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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	Little River County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	5,237	+/-236	5,237	(X)
Family households (families)	3,747	+/-276	71.5%	+/-4.0
With own children under 18 years	1,452	+/-239	27.7%	+/-4.0
Married-couple family	2,723	+/-261	52.0%	+/-4.8
With own children under 18 years	982	+/-224	18.8%	+/-4.1
Male householder, no wife present, family	125	+/-63	2.4%	+/-1.1
With own children under 18 years	84	+/-46	1.6%	+/-0.8
Female householder, no husband present, family	899	+/-171	17.2%	+/-3.1
With own children under 18 years	386	+/-116	7.4%	+/-2.1
Nonfamily households	1,490	+/-216	28.5%	+/-4.0
Householder living alone	1,404	+/-206	26.8%	+/-3.8
65 years and over	585	+/-122	11.2%	+/-2.4
Households with one or more people under 18 years	1,771	+/-251	33.8%	+/-4.2
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	1,515	+/-83	28.9%	+/-1.9
Average household size	2.46	+/-0.11	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.97	+/-0.18	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	12,895	+/-73	12,895	(X)
Householder	5,237	+/-236	40.6%	+/-1.8
Spouse	2,727	+/-267	21.1%	+/-2.1
Child	3,599	+/-354	27.9%	+/-2.7
Other relatives	1,060	+/-296	8.2%	+/-2.3
Nonrelatives	272	+/-117	2.1%	+/-0.9
Unmarried partner	97	+/-56	0.8%	+/-0.4
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	5,022	+/-66	5,022	(X)
Never married	1,188	+/-147	23.7%	+/-2.9
Now married, except separated	2,791	+/-270	55.6%	+/-5.4
Separated	111	+/-84	2.2%	+/-1.7
Widowed	192	+/-76	3.8%	+/-1.5

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Divorced	740	+/-205	14.7%	+/-4.1
Females 15 years and over	5,563	+/-68	5,563	(X)
Never married	1,119	+/-166	20.1%	+/-3.0
Now married, except separated	2,815	+/-296	50.6%	+/-5.2
Separated	100	+/-68	1.8%	+/-1.2
Widowed	683	+/-133	12.3%	+/-2.4
Divorced	846	+/-218	15.2%	+/-3.9
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	128	+/-88	128	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-22.2
Per 1,000 unmarried women	0	+/-21	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	44	+/-30	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	19	+/-29	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	94	+/-79	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	13	+/-11	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	524	+/-167	524	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	324	+/-114	61.8%	+/-19.7
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	48	+/-54	9.2%	+/-10.0
1 or 2 years	82	+/-62	15.6%	+/-11.0
3 or 4 years	43	+/-48	8.2%	+/-8.9
5 or more years	151	+/-86	28.8%	+/-17.5
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	324	+/-114	324	(X)
Who are female	197	+/-67	60.8%	+/-8.1
Who are married	241	+/-109	74.4%	+/-13.5
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	3,078	+/-195	3,078	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	237	+/-113	7.7%	+/-3.4
Kindergarten	190	+/-68	6.2%	+/-2.3
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	1,413	+/-116	45.9%	+/-4.4
High school (grades 9-12)	727	+/-77	23.6%	+/-2.7
College or graduate school	511	+/-156	16.6%	+/-4.4
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	9,148	+/-165	9,148	(X)
Less than 9th grade	380	+/-121	4.2%	+/-1.3
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	1,075	+/-199	11.8%	+/-2.1
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	3,522	+/-324	38.5%	+/-3.5
Some college, no degree	2,379	+/-284	26.0%	+/-3.1
Associate's degree	797	+/-207	8.7%	+/-2.2
Bachelor's degree	718	+/-165	7.8%	+/-1.8
Graduate or professional degree	277	+/-90	3.0%	+/-1.0
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	84.1%	+/-2.4
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	10.9%	+/-2.2
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	9,994	+/-39	9,994	(X)
Civilian veterans	1,179	+/-178	11.8%	+/-1.8

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DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	12,890	+/-72	12,890	(X)
With a disability	2,217	+/-215	17.2%	+/-1.7
Under 18 years	3,068	+/-37	3,068	(X)
With a disability	203	+/-73	6.6%	+/-2.4
18 to 64 years	7,794	+/-83	7,794	(X)
With a disability	1,139	+/-186	14.6%	+/-2.4
65 years and over	2,028	+/-66	2,028	(X)
With a disability	875	+/-139	43.1%	+/-6.6
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	12,947	+/-73	12,947	(X)
Same house	10,900	+/-483	84.2%	+/-3.7
Different house in the U.S.	2,005	+/-477	15.5%	+/-3.7
Same county	1,221	+/-405	9.4%	+/-3.1
Different county	784	+/-251	6.1%	+/-1.9
Same state	354	+/-166	2.7%	+/-1.3
Different state	430	+/-169	3.3%	+/-1.3
Abroad	42	+/-46	0.3%	+/-0.4
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	13,068	*****	13,068	(X)
Native	12,969	+/-82	99.2%	+/-0.6
Born in United States	12,819	+/-114	98.1%	+/-0.9
State of residence	5,436	+/-366	41.6%	+/-2.8
Different state	7,383	+/-346	56.5%	+/-2.6
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	150	+/-99	1.1%	+/-0.8
Foreign born	99	+/-82	0.8%	+/-0.6
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	99	+/-82	99	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	24	+/-33	24.2%	+/-32.5
Not a U.S. citizen	75	+/-68	75.8%	+/-32.5
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	249	+/-114	249	(X)
Native	150	+/-99	150	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	26	+/-21	17.3%	+/-6.1
Entered before 2010	124	+/-80	82.7%	+/-6.1
Foreign born	99	+/-82	99	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-27.4
Entered before 2010	99	+/-82	100.0%	+/-27.4
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	99	+/-82	99	(X)
Europe	58	+/-60	58.6%	+/-42.6
Asia	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-27.4
Africa	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-27.4
Oceania	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-27.4
Latin America	41	+/-55	41.4%	+/-42.6
Northern America	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-27.4

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LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	12,299	+/-102	12,299	(X)
English only	12,183	+/-139	99.1%	+/-0.6
Language other than English	116	+/-75	0.9%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	51	+/-52	0.4%	+/-0.4
Spanish	85	+/-68	0.7%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	51	+/-52	0.4%	+/-0.4
Other Indo-European languages	29	+/-33	0.2%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.3
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	2	+/-4	0.0%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.3
Other languages	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.3
ANCESTRY				
Total population	13,068	*****	13,068	(X)
American	912	+/-249	7.0%	+/-1.9
Arab	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
Czech	21	+/-30	0.2%	+/-0.2
Danish	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
Dutch	217	+/-121	1.7%	+/-0.9
English	1,347	+/-312	10.3%	+/-2.4
French (except Basque)	362	+/-246	2.8%	+/-1.9
French Canadian	4	+/-7	0.0%	+/-0.1
German	1,304	+/-283	10.0%	+/-2.2
Greek	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
Hungarian	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
Irish	2,151	+/-401	16.5%	+/-3.1
Italian	122	+/-76	0.9%	+/-0.6
Lithuanian	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
Norwegian	42	+/-35	0.3%	+/-0.3
Polish	23	+/-27	0.2%	+/-0.2
Portuguese	31	+/-45	0.2%	+/-0.3
Russian	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
Scotch-Irish	82	+/-58	0.6%	+/-0.4
Scottish	361	+/-171	2.8%	+/-1.3
Slovak	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
Subsaharan African	36	+/-34	0.3%	+/-0.3
Swedish	41	+/-43	0.3%	+/-0.3
Swiss	7	+/-11	0.1%	+/-0.1
Ukrainian	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
Welsh	12	+/-19	0.1%	+/-0.1
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	81	+/-77	0.6%	+/-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.

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.