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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	Jackson County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
<b>HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE</b>				
Total households	6,391	+/-235	6,391	(X)
Family households (families)	4,326	+/-243	67.7%	+/-3.0
With own children under 18 years	1,583	+/-167	24.8%	+/-2.2
Married-couple family	2,994	+/-229	46.8%	+/-3.3
With own children under 18 years	821	+/-141	12.8%	+/-2.1
Male householder, no wife present, family	386	+/-129	6.0%	+/-2.0
With own children under 18 years	180	+/-88	2.8%	+/-1.4
Female householder, no husband present, family	946	+/-138	14.8%	+/-2.1
With own children under 18 years	582	+/-122	9.1%	+/-1.9
Nonfamily households	2,065	+/-213	32.3%	+/-3.0
Householder living alone	1,910	+/-216	29.9%	+/-3.1
65 years and over	922	+/-135	14.4%	+/-2.1
Households with one or more people under 18 years	1,983	+/-175	31.0%	+/-2.4
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	2,083	+/-118	32.6%	+/-1.9
Average household size	2.48	+/-0.08	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.05	+/-0.15	(X)	(X)
<b>RELATIONSHIP</b>				
Population in households	15,819	+/-283	15,819	(X)
Householder	6,391	+/-235	40.4%	+/-1.3
Spouse	2,986	+/-249	18.9%	+/-1.6
Child	4,417	+/-346	27.9%	+/-2.1
Other relatives	1,486	+/-304	9.4%	+/-1.9
Nonrelatives	539	+/-179	3.4%	+/-1.1
Unmarried partner	353	+/-128	2.2%	+/-0.8
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>				
Males 15 years and over	7,299	+/-89	7,299	(X)
Never married	2,376	+/-188	32.6%	+/-2.5
Now married, except separated	3,324	+/-254	45.5%	+/-3.4
Separated	237	+/-99	3.2%	+/-1.4
Widowed	364	+/-91	5.0%	+/-1.2
Divorced	998	+/-216	13.7%	+/-3.0
Females 15 years and over	7,612	+/-71	7,612	(X)

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Never married	1,728	+/-144	22.7%	+/-1.9
Now married, except separated	3,447	+/-263	45.3%	+/-3.5
Separated	263	+/-75	3.5%	+/-1.0
Widowed	1,152	+/-139	15.1%	+/-1.8
Divorced	1,022	+/-174	13.4%	+/-2.3
<b>FERTILITY</b>				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	228	+/-84	228	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	187	+/-79	82.0%	+/-12.2
Per 1,000 unmarried women	81	+/-35	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	52	+/-19	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	69	+/-65	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	96	+/-43	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	13	+/-13	(X)	(X)
<b>GRANDPARENTS</b>				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	480	+/-156	480	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	263	+/-99	54.8%	+/-15.4
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	137	+/-84	28.5%	+/-15.1
1 or 2 years	39	+/-31	8.1%	+/-6.5
3 or 4 years	23	+/-24	4.8%	+/-4.7
5 or more years	64	+/-39	13.3%	+/-8.3
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	263	+/-99	263	(X)
Who are female	167	+/-62	63.5%	+/-9.1
Who are married	217	+/-92	82.5%	+/-11.9
<b>SCHOOL ENROLLMENT</b>				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	4,003	+/-260	4,003	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	383	+/-142	9.6%	+/-3.3
Kindergarten	223	+/-72	5.6%	+/-1.8
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	1,536	+/-129	38.4%	+/-4.4
High school (grades 9-12)	951	+/-122	23.8%	+/-3.0
College or graduate school	910	+/-198	22.7%	+/-3.8
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>				
Population 25 years and over	12,709	+/-107	12,709	(X)
Less than 9th grade	1,342	+/-176	10.6%	+/-1.4
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	2,183	+/-243	17.2%	+/-1.9
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	5,598	+/-348	44.0%	+/-2.7
Some college, no degree	2,153	+/-196	16.9%	+/-1.5
Associate's degree	546	+/-139	4.3%	+/-1.1
Bachelor's degree	611	+/-152	4.8%	+/-1.2
Graduate or professional degree	276	+/-88	2.2%	+/-0.7
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	72.3%	+/-2.1
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	7.0%	+/-1.6
<b>VETERAN STATUS</b>				
Civilian population 18 years and over	14,246	+/-50	14,246	(X)
Civilian veterans	1,495	+/-189	10.5%	+/-1.3
<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	17,795	+/-90	17,795	(X)

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Same house	13,750	+/-535	77.3%	+/-3.0
Different house in the U.S.	4,045	+/-536	22.7%	+/-3.0
Same county	1,427	+/-344	8.0%	+/-1.9
Different county	2,618	+/-452	14.7%	+/-2.5
Same state	2,186	+/-407	12.3%	+/-2.3
Different state	432	+/-207	2.4%	+/-1.2
Abroad	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.2
<b>PLACE OF BIRTH</b>				
Total population	18,015	*****	18,015	(X)
Native	17,859	+/-69	99.1%	+/-0.4
Born in United States	17,812	+/-75	98.9%	+/-0.4
State of residence	14,099	+/-347	78.3%	+/-1.9
Different state	3,713	+/-345	20.6%	+/-1.9
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	47	+/-33	0.3%	+/-0.2
Foreign born	156	+/-69	0.9%	+/-0.4
<b>U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS</b>				
Foreign-born population	156	+/-69	156	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	35	+/-30	22.4%	+/-17.3
Not a U.S. citizen	121	+/-61	77.6%	+/-17.3
<b>YEAR OF ENTRY</b>				
Population born outside the United States	203	+/-75	203	(X)
Native	47	+/-33	47	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-43.3
Entered before 2000	47	+/-33	100.0%	+/-43.3
Foreign born	156	+/-69	156	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	48	+/-33	30.8%	+/-17.4
Entered before 2000	108	+/-55	69.2%	+/-17.4
<b>WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN</b>				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	156	+/-69	156	(X)
Europe	18	+/-20	11.5%	+/-12.7
Asia	13	+/-17	8.3%	+/-10.6
Africa	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-18.7
Oceania	9	+/-15	5.8%	+/-10.3
Latin America	97	+/-57	62.2%	+/-21.1
Northern America	19	+/-23	12.2%	+/-14.1
<b>LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME</b>				
Population 5 years and over	16,942	+/-54	16,942	(X)
English only	16,679	+/-91	98.4%	+/-0.6
Language other than English	263	+/-101	1.6%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	114	+/-63	0.7%	+/-0.4
Spanish	248	+/-99	1.5%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	114	+/-63	0.7%	+/-0.4
Other Indo-European languages	3	+/-5	0.0%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.2
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	12	+/-16	0.1%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.2
Other languages	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.2
<b>ANCESTRY</b>				
Total population	18,015	*****	18,015	(X)
American	1,763	+/-317	9.8%	+/-1.8
Arab	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.2
Czech	9	+/-14	0.0%	+/-0.1
Danish	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.2
Dutch	464	+/-155	2.6%	+/-0.9
English	1,559	+/-364	8.7%	+/-2.0
French (except Basque)	311	+/-144	1.7%	+/-0.8

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French Canadian	21	+/-24	0.1%	+/-0.1
German	1,709	+/-349	9.5%	+/-1.9
Greek	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.2
Hungarian	14	+/-18	0.1%	+/-0.1
Irish	2,561	+/-503	14.2%	+/-2.8
Italian	174	+/-87	1.0%	+/-0.5
Lithuanian	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.2
Norwegian	65	+/-65	0.4%	+/-0.4
Polish	100	+/-69	0.6%	+/-0.4
Portuguese	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.2
Russian	19	+/-23	0.1%	+/-0.1
Scotch-Irish	122	+/-62	0.7%	+/-0.3
Scottish	244	+/-102	1.4%	+/-0.6
Slovak	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.2
Subsaharan African	38	+/-38	0.2%	+/-0.2
Swedish	124	+/-57	0.7%	+/-0.3
Swiss	3	+/-5	0.0%	+/-0.1
Ukrainian	11	+/-19	0.1%	+/-0.1
Welsh	3	+/-4	0.0%	+/-0.1
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	10	+/-13	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.