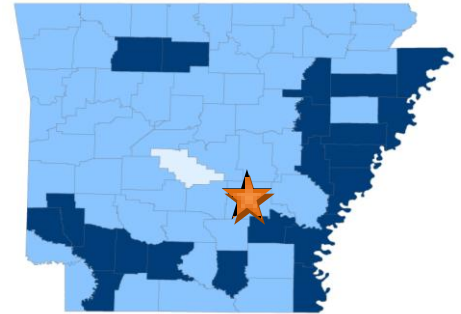
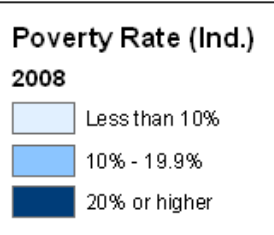
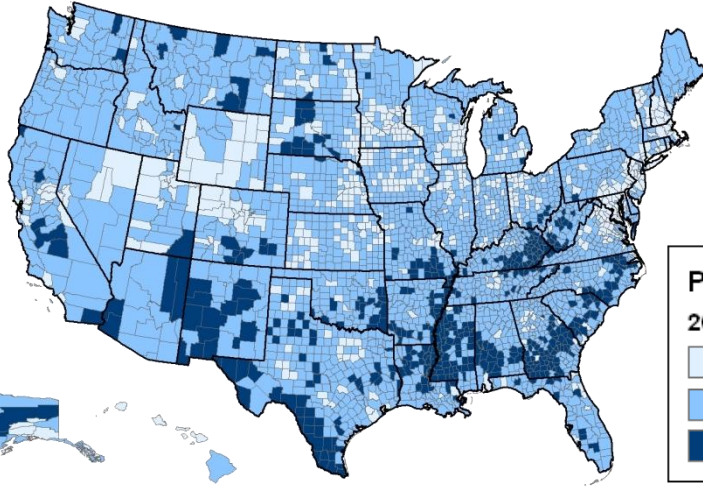




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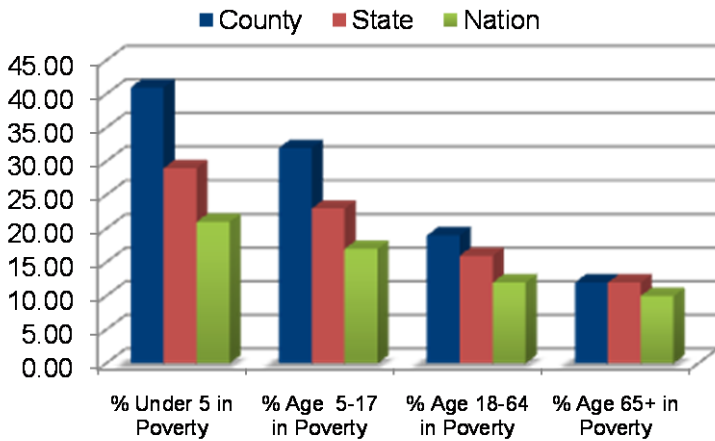
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Jefferson County, Arkansas

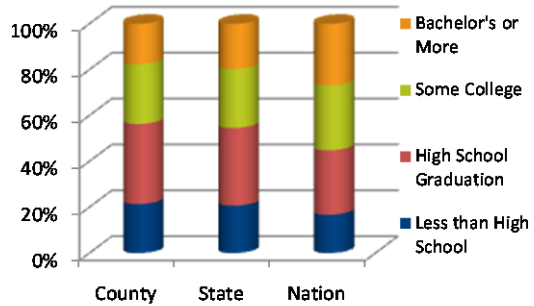


Source: U.S. Census, SAIGE

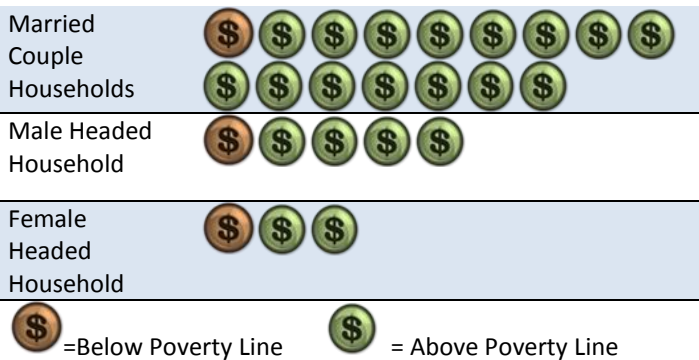
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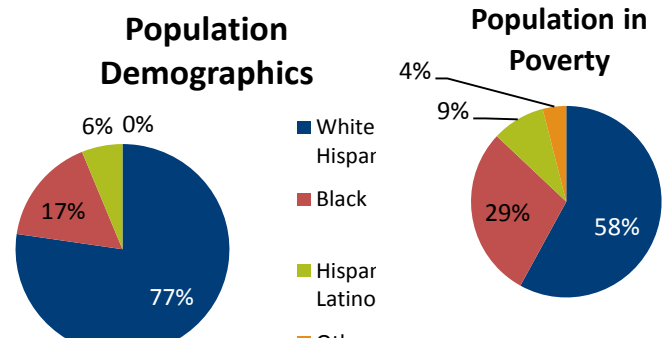
Educational Attainment - 2009



Ratio of Families in Poverty: State 2006-08



Poverty by Race and Ethnicity: State 2009



Demographics

Source information: U.S. Census Data

	County		State		Nation	
	2000	2009	2000	2009	2000	2009
Population	84,278	78,705	2,673,400	2,889,450	281,417,617	301,237,703
% White Non-Hispanic	48%	43%	79%	75%	69%	65%
% Black Non-Hispanic	49%	53%	16%	16%	12%	12%
% Hispanic	1%	2%	3%	6%	13%	16%
% Age 0-24	37%	35%	35%	34%	35%	34%
% Age 25-64	50%	51%	51%	52%	52%	53%
% Age 65+	13%	14%	14%	14%	12%	13%

Employment & Income

	County		State		Nation	
	2000	2009/2008	2000	2009/2008	2000	2009
Unemployment Rate <i>(Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics) 2009</i>	3.1	9.2	4.2	7.3	4.0	9.3
Median Household Income <i>(Source: Small Area Income & Poverty Estimates, U.S. Census Bureau) 2008</i>	\$31,358	\$38,018	\$31,496	\$38,820	\$41,990	\$52,029

Poverty Rates

Source information: U.S. Census Data, American Community Survey, 2006-2008 Three Year Estimates

Individuals	County	State	Nation
% Individuals in Poverty	22%	18%	13%
% Children under Age 5 in Poverty	41%	29%	21%
% Children Age 5-17 in Poverty	32%	23%	17%
% Adults age 18-64 in Poverty	19%	16%	12%
% Adults age 65+ in Poverty	12%	12%	10%

Families	State	Nation
% Married Couples in Poverty	7%	5%
% Male Householder, No Wife Present in Poverty	23%	15%
% Female Householder, No Husband Present in Poverty	62%	39%

Race & Ethnicity	County	State	Nation
% Individuals in Poverty that are White Non-Hispanic	No Data	58%	46%
% Individuals in Poverty that are Black/African American		29%	23%
% Individuals in Poverty that are Hispanic/Latino		9%	24%
% Individuals in Poverty that are an Other Race		4%	16%

Educational Attainment

Source information: Economic Modeling Specialists, Inc.

	County		State		Nation	
	2000	2009	2000	2009	2000	2009
Population Age 25+						
% Less than High School Grad.	25.2%	21.4%	24.7%	20.7%	19.6%	16.7%
% High School Graduate/GED	34.8%	34.9%	34.1%	33.9%	28.6%	28.1%
% Some College	24.3%	26.1%	24.5%	25.7%	27.4%	28.3%
% Bachelor's Degree or More	15.7%	17.6%	16.7%	19.7%	24.4%	26.8%