# Getting Started Guide – United States Census Bureau American Fact Finder

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Search - Use the options on the le	eft (topics, geographies,) to narrow your search results
Your Selections 'Your Selections' is empty	search for tables and other files in American FactFinder:
load search   save search	1 Enter search terms and an optional geography and click GO
Search using the options below: Topics (age, income, year, dataset,)	topic or table name state, county or place (optional) topics or tace/ancestry or industries occupations
Geographies (states, counties, places,)	or Select from Topics, Race and Ethnic Groups, Industry Codes, EEO Occupation Codes.
Race and Ethnic Groups (race, ancestry, tribe)	<ul><li>these are added to 'Your Selections'</li><li>the Search Results are updated</li></ul>
Industry Codes (NAICS industry,)	2 Next, select Geographies (states, counties, cities, towns, etc.)
EEO Occupation Codes (executives, analysts,)	these are added to 'Your Selections'     the Search Results are updated
	3 Select one or more Search Results and click View

→ Choose query and build dataset based on: topics of interest, geographies, race and ethnic groups, industry codes, or EEO occupation codes

→ Step-by-step instructions for selecting data fields

## Topics – overview of fields

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## Geographies – overview of fields



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## Race and Ethnic Groups – overview of fields

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## Industry Codes – overview of fields



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## EEO Occupation Codes – overview of fields



## How to build your dataset based on your query – example

#### Search - Use the options on the left (topics, geographies, ...) to narrow your search results

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Topics	chicago heights × co 2							
Geographies	Your Geography Filters Select geographies to add to Your Selections							
(states, counties, places,)	Search: chicago heights 📀	Select from: most requested geographic types ) all geographic types ) individual blocks						
(race, ancestry, tribe)	clear all filters	Geography Results: 1-25 of 35						
Industry Codes	Geography Filter Options	Selected: 📉 Add 😰 Check All 🔽 Clear All 💠 Reset Sort						
(NAICS industry,)	<ul> <li>Geographic Type</li> </ul>							
EEO Occupation Codes	School District (2)	Chicago Heights city, Illinois	Place within State	0				
(executives, analysts,) "	Congressional District (2)	Court onicago ricigna mago, inicia	Fidee within State					
	Economic Place (3)	Chicago Heights city, Illinois	Estimates Universe Place	0				
	Township/Census County Division (2)	South Chicago Heights village, Illinois	Estimates Universe Place	0				
	Block Group (1)	Chicago Heights city, Illinois	Economic Place	0				
	Block (2)	South Chicago Heights village, Illinois	Economic Place	0				
	Summary Level	All Blocks within Chicago Heights city, Illinois	Block					
	± Within State	All Census Tracts (or parts) fully within/partially within Chicago Heights city, Illinois	Census Tract (or part) within County within Place					
	Include in results:	All 5-Digit ZIP Code Tabulation Areas fully within/partially within Chicago Heights city, Illinois	5-Digit ZCTA					

 → In this example, we want to look at health insurance coverage by sex for the population of Chicago Heights, IL 5-year estimates from 2012 - 2016
 → Begin building your dataset based on search criteria
 → We select Chicago Heights, IL as our geography

Search - Use the options on the left (topics, geographies,) to narrow your search results						
Your Selections	Search Results: 1-25 of 17,372 tables and other products mate	ch 'You	r Selections'			
Search using Place within State Chicago Heights city, Illinois 🔇	elect Topics	ose 🗙				
clear all selections and start a new search load search   save search	Select Topics to add to 'Your Selections' 🕜 People M Basic Count/Estimate	^	ar All   🔿 Reset Sort	0		
Tesise	Age & Sex			÷	Dataset 🌲	About
(age, income, year, dataset,)	Age (3, 167)				2015 ACS 1-year Supplemental Estimates	0
	Sex (3,594)				2015 ACS 1-year Supplemental Estimates	0
(states, counties, places,)	+ Disability				2015 ACS 1-year Supplemental Estimates	0
	Education				2015 ACS 1-year Supplemental Estimates	0
Race and Ethnic Groups	Employment     Income & Earnings				2015 ACS 1-year Supplemental Estimates	0
	+ Insurance Coverage				2015 ACS 1-year Supplemental Estimates	0
(NAICS industry,)	<ul> <li>★ Language</li> <li>★ Marital &amp; Fertility Status</li> </ul>				2015 ACS 1-year Supplemental Estimates	0
	Origins				2015 ACS 1-year Supplemental Estimates	0
EEO Occupation Codes (executives, analysts,)	Population Change     Poverty				2015 ACS 1-year Supplemental Estimates	0
	+ Relationship				2015 ACS 1-year Supplemental Estimates	0
	+ Veterans		JNITED STATES		2015 ACS 1-year Supplemental Estimates	0
	Note: The Race & Ethnicity topic is available under the Race and Ethnic Groups button on the left.				2015 ACS 1-year Supplemental Estimates	0
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l l	K201001 MARITAL STATUS FOR THE POPULATION 15 YE	ARS AN	DOVER		2015 ACS 1-year Supplemental Estimates	0



→ Observe how the user's criteria is then added to the 'Your Selection' box
 → We next select sex and health insurance coverage under 'Topics'

Search - Use the option	s on the le	eft (to	pics, geographies,) to narrow your s	search results		
Your Selections	Search R	esults:	1-25 of 167 tables and other products match 'You	r Selections'	per pa	ge: 25 💌
Search using People:Age & Sex: Sex 📀 People:Insurance Coverage:	Select Topic	55				
Health Insurance 😒 Place within State Chicago Heights city, Illinois 😒	Select Top	oics to a	ıdd to 'Your Selections' 🕜	ar All 🔶 Reset Sort 👔	<b>∢ ∢ 1</b> 2 3 4	5 🕨 🕪
clear all selections and start a new search	2016 (14	4)		Show results from: All available y	/ears ✓ All available programs Dataset	About
load search   save search	2014 (14	4)		9E	2016 ACS 5-year estimates	0
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Topics	2012 (37	() 4)			2016 ACS 5-year estimates	0
(age, income, year, dataset,)	2010 (24	4)		ROLLMENT STATUS FOR YOUNG ADULTS AGED 19	2016 ACS 5-year estimates	0
Geographies	Note: Th	he Race	& Ethnicity topic is available under the Race and	STATUS FOR YOUNG ADULTS AGED 19 TO 25	2016 ACS 5-year estimates	0
(states, overhes, proces,)	Ethnic	Groups I	button on the left.		2016 ACS 5-year estimates	0
Race and Ethnic Groups	Include archived products in your search ??		l products in your search 🕜	Σ.	2016 ACS 5-year estimates	0
(lace, ancestry, mbe)					2016 ACS 5-year estimates	0
Industry Codes	C2	27007	MEDICAID/MEANS-TESTED PUBLIC COVERAGE BY SI	EX BY AGE	2016 ACS 5-year estimates	0
(reado industry,)	C2	27008	TRICARE/MILITARY HEALTH COVERAGE BY SEX BY A	AGE	2016 ACS 5-year estimates	0
EEO Occupation Codes	C2	27009	VA HEALTH CARE BY SEX BY AGE		2016 ACS 5-year estimates	0
(executives, analysis,)	C2	27012	HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE STATUS AND TYPE	BY WORK EXPERIENCE BY AGE	2016 ACS 5-year estimates	0

→ Select the year(s) of interest under 'Topics' and then select 'Year'
 → We want 5-year estimates from 2012 – 2016

## Build your dataset based on query – example output

Search - Use the options on the left (topics, geographies,) to harrow your search results				
Your Selections	Search Results: 1-14 of 14 tables and other products match 'Your Selections'	per pa		
Search using People:Age & Sex: Sex 🚱 People:Insurance Coverage: Health Insurance 🔕	Refine your search results: Control topics or table name state, county or place (optional) GO COUPARIST CONTROL CONT			
Year: 2018 😨	Selected: 📓 View 👔 Download 🎼 Compare 📄 Clear All 👳 Reset Sort 🚱	44 4		
Place within State Chicago Heights city, Illinois	Show results from: All available years 🗸	All available programs		
clear all selections and start a new search	B27001 HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE STATUS BY SEX BY AGE 2016	8 ACS 5-year estimates		
load search   save search		o AGS 5-year estimates 🧳		
	B27003 PUBLIC HEALTH INSURANCE STATUS BY SEX BY AGE 2016	8 ACS 5-year estimates 🛛 🔞		
Search using the options below:	B27022 HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE STATUS BY SEX BY ENROLLMENT STATUS FOR YOUNG ADULTS AGED 19 TO 25 2010	8 ACS 5-year estimates 🛛 🕖		
(age, income, year, dataset,)	B27023 PRIVATE HEALTH INSURANCE BY SEX BY ENROLLMENT STATUS FOR YOUNG ADULTS AGED 19 TO 25 2016	8 ACS 5-year estimates 🛛 🕖		
	C27004 EMPLOYER-BASED HEALTH INSURANCE BY SEX BY AGE 2016	8 ACS 5-year estimates 🛛 👔		
(states counties places )	C27005 DIRECT-PURCHASE HEALTH INSURANCE BY SEX BY AGE 2016	8 ACS 5-year estimates 🛛 👔		
(states, counties, places,)	C27008 MEDICARE COVERAGE BY SEX BY AGE 2016	8 ACS 5-year estimates 🛛 🔞		
Race and Ethnic Groups	C27007 MEDICAID/MEANS-TESTED PUBLIC COVERAGE BY SEX BY AGE 2016	8 ACS 5-year estimates 👩		
(race, ancestry, tribe)	C27008 TRICARE/MILITARY HEALTH COVERAGE BY SEX BY AGE 2016	8 ACS 5-year estimates 👩		
Industry Codes	C27009 VA HEALTH CARE BY SEX BY AGE 2016	8 ACS 5-year estimates 🕖		
(NAICS INDUSTY,)	C27012 HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE STATUS AND TYPE BY WORK EXPERIENCE BY AGE 2010	8 ACS 5-year estimates 👔		
EEO Occupation Codes	C27013 PRIVATE HEALTH INSURANCE BY WORK EXPERIENCE BY AGE 2016	8 ACS 5-year estimates 🕜		
(executives, analysts,)	C27014 PUBLIC HEALTH INSURANCE BY WORK EXPERIENCE BY AGE 2016	8 ACS 5-year estimates 🍘		
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→ After entering all relevant search criteria, select your preferred dataset from the generated list

Advanced Search - Search all data in American FactFinder				
1 Advanced Search 2 Table Viewer				
B27001 HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE STATUS BY SEX BY AGE Universe: Civilian noninstitutionalized population 2012-2016 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates				
Table View				
Actions: 🕅 Modify Table   🙀 Add/Remove Geographies   🖺 Bookmark/Save   🗇 Print   👔 Download   🗮 Create a Map				

Versions of this table are available for the following years: 2016 2015 2014 2013 2012

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-		Estimate	Margin of Error
57	Total:	30,007	+/-102
57	Male:	14,373	+/-479
X	Under 6 years:	1,218	+/-267
Ŷ	With health insurance coverage	1,207	+/-268
	No health insurance coverage	11	+/-17
	6 to 17 years:	2,547	+/-370
	With health insurance coverage	2,445	+/-382
	No health insurance coverage	102	+/-65
	18 to 24 years:	1,695	+/-265
	With health insurance coverage	1,047	+/-219
	No health insurance coverage	648	+/-193
	25 to 34 years:	2,205	+/-341
	With health insurance coverage	1,438	+/-270
	No health insurance coverage	767	+/-246
	35 to 44 years:	1,634	+/-268
	With health insurance coverage	1,217	+/-221
	No health insurance coverage	417	+/-149
	45 to 54 years:	2,074	+/-297
	With health insurance coverage	1,654	+/-221
	No health insurance coverage	420	+/-179
	55 to 64 years:	1,439	+/-200
	With health insurance coverage	1,303	+/-194
	No health insurance coverage	136	+/-72
	65 to 74 years:	932	+/-189
	With health insurance coverage	884	+/-177
	No health insurance coverage	48	+/-63
	75 years and over:	629	+/-137
	With health insurance coverage	629	+/-137
	No health insurance coverage	0	+/-23
	Female:	15,634	+/-468
	Under 6 years:	1,491	+/-293
	With health insurance coverage	1,479	+/-289
	No health insurance coverage	12	+/-20
	6 to 17 years:	2,836	+/-373
	With health insurance coverage	2,748	+/-367
	No health insurance coverage	88	+/-62
	18 to 24 years:	1,551	+/-232
	With health insurance coverage	1,188	+/-199
	No health insurance coverage	363	+/-120
	25 to 34 years:	2,099	+/-334
	With health insurance coverage	1,688	+/-308
	No health insurance coverage	411	+/-142
	35 to 44 years:	1,812	+/-247
	With health insurance coverage	1,633	+/-240
	No health insurance coverage	179	+/-84
	45 to 54 years:	2,119	+/-253
	With health insurance coverage	1,745	+/-206
	No health insurance coverage	374	+/-140
	55 to 64 years:	1,699	+/-210
	With health insurance coverage	1,608	+/-213
	No health insurance coverage	91	+/-54
	65 to 74 years:	879	+/-152
	With health insurance coverage	879	+/-152
	No health insurance coverage	0	+/-23
	75 years and over:	1,148	+/-209
	With health insurance coverage	1,148	+/-209
	No health insurance coverage	0	+/-23

→ We are then provided with an output table that includes the estimates and margin of error for our specified query

→ We are also able to download and print the table under Actions