

About two-thirds of American Indian and Alaska Native households were family households.

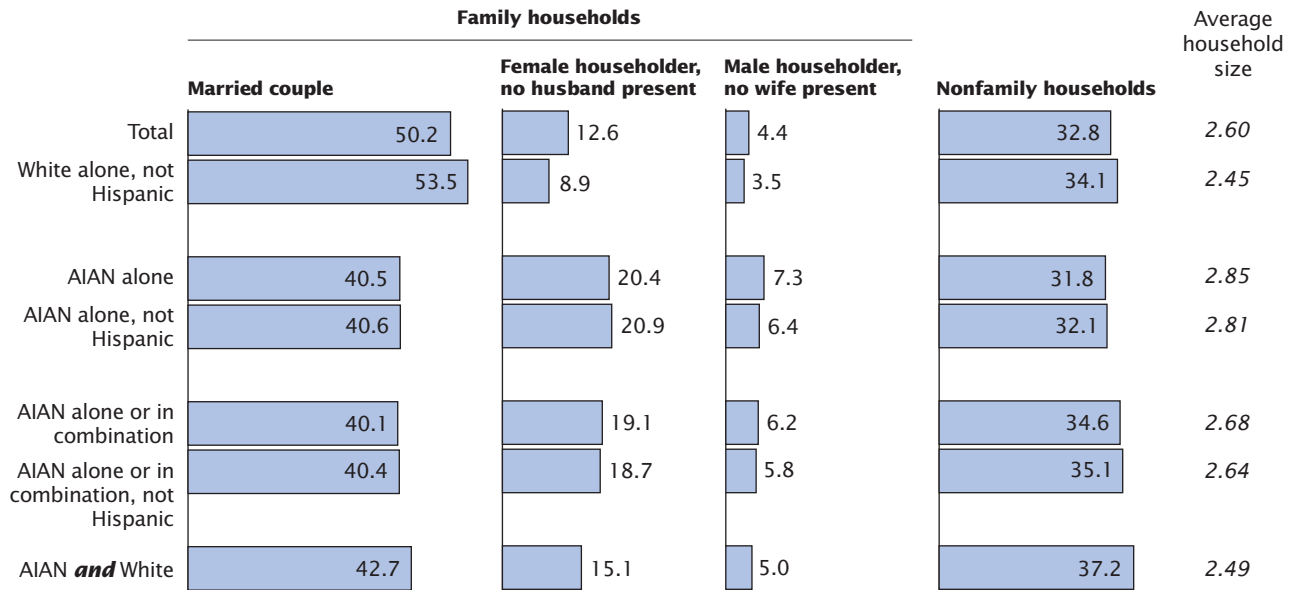
- About 68 percent of American Indian and Alaska Native households and 66 percent of non-Hispanic White households were family households.¹²
- American Indian and Alaska Native households (about 41 percent) were less likely than non-Hispanic White households (about 54 percent) to be married-couple households.
- About 20 percent of American Indian and Alaska Native households were families maintained by a woman with no husband present, compared with about 9 percent of non-Hispanic White households.
- American Indian and Alaska Native households consisted of 2.9 people on average, compared with 2.5 people on average for non-Hispanic White households.

¹² A household is a person or a group of people who occupy a housing unit as their current residence. A family household consists of a householder and one or more people living together in the same household who are related to the householder by birth, marriage, or adoption. It may also include people unrelated

to the householder. There are three types of family households in the survey data: married couple, female householders with no husband present, and male householders with no wife present. In addition, there are nonfamily households, such as a person living alone or with unrelated individuals.

Figure 6.
Household Type: 2004

(Percent distribution. Household type is shown by the race and Hispanic origin of the householder. Data based on sample limited to the household population and exclude the population living in institutions, college dormitories, and other group quarters. For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see http://factfinder.census.gov/home/en/datanotes/exp_acs2004.htm)



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2004 American Community Survey, Selected Population Profiles, S0201, and Detailed Tables, B11001.