

City of Austin Population History and Corporate Area

1840 to 2019

Year	City of Austin Total Area Population	Annualized Growth Rate	Total Square Miles	Full Purpose Square Miles	Limited Purpose Square Miles	Densities	
						Persons per Square Mile	Persons per Acre
1840	553		1.0			553.0	0.9
1850	629	1.3%					
1860	3,494	18.7%					
1870	4,428	2.4%					
1880	11,013	9.5%					
1890	14,575	2.8%					
1900	22,258	4.3%	16.5			1,349.0	2.1
1910	29,860	3.0%	16.5			1,809.7	2.8
1920	34,876	1.6%	16.5			2,113.7	3.3
1930	53,120	4.3%	20.4			2,602.6	4.1
1940	87,930	5.2%	30.9			2,850.2	4.5
1950	132,459	4.2%	37.9			3,497.7	5.5
1960	186,545	3.5%	55.8			3,343.2	5.2
1961	194,940	4.5%	56.4			3,455.1	5.4
1962	201,762	3.5%	57.2			3,528.9	5.5
1963	205,394	1.8%	58.4			3,518.1	5.5
1964	208,475	1.5%	59.7			3,493.2	5.5
1965	214,117	2.7%	61.3			3,493.0	5.5
1966	218,981	2.3%	61.8			3,541.4	5.5
1967	223,981	2.3%	63.5			3,527.6	5.5
1968	234,375	4.6%	73.5			3,187.1	5.0
1969	244,074	4.1%	80.1			3,048.1	4.8
1970	251,808	3.2%	81.4			3,093.8	4.8
1971	263,000	4.4%	83.5			3,150.9	4.9
1972	275,900	4.9%	91.1			3,029.4	4.7
1973	290,300	5.2%	98.9			2,934.9	4.6
1974	297,500	2.5%	103.7			2,869.8	4.5
1975	302,500	1.7%	108.9			2,776.6	4.3
1976	308,952	2.1%	119.7			2,580.4	4.0
1977	321,900	4.2%	121.8			2,642.8	4.1
1978	331,900	3.1%	122.9			2,699.9	4.2
1979	341,507	2.9%	123.9			2,756.8	4.3
1980	345,890	1.3%	128.9			2,682.5	4.2
1981	349,513	1.0%	129.8			2,691.9	4.2
1982	358,950	2.7%	134.8			2,663.2	4.2
1983	373,541	4.1%	143.5			2,602.5	4.1
1984	392,971	5.2%	199.8			1,966.9	3.1
1985	417,033	6.1%	239.8			1,739.1	2.7
1986	447,342	7.3%	265.2			1,686.8	2.6
1987	461,039	3.1%	254.4			1,812.1	2.8
1988	464,118	0.7%	249.1			1,863.4	2.9
1989	466,499	0.5%	225.6			2,067.8	3.2
1990	465,622	-0.2%	226.3	187.0	39.3	2,057.7	3.2
1991	476,447	2.3%	226.7	190.7	36.0	2,102.0	3.3
1992	482,296	1.2%	226.9	192.2	34.7	2,125.4	3.3
1993	492,862	2.2%	225.5	192.7	32.8	2,185.8	3.4
1994	508,336	3.1%	229.1	197.5	31.6	2,219.1	3.5
1995	526,128	3.5%	229.8	194.7	35.0	2,289.9	3.6
1996	548,043	4.2%	231.7	198.6	33.1	2,365.0	3.7
1997	567,566	3.6%	253.2	222.2	31.0	2,241.6	3.5
1998	613,458	8.1%	256.8	226.3	30.5	2,388.8	3.7
1999	629,769	2.7%	257.9	226.5	31.4	2,442.2	3.8
2000	656,562	4.3%	265.1	232.7	32.5	2,476.5	3.9
2001	669,693	2.0%	268.7	238.8	29.9	2,492.3	3.9
2002	680,899	1.7%	274.0	241.9	32.0	2,485.2	3.9
2003	687,708	1.0%	278.6	247.0	31.6	2,468.4	3.9
2004	692,102	0.6%	290.9	248.8	42.2	2,378.8	3.7
2005	700,407	1.2%	294.2	251.8	42.4	2,380.8	3.7
2006	718,912	2.6%	295.7	252.3	43.4	2,431.1	3.8
2007	735,088	2.3%	297.6	256.2	41.4	2,470.2	3.9
2008	750,525	2.1%	299.9	259.7	40.2	2,502.9	3.9
2009	774,037	3.1%	301.8	260.2	41.7	2,564.3	4.0
2010	790,390	2.1%	307.5	261.9	45.6	2,570.3	4.0
2011	812,025	2.7%	307.8	261.3	46.5	2,637.9	4.1
2012	832,326	2.5%	308.1	262.5	45.7	2,701.2	4.2
2013	855,215	2.8%	309.8	262.5	47.3	2,761.0	4.3
2014	878,733	2.8%	318.5	267.7	50.8	2,758.6	4.3
2015	900,701	2.5%	322.5	274.6	47.9	2,793.0	4.4
2016	926,426	2.9%	325.5	277.6	47.9	2,846.5	4.4
2017	949,587	2.5%	325.9	278.0	47.9	2,913.3	4.6
2018	967,629	1.9%	326.1	278.9	47.2	2,967.3	4.6
2019	985,504	1.8%	326.3	280.22	46.1	3,020.1	4.7

SOURCE: US Census Bureau and the City of Austin.

Notes:

1) Decennial data points are from the US Census Bureau other annual figures are estimates of the City's Planning Department.

2) Much of the population growth from 2008 to 2009 was the result of annexation activity.

3) Data points are "as of" April 1 of each year.