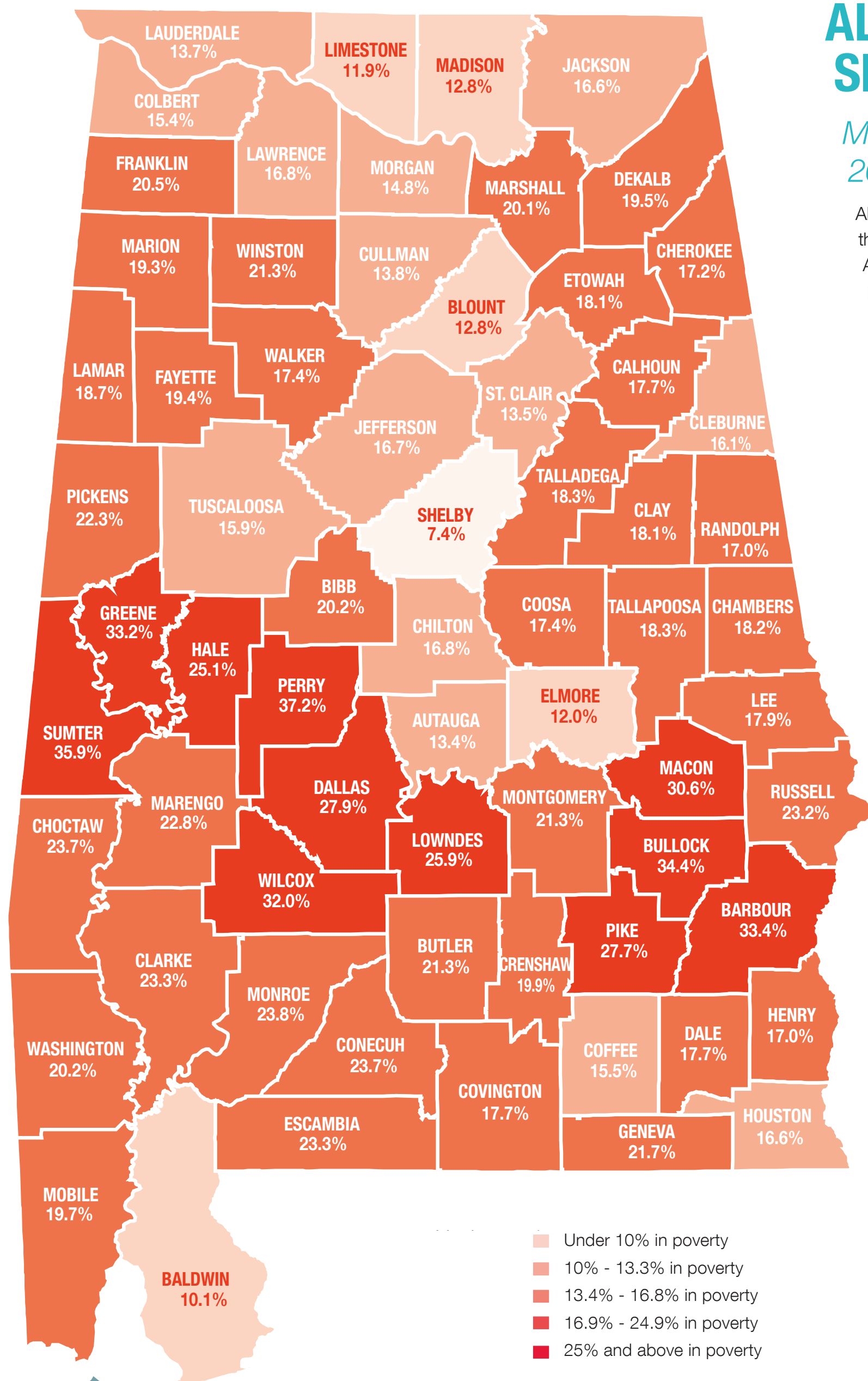


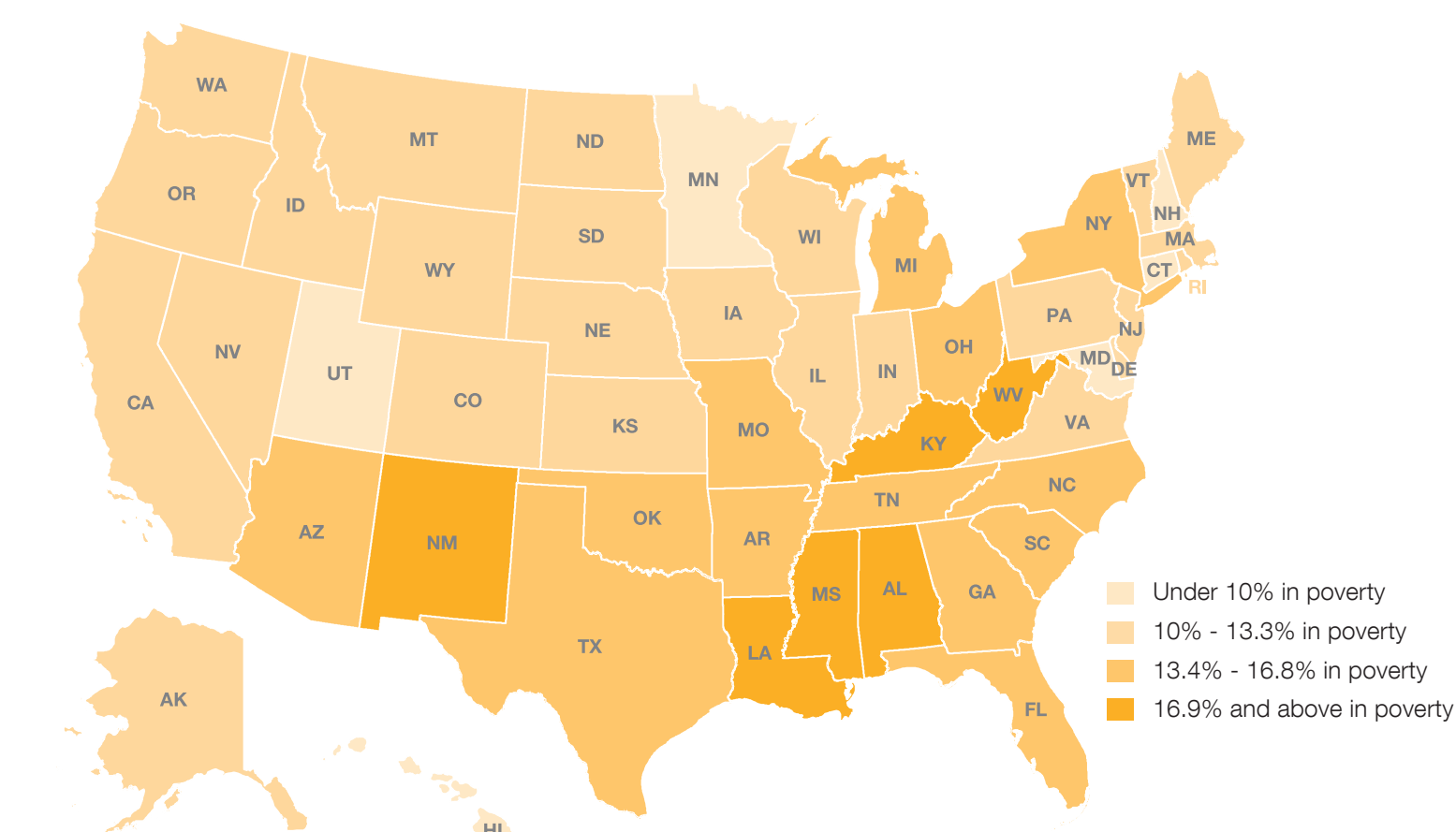
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# POVERTY RATE IN ALABAMA



## POVERTY RATE BY STATE

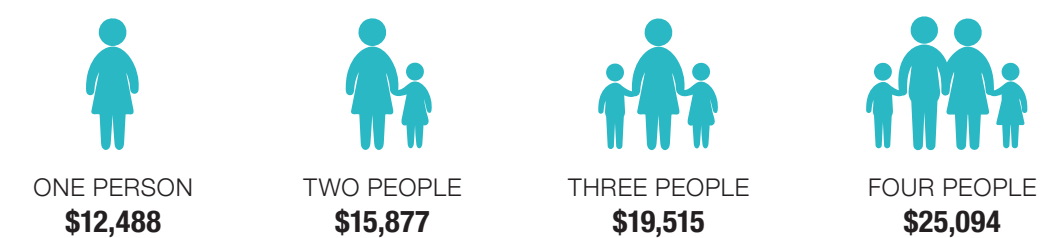


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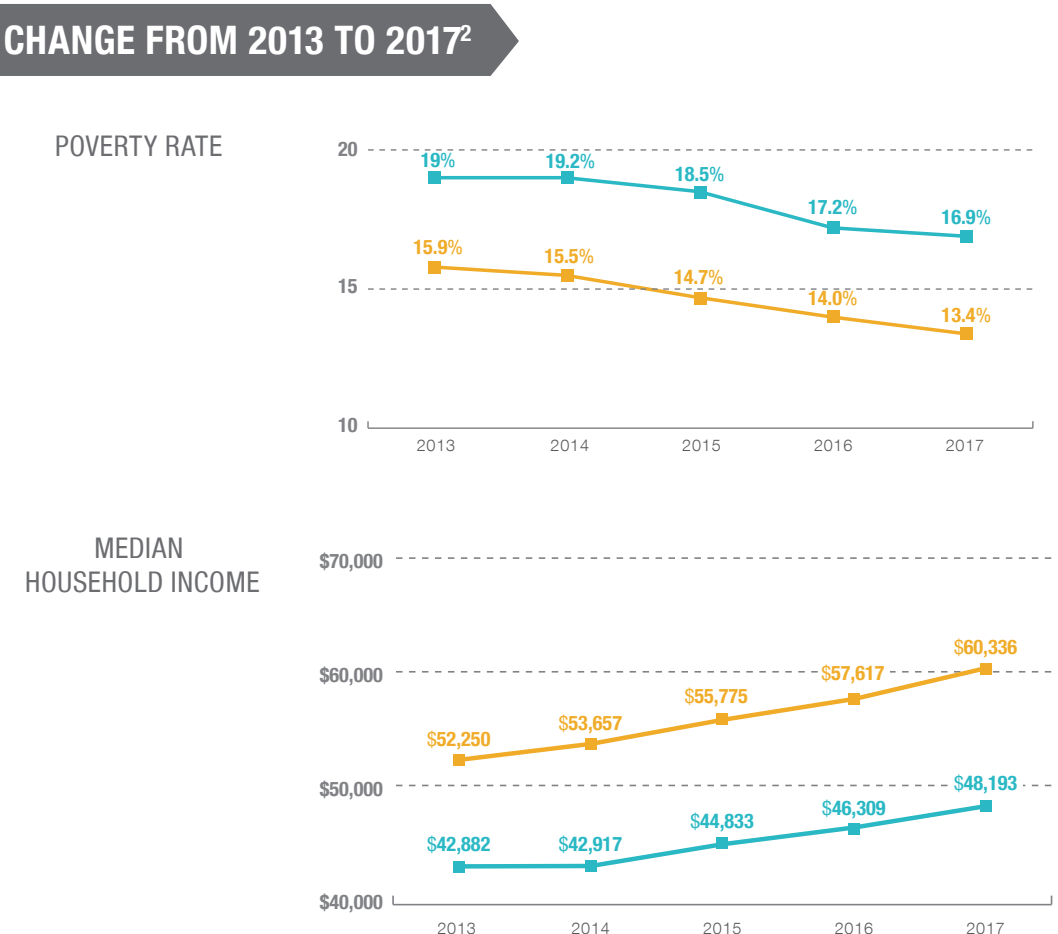
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## POVERTY THRESHOLDS BY FAMILY SIZE<sup>8</sup>



### BY RACE OR ETHNICITY<sup>3</sup>

CHANGE FROM 2013 TO 2017<sup>2</sup>

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	Total population <sup>1</sup>	All Persons <sup>2</sup>	White <sup>3</sup>	Black or African American <sup>3</sup>	Hispanic or Latino <sup>3</sup>	Children <sup>2</sup>	Adults Older Than 65 <sup>3</sup>	Female-Headed Households With Related Children <sup>3</sup>	Individuals 25 & Older Who Are Less Than High School Graduates <sup>3</sup>	Individuals 25 & Older Who Graduated From High School or Have A GED <sup>3</sup>	Individuals 25 & Older Who Have Some College Or An Associate's Degree <sup>3</sup>	Individuals 25 & Older Who Have A Bachelor's Degree Or Higher <sup>3</sup>	Population 25 & Older Who Is A High School Graduate or Higher <sup>3</sup>	Individuals 25 & Older Who Has A Bachelor's Degree or Higher <sup>3</sup>	College Enrollment Rate <sup>4</sup>	Annual Unemployment Rate <sup>5</sup>	Workforce Participation Rate of Individuals 16 & Older <sup>3</sup>	Median Household Income <sup>2</sup>	SNAP Recipients <sup>6</sup>	Food Insecurity <sup>7</sup>	Childhood Food Insecurity <sup>7</sup>
United States	327,167,434	13.4%	12.0%	25.2%	22.2%	18.4%	9.3%	38.7%	26.4%	14.1%	10.2%	4.5%	88.0%	31.2%	66.7%	3.9%	63.4%	\$60,336	12.8%	12.5%	17.0%
Alabama	4,887,871	16.9%	13.3%	29.1%	32.3%	24.4%	10.4%	47.6%	30.4%	16.4%	11.8%	4.4%	86.2%	24.9%	62.2%	3.9%	57.6%	\$48,193	15.7%	16.3%	22.3%
Autauga	55,601	13.4%	9.4%	31.5%	6.9%	19.3%	6.3%	51.1%	29.0%	12.7%	5.4%	3.8%	87.7%	25.0%	63.1%	3.6%	60.3%	\$58,343	13.0%	13.2%	19.8%
Baldwin	218,022	10.1%	10.1%	27.3%	9.9%	14.7%	7.4%	40.1%	24.3%	13.1%	8.3%	4.2%	90.2%	30.7%	61.7%	3.6%	58.0%	\$56,607	8.6%	11.6%	18.9%
Barbour	24,881	33.4%	12.9%	41.5%	40.1%	50.3%	16.5%	58.0%	34.2%	24.1%	12.0%	2.9%	73.1%	12.0%	60.7%	5.2%	47.7%	\$32,490	22.1%	22.0%	27.6%
Bibb	22,400	20.2%	13.8%	22.8%	3.5%	27.3%	9.1%	52.5%	27.1%	14.5%	3.4%	2.7%	82.1%	13.2%	56.1%	4.0%	48.3%	\$45,795	13.9%	14.3%	22.1%
Blount	57,840	12.8%	13.2%	8.7%	40.7%	18.5%	9.9%	53.6%	25.0%	11.9%	10.0%	2.5%	79.8%	13.1%	63.4%	3.5%	49.0%	\$48,253	9.5%	10.7%	21.2%
Bullock	10,138	34.4%	4.0%	35.5%	100.0%	48.3%	23.3%	65.4%	36.9%	19.5%	18.3%	1.0%	71.4%	13.4%	46.5%	4.7%	57.3%	\$29,113	25.0%	24.8%	27.9%
Butler	19,680	21.3%	15.7%	34.4%	78.1%	33.0%	14.4%	56.5%	30.0%	22.0%	17.5%	7.5%	81.1%	16.1%	60.4%	4.8%	52.2%	\$36,842	22.8%	20.6%	24.7%
Calhoun	114,277	17.7%	13.7%	34.8%	21.7%	24.2%	9.5%	51.7%	28.7%	15.5%	11.9%	4.7%	83.2%	17.9%	56.4%	4.7%	56.9%	\$45,937	16.4%	15.7%	22.6%
Chambers	33,615	18.2%	14.2%	23.2%	56.5%	29.6%	10.9%	38.7%	31.3%	15.6%	10.5%	3.9%	80.9%	13.3%	59.9%	3.9%	56.6%	\$36,883	17.8%	17.9%	22.1%
Cherokee	26,032	17.2%	15.5%	11.1%	43.8%	25.0%	11.6%	55.0%	31.5%	12.4%	11.9%	3.9%	79.5%	12.5%	58.7%	3.6%	48.8%	\$44,842	13.1%	12.5%	20.6%
Chilton	44,153	16.8%	16.6%	31.0%	37.4%	22.6%	12.9%	48.0%	29.5%	16.2%	10.9%	5.1%	81.8%	15.1%	48.2%	3.6%	55.0%	\$46,405	15.5%	13.1%	22.1%
Choctaw	12,841	23.7%	11.4%	36.6%	92.1%	34.8%	12.1%	67.0%	35.7%	16.1%	14.5%	6.6%	80.1%	11.6%	55.8%	5.5%	44.0%	\$36,711	20.9%	19.5%	24.6%
Clarke	23,920	23.3%	15.1%	37.2%	28.6%	31.9%	15.0%	57.8%	35.2%	23.4%	15.7%	10.0%	81.5%	13.0%	63.9%	7.5%	47.1%	\$36,719	21.1%	22.9%	25.7%
Clay	13,275	18.1%	15.0%	25.1%	67.2%	25.5%	14.5%	57.3%	33.7%	14.3%	9.4%	2.2%	73.3%	10.3%	57.0%	3.9%	54.1%	\$39,642	10.8%	14.5%	21.5%
Cleburne	14,987	16.1%	15.9%	54.3%	77.6%	22.4%	13.2%	69.5%	20.8%	13.3%	14.1%	10.6%	75.8%	12.4%	50.8%	4.2%	52.9%	\$45,480	13.9%	13.5%	24.0%
Coffee	51,909	15.5%	12.3%	26.6%	25.9%	24.8%	7.2%	51.5%	23.2%	15.0%	9.9%	2.9%	85.4%	22.7%	66.0%	3.9%	59.7%	\$51,998	13.4%	14.2%	21.9%
Colbert	54,762	15.4%	14.3%	24.9%	26.4%	22.2%	10.3%	44.8%	22.0%	15.8%	12.4%	4.0%	83.9%	18.8%	69.4%	4.6%	54.0%	\$46,100	12.8%	14.7%	22.2%
Conecuh	12,277	23.7%	18.0%	35.5%	9.5%	42.9%	18.1%	61.7%	30.4%	21.5%	17.0%	10.7%	79.0%	8.8%	57.8%	5.2%	45.6%	\$30,796	22.2%	20.9%	26.3%
Coosa	10,715	17.4%	10.9%	21.6%	50.0%	27.6%	13.1%	26.6%	22.9%	16.9%	9.2%	0.7%	76.8%	11.0%	55.9%	4.2%	47.3%	\$42,442	14.9%	15.7%	19.7%
Covington	36,986	17.7%	15.2%	34.0%	18.7%	25.9%	11.4%	54.0%	26.8%	14.9%	13.2%	3.7%	82.0%	15.5%	70.5%	4.6%	54.4%	\$39,093	17.4%	14.6%	22.6%
Crenshaw	13,824	19.9%	15.5%	24.0%	9.5%	29.3%	14.4%	43.4%	26.6%	17.4%	11.9%	3.1%	79.3%	16.3%	65.2%	4.1%	55.2%	\$38,419	18.8%	15.8%	21.3%
Cullman	83,442	13.8%	15.3%	34.6%	32.8%	18.7%	10.6%	40.3%	25.4%	15.4%	11.8%	6.5%	82.1%	14.9%	60.9%	3.3%	52.1%	\$45,925	10.0%	11.8%	20.1%
Dale	48,956	17.7%	15.5%	35.2%	19.3%	25.9%	10.4%	54.2%	34.1%	17.2%	12.6%	4.9%	86.0%	16.8%	61.1%	4.2%	57.5%	\$42,572	18.4%	16.1%	22.5%
Dallas	38,310	27.9%	15.0%	39.1%	17.0%	43.2%	17.3%	59.5%	36.9%	29.7%	20.6%	6.1%	81.3%	14.2%	62.7%	6.5%	52.8%	\$31,329	33.5%	27.2%	29.8%
DeKalb	71,385	19.5%	18.0%	16.9%	40.3%	27.8%	12.9%	52.3%	29.8%	16.8%	12.6%	7.7%	73.6%	13.0%	60.0%	3.8%	53.8%	\$39,906	17.3%	12.4%	22.8%
Elmore	81,887	12.0%	9.8%	26.1%	29.6%	16.5%	6.6%	43.1%	27.4%	14.9%	5.5%	2.8%	86.4%	22.8%	57.9%	3.4%	55.6%	\$59,652	10.9%	13.3%	19.5%
Escambia	36,748	23.3%	15.9%	41.2%	23.4%	33.7%	12.9%	53.0%	33.5%	20.5%	15.3%	6.5%	81.0%	12.1%	65.5%	4.6%	46.6%	\$37,870	20.4%	18.4%	24.1%
Etowah	102,501	18.1%	14.2%	30.8%	32.5%	29.3%	9.6%	53.3%	31.0%	13.3%	10.7%	3.5%	83.1%	16.9%	59.5%	4.1%	53.8%	\$41,791	12.0%	14.6%	22.8%
Fayette	16,433	19.4%	15.4%	35.3%	13.7%	27.6%	11.1%	68.6%	23.8%	13.8%	17.3%	1.8%	79.6%	14.6%	66.7%	4.1%	50.9%	\$39,394	20.0%	14.4%	22.2%
Franklin	31,363	20.5%	19.1%	18.5%	40.2%	29.8%	12.3%	55.4%	27.2%	15.6%	11.3%	6.2%	76.4%	13.4%	64.6%	3.7%	55.5%	\$41,025	15.1%	12.9%	25.6%
Geneva	26,314	21.7%	20.6%	37.7%	20.1%	34.3%	11.2%	72.4%	34.1%	16.7%	11.9%	4.2%	79.0%	11.1%	55.2%	3.9%	53.4%	\$38,561	17.1%	14.8%	25.2%
Greene	8,233	33.2%	19.2%	43.1%	63.4%	49.4%	20.4%	76.5%	30.7%	44.9%	16.2%	7.1%	76.6%	11.4%	43.1%	6.7%	42.4%	\$28,108	29.6%	29.7%	34.4%
Hale	14,726	25.1%	14.7%	34.4%	1.5%	35.5%	17.6%	52.2%	35.8%	26.3%	12.0%	1.1%	81.1%	14.4%	57.2%	5.1%	49.8%	\$34,905	23.6%	22.2%	25.2%
Henry	17,209	17.0%	11.0%	21.2%	1.9%	27.5%	13.9%	49.2%	20.4%	14.4%	11.3%	3.5%	80.6%	17.1%	62.4%	4.4%	53.4%	\$48,094	15.2%	14.2%	19.6%
Houston	104,722	16.6%	11.3%	34.0%	31.9%	26.5%	8.9%	52.6%	29.0%	15.6%	11.5%	4.9%	85.3%	20.9%	56.4%	4.0%	58.0%	\$44,753	16.6%	16.5%	22.7%
Jackson	51,736	16.6%	17.6%	23.7%	38.0%	23.3%	12.1%	46.2%	25.8%	17.2%	13.3%	5.3%	81.4%	13.4%	57.1%	4.1%	51.7%	\$42,658	12.6%	13.6%	23.3%
Jefferson	659,300	16.7%	9.4%	25.9%	34.0%	23.1%	10.2%	43.9%	32.7%	17.9%	13.9%	4.8%	89.4%	31.9%	67.6%	3.7%	62.2%	\$50,731	14.7%	17.8%	20.8%
Lamar	13,844	18.7%	20.7%	40.3%	32.9%	26.1%	12.6%	62.5%	31.8%	15.8%	15.4%	3.4%	79.5%	13.3%	75.0%	3.8%	51.7%	\$39,796	17.1%	15.2%	25.4%
Lauderdale	92,387	13.7%	15.0%	23.6%	28.3%	18.8%	8.5%	40.9%	31.1%	10.8%	10.9%	5.5%	85.9%	22.5%	66.3%	4.2%	56.2%	\$46,646	10.7%	14.0%	21.4%
Lawrence	32,957	16.8%	16.1%	25.2%	51.2%	24.4%	12.3%	52.6%	29.8%	15.3%	7.6%	3.1%	78.0%	10.2%	63.2%	4.2%	50.1%	\$42,912	16.1%	13.4%	20.6%
Lee	163,941	17.8%	19.7%	29.0%	17.9%	19.2%	9.3%	45.1%	31.6%	17.3%	12.6%	5.8%	89.9%	34.9%	67.3%	3.6%	60.6%	\$51,372	9.4%	17.0%	20.7%
Limestone	96,174	11.9%	12.7%	17.3%	31.1%	16.5%	10.4%	40.0%	30.3%	15.4%	7.6%	3.5%	83.7%	24.6%	60.1%	3.5%	57.5%	\$57,342	8.6%	12.2%	19.6%
Lowndes	9,974	25.9%	5.1%	38.4%	21.9%	40.0%	16.9%	57.2%	43.1%	28.8%	10.4%	4.6%	76.0%	13.7%	52.3%	7.3%	48.8%	\$33,130	32.5%	26.4%	29.4%
Macon	18,439	30.6%	20.2%	26.9%	35.7%	44.7%	17.3%	49.9%	34.1%	21.7%	19.3%	11.0%	81.6%	20.1%	51.5%	5.5%	52.8%	\$30,849	25.3%	25.6%	25.4%
Madison	366,519	12.8%	8.1%	25.9%	33.2%	18.1%	7.9%	41.2%	32.2%	14.7%	10.0%	3.2%	90.8%	40.6%	72.6%	3.5%	64.4%	\$62,750	9.7%	13.8%	19.1%
Marengo	19,066	22.8%	13.5%	35.4%	55.1%	32.5%	18.6%	55.2%	36.1%	27.1%	17.5%	3.6%	83.2%	15.4%	64.9%	5.0%	48.2%	\$37,469	22.5%	22.0%	24.8%
Marion	29,763	19.3%	16.2%	48.6%	24.3%	27.5%	10.5%	48.3%	26.0%	13.3%	12.5%	7.2%	80.7%	13.4%	66.3%	4.1%	51.7%	\$38,049	15.7%	13.3%	22.3%
Marshall	96,109	20.1%	16.6%	32.1%	47.8%	31.4%	10.1%	55.4%	31.1%	16.6%	13.0%	4.2%	80.0%	17.7%	62.6%	3.4%	55.7%	\$42,751	14.0%	12.2%	23.1%
Mobile	413,757	19.7%	12.3%	30.4%	25.1%	31.4%	10.7%	50.7%	30.2%	16.9%	13.6%	4.5%	86.3%	23.0%	53.4%	4.7%	57.5%	\$45,615	18.7%	17.9%	23.0%
Monroe	21,067	23.8%	18.8%	53.0%	83.2%	34.2%	18.5%	65.8%	40.5%	37.2%	24.5%	6.6%	83.0%	12.5%	58.5%	6.2%	45.5%	\$36,432	17.6%	24.1%	27.9%
Montgomery	225,763	21.3%	8.4%	28.1%	41.7%	33.7%	10.4%	49.6%	35.6%	20.4%	13.8%	4.5%	85.7%	32.3%	56.5%	4.0%	61.9%	\$45,833	21.4%	20.7%	22.4%
Morgan	119,089	14.8%	10.9%	33.9%	40.2%	20.7%	10.6%	51.5%	32.1%	12.8%	10.9%	3.5%	82.5%	20.9%	62.6%	3.5%	57.1%	\$49,274	12.3%	12.9%	21.1%
Perry	9,140	37.2%	22.7%	48.9%	0.0%	51.3%	29.3%	70.5%	52.9%	34.8%	26.0%	10.9%	80.0%	16.9%	53.7%	6.5%	36.0%	\$26,703	34.3%	28.6%	32.9%
Pickens	19,938	22.3%	11.4%	37.7%	0.0%	31.2%	16.6%	67.6%	36.4%	15.8%	14.1%	7.1%	79.8%	11.8%	63.3%	4.6%	47.5%	\$38,379	16.5%	18.9%	24.2%
Pike	33,338	27.7%	17.5%	38.4%	19.6%	37.7%	11.8%	55.9%	37.3%	13.0%	15.4%	7.7%	81.1%	24.7%	52.9%	4.5%	57.2%	\$40,680	18.9%	21.0%	24.5%
Randolph	22,725	17.0%	15.5%	22.4%	68.4%	27.9%	12.5%	46.8%	25.7%	17.2%	10.4%	7.9%	78.6%	14.6%	61.2%	4.					