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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	Boone County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
<b>HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE</b>				
Total households	14,317	+/-334	14,317	(X)
Family households (families)	9,812	+/-402	68.5%	+/-2.5
With own children under 18 years	4,021	+/-296	28.1%	+/-1.9
Married-couple family	8,042	+/-395	56.2%	+/-2.7
With own children under 18 years	2,969	+/-278	20.7%	+/-1.9
Male householder, no wife present, family	588	+/-166	4.1%	+/-1.2
With own children under 18 years	312	+/-139	2.2%	+/-1.0
Female householder, no husband present, family	1,182	+/-226	8.3%	+/-1.5
With own children under 18 years	740	+/-180	5.2%	+/-1.2
Nonfamily households	4,505	+/-382	31.5%	+/-2.5
Householder living alone	3,954	+/-349	27.6%	+/-2.3
65 years and over	1,584	+/-228	11.1%	+/-1.6
Households with one or more people under 18 years	4,648	+/-283	32.5%	+/-1.8
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	4,191	+/-214	29.3%	+/-1.4
Average household size	2.53	+/-0.06	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.08	+/-0.09	(X)	(X)
<b>RELATIONSHIP</b>				
Population in households	36,191	+/-237	36,191	(X)
Householder	14,317	+/-334	39.6%	+/-0.9
Spouse	8,064	+/-379	22.3%	+/-1.1
Child	10,262	+/-389	28.4%	+/-1.1
Other relatives	2,058	+/-403	5.7%	+/-1.1
Nonrelatives	1,490	+/-451	4.1%	+/-1.2
Unmarried partner	360	+/-110	1.0%	+/-0.3
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>				
Males 15 years and over	14,203	+/-86	14,203	(X)
Never married	3,206	+/-262	22.6%	+/-1.8
Now married, except separated	8,745	+/-354	61.6%	+/-2.5
Separated	158	+/-82	1.1%	+/-0.6
Widowed	505	+/-143	3.6%	+/-1.0
Divorced	1,589	+/-237	11.2%	+/-1.7
Females 15 years and over	15,338	+/-73	15,338	(X)

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Never married	2,648	+/-296	17.3%	+/-1.9
Now married, except separated	8,349	+/-486	54.4%	+/-3.1
Separated	374	+/-163	2.4%	+/-1.1
Widowed	1,759	+/-222	11.5%	+/-1.4
Divorced	2,208	+/-351	14.4%	+/-2.3
<b>FERTILITY</b>				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	361	+/-119	361	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	81	+/-57	22.4%	+/-14.0
Per 1,000 unmarried women	23	+/-16	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	44	+/-15	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	30	+/-34	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	84	+/-32	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	18	+/-13	(X)	(X)
<b>GRANDPARENTS</b>				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	840	+/-211	840	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	554	+/-192	66.0%	+/-11.9
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	159	+/-94	18.9%	+/-9.5
1 or 2 years	84	+/-77	10.0%	+/-8.5
3 or 4 years	118	+/-87	14.0%	+/-9.5
5 or more years	193	+/-100	23.0%	+/-10.2
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	554	+/-192	554	(X)
Who are female	296	+/-100	53.4%	+/-5.2
Who are married	510	+/-187	92.1%	+/-6.9
<b>SCHOOL ENROLLMENT</b>				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	8,302	+/-363	8,302	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	484	+/-124	5.8%	+/-1.4
Kindergarten	439	+/-142	5.3%	+/-1.7
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	4,103	+/-221	49.4%	+/-2.8
High school (grades 9-12)	1,961	+/-193	23.6%	+/-1.9
College or graduate school	1,315	+/-235	15.8%	+/-2.6
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>				
Population 25 years and over	25,086	+/-101	25,086	(X)
Less than 9th grade	1,612	+/-275	6.4%	+/-1.1
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	2,461	+/-291	9.8%	+/-1.2
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	10,247	+/-565	40.8%	+/-2.3
Some college, no degree	5,447	+/-491	21.7%	+/-1.9
Associate's degree	1,675	+/-278	6.7%	+/-1.1
Bachelor's degree	2,466	+/-356	9.8%	+/-1.4
Graduate or professional degree	1,178	+/-218	4.7%	+/-0.9
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	83.8%	+/-1.6
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	14.5%	+/-1.7
<b>VETERAN STATUS</b>				
Civilian population 18 years and over	27,967	+/-87	27,967	(X)
Civilian veterans	3,417	+/-275	12.2%	+/-1.0
<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	36,299	+/-125	36,299	(X)

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Same house	30,222	+/-864	83.3%	+/-2.4
Different house in the U.S.	6,057	+/-860	16.7%	+/-2.4
Same county	3,570	+/-685	9.8%	+/-1.9
Different county	2,487	+/-612	6.9%	+/-1.7
Same state	967	+/-424	2.7%	+/-1.2
Different state	1,520	+/-410	4.2%	+/-1.1
Abroad	20	+/-22	0.1%	+/-0.1
<b>PLACE OF BIRTH</b>				
Total population	36,710	*****	36,710	(X)
Native	36,351	+/-89	99.0%	+/-0.2
Born in United States	36,210	+/-137	98.6%	+/-0.4
State of residence	19,869	+/-677	54.1%	+/-1.8
Different state	16,341	+/-682	44.5%	+/-1.9
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	141	+/-95	0.4%	+/-0.3
Foreign born	359	+/-89	1.0%	+/-0.2
<b>U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS</b>				
Foreign-born population	359	+/-89	359	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	129	+/-64	35.9%	+/-17.9
Not a U.S. citizen	230	+/-89	64.1%	+/-17.9
<b>YEAR OF ENTRY</b>				
Population born outside the United States	500	+/-137	500	(X)
Native	141	+/-95	141	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	4	+/-6	2.8%	+/-4.8
Entered before 2000	137	+/-95	97.2%	+/-4.8
Foreign born	359	+/-89	359	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	203	+/-88	56.5%	+/-19.0
Entered before 2000	156	+/-69	43.5%	+/-19.0
<b>WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN</b>				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	359	+/-89	359	(X)
Europe	96	+/-52	26.7%	+/-13.4
Asia	106	+/-33	29.5%	+/-10.2
Africa	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-8.6
Oceania	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-8.6
Latin America	157	+/-74	43.7%	+/-15.3
Northern America	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-8.6
<b>LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME</b>				
Population 5 years and over	34,376	+/-90	34,376	(X)
English only	33,572	+/-200	97.7%	+/-0.5
Language other than English	804	+/-170	2.3%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	310	+/-84	0.9%	+/-0.2
Spanish	534	+/-123	1.6%	+/-0.4
Speak English less than "very well"	269	+/-81	0.8%	+/-0.2
Other Indo-European languages	174	+/-105	0.5%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.1
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	85	+/-36	0.2%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	41	+/-41	0.1%	+/-0.1
Other languages	11	+/-18	0.0%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.1
<b>ANCESTRY</b>				
Total population	36,710	*****	36,710	(X)
American	4,879	+/-513	13.3%	+/-1.4
Arab	54	+/-90	0.1%	+/-0.2
Czech	216	+/-167	0.6%	+/-0.5
Danish	83	+/-50	0.2%	+/-0.1
Dutch	596	+/-239	1.6%	+/-0.7
English	4,197	+/-559	11.4%	+/-1.5
French (except Basque)	779	+/-251	2.1%	+/-0.7

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French Canadian	85	+/-76	0.2%	+/-0.2
German	5,501	+/-662	15.0%	+/-1.8
Greek	200	+/-210	0.5%	+/-0.6
Hungarian	58	+/-68	0.2%	+/-0.2
Irish	6,510	+/-729	17.7%	+/-2.0
Italian	469	+/-206	1.3%	+/-0.6
Lithuanian	25	+/-27	0.1%	+/-0.1
Norwegian	108	+/-65	0.3%	+/-0.2
Polish	195	+/-103	0.5%	+/-0.3
Portuguese	32	+/-28	0.1%	+/-0.1
Russian	23	+/-24	0.1%	+/-0.1
Scotch-Irish	861	+/-214	2.3%	+/-0.6
Scottish	1,239	+/-401	3.4%	+/-1.1
Slovak	4	+/-7	0.0%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.1
Swedish	449	+/-271	1.2%	+/-0.7
Swiss	65	+/-61	0.2%	+/-0.2
Ukrainian	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.1
Welsh	224	+/-106	0.6%	+/-0.3
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	80	+/-73	0.2%	+/-0.2

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.