

District Profile
TEXAS SENATE DISTRICT 4¹
ACS 2018-2022 Estimates

SELECTED POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Total population	957,546		29,243,342
Age			
0 to 4 years	64,763	6.8%	6.6%
5 to 17 years	187,678	19.6%	18.7%
18 to 64 years	581,102	60.7%	61.8%
65 years and over	124,003	13.0%	12.9%
Race/Ethnicity			
Anglo (non-Hispanic)	511,644	53.4%	40.1%
Non-Anglo	445,902	46.6%	59.9%
Hispanic	275,009	28.7%	39.9%
Black alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	127,471	13.3%	13.7%
Asian alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	38,876	4.1%	6.1%
Population age 5 and over	892,783		27,319,920
Ability to speak English			
Speaks English only	660,791	74.0%	64.9%
Speaks other than English at home	231,992	26.0%	35.1%
Speaks English very well or well	194,896	21.8%	28.4%
Does not speak English well or at all	37,096	4.2%	6.7%
Special populations⁴			
Moved in the past 12 months	114,450	NA	4,235,358
Veterans	49,306	NA	1,416,973
Active duty military	1,360	NA	110,177
SELECTED HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Number of households	339,427		10,490,553
Average number of persons per household ⁴	2.81	NA	2.73
Households by composition			
1 person	74,606	22.0%	25.7%
2 persons	110,647	32.6%	31.4%
3 or 4 persons	110,180	32.5%	30.7%
5 or more persons	43,994	13.0%	12.2%
Household type			
Family households	249,011	73.4%	68.4%
Nonfamily households	90,416	26.6%	31.6%
Number of families	249,011		7,173,843
Families with children by birth, marriage, or adoption under age 18	114,975	46.2%	46.1%
Married-couple families	86,898	34.9%	31.9%
Families with both parents employed	48,540	19.5%	18.6%
Single-parent families	28,077	11.3%	14.2%
Families with the parent employed	22,331	9.0%	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	249,291		7,768,251
School status			
In preschool (public and private)	12,722	5.1%	5.5%
In kindergarten, elementary, middle, or high school (public and private)	188,291	75.5%	70.1%
In preschool through 12th grade (public only)	179,928	72.2%	67.9%
In college, graduate, or professional school	48,278	19.4%	24.4%
Population age 25 and over	621,806		18,910,948
Educational attainment			
Bachelor's degree or higher	208,091	33.5%	32.3%
Less than high school graduate	66,904	10.8%	14.8%
SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Civilian employed population age 16 and over	453,564		13,908,128
Civilian employment sector			
Private sector	360,124	79.4%	79.2%
Government sector	61,741	13.6%	13.7%
Self-employed	30,655	6.8%	6.9%
Industry for civilian employed population			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting, and mining	17,042	3.8%	2.6%
Construction	43,477	9.6%	8.7%
Manufacturing	41,402	9.1%	8.5%
Wholesale trade	14,398	3.2%	2.6%
Retail trade	50,868	11.2%	11.3%
Transportation and warehousing and utilities	36,537	8.1%	6.4%
Information	6,055	1.3%	1.6%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	24,104	5.3%	6.9%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste mgmt.	52,585	11.6%	12.2%
Educational services and health care and social assistance	92,259	20.3%	21.5%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	37,157	8.2%	8.7%
Other services, except public administration	21,794	4.8%	5.0%
Public administration	15,886	3.5%	4.1%
Population age 16 to 64	611,606		18,929,419
Worked at all in the past 12 months	466,938	76.3%	76.3%
Worked 50-52 weeks	375,395	61.4%	60.4%
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	333,793	54.6%	53.1%
Usually worked less than 35 hours per week	41,602	6.8%	7.3%

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SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS (continued)	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Workers age 16 and over	448,704		13,755,352
Means of transportation to work			
Public transportation	3,877	0.9%	1.0%
Private vehicle	388,801	86.6%	84.8%
Walk / bicycle / motorcycle	4,924	1.1%	1.8%
Taxi / other means	5,255	1.2%	1.4%
Worked at home	45,847	10.2%	11.0%
Travel time to work ⁵			
Less than 15 minutes	73,100	16.3%	21.9%
15 minutes to 29 minutes	134,241	29.9%	32.4%
30 minutes to 44 minutes	96,757	21.6%	19.7%
45 minutes to 59 minutes	47,633	10.6%	7.7%
60 minutes or more	51,126	11.4%	7.2%
SELECTED INCOME CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Persons in poverty ⁶	94,511	9.9%	13.9%
Per capita income ⁴	\$43,461	NA	\$37,514
Number of households	339,427		10,490,553
Annual household income			
Less than \$10,000	12,683	3.7%	5.1%
\$10,000 to \$24,999	25,943	7.6%	10.6%
\$25,000 to \$49,999	53,004	15.6%	18.8%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	95,819	28.2%	29.4%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	102,923	30.3%	25.5%
\$200,000 and over	49,055	14.5%	10.6%
Households with social security income	86,897	25.6%	25.3%
Households with supplemental security income (SSI)	11,927	3.5%	4.5%
Households with public assistance income ⁷	5,372	1.6%	2.0%
Number of families living in poverty	18,909		765,437
With related children under age 18	13,904	73.5%	74.6%
Married couple families	4,714	24.9%	25.0%
Single-parent families	9,190	48.6%	49.6%
Female head of household	7,821	41.4%	43.1%
Male head of household	1,369	7.2%	6.5%

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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Number of housing units	371,539		11,654,971
Age of housing			
Built in 2010 or later	82,258	22.1%	16.8%
Built between 2000 and 2009	92,726	25.0%	18.2%
Built between 1990 and 1999	59,424	16.0%	14.0%
Built between 1970 and 1989	107,479	28.9%	29.4%
Built before 1970	29,652	8.0%	21.6%
Occupancy status			
Owner-occupied	244,814	65.9%	56.2%
Renter-occupied	94,613	25.5%	33.8%
Vacant	32,112	8.6%	10.0%
Average gross rent (contract rent plus estimated utility and fuel cost) ⁴	\$1,485	NA	\$1,349
Average value of owner-occupied housing units ⁴	\$311,501	NA	\$311,438
Number of owner-occupied housing units	244,814		6,545,727
Value of owner-occupied housing			
Less than \$50,000	13,333	5.4%	6.7%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	14,108	5.8%	9.9%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	52,564	21.5%	23.5%
\$200,000 to \$499,999	134,106	54.8%	46.4%
\$500,000 and above	30,703	12.5%	13.5%
Selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income ⁸			
35 percent or more	37,241	15.2%	16.0%
20 to 34.9 percent	61,185	25.0%	24.7%
Less than 20 percent	144,086	58.9%	58.4%
Vehicles available in owner-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	3,934	1.6%	2.1%
One or more vehicles	240,880	98.4%	97.9%
Number of renter-occupied housing units	94,613		3,944,826
Gross rent ⁹			
Less than \$500	2,618	2.8%	4.4%
\$500 to \$749	2,926	3.1%	6.6%
\$750 to \$999	9,180	9.7%	16.2%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	19,269	20.4%	20.4%
\$1,250 and above	55,644	58.8%	47.8%
Gross rent as a percentage of household income ⁸			
35 percent or more	32,321	34.2%	37.8%
20 to 34.9 percent	31,656	33.5%	32.1%
Less than 20 percent	24,623	26.0%	23.5%
Vehicles available in renter-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	7,319	7.7%	10.5%
One or more vehicles	87,294	92.3%	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.