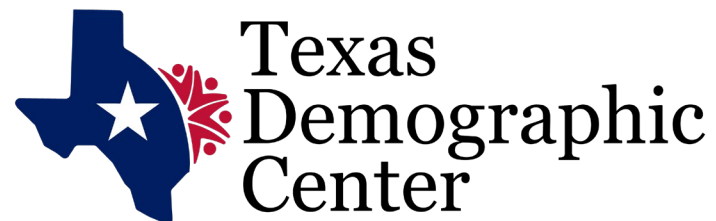


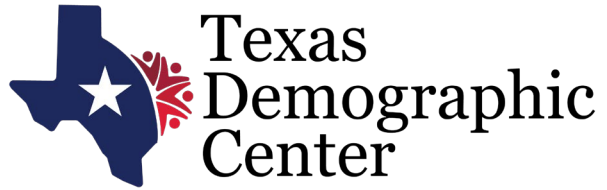
Demographic Characteristics and Trends: Texas and Selected Counties

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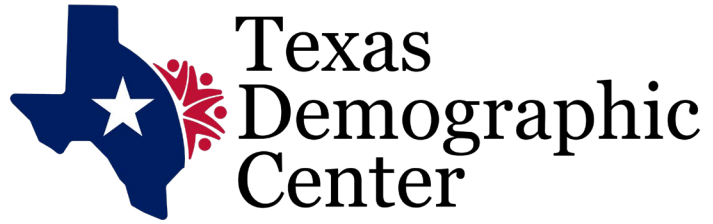
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Population Growth and the Drivers of Growth

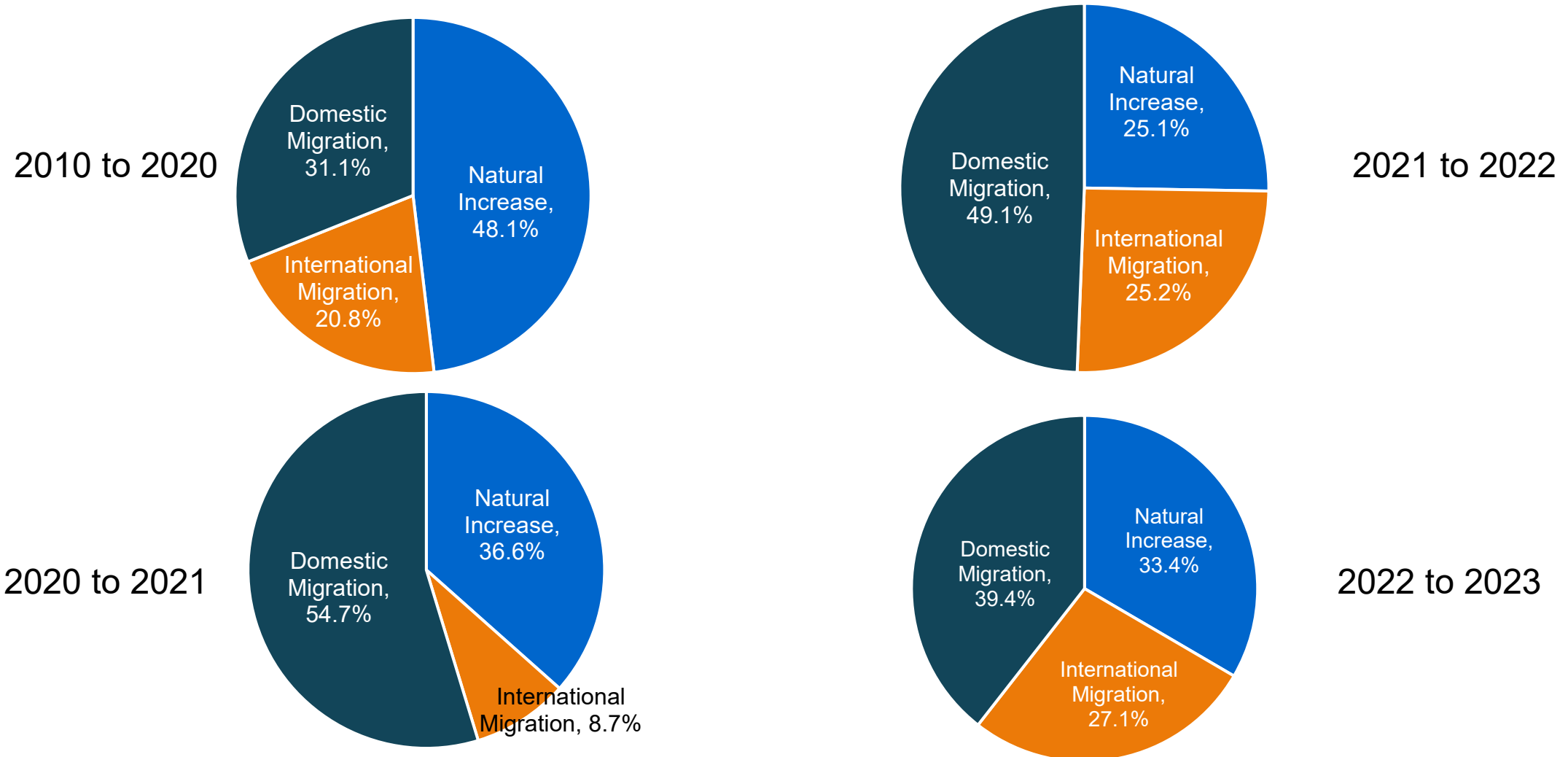


States with Most Population Growth, 2020 to 2023

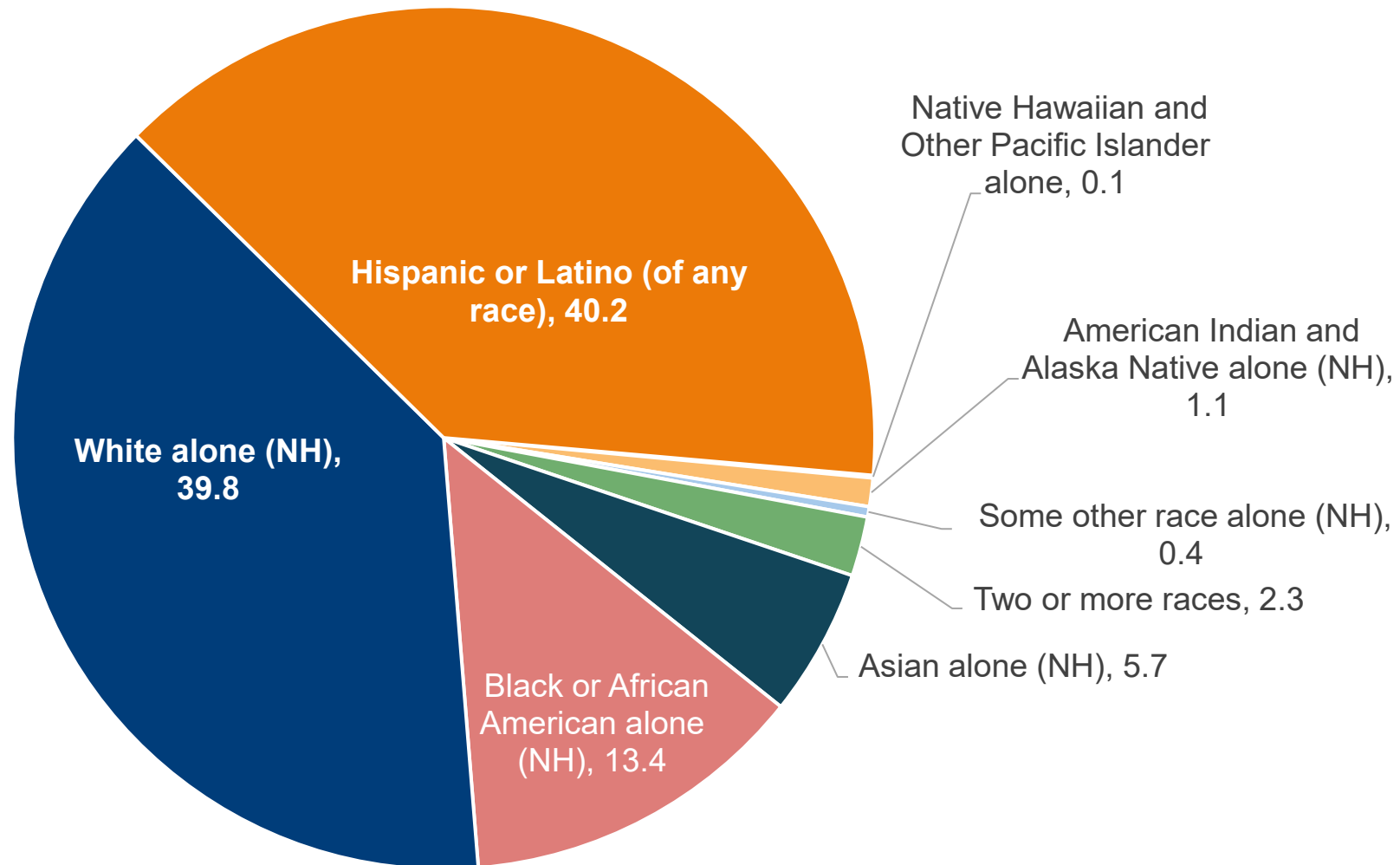
Geographic Area	Population Estimate (as of July 1)				Change 22-23	Rank Change 22-23	Pct. Change 22-23	Rank Pct. Change 22-23
	2020	2021	2022	2023				
United States	331,511,512	332,031,554	333,287,557	334,914,895	1,643,484		0.5%	
Texas	29,234,361	29,561,286	30,029,848	30,503,301	473,453	1	1.6%	3
Florida	21,591,299	21,830,708	22,245,521	22,610,726	365,205	2	1.6%	2
North Carolina	10,453,812	10,567,100	10,695,965	10,835,491	139,526	3	1.3%	5
Georgia	10,732,390	10,790,385	10,913,150	11,029,227	116,077	4	1.1%	10
South Carolina	5,132,151	5,193,848	5,282,955	5,373,555	90,600	5	1.7%	1
Tennessee	6,926,091	6,963,709	7,048,976	7,126,489	77,513	6	1.1%	8
Arizona	7,186,683	7,272,487	7,365,684	7,431,344	65,660	7	0.9%	12
Virginia	8,637,193	8,657,348	8,679,099	8,715,698	36,599	8	0.4%	23
Colorado	5,785,219	5,811,596	5,841,039	5,877,610	36,571	9	0.6%	18
Utah	3,283,982	3,339,284	3,381,236	3,417,734	36,498	10	1.1%	9

New Texans per day '20-'21 -> **902** '21-'22 -> **1,290** '22-'23 -> **1,297**

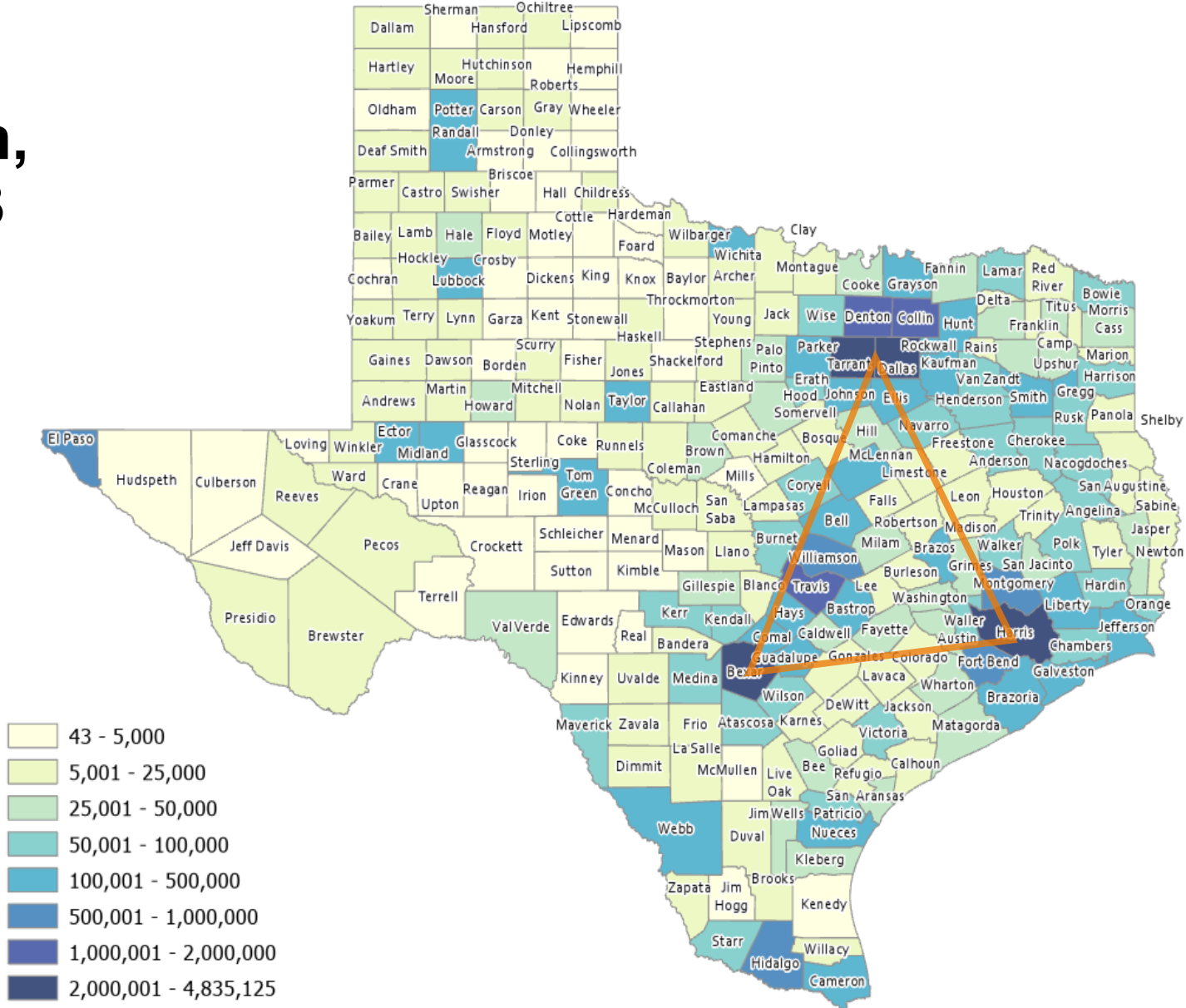
Estimated Components of Population Change for Texas, 2010-2020, 2020-2021, 2021-2022, and 2022-2023



Estimated Racial/Ethnic Composition of Texas Population, 2022



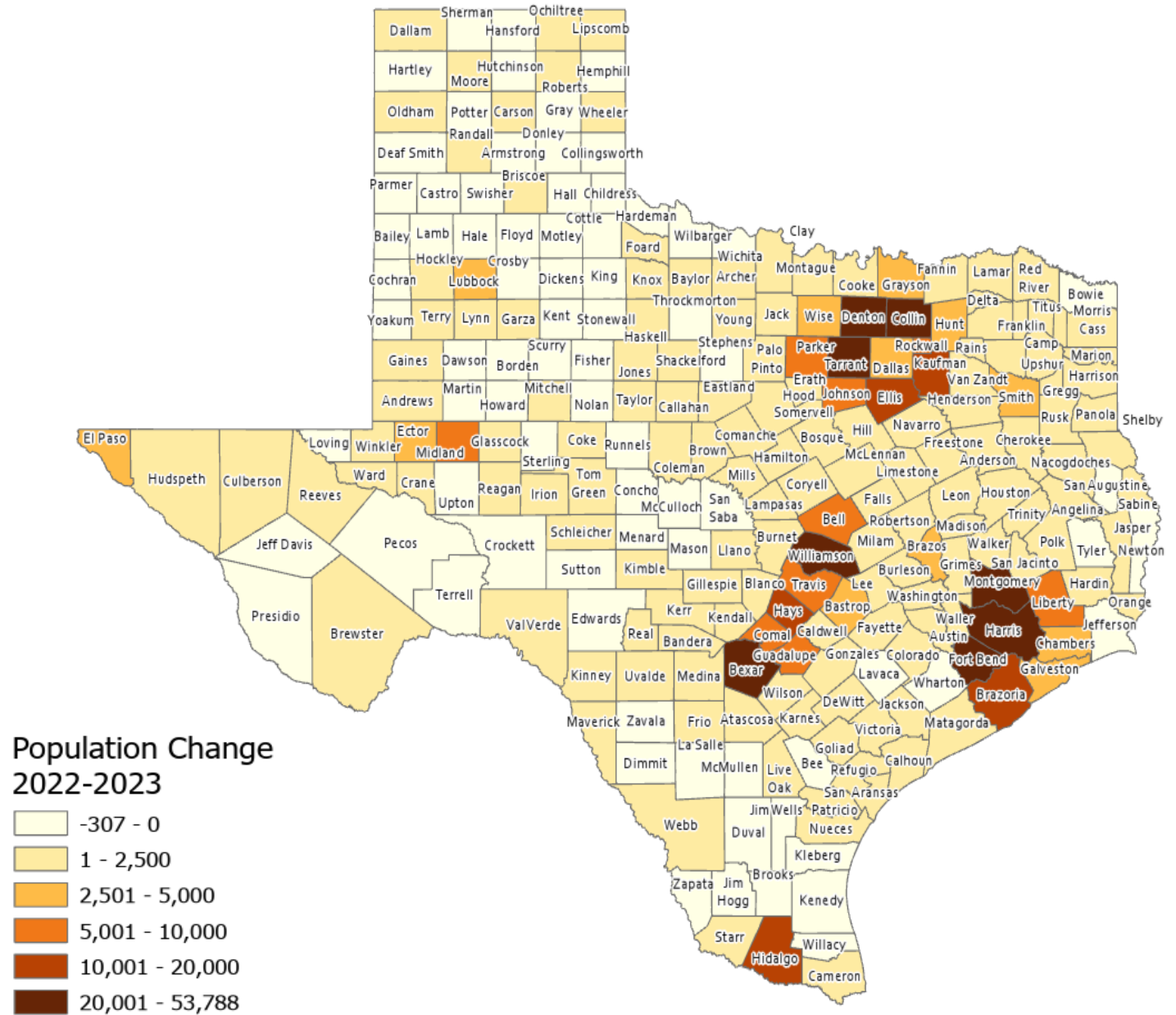
Estimated Population, Texas Counties, 2023



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Vintage 2023 Population Estimates

Estimated Numeric Change, Texas Counties, 2022-2023

75 (35%) of Texas counties lost population

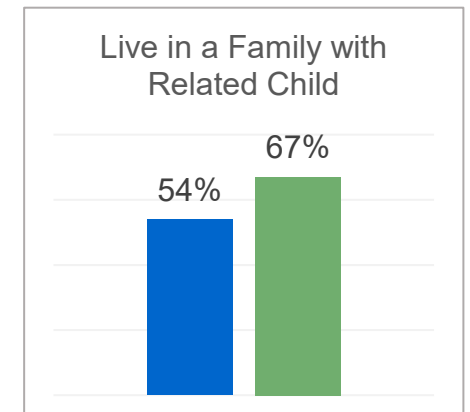
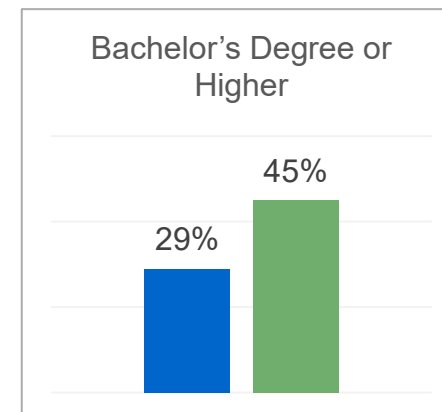
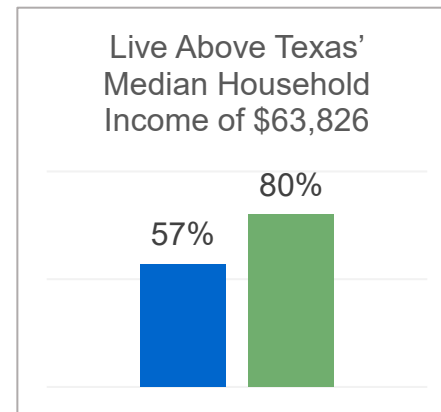
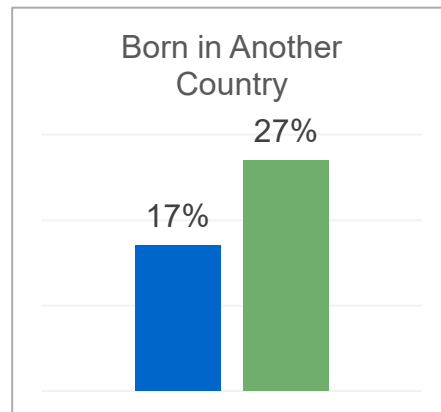
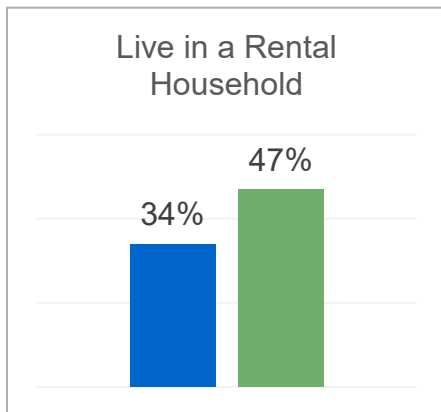
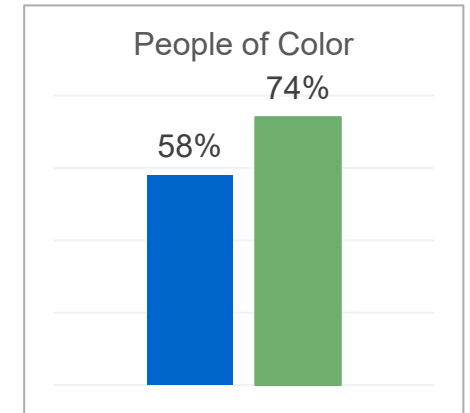
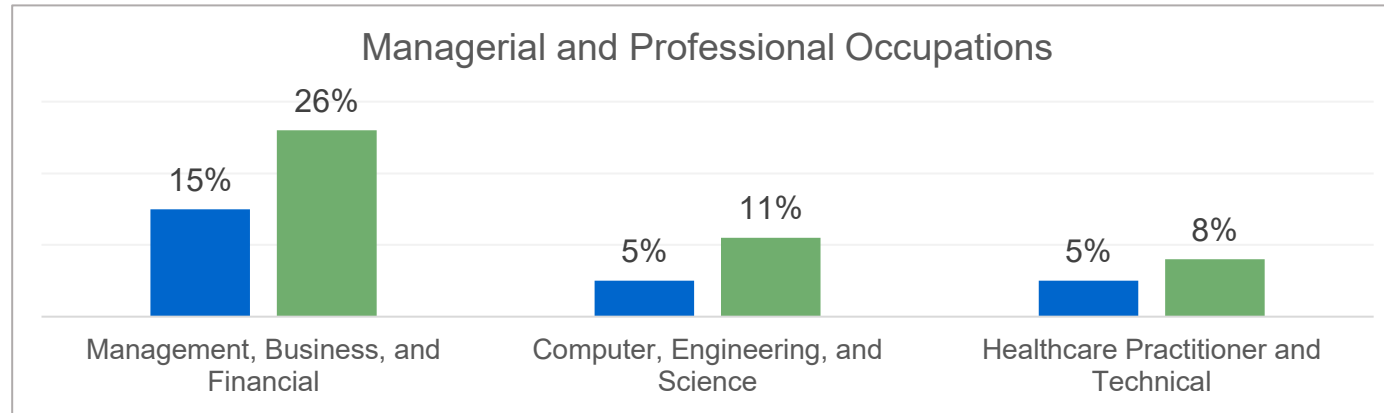
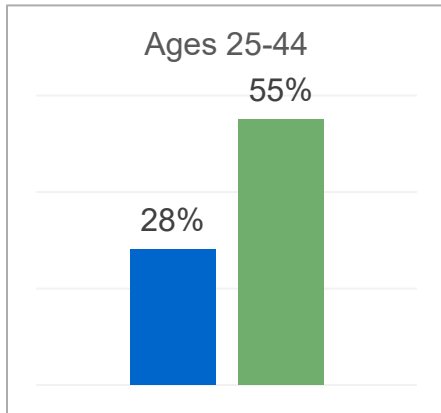


Texas Residents and Newcomers from other States

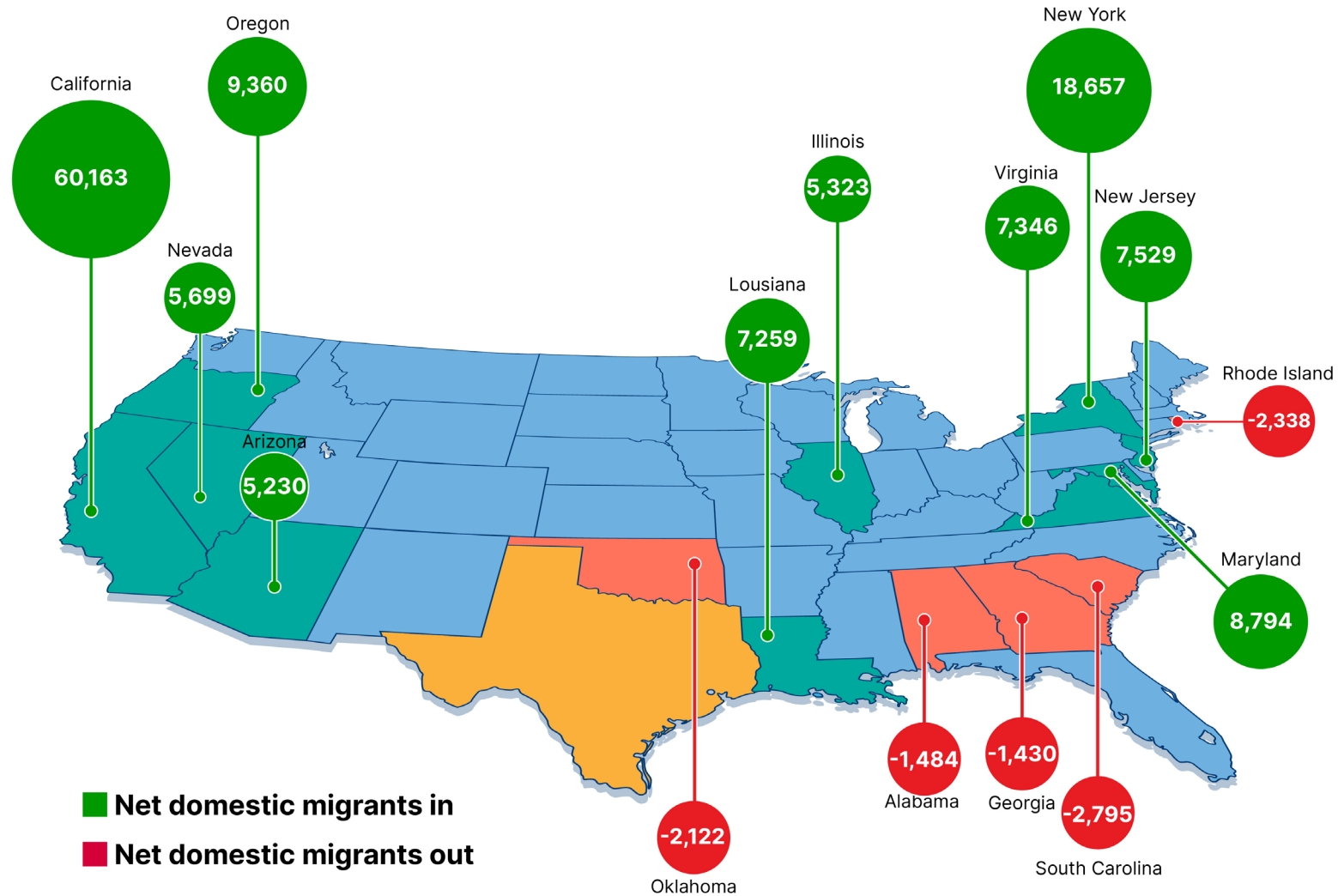


Residents: Current Texas residents who have lived in Texas for a year or more.

Net Domestic Migrants: The difference in the number of people who moved to Texas from another state in the U.S. and those who moved out of Texas in the last year.



Texas State-to-State Net Domestic Migration, 2022



Note: The data displayed are estimates based on a sample survey and are subject to error.
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2022 State-to-State Migration Flows Statistics.

Texas Places With the Largest Numerical Growth From 2022 to 2023 and Ranks in the U.S.

National Ranking	City	
1	San Antonio	21,970
2	Fort Worth	21,365
3	Houston	11,669
4	Georgetown	9,250
8	Celina	9,110
9	Fulshear	8,678
10	Denton	7,914
11	Conroe	6,689
18	New Braunfels	6,229
21	McKinney	5,906

Texas/Counties With the Fastest Growth Rate From 2022 to 2023 and Ranks in the U.S.

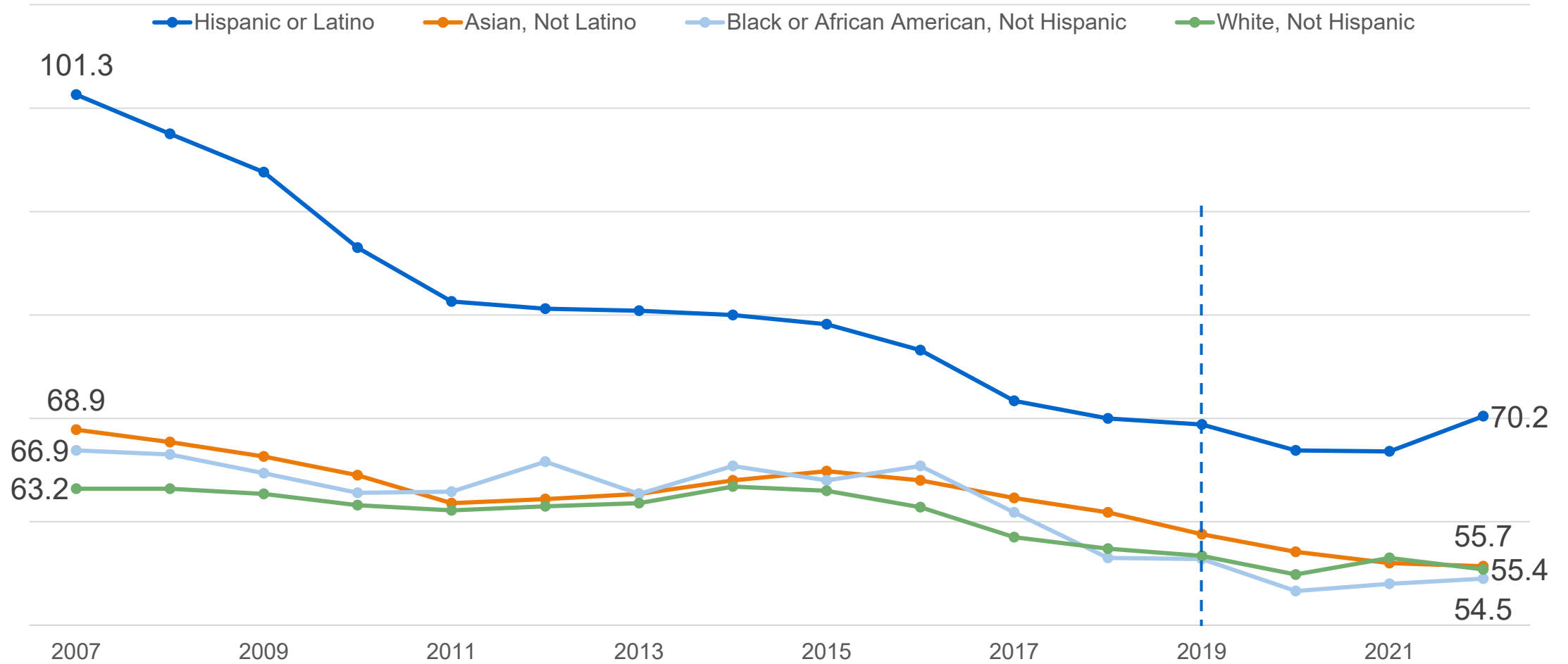
National Ranking	County	Growth Rate
1	Kaufman	7.6%
2	Rockwall	6.5%
3	Liberty	5.7%
6	Chambers	5.0%
7	Comal	5.0%
8	Ellis	4.9%
14	Montgomery	4.7%
16	Parker	4.6%
17	Hunt	4.5%
19	Wise	4.3%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Vintage 2023 Population Estimates

Note: Ranked among counties with resident population 20,000 and more in 2023.

Texas Birth Rates, 2007-2022

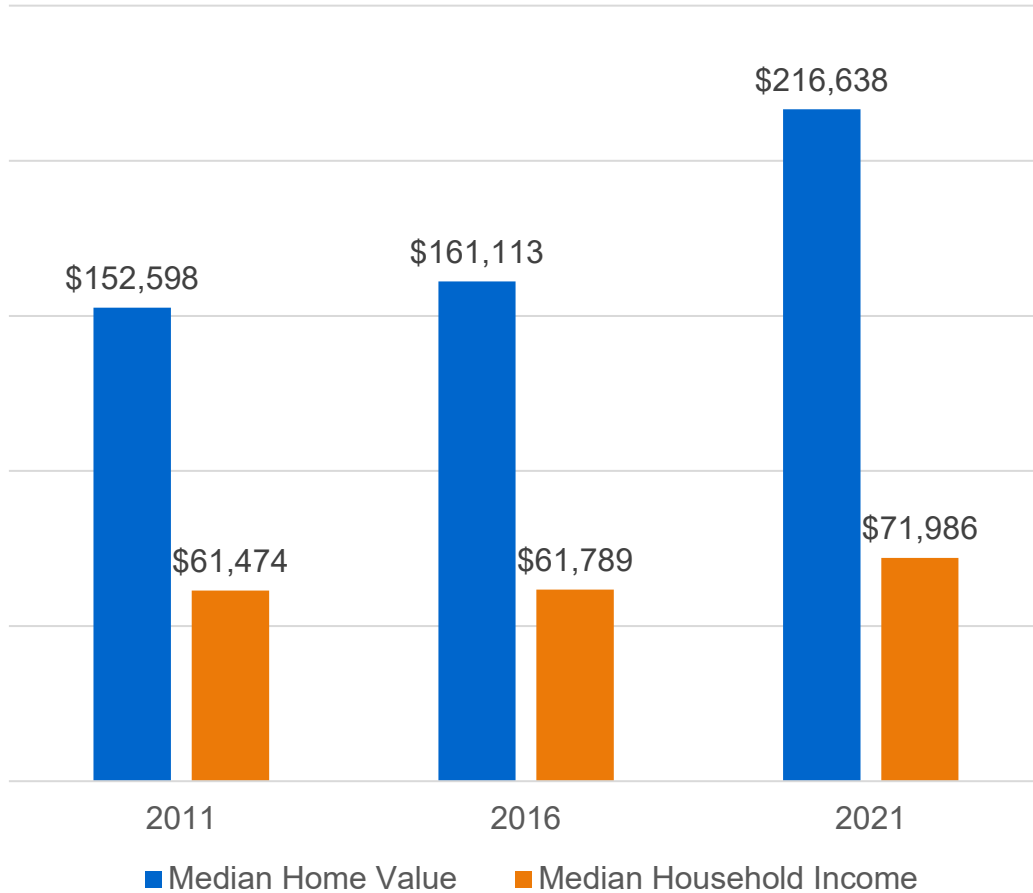
Births per 1,000 women aged 15-44



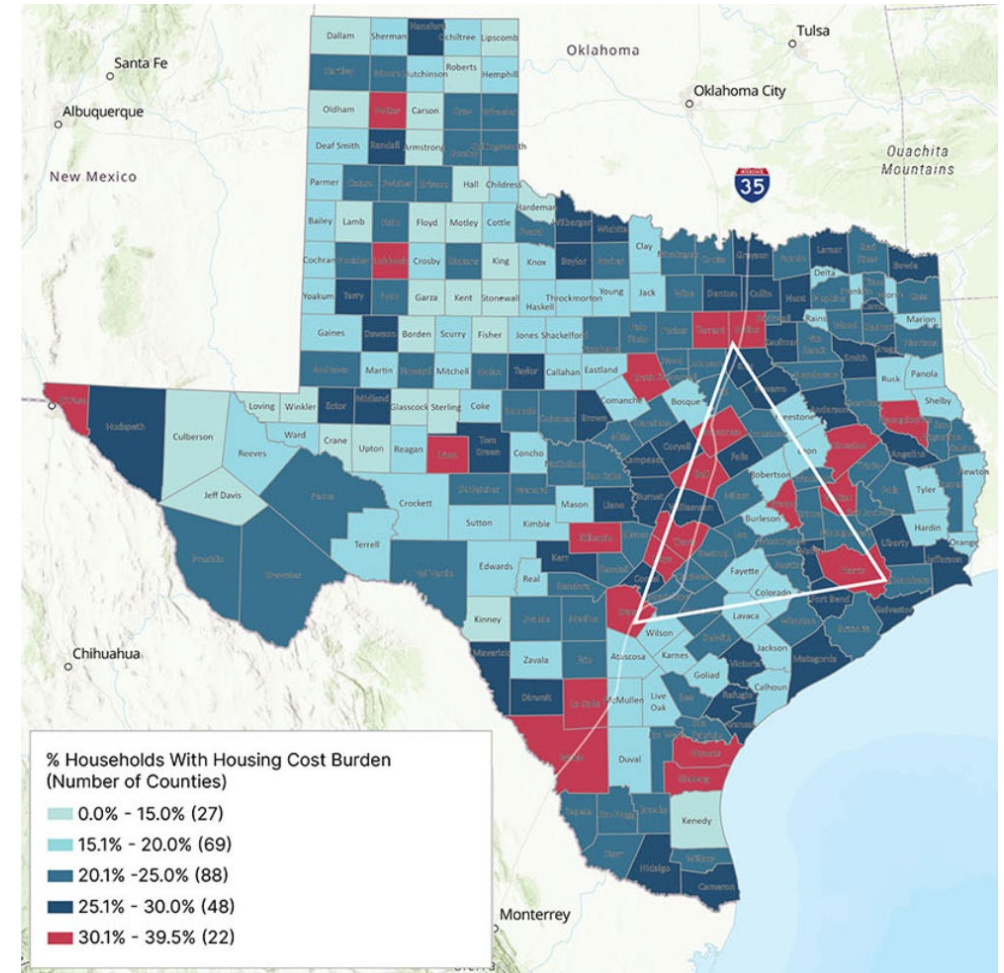
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Housing Cost Burden in Texas, 2017-2021

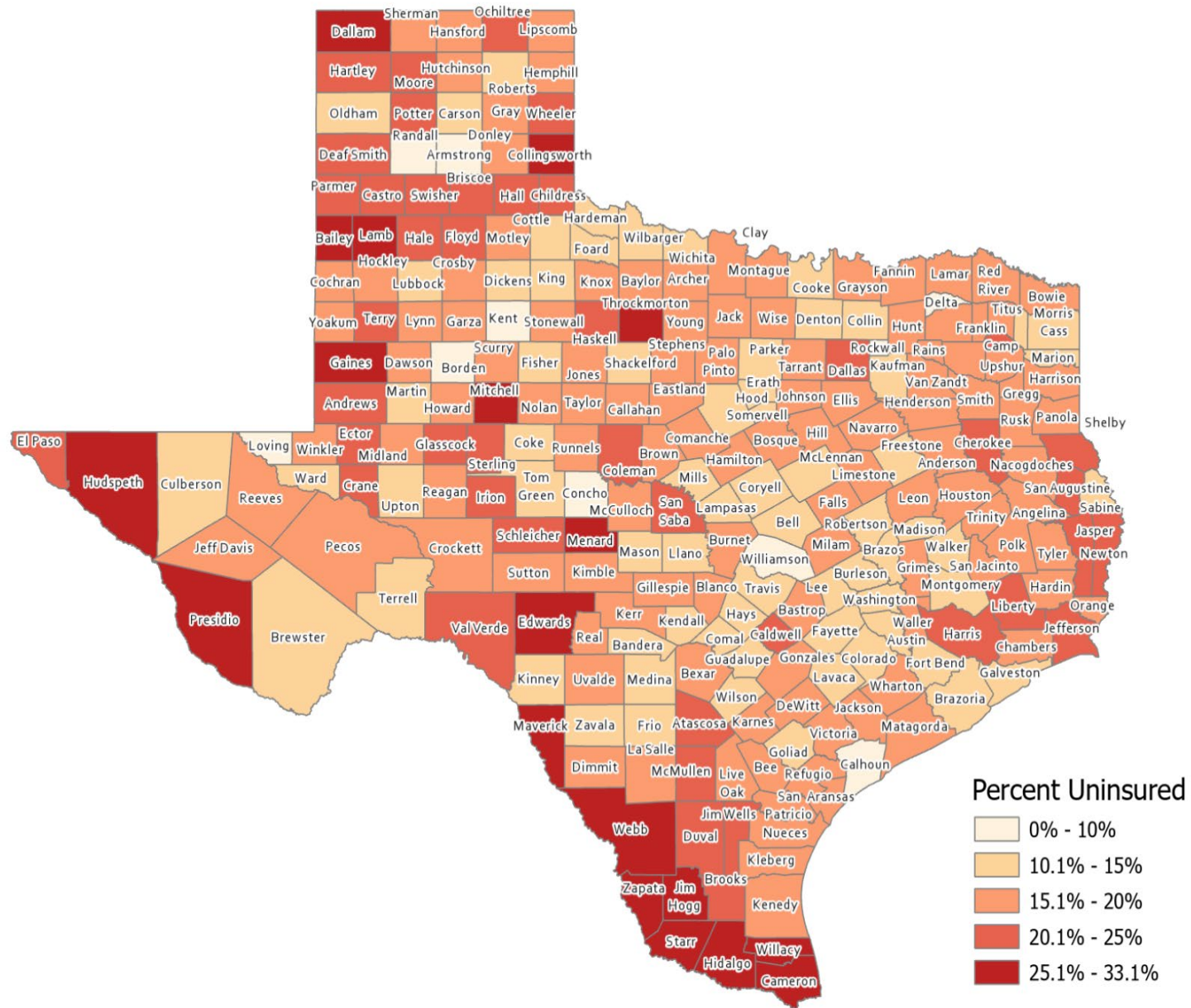
Median Home Value and Median Household Income in Texas, 2011-2021



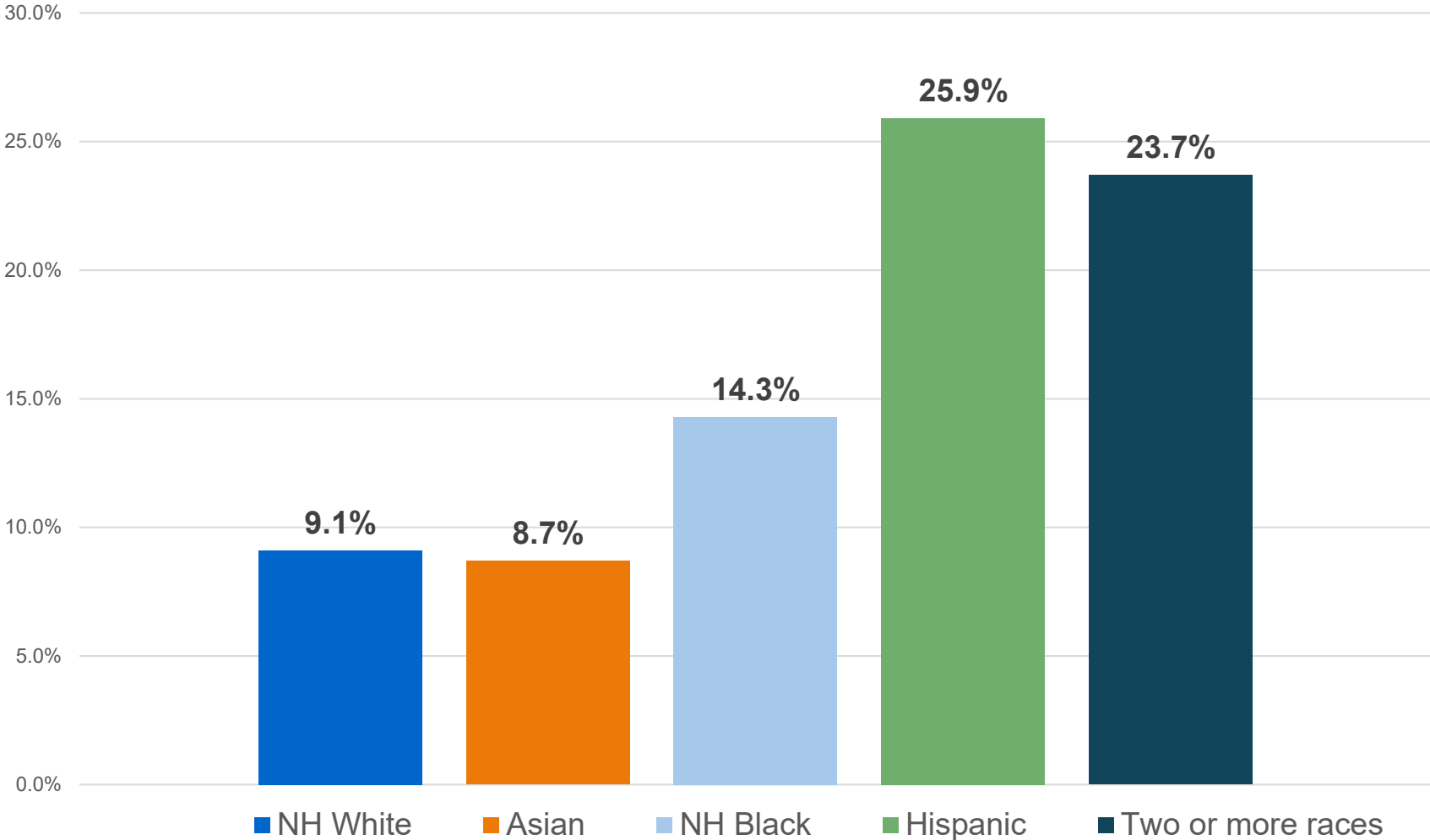
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Estimated Percent of the Civilian Population without Health Insurance, Texas Counties, 2022



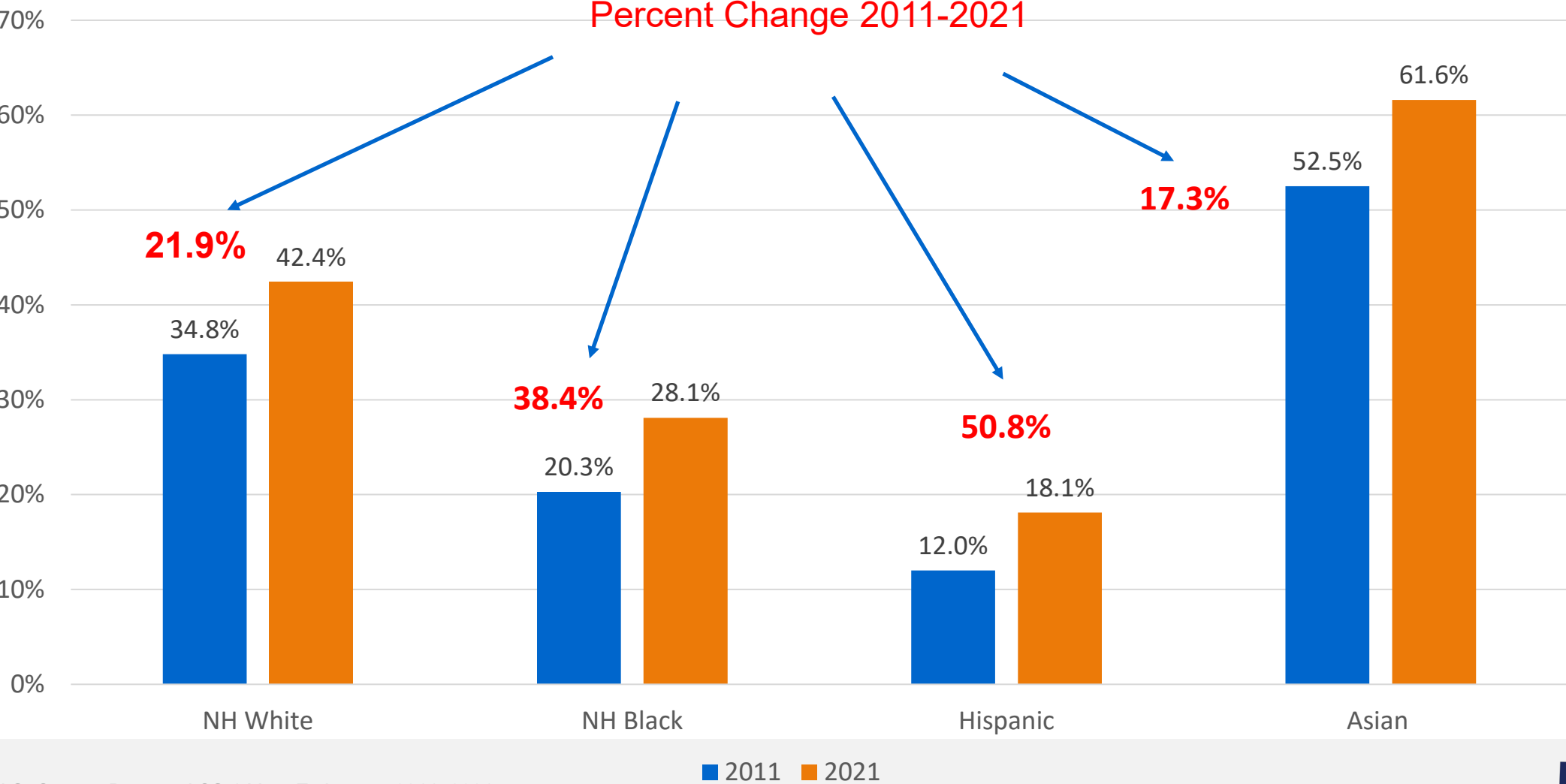
Percent Uninsured by Race/Ethnicity, Texas 2022



16.6% of Texans are uninsured with differences among race/ethnic groups

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2022 1-year estimates

Change in the Percent of Population 25 Years and Older with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher, Texas, 2011 and 2021









Source: U.S. Census Bureau, ACS 1-Year Estimates, 2011, 2021

Percent of Households without an Internet Subscription, Texas Census Tracts

Without an Internet subscription

Percent — Total households — TYPE OF INTERNET SUBSCRIPTIONS

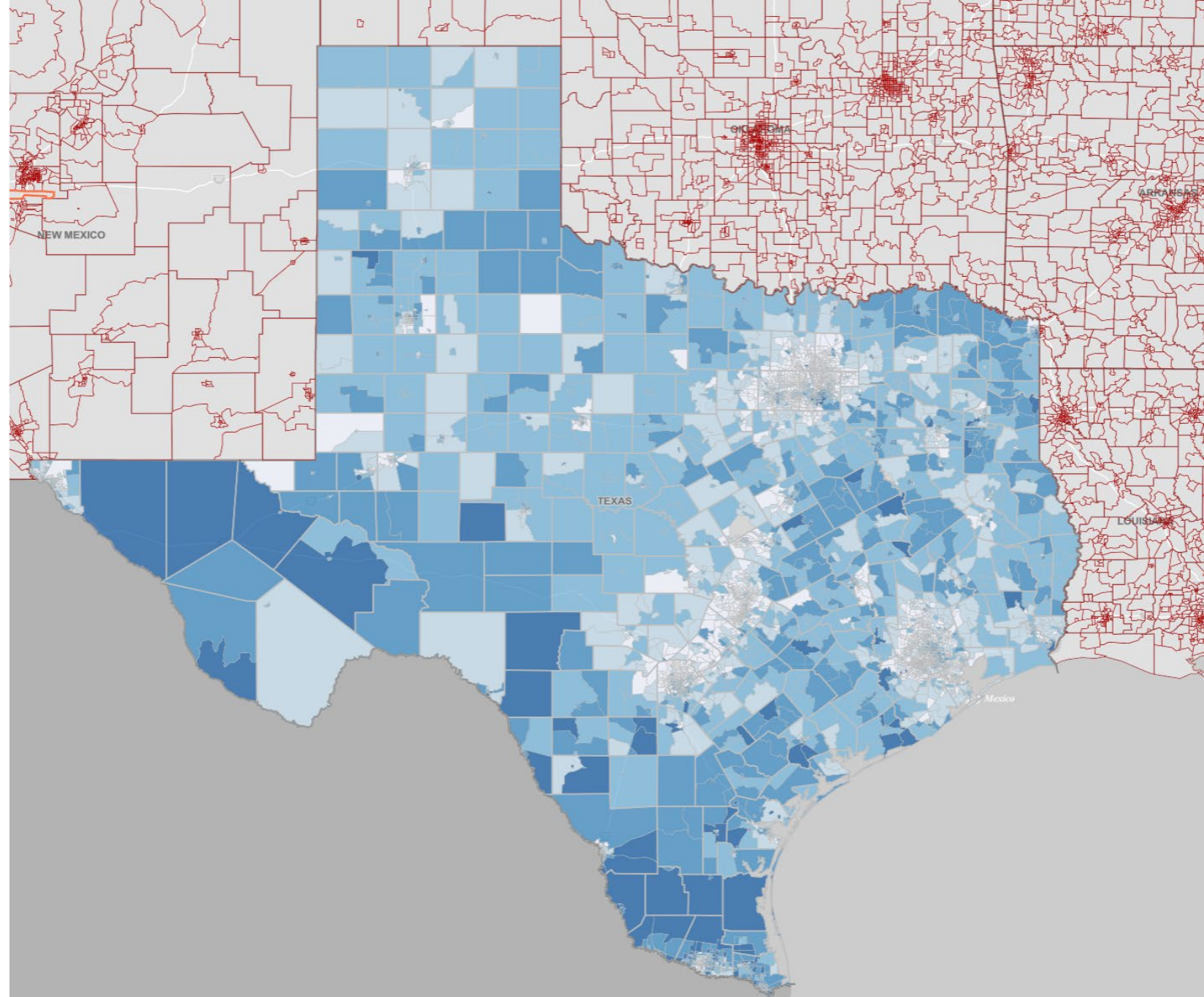
	37.3%—100%	313
	24.5%—37.2%	954
	15.1%—24.4%	1512
	7.1%—15%	1781
	0%—7%	2271
	No Data	65

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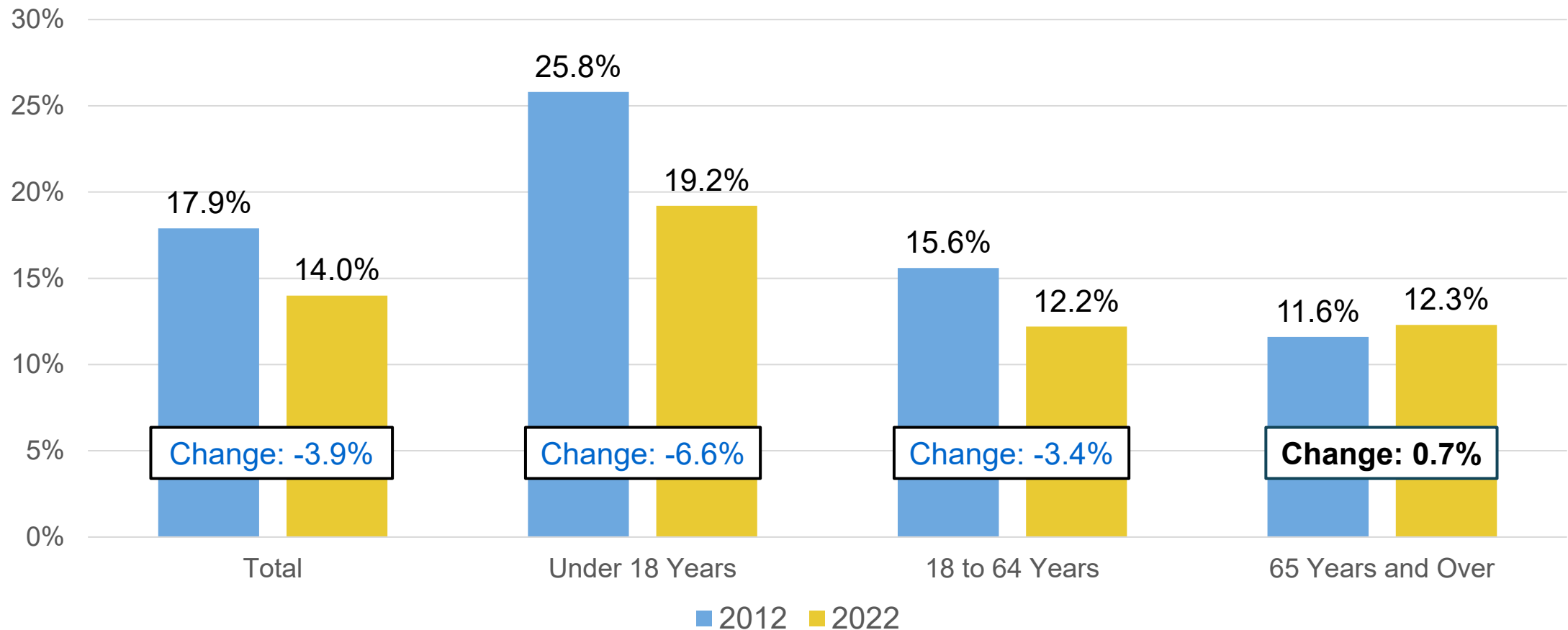
-  State
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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2021 ACS 5-year estimates

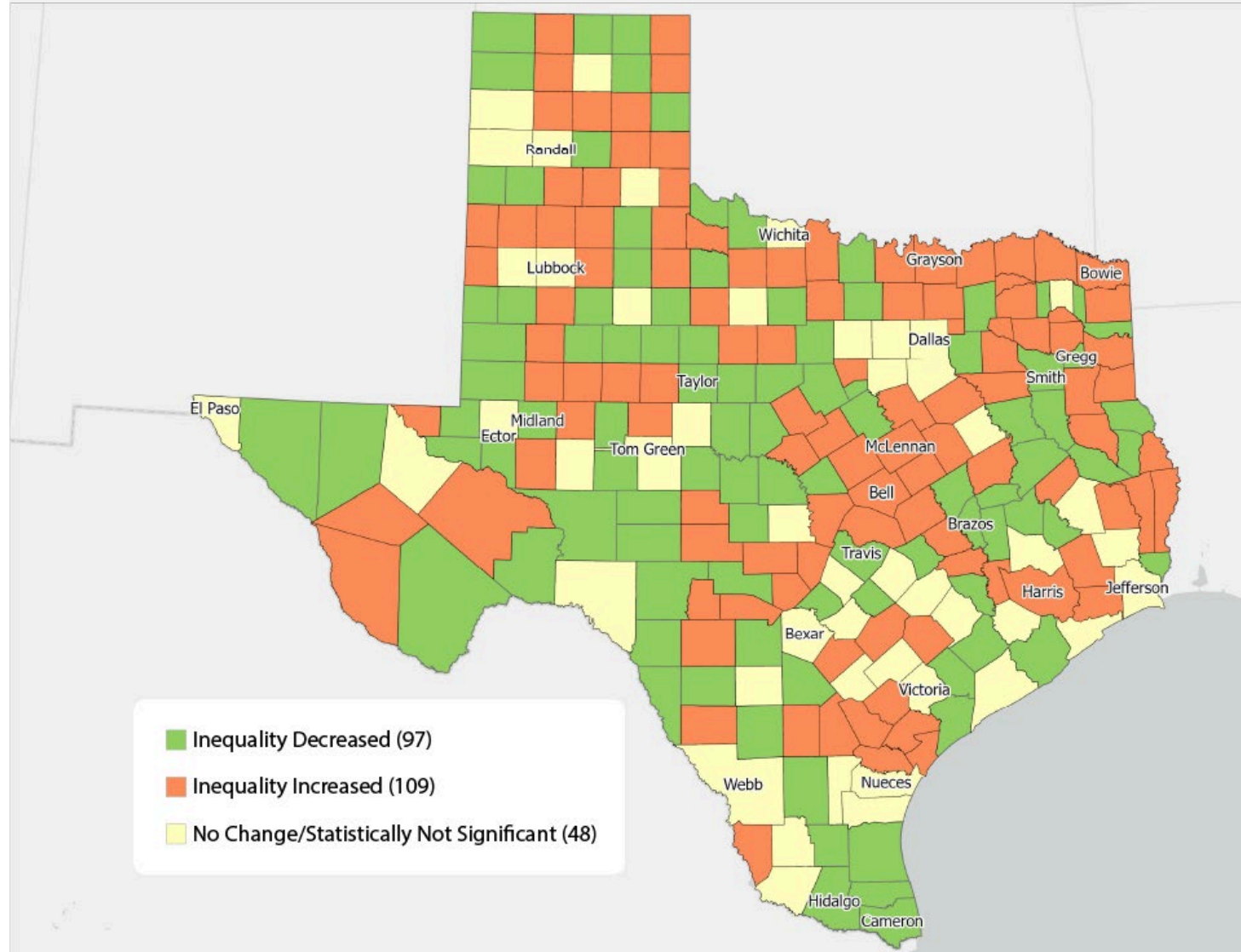


Poverty Rates by Age Groups in Texas



Change in Income Inequality, Texas Counties, 2012-2022

More than half of the 206 counties where inequality was measured experienced an increase in income inequality, representing a greater gap between higher and lower-income groups



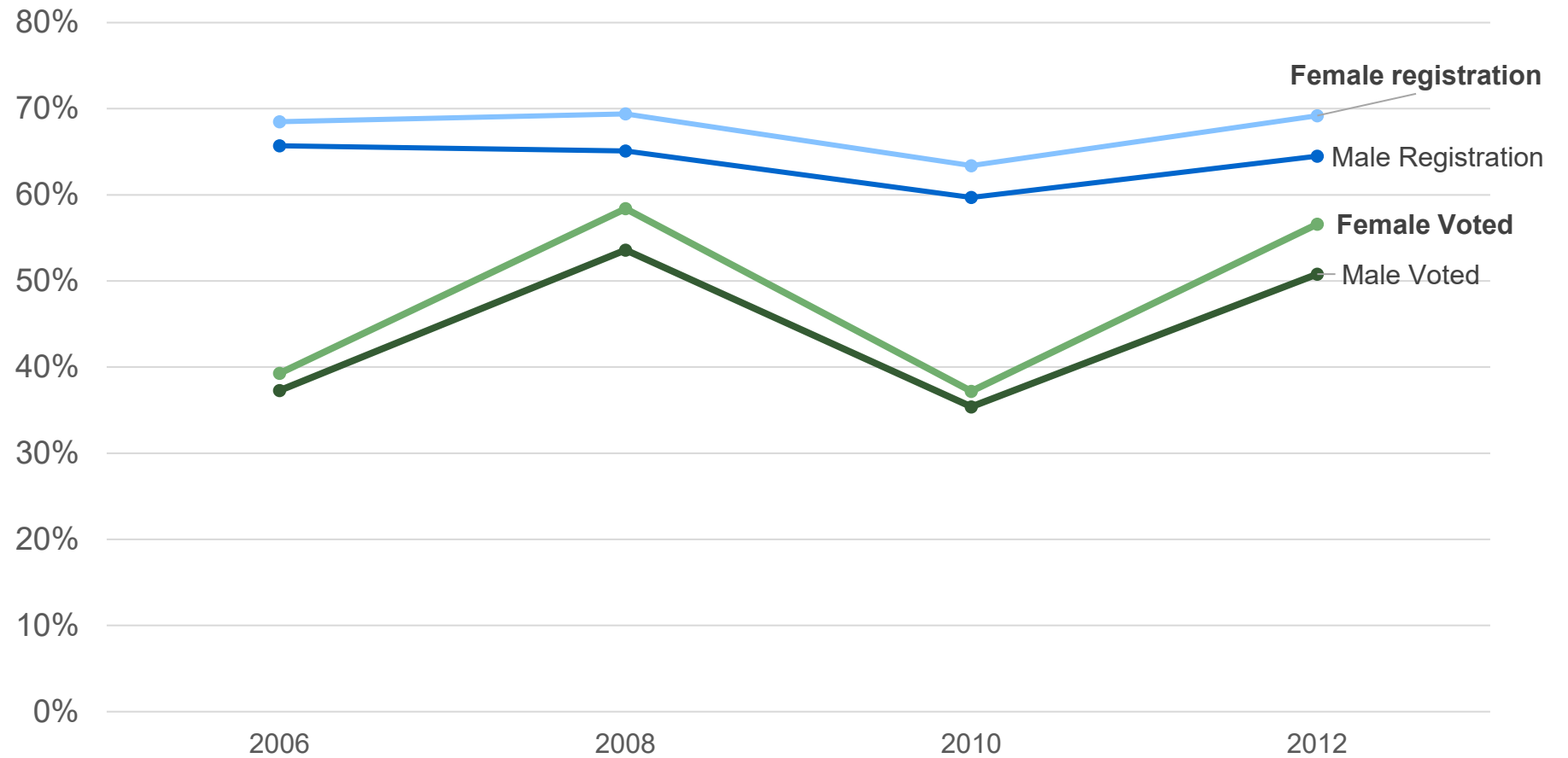
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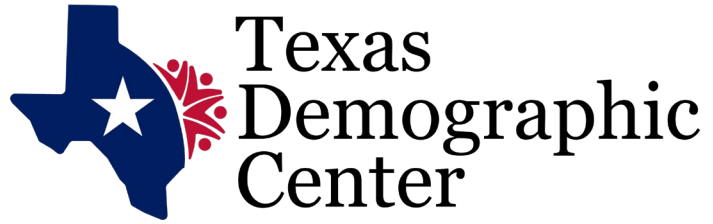
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2022 5-Year American Community Survey Summary File



Texans' Participation in Congressional Elections by Sex

Women in Texas have higher voter registration and turnout in national elections than men, highlighting their crucial role in shaping policies and leadership.





A Look at Rural Counties

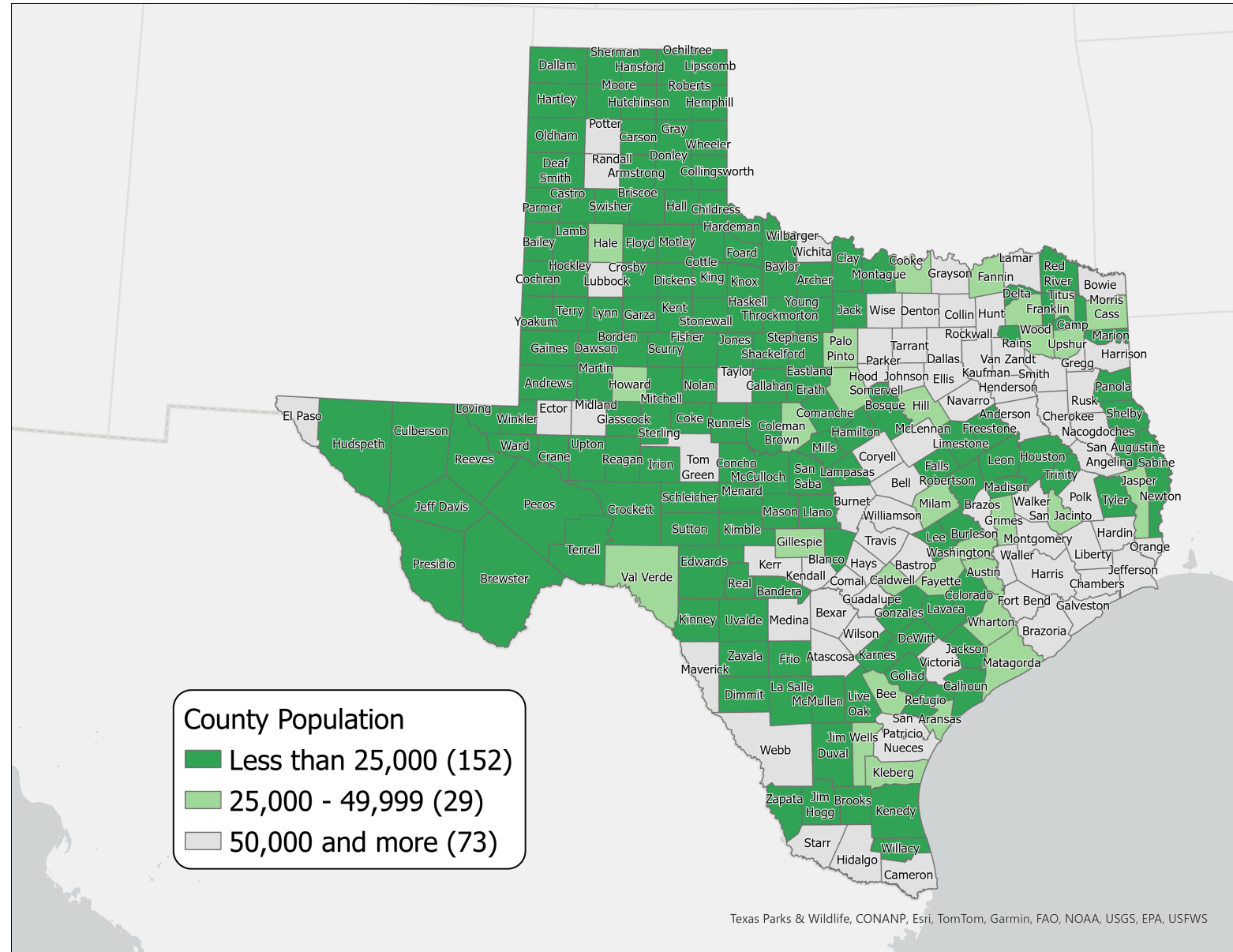
Counties with a population of 50k or less



Texas Rural Counties by Population, 2023

254 Counties in Texas

181 (71%) have a population of less than 50k



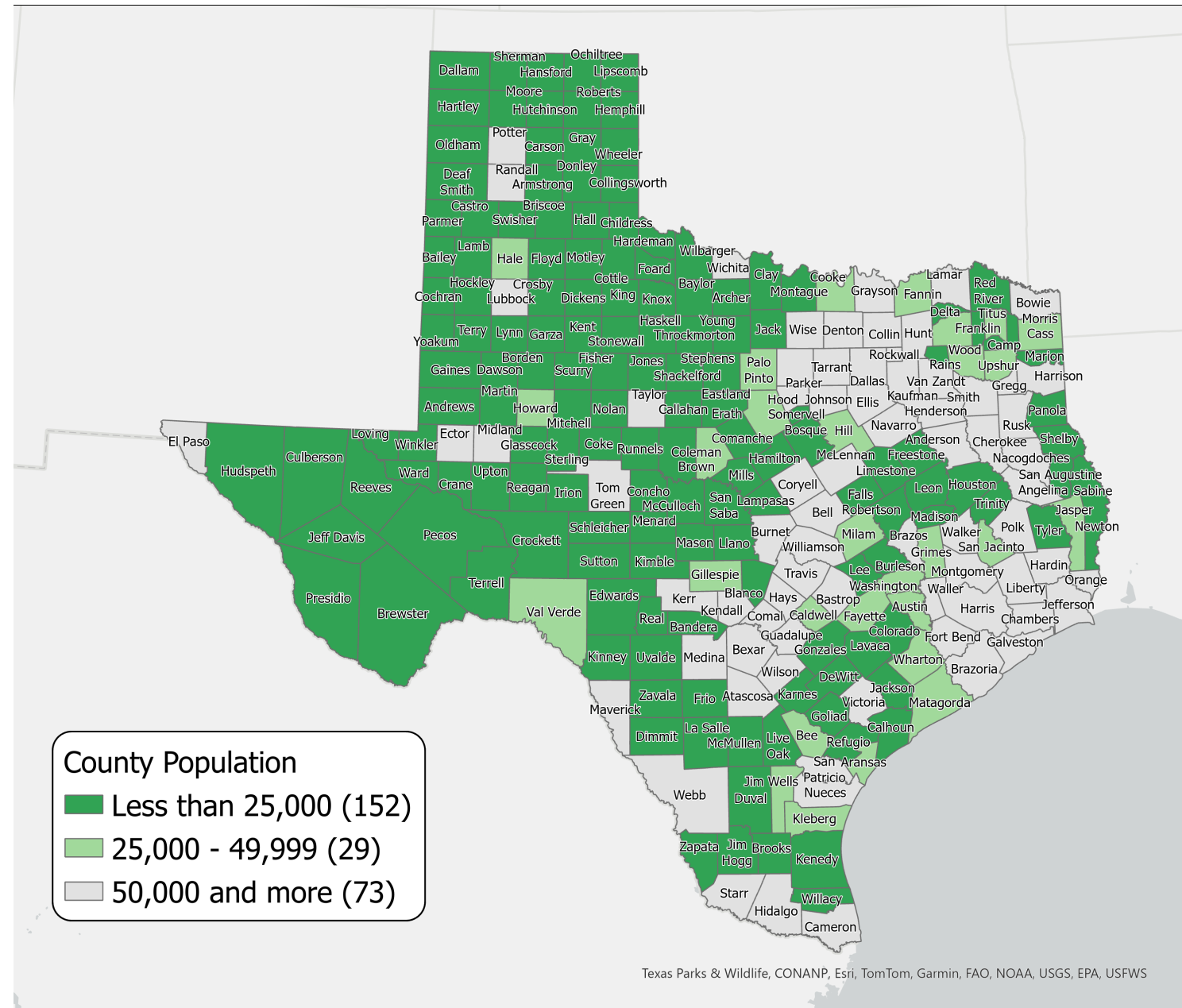
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181 Rural Counties

Total pop.= 2.4 million
(8.1% of Texas pop.)

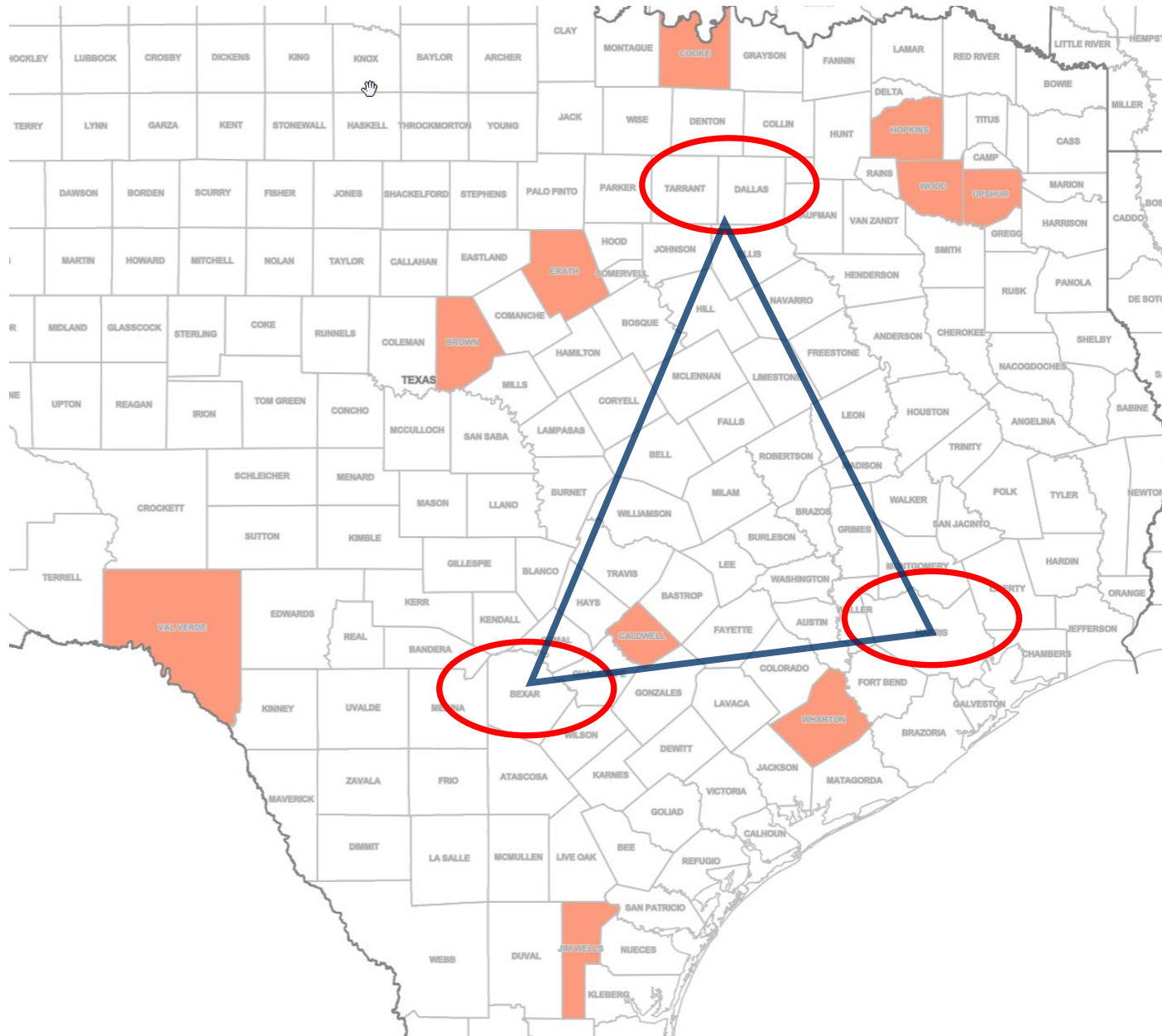
88 counties lost population
between 2020-2023

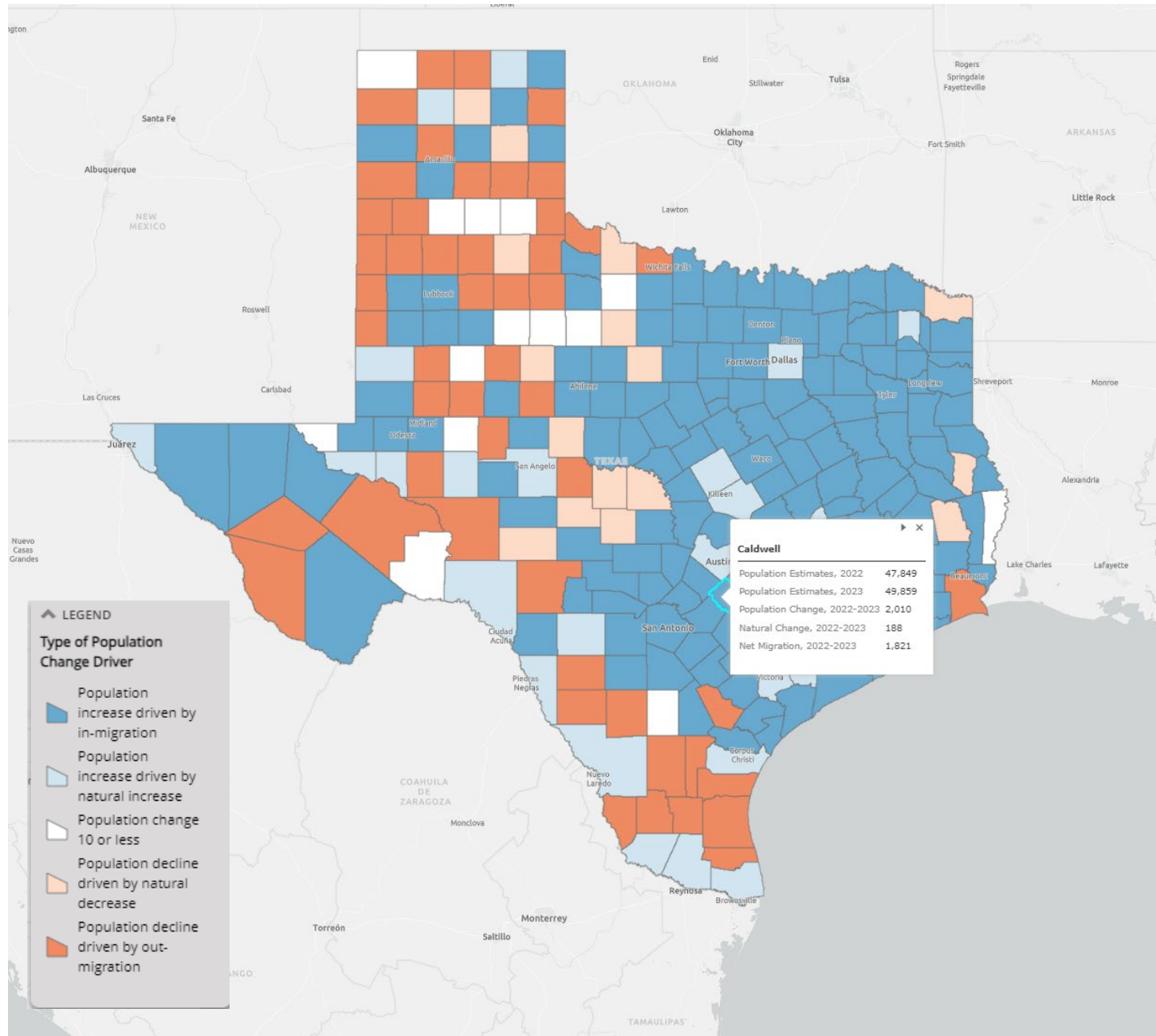
Median Age = 40 yrs
(Tx median age= 35.6)



Rural Counties Top 10 population

1. Caldwell (49k)
2. Wood
3. Val Verde
4. Erath
5. Cooke
6. Upshur
7. Wharton
8. Brown
9. Jim Wells
10. Hopkins (38k)

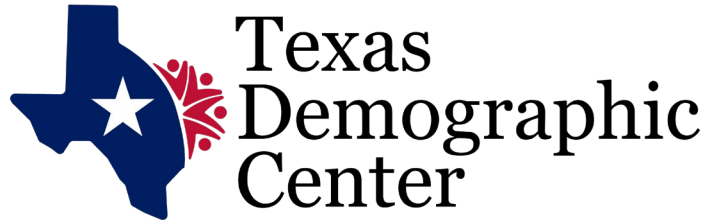




Interactive Map “What’s Driving Population Change in Texas Counties?”

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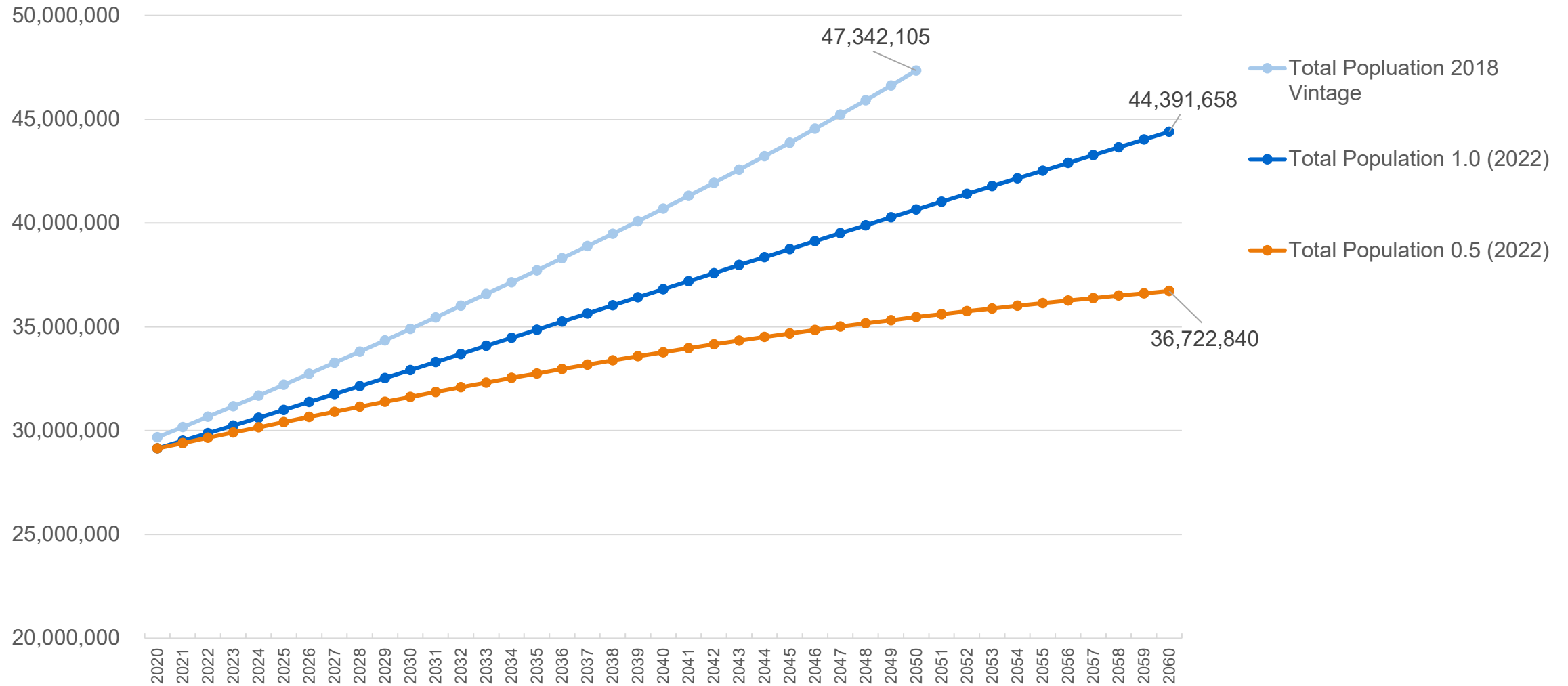
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A Look into the Future



Projected Population Growth in Texas, 2020-2060

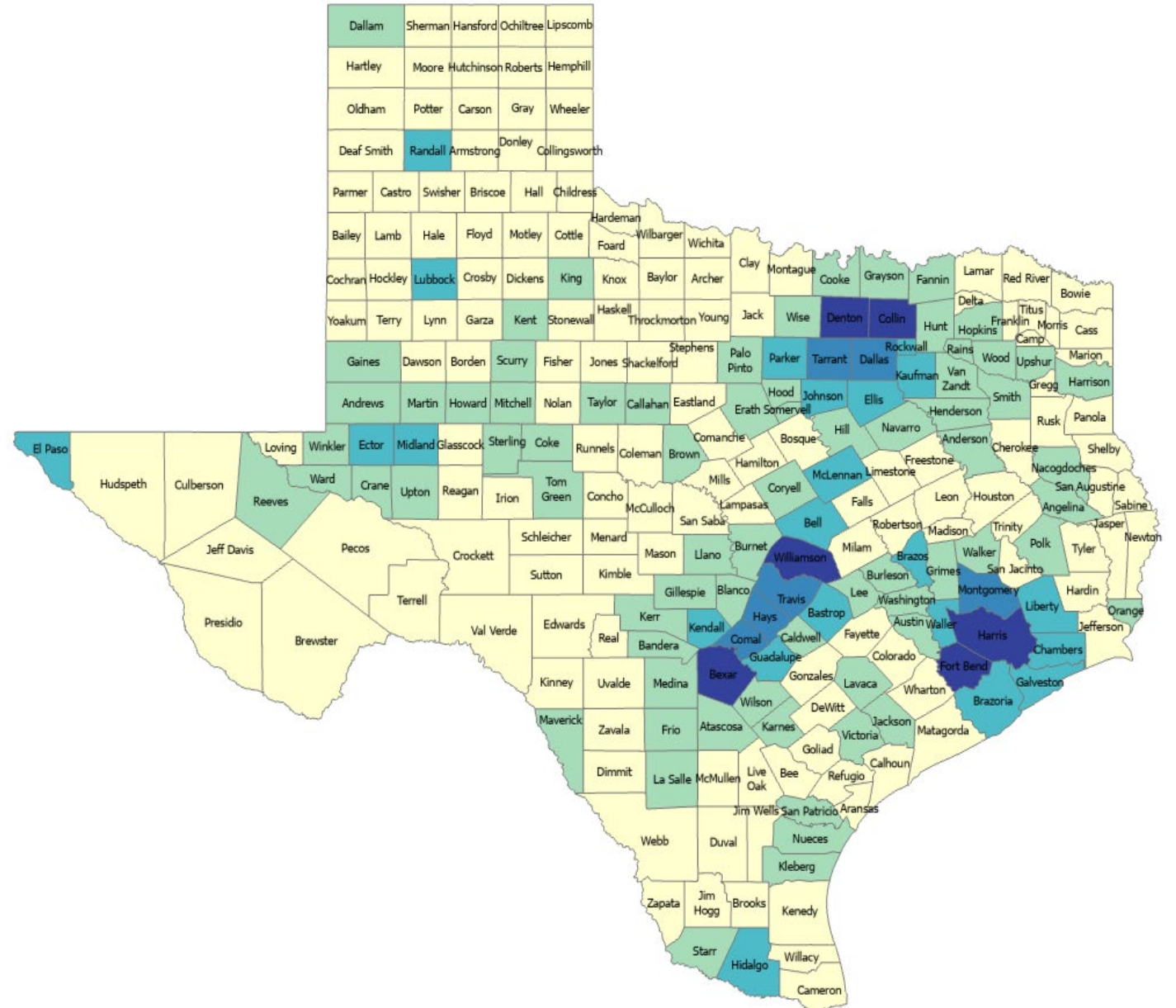


Source: Texas Demographic Center, Vintage 2022 and 2018 Population Projections

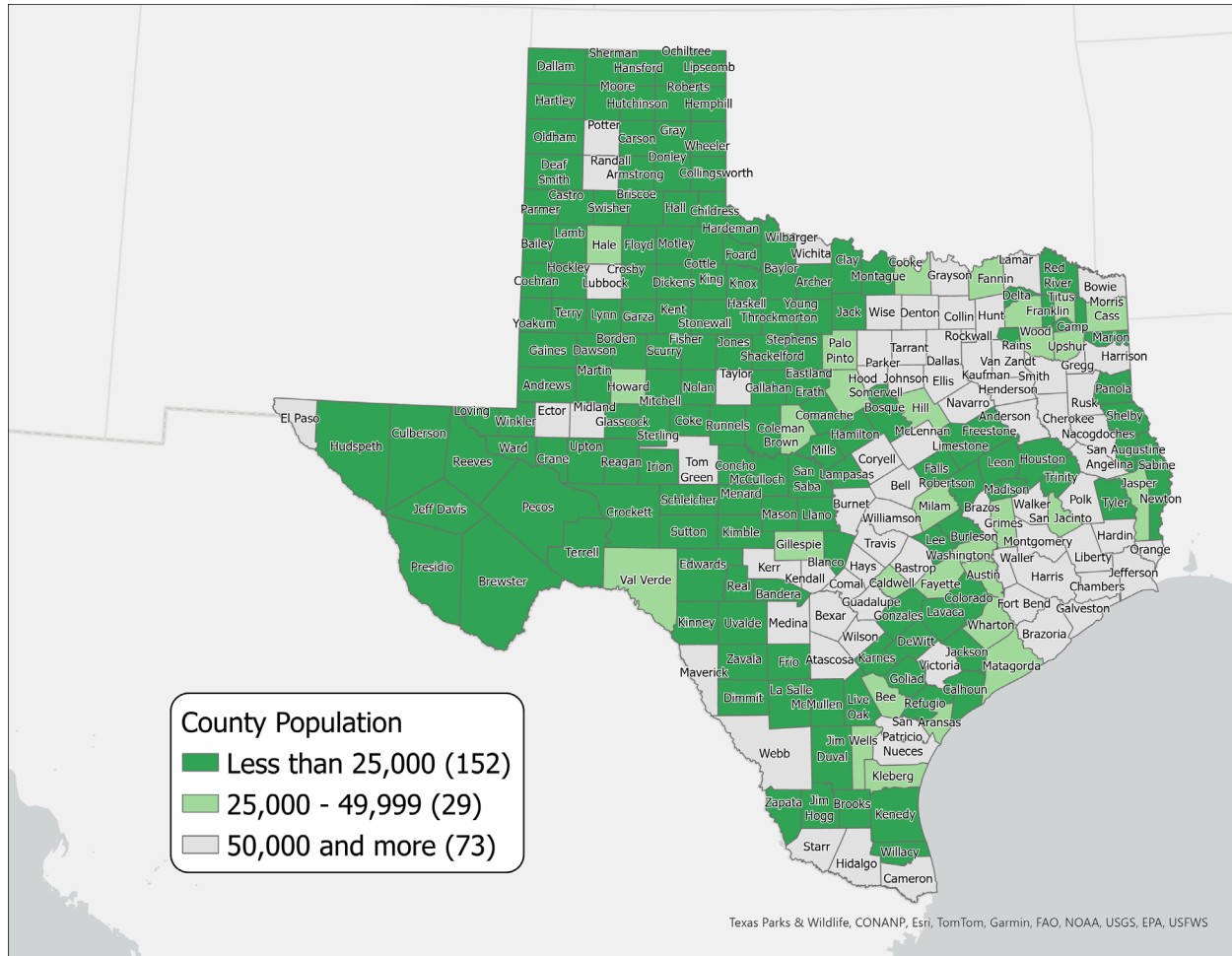
Projected Population Change, Texas Counties, 2020-2060

Projected Population Change 2020-2060

- -26,358 - 0
- 1 – 50,000
- 50,001 – 100,000
- 100,001 – 300,000
- 300,001 – 1,000,000
- 1,000,001 – 1,528,385



Texas Rural Counties Summary



- 71% (181) Texas counties have population of 50k or less (Rural)
- Rural counties with largest population are adjacent to suburban ring counties outside of major metro areas
- Median age is 40 yrs (35.6 in Texas)
- Nearly half of these rural counties lost population between 2020-2023

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Cycling to Work in Metro Areas in Texas, 2022

Metro Area	Percentage
College Station	1.64%
Lubbock	0.58%
United States	0.45%
Waco	0.34%
Austin-Round Rock-Georgetown	0.33%
San Angelo	0.28%
Wichita Falls	0.22%
San Antonio-New Braunfels	0.22%
Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land	0.17%
Brownsville-Harlingen	0.22%
Texas	0.20%
Beaumont-Port Arthur	0.17%
Dallas-Fort Worth-Dallas	0.16%
Midland	0.15%
Killeen-Temple	0.14%
Amarillo	0.14%

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Poverty Rate for School Age Children (5-17) Living in Families, by School Districts in Texas, 2022

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Why people moved within Texas or from elsewhere, 2022-2023

Reason	All Races/Ethnicity	Hispanic	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black	Non-Hispanic Asian
Housing	42%	44%	34%	54%	46%
Job	25%	25%	30%	22%	27%
Family	20%	18%	23%	17%	20%
Other	11%	13%	13%	6%	5%

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Percent Female Population by Age Group in Texas, 2020

Age Group	Percentage
Under 5 to 39 years	49.5%
40 to 64 years	51.5%
65 to 74 years	53.5%
75 to 84 years	56.5%
85 years and older	63.0%

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Infant Mortality Rate per 1,000 Live Births by Race and Ethnicity in Texas, 2017-2021

Race and Ethnicity	Rate
All Races/Ethnicities	5.3
Non-Hispanic Black	9.7
Hispanic or Latino	5.0
Non-Hispanic White	4.1
Non-Hispanic Asian	3.5

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