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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	Fulton County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	4,823	+/-272	4,823	(X)
Family households (families)	3,271	+/-311	67.8%	+/-4.4
With own children under 18 years	1,061	+/-168	22.0%	+/-3.0
Married-couple family	2,749	+/-293	57.0%	+/-4.6
With own children under 18 years	757	+/-173	15.7%	+/-3.5
Male householder, no wife present, family	88	+/-61	1.8%	+/-1.3
With own children under 18 years	54	+/-52	1.1%	+/-1.1
Female householder, no husband present, family	434	+/-131	9.0%	+/-2.7
With own children under 18 years	250	+/-91	5.2%	+/-1.8
Nonfamily households	1,552	+/-211	32.2%	+/-4.4
Householder living alone	1,452	+/-208	30.1%	+/-4.3
65 years and over	539	+/-136	11.2%	+/-2.8
Households with one or more people under 18 years	1,138	+/-159	23.6%	+/-2.9
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	1,683	+/-157	34.9%	+/-2.9
Average household size	2.47	+/-0.13	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.12	+/-0.25	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	11,935	+/-232	11,935	(X)
Householder	4,823	+/-272	40.4%	+/-2.1
Spouse	2,744	+/-292	23.0%	+/-2.4
Child	3,484	+/-353	29.2%	+/-2.9
Other relatives	722	+/-297	6.0%	+/-2.5
Nonrelatives	162	+/-77	1.4%	+/-0.6
Unmarried partner	92	+/-56	0.8%	+/-0.5
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	4,887	+/-53	4,887	(X)
Never married	1,107	+/-186	22.7%	+/-3.8
Now married, except separated	3,076	+/-299	62.9%	+/-6.0
Separated	33	+/-27	0.7%	+/-0.6
Widowed	106	+/-51	2.2%	+/-1.0
Divorced	565	+/-226	11.6%	+/-4.6
Females 15 years and over	5,217	+/-34	5,217	(X)

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Never married	795	+/-126	15.2%	+/-2.4
Now married, except separated	2,880	+/-303	55.2%	+/-5.8
Separated	135	+/-75	2.6%	+/-1.4
Widowed	745	+/-218	14.3%	+/-4.2
Divorced	662	+/-159	12.7%	+/-3.0
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	173	+/-71	173	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	46	+/-51	26.6%	+/-27.8
Per 1,000 unmarried women	40	+/-45	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	70	+/-29	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	19	+/-35	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	174	+/-87	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	18	+/-18	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	130	+/-82	130	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	40	+/-33	30.8%	+/-27.0
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	4	+/-8	3.1%	+/-6.9
1 or 2 years	7	+/-10	5.4%	+/-8.8
3 or 4 years	11	+/-18	8.5%	+/-14.3
5 or more years	18	+/-26	13.8%	+/-19.2
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	40	+/-33	40	(X)
Who are female	22	+/-17	55.0%	+/-17.5
Who are married	33	+/-33	82.5%	+/-29.1
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	2,626	+/-233	2,626	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	322	+/-110	12.3%	+/-3.8
Kindergarten	161	+/-70	6.1%	+/-2.8
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	976	+/-167	37.2%	+/-6.4
High school (grades 9-12)	718	+/-144	27.3%	+/-4.8
College or graduate school	449	+/-135	17.1%	+/-4.5
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	8,812	+/-35	8,812	(X)
Less than 9th grade	727	+/-177	8.3%	+/-2.0
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	1,089	+/-280	12.4%	+/-3.2
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	3,743	+/-314	42.5%	+/-3.5
Some college, no degree	1,917	+/-279	21.8%	+/-3.2
Associate's degree	481	+/-165	5.5%	+/-1.9
Bachelor's degree	488	+/-158	5.5%	+/-1.8
Graduate or professional degree	367	+/-144	4.2%	+/-1.6
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	79.4%	+/-3.6
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	9.7%	+/-2.2
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	9,590	+/-33	9,590	(X)
Civilian veterans	1,342	+/-195	14.0%	+/-2.0
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	12,105	+/-60	12,105	(X)

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Same house	10,932	+/-303	90.3%	+/-2.7
Different house in the U.S.	1,173	+/-332	9.7%	+/-2.7
Same county	490	+/-261	4.0%	+/-2.2
Different county	683	+/-240	5.6%	+/-2.0
Same state	456	+/-181	3.8%	+/-1.5
Different state	227	+/-155	1.9%	+/-1.3
Abroad	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.3
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	12,263	*****	12,263	(X)
Native	12,216	+/-49	99.6%	+/-0.4
Born in United States	12,146	+/-99	99.0%	+/-0.8
State of residence	5,655	+/-479	46.1%	+/-3.9
Different state	6,491	+/-483	52.9%	+/-3.9
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	70	+/-57	0.6%	+/-0.5
Foreign born	47	+/-49	0.4%	+/-0.4
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	47	+/-49	47	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	20	+/-18	42.6%	+/-52.2
Not a U.S. citizen	27	+/-46	57.4%	+/-52.2
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	117	+/-99	117	(X)
Native	70	+/-57	70	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	43	+/-63	61.4%	+/-60.8
Entered before 2000	27	+/-33	38.6%	+/-60.8
Foreign born	47	+/-49	47	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	27	+/-46	57.4%	+/-52.2
Entered before 2000	20	+/-18	42.6%	+/-52.2
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	47	+/-49	47	(X)
Europe	47	+/-49	100.0%	+/-43.3
Asia	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-43.3
Africa	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-43.3
Oceania	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-43.3
Latin America	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-43.3
Northern America	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-43.3
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	11,610	+/-29	11,610	(X)
English only	11,545	+/-82	99.4%	+/-0.6
Language other than English	65	+/-69	0.6%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	43	+/-61	0.4%	+/-0.5
Spanish	43	+/-61	0.4%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	43	+/-61	0.4%	+/-0.5
Other Indo-European languages	22	+/-39	0.2%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.3
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.3
Other languages	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.3
ANCESTRY				
Total population	12,263	*****	12,263	(X)
American	1,138	+/-363	9.3%	+/-3.0
Arab	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.3
Czech	47	+/-48	0.4%	+/-0.4
Danish	35	+/-60	0.3%	+/-0.5
Dutch	204	+/-112	1.7%	+/-0.9
English	1,361	+/-255	11.1%	+/-2.1
French (except Basque)	215	+/-113	1.8%	+/-0.9

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French Canadian	4	+/-6	0.0%	+/-0.1
German	2,611	+/-518	21.3%	+/-4.2
Greek	35	+/-58	0.3%	+/-0.5
Hungarian	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.3
Irish	3,266	+/-512	26.6%	+/-4.2
Italian	278	+/-238	2.3%	+/-1.9
Lithuanian	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.3
Norwegian	30	+/-35	0.2%	+/-0.3
Polish	158	+/-97	1.3%	+/-0.8
Portuguese	26	+/-31	0.2%	+/-0.2
Russian	35	+/-33	0.3%	+/-0.3
Scotch-Irish	431	+/-221	3.5%	+/-1.8
Scottish	358	+/-206	2.9%	+/-1.7
Slovak	13	+/-19	0.1%	+/-0.2
Subsaharan African	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.3
Swedish	70	+/-56	0.6%	+/-0.5
Swiss	51	+/-85	0.4%	+/-0.7
Ukrainian	70	+/-105	0.6%	+/-0.9
Welsh	95	+/-66	0.8%	+/-0.5
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	51	+/-58	0.4%	+/-0.5

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.