# Fastest-growing large USA cities ranked (fastest growth)

The 100 largest USA cities, ranked by population change from the April 2020 census to July 1, 2025, the latest estimates available in 2026.

| Rank | City | State | Change since 2020 | People added since | Population (July 2025) | Population (April 2020) |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Port St. Lucie | Florida | +30.9% | +63,236 | 268,062 | 204,826 |
| 2 | Cape Coral | Florida | +21.8% | +42,260 | 236,264 | 194,004 |
| 3 | McKinney | Texas | +20.8% | +40,670 | 236,001 | 195,331 |
| 4 | Frisco | Texas | +18.2% | +36,424 | 236,955 | 200,531 |
| 5 | North Las Vegas | Nevada | +14.3% | +37,174 | 296,653 | 259,479 |
| 6 | Fort Worth | Texas | +11.9% | +109,225 | 1,028,117 | 918,892 |
| 7 | Henderson | Nevada | +11.5% | +36,553 | 353,289 | 316,736 |
| 8 | Miami | Florida | +10.8% | +47,576 | 489,812 | 442,236 |
| 9 | Charlotte | North Carolina | +10.3% | +90,076 | 964,784 | 874,708 |
| 10 | Huntsville | Alabama | +8.7% | +18,638 | 233,627 | 214,989 |
| 11 | Orlando | Florida | +8.4% | +25,787 | 333,888 | 308,101 |
| 12 | Raleigh | North Carolina | +8.2% | +38,204 | 506,306 | 468,102 |
| 13 | San Antonio | Texas | +8.0% | +115,074 | 1,548,422 | 1,433,348 |
| 14 | Durham | North Carolina | +7.6% | +21,680 | 305,561 | 283,881 |
| 15 | Reno | Nevada | +7.4% | +19,470 | 283,621 | 264,151 |
| 16 | Tampa | Florida | +7.3% | +28,218 | 413,554 | 385,336 |
| 17 | Gilbert | Arizona | +7.2% | +19,410 | 287,285 | 267,875 |
| 18 | Jacksonville | Florida | +7.2% | +68,082 | 1,017,689 | 949,607 |
| 19 | Seattle | Washington | +6.5% | +47,674 | 784,777 | 737,103 |
| 20 | Aurora | Colorado | +6.2% | +23,798 | 410,053 | 386,255 |
| 21 | Lubbock | Texas | +6.2% | +15,831 | 273,071 | 257,240 |
| 22 | Atlanta | Georgia | +6.1% | +30,305 | 529,110 | 498,805 |
| 23 | Oklahoma City | Oklahoma | +5.7% | +38,913 | 719,849 | 680,936 |
| 24 | Laredo | Texas | +5.6% | +14,303 | 269,515 | 255,212 |
| 25 | Las Vegas | Nevada | +5.3% | +34,043 | 679,817 | 645,774 |
| 26 | Glendale | Arizona | +4.9% | +12,201 | 260,572 | 248,371 |
| 27 | Richmond | Virginia | +4.7% | +10,735 | 237,257 | 226,522 |

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| 28 | Austin | Texas | +4.6% | +44,481 | 1,002,632 | 958,151 |
| 29 | Nashville-Davidson | Tennessee | +4.6% | +31,625 | 721,074 | 689,449 |
| 30 | Bakersfield | California | +4.4% | +17,803 | 422,165 | 404,362 |
| 31 | Fort Wayne | Indiana | +4.3% | +11,285 | 275,203 | 263,918 |
| 32 | Houston | Texas | +4.2% | +97,666 | 2,397,315 | 2,299,649 |
| 33 | Madison | Wisconsin | +4.2% | +11,593 | 286,233 | 274,640 |
| 34 | Newark | New Jersey | +4.0% | +12,323 | 323,808 | 311,485 |
| 35 | Irvine | California | +3.6% | +11,108 | 318,764 | 307,656 |
| 36 | Phoenix | Arizona | +3.6% | +57,132 | 1,665,481 | 1,608,349 |
| 37 | Columbus | Ohio | +3.6% | +32,181 | 938,396 | 906,215 |
| 38 | Denver | Colorado | +3.5% | +25,104 | 740,613 | 715,509 |
| 39 | Lincoln | Nebraska | +3.5% | +10,171 | 301,522 | 291,351 |
| 40 | Jersey City | New Jersey | +3.2% | +9,271 | 302,013 | 292,742 |
| 41 | Greensboro | North Carolina | +3.2% | +9,470 | 308,667 | 299,197 |
| 42 | Winston-Salem | North Carolina | +3.1% | +7,722 | 257,271 | 249,549 |
| 43 | Colorado Springs | Colorado | +3.1% | +14,780 | 494,743 | 479,963 |
| 44 | Plano | Texas | +2.6% | +7,563 | 293,028 | 285,465 |
| 45 | Kansas City | Missouri | +2.6% | +13,208 | 521,220 | 508,012 |
| 46 | Fresno | California | +2.5% | +13,321 | 555,549 | 542,228 |
| 47 | Chesapeake | Virginia | +2.4% | +6,081 | 255,332 | 249,251 |
| 48 | Riverside | California | +2.4% | +7,587 | 323,057 | 315,470 |
| 49 | Lexington-Fayette urban | Kentucky | +2.2% | +7,188 | 329,751 | 322,563 |
| 50 | Sacramento | California | +2.2% | +11,542 | 536,449 | 524,907 |
| 51 | St. Petersburg | Florida | +2.2% | +5,675 | 264,033 | 258,358 |
| 52 | Arlington | Texas | +2.0% | +7,747 | 402,134 | 394,387 |
| 53 | Dallas | Texas | +1.9% | +25,150 | 1,329,491 | 1,304,341 |
| 54 | Mesa | Arizona | +1.8% | +9,264 | 513,656 | 504,392 |
| 55 | Santa Ana | California | +1.6% | +5,052 | 315,586 | 310,534 |
| 56 | Louisville/Jefferson | Kentucky | +1.6% | +10,061 | 641,962 | 631,901 |
| 57 | San Diego | California | +1.6% | +21,625 | 1,406,106 | 1,384,481 |

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| 58 | Cincinnati | Ohio | +1.5% | +4,778 | 314,367 | 309,589 |
| 59 | Indianapolis | Indiana | +1.5% | +13,469 | 901,116 | 887,647 |
| 60 | Pittsburgh | Pennsylvania | +1.5% | +4,578 | 307,632 | 303,054 |
| 61 | Detroit | Michigan | +1.5% | +9,561 | 649,095 | 639,534 |
| 62 | Garland | Texas | +1.4% | +3,435 | 249,625 | 246,190 |
| 63 | Stockton | California | +1.2% | +3,820 | 324,597 | 320,777 |
| 64 | Boise City | Idaho | +1.1% | +2,707 | 238,429 | 235,722 |
| 65 | Tucson | Arizona | +1.1% | +5,773 | 548,371 | 542,598 |
| 66 | Chandler | Arizona | +1.0% | +2,657 | 278,748 | 276,091 |
| 67 | Wichita | Kansas | +0.9% | +3,398 | 400,987 | 397,589 |
| 68 | Tulsa | Oklahoma | +0.8% | +3,116 | 416,209 | 413,093 |
| 69 | Scottsdale | Arizona | +0.7% | +1,680 | 243,006 | 241,326 |
| 70 | El Paso | Texas | +0.6% | +4,080 | 683,012 | 678,932 |
| 71 | Washington | District of Columbia | +0.6% | +4,101 | 693,645 | 689,544 |
| 72 | Irving | Texas | +0.1% | +295 | 257,076 | 256,781 |
| 73 | Minneapolis | Minnesota | +0.1% | +340 | 430,324 | 429,984 |
| 74 | Chula Vista | California | +0.0% | +30 | 275,533 | 275,503 |
| 75 | Oakland | California | -0.0% | -4 | 440,838 | 440,842 |
| 76 | Corpus Christi | Texas | -0.3% | -843 | 317,247 | 318,090 |
| 77 | Chicago | Illinois | -0.6% | -16,748 | 2,731,585 | 2,748,333 |
| 78 | Omaha | Nebraska | -0.6% | -3,070 | 488,797 | 491,867 |
| 79 | Los Angeles | California | -0.8% | -30,253 | 3,869,089 | 3,899,342 |
| 80 | Boston | Massachusetts | -0.8% | -5,644 | 672,973 | 678,617 |
| 81 | Virginia Beach | Virginia | -1.2% | -5,680 | 453,737 | 459,417 |
| 82 | Buffalo | New York | -1.3% | -3,688 | 274,613 | 278,301 |
| 83 | Albuquerque | New Mexico | -1.4% | -7,840 | 556,588 | 564,428 |
| 84 | Anchorage | Alaska | -1.4% | -4,087 | 287,155 | 291,242 |
| 85 | St. Paul | Minnesota | -1.5% | -4,819 | 306,684 | 311,503 |
| 86 | Anaheim | California | -1.7% | -5,791 | 341,008 | 346,799 |
| 87 | Philadelphia | Pennsylvania | -1.8% | -29,519 | 1,574,281 | 1,603,800 |

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| 88 | San Jose | California | -2.3% | -23,507 | 989,814 | 1,013,321 |
| 89 | Cleveland | Ohio | -2.4% | -9,027 | 363,608 | 372,635 |
| 90 | New York | New York | -2.5% | -220,965 | 8,584,629 | 8,805,594 |
| 91 | Honolulu | Hawaii | -2.6% | -9,125 | 341,868 | 350,993 |
| 92 | Portland | Oregon | -2.7% | -17,357 | 635,109 | 652,466 |
| 93 | Milwaukee | Wisconsin | -2.7% | -15,487 | 562,407 | 577,894 |
| 94 | Baltimore | Maryland | -2.7% | -15,732 | 569,997 | 585,729 |
| 95 | Toledo | Ohio | -2.8% | -7,458 | 263,423 | 270,881 |
| 96 | Memphis | Tennessee | -3.0% | -18,863 | 609,647 | 628,510 |
| 97 | Long Beach | California | -3.5% | -16,299 | 450,469 | 466,768 |
| 98 | New Orleans | Louisiana | -5.7% | -21,975 | 362,154 | 384,129 |
| 99 | San Francisco | California | -6.0% | -52,471 | 826,079 | 878,550 |
| 100 | St. Louis | Missouri | -7.7% | -23,205 | 278,144 | 301,349 |

*Source: US Census Bureau, Vintage 2025 Population Estimates (July 1, 2025; released May 14, 2026), compared with the April 1, 2020 census base. Last updated May 14, 2026.*
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