

District Profile
TEXAS HOUSE DISTRICT 96¹
ACS 2012-2016 Estimates

SELECTED POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate^{1,2}	District percent³	State³
Total population	180,010		26,956,435
Age			
0 to 4 years	13,291	7.4%	7.3%
5 to 17 years	39,636	22.0%	19.1%
18 to 64 years	111,084	61.7%	62.1%
65 years and over	15,999	8.9%	11.5%
Population 5 years and over	166,719		24,985,749
Ability to speak English			
Speaks English only	138,761	83.2%	64.8%
Speaks other than English at home	27,958	16.8%	35.2%
Speaks English very well or well	23,980	14.4%	27.5%
Does not speak English well or at all	3,978	2.4%	7.7%
Special populations⁴			
Moved in the past 12 months	24,915	NA	4,375,825
Individuals with disabilities	16,265	NA	3,083,141
Veterans	10,815	NA	1,513,294
Active duty military	236	NA	92,754
SELECTED HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS			
	District estimate^{1,2}	District percent³	State³
Number of households	59,725		9,289,554
Average number of persons per household ^{4,5}	3.00	NA	2.84
Households by composition			
1 person	10,765	18.0%	25.1%
2 persons	18,629	31.2%	31.4%
3 or 4 persons	22,012	36.9%	31.1%
5 or more persons	8,319	13.9%	12.5%
Household type			
Family households	47,152	78.9%	69.4%
Nonfamily households	12,573	21.1%	30.6%
Number of families	47,152		6,450,049
Families with children by birth, marriage or adoption under 18 years	24,803	52.6%	47.8%
Married-couple families	18,110	38.4%	32.5%
Families with both parents employed	11,472	24.3%	18.0%
Single-parent families	6,693	14.2%	15.3%
Families with the parent employed	5,585	11.8%	12.1%

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SELECTED EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate ^{1,2}	District percent ³	State ³
Population age 3 and over enrolled in school	54,473		7,488,362
School status			
In preschool (public and private)	2,548	4.7%	6.1%
In kindergarten, elementary, middle, or high school (public and private)	39,960	73.4%	69.2%
In preschool through 12th grade (public only)	37,176	68.2%	68.6%
In college, graduate, or professional school	11,965	22.0%	24.6%
Population age 25 and over	111,960		17,085,128
Educational attainment			
Bachelor's degree or higher	37,124	33.2%	28.1%
Less than high school graduate	9,543	8.5%	17.7%
SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate ^{1,2}	District percent ³	State ³
Civilian employed population age 16 and over	88,186		12,371,392
Civilian employment sector			
Private sector	70,653	80.1%	79.7%
Government sector	12,519	14.2%	13.5%
Self-employed	4,920	5.6%	6.6%
Industry for civilian employed population			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting, and mining	1,238	1.4%	3.3%
Construction	4,921	5.6%	8.0%
Manufacturing	10,113	11.5%	8.9%
Wholesale trade	3,040	3.4%	3.0%
Retail trade	10,752	12.2%	11.5%
Transportation and warehousing and utilities	5,829	6.6%	5.5%
Information	1,576	1.8%	1.8%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	6,688	7.6%	6.6%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste mgmt.	8,479	9.6%	11.2%
Educational services and health care and social assistance	20,923	23.7%	21.6%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	6,115	6.9%	9.0%
Other services, except public administration	4,486	5.1%	5.3%
Public administration	4,026	4.6%	4.2%
Population 16 to 64 years	117,340		17,502,656
Worked at all in the past 12 months	91,861	78.3%	74.7%
Worked 50 - 52 weeks	73,603	62.7%	57.0%
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	66,489	56.7%	50.4%
Usually worked less than 35 hours per week	7,114	6.1%	6.6%

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Number of housing units	63,565		10,441,643
Age of housing			
Built in 2010 or later	3,643	5.7%	4.8%
Built between 2000 and 2009	27,760	43.7%	21.2%
Built between 1990 and 1999	12,366	19.5%	15.6%
Built between 1970 and 1989	16,094	25.3%	33.2%
Built before 1970	3,702	5.8%	25.2%
Occupancy status			
Owner-occupied	44,155	69.5%	55.0%
Renter-occupied	15,570	24.5%	33.9%
Vacant	3,840	6.0%	11.0%
Median gross rent (contract rent plus estimated utility and fuel cost) ^{4,5}	\$1,142	NA	\$911
Median value of owner-occupied housing units ^{4,5}	\$163,400	NA	\$142,700
Number of owner-occupied housing units	44,155		5,747,458
Value of owner-occupied housing			
Less than \$50,000	1,813	4.1%	11.3%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	4,738	10.7%	21.6%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	22,522	51.0%	35.7%
\$200,000 to \$499,999	14,070	31.9%	26.1%
\$500,000 and above	1,012	2.3%	5.3%
Selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income ⁹			
35 percent or more	6,940	15.7%	16.0%
20 to 34.9 percent	13,466	30.5%	25.6%
Less than 20 percent	23,574	53.4%	57.6%
Vehicles available in owner-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	509	1.2%	2.2%
One or more vehicles	43,646	98.8%	97.8%
Number of renter-occupied housing units	15,570		3,542,096
Gross rent ¹⁰			
Less than \$500	510	3.3%	8.2%
\$500 to \$749	1,358	8.7%	21.1%
\$750 to \$999	3,847	24.7%	27.0%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	3,237	20.8%	17.5%
\$1,250 and above	6,146	39.5%	20.8%
Gross rent as a percentage of household income ⁹			
35 percent or more	5,728	36.8%	36.1%
20 to 34.9 percent	5,412	34.8%	31.4%
Less than 20 percent	3,820	24.5%	25.0%
Vehicles available in renter-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	971	6.2%	11.1%
One or more vehicles	14,599	93.8%	88.9%

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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 2012-2016 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 21% across senate and house districts.