

Description of Table 4.

This table shows for the state the **difference** between the population by race in 1990 and the population by race in 2000. Because individuals could report only one race in 1990 and could report more than one race in 2000, and because of other changes in the census questionnaire, the race data for 1990 and 2000 are not directly comparable. Thus the difference in population by race between 1990 and 2000 is due both to these changes in the census questionnaire and to real change in the population.

The difference in population for a race between 1990 and 2000 using race alone in 2000 (column 5) and the difference in population between 1990 and 2000 using race alone or in combination in 2000 (column 7) provide a "minimum-maximum" range for the change in population of that race between 1990 and 2000.

Table 4. Difference in Population by Race and Hispanic or Latino Origin, for California: 1990 to 2000

NOTE: Data not adjusted based on the Accuracy and Coverage Evaluation. For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see <http://factfinder.census.gov/home/en/datanotes/expplu.html>.

Subject	1990 Census		Census 2000		Difference between 1990 and 2000			
	Number	Percent of total population	Race alone ¹	Race alone or in combination ²	Using race alone for Census 2000		Using race alone or in combination for Census 2000	
					Numerical difference (2000 minus 1990)	Percent difference (based on 1990)	Numerical difference (2000 minus 1990)	Percent difference (based on 1990)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
RACE								
Total population³	29 760 021	100.0	33 871 648	33 871 648	4 111 627	13.8	4 111 627	13.8
White	20 524 327	69.0	20 170 059	21 490 973	- 354 268	-1.7	966 646	4.7
Black or African American	2 208 801	7.4	2 263 882	2 513 041	55 081	2.5	304 240	13.8
American Indian and Alaska Native	242 164	0.8	333 346	627 562	91 182	37.7	385 398	159.1
Asian	2 735 060	9.2	3 697 513	4 155 685	962 453	35.2	1 420 625	51.9
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	110 599	0.4	116 961	221 458	6 362	5.8	110 859	100.2
Some other race	3 939 070	13.2	5 682 241	6 575 625	1 743 171	44.3	2 636 555	66.9
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE								
Total population³	29 760 021	100.0	33 871 648	33 871 648	4 111 627	13.8	4 111 627	13.8
Hispanic or Latino (of any race) ³	7 687 938	25.8	10 966 556	10 966 556	3 278 618	42.6	3 278 618	42.6
Not Hispanic or Latino ³	22 072 083	74.2	22 905 092	22 905 092	833 009	3.8	833 009	3.8
White	17 029 126	57.2	15 816 790	16 538 491	-1 212 336	-7.1	- 490 635	-2.9
Black or African American	2 092 446	7.0	2 181 926	2 370 367	89 480	4.3	277 921	13.3
American Indian and Alaska Native	184 065	0.6	178 984	383 197	- 5 081	-2.8	199 132	108.2
Asian	2 613 599	8.8	3 648 860	4 030 025	1 035 261	39.6	1 416 426	54.2
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	96 754	0.3	103 736	188 977	6 982	7.2	92 223	95.3
Some other race	56 093	0.2	71 681	368 168	15 588	27.8	312 075	556.4

- Represents zero or rounds to 0.0.

¹ One of the following six races: (1) White, (2) Black or African American, (3) American Indian and Alaska Native, (4) Asian, (5) Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander, (6) Some other race.

² Alone or in combination with one or more of the other five races listed. Numbers for the six race groups may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may indicate more than one race. For example, a person indicating "American Indian and Alaska Native **and** Asian **and** Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander" is included with American Indian and Alaska Native, with Asian, and with Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.

³ The differences between 1990 and 2000 for the total population, the Hispanic or Latino Population, and the Not Hispanic or Latino population are not affected by whether data on race are for race alone or for race alone or in combination. The Hispanic or Latino population may be of any race.

Source: Table 3 in this news release, and U.S. Census Bureau, 1990 census.