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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	Randolph County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	7,274	+/-284	7,274	(X)
Family households (families)	5,049	+/-281	69.4%	+/-2.8
With own children under 18 years	1,916	+/-202	26.3%	+/-2.3
Married-couple family	4,062	+/-271	55.8%	+/-3.4
With own children under 18 years	1,339	+/-183	18.4%	+/-2.3
Male householder, no wife present, family	342	+/-113	4.7%	+/-1.5
With own children under 18 years	143	+/-75	2.0%	+/-1.0
Female householder, no husband present, family	645	+/-158	8.9%	+/-2.1
With own children under 18 years	434	+/-125	6.0%	+/-1.7
Nonfamily households	2,225	+/-225	30.6%	+/-2.8
Householder living alone	2,089	+/-222	28.7%	+/-2.8
65 years and over	1,033	+/-163	14.2%	+/-2.2
Households with one or more people under 18 years	2,237	+/-215	30.8%	+/-2.3
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	2,308	+/-142	31.7%	+/-1.9
Average household size	2.42	+/-0.09	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.95	+/-0.16	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	17,638	+/-124	17,638	(X)
Householder	7,274	+/-284	41.2%	+/-1.6
Spouse	4,056	+/-284	23.0%	+/-1.6
Child	4,683	+/-418	26.6%	+/-2.3
Other relatives	1,114	+/-255	6.3%	+/-1.4
Nonrelatives	511	+/-161	2.9%	+/-0.9
Unmarried partner	239	+/-102	1.4%	+/-0.6
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	7,025	+/-77	7,025	(X)
Never married	1,374	+/-144	19.6%	+/-2.1
Now married, except separated	4,418	+/-248	62.9%	+/-3.4
Separated	253	+/-115	3.6%	+/-1.6
Widowed	147	+/-67	2.1%	+/-0.9

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Divorced	833	+/-173	11.9%	+/-2.5
Females 15 years and over	7,533	+/-34	7,533	(X)
Never married	1,190	+/-143	15.8%	+/-1.9
Now married, except separated	4,176	+/-278	55.4%	+/-3.7
Separated	156	+/-65	2.1%	+/-0.9
Widowed	1,089	+/-157	14.5%	+/-2.1
Divorced	922	+/-191	12.2%	+/-2.5
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	280	+/-95	280	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	103	+/-65	36.8%	+/-19.3
Per 1,000 unmarried women	64	+/-40	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	74	+/-25	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	95	+/-87	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	153	+/-63	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	4	+/-8	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	465	+/-145	465	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	268	+/-114	57.6%	+/-16.1
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	108	+/-67	23.2%	+/-13.5
1 or 2 years	45	+/-53	9.7%	+/-10.8
3 or 4 years	65	+/-63	14.0%	+/-11.3
5 or more years	50	+/-47	10.8%	+/-10.2
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	268	+/-114	268	(X)
Who are female	185	+/-86	69.0%	+/-10.7
Who are married	219	+/-103	81.7%	+/-19.8
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	4,437	+/-288	4,437	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	308	+/-111	6.9%	+/-2.3
Kindergarten	148	+/-104	3.3%	+/-2.4
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	1,895	+/-153	42.7%	+/-4.3
High school (grades 9-12)	919	+/-128	20.7%	+/-3.2
College or graduate school	1,167	+/-266	26.3%	+/-4.6
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	12,327	+/-65	12,327	(X)
Less than 9th grade	1,110	+/-158	9.0%	+/-1.3
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	1,338	+/-214	10.9%	+/-1.7
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	4,958	+/-387	40.2%	+/-3.2
Some college, no degree	2,669	+/-326	21.7%	+/-2.6
Associate's degree	897	+/-189	7.3%	+/-1.5
Bachelor's degree	900	+/-245	7.3%	+/-2.0
Graduate or professional degree	455	+/-136	3.7%	+/-1.1
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	80.1%	+/-2.1
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	11.0%	+/-2.4
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	13,794	+/-80	13,794	(X)
Civilian veterans	1,511	+/-179	11.0%	+/-1.3

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DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	17,662	+/-123	17,662	(X)
With a disability	3,478	+/-340	19.7%	+/-1.9
Under 18 years	4,102	+/-98	4,102	(X)
With a disability	158	+/-75	3.9%	+/-1.9
18 to 64 years	10,399	+/-98	10,399	(X)
With a disability	1,880	+/-269	18.1%	+/-2.6
65 years and over	3,161	+/-121	3,161	(X)
With a disability	1,440	+/-188	45.6%	+/-5.7
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	17,718	+/-80	17,718	(X)
Same house	15,424	+/-419	87.1%	+/-2.4
Different house in the U.S.	2,288	+/-432	12.9%	+/-2.4
Same county	1,272	+/-308	7.2%	+/-1.7
Different county	1,016	+/-308	5.7%	+/-1.7
Same state	496	+/-213	2.8%	+/-1.2
Different state	520	+/-221	2.9%	+/-1.2
Abroad	6	+/-10	0.0%	+/-0.1
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	17,992	*****	17,992	(X)
Native	17,836	+/-102	99.1%	+/-0.6
Born in United States	17,782	+/-108	98.8%	+/-0.6
State of residence	11,440	+/-453	63.6%	+/-2.5
Different state	6,342	+/-453	35.2%	+/-2.5
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	54	+/-52	0.3%	+/-0.3
Foreign born	156	+/-102	0.9%	+/-0.6
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	156	+/-102	156	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	89	+/-68	57.1%	+/-31.1
Not a U.S. citizen	67	+/-69	42.9%	+/-31.1
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	210	+/-108	210	(X)
Native	54	+/-52	54	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-40.4
Entered before 2010	54	+/-52	100.0%	+/-40.4
Foreign born	156	+/-102	156	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-18.7
Entered before 2010	156	+/-102	100.0%	+/-18.7
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	156	+/-102	156	(X)
Europe	20	+/-21	12.8%	+/-14.7
Asia	62	+/-64	39.7%	+/-28.7
Africa	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-18.7
Oceania	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-18.7
Latin America	9	+/-16	5.8%	+/-10.3
Northern America	65	+/-65	41.7%	+/-29.8

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LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	16,864	+/-78	16,864	(X)
English only	16,656	+/-94	98.8%	+/-0.6
Language other than English	208	+/-97	1.2%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	88	+/-69	0.5%	+/-0.4
Spanish	125	+/-81	0.7%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	68	+/-65	0.4%	+/-0.4
Other Indo-European languages	20	+/-21	0.1%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	20	+/-21	0.1%	+/-0.1
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	63	+/-54	0.4%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
Other languages	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
ANCESTRY				
Total population	17,992	*****	17,992	(X)
American	3,674	+/-526	20.4%	+/-2.9
Arab	5	+/-6	0.0%	+/-0.1
Czech	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
Danish	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
Dutch	281	+/-128	1.6%	+/-0.7
English	1,502	+/-227	8.3%	+/-1.3
French (except Basque)	470	+/-199	2.6%	+/-1.1
French Canadian	13	+/-15	0.1%	+/-0.1
German	2,391	+/-444	13.3%	+/-2.5
Greek	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
Hungarian	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
Irish	2,351	+/-476	13.1%	+/-2.6
Italian	128	+/-96	0.7%	+/-0.5
Lithuanian	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
Norwegian	55	+/-60	0.3%	+/-0.3
Polish	101	+/-60	0.6%	+/-0.3
Portuguese	53	+/-69	0.3%	+/-0.4
Russian	48	+/-48	0.3%	+/-0.3
Scotch-Irish	143	+/-126	0.8%	+/-0.7
Scottish	238	+/-126	1.3%	+/-0.7
Slovak	0	+/-19	0.0%	+/-0.2
Subsaharan African	20	+/-28	0.1%	+/-0.2
Swedish	201	+/-137	1.1%	+/-0.8
Swiss	38	+/-31	0.2%	+/-0.2
Ukrainian	9	+/-15	0.1%	+/-0.1
Welsh	47	+/-38	0.3%	+/-0.2
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.