
**April 1, 2000 Population Estimates Base**: This represents the population base for the April 1, 2000 census.

**July 1, 2003 population**: This represents the population as of July 1, 2003.

**Components of population change 4/1/2000** to **7/1/2003**: These are the changes that occurred from April 1, 2000, to July 1, 2003.

### Components of Population Change

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1. **Population change** represents the April 1, 2000 to the July 1, 2003 time period.
2. **The April 1, 2000 Population Estimates Base reflects modifications to the Census 2000 Population as documented in the Count Question Resolution program, updates from the Boundary and Annexation Survey, and geographic program revisions.**
3. **Residual change** is a directly-measured component. It is developed by subtracting the other components from population change. Most of residual change is domestic migration but the Census Bureau has no accurate way to quantify it. This component is influenced by any inaccuracies in the other four components, or in any data entering the method.

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**Note:** Caution is urged in making year-to-year comparisons of population estimates. When the Census Bureau releases new population estimates for the current year, it also revises estimates for previous years in the decade.

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