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SELECTED POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate [1,2]	District Percent [3]	State [3]
Total population	196,418		29,243,342
Age			
0 to 4 years	11,520	5.9%	6.6%
5 to 17 years	30,672	15.6%	18.7%
18 to 64 years	121,402	61.8%	61.8%
65 years and over	32,824	16.7%	12.9%
Race/Ethnicity			
Anglo (non-Hispanic)	136,023	69.3%	40.1%
Non-Anglo	60,395	30.7%	59.9%
Hispanic	34,932	17.8%	39.9%
Black alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	17,015	8.7%	13.7%
Asian alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	4,511	2.3%	6.1%
Population age 5 and over	184,898		27,319,920
Ability to speak English			
Speaks English only	160,155	86.6%	64.9%
Speaks other than English at home	24,743	13.4%	35.1%
Speaks English very well or well	20,930	11.3%	28.4%
Does not speak English well or at all	3,813	2.1%	6.7%
Special populations[4]			
Moved in the past 12 months	35,082	NA	4,235,358
Veterans	18,201	NA	1,416,973
Active duty military	9,879	NA	110,177

SELECTED HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate [1,2]	District Percent [3]	State [3]
Number of households	69,028		10,490,553
Average number of persons per household[4]	2.56	NA	2.73
Households by composition			
1 person	17,603	25.5%	25.7%
2 persons	25,894	37.5%	31.4%
3 or 4 persons	19,068	27.6%	30.7%
5 or more persons	6,463	9.4%	12.2%
Household type			
Family households	47,780	69.2%	68.4%
Nonfamily households	21,248	30.8%	31.6%
Number of families	47,780		7,173,843
Families with children by birth, marriage, or adoption under age 18	19,151	40.1%	46.1%
Married-couple families	14,048	29.4%	31.9%
Families with both parents employed	7,533	15.8%	18.6%
Single-parent families	5,103	10.7%	14.2%
Families with the parent employed	4,157	8.7%	11.4%

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SELECTED EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate [1,2]	District Percent [3]	State [3]
Population age 3 and over enrolled in school	47,767		7,768,251
School status			
In preschool (public and private)	2,302	4.8%	5.5%
In kindergarten, elementary, middle, or high school (public and private)	31,025	65.0%	70.1%
In preschool through 12th grade (public only)	30,701	64.3%	67.9%
In college, graduate, or professional school	14,440	30.2%	24.4%
Population age 25 and over	128,823		18,910,948
Educational attainment			
Bachelor's degree or higher	33,052	25.7%	32.3%
Less than high school graduate	12,578	9.8%	14.8%

SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate [1,2]	District Percent [3]	State [3]
Civilian employed population age 16 and over	75,927		13,908,128
Civilian employment sector			
Private sector	54,333	71.6%	79.2%
Government sector	14,807	19.5%	13.7%
Self-employed	6,535	8.6%	6.9%
Industry for civilian employed population			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting, and mining	4,623	6.1%	2.6%
Construction	6,378	8.4%	8.7%
Manufacturing	5,713	7.5%	8.5%
Wholesale trade	1,667	2.2%	2.6%
Retail trade	8,700	11.5%	11.3%
Transportation and warehousing and utilities	5,079	6.7%	6.4%
Information	917	1.2%	1.6%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	3,467	4.6%	6.9%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste mgmt.	7,219	9.5%	12.2%
Educational services and health care and social assistance	16,999	22.4%	21.5%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	5,260	6.9%	8.7%
Other services, except public administration	3,845	5.1%	5.0%
Public administration	6,060	8.0%	4.1%
Population age 16 to 64	125,925		18,929,419
Worked at all in the past 12 months	90,583	71.9%	76.3%
Worked 50-52 weeks	69,618	55.3%	60.4%
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	60,371	47.9%	53.1%
Usually worked less than 35 hours per week	9,247	7.3%	7.3%

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SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS (continued)	District Estimate [1,2]	District Percent [3]	State [3]
Workers age 16 and over	83,920		13,755,352
Means of transportation to work			
Public transportation	144	0.2%	1.0%
Private vehicle	71,645	85.4%	84.8%
Walk / bicycle / motorcycle	3,958	4.7%	1.8%
Taxi / other means	819	1.0%	1.4%
Worked at home	7,354	8.8%	11.0%
Travel time to work[5]			
Less than 15 minutes	29,176	34.8%	21.9%
15 minutes to 29 minutes	22,278	26.5%	32.4%
30 minutes to 44 minutes	9,975	11.9%	19.7%
45 minutes to 59 minutes	6,535	7.8%	7.7%
60 minutes or more	8,602	10.3%	7.2%

SELECTED INCOME CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate [1,2]	District Percent [3]	State [3]
Persons in poverty[6]	20,603	11.7%	13.9%
Per capita income[4]	$33,095	NA	$37,514
Number of households	69,028		10,490,553
Annual household income			
Less than $10,000	3,372	4.9%	5.1%
$10,000 to $24,999	7,902	11.4%	10.6%
$25,000 to $49,999	15,243	22.1%	18.8%
$50,000 to $99,999	21,759	31.5%	29.4%
$100,000 to $199,999	15,727	22.8%	25.5%
$200,000 and over	5,025	7.3%	10.6%
Households with social security income	23,694	34.3%	25.3%
Households with supplemental security income (SSI)	2,917	4.2%	4.5%
Households with public assistance income[7]	1,166	1.7%	2.0%
Number of families living in poverty	3,742		765,437
With related children under age 18	2,271	60.7%	74.6%
Married couple families	841	22.5%	25.0%
Single-parent families	1,430	38.2%	49.6%
Female head of household	1,237	33.1%	43.1%
Male head of household	193	5.2%	6.5%

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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate [1,2]	District Percent [3]	State [3]
Number of housing units	79,867		11,654,971
Age of housing			
Built in 2010 or later	12,744	16.0%	16.8%
Built between 2000 and 2009	14,366	18.0%	18.2%
Built between 1990 and 1999	12,660	15.9%	14.0%
Built between 1970 and 1989	25,616	32.1%	29.4%
Built before 1970	14,481	18.1%	21.6%
Occupancy status			
Owner-occupied	47,149	59.0%	56.2%
Renter-occupied	21,879	27.4%	33.8%
Vacant	10,839	13.6%	10.0%
Average gross rent (contract rent plus estimated utility and fuel cost)[4]	$1,162	NA	$1,349
Average value of owner-occupied housing units[4]	$276,557	NA	$311,438
Number of owner-occupied housing units	47,149		6,545,727
Value of owner-occupied housing			
Less than $50,000	3,441	7.3%	6.7%
$50,000 to $99,999	6,035	12.8%	9.9%
$100,000 to $199,999	13,314	28.2%	23.5%
$200,000 to $499,999	19,316	41.0%	46.4%
$500,000 and above	5,043	10.7%	13.5%
Selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income[8]			
35 percent or more	7,391	15.7%	16.0%
20 to 34.9 percent	10,228	21.7%	24.7%
Less than 20 percent	29,181	61.9%	58.4%
Vehicles available in owner-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	695	1.5%	2.1%
One or more vehicles	46,454	98.5%	97.9%
Number of renter-occupied housing units	21,879		3,944,826
Gross rent[9]			
Less than $500	1,081	4.9%	4.4%
$500 to $749	3,287	15.0%	6.6%
$750 to $999	4,244	19.4%	16.2%
$1,000 to $1,249	4,533	20.7%	20.4%
$1,250 and above	7,385	33.8%	47.8%
Gross rent as a percentage of household income[8]			
35 percent or more	7,928	36.2%	37.8%
20 to 34.9 percent	6,502	29.7%	32.1%
Less than 20 percent	5,825	26.6%	23.5%
Vehicles available in renter-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	1,771	8.1%	10.5%
One or more vehicles	20,108	91.9%	89.5%

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[1] These district profiles use the census geographies for the Texas house and senate districts corresponding to PlanH2316 and PlanS2168. Comparisons to previous profiles should be made with caution. In some past profiles, including the 2017-2021 vintage, districts were compiled by aggregating block group data since census geographies did not correspond to the legislative plans in effect at the time in Texas. Additionally, the Census Bureau advises against comparing estimates from overlapping 5-year periods.

[2] The ACS data is gathered from surveys distributed to a sample of the population. The margin of error (MOE) that accompanies each of the estimates is 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 values. For these variables, the state estimate is provided.

[5] Individuals who worked at home are not included in these categories.

[6] Percentages are based on the population for whom poverty status is determined.

[7] Public assistance income includes Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) but not SSI or Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)/food stamps.

[8] Households reporting no income or a negative income (where expenses are more than income) are excluded.

[9] 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.