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2007-2011 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, it is the Census Bureau's Population Estimates Program that produces and disseminates the official estimates of the population for the nation, states, counties, cities and towns and estimates of housing units for states and counties.

Subject	West Fork city, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	916	+/-122	916	(X)
Family households (families)	664	+/-116	72.5%	+/-7.6
With own children under 18 years	312	+/-98	34.1%	+/-8.5
Married-couple family	541	+/-101	59.1%	+/-8.1
With own children under 18 years	236	+/-84	25.8%	+/-8.0
Male householder, no wife present, family	17	+/-19	1.9%	+/-2.1
With own children under 18 years	10	+/-15	1.1%	+/-1.6
Female householder, no husband present, family	106	+/-49	11.6%	+/-4.8
With own children under 18 years	66	+/-49	7.2%	+/-5.1
Nonfamily households	252	+/-76	27.5%	+/-7.6
Householder living alone	242	+/-74	26.4%	+/-7.4
65 years and over	72	+/-45	7.9%	+/-4.8
Households with one or more people under 18 years	349	+/-97	38.1%	+/-8.2
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	194	+/-57	21.2%	+/-6.2
Average household size	2.72	+/-0.25	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.30	+/-0.26	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	2,488	+/-420	2,488	(X)
Householder	916	+/-122	36.8%	+/-3.5
Spouse	545	+/-93	21.9%	+/-2.4
Child	819	+/-240	32.9%	+/-5.0
Other relatives	161	+/-76	6.5%	+/-3.1
Nonrelatives	47	+/-41	1.9%	+/-1.6
Unmarried partner	29	+/-23	1.2%	+/-0.9
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	897	+/-138	897	(X)
Never married	208	+/-78	23.2%	+/-7.2
Now married, except separated	554	+/-101	61.8%	+/-9.1
Separated	8	+/-12	0.9%	+/-1.4
Widowed	33	+/-35	3.7%	+/-3.7
Divorced	94	+/-50	10.5%	+/-5.4
Females 15 years and over	964	+/-176	964	(X)
Never married	186	+/-98	19.3%	+/-7.7

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Now married, except separated	532	+/-93	55.2%	+/-7.2
Separated	25	+/-27	2.6%	+/-2.8
Widowed	89	+/-37	9.2%	+/-3.9
Divorced	132	+/-60	13.7%	+/-5.9
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	26	+/-37	26	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-58.2
Per 1,000 unmarried women	0	+/-117	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	43	+/-61	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/-241	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	152	+/-202	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	0	+/-96	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	83	+/-57	83	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	63	+/-60	75.9%	+/-32.7
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	10	+/-20	12.0%	+/-22.4
1 or 2 years	11	+/-13	13.3%	+/-14.2
3 or 4 years	37	+/-53	44.6%	+/-46.8
5 or more years	5	+/-9	6.0%	+/-10.9
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	63	+/-60	63	(X)
Who are female	31	+/-31	49.2%	+/-12.6
Who are married	57	+/-60	90.5%	+/-16.9
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	753	+/-221	753	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	22	+/-21	2.9%	+/-2.9
Kindergarten	42	+/-32	5.6%	+/-4.3
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	382	+/-163	50.7%	+/-10.5
High school (grades 9-12)	155	+/-63	20.6%	+/-9.1
College or graduate school	152	+/-66	20.2%	+/-6.4
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	1,544	+/-202	1,544	(X)
Less than 9th grade	63	+/-42	4.1%	+/-2.5
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	129	+/-66	8.4%	+/-4.0
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	639	+/-145	41.4%	+/-7.4
Some college, no degree	378	+/-92	24.5%	+/-5.4
Associate's degree	75	+/-38	4.9%	+/-2.5
Bachelor's degree	189	+/-105	12.2%	+/-6.4
Graduate or professional degree	71	+/-34	4.6%	+/-2.2
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	87.6%	+/-5.6
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	16.8%	+/-6.8
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	1,760	+/-260	1,760	(X)
Civilian veterans	229	+/-75	13.0%	+/-4.3
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	2,466	+/-412	2,466	(X)
Same house	1,856	+/-304	75.3%	+/-8.2

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Different house in the U.S.	610	+/-255	24.7%	+/-8.2
Same county	518	+/-268	21.0%	+/-9.1
Different county	92	+/-79	3.7%	+/-3.2
Same state	26	+/-37	1.1%	+/-1.5
Different state	66	+/-69	2.7%	+/-2.8
Abroad	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.3
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	2,488	+/-420	2,488	(X)
Native	2,465	+/-420	99.1%	+/-1.0
Born in United States	2,444	+/-417	98.2%	+/-1.4
State of residence	1,426	+/-354	57.3%	+/-7.1
Different state	1,018	+/-179	40.9%	+/-6.7
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	21	+/-26	0.8%	+/-1.0
Foreign born	23	+/-24	0.9%	+/-1.0
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	23	+/-24	23	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	9	+/-10	39.1%	+/-48.2
Not a U.S. citizen	14	+/-21	60.9%	+/-48.2
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	44	+/-35	44	(X)
Native	21	+/-26	21	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-64.7
Entered before 2000	21	+/-26	100.0%	+/-64.7
Foreign born	23	+/-24	23	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-61.8
Entered before 2000	23	+/-24	100.0%	+/-61.8
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	23	+/-24	23	(X)
Europe	5	+/-7	21.7%	+/-36.6
Asia	4	+/-7	17.4%	+/-32.1
Africa	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-61.8
Oceania	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-61.8
Latin America	14	+/-21	60.9%	+/-48.2
Northern America	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-61.8
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	2,329	+/-379	2,329	(X)
English only	2,279	+/-381	97.9%	+/-1.9
Language other than English	50	+/-44	2.1%	+/-1.9
Speak English less than "very well"	4	+/-7	0.2%	+/-0.3
Spanish	46	+/-43	2.0%	+/-1.9
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.4
Other Indo-European languages	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.4
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.4
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	4	+/-7	0.2%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	4	+/-7	0.2%	+/-0.3
Other languages	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.4
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.4
ANCESTRY				
Total population	2,488	+/-420	2,488	(X)
American	185	+/-98	7.4%	+/-3.9
Arab	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.3
Czech	7	+/-10	0.3%	+/-0.4
Danish	6	+/-10	0.2%	+/-0.4
Dutch	30	+/-21	1.2%	+/-0.9
English	426	+/-172	17.1%	+/-6.3
French (except Basque)	172	+/-106	6.9%	+/-4.1
French Canadian	30	+/-32	1.2%	+/-1.3
German	335	+/-103	13.5%	+/-4.6

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Greek	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.3
Hungarian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.3
Irish	468	+/-180	18.8%	+/-6.5
Italian	92	+/-87	3.7%	+/-3.5
Lithuanian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.3
Norwegian	8	+/-13	0.3%	+/-0.5
Polish	28	+/-31	1.1%	+/-1.2
Portuguese	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.3
Russian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.3
Scotch-Irish	134	+/-105	5.4%	+/-4.0
Scottish	46	+/-38	1.8%	+/-1.5
Slovak	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.3
Subsaharan African	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.3
Swedish	23	+/-19	0.9%	+/-0.8
Swiss	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.3
Ukrainian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.3
Welsh	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.3
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.3

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 2007-2011 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, 2007-2011 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.
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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.