

Table 1: Lower Living Standard Income Level (for a family of four persons) by Region¹

Region ²	2003 Adjusted LLSIL	70 percent LLSIL
Northeast		
Metro	\$ 31,750	\$ 22,230
Non-Metro³	\$ 30,870	\$ 21,610
Midwest		
Metro	\$ 29,220	\$ 20,450
Non-Metro	\$ 27,520	\$ 19,270
South		
Metro	\$ 27,580	\$ 19,310
Non-Metro	\$ 26,100	\$ 18,270
West		
Metro	\$ 31,650	\$ 22,150
Non-Metro⁴	\$ 30,550	\$ 21,390
¹ For ease of use, these figures have been rounded to the next highest ten dollars.		
² Metropolitan area measures were calculated from the weighted average CPI-U's for city size classes A and B/C. Non-metropolitan area measures were calculated from the CPI-U's for city size class D.		
³ Nonmetropolitan area percent changes for the Northeast region are no longer available. The Non-metropolitan percent change was calculated using the U.S. average CPI-U for city size Class D.		
⁴ Non-metropolitan area percent changes for the West region are unpublished data.		

Table 2: Lower Living Standard Income Level (for a family of four persons) -- Alaska, Hawaii and Guam¹

Region	2003 Adjusted LLSIL	70 percent LLSIL
Alaska		
Metro	\$ 38,750	\$ 27,130
Non-Metro²	\$ 38,350	\$ 26,850
Hawaii, Guam		
Metro	\$ 39,360	\$ 27,560
NonMetro²	\$ 40,950	\$ 28,670
¹ Rounded to next highest ten dollars.		
² Non-Metropolitan percent changes for Alaska, Hawaii and Guam were calculated from the CPI-U's for city size Class D in the Western Region.		