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2006-2010 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Supporting documentation on code lists, subject definitions, data accuracy, and statistical testing can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Data and Documentation section.

Sample size and data quality measures (including coverage rates, allocation rates, and response rates) can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Methodology section.

Although the American Community Survey (ACS) produces population, demographic and housing unit estimates, for 2010, the 2010 Census provides the official counts of the population and housing units for the nation, states, counties, cities and towns. For 2006 to 2009, the Population Estimates Program provides intercensal estimates of the population for the nation, states, and counties.

Subject	Bentonville city, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
<b>HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE</b>				
Total households	12,174	+/-393	12,174	(X)
Family households (families)	8,262	+/-345	67.9%	+/-3.1
With own children under 18 years	4,839	+/-346	39.7%	+/-2.9
Married-couple family	6,495	+/-342	53.4%	+/-3.1
With own children under 18 years	3,621	+/-307	29.7%	+/-2.7
Male householder, no wife present, family	406	+/-158	3.3%	+/-1.3
With own children under 18 years	131	+/-78	1.1%	+/-0.6
Female householder, no husband present, family	1,361	+/-259	11.2%	+/-2.1
With own children under 18 years	1,087	+/-251	8.9%	+/-2.0
Nonfamily households	3,912	+/-447	32.1%	+/-3.1
Householder living alone	3,118	+/-396	25.6%	+/-2.8
65 years and over	850	+/-177	7.0%	+/-1.4
Households with one or more people under 18 years	5,096	+/-306	41.9%	+/-2.7
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	1,668	+/-196	13.7%	+/-1.5
Average household size	2.62	+/-0.08	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.19	+/-0.10	(X)	(X)
<b>RELATIONSHIP</b>				
Population in households	31,921	+/-280	31,921	(X)
Householder	12,174	+/-393	38.1%	+/-1.2
Spouse	6,425	+/-342	20.1%	+/-1.0
Child	10,645	+/-487	33.3%	+/-1.5
Other relatives	1,005	+/-315	3.1%	+/-1.0
Nonrelatives	1,672	+/-353	5.2%	+/-1.1
Unmarried partner	559	+/-173	1.8%	+/-0.5
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>				
Males 15 years and over	12,437	+/-475	12,437	(X)
Never married	3,674	+/-459	29.5%	+/-3.2
Now married, except separated	6,947	+/-386	55.9%	+/-3.6
Separated	187	+/-115	1.5%	+/-0.9
Widowed	274	+/-122	2.2%	+/-1.0
Divorced	1,355	+/-259	10.9%	+/-2.0
Females 15 years and over	11,643	+/-354	11,643	(X)

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Never married	2,202	+/-313	18.9%	+/-2.5
Now married, except separated	6,635	+/-346	57.0%	+/-3.3
Separated	358	+/-127	3.1%	+/-1.1
Widowed	857	+/-217	7.4%	+/-1.8
Divorced	1,591	+/-253	13.7%	+/-2.1
<b>FERTILITY</b>				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	525	+/-158	525	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	35	+/-35	6.7%	+/-6.4
Per 1,000 unmarried women	12	+/-11	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	62	+/-19	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/-41	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	84	+/-29	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	49	+/-26	(X)	(X)
<b>GRANDPARENTS</b>				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	345	+/-157	345	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	250	+/-119	72.5%	+/-12.5
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	128	+/-80	37.1%	+/-17.0
1 or 2 years	47	+/-47	13.6%	+/-12.1
3 or 4 years	14	+/-24	4.1%	+/-6.5
5 or more years	61	+/-59	17.7%	+/-15.7
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	250	+/-119	250	(X)
Who are female	141	+/-72	56.4%	+/-13.4
Who are married	186	+/-104	74.4%	+/-16.7
<b>SCHOOL ENROLLMENT</b>				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	8,999	+/-573	8,999	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	730	+/-204	8.1%	+/-2.1
Kindergarten	709	+/-150	7.9%	+/-1.7
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	4,106	+/-359	45.6%	+/-3.4
High school (grades 9-12)	1,585	+/-281	17.6%	+/-3.0
College or graduate school	1,869	+/-347	20.8%	+/-3.3
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>				
Population 25 years and over	19,694	+/-495	19,694	(X)
Less than 9th grade	828	+/-197	4.2%	+/-1.0
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	1,370	+/-310	7.0%	+/-1.5
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	5,064	+/-486	25.7%	+/-2.4
Some college, no degree	4,234	+/-459	21.5%	+/-2.4
Associate's degree	1,380	+/-273	7.0%	+/-1.4
Bachelor's degree	4,703	+/-417	23.9%	+/-2.0
Graduate or professional degree	2,115	+/-351	10.7%	+/-1.7
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	88.8%	+/-2.0
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	34.6%	+/-2.5
<b>VETERAN STATUS</b>				
Civilian population 18 years and over	22,950	+/-450	22,950	(X)
Civilian veterans	2,199	+/-327	9.6%	+/-1.4
<b>DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION</b>				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO</b>				
Population 1 year and over	32,189	+/-143	32,189	(X)

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Same house	22,866	+/-975	71.0%	+/-3.0
Different house in the U.S.	9,044	+/-967	28.1%	+/-3.0
Same county	4,689	+/-861	14.6%	+/-2.7
Different county	4,355	+/-795	13.5%	+/-2.5
Same state	1,466	+/-468	4.6%	+/-1.5
Different state	2,889	+/-685	9.0%	+/-2.1
Abroad	279	+/-196	0.9%	+/-0.6
<b>PLACE OF BIRTH</b>				
Total population	32,685	+/-34	32,685	(X)
Native	30,246	+/-534	92.5%	+/-1.6
Born in United States	29,722	+/-556	90.9%	+/-1.7
State of residence	11,722	+/-853	35.9%	+/-2.6
Different state	18,000	+/-862	55.1%	+/-2.6
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	524	+/-193	1.6%	+/-0.6
Foreign born	2,439	+/-534	7.5%	+/-1.6
<b>U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS</b>				
Foreign-born population	2,439	+/-534	2,439	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	753	+/-232	30.9%	+/-9.2
Not a U.S. citizen	1,686	+/-490	69.1%	+/-9.2
<b>YEAR OF ENTRY</b>				
Population born outside the United States	2,963	+/-555	2,963	(X)
Native	524	+/-193	524	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	167	+/-149	31.9%	+/-21.8
Entered before 2000	357	+/-130	68.1%	+/-21.8
Foreign born	2,439	+/-534	2,439	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	1,167	+/-455	47.8%	+/-12.2
Entered before 2000	1,272	+/-319	52.2%	+/-12.2
<b>WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN</b>				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	2,439	+/-534	2,439	(X)
Europe	110	+/-71	4.5%	+/-2.9
Asia	1,294	+/-408	53.1%	+/-9.3
Africa	21	+/-33	0.9%	+/-1.4
Oceania	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-1.3
Latin America	968	+/-292	39.7%	+/-9.8
Northern America	46	+/-54	1.9%	+/-2.2
<b>LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME</b>				
Population 5 years and over	29,724	+/-347	29,724	(X)
English only	26,499	+/-808	89.2%	+/-2.3
Language other than English	3,225	+/-674	10.8%	+/-2.3
Speak English less than "very well"	988	+/-292	3.3%	+/-1.0
Spanish	1,673	+/-419	5.6%	+/-1.4
Speak English less than "very well"	714	+/-249	2.4%	+/-0.8
Other Indo-European languages	562	+/-301	1.9%	+/-1.0
Speak English less than "very well"	83	+/-67	0.3%	+/-0.2
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	980	+/-324	3.3%	+/-1.1
Speak English less than "very well"	181	+/-98	0.6%	+/-0.3
Other languages	10	+/-18	0.0%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	10	+/-18	0.0%	+/-0.1
<b>ANCESTRY</b>				
Total population	32,685	+/-34	32,685	(X)
American	2,586	+/-561	7.9%	+/-1.7
Arab	59	+/-56	0.2%	+/-0.2
Czech	40	+/-53	0.1%	+/-0.2
Danish	50	+/-42	0.2%	+/-0.1
Dutch	785	+/-221	2.4%	+/-0.7
English	3,610	+/-590	11.0%	+/-1.8
French (except Basque)	890	+/-276	2.7%	+/-0.8

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French Canadian	190	+/-118	0.6%	+/-0.4
German	5,228	+/-699	16.0%	+/-2.1
Greek	21	+/-34	0.1%	+/-0.1
Hungarian	69	+/-61	0.2%	+/-0.2
Irish	4,392	+/-557	13.4%	+/-1.7
Italian	1,144	+/-301	3.5%	+/-0.9
Lithuanian	43	+/-63	0.1%	+/-0.2
Norwegian	411	+/-203	1.3%	+/-0.6
Polish	555	+/-231	1.7%	+/-0.7
Portuguese	35	+/-47	0.1%	+/-0.1
Russian	225	+/-116	0.7%	+/-0.4
Scotch-Irish	686	+/-259	2.1%	+/-0.8
Scottish	843	+/-262	2.6%	+/-0.8
Slovak	10	+/-16	0.0%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	21	+/-33	0.1%	+/-0.1
Swedish	464	+/-223	1.4%	+/-0.7
Swiss	137	+/-131	0.4%	+/-0.4
Ukrainian	40	+/-34	0.1%	+/-0.1
Welsh	405	+/-285	1.2%	+/-0.9
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	40	+/-41	0.1%	+/-0.1

Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see Accuracy of the Data). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

While the 2006-2010 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the December 2009 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2000 data. Boundaries for urban areas have not been updated since Census 2000. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2006-2010 American Community Survey

#### Explanation of Symbols:

1. An '\*\*\*' entry in the margin of error column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the margin of error. A statistical test is not appropriate.
2. An '-' entry in the estimate column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute an estimate, or a ratio of medians cannot be calculated because one or both of the median estimates falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
3. An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
4. An '+' following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
5. An '\*\*\*\*' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the median falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution. A statistical test is not appropriate.
6. An '\*\*\*\*\*' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.
7. An 'N' entry in the estimate and margin of error columns indicates that data for this geographic area cannot be displayed because the number of sample cases is too small.
8. An '(X)' means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.