U.S. Census Bureau

State & County QuickFacts

Gulfport (city), Mississippi

People QuickFacts	Gulfport	Mississippi
Population, 2003 estimate	71,810	2,881,281
Population, percent change, April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2003	1.0%	1.3%
Population, 2000	71,127	2,844,658
Population, percent change, 1990 to 2000	9.9%	10.5%
Persons under 5 years old, percent, 2000	7.1%	7.2%
Persons under 18 years old, percent, 2000	26.0%	27.3%
Persons 65 years old and over, percent, 2000	11.4%	12.1%
Female persons, percent, 2000	50.4%	51.7%
White persons, percent, 2000 (a)	62.2%	61.4%
Black or African American persons, percent, 2000 (a)	33.5%	36.3%
American Indian and Alaska Native persons, percent, 2000 (a)	0.4%	0.4%
Asian persons, percent, 2000 (a)	1.3%	0.7%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander, percent, 2000 (a)	0.1%	Z
Persons reporting some other race, percent, 2000 (a)	0.9%	0.5%
Persons reporting two or more races, percent, 2000	1.6%	0.7%
Persons of Hispanic or Latino origin, percent, 2000	2.6%	1.4%
Living in same house in 1995 and 2000, pct 5 yrs old & over	48.4%	58.5%
Foreign born persons, percent, 2000	2.6%	1.4%
Language other than English spoken at home, pct age 5+, 2000	5.2%	3.6%
High school graduates, percent of persons age 25+, 2000	79.2%	72.9%
Bachelor's degree or higher, pct of persons age 25+, 2000	19.1%	16.9%
Mean travel time to work (minutes), workers age 16+, 2000	20.2	24.6
Housing units, 2000	29,559	1,161,953
Homeownership rate, 2000	58.7%	72.3%
Median value of owner-occupied housing units, 2000	\$80,300	\$71,400
Households, 2000	26,943	1,046,434
Persons per household, 2000	2.51	2.63
Median household income, 1999	\$32,779	\$31,330
Per capita money income, 1999	\$17,554	\$15,853
Persons below poverty, percent, 1999	17.7%	19.9%
Business QuickFacts	Gulfport	Mississippi
Wholesale trade sales, 1997 (\$1000)	286,137	18,445,224
Retail sales, 1997 (\$1000)	861,529	20,774,508

Retail sales per capita, 1997	\$13,219	\$7,605
Accommodation and foodservices sales, 1997 (\$1000)	87,357	3,064,753
Total number of firms, 1997	5,012	167,907
Minority-owned firms, percent of total, 1997	14.0%	13.1%
Women-owned firms, percent of total, 1997	27.6%	22.8%

Geography QuickFacts	Gulfport	Mississippi
Land area, 2000 (square miles)	57	46,907
Persons per square mile, 2000	1,249.9	60.6
FIPS Code	29700	28
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- (a) Includes persons reporting only one race.
- (b) Hispanics may be of any race, so also are included in applicable race categories.
- FN: Footnote on this item for this area in place of data
- NA: Not available
- D: Suppressed to avoid disclosure of confidential information
- X: Not applicable
- S: Suppressed; does not meet publication standards
- Z: Value greater than zero but less than half unit of measure shown
- F: Fewer than 100 firms

Source U.S. Census Bureau: State and County QuickFacts. Data derived from Population Estimates, 2000 Census of Population and Housing, 1990 Census of Population and Housing, Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates, County Business Patterns, 1997 Economic Census, Minority- and Women-Owned Business, Building Permits, Consolidated Federal Funds Report, Census of Governments

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