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| All Topics  |  | Alabama   |
| PEOPLE  |  |           |
| Population  |  |           |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Population estimates, July 1, 2016, (V2016)                               |  | 4,863,300 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Population estimates base, April 1, 2010, (V2016)                                    |  | 4,780,131 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Population, percent change - April 1, 2010 (estimates base) to July 1, 2016, (V2016) |  | 1.7%      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Population, Census, April 1, 2010  |  | 4,779,736 |
| Age and Sex   |  |           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Persons under 5 years, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)                                |  | 6.0%      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Persons under 5 years, percent, April 1, 2010  |  | 6.4%      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Persons under 18 years, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)                               |  | 22.6%     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Persons under 18 years, percent, April 1, 2010                                       |  | 23.7%     |

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Persons 65 years and over, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)  | 16.1%     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Persons 65 years and over, percent, April 1, 2010  | 13.8%     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Female persons, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)   | 51.6%     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Female persons, percent, April 1, 2010   | 51.5%     |
| <b>Race and Hispanic Origin</b>   |           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> White alone, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016) <a href="#">(a)</a>                                      | 69.3%     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American alone, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016) <a href="#">(a)</a>                  | 26.8%     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian and Alaska Native alone, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016) <a href="#">(a)</a>          | 0.7%      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian alone, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016) <a href="#">(a)</a>                                      | 1.4%      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016) <a href="#">(a)</a> | 0.1%      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Two or More Races, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)  | 1.6%      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic or Latino, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016) <a href="#">(b)</a>                               | 4.2%      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> White alone, not Hispanic or Latino, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)                                  | 65.8%     |
| <b>Population Characteristics</b>   |           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Veterans, 2011-2015  | 363,170   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign born persons, percent, 2011-2015   | 3.5%      |
| <b>Housing</b>  |           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Housing units, July 1, 2016, (V2016)   | 2,230,185 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Housing units, April 1, 2010   | 2,171,853 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Owner-occupied housing unit rate, 2011-2015  | 68.7%     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Median value of owner-occupied housing units, 2011-2015  | \$125,500 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Median selected monthly owner costs -with a mortgage, 2011-2015                                      | \$1,139   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Median selected monthly owner costs -without a mortgage, 2011-2015                                   | \$345     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Median gross rent, 2011-2015   | \$717     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Building permits, 2016   | 15,001    |
| <b>Families &amp; Living Arrangements</b>   |           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Households, 2011-2015  | 1,848,325 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Persons per household, 2011-2015   | 2.55      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Living in same house 1 year ago, percent of persons age 1 year+, 2011-2015                           | 85.3%     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Language other than English spoken at home, percent of persons age 5 years+, 2011-2015               | 5.2%      |
| <b>Education</b>  |           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> High school graduate or higher, percent of persons age 25 years+, 2011-2015                          | 84.3%     |

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Bachelor's degree or higher, percent of persons age 25 years+, 2011-2015                  | 23.5%                          |
| Health   |                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> With a disability, under age 65 years, percent, 2011-2015                                 | 11.8%                          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Persons without health insurance, under age 65 years, percent                             | <input type="checkbox"/> 10.7% |
| Economy  |                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> In civilian labor force, total, percent of population age 16 years+, 2011-2015            | 58.0%                          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> In civilian labor force, female, percent of population age 16 years+, 2011-2015           | 53.0%                          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Total accommodation and food services sales, 2012 (\$1,000) <span>(c)</span>              | 7,576,462                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Total health care and social assistance receipts/revenue, 2012 (\$1,000) <span>(c)</span> | 26,039,632                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Total manufacturers shipments, 2012 (\$1,000) <span>(c)</span>                            | 124,809,759                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Total merchant wholesaler sales, 2012 (\$1,000) <span>(c)</span>                          | 57,746,565                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Total retail sales, 2012 (\$1,000) <span>(c)</span>                                       | 58,564,965                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Total retail sales per capita, 2012 <span>(c)</span>                                      | \$12,145                       |
| Transportation   |                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mean travel time to work (minutes), workers age 16 years+, 2011-2015                      | 24.4                           |
| Income & Poverty   |                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Median household income (in 2015 dollars), 2011-2015                                      | \$43,623                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Per capita income in past 12 months (in 2015 dollars), 2011-2015                          | \$24,091                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Persons in poverty, percent   | <input type="checkbox"/> 17.1% |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>BUSINESSES</b>   |                                |
| Businesses   |                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Total employer establishments, 2015   | 98,540 <sup>1</sup>            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Total employment, 2015  | 1,634,391 <sup>1</sup>         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Total annual payroll, 2015 (\$1,000)  | 67,370,353 <sup>1</sup>        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Total employment, percent change, 2014-2015   | 1.9% <sup>1</sup>              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Total nonemployer establishments, 2015  | 322,025                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> All firms, 2012   | 374,153                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Men-owned firms, 2012   | 203,604                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Women-owned firms, 2012   | 137,630                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Minority-owned firms, 2012  | 92,219                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Nonminority-owned firms, 2012   | 272,651                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Veteran-owned firms, 2012   | 41,943                         |

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Nonveteran-owned firms, 2012     | 316,984   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>GEOGRAPHY</b>                 |           |
| <b>Geography</b>  |           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Population per square mile, 2010 | 94.4      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Land area in square miles, 2010  | 50,645.33 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FIPS Code                        | 01        |

Value Notes

- 1. Includes data not distributed by county.

This geographic level of poverty and health estimates is not comparable to other geographic levels of these estimates

Some estimates presented here come from sample data, and thus have sampling errors that may render some apparent differences between geographies statistically indistinguishable. Click the Quick Info icon to the left of each row in TABLE view to learn about sampling error.

The vintage year (e.g., V2016) refers to the final year of the series (2010 thru 2016). *Different vintage years of estimates are not comparable.*

Fact Notes

- (a) Includes persons reporting only one race
- (b) Hispanics may be of any race, so also are included in applicable race categories
- (c) Economic Census - Puerto Rico data are not comparable to U.S. Economic Census data

Value Flags

- Either no or too few sample observations were available to compute an estimate, or a ratio of medians cannot be calculated because one or both of the median estimates falls in the lowest or upper interval of an open ended distribution.
- D Suppressed to avoid disclosure of confidential information
- F Fewer than 25 firms
- FN Footnote on this item 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

QuickFacts data are derived from: Population Estimates, American Community Survey, Census of Population and Housing, Current Population Survey, Small Area Health Insurance Estimates, 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.

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