Indiana Population Estimates for 2007

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Indiana is the nation’s 15th most populous state

Population Growth 2000 to 2007

Indiana’s population grew by nearly 43,000 people between 2006 and 2007 to reach a total of 6,345,289 residents.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau
Map: Indiana Business Research Center, December 2007

U.S. Rate = 7.2%

- Greater than U.S. Rate (18 states)
- Less than U.S. Rate (33 states)
Indiana

- Since 2000, Indiana’s population increased by 265,000. This represents a 4.4 percent total growth and a 0.6% average annual rate of change.
- The U.S. population grew by 1 percent between 2006 and 2007 to climb above 300 million for the first time.
Indiana

- Indiana’s 2000 - 2007 rate of growth ranked 31st nationally
- Indiana’s growth rate over this same period ranked 5th among 12 Midwestern states and exceeded neighboring Illinois, Michigan, and Ohio
- Natural increase (births minus deaths) accounted for 81 percent of Indiana’s total population growth between 2000 and 2007
- Indiana has experienced a net in-migration of 53,405 since 2000. Only 5 of 12 Midwestern states have registered positive net migration over this period.
Indiana

- Indiana has seen a net internal migration (movement between states) loss totaling -16,431 since 2000 compared to a net international migration gain of 69,836. Among Midwestern states, only Missouri and South Dakota have had positive net internal migration over this period.

- Since 2000, population growth in the West (10.9 percent) and the South (10.2 percent) regions continued to outpace the Midwest (3.1 percent) and Northeast (2.0 percent).
Other States

- Nevada returned to the top as the nation’s fastest-growing state, with a population increase of 2.9 percent between July 1, 2006, and July 1, 2007, according to estimates released today by the U.S. Census Bureau.
- Arizona, fastest-growing between 2005 and 2006, slipped to second place.
- Louisiana began to rebound from its post-Hurricane Katrina population loss, gaining nearly 50,000 people from July 1, 2006, to July 1, 2007, for a total population of 4.3 million.
- Texas gained more people than any other state: its 2006-2007 increase of almost 500,000 was ahead of runner-up California, which added slightly more than 300,000.
- California remains the most populous state with about 37 million people.
South and West Out in Front

Population by Region
2007 Population

- South: 37%
- West: 23%
- Midwest: 22%
- Northeast: 18%

Source: IBRC, using Census Bureau's 2007 Population Estimates
Indiana Outpacing Many of Its Neighbors

Midwest States' Percent Change (2000 to 2007) in Population

- Ohio
- Pennsylvania
- Michigan
- Iowa
- Illinois
- Indiana
- Wisconsin
- Kentucky
- Minnesota

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## Components of Population Change

### Reasons for Population Growth (or decline)

**2000 to 2007: Natural Increase and Migration**

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<td><strong>Natural Increase</strong></td>
<td>229,514</td>
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<td><strong>Net Migration</strong></td>
<td>53,405</td>
<td>-131,259</td>
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<td>International</td>
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<td>420,052</td>
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<td>Domestic</td>
<td>-16,431</td>
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<td>63,791</td>
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## The Numbers

### Geographic Area


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<td>110,454,786</td>
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<td>West</td>
<td>70,096,950</td>
<td>63,198,767</td>
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#### Individual States

- **Illinois**: 12,852,548 to 12,419,647 (432,901, 3.5%)
- **Indiana**: 6,345,289 to 6,080,521 (264,768, 4.4%)
- **Iowa**: 2,988,046 to 2,926,382 (61,664, 2.1%)
- **Kentucky**: 4,241,474 to 4,042,281 (199,193, 4.9%)
- **Michigan**: 10,071,822 to 9,938,482 (133,340, 1.3%)
- **Minnesota**: 5,197,621 to 4,919,492 (278,129, 5.7%)
- **Ohio**: 11,466,917 to 11,353,145 (113,772, 1.0%)
- **Pennsylvania**: 12,432,792 to 12,281,054 (151,738, 1.2%)
- **Wisconsin**: 5,601,640 to 5,363,715 (237,925, 4.4%)
More data on STATS Indiana

- These data and more are available on STATS Indiana at [www.stats.indiana.edu/topic/population.asp](http://www.stats.indiana.edu/topic/population.asp)
- And on our States in Profile: [www.stats.indiana.edu/sip](http://www.stats.indiana.edu/sip)