

Table 21. 50 Largest Metropolitan Statistical Areas—Population Change: 2000 to 2006

[Covers period April 1, 2000, to July 1, 2006 (890 represents 890,000). Covers metropolitan statistical areas as defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget as of December 2005. All geographic boundaries for 2000 to 2006 population estimates are defined as of January 1, 2006. For definitions and components of all metropolitan and micropolitan areas, see Appendix II. Minus sign (-) indicates decrease or outmigration]

Metropolitan statistical area	Number (1,000)							Percent change
	Total change ¹	Natural increase			Net migration			
		Total	Births	Deaths	Total	International	Internal migration	
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Marietta, GA	890	295	469	174	455	178	277	21.0
Austin-Round Rock, TX	264	101	143	42	166	58	108	21.1
Baltimore-Towson, MD	105	67	214	147	17	32	-15	4.1
Birmingham-Hoover, AL	49	24	93	69	26	9	17	4.6
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy, MA-NH	63	130	354	224	-102	164	-265	1.4
Buffalo-Niagara Falls, NY	-33	4	81	77	-32	10	-42	-2.8
Charlotte-Gastonia-Concord, NC-SC	253	76	142	65	181	42	139	19.0
Chicago-Naperville-Joliet, IL-IN-WI	407	447	883	437	-44	377	-421	4.5
Cincinnati-Middletown, OH-KY-IN	95	73	183	110	2	17	-15	4.7
Cleveland-Elyria-Mentor, OH	-34	34	168	134	-69	24	-93	-1.6
Columbus, OH	113	79	158	79	35	30	5	7.0
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX	842	402	607	205	455	286	168	16.3
Denver-Aurora, CO ²	229	144	231	87	91	91	(Z)	10.5
Detroit-Warren-Livonia, MI	16	129	374	244	-103	89	-192	0.4
Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford, CT	40	20	83	63	24	25	-1	3.5
Houston-Sugar Land-Baytown, TX	825	361	548	188	406	259	146	17.5
Indianapolis-Carmel, IN	141	77	156	79	65	21	44	9.2
Jacksonville, FL	155	43	107	64	116	11	105	13.8
Kansas City, MO-KS	131	84	179	96	48	28	20	7.1
Las Vegas-Paradise, NV	402	82	155	73	324	64	260	29.2
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana, CA	585	764	1,243	480	-140	798	-938	4.7
Louisville-Jefferson County, KY-IN	60	32	100	68	29	12	17	5.1
Memphis, TN-MS-AR	70	54	121	66	19	13	6	5.8
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-Miami Beach, FL	456	138	438	300	327	409	-82	9.1
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis, WI	9	52	134	82	-38	23	-61	0.6
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI	206	164	283	119	49	72	-22	6.9
Nashville-Davidson-Murfreesboro, TN	143	57	125	68	91	25	66	10.9
New Orleans-Metairie-Kenner, LA	-292	39	118	79	-323	10	-333	-22.2
New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-PA	495	724	1,618	894	-380	1,068	-1,447	2.7
Oklahoma City, OK	77	46	107	62	35	20	15	7.0
Orlando-Kissimmee, FL	340	74	160	86	269	62	206	20.7
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD	140	132	469	337	25	93	-68	2.5
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ	787	226	383	157	563	165	398	24.2
Pittsburgh, PA	-60	-21	157	178	-32	16	-48	-2.5
Portland-Vancouver-Beaverton, OR-WA	210	83	176	93	133	68	65	10.9
Providence-New Bedford-Fall River, RI-MA	30	28	121	92	7	28	-22	1.9
Richmond, VA	97	34	95	61	67	13	54	8.8
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA	771	209	366	157	570	95	475	23.7
Rochester, NY	-2	20	76	56	-16	13	-29	-0.2
Sacramento-Arden-Arcade-Roseville, CA	270	85	173	88	190	62	128	15.0
St. Louis, MO-IL ³	98	67	227	160	3	27	-23	3.6
Salt Lake City, UT	99	89	124	35	-1	39	-40	10.2
San Antonio, TX	231	102	184	82	134	29	104	13.5
San Diego-Carlsbad-San Marcos, CA	128	159	282	124	-20	99	-120	4.5
San Francisco-Oakland-Fremont, CA	56	171	353	182	-105	245	-350	1.4
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara, CA	51	119	175	56	-65	159	-224	3.0
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue, WA	220	126	257	131	92	102	-10	7.2
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	302	10	190	180	299	57	242	12.6
Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News, VA-NC	73	71	148	77	6	-2	7	4.6
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV	494	288	478	190	159	239	-80	10.3

¹ Less than 500. ² The estimated components of population change will not sum to the total population change due to the process of controlling to national totals. ³ Broomfield County, CO, was formed from parts of Adams, Boulder, Jefferson, and Weld Counties, CO, on November 15, 2001, and is coextensive with Broomfield city. For purposes of defining and presenting data for metropolitan statistical areas, Broomfield city is treated as if it were a county at the time of the 2000 census. ⁴ The portion of Sullivan city in Crawford County, Missouri, is legally part of the St. Louis, MO-IL MSA. Data shown here do not include this area.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, "Table 9: Cumulative Estimates of the Components of Population Change for Metropolitan and Micropolitan Statistical Areas: April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006 (CBSA-EST2006-09)"; published 5 April 2007; <<http://www.census.gov/population/www/estimates/CBSA-est2006-comp-chg.html>>.