
Appendix Tables

Table 1 Indicator 1. Dependency Rates, Where Dependency is the Percentage of the Population with More than 50 Percent of Income from TANF, SNAP and/or SSI: Selected Years

Dependency Rates

	2000	2002	2004	2006	2008	2010	2012	2014	2016	2018	2020	2021	2022	2023
All Persons	3.0	3.2	3.7	3.7	4.0	5.3	5.1	4.9	4.4	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.9	3.7
Age Categories														
Children 0 to 17	4.9	4.9	5.9	5.8	6.4	8.3	8.1	7.3	6.6	5.1	5.2	5.1	5.5	5.2
Adults 18 to 64	2.4	2.7	3.0	3.2	3.4	4.7	4.5	4.5	3.9	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.5	3.3
Adults 65 and older	2.1	2.0	2.2	2.1	2.2	2.4	2.5	2.7	2.7	2.9	2.6	2.7	3.1	3.1
Racial/Ethnic Categories														
Non-Hispanic White	1.9	1.8	2.2	2.3	2.4	3.2	3.1	3.3	2.9	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.9	2.6
Non-Hispanic Black	7.7	8.7	10.0	9.5	10.2	12.5	12.0	11.0	9.6	8.3	8.0	7.4	7.5	7.4
Hispanic	4.5	4.9	5.2	5.2	5.7	8.0	7.4	6.6	6.0	4.4	4.2	4.5	4.6	4.4
Family Categories														
Persons in:														
Married couple families	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.9	1.8	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.2
Single female families	11.4	11.7	13.8	13.2	13.4	16.4	15.8	14.5	13.4	10.5	10.3	10.6	11.5	10.7
Single male families	4.4	3.8	4.0	4.5	4.7	6.5	5.8	6.6	4.9	4.7	4.6	4.2	4.5	4.3

Note: Unit of analysis is persons. N = 330,632,000 in 2022 and N = 332,382,000 in 2023. Dependency is defined as living in a family having more than 50 percent of total annual income from one or more of these programs. Dependency rates would be lower if adjusted to exclude TANF assistance associated with work. Reciprocity is defined as living in a family with receipt in any amount for AFDC/TANF, SSI or SNAP during the year. Spouses are not present in categories shown for families headed by men and families headed by women. Beginning in 2002, persons who reported more than one race are not shown under either race category. Due to small sample size, Asians and Native Hawaiians or Other Pacific Islanders as well as American Indians and Alaska Natives but are not shown separately. Hispanic persons may be of any race.

Source: The Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplements, 1994-2023 and microsimulation model TRIM3.

Table 2 Indicator 1. Reciprocity is Receipt of Any Income from TANF, SNAP or SSI: Selected Years

	Reciprocity Rates															
	1996	1998	2000	2002	2004	2006	2008	2010	2012	2014	2016	2018	2020	2021	2022	2023
All Persons	16.0	13.5	12.5	13.2	15.0	15.6	17.1	22.7	23.6	22.7	22.0	20.3	21.5	20.1	20.7	20.9
Age Categories																
Children 0 to 17	24.3	19.4	17.8	18.7	22.0	23.1	25.8	34.4	35.7	33.9	32.5	30.6	31.5	29.5	31.0	30.9
Adults 18 to 64	13.6	11.7	10.7	11.7	13.1	13.6	14.9	20.2	21.2	20.6	20.0	18.2	19.7	18.0	18.5	18.7
Adults 65 and older	10.3	9.9	10.4	9.7	10.0	10.6	11.4	12.3	13.7	13.5	13.8	14.0	14.9	15.2	15.3	16.4
Racial/Ethnic Categories																
Non-Hispanic White	9.9	8.6	8.2	8.8	10.1	10.6	11.4	15.7	16.5	15.7	15.3	14.1	15.0	13.9	15.2	14.9
Non-Hispanic Black	35.6	29.6	27.0	27.7	32.4	32.0	34.1	40.7	41.2	39.6	37.3	35.0	37.2	34.4	32.8	33.9
Hispanic	32.0	24.5	21.0	21.7	22.6	23.8	27.6	36.9	37.2	35.9	34.5	30.5	31.7	29.6	29.7	30.6
Family Categories																
Persons in:																
Married couple families	9.6	8.3	7.2	7.5	8.6	8.9	9.9	15.0	15.4	14.3	14.2	13.0	13.5	12.5	13.7	13.6
Single female families	46.0	37.5	37.1	37.7	42.6	44.3	47.3	54.2	56.1	55.7	52.6	50.2	52.7	48.8	49.6	49.8
Single male families	25.3	19.7	21.8	21.2	21.9	25.8	27.3	34.3	37.3	34.7	34.3	35.8	34.7	32.5	32.8	34.0

Note: Unit of analysis is persons. Unit of analysis is persons. N = 330,632,000 in 2022 and N = 332,382,000 in 2023. Reciprocity is defined as living in a family with receipt in any amount for AFDC/TANF, SSI or SNAP during the year. Spouses are not present in categories shown for families headed by men and families headed by women. Beginning in 2002, persons who reported more than one race are not shown under either race category. Due to small sample size, Asians and Native Hawaiians or Other Pacific Islanders as well as American Indians and Alaska Natives but are not shown separately. Hispanic persons may be of any race.

Source: The Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplements, 1994-2023 and microsimulation model TRIM3.

Table 3 Indicator 1. Percentage of the Population by Proportion of Income from TANF, SNAP, and/or SSI: 1993-2023

Year	0%	>0 to 25%	> 25% to 50%	> 50% to 75%	> 75% to 100%	Total > 50%
2023	79.1	14.3	2.9	1.0	2.6	3.7
2022	79.3	13.1	3.7	1.1	2.8	3.9
2021	79.9	12.7	3.8	1.1	2.5	3.6
2020	78.5	15.1	2.8	0.9	2.7	3.6
2019	80.5	13.8	2.4	0.9	2.4	3.3
2018	79.7	14.0	2.7	1.0	2.6	3.6
2017	79.1	13.9	3.0	1.1	2.9	4.1
2016	78.0	14.4	3.2	1.2	3.1	4.4
2015	77.5	14.3	3.6	1.5	3.1	4.6
2014	77.3	14.1	3.7	1.4	3.5	4.9
2013	76.5	14.4	4.1	1.7	3.4	5.0
2012	76.4	14.3	4.2	1.7	3.4	5.1
2011	76.9	13.8	4.1	1.7	3.5	5.2
2010	77.3	13.2	4.2	1.7	3.6	5.3
2009	80.1	11.4	3.9	1.5	3.1	4.6
2008	82.9	10.3	2.8	1.1	2.8	4.0
2007	84.1	9.7	2.8	1.1	2.3	3.5
2006	84.4	9.3	2.6	1.1	2.6	3.7
2005	84.7	8.9	2.6	1.1	2.7	3.8
2004	85.0	8.8	2.5	1.1	2.5	3.7
2003	85.9	8.2	2.4	1.1	2.4	3.6
2002	86.8	7.8	2.3	1.0	2.1	3.2
2001	87.4	7.3	2.2	1.0	2.1	3.1
2000	87.5	7.3	2.2	1.0	2.0	3.0
1999	86.7	7.7	2.3	1.1	2.2	3.3
1998	86.5	7.3	2.5	1.3	2.5	3.8
1997	85.3	7.7	2.5	1.5	3.1	4.5
1996	84.0	7.8	3.1	1.9	3.3	5.2
1995	83.2	8.5	3.1	1.8	3.5	5.3
1994	82.8	8.4	3.1	1.8	4.0	5.8
1993	83.4	7.8	3.0	1.8	4.1	5.9

Note: Unit of analysis is persons. N= 332,382,000. Income from social welfare programs includes cash income from TANF through federally-funded and state-separate programs, SSI income and the value of SNAP benefits. Excluded are cash benefits from other programs, such as state-local "general assistance" or solely-state-funded programs providing benefits to families who previously would have received TANF in some states. Total >50% includes all persons with more than 50 percent of their total annual income from these programs.

Source: The Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplements and microsimulation model TRIM3.

Table 4 Indicator 2. Percentage of Recipients in Families with Labor Force Participants by Program and Selected Characteristics: 2023

	Total		Detail: Someone in Labor Force		
	Someone in the labor force	No one in the labor force	One or more looking, no one working	One or more part-time, no one full-time	At least one full-time
TANF All Persons	53.7	46.3	6.0	18.4	29.3
Non-Hispanic White	52.6	47.4	6.9	15.0	30.6
Non-Hispanic Black	41.1	58.9	5.2	15.1	20.9
Hispanic	62.4	37.6	6.1	22.4	33.9
Children ages 0-5	57.2	42.8	6.9	18.0	32.3
Children ages 0-17	53.1	46.9	5.8	18.5	28.8
Ages 18-64	55.5	44.5	6.6	18.1	30.7
Women ages 16-64	56.3	43.7	6.9	19.5	30.0
Men ages 16-64	50.4	49.6	4.1	14.8	31.5
Persons in married-couple families	76.7	23.3	6.0	21.8	48.9
Persons in single female families	46.9	53.1	6.5	18.4	21.9
Persons in single male families	48.4	51.6	2.3	10.1	36.0
SNAP All Persons	59.0	41.0	4.2	13.1	41.7
Non-Hispanic White	51.6	48.4	3.9	12.3	35.4
Non-Hispanic Black	55.4	44.6	4.8	12.4	38.2
Hispanic	71.4	28.6	3.7	15.1	52.6
Children ages 0-5	75.1	24.9	4.3	14.9	55.9
Children ages 0-17	75.8	24.2	4.0	15.4	56.4
Ages 18-64	59.0	41.0	5.4	14.2	39.4
Women ages 16-64	60.2	39.8	4.5	15.5	40.3
Men ages 16-64	60.3	39.7	6.3	13.0	41.0
Adults ages 65 and over	20.0	80.0	1.3	4.6	14.0
Persons in married-couple families	73.0	27.0	2.8	11.2	58.9
Persons in single female families	65.6	34.4	4.6	17.5	43.5
Persons in single male families	70.7	29.3	6.0	14.1	50.5
SSI All Persons	40.6	59.4	2.2	7.3	31.1
Non-Hispanic White	33.9	66.1	2.1	6.8	25.0
Non-Hispanic Black	38.0	62.0	2.1	6.7	29.3
Hispanic	51.1	48.9	1.6	9.5	40.0
Children ages 0-5	60.2	39.8	4.2	10.4	45.6
Children ages 0-17	59.3	40.7	3.7	13.5	42.2
Ages 18-64	38.2	61.8	2.6	6.7	28.9
Women ages 16-64	34.0	66.0	2.2	6.8	24.9
Men ages 16-64	42.8	57.2	3.0	7.1	32.7
Adults ages 65 and over	36.6	63.4	0.8	5.7	30.2
Persons in married-couple families	64.8	35.2	1.6	7.3	56.0
Persons in single female families	54.5	45.5	3.7	11.4	39.4
Persons in single male families	54.7	45.3	2.7	8.3	43.6

Note: Recipients are limited to those individuals or their family members directly receiving benefits in a month. The indicator measures, on an average monthly basis, the combination of individual benefit receipt and the labor force participation of any relative in the household in the same month. Full-time workers are those who usually worked 35 hours or more per week. Part-time workers usually worked less than 35 hours per week. "Looking for work" includes individuals who were unemployed, laid off and/or looking for work.

Source: Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplement, 2023 and microsimulation model TRIM3.

Table 5 Indicator 2. Percentage of AFDC/TANF Recipients in Families with Labor Force Participants: 1993-2023

Year	Total		Detail: Someone in Labor Force	
	Someone in the labor force	No one in the labor force	One or more part-time or looking for work, no one full-time	At least one full-time
2023	53.7	46.3	24.4	29.3
2022	55.2	44.8	19.1	36.1
2021	49.8	50.2	19.6	30.2
2020	54.5	45.5	30.3	24.2
2019	56.8	43.2	24.8	32.0
2018	54.0	46.0	19.5	34.5
2017	58.3	41.7	30.2	28.1
2016	54.7	45.3	27.4	27.3
2015	54.6	45.4	29.1	25.5
2014	56.2	43.8	29.1	27.1
2013	58.8	41.2	31.9	27.0
2012	56.7	43.3	33.2	23.5
2011	59.0	41.0	35.2	23.8
2010	56.5	43.5	31.4	25.1
2009	56.7	43.3	30.7	26.0
2008	54.4	45.6	27.2	27.2
2007	53.6	46.4	23.4	30.2
2006	53.4	46.6	21.2	32.2
2005	52.3	47.7	25.4	26.9
2004	51.9	48.0	23.8	28.1
2003	52.6	47.4	24.1	28.5
2002	60.1	39.8	25.8	34.3
2001	61.3	38.7	26.0	35.3
2000	58.8	41.2	24.1	34.7
1999	59.2	40.8	24.1	35.1
1998	55.7	44.3	25.8	29.9
1997	52.4	47.6	28.0	24.4
1996	49.9	50.1	25.6	24.3
1995	49.4	50.6	24.3	25.1
1994	45.2	54.8	24.8	20.4
1993	43.0	57.0	24.2	18.8

Note: Recipients are limited to those individuals or any family member in the household directly receiving benefits in a month. Full-time workers are those who usually work 35 hours or more per week. Part-time labor force participation includes part-time workers and those who are unemployed, laid off or looking for work. This indicator measures, on an average monthly basis, the combination of individual benefit receipt and labor force participation by any family member in the same month.

Source: The Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplements and the microsimulation model TRIM3.

Table 6 Indicator 2. Percentage of SNAP Recipients and SSI Recipients in Families with Labor Force Participants: 2010-2023

Year	Total		Detail: Someone in Labor Force	
	Someone in the labor force	No one in the labor force	One or more part-time or looking for work, no one full-time	At least one full-time
SNAP				
2023	59.0	41.0	17.4	41.7
2022	58.0	42.0	16.6	41.5
2021	56.6	43.4	18.6	38.0
2020	57.5	42.5	22.3	35.2
2019	60.6	39.4	19.2	41.4
2018	61.2	38.8	18.7	42.6
2017	61.3	38.7	20.0	41.4
2016	63.0	37.0	21.7	41.3
2015	63.5	36.5	23.2	40.3
2014	62.1	37.9	22.1	40.0
2013	64.7	35.3	26.3	38.3
2012	64.7	35.3	27.4	37.3
2011	63.1	36.9	28.8	34.3
2010	62.8	37.2	29.6	33.2
SSI				
2023	40.6	59.4	9.4	31.1
2022	37.0	63.0	8.9	28.2
2021	37.2	62.8	10.2	27.0
2020	38.2	61.8	11.9	26.2
2019	40.3	59.7	10.2	30.1
2018	39.2	60.8	10.3	28.9
2017	39.7	60.3	11.8	28.0
2016	38.0	62.0	11.2	26.8
2015	38.7	61.3	11.8	27.0
2014	35.9	64.1	11.0	25.0
2013	39.0	61.0	13.9	25.1
2012	39.1	60.9	13.6	25.5
2011	39.2	60.8	14.2	25.0
2010	39.9	60.1	14.8	25.1

Note: Recipients are limited to those individuals or any family member in the household directly receiving benefits in a month. Full-time workers are those who usually work 35 hours or more per week. Part-time labor force participation includes part-time workers and those who are unemployed, laid off or looking for work. This indicator measures, on an average monthly basis, the combination of individual benefit receipt and labor force participation by any family member in the same month.

Source: The Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplements and the microsimulation model TRIM3.

Table 7. Indicator 3. Number and Percentage of the Total Population Receiving AFDC/TANF: 1970-2024

Fiscal Year	Total Recipients		Child Recipients		Adult Recipients	
	Number in 1,000s	Percent	Number in 1,000s	Percent	Number in 1,000s	Percent
2024	2,685	0.8	1,893	2.6	793	0.3
2023	2,832	0.8	2,000	2.7	831	0.3
2022	2,560	0.8	1,849	2.5	710	0.3
2021	2,493	0.8	1,829	2.5	664	0.3
2020	2,813	0.8	2,073	2.8	740	0.3
2019	2,926	0.9	2,162	3.0	765	0.3
2018	3,216	1.0	2,371	3.2	845	0.3
2017	3,628	1.1	2,646	3.6	982	0.4
2016	3,860	1.2	2,794	3.8	1,066	0.4
2015	4,143	1.3	2,986	4.1	1,157	0.5
2014	3,856	1.2	2,910	4.0	946	0.4
2013	4,062	1.3	3,065	4.2	997	0.4
2012	4,432	1.4	3,322	4.5	1,110	0.5
2011	4,554	1.5	3,405	4.6	1,150	0.5
2010	4,531	1.5	3,393	4.6	1,138	0.5
2009	4,217	1.4	3,197	4.3	1,021	0.4
2008	3,949	1.3	3,022	4.1	927	0.4
2007	4,099	1.4	3,138	4.2	962	0.4
2006	4,699	1.6	3,535	4.8	1,164	0.5
2005	5,064	1.7	3,788	5.2	1,276	0.6
2004	5,316	1.8	3,957	5.4	1,358	0.6
2003	5,452	1.9	4,037	5.5	1,415	0.7
2002	5,576	1.9	4,099	5.6	1,477	0.7
2001	5,673	2.0	4,171	5.7	1,503	0.7
2000	6,218	2.2	4,531	6.3	1,687	0.8
1999	7,068	2.5	5,231	7.3	1,838	0.9
1998	8,653	3.1	6,184	8.7	2,469	1.2
1997	10,779	4.0	7,673	10.8	3,106	1.5
1996	12,477	4.6	8,556	12.2	3,921	2.0
1995	13,480	5.1	9,157	13.2	4,323	2.2
1994	14,033	5.3	9,479	13.8	4,554	2.3
1993	13,943	5.4	9,424	13.9	4,520	2.3
1992	13,423	5.2	9,087	13.7	4,335	2.3
1991	12,391	4.9	8,375	12.8	4,016	2.1
1990	11,263	4.5	7,620	11.9	3,643	2.0
1989	10,741	4.4	7,238	11.4	3,503	1.9
1988	10,734	4.4	7,198	11.4	3,536	2.0
1987	10,878	4.5	7,254	11.5	3,625	2.0
1986	10,810	4.5	7,173	11.4	3,637	2.1
1985	10,630	4.5	7,041	11.2	3,589	2.0
1980	10,422	4.6	7,197	11.3	3,225	2.0
1975	10,854	5.0	7,753	11.5	3,102	2.1

Note: TANF includes small worker supplements which began in a few states following the Deficit Reduction Act of 2005 (DRA) and expanded in recent years to support low-income families transitioning to employment. Beginning in 2000, TANF data include separate state program (SSP) recipients. The number of adult and child recipients in 1998 were 1999 are estimated using data from the National Emergency TANF Data Files. Recipients are expressed as the fiscal year average of monthly caseloads from administrative data, excluding recipients in the territories. Tribal TANF recipients also are excluded. Child recipients include a small number of dependents ages 18 and older who are students.

Source: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families, Office of Family Assistance (<https://acf.gov/ofa/data/tanf-caseload-data-2024>) Population denominators for the percentage of recipients in each category are from the U.S. Census Bureau.

Table 8 Indicator 3. Number and Percentage of the Total Population Receiving Food Stamp or SNAP benefits: 1975-2023

Fiscal Year	Persons in poverty		Recipients of Food Stamp or SNAP Benefits							
			Total		Ages 0 to 17		Ages 18 to 59		Age 60 and older	
	Number in 1,000s	Percent	Number in 1,000s	Percent	Number in 1,000s	Percent	Number in 1,000s	Percent	Number in 1,000s	Percent
2023	36,790	11.1	40,065	11.9	15,516	21.2	16,663	9.1	7,799	9.7
2022	37,920	11.5	39,189	11.7	15,516	21.1	16,527	9.1	7,173	9.1
2021	37,930	11.6	no data	–	no data	–	no data	–	no data	–
2020	37,550	11.5	36,300	10.9	15,258	20.5	15,159	8.3	5,883	7.8
2019	33,980	10.5	37,135	11.3	15,838	21.7	15,507	8.6	5,791	7.8
2018	38,146	11.8	39,199	12.0	17,065	23.3	16,581	9.2	5,552	7.6
2017	39,564	12.3	41,420	12.7	17,995	24.5	17,984	9.9	5,440	7.7
2016	40,616	12.7	43,465	13.5	19,173	26.0	19,179	10.6	5,111	7.4
2015	43,123	13.5	45,111	14.1	19,852	27.0	20,465	11.3	4,793	7.2
2014	46,657	14.8	45,800	14.4	20,231	27.5	20,924	11.6	4,645	7.2
2013	46,269	14.8	47,027	14.9	20,850	28.3	21,819	12.1	4,359	6.9
2012	46,496	15.0	45,956	14.6	20,463	27.8	21,342	11.9	4,150	6.8
2011	46,247	15.0	44,086	14.1	19,892	26.9	20,430	11.4	3,765	6.4
2010	46,343	15.1	39,703	12.8	18,484	24.9	18,102	10.2	3,117	5.4
2009	43,569	14.3	32,842	10.7	15,589	21.0	16,181	9.1	2,724	4.7
2008	39,829	13.2	27,751	9.1	13,472	18.2	14,145	8.0	2,517	4.7
2007	37,276	12.5	25,887	8.6	12,695	17.2	13,030	7.5	2,263	4.3
2006	36,460	12.3	25,555	8.6	12,579	17.1	12,758	7.3	2,226	4.4
2005	36,950	12.6	24,841	8.4	12,404	16.9	10,390	6.0	2,044	4.1
2004	37,040	12.7	23,447	8.0	11,771	16.1	9,753	5.7	1,917	3.9
2003	35,861	12.5	20,898	7.2	10,605	14.5	8,503	5.0	1,786	3.7
2002	34,570	12.1	19,003	6.6	9,688	13.3	7,625	4.5	1,684	3.6
2001	32,907	11.7	17,262	6.1	8,820	12.1	6,778	4.1	1,658	3.6
2000	31,581	11.3	17,054	6.0	8,743	12.1	6,612	4.0	1,700	3.7
1999	32,791	11.9	18,114	6.5	9,332	13.0	7,079	4.4	1,696	3.7
1998	34,476	12.7	19,748	7.2	10,520	14.7	7,760	4.9	1,635	3.6
1997	35,574	13.3	22,820	8.4	11,847	16.7	9,373	6.0	1,831	4.1
1996	36,529	13.7	25,495	9.5	13,189	18.8	10,769	7.0	1,891	4.3
1995	36,425	13.8	26,579	10.0	13,860	20.0	11,105	7.3	1,920	4.4
1994	38,059	14.5	27,439	10.4	14,391	21.0	11,615	7.7	1,955	4.5
1993	39,265	15.1	26,957	10.4	14,196	21.0	11,214	7.5	1,876	4.3
1992	38,014	14.8	25,371	9.9	13,349	20.1	10,550	7.2	1,687	3.9
1991	35,708	14.2	22,599	8.9	11,952	18.3	9,190	6.3	1,593	3.8
1990	33,585	13.5	20,020	8.0	10,127	15.8	8,084	5.6	1,511	3.6
1989	31,528	12.8	18,777	7.6	9,429	14.9	7,560	5.3	1,582	3.8
1988	31,745	13.0	18,613	7.6	9,351	14.8	7,506	5.3	1,500	3.7
1987	32,221	13.4	19,072	7.9	9,771	15.5	7,684	5.5	1,589	3.9
1986	32,370	13.6	19,381	8.1	9,844	15.7	7,895	5.7	1,631	4.1
1985	33,064	14.0	19,847	8.3	9,801	15.7	8,258	6.1	1,783	4.5
1980	29,272	13.0	19,253	8.5	9,876	15.5	7,186	5.6	1,741	4.9
1975	25,877	12.3	16,320	7.6	–	–	–	–	–	–

Note: Estimates for fiscal year 2000 and later differ methodologically from estimates for earlier years. Estimates are fiscal year averages using monthly caseload data from administrative records. Data by age is not available until 1979. Percentages are calculated based on population estimates from the U.S. Census Bureau. Recipient totals exclude the territories. From 1975 to 1983 the number of participants includes the Family Food Assistance Program (FFAP) that was largely replaced by the Food Stamp Program in 1975. From 1975 to 1983 the number of FFAP participants averaged only 88 thousand.

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Food and Nutrition Service (FNS), Office of Policy Support, Characteristics of Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program Households and the FNS National Data Bank, Fiscal Year 2023. Poverty data is from from the U.S. Census Bureau.

Table 9 Indicator 3. Number and Percentage of the Total Population Receiving SSI by Age: 1975-2024

Date	Total recipients		Ages 0 to 17		Ages 18 to 64		Ages 65 and older	
	Number in 1,000s	Percent	Number in 1,000s	Percent	Number in 1,000s	Percent	Number in 1,000s	Percent
Dec 2024	7,424	2.2	1,003	1.4	3,952	1.9	2,469	4.0
Dec 2023	7,425	2.2	983	1.4	4,039	2.0	2,403	4.0
Dec 2022	7,542	2.3	997	1.4	4,196	2.1	2,349	4.0
Dec 2021	7,696	2.3	1,038	1.4	4,364	2.2	2,294	4.0
Dec 2020	7,960	2.4	1,109	1.5	4,556	2.2	2,295	4.2
Dec 2019	8,077	2.4	1,132	1.5	4,647	2.3	2,298	4.2
Dec 2018	8,129	2.5	1,148	1.6	4,714	2.3	2,266	4.3
Dec 2017	8,228	2.5	1,183	1.6	4,805	2.4	2,240	4.3
Dec 2016	8,251	2.5	1,213	1.6	4,846	2.4	2,192	4.4
Dec 2015	8,310	2.6	1,267	1.7	4,889	2.4	2,154	4.4
Dec 2014	8,336	2.6	1,300	1.8	4,913	2.5	2,123	4.5
Dec 2013	8,363	2.6	1,322	1.8	4,934	2.5	2,108	4.6
Dec 2012	8,263	2.6	1,312	1.8	4,869	2.5	2,082	4.7
Dec 2011	8,113	2.6	1,277	1.7	4,777	2.4	2,059	4.9
Dec 2010	7,912	2.5	1,239	1.7	4,632	2.4	2,041	5.0
Dec 2009	7,677	2.5	1,200	1.6	4,451	2.3	2,026	5.1
Dec 2008	7,521	2.5	1,154	1.6	4,333	2.3	2,034	5.2
Dec 2007	7,360	2.4	1,121	1.5	4,222	2.2	2,017	5.3
Dec 2006	7,236	2.4	1,079	1.5	4,152	2.2	2,004	5.3
Dec 2005	7,114	2.4	1,036	1.4	4,083	2.2	1,995	5.4
Dec 2004	6,988	2.4	993	1.4	4,017	2.2	1,978	5.4
Dec 2003	6,902	2.4	959	1.3	3,953	2.2	1,990	5.5
Dec 2002	6,788	2.3	915	1.3	3,878	2.2	1,995	5.6
Dec 2001	6,688	2.3	882	1.2	3,811	2.1	1,995	5.6
Dec 2000	6,602	2.3	847	1.2	3,744	2.1	2,011	5.7
Dec 1999	6,557	2.3	847	1.2	3,691	2.1	2,019	5.8
Dec 1998	6,566	2.4	887	1.2	3,646	2.1	2,033	5.9
Dec 1997	6,495	2.4	880	1.2	3,562	2.1	2,054	6.0
Dec 1996	6,634	2.4	955	1.4	3,568	2.2	2,110	6.2
Dec 1995	6,514	2.4	917	1.3	3,482	2.1	2,115	6.2
Dec 1994	6,296	2.4	841	1.2	3,335	2.1	2,119	6.3
Dec 1993	5,984	2.3	723	1.1	3,148	2.0	2,113	6.4
Dec 1992	5,566	2.2	556	0.8	2,910	1.8	2,100	6.4
Dec 1991	5,118	2.0	397	0.6	2,642	1.7	2,080	6.5
Dec 1990	4,817	1.9	309	0.5	2,450	1.6	2,059	6.5
Dec 1985	4,138	1.7	227	0.4	1,879	1.3	2,031	7.1
Dec 1980	4,142	1.8	190	0.3	1,731	1.3	2,221	8.6
Dec 1975	4,314	2.0	107	0.2	1,699	1.3	2,508	10.9

Note: Population denominators are the average of the U.S. Census Bureau's July 1 population estimates for the current and subsequent year.

Source: Social Security Administration, Office of Research, Evaluation and Statistics, Annual Statistical Supplement to the Social Security Bulletin, 2025.

Table 10 Indicator 4. Families in the 50 States and District of Columbia Receiving Standard Benefits in AFDC or TANF, Select Years from 1981 to 2023

Year	Participating Families (in millions)	Eligible Families (in millions)	Participation Rate (in percent)
2023	0.857	3.870	22.1
2022	0.839	3.839	21.9
2021	0.812	3.921	20.7
2020	0.917	4.522	20.3
2019	0.929	4.360	21.3
2018	1.022	4.218	24.2
2017	1.112	4.536	24.5
2016	1.213	4.869	24.9
2015	1.326	5.038	26.3
2014	1.494	5.420	27.6
2013	1.632	5.315	30.7
2012	1.763	5.440	32.4
2011	1.877	5.538	33.9
2010	1.892	5.616	33.7
2009	1.809	5.596	32.3
2008	1.661	5.039	33.0
2007	1.709	4.745	36.0
2006	1.881	4.829	39.0
2005	2.039	5.047	40.4
2004	2.129	5.065	42.0
2003	2.151	4.711	45.7
2002	2.141	4.450	48.1
2001	2.157	4.493	48.0
2000	2.274	4.388	51.8
1999	2.581	4.938	52.3
1998	3.021	5.416	55.8
1997	3.690	5.334	69.2
1996	4.360	5.524	78.9
1995	4.673	5.543	84.3
1994	4.926	5.997	82.1
1993	4.904	6.006	81.7
1992	4.720	5.509	85.7
1990	4.043	4.918	82.2
1989	3.766	4.506	83.6
1988	3.671	4.680	78.4
1987	3.680	4.797	76.7
1985	3.635	4.583	79.3
1983	3.611	4.649	77.7
1981	3.615	4.508	80.2

Note: As programs have changed over time, reporting from HHS has changed for clarity. Prior editions of this book showed an estimate of all families eligible for any TANF cash assistance or small supplement. Beginning in 2017 the number participating excludes families eligible only for a supplemental benefit most typically valued at \$10 or \$20 a month. Most supplemental benefits are granted to families with children who receive SNAP but not TANF. Data on the full caseload can be obtained from the HHS Administration for Children and Families website at <<https://www.acf.hhs.gov/ofa/programs/tanf/data-reports>>.

TANF includes separate state programs (SSPs) funded with maintenance-of-effort dollars. However, cash welfare income from "general assistance" or solely-state-funded programs (SSFs) **do not** count as TANF. Units that receive only small "worker supplement" benefits are excluded beginning in 2017. TANF receipt in this tables **excludes** units in the U.S. territories, non-custodial parent units, pregnancy-only units, and units with no cash benefits.

Source: The Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplements and the microsimulation model TRIM3.

Table 11 Indicator 4. Number and Percentage of Eligible Households Participating in SNAP by Year

Month or Year	Eligible households (in millions)	Participating households (in millions)	Participation Rate (in percent)
Fiscal Year 2022	19.4	17.7	91.6
Fiscal Year 2021	no data	no data	no data
Fiscal Year 2020	20.2	16.7	83.0
Fiscal Year 2019	20.2	17.0	83.8
Fiscal Year 2018	21.4	17.8	83.4
Fiscal Year 2017	22.1	18.6	84.0
Fiscal Year 2016	22.8	19.6	85.9
Fiscal Year 2015	23.0	20.4	88.8
Fiscal Year 2014	23.4	20.6	88.1
Fiscal Year 2013	23.2	20.9	90.1
Fiscal Year 2012	23.2	20.2	87.2
Fiscal Year 2011	23.5	19.2	81.8
Fiscal Year 2010	23.3	17.4	74.6
Fiscal Year 2009	20.3	14.7	72.2
Fiscal Year 2008	18.0	12.3	68.4
Fiscal Year 2007	17.5	11.4	65.5
Fiscal Year 2006	17.1	11.2	65.3
Fiscal Year 2005	17.7	10.7	60.6
Fiscal Year 2004	17.5	10.0	57.1
Fiscal Year 2003	17.1	8.9	52.1
Fiscal Year 2002	16.7	8.0	47.6
Fiscal Year 2001	15.1	7.3	48.0
Fiscal Year 2000	14.2	7.1	50.2
Fiscal Year 1999	14.5	7.5	51.6
September 1998	14.0	7.6	54.2
September 1997	14.7	8.4	57.5
September 1996	15.3	9.9	65.1
September 1995	15.0	10.4	69.2
September 1994	15.3	10.7	69.6
August 1993	17.0	10.9	64.0
August 1992	16.6	10.2	61.6
August 1991	15.6	9.2	59.1
August 1990	14.5	8.0	54.9
August 1988	14.9	7.0	47.1
August 1986	15.3	7.1	46.5
August 1984	14.2	7.3	51.6
August 1982	14.5	7.5	51.5
August 1980	14.0	7.4	52.5
February 1978	14.0	5.3	37.8
September 1976	16.3	5.3	32.6

Notes: Estimates are monthly averages. The grey and white shaded areas of the table are methodologically consistent and comparable. FY 2010 to FY 2013 estimates should not be compared with any prior estimates. The following estimates are methodologically consistent: September 1976 to August 1994; September 1994 to September 1999; FY 1999 to FY 2001; FY 2002 to FY 2009; FY 2010 to FY 2016.

Source: FSP Program Operations data, FSPQC data, and the Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplements.

Table 12 Indicator 4. Percentage of Eligible Adult Units Participating in the SSI Program by Selected Characteristics: 1993-2023

Year	One-Person Units						Couple Units		
	Ages 65 and older			Disabled			Married couples		
	Eligible (in millions)	Participating (in millions)	Rate (in percent)	Eligible (in millions)	Participating (in millions)	Rate (in percent)	Eligible (in millions)	Participating (in millions)	Rate (in percent)
2023	4.2	2.1	49.9	6.3	3.9	62.1	1.0	0.2	22.7
2022	4.1	2.1	49.9	6.3	4.0	64.1	1.0	0.2	23.5
2021	4.0	2.0	49.5	6.7	4.2	62.2	1.0	0.2	21.8
2020	4.0	2.0	49.8	6.6	4.3	66.2	0.9	0.2	25.2
2019	3.8	2.0	52.0	6.1	4.4	72.7	0.9	0.3	27.6
2018	3.7	1.9	52.2	6.3	4.5	71.3	0.9	0.3	28.2
2017	3.5	1.9	54.2	6.7	4.5	67.7	0.8	0.3	32.5
2016	3.6	1.8	51.4	7.1	4.6	64.9	0.8	0.3	31.6
2015	3.1	1.8	57.5	7.1	4.6	65.0	0.9	0.3	30.9
2014	3.3	1.8	53.6	7.0	4.6	65.0	0.9	0.3	31.4
2013	3.0	1.8	58.7	6.9	4.6	66.4	0.8	0.3	36.4
2012	3.0	1.7	58.1	6.5	4.5	69.9	0.8	0.3	37.5
2011	2.5	1.7	67.3	6.3	4.4	70.3	0.7	0.3	40.1
2010	2.6	1.7	65.8	6.4	4.3	67.4	0.7	0.3	41.5
2009	2.6	1.7	64.8	6.1	4.1	67.4	0.7	0.3	40.0
2008	2.5	1.7	67.3	5.8	3.9	68.0	0.7	0.3	39.8
2007	2.7	1.7	61.6	5.4	3.9	72.3	0.7	0.3	43.0
2006	2.4	1.7	69.1	5.2	3.8	72.5	0.7	0.3	39.9
2005	2.6	1.7	63.4	5.1	3.7	73.5	0.7	0.3	41.1
2004	2.6	1.7	63.3	5.3	3.7	69.2	0.6	0.3	46.0
2003	2.7	1.7	62.3	4.9	3.6	73.8	0.6	0.3	47.6
2002	2.7	1.7	61.9	4.5	3.5	78.3	0.6	0.3	47.9
2001	2.6	1.7	64.4	4.6	3.5	75.9	0.6	0.3	45.7
2000	2.4	1.7	70.9	3.9	3.2	82.3	0.5	0.3	49.9
1999	2.4	1.6	65.8	3.9	3.3	83.3	0.6	0.3	47.8
1998	2.5	1.6	63.6	4.2	3.3	77.9	0.5	0.3	48.1
1997	n.a.	n.a.	62.7	n.a.	n.a.	79.4	n.a.	n.a.	49.1
1996	n.a.	n.a.	60.4	n.a.	n.a.	73.5	n.a.	n.a.	46.7
1995	n.a.	n.a.	64.9	n.a.	n.a.	74.0	n.a.	n.a.	52.2
1994	n.a.	n.a.	58.4	n.a.	n.a.	73.0	n.a.	n.a.	43.9
1993	n.a.	n.a.	57.0	n.a.	n.a.	71.0	n.a.	n.a.	37.0

Errata: For 2013 through 2016, a coding error increased self-employment income beyond the eligibility limit for a subset of individuals and had the effect of over-estimating participation rates. Previously published rates for 2013, 2014, 2015, and 2016 were inflated by a minimum of 0.1 percentage point to a maximum of 0.4 percentage points. The current table presents corrected, updated participation rates for these years.

Note: Improvements to the survey have resulted in small changes to the methodology over time. The model was revised in 1997 and 1998 to more accurately exclude ineligible immigrants. In 2004 the method for identifying individuals eligible for SSI due to disability were improved. Unpublished tabulations from the Social Security Administration based on data from the Survey of Income and Program Participation suggest that the rate of SSI participation among eligible working-age adults was between 40 percent and 80 percent.

Source: The Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplements and microsimulation model TRIM3.

Table 13 Indicator 5. Percentage of the Total Population that Received Assistance from Multiple Means-Tested Programs: 1993-2023

Year	Any Receipt	Receipt from One Program			Receipt from Two Programs	
		AFDC/TANF	FS/SNAP	SSI	AFDC/TANF & SNAP	SNAP & SSI
2023	14.0	0.2	11.1	0.6	0.52	1.6
2022	13.9	0.2	11.0	0.6	0.41	1.7
2021	13.8	0.1	10.9	0.7	0.49	1.6
2020	13.7	0.2	10.6	0.8	0.53	1.6
2019	12.7	0.2	9.7	1.1	0.49	1.4
2018	13.8	0.2	10.6	1.0	0.58	1.5
2017	14.9	0.2	11.5	1.0	0.7	1.5
2016	15.4	0.1	11.9	1.1	0.8	1.5
2015	16.2	0.1	12.6	1.1	0.9	1.5
2014	16.5	0.1	12.7	1.0	1.0	1.6
2013	17.0	0.1	13.2	1.0	1.1	1.6
2012	17.0	0.1	13.0	1.0	1.2	1.6
2011	16.8	0.2	12.7	1.0	1.3	1.6
2010	16.3	0.2	12.2	1.0	1.3	1.5
2009	13.5	0.2	9.6	1.1	1.3	1.4
2008	11.4	0.2	7.7	1.2	1.2	1.2
2007	10.6	0.2	6.8	1.3	1.2	1.2
2006	10.4	0.2	6.5	1.3	1.3	1.2
2005	10.2	0.2	6.2	1.3	1.5	1.2
2004	10.3	0.2	6.1	1.2	1.6	1.1
2003	9.7	0.2	5.5	1.3	1.6	1.0
2002	8.5	0.3	4.5	1.3	1.4	1.0
2001	8.1	0.3	3.9	1.4	1.5	1.0
2000	8.1	0.2	3.8	1.4	1.7	1.0
1999	8.5	0.4	3.8	1.3	2.0	1.0
1998	9.0	0.4	3.9	1.4	2.4	0.9
1997	10.2	0.4	4.3	1.3	3.1	1.0
1996	12.0	0.3	5.3	1.2	4.0	1.1
1995	12.3	0.4	5.0	1.2	4.5	1.1
1994	12.8	0.5	5.3	1.2	4.6	1.1
1993	12.6	0.6	5.2	1.1	4.8	1.0

Note: The percentage of individuals who received assistance from any one program in an average month (shown here) is lower than the percentage who received assistance at some point over the course of a year (shown in Table 1). Categories are mutually exclusive. AFDC/TANF and Food Stamps/SNAP receipt are based on the family or recipient unit while SSI receipt is based on individuals. The TRIM model did not accumulate individuals who received benefits from all three programs.

Source: The Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplements and microsimulation model TRIM3.

Table 14 Indicator 5. Percentage of Recipients Receiving Assistance from One Program or Multiple Programs in an Average Month Among TANF, SSI and SNAP by Selected Characteristics: 2023

	Any Receipt	One Program Only			Two Programs	
		TANF	SNAP	SSI	TANF & SNAP	SNAP & SSI
All Persons	14.0	0.2	11.1	0.6	0.5	1.6
Racial/Ethnic Categories						
Non-Hispanic White	10.1	0.1	8.2	0.5	0.3	1.2
Non-Hispanic Black	24.4	0.4	18.5	1.1	1.2	3.2
Hispanic	18.9	0.3	15.2	0.8	1.0	1.7
Age Categories						
Children ages 0-5	25.6	0.6	22.1	0.4	2.0	0.6
Children ages 6-10	24.1	0.5	20.0	0.7	2.0	1.0
Children ages 11-15	22.3	0.6	18.5	0.6	1.4	1.2
Women ages 16-64	12.5	0.1	10.2	0.4	0.4	1.4
Men ages 16-64	9.9	0.1	7.6	0.7	0.2	1.4
Adults ages 65 and over	12.9	0.0	8.8	1.0	0.0	3.0
Family Categories						
Persons in:						
Married couple families	7.9	0.1	6.7	0.4	0.2	0.6
Single female families	34.9	0.7	27.2	1.4	2.5	3.2
Single male families	20.4	0.2	16.2	1.4	0.7	1.9
Unrelated persons	14.7	0.0	10.7	0.5	0.0	3.5

Note: Data is an average monthly percentage of the population. Categories are mutually exclusive. TANF and SNAP receipt are based on the family or recipient unit while SSI receipt is based on individuals. Individuals do not tend to receive both TANF and SSI; hence, no individual receives benefits from all three programs. The percentage of individuals receiving assistance from any one program in an average month (shown here) is lower than the percentage residing in families receiving assistance at some point over the course of a year shown in Table 2 Indicator 1.

Persons who reported more than one race are not included the race categories above. Due to small sample sizes, American Indians/Alaska Natives, Asians and Native Hawaiians/Other Pacific Islanders are not shown separately. Hispanic persons may be of any race.

Source: The Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplement, 2023 and the microsimulation model TRIM3.

Table 15 Indicator 6. Months of Benefit Receipt for Recipients of TANF, SNAP, or SSI, 2017-2018

TANF

	<= 4 Months	5-12 Months	13-20 Months	>20 Months
All Recipients	11.2%	53.8%	6.6%	28.5%
White, non-Hispanic	10.1%	50.0%	8.8%	31.1%
Black, non-Hispanic	11.2%	47.5%	8.7%	32.6%
Hispanic	10.4%	64.2%	1.8%	23.6%
Children ages 0-5	9.0%	54.9%	7.3%	28.8%
Children ages 6-10	9.4%	43.9%	6.6%	40.1%
Children ages 11-15	6.4%	45.4%	3.0%	45.2%
Adults ages 16-24	12.1%	63.9%	8.9%	15.1%
Adults ages 25-64	19.1%	62.7%	6.8%	11.4%
Single parents	22.7%	56.3%	7.7%	13.3%
Single non-parents	10.9%	76.4%	4.5%	8.1%

SNAP

	<= 4 Months	5-12 Months	13-20 Months	>20 Months
All Recipients	10.7%	30.8%	11.0%	47.6%
White, non-Hispanic	11.1%	29.1%	11.0%	48.8%
Black, non-Hispanic	10.6%	26.5%	12.1%	50.8%
Hispanic	10.2%	36.4%	10.2%	43.2%
Children ages 0-5	7.8%	27.9%	12.2%	52.1%
Children ages 6-10	10.9%	28.1%	12.1%	48.9%
Children ages 11-15	9.5%	33.4%	9.4%	47.7%
Adults ages 16-24	15.4%	42.8%	9.2%	32.6%
Adults ages 25-64	11.6%	30.9%	11.7%	45.7%
Adults ages 65 and over	5.1%	19.8%	7.0%	68.1%
Single parents	8.2%	31.0%	14.3%	46.5%
Single non-parents	10.2%	29.9%	9.2%	50.8%

SSI

	<= 4 Months	5-12 Months	13-20 Months	>20 Months
All Recipients	3.0%	33.6%	5.4%	57.9%
White, non-Hispanic	2.1%	34.1%	5.8%	58.0%
Black, non-Hispanic	3.0%	36.1%	3.3%	57.6%
Hispanic	3.2%	33.6%	6.4%	56.7%
Children ages 0-5	0.0%	47.3%	22.3%	30.3%
Children ages 6-10	0.0%	40.6%	15.7%	43.7%
Children ages 11-15	10.6%	43.3%	4.7%	41.4%
Adults ages 16-24	0.9%	28.6%	4.1%	66.5%
Adults ages 25-64	3.5%	31.6%	5.3%	59.5%
Adults ages 65 and over	0.7%	34.5%	2.4%	62.4%
Single parents	1.9%	41.3%	5.1%	51.7%
Single non-parents	1.7%	26.6%	4.9%	66.7%

Note: Unit of analysis is individuals. The sample is limited to those who received TANF, SNAP, or SSI benefits for at least one month during the analysis period and continued to participate in the survey.

Source: Survey of Income and Program Participation, 2017 and 2018

Table 16 Indicator 7. Percentage Employed at Any Time During the Year for Adults Ages 18-65 with a High School Degree or Less Education by Sex and Race and Ethnicity, 1968-2024

Year	Women			Men		
	White, non-Hispanic	Black, non-Hispanic	Hispanic	White, non-Hispanic	Black, non-Hispanic	Hispanic
2024	62.1	59.9	62.0	75.9	65.5	81.9
2023	63.0	59.5	59.8	75.2	65.6	81.6
2022	60.2	63.9	59.2	74.8	64.8	81.6
2021	60.3	60.4	57.6	73.7	62.6	81.4
2020	60.1	59.7	57.2	74.4	63.9	80.6
2019	62.0	61.4	59.5	76.4	62.9	82.9
2018	60.5	59.4	57.0	76.4	62.3	81.9
2017	60.0	58.2	56.3	75.8	61.6	81.1
2016	60.6	58.3	55.8	75.6	61.9	81.3
2015	60.6	57.6	55.5	75.8	60.2	80.8
2014	59.8	56.4	54.5	74.6	58.2	80.7
2013	60.7	60.0	53.9	74.9	56.7	82.1
2012	61.4	55.0	54.3	74.6	57.8	79.7
2011	61.0	55.9	54.7	74.4	57.3	78.4
2010	61.2	55.5	53.7	74.4	57.8	78.3
2009	63.4	57.1	55.6	76.7	60.0	80.1
2008	65.6	61.3	57.2	79.0	64.5	83.6
2007	66.1	62.4	56.0	80.3	65.8	85.6
2006	66.5	63.2	56.8	80.6	65.6	86.4
2005	66.3	63.3	56.1	80.7	66.3	85.6
2004	66.3	62.9	56.1	80.8	66.7	84.9
2003	66.9	65.2	56.9	81.1	65.7	84.6
2002	69.5	64.4	57.5	82.5	67.3	85.1
2001	69.8	64.8	59.2	83.4	69.9	85.5
2000	70.6	67.7	61.0	84.7	72.7	86.4
1999	71.4	68.4	58.8	84.5	72.0	86.4
1998	70.4	67.1	57.1	85.3	71.8	85.5
1997	69.9	66.6	56.9	85.3	72.0	85.0
1996	70.2	64.1	55.4	85.9	70.3	84.0
1995	69.6	60.1	53.9	85.9	70.1	83.3
1994	69.0	60.9	53.3	85.0	69.1	83.2
1993	68.6	60.0	52.2	84.6	71.2	83.5
1992	67.8	57.8	53.3	85.7	71.5	83.7
1991	68.3	61.0	54.6	86.4	73.9	85.0
1990	68.5	60.7	55.0	87.7	75.6	85.4
1989	68.8	61.1	55.8	87.7	75.3	86.6
1988	68.0	61.4	54.6	86.3	74.0	87.8
1987	67.3	59.9	54.0	86.7	73.9	85.6
1986	66.8	61.0	54.0	86.4	74.3	86.5
1985	66.0	59.4	52.9	86.1	74.6	83.9
1984	65.0	58.9	54.0	86.5	71.9	83.9
1983	63.5	55.3	51.7	84.8	70.2	85.2
1982	62.7	56.6	51.1	85.6	71.1	85.3
1981	64.0	57.5	53.0	87.4	74.5	87.6
1980	64.1	57.6	53.7	88.0	75.2	86.8
1979	62.9	58.9	55.0	88.5	78.7	89.4
1977	61.4	57.6	52.2	88.3	78.1	89.2
1975	58.3	57.2	49.7	88.2	78.8	86.2
1972	55.6	58.1	--	91.1	84.3	--
1971	55.2	59.4	--	90.9	86.1	--
1969	56.1	64.9	--	92.1	89.2	--
1968	55.8	65.8	--	92.8	89.9	--

Note: Data include both full and partial year employment for the given calendar year. Beginning in 2002 race groups include only persons who reported a single race. Due to small sample size, American Indians/Alaska Natives, Asians and Native Hawaiians/Other Pacific Islanders are not shown separately. Hispanic persons may be of any race.

Source: The Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplements.

Table 17 IND 8. Percentage of Persons in Official Poverty by Age and Family Type: 1960 to 2024

Calendar Year	Total	Related Children					In married-couple families	In single-female families
		Ages 0-5	Ages 6-17	Under 18	18 to 64	65 & over		
2024	10.6	16.1	13.0	14.0	9.6	9.9	4.6	23.5
2023	11.1	16.8	14.2	15.0	10.0	9.7	5.2	23.6
2022	11.5	15.9	14.3	14.8	10.6	10.2	5.4	24.7
2021	11.6	16.1	14.5	15.0	10.5	10.3	5.2	25.3
2020	11.5	17.3	15.0	15.7	10.5	8.9	5.3	25.5
2019	10.5	15.5	13.5	14.1	9.4	8.9	4.6	24.3
2018	11.8	17.2	15.2	15.9	10.7	9.7	5.4	26.8
2017	12.3	18.8	16.2	17.0	11.1	9.6	5.7	28.5
2016	12.7	19.5	16.7	17.6	11.6	9.3	5.8	28.8
2015	13.5	21.0	18.4	19.2	12.4	8.8	6.4	30.4
2014	14.8	23.5	19.4	20.7	13.5	10.0	7.2	33.1
2013	14.8	23.7	19.6	20.9	13.3	10.2	6.7	34.4
2012	15.0	24.4	19.8	21.3	13.7	9.1	7.5	33.9
2011	15.0	24.5	19.9	21.4	13.7	8.7	7.4	34.2
2010	15.1	25.3	19.6	21.5	13.8	8.9	7.7	34.3
2009	14.3	23.8	18.2	20.1	12.9	8.9	7.2	32.5
2008	13.2	21.3	17.1	18.5	11.7	9.7	6.7	31.4
2007	12.5	20.8	16.0	17.6	10.9	9.7	5.8	30.7
2006	12.3	20.0	15.4	16.9	10.8	9.4	5.7	30.5
2005	12.6	20.0	15.7	17.1	11.1	10.1	5.9	31.1
2004	12.7	20.0	16.0	17.3	11.3	9.8	6.4	30.5
2003	12.5	19.8	15.9	17.2	10.8	10.2	6.2	30.0
2002	12.1	18.5	15.2	16.3	10.6	10.4	6.1	28.8
2001	11.7	18.2	14.6	15.8	10.1	10.1	5.7	28.6
2000	11.3	17.8	14.6	15.6	9.6	9.9	5.5	27.9
1999	11.9	18.4	15.7	16.6	10.1	9.7	5.9	30.5
1998	12.7	20.6	17.2	18.3	10.5	10.5	6.2	33.1
1997	13.3	21.6	18.0	19.2	10.9	10.5	6.4	35.1
1996	13.7	22.7	18.4	19.8	11.4	10.8	6.9	35.8
1995	13.8	23.7	18.3	20.2	11.4	10.5	6.8	36.5
1994	14.5	24.5	19.5	21.2	11.9	11.7	7.4	38.6
1993	15.1	25.6	20.0	22.0	12.4	12.2	8.0	38.7
1992	14.8	25.7	19.4	21.6	11.9	12.9	7.7	38.5
1991	14.2	24.0	19.5	21.1	11.4	12.4	7.2	39.7
1990	13.5	23.0	18.2	19.9	10.7	12.2	6.9	37.2
1985	14.0	22.6	18.8	20.1	11.3	12.6	8.2	37.6
1980	13.0	20.3	16.7	17.9	10.1	15.7	7.4	36.7
1975	12.3	18.2	16.2	16.8	9.2	15.3	7.1	37.5
1970	12.6	16.6	14.1	14.9	9.0	24.6	7.7	38.1
1965	17.3	-	-	20.7	NA	NA	12.8	46.0
1960	22.2	-	-	26.5	NA	NA	18.0	48.9

Note: Universe is the civilian non-institutionalized population living in the United States. Individuals ages 0-14 are excluded if not related to the householder. Members of the Armed Forces are included if at least one civilian adult lives in the household.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, "Income, Poverty, and Health Insurance Coverage in the United States: 2019," Current Population Reports.

Table 18 Indicator 9. Percentage of Households Classified Food Security Status: 1998-2024

Year	All Households				Households with children not food secure
	Food secure	Low food security	Very low food security	Total not food secure	
2024	86.3	8.3	5.4	13.7	18.4
2023	86.5	8.4	5.1	13.5	17.9
2022	87.2	7.7	5.1	12.8	17.3
2021	89.8	6.4	3.8	10.2	12.5
2020	89.5	6.6	3.9	10.5	14.8
2019	89.5	6.4	4.1	10.5	13.6
2018	88.9	6.8	4.3	11.1	13.9
2017	88.2	7.3	4.5	11.8	15.7
2016	87.7	7.4	4.9	12.3	16.5
2015	87.3	7.7	5.0	12.7	16.6
2014	86.0	8.4	5.6	14.0	19.2
2013	85.7	8.7	5.6	14.3	19.5
2012	85.5	8.8	5.7	14.5	20.0
2011	85.1	9.2	5.7	14.9	20.6
2010	85.5	9.1	5.4	14.5	20.2
2009	85.3	9.0	5.7	14.7	21.3
2008	85.4	8.9	5.7	14.6	21.0
2007	88.9	7.0	4.1	11.1	15.8
2006	89.1	6.9	4.0	10.9	15.6
2005	89.0	7.1	3.9	11.0	15.6
2004	88.1	8.0	3.9	11.9	17.6
2003	88.8	7.7	3.5	11.2	16.7
2002	88.9	7.6	3.5	11.1	16.5
2001	89.3	7.4	3.3	10.7	16.1
2000	89.5	7.3	3.1	10.5	16.2
1999	89.9	7.1	3.0	10.1	14.8
1998	88.2	8.1	3.7	11.8	17.6

Note: Food secure households have consistent, dependable access to enough food for active, healthy living. Households with low food security had difficulty at some time during the year providing enough food for all their members due to a lack of resources. Households with very low food security experienced reduced food intake for some household members and the disruption of normal eating patterns due lack of money and other resources.

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, Household Food Security in the United States in 2024, Economic Research Report No. 358, December 2025. Data are from the Current Population Survey, Food Security Supplement. https://ers.usda.gov/sites/default/files/_laserfiche/publications/113623/ERR-358.pdf?v=37657

Table 19 Indicator 9. Percentage of Households Classified by Food Security Status and Selected Characteristics: 2024

Category	Food secure	Total not food secure	Low food security	Very low food security
All Households	86.3	13.7	8.3	5.4
Racial/Ethnic Categories				
Non-Hispanic White	89.9	10.1	6.0	4.1
Non-Hispanic Black	75.6	24.4	13.9	10.5
Hispanic	79.8	20.2	13.8	6.4
Age Categories				
Households with children under 6	82.2	17.8	13.1	4.7
Households with children under 18	81.6	18.4	12.9	5.5
Households with elderly	90.1	9.9	6.3	3.6
Family Categories				
Married-couple households with children	89.1	10.9	8.2	2.7
Single female, family households with children	63.2	36.8	23.9	12.9
Single male, family households with children	76.2	23.8	18.0	5.8
Household Income-to-Poverty Ratio				
Under 1.00	60.6	39.4	21.8	17.6
Under 1.30	61.7	38.3	22.1	16.2
Under 1.85	67.2	32.8	19.4	13.4
1.85 and over	92.1	7.9	4.9	3.0

Note: Unit of analysis is households. For 2024 n=134,062,000 total households; n=36,599,000 households with children; n=14,767,000 household with children under 6. Food secure households have consistent, dependable access to enough food for active, healthy living. Households with low food security had difficulty at some time during the year providing enough food for all their members due to a lack of resources. Households with very low food security experienced reduced food intake for some household members and the disruption of normal eating patterns due lack of money and other resources.

Source: *Household Food Security in the United States in 2024*; Current Population Survey, Food Security Supplement, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service. https://ers.usda.gov/sites/default/files/_laserfiche/publications/113623/ERR-358.pdf?v=65503

Table 20 Indicator 10. Births Per 1,000 Unmarried Teenage Women by Age, Race, and Ethnicity: 1975-2023

Year	Ages 15 to 17				Ages 18 and 19			
	All Races	White	Black	Hispanic	All Races	White	Black	Hispanic
2023	5.6	2.9	9.1	9.3	22.7	14.6	35.6	35.9
2022	5.6	3.1	9.1	9.3	23.6	15.5	37.6	36.8
2021	5.6	3.1	9.4	9.2	24.4	16.3	40.8	36.4
2020	6.1	3.3	10.6	10.1	26.0	17.5	43.2	38.7
2019	6.6	3.7	11.3	11.3	28.3	19.3	46.2	41.5
2018	7.1	4.0	12.0	12.2	29.2	20.3	46.1	43.4
2017	7.7	4.4	12.6	13.3	31.4	22.1	48.7	47.0
2016	8.6	5.0	13.9	15.1	33.5	23.5	51.2	51.2
2015	9.6	8.8	15.4	16.6	36.5	34.3	55.8	55.7
2014	10.6	9.7	16.7	18.6	39.4	36.4	60.9	59.5
2013	11.9	10.8	19.0	21.1	42.1	38.6	66.2	63.0
2012	13.7	12.4	22.0	24.5	45.8	41.4	73.2	68.5
2011	14.9	13.4	24.7	27.0	48.2	43.4	77.4	71.7
2010	16.8	15.1	27.6	30.8	52.0	46.9	83.6	79.8
2009	19.3	16.9	32.6	35.3	58.2	51.1	96.8	90.9
2008	20.6	18.0	35.5	39.4	61.9	54.2	104.4	101.1
2007	20.8	18.0	36.3	40.6	63.9	55.9	109.1	109.2
2006	20.4	17.4	36.6	40.5	61.8	53.9	107.8	110.2
2005	19.7	16.8	35.4	40.3	58.4	50.9	101.6	103.9
2004	20.1	17.1	37.0	41.2	57.7	50.4	100.9	102.9
2003	20.3	17.2	38.1	41.1	57.6	50.4	100.4	101.2
2002	20.8	17.5	39.9	41.9	58.6	51.0	104.1	100.7
2001	22.0	18.1	43.8	43.4	60.6	52.1	110.2	101.1
2000	23.9	19.7	48.3	47.0	62.2	53.1	115.0	102.2
1999	25.0	20.7	50.0	48.7	62.3	52.9	115.8	99.9
1998	26.5	21.5	55.0	49.8	63.6	53.1	121.5	101.2
1997	27.7	22.0	59.0	50.7	63.9	52.9	124.8	100.6
1996	28.5	22.3	62.6	49.7	64.9	53.5	127.2	102.3
1995	30.1	23.3	67.4	52.8	66.5	54.7	129.2	108.6
1994	31.7	23.9	73.9	55.7	69.1	55.8	139.6	115.4
1993	30.3	21.9	75.9	49.6	66.2	52.0	140.0	108.8
1992	30.2	21.5	77.2	49.2	66.7	51.2	146.4	106.6
1991	30.8	21.7	79.9	49.5	65.4	49.4	147.7	107.5
1990	29.6	20.4	78.8	45.9	60.7	44.9	143.7	98.9
1989	28.7	19.3	78.9	--	56.0	40.2	140.9	--
1988	26.4	17.6	73.5	--	51.5	36.8	130.5	--
1987	24.5	16.2	69.9	--	48.9	34.5	123.0	--
1986	22.8	14.9	67.0	--	48.0	33.5	121.1	--
1985	22.4	14.5	66.8	--	45.9	31.2	117.9	--
1980	20.6	12.0	68.8	--	39.0	24.1	118.2	--
1975	19.3	9.6	76.8	--	32.5	16.5	123.8	--

Note: Data are tabulated by the race and ethnic origin of the mother.

Source: National Center for Health Statistics, "Nonmarital Childbearing in the United States, 1940-1999," National Vital Statistics Reports, Vol. 48 (16), 2000; "Births: Final Data for 2023," National Vital Statistics Reports, Vol. 74(2), 2025.