

# HISPANIC AMERICANS

2009 STATISTICAL PROFILE FOR KANSAS

## PEOPLE

**255,409**

Estimated number of Hispanic Kansans as of July 1, 2008. This is 9.1% of the state's population. Hispanic Americans account for 15.4% of the total U.S. population.

**192,070**

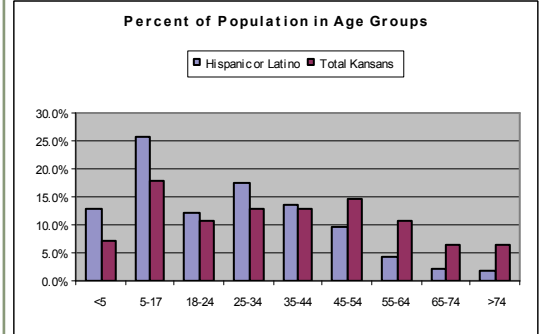
There are 192,070 more Hispanic Americans in Kansas today than in 1980. That is a 303% increase, compared to a 18.1% increase in the total number of Kansans during that period.

**496,030**

The projected Hispanic population in Kansas in 2030, according to Woods and Poole Economics, Inc.

**1,482**

The number of Hispanic Americans in Kansas who serve in the armed forces. This is 0.9% of those over the age of 16, compared with 0.8% for the total Kansas population. There are 8,340 Hispanic American veterans living in Kansas.



**38.7%**

The percent of the Hispanic population under age 18, compared to 25% of the general Kansas population.

**24.5**

The median age of Hispanic persons in Kansas. 36.2 years is the median age for all Kansans.

**10,149**

The number of Hispanic Kansans over 65 years of age, 58.9% of whom are women.

### TOP 5 CITIES BY PERCENT HISPANIC OR LATINO POPULATION

	2000		1990
Deerfield	51.6	Deerfield	38.8
Garden City	43.9	Kanorado	26.8
Liberal	43.3	Garden City	25.3
Dodge City	42.9	Ulysses	25.1
Ulysses	37.5	Johnson City	22.3

### TOP 5 COUNTIES BY PERCENT HISPANIC OR LATINO POPULATION

	2008		2000
Seward	52.7	Finney	43.3
Ford	48.9	Seward	42.1
Finney	45.4	Ford	37.7
Grant	39.9	Grant	34.7
Hamilton	31.1	Kearny	26.6

## CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

**70,393**

Hispanic households in Kansas, with an average of 3.32 people per household.

**68.9%**

Percentage Hispanic married couple families. Single mothers make up 22.9% of families and single fathers represent 8.7%.

**50.6%**

Percentage of Hispanic Kansans over the age of 15 who are married.

**27.2%**

Percentage of Hispanic children in Kansas under 18 years who live in poverty, compared to 14.5% for the general state population.

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U.S. Census Bureau: 2008 American Community Survey, Census 2000, U.S. Census Bureau Annual Estimates Program.

**MONEY MATTERS**

**31.7%**

Kansas Health Institute estimate for the percentage of Hispanic Kansans who are uninsured, compared to 12.4% of all Kansans.

**\$38,551**

Median income for Hispanic households, the median income for the state is \$50,177.

**57.7%**

Percentage of Hispanic Americans in Kansas who own their home.

**4,176**

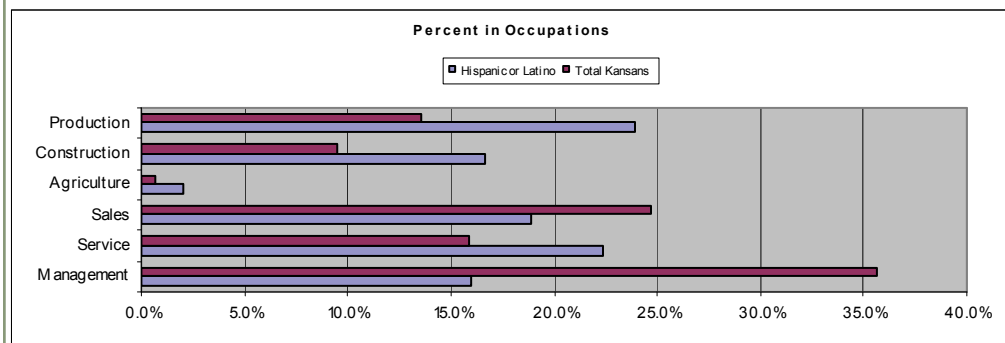
In the 2002 Economic Census, the number of Hispanic owned businesses in Kansas, employing 7,493 people. This accounts for 1.9% of all Kansas firms.

**\$83,100**

The median value of their homes. The overall median value for homes in Kansas is \$125,700.

**\$659,587,000**

Total receipts from those businesses in 2002.



**EDUCATION**

**80.7%**

The graduation rate for Hispanic American high school students in 2006-7 school year.

**26%**

The percent of students receiving free or reduced lunches who are Hispanic.

**13%**

Percentage of students enrolled in Kansas K-12 schools who are Hispanic American during the 2008-9 school year.

**10.2%**

Percentage of students in special education programs in Kansas who are Hispanic.

Source: Kansas State Department of Education

**13.2%**

Percentage of Hispanic Americans in Kansas who hold a bachelor's degree or higher.

**13.1%**

The percent of Hispanic American Kansans enrolled in college or graduate school.

**3.5%**

The percentage of students in Kansas Regents institutions who are Hispanic.

**13,756 / 19,633**

The number of Hispanic American men and women who hold bachelor degrees or higher.

Kansas Board of Regents *State University Data Book*, 2007.

