Data notes: AKB

Downloading ACS summary file 3 data

5-year estimates: 2006 -2010

Website: <https://www2.census.gov/programs-surveys/acs/summary_file/2010/data/?#>

Downloaded 2010\_5yr\_SummaryFileTemplates.zip

But…sounds like I can download selected population tables file by state. Need to restrict to sumlev = 050

Alabama is here:

<https://www2.census.gov/programs-surveys/acs/summary_file/2010/data/selected_population_tables/Alabama/>

We need tables B05001 () B05002 & (PLACE OF BIRTH BY CITIZENSHIP STATUS)

Variables: total population (V01?), foreign born (V13?)

/\* confirm w/ Rebecca: This definition of foreign born excludes people born in US territories or born abroad to American parents. \*/

Naming convention [note: These are ASCII files]:

* Point estimate: e20105al0005002.txt
* Margin of error: m20105al0005002.txt

We need excel file (shell) for Sequence 17

Tables & B05002

Each state has a separate folder, with original .txt (ASCII) data, an Excel file with geographic information (from the Census), a .do file that creates our data, and a .dta file. I append the state-specific data files into a single file with data from all states.