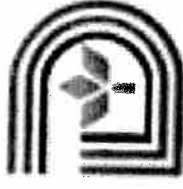


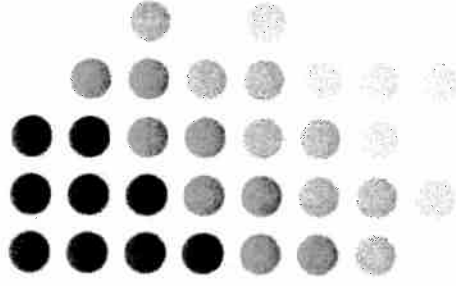
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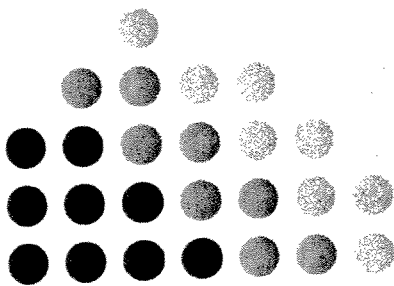
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Redistricting Commission Meeting 2010 Census Update

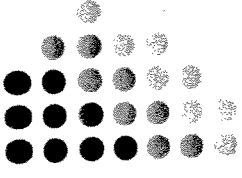
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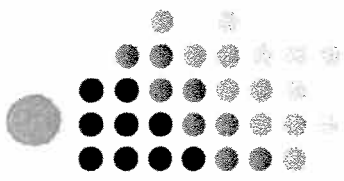
2010 Census Data

- Data Set 1
 - Information released in December 2010
 - Resident population for the nation, states, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico (population total, percent change, and state rankings) as of April 1, 2010
 - Congressional apportionment results for each state
- Data Set 2
 - Information to be released to states in late February or early March, but no later than April 1, 2011
 - More detailed information including state specific population and demographics

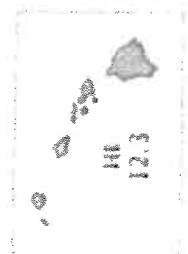
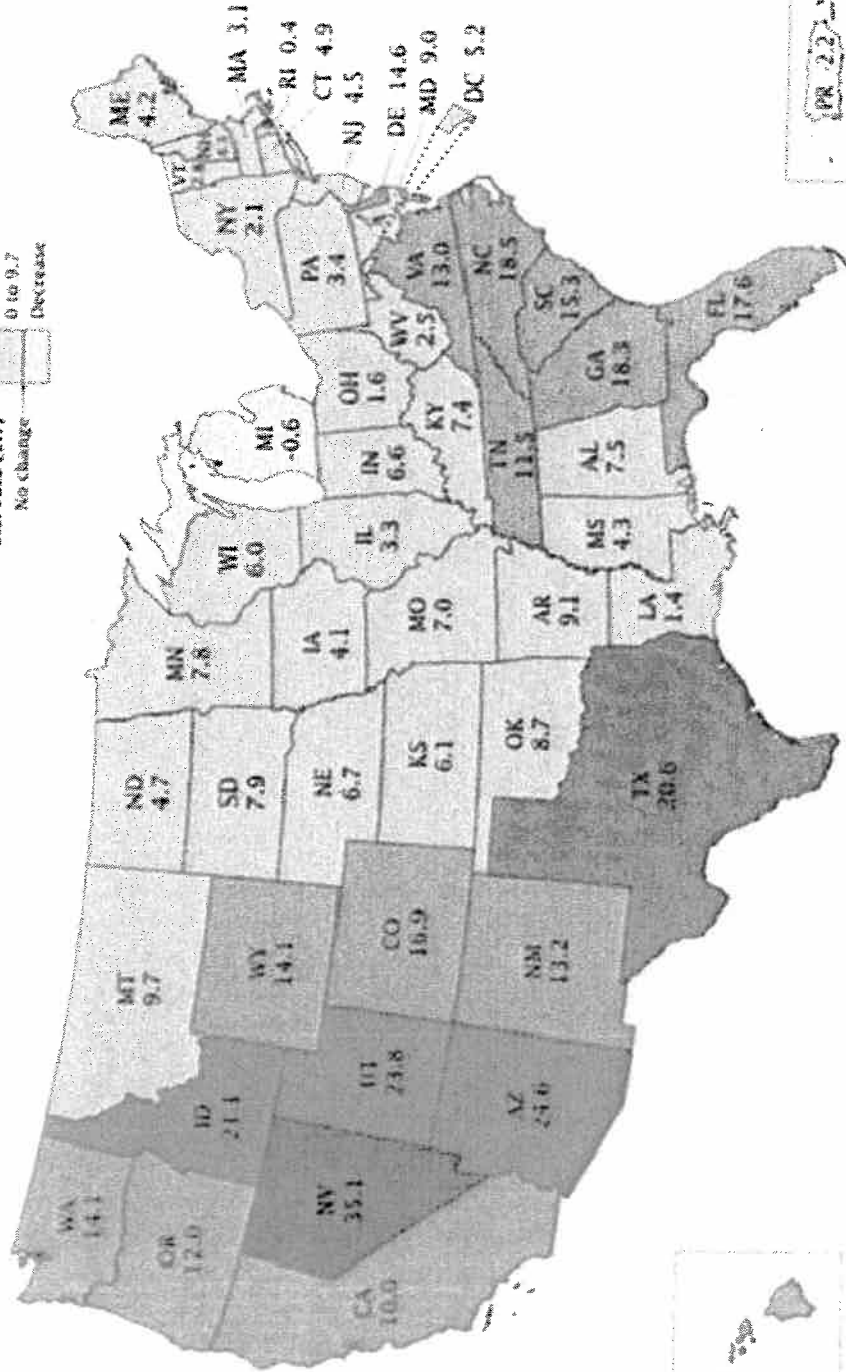
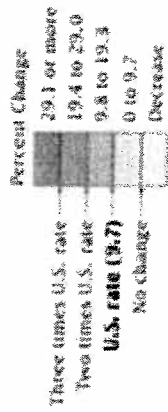


Data Set 1: US Population

- Population
 - United States: 308,745,538
 - 9.7% increase over the 281,421,906 counted during the 2000 Census
 - Texas: 25,145,561
 - 20.6% increase over the 20,851,820 counted during the 2000 Census
- Top 5 populated State Population Rankings
 - 1. California 37,253,956 (10.0% change)
 - 2. Texas 25,145,561 (20.6% change)
 - 3. New York 19,378,102 (2.1% change)
 - 4. Florida 18,801,310 (17.6% change)
 - 5. Illinois 12,830,632 (3.3% change)
- Only 2 states/territories had a negative population change
 - Michigan (-0.6%)
 - Puerto Rico (-2.2%)

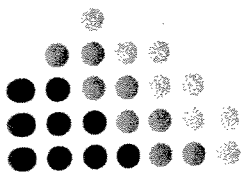


Percent Change in Resident Population for the 50 States, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico: 2000 to 2010



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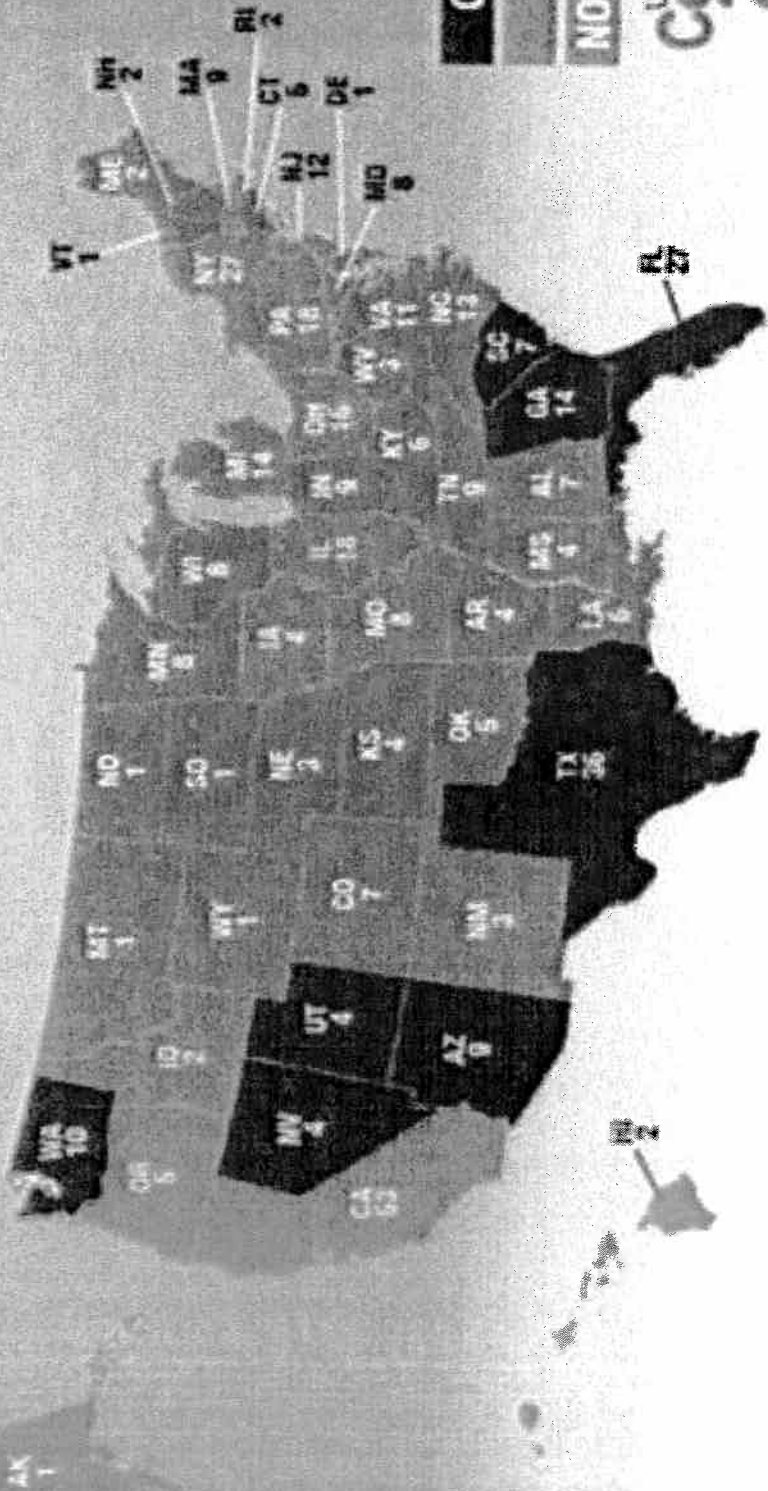
Data Set 1: US Apportionment

- **States gaining seats:**
 - Texas (+4)
 - Arizona (+1)
 - Florida (+2)
 - Georgia (+1)
 - Nevada (+1)
 - South Carolina (+1)
 - Utah (+1)
 - Washington (+1)
- **States losing seats:**
 - Illinois (-1)
 - Iowa (-1)
 - Louisiana (-1)
 - Massachusetts (-1)
 - Michigan (-1)
 - Missouri (-1)
 - New Jersey (-1)
 - New York (-1)
 - Ohio (-2)
 - Pennsylvania (-1)

CONGRESSIONAL SEATS

2010

OFFICIAL RESULTS

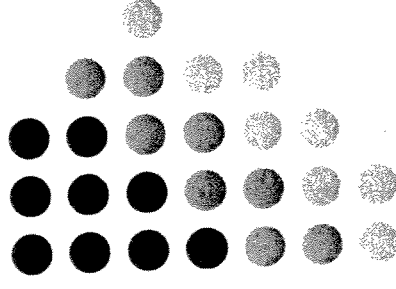


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Redistricting Commission Meeting Redistricting Process

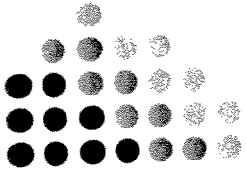
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Purpose of Redistricting

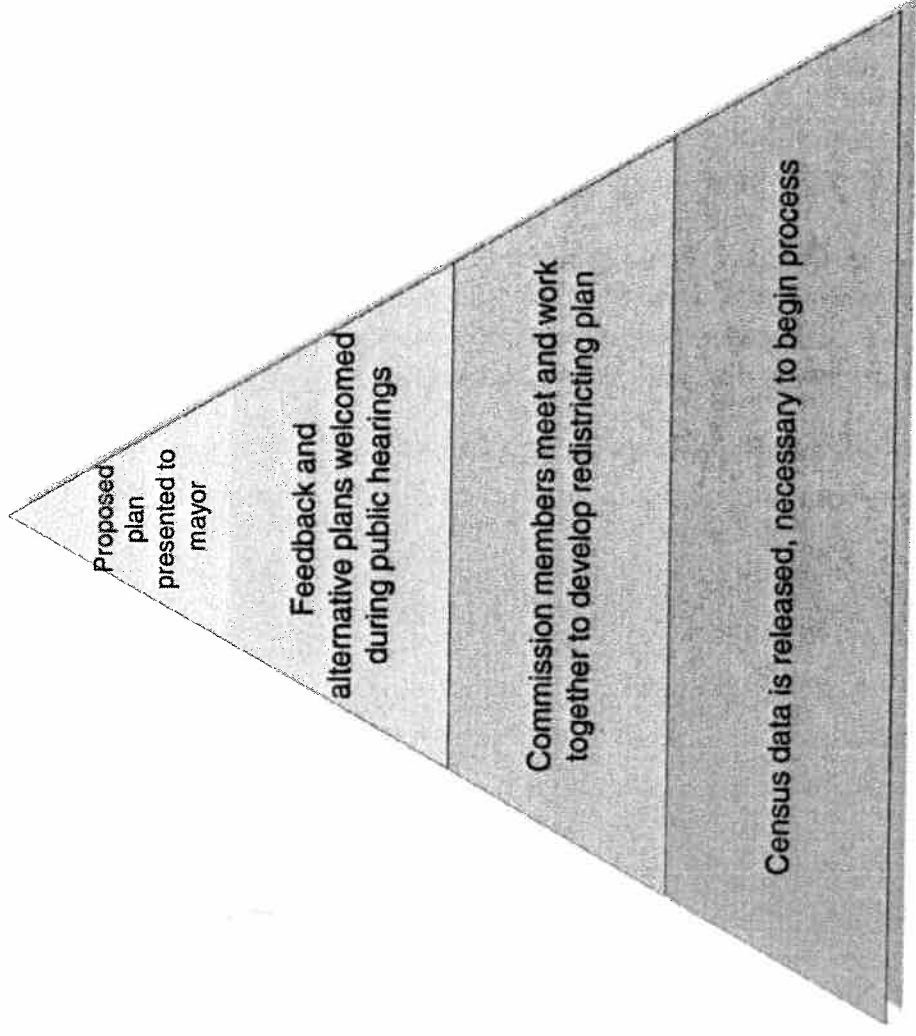
- Redistricting is the revision or replacement of existing districts, resulting in new districts with different geographical boundaries.
- The basic purpose is to equalize the population among electoral districts after publication of the United States census indicates an increase or decrease in or shift of population.
 - Resource: *Texas Legislative Council Guide to 2011 Redistricting*

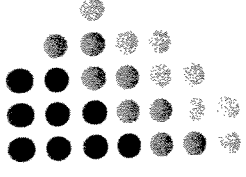


Redistricting Process: Commission

- Dallas City Charter Requirements
 - The Redistricting Commission will hold sessions, including public hearings, to develop, prepare, and recommend a districting plan that proposes the respective boundaries of the 14 districts comprising the Dallas City Council
 - Upon completion, the Redistricting Commission shall file its recommended districting plan with the Mayor
 - Mayor will present the recommended plan at the next city council meeting

Redistricting Process: Commission



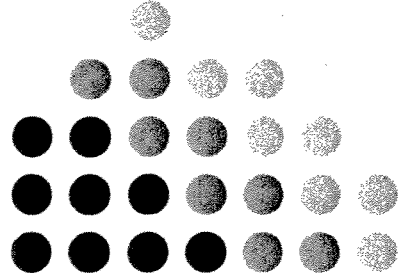


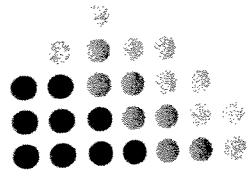
Redistricting Process: Staff

- Responsible for
 - Providing legal guidance for duration of the project (attorney only)
 - Data management
 - Providing support to the Redistricting Commission through the coordination of
 - Necessary trainings
 - Staffing commission public meetings/hearings
 - Making changes to and printing maps as directed by the Redistricting Commission
 - Troubleshooting software problems and providing technical support for the Redistricting Computer Lab
 - Ensuring proper archiving of all materials, official documents, and maps

Redistricting Commission Meeting Work Plan

Dr. Ruth Morgan





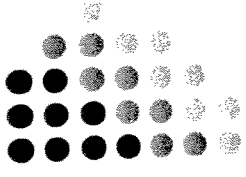
Redistricting Work Plan

- **December 2010-February 2011**
 - City of Dallas Redistricting Commission appointed
- **February 2011**
 - Redistricting Commission holds first meeting
- **February 26 or March 5, 2011**
 - Redistricting Commission Retreat
 - Familiarization with city charter and commission expectations
 - Team Building
 - Introduction to software (training held at later date)



Redistricting Work Plan

- **March 2011**
 - Software training
 - Census data delivered to states per federal law
 - No later than April 1
 - Staff presentation of census results to Redistricting Commission/City Council
 - Redistricting guidelines developed
- **March – August 2011**
 - Redistricting Commission meetings
 - The 2001 Redistricting Commission met once per week and more frequently (twice per week) nearer to finalization of plan
 - Proposed meeting calendar provided
- **Early April 2011**
 - City Council consideration of a resolution adopting redistricting guidelines



Redistricting Work Plan

- **April – May 2011**
 - Public hearings held on alternative redistricting plans
- **August 2011**
 - Redistricting Commission completes work and files recommended districting plan with the Mayor
(Dallas City Charter, Chapter IV, Section 5 (b)(3))
- **September 2011**
 - Mayor presents recommended plan to the City Council at its next meeting (Dallas City Charter, Chapter IV, Section 5(b)(3))
 - This begins the 45 day countdown for final adoption, or modification and adoption, of the plan by the City Council
- **October/November 2011**
 - City Council takes action on recommended plan
 - If no action is taken within the 45 period the recommended plan of the Redistricting Commission becomes the final districting plan¹⁶ for the city.

**Acknowledgment Form for
Environmental Management Consent Decree Notification**

I, _____, received written, hard-copy notice that a copy of the Consent Decree entered by the U.S. District Court in United States of America et al v. City of Dallas, Case No. 3:06-cv-00845 (Northern District of Texas) is available on the Office of Environmental Quality's webpage on the City of Dallas intranet at <http://www.cod/Oeq/Index.htm>.

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