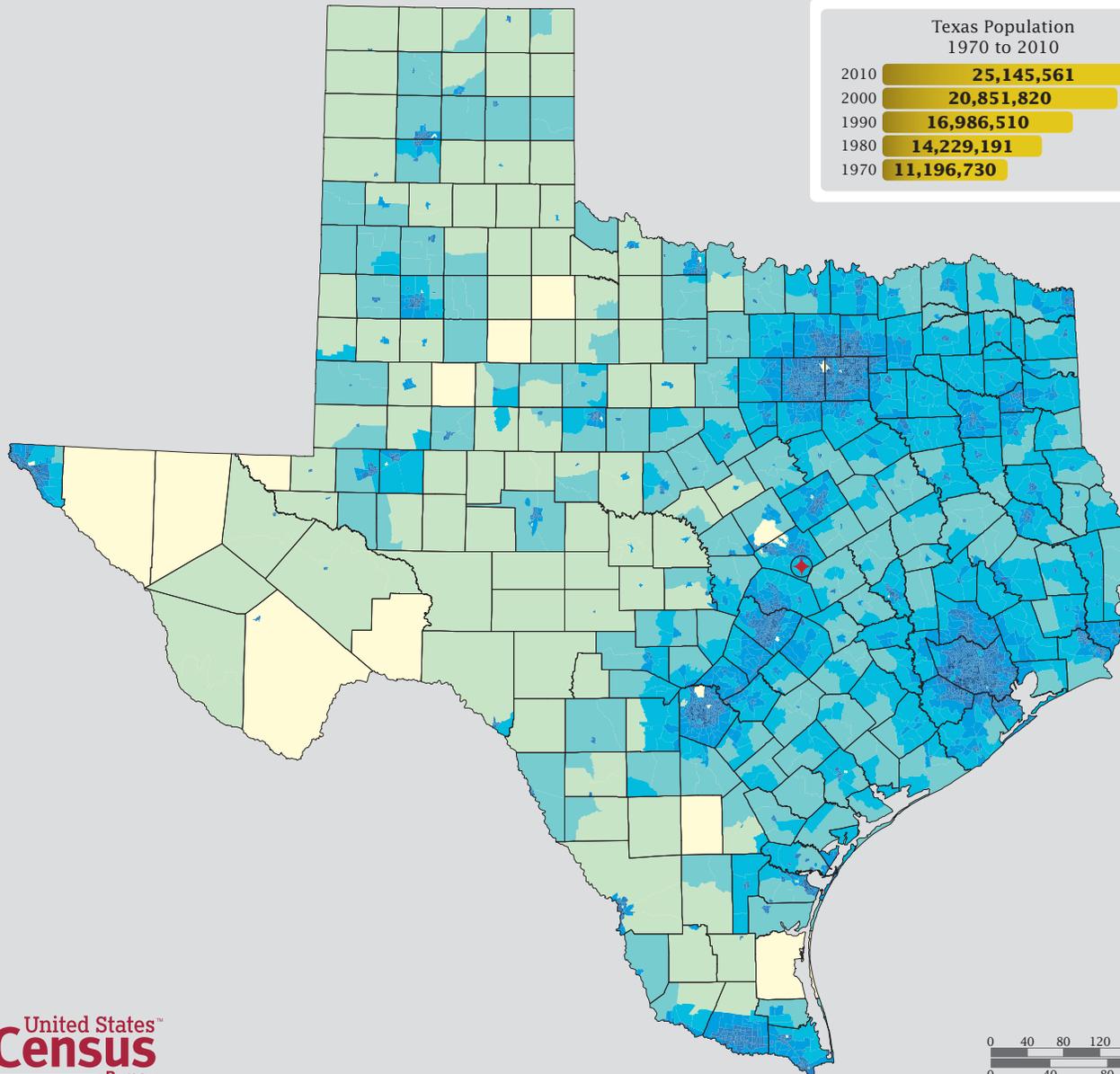


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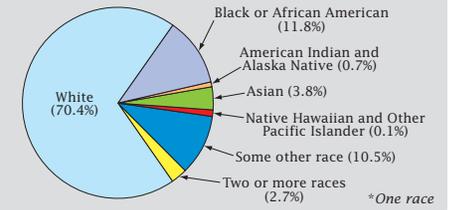
Population Density by Census Tract



Texas Population 1970 to 2010

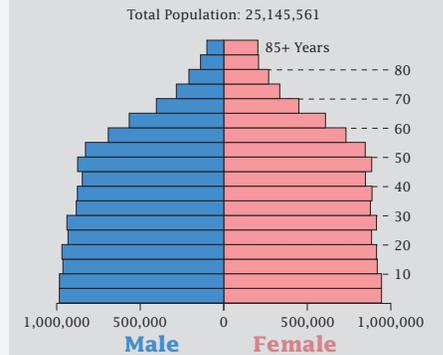
2010	25,145,561
2000	20,851,820
1990	16,986,510
1980	14,229,191
1970	11,196,730

State Race* Breakdown

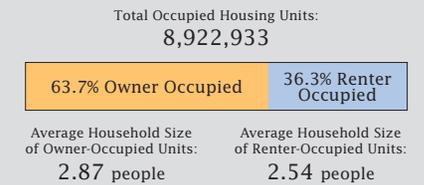


Hispanic or Latino (of any race) makes up **37.6%** of the state population.

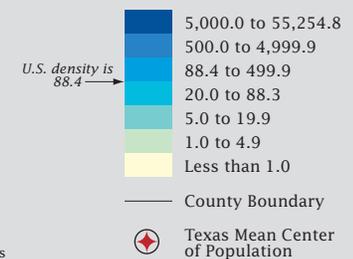
Population by Sex and Age



Housing Tenure



People per Square Mile by Census Tract



Texas

BASIC INFORMATION

2010 Census Population: 25,145,561 (2nd)
 Land Area: 261,231.7 square miles (2nd)
 Density: 96.3 persons per square mile (26th)
 Capital: Austin
 Became a State: December 29, 1845 (28th)

Bordering States: Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma
 International Border: Mexico
 Abbreviation: TX
 ANSI/FIPS Code: 48

HISTORY

Texas was originally part of Mexico, achieving independence as the Republic of Texas in 1836. The United States acquired the area of Texas through annexation and Texas was admitted to the Union on March 1, 1845, as the 28th state. At the time of statehood, Texas included part of present-day Colorado, Kansas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, and Wyoming. Texas sold territory to the United States in 1850 to assume generally the same boundary as the present state, but there were some subsequent revisions. In 1896, the Supreme Court ruled the Texas claim to the Greer County area in southwest Oklahoma to be invalid, and the area was officially deemed to be part of Oklahoma. An additional boundary dispute with Oklahoma was settled in 1930 by adding a narrow strip of territory to Texas. As the Rio Grande has changed its course, the United States and the Republic of Mexico have made periodic adjustments to their boundary that affected the boundary of Texas.

Census data for Texas are available beginning with the 1850 census.

AMERICAN INDIAN AREAS

Texas has three federally recognized American Indian reservations, two with off-reservation trust land.

METROPOLITAN AND MICROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS AND RELATED STATISTICAL AREAS

Texas has 25 metropolitan statistical areas, 44 micropolitan statistical areas, 2 metropolitan divisions, and 8 combined statistical areas.

COUNTIES

There are 254 counties in Texas. All counties are functioning governmental units, each governed by a Commissioners Court.

COUNTY SUBDIVISIONS

There are 862 county subdivisions in Texas. They are all census county divisions (CCDs), which are delineated for statistical purposes, have no legal function, and are not governmental units.

PLACES

Texas has 1,752 places; 1,214 incorporated places and 538 census designated places (CDPs). The incorporated places consist of 956 cities, 234 towns, and 24 villages.

Geographic Entities	2010 Census	Census 2000
American Indian / Alaska Native / Native Hawaiian Areas	3	3
Block Groups	15,811	14,463
Census Blocks	914,231	675,062
Census Tracts	5,265	4,388
Congressional Districts (108th - 112th)	32	32
Counties and Equivalents	254	254
County Subdivisions	862	860
Elementary School Districts	7	17
Places	1,752	1,510
Secondary School Districts	7	N/A
State Legislative Districts (Lower)	150	N/A
State Legislative Districts (Upper)	31	N/A
Unified School Districts	1,022	1,024
Voting Districts	8,324	8,284

Features	2010 Census
Address Range-Feature Names	2,925,509
Address Ranges	2,572,148
Area Landmarks	5,985
Area Water	373,882
Edges	6,158,486
Feature Names	5,316,608
Linear Water	553,239
Point Landmarks	29,584
Primary and Secondary Roads	16,959
Roads	1,680,341
Topological Faces	2,089,039
Topological Faces-Area Hydrography	546,134
Topological Faces-Area Landmark	25,297