



## **BEARFACTS 1993 – 2003**

### **Yuma , Arizona [04027]**

Yuma is one of 15 counties in Arizona. It is part of the [Yuma, AZ \(MSA\)](#). Its 2003 population of 169,706 ranked 6th in the state.

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

In 2003 Yuma had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$19,261. This PCPI ranked 10th in the state and was 71 percent of the state average, \$26,989, and 61 percent of the national average, \$31,504. The 2003 PCPI reflected a decrease of 3.3 percent from 2002. The 2002-2003 state change was 1.9 percent and the national change was 2.2 percent. In 1993 the PCPI of Yuma was \$15,203 and ranked 6th in the state. The 1993-2003 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 2.4 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.0 percent and for the nation was 4.0 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2003 Yuma had a total personal income (TPI) of \$3,268,720\*. This TPI ranked 6th in the state and accounted for 2.2 percent of the state total. In 1993 the TPI of Yuma was \$1,898,739\* and ranked 4th in the state. The 2003 TPI reflected a decrease of 1.3 percent from 2002. The 2002-2003 state change was 4.5 percent and the national change was 3.1 percent. The 1993-2003 average annual growth rate of TPI was 5.6 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 7.3 percent and for the nation was 5.1 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 Yuma. In 2003 net earnings accounted for 66.2 percent of TPI (compared with 68.6 in 1993); dividends, interest, and rent were 12.6 percent (compared with 13.7 in 1993); and personal current transfer receipts were 21.2 percent (compared with 17.7 in 1993). From 2002 to 2003 net earnings decreased 4.2 percent; dividends, interest, and rent decreased 0.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 8.2 percent. From 1993 to 2003 net earnings increased on average 5.2 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 4.7 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 7.5 percent.

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

Earnings of persons employed in Yuma decreased from \$2,511,080\* in 2002 to \$2,432,117\* in 2003, a decrease of 3.1 percent. The 2002-2003 state change was 4.5 percent and the national change was 3.8 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1993 estimate of \$1,453,901\* to the 2003 estimate was 5.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 7.7 percent and for the nation was 5.3 percent.

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

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