	59	59	(B)
UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	1 981	639	32.2	1 725	529	30.7	215	96	44.7
EARNINGS[1]	1 782	478	26.8	1 591	421	26.5	157	48	30.7
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	1 766	469	26.6	1 579	416	26.3	157	48	30.7
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	47	12	(B)	41	8	(B)	1	-	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1	1	(B)	1	1	(B)	-	-	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	996	289	29.0	895	251	28.0	70	33	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	90	28	31.2	81	22	27.7	9	6	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	73	49	(B)	43	30	(B)	29	19	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	3	3	(B)	3	3	(B)	-	-	(B)
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	128	22	17.2	113	16	14.5	14	6	(B)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	695	155	22.4	641	142	22.2	27	8	(B)
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	238	103	43.3	220	97	44.0	7	3	(B)
NO INCOME	85	85	100.0	57	57	(B)	28	28	(B)
25 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	5 444	1 166	21.4	4 635	873	18.8	739	276	37.4
EARNINGS[1]	4 202	425	10.1	3 633	319	8.8	507	98	19.3
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	4 037	385	9.5	3 478	284	8.2	497	93	18.6
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	275	44	16.1	257	38	14.8	18	5	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	51	11	(B)	49	11	(B)	-	-	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	3 647	802	22.0	3 241	613	18.9	379	184	48.6
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	837	314	37.5	743	260	35.0	91	51	56.4
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	191	135	70.5	113	81	72.1	77	53	68.2
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	294	215	73.2	197	133	67.5	97	82	84.9
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	450	99	22.0	397	85	21.3	48	15	(B)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	2 521	203	8.0	2 393	191	8.0	109	11	10.6
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	658	101	15.4	609	86	14.1	44	16	(B)
NO INCOME	124	124	100.0	89	89	100.0	30	30	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL[1]	5 680	1 615	28.4	5 209	1 344	25.8	433	263	60.8
EARNINGS[1]	931	101	10.9	846	78	9.2	75	24	31.5
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	733	73	10.0	664	51	7.6	69	22	(B)
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	112	20	17.9	99	20	20.3	5	-	(B)
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	109	10	9.1	106	8	8.0	1	1	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	5 622	1 585	28.2	5 154	1 316	25.5	430	262	61.0
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	5 297	1 432	27.0	4 886	1 210	24.8	373	214	57.3
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	101	60	59.4	80	44	54.4	20	16	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	708	439	61.9	532	306	57.4	165	128	77.2
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	373	101	27.1	341	86	25.2	27	15	(B)
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	3 313	464	14.0	3 198	426	13.3	88	35	39.7
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	1 374	72	5.3	1 321	61	4.6	50	11	(B)
NO INCOME	16	16	(B)	15	15	(B)	1	1	(B)

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TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
MEAN INCOME (DOLLARS)									
ALL FAMILIES									
TOTAL									
TOTAL[1]	18 264	3 292	...	18 997	3 056	...	11 962	3 807	...
EARNINGS[1]	17 642	2 146	...	18 230	1 905	...	12 169	2 696	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	16 858	2 811	...	17 401	2 840	...	12 063	2 593	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	9 346	62	...	9 488	-157	...	4 956	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	3 723	-2 845	...	3 796	-2 918	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	3 706	2 690	...	3 791	2 582	...	3 047	2 954	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	3 975	2 472	...	4 091	2 580	...	3 037	2 321	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	2 433	2 676	...	2 386	2 755	...	2 524	2 601	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 583	1 451	...	1 591	1 428	...	1 568	1 482	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 682	1 481	...	1 685	1 482	...	1 640	1 474	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1 554	387	...	1 592	395	...	644	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	3 758	1 457	...	3 849	1 531	...	2 640	1 241	...
HEAD UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	10 970	2 582	...	11 727	2 566	...	6 673	2 640	...
EARNINGS[1]	11 147	1 870	...	11 606	1 887	...	7 564	1 829	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	10 962	2 040	...	11 405	2 130	...	7 564	1 829	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	3 269	(B)	...	3 291	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	1 364	2 062	...	1 200	1 967	...	2 281	2 226	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	2 393	(B)	...	2 242	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	2 203	2 327	...	2 079	2 375	...	2 387	2 294	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 209	(B)	...	1 214	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	191	(B)	...	196	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	1 766	(B)	...	1 819	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
HEAD 25 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	19 938	3 485	...	20 733	3 190	...	13 157	4 153	...
EARNINGS[1]	18 975	2 335	...	19 589	2 045	...	13 211	3 030	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	17 993	3 047	...	18 544	3 038	...	13 063	3 008	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	9 906	41	...	10 044	-206	...	5 435	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	3 856	-2 864	...	3 925	-2 898	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	2 756	2 730	...	2 767	2 582	...	2 759	3 094	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	3 337	2 477	...	3 426	2 636	...	2 800	2 259	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	2 552	2 641	...	2 513	2 914	...	2 638	2 775	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 684	1 530	...	1 673	1 468	...	1 709	1 612	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 696	1 559	...	1 699	1 572	...	1 658	1 548	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1 273	419	...	1 301	424	...	602	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	3 663	1 561	...	3 773	1 650	...	2 521	1 282	...
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL[1]	12 482	2 991	...	12 889	2 795	...	8 362	3 471	...
EARNINGS[1]	9 016	195	...	9 335	-591	...	6 426	1 198	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	8 999	1 175	...	9 342	(B)	...	6 555	(B)	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	6 230	(B)	...	6 514	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	3 201	(B)	...	3 305	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	8 231	3 024	...	8 576	2 986	...	4 683	3 158	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	4 439	2 500	...	4 549	2 575	...	3 303	2 400	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	1 484	1 242	...	1 297	(B)	...	1 614	(B)	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 456	1 363	...	1 485	1 364	...	1 391	1 359	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 933	(B)	...	1 939	(B)	...	1 796	(B)	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	3 096	381	...	3 156	400	...	1 033	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	4 140	(B)	...	4 169	(B)	...	3 547	(B)	...

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Table 38. Type of Income—Families and Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Age, Sex, and Race of Head—Continued

[NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. 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
MEAN INCOME (DOLLARS)--CONTINUED									
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL									
TOTAL[1]	19 686	3 263	...	20 047	3 005	...	15 190	4 398	...
EARNINGS[1]	18 926	2 268	...	19 263	1 969	...	14 803	3 560	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	18 099	3 453	...	18 398	3 390	...	14 680	3 617	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	9 522	15	...	9 650	-211	...	5 188	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	3 744	-2 880	...	3 815	-2 937	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	3 642	2 482	...	3 700	2 393	...	3 002	3 007	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	4 143	2 620	...	4 217	2 684	...	3 334	2 528	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	1 889	2 136	...	1 863	2 154	...	1 948	2 028	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 568	1 388	...	1 577	1 383	...	1 544	1 381	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 699	1 599	...	1 703	1 573	...	1 673	1 724	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1 534	440	...	1 565	436	...	690	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	4 048	1 496	...	4 098	1 489	...	3 273	(B)	...
HEAD UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	12 561	2 872	...	12 702	2 725	...	10 607	(B)	...
EARNINGS[1]	12 130	2 331	...	12 270	2 297	...	10 168	(B)	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	11 923	2 717	...	12 051	2 746	...	10 168	(B)	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	3 300	(B)	...	3 323	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	979	1 451	...	919	1 215	...	2 073	(B)	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	2 114	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	1 598	(B)	...	1 454	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 220	(B)	...	1 220	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	195	(B)	...	198	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	1 464	(B)	...	1 431	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
HEAD 25 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	21 530	3 385	...	21 946	3 079	...	16 624	4 838	...
EARNINGS[1]	20 329	2 459	...	20 687	2 094	...	16 020	4 198	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	19 282	3 710	...	19 590	3 581	...	15 836	4 217	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	10 070	-9	...	10 192	-259	...	5 709	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	3 854	-2 899	...	3 919	-2 911	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	2 579	2 314	...	2 595	2 239	...	2 454	2 895	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	3 381	2 655	...	3 429	2 760	...	2 955	(B)	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	2 001	2 334	...	1 989	2 354	...	2 004	(B)	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 642	1 456	...	1 616	1 434	...	1 739	(B)	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 719	1 693	...	1 725	1 679	...	1 676	(B)	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1 256	470	...	1 279	467	...	653	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	4 054	1 741	...	4 116	1 816	...	3 268	(B)	...
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL[1]	12 604	2 998	...	12 900	2 858	...	8 752	3 502	...
EARNINGS[1]	9 018	-82	...	9 265	-754	...	6 594	(B)	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	9 005	(B)	...	9 260	(B)	...	6 832	(B)	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	6 403	(B)	...	6 697	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	3 309	(B)	...	3 416	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	8 535	3 071	...	8 804	3 060	...	5 008	3 186	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	4 611	2 605	...	4 690	2 638	...	3 630	2 635	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	1 320	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 475	1 321	...	1 520	1 310	...	1 323	(B)	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 955	(B)	...	1 946	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	3 135	420	...	3 183	423	...	1 065	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	4 218	(B)	...	4 251	(B)	...	3 388	(B)	...

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Table 38. Type of Income — Families and Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Age, Sex, and Race of Head—Continued

[NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. 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
MEAN INCOME (DOLLARS)--CONTINUED									
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL									
TOTAL[1]	9 810	3 321	...	10 947	3 133	...	6 958	3 565	...
EARNINGS[1]	8 535	1 955	...	9 151	1 754	...	6 706	2 195	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	8 360	1 989	...	8 929	1 808	...	6 705	2 200	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	5 395	(B)	...	5 659	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	3 094	(B)	...	3 249	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	4 044	2 863	...	4 402	2 819	...	3 099	2 936	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	3 285	2 158	...	3 481	2 223	...	2 612	2 125	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	2 717	2 815	...	2 783	3 002	...	2 664	2 666	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 610	1 557	...	1 623	(B)	...	1 593	1 563	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 554	1 114	...	1 533	(B)	...	1 550	(B)	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1 773	232	...	1 903	253	...	469	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	2 815	1 442	...	2 973	1 549	...	1 777	1 150	...
HEAD UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	4 853	2 456	...	5 616	2 450	...	3 926	2 495	...
EARNINGS[1]	4 909	1 452	...	5 454	1 331	...	4 048	1 613	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	4 898	1 463	...	5 446	1 348	...	4 048	1 613	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	2 430	2 231	...	2 522	2 330	...	2 347	2 178	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	2 396	2 371	...	2 401	2 515	...	2 398	2 260	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	2 246	(B)	...	2 625	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
HEAD 25 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	10 079	3 564	...	11 090	3 351	...	7 476	3 896	...
EARNINGS[1]	8 813	2 128	...	9 366	1 921	...	7 128	2 368	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	8 609	2 148	...	9 100	1 948	...	7 137	2 377	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	5 692	(B)	...	6 021	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	3 715	3 030	...	3 942	2 953	...	3 116	3 144	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	3 219	2 249	...	3 419	2 375	...	2 646	2 187	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	2 849	2 977	...	2 917	3 159	...	2 791	2 933	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 759	1 624	...	1 810	(B)	...	1 681	(B)	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 519	1 176	...	1 466	(B)	...	1 607	(B)	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1 471	268	...	1 583	281	...	379	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	2 745	1 506	...	2 911	1 594	...	1 644	1 222	...
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL[1]	11 743	2 969	...	12 813	(B)	...	7 518	3 422	...
EARNINGS[1]	9 009	(B)	...	9 701	(B)	...	6 071	(B)	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	8 975	(B)	...	9 706	(B)	...	5 976	(B)	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	6 393	2 852	...	6 981	(B)	...	3 977	3 111	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	3 387	2 075	...	3 570	(B)	...	2 555	(B)	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	1 702	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 424	1 458	...	1 411	(B)	...	1 470	(B)	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 843	(B)	...	1 912	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	2 811	(B)	...	2 951	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	3 433	(B)	...	3 402	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...

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TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
MEAN INCOME (DOLLARS)--CONTINUED									
ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
TOTAL									
TOTAL[1]	7 981	1 798	...	8 252	1 806	...	6 157	1 803	...
EARNINGS[1]	8 894	1 249	...	9 076	1 209	...	7 687	1 434	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	8 825	1 498	...	8 998	1 510	...	7 712	1 471	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	6 400	-621	...	6 638	-779	...	(B)	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2 769	(B)	...	2 870	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	3 201	1 843	...	3 305	1 817	...	2 378	1 951	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	2 618	1 903	...	2 663	1 939	...	2 212	1 731	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	1 450	1 273	...	1 225	1 147	...	1 776	1 432	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 306	1 190	...	1 260	1 130	...	1 438	1 320	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 457	1 123	...	1 454	1 119	...	1 506	(B)	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1 459	293	...	1 514	290	...	441	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	3 032	1 046	...	3 039	1 031	...	2 697	(B)	...
UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	6 008	1 446	...	6 164	1 536	...	5 013	1 061	...
EARNINGS[1]	6 010	1 483	...	6 046	1 517	...	5 865	1 332	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	5 981	1 540	...	6 007	1 582	...	5 852	1 314	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2 576	(B)	...	2 744	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	1 033	729	...	947	652	...	1 685	(B)	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	1 413	(B)	...	1 461	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	1 497	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 122	(B)	...	1 083	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	235	112	...	243	99	...	(B)	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	2 109	1 057	...	1 875	1 021	...	(B)	(B)	...
25 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	10 341	1 622	...	10 861	1 566	...	7 507	1 797	...
EARNINGS[1]	10 669	1 159	...	11 019	991	...	8 614	1 617	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	10 501	1 567	...	10 844	1 523	...	8 617	1 679	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	7 676	-997	...	7 933	-1 216	...	(B)	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2 150	(B)	...	2 199	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	2 319	1 731	...	2 381	1 701	...	1 973	1 837	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	2 404	1 975	...	2 438	2 003	...	2 211	1 874	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	1 595	1 378	...	1 457	1 303	...	1 751	1 463	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 777	1 579	...	1 732	1 505	...	1 869	1 702	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 577	1 303	...	1 585	1 340	...	1 584	(B)	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1 313	397	...	1 371	412	...	445	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	3 594	1 230	...	3 673	1 298	...	2 759	(B)	...
65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL[1]	5 326	2 185	...	5 536	2 186	...	3 384	2 164	...
EARNINGS[1]	3 828	353	...	4 017	346	...	2 368	(B)	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	3 827	613	...	4 018	(B)	...	2 421	(B)	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	3 325	(B)	...	3 480	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	3 477	(B)	...	3 636	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	4 715	2 201	...	4 897	2 211	...	3 004	2 142	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	2 687	1 906	...	2 733	1 946	...	2 233	1 707	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	1 026	(B)	...	762	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 090	989	...	1 065	956	...	1 164	1 066	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 417	921	...	1 432	870	...	(B)	(B)	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	2 066	324	...	2 114	314	...	583	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	2 927	683	...	2 948	(B)	...	2 471	(B)	...

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Table 38. Type of Income — Families and Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Age, Sex, and Race of Head—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. 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
MEAN INCOME (DOLLARS)--CONTINUED									
MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
TOTAL									
TOTAL[1]	9 967	1 638	...	10 499	1 610	...	7 280	1 770	...
EARNINGS[1]	10 513	1 252	...	10 871	1 157	...	8 489	1 687	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	10 312	1 646	...	10 663	1 639	...	8 490	1 765	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	7 807	-1 004	...	8 079	-1 152	...	(B)	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	3 105	(B)	...	3 252	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	2 718	1 616	...	2 770	1 536	...	2 437	1 865	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	2 734	1 927	...	2 794	1 963	...	2 465	1 800	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	1 358	1 313	...	1 220	(B)	...	1 500	1 355	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 440	1 245	...	1 430	1 236	...	1 477	(B)	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 572	1 322	...	1 569	1 335	...	1 603	(B)	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1 276	295	...	1 336	277	...	480	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	3 326	1 101	...	3 340	1 138	...	2 913	(B)	...
UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	6 764	1 421	...	6 939	1 523	...	6 058	1 138	...
EARNINGS[1]	6 709	1 502	...	6 747	1 529	...	6 850	(B)	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	6 677	1 628	...	6 711	1 682	...	6 825	(B)	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2 723	(B)	...	2 850	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	1 094	610	...	982	540	...	(B)	(B)	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	1 406	(B)	...	1 444	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 220	(B)	...	1 197	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	262	95	...	274	97	...	(B)	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	2 327	(B)	...	1 899	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
25 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	12 080	1 544	...	12 857	1 425	...	8 373	1 828	...
EARNINGS[1]	12 175	1 108	...	12 780	841	...	9 114	1 786	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	11 904	1 737	...	12 507	1 670	...	9 095	1 904	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	8 999	-1 450	...	9 356	-1 672	...	(B)	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2 443	(B)	...	2 507	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	2 183	1 624	...	2 225	1 581	...	2 045	1 762	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	2 714	2 079	...	2 805	2 160	...	2 383	(B)	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	1 359	1 334	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	2 028	(B)	...	1 979	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 617	1 431	...	1 609	1 469	...	1 688	(B)	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1 306	404	...	1 371	421	...	591	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	3 901	(B)	...	4 002	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL[1]	6 104	2 154	...	6 570	2 155	...	3 822	2 108	...
EARNINGS[1]	5 578	(B)	...	6 009	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	5 433	(B)	...	5 946	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	5 027	2 162	...	5 370	2 171	...	3 271	2 094	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	2 812	1 931	...	2 877	1 982	...	2 498	1 743	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 072	943	...	1 112	977	...	(B)	(B)	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	2 026	(B)	...	2 121	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	2 125	435	...	2 199	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	3 250	(B)	...	3 350	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...

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Table 38. Type of Income— Families and Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Age, Sex, and Race of Head—Continued

[NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT]

TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
MEAN INCOME (DOLLARS)--CONTINUED									
FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
TOTAL									
TOTAL[1]	6 465	1 682	...	6 640	1 900	...	4 966	1 825	...
EARNINGS[1]	7 056	1 247	...	7 117	1 254	...	6 547	1 197	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	7 163	1 370	...	7 220	1 404	...	6 601	1 195	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	3 689	22	...	3 835	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2 360	(B)	...	2 420	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	3 500	1 937	...	3 619	1 923	...	2 328	1 997	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	2 582	1 897	...	2 627	1 934	...	2 051	1 697	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	1 497	1 251	...	1 226	1 109	...	1 980	1 499	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 260	1 174	...	1 204	1 099	...	1 423	1 338	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 293	965	...	1 299	969	...	1 303	(B)	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1 572	293	...	1 623	296	...	411	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	2 881	1 020	...	2 899	991	...	2 424	(B)	...
UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	5 194	1 467	...	5 326	1 547	...	4 033	1 001	...
EARNINGS[1]	5 235	1 466	...	5 264	1 508	...	4 865	(B)	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	5 223	1 464	...	5 239	1 499	...	4 865	(B)	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	966	814	...	907	735	...	(B)	(B)	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	1 419	(B)	...	1 478	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	892	(B)	...	815	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	206	127	...	209	102	...	(B)	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	1 920	1 068	...	1 856	1 033	...	(B)	(B)	...
25 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL[1]	8 349	1 681	...	8 674	1 663	...	6 312	1 769	...
EARNINGS[1]	8 686	1 215	...	8 807	1 144	...	7 785	1 423	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	8 715	1 402	...	8 838	1 395	...	7 822	1 418	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	4 531	(B)	...	4 616	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	2 455	1 800	...	2 531	1 773	...	1 892	1 896	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	2 266	1 933	...	2 294	1 952	...	2 060	(B)	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	1 759	1 414	...	1 515	1 286	...	2 097	(B)	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 662	1 531	...	1 618	1 444	...	1 750	1 674	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 496	1 154	...	1 540	1 189	...	(B)	(B)	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1 319	393	...	1 371	406	...	280	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	3 393	1 205	...	3 478	1 230	...	(B)	(B)	...
65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL[1]	5 101	2 192	...	5 266	2 192	...	3 130	2 186	...
EARNINGS[1]	3 185	351	...	3 341	337	...	1 712	(B)	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	3 290	(B)	...	3 451	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2 261	(B)	...	2 385	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2 769	(B)	...	2 835	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS[1]	4 626	2 211	...	4 774	2 220	...	2 854	2 160	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	2 652	1 901	...	2 696	1 939	...	2 078	1 692	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	928	(B)	...	802	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1 095	1 001	...	1 052	951	...	1 233	1 123	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1 187	900	...	1 180	859	...	(B)	(B)	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	2 052	305	...	2 094	312	...	636	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	2 801	(B)	...	2 806	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...

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Table 38. Type of Income—Families and Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Age, Sex, and Race of Head—Continued

[NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT]

TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF AGGREGATE INCOME									
ALL FAMILIES									
TOTAL									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	84.6	37.8	...	84.6	37.8	...	83.3	36.6	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	77.1	43.0	...	76.7	46.8	...	81.3	35.1	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	6.7	0.2	...	7.0	-0.6	...	2.0	1.7	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.9	-5.3	...	0.9	-8.4	...	-	-0.2	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	15.4	62.2	...	15.4	62.2	...	16.7	63.4	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	4.9	16.8	...	4.9	18.6	...	5.5	14.2	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.8	30.6	...	0.5	26.9	...	4.8	37.7	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.2	4.2	...	0.2	3.6	...	1.1	5.4	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1.4	4.7	...	1.3	5.5	...	1.9	3.3	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	4.5	1.5	...	4.8	2.3	...	0.9	0.2	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	3.5	4.3	...	3.6	5.3	...	2.5	2.6	...
HEAD UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	92.4	42.0	...	93.8	49.4	...	78.5	29.9	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	90.0	44.2	...	91.1	52.9	...	78.5	29.9	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1.9	0.7	...	2.0	1.2	...	-	-	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.5	-2.8	...	0.6	-4.6	...	-	-	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	7.6	57.9	...	6.2	50.6	...	21.5	70.1	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	0.7	1.6	...	0.6	1.3	...	1.9	1.9	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	3.0	49.3	...	1.8	40.6	...	15.6	64.0	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.1	0.5	...	-	0.6	...	0.4	0.3	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1.9	2.9	...	1.9	3.7	...	1.7	1.7	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	0.5	0.3	...	0.6	0.4	...	0.1	-	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	1.4	3.4	...	1.4	4.0	...	1.8	2.2	...
HEAD 25 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	89.9	42.9	...	90.1	42.9	...	87.2	41.4	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	81.9	48.6	...	81.7	52.9	...	84.9	39.5	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	7.2	0.1	...	7.5	-0.9	...	2.2	2.1	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.8	-5.8	...	0.9	-9.1	...	-	-0.2	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	10.1	57.1	...	9.9	57.1	...	12.8	58.6	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	1.9	10.4	...	1.9	11.1	...	3.0	9.5	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.7	32.0	...	0.5	28.9	...	4.3	38.4	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.2	2.9	...	0.1	2.4	...	0.8	3.9	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1.3	5.3	...	1.3	6.2	...	1.9	3.9	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	3.4	1.6	...	3.6	2.3	...	0.8	0.2	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	2.5	4.8	...	2.6	6.2	...	2.1	2.6	...
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	34.8	1.6	...	34.1	-4.3	...	45.6	12.1	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	29.2	6.2	...	28.2	3.0	...	44.6	12.2	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	4.3	-0.1	...	4.5	-0.2	...	1.0	0.3	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1.4	-4.5	...	1.5	-7.1	...	-	-0.3	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	65.2	98.4	...	65.9	104.3	...	54.4	87.9	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	32.9	71.4	...	32.8	81.0	...	34.7	56.1	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.3	4.4	...	0.1	2.1	...	2.4	7.1	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1.0	16.2	...	0.7	14.1	...	4.8	20.1	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1.6	2.1	...	1.5	2.1	...	2.4	1.3	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	16.3	2.6	...	17.1	4.0	...	2.6	0.2	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	13.2	1.8	...	13.5	0.9	...	7.5	3.1	...

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Table 38. Type of Income—Families and Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Age, Sex, and Race of Head—Continued

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TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF AGGREGATE INCOME--CONTINUED									
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
TOTAL									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	86.2	48.4	...	86.0	46.1	...	88.6	52.9	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	78.3	58.8	...	77.7	61.3	...	86.1	48.9	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	7.1	0.1	...	7.3	-1.3	...	2.4	4.6	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.9	-10.5	...	1.0	-13.9	...	-	-0.7	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	13.8	51.6	...	14.0	53.9	...	11.4	47.1	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	4.5	24.0	...	4.5	25.1	...	4.6	22.5	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.2	10.0	...	0.2	10.3	...	0.9	9.0	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.2	5.0	...	0.1	4.6	...	0.7	6.6	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1.3	7.6	...	1.3	8.0	...	1.8	6.6	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	4.4	2.6	...	4.6	3.3	...	1.0	0.4	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	3.1	2.4	...	3.2	2.6	...	2.3	2.1	...
HEAD UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	(B)	...
EARNINGS	95.6	73.9	...	95.8	77.3	...	92.8	(B)	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	93.0	80.3	...	93.0	85.1	...	92.8	(B)	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2.0	2.0	...	2.1	2.5	...	-	(B)	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.6	-8.5	...	0.6	-10.4	...	-	(B)	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	4.4	26.1	...	4.2	22.7	...	7.2	(B)	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	0.5	1.5	...	0.4	1.4	...	1.3	(B)	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.6	12.9	...	0.5	9.6	...	2.3	(B)	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.1	1.1	...	-	1.3	...	0.5	(B)	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	2.0	7.9	...	2.0	7.7	...	2.1	(B)	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	0.6	0.7	...	0.6	0.7	...	0.1	(B)	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	0.8	2.0	...	0.8	2.0	...	1.0	(B)	...
HEAD 25 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	91.5	58.2	...	91.4	55.0	...	92.2	65.3	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	83.0	70.3	...	82.7	72.8	...	89.4	59.8	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	7.6	-0.1	...	7.8	-1.9	...	2.7	6.3	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.9	-12.0	...	0.9	-15.8	...	0.1	-0.8	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	8.5	41.8	...	8.6	45.0	...	7.8	34.7	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	1.5	13.0	...	1.5	13.8	...	2.0	11.6	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.2	11.5	...	0.2	12.5	...	0.8	8.7	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.1	3.2	...	0.1	2.9	...	0.5	4.2	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1.3	8.8	...	1.3	9.3	...	1.8	8.0	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	3.3	2.7	...	3.4	3.4	...	0.9	0.5	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	2.1	2.6	...	2.1	3.0	...	1.9	1.6	...
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	33.1	-0.7	...	32.4	-5.2	...	44.4	10.5	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	26.9	5.0	...	26.0	2.8	...	43.9	10.6	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	4.6	-0.2	...	4.8	-0.4	...	0.6	0.4	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1.5	-5.4	...	1.6	-7.6	...	-0.2	-0.5	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	66.9	100.6	...	67.6	105.2	...	55.6	89.5	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	33.9	76.7	...	33.8	82.8	...	37.1	63.1	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.2	2.8	...	0.1	1.9	...	1.5	4.9	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.7	13.9	...	0.6	13.0	...	3.4	16.3	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1.5	2.4	...	1.4	2.4	...	2.4	1.3	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	16.7	2.9	...	17.4	4.1	...	2.7	-	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	14.0	1.9	...	14.2	1.0	...	8.6	3.9	...

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Table 38. Type of Income—Families and Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Age, Sex, and Race of Head—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF AGGREGATE INCOME--CONTINUED									
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
TOTAL									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	65.4	27.1	...	65.3	25.7	...	65.5	28.3	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	63.0	26.9	...	62.4	25.5	...	65.0	28.2	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2.1	0.3	...	2.5	0.4	...	0.4	0.2	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.3	-0.1	...	0.4	-0.2	...	-	-	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	34.6	72.9	...	34.7	74.3	...	34.5	71.7	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	10.3	9.5	...	10.8	9.0	...	8.5	10.0	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	7.5	51.6	...	5.0	51.2	...	17.8	52.2	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1.1	3.4	...	0.8	2.2	...	2.4	4.8	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	2.0	1.7	...	1.9	1.8	...	2.1	1.6	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	5.6	0.5	...	6.9	0.8	...	0.6	0.1	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	8.0	6.2	...	9.3	9.3	...	3.1	2.9	...
HEAD UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	60.6	25.8	...	65.1	26.8	...	51.6	24.2	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	60.2	25.8	...	64.6	26.7	...	51.6	24.2	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.3	-	...	0.5	0.1	...	-	-	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	-	-	...	-	-	...	-	-	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	39.4	74.2	...	34.9	73.2	...	48.4	75.8	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	3.3	1.6	...	3.4	1.3	...	3.2	2.0	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	27.4	67.9	...	20.6	65.8	...	40.7	70.9	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.1	0.2	...	-	-	...	0.2	0.3	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1.0	0.4	...	1.0	0.5	...	1.0	0.2	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	0.2	0.1	...	0.3	0.1	...	-	-	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	7.4	4.1	...	9.6	5.5	...	3.4	2.4	...
HEAD 25 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	69.9	28.5	...	69.9	26.7	...	69.0	30.3	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	67.4	28.3	...	66.9	26.3	...	68.7	30.1	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2.2	0.3	...	2.7	0.4	...	0.3	0.2	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.3	-	...	0.4	-0.1	...	-	-	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	30.1	71.5	...	30.1	73.3	...	31.0	69.7	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	7.3	8.0	...	7.5	7.5	...	6.6	8.6	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	7.7	51.4	...	5.3	50.8	...	17.1	52.3	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.9	2.6	...	0.6	1.6	...	1.9	3.7	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	2.0	2.0	...	1.9	2.1	...	2.2	1.9	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	4.3	0.5	...	5.3	0.8	...	0.4	0.1	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	8.0	6.9	...	9.4	10.4	...	2.9	3.1	...
HEAD 65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	46.3	9.6	...	46.0	1.7	...	48.6	14.8	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	43.5	10.4	...	43.2	4.1	...	46.4	14.8	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2.3	0.4	...	2.4	1.0	...	1.9	-	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.4	-1.2	...	0.5	-3.4	...	0.3	-	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	53.7	90.4	...	54.0	98.3	...	51.4	85.2	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	26.4	53.0	...	26.1	69.0	...	28.7	44.7	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	1.0	10.0	...	0.4	3.3	...	4.8	10.8	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	2.6	24.0	...	1.8	21.9	...	8.2	26.3	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	2.3	0.9	...	2.3	0.5	...	2.5	1.2	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	13.3	1.4	...	14.8	3.2	...	2.3	0.4	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	8.1	1.2	...	8.6	0.3	...	4.8	1.8	...

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Table 38. Type of Income—Families and Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Age, Sex, and Race of Head—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF AGGREGATE INCOME--CONTINUED									
ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
TOTAL									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	71.2	25.7	...	70.3	25.5	...	78.2	24.7	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	66.2	27.7	...	64.9	28.2	...	76.9	24.4	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	4.4	-1.4	...	4.7	-1.9	...	1.3	0.3	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.5	-0.6	...	0.6	-0.8	...	-	-	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	28.8	74.3	...	29.7	74.5	...	21.8	75.3	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	11.6	45.7	...	11.9	48.5	...	9.7	36.5	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.4	5.1	...	0.2	3.3	...	2.2	12.3	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1.0	10.7	...	0.7	8.8	...	3.0	18.9	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1.8	4.5	...	1.8	4.8	...	2.4	3.6	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	8.4	3.7	...	9.2	4.4	...	1.0	0.9	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	5.7	4.5	...	5.8	4.8	...	3.5	3.0	...
UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	91.3	78.7	...	91.9	80.7	...	89.0	66.4	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	89.2	79.1	...	89.7	81.6	...	88.8	65.5	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1.9	0.6	...	2.1	0.3	...	0.2	0.9	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.2	-1.1	...	0.2	-1.3	...	-	-	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	8.7	21.3	...	8.1	19.3	...	11.0	33.6	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	1.0	2.9	...	1.1	3.1	...	0.4	1.9	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.6	4.3	...	0.4	2.3	...	3.6	21.1	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	-	0.2	...	-	0.2	...	-	-	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1.9	2.3	...	1.9	1.9	...	2.9	6.1	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1.4	1.9	...	1.5	1.8	...	0.3	3.1	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	3.8	9.8	...	3.3	10.0	...	3.7	1.4	...
25 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	86.0	30.8	...	85.6	27.6	...	88.0	36.1	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	79.8	35.9	...	78.9	35.2	...	86.4	35.6	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	5.9	-4.1	...	6.4	-6.0	...	1.6	0.5	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.3	-1.0	...	0.3	-1.5	...	0.1	-	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	14.0	69.2	...	14.4	72.4	...	12.0	63.9	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	2.4	26.5	...	2.4	30.0	...	2.9	18.7	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.4	10.1	...	0.2	7.2	...	1.9	17.7	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.6	13.8	...	0.5	11.7	...	2.0	19.7	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1.8	8.5	...	1.7	10.7	...	2.3	3.5	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	5.5	4.2	...	6.2	5.9	...	0.8	0.4	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	3.2	6.0	...	3.4	7.0	...	2.1	3.8	...
65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	12.5	1.2	...	12.5	1.2	...	12.9	1.4	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	9.6	1.4	...	9.5	1.4	...	12.0	1.3	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1.4	-0.1	...	1.4	-0.1	...	0.9	-	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1.5	-0.1	...	1.6	-0.2	...	-	-	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	87.5	98.8	...	87.5	98.8	...	87.1	98.6	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	46.7	76.9	...	46.0	79.4	...	57.2	65.9	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.3	1.6	...	0.2	1.2	...	2.5	3.8	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	2.6	12.5	...	2.0	10.4	...	11.2	22.3	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1.9	2.4	...	1.8	2.3	...	2.2	3.1	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	21.7	4.0	...	22.9	4.4	...	2.7	1.1	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	14.3	1.4	...	14.5	1.1	...	11.2	2.5	...

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Table 38. Type of Income—Families and Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Age, Sex, and Race of Head—Continued

[NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT]

TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF AGGREGATE INCOME--CONTINUED									
MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
TOTAL									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	82.7	39.3	...	82.6	40.1	...	83.3	35.9	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	75.6	45.1	...	74.8	48.2	...	81.8	36.1	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	6.5	-4.4	...	7.1	-6.1	...	1.5	-0.2	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.6	-1.4	...	0.7	-2.0	...	0.1	-	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	17.3	60.7	...	17.4	59.9	...	16.7	64.1	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	5.3	31.3	...	5.1	31.4	...	6.9	31.6	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.3	5.9	...	0.1	3.3	...	1.3	13.8	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.5	8.0	...	0.4	7.5	...	1.4	10.7	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[1]	2.1	7.0	...	2.1	8.2	...	2.8	4.1	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	5.2	3.7	...	5.8	4.5	...	0.8	0.4	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	3.9	4.9	...	3.8	5.0	...	3.5	3.5	...
UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	91.7	83.3	...	92.5	84.8	...	89.6	77.3	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	88.9	86.2	...	89.4	88.5	...	89.3	75.4	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2.5	-0.4	...	2.8	-0.8	...	0.3	1.9	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.3	-2.5	...	0.3	-2.9	...	-	-	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	8.3	16.7	...	7.5	15.2	...	10.4	22.7	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	0.8	1.7	...	0.9	2.0	...	0.1	-	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.3	2.6	...	0.2	1.0	...	1.3	15.9	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	-	-	...	-	-	...	-	-	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[1]	2.5	3.3	...	2.5	3.2	...	3.4	5.1	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1.3	1.7	...	1.5	1.9	...	0.1	0.5	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	3.3	7.3	...	2.5	7.1	...	5.6	1.2	...
25 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	89.5	37.4	...	89.3	31.8	...	89.8	44.3	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	81.3	48.2	...	80.3	48.6	...	88.0	44.9	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	7.8	-9.7	...	8.6	-14.9	...	1.7	-0.7	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.4	-1.1	...	0.4	-1.8	...	0.1	0.1	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	10.5	62.6	...	10.7	68.2	...	10.2	55.7	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	1.3	20.0	...	1.3	21.7	...	2.2	18.1	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.2	10.7	...	0.1	7.2	...	1.1	18.1	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	0.4	9.5	...	0.3	9.2	...	1.1	10.7	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[1]	2.0	12.3	...	1.9	17.0	...	2.9	4.1	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	4.4	4.5	...	4.9	6.7	...	0.9	0.4	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	2.2	5.7	...	2.2	6.4	...	2.0	4.2	...
65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	19.1	1.9	...	19.4	2.5	...	17.8	0.6	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	13.3	2.1	...	13.0	2.8	...	16.6	0.6	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2.8	0.6	...	3.0	0.9	...	1.2	-	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	3.0	-0.8	...	3.3	-1.1	...	-0.1	-	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	80.9	98.0	...	80.6	97.5	...	82.2	99.4	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	41.6	76.9	...	39.9	78.3	...	57.3	74.2	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.3	1.1	...	-	0.2	...	3.0	3.7	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	2.2	13.2	...	1.8	13.3	...	5.7	15.0	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[1]	2.8	1.6	...	3.0	1.1	...	1.7	3.5	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	16.6	4.1	...	16.4	4.0	...	0.8	0.2	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	17.3	1.2	...	17.5	0.6	...	13.6	2.8	...

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Table 38. Type of Income—Families and Unrelated Individuals by Poverty Status in 1977 and Age, Sex, and Race of Head—Continued

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TYPE OF INCOME	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF AGGREGATE INCOME--CONTINUED									
FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
TOTAL									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	57.6	19.5	...	56.2	19.7	...	70.3	17.5	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	55.3	19.7	...	53.8	20.2	...	69.2	16.8	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1.9	-	...	2.0	-0.2	...	1.0	0.7	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.4	-0.3	...	0.5	-0.4	...	-	-	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	42.4	80.5	...	43.8	80.3	...	29.7	82.5	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	19.0	52.3	...	19.5	55.3	...	14.1	39.6	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.6	4.7	...	0.4	3.3	...	3.6	11.3	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1.5	12.0	...	1.1	9.3	...	5.4	24.2	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1.5	3.4	...	1.4	3.5	...	1.7	3.3	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	12.1	3.7	...	13.2	4.3	...	1.3	1.3	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	7.7	4.4	...	8.1	4.6	...	3.6	2.7	...
UNDER 25 YEARS									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	90.7	74.9	...	91.2	77.5	...	88.2	56.7	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	89.7	73.4	...	90.1	76.2	...	88.2	56.7	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1.0	1.4	...	1.1	1.3	...	-	-	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	-	0.1	...	-	0.1	...	-	-	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	9.3	25.1	...	8.8	22.5	...	11.8	43.3	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	1.2	3.9	...	1.3	4.0	...	0.9	3.6	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	1.1	5.6	...	0.6	3.3	...	6.8	25.7	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	-	0.3	...	-	0.4	...	-	-	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1.1	1.4	...	1.0	0.8	...	2.3	7.0	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	1.4	2.1	...	1.5	1.8	...	0.7	5.5	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	4.4	11.8	...	4.5	12.2	...	1.0	1.5	...
25 TO 64 YEARS									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	80.3	26.4	...	79.6	25.1	...	84.6	28.5	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	77.4	27.5	...	76.5	27.3	...	83.3	26.9	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	2.7	-0.2	...	2.9	-0.8	...	1.3	1.7	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.2	-1.0	...	0.2	-1.4	...	-	-	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	19.7	73.6	...	20.4	74.9	...	15.4	71.5	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	4.2	31.0	...	4.2	34.9	...	4.0	19.4	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.7	9.7	...	0.4	7.2	...	3.5	17.4	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	1.1	16.8	...	0.8	13.2	...	3.6	28.1	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1.5	5.8	...	1.5	6.9	...	1.3	2.8	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	7.3	4.1	...	8.2	5.3	...	0.7	0.4	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	4.9	6.2	...	5.3	7.3	...	2.3	3.4	...
65 YEARS AND OVER									
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...	100.0	100.0	...
EARNINGS	10.2	1.0	...	10.3	0.9	...	9.5	1.6	...
WAGE AND SALARY INCOME	8.3	1.2	...	8.4	1.2	...	8.8	1.6	...
NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	0.9	-0.2	...	0.9	-0.3	...	0.7	-	...
FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1.0	-	...	1.1	-	...	-	-	...
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	89.8	99.0	...	89.7	99.1	...	90.5	98.4	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME	48.5	76.9	...	48.0	79.7	...	57.2	62.9	...
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME	0.3	1.7	...	0.2	1.4	...	2.1	3.8	...
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME	2.7	12.4	...	2.0	9.9	...	15.0	24.9	...
OTHER TRANSFER PAYMENTS[2]	1.5	2.6	...	1.5	2.5	...	2.6	3.0	...
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	23.5	4.0	...	24.4	4.5	...	4.1	1.4	...
PRIVATE PENSIONS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE PENSIONS, ALIMONY, ANNUITIES, ETC.	13.3	1.4	...	13.5	1.2	...	9.5	2.4	...

[1]DETAIL DOES NOT ADD TO TOTAL BECAUSE SOME FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVE MORE THAN ONE OF THE SPECIFIED TYPES OF INCOME.
[2]UNEMPLOYMENT AND WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION, AND VETERANS' PAYMENTS.

Table 39. Size of Income Deficit—Families and Unrelated Individuals Below the Poverty Level in 1977 by Presence of Related Children, Sex and Race of Head

[FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT]

INCOME DEFICIT	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	MALE HEAD[1]	FEMALE HEAD[1]	TOTAL	MALE HEAD[1]	FEMALE HEAD[1]	TOTAL	MALE HEAD[1]	FEMALE HEAD[1]
ALL FAMILIES									
TOTAL . . . . . THOUSANDS. .	5 311	2 701	2 610	3 540	2 140	1 400	1 637	475	1 162
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
LESS THAN $250.	9.2	11.8	6.5	9.9	11.7	7.2	7.5	11.6	5.8
$250 TO $499.	7.7	9.2	6.0	8.7	10.4	6.2	5.6	5.1	5.8
$500 TO $999.	14.5	15.4	13.6	15.5	15.1	16.1	12.8	17.9	10.7
$1,000 TO $1,499.	12.6	11.5	13.8	13.3	11.5	16.0	11.2	11.5	11.1
$1,500 TO $1,999.	10.9	10.3	11.6	10.4	9.7	11.6	12.5	13.9	11.9
$2,000 TO $2,499.	9.0	7.9	10.2	8.2	7.7	9.0	11.0	8.7	12.0
$2,500 TO $2,999.	7.7	5.7	9.8	6.5	5.2	8.6	10.0	7.1	11.2
$3,000 TO $3,999.	11.3	10.8	11.8	10.5	10.4	10.8	12.1	9.7	13.1
$4,000 TO $4,999.	9.9	9.0	10.8	9.9	9.6	10.4	9.9	7.2	11.0
$5,000 OR MORE.	7.1	8.4	5.8	7.0	8.7	4.3	7.4	7.2	7.5
MEDIAN INCOME DEFICIT . . . . . DOLLARS. .	1 775	1 603	1 932	1 626	1 570	1 698	2 022	1 642	2 199
MEAN INCOME DEFICIT . . . . . DOLLARS. .	2 177	2 117	2 239	2 112	2 129	2 088	2 299	2 016	2 415
DEFICIT PER FAMILY MEMBER . . . . . DOLLARS. .	593	555	635	605	577	653	564	462	611
FAMILIES WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS									
TOTAL . . . . . THOUSANDS. .	1 229	1 004	225	967	828	139	231	150	81
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
LESS THAN $250.	17.0	17.5	14.7	16.9	17.4	13.7	16.5	18.2	13.3
$250 TO $499.	15.2	15.7	13.3	15.4	16.4	9.3	15.4	12.4	21.0
$500 TO $999.	20.1	21.2	14.9	20.1	20.9	15.1	21.1	24.2	15.4
$1,000 TO $1,499.	14.6	13.1	21.1	14.3	12.6	24.2	15.6	14.9	17.0
$1,500 TO $1,999.	9.8	8.8	14.3	8.7	7.9	13.4	14.3	13.1	16.6
$2,000 TO $2,499.	5.7	5.3	7.6	6.3	5.6	10.2	3.9	4.2	3.2
$2,500 TO $2,999.	3.4	3.3	3.8	3.4	3.5	2.9	3.2	2.9	3.9
$3,000 TO $3,999.	8.8	8.6	9.5	9.0	8.7	11.1	5.8	5.1	7.2
$4,000 TO $4,999.	5.2	6.1	0.9	5.7	6.7	-	3.6	4.3	2.4
$5,000 OR MORE.	0.3	0.4	-	0.3	0.3	-	0.5	0.8	-
MEDIAN INCOME DEFICIT . . . . . DOLLARS. .	944	897	1 168	942	888	1 246	929	901	1 008
MEAN INCOME DEFICIT . . . . . DOLLARS. .	1 332	1 336	1 314	1 357	1 350	1 397	1 201	1 204	1 195
DEFICIT PER FAMILY MEMBER . . . . . DOLLARS. .	620	631	573	638	640	624	530	555	489
FAMILIES WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS									
TOTAL . . . . . THOUSANDS. .	4 081	1 697	2 384	2 572	1 311	1 261	1 406	325	1 081
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
LESS THAN $250.	6.8	8.4	5.8	7.3	8.1	6.5	6.0	8.6	5.2
$250 TO $499.	5.4	5.4	5.3	6.2	6.6	5.8	4.0	1.7	4.7
$500 TO $999.	12.8	12.0	13.5	13.8	11.5	16.2	11.4	15.0	10.3
$1,000 TO $1,499.	12.0	10.5	13.1	12.9	10.8	15.1	10.5	9.9	10.7
$1,500 TO $1,999.	11.3	11.2	11.4	11.1	10.8	11.4	12.2	14.3	11.5
$2,000 TO $2,499.	10.1	9.4	10.5	8.9	9.1	8.8	12.2	10.8	12.6
$2,500 TO $2,999.	9.1	7.1	10.4	7.7	6.3	9.2	11.1	9.1	11.8
$3,000 TO $3,999.	12.0	12.0	12.1	11.1	11.4	10.8	13.1	11.9	13.5
$4,000 TO $4,999.	11.3	10.8	11.7	11.5	11.4	11.6	10.9	8.6	11.6
$5,000 OR MORE.	9.2	13.2	6.3	9.5	14.0	4.7	8.6	10.2	8.1
MEDIAN INCOME DEFICIT . . . . . DOLLARS. .	2 080	2 134	2 045	1 944	2 127	1 783	2 245	2 025	2 302
MEAN INCOME DEFICIT . . . . . DOLLARS. .	2 432	2 580	2 326	2 397	2 620	2 164	2 480	2 390	2 507
DEFICIT PER FAMILY MEMBER . . . . . DOLLARS. .	589	536	638	598	559	655	567	445	616
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS[2]									
TOTAL . . . . . THOUSANDS. .	10 028	4 371	5 658	5 943	3 250	2 693	3 850	965	2 885
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
LESS THAN $250.	5.9	7.8	4.4	6.2	7.4	4.8	4.9	7.5	4.0
$250 TO $499.	4.5	4.7	4.4	5.4	6.0	4.6	3.2	1.0	4.0
$500 TO $999.	10.9	10.8	11.0	11.4	10.1	13.0	10.5	14.4	9.2
$1,000 TO $1,499.	10.2	9.4	10.8	11.6	10.5	13.0	8.2	5.6	8.7
$1,500 TO $1,999.	11.1	10.5	11.6	10.7	9.9	11.7	12.1	14.0	11.5
$2,000 TO $2,499.	9.3	8.3	10.0	8.3	8.0	8.8	10.8	9.8	11.1
$2,500 TO $2,999.	9.3	7.2	11.0	8.3	6.1	10.8	10.9	9.8	11.3
$3,000 TO $3,999.	12.8	12.7	12.8	12.4	12.4	12.3	12.4	10.3	13.1
$4,000 TO $4,999.	12.2	10.8	13.2	11.7	10.7	12.9	13.2	11.7	13.6
$5,000 OR MORE.	13.8	17.6	10.9	14.0	18.9	8.1	13.9	14.8	13.5
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
TOTAL . . . . . THOUSANDS. .	5 216	1 796	3 419	4 051	1 305	2 747	1 059	423	636
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
LESS THAN $250.	14.4	9.9	16.8	15.2	10.0	17.7	12.2	11.2	13.0
$250 TO $499.	13.9	13.7	14.0	14.9	14.6	15.0	10.1	10.4	9.9
$500 TO $999.	26.5	20.7	29.6	25.3	19.4	28.0	32.3	25.8	36.6
$1,000 TO $1,499.	14.1	15.1	13.5	14.2	15.4	13.6	14.1	14.7	13.6
$1,500 OR MORE.	31.1	40.6	26.2	30.4	40.6	25.6	31.4	37.9	27.0
MEDIAN INCOME DEFICIT . . . . . DOLLARS. .	910	1 189	826	894	1 194	809	929	1 089	872
MEAN INCOME DEFICIT . . . . . DOLLARS. .	1 188	1 435	1 059	1 159	1 422	1 034	1 250	1 409	1 144

[1]FOR FAMILIES, SEX OF FAMILY HEAD; FOR UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS, SEX OF THE INDIVIDUAL.
[2]CHILDREN DISTRIBUTED BY THE INCOME DEFICIT OF THEIR FAMILY.

Table 40. Standard Errors for Selected Characteristics of Families Below the Poverty Level in 1977

[NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT]

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	ALL FAMILIES						FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD						FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD					
	ALL RACES		WHITE		BLACK		ALL RACES		WHITE		BLACK		ALL RACES		WHITE		BLACK	
	NUMBER	STANDARD ERROR	NUMBER	STANDARD ERROR	NUMBER	STANDARD ERROR	NUMBER	STANDARD ERROR	NUMBER	STANDARD ERROR	NUMBER	STANDARD ERROR	NUMBER	STANDARD ERROR	NUMBER	STANDARD ERROR	NUMBER	STANDARD ERROR
AGE OF HEAD																		
TOTAL	5 311	74	3 540	61	1 637	37	2 701	53	2 140	47	475	21	2 610	52	1 400	38	1 162	31
14 TO 24 YEARS	750	32	463	25	278	18	227	18	195	16	31	6	522	27	268	19	247	17
25 TO 34 YEARS	1 430	44	979	37	412	22	553	28	450	25	79	10	877	35	529	27	333	20
35 TO 44 YEARS	1 107	39	718	31	355	21	506	26	403	24	77	10	601	29	315	21	278	18
45 TO 54 YEARS	698	31	486	26	196	16	403	24	330	21	66	9	296	20	157	15	130	13
55 TO 59 YEARS	322	21	210	17	105	11	217	17	167	15	43	7	105	12	43	8	62	9
60 TO 64 YEARS	294	20	211	17	77	10	245	18	192	16	47	8	49	8	19	5	30	6
65 YEARS AND OVER	710	31	472	26	214	16	551	28	403	24	132	13	159	15	70	10	82	10
EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HEAD																		
TOTAL	5 311	74	3 540	61	1 637	37	2 701	53	2 140	47	475	21	2 610	52	1 400	38	1 162	31
IN LABOR FORCE	2 611	73	1 843	61	692	37	1 657	58	1 350	53	253	23	954	44	493	32	439	30
IN ARMED FORCES	21	7	17	6	3	3	21	7	17	6	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...
IN CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	2 590	73	1 826	61	688	37	1 636	58	1 332	52	250	23	954	44	493	32	439	30
EMPLOYED	2 113	66	1 540	56	512	32	1 424	54	1 160	49	220	21	689	38	380	28	293	24
UNEMPLOYED	477	31	286	24	176	19	211	21	173	19	30	8	265	23	113	15	146	17
NOT IN LABOR FORCE	2 700	74	1 697	59	945	43	1 044	46	790	40	222	21	1 656	58	907	43	723	38
WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD																		
TOTAL	5 311	74	3 540	61	1 637	37	2 701	53	2 140	47	475	21	2 610	52	1 400	38	1 162	31
WORKED LAST YEAR	2 567	72	1 835	61	653	36	1 631	58	1 329	52	243	22	937	44	506	32	410	29
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 068	47	793	40	250	23	864	47	710	38	132	17	203	21	83	13	118	16
FULL-TIME	912	43	705	38	187	20	783	40	649	37	115	15	129	16	56	11	71	12
1 TO 49 WEEKS	1 500	56	1 041	46	403	29	766	40	619	36	111	15	733	39	422	30	292	24
REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:																		
UNEMPLOYED	599	35	398	29	174	19	397	29	315	26	61	11	202	20	83	13	112	15
OTHER	901	43	643	36	229	22	370	28	304	25	50	10	531	33	339	27	180	19
DID NOT WORK	2 722	74	1 688	59	980	44	1 049	47	793	40	229	22	1 673	59	894	43	752	39
REASON FOR NOT WORKING:																		
ILL OR DISABLED	759	40	476	31	269	23	487	32	356	27	124	16	272	24	120	16	145	17
KEEPING HOUSE	1 149	49	666	37	465	31	13	5	11	5	2	2	1 136	48	655	37	463	31
GOING TO SCHOOL	114	15	61	11	49	10	30	8	23	7	5	3	84	13	38	9	45	10
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	207	21	117	16	89	14	76	13	66	12	10	4	131	16	51	10	80	13
OTHER	494	32	368	28	108	15	444	30	337	26	89	14	50	10	30	8	19	6
HEAD IN ARMED FORCES	21	7	17	6	3	3	21	7	17	6	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...
NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS																		
TOTAL	5 311	74	3 540	61	1 637	37	2 701	53	2 140	47	475	21	2 610	52	1 400	38	1 162	31
NO CHILDREN	1 229	41	967	37	231	17	1 004	37	828	34	150	14	225	18	139	14	81	10
1 CHILD	1 179	40	800	33	344	21	426	24	345	22	61	9	753	32	455	25	284	19
2 CHILDREN	1 194	41	806	33	360	21	517	27	415	24	87	10	677	31	391	23	273	18
3 CHILDREN	813	33	508	27	288	19	360	22	285	20	65	9	453	25	222	18	224	17
4 CHILDREN	483	26	265	19	209	16	192	16	138	14	51	8	291	20	127	13	158	14
5 CHILDREN OR MORE	413	24	193	16	204	16	203	17	128	13	62	9	210	17	66	10	142	13
SIZE OF FAMILY																		
2 PERSONS	1 816	50	1 331	43	439	23	951	36	790	33	134	13	864	35	542	27	305	19
3 PERSONS	1 038	38	698	31	312	20	399	23	317	21	66	9	639	30	381	23	246	17
4 PERSONS	980	37	661	30	298	19	497	26	410	24	73	10	483	26	250	19	226	17
5 PERSONS	696	31	433	24	243	17	378	23	303	21	63	9	318	21	130	13	181	15
6 PERSONS	355	22	211	17	137	13	204	17	151	14	48	8	151	14	60	9	89	11
7 OR MORE PERSONS	426	24	206	17	208	16	272	19	168	15	92	11	154	15	37	7	116	12
NUMBER OF WORKERS																		
NO WORKERS	2 254	68	1 410	54	801	40	847	42	653	37	171	19	1 407	54	757	40	629	35
1 WORKER	1 978	64	1 333	52	587	34	1 012	46	799	41	176	19	966	45	534	33	410	29
2 WORKERS	815	41	596	35	193	20	637	36	514	33	100	14	177	19	82	13	92	14
3 WORKERS OR MORE	264	23	201	20	57	11	205	21	174	19	27	7	60	11	27	8	30	8
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD																		
TOTAL, 25 YEARS AND OVER	4 561	78	3 077	65	1 359	39	2 474	58	1 945	52	444	23	2 087	53	1 132	39	915	33
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	1 209	41	782	33	393	22	796	33	570	28	206	16	413	24	213	17	187	15
8 YEARS	606	29	445	25	141	13	389	23	327	21	48	8	217	17	119	13	93	11
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	1 055	38	609	29	426	23	441	25	325	21	106	11	614	29	283	20	321	20
4 YEARS	1 172	40	846	34	305	19	556	28	472	26	69	9	616	29	374	23	236	17
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	519	27	394	23	94	11	292	20	251	19	15	4	227	18	144	14	78	10

Table 41. Poverty Area Residence by Selected Characteristics—Families by Poverty Status in 1977, Metropolitan-Nonmetropolitan Residence, and Race of Head

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	UNITED STATES			METROPOLITAN AREAS						NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS		
							CENTRAL CITIES					
	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS
ALL RACES												
ALL FAMILIES--ALL INCOME LEVELS												
AGE OF HEAD												
TOTAL	57 215	10 334	46 881	37 841	3 720	34 121	15 360	2 599	12 761	19 374	6 614	12 760
14 TO 24 YEARS	3 851	672	2 979	2 486	395	2 091	1 204	305	899	1 365	478	887
25 TO 34 YEARS	13 432	2 157	11 275	9 142	831	8 311	3 660	569	3 091	4 290	1 325	2 964
35 TO 44 YEARS	11 528	1 935	9 594	7 759	741	7 018	2 876	497	2 379	3 769	1 194	2 575
45 TO 54 YEARS	10 888	1 762	9 126	7 440	641	6 799	2 893	453	2 440	3 448	1 121	2 327
55 TO 59 YEARS	5 094	863	4 230	3 422	301	3 121	1 383	206	1 177	1 672	563	1 109
60 TO 64 YEARS	4 211	857	3 353	2 691	244	2 447	1 154	171	983	1 519	613	906
65 YEARS AND OVER	8 212	1 888	6 324	4 901	568	4 334	2 189	397	1 792	3 310	1 320	1 990
MEDIAN AGE, YEARS	44.8	46.2	44.6	44.4	43.6	44.5	44.8	43.5	45.0	45.8	47.6	44.8
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS AND OVER	53 364	9 462	43 902	35 355	3 326	32 030	14 156	2 294	11 862	18 008	6 136	11 673
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	5 374	2 245	3 129	2 876	795	2 082	1 521	570	951	2 497	1 450	1 047
8 YEARS	4 854	1 091	3 763	2 667	329	2 338	1 190	235	955	2 187	762	1 425
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	7 746	1 762	5 984	5 117	752	4 365	2 325	554	1 771	2 629	1 010	1 619
4 YEARS	18 132	2 729	15 403	11 903	923	10 980	4 577	589	3 988	6 229	1 806	4 423
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	17 258	1 634	15 624	12 792	527	12 265	4 543	346	4 197	4 466	1 107	3 359
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.5	11.2	12.6	12.6	11.0	12.7	12.4	10.8	12.6	12.3	11.4	12.4
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	33.7	53.9	29.3	30.2	56.4	27.4	35.6	59.2	31.0	40.6	52.5	34.5
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HEAD												
WORKED LAST YEAR	45 498	7 348	38 150	30 289	2 374	27 915	11 631	1 565	10 065	15 209	4 974	10 235
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL, AND KINDRED WORKERS	6 865	591	6 275	5 135	200	4 935	1 753	133	1 620	1 731	391	1 340
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	7 123	803	6 321	4 975	199	4 776	1 694	120	1 574	2 148	604	1 544
SALES WORKERS	2 622	224	2 397	1 994	64	1 929	686	37	650	628	160	468
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	3 814	478	3 336	2 925	224	2 701	1 365	173	1 192	889	253	635
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	9 523	1 585	7 938	6 098	442	5 656	2 091	253	1 838	3 425	1 143	2 282
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT WORKERS	5 213	1 080	4 133	3 162	377	2 785	1 380	258	1 122	2 050	703	1 348
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	2 578	534	2 044	1 576	194	1 383	635	129	506	1 002	341	661
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	2 201	512	1 689	1 353	186	1 167	567	133	434	848	326	522
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	1 163	528	635	173	26	147	7	-	7	990	503	488
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	524	234	290	139	41	98	38	6	32	385	194	192
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	3 680	691	2 988	2 652	379	2 274	1 338	289	1 050	1 027	313	715
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	192	87	104	107	43	64	75	35	40	84	44	40
WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD												
TOTAL[1]	57 215	10 334	46 881	37 841	3 720	34 121	15 360	2 599	12 761	19 374	6 614	12 760
WORKED LAST YEAR	45 498	7 348	38 150	30 289	2 374	27 915	11 631	1 565	10 065	15 209	4 974	10 235
50 TO 52 WEEKS	35 366	5 219	30 147	23 908	1 621	22 286	8 920	1 036	7 884	11 458	3 597	7 861
FULL-TIME	34 083	4 918	29 165	23 106	1 519	21 587	8 529	959	7 570	10 977	3 399	7 578
1 TO 49 WEEKS	10 132	2 129	8 003	6 381	753	5 629	2 711	529	2 181	3 751	1 377	2 374
FULL-TIME	8 183	1 676	6 507	5 178	598	4 580	2 140	414	1 726	3 005	1 078	1 927
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:												
ILL OR DISABLED	1 463	319	1 144	916	114	801	393	78	314	547	205	342
KEEPING HOUSE	1 013	278	735	623	114	509	300	86	215	389	164	226
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	4 408	881	3 527	2 829	347	2 482	1 207	252	955	1 579	533	1 045
OTHER	3 248	652	2 597	2 013	176	1 836	811	113	697	1 236	475	761
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	10 973	2 899	8 074	7 052	1 297	5 755	3 581	1 020	2 561	3 921	1 602	2 319
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:												
ILL OR DISABLED	2 839	992	1 847	1 612	355	1 257	878	279	599	1 227	638	589
KEEPING HOUSE	2 138	746	1 391	1 531	474	1 057	970	412	558	607	272	334
GOING TO SCHOOL	215	48	167	180	34	146	118	27	91	35	14	21
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	364	96	268	283	66	216	161	59	103	82	29	52
RETIRED	5 200	957	4 243	3 308	342	2 966	1 401	224	1 177	1 892	615	1 277
OTHER	216	59	157	138	26	112	53	19	33	79	33	45
NUMBER OF WORKERS												
TOTAL FAMILIES WITH CIVILIAN HEADS	56 471	10 247	46 224	37 341	3 671	33 670	15 212	2 585	12 626	19 130	6 576	12 554
NO WORKERS	7 263	1 970	5 293	4 671	889	3 782	2 338	695	1 643	2 592	1 080	1 512
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	2 893	991	1 902	2 046	592	1 454	1 225	501	724	847	399	449
1 WORKER	17 947	3 328	14 619	12 163	1 288	10 875	5 218	933	4 285	5 784	2 040	3 744
HEAD ONLY WORKER	15 109	2 622	12 488	10 365	981	9 383	4 246	684	3 561	4 744	1 640	3 104
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	10 586	1 574	9 012	7 465	587	6 878	2 903	396	2 507	3 121	987	2 134
WIFE OR OTHER RELATIVE ONLY WORKER	2 838	706	2 132	1 799	306	1 492	972	249	724	1 039	400	639
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	1 474	396	1 078	938	182	756	542	152	390	536	214	322
2 WORKERS	22 622	3 637	18 985	14 841	1 115	13 726	5 769	731	5 038	7 781	2 522	5 259
HEAD A WORKER	21 993	3 481	18 511	14 422	1 048	13 374	5 581	682	4 899	7 571	2 433	5 138
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	16 682	2 432	14 249	11 113	704	10 409	4 184	440	3 743	5 569	1 729	3 840
WIFE A WORKER	17 431	2 719	14 712	11 213	742	10 471	4 222	444	3 777	6 218	1 977	4 241
HEAD NOT A WORKER	629	156	473	419	67	352	188	49	139	210	89	121
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	423	102	321	291	48	243	133	35	98	132	54	78
WIFE A WORKER	272	44	228	181	17	164	78	11	67	91	27	64
3 OR MORE WORKERS	8 639	1 312	7 327	5 666	379	5 287	1 886	226	1 660	2 973	933	2 040
HEAD A WORKER	8 396	1 245	7 151	5 503	344	5 158	1 804	199	1 606	2 893	900	1 993
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	6 815	912	5 903	4 528	229	4 300	1 442	123	1 319	2 287	684	1 604
WIFE A WORKER	6 465	979	5 486	4 142	246	3 896	1 307	134	1 173	2 324	733	1 591
HEAD NOT A WORKER	243	67	176	163	34	129	82	27	55	80	33	47
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	192	47	145	126	21	105	60	17	44	66	26	40

[1]INCLUDES MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY.

Table 41. Poverty Area Residence by Selected Characteristics—Families by Poverty Status in 1977, Metropolitan-Nonmetropolitan Residence, and Race of Head—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	UNITED STATES			METROPOLITAN AREAS						NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS		
							CENTRAL CITIES					
	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS
ALL RACES--CONTINUED												
ALL FAMILIES--ALL INCOME LEVELS--CONTINUED												
INCOME												
TOTAL	57 215	10 334	46 881	37 841	3 720	34 121	15 360	2 599	12 761	19 374	6 614	12 760
NO INCOME	122	37	85	83	19	64	48	16	32	39	18	22
LOSS	198	65	132	52	4	48	15	3	12	146	61	85
$1 TO $999	273	82	191	162	31	131	68	26	62	111	51	60
$1,000 TO $1,499	228	111	117	132	48	84	91	42	49	96	63	33
$1,500 TO $1,999	312	147	166	156	62	94	92	46	46	156	85	71
$2,000 TO $2,999	920	405	515	523	174	349	302	126	177	397	231	165
$3,000 TO $3,999	1 533	652	881	873	299	574	565	247	318	660	353	307
$4,000 TO $4,999	1 756	633	1 123	1 017	263	754	595	218	376	739	370	369
$5,000 TO $5,999	2 031	627	1 405	1 202	263	939	657	202	455	830	364	466
$6,000 TO $6,999	2 116	616	1 500	1 280	250	1 030	664	186	478	836	367	469
$7,000 TO $7,999	2 094	559	1 534	1 226	202	1 023	625	144	481	868	357	511
$8,000 TO $8,999	2 117	507	1 610	1 287	203	1 085	616	135	483	829	304	525
$9,000 TO $9,999	2 026	503	1 523	1 269	192	1 076	570	119	451	757	310	447
$10,000 TO $11,999	4 098	884	3 214	2 434	277	2 157	1 087	198	889	1 663	607	1 057
$12,000 TO $14,999	6 454	1 221	5 233	3 953	395	3 558	1 701	265	1 436	2 501	826	1 674
$15,000 TO $19,999	10 167	1 419	8 748	6 663	444	6 219	2 515	272	2 243	3 504	975	2 529
$20,000 TO $24,999	7 962	887	7 075	5 603	297	5 306	2 016	177	1 839	2 359	590	1 769
$25,000 AND OVER	12 808	978	11 830	9 926	296	9 630	3 112	177	2 935	2 882	681	2 200
MEDIAN INCOME .....DOLLARS	16 146	10 502	17 408	17 455	9 215	18 292	14 934	8 321	16 414	13 870	11 229	15 234
MEAN INCOME .....DOLLARS	18 264	12 711	19 488	19 579	11 737	20 435	17 404	10 922	18 724	15 696	13 259	16 958
SOURCE OF INCOME												
TOTAL	57 215	10 334	46 881	37 841	3 720	34 121	15 360	2 599	12 761	19 374	6 614	12 760
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	18 264	12 711	19 488	19 579	11 737	20 435	17 404	10 922	18 724	15 696	13 259	16 958
EARNINGS ONLY	13 775	3 034	10 742	8 773	1 080	7 693	3 814	737	3 076	5 002	1 954	3 048
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	16 410	13 180	17 323	17 334	13 126	17 925	15 897	12 953	16 602	14 790	13 210	15 802
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	11 492	2 435	9 057	7 627	962	6 665	3 407	684	2 723	3 865	1 473	2 392
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	585	179	406	277	38	240	102	16	86	308	142	166
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1 697	419	1 278	868	80	788	305	38	267	829	339	490
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	36 356	5 385	30 971	24 467	1 759	22 707	9 234	1 170	8 064	11 890	3 626	8 264
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	21 005	15 000	22 050	22 537	14 388	23 169	20 646	13 411	21 696	17 853	15 297	18 975
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1 513	439	1 074	869	145	725	419	111	308	644	295	349
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	1 072	375	697	751	218	533	471	185	287	321	157	164
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	159	78	82	89	33	57	48	26	23	70	45	25
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	26 578	3 053	23 525	18 374	884	17 490	6 348	507	5 841	8 204	2 168	6 035
OTHER COMBINATIONS	7 034	1 440	5 594	4 383	480	3 903	1 947	341	1 606	2 651	960	1 691
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	6 963	1 880	5 083	4 519	861	3 657	2 264	675	1 589	2 445	1 019	1 426
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	7 936	5 636	8 787	8 283	4 844	9 093	7 089	4 648	8 126	7 294	6 305	8 001
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	812	247	565	455	96	358	248	73	175	357	151	206
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	942	417	525	782	349	434	571	309	262	160	68	92
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	69	47	22	28	17	11	17	12	5	41	30	11
OTHER INCOME ONLY	270	75	194	201	32	169	112	28	83	69	43	26
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	294	163	131	149	55	94	88	43	45	145	108	37
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	87	46	41	54	24	30	36	19	17	33	22	11
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	70	32	39	37	12	25	20	9	11	34	20	14
OTHER COMBINATIONS	4 419	853	3 566	2 814	276	2 538	1 173	182	992	1 605	577	1 029
NO INCOME	120	35	85	83	19	64	48	16	32	37	15	22
TENURE												
PRIMARY FAMILIES, TOTAL	56 958	10 280	46 678	37 667	3 691	33 977	15 274	2 574	12 700	19 291	6 589	12 701
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	41 427	6 613	34 814	26 482	1 649	24 833	9 100	934	8 167	14 945	4 964	9 981
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	15 531	3 667	11 864	11 185	2 042	9 144	6 174	1 641	4 533	4 346	1 625	2 721
PUBLIC	1 022	491	531	796	381	415	617	355	262	226	110	116
PRIVATE	14 510	3 176	11 334	10 390	1 661	8 729	5 557	1 286	4 271	4 120	1 515	2 605
SUBSIDIZED	275	40	235	175	27	148	102	23	79	100	13	87
ALL FAMILIES--BELOW POVERTY LEVEL												
AGE OF HEAD												
TOTAL	5 311	2 224	3 087	3 141	1 061	2 080	1 925	865	1 059	2 170	1 163	1 006
14 TO 24 YEARS	750	270	479	555	190	365	381	168	213	195	81	114
25 TO 34 YEARS	1 430	517	913	939	290	649	575	235	340	492	228	264
35 TO 44 YEARS	1 107	428	679	675	221	454	407	182	225	432	207	225
45 TO 54 YEARS	698	320	379	394	145	250	230	118	112	304	175	129
55 TO 59 YEARS	322	165	157	179	77	102	109	60	48	143	89	55
60 TO 64 YEARS	294	132	162	120	31	89	74	23	51	173	101	73
65 YEARS AND OVER	710	391	319	279	108	172	149	79	70	430	283	147
MEDIAN AGE.....YEARS	39.3	42.6	37.2	36.1	37.3	35.6	35.1	36.6	34.3	44.2	48.8	40.6
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS AND OVER	4 561	1 954	2 608	2 586	871	1 715	1 544	698	846	1 975	1 083	892
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	1 209	754	455	567	274	293	342	200	141	643	481	162
8 YEARS	606	242	363	277	84	193	162	67	96	328	158	170
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	1 055	469	586	697	282	415	461	236	226	358	187	171
4 YEARS	1 172	370	803	683	172	511	386	153	232	489	197	292
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	519	119	400	362	58	303	193	42	151	158	61	97
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	10.3	8.9	11.4	10.8	9.9	11.6	10.7	10.1	11.4	9.1	8.4	10.9
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	62.9	75.0	53.9	59.6	73.5	52.5	62.5	72.0	54.7	67.3	76.2	56.4

Table 41. Poverty Area Residence by Selected Characteristics—Families by Poverty Status in 1977, Metropolitan-Nonmetropolitan Residence, and Race of Head—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	UNITED STATES			METROPOLITAN AREAS						NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS		
							CENTRAL CITIES					
	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS
ALL RACES--CONTINUED												
ALL FAMILIES--BELOW POVERTY LEVEL--CONTINUED												
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HEAD												
WORKED LAST YEAR	2 567	990	1 578	1 364	370	994	771	283	488	1 203	620	583
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL, AND KINDRED WORKERS	100	18	82	78	7	72	30	6	25	22	11	10
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	205	42	162	121	13	108	61	8	54	83	29	54
SALES WORKERS	85	12	74	62	4	58	26	4	22	23	8	15
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	224	66	158	160	35	125	96	32	63	64	31	32
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	335	120	215	182	50	132	99	31	69	153	71	83
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT WORKERS	323	122	201	187	52	135	106	41	65	136	70	66
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	147	71	76	66	26	40	43	21	22	81	45	36
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	201	90	111	92	24	69	50	19	32	108	66	42
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	284	130	154	27	1	26	3	-	3	256	128	128
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	118	71	47	32	11	21	12	3	9	86	60	27
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	452	194	258	309	125	184	207	101	105	143	69	74
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	94	54	40	47	22	24	37	19	18	48	32	16
WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD												
TOTAL[1]	5 311	2 224	3 087	3 141	1 061	2 080	1 925	865	1 059	2 170	1 163	1 006
WORKED LAST YEAR	2 567	990	1 578	1 364	370	994	771	283	488	1 203	620	583
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 068	463	605	465	137	328	252	107	145	603	326	277
FULL-TIME	912	395	517	386	115	271	207	87	119	526	280	246
1 TO 49 WEEKS	1 500	527	973	899	233	667	519	176	343	601	294	306
FULL-TIME	1 064	362	701	641	156	485	367	114	253	422	207	216
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:												
ILL OR DISABLED	202	83	119	109	33	75	62	28	34	93	50	43
KEEPING HOUSE	428	157	271	249	78	171	141	57	84	180	79	100
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	599	202	396	373	89	284	216	69	146	225	113	112
OTHER	271	85	187	169	32	136	100	22	78	103	52	50
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	2 722	1 233	1 489	1 762	690	1 072	1 148	581	567	960	543	417
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:												
ILL OR DISABLED	759	403	356	416	176	240	269	138	130	344	228	116
KEEPING HOUSE	1 149	523	626	849	369	480	606	325	281	299	153	146
GOING TO SCHOOL	114	38	76	94	30	64	66	25	41	19	8	11
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	207	64	143	161	49	113	98	45	52	46	15	31
RETIRED	409	174	236	198	55	143	94	40	54	212	119	93
OTHER	84	32	52	44	12	32	17	8	8	40	20	20
NUMBER OF WORKERS												
TOTAL FAMILIES WITH CIVILIAN HEADS	5 290	2 223	3 067	3 126	1 060	2 066	1 919	865	1 055	2 164	1 163	1 001
NO WORKERS	2 239	1 000	1 239	1 488	576	910	966	486	480	751	422	329
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	1 702	716	986	1 259	492	767	852	423	428	443	224	219
1 WORKER	1 972	757	1 215	1 159	340	819	697	279	418	812	417	396
HEAD ONLY WORKER	1 588	577	1 012	942	257	685	550	206	344	646	319	327
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	446	197	249	227	71	155	134	63	71	219	126	93
WIFE OR OTHER RELATIVE ONLY WORKER	383	180	203	217	83	134	147	72	75	166	97	69
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	319	133	186	197	72	125	135	65	70	122	61	61
2 WORKERS	815	351	464	392	114	277	221	83	138	423	236	187
HEAD A WORKER	742	316	426	351	96	255	196	70	126	391	220	171
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	331	146	184	130	39	92	65	21	44	200	108	92
WIFE A WORKER	486	191	295	226	54	172	119	33	86	260	137	123
HEAD NOT A WORKER	72	35	38	40	18	22	25	14	12	32	16	16
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	65	32	33	37	18	19	22	14	8	28	14	14
WIFE A WORKER	12	5	7	2	1	1	2	1	1	10	4	6
3 OR MORE WORKERS	264	115	149	88	28	60	35	16	19	177	88	89
HEAD A WORKER	236	97	140	71	17	54	25	7	18	166	80	86
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	136	52	84	29	6	23	8	3	5	106	46	60
WIFE A WORKER	158	63	95	43	7	36	12	2	10	115	56	59
HEAD NOT A WORKER	28	18	9	17	11	6	10	9	1	11	7	3
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	27	17	9	16	10	6	8	8	1	11	7	3
INCOME												
TOTAL	5 311	2 224	3 087	3 141	1 061	2 080	1 925	865	1 059	2 170	1 163	1 006
NO INCOME	122	37	85	83	19	64	48	16	32	39	18	22
LOSS	198	65	132	52	4	48	15	3	12	146	61	85
$1 TO $999	273	82	191	162	31	131	88	26	62	111	51	60
$1,000 TO $1,499	228	111	117	132	48	84	91	42	49	96	63	33
$1,500 TO $1,999	312	147	166	156	62	94	92	46	46	156	85	71
$2,000 TO $2,999	920	405	515	523	174	349	302	126	177	397	231	165
$3,000 TO $3,999	1 346	572	774	802	278	524	524	231	293	544	293	250
$4,000 TO $4,999	763	291	472	495	159	336	312	138	174	268	131	137
$5,000 TO $5,999	520	221	299	341	125	216	214	103	110	180	97	83
$6,000 TO $6,999	345	151	193	212	78	133	137	71	66	133	73	60
$7,000 TO $7,999	142	70	72	88	42	47	50	34	16	54	28	26
$8,000 AND OVER	141	71	70	95	39	55	53	29	24	46	32	14
MEDIAN INCOME ..... DOLLARS	3 447	3 462	3 436	3 576	3 688	3 516	3 625	3 755	3 522	3 257	3 248	3 267
MEAN INCOME ..... DOLLARS	3 292	3 436	3 188	3 568	3 864	3 417	3 680	3 908	3 493	2 893	3 046	2 715

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

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							CENTRAL CITIES					
	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS
ALL RACES--CONTINUED												
ALL FAMILIES--BELOW POVERTY LEVEL--CONTINUED												
SOURCE OF INCOME												
TOTAL	5 311	2 224	3 087	3 141	1 061	2 080	1 925	865	1 059	2 170	1 163	1 006
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	3 292	3 436	3 188	3 568	3 864	3 417	3 680	3 908	3 493	2 893	3 046	2 715
EARNINGS ONLY	1 151	464	687	618	170	448	350	130	220	533	294	239
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	3 226	3 386	3 118	3 820	4 484	3 568	3 929	4 557	3 558	2 538	2 751	2 275
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	816	320	496	502	149	353	309	123	187	314	171	143
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	183	73	110	67	13	53	23	4	19	117	60	57
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	152	71	81	49	8	41	18	4	14	103	63	39
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	1 930	761	1 168	1 040	313	727	611	249	362	889	448	441
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	3 593	3 936	3 369	3 991	4 634	3 714	4 161	4 668	3 814	3 128	3 449	2 801
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	164	81	83	79	29	50	48	21	27	85	52	33
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	539	238	302	356	131	224	231	111	120	184	106	77
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	40	27	13	19	10	9	14	9	5	20	17	4
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	743	214	529	372	64	308	180	44	136	370	150	221
OTHER COMBINATIONS	445	202	242	215	79	136	138	64	74	230	124	106
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	2 110	964	1 147	1 400	558	842	915	470	445	711	406	305
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	3 240	3 189	3 282	3 353	3 378	3 337	3 454	3 458	3 451	3 015	2 930	3 128
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	313	121	192	164	52	112	86	39	47	149	69	80
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	895	402	492	735	334	401	532	295	237	160	68	92
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	62	43	19	26	17	9	15	11	4	37	27	10
OTHER INCOME ONLY	164	50	114	120	24	97	71	20	51	43	26	17
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	147	105	42	58	27	31	33	21	12	89	78	11
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	63	40	23	33	19	14	25	16	9	30	21	9
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	38	23	15	18	6	12	12	6	6	19	17	3
OTHER COMBINATIONS	430	180	250	246	80	166	141	62	80	183	100	84
NO INCOME	120	35	85	83	19	64	48	16	32	37	15	22
TENURE												
PRIMARY FAMILIES, TOTAL	5 184	2 189	2 995	3 061	1 042	2 019	1 876	847	1 030	2 124	1 147	976
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	2 116	859	1 258	924	209	715	411	137	274	1 193	650	543
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	3 068	1 331	1 737	2 137	833	1 304	1 465	710	756	931	498	433
PUBLIC	446	281	165	353	231	122	292	219	73	93	51	43
PRIVATE	2 621	1 050	1 572	1 784	602	1 182	1 174	491	683	838	447	390
SUBSIDIZED	118	23	95	77	16	61	50	14	36	41	7	34
WHITE												
ALL FAMILIES--ALL INCOME LEVELS												
AGE OF HEAD												
TOTAL	50 530	7 441	43 089	32 824	1 950	30 874	11 817	1 116	10 700	17 706	5 491	12 216
14 TO 24 YEARS	3 241	583	2 658	1 995	181	1 814	832	115	717	1 246	402	844
25 TO 34 YEARS	11 668	1 559	10 109	7 758	453	7 306	2 733	258	2 475	3 910	1 106	2 804
35 TO 44 YEARS	10 033	1 376	8 657	6 550	360	6 190	2 062	177	1 885	3 484	1 016	2 468
45 TO 54 YEARS	9 720	1 257	8 464	6 567	333	6 234	2 269	197	2 071	3 153	924	2 229
55 TO 59 YEARS	4 611	615	3 996	3 064	147	2 918	1 133	87	1 046	1 547	468	1 079
60 TO 64 YEARS	3 792	627	3 166	2 436	138	2 298	945	81	864	1 356	489	868
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 463	1 424	6 039	4 453	338	4 115	1 843	201	1 642	3 010	1 085	1 925
MEDIAN AGE, YEARS	45.3	46.6	45.1	45.2	44.5	45.2	46.2	45.5	46.3	45.7	47.4	45.0
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS AND OVER	47 289	6 857	40 431	30 829	1 769	29 060	10 965	1 001	9 963	16 460	5 069	11 372
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	4 145	1 442	2 703	2 216	454	1 761	1 057	298	759	1 929	988	942
8 YEARS	4 409	858	3 551	2 381	200	2 181	958	125	833	2 028	658	1 370
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	6 460	1 114	5 346	4 131	318	3 814	1 574	183	1 391	2 328	796	1 532
4 YEARS	16 347	2 122	14 225	10 456	490	9 966	3 558	224	3 334	5 891	1 631	4 259
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	15 928	1 321	14 607	11 644	306	11 338	3 838	171	3 667	4 284	1 015	3 269
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.5	12.0	12.6	12.6	10.8	12.7	12.5	10.1	12.6	12.3	12.1	12.4
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	31.7	49.8	28.7	28.3	55.0	26.7	32.7	60.6	29.9	38.2	48.0	33.8
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HEAD												
WORKED LAST YEAR	40 711	5 548	35 163	26 661	1 335	25 326	9 141	715	8 425	14 049	4 213	9 837
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL, AND KINDRED WORKERS	6 372	502	5 870	4 707	136	4 571	1 502	81	1 421	1 664	366	1 298
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	6 790	721	6 069	4 689	139	4 550	1 518	71	1 447	2 101	583	1 518
SALES WORKERS	2 525	199	2 326	1 912	46	1 866	630	21	608	613	153	460
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	3 229	313	2 916	2 391	90	2 301	969	58	911	838	224	614
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	8 870	1 333	7 537	5 636	319	5 317	1 796	159	1 637	3 234	1 014	2 220
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT WORKERS	4 456	750	3 706	2 645	217	2 427	997	122	875	1 812	533	1 279
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	2 248	389	1 859	1 327	105	1 222	464	58	406	921	284	637
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	1 726	309	1 417	1 052	102	950	367	60	308	674	206	466
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	1 127	498	629	166	21	145	7	-	7	961	477	484
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	442	176	266	121	34	86	32	6	25	321	142	179
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	2 847	343	2 505	1 976	123	1 853	836	77	759	872	219	652
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	79	15	64	40	3	36	22	3	20	39	11	28

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SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	UNITED STATES			METROPOLITAN AREAS						NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS		
							CENTRAL CITIES					
	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS
WHITE--CONTINUED												
ALL FAMILIES--ALL INCOME LEVELS--CONTINUED												
WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD												
TOTAL[1]	50 530	7 441	43 089	32 824	1 950	30 874	11 817	1 116	10 700	17 706	5 491	12 216
WORKED LAST YEAR	40 711	5 548	35 163	26 661	1 335	25 326	9 141	716	8 425	14 049	4 213	9 837
50 TO 52 WEEKS	31 988	4 066	27 922	21 280	933	20 347	7 134	484	6 649	10 707	3 132	7 575
FULL-TIME	30 889	3 863	27 026	20 588	881	19 707	6 829	450	6 380	10 301	2 982	7 319
1 TO 49 WEEKS	8 723	1 482	7 241	5 381	402	4 979	2 007	232	1 775	3 342	1 080	2 262
FULL-TIME	7 121	1 195	5 926	4 403	329	4 073	1 596	183	1 413	2 719	866	1 852
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:												
ILL OR DISABLED	1 234	203	1 031	760	55	704	291	33	258	474	147	327
KEEPING HOUSE	783	143	640	475	40	435	183	22	161	307	103	205
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	3 759	612	3 148	2 349	189	2 160	874	115	759	1 410	423	987
OTHER	2 947	525	2 423	1 797	117	1 680	659	62	597	1 150	407	743
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	9 201	1 819	7 382	5 758	577	5 181	2 556	393	2 165	3 443	1 242	2 201
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:												
ILL OR DISABLED	2 258	617	1 640	1 245	148	1 097	591	108	483	1 012	469	543
KEEPING HOUSE	1 529	341	1 189	1 060	177	883	571	139	432	469	164	305
GOING TO SCHOOL	150	22	128	122	11	111	73	9	64	28	11	17
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	233	36	197	167	13	154	78	7	71	66	23	43
RETIRED	4 859	764	4 096	3 061	217	2 844	1 214	123	1 091	1 798	546	1 252
OTHER	172	40	132	103	12	91	31	7	24	69	29	41
NUMBER OF WORKERS												
TOTAL FAMILIES WITH CIVILIAN HEADS	49 911	7 367	42 545	32 419	1 912	30 507	11 699	1 109	10 590	17 492	5 454	12 038
NO WORKERS	6 128	1 253	4 875	3 827	401	3 426	1 653	272	1 382	2 301	851	1 449
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	2 070	489	1 581	1 383	213	1 170	681	168	513	686	275	411
1 WORKER	15 680	2 315	13 364	10 426	640	9 786	3 937	380	3 557	5 254	1 675	3 578
HEAD ONLY WORKER	13 297	1 871	11 425	8 955	504	8 451	3 217	284	2 932	4 341	1 367	2 974
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	9 486	1 160	8 326	6 570	309	6 261	2 258	163	2 094	2 916	851	2 065
WIFE OR OTHER RELATIVE ONLY WORKER	2 383	444	1 939	1 470	136	1 335	720	96	625	912	308	604
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	1 182	238	944	717	71	645	373	52	321	466	166	299
2 WORKERS	20 290	2 819	17 472	13 089	668	12 421	4 608	368	4 241	7 201	2 151	5 051
HEAD A WORKER	19 778	2 724	17 054	12 750	637	12 113	4 477	348	4 129	7 028	2 087	4 941
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	15 132	1 973	13 159	9 891	433	9 459	3 388	229	3 159	5 240	1 540	3 700
WIFE A WORKER	15 807	2 230	13 577	9 968	496	9 471	3 429	254	3 175	5 839	1 733	4 106
HEAD NOT A WORKER	512	95	417	339	31	308	131	20	111	173	63	110
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	344	58	286	235	20	215	93	12	81	109	37	71
WIFE A WORKER	231	31	201	149	9	140	58	6	51	82	22	60
3 OR MORE WORKERS	7 813	980	6 833	5 077	203	4 874	1 500	90	1 411	2 736	777	1 959
HEAD A WORKER	7 635	952	6 683	4 956	194	4 762	1 447	84	1 363	2 680	758	1 921
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	6 271	730	5 541	4 126	139	3 988	1 184	58	1 126	2 145	592	1 553
WIFE A WORKER	5 916	782	5 134	3 743	147	3 595	1 054	61	993	2 173	635	1 539
HEAD NOT A WORKER	178	28	150	121	9	112	54	6	48	57	19	38
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	145	19	127	96	2	93	41	2	39	50	16	33
INCOME												
TOTAL	50 530	7 441	43 089	32 824	1 950	30 874	11 817	1 116	10 700	17 706	5 491	12 216
NO INCOME	87	21	66	52	6	46	25	3	22	35	15	20
LOSS	190	63	127	47	4	43	14	3	11	143	59	84
$1 TO $999	204	43	161	120	12	108	63	10	53	84	31	53
$1,000 TO $1,499	143	48	95	75	9	66	44	6	38	68	39	29
$1,500 TO $1,999	193	60	133	89	17	72	42	13	29	104	43	61
$2,000 TO $2,999	594	192	402	314	60	254	157	43	115	280	132	148
$3,000 TO $3,999	1 085	350	736	563	109	454	305	73	232	523	241	282
$4,000 TO $4,999	1 322	383	940	721	123	597	352	88	263	602	259	342
$5,000 TO $5,999	1 611	380	1 231	922	116	805	437	78	359	689	262	427
$6,000 TO $6,999	1 709	401	1 308	989	116	873	435	70	365	720	285	435
$7,000 TO $7,999	1 779	402	1 378	1 003	109	895	449	66	383	776	293	483
$8,000 TO $8,999	1 784	331	1 453	1 049	86	963	438	43	394	735	245	490
$9,000 TO $9,999	1 721	366	1 355	1 051	114	937	420	59	361	670	252	418
$10,000 TO $11,999	3 573	667	2 906	2 050	144	1 905	808	88	720	1 523	523	1 000
$12,000 TO $14,999	5 787	975	4 812	3 446	246	3 200	1 337	136	1 200	2 341	729	1 611
$15,000 TO $19,999	9 298	1 165	8 133	5 951	288	5 663	2 056	143	1 912	3 347	877	2 471
$20,000 TO $24,999	7 361	738	6 623	5 108	194	4 914	1 713	100	1 613	2 253	544	1 709
$25,000 AND OVER	12 087	856	11 231	9 274	195	9 079	2 724	93	2 630	2 813	662	2 152
MEDIAN INCOME .....DOLLARS	16 872	12 043	17 731	18 295	11 279	18 725	16 420	10 063	17 106	14 437	12 271	15 453
MEAN INCOME .....DOLLARS	18 997	14 062	19 850	20 485	13 502	20 926	18 816	12 586	19 466	16 240	14 261	17 129
SOURCE OF INCOME												
TOTAL	50 530	7 441	43 089	32 824	1 950	30 874	11 817	1 116	10 700	17 706	5 491	12 216
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .....DOLLARS	18 997	14 062	19 850	20 485	13 502	20 926	18 816	12 586	19 466	16 240	14 261	17 129
EARNINGS ONLY	11 569	2 191	9 379	7 064	564	6 500	2 629	316	2 313	4 505	1 626	2 879
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .....DOLLARS	16 892	13 641	17 651	17 973	13 427	18 368	16 600	13 066	17 083	15 196	13 715	16 034
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	9 463	1 668	7 795	6 045	487	5 558	2 302	297	2 005	3 418	1 181	2 237
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	542	164	377	243	25	218	78	3	75	299	139	160
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1 565	358	1 206	777	52	725	248	16	232	788	306	482
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	33 001	4 047	28 955	21 991	986	21 005	7 553	527	7 026	11 010	3 060	7 950
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .....DOLLARS	21 629	16 513	22 344	23 260	16 712	23 568	21 922	16 039	22 364	18 371	16 449	19 110
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1 195	269	927	679	57	622	284	35	249	516	211	305
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	613	109	504	413	49	364	189	35	154	200	61	140
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	91	29	62	48	7	40	19	6	14	43	22	21
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	24 897	2 605	22 292	17 037	621	16 415	5 519	304	5 215	7 860	1 983	5 877
OTHER COMBINATIONS	6 205	1 035	5 170	3 815	252	3 563	1 543	148	1 395	2 391	783	1 607

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	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS
WHITE--CONTINUED												
ALL FAMILIES--ALL INCOME LEVELS--CONTINUED												
SOURCE OF INCOME--CONTINUED												
TOTAL--CONTINUED												
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	5 875	1 185	4 690	3 716	393	3 323	1 609	270	1 340	2 159	791	1 367
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS.	8 633	6 693	9 123	9 123	5 770	9 519	8 155	5 404	8 709	7 790	7 151	8 161
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	704	171	533	390	51	339	195	33	161	314	120	194
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	489	131	357	380	101	278	230	86	144	109	30	79
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	39	22	17	13	4	9	6	4	5	27	18	8
OTHER INCOME ONLY	210	48	162	158	17	142	80	15	65	51	31	20
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	194	83	111	94	19	76	44	13	31	100	64	36
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	58	24	34	39	15	24	25	12	14	19	9	9
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	40	13	27	19	2	17	7	2	6	22	12	10
OTHER COMBINATIONS	4 140	691	3 449	2 623	184	2 438	1 020	106	915	1 518	507	1 011
NO INCOME	85	19	66	52	6	46	25	3	22	32	12	20
TENURE												
PRIMARY FAMILIES, TOTAL	50 345	7 418	42 927	32 704	1 942	30 762	11 766	1 112	10 654	17 641	5 476	12 165
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	38 041	5 312	32 730	24 094	1 014	23 080	7 585	460	7 125	13 947	4 298	9 650
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	12 304	2 106	10 197	8 610	928	7 682	4 181	651	3 529	3 694	1 178	2 516
PUBLIC	473	144	329	341	84	257	226	77	149	132	60	72
PRIVATE	11 830	1 962	9 868	8 269	844	7 425	3 955	575	3 380	3 562	1 118	2 443
SUBSIDIZED	193	19	174	111	16	95	62	13	49	82	4	79
ALL FAMILIES--BELOW POVERTY LEVEL												
AGE OF HEAD												
TOTAL	3 540	1 070	2 469	1 949	370	1 579	986	267	719	1 590	701	890
14 TO 24 YEARS	463	94	368	313	46	266	188	38	150	150	48	102
25 TO 34 YEARS	979	259	720	611	124	487	316	89	227	369	135	234
35 TO 44 YEARS	718	210	508	384	71	313	177	53	123	333	139	194
45 TO 54 YEARS	486	167	320	266	62	203	125	42	83	221	104	116
55 TO 59 YEARS	210	76	134	103	19	84	52	14	37	107	57	50
60 TO 64 YEARS	211	65	146	88	11	78	47	6	41	123	54	69
65 YEARS AND OVER	472	200	272	184	36	148	82	24	58	288	164	125
MEDIAN AGE.....YEARS.	39.6	43.7	37.9	36.3	37.1	36.2	34.7	36.3	34.2	43.3	47.7	40.6
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS AND OVER	3 077	976	2 101	1 637	324	1 313	798	229	569	1 440	652	788
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	782	409	373	361	145	237	211	100	111	401	264	137
8 YEARS	445	133	312	184	29	155	83	19	64	261	104	157
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	609	178	431	388	92	296	199	64	135	221	86	135
4 YEARS	846	195	651	430	45	385	185	38	147	417	150	266
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	394	61	333	253	14	240	121	8	113	141	47	93
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	10.4	8.6	11.4	10.7	8.6	11.6	10.5	8.8	11.2	9.8	8.0	11.1
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	59.7	73.7	53.2	58.3	81.8	52.4	61.7	79.9	54.4	61.3	69.7	54.4
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HEAD												
WORKED LAST YEAR	1 835	547	1 288	922	151	771	435	97	338	913	395	518
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL, AND KINDRED WORKERS	79	10	69	60	2	59	20	2	18	19	8	10
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	178	35	143	103	10	92	50	5	45	75	24	51
SALES WORKERS	67	5	62	49	-	49	13	-	13	18	5	13
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	147	27	120	93	5	88	41	5	36	54	22	32
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	262	74	187	143	29	115	70	16	54	118	46	73
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT WORKERS	210	57	153	133	31	102	71	22	50	76	26	50
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	105	43	61	43	12	31	25	10	15	61	31	30
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	132	48	84	65	13	51	29	8	21	67	35	32
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	271	117	154	27	1	26	3	-	3	244	116	128
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	89	49	40	27	10	17	8	3	6	63	40	23
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	268	71	197	167	37	130	95	27	68	101	34	67
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	27	10	17	12	2	10	11	1	10	16	8	8
WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD												
TOTAL[1]	3 540	1 070	2 469	1 949	370	1 579	986	267	719	1 590	701	890
WORKED LAST YEAR	1 835	547	1 288	922	151	771	435	97	338	913	395	518
50 TO 52 WEEKS	793	281	512	314	57	256	140	35	105	480	224	256
FULL-TIME	705	252	453	266	49	217	116	30	87	439	203	236
1 TO 49 WEEKS	1 041	265	776	608	94	514	295	61	234	433	171	262
FULL-TIME	770	201	569	444	69	375	220	45	176	326	132	194
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:												
ILL OR DISABLED	139	42	98	78	14	64	39	13	26	61	27	34
KEEPING HOUSE	280	60	220	158	25	133	69	15	54	121	35	87
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	398	105	293	233	34	199	110	22	88	165	71	94
OTHER	224	58	166	139	20	118	77	12	66	85	38	48
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	1 688	523	1 165	1 016	218	798	547	170	378	671	305	367
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:												
ILL OR DISABLED	476	190	287	242	56	185	133	43	90	235	133	101
KEEPING HOUSE	666	190	476	477	126	351	286	101	185	189	64	125
GOING TO SCHOOL	61	11	49	46	7	39	30	7	23	15	5	10
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	117	15	102	82	6	77	38	4	34	34	9	26
RETIRED	312	100	212	148	22	126	57	15	42	164	78	86
OTHER	56	17	39	22	2	20	3	-	3	34	15	19

[1]INCLUDES MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY.

Table 41. Poverty Area Residence by Selected Characteristics—Families by Poverty Status in 1977, Metropolitan-Nonmetropolitan Residence, and Race of Head—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	UNITED STATES			METROPOLITAN AREAS						NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS		
							CENTRAL CITIES					
	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS
WHITE--CONTINUED												
ALL FAMILIES--BELOW POVERTY LEVEL--CONTINUED												
NUMBER OF WORKERS												
TOTAL FAMILIES WITH CIVILIAN HEADS	3 522	1 069	2 453	1 938	369	1 569	962	267	716	1 584	700	884
NO WORKERS	1 399	433	965	869	193	675	468	151	317	530	240	290
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	1 016	278	738	710	161	549	401	129	271	306	117	189
1 WORKER	1 327	355	971	740	114	626	378	83	295	587	242	345
HEAD ONLY WORKER	1 083	277	805	619	95	523	306	67	240	464	182	282
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	303	101	202	137	22	115	68	19	49	166	79	87
WIFE OR OTHER RELATIVE ONLY WORKER	244	78	166	121	18	103	71	16	55	123	60	63
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	210	55	155	114	15	99	67	13	54	95	39	56
2 WORKERS	596	205	391	273	53	220	122	27	95	323	152	171
HEAD A WORKER	562	197	365	251	48	204	115	26	89	310	149	161
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	276	104	172	103	23	80	43	9	34	173	81	92
WIFE A WORKER	400	138	262	178	36	142	78	17	61	222	103	119
HEAD NOT A WORKER	34	8	26	21	5	16	8	2	6	13	3	10
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	32	8	25	19	5	14	6	2	4	13	3	10
WIFE A WORKER	4	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	4
3 OR MORE WORKERS	201	76	125	57	9	47	15	6	9	144	66	78
HEAD A WORKER	190	72	118	52	8	44	14	5	9	139	64	75
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	126	47	79	26	4	22	5	2	4	100	43	57
WIFE A WORKER	142	54	88	37	5	33	9	2	7	104	49	55
HEAD NOT A WORKER	11	3	7	5	1	4	1	1	-	6	2	3
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	11	3	7	5	1	4	1	1	-	6	2	3
INCOME												
TOTAL	3 540	1 070	2 469	1 949	370	1 579	986	267	719	1 590	701	890
NO INCOME	87	21	66	52	6	46	25	3	22	35	15	20
LOSS	190	63	127	47	4	43	14	3	11	143	59	84
$1 TO $999	204	43	161	120	12	108	63	10	53	84	31	53
$1,000 TO $1,499	143	48	95	75	9	66	44	6	38	68	39	29
$1,500 TO $1,999	193	60	133	89	17	72	42	13	29	104	43	61
$2,000 TO $2,999	594	192	402	314	60	254	157	43	115	280	132	148
$3,000 TO $3,999	918	284	634	502	95	407	272	64	209	416	189	227
$4,000 TO $4,999	518	146	372	319	71	248	163	55	109	198	75	123
$5,000 TO $5,999	336	99	237	215	45	170	109	35	74	121	53	67
$6,000 TO $6,999	203	61	143	116	23	93	57	20	36	87	38	50
$7,000 TO $7,999	82	31	51	49	15	34	19	10	9	33	16	17
$8,000 AND OVER	72	23	49	51	12	39	21	6	15	21	11	10
MEDIAN INCOME .....DOLLARS	3 391	3 380	3 396	3 553	3 807	3 493	3 544	3 880	3 442	3 196	3 164	3 222
MEAN INCOME .....DOLLARS	3 056	3 059	3 055	3 442	3 901	3 335	3 497	3 913	3 343	2 583	2 614	2 559
SOURCE OF INCOME												
TOTAL	3 540	1 070	2 469	1 949	370	1 579	986	267	719	1 590	701	890
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .....DOLLARS	3 056	3 059	3 055	3 442	3 901	3 335	3 497	3 913	3 343	2 583	2 614	2 559
EARNINGS ONLY	850	295	556	426	78	348	204	49	155	425	217	208
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .....DOLLARS	2 856	2 727	2 924	3 715	4 554	3 526	3 768	(B)	3 420	1 995	2 068	1 920
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	558	170	388	334	65	270	176	49	129	223	105	118
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	160	67	93	52	10	42	13	-	13	109	57	51
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	132	58	74	40	4	36	13	-	13	92	54	38
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	1 298	344	954	657	97	559	316	67	250	641	246	395
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .....DOLLARS	3 170	3 209	3 155	3 626	4 233	3 521	3 654	(B)	3 545	2 702	2 804	2 638
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	103	35	68	51	11	40	27	7	20	52	24	28
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	285	62	222	186	30	156	91	21	70	99	33	66
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	19	10	9	8	3	5	5	2	4	11	7	4
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	632	157	475	298	36	262	133	23	109	334	121	213
OTHER COMBINATIONS	259	80	179	114	18	96	60	13	46	145	62	83
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	1 307	413	894	815	188	627	441	149	292	492	225	267
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .....DOLLARS	3 271	3 310	3 254	3 372	3 588	3 307	3 459	3 604	3 385	3 106	3 078	3 129
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	241	68	173	125	24	101	56	16	39	116	44	72
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	470	129	341	360	99	262	217	83	134	109	30	79
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	34	20	14	10	3	7	7	3	4	23	17	7
OTHER INCOME ONLY	123	27	95	94	12	82	53	11	42	29	16	13
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	84	50	35	31	6	25	12	4	9	53	43	10
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	36	18	18	20	10	11	14	8	6	15	8	7
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	18	10	8	7	-	7	2	-	2	12	10	1
OTHER COMBINATIONS	302	92	210	167	35	133	80	24	56	135	57	77
NO INCOME	85	19	66	52	6	46	25	3	22	32	12	20
TENURE												
PRIMARY FAMILIES, TOTAL	3 454	1 057	2 397	1 900	367	1 533	960	265	695	1 554	690	865
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	1 602	522	1 079	678	87	591	242	45	198	924	435	488
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	1 853	535	1 318	1 222	280	942	717	220	497	631	254	376
PUBLIC	139	53	86	101	37	64	68	36	33	38	16	22
PRIVATE	1 714	482	1 232	1 121	243	878	649	184	465	593	236	355
SUBSIDIZED	74	6	68	42	5	37	24	4	20	32	1	31

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	UNITED STATES			METROPOLITAN AREAS						NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS		
							CENTRAL CITIES					
	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS
BLACK												
ALL FAMILIES--ALL INCOME LEVELS												
AGE OF HEAD												
TOTAL	5 806	2 711	3 095	4 358	1 699	2 659	3 188	1 434	1 755	1 448	1 012	436
14 TO 24 YEARS	569	276	293	462	207	255	351	187	165	107	69	38
25 TO 34 YEARS	1 501	557	944	1 186	365	821	822	301	520	315	192	123
35 TO 44 YEARS	1 264	527	736	1 014	370	644	730	313	417	250	157	92
45 TO 54 YEARS	1 012	464	548	759	285	474	561	244	317	253	179	75
55 TO 59 YEARS	417	239	177	308	152	156	222	117	105	108	87	21
60 TO 64 YEARS	366	216	150	218	98	120	185	81	104	148	118	30
65 YEARS AND OVER	679	432	247	411	222	188	318	190	128	268	210	58
MEDIAN AGE .....YEARS	41.6	44.9	39.2	40.2	42.5	38.9	40.8	42.3	39.6	47.1	49.9	41.2
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS AND OVER	5 238	2 435	2 802	3 896	1 492	2 404	2 837	1 247	1 590	1 342	943	398
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	1 105	743	362	591	320	270	414	255	159	515	423	92
8 YEARS	398	210	188	265	125	140	217	107	110	133	85	48
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	1 205	626	579	930	428	503	717	365	352	275	198	77
4 YEARS	1 570	574	996	1 285	420	865	933	360	573	285	154	131
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	959	283	676	825	199	625	556	160	396	134	83	51
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	11.8	10.3	12.3	12.1	11.1	12.3	12.1	11.2	12.3	9.2	8.6	11.4
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	51.7	64.8	40.3	45.9	58.5	38.0	47.5	58.3	39.1	68.7	74.8	54.3
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HEAD												
WORKED LAST YEAR	4 063	1 675	2 387	3 069	994	2 076	2 194	823	1 371	993	682	312
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL, AND KINDRED WORKERS	332	84	248	292	61	231	201	49	151	40	23	17
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	228	65	163	195	50	145	128	43	85	33	15	18
SALES WORKERS	75	23	52	66	18	47	44	15	28	9	4	5
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	512	155	357	470	130	340	369	116	253	42	25	17
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	533	227	307	376	118	258	253	92	161	158	109	49
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT WORKERS	691	309	382	472	154	318	349	131	218	21	154	65
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	311	141	169	236	89	147	163	70	93	7	52	23
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	438	194	244	284	84	200	189	73	116	155	110	45
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	26	23	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	23	3
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	67	52	15	13	6	8	5	-	5	53	46	7
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	739	331	407	600	244	355	440	201	240	139	87	52
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	112	73	39	67	40	28	53	33	20	45	33	12
WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD												
TOTAL[1]	5 806	2 711	3 095	4 358	1 699	2 659	3 188	1 434	1 755	1 448	1 012	436
WORKED LAST YEAR	4 063	1 675	2 387	3 069	994	2 076	2 194	823	1 371	993	682	312
50 TO 52 WEEKS	2 851	1 093	1 758	2 189	658	1 531	1 550	537	1 013	662	435	227
FULL-TIME	2 681	998	1 683	2 092	609	1 483	1 470	495	975	589	389	200
1 TO 49 WEEKS	1 212	582	629	880	336	544	644	287	357	332	247	85
FULL-TIME	900	421	479	684	257	427	499	223	277	216	164	52
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:												
ILL OR DISABLED	218	111	106	149	57	92	99	43	57	69	55	14
KEEPING HOUSE	210	127	83	136	72	63	111	62	49	74	54	20
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	552	242	310	423	152	271	306	133	173	130	91	39
OTHER	232	102	130	173	55	118	128	49	79	59	47	13
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	1 646	1 024	622	1 214	696	518	968	606	362	432	326	104
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:												
ILL OR DISABLED	554	355	199	353	198	155	277	165	112	201	157	44
KEEPING HOUSE	582	390	192	456	290	165	385	266	119	126	100	27
GOING TO SCHOOL	58	26	32	53	23	29	41	18	23	5	3	2
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	123	59	65	108	53	56	81	51	30	15	6	9
RETIRED	295	178	117	218	118	100	166	95	71	77	60	17
OTHER	34	16	18	26	13	13	18	11	8	8	4	5
NUMBER OF WORKERS												
TOTAL FAMILIES WITH CIVILIAN HEADS	5 709	2 700	3 010	4 283	1 689	2 594	3 162	1 429	1 733	1 426	1 010	416
NO WORKERS	1 067	682	385	800	470	330	654	409	246	266	211	55
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	783	481	303	633	364	270	523	319	204	150	117	33
1 WORKER	2 029	953	1 076	1 562	625	938	1 196	533	662	467	328	138
HEAD ONLY WORKER	1 611	702	909	1 261	460	801	962	386	576	350	242	108
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	973	394	578	791	267	524	600	224	376	182	128	54
WIFE OR OTHER RELATIVE ONLY WORKER	418	251	167	302	165	137	234	148	86	116	86	30
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	278	155	123	211	109	102	162	99	63	67	46	21
2 WORKERS	1 943	758	1 185	1 448	425	1 023	991	352	639	495	334	161
HEAD A WORKER	1 838	702	1 136	1 374	390	984	938	324	614	464	312	152
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	1 277	432	845	989	257	732	667	206	461	288	176	113
WIFE A WORKER	1 340	457	884	1 013	234	779	659	182	477	327	223	104
HEAD NOT A WORKER	105	56	49	74	35	39	54	28	25	31	22	9
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	71	42	29	51	27	24	38	23	15	20	15	5
WIFE A WORKER	36	12	25	30	7	23	18	3	15	6	5	2
3 OR MORE WORKERS	671	306	364	473	170	303	321	135	186	198	137	61
HEAD A WORKER	614	272	342	435	144	290	294	113	181	179	127	52
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	431	171	260	312	86	227	204	65	139	119	85	33
WIFE A WORKER	435	180	254	312	95	217	199	73	126	123	85	38
HEAD NOT A WORKER	57	35	22	38	26	12	27	21	5	19	9	9
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	41	24	17	29	19	10	19	15	4	12	5	7

[1]INCLUDES MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY.

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	UNITED STATES			METROPOLITAN AREAS						NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS		
							CENTRAL CITIES					
	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS
BLACK--CONTINUED												
ALL FAMILIES--ALL INCOME LEVELS--CONTINUED												
INCOME												
TOTAL	5 806	2 711	3 095	4 358	1 699	2 659	3 188	1 434	1 755	1 448	1 012	436
NO INCOME	34	16	18	30	13	17	22	13	9	4	3	1
LOSS	2	1	1	1	-	1	1	-	1	1	1	-
$1 TO $999	56	39	17	32	20	12	21	15	5	24	19	5
$1,000 TO $1,499	72	52	20	50	34	16	40	31	9	22	18	4
$1,500 TO $1,999	115	83	32	67	45	22	50	33	17	48	38	10
$2,000 TO $2,999	299	198	101	192	108	84	137	79	58	106	90	17
$3,000 TO $3,999	421	284	137	297	185	113	250	171	80	123	99	24
$4,000 TO $4,999	392	229	163	269	131	138	225	122	102	123	98	25
$5,000 TO $5,999	381	231	150	256	139	117	207	122	85	125	92	34
$6,000 TO $6,999	377	210	166	273	133	140	219	115	104	104	78	26
$7,000 TO $7,999	294	152	142	211	94	117	168	78	89	83	58	26
$8,000 TO $8,999	300	163	137	212	106	106	167	86	82	88	58	31
$9,000 TO $9,999	284	130	154	205	75	131	145	60	85	79	55	24
$10,000 TO $11,999	468	200	268	344	126	219	254	103	150	124	74	50
$12,000 TO $14,999	574	229	345	432	144	287	318	124	194	142	85	57
$15,000 TO $19,999	740	243	498	609	152	457	400	125	274	131	91	40
$20,000 TO $24,999	475	138	337	400	98	302	262	73	188	75	40	34
$25,000 AND OVER	521	114	408	477	98	380	305	82	223	44	16	28
MEDIAN INCOME .DOLLARS	9 563	7 085	12 339	10 485	7 445	13 016	9 610	7 197	12 033	7 512	6 629	9 636
MEAN INCOME .DOLLARS	11 962	9 246	14 341	12 879	9 795	14 850	12 088	9 680	14 056	9 202	8 324	11 238
SOURCE OF INCOME												
TOTAL	5 806	2 711	3 095	4 358	1 699	2 659	3 188	1 434	1 755	1 448	1 012	436
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	11 962	9 246	14 341	12 879	9 795	14 850	12 088	9 680	14 056	9 202	8 324	11 238
EARNINGS ONLY	1 964	790	1 173	1 521	491	1 030	1 085	408	677	442	299	144
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	13 882	12 045	15 119	14 712	12 840	15 605	14 363	12 941	15 219	11 028	10 737	11 634
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	1 825	723	1 102	1 427	455	972	1 024	375	649	398	268	130
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	32	15	17	23	12	11	18	12	5	9	2	7
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	107	53	54	72	24	47	43	21	22	35	26	7
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	2 790	1 248	1 542	2 047	744	1 302	1 456	622	834	743	504	240
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	13 597	10 416	16 172	14 855	11 401	16 829	13 859	11 202	15 841	10 134	8 961	12 601
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	291	159	132	177	82	95	124	71	54	115	77	37
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	425	248	178	323	168	156	270	148	122	102	80	22
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	65	47	18	40	25	15	29	20	9	25	22	4
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	1 273	413	861	1 000	247	753	669	195	474	273	165	108
OTHER COMBINATIONS	735	381	354	507	222	284	364	189	175	228	159	69
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	1 018	657	361	760	450	310	625	391	234	258	207	52
MEAN FAMILY INCOME .DOLLARS	4 181	3 882	4 725	4 397	4 102	4 825	4 438	4 180	4 866	3 547	3 402	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	99	69	30	64	45	19	53	40	14	35	24	11
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	440	275	165	391	238	153	331	215	116	49	37	12
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	28	24	5	14	12	2	8	8	-	15	12	3
OTHER INCOME ONLY	48	25	22	35	15	20	30	13	17	12	10	2
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	98	80	18	53	36	17	42	30	12	46	44	1
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	25	19	6	14	9	4	11	8	3	11	9	2
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	30	18	12	18	10	8	13	7	6	12	8	4
OTHER COMBINATIONS	250	147	103	172	85	87	137	70	67	78	62	16
NO INCOME	34	16	18	30	13	17	22	13	9	4	3	1
TENURE												
PRIMARY FAMILIES, TOTAL	5 748	2 685	3 064	4 314	1 682	2 633	3 156	1 416	1 740	1 434	1 003	431
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	2 905	1 212	1 692	2 040	611	1 430	1 369	464	906	864	601	263
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	2 844	1 472	1 372	2 274	1 071	1 203	1 787	953	834	570	402	169
PUBLIC	516	328	188	434	287	147	375	269	107	82	40	41
PRIVATE	2 328	1 144	1 184	1 840	783	1 056	1 411	684	728	488	361	127
SUBSIDIZED	70	18	52	56	11	44	34	10	24	14	7	7
ALL FAMILIES--BELOW POVERTY LEVEL												
AGE OF HEAD												
TOTAL	1 637	1 077	560	1 118	666	451	892	578	314	519	411	108
14 TO 24 YEARS	278	173	105	236	141	95	186	127	59	42	32	11
25 TO 34 YEARS	412	239	173	305	161	144	247	142	105	107	78	29
35 TO 44 YEARS	355	202	152	270	146	123	218	127	91	85	56	29
45 TO 54 YEARS	196	141	55	117	74	43	96	68	28	79	67	12
55 TO 59 YEARS	105	87	19	70	56	14	54	45	9	35	30	5
60 TO 64 YEARS	77	62	14	29	18	11	24	14	10	48	45	3
65 YEARS AND OVER	214	173	41	91	70	21	67	55	12	123	103	20
MEDIAN AGE .YEARS	38.6	41.3	35.1	35.7	37.1	34.1	35.6	36.6	34.3	48.2	50.9	40.1
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS AND OVER	1 359	904	455	882	525	357	706	451	255	477	379	98
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	393	318	74	171	120	51	121	92	28	222	196	24
8 YEARS	141	93	49	87	52	35	75	45	30	54	41	13
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	426	279	147	300	188	113	254	169	85	126	92	34
4 YEARS	305	163	142	243	125	118	195	113	82	62	39	23
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	94	51	43	81	41	40	62	32	30	13	9	3
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	10.1	9.5	11.2	10.9	10.5	11.5	10.9	10.6	11.5	8.3	7.7	10.3
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	70.7	76.4	59.4	63.3	68.5	55.7	63.6	67.9	56.0	84.4	87.3	73.0

Table 41. Poverty Area Residence by Selected Characteristics—Families by Poverty Status in 1977, Metropolitan-Nonmetropolitan Residence, and Race of Head—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	UNITED STATES			METROPOLITAN AREAS						NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS		
							CENTRAL CITIES					
	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS
BLACK--CONTINUED												
ALL FAMILIES--BELOW POVERTY LEVEL--CONTINUED												
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HEAD												
WORKED LAST YEAR	653	403	250	398	210	188	307	180	127	255	192	62
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL, AND KINDRED WORKERS	14	5	8	13	4	8	10	4	6	1	1	-
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	14	5	9	8	2	6	8	2	6	6	3	3
SALES WORKERS	12	4	8	9	4	6	9	4	6	2	-	2
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	73	38	36	65	29	36	54	28	26	9	9	-
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	65	41	24	35	21	14	26	15	11	30	20	10
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT WORKERS	103	58	46	51	20	31	31	18	13	53	38	15
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	39	26	14	22	14	8	18	11	7	17	11	5
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	64	36	28	28	10	17	21	10	11	37	28	10
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	11	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	11	-
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	26	19	7	5	2	4	4	-	4	20	17	3
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	165	116	49	127	83	44	100	70	30	37	33	5
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	67	44	23	35	20	15	26	18	6	32	23	8
WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD												
TOTAL[1]	1 637	1 077	560	1 118	666	451	892	578	314	519	411	108
WORKED LAST YEAR	653	403	250	398	210	188	307	180	127	255	192	62
50 TO 52 WEEKS	250	170	80	136	77	59	102	69	34	114	93	21
FULL-TIME	187	132	55	109	63	46	81	55	26	78	68	9
1 TO 49 WEEKS	403	232	170	262	133	129	205	111	94	141	99	41
FULL-TIME	249	135	114	177	84	94	135	68	67	72	52	20
MAIN REASON FOR WORKING PART YEAR:												
ILL OR DISABLED	59	38	21	28	17	12	21	13	8	30	21	9
KEEPING HOUSE	136	91	46	84	51	33	66	41	25	53	40	13
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	174	84	89	127	55	72	100	47	53	47	30	17
OTHER	34	20	15	23	11	12	18	10	8	11	6	3
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	980	675	306	716	456	260	564	398	166	264	218	46
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:												
ILL OR DISABLED	269	201	67	164	111	54	129	90	39	104	91	14
KEEPING HOUSE	465	319	146	364	238	126	313	219	95	101	81	20
GOING TO SCHOOL	49	26	23	47	23	23	36	18	18	3	3	-
UNABLE TO FIND WORK	89	48	41	78	42	36	58	40	18	11	6	5
RETIRED	87	67	20	48	33	15	35	24	11	40	34	6
OTHER	20	13	8	15	9	6	12	7	5	5	4	1
NUMBER OF WORKERS												
TOTAL FAMILIES WITH CIVILIAN HEADS	1 633	1 077	556	1 114	666	448	891	578	313	519	411	108
NO WORKERS	797	539	258	594	371	223	484	325	159	204	169	35
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	657	422	235	527	318	209	436	283	153	130	104	26
1 WORKER	587	367	220	389	218	171	300	188	111	198	149	49
HEAD ONLY WORKER	456	270	185	296	155	142	225	133	92	159	115	44
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	130	90	40	80	46	34	59	42	17	50	44	6
WIFE OR OTHER RELATIVE ONLY WORKER	131	96	35	92	64	29	75	55	20	39	33	6
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	106	77	29	80	56	24	67	51	16	26	21	5
2 WORKERS	193	135	57	104	60	44	90	55	35	88	75	13
HEAD A WORKER	157	111	46	86	48	38	73	44	29	71	63	8
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	47	37	10	26	16	10	20	11	8	21	21	-
WIFE A WORKER	71	51	20	37	19	18	34	16	18	34	32	2
HEAD NOT A WORKER	36	25	11	18	12	6	17	11	6	18	12	5
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	30	22	8	17	12	5	15	11	5	13	10	4
WIFE A WORKER	7	4	3	1	-	1	1	-	1	5	4	2
3 OR MORE WORKERS	57	36	21	28	17	10	16	10	7	29	18	11
HEAD A WORKER	40	21	19	15	8	8	9	3	6	25	14	11
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	9	5	5	3	1	1	3	1	1	6	3	3
WIFE A WORKER	13	7	6	5	3	2	2	-	2	8	4	4
HEAD NOT A WORKER	16	14	2	12	10	2	8	8	1	4	4	-
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	15	13	2	11	9	2	7	7	1	4	4	-
INCOME												
TOTAL	1 637	1 077	560	1 118	666	451	892	578	314	519	411	108
NO INCOME	34	16	18	30	13	17	22	13	9	4	3	1
LOSS	2	1	1	1	-	1	1	-	1	1	1	-
$1 TO $999	56	39	17	32	20	12	21	15	5	24	19	5
$1,000 TO $1,499	72	52	20	50	34	16	40	31	9	22	18	4
$1,500 TO $1,999	115	83	32	67	45	22	50	33	17	48	38	10
$2,000 TO $2,999	299	198	101	192	108	84	137	79	58	106	90	17
$3,000 TO $3,999	402	270	133	288	177	110	242	165	77	115	92	23
$4,000 TO $4,999	231	133	98	168	83	85	141	78	63	63	50	13
$5,000 TO $5,999	173	116	58	120	77	43	101	67	35	53	39	14
$6,000 TO $6,999	133	88	44	90	55	35	77	50	27	43	34	9
$7,000 TO $7,999	55	35	20	38	27	12	32	25	7	17	9	8
$8,000 AND OVER	64	46	18	41	27	14	30	23	7	23	19	4
MEDIAN INCOME .....DOLLARS	3 596	3 554	3 681	3 649	3 637	3 668	3 730	3 717	3 759	3 464	3 395	3 746
MEAN INCOME .....DOLLARS	3 807	3 802	3 816	3 833	3 869	3 781	3 906	3 935	3 852	3 751	3 694	3 964

[1]INCLUDES MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY.

Table 41. Poverty Area Residence by Selected Characteristics—Families by Poverty Status in 1977, Metropolitan-Nonmetropolitan Residence, and Race of Head—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	UNITED STATES			METROPOLITAN AREAS						NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS		
							CENTRAL CITIES					
	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS	TOTAL	INSIDE POVERTY AREAS	OUTSIDE POVERTY AREAS
BLACK--CONTINUED												
ALL FAMILIES--BELOW POVERTY LEVEL--CONTINUED												
SOURCE OF INCOME												
TOTAL	1 637	1 077	560	1 118	666	451	892	578	314	519	411	108
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	3 807	3 802	3 816	3 833	3 869	3 781	3 906	3 935	3 852	3 751	3 694	3 964
EARNINGS ONLY	264	154	110	167	87	80	131	76	55	97	67	31
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	4 406	4 532	4 231	4 272	4 470	4 056	4 262	4 419	(B)	4 637	(B)	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	232	137	95	150	79	70	119	69	50	82	58	24
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	17	6	12	10	4	6	7	4	3	7	2	5
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	15	11	4	7	4	3	5	4	1	8	7	1
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	580	387	193	361	210	151	280	178	101	220	177	43
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	4 512	4 576	4 383	4 671	4 836	4 442	4 761	4 915	4 490	4 249	4 267	(B)
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	53	40	13	26	16	10	19	12	7	27	23	3
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	242	164	78	169	102	67	140	91	49	73	62	11
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	21	17	4	11	7	4	9	7	1	9	9	-
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	90	52	38	58	26	32	38	20	18	32	26	6
OTHER COMBINATIONS	175	114	61	97	58	38	74	49	26	78	56	22
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	758	520	238	561	356	204	460	310	150	197	164	34
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	3 230	3 128	3 455	3 367	3 294	3 496	3 470	3 419	3 576	2 841	2 766	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	64	46	18	39	28	11	31	23	8	25	18	6
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	413	263	150	363	226	138	305	203	102	49	37	12
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	27	22	5	14	12	2	8	8	-	13	10	3
OTHER INCOME ONLY	32	20	11	21	12	9	18	9	9	11	8	2
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	63	55	7	27	21	6	20	18	3	36	35	1
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	24	19	5	12	9	3	11	8	3	11	9	2
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	19	12	7	12	6	6	10	6	3	7	6	1
OTHER COMBINATIONS	117	82	35	72	43	30	57	35	22	45	40	6
NO INCOME	34	16	18	30	13	17	22	13	9	4	3	1
TENURE												
PRIMARY FAMILIES, TOTAL	1 601	1 059	543	1 092	653	439	873	564	309	509	406	103
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	457	299	157	226	118	108	163	89	74	231	182	49
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	1 144	759	385	866	535	331	710	475	235	278	224	54
PUBLIC	295	216	79	243	186	58	215	175	40	52	31	21
PRIVATE	849	543	306	623	350	273	495	300	195	226	193	33
SUBSIDIZED	38	16	23	31	11	20	22	10	12	7	4	3

Table 42. Type of Spanish Origin by Type of Residence—Persons of Spanish Origin by Poverty Status in 1977, Family Status, and Sex of Head

[NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT]

FAMILY STATUS AND TYPE OF RESIDENCE	TOTAL			MEXICAN			PUERTO RICAN			OTHER SPANISH ORIGIN		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
UNITED STATES												
ALL PERSONS												
TOTAL	12 046	2 700	22.4	7 151	1 509	21.1	1 823	707	38.8	3 072	434	15.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	518	113	21.9	265	60	22.6	42	12	(B)	212	42	19.8
IN FAMILIES	11 249	2 463	21.9	6 765	1 386	20.5	1 690	667	39.5	2 794	409	14.7
HEAD	2 764	591	21.4	1 623	306	18.9	437	170	38.9	704	114	16.3
WIFE OF HEAD	2 155	284	13.2	1 302	188	14.5	256	43	16.6	594	53	9.0
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	5 000	1 402	28.0	3 053	785	25.7	835	415	49.7	1 112	203	18.3
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 802	536	29.7	1 163	332	28.5	262	127	48.4	376	78	20.6
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 330	185	13.9	787	107	13.6	159	39	24.7	384	39	10.1
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	4.07	4.17	...	4.17	4.53	...	3.86	3.92	...	3.97	3.58	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	13 293	4 192	...	13 304	4 346	...	10 464	4 314	...	15 025	3 598	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	797	237	29.8	386	123	31.8	133	40	29.9	278	74	26.8
MEAN INCOME ..... DOLLARS	6 496	1 692	...	6 055	1 604	...	5 980	(B)	...	7 355	(B)	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD												
TOTAL	1 901	1 077	56.7	908	451	49.7	609	454	74.6	384	172	44.7
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	136	46	34.0	69	25	(B)	19	6	(B)	48	15	(B)
HEAD	561	301	53.6	252	116	45.9	179	126	70.3	131	60	45.8
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 001	686	68.6	465	291	62.6	367	303	82.6	169	92	54.4
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	313	238	76.1	151	111	73.4	108	91	84.4	54	36	(B)
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	348	89	26.5	191	45	23.3	63	25	(B)	85	20	23.6
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.39	3.58	...	3.60	3.91	...	3.41	3.61	...	2.94	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	7 183	3 700	...	8 314	3 551	...	5 584	4 175	...	7 187	(B)	...
METROPOLITAN AREAS												
ALL PERSONS												
TOTAL	10 165	2 255	22.2	5 761	1 158	20.1	1 709	689	40.3	2 695	408	15.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	435	85	19.6	207	41	19.8	40	12	(B)	188	33	17.4
IN FAMILIES	9 456	2 053	21.7	5 424	1 055	19.4	1 581	652	41.2	2 451	346	14.1
HEAD	2 359	501	21.2	1 315	235	17.9	417	166	39.9	628	99	15.8
WIFE OF HEAD	1 790	220	12.3	1 032	134	13.0	237	43	18.1	522	43	8.2
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	4 143	1 169	28.2	2 418	596	24.6	780	404	51.8	945	170	17.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 492	451	30.2	932	262	28.2	243	122	50.3	317	66	20.9
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	1 164	163	14.0	659	89	13.5	148	39	26.5	356	34	9.6
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	4.01	4.10	...	4.13	4.48	...	3.80	3.92	...	3.90	3.46	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	13 527	4 255	...	13 755	4 439	...	10 145	4 314	...	15 293	3.724	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	709	203	28.6	337	104	30.8	128	37	29.2	244	62	25.2
MEAN INCOME ..... DOLLARS	6 601	1 665	...	6 193	1 571	...	6 079	(B)	...	7 435	(B)	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD												
TOTAL	1 737	996	57.3	786	390	49.6	593	442	74.5	358	165	45.9
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	121	38	31.5	58	19	(B)	18	6	(B)	45	14	(B)
HEAD	514	279	54.2	217	100	45.9	174	122	70.1	123	57	46.3
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	909	631	69.5	397	249	62.6	357	294	82.5	155	89	57.1
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	294	217	76.4	130	96	73.7	103	86	83.7	51	35	(B)
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	314	86	27.3	172	42	24.3	62	25	(B)	80	19	23.8
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.38	3.57	...	3.62	3.91	...	3.40	3.61	...	2.92	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	7 308	3 783	...	8 698	3 709	...	5 605	4 177	...	7 273	(B)	...
INSIDE METROPOLITAN POVERTY AREAS												
ALL PERSONS												
TOTAL	2 635	911	34.6	1 700	516	30.3	611	319	52.2	324	76	23.5
65 YEARS AND OVER	146	47	32.2	97	30	31.1	16	6	(B)	32	10	(B)
IN FAMILIES	2 452	836	34.1	1 609	478	29.7	558	298	53.4	284	60	21.0
HEAD	618	202	32.8	394	109	27.6	148	77	51.8	76	17	22.5
WIFE OF HEAD	413	85	20.7	296	64	21.6	60	14	(B)	58	7	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1 111	473	42.6	707	255	36.0	291	190	65.2	113	29	25.3
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	412	180	43.6	277	108	39.1	98	62	63.8	38	9	(B)
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	309	75	24.1	212	50	23.7	59	17	(B)	38	7	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.97	4.13	...	4.08	4.40	...	3.77	3.88	...	3.76	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	10 128	4 285	...	10 632	4 195	...	8 048	4 463	...	11 580	(B)	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	184	75	40.9	91	38	41.4	53	21	(B)	40	16	(B)
MEAN INCOME ..... DOLLARS	5 019	1 902	...	5 137	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD												
TOTAL	614	409	66.6	280	165	58.7	273	217	79.4	60	27	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	48	22	(B)	28	13	(B)	8	4	(B)	12	5	(B)
HEAD	174	112	64.3	76	44	57.2	78	59	75.8	20	9	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	332	257	77.6	140	100	71.4	168	145	86.4	24	13	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	114	93	81.2	51	41	(B)	56	46	(B)	7	5	(B)
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	108	39	36.4	64	21	(B)	28	13	(B)	17	5	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.53	3.65	...	3.67	(B)	...	3.50	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	6 527	3 710	...	7 407	(B)	...	5 580	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...

[1] INCLUDES UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY.

Table 42. Type of Spanish Origin by Type of Residence—Persons of Spanish Origin by Poverty Status in 1977, Family Status, and Sex of Head—Continued

[NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT]

FAMILY STATUS AND TYPE OF RESIDENCE	TOTAL			MEXICAN			PUERTO RICAN			OTHER SPANISH ORIGIN		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
INSIDE CENTRAL CITIES												
ALL PERSONS												
TOTAL	5 961	1 539	25.8	3 229	678	21.0	1 394	609	43.7	1 338	251	18.8
65 YEARS AND OVER	271	62	22.8	132	32	24.1	34	11	(B)	105	20	16.5
IN FAMILIES	5 512	1 411	25.6	3 041	619	20.4	1 286	579	45.0	1 184	213	18.0
HEAD	1 412	354	25.1	752	144	19.2	345	149	43.3	315	60	19.2
WIFE OF HEAD	1 001	139	13.9	581	80	13.8	181	35	19.1	239	24	10.2
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2 413	813	33.7	1 326	346	26.1	638	360	56.4	449	107	23.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	916	322	35.2	539	165	30.6	207	111	53.7	170	46	27.2
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	686	105	15.3	382	49	12.8	122	35	28.8	182	21	11.6
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.90	3.99	...	4.05	4.29	...	3.72	3.87	...	3.77	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	12 355	4 190	...	13 233	4 217	...	9 405	4 313	...	13 495	(B)	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	449	128	28.5	188	60	31.7	107	31	28.5	154	36	24.7
MEAN INCOME ..... DOLLARS	6 699	1 794	...	6 006	(B)	...	6 240	(B)	...	7 868	(B)	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD												
TOTAL	1 250	757	60.5	480	237	49.3	546	412	75.5	224	107	47.9
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	82	29	35.1	35	14	(B)	17	6	(B)	30	8	(B)
HEAD	366	211	57.6	132	62	46.7	159	114	71.4	75	35	47.5
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	663	483	72.9	240	150	62.4	329	275	83.6	94	58	61.9
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	214	167	78.0	76	58	76.3	99	83	83.9	40	26	(B)
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	221	62	28.3	108	25	23.5	57	23	(B)	55	14	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.42	3.59	...	3.64	(B)	...	3.42	3.62	...	3.01	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	7 031	3 869	...	8 897	(B)	...	5 527	4 247	...	6 946	(B)	...
INSIDE CENTRAL CITY POVERTY AREAS												
ALL PERSONS												
TOTAL	1 906	710	37.2	1 070	336	31.4	574	305	53.1	263	69	26.3
65 YEARS AND OVER	124	41	33.4	80	26	32.1	15	5	(B)	29	9	(B)
IN FAMILIES	1 761	651	37.0	1 004	306	30.4	525	287	54.8	232	58	25.0
HEAD	461	163	35.3	257	73	28.6	141	74	52.7	63	15	(B)
WIFE OF HEAD	289	62	21.5	188	43	22.7	54	12	(B)	48	7	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	796	375	47.1	434	163	37.5	275	184	66.8	87	29	33.0
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	305	148	48.6	179	79	44.0	94	60	64.2	32	9	(B)
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	215	51	23.7	125	27	21.4	55	17	(B)	34	7	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.82	4.00	...	3.91	(B)	...	3.73	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	9 598	4 183	...	10 266	(B)	...	7 957	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	146	59	40.5	66	31	(B)	50	18	(B)	30	11	(B)
MEAN INCOME ..... DOLLARS	4 695	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD												
TOTAL	520	350	67.4	191	109	57.3	271	214	79.2	58	26	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	40	18	(B)	20	10	(B)	8	4	(B)	11	4	(B)
HEAD	148	96	65.1	52	30	(B)	77	58	75.5	18	8	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	284	221	77.8	95	65	68.4	166	143	86.3	23	13	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	95	79	83.0	32	28	(B)	56	46	(B)	7	5	(B)
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	88	33	37.6	44	15	(B)	28	13	(B)	17	5	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.61	3.64	...	(B)	(B)	...	3.51	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	6 399	3 790	...	(B)	(B)	...	5 601	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
NONMETROPOLITAN AREAS												
ALL PERSONS												
TOTAL	1 881	445	23.6	1 391	351	25.2	113	18	15.5	377	76	20.3
65 YEARS AND OVER	83	28	33.9	58	19	(B)	1	-	(B)	24	9	(B)
IN FAMILIES	1 793	410	22.9	1 341	332	24.7	109	15	14.0	343	63	18.5
HEAD	405	90	22.2	308	71	23.0	21	4	(B)	76	15	19.7
WIFE OF HEAD	365	64	17.6	270	54	20.0	22	-	(B)	73	10	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	858	234	27.2	635	189	29.7	55	11	(B)	167	33	20.0
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	310	85	27.4	231	69	29.9	19	5	(B)	59	11	(B)
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	166	22	13.5	127	18	13.8	11	-	(B)	28	5	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	4.43	4.56	...	4.36	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	4.52	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	11 925	3 835	...	11 375	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	12 806	(B)	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	88	35	39.3	50	19	(B)	5	2	(B)	34	13	(B)
MEAN INCOME ..... DOLLARS	5 652	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD												
TOTAL	163	81	49.4	122	61	50.4	16	12	(B)	26	7	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	15	8	(B)	11	6	(B)	1	-	(B)	4	2	(B)
HEAD	47	22	(B)	35	16	(B)	4	3	(B)	8	3	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	92	55	59.4	68	43	(B)	11	9	(B)	14	3	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	29	21	(B)	21	15	(B)	5	5	(B)	3	2	(B)
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	24	4	(B)	19	3	(B)	1	-	(B)	4	1	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...

[1] INCLUDES UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY.

Table 42. Type of Spanish Origin by Type of Residence—Persons of Spanish Origin by Poverty Status in 1977, Family Status, and Sex of Head—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. PERSONS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

FAMILY STATUS AND TYPE OF RESIDENCE	TOTAL			MEXICAN			PUERTO RICAN			OTHER SPANISH ORIGIN		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
INSIDE NONMETROPOLITAN POVERTY AREAS												
ALL PERSONS												
TOTAL	938	303	32.3	704	236	33.5	27	7	(B)	206	60	29.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	55	26	(B)	39	18	(B)	-	-	(B)	16	8	(B)
IN FAMILIES	889	280	31.5	682	225	33.0	24	5	(B)	183	50	27.3
HEAD	200	58	28.9	161	47	29.0	2	1	(B)	37	10	(B)
WIFE OF HEAD	180	44	24.2	136	35	25.9	5	-	(B)	39	8	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	425	162	38.2	321	131	40.9	13	4	(B)	90	27	29.4
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	161	56	34.9	125	47	37.2	5	1	(B)	31	8	(B)
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	84	17	19.7	64	12	(B)	3	-	(B)	17	5	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	4.46	(B)	...	4.25	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	10 367	(B)	...	9 882	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	49	23	(B)	22	10	(B)	4	2	(B)	23	10	(B)
MEAN INCOME ..... DOLLARS	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD												
TOTAL	85	53	62.1	66	44	(B)	5	5	(B)	14	4	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER[1]	11	7	(B)	8	6	(B)	-	-	(B)	3	1	(B)
HEAD	25	14	(B)	20	12	(B)	1	1	(B)	4	2	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	51	36	(B)	39	31	(B)	4	4	(B)	8	2	(B)
RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	18	14	(B)	15	12	(B)	1	1	(B)	1	-	(B)
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS	9	2	(B)	7	1	(B)	-	-	(B)	2	1	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...

[1] INCLUDES UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY.

Table 43. Type of Spanish Origin by Selected Characteristics—Families and Unrelated Individuals of Spanish Origin by Poverty Status in 1977

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	TOTAL			MEXICAN			PUERTO RICAN			OTHER SPANISH ORIGIN		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
FAMILIES												
AGE OF HEAD												
TOTAL	2 764	591	21.4	1 623	306	18.9	437	170	38.9	704	114	16.3
14 TO 24 YEARS	310	75	24.2	214	39	18.3	37	19	(B)	59	17	(B)
25 TO 34 YEARS	850	229	27.0	513	116	22.5	165	78	47.4	171	35	20.5
35 TO 44 YEARS	651	114	17.5	354	53	15.1	114	37	32.5	182	23	12.8
45 TO 54 YEARS	499	96	19.3	281	54	19.4	74	23	(B)	144	19	13.1
55 TO 59 YEARS	167	28	16.8	94	15	16.2	26	8	(B)	47	5	(B)
60 AND 61 YEARS	37	4	(B)	22	2	(B)	6	2	(B)	9	1	(B)
62 TO 64 YEARS	55	9	(B)	31	6	(B)	6	1	(B)	18	2	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	195	35	18.1	113	20	18.0	8	3	(B)	74	12	(B)
MEDIAN AGE . . . YEARS	38.4	34.6	...	37.4	34.9	...	36.4	33.4	...	41.7	37.3	...
TYPE OF FAMILY												
TOTAL	2 764	591	21.4	1 623	306	18.9	437	170	38.9	704	114	16.3
MALE HEAD	2 203	290	13.2	1 371	191	13.9	259	45	17.2	573	54	9.5
HUSBAND-WIFE	2 104	280	13.3	1 306	185	14.1	245	42	17.1	553	53	9.6
FEMALE HEAD	561	301	53.6	252	116	45.9	179	126	70.3	131	60	45.8
SIZE OF FAMILY												
TOTAL	2 764	591	21.4	1 623	306	18.9	437	170	38.9	704	114	16.3
2 PERSONS	662	144	21.8	348	61	17.5	106	38	36.1	208	45	21.7
3 PERSONS	636	102	16.1	345	47	13.5	98	30	30.6	193	26	13.3
4 PERSONS	625	135	21.6	368	70	19.1	105	45	43.1	152	20	12.9
5 PERSONS	408	82	20.0	256	38	14.8	76	35	46.2	76	9	11.6
6 PERSONS	218	64	29.3	154	46	29.8	25	10	(B)	38	8	(B)
7 PERSONS	117	28	23.8	74	18	(B)	17	6	(B)	26	4	(B)
8 PERSONS	56	21	(B)	40	15	(B)	8	4	(B)	7	1	(B)
9 PERSONS OR MORE	43	15	(B)	38	12	(B)	2	2	(B)	3	2	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	4.07	4.17	...	4.17	4.53	...	3.86	3.92	...	3.97	3.58	...
PRESENCE OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS												
TOTAL	2 764	591	21.4	1 623	306	18.9	437	170	38.9	704	114	16.3
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	708	71	10.0	387	40	10.3	80	11	14.2	241	20	8.3
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2 057	520	25.3	1 236	267	21.6	357	159	44.5	463	94	20.4
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2.43	2.70	...	2.47	2.94	...	2.34	2.61	...	2.40	2.16	...
1 CHILD	713	131	18.4	391	50	12.8	117	36	30.6	205	45	22.1
2 CHILDREN	602	139	23.1	359	77	21.5	93	38	40.7	149	24	15.9
3 CHILDREN	400	108	27.0	254	47	18.5	85	49	57.5	62	13	(B)
4 CHILDREN	201	84	42.0	131	55	41.9	41	23	(B)	29	6	(B)
5 OR MORE CHILDREN	141	57	40.7	100	37	37.2	21	13	(B)	19	7	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	(NA)	(NA)	...	(NA)	(NA)	...	(NA)	(NA)	...	(NA)	(NA)	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1 170	326	27.9	755	188	24.9	183	84	46.1	232	54	23.5
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1.54	1.64	...	1.54	1.77	...	1.43	1.51	...	1.62	(B)	...
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS AND OVER	2 454	516	21.0	1 409	267	19.0	400	151	37.7	645	98	15.2
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	841	246	29.2	601	154	25.6	123	59	48.4	117	32	27.6
8 YEARS	224	49	21.9	106	18	17.2	47	17	(B)	70	14	(B)
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	396	105	26.4	210	49	23.5	94	41	43.5	93	15	15.9
4 YEARS	578	75	12.9	304	29	9.6	92	25	27.4	182	20	11.2
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	415	41	10.0	188	16	8.8	45	9	(B)	182	16	8.7
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	10.2	8.2	...	9.0	7.1	...	9.9	9.0	...	12.2	9.4	...
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	59.6	77.5	...	65.1	83.0	...	65.9	77.3	...	43.5	62.9	...
NUMBER OF WORKERS												
TOTAL FAMILIES WITH CIVILIAN HEADS	2 740	591	21.6	1 613	306	19.0	432	170	39.4	695	114	16.5
NO WORKERS	382	268	70.1	139	86	61.6	156	132	84.6	87	51	57.8
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	288	237	82.4	86	69	80.0	150	129	86.0	52	40	(B)
1 WORKER	967	223	23.1	585	147	25.1	142	32	22.7	241	44	18.4
HEAD ONLY WORKER	848	192	22.6	524	130	24.9	124	24	19.6	201	37	18.6
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	551	54	9.7	333	35	10.6	85	9	10.3	133	9	7.1
WIFE OR OTHER RELATIVE ONLY WORKER	119	31	26.3	61	17	(B)	19	8	(B)	40	7	(B)
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	76	30	38.9	35	15	(B)	16	8	(B)	25	7	(B)
2 WORKERS	1 015	78	7.7	639	57	9.0	104	5	4.9	272	15	5.6
HEAD A WORKER	977	73	7.5	615	54	8.7	99	5	5.1	263	15	5.5
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	674	29	4.3	415	23	5.6	78	2	2.3	182	4	2.1
WIFE A WORKER	764	43	5.7	477	33	6.8	79	3	3.3	209	8	4.0
HEAD NOT A WORKER	38	4	(B)	24	4	(B)	5	-	(B)	9	1	(B)
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	28	4	(B)	21	4	(B)	5	-	(B)	2	1	(B)
WIFE A WORKER	11	-	(B)	4	-	(B)	1	-	(B)	6	-	(B)
3 OR MORE WORKERS	375	22	5.8	250	16	6.5	30	1	(B)	95	5	4.8
HEAD A WORKER	359	19	5.3	236	14	5.9	28	1	(B)	95	4	4.5
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	270	9	3.5	176	6	3.3	22	1	(B)	71	3	(B)
WIFE A WORKER	258	12	4.8	160	8	5.1	23	1	(B)	74	3	(B)
HEAD NOT A WORKER	15	3	(B)	14	2	(B)	1	-	(B)	1	-	(B)
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	11	3	(B)	9	2	(B)	1	-	(B)	1	-	(B)

Table 43. Type of Spanish Origin by Selected Characteristics—Families and Unrelated Individuals of Spanish Origin by Poverty Status in 1977—Continued

[NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT]

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	TOTAL			MEXICAN			PUERTO RICAN			OTHER SPANISH ORIGIN		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
FAMILIES--CONTINUED												
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HEAD												
HEAD WORKED LAST YEAR, TOTAL	2 185	285	13.0	1 375	198	14.4	251	30	12.1	558	56	10.1
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL, AND KINDRED WORKERS	159	5	3.0	66	2	(B)	21	2	(B)	72	1	(B)
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	163	18	11.3	88	9	9.9	17	5	(B)	57	5	(B)
SALES WORKERS	62	5	(B)	27	1	(B)	8	-	(B)	27	4	(B)
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	144	15	10.3	73	8	(B)	24	3	(B)	47	5	(B)
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	462	41	9.0	324	28	8.6	38	6	(B)	100	7	7.3
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT	473	64	13.5	299	46	15.4	65	5	(B)	109	13	11.5
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	136	18	13.3	92	14	15.5	12	1	(B)	31	3	(B)
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	213	30	14.3	163	24	15.0	21	2	(B)	30	4	(B)
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	5	1	(B)	2	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	2	1	(B)
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	106	34	31.5	100	30	30.4	3	2	(B)	3	1	(B)
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	248	48	19.3	131	32	24.4	41	5	(B)	77	11	14.3
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	13	5	(B)	9	4	(B)	1	-	(B)	3	1	(B)
WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD												
TOTAL	2 764	591	21.4	1 623	306	18.9	437	170	38.9	704	114	16.3
WORKED LAST YEAR	2 185	285	13.0	1 375	198	14.4	251	30	12.1	558	56	10.1
50 TO 52 WEEKS	1 545	103	6.7	959	73	7.6	187	12	6.7	399	17	4.3
FULL-TIME	1 495	92	6.2	924	65	7.0	185	12	6.3	385	16	4.1
40 TO 49 WEEKS	222	34	15.5	147	26	17.7	24	2	(B)	51	7	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	191	44	22.9	127	35	27.4	14	2	(B)	50	7	(B)
26 WEEKS OR LESS	228	104	45.5	142	64	45.2	27	14	(B)	58	26	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	46.0	34.9	...	46.0	36.3	...	46.1	31.1	...	46.1	32.3	...
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	555	306	55.3	238	108	45.5	180	140	77.6	137	58	42.7
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:												
ILL OR DISABLED	137	67	49.0	68	30	(B)	35	24	(B)	35	13	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	251	186	74.2	85	53	62.3	122	104	85.0	44	29	(B)
OTHER	167	53	31.9	85	25	29.3	23	12	(B)	58	16	(B)
IN ARMED FORCES	25	-	(B)	10	-	(B)	6	-	(B)	9	-	(B)
SOURCE OF INCOME												
TOTAL	2 764	591	21.4	1 623	306	18.9	437	170	38.9	704	114	16.3
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	13 293	4 192	...	13 304	4 346	...	10 464	4 314	...	15 025	3 598	...
EARNINGS ONLY	1 079	163	15.1	715	111	15.5	141	19	13.2	223	33	15.0
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	13 070	4 668	...	12 966	4 874	...	12 502	(B)	...	13 766	(B)	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	984	149	15.1	660	106	16.0	136	15	11.0	189	28	14.8
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	27	8	(B)	16	4	(B)	3	2	(B)	8	2	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	69	6	(B)	40	1	(B)	3	2	(B)	26	3	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	1 305	160	12.3	769	110	14.3	139	19	13.5	396	32	8.1
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	15 982	4 800	...	15 152	4 888	...	15 184	(B)	...	17 874	(B)	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	79	8	10.0	48	7	(B)	5	-	(B)	27	1	(B)
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	101	56	55.6	61	37	(B)	22	10	(B)	18	9	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	20	4	(B)	9	4	(B)	1	-	(B)	10	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	863	61	7.1	506	41	8.1	88	4	4.2	269	17	6.2
OTHER COMBINATIONS	241	31	13.0	146	21	14.5	22	5	(B)	72	6	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	371	258	69.6	133	81	60.5	154	130	84.4	84	47	56.7
MEAN FAMILY INCOME ..... DOLLARS	4 815	3 662	...	4 953	3 154	...	4 507	4 190	...	5 163	(B)	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	42	21	(B)	23	11	(B)	7	3	(B)	12	7	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	174	167	96.2	40	40	(B)	113	106	94.2	20	20	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	11	9	(B)	4	3	(B)	1	1	(B)	6	5	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	29	20	(B)	12	9	(B)	9	8	(B)	8	3	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	22	7	(B)	17	5	(B)	2	2	(B)	3	-	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	14	5	(B)	4	1	(B)	6	1	(B)	4	4	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	2	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	1	-	(B)	1	-	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	79	28	35.3	33	12	(B)	16	9	(B)	30	7	(B)
NO INCOME	9	9	(B)	5	5	(B)	3	3	(B)	2	2	(B)
TENURE												
PRIMARY FAMILIES	2 746	582	21.2	1 613	303	18.8	435	168	38.5	699	112	16.0
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	1 285	117	9.1	853	87	10.2	95	5	5.5	338	25	7.5
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	1 461	465	31.8	760	216	28.4	340	162	47.8	361	87	24.0
PUBLIC	111	44	39.8	28	10	(B)	60	25	(B)	23	9	(B)
PRIVATE	1 350	421	31.2	732	206	28.1	280	137	49.0	338	78	23.0
SUBSIDIZED	29	16	(B)	15	8	(B)	8	5	(B)	5	3	(B)

Table 43. Type of Spanish Origin by Selected Characteristics—Families and Unrelated Individuals of Spanish Origin by Poverty Status in 1977—Continued

[NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT]

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	TOTAL			MEXICAN			PUERTO RICAN			OTHER SPANISH ORIGIN		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
AGE												
MALE	439	111	25.2	226	55	24.2	70	21	(B)	143	35	24.4
14 TO 24 YEARS	123	38	31.1	69	24	(B)	24	5	(B)	30	9	(B)
25 TO 34 YEARS	133	21	16.1	74	16	(B)	14	2	(B)	45	3	(B)
35 TO 44 YEARS	70	8	(B)	33	-	(B)	11	3	(B)	27	6	(B)
45 TO 54 YEARS	46	15	(B)	17	3	(B)	10	6	(B)	19	5	(B)
55 TO 59 YEARS	15	2	(B)	7	-	(B)	5	-	(B)	3	2	(B)
60 AND 61 YEARS	3	-	(B)	3	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
62 TO 64 YEARS	5	2	(B)	1	-	(B)	2	2	(B)	2	-	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	44	24	(B)	22	11	(B)	4	2	(B)	17	11	(B)
MEDIAN AGE . . . YEARS	32.2	33.0	...	31.0	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	34.2	(B)	...
FEMALE	358	127	35.3	160	68	42.5	62	19	(B)	135	40	29.3
14 TO 24 YEARS	88	29	33.1	49	23	(B)	16	2	(B)	24	4	(B)
25 TO 34 YEARS	57	16	(B)	28	5	(B)	7	2	(B)	23	9	(B)
35 TO 44 YEARS	39	7	(B)	16	4	(B)	10	1	(B)	14	2	(B)
45 TO 54 YEARS	43	12	(B)	15	5	(B)	10	5	(B)	18	3	(B)
55 TO 59 YEARS	25	10	(B)	9	5	(B)	4	1	(B)	13	4	(B)
60 AND 61 YEARS	12	7	(B)	4	1	(B)	1	1	(B)	7	6	(B)
62 TO 64 YEARS	15	7	(B)	6	5	(B)	2	2	(B)	6	-	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	80	38	47.8	35	21	(B)	14	5	(B)	31	12	(B)
MEDIAN AGE . . . YEARS	43.7	54.6	...	37.5	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	49.3	(B)	...
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT												
TOTAL, 25 YEARS AND OVER	586	170	29.0	269	76	28.3	93	32	34.4	224	62	27.5
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	218	98	45.0	116	53	45.2	43	15	(B)	59	30	(B)
8 YEARS	47	16	(B)	20	5	(B)	8	3	(B)	18	7	(B)
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	82	21	25.3	30	5	(B)	18	7	(B)	34	9	(B)
4 YEARS	113	20	17.5	51	8	(B)	16	5	(B)	47	6	(B)
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	126	15	12.0	52	6	(B)	7	1	(B)	67	9	(B)
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	10.2	7.0	...	8.9	4.6	...	8.4	(B)	...	12.0	(B)	...
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	59.2	79.5	...	61.8	82.4	...	75.4	(B)	...	49.5	(B)	...
WORKER STATUS												
TOTAL CIVILIANS	797	237	29.8	386	123	31.8	133	40	29.9	278	74	26.8
WORKER	578	102	17.6	297	67	22.4	81	7	8.1	200	28	14.2
NONWORKER	218	136	62.0	89	56	63.4	52	33	(B)	78	46	59.0
65 YEARS AND OVER	108	56	52.0	54	32	(B)	17	7	(B)	36	17	(B)
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB												
WORKED LAST YEAR, TOTAL	578	101	17.5	297	66	22.3	81	7	8.1	200	28	14.2
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL, AND KINDRED WORKERS	71	8	(B)	28	8	(B)	8	-	(B)	35	-	(B)
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	28	4	(B)	10	2	(B)	3	-	(B)	16	2	(B)
SALES WORKERS	19	2	(B)	8	1	(B)	3	-	(B)	8	1	(B)
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	81	4	5.3	39	2	(B)	18	1	(B)	24	1	(B)
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	62	3	(B)	39	2	(B)	1	-	(B)	22	2	(B)
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT	105	15	14.5	53	9	(B)	22	2	(B)	30	4	(B)
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	16	4	(B)	7	2	(B)	2	-	(B)	7	2	(B)
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	42	11	(B)	28	8	(B)	4	1	(B)	10	1	(B)
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	2	1	(B)	2	1	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	20	8	(B)	14	3	(B)	4	2	(B)	2	2	(B)
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	104	25	24.5	53	17	(B)	16	-	(B)	35	9	(B)
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	28	15	(B)	16	11	(B)	-	-	(B)	12	3	(B)
WORK EXPERIENCE												
TOTAL	797	237	29.8	386	123	31.8	133	40	29.9	278	74	26.8
WORKED LAST YEAR	578	101	17.5	297	66	22.3	81	7	8.1	200	28	14.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	349	16	4.7	159	9	5.6	51	1	(B)	139	6	4.7
FULL-TIME	327	7	2.2	151	5	3.4	50	-	(B)	126	2	1.8
40 TO 49 WEEKS	65	14	(B)	36	4	(B)	7	-	(B)	22	10	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	60	14	(B)	36	11	(B)	6	1	(B)	18	3	(B)
26 WEEKS OR LESS	104	57	54.6	66	43	(B)	17	5	(B)	21	9	(B)
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	42.7	27.5	...	40.7	24.8	...	42.6	24.1	...	45.7	34.7	...
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	218	135	62.0	89	56	63.4	52	33	(B)	78	46	59.0
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:												
ILL OR DISABLED	61	42	(B)	21	13	(B)	21	16	(B)	18	13	(B)
KEEPING HOUSE	50	31	(B)	27	20	(B)	8	3	(B)	15	7	(B)
OTHER	107	63	59.1	41	23	(B)	22	14	(B)	45	26	(B)
IN ARMED FORCES	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)

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[NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT]

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	TOTAL			MEXICAN			PUERTO RICAN			OTHER SPANISH ORIGIN		
		BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS--CONTINUED												
SOURCE OF INCOME												
TOTAL	797	237	29.8	386	123	31.8	133	40	29.9	278	74	26.8
MEAN INCOME.....DOLLARS	6 496	1 692	...	6 055	1 604	...	5 980	(B)	...	7 355	(B)	...
EARNINGS ONLY	373	67	17.8	206	44	21.5	53	6	(B)	114	16	14.4
MEAN INCOME.....DOLLARS	7 180	(B)	...	6 782	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	7 799	(B)	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	361	63	17.5	199	42	21.2	53	6	(B)	110	15	14.0
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	6	3	(B)	5	2	(B)	-	-	(B)	1	1	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	6	1	(B)	3	1	(B)	-	-	(B)	3	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	205	35	17.1	91	22	24.4	28	1	(B)	86	12	14.0
MEAN INCOME.....DOLLARS	9 300	(B)	...	7 714	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	10 935	(B)	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	10	7	(B)	7	5	(B)	1	-	(B)	2	2	(B)
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	3	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	3	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	2	1	(B)	1	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	1	1	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME ONLY	178	23	12.8	82	17	21.0	21	1	(B)	76	5	6.3
OTHER COMBINATIONS	12	4	(B)	1	-	(B)	4	-	(B)	7	4	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	188	105	56.0	74	42	(B)	46	28	(B)	68	36	(B)
MEAN INCOME.....DOLLARS	3 125	2 077	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...	(B)	(B)	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	29	22	(B)	14	11	(B)	7	4	(B)	9	7	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	28	21	(B)	6	5	(B)	20	14	(B)	3	3	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	24	20	(B)	7	5	(B)	6	6	(B)	11	9	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	26	11	(B)	6	3	(B)	4	1	(B)	15	7	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	32	16	(B)	18	12	(B)	7	1	(B)	8	3	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	3	-	(B)	2	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	1	-	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	46	15	(B)	22	6	(B)	3	2	(B)	21	7	(B)
NO INCOME	30	30	(B)	15	15	(B)	5	5	(B)	10	10	(B)
TENURE												
PRIMARY INDIVIDUALS	558	157	28.2	259	75	29.1	98	31	31.9	201	51	25.2
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	123	39	31.8	75	25	34.1	4	2	(B)	44	12	(B)
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	435	118	27.2	184	50	27.1	94	29	31.3	157	39	24.9
PUBLIC	17	9	(B)	5	2	(B)	6	3	(B)	6	4	(B)
PRIVATE	418	110	26.3	179	48	26.5	88	27	30.6	151	35	23.4
SUBSIDIZED	11	3	(B)	1	-	(B)	8	2	(B)	2	1	(B)

Table 44. Selected Characteristics of Families Below 125 Percent of the Poverty Level in 1977

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
ALL FAMILIES									
AGE OF HEAD									
TOTAL	57 215	7 713	13.5	50 530	5 344	10.6	5 806	2 162	37.2
14 TO 24 YEARS	3 851	995	25.8	3 241	634	19.6	569	340	59.9
25 TO 34 YEARS	13 432	1 974	14.7	11 668	1 384	11.9	1 501	536	35.7
35 TO 44 YEARS	11 528	1 554	13.5	10 033	1 051	10.5	1 264	456	36.1
45 TO 54 YEARS	10 888	1 026	9.4	9 720	710	7.3	1 012	293	29.0
55 TO 59 YEARS	5 094	458	9.0	4 611	304	6.6	417	140	33.6
60 AND 61 YEARS	1 741	165	9.5	1 562	121	7.7	153	33	21.6
62 TO 64 YEARS	2 469	280	11.3	2 230	208	9.3	213	68	32.1
65 YEARS AND OVER	8 212	1 261	15.4	7 463	932	12.5	679	295	43.4
MEDIAN AGE, YEARS	44.8	40.7	...	45.3	41.2	...	41.6	39.5	...
TYPE OF FAMILY									
TOTAL	57 215	7 713	13.5	50 530	5 344	10.6	5 806	2 162	37.2
MALE HEAD	48 979	4 408	9.0	44 701	3 522	7.9	3 529	751	21.3
HUSBAND-WIFE	47 385	4 172	8.8	43 423	3 375	7.8	3 260	682	20.9
FEMALE HEAD	8 236	3 305	40.1	5 828	1 822	31.3	2 277	1 411	62.0
SIZE OF FAMILY									
TOTAL	57 215	7 713	13.5	50 530	5 344	10.6	5 806	2 162	37.2
2 PERSONS	22 033	2 701	12.3	20 033	2 047	10.2	1 773	582	32.8
3 PERSONS	12 629	1 512	12.0	11 078	1 043	9.4	1 343	423	31.5
4 PERSONS	11 774	1 370	11.6	10 441	957	9.2	1 133	386	34.1
5 PERSONS	6 269	993	15.8	5 431	658	12.1	700	310	44.3
6 PERSONS	2 649	526	19.9	2 221	326	14.7	384	190	49.6
7 PERSONS	1 070	319	29.8	809	175	21.7	234	136	58.1
8 PERSONS	441	157	35.7	303	78	25.8	115	65	56.3
9 PERSONS OR MORE	349	135	38.5	212	61	28.5	125	70	55.9
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.33	3.65	...	3.27	3.48	...	3.76	4.08	...
PRESENCE OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS									
TOTAL	57 215	7 713	13.5	50 530	5 344	10.6	5 806	2 162	37.2
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	25 578	2 016	7.9	23 605	1 632	6.9	1 700	341	20.1
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	31 637	5 696	18.0	26 924	3 712	13.8	4 107	1 821	44.3
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1.99	2.42	...	1.94	2.30	...	2.25	2.68	...
1 CHILD	12 053	1 699	14.1	10 355	1 157	11.2	1 468	475	32.4
2 CHILDREN	11 183	1 644	14.7	9 779	1 148	11.7	1 195	456	38.1
3 CHILDREN	5 242	1 154	22.0	4 428	745	16.8	711	384	54.0
4 CHILDREN	2 013	661	32.8	1 597	390	24.4	388	260	67.1
5 OR MORE CHILDREN	1 145	539	47.1	765	272	35.6	345	246	71.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	5.47	5.58	...	5.37	5.56	...	5.59	5.57	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	13 944	3 106	22.3	11 621	1 991	17.1	1 992	1 032	51.8
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1.31	1.45	...	1.30	1.41	...	1.42	1.54	...
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD									
TOTAL, 25 YEARS AND OVER	53 364	6 718	12.6	47 289	4 710	10.0	5 238	1 821	34.8
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	5 374	1 752	32.6	4 145	1 167	28.1	1 105	533	48.3
8 YEARS	4 854	927	19.1	4 409	727	16.5	398	175	43.8
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	7 746	1 474	19.0	6 460	919	14.2	1 205	527	43.7
4 YEARS	18 132	1 746	9.6	16 347	1 262	7.7	1 570	443	28.2
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	17 258	819	4.7	15 928	635	4.0	959	144	15.0
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.5	10.3	...	12.5	10.4	...	11.8	10.2	...
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	33.7	61.8	...	31.7	59.7	...	51.7	67.8	...
NUMBER OF WORKERS									
TOTAL FAMILIES WITH CIVILIAN HEADS	56 471	7 636	13.5	49 911	5 283	10.6	5 709	2 152	37.7
NO WORKERS	7 263	2 905	40.0	6 128	1 955	31.9	1 067	893	83.7
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	2 893	1 977	68.3	2 070	1 222	59.0	783	720	91.9
1 WORKER	17 947	2 958	16.5	15 680	2 035	13.0	2 029	847	41.7
HEAD ONLY WORKER	15 109	2 393	15.8	13 297	1 672	12.6	1 611	653	40.6
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	10 586	816	7.7	9 486	570	6.0	973	229	23.6
WIFE OR OTHER RELATIVE ONLY WORKER	2 838	565	19.9	2 383	363	15.2	418	193	46.2
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	1 474	433	29.4	1 182	284	24.0	278	145	52.1
2 WORKERS	22 622	1 318	5.8	20 290	955	4.7	1 943	314	16.1
HEAD A WORKER	21 993	1 198	5.4	19 778	890	4.5	1 838	263	14.3
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	16 682	536	3.2	15 132	421	2.8	1 277	98	7.7
WIFE A WORKER	17 431	805	4.6	15 807	645	4.1	1 340	128	9.6
HEAD NOT A WORKER	629	120	19.1	512	65	12.7	105	51	48.5
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	423	95	22.5	344	52	15.1	71	39	(B)
WIFE A WORKER	272	27	9.8	231	12	5.1	36	14	(B)
3 OR MORE WORKERS	8 639	455	5.3	7 813	338	4.3	671	99	14.8
HEAD A WORKER	8 396	402	4.8	7 635	310	4.1	614	78	12.7
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	6 815	223	3.3	6 271	188	3.0	431	32	7.3
WIFE A WORKER	6 465	263	4.1	5 916	219	3.7	435	36	8.2
HEAD NOT A WORKER	243	53	21.7	178	27	15.4	57	21	(B)
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	192	49	25.3	145	27	18.3	41	18	(B)

Table 44. Selected Characteristics of Families Below 125 Percent of the Poverty Level in 1977—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
ALL FAMILIES--CONTINUED									
WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD									
TOTAL	57 215	7 713	13.5	50 530	5 344	10.6	5 806	2 162	37.2
WORKED LAST YEAR	45 498	3 993	8.8	40 711	2 873	7.1	4 063	994	24.5
50 TO 52 WEEKS	35 366	1 810	5.1	31 988	1 319	4.1	2 851	448	15.7
FULL-TIME	34 083	1 575	4.6	30 889	1 180	3.8	2 681	359	13.4
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3 983	449	11.3	3 547	327	9.2	366	107	29.3
27 TO 39 WEEKS	2 485	470	18.9	2 170	362	16.7	279	95	34.0
26 WEEKS OR LESS	3 664	1 264	34.5	3 006	865	28.8	567	344	60.6
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	47.5	37.2	...	47.7	37.6	...	45.1	36.8	...
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	10 973	3 643	33.2	9 201	2 410	26.2	1 646	1 158	70.3
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	2 839	1 123	39.5	2 258	758	33.6	554	342	61.8
KEEPING HOUSE	2 138	1 311	61.3	1 529	778	50.8	582	513	88.1
OTHER	5 996	1 209	20.2	5 414	874	16.2	511	303	59.3
IN ARMED FORCES	744	77	10.3	619	61	9.8	97	10	10.1
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HEAD									
HEAD WORKED LAST YEAR	45 498	3 993	8.8	40 711	2 873	7.1	4 063	994	24.5
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL, AND KINDRED WORKERS	6 865	186	2.7	6 372	144	2.3	332	35	10.5
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	7 123	288	4.0	6 790	250	3.7	226	22	9.6
SALES WORKERS	2 622	138	5.2	2 525	110	4.4	75	17	22.5
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	3 814	345	9.0	3 229	222	6.9	512	112	21.9
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	9 523	573	6.0	8 870	470	5.3	533	89	16.7
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT	5 213	590	11.3	4 456	405	9.1	691	166	24.0
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	2 578	227	8.8	2 248	168	7.5	311	55	17.9
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	2 201	322	14.6	1 726	201	11.7	438	114	25.9
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	1 163	325	27.9	1 127	308	27.3	26	12	(B)
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	524	186	35.5	442	137	30.9	67	42	(B)
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	3 680	689	18.7	2 847	421	14.8	739	242	32.8
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	192	124	64.9	79	37	46.6	112	88	78.3
SOURCE OF INCOME									
TOTAL	57 215	7 713	13.5	50 530	5 344	10.6	5 806	2 162	37.2
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	18 264	4 240	...	18 997	4 111	...	11 962	4 543	...
EARNINGS ONLY	13 775	1 809	13.1	11 569	1 325	11.5	1 964	415	21.1
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	16 410	4 701	...	16 892	4 416	...	13 882	5 520	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	11 492	1 331	11.6	9 463	914	9.7	1 825	366	20.1
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	585	225	38.4	542	194	35.9	32	22	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1 697	253	14.9	1 565	218	13.9	107	27	25.0
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	36 356	3 023	8.3	33 001	2 083	6.3	2 790	862	30.9
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	21 005	4 711	...	21 629	4 448	...	13 597	5 339	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1 513	303	20.0	1 195	195	16.3	291	99	34.0
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	1 072	695	64.9	613	367	59.8	425	309	72.6
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	159	55	34.3	91	24	26.5	65	31	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME	26 578	1 197	4.5	24 897	1 006	4.0	1 273	159	12.5
OTHER COMBINATIONS	7 034	774	11.0	6 205	491	7.9	735	265	36.0
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	6 963	2 761	39.7	5 875	1 851	31.5	1 018	850	83.4
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	7 936	3 606	...	8 633	3 700	...	4 181	3 440	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	812	508	62.6	704	423	60.1	99	77	77.1
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	942	934	99.2	489	485	99.3	440	436	99.0
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	69	66	(B)	39	36	(B)	28	28	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	270	201	74.7	210	154	73.5	48	38	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	294	205	69.8	194	126	64.8	98	78	79.0
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	87	76	87.0	58	48	(B)	25	24	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	70	55	(B)	40	28	(B)	30	26	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	4 419	715	16.2	4 140	550	13.3	250	144	57.5
NO INCOME	120	120	100.0	85	85	100.0	34	34	(B)
TENURE									
PRIMARY FAMILIES, TOTAL	56 958	7 560	13.3	50 345	5 244	10.4	5 748	2 119	36.9
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	41 427	3 376	8.2	38 041	2 630	6.9	2 905	669	23.0
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	15 531	4 183	26.9	12 304	2 614	21.2	2 844	1 450	51.0
PUBLIC	1 022	587	57.4	473	214	45.2	516	353	68.4
PRIVATE	14 510	3 597	24.8	11 830	2 400	20.3	2 328	1 097	47.1
SUBSIDIZED	275	149	54.0	193	94	48.6	70	47	(B)

Table 44. Selected Characteristics of Families Below 125 Percent of the Poverty Level in 1977—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
AGE OF HEAD									
TOTAL	48 979	4 408	9.0	44 701	3 522	7.9	3 529	751	21.3
14 TO 24 YEARS	3 056	399	13.1	2 795	326	11.7	234	66	28.4
25 TO 34 YEARS	11 379	914	8.0	10 305	752	7.3	848	130	15.4
35 TO 44 YEARS	9 671	790	8.2	8 735	634	7.3	727	119	16.4
45 TO 54 YEARS	9 474	625	6.6	8 663	492	5.7	688	120	17.4
55 TO 59 YEARS	4 520	313	6.9	4 170	237	5.7	289	66	23.0
60 AND 61 YEARS	1 571	136	8.7	1 434	106	7.4	112	20	17.8
62 TO 64 YEARS	2 260	229	10.1	2 069	183	8.9	167	42	25.2
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 048	1 000	14.2	6 530	793	12.1	464	187	40.2
MEDIAN AGE, YEARS	45.4	46.6	...	45.6	46.0	...	44.4	49.9	...
SIZE OF FAMILY									
TOTAL	48 979	4 408	9.0	44 701	3 522	7.9	3 529	751	21.3
2 PERSONS	18 226	1 541	8.5	17 075	1 310	7.7	989	194	19.6
3 PERSONS	10 454	705	6.7	9 470	551	5.8	811	124	15.3
4 PERSONS	10 623	764	7.2	9 704	635	6.5	733	111	15.1
5 PERSONS	5 659	620	10.9	5 100	503	9.9	430	99	23.1
6 PERSONS	2 388	346	14.5	2 097	254	12.1	251	85	34.0
7 PERSONS	943	219	23.2	766	150	19.6	151	62	41.0
8 PERSONS	382	115	30.2	282	63	22.3	78	38	49.2
9 PERSONS OR MORE	304	98	32.3	207	56	27.1	85	38	44.3
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.38	3.80	...	3.33	3.66	...	3.84	4.40	...
PRESENCE OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS									
TOTAL	48 979	4 408	9.0	44 701	3 522	7.9	3 529	751	21.3
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	23 051	1 656	7.2	21 512	1 402	6.5	1 301	218	16.8
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	25 928	2 752	10.6	23 189	2 120	9.1	2 228	533	23.9
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1.99	2.54	...	1.97	2.47	...	2.18	2.85	...
1 CHILD	9 594	727	7.6	8 596	568	6.6	817	124	15.2
2 CHILDREN	9 455	791	8.4	8 578	648	7.6	694	120	17.3
3 CHILDREN	4 405	606	13.8	3 955	471	11.9	357	117	32.9
4 CHILDREN	1 592	322	20.2	1 383	238	17.2	187	79	42.4
5 OR MORE CHILDREN	882	306	34.6	677	196	28.9	174	92	53.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	5.45	5.61	...	5.38	5.66	...	5.57	5.42	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	11 721	1 566	13.4	10 362	1 208	11.7	1 062	299	28.2
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1.32	1.51	...	1.31	1.51	...	1.38	1.57	...
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD									
TOTAL, 25 YEARS AND OVER	45 923	4 009	8.7	41 906	3 196	7.6	3 295	685	20.8
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	4 405	1 229	27.9	3 533	890	25.2	773	305	39.4
8 YEARS	4 144	652	15.7	3 861	560	14.5	245	73	29.6
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	6 234	703	11.3	5 540	543	9.8	634	146	23.1
4 YEARS	15 402	911	5.9	14 232	758	5.3	985	127	12.9
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	15 736	514	3.3	14 740	445	3.0	658	34	5.1
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.5	9.5	...	12.6	9.9	...	12.0	8.5	...
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	32.2	64.5	...	30.9	62.3	...	50.1	76.5	...
NUMBER OF WORKERS									
TOTAL FAMILIES WITH CIVILIAN HEADS	48 235	4 331	9.0	44 083	3 462	7.9	3 432	741	21.6
NO WORKERS	5 205	1 321	25.4	4 835	1 080	22.3	331	211	63.8
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	1 301	562	43.2	1 148	446	38.8	135	100	74.5
1 WORKER	14 179	1 615	11.4	13 037	1 283	9.8	962	288	29.9
HEAD ONLY WORKER	12 238	1 321	10.8	11 333	1 073	9.5	752	209	27.8
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	9 086	597	6.6	8 428	471	5.6	554	112	20.2
WIFE OR OTHER RELATIVE ONLY WORKER	1 941	293	15.1	1 704	210	12.4	210	79	37.6
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	986	211	21.4	853	160	18.7	121	48	39.2
2 WORKERS	20 832	1 037	5.0	18 879	810	4.3	1 601	186	11.6
HEAD A WORKER	20 427	988	4.8	18 535	783	4.2	1 551	166	10.7
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	15 750	497	3.2	14 387	409	2.8	1 121	73	6.6
WIFE A WORKER	17 431	805	4.6	15 807	645	4.1	1 340	128	9.6
HEAD NOT A WORKER	405	49	12.1	344	27	7.7	51	20	(B)
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	289	37	12.7	251	20	8.0	32	14	(B)
WIFE A WORKER	272	27	9.8	231	12	5.1	36	14	(B)
3 OR MORE WORKERS	8 019	359	4.5	7 332	288	3.9	538	57	10.6
HEAD A WORKER	7 864	326	4.1	7 213	269	3.7	510	47	9.3
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	6 519	205	3.1	6 030	179	3.0	375	22	5.8
WIFE A WORKER	6 465	263	4.1	5 916	219	3.7	435	36	8.2
HEAD NOT A WORKER	155	33	21.2	119	19	16.2	28	10	(B)
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	125	29	23.0	100	19	18.5	19	6	(B)

Table 44. Selected Characteristics of Families Below 125 Percent of the Poverty Level in 1977—Continued

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SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD--CONTINUED									
WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD									
TOTAL	48 979	4 408	9.0	44 701	3 522	7.9	3 529	751	21.3
WORKED LAST YEAR	40 528	2 635	6.5	37 081	2 125	5.7	2 813	422	15.0
50 TO 52 WEEKS	32 292	1 422	4.4	29 695	1 155	3.9	2 123	231	10.9
FULL-TIME	31 355	1 299	4.1	28 845	1 060	3.7	2 050	207	10.1
40 TO 49 WEEKS	3 444	287	8.3	3 143	231	7.3	235	45	19.0
27 TO 39 WEEKS	2 070	276	13.3	1 858	235	12.6	181	33	18.4
26 WEEKS OR LESS	2 723	650	23.9	2 384	504	21.1	273	114	41.6
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	48.1	40.3	...	48.2	40.5	...	46.8	40.3	...
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	7 707	1 696	22.0	7 002	1 337	19.1	620	319	51.5
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	2 225	768	34.5	1 919	591	30.8	289	165	57.2
KEEPING HOUSE	82	18	21.9	77	16	20.7	4	2	(B)
OTHER	5 400	910	16.9	5 006	730	14.6	326	152	46.5
IN ARMED FORCES	744	77	10.3	619	61	9.8	97	10	10.1
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HEAD									
HEAD WORKED LAST YEAR	40 528	2 635	6.5	37 081	2 125	5.7	2 813	422	15.0
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL, AND KINDRED WORKERS	6 256	121	1.9	5 901	103	1.7	209	12	5.5
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	6 817	252	3.7	6 516	223	3.4	203	13	6.4
SALES WORKERS	2 384	83	3.5	2 323	73	3.1	47	4	(B)
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	2 237	66	2.9	1 993	54	2.7	193	10	5.0
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	9 401	532	5.7	8 778	450	5.1	504	69	13.6
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT	4 470	346	7.7	3 953	286	7.2	468	56	11.9
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	2 563	218	8.5	2 235	161	7.2	308	54	17.5
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	2 135	300	14.0	1 690	193	11.4	409	99	24.3
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	1 156	324	28.0	1 120	308	27.5	25	12	(B)
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	485	156	32.1	413	116	28.1	57	32	(B)
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	2 616	236	9.0	2 151	159	7.4	389	62	15.8
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	7	1	(B)	6	-	(B)	1	1	(B)
SOURCE OF INCOME									
TOTAL	48 979	4 408	9.0	44 701	3 522	7.9	3 529	751	21.3
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	19 686	4 539	...	20 047	4 330	...	15 190	5 465	...
EARNINGS ONLY	12 533	1 373	11.0	10 836	1 087	10.0	1 480	233	15.8
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	17 109	4 995	...	17 377	4 657	...	15 507	6 472	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	10 292	916	8.9	8 763	689	7.9	1 348	189	14.0
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	572	216	37.7	530	187	35.2	30	21	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	1 669	242	14.5	1 542	211	13.7	102	23	22.9
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	31 403	1 738	5.5	29 184	1 372	4.7	1 727	313	18.1
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	22 432	4 759	...	22 765	4 477	...	16 767	5 889	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1 117	198	17.7	917	131	14.3	185	61	32.7
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	397	177	44.5	273	123	45.0	99	43	42.9
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	114	36	31.8	67	17	(B)	43	20	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME	24 484	907	3.7	23 092	789	3.4	1 014	94	9.3
OTHER COMBINATIONS	5 291	420	7.9	4 834	313	6.5	386	97	25.0
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	5 014	1 268	25.3	4 660	1 041	22.3	316	198	62.7
MEAN FAMILY INCOME, DOLLARS	9 045	3 848	...	9 330	3 886	...	5 390	3 787	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	677	412	60.9	602	358	59.4	67	47	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	81	81	100.0	69	69	(B)	10	10	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	42	41	(B)	26	25	(B)	14	14	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	127	82	64.4	93	55	58.6	26	22	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	209	153	72.9	152	105	69.4	56	45	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	28	28	(B)	25	25	(B)	3	3	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	46	37	(B)	35	27	(B)	11	10	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	3 804	434	11.4	3 657	376	10.3	128	46	36.2
NO INCOME	29	29	(B)	22	22	(B)	6	5	(B)
TENURE									
PRIMARY FAMILIES, TOTAL	48 921	4 387	9.0	44 663	3 510	7.9	3 518	748	21.3
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	37 647	2 524	6.7	35 002	2 083	5.9	2 223	386	17.4
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	11 274	1 863	16.5	9 661	1 428	14.8	1 295	362	27.9
PUBLIC	483	167	34.6	313	103	32.9	149	56	37.7
PRIVATE	10 791	1 696	15.7	9 348	1 325	14.2	1 146	306	26.7
SUBSIDIZED	153	53	34.5	112	37	32.9	30	8	(B)

Table 44. Selected Characteristics of Families Below 125 Percent of the Poverty Level in 1977—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
		BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL			BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
AGE OF HEAD									
TOTAL	6 236	3 305	40.1	5 828	1 822	31.3	2 277	1 411	62.0
14 TO 24 YEARS	795	596	75.0	446	308	69.1	335	274	81.9
25 TO 34 YEARS	2 053	1 059	51.6	1 363	632	46.4	653	406	62.2
35 TO 44 YEARS	1 858	764	41.1	1 298	417	32.1	536	336	62.7
45 TO 54 YEARS	1 414	402	28.4	1 057	218	20.6	324	174	53.5
55 TO 59 YEARS	574	145	25.2	441	67	15.2	127	73	57.8
60 AND 61 YEARS	170	29	16.9	128	15	11.9	41	13	(B)
62 TO 64 YEARS	209	51	24.3	161	24	15.1	46	26	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 164	261	22.4	933	139	14.9	214	108	50.4
MEDIAN AGE, YEARS	41.8	35.0	...	43.5	34.5	...	37.8	35.8	...
SIZE OF FAMILY									
TOTAL	8 236	3 305	40.1	5 828	1 822	31.3	2 277	1 411	62.0
2 PERSONS	3 807	1 161	30.5	2 958	737	24.9	783	388	49.5
3 PERSONS	2 175	807	37.1	1 608	492	30.6	533	299	56.2
4 PERSONS	1 152	606	52.6	737	322	43.6	400	275	68.8
5 PERSONS	610	373	61.1	331	155	46.7	269	211	78.4
6 PERSONS	261	180	69.1	124	72	58.2	132	105	79.2
7 PERSONS	127	100	78.6	44	25	(B)	83	74	89.5
8 PERSONS	59	42	(B)	21	15	(B)	36	27	(B)
9 PERSONS OR MORE	45	36	(B)	5	4	(B)	40	32	(B)
MEAN SIZE OF FAMILY	3.08	3.46	...	2.87	3.13	...	3.65	3.91	...
PRESENCE OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS									
TOTAL	8 236	3 305	40.1	5 828	1 822	31.3	2 277	1 411	62.0
WITHOUT RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2 527	361	14.3	2 094	230	11.0	399	123	30.8
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	5 709	2 945	51.6	3 735	1 592	42.6	1 878	1 288	68.6
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1.97	2.31	...	1.79	2.08	...	2.34	2.61	...
1 CHILD	2 459	972	39.5	1 759	589	33.5	651	351	54.0
2 CHILDREN	1 728	853	49.4	1 200	500	41.7	501	336	67.0
3 CHILDREN	837	548	65.5	473	274	57.9	354	267	75.3
4 CHILDREN	421	339	80.4	214	152	70.9	201	181	90.1
5 OR MORE CHILDREN	263	233	88.7	88	76	86.7	171	153	89.4
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	5.51	5.53	...	5.35	5.31	...	5.62	5.66	...
WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	2 222	1 540	69.3	1 259	783	62.2	930	733	78.8
MEAN NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1.30	1.38	...	1.19	1.25	...	1.46	1.52	...
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD									
TOTAL, 25 YEARS AND OVER	7 441	2 709	36.4	5 382	1 513	28.1	1 942	1 137	58.5
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	968	523	54.0	611	277	45.3	332	229	68.9
8 YEARS	710	274	38.7	548	167	30.4	153	102	66.6
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	1 511	771	51.0	919	377	41.0	571	380	66.6
4 YEARS	2 730	835	30.6	2 115	504	23.8	585	315	53.9
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	1 522	305	20.0	1 188	190	16.0	301	110	36.6
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.2	11.1	...	12.3	11.3	...	11.6	11.0	...
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	42.9	57.9	...	38.6	54.2	...	54.4	62.6	...
NUMBER OF WORKERS									
TOTAL FAMILIES WITH CIVILIAN HEADS	8 236	3 305	40.1	5 828	1 822	31.3	2 277	1 411	62.0
NO WORKERS	2 058	1 584	77.0	1 293	875	67.7	736	682	92.6
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	1 592	1 416	88.9	922	776	84.2	649	620	95.6
1 WORKER	3 769	1 343	35.6	2 643	751	28.4	1 068	559	52.3
HEAD ONLY WORKER	2 871	1 072	37.3	1 964	599	30.5	859	448	51.7
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	1 500	219	14.6	1 059	99	9.4	419	117	28.0
OTHER RELATIVE ONLY WORKER	897	272	30.3	679	152	22.4	208	114	54.9
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	488	222	45.5	329	124	37.8	157	97	62.1
2 OR MORE WORKERS	2 409	378	15.7	1 893	195	10.3	474	170	36.0
HEAD A WORKER	2 098	287	13.7	1 666	149	8.9	391	127	32.6
WORKED YEAR-ROUND FULL-TIME	1 228	57	4.7	986	21	2.1	212	34	16.2
HEAD NOT A WORKER	311	91	29.2	227	46	20.4	83	43	52.2
HEAD UNDER 65 YEARS	200	78	39.2	138	40	29.0	61	37	(B)

Table 44. Selected Characteristics of Families Below 125 Percent of the Poverty Level in 1977—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. FAMILIES AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD--CONTINUED									
WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD									
TOTAL	8 236	3 305	40.1	5 828	1 822	31.3	2 277	1 411	62.0
WORKED LAST YEAR	4 970	1 358	27.3	3 630	748	20.6	1 250	572	45.7
50 TO 52 WEEKS	3 074	388	12.6	2 293	164	7.1	728	217	29.9
FULL-TIME	2 728	276	10.1	2 044	120	5.9	631	152	24.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	538	162	30.0	404	97	23.9	131	63	47.8
27 TO 39 WEEKS	415	194	46.8	312	127	40.7	98	62	63.1
26 WEEKS OR LESS	942	615	65.3	621	361	58.1	294	230	78.3
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	42.5	31.3	...	43.1	29.4	...	41.1	34.2	...
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	3 266	1 947	59.6	2 199	1 074	48.8	1 027	839	81.7
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	614	354	57.7	339	168	49.4	265	177	66.8
KEEPING HOUSE	2 056	1 294	62.9	1 452	762	52.5	578	511	88.4
OTHER	596	299	50.1	408	145	35.4	184	151	81.9
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HEAD									
HEAD WORKED LAST YEAR	4 970	1 358	27.3	3 630	748	20.6	1 250	572	45.7
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL, AND KINDRED WORKERS	609	65	10.7	470	41	8.8	123	23	19.0
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	306	36	11.7	274	27	9.8	25	9	(B)
SALES WORKERS	238	54	22.9	202	38	18.7	28	13	(B)
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	1 577	279	17.7	1 236	168	13.6	319	103	32.2
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	122	41	33.5	91	21	22.6	30	20	(B)
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT	742	244	32.8	503	119	23.6	223	110	49.4
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	15	9	(B)	12	7	(B)	3	2	(B)
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	65	23	(B)	36	8	(B)	29	14	(B)
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	7	-	(B)	7	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	39	30	(B)	29	20	(B)	10	10	(B)
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	1 064	453	42.6	696	262	37.6	350	181	51.7
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	184	123	66.9	73	37	(B)	111	87	78.0
SOURCE OF INCOME									
TOTAL	8 236	3 305	40.1	5 828	1 822	31.3	2 277	1 411	62.0
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	9 811	3 840	...	10 947	3 687	...	6 959	4 052	...
EARNINGS ONLY	1 242	436	35.1	734	238	32.5	484	182	37.6
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	9 362	3 775	...	9 730	3 319	...	8 914	4 300	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	1 200	415	34.6	700	224	32.0	477	177	37.2
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	14	9	(B)	11	8	(B)	2	1	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	29	11	(B)	22	6	(B)	5	3	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	4 954	1 285	25.9	3 817	711	18.6	1 063	549	51.7
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	11 964	4 646	...	12 947	4 393	...	8 445	5 025	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	396	104	26.4	278	64	22.9	106	39	36.3
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	675	519	76.8	340	244	71.7	326	266	81.7
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	45	18	(B)	23	7	(B)	22	11	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME	2 094	290	13.8	1 805	218	12.1	259	65	25.0
OTHER COMBINATIONS	1 743	354	20.3	1 371	178	13.0	349	168	48.2
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	1 949	1 493	76.6	1 215	811	66.7	703	652	92.8
MEAN FAMILY INCOME.....DOLLARS	5 083	3 400	...	5 961	3 460	...	3 638	3 335	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	135	96	71.3	102	66	64.4	32	30	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	861	853	99.1	419	416	99.1	430	426	99.0
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	28	25	(B)	14	11	(B)	14	14	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	143	120	83.8	116	100	85.5	21	16	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	85	53	62.0	42	20	(B)	43	32	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	59	48	(B)	33	23	(B)	22	21	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	24	17	(B)	5	1	(B)	19	16	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	615	281	45.8	483	174	36.0	122	97	80.0
NO INCOME	91	91	100.0	63	63	(B)	28	28	(B)
TENURE									
PRIMARY FAMILIES, TOTAL	8 037	3 173	39.5	5 682	1 734	30.5	2 230	1 371	61.5
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	3 780	853	22.6	3 040	547	18.0	682	283	41.5
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	4 257	2 320	54.5	2 642	1 187	44.9	1 548	1 088	70.3
PUBLIC	539	420	77.9	160	111	69.5	367	297	80.9
PRIVATE	3 718	1 900	51.1	2 482	1 075	43.3	1 181	791	67.0
SUBSIDIZED	123	96	78.3	81	57	70.5	40	39	(B)

Table 45. Selected Characteristics of Unrelated Individuals Below 125 Percent of the Poverty Level in 1977

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
AGE									
TOTAL	23 110	7 484	32.4	19 869	6 039	30.4	2 860	1 308	45.7
14 TO 24 YEARS	4 115	1 506	36.6	3 590	1 248	34.8	416	202	48.5
25 TO 34 YEARS	4 544	642	14.1	3 892	505	13.0	542	107	19.8
35 TO 44 YEARS	1 834	312	17.0	1 457	208	14.3	346	101	29.1
45 TO 54 YEARS	2 111	574	27.2	1 627	392	24.1	445	175	39.2
55 TO 59 YEARS	1 472	464	31.5	1 217	326	26.8	240	135	56.2
60 AND 61 YEARS	602	203	33.7	533	162	30.3	65	41	(B)
62 TO 64 YEARS	1 113	407	36.6	988	341	34.5	122	64	52.2
65 YEARS AND OVER	7 319	3 376	46.1	6 566	2 857	43.5	684	484	70.7
MEDIAN AGE, YEARS	50.0	62.3	...	51.1	63.6	...	47.8	57.6	...
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT									
TOTAL, 25 YEARS AND OVER	18 995	5 978	31.5	16 279	4 791	29.4	2 444	1 107	45.3
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	2 875	1 774	61.7	2 057	1 229	59.7	759	513	67.6
8 YEARS	2 247	1 120	49.9	2 001	973	48.6	227	136	60.2
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	2 682	1 069	39.9	2 189	849	38.8	470	216	45.9
4 YEARS	5 012	1 221	24.4	4 423	1 033	23.4	526	176	33.4
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	6 180	794	12.9	5 608	707	12.6	459	65	14.2
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.3	9.2	...	12.4	9.6	...	10.4	8.3	...
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	41.1	66.3	...	38.4	63.7	...	59.6	78.2	...
WORK EXPERIENCE									
TOTAL	23 110	7 484	32.4	19 869	6 039	30.4	2 860	1 308	45.7
WORKED LAST YEAR	14 467	2 639	18.2	12 429	2 154	17.3	1 766	416	23.6
50 TO 52 WEEKS	9 088	667	7.3	7 755	521	6.7	1 164	126	10.8
FULL-TIME	8 146	346	4.2	6 969	287	4.1	1 028	51	5.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	1 731	303	17.5	1 568	276	17.6	143	23	16.0
27 TO 39 WEEKS	1 403	401	28.6	1 210	325	26.8	167	63	37.9
26 WEEKS OR LESS	2 245	1 268	56.5	1 896	1 032	54.4	292	204	70.1
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	43.7	30.5	...	43.7	30.4	...	43.8	30.7	...
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	8 538	4 844	56.7	7 353	3 885	52.8	1 079	892	82.7
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	2 018	1 563	77.5	1 557	1 145	73.6	448	406	90.6
KEEPING HOUSE	2 758	1 478	53.6	2 561	1 318	51.5	186	154	82.7
OTHER	3 762	1 803	47.9	3 234	1 421	43.9	445	332	74.7
IN ARMED FORCES	105	1	0.9	87	1	1.1	15	-	(B)
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB									
WORKED LAST YEAR, TOTAL	14 467	2 639	18.2	12 429	2 154	17.3	1 766	416	23.6
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL, AND KINDRED WORKERS	2 939	275	9.3	2 665	237	8.9	196	20	10.1
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	1 409	138	9.8	1 314	128	9.7	73	9	(B)
SALES WORKERS	769	130	16.9	710	117	16.5	46	9	(B)
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	2 654	375	14.1	2 376	325	13.7	253	40	15.6
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	1 454	171	11.7	1 278	150	11.7	150	15	10.0
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT	1 371	231	16.8	1 092	178	16.3	254	46	18.0
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	397	83	20.8	314	66	20.9	78	17	21.3
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	747	191	25.5	556	151	27.1	170	34	20.1
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	112	48	42.6	105	42	39.9	6	6	(B)
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	174	83	47.4	132	58	44.1	39	23	(B)
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	2 110	705	33.4	1 690	586	34.7	370	107	28.8
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	331	212	64.0	198	116	58.7	128	92	71.5
SOURCE OF INCOME									
TOTAL	23 110	7 484	32.4	19 869	6 039	30.4	2 860	1 308	45.7
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	7 981	2 270	...	8 253	2 315	...	6 158	2 100	...
EARNINGS ONLY	6 136	1 350	22.0	4 863	1 036	21.3	1 143	263	23.0
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	8 390	1 935	...	8 624	1 912	...	7 569	2 045	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	5 645	1 200	21.3	4 425	912	20.6	1 107	248	22.4
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	256	97	38.0	225	83	37.0	21	8	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	235	53	22.6	213	41	19.1	14	6	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	8 627	1 342	15.6	7 831	1 159	14.8	649	163	25.1
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	11 163	2 381	...	11 316	2 373	...	9 348	2 468	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	438	184	42.0	358	144	40.3	78	40	50.9
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	96	67	69.6	63	47	(B)	33	20	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	48	33	(B)	31	20	(B)	16	13	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME	6 857	846	12.3	6 285	770	12.2	441	57	12.8
OTHER COMBINATIONS	1 189	212	17.8	1 094	178	16.2	81	33	41.4
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	7 972	4 417	55.4	6 925	3 593	51.9	962	777	80.7
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	4 598	2 531	...	4 826	2 574	...	3 002	2 327	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1 516	1 385	91.4	1 280	1 170	91.4	221	199	90.3
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	237	218	92.0	110	104	95.1	125	112	89.6
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	306	306	99.8	194	193	99.6	112	112	100.0
OTHER INCOME ONLY	404	252	62.5	333	205	61.5	52	44	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	650	524	80.6	473	362	76.5	169	154	91.3
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	23	23	(B)	10	10	(B)	13	13	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	38	26	(B)	32	23	(B)	5	3	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	4 798	1 683	35.1	4 493	1 526	34.0	264	138	52.2
NO INCOME	375	375	100.0	250	250	100.0	105	105	100.0
TENURE									
PRIMARY INDIVIDUALS, TOTAL	19 071	5 872	30.8	16 590	4 827	29.1	2 229	970	43.5
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	7 971	2 439	30.6	7 250	2 116	29.2	648	299	46.1
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	11 101	3 433	30.9	9 340	2 712	29.0	1 581	672	42.5
PUBLIC	554	396	71.4	403	277	68.7	144	116	80.0
PRIVATE	10 547	3 037	28.8	8 937	2 435	27.2	1 437	556	38.7
SUBSIDIZED	207	110	53.0	177	91	51.2	26	19	(B)

Table 45. Selected Characteristics of Unrelated Individuals Below 125 Percent of the Poverty Level in 1977—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
AGE									
TOTAL	10 005	2 542	25.4	8 300	1 922	23.2	1 473	534	36.3
14 TO 24 YEARS	2 134	709	33.2	1 865	585	31.4	201	86	42.6
25 TO 34 YEARS	2 896	400	13.8	2 452	303	12.4	363	79	21.7
35 TO 44 YEARS	1 201	183	15.2	936	109	11.7	251	72	28.8
45 TO 54 YEARS	1 067	254	23.8	818	184	22.4	221	67	30.4
55 TO 59 YEARS	545	139	25.6	431	91	21.2	107	47	44.2
60 AND 61 YEARS	201	61	30.3	168	46	27.5	31	15	(B)
62 TO 64 YEARS	322	118	36.8	275	99	36.2	47	19	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	1 639	677	41.3	1 357	505	37.2	251	149	59.3
MEDIAN AGE ..... YEARS	34.9	43.9	...	34.3	41.7	...	41.9	49.5	...
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT									
TOTAL, 25 YEARS AND OVER	7 871	1 834	23.3	6 436	1 337	20.8	1 271	448	35.3
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	1 150	541	47.1	753	333	44.3	359	187	52.0
8 YEARS	675	282	41.8	580	228	39.4	88	46	52.7
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	971	302	31.1	704	210	29.8	254	92	36.0
4 YEARS	1 949	359	18.4	1 614	270	16.7	299	84	28.0
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	3 125	349	11.2	2 785	296	10.6	271	40	14.6
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.6	9.9	...	12.7	10.4	...	11.1	8.8	...
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	35.5	61.4	...	31.6	57.7	...	55.2	72.5	...
WORK EXPERIENCE									
TOTAL	10 005	2 542	25.4	8 300	1 922	23.2	1 473	534	36.3
WORKED LAST YEAR	7 689	1 277	16.6	6 490	1 031	15.9	1 031	202	19.6
50 TO 52 WEEKS	4 727	285	6.0	3 974	230	5.8	647	40	6.2
FULL-TIME	4 412	167	3.8	3 717	140	3.8	602	21	3.5
40 TO 49 WEEKS	973	146	15.0	866	126	14.6	97	18	18.9
27 TO 39 WEEKS	840	202	24.0	699	156	22.3	125	38	30.2
26 WEEKS OR LESS	1 148	643	56.0	952	518	54.4	162	106	65.3
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	43.8	29.6	...	43.8	29.6	...	43.7	29.0	...
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	2 211	1 264	57.2	1 723	890	51.6	427	332	77.8
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	595	468	78.6	424	309	72.9	165	153	92.6
KEEPING HOUSE	44	20	(B)	40	17	(B)	4	3	(B)
OTHER	1 572	777	49.4	1 260	564	44.8	258	176	68.4
IN ARMED FORCES	105	1	0.9	87	1	1.1	15	-	(B)
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB									
WORKED LAST YEAR, TOTAL	7 689	1 277	16.6	6 490	1 031	15.9	1 031	202	19.6
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL, AND KINDRED WORKERS	1 471	144	9.8	1 335	119	8.9	93	11	11.9
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	906	80	8.8	834	70	8.4	59	9	(B)
SALES WORKERS	425	54	12.8	390	46	11.8	28	6	(B)
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	537	90	16.7	464	70	15.1	64	15	(B)
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	1 348	160	11.8	1 181	142	12.0	145	15	10.3
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT	777	137	17.7	585	97	16.6	178	35	19.9
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	363	71	19.5	281	54	19.1	76	17	21.7
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	682	180	26.4	504	141	27.9	162	34	20.7
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	94	37	39.3	88	31	35.3	6	6	(B)
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	147	64	43.7	111	46	41.2	33	17	(B)
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	931	258	27.7	711	213	30.0	185	38	20.5
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	6	2	(B)	4	2	(B)	2	-	(B)
SOURCE OF INCOME									
TOTAL	10 005	2 542	25.4	8 300	1 922	23.2	1 473	534	36.3
MEAN INCOME ..... DOLLARS	9 968	2 190	...	10 500	2 225	...	7 280	2 123	...
EARNINGS ONLY	3 520	704	20.0	2 746	528	19.2	693	143	20.7
MEAN INCOME ..... DOLLARS	9 358	1 972	...	9 784	1 914	...	7 989	2 198	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	3 143	601	19.1	2 405	442	18.4	667	131	19.7
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	187	62	33.4	169	56	33.1	13	6	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	190	40	21.2	172	30	17.4	13	6	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	4 328	597	13.8	3 878	520	13.4	359	65	18.1
MEAN INCOME ..... DOLLARS	13 217	2 424	...	13 440	2 410	...	11 020	(B)	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	152	65	42.7	118	48	40.5	34	17	(B)
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	38	21	(B)	24	15	(B)	14	6	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	22	11	(B)	15	7	(B)	7	4	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME	3 800	421	11.1	3 440	381	11.1	276	28	10.2
OTHER COMBINATIONS	316	80	25.4	281	70	24.9	29	10	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	2 008	1 091	54.4	1 587	784	49.4	373	279	74.7
MEAN INCOME ..... DOLLARS	4 775	2 503	...	5 143	2 567	...	3 275	2 312	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	379	334	88.2	279	245	88.0	89	78	87.4
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	92	92	100.0	34	34	(B)	58	58	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	89	89	100.0	59	59	(B)	30	30	(B)
OTHER INCOME ONLY	211	134	63.6	164	106	64.4	30	25	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	156	126	81.0	103	75	72.9	49	47	(B)
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	4	-	(B)	4	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	1 077	315	29.2	944	264	27.9	116	40	34.6
NO INCOME	150	150	100.0	89	89	100.0	47	47	(B)
TENURE									
PRIMARY INDIVIDUALS, TOTAL	7 811	1 757	22.5	6 613	1 376	20.8	1 050	333	31.7
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	2 568	485	18.9	2 294	409	17.8	238	61	25.4
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	5 243	1 272	24.3	4 319	967	22.4	811	272	33.6
PUBLIC	106	64	60.6	70	39	(B)	34	25	(B)
PRIVATE	5 137	1 208	23.5	4 249	928	21.8	778	247	31.8
SUBSIDIZED	21	9	(B)	18	8	(B)	3	1	(B)

Table 45. Selected Characteristics of Unrelated Individuals Below 125 Percent of the Poverty Level in 1977—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS. UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS OF MARCH 1978. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	ALL RACES			WHITE			BLACK		
	TOTAL	BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL		TOTAL	BELOW 125 PERCENT OF THE POVERTY LEVEL	
		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL		NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
AGE									
TOTAL	13 105	4 941	37.7	11 569	4 118	35.6	1 387	774	55.8
14 TO 24 YEARS	1 981	797	40.2	1 725	663	38.5	215	116	54.0
25 TO 34 YEARS	1 648	241	14.6	1 440	202	14.0	179	29	16.0
35 TO 44 YEARS	633	129	20.3	521	99	18.9	95	28	30.1
45 TO 54 YEARS	1 044	319	30.6	809	209	25.8	224	107	47.9
55 TO 59 YEARS	927	325	35.0	787	235	29.9	133	88	65.9
60 AND 61 YEARS	401	142	35.5	365	115	31.6	34	27	(B)
62 TO 64 YEARS	791	289	36.5	713	242	33.9	74	44	(B)
65 YEARS AND OVER	5 680	2 699	47.5	5 209	2 353	45.2	433	335	77.3
MEDIAN AGE, YEARS	61.6	65+	...	62.6	65+	...	54.2	61.4	...
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT									
TOTAL, 25 YEARS AND OVER	11 124	4 144	37.3	9 844	3 454	35.1	1 173	658	56.1
ELEMENTARY: LESS THAN 8 YEARS	1 725	1 232	71.4	1 304	896	68.7	400	326	81.5
8 YEARS	1 572	838	53.3	1 422	745	52.4	139	90	64.9
HIGH SCHOOL: 1 TO 3 YEARS	1 710	766	44.8	1 485	639	43.0	216	124	57.5
4 YEARS	3 063	862	28.1	2 809	764	27.2	229	93	40.3
COLLEGE: 1 YEAR OR MORE	3 054	446	14.6	2 824	411	14.6	188	25	13.5
MEDIAN YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	12.2	9.0	...	12.3	9.4	...	9.7	8.0	...
PERCENT NOT A HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	45.0	68.5	...	42.8	66.0	...	64.4	82.1	...
WORK EXPERIENCE									
TOTAL	13 105	4 941	37.7	11 569	4 118	35.6	1 387	774	55.8
WORKED LAST YEAR	6 778	1 361	20.1	5 939	1 123	18.9	735	214	29.2
50 TO 52 WEEKS	4 361	381	8.7	3 782	291	7.7	517	86	16.6
FULL-TIME	3 734	179	4.8	3 252	146	4.5	426	30	7.0
40 TO 49 WEEKS	757	156	20.6	703	150	21.3	46	5	(B)
27 TO 39 WEEKS	563	200	35.4	511	169	33.1	42	26	(B)
26 WEEKS OR LESS	1 097	625	57.0	944	514	54.4	130	99	76.0
MEAN NUMBER OF WEEKS WORKED	43.7	31.3	...	43.7	31.2	...	43.9	32.2	...
DID NOT WORK LAST YEAR	6 327	3 580	56.6	5 630	2 995	53.2	652	560	85.9
MAIN REASON FOR NOT WORKING:									
ILL OR DISABLED	1 423	1 096	77.0	1 133	836	73.8	283	254	89.5
KEEPING HOUSE	2 714	1 458	53.7	2 522	1 301	51.6	182	151	82.9
OTHER	2 190	1 026	46.9	1 975	857	43.4	187	156	83.3
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB									
WORKED LAST YEAR, TOTAL	6 778	1 361	20.1	5 939	1 123	18.9	735	214	29.2
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL, AND KINDRED WORKERS	1 468	131	8.9	1 330	118	8.9	103	9	8.5
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	503	58	11.5	480	58	12.0	15	-	(B)
SALES WORKERS	344	75	21.9	319	71	22.3	20	3	(B)
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	2 117	285	13.5	1 912	255	13.3	189	25	13.1
CRAFT AND KINDRED WORKERS	106	11	10.5	97	8	8.5	4	-	(B)
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT	593	93	15.7	506	81	15.9	77	10	13.7
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	34	12	(B)	32	12	(B)	2	-	(B)
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	65	10	(B)	52	10	(B)	6	1	(B)
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	18	11	(B)	17	11	(B)	-	-	(B)
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	27	18	(B)	20	12	(B)	6	6	(B)
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	1 179	447	37.9	980	373	38.1	185	69	37.0
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	325	210	64.6	194	114	59.0	127	92	72.4
SOURCE OF INCOME									
TOTAL	13 105	4 941	37.7	11 569	4 118	35.6	1 387	774	55.8
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	6 465	2 311	...	6 641	2 357	...	4 966	2 084	...
EARNINGS ONLY	2 616	646	24.7	2 117	508	24.0	450	120	26.7
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	7 088	1 894	...	7 118	1 911	...	6 922	1 864	...
WAGE OR SALARY INCOME ONLY	2 502	598	23.9	2 020	470	23.3	440	117	26.6
SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME ONLY	69	35	(B)	57	28	(B)	8	3	(B)
WAGE OR SALARY AND SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME	45	13	(B)	40	11	(B)	1	-	(B)
EARNINGS AND INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS	4 300	745	17.3	3 953	639	16.2	290	98	33.7
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	9 096	2 346	...	9 233	2 343	...	7 278	2 328	...
EARNINGS AND SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	286	119	41.7	240	97	40.3	44	23	(B)
EARNINGS AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	58	46	(B)	39	32	(B)	19	14	(B)
EARNINGS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	25	22	(B)	16	13	(B)	9	9	(B)
EARNINGS AND OTHER INCOME	3 057	425	13.9	2 845	389	13.7	166	29	17.3
OTHER COMBINATIONS	873	131	15.0	813	108	13.3	52	23	(B)
INCOME OTHER THAN EARNINGS ONLY	5 965	3 326	55.8	5 338	2 810	52.6	589	498	84.6
MEAN INCOME, DOLLARS	4 539	2 540	...	4 732	2 576	...	2 829	2 335	...
SOCIAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	1 137	1 051	92.4	1 001	925	92.4	131	121	92.2
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	144	126	86.9	75	70	92.9	67	54	(B)
SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	217	216	99.7	134	134	99.5	83	83	100.0
OTHER INCOME ONLY	193	118	61.2	169	99	58.7	22	19	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	494	398	80.5	370	287	77.4	120	107	89.3
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME ONLY	23	23	(B)	10	10	(B)	13	13	(B)
SOCIAL SECURITY, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY, AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE INCOME ONLY	34	26	(B)	29	23	(B)	5	3	(B)
OTHER COMBINATIONS	3 722	1 368	36.8	3 549	1 262	35.6	148	98	66.0
NO INCOME	225	225	100.0	161	161	100.0	59	59	(B)
TENURE									
PRIMARY INDIVIDUALS, TOTAL	11 261	4 115	36.5	9 977	3 451	34.6	1 179	637	54.0
OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	5 403	1 954	36.2	4 956	1 706	34.4	410	238	58.1
RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	5 858	2 161	36.9	5 021	1 745	34.8	770	399	51.9
PUBLIC	448	331	74.0	332	238	71.6	111	91	81.9
PRIVATE	5 410	1 830	33.8	4 688	1 507	32.1	659	309	46.8
SUBSIDIZED	185	101	54.2	160	83	52.0	22*	18	(B)

Table 46. Twenty Largest Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas—Persons and Families by Poverty Status in 1977 and Central City Residence

(Numbers in thousands. Persons and families as of March 1978. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Standard metropolitan statistical areas	Persons						Families					
	Total		Below poverty level		Poverty rate		Total		Below poverty level		Poverty rate	
	Number	Standard error	Number	Standard error	Percent	Standard error	Number	Standard error	Number	Standard error	Percent	Standard error
New York, N.Y.	10,996	211	1,490	95	13.6	0.8	2,889	63	322	18	11.1	0.6
New York	7,087	171	1,312	89	18.5	1.1	1,868	51	288	17	15.4	0.9
Outside central city	3,909	128	178	28	4.6	0.7	1,021	38	34	7	3.3	0.7
Los Angeles-Long Beach, Calif.	7,224	172	769	69	10.6	0.9	1,839	50	175	14	9.5	0.7
Los Angeles-Long Beach	3,173	115	380	48	12.0	1.4	770	33	78	9	10.1	1.1
Outside central cities	4,051	130	389	41	9.6	1.0	1,069	38	97	12	9.1	1.0
Chicago, Ill.	6,987	170	785	69	11.2	0.9	1,812	50	162	13	8.9	0.7
Chicago	2,942	111	669	64	22.7	1.9	711	31	135	12	19.0	1.5
Outside central city	4,045	130	116	22	2.9	0.5	1,101	39	27	6	2.5	0.6
Philadelphia, Pa.	4,532	137	504	56	11.1	1.2	1,182	40	108	11	9.2	0.9
Philadelphia	1,673	84	327	45	19.6	2.4	427	24	71	9	16.6	1.9
Outside central city	2,859	110	177	27	6.2	0.9	755	32	37	7	4.9	0.9
Detroit, Mich.	4,058	130	316	44	7.8	1.0	1,066	38	65	8	6.1	0.8
Detroit	1,186	71	174	33	14.7	2.5	287	20	34	6	11.8	2.0
Outside central city	2,872	110	142	25	4.9	0.8	779	33	31	7	4.0	0.8
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif.	3,093	114	213	36	6.9	1.1	826	34	45	7	5.5	0.8
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	3,175	115	222	37	7.0	1.1	814	34	41	7	5.0	0.8
Boston, Mass.	2,394	100	278	41	11.6	1.6	634	30	66	8	10.4	1.3
Pittsburgh, Pa.	2,306	98	146	30	6.3	1.3	611	29	26	5	4.3	0.8
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill.	2,233	97	295	43	13.2	1.8	583	28	64	8	11.0	1.3
Baltimore, Md.	2,137	95	243	39	11.4	1.7	556	28	47	7	8.5	1.2
Cleveland, Ohio	2,001	92	178	33	8.9	1.6	516	27	40	7	7.8	1.2
Houston, Tex.	2,407	101	253	39	10.5	1.5	618	29	57	8	9.2	1.2
Newark, N.J.	1,672	84	208	36	12.4	2.0	417	24	42	7	10.2	1.5
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.	1,840	88	98	25	5.3	1.3	472	26	15	4	3.3	0.8
Dallas, Tex.	1,852	88	219	37	11.8	1.9	506	26	50	7	10.0	1.4
Seattle-Everett, Wash.	1,447	78	113	26	7.8	1.7	366	23	23	5	6.2	1.3
Anaheim-Santa Ana-Garden Grove, Calif.	1,820	88	56	19	3.1	1.0	496	26	10	3	2.0	0.6
Milwaukee, Wis.	1,485	79	94	24	6.3	1.6	383	23	21	5	5.6	1.2
Atlanta, Ga.	1,472	79	191	34	12.9	2.2	392	23	43	7	10.9	1.6

Table 47. Major Activity in Survey Week—Persons 14 to 21 Years Old by Poverty Status in 1977, Employment Status, Educational Attainment, Age, Sex, and Race

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March 1978. Excludes family heads and wives. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Major activity in survey week	Both sexes			Male			Female		
		Below poverty level			Below poverty level			Below poverty level	
	Total	Number	Percent of total	Total	Number	Percent of total	Total	Number	Percent of total
14 TO 21 YEARS									
All Races									
Total[1]	29,563	3,831	13.0	15,453	1,831	11.9	14,110	1,999	14.2
Going to school	20,181	2,578	12.8	10,344	1,261	12.2	9,837	1,317	13.4
Employed	4,802	316	6.6	2,499	178	7.1	2,303	138	6.0
Unemployed	1,107	181	16.4	635	95	14.9	472	87	18.3
Not in labor force	14,271	2,081	14.6	7,210	988	13.7	7,061	1,093	15.5
Other	9,348	1,252	13.4	5,075	570	11.2	4,273	682	16.0
Employed	6,684	583	8.7	3,814	307	8.0	2,870	277	9.6
Unemployed	1,089	230	21.2	673	125	18.6	416	105	25.3
Not in labor force	1,575	438	27.8	588	138	23.5	987	300	30.4
Not a high school graduate[1]	19,738	2,932	14.9	10,516	1,475	14.0	9,220	1,458	15.8
Going to school	16,123	2,239	13.9	8,342	1,116	13.4	7,780	1,123	14.4
Employed	3,530	249	7.1	1,887	157	8.3	1,642	91	5.5
Unemployed	901	149	16.5	533	87	16.3	367	62	16.9
Not in labor force	11,693	1,842	15.8	5,922	871	14.7	5,770	969	16.8
Other	3,605	693	19.2	2,164	359	16.6	1,441	336	23.3
Employed	2,111	250	11.8	1,427	163	11.4	682	86	12.6
Unemployed	488	129	26.4	340	83	24.4	149	46	30.9
Not in labor force	1,007	316	31.4	397	112	28.2	610	203	33.3
White									
Total[1]	24,901	2,305	9.3	13,098	1,107	8.5	11,802	1,198	10.1
Going to school	16,917	1,479	8.7	8,710	733	8.4	8,207	746	9.1
Employed	4,472	251	5.6	2,323	144	6.2	2,148	107	5.0
Unemployed	838	80	9.5	484	35	7.3	354	45	12.6
Not in labor force	11,607	1,148	9.9	5,903	554	9.4	5,704	594	10.4
Other	7,956	825	10.4	4,361	374	8.6	3,596	451	12.6
Employed	5,954	468	7.9	3,376	227	6.7	2,578	241	9.3
Unemployed	814	130	16.0	516	73	14.1	298	57	19.2
Not in labor force	1,188	228	19.2	469	75	15.9	720	154	21.4
Not a high school graduate[1]	16,337	1,672	10.2	8,704	856	9.8	7,632	816	10.7
Going to school	13,421	1,259	9.4	6,944	640	9.2	6,477	619	9.6
Employed	3,305	201	6.1	1,752	130	7.4	1,553	72	4.6
Unemployed	689	65	9.4	407	34	8.4	281	30	10.7
Not in labor force	9,427	992	10.5	4,785	476	9.9	4,644	518	11.2
Other	2,906	413	14.2	1,750	217	12.4	1,156	196	17.0
Employed	1,816	186	10.2	1,205	115	9.5	612	70	11.4
Unemployed	352	76	21.6	243	47	19.3	109	30	27.5
Not in labor force	740	151	20.4	302	56	18.5	436	96	22.0
Black									
Total[1]	4,098	1,429	34.9	2,055	665	32.4	2,044	764	37.4
Going to school	2,843	1,020	35.9	1,422	481	33.9	1,421	539	37.9
Employed	242	52	21.4	125	26	20.8	118	26	22.4
Unemployed	242	98	40.4	143	58	40.7	99	39	39.5
Not in labor force	2,358	871	36.9	1,154	397	34.4	1,204	473	39.3
Other	1,250	409	32.7	627	184	29.3	623	225	36.2
Employed	623	105	16.9	373	73	19.7	250	32	12.8
Unemployed	259	98	37.8	146	50	34.1	113	48	42.7
Not in labor force	368	205	55.9	108	60	55.6	260	145	55.9
Not a high school graduate	3,037	1,191	39.2	1,616	575	35.6	1,421	613	43.1
Going to school	2,395	919	38.4	1,245	442	35.5	1,150	476	41.4
Employed	175	40	22.9	105	22	21.0	70	17	(B)
Unemployed	193	83	43.0	120	52	43.3	73	32	(B)
Not in labor force	2,026	796	39.3	1,020	368	36.1	1,005	427	42.5
Other	642	271	42.2	371	135	36.4	270	136	50.4
Employed	254	59	23.2	188	46	24.5	66	13	(B)
Unemployed	129	51	39.5	91	34	37.4	38	17	(B)
Not in labor force	259	162	62.5	90	56	62.2	168	105	62.5
14 AND 15 YEARS									
Total	8,181	1,198	14.6	4,171	587	14.1	4,009	611	15.2
Going to school	7,726	1,094	14.2	3,937	536	13.6	3,788	558	14.7
Employed	1,035	89	8.6	503	55	11.0	532	33	6.3
Unemployed	185	30	16.1	119	20	16.5	66	10	(B)
Not in labor force	6,506	976	15.0	3,315	461	13.9	3,190	515	16.1
Other	455	104	23.0	234	51	21.9	221	53	24.1
Employed	189	33	17.5	110	19	17.2	78	14	18.0
Unemployed	25	8	(B)	18	7	(B)	8	1	(B)
Not in labor force	241	63	26.2	106	26	24.2	135	38	27.8

[1] Includes members of Armed Forces living off post, not shown separately.

Table 47. Major Activity in Survey Week—Persons 14 to 21 Years Old by Poverty Status in 1977, Employment Status, Educational Attainment, Age, Sex, and Race—Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March 1978. Excludes family heads and wives. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Major activity in survey week	Both sexes			Male			Female		
		Below poverty level			Below poverty level			Below poverty level	
	Total	Number	Percent of total	Total	Number	Percent of total	Total	Number	Percent of total
16 AND 17 YEARS									
Total	8,184	1,116	13.6	4,211	565	13.4	3,973	551	13.9
Going to school	6,877	900	13.1	3,493	455	13.0	3,384	445	13.2
Employed	1,939	121	6.3	1,031	81	7.8	909	41	4.5
Unemployed	575	89	15.5	325	50	15.5	250	39	15.5
Not in labor force	4,362	690	15.8	2,137	324	15.2	2,225	365	16.4
Other	1,305	216	16.5	716	110	15.4	589	106	17.9
Employed	778	67	8.7	464	36	7.9	314	31	9.9
Unemployed	166	48	29.2	106	34	31.7	60	15	(B)
Not in labor force	362	100	27.6	147	40	27.2	215	60	27.8
18 AND 19 YEARS									
Total[1]	7,260	863	11.9	3,786	397	10.5	3,475	467	13.4
Going to school	3,641	380	10.4	1,911	182	9.5	1,730	197	11.4
Employed	1,220	67	5.5	659	33	5.0	561	34	6.1
Unemployed	253	46	18.2	133	21	15.7	120	25	20.9
Not in labor force	2,168	267	12.3	1,118	129	11.5	1,049	138	13.2
Other	3,609	484	13.4	1,864	215	11.5	1,745	269	15.4
Employed	2,648	249	9.4	1,446	127	8.8	1,203	122	10.1
Unemployed	443	90	20.2	263	50	19.0	180	40	22.0
Not in labor force	517	145	28.1	155	37	24.1	361	108	29.8
Not a high school graduate[1]	2,747	469	17.1	1,653	238	14.4	1,094	230	21.0
Going to school	1,568	234	14.9	930	119	12.8	640	116	18.1
Employed	581	39	6.7	367	22	6.0	213	17	8.0
Unemployed	141	30	21.3	84	15	17.9	57	15	(B)
Not in labor force	846	166	19.6	479	82	17.1	369	84	22.8
Other	1,176	235	20.0	721	120	16.6	456	114	25.0
Employed	736	97	13.2	522	69	13.2	213	28	13.1
Unemployed	184	45	24.5	131	26	19.8	53	20	(B)
Not in labor force	256	92	35.9	68	24	(B)	189	67	35.4
20 AND 21 YEARS									
Total[1]	5,938	653	11.0	3,285	282	8.6	2,653	370	14.0
Going to school	1,938	204	10.5	1,003	88	8.8	934	116	12.5
Employed	608	39	6.5	307	10	3.1	301	30	9.8
Unemployed	94	16	17.4	57	4	(B)	37	13	(B)
Not in labor force	1,236	149	12.0	639	74	11.6	596	74	12.4
Other	3,980	448	11.3	2,261	194	8.6	1,718	254	14.8
Employed	3,070	234	7.6	1,795	124	6.9	1,275	110	8.6
Unemployed	454	84	18.5	287	35	12.2	168	49	29.3
Not in labor force	456	130	28.6	180	35	19.6	276	95	34.5
Not a high school graduate[1]	815	163	20.0	560	85	15.2	255	80	31.4
Going to school	58	17	(B)	31	7	(B)	28	10	(B)
Employed	7	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	6	-	(B)
Unemployed	6	2	(B)	6	2	(B)	-	-	(B)
Not in labor force	46	15	(B)	25	5	(B)	22	10	(B)
Other	749	146	19.5	521	78	15.0	228	70	30.7
Employed	469	59	12.6	356	39	11.0	115	20	17.4
Unemployed	120	26	21.7	89	16	18.0	32	10	(B)
Not in labor force	160	60	37.5	76	22	28.9	82	39	47.6

[1] Includes members of Armed Forces living off post, not shown separately.

Appendix A

DEFINITIONS AND EXPLANATIONS

Population coverage. This report includes the civilian noninstitutional population of the United States and approximately 900,000 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 14 years old are also excluded from this report.

Farm-nonfarm residence. The farm population refers to rural residents living on farms. The definition of farm and nonfarm residence in the present survey and in the Current Population Surveys since March 1960 is the same as that used in the 1960 and 1970 censuses but differs from that used in earlier surveys and censuses. In the present survey, farm residence was determined by responses to two questions: (1) "Does this place you (own/rent) have 10 acres or more?," and (2) "During the past 12 months, how much did sales of crops, livestock and other farm products from this place amount to (under $50, $50 to $249, $250 to $999, or $1,000 or more)?" The household was classified as in the farm population if either (a) the acreage response was "Yes" and sales amounted to $50 or more, or (b) the acreage response was "No" and sales amounted to $250 or more. All other households were classified as in the nonfarm population, which comprises persons living in urban areas and rural persons not on farms. Rural persons in institutions, motels, and tourist camps, and those living on rented places where no land is used for farming, are classified as nonfarm population.

The method of determining farm residence in Current Population Surveys prior to 1960 was to ask the question, "Is this house on a farm (or ranch)?" All persons living on farms as determined by the answer to the question constituted the farm population. However, persons on "farms" who paid cash rent for a house and yard only were classified as nonfarm. However, as in the present definition, all rural persons in institutions, motels, and tourist camps were classified as nonfarm.

For detailed information on the effect of the above definitional change, see Series P-60, No. 35, pages 10 and 11.

In August 1975, the U.S. Department of Agriculture and the Bureau of the Census announced a change in the official definition of a farm. Under the new definition, as used in the 1974 Census of Agriculture, a farm is any place from which $1,000 or more of agricultural products were sold, or would normally be sold, in the reporting year. However, for purposes of comparability, the figures presented in this report are based on the definition in use from 1960 to 1975.

Metropolitan-nonmetropolitan residence. The population residing in standard metropolitan statistical areas (SMSA's) as defined in the 1970 census constitutes the metropolitan population. Except in New England, an SMSA is a county or group of contiguous counties which contain at least one city of 50,000 inhabitants or more, or "twin cities" with a combined population of at least 50,000. In addition to the county or counties containing such a city or cities, contiguous counties are included in an SMSA if, according to certain criteria, they are essentially metropolitan in character and are socially and economically integrated with the central city. In New England, SMSA's consist of towns and cities, rather than counties.

This report contains data for the 20 largest SMSA's and the five largest central cities; these figures are based on SMSA's as defined in the 1970 census. The counties (or towns and cities) which comprised these SMSA's in the 1970 census can be found in **1970 Census of Population,** Vol. 1, Characteristics of the Population, Part A, "Number of Inhabitants."

Central cities. Each SMSA must include at least one central city, and the complete title of an SMSA identifies the central city or cities. If only one central city is designated, then it must have 50,000 inhabitants or more. The area title may include, in addition to the largest city, up to two city names on the basis and in the order of the following criteria: (1) The additional city has at least 250,000 inhabitants or (2) the additional city has a population of one-third or more of that of the largest city and a minimum population of 25,000. An exception occurs where two cities have contiguous boundaries and constitute, for economic and social purposes, a single community of at least 50,000, the smaller of which must have a population of at least 15,000.

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, Vermont.

North Central: Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, Wisconsin.

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

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

North and West: Northeast, North Central, and West regions combined.

Poverty areas. For this report poverty areas in metropolitan areas are defined in terms of census tracts and in nonmetropolitan areas in terms of minor civil divisions (townships, districts, etc.) in which 20 percent or more of the population was below the poverty level in 1969.

For further details, see **1970 Census of Population Report** PC(2)-9B, "Low-Income Areas in Large Cities," and Supplementary Reports PC(S1)-65 to PC(S1)-103, "Low-Income Neighborhoods in Large Cities: 1970."

Federal regions. The 10 standard Federal administrative regions for which data are presented in this report represent groups of States, as follows:

Region I, Boston: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont.

Region II, New York: New Jersey, New York.

Region III, Philadelphia: Delaware, District of Columbia, Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia.

Region IV, Atlanta: Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee.

Region V, Chicago: Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Ohio, Wisconsin.

Region VI, Dallas-Fort Worth: Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas.

Region VII, Kansas City: Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska.

Region VIII, Denver: Colorado, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Utah, Wyoming.

Region IX, San Francisco: Arizona, California, Hawaii, Nevada.

Region X, Seattle: Alaska, Idaho, Oregon, Washington.

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.

Mobility status. The population of the United States 3 years old and over has been classified according to mobility status on the basis of a comparison between the place of residence of each individual at the time of the March 1978 CPS and the place of residence 3 years earlier. Nonmovers are all persons who were living in the same house at the beginning and end of the period. Movers are all persons who were living in a different house at the end of the period than at the beginning of the period. Movers from abroad include all persons, either citizens or aliens, whose place of residence was outside the United States at the beginning of the period, that is, in an outlying area under the jurisdiction of the United States or in a foreign country.

Income. For each person in the sample 14 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) Supplemental Security income; (6) public assistance or welfare payments; (7) interest (on savings or bonds); (8) dividends, income from estates or trusts, or net rental income; (9) veterans' payments or unemployment and workmen'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.

When an indefinite amount was reported by the respondent, a specific value was assigned during processing wherever possible. If the indefinite amount was reported in terms of a range, the mid-point of the range was assigned (e.g., $10,000 to $15,000 was coded as $12,500). Open-ended amounts were converted to designated specific amounts; e.g., over $10,000 may be coded as $15,000.

It should be noted that although the income statistics refer to receipts during the preceding year the characteristics of the person, such as age, labor force status, etc., 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. On the other hand, 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 incomes are also received by some nonfarm residents which often take the form of the use of

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 costs 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 salable 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 and railroad retirement insurance checks from the U.S. Government. "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 bonds), income from estates or trusts, net rental income or royalties include dividends from stockholdings or membership in associations, interest on savings or bonds, 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 workmen's 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) workmen's 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 received from retirement 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.

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.

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 (under $1,000) 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 (low-income) definition. Poverty statistics presented in this report are based on a definition developed by the Social Security Administration in 1964 and revised by a Federal Interagency Committee in 1969.

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 food plans that are nutritionally sound, 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 spend 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. The reasons for making these changes are outlined below.

Change in cost of living adjustment. Annual revisions of the SSA poverty thresholds were based only on the average per capita cost of the foods in the economy food budget. This method of updating these cutoffs did not fully reflect increases in the overall cost of living during the 1960's. The pace at which the general cost of living advanced in the 1960's was not uniformly matched by increases in the price of goods in the economy food plan. Thus, general price changes since 1959 were not paralleled by comparable changes in the poverty thresholds. The differences between changes in the cost of the economy food budget and the overall cost of living led to the adoption of the CPI as the basis for annual revisions in the income cutoffs.

Table A-1 shows the changes in the CPI between 1959 and 1977 and the corresponding average thresholds for a nonfarm family of four.

Change in the farm-nonfarm relationship. Under the old definition, the poverty thresholds for farm families were adjusted for the average value of food consumed by these families which they had grown themselves. Based on a 1961 study of household consumption which indicated that the value of food produced by farm families for home use amounted to about 30 percent of their total food budget, the poverty cutoffs for farm families were established at 70 percent of the nonfarm levels.

Up to the present time, no entirely satisfactory means of determining the income required for equivalent levels of living for farm and nonfarm families has been provided by studies on this subject. Further research is needed to analyze the differences in the costs between farm and nonfarm families. Although it is not yet possible to quantify exactly all the factors contributing to cost of living differences between farm and nonfarm families, research already completed suggests that the differences are not as great as provided for by the 70 percent differential. After weighing the available evidence, the Review Committee agreed that

narrowing the farm-nonfarm differential to 85 percent more nearly reflects the overall cost of living differences between farm and nonfarm families than the previously used differential.

Table A-1. Changes Between 1959 and 1977 in the Consumer Price Index and the Average Poverty Threshold for a Nonfarm Family of Four

Year	Consumer Price Index (1963=100)	Average threshold for a nonfarm family of four persons
1977.....	197.9	$6,191
1976.....	185.9	5,815
1975.....	175.8	5,500
1974.....	161.1	5,038
1973.....	145.1	4,540
1972.....	136.6	4,275
1971.....	132.3	4,137
1970.....	126.8	3,968
1969.....	119.7	3,743
1968.....	113.6	3,553
1967.....	109.1	3,410
1966.....	106.0	3,317
1965.....	103.1	3,223
1964.....	101.3	3,169
1963.....	100.0	3,128
1962.....	98.8	3,089
1961.....	97.7	3,054
1960.....	96.7	3,022
1959.....	95.2	2,973

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 and set at 125 percent of the official government standard. This alternate cutoff is obtained by multiplying the income cutoffs at the low-income level by 1.25. Thus, the income cutoff for a nonfarm family of four at 125 percent of the poverty level is $7,739. Tables 2, 44, and 45 present selected data for persons, families, and unrelated individuals below 125 percent of the poverty level. Also, the entire set of detailed tables shown in this report has 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. 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 124 thresholds arranged in a four-dimensional matrix consisting of family size (from one person, i.e., unrelated individuals, to seven or more person families) cross-classified by presence and number of family members under 18 years old (from no children present to six or more children present); sex of head, and farm-nonfarm residence (table A-2). Unrelated individuals and two-person families are further differentiated by age of head (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-3 were weighted by the presence and number of children. For example, for a given size of family, sex of head, and residence category, 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 varies by farm-nonfarm residence, the weighted average thresholds at the poverty level for farm families, as shown in table A-3, will not be exactly 85 percent of the nonfarm levels. Moreover, since family composition does not remain constant from year to year, the weighted average thresholds for 1977 will not reflect identically, the change in the CPI between 1977 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 shown in table A-3 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 income 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 low-income families and unrelated individuals to their respective low-income 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 of different racial groups. Since the poverty thresholds used in this report are based on family size and composition, apparent differences in the average income

Table A-2. Income Thresholds at the Poverty Level in 1977 by Sex of Head, Size of Family, and Number of Related Children Under 18 Years Old, by Farm-Nonfarm Residence

Size of family unit	Number of related children under 18 years old						
	None	1	2	3	4	5	6 or more
NONFARM							
Male head							
1 person (unrelated individual):							
Under 65 years	$3,267						
65 years and over	2,936						
2 persons:							
Head under 65 years	4,085	$4,576					
Head 65 years and over	3,668	4,576					
3 persons	4,756	4,910	$5,190				
4 persons	6,270	6,363	6,143	$6,454			
5 persons	7,567	7,658	7,413	7,226	$7,381		
6 persons	8,680	8,708	8,524	8,339	8,092	$8,216	
7 or more persons	10,931	11,025	10,808	10,623	10,377	10,005	$9,914
Female head							
1 person (unrelated individual):							
Under 65 years	$3,023						
65 years and over	2,898						
2 persons:							
Head under 65 years	3,775	$4,121					
Head 65 years and over	3,622	4,121					
3 persons	4,602	4,384	$4,849				
4 persons	6,020	6,237	6,209	$6,143			
5 persons	7,226	7,444	7,413	7,351	$7,103		
6 persons	8,431	8,585	8,524	8,461	8,185	$7,935	
7 or more persons	10,591	10,747	10,715	10,623	10,346	10,130	$9,635
FARM							
Male head							
1 person (unrelated individual):							
Under 65 years	$2,776						
65 years and over	2,495						
2 persons:							
Head under 65 years	3,472	$3,889					
Head 65 years and over	3,117	3,889					
3 persons	4,043	4,174	$4,411				
4 persons	5,330	5,410	5,221	$5,486			
5 persons	6,432	6,510	6,300	6,142	$6,274		
6 persons	7,377	7,402	7,246	7,088	6,878	$6,983	
7 or more persons	9,293	9,372	9,188	9,030	8,821	8,505	$8,427
Female head							
1 person (unrelated individual):							
Under 65 years	$2,569						
65 years and over	2,463						
2 persons:							
Head under 65 years	3,209	$3,503					
Head 65 years and over	3,079	3,503					
3 persons	3,911	3,727	$4,122				
4 persons	5,119	5,300	5,277	$5,221			
5 persons	6,142	6,327	6,300	6,248	$6,038		
6 persons	7,167	7,298	7,246	7,193	6,957	$6,746	
7 or more persons	9,001	9,136	9,109	9,030	8,794	8,610	$8,190

deficits of racial groups may, to some extent, be a function of the differences in these characteristics. It must also be remembered that the thresholds in this report vary according to the sex of the family head. Thus, differences in the average deficit between families with a male or female head may be in part attributable to both differences in thresholds and to differences in family size and composition.

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.

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 persons 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 by institutions were excluded from the survey.

Family. The term "family" refers to a group of two or more persons related by blood, marriage, or adoption and residing together; all such persons are considered as members of the same family. Thus, if the son of the head of the household and the son's wife are in the household, they are treated as part of the head's family. On the other hand, a lodger and his wife not related to the head of the household or an unrelated servant and his wife are considered as additional families, and not a part of the household head's family.

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 and related to, but not including, the head of the household or his wife. The most common example of a subfamily is a young married couple sharing the home of the husband's or wife's parents. Members of a subfamily are also members of a primary family. The number of subfamilies, therefore, is not included in the number of families.

Table A-3. Weighted Average Thresholds at the Poverty Level in 1977 by Size of Family and Sex of Head, by Farm-Nonfarm Residence

Size of family unit	Total	Nonfarm			Farm		
		Total	Male head[1]	Female head[1]	Total	Male head[1]	Female head[1]
1 person (unrelated individual).	$3,067	$3,075	$3,214	$2,969	$2,588	$2,672	$2,498
14 to 64 years.....	3,147	3,152	3,267	3,023	2,709	2,776	2,569
65 years and over.....	2,895	2,906	2,936	2,898	2,475	2,495	2,463
2 persons.....	3,928	3,951	3,961	3,907	3,318	3,325	3,176
Head 14 to 64 years.....	4,054	4,072	4,095	3,981	3,466	3,474	3,278
Head 65 years and over.....	3,637	3,666	3,670	3,646	3,128	3,131	3,079
3 persons.....	4,806	4,833	4,860	4,708	4,093	4,110	3,893
4 persons.....	6,157	6,191	6,195	6,162	5,273	5,274	5,213
5 persons.....	7,279	7,320	7,329	7,238	6,247	6,247	6,237
6 persons.....	8,208	8,261	8,268	8,197	7,026	7,026	7,040
7 persons or more.....	10,137	10,216	10,249	9,995	8,708	8,706	8,738

[1]For one person (i.e., unrelated individual), sex of the individual.

Unrelated individuals. The term "unrelated individuals," refers to persons 14 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 the head of the household or to anyone else in the household, and a servant living in an employer's household with no relatives are examples of unrelated individuals.

Primary families and individuals. The term "primary family" refers to the head of a household and all other persons in the household related to the head by blood, marriage, or adoption. If nobody in the household is related to the head, then the head constitutes a "primary individual." A household can contain one and only one primary family or primary individual. The number of "primary" families and individuals is identical with the number of households.

Head of family. One person in each family was designated as the head. The head of a family is usually the person regarded as the head by members of the family. Women are not classified as heads if their husbands are resident members of the family at the time of the survey. Married couples related to the head of a family are included in the head's family and are not classified as separate families.

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

Own children and related children. "Own" children, as used in this report, are sons and daughters, including stepchildren and adopted children, of a family or subfamily head. "Related" children in a family includes own children and all other children in the household who are related to the family head by blood, marriage, or adoption.

Number of workers. This number includes all persons in the family who worked at any time during the year.

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 determined on the basis of a question that asked for self-identification of the person's origin or descent. Respondents were asked to select their origin (or the origin of some other household member) 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 high), 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.

The median years of school completed is defined as the value which divides the distribution into two equal groups, one having completed more schooling and one having completed less schooling than the median. These medians are expressed in terms of a continuous series of numbers representing years of school completed. For example, a median of 9.0 represents the completion of the first year of high school and a median of 13.0 means completion of the first year of college.

Labor force and employment status. The definitions of labor force and employment status relate to the population 14 years old and over.

Employed. Employed persons include (1) all civilians who, during the specified 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 jobseeking 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 14 years old and over who are not classified as employed or unemployed are defined as "not in the labor force." This group who are neither employed nor seeking work includes persons 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) are also classified as not in the labor force.

Occupation, industry, 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 and industry groupings included in this report were based on the classification system used in the 1970 census, as were the data included in **Current Population Reports,** Series P-60, starting with No. 81. A detailed comparison of the 1970 classification systems to those used during the 1960's may be found in the Bureau of the Census Technical Paper 26, **1970 Occupation and Industry Classification Systems in Terms of Their 1960 Occupation and Industry Elements.**

In addition to the change in occupational titles between the March 1972 and the March 1971 surveys which did not affect the comparability of the data, a supplemental question, "What were your most important activities or duties?" was added which provided additional information for classifying persons by occupation. In general, the major impact of this supplemental question was to reclassify some persons from the "managers" classification into other types of occupations (primarily into the major occupation group of "craft and kindred workers").

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 blood 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) for 50 weeks or more during the preceding calendar 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 figure is less than 75,000. Three dots "..." mean not applicable, "NA" means not available, and the symbol "r" means revised.

Base figures. The base figures shown for 1971 to 1977 were prepared by inflating weighted sample results to agree with independent estimates of the population based on statistics updated from the 1970 census, whereas the base figures for the years 1961 to 1970 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 major effects resulting from the introduction of population controls and estimation procedures based on the 1970 census were to raise the number of families from 51.2 million to 51.6 million in the March 1970 CPS and to lower

the number of related children under 18 from 69.8 to 68.7 million. However, the number of poor families and the number of related children below the poverty level remained about the same—5 million and about 9.5 million, respectively.

LIMITATIONS OF 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 and farm-nonfarm residence. 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.

The original intent of the poverty definition was not for administrative use in any specific program; it was to be a statistical yardstick. In April 1973, the Interagency Committee on Income Distribution and Poverty was requested by the Statistical Policy Division of the Office of Management and Budget to conduct a thorough review of the statistics on income and poverty. Three subcommittees, one focusing on updating the poverty threshold, another on measuring cash income, and the third on measuring noncash income, met throughout the summer of 1973 and came up with a number of recommendations. One of the conclusions reached by the Subcommittee on Updating the Poverty Threshold was that the development of separate measures for eligibility in programs should receive high priority. For a summary of the research recommendations of the Interagency Committee see "Review of Poverty and Income Distribution Statistics" by Bette S. Mahoney, **Statistical Reporter**, Statistical Policy Division, Office of Management and Budget, January 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 of 1976. Additional information about the study as well as requests for copies of the report should be addressed to: Mr. George Grob, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, Humphrey Building, Washington, D.C. 20201.

COMPARABILITY OF CURRENT POPULATION SURVEY INCOME DATA WITH OTHER DATA

Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA) personal income series. The income data presented in this report are not directly comparable with estimates of aggregate personal income prepared by the Bureau of Economic Analysis (formerly the Office of Business Economics), Department of Commerce, nor with the distributions of families and unrelated individuals by family personal income brackets published by that Bureau between the years 1929 to 1963. The lack of correspondence stems from the following differences in definition and coverage:

1. **Income definition.** The personal income series include, among other items, the following types of nonmoney income which are not included in the census definition: Wages received in kind, the value of food and fuel produced and consumed on farms, the net rental value of owner-occupied homes, the property income received by mutual life insurance companies, and the value of the services of banks and other financial intermediaries rendered to persons without the assessment of specific charges. These items of income in kind account for about 4 percent of total personal income. The Census Bureau definition of income, on the other hand, includes such items as regular contributions for support received from persons who do not reside in the same living quarters, income received from roomers and boarders residing in households, and employee contributions for social insurance, which are not included in the personal income series. These items, however, represent a much smaller income total than the nonmoney items included in personal income.

2. **Source of data.** The personal income series is estimated largely on the basis of data derived from business and governmental sources. These sources include the industrial and population censuses, employers' wage reports under the Social Security programs, and records of disbursements to individuals by governmental agencies. The income data presented in the census reports, on the other hand, are based directly on field surveys of households. As discussed in the section "Source and reliability of the estimates," income data obtained in household interviews are subject to various

types of reporting errors which tend to produce an understatement of income. It is estimated that the income surveys conducted by the Bureau of the Census during the past few years have obtained about 90 percent of the comparable total money income aggregates and about 97 percent of the comparable money wage or salary aggregates derived from the personal income series prepared by BEA.

For a more detailed discussion of the differences between distributions using Census money income and BEA personal income, see "Size Distributions of Family Personal Income: Methodology and Estimates for 1964" by Edward C. Budd, Daniel B. Radner, and John C. Hinrichs, Bureau of Economic Analysis, BEA-SP 73-21, June 1973.

3. **Population coverage.** The Bureau of the Census excluded from its sample inmates of institutions and military personnel overseas or living on post in the United States (except for a few families living on post). In addition the income of persons who died or emigrated prior to the date of interview was not reported in the census inquiry. The income of these groups is included in the aggregate personal income series released by the BEA.

COMPARABILITY OF ESTIMATES FROM MARCH 1978 CPS WITH ESTIMATES FOR PREVIOUS YEARS

Estimates from the March 1978 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; and (5) change in sample size. 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 and Metropolitan Residence Definitions

The data for 1971 through 1977 are in some instances not entirely comparable to figures for earlier years because of revisions in the Current Population Survey. Starting in January 1972, 1970 census-based population controls, metropolitan residence definitions, and other materials were introduced into the sample and estimation procedures. The major item affecting comparability at the over all national level is the introduction of population controls based on the 1970 census. Figures for previous years are tied in with 1960 census-based population controls. In a number of instances, data from the March 1970 and 1971 CPS's were revised to take account of 1970 census-based population controls, thus providing some measure of the impact of the changes (see table 3, **Current Population Reports,** Series P-60, No. 91). 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 low-income or poverty rates. However, the changes may have more impact on the population levels in different subgroupings such as the total number of persons or families either overall, within some particular income interval, or below the low-income level. A detailed description of these changes appears in the Bureau of Labor Statistics report, **Employment and Earnings,** Vol. 18, No. 8, February 1972.

The figures shown for metropolitan areas are based on standard metropolitan statistical areas (SMSA's) as defined on the basis of the 1970 census; those published prior to the March 1973 CPS referred to SMSA's defined on the basis of the 1960 census. There are significant differences in the population classified as metropolitan from each of these definitions. For the 1970 definition of SMSA's, see **1970 Census of Population,** Vol. 1, Characteristics of the Population, Part A, "Number of Inhabitants."

The number of poor persons in 1969 residing in metropolitan areas based on the 1970 definitions and procedures is about 760,000 higher than that based on the 1960 definitions and procedures. This difference arises partly because of the addition of new SMSA's and the expansion of existing ones, resulting in an increase in the size of the total metropolitan population.

Collection of Income and Work Experience Data

This report presents data for persons and family heads 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 survey.

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 1978 CPS, no interview was obtained for approximately 5 percent of the 56,000 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. Even though an interview is obtained in many cases, complete information for all of the income questions is not available, unknown or referred. In March 1978, the income data were incomplete for about 18 percent of the persons 14 years old and over. About 24 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 paper by Mitsuo Ono and Herman P. Miller, "Income Nonresponses in the Current Population Survey" published in **Proceedings of the Social Statistics Section**, American Statistical Association, 1969.

For more detailed information on the characteristics of nonrespondents, see "Characteristics of Income Nonrespondents in the Current Population Survey," by Emmett Spiers, John Coder, and Mitsuo Ono, **American Statistical Association Proceedings of the Social Statistics Section, 1971.**

The history of imputing missing responses to the income questions on the March CPS began in 1962. Prior to this time, income tabulations were based solely on persons for which complete income information was obtained. In the survey years from 1962 to 1965, all of the income items were imputed for persons who did not answer one or more of the income items, even though some items may have been answered.

Beginning with the March 1966 survey, in the event a respondent did not answer one or more of the income questions, the missing income data for this person were imputed for only those income items which were not answered. Each of the earnings items was handled individually, whereas income items other than earnings were handled as a group. Characteristics used in this imputation were age, family status, race, residence, weeks worked, and major occupation group. The income amount assigned to a nonrespondent was that observed for another person with similar demographic and economic characteristics who did respond and who was selected systematically in the order in which individual records were processed.

Starting with the 1967 CPS, the Bureau of the Census introduced improved income edit and allocation procedures. The main feature of these procedures was a more refined method for imputing missing income data which expanded the use of information already known about that person. Among the major improvements made affecting the income data were the following: (1) An expanded set of social and economic characteristics within which the imputations were made; in addition to age, race, occupation, and weeks worked, the procedures included sex and type of family member as major variables within which the missing income items are imputed; (2) the elimination of inconsistent reporting which resulted in having workers with no earnings and earners with no weeks worked; and (3) the imputation procedure assigned missing earnings entries first and then utilized the earnings information to assign missing sources of income other than earnings. A more detailed description of the computer editing and allocation procedures may be found in a paper, "Computer Method to Process Missing Income and Work Experience Information in the Current Population Survey," by Emmett F. Spiers and Joseph J. Knott, published in the American Statistical Association, **Proceedings of the Social Statistics Section,** 1969. See also "Current Developments on Collecting Income Data in the Current Population Survey," by Mitsuo Ono, published in the American Statistical Association, **Proceedings of the Social Statistics Section,** 1971.

However, because of coding errors in the processing of the 1968 CPS data, in that year alone it was not possible to apply all the aforementioned improvements to the editing and allocation procedures. Since these errors produced an under-estimate of income, they had the effect of over-stating the number of poor.

In addition, it was discovered that the computer procedures for editing certain incorrect income codes caused an upward bias in the income data for some respondents and therefore would tend to produce an underestimate of the number of poor. It is estimated that the net impact of these errors had the effect of overestimating the number of poor families by about 120,000. Due to these errors affecting the income data for 1967, data for that year are not strictly comparable with those shown for 1966 and 1968 to 1974.

Comparison of 1966 poverty data according to original and revised editing and allocation procedures. In order to evaluate the impact of the new procedures, the poverty data from the March 1967 CPS were rerun, thus providing a bridge for the 1966 income year showing the results of both the earlier and the new procedures. Both series of data are shown in table 1 of **Current Population Reports**, Series P-60, No. 98. The general impact of the new allocation procedure

was to shift the income distribution slightly upward, thus decreasing by 416,000 the number of poor families. A more detailed description of the new computer editing and allocation procedures may be found in **Current Population Reports**, Series P-60, No. 59, "Income in 1967 of Families in the United States," pages 17 to 19.

In processing the data collected in the March 1976 Current Population Survey, the Bureau of the Census utilized a new computer processing system designed to take maximum advantage of the Bureau's expanded computer capabilities. The revised system incorporated many improvements in the income edit and allocation procedures. The main feature of these procedures was a more refined method for inputing missing responses to the income and work experience questions on the March CPS questionnaire.

There were two main objectives in the revisions of the imputation procedures for income, work experience, and longest job. The first objective was to expand the detail and number of demographic and economic characteristics used in making imputations. Since nonrespondents are assigned information from respondents with "similar" characteristics, the degree of bias due to nonresponse may be reduced by incorporating more detailed information in the imputation procedures. The second objective was to maintain—wherever possible — observed relationships for respondents among income, work experience, and longest job variables in imputing missing information for nonrespondents. A detailed discussion of these improvements and the subsequent revisions to the 1974 income data (for comparability with 1975 data) can be found in **Current Population Reports**, Series P-60, No. 106. In addition to the major revisions that occurred in March 1967 and March 1976, procedures have been modified from time to time in order to refine the allocation models.

Questionnaire Wording and Procedures

Modifications in collecting income data in the March-April 1969 CPS. Several modifications were introduced in the collection of income data in the March and April CPS supplements. These include (1) extension of the interview period of the six rotation groups for which income questions were asked in March and the use of follow-up forms in these six groups to accommodate household respondents who needed more time to obtain the required income information (it is estimated that some members of approximately 4,400 households, or 9 percent of the total relevant households, made use of these follow-up forms); (2) modification of the design and content of the questionnaire to allow for more detailed questioning of certain income items; thus, boxes for gross receipts, business expense, and net income have been added to the self-employment income questions to help the interviewer and respondent determine net income, and "yes-no" circles were added to the questions on income other than earnings in order to ascertain whether the respondent received or did not receive income; (3) field office editing procedures were extended to a 100 percent income edit of the CPS schedules; (4) training instructions were strengthened by including more detailed explanations and more examples; and (5) the interview group training session was shifted from February to March.

Modifications in collecting income data in the March 1970 Current Population Survey. The Bureau introduced modifications in the collection of income data for the March 1970 CPS supplement. These were: (1) An advance letter informing households about the collection of income data was mailed to all households except those in the first and fifth months. The latter households received special letters which explained the need for collecting both CPS and census data; (2) information on work experience and income was collected simultaneously for the full sample (in previous years, work experience information was collected separately from income data); (3) the interview period was extended one week for three-fourths of the sample (using follow-up calls and separate questionnaires). In addition, modified procedures which were incorporated in the March 1969 CPS supplement were also implemented in the March 1970 CPS. Overall, data indicate that the use of these procedures has resulted in some improvement in the collection of income data. The family income nonresponse rate has not only dropped by 5 percentage points (from 19 to 14 percent) but also it appears that the proportion of aggregate income amounts collected increased slightly in the March 1970 CPS supplement as compared with the proportion collected in the March 1969 CPS supplement.

Modifications in collecting income data in the March 1971 Current Population Survey. The Bureau continued to use the improved procedures which were incorporated in the March 1970 CPS. Procedural changes that were instituted in the March 1971 CPS, among others, were:

1. The interview period was extended one week for <u>all</u> households in the sample (using follow-up calls and separate questionnaires). In the previous year's survey, the interview period was extended for only three-fourths of the sample.
2. Income from net royalties was included in the question covering estates, trusts, or dividends, interest on savings accounts or bonds, and net rental income. In previous surveys, income from net royalties was included in the question covering private pensions, annuities, alimony, regular contributions from persons not living in this household, and anything else.
3. An additional regional office follow-up was made by telephone to obtain income amounts for all follow-up cases containing one or more persons who were not interviewed during the original follow-up period, except for refusal.

Modifications in collecting income data in the March 1975 Current Population Survey. Several modifications in the design and content of the questionnaire were introduced in

the March 1975 CPS to allow for more detailed questioning of certain income items. These changes were:

1. In the March 1974 CPS, income from aid to families with dependent children, old-age assistance, and aid to the blind or totally disabled were asked in one combined question on welfare payments. Beginning in January 1974, the programs for old age assistance and aid to the blind or totally disabled were replaced by the Supplemental Security program. Therefore, in the March 1975 CPS a separate question was asked for the receipt of Supplemental Security income. Income from aid to families with dependent children or any other assistance was asked under the general category of public assistance or welfare payments.

2. In the March 1974 CPS, income from interest, net rental income or income from estates, trusts, or dividends was asked in one question. In the 1975 CPS these income types were asked as two questions with income received from interest on savings accounts or bonds included in one question and income from estates, trusts, or dividends in the other.

3. In the March 1974 CPS, income received from private pensions was asked along with alimony and certain other income items while income from government employee pensions was asked along with veterans' payments, unemployment compensation and workmen's compensation. In the March 1975 CPS, income received from both private and government employee pensions (including military retirement) were extracted from their previous categories and asked as one combined question.

Modifications in collecting income data in the March 1977 Current Population Survey. In the March 1977 CPS there were two modifications in the wording of the questionnaire. These two changes were:

1. In the March 1976 CPS, the respondent was asked if he or she received any income from "interest on saving accounts, bonds, etc." In the March 1977 CPS, the wording was changed to "interest on savings or bonds, etc. Include even small amounts credited to . . .'s account."

2. In the March 1976 CPS, income from "anything else" was asked along with alimony or child support and other regular contributions from persons not living in the household. In the March 1977 CPS, the wording "anything else" was changed to "any other money income."

Changes in Sample Size

Starting with the March 1977 CPS, the poverty data are based on an expanded sample of households. The expansion of the basic monthly CPS sample was from about 55,000 housing units to 65,500 units. A comparison of data from the March 1976 CPS before and after expansion of the sample indicated that the increased sample size had very little impact on the data for the poverty population. For example, the number of poor persons in 1975 based on the smaller CPS sample was 25.9 million, while the estimate obtained from the expanded sample was 25.8 million, a difference of only 0.3 percent. For further details, see **Current Population Reports**, Series P-60, No. 115, page 10.

OTHER LIMITATIONS OF THE DATA

Although every effort is made to reduce the errors of underreporting, nonreporting or misreporting of income data in the Current Population Survey, they still occur because of various reasons. Some of these are (1) overlooking income received, especially small amounts of income types not regularly received, e.g., contributions from nonhousehold members, (2) reluctance to reveal certain types of income, e.g., public assistance, (3) rounding estimates, (4) misunderstanding the question, (5) lack of information, especially covering family members not present at the time of interview, (6) interviewers' errors, (7) processing errors, etc. For more details on this topic of income underreporting in censuses and surveys, see (1) Income Distribution in the United States (a 1960 Census Monograph), by Herman P. Miller, Bureau of the Census, 1966, (2) The Structure of Income, by Irving B. Kravis, University of Pennsylvania, 1962; and (3) "Size Distribution of Family Personal Income: Methodology and Estimates for 1964," by Edward C. Budd, Daniel B. Radner, and John C. Hinrichs, Bureau of Economic Analysis, BEA-SP 73-21, June 1973.

SOURCE AND RELIABILITY OF THE ESTIMATES

Source of Data

The estimates in this report are based on data from the Current Population Survey and the 1960 Decennial Census 1-in-1,000 sample from the Bureau of the Census.

Current Population Survey (CPS). Most of the CPS estimates in this report are based on data obtained in March 1978. Some estimates are based on data obtained in earlier years. The monthly CPS deals mainly with labor force data for the civilian noninstitutional population. Questions relating to labor force participation are asked every month about each member 14 years old and older in each sample household. In addition, supplementary questions are asked each March about money income for the previous year. In order to obtain more reliable data for the Spanish origin population, the March 1978 CPS sample was enlarged to include all households from the November 1977 sample which contained at least one person of Spanish origin. This resulted in almost doubling the number of sample persons of Spanish origin. In addition, this report includes persons in the Armed Forces living off post or with their families on post.

The present CPS sample was initially selected from the 1970 census files and is updated continuously to reflect new construction where possible (see section "Nonsampling Variability" below). The monthly CPS sample is spread over 461 areas with coverage in each of the 50 States and the District of Columbia. A supplementary sample of housing units in 24 States and the District of Columbia was incorporated with the monthly CPS sample to produce the March 1978 income data. The expanded CPS sample is located in 614 areas comprising 1,113 counties, independent

cities, and divisions in the nation. The 614 sample areas used in March include 461 areas from the monthly CPS and 153 supplementary areas.

In the expanded sample, approximately 56,000 occupied households were eligible for interview. Of this number, about 2,500 occupied 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. In addition to the 56,000, there were also about 9,500 sample units which were visited but were found to be vacant or otherwise not to be interviewed.

Samples for previous sample designs were selected from files from the most recently completed census. The following table provides a description of some aspects of the CPS sample designs in use during the referenced data collection periods.

Description of the Current Population Survey

Time period	Number of sample areas[1]	Households eligible		Housing units visited, not eligible[2]
		Interviewed	Not interviewed	
Supplemental sample.....	153	8,500	500	1,500
Aug. 1972 to present.....	461	45,000	2,000	8,000
Aug. 1971 to July 1972.....	449	45,000	2,000	8,000
Jan. 1967 to July 1971.....	449	48,000	2,000	8,500
Mar. 1963 to Dec. 1966.....	357	33,500	1,500	6,000
Jan. 1960 to Feb. 1963.....	333	33,500	1,500	6,000

[1] These areas were chosen to provide coverage in each State and the District of Columbia.
[2] These are housing units which were visited, but were found to be vacant or otherwise not eligible for interview.

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

The estimation procedure used for the monthly CPS data involves the inflation of the weighted sample results to independent estimates of the civilian noninstitutional population of the United States by age, race, and sex. These independent estimates were based on statistics from decennial censuses; statistics on births, deaths, immigration, and emigration; and statistics on the strength of the Armed Forces. 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.

Decennial Census of Population. The 1960 1-in-1,000 sample is a stratified systematic sample of .001 of the households enumerated in the 1960 census.

Reliability of the Estimates

Since the estimates in this report are 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 standard errors provided for this report primarily indicate the magnitude of the sampling error. They also partially measure the effect of some nonsampling errors in response and enumeration, but do not measure any systematic biases in the data. The full extent of 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.

Nonsampling variability. As in any survey work, the results are subject to errors of response and nonreporting in addition to sampling 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 to provide correct information on the part of respondents, 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 within 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 decennial census, is about 5 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 than for Whites.

Ratio estimation to independent age-sex-race 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 1970 census, which was estimated at 2.5 percent of the population with similar undercoverage differentials by age, sex, and race as are observed in CPS.

The approximate magnitude of two sources of undercoverage of housing units is known. Of the 83,000,000 housing units in the U.S. about 600,000 new construction housing units other than mobile homes are not represented in the CPS sample because they were assigned building permits prior to January 1970, but building was not completed by the time of the census, (i.e., April 1970). Conventional new construction for which building permits were issued after 1969, is represented. About 290,000 occupied mobile homes are not represented in CPS; these units were either missed in the census or have been built or occupied since the census. These estimates of missed units are relevant to the present sample only and not to earlier designs where the extent of undercoverage was generally less. The extent of other sources of undercoverage of housing units is unknown but believed to be small.

In most cases the schedule entries for income are based on the memory or knowledge of one person, usually not the major earner. 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. Some of those errors are discussed in greater detail in the text of the report. See also the section entitled "Other Limitations of the Data."

Comparability with other data. Caution should be used in comparing income estimates for 1977 and 1976, which were based on the supplemental sample, to those for 1975 and earlier years. Some relatively large differences in estimates of population in metropolitan and nonmetropolitan areas have been observed between the 461 and 614 area samples. These differences reflect a relatively large increase in variance on these estimates and do not represent actual changes in the population.

Sampling variability. The standard errors given in the following tables are primarily measures of sampling variability, that is, of the variation that occurred by chance because a sample rather than the entire population was surveyed. The sample estimate and its estimated standard error enable one to construct confidence intervals, ranges that would include the average result of all possible samples with a known probability. For example, if all possible samples were selected, each of these surveyed under essentially the same general conditions and using the same sample design, and an estimate and its estimated 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 result 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 result 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 result 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 a specified confidence that the average estimate derived from all possible samples is included in the confidence interval.

All the statements of comparison appearing in the text are significant at a 1.6 standard error level or better, and most are significant at a level of more than 2.0 standard errors. This means that for most differences cited in the text, the estimated difference is greater than twice the standard error of the difference. Statements of comparison qualified in some way (e.g., by use of the phrase, "some evidence") have a level of significance between 1.6 and 2.0 standard errors.

Note when using small estimates. Summary measures (such as means, medians, poverty rates, and percent distributions) are shown in the report 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 user's needs.

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.

Data based on the CPS sample. The figures presented in tables A-4 through A-7 are approximations to the standard errors of various CPS estimates shown in this report for the years 1966 through 1977. Tables A-4 and A-5 contain the standard errors of estimates of the number of total persons and persons 65 years old and over by poverty status and the number of families and unrelated individuals regardless of poverty status for "Total or White" and "Black and Other Races," respectively. The last column of tables A-4 and A-5 pertaining to families should also be used for items which can typically appear only once in a given family, e.g., "number of heads of families."

Tables A-6 and A-7 contain standard errors of estimated percentages of persons below the poverty level for the United States and of families and unrelated individuals regardless of poverty status for the United States.

Table A-8 presents the factors (f_1) to be used for other characteristics and table A-9 presents the factors (f_2) to be used for the years 1959 to 1965. These factors must be applied to the generalized standard errors in tables A-4 through A-7 in order to adjust for the combined effect of sample design and estimating procedure on the value of the characteristic. For example to produce approximate standard errors for families below the poverty level in 1959 with seven or more members, use the factor 1.1 for family size from table A-8 and the factor 1.4 for 1959 from table A-9. Thus from table A-4, the generalized standard error on 1,257,000 families is 35,000; applying the two factors, 1.1 and 1.4, the standard error for families below the poverty level in 1959 with seven or more members is 1.1 x 1.4 x 35,000 = 54,000.

Table A-4. Standard Errors of Estimated Numbers: 1966 through 1977

Total or White

(Numbers in thousands. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Size of estimate	Standard error for persons				Standard error for families and unrelated individuals
	All income levels		Below poverty level		
	Total	65 years and over	Total	65 years and over	
100	12	12	25	25	10
250	20	19	39	39	16
500	28	27	55	55	23
1,000	39	38	78	76	32
2,500	62	58	123	116	51
5,000	87	76	173	152	72
10,000	121	89	242	178	99
25,000	184	...	367	...	147
50,000	241	...	481	...	182
100,000	282	...	560	...	162

Note: See table A-8 for factors to be applied to the standard errors for other characteristics and table A-9 for factors for the years 1959 through 1965.

Table A-5. Standard Errors of Estimated Numbers: 1966 through 1977

Black and Other Races

(Numbers in thousands. For meaning of symbols, see text)

Size of estimate	Standard error for persons				Standard error for families and unrelated individuals
	All income levels		Below poverty level		
	Total	65 years and over	Total	65 years and over	
100	12	11	23	23	10
250	19	17	37	35	15
500	26	22	52	45	21
1,000	37	25	73	50	29
2,500	56	...	112	...	44
5,000	75	...	150	...	55
10,000	93	...	186	...	...
15,000	98	...	195	...	...

Note: See table A-8 for factors to be applied to the standard errors for other characteristics and table A-9 for factors for the years 1959 through 1965.

Table A-6. Standard Errors of Estimated Percentages of Persons Below the Poverty Level: 1966 through 1977

Base of estimated percentage (thousands)	Estimated percentage				
	2 or 98	5 or 95	10 or 90	25 or 75	50
75	4.0	6.2	8.6	12.4	14.3
100	3.5	5.4	7.4	10.7	12.4
250	2.2	3.4	4.7	6.8	7.8
500	1.6	2.4	3.3	4.8	5.5
1,000	1.1	1.7	2.3	3.4	3.9
2,500	0.7	1.1	1.5	2.1	2.5
5,000	0.5	0.8	1.1	1.5	1.8
10,000	0.3	0.5	0.7	1.1	1.2
25,000	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.8
50,000	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.6
100,000	0.11	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4

Note: To estimate standard errors for persons at all income levels, divide these standard errors by 2.0. See table A-8 for factors to be applied to the standard errors for other characteristics and table A-9 for factors for the years 1959 through 1965.

Table A-7. Standard Errors of Estimated Percentages for Families and Unrelated Individuals: 1966 through 1977

Base of estimated percentage (thousands)	Estimated percentage				
	2 or 98	5 or 95	10 or 90	25 or 75	50
75	1.7	2.6	3.6	5.2	6.0
100	1.4	2.2	3.1	4.5	5.2
250	0.9	1.4	2.0	2.8	3.3
500	0.6	1.0	1.4	2.0	2.3
1,000	0.5	0.7	1.0	1.4	1.6
2,500	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.9	1.0
5,000	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.7
10,000	0.14	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5
25,000	0.09	0.14	0.2	0.3	0.3
50,000	0.06	0.10	0.14	0.2	0.2

Note: See table A-8 for factors to be applied to the standard errors for other characteristics and table A-9 for the years 1959 through 1965.

Standard errors of estimated numbers of persons and families below the poverty level are shown in tables 10, 16, 40, and 46 of this report.

To calculate standard errors for persons and families in poverty it was necessary to use two parameters (denoted as "a" and "b") which are presented in tables A-10 through A-13. These parameters were used to calculate the tabulated standard errors in tables A-4 through A-7 and to calculate the factors in table A-8. They also may be used to calculate standard errors for estimated numbers and estimated percentages. Direct computation of the standard errors will give more accurate results than the use of the standard error tables. Methods for direct computation 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 factor given in tables A-9 to the standard errors shown in tables A-4 through A-7. Apply factors in table A-8 to obtain standard errors for other characteristics.

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

$$\sigma_x = f_1 f_2 \sigma \qquad (1)$$

where f_1 is the appropriate factor from table A-8, f_2 is the appropriate factor from table A-9, and σ is the standard error

for a characteristic obtained by interpolation from table A-4 or 5. Alternatively, the standard errors may be approximated by the following formula, (2), from which the standard errors were calculated in tables A-4 and A-5. Use of this formula will provide more accurate results than the use of formula (1) above.

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

Here x is the size of the estimate and a and b are the parameters in tables A-10 to A-13 associated with the particular type of characteristic.

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

$$\sigma_{(x,p)} = f_1 f_2 \sigma \qquad (3)$$

In this formula f_1 is the appropriate factor from table A-8, f_2 the appropriate factor from table A-9, and σ is the standard error for a characteristic in tables A-6 or A-7. Alternatively, the standard errors may be approximated by the following formula, (4), from which the standard errors in tables A-6 and A-7 were calculated; direct computation will give more accurate results than use of the standard error tables and the factors.

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

Here x is the size of the subclass of the persons or families and unrelated individuals which is the base of the percentage, p is the precentage ($0 < p < 100$), and b is the parameter in tables A-10 to A-13 associated with the particular type of characteristic in the numerator of the percentage.

Illustration of the use of standard error tables. Table A of this report shows that in 1977 there were 24,720,000 persons below the poverty level. Table A-4 shows the standard error of an estimate of this size to be approximately 367,000. In this situation no factors have to be applied to the standard error, i.e., both f_1 and f_2 are equal to 1.0. Alternatively, using the parameters in table A-10 in formula (2) gives a standard error of

$$366{,}000 = \sqrt{(-0.000029)(24{,}720{,}000)^2 + (6134)(24{,}720{,}000)}$$

The 68 percent confidence interval as shown by the data is from 24,354,000 to 25,086,000. Therefore, a conclusion that the average estimate derived from all possible samples lies within a range computed in this way would be correct for roughly 68 percent of all possible samples. Similarly we could conclude with 95 percent confidence that the average estimate derived from all possible samples lies within the interval from 23,988,000 to 25,452,000 (using twice the standard error).

Of the 24,720,000 persons below the poverty level, 7,726,000, or 31.3 percent, were Black. Table A-6 shows the standard error of 31.3 percent on a base of 24,720,000 to be approximately 0.7 percent.

Alternatively, this standard error could have been derived by using the "b" parameter for Blacks from table A-10 in formula (4).

$$0.7 = \sqrt{\frac{5539}{24{,}720{,}000}\ (31.3)\ (68.7)}$$

Consequently, the 68 percent confidence interval as shown by these data is from 30.6 to 32.0 percent, and the 95 percent confidence interval is from 29.9 to 32.7 percent.

Standard error of a difference. The formula for approximate standard errors of the difference between two estimates is given by (5).

$$\sigma_\Delta = \sqrt{\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2 - 2\rho\ \sigma_1\sigma_2} \qquad (5)$$

The estimates can be of numbers, percents, ratios, etc. σ_1 and σ_2 are the standard errors presented in tables A-4 through A-7. The correlation coefficient ρ can be determined from table A-14 for year-to-year comparisons for poverty estimates and proportions; for other comparisons assume that ρ equals zero. Making this assumption will result in accurate estimates of standard errors for the difference between two 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 correlation between the two characteristics, the formula will overstate the true standard error.

Illustration of the computation of the standard error of a difference in estimates. Table A shows that the number of persons below the poverty level in 1977 was 24,720,000 and in 1976 the figure was 24,975,000. The apparent difference is 255,000. As shown above the standard error on the estimate of 24,720,000 persons below the poverty level is 366,000. The standard error on the 24,975,000 low-income persons computed from (2) is 368,000. From table A-14 we obtain the correlation coefficient, $\rho = .40$. The standard error associated with the estimated difference of 255,000 is:

$$402{,}000 = \sqrt{(366{,}000)^2 + (368{,}000)^2 - 2(.40)(366{,}000)(368{,}000)}$$

This means that the 68 percent confidence interval around the 255,000 difference is from -147,000 to 657,000, i.e.,

255,000 ± 402,000. A conclusion that the average estimate of the difference derived from all possible samples lies within a range computed in this way would be correct for roughly 68 percent of all possible samples. Thus we cannot conclude with 68 percent confidence that the number of persons below the poverty level in 1977 is lower than the figure for 1976; i.e., the 68 percent confidence interval includes zero.

Ratios. A ratio of two numbers can be expressed as a mean for the purposes of computing an approximate standard error. In the case where the numerator of the ratio is income, formula (6) for the standard error of the arithmetic mean should be used. In cases where the ratio has persons in the numerator and families in the denominator, formula (7) with the appropriate ρ will give a preferable result to that of formula (6).

Computation of the standard error of an arithmetic mean. To get a rough estimate of the standard error of a mean, the following formula can be used:

$$\sigma_{\bar{x}} = \sqrt{\frac{b}{y}\left[\sum_{i=1}^{c} p_i x_i^2 - \bar{x}^2\right]} \qquad (6)$$

In this formula, y is the size of the base, p_i are the percentages of total cases in the i classes, x_i are the midpoints of the i classes (or discrete values of the i classes).[1]

[1] For income tables, use -$5,000 as the midpoint for "Loss" and $8,500 as the midpoint for "$8,000 or more." For the income deficit table use $6,000 as the midpoint of the "$5,000 or more" interval and $2,250 as the midpoint of the "$1,500 or more" interval.

Table A-8. Factors to be Applied to Generalized Standard Errors in Tables A-4, A-5, A-6, and A-7 for Family Characteristics and for Persons and Families by Region

Characteristic	Factor (f_1)		Characteristic	Factor (f_1)
	Tables A-4 and A-7	Table A-5		Tables A-4, A-6, and A-7
Families by:			Persons and families by Region:[1]	
Age of head	1.1	1.2	North and West	1.1
Employment status of head	1.0	1.0	Northeast	1.1
Work experience of head	1.0	1.0	North Central	1.2
Number of related children	1.1	1.2	West	1.1
Size of family	1.1	1.2	South	1.2
Number of workers	1.0	1.0	Farm[1]	1.4
Educational attainment of head	1.2	1.4	Nonfarm[1]	1.0
			Spanish origin	1.2

[1] Standard errors for persons and families by region and farm-nonfarm residence do not vary by race; therefore for "Black and other races" data by region, use tables A-4, A-6, or A-7, and the appropriate factors above.

Table A-9. Factors to be Applied to all Standard Errors for 1959 through 1965

Year	Source of data	Factor (f_2)
1959	1-in-1,000 sample of 1960 census	0.6
1959 to 1964	CPS	1.4
1965	CPS	1.2

The mean value, $\bar{x}$, is defined by $\sum_{i=1}^{c} p_i x_i$. The b parameter is the parameter from tables A-10 to A-13 corresponding to the characteristic of interest.

Standard error of a ratio. Certain mean values, for persons in families, listed in the tables of this report were not calculated using the formula for $\bar{x}$ given above. Rather, they 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 from the standard error tables or by using formula (2) and the parameters from tables A-10 and A-11. There are two cases to consider. In either case, the denominator y represents a count of families of a certain class, and the numerator x represents a count of persons with the characteristic under consideration who are members of these families.

Case 1: There is at least one person having the characteristic in every family of the class; as for example, the mean number of children per family with children. For ratios of this kind, the standard error is approximated by the following formula:

$$\sigma_{\frac{x}{y}} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{x}{y}\right)^2 \left[\left(\frac{\sigma_y}{y}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\sigma_x}{x}\right)^2 - 2\rho\left(\frac{\sigma_x}{x}\right)\left(\frac{\sigma_y}{y}\right)\right]} \qquad (7)$$

The standard error of the estimated number of families, σ_y, and the standard error of the estimated number of persons with the characteristic, σ_x, may be obtained from table A-4 or A-5. Alternatively, formula (2) and tables A-10 and A-11 may be used. In formula (7), ρ 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 ρ. This procedure can also be used to compute the standard error on the estimate of mean family size where

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

and ρ is again estimated to be approximately 0.7.

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 (7) but ρ is assumed to be zero. If ρ is actually positive, then this procedure will provide an overestimate of the standard error of the ratio.

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 a median is to determine an interval about the estimated median, such that there is a stated degree of confidence that the median based on a complete census lies within the interval. The following procedure may be used to estimate the 68 percent confidence limits of a median based on sample data:

1. Determine, using the standard error tables or formula (4), the standard error of a 50 percent characteristic, using the appropriate base.
2. Add to and subtract from 50 percent the standard error determined in step (1).
3. Using the distribution of the characteristic, read off the confidence interval corresponding to the two points established in step (2).

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).

Illustration of the computation of a confidence interval for a median. Using estimates from table 39 it can be shown that the median income deficit for poor female-headed families was $1,932 in 1977. The size, or base, of the distribution from which this median was determined is 2,610,000.

1. Table A-7 shows that the standard error of an estimate of 50 percent on a base of 2,610,000 is about 1.0 percent.

2. To obtain a two standard error confidence interval on the estimated median, initially add to and subtract from 50 percent twice the standard error in step (1). This yields percentage limits of 48.0 and 52.0.

3. Since 39.9 percent of these families had income deficits below $1,500 and 11.6 percent had income deficits between $1,500 and $1,999, the dollar value of the lower limit may be found by linear interpolation to be:

$$\$1{,}500 + 500\left[\frac{48.0 - 39.9}{11.6}\right] = \$1{,}849$$

Similarly, since 10.2 percent of female headed families had income deficits between $2,000 and $2,499 the upper limit may be found by linear interpolation to be about:

$$\$2{,}000 + 500\left[\frac{52.0 - 51.5}{10.2}\right] = \$2{,}025$$

Thus, an approximate 95 percent confidence interval is from $1,849 to $2,025.

Table A-10. Parameters for Estimated Numbers and Percentages of Persons by Poverty Status, Age, Sex, Race, and Spanish Origin: 1966 through 1977

Characteristic	Below poverty level			All income levels		
	All races and White	Black and other races	Spanish origin	All races and White	Black and other races	Spanish origin
"b" parameter	6134	5539	8917	1533	1385	2229
"a" parameter:						
All ages	-0.000029	-0.000200	-0.000042	-0.000007	-0.000050	-0.000011
Under 14 years	-0.000126	-0.000679	-0.000183	-0.000032	-0.000170	-0.000046
14 years and over[1]	-0.000037	-0.000284	-0.000053	-0.000009	-0.000071	-0.000013
14 to 24 years	-0.000141	-0.000875	-0.000205	-0.000035	-0.000219	-0.000051
25 to 34 years	-0.000198	-0.001430	-0.000288	-0.000050	-0.000358	-0.000072
35 to 44 years	-0.000272	-0.001968	-0.000395	-0.000068	-0.000492	-0.000099
45 to 64 years	-0.000141	-0.001236	-0.000205	-0.000035	-0.000309	-0.000051
65 years and over	-0.000283	-0.002757	-0.000411	-0.000071	-0.000689	-0.000103
Male	-0.000060	-0.000426	-0.000087	-0.000015	-0.000107	-0.000022
Female	-0.000056	-0.000377	-0.000081	-0.000014	-0.000094	-0.000020

[1]Use these parameters for work experience and employment status data for persons.

Note: See table A-9 for factors to be applied to standard errors for the years 1959 through 1965.

Table A-11. Parameters for Estimated Numbers and Percentages of Families or Unrelated Individuals by Race and Spanish Origin: 1966 through 1977

(For meaning of symbols, see text)

Characteristic	All races and White		Black and other races		Spanish origin	
	a	b	a	b	a	b
Total families or unrelated individuals	-0.000008	1063	-0.000064	922	-0.000020	1422
Age of head	-0.000010	1389	-0.000087	1255	-0.000020	1422
Employment status of head	-0.000016	2078	-0.000133	2078	...	...
Work experience of head	-0.000016	2078	-0.000133	2078	-0.000012	1661
Number of related children under 18 years	-0.000010	1389	-0.000087	1255	-0.000020	1422
Size of family	-0.000010	1389	-0.000087	1255	-0.000020	1422
Number of workers	-0.000016	2078	-0.000133	2078	-0.000012	1661
Educational attainment of head	-0.000011	1431	-0.000123	1859	-0.000020	1422

Note: These parameters can be used to estimate standard errors for families at all income levels. See table A-9 for factors to be applied to standard errors for the years 1959 through 1965.

Table A-12. Parameters for Estimated Numbers and Percentages of Persons Below the Poverty Level in the 10 Federal Regions

Parameter	Region I (Boston)	Region II (New York)	Region III (Philadelphia)	Region IV (Atlanta)	Region V (Chicago)
a	0.034561	0.014617	0.017573	0.006710	0.009527
b	14,169	15,586	22,296	21,323	18,109

Parameter	Region VI (Dallas-Ft. Worth)	Region VII (Kansas City)	Region VIII (Denver)	Region IX (San Francisco)	Region X (Seattle)
a	0.014312	0.044507	0.192584	0.019675	0.131217
b	27,625	29,608	64,494	21,408	41,684

Note: To estimate standard errors for persons at all income levels in the 10 Federal Regions divide the parameter by 4 and use the appropriate formulas given in the text.

Table A-13. Parameters for Estimated Numbers and Percentages of Persons and Families Below the Poverty Level by Region and Farm-Nonfarm Residence: 1966 through 1977

Region	Persons		Families and unrelated individuals	
	a	b	a	b
North and West	0.001456	7,694	0.000252	1,334
Northeast	0.003222	7,048	0.000559	1,222
North Central	0.002657	8,701	0.000461	1,508
West	0.004471	7,227	0.000775	1,253
South	0.002189	8,677	0.003794	1,504
Farm	0.000824	11,716	0.000143	2,031
Nonfarm	-0.000029	6,134	-0.000008	1,063

Note: To estimate standard errors for persons at all income levels divide the parameters by 4 and use the appropriate formula given in the text. For families and unrelated individuals at all income levels, use the same parameters that are shown in the table for families and unrelated individuals below the poverty level. See table A-9 for factors to be applied to standard errors for the years 1959 through 1965.

Table A-14. Year-to-Year Correlation Coefficients for Poverty Estimates

(Numbers and proportions)

Characteristic	1976-1977[1]		1971-1972		1970-1971	
	Persons	Families	Persons	Families	Persons	Families
Total	0.40	0.35	0.15	0.14	0.31	0.28
White	0.35	0.30	0.14	0.13	0.28	0.25
Black	0.45	0.40	0.17	0.16	0.35	0.32
Other races	0.45	0.40	0.17	0.16	0.35	0.32
Spanish origin	0.45	0.40	0.17	0.16	0.35	0.32

[1] These correlation coefficients are also applicable to 1975-1976, 1974-1975, 1973-1974, 1972-1973, 1969-1970, and earlier years.

Appendix B

OEO TABULATION SPECIFICATIONS

The data in tables 10, 13, 14, 29, 36, and 47 of this report were extracted from a series of tabulations prepared for and previously distributed by the Office of Economic Opportunity (OEO). These tabulations contain more detailed cross-classifications by age and other characteristics than are shown in the tables presented in this report. Financial support for the preparation of the OEO tabulations was provided by the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare. Requests for further information about these tabulations as well as limited requests for copies should be made in writing to Chief, Population Division, Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C. 20233. Outlines of the contents of the complete OEO tabulations are shown on the following pages.

OEO Table 1. AGE OF PERSON AND FAMILY RELATIONSHIP BY AGE AND SEX OF HEAD

Age of person and relationship to head	Total	In families								Unrelated individuals
		Total	Age of head (years)							
			14 to 21	22 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 59	60 to 64	65 and over	

All Persons

Total.....
Under 16 years.....
Under 3 years.....
3 to 5 years.....
6 to 13 years.....
14 and 15 years.....

16 to 21 years.....
Head.....
Wife.....
Other male.....
16 and 17 years.....
18 and 19 years.....
20 and 21 years.....
Other female.....
16 and 17 years.....
18 and 19 years.....
20 and 21 years.....

22 to 44 years.....
Head.....
Wife.....
Other male.....
Other female.....

Same as 22 to 44 years for:
45 to 54 years.....
55 to 59 years.....
60 to 64 years.....
65 years and over.....

Same as "All Persons" for:
Persons in Families With Male Head and Male Unrelated Individuals
Persons in Families With Female Head and Female Unrelated Individuals

All of the above for:
Below Poverty Level
Percent Below Poverty Level
Between 100 and 125 Percent of the Poverty Level
Between 125 and 150 Percent of the Poverty Level

All of the above for:
White
Black
Spanish Origin

Tabulation areas:
Nonfarm
Farm

Metropolitan Areas
Inside Central Cities
Outside Central Cities
Nonmetropolitan Areas

10 Federal Regions

OEO Table 2. EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF PERSONS BY AGE AND FAMILY RELATIONSHIP

Years of school completed and family relationship	Total	Age (years)								
		14 and 15	16 and 17	18 to 21	22 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 59	60 to 64	65 and over

Both Sexes

Total.....
No years of school completed.....
Elementary: 1 to 5 years.....
6 to 7 years.....
8 years.....
High school: 1 to 3 years.....
4 years.....
College (1 year or more).....

Median years of school completed.....
Percent not a high school graduate.....

Same as "Total" block for:
Family heads
Wives
Other family members
Unrelated individuals

Same as "Both Sexes" for:
Male
Female

All of the above for:
Below Poverty Level
Percent Below Poverty Level
Between 100 and 125 Percent of the Poverty Level

All of the above for:
White
Black

OEO Table 3. WORK EXPERIENCE OF PERSONS BY AGE AND FAMILY RELATIONSHIP

Work experience and family relationship	Total	Age (years)							
		14 and 15	16 to 21	22 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 59	60 to 64	65 and over
Both Sexes									
Total.....									
Worked full time.....									
50 to 52 weeks.....									
40 to 49 weeks.....									
27 to 39 weeks.....									
26 weeks or less.....									
Worked part time.....									
50 to 52 weeks.....									
40 to 49 weeks.....									
27 to 39 weeks.....									
26 weeks or less.....									
Worked less than 50 weeks-- Main reason for working part year:									
Ill or disabled.....									
Keeping house.....									
Unable to find work.....									
Other.....									
Worked less than 50 weeks--Number of weeks unemployed:									
1 to 4 weeks.....									
5 to 14 weeks.....									
15 to 26 weeks.....									
27 weeks or more.....									
Did not work last year.....									
Main reason for not working:									
Ill or disabled.....									
Keeping house.....									
Going to school.....									
Unable to find work.....									
Retired.....									
Other.....									
In Armed Forces.....									

Same as "Total" block for:
Family heads
Wives
Other family members
Unrelated individuals

Same as "Both Sexes" for:
Male
Female

All of the above for:
Same Poverty Level and Race repeats as OEO Table 2

OEO Table 4. OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF PERSONS BY AGE

Occupation of longest job	Total	Age (years)							
		14 and 15	16 to 21	22 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 59	60 to 64	65 and over
Both Sexes									
Worked last year, total.....									
Wage and salary workers, incl. gov't.....									
Professional and managerial.....									
Clerical and sales.....									
Crafts and kindred workers.....									
Operatives, including transport.....									
Laborers, except farm.....									
Farmers and farm managers.....									
Farm laborers and supervisors.....									
Private household workers.....									
Service workers, exc. private household.									
Self-employed, farm.....									
Self-employed, other.....									
Unpaid family workers.....									

Same as "Total" block for:
Family heads
Wives
Other family members
Unrelated individuals

Same as "Both Sexes" for:
Male
Female

All of the above for:
Same Poverty Level and Race repeats as OEO Table 2

OEO Table 5. INDUSTRY OF LONGEST JOB OF PERSONS BY FAMILY RELATIONSHIP

Industry of longest job and family relationship	Total	Age (years)						
		14 and 15	16 to 21	22 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
Both Sexes								
Worked last year, total								
Wage and salary workers, incl. gov't								
Agriculture								
Mining and construction								
Manufacturing								
Durable								
Nondurable								
Transportation, communications, and other public utilities								
Wholesale and retail trade								
Service industries								
Professional								
Personal								
Public administration								
All other industries								
Self-employed, farm								
Self-employed, other								
Unpaid family workers								

Same as "Total" block for:
- Family heads
- Wives
- Other family members
- Unrelated individuals

Same as "Both Sexes" for:
- Male
- Female

All of the above for:
- Same Poverty Level and Race repeats as OEO Table 2

OEO Table 6. AGE OF PERSONS UNDER 22 YEARS OLD BY EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD

(Excludes family heads and spouses)

Age of person by educational attainment of head	Both sexes				Male	Female
	Total	In husband-wife families	In families with other male head	In families with female head	Same as "Both sexes"	Same as "Both sexes"
All Educational Levels of Head						
Under 22 years old						
Under 1 year						
1 year						
2 years						
3 years						
4 years						
5 years						
6 years						
7 years						
8 years						
9 years						
10 years						
11 years						
12 years						
13 years						
14 years						
15 years						
16 years						
17 years						
18 years						
19 years						
20 years						
21 years						
Under 3 years						
3 to 7 years						
8 to 13 years						
14 and 15 years						
16 to 21 years						
5 to 17 years						

Same as "All Educational Levels of Head" for:
- Head With 8 Years of School or Less
- Head With 9 to 11 Years of School
- Head With 12 Years of School
- Head With 13 Years of School or More

All of the above for:
- Same Poverty Level and Race repeats as OEO Table 2

OEO Table 7. MAJOR ACTIVITY IN SURVEY WEEK OF PERSONS 14 TO 21 YEARS OLD BY EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

(Excludes family heads and spouses)

Educational attainment and age	Total	Going to school					Other	In Armed Forces
		Total	Employed		Unemployed	Not in labor force	Same as "Going to school"	
			Total	Full time				

Both Sexes

Total.....
No school year completed.....
Elementary: 1 to 5 years.....
6 to 7 years.....
8 years.....
High school: 1 to 3 years.....
4 years.....
College (1 year or more).....

Median years of school completed.....
Percent not a high school graduate.....

Same as "Total" block for:
Persons 14 and 15 years old
Persons 16 and 17 years old
Persons 18 and 19 years old
Persons 20 and 21 years old

Same as "Both Sexes" for:
Male
Female

All of the above for:
Same Poverty Level and Race repeats as OEO Table 2

OEO Table 8. PERSONS IN FAMILIES BY SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS OF HEAD

Family members by selected characteristics of head	Total	Age of head (years)						
		14 to 21	22 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 59	60 to 64	65 and over

All Persons in Families

Educational attainment of head
Same categories as OEO Table 2

Work experience of head
Same categories as OEO Table 3

Occupation of longest job of head
Same categories as OEO Table 4

Same as "All Persons in Families" for:
Persons in Families With Male Head
Persons in Families With Female Head

All of the above for:
Same Poverty Level and Race repeats as OEO Table 2

OEO Table 9. INCOME OF SPECIFIED TYPE AS A PERCENT OF TOTAL INCOME FOR FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS

Type and amount of income	Total	Percent of total income				
		1 to 24	25 to 49	50 to 74	75 to 99	100

All Families

No income.....

With income, total.....
Persons in families.....
Mean family income.....dol..
Median family income.....dol..

With earned income.....
Persons in families.....
Mean family income.....dol..
Median family income.....dol..

With transfer income.....
Persons in families.....
Mean family income.....dol..
Median family income.....dol..

With Social Security income.....
Persons in families.....
Mean family income.....dol..
Median family income.....dol..

With Supplemental Security income....
Persons in families.....
Mean family income.....dol..
Median family income.....dol..

All Families--Continued

With transfer income--Continued

With public assistance income.....
Persons in families.....
Mean family income.....dol..
Median family income.....dol..

With other transfer payments.....
Persons in families.....
Mean family income.....dol..
Median family income.....dol..

With other unearned income.....
Persons in families.....
Mean family income.....dol..
Median family income.....dol..

Repeat same as "All Families" for:
Families With Male Head
Families With Female Head
Families With Head 65 Years Old and Over
All Unrelated Individuals
Male Unrelated Individuals
Female Unrelated Individuals
Unrelated Individuals 65 Years Old and Over

All of the above for:
Same Poverty Level and Race repeats as OEO Table 2

OEO Table 10. TOTAL MONEY INCOME BY SIZE OF FAMILY

Total money income	Total	Size of family (persons)							Persons in families[1]	Related children under 18 years[1]		
		2	3	4	5	6	7	8 or more		Total	Under 6 years	6 to 17 years
All Income Levels												
Total.....thousands...												
Percent.....												
Under $2,000.....												
$2,000 to $2,499.....												
$2,500 to $2,999.....												
$3,000 to $3,499.....												
$3,500 to $3,999.....												
$4,000 to $4,999.....												
$5,000 to $5,999.....												
$6,000 to $6,999.....												
$7,000 to $7,999.....												
$8,000 to $8,999.....												
$9,000 to $9,999.....												
$10,000 to $11,999.....												
$12,000 to $14,999.....												
$15,000 to $24,999.....												
$25,000 and over.....												
Median income.....												
Mean income.....												
Income per family member.....												
Same as "Total" block for:												
Families with male head												
Families with female head												
Below Poverty Level												
Total.....thousands...												
Percent.....												
No income.....												
Loss.....												
$1 to $999.....												
$1,000 to $1,499.....												
$1,500 to $1,999.....												
$2,000 to $2,499.....												
$2,500 to $2,999.....												
$3,000 to $3,499.....												
$3,500 to $3,999.....												
$4,000 to $4,999.....												
$5,000 to $5,999.....												
$6,000 to $6,999.....												
$7,000 to $7,999.....												
$8,000 and over.....												
Median income.....												
Mean income.....												
Income per family member.....												
Same as "Total" block for:												
Families with male head												
Families with female head												
Same as "Below Poverty Level" for:												
Between 100 and 125 Percent of the Poverty Level												
Between 125 and 150 Percent of the Poverty Level												
All of the above for:												
White												
Black												
Repeat entire table for numbers underlying the percent distribution												

[1]Distributed by the income of the family.

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