



BEARFACTS 1990 – 2000

Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan Census Area , Alaska [02201]

Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan Census Area is one of 27 counties in Alaska. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2000 population of 6,126 ranked 18th in the state.

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2000 Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan Census Area had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$20,997. This PCPI ranked 24th in the state and was 70 percent of the state average, \$29,870, and 70 percent of the national average, \$29,847. The 2000 PCPI reflected an increase of 3.5 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 6.3 percent and the national change was 6.8 percent. In 1990 the PCPI of Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan Census Area was \$18,523 and ranked 17th in the state. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 1.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 2.7 percent and for the nation was 4.4 percent.

TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2000 Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan Census Area had a total personal income (TPI) of \$128,625*. This TPI ranked 17th in the state and accounted for 0.7 percent of the state total. In 1990 the TPI of Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan Census Area was \$116,322* and ranked 16th in the state. The 2000 TPI reflected an increase of 2.1 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 6.7 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of TPI was 1.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.0 percent and for the nation was 5.6 percent.

COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan Census Area. In 2000 net earnings accounted for 59.0 percent of TPI (compared with 72.6 in 1990); dividends, interest, and rent were 18.1 percent (compared with 14.8 in 1990); and personal current transfer receipts were 22.9 percent (compared with 12.6 in 1990). From 1999 to 2000 net earnings decreased 3.2 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 9.7 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 11.4 percent. From 1990 to 2000 net earnings decreased on average 1.1 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 3.1 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 7.2 percent.

EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan Census Area decreased from \$88,622* in 1999 to \$84,130* in 2000, a decrease of 5.1 percent. The 1999-2000 state change was 5.1 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1990 estimate of \$88,285* to the 2000 estimate was - 0.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 3.0 percent and for the nation was 5.8 percent.

**Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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