

District Profile
TEXAS HOUSE DISTRICT 115¹
ACS 2014-2018 Estimates

SELECTED POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Total population	194,677		27,885,195
Age			
0 to 4 years	13,964	7.2%	7.2%
5 to 17 years	34,918	17.9%	19.0%
18 to 64 years	128,426	66.0%	61.9%
65 years and over	17,369	8.9%	12.0%
Race/Ethnicity			
Anglo (non-Hispanic)	68,589	35.2%	42.3%
Non-Anglo	126,088	64.8%	57.7%
Hispanic	54,336	27.9%	39.2%
Black alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	24,717	12.7%	13.1%
Asian alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	45,960	23.6%	5.4%
Population age 5 and over	180,713		25,886,326
Ability to speak English			
Speaks English only	96,595	53.5%	64.5%
Speaks other than English at home	84,118	46.5%	35.5%
Speaks English very well or well	71,806	39.7%	28.0%
Does not speak English well or at all	12,312	6.8%	7.6%
Special populations⁴			
Moved in the past 12 months	35,752	NA	4,378,563
Individuals with disabilities	10,593	NA	3,152,865
Veterans	6,776	NA	1,474,232
Active duty military	107	NA	89,701
SELECTED HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Number of households	74,665		9,553,046
Average number of persons per household ⁴	2.60	NA	2.86
Households by composition			
1 person	20,145	27.0%	25.1%
2 persons	23,075	30.9%	31.4%
3 or 4 persons	25,342	33.9%	31.1%
5 or more persons	6,103	8.2%	12.4%
Household type			
Family households	50,112	67.1%	69.4%
Nonfamily households	24,553	32.9%	30.6%
Number of families	50,112		6,629,325
Families with children by birth, marriage, or adoption under age 18	25,855	51.6%	47.1%
Married-couple families	19,743	39.4%	32.4%
Families with both parents employed	11,037	22.0%	18.2%
Single-parent families	6,112	12.2%	14.7%
Families with the parent employed	5,743	11.5%	11.9%

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SELECTED EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Population age 3 and over enrolled in school	50,604		7,626,437
School status			
In preschool (public and private)	3,388	6.7%	6.0%
In kindergarten, elementary, middle, or high school (public and private)	35,763	70.7%	69.7%
In preschool through 12th grade (public only)	35,169	69.5%	68.8%
In college, graduate, or professional school	11,453	22.6%	24.3%
Population age 25 and over	131,396		17,815,359
Educational attainment			
Bachelor's degree or higher	65,829	50.1%	29.3%
Less than high school graduate	13,430	10.2%	16.8%
SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Civilian employed population age 16 and over	107,625		12,985,624
Civilian employment sector			
Private sector	93,318	86.7%	80.1%
Government sector	7,719	7.2%	13.0%
Self-employed	6,461	6.0%	6.7%
Industry for civilian employed population			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting, and mining	732	0.7%	3.1%
Construction	5,243	4.9%	8.4%
Manufacturing	9,919	9.2%	8.6%
Wholesale trade	4,226	3.9%	2.9%
Retail trade	11,254	10.5%	11.4%
Transportation and warehousing and utilities	6,811	6.3%	5.7%
Information	3,878	3.6%	1.8%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	11,879	11.0%	6.6%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste mgmt.	19,874	18.5%	11.4%
Educational services and health care and social assistance	17,832	16.6%	21.6%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	9,150	8.5%	9.2%
Other services, except public administration	4,883	4.5%	5.2%
Public administration	1,944	1.8%	4.0%
Population age 16 to 64	133,775		18,056,306
Worked at all in the past 12 months	108,556	81.1%	75.2%
Worked 50-52 weeks	86,891	65.0%	58.1%
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	80,505	60.2%	51.5%
Usually worked less than 35 hours per week	6,386	4.8%	6.6%

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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Number of housing units	78,948		10,769,900
Age of housing			
Built in 2010 or later	5,279	6.7%	8.4%
Built between 2000 and 2009	8,430	10.7%	20.0%
Built between 1990 and 1999	19,763	25.0%	15.4%
Built between 1970 and 1989	34,192	43.3%	32.0%
Built before 1970	11,284	14.3%	24.2%
Occupancy status			
Owner-occupied	34,923	44.2%	54.9%
Renter-occupied	39,742	50.3%	33.8%
Vacant	4,283	5.4%	11.3%
Median gross rent (contract rent plus estimated utility and fuel cost) ⁴	\$1,169	NA	\$998
Median value of owner-occupied housing units ⁴	\$262,200	NA	\$161,700
Number of owner-occupied housing units	34,923		5,917,771
Value of owner-occupied housing			
Less than \$50,000	712	2.0%	9.8%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1,315	3.8%	18.3%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	9,598	27.5%	33.5%
\$200,000 to \$499,999	19,736	56.5%	31.6%
\$500,000 and above	3,562	10.2%	6.8%
Selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income ⁸			
35 percent or more	5,406	15.5%	15.5%
20 to 34.9 percent	9,177	26.3%	25.1%
Less than 20 percent	20,208	57.9%	58.6%
Vehicles available in owner-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	281	0.8%	2.1%
One or more vehicles	34,642	99.2%	97.9%
Number of renter-occupied housing units	39,742		3,635,275
Gross rent ⁹			
Less than \$500	248	0.6%	6.7%
\$500 to \$749	1,331	3.3%	15.7%
\$750 to \$999	9,795	24.6%	25.2%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	12,116	30.5%	20.1%
\$1,250 and above	15,627	39.3%	27.1%
Gross rent as a percentage of household income ⁸			
35 percent or more	11,401	28.7%	36.0%
20 to 34.9 percent	13,765	34.6%	31.7%
Less than 20 percent	13,556	34.1%	24.9%
Vehicles available in renter-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	2,034	5.1%	10.6%
One or more vehicles	37,708	94.9%	89.4%

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- ¹ Comparisons to the previous district profiles should be made with caution. Previous district profiles were compiled by Texas Legislative Council (TLC) Research by aggregating census block group data into senate and house districts. Block groups that crossed district lines were counted in the district totals of the district in which more than 50% of the population lived. In the 2014-2018 ACS Summary File, the Census Bureau reported data for the most recent Texas house and senate districts.
- ² The ACS data is gathered from surveys distributed to a sample of the population. The margin of error (MOE) that accompanies each of the estimates is available upon request from TLC. The MOE indicates the reliability of these estimates.
- ³ State and district percentages are based on the totals in the general category shown above each group and marked by a gray bar.
- ⁴ This report does not include state and district percentages for the special populations group or the variables that illustrate average or median values. For these variables, the state estimate is provided.
- ⁵ Individuals who worked at home are not included in these categories.
- ⁶ Percentages are based on the population for whom poverty status is determined.
- ⁷ Public assistance income includes Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) but not SSI or Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)/food stamps.
- ⁸ Households reporting no income or a negative income (where expenses are more than income) are excluded.
- ⁹ Only housing units with tenants paying rent are included in these categories. Rental units with tenants living in them for free or in exchange for services are not included. The percentages of units with no cash rent range from 1% to 22% across senate and house districts.