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2008-2012 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	Clark County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	8,144	+/-353	8,144	(X)
Family households (families)	5,286	+/-289	64.9%	+/-3.0
With own children under 18 years	2,184	+/-254	26.8%	+/-2.7
Married-couple family	3,839	+/-258	47.1%	+/-3.0
With own children under 18 years	1,384	+/-164	17.0%	+/-1.8
Male householder, no wife present, family	295	+/-104	3.6%	+/-1.3
With own children under 18 years	136	+/-75	1.7%	+/-0.9
Female householder, no husband present, family	1,152	+/-219	14.1%	+/-2.6
With own children under 18 years	664	+/-181	8.2%	+/-2.1
Nonfamily households	2,858	+/-302	35.1%	+/-3.0
Householder living alone	2,499	+/-259	30.7%	+/-2.8
65 years and over	1,064	+/-148	13.1%	+/-1.7
Households with one or more people under 18 years	2,575	+/-275	31.6%	+/-2.8
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	2,311	+/-131	28.4%	+/-1.6
Average household size	2.47	+/-0.08	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.09	+/-0.13	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	20,107	+/-648	20,107	(X)
Householder	8,144	+/-353	40.5%	+/-1.4
Spouse	3,829	+/-260	19.0%	+/-1.2
Child	5,991	+/-445	29.8%	+/-1.9
Other relatives	1,211	+/-333	6.0%	+/-1.7
Nonrelatives	932	+/-282	4.6%	+/-1.3
Unmarried partner	272	+/-116	1.4%	+/-0.6
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	9,090	+/-110	9,090	(X)
Never married	3,684	+/-258	40.5%	+/-2.7
Now married, except separated	4,008	+/-297	44.1%	+/-3.4
Separated	225	+/-81	2.5%	+/-0.9
Widowed	362	+/-106	4.0%	+/-1.2

Subject	Clark County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Divorced	811	+/-182	8.9%	+/-2.0
Females 15 years and over	10,245	+/-102	10,245	(X)
Never married	3,685	+/-265	36.0%	+/-2.5
Now married, except separated	4,078	+/-299	39.8%	+/-3.0
Separated	210	+/-81	2.0%	+/-0.8
Widowed	1,134	+/-142	11.1%	+/-1.4
Divorced	1,138	+/-222	11.1%	+/-2.2
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	334	+/-149	334	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	194	+/-106	58.1%	+/-18.5
Per 1,000 unmarried women	47	+/-26	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	53	+/-24	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	36	+/-32	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	89	+/-43	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	12	+/-18	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	674	+/-221	674	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	527	+/-182	78.2%	+/-12.2
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	129	+/-95	19.1%	+/-13.1
1 or 2 years	41	+/-33	6.1%	+/-5.1
3 or 4 years	122	+/-89	18.1%	+/-11.0
5 or more years	235	+/-109	34.9%	+/-12.6
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	527	+/-182	527	(X)
Who are female	318	+/-117	60.3%	+/-8.7
Who are married	386	+/-156	73.2%	+/-12.1
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	7,896	+/-475	7,896	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	482	+/-112	6.1%	+/-1.2
Kindergarten	273	+/-111	3.5%	+/-1.4
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	1,922	+/-166	24.3%	+/-2.8
High school (grades 9-12)	992	+/-204	12.6%	+/-2.8
College or graduate school	4,227	+/-522	53.5%	+/-3.9
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	13,429	+/-151	13,429	(X)
Less than 9th grade	716	+/-160	5.3%	+/-1.2
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	1,277	+/-196	9.5%	+/-1.5
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	4,931	+/-356	36.7%	+/-2.6
Some college, no degree	2,629	+/-249	19.6%	+/-1.9
Associate's degree	972	+/-213	7.2%	+/-1.6
Bachelor's degree	1,557	+/-233	11.6%	+/-1.7
Graduate or professional degree	1,347	+/-256	10.0%	+/-1.9
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	85.2%	+/-1.8
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	21.6%	+/-2.5
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	18,527	+/-61	18,527	(X)
Civilian veterans	2,025	+/-271	10.9%	+/-1.5

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DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	22,573	+/-124	22,573	(X)
With a disability	3,963	+/-397	17.6%	+/-1.7
Under 18 years	4,496	+/-56	4,496	(X)
With a disability	259	+/-121	5.8%	+/-2.7
18 to 64 years	14,914	+/-103	14,914	(X)
With a disability	2,339	+/-342	15.7%	+/-2.3
65 years and over	3,163	+/-101	3,163	(X)
With a disability	1,365	+/-156	43.2%	+/-4.7
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	22,807	+/-93	22,807	(X)
Same house	18,339	+/-627	80.4%	+/-2.8
Different house in the U.S.	4,408	+/-620	19.3%	+/-2.7
Same county	2,190	+/-556	9.6%	+/-2.4
Different county	2,218	+/-588	9.7%	+/-2.6
Same state	1,113	+/-404	4.9%	+/-1.8
Different state	1,105	+/-398	4.8%	+/-1.7
Abroad	60	+/-55	0.3%	+/-0.2
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	23,050	*****	23,050	(X)
Native	22,587	+/-117	98.0%	+/-0.5
Born in United States	22,467	+/-137	97.5%	+/-0.6
State of residence	15,625	+/-555	67.8%	+/-2.4
Different state	6,842	+/-550	29.7%	+/-2.4
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	120	+/-69	0.5%	+/-0.3
Foreign born	463	+/-117	2.0%	+/-0.5
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	463	+/-117	463	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	214	+/-99	46.2%	+/-19.5
Not a U.S. citizen	249	+/-115	53.8%	+/-19.5
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	583	+/-137	583	(X)
Native	120	+/-69	120	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-23.4
Entered before 2010	120	+/-69	100.0%	+/-23.4
Foreign born	463	+/-117	463	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	26	+/-36	5.6%	+/-7.3
Entered before 2010	437	+/-112	94.4%	+/-7.3
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	463	+/-117	463	(X)
Europe	12	+/-13	2.6%	+/-2.8
Asia	110	+/-44	23.8%	+/-9.1
Africa	26	+/-36	5.6%	+/-7.3
Oceania	32	+/-52	6.9%	+/-10.9
Latin America	283	+/-93	61.1%	+/-12.8
Northern America	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-6.8

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LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	21,803	+/-19	21,803	(X)
English only	20,725	+/-153	95.1%	+/-0.7
Language other than English	1,078	+/-153	4.9%	+/-0.7
Speak English less than "very well"	573	+/-150	2.6%	+/-0.7
Spanish	911	+/-126	4.2%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	548	+/-147	2.5%	+/-0.7
Other Indo-European languages	39	+/-37	0.2%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.1
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	125	+/-66	0.6%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	25	+/-28	0.1%	+/-0.1
Other languages	3	+/-7	0.0%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.1
ANCESTRY				
Total population	23,050	*****	23,050	(X)
American	2,269	+/-424	9.8%	+/-1.8
Arab	7	+/-13	0.0%	+/-0.1
Czech	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.1
Danish	2	+/-4	0.0%	+/-0.1
Dutch	319	+/-142	1.4%	+/-0.6
English	1,640	+/-334	7.1%	+/-1.4
French (except Basque)	465	+/-161	2.0%	+/-0.7
French Canadian	89	+/-74	0.4%	+/-0.3
German	1,939	+/-389	8.4%	+/-1.7
Greek	51	+/-64	0.2%	+/-0.3
Hungarian	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.1
Irish	2,433	+/-426	10.6%	+/-1.8
Italian	176	+/-105	0.8%	+/-0.5
Lithuanian	18	+/-27	0.1%	+/-0.1
Norwegian	119	+/-91	0.5%	+/-0.4
Polish	97	+/-59	0.4%	+/-0.3
Portuguese	16	+/-24	0.1%	+/-0.1
Russian	34	+/-49	0.1%	+/-0.2
Scotch-Irish	320	+/-114	1.4%	+/-0.5
Scottish	426	+/-131	1.8%	+/-0.6
Slovak	13	+/-21	0.1%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	61	+/-51	0.3%	+/-0.2
Swedish	220	+/-155	1.0%	+/-0.7
Swiss	12	+/-24	0.1%	+/-0.1
Ukrainian	5	+/-7	0.0%	+/-0.1
Welsh	141	+/-69	0.6%	+/-0.3
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	35	+/-38	0.2%	+/-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.

Fertility data are not available for certain geographic areas due to problems with data collection. See Errata Note #92 for details.

The Census Bureau introduced a new set of disability questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Accordingly, comparisons of disability data from 2008 or later with data from prior years are not recommended. For more information on these questions and their evaluation in the 2006 ACS Content Test, see the Evaluation Report Covering Disability.

While the 2008-2012 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, 2008-2012 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.