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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	Marion County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
<b>HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE</b>				
Total households	7,055	+/-297	7,055	(X)
Family households (families)	4,948	+/-344	70.1%	+/-3.5
With own children under 18 years	1,305	+/-206	18.5%	+/-2.6
Married-couple family	4,298	+/-312	60.9%	+/-3.4
With own children under 18 years	973	+/-195	13.8%	+/-2.6
Male householder, no wife present, family	209	+/-86	3.0%	+/-1.2
With own children under 18 years	76	+/-44	1.1%	+/-0.6
Female householder, no husband present, family	441	+/-114	6.3%	+/-1.6
With own children under 18 years	256	+/-81	3.6%	+/-1.1
Nonfamily households	2,107	+/-250	29.9%	+/-3.5
Householder living alone	1,840	+/-238	26.1%	+/-3.3
65 years and over	923	+/-156	13.1%	+/-2.1
Households with one or more people under 18 years	1,489	+/-216	21.1%	+/-2.7
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	2,718	+/-128	38.5%	+/-1.8
Average household size	2.35	+/-0.10	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.76	+/-0.14	(X)	(X)
<b>RELATIONSHIP</b>				
Population in households	16,574	+/-96	16,574	(X)
Householder	7,055	+/-297	42.6%	+/-1.8
Spouse	4,293	+/-318	25.9%	+/-1.9
Child	3,705	+/-311	22.4%	+/-1.9
Other relatives	726	+/-221	4.4%	+/-1.3
Nonrelatives	795	+/-318	4.8%	+/-1.9
Unmarried partner	150	+/-68	0.9%	+/-0.4
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>				
Males 15 years and over	7,053	+/-71	7,053	(X)
Never married	1,391	+/-221	19.7%	+/-3.1
Now married, except separated	4,386	+/-318	62.2%	+/-4.6
Separated	131	+/-92	1.9%	+/-1.3
Widowed	414	+/-134	5.9%	+/-1.9
Divorced	731	+/-179	10.4%	+/-2.5
Females 15 years and over	7,226	+/-74	7,226	(X)
Never married	840	+/-154	11.6%	+/-2.1

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Now married, except separated	4,631	+/-338	64.1%	+/-4.7
Separated	98	+/-58	1.4%	+/-0.8
Widowed	902	+/-150	12.5%	+/-2.1
Divorced	755	+/-210	10.4%	+/-2.9
<b>FERTILITY</b>				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	146	+/-75	146	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	59	+/-53	40.4%	+/-29.7
Per 1,000 unmarried women	48	+/-43	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	47	+/-25	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	50	+/-51	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	94	+/-57	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	17	+/-25	(X)	(X)
<b>GRANDPARENTS</b>				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	295	+/-136	295	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	185	+/-97	62.7%	+/-22.7
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	40	+/-45	13.6%	+/-13.9
1 or 2 years	98	+/-86	33.2%	+/-24.3
3 or 4 years	9	+/-15	3.1%	+/-5.0
5 or more years	38	+/-39	12.9%	+/-14.6
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	185	+/-97	185	(X)
Who are female	102	+/-61	55.1%	+/-11.3
Who are married	147	+/-84	79.5%	+/-19.1
<b>SCHOOL ENROLLMENT</b>				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	3,090	+/-244	3,090	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	143	+/-59	4.6%	+/-1.8
Kindergarten	168	+/-97	5.4%	+/-3.3
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	1,496	+/-133	48.4%	+/-4.5
High school (grades 9-12)	722	+/-90	23.4%	+/-3.2
College or graduate school	561	+/-194	18.2%	+/-5.0
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>				
Population 25 years and over	12,641	+/-40	12,641	(X)
Less than 9th grade	416	+/-130	3.3%	+/-1.0
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	1,506	+/-229	11.9%	+/-1.8
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	4,924	+/-383	39.0%	+/-3.0
Some college, no degree	3,226	+/-352	25.5%	+/-2.8
Associate's degree	735	+/-177	5.8%	+/-1.4
Bachelor's degree	1,277	+/-213	10.1%	+/-1.7
Graduate or professional degree	557	+/-149	4.4%	+/-1.2
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	84.8%	+/-2.2
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	14.5%	+/-2.1
<b>VETERAN STATUS</b>				
Civilian population 18 years and over	13,675	+/-45	13,675	(X)
Civilian veterans	2,297	+/-219	16.8%	+/-1.6
<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	16,611	+/-62	16,611	(X)
Same house	14,951	+/-361	90.0%	+/-2.0

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Different house in the U.S.	1,629	+/-336	9.8%	+/-2.0
Same county	688	+/-214	4.1%	+/-1.3
Different county	941	+/-221	5.7%	+/-1.3
Same state	543	+/-200	3.3%	+/-1.2
Different state	398	+/-133	2.4%	+/-0.8
Abroad	31	+/-28	0.2%	+/-0.2
<b>PLACE OF BIRTH</b>				
Total population	16,744	*****	16,744	(X)
Native	16,419	+/-131	98.1%	+/-0.8
Born in United States	16,312	+/-135	97.4%	+/-0.8
State of residence	6,570	+/-497	39.2%	+/-3.0
Different state	9,742	+/-502	58.2%	+/-3.0
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	107	+/-72	0.6%	+/-0.4
Foreign born	325	+/-131	1.9%	+/-0.8
<b>U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS</b>				
Foreign-born population	325	+/-131	325	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	208	+/-103	64.0%	+/-21.9
Not a U.S. citizen	117	+/-87	36.0%	+/-21.9
<b>YEAR OF ENTRY</b>				
Population born outside the United States	432	+/-135	432	(X)
Native	107	+/-72	107	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-25.7
Entered before 2000	107	+/-72	100.0%	+/-25.7
Foreign born	325	+/-131	325	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	87	+/-58	26.8%	+/-18.2
Entered before 2000	238	+/-125	73.2%	+/-18.2
<b>WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN</b>				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	325	+/-131	325	(X)
Europe	144	+/-102	44.3%	+/-24.1
Asia	85	+/-76	26.2%	+/-19.9
Africa	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-9.5
Oceania	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-9.5
Latin America	71	+/-57	21.8%	+/-17.6
Northern America	25	+/-27	7.7%	+/-9.2
<b>LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME</b>				
Population 5 years and over	16,003	+/-32	16,003	(X)
English only	15,742	+/-110	98.4%	+/-0.6
Language other than English	261	+/-94	1.6%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	28	+/-26	0.2%	+/-0.2
Spanish	58	+/-47	0.4%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	6	+/-8	0.0%	+/-0.1
Other Indo-European languages	189	+/-91	1.2%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	22	+/-26	0.1%	+/-0.2
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	14	+/-20	0.1%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.2
Other languages	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.2
<b>ANCESTRY</b>				
Total population	16,744	*****	16,744	(X)
American	1,595	+/-313	9.5%	+/-1.9
Arab	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.2
Czech	63	+/-52	0.4%	+/-0.3
Danish	42	+/-33	0.3%	+/-0.2
Dutch	486	+/-204	2.9%	+/-1.2
English	3,284	+/-522	19.6%	+/-3.1
French (except Basque)	633	+/-285	3.8%	+/-1.7
French Canadian	143	+/-132	0.9%	+/-0.8
German	4,069	+/-542	24.3%	+/-3.2

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Greek	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.2
Hungarian	60	+/-74	0.4%	+/-0.4
Irish	3,654	+/-504	21.8%	+/-3.0
Italian	458	+/-143	2.7%	+/-0.9
Lithuanian	21	+/-29	0.1%	+/-0.2
Norwegian	223	+/-115	1.3%	+/-0.7
Polish	266	+/-126	1.6%	+/-0.8
Portuguese	40	+/-46	0.2%	+/-0.3
Russian	14	+/-16	0.1%	+/-0.1
Scotch-Irish	678	+/-279	4.0%	+/-1.7
Scottish	456	+/-141	2.7%	+/-0.8
Slovak	7	+/-13	0.0%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.2
Swedish	149	+/-76	0.9%	+/-0.5
Swiss	44	+/-38	0.3%	+/-0.2
Ukrainian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.2
Welsh	80	+/-82	0.5%	+/-0.5
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.2

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.