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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	Fulton County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
EMPLOYMENT STATUS				
Population 16 years and over	10,033	+/-77	10,033	(X)
In labor force	5,130	+/-293	51.1%	+/-2.8
Civilian labor force	5,125	+/-291	51.1%	+/-2.8
Employed	4,547	+/-313	45.3%	+/-3.0
Unemployed	578	+/-153	5.8%	+/-1.5
Armed Forces	5	+/-10	0.0%	+/-0.1
Not in labor force	4,903	+/-280	48.9%	+/-2.8
Civilian labor force	5,125	+/-291	5,125	(X)
Percent Unemployed	(X)	(X)	11.3%	+/-3.0
Females 16 years and over				
Population 16 years and over	5,162	+/-61	5,162	(X)
In labor force	2,468	+/-202	47.8%	+/-3.8
Civilian labor force	2,468	+/-202	47.8%	+/-3.8
Employed	2,310	+/-213	44.8%	+/-3.9
Own children under 6 years				
Population	668	+/-67	668	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	494	+/-96	74.0%	+/-13.2
Own children 6 to 17 years				
Population	1,761	+/-82	1,761	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	1,302	+/-209	73.9%	+/-10.2
COMMUTING TO WORK				
Workers 16 years and over	4,282	+/-308	4,282	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	3,233	+/-310	75.5%	+/-5.6
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	653	+/-223	15.2%	+/-4.9
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.8
Walked	126	+/-78	2.9%	+/-1.8
Other means	44	+/-40	1.0%	+/-0.9
Worked at home	226	+/-104	5.3%	+/-2.4
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	27.9	+/-4.2	(X)	(X)
OCCUPATION				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	4,547	+/-313	4,547	(X)

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Management, business, science, and arts occupations	1,272	+/-272	28.0%	+/-6.0
Service occupations	1,042	+/-199	22.9%	+/-4.2
Sales and office occupations	833	+/-207	18.3%	+/-4.4
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	681	+/-185	15.0%	+/-3.7
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	719	+/-216	15.8%	+/-4.6
INDUSTRY				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	4,547	+/-313	4,547	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	203	+/-94	4.5%	+/-2.0
Construction	444	+/-147	9.8%	+/-3.0
Manufacturing	436	+/-142	9.6%	+/-3.1
Wholesale trade	107	+/-68	2.4%	+/-1.5
Retail trade	385	+/-145	8.5%	+/-3.2
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	374	+/-149	8.2%	+/-3.2
Information	63	+/-50	1.4%	+/-1.1
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	199	+/-79	4.4%	+/-1.8
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	264	+/-115	5.8%	+/-2.5
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	1,239	+/-201	27.2%	+/-4.0
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	328	+/-123	7.2%	+/-2.7
Other services, except public administration	354	+/-135	7.8%	+/-2.9
Public administration	151	+/-84	3.3%	+/-1.9
CLASS OF WORKER				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	4,547	+/-313	4,547	(X)
Private wage and salary workers	3,211	+/-314	70.6%	+/-4.9
Government workers	683	+/-164	15.0%	+/-3.6
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	644	+/-172	14.2%	+/-3.6
Unpaid family workers	9	+/-15	0.2%	+/-0.3
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2012 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)				
Total households	4,865	+/-250	4,865	(X)
Less than \$10,000	489	+/-150	10.1%	+/-3.0
\$10,000 to \$14,999	390	+/-98	8.0%	+/-2.1
\$15,000 to \$24,999	846	+/-158	17.4%	+/-3.2
\$25,000 to \$34,999	702	+/-173	14.4%	+/-3.6
\$35,000 to \$49,999	986	+/-219	20.3%	+/-4.0
\$50,000 to \$74,999	670	+/-159	13.8%	+/-3.2
\$75,000 to \$99,999	359	+/-107	7.4%	+/-2.2
\$100,000 to \$149,999	398	+/-120	8.2%	+/-2.5
\$150,000 to \$199,999	25	+/-40	0.5%	+/-0.8
\$200,000 or more	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.7
Median household income (dollars)	35,059	+/-3,969	(X)	(X)
Mean household income (dollars)	43,768	+/-3,137	(X)	(X)
With earnings				
With earnings	3,161	+/-243	65.0%	+/-3.3
Mean earnings (dollars)	44,458	+/-4,160	(X)	(X)
With Social Security				
With Social Security	2,409	+/-203	49.5%	+/-3.9
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	16,717	+/-1,023	(X)	(X)
With retirement income				
With retirement income	1,019	+/-168	20.9%	+/-3.5
Mean retirement income (dollars)	18,333	+/-4,366	(X)	(X)
With Supplemental Security Income				
With Supplemental Security Income	253	+/-90	5.2%	+/-1.9
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	7,498	+/-1,165	(X)	(X)
With cash public assistance income	127	+/-73	2.6%	+/-1.5

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Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	2,177	+/-965	(X)	(X)
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	931	+/-175	19.1%	+/-3.5
Families	3,310	+/-285	3,310	(X)
Less than \$10,000	142	+/-87	4.3%	+/-2.6
\$10,000 to \$14,999	146	+/-76	4.4%	+/-2.3
\$15,000 to \$24,999	533	+/-146	16.1%	+/-4.0
\$25,000 to \$34,999	477	+/-145	14.4%	+/-4.3
\$35,000 to \$49,999	766	+/-204	23.1%	+/-5.3
\$50,000 to \$74,999	532	+/-146	16.1%	+/-4.2
\$75,000 to \$99,999	360	+/-109	10.9%	+/-3.4
\$100,000 to \$149,999	329	+/-113	9.9%	+/-3.4
\$150,000 to \$199,999	25	+/-40	0.8%	+/-1.2
\$200,000 or more	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-1.0
Median family income (dollars)	41,146	+/-3,468	(X)	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	51,026	+/-4,233	(X)	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)	18,243	+/-1,357	(X)	(X)
Nonfamily households	1,555	+/-207	1,555	(X)
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	19,617	+/-3,747	(X)	(X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	27,513	+/-4,126	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	19,626	+/-2,531	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	36,500	+/-3,345	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	25,174	+/-4,306	(X)	(X)
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE				
Civilian noninstitutionalized population	12,119	+/-54	12,119	(X)
With health insurance coverage	9,856	+/-338	81.3%	+/-2.7
With private health insurance	6,321	+/-497	52.2%	+/-4.1
With public coverage	5,527	+/-401	45.6%	+/-3.3
No health insurance coverage	2,263	+/-327	18.7%	+/-2.7
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 18 years	2,577	+/-29	2,577	(X)
No health insurance coverage	128	+/-96	5.0%	+/-3.7
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 18 to 64 years	6,819	+/-61	6,819	(X)
In labor force:	4,818	+/-270	4,818	(X)
Employed:	4,243	+/-283	4,243	(X)
With health insurance coverage	2,996	+/-296	70.6%	+/-5.6
With private health insurance	2,811	+/-285	66.3%	+/-5.1
With public coverage	283	+/-116	6.7%	+/-2.8
No health insurance coverage	1,247	+/-260	29.4%	+/-5.6
Unemployed:	575	+/-153	575	(X)
With health insurance coverage	218	+/-110	37.9%	+/-14.5
With private health insurance	95	+/-53	16.5%	+/-8.4
With public coverage	123	+/-91	21.4%	+/-13.7
No health insurance coverage	357	+/-111	62.1%	+/-14.5
Not in labor force:	2,001	+/-273	2,001	(X)
With health insurance coverage	1,504	+/-260	75.2%	+/-7.2
With private health insurance	733	+/-172	36.6%	+/-7.7
With public coverage	964	+/-228	48.2%	+/-8.1
No health insurance coverage	497	+/-155	24.8%	+/-7.2

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PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL				
All families	(X)	(X)	12.6%	+/-4.1
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	25.2%	+/-9.4
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	65.7%	+/-22.4
Married couple families	(X)	(X)	5.8%	+/-2.2
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	10.5%	+/-6.2
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	48.7%	+/-34.0
Families with female householder, no husband present	(X)	(X)	70.0%	+/-15.1
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	89.7%	+/-9.0
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	91.8%	+/-15.3
All people	(X)	(X)	19.6%	+/-5.7
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	31.3%	+/-13.0
Related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	31.3%	+/-13.0
Related children under 5 years	(X)	(X)	52.5%	+/-16.8
Related children 5 to 17 years	(X)	(X)	24.7%	+/-14.3
18 years and over	(X)	(X)	16.5%	+/-4.3
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	16.4%	+/-4.2
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	16.7%	+/-6.8
People in families	(X)	(X)	17.5%	+/-6.5
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	(X)	(X)	30.9%	+/-6.1

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.

There were changes in the edit between 2009 and 2010 regarding Supplemental Security Income (SSI) and Social Security. The changes in the edit loosened restrictions on disability requirements for receipt of SSI resulting in an increase in the total number of SSI recipients in the American Community Survey. The changes also loosened restrictions on possible reported monthly amounts in Social Security income resulting in higher Social Security aggregate amounts. These results more closely match administrative counts compiled by the Social Security Administration.

Workers include members of the Armed Forces and civilians who were at work last week.

Industry codes are 4-digit codes and are based on the North American Industry Classification System 2007. The Industry categories adhere to the guidelines issued in Clarification Memorandum No. 2, "NAICS Alternate Aggregation Structure for Use By U.S. Statistical Agencies," issued by the Office of Management and Budget.

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.