

District Profile
TEXAS HOUSE DISTRICT 135¹
ACS 2010-2014 Estimates

SELECTED POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate^{1,2}	District percent³	State³
Total population	181,713		26,092,033
Age			
0 to 4 years	13,632	7.5%	7.4%
5 to 17 years	38,886	21.4%	19.4%
18 to 64 years	117,391	64.6%	62.3%
65 years and over	11,804	6.5%	10.9%
Population 5 years and over	168,081		24,151,280
Ability to speak English			
Speaks English only	105,407	62.7%	65.1%
Speaks other than English at home	62,674	37.3%	34.9%
Speaks English very well or well	50,830	30.2%	27.0%
Does not speak English well or at all	11,844	7.0%	8.0%
Special populations⁴			
Moved in the past 12 months	25,250	NA	4,370,297
Individuals with disabilities	12,273	NA	2,969,042
Veterans	8,139	NA	1,564,501
Active duty military	46	NA	97,573
SELECTED HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS			
	District estimate^{1,2}	District percent³	State³
Number of households	61,164		9,013,582
Average number of persons per household ^{4,5}	2.96	NA	2.83
Households by composition			
1 person	13,535	22.1%	24.9%
2 persons	17,118	28.0%	31.4%
3 or 4 persons	22,332	36.5%	31.1%
5 or more persons	8,179	13.4%	12.6%
Household type			
Family households	45,283	74.0%	69.6%
Nonfamily households	15,881	26.0%	30.4%
Number of families	45,283		6,277,955
Families with children by birth, marriage or adoption under 18 years	24,648	54.4%	48.4%
Married-couple families	18,239	40.3%	32.9%
Families with both parents employed	10,413	23.0%	18.0%
Single-parent families	6,409	14.2%	15.6%
Families with the parent employed	5,343	11.8%	12.1%

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SELECTED EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate^{1,2}	District percent³	State³
Population age 3 and over enrolled in school	55,294		7,366,632
School status			
In preschool (public and private)	3,996	7.2%	6.1%
In kindergarten, elementary, middle, or high school (public and private)	39,020	70.6%	69.0%
In preschool through 12th grade (public only)	38,852	70.3%	68.4%
In college, graduate, or professional school	12,278	22.2%	24.9%
Population age 25 and over	112,519		16,426,730
Educational attainment			
Bachelor's degree or higher	38,882	34.6%	27.1%
Less than high school graduate	13,529	12.0%	18.4%
SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate^{1,2}	District percent³	State³
Civilian employed population age 16 and over	93,649		11,809,010
Civilian employment sector			
Private sector	78,828	84.2%	78.8%
Government sector	9,330	10.0%	14.3%
Self-employed	5,344	5.7%	6.7%
Industry for civilian employed population			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting, and mining	3,910	4.2%	3.3%
Construction	5,895	6.3%	7.8%
Manufacturing	12,179	13.0%	9.3%
Wholesale trade	4,308	4.6%	3.0%
Retail trade	10,165	10.9%	11.6%
Transportation and warehousing and utilities	5,045	5.4%	5.4%
Information	1,658	1.8%	1.8%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	6,742	7.2%	6.6%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste mgmt.	11,735	12.5%	10.9%
Educational services and health care and social assistance	18,455	19.7%	21.8%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	5,923	6.3%	8.8%
Other services, except public administration	5,649	6.0%	5.4%
Public administration	1,985	2.1%	4.4%
Population 16 to 64 years	124,072		17,008,325
Worked at all in the past 12 months	97,534	78.6%	74.3%
Worked 50 - 52 weeks	76,216	61.4%	56.1%
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	68,701	55.4%	49.3%
Usually worked less than 35 hours per week	7,515	6.1%	6.7%

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SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS (continued)	District estimate^{1,2}	District percent³	State³
Workers age 16 and over	92,646		11,685,902
Means of transportation to work			
Public transportation	1,336	1.4%	1.6%
Private vehicle	85,950	92.8%	91.0%
Walk / bicycle / motorcycle	1,032	1.1%	2.1%
Taxi / other means	687	0.7%	1.3%
Worked at home	3,641	3.9%	4.1%
Travel time to work ⁶			
Less than 15 minutes	14,448	15.6%	25.9%
15 minutes to 29 minutes	27,487	29.7%	35.1%
30 minutes to 44 minutes	25,493	27.5%	20.3%
45 minutes to 59 minutes	11,009	11.9%	7.6%
60 minutes or more	10,568	11.4%	7.0%
SELECTED INCOME CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate^{1,2}	District percent³	State³
Persons in poverty ⁷	19,592	10.8%	17.7%
Per capita income ^{4,5}	\$30,699	NA	\$26,513
Number of households	61,164		9,013,582
Annual household income			
Less than \$10,000	2,286	3.7%	7.3%
\$10,000 to \$24,999	5,333	8.7%	16.1%
\$25,000 to \$49,999	13,841	22.6%	24.2%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	19,460	31.8%	29.5%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	16,250	26.6%	17.8%
\$200,000 and over	3,994	6.5%	5.0%
Households with social security income	8,828	14.4%	24.6%
Households with supplemental security income (SSI)	1,556	2.5%	4.9%
Households with public assistance income ⁸	1,008	1.6%	1.8%
Number of families living in poverty	3,987		862,797
With related children under 18	3,171	79.5%	80.4%
Married couple families	1,539	38.6%	29.6%
Single-parent families	1,632	40.9%	50.8%
Female head of household	1,434	36.0%	44.1%
Male head of household	198	5.0%	6.8%

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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS	District estimate ^{1,2}	District percent ³	State ³
Number of housing units	64,572		10,187,189
Age of housing			
Built in 2010 or later	1,602	2.5%	2.1%
Built between 2000 and 2009	25,602	39.6%	21.9%
Built between 1990 and 1999	15,605	24.2%	15.5%
Built between 1970 and 1989	20,794	32.2%	34.3%
Built before 1970	969	1.5%	26.2%
Occupancy status			
Owner-occupied	39,751	61.6%	55.5%
Renter-occupied	21,413	33.2%	33.0%
Vacant	3,408	5.3%	11.5%
Median gross rent (contract rent plus estimated utility and fuel cost) ^{4,5}	\$1,087	NA	\$870
Median value of owner-occupied housing units ^{4,5}	\$150,700	NA	\$131,400
Number of owner-occupied housing units	39,751		5,652,542
Value of owner-occupied housing			
Less than \$50,000	1,046	2.6%	12.3%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	5,537	13.9%	23.7%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	24,547	61.8%	37.1%
\$200,000 to \$499,999	8,486	21.3%	22.7%
\$500,000 and above	135	0.3%	4.3%
Selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income ⁹			
35 percent or more	8,030	20.2%	17.4%
20 to 34.9 percent	10,490	26.4%	27.0%
Less than 20 percent	20,863	52.5%	54.8%
Vehicles available in owner-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	458	1.2%	2.4%
One or more vehicles	39,293	98.8%	97.6%
Number of renter-occupied housing units	21,413		3,361,040
Gross rent ¹⁰			
Less than \$500	172	0.8%	9.3%
\$500 to \$749	2,117	9.9%	24.0%
\$750 to \$999	6,186	28.9%	27.3%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	5,571	26.0%	16.4%
\$1,250 and above	6,786	31.7%	17.4%
Gross rent as a percentage of household income ⁹			
35 percent or more	7,637	35.7%	36.9%
20 to 34.9 percent	7,407	34.6%	31.0%
Less than 20 percent	5,662	26.4%	24.3%
Vehicles available in renter-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	1,149	5.4%	11.8%
One or more vehicles	20,264	94.6%	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.