

Table 4

Sex Ratios (M/F*100)					
Both	Census	Year	Year	Year	Year
Genders	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020
Age0-4	104.2	103.6	102.0	104.2	104.2
Age5-9	105.1	105.4	104.7	103.3	105.6
Age10-14	106.1	103.7	102.7	103.6	103.4
Age15-19	105.6	110.4	105.9	107.8	108.2
Age20-24	102.1	106.0	108.3	106.6	107.8
Age25-29	101.6	99.3	102.2	107.0	105.4
Age30-34	100.3	100.5	97.5	103.1	107.3
Age35-39	98.2	100.6	100.5	99.7	104.8
Age40-44	97.9	98.7	100.5	102.1	101.3
Age45-49	96.0	96.4	97.3	99.8	101.5
Age50-54	96.1	94.5	95.4	96.8	99.4
Age55-59	92.5	92.8	91.9	93.0	94.5
Age60-64	90.9	91.2	92.0	91.4	92.6
Age65-69	86.4	88.5	89.2	90.0	89.4
Age70-74	79.2	82.5	84.7	85.4	85.8
Age75-79	69.8	72.1	75.5	77.6	78.0
Age80-84	58.8	62.0	64.7	69.1	72.3
Age85+	41.2	33.5	33.7	35.7	66.7
Age65&Over	70.3	69.9	71.3	73.6	81.6
Total	95.3	95.5	95.2	96.3	98.8
Child-Women ratio = Age under 5 / Female 15 - 44 X 100					
	Census	Year	Year	Year	Year
State	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020
Child-Women Ratio	16.45417	16.89716	16.96767	17.33405	17.16349

Racial Composition of the Population

The population of Arkansas has historically been predominantly white, with the minority population exceeding 20% from 1840 until 1970. Beginning with a net population loss (due mainly to out-migration) between 1940 and 1960, the nonwhite population dropped to 21.8% in 1960 and 18.4% in 1970.

Figure 3

