

Family Income¹ Distribution, by Age of Householder²: 1989

United States, All Families

(Data based on a sample)

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AGE OF HOUSEHOLDER	UNDER \$5,000	\$5,000– \$9,999	\$10,000– \$14,999	\$15,000– \$19,999	\$20,000– \$29,999	\$30,000– \$49,999	\$50,000– OR MORE	TOTAL
NUMBER								
<i>TOTAL, ALL FAMILIES</i>	2,582,206	3,636,361	4,676,092	5,190,271	10,825,208	18,643,747	19,495,543	65,049,428
<i>UNDER 60 (NO MEMBERS 60+)</i>	2,147,589	2,395,566	2,788,234	3,210,123	7,310,322	14,287,183	15,460,804	47,599,821
<i>UNDER 60 (ONE OR MORE MEMBERS 60+)</i>	42,921	81,764	116,314	136,106	312,997	594,507	796,637	2,081,246
<i>TOTAL, 65+</i>	270,419	937,117	1,453,830	1,467,117	2,381,482	2,463,123	1,823,837	10,796,925
TOTAL, 60+	391,696	1,159,031	1,771,544	1,844,042	3,201,889	3,762,057	3,238,102	15,368,361
60–64	121,277	221,914	317,714	376,925	820,407	1,298,934	1,414,265	4,571,436
65–74	159,576	513,485	835,033	933,889	1,655,704	1,793,006	1,351,500	7,242,193
75–84	90,358	342,098	514,815	460,311	632,435	584,544	409,373	3,033,934
85+	20,485	81,534	103,982	72,917	93,343	85,573	62,964	520,798
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION BY INCOME								
TOTAL, 60+	2.5	7.5	11.5	12.0	20.8	24.5	21.1	100.0
60–64	2.7	4.9	6.9	8.2	17.9	28.4	30.9	100.0
65–74	2.2	7.1	11.5	12.9	22.9	24.8	18.7	100.0
75–84	3.0	11.3	17.0	15.2	20.8	19.3	13.5	100.0
85+	3.9	15.7	20.0	14.0	17.9	16.4	12.1	100.0
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION BY AGE OF HOUSEHOLDER								
TOTAL, 60+	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
60–64	31.0	19.1	17.9	20.4	25.6	34.5	43.7	29.7
65–74	40.7	44.3	47.1	50.6	51.7	47.7	41.7	47.1
75–84	23.1	29.5	29.1	25.0	19.8	15.5	12.6	19.7
85+	5.2	7.0	5.9	4.0	2.9	2.3	1.9	3.4

¹ Includes wage or salary income; net nonfarm self-employment income; interest, dividend, or net rental or royalty income; Social Security or railroad retirement income; public assistance or welfare income; retirement or disability income; and all other regular sources of income.

² In most cases this is the person, or one of the persons, in whose name the home is owned, being bought, or rented. If there is no such person in the household, any adult member 15 years old could be designated as the householder.

Source of data: U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population and Housing, Special Tabulation on Aging, STP 14, Tables P164, P168, P170, P172, and P174.
See technical documentation for more detailed definitions.

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