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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS

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	Pike County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSING OCCUPANCY				
Total housing units	5,598	+/-32	5,598	(X)
Occupied housing units	4,123	+/-208	73.7%	+/-3.7
Vacant housing units	1,475	+/-206	26.3%	+/-3.7
Homeowner vacancy rate	3.3	+/-2.0	(X)	(X)
Rental vacancy rate	12.1	+/-6.4	(X)	(X)
UNITS IN STRUCTURE				
Total housing units	5,598	+/-32	5,598	(X)
1-unit, detached	3,857	+/-194	68.9%	+/-3.4
1-unit, attached	21	+/-20	0.4%	+/-0.4
2 units	132	+/-72	2.4%	+/-1.3
3 or 4 units	101	+/-66	1.8%	+/-1.2
5 to 9 units	101	+/-46	1.8%	+/-0.8
10 to 19 units	28	+/-24	0.5%	+/-0.4
20 or more units	6	+/-7	0.1%	+/-0.1
Mobile home	1,340	+/-176	23.9%	+/-3.1
Boat, RV, van, etc.	12	+/-19	0.2%	+/-0.3
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT				
Total housing units	5,598	+/-32	5,598	(X)
Built 2005 or later	60	+/-38	1.1%	+/-0.7
Built 2000 to 2004	372	+/-111	6.6%	+/-2.0
Built 1990 to 1999	1,131	+/-186	20.2%	+/-3.3
Built 1980 to 1989	671	+/-122	12.0%	+/-2.2
Built 1970 to 1979	1,463	+/-187	26.1%	+/-3.3
Built 1960 to 1969	775	+/-110	13.8%	+/-2.0
Built 1950 to 1959	496	+/-113	8.9%	+/-2.0
Built 1940 to 1949	223	+/-79	4.0%	+/-1.4
Built 1939 or earlier	407	+/-107	7.3%	+/-1.9
ROOMS				
Total housing units	5,598	+/-32	5,598	(X)
1 room	83	+/-54	1.5%	+/-1.0
2 rooms	45	+/-27	0.8%	+/-0.5
3 rooms	474	+/-130	8.5%	+/-2.3
4 rooms	1,177	+/-159	21.0%	+/-2.8
5 rooms	1,507	+/-176	26.9%	+/-3.1

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6 rooms	1,304	+/-177	23.3%	+/-3.1
7 rooms	597	+/-138	10.7%	+/-2.5
8 rooms	301	+/-89	5.4%	+/-1.6
9 rooms or more	110	+/-42	2.0%	+/-0.8
Median rooms	5.2	+/-0.1	(X)	(X)
BEDROOMS				
Total housing units	5,598	+/-32	5,598	(X)
No bedroom	88	+/-54	1.6%	+/-1.0
1 bedroom	319	+/-97	5.7%	+/-1.7
2 bedrooms	1,804	+/-178	32.2%	+/-3.2
3 bedrooms	2,834	+/-193	50.6%	+/-3.4
4 bedrooms	482	+/-121	8.6%	+/-2.2
5 or more bedrooms	71	+/-40	1.3%	+/-0.7
HOUSING TENURE				
Occupied housing units	4,123	+/-208	4,123	(X)
Owner-occupied	3,093	+/-202	75.0%	+/-3.7
Renter-occupied	1,030	+/-167	25.0%	+/-3.7
Average household size of owner-occupied unit	2.77	+/-0.17	(X)	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	2.44	+/-0.23	(X)	(X)
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT				
Occupied housing units	4,123	+/-208	4,123	(X)
Moved in 2005 or later	1,349	+/-213	32.7%	+/-4.5
Moved in 2000 to 2004	936	+/-153	22.7%	+/-3.8
Moved in 1990 to 1999	893	+/-139	21.7%	+/-3.1
Moved in 1980 to 1989	343	+/-103	8.3%	+/-2.4
Moved in 1970 to 1979	388	+/-98	9.4%	+/-2.4
Moved in 1969 or earlier	214	+/-67	5.2%	+/-1.6
VEHICLES AVAILABLE				
Occupied housing units	4,123	+/-208	4,123	(X)
No vehicles available	228	+/-72	5.5%	+/-1.7
1 vehicle available	1,231	+/-169	29.9%	+/-3.6
2 vehicles available	1,696	+/-187	41.1%	+/-4.2
3 or more vehicles available	968	+/-147	23.5%	+/-3.5
HOUSE HEATING FUEL				
Occupied housing units	4,123	+/-208	4,123	(X)
Utility gas	1,338	+/-171	32.5%	+/-3.8
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	670	+/-145	16.3%	+/-3.2
Electricity	1,615	+/-205	39.2%	+/-4.7
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	2	+/-6	0.0%	+/-0.1
Coal or coke	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.8
Wood	462	+/-127	11.2%	+/-3.1
Solar energy	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.8
Other fuel	36	+/-26	0.9%	+/-0.6
No fuel used	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.8
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS				
Occupied housing units	4,123	+/-208	4,123	(X)
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	13	+/-14	0.3%	+/-0.3
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	29	+/-28	0.7%	+/-0.7
No telephone service available	240	+/-89	5.8%	+/-2.0
OCCUPANTS PER ROOM				
Occupied housing units	4,123	+/-208	4,123	(X)
1.00 or less	4,038	+/-196	97.9%	+/-1.3
1.01 to 1.50	50	+/-42	1.2%	+/-1.0
1.51 or more	35	+/-35	0.8%	+/-0.8
VALUE				
Owner-occupied units	3,093	+/-202	3,093	(X)
Less than \$50,000	980	+/-156	31.7%	+/-4.7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1,210	+/-169	39.1%	+/-4.6
\$100,000 to \$149,999	327	+/-74	10.6%	+/-2.3

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\$150,000 to \$199,999	294	+/-98	9.5%	+/-3.2
\$200,000 to \$299,999	248	+/-99	8.0%	+/-3.1
\$300,000 to \$499,999	14	+/-14	0.5%	+/-0.5
\$500,000 to \$999,999	20	+/-18	0.6%	+/-0.6
\$1,000,000 or more	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.0
Median (dollars)	74,900	+/-5,503	(X)	(X)
MORTGAGE STATUS				
Owner-occupied units	3,093	+/-202	3,093	(X)
Housing units with a mortgage	1,532	+/-173	49.5%	+/-3.9
Housing units without a mortgage	1,561	+/-138	50.5%	+/-3.9
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS (SMOC)				
Housing units with a mortgage	1,532	+/-173	1,532	(X)
Less than \$300	1	+/-4	0.1%	+/-0.3
\$300 to \$499	252	+/-88	16.4%	+/-5.5
\$500 to \$699	259	+/-79	16.9%	+/-4.9
\$700 to \$999	538	+/-113	35.1%	+/-5.7
\$1,000 to \$1,499	400	+/-96	26.1%	+/-5.5
\$1,500 to \$1,999	52	+/-31	3.4%	+/-2.0
\$2,000 or more	30	+/-22	2.0%	+/-1.5
Median (dollars)	825	+/-37	(X)	(X)
Housing units without a mortgage	1,561	+/-138	1,561	(X)
Less than \$100	28	+/-22	1.8%	+/-1.4
\$100 to \$199	318	+/-76	20.4%	+/-4.4
\$200 to \$299	492	+/-84	31.5%	+/-5.3
\$300 to \$399	427	+/-109	27.4%	+/-6.0
\$400 or more	296	+/-83	19.0%	+/-5.0
Median (dollars)	289	+/-18	(X)	(X)
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (SMOCAPI)				
Housing units with a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)	1,529	+/-173	1,529	(X)
Less than 20.0 percent	915	+/-147	59.8%	+/-6.7
20.0 to 24.9 percent	140	+/-61	9.2%	+/-4.0
25.0 to 29.9 percent	146	+/-66	9.5%	+/-4.2
30.0 to 34.9 percent	78	+/-47	5.1%	+/-3.0
35.0 percent or more	250	+/-70	16.4%	+/-4.2
Not computed	3	+/-4	(X)	(X)
Housing unit without a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)	1,536	+/-138	1,536	(X)
Less than 10.0 percent	650	+/-117	42.3%	+/-6.2
10.0 to 14.9 percent	358	+/-76	23.3%	+/-4.7
15.0 to 19.9 percent	198	+/-60	12.9%	+/-3.7
20.0 to 24.9 percent	140	+/-60	9.1%	+/-3.9
25.0 to 29.9 percent	67	+/-37	4.4%	+/-2.3
30.0 to 34.9 percent	4	+/-7	0.3%	+/-0.5
35.0 percent or more	119	+/-52	7.7%	+/-3.2
Not computed	25	+/-33	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT				
Occupied units paying rent	820	+/-155	820	(X)
Less than \$200	46	+/-35	5.6%	+/-4.1
\$200 to \$299	107	+/-51	13.0%	+/-6.4
\$300 to \$499	318	+/-108	38.8%	+/-10.0
\$500 to \$749	292	+/-99	35.6%	+/-10.4
\$750 to \$999	42	+/-36	5.1%	+/-4.3
\$1,000 to \$1,499	15	+/-21	1.8%	+/-2.5
\$1,500 or more	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-3.9
Median (dollars)	478	+/-27	(X)	(X)
No rent paid	210	+/-62	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (GRAPI)				

Subject	Pike County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Occupied units paying rent (excluding units where GRAPI cannot be computed)	780	+/-150	780	(X)
Less than 15.0 percent	135	+/-56	17.3%	+/-6.1
15.0 to 19.9 percent	79	+/-56	10.1%	+/-7.0
20.0 to 24.9 percent	94	+/-54	12.1%	+/-6.9
25.0 to 29.9 percent	114	+/-64	14.6%	+/-7.3
30.0 to 34.9 percent	81	+/-35	10.4%	+/-4.4
35.0 percent or more	277	+/-88	35.5%	+/-8.9
Not computed	250	+/-69	(X)	(X)

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.

The median gross rent excludes no cash renters.

In prior years, the universe included all owner-occupied units with a mortgage. It is now restricted to include only those units where SMOCAPI is computed, that is, SMOC and household income are valid values.

In prior years, the universe included all owner-occupied units without a mortgage. It is now restricted to include only those units where SMOCAPI is computed, that is, SMOC and household income are valid values.

In prior years, the universe included all renter-occupied units. It is now restricted to include only those units where GRAPI is computed, that is, gross rent and household income are valid values.

The 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, and 2011 plumbing data for Puerto Rico will not be shown. Research indicates that the questions on plumbing facilities that were introduced in 2008 in the stateside American Community Survey and the 2008 Puerto Rico Community Survey may not have been appropriate for Puerto Rico.

Median calculations for base table sourcing VAL, MHC, SMOC, and TAX should exclude zero values.

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.

