

District Profile
TEXAS HOUSE DISTRICT 71¹
ACS 2018-2022 Estimates

SELECTED POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Total population	191,313		29,243,342
Age			
0 to 4 years	12,441	6.5%	6.6%
5 to 17 years	32,638	17.1%	18.7%
18 to 64 years	116,530	60.9%	61.8%
65 years and over	29,704	15.5%	12.9%
Race/Ethnicity			
Anglo (non-Hispanic)	118,221	61.8%	40.1%
Non-Anglo	73,092	38.2%	59.9%
Hispanic	49,378	25.8%	39.9%
Black alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	17,485	9.1%	13.7%
Asian alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	4,687	2.4%	6.1%
Population age 5 and over	178,872		27,319,920
Ability to speak English			
Speaks English only	148,777	83.2%	64.9%
Speaks other than English at home	30,095	16.8%	35.1%
Speaks English very well or well	26,638	14.9%	28.4%
Does not speak English well or at all	3,457	1.9%	6.7%
Special populations⁴			
Moved in the past 12 months	35,756	NA	4,235,358
Veterans	12,451	NA	1,416,973
Active duty military	4,966	NA	110,177
SELECTED HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Number of households	70,745		10,490,553
Average number of persons per household ⁴	2.51	NA	2.73
Households by composition			
1 person	19,259	27.2%	25.7%
2 persons	24,500	34.6%	31.4%
3 or 4 persons	20,286	28.7%	30.7%
5 or more persons	6,700	9.5%	12.2%
Household type			
Family households	46,538	65.8%	68.4%
Nonfamily households	24,207	34.2%	31.6%
Number of families	46,538		7,173,843
Families with children by birth, marriage, or adoption under age 18	19,685	42.3%	46.1%
Married-couple families	13,239	28.4%	31.9%
Families with both parents employed	8,879	19.1%	18.6%
Single-parent families	6,446	13.9%	14.2%
Families with the parent employed	5,145	11.1%	11.4%

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SELECTED EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Population age 3 and over enrolled in school	49,082		7,768,251
School status			
In preschool (public and private)	2,398	4.9%	5.5%
In kindergarten, elementary, middle, or high school (public and private)	33,023	67.3%	70.1%
In preschool through 12th grade (public only)	32,010	65.2%	67.9%
In college, graduate, or professional school	13,661	27.8%	24.4%
Population age 25 and over	121,082		18,910,948
Educational attainment			
Bachelor's degree or higher	30,183	24.9%	32.3%
Less than high school graduate	13,847	11.4%	14.8%
SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Civilian employed population age 16 and over	85,069		13,908,128
Civilian employment sector			
Private sector	66,134	77.7%	79.2%
Government sector	13,643	16.0%	13.7%
Self-employed	5,178	6.1%	6.9%
Industry for civilian employed population			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting, and mining	2,890	3.4%	2.6%
Construction	6,275	7.4%	8.7%
Manufacturing	5,912	6.9%	8.5%
Wholesale trade	1,570	1.8%	2.6%
Retail trade	10,881	12.8%	11.3%
Transportation and warehousing and utilities	5,091	6.0%	6.4%
Information	870	1.0%	1.6%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	5,705	6.7%	6.9%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste mgmt.	6,546	7.7%	12.2%
Educational services and health care and social assistance	23,118	27.2%	21.5%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	6,886	8.1%	8.7%
Other services, except public administration	4,281	5.0%	5.0%
Public administration	5,044	5.9%	4.1%
Population age 16 to 64	121,302		18,929,419
Worked at all in the past 12 months	90,979	75.0%	76.3%
Worked 50-52 weeks	71,818	59.2%	60.4%
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	62,883	51.8%	53.1%
Usually worked less than 35 hours per week	8,935	7.4%	7.3%

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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Number of housing units	81,658		11,654,971
Age of housing			
Built in 2010 or later	7,598	9.3%	16.8%
Built between 2000 and 2009	7,270	8.9%	18.2%
Built between 1990 and 1999	7,328	9.0%	14.0%
Built between 1970 and 1989	23,130	28.3%	29.4%
Built before 1970	36,332	44.5%	21.6%
Occupancy status			
Owner-occupied	44,542	54.5%	56.2%
Renter-occupied	26,203	32.1%	33.8%
Vacant	10,913	13.4%	10.0%
Average gross rent (contract rent plus estimated utility and fuel cost) ⁴	\$1,087	NA	\$1,349
Average value of owner-occupied housing units ⁴	\$194,047	NA	\$311,438
Number of owner-occupied housing units	44,542		6,545,727
Value of owner-occupied housing			
Less than \$50,000	6,528	14.7%	6.7%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	7,922	17.8%	9.9%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	14,294	32.1%	23.5%
\$200,000 to \$499,999	13,881	31.2%	46.4%
\$500,000 and above	1,917	4.3%	13.5%
Selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income ⁸			
35 percent or more	6,161	13.8%	16.0%
20 to 34.9 percent	10,949	24.6%	24.7%
Less than 20 percent	27,198	61.1%	58.4%
Vehicles available in owner-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	905	2.0%	2.1%
One or more vehicles	43,637	98.0%	97.9%
Number of renter-occupied housing units	26,203		3,944,826
Gross rent ⁹			
Less than \$500	1,884	7.2%	4.4%
\$500 to \$749	2,831	10.8%	6.6%
\$750 to \$999	6,468	24.7%	16.2%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	6,387	24.4%	20.4%
\$1,250 and above	6,574	25.1%	47.8%
Gross rent as a percentage of household income ⁸			
35 percent or more	9,204	35.1%	37.8%
20 to 34.9 percent	8,206	31.3%	32.1%
Less than 20 percent	6,458	24.6%	23.5%
Vehicles available in renter-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	2,383	9.1%	10.5%
One or more vehicles	23,820	90.9%	89.5%

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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.