

**Table 39. Social and Economic Characteristics of the Hispanic Population: 2008**

[As of March, except labor force status, annual average (46,026 represents 46,026,000). Excludes members of the Armed Forces except those living off post or with their families on post. Based on Current Population Survey; see text, this section and Appendix III]

Characteristic	Number (1,000)					Percent distribution				
	Hispanic, total <sup>1</sup>	Mexican	Puerto Rican	Cuban	Central, South American	Hispanic, total <sup>1</sup>	Mexican	Puerto Rican	Cuban	Central, South American
<b>Total persons</b> . . . . .	<b>46,026</b>	<b>30,272</b>	<b>4,030</b>	<b>1,612</b>	<b>7,578</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Under 5 years old . . . . .	5,014	3,669	355	91	639	10.9	12.1	8.8	5.7	8.4
5 to 14 years old . . . . .	8,322	5,902	710	182	1,092	18.1	19.5	17.6	11.3	14.4
15 to 44 years old . . . . .	22,456	14,856	1,910	659	3,931	48.9	49.1	47.4	40.8	51.9
45 to 64 years old . . . . .	7,679	4,510	771	392	1,480	16.7	14.9	19.2	24.3	19.5
65 years old and over . . . . .	2,555	1,336	285	288	436	5.6	4.4	7.1	17.9	5.8
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>										
<b>Persons 25 years old and over</b> . . . . .	<b>25,274</b>	<b>15,736</b>	<b>2,264</b>	<b>1,153</b>	<b>4,689</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
High school graduate or more . . . . .	15,737	8,689	1,729	922	3,241	62.3	55.2	76.4	80.0	69.1
Bachelor's degree or more . . . . .	3,367	1,436	352	324	951	13.3	9.1	15.5	28.1	20.3
<b>LABOR FORCE STATUS<sup>2</sup></b>										
<b>Civilians 16 years old and over</b> . . . . .	<b>32,141</b>	<b>20,474</b>	<b>2,854</b>	<b>1,422</b>	<b>(NA)</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Civilian labor force . . . . .	22,024	14,009	1,822	897	(NA)	68.5	68.4	63.8	63.1	(NA)
Employed . . . . .	20,346	12,931	1,634	841	(NA)	63.3	63.2	57.3	59.1	(NA)
Unemployed . . . . .	1,678	1,078	188	57	(NA)	5.2	5.3	6.6	4.0	(NA)
Unemployment rate <sup>3</sup> . . . . .	7.6	7.7	10.3	6.3	(NA)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Male . . . . .	7.6	7.5	11.6	7.0	(NA)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Female . . . . .	7.7	8.1	8.9	5.3	(NA)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Not in labor force . . . . .	10,116	6,465	1,032	525	(NA)	31.5	31.6	36.2	36.9	(NA)
<b>HOUSEHOLDS</b>										
<b>Total</b> . . . . .	<b>13,339</b>	<b>8,149</b>	<b>1,395</b>	<b>610</b>	<b>2,413</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Family households . . . . .	10,394	6,620	967	427	1,881	77.9	81.2	69.3	70.0	78.0
Married-couple families <sup>4</sup> . . . . .	6,888	4,563	514	307	1,173	51.6	56.0	36.8	50.3	48.6
Male householder, no spouse present . . . . .	983	651	70	35	195	7.4	8.0	5.0	5.7	8.1
Female householder, no spouse present . . . . .	2,522	1,406	384	85	513	18.9	17.3	27.5	13.9	21.3
Nonfamily households . . . . .	2,945	1,529	428	183	532	22.1	18.8	30.7	30.0	22.0
Male householder . . . . .	1,654	915	226	91	296	12.4	11.2	16.2	14.9	12.3
Female householder . . . . .	1,291	614	202	92	236	9.7	7.5	14.5	15.1	9.8
<b>Size:</b>										
One person . . . . .	2,203	1,105	358	147	376	16.5	13.6	25.7	24.1	15.6
Two people . . . . .	3,033	1,698	347	233	537	22.7	20.8	24.9	38.2	22.3
Three people . . . . .	2,529	1,424	284	119	569	19.0	17.5	20.4	19.5	23.6
Four people . . . . .	2,678	1,760	227	73	516	20.1	21.6	16.3	12.0	21.4
Five people . . . . .	1,712	1,246	114	27	264	12.8	15.3	8.2	4.4	10.9
Six people . . . . .	727	554	36	5	111	5.5	6.8	2.6	0.8	4.6
Seven people or more . . . . .	457	363	30	6	41	3.4	4.5	2.2	1.0	1.7
<b>FAMILY INCOME IN 2007</b>										
<b>Total families<sup>5</sup></b> . . . . .	<b>10,397</b>	<b>6,624</b>	<b>967</b>	<b>427</b>	<b>1,838</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Less than \$5,000 . . . . .	394	252	58	11	64	3.8	3.8	6.0	2.5	3.5
\$5,000 to \$14,999 . . . . .	976	591	128	41	160	9.4	8.9	13.2	9.7	8.8
\$15,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	1,585	1,114	123	58	239	15.3	16.8	12.7	13.6	13.0
\$25,000 to \$34,999 . . . . .	1,518	1,054	100	52	253	14.6	15.9	10.4	12.1	13.7
\$35,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	1,743	1,137	166	66	305	16.8	17.2	17.2	15.5	16.6
\$50,000 to \$74,999 . . . . .	1,977	1,204	161	81	405	19.0	18.2	16.6	19.0	22.0
\$75,000 and over . . . . .	2,202	1,272	231	118	411	21.2	19.2	23.9	27.5	22.4
<b>POVERTY STATUS IN 2007</b>										
Families below poverty level <sup>6</sup> . . . . .	2,045	1,389	221	58	294	19.7	21.0	22.8	13.6	16.0
Persons below poverty level <sup>6</sup> . . . . .	9,890	6,927	1,000	235	1,266	21.5	22.9	24.8	14.6	16.8
<b>HOUSEHOLD TENURE</b>										
<b>Total occupied units</b> . . . . .	<b>13,339</b>	<b>8,150</b>	<b>1,395</b>	<b>611</b>	<b>2,345</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Owner occupied . . . . .	6,552	4,188	544	379	947	49.1	51.4	39.0	62.0	40.4
Renter occupied <sup>7</sup> . . . . .	6,787	3,961	852	232	1,398	50.9	48.6	61.0	38.0	59.6

NA Not available. X Not applicable. <sup>1</sup> Includes other Hispanic groups not shown separately. <sup>2</sup> Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, "Employment and Earnings Online," January 2009; <<http://stats.bls.gov/pub/ee/home.htm>>. <sup>3</sup> Total unemployment as percent of civilian labor force. <sup>4</sup> In married-couple families, Hispanic origin refers to the householder. <sup>5</sup> Includes families in group quarters. <sup>6</sup> For explanation of poverty level, see text, Section 13. <sup>7</sup> Includes no cash rent.

Source: Except as noted, U.S. Census Bureau, "Educational Attainment"; <<http://www.census.gov/population/www/socdemo/educ-attn.html>>; "Families and Living Arrangements"; <<http://www.census.gov/population/www/socdemo/hh-fam.html>>; "Detailed Income Tabulations from the CPS"; <<http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/income/dinctabs.html>>; "Detailed Poverty Tabulations from the CPS"; <<http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/poverty/detailedpovtabs.html>>, and unpublished data.