

Mississippi County Snapshot

Population (2009):	46,605		
Change 2000-2009:	-10.3%	Projected change 2009-2015:	-5.9%
Gender distribution:	52.1% female	47.9% male	
Age distribution:	8.0% under 5	20.0% 5 to 17	59.4% 18 to 64 12.6% 65 and older

Education (2000):	64.7% with high school diploma	11.3% with bachelor's degree
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Median household income (2008):	\$ 34,211	Poverty Rate (2008):	23.5%
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Number of businesses (2002):	2,765		
Nonemployer (2007):	2,092	Private nonfarm (2007):	908
Employment (2007):	25,402		
Change 2000-2007:	-7.7%	Projected change 2007-2015:	1.1%
Average travel time to work (2000):	19 minutes		
Average earnings per job (2007):	\$ 42,359		

Change in county government revenues 2000-2007:	43.5%		
Change in county government expenditures 2000-2007:	19.7%		
County per capita revenue (2007):	\$ 327		
County per capita expenditure (2007):	\$ 280		
County per capita property tax revenue (2007):	\$ 34	*excludes school and city taxes	
County per capita sales tax revenue (2007):	\$ 113	*excludes city and state taxes	
County per capita intergovernmental revenue (2007):	\$ 49		

Data Sources:

- Population projections from Institute for Economic Advancement, University of Arkansas at Little Rock.
- Employment projections from Woods & Poole Economics, Inc. Washington, D.C. Copyright 2009. Woods & Poole does not guarantee the accuracy of this data. The use of this data and the conclusion drawn from it are solely the responsibility of the user.
- County revenue and expenditure data from Arkansas Division of Legislative Audit.
- All other data from Quickfacts, U.S. Census Bureau.