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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	Lonoke County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
EMPLOYMENT STATUS				
Population 16 years and over	51,324	+/-172	51,324	(X)
In labor force	34,444	+/-574	67.1%	+/-1.1
Civilian labor force	33,265	+/-634	64.8%	+/-1.2
Employed	30,675	+/-702	59.8%	+/-1.4
Unemployed	2,590	+/-344	5.0%	+/-0.7
Armed Forces	1,179	+/-240	2.3%	+/-0.5
Not in labor force	16,880	+/-593	32.9%	+/-1.1
Civilian labor force	33,265	+/-634	33,265	(X)
Percent Unemployed	(X)	(X)	7.8%	+/-1.0
Females 16 years and over				
In labor force	16,172	+/-437	61.1%	+/-1.7
Civilian labor force	16,051	+/-438	60.6%	+/-1.7
Employed	15,094	+/-492	57.0%	+/-1.9
Own children under 6 years				
All parents in family in labor force	4,196	+/-339	70.4%	+/-5.8
Own children 6 to 17 years				
All parents in family in labor force	8,823	+/-543	74.9%	+/-3.7
COMMUTING TO WORK				
Workers 16 years and over	31,167	+/-718	31,167	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	25,518	+/-858	81.9%	+/-1.8
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	3,942	+/-539	12.6%	+/-1.7
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	71	+/-51	0.2%	+/-0.2
Walked	524	+/-202	1.7%	+/-0.6
Other means	396	+/-122	1.3%	+/-0.4
Worked at home	716	+/-190	2.3%	+/-0.6
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	25.8	+/-0.7	(X)	(X)
OCCUPATION				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	30,675	+/-702	30,675	(X)

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Management, business, science, and arts occupations	10,000	+/-658	32.6%	+/-2.0
Service occupations	4,698	+/-474	15.3%	+/-1.5
Sales and office occupations	8,405	+/-617	27.4%	+/-2.0
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	3,639	+/-343	11.9%	+/-1.1
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	3,933	+/-409	12.8%	+/-1.3
INDUSTRY				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	30,675	+/-702	30,675	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	992	+/-200	3.2%	+/-0.7
Construction	2,218	+/-291	7.2%	+/-1.0
Manufacturing	3,244	+/-390	10.6%	+/-1.2
Wholesale trade	1,194	+/-220	3.9%	+/-0.7
Retail trade	3,974	+/-505	13.0%	+/-1.7
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	1,941	+/-299	6.3%	+/-1.0
Information	562	+/-164	1.8%	+/-0.5
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	1,821	+/-327	5.9%	+/-1.0
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	2,050	+/-317	6.7%	+/-1.0
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	6,723	+/-577	21.9%	+/-1.7
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	2,086	+/-357	6.8%	+/-1.1
Other services, except public administration	1,534	+/-281	5.0%	+/-0.9
Public administration	2,336	+/-358	7.6%	+/-1.2
CLASS OF WORKER				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	30,675	+/-702	30,675	(X)
Private wage and salary workers	22,874	+/-746	74.6%	+/-1.9
Government workers	5,671	+/-536	18.5%	+/-1.6
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	2,051	+/-328	6.7%	+/-1.1
Unpaid family workers	79	+/-66	0.3%	+/-0.2
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2012 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)				
Total households	24,998	+/-389	24,998	(X)
Less than \$10,000	1,506	+/-250	6.0%	+/-1.0
\$10,000 to \$14,999	1,441	+/-268	5.8%	+/-1.1
\$15,000 to \$24,999	2,528	+/-328	10.1%	+/-1.3
\$25,000 to \$34,999	2,590	+/-391	10.4%	+/-1.6
\$35,000 to \$49,999	3,877	+/-391	15.5%	+/-1.5
\$50,000 to \$74,999	5,586	+/-473	22.3%	+/-1.9
\$75,000 to \$99,999	3,423	+/-367	13.7%	+/-1.4
\$100,000 to \$149,999	3,101	+/-353	12.4%	+/-1.4
\$150,000 to \$199,999	723	+/-188	2.9%	+/-0.8
\$200,000 or more	223	+/-85	0.9%	+/-0.3
Median household income (dollars)	51,499	+/-1,176	(X)	(X)
Mean household income (dollars)	60,785	+/-1,614	(X)	(X)
With earnings	20,488	+/-387	82.0%	+/-1.1
Mean earnings (dollars)	59,724	+/-1,939	(X)	(X)
With Social Security	7,301	+/-327	29.2%	+/-1.2
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	15,908	+/-577	(X)	(X)
With retirement income	5,012	+/-375	20.0%	+/-1.5
Mean retirement income (dollars)	19,327	+/-2,114	(X)	(X)
With Supplemental Security Income	1,260	+/-198	5.0%	+/-0.8
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	7,630	+/-671	(X)	(X)
With cash public assistance income	386	+/-111	1.5%	+/-0.4

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Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	3,525	+/-1,291	(X)	(X)
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	2,524	+/-308	10.1%	+/-1.2
Families	18,698	+/-467	18,698	(X)
Less than \$10,000	762	+/-199	4.1%	+/-1.0
\$10,000 to \$14,999	664	+/-183	3.6%	+/-1.0
\$15,000 to \$24,999	1,437	+/-287	7.7%	+/-1.5
\$25,000 to \$34,999	1,950	+/-310	10.4%	+/-1.6
\$35,000 to \$49,999	2,723	+/-322	14.6%	+/-1.6
\$50,000 to \$74,999	4,446	+/-388	23.8%	+/-1.9
\$75,000 to \$99,999	2,922	+/-312	15.6%	+/-1.7
\$100,000 to \$149,999	2,944	+/-335	15.7%	+/-1.7
\$150,000 to \$199,999	651	+/-165	3.5%	+/-0.9
\$200,000 or more	199	+/-81	1.1%	+/-0.4
Median family income (dollars)	59,063	+/-1,729	(X)	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	67,649	+/-2,145	(X)	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)	22,791	+/-566	(X)	(X)
Nonfamily households	6,300	+/-451	6,300	(X)
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	31,230	+/-4,362	(X)	(X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	37,959	+/-3,007	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	29,354	+/-1,426	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	46,192	+/-1,730	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	32,953	+/-1,671	(X)	(X)
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE				
Civilian noninstitutionalized population	66,529	+/-281	66,529	(X)
With health insurance coverage	56,653	+/-949	85.2%	+/-1.4
With private health insurance	44,990	+/-1,493	67.6%	+/-2.2
With public coverage	19,992	+/-927	30.1%	+/-1.4
No health insurance coverage	9,876	+/-917	14.8%	+/-1.4
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 18 years	18,689	+/-11	18,689	(X)
No health insurance coverage	905	+/-285	4.8%	+/-1.5
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 18 to 64 years	40,494	+/-254	40,494	(X)
In labor force:	31,519	+/-612	31,519	(X)
Employed:	29,129	+/-676	29,129	(X)
With health insurance coverage	23,528	+/-867	80.8%	+/-2.0
With private health insurance	22,710	+/-840	78.0%	+/-2.0
With public coverage	2,040	+/-347	7.0%	+/-1.2
No health insurance coverage	5,601	+/-570	19.2%	+/-2.0
Unemployed:	2,390	+/-349	2,390	(X)
With health insurance coverage	950	+/-201	39.7%	+/-6.3
With private health insurance	663	+/-169	27.7%	+/-6.4
With public coverage	397	+/-136	16.6%	+/-4.6
No health insurance coverage	1,440	+/-264	60.3%	+/-6.3
Not in labor force:	8,975	+/-585	8,975	(X)
With health insurance coverage	7,045	+/-483	78.5%	+/-3.1
With private health insurance	4,631	+/-457	51.6%	+/-4.1
With public coverage	3,400	+/-381	37.9%	+/-3.5
No health insurance coverage	1,930	+/-329	21.5%	+/-3.1

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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)	10.5%	+/-1.6
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	14.8%	+/-2.4
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	17.6%	+/-5.2
Married couple families	(X)	(X)	4.7%	+/-1.1
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	7.4%	+/-2.1
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	7.8%	+/-5.6
Families with female householder, no husband present	(X)	(X)	33.2%	+/-6.1
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	38.9%	+/-7.7
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	49.2%	+/-15.9
All people	(X)	(X)	13.1%	+/-1.5
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	16.8%	+/-2.7
Related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	16.8%	+/-2.8
Related children under 5 years	(X)	(X)	23.3%	+/-4.9
Related children 5 to 17 years	(X)	(X)	14.5%	+/-2.8
18 years and over	(X)	(X)	11.8%	+/-1.3
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	11.8%	+/-1.5
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	11.4%	+/-2.2
People in families	(X)	(X)	11.5%	+/-1.7
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	(X)	(X)	24.6%	+/-3.6

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.

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.