

Median household income by state, 2010-2012 compared with 1984-1986

State	Region	1984-1986	2010-2012	Difference	% change	Population 2010 - millions				
Alabama	Southeast	37328	43350	6022	16.13%	4.8				
Alaska	Mountains	67187	61066	-6121	-9.11%	0.7				
Arizona	Southwest	48219	48689	470	0.97%	6.4				
Arkansas	Southeast	35314	40606	5292	14.99%	2.9				
California	Far West	55373	56222	849	1.53%	37.3				
Colorado	Mountains	55337	60180	4843	8.75%	5.0				
Connecticut	New England	63905	66844	2939	4.60%	3.6				
D.C.	Northeast	44820	60534	15714	35.06%	0.6				
Delaware	Northeast	50777	54307	3530	6.95%	0.9				
Florida	Southeast	43583	46175	2592	5.95%	18.8				
Georgia	Southeast	44537	47171	2634	5.91%	9.7				
Hawaii	Far West	59230	59748	518	0.87%	1.4				
Idaho	Mountains	42706	48640	5934	13.90%	1.6				
Illinois	Great Lakes	51199	52284	1085	2.12%	12.8				
Indiana	Great Lakes	46500	46707	207	0.45%	6.5				
Iowa	Plains	43096	52110	9014	20.92%	3.0				
Kansas	Plains	48679	48538	-141	-0.29%	2.9				
Kentucky	Southeast	37423	41687	4264	11.39%	4.5				
Louisiana	Southeast	41580	40660	-920	-2.21%	4.5				
Maine	New England	44013	50121	6108	13.88%	1.3				
Maryland	Northeast	61677	69920	8243	13.36%	5.8				
Massachusetts	New England	58263	64153	5890	10.11%	6.5				
Michigan	Great Lakes	50283	49549	-734	-1.46%	9.9				
Minnesota	Plains	50945	58641	7696	15.11%	5.3				
Mississippi	Southeast	32962	39592	6630	20.11%	3.0				
Missouri	Plains	44066	48248	4182	9.49%	6.0				
Montana	Mountains	40978	43226	2248	5.49%	1.0				
Nebraska	Plains	44306	54755	10449	23.58%	1.8				
Nevada	Far West	51340	49759	-1581	-3.08%	2.7				
New Hampshire	New England	56445	68415	11970	21.21%	1.3				
New Jersey	Northeast	61634	65548	3914	6.35%	8.8				
New Mexico	Southwest	41550	44605	3055	7.35%	2.1				
New York	Northeast	48163	50600	2437	5.06%	19.4				
North Carolina	Southeast	43548	44620	1072	2.46%	9.5				
North Dakota	Plains	43288	55673	12385	28.61%	0.7				
Ohio	Great Lakes	50033	46093	-3940	-7.87%	11.5				
Oklahoma	Southwest	43179	47755	4576	10.60%	3.8				
Oregon	Far West	46371	52555	6184	13.34%	3.8				
Pennsylvania	Northeast	45655	51245	5590	12.24%	12.7				
Rhode Island	New England	49550	53495	3945	7.96%	1.1				
South Carolina	Southeast	42477	43078	601	1.41%	4.6				
South Dakota	Plains	39182	48461	9279	23.68%	0.8				
Tennessee	Southeast	35998	42266	6268	17.41%	6.3				
Texas	Southwest	48358	50591	2233	4.62%	25.1				
Utah	Mountains	50807	58235	7428	14.62%	2.8				
Vermont	New England	49868	55808	5940	11.91%	0.6				
Virginia	Southeast	57693	64043	6350	11.01%	8.0				
Washington	Far West	51743	59790	8047	15.55%	6.7				
West Virginia	Southeast	33629	43765	10136	30.14%	1.9				
Wisconsin	Great Lakes	47932	53083	5151	10.75%	5.7				

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Wyoming	Mountains	47385	56044	8659	18.27%	0.6			
<b>United States</b>		<b>48336</b>	<b>51336</b>	<b>3000</b>	6.21%				

Source for median household income data: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplements. Table H-8B. Median Income of Households by State Using Three-Year Moving Averages: 1984 to 2012. (Income in 2012 CPI-U-RS adjusted dollars.)

Definition of regions: BEA Regions, but I added Hawaii to Far West and Alaska to Mountains.

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