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2007-2011 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	Barling city, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	1,834	+/-202	1,834	(X)
Family households (families)	1,147	+/-131	62.5%	+/-9.4
With own children under 18 years	469	+/-125	25.6%	+/-7.9
Married-couple family	720	+/-157	39.3%	+/-9.1
With own children under 18 years	294	+/-118	16.0%	+/-6.7
Male householder, no wife present, family	113	+/-74	6.2%	+/-4.0
With own children under 18 years	32	+/-30	1.7%	+/-1.6
Female householder, no husband present, family	314	+/-109	17.1%	+/-6.5
With own children under 18 years	143	+/-91	7.8%	+/-5.3
Nonfamily households	687	+/-228	37.5%	+/-9.4
Householder living alone	639	+/-228	34.8%	+/-9.6
65 years and over	292	+/-154	15.9%	+/-7.5
Households with one or more people under 18 years	614	+/-95	33.5%	+/-7.7
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	467	+/-156	25.5%	+/-7.2
Average household size	2.46	+/-0.27	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.17	+/-0.31	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	4,510	+/-95	4,510	(X)
Householder	1,834	+/-202	40.7%	+/-4.4
Spouse	740	+/-159	16.4%	+/-3.5
Child	1,280	+/-267	28.4%	+/-5.8
Other relatives	473	+/-265	10.5%	+/-5.9
Nonrelatives	183	+/-104	4.1%	+/-2.3
Unmarried partner	104	+/-78	2.3%	+/-1.7
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	1,651	+/-194	1,651	(X)
Never married	595	+/-164	36.0%	+/-8.4
Now married, except separated	743	+/-167	45.0%	+/-10.8
Separated	6	+/-13	0.4%	+/-0.8
Widowed	24	+/-27	1.5%	+/-1.7
Divorced	283	+/-158	17.1%	+/-8.5
Females 15 years and over	1,891	+/-240	1,891	(X)
Never married	533	+/-182	28.2%	+/-8.9

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Now married, except separated	805	+/-166	42.6%	+/-8.4
Separated	103	+/-117	5.4%	+/-6.0
Widowed	308	+/-138	16.3%	+/-7.2
Divorced	142	+/-109	7.5%	+/-5.6
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	127	+/-114	127	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	53	+/-77	41.7%	+/-56.6
Per 1,000 unmarried women	97	+/-144	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	109	+/-97	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/-104	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	272	+/-200	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	0	+/-78	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	225	+/-157	225	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	191	+/-159	84.9%	+/-23.5
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	71	+/-83	31.6%	+/-38.0
1 or 2 years	120	+/-144	53.3%	+/-42.5
3 or 4 years	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-13.4
5 or more years	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-13.4
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	191	+/-159	191	(X)
Who are female	90	+/-85	47.1%	+/-23.3
Who are married	120	+/-144	62.8%	+/-46.0
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	1,076	+/-277	1,076	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	90	+/-81	8.4%	+/-7.0
Kindergarten	159	+/-122	14.8%	+/-11.1
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	343	+/-168	31.9%	+/-13.4
High school (grades 9-12)	330	+/-164	30.7%	+/-14.8
College or graduate school	154	+/-145	14.3%	+/-12.4
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	2,651	+/-277	2,651	(X)
Less than 9th grade	203	+/-114	7.7%	+/-4.2
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	289	+/-138	10.9%	+/-4.8
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	1,047	+/-259	39.5%	+/-8.0
Some college, no degree	652	+/-200	24.6%	+/-8.4
Associate's degree	138	+/-77	5.2%	+/-2.8
Bachelor's degree	270	+/-136	10.2%	+/-5.1
Graduate or professional degree	52	+/-49	2.0%	+/-1.8
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	81.4%	+/-7.3
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	12.1%	+/-5.5
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	3,365	+/-269	3,365	(X)
Civilian veterans	515	+/-163	15.3%	+/-4.8
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
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)
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	4,516	+/-82	4,516	(X)
Same house	3,755	+/-397	83.1%	+/-8.9

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Different house in the U.S.	761	+/-401	16.9%	+/-8.9
Same county	553	+/-376	12.2%	+/-8.3
Different county	208	+/-132	4.6%	+/-2.9
Same state	119	+/-93	2.6%	+/-2.1
Different state	89	+/-90	2.0%	+/-2.0
Abroad	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.7
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	4,613	+/-25	4,613	(X)
Native	4,388	+/-128	95.1%	+/-2.6
Born in United States	4,368	+/-130	94.7%	+/-2.7
State of residence	2,403	+/-356	52.1%	+/-7.7
Different state	1,965	+/-346	42.6%	+/-7.5
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	20	+/-31	0.4%	+/-0.7
Foreign born	225	+/-121	4.9%	+/-2.6
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	225	+/-121	225	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	183	+/-105	81.3%	+/-24.7
Not a U.S. citizen	42	+/-63	18.7%	+/-24.7
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	245	+/-124	245	(X)
Native	20	+/-31	20	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-66.3
Entered before 2000	20	+/-31	100.0%	+/-66.3
Foreign born	225	+/-121	225	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	11	+/-18	4.9%	+/-8.8
Entered before 2000	214	+/-122	95.1%	+/-8.8
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	225	+/-121	225	(X)
Europe	13	+/-21	5.8%	+/-10.5
Asia	170	+/-106	75.6%	+/-25.8
Africa	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-13.4
Oceania	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-13.4
Latin America	42	+/-63	18.7%	+/-24.7
Northern America	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-13.4
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	4,100	+/-189	4,100	(X)
English only	3,850	+/-248	93.9%	+/-4.4
Language other than English	250	+/-181	6.1%	+/-4.4
Speak English less than "very well"	127	+/-104	3.1%	+/-2.6
Spanish	100	+/-151	2.4%	+/-3.7
Speak English less than "very well"	16	+/-23	0.4%	+/-0.6
Other Indo-European languages	9	+/-14	0.2%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.8
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	141	+/-101	3.4%	+/-2.5
Speak English less than "very well"	111	+/-102	2.7%	+/-2.5
Other languages	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.8
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.8
ANCESTRY				
Total population	4,613	+/-25	4,613	(X)
American	335	+/-194	7.3%	+/-4.2
Arab	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.7
Czech	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.7
Danish	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.7
Dutch	50	+/-38	1.1%	+/-0.8
English	883	+/-351	19.1%	+/-7.6
French (except Basque)	274	+/-193	5.9%	+/-4.2
French Canadian	9	+/-14	0.2%	+/-0.3
German	873	+/-325	18.9%	+/-7.0

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Greek	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.7
Hungarian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.7
Irish	971	+/-465	21.0%	+/-10.1
Italian	34	+/-41	0.7%	+/-0.9
Lithuanian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.7
Norwegian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.7
Polish	132	+/-115	2.9%	+/-2.5
Portuguese	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.7
Russian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.7
Scotch-Irish	54	+/-52	1.2%	+/-1.1
Scottish	186	+/-155	4.0%	+/-3.4
Slovak	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.7
Subsaharan African	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.7
Swedish	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.7
Swiss	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.7
Ukrainian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.7
Welsh	54	+/-70	1.2%	+/-1.5
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-0.7

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 2007-2011 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, 2007-2011 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.