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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	Dyess town, Arkansas			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	147	+/-40	147	(X)
Family households (families)	134	+/-41	91.2%	+/-7.6
With own children under 18 years	83	+/-37	56.5%	+/-14.3
Married-couple family	100	+/-39	68.0%	+/-13.8
With own children under 18 years	76	+/-36	51.7%	+/-14.9
Male householder, no wife present, family	9	+/-8	6.1%	+/-5.5
With own children under 18 years	5	+/-5	3.4%	+/-3.9
Female householder, no husband present, family	25	+/-18	17.0%	+/-11.3
With own children under 18 years	2	+/-4	1.4%	+/-3.1
Nonfamily households	13	+/-11	8.8%	+/-7.6
Householder living alone	11	+/-11	7.5%	+/-7.5
65 years and over	5	+/-6	3.4%	+/-4.1
Households with one or more people under 18 years	90	+/-38	61.2%	+/-14.1
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	28	+/-16	19.0%	+/-10.7
Average household size	3.32	+/-0.43	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.50	+/-0.43	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	488	+/-153	488	(X)
Householder	147	+/-40	30.1%	+/-3.8
Spouse	96	+/-39	19.7%	+/-4.4
Child	205	+/-77	42.0%	+/-5.5
Other relatives	34	+/-25	7.0%	+/-4.6
Nonrelatives	6	+/-8	1.2%	+/-1.5
Unmarried partner	2	+/-4	0.4%	+/-0.8
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	159	+/-51	159	(X)
Never married	39	+/-21	24.5%	+/-11.4
Now married, except separated	108	+/-41	67.9%	+/-12.8
Separated	3	+/-4	1.9%	+/-2.5
Widowed	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-18.4
Divorced	9	+/-15	5.7%	+/-8.9
Females 15 years and over	187	+/-64	187	(X)
Never married	38	+/-32	20.3%	+/-13.0

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Now married, except separated	109	+/-43	58.3%	+/-17.6
Separated	8	+/-11	4.3%	+/-6.2
Widowed	13	+/-11	7.0%	+/-6.4
Divorced	19	+/-17	10.2%	+/-8.0
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	17	+/-18	17	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	11	+/-16	64.7%	+/-49.4
Per 1,000 unmarried women	282	+/-240	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	140	+/-112	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/-938	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	258	+/-188	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	0	+/-442	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	9	+/-11	9	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	2	+/-4	22.2%	+/-52.3
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	2	+/-4	22.2%	+/-52.3
1 or 2 years	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-98.9
3 or 4 years	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-98.9
5 or more years	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-98.9
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	2	+/-4	2	(X)
Who are female	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-100.0
Who are married	2	+/-4	100.0%	+/-100.0
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	147	+/-61	147	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-19.7
Kindergarten	12	+/-11	8.2%	+/-6.7
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	94	+/-49	63.9%	+/-13.6
High school (grades 9-12)	24	+/-15	16.3%	+/-9.4
College or graduate school	17	+/-14	11.6%	+/-9.1
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	278	+/-87	278	(X)
Less than 9th grade	24	+/-18	8.6%	+/-6.2
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	44	+/-27	15.8%	+/-8.4
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	147	+/-49	52.9%	+/-9.8
Some college, no degree	47	+/-34	16.9%	+/-9.5
Associate's degree	7	+/-8	2.5%	+/-2.7
Bachelor's degree	2	+/-3	0.7%	+/-1.1
Graduate or professional degree	7	+/-11	2.5%	+/-3.6
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	75.5%	+/-12.1
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	3.2%	+/-3.9
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	331	+/-102	331	(X)
Civilian veterans	20	+/-22	6.0%	+/-6.0
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	476	+/-148	476	(X)
Same house	360	+/-138	75.6%	+/-12.6

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Different house in the U.S.	97	+/-58	20.4%	+/-11.8
Same county	66	+/-51	13.9%	+/-10.3
Different county	31	+/-31	6.5%	+/-6.7
Same state	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.6
Different state	31	+/-31	6.5%	+/-6.7
Abroad	19	+/-34	4.0%	+/-6.9
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	488	+/-153	488	(X)
Native	460	+/-145	94.3%	+/-7.2
Born in United States	460	+/-145	94.3%	+/-7.2
State of residence	340	+/-113	69.7%	+/-11.2
Different state	120	+/-60	24.6%	+/-9.0
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.4
Foreign born	28	+/-36	5.7%	+/-7.2
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	28	+/-36	28	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-56.0
Not a U.S. citizen	28	+/-36	100.0%	+/-56.0
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	28	+/-36	28	(X)
Native	0	+/-89	0	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	0	+/-89	-	**
Entered before 2000	0	+/-89	-	**
Foreign born	28	+/-36	28	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	19	+/-34	67.9%	+/-54.7
Entered before 2000	9	+/-13	32.1%	+/-54.7
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	28	+/-36	28	(X)
Europe	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-56.0
Asia	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-56.0
Africa	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-56.0
Oceania	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-56.0
Latin America	28	+/-36	100.0%	+/-56.0
Northern America	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-56.0
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	456	+/-143	456	(X)
English only	404	+/-134	88.6%	+/-11.4
Language other than English	52	+/-54	11.4%	+/-11.4
Speak English less than "very well"	36	+/-36	7.9%	+/-7.6
Spanish	52	+/-54	11.4%	+/-11.4
Speak English less than "very well"	36	+/-36	7.9%	+/-7.6
Other Indo-European languages	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.9
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.9
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.9
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.9
Other languages	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.9
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.9
ANCESTRY				
Total population	488	+/-153	488	(X)
American	34	+/-24	7.0%	+/-5.4
Arab	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.4
Czech	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.4
Danish	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.4
Dutch	14	+/-23	2.9%	+/-4.6
English	91	+/-81	18.6%	+/-13.5
French (except Basque)	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.4
French Canadian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.4
German	27	+/-31	5.5%	+/-6.2

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Greek	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.4
Hungarian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.4
Irish	87	+/-65	17.8%	+/-11.3
Italian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.4
Lithuanian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.4
Norwegian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.4
Polish	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.4
Portuguese	6	+/-9	1.2%	+/-1.9
Russian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.4
Scotch-Irish	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.4
Scottish	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.4
Slovak	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.4
Subsaharan African	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.4
Swedish	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.4
Swiss	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.4
Ukrainian	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.4
Welsh	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.4
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	0	+/-89	0.0%	+/-6.4

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.

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.