


City Child Poverty Data

from 1990 Census

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**Total persons younger than 18:
Number poor and poverty rate, 1989
in the 200 cities with populations
over 100,000 in 1990**

	Total	Poor	Rate	Rank
Alabama				
Birmingham	66,136	23,724	35.9%	180
Huntsville	36,803	6,353	17.3	69
Mobile	50,944	16,993	33.4	168
Montgomery	51,487	13,354	25.9	125
Alaska				
Anchorage	65,041	6,172	9.5	18
Arizona				
Glendale	42,285	6,425	15.2	57
Mesa	81,216	9,801	12.1	39
Phoenix	260,949	53,169	20.4	87
Scottsdale	22,847	1,543	6.8	13
Tempe	29,920	3,495	11.7	34
Tucson	96,904	25,505	26.3	126
Arkansas				
Little Rock	42,945	9,312	21.7	99
California				
Anaheim	67,008	10,266	15.3	58
Bakersfield	53,053	11,630	21.9	101
Berkeley	14,296	2,151	15.0	53
Chula Vista	34,656	4,983	14.4	48
Citrus Heights	27,826	3,054	11.0	27
Concord	26,671	2,715	10.2	22
East Los Angeles	41,257	13,026	31.6	161
El Monte	34,901	10,578	30.3	152
Escondido	28,208	4,779	16.9	67
Fremont	44,306	2,294	5.2	9
Fresno	109,990	40,586	36.9	184
Fullerton	25,155	3,138	12.5	41
Garden Grove	36,337	5,315	14.6	49
Glendale	38,343	8,258	21.5	95
Hayward	27,058	4,077	15.1	56
Huntington Beach	36,922	2,465	6.7	12
Inglewood	32,183	7,152	22.2	106
Irvine	26,568	1,057	4.0	6
Long Beach	106,797	29,167	27.3	133
Los Angeles	840,057	233,600	27.8	138
Modesto	48,565	9,654	19.9	86
Moreno Valley	43,104	4,747	11.0	27
Oakland	90,879	27,580	30.3	152
Oceanside	32,727	4,629	14.1	46
Ontario	42,614	7,667	18.0	71
Orange	25,952	2,847	11.0	27
Oxnard	42,643	7,354	17.2	68
Pasadena	27,831	6,322	22.7	109
Pomona	42,078	10,581	25.1	122
Rancho Cucamonga	31,715	1,956	6.2	10

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	Total	Poor	Rate	Rank
California (cont'd)				
Riverside	63,905	9,569	15.0	53
Sacramento	94,689	27,043	28.6	143
Salinas	34,092	7,771	22.8	110
San Bernardino	50,622	17,437	34.4	173
San Diego	250,641	49,703	19.8	85
San Francisco	114,074	21,228	18.6	74
San Jose	203,229	26,567	13.1	44
Santa Ana	85,061	18,839	22.1	105
Santa Clarita	30,369	1,118	3.7	3
Santa Rosa	26,264	3,068	11.7	34
Simi Valley	27,473	1,047	3.8	4
Stockton	65,682	21,287	32.4	163
Sunnyvale	21,863	1,388	6.3	11
Thousand Oaks	25,643	1,242	4.8	7
Torrance	26,824	1,858	6.9	14
Vallejo	29,984	3,566	11.9	36
Colorado				
Aurora	60,110	6,477	10.8	25
Colorado Springs	73,837	11,326	15.3	58
Denver	100,289	27,499	27.4	135
Lakewood	27,712	3,091	11.2	30
Connecticut				
Bridgewater	36,226	10,559	29.1	145
Hartford	37,176	16,276	43.8	195
New Haven	29,604	10,128	34.2	172
Stamford	21,710	2,244	10.3	23
Waterbury	25,249	5,253	20.8	92
Delaware				
[no cities over 100,000]				
District of Columbia				
Washington, D.C.	112,247	28,610	25.5	123
Florida				
Fort Lauderdale	27,178	8,420	31.0	159
Hialeah	42,873	10,601	24.7	119
Hollywood	22,779	3,562	15.6	60
Jacksonville	163,370	30,364	18.6	74
Miami	80,286	35,367	44.1	196
Orlando	33,565	9,107	27.1	131
St. Petersburg	46,208	10,352	22.4	108
Tallahassee	23,732	5,122	21.6	97
Tampa	62,892	19,408	30.9	158
Georgia				
Atlanta	92,852	39,836	42.9	192
Columbus	47,627	13,419	28.2	140
Macon	27,740	10,011	36.1	181
Savannah	36,062	12,071	33.5	169

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	Total	Poor	Rate	Rank
Hawaii				
Honolulu	68,410	7,944	11.6	33
Idaho				
Boise City	31,649	3,783	12.0	38
Illinois				
Chicago	711,670	240,968	33.9	171
Peoria	28,876	8,520	29.5	147
Rockford	35,406	7,253	20.5	89
Springfield	25,197	4,725	18.8	76
Indiana				
Evansville	28,624	6,212	21.7	99
Fort Wayne	44,733	7,370	16.5	66
Gary	36,271	15,588	43.0	193
Indianapolis	184,112	34,800	18.9	79
South Bend	26,794	5,889	22.0	103
Iowa				
Cedar Rapids	25,884	3,307	12.8	42
Des Moines	45,766	8,828	19.3	83
Kansas				
Kansas City	42,064	11,190	26.6	128
Overland Park	27,384	828	3.0	1
Topeka	28,679	5,232	18.2	72
Wichita	79,400	14,162	17.8	70
Kentucky				
Lexington-Fayette	49,933	9,392	18.8	76
Louisville	61,926	21,919	35.4	177
Louisiana				
Baton Rouge	53,735	19,136	35.6	178
Metairie	31,498	3,756	11.9	36
New Orleans	135,533	62,808	46.3	198
Shreveport	56,004	20,577	36.7	183
Maine				
[no cities over 100,000]				
Maryland				
Baltimore	175,761	57,203	32.5	164
Massachusetts				
Boston	107,178	30,372	28.3	141
Lowell	26,743	7,862	29.4	146
Springfield	41,693	14,078	33.8	170
Worcester	37,269	9,318	25.0	121
Michigan				
Ann Arbor	18,455	1,549	8.4	16
Detroit	296,543	138,242	46.6	200
Flint	42,266	18,859	44.6	197
Grand Rapids	51,086	11,840	23.2	115
Lansing	34,564	9,864	28.5	142
Livonia	23,042	695	3.0	1
Sterling Heights	30,401	1,509	5.0	8
Warren	29,976	3,365	11.2	30

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Minnesota				
Minneapolis	73,897	22,599	30.6	157
St. Paul	65,516	17,596	26.9	129
Mississippi				
Jackson	53,327	17,107	32.1	162
Missouri				
Independence	26,443	3,969	15.0	53
Kansas City	105,461	24,064	22.8	110
Springfield	28,434	6,041	21.2	93
St. Louis	97,678	38,796	39.7	190
Montana				
[no cities over 100,000]				
Nebraska				
Lincoln	44,433	4,970	11.2	30
Omaha	84,186	15,806	18.8	76
Nevada				
Las Vegas	62,146	9,898	15.9	62
Paradise	20,411	2,528	12.4	40
Reno	26,772	3,906	14.6	49
New Hampshire				
[no cities over 100,000]				
New Jersey				
Elizabeth	26,680	6,860	25.7	124
Jersey City	55,020	16,454	29.9	149
Newark	76,218	28,631	37.5	186
Paterson	40,506	10,922	27.0	130
New Mexico				
Albuquerque	94,971	18,254	19.2	82
New York				
Albany	17,881	4,725	26.4	127
Buffalo	78,446	30,400	38.8	189
New York	1,650,729	496,999	30.1	151
Rochester	59,183	22,752	38.4	188
Syracuse	36,178	12,004	33.2	167
Yonkers	39,394	8,159	20.7	91
North Carolina				
Charlotte	95,015	15,164	16.0	63
Durham	29,740	6,089	20.5	89
Greensboro	38,992	6,098	15.6	60
Raleigh	39,870	5,855	14.7	51
Winston-Salem	30,656	7,184	23.4	116
North Dakota				
[no cities over 100,000]				
Ohio				
Akron	53,454	16,694	31.2	160
Cincinnati	89,837	33,638	37.4	185
Cleveland	134,115	57,692	43.0	195
Columbus	146,579	35,696	24.4	115
Dayton	46,102	18,833	40.9	191
Toledo	85,865	23,663	27.6	136

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Oklahoma				
Oklahoma City	113,437	26,024	22.9	112
Tulsa	87,899	19,249	21.9	101
Oregon				
Eugene	23,202	3,310	14.3	47
Portland	93,404	17,777	19.0	80
Salem	25,156	4,772	19.0	80
Pennsylvania				
Allentown	22,740	5,009	22.0	103
Erie	26,917	8,200	30.5	156
Philadelphia	371,626	112,622	30.3	152
Pittsburgh	72,400	23,545	32.5	164
Rhode Island				
Providence	37,869	13,263	35.0	176
South Carolina				
[no cities over 100,000]				
South Dakota				
Sioux Falls	25,576	2,447	9.6	19
Tennessee				
Chattanooga	34,784	9,785	28.1	139
Knoxville	32,111	5,562	29.8	148
Memphis	161,119	56,198	34.9	175
Nashville-Davidson	109,088	22,301	20.4	87
Texas				
Abilene	28,464	5,484	19.3	83
Amarillo	43,584	9,999	22.9	112
Arlington	69,770	6,709	9.6	19
Austin	105,412	22,617	21.5	95
Beaumont	30,316	9,189	30.3	152
Corpus Christi	76,332	20,797	27.2	132
Dallas	247,400	67,611	27.3	133
El Paso	162,138	55,985	34.5	174
Fort Worth	116,703	29,051	24.9	120
Garland	53,329	5,674	10.6	24
Houston	428,812	128,602	30.0	150
Irving	36,901	5,440	14.7	51
Laredo	43,922	20,374	46.4	199
Lubbock	47,003	10,831	23.0	114
Mesquite	30,640	3,100	10.1	21
Pasadena	35,174	6,457	18.4	73
Plano	38,726	1,465	3.8	4
San Antonio	268,857	87,289	32.5	164
Waco	24,758	9,055	36.6	182
Utah				
Salt Lake City	39,432	8,498	21.6	97
Vermont				
[no cities over 100,000]				

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Virginia				
Alexandria	16,613	1,817	10.9	26
Arlington	25,285	2,226	8.8	17
Chesapeake	43,060	5,618	13.0	43
Hampton	32,865	5,381	16.4	65
Newport News	45,895	9,842	21.4	94
Norfolk	58,632	16,788	28.6	143
Portsmouth	26,928	7,423	27.6	136
Richmond	41,364	14,819	35.8	179
Virginia Beach	107,625	8,460	7.9	15
Washington				
Seattle	82,013	13,279	16.2	64
Spokane	42,046	9,393	22.3	107
Tacoma	44,262	10,367	23.4	116
West Virginia				
[no cities over 100,000]				
Wisconsin				
Madison	34,845	4,601	13.2	45
Milwaukee	169,131	63,985	37.8	187
Wyoming				
[no cities over 100,000]				
Total cities shown	15,673,141	4,102,587	26.2	—

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	Total	Poor	Rate	Rank
Alabama				
Birmingham	13,699	1,650	12.0%	97
Huntsville	23,942	1,974	8.2	44
Mobile	23,986	2,499	10.4	71
Montgomery	23,402	1,418	6.1	25
Alaska				
Anchorage	50,510	3,608	7.1	33
Arizona				
Glendale	34,387	3,982	11.6	93
Mesa	71,261	7,354	10.3	67
Phoenix	194,775	28,779	14.8	125
Scottsdale	21,371	1,250	5.8	23
Tempe	24,788	2,169	8.8	51
Tucson	62,695	11,774	18.8	159
Arkansas				
Little Rock	21,413	1,540	7.2	34
California				
Anaheim	43,881	5,050	11.5	89
Bakersfield	34,988	4,208	12.0	97
Berkeley	7,763	515	6.6	30
Chula Vista	21,148	2,411	11.4	86
Citrus Heights	25,113	2,600	10.4	71
Concord	21,425	2,041	9.5	58
East Los Angeles	16,421	5,227	31.8	193
El Monte	21,530	7,139	33.2	195
Escondido	22,966	3,144	13.7	114
Fremont	29,572	1,433	4.8	14
Fresno	50,424	9,799	19.4	160
Fullerton	16,683	1,611	9.7	59
Garden Grove	21,898	1,765	8.1	43
Glendale	25,956	6,035	23.3	177
Hayward	14,238	2,104	14.8	125
Huntington Beach	30,163	1,334	4.4	8
Inglewood	4,403	900	20.4	165
Irvine	20,136	619	3.1	4
Long Beach	44,093	6,865	15.6	136
Los Angeles	362,290	71,758	19.8	162
Modesto	35,241	4,668	13.2	111
Moreno Valley	28,353	2,367	8.3	46
Oakland	16,923	1,952	11.5	89
Oceanside	21,656	2,162	10.0	62
Ontario	25,422	3,821	15.0	129
Orange	20,759	1,926	9.3	56
Oxnard	22,427	3,409	15.2	132
Pasadena	12,284	1,883	15.3	133
Pomona	21,563	5,171	24.0	180
Rancho Cucamonga	24,399	1,133	4.6	10

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California (cont'd)				
Riverside	41,622	4,239	10.2	66
Sacramento	44,320	8,028	18.1	153
Salinas	15,682	2,086	13.3	112
San Bernardino	26,208	6,740	25.7	186
San Diego	134,240	15,323	11.4	86
San Francisco	39,988	4,186	10.5	75
San Jose	113,899	9,303	8.2	44
Santa Ana	55,146	12,146	22.0	173
Santa Clarita	26,232	855	3.3	5
Santa Rosa	22,332	2,053	9.2	55
Simi Valley	24,170	879	3.6	6
Stockton	30,210	6,100	20.2	163
Sunnyvale	13,711	535	3.9	7
Thousand Oaks	22,836	1,001	4.4	8
Torrance	17,435	891	5.1	18
Vallejo	11,866	1,292	10.9	83
Colorado				
Aurora	47,059	3,201	6.8	31
Colorado Springs	61,147	7,402	12.1	101
Denver	59,063	11,011	18.6	158
Lakewood	25,344	2,566	10.1	64
Connecticut				
Bridgeport	16,552	4,054	24.5	181
Hartford	9,092	2,983	32.8	194
New Haven	10,194	1,847	18.1	153
Stamford	14,357	660	4.6	10
Waterbury	17,565	2,143	12.2	103
Delaware				
[no cities of 100,000 or more]				
District of Columbia				
Washington, D.C.	16,433	799	4.9	15
Florida				
Fort Lauderdale	12,105	1,306	10.8	80
Hialeah	38,346	9,453	24.7	182
Hollywood	18,329	1,937	10.6	77
Jacksonville	105,454	9,460	9.0	53
Miami	41,689	13,895	33.3	196
Orlando	17,193	1,728	10.1	64
St. Petersburg	28,947	3,113	10.8	80
Tallahassee	13,198	906	6.9	32
Tampa	35,815	5,602	15.6	136
Georgia				
Atlanta	13,819	1,352	9.8	60
Columbus	23,368	2,916	12.5	105
Macon	9,131	1,161	12.7	108
Savannah	12,301	1,407	11.4	86

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Hawaii				
Honolulu	15,316	962	6.3	28
Idaho				
Boise City	30,467	3,605	11.8	95
Illinois				
Chicago	228,800	38,249	16.7	144
Peoria	18,082	2,713	15.0	129
Rockford	25,310	3,066	12.1	101
Springfield	19,704	2,059	10.4	71
Indiana				
Evansville	24,285	4,127	17.0	147
Fort Wayne	31,880	3,304	10.4	71
Gary	3,781	1,001	26.5	189
Indianapolis	128,286	14,773	11.5	89
South Bend	17,759	1,823	10.3	67
Iowa				
Cedar Rapids	24,114	2,558	10.6	77
Des Moines	38,831	6,261	16.1	140
Kansas				
Kansas City	23,558	3,895	16.5	142
Overland Park	25,919	685	2.6	2
Topeka	22,715	2,860	12.6	106
Wichita	60,124	6,641	11.0	84
Kentucky				
Lexington-Fayette	39,556	4,757	12.0	97
Louisville	36,233	7,565	20.9	170
Louisiana				
Baton Rouge	21,332	1,787	8.4	48
Metairie	27,930	2,398	8.6	49
New Orleans	26,293	2,714	10.3	67
Shreveport	23,033	1,910	8.3	46
Maine				
[no cities of 100,000 or more]				
Maryland				
Baltimore	50,304	8,499	16.9	145
Massachusetts				
Boston	45,346	8,213	18.1	153
Lowell	18,614	3,403	18.3	157
Springfield	23,314	4,840	20.8	169
Worcester	29,042	5,047	17.4	149
Michigan				
Ann Arbor	14,077	692	4.9	15
Detroit	44,071	15,736	35.7	199
Flint	16,400	5,674	34.6	198
Grand Rapids	34,426	4,798	13.9	117
Lansing	21,955	4,527	20.6	166
Livonia	22,464	636	2.8	3
Sterling Heights	29,056	1,434	4.9	15
Warren	28,937	3,127	10.8	80

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Mississippi				
Jackson	16,343	1,202	7.4	36
Missouri				
Independence	25,098	3,589	14.3	120
Kansas City	59,987	5,982	10.0	62
Springfield	26,716	5,268	19.7	161
St. Louis	36,080	6,470	17.9	152
Montana				
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Nebraska				
Lincoln	41,318	3,672	8.9	52
Omaha	64,851	6,898	10.6	77
Nevada				
Las Vegas	44,950	4,959	11.0	84
Paradise	17,024	1,690	9.9	61
Reno	21,769	2,771	12.7	108
New Hampshire				
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New Jersey				
Elizabeth	15,381	2,726	17.7	151
Jersey City	19,958	5,108	25.6	185
Newark	17,449	4,836	27.7	190
Paterson	13,827	3,069	22.2	175
New Mexico				
Albuquerque	68,486	10,129	14.8	125
New York				
Albany	10,285	1,558	15.1	131
Buffalo	41,785	10,571	25.3	184
New York	664,876	134,049	20.2	163
Rochester	25,584	6,441	25.2	183
Syracuse	21,413	4,726	22.1	174
Yonkers	25,301	3,040	12.0	97
North Carolina				
Charlotte	52,340	2,696	5.2	19
Durham	11,722	648	5.5	21
Greensboro	21,657	1,320	6.1	25
Raleigh	24,083	1,136	4.7	13
Winston-Salem	14,088	1,072	7.6	38
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Akron	34,671	7,452	21.5	171
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Portland	72,983	10,641	14.6	124
Salem	22,247	3,763	16.9	145
Pennsylvania				
Allentown	16,941	2,139	12.6	106
Erie	20,893	4,539	21.7	172
Philadelphia	159,300	22,120	13.9	117
Pittsburgh	43,342	7,195	16.6	143
Rhode Island				
Providence	20,434	5,297	25.9	187
South Carolina				
[no cities of 100,000 or more]				
South Dakota				
Sioux Falls	24,318	1,931	7.9	40
Tennessee				
Chattanooga	18,033	2,589	14.4	121
Knoxville	23,873	5,561	23.3	177
Memphis	47,543	4,332	9.1	54
Nashville-Davidson	71,113	7,494	10.5	75
Texas				
Abilene	21,791	2,991	13.7	114
Amarillo	33,405	5,724	17.1	148
Arlington	54,851	3,413	6.2	27
Austin	63,755	7,877	12.4	104
Beaumont	13,156	1,228	9.3	56
Corpus Christi	54,762	12,408	22.7	176
Dallas	100,417	13,761	13.7	114
El Paso	120,776	40,313	33.4	197
Fort Worth	62,483	9,054	14.5	123
Garland	40,176	2,404	6.0	24
Houston	180,385	32,607	18.1	153
Irving	26,864	3,082	11.5	89
Laredo	30,079	13,192	43.9	200
Lubbock	32,624	4,713	14.4	121
Mesquite	25,769	2,222	8.6	49
Pasadena	27,883	4,462	16.0	139
Plano	33,948	794	2.3	1
San Antonio	180,879	50,822	28.1	191
Waco	13,038	3,120	23.9	179
Utah				
Salt Lake City	32,301	5,136	15.9	138
Vermont				
[no cities of 100,000 or more]				

**White persons younger than 18:
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	Total	Poor	Rate	Rank
Virginia				
Alexandria	8,818	402	4.6	10
Arlington	16,790	944	5.6	22
Chesapeake	28,741	1,844	6.4	29
Hampton	17,686	1,411	8.0	42
Newport News	25,353	1,959	7.7	39
Norfolk	26,641	3,082	11.6	93
Portsmouth	11,290	895	7.9	40
Richmond	9,601	988	10.3	67
Virginia Beach	82,951	4,510	5.4	20
Washington				
Seattle	49,530	3,646	7.4	36
Spokane	38,352	7,921	20.7	168
Tacoma	30,846	5,037	16.3	141
West Virginia				
[no cities of 100,000 or more]				
Wisconsin				
Madison	29,431	2,136	7.3	35
Milwaukee	76,565	11,801	15.4	135
Wyoming				
[no cities of 100,000 or more]				
Total cities shown	8,312,517	1,261,649	15.2	—

**Black persons younger than 18:
Number poor and poverty rate, 1989
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	Total	Poor	Rate	Rank	Ratio to White Rate
Alabama					
Birmingham	51,923	22,024	42.4%	116	3.53
Huntsville	11,651	4,274	36.7	78	4.48
Mobile	26,175	14,296	54.6	181	5.25
Montgomery	27,299	11,724	42.9	117	7.03
Alaska					
Anchorage	5,012	841	16.8	11	2.37
Arizona					
Glendale	1,442	288	20.0	21	1.72
Mesa	1,629	343	21.1	26	2.05
Phoenix	17,839	7,121	39.9	94	2.70
Scottsdale	339	89	26.3	38	4.53
Tempe	1,413	499	35.3	71	4.01
Tucson	5,231	1,884	36.0	74	1.91
Arkansas					
Little Rock	21,001	7,704	36.7	78	5.10
California					
Anaheim	1,905	377	19.8	20	1.72
Bakersfield	6,331	2,979	47.1	142	3.93
Berkeley	4,104	1,280	31.2	54	4.73
Chico Vista	1,876	459	25.0	36	2.19
Citrus Heights	799	258	32.3	61	3.11
Concord	683	139	20.4	23	2.15
East Los Angeles	123	31	25.2	37	0.79
El Monte	240	65	27.1	40	0.82
Escondido	390	106	27.2	41	1.99
Fremont	2,068	292	14.1	9	2.94
Fresno	10,515	5,017	47.7	147	2.46
Fullerton	589	72	12.2	5	1.26
Garden Grove	735	236	32.1	60	3.96
Glendale	499	104	20.8	24	0.89
Hayward	3,414	734	21.5	27	1.45
Huntington Beach	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Inglewood	15,542	2,744	17.7	13	0.87
Irvine	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Long Beach	20,005	6,608	33.0	62	2.12
Los Angeles	126,825	48,467	38.2	85	1.93
Modesto	1,770	745	42.1	113	3.19
Moreno Valley	6,347	950	15.0	10	1.81
Oakland	47,222	17,191	36.4	77	3.17
Oceanside	3,555	698	19.6	18	1.96
Ontario	3,464	758	21.9	29	1.46
Orange	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Oxnard	2,289	406	17.7	13	1.16
Pasadena	6,849	2,069	30.2	49	1.97

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	Total	Poor	Rate	Rank	Ratio to White Rate
California (cont'd)					
Pomona	6,506	1,505	23.1	32	0.96
Rancho Cucamonga	2,058	146	7.1	1	1.54
Riverside	5,329	1,665	31.2	54	3.06
Sacramento	19,331	7,553	39.1	88	2.16
Salinas	1,077	243	22.6	31	1.70
San Bernardino	9,532	4,709	49.4	159	1.92
San Diego	31,431	10,539	33.5	63	2.94
San Francisco	18,862	7,672	40.7	99	3.88
San Jose	10,438	1,981	19.0	17	2.32
Santa Ana	1,749	218	12.5	6	0.57
Santa Clarita	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Santa Rosa	675	86	12.7	7	1.38
Simi Valley	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Stockton	7,131	2,845	39.9	94	1.98
Sunnyvale	995	109	11.0	3	2.82
Thousand Oaks	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Torrance	397	52	13.1	8	2.57
Vallejo	7,813	1,536	19.7	19	1.81
Colorado					
Aurora	8,880	2,756	31.0	53	4.56
Colorado Springs	6,805	2,150	31.6	59	2.61
Denver	17,759	6,945	39.1	88	2.10
Lakewood	213	105	49.3	158	4.88
Connecticut					
Bridgeport	12,212	3,653	29.9	47	1.22
Hartford	16,362	6,139	37.5	83	1.14
New Haven	15,223	6,229	40.9	102	2.26
Stamford	5,899	1,439	24.4	34	5.30
Waterbury	4,434	1,530	34.5	69	2.83
Delaware					
[no cities of 100,000 or more]					
District of Columbia					
Washington, D.C.	90,465	26,339	29.1	45	5.94
Florida					
Fort Lauderdale	14,315	6,974	48.7	154	4.51
Hialeah	983	372	37.8	84	1.53
Hollywood	3,593	1,502	41.8	111	3.94
Jacksonville	52,429	20,010	38.2	85	4.24
Miami	32,739	19,111	58.4	189	1.75
Orlando	14,530	6,849	47.1	142	4.66
St. Petersburg	15,510	6,712	43.3	120	4.01
Tallahassee	9,872	4,023	40.8	101	5.91
Tampa	24,218	13,002	53.7	174	3.44
Georgia					
Atlanta	77,402	37,747	48.8	156	4.98
Columbus	22,650	10,213	45.1	133	3.61
Macon	18,458	8,837	47.9	148	3.77
Savannah	23,111	10,583	45.8	137	4.02

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Hawaii					
Honolulu	1,123	94	8.4	2	1.33
Idaho					
Boise City	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Illinois					
Chicago	335,642	158,691	47.3	144	2.83
Peoria	9,917	5,587	56.3	185	3.75
Rockford	7,950	3,828	48.2	151	3.98
Springfield	5,082	2,628	51.7	167	4.97
Indiana					
Evansville	4,008	2,016	50.3	163	2.96
Fort Wayne	11,006	3,773	34.3	66	3.30
Gary	31,261	14,064	45.0	132	1.70
Indianapolis	52,452	19,477	37.1	80	3.23
South Bend	8,016	3,754	46.8	141	4.54
Iowa					
Cedar Rapids	1,221	611	50.0	160	4.72
Des Moines	4,463	1,947	43.6	124	2.71
Kansas					
Kansas City	15,213	6,360	41.8	111	2.53
Overland Park	581	63	11.7	4	4.50
Topeka	4,160	1,888	45.4	135	3.60
Wichita	12,244	5,651	46.2	140	4.20
Kentucky					
Lexington-Fayette	9,249	4,374	47.3	144	3.94
Louisville	24,862	13,903	55.9	184	2.67
Louisiana					
Baton Rouge	31,474	17,114	54.4	179	6.48
Metairie	2,238	1,168	52.2	170	6.07
New Orleans	104,193	57,665	55.3	182	5.37
Shreveport	32,554	18,547	57.0	187	6.87
Maine					
[no cities of 100,000 or more]					
Maryland					
Baltimore	122,659	47,901	39.1	88	2.31
Massachusetts					
Boston	43,422	14,664	33.8	65	1.87
Lowell	745	308	41.3	109	2.26
Springfield	10,350	3,850	37.2	82	1.79
Worcester	2,770	1,196	43.2	119	2.48
Michigan					
Ann Arbor	2,489	520	20.9	25	4.27
Detroit	242,620	117,796	48.6	152	1.36
Flint	24,569	12,587	51.2	166	1.48
Grand Rapids	13,177	5,770	43.8	125	3.15
Lansing	8,885	3,899	43.9	126	2.13
Livonia	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Sterling Heights	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Warren	196	98	50.0	160	4.63

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Minnesota					
Minneapolis	18,334	9,874	53.9	175	4.18
St. Paul	7,521	4,077	54.2	178	4.59
Mississippi					
Jackson	36,624	15,878	43.4	121	5.86
Missouri					
Independence	574	243	42.3	115	2.96
Kansas City	40,805	16,846	41.3	109	4.13
Springfield	880	319	36.3	76	1.84
St. Louis	59,958	31,785	53.0	171	2.96
Montana					
[no cities of 100,000 or more]					
Nebraska					
Lincoln	1,414	622	44.0	128	4.94
Omaha	15,834	7,734	48.8	156	4.60
Nevada					
Las Vegas	9,517	3,366	35.4	72	3.22
Paradise	1,129	346	30.6	51	3.09
Reno	1,078	376	34.9	70	2.75
New Hampshire					
[no cities of 100,000 or more]					
New Jersey					
Elizabeth	6,671	2,860	42.9	117	2.42
Jersey City	20,694	7,442	36.0	74	1.41
Newark	46,589	18,308	39.3	91	1.42
Paterson	15,928	4,678	29.4	46	1.32
New Mexico					
Albuquerque	3,592	1,129	31.4	58	2.12
New York					
Albany	6,749	2,761	40.9	102	2.71
Buffalo	31,283	16,623	53.1	173	2.10
New York	587,657	201,876	34.4	68	1.70
Rochester	27,074	12,956	47.9	148	1.90
Syracuse	12,269	6,241	50.9	165	2.30
Yonkers	8,473	3,488	41.2	107	3.43
North Carolina					
Charlotte	39,589	12,067	30.5	50	5.87
Durham	17,237	5,380	31.2	54	5.67
Greensboro	16,224	4,585	28.3	44	4.64
Raleigh	14,203	4,262	30.0	48	6.38
Winston-Salem	16,096	5,977	37.1	80	4.88
North Dakota					
[no cities of 100,000 or more]					
Ohio					
Akron	17,597	8,815	50.1	162	2.33
Cincinnati	45,298	24,402	53.9	175	2.62
Cleveland	72,203	38,925	53.9	175	1.92
Columbus	45,019	19,573	43.5	123	2.84
Dayton	23,203	12,842	55.3	182	2.14
Toledo	22,732	11,777	51.8	168	2.94

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Oklahoma					
Oklahoma City	24,279	10,528	43.4	121	2.91
Tulsa	16,686	8,112	48.6	152	3.50
Oregon					
Eugene	376	103	27.4	43	2.04
Portland	10,979	4,324	39.4	92	2.70
Salem	333	160	48.0	150	2.84
Pennsylvania					
Allentown	1,882	827	43.9	126	3.48
Erie	5,262	3,265	62.0	190	2.86
Philadelphia	176,382	71,402	40.5	98	2.91
Pittsburgh	27,408	15,604	56.9	186	3.43
Rhode Island					
Providence	8,290	3,402	41.0	104	1.58
South Carolina					
[no cities of 100,000 or more]					
South Dakota					
Sioux Falls	375	148	39.5	93	5.00
Tennessee					
Chattanooga	16,012	7,098	44.3	130	3.08
Knoxville	7,656	3,872	50.6	152	2.17
Memphis	111,640	51,401	46.0	178	5.05
Nashville-Davidson	35,453	14,219	40.1	96	3.82
Texas					
Abilene	2,542	794	31.2	54	2.28
Amarillo	3,183	1,687	53.0	171	3.10
Arlington	7,631	1,688	22.1	30	3.56
Austin	17,562	6,015	34.3	66	2.77
Beaumont	15,935	7,555	47.4	146	5.10
Corpus Christi	3,748	1,725	46.0	138	2.03
Dallas	93,174	36,144	38.8	87	2.83
El Paso	5,436	1,279	23.5	33	0.70
Fort Worth	31,149	12,832	41.2	107	2.84
Garland	6,031	1,481	24.6	35	4.10
Houston	139,825	56,949	40.7	99	2.25
Irving	3,517	765	21.8	28	1.90
Laredo	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Lubbock	5,200	2,532	48.7	154	3.38
Mesquite	2,370	728	30.7	52	3.57
Pasadena	282	113	40.1	96	2.51
Plano	1,875	347	18.5	15	8.04
San Antonio	18,968	7,792	41.1	106	1.46
Waco	8,438	4,600	54.5	180	2.28
Utah					
Salt Lake City	790	409	51.8	168	3.26
Vermont					
[no cities of 100,000 or more]					

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Virginia					
Alexandria	5,698	1,158	20.3	22	4.41
Arlington	3,587	621	17.3	12	3.09
Chesapeake	13,545	3,702	27.3	42	4.27
Hampton	14,073	3,796	27.0	39	3.38
Newport News	18,667	7,651	41.0	104	5.32
Norfolk	29,480	13,299	45.1	133	3.89
Portsmouth	15,284	6,427	42.1	113	5.33
Richmond	31,283	13,787	44.1	129	4.28
Virginia Beach	18,043	3,378	18.7	16	3.46
Washington					
Seattle	14,991	5,041	33.6	64	4.54
Spokane	1,204	550	45.7	136	2.21
Tacoma	6,791	2,412	35.5	73	2.18
West Virginia					
[no cities of 100,000 or more]					
Wisconsin					
Madison	2,995	1,334	44.5	131	6.10
Milwaukee	76,650	44,066	57.5	188	3.73
Wyoming					
[no cities of 100,000 or more]					
Total cities shown	3,784,905	1,592,516	42.1	—	2.74

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	Total	Poor	Rate	Rank	Ratio to White Rate
Alabama					
Birmingham	247	40	16.2%	34	1.35
Huntsville	704	53	7.5	6	0.91
Mobile	616	148	24.0	81	2.31
Montgomery	446	134	30.0	116	4.92
Alaska					
Anchorage	3,504	482	13.8	23	1.94
Arizona					
Glendale	8,826	2,720	30.8	123	2.66
Mesa	12,079	2,922	24.2	86	2.35
Phoenix	75,206	27,367	36.4	149	2.46
Scottsdale	1,741	393	22.6	70	3.90
Tempe	4,644	901	19.4	53	2.20
Tucson	41,453	15,612	37.7	156	2.01
Arkansas					
Little Rock	445	127	28.5	110	3.96
California					
Anaheim	27,383	6,572	24.0	81	2.09
Bakersfield	14,138	4,723	33.4	135	2.78
Berkeley	1,596	258	16.2	34	2.45
Costa Mesa	16,912	3,267	19.3	50	1.69
Citrus Heights	2,553	389	15.2	30	1.46
Concord	4,029	579	14.4	24	1.52
East Los Angeles	42,498	12,837	31.7	128	1.00
El Monte	28,565	8,973	31.4	124	0.95
Escondido	9,255	2,955	31.9	129	2.33
Fremont	6,592	413	6.3	3	1.31
Fresno	40,090	16,833	42.0	169	2.16
Fullerton	7,417	1,787	24.1	85	2.48
Garden Grove	11,058	2,255	20.4	59	2.52
Glendale	10,074	2,074	20.6	61	0.88
Hayward	8,490	1,376	16.2	34	1.09
Huntington Beach	5,223	817	15.6	33	3.55
Inglewood	15,421	4,223	27.4	104	1.34
Irvine	1,729	87	5.0	1	1.61
Long Beach	36,195	12,096	33.4	135	2.14
Los Angeles	454,200	158,067	34.8	144	1.76
Modesto	10,530	2,633	25.0	92	1.89
Moreno Valley	11,090	1,670	15.1	28	1.82
Oakland	16,156	4,364	27.0	101	2.35
Oceanside	10,305	2,406	23.3	78	2.33
Ontario	20,854	4,921	23.6	80	1.57
Orange	7,429	1,716	23.1	74	2.48
Oxnard	28,489	5,987	21.0	62	1.38
Pasadena	11,253	3,605	32.0	131	2.09

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California (cont'd)					
Pomona	25,733	7,328	28.5	110	1.19
Rancho Cucamonga	7,314	996	13.6	22	2.96
Riverside	21,735	4,372	20.1	56	1.97
Sacramento	20,917	6,584	31.5	125	1.74
Salinas	21,679	6,454	29.8	115	2.24
San Bernardino	21,873	8,109	37.1	153	1.44
San Diego	75,641	24,545	32.4	132	2.84
San Francisco	22,633	4,581	20.2	57	1.92
San Jose	68,151	13,452	19.7	55	2.40
Santa Ana	64,031	15,515	24.2	86	1.10
Santa Clarita	4,859	382	7.9	7	2.39
Santa Rosa	3,616	735	20.3	58	2.21
Simi Valley	3,868	243	6.3	3	1.75
Stockton	18,235	5,755	31.6	126	1.56
Sunnyvale	4,130	388	9.4	10	2.41
Thousand Oaks	2,872	437	15.2	30	3.45
Torrance	3,263	486	14.9	26	2.92
Vallejo	3,863	523	13.5	21	1.24
Colorado					
Aurora	4,772	578	12.1	17	1.78
Colorado Springs	8,495	2,450	28.8	113	2.38
Denver	37,262	15,194	40.8	166	2.19
Lakewood	3,395	697	20.5	60	2.03
Connecticut					
Bridgeport	13,453	5,913	44.0	176	1.80
Hartford	17,207	10,608	61.6	194	1.88
New Haven	6,195	3,052	49.3	187	2.72
Stamford	2,524	385	15.3	32	3.33
Waterbury	5,491	2,603	47.4	182	3.89
Delaware					
[no cities over 100,000]					
District of Columbia					
Washington, D.C.	6,376	1,677	26.3	98	5.37
Florida					
Fort Lauderdale	2,120	515	24.3	88	2.25
Hialeah	34,944	9,138	26.2	97	1.06
Hollywood	3,652	686	18.8	48	1.77
Jacksonville	4,628	845	18.3	46	2.03
Miami	40,323	14,992	37.2	154	1.12
Orlando	3,714	1,029	27.7	105	2.74
St. Petersburg	1,338	178	13.3	19	1.23
Tallahassee	565	194	34.3	142	4.97
Tampa	8,723	2,504	28.7	112	1.84
Georgia					
Atlanta	1,747	735	42.1	170	4.30
Columbus	1,791	314	17.5	41	1.40
Macon	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Savannah	571	132	23.1	74	2.03

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	Total	Poor	Rate	Rank	Ratio to White Rate
Hawaii					
Honolulu	4,510	799	17.7	42	2.81
Idaho					
Boise City	1,188	228	19.2	49	1.63
Illinois					
Chicago	196,220	60,031	30.6	121	1.83
Peoria	667	246	36.9	151	2.46
Rockford	2,145	475	22.1	67	1.83
Springfield	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Indiana					
Evansville	174	31	17.8	43	1.05
Fort Wayne	1,742	191	11.0	14	1.06
Gary	2,176	868	39.9	163	1.51
Indianapolis	2,470	360	14.6	25	1.27
South Bend	1,446	444	30.7	122	2.98
Iowa					
Cedar Rapids	431	121	28.1	107	2.65
Des Moines	1,771	394	22.2	69	1.38
Kansas					
Kansas City	4,048	941	23.2	77	1.41
Overland Park	663	37	5.6	2	2.15
Topeka	2,435	516	21.2	63	1.68
Wichita	5,784	1,386	24.0	81	2.18
Kentucky					
Lexington-Fayette	513	179	34.9	145	2.91
Louisville	517	181	35.0	146	1.67
Louisiana					
Baton Rouge	662	89	13.4	20	1.60
Metairie	2,147	389	18.1	45	2.10
New Orleans	3,499	1,285	36.7	150	3.56
Shreveport	659	163	24.7	89	2.98
Maine					
[no cities over 100,000]					
Maryland					
Baltimore	1,793	447	24.9	91	1.47
Massachusetts					
Boston	18,381	8,375	45.6	179	2.52
Lowell	4,361	2,714	62.2	195	3.40
Springfield	11,237	7,514	66.9	197	3.22
Worcester	6,822	4,012	58.8	193	3.38
Michigan					
Ann Arbor	520	63	12.1	17	2.47
Detroit	10,165	4,691	46.1	181	1.29
Flint	1,565	671	42.9	173	1.24
Grand Rapids	3,600	1,471	40.9	167	2.94
Lansing	4,223	1,496	35.4	148	1.72
Livonia	360	42	11.7	15	4.18
Sterling Heights	360	31	8.6	9	1.76
Warren	330	85	25.8	94	2.39

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Minnesota					
Minneapolis	2,482	1,007	40.6	165	3.15
St. Paul	4,248	1,284	30.2	117	2.56
Mississippi					
Jackson	142	56	39.4	162	5.32
Missouri					
Independence	685	173	25.3	93	1.77
Kansas City	5,630	1,231	21.9	66	2.19
Springfield	374	101	27.0	101	1.37
St. Louis	1,327	433	32.6	133	1.82
Montana					
[no cities over 100,000]					
Nebraska					
Lincoln	1,030	267	25.9	95	2.91
Omaha	3,572	831	23.3	78	2.20
Nevada					
Las Vegas	10,174	2,522	24.8	90	2.25
Paradise	2,841	466	16.4	37	1.66
Reno	4,354	1,138	26.1	96	2.06
New Hampshire					
[no cities over 100,000]					
New Jersey					
Elizabeth	11,920	3,245	27.2	103	1.54
Jersey City	16,681	6,258	37.5	155	1.46
Newark	22,739	9,962	43.8	174	1.58
Paterson	19,161	5,519	28.8	113	1.30
New Mexico					
Albuquerque	41,284	11,626	28.2	108	1.91
New York					
Albany	867	421	48.6	186	3.22
Buffalo	6,185	3,870	62.6	196	2.47
New York	521,691	238,169	45.7	180	2.26
Rochester	8,027	4,657	58.0	192	2.30
Syracuse	1,717	919	53.5	190	2.42
Yonkers	10,373	3,512	33.9	139	2.83
North Carolina					
Charlotte	1,208	82	6.8	5	1.31
Durham	377	30	8.0	8	1.45
Greensboro	363	84	23.1	74	3.79
Raleigh	616	119	19.3	50	4.11
Winston-Salem	304	146	48.0	184	6.32
North Dakota					
[no cities over 100,000]					
Ohio					
Akron	476	161	33.8	138	1.57
Cincinnati	641	217	33.9	139	1.65
Cleveland	8,784	4,344	49.5	188	1.76
Columbus	1,488	274	18.4	47	1.20

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Ohio (cont'd)					
Dayton	335	65	19.4	53	0.75
Toledo	5,117	2,314	45.2	177	2.57
Oklahoma					
Oklahoma City	8,762	3,403	38.8	161	2.60
Tulsa	3,224	975	30.2	117	2.17
Oregon					
Eugene	954	211	22.1	67	1.65
Portland	4,252	1,288	30.3	119	2.08
Salem	2,280	1,037	45.5	178	2.69
Pennsylvania					
Allentown	5,217	2,686	51.5	189	4.09
Erie	1,186	813	68.5	198	3.16
Philadelphia	31,443	17,803	56.6	191	4.07
Pittsburgh	816	216	26.5	100	1.60
Rhode Island					
Providence	8,966	4,316	48.1	185	1.86
South Carolina [no cities over 100,000]					
South Dakota					
Sioux Falls	312	71	22.8	70	2.89
Tennessee					
Chattanooga	202	34	16.8	40	1.17
Knoxville	225	83	36.9	151	1.58
Memphis	1,176	401	34.1	141	3.75
Nashville-Davidson	1,157	247	21.3	64	2.03
Texas					
Abilene	6,307	2,403	38.1	158	2.78
Amarillo	9,356	3,578	38.2	159	2.23
Arlington	7,586	1,714	22.6	70	3.65
Austin	34,510	11,941	34.6	143	2.79
Beaumont	1,774	585	33.0	134	3.55
Corpus Christi	45,151	15,812	35.0	146	1.54
Dallas	73,941	24,726	33.4	135	2.44
El Paso	125,567	51,446	41.0	168	1.23
Fort Worth	32,356	10,335	31.9	129	2.20
Garland	7,931	2,205	27.8	106	4.63
Houston	157,869	59,871	37.9	157	2.09
Irving	8,187	2,164	26.4	99	2.30
Laredo	42,103	19,945	47.4	182	1.08
Lubbock	15,955	6,126	38.4	160	2.67
Mesquite	3,233	323	10.0	11	1.16
Pasadena	13,543	3,824	28.2	108	1.76
Plano	2,687	443	16.5	38	7.17
San Antonio	178,931	71,996	40.2	164	1.43
Waco	6,412	2,711	42.3	171	1.77
Utah					
Salt Lake City	5,544	2,348	42.4	172	2.67

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Vermont					
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Virginia					
Alexandria	2,350	281	12.0	16	2.61
Arlington	5,215	785	15.1	28	2.70
Chesapeake	457	49	10.7	12	1.67
Hampton	867	129	14.9	26	1.86
Newport News	1,448	240	16.6	39	2.16
Norfolk	1,735	334	19.3	50	1.66
Portsmouth	512	116	22.7	72	2.87
Richmond	421	75	17.8	43	1.73
Virginia Beach	3,925	429	10.9	13	2.02
Washington					
Seattle	4,510	1,083	24.0	81	3.24
Spokane	956	302	31.6	126	1.53
Tacoma	2,344	713	30.4	120	1.87
West Virginia					
[no cities over 100,000]					
Wisconsin					
Madison	1,002	216	21.6	65	2.96
Milwaukee	16,260	7,133	43.9	175	2.85
Wyoming					
[no cities over 100,000]					
Total, cities shown	3,519,048	1,240,520	35.3	—	2.32

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	Total	Poor	Rate	Total	Poor	Rate
Alabama						
Birmingham	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Huntsville	898	90	10.0	n/a	n/a	n/a
Mobile	460	168	36.5	249	30	12.0
Montgomery	524	129	24.6	n/a	n/a	n/a
Alaska						
Anchorage	3,521	325	9.2	5,026	1,276	25.4
Arizona						
Glendale	879	118	13.4	483	185	38.3
Mesa	1,293	124	9.6	945	121	12.8
Phoenix	4,453	737	16.6	6,509	2,449	37.6
Scottsdale	n/a	n/a	n/a	219	49	22.4
Tempe	1,181	201	17.0	736	116	15.8
Tucson	2,097	577	27.5	1,959	840	42.9
Arkansas						
Little Rock	366	63	17.2	n/a	n/a	n/a
California						
Anaheim	7,245	975	13.5	n/a	n/a	n/a
Bakersfield	2,035	478	23.5	438	113	25.8
Berkeley	1,575	207	13.1	n/a	n/a	n/a
Chula Vista	3,079	263	8.5	253	46	18.2
Citrus Heights	n/a	n/a	n/a	251	33	13.1
Concord	2,840	287	10.1	n/a	n/a	n/a
East Los Angeles	164	67	40.9	n/a	n/a	n/a
El Monte	3,358	930	27.7	130	60	46.2
Escondido	1,075	172	16.0	402	157	39.1
Fremont	9,645	297	3.1	n/a	n/a	n/a
Fresno	21,543	13,457	62.5	1,175	429	36.5
Fullerton	3,872	429	11.1	n/a	n/a	n/a
Garden Grove	8,627	2,051	23.8	231	43	18.6
Glendale	6,593	807	12.2	100	34	34.0
Hayward	4,802	472	9.8	356	57	16.0
Huntington Beach	3,994	655	16.4	373	40	10.7
Inglewood	722	143	19.8	n/a	n/a	n/a
Irvine	5,359	401	7.5	n/a	n/a	n/a
Long Beach	20,485	7,590	37.1	569	159	27.9
Los Angeles	74,448	13,219	17.8	3,248	895	27.6
Modesto	5,912	2,782	47.1	421	152	36.1
Moreno Valley	2,797	556	19.9	n/a	n/a	n/a
Oakland	15,850	5,465	34.5	605	163	26.9
Oceanside	2,252	368	16.3	153	34	22.2
Ontario	1,765	301	17.1	340	98	28.8
Orange	2,416	318	13.2	n/a	n/a	n/a
Oxnard	3,335	169	5.1	495	63	12.7
Pasadena	2,038	86	4.2	161	88	54.7
Pomona	3,066	852	27.8	n/a	n/a	n/a

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California (cont'd)						
Rancho Cucamonga	1,699	160	9.4	n/a	n/a	n/a
Riverside	2,736	758	27.7	648	142	21.9
Sacramento	18,793	7,493	39.9	1,441	490	34.0
Salinas	2,404	302	12.6	366	48	13.1
San Bernardino	2,473	1,240	50.1	684	267	39.0
San Diego	39,910	7,597	19.0	1,665	297	17.8
San Francisco	44,054	6,914	15.7	613	82	13.4
San Jose	44,150	7,436	16.8	1,495	386	25.8
Santa Ana	8,741	2,562	29.3	340	45	13.2
Santa Clarita	1,341	41	3.1	n/a	n/a	n/a
Santa Rosa	1,247	391	31.4	379	186	49.1
Simi Valley	1,612	41	2.5	n/a	n/a	n/a
Stockton	20,976	10,056	47.9	744	354	47.6
Sunnyvale	5,300	491	9.3	n/a	n/a	n/a
Thousand Oaks	1,536	82	5.3	n/a	n/a	n/a
Torrance	7,899	674	8.5	n/a	n/a	n/a
Vallejo	8,220	466	5.7	253	48	19.0
Colorado						
Aurora	2,353	244	10.4	420	49	11.7
Colorado Springs	1,937	399	20.6	603	195	32.3
Denver	2,885	949	32.9	1,327	635	49.4
Lafayette	874	100	11.4	224	34	15.2
Connecticut						
Bridgeport	860	99	11.5	87	47	54.0
Hartford	461	138	29.9	133	65	48.9
New Haven	411	54	13.1	n/a	n/a	n/a
Stamford	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Waterbury	242	55	22.7	n/a	n/a	n/a
Delaware						
[no cities over 100,000]						
District of Columbia						
Washington, D.C.	1,447	232	16.0	154	55	35.7
Florida						
Fort Lauderdale	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Hialeah	243	32	13.2	n/a	n/a	n/a
Hollywood	373	66	17.7	n/a	n/a	n/a
Jacksonville	3,654	391	10.7	603	138	22.9
Miami	408	123	30.1	101	46	45.5
Orlando	600	92	15.3	n/a	n/a	n/a
St. Petersburg	1,304	400	30.7	200	49	24.5
Tallahassee	424	94	22.2	n/a	n/a	n/a
Tampa	1,014	170	16.8	200	106	53.0
Georgia						
Atlanta	657	260	39.6	n/a	n/a	n/a
Columbus	735	105	14.3	n/a	n/a	n/a
Macon	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Savannah	456	56	12.3	n/a	n/a	n/a

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Hawaii						
Honolulu	50,755	6,619	13.0	303	73	24.1
Idaho						
Boise City	398	37	9.3	250	45	18.0
Illinois						
Chicago	24,295	4,815	19.8	1,737	532	30.6
Peoria	533	81	15.2	n/a	n/a	n/a
Rockford	908	49	5.4	126	42	33.3
Springfield	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Evansville	n/a	n/a	n/a	72	37	51.4
Fort Wayne	483	56	11.6	166	46	27.7
Gary	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Indianapolis	1,841	161	8.7	408	149	36.5
South Bend	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Iowa						
Cedar Rapids	288	59	20.5	68	37	54.4
Des Moines	1,659	456	27.5	207	46	22.2
Kansas						
Kansas City	753	304	40.4	389	116	29.8
Overland Park	614	40	6.5	n/a	n/a	n/a
Topeka	336	82	24.4	430	170	39.5
Wichita	2,602	817	31.4	1,278	346	27.1
Kentucky						
Lexington-Fayette	845	186	22.0	94	27	39.4
Louisville	476	286	60.1	189	78	41.3
Louisiana						
Baton Rouge	755	170	22.5	n/a	n/a	n/a
Metairie	758	97	12.8	n/a	n/a	n/a
New Orleans	3,512	1,750	49.8	184	60	32.6
Shreveport	170	70	41.2	n/a	n/a	n/a
Maine						
[no cities over 100,000]						
Maryland						
Baltimore	1,441	280	19.4	758	365	48.2
Massachusetts						
Boston	6,406	2,142	33.4	526	273	51.9
Lowell	4,894	2,485	50.8	n/a	n/a	n/a
Springfield	373	158	42.4	n/a	n/a	n/a
Worcester	1,290	506	39.2	240	144	60.0
Michigan						
Ann Arbor	1,619	313	19.3	n/a	n/a	n/a
Detroit	2,664	1,069	40.1	1,014	644	63.5
Flint	256	47	18.4	249	160	64.3
Grand Rapids	692	170	24.6	539	197	36.5
Lansing	792	389	49.1	541	181	33.5
Livonia	444	38	8.6	n/a	n/a	n/a
Sterling Heights	1,097	60	5.5	n/a	n/a	n/a
Warren	581	56	9.6	206	66	32.0

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Minnesota						
Minneapolis	6,112	3,411	55.8	4,909	3,257	66.3
St. Paul	10,058	6,925	68.9	1,306	606	46.4
Mississippi						
Jackson	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Missouri						
Independence	265	83	31.3	n/a	n/a	n/a
Kansas City	1,214	360	29.7	574	158	27.5
Springfield	431	223	51.7	243	124	51.0
St. Louis	810	219	27.0	310	134	43.2
Montana						
[no cities over 100,000]						
Nebraska						
Lincoln	796	254	31.9	447	229	51.2
Omaha	1,075	180	16.7	803	521	64.9
Nevada						
Las Vegas	2,300	187	8.1	624	167	26.8
Paradise	957	186	19.4	n/a	n/a	n/a
Reno	1,398	186	13.3	470	65	13.8
New Hampshire						
[no cities over 100,000]						
New Jersey						
Elizabeth	547	51	9.3	n/a	n/a	n/a
Jersey City	6,668	818	12.3	n/a	n/a	n/a
Newark	657	169	25.7	176	111	64.8
Paterson	523	162	31.0	93	51	54.8
New Mexico						
Albuquerque	2,042	439	21.5	3,681	1,160	31.5
New York						
Albany	313	85	27.2	n/a	n/a	n/a
Buffalo	616	184	29.9	785	470	59.9
New York	115,079	21,577	18.7	5,979	1,884	31.5
Rochester	1,005	312	31.0	266	68	25.6
Syracuse	829	212	25.6	728	261	35.9
Yonkers	1,368	116	8.5	n/a	n/a	n/a
North Carolina						
Charlotte	2,125	276	13.0	424	81	19.1
Durham	528	31	5.9	94	30	31.9
Greensboro	866	131	15.1	n/a	n/a	n/a
Raleigh	1,262	396	31.4	n/a	n/a	n/a
Winston-Salem	266	54	20.3	n/a	n/a	n/a
North Dakota						
[no cities over 100,000]						
Ohio						
Akron	812	264	32.5	113	35	31.0
Cincinnati	860	192	22.3	97	34	35.1
Cleveland	1,355	403	29.7	352	89	25.3
Columbus	3,860	1,106	28.7	275	30	10.9
Dayton	262	98	37.4	n/a	n/a	n/a
Toledo	651	94	14.4	264	95	36.0

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Oklahoma						
Oklahoma City	3,066	504	16.4	6,134	1,791	29.2
Tulsa	1,506	179	11.9	5,302	1,760	33.2
Oregon						
Eugene	773	178	23.0	275	72	26.2
Portland	6,438	1,749	27.2	1,619	611	37.7
Salem	757	143	18.9	628	159	25.3
Pennsylvania						
Allentown	462	122	26.4	n/a	n/a	n/a
Erie	129	31	24.0	n/a	n/a	n/a
Philadelphia	12,353	4,620	37.4	686	201	29.3
Pittsburgh	1,030	426	41.4	n/a	n/a	n/a
Rhode Island						
Providence	3,556	1,728	48.6	535	306	57.2
South Carolina						
[no cities over 100,000]						
South Dakota						
Sioux Falls	340	59	17.4	439	290	66.1
Tennessee						
Chattanooga	465	41	8.8	184	41	22.3
Knoxville	325	55	16.9	136	56	41.2
Memphis	1,284	269	21.0	244	46	18.9
Nashville-Davidson	1,818	385	21.2	306	60	22.5
Texas						
Abilene	328	102	31.1	n/a	n/a	n/a
Amarillo	1,082	172	15.9	413	163	39.5
Arlington	3,119	537	17.2	308	32	10.4
Austin	2,433	509	20.9	433	49	11.3
Beaumont	490	208	42.4	n/a	n/a	n/a
Corpus Christi	696	99	14.2	275	104	37.8
Dallas	5,667	1,164	20.5	1,187	347	29.2
El Paso	1,826	277	15.2	714	159	22.3
Fort Worth	2,702	391	14.5	424	73	17.2
Garland	2,566	253	9.9	284	34	12.0
Houston	18,229	3,662	20.1	838	290	34.6
Irving	1,904	286	15.0	301	117	38.9
Laredo	123	34	27.6	n/a	n/a	n/a
Lubbock	429	124	28.9	133	62	46.6
Mesquite	937	76	8.1	n/a	n/a	n/a
Pasadena	577	57	9.9	n/a	n/a	n/a
Plano	1,624	72	4.4	n/a	n/a	n/a
San Antonio	2,511	443	17.6	918	409	44.6
Waco	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Utah						
Salt Lake City	2,315	955	41.3	1,026	536	52.2
Vermont						
[no cities over 100,000]						

**Asian American and Native American persons younger than 18:
Number poor and poverty rate, 1989
In the 200 cities with populations
over 100,000 in 1990
(cont'd)**

	—Asian American—			—Native American—		
	Total	Poor	Rate	Total	Poor	Rate
Virginia						
Alexandria	898	108	12.0	n/a	n/a	n/a
Arlington	2,279	350	15.4	n/a	n/a	n/a
Chesapeake	487	60	12.3	n/a	n/a	n/a
Hampton	725	79	10.9	104	38	36.5
Newport News	1,112	168	15.1	n/a	n/a	n/a
Norfolk	1,598	197	12.3	267	87	32.6
Portsmouth	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Richmond	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Virginia Beach	5,318	314	5.9	342	102	29.8
Washington						
Seattle	14,089	3,288	23.3	1,570	654	41.7
Spokane	1,091	356	32.6	1,130	505	44.7
Tacoma	4,684	2,236	47.7	1,159	459	39.6
West Virginia						
[no cities over 100,000]						
Wisconsin						
Madison	1,690	804	47.6	183	91	49.7
Milwaukee	4,749	2,664	56.1	2,194	897	40.9
Wyoming						
[no cities over 100,000]						
Total cities shown	779,947	178,276	22.9	86,138	29,811	34.4

**Eighty-nine counties with
higher child poverty rates in 1989
than the poorest city (Detroit)**

		Total younger than 18	Poor	Rate	Metrostatus
1	LA East Carroll	3,436	2,409	70.1%	Rural
2	SD Shannon	4,436	3,101	69.9	Rural
3	MS Holmes	7,627	5,192	68.1	Rural
4	TX Starr	15,904	10,822	68.0	Rural
5	MS Tunica	3,048	2,051	67.3	Rural
6	KY Owsley	1,326	853	64.3	Rural
7	WI Menominee	1,569	1,009	64.3	Rural
8	AR Lee	4,342	2,790	64.3	Rural
9	MS Issaquena	617	385	62.4	Rural
10	SD Ziebach	944	578	61.2	Rural
11	MS Humphreys	4,208	2,531	60.1	Rural
12	LA Tensas	2,254	1,346	59.7	Rural
13	TX Zavala	4,353	2,591	59.5	Rural
14	MS Sharkey	2,535	1,504	59.3	Rural
15	TX Presidio	2,118	1,244	58.7	Rural
16	AL Greene	3,350	1,954	58.3	Rural
17	TX Maverick	13,640	7,955	58.3	Rural
18	NE McPherson	161	93	57.8	Rural
19	LA Madison	4,256	2,458	57.8	Rural
20	AR Phillips	9,641	5,567	57.7	Rural
21	MS Coahoma	10,684	6,156	57.6	Rural
22	AL Wilcox	4,569	2,629	57.5	Rural
23	TX Willacy	6,454	3,713	57.5	Rural
24	TX Edwards	739	421	57.0	Rural
25	KY McCreary	4,723	2,679	56.7	Rural
26	SD Todd	3,766	2,127	56.5	Rural
27	TX Dimmit	3,779	2,128	56.3	Rural
28	KY Wolfe	1,843	1,017	55.2	Rural
29	TX Hudspeth	924	509	55.1	Rural
30	SD Jackson	984	542	55.1	Rural
31	MS Bolivar	14,005	7,685	54.9	Rural
32	AL Perry	4,021	2,197	54.6	Rural
33	AR Chicot	5,109	2,778	54.4	Rural
34	MS Sunflower	10,412	5,657	54.3	Rural
35	SD Buffalo	775	420	54.2	Rural
36	MS Jefferson	3,056	1,651	54.0	Rural
37	MS Tallahatchie	4,999	2,698	54.0	Rural
38	SD Dewey	2,194	1,180	53.8	Rural
39	MS Leflore	12,023	6,417	53.4	Rural
40	AL Lowndes	4,406	2,327	52.8	Rural
41	TX Hidalgo	139,258	73,426	52.7	Metropolitan
42	TX Zapata	3,246	1,709	52.6	Rural
43	MS Yazoo	8,250	4,333	52.5	Rural
44	MS Noxubee	4,182	2,194	52.5	Rural
45	MS Claiborne	3,159	1,654	52.4	Rural

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than the poorest city (Detroit)
(cont'd)**

		Total younger than 18	Poor	Rate	Metrostatus
46	ND Rolette	4,758	2,476	52.0	Rural
47	MS Quitman	3,487	1,814	52.0	Rural
48	SD Corson	1,576	812	51.5	Rural
49	MS Wilkinson	2,952	1,519	51.5	Rural
50	AZ Apache	25,865	13,263	51.3	Rural
51	SD Bennett	1,108	563	50.8	Rural
52	SD Mellette	772	392	50.8	Rural
53	AL Bullock	3,385	1,718	50.8	Rural
54	TX Cameron	90,615	45,979	50.7	Metropolitan
55	OK Harmon	968	490	50.6	Rural
56	NM McKinley	23,171	11,709	50.5	Rural
57	KY Knox	8,339	4,212	50.5	Rural
58	ND Sioux	1,633	824	50.5	Rural
59	CO Costilla	910	458	50.3	Rural
60	MO Pemiscot	6,718	3,381	50.3	Rural
61	WV McDowell	10,134	5,095	50.3	Rural
62	TN Hancock	1,689	845	50.0	Rural
63	AL Sumter	4,906	2,443	49.8	Rural
64	AL Dallas	14,864	7,325	49.3	Rural
65	GA Randolph	2,306	1,136	49.3	Rural
66	SC Allendale	3,467	1,701	49.1	Rural
67	KY Knott	5,272	2,583	49.0	Rural
68	AR St. Francis	9,372	4,562	48.7	Rural
69	WV Clay	3,028	1,466	48.4	Rural
70	GA Clay	966	465	48.1	Rural
71	KY Magoffin	3,986	1,912	48.0	Rural
72	GA Turner	2,729	1,308	47.9	Rural
73	TX La Salle	1,588	757	47.7	Rural
74	KY Clay	6,551	3,122	47.7	Rural
75	NM Mora	1,247	594	47.6	Rural
76	KY Lee	1,978	942	47.6	Rural
77	GA Warren	1,692	804	47.5	Rural
78	AR Monroe	3,360	1,593	47.4	Rural
79	TX Webb	48,643	23,025	47.3	Metropolitan
80	TX Duval	4,137	1,955	47.3	Rural
81	KY Breathitt	4,430	2,088	47.1	Rural
82	TX Cottle	576	271	47.0	Rural
83	AL Hale	4,838	2,275	47.0	Rural
84	MS Montgomery	3,449	1,621	47.0	Rural
85	TX Val Verde	12,713	5,971	47.0	Rural
86	TX Karnes	3,761	1,766	47.0	Rural
87	KY Morgan	3,168	1,482	46.8	Rural
88	TX Frio	4,692	2,194	46.8	Rural
89	MS Kemper	3,042	1,420	46.7	Rural
Total, rural counties shown		417,650	224,581	53.8	

Corrected Table 6.
 Related Children Under 18:
 Number poor and poverty rate, 1979 and 1989
 in the 100 largest cities in 1980

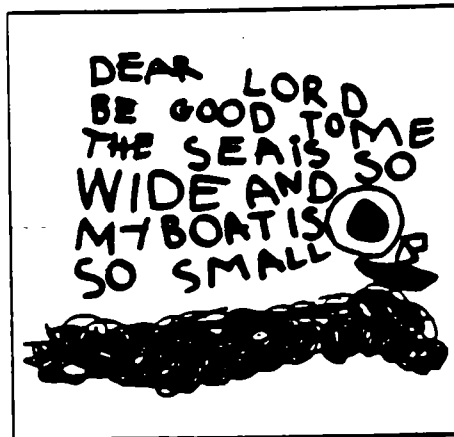
	1989	1989	1989	1979	1979	1979	1989	Rank
	Total	Poor	Rate	Total	Poor	Rate	minus 1979	
Birmingham, AL	62,977	23,598	35.8%	74,603	23,363	31.3%	4.5%	55
Mobile, AL	50,826	16,881	33.2%	57,098	14,349	25.1%	8.1%	80
Montgomery, AL	51,319	13,233	25.8%	53,137	14,338	27.0%	-1.2%	12
Anchorage, AK	64,458	5,737	8.9%	53,372	4,424	8.3%	0.6%	21
Phoenix, AZ	259,278	51,742	20.0%	222,513	30,563	13.7%	6.3%	69
Tucson, AZ	96,098	24,797	25.8%	82,216	13,750	16.7%	9.1%	83
Little Rock, AR	42,755	9,151	21.4%	43,281	9,033	20.9%	0.5%	19
Anaheim, CA	66,338	9,735	14.7%	56,701	5,784	10.2%	4.5%	56
Fresno, CA	109,306	40,033	36.6%	59,320	13,669	23.0%	13.6%	96
Long Beach, CA	105,962	28,484	26.9%	79,768	17,962	22.5%	4.4%	54
Los Angeles, CA	832,175	227,330	27.3%	724,224	171,562	23.7%	3.6%	48
Oakland, CA	90,271	27,127	30.1%	79,927	22,413	28.0%	2.1%	23
Riverside, CA	63,373	9,103	14.4%	48,083	7,430	15.5%	-1.1%	14
Sacramento, CA	93,979	26,463	28.2%	65,764	14,645	22.3%	5.9%	67
San Diego, CA	248,796	48,154	19.4%	203,697	33,901	16.6%	2.8%	33
San Francisco, CA	113,090	20,580	18.2%	112,086	21,711	19.4%	-1.2%	12
San Jose, CA	201,930	25,519	12.6%	190,902	19,175	10.0%	2.6%	31
Santa Ana, CA	83,779	17,743	21.2%	60,539	11,395	18.8%	2.4%	27
Stockton, CA	65,247	20,933	32.1%	42,607	9,788	23.0%	9.1%	83
Colorado Springs, CO	73,447	11,050	15.0%	59,428	7,363	12.4%	2.6%	31
Denver, CO	99,752	27,106	27.2%	107,750	21,720	20.2%	7.0%	73
Washington, DC	111,308	27,849	25.0%	139,377	37,596	27.0%	-2.0%	8
Fort Lauderdale, FL	26,898	8,205	30.5%	28,958	6,925	23.9%	6.6%	70
Jacksonville, FL	102,712	29,886	18.4%	152,781	33,973	22.2%	-3.8%	3
Miami, FL	79,545	34,776	43.7%	77,100	27,557	34.1%	9.6%	85
St. Petersburg	45,921	10,097	22.0%	47,509	10,157	21.4%	0.6%	20
Tampa, FL	62,545	19,160	30.6%	66,684	18,333	27.5%	3.1%	41
Atlanta, GA	92,397	39,486	42.7%	111,631	43,742	39.2%	3.5%	40
Columbus, GA	47,337	13,208	27.9%	48,340	11,821	24.5%	3.4%	44
Honolulu, HI	60,019	7,605	11.2%	82,501	11,746	14.2%	-3.0%	5
Chicago, IL	707,811	238,001	33.6%	839,896	258,679	30.8%	2.8%	35
Fort Wayne, IN	44,530	7,190	16.1%	47,326	7,526	15.9%	0.2%	18
Gary, IN	36,154	15,496	42.9%	52,163	14,880	28.5%	14.4%	97
Indianapolis, IN	183,247	34,095	18.6%	195,653	30,450	15.6%	3.0%	40
Des Moines, IA	45,466	8,554	18.8%	48,482	6,918	14.3%	4.5%	57
Wichita, KS	79,030	13,819	17.5%	72,413	10,360	14.3%	3.2%	43
Lexington-Fayette, K	49,662	9,168	18.5%	50,802	8,675	17.1%	1.4%	22
Louisville, KY	61,544	21,579	35.1%	72,943	20,776	28.5%	6.6%	70
Baton Rouge, LA	53,541	18,948	35.4%	58,897	14,496	24.6%	10.8%	88
New Orleans, LA	134,869	62,250	46.2%	158,000	61,096	38.7%	7.5%	76
Shreveport, LA	55,739	20,335	36.5%	61,375	14,436	23.5%	13.0%	95
Baltimore, MD	174,486	56,249	32.2%	206,946	67,178	32.5%	-0.3%	15
Boston, MA	106,502	29,822	28.0%	118,609	36,627	30.9%	-2.9%	6
Springfield, MA	41,268	13,713	33.2%	41,357	12,203	29.5%	3.7%	49
Worcester, MA	37,105	9,193	24.8%	37,569	8,456	22.5%	2.3%	24
Detroit, MI	294,565	136,560	46.4%	357,399	112,624	31.5%	14.9%	98
Flint, MI	41,959	18,600	44.3%	49,718	12,029	24.2%	20.1%	100
Grand Rapids, MI	50,693	11,484	22.7%	48,538	8,929	18.4%	4.3%	52
Minneapolis, MN	73,449	22,190	30.2%	71,561	12,883	18.0%	12.2%	93
St. Paul, MN	65,155	17,289	26.5%	64,108	9,263	14.4%	12.1%	92
Jackson, MS	53,020	16,825	31.7%	58,848	15,265	25.9%	5.8%	66
Kansas City, MO	104,830	23,551	22.5%	115,926	20,282	17.5%	5.0%	59
St. Louis, MO	96,784	38,004	39.3%	115,571	38,970	33.7%	5.6%	63
Lincoln, NE	44,235	4,811	10.9%	39,449	3,366	8.5%	2.4%	27

	1989	1989	1989	1979	1979	1979	1989	Rank
	Total	Poor	Rate	Total	Poor	Rate	minus 1979	
Omaha, NE	83,844	15,516	18.5%	85,024	12,713	15.0%	3.5%	47
Las Vegas, NV	61,656	9,494	15.4%	44,561	5,614	12.6%	2.9%	35
Jersey City, NJ	54,772	16,281	29.7%	64,571	21,553	33.3%	-3.6%	4
Newark, NJ	75,630	28,121	37.2%	110,100	51,005	46.3%	-9.1%	1
Albuquerque, NM	94,278	17,623	18.7%	90,583	14,317	15.8%	2.9%	38
Buffalo, NY	78,036	30,065	38.5%	88,251	27,108	30.7%	7.8%	77
New York, NY	1,641,870	490,385	29.9%	1,735,292	551,533	31.8%	-1.9%	9
Rochester, NY	58,587	22,284	38.0%	62,619	16,632	26.6%	11.4%	90
Syracuse, NY	35,916	11,772	32.8%	38,656	9,615	24.9%	7.9%	78
Charlotte, NC	94,577	14,806	15.7%	85,877	14,890	17.3%	-1.6%	11
Greensboro, NC	38,766	5,947	15.3%	38,920	6,715	17.3%	-2.0%	10
Raleigh, NC	39,693	5,700	14.4%	32,770	4,670	14.3%	0.1%	17
Akron, OH	53,182	16,467	31.0%	61,241	13,381	21.8%	9.2%	85
Cincinnati, OH	89,359	33,229	37.2%	94,505	27,128	28.7%	8.5%	81
Cleveland, OH	133,342	57,075	42.8%	156,499	48,961	31.3%	11.5%	91
Columbus, OH	145,822	35,041	24.0%	141,783	30,213	21.3%	2.7%	34
Dayton, OH	45,880	18,638	40.6%	54,612	16,222	29.7%	10.9%	89
Toledo, OH	85,518	23,393	27.4%	97,731	18,389	18.8%	8.6%	82
Oklahoma City, OK	112,733	25,500	22.6%	106,400	16,465	15.5%	7.1%	74
Tulsa, OK	87,404	18,853	21.6%	91,384	12,948	14.2%	7.4%	75
Portland, OR	92,582	17,043	18.4%	76,871	12,389	16.1%	2.3%	24
Philadelphia, PA	369,548	111,023	30.0%	428,181	128,540	30.0%	0.0%	16
Pittsburgh, PA	71,862	23,120	32.2%	88,864	21,584	24.3%	7.9%	78
Providence, RI	37,495	12,946	34.5%	35,857	10,825	30.2%	4.3%	53
Chattanooga, TN	34,558	9,625	27.9%	44,306	11,240	25.4%	2.5%	29
Knoxville, TN	31,822	9,308	29.3%	37,420	9,883	26.4%	2.9%	37
Memphis, TN	160,434	55,676	34.7%	185,793	58,717	31.6%	3.1%	41
Nashville-Davidson, Memphis, TN	108,467	21,767	20.1%	111,114	10,564	17.6%	2.5%	29
Amarillo, TX	43,288	9,739	22.5%	42,632	5,267	12.4%	10.1%	87
Austin, TX	104,817	22,164	21.1%	82,219	14,005	17.0%	4.2%	50
Cedar Rapids, TX	75,893	20,339	26.9%	74,028	15,626	21.1%	5.8%	65
Dallas, TX	245,974	66,560	27.1%	238,518	48,519	20.4%	6.7%	72
El Paso, TX	161,347	55,315	34.3%	146,976	42,177	28.7%	5.6%	64
Fort Worth, TX	115,972	28,532	24.6%	101,702	18,943	18.6%	6.0%	68
Houston, TX	425,794	126,351	29.7%	442,309	75,274	17.0%	12.7%	94
Lubbock, TX	46,753	10,626	22.7%	47,292	8,380	17.7%	5.0%	59
San Antonio, TX	267,835	86,446	32.3%	249,626	72,204	28.9%	3.4%	44
Salt Lake City, UT	38,994	8,160	20.9%	38,645	6,963	18.0%	2.9%	38
Norfolk, VA	58,310	16,522	28.3%	63,589	19,425	30.5%	-2.2%	7
Richmond, VA	41,178	14,656	35.6%	47,662	14,455	30.3%	5.3%	61
Virginia Beach, VA	107,190	8,103	7.6%	79,494	10,300	13.0%	-5.4%	2
Seattle, WA	81,377	12,754	15.7%	84,024	11,219	13.4%	2.3%	24
Spokane, WA	41,660	9,034	21.7%	40,596	7,106	17.5%	4.2%	51
Tacoma, WA	43,889	10,051	22.9%	41,048	7,176	17.5%	5.4%	62
Madison, WI	34,655	4,411	12.7%	33,971	2,705	8.0%	4.7%	58
Milwaukee, WI	168,265	63,223	37.6%	169,135	38,026	22.5%	15.1%	99
Total, cities shown	12,331,301	3,452,241	28.0%	12,523,703	3,104,232	24.8%	3.2%	--

Child Poverty Data

from 1990 Census

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Percent poor among related children under 18

State	1979 Rank		1989 Rank		% Change Rank	
Alabama	23.6	49	24.0	43	1.7	21
Alaska	12.1	14	10.9	3	-9.9	9
Arizona	16.5	35	21.7	42	31.5	43
Arkansas	23.4	47	25.0	46	6.8	22
California	15.2	31	17.8	32	17.1	31
Colorado	11.5	9	15.0	23	30.4	42
Connecticut	11.4	7	10.4	2	-8.8	10
Delaware	15.6	32	11.7	8	-25.0	2
District of Columbia	27.0	50	25.0	46	-7.4	12
Florida	18.5	37	18.3	34	-1.1	15
Georgia	21.1	44	19.8	36	-6.2	13
Hawaii	13.0	17	11.1	6	-14.6	6
Idaho	14.3	26	15.8	26	10.5	24
Illinois	14.9	29	16.8	27	12.8	27
Indiana	11.9	12	13.9	17	16.8	30
Iowa	11.5	9	14.0	19	21.7	35
Kansas	11.4	7	13.9	17	21.9	37
Kentucky	21.6	45	24.5	45	13.4	28
Louisiana	23.5	48	31.2	50	32.8	44
Maine	15.8	34	13.2	14	-16.5	5
Maryland	12.5	16	10.9	3	-12.8	7
Massachusetts	13.1	18	12.9	12	-1.5	14
Michigan	13.3	20	18.2	33	36.8	47
Minnesota	10.2	4	12.4	10	21.6	34
Mississippi	30.4	51	33.5	51	10.2	23
Missouri	14.6	28	17.4	30	19.2	33
Montana	13.8	22	19.9	37	44.2	50
Nebraska	12.1	14	13.5	15	11.6	26
Nevada	10.0	3	12.8	11	28.0	40
New Hampshire	9.4	2	7.0	1	-25.5	1
N w Jersey	14.1	25	11.0	5	-22.0	3
N w Mexico	22.1	46	27.5	49	24.4	38
N w York	19.0	40	18.8	35	-1.1	15
North Carolina	18.3	36	16.9	28	-7.7	11
North Dakota	14.3	26	16.9	28	18.2	32
Ohio	13.2	19	17.6	31	33.3	45
Oklahoma	15.7	33	21.4	41	36.3	46
Oregon	12.0	13	15.2	24	26.7	39
Pennsylvania	13.9	23	15.4	25	10.8	25
Rhode Island	13.6	21	13.5	15	-0.7	18
South Carolina	21.0	43	20.8	40	-1.0	17
South Dakota	20.0	41	20.1	38	0.5	19
Tennessee	20.6	42	20.7	39	0.5	19
Texas	18.7	39	24.0	43	28.3	41
Utah	10.7	6	12.2	9	14.0	29
Vermont	13.9	23	11.5	7	-17.3	4
Virginia	14.9	29	13.0	13	-12.8	7
Washington	11.5	9	14.0	19	21.7	35
West Virginia	18.5	37	25.9	48	40.0	48
Wisconsin	10.4	5	14.6	22	40.4	49
Wyoming	7.7	1	14.1	21	83.1	51
United States	16.0	n/a	17.9	n/a	11.9	n/a

State	1979	Rank	1989	Rank	% Change	Rank
Alabama	270,974	39	250,485	40	-7.6	15
Alaska	15,444	2	18,219	2	18.0	32
Arizona	127,889	26	207,188	35	62.0	49
Arkansas	154,429	30	152,891	26	-1.0	20
California	946,576	51	1,335,512	51	41.1	47
Colorado	91,295	20	126,181	24	38.2	46
Connecticut	92,606	21	76,572	17	-17.3	7
Delaware	25,463	6	18,697	3	-26.6	2
District of Columbia	37,596	11	27,849	6	-25.9	3
Florida	427,479	47	511,595	48	19.7	33
Georgia	341,914	43	336,020	42	-1.7	19
Hawaii	35,103	10	30,440	9	-13.3	8
Idaho	43,069	13	47,585	14	10.5	29
Illinois	477,633	48	485,706	47	1.7	24
Indiana	189,052	31	198,545	34	5.0	26
Iowa	93,997	22	98,463	19	4.8	25
Kansas	72,995	17	90,624	18	24.2	38
Kentucky	229,822	36	229,530	37	-0.1	22
Louisiana	307,159	42	377,143	43	22.8	37
Maine	49,862	14	39,934	12	-19.9	4
Maryland	143,012	29	124,149	23	-13.2	9
Massachusetts	192,812	32	171,179	27	-11.2	10
Michigan	361,364	44	440,082	45	21.8	36
Minnesota	117,967	24	142,202	25	20.5	34
Mississippi	244,352	37	246,224	38	0.8	23
Missouri	195,837	34	224,532	36	14.7	31
Montana	31,503	8	43,237	13	37.2	45
Nebraska	53,278	15	57,026	15	7.0	27
Nevada	20,752	4	36,455	10	75.7	51
New Hampshire	23,981	5	19,200	5	-19.9	4
New Jersey	277,885	40	195,325	33	-29.7	1
New Mexico	90,765	19	120,139	22	32.4	41
New York	876,928	50	782,530	49	-10.8	12
North Carolina	298,821	41	266,933	41	-10.7	13
North Dakota	27,069	7	29,214	7	7.9	28
Ohio	401,198	45	484,526	46	20.8	35
Oklahoma	131,870	27	175,340	29	33.0	43
Oregon	84,626	18	106,549	20	25.9	39
Pennsylvania	425,720	46	421,750	44	-0.9	21
Rhode Island	32,516	9	30,022	8	-7.7	14
South Carolina	195,021	33	188,110	31	-3.5	17
South Dakota	40,552	12	39,240	11	-3.2	18
Tennessee	263,270	38	247,366	39	-6.0	16
Texas	791,228	49	1,140,367	50	44.1	48
Utah	56,986	16	75,504	16	32.5	42
Vermont	19,901	3	16,145	1	-18.9	6
Virginia	215,930	35	191,983	32	-11.1	11
Washington	127,746	25	171,257	28	34.1	44
West Virginia	101,909	23	112,942	21	10.8	30
Wisconsin	139,418	28	184,427	30	32.3	40
Wyoming	11,049	1	18,702	4	69.3	50
United States	10,025,623	n/a	11,161,836	n/a	11.3	n/a

1990 Census Sample Data Real Per Capita Personal Income in 1989 Dollars	1979 Per Capita Income Rank	1989 Per Capita Income Rank	1979-89 Percent Change Rank
Alabama	9,875 46	11,486 40	16.3 21
Alaska	17,083 1	17,610 5	3.1 46
Arizona	11,802 28	13,461 24	14.1 23
Arkansas	9,407 50	10,520 49	11.8 26
California	13,901 5	16,409 8	18.0 19
Colorado	13,405 10	14,821 17	10.6 30
Connecticut	14,264 3	20,189 1	41.5 1
Delaware	12,485 19	15,854 10	27.0 11
District of Columbia	15,015 2	18,881 2	25.7 12
Florida	12,168 22	14,698 18	20.8 16
Georgia	10,693 37	13,631 22	27.5 10
Hawaii	12,972 12	15,770 11	21.6 15
Idaho	10,472 39	11,457 41	9.4 36
Illinois	13,515 9	15,201 14	12.5 24
Indiana	11,968 25	13,149 29	9.9 33
Iowa	11,960 26	12,422 35	3.9 44
Kansas	12,317 20	13,300 27	8.0 38
Kentucky	10,011 45	11,153 44	11.4 28
Louisiana	10,768 35	10,635 48	-1.2 50
Maine	9,664 48	12,957 31	34.1 5
Maryland	13,899 6	17,730 4	27.6 9
Massachusetts	12,498 17	17,224 6	37.8 2
Michigan	12,885 13	14,154 20	9.8 34
Minnesota	12,486 18	14,389 19	15.2 22
Mississippi	8,685 51	9,648 51	11.1 29
Missouri	11,590 31	12,989 30	12.1 25
Montana	11,043 34	11,213 43	1.5 49
Nebraska	11,621 30	12,452 34	7.2 40
Nevada	14,167 4	15,214 13	7.4 39
New Hampshire	11,675 29	15,959 9	36.7 4
New Jersey	13,621 7	18,714 3	37.4 3
New Mexico	10,257 44	11,246 42	9.6 35
New York	12,563 15	16,501 7	31.3 6
North Carolina	10,277 43	12,885 33	25.4 13
North Dakota	10,755 36	11,051 45	2.8 47
Ohio	12,208 21	13,461 24	10.3 31
Oklahoma	11,487 33	11,893 39	3.5 45
Oregon	12,664 14	13,418 26	6.0 42
Pennsylvania	11,858 27	14,068 21	18.6 18
Rhode Island	11,559 32	14,981 15	29.6 8
South Carolina	9,862 47	11,897 38	20.6 17
South Dakota	9,546 49	10,661 47	11.7 27
Tennessee	10,411 40	12,255 37	17.7 20
Texas	12,072 24	12,904 32	6.9 41
Utah	10,567 38	11,029 46	4.4 43
Vermont	10,354 41	13,527 23	30.6 7
Virginia	12,528 16	15,713 12	25.4 13
Washington	13,530 8	14,923 16	10.3 31
West Virginia	10,294 42	10,520 49	2.2 48
Wisconsin	12,136 23	13,276 28	9.4 36
Wyoming	13,286 11	12,311 36	-7.3 51
United States	12,226 n/a	14,420 n/a	17.9 n/a

1990 Census Sample
White
Persons Under 18

	Persons Under 18	Below Poverty Rank	Percent Poor Rank		
Alabama	696,467	89,959	28	12.9	32
Alaska	119,681	8,864	4	7.4	7
Arizona	701,656	104,283	32	14.9	41
Arkansas	469,477	82,932	23	17.7	47
California	4,672,089	591,097	50	12.7	31
Colorado	721,938	88,222	25	12.2	28
Connecticut	605,853	36,963	13	6.1	2
Delaware	120,610	7,543	2	6.3	4
District of Columbia	16,433	799	1	4.9	1
Florida	2,098,759	252,793	46	12.0	27
Georgia	1,100,184	108,825	36	9.9	14
Hawaii	84,232	8,306	3	9.9	14
Idaho	283,321	41,528	15	14.7	39
Illinois	2,106,783	204,276	44	9.7	12
Indiana	1,266,951	141,319	40	11.2	20
Iowa	677,403	89,059	27	13.1	33
Kansas	571,449	65,528	21	11.5	22
Kentucky	853,271	193,614	43	22.7	50
Louisiana	728,420	112,404	38	15.4	44
Maine	297,068	40,429	14	13.6	35
Maryland	756,652	46,164	17	6.1	2
Massachusetts	1,142,866	105,129	33	9.2	9
Michigan	1,931,626	239,263	45	12.4	29
Minnesota	1,055,515	102,624	31	9.7	12
Mississippi	396,352	59,138	19	14.9	41
Missouri	1,098,489	152,757	42	13.9	36
Montana	196,068	33,458	12	17.1	46
Nebraska	389,462	44,420	16	11.4	21
Nevada	230,273	22,893	9	9.9	14
New Hampshire	267,844	19,295	7	7.2	6
New Jersey	1,310,633	84,110	24	6.4	5
New Mexico	306,617	67,615	22	22.1	49
New York	2,871,407	342,541	49	11.9	24
North Carolina	1,096,761	102,034	30	9.3	10
North Dakota	159,961	23,031	10	14.4	38
Ohio	2,353,574	315,714	48	13.4	34
Oklahoma	632,023	105,173	34	16.6	45
Oregon	642,349	91,249	29	14.2	37
Pennsylvania	2,354,022	270,941	47	11.5	22
Rhode Island	195,296	20,274	8	10.4	18
South Carolina	554,000	52,430	18	9.5	11
South Dakota	170,448	25,008	11	14.7	39
Tennessee	937,038	142,418	41	15.2	43
Texas	3,343,483	612,724	51	18.3	48
Utah	582,101	64,755	20	11.1	19
Vermont	138,594	16,435	6	11.9	24
Virginia	1,084,433	88,370	26	8.1	8
Washington	1,051,391	124,632	39	11.9	24
West Virginia	419,759	106,458	35	25.4	51
Wisconsin	1,122,250	110,939	37	9.9	14
Wyoming	123,705	15,532	5	12.6	30
United States	47,107,037	5,876,267	n/a	12.5	n/a

1990 Census Sample Data

Black Persons Under 18	Persons Under 18	Below Poverty Rank	Percent Poor Rank	Percent Poor Rank	
Alabama	338,108	160,510	41	47.5	44
Alaska	7,507	1,086	10	14.5	2
Arizona	35,861	12,813	20	35.7	25
Arkansas	134,591	70,023	32	52.0	48
California	637,513	195,563	45	30.7	14
Colorado	40,514	13,677	21	33.8	21
Connecticut	81,528	23,591	25	28.9	11
Delaware	34,403	10,600	19	30.8	15
District of Columbia	90,465	26,339	26	29.1	12
Florida	594,099	243,435	48	41.0	35
Georgia	568,155	227,207	46	40.0	31
Hawaii	8,256	969	9	11.7	1
Idaho	1,251	281	4	22.5	5
Illinois	539,113	233,506	47	43.3	39
Indiana	139,719	55,984	31	40.1	32
Iowa	16,284	8,241	16	50.6	47
Kansas	46,263	18,665	24	40.3	33
Kentucky	81,201	38,193	29	47.0	43
Louisiana	459,045	259,228	50	56.5	51
Maine	1,698	440	8	25.9	8
Maryland	331,599	77,002	34	23.2	6
Massachusetts	88,627	29,547	27	33.3	19
Michigan	408,160	188,405	44	46.2	42
Minnesota	35,173	17,394	23	49.5	45
Mississippi	334,785	186,212	43	55.6	49
Missouri	173,393	71,928	33	41.5	36
Montana	710	221	3	31.1	17
Nebraska	20,298	8,761	18	43.2	38
Nevada	24,985	8,358	17	33.5	20
New Hampshire	2,289	351	7	15.3	4
New Jersey	293,890	81,788	35	27.8	10
New Mexico	10,130	3,542	12	35.0	24
New York	805,433	274,947	51	34.1	22
North Carolina	440,682	158,007	40	35.9	26
North Dakota	1,348	204	1	15.1	3
Ohio	359,172	163,131	42	45.4	41
Oklahoma	77,445	34,475	28	44.5	40
Oregon	15,101	5,489	14	36.3	28
Pennsylvania	307,691	124,859	38	40.6	34
Rhode Island	12,330	4,425	13	35.9	26
South Carolina	345,008	136,563	39	39.6	30
South Dakota	1,223	327	5	26.7	9
Tennessee	246,852	106,024	37	43.0	37
Texas	646,267	254,287	49	39.3	29
Utah	3,717	1,290	11	34.7	23
Vermont	847	211	2	24.9	7
Virginia	333,072	102,862	36	30.9	16
Washington	47,650	14,548	22	30.5	13
West Virginia	15,701	7,887	15	50.2	46
Wisconsin	95,677	53,392	30	55.8	50
Wyoming	1,079	340	6	31.5	18
United States	9,335,908	3,717,128	n/a	39.8	n/a

1990 Census Sample Data
 Hispanic (may be of any race)
 Persons Under 18

	Persons Under 18	Below Poverty	Rank	Percent Poor	Rank
Alabama	7,810	1,829	13	23.4	13
Alaska	6,643	809	6	12.2	3
Arizona	257,505	89,883	47	34.9	41
Arkansas	7,175	2,290	15	31.9	34
California	2,623,922	713,980	51	27.2	25
Colorado	148,093	48,497	42	32.7	36
Connecticut	72,841	30,002	40	41.2	47
Delaware	5,178	1,297	8	25.0	19
District of Columbia	6,376	1,677	11	26.3	22
Florida	379,104	93,288	48	24.6	18
Georgia	29,842	7,163	28	24.0	15
Hawaii	29,802	5,296	24	17.8	7
Idaho	21,740	7,705	30	35.4	43
Illinois	319,757	80,047	46	25.0	19
Indiana	34,930	7,627	29	21.8	11
Iowa	12,186	3,253	18	26.7	23
Kansas	35,025	8,233	31	23.5	14
Kentucky	6,870	1,803	12	26.2	21
Louisiana	25,324	5,908	25	23.3	12
Maine	2,693	435	2	16.2	5
Maryland	33,978	4,165	20	12.3	4
Massachusetts	101,022	49,645	43	49.1	51
Michigan	73,225	22,103	38	30.2	31
Minnesota	21,106	6,486	27	30.7	32
Mississippi	4,767	1,471	9	30.9	33
Missouri	20,927	4,246	21	20.3	9
Montana	5,209	1,874	14	36.0	45
Nebraska	13,832	3,861	19	27.9	29
Nevada	39,502	8,491	32	21.5	10
New Hampshire	4,286	705	5	16.4	6
New Jersey	214,202	59,531	44	27.8	27
New Mexico	200,650	70,158	45	35.0	42
New York	644,184	269,703	49	41.9	49
North Carolina	20,895	5,047	22	24.2	17
North Dakota	2,268	623	3	27.5	26
Ohio	49,765	15,910	37	32.0	35
Oklahoma	33,358	11,950	34	35.8	44
Oregon	42,269	14,285	36	33.8	38
Pennsylvania	82,229	38,374	41	46.7	50
Rhode Island	15,379	6,356	26	41.3	48
South Carolina	8,609	1,635	10	19.0	8
South Dakota	2,389	663	4	27.8	27
Tennessee	9,971	2,400	16	24.1	16
Texas	1,587,818	638,905	50	40.2	46
Utah	34,390	9,213	33	26.8	24
Vermont	1,212	143	1	11.8	1
Virginia	43,130	5,147	23	11.9	2
Washington	80,555	27,381	39	34.0	39
West Virginia	2,372	814	7	34.3	40
Wisconsin	36,901	12,435	35	33.7	37
Wyoming	9,700	2,724	17	28.1	30
United States	7,472,916	2,407,466	n/a	32.2	n/a

1990 Census Sample Data
 American Indian, Eskimo, Aleut
 Persons Under 18

	Persons Under 18	Below Poverty	Rank	Percent Poor	Rank
Alabama	6,164	1,519	25	24.6	6
Alaska	33,562	8,621	43	25.7	11
Arizona	84,053	44,607	51	53.1	46
Arkansas	4,041	1,053	17	26.1	12
California	67,811	17,982	48	26.5	16
Colorado	8,497	3,008	33	35.4	31
Connecticut	1,466	313	5	21.4	3
Delaware	372	80	2	21.5	4
District of Columbia	154	55	1	35.7	32
Florida	9,750	2,541	31	26.1	12
Georgia	3,758	938	16	25.0	7
Hawaii	1,619	408	7	25.2	8
Idaho	5,081	2,056	30	40.5	36
Illinois	5,950	1,422	22	23.9	5
Indiana	3,751	1,132	19	30.2	23
Iowa	2,672	1,160	20	43.4	38
Kansas	7,207	1,932	28	26.8	17
Kentucky	1,631	681	13	41.8	37
Louisiana	6,753	3,166	34	46.9	42
Maine	2,063	583	9	28.3	19
Maryland	3,578	661	11	18.5	1
Massachusetts	3,707	1,309	21	35.3	30
Michigan	18,929	6,147	39	32.5	28
Minnesota	19,088	10,459	46	54.8	48
Mississippi	3,131	1,429	23	45.6	40
Missouri	5,656	1,483	24	26.2	14
Montana	19,166	10,238	45	53.4	47
Nebraska	4,900	2,795	32	57.0	49
Nevada	5,864	1,745	27	29.8	21
New Hampshire	464	119	3	25.6	9
New Jersey	3,387	886	14	26.2	14
New Mexico	53,163	26,643	49	50.1	45
New York	16,243	4,800	37	29.6	20
North Carolina	26,128	7,820	42	29.9	22
North Dakota	10,607	6,179	40	58.3	50
Ohio	5,222	1,588	26	30.4	24
Oklahoma	91,961	31,977	50	34.8	29
Oregon	13,277	4,288	35	32.3	27
Pennsylvania	3,625	1,128	18	31.1	26
Rhode Island	1,115	440	8	39.5	35
South Carolina	2,189	599	10	27.4	18
South Dakota	22,365	14,160	47	63.3	51
Tennessee	2,940	906	15	30.8	25
Texas	17,594	4,501	36	25.6	9
Utah	10,355	4,893	38	47.3	43
Vermont	691	251	4	36.3	33
Virginia	3,513	666	12	19.0	2
Washington	27,151	10,228	44	37.7	34
West Virginia	755	337	6	44.6	39
Wisconsin	14,102	6,505	41	46.1	41
Wyoming	4,010	1,966	29	49.0	44
United States	671,231	260,403	n/a	38.8	n/a

1990 Census Sample Data
 Asian or Pacific Islander
 Persons Under 18

	Persons Under 18	Below Poverty	Rank	Percent Poor	Rank
Alabama	6,151	1,166	21	19.0	37
Alaska	6,027	500	11	8.3	7
Arizona	14,795	2,204	29	14.9	21
Arkansas	3,697	648	13	17.5	31
California	794,599	155,493	51	19.6	39
Colorado	17,777	3,130	34	17.6	32
Connecticut	13,887	917	18	6.6	2
Delaware	2,269	149	4	6.6	2
District of Columbia	1,447	232	8	16.0	26
Florida	40,223	5,194	41	12.9	16
Georgia	21,460	2,465	32	11.5	12
Hawaii	175,763	21,327	49	12.1	14
Idaho	2,750	567	12	20.6	42
Illinois	80,901	7,640	42	9.4	9
Indiana	9,655	1,124	20	11.6	13
Iowa	8,073	1,898	25	23.5	45
Kansas	9,912	2,203	28	22.2	44
Kentucky	5,248	867	17	16.5	28
Louisiana	12,985	4,414	38	34.0	47
Maine	2,402	326	9	13.6	18
Maryland	37,125	2,820	33	7.6	5
Massachusetts	38,653	9,330	44	24.1	46
Michigan	33,565	4,891	40	14.6	20
Minnesota	34,081	12,638	47	37.1	49
Mississippi	4,173	1,657	24	39.7	50
Missouri	11,214	1,984	26	17.7	34
Montana	1,274	224	7	17.6	32
Nebraska	4,045	724	15	17.9	35
Nevada	9,523	1,040	19	10.9	11
New Hampshire	2,758	370	10	13.4	17
New Jersey	78,431	4,622	39	5.9	1
New Mexico	4,320	797	16	18.4	36
New York	168,295	25,021	50	14.9	21
North Carolina	14,324	2,344	31	16.4	27
North Dakota	880	148	3	16.8	29
Ohio	25,221	3,557	36	14.1	19
Oklahoma	9,038	1,427	22	15.8	25
Oregon	19,501	3,752	37	19.2	38
Pennsylvania	40,432	8,354	43	20.7	43
Rhode Island	6,006	2,043	27	34.0	47
South Carolina	5,917	715	14	12.1	14
South Dakota	1,144	195	6	17.0	30
Tennessee	9,173	1,438	23	15.7	24
Texas	93,028	14,518	48	15.6	23
Utah	11,541	2,281	30	19.8	40
Vermont	956	70	1	7.3	4
Virginia	43,476	3,377	35	7.8	6
Washington	62,956	12,594	46	20.0	41
West Virginia	2,275	193	5	8.5	8
Wisconsin	22,186	10,819	45	48.8	51
Wyoming	843	84	2	10.0	10
United States	2,026,375	346,491	n/a	17.1	n/a

1990 Census Sample Data

Other Race Persons Under 18	Persons Under 18	Below Poverty	Rank	Percent Poor	Rank
Alabama	1,720	482	9	28.0	18
Alaska	1,696	213	6	12.6	1
Arizona	125,781	48,094	47	38.2	39
Arkansas	2,140	743	13	34.7	32
California	1,391,317	420,140	51	30.2	22
Colorado	58,572	21,528	42	36.8	36
Connecticut	36,612	17,236	39	47.1	48
Delaware	2,947	884	15	30.0	21
District of Columbia	3,748	1,185	17	31.6	26
Florida	68,128	21,483	41	31.5	25
Georgia	12,251	3,633	27	29.7	20
Hawaii	5,648	934	16	16.5	4
Idaho	11,566	4,727	31	40.9	44
Illinois	175,014	48,661	48	27.8	16
Indiana	15,209	4,232	30	27.8	16
Iowa	4,585	1,303	19	28.4	19
Kansas	17,805	4,738	32	26.6	15
Kentucky	2,507	657	12	26.2	13
Louisiana	5,701	1,730	20	30.3	23
Maine	627	119	2	19.0	5
Maryland	13,148	1,876	22	14.3	3
Massachusetts	59,543	30,906	46	51.9	50
Michigan	32,661	11,720	38	35.9	34
Minnesota	8,718	3,271	26	37.5	38
Mississippi	827	269	7	32.5	29
Missouri	7,616	1,906	23	25.0	10
Montana	1,305	565	10	43.3	47
Nebraska	5,582	1,774	21	31.8	27
Nevada	16,811	4,196	29	25.0	10
New Hampshire	1,347	305	8	22.6	8
New Jersey	88,945	29,320	45	33.0	30
New Mexico	65,808	23,663	43	36.0	35
New York	319,678	152,222	49	47.6	49
North Carolina	8,706	2,718	25	31.2	24
North Dakota	753	170	3	22.6	8
Ohio	23,474	9,216	37	39.3	40
Oklahoma	15,429	6,231	34	40.4	42
Oregon	18,403	6,851	35	37.2	37
Pennsylvania	49,265	26,945	44	54.7	51
Rhode Island	8,618	3,660	28	42.5	45
South Carolina	2,618	566	11	21.6	7
South Dakota	786	206	5	26.2	13
Tennessee	2,876	743	13	25.8	12
Texas	673,655	273,680	50	40.6	43
Utah	14,390	4,822	33	33.5	31
Vermont	262	53	1	20.2	6
Virginia	15,593	2,107	24	13.5	2
Washington	43,411	17,270	40	39.8	41
West Virginia	617	198	4	32.1	28
Wisconsin	16,950	7,208	36	42.5	45
Wyoming	3,599	1,268	18	35.2	33
United States	3,464,968	1,228,627	n/a	35.5	n/a

1990 Census Sample Data
 Related Children Under 18
 Poverty by 1989 Income

	Related Children	Below Poverty	Rank	Percent Poor	Rank
Alabama	1,044,374	250,485	40	24.0	43
Alaska	167,172	18,219	2	10.9	3
Arizona	956,550	207,188	35	21.7	42
Arkansas	610,863	152,891	26	25.0	46
California	7,509,141	1,335,512	51	17.8	32
Colorado	843,242	126,181	24	15.0	23
Connecticut	735,909	76,572	17	10.4	2
Delaware	159,941	18,697	3	11.7	8
District of Columbia	111,308	27,849	6	25.0	46
Florida	2,792,950	511,595	48	18.3	34
Georgia	1,696,466	336,020	42	19.8	36
Hawaii	273,746	30,440	9	11.1	6
Idaho	302,057	47,585	14	15.8	26
Illinois	2,895,494	485,706	47	16.8	27
Indiana	1,428,895	198,545	34	13.9	17
Iowa	705,446	98,463	19	14.0	19
Kansas	649,711	90,624	18	13.9	17
Kentucky	938,325	229,530	37	24.5	45
Louisiana	1,208,296	377,143	43	31.2	50
Maine	301,565	39,934	12	13.2	14
Maryland	1,136,669	124,149	23	10.9	3
Massachusetts	1,327,013	171,179	27	12.9	12
Michigan	2,412,856	440,082	45	18.2	33
Minnesota	1,147,812	142,202	25	12.4	10
Mississippi	736,090	246,224	38	33.5	51
Missouri	1,289,705	224,532	36	17.4	30
Montana	216,898	43,237	13	19.9	37
Nebraska	422,646	57,026	15	13.5	15
Nevada	285,255	36,455	10	12.8	11
New Hampshire	273,284	19,200	5	7.0	1
New Jersey	1,768,451	195,325	33	11.0	5
New Mexico	437,572	120,139	22	27.5	49
New York	4,160,128	782,530	49	18.8	35
North Carolina	1,578,852	266,933	41	16.9	28
North Dakota	172,964	29,214	7	16.9	28
Ohio	2,756,163	484,526	46	17.6	31
Oklahoma	821,045	175,340	29	21.4	41
Oregon	702,785	106,549	20	15.2	24
Pennsylvania	2,742,646	421,750	44	15.4	25
Rhode Island	222,328	30,022	8	13.5	15
South Carolina	906,202	188,110	31	20.8	40
South Dakota	195,221	39,240	11	20.1	38
Tennessee	1,193,453	247,366	39	20.7	39
Texas	4,749,480	1,140,367	50	24.0	43
Utah	618,936	75,504	16	12.2	9
Vermont	140,289	16,145	1	11.5	7
Virginia	1,473,533	191,983	32	13.0	13
Washington	1,223,467	171,257	28	14.0	19
West Virginia	436,708	112,942	21	25.9	48
Wisconsin	1,266,105	184,427	30	14.6	22
Wyoming	132,648	18,702	4	14.1	21
United States	62,278,655	11,161,836	n/a	17.9	n/a

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Other Race

Persons Under 18

	Persons Under 18	Below Poverty Rank	Percent Poor Rank	Percent Poor Rank
Alabama	1,720	482	9	28.0 18
Alaska	1,696	213	6	12.6 1
Arizona	125,781	48,094	47	38.2 39
Arkansas	2,140	743	13	34.7 32
California	1,391,317	420,140	51	30.2 22
Colorado	58,572	21,528	42	36.8 36
Connecticut	36,612	17,236	39	47.1 48
Delaware	2,947	884	15	30.0 21
District of Columbia	3,748	1,185	17	31.6 26
Florida	68,128	21,483	41	31.5 25
Georgia	12,251	3,633	27	29.7 20
Hawaii	5,648	934	16	16.5 4
Idaho	11,566	4,727	31	40.9 44
Illinois	175,014	48,661	48	27.8 16
Indiana	15,209	4,232	30	27.8 16
Iowa	4,585	1,303	19	28.4 19
Kansas	17,805	4,738	32	26.6 15
Kentucky	2,507	657	12	26.2 13
Louisiana	5,701	1,730	20	30.3 23
Maine	627	119	2	19.0 5
Maryland	13,148	1,876	22	14.3 3
Massachusetts	59,543	30,906	46	51.9 50
Michigan	32,661	11,720	38	35.9 34
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