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SELECTED SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS IN THE UNITED STATES

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	Lubbock County, Texas			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
<b>HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE</b>				
Total households	102,170	+/-972	102,170	(X)
Family households (families)	64,941	+/-968	63.6%	+/-0.9
With own children under 18 years	29,851	+/-819	29.2%	+/-0.8
Married-couple family	46,685	+/-973	45.7%	+/-1.0
With own children under 18 years	19,642	+/-816	19.2%	+/-0.8
Male householder, no wife present, family	4,432	+/-454	4.3%	+/-0.4
With own children under 18 years	2,103	+/-332	2.1%	+/-0.3
Female householder, no husband present, family	13,824	+/-651	13.5%	+/-0.6
With own children under 18 years	8,106	+/-586	7.9%	+/-0.6
Nonfamily households	37,229	+/-1,073	36.4%	+/-0.9
Householder living alone	27,879	+/-996	27.3%	+/-0.9
65 years and over	7,832	+/-442	7.7%	+/-0.4
Households with one or more people under 18 years	34,014	+/-816	33.3%	+/-0.8
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	21,183	+/-349	20.7%	+/-0.4
Average household size	2.53	+/-0.02	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.11	+/-0.03	(X)	(X)
<b>RELATIONSHIP</b>				
Population in households	258,272	+/-1,201	258,272	(X)
Householder	102,170	+/-972	39.6%	+/-0.3
Spouse	46,633	+/-1,009	18.1%	+/-0.4
Child	72,352	+/-1,272	28.0%	+/-0.5
Other relatives	17,793	+/-1,215	6.9%	+/-0.5
Nonrelatives	19,324	+/-1,271	7.5%	+/-0.5
Unmarried partner	6,197	+/-579	2.4%	+/-0.2
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>				
Males 15 years and over	105,300	+/-55	105,300	(X)
Never married	41,231	+/-922	39.2%	+/-0.9
Now married, except separated	49,748	+/-1,137	47.2%	+/-1.1
Separated	2,080	+/-344	2.0%	+/-0.3
Widowed	2,390	+/-258	2.3%	+/-0.2
Divorced	9,851	+/-700	9.4%	+/-0.7
Females 15 years and over	109,865	+/-39	109,865	(X)
Never married	34,306	+/-825	31.2%	+/-0.7

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Now married, except separated	49,457	+/-1,078	45.0%	+/-1.0
Separated	3,075	+/-355	2.8%	+/-0.3
Widowed	9,463	+/-485	8.6%	+/-0.4
Divorced	13,564	+/-724	12.3%	+/-0.7
<b>FERTILITY</b>				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	4,447	+/-488	4,447	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	2,152	+/-380	48.4%	+/-6.7
Per 1,000 unmarried women	53	+/-9	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	61	+/-7	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	43	+/-13	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	101	+/-13	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	16	+/-5	(X)	(X)
<b>GRANDPARENTS</b>				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	6,872	+/-597	6,872	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	4,482	+/-546	65.2%	+/-4.6
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	1,214	+/-343	17.7%	+/-4.4
1 or 2 years	902	+/-264	13.1%	+/-3.6
3 or 4 years	652	+/-273	9.5%	+/-3.8
5 or more years	1,714	+/-338	24.9%	+/-5.0
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	4,482	+/-546	4,482	(X)
Who are female	2,562	+/-310	57.2%	+/-3.5
Who are married	3,353	+/-512	74.8%	+/-5.8
<b>SCHOOL ENROLLMENT</b>				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	88,312	+/-1,343	88,312	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	4,241	+/-447	4.8%	+/-0.5
Kindergarten	4,200	+/-479	4.8%	+/-0.5
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	28,037	+/-585	31.7%	+/-0.8
High school (grades 9-12)	13,699	+/-514	15.5%	+/-0.6
College or graduate school	38,135	+/-1,317	43.2%	+/-1.0
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>				
Population 25 years and over	157,203	+/-86	157,203	(X)
Less than 9th grade	11,280	+/-750	7.2%	+/-0.5
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	14,860	+/-967	9.5%	+/-0.6
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	42,305	+/-1,202	26.9%	+/-0.8
Some college, no degree	36,630	+/-1,266	23.3%	+/-0.8
Associate's degree	8,952	+/-729	5.7%	+/-0.5
Bachelor's degree	28,220	+/-1,085	18.0%	+/-0.7
Graduate or professional degree	14,956	+/-833	9.5%	+/-0.5
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	83.4%	+/-0.6
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	27.5%	+/-0.8
<b>VETERAN STATUS</b>				
Civilian population 18 years and over	204,576	+/-92	204,576	(X)
Civilian veterans	17,378	+/-858	8.5%	+/-0.4
<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	266,288	+/-378	266,288	(X)
Same house	198,046	+/-2,825	74.4%	+/-1.1

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Different house in the U.S.	67,107	+/-2,844	25.2%	+/-1.1
Same county	44,740	+/-2,329	16.8%	+/-0.9
Different county	22,367	+/-1,706	8.4%	+/-0.6
Same state	17,411	+/-1,688	6.5%	+/-0.6
Different state	4,956	+/-812	1.9%	+/-0.3
Abroad	1,135	+/-300	0.4%	+/-0.1
<b>PLACE OF BIRTH</b>				
Total population	269,932	*****	269,932	(X)
Native	255,932	+/-1,130	94.8%	+/-0.4
Born in United States	253,759	+/-1,171	94.0%	+/-0.4
State of residence	204,667	+/-2,048	75.8%	+/-0.8
Different state	49,092	+/-1,740	18.2%	+/-0.6
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	2,173	+/-334	0.8%	+/-0.1
Foreign born	14,000	+/-1,130	5.2%	+/-0.4
<b>U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS</b>				
Foreign-born population	14,000	+/-1,130	14,000	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	4,777	+/-440	34.1%	+/-3.2
Not a U.S. citizen	9,223	+/-1,023	65.9%	+/-3.2
<b>YEAR OF ENTRY</b>				
Population born outside the United States	16,173	+/-1,171	16,173	(X)
Native	2,173	+/-334	2,173	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	303	+/-140	13.9%	+/-6.0
Entered before 2000	1,870	+/-312	86.1%	+/-6.0
Foreign born	14,000	+/-1,130	14,000	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	5,314	+/-739	38.0%	+/-3.6
Entered before 2000	8,686	+/-747	62.0%	+/-3.6
<b>WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN</b>				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	14,000	+/-1,130	14,000	(X)
Europe	955	+/-244	6.8%	+/-1.7
Asia	3,968	+/-424	28.3%	+/-3.2
Africa	271	+/-94	1.9%	+/-0.7
Oceania	98	+/-73	0.7%	+/-0.5
Latin America	8,297	+/-1,026	59.3%	+/-3.8
Northern America	411	+/-130	2.9%	+/-1.0
<b>LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME</b>				
Population 5 years and over	250,641	+/-42	250,641	(X)
English only	196,112	+/-1,564	78.2%	+/-0.6
Language other than English	54,529	+/-1,557	21.8%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	14,566	+/-1,126	5.8%	+/-0.4
Spanish	47,864	+/-1,390	19.1%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	12,786	+/-1,082	5.1%	+/-0.4
Other Indo-European languages	3,409	+/-568	1.4%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	695	+/-230	0.3%	+/-0.1
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	2,792	+/-450	1.1%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	1,037	+/-241	0.4%	+/-0.1
Other languages	464	+/-233	0.2%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	48	+/-47	0.0%	+/-0.1
<b>ANCESTRY</b>				
Total population	269,932	*****	269,932	(X)
American	17,518	+/-1,241	6.5%	+/-0.5
Arab	736	+/-376	0.3%	+/-0.1
Czech	1,498	+/-394	0.6%	+/-0.1
Danish	831	+/-291	0.3%	+/-0.1
Dutch	3,198	+/-482	1.2%	+/-0.2
English	23,328	+/-1,142	8.6%	+/-0.4
French (except Basque)	6,099	+/-749	2.3%	+/-0.3
French Canadian	304	+/-113	0.1%	+/-0.1
German	31,453	+/-1,502	11.7%	+/-0.6

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Greek	219	+/-108	0.1%	+/-0.1
Hungarian	182	+/-105	0.1%	+/-0.1
Irish	26,249	+/-1,535	9.7%	+/-0.6
Italian	3,910	+/-498	1.4%	+/-0.2
Lithuanian	210	+/-97	0.1%	+/-0.1
Norwegian	1,507	+/-338	0.6%	+/-0.1
Polish	2,181	+/-389	0.8%	+/-0.1
Portuguese	272	+/-136	0.1%	+/-0.1
Russian	662	+/-213	0.2%	+/-0.1
Scotch-Irish	6,143	+/-565	2.3%	+/-0.2
Scottish	6,031	+/-692	2.2%	+/-0.3
Slovak	66	+/-52	0.0%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	800	+/-253	0.3%	+/-0.1
Swedish	1,783	+/-413	0.7%	+/-0.2
Swiss	367	+/-263	0.1%	+/-0.1
Ukrainian	116	+/-75	0.0%	+/-0.1
Welsh	1,421	+/-319	0.5%	+/-0.1
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	588	+/-231	0.2%	+/-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.

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.