

Table 12.—RANK OF STATES ACCORDING TO AMOUNT AND PERCENT INCREASE IN POPULATION BETWEEN 1940 AND 1950

[Minus sign (—) denotes decrease]

Rank according to amount of increase	State	Population increase, 1940 to 1950	Rank according to percent increase	State	Percent increase in population, 1940 to 1950	Rank according to amount of increase	State	Population increase, 1940 to 1950	Rank according to percent increase	State	Percent increase in population, 1940 to 1950
1	California.....	3,678,836	1	California.....	53.3	26	Minnesota.....	190,183	26	Rhode Island.....	11.0
2	New York.....	1,351,050	2	Arizona.....	50.1	27	Missouri.....	169,989	27	Illinois.....	10.3
3	Texas.....	1,296,370	3	Florida.....	46.1	28	New Mexico.....	149,369	28	Georgia.....	10.3
4	Michigan.....	1,115,060	4	Nevada.....	45.2	29	District of Columbia.....	139,087	29	New York.....	10.0
5	Ohio.....	1,039,015	5	Oregon.....	39.6	30	Utah.....	138,552	30	Wisconsin.....	9.5
6	Florida.....	873,891	6	Washington.....	37.0	31	Kansas.....	104,271	31	Massachusetts.....	8.7
7	Illinois.....	814,935	7	Maryland.....	28.6	32	West Virginia.....	103,578	32	New Hampshire.....	8.5
8	New Jersey.....	675,164	8	New Mexico.....	28.1	33	Kentucky.....	99,179	33	Alabama.....	8.1
9	Washington.....	642,772	9	Utah.....	25.2	34	Iowa.....	82,805	34	Maine.....	7.9
10	Virginia.....	640,907	10	Virginia.....	23.9	35	Rhode Island.....	78,550	35	Minnesota.....	6.8
11	Pennsylvania.....	597,832	11	Michigan.....	21.2	36	Maine.....	66,548	36	Pennsylvania.....	6.0
12	Maryland.....	521,757	12	District of Columbia.....	21.0	37	Idaho.....	63,764	37	Kansas.....	5.8
13	Indiana.....	506,428	13	Texas.....	20.2	38	Delaware.....	51,580	38	Montana.....	5.6
14	North Carolina.....	490,306	14	Delaware.....	19.4	39	Nevada.....	49,836	39	West Virginia.....	5.4
15	Oregon.....	431,657	15	Colorado.....	18.0	40	New Hampshire.....	41,718	40	Vermont.....	5.2
16	Tennessee.....	375,877	16	Connecticut.....	17.4	41	Wyoming.....	39,787	41	Missouri.....	4.5
17	Massachusetts.....	373,793	17	New Jersey.....	16.2	42	Montana.....	31,568	42	Kentucky.....	3.5
18	Georgia.....	320,855	18	Wyoming.....	15.9	43	Vermont.....	18,516	43	Iowa.....	3.3
19	Louisiana.....	319,636	19	Ohio.....	15.0	44	South Dakota.....	9,779	44	South Dakota.....	1.5
20	Connecticut.....	298,038	20	Indiana.....	14.8	45	Nebraska.....	9,676	45	Nebraska.....	0.7
21	Wisconsin.....	296,988	21	North Carolina.....	13.7	46	Mississippi.....	-4,882	46	Mississippi.....	-0.2
22	Arizona.....	250,326	22	Louisiana.....	13.5	47	North Dakota.....	-22,299	47	Arkansas.....	-2.0
23	Alabama.....	228,782	23	Tennessee.....	12.9	48	Arkansas.....	-39,876	48	North Dakota.....	-3.5
24	South Carolina.....	217,223	24	Idaho.....	12.1	49	Oklahoma.....	-103,083	49	Oklahoma.....	-4.4
25	Colorado.....	201,793	25	South Carolina.....	11.4						