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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	Chicot County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	4,705	+/-186	4,705	(X)
Family households (families)	3,058	+/-266	65.0%	+/-5.0
With own children under 18 years	1,183	+/-173	25.1%	+/-3.4
Married-couple family	1,748	+/-188	37.2%	+/-4.0
With own children under 18 years	504	+/-100	10.7%	+/-2.1
Male householder, no wife present, family	294	+/-103	6.2%	+/-2.1
With own children under 18 years	172	+/-81	3.7%	+/-1.7
Female householder, no husband present, family	1,016	+/-164	21.6%	+/-3.3
With own children under 18 years	507	+/-118	10.8%	+/-2.4
Nonfamily households	1,647	+/-241	35.0%	+/-5.0
Householder living alone	1,504	+/-229	32.0%	+/-4.8
65 years and over	730	+/-137	15.5%	+/-2.9
Households with one or more people under 18 years	1,482	+/-193	31.5%	+/-3.7
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	1,673	+/-100	35.6%	+/-2.0
Average household size	2.40	+/-0.09	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.01	+/-0.21	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	11,300	+/-217	11,300	(X)
Householder	4,705	+/-186	41.6%	+/-1.5
Spouse	1,680	+/-192	14.9%	+/-1.7
Child	3,490	+/-239	30.9%	+/-2.0
Other relatives	983	+/-235	8.7%	+/-2.1
Nonrelatives	442	+/-133	3.9%	+/-1.2
Unmarried partner	332	+/-108	2.9%	+/-1.0
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	4,675	+/-40	4,675	(X)
Never married	1,752	+/-157	37.5%	+/-3.3
Now married, except separated	1,893	+/-208	40.5%	+/-4.5
Separated	168	+/-78	3.6%	+/-1.7
Widowed	231	+/-89	4.9%	+/-1.9
Divorced	631	+/-154	13.5%	+/-3.3
Females 15 years and over	5,065	+/-46	5,065	(X)

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	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Never married	1,414	+/-149	27.9%	+/-3.0
Now married, except separated	1,864	+/-257	36.8%	+/-5.0
Separated	231	+/-96	4.6%	+/-1.9
Widowed	993	+/-146	19.6%	+/-2.9
Divorced	563	+/-106	11.1%	+/-2.1
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	292	+/-119	292	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	173	+/-92	59.2%	+/-20.3
Per 1,000 unmarried women	107	+/-57	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	111	+/-45	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	38	+/-44	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	296	+/-117	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	5	+/-9	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	357	+/-114	357	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	209	+/-73	58.5%	+/-15.5
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	43	+/-54	12.0%	+/-14.1
1 or 2 years	24	+/-20	6.7%	+/-5.1
3 or 4 years	48	+/-41	13.4%	+/-11.7
5 or more years	94	+/-53	26.3%	+/-14.1
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	209	+/-73	209	(X)
Who are female	138	+/-48	66.0%	+/-11.6
Who are married	146	+/-70	69.9%	+/-16.6
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	2,653	+/-159	2,653	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	218	+/-98	8.2%	+/-3.5
Kindergarten	152	+/-92	5.7%	+/-3.4
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	1,292	+/-126	48.7%	+/-5.6
High school (grades 9-12)	695	+/-115	26.2%	+/-3.7
College or graduate school	296	+/-86	11.2%	+/-3.0
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	8,167	+/-123	8,167	(X)
Less than 9th grade	1,009	+/-177	12.4%	+/-2.2
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	1,499	+/-231	18.4%	+/-2.8
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	3,319	+/-287	40.6%	+/-3.5
Some college, no degree	1,131	+/-207	13.8%	+/-2.5
Associate's degree	178	+/-67	2.2%	+/-0.8
Bachelor's degree	635	+/-152	7.8%	+/-1.8
Graduate or professional degree	396	+/-110	4.8%	+/-1.4
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	69.3%	+/-3.5
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	12.6%	+/-2.0
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	9,201	+/-7	9,201	(X)
Civilian veterans	934	+/-165	10.2%	+/-1.8
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	11,946	+/-90	11,946	(X)

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Same house	10,423	+/-392	87.3%	+/-3.4
Different house in the U.S.	1,515	+/-403	12.7%	+/-3.4
Same county	862	+/-316	7.2%	+/-2.6
Different county	653	+/-270	5.5%	+/-2.2
Same state	502	+/-259	4.2%	+/-2.2
Different state	151	+/-132	1.3%	+/-1.1
Abroad	8	+/-16	0.1%	+/-0.1
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	12,102	*****	12,102	(X)
Native	11,828	+/-95	97.7%	+/-0.8
Born in United States	11,787	+/-112	97.4%	+/-0.9
State of residence	8,423	+/-325	69.6%	+/-2.7
Different state	3,364	+/-314	27.8%	+/-2.6
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	41	+/-43	0.3%	+/-0.4
Foreign born	274	+/-95	2.3%	+/-0.8
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	274	+/-95	274	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	75	+/-62	27.4%	+/-18.6
Not a U.S. citizen	199	+/-77	72.6%	+/-18.6
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	315	+/-112	315	(X)
Native	41	+/-43	41	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	11	+/-20	26.8%	+/-51.1
Entered before 2000	30	+/-39	73.2%	+/-51.1
Foreign born	274	+/-95	274	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	51	+/-62	18.6%	+/-19.9
Entered before 2000	223	+/-82	81.4%	+/-19.9
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	274	+/-95	274	(X)
Europe	42	+/-55	15.3%	+/-18.1
Asia	13	+/-19	4.7%	+/-7.2
Africa	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-11.2
Oceania	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-11.2
Latin America	201	+/-72	73.4%	+/-18.3
Northern America	18	+/-22	6.6%	+/-7.7
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	11,295	+/-25	11,295	(X)
English only	10,811	+/-137	95.7%	+/-1.2
Language other than English	484	+/-130	4.3%	+/-1.2
Speak English less than "very well"	294	+/-87	2.6%	+/-0.8
Spanish	400	+/-110	3.5%	+/-1.0
Speak English less than "very well"	281	+/-85	2.5%	+/-0.8
Other Indo-European languages	60	+/-60	0.5%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.3
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	24	+/-27	0.2%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	13	+/-19	0.1%	+/-0.2
Other languages	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.3
ANCESTRY				
Total population	12,102	*****	12,102	(X)
American	913	+/-281	7.5%	+/-2.3
Arab	24	+/-27	0.2%	+/-0.2
Czech	6	+/-10	0.0%	+/-0.1
Danish	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.3
Dutch	101	+/-68	0.8%	+/-0.6
English	694	+/-176	5.7%	+/-1.5
French (except Basque)	191	+/-104	1.6%	+/-0.9

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	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
French Canadian	23	+/-41	0.2%	+/-0.3
German	410	+/-118	3.4%	+/-1.0
Greek	10	+/-15	0.1%	+/-0.1
Hungarian	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.3
Irish	1,143	+/-252	9.4%	+/-2.1
Italian	297	+/-110	2.5%	+/-0.9
Lithuanian	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.3
Norwegian	79	+/-66	0.7%	+/-0.5
Polish	17	+/-29	0.1%	+/-0.2
Portuguese	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.3
Russian	36	+/-45	0.3%	+/-0.4
Scotch-Irish	89	+/-52	0.7%	+/-0.4
Scottish	48	+/-31	0.4%	+/-0.3
Slovak	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.3
Subsaharan African	126	+/-86	1.0%	+/-0.7
Swedish	12	+/-20	0.1%	+/-0.2
Swiss	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.3
Ukrainian	7	+/-11	0.1%	+/-0.1
Welsh	49	+/-45	0.4%	+/-0.4
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.3

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.