## Poverty Rates in the US (by segment), 2017

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## Poverty Rates in the United States,

(for 2017, by selected characteristics)

Number and percentage in poverty

Overall US poverty rate: 12.3%

Red = Highest poverty

Green = Lowest poverty

People	No. (000)	Pct.
White	16,993	8.7
Black	8,993	21.2
Asian	1,935	10.0
Hispanic	10,790	18.3
Male	17,365	11.0
Female	22,333	13.6
Under 18	12,808	17.5
18 to 65	22,209	11.2
65+	4,681	9.2
Native born	33,095	11.9
Naturalized	2,213	10.1
Non-citizen	4,390	18.6
Northeast	6,373	11.4
Midwest	7,647	11.4
South	16,609	13.6
West	9,069	11.8
In cities	16,218	15.6
Outside cities	17,105	9.7
Source: US Census Bureau, "Income and		

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