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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	Conway city, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	21,118	+/-612	21,118	(X)
Family households (families)	12,701	+/-521	60.1%	+/-2.4
With own children under 18 years	6,774	+/-410	32.1%	+/-2.1
Married-couple family	9,089	+/-404	43.0%	+/-1.7
With own children under 18 years	4,387	+/-267	20.8%	+/-1.3
Male householder, no wife present, family	815	+/-204	3.9%	+/-1.0
With own children under 18 years	488	+/-164	2.3%	+/-0.8
Female householder, no husband present, family	2,797	+/-385	13.2%	+/-1.8
With own children under 18 years	1,899	+/-348	9.0%	+/-1.7
Nonfamily households	8,417	+/-620	39.9%	+/-2.4
Householder living alone	6,252	+/-614	29.6%	+/-2.6
65 years and over	1,488	+/-235	7.0%	+/-1.1
Households with one or more people under 18 years	7,284	+/-415	34.5%	+/-2.1
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	3,118	+/-226	14.8%	+/-1.0
Average household size	2.44	+/-0.05	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.03	+/-0.08	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	51,575	+/-747	51,575	(X)
Householder	21,118	+/-612	40.9%	+/-0.9
Spouse	9,172	+/-380	17.8%	+/-0.7
Child	14,981	+/-601	29.0%	+/-1.2
Other relatives	1,665	+/-357	3.2%	+/-0.7
Nonrelatives	4,639	+/-642	9.0%	+/-1.2
Unmarried partner	915	+/-211	1.8%	+/-0.4
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	21,061	+/-440	21,061	(X)
Never married	8,729	+/-530	41.4%	+/-2.1
Now married, except separated	9,894	+/-458	47.0%	+/-2.3
Separated	189	+/-74	0.9%	+/-0.4
Widowed	278	+/-101	1.3%	+/-0.5
Divorced	1,971	+/-354	9.4%	+/-1.6
Females 15 years and over	24,154	+/-387	24,154	(X)

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Never married	9,505	+/-584	39.4%	+/-2.1
Now married, except separated	9,734	+/-417	40.3%	+/-1.9
Separated	566	+/-166	2.3%	+/-0.7
Widowed	1,784	+/-220	7.4%	+/-0.9
Divorced	2,565	+/-291	10.6%	+/-1.2
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	660	+/-201	660	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	113	+/-83	17.1%	+/-11.0
Per 1,000 unmarried women	10	+/-7	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	37	+/-11	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	11	+/-11	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	65	+/-23	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	7	+/-7	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	473	+/-180	473	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	197	+/-108	41.6%	+/-16.3
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	45	+/-55	9.5%	+/-10.5
1 or 2 years	52	+/-62	11.0%	+/-11.9
3 or 4 years	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-6.6
5 or more years	100	+/-72	21.1%	+/-14.4
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	197	+/-108	197	(X)
Who are female	100	+/-56	50.8%	+/-13.4
Who are married	170	+/-103	86.3%	+/-16.2
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	20,712	+/-830	20,712	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	930	+/-204	4.5%	+/-1.0
Kindergarten	491	+/-153	2.4%	+/-0.7
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	5,873	+/-363	28.4%	+/-1.7
High school (grades 9-12)	2,498	+/-247	12.1%	+/-1.2
College or graduate school	10,920	+/-748	52.7%	+/-2.2
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	29,676	+/-545	29,676	(X)
Less than 9th grade	1,358	+/-301	4.6%	+/-1.0
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	1,773	+/-310	6.0%	+/-1.0
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	7,350	+/-603	24.8%	+/-2.0
Some college, no degree	6,811	+/-561	23.0%	+/-1.8
Associate's degree	1,826	+/-286	6.2%	+/-0.9
Bachelor's degree	6,994	+/-562	23.6%	+/-1.8
Graduate or professional degree	3,564	+/-345	12.0%	+/-1.1
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	89.4%	+/-1.4
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	35.6%	+/-2.0
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	42,865	+/-401	42,865	(X)
Civilian veterans	3,214	+/-331	7.5%	+/-0.8
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
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)
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	55,470	+/-227	55,470	(X)

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Same house	37,937	+/-1,526	68.4%	+/-2.7
Different house in the U.S.	16,802	+/-1,439	30.3%	+/-2.6
Same county	9,475	+/-1,124	17.1%	+/-2.0
Different county	7,327	+/-816	13.2%	+/-1.5
Same state	5,431	+/-809	9.8%	+/-1.5
Different state	1,896	+/-380	3.4%	+/-0.7
Abroad	731	+/-304	1.3%	+/-0.5
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	56,255	+/-33	56,255	(X)
Native	53,220	+/-534	94.6%	+/-0.9
Born in United States	52,636	+/-532	93.6%	+/-0.9
State of residence	34,976	+/-969	62.2%	+/-1.7
Different state	17,660	+/-951	31.4%	+/-1.7
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	584	+/-201	1.0%	+/-0.4
Foreign born	3,035	+/-534	5.4%	+/-0.9
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	3,035	+/-534	3,035	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	492	+/-171	16.2%	+/-6.3
Not a U.S. citizen	2,543	+/-558	83.8%	+/-6.3
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	3,619	+/-532	3,619	(X)
Native	584	+/-201	584	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	144	+/-137	24.7%	+/-19.9
Entered before 2000	440	+/-164	75.3%	+/-19.9
Foreign born	3,035	+/-534	3,035	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	1,991	+/-518	65.6%	+/-9.4
Entered before 2000	1,044	+/-283	34.4%	+/-9.4
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	3,035	+/-534	3,035	(X)
Europe	241	+/-125	7.9%	+/-4.3
Asia	880	+/-249	29.0%	+/-6.9
Africa	298	+/-143	9.8%	+/-4.4
Oceania	6	+/-15	0.2%	+/-0.5
Latin America	1,486	+/-412	49.0%	+/-9.2
Northern America	124	+/-110	4.1%	+/-3.6
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	52,395	+/-291	52,395	(X)
English only	49,040	+/-630	93.6%	+/-1.0
Language other than English	3,355	+/-503	6.4%	+/-1.0
Speak English less than "very well"	1,760	+/-402	3.4%	+/-0.8
Spanish	2,270	+/-409	4.3%	+/-0.8
Speak English less than "very well"	1,388	+/-395	2.6%	+/-0.8
Other Indo-European languages	379	+/-168	0.7%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	133	+/-110	0.3%	+/-0.2
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	498	+/-171	1.0%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	215	+/-103	0.4%	+/-0.2
Other languages	208	+/-116	0.4%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	24	+/-27	0.0%	+/-0.1
ANCESTRY				
Total population	56,255	+/-33	56,255	(X)
American	4,916	+/-833	8.7%	+/-1.5
Arab	16	+/-24	0.0%	+/-0.1
Czech	184	+/-139	0.3%	+/-0.2
Danish	335	+/-226	0.6%	+/-0.4
Dutch	680	+/-212	1.2%	+/-0.4
English	6,588	+/-736	11.7%	+/-1.3
French (except Basque)	1,825	+/-428	3.2%	+/-0.8

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French Canadian	91	+/-79	0.2%	+/-0.1
German	9,183	+/-923	16.3%	+/-1.6
Greek	57	+/-44	0.1%	+/-0.1
Hungarian	118	+/-115	0.2%	+/-0.2
Irish	8,000	+/-777	14.2%	+/-1.4
Italian	1,317	+/-324	2.3%	+/-0.6
Lithuanian	11	+/-17	0.0%	+/-0.1
Norwegian	526	+/-261	0.9%	+/-0.5
Polish	957	+/-260	1.7%	+/-0.5
Portuguese	33	+/-55	0.1%	+/-0.1
Russian	249	+/-159	0.4%	+/-0.3
Scotch-Irish	1,346	+/-369	2.4%	+/-0.7
Scottish	1,480	+/-334	2.6%	+/-0.6
Slovak	27	+/-29	0.0%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	1,058	+/-475	1.9%	+/-0.8
Swedish	622	+/-248	1.1%	+/-0.4
Swiss	387	+/-199	0.7%	+/-0.4
Ukrainian	15	+/-24	0.0%	+/-0.1
Welsh	331	+/-147	0.6%	+/-0.3
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	63	+/-48	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.