# Texas

## Demographic Characteristics and Trends

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# 25 Million Reasons to be Proud of Texas (among a few more)

## Demographic Highlights

**TEXAS is:**

**big.** The population of Texas is the second largest in the United States, approaching 25 million people (estimated population of 24.8 million people in 2009).[7]

**young.** Approximately 28% of Texas' population is under 18 and only 10% of the population is older than 65 years.[1] Webb County in Texas, has the youngest population in the U.S. with children younger than 5 comprising 12.8% of the population.[7]

**embracing of culture and diversity.** Approximately 9 million or 38% of Texans are of Hispanic descent, 2.8 million or 12% are African Americans, and 1 million or 4% are other (non-Anglo mainly of Asian descent).[1] In about a decade, it is expected that Texas' population will have more persons of Hispanic descent than any other racial or ethnic group.[4]

**a desired place to live and work.** Net in-migration to Texas accounts for almost half of the population growth in recent years.[1] More than 171,900 college graduates moved into Texas each year between 2006 and 2008, placing Texas as 2nd in the Nation by this measure.

**urban.** Texas has three of the top 10 largest cities in the Nation.[3] Several of the metropolitan areas in Texas are among the most rapidly growing in the Nation.[5]

**rural**. Texas is the second largest state in the Nation in terms of square miles (268,601) and approximately 17% of the population lives in rural areas.[1]

**a working state.** Texas has a civilian labor force of more than twelve million workers and an unemployment rate lower than in most States.[6]

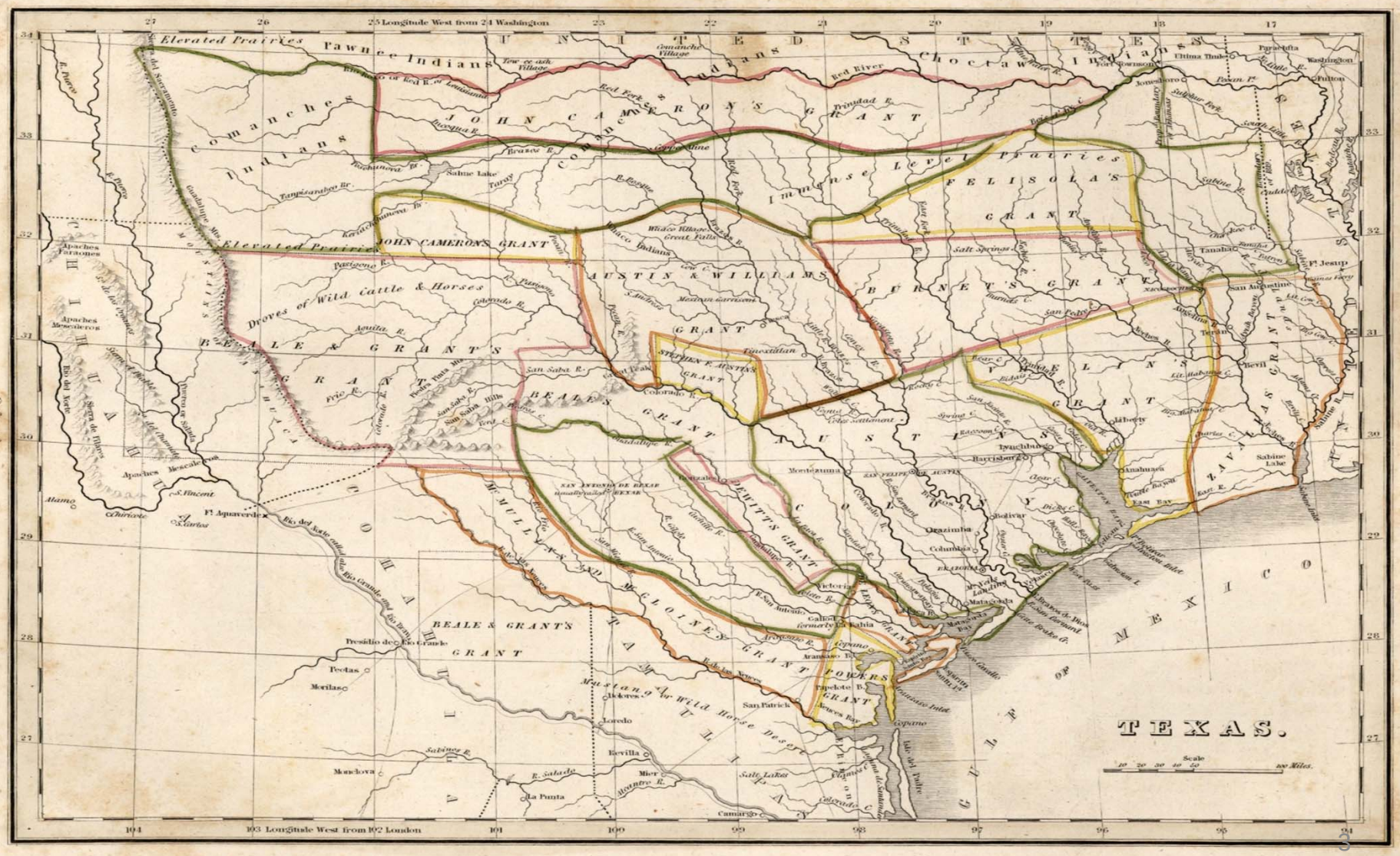
**family oriented.** Texas ranks 3rd among states for the percent of households which are married-couple families with children (24.4%).[2]

**multigenerational.** Texas ranks 3rd among states for percent of households which are multigenerational (4.5%).[2]

**growing – fast.** Texas gained more population than any other state in the last estimate year (between July 1, 2008 and July 1, 2009), adding 478,000 people.[7] Among cities over 100,000 population in the U.S., 4 of the 10 fastest growing areas are in Texas (2007-2008 change).[7]

Data sources: 1. Texas State Data Center, Population Estimates; 2. U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey; 3. U.S. Census Bureau, 2000 Census; 4. Texas State Data Center, Population Projections; 5. U.S. Census Bureau, Metropolitan Statistical Area Estimates; 6. U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics; 7. U.S. Census Bureau, Population Estimates

# Texas Demography



# Natural Increase in Texas (Births minus Deaths)

- Birth Rate: 16.8 per 1,000 vs. 14.0 for US (2nd highest)
- Death Rate: 6.8 per 1,000 vs. 8.3 for US (5th lowest)
- Natural Increase: 10.0 per 1,000 vs. 5.7 for US (3rd highest)

- Texas is young:
  - Median Age: 33.2 vs. 36.8 for US (2nd lowest)

- Texas has a high total fertility rate (Children per woman)
  - 2.34 vs. 2.05 for US (4th highest)

Source: National Center for Health Statistics, Vital Statistics Data, 2008 http://wonder.cdc.gov/

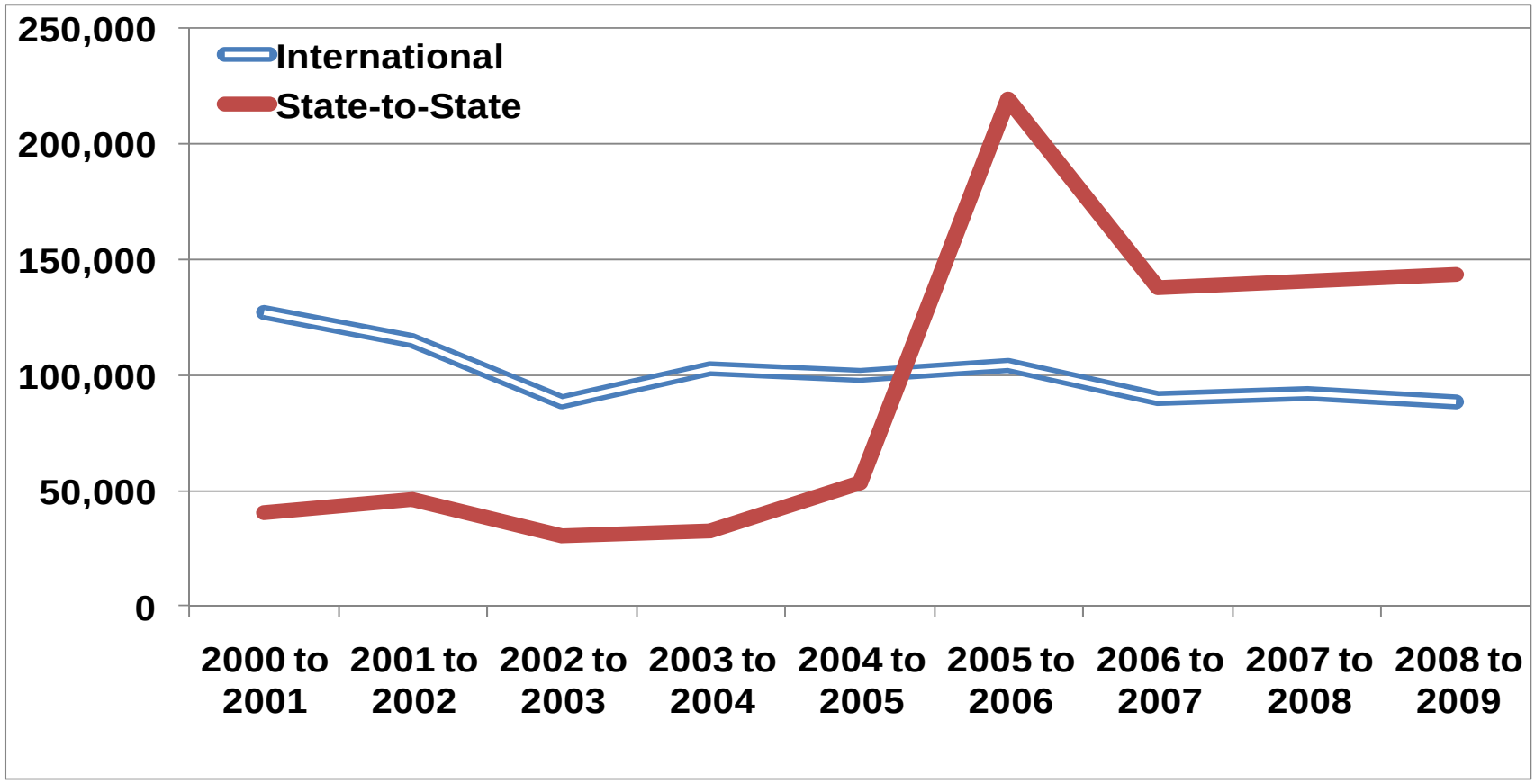
# Fastest Growing States, 2000-2009

| | 2000 Population* | 2009 Population* | Numerical Change 2000-2009 | Percent Change 2000-2009 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| United States | 281,424,602 | 307,006,550 | 25,581,948 | 9.1 |
| Texas | 20,851,820 | 24,782,302 | 3,930,484 | 18.8 |
| California | 33,871,648 | 36,961,664 | 3,090,016 | 9.1 |
| Florida | 15,982,378 | 18,537,969 | 2,555,130 | 16.0 |
| Georgia | 8,186,453 | 9,829,211 | 1,642,430 | 20.1 |
| Arizona | 5,130,632 | 6,595,778 | 1,465,171 | 28.6 |
| North Carolina | 8,049,313 | 9,380,884 | 1,334,478 | 16.6 |
| Virginia | 7,078,515 | 7,882,590 | 803,542 | 11.4 |

* **Population values are decennial census counts for April 1 for 2000 and estimates for July 1 for 2009.**

Source: Derived from U.S. Bureau of the Census Estimates for dates indicated by the Texas State Data Center, University of Texas at San Antonio.

# Estimated Annual Net Migration to Texas, 2000 to 2009

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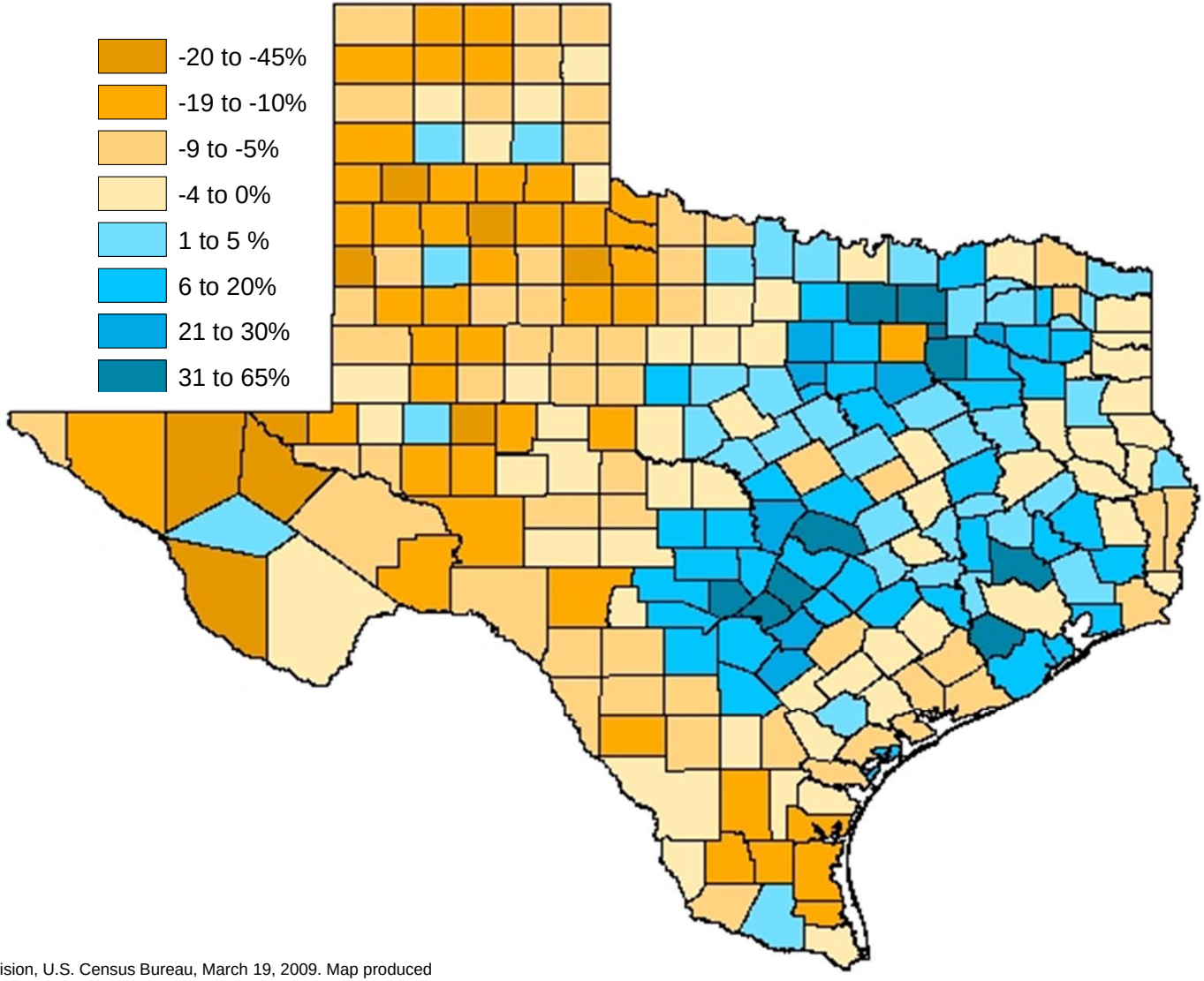
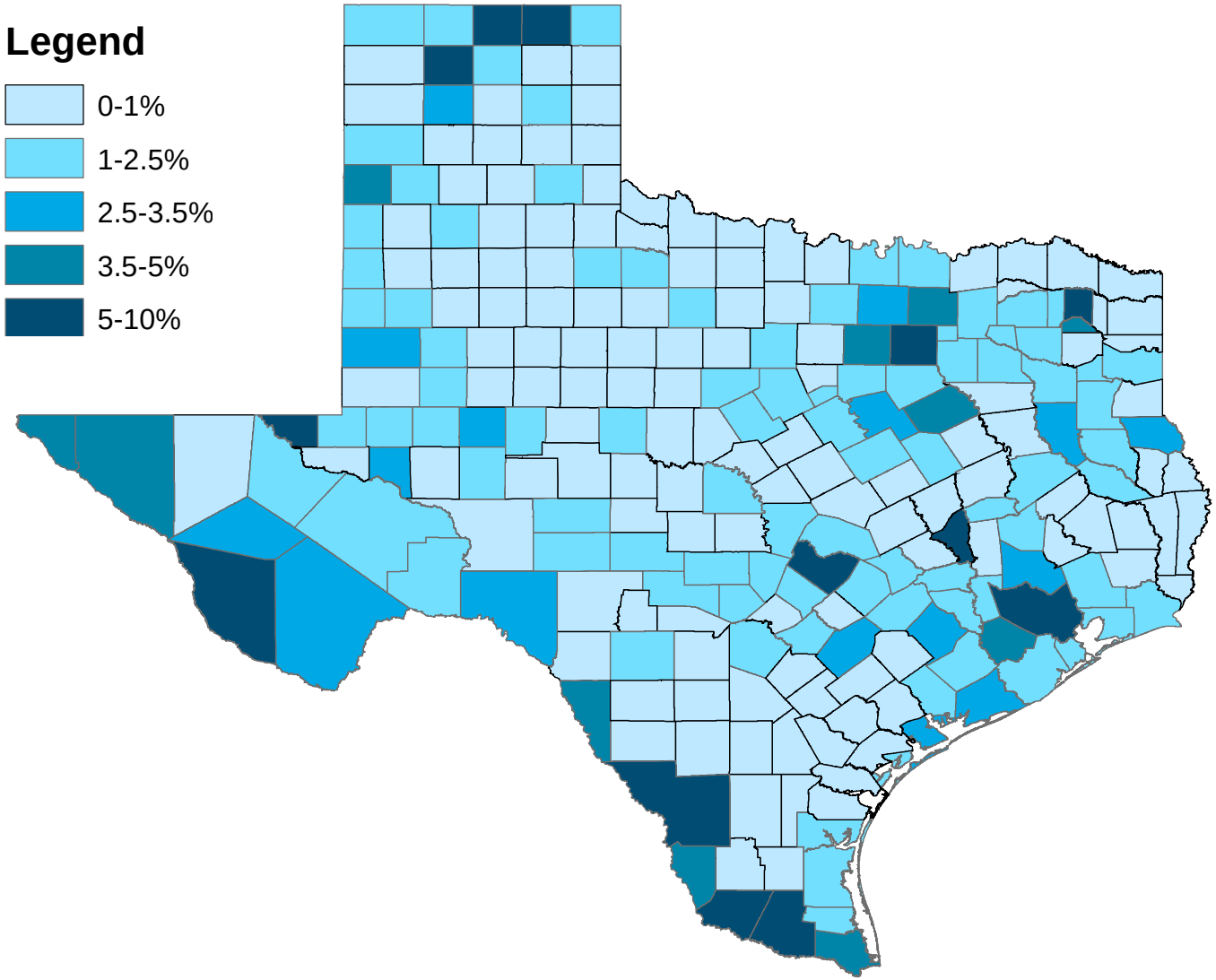



Source: Population Division, U.S. Census Bureau, March 19, 2009. Map produced by the Texas State Data Center

# Estimated international migration (2000-2008) by county as a percentage of 2000 population

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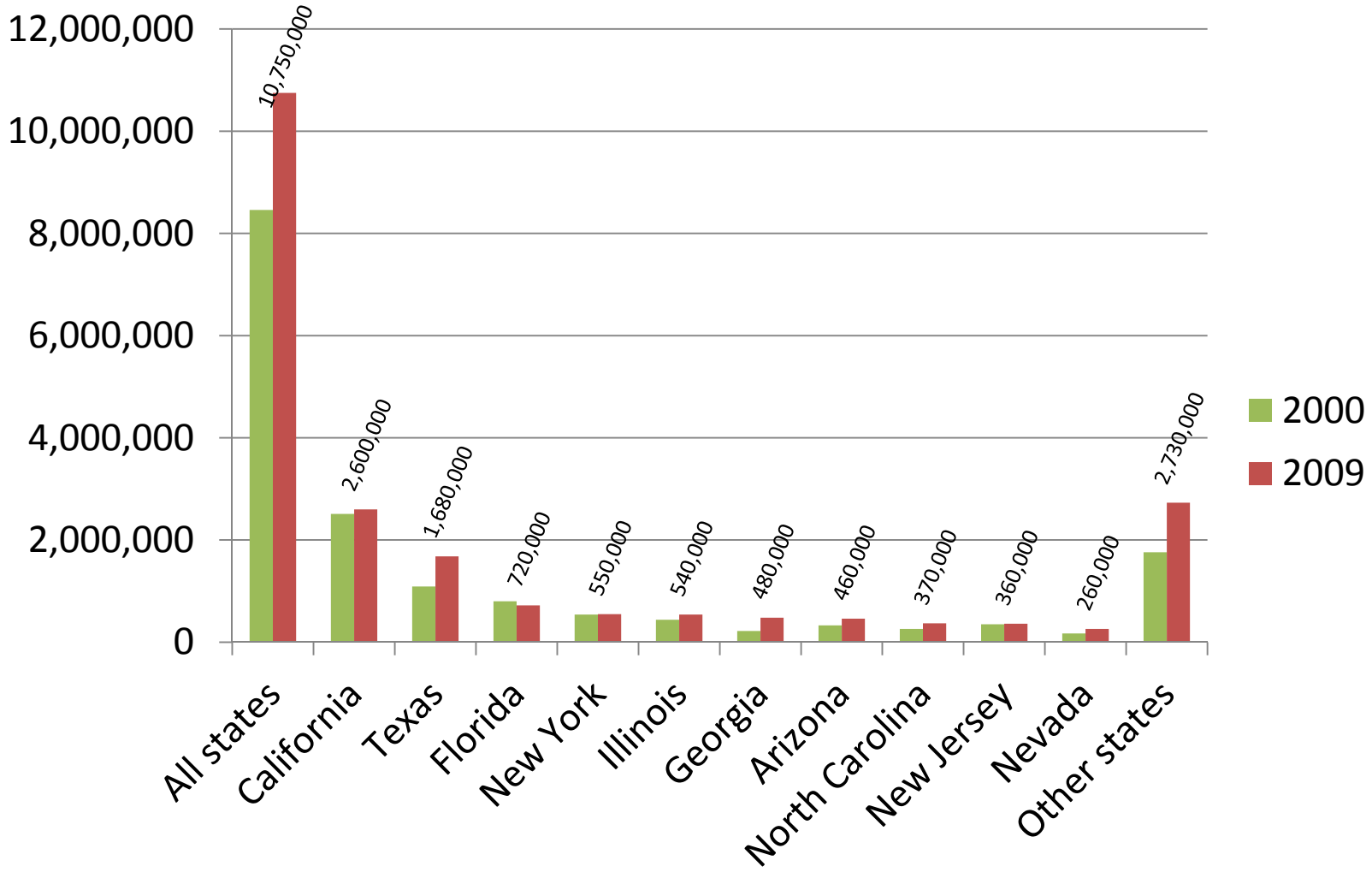
# Estimated Unauthorized Immigrant Population by State of Residence: January 2009 and 2000



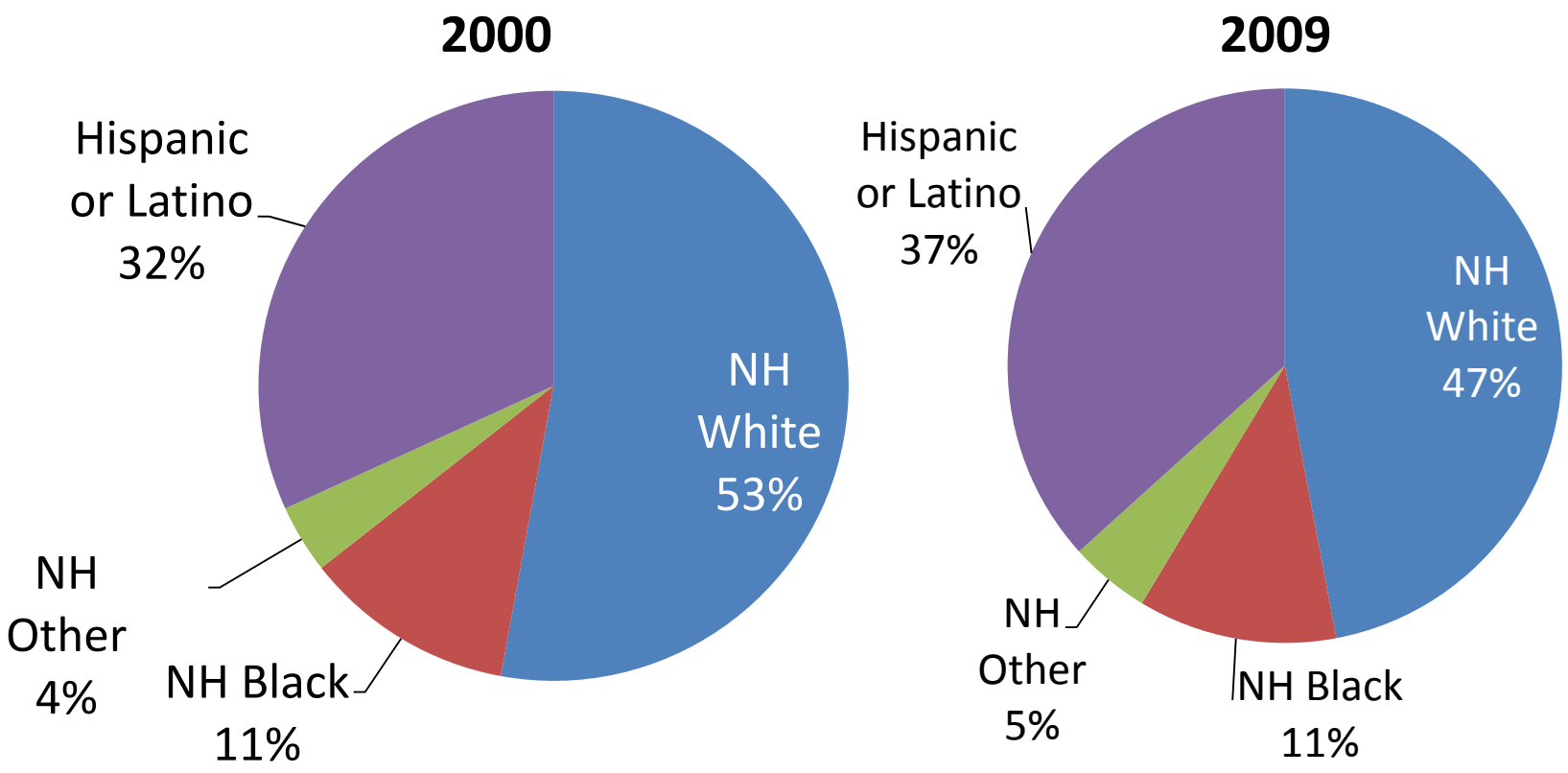

Source: U.S. Department of Homeland Security.

# Estimated Number and Percent of Migrants to Texas between 2000 and 2009 by Race and Ethnicity

| | | White | Hispanic | Black | Other | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Net domestic migration | | | | | | |
| | Number of migrants | 371,150 | 238,866 | 195,024 | 43,663 | 848,702 |
| | Percent of Total Row | 44% | 28% | 23% | 5% | |
| International migration | | | | | | |
| | Number of migrants | 224,820 | 469,591 | 73,140 | 165,532 | 933,083 |
| | Percent of Total Row | 24% | 50% | 8% | 18% | |
| Total | | | | | | |
| | Number of migrants | 595,970 | 708,457 | 268,163 | 209,195 | 1,781,785 |
| | Percent of Total Row | 33% | 40% | 15% | 12% | |

Sources: Percentages of domestic and international migrants by race and ethnicity derived from the 2006-2008 American Community Survey. Total numbers of domestic and international migrants between 2000-2009 are from Table 4. Cumulative Estimates of the Components of Resident Population Change for the United States, Regions, States, and Puerto Rico: April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2009, U.S. Census Bureau

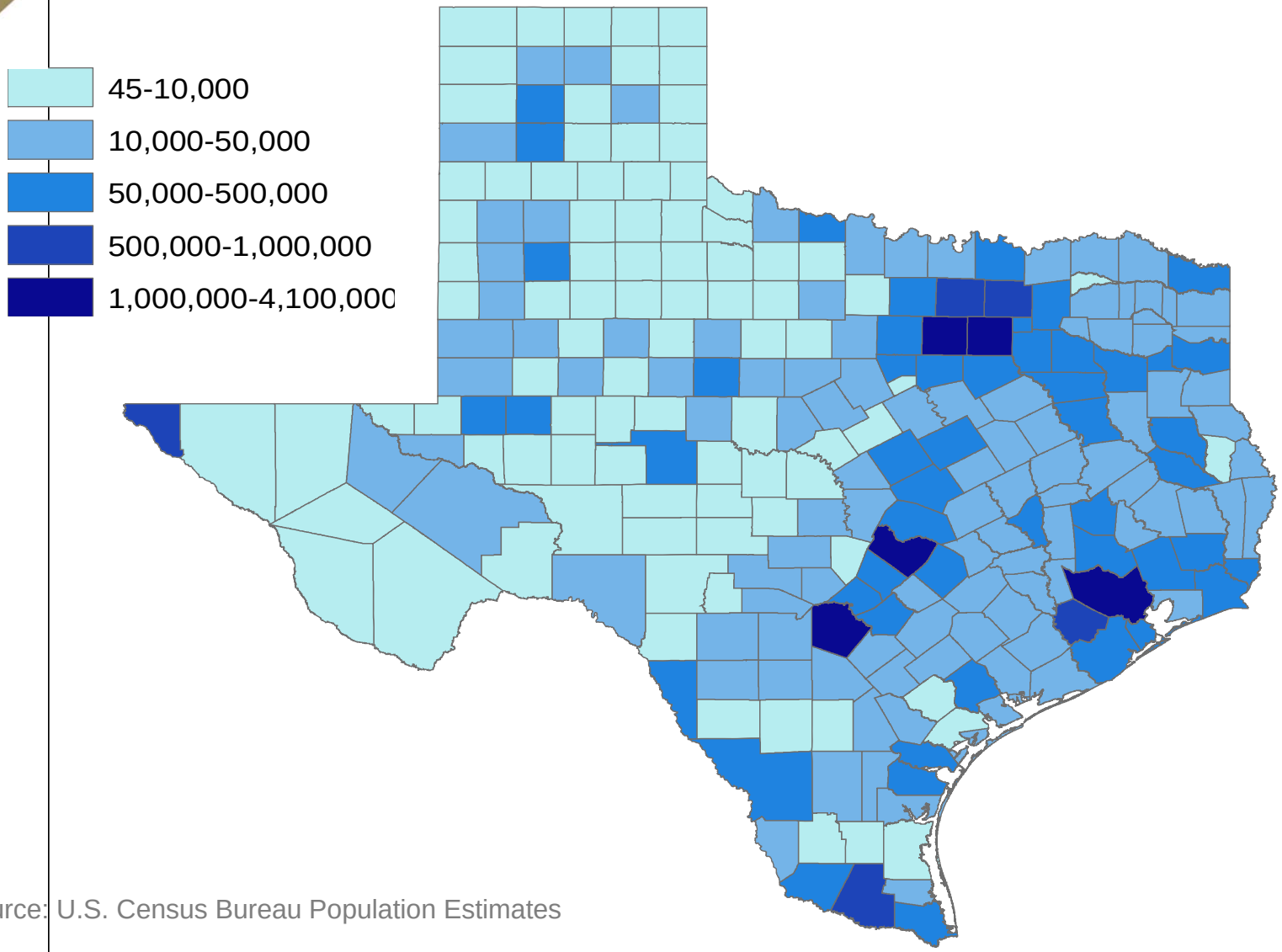
# Texas Racial and Ethnic Composition, 2000 and 2009




Source: U.S. Census Bureau. 2000 Census count and 2009 Population Estimate

# Geographic Patterns

# Total Population in Texas Counties, 2009

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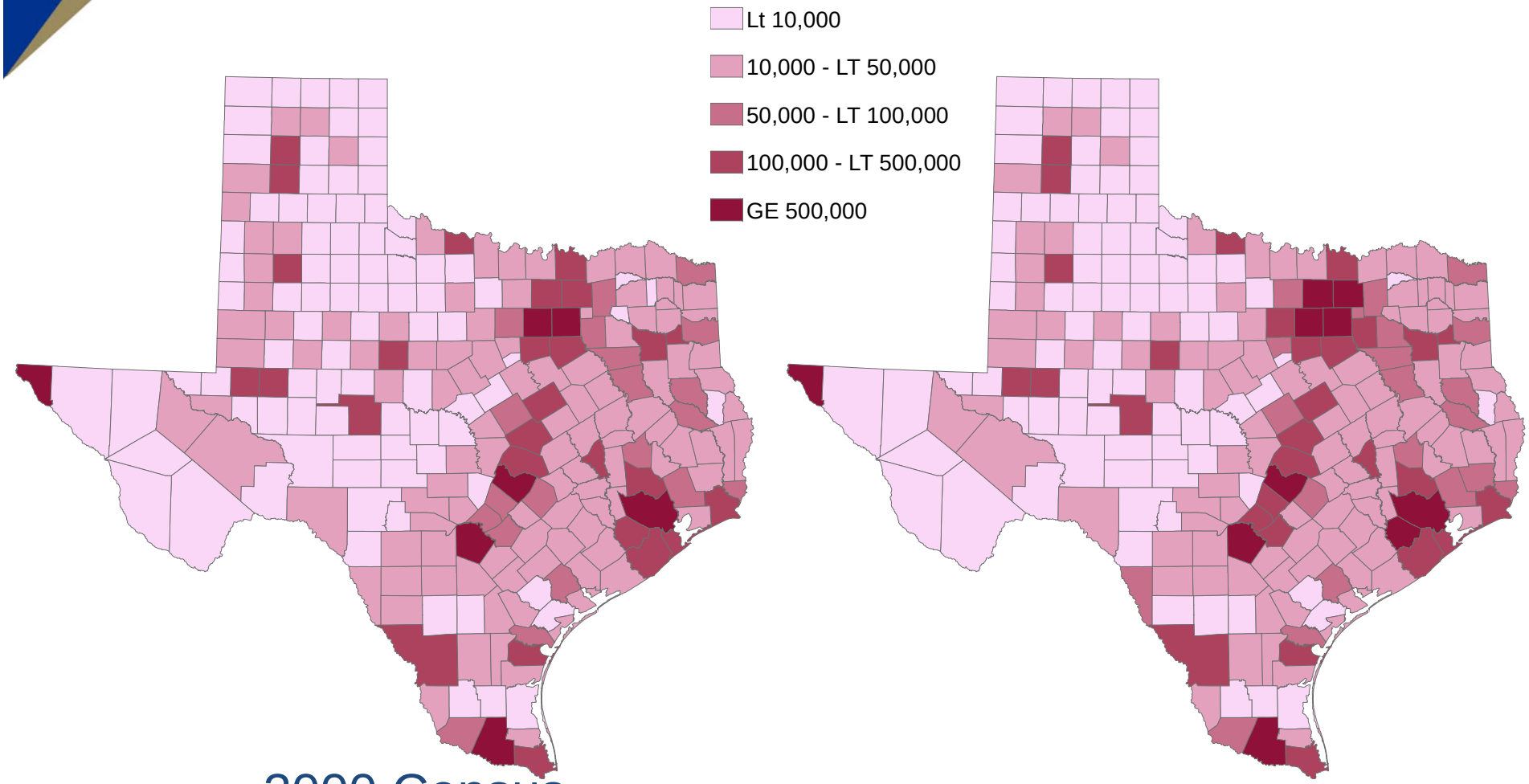


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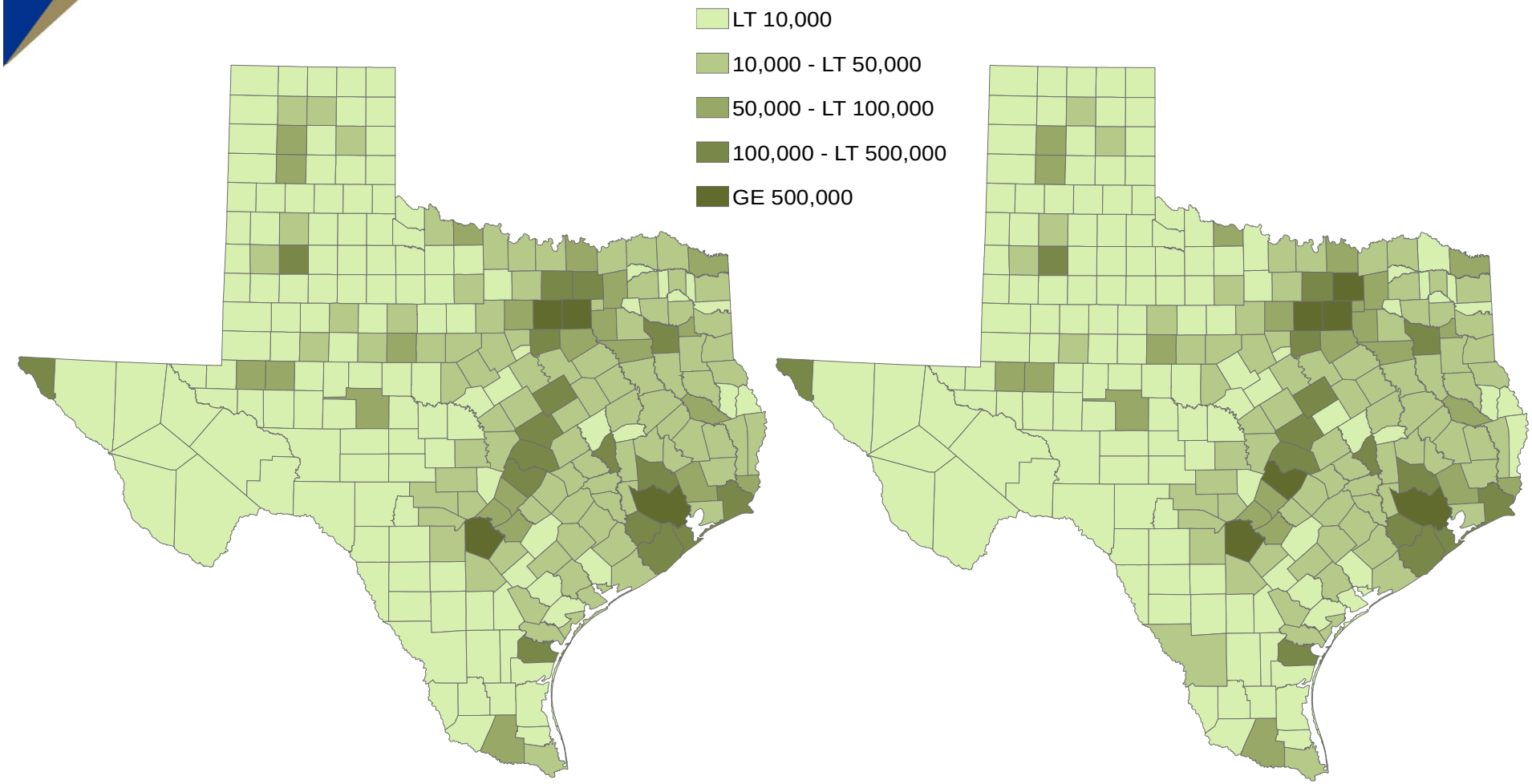


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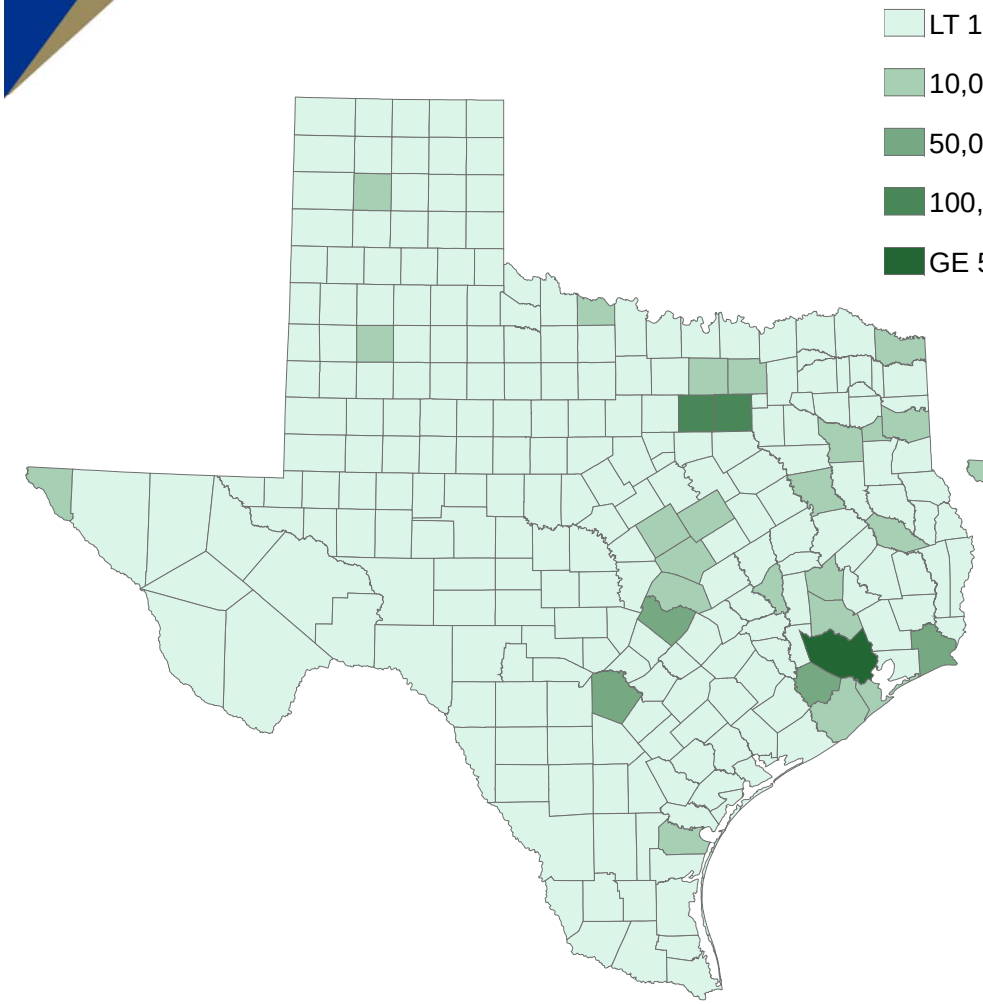


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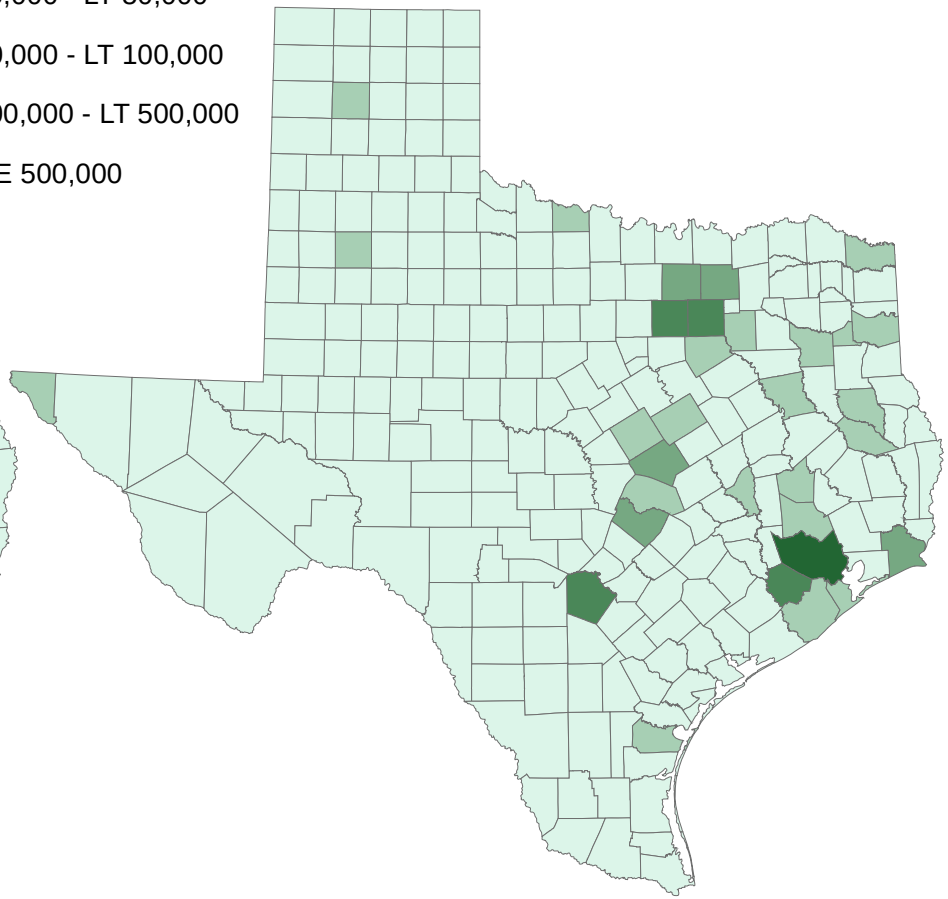

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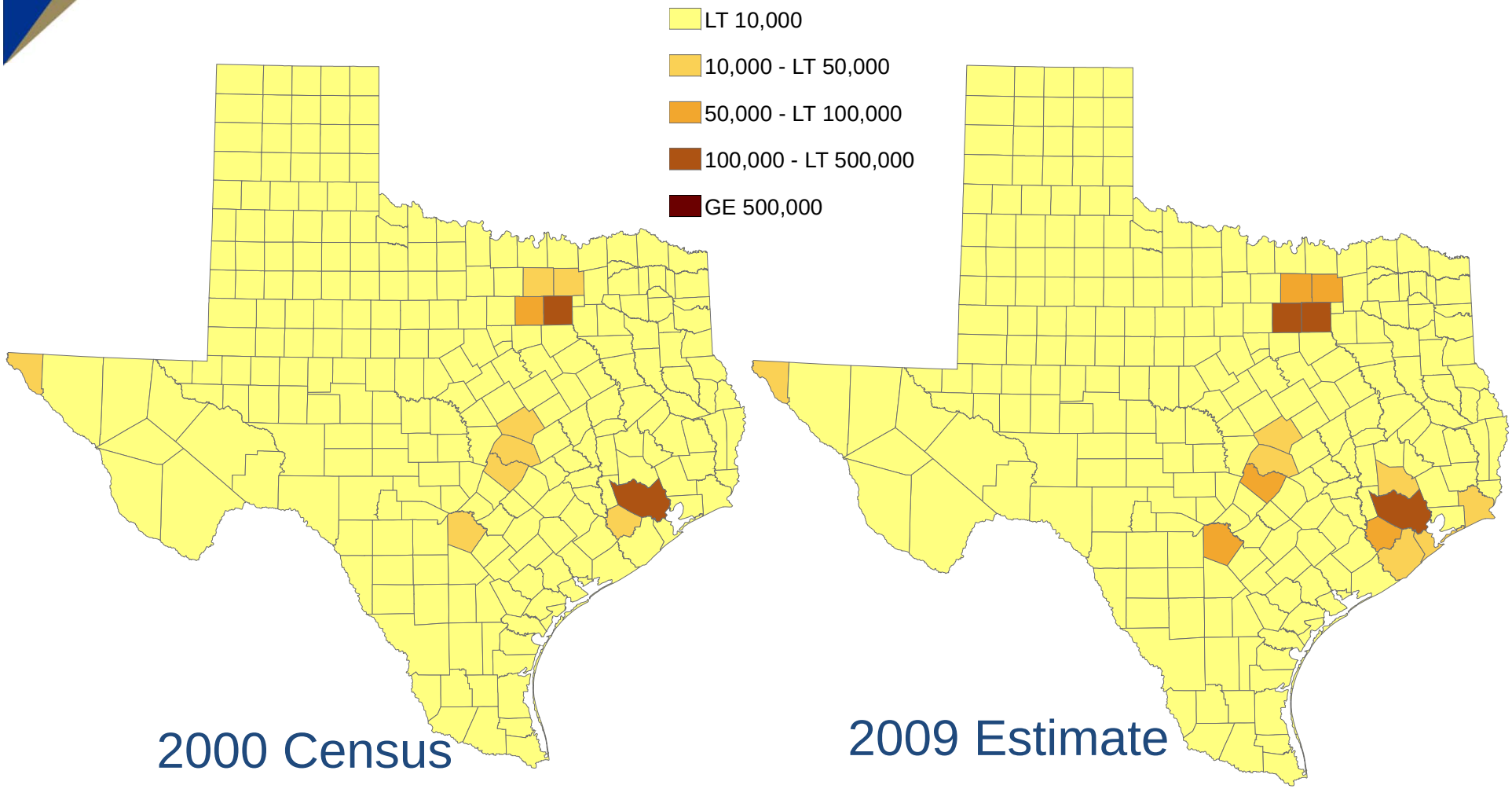


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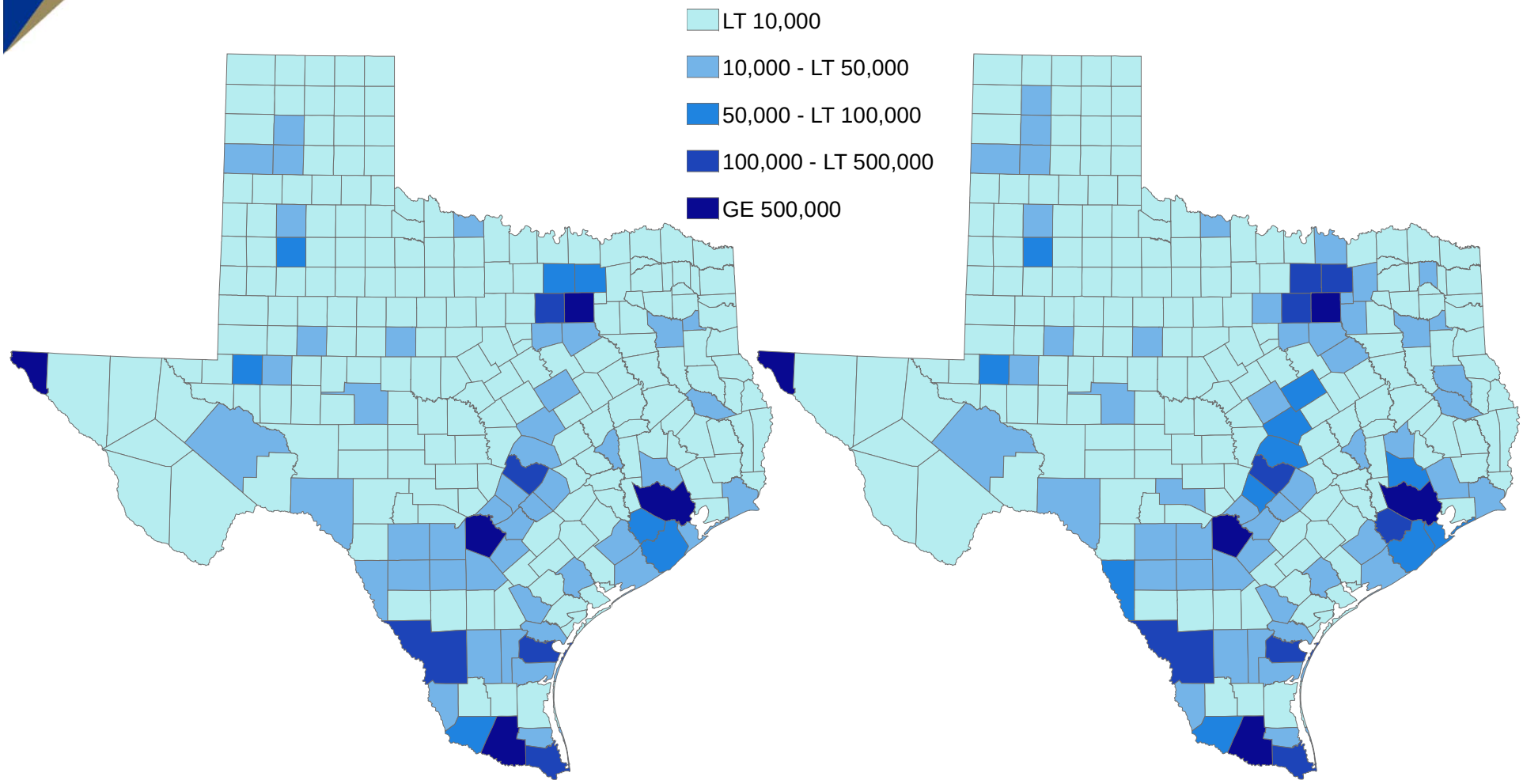
# Hispanic Population, 2000 Census and 2009 Estimate

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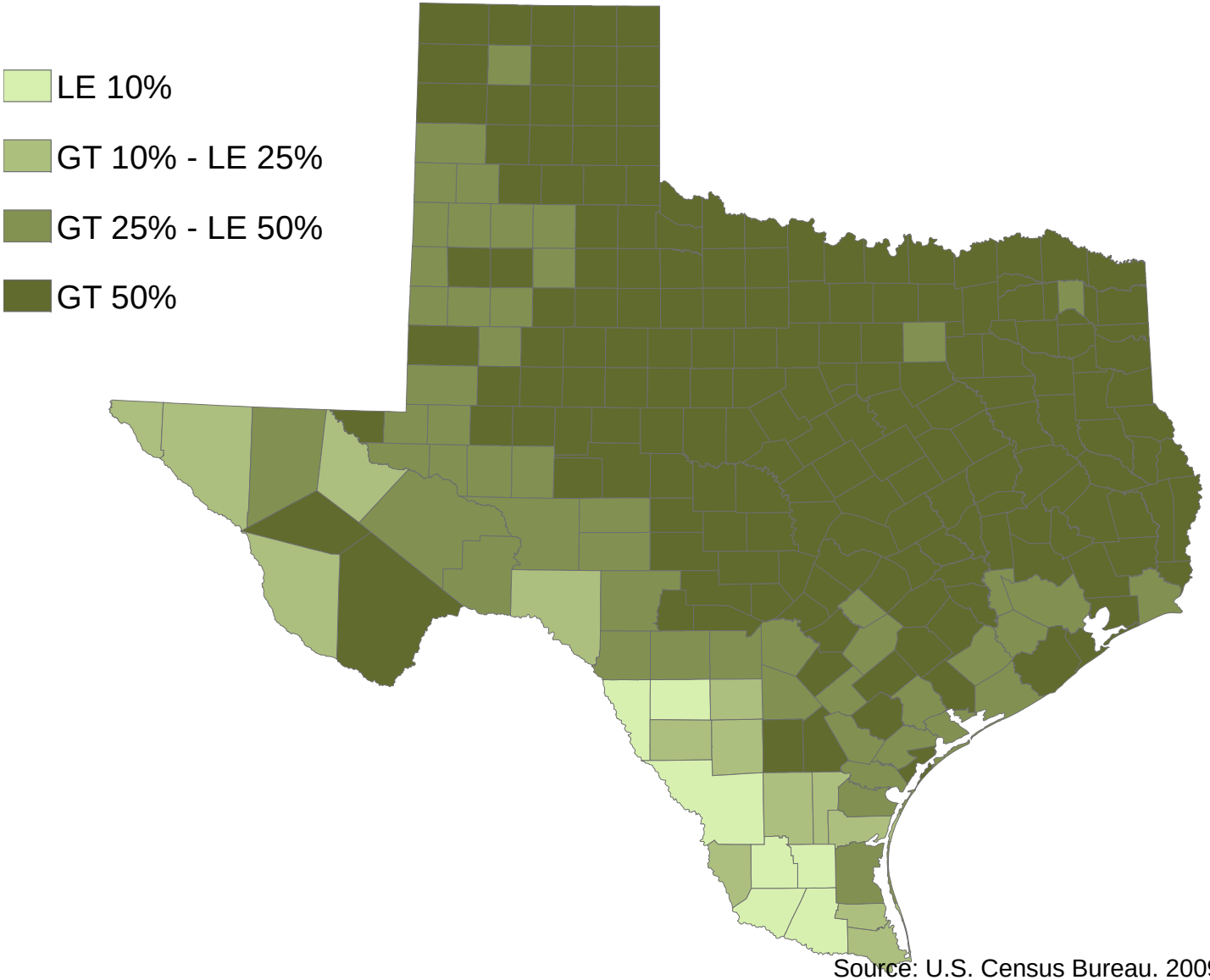
# Estimated Percent Non-Hispanic Anglo, 2009

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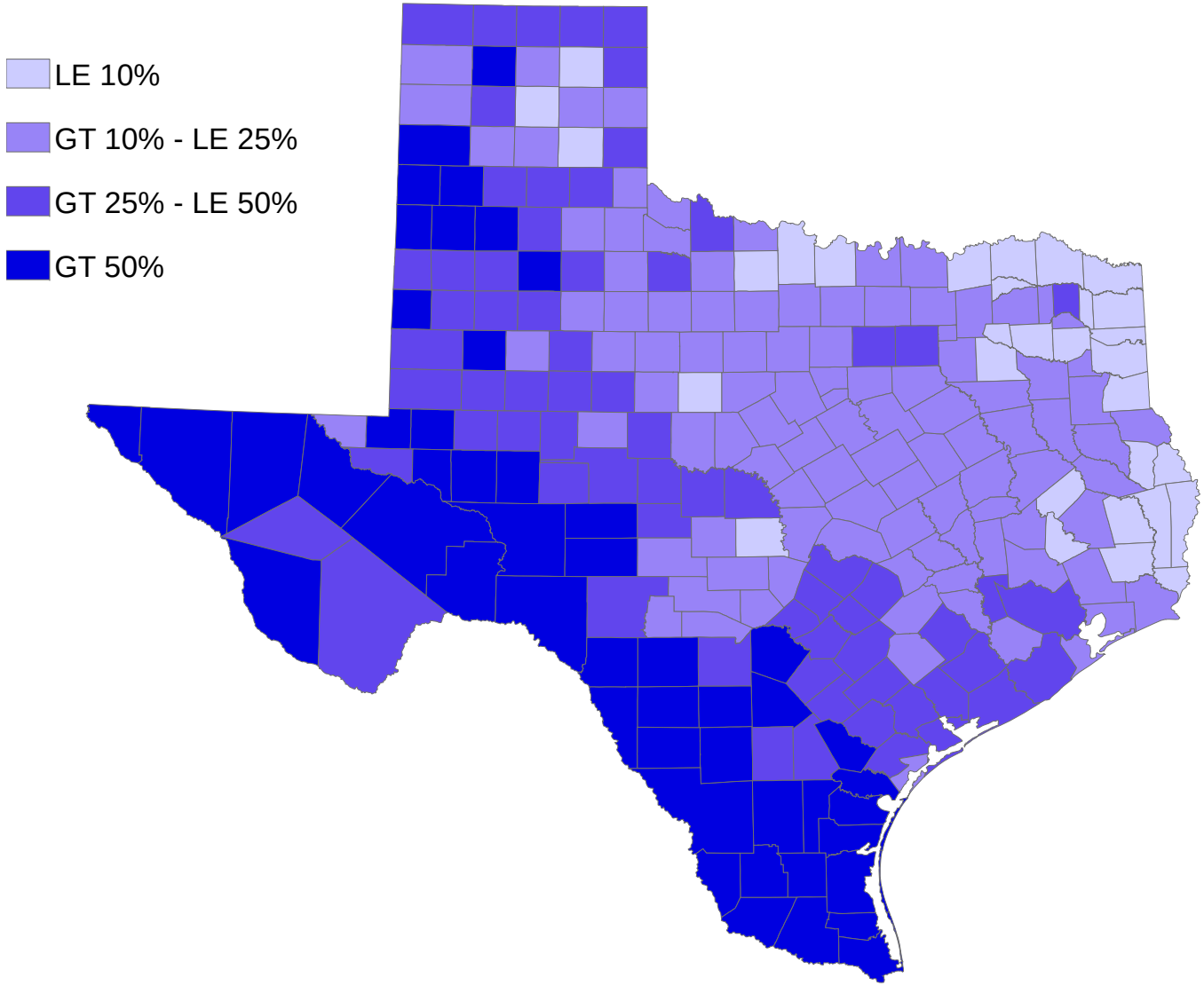


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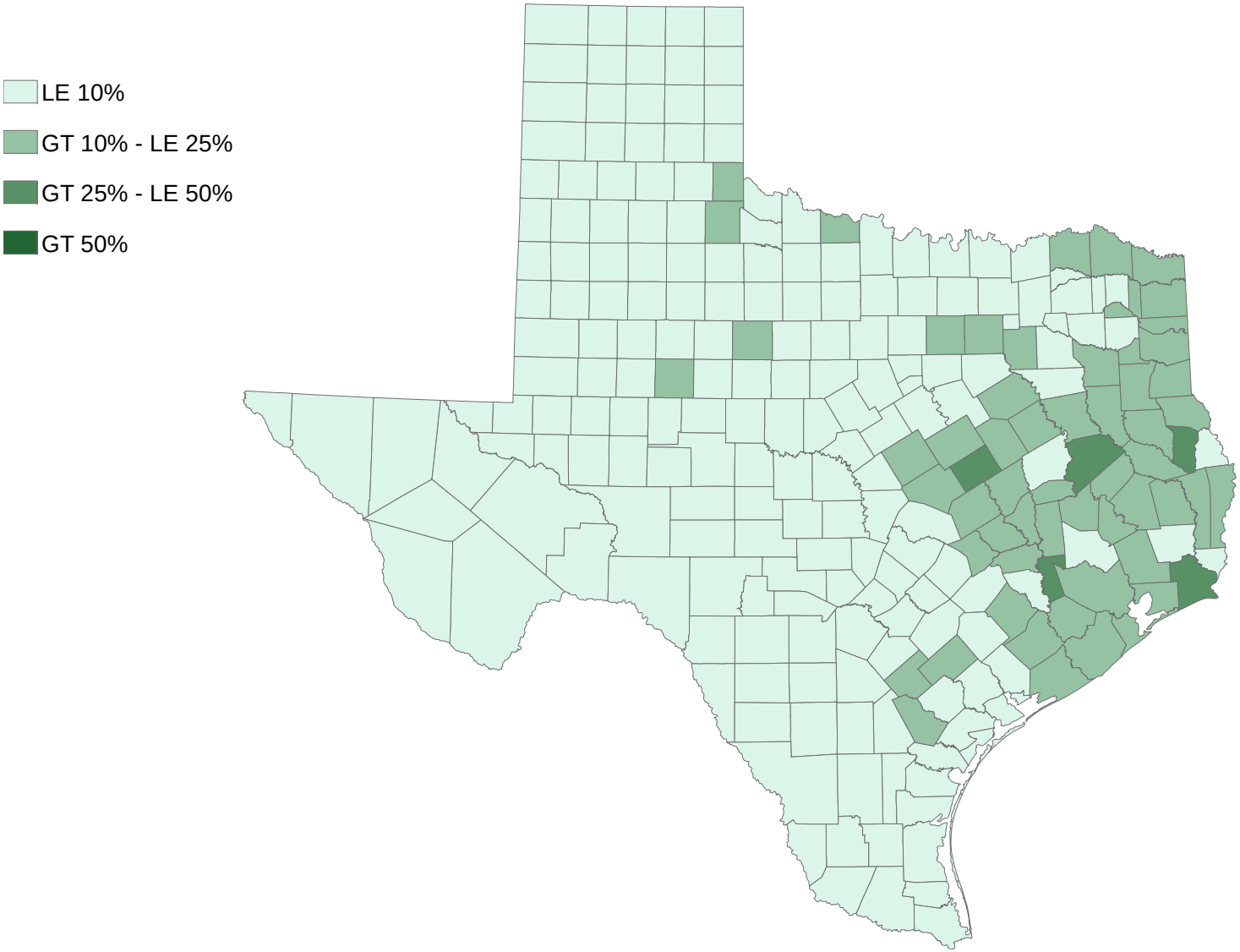


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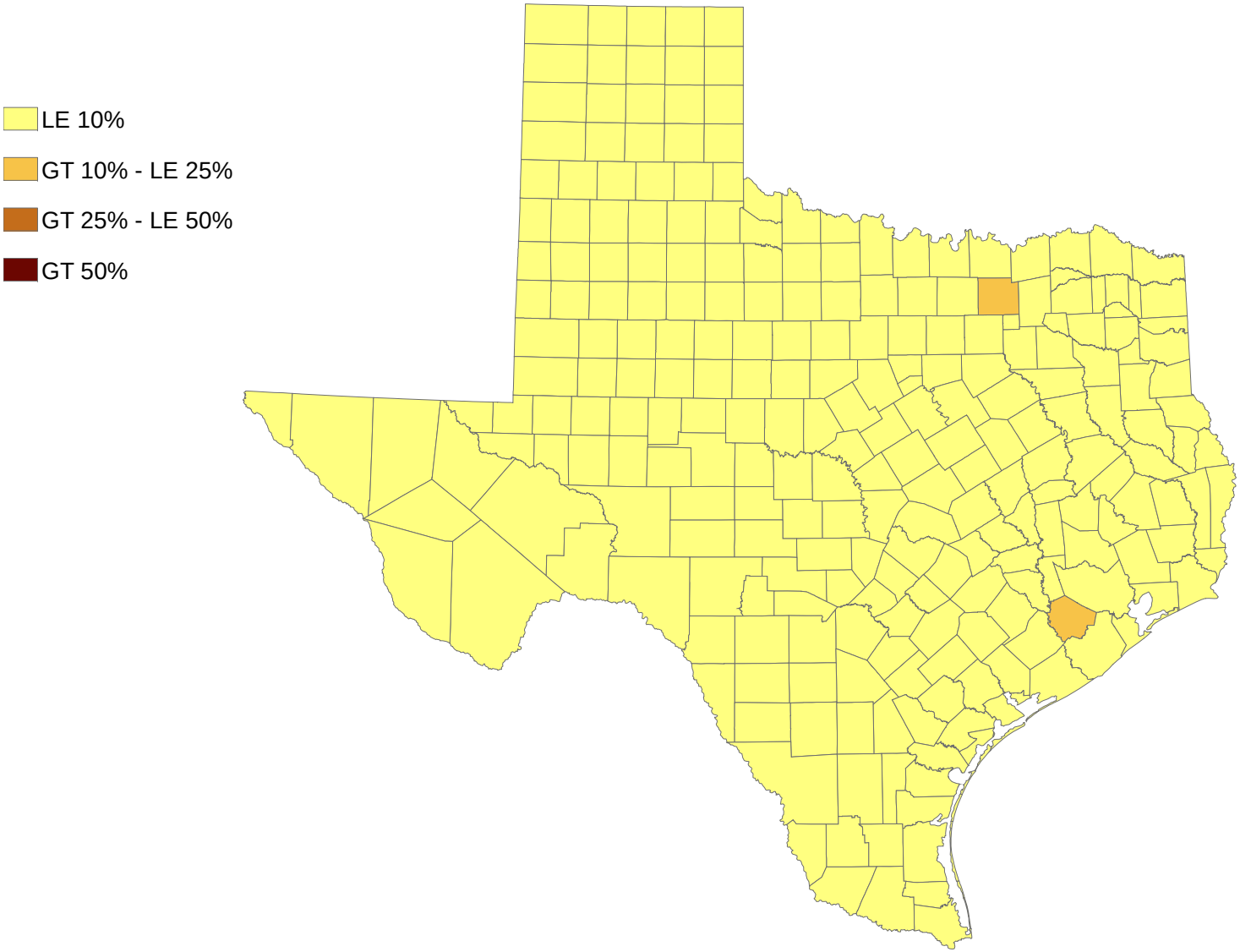


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# Number of Texas Counties by Percent Race/Ethnicity, 2000 and 2009

| % of Population | Non-Hispanic Anlgo | | | | Non-Hispanic Black | | | | Non-Hispanic Other* | | | | Hispanic | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 2000 | % | 2009 | % | 2000 | % | 2009 | % | 2000 | % | 2009 | % | 2000 | % | 2009 | % |
| 0-10% | 6 | 2.4% | 7 | 2.8% | 191 | 75.2% | 191 | 75.2% | 253 | 99.6% | 252 | 99.2% | 58 | 22.8% | 34 | 13.4% |
| 10-25% | 15 | 5.9% | 14 | 5.5% | 58 | 22.8% | 58 | 22.8% | 1 | 0.4% | 2 | 0.8% | 93 | 36.6% | 103 | 40.6% |
| 25-50% | 32 | 12.6% | 52 | 20.5% | 5 | 2.0% | 5 | 2.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 69 | 27.2% | 68 | 26.8% |
| 50+% | 201 | 79.1% | 181 | 71.3% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 34 | 13.4% | 49 | 19.3% |
| Total | 254 | | 254 | | 254 | | 254 | | 254 | | 254 | | 254 | | 254 | |

Source: U.S. Census Bureau. 2000 Census count and 2009 Population Estimate

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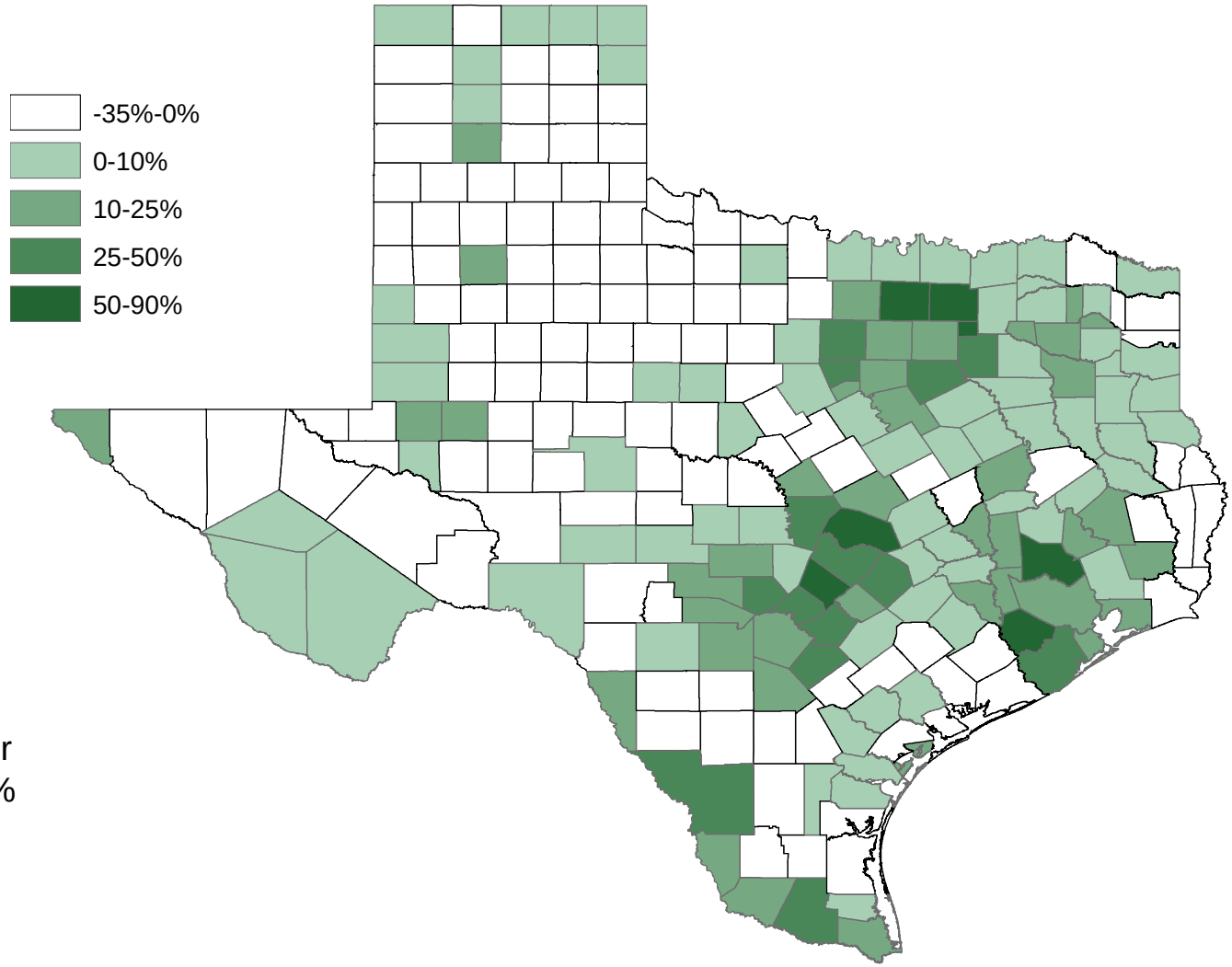


Population increase for Texas was almost 19% during this period

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2000 Census Count and 2009 Population Estimates

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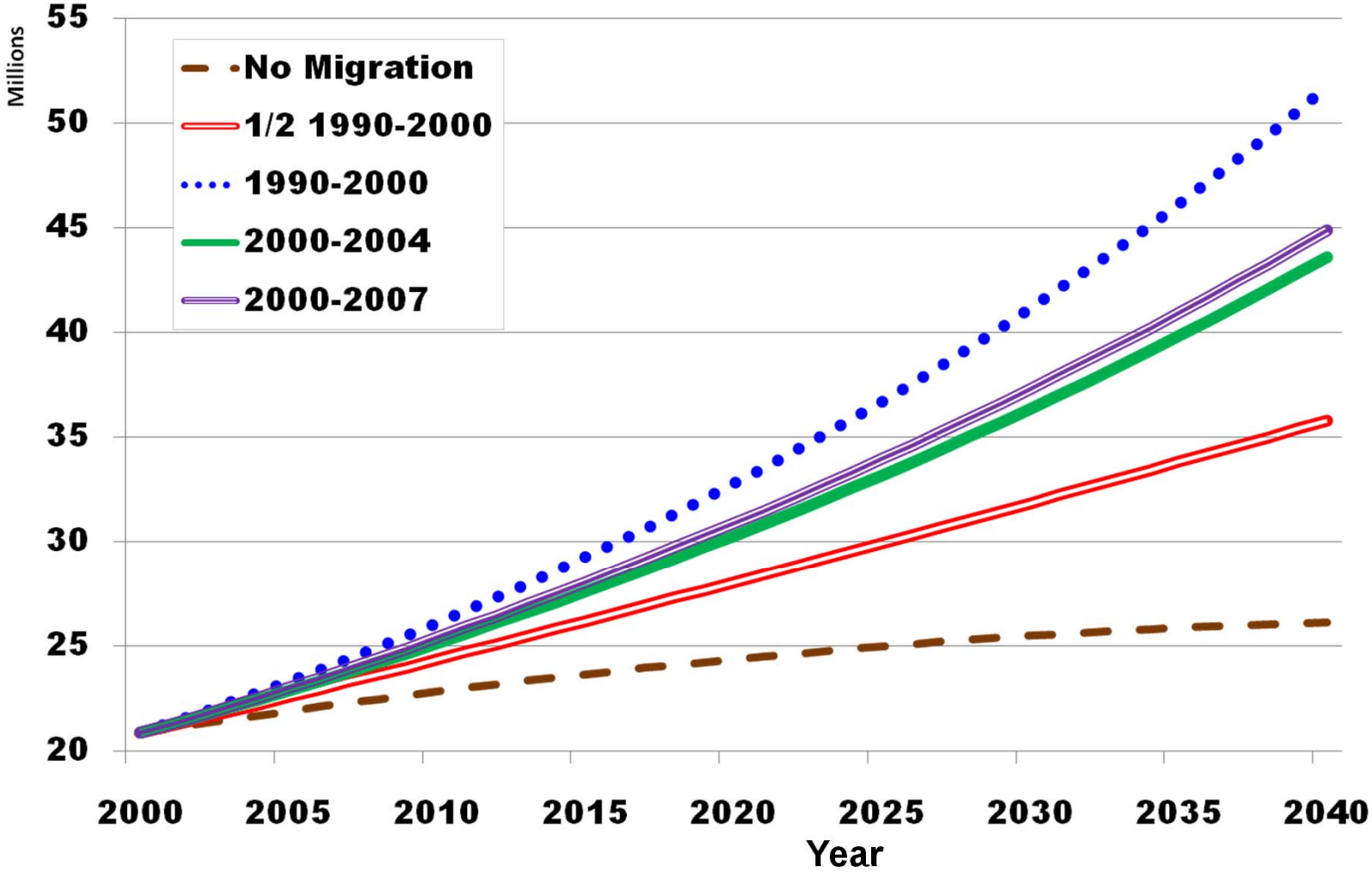
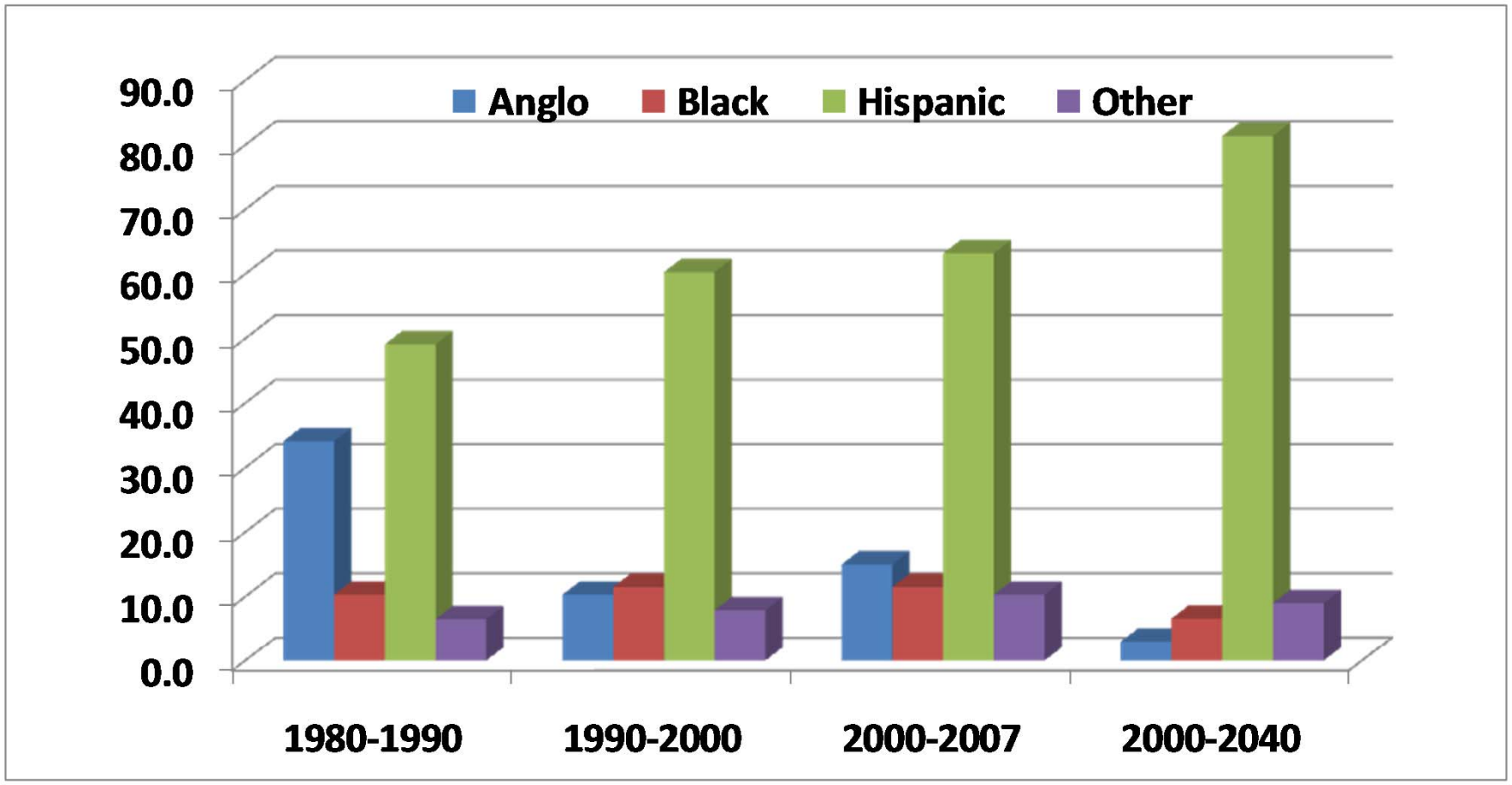


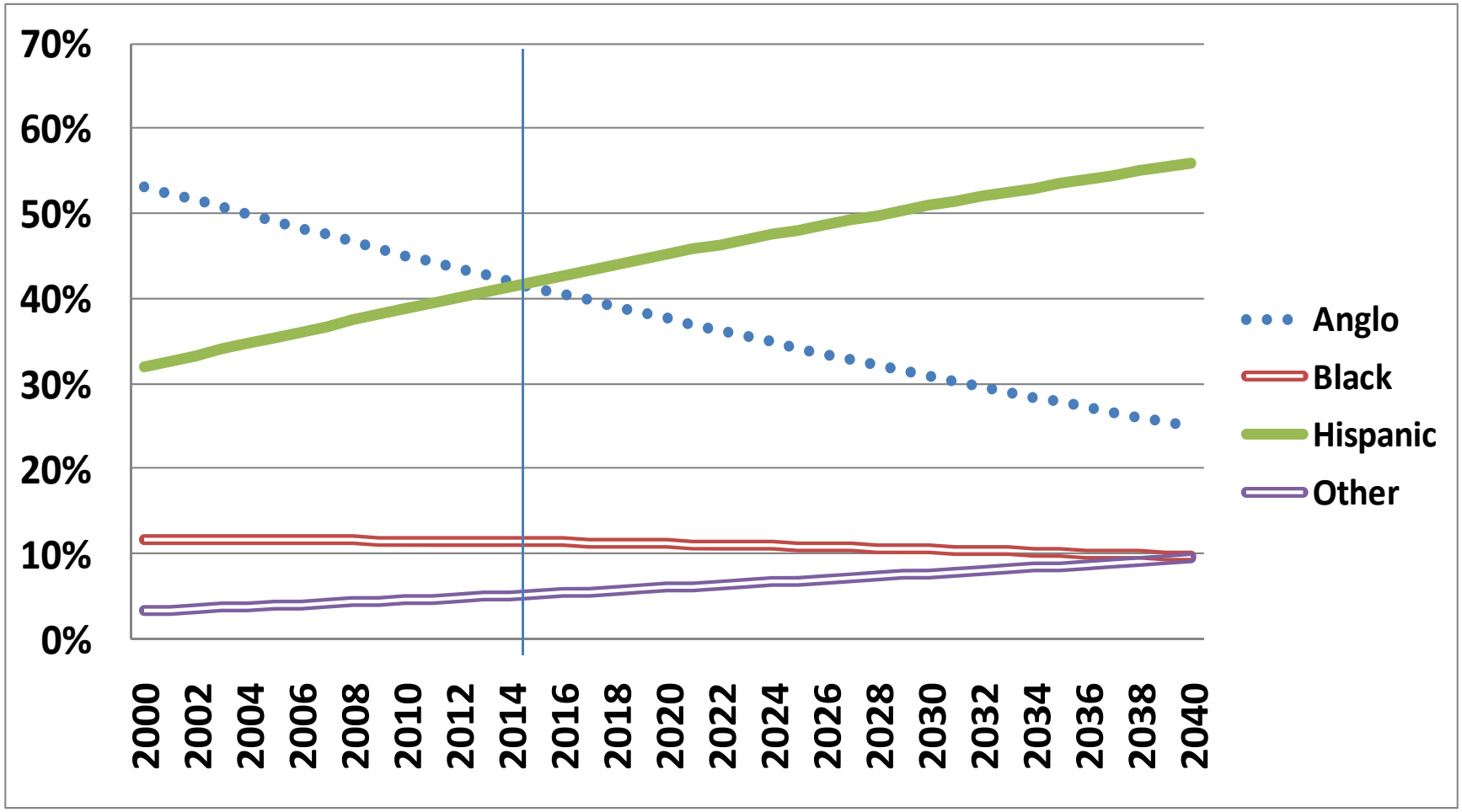

Source: Texas State Data Center 2008 Population Projections

# Percent of Population Growth and Projected Population Growth by Race/Ethnicity, Texas




Source: U.S. Census Counts, and Texas State Data Center 2008 Population Projections, 0.5 Scenario

# Projected Racial and Ethnic Percent, Texas, 2000-2040

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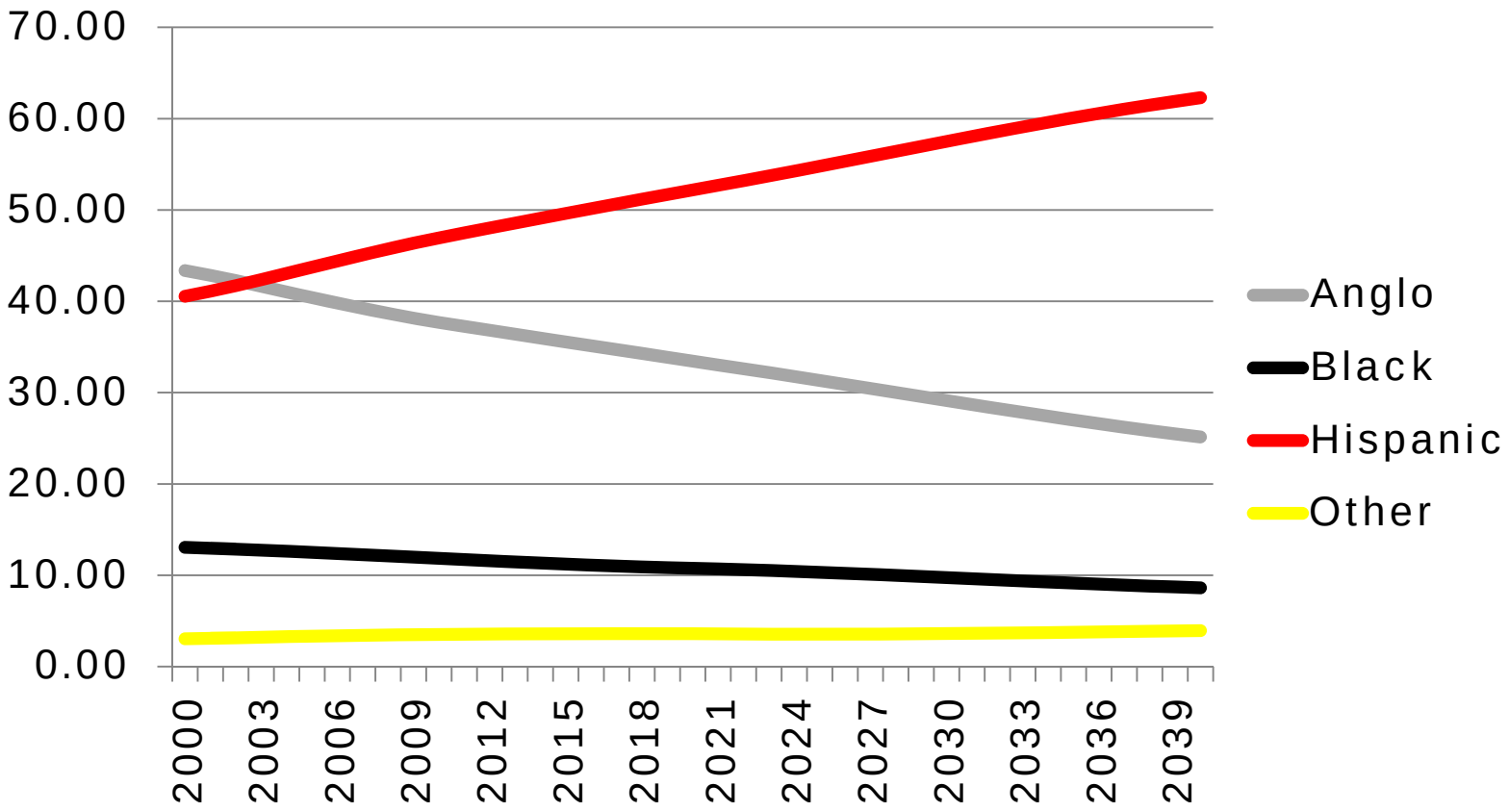
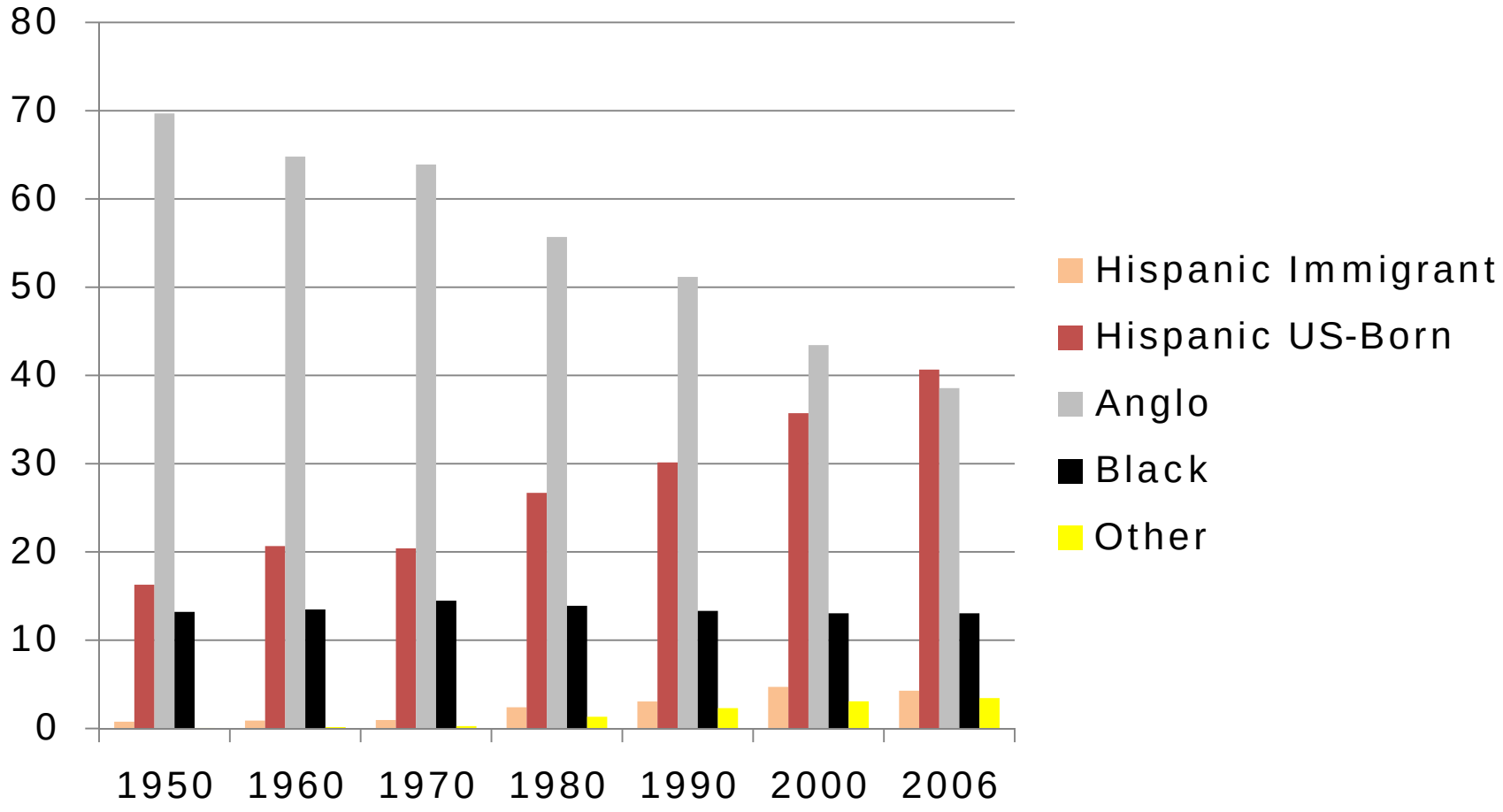
# Ethnicity of Texas Children Ages 0-17, Projected to 2040




Source: Texas State Data Center, 0.5 Migration Scenario Projection

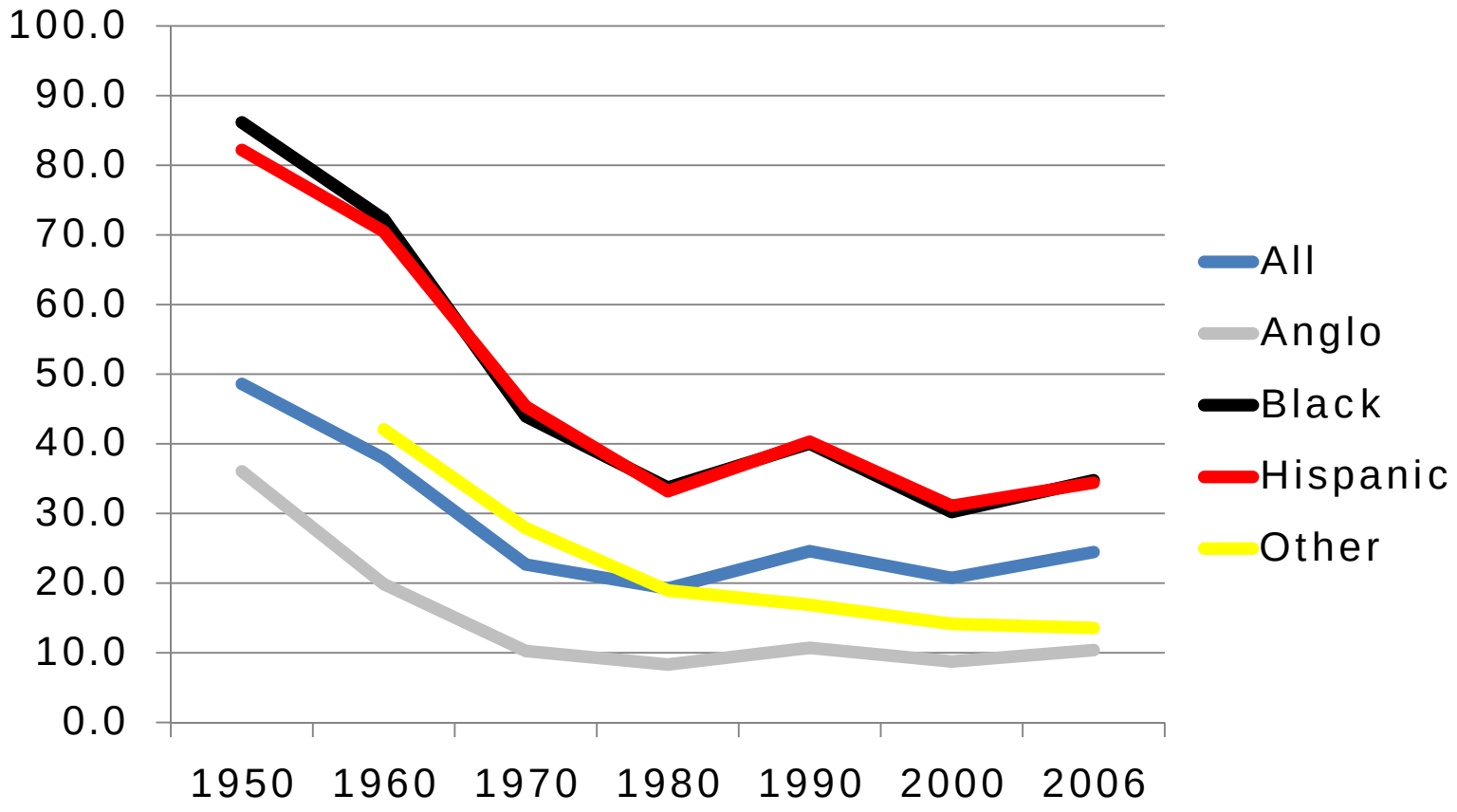
# Social and Economic Characteristics

# Ethnicity of Texas Children Ages 0-17, 1950 to 2006




Source: Tabulation of U.S. Bureau of the Census, Public-use Micro-data (IPUMS)

# Percent of Texas Children 0-17 Living in Household with Income Below Poverty

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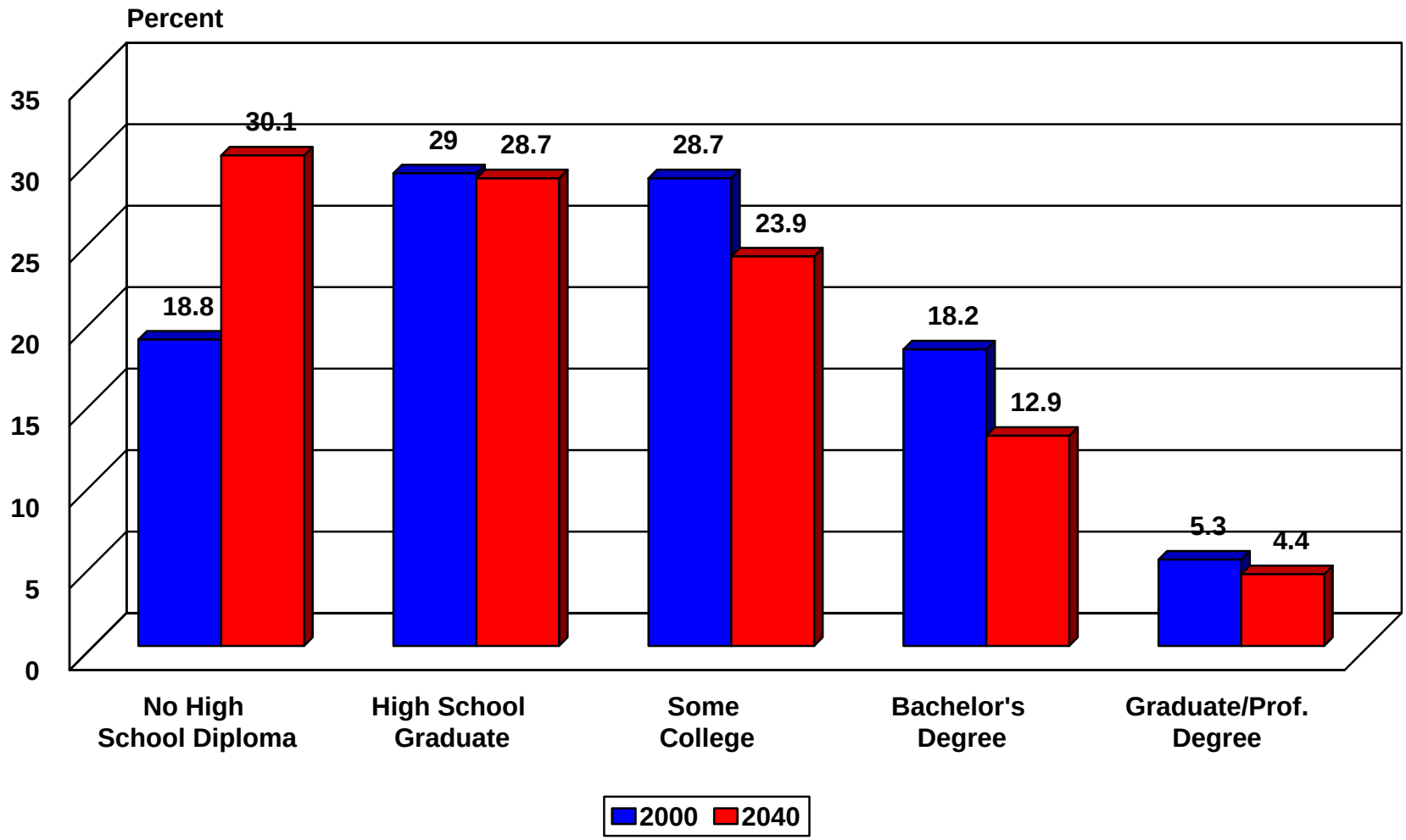


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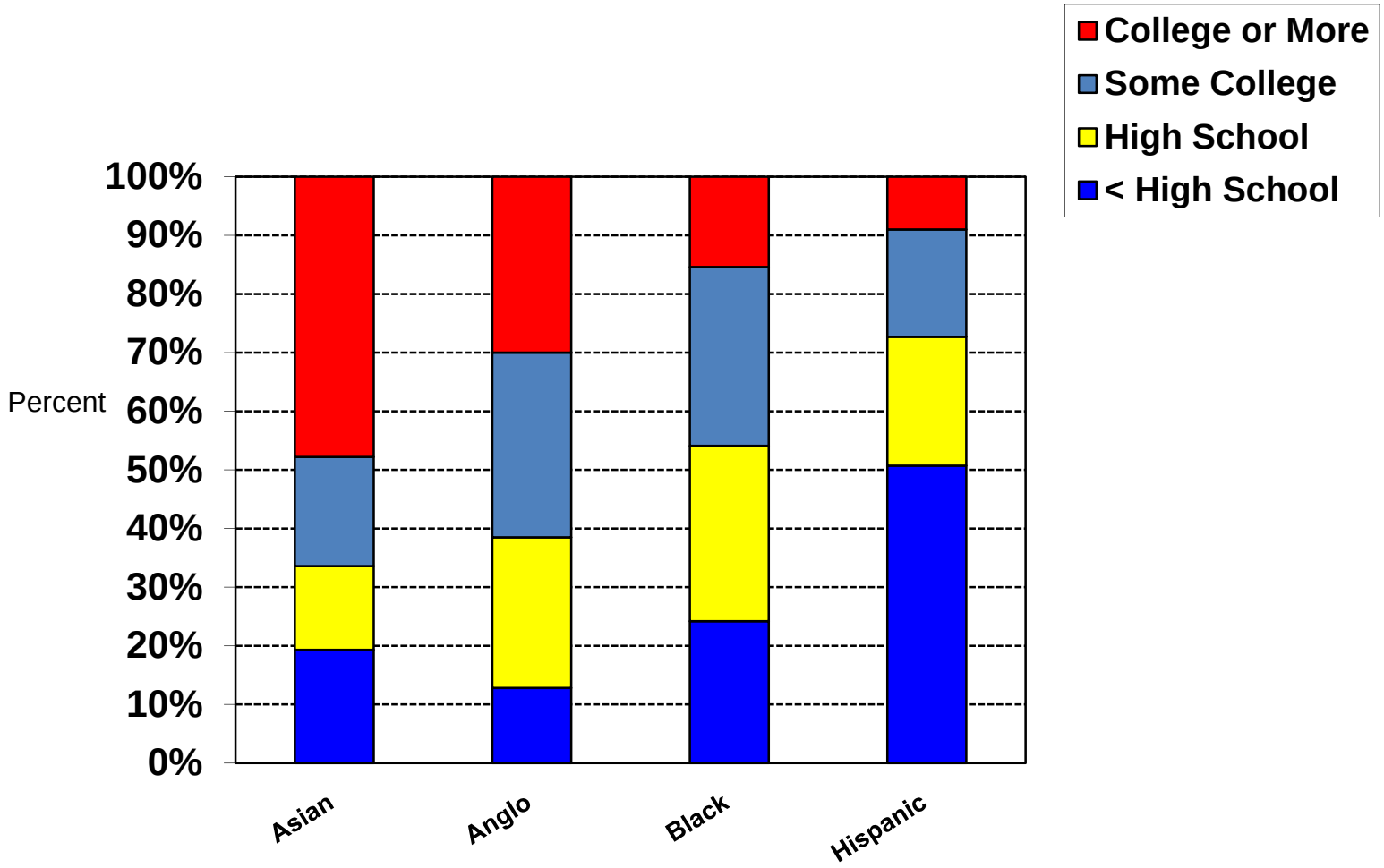
# Educational Attainment in 2000 in Texas for Persons 25+ Years of Age By Race/Ethnicity



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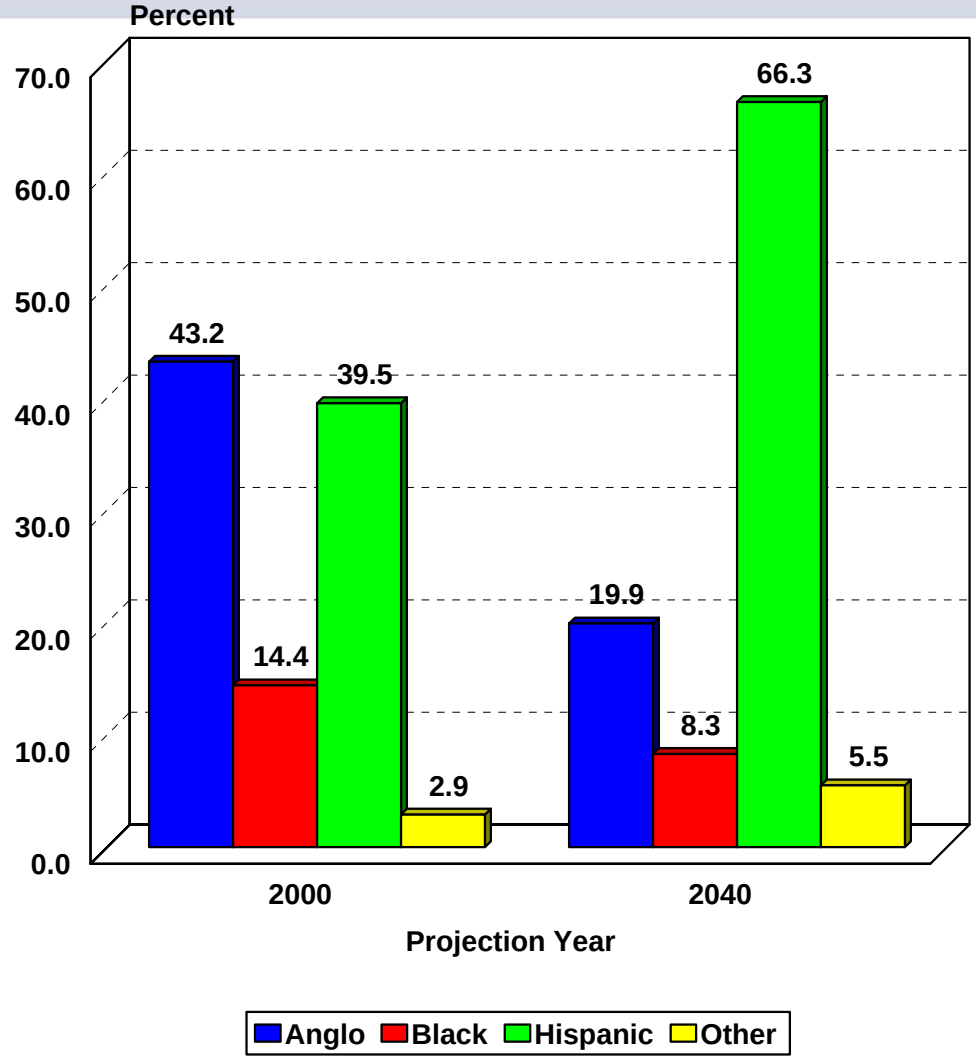


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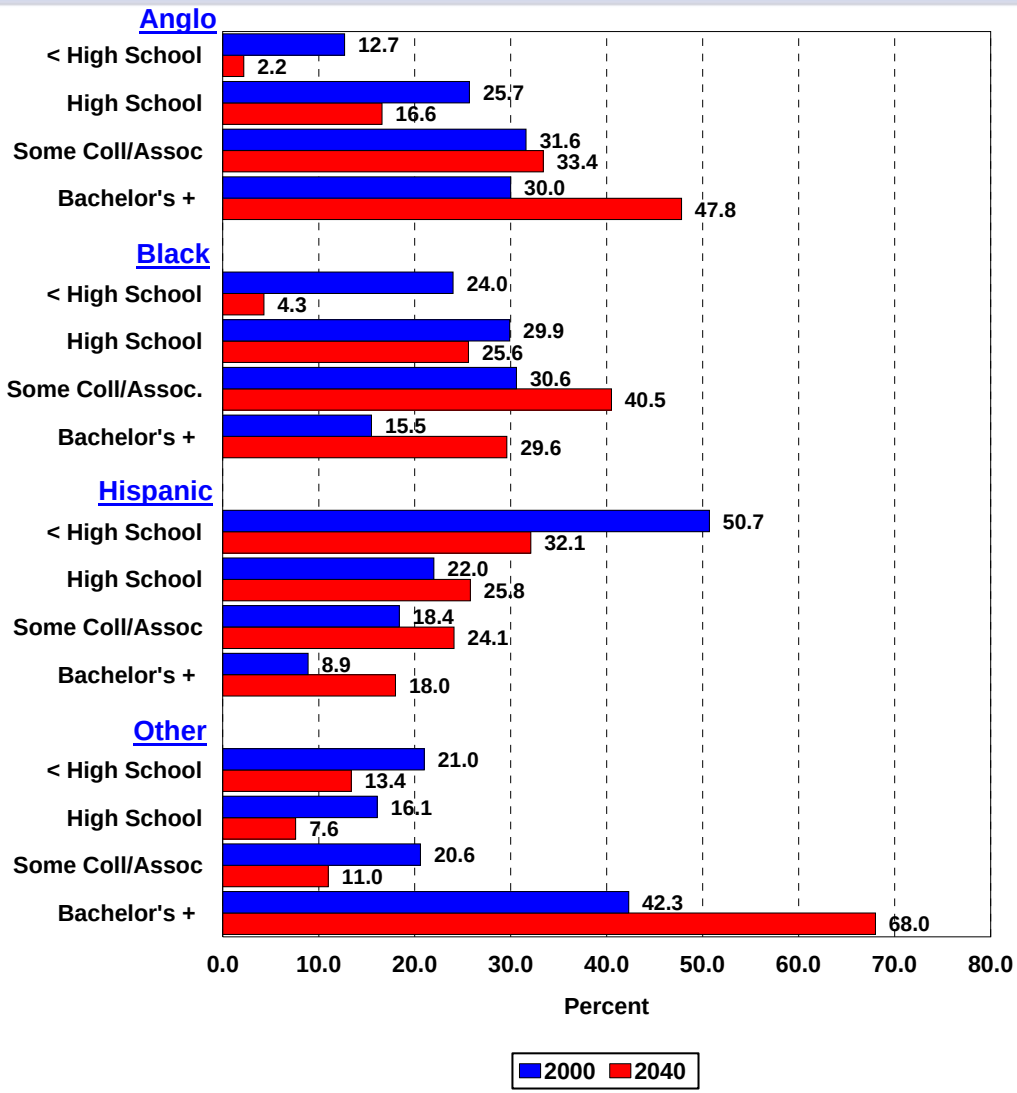


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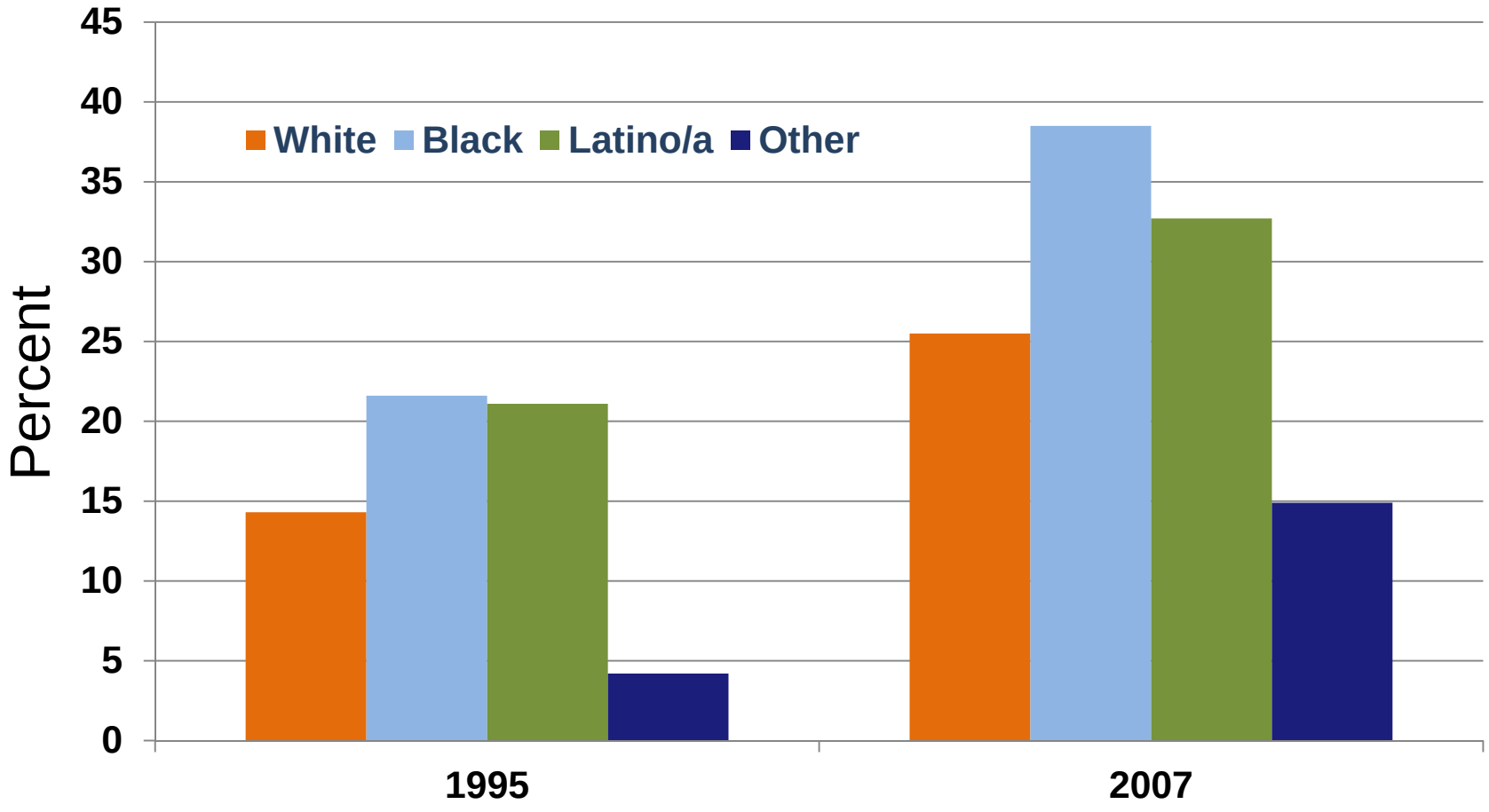
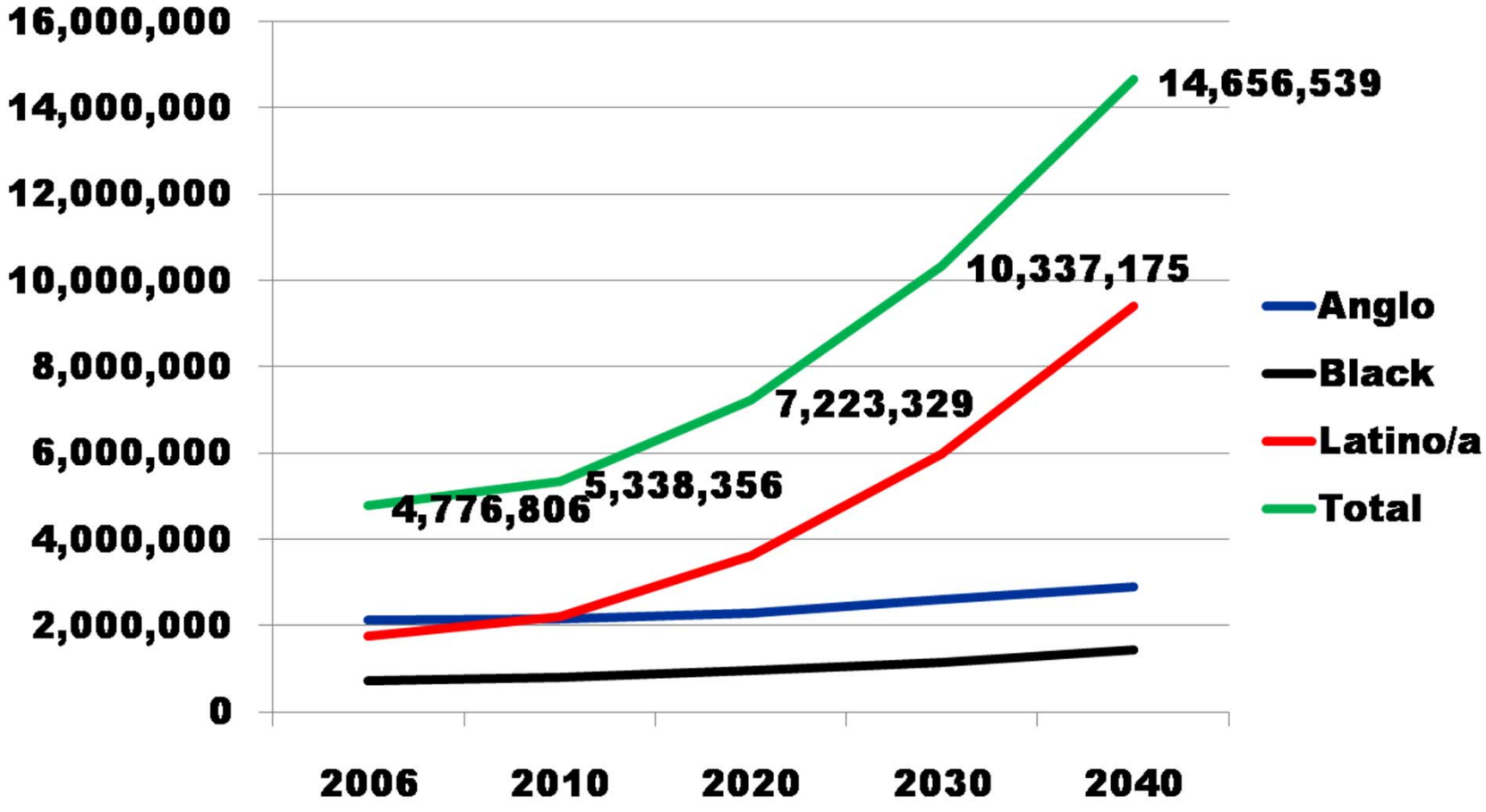


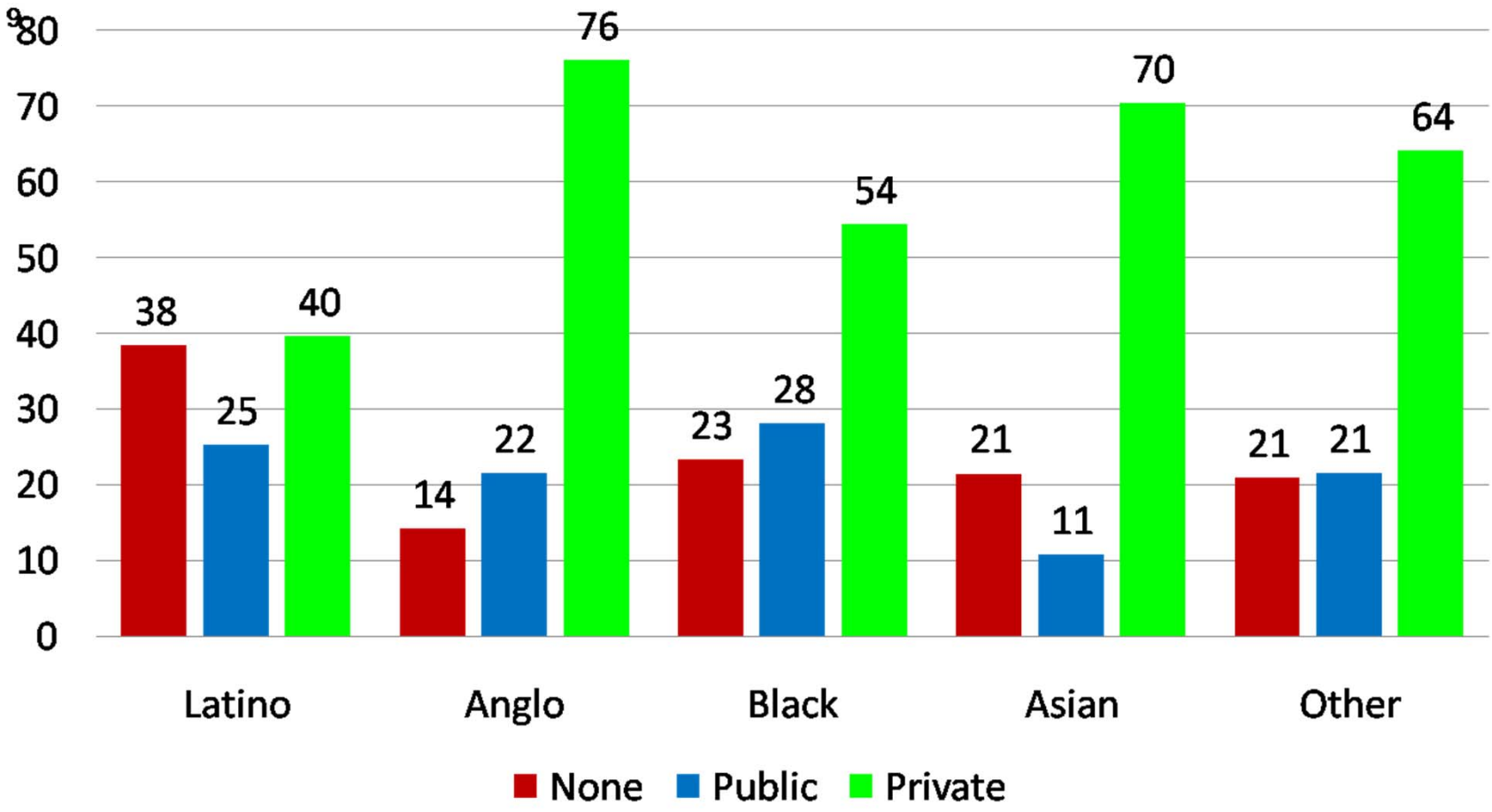

Source: Centers for Disease Control, BRFSS

# Projected Increase in Obesity in Texas by Ethnicity, 2006 to 2040




Source: Texas State Data Center Projections

# Insurance Coverage and No Insurance by Type for Ethnic Groups, 2008



# Major Points

- Texas' population will continue to grow, driven by both natural increase and net migration (internal and international)
- The Hispanic origin population contributes significantly to overall growth of Texas' total population
- The population will continue to increase in major urbanized areas and along the south Texas border, with declining population in most rural areas
- There a number of social and economic trends and disparities that are notable and relevant for the work of non-profit organizations

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