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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	Craighead County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	35,864	+/-587	35,864	(X)
Family households (families)	24,571	+/-635	68.5%	+/-1.6
With own children under 18 years	11,768	+/-526	32.8%	+/-1.3
Married-couple family	17,922	+/-629	50.0%	+/-1.5
With own children under 18 years	7,761	+/-480	21.6%	+/-1.2
Male householder, no wife present, family	1,337	+/-238	3.7%	+/-0.7
With own children under 18 years	702	+/-154	2.0%	+/-0.4
Female householder, no husband present, family	5,312	+/-464	14.8%	+/-1.3
With own children under 18 years	3,305	+/-365	9.2%	+/-1.0
Nonfamily households	11,293	+/-624	31.5%	+/-1.6
Householder living alone	9,090	+/-575	25.3%	+/-1.5
65 years and over	3,297	+/-271	9.2%	+/-0.8
Households with one or more people under 18 years	12,948	+/-540	36.1%	+/-1.3
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	7,885	+/-190	22.0%	+/-0.6
Average household size	2.52	+/-0.04	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.02	+/-0.06	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	90,349	+/-484	90,349	(X)
Householder	35,864	+/-587	39.7%	+/-0.6
Spouse	17,891	+/-625	19.8%	+/-0.7
Child	26,611	+/-754	29.5%	+/-0.8
Other relatives	5,013	+/-676	5.5%	+/-0.8
Nonrelatives	4,970	+/-611	5.5%	+/-0.7
Unmarried partner	1,871	+/-310	2.1%	+/-0.3
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	35,338	+/-85	35,338	(X)
Never married	10,836	+/-577	30.7%	+/-1.6
Now married, except separated	19,151	+/-658	54.2%	+/-1.9
Separated	735	+/-195	2.1%	+/-0.6
Widowed	736	+/-133	2.1%	+/-0.4
Divorced	3,880	+/-465	11.0%	+/-1.3
Females 15 years and over	38,507	+/-81	38,507	(X)

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Never married	9,662	+/-453	25.1%	+/-1.2
Now married, except separated	18,674	+/-788	48.5%	+/-2.0
Separated	1,117	+/-260	2.9%	+/-0.7
Widowed	4,118	+/-354	10.7%	+/-0.9
Divorced	4,936	+/-459	12.8%	+/-1.2
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	1,912	+/-276	1,912	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	714	+/-193	37.3%	+/-8.3
Per 1,000 unmarried women	58	+/-16	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	78	+/-11	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	48	+/-28	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	146	+/-24	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	12	+/-7	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	2,013	+/-325	2,013	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	1,261	+/-303	62.6%	+/-8.5
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	577	+/-251	28.7%	+/-11.0
1 or 2 years	327	+/-167	16.2%	+/-7.6
3 or 4 years	133	+/-97	6.6%	+/-4.6
5 or more years	224	+/-98	11.1%	+/-4.7
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	1,261	+/-303	1,261	(X)
Who are female	778	+/-171	61.7%	+/-6.7
Who are married	867	+/-270	68.8%	+/-11.4
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	25,962	+/-587	25,962	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	1,620	+/-276	6.2%	+/-1.0
Kindergarten	1,335	+/-240	5.1%	+/-1.0
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	10,070	+/-355	38.8%	+/-1.6
High school (grades 9-12)	4,766	+/-273	18.4%	+/-1.1
College or graduate school	8,171	+/-561	31.5%	+/-1.6
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	58,490	+/-130	58,490	(X)
Less than 9th grade	3,942	+/-467	6.7%	+/-0.8
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	5,854	+/-515	10.0%	+/-0.9
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	20,449	+/-851	35.0%	+/-1.5
Some college, no degree	12,099	+/-719	20.7%	+/-1.2
Associate's degree	2,658	+/-314	4.5%	+/-0.5
Bachelor's degree	8,572	+/-588	14.7%	+/-1.0
Graduate or professional degree	4,916	+/-467	8.4%	+/-0.8
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	83.3%	+/-1.1
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	23.1%	+/-1.3
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	70,057	+/-45	70,057	(X)
Civilian veterans	6,670	+/-489	9.5%	+/-0.7
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	91,928	+/-211	91,928	(X)

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Same house	70,805	+/-1,651	77.0%	+/-1.8
Different house in the U.S.	20,848	+/-1,634	22.7%	+/-1.8
Same county	13,533	+/-1,257	14.7%	+/-1.4
Different county	7,315	+/-981	8.0%	+/-1.1
Same state	4,721	+/-705	5.1%	+/-0.8
Different state	2,594	+/-631	2.8%	+/-0.7
Abroad	275	+/-113	0.3%	+/-0.1
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	93,329	*****	93,329	(X)
Native	90,373	+/-315	96.8%	+/-0.3
Born in United States	90,014	+/-324	96.4%	+/-0.3
State of residence	61,748	+/-933	66.2%	+/-1.0
Different state	28,266	+/-964	30.3%	+/-1.0
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	359	+/-138	0.4%	+/-0.1
Foreign born	2,956	+/-315	3.2%	+/-0.3
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	2,956	+/-315	2,956	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	747	+/-177	25.3%	+/-5.8
Not a U.S. citizen	2,209	+/-309	74.7%	+/-5.8
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	3,315	+/-324	3,315	(X)
Native	359	+/-138	359	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	63	+/-66	17.5%	+/-14.6
Entered before 2000	296	+/-107	82.5%	+/-14.6
Foreign born	2,956	+/-315	2,956	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	1,361	+/-262	46.0%	+/-7.0
Entered before 2000	1,595	+/-255	54.0%	+/-7.0
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	2,956	+/-315	2,956	(X)
Europe	195	+/-99	6.6%	+/-3.2
Asia	765	+/-187	25.9%	+/-5.3
Africa	31	+/-34	1.0%	+/-1.2
Oceania	29	+/-32	1.0%	+/-1.1
Latin America	1,841	+/-221	62.3%	+/-6.3
Northern America	95	+/-78	3.2%	+/-2.5
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	86,601	+/-79	86,601	(X)
English only	82,531	+/-445	95.3%	+/-0.5
Language other than English	4,070	+/-426	4.7%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	1,949	+/-293	2.3%	+/-0.3
Spanish	3,152	+/-374	3.6%	+/-0.4
Speak English less than "very well"	1,584	+/-255	1.8%	+/-0.3
Other Indo-European languages	400	+/-169	0.5%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	102	+/-81	0.1%	+/-0.1
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	451	+/-143	0.5%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	210	+/-115	0.2%	+/-0.1
Other languages	67	+/-87	0.1%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	53	+/-84	0.1%	+/-0.1
ANCESTRY				
Total population	93,329	*****	93,329	(X)
American	9,611	+/-910	10.3%	+/-1.0
Arab	240	+/-247	0.3%	+/-0.3
Czech	179	+/-173	0.2%	+/-0.2
Danish	88	+/-91	0.1%	+/-0.1
Dutch	2,697	+/-511	2.9%	+/-0.5
English	8,800	+/-916	9.4%	+/-1.0
French (except Basque)	1,808	+/-327	1.9%	+/-0.4

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French Canadian	283	+/-144	0.3%	+/-0.2
German	10,965	+/-919	11.7%	+/-1.0
Greek	18	+/-21	0.0%	+/-0.1
Hungarian	157	+/-154	0.2%	+/-0.2
Irish	12,399	+/-1,211	13.3%	+/-1.3
Italian	1,422	+/-410	1.5%	+/-0.4
Lithuanian	19	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.1
Norwegian	319	+/-129	0.3%	+/-0.1
Polish	684	+/-240	0.7%	+/-0.3
Portuguese	92	+/-87	0.1%	+/-0.1
Russian	222	+/-159	0.2%	+/-0.2
Scotch-Irish	2,134	+/-392	2.3%	+/-0.4
Scottish	1,687	+/-426	1.8%	+/-0.5
Slovak	25	+/-25	0.0%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	181	+/-135	0.2%	+/-0.1
Swedish	346	+/-143	0.4%	+/-0.2
Swiss	210	+/-180	0.2%	+/-0.2
Ukrainian	4	+/-5	0.0%	+/-0.1
Welsh	578	+/-247	0.6%	+/-0.3
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	131	+/-126	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.