



State & County QuickFacts

Hamilton County, Tennessee

People QuickFacts	Hamilton County	Tennessee
Population, 2009 estimate	337,175	6,296,254
Population, percent change, April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2009	9.5%	10.7%
Population estimates base (April 1) 2000	307,893	5,689,276
Persons under 5 years old, percent, 2009	6.3%	6.8%
Persons under 18 years old, percent, 2009	21.9%	23.7%
Persons 65 years old and over, percent, 2009	14.8%	13.4%
Female persons, percent, 2009	52.1%	51.3%
White persons, percent, 2009 (a)	76.6%	80.2%
Black persons, percent, 2009 (a)	20.1%	16.8%
American Indian and Alaska Native persons, percent, 2009 (a)	0.4%	0.3%
Asian persons, percent, 2009 (a)	1.7%	1.4%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander, percent, 2009 (a)	0.1%	0.1%
Persons reporting two or more races, percent, 2009	1.2%	1.2%
Persons of Hispanic or Latino origin, percent, 2009 (b)	3.4%	4.2%
White persons not Hispanic, percent, 2009	73.6%	76.5%
Living in same house in 1995 and 2000, pct 5 yrs old & over	54.8%	53.9%
Foreign born persons, percent, 2000	3.0%	2.8%
Language other than English spoken at home, pct age 5+, 2000	5.1%	4.8%
High school graduates, percent of persons age 25+, 2000	80.7%	75.9%
Bachelor's degree or higher, pct of persons age 25+, 2000	23.9%	19.6%
Persons with a disability, age 5+, 2000	60,373	1,149,693
Mean travel time to work (minutes), workers age 16+, 2000	22.6	24.5
Housing units, 2009	151,114	2,780,857
Homeownership rate, 2000	65.9%	69.9%
Housing units in multi-unit structures, percent, 2000	25.4%	18.7%
Median value of owner-occupied housing units, 2000	\$94,700	\$93,000
Households, 2000	124,444	2,232,905
Persons per household, 2000	2.41	2.48
Median household income, 2008	\$47,574	\$43,610
Per capita money income, 1999	\$21,593	\$19,393
Persons below poverty level, percent, 2008	14.1%	15.5%
Business QuickFacts	Hamilton County	Tennessee
Private nonfarm establishments, 2008	8,971	136,585 ¹
Private nonfarm employment, 2008	184,235	2,492,746 ¹
Private nonfarm employment, percent change 2000-2008	5.4%	4.3% ¹
Nonemployer establishments, 2008	23,239	453,314
Total number of firms, 2002	26,123	454,366
Black-owned firms, percent, 2002	6.5%	5.9%
American Indian and Alaska Native owned firms, percent, 2002	1.2%	0.8%
Asian-owned firms, percent, 2002	2.0%	1.6%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander owned firms, percent, 2002	F	S
Hispanic-owned firms, percent, 2002	1.0%	0.9%
Women-owned firms, percent, 2002	27.5%	26.0%
Manufacturers shipments, 2002 (\$1000)	5,823,225	109,293,454

Wholesale trade sales, 2002 (\$1000)	2,944,408	97,792,030
Retail sales, 2002 (\$1000)	3,888,849	60,136,403
Retail sales per capita, 2002	\$12,573	\$10,382
Accommodation and foodservices sales, 2002 (\$1000)	532,613	8,024,900
Building permits, 2009	796	15,005
Federal spending, 2008	3,087,874	58,672,276 ¹
Geography QuickFacts	Hamilton County	Tennessee
Land area, 2000 (square miles)	542.44	41,217.12
Persons per square mile, 2000	568.1	138.0
FIPS Code	065	47
Metropolitan or Micropolitan Statistical Area	Chattanooga, TN- GA Metro Area	

1: Includes data not distributed by county.

(a) Includes persons reporting only one race.

(b) Hispanics may be of any race, so also are included in applicable race categories.

D: Suppressed to avoid disclosure of confidential information

F: Fewer than 100 firms

FN: Footnote on this item for this area in place of data

NA: Not available

S: Suppressed; does not meet publication standards

X: Not applicable

Z: Value greater than zero but less than half unit of measure shown

Source U.S. Census Bureau: State and County QuickFacts. Data derived from Population Estimates, Census of Population and Housing, Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates, State and County Housing Unit Estimates, County Business Patterns, Nonemployer Statistics, Economic Census, Survey of Business Owners, Building Permits, Consolidated Federal Funds Report

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