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2006-2010 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, for 2010, the 2010 Census provides the official counts of the population and housing units for the nation, states, counties, cities and towns. For 2006 to 2009, the Population Estimates Program provides intercensal estimates of the population for the nation, states, and counties.

Subject	Mena city, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
<b>HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE</b>				
Total households	2,454	+/-183	2,454	(X)
Family households (families)	1,440	+/-138	58.7%	+/-5.4
With own children under 18 years	644	+/-111	26.2%	+/-4.9
Married-couple family	1,018	+/-151	41.5%	+/-5.4
With own children under 18 years	321	+/-103	13.1%	+/-4.2
Male householder, no wife present, family	179	+/-96	7.3%	+/-4.0
With own children under 18 years	156	+/-95	6.4%	+/-3.9
Female householder, no husband present, family	243	+/-85	9.9%	+/-3.7
With own children under 18 years	167	+/-76	6.8%	+/-3.2
Nonfamily households	1,014	+/-176	41.3%	+/-5.4
Householder living alone	845	+/-186	34.4%	+/-6.3
65 years and over	538	+/-143	21.9%	+/-5.2
Households with one or more people under 18 years	729	+/-122	29.7%	+/-5.4
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	1,053	+/-176	42.9%	+/-5.5
Average household size	2.26	+/-0.16	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.90	+/-0.23	(X)	(X)
<b>RELATIONSHIP</b>				
Population in households	5,535	+/-287	5,535	(X)
Householder	2,454	+/-183	44.3%	+/-3.1
Spouse	997	+/-141	18.0%	+/-2.5
Child	1,445	+/-237	26.1%	+/-3.8
Other relatives	301	+/-145	5.4%	+/-2.6
Nonrelatives	338	+/-151	6.1%	+/-2.7
Unmarried partner	127	+/-72	2.3%	+/-1.3
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>				
Males 15 years and over	2,066	+/-188	2,066	(X)
Never married	511	+/-165	24.7%	+/-7.1
Now married, except separated	1,123	+/-156	54.4%	+/-8.4
Separated	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-1.6
Widowed	138	+/-73	6.7%	+/-3.4
Divorced	294	+/-114	14.2%	+/-5.0
Females 15 years and over	2,458	+/-154	2,458	(X)

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Never married	297	+/-105	12.1%	+/-4.4
Now married, except separated	1,081	+/-162	44.0%	+/-6.1
Separated	76	+/-58	3.1%	+/-2.4
Widowed	494	+/-113	20.1%	+/-4.1
Divorced	510	+/-140	20.7%	+/-5.5
<b>FERTILITY</b>				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	96	+/-70	96	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	64	+/-65	66.7%	+/-35.6
Per 1,000 unmarried women	115	+/-112	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	90	+/-64	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/-223	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	226	+/-154	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	0	+/-60	(X)	(X)
<b>GRANDPARENTS</b>				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	93	+/-67	93	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	24	+/-27	25.8%	+/-22.2
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	15	+/-22	16.1%	+/-19.7
1 or 2 years	9	+/-15	9.7%	+/-16.2
3 or 4 years	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-28.7
5 or more years	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-28.7
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	24	+/-27	24	(X)
Who are female	9	+/-15	37.5%	+/-58.1
Who are married	15	+/-22	62.5%	+/-58.1
<b>SCHOOL ENROLLMENT</b>				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	1,272	+/-205	1,272	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	93	+/-72	7.3%	+/-5.9
Kindergarten	38	+/-45	3.0%	+/-3.4
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	669	+/-167	52.6%	+/-9.6
High school (grades 9-12)	271	+/-108	21.3%	+/-7.6
College or graduate school	201	+/-101	15.8%	+/-7.5
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>				
Population 25 years and over	3,969	+/-244	3,969	(X)
Less than 9th grade	201	+/-143	5.1%	+/-3.5
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	656	+/-170	16.5%	+/-4.2
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	1,362	+/-202	34.3%	+/-5.0
Some college, no degree	1,048	+/-184	26.4%	+/-4.1
Associate's degree	226	+/-78	5.7%	+/-2.0
Bachelor's degree	284	+/-89	7.2%	+/-2.2
Graduate or professional degree	192	+/-97	4.8%	+/-2.5
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	78.4%	+/-5.7
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	12.0%	+/-3.7
<b>VETERAN STATUS</b>				
Civilian population 18 years and over	4,344	+/-236	4,344	(X)
Civilian veterans	682	+/-144	15.7%	+/-3.1
<b>DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION</b>				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO</b>				
Population 1 year and over	5,611	+/-91	5,611	(X)

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Same house	4,489	+/-292	80.0%	+/-5.2
Different house in the U.S.	1,122	+/-294	20.0%	+/-5.2
Same county	874	+/-256	15.6%	+/-4.5
Different county	248	+/-119	4.4%	+/-2.1
Same state	140	+/-86	2.5%	+/-1.5
Different state	108	+/-73	1.9%	+/-1.3
Abroad	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.6
<b>PLACE OF BIRTH</b>				
Total population	5,768	+/-23	5,768	(X)
Native	5,680	+/-91	98.5%	+/-1.5
Born in United States	5,603	+/-111	97.1%	+/-1.9
State of residence	2,967	+/-388	51.4%	+/-6.7
Different state	2,636	+/-351	45.7%	+/-6.1
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	77	+/-69	1.3%	+/-1.2
Foreign born	88	+/-87	1.5%	+/-1.5
<b>U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS</b>				
Foreign-born population	88	+/-87	88	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	88	+/-87	100.0%	+/-29.9
Not a U.S. citizen	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-29.9
<b>YEAR OF ENTRY</b>				
Population born outside the United States	165	+/-109	165	(X)
Native	77	+/-69	77	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	42	+/-60	54.5%	+/-48.1
Entered before 2000	35	+/-31	45.5%	+/-48.1
Foreign born	88	+/-87	88	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-29.9
Entered before 2000	88	+/-87	100.0%	+/-29.9
<b>WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN</b>				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	88	+/-87	88	(X)
Europe	22	+/-30	25.0%	+/-46.1
Asia	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-29.9
Africa	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-29.9
Oceania	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-29.9
Latin America	66	+/-83	75.0%	+/-46.1
Northern America	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-29.9
<b>LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME</b>				
Population 5 years and over	5,266	+/-136	5,266	(X)
English only	5,094	+/-164	96.7%	+/-1.8
Language other than English	172	+/-95	3.3%	+/-1.8
Speak English less than "very well"	109	+/-92	2.1%	+/-1.7
Spanish	126	+/-85	2.4%	+/-1.6
Speak English less than "very well"	97	+/-91	1.8%	+/-1.7
Other Indo-European languages	46	+/-47	0.9%	+/-0.9
Speak English less than "very well"	12	+/-19	0.2%	+/-0.4
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.6
Other languages	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.6
<b>ANCESTRY</b>				
Total population	5,768	+/-23	5,768	(X)
American	859	+/-261	14.9%	+/-4.5
Arab	38	+/-62	0.7%	+/-1.1
Czech	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.6
Danish	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.6
Dutch	98	+/-84	1.7%	+/-1.5
English	439	+/-174	7.6%	+/-3.0
French (except Basque)	250	+/-118	4.3%	+/-2.0

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French Canadian	18	+/-31	0.3%	+/-0.5
German	795	+/-181	13.8%	+/-3.1
Greek	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.6
Hungarian	20	+/-25	0.3%	+/-0.4
Irish	1,065	+/-254	18.5%	+/-4.4
Italian	188	+/-122	3.3%	+/-2.1
Lithuanian	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.6
Norwegian	13	+/-21	0.2%	+/-0.4
Polish	52	+/-52	0.9%	+/-0.9
Portuguese	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.6
Russian	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.6
Scotch-Irish	139	+/-76	2.4%	+/-1.3
Scottish	25	+/-24	0.4%	+/-0.4
Slovak	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.6
Subsaharan African	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-0.6
Swedish	9	+/-14	0.2%	+/-0.2
Swiss	83	+/-139	1.4%	+/-2.4
Ukrainian	16	+/-24	0.3%	+/-0.4
Welsh	21	+/-28	0.4%	+/-0.5
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	0	+/-119	0.0%	+/-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.

While the 2006-2010 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, 2006-2010 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.