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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	Lubbock city, Texas			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	86,074	+/-933	86,074	(X)
Family households (families)	52,070	+/-897	60.5%	+/-1.0
With own children under 18 years	23,833	+/-803	27.7%	+/-0.9
Married-couple family	36,538	+/-878	42.4%	+/-1.1
With own children under 18 years	15,183	+/-694	17.6%	+/-0.8
Male householder, no wife present, family	3,698	+/-444	4.3%	+/-0.5
With own children under 18 years	1,797	+/-319	2.1%	+/-0.4
Female householder, no husband present, family	11,834	+/-608	13.7%	+/-0.7
With own children under 18 years	6,853	+/-556	8.0%	+/-0.6
Nonfamily households	34,004	+/-1,016	39.5%	+/-1.0
Householder living alone	25,185	+/-941	29.3%	+/-1.0
65 years and over	6,730	+/-420	7.8%	+/-0.5
Households with one or more people under 18 years	27,213	+/-800	31.6%	+/-0.9
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	17,332	+/-383	20.1%	+/-0.5
Average household size	2.46	+/-0.02	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.07	+/-0.04	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	211,786	+/-1,175	211,786	(X)
Householder	86,074	+/-933	40.6%	+/-0.4
Spouse	36,500	+/-936	17.2%	+/-0.4
Child	57,296	+/-1,309	27.1%	+/-0.6
Other relatives	13,973	+/-1,042	6.6%	+/-0.5
Nonrelatives	17,943	+/-1,188	8.5%	+/-0.5
Unmarried partner	5,710	+/-566	2.7%	+/-0.3
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	87,158	+/-514	87,158	(X)
Never married	36,749	+/-942	42.2%	+/-1.0
Now married, except separated	38,972	+/-1,001	44.7%	+/-1.2
Separated	1,789	+/-337	2.1%	+/-0.4
Widowed	1,939	+/-232	2.2%	+/-0.3
Divorced	7,709	+/-640	8.8%	+/-0.7
Females 15 years and over	91,675	+/-449	91,675	(X)
Never married	30,848	+/-839	33.6%	+/-0.9

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Now married, except separated	38,793	+/-914	42.3%	+/-1.0
Separated	2,488	+/-332	2.7%	+/-0.4
Widowed	7,997	+/-459	8.7%	+/-0.5
Divorced	11,549	+/-678	12.6%	+/-0.7
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	3,942	+/-463	3,942	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	2,038	+/-382	51.7%	+/-7.2
Per 1,000 unmarried women	56	+/-10	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	64	+/-8	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	48	+/-16	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	101	+/-14	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	16	+/-6	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	5,089	+/-557	5,089	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	3,339	+/-509	65.6%	+/-5.2
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	894	+/-303	17.6%	+/-5.1
1 or 2 years	764	+/-260	15.0%	+/-4.8
3 or 4 years	409	+/-174	8.0%	+/-3.2
5 or more years	1,272	+/-302	25.0%	+/-5.7
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	3,339	+/-509	3,339	(X)
Who are female	1,961	+/-294	58.7%	+/-4.1
Who are married	2,437	+/-481	73.0%	+/-7.1
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	74,856	+/-1,538	74,856	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	3,699	+/-415	4.9%	+/-0.5
Kindergarten	3,397	+/-403	4.5%	+/-0.5
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	20,978	+/-777	28.0%	+/-0.9
High school (grades 9-12)	10,544	+/-587	14.1%	+/-0.8
College or graduate school	36,238	+/-1,309	48.4%	+/-1.2
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	127,076	+/-673	127,076	(X)
Less than 9th grade	8,906	+/-685	7.0%	+/-0.5
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	11,260	+/-793	8.9%	+/-0.6
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	32,013	+/-947	25.2%	+/-0.7
Some college, no degree	29,932	+/-1,191	23.6%	+/-0.9
Associate's degree	7,452	+/-675	5.9%	+/-0.5
Bachelor's degree	24,192	+/-972	19.0%	+/-0.8
Graduate or professional degree	13,321	+/-839	10.5%	+/-0.6
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	84.1%	+/-0.7
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	29.5%	+/-0.9
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	170,753	+/-629	170,753	(X)
Civilian veterans	13,944	+/-725	8.2%	+/-0.4
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	219,076	+/-372	219,076	(X)
Same house	157,795	+/-2,566	72.0%	+/-1.2

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Different house in the U.S.	60,310	+/-2,622	27.5%	+/-1.2
Same county	40,157	+/-2,201	18.3%	+/-1.0
Different county	20,153	+/-1,569	9.2%	+/-0.7
Same state	15,683	+/-1,610	7.2%	+/-0.7
Different state	4,470	+/-759	2.0%	+/-0.3
Abroad	971	+/-303	0.4%	+/-0.1
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	222,272	+/-60	222,272	(X)
Native	209,868	+/-1,021	94.4%	+/-0.5
Born in United States	207,983	+/-1,061	93.6%	+/-0.5
State of residence	167,314	+/-1,789	75.3%	+/-0.8
Different state	40,669	+/-1,486	18.3%	+/-0.7
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	1,885	+/-314	0.8%	+/-0.1
Foreign born	12,404	+/-1,024	5.6%	+/-0.5
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	12,404	+/-1,024	12,404	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	4,322	+/-415	34.8%	+/-3.3
Not a U.S. citizen	8,082	+/-917	65.2%	+/-3.3
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	14,289	+/-1,065	14,289	(X)
Native	1,885	+/-314	1,885	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	240	+/-126	12.7%	+/-6.2
Entered before 2000	1,645	+/-291	87.3%	+/-6.2
Foreign born	12,404	+/-1,024	12,404	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	4,655	+/-673	37.5%	+/-3.8
Entered before 2000	7,749	+/-716	62.5%	+/-3.8
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	12,404	+/-1,024	12,404	(X)
Europe	897	+/-242	7.2%	+/-1.8
Asia	3,924	+/-412	31.6%	+/-3.4
Africa	271	+/-94	2.2%	+/-0.7
Oceania	64	+/-55	0.5%	+/-0.4
Latin America	6,866	+/-901	55.4%	+/-4.0
Northern America	382	+/-125	3.1%	+/-1.1
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	205,898	+/-430	205,898	(X)
English only	160,089	+/-1,649	77.8%	+/-0.8
Language other than English	45,809	+/-1,618	22.2%	+/-0.8
Speak English less than "very well"	11,988	+/-975	5.8%	+/-0.5
Spanish	39,361	+/-1,511	19.1%	+/-0.7
Speak English less than "very well"	10,222	+/-900	5.0%	+/-0.4
Other Indo-European languages	3,276	+/-579	1.6%	+/-0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	688	+/-229	0.3%	+/-0.1
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	2,724	+/-425	1.3%	+/-0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	1,037	+/-241	0.5%	+/-0.1
Other languages	448	+/-233	0.2%	+/-0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	41	+/-46	0.0%	+/-0.1
ANCESTRY				
Total population	222,272	+/-60	222,272	(X)
American	13,599	+/-1,011	6.1%	+/-0.5
Arab	731	+/-377	0.3%	+/-0.2
Czech	1,266	+/-374	0.6%	+/-0.2
Danish	685	+/-261	0.3%	+/-0.1
Dutch	2,473	+/-388	1.1%	+/-0.2
English	19,524	+/-1,054	8.8%	+/-0.5
French (except Basque)	4,891	+/-668	2.2%	+/-0.3
French Canadian	269	+/-112	0.1%	+/-0.1
German	25,521	+/-1,534	11.5%	+/-0.7

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Greek	207	+/-105	0.1%	+/-0.1
Hungarian	164	+/-102	0.1%	+/-0.1
Irish	21,166	+/-1,250	9.5%	+/-0.6
Italian	3,236	+/-519	1.5%	+/-0.2
Lithuanian	202	+/-97	0.1%	+/-0.1
Norwegian	1,301	+/-295	0.6%	+/-0.1
Polish	2,003	+/-403	0.9%	+/-0.2
Portuguese	229	+/-129	0.1%	+/-0.1
Russian	583	+/-198	0.3%	+/-0.1
Scotch-Irish	5,240	+/-491	2.4%	+/-0.2
Scottish	5,187	+/-632	2.3%	+/-0.3
Slovak	64	+/-53	0.0%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	800	+/-253	0.4%	+/-0.1
Swedish	1,409	+/-400	0.6%	+/-0.2
Swiss	367	+/-263	0.2%	+/-0.1
Ukrainian	110	+/-74	0.0%	+/-0.1
Welsh	1,248	+/-315	0.6%	+/-0.1
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	408	+/-153	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.