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

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

	Worked full-time year-round			Did not wo	rk full-time ye	ear-round	Did not work			
Sex and age		Below poverty level			Below pove	erty level		Below poverty leve		
Sex and age	Number (1,000)	Number (1,000)	Percent	Number (1,000)	Number (1,000)	Percent	Number (1,000)	Number (1,000)	Percent	
BOTH SEXES										
Total	104,023	2,754	2.6	54,294	7,331	13.5	77,707	17,131	22.0	
16 to 17 years old 18 to 64 years old 18 to 24 years old 25 to 34 years old 35 to 54 years old 55 to 64 years old 65 years old and over	99 100,626 7,284 23,580 53,257 16,504 3,298	6 2,711 399 875 1,226 211 37	6.1 2.7 5.5 3.7 2.3 1.3 1.1	2,130 47,837 12,839 10,484 17,668 6,846 4,327	181 7,029 2,193 2,011 2,264 561 121	8.5 14.7 17.1 19.2 12.8 8.2 2.8	6,822 40,723 8,565 6,455 14,763 10,940 30,163	1,268 12,365 2,691 2,465 4,834 2,374 3,498	18.6 30.4 31.4 38.2 32.7 21.7 11.6	
MALE										
Total	59,869	1,586	2.6	24,020	3,124	13.0	30,733	6,593	21.5	
16 to 17 years old 18 to 64 years old 18 to 24 years old 25 to 34 years old 35 to 54 years old 55 to 64 years old 65 years old and over	55 57,792 4,158 13,780 30,593 9,261 2,023	6 1,561 210 461 746 145 19	(B) 2.7 5.0 3.3 2.4 1.6 0.9	1,068 20,790 6,294 4,757 6,892 2,847 2,162	91 2,985 882 843 1,006 255 47	8.5 14.4 14.0 17.7 14.6 8.9 2.2	3,472 15,137 4,057 1,903 4,778 4,398 12,124	635 4,932 1,184 762 1,935 1,051 1,026	18.3 32.6 29.2 40.0 40.5 23.9 8.5	
FEMALE										
Total	44,154	1,168	2.6	30,274	4,207	13.9	46,975	10,537	22.4	
16 to 17 years old	44 42,834 3,127 9,800 22,664 7,243 1,275	1,150 189 415 480 66 19	(B) 2.7 6.0 4.2 2.1 0.9 1.5	1,062 27,047 6,545 5,728 10,776 3,998 2,165	90 4,044 1,311 1,169 1,258 307 73	8.5 15.0 20.0 20.4 11.7 7.7 3.4	3,350 25,586 4,508 4,552 9,984 6,542 18,039	633 7,433 1,507 1,703 2,900 1,323 2,472	18.9 29.1 33.4 37.4 29.0 20.2 13.7	

Represents zero. B Base figure too small to meet statistical standards for reliability of a derived figure.
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Income, Poverty, and Health Insurance Coverage in the United States: 2008, Current Population Reports, P60-236, and Detailed Tables—Table POV22, September 2009. See also <a href="https://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstables/032009/pov/hoc.htm">https://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstables/032009/pov/hoc.htm</a>.

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

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

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

NA Not available.¹ Includes other races, not shown separately.² Beginning 2002, data represent White alone, which refers to people who reported White and did not report any other race category.³ Beginning 2002, data represent Black alone, which refers to people who reported Black and did not report any other race category.⁴ Beginning 2002, data represent Asian alone, which refers to people who reported Asian and did not report any other race category.⁵ People of Hispanic origin may be any race.⁵ See footnote 6, Table 710.¹ Implementation of Census 2000-based population controls.⁵ Implementation of a 28,000 household sample expansion.⁵ Beginning with the 2003 Current Population Survey (CPS), the questionnaire allowed respondents to choose more than one race. For 2002 and later, data represent persons who selected this race group only and excludes persons reporting more than one race. The CPS in prior years allowed respondents to report only one race group. See also comments on race in the text for Section 1.¹⁰ Data have been revised to reflect a correction to the weights in the 2005 Annual Social and Economic Supplement (ASEC).

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