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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	Sevier County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	5,825	+/-227	5,825	(X)
Family households (families)	4,282	+/-267	73.5%	+/-3.7
With own children under 18 years	2,146	+/-214	36.8%	+/-3.5
Married-couple family	3,304	+/-292	56.7%	+/-4.6
With own children under 18 years	1,530	+/-229	26.3%	+/-3.8
Male householder, no wife present, family	165	+/-139	2.8%	+/-2.4
With own children under 18 years	116	+/-132	2.0%	+/-2.3
Female householder, no husband present, family	813	+/-148	14.0%	+/-2.5
With own children under 18 years	500	+/-122	8.6%	+/-2.1
Nonfamily households	1,543	+/-224	26.5%	+/-3.7
Householder living alone	1,371	+/-215	23.5%	+/-3.5
65 years and over	605	+/-121	10.4%	+/-2.0
Households with one or more people under 18 years	2,335	+/-246	40.1%	+/-4.0
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	1,487	+/-111	25.5%	+/-1.7
Average household size	2.86	+/-0.11	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.43	+/-0.19	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	16,675	+/-116	16,675	(X)
Householder	5,825	+/-227	34.9%	+/-1.3
Spouse	3,325	+/-280	19.9%	+/-1.7
Child	5,898	+/-358	35.4%	+/-2.2
Other relatives	1,200	+/-311	7.2%	+/-1.9
Nonrelatives	427	+/-176	2.6%	+/-1.1
Unmarried partner	286	+/-151	1.7%	+/-0.9
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	6,132	+/-129	6,132	(X)
Never married	1,484	+/-211	24.2%	+/-3.5
Now married, except separated	3,648	+/-319	59.5%	+/-5.1
Separated	192	+/-97	3.1%	+/-1.6
Widowed	216	+/-86	3.5%	+/-1.4
Divorced	592	+/-154	9.7%	+/-2.5
Females 15 years and over	6,585	+/-119	6,585	(X)
Never married	1,258	+/-203	19.1%	+/-3.1

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Now married, except separated	3,513	+/-275	53.3%	+/-4.2
Separated	237	+/-101	3.6%	+/-1.5
Widowed	909	+/-151	13.8%	+/-2.3
Divorced	668	+/-158	10.1%	+/-2.3
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	397	+/-149	397	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	136	+/-73	34.3%	+/-15.4
Per 1,000 unmarried women	86	+/-45	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	100	+/-38	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	20	+/-27	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	174	+/-64	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	63	+/-54	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	419	+/-172	419	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	144	+/-115	34.4%	+/-19.2
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	29	+/-32	6.9%	+/-7.3
1 or 2 years	34	+/-35	8.1%	+/-7.8
3 or 4 years	15	+/-29	3.6%	+/-7.0
5 or more years	66	+/-91	15.8%	+/-18.4
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	144	+/-115	144	(X)
Who are female	104	+/-74	72.2%	+/-18.4
Who are married	95	+/-102	66.0%	+/-28.1
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	3,965	+/-257	3,965	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	232	+/-118	5.9%	+/-2.9
Kindergarten	297	+/-93	7.5%	+/-2.4
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	1,934	+/-191	48.8%	+/-4.6
High school (grades 9-12)	1,042	+/-159	26.3%	+/-3.4
College or graduate school	460	+/-160	11.6%	+/-3.6
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	10,520	+/-241	10,520	(X)
Less than 9th grade	1,663	+/-280	15.8%	+/-2.6
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	1,496	+/-265	14.2%	+/-2.5
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	3,757	+/-377	35.7%	+/-3.6
Some college, no degree	2,054	+/-253	19.5%	+/-2.3
Associate's degree	587	+/-155	5.6%	+/-1.5
Bachelor's degree	672	+/-160	6.4%	+/-1.5
Graduate or professional degree	291	+/-91	2.8%	+/-0.9
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	70.0%	+/-3.3
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	9.2%	+/-1.7
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	11,917	+/-76	11,917	(X)
Civilian veterans	1,097	+/-152	9.2%	+/-1.3
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	16,413	+/-163	16,413	(X)
Same house	13,375	+/-698	81.5%	+/-4.2

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Different house in the U.S.	2,795	+/-636	17.0%	+/-3.9
Same county	1,946	+/-553	11.9%	+/-3.4
Different county	849	+/-381	5.2%	+/-2.3
Same state	419	+/-313	2.6%	+/-1.9
Different state	430	+/-212	2.6%	+/-1.3
Abroad	243	+/-166	1.5%	+/-1.0
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	16,841	*****	16,841	(X)
Native	14,068	+/-306	83.5%	+/-1.8
Born in United States	14,009	+/-304	83.2%	+/-1.8
State of residence	8,371	+/-551	49.7%	+/-3.3
Different state	5,638	+/-544	33.5%	+/-3.2
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	59	+/-53	0.4%	+/-0.3
Foreign born	2,773	+/-306	16.5%	+/-1.8
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	2,773	+/-306	2,773	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	282	+/-109	10.2%	+/-3.8
Not a U.S. citizen	2,491	+/-295	89.8%	+/-3.8
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	2,832	+/-304	2,832	(X)
Native	59	+/-53	59	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	2	+/-9	3.4%	+/-14.2
Entered before 2000	57	+/-52	96.6%	+/-14.2
Foreign born	2,773	+/-306	2,773	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	1,393	+/-323	50.2%	+/-9.3
Entered before 2000	1,380	+/-275	49.8%	+/-9.3
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	2,773	+/-306	2,773	(X)
Europe	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.2
Asia	84	+/-14	3.0%	+/-0.6
Africa	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-1.2
Oceania	41	+/-50	1.5%	+/-1.8
Latin America	2,646	+/-296	95.4%	+/-1.8
Northern America	2	+/-3	0.1%	+/-0.1
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	15,329	+/-64	15,329	(X)
English only	11,147	+/-250	72.7%	+/-1.5
Language other than English	4,182	+/-220	27.3%	+/-1.5
Speak English less than "very well"	2,677	+/-311	17.5%	+/-2.0
Spanish	4,061	+/-210	26.5%	+/-1.4
Speak English less than "very well"	2,607	+/-310	17.0%	+/-2.0
Other Indo-European languages	37	+/-35	0.2%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.2
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	84	+/-14	0.5%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	70	+/-10	0.5%	+/-0.1
Other languages	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.2
ANCESTRY				
Total population	16,841	*****	16,841	(X)
American	1,262	+/-251	7.5%	+/-1.5
Arab	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.2
Czech	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.2
Danish	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.2
Dutch	229	+/-143	1.4%	+/-0.8
English	1,847	+/-365	11.0%	+/-2.2
French (except Basque)	283	+/-160	1.7%	+/-0.9
French Canadian	64	+/-55	0.4%	+/-0.3
German	1,356	+/-321	8.1%	+/-1.9

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Greek	8	+/-13	0.0%	+/-0.1
Hungarian	48	+/-61	0.3%	+/-0.4
Irish	2,066	+/-446	12.3%	+/-2.6
Italian	105	+/-82	0.6%	+/-0.5
Lithuanian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.2
Norwegian	30	+/-33	0.2%	+/-0.2
Polish	10	+/-11	0.1%	+/-0.1
Portuguese	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.2
Russian	37	+/-54	0.2%	+/-0.3
Scotch-Irish	199	+/-101	1.2%	+/-0.6
Scottish	339	+/-147	2.0%	+/-0.9
Slovak	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.2
Subsaharan African	63	+/-65	0.4%	+/-0.4
Swedish	103	+/-82	0.6%	+/-0.5
Swiss	9	+/-13	0.1%	+/-0.1
Ukrainian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.2
Welsh	20	+/-32	0.1%	+/-0.2
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	123	+/-105	0.7%	+/-0.6

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.
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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.