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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	Drew County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	7,494	+/-253	7,494	(X)
Family households (families)	5,086	+/-311	67.9%	+/-3.5
With own children under 18 years	1,972	+/-218	26.3%	+/-2.7
Married-couple family	3,572	+/-319	47.7%	+/-4.2
With own children under 18 years	1,158	+/-179	15.5%	+/-2.4
Male householder, no wife present, family	211	+/-96	2.8%	+/-1.3
With own children under 18 years	88	+/-58	1.2%	+/-0.8
Female householder, no husband present, family	1,303	+/-241	17.4%	+/-3.1
With own children under 18 years	726	+/-181	9.7%	+/-2.3
Nonfamily households	2,408	+/-275	32.1%	+/-3.5
Householder living alone	1,798	+/-296	24.0%	+/-3.8
65 years and over	718	+/-159	9.6%	+/-2.1
Households with one or more people under 18 years	2,272	+/-211	30.3%	+/-2.6
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	1,977	+/-109	26.4%	+/-1.5
Average household size	2.36	+/-0.07	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.85	+/-0.13	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	17,679	+/-223	17,679	(X)
Householder	7,494	+/-253	42.4%	+/-1.3
Spouse	3,573	+/-319	20.2%	+/-1.8
Child	4,876	+/-309	27.6%	+/-1.7
Other relatives	970	+/-273	5.5%	+/-1.5
Nonrelatives	766	+/-276	4.3%	+/-1.6
Unmarried partner	296	+/-137	1.7%	+/-0.8
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	7,145	+/-101	7,145	(X)
Never married	2,297	+/-269	32.1%	+/-3.7
Now married, except separated	3,776	+/-325	52.8%	+/-4.5
Separated	105	+/-70	1.5%	+/-1.0
Widowed	271	+/-106	3.8%	+/-1.5

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Divorced	696	+/-195	9.7%	+/-2.8
Females 15 years and over	7,834	+/-66	7,834	(X)
Never married	2,071	+/-229	26.4%	+/-2.8
Now married, except separated	3,732	+/-348	47.6%	+/-4.5
Separated	131	+/-65	1.7%	+/-0.8
Widowed	938	+/-151	12.0%	+/-1.9
Divorced	962	+/-227	12.3%	+/-2.9
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	155	+/-96	155	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	41	+/-44	26.5%	+/-25.1
Per 1,000 unmarried women	16	+/-17	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	33	+/-21	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/-38	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	85	+/-53	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	0	+/-16	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	315	+/-145	315	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	196	+/-95	62.2%	+/-12.4
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	66	+/-67	21.0%	+/-15.3
1 or 2 years	56	+/-56	17.8%	+/-16.4
3 or 4 years	32	+/-24	10.2%	+/-9.3
5 or more years	42	+/-33	13.3%	+/-11.3
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	196	+/-95	196	(X)
Who are female	146	+/-74	74.5%	+/-16.9
Who are married	133	+/-96	67.9%	+/-24.7
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	5,445	+/-303	5,445	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	392	+/-127	7.2%	+/-2.3
Kindergarten	200	+/-94	3.7%	+/-1.7
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	1,845	+/-153	33.9%	+/-3.1
High school (grades 9-12)	882	+/-96	16.2%	+/-2.1
College or graduate school	2,126	+/-315	39.0%	+/-4.2
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	11,794	+/-59	11,794	(X)
Less than 9th grade	615	+/-151	5.2%	+/-1.3
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	1,429	+/-280	12.1%	+/-2.4
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	4,263	+/-386	36.1%	+/-3.3
Some college, no degree	2,504	+/-328	21.2%	+/-2.8
Associate's degree	532	+/-149	4.5%	+/-1.3
Bachelor's degree	1,729	+/-288	14.7%	+/-2.4
Graduate or professional degree	722	+/-190	6.1%	+/-1.6
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	82.7%	+/-2.3
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	20.8%	+/-2.8
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	14,240	+/-67	14,240	(X)
Civilian veterans	1,094	+/-190	7.7%	+/-1.3

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DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	18,246	+/-96	18,246	(X)
With a disability	3,144	+/-312	17.2%	+/-1.7
Under 18 years	4,276	+/-84	4,276	(X)
With a disability	232	+/-103	5.4%	+/-2.4
18 to 64 years	11,367	+/-78	11,367	(X)
With a disability	1,760	+/-254	15.5%	+/-2.2
65 years and over	2,603	+/-81	2,603	(X)
With a disability	1,152	+/-142	44.3%	+/-5.0
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	18,459	+/-94	18,459	(X)
Same house	15,646	+/-521	84.8%	+/-2.9
Different house in the U.S.	2,789	+/-537	15.1%	+/-2.9
Same county	1,467	+/-435	7.9%	+/-2.4
Different county	1,322	+/-391	7.2%	+/-2.1
Same state	1,158	+/-368	6.3%	+/-2.0
Different state	164	+/-85	0.9%	+/-0.5
Abroad	24	+/-36	0.1%	+/-0.2
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	18,615	*****	18,615	(X)
Native	18,269	+/-170	98.1%	+/-0.9
Born in United States	18,167	+/-206	97.6%	+/-1.1
State of residence	14,204	+/-534	76.3%	+/-2.9
Different state	3,963	+/-508	21.3%	+/-2.7
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	102	+/-94	0.5%	+/-0.5
Foreign born	346	+/-170	1.9%	+/-0.9
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	346	+/-170	346	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	171	+/-117	49.4%	+/-24.2
Not a U.S. citizen	175	+/-121	50.6%	+/-24.2
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	448	+/-206	448	(X)
Native	102	+/-94	102	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-26.7
Entered before 2010	102	+/-94	100.0%	+/-26.7
Foreign born	346	+/-170	346	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-9.0
Entered before 2010	346	+/-170	100.0%	+/-9.0
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	346	+/-170	346	(X)
Europe	52	+/-43	15.0%	+/-12.1
Asia	112	+/-95	32.4%	+/-21.5
Africa	9	+/-19	2.6%	+/-5.5
Oceania	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-9.0
Latin America	173	+/-125	50.0%	+/-24.3
Northern America	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-9.0

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LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	17,475	+/-27	17,475	(X)
English only	16,881	+/-153	96.6%	+/-0.9
Language other than English	594	+/-164	3.4%	+/-0.9
Speak English less than "very well"	336	+/-154	1.9%	+/-0.9
Spanish	397	+/-105	2.3%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	238	+/-114	1.4%	+/-0.6
Other Indo-European languages	144	+/-114	0.8%	+/-0.7
Speak English less than "very well"	98	+/-97	0.6%	+/-0.6
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	51	+/-69	0.3%	+/-0.4
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
Other languages	2	+/-3	0.0%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
ANCESTRY				
Total population	18,615	*****	18,615	(X)
American	1,399	+/-323	7.5%	+/-1.7
Arab	17	+/-26	0.1%	+/-0.1
Czech	78	+/-102	0.4%	+/-0.5
Danish	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
Dutch	366	+/-232	2.0%	+/-1.2
English	2,088	+/-424	11.2%	+/-2.3
French (except Basque)	573	+/-261	3.1%	+/-1.4
French Canadian	21	+/-30	0.1%	+/-0.2
German	1,064	+/-297	5.7%	+/-1.6
Greek	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
Hungarian	10	+/-16	0.1%	+/-0.1
Irish	2,359	+/-469	12.7%	+/-2.5
Italian	198	+/-103	1.1%	+/-0.6
Lithuanian	23	+/-39	0.1%	+/-0.2
Norwegian	21	+/-22	0.1%	+/-0.1
Polish	66	+/-58	0.4%	+/-0.3
Portuguese	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
Russian	18	+/-20	0.1%	+/-0.1
Scotch-Irish	117	+/-72	0.6%	+/-0.4
Scottish	211	+/-130	1.1%	+/-0.7
Slovak	15	+/-25	0.1%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	9	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.1
Swedish	20	+/-26	0.1%	+/-0.1
Swiss	9	+/-20	0.0%	+/-0.1
Ukrainian	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
Welsh	103	+/-95	0.6%	+/-0.5
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-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.
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.