

STATE POPULATION GROWTH 2000 TO 2005

Based Upon US Census Bureau Data
22 December 2005

Today the US Bureau of the Census released its annual estimates of state population. The estimates are as of July 1, 2005 and therefore do not reflect any population changes that might have occurred as a result of Hurricane Katrina.

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OBSERVATIONS

- California's 2004-2005 growth rate fell sharply from the early 1980s and is now below the national rate (Table 4).
- While California added the most residents from 2000 to 2005, from 2004 to 2005, Texas and Florida added more residents (Tables 4 and 6).
- The 11 fastest growing states in percentage terms are in the Rocky Mountain and Southeastern regions (Table 5).
- The fastest growing states in percentage terms are Nevada, Arizona, Florida, Georgia and Utah (Table 5).
- Between 2000 and 2005, population losses were sustained in North Dakota and the District of Columbia (Table 3). Between 2004 and 2005, the District of Columbia, Rhode Island, Massachusetts and New York lost population (Table 6).
- Since 2005, Georgia has replaced New Jersey as the nation's 9th largest state (Table 2).
- Average annual growth rates are down in most states (43) and the District of Columbia compared to the 1990s (Table 9).

- Despite their generally rapid growth, the largest declines in annual growth rates were in eight Western states, including Nevada (Table 9).
- If the trends of 2000 to 2005 continue, Florida will pass New York to become the nation's third largest state (after California and Texas) by the 2010 census and North Carolina will assume 10th place, overtaking New Jersey (Table 10)
- Between 2000 and 2005, the District of Columbia (the city of Washington) had by far the largest loss of population, both in actual numbers and percentage. If current trends hold, however, Washington will remain slightly larger than last place Wyoming in the 2010 census, but would fall behind Wyoming by 2012 (Tables 4, 5 & 10)

1-POPULATION 2000, 2004 & 2005

State/District	2005	2004	2000
Alabama	4,557,808	4,525,375	4,447,100
Alaska	663,661	657,755	626,932
Arizona	5,939,292	5,739,879	5,130,632
Arkansas	2,779,154	2,750,000	2,673,400
California	36,132,147	35,842,038	33,871,648
Colorado	4,665,177	4,601,821	4,301,261
Connecticut	3,510,297	3,498,966	3,405,565
Delaware	843,524	830,069	783,600
District of Columbia	550,521	554,239	572,059
Florida	17,789,864	17,385,430	15,982,378
Georgia	9,072,576	8,918,129	8,186,453
Hawaii	1,275,194	1,262,124	1,211,537
Idaho	1,429,096	1,395,140	1,293,953
Illinois	12,763,371	12,712,016	12,419,293
Indiana	6,271,973	6,226,537	6,080,485
Iowa	2,966,334	2,952,904	2,926,324
Kansas	2,744,687	2,733,697	2,688,418
Kentucky	4,173,405	4,141,835	4,041,769
Louisiana	4,523,628	4,506,685	4,468,976
Maine	1,321,505	1,314,985	1,274,923
Maryland	5,600,388	5,561,332	5,296,486
Massachusetts	6,398,743	6,407,382	6,349,097
Michigan	10,120,860	10,104,206	9,938,444
Minnesota	5,132,799	5,096,546	4,919,479
Mississippi	2,921,088	2,900,768	2,844,658
Missouri	5,800,310	5,759,532	5,595,211
Montana	935,670	926,920	902,195
Nebraska	1,758,787	1,747,704	1,711,263
Nevada	2,414,807	2,332,898	1,998,257
New Hampshire	1,309,940	1,299,169	1,235,786
New Jersey	8,717,925	8,685,166	8,414,350
New Mexico	1,928,384	1,903,006	1,819,046
New York	19,254,630	19,280,727	18,976,457
North Carolina	8,683,242	8,540,468	8,049,313
North Dakota	636,677	636,308	642,200
Ohio	11,464,042	11,450,143	11,353,140
Oklahoma	3,547,884	3,523,546	3,450,654
Oregon	3,641,056	3,591,363	3,421,399
Pennsylvania	12,429,616	12,394,471	12,281,054
Rhode Island	1,076,189	1,079,916	1,048,319
South Carolina	4,255,083	4,197,892	4,012,012
South Dakota	775,933	770,621	754,844
Tennessee	5,962,959	5,893,298	5,689,283
Texas	22,859,968	22,471,549	20,851,820
Utah	2,469,585	2,420,708	2,233,169
Vermont	623,050	621,233	608,827
Virginia	7,567,465	7,481,332	7,078,515
Washington	6,287,759	6,207,046	5,894,121
West Virginia	1,816,856	1,812,548	1,808,344
Wisconsin	5,536,201	5,503,533	5,363,675
Wyoming	509,294	505,887	493,782
United States	296,410,404	293,656,842	281,421,906

2-RANKED BY POPULATION

Rank	State/District	2005	2004 Rank	2000 Rank
1	California	36,132,147	1	1
2	Texas	22,859,968	2	2
3	New York	19,254,630	3	3
4	Florida	17,789,864	4	4
5	Illinois	12,763,371	5	5
6	Pennsylvania	12,429,616	6	6
7	Ohio	11,464,042	7	7
8	Michigan	10,120,860	8	8
9	Georgia	9,072,576	9	10
10	New Jersey	8,717,925	10	9
11	North Carolina	8,683,242	11	11
12	Virginia	7,567,465	12	12
13	Massachusetts	6,398,743	13	13
14	Washington	6,287,759	15	15
15	Indiana	6,271,973	14	14
16	Tennessee	5,962,959	16	16
17	Arizona	5,939,292	18	20
18	Missouri	5,800,310	17	17
19	Maryland	5,600,388	19	19
20	Wisconsin	5,536,201	20	18
21	Minnesota	5,132,799	21	21
22	Colorado	4,665,177	22	24
23	Alabama	4,557,808	23	23
24	Louisiana	4,523,628	24	22
25	South Carolina	4,255,083	25	26
26	Kentucky	4,173,405	26	25
27	Oregon	3,641,056	27	28
28	Oklahoma	3,547,884	28	27
29	Connecticut	3,510,297	29	29
30	Iowa	2,966,334	30	30
31	Mississippi	2,921,088	31	31
32	Arkansas	2,779,154	32	33
33	Kansas	2,744,687	33	32
34	Utah	2,469,585	34	34
35	Nevada	2,414,807	35	35
36	New Mexico	1,928,384	36	36
37	West Virginia	1,816,856	37	37
38	Nebraska	1,758,787	38	38
39	Idaho	1,429,096	39	39
40	Maine	1,321,505	40	40
41	New Hampshire	1,309,940	41	41
42	Hawaii	1,275,194	42	42
43	Rhode Island	1,076,189	43	43
44	Montana	935,670	44	44
45	Delaware	843,524	45	45
46	South Dakota	775,933	46	46
47	Alaska	663,661	47	48
48	North Dakota	636,677	48	47
49	Vermont	623,050	49	49
50	District of Columbia	550,521	50	50
51	Wyoming	509,294	51	51

3-PERCENTAGE CHANGE

State/District	2000-2005	2004-2005
Alabama	0.50%	0.72%
Alaska	1.17%	0.90%
Arizona	3.15%	3.47%
Arkansas	0.79%	1.06%
California	1.33%	0.81%
Colorado	1.69%	1.38%
Connecticut	0.62%	0.32%
Delaware	1.53%	1.62%
District of Columbia	-0.75%	-0.67%
Florida	2.26%	2.33%
Georgia	2.16%	1.73%
Hawaii	1.05%	1.04%
Idaho	2.09%	2.43%
Illinois	0.55%	0.40%
Indiana	0.63%	0.73%
Iowa	0.27%	0.45%
Kansas	0.42%	0.40%
Kentucky	0.65%	0.76%
Louisiana	0.24%	0.38%
Maine	0.73%	0.50%
Maryland	1.15%	0.70%
Massachusetts	0.16%	-0.13%
Michigan	0.37%	0.16%
Minnesota	0.87%	0.71%
Mississippi	0.54%	0.70%
Missouri	0.73%	0.71%
Montana	0.74%	0.94%
Nebraska	0.56%	0.63%
Nevada	4.17%	3.51%
New Hampshire	1.20%	0.83%
New Jersey	0.72%	0.38%
New Mexico	1.20%	1.33%
New York	0.29%	-0.14%
North Carolina	1.58%	1.67%
North Dakota	-0.17%	0.06%
Ohio	0.20%	0.12%
Oklahoma	0.56%	0.69%
Oregon	1.28%	1.38%
Pennsylvania	0.24%	0.28%
Rhode Island	0.53%	-0.35%
South Carolina	1.21%	1.36%
South Dakota	0.56%	0.69%
Tennessee	0.96%	1.18%
Texas	1.93%	1.73%
Utah	2.12%	2.02%
Vermont	0.47%	0.29%
Virginia	1.38%	1.15%
Washington	1.34%	1.30%
West Virginia	0.09%	0.24%
Wisconsin	0.64%	0.59%
Wyoming	0.63%	0.67%

United States

1.07%

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4-RANKED BY TOTAL POPULATION CHANGE: 2000-2005

Rank	State/District	Change	%	%: Average Annual
1	California	2,260,499	6.7%	1.33%
2	Texas	2,008,148	9.6%	1.93%
3	Florida	1,807,486	11.3%	2.26%
4	Georgia	886,123	10.8%	2.16%
5	Arizona	808,660	15.8%	3.15%
6	North Carolina	633,929	7.9%	1.58%
7	Virginia	488,950	6.9%	1.38%
8	Nevada	416,550	20.8%	4.17%
9	Washington	393,638	6.7%	1.34%
10	Colorado	363,916	8.5%	1.69%
11	Illinois	344,078	2.8%	0.55%
12	Maryland	303,902	5.7%	1.15%
13	New Jersey	303,575	3.6%	0.72%
14	New York	278,173	1.5%	0.29%
15	Tennessee	273,676	4.8%	0.96%
16	South Carolina	243,071	6.1%	1.21%
17	Utah	236,416	10.6%	2.12%
18	Oregon	219,657	6.4%	1.28%
19	Minnesota	213,320	4.3%	0.87%
20	Missouri	205,099	3.7%	0.73%
21	Indiana	191,488	3.1%	0.63%
22	Michigan	182,416	1.8%	0.37%
23	Wisconsin	172,526	3.2%	0.64%
24	Pennsylvania	148,562	1.2%	0.24%
25	Idaho	135,143	10.4%	2.09%
26	Kentucky	131,636	3.3%	0.65%
27	Ohio	110,902	1.0%	0.20%
28	Alabama	110,708	2.5%	0.50%
29	New Mexico	109,338	6.0%	1.20%
30	Arkansas	105,754	4.0%	0.79%
31	Connecticut	104,732	3.1%	0.62%
32	Oklahoma	97,230	2.8%	0.56%
33	Mississippi	76,430	2.7%	0.54%
34	New Hampshire	74,154	6.0%	1.20%
35	Hawaii	63,657	5.3%	1.05%
36	Delaware	59,924	7.6%	1.53%
37	Kansas	56,269	2.1%	0.42%
38	Louisiana	54,652	1.2%	0.24%
39	Massachusetts	49,646	0.8%	0.16%
40	Nebraska	47,524	2.8%	0.56%
41	Maine	46,582	3.7%	0.73%
42	Iowa	40,010	1.4%	0.27%
43	Alaska	36,729	5.9%	1.17%
44	Montana	33,475	3.7%	0.74%
45	Rhode Island	27,870	2.7%	0.53%
46	South Dakota	21,089	2.8%	0.56%
47	Wyoming	15,512	3.1%	0.63%
48	Vermont	14,223	2.3%	0.47%
49	West Virginia	8,512	0.5%	0.09%

50	North Dakota	(5,523)	-0.9%	-0.17%
51	District of Columbia	(21,538)	-3.8%	-0.75%
	United States	14,988,498	5.3%	1.04%

5-RANKED BY PERCENTAGE CHANGE: 2000-2005

Rank	State/District	Change	%	#: Average Annual
1	Nevada	416,550	20.8%	4.17%
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30	Indiana	191,488	3.1%	0.63%
31	Wyoming	15,512	3.1%	0.63%
32	Connecticut	104,732	3.1%	0.62%
33	Oklahoma	97,230	2.8%	0.56%
34	South Dakota	21,089	2.8%	0.56%
35	Nebraska	47,524	2.8%	0.56%
36	Illinois	344,078	2.8%	0.55%
37	Mississippi	76,430	2.7%	0.54%
38	Rhode Island	27,870	2.7%	0.53%
39	Alabama	110,708	2.5%	0.50%
40	Vermont	14,223	2.3%	0.47%
41	Kansas	56,269	2.1%	0.42%
42	Michigan	182,416	1.8%	0.37%
43	New York	278,173	1.5%	0.29%
44	Iowa	40,010	1.4%	0.27%
45	Louisiana	54,652	1.2%	0.24%
46	Pennsylvania	148,562	1.2%	0.24%
47	Ohio	110,902	1.0%	0.20%

48	Massachusetts	49,646	0.8%	0.16%
49	West Virginia	8,512	0.5%	0.09%
50	North Dakota	(5,523)	-0.9%	-0.17%
51	District of Columbia	(21,538)	-3.8%	-0.75%
	Total	14,988,498	5.3%	1.04%

6-RANKED BY TOTAL POPULATION CHANGE: 2000-2001

Rank	State/District	Change	%: Average Annual
1	Florida	404,434	2.33%
2	Texas	388,419	1.73%
3	California	290,109	0.81%
4	Arizona	199,413	3.47%
5	Georgia	154,447	1.73%
6	North Carolina	142,774	1.67%
7	Virginia	86,133	1.15%
8	Nevada	81,909	3.51%
9	Washington	80,713	1.30%
10	Tennessee	69,661	1.18%
11	Colorado	63,356	1.38%
12	South Carolina	57,191	1.36%
13	Illinois	51,355	0.40%
14	Oregon	49,693	1.38%
15	Utah	48,877	2.02%
16	Indiana	45,436	0.73%
17	Missouri	40,778	0.71%
18	Maryland	39,056	0.70%
19	Minnesota	36,253	0.71%
20	Pennsylvania	35,145	0.28%
21	Idaho	33,956	2.43%
22	New Jersey	32,759	0.38%
23	Wisconsin	32,668	0.59%
24	Alabama	32,433	0.72%
25	Kentucky	31,570	0.76%
26	Arkansas	29,154	1.06%
27	New Mexico	25,378	1.33%
28	Oklahoma	24,338	0.69%
29	Mississippi	20,320	0.70%
30	Louisiana	16,943	0.38%
31	Michigan	16,654	0.16%
32	Ohio	13,899	0.12%
33	Delaware	13,455	1.62%
34	Iowa	13,430	0.45%
35	Hawaii	13,070	1.04%
36	Connecticut	11,331	0.32%
37	Nebraska	11,083	0.63%
38	Kansas	10,990	0.40%
39	New Hampshire	10,771	0.83%
40	Montana	8,750	0.94%
41	Maine	6,520	0.50%
42	Alaska	5,906	0.90%
43	South Dakota	5,312	0.69%
44	West Virginia	4,308	0.24%
45	Wyoming	3,407	0.67%

46	Vermont	1,817	0.29%
47	North Dakota	369	0.06%
48	District of Columbia	(3,718)	-0.67%
49	Rhode Island	(3,727)	-0.35%
50	Massachusetts	(8,639)	-0.13%
51	New York	(26,097)	-0.14%
	Total	2,753,562	0.94%

7-RANKED BY PERCENTAGE POPULATION CHANGE: 2000-2001

Rank	State/District	Change	%: Average Annual
1	Nevada	81,909	3.51%
2	Arizona	199,413	3.47%
3	Idaho	33,956	2.43%
4	Florida	404,434	2.33%
5	Utah	48,877	2.02%
6	Georgia	154,447	1.73%
7	Texas	388,419	1.73%
8	North Carolina	142,774	1.67%
9	Delaware	13,455	1.62%
10	Oregon	49,693	1.38%
11	Colorado	63,356	1.38%
12	South Carolina	57,191	1.36%
13	New Mexico	25,378	1.33%
14	Washington	80,713	1.30%
15	Tennessee	69,661	1.18%
16	Virginia	86,133	1.15%
17	Arkansas	29,154	1.06%
18	Hawaii	13,070	1.04%
19	Montana	8,750	0.94%
20	Alaska	5,906	0.90%
21	New Hampshire	10,771	0.83%
22	California	290,109	0.81%
23	Kentucky	31,570	0.76%
24	Indiana	45,436	0.73%
25	Alabama	32,433	0.72%
26	Minnesota	36,253	0.71%
27	Missouri	40,778	0.71%
28	Maryland	39,056	0.70%
29	Mississippi	20,320	0.70%
30	Oklahoma	24,338	0.69%
31	South Dakota	5,312	0.69%
32	Wyoming	3,407	0.67%
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34	Wisconsin	32,668	0.59%
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36	Iowa	13,430	0.45%
37	Illinois	51,355	0.40%
38	Kansas	10,990	0.40%
39	New Jersey	32,759	0.38%
40	Louisiana	16,943	0.38%
41	Connecticut	11,331	0.32%
42	Vermont	1,817	0.29%
43	Pennsylvania	35,145	0.28%

44	West Virginia	4,308	0.24%
45	Michigan	16,654	0.16%
46	Ohio	13,899	0.12%
47	North Dakota	369	0.06%
48	Massachusetts	(8,639)	-0.13%
49	New York	(26,097)	-0.14%
50	Rhode Island	(3,727)	-0.35%
51	District of Columbia	(3,718)	-0.67%
	Total	2,753,562	0.94%

8-AVERAGE ANNUAL PERCENTAGE CHANGE COMPARED TO THE 1990s

State/District	1990s	2000s	% Point Change
Alabama	1.01%	0.50%	-0.51%
Alaska	1.40%	1.17%	-0.23%
Arizona	4.00%	3.15%	-0.85%
Arkansas	1.37%	0.79%	-0.58%
California	1.38%	1.33%	-0.05%
Colorado	3.06%	1.69%	-1.36%
Connecticut	0.36%	0.62%	0.25%
Delaware	1.76%	1.53%	-0.23%
District of Columbia	-0.57%	-0.75%	-0.18%
Florida	2.35%	2.26%	-0.09%
Georgia	2.64%	2.16%	-0.47%
Hawaii	0.93%	1.05%	0.12%
Idaho	2.85%	2.09%	-0.76%
Illinois	0.86%	0.55%	-0.31%
Indiana	0.97%	0.63%	-0.34%
Iowa	0.54%	0.27%	-0.27%
Kansas	0.85%	0.42%	-0.43%
Kentucky	0.97%	0.65%	-0.32%
Louisiana	0.59%	0.24%	-0.35%
Maine	0.38%	0.73%	0.35%
Maryland	1.08%	1.15%	0.07%
Massachusetts	0.55%	0.16%	-0.40%
Michigan	0.69%	0.37%	-0.32%
Minnesota	1.24%	0.87%	-0.38%
Mississippi	1.05%	0.54%	-0.52%
Missouri	0.93%	0.73%	-0.20%
Montana	1.29%	0.74%	-0.55%
Nebraska	0.84%	0.56%	-0.29%
Nevada	6.63%	4.17%	-2.46%
New Hampshire	1.14%	1.20%	0.06%
New Jersey	0.89%	0.72%	-0.16%
New Mexico	2.01%	1.20%	-0.80%
New York	0.55%	0.29%	-0.25%
North Carolina	2.14%	1.58%	-0.57%
North Dakota	0.05%	-0.17%	-0.23%
Ohio	0.47%	0.20%	-0.27%
Oklahoma	0.97%	0.56%	-0.41%
Oregon	2.04%	1.28%	-0.75%
Pennsylvania	0.34%	0.24%	-0.09%
Rhode Island	0.45%	0.53%	0.08%
South Carolina	1.51%	1.21%	-0.29%

South Dakota	0.85%	0.56%	-0.29%
Tennessee	1.67%	0.96%	-0.70%
Texas	2.28%	1.93%	-0.35%
Utah	2.96%	2.12%	-0.84%
Vermont	0.82%	0.47%	-0.35%
Virginia	1.44%	1.38%	-0.06%
Washington	2.11%	1.34%	-0.78%
West Virginia	0.08%	0.09%	0.01%
Wisconsin	0.96%	0.64%	-0.32%
Wyoming	0.89%	0.63%	-0.26%
Total	1.24%	1.07%	-0.18%

9-RANKED BY ANNUAL % POINT CHANGE FROM THE 1990s

Rank	State/District	1990s	2000s	% Point Change
1	Maine	0.38%	0.73%	0.35%
2	Connecticut	0.36%	0.62%	0.25%
3	Hawaii	0.93%	1.05%	0.12%
4	Rhode Island	0.45%	0.53%	0.08%
5	Maryland	1.08%	1.15%	0.07%
6	New Hampshire	1.14%	1.20%	0.06%
7	West Virginia	0.08%	0.09%	0.01%
8	California	1.38%	1.33%	-0.05%
9	Virginia	1.44%	1.38%	-0.06%
10	Florida	2.35%	2.26%	-0.09%
11	Pennsylvania	0.34%	0.24%	-0.09%
12	New Jersey	0.89%	0.72%	-0.16%
13	District of Columbia	-0.57%	-0.75%	-0.18%
14	Missouri	0.93%	0.73%	-0.20%
15	North Dakota	0.05%	-0.17%	-0.23%
16	Alaska	1.40%	1.17%	-0.23%
17	Delaware	1.76%	1.53%	-0.23%
18	New York	0.55%	0.29%	-0.25%
19	Wyoming	0.89%	0.63%	-0.26%
20	Iowa	0.54%	0.27%	-0.27%
21	Ohio	0.47%	0.20%	-0.27%
22	Nebraska	0.84%	0.56%	-0.29%
23	South Dakota	0.85%	0.56%	-0.29%
24	South Carolina	1.51%	1.21%	-0.29%
25	Illinois	0.86%	0.55%	-0.31%
26	Kentucky	0.97%	0.65%	-0.32%
27	Wisconsin	0.96%	0.64%	-0.32%
28	Michigan	0.69%	0.37%	-0.32%
29	Indiana	0.97%	0.63%	-0.34%
30	Louisiana	0.59%	0.24%	-0.35%
31	Texas	2.28%	1.93%	-0.35%
32	Vermont	0.82%	0.47%	-0.35%
33	Minnesota	1.24%	0.87%	-0.38%
34	Massachusetts	0.55%	0.16%	-0.40%
35	Oklahoma	0.97%	0.56%	-0.41%
36	Kansas	0.85%	0.42%	-0.43%
37	Georgia	2.64%	2.16%	-0.47%
38	Alabama	1.01%	0.50%	-0.51%

39	Mississippi	1.05%	0.54%	-0.52%
40	Montana	1.29%	0.74%	-0.55%
41	North Carolina	2.14%	1.58%	-0.57%
42	Arkansas	1.37%	0.79%	-0.58%
43	Tennessee	1.67%	0.96%	-0.70%
44	Oregon	2.04%	1.28%	-0.75%
45	Idaho	2.85%	2.09%	-0.76%
46	Washington	2.11%	1.34%	-0.78%
47	New Mexico	2.01%	1.20%	-0.80%
48	Utah	2.96%	2.12%	-0.84%
49	Arizona	4.00%	3.15%	-0.85%
50	Colorado	3.06%	1.69%	-1.36%
51	Nevada	6.63%	4.17%	-2.46%
	Total	1.24%	1.07%	-0.18%

10-2010 POPULATION PROJECTIONS

Rank	State/District	2010	2000 Rank	2000 Rank
1	California	38,052,000	33,871,648	1
2	Texas	24,677,000	20,851,820	2
3	Florida	19,470,000	15,982,378	4
4	New York	19,380,000	18,976,457	3
5	Illinois	12,996,000	12,419,293	5
6	Pennsylvania	12,482,000	12,281,054	6
7	Ohio	11,488,000	11,353,140	7
8	Michigan	10,220,000	9,938,444	8
9	Georgia	9,890,000	8,186,453	10
10	North Carolina	9,238,000	8,049,313	11
11	New Jersey	8,942,000	8,414,350	9
12	Virginia	7,985,000	7,078,515	12
13	Arizona	6,735,000	5,130,632	20
14	Washington	6,622,000	5,894,121	15
15	Indiana	6,407,000	6,080,485	14
16	Massachusetts	6,401,000	6,349,097	13
17	Tennessee	6,180,000	5,689,283	16
18	Missouri	5,952,000	5,595,211	17
19	Maryland	5,851,000	5,296,486	19
20	Wisconsin	5,659,000	5,363,675	18
21	Minnesota	5,298,000	4,919,479	21
22	Colorado	4,987,000	4,301,261	24
23	Alabama	4,629,000	4,447,100	23
24	Louisiana	4,543,000	4,468,976	22
25	South Carolina	4,458,000	4,012,012	26
26	Kentucky	4,268,000	4,041,769	25
27	Oregon	3,826,000	3,421,399	28
28	Oklahoma	3,614,000	3,450,654	27
29	Connecticut	3,584,000	3,405,565	29
30	Iowa	2,983,000	2,926,324	30
31	Mississippi	2,972,000	2,844,658	31
32	Arkansas	2,859,000	2,673,400	35
33	Nevada	2,847,000	1,998,257	33
34	Kansas	2,778,000	2,688,418	32
35	Utah	2,687,000	2,233,169	34
36	New Mexico	2,019,000	1,819,046	36
37	West Virginia	1,812,000	1,808,344	37

38	Nebraska	1,791,000	1,711,263	38
39	Idaho	1,553,000	1,293,953	39
40	New Hampshire	1,372,000	1,235,786	41
41	Maine	1,356,000	1,274,923	40
42	Hawaii	1,327,000	1,211,537	42
43	Rhode Island	1,095,000	1,048,319	43
44	Montana	961,000	902,195	44
45	Delaware	896,000	783,600	45
46	South Dakota	790,000	754,844	46
47	Alaska	694,000	626,932	48
48	Vermont	632,000	608,827	49
49	North Dakota	628,000	642,200	47
50	District of Columbia	528,000	572,059	50
51	Wyoming	520,000	493,782	51
	United States	308,936,000	281,421,906	

Uses compound annual 2000-2005 rate, scaled to Census Bureau 2010 national projection