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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	Pike County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	4,123	+/-208	4,123	(X)
Family households (families)	3,048	+/-210	73.9%	+/-3.1
With own children under 18 years	1,305	+/-182	31.7%	+/-3.6
Married-couple family	2,234	+/-195	54.2%	+/-3.9
With own children under 18 years	873	+/-140	21.2%	+/-3.0
Male householder, no wife present, family	214	+/-77	5.2%	+/-1.9
With own children under 18 years	112	+/-62	2.7%	+/-1.5
Female householder, no husband present, family	600	+/-124	14.6%	+/-2.8
With own children under 18 years	320	+/-96	7.8%	+/-2.2
Nonfamily households	1,075	+/-134	26.1%	+/-3.1
Householder living alone	1,022	+/-133	24.8%	+/-3.2
65 years and over	486	+/-75	11.8%	+/-1.8
Households with one or more people under 18 years	1,483	+/-184	36.0%	+/-3.5
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	1,328	+/-76	32.2%	+/-1.9
Average household size	2.69	+/-0.13	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.22	+/-0.22	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	11,086	+/-63	11,086	(X)
Householder	4,123	+/-208	37.2%	+/-1.9
Spouse	2,218	+/-192	20.0%	+/-1.7
Child	3,562	+/-278	32.1%	+/-2.5
Other relatives	989	+/-291	8.9%	+/-2.6
Nonrelatives	194	+/-90	1.7%	+/-0.8
Unmarried partner	112	+/-67	1.0%	+/-0.6
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	4,389	+/-62	4,389	(X)
Never married	1,185	+/-138	27.0%	+/-3.1
Now married, except separated	2,514	+/-229	57.3%	+/-5.3
Separated	13	+/-17	0.3%	+/-0.4
Widowed	172	+/-82	3.9%	+/-1.9
Divorced	505	+/-133	11.5%	+/-3.0
Females 15 years and over	4,624	+/-63	4,624	(X)
Never married	848	+/-102	18.3%	+/-2.1

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Now married, except separated	2,331	+/-211	50.4%	+/-4.6
Separated	163	+/-86	3.5%	+/-1.9
Widowed	678	+/-101	14.7%	+/-2.2
Divorced	604	+/-138	13.1%	+/-3.0
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	156	+/-62	156	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	82	+/-48	52.6%	+/-21.2
Per 1,000 unmarried women	73	+/-44	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	62	+/-25	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	78	+/-77	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	125	+/-54	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	7	+/-11	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	210	+/-76	210	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	138	+/-63	65.7%	+/-17.4
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	72	+/-50	34.3%	+/-18.5
1 or 2 years	21	+/-10	10.0%	+/-5.4
3 or 4 years	20	+/-30	9.5%	+/-13.3
5 or more years	25	+/-25	11.9%	+/-11.9
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	138	+/-63	138	(X)
Who are female	86	+/-43	62.3%	+/-15.4
Who are married	69	+/-47	50.0%	+/-22.5
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	2,719	+/-188	2,719	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	252	+/-120	9.3%	+/-4.2
Kindergarten	113	+/-53	4.2%	+/-2.0
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	1,221	+/-105	44.9%	+/-4.2
High school (grades 9-12)	624	+/-108	22.9%	+/-4.1
College or graduate school	509	+/-144	18.7%	+/-4.5
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	7,449	+/-85	7,449	(X)
Less than 9th grade	511	+/-117	6.9%	+/-1.6
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	1,066	+/-187	14.3%	+/-2.5
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	2,943	+/-323	39.5%	+/-4.3
Some college, no degree	1,649	+/-275	22.1%	+/-3.7
Associate's degree	438	+/-128	5.9%	+/-1.7
Bachelor's degree	479	+/-116	6.4%	+/-1.6
Graduate or professional degree	363	+/-115	4.9%	+/-1.6
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	78.8%	+/-2.9
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	11.3%	+/-2.2
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	8,466	+/-25	8,466	(X)
Civilian veterans	831	+/-131	9.8%	+/-1.5
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	11,122	+/-59	11,122	(X)
Same house	9,425	+/-403	84.7%	+/-3.6

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Different house in the U.S.	1,693	+/-398	15.2%	+/-3.6
Same county	967	+/-305	8.7%	+/-2.7
Different county	726	+/-233	6.5%	+/-2.1
Same state	586	+/-226	5.3%	+/-2.0
Different state	140	+/-76	1.3%	+/-0.7
Abroad	4	+/-5	0.0%	+/-0.1
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	11,288	*****	11,288	(X)
Native	10,766	+/-81	95.4%	+/-0.7
Born in United States	10,740	+/-85	95.1%	+/-0.8
State of residence	7,328	+/-288	64.9%	+/-2.6
Different state	3,412	+/-288	30.2%	+/-2.6
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	26	+/-16	0.2%	+/-0.1
Foreign born	522	+/-81	4.6%	+/-0.7
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	522	+/-81	522	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	170	+/-103	32.6%	+/-18.9
Not a U.S. citizen	352	+/-111	67.4%	+/-18.9
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	548	+/-85	548	(X)
Native	26	+/-16	26	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	2	+/-3	7.7%	+/-14.3
Entered before 2000	24	+/-16	92.3%	+/-14.3
Foreign born	522	+/-81	522	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	316	+/-79	60.5%	+/-9.3
Entered before 2000	206	+/-49	39.5%	+/-9.3
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	522	+/-81	522	(X)
Europe	72	+/-54	13.8%	+/-9.2
Asia	23	+/-26	4.4%	+/-4.9
Africa	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.0
Oceania	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.0
Latin America	425	+/-62	81.4%	+/-8.7
Northern America	2	+/-4	0.4%	+/-0.7
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	10,531	+/-61	10,531	(X)
English only	9,990	+/-121	94.9%	+/-1.1
Language other than English	541	+/-113	5.1%	+/-1.1
Speak English less than "very well"	339	+/-118	3.2%	+/-1.1
Spanish	483	+/-103	4.6%	+/-1.0
Speak English less than "very well"	319	+/-116	3.0%	+/-1.1
Other Indo-European languages	28	+/-33	0.3%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.3
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	30	+/-36	0.3%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	20	+/-24	0.2%	+/-0.2
Other languages	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.3
ANCESTRY				
Total population	11,288	*****	11,288	(X)
American	1,348	+/-282	11.9%	+/-2.5
Arab	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.3
Czech	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.3
Danish	17	+/-15	0.2%	+/-0.1
Dutch	303	+/-122	2.7%	+/-1.1
English	608	+/-157	5.4%	+/-1.4
French (except Basque)	375	+/-189	3.3%	+/-1.7
French Canadian	11	+/-18	0.1%	+/-0.2
German	992	+/-239	8.8%	+/-2.1

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Greek	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.3
Hungarian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.3
Irish	1,661	+/-278	14.7%	+/-2.5
Italian	145	+/-123	1.3%	+/-1.1
Lithuanian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.3
Norwegian	65	+/-48	0.6%	+/-0.4
Polish	111	+/-98	1.0%	+/-0.9
Portuguese	5	+/-9	0.0%	+/-0.1
Russian	20	+/-30	0.2%	+/-0.3
Scotch-Irish	341	+/-197	3.0%	+/-1.7
Scottish	99	+/-49	0.9%	+/-0.4
Slovak	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.3
Subsaharan African	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.3
Swedish	33	+/-27	0.3%	+/-0.2
Swiss	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.3
Ukrainian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.3
Welsh	25	+/-21	0.2%	+/-0.2
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	25	+/-31	0.2%	+/-0.3

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.
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.