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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	Saline County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	40,132	+/-558	40,132	(X)
Family households (families)	29,025	+/-701	72.3%	+/-1.4
With own children under 18 years	12,140	+/-464	30.3%	+/-1.1
Married-couple family	22,964	+/-679	57.2%	+/-1.5
With own children under 18 years	8,728	+/-475	21.7%	+/-1.2
Male householder, no wife present, family	1,697	+/-299	4.2%	+/-0.7
With own children under 18 years	782	+/-206	1.9%	+/-0.5
Female householder, no husband present, family	4,364	+/-429	10.9%	+/-1.1
With own children under 18 years	2,630	+/-356	6.6%	+/-0.9
Nonfamily households	11,107	+/-605	27.7%	+/-1.4
Householder living alone	9,477	+/-563	23.6%	+/-1.4
65 years and over	3,234	+/-330	8.1%	+/-0.8
Households with one or more people under 18 years	13,565	+/-476	33.8%	+/-1.1
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	10,389	+/-254	25.9%	+/-0.7
Average household size	2.58	+/-0.03	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.04	+/-0.05	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	103,347	+/-443	103,347	(X)
Householder	40,132	+/-558	38.8%	+/-0.5
Spouse	22,951	+/-680	22.2%	+/-0.6
Child	29,966	+/-801	29.0%	+/-0.8
Other relatives	6,318	+/-730	6.1%	+/-0.7
Nonrelatives	3,980	+/-593	3.9%	+/-0.6
Unmarried partner	1,315	+/-256	1.3%	+/-0.2
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	41,103	+/-182	41,103	(X)
Never married	10,048	+/-477	24.4%	+/-1.1
Now married, except separated	24,910	+/-591	60.6%	+/-1.5
Separated	366	+/-120	0.9%	+/-0.3
Widowed	971	+/-164	2.4%	+/-0.4
Divorced	4,808	+/-495	11.7%	+/-1.2
Females 15 years and over	42,777	+/-108	42,777	(X)
Never married	7,778	+/-450	18.2%	+/-1.0

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Now married, except separated	23,678	+/-769	55.4%	+/-1.8
Separated	936	+/-217	2.2%	+/-0.5
Widowed	4,122	+/-404	9.6%	+/-0.9
Divorced	6,263	+/-588	14.6%	+/-1.4
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	1,226	+/-250	1,226	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	383	+/-170	31.2%	+/-10.8
Per 1,000 unmarried women	34	+/-15	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	50	+/-10	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	19	+/-15	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	100	+/-23	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	17	+/-8	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	2,236	+/-356	2,236	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	1,109	+/-235	49.6%	+/-8.1
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	214	+/-102	9.6%	+/-5.0
1 or 2 years	209	+/-124	9.3%	+/-5.0
3 or 4 years	271	+/-135	12.1%	+/-5.8
5 or more years	415	+/-157	18.6%	+/-6.5
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	1,109	+/-235	1,109	(X)
Who are female	707	+/-158	63.8%	+/-6.7
Who are married	783	+/-228	70.6%	+/-9.7
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	25,631	+/-630	25,631	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	1,625	+/-256	6.3%	+/-1.0
Kindergarten	1,612	+/-244	6.3%	+/-0.9
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	11,753	+/-394	45.9%	+/-1.7
High school (grades 9-12)	5,416	+/-430	21.1%	+/-1.6
College or graduate school	5,225	+/-457	20.4%	+/-1.5
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	71,710	+/-216	71,710	(X)
Less than 9th grade	2,374	+/-329	3.3%	+/-0.5
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	5,821	+/-644	8.1%	+/-0.9
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	25,846	+/-819	36.0%	+/-1.2
Some college, no degree	16,496	+/-756	23.0%	+/-1.0
Associate's degree	4,747	+/-456	6.6%	+/-0.6
Bachelor's degree	11,598	+/-613	16.2%	+/-0.8
Graduate or professional degree	4,828	+/-443	6.7%	+/-0.6
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	88.6%	+/-1.0
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	22.9%	+/-1.0
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	79,377	+/-85	79,377	(X)
Civilian veterans	10,542	+/-525	13.3%	+/-0.7
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	103,952	+/-199	103,952	(X)
Same house	89,369	+/-1,364	86.0%	+/-1.3

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Different house in the U.S.	14,498	+/-1,415	13.9%	+/-1.4
Same county	7,017	+/-1,096	6.8%	+/-1.0
Different county	7,481	+/-966	7.2%	+/-0.9
Same state	5,069	+/-747	4.9%	+/-0.7
Different state	2,412	+/-562	2.3%	+/-0.5
Abroad	85	+/-69	0.1%	+/-0.1
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	105,033	*****	105,033	(X)
Native	102,761	+/-338	97.8%	+/-0.3
Born in United States	101,905	+/-409	97.0%	+/-0.4
State of residence	70,203	+/-1,169	66.8%	+/-1.1
Different state	31,702	+/-1,180	30.2%	+/-1.1
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	856	+/-282	0.8%	+/-0.3
Foreign born	2,272	+/-338	2.2%	+/-0.3
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	2,272	+/-338	2,272	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	1,092	+/-224	48.1%	+/-7.9
Not a U.S. citizen	1,180	+/-267	51.9%	+/-7.9
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	3,128	+/-409	3,128	(X)
Native	856	+/-282	856	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	282	+/-214	32.9%	+/-19.5
Entered before 2000	574	+/-208	67.1%	+/-19.5
Foreign born	2,272	+/-338	2,272	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	727	+/-252	32.0%	+/-9.4
Entered before 2000	1,545	+/-289	68.0%	+/-9.4
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	2,272	+/-338	2,272	(X)
Europe	544	+/-144	23.9%	+/-6.2
Asia	635	+/-170	27.9%	+/-6.0
Africa	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.4
Oceania	39	+/-40	1.7%	+/-1.8
Latin America	1,045	+/-259	46.0%	+/-7.8
Northern America	9	+/-11	0.4%	+/-0.5
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	98,426	+/-100	98,426	(X)
English only	94,392	+/-788	95.9%	+/-0.8
Language other than English	4,034	+/-770	4.1%	+/-0.8
Speak English less than "very well"	1,024	+/-323	1.0%	+/-0.3
Spanish	2,640	+/-604	2.7%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	717	+/-275	0.7%	+/-0.3
Other Indo-European languages	564	+/-187	0.6%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	111	+/-56	0.1%	+/-0.1
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	476	+/-168	0.5%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	184	+/-138	0.2%	+/-0.1
Other languages	354	+/-321	0.4%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	12	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.1
ANCESTRY				
Total population	105,033	*****	105,033	(X)
American	13,111	+/-921	12.5%	+/-0.9
Arab	408	+/-325	0.4%	+/-0.3
Czech	353	+/-162	0.3%	+/-0.2
Danish	218	+/-131	0.2%	+/-0.1
Dutch	1,583	+/-338	1.5%	+/-0.3
English	10,634	+/-824	10.1%	+/-0.8
French (except Basque)	2,761	+/-533	2.6%	+/-0.5
French Canadian	366	+/-201	0.3%	+/-0.2
German	14,649	+/-1,038	13.9%	+/-1.0

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Greek	95	+/-65	0.1%	+/-0.1
Hungarian	199	+/-106	0.2%	+/-0.1
Irish	14,066	+/-936	13.4%	+/-0.9
Italian	1,889	+/-391	1.8%	+/-0.4
Lithuanian	11	+/-17	0.0%	+/-0.1
Norwegian	454	+/-157	0.4%	+/-0.1
Polish	734	+/-185	0.7%	+/-0.2
Portuguese	178	+/-108	0.2%	+/-0.1
Russian	160	+/-109	0.2%	+/-0.1
Scotch-Irish	2,539	+/-358	2.4%	+/-0.3
Scottish	2,072	+/-399	2.0%	+/-0.4
Slovak	63	+/-35	0.1%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	71	+/-83	0.1%	+/-0.1
Swedish	794	+/-249	0.8%	+/-0.2
Swiss	245	+/-127	0.2%	+/-0.1
Ukrainian	11	+/-18	0.0%	+/-0.1
Welsh	570	+/-272	0.5%	+/-0.3
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	181	+/-125	0.2%	+/-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.