

Pontotoc County

2020

Mississippi

GENERAL DEMOGRAPHICS

Population: 32,194 Households: 11,905

By Gender	2019
Male	49.04%
Female	50.96%

By Race and Ethnicity	2019
White	77.61%
African American	15.17%
Other	7.21%

By Age	2019
Age 0-9	14.19%
Age 10-20	15.81%
Age 21-24	4.87%
Age 25-34	12.44%
Age 35-44	12.42%
Age 45-54	12.36%
Age 55-64	12.38%
Age 65-74	8.96%
Age 75+	6.55%



LABOR MARKET

Residence Based Amounts	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Civilian Labor Force	14,470	14,510	14,420	14,360	14,020
Unemployed	630	550	560	700	790
Unemployment Rate	4.4	3.8	3.9	4.9	5.6
Employed	13,840	13,960	13,860	13,660	13,230

Establishment Based Amounts	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Manufacturing	6,710	6,820	7,130	7,110	6,430
Non-manufacturing	6,400	6,270	6,230	5,980	5,880
Agricultural Forestry, Fishing & Hunting	30	40	50	40	50
Mining	0	0	0	0	0
Utilities	80	80	70	70	70
Construction	150	160	160	190	210
Wholesale Trade	380	310	270	140	130
Retail Trade	1,050	1,080	1,090	1,050	1,080
Transportation & Warehousing	560	630	600	580	560
Information	20	10	10	10	10
Finance & Insurance	190	190	190	210	210
Real Estate, Rental & Leasing	30	30	30	40	20
Professional Scientific & Technical Services	210	250	250	240	230
Management of Companies	0	0	0	0	0
Administrative Support & Waste Management	450	400	410	420	360
Educational Services	150	110	100	90	50
Health Care & Social Assistance	1,040	990	960	840	820
Arts, Entertainment & Recreation	20	20	30	30	30
Accommodations & Food Services	620	590	660	670	640
Other Services (except public administrative)	120	100	100	90	100
Government	1,300	1,280	1,250	1,270	1,310
Education (included in Government total)	820	810	810	810	820
Total Non-agricultural Employment	13,110	13,090	13,360	13,090	12,310

ECONOMY

	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	Region
Per Capita Income	\$33,058	\$31,672	\$33,459	\$31,336	\$29,950	\$36,234
Median Household Income	\$46,431	\$43,904	\$45,936	\$45,476	\$45,511	\$42,900
# of Households with Income Equal or Less Than \$24,999	2,896	3,147	3,070	3,164	3,170	N/A
% of Households with Income Equal or Less Than \$24,999	24.33%	26.53%	25.82%	27.40%	27.24%	28.76%

Employment Occupational Composition % 2019

Professional and Technical	29.25%
Executive, Administrative and Managerial	12.68%
Sales	8.55%
Administrative Support and Clerical	10.80%
Production, Craft and Repair	10.61%
Transportation and Material Moving	5.58%
Handlers, Helpers and Laborers	0.26%
Service	22.26%

Establishment-Based Employment Composition % 2019

Manufacturing	51.2%
Non-Manufacturing	48.8%



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SOCIAL ENVIRONMENT

	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Number of Births to Single Teens	N/A	24	31	47	31
TANF & Food Stamp Payments per Household	\$345.04	\$449.78	\$483.46	\$540.98	\$568.49
Number of Divorces	N/A	174	168	189	192
Number of Divorces Involving Children	N/A	76	77	94	84

EDUCATION

	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	Region
Percent of Population 25+ with HS Diploma	76.63%	77.25%	77.99%	77.32%	76.60%	81.68%
Average Expenditure per Student	\$8,970	\$8,394	\$8,344	\$8,403	\$8,613	\$10,349
ACT All Students	18.02	17.66	17.74	18.39	17.59	17.74
Average Class Size	13.68	14.50	14.34	13.82	14.10	12.89

Educational Attainment % by level	2019
Graduate/Professional	4.37%
4 Year Degree +	10.46%
Associate's Degree	7.95%
Some College	22.56%
High School Diploma	31.29%
Some High School	14.88%
Some Elementary	8.49%

High School Completer Rate	2019
Pontotoc County	87.7
Pontotoc City	91.9

HOUSING

	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	Region
Percent of Owner Occupied Housing	73.53%	73.51%	73.51%	73.48%	73.46%	69.46%
Percent of Renter Occupied Housing	26.47%	26.49%	26.49%	26.52%	26.54%	30.54%
Median Home Value	\$117,400	\$101,248	\$91,508	\$88,513	\$86,995	\$130,727

PUBLIC SAFETY

	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
DUI Arrests	N/A	N/A	N/A	206	326
Traffic Fatalities	N/A	N/A	N/A	11	9

HEALTH

	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Low Birth Weight Index	N/A	N/A	11.7	9.5	9.5
Infant Mortality Rate (5 year average)	N/A	7.6	7.8	5.8	4.9
Percent of Prenatal Care/First Trimester	N/A	N/A	88.3	83.8	81.0
Total Number of Births	N/A	462	419	474	410
Death Rate per 100,000 Population					
Heart Disease	N/A	232.5	205.4	193.3	213.5
Cancer	N/A	204.2	221.2	218.7	181.2
Accidental	N/A	72.3	72.7	85.6	71.2
Suicide	N/A	18.8	25.3	12.7	22.6
Stroke	N/A	59.7	63.2	60.2	61.5
Chronic Other Respiratory Diseases	N/A	116.2	113.8	82.4	103.5



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