Texas

Demographic Characteristics and Trends

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

Demographic Highlights

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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]

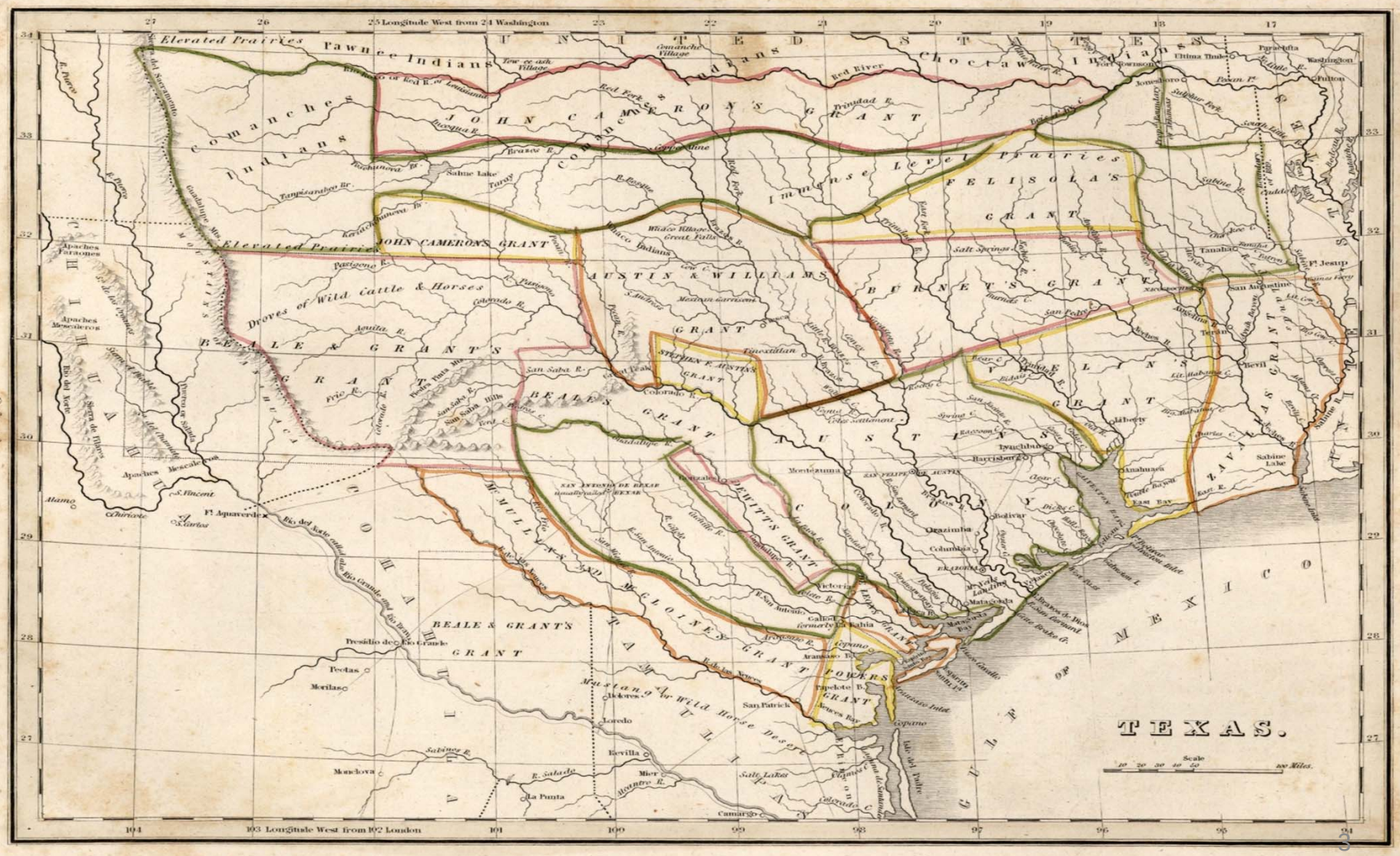
family oriented. Texas ranks 3rd among states for the percent of households which are married-couple families with children (24.4%).[2]

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



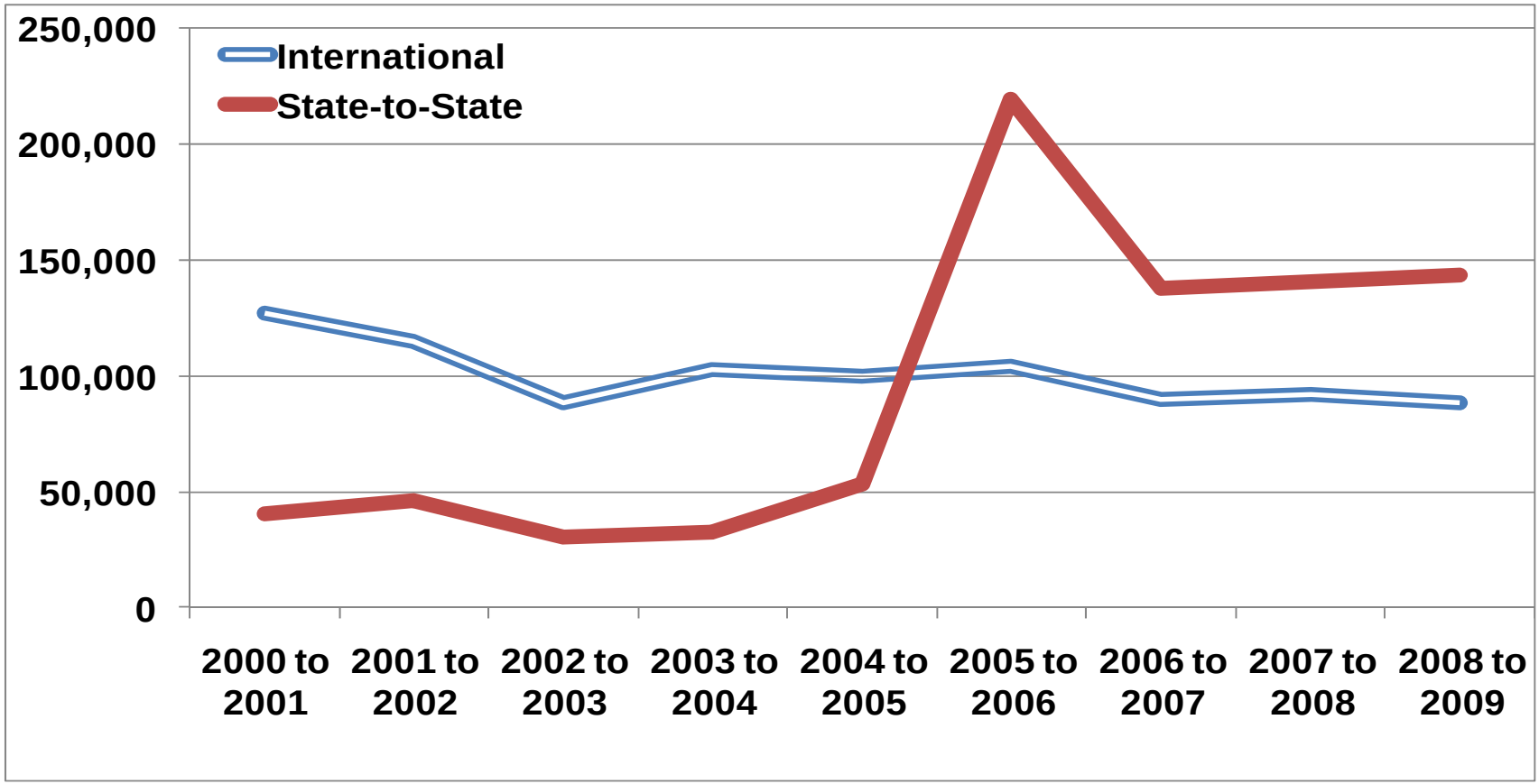
Fastest Growing States, 2000-2009

	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.**

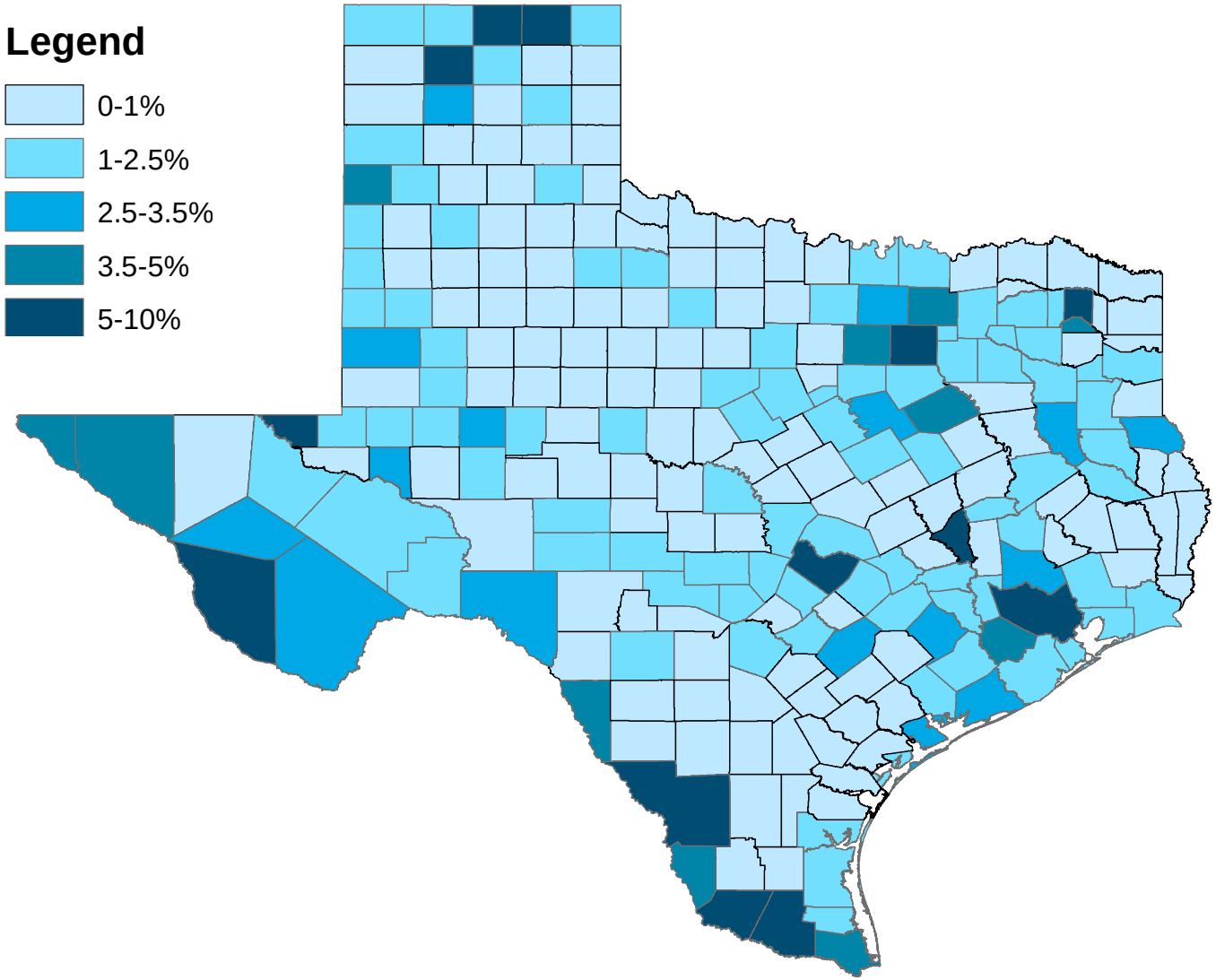
Source: Derived from U.S. Bureau of the Census Estimates for dates indicated by the Texas State Data Center, University of Texas at San Antonio.

Estimated Annual Net Migration to Texas, 2000 to 2009



Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census 2009 Estimates

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



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

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%	

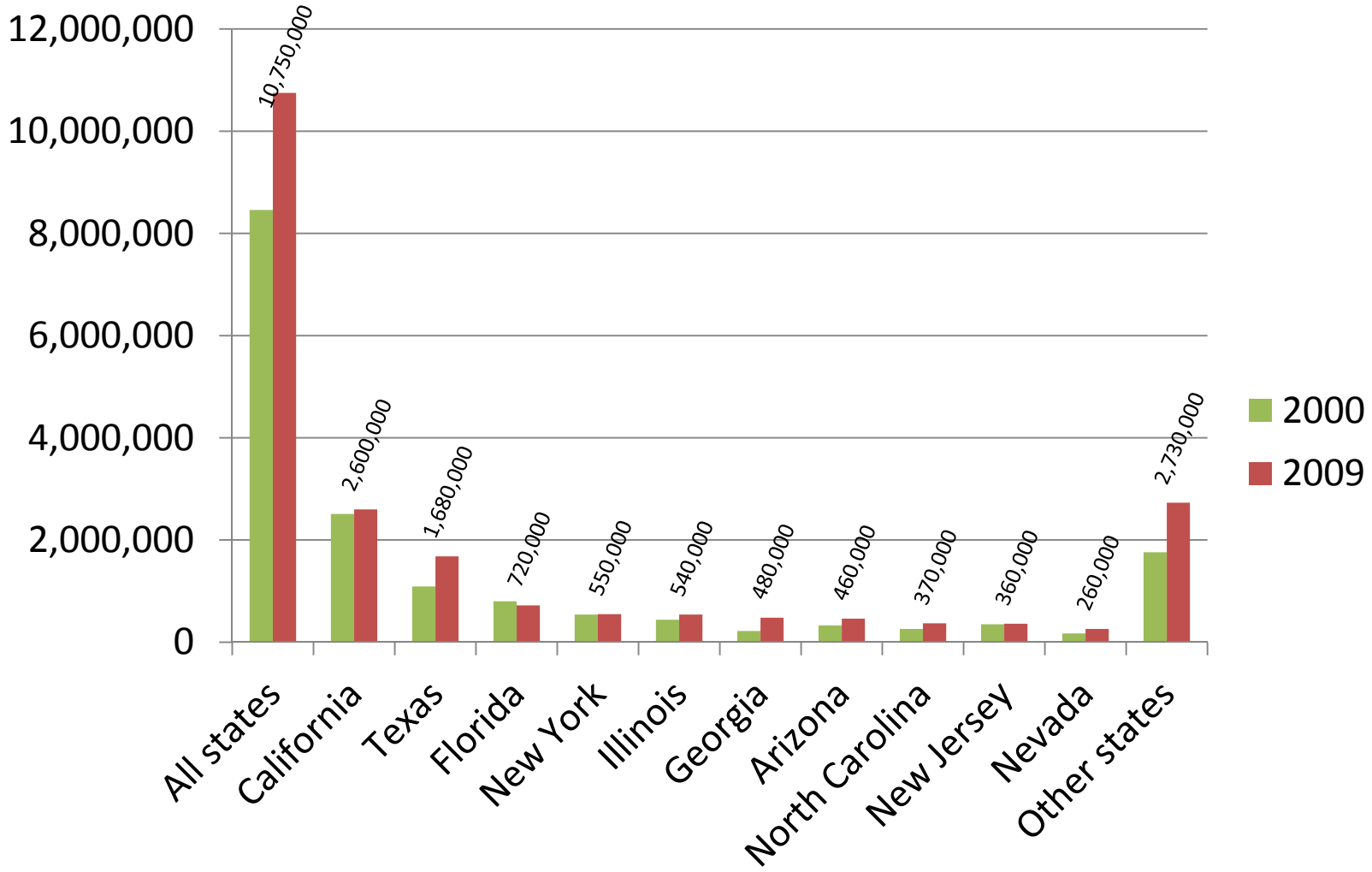
Sources: Percentages of domestic and international migrants by race and ethnicity derived from the 2006-2008 American Community Survey. Total numbers of domestic and international migrants between 2000-2009 are from Table 4. Cumulative Estimates of the Components of Resident Population Change for the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

Components of Change for Abilene MSA, 2000 to 2008

County	Population			Births-Deaths	Migration	
	2000	2008	Change		Foreign	Domestic
Callahan	12,905	13,533	628	-21	30	674
Jones	20,785	19,197	-1,588	-102	32	-1,341
Taylor	126,555	126,791	236	7,294	393	-6,904
Total	160,245	159,521	-724	7,171	455	-7,571

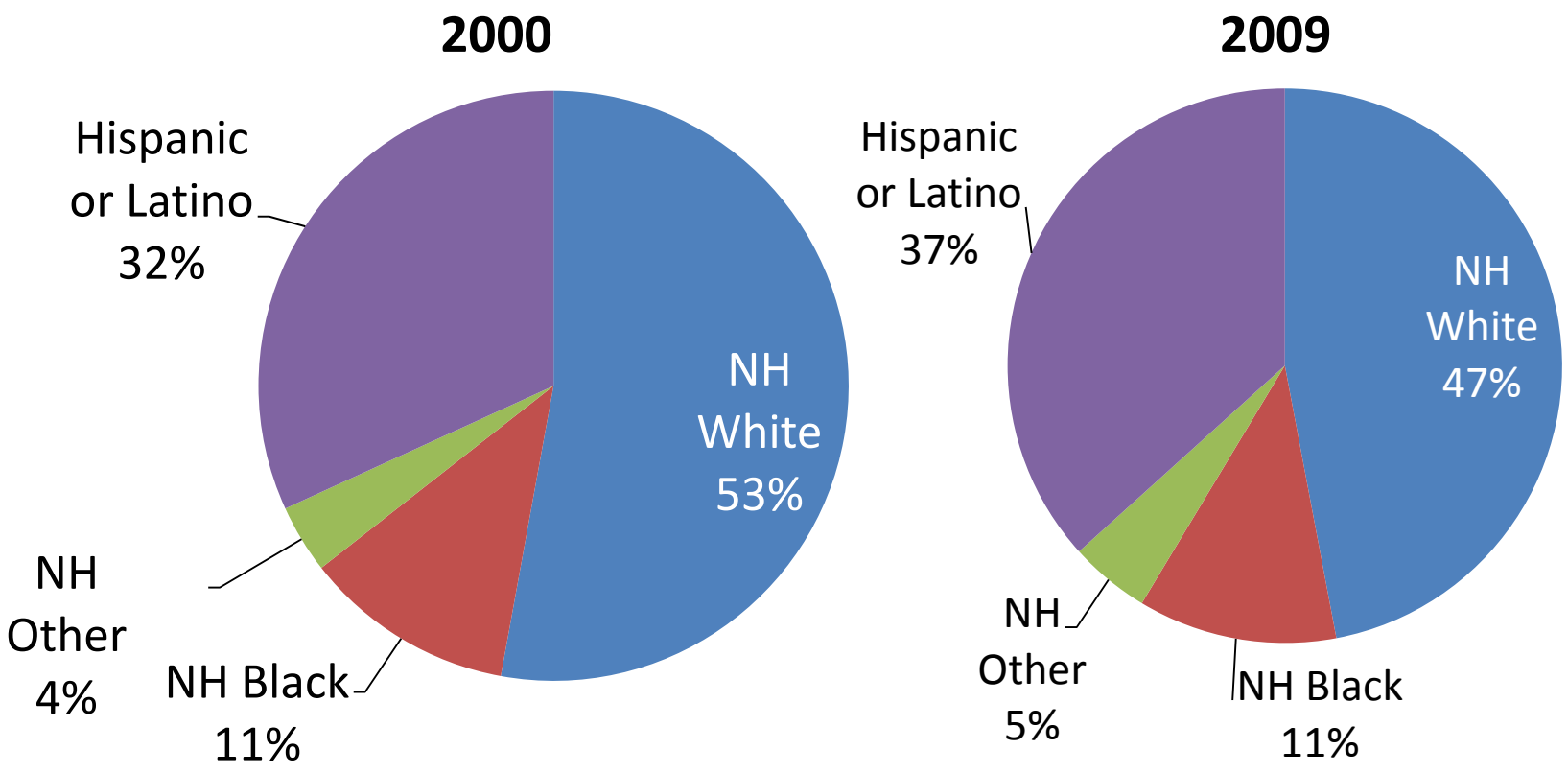
Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census Counts (2000); Estimate (2008)

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



Source: U.S. Department of Homeland Security.

Texas Racial and Ethnic Composition, 2000 and 2009



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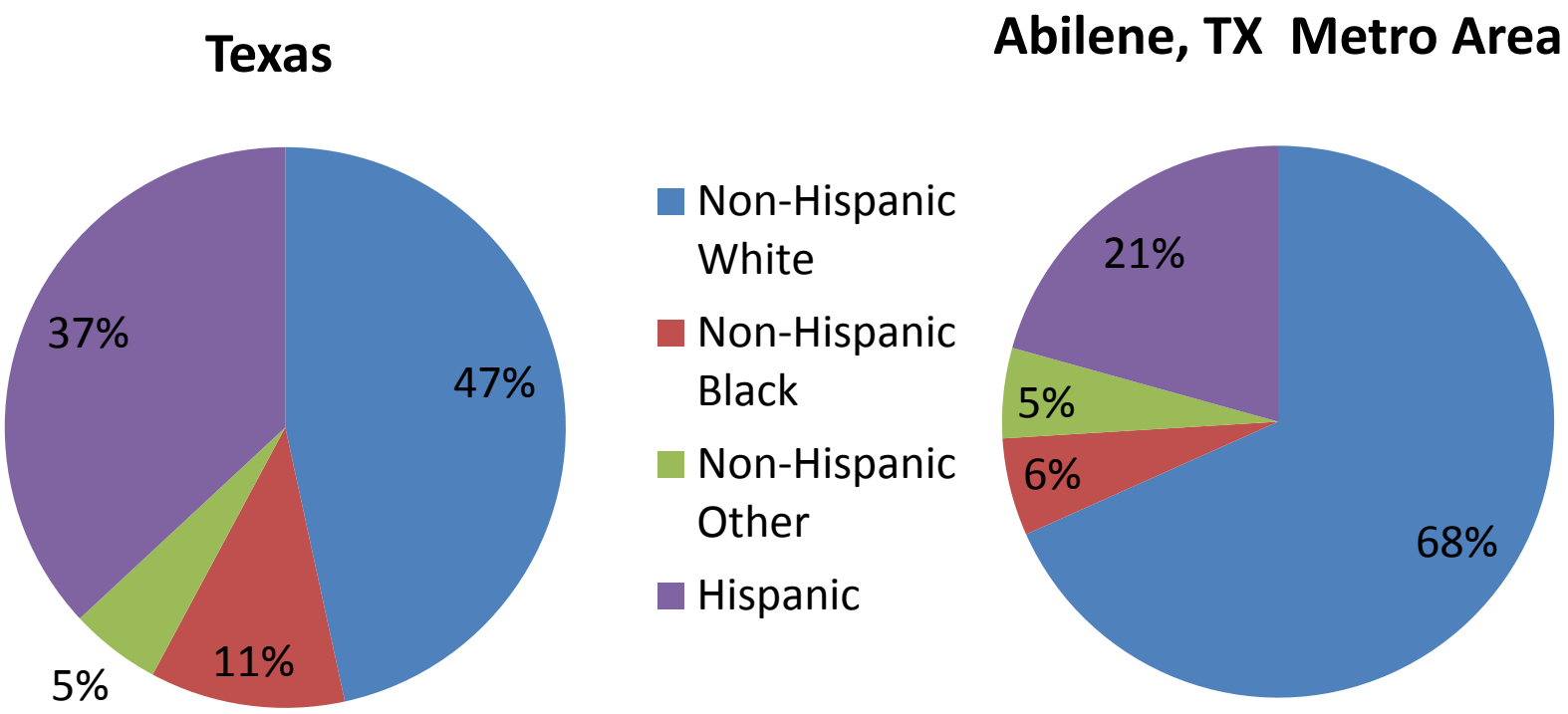
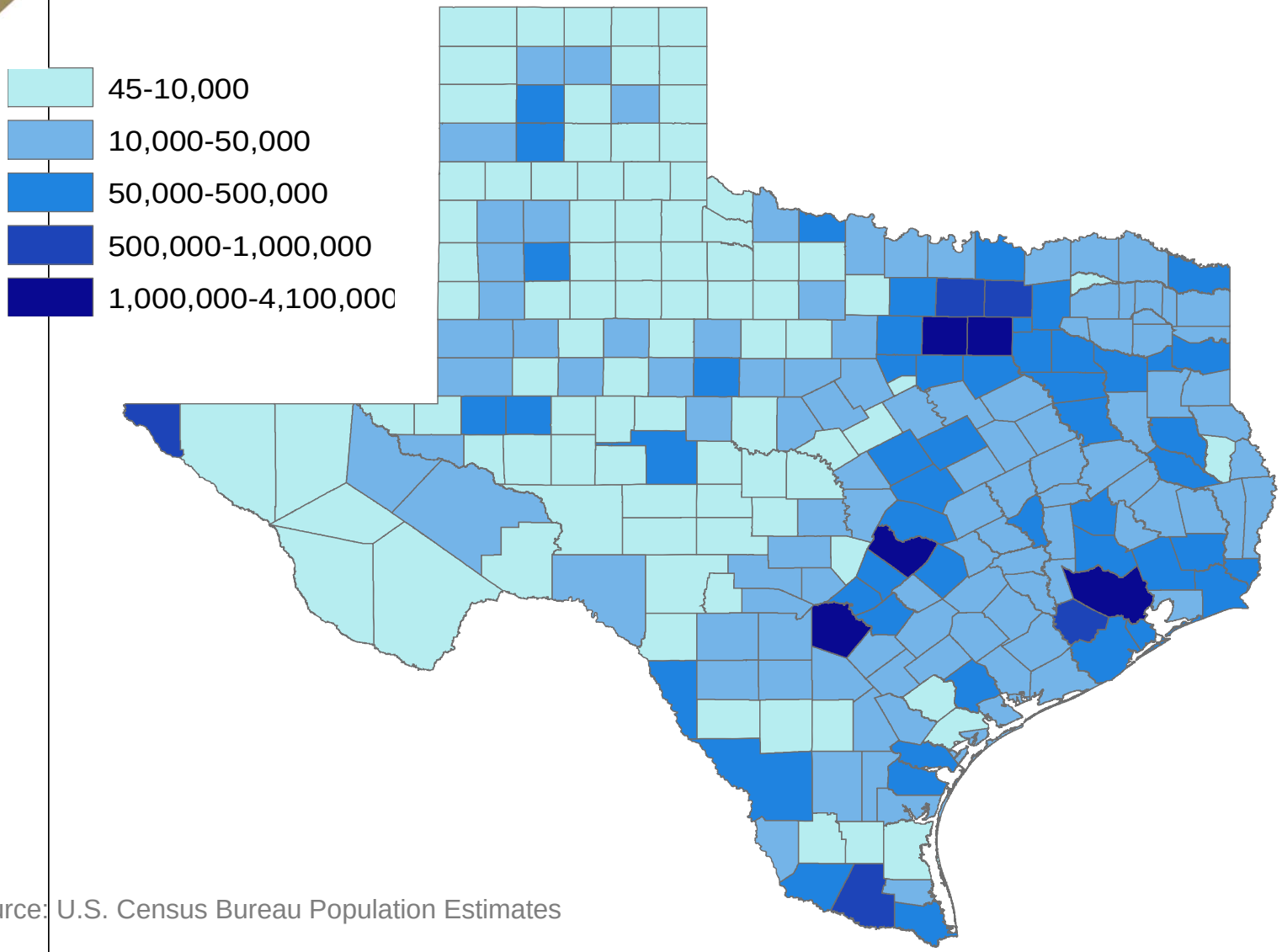
Racial and Ethnic Composition of Texas and Abilene, 2009



Source: American Community Survey, 2009

Geographic Patterns

Total Population in Texas Counties, 2009



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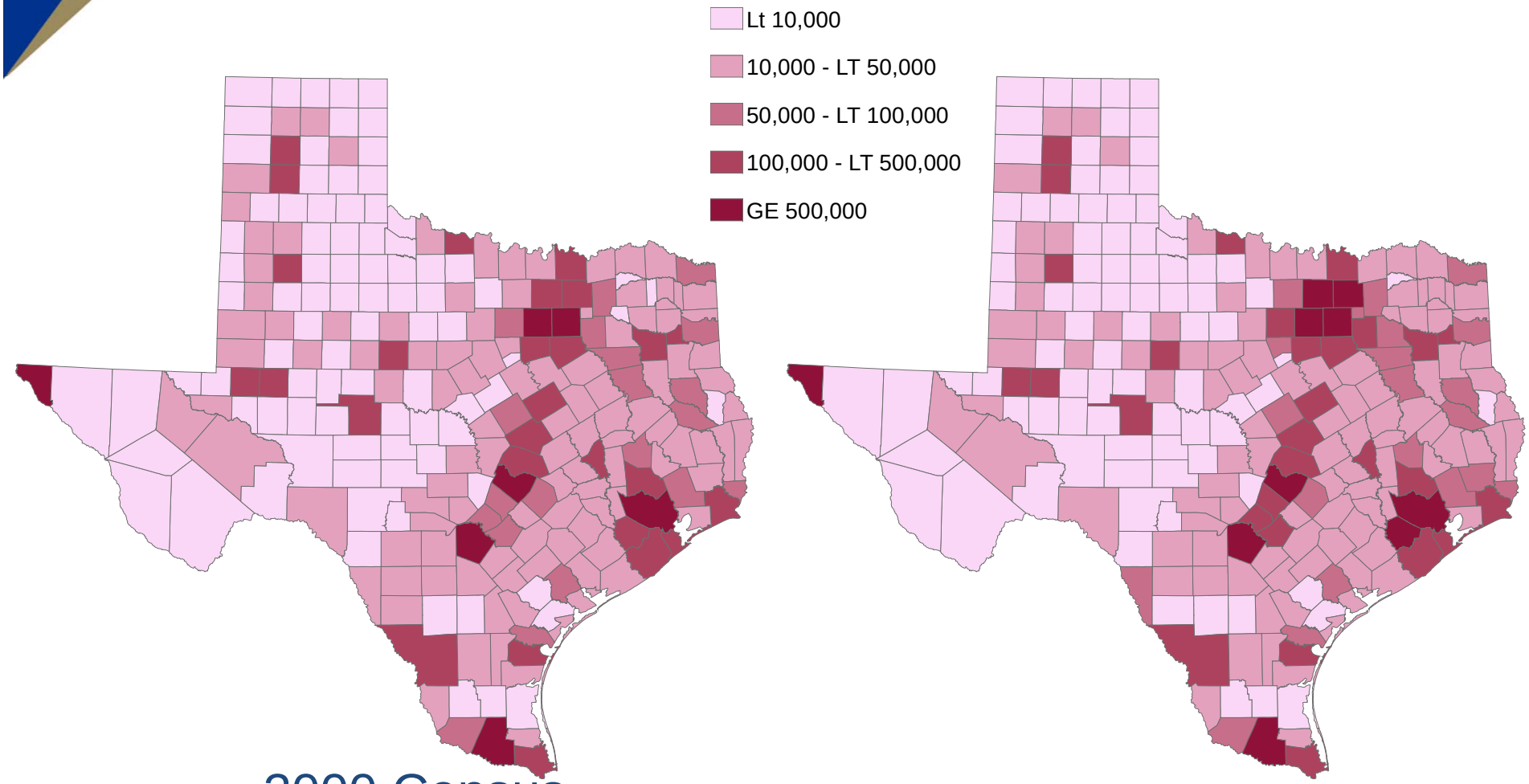

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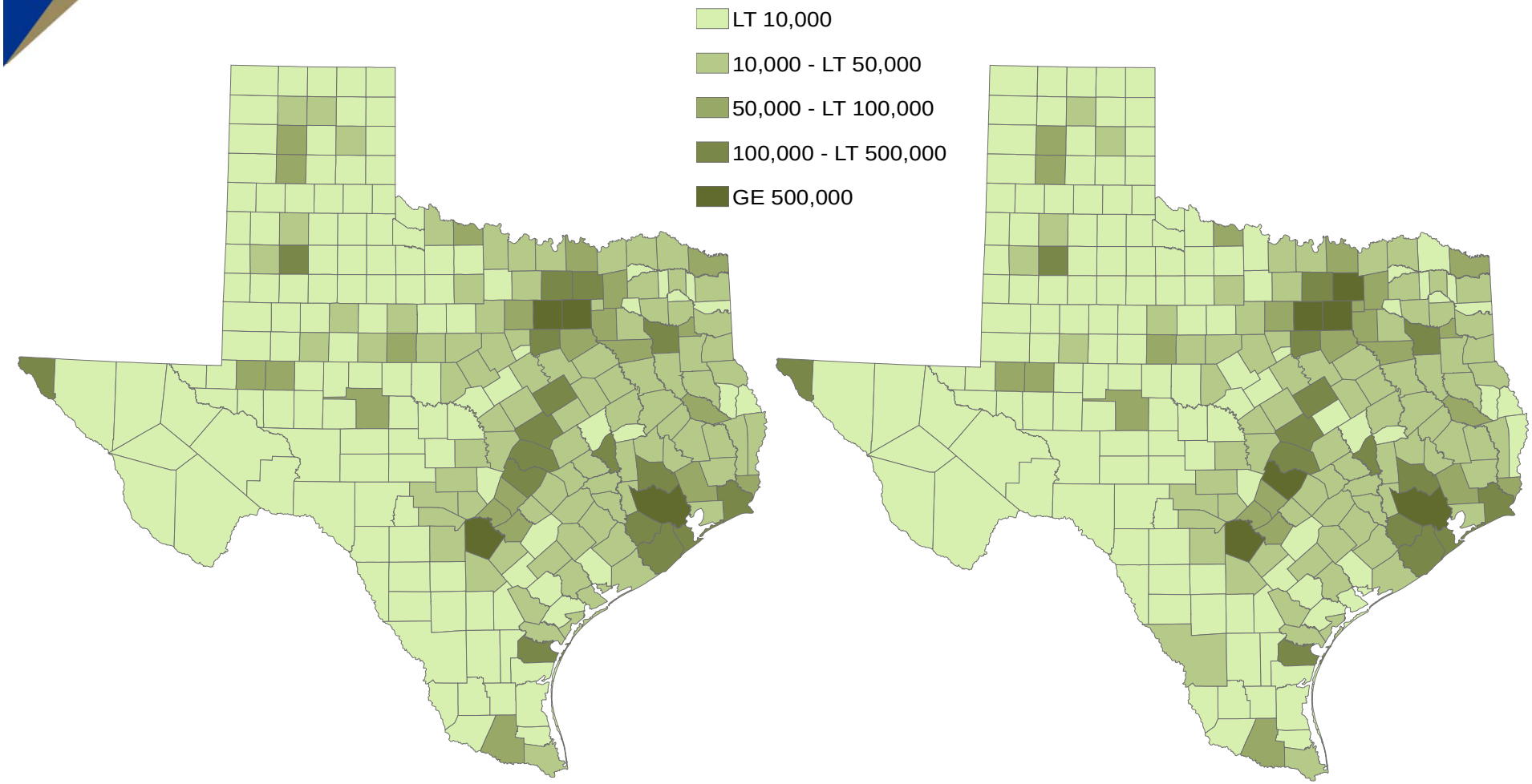

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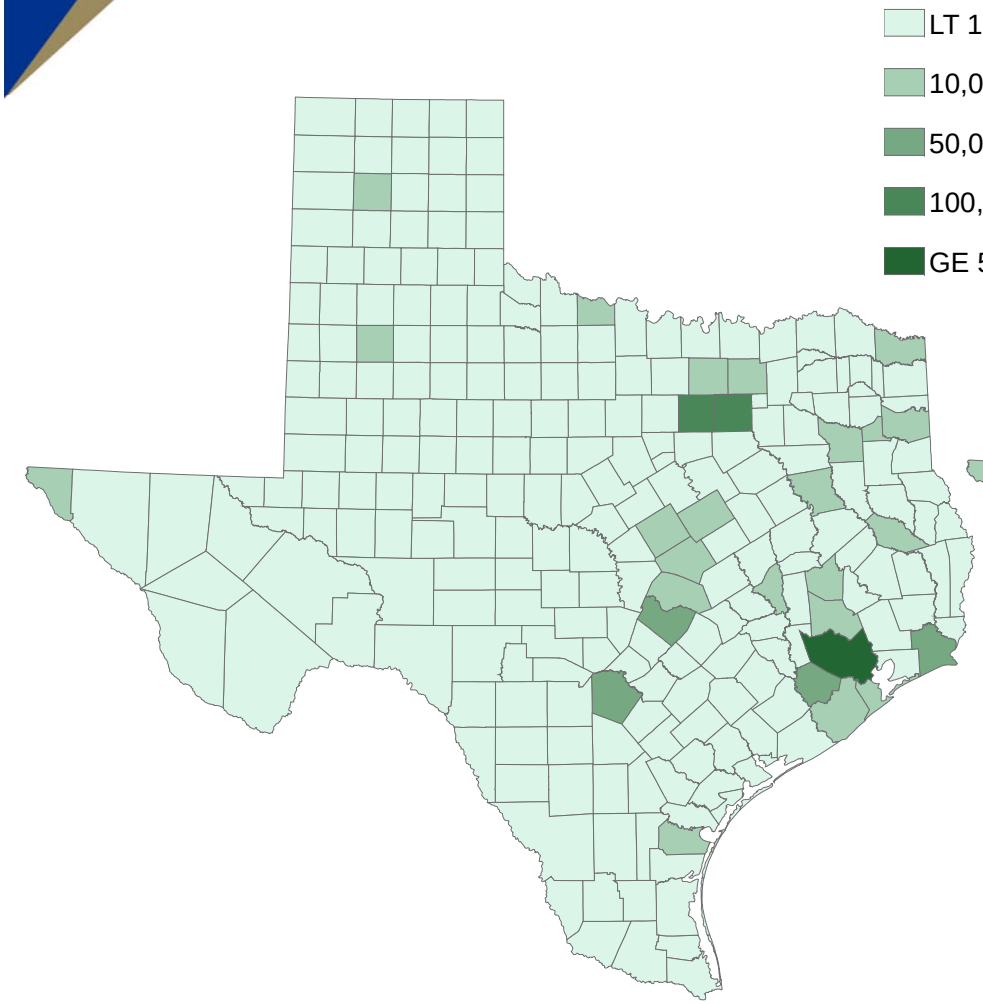

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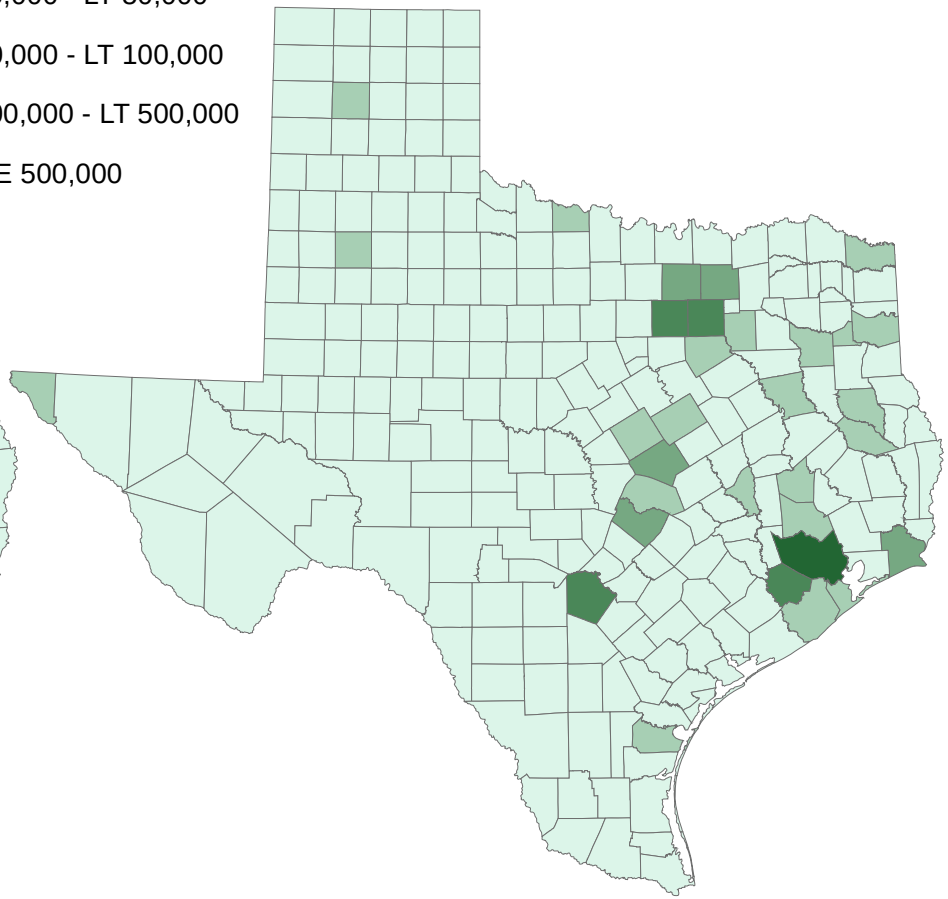

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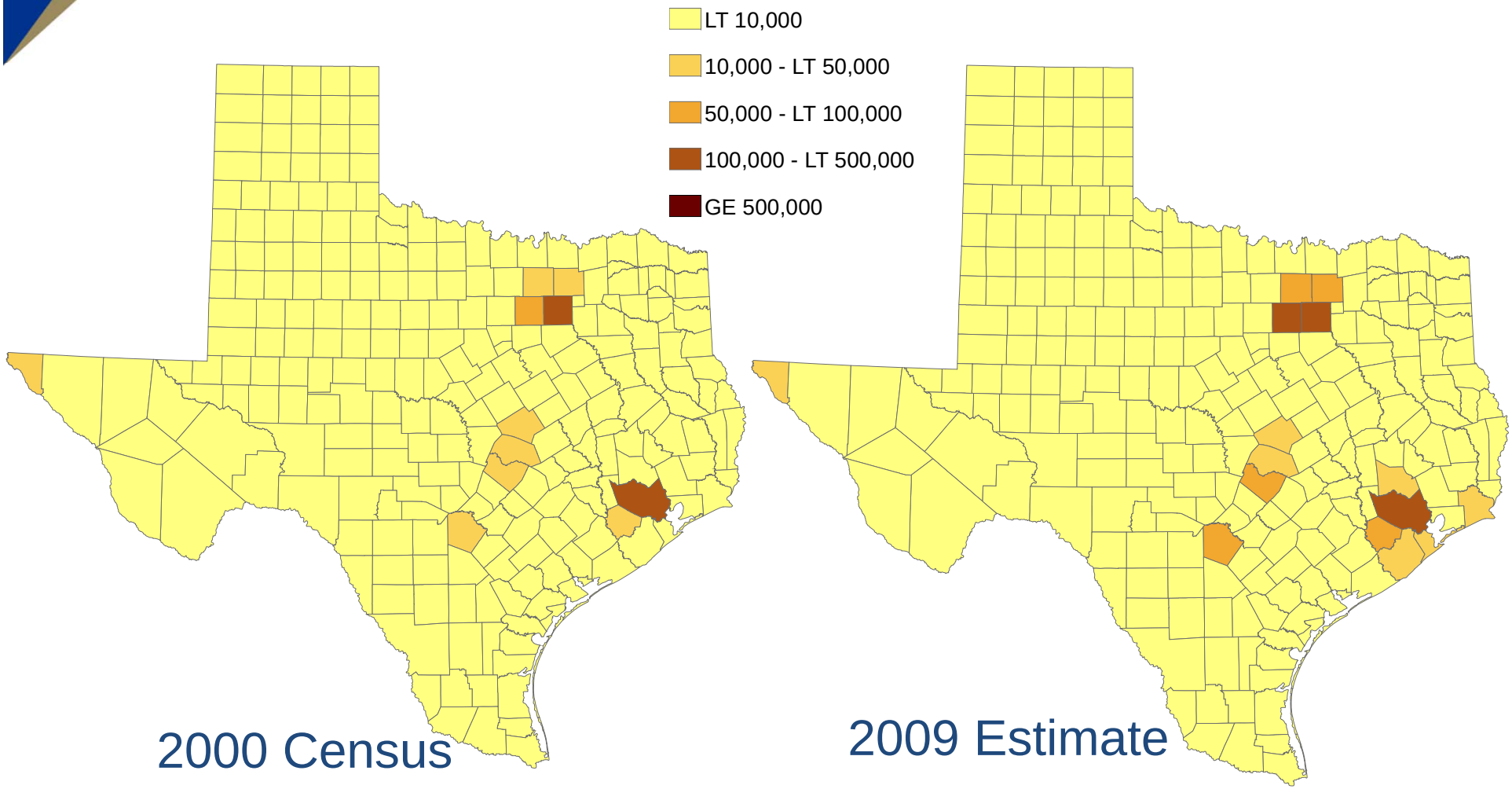

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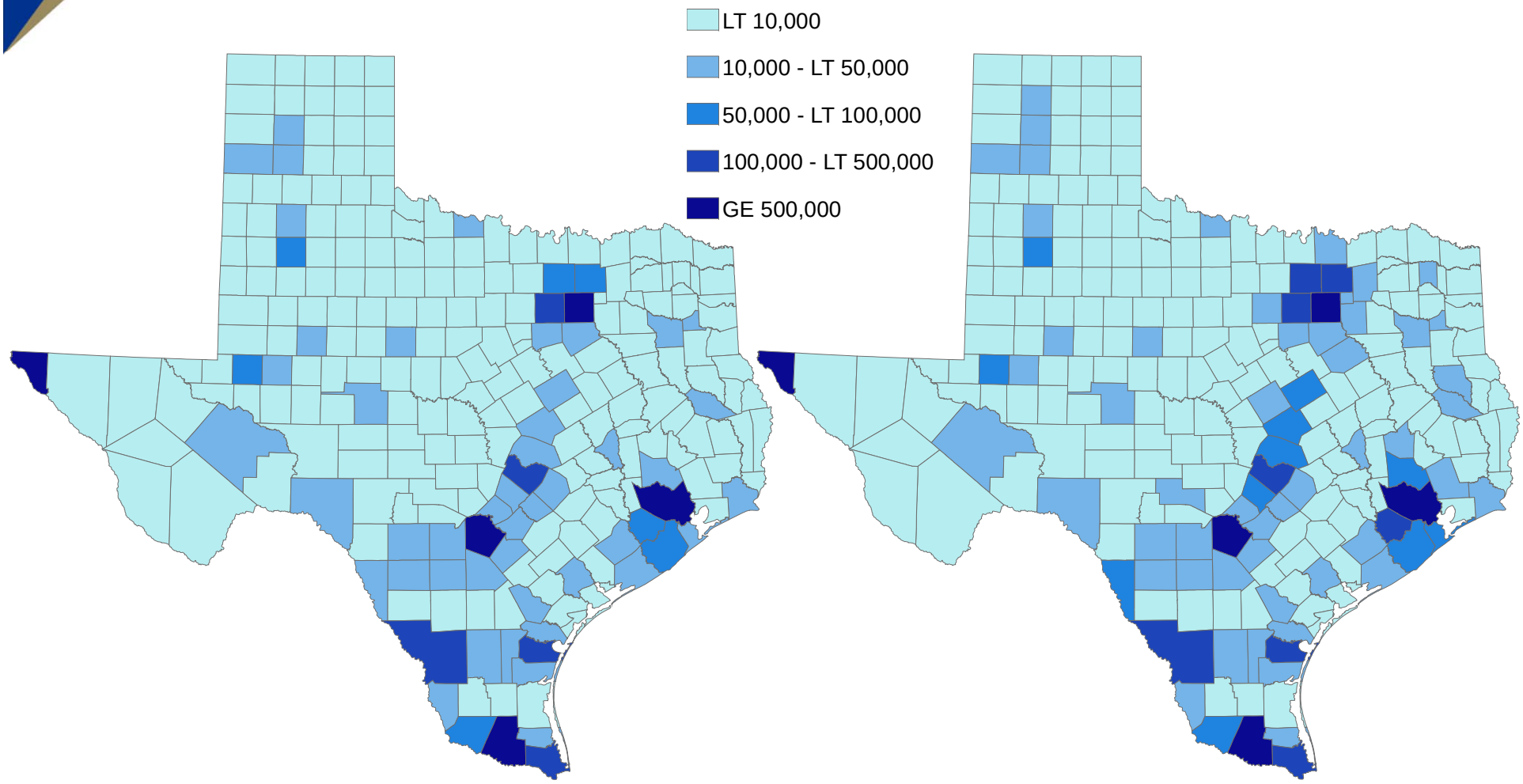

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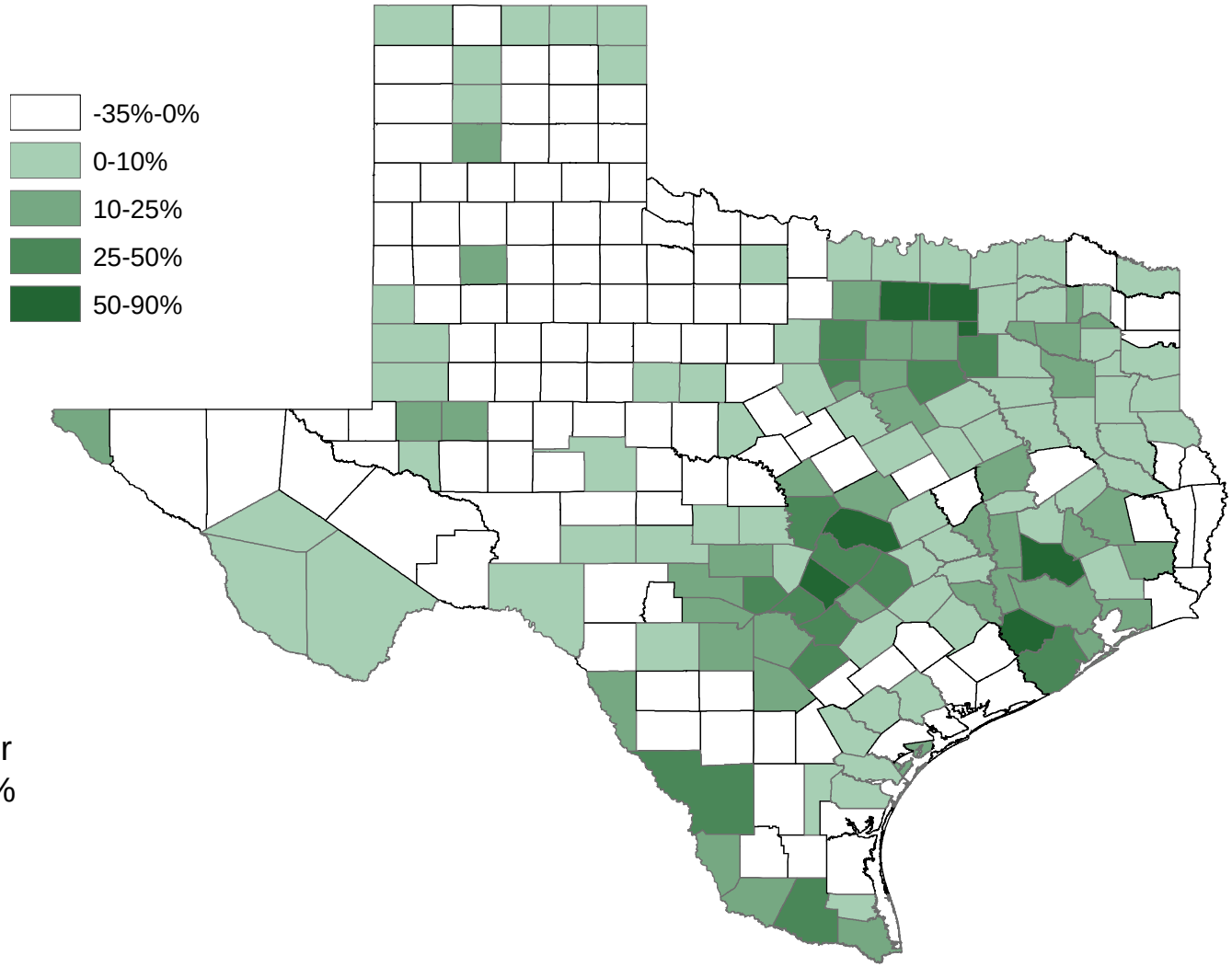
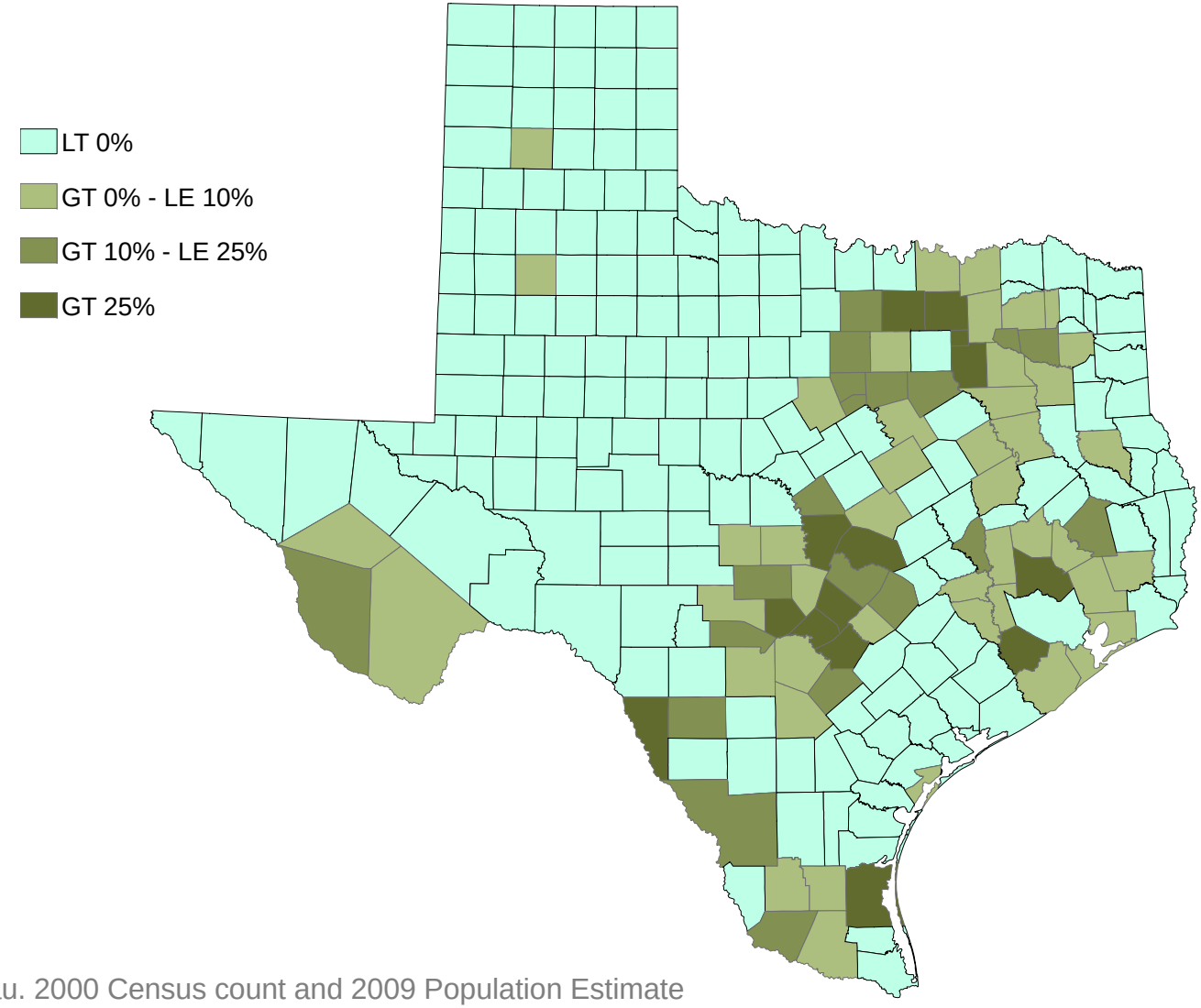
Percent Change of Total Population in Texas Counties, 2000-2009



Population increase for Texas was almost 19% during this period

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

Percent Change of the Non-Hispanic Anglo Population in Texas Counties, 2000-2009



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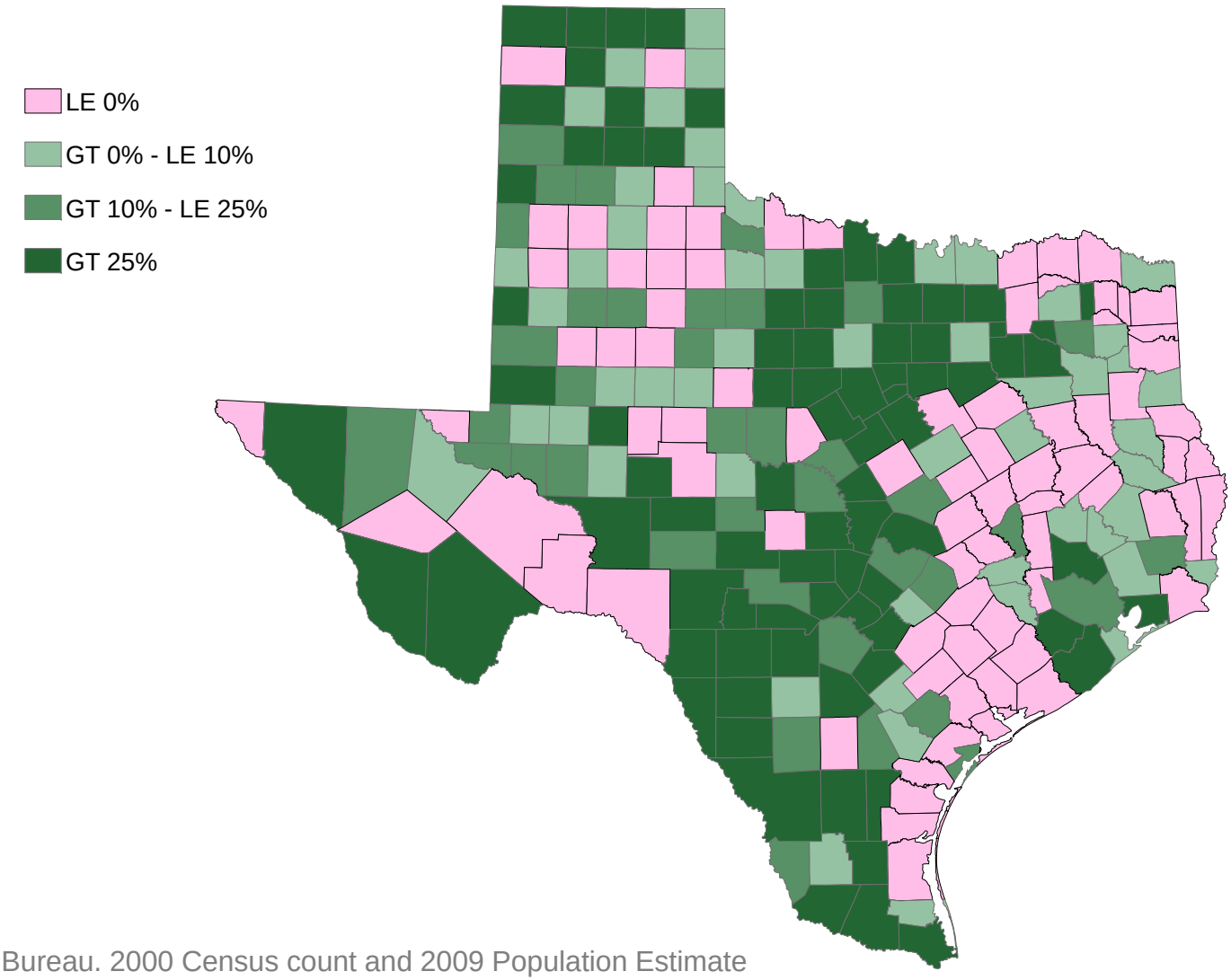

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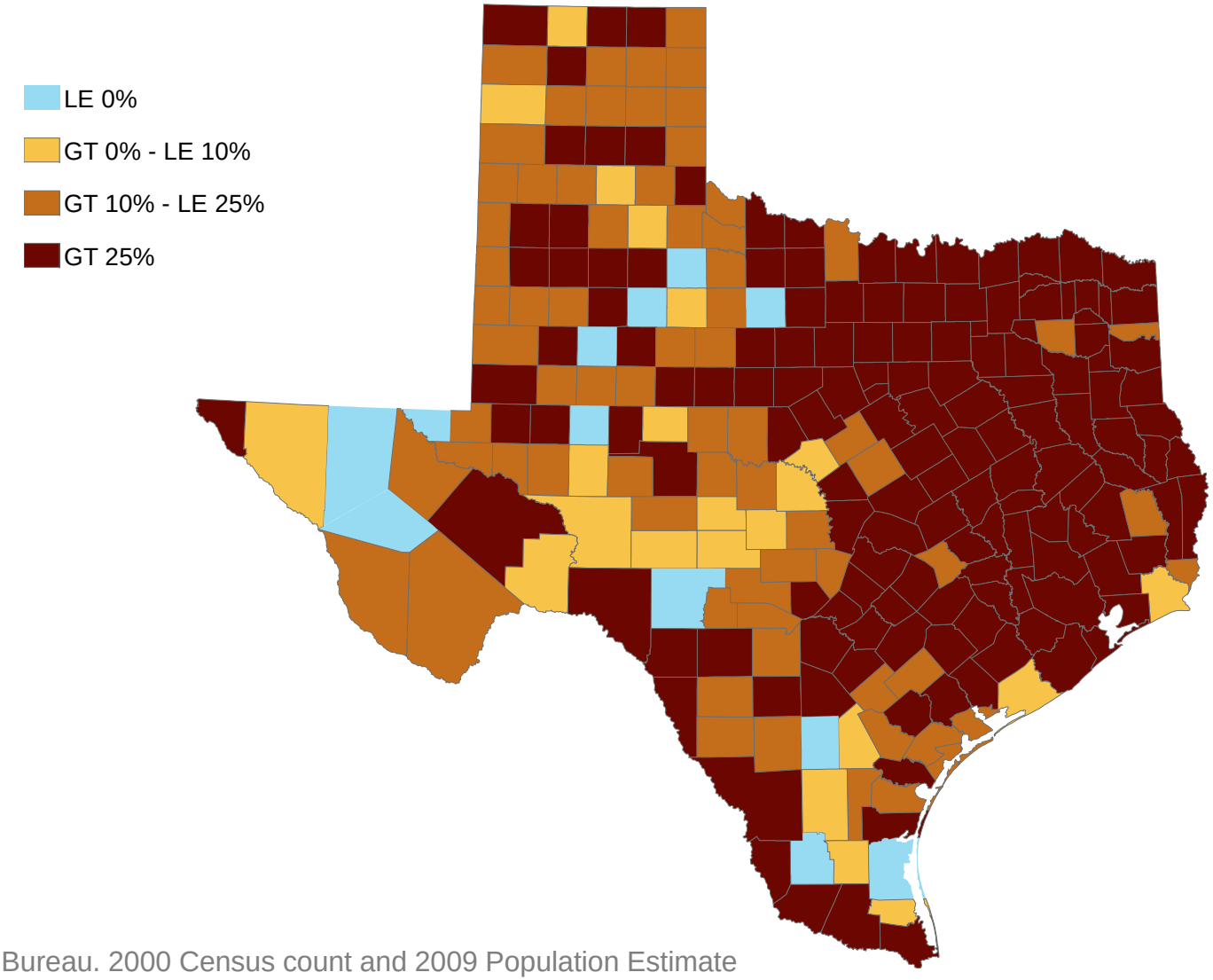

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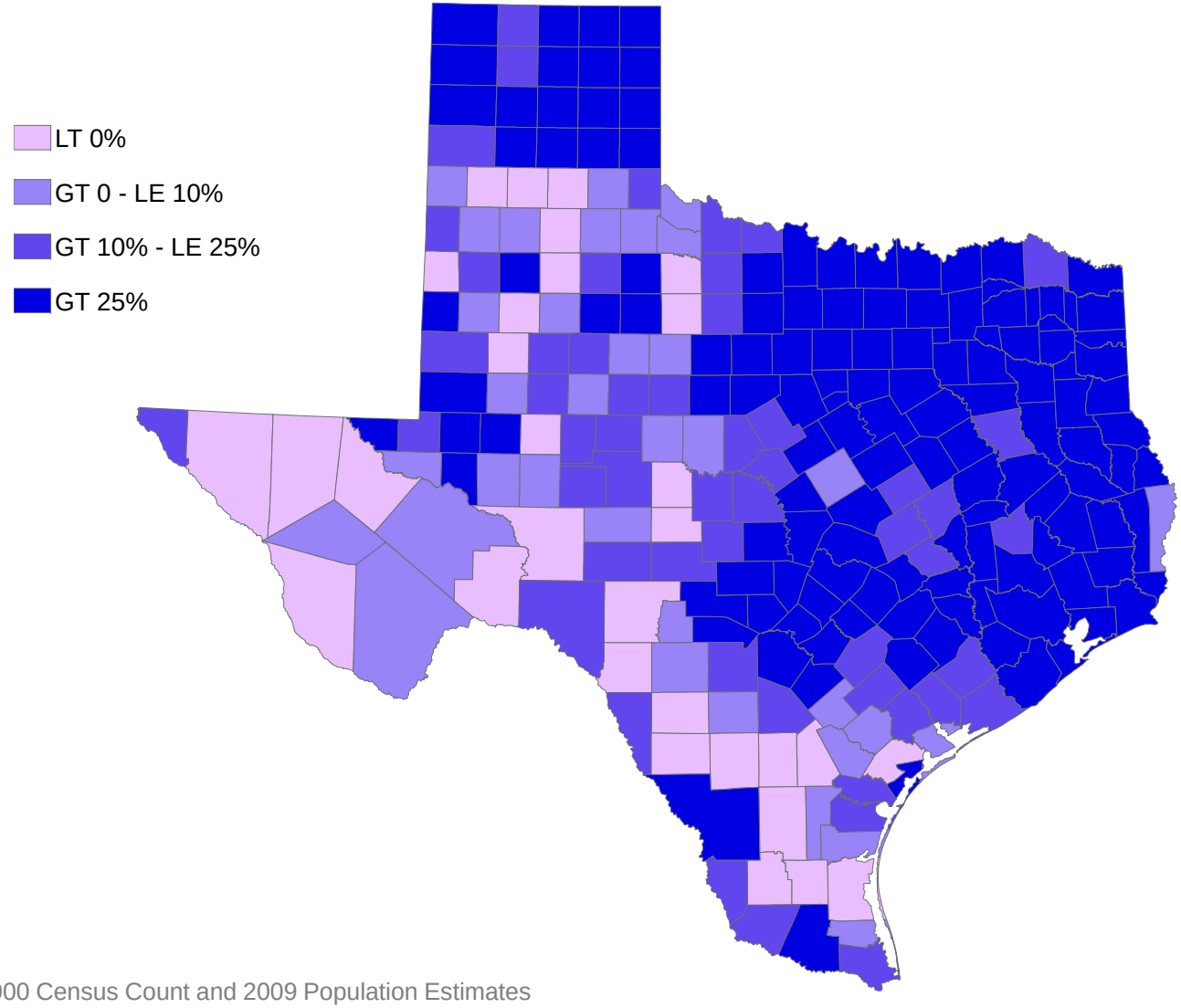

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Number of Texas Counties by Percent Race/Ethnicity, 2000 and 2009

% 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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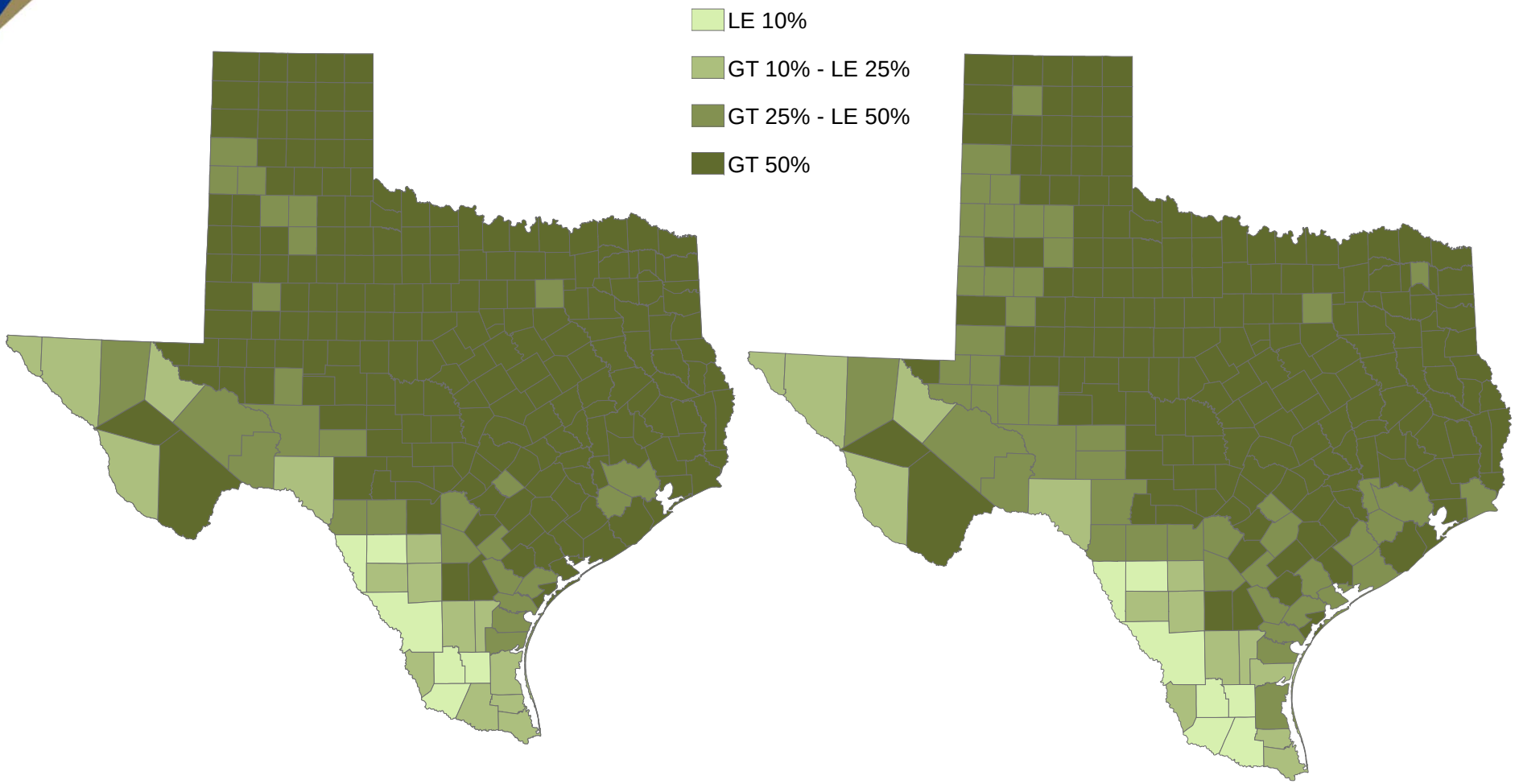
Census 2000 and Estimated 2009 Percent Non-Hispanic Anglo by County



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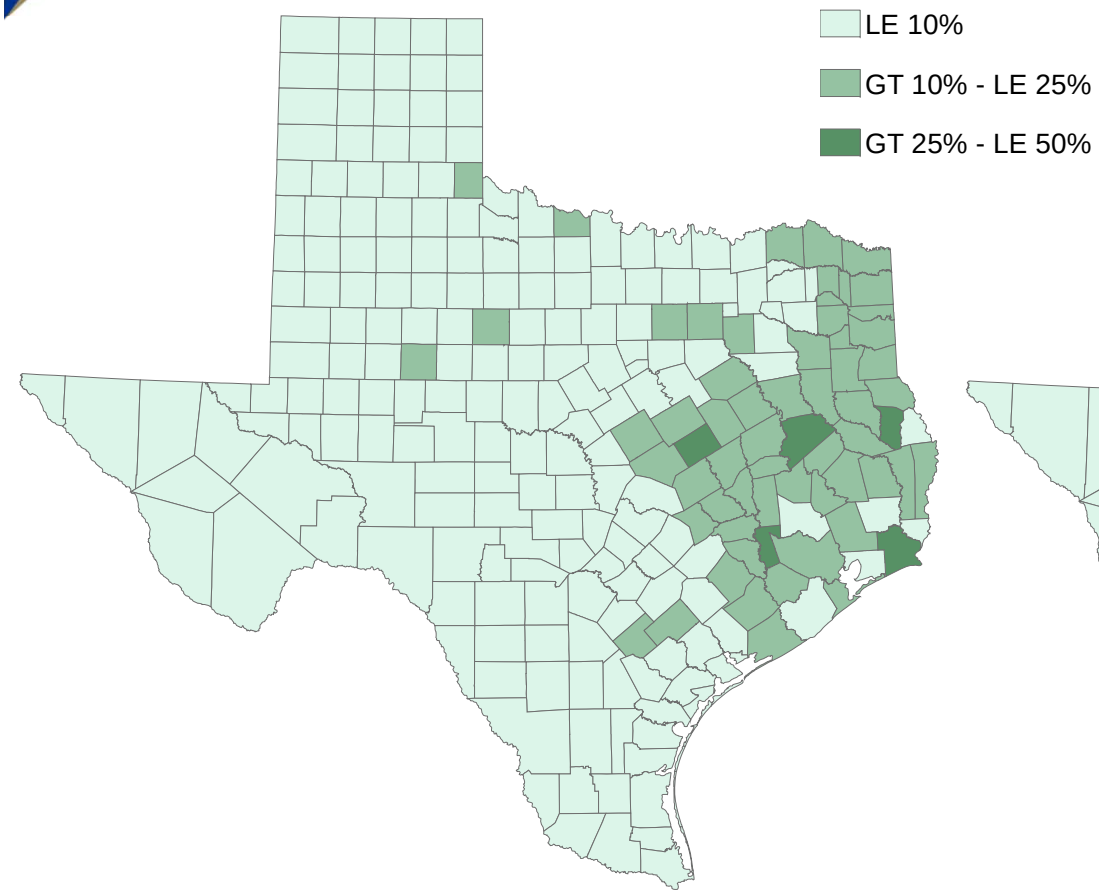

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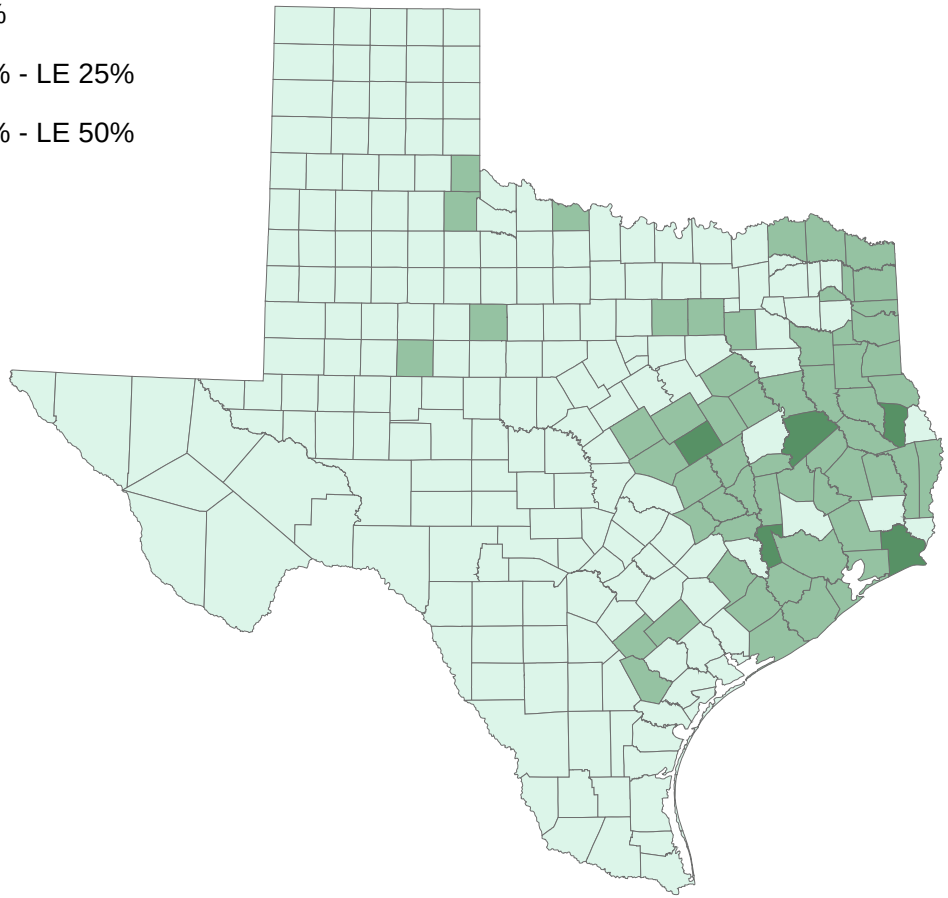

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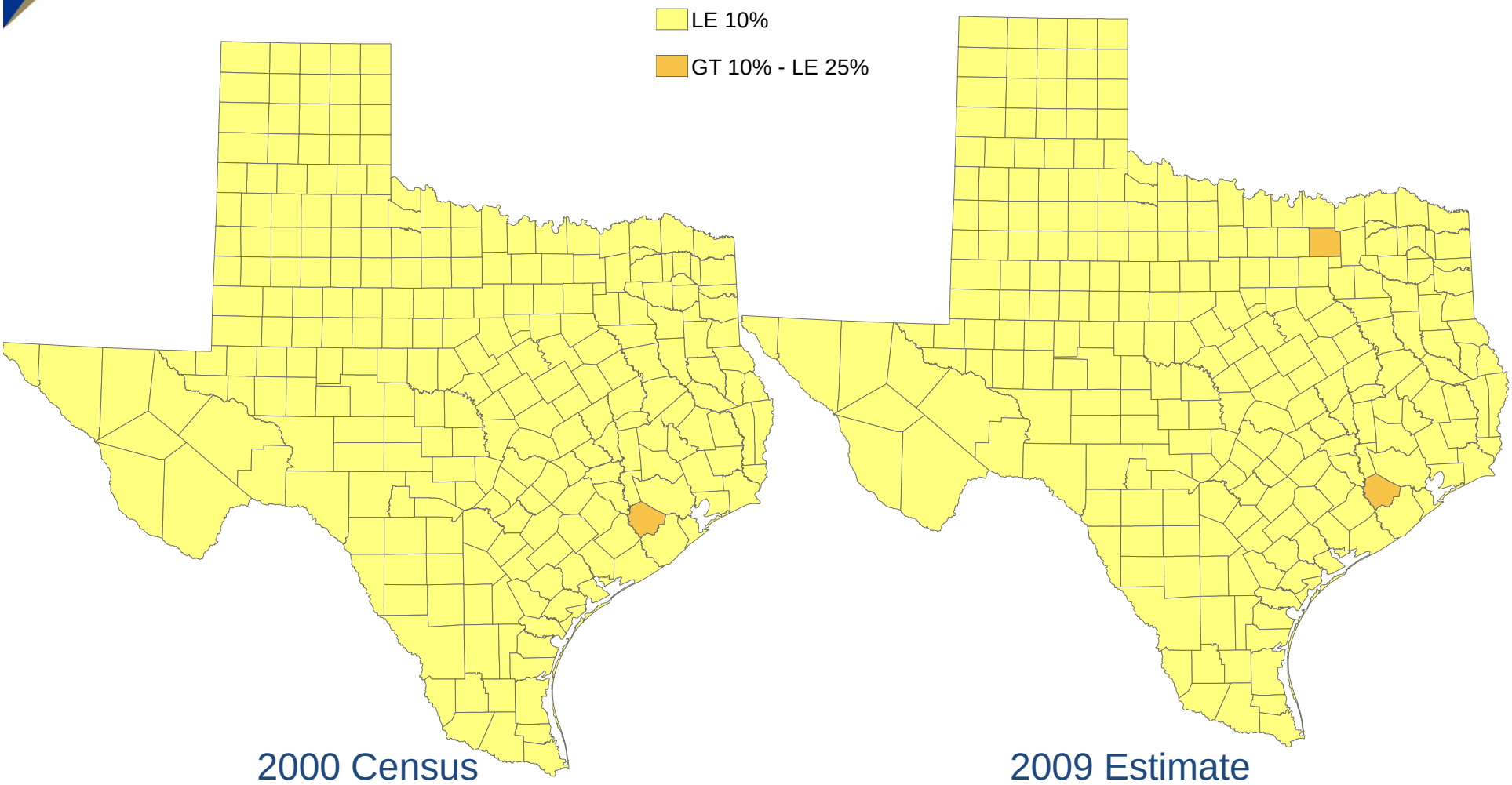

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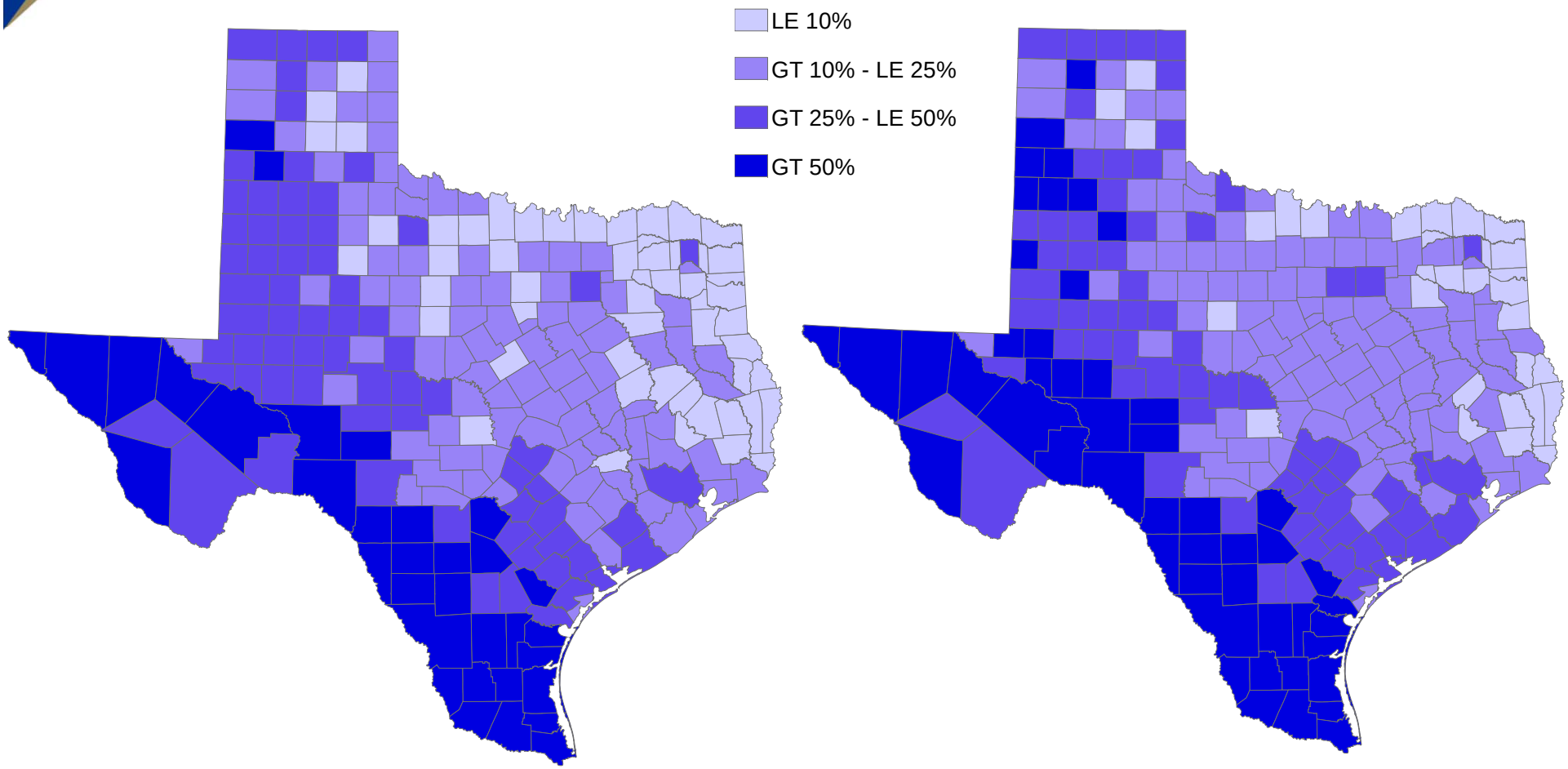

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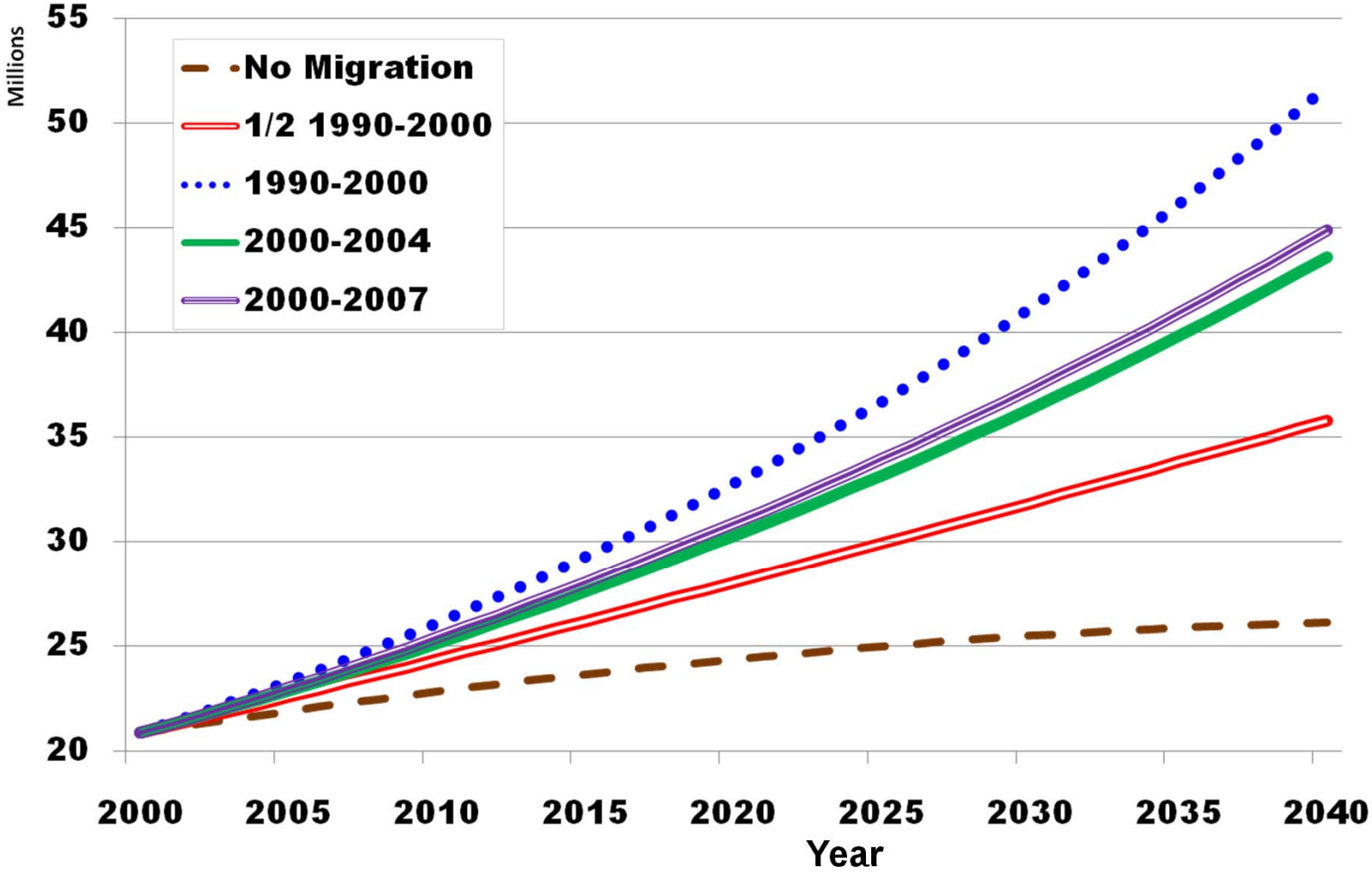
Projected Population Growth

Projected Population Growth in Texas, 2000-2040



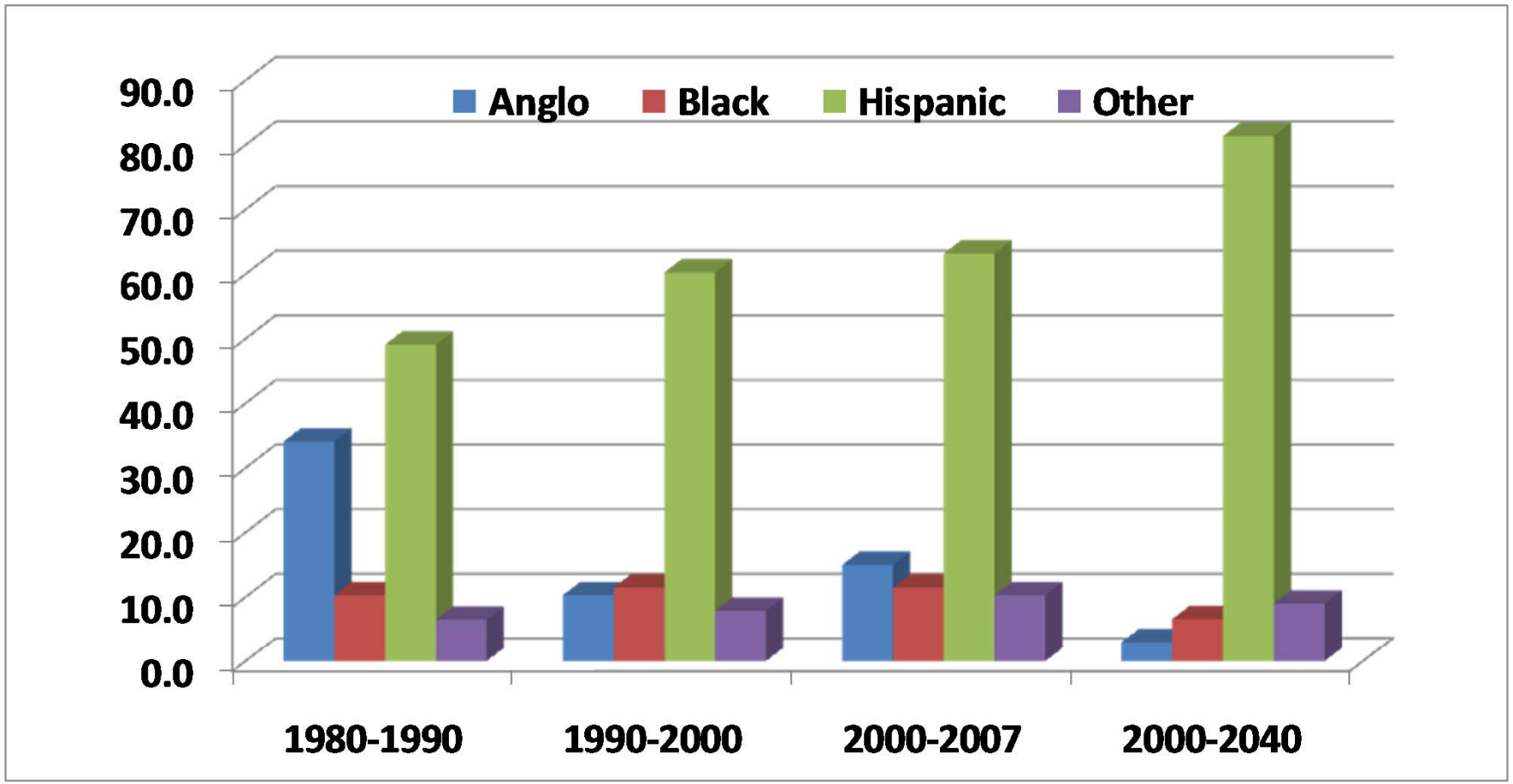
Source: Texas State Data Center 2008 Population Projections

Projected Population of Texas, 2010

Migration Rate	Total
No Migration	22,802,983
1/2 1990-2000 Migration	24,330,646
1990-2000 Migration	26,058,595
2000-2004 Migration	25,105,642
2000-2007 Migration	25,373,947

Source: Texas State Data Center 2008 Population Projections. Population values are for April 1, 2010.

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



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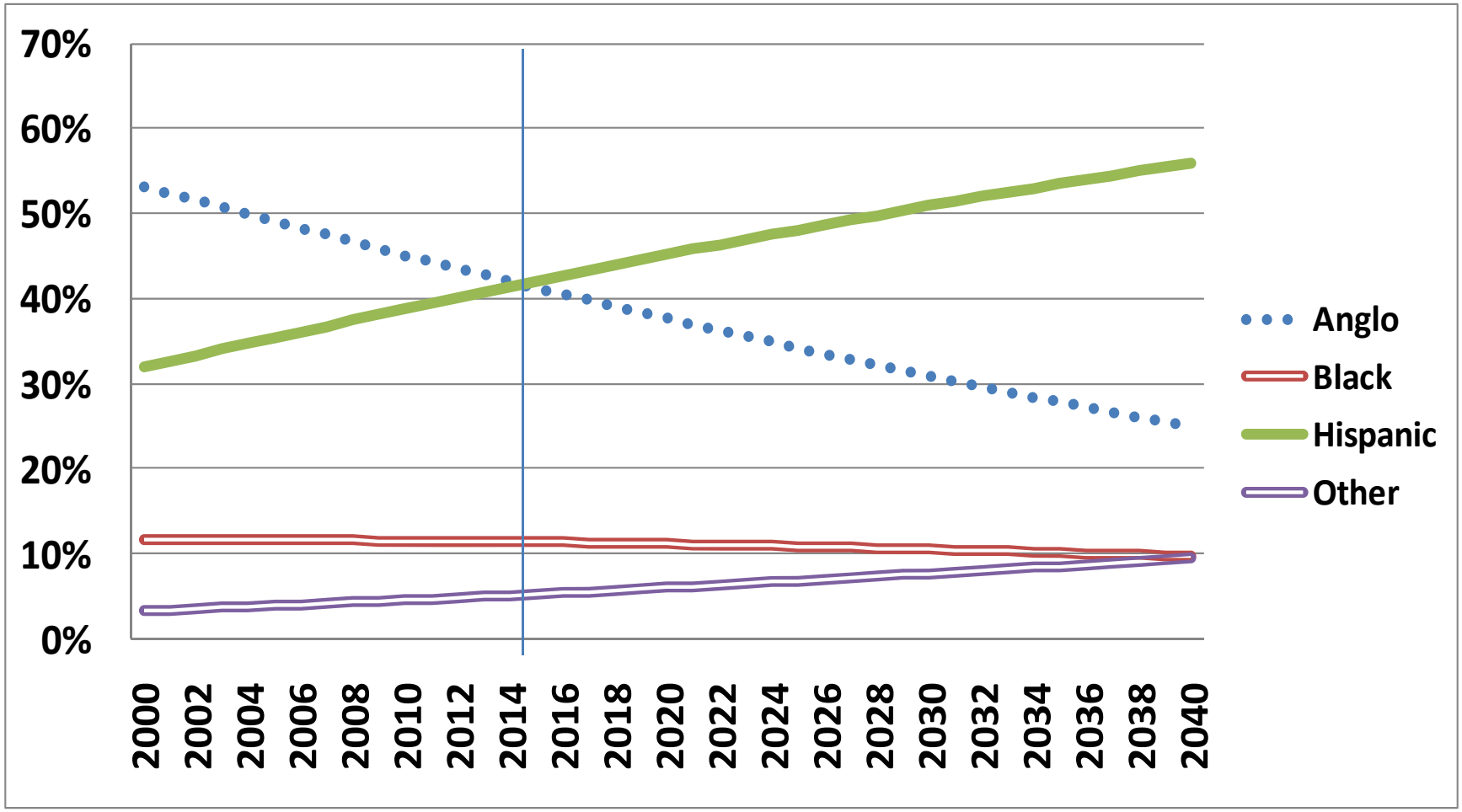

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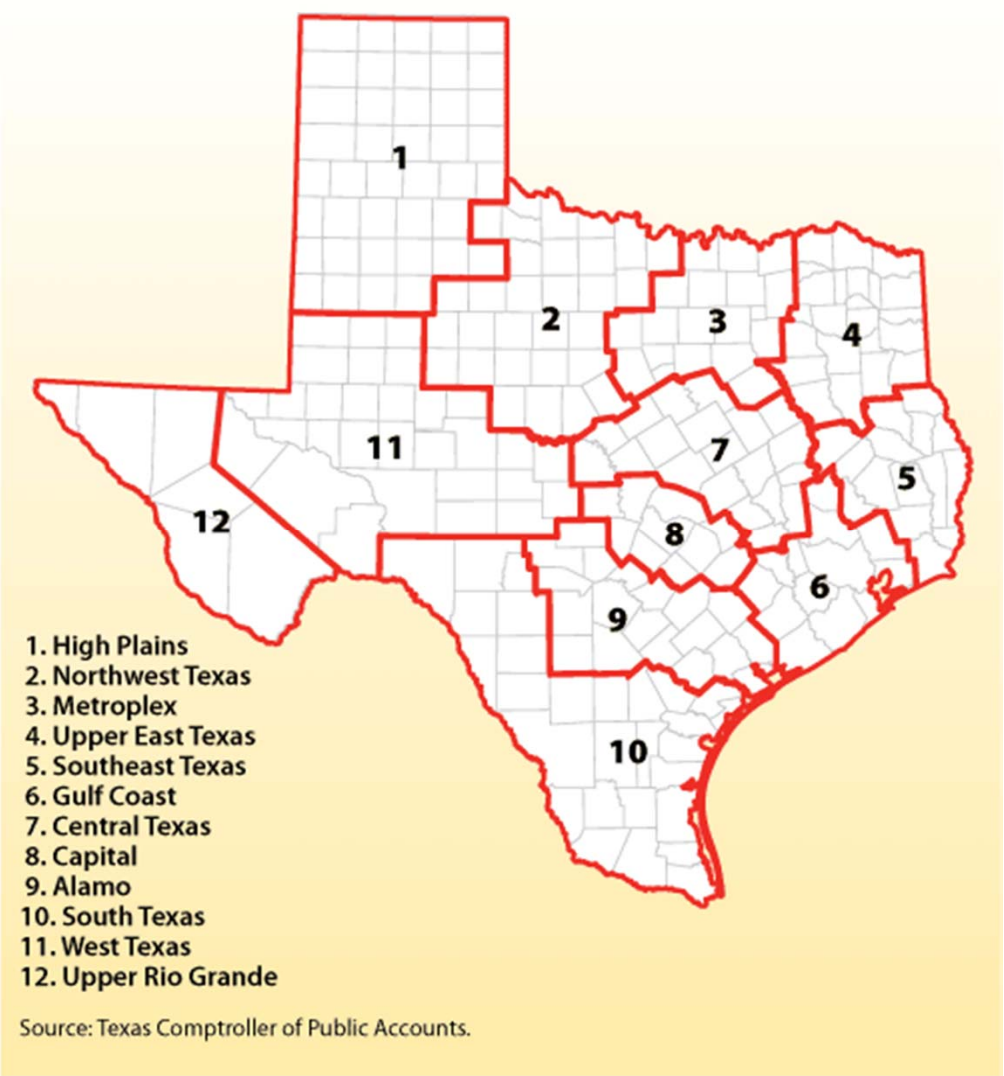
Texas Economic Regions



Total population Aged 18 Years and Older for 2000 Census, 2010 Projected Population, and Estimate of the non-Citizen Population by Texas Economic Regions

Race/ Ethnicity	Census Population, 2000*	Projected Population, 2010**	2000-2010 Difference	Percent Change 2000-2010	Percent of projected 2010 population	Percent non-citizen, 2006-2008 average***
Texas						
Total	14,965,061	18,789,238	3,824,177	25.6%		13.3%
NH White	8,522,163	9,014,422	492,259	5.8%	48.0%	1.5%
NH Black	1,653,286	2,121,750	468,464	28.3%	11.3%	3.1%
Hispanic	4,282,901	6,739,842	2,456,941	57.4%	35.9%	33.5%
NH Other	506,711	913,224	406,513	80.2%	4.9%	28.6%
Alamo						
Total	1,299,841	1,629,151	329,310	25.3%		7.9%
NH White	602,569	652,863	50,294	8.3%	40.1%	1.1%
NH Black	77,063	107,082	30,019	39.0%	6.6%	2.3%
Hispanic	594,587	814,984	220,397	37.1%	50.0%	14.0%
NH Other	25,622	54,222	28,600	111.6%	3.3%	19.2%
Capitol						
Total	1,007,116	1,407,539	400,423	39.8%		12.0%
NH White	667,410	824,688	157,278	23.6%	58.6%	1.6%
NH Black	72,359	100,588	28,229	39.0%	7.1%	3.5%
Hispanic	225,850	413,157	187,307	82.9%	29.4%	34.4%
NH Other	41,497	69,106	27,609	66.5%	4.9%	29.7%
Central Texas						
Total	569,330	661,024	91,694	16.1%		6.4%
NH White	387,429	397,404	9,975	2.6%	60.1%	1.1%
NH Black	83,412	108,806	25,394	30.4%	16.5%	1.4%
Hispanic	81,857	128,002	46,145	56.4%	19.4%	29.1%
NH Other	16,632	26,812	10,180	61.2%	4.1%	24.0%
Coastal Bend						
Total	556,025	601,571	45,546	8.2%		4.4%
NH White	249,399	230,339	(19,060)	-7.6%	38.3%	1.0%
NH Black	23,713	26,802	3,089	13.0%	4.5%	1.3%
Hispanic	274,957	332,606	57,649	21.0%	55.3%	6.9%
NH Other	7,956	11,824	3,868	48.6%	2.0%	17.8%

* Source: U.S. Census Bureau. ** Source: Texas State Data Center, 2009

*** Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 3-year 2006-2008 Public Use Micro Sample Produced by Office of the State Demographer (9/3/10).

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Race/ Ethnicity	Census Population, 2000*	Projected Population, 2010**	2000-2010 Difference	Percent Change 2000-2010	Percent of projected 2010 population	Percent non-citizen, 2006-2008 average***
Gulf Coast						
Total	3,434,427	4,511,280	1,076,853	31.4%		17.5%
NH White	1,801,931	1,855,428	53,497	3.0%	41.1%	2.5%
NH Black	562,941	735,740	172,799	30.7%	16.3%	3.6%
Hispanic	880,455	1,575,331	694,876	78.9%	34.9%	45.6%
NH Other	189,100	344,781	155,681	82.3%	7.6%	30.7%
High Plains						
Total	568,640	631293	62,653	11.0%		6.1%
NH White	396,515	393,892	(2,623)	-0.7%	62.4%	0.8%
NH Black	29,335	35,588	6,253	21.3%	5.6%	3.6%
Hispanic	133,329	186,767	53,438	40.1%	29.6%	17.4%
NH Other	9,461	15,046	5,585	59.0%	2.4%	21.5%
Metroplex						
Total	4,303,399	5,566,874	1,263,475	29.4%		15.3%
NH White	2,556,015	2,802,126	246,111	9.6%	50.3%	1.6%
NH Black	506,834	656,166	149,332	29.5%	11.8%	4.2%
Hispanic	1,060,864	1,777,309	716,445	67.5%	31.9%	50.5%
NH Other	179,686	331,273	151,587	84.4%	6.0%	32.4%
Northwest Texas						
Total	444,880	471,529	26,649	6.0%		3.8%
NH White	356,901	351,490	(5,411)	-1.5%	74.5%	0.4%
NH Black	24,759	29,017	4,258	17.2%	6.2%	2.3%
Hispanic	56,607	81,226	24,619	43.5%	17.2%	22.1%
NH Other	6,613	9,796	3,183	48.1%	2.1%	10.8%
South Texas Border						
Total	880,820	1,183,749	302,929	34.4%		25.4%
NH White	155,542	148,848	(6,694)	-4.3%	12.6%	2.4%
NH Black	7,879	9,580	1,701	21.6%	0.8%	4.4%
Hispanic	711,052	1,012,790	301,738	42.4%	85.6%	28.7%
NH Other	6,347	12,531	6,184	97.4%	1.1%	36.7%
Southeast Texas						
Total	549,895	584,704	34,809	6.3%		4.9%
NH White	394,274	384,086	(10,188)	-2.6%	65.7%	0.7%
NH Black	106,229	122,719	16,490	15.5%	21.0%	0.3%
Hispanic	40,090	63,319	23,229	57.9%	10.8%	39.0%
NH Other	9,302	14,580	5,278	56.7%	2.5%	21.3%

* Source: U.S. Census Bureau. ** Source: Texas State Data Center, 2009 - 2000-2007 Scenario
*** Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 3-year 2006-2008 Public Use Micro Sample
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Total population Aged 18 Years and Older for 2000 Census, 2010 Projected Population, and Estimate of the non-Citizen Population by Texas Economic Regions (Continued)

Race/ Ethnicity	Census Population, 2000*	Projected Population, 2010**	2000-2010 Difference	Percent Change 2000-2010	Percent of projected 2010 population	Percent non-citizen, 2006-2008 average***
Upper East Texas						
Total	879,103	992,452	113,349	12.9%		5.6%
NH White	658,646	673,871	15,225	2.3%	67.9%	0.5%
NH Black	133,622	156,566	22,944	17.2%	15.8%	0.1%
Hispanic	77,583	147,026	69,443	89.5%	14.8%	54.3%
NH Other	9,252	14,989	5,737	62.0%	1.5%	12.4%
Upper Rio Grande						
Total	95,422	139,008	43,586	45.7%		20.8%
NH White	65,319	84,002	18,683	28.6%	60.4%	2.8%
NH Black	6,670	11,630	4,960	74.4%	8.4%	3.0%
Hispanic	22,554	41,655	19,101	84.7%	30.0%	25.3%
NH Other	879	1,721	842	95.8%	1.2%	12.8%
West Texas						
Total	376,163	409,064	32,901	8.7%		9.1%
NH White	230,213	215,385	(14,828)	-6.4%	52.7%	1.1%
NH Black	18,470	21,466	2,996	16.2%	5.2%	2.2%
Hispanic	123,116	165,670	42,554	34.6%	40.5%	21.1%
NH Other	4,364	6,543	2,179	49.9%	1.6%	10.8%

* Source: U.S. Census Bureau.** Source: Texas State Data Center, 2009 - 2000-2007 Scenario
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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

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