

**Table 7. Poverty of People, by Sex: 1966 to 2015**

NOTE: Numbers in thousands. People as of March of the following year.

Year	Total	Male							
		Total			Under 18			18 to 64	
		Total	Below poverty		Total	Below poverty		Total	Below poverty
			Number	Percent		Number	Percent		Number
2013 (19)	313,096	153,465	20,294	13.2	37,546	8,089	21.5	95,703	10,685
2013 (18)	312,965	153,361	20,119	13.1	37,480	7,416	19.8	96,117	11,354
2010 (17)	306,130	149,737	20,893	14.0	37,752	8,377	22.2	94,603	11,346
2004 (14)	290,617	142,433	16,399	11.5	37,467	6,667	17.8	89,819	8,676
2000 (12)	278,944	136,274	13,536	9.9	36,735	5,871	16.0	85,424	6,698
1999 (11)	276,208	134,823	14,079	10.4	36,777	6,155	16.7	84,048	6,973
1993 (10)	259,278	126,668	16,900	13.3	35,446	8,036	22.7	78,485	7,860
1992 (9 )	256,549	125,288	16,222	12.9	34,996	7,674	21.9	77,745	7,439
1991 (8 )	251,192	122,418	15,082	12.3	33,756	7,205	21.3	75,863	6,862
1987 (7 )	240,982	117,108	13,781	11.8	32,374	6,572	20.3	72,936	6,200
1983 (6 )	231,700	112,310	15,296	13.6	31,847	6,949	21.8	69,658	7,271
1981 (5 )	227,157	110,010	13,360	12.1	31,878	6,276	19.7	67,821	6,005
1979 (4 )	222,903	108,005	10,861	10.1	32,312	5,225	16.2	65,740	4,524
1974 (3 )	209,362	101,561	9,945	9.8	33,678	5,177	15.4	59,161	3,823
1971 (2 )	204,554	99,232	10,708	10.8	35,147	5,282	15.0	55,978	4,145
1967 (1 )	195,677	94,796	11,813	12.5	35,859	5,438	15.2	51,226	3,851
2015	318,454	156,009	19,037	12.2	37,542	7,327	19.5	97,258	10,223
2014	315,804	154,639	20,708	13.4	37,588	7,957	21.2	96,612	11,247
2012	310,648	152,058	20,656	13.6	37,611	8,015	21.3	95,149	11,359
2011	308,456	150,990	20,501	13.6	37,711	8,132	21.6	94,947	11,235
2009	303,820	149,237	19,475	13.0	38,076	7,770	20.4	94,369	10,601
2008	301,041	147,862	17,698	12.0	37,836	7,127	18.8	93,718	9,479
2007	298,699	146,655	16,302	11.1	37,793	6,774	17.9	93,100	8,495
2006	296,450	145,486	16,000	11.0	37,643	6,491	17.2	92,400	8,488
2005	293,135	143,803	15,950	11.1	37,458	6,507	17.4	91,161	8,330
2003	287,699	140,931	15,783	11.2	37,184	6,567	17.7	88,950	8,138
2002	285,317	139,558	15,162	10.9	37,127	6,234	16.8	87,904	7,804
2001	281,475	137,558	14,327	10.4	36,857	5,961	16.2	86,466	7,367
1998	271,059	132,408	14,712	11.1	36,554	6,723	18.4	82,127	6,994
1997	268,480	131,376	15,187	11.6	36,367	7,179	19.7	81,485	7,055
1996	266,218	130,353	15,611	12.0	36,199	7,248	20.0	80,751	7,451
1995	263,733	128,852	15,683	12.2	36,111	7,351	20.4	79,481	7,510
1994	261,616	127,838	16,316	12.8	35,830	7,684	21.4	79,005	7,692
1990	248,644	121,073	14,211	11.7	33,311	6,841	20.5	75,215	6,412
1989	245,992	119,704	13,366	11.2	32,832	6,400	19.5	74,538	6,000
1988	243,530	118,399	13,599	11.5	32,600	6,449	19.8	73,721	6,187
1986	238,554	115,915	13,721	11.8	32,209	6,593	20.5	72,128	6,149
1985	236,594	114,970	14,140	12.3	32,143	6,529	20.3	71,555	6,657
1984	233,816	113,391	14,537	12.8	31,939	6,687	20.9	70,438	6,891
1982	229,412	111,175	14,842	13.4	31,827	6,959	21.9	68,832	6,790
1980	225,027	108,990	12,207	11.2	32,114	5,817	18.1	66,768	5,288
1978	215,656	104,480	10,017	9.6	31,764	4,918	15.5	63,168	4,149
1977	213,867	103,629	10,340	10.0	32,165	5,155	16.0	62,294	4,224
1976	212,303	102,955	10,373	10.1	32,628	5,144	15.8	61,195	4,241
1975	210,864	102,211	10,908	10.7	33,154	5,554	16.8	60,145	4,341
1973	207,621	100,694	9,642	9.6	34,108	4,876	14.3	57,827	3,559
1972	206,004	99,804	10,190	10.2	34,738	5,184	14.9	56,952	3,923
1970	202,489	98,228	10,879	11.1	35,839	5,461	15.2	54,427	3,874



				Female					
	65 and over			Total			Under 18		
Below poverty	Total	Below poverty		Total	Below poverty		Total	Below poverty	
Percent		Number	Percent		Number	Percent		Number	Percent
11.2	20,216	1,520	7.5	159,630	25,975	16.3	35,893	7,712	21.5
11.8	19,763	1,349	6.8	159,605	25,199	15.8	36,144	7,242	20.0
12.0	17,382	1,169	6.7	156,394	25,451	16.3	36,121	7,909	21.9
9.7	15,147	1,056	7.0	148,183	20,641	13.9	35,775	6,375	17.8
7.8	14,115	967	6.8	142,670	18,045	12.6	35,006	5,716	16.3
8.3	13,999	951	6.8	141,385	18,712	13.2	34,908	6,125	17.5
10.0	12,736	1,004	7.9	132,610	22,365	16.9	33,846	7,691	22.7
9.6	12,547	1,108	8.8	131,261	21,792	16.6	33,444	7,619	22.8
9.0	12,800	1,015	7.9	128,774	20,626	16.0	32,162	7,136	22.2
8.5	11,798	1,009	8.6	123,874	18,439	14.9	30,920	6,271	20.3
10.4	10,805	1,076	10.0	119,390	20,006	16.8	30,487	6,961	22.8
8.9	10,311	1,080	10.5	117,147	18,462	15.8	30,571	6,229	20.4
6.9	9,953	1,111	11.2	114,898	15,211	13.2	31,063	5,152	16.6
6.5	8,722	944	10.8	107,801	13,429	12.5	32,456	4,979	15.3
7.4	8,282	1,292	15.6	105,298	14,841	14.1	33,904	5,230	15.4
7.5	7,910	1,751	22.1	100,861	15,951	15.8	34,677	5,438	15.7
10.5	21,209	1,487	7.0	162,445	24,086	14.8	36,106	7,182	19.9
11.6	20,439	1,504	7.4	161,164	25,949	16.1	35,968	7,583	21.1
11.9	19,298	1,282	6.6	158,590	25,840	16.3	36,108	8,058	22.3
11.8	18,332	1,134	6.2	157,466	25,746	16.3	36,026	8,002	22.2
11.2	16,793	1,104	6.6	154,582	24,094	15.6	36,504	7,682	21.0
10.1	16,308	1,092	6.7	153,179	22,131	14.4	36,232	6,941	19.2
9.1	15,762	1,033	6.6	152,044	20,973	13.8	36,203	6,550	18.1
9.2	15,443	1,020	6.6	150,964	20,460	13.6	36,085	6,335	17.6
9.1	15,185	1,113	7.3	149,331	21,000	14.1	35,828	6,390	17.8
9.1	14,797	1,079	7.3	146,768	20,078	13.7	35,815	6,299	17.6
8.9	14,528	1,125	7.7	145,759	19,408	13.3	35,569	5,899	16.6
8.5	14,235	999	7.0	143,917	18,580	12.9	35,164	5,772	16.4
8.5	13,727	995	7.2	138,652	19,764	14.3	34,784	6,744	19.4
8.7	13,524	953	7.0	137,105	20,387	14.9	34,702	6,934	20.0
9.2	13,404	912	6.8	135,865	20,918	15.4	34,451	7,215	20.9
9.4	13,260	822	6.2	134,880	20,742	15.4	34,455	7,314	21.2
9.7	13,003	939	7.2	133,778	21,744	16.3	34,191	7,604	22.2
8.5	12,547	959	7.6	127,571	19,373	15.2	31,738	6,591	20.8
8.1	12,334	965	7.8	126,288	18,162	14.4	31,312	6,190	19.8
8.4	12,078	963	8.0	125,131	18,146	14.5	31,147	6,006	19.3
8.5	11,578	978	8.4	122,640	18,649	15.2	30,739	6,283	20.4
9.3	11,272	954	8.5	121,624	18,923	15.6	30,733	6,481	21.1
9.8	11,014	959	8.7	120,425	19,163	15.9	30,508	6,733	22.1
9.9	10,516	1,093	10.4	118,237	19,556	16.5	30,518	6,688	21.9
7.9	10,108	1,102	10.9	116,037	17,065	14.7	30,800	5,726	18.6
6.6	9,548	951	10.0	111,175	14,480	13.0	30,546	5,014	16.4
6.8	9,170	961	10.5	110,238	14,381	13.0	30,972	5,074	16.4
6.9	9,132	988	10.8	109,348	14,603	13.4	31,401	5,129	16.3
7.2	8,913	1,013	11.4	108,652	14,970	13.8	31,926	5,550	17.4
6.2	8,527	1,029	12.1	106,898	13,316	12.5	32,897	4,813	14.6
6.9	8,347	1,097	13.1	106,168	14,258	13.4	33,520	5,120	15.3
7.1	8,194	1,566	19.1	104,248	14,632	14.0	34,625	5,173	14.9

6.9	8,046	1,648	20.5	103,037	13,978	13.6	34,071	4,768	14.0
7.2	7,960	1,613	20.3	101,919	14,578	14.3	34,675	5,406	15.6
8.4	7,794	1,831	23.5	99,637	16,265	16.3	34,639	6,173	17.8

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Male					
18 to 64			65 and over		
Total	Below poverty		Total	Below poverty	
	Number	Percent		Number	Percent
98,991	15,214	15.4	24,747	3,049	12.3
98,716	15,075	15.3	24,745	2,882	11.6
97,878	15,153	15.5	22,395	2,389	10.7
92,346	11,869	12.9	20,063	2,397	11.9
88,214	9,973	11.3	19,451	2,356	12.1
87,098	10,316	11.8	19,379	2,271	11.7
80,722	11,923	14.8	18,043	2,750	15.2
79,934	11,353	14.2	17,883	2,820	15.8
78,821	10,724	13.6	17,790	2,766	15.5
76,265	9,615	12.6	16,689	2,554	15.3
73,396	10,496	14.3	15,508	2,549	16.4
71,656	9,459	13.2	14,921	2,773	18.6
69,594	7,489	10.8	14,241	2,570	18.0
62,940	6,309	10.0	12,405	2,140	17.3
60,005	6,629	11.0	11,555	2,983	25.8
55,928	6,346	11.3	10,374	3,349	32.3
100,002	14,190	14.2	26,337	2,714	10.3
99,642	15,280	15.3	25,555	3,086	12.1
98,492	15,138	15.4	23,990	2,643	11.0
98,266	15,257	15.5	23,174	2,486	10.7
96,258	14,084	14.6	21,820	2,329	10.7
95,467	12,626	13.2	21,480	2,564	11.9
94,813	11,901	12.6	21,028	2,523	12.0
94,287	11,751	12.5	20,593	2,373	11.5
93,184	12,120	13.0	20,320	2,490	12.3
91,091	11,306	12.4	19,862	2,473	12.5
90,484	11,058	12.2	19,706	2,451	12.4
89,219	10,394	11.6	19,534	2,415	12.4
85,200	10,629	12.5	18,667	2,391	12.8
83,845	11,029	13.2	18,558	2,423	13.1
82,940	11,187	13.5	18,474	2,516	13.6
82,027	10,932	13.3	18,398	2,496	13.6
81,324	11,415	14.0	18,264	2,724	14.9
78,288	10,084	12.9	17,546	2,699	15.4
77,744	9,574	12.3	17,232	2,398	13.9
77,040	9,622	12.5	16,944	2,518	14.9
75,503	9,868	13.1	16,398	2,498	15.2
74,841	9,941	13.3	16,050	2,501	15.6
74,113	10,060	13.6	15,804	2,370	15.0
72,497	10,210	14.1	15,222	2,658	17.5
70,659	8,570	12.1	14,578	2,769	19.0
67,002	7,184	10.7	13,627	2,282	16.7
65,968	7,091	10.7	13,298	2,216	16.7
64,979	7,148	11.0	12,968	2,326	17.9
63,977	7,116	11.1	12,749	2,303	18.1
61,936	6,216	10.0	12,091	2,320	19.2
61,017	6,506	10.7	11,777	2,643	22.4
58,722	6,310	10.7	11,088	3,157	28.5

58,098	5,939	10.2	11,027	3,243	29.4
56,799	6,112	10.8	10,595	3,020	28.5
54,991	6,630	12.1	10,153	3,244	32.0

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