

CEDS Indicators: Economy

Indicator:	Per Capita Personal Income
Measure:	BEA-REIS Per capita income (CA04) in dollars for county/region/state
Baseline:	2007 County, State, and United States estimates
Data source:	Bureau of Economic Analysis: Regional Economic Information System (REIS) DVD. To order a free copy of the REIS DVD-ROM, call 1-800-704-0415 (outside the United States, call 202-606-9666). See also, http://www.bea.gov/regional/reis/default.cfm?selTable=CA04
Frequency of review:	Annual

Per Capita Personal Income is calculated as the personal income of the residents of a given area divided by the resident population of the area. In computing per capita personal income, BEA uses the Census Bureau's annual midyear population estimates. It is broadly representative of the amount of wealth within the local economy standardized by the number of people in the study area. Per capita income has its weaknesses as a measure, particularly in that it does not account for income distribution. However, as a benchmarking tool for comparing study areas, it is a straightforward and easily-compared estimate of wealth that accounts for population. Per capita personal income is available for each year from 1969 but is not adjusted for inflation.

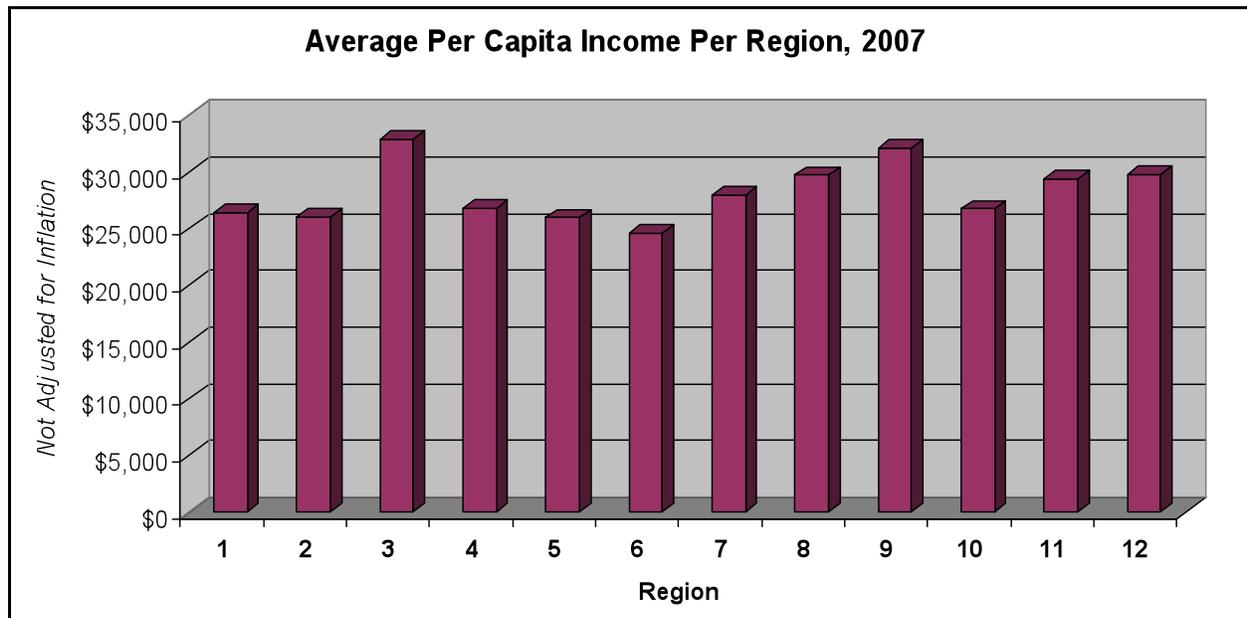
Per Capita Income by Region

Region	Average Per Capita Income		10 Year Percent Change
	1997	2007	
Region 1	\$18,894	\$26,434	39.91%
Region 2	\$16,894	\$26,038	54.13%
Region 3	\$21,470	\$32,884	53.16%
Region 4	\$17,792	\$26,770	50.46%
Region 5	\$16,043	\$25,979	61.93%
Region 6	\$16,564	\$24,613	48.59%
Region 7	\$18,600	\$28,011	50.59%
Region 8	\$19,561	\$29,734	52.01%
Region 9	\$21,588	\$32,137	48.86%
Region 10	\$17,784	\$26,747	50.40%
Region 11	\$19,560	\$29,374	50.18%
Region 12	\$20,332	\$29,743	46.29%

Source: *Regional Economic Information System, Bureau of Economic Analysis, U.S. Department of Commerce, April 2009 and South Central Alabama Development Commission, March 2010*

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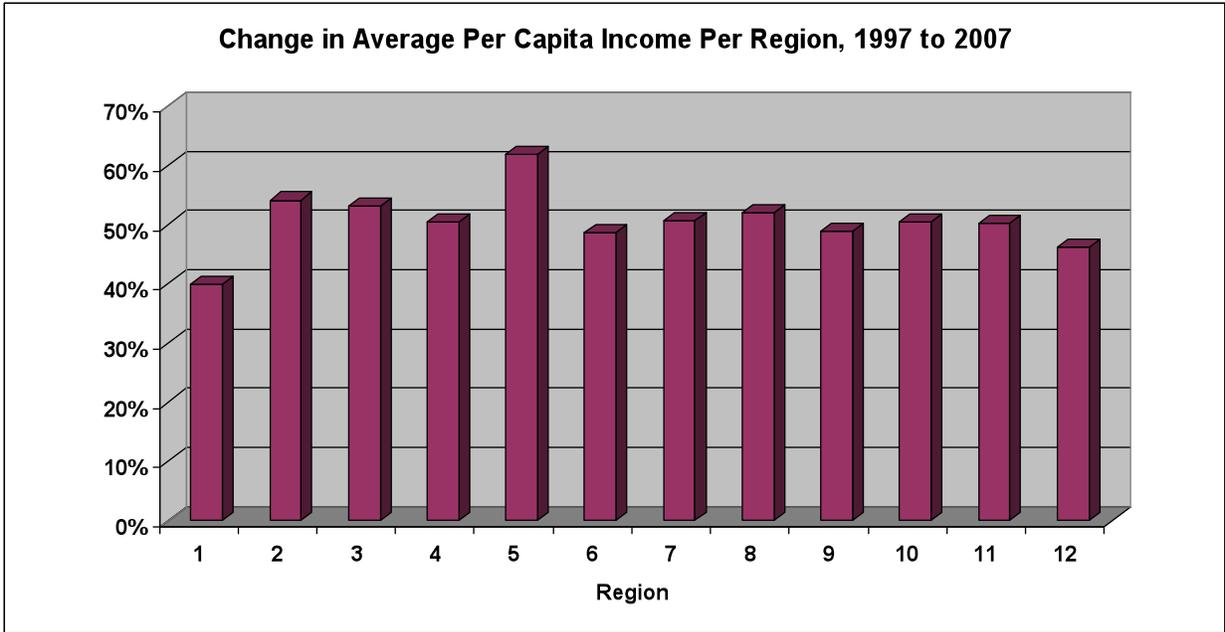
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Per Capita Income by County

Area	2007
United States	\$38,615
State of Alabama	\$32,419
Alabama Metropolitan	\$34,300
Alabama Nonmetropolitan	\$27,754
Autauga	\$29,927
Baldwin	\$35,021
Barbour	\$23,663
Bibb	\$23,415
Blount	\$24,586
Bullock	\$21,430
Butler	\$27,363
Calhoun	\$30,907
Chambers	\$25,411
Cherokee	\$25,285
Chilton	\$26,532
Choctaw	\$25,526
Clarke	\$26,922
Clay	\$26,093
Cleburne	\$26,845
Coffee	\$31,838
Colbert	\$27,463
Conecuh	\$24,715
Coosa	\$23,445
Covington	\$26,804
Crenshaw	\$29,642
Cullman	\$27,404
Dale	\$27,938
Dallas	\$26,200
DeKalb	\$25,327
Elmore	\$29,173
Escambia	\$25,277
Etowah	\$28,349
Fayette	\$24,166
Franklin	\$25,640
Geneva	\$26,531
Greene	\$27,556

Area	2007
Hale	\$22,649
Henry	\$25,840
Houston	\$33,462
Jackson	\$27,051
Jefferson	\$42,834
Lamar	\$24,281
Lauderdale	\$28,669
Lawrence	\$26,781
Lee	\$26,883
Limestone	\$29,309
Lowndes	\$24,065
Macon	\$21,807
Madison	\$38,263
Marengo	\$28,686
Marion	\$25,708
Marshall	\$28,766
Mobile	\$28,905
Monroe	\$25,557
Montgomery	\$37,311
Morgan	\$33,938
Perry	\$23,494
Pickens	\$26,285
Pike	\$31,564
Randolph	\$23,777
Russell	\$26,611
St. Clair	\$29,643
Shelby	\$44,414
Sumter	\$22,043
Talladega	\$29,593
Tallapoosa	\$27,994
Tuscaloosa	\$33,916
Walker	\$29,295
Washington	\$23,483
Wilcox	\$19,504
Winston	\$24,690

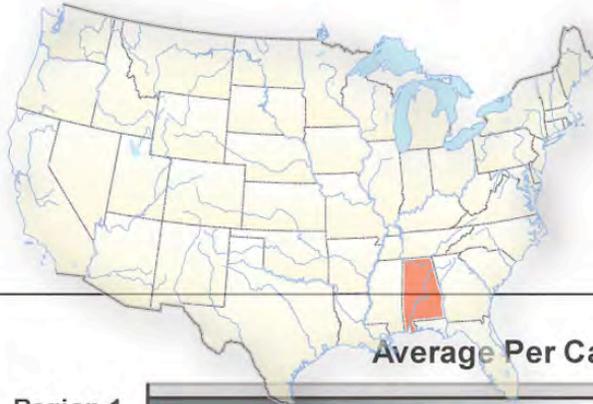
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Per Capita Income by Statistical Area

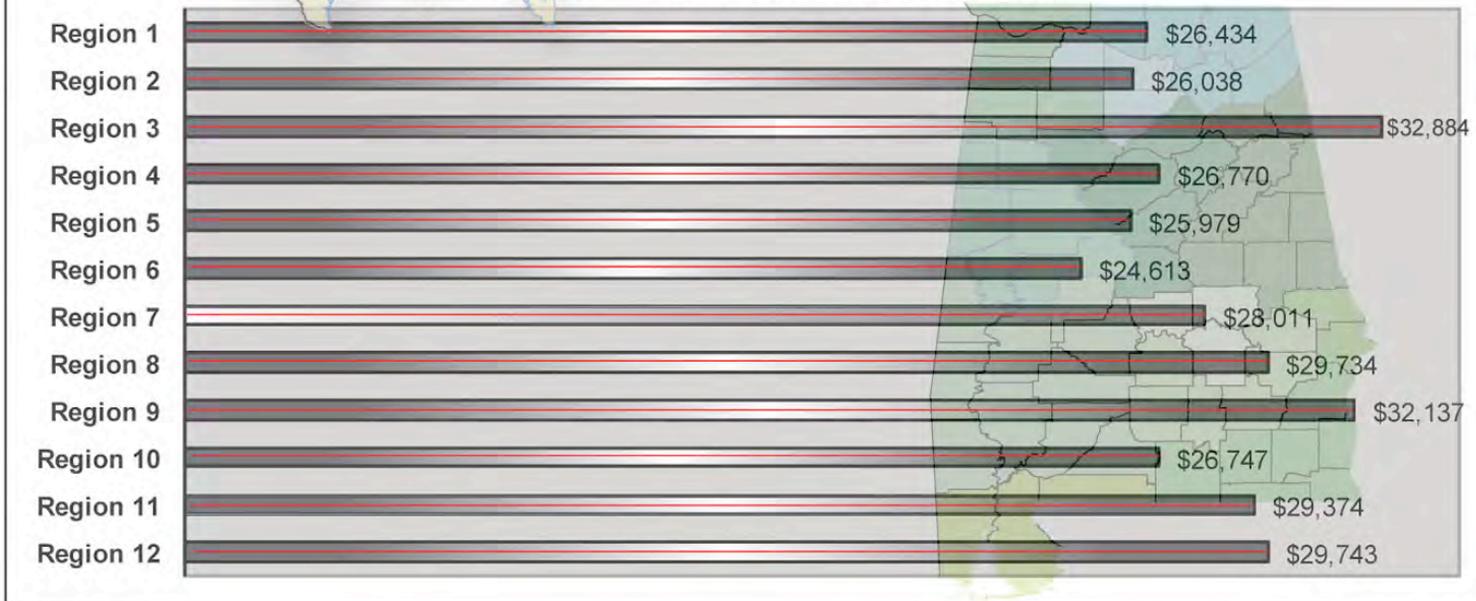
Metropolitan Statistical Area	Per Capita Income		10 Year Percent Change
	1997	2007	
Anniston-Oxford	\$19,147	\$30,907	61.4%
Auburn-Opelika	\$18,144	\$26,883	48.2%
Birmingham-Hoover	\$24,445	\$39,401	61.2%
Decatur	\$21,220	\$32,295	52.2%
Dothan	\$20,284	\$31,277	54.2%
Florence-Muscle Shoals	\$20,142	\$28,209	40.1%
Gadsden	\$19,268	\$28,349	47.1%
Huntsville	\$24,213	\$36,550	51.0%
Mobile	\$19,317	\$28,905	49.6%
Montgomery	\$22,467	\$34,126	51.9%
Tuscaloosa	\$20,137	\$32,634	62.1%

Micropolitan Statistical Area	Per Capita Income		10 Year Percent Change
	1997	2007	
Alberville	\$19,744	\$28,766	45.7%
Alexander City	\$18,931	\$27,038	42.8%
Cullman	\$19,041	\$27,404	43.9%
Daphne-Fairhope-Foley	\$22,767	\$35,021	53.8%
Enterprise-Ozark	\$19,097	\$29,859	56.4%
Eufaula	\$16,250	\$23,511	44.7%
Fort Payne	\$18,304	\$25,327	38.4%
Scottsboro	\$18,643	\$27,051	45.1%
Selma	\$17,051	\$26,200	53.7%
Talladega-Sylacauga	\$17,066	\$29,593	73.4%
Troy	\$18,428	\$31,564	71.3%
Tuskegee	\$14,561	\$21,807	49.8%
Valley	\$17,888	\$25,411	42.1%

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Average Per Capita Income Per Region, 2007



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