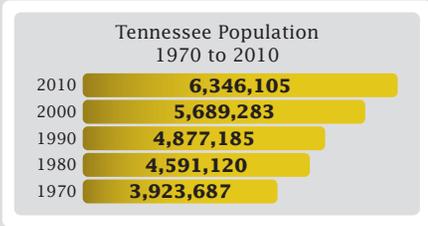
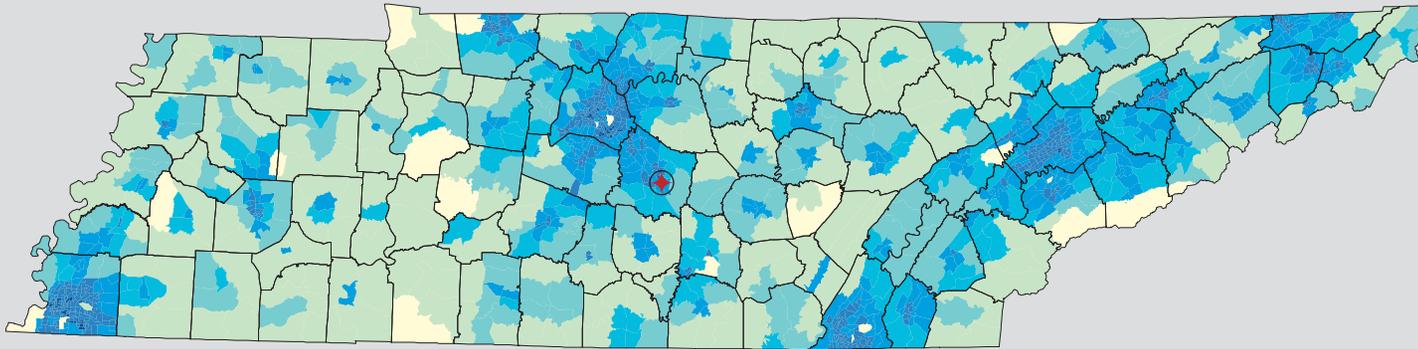
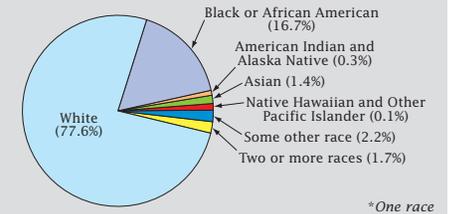


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## Population Density by Census Tract

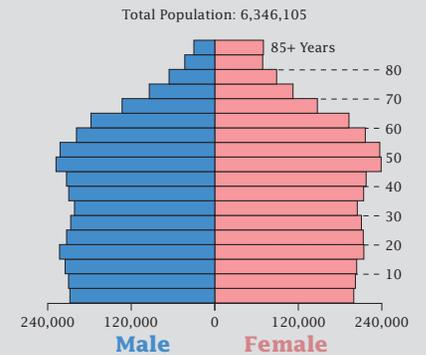


## State Race\* Breakdown

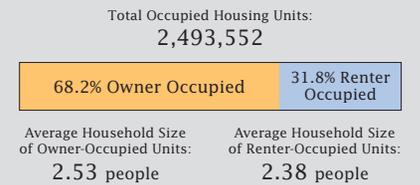


Hispanic or Latino (of any race) makes up **4.6%** of the state population.

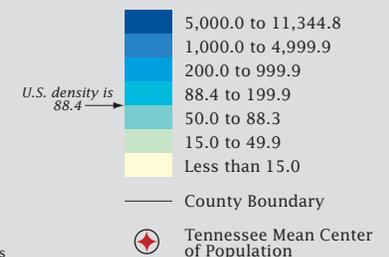
## Population by Sex and Age



## Housing Tenure



## People per Square Mile by Census Tract



# Tennessee

## BASIC INFORMATION

2010 Census Population: 6,346,105 (17<sup>th</sup>)  
 Land Area: 41,234.9 square miles (34<sup>th</sup>)  
 Density: 153.9 persons per square mile (19<sup>th</sup>)  
 Capital: Nashville  
 Became a State: June 1, 1796 (16<sup>th</sup>)

Bordering States: Alabama, Arkansas, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, Virginia  
 Abbreviation: TN  
 ANSI/FIPS Code: 47

## HISTORY

The area of Tennessee was originally part of North Carolina. North Carolina ceded the area of Tennessee in 1790 to the United States, and this area was organized as the "territory . . . south of the Ohio River" on April 12, 1790. Tennessee was admitted to the Union on June 1, 1796, as the 16<sup>th</sup> state. Upon resolution of a boundary dispute with Kentucky in 1820, Tennessee assumed generally the same boundary as the present state.

Census data for Tennessee are available separately beginning with the 1790 census. The 1790 population shown for Tennessee is for the Southwest Territory, which generally had the present state boundary.

Data for the legally established state of Tennessee are available beginning with the 1800 census.

## METROPOLITAN AND MICROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS AND RELATED STATISTICAL AREAS

Tennessee has 10 metropolitan statistical, 20 micropolitan statistical areas, and 6 combined statistical areas.

## COUNTIES

There are 95 counties in Tennessee.

## COUNTY SUBDIVISIONS

There are 844 county subdivisions in Tennessee. Beginning with the 2010 Census the state of Tennessee is using the county commissioner districts as minor civil divisions (MCDs). The county commissioner districts are nonfunctioning nongovernmental subdivisions of counties.

## PLACES

Tennessee has 428 places, 347 incorporated places and 81 census designated places (CDPs). The incorporated places consist of 182 cities, 162 towns, 1 metropolitan government, 1 with no descriptor, and 1 balance of county for the portion of Nashville-Davidson consolidated city outside the separately incorporated places in Davidson County.

Geographic Entities	2010 Census	Census 2000
Block Groups	4,125	4,014
Census Blocks	240,116	182,203
Census Tracts	1,497	1,261
Congressional Districts (108th-112th)	9	9
Consolidated Cities	1	1
Counties and Equivalents	95	95
County Subdivisions	844	462
Elementary School Districts	16	17
Places	428	382
Secondary School Districts	16	17
State Legislative Districts (Lower)	99	99
State Legislative Districts (Upper)	33	33
Unified School Districts	120	121
Voting Districts	2,174	2,407

Features	2010 Census
Address Range-Feature Names	1,177,196
Address Ranges	1,003,299
Area Landmarks	3,669
Areal Water	3,776
Edges	1,355,415
Feature Names	1,365,291
Linear Water	48,389
Point Landmarks	26,542
Primary and Secondary Roads	13,492
Roads	409,272
Topological Faces	370,891
Topological Faces-Area Hydrography	8,937
Topological Faces-Area Landmark	8,257