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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	Baxter County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	18,581	+/-416	18,581	(X)
Family households (families)	12,460	+/-572	67.1%	+/-2.3
With own children under 18 years	3,743	+/-356	20.1%	+/-1.7
Married-couple family	10,302	+/-546	55.4%	+/-2.5
With own children under 18 years	2,503	+/-311	13.5%	+/-1.6
Male householder, no wife present, family	608	+/-188	3.3%	+/-1.0
With own children under 18 years	255	+/-148	1.4%	+/-0.8
Female householder, no husband present, family	1,550	+/-252	8.3%	+/-1.3
With own children under 18 years	985	+/-244	5.3%	+/-1.3
Nonfamily households	6,121	+/-424	32.9%	+/-2.3
Householder living alone	5,233	+/-422	28.2%	+/-2.3
65 years and over	2,756	+/-317	14.8%	+/-1.7
Households with one or more people under 18 years	4,181	+/-352	22.5%	+/-1.7
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	7,794	+/-195	41.9%	+/-1.0
Average household size	2.20	+/-0.05	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.66	+/-0.09	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	40,889	+/-163	40,889	(X)
Householder	18,581	+/-416	45.4%	+/-1.0
Spouse	10,258	+/-555	25.1%	+/-1.3
Child	8,952	+/-534	21.9%	+/-1.3
Other relatives	1,507	+/-357	3.7%	+/-0.9
Nonrelatives	1,591	+/-471	3.9%	+/-1.1
Unmarried partner	871	+/-200	2.1%	+/-0.5
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	16,731	+/-85	16,731	(X)
Never married	3,046	+/-328	18.2%	+/-2.0
Now married, except separated	10,781	+/-545	64.4%	+/-3.2
Separated	102	+/-60	0.6%	+/-0.4
Widowed	685	+/-151	4.1%	+/-0.9
Divorced	2,117	+/-309	12.7%	+/-1.9
Females 15 years and over	18,627	+/-102	18,627	(X)
Never married	2,509	+/-284	13.5%	+/-1.5

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Now married, except separated	10,553	+/-542	56.7%	+/-3.0
Separated	289	+/-115	1.6%	+/-0.6
Widowed	2,761	+/-237	14.8%	+/-1.3
Divorced	2,515	+/-377	13.5%	+/-2.0
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	221	+/-90	221	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	30	+/-30	13.6%	+/-13.2
Per 1,000 unmarried women	8	+/-9	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	29	+/-12	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	16	+/-23	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	62	+/-30	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	9	+/-7	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	626	+/-198	626	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	286	+/-122	45.7%	+/-14.1
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	94	+/-72	15.0%	+/-10.5
1 or 2 years	63	+/-65	10.1%	+/-10.6
3 or 4 years	14	+/-19	2.2%	+/-3.1
5 or more years	115	+/-77	18.4%	+/-10.8
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	286	+/-122	286	(X)
Who are female	173	+/-65	60.5%	+/-7.8
Who are married	248	+/-118	86.7%	+/-10.8
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	7,957	+/-329	7,957	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	569	+/-147	7.2%	+/-1.8
Kindergarten	346	+/-117	4.3%	+/-1.6
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	3,579	+/-186	45.0%	+/-2.5
High school (grades 9-12)	1,805	+/-196	22.7%	+/-2.4
College or graduate school	1,658	+/-270	20.8%	+/-2.8
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	31,436	+/-87	31,436	(X)
Less than 9th grade	1,424	+/-242	4.5%	+/-0.8
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	3,193	+/-369	10.2%	+/-1.2
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	11,699	+/-566	37.2%	+/-1.8
Some college, no degree	8,240	+/-484	26.2%	+/-1.5
Associate's degree	2,203	+/-266	7.0%	+/-0.9
Bachelor's degree	3,278	+/-301	10.4%	+/-1.0
Graduate or professional degree	1,399	+/-219	4.5%	+/-0.7
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	85.3%	+/-1.4
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	14.9%	+/-1.3
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	33,971	+/-56	33,971	(X)
Civilian veterans	6,045	+/-284	17.8%	+/-0.8
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	41,273	+/-90	41,273	(X)
Same house	34,288	+/-892	83.1%	+/-2.2

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Different house in the U.S.	6,802	+/-882	16.5%	+/-2.1
Same county	3,795	+/-651	9.2%	+/-1.6
Different county	3,007	+/-648	7.3%	+/-1.6
Same state	1,086	+/-504	2.6%	+/-1.2
Different state	1,921	+/-477	4.7%	+/-1.2
Abroad	183	+/-170	0.4%	+/-0.4
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	41,527	*****	41,527	(X)
Native	40,727	+/-193	98.1%	+/-0.5
Born in United States	40,469	+/-218	97.5%	+/-0.5
State of residence	14,202	+/-729	34.2%	+/-1.8
Different state	26,267	+/-727	63.3%	+/-1.8
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	258	+/-108	0.6%	+/-0.3
Foreign born	800	+/-193	1.9%	+/-0.5
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	800	+/-193	800	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	506	+/-161	63.3%	+/-15.4
Not a U.S. citizen	294	+/-147	36.8%	+/-15.4
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	1,058	+/-218	1,058	(X)
Native	258	+/-108	258	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	48	+/-60	18.6%	+/-20.8
Entered before 2000	210	+/-98	81.4%	+/-20.8
Foreign born	800	+/-193	800	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	162	+/-92	20.3%	+/-10.4
Entered before 2000	638	+/-173	79.8%	+/-10.4
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	800	+/-193	800	(X)
Europe	416	+/-123	52.0%	+/-11.0
Asia	120	+/-44	15.0%	+/-6.0
Africa	2	+/-4	0.3%	+/-0.5
Oceania	31	+/-30	3.9%	+/-3.5
Latin America	188	+/-105	23.5%	+/-11.1
Northern America	43	+/-53	5.4%	+/-6.1
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	39,596	+/-74	39,596	(X)
English only	38,607	+/-224	97.5%	+/-0.5
Language other than English	989	+/-217	2.5%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	271	+/-109	0.7%	+/-0.3
Spanish	373	+/-128	0.9%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	136	+/-97	0.3%	+/-0.2
Other Indo-European languages	508	+/-178	1.3%	+/-0.4
Speak English less than "very well"	75	+/-45	0.2%	+/-0.1
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	87	+/-49	0.2%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	60	+/-34	0.2%	+/-0.1
Other languages	21	+/-20	0.1%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.1
ANCESTRY				
Total population	41,527	*****	41,527	(X)
American	3,900	+/-452	9.4%	+/-1.1
Arab	33	+/-38	0.1%	+/-0.1
Czech	427	+/-119	1.0%	+/-0.3
Danish	266	+/-127	0.6%	+/-0.3
Dutch	1,112	+/-245	2.7%	+/-0.6
English	5,612	+/-615	13.5%	+/-1.5
French (except Basque)	1,266	+/-345	3.0%	+/-0.8
French Canadian	278	+/-161	0.7%	+/-0.4
German	9,574	+/-794	23.1%	+/-1.9

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Greek	17	+/-16	0.0%	+/-0.1
Hungarian	179	+/-92	0.4%	+/-0.2
Irish	7,399	+/-646	17.8%	+/-1.6
Italian	1,310	+/-320	3.2%	+/-0.8
Lithuanian	177	+/-89	0.4%	+/-0.2
Norwegian	629	+/-166	1.5%	+/-0.4
Polish	1,575	+/-380	3.8%	+/-0.9
Portuguese	109	+/-103	0.3%	+/-0.2
Russian	238	+/-119	0.6%	+/-0.3
Scotch-Irish	1,361	+/-328	3.3%	+/-0.8
Scottish	1,004	+/-243	2.4%	+/-0.6
Slovak	67	+/-58	0.2%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	8	+/-11	0.0%	+/-0.1
Swedish	860	+/-242	2.1%	+/-0.6
Swiss	95	+/-57	0.2%	+/-0.1
Ukrainian	49	+/-35	0.1%	+/-0.1
Welsh	362	+/-124	0.9%	+/-0.3
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	34	+/-29	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 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.
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.