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Table 3: Population Estimates for the Largest U.S. Cities based on July 1, 2007 Population Estimates: April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2007

Rank	Geographic Area		Population Estimates								April 1, 2000	
	Place	State	July 1, 2007	July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates Base	Census
1	New York city	New York	8,274,527	8,250,567	8,213,839	8,184,492	8,144,343	8,094,004	8,070,650	8,017,506	8,008,654	8,008,278
2	Los Angeles city	California	3,834,340	3,823,508	3,827,953	3,823,358	3,808,322	3,782,492	3,743,993	3,704,503	3,694,646	3,694,820
3	Chicago city	Illinois	2,836,658	2,828,586	2,839,944	2,860,081	2,875,274	2,889,038	2,898,432	2,896,305	2,896,044	2,896,016
4	Houston city	Texas	2,208,180	2,169,248	2,076,189	2,058,928	2,033,383	2,012,674	1,994,784	1,978,356	1,974,304	1,953,631
5	Phoenix city	Arizona	1,552,259	1,517,318	1,473,223	1,425,372	1,394,587	1,374,236	1,349,471	1,327,375	1,321,894	1,321,045
6	Philadelphia city	Pennsylvania	1,449,634	1,453,212	1,460,301	1,468,780	1,475,400	1,486,771	1,499,262	1,513,945	1,517,550	1,517,550
7	San Antonio city	Texas	1,328,984	1,296,304	1,262,858	1,242,300	1,220,317	1,200,682	1,177,807	1,163,882	1,159,833	1,144,646
8	San Diego city	California	1,266,731	1,258,603	1,258,961	1,265,692	1,265,069	1,254,811	1,243,485	1,228,174	1,223,418	1,223,400
9	Dallas city	Texas	1,240,499	1,227,894	1,213,608	1,207,230	1,204,333	1,205,562	1,204,129	1,190,784	1,188,589	1,188,580
10	San Jose city	California	939,899	924,888	912,736	903,684	899,207	899,688	906,051	898,759	895,816	894,943
11	Detroit city	Michigan	916,952	918,849	920,645	923,297	925,967	927,714	935,532	945,222	951,270	951,270
12	Jacksonville city	Florida	805,605	798,708	787,735	778,762	769,095	759,475	747,742	736,566	735,606	735,617
13	Indianapolis city (balance)	Indiana	795,458	792,380	789,181	787,216	786,141	785,201	785,654	782,244	781,864	781,870
14	San Francisco city	California	764,976	756,376	751,461	752,347	759,056	768,156	778,258	777,669	776,733	776,733
15	Columbus city	Ohio	747,755	742,976	738,665	736,073	733,795	727,920	723,634	715,611	712,863	711,470
16	Austin city	Texas	743,074	725,426	703,592	691,292	681,289	678,219	678,419	664,756	659,948	656,562
17	Fort Worth city	Texas	681,818	652,365	622,811	602,362	585,333	569,895	555,641	544,358	541,641	534,694
18	Memphis city	Tennessee	674,028	677,345	676,738	678,757	681,214	683,607	685,921	690,111	690,571	650,100
19	Charlotte city	North Carolina	671,588	654,117	633,259	615,797	602,516	591,786	582,154	570,200	566,933	540,828
20	Baltimore city	Maryland	637,455	640,961	640,064	641,004	642,324	636,760	645,253	648,615	651,154	651,154
21	El Paso city	Texas	606,913	600,712	591,168	586,082	577,687	571,944	568,063	564,990	563,900	563,662
22	Milwaukee city	Wisconsin	602,191	602,782	600,787	599,252	597,704	596,908	596,151	596,901	596,988	596,974
23	Boston city	Massachusetts	599,351	595,698	596,638	593,664	590,858	589,654	589,669	589,330	589,141	589,141
24	Seattle city	Washington	594,210	584,788	577,727	573,762	572,744	572,455	571,090	564,234	563,375	563,374
25	Nashville-Davidson metropolitan government (balance)	Tennessee	590,807	585,595	579,738	570,417	562,702	557,012	553,883	545,929	545,537	545,524