



## **BEARFACTS 1992 – 2002**

### **Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana (MSA) [31100]**

Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana is one of 363 Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs) in the nation. Its 2002 population of 12,682,870 ranked 2nd in the nation.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2002 Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$32,544. This PCPI ranked 49th in the United States and was 106 percent of the national average, \$30,821. The 2002 PCPI reflected an increase of 1.2 percent from 2001. The 2001-2002 national change was 0.8 percent. In 1992 the PCPI of Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana was \$23,210 and ranked 32nd in the United States. The 1992-2002 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 3.4 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 4.0 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2002 Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana had a total personal income (TPI) of \$412,753,239\*. This TPI ranked 2nd in the United States. In 1992 the TPI of Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana was \$268,130,769\* and ranked 2nd in the United States. The 2002 TPI reflected an increase of 2.3 percent from 2001. The 2001-2002 national change was 1.8 percent. The 1992-2002 average annual growth rate of TPI was 4.4 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 5.2 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 Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana. In 2002 net earnings accounted for 70.6 percent of TPI (compared with 70.2 in 1992); dividends, interest, and rent were 16.5 percent (compared with 17.9 in 1992); and personal current transfer receipts were 12.9 percent (compared with 11.9 in 1992). From 2001 to 2002 net earnings increased 2.7 percent; dividends, interest, and rent decreased 2.5 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 6.8 percent. From 1992 to 2002 net earnings increased on average 4.5 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 3.5 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 5.2 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana increased from \$335,563,144\* in 2001 to \$345,178,670\* in 2002, an increase of 2.9 percent. The 2001-2002 national change was 2.1 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1992 estimate of \$226,202,302\* to the 2002 estimate was 4.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 5.4 percent.

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

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