

District Profile
TEXAS SENATE DISTRICT 22¹
ACS 2014-2018 Estimates

SELECTED POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Total population	879,234		27,885,195
Age			
0 to 4 years	58,011	6.6%	7.2%
5 to 17 years	166,238	18.9%	19.0%
18 to 64 years	531,294	60.4%	61.9%
65 years and over	123,691	14.1%	12.0%
Race/Ethnicity			
Anglo (non-Hispanic)	520,519	59.2%	42.3%
Non-Anglo	358,715	40.8%	57.7%
Hispanic	209,069	23.8%	39.2%
Black alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	120,494	13.7%	13.1%
Asian alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	25,545	2.9%	5.4%
Population age 5 and over	821,223		25,886,326
Ability to speak English			
Speaks English only	655,603	79.8%	64.5%
Speaks other than English at home	165,620	20.2%	35.5%
Speaks English very well or well	130,219	15.9%	28.0%
Does not speak English well or at all	35,401	4.3%	7.6%
Special populations⁴			
Moved in the past 12 months	121,237	NA	4,378,563
Individuals with disabilities	106,195	NA	3,152,865
Veterans	52,770	NA	1,474,232
Active duty military	573	NA	89,701
SELECTED HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Number of households	302,340		9,553,046
Average number of persons per household ⁴	2.84	NA	2.86
Households by composition			
1 person	67,212	22.2%	25.1%
2 persons	101,558	33.6%	31.4%
3 or 4 persons	95,154	31.5%	31.1%
5 or more persons	38,416	12.7%	12.4%
Household type			
Family households	220,957	73.1%	69.4%
Nonfamily households	81,383	26.9%	30.6%
Number of families	220,957		6,629,325
Families with children by birth, marriage, or adoption under age 18	96,476	43.7%	47.1%
Married-couple families	67,379	30.5%	32.4%
Families with both parents employed	42,293	19.1%	18.2%
Single-parent families	29,097	13.2%	14.7%
Families with the parent employed	23,647	10.7%	11.9%

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SELECTED EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Population age 3 and over enrolled in school	232,944		7,626,437
School status			
In preschool (public and private)	11,531	5.0%	6.0%
In kindergarten, elementary, middle, or high school (public and private)	160,806	69.0%	69.7%
In preschool through 12th grade (public only)	157,584	67.6%	68.8%
In college, graduate, or professional school	60,607	26.0%	24.3%
Population age 25 and over	562,187		17,815,359
Educational attainment			
Bachelor's degree or higher	125,908	22.4%	29.3%
Less than high school graduate	86,038	15.3%	16.8%
SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Civilian employed population age 16 and over	407,032		12,985,624
Civilian employment sector			
Private sector	327,493	80.5%	80.1%
Government sector	51,435	12.6%	13.0%
Self-employed	27,219	6.7%	6.7%
Industry for civilian employed population			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting, and mining	9,634	2.4%	3.1%
Construction	31,776	7.8%	8.4%
Manufacturing	46,617	11.5%	8.6%
Wholesale trade	11,755	2.9%	2.9%
Retail trade	53,695	13.2%	11.4%
Transportation and warehousing and utilities	26,852	6.6%	5.7%
Information	5,675	1.4%	1.8%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	24,567	6.0%	6.6%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste mgmt.	33,676	8.3%	11.4%
Educational services and health care and social assistance	91,457	22.5%	21.6%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	32,549	8.0%	9.2%
Other services, except public administration	21,424	5.3%	5.2%
Public administration	17,355	4.3%	4.0%
Population age 16 to 64	557,626		18,056,306
Worked at all in the past 12 months	421,312	75.6%	75.2%
Worked 50-52 weeks	324,773	58.2%	58.1%
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	289,331	51.9%	51.5%
Usually worked less than 35 hours per week	35,442	6.4%	6.6%

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SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS (continued)	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Workers age 16 and over	400,886		12,842,820
Means of transportation to work			
Public transportation	1,142	0.3%	1.4%
Private vehicle	374,209	93.3%	90.7%
Walk / bicycle / motorcycle	6,545	1.6%	1.9%
Taxi / other means	2,819	0.7%	1.2%
Worked at home	16,171	4.0%	4.7%
Travel time to work ⁵			
Less than 15 minutes	102,476	25.6%	24.1%
15 minutes to 29 minutes	129,620	32.3%	34.4%
30 minutes to 44 minutes	79,289	19.8%	20.6%
45 minutes to 59 minutes	38,576	9.6%	8.3%
60 minutes or more	34,754	8.7%	7.9%
SELECTED INCOME CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Persons in poverty ⁶	117,459	13.7%	15.5%
Per capita income ⁴	\$27,173	NA	\$30,143
Number of households	302,340		9,553,046
Annual household income			
Less than \$10,000	18,157	6.0%	6.4%
\$10,000 to \$24,999	40,640	13.4%	13.6%
\$25,000 to \$49,999	69,054	22.8%	22.4%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	96,941	32.1%	30.0%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	64,693	21.4%	20.7%
\$200,000 and over	12,855	4.3%	6.9%
Households with social security income	91,632	30.3%	25.4%
Households with supplemental security income (SSI)	15,448	5.1%	4.8%
Households with public assistance income ⁷	5,076	1.7%	1.5%
Households that received food stamps/SNAP in the past 12 months	33,539	11.1%	12.2%
Number of families living in poverty	22,077		788,889
With related children under age 18	17,504	79.3%	77.9%
Married couple families	5,946	26.9%	27.1%
Single-parent families	11,558	52.4%	50.8%
Female head of household	10,211	46.3%	44.2%
Male head of household	1,347	6.1%	6.5%

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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Number of housing units	340,596		10,769,900
Age of housing			
Built in 2010 or later	23,892	7.0%	8.4%
Built between 2000 and 2009	72,337	21.2%	20.0%
Built between 1990 and 1999	53,593	15.7%	15.4%
Built between 1970 and 1989	110,313	32.4%	32.0%
Built before 1970	80,461	23.6%	24.2%
Occupancy status			
Owner-occupied	208,265	61.1%	54.9%
Renter-occupied	94,075	27.6%	33.8%
Vacant	38,256	11.2%	11.3%
Median gross rent (contract rent plus estimated utility and fuel cost) ⁴	\$932	NA	\$998
Median value of owner-occupied housing units ⁴	\$147,700	NA	\$161,700
Number of owner-occupied housing units	208,265		5,917,771
Value of owner-occupied housing			
Less than \$50,000	22,382	10.7%	9.8%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	42,847	20.6%	18.3%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	77,957	37.4%	33.5%
\$200,000 to \$499,999	59,055	28.4%	31.6%
\$500,000 and above	6,024	2.9%	6.8%
Selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income ⁸			
35 percent or more	30,350	14.6%	15.5%
20 to 34.9 percent	52,527	25.2%	25.1%
Less than 20 percent	124,115	59.6%	58.6%
Vehicles available in owner-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	3,355	1.6%	2.1%
One or more vehicles	204,910	98.4%	97.9%
Number of renter-occupied housing units	94,075		3,635,275
Gross rent ⁹			
Less than \$500	7,856	8.4%	6.7%
\$500 to \$749	18,062	19.2%	15.7%
\$750 to \$999	24,395	25.9%	25.2%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	16,984	18.1%	20.1%
\$1,250 and above	19,764	21.0%	27.1%
Gross rent as a percentage of household income ⁸			
35 percent or more	33,669	35.8%	36.0%
20 to 34.9 percent	27,868	29.6%	31.7%
Less than 20 percent	23,302	24.8%	24.9%
Vehicles available in renter-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	9,150	9.7%	10.6%
One or more vehicles	84,925	90.3%	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.