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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	Clark County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	8,348	+/-827	8,348	(X)
Family households (families)	5,201	+/-540	62.3%	+/-3.3
With own children under 18 years	2,047	+/-457	24.5%	+/-4.0
Married-couple family	3,885	+/-401	46.5%	+/-2.9
With own children under 18 years	1,308	+/-348	15.7%	+/-3.3
Male householder, no wife present, family	291	+/-104	3.5%	+/-1.3
With own children under 18 years	178	+/-86	2.1%	+/-1.0
Female householder, no husband present, family	1,025	+/-208	12.3%	+/-2.0
With own children under 18 years	561	+/-171	6.7%	+/-1.8
Nonfamily households	3,147	+/-454	37.7%	+/-3.3
Householder living alone	2,631	+/-387	31.5%	+/-3.5
65 years and over	877	+/-195	10.5%	+/-2.5
Households with one or more people under 18 years	2,426	+/-469	29.1%	+/-3.9
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	2,203	+/-239	26.4%	+/-3.6
Average household size	2.31	+/-0.08	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.94	+/-0.13	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	19,315	+/-1,621	19,315	(X)
Householder	8,348	+/-827	43.2%	+/-1.4
Spouse	3,893	+/-390	20.2%	+/-1.2
Child	5,123	+/-520	26.5%	+/-2.0
Other relatives	1,097	+/-318	5.7%	+/-1.7
Nonrelatives	854	+/-257	4.4%	+/-1.1
Unmarried partner	317	+/-157	1.6%	+/-0.8
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	9,032	+/-115	9,032	(X)
Never married	4,085	+/-538	45.2%	+/-5.9
Now married, except separated	3,847	+/-498	42.6%	+/-5.5
Separated	191	+/-83	2.1%	+/-0.9
Widowed	291	+/-105	3.2%	+/-1.2
Divorced	618	+/-194	6.8%	+/-2.1
Females 15 years and over	10,243	+/-124	10,243	(X)

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Never married	3,835	+/-450	37.4%	+/-4.3
Now married, except separated	4,176	+/-386	40.8%	+/-3.9
Separated	176	+/-83	1.7%	+/-0.8
Widowed	1,087	+/-141	10.6%	+/-1.4
Divorced	969	+/-205	9.5%	+/-2.0
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	280	+/-145	280	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	143	+/-93	51.1%	+/-20.1
Per 1,000 unmarried women	34	+/-23	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	44	+/-23	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	17	+/-20	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	78	+/-45	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	16	+/-19	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	609	+/-215	609	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	509	+/-184	83.6%	+/-9.0
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	85	+/-78	14.0%	+/-11.7
1 or 2 years	68	+/-57	11.2%	+/-10.6
3 or 4 years	98	+/-107	16.1%	+/-15.3
5 or more years	258	+/-134	42.4%	+/-17.9
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	509	+/-184	509	(X)
Who are female	256	+/-103	50.3%	+/-10.2
Who are married	448	+/-177	88.0%	+/-8.9
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	7,895	+/-718	7,895	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	489	+/-131	6.2%	+/-1.7
Kindergarten	194	+/-74	2.5%	+/-1.0
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	1,991	+/-135	25.2%	+/-2.6
High school (grades 9-12)	1,007	+/-153	12.8%	+/-2.4
College or graduate school	4,214	+/-725	53.4%	+/-4.7
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	13,428	+/-168	13,428	(X)
Less than 9th grade	917	+/-245	6.8%	+/-1.8
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	1,352	+/-245	10.1%	+/-1.8
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	4,946	+/-367	36.8%	+/-2.8
Some college, no degree	2,382	+/-289	17.7%	+/-2.1
Associate's degree	915	+/-240	6.8%	+/-1.8
Bachelor's degree	1,772	+/-269	13.2%	+/-2.0
Graduate or professional degree	1,144	+/-205	8.5%	+/-1.5
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	83.1%	+/-2.0
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	21.7%	+/-2.4
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	18,396	+/-81	18,396	(X)
Civilian veterans	1,828	+/-245	9.9%	+/-1.3
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	22,815	+/-89	22,815	(X)

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Same house	18,009	+/-706	78.9%	+/-3.2
Different house in the U.S.	4,709	+/-713	20.6%	+/-3.1
Same county	1,807	+/-343	7.9%	+/-1.5
Different county	2,902	+/-731	12.7%	+/-3.2
Same state	1,585	+/-559	6.9%	+/-2.4
Different state	1,317	+/-526	5.8%	+/-2.3
Abroad	97	+/-85	0.4%	+/-0.4
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	23,083	*****	23,083	(X)
Native	22,567	+/-161	97.8%	+/-0.7
Born in United States	22,412	+/-202	97.1%	+/-0.9
State of residence	15,154	+/-917	65.7%	+/-4.0
Different state	7,258	+/-930	31.4%	+/-4.0
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	155	+/-96	0.7%	+/-0.4
Foreign born	516	+/-161	2.2%	+/-0.7
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	516	+/-161	516	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	209	+/-99	40.5%	+/-16.5
Not a U.S. citizen	307	+/-142	59.5%	+/-16.5
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	671	+/-202	671	(X)
Native	155	+/-96	155	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-18.8
Entered before 2000	155	+/-96	100.0%	+/-18.8
Foreign born	516	+/-161	516	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	194	+/-106	37.6%	+/-15.9
Entered before 2000	322	+/-127	62.4%	+/-15.9
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	516	+/-161	516	(X)
Europe	80	+/-51	15.5%	+/-9.0
Asia	81	+/-33	15.7%	+/-6.4
Africa	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-6.1
Oceania	27	+/-45	5.2%	+/-8.2
Latin America	307	+/-115	59.5%	+/-11.6
Northern America	21	+/-32	4.1%	+/-6.1
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	21,803	+/-36	21,803	(X)
English only	20,890	+/-214	95.8%	+/-1.0
Language other than English	913	+/-212	4.2%	+/-1.0
Speak English less than "very well"	398	+/-181	1.8%	+/-0.8
Spanish	705	+/-194	3.2%	+/-0.9
Speak English less than "very well"	324	+/-171	1.5%	+/-0.8
Other Indo-European languages	86	+/-61	0.4%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	38	+/-54	0.2%	+/-0.2
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	110	+/-59	0.5%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	36	+/-27	0.2%	+/-0.1
Other languages	12	+/-23	0.1%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.1
ANCESTRY				
Total population	23,083	*****	23,083	(X)
American	1,911	+/-356	8.3%	+/-1.5
Arab	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.1
Czech	37	+/-41	0.2%	+/-0.2
Danish	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.1
Dutch	303	+/-139	1.3%	+/-0.6
English	2,129	+/-436	9.2%	+/-1.9
French (except Basque)	645	+/-324	2.8%	+/-1.4

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French Canadian	16	+/-23	0.1%	+/-0.1
German	1,991	+/-282	8.6%	+/-1.2
Greek	49	+/-79	0.2%	+/-0.3
Hungarian	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.1
Irish	2,582	+/-359	11.2%	+/-1.6
Italian	239	+/-130	1.0%	+/-0.6
Lithuanian	9	+/-15	0.0%	+/-0.1
Norwegian	99	+/-65	0.4%	+/-0.3
Polish	204	+/-142	0.9%	+/-0.6
Portuguese	3	+/-5	0.0%	+/-0.1
Russian	41	+/-33	0.2%	+/-0.1
Scotch-Irish	530	+/-203	2.3%	+/-0.9
Scottish	600	+/-399	2.6%	+/-1.7
Slovak	10	+/-17	0.0%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	39	+/-36	0.2%	+/-0.2
Swedish	390	+/-163	1.7%	+/-0.7
Swiss	48	+/-70	0.2%	+/-0.3
Ukrainian	18	+/-23	0.1%	+/-0.1
Welsh	89	+/-86	0.4%	+/-0.4
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	32	+/-27	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.