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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	Saline County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	41,274	+/-504	41,274	(X)
Family households (families)	29,879	+/-724	72.4%	+/-1.5
With own children under 18 years	12,455	+/-521	30.2%	+/-1.2
Married-couple family	23,726	+/-650	57.5%	+/-1.5
With own children under 18 years	8,781	+/-510	21.3%	+/-1.2
Male householder, no wife present, family	1,860	+/-292	4.5%	+/-0.7
With own children under 18 years	1,074	+/-235	2.6%	+/-0.6
Female householder, no husband present, family	4,293	+/-402	10.4%	+/-0.9
With own children under 18 years	2,600	+/-338	6.3%	+/-0.8
Nonfamily households	11,395	+/-619	27.6%	+/-1.5
Householder living alone	9,749	+/-566	23.6%	+/-1.4
65 years and over	3,570	+/-331	8.6%	+/-0.8
Households with one or more people under 18 years	13,860	+/-498	33.6%	+/-1.1
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	11,045	+/-302	26.8%	+/-0.7
Average household size	2.57	+/-0.03	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.03	+/-0.05	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	105,869	+/-321	105,869	(X)
Householder	41,274	+/-504	39.0%	+/-0.5
Spouse	23,709	+/-662	22.4%	+/-0.6
Child	30,723	+/-676	29.0%	+/-0.6
Other relatives	6,207	+/-649	5.9%	+/-0.6
Nonrelatives	3,956	+/-675	3.7%	+/-0.6
Unmarried partner	1,413	+/-243	1.3%	+/-0.2
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	42,029	+/-126	42,029	(X)
Never married	9,894	+/-473	23.5%	+/-1.1
Now married, except separated	25,692	+/-675	61.1%	+/-1.6
Separated	407	+/-158	1.0%	+/-0.4
Widowed	1,105	+/-208	2.6%	+/-0.5

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Divorced	4,931	+/-482	11.7%	+/-1.1
Females 15 years and over	43,792	+/-101	43,792	(X)
Never married	8,131	+/-404	18.6%	+/-0.9
Now married, except separated	24,401	+/-700	55.7%	+/-1.6
Separated	978	+/-284	2.2%	+/-0.6
Widowed	4,246	+/-377	9.7%	+/-0.9
Divorced	6,036	+/-527	13.8%	+/-1.2
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	1,104	+/-237	1,104	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	339	+/-152	30.7%	+/-11.3
Per 1,000 unmarried women	30	+/-13	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	44	+/-9	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	7	+/-8	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	96	+/-22	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	11	+/-6	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	2,344	+/-421	2,344	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	1,189	+/-325	50.7%	+/-8.2
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	242	+/-117	10.3%	+/-4.6
1 or 2 years	214	+/-129	9.1%	+/-5.0
3 or 4 years	256	+/-154	10.9%	+/-6.1
5 or more years	477	+/-170	20.3%	+/-5.8
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	1,189	+/-325	1,189	(X)
Who are female	761	+/-211	64.0%	+/-6.0
Who are married	861	+/-282	72.4%	+/-8.9
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	25,545	+/-646	25,545	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	1,914	+/-274	7.5%	+/-1.0
Kindergarten	1,573	+/-284	6.2%	+/-1.1
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	11,706	+/-432	45.8%	+/-2.0
High school (grades 9-12)	5,424	+/-299	21.2%	+/-1.1
College or graduate school	4,928	+/-515	19.3%	+/-1.6
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	73,424	+/-190	73,424	(X)
Less than 9th grade	2,328	+/-316	3.2%	+/-0.4
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	5,802	+/-490	7.9%	+/-0.7
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	26,263	+/-940	35.8%	+/-1.3
Some college, no degree	17,051	+/-811	23.2%	+/-1.1
Associate's degree	4,999	+/-454	6.8%	+/-0.6
Bachelor's degree	11,934	+/-719	16.3%	+/-1.0
Graduate or professional degree	5,047	+/-440	6.9%	+/-0.6
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	88.9%	+/-0.8
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	23.1%	+/-1.2
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	81,319	+/-93	81,319	(X)
Civilian veterans	10,421	+/-601	12.8%	+/-0.7

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DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	105,915	+/-297	105,915	(X)
With a disability	17,916	+/-1,020	16.9%	+/-1.0
Under 18 years	25,868	+/-63	25,868	(X)
With a disability	1,816	+/-357	7.0%	+/-1.4
18 to 64 years	64,021	+/-293	64,021	(X)
With a disability	10,102	+/-736	15.8%	+/-1.1
65 years and over	16,026	+/-193	16,026	(X)
With a disability	5,998	+/-388	37.4%	+/-2.3
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	106,501	+/-210	106,501	(X)
Same house	93,014	+/-1,108	87.3%	+/-1.1
Different house in the U.S.	13,389	+/-1,136	12.6%	+/-1.1
Same county	6,444	+/-834	6.1%	+/-0.8
Different county	6,945	+/-859	6.5%	+/-0.8
Same state	4,855	+/-766	4.6%	+/-0.7
Different state	2,090	+/-537	2.0%	+/-0.5
Abroad	98	+/-59	0.1%	+/-0.1
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	107,498	*****	107,498	(X)
Native	104,903	+/-342	97.6%	+/-0.3
Born in United States	103,979	+/-414	96.7%	+/-0.4
State of residence	71,856	+/-1,261	66.8%	+/-1.2
Different state	32,123	+/-1,158	29.9%	+/-1.1
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	924	+/-320	0.9%	+/-0.3
Foreign born	2,595	+/-342	2.4%	+/-0.3
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	2,595	+/-342	2,595	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	1,242	+/-321	47.9%	+/-10.6
Not a U.S. citizen	1,353	+/-328	52.1%	+/-10.6
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	3,519	+/-414	3,519	(X)
Native	924	+/-320	924	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	5	+/-13	0.5%	+/-1.4
Entered before 2010	919	+/-319	99.5%	+/-1.4
Foreign born	2,595	+/-342	2,595	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	22	+/-33	0.8%	+/-1.3
Entered before 2010	2,573	+/-344	99.2%	+/-1.3
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	2,595	+/-342	2,595	(X)
Europe	531	+/-170	20.5%	+/-5.9
Asia	606	+/-145	23.4%	+/-5.4
Africa	0	+/-28	0.0%	+/-1.2
Oceania	51	+/-40	2.0%	+/-1.6
Latin America	1,340	+/-256	51.6%	+/-6.9
Northern America	67	+/-76	2.6%	+/-2.8

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LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	100,759	+/-67	100,759	(X)
English only	96,425	+/-619	95.7%	+/-0.6
Language other than English	4,334	+/-616	4.3%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	1,030	+/-269	1.0%	+/-0.3
Spanish	2,882	+/-506	2.9%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	716	+/-211	0.7%	+/-0.2
Other Indo-European languages	594	+/-193	0.6%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	108	+/-59	0.1%	+/-0.1
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	514	+/-181	0.5%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	206	+/-153	0.2%	+/-0.2
Other languages	344	+/-344	0.3%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-28	0.0%	+/-0.1
ANCESTRY				
Total population	107,498	*****	107,498	(X)
American	12,906	+/-975	12.0%	+/-0.9
Arab	436	+/-342	0.4%	+/-0.3
Czech	273	+/-130	0.3%	+/-0.1
Danish	156	+/-98	0.1%	+/-0.1
Dutch	1,482	+/-328	1.4%	+/-0.3
English	11,560	+/-1,010	10.8%	+/-0.9
French (except Basque)	2,818	+/-465	2.6%	+/-0.4
French Canadian	412	+/-186	0.4%	+/-0.2
German	13,751	+/-1,060	12.8%	+/-1.0
Greek	162	+/-97	0.2%	+/-0.1
Hungarian	312	+/-220	0.3%	+/-0.2
Irish	13,169	+/-986	12.3%	+/-0.9
Italian	2,020	+/-426	1.9%	+/-0.4
Lithuanian	14	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.1
Norwegian	545	+/-188	0.5%	+/-0.2
Polish	786	+/-206	0.7%	+/-0.2
Portuguese	151	+/-71	0.1%	+/-0.1
Russian	183	+/-126	0.2%	+/-0.1
Scotch-Irish	2,020	+/-308	1.9%	+/-0.3
Scottish	2,196	+/-395	2.0%	+/-0.4
Slovak	52	+/-39	0.0%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	63	+/-66	0.1%	+/-0.1
Swedish	861	+/-256	0.8%	+/-0.2
Swiss	254	+/-120	0.2%	+/-0.1
Ukrainian	12	+/-18	0.0%	+/-0.1
Welsh	585	+/-298	0.5%	+/-0.3
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	92	+/-127	0.1%	+/-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.