

1972-1973 Texas Almanac
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TEXAS ALMANAC—1972-1973

Congressional Districts

Table shows Texas Congressional Districts set by Legislature in 1971, now in litigation. (See U.S. Government for members of Congress.) Except for consolidation of former Districts 18 and 13 into new 13 (with District 18 assigned to Harris County) and new District 24, most new districts are primarily composed of the same counties as in former districts of same number.

Dist., Counties	1970 Population
1. Lamar, Fannin, Henderson, San Augustine, Red River, Bowie, Camp, Delta, Hopkins, Franklin, Titus, Morris, Cass, Wood, Upshur, Marion, Harrison, Rusk, Panola, Cherokee and Shelby.....	461,879
2. Freestone, Leon, Madison, Grimes, Anderson, Angelina, Hardin, Houston, Jasper, Liberty, Montgomery, Nacogdoches, Newton, Orange, Polk, Sabine, San Jacinto, Trinity, Tyler and Walker.....	466,836
3. The western section of Dallas County.....	465,221
4. Collin, Grayson, Gregg, Hunt, Kaufman, Rains, Rockwall, Smith and Van Zandt Counties and a section of northeast Dallas County.....	463,142
5. The eastern section of Dallas County.....	465,093
6. The southern sections of Dallas and Tarrant Counties and Brazos, Ellis, Hill, Johnson, Navarro, Limestone and Robertson.....	467,913
7. The northwest third of Harris County.....	461,704
8. Central Harris County.....	461,216
9. Chambers, Galveston and Jefferson.....	467,483
10. Bastrop, Blanco, Burleson, Caldwell, Colorado, Fayette, Hays, Lee, Travis, Austin, Waller and Washington.....	455,493
11. Bell, Bosque, Coryell, Falls, Hood, McLennan, Milam, Parker, Somervell, Williamson, Hamilton, Mills, Burnet and Lampasas.....	468,148
12. Most of Tarrant County.....	465,671
13. Archer, Baylor, Childress, Clay, Cottle, Dickens, Foard, Hardeman, King, Knox, Wichita, Wilbarger, Dallam, Sherman, Hansford, Ochiltree, Lipscomb, Hartley, Moore, Hutchinson, Roberts, Hemphill, Oldham,	

Dist., Counties	1970 Population
Potter, Carson, Gray, Wheeler, Randall, Armstrong, Donley, Collingsworth, Swisher, Briscoe, Hall and Motley.....	477,856
14. Aransas, Calhoun, Matagorda, Nueces, Refugio, Jackson, Wharton, San Patricio, Victoria and Brazoria (part).....	467,839
15. Brooks, Cameron, Hidalgo, Jim Hogg, Kenedy, Kleberg, Starr, Willacy, Zapata, McMullen, Live Oak, Duval and Jim Wells.....	458,581
16. Brewster, Culberson, El Paso, Hudspeth, Jeff Davis, Loving, Presidio, Reeves, Ward, Winkler and part of Ector.....	477,614
17. Brown, Callahan, Coleman, Comanche, Eastland, Erath, Fisher, Haskell, Howard, Jones, McCulloch, Mitchell, Nolan, Palo Pinto, San Saba, Shackelford, Stephens, Taylor, Throckmorton, Jack, Kent, Stonewall, Montague, Cooke, Wise, Floyd, Crosby, Garza, Young, Borden and Scurry.....	467,912
18. Part of Harris County.....	462,062
19. Andrews, Cochran, Dawson, Gaines, Hockley, Lubbock, Lynn, Martin, Midland, Terry, Yoakum, Deaf Smith, Parmer, Castro, Bailey, Lamb, Hale and part of Ector.....	477,459
20. The central section of Bexar County and San Antonio.....	467,942
21. The northern section and northwest edge of Bexar County, and Bandera, Comal, Crane, Crockett, Edwards, Gillespie, Irion, Kendall, Kerr, Kimble, Kinney, Reagan, Real, Schleicher, Sutton, Tom Green, Upton, Uvalde, Pecos, Terrell, Coke, Concho, Glasscock, Llano, Mason, Menard, Runnels and Sterling.....	466,656
22. The southern part of Harris County, Brazoria and Fort Bend.....	461,448
23. The southwest portion of Bexar County and Atascosa, Bee, DeWitt, Dimmit, Frio, Goliad, Gonzales, Guadalupe, Karnes, LaSalle, Lavaca, Maverick, Medina, Webb, Wilson and Zavala.....	466,248
24. Northwest corner Dallas County; northeast corner Tarrant County and Denton.....	465,314

Texas State Representatives Districts

Texas legislators redistricted state representative districts in 1971, but this redistricting was immediately taken into the courts. No final action had been taken by courts when this section of the Texas Almanac went to press at the end of July, 1971. The following table shows districts as established by the Legislature. The first figures are the district numbers; where districts have more than one representative, the number is shown by the figures in parentheses. Populations of districts, based upon the 1970 U.S. Census, and counties are shown in the table.

Representatives will be elected from these districts in 1972. The list in the table, "Texas Legislature—Members," is of members who were elected in 1970 and served from districts as they were composed at that time. (See map, Page 640, 1970-71 Texas Almanac, for these districts and 1960 populations.)

Dist., Counties	1970 Population
1. Bowie, Red River (part).....	72,958
2. Cass, Marion, Morris, Titus, Red River (part) and Harrison (part).....	73,485
3. Harrison (part), Rusk.....	76,073
4. Nacogdoches, San Augustine (part), Shelby, Panola.....	74,825
5. Newton (part), Jasper, Tyler, Hardin.....	74,178
6. Newton (part), Orange.....	75,754
7. Jefferson (part) (3).....	224,447
8. Rains, Wood, Upshur, Smith (part), Cherokee (part).....	76,623
9. Liberty (part), Chambers, Jefferson (part), Galveston (part).....	74,437
10. Lamar, Delta, Hopkins, Franklin, Camp.....	74,995
11. Smith (part).....	75,738
12. San Augustine (part), Sabine, Angelina, Polk.....	75,954
13. Gregg.....	75,929

Dist., Counties	1970 Population
14. Grayson (part), Fannin.....	77,791
15. Hunt, Kaufman (part).....	77,450
16. Van Zandt, Henderson, Anderson.....	76,410
17. Falls (part), Navarro (part), Freestone, Limestone, Robertson.....	74,971
18. Cherokee (part), Houston, Walker, Trinity.....	73,223
19. Liberty (part), Grimes, Montgomery, San Jacinto.....	76,478
20. Fort Bend, Brazoria (part).....	74,144
21. Harris (part) (3).....	221,770
22. Harris (part) (4).....	304,634
23. Harris (part) (4).....	304,251
24. Harris (part) (4).....	301,365
25. Harris (part) (4).....	301,773
26. Harris (part) (4).....	296,703
27. Galveston (part) (2).....	152,460
28. Gonzales, Bastrop, Fayette, Colorado, Wharton (part).....	73,040
29. Harris (part), Lee, Burleson, Washington, Waller, Austin.....	76,411
30. Wharton (part), Brazoria (part), Matagorda.....	72,950
31. Brazoria (part).....	74,094
32. Kaufman (part), Rockwall, Collin.....	76,856
33. Dallas (18).....	1,327,321
34. Navarro (part), Ellis, Hill.....	73,070
35. McLennan (part).....	76,210
36. McLennan (part), Coryell.....	76,190
37. Bell (part), Williamson, Milam.....	74,813
38. Brazos, Leon, Madison.....	74,409
39. Travis (4).....	295,516
40. Gillespie, Blanco, Burnet, Hays, Caldwell.....	74,360
41. Kendall, Comal, Guadalupe, Wilson.....	77,724
42. Lavaca, DeWitt, Goliad, Refugio, Aransas, Jackson.....	72,803
43. Calhoun, Victoria.....	71,597