

Table A-1. States — **Area and Population**

| FIPS code <sup>1</sup> | State                | Area, 2000 (square miles) |                   | Population    |               |  |  |                   |      |      |                                      |         |         |
|------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|---------------|---------------|--|--|-------------------|------|------|--------------------------------------|---------|---------|
|                        |                      | Total                     | Rank <sup>2</sup> | 2006 (July 1) | 2005 (July 1) | 2000 <sup>3</sup> (April 1 estimates base) | 1990 <sup>3</sup> (April 1 estimates base) | Rank <sup>2</sup> |      |      | Persons per square mile of land area |         |         |
|                        |                      |                           |                   |               |               |  |  | 2006              | 2000 | 1990 | 2006 <sup>4</sup>                    | 2000    | 1990    |
| 00                     | UNITED STATES        | 3,794,083                 | (X)               | 299,398,484   | 296,507,061   | 281,424,602                                | 248,790,925                                | (X)               | (X)  | (X)  | 84.6                                 | 79.8    | 70.4    |
| 01                     | Alabama              | 52,419                    | 30                | 4,599,030     | 4,548,327     | 4,447,351                                  | 4,040,389                                  | 23                | 23   | 22   | 90.6                                 | 87.7    | 79.6    |
| 02                     | Alaska               | 663,267                   | 1                 | 670,053       | 663,253       | 626,931                                    | 550,043                                    | 47                | 48   | 49   | 1.2                                  | 1.1     | 1.0     |
| 04                     | Arizona              | 113,998                   | 6                 | 6,166,318     | 5,953,007     | 5,130,632                                  | 3,665,339                                  | 16                | 20   | 24   | 54.3                                 | 45.5    | 32.3    |
| 05                     | Arkansas             | 53,179                    | 29                | 2,810,872     | 2,775,708     | 2,673,398                                  | 2,350,624                                  | 32                | 33   | 33   | 54.0                                 | 51.4    | 45.1    |
| 06                     | California           | 163,696                   | 3                 | 36,457,549    | 36,154,147    | 33,871,653                                 | 29,811,427                                 | 1                 | 1    | 1    | 233.8                                | 218.1   | 191.1   |
| 08                     | Colorado             | 104,094                   | 8                 | 4,753,377     | 4,663,295     | 4,302,015                                  | 3,294,473                                  | 22                | 24   | 26   | 45.8                                 | 41.5    | 31.8    |
| 09                     | Connecticut          | 5,543                     | 48                | 3,504,809     | 3,500,701     | 3,405,602                                  | 3,287,116                                  | 29                | 29   | 27   | 723.4                                | 704.4   | 678.4   |
| 10                     | Delaware             | 2,489                     | 49                | 853,476       | 841,741       | 783,600                                    | 666,168                                    | 45                | 45   | 46   | 436.9                                | 402.6   | 340.8   |
| 11                     | District of Columbia | 68                        | (X)               | 581,530       | 582,049       | 572,059                                    | 606,900                                    | (X)               | (X)  | (X)  | 9,471.2                              | 9,300.4 | 9,882.8 |
| 12                     | Florida              | 65,755                    | 22                | 18,089,888    | 17,768,191    | 15,982,824                                 | 12,938,071                                 | 4                 | 4    | 4    | 335.5                                | 297.6   | 239.6   |
| 13                     | Georgia              | 59,425                    | 24                | 9,363,941     | 9,132,553     | 8,186,816                                  | 6,478,149                                  | 9                 | 10   | 11   | 161.7                                | 142.1   | 111.8   |
| 15                     | Hawaii               | 10,931                    | 43                | 1,285,498     | 1,273,278     | 1,211,537                                  | 1,108,229                                  | 42                | 42   | 41   | 200.2                                | 188.7   | 172.5   |
| 16                     | Idaho                | 83,570                    | 14                | 1,466,465     | 1,429,367     | 1,293,956                                  | 1,006,734                                  | 39                | 39   | 42   | 17.7                                 | 15.7    | 12.2    |
| 17                     | Illinois             | 57,914                    | 25                | 12,831,970    | 12,765,427    | 12,419,647                                 | 11,430,602                                 | 5                 | 5    | 6    | 230.9                                | 223.8   | 205.6   |
| 18                     | Indiana              | 36,418                    | 38                | 6,313,520     | 6,266,019     | 6,080,517                                  | 5,544,156                                  | 15                | 14   | 14   | 176.0                                | 169.9   | 154.6   |
| 19                     | Iowa                 | 56,272                    | 26                | 2,982,085     | 2,965,524     | 2,926,382                                  | 2,776,831                                  | 30                | 30   | 30   | 53.4                                 | 52.4    | 49.7    |
| 20                     | Kansas               | 82,277                    | 15                | 2,764,075     | 2,748,172     | 2,688,824                                  | 2,477,588                                  | 33                | 32   | 32   | 33.8                                 | 32.9    | 30.3    |
| 21                     | Kentucky             | 40,409                    | 37                | 4,206,074     | 4,172,608     | 4,042,285                                  | 3,686,892                                  | 26                | 25   | 23   | 105.9                                | 101.9   | 92.8    |
| 22                     | Louisiana            | 51,840                    | 31                | 4,287,768     | 4,507,331     | 4,468,958                                  | 4,221,826                                  | 25                | 22   | 21   | 98.4                                 | 102.6   | 96.9    |
| 23                     | Maine                | 35,385                    | 39                | 1,321,574     | 1,318,220     | 1,274,923                                  | 1,227,928                                  | 40                | 40   | 38   | 42.8                                 | 41.4    | 39.8    |
| 24                     | Maryland             | 12,407                    | 42                | 5,615,727     | 5,589,599     | 5,296,599                                  | 4,780,753                                  | 19                | 19   | 19   | 574.6                                | 543.5   | 489.1   |
| 25                     | Massachusetts        | 10,555                    | 44                | 6,437,193     | 6,433,367     | 6,349,105                                  | 6,016,425                                  | 13                | 13   | 13   | 821.1                                | 811.6   | 767.6   |
| 26                     | Michigan             | 96,716                    | 11                | 10,095,643    | 10,100,833    | 9,938,480                                  | 9,295,287                                  | 8                 | 8    | 8    | 177.7                                | 175.3   | 163.6   |
| 27                     | Minnesota            | 86,939                    | 12                | 5,167,101     | 5,126,739     | 4,919,492                                  | 4,375,665                                  | 21                | 21   | 20   | 64.9                                 | 62.0    | 55.0    |
| 28                     | Mississippi          | 48,430                    | 32                | 2,910,540     | 2,908,496     | 2,844,656                                  | 2,575,475                                  | 31                | 31   | 31   | 62.0                                 | 60.7    | 54.9    |
| 29                     | Missouri             | 69,704                    | 21                | 5,842,713     | 5,797,703     | 5,596,683                                  | 5,116,901                                  | 18                | 17   | 15   | 84.8                                 | 81.4    | 74.3    |
| 30                     | Montana              | 147,042                   | 4                 | 944,632       | 934,737       | 902,195                                    | 799,065                                    | 44                | 44   | 44   | 6.5                                  | 6.2     | 5.5     |
| 31                     | Nebraska             | 77,354                    | 16                | 1,768,331     | 1,758,163     | 1,711,265                                  | 1,578,417                                  | 38                | 38   | 36   | 23.0                                 | 22.3    | 20.5    |
| 32                     | Nevada               | 110,561                   | 7                 | 2,495,529     | 2,412,301     | 1,998,257                                  | 1,201,675                                  | 35                | 35   | 39   | 22.7                                 | 18.4    | 10.9    |
| 33                     | New Hampshire        | 9,350                     | 46                | 1,314,895     | 1,306,819     | 1,235,786                                  | 1,109,252                                  | 41                | 41   | 40   | 146.6                                | 138.3   | 123.7   |
| 34                     | New Jersey           | 8,721                     | 47                | 8,724,560     | 8,703,150     | 8,414,347                                  | 7,747,750                                  | 11                | 9    | 9    | 1,176.2                              | 1,137.1 | 1,044.3 |
| 35                     | New Mexico           | 121,589                   | 5                 | 1,954,599     | 1,925,985     | 1,819,046                                  | 1,515,069                                  | 36                | 36   | 37   | 16.1                                 | 15.1    | 12.5    |
| 36                     | New York             | 54,556                    | 27                | 19,306,183    | 19,315,721    | 18,976,821                                 | 17,990,778                                 | 3                 | 3    | 2    | 408.9                                | 402.4   | 381.0   |
| 37                     | North Carolina       | 53,819                    | 28                | 8,856,505     | 8,672,459     | 8,046,491                                  | 6,632,448                                  | 10                | 11   | 10   | 181.8                                | 165.9   | 136.1   |
| 38                     | North Dakota         | 70,700                    | 19                | 635,867       | 634,605       | 642,200                                    | 638,800                                    | 48                | 47   | 47   | 9.2                                  | 9.3     | 9.3     |
| 39                     | Ohio                 | 44,825                    | 34                | 11,478,006    | 11,470,685    | 11,353,145                                 | 10,847,115                                 | 7                 | 7    | 7    | 280.3                                | 277.5   | 264.9   |
| 40                     | Oklahoma             | 69,898                    | 20                | 3,579,212     | 3,543,442     | 3,450,654                                  | 3,145,576                                  | 28                | 27   | 28   | 52.1                                 | 50.3    | 45.8    |
| 41                     | Oregon               | 98,381                    | 9                 | 3,700,758     | 3,638,871     | 3,421,436                                  | 2,842,337                                  | 27                | 28   | 29   | 38.6                                 | 35.7    | 29.6    |
| 42                     | Pennsylvania         | 46,055                    | 33                | 12,440,621    | 12,405,348    | 12,281,054                                 | 11,882,842                                 | 6                 | 6    | 5    | 277.6                                | 274.2   | 265.1   |
| 44                     | Rhode Island         | 1,545                     | 50                | 1,067,610     | 1,073,579     | 1,048,319                                  | 1,003,464                                  | 43                | 43   | 43   | 1,021.7                              | 1,005.7 | 960.3   |
| 45                     | South Carolina       | 32,020                    | 40                | 4,321,249     | 4,246,933     | 4,011,816                                  | 3,486,310                                  | 24                | 26   | 25   | 143.5                                | 133.6   | 115.8   |
| 46                     | South Dakota         | 77,116                    | 17                | 781,919       | 774,883       | 754,844                                    | 696,004                                    | 46                | 46   | 45   | 10.3                                 | 10.0    | 9.2     |
| 47                     | Tennessee            | 42,143                    | 36                | 6,038,803     | 5,955,745     | 5,689,262                                  | 4,877,203                                  | 17                | 16   | 17   | 146.5                                | 138.4   | 118.3   |
| 48                     | Texas                | 268,581                   | 2                 | 23,507,783    | 22,928,508    | 20,851,790                                 | 16,986,335                                 | 2                 | 2    | 3    | 89.8                                 | 80.0    | 64.9    |
| 49                     | Utah                 | 84,899                    | 13                | 2,550,063     | 2,490,334     | 2,233,198                                  | 1,722,850                                  | 34                | 34   | 35   | 31.0                                 | 27.3    | 21.0    |
| 50                     | Vermont              | 9,614                     | 45                | 623,908       | 622,387       | 608,827                                    | 562,758                                    | 49                | 49   | 48   | 67.5                                 | 65.9    | 60.8    |
| 51                     | Virginia             | 42,774                    | 35                | 7,642,884     | 7,564,327     | 7,079,030                                  | 6,189,197                                  | 12                | 12   | 12   | 193.0                                | 179.4   | 156.3   |
| 53                     | Washington           | 71,300                    | 18                | 6,995,798     | 6,291,899     | 5,894,140                                  | 4,866,669                                  | 14                | 15   | 18   | 96.1                                 | 88.8    | 73.1    |
| 54                     | West Virginia        | 24,230                    | 41                | 1,818,470     | 1,814,083     | 1,808,350                                  | 1,793,477                                  | 37                | 37   | 34   | 75.5                                 | 75.1    | 74.5    |
| 55                     | Wisconsin            | 65,498                    | 23                | 5,556,506     | 5,527,644     | 5,363,715                                  | 4,891,954                                  | 20                | 18   | 16   | 102.3                                | 99.0    | 90.1    |
| 56                     | Wyoming              | 97,814                    | 10                | 515,004       | 508,798       | 493,782                                    | 453,589                                    | 50                | 50   | 50   | 5.3                                  | 5.1     | 4.7     |

X Not applicable.

<sup>1</sup>Federal Information Processing Standards (FIPS) codes for states and counties.

<sup>2</sup>Based on 50 states. When states share the same rank, the next lower rank is omitted.

<sup>3</sup>The Population Estimates base reflects modifications to the census population as documented in the Count Question Resolution program and geographic program revisions. 1990 also has adjustment for underenumeration in certain counties and cities.

<sup>4</sup>Persons per square mile was calculated on the basis of land area data from the 2000 census.

Survey, Census, or Data Collection Method: Based on population estimates and the "component of population change method"; for more information, see Appendix B, Limitations of the Data and Methodology, and also <<http://www.census.gov/popest/topics/methodology/>>.

Sources: Area—U.S. Census Bureau, 2000 Summary File 1 (SF1), GCT-PH1 Population, Housing Units, Area, and Density: 2000 (related Internet site <<http://www.census.gov/Press-Release/www/2001/sumfile1.html>>). Population, 2006, 2005, and 2000—U.S. Census Bureau, Population Estimates, Annual County Population Estimates and Components of Change: April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006 (related Internet site <<http://www.census.gov/popest/counties/files/CO-EST2006-alldata.txt>>). Population, 1990—U.S. Census Bureau archive 1990 to 1999, "County Population Estimates for July 1, 1999 and Population Change for April 1, 1990 to July 1, 1999" (related Internet site <<http://www.census.gov/popest/archives/1990s/CO-99-02.html>>).