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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	Greene County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	16,457	+/-298	16,457	(X)
Family households (families)	11,515	+/-382	70.0%	+/-2.2
With own children under 18 years	5,288	+/-323	32.1%	+/-1.9
Married-couple family	8,807	+/-444	53.5%	+/-2.6
With own children under 18 years	3,755	+/-339	22.8%	+/-2.0
Male householder, no wife present, family	663	+/-160	4.0%	+/-1.0
With own children under 18 years	259	+/-107	1.6%	+/-0.7
Female householder, no husband present, family	2,045	+/-277	12.4%	+/-1.7
With own children under 18 years	1,274	+/-222	7.7%	+/-1.4
Nonfamily households	4,942	+/-394	30.0%	+/-2.2
Householder living alone	4,137	+/-396	25.1%	+/-2.3
65 years and over	1,745	+/-225	10.6%	+/-1.3
Households with one or more people under 18 years	5,932	+/-335	36.0%	+/-2.0
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	4,329	+/-177	26.3%	+/-1.1
Average household size	2.53	+/-0.05	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.01	+/-0.07	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	41,578	+/-140	41,578	(X)
Householder	16,457	+/-298	39.6%	+/-0.7
Spouse	8,792	+/-453	21.1%	+/-1.1
Child	12,233	+/-480	29.4%	+/-1.1
Other relatives	2,139	+/-391	5.1%	+/-0.9
Nonrelatives	1,957	+/-381	4.7%	+/-0.9
Unmarried partner	840	+/-201	2.0%	+/-0.5
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	16,212	+/-101	16,212	(X)
Never married	3,971	+/-326	24.5%	+/-2.0
Now married, except separated	9,546	+/-468	58.9%	+/-2.9
Separated	290	+/-132	1.8%	+/-0.8
Widowed	454	+/-124	2.8%	+/-0.8

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Divorced	1,951	+/-327	12.0%	+/-2.0
Females 15 years and over	17,191	+/-74	17,191	(X)
Never married	2,913	+/-246	16.9%	+/-1.4
Now married, except separated	8,864	+/-505	51.6%	+/-2.9
Separated	541	+/-169	3.1%	+/-1.0
Widowed	1,820	+/-197	10.6%	+/-1.2
Divorced	3,053	+/-369	17.8%	+/-2.1
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	555	+/-172	555	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	181	+/-101	32.6%	+/-14.5
Per 1,000 unmarried women	40	+/-22	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	55	+/-17	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	50	+/-52	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	112	+/-39	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	9	+/-7	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	1,092	+/-306	1,092	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	667	+/-234	61.1%	+/-12.5
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	122	+/-107	11.2%	+/-9.5
1 or 2 years	298	+/-182	27.3%	+/-13.3
3 or 4 years	109	+/-75	10.0%	+/-7.1
5 or more years	138	+/-91	12.6%	+/-8.3
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	667	+/-234	667	(X)
Who are female	379	+/-138	56.8%	+/-9.1
Who are married	480	+/-208	72.0%	+/-15.6
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	10,510	+/-390	10,510	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	975	+/-207	9.3%	+/-1.9
Kindergarten	313	+/-98	3.0%	+/-0.9
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	4,705	+/-217	44.8%	+/-2.6
High school (grades 9-12)	2,370	+/-226	22.5%	+/-2.1
College or graduate school	2,147	+/-308	20.4%	+/-2.4
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	27,845	+/-101	27,845	(X)
Less than 9th grade	1,926	+/-287	6.9%	+/-1.0
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	3,035	+/-361	10.9%	+/-1.3
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	12,051	+/-603	43.3%	+/-2.2
Some college, no degree	5,994	+/-555	21.5%	+/-2.0
Associate's degree	1,358	+/-262	4.9%	+/-0.9
Bachelor's degree	2,291	+/-333	8.2%	+/-1.2
Graduate or professional degree	1,190	+/-207	4.3%	+/-0.7
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	82.2%	+/-1.4
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	12.5%	+/-1.4
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	31,565	+/-114	31,565	(X)
Civilian veterans	3,630	+/-398	11.5%	+/-1.3

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DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	41,687	+/-128	41,687	(X)
With a disability	8,071	+/-577	19.4%	+/-1.4
Under 18 years	10,575	+/-90	10,575	(X)
With a disability	595	+/-170	5.6%	+/-1.6
18 to 64 years	25,382	+/-130	25,382	(X)
With a disability	4,899	+/-457	19.3%	+/-1.8
65 years and over	5,730	+/-113	5,730	(X)
With a disability	2,577	+/-240	45.0%	+/-4.2
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	41,826	+/-161	41,826	(X)
Same house	34,626	+/-975	82.8%	+/-2.3
Different house in the U.S.	7,144	+/-961	17.1%	+/-2.3
Same county	5,051	+/-884	12.1%	+/-2.1
Different county	2,093	+/-428	5.0%	+/-1.0
Same state	1,369	+/-325	3.3%	+/-0.8
Different state	724	+/-274	1.7%	+/-0.7
Abroad	56	+/-48	0.1%	+/-0.1
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	42,224	*****	42,224	(X)
Native	41,765	+/-155	98.9%	+/-0.4
Born in United States	41,598	+/-198	98.5%	+/-0.5
State of residence	28,462	+/-799	67.4%	+/-1.9
Different state	13,136	+/-772	31.1%	+/-1.8
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	167	+/-102	0.4%	+/-0.2
Foreign born	459	+/-155	1.1%	+/-0.4
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	459	+/-155	459	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	117	+/-83	25.5%	+/-15.3
Not a U.S. citizen	342	+/-131	74.5%	+/-15.3
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	626	+/-198	626	(X)
Native	167	+/-102	167	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	7	+/-15	4.2%	+/-7.5
Entered before 2010	160	+/-95	95.8%	+/-7.5
Foreign born	459	+/-155	459	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	0	+/-25	0.0%	+/-6.8
Entered before 2010	459	+/-155	100.0%	+/-6.8
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	459	+/-155	459	(X)
Europe	46	+/-41	10.0%	+/-8.9
Asia	32	+/-39	7.0%	+/-8.4
Africa	56	+/-83	12.2%	+/-15.9
Oceania	0	+/-25	0.0%	+/-6.8
Latin America	294	+/-107	64.1%	+/-15.9
Northern America	31	+/-29	6.8%	+/-6.6

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LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	39,388	+/-83	39,388	(X)
English only	38,372	+/-226	97.4%	+/-0.5
Language other than English	1,016	+/-205	2.6%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	396	+/-122	1.0%	+/-0.3
Spanish	859	+/-186	2.2%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	343	+/-119	0.9%	+/-0.3
Other Indo-European languages	112	+/-94	0.3%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	28	+/-30	0.1%	+/-0.1
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	31	+/-39	0.1%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	25	+/-33	0.1%	+/-0.1
Other languages	14	+/-24	0.0%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-25	0.0%	+/-0.1
ANCESTRY				
Total population	42,224	*****	42,224	(X)
American	9,571	+/-1,315	22.7%	+/-3.1
Arab	173	+/-222	0.4%	+/-0.5
Czech	0	+/-25	0.0%	+/-0.1
Danish	59	+/-48	0.1%	+/-0.1
Dutch	811	+/-252	1.9%	+/-0.6
English	3,086	+/-462	7.3%	+/-1.1
French (except Basque)	980	+/-318	2.3%	+/-0.8
French Canadian	21	+/-31	0.0%	+/-0.1
German	4,469	+/-667	10.6%	+/-1.6
Greek	25	+/-30	0.1%	+/-0.1
Hungarian	0	+/-25	0.0%	+/-0.1
Irish	5,329	+/-735	12.6%	+/-1.7
Italian	410	+/-181	1.0%	+/-0.4
Lithuanian	8	+/-13	0.0%	+/-0.1
Norwegian	115	+/-81	0.3%	+/-0.2
Polish	94	+/-57	0.2%	+/-0.1
Portuguese	4	+/-16	0.0%	+/-0.1
Russian	30	+/-35	0.1%	+/-0.1
Scotch-Irish	379	+/-215	0.9%	+/-0.5
Scottish	491	+/-177	1.2%	+/-0.4
Slovak	0	+/-25	0.0%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	2	+/-3	0.0%	+/-0.1
Swedish	105	+/-49	0.2%	+/-0.1
Swiss	128	+/-138	0.3%	+/-0.3
Ukrainian	0	+/-25	0.0%	+/-0.1
Welsh	161	+/-135	0.4%	+/-0.3
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	0	+/-25	0.0%	+/-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.

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.