



## State BEARFACTS 1990 – 2000

### Alabama

The population of Alabama in 2000 was 4,451,687. Its rank was 23rd in the nation.

#### PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2000 Alabama had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$23,768. This PCPI ranked 44th in the United States and was 80 percent of the national average, \$29,847. The 2000 PCPI reflected an increase of 4.6 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 national change was 6.8 percent. In 1990 the PCPI of Alabama was \$15,723 and ranked 42nd in the United States. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 4.4 percent.

#### TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2000 Alabama had a total personal income (TPI) of \$105,806,693\*. This TPI ranked 24th in the United States. In 1990 the TPI of Alabama was \$63,678,624\* and ranked 24th in the United States. The 2000 TPI reflected an increase of 5.1 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 national change was 8.0 percent. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of TPI was 5.2 percent. The average annual growth rate 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 total personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Alabama. In 2000 net earnings accounted for 65.6 percent of TPI (compared with 67.4 in 1990); dividends, interest, and rent were 17.7 percent (compared with 18.1 in 1990); and personal current transfer receipts were 16.7 percent (compared with 14.5 in 1990). From 1999 to 2000 net earnings increased 3.6 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 9.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 6.9 percent. From 1990 to 2000 net earnings increased on average 4.9 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 5.0 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.7 percent.

#### EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Alabama increased from \$74,445,264\* in 1999 to \$76,977,452\* in 2000, an increase of 3.4 percent. The 1999-2000 national change was 8.0 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1990 estimate of \$47,716,099\* to the 2000 estimate was 4.9 percent. The average annual growth rate 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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