

STATE RESIDENT POPULATIONS

Area	April 1, 2000	State Rank as of April 1, 2000	April 1, 1990	State Rank as of April 1, 1990	Change 1990 - 2000			
					Number	Percent	State Rank	
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Alabama	4,447,100	23	4,040,587	22	406,513	10.1	25	25
Alaska	626,932	48	550,043	49	76,889	14.0	43	17
Arizona	5,130,632	20	3,665,228	24	1,465,404	40.0	5	2
Arkansas	2,673,400	33	2,350,725	33	322,675	13.7	29	19
California	33,871,648	1	29,760,021	1	4,111,627	13.8	1	18
Colorado	4,301,261	24	3,294,394	26	1,006,867	30.6	8	3
Connecticut	3,405,565	29	3,287,116	27	118,449	3.6	39	47
Delaware	783,600	45	666,168	46	117,432	17.6	40	13
District of Columbia	572,059	(NA)	606,900	(NA)	-34,841	-5.7	(NA)	(NA)
Florida	15,982,378	4	12,937,926	4	3,044,452	23.5	3	7
Georgia	8,186,453	10	6,478,216	11	1,708,237	26.4	4	6
Hawaii	1,211,537	42	1,108,229	41	103,308	9.3	41	31
Idaho	1,293,953	39	1,006,749	42	287,204	28.5	32	5
Illinois	12,419,293	5	11,430,602	6	988,691	8.6	9	34
Indiana	6,080,485	14	5,544,159	14	536,326	9.7	18	27
Iowa	2,926,324	30	2,776,755	30	149,569	5.4	36	43
Kansas	2,688,418	32	2,477,574	32	210,844	8.5	35	35
Kentucky	4,041,769	25	3,685,296	23	356,473	9.7	27	28
Louisiana	4,468,976	22	4,219,973	21	249,003	5.9	34	40
Maine	1,274,923	40	1,227,928	38	46,995	3.8	45	46
Maryland	5,296,486	19	4,781,468	19	515,018	10.8	20	23
Massachusetts	6,349,097	13	6,016,425	13	332,672	5.5	28	41
Michigan	9,938,444	8	9,295,297	8	643,147	6.9	15	39
Minnesota	4,919,479	21	4,375,099	20	544,380	12.4	17	21
Mississippi	2,844,658	31	2,573,216	31	271,442	10.5	33	24
Missouri	5,595,211	17	5,117,073	15	478,138	9.3	23	30
Montana	902,195	44	799,065	44	103,130	12.9	42	20
Nebraska	1,711,263	38	1,578,385	36	132,878	8.4	37	37
Nevada	1,998,257	35	1,201,833	39	796,424	66.3	13	1
New Hampshire	1,235,786	41	1,109,252	40	126,534	11.4	38	22
New Jersey	8,414,350	9	7,730,188	9	684,162	8.9	14	33
New Mexico	1,819,046	36	1,515,069	37	303,977	20.1	31	12
New York	18,976,457	3	17,990,455	2	986,002	5.5	10	42
North Carolina	8,049,313	11	6,628,637	10	1,420,676	21.4	6	9
North Dakota	642,200	47	638,800	47	3,400	0.5	50	50
Ohio	11,353,140	7	10,847,115	7	506,025	4.7	22	44
Oklahoma	3,450,654	27	3,145,585	28	305,069	9.7	30	26
Oregon	3,421,399	28	2,842,321	29	579,078	20.4	16	11
Pennsylvania	12,281,054	6	11,881,643	5	399,411	3.4	26	48
Rhode Island	1,048,319	43	1,003,464	43	44,855	4.5	47	45
South Carolina	4,012,012	26	3,486,703	25	525,309	15.1	19	15
South Dakota	754,844	46	696,004	45	58,840	8.5	44	36
Tennessee	5,689,283	16	4,877,185	17	812,098	16.7	12	14
Texas	20,851,820	2	16,986,510	3	3,865,310	22.8	2	8
Utah	2,233,169	34	1,722,850	35	510,319	29.6	21	4
Vermont	608,827	49	562,758	48	46,069	8.2	46	38
Virginia	7,078,515	12	6,187,358	12	891,157	14.4	11	16
Washington	5,894,121	15	4,866,692	18	1,027,429	21.1	7	10
West Virginia	1,808,344	37	1,793,477	34	14,867	0.8	49	49
Wisconsin	5,363,675	18	4,891,769	16	471,906	9.6	24	29
Wyoming	493,782	50	453,588	50	40,194	8.9	48	32
Total Resident Population¹	281,421,906	(NA)	248,709,873	(NA)	32,712,033	13.2	(NA)	(NA)
Puerto Rico	3,808,610	(NA)	3,522,037	(NA)	286,573	8.1	(NA)	(NA)
Total Resident Population, including Puerto Rico	285,230,516	(NA)	252,231,910	(NA)	32,998,606	13.1	(NA)	(NA)

¹ Includes the population of the 50 states and the District of Columbia.

NA Not applicable.

NOTE: These counts reflect direct enumeration consistent with the January 1999 U.S. Supreme Court ruling.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, U.S. Census Bureau.

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