

District Profile
TEXAS HOUSE DISTRICT 96¹
ACS 2015-2019 Estimates

SELECTED POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Total population	194,652		28,260,856
Age			
0 to 4 years	13,411	6.9%	7.1%
5 to 17 years	42,247	21.7%	18.9%
18 to 64 years	119,086	61.2%	61.8%
65 years and over	19,908	10.2%	12.3%
Race/Ethnicity			
Anglo (non-Hispanic)	95,784	49.2%	42.0%
Non-Anglo	98,868	50.8%	58.0%
Hispanic	40,803	21.0%	39.3%
Black alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	47,400	24.4%	13.2%
Asian alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	10,220	5.3%	5.5%
Population age 5 and over	181,241		26,261,053
Ability to speak English			
Speaks English only	146,728	81.0%	64.5%
Speaks other than English at home	34,513	19.0%	35.5%
Speaks English very well or well	29,506	16.3%	28.1%
Does not speak English well or at all	5,007	2.8%	7.4%
Special populations⁴			
Moved in the past 12 months	27,253	NA	4,358,441
Individuals with disabilities	19,319	NA	3,187,623
Veterans	11,419	NA	1,453,450
Active duty military	422	NA	93,394
SELECTED HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Number of households	63,247		9,691,647
Average number of persons per household ⁴	3.06	NA	2.85
Households by composition			
1 person	11,304	17.9%	25.2%
2 persons	19,003	30.0%	31.4%
3 or 4 persons	24,189	38.2%	31.1%
5 or more persons	8,751	13.8%	12.4%
Household type			
Family households	50,206	79.4%	69.3%
Nonfamily households	13,041	20.6%	30.7%
Number of families	50,206		6,712,183
Families with children by birth, marriage, or adoption under age 18	25,737	51.3%	46.8%
Married-couple families	18,385	36.6%	32.3%
Families with both parents employed	11,956	23.8%	18.4%
Single-parent families	7,352	14.6%	14.5%
Families with the parent employed	6,437	12.8%	11.8%

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SELECTED EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Population age 3 and over enrolled in school	57,004		7,681,758
School status			
In preschool (public and private)	2,674	4.7%	6.0%
In kindergarten, elementary, middle, or high school (public and private)	41,920	73.5%	69.8%
In preschool through 12th grade (public only)	39,583	69.4%	68.8%
In college, graduate, or professional school	12,410	21.8%	24.3%
Population age 25 and over	122,033		18,131,554
Educational attainment			
Bachelor's degree or higher	41,025	33.6%	29.9%
Less than high school graduate	9,924	8.1%	16.3%
SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Civilian employed population age 16 and over	96,400		13,253,631
Civilian employment sector			
Private sector	78,838	81.8%	80.1%
Government sector	12,371	12.8%	13.0%
Self-employed	5,067	5.3%	6.7%
Industry for civilian employed population			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting, and mining	1,395	1.4%	3.0%
Construction	6,384	6.6%	8.6%
Manufacturing	10,408	10.8%	8.5%
Wholesale trade	3,284	3.4%	2.9%
Retail trade	11,705	12.1%	11.4%
Transportation and warehousing and utilities	6,972	7.2%	5.9%
Information	1,388	1.4%	1.7%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	7,598	7.9%	6.7%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste mgmt.	8,734	9.1%	11.5%
Educational services and health care and social assistance	23,397	24.3%	21.6%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	6,960	7.2%	9.2%
Other services, except public administration	4,729	4.9%	5.2%
Public administration	3,446	3.6%	4.0%
Population age 16 to 64	126,636		18,273,711
Worked at all in the past 12 months	99,760	78.8%	75.4%
Worked 50-52 weeks	80,889	63.9%	59.0%
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	71,914	56.8%	52.2%
Usually worked less than 35 hours per week	8,975	7.1%	6.8%

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SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS (continued)	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Workers age 16 and over	95,196		13,115,511
Means of transportation to work			
Public transportation	321	0.3%	1.4%
Private vehicle	89,512	94.0%	90.5%
Walk / bicycle / motorcycle	619	0.7%	1.9%
Taxi / other means	461	0.5%	1.2%
Worked at home	4,283	4.5%	5.0%
Travel time to work ⁵			
Less than 15 minutes	14,274	15.0%	23.6%
15 minutes to 29 minutes	30,687	32.2%	34.2%
30 minutes to 44 minutes	26,030	27.3%	20.8%
45 minutes to 59 minutes	10,448	11.0%	8.3%
60 minutes or more	9,474	10.0%	8.1%
SELECTED INCOME CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Persons in poverty ⁶	13,874	7.2%	14.7%
Per capita income ⁴	\$33,893	NA	\$31,277
Number of households	63,247		9,691,647
Annual household income			
Less than \$10,000	1,705	2.7%	6.1%
\$10,000 to \$24,999	4,347	6.9%	12.9%
\$25,000 to \$49,999	10,307	16.3%	21.8%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	21,538	34.1%	30.1%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	19,704	31.2%	21.7%
\$200,000 and over	5,646	8.9%	7.4%
Households with social security income	14,141	22.4%	25.6%
Households with supplemental security income (SSI)	2,086	3.3%	4.7%
Households with public assistance income ⁷	808	1.3%	1.4%
Households that received food stamps/SNAP in the past 12 months	4,708	7.4%	11.8%
Number of families living in poverty	2,664		759,269
With related children under age 18	2,132	80.0%	77.1%
Married couple families	578	21.7%	26.2%
Single-parent families	1,554	58.3%	50.9%
Female head of household	1,430	53.7%	44.4%
Male head of household	124	4.7%	6.4%

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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Number of housing units	67,099		10,937,026
Age of housing			
Built in 2010 or later	8,355	12.5%	10.4%
Built between 2000 and 2009	27,086	40.4%	19.3%
Built between 1990 and 1999	11,691	17.4%	15.2%
Built between 1970 and 1989	15,450	23.0%	31.4%
Built before 1970	4,517	6.7%	23.7%
Occupancy status			
Owner-occupied	46,764	69.7%	54.9%
Renter-occupied	16,483	24.6%	33.7%
Vacant	3,852	5.7%	11.4%
Median gross rent (contract rent plus estimated utility and fuel cost) ⁴	\$1,305	NA	\$1,045
Median value of owner-occupied housing units ⁴	\$206,900	NA	\$172,500
Number of owner-occupied housing units	46,764		6,004,802
Value of owner-occupied housing			
Less than \$50,000	1,301	2.8%	8.9%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	2,695	5.8%	16.5%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	18,260	39.0%	32.2%
\$200,000 to \$499,999	22,944	49.1%	34.8%
\$500,000 and above	1,564	3.3%	7.6%
Selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income ⁸			
35 percent or more	7,294	15.6%	15.3%
20 to 34.9 percent	14,370	30.7%	24.9%
Less than 20 percent	24,882	53.2%	59.0%
Vehicles available in owner-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	360	0.8%	2.1%
One or more vehicles	46,404	99.2%	97.9%
Number of renter-occupied housing units	16,483		3,686,845
Gross rent ⁹			
Less than \$500	473	2.9%	6.2%
\$500 to \$749	863	5.2%	13.4%
\$750 to \$999	3,021	18.3%	24.2%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	3,084	18.7%	20.7%
\$1,250 and above	8,428	51.1%	30.5%
Gross rent as a percentage of household income ⁸			
35 percent or more	5,629	34.2%	35.9%
20 to 34.9 percent	5,943	36.1%	32.1%
Less than 20 percent	4,163	25.3%	24.9%
Vehicles available in renter-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	1,040	6.3%	10.5%
One or more vehicles	15,443	93.7%	89.5%

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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 2015-2019 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.