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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	Yell County, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	7,864	+/-230	7,864	(X)
Family households (families)	5,606	+/-255	71.3%	+/-2.8
With own children under 18 years	2,110	+/-222	26.8%	+/-2.6
Married-couple family	4,309	+/-238	54.8%	+/-2.7
With own children under 18 years	1,451	+/-165	18.5%	+/-2.1
Male householder, no wife present, family	562	+/-153	7.1%	+/-1.9
With own children under 18 years	219	+/-122	2.8%	+/-1.5
Female householder, no husband present, family	735	+/-165	9.3%	+/-2.1
With own children under 18 years	440	+/-119	5.6%	+/-1.5
Nonfamily households	2,258	+/-238	28.7%	+/-2.8
Householder living alone	1,877	+/-226	23.9%	+/-2.7
65 years and over	850	+/-155	10.8%	+/-2.0
Households with one or more people under 18 years	2,502	+/-222	31.8%	+/-2.6
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	2,317	+/-160	29.5%	+/-1.9
Average household size	2.75	+/-0.08	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.29	+/-0.12	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	21,651	+/-146	21,651	(X)
Householder	7,864	+/-230	36.3%	+/-1.0
Spouse	4,304	+/-236	19.9%	+/-1.1
Child	6,667	+/-415	30.8%	+/-1.9
Other relatives	1,883	+/-313	8.7%	+/-1.5
Nonrelatives	933	+/-217	4.3%	+/-1.0
Unmarried partner	325	+/-120	1.5%	+/-0.6
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	8,536	+/-82	8,536	(X)
Never married	2,328	+/-205	27.3%	+/-2.4
Now married, except separated	4,808	+/-306	56.3%	+/-3.5
Separated	171	+/-98	2.0%	+/-1.1
Widowed	216	+/-73	2.5%	+/-0.9

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Divorced	1,013	+/-224	11.9%	+/-2.6
Females 15 years and over	8,749	+/-73	8,749	(X)
Never married	1,600	+/-178	18.3%	+/-2.0
Now married, except separated	4,865	+/-265	55.6%	+/-3.1
Separated	193	+/-77	2.2%	+/-0.9
Widowed	922	+/-146	10.5%	+/-1.7
Divorced	1,169	+/-194	13.4%	+/-2.2
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	165	+/-70	165	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	84	+/-57	50.9%	+/-22.9
Per 1,000 unmarried women	40	+/-27	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	33	+/-14	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	15	+/-23	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	74	+/-34	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	5	+/-7	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	715	+/-206	715	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	405	+/-158	56.6%	+/-17.2
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	35	+/-32	4.9%	+/-4.7
1 or 2 years	167	+/-130	23.4%	+/-15.7
3 or 4 years	65	+/-56	9.1%	+/-8.3
5 or more years	138	+/-86	19.3%	+/-11.7
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	405	+/-158	405	(X)
Who are female	226	+/-91	55.8%	+/-6.0
Who are married	348	+/-155	85.9%	+/-10.4
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	5,296	+/-269	5,296	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	483	+/-122	9.1%	+/-2.2
Kindergarten	311	+/-126	5.9%	+/-2.4
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	2,525	+/-154	47.7%	+/-3.2
High school (grades 9-12)	1,196	+/-130	22.6%	+/-2.4
College or graduate school	781	+/-175	14.7%	+/-2.8
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	14,449	+/-53	14,449	(X)
Less than 9th grade	1,749	+/-284	12.1%	+/-2.0
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	2,265	+/-329	15.7%	+/-2.3
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	5,834	+/-407	40.4%	+/-2.8
Some college, no degree	2,751	+/-344	19.0%	+/-2.4
Associate's degree	444	+/-145	3.1%	+/-1.0
Bachelor's degree	1,011	+/-224	7.0%	+/-1.6
Graduate or professional degree	395	+/-102	2.7%	+/-0.7
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	72.2%	+/-2.9
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	9.7%	+/-1.7
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	16,276	+/-41	16,276	(X)
Civilian veterans	1,541	+/-213	9.5%	+/-1.3

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DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	21,732	+/-94	21,732	(X)
With a disability	4,680	+/-436	21.5%	+/-2.0
Under 18 years	5,721	+/-29	5,721	(X)
With a disability	302	+/-131	5.3%	+/-2.3
18 to 64 years	12,819	+/-76	12,819	(X)
With a disability	2,619	+/-343	20.4%	+/-2.7
65 years and over	3,192	+/-90	3,192	(X)
With a disability	1,759	+/-166	55.1%	+/-5.1
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	21,868	+/-77	21,868	(X)
Same house	19,029	+/-452	87.0%	+/-2.0
Different house in the U.S.	2,822	+/-452	12.9%	+/-2.1
Same county	1,826	+/-424	8.4%	+/-1.9
Different county	996	+/-312	4.6%	+/-1.4
Same state	747	+/-281	3.4%	+/-1.3
Different state	249	+/-114	1.1%	+/-0.5
Abroad	17	+/-25	0.1%	+/-0.1
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	22,033	*****	22,033	(X)
Native	19,296	+/-178	87.6%	+/-0.8
Born in United States	19,125	+/-211	86.8%	+/-1.0
State of residence	13,543	+/-559	61.5%	+/-2.5
Different state	5,582	+/-569	25.3%	+/-2.6
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	171	+/-108	0.8%	+/-0.5
Foreign born	2,737	+/-178	12.4%	+/-0.8
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	2,737	+/-178	2,737	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	461	+/-148	16.8%	+/-5.4
Not a U.S. citizen	2,276	+/-214	83.2%	+/-5.4
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	2,908	+/-211	2,908	(X)
Native	171	+/-108	171	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-17.2
Entered before 2010	171	+/-108	100.0%	+/-17.2
Foreign born	2,737	+/-178	2,737	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	38	+/-35	1.4%	+/-1.3
Entered before 2010	2,699	+/-186	98.6%	+/-1.3
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	2,737	+/-178	2,737	(X)
Europe	58	+/-56	2.1%	+/-2.0
Asia	211	+/-82	7.7%	+/-2.9
Africa	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-1.2
Oceania	3	+/-5	0.1%	+/-0.2
Latin America	2,465	+/-161	90.1%	+/-3.4
Northern America	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-1.2

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LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	20,503	+/-18	20,503	(X)
English only	16,704	+/-205	81.5%	+/-1.0
Language other than English	3,799	+/-204	18.5%	+/-1.0
Speak English less than "very well"	2,064	+/-206	10.1%	+/-1.0
Spanish	3,432	+/-191	16.7%	+/-0.9
Speak English less than "very well"	1,955	+/-205	9.5%	+/-1.0
Other Indo-European languages	164	+/-100	0.8%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	26	+/-32	0.1%	+/-0.2
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	200	+/-64	1.0%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	83	+/-40	0.4%	+/-0.2
Other languages	3	+/-4	0.0%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.2
ANCESTRY				
Total population	22,033	*****	22,033	(X)
American	1,862	+/-440	8.5%	+/-2.0
Arab	12	+/-19	0.1%	+/-0.1
Czech	53	+/-43	0.2%	+/-0.2
Danish	23	+/-36	0.1%	+/-0.2
Dutch	504	+/-169	2.3%	+/-0.8
English	1,394	+/-362	6.3%	+/-1.6
French (except Basque)	314	+/-149	1.4%	+/-0.7
French Canadian	59	+/-74	0.3%	+/-0.3
German	2,083	+/-436	9.5%	+/-2.0
Greek	17	+/-27	0.1%	+/-0.1
Hungarian	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.1
Irish	2,980	+/-402	13.5%	+/-1.8
Italian	462	+/-218	2.1%	+/-1.0
Lithuanian	16	+/-25	0.1%	+/-0.1
Norwegian	129	+/-84	0.6%	+/-0.4
Polish	151	+/-124	0.7%	+/-0.6
Portuguese	16	+/-19	0.1%	+/-0.1
Russian	11	+/-14	0.0%	+/-0.1
Scotch-Irish	144	+/-85	0.7%	+/-0.4
Scottish	155	+/-68	0.7%	+/-0.3
Slovak	0	+/-22	0.0%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	142	+/-43	0.6%	+/-0.2
Swedish	54	+/-42	0.2%	+/-0.2
Swiss	104	+/-97	0.5%	+/-0.4
Ukrainian	15	+/-22	0.1%	+/-0.1
Welsh	58	+/-42	0.3%	+/-0.2
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	153	+/-90	0.7%	+/-0.4

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.