

District Profile
TEXAS HOUSE DISTRICT 3¹
ACS 2010-2014 Estimates

SELECTED POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate^{1,2}	District percent³	State³
Total population	172,152		26,092,033
Age			
0 to 4 years	11,609	6.7%	7.4%
5 to 17 years	34,512	20.0%	19.4%
18 to 64 years	107,815	62.6%	62.3%
65 years and over	18,216	10.6%	10.9%
Population 5 years and over	160,543		24,151,280
Ability to speak English			
Speaks English only	125,597	78.2%	65.1%
Speaks other than English at home	34,946	21.8%	34.9%
Speaks English very well or well	26,779	16.7%	27.0%
Does not speak English well or at all	8,167	5.1%	8.0%
Special populations⁴			
Moved in the past 12 months	24,736	NA	4,370,297
Individuals with disabilities	20,975	NA	2,969,042
Veterans	10,490	NA	1,564,501
Active duty military	23	NA	97,573

SELECTED HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate^{1,2}	District percent³	State³
Number of households	56,204		9,013,582
Average number of persons per household ^{4,5}	2.98	NA	2.83
Households by composition			
1 person	11,635	20.7%	24.9%
2 persons	18,462	32.8%	31.4%
3 or 4 persons	18,456	32.8%	31.1%
5 or more persons	7,651	13.6%	12.6%
Household type			
Family households	41,840	74.4%	69.6%
Nonfamily households	14,364	25.6%	30.4%
Number of families	41,840		6,277,955
Families with children by birth, marriage or adoption under 18 years	19,699	47.1%	48.4%
Married-couple families	14,133	33.8%	32.9%
Families with both parents employed	7,237	17.3%	18.0%
Single-parent families	5,566	13.3%	15.6%
Families with the parent employed	3,991	9.5%	12.1%

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SELECTED EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate^{1,2}	District percent³	State³
Population age 3 and over enrolled in school	50,214		7,366,632
School status			
In preschool (public and private)	2,586	5.1%	6.1%
In kindergarten, elementary, middle, or high school (public and private)	34,474	68.7%	69.0%
In preschool through 12th grade (public only)	33,670	67.1%	68.4%
In college, graduate, or professional school	13,154	26.2%	24.9%
Population age 25 and over	106,016		16,426,730
Educational attainment			
Bachelor's degree or higher	22,062	20.8%	27.1%
Less than high school graduate	18,735	17.7%	18.4%
SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate^{1,2}	District percent³	State³
Civilian employed population age 16 and over	75,972		11,809,010
Civilian employment sector			
Private sector	60,197	79.2%	78.8%
Government sector	9,667	12.7%	14.3%
Self-employed	6,000	7.9%	6.7%
Industry for civilian employed population			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting, and mining	3,716	4.9%	3.3%
Construction	7,716	10.2%	7.8%
Manufacturing	8,225	10.8%	9.3%
Wholesale trade	2,857	3.8%	3.0%
Retail trade	9,703	12.8%	11.6%
Transportation and warehousing and utilities	5,781	7.6%	5.4%
Information	803	1.1%	1.8%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	3,278	4.3%	6.6%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste mgmt.	7,633	10.0%	10.9%
Educational services and health care and social assistance	13,262	17.5%	21.8%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	6,366	8.4%	8.8%
Other services, except public administration	3,956	5.2%	5.4%
Public administration	2,676	3.5%	4.4%
Population 16 to 64 years	113,571		17,008,325
Worked at all in the past 12 months	82,942	73.0%	74.3%
Worked 50 - 52 weeks	60,646	53.4%	56.1%
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	53,066	46.7%	49.3%
Usually worked less than 35 hours per week	7,580	6.7%	6.7%

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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate^{1,2}	District percent³	State³
Number of housing units	62,150		10,187,189
Age of housing			
Built in 2010 or later	2,099	3.4%	2.1%
Built between 2000 and 2009	22,601	36.4%	21.9%
Built between 1990 and 1999	14,703	23.7%	15.5%
Built between 1970 and 1989	16,892	27.2%	34.3%
Built before 1970	5,855	9.4%	26.2%
Occupancy status			
Owner-occupied	41,538	66.8%	55.5%
Renter-occupied	14,666	23.6%	33.0%
Vacant	5,946	9.6%	11.5%
Median gross rent (contract rent plus estimated utility and fuel cost) ^{4,5}	\$908	NA	\$870
Median value of owner-occupied housing units ^{4,5}	\$144,300	NA	\$131,400
Number of owner-occupied housing units	41,538		5,652,542
Value of owner-occupied housing			
Less than \$50,000	6,138	14.8%	12.3%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	8,684	20.9%	23.7%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	12,904	31.1%	37.1%
\$200,000 to \$499,999	11,653	28.1%	22.7%
\$500,000 and above	2,159	5.2%	4.3%
Selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income ⁹			
35 percent or more	8,006	19.3%	17.4%
20 to 34.9 percent	10,981	26.4%	27.0%
Less than 20 percent	22,275	53.6%	54.8%
Vehicles available in owner-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	925	2.2%	2.4%
One or more vehicles	40,613	97.8%	97.6%
Number of renter-occupied housing units	14,666		3,361,040
Gross rent ¹⁰			
Less than \$500	765	5.2%	9.3%
\$500 to \$749	3,064	20.9%	24.0%
\$750 to \$999	4,291	29.3%	27.3%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	2,598	17.7%	16.4%
\$1,250 and above	2,195	15.0%	17.4%
Gross rent as a percentage of household income ⁹			
35 percent or more	4,789	32.7%	36.9%
20 to 34.9 percent	4,285	29.2%	31.0%
Less than 20 percent	3,491	23.8%	24.3%
Vehicles available in renter-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	1,112	7.6%	11.8%
One or more vehicles	13,554	92.4%	88.2%

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- ¹ Comparisons to the previous district profiles should be made with caution. Previous district profiles were compiled by 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 2010-2014 ACS, 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 margins of error (MOEs) that accompany each of the estimates are 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 Statistical weights are used to calculate the district estimates.
- ⁶ Individuals who work at home are not included in these categories.
- ⁷ Percentages are based on the population for whom poverty status is determined.
- ⁸ Public assistance income includes Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) but not SSI or Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) / food stamps.
- ⁹ Households reporting no income or a negative income (where expenses are more than income) are excluded.
- ¹⁰ 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. The percentages of units with no cash rent range from 1% to 22% across senate and house districts.