



SAN DIEGO COUNTY FACT SHEET

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Population Trends

	2007	2010	2020	2030	2040
California	37,771,431	39,135,676	44,135,923	49,240,891	54,226,115
S.D. County	3,120,088	3,199,706	3,550,714	3,950,757	4,241,399
% of State population in S.D. County	8.2	8.2	8.0	8.0	7.8

Source: California Department of Finance

Population Characteristics (San Diego County)

Race/Ethnicity (Percent)				Age & Sex Composition (Percent)				
	1990	2000	2006	2007		Female	Male	TOTAL
Hispanic	20.4	26.7	29.1	29.3	Under 20	13.9	14.4	28.3
Non-Hispanic					20-34	10.1	11.6	21.8
White	65.4	55.0	51.4	51.6*	35-64	19.5	19.1	38.6
African-American	6.0	5.5	5.3	5.3*	65 & over	6.5	4.9	11.3
Asian and Other	8.2	12.8	14.2	13.8*	TOTAL	50.0	50.0	100
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	Median Age	36.3	33.6	35

Source: SANDAG

Employment

YEAR	WAGE & SALARY EMPLOYMENT	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
1998	1,273,000	3.5%
1999	1,358,200	3.1%
2000	1,359,000	3.0%
2001	1,382,600	3.2%
2002	1,416,400	4.2%
2003	1,420,000	4.5%
2004	1,477,300	3.6%
2005	1,467,400	4.2%
2006	1,457,500	4.0%
2007	1,462,955*	4.5%*

Source: State of California Employment Development Department

Housing Units Authorized

YEAR	S.D. COUNTY TOTAL	UNINCORPORATED AREA
1986-90 (AVG.)	27,609	5,018
1991-95 (AVG.)	6,699	958
1996-2000 (AVG.)	9,362	1,631
2001	14,747	1,218
2002	14,235	2,492
2003	15,000	2,397
2004	unavailable	2,266
2005	13,561	2,481
2006	9,191	1,973
2007	6,865*	1,046

Source: United States Census Bureau and San Diego County DPLU

*Based on available data from January- November 2007

Median Household Income

2007 (current dollars)	2007 (\$1999)	2000 (\$1999)
\$68,388	\$51,808	\$47,268

Source: SANDAG (Census data and estimates)

BASIC FACTS

- The San Diego metropolitan area is the 17th most populated in the United States. San Diego County has the 6th largest population among all counties in the United States. (United States Census Bureau).
- The region's 2006 gross regional product is forecast to reach \$161.1 billion, an increase of 6.6 percent over 2005. (San Diego Regional Chamber of Commerce). Estimates for 2007 have not been published.
- Government owned land accounts for 1,637 million acres of the land in San Diego County according to the following distribution, Federal 39.5%, State 39.6%, 13.0% various local public agencies, and approximately 4.78% Tribal owned land. (SANDAG)

ADDITIONAL FACTS ON THE REVERSE