# BEARFACTS 1992 – 2002
# Allegheny , Pennsylvania [42003]

Allegheny is one of 67 counties in Pennsylvania. It is part of the Pittsburgh, PA (MSA). Its 2002 population of 1,265,469 ranked 2nd in the state.

## PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2002 Allegheny had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of $36,552. This PCPI ranked 5th in the state and was 118 percent of the state average, $31,080, and 119 percent of the national average, $30,838. The 2002 PCPI reflected an increase of 2.6 percent from 2001. The 2001-2002 state change was 2.5 percent and the national change was 0.8 percent. In 1992 the PCPI of Allegheny was $24,061 and ranked 5th in the state. The 1992-2002 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 3.9 percent and for the nation was 4.0 percent.

## TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2002 Allegheny had a total personal income (TPI) of $46,254,970*. This TPI ranked 1st in the state and accounted for 12.1 percent of the state total. In 1992 the TPI of Allegheny was $32,263,941* and ranked 1st in the state. The 2002 TPI reflected an increase of 2.0 percent from 2001. The 2001-2002 state change was 2.7 percent and the national change was 1.8 percent. The 1992-2002 average annual growth rate of TPI was 3.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.1 percent and 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 Allegheny. In 2002 net earnings accounted for 66.7 percent of TPI (compared with 65.1 in 1992); dividends, interest, and rent were 17.3 percent (compared with 19.0 in 1992); and personal current transfer receipts were 16.0 percent (compared with 16.0 in 1992). From 2001 to 2002 net earnings increased 1.7 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 0.1 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 5.3 percent. From 1992 to 2002 net earnings increased on average 3.9 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 2.7 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 3.7 percent.

## EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Allegheny increased from $40,650,205* in 2001 to $41,218,396* in 2002, an increase of 1.4 percent. The 2001-2002 state change was 3.1 percent and the national change was 2.1 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1992 estimate of $27,277,504* to the 2002 estimate was 4.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.2 percent and 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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