

OKLAHOMA FAST FACTS FROM CENSUS 2000

Oklahoma's population is 3,450,654 which ranks 27th among the states.

Oklahoma's population grew by 305,069 persons during the past decade, a 9.7% growth rate. During the previous decade (1980 – 1990) Oklahoma grew only 4.7%.

New racial categories from Census 2000 show the following counts for Oklahoma:

Total Population	3,450,654
White only	2,628,434
Black or African American only	260,968
American Indian or Alaska Native only	273,230
Asian only	46,767
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander only	2,372
Some other race only	82,898
Two or more races	155,985

The Hispanic or Latino Origin population more than doubled from 86,160 in 1990 to 179,304 in 2000.

Oklahomans identified themselves as two or more races at 4.5% and 76.1% of these identified themselves as American Indian and another race. Two or more races in the U.S. is 2.4%.

Counties with the greatest number and percent of American Indians:

Tulsa County	46,949	Adair County	46.1%
Oklahoma County	37,400	Cherokee County	36.5%
Cherokee County	16,739	Delaware County	26.7%
Cleveland County	15,049	Caddo County	26.6%
Muskogee County	14,350	Sequoyah County	26.0%

Counties with the greatest number and percent of Hispanics:

Oklahoma County	57,336	Texas County	29.9%
Tulsa County	33,616	Harmon County	22.8%
Comanche County	9,675	Tillman County	17.7%
Cleveland County	8,396	Jackson County	15.6%
Texas County	6,003	Cimarron County	15.4%

Counties with the greatest number and percent of Blacks or African Americans:

Oklahoma County	106,109	Comanche County	19.7%
Tulsa County	66,306	Oklahoma County	15.4%
Comanche County	23,746	Muskogee County	13.4%
Muskogee County	9,912	Logan County	11.3%
Cleveland County	8,715	Tulsa County	11.3%

Counties with the greatest number and percent of Asians:

Oklahoma County	22,013	Payne County	3.3%
Tulsa County	11,332	Cleveland County	3.2%
Cleveland County	7,049	Oklahoma County	3.2%
Comanche County	3,678	Comanche County	3.0%
Canadian County	2,368	Canadian County	2.6%

Children under 18 comprise 25.9% (892,360) of Oklahoma's population.

Counties with the highest and lowest percentage of children:

Adair County	30.3%	Woods County	19.2%
Jackson County	29.2%	Alfalfa County	19.4%
Texas County	28.8%	Payne County	19.6%
Rogers County	28.7%	Greer County	20.0%
Caddo County	28.5%	Ellis County	21.8%

Counties with the fastest and slowest growth rate between 1990 - 2000:

Delaware County	32.1%	Roger Mills County	-17.1%
Rogers County	28.0%	Dewey County	-14.6%
Cherokee County	24.9%	Harmon County	-13.5%
Texas County	22.5%	Harper County	-12.3%
Marshall County	21.8%	Tillman County	-10.6%

Fastest growing cities over 5,000 in Oklahoma between 1990 – 2000:

Catoosa	84.5%
Owasso	65.9%
Bixby	40.4%
Tahlequah	39.1%
Guymon	34.2%

Oklahoma's ten largest cities:

Oklahoma City	506,132
Tulsa	393,049
Norman	95,694
Lawton	92,757
Broken Arrow	74,859
Edmond	68,315
Midwest City	54,088
Enid	47,045
Moore	41,138
Stillwater	39,065

Source: PL94-171, Census 2000 Redistricting Data
Racial number and percentage by county based on race alone and in combination.

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