

District Profile
TEXAS HOUSE DISTRICT 97¹
ACS 2019-2023 Estimates

SELECTED POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Total population	192,182		29,640,343
Age			
0 to 4 years	11,857	6.2%	6.5%
5 to 17 years	33,647	17.5%	18.7%
18 to 64 years	117,294	61.0%	61.6%
65 years and over	29,384	15.3%	13.2%
Race/Ethnicity			
Anglo (non-Hispanic)	108,383	56.4%	39.9%
Non-Anglo	83,799	43.6%	60.1%
Hispanic	46,279	24.1%	39.5%
Black alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	27,738	14.4%	14.0%
Asian alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	10,148	5.3%	6.3%
Population age 5 and over	180,325		27,712,101
Ability to speak English			
Speaks English only	143,909	79.8%	65.1%
Speaks other than English at home	36,416	20.2%	34.9%
Speaks English very well or well	31,774	17.6%	28.2%
Does not speak English well or at all	4,642	2.6%	6.7%
Special populations⁴			
Moved in the past 12 months	28,072	NA	4,197,721
Veterans	10,687	NA	1,408,009
Active duty military	506	NA	118,359
SELECTED HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Number of households	74,509		10,747,240
Average number of persons per household ⁴	2.50	NA	2.70
Households by composition			
1 person	22,901	30.7%	26.0%
2 persons	25,341	34.0%	31.4%
3 or 4 persons	18,962	25.4%	30.6%
5 or more persons	7,305	9.8%	12.1%
Household type			
Family households	46,861	62.9%	68.0%
Nonfamily households	27,648	37.1%	32.0%
Number of families	46,861		7,310,348
Families with children by birth, marriage, or adoption under age 18	20,400	43.5%	45.7%
Married-couple families	14,179	30.3%	31.6%
Families with both parents employed	9,309	19.9%	18.6%
Single-parent families	6,221	13.3%	14.1%
Families with the parent employed	5,295	11.3%	11.3%

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SELECTED EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Population age 3 and over enrolled in school	53,266		7,809,536
School status			
In preschool (public and private)	3,259	6.1%	5.6%
In kindergarten, elementary, middle, or high school (public and private)	33,218	62.4%	70.5%
In preschool through 12th grade (public only)	29,486	55.4%	68.0%
In college, graduate, or professional school	16,789	31.5%	23.9%
Population age 25 and over	126,262		19,294,631
Educational attainment			
Bachelor's degree or higher	55,305	43.8%	33.1%
Less than high school graduate	8,964	7.1%	14.3%
SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Civilian employed population age 16 and over	95,714		14,140,748
Civilian employment sector			
Private sector	77,850	81.3%	78.9%
Government sector	12,161	12.7%	14.1%
Self-employed	5,638	5.9%	6.9%
Industry for civilian employed population			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting, and mining	1,313	1.4%	2.4%
Construction	5,244	5.5%	8.6%
Manufacturing	10,106	10.6%	8.5%
Wholesale trade	2,443	2.6%	2.5%
Retail trade	11,240	11.7%	11.1%
Transportation and warehousing and utilities	5,903	6.2%	6.5%
Information	1,222	1.3%	1.6%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	8,827	9.2%	7.0%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste mgmt.	10,331	10.8%	12.6%
Educational services and health care and social assistance	22,952	24.0%	21.6%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	8,322	8.7%	8.5%
Other services, except public administration	4,811	5.0%	4.9%
Public administration	3,000	3.1%	4.1%
Population age 16 to 64	122,927		19,120,525
Worked at all in the past 12 months	98,393	80.0%	76.6%
Worked 50-52 weeks	78,545	63.9%	61.1%
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	68,954	56.1%	53.6%
Usually worked less than 35 hours per week	9,591	7.8%	7.5%

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SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS (continued)	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Workers age 16 and over	94,765		13,992,594
Means of transportation to work			
Public transportation	312	0.3%	1.0%
Private vehicle	81,071	85.5%	83.0%
Walk / bicycle / motorcycle	1,570	1.7%	1.8%
Taxi / other means	805	0.8%	1.4%
Worked at home	11,007	11.6%	12.8%
Travel time to work ⁵			
Less than 15 minutes	18,373	19.4%	21.5%
15 minutes to 29 minutes	37,040	39.1%	31.7%
30 minutes to 44 minutes	15,851	16.7%	19.3%
45 minutes to 59 minutes	6,521	6.9%	7.5%
60 minutes or more	5,973	6.3%	7.2%
SELECTED INCOME CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Persons in poverty ⁶	18,166	9.8%	13.8%
Per capita income ⁴	\$47,800	NA	\$39,446
Number of households	74,509		10,747,240
Annual household income			
Less than \$10,000	3,414	4.6%	5.0%
\$10,000 to \$24,999	5,281	7.1%	9.9%
\$25,000 to \$49,999	11,666	15.7%	17.9%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	23,371	31.4%	29.2%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	20,404	27.4%	26.3%
\$200,000 and over	10,373	13.9%	11.7%
Households with social security income	19,644	26.4%	25.3%
Households with supplemental security income (SSI)	2,120	2.8%	4.4%
Households with public assistance income ⁷	978	1.3%	2.0%
Number of families living in poverty	3,111		769,750
With related children under age 18	2,247	72.2%	73.8%
Married couple families	763	24.5%	24.6%
Single-parent families	1,484	47.7%	49.2%
Female head of household	1,309	42.1%	42.6%
Male head of household	175	5.6%	6.6%

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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Number of housing units	82,324		11,890,808
Age of housing			
Built in 2010 or later	13,486	16.4%	19.2%
Built between 2000 and 2009	13,702	16.6%	17.9%
Built between 1990 and 1999	10,542	12.8%	13.4%
Built between 1970 and 1989	22,994	27.9%	28.6%
Built before 1970	21,600	26.2%	20.9%
Occupancy status			
Owner-occupied	44,767	54.4%	56.5%
Renter-occupied	29,742	36.1%	33.8%
Vacant	7,815	9.5%	9.6%
Average gross rent (contract rent plus estimated utility and fuel cost) ⁴	\$1,577	NA	\$1,434
Average value of owner-occupied housing units ⁴	\$396,508	NA	\$340,712
Number of owner-occupied housing units	44,767		6,723,729
Value of owner-occupied housing			
Less than \$50,000	1,126	2.5%	6.3%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	996	2.2%	8.2%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	6,695	15.0%	20.4%
\$200,000 to \$499,999	26,776	59.8%	48.7%
\$500,000 and above	9,174	20.5%	16.4%
Selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income ⁸			
35 percent or more	7,565	16.9%	16.6%
20 to 34.9 percent	11,883	26.5%	24.7%
Less than 20 percent	24,944	55.7%	57.9%
Vehicles available in owner-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	592	1.3%	2.2%
One or more vehicles	44,175	98.7%	97.8%
Number of renter-occupied housing units	29,742		4,023,511
Gross rent ⁹			
Less than \$500	448	1.5%	4.0%
\$500 to \$749	468	1.6%	5.5%
\$750 to \$999	2,136	7.2%	13.5%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	6,207	20.9%	18.7%
\$1,250 and above	19,798	66.6%	53.9%
Gross rent as a percentage of household income ⁸			
35 percent or more	12,560	42.2%	38.8%
20 to 34.9 percent	9,911	33.3%	32.2%
Less than 20 percent	6,222	20.9%	22.7%
Vehicles available in renter-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	2,574	8.7%	10.6%
One or more vehicles	27,168	91.3%	89.4%

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- ¹ These district profiles use the census geographies for the Texas house and senate districts corresponding to PlanH2316 and PlanS2168. Comparisons to previous profiles should be made with caution. In some past profiles, including the 2017-2021 vintage, districts were compiled by aggregating block group data since census geographies did not correspond to the legislative plans in effect at the time in Texas. Additionally, the Census Bureau advises against comparing estimates from overlapping 5-year periods.
- 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 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.