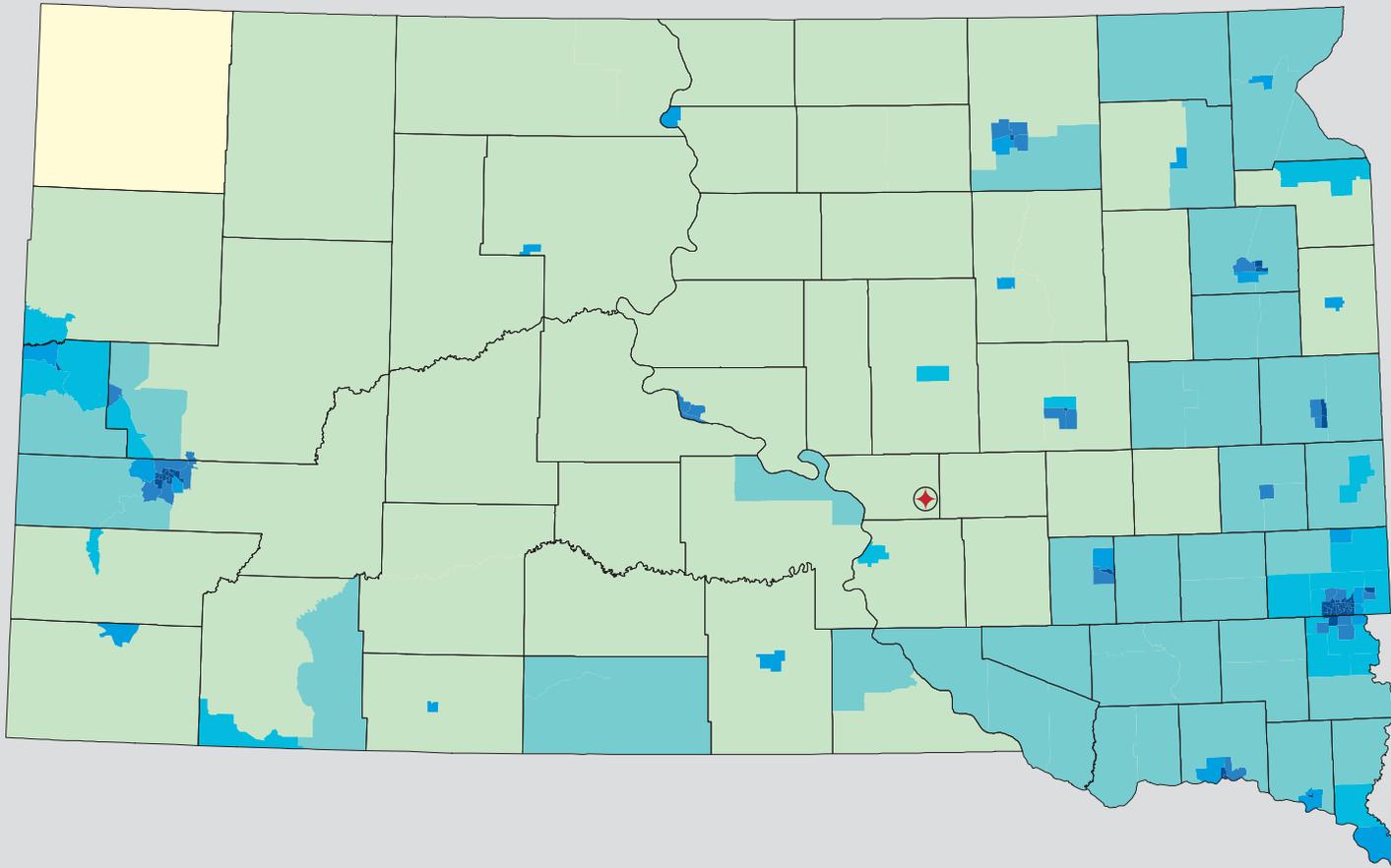


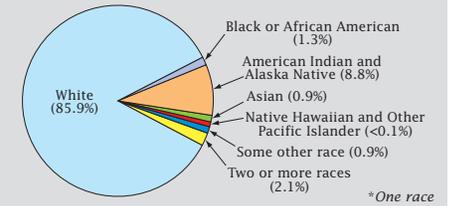
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## Population Density by Census Tract



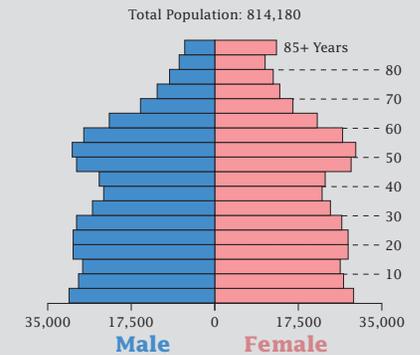
South Dakota Population 1970 to 2010	
2010	<b>814,180</b>
2000	<b>754,844</b>
1990	<b>696,004</b>
1980	<b>690,768</b>
1970	<b>665,507</b>

## State Race\* Breakdown

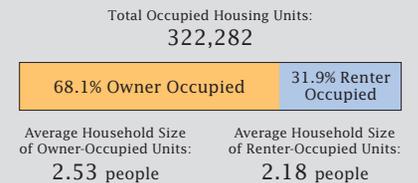


Hispanic or Latino (of any race) makes up **2.7%** of the state population.

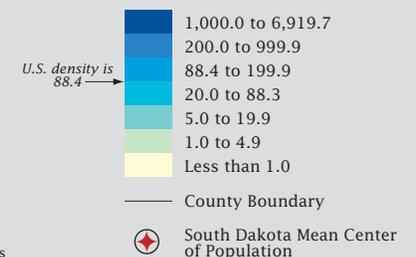
## Population by Sex and Age



## Housing Tenure



## People per Square Mile by Census Tract



# South Dakota

## BASIC INFORMATION

2010 Census Population:	814,180 (46 <sup>th</sup> )	Bordering States:	Iowa, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska, North Dakota, Wyoming
Land Area:	75,811 square miles (16 <sup>th</sup> )	Abbreviation:	SD
Density:	10.7 persons per square mile (46 <sup>th</sup> )	ANSI/FIPS Code:	46
Capital:	Pierre		
Became a State:	November 2, 1889 (39 <sup>th</sup> )		

## HISTORY

The United States acquired almost all of the area of South Dakota from France in 1803 as part of the Louisiana Purchase. A small portion in the northeast part of the present-day state was added by a convention signed with Great Britain in 1818. Dakota Territory was organized on March 2, 1861, from unorganized area formerly within Minnesota Territory and part of Nebraska Territory. Dakota Territory included all of the present-day states of North Dakota and South Dakota, most of Montana, the northern half of Wyoming, and a small part of Nebraska. The territory was reduced in 1863 with the organization of Idaho Territory, enlarged in 1864 with the addition of most of the remainder of present-day Wyoming, and again reduced with the organization of Wyoming Territory in 1868. In 1882, the state of Nebraska acquired an area north of the Keya Paha River and Niobrara River. South Dakota was admitted to the Union simultaneously with North Dakota on November 2, 1889, as the 39<sup>th</sup> and 40<sup>th</sup> states, with generally the same boundary as the present state.

Census data for the combined area in present-day North Dakota and South Dakota are available in the 1860 census (and listed in national tables with South Dakota). The 1860 census population is for territory reported as unorganized Dakota and territory now in Montana. Although the state had not yet been legally established, the 1870 and 1880 populations are for the area of the present state. The population of Dakota Territory as legally established was 135,177 in 1880 and 14,181 in 1870.

## AMERICAN INDIAN AREAS

South Dakota has 11 American Indian areas. There are nine reservations, four with associated off-reservation trust lands. There are also two off-reservation trust lands associated with reservations in neighboring states.

## METROPOLITAN AND MICROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS AND RELATED STATISTICAL AREAS

South Dakota has three metropolitan statistical areas, nine micropolitan statistical areas, and one combined statistical area.

## COUNTIES

There are 66 counties in South Dakota. Each county is governed by a board of commissioners.

## COUNTY SUBDIVISIONS

There are 1,339 county subdivisions in South Dakota known as minor civil divisions (MCDs). There are 914 townships with functioning, but not necessarily active, governments.

## PLACES

South Dakota has 390 places; 311 incorporated places and 79 census designated places (CDPs). The incorporated places consist of 156 cities, 154 towns, and 1 village. Incorporated places are independent of county subdivisions.

Geographic Entities	2010 Census	Census 2000
American Indian / Alaska Native / Native Hawaiian Areas	11	11
American Indian Tribal Subdivisions	49	50
Block Groups	654	688
Census Blocks	88,360	77,951
Census Tracts	222	235
Congressional Districts (108th - 112th)	1	1
Counties and Equivalents	66	66
County Subdivisions	1,339	1,361
Places	390	350
State Legislative Districts (Lower)	37	35
State Legislative Districts (Upper)	35	35
Unified School Districts	156	176
Voting Districts	902	979

Features	2010 Census
Address Range-Feature Names	285,809
Address Ranges	225,237
Area Landmarks	1,585
Area Water	27,761
Edges	659,743
Feature Names	585,372
Linear Water	63,396
Point Landmarks	1,603
Primary and Secondary Roads	2,534
Roads	120,381
Topological Faces	228,877
Topological Faces-Area Hydrography	33,706
Topological Faces-Area Landmark	3,340