

Appendix 13

Estimated Nebraska Net Migration of 22- to 64-Year-Olds

Table A13.1				
Nebraska Educational Attainment of 22- to 64-Year-Olds				
Based on the 2006-2010 and 2011-2015 American Community Survey				
Level of Education	Estimated Total Population		90% Confidence Interval	90% Margin of Error (+/-)
	N	%		
2006-2010				
High School Graduate or Below	340,338	34.1%	[335,859, 344,817]	4,479
Some College or Associate's	359,929	36.1%	[354,962, 364,896]	4,967
Bachelor's Degree or Higher	297,143	29.8%	[292,046, 302,240]	5,097
Total	997,410			
2011-2015				
High School Graduate or Below	330,182	32.1%	[325,612, 334,752]	4,570
Some College or Associate's	373,469	36.3%	[367,953, 378,985]	5,516
Bachelor's Degree or Higher	325,916	31.7%	[320,593, 331,239]	5,323
Total	1,029,567			
<p><i>Note.</i> No conclusion can be drawn about a given estimate when the margin of error exceeds the absolute value of the point estimate itself at the stated confidence level. Data users should exercise caution when the margin of error is large relative to the estimate itself. Data source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey five-year Public Use Microdata Sample (PUMS) files, 2006-2010 and 2011-2015.</p>				

Table A13.2
Nebraska Average Annual In-Migration, Out-Migration,
and Net Migration of 22- to 64-Year-Olds by Education Level
Based on the 2006-2010 and 2011-2015 American Community Survey

Level of Education	Estimated In-Migration	Estimated Out-Migration	Estimated Net Migration	90% Margin of Error (+/-)	No. of Cases
2006-2010					
High School Graduate or Below	11,143	9,495	1,648	1,485	787
Some College or Associate's	10,510	9,228	1,282	1,540	790
Bachelor's Degree or Higher	9,870	11,232	-1,362	1,384	920
Total Migration	31,523	29,955	1,568	2,719	2,497
2011-2015					
High School Graduate or Below	7,606	7,527	79	1,406	688
Some College or Associate's	8,937	9,213	-276	1,755	796
Bachelor's Degree or Higher	11,432	13,736	-2,304	1,735	1,042
Total Migration	27,975	30,476	-2,501	3,275	2,526
<p><i>Note.</i> No conclusion can be drawn about a given estimate when the margin of error exceeds the absolute value of the point estimate itself at the stated confidence level. Data users should exercise caution when the margin of error is large relative to the estimate itself. Data source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey five-year Public Use Microdata Sample (PUMS) files, 2006-2010 and 2011-2015.</p>					

Table A13.3
Nebraska Average Annual Net Migration of 22- to 64-Year-Olds
Confidence Intervals (Margin of Error at 90% Confidence Level)
Based on the 2006-2010 and 2011-2015 American Community Survey

Level of Education	2006-2010	2011-2015
High School Graduate or Below	[163, 3133]	*
Some College or Associate's	*	*
Bachelor's Degree or Higher	*	[-4039, -569]
Total Migration	*	*

Note. Confidence intervals are shown based on 90% margin of error. * = margin of error exceeds estimate at the 90% confidence level. When the margin of error exceeds the absolute value of the point estimate, no conclusions should be drawn about the estimate. Table A13.1 shows that the 2011-2015 estimated annual net migration of -2,304 for those with a bachelor's degree or higher has a 90% margin of error of +/- 1,735. In other words, if one were to draw indefinite samples of the population, the annual net migration point estimate for those with a bachelor's degree or higher would fall between -4,039 and -569 90% of the time. Data source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey five-year Public Use Microdata Sample (PUMS) files, 2006-2010 and 2011-2015.