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## ABSTRACT

In order to document the economic, social, educational, and emotional status and physical well-being of children in West Virginia, this databook provides national and state profiles, a separate minority profile, and 55 county profiles. For the state and each county, 10-year (1980-90) trend data are presented for 12 indicators: child abuse/neglect rate, infant mortality rate, child death rate, juvenile arrest rate, juvenile delinquency case rate, teen birth rate, percent of births to unmarried teens, percent of high school dropouts, teen injury death rate, percent of births to low-educated mothers, percent of children in single-parent families, and percent of children in poverty. In addition, 17 background facts are presented, including data on total population, population under 18, minority population, population density, children living in households headed by other than parents, households with children, high school and college graduates, educational expenditures per pupil, Aid to Families with Dependent Children recipients, early prenatal care, jobs in high- and low-paying industries, median family income, and unemployment rate. Between 1980 and 1990, positive trends in most counties included a decline in infant mortality, an increase in mothers' education, and declines in dropout and teen pregnancy rates. However, in most counties more children were living in poverty and more children were living in single-parent families. (AC)

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### ERRATA

Percent Births to Unmarried Teens (age 19 and under), should read  
Percent Births to Unmarried Teens "(ages 10-17)".

The definition on page 74 should read: Percent Births to Unmarried  
Teens "(ages 10-17)"-- the percentage of live births which are to  
unmarried women "ages 10 through 17 years."

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# Foreword

In 1989, the Annie E. Casey Foundation and the Center for the Study of Social Policy launched KIDS COUNT. This initiative is premised on the belief that the more the public and policy makers know about the status and needs of children, the greater the likelihood those needs will be addressed.

WV KIDS COUNT, funded in 1991, is one of 37 current state projects. It represents a collaboration between the West Virginia Task Force on Children, Youth and Families and the West Virginia Human Resources Association. In addition, representatives from numerous state agencies and non-profit organizations have volunteered their time and expertise to the identification, collection and documentation of the data that appear in this book.

The publication of this book marks the first county-by-county trend analysis of the status of children in West Virginia. Included for each

county are 12 indicators of child well-being and 17 background facts. The information that appears here is the most accurate and complete available. During the next three years, WV KIDS COUNT will publish additional reports that provide updated information and analysis.

Measuring the well-being of children will be of little consequence if we are not prepared to work for improvements. This requires the active involvement of individuals and groups at the local and community level.

WV KIDS COUNT is building on existing community networks of leaders to disseminate WV KIDS COUNT information and to encourage and support action at the community level. But we all need to do more. To join a constituency for children and become part of the solution, call 1-800-834-8323.

## How To Use This Book

The 1992 WV KIDS COUNT Data Book consists of a national profile, a state profile, a minority profile and 55 county profiles, all of which document the status of children in West Virginia. Most of the indicators and background facts are expressed as percentages or rates. All the actual numbers behind the percentages and rates appear in the Appendices.

Most of the trend analyses are based on the change between 1980 and 1990. In a few cases, notably the infant mortality rate, child death rate and teen injury death rate, the 1980 value is the average of data for 1978, 1979 and 1980 and the 1990 value is the average of data for 1988, 1989 and 1990.

A composite county rank appears in the upper right corner of each county profile. It was derived by combining z scores for each indicator, giving each indicator equal weight. The composite z scores were then ranked, 1=best, 55=worst.

Each of the 12 indicators is also ranked in sequential order from best (1) to worst (55). This ranking was obtained by simply ranking the rate or percentage from best to worst. These individual indicator rankings appear on each of the county pages under the county rank column and are based on the most recent available data.

Whenever there was a tie of two or more counties, they were all assigned the same rank, e.g., if four counties tied at ranking position 1, they were all assigned a ranking position of 1, then the next county was ranked 5.

Caution should be used in interpreting the results of the rankings. Some indicators — the child death rate, for example — document relatively rare events. For example, the county that is ranked 3rd for a particular indicator may have a value of 2 percent, while the county that is ranked 25th may have a value of 4 percent.

Each county profile includes a bar graph that displays the percentage change between 1980 and 1990 for each indicator. The state profile contains national comparison data, while the county profiles compare the counties to the state average.

"NA" indicates that data were not available; "NM" is used when the 1980 data is zero and the 1990 data is any value above zero because a percent change from zero cannot be calculated. When the 1980 data is any value above zero and the 1990 data is zero, the percent change shown is always 100 percent.



# Overview And Key Findings

Children are West Virginia's future. Given love, nourishment, care and education, our children succeed and develop into healthy and productive adults. The investment made in children today determines their future and the future of West Virginia.

West Virginians are proud of their heritage, their children, their communities and families. Our strength comes from our strong family ties, an involvement with our children, a low crime rate, lots of natural beauty and a willingness to work hard. West Virginians go to work eagerly when they have the tools to tackle the problem. It is time to put that resolve to work for children.

The data presented in this report reflects the status of children and their families in each West Virginia county. There is good news and bad news. The good news is that in most of our counties fewer babies are dying before their first birthday, West Virginia mothers have more education today than before, fewer children are dropping out of high school and fewer teens are having babies. The bad news is that these improvements have not been achieved in all 55 counties and that in most of our counties, more children are poor and more children are living in single-parent families.

More than one-fourth of West Virginia's children live in poverty. Our goal is to reduce this percentage. To do this requires an investment in our children's future; their health, their education, their welfare. This investment is important to everyone today and tomorrow. Parents, educators, civic, religious and business leaders need to focus on improving the well-being of children in their homes, neighborhoods, towns and the state. West Virginia's children need all of us to care and to act.

## How West Virginia's Children Are Doing

WV KIDS COUNT Indicator	State Trends Over the 1980s	County Trends Over the 1980s
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	30% Better	45 Counties Better
Child death rate (ages 1-14 per 100,000 children )	22% Better	37 Counties Better
Juvenile arrest rate (per 1,000 teens)	14% Worse	29 Counties Worse
Teen birth rate (ages 15-19 per 1,000 females )	22% Better	49 Counties Better
Percent births to unmarried teens (age 19 and under)	No Change	28 Counties Better
Percent high school dropouts	34% Better	51 Counties Better
Teen injury death rate (ages 15-19 per 100,000 teens)	8% Better	33 Counties Better
Percent births to low-educated mothers	18% Better	52 Counties Better
Percent children in single-parent families	45% Worse	55 Counties Worse
Percent children in poverty	40% Worse	47 Counties Worse

## Overview And Key Findings, continued

### Income

When adjusted for inflation, median family income in West Virginia declined between 1980 and 1990. The state lost 23 percent of its higher-paying jobs primarily in manufacturing, heavy industry and mining. Among the counties, the change in median family income ranged from a 29 percent increase in Jefferson to a 27.5 percent decrease in McDowell. At \$25,602, West Virginia's median family income was \$9,623 below the national figure of \$35,225.

### Poverty

Between 1980 and 1990, West Virginia saw an increase in the number and percentage of children living in poverty. In 1990, West Virginia had the highest percentage of white children in poverty of all states at 25.4 percent and ranked 46th in the number of African-American children in poverty at 50.2 percent. There was an increase in the number of families eligible for Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC). Statewide, there were 53.1 percent more families receiving AFDC in 1990 than in 1980.

The eastern panhandle counties have the lower numbers relating to children in poverty, with Morgan at 10.3 percent children in poverty and Jefferson at 13.7 percent, ranking 1 and 2 respectively in the state. Children in southern West Virginia were not as fortunate. More than half of the children in McDowell County, 50.3 percent, live below the poverty level and other southern counties are not faring much better.

### Number of Children

Between 1980 and 1990, West Virginia lost a larger portion of its children than any other state. While the population of West Virginia declined by 8 percent in that decade, the number of children declined by 20.7 percent. Nationally, the decline in the number of children was only 0.1 percent. Since the reduction in the number of children does not lower all educational costs, the cost per pupil has increased. Counties with declining enrollments spend a larger portion of their education dollars on fixed costs such as maintenance and less on educational services.

The economic implications of a declining population of children are clear. The future work force will shrink and state tax revenues with it. Competition for state dollars will increase as the proportion of the population which is elderly increases. Barring improvements in our economy, more and more families with children will depend on public support programs such as Food Stamps and Medicaid.

### Families

Between 1980 and 1990, the percentage of West Virginia children living in single-parent families increased from 12.0 percent in 1980 to 17.4 percent in 1990, an increase of 45 percent over the decade. The eastern mountain counties have the highest percentage of children living in two-parent families. Tucker, with only 11.3 percent of children in single-parent families, ranks number 1, followed by Pendleton at 11.4 percent and Morgan at 12.7 percent. More urban counties had the highest percentages of children in single-parent families: Ohio County had 21.2 percent and Kanawha and Cabell each had 21 percent. While single-parent families are not necessarily in distress, they do face greater challenges than two-parent families, where the burdens of health or income crises are usually shared by spouses.

According to the 1990 Census, West Virginia had the lowest growth in the number of working mothers, a 55 percent increase. West Virginia also had the highest percentage, 34 percent, of children living in the traditional family setting, two parents with only one employed outside the home.

# Status Of Children By Indicators

## A. Health and Safety

- 30% decrease in infant mortality rate
- 22% decrease in child death rate
- 8% decrease in teen injury death rate

West Virginia has made significant strides in child health, as reflected above. The infant mortality rate in the state dropped from 13.6 deaths per 1,000 live births in 1980 to 9.4 deaths per 1,000 in 1990. There was a 27.0 percent decrease in infant mortality for African-American infants. However, the infant mortality rate for African-Americans, at 17.3, is almost double the rate for white infants, at 9.6. The child death rate dropped from 40.8 per 100,000 in 1980 to 31.8 per 100,000 in 1990. These trends must continue if we are to meet the national goals of 7 infant deaths per 1,000 live births and 28 child deaths per 100,000 children set for the year 2000.

## B. Economic Status

- 40% increase in percentage of children living in poverty
- 45% increase in percentage of children in single-parent families

West Virginia's percentage of children living below the poverty level is among the highest in the nation at 26.2 percent. The poverty rate for African-American children increased by 47.0 percent. Over half of the state's African-American children live in poverty. The poverty rate for children in female-headed households

is more than twice that of children in general. The poverty rate for children less than 6 years of age in female-headed households is more than three times that of young children generally.

## C. Social Aspects

- 22% decrease in teen birth rate
- 14% increase in juvenile arrest rate
- 0% change in percentage of births that are to unmarried teens
- 29.6 cases of juvenile delinquency per 1,000 youths ages 10-20 in 1990

The significant decrease in the teen birth rate parallels the national trend and is good news since teen mothers are more likely to have low birth-weight babies and babies with health problems.

Any number of factors contribute to the increase in juvenile arrests, from increased poverty to new laws and variations in enforcement and reporting techniques. Whatever the causes, we must support community efforts which encourage our youth to become productive citizens.

1980 data were not available for the juvenile delinquency case rate, but the 1990 rate was 29.6 per 100,000 youths. Juvenile crime rates in West Virginia continue to be among the lowest in the nation.

## D. Education

- 34% decrease in percentage of high school dropouts
- 18% decrease in percentage of births to low-educated mothers

The high school dropout rate of only 16.9 percent in 1990 was markedly better than the 25.6 percent rate in 1980. The decrease of 18% in the percentage of births to low-educated mothers is a significant improvement. Low-educated mothers are less likely to continue with their education and the children of low-educated mothers experience greater developmental difficulties.

## E. Emotional Well Being

- 458.1 cases of child abuse/neglect per 100,000 children in the state in 1990

The data concerning child abuse/neglect are unavailable for 1980, therefore the trend is not measurable. However, there were 458.1 cases of child abuse/neglect per 100,000 children reported in 1990. These were substantiated cases "open" for further servicing by a case worker and do not include the number of cases that go unreported every year. The national rate is 1,493.7 cases per 100,000 children.

# Things We Can Do Together To Make Kids Count

## THINGS WE CAN DO TOGETHER TO MAKE KIDS COUNT IN WEST VIRGINIA.

Children are the future of West Virginia. If children are to grow up to be responsible parents, competitive workers and secure individuals, then all of us need to do our part. West Virginia's children need you to care and to act. Here are some things that you can do to make WV KIDS COUNT.

### 1. Change your focus. Make children a priority.

- Talk to children.
- Listen to what they have to say.
- Keep an eye out for children. If you see a child in trouble, try to help or find someone who can.

### 2. Change your routine. It begins at home.

- Show interest in your child's education. Encourage your child's enthusiasm for learning. Help with homework.
- Read stories to your child.

### 3. Change a child's life. Give your time.

- Offer to assist a family. Many families could use an extra hand, advice and support.
- Call your local information and referral agency or library and ask for the names of youth and family service organizations that may need assistance.

- Volunteer to be a mentor, a tutor or an after-school helper.

### 4. Change your neighborhood. Make it a positive place for children.

- Donate materials to your local schools, such as books, audio and video equipment, records, cassettes, videotapes or art supplies.
- Start a Watch project to keep your neighborhood safe for children.

### 5. Change your community. Make your town child friendly.

- Use this data book to identify indicators which need improvement in your community and mobilize individuals to improve one of the KIDS COUNT indicators.
- Identify community leaders and let us know who they are so that they may receive a KIDS COUNT book. Educate them about the conditions for children.
- Find out what children's issues are being debated in your community and join in those debates.
- Get informed about the needs of children in your community and your county and about what is already working and share this information through the news media.
- Convene a group of business, religious, labor and civic leaders and ask them to identify

programs or strategies that can help increase family income in your community.

### 6. Change your work place. Make it family friendly.

- Encourage your employer to teach young people job skills and provide job opportunities.
- Offer internships.
- Encourage your company to co-sponsor children's team sports, day care scholarships.

### 7. Change the system. Vote for children.

- Ask your elected officials what they are doing to help children.
- Identify those programs in your community that are making a difference for children and make sure your state legislator visits them when he/she is home.
- Vote.

### 8. Make a financial contribution.

- Contribute to groups working for children.
- Support the groups that are doing the work you believe is most important.

**YOU CAN MAKE WV KIDS COUNT.**

Ideas and inspiration for this page provided by A Children Now Action Guide, Children Now, Santa Monica, CA, 1991.

# United States And West Virginia: Comparing Child Trends

Indicator: Total Days Not in School Due to Absence  
 Over the 1980-1990 Period

12.6	9.2	27%	Better	13.6	9.4	31%	Better
39.5	32.4	18%	Better	40.8	31.8	22%	Better
7.5	8.6	15%	Worse	4.0	4.0	0%	No change
17.0	24.1	42%	Worse	12.0	17.4	45%	Worse
16	19.5	22%	Worse	18.7	26.2	40%	Worse

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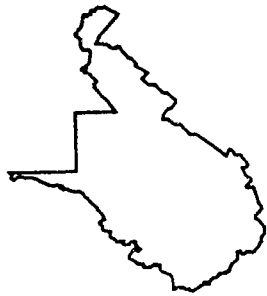
1.9M	1.8M	10%	Increase	1.9M	1.8M	5%	Decrease
63.7M	63.6M	0.2%	Decrease	559,636	443,577	21%	Decrease
26.2%	25.1%	4%	Decrease	4.2%	4.5%	7%	Increase
6.4%	7.3%	14%	Increase	6.6%	6.1%	8%	Decrease
39.7%	36.2%	9%	Decrease	41.9%	36.4%	13%	Decrease
\$33,374	\$35,225	6%	Increase	\$26,628	\$25,602	4%	Decrease
7.0	5.4	23%	Decrease	9.4	8.3	12%	Decrease

## Demographics

226.5M	248.7M	10%	Increase	1.9M	1.8M	5%	Decrease
63.7M	63.6M	0.2%	Decrease	559,636	443,577	21%	Decrease
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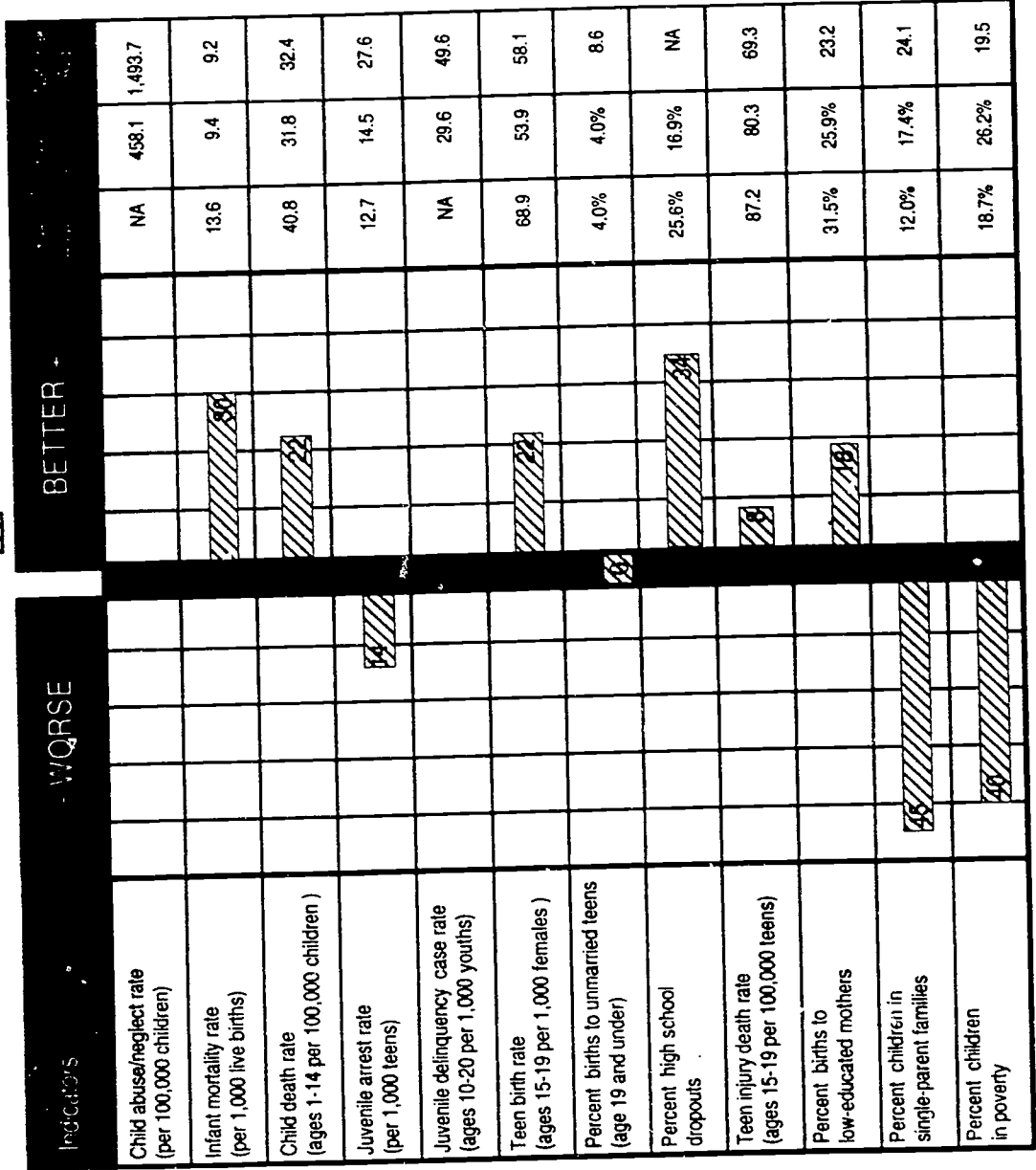


# West Virginia Profile

## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

Patterned bars indicate state percent change

### Trend Data



## Background Facts

Demographics	1,949,644	1,793,477	-8.0%
Total population	1,949,644	1,793,477	-8.0%
Total population under age 18	559,636	443,577	-20.7%
Percent population under age 18	28.7%	24.7%	-13.8%
Percent minority population	3.8%	3.8%	-1.4%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	4.2%	4.5%	7.9%
Population density per square mile	81	74	-8.0%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	6.6%	6.1%	-7.9%
Percent all households that are families with children	41.9%	36.4%	-13.2%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	56.0%	66.0%	17.9%
Percent adults who are college graduates	10.4%	12.3%	18.1%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,836	\$3,621	27.7%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	9.5%	14.5%	53.1%
Percent births with early prenatal care	67.4%	72.8%	7.9%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	316,192	243,314	-23.0%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	296,346	357,373	20.6%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$26,628	\$25,602	-3.9%
Unemployment rate	9.4%	8.3%	-11.7%

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# West Virginia Minority Profile

Top 1 Data: **White** Over Time

Indicators	1980	1990	Change
1	6.5	6.8	4.6% Worse
2	11.3	9.6	15.0% Better
3	40.2	25.3	37.1% Better
4	4.1	4.1	No Change
5	92.6	73.8	20.3% Better
6	17.9	25.4	41.9% Worse

Top 1 Data: **African-American** Over Time

Indicators	1980	1990	Change
1	12.3	13.1	6.5% Worse
2	23.7	17.3	27.0% Better
3	20.2	31.6	56.4% Worse
4	3.8	3.9	2.6% Worse
5	55.8	31.6	43.4% Better
6	34.1	50.2	47.2% Worse

Top 1 Data: **Other** Over Time

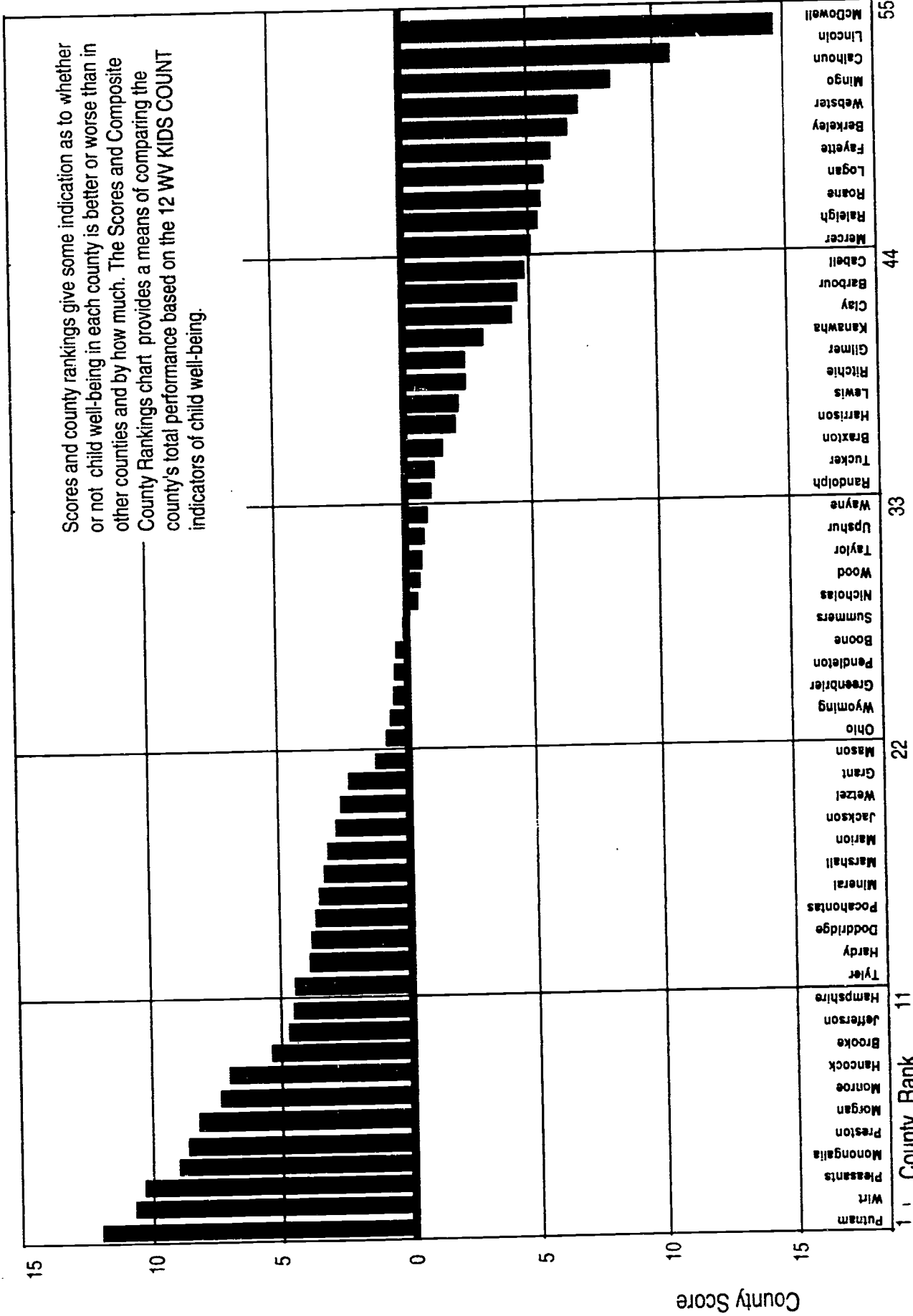
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7	17.5%	22.0%	25.7% Worse

Demographics

Number of	1980	1990	Change
White: "White" non-Hispanics	536,323	423,744	21.0% Decrease
African-American: "Black" non-Hispanics	20,061	16,329	18.6% Decrease
Other: Asian-Americans, Hispanics and Native Americans	3,252	3,504	7.8% Increase

# WV KIDS COUNT Scores And Composite County Rankings

Scores and county rankings give some indication as to whether or not child well-being in each county is better or worse than in other counties and by how much. The Scores and Composite County Rankings chart provides a means of comparing the county's total performance based on the 12 WV KIDS COUNT indicators of child well-being.



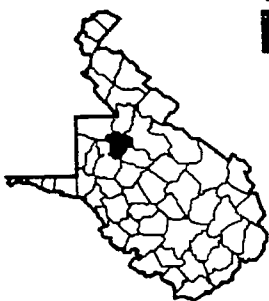




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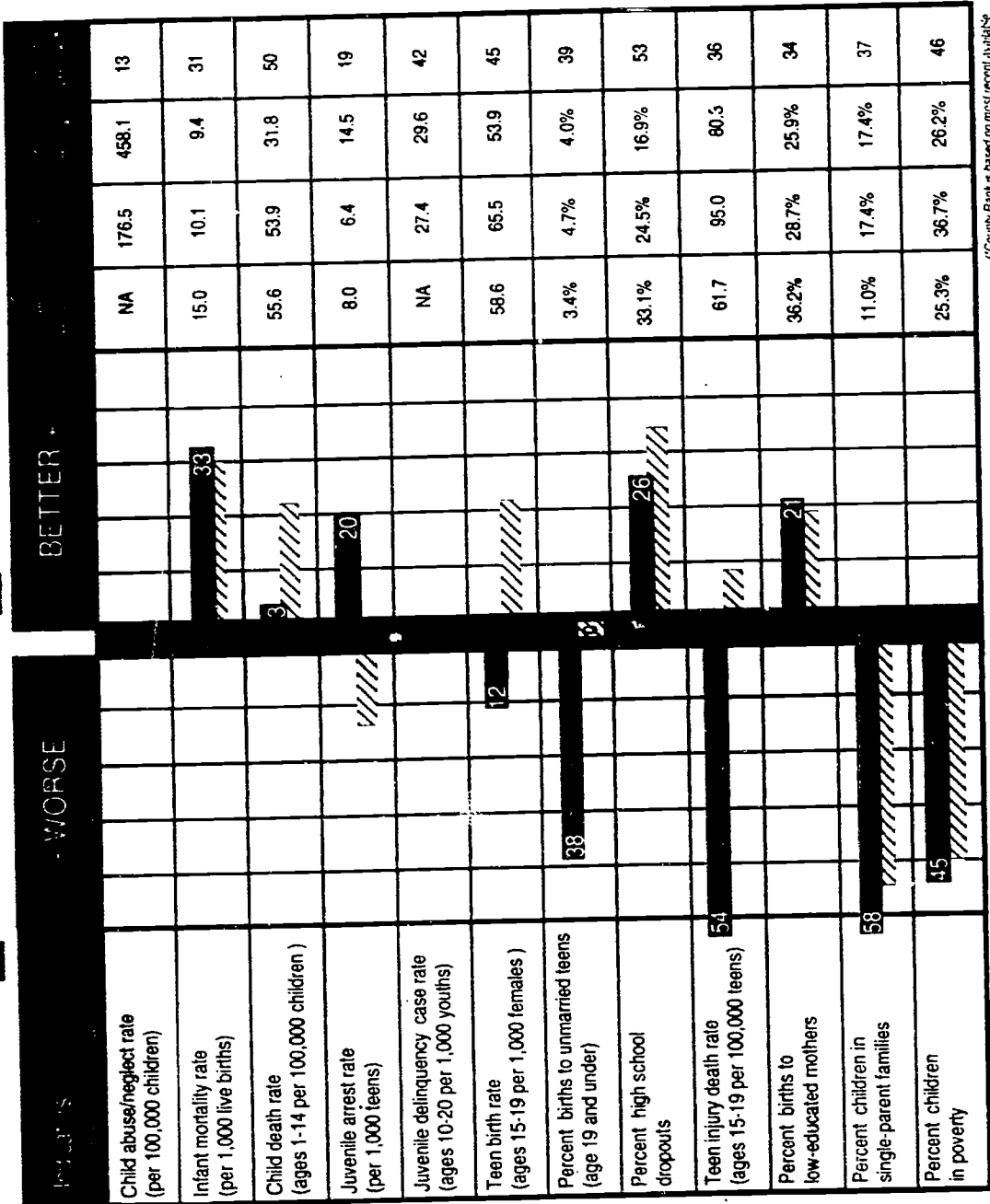
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# Barbour County

## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

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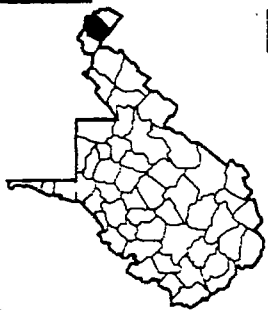


## Background Facts

Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau

Total population	16,539	15,699	-5.6%
Total population under age 18	4,825	3,966	-17.8%
Percent population under age 18	29.0%	25.3%	-12.9%
Percent minority population	1.3%	2.3%	74.0%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	1.6%	2.7%	71.9%
Population density per square mile	49	46	-5.6%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	6.0%	6.6%	9.1%
Percent all households that are families with children	42.0%	37.7%	-10.3%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	49.3%	59.8%	21.4%
Percent adults who are college graduates	8.3%	10.1%	21.9%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,686	\$3,531	31.5%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	14.0%	20.4%	45.4%
Percent births with early prenatal care	66.3%	77.1%	16.2%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	2,527	1,248	-50.6%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	1,879	2,113	12.5%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$21,843	\$19,106	-12.5%
Unemployment rate	8.7%	15.7%	80.5%

(County Rank is based on most recent available data 1=best, 55=worst)

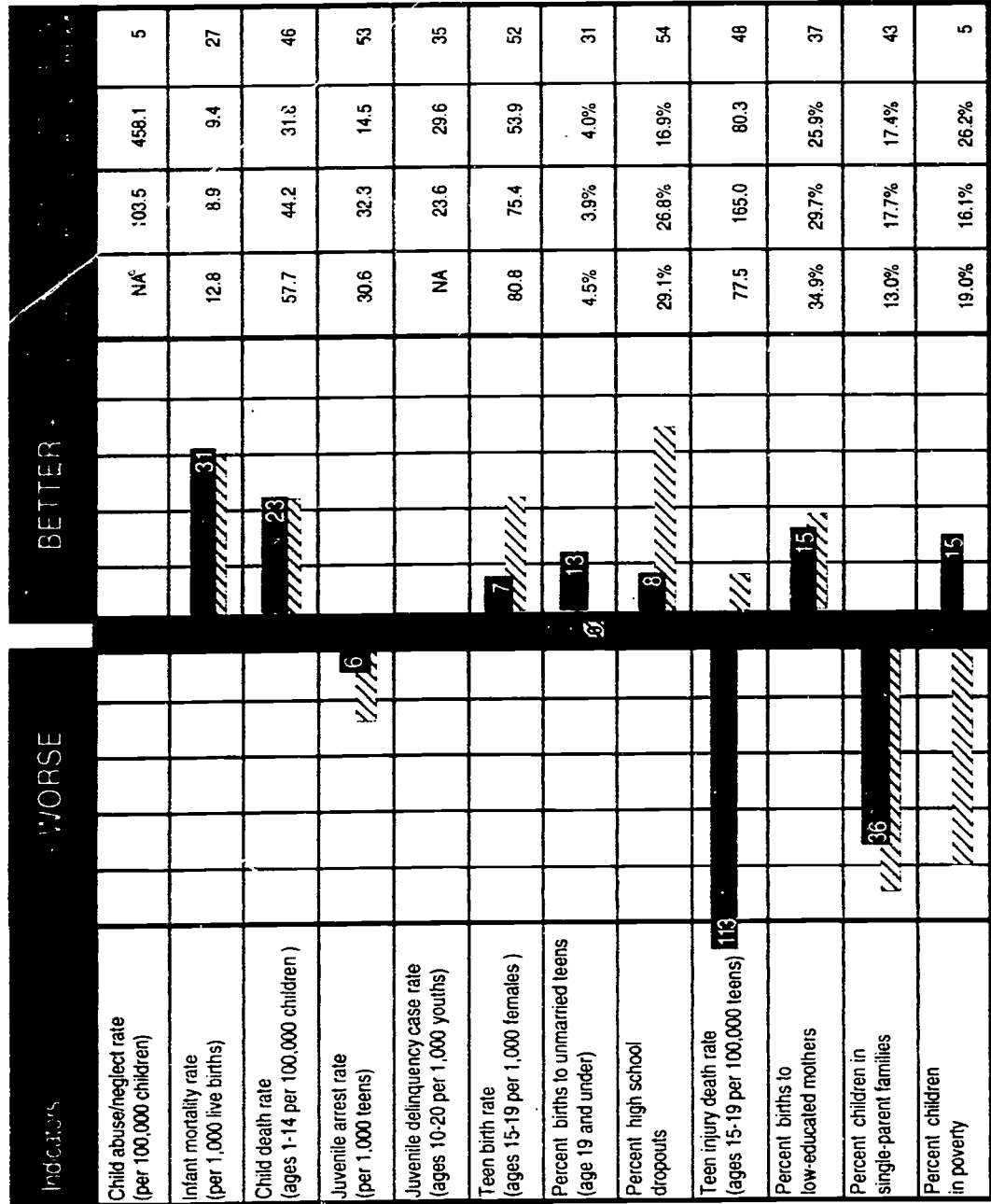


# Berkeley County

COMMUNITY REPORT

## Percent Change 1980 - 1990 Trend Data

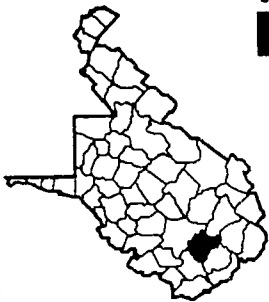
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## Background Facts

Total population	46,775	59,253	26.7%
Total population under age 18	13,776	15,459	12.2%
Percent population under age 18	29.5%	26.1%	-11.4%
Percent minority population	4.3%	4.6%	7.6%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	5.0%	5.4%	7.9%
Population density per square mile	146	184	26.7%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	6.4%	5.9%	-7.2%
Percent all households that are families with children	43.1%	38.9%	-9.7%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	55.9%	68.4%	22.3%
Percent adults who are college graduates	10.6%	11.9%	12.7%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,937	\$3,699	25.9%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	7.4%	6.5%	-12.7%
Percent births with early prenatal care	72.5%	71.6%	-1.2%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	6,832	6,899	1.0%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	7,381	11,322	53.4%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$28,052	\$32,040	14.2%
Unemployment rate	8.8%	7.2%	-18.2%

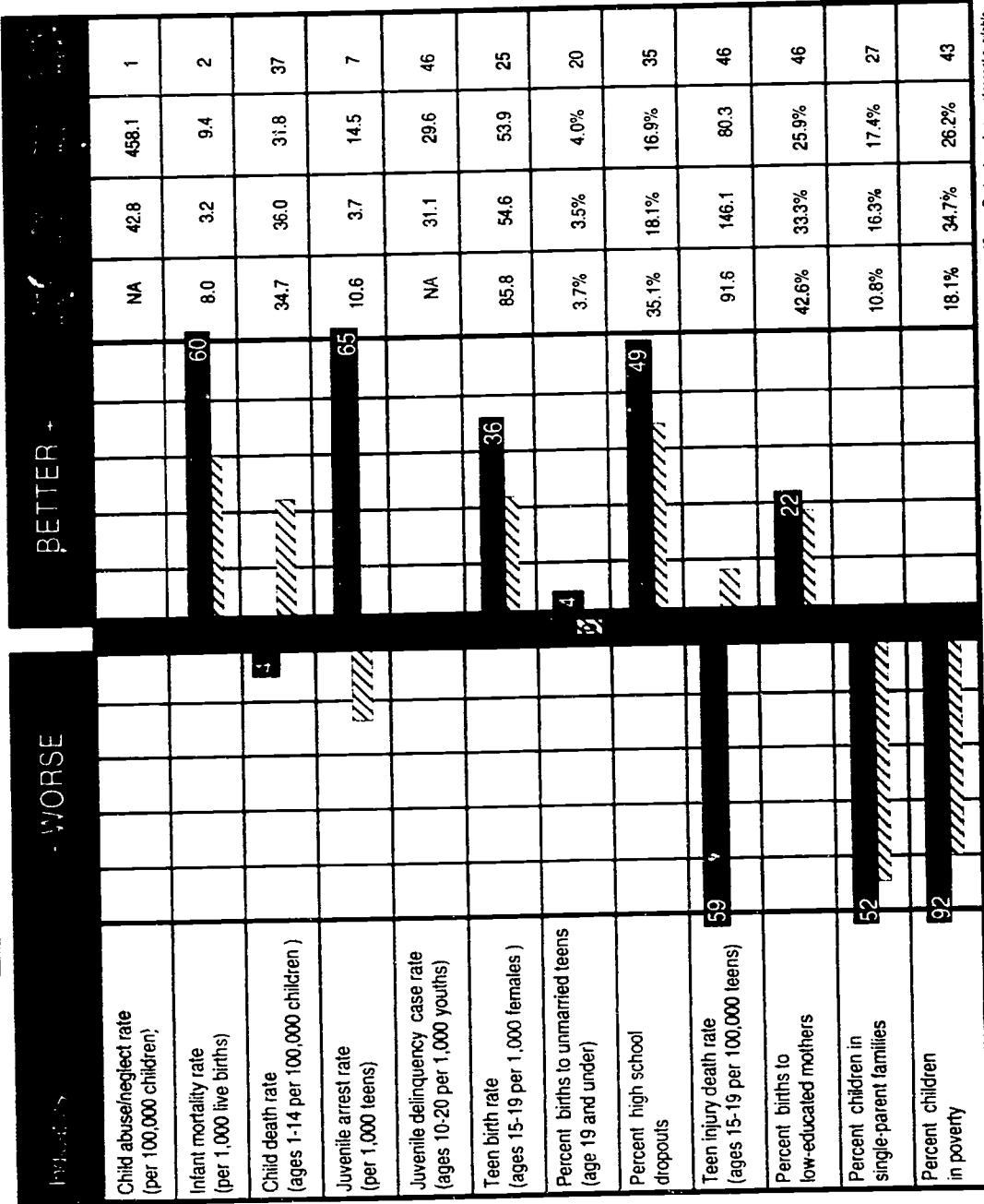


# Boone County

## Trend Data

## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

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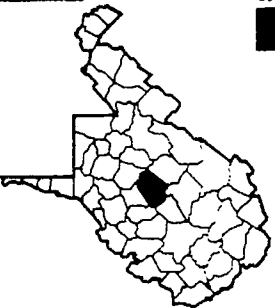


## Background Facts

### Demographics

Total population	30,447	25,870	-15.0%
Total population under age 18	9,947	7,006	-29.6%
Percent population under age 18	32.7%	27.1%	-17.1%
Percent minority population	1.3%	1.1%	-14.0%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	1.2%	1.3%	5.9%
Population density per square mile	61	51	-15.0%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	6.6%	5.4%	-18.6%
Percent all households that are families with children	49.2%	41.7%	-15.3%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	41.4%	54.1%	30.8%
Percent adults who are college graduates	4.4%	6.4%	44.7%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,980	\$3,388	13.7%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	9.7%	21.1%	117.6%
Percent births with early prenatal care	64.3%	66.3%	3.1%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	7,172	4,105	-42.8%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	2,146	2,885	34.4%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$28,412	\$21,221	-25.3%
Unemployment rate	7.0%	9.0%	28.6%

(County Rank is based on most recent available data. 1=best, 55=worst)

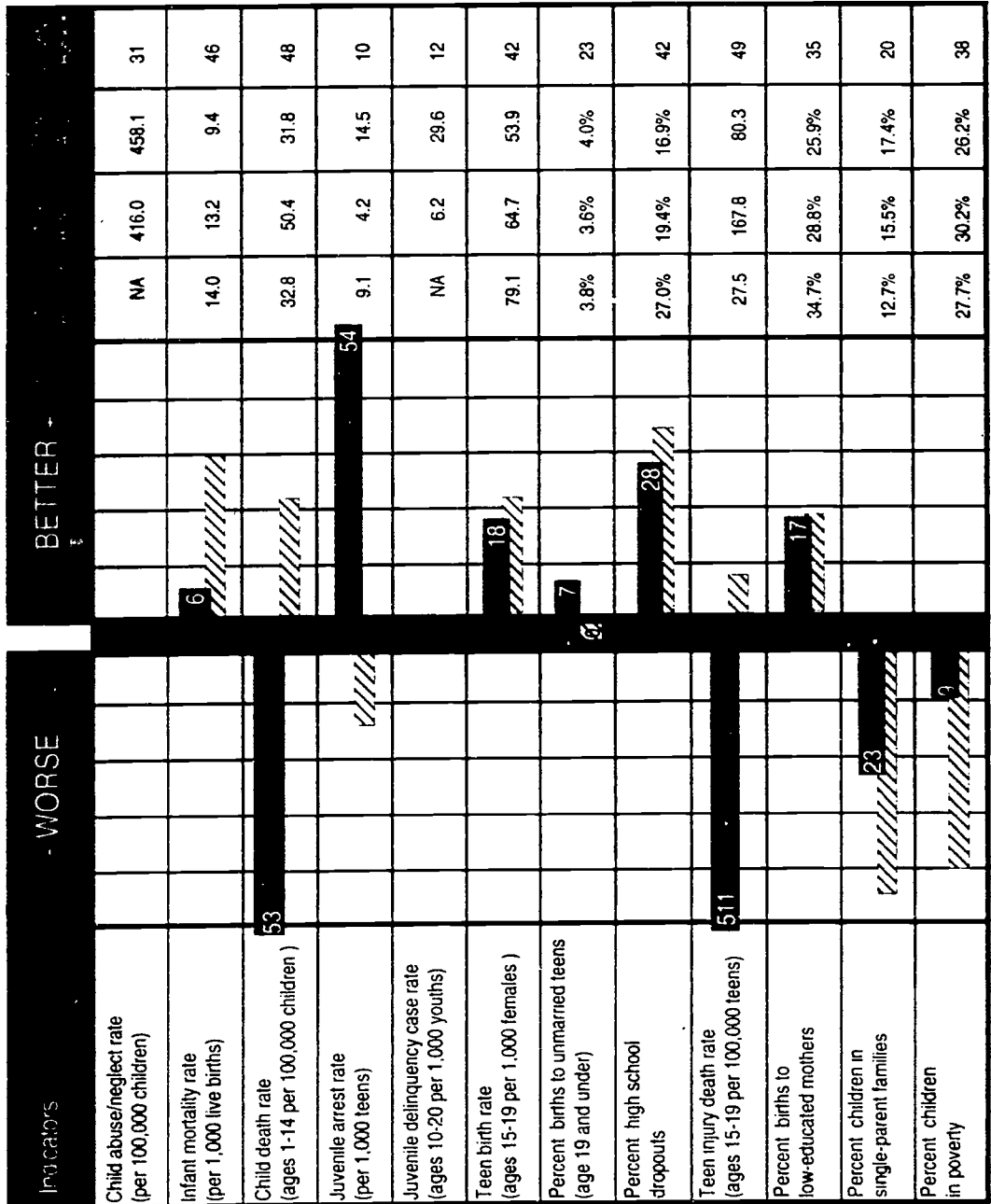


# Braxton County

Compares to County Rank

## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

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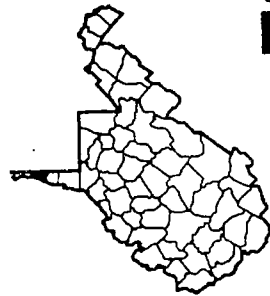


(\*County Rank is based on most recent available data, 1-April, 95+ worst)

## Background Facts

### Demographics

Total population	13,894	12,998	-6.4%
Total population under age 18	4,005	3,365	-16.0%
Percent population under age 18	28.8%	25.9%	-10.2%
Percent minority population	0.7%	0.7%	0.0%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.7%	0.8%	6.7%
Population density per square mile	27	25	-6.4%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	6.9%	6.3%	-9.0%
Percent all households that are families with children	41.5%	37.9%	-8.6%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	45.1%	56.8%	25.9%
Percent adults who are college graduates	8.1%	8.1%	0.0%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,973	\$3,680	23.8%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	10.7%	17.3%	60.7%
Percent births with early prenatal care	67.8%	76.4%	12.6%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	1,112	1,604	44.2%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	1,545	2,297	48.7%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$18,572	\$20,365	9.7%
Unemployment rate	16.4%	11.9%	-27.4%



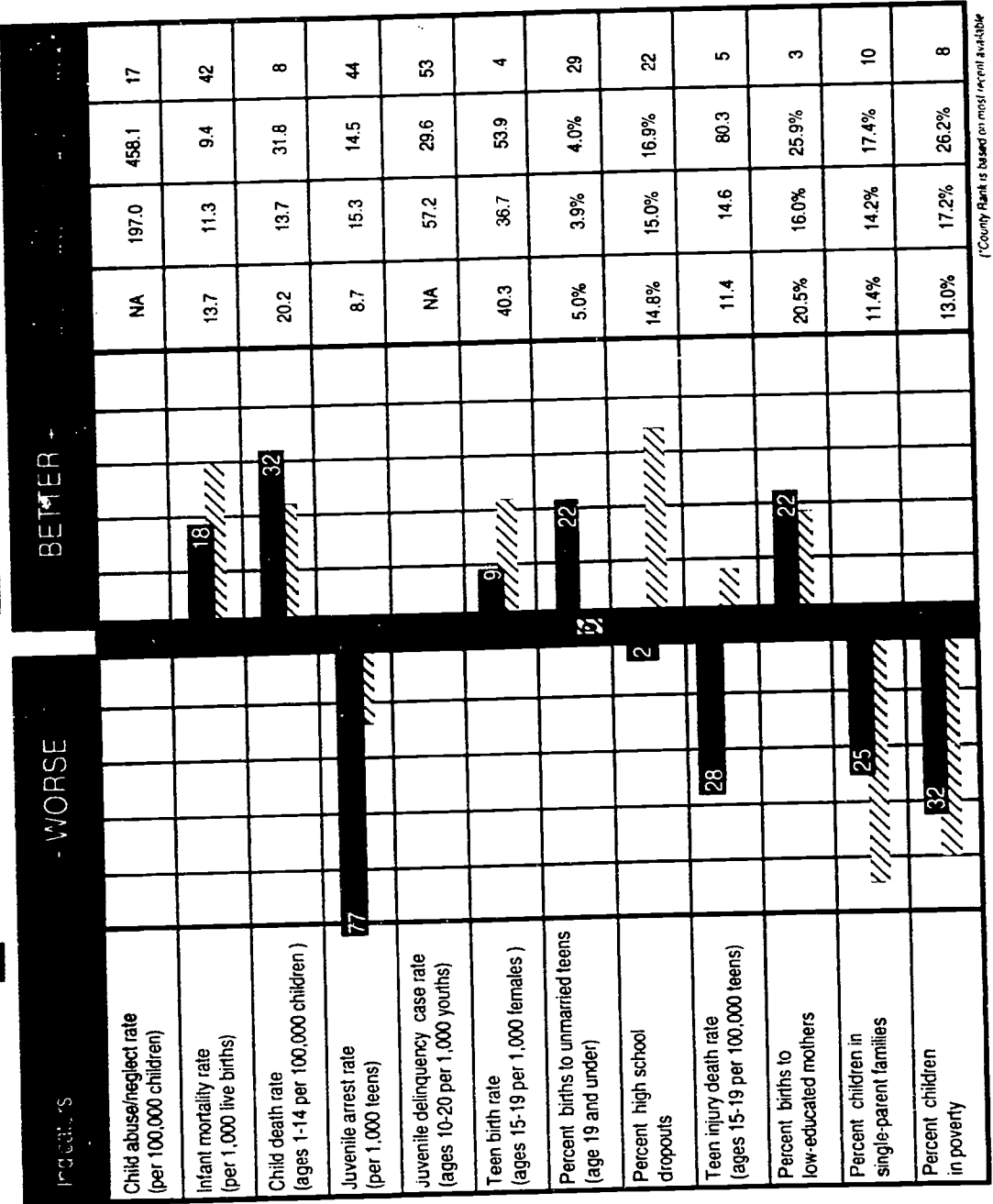
# Brooke County

# Composite County Rank 9

## Trend Data

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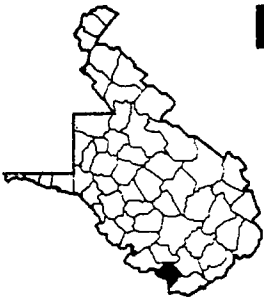


## Background Facts

### Demographics

Total population	31,117	26,992	-13.3%
Total population under age 18	8,496	6,090	-28.3%
Percent population under age 18	27.3%	22.6%	-17.4%
Percent minority population	1.0%	1.2%	13.2%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.9%	1.4%	56.5%
Population density per square mile	350	304	-13.3%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	5.6%	6.0%	6.9%
Percent all households that are families with children	41.7%	33.9%	-18.8%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	62.7%	71.6%	14.1%
Percent adults who are college graduates	9.6%	12.2%	26.8%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,723	\$3,585	31.7%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	8.2%	8.9%	7.8%
Percent births with early prenatal care	80.5%	76.7%	-4.6%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	5,463	4,421	-19.1%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	3,380	4,145	22.6%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$34,126	\$31,407	-8.0%
Unemployment rate	9.8%	7.2%	-26.5%

(County Rank is based on most recent available data. 1=best, 55=worst)



# Cabell County

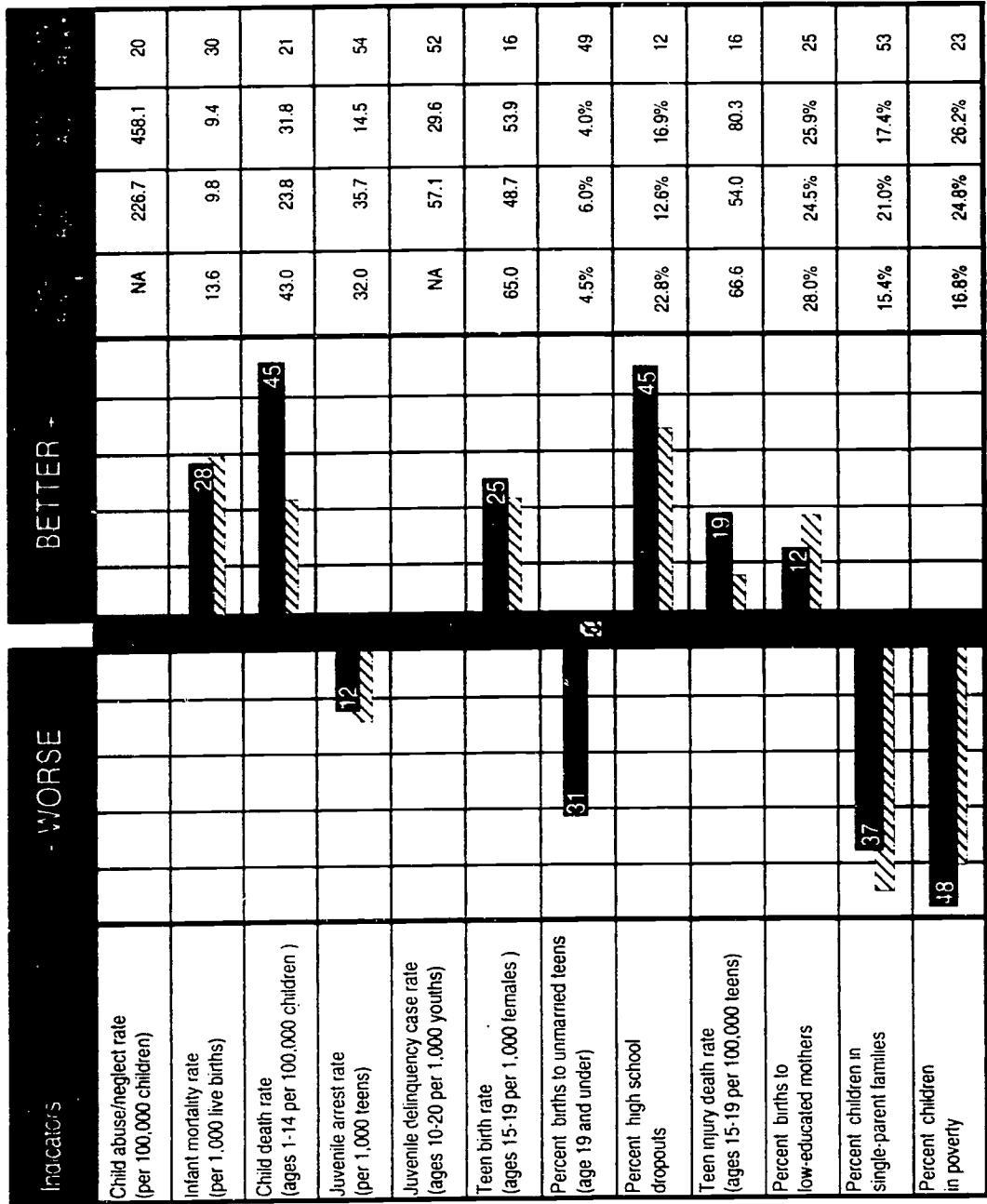
Composite County Rank

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## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

## Background Facts

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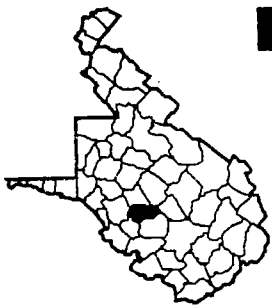


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## Demographics

Total population	106,835	96,827	-9.4%
Total population under age 18	27,193	21,171	-22.1%
Percent population under age 18	25.5%	21.9%	-14.1%
Percent minority population	4.9%	4.9%	0.0%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	5.7%	6.3%	10.4%
Population density per square mile	379	344	-9.4%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	7.6%	6.2%	-17.4%
Percent all households that are families with children	36.3%	31.4%	-13.6%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	61.6%	71.9%	16.7%
Percent adults who are college graduates	13.9%	18.9%	35.5%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,962	\$3,728	25.8%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	10.5%	15.2%	44.5%
Percent births with early prenatal care	68.3%	82.3%	20.5%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	22,979	15,707	-31.6%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	26,086	31,571	21.0%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$27,288	\$28,090	2.9%
Unemployment rate	9.3%	6.2%	-33.3%



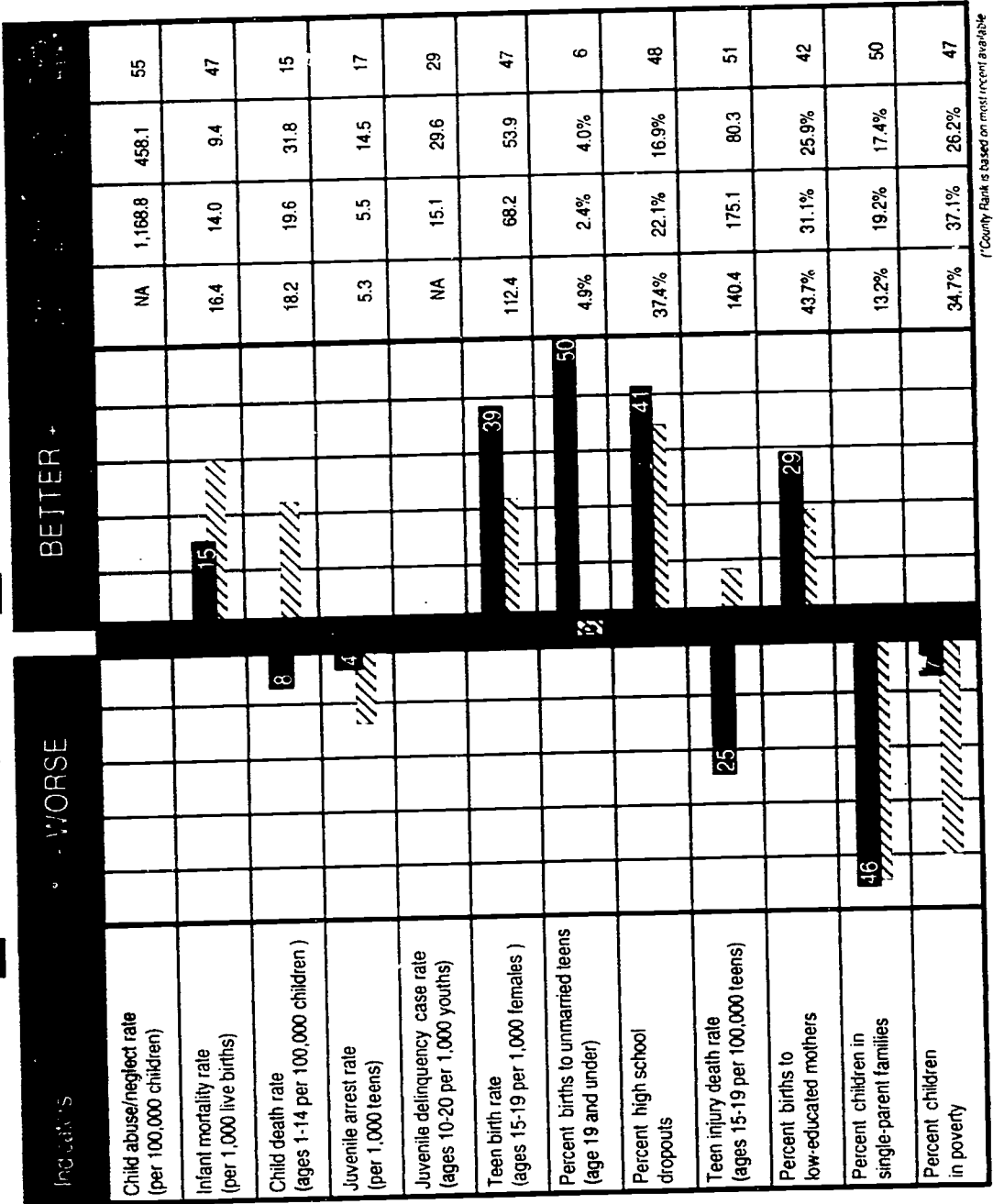


# Calhoun County

Comprehensive County Report

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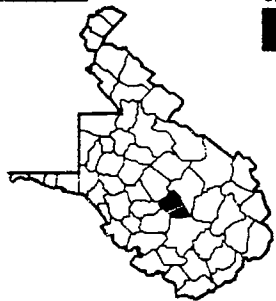


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## Background Facts

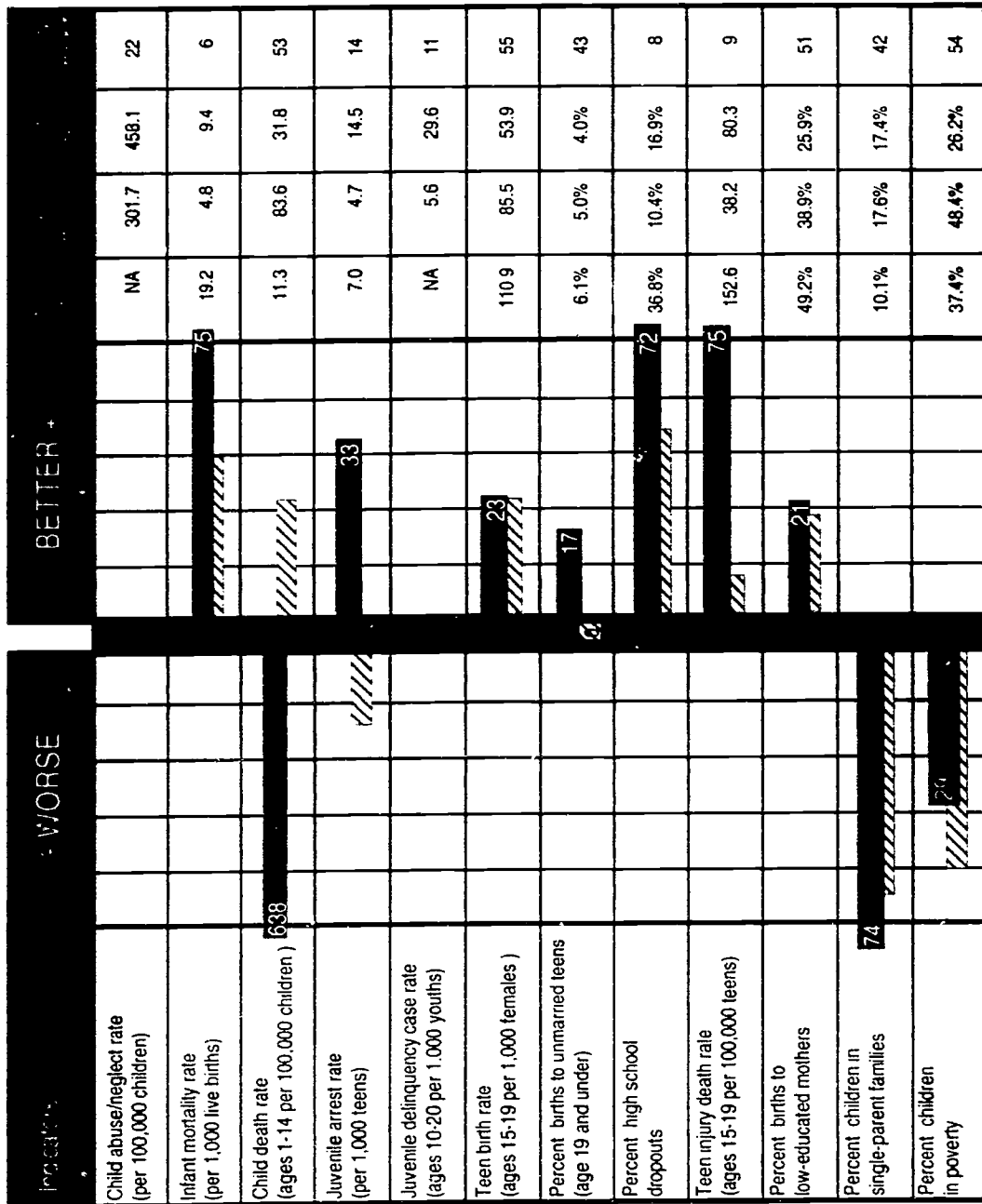
### Demographics

Total population	8,250	7,885	-4.4%
Total population under age 18	2,380	2,139	-10.1%
Percent population under age 18	29.2%	27.1%	-7.2%
Percent minority population	0.8%	0.6%	-18.6%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.0%	0.6%	NM
Population density per square mile	29	28	-4.4%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	8.2%	4.7%	-42.5%
Percent all households that are families with children	41.1%	39.0%	-5.3%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	42.9%	56.3%	3%
Percent adults who are college graduates	5.3%	6.8%	28.8%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$3,468	\$4,431	27.8%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	12.7%	19.3%	52.8%
Percent births with early prenatal care	77.1%	75.9%	-1.6%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	1,009	1,177	16.7%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	668	783	17.2%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$17,837	\$17,671	-0.9%
Unemployment rate	15.0%	17.5%	16.7%



Percent Change 1980 - 1990 Trend Data

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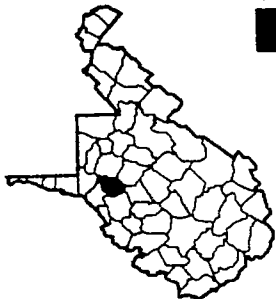


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Background Facts

Demographics

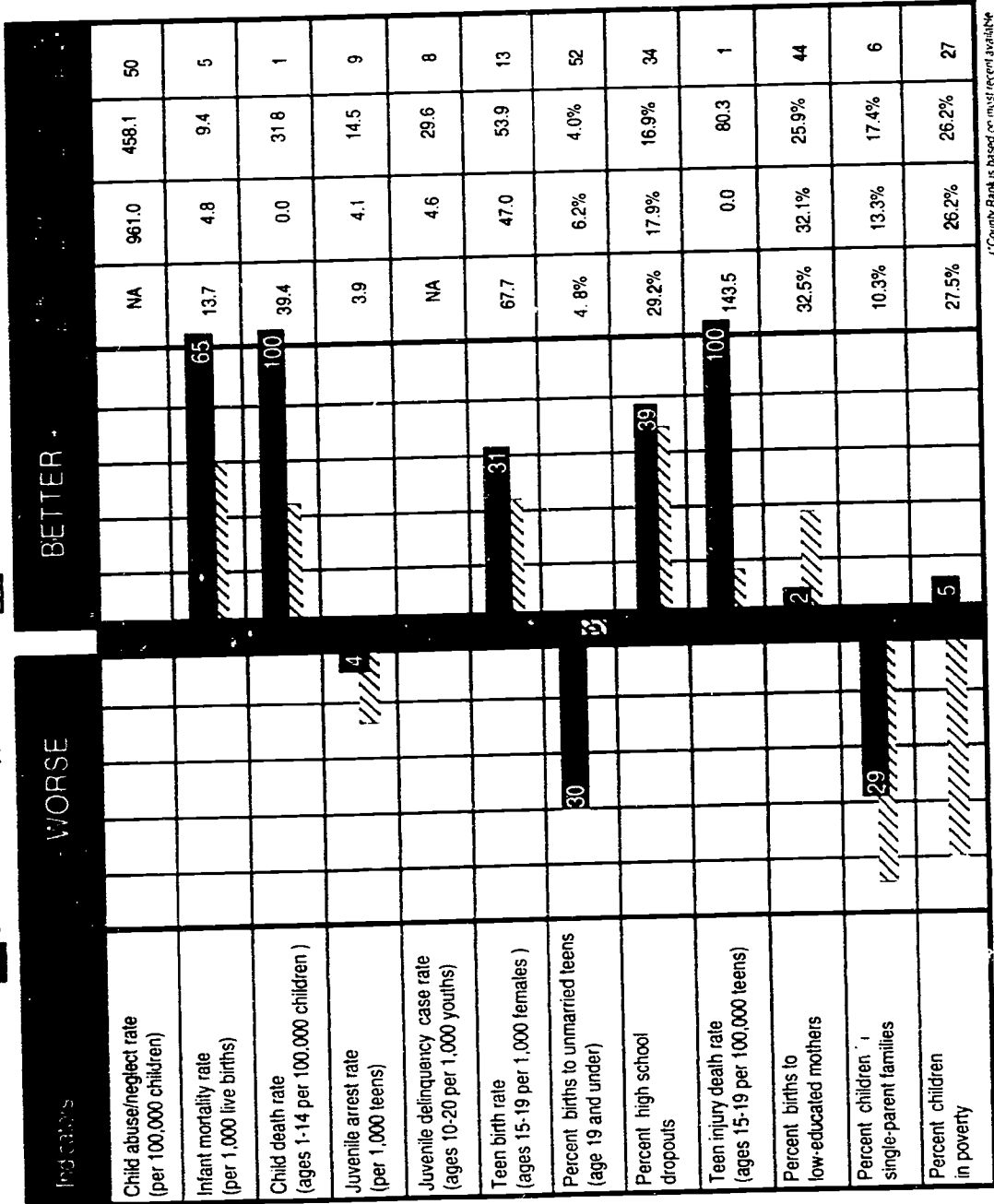
Total population	11,265	9,983	-11.4%
Total population under age 18	3,876	2,983	-23.0%
Percent population under age 18	34.5%	29.9%	-13.3%
Percent minority population	0.2%	0.2%	0.0%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.0%	0.1%	NM
Population density per square mile	33	29	-11.4%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	7.9%	6.7%	-15.2%
Percent all households that are families with children	48.1%	43.6%	-9.4%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	36.7%	49.4%	34.8%
Percent adults who are college graduates	5.2%	6.2%	19.3%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,692	\$3,394	26.1%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	14.0%	28.5%	103.5%
Percent births with early prenatal care	58.2%	69.3%	19.0%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	530	428	-19.2%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	525	667	27.0%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$17,322	\$16,130	-6.9%
Unemployment rate	15.7%	14.5%	-7.6%



# Doddridge County

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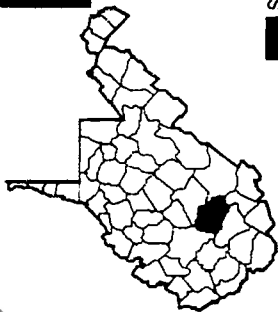
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## Background Facts

Demographics	Value	County Rank	% Change
Total population	7,433	6,994	-5.9%
Total population under age 18	2,281	1,873	-17.9%
Percent population under age 18	30.8%	26.8%	-13.2%
Percent minority population	0.4%	0.6%	65.3%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.0%	1.0%	NM
Population density per square mile	23	22	-5.9%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	6.8%	6.6%	-2.1%
Percent all households that are families with children	40.9%	38.8%	-5.3%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	51.8%	64.6%	24.7%
Percent adults who are college graduates	9.6%	10.3%	7.6%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$3,076	\$3,784	23.0%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	9.5%	13.4%	40.6%
Percent births with early prenatal care	77.5%	78.8%	1.8%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	650	425	-34.6%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	413	383	-7.3%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$18,972	\$19,830	4.5%
Unemployment rate	8.5%	8.6%	1.2%

(\*County Rank is based on most recent available data. 1=best, 55= worst)



# Fayette County

Compass County Rank

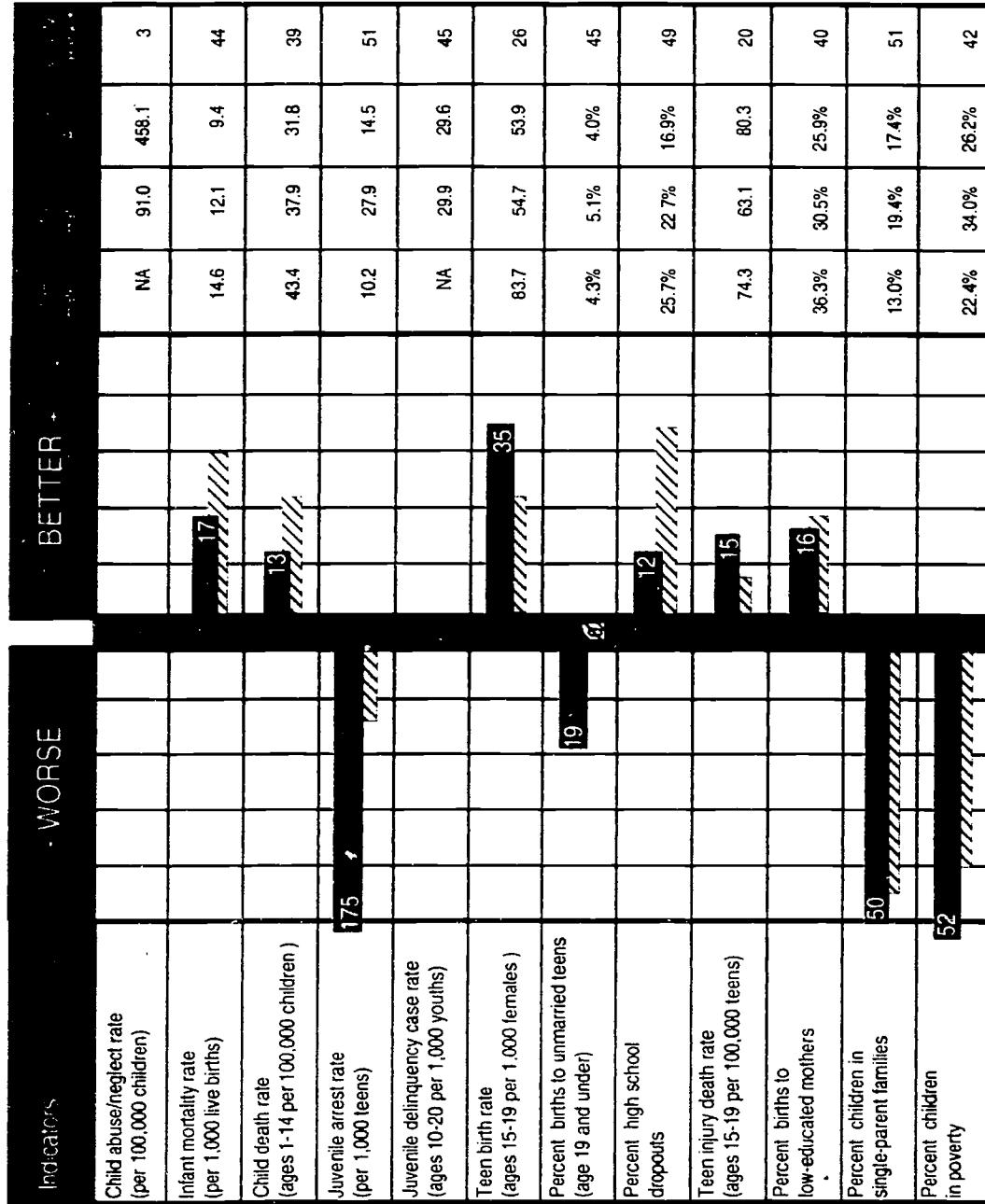
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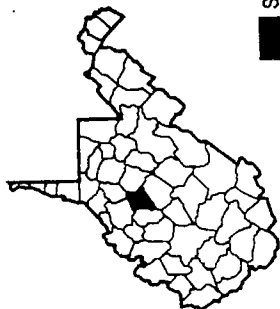
## Trend Data

## Background Facts



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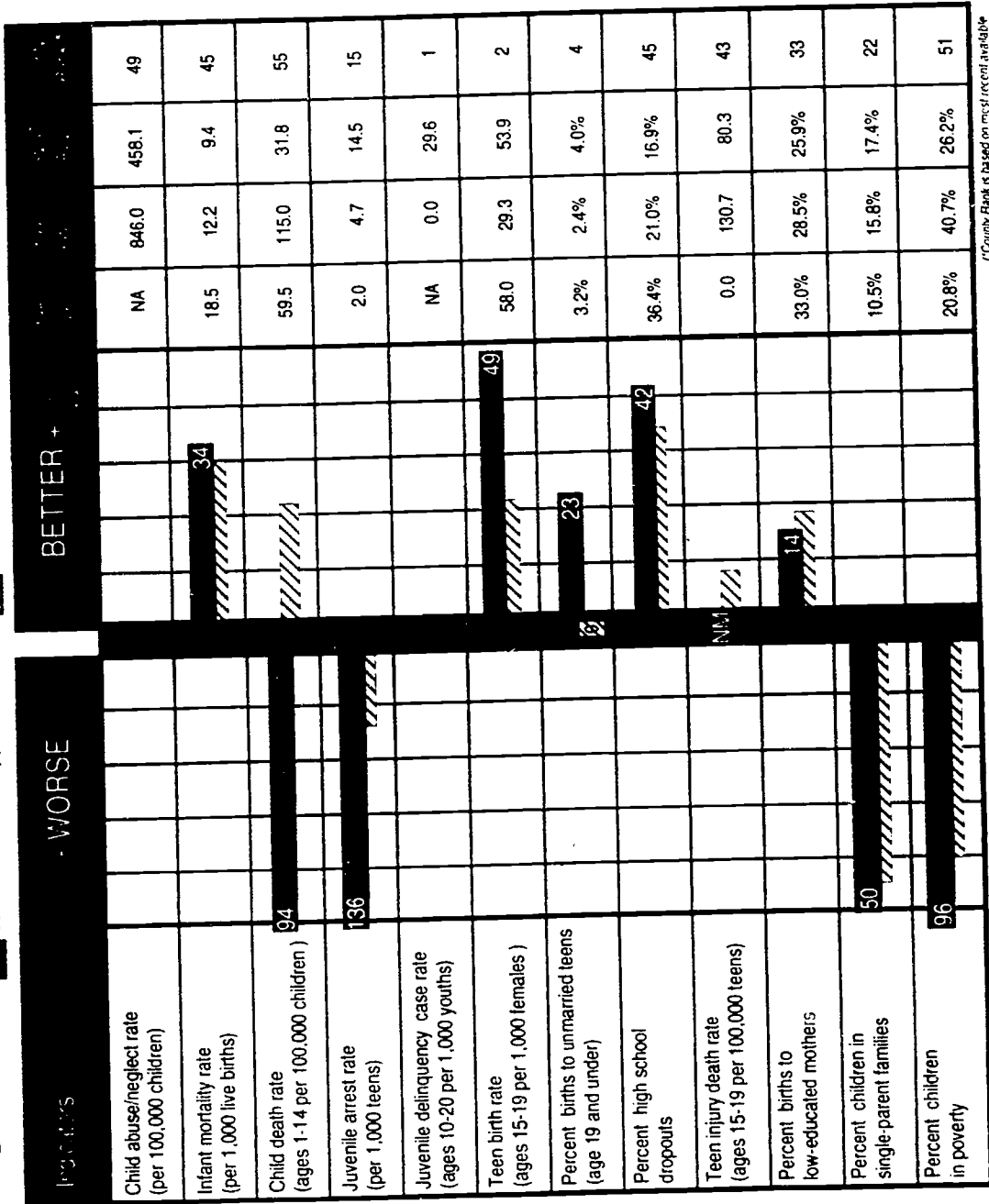
Composite County Rank

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## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

## Background Facts

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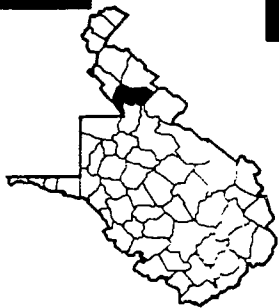


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## Demographics

Total population	8,334	7,669	-8.0%
Total population under age 18	2,262	1,773	-21.6%
Percent population under age 18	27.1%	23.1%	-14.8%
Percent minority population	0.9%	1.0%	5.9%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.4%	0.5%	43.5%
Population density per square mile	25	23	-8.0%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	7.2%	7.1%	-0.8%
Percent all households that are families with children	40.3%	35.6%	-11.5%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	46.5%	56.6%	21.8%
Percent adults who are college graduates	11.4%	14.2%	25.1%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,860	\$3,492	22.1%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	9.8%	18.5%	88.3%
Percent births with early prenatal care	77.2%	75.3%	-2.4%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	1,079	769	-28.7%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	617	894	44.9%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$18,688	\$16,994	-9.1%
Unemployment rate	7.5%	8.7%	16.0%

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# Grant County

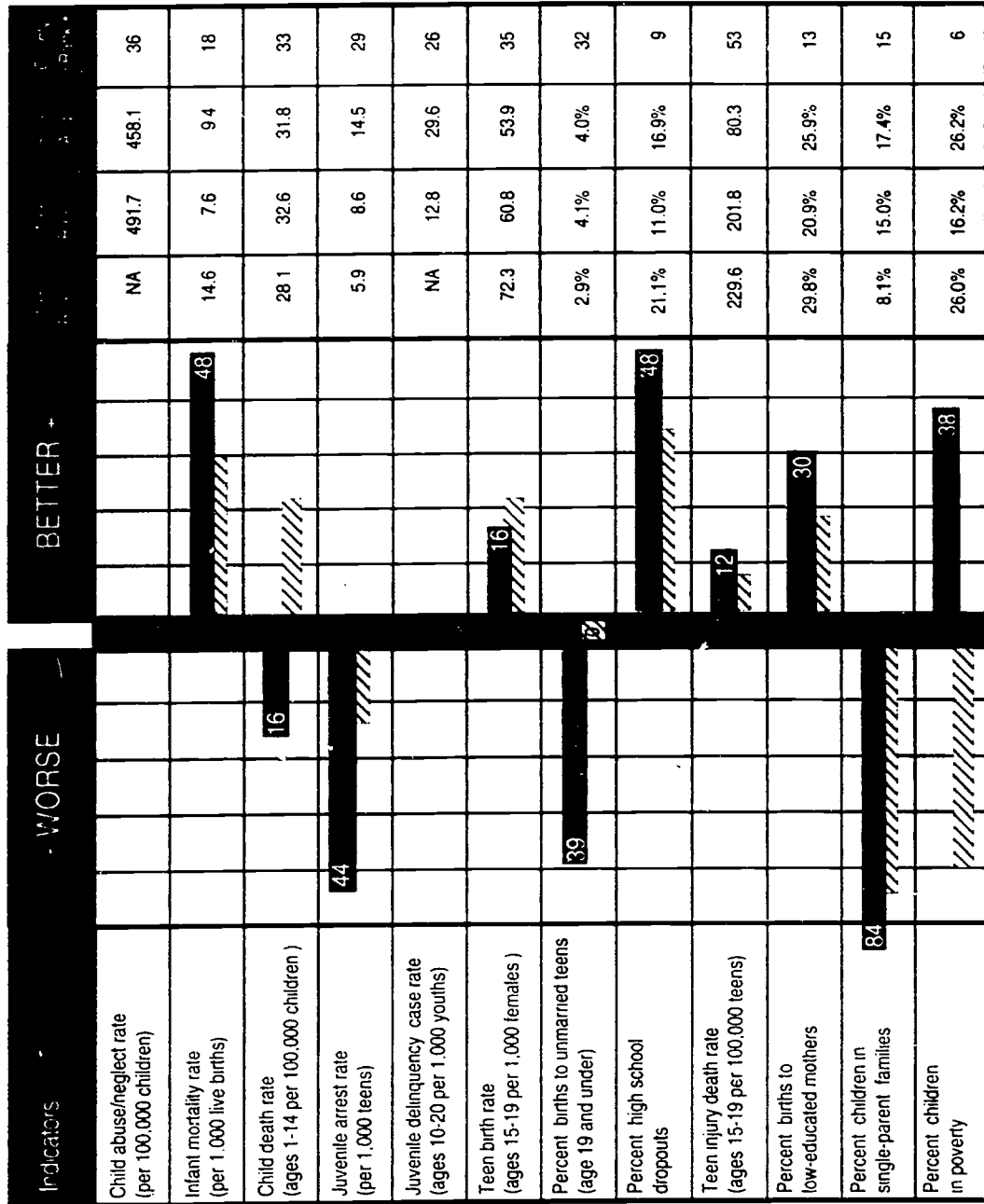
Composite County Rank

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## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

## Trend Data

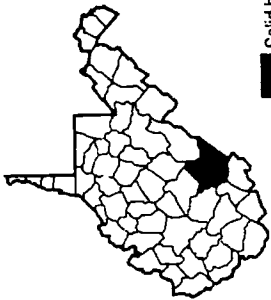
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## Background Facts

Demographics	Grant County	State	Percent Change
Total population:	10,210	10,428	2.1%
Total population under age 18	3,117	2,644	-15.2%
Percent population under age 18	30.5%	25.4%	-16.9%
Percent minority population	1.5%	1.5%	0.0%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	1.3%	1.7%	26.3%
Population density per square mile	21	22	2.1%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	5.0%	5.7%	13.4%
Percent all households that are families with children	45.2%	38.8%	-14.1%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	45.0%	60.2%	33.9%
Percent adults who are college graduates	7.7%	8.6%	11.7%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$3,558	\$3,476	-2.3%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	7.3%	5.6%	-23.8%
Percent births with early prenatal care	82.1%	85.7%	4.4%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	2,918	2,750	-5.8%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	1,146	1,881	64.1%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$20,474	\$25,327	23.7%
Unemployment rate	7.8%	8.8%	12.8%

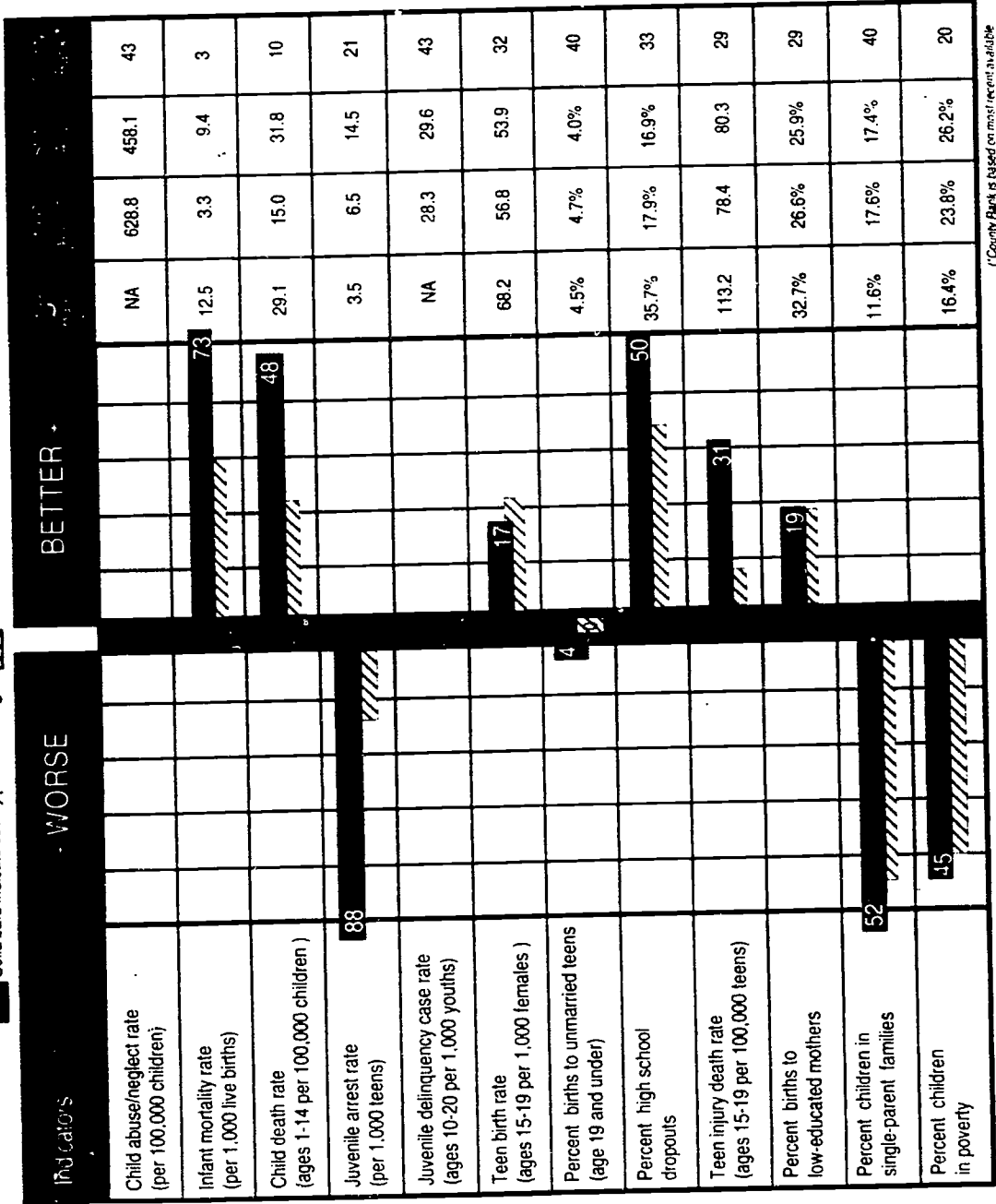


# Greenbrier County

## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

## Background Facts

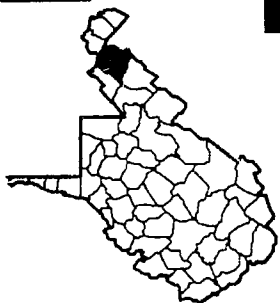
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## Demographics

Total population	37,665	34,693	-7.9%
Total population under age 18	10,666	8,270	-22.5%
Percent population under age 18	28.3%	23.8%	-15.8%
Percent minority population	4.4%	4.0%	-9.3%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	4.8%	4.4%	-6.6%
Population density per square mile	37	34	-7.9%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	7.4%	6.0%	-18.6%
Percent all households that are families with children	40.5%	34.4%	-15.1%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	53.3%	63.0%	18.2%
Percent adults who are college graduates	10.5%	11.5%	9.1%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,583	\$3,313	28.3%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	5.6%	8.3%	48.5%
Percent births with early prenatal care	53.5%	72.4%	35.4%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	4,195	3,993	-4.8%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	7,014	8,316	18.6%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$23,125	\$23,819	3.0%
Unemployment rate	11.7%	11.0%	-6.0%



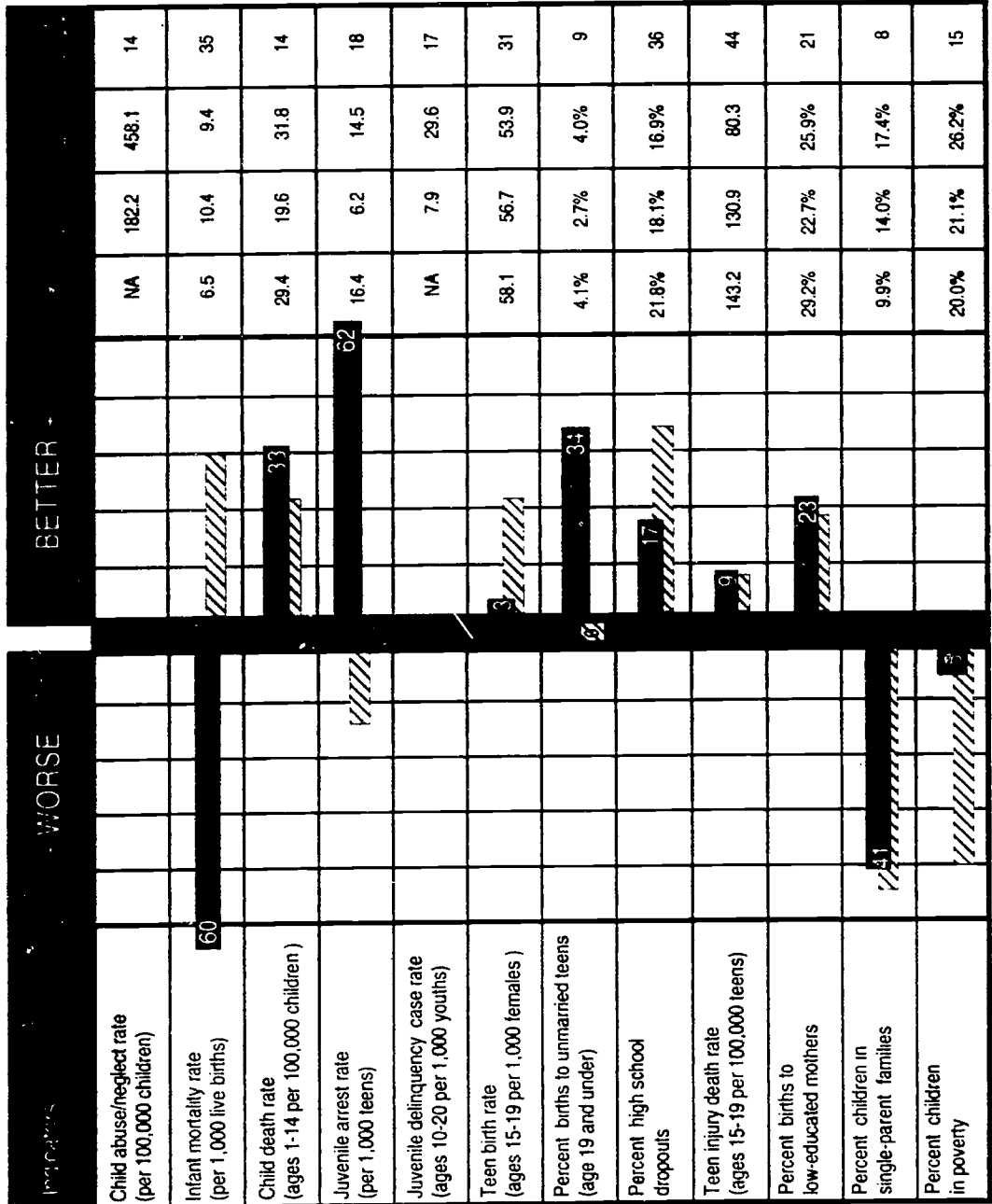
# Hampshire County

## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

## Trend Data

## Background Facts

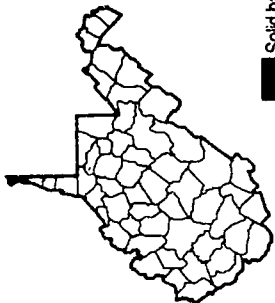
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Total population	14,867	16,498	11.0%
Total population under age 18	4,593	4,390	-4.4%
Percent population under age 18	30.9%	26.6%	-13.9%
Percent minority population	1.0%	1.1%	8.4%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	1.1%	1.4%	28.1%
Population density per square mile	23	26	11.0%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	5.8%	6.6%	13.2%
Percent all households that are families with children	43.2%	37.6%	-13.1%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	53.1%	61.8%	16.3%
Percent adults who are college graduates	10.2%	9.0%	-12.0%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,781	\$3,456	24.3%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	8.4%	8.4%	0.0%
Percent births with early prenatal care	83.4%	67.6%	-18.9%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	1,434	1,447	0.9%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	1,527	1,983	29.9%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$22,377	\$24,164	8.0%
Unemployment rate	7.0%	11.4%	62.9%





# Hancock County

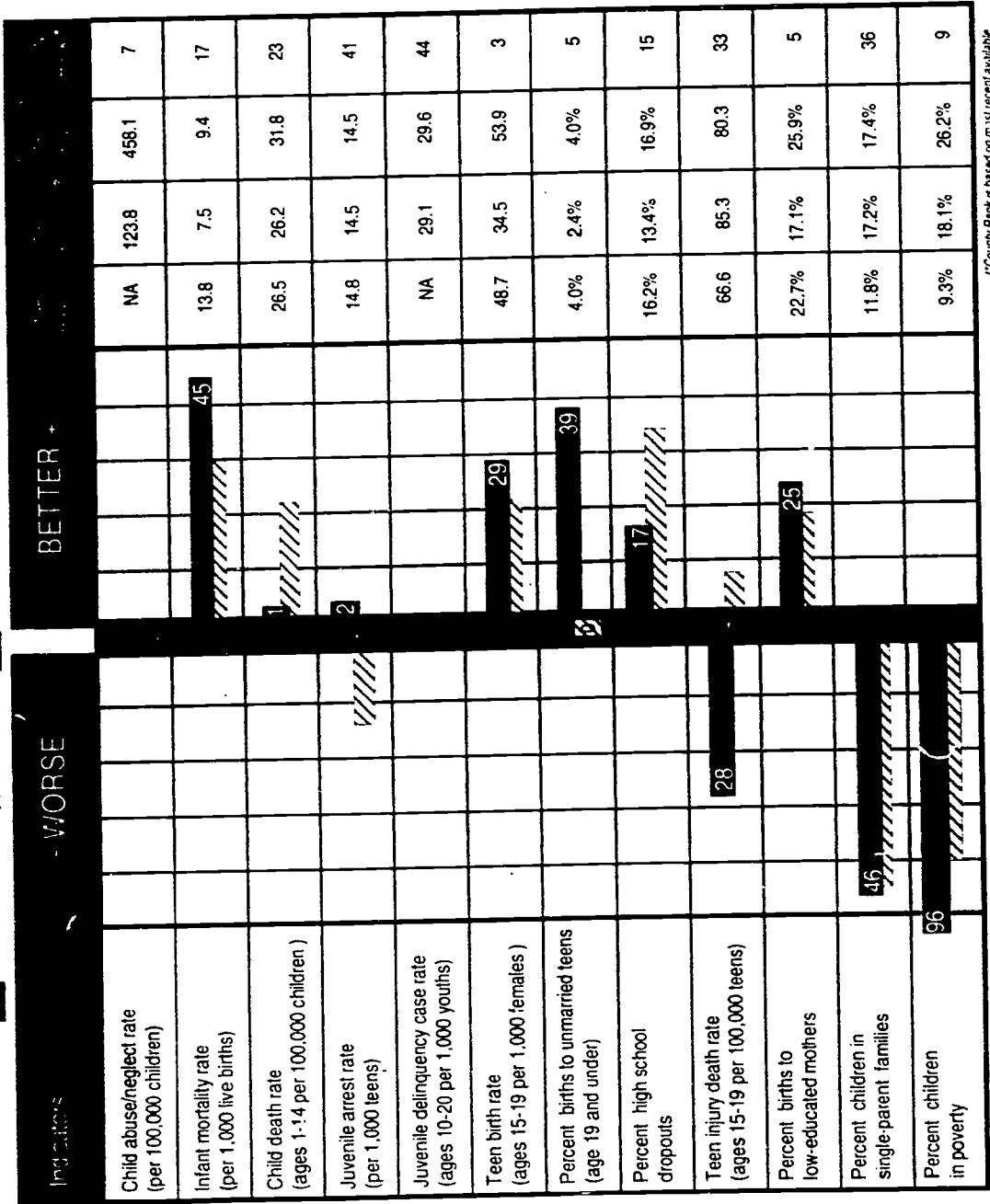
Composite County Rating

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## Trend Data

## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

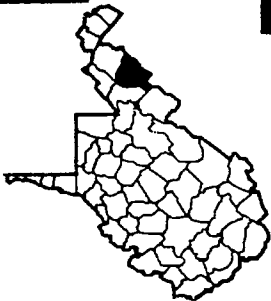
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## Background Facts

Demographics	Value	Rate
Total population	40,418	35,233
Total population under age 18	11,311	8,075
Percent population under age 18	28.0%	22.9%
Percent minority population	3.1%	3.1%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	3.2%	3.6%
Population density per square mile	487	424
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	5.9%	5.7%
Percent all households that are families with children	41.4%	33.6%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	62.1%	72.5%
Percent adults who are college graduates	7.6%	8.9%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,902	\$3,579
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	7.5%	10.8%
Percent births with early prenatal care	75.9%	77.4%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	15,223	11,237
Total jobs in low-paying industries	6,605	7,088
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$36,466	\$30,576
Unemployment rate	8.3%	6.4%

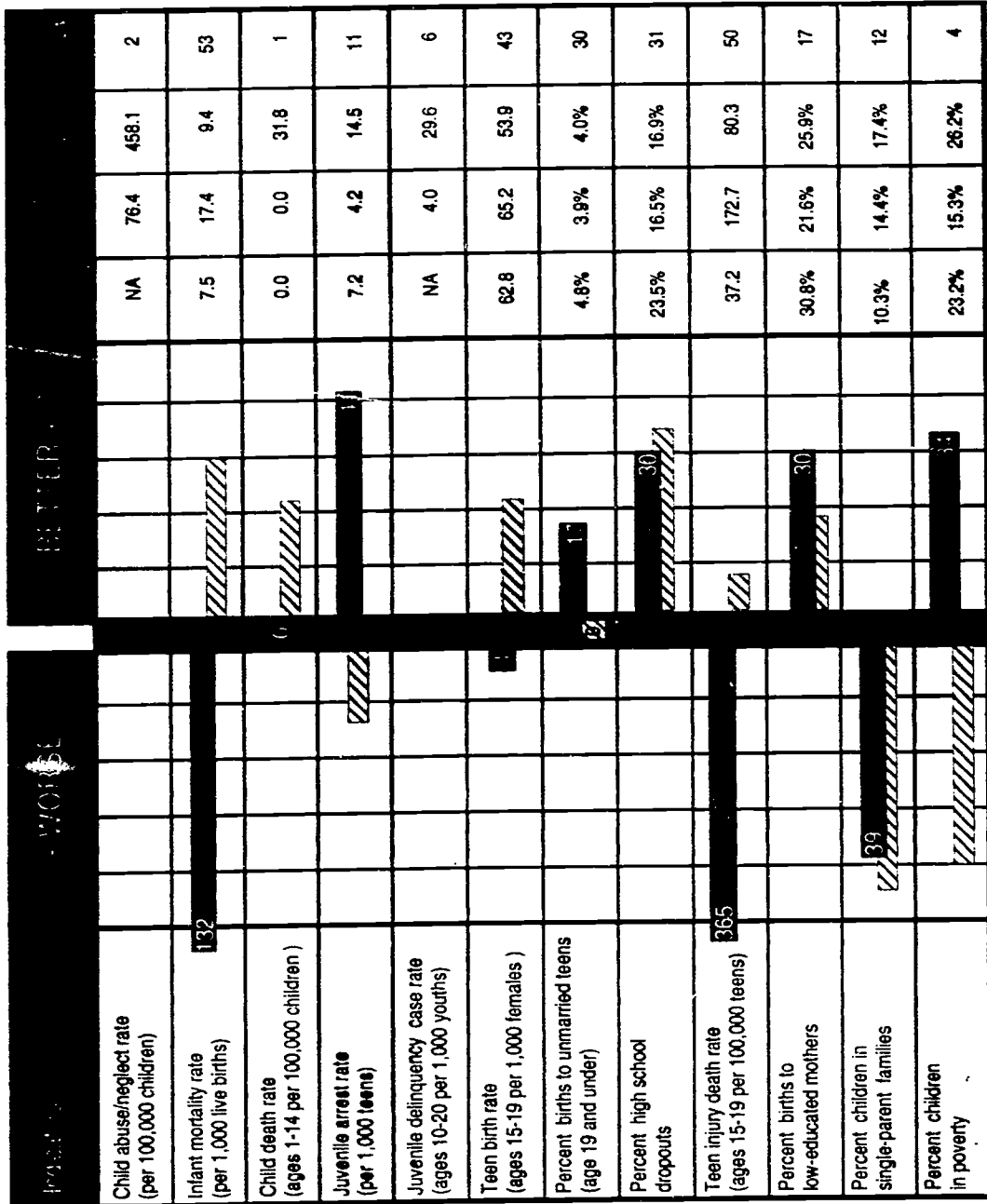
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# Hardy County

## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

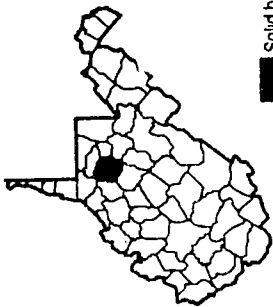
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## Background Facts

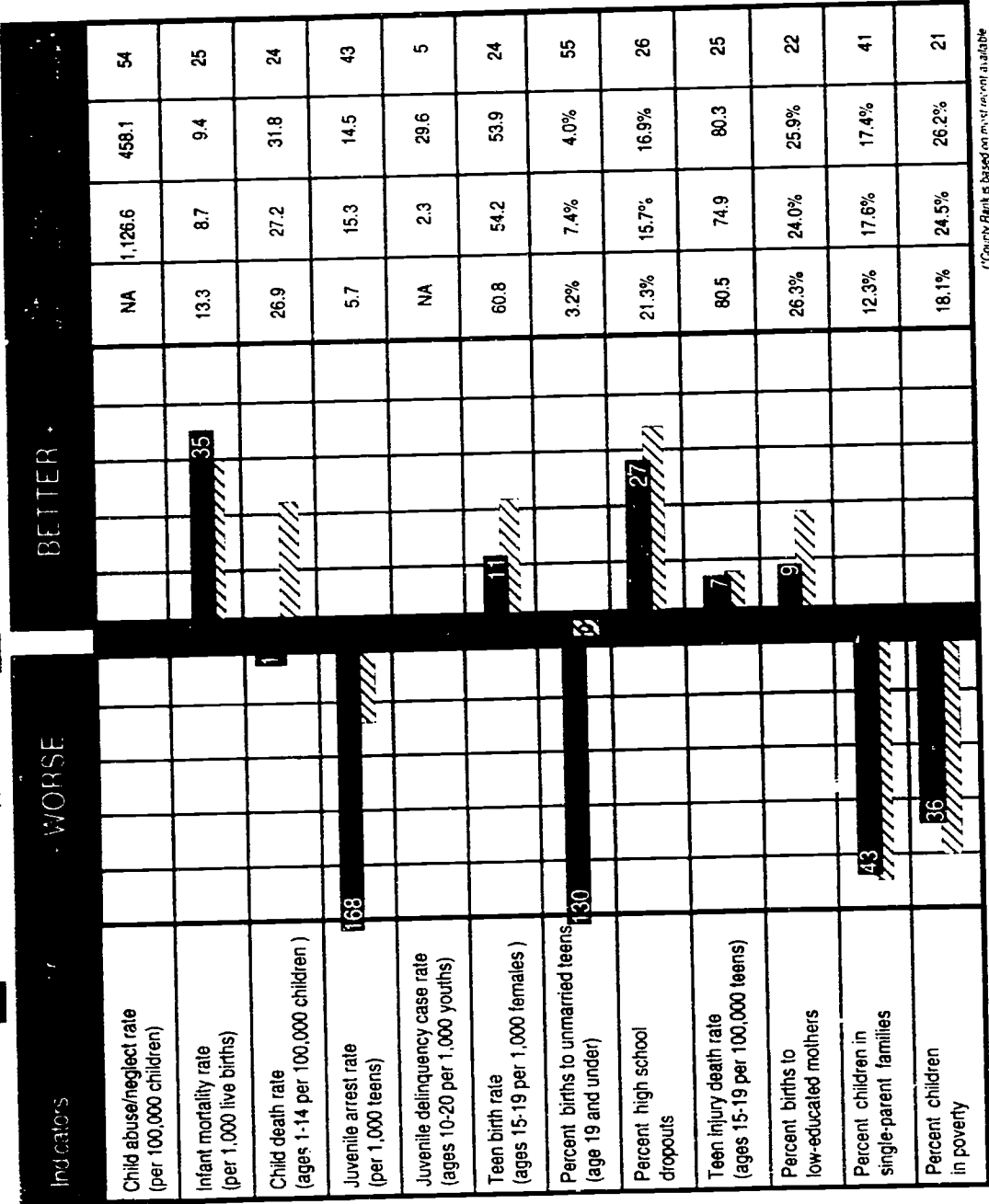
Total population	10,030	10,977	9.4%
Total population under age 18	2,797	2,618	-6.4%
Percent population under age 18	27.9%	23.8%	-14.5%
Percent minority population	2.1%	2.1%	0.0%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	2.0%	2.2%	8.7%
Population density per square mile	17	19	9.4%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	8.5%	7.1%	-17.3%
Percent all households that are families with children	42.4%	35.6%	-16.4%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	43.8%	55.3%	26.3%
Percent adults who are college graduates	5.6%	7.3%	31.2%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$3,122	\$3,439	10.2%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	8.7%	4.9%	-43.7%
Percent births with early prenatal care	82.6%	82.5%	-0.2%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	1,977	2,413	22.1%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	1,046	1,296	23.9%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$20,309	\$25,843	27.2%
Unemployment rate	7.1%	6.1%	-14.1%



# Harrison County

## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

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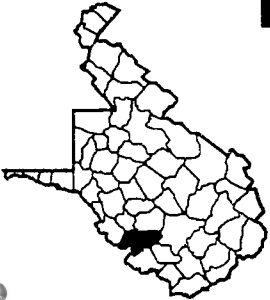


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## Background Facts

Indicator	Value	Change (%)
Total population	77,710	-10.7%
Total population under age 18	21,248	-19.8%
Percent population under age 18	27.3%	-10.2%
Percent minority population	1.7%	11.1%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	2.0%	14.6%
Population density per square mile	187	-10.7%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	6.0%	1.1%
Percent all households that are families with children	38.8%	-9.8%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	60.7%	16.2%
Percent adults who are college graduates	10.9%	24.3%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,651	32.1%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	9.7%	61.5%
Percent births with early prenatal care	82.5%	-1.7%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	13,639	-25.5%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	14,501	21.3%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$25,578	-1.3%
Unemployment rate	8.4%	4.8%

## Trend Data



# Jackson County

# Composite County Rank\*

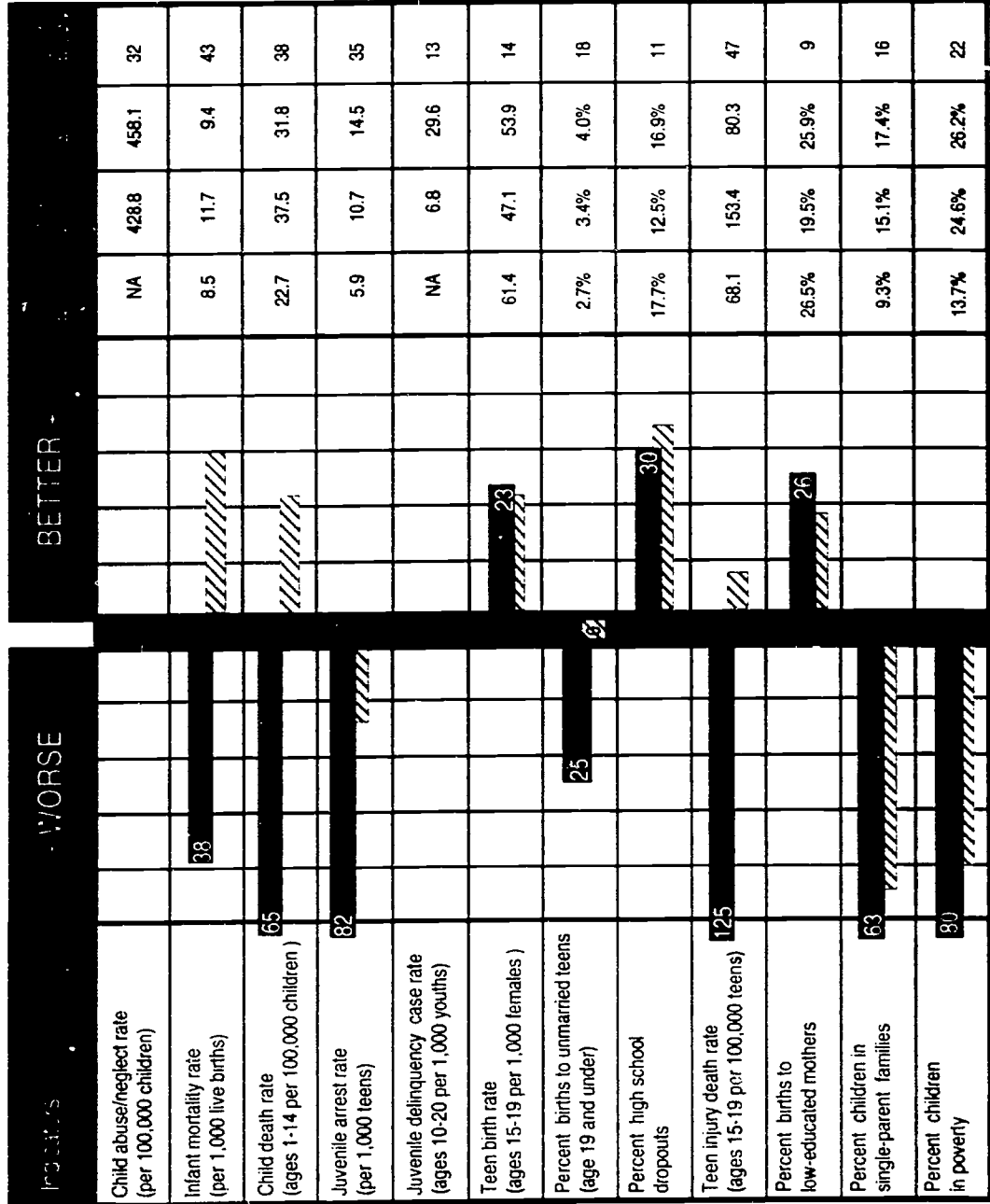
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## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

## Trend Data

## Background Facts

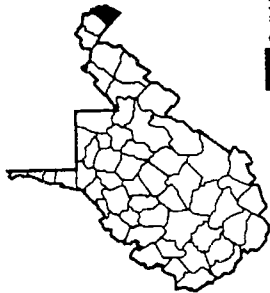
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## Demographics

Total population	25,794	25,938	0.6%
Total population under age 18	7,868	6,763	-14.0%
Percent population under age 18	30.5%	26.1%	-14.5%
Percent minority population	0.3%	0.5%	45.0%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.4%	0.7%	55.1%
Population density per square mile	55	56	0.6%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	5.5%	4.5%	-18.9%
Percent all households that are families with children	47.7%	39.2%	-17.8%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	57.9%	65.4%	13.0%
Percent adults who are college graduates	8.7%	8.7%	0.0%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,929	\$3,644	24.4%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	4.3%	11.6%	169.8%
Percent births with early prenatal care	72.2%	70.5%	-2.4%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	5,773	4,460	-22.7%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	2,842	3,502	23.2%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$30,026	\$25,121	-16.3%
Unemployment rate	11.5%	10.9%	-5.2%



# Jefferson County

Composite County Rank

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## Background Facts

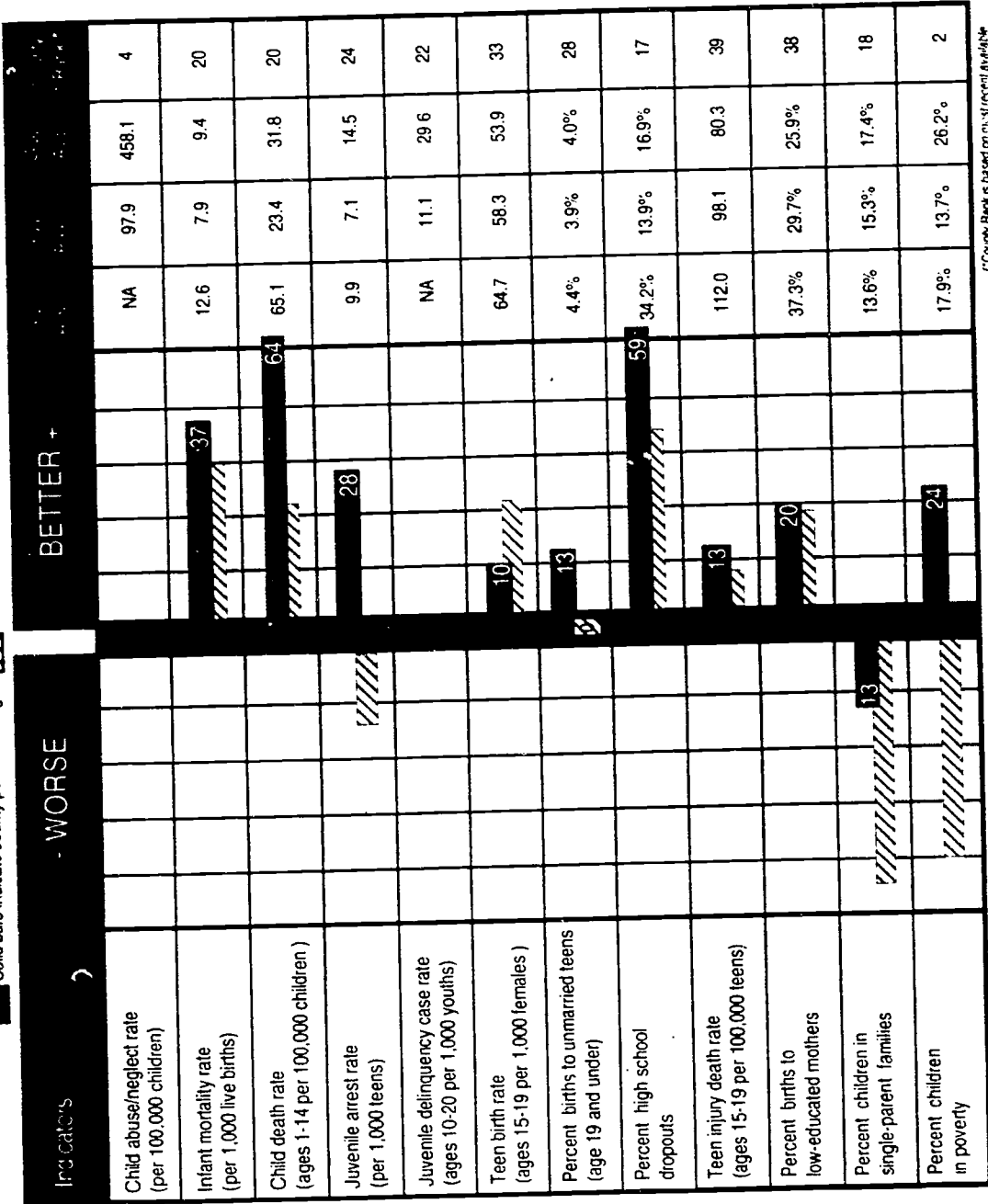
### Demographics

Total population	30,302	35,926	18.6%
Total population under age 18	8,915	9,195	3.1%
Percent population under age 18	29.4%	25.6%	-13.0%
Percent minority population	9.6%	8.3%	-14.1%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	12.1%	9.7%	-20.4%
Population density per square mile	145	171	18.6%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	8.2%	8.4%	1.6%
Percent all households that are families with children	43.5%	38.7%	-11.1%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	56.7%	68.2%	20.2%
Percent adults who are college graduates	16.3%	16.2%	-0.4%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,402	\$3,625	50.9%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	8.3%	5.9%	-28.3%
Percent births with early prenatal care	77.3%	72.1%	-6.6%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	3,008	4,758	58.2%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	4,518	6,793	50.4%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$27,042	\$34,887	29.0%
Unemployment rate	6.3%	5.4%	-14.3%

## Trend Data

### Percent Change 1980 - 1990

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# Kanawha County

Composite County Rank

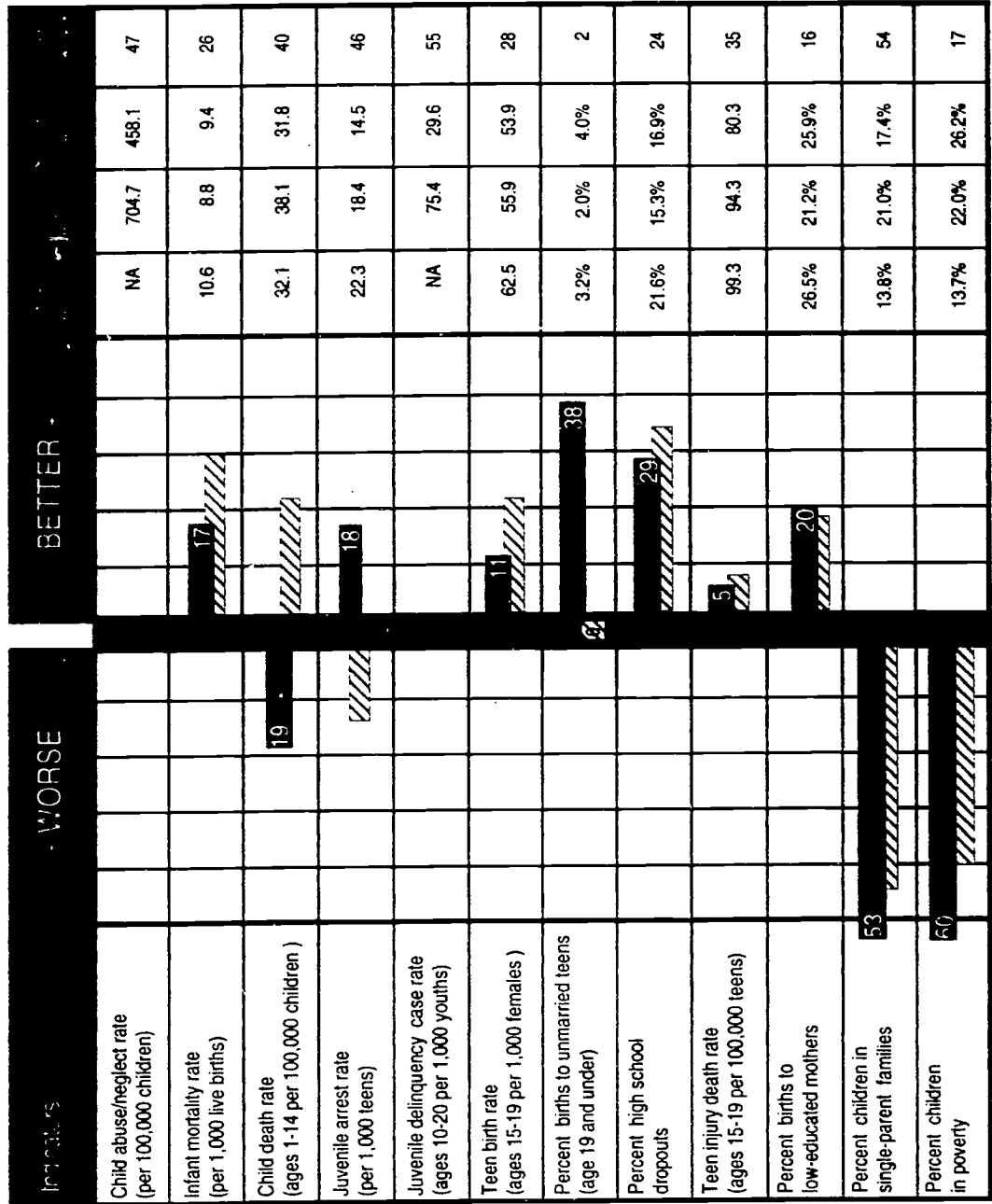
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## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

## Trend Data

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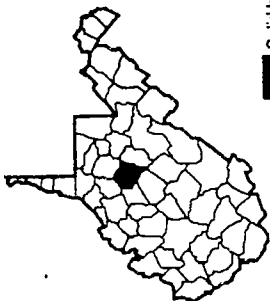
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## Demographics

Total population	231,414	207,619	-10.3%
Total population under age 18	60,714	48,250	-20.5%
Percent population under age 18	26.2%	23.2%	-11.4%
Percent minority population	6.7%	7.5%	12.5%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	7.9%	10.0%	-25.8%
Population density per square mile	256	230	-10.3%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	7.1%	6.4%	-9.6%
Percent all households that are families with children	38.4%	33.2%	-13.5%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	65.0%	72.4%	11.4%
Percent adults who are college graduates	15.3%	17.6%	15.0%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$3,093	\$3,807	23.1%
Percent all families with related children, who are AFDC recipients	7.9%	14.1%	78.2%
Percent births with early prenatal care	71.3%	72.5%	1.7%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	47,860	33,607	-29.8%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	53,461	61,847	15.7%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$31,334	\$30,030	-4.2%
Unemployment rate	7.2%	6.0%	-16.7%



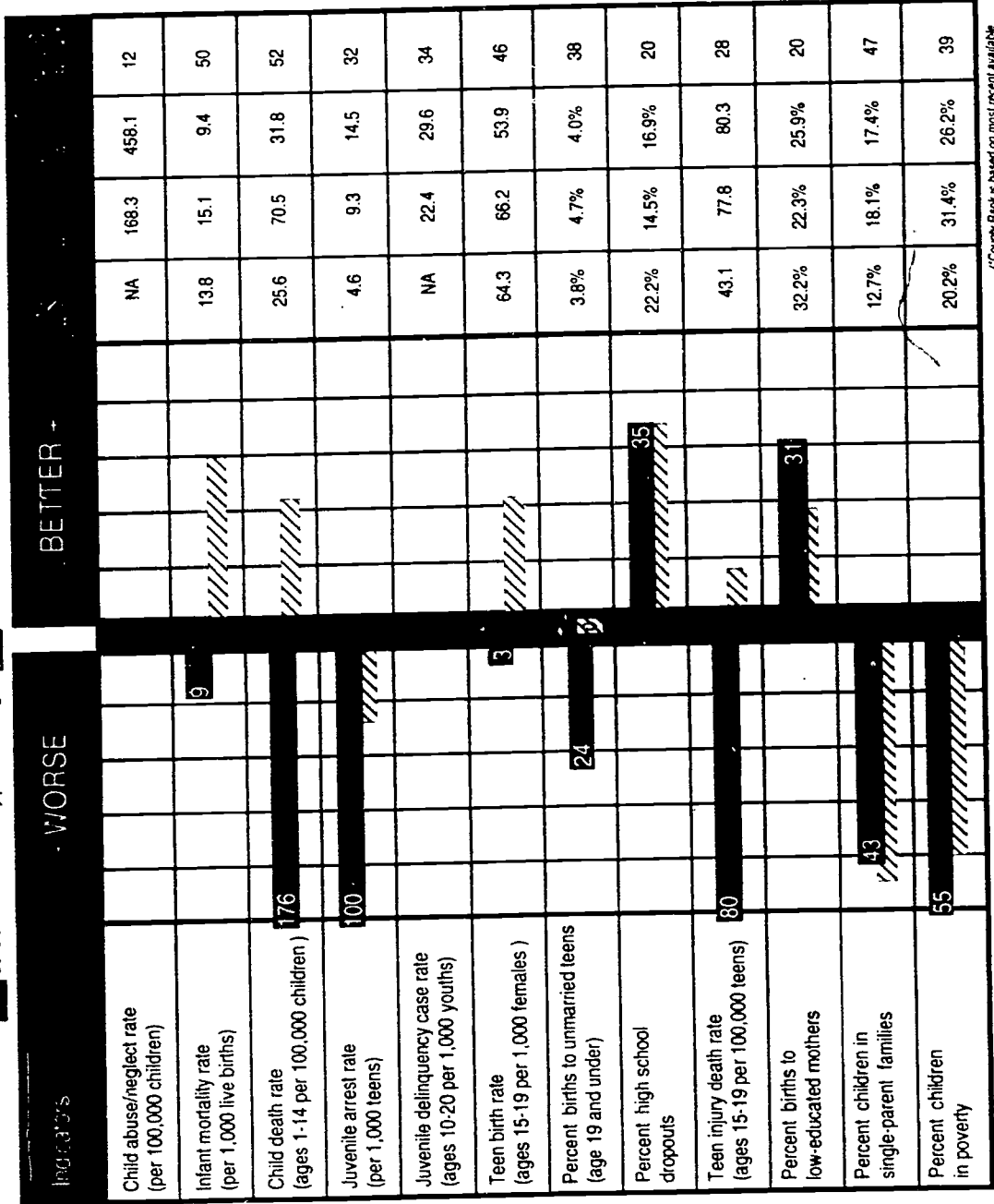
# Lewis County

Composite County Rank

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## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

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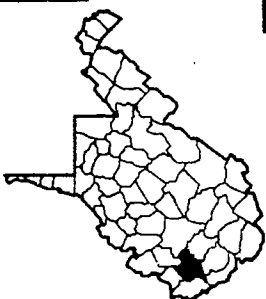
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## Background Facts

### Demographics

Total population	18,813	17,223	-8.5%
Total population under age 18	5,165	4,160	-19.5%
Percent population under age 18	27.5%	24.2%	-12.0%
Percent minority population	0.7%	0.8%	6.1%
Percent population under age 16 identified as minority	0.6%	0.8%	31.7%
Population density per square mile	48	44	-8.5%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	7.5%	6.5%	-13.3%
Percent all households that are families with children	38.8%	35.2%	-9.3%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	50.8%	62.1%	22.3%
Percent adults who are college graduates	7.5%	8.2%	8.6%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,638	\$3,591	36.1%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	9.5%	15.4%	62.2%
Percent births with early prenatal care	79.6%	79.3%	-0.3%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	2,638	2,187	-17.1%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	2,307	2,924	26.7%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$23,066	\$22,273	-3.4%
Unemployment rate	10.0%	10.7%	7.0%

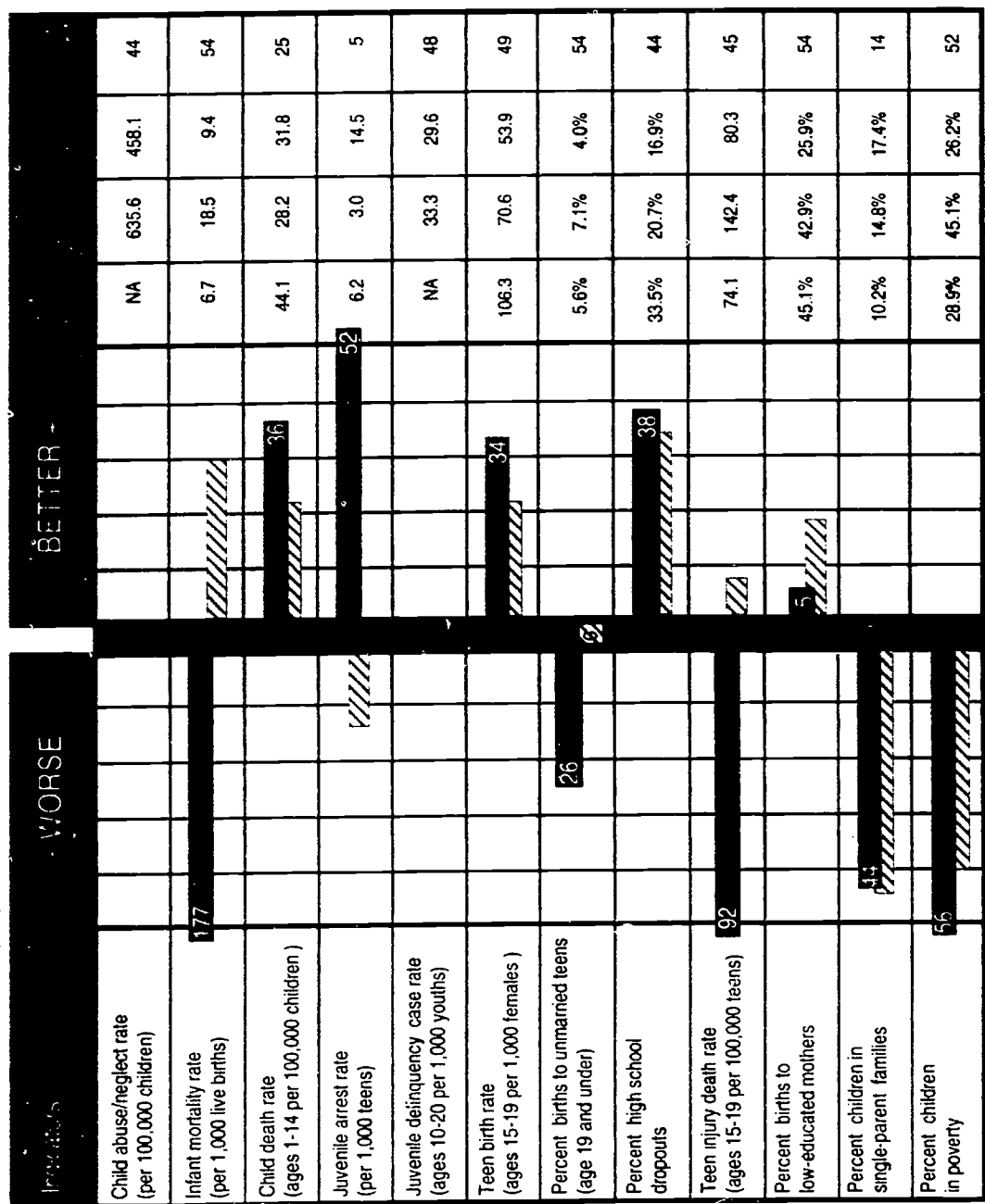
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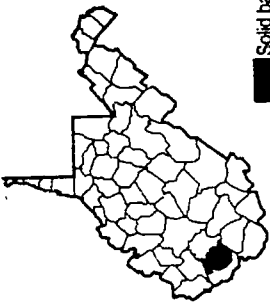


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## Background Facts

Total population	23,675	21,382	-9.7%
Total population under age 18	7,894	5,979	-24.3%
Percent population under age 18	33.4%	28.0%	-16.3%
Percent minority population	0.2%	0.2%	0.0%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.0%	0.2%	NM
Population density per square mile	54	49	-9.7%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	6.0%	5.7%	-5.4%
Percent all households that are families with children	49.7%	43.7%	-12.2%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	40.9%	49.1%	20.2%
Percent adults who are college graduates	4.8%	4.7%	-3.0%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,818	\$3,405	20.8%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	14.8%	26.0%	75.4%
Percent births with early prenatal care	56.3%	79.6%	41.4%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	1,014	1,187	17.1%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	1,099	1,314	19.6%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$21,166	\$16,868	-20.3%
Unemployment rate	14.3%	12.7%	-11.2%





# Logan County

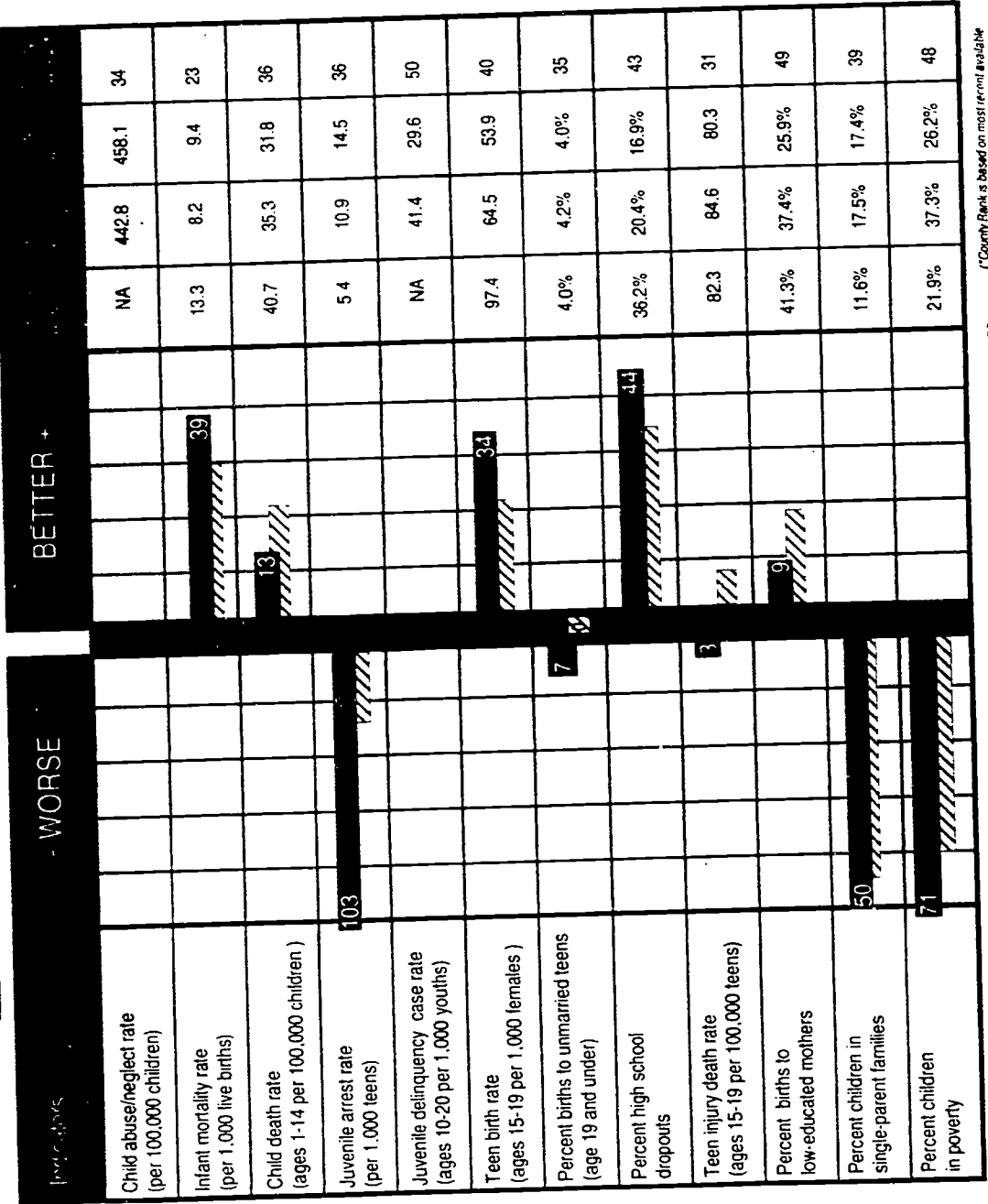
Composite County Rank

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## Trend Data

### Percent Change 1980 - 1990

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## Background Facts

### Demographics

Total population	50,679	43,032	-15.1%
Total population under age 18	16,758	11,969	-28.6%
Percent population under age 18	33.1%	27.8%	-15.9%
Percent minority population	4.7%	3.8%	-18.4%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	4.7%	3.9%	-15.7%
Population density per square mile	112	95	-15.1%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	8.4%	7.6%	-9.0%
Percent all households that are families with children	50.5%	44.0%	-12.9%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	45.1%	53.4%	18.4%
Percent adults who are college graduates	5.6%	6.3%	13.3%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,593	\$3,481	34.2%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	10.7%	21.9%	104.7%
Percent births with early prenatal care	47.8%	46.0%	-3.6%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	8,461	5,248	-38.0%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	6,334	7,035	11.1%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$25,483	\$21,100	-17.2%
Unemployment rate	8.6%	11.1%	29.1%

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# McDowell County

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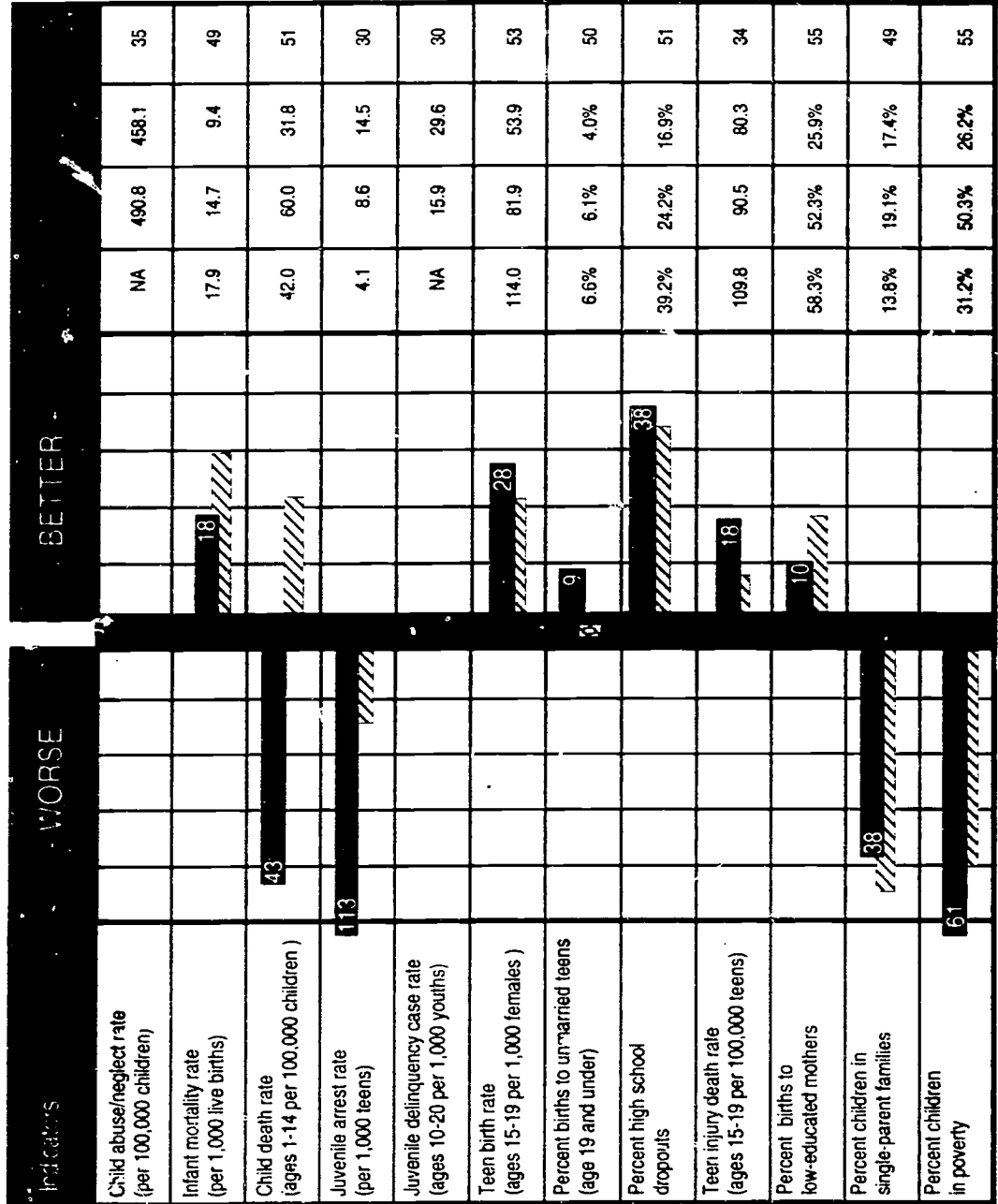
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## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

## Trend Data

## Background Facts

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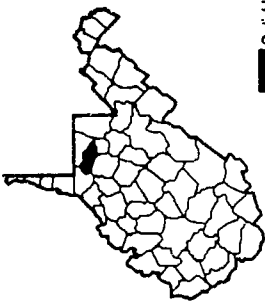
Total population	49,899	35,233	-29.4%
Total population under age 18	17,225	10,188	-40.9%
Percent population under age 18	34.5%	28.9%	-16.2%
Percent minority population	15.0%	13.7%	-8.8%
Percent population under age 13 identified as minority	14.2%	14.4%	1.7%
Population density per square mile	93	66	-29.4%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	9.2%	10.0%	8.9%
Percent all households that are families with children	49.7%	42.8%	-13.9%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	35.9%	42.3%	17.8%
Percent adults who are college graduates	5.2%	4.6%	-11.2%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,944	\$3,695	25.5%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	22.5%	32.5%	44.2%
Percent births with early prenatal care	48.8%	52.2%	6.9%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	9,046	2,740	-69.7%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	3,942	3,288	-16.6%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$21,729	\$15,756	-27.5%
Unemployment rate	13.0%	15.7%	20.8%

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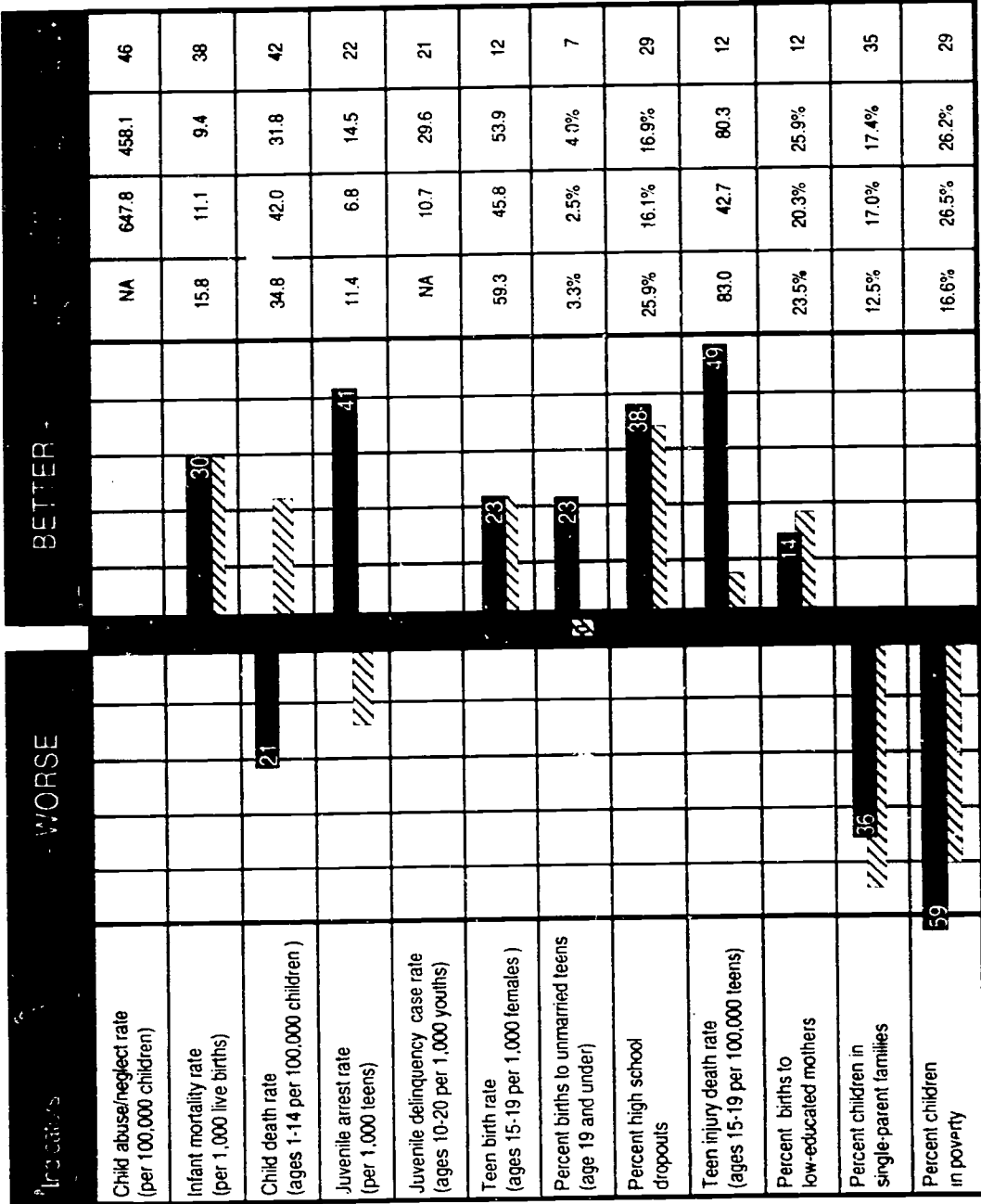
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# Marion County

## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

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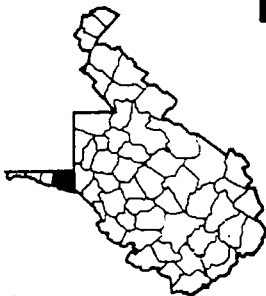
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## Trend Data

## Background Facts

### Demographics

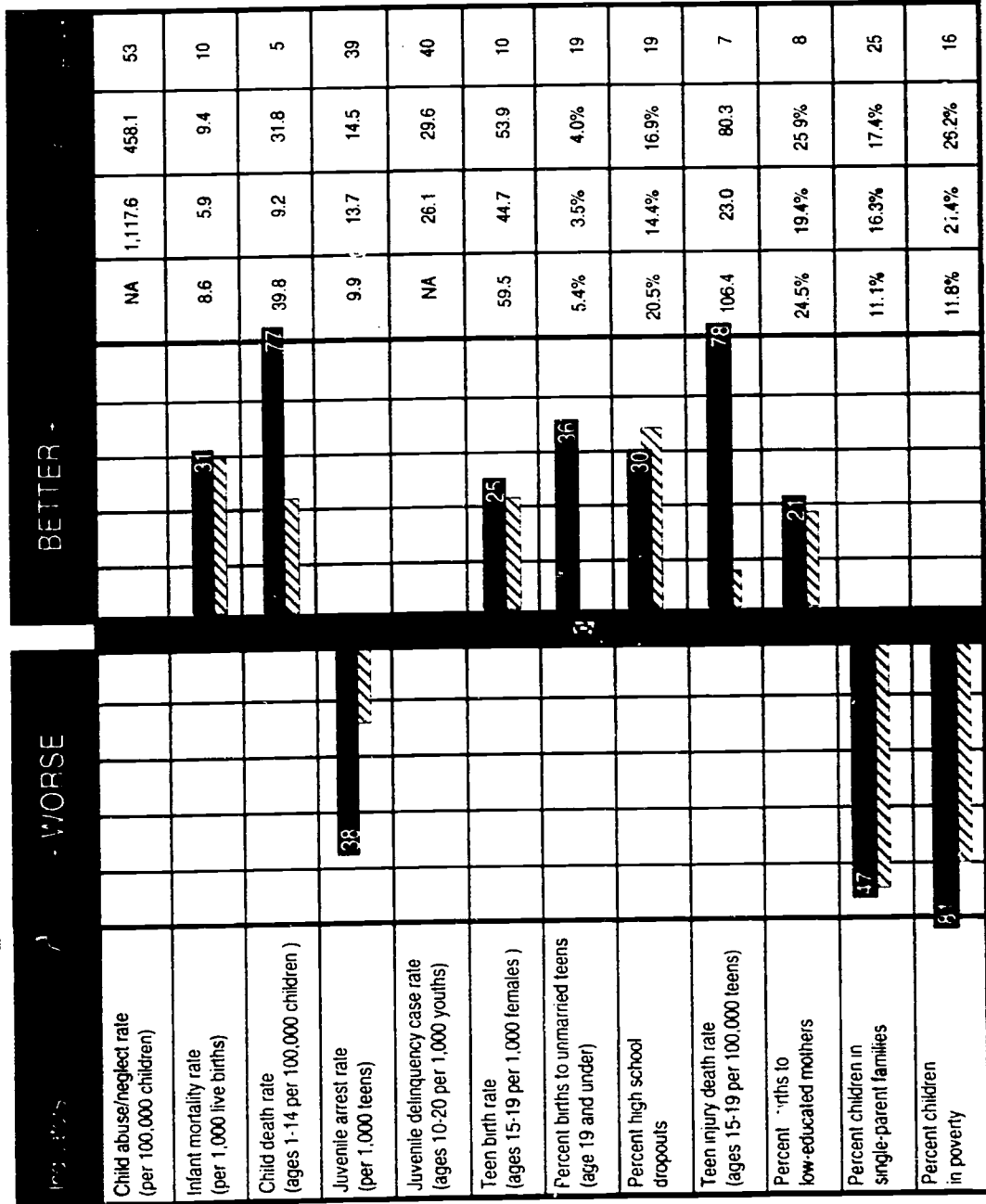
Total population	65,789	57,249	-13.0%
Total population under age 18	17,369	12,967	-25.3%
Percent population under age 18	26.4%	22.7%	-14.2%
Percent minority population	4.0%	3.8%	-4.1%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	4.8%	4.7%	-3.7%
Population density per square mile	212	185	-13.0%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	5.9%	6.4%	9.3%
Percent all households that are families with children	36.7%	32.5%	-11.6%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	61.8%	71.4%	15.5%
Percent adults who are college graduates	11.1%	12.5%	12.7%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,822	\$3,797	34.5%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	10.2%	15.5%	52.4%
Percent births with early prenatal care	76.3%	73.8%	-3.2%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	11,812	7,850	-33.5%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	9,764	10,828	10.9%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$27,266	\$25,963	-4.8%
Unemployment rate	9.9%	8.6%	-13.1%



# Marshall County

## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

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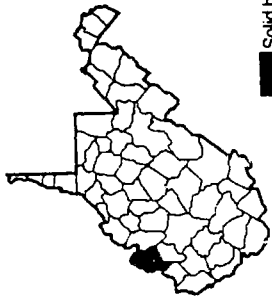


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## Background Facts

### Demographics

Total population	41,608	37,356	-10.2%
Total population under age 18	12,020	9,127	-24.1%
Percent population under age 18	28.9%	24.4%	-15.4%
Percent minority population	1.0%	0.9%	-3.8%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	.9%	1.0%	20.2%
Population density per square mile	136	122	-10.2%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	5.2%	5.3%	3.5%
Percent all households that are families with children	42.4%	36.1%	-14.9%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	60.7%	70.9%	16.8%
Percent adults who are college graduates	7.4%	9.7%	30.8%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$3,068	\$4,073	32.7%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	8.4%	12.6%	49.9%
Percent births with early prenatal care	83.9%	74.5%	-11.3%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	8,353	5,894	-29.4%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	4,224	5,237	24.0%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$31,045	\$26,974	-13.1%
Unemployment rate	11.9%	7.9%	-33.6%



# Mason County

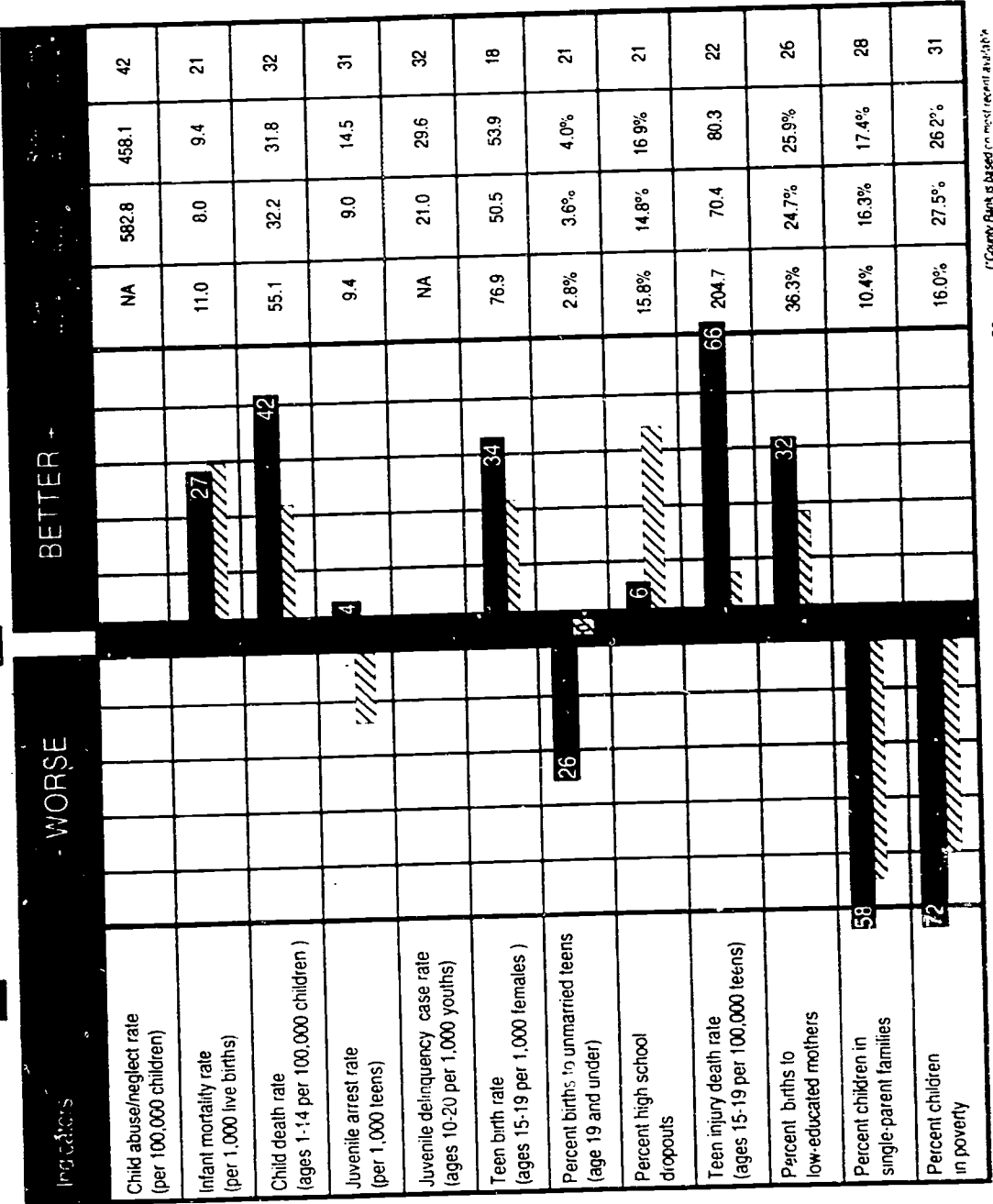
Composite County Rank

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## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

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### Trend Data



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## Background Facts

Demographics	Value	Percent Change
Total population	27,045	-6.9%
Total population under age 18	8,041	-18.9%
Percent population under age 18	29.7%	-12.9%
Percent minority population	0.9%	0.0%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	1.1%	1.1%
Population density per square mile	63	-6.9%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	6.2%	-10.6%
Percent all households that are families with children	45.0%	-12.3%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	52.7%	15.9%
Percent adults who are college graduates	7.0%	-2.2%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,866	23.6%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	6.3%	14.8%
Percent births with early prenatal care	66.4%	13.0%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	4,529	-22.3%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	2,828	14.1%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$26,720	-9.7%
Unemployment rate	12.8%	-25.0%

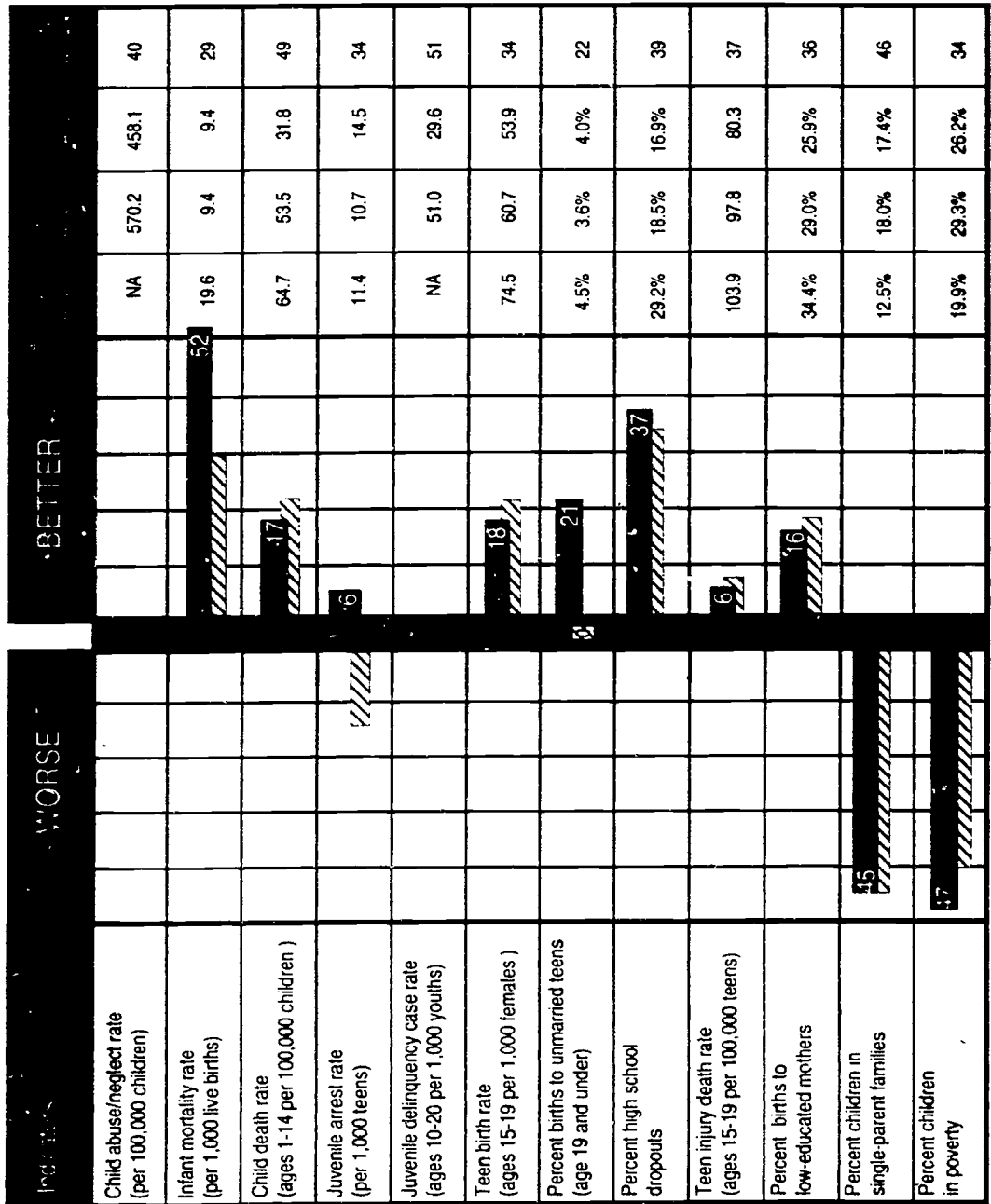


Percent Change 1980 - 1990

Trend Data

Background Facts

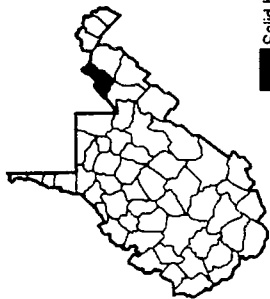
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Demographics

Total population	73,942	64,980	-12.1%
Total population under age 18	20,938	15,608	-25.5%
Percent population under age 18	28.3%	24.0%	-15.2%
Percent minority population	7.4%	7.0%	-4.9%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	8.0%	8.9%	11.0%
Population density per square mile	176	155	-12.1%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	7.4%	7.3%	-0.5%
Percent all households that are families with children	41.6%	35.5%	-14.7%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	53.2%	63.1%	18.6%
Percent adults who are college graduates	10.1%	11.6%	14.5%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,747	\$3,521	28.2%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	11.9%	16.3%	36.9%
Percent births with early prenatal care	67.6%	62.2%	-7.9%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	9,063	6,440	-28.9%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	13,970	14,857	6.3%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$25,663	\$24,020	-6.4%
Unemployment rate	9.2%	8.0%	-13.0%

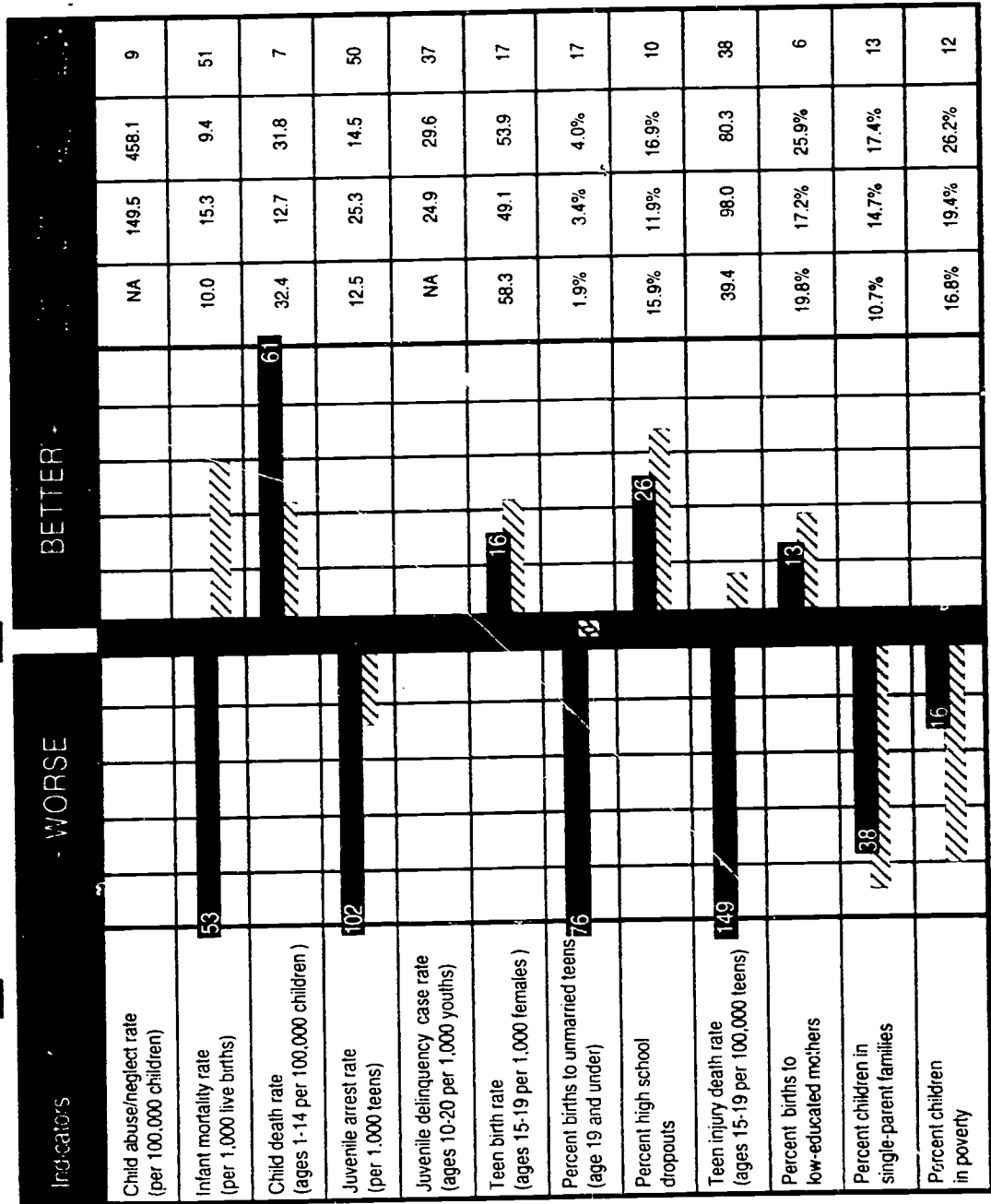


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## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

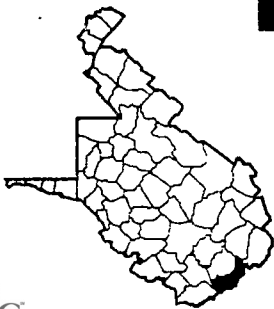
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## Background Facts



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Total population	27,234	26,697	-2.0%
Total population under age 18	8,150	6,690	-17.9%
Percent population under age 18	29.9%	25.1%	-16.3%
Percent minority population	3.3%	3.1%	-5.8%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	4.1%	3.8%	-8.4%
Population density per square mile	83	81	-2.0%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	5.4%	5.6%	4.6%
Percent all households that are families with children	44.3%	37.2%	-16.0%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	60.0%	72.8%	21.4%
Percent adults who are college graduates	7.1%	10.4%	46.8%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$3,013	\$3,670	21.8%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	8.9%	8.8%	-0.5%
Percent births with early prenatal care	76.6%	78.0%	1.8%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	3,457	3,607	4.3%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	2,503	3,307	32.1%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$25,631	\$26,895	4.9%
Unemployment rate	8.0%	5.5%	-31.3%



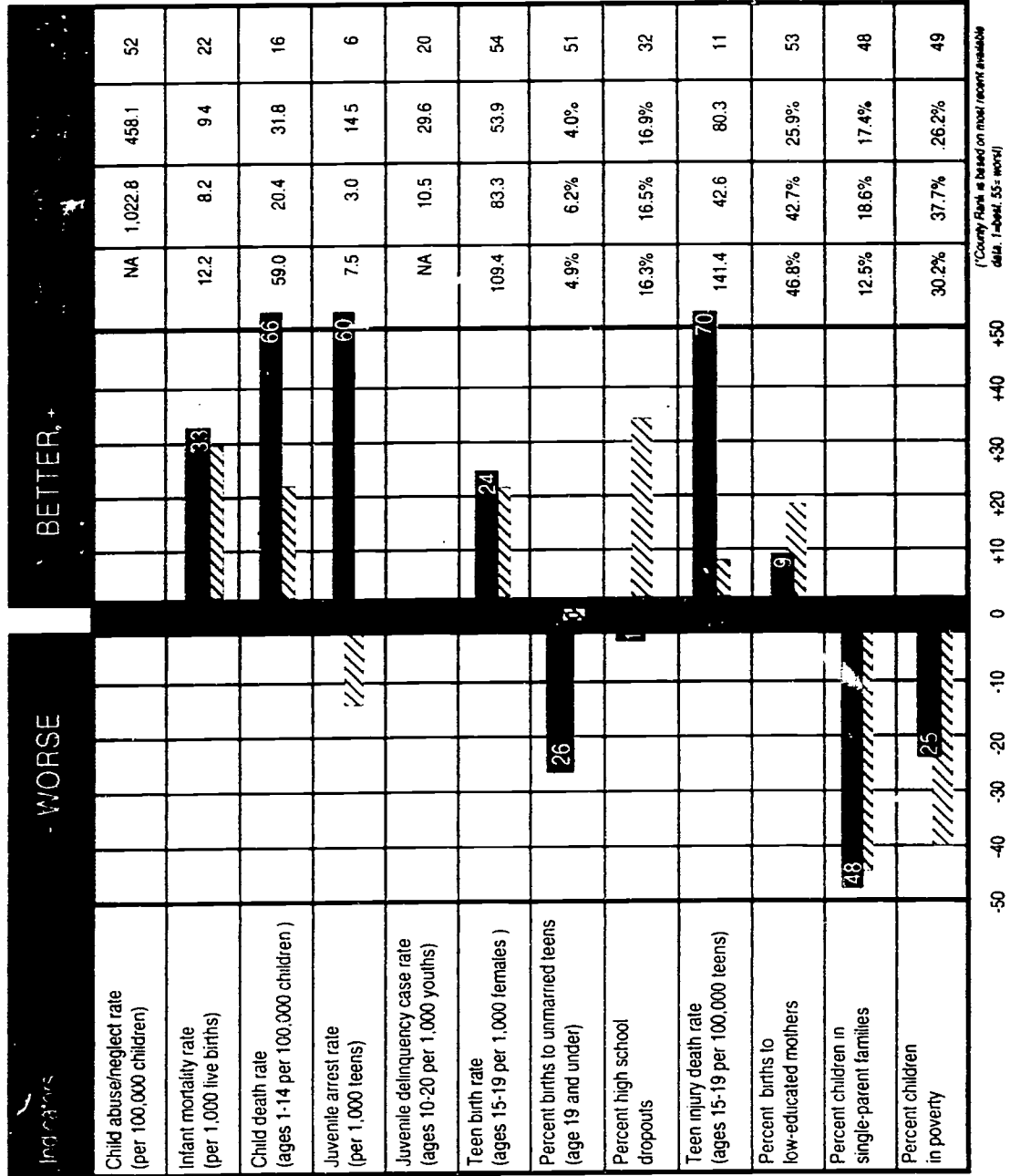
# Mingo County

Composite County Rank

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## Trend Data

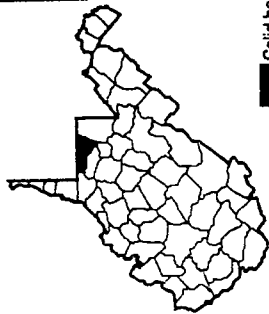
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Indicator	1980	1985	1990
Total population	37,336	33,739	-9.6%
Total population under age 18	13,126	10,266	-21.8%
Percent population under age 18	35.2%	30.4%	-13.5%
Percent minority population	3.1%	2.8%	-12.5%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	2.9%	2.8%	-4.0%
Population density per square mile	88	80	-9.6%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	7.4%	6.0%	-19.3%
Percent all households that are families with children	52.7%	47.7%	-9.4%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	39.4%	50.4%	28.0%
Percent adults who are college graduates	6.4%	6.6%	3.3%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,586	\$3,295	27.4%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	18.2%	28.6%	56.9%
Percent births with early prenatal care	42.6%	52.1%	22.5%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	5,182	4,987	-3.8%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	4,084	4,298	5.2%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$22,900	\$19,643	-14.2%
Unemployment rate	9.6%	9.3%	-3.1%

## Background Facts

Indicator	Value
Total population	37,336
Total population under age 18	13,126
Percent population under age 18	35.2%
Percent minority population	3.1%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	2.9%
Population density per square mile	88
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	7.4%
Percent all households that are families with children	52.7%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	39.4%
Percent adults who are college graduates	6.4%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,586
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	18.2%
Percent births with early prenatal care	42.6%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	5,182
Total jobs in low-paying industries	4,084
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$22,900
Unemployment rate	9.6%

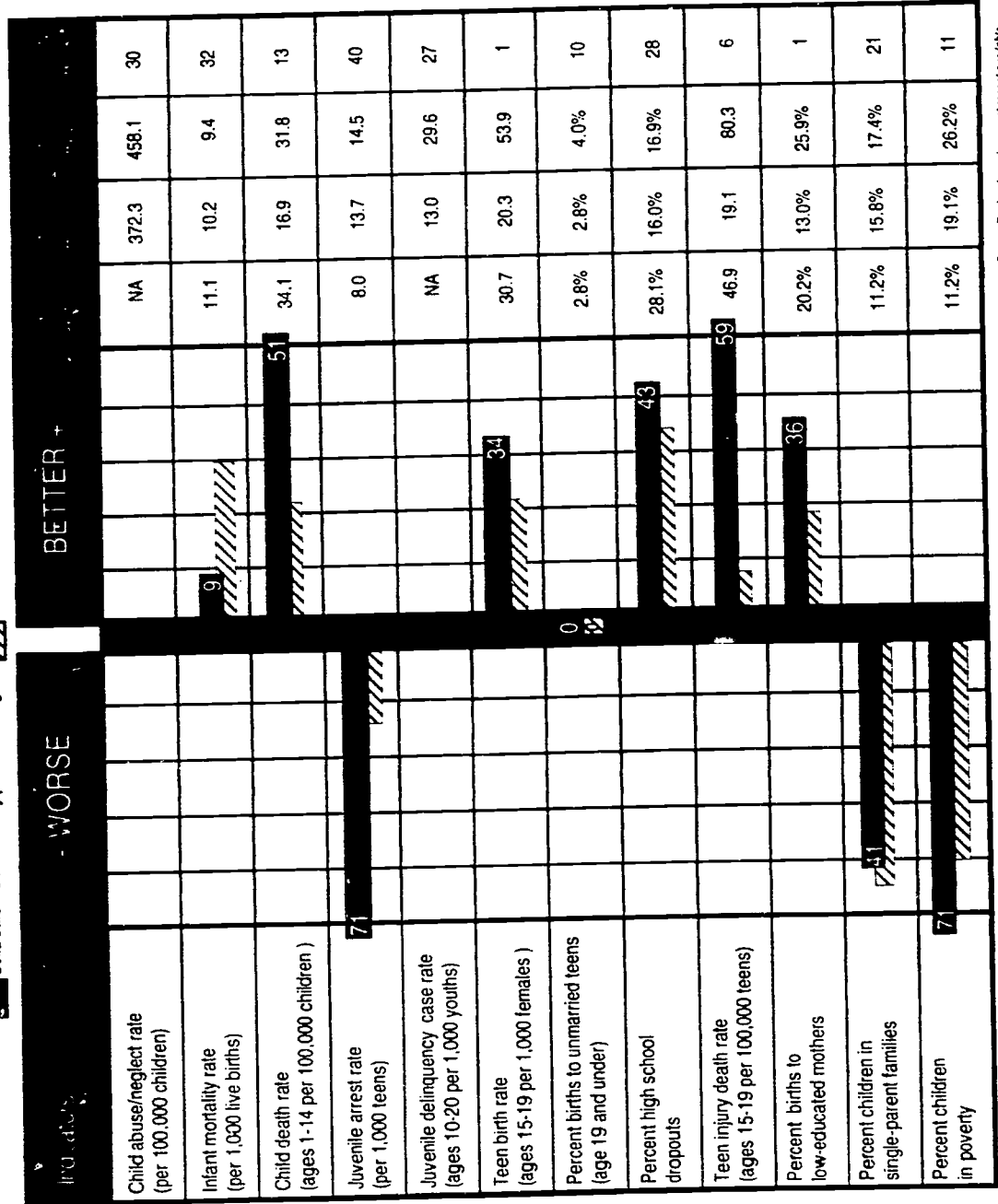




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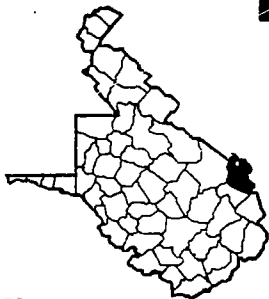


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## Background Facts

### Demographics

Total population	75,024	75,509	0.6%
Total population under age 18	16,658	15,043	-9.7%
Percent population under age 18	22.2%	19.9%	-10.3%
Percent minority population	3.7%	5.0%	34.9%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	3.7%	5.0%	34.6%
Population density per square mile	208	209	0.6%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	4.7%	4.2%	-10.3%
Percent all households that are families with children	33.2%	29.6%	-10.7%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	66.2%	75.4%	14.0%
Percent adults who are college graduates	23.9%	28.1%	17.5%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$3,222	\$3,631	12.7%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC-recipients	4.5%	7.8%	71.4%
Percent births with early prenatal care	77.2%	82.8%	7.3%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	10,470	10,419	-0.5%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	11,520	16,318	41.6%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$28,731	\$30,426	5.9%
Unemployment rate	7.1%	3.7%	-47.9%



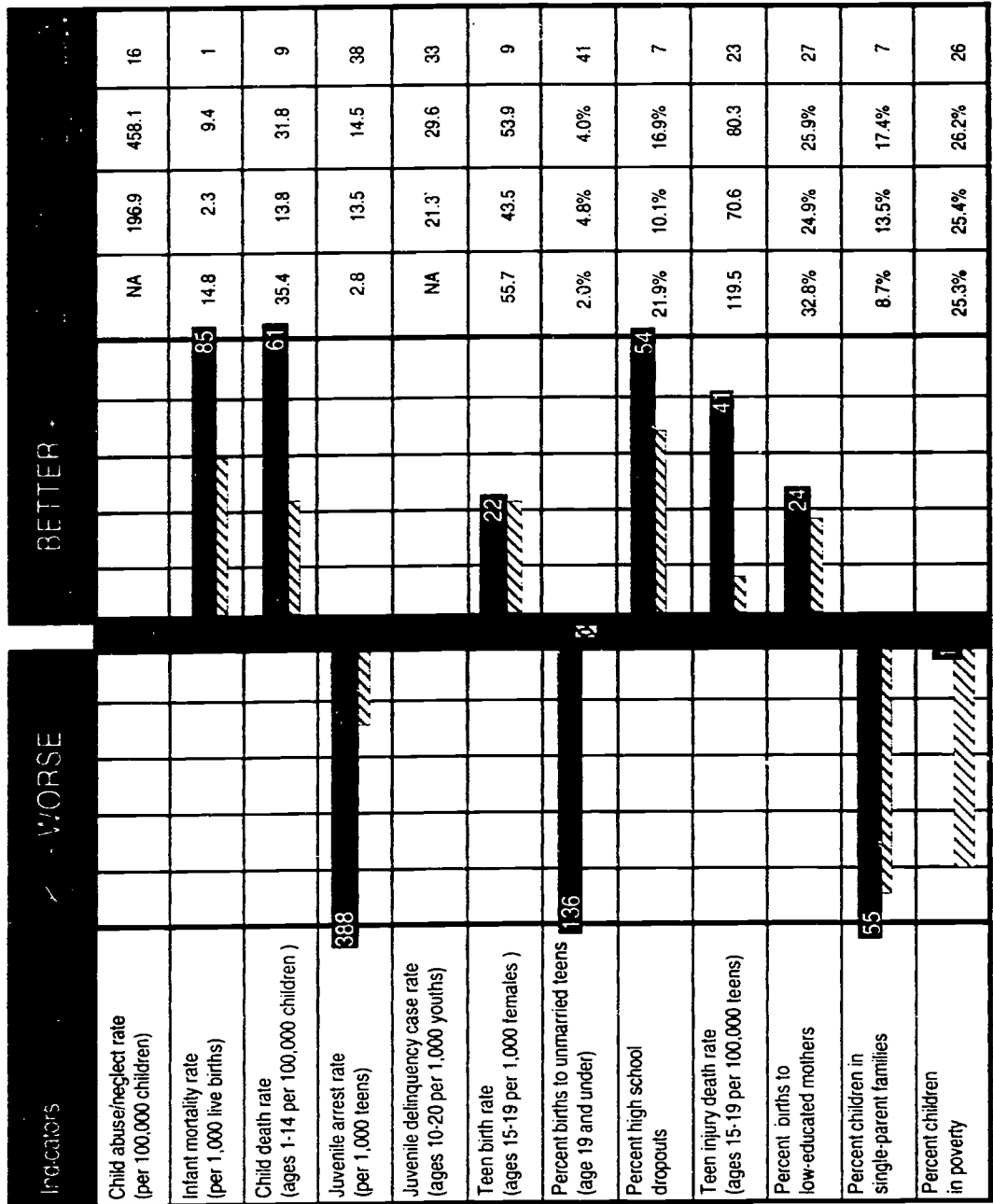
# Monroe County

Composite County Rank

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## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

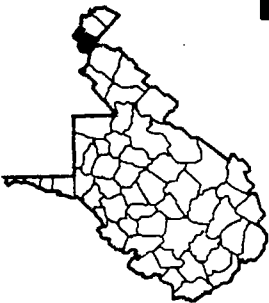
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## Background Facts

Total population	12,873	12,406	-3.6%
Total population under age 18	3,805	3,047	-19.9%
Percent population under age 18	29.6%	24.6%	-16.9%
Percent minority population	2.0%	1.6%	-22.4%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	1.8%	1.4%	-21.7%
Population density per square mile	27	26	-3.6%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	6.9%	5.7%	-16.3%
Percent all households that are families with children	43.2%	36.4%	-15.8%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	52.4%	62.1%	18.5%
Percent adults who are college graduates	7.9%	8.0%	1.9%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,921	\$3,651	25.0%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	4.5%	8.4%	88.2%
Percent births with early prenatal care	55.1%	67.6%	22.8%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	976	959	-1.7%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	855	1,068	24.9%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$19,792	\$21,530	8.8%
Unemployment rate	7.1%	7.1%	0.0%

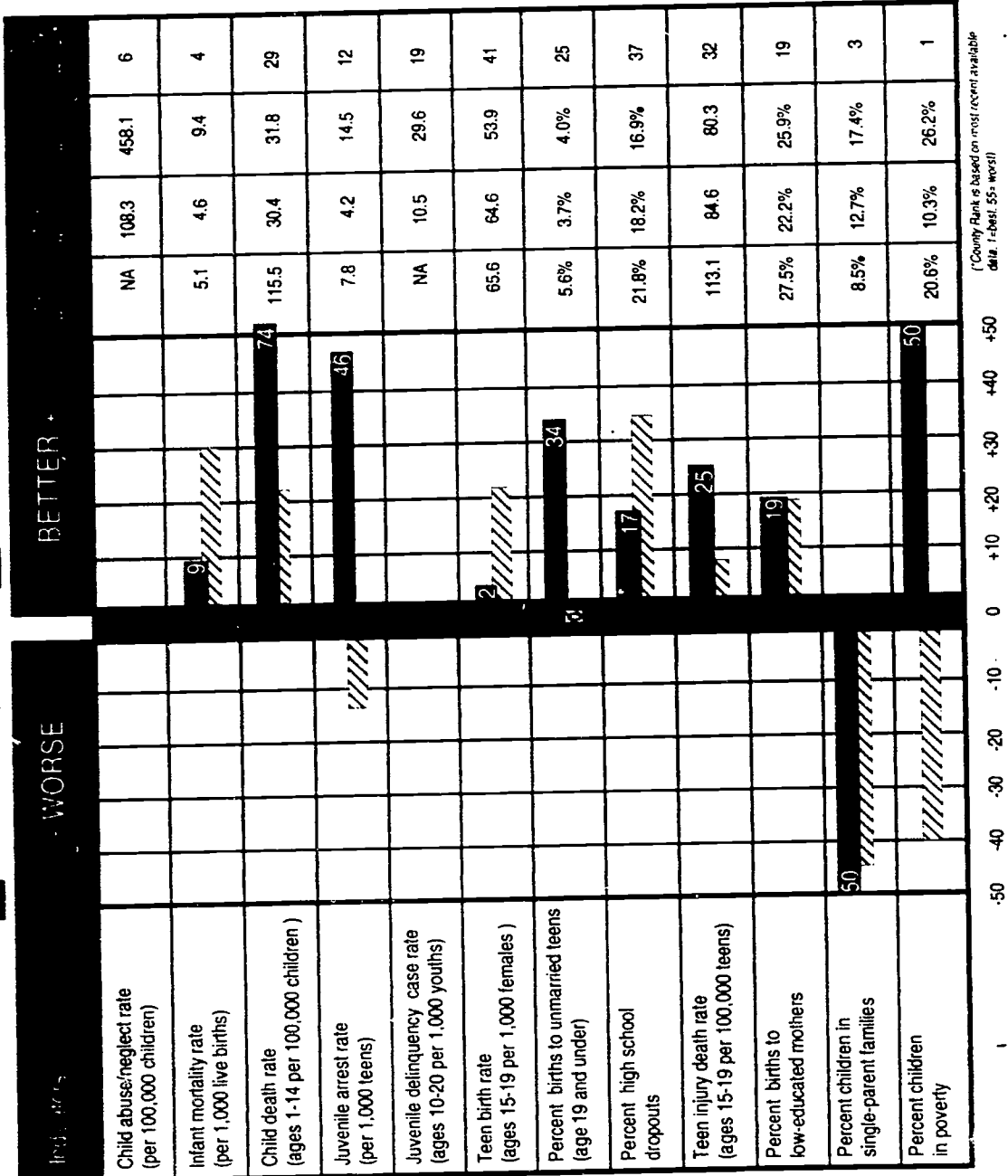


# Morgan County

County of Morgan, West Virginia

## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

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## Background Facts

Demographics

Total population	10,711	12,128	13.2%
Total population under age 18	3,022	2,769	-8.4%
Percent population under age 18	28.2%	22.8%	-19.1%
Percent minority population	1.2%	1.2%	0.0%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	1.2%	1.1%	-11.5%
Population density per square mile	47	53	13.2%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	6.1%	5.6%	-8.6%
Percent all households that are families with children	40.4%	33.4%	-17.5%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	54.0%	64.8%	20.0%
Percent adults who are college graduates	9.6%	11.8%	22.9%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,662	\$3,465	30.1%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	4.7%	5.8%	23.6%
Percent births with early prenatal care	75.3%	73.4%	-2.6%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	872	1,516	73.9%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	1,039	1,585	52.6%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$24,726	\$28,252	14.3%
Unemployment rate	6.7%	6.6%	-1.5%



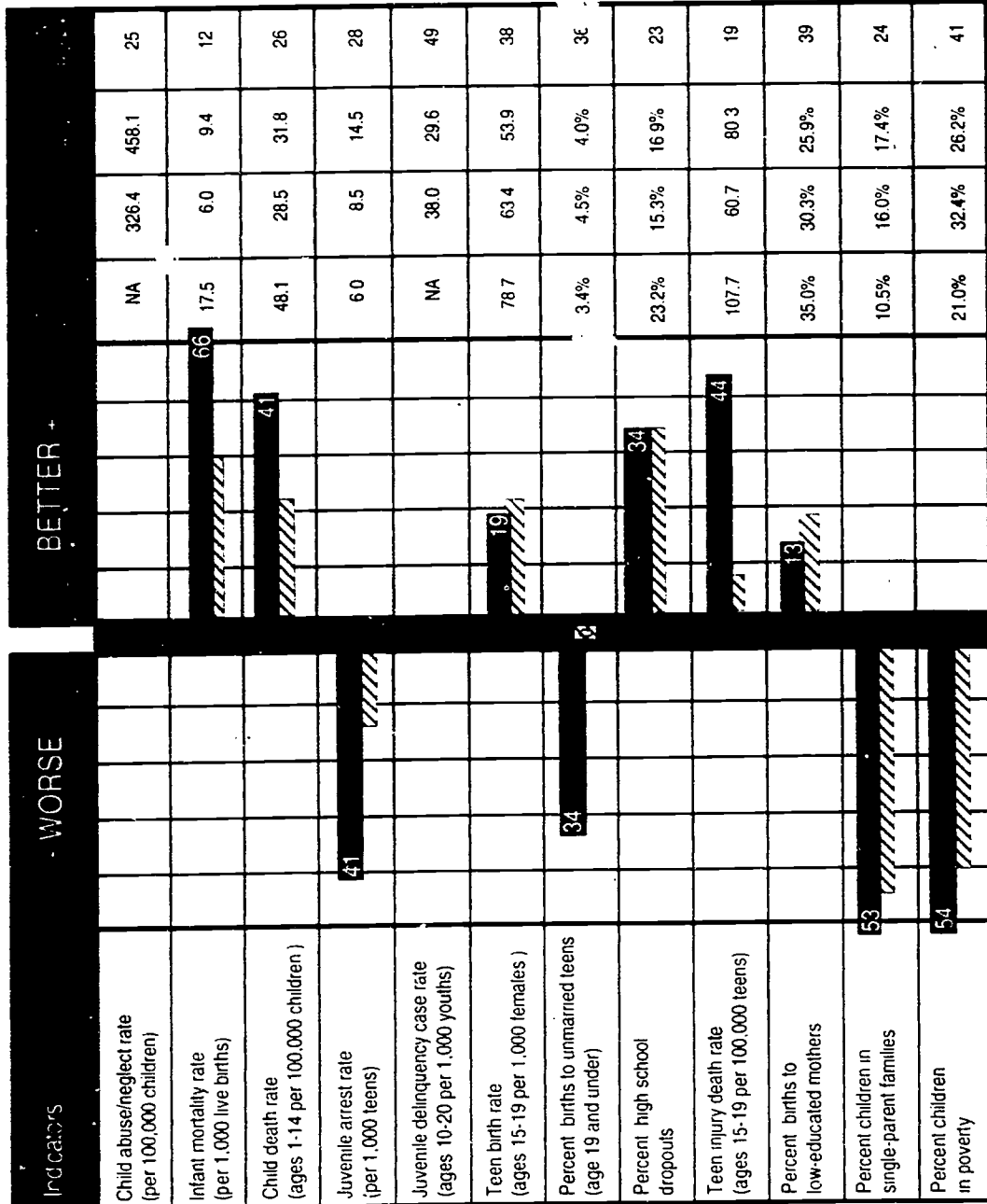
# Nicholas County

Comprehensive County Rank

## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

## Background Facts

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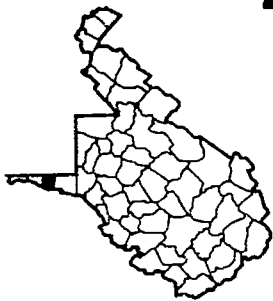


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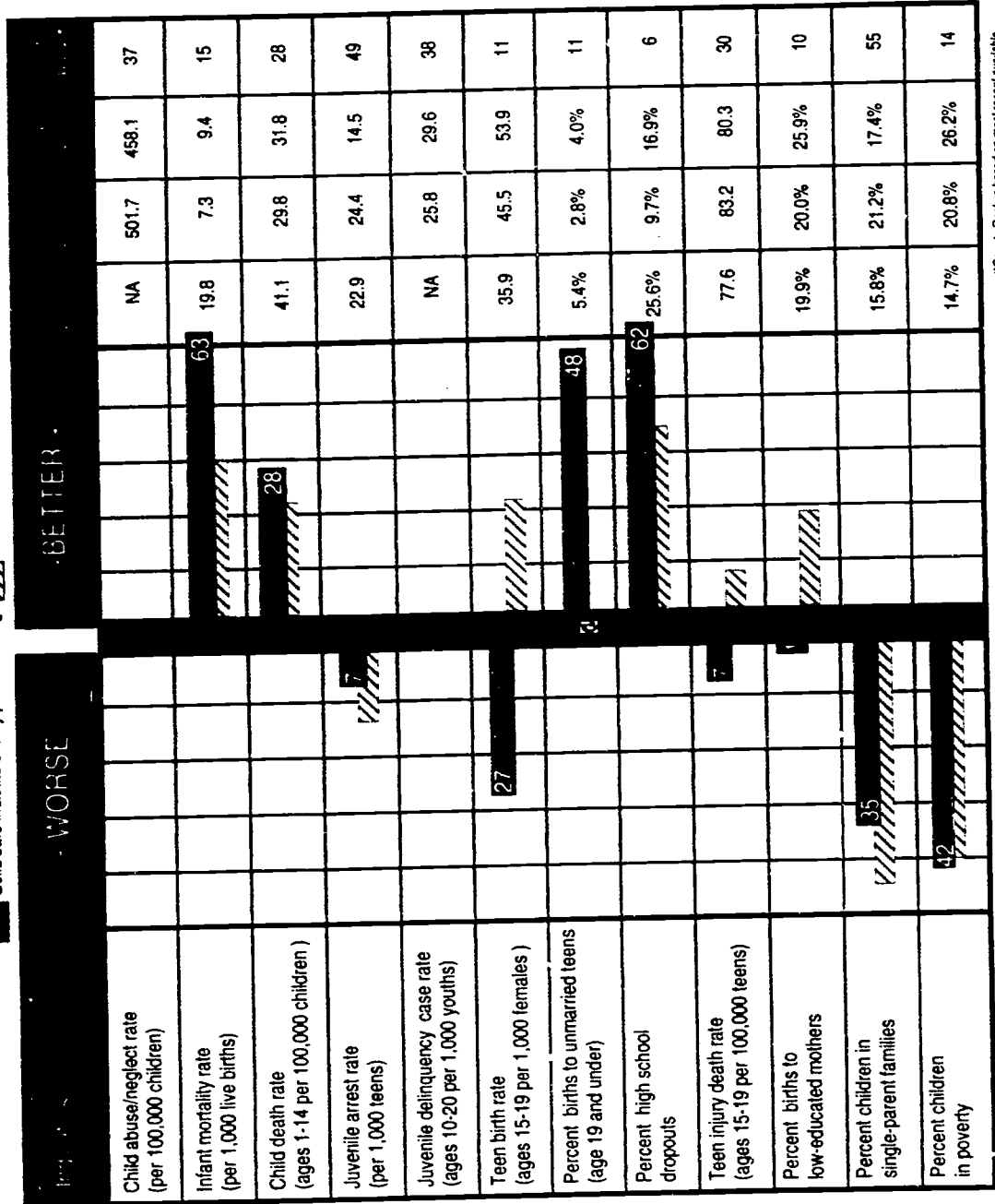
### Demographics

Total population	28,126	26,775	-4.8%
Total population under age 18	9,062	7,352	-18.9%
Percent population under age 18	32.3%	27.5%	-15.0%
Percent minority population	0.3%	0.4%	47.1%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.0%	0.6%	NM
Population density per square mile	43	41	-4.8%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	6.0%	5.7%	-4.7%
Percent all households that are families with children	48.3%	41.3%	-14.7%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	47.9%	61.2%	27.9%
Percent adults who are college graduates	6.0%	8.0%	34.2%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,459	\$3,512	42.8%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	8.7%	15.6%	80.2%
Percent births with early prenatal care	69.6%	71.7%	3.0%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	6,103	3,999	-34.5%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	2,989	4,248	42.1%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$23,688	\$21,390	-9.7%
Unemployment rate	11.9%	13.8%	16.0%



Percent Change 1980 - 1990

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Background Facts

Total population	61,389	50,871	-17.1%
Total population under age 18	14,700	11,162	-24.1%
Percent population under age 18	23.9%	21.9%	-8.4%
Percent minority population	4.1%	4.1%	0.0%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	5.9%	6.3%	6.8%
Population density per square mile	578	479	-17.1%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	5.3%	5.1%	-3.4%
Percent all households that are families with children	33.1%	29.6%	-10.5%
Percent adults, who are high school graduates	65.4%	75.1%	14.9%
Percent adults who are college graduates	13.2%	18.4%	39.0%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$3,242	\$4,156	28.2%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	10.0%	13.7%	36.4%
Percent births with early prenatal care	51.7%	70.5%	-13.7%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	10,351	7,113	-31.3%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	18,506	19,852	7.3%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$29,511	\$30,037	1.8%
Unemployment rate	8.1%	5.2%	-35.8%

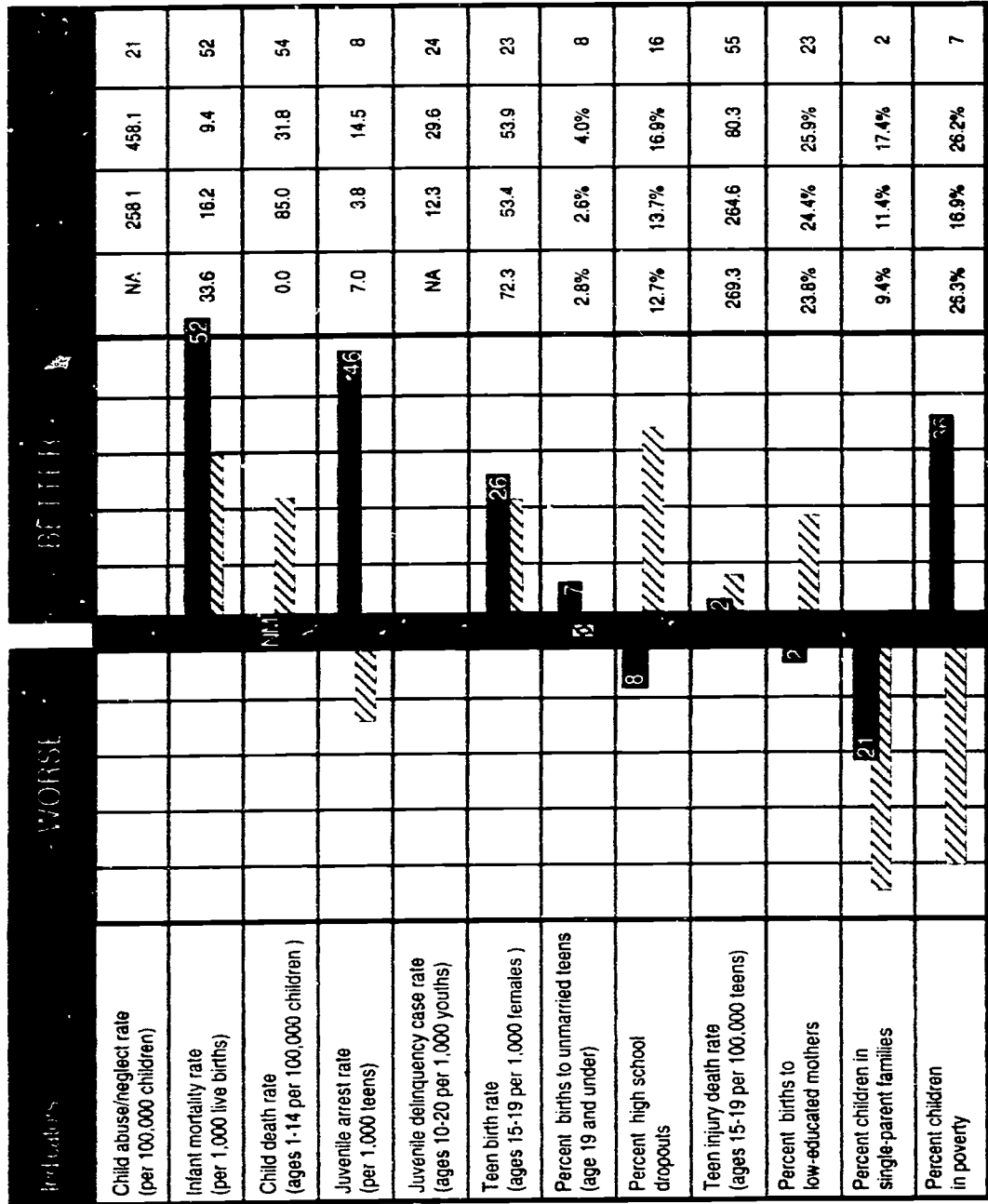


# Pendleton County

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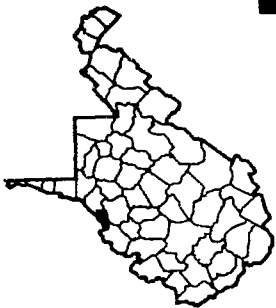
## Trend Data

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## Background Facts

Total population	7,910	8,054	1.8%
Total population under age 18	2,151	1,937	-9.9%
Percent population under age 18	27.2%	24.1%	-11.6%
Percent minority population	2.5%	2.3%	-7.8%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	3.2%	2.8%	-13.1%
Population density per square mile	11	12	1.8%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	8.0%	5.5%	-32.0%
Percent all households that are families with children	40.6%	36.2%	-10.8%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	47.1%	60.6%	28.5%
Percent adults who are college graduates	8.0%	8.2%	2.6%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,973	\$3,891	30.9%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	9.4%	5.1%	-45.2%
Percent births with early prenatal care	73.7%	77.9%	5.6%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	913	1,466	60.6%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	682	896	31.4%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$19,795	\$22,500	13.7%
Unemployment rate	10.6%	5.2%	-50.9%



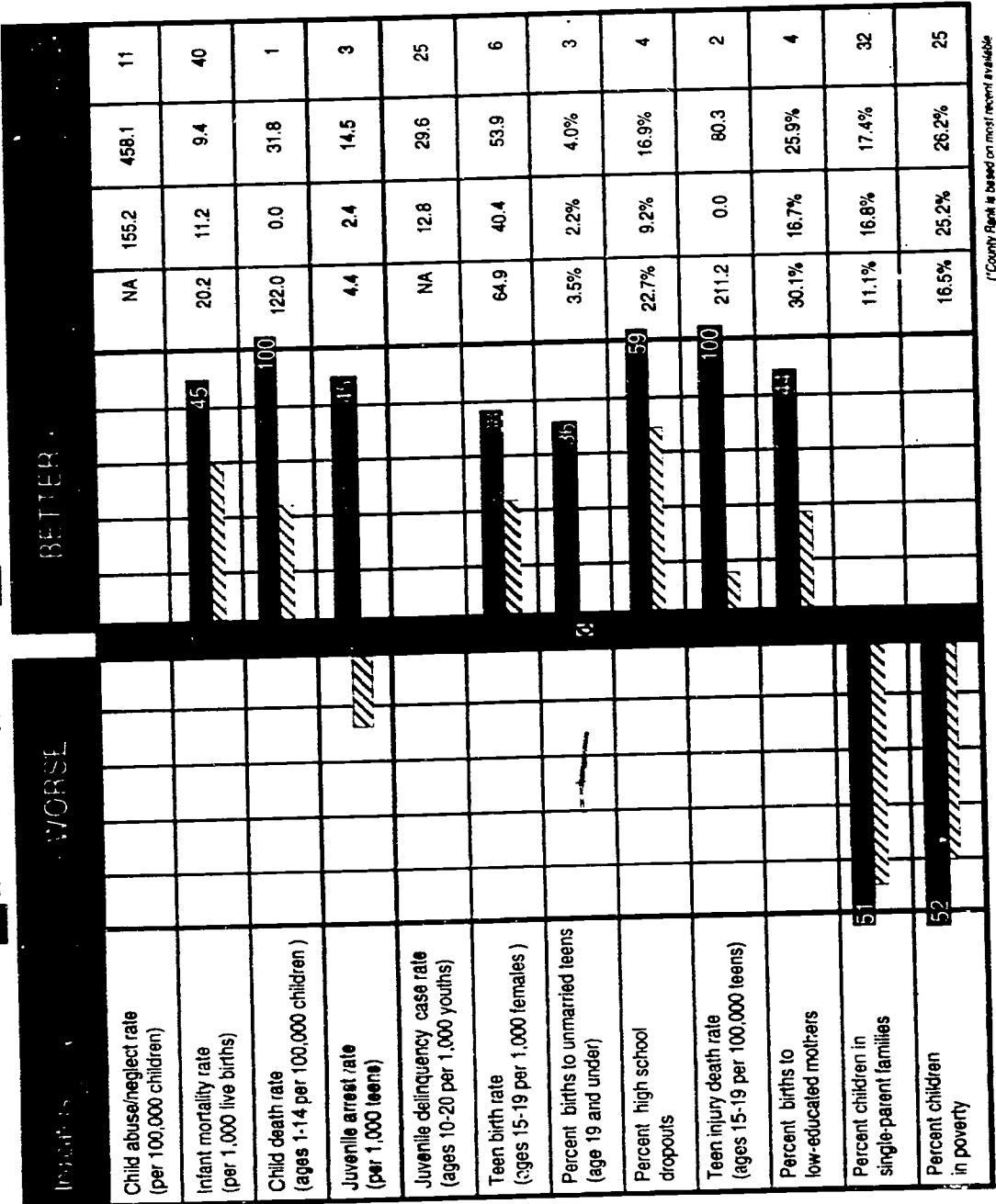
# Pleasants County

## Background Facts

## Trend Data

## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

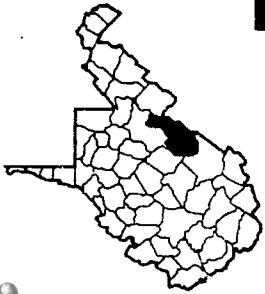
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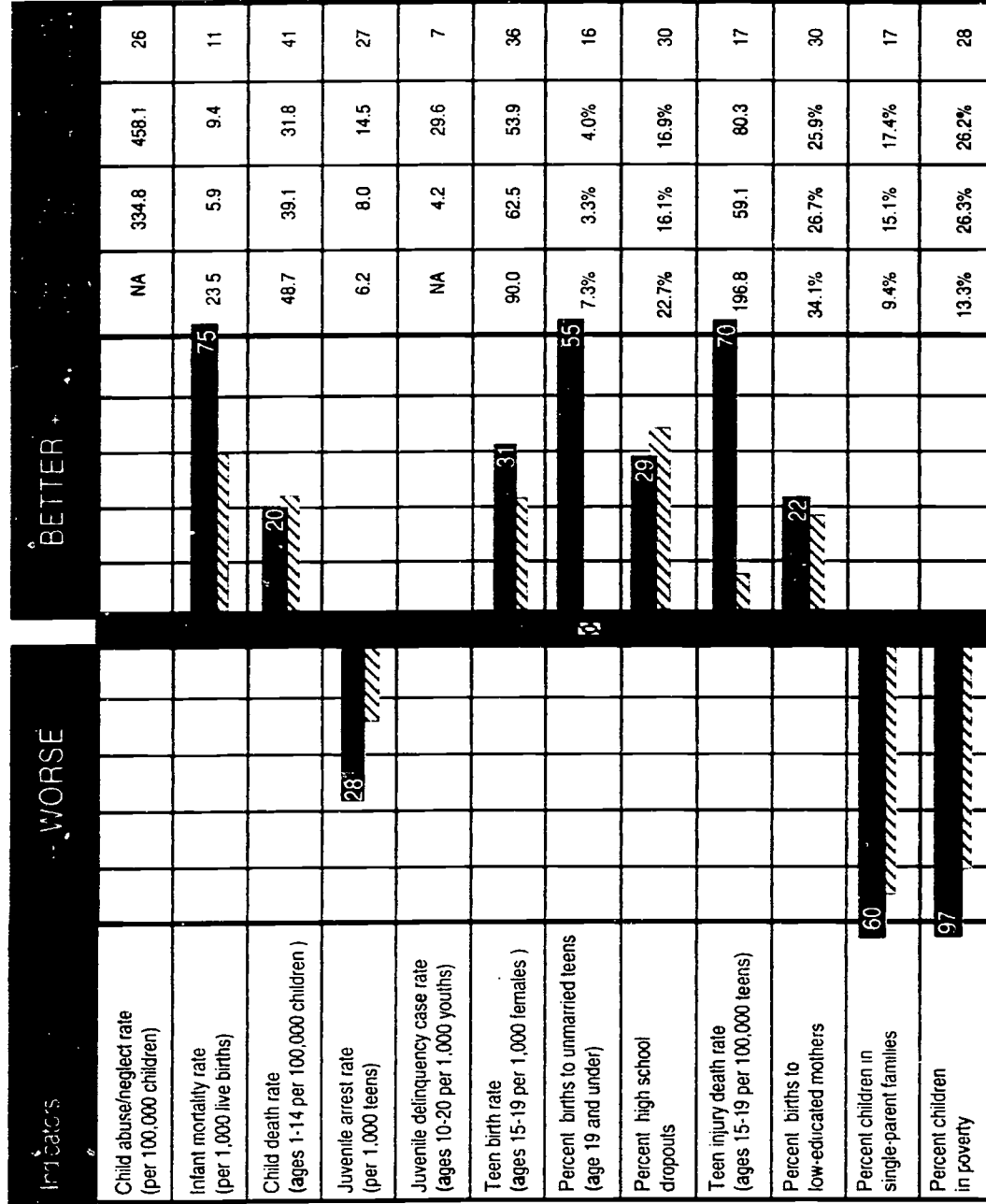
## Demographics

Total population	8,236	7,546	-8.4%
Total population under age 18	2,510	1,933	-23.0%
Percent population under age 18	30.5%	25.6%	-15.9%
Percent minority population	0.4%	0.4%	0.0%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.3%	0.5%	62.3%
Population density per square mile	63	58	-8.4%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	6.3%	5.6%	-10.4%
Percent all households that are families with children	44.1%	38.7%	-12.2%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	57.6%	66.7%	19.4%
Percent adults who are college graduates	7.7%	8.5%	9.9%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$3,936	\$5,288	34.3%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	5.2%	9.3%	77.8%
Percent births with early prenatal care	69.3%	75.3%	8.7%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	2,610	1,318	-49.5%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	892	789	-11.5%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$28,455	\$26,110	-8.2%
Unemployment rate	8.5%	13.1%	54.1%



Percent Change 1980 - 1990 Trend Data

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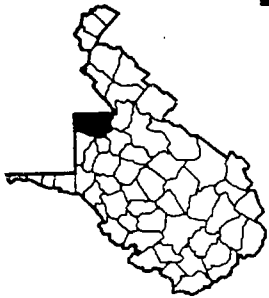


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Background Facts

Total population	9,919	9,008	-9.2%
Total population under age 18	2,738	2,091	-23.6%
Percent population under age 18	27.6%	23.2%	-15.9%
Percent minority population	1.1%	1.0%	-7.7%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.3%	0.8%	132.8%
Population density per square mile	11	10	-9.2%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	9.3%	6.9%	-25.5%
Percent all households that are families with children	39.8%	32.9%	-17.3%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	46.8%	60.6%	29.6%
Percent adults who are college graduates	9.5%	9.7%	2.1%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$3,578	\$4,061	13.5%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	8.7%	6.7%	-23.2%
Percent births with early prenatal care	55.9%	75.4%	34.8%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	1,184	1,514	27.9%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	1,252	1,796	43.5%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$23,045	\$20,395	-10.6%
Unemployment rate	11.2%	12.3%	9.8%





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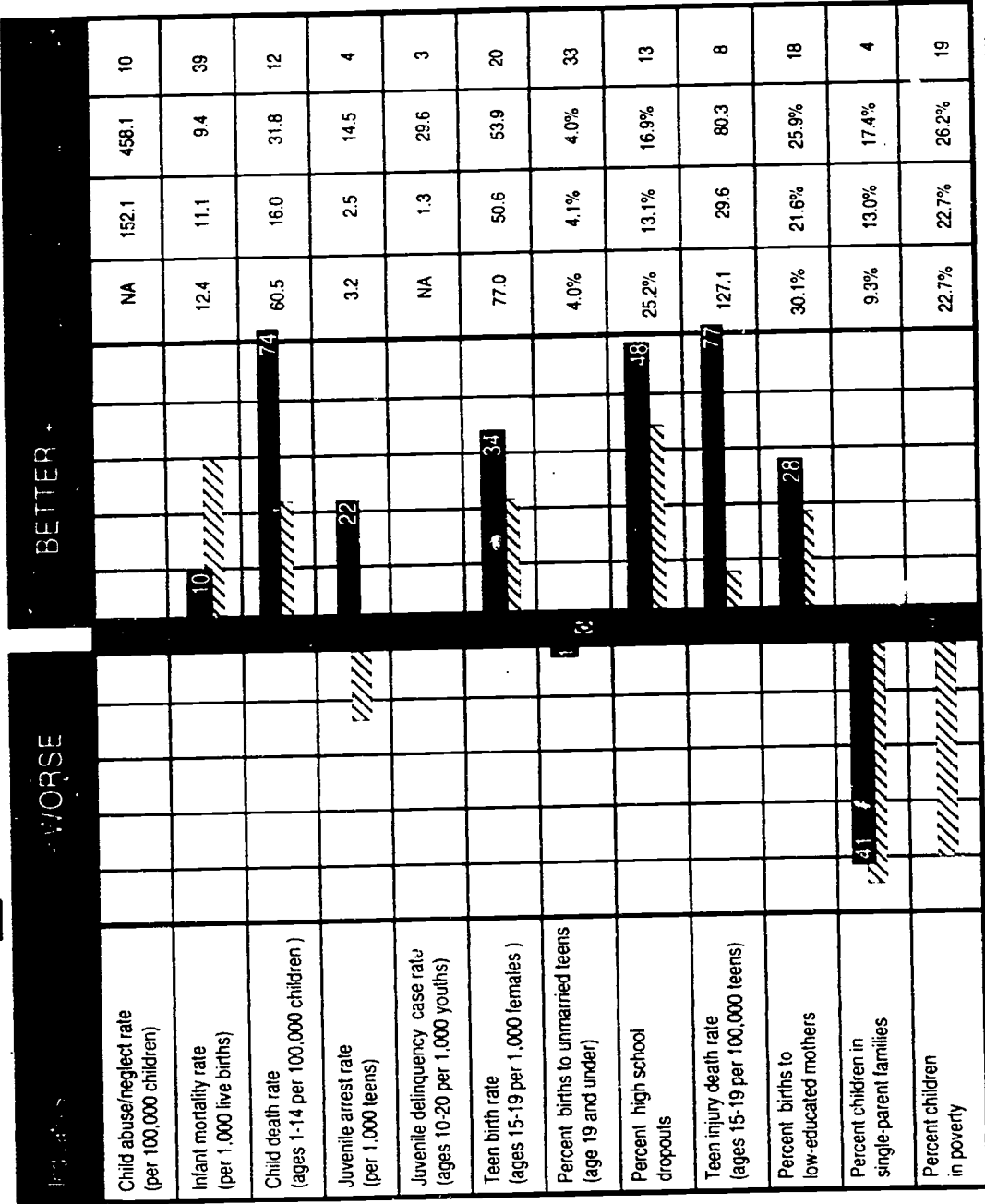
## Background Facts

Demographics	Value	Percent Change
Total population	30,460	29,037 -4.7%
Total population under age 18	9,392	7,887 -16.0%
Percent population under age 18	30.8%	27.2% -11.9%
Percent minority population	0.5%	0.5% 0.0%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.5%	0.7% 42.4%
Population density per square mile	47	45 -4.7%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	5.8%	5.4% -7.1%
Percent all households that are families with children	45.6%	40.7% -10.8%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	50.4%	62.7% 24.3%
Percent adults who are college graduates	6.9%	8.3% 20.8%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,808	\$3,726 32.7%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	9.5%	12.9% 35.3%
Percent births with early prenatal care	67.9%	76.9% 13.2%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	3,600	3,443 -4.4%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	2,289	3,387 48.0%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$23,414	\$23,222 -0.8%
Unemployment rate	10.8%	8.1% -25.0%

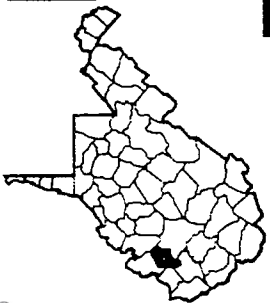
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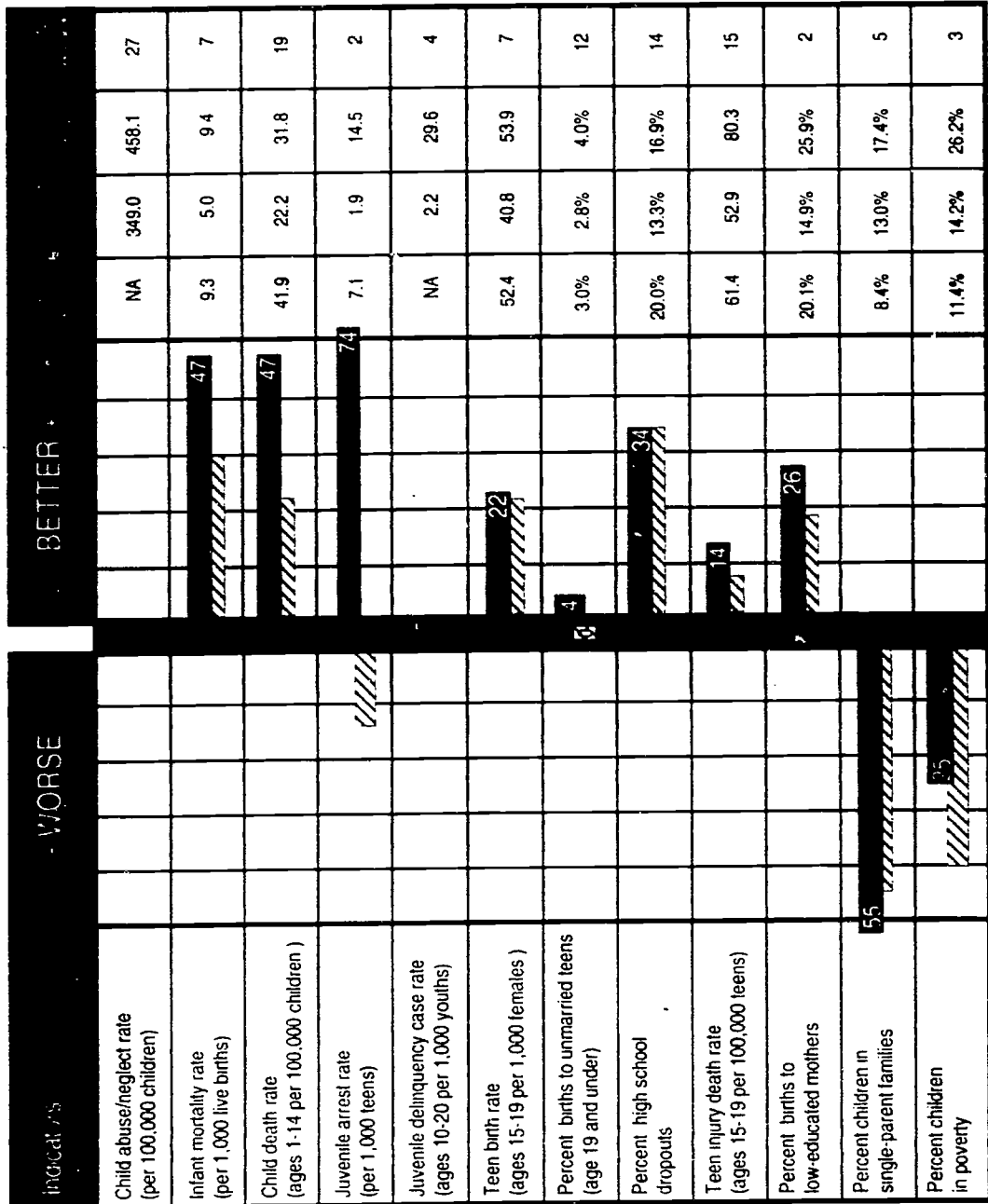
# Putnam County

# Composite County Rank

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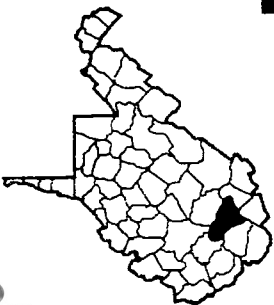


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## Background Facts

### Demographics

Total population	38,181	42,835	12.2%
Total population under age 18	11,616	11,462	-1.3%
Percent population under age 18	30.4%	26.8%	-12.0%
Percent minority population	0.4%	0.8%	77.2%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.6%	1.1%	92.3%
Population density per square mile	110	124	12.2%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	5.3%	4.0%	-23.4%
Percent all households that are families with children	48.2%	42.3%	-12.3%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	62.6%	73.8%	17.9%
Percent adults who are college graduates	10.6%	13.3%	25.4%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,803	\$3,505	25.0%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	4.7%	6.6%	41.1%
Percent births with early prenatal care	77.7%	80.7%	3.8%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	3,946	4,304	9.1%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	3,772	7,078	87.6%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$30,877	\$31,448	1.8%
Unemployment rate	10.5%	7.9%	-24.8%

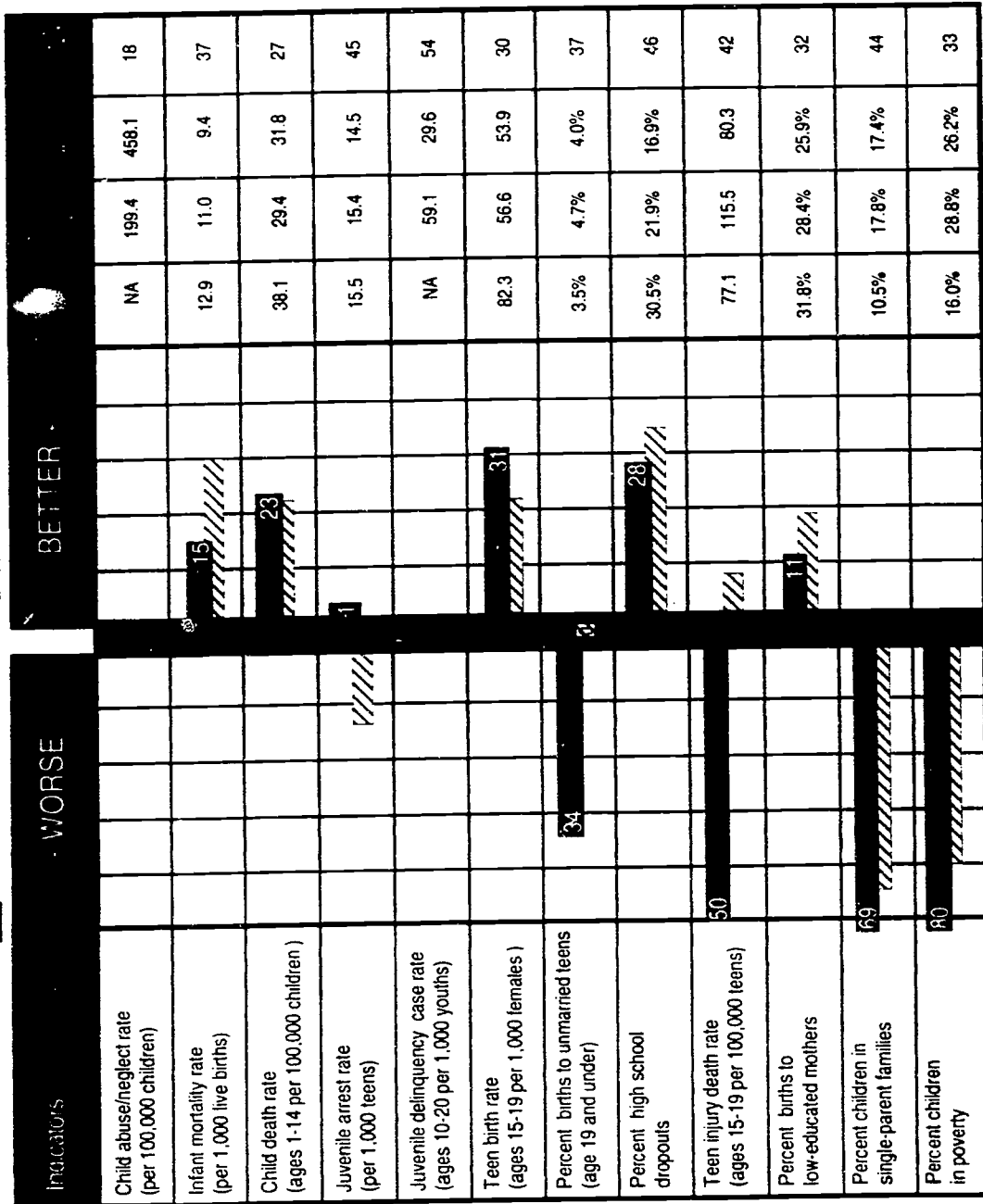


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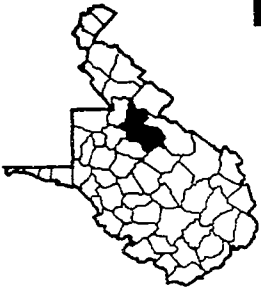
Background Facts

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Total population	86,821	76,819	-11.5%
Total population under age 18	26,270	20,058	-23.6%
Percent population under age 18	30.3%	26.1%	-13.7%
Percent minority population	8.5%	8.4%	-1.4%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	9.2%	10.2%	10.4%
Population density per square mile	143	127	-11.5%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	7.2%	6.5%	-10.7%
Percent all households that are families with children	45.0%	38.6%	-14.2%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	53.6%	63.2%	17.8%
Percent adults who are college graduates	9.1%	10.7%	17.4%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,683	\$3,381	26.0%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	8.2%	16.6%	100.9%
Percent births with early prenatal care	45.0%	72.8%	61.9%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	11,798	7,446	-36.9%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	14,292	16,839	17.8%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$27,298	\$24,391	-10.7%
Unemployment rate	9.9%	9.1%	-8.1%

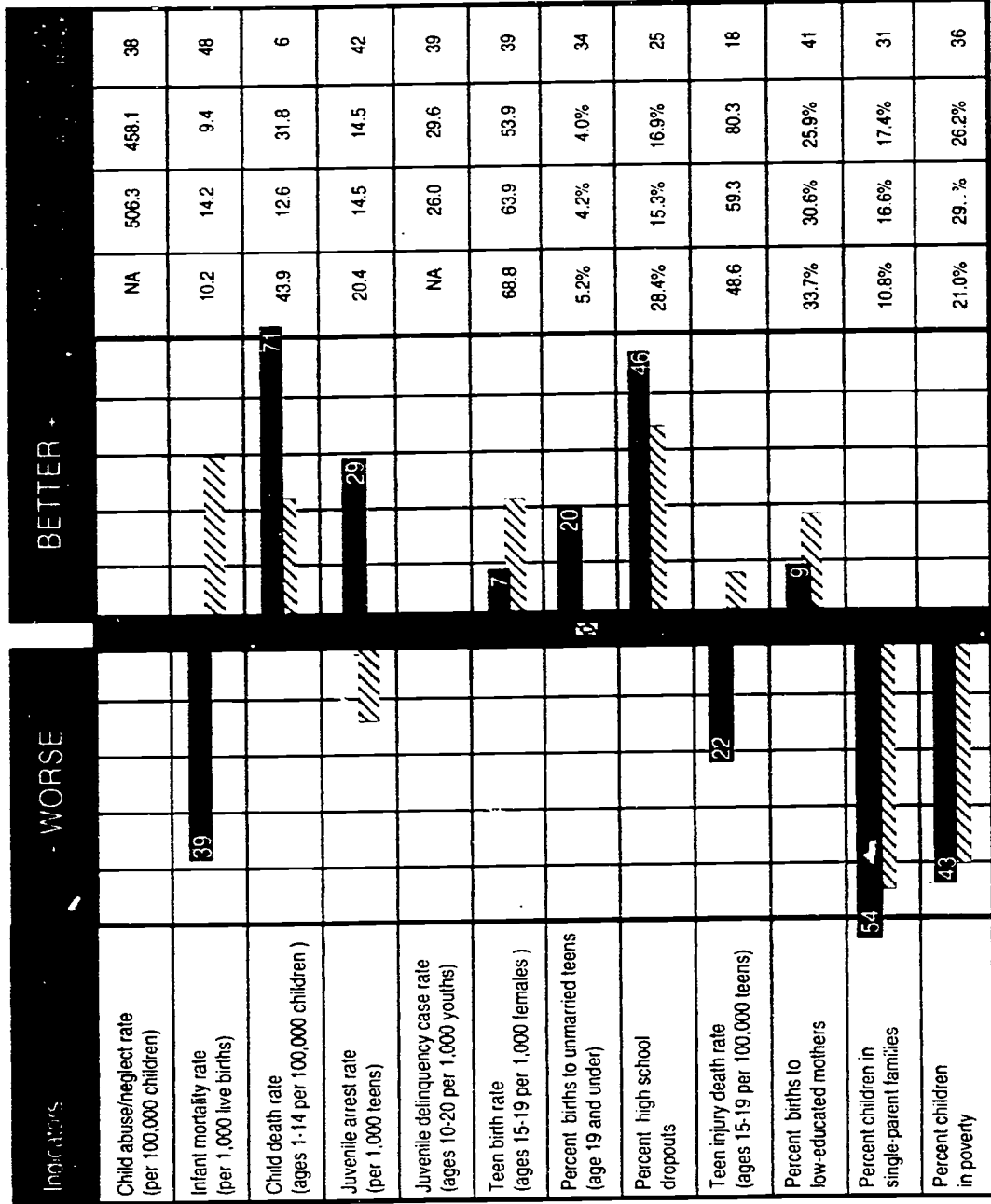


# Randolph County

## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

## Background Facts

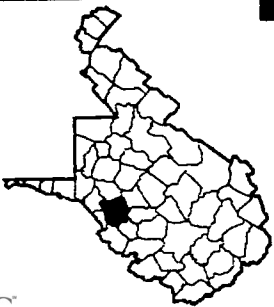
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## Demographics

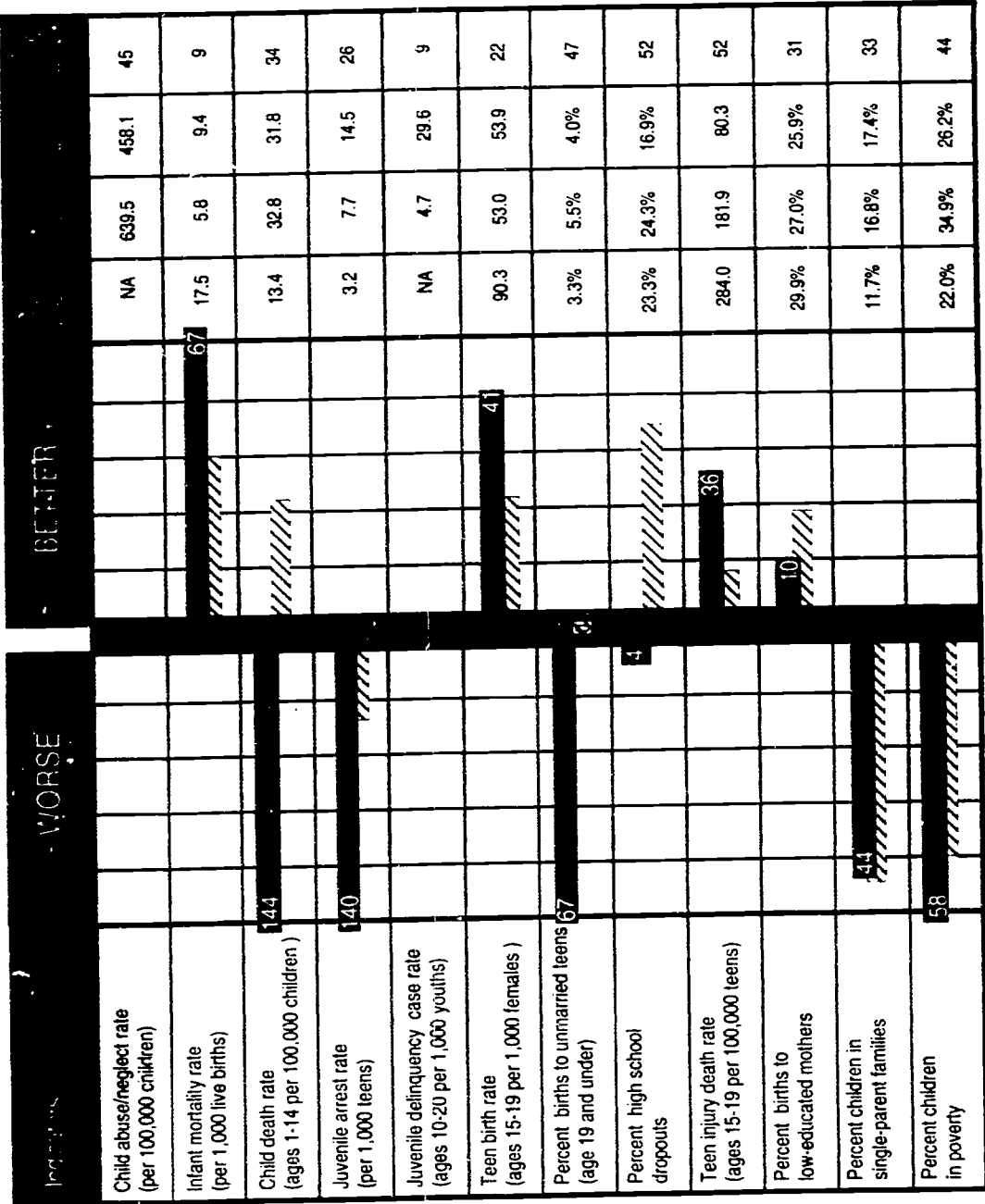
Total population	28,734	27,803	-3.2%
Total population under age 18	8,071	6,715	-16.8%
Percent population under age 18	28.1%	24.2%	-14.0%
Percent minority population	1.2%	1.3%	6.3%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.7%	1.1%	50.2%
Population density per square mile	28	27	-3.2%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	7.4%	6.2%	-15.2%
Percent all households that are families with children	42.5%	36.1%	-15.1%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	52.8%	65.9%	24.9%
Percent adults who are college graduates	10.2%	11.9%	16.8%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,680	\$3,622	35.2%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	8.2%	12.3%	50.8%
Percent births with early prenatal care	68.1%	72.9%	7.1%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	4,082	3,614	-11.5%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	5,241	5,796	10.6%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$23,483	\$21,522	-8.4%
Unemployment rate	9.8%	14.2%	44.9%



# Ritchie County

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## Background Facts

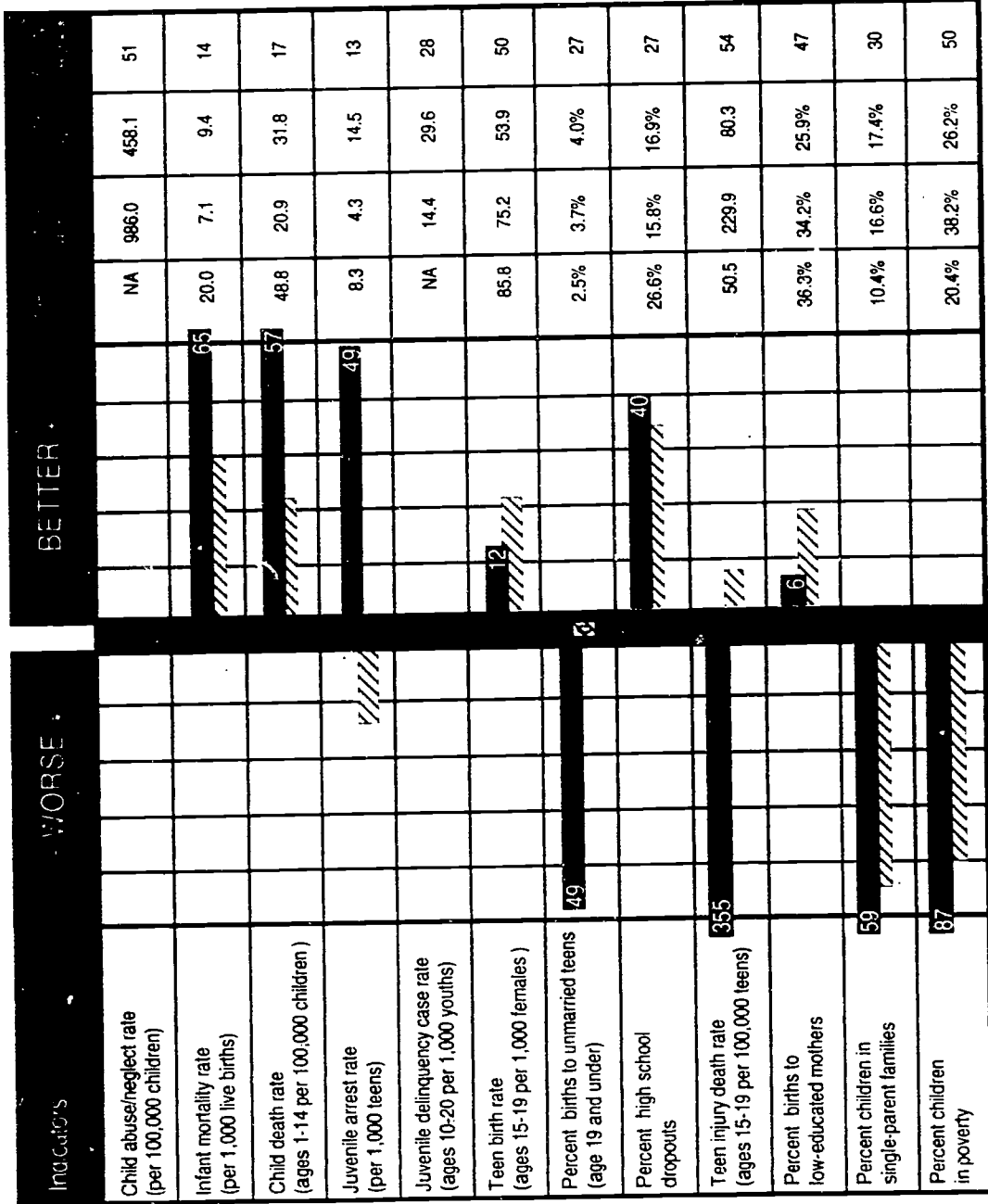
Total population	11,442	10,233	-10.6%
Total population under age 18	3,258	2,502	-23.2%
Percent population under age 18	28.5%	24.5%	-14.2%
Percent minority population	0.2%	0.2%	0.0%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.0%	0.3%	NM
Population density per square mile	25	23	-10.6%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	6.7%	5.4%	-19.9%
Percent all households that are families with children	40.1%	35.8%	-10.7%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	50.5%	61.5%	21.7%
Percent adults who are college graduates	5.7%	6.0%	5.3%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,691	\$3,076	14.3%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	6.1%	11.3%	85.4%
Percent births with early prenatal care	67.6%	76.6%	13.2%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	1,877	2,130	13.5%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	1,008	1,278	26.8%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	21,023	\$20,584	-2.1%
Unemployment rate	13.0%	12.4%	-4.6%



# Roane County

## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

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## Background Facts

### Demographics

Total population	15,952	15,120	-5.2%
Total population under age 18	4,493	4,057	-9.7%
Percent population under age 18	28.5%	26.8%	-5.8%
Percent minority population	0.9%	0.4%	-53.8%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.0%	0.3%	NM
Population density per square mile	33	31	-5.2%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	8.3%	5.6%	-32.1%
Percent all households that are families with children	42.0%	38.2%	-9.0%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	47.8%	57.2%	19.6%
Percent adults who are college graduates	6.7%	6.6%	-1.5%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,415	\$3,325	37.7%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	8.4%	14.7%	75.2%
Percent births with early prenatal care	62.5%	68.9%	10.3%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	2,276	1,926	-15.4%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	1,641	1,822	11.0%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$21,058	\$17,898	-15.0%
Unemployment rate	11.4%	16.1%	41.2%



# Summers County

Composite County Rank

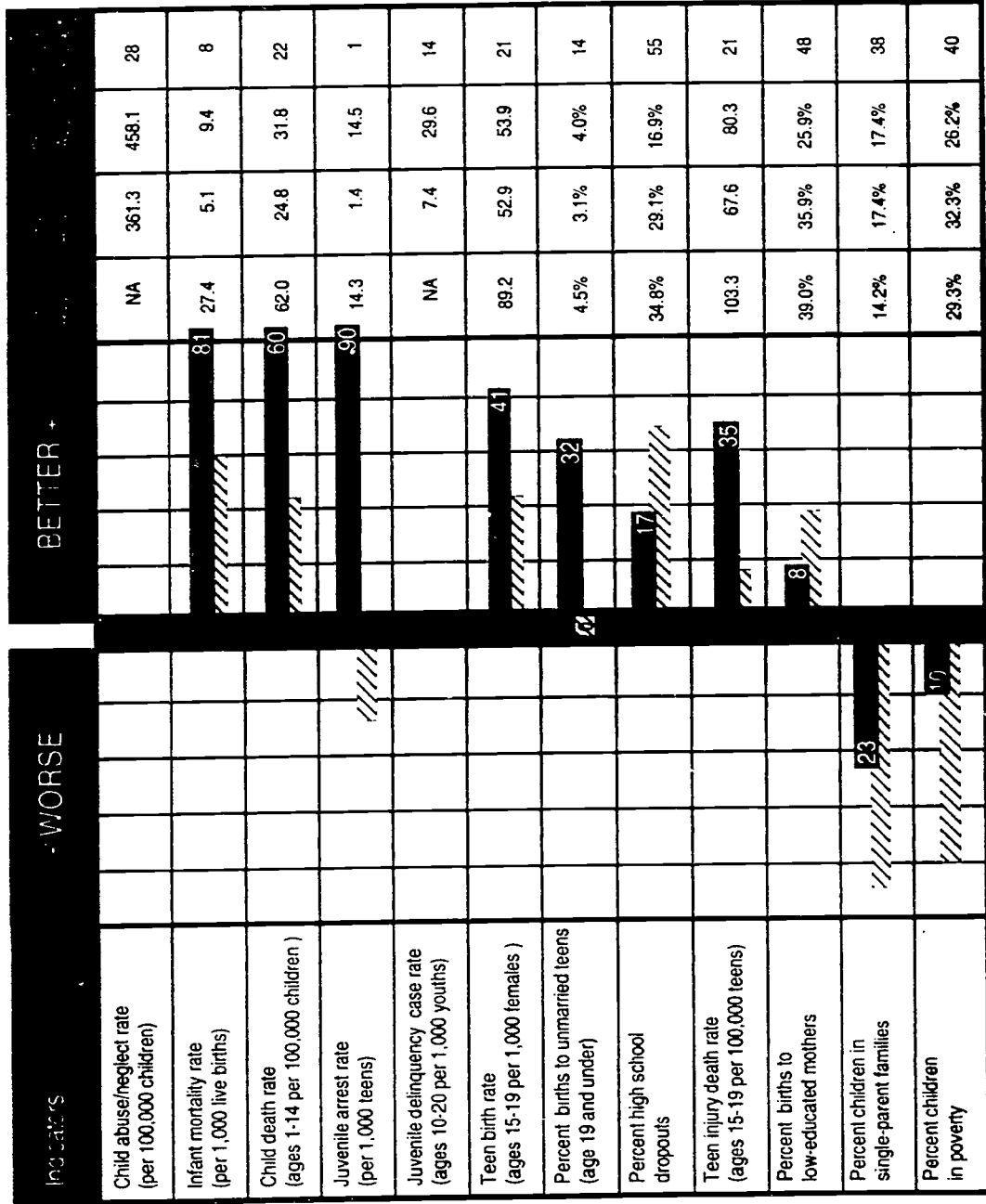
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## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

## Trend Data

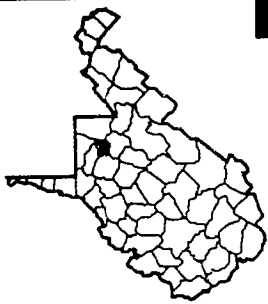
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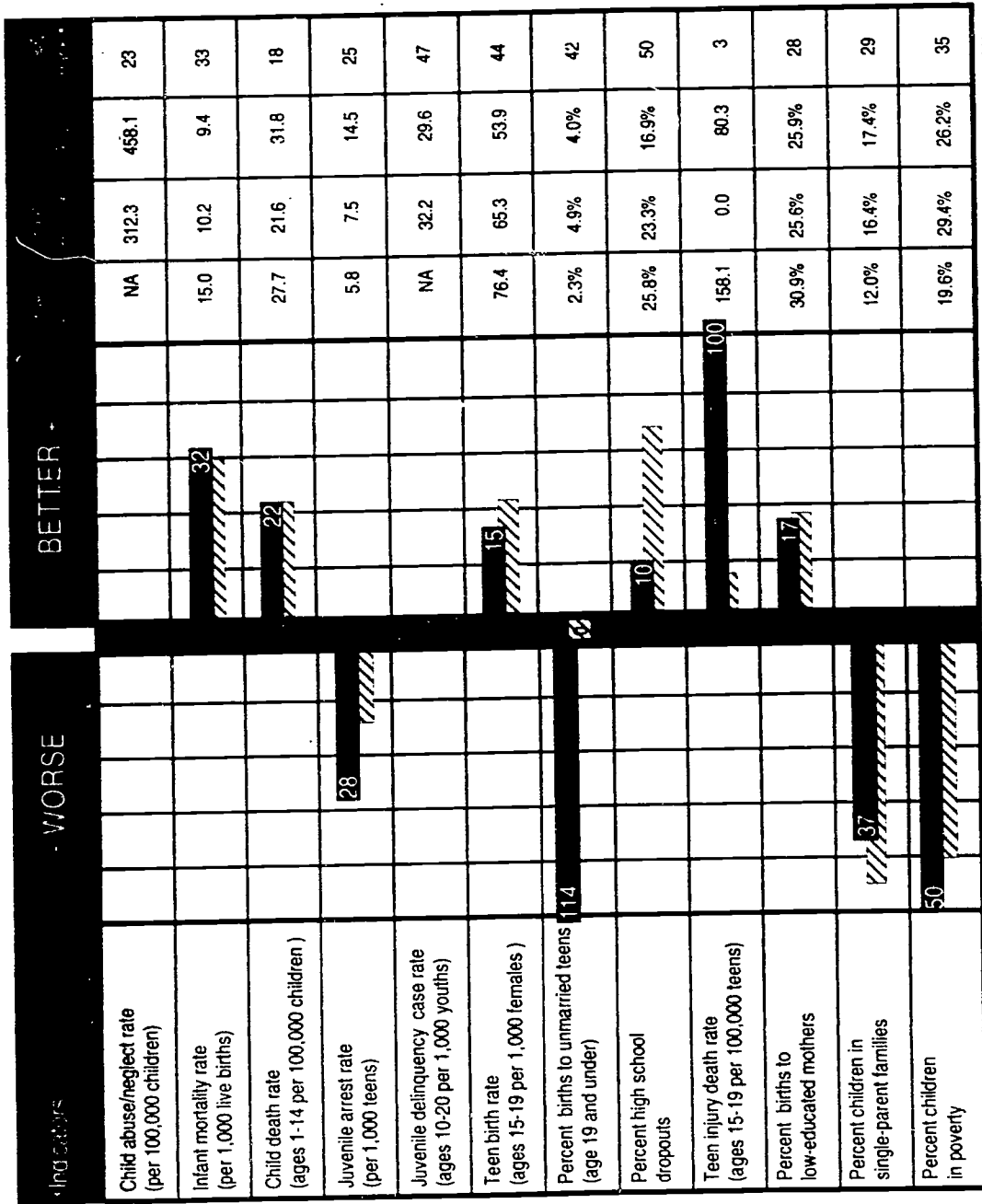
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Total population	15,875	14,204	-10.5%
Total population under age 18	4,304	3,321	-22.8%
Percent population under age 18	27.1%	23.4%	-13.8%
Percent minority population	7.8%	6.1%	-22.5%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	4.2%	3.5%	-18.1%
Population density per square mile	44	39	-10.5%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	6.3%	6.5%	2.9%
Percent all households that are families with children	41.1%	35.3%	-14.1%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	48.1%	58.0%	20.5%
Percent adults who are college graduates	6.4%	8.5%	33.7%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,936	\$3,555	21.1%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	16.3%	18.4%	13.4%
Percent births with early prenatal care	53.5%	68.4%	27.8%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	860	588	-31.6%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	1,513	1,573	4.0%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$20,426	\$20,076	-1.7%
Unemployment rate	13.1%	11.0%	-16.0%



### Percent Change 1980 - 1990

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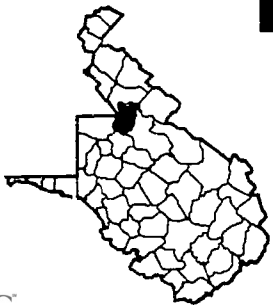


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### Background Facts

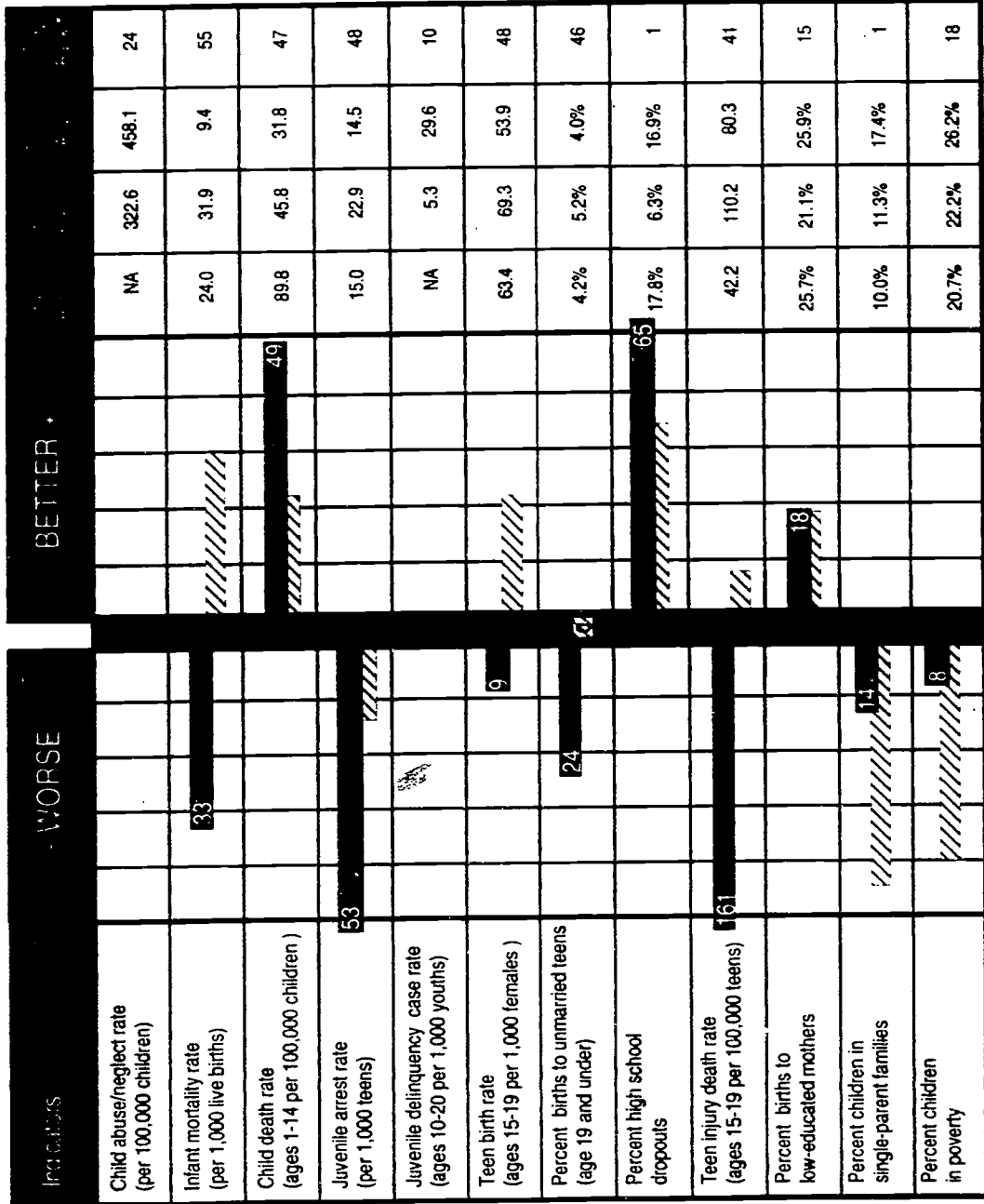
Total population	16,584	15,144	-8.7%
Total population under age 18	4,900	3,843	-21.6%
Percent population under age 18	29.5%	25.4%	-14.1%
Percent minority population	1.0%	1.0%	0.0%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.9%	1.0%	10.1%
Population density per square mile	96	88	-8.7%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	6.3%	6.0%	-5.3%
Percent all households that are families with children	41.3%	37.2%	-10.1%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	56.1%	66.0%	17.6%
Percent adults who are college graduates	7.5%	8.1%	7.8%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,823	\$3,385	19.9%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	10.8%	16.6%	54.3%
Percent births with early prenatal care	72.7%	70.9%	-2.5%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	1,608	1,582	-1.6%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	1,322	1,419	7.3%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$23,729	\$22,357	-5.8%
Unemployment rate	11.7%	10.4%	-11.1%





Percent Change 1980 - 1990 Trend Data

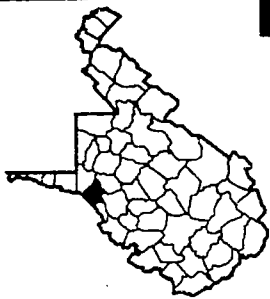
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Background Facts

Total population	8,675	7,728	-10.9%
Total population under age 18	2,497	1,860	-25.5%
Percent population under age 18	28.9%	24.1%	-16.8%
Percent minority population	0.3%	0.3%	0.0%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.0%	0.6%	NM
Population density per square mile	21	18	-10.9%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	5.4%	4.4%	-19.1%
Percent all households that are families with children	40.5%	35.2%	-13.1%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	53.5%	64.0%	19.5%
Percent adults who are college graduates	7.8%	8.6%	10.6%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,765	\$3,909	41.4%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	5.2%	7.1%	35.0%
Percent births with early prenatal care	72.0%	71.7%	-0.4%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	1,104	1,271	15.1%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	1,016	1,403	38.1%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$21,317	\$22,825	7.1%
Unemployment rate	9.3%	11.4%	22.6%



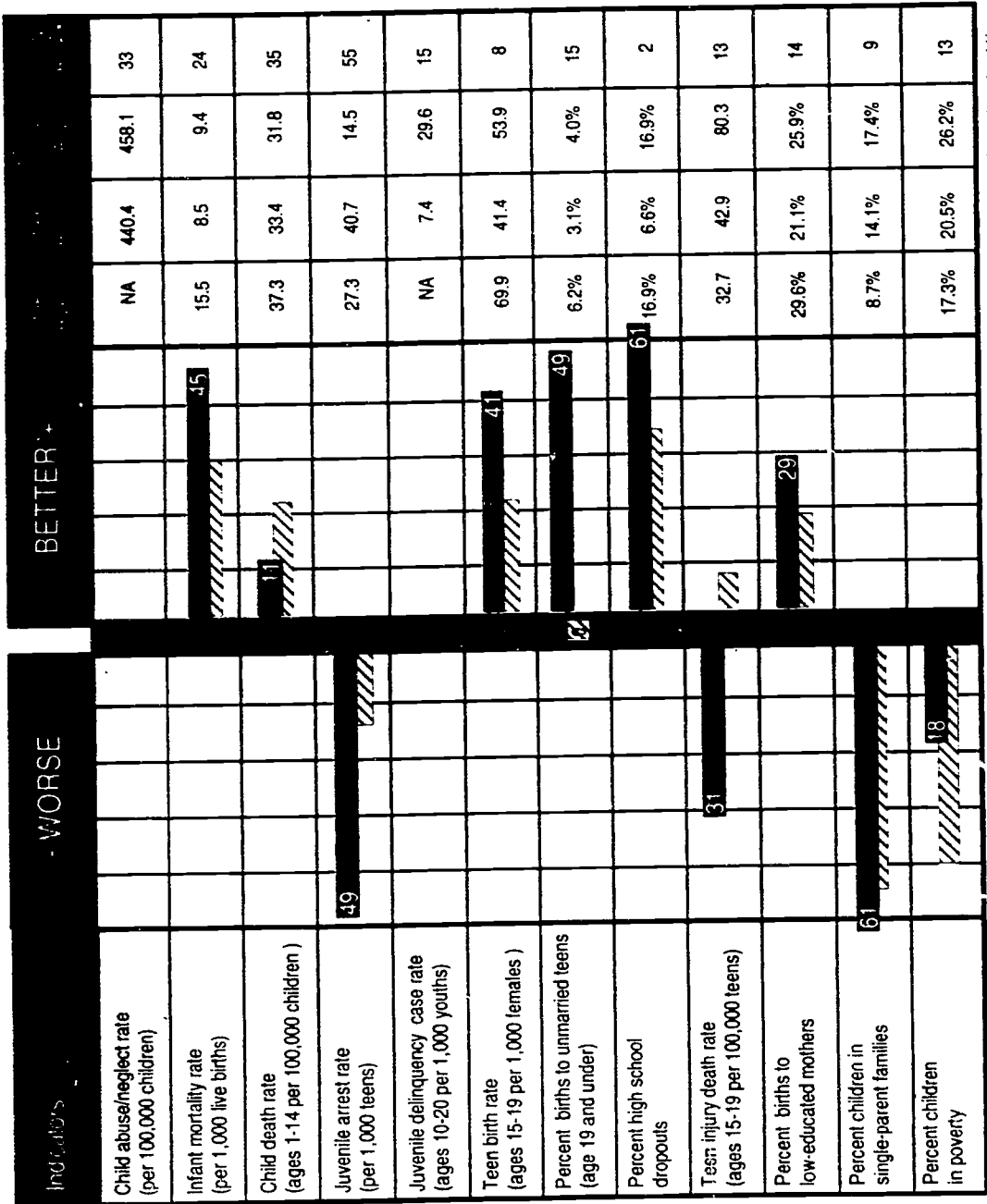
# Tyler County

Compton County Bank

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## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

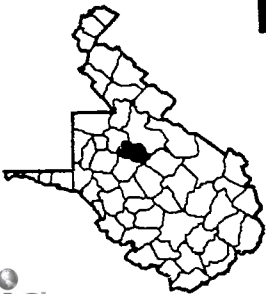
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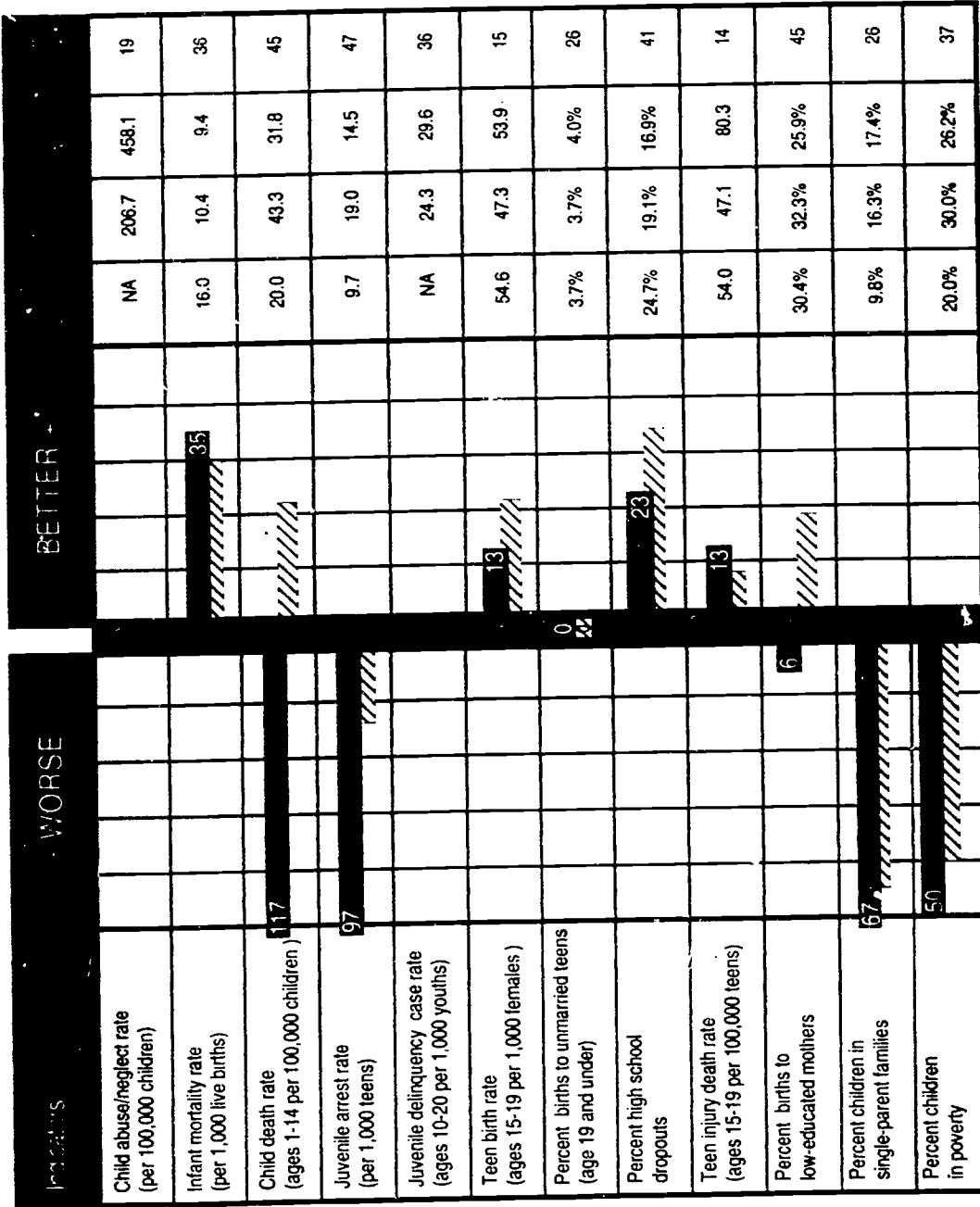
## Background Facts

Indicator	Value	Value	Value
Total population	11,320	9,796	-13.5%
Total population under age 18	3,515	2,498	-28.9%
Percent population under age 18	31.1%	25.5%	-18.0%
Percent minority population	0.2%	0.4%	95.9%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.0%	0.4%	NM
Population density per square mile	44	38	-13.5%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	5.0%	4.4%	-11.1%
Percent all households that are families with children	44.5%	37.2%	-16.4%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	57.7%	68.7%	19.2%
Percent adults who are college graduates	7.2%	9.0%	24.2%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,727	\$3,656	34.0%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	6.3%	11.4%	79.6%
Percent births with early prenatal care	75.4%	72.9%	-3.4%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	1,446	1,426	-1.4%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	815	910	11.7%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$28,494	\$25,462	-10.6%
Unemployment rate	9.3%	8.7%	-6.5%



**Percent Change 1980 - 1990**

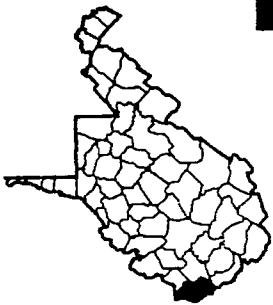
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**Background Facts**

Total population	23,427	22,867	-2.4%
Total population under age 18	6,630	5,805	-12.4%
Percent population under age 18	28.3%	25.4%	-10.3%
Percent minority population	0.8%	1.0%	32.8%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.5%	0.7%	36.4%
Population density per square mile	66	64	-2.4%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	5.4%	4.3%	-21.2%
Percent all households that are families with children	41.7%	39.0%	-6.6%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	57.1%	64.3%	12.7%
Percent adults who are college graduates	11.6%	12.0%	3.4%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,688	\$3,730	38.8%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	6.0%	13.8%	129.8%
Percent births with early prenatal care	67.9%	72.2%	6.3%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	3,824	3,138	-17.9%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	3,783	4,019	6.2%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$24,408	\$22,267	-8.8%
Unemployment rate	7.9%	11.4%	44.3%

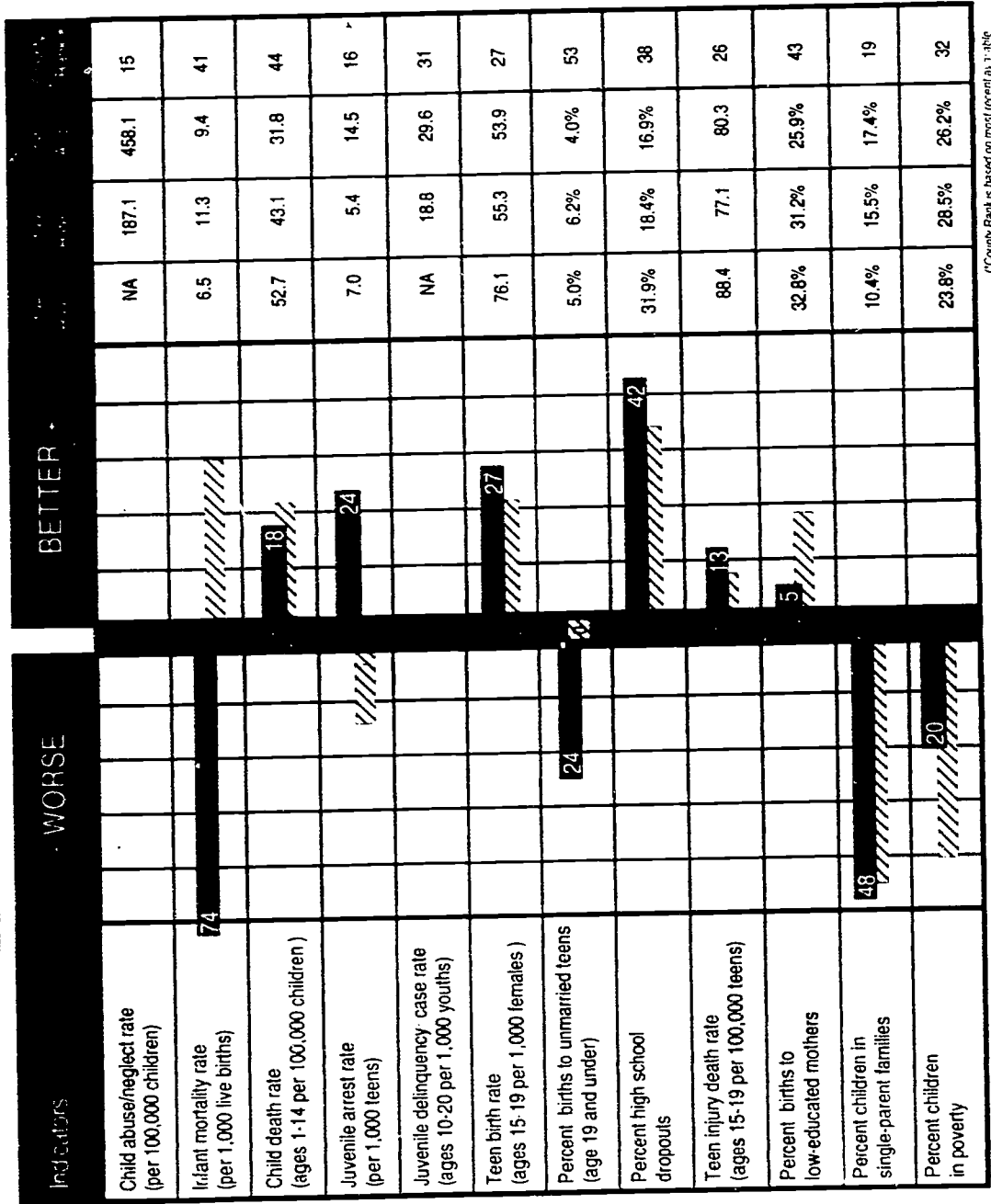


# Wayne County

## Trend Data

## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

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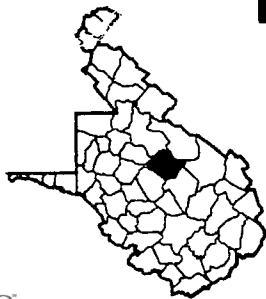


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## Background Facts



Total population	46,021	41,636	-9.5%
Total population under age 18	14,134	10,689	-24.4%
Percent population under age 18	30.7%	25.7%	-16.4%
Percent minority population	0.3%	0.4%	36.5%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.2%	0.4%	118.9%
Population density per square mile	91	82	-9.5%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	5.9%	6.2%	4.9%
Percent all households that are families with children	46.3%	39.2%	-15.4%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	50.6%	63.1%	24.8%
Percent adults who are college graduates	6.9%	9.0%	29.7%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,633	\$3,317	26.0%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	8.0%	14.2%	77.8%
Percent births with early prenatal care	69.5%	83.1%	19.7%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	3,815	3,239	-15.1%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	3,067	3,878	26.4%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$24,697	\$23,525	-4.7%
Unemployment rate	9.5%	8.4%	-11.6%



# Webster County

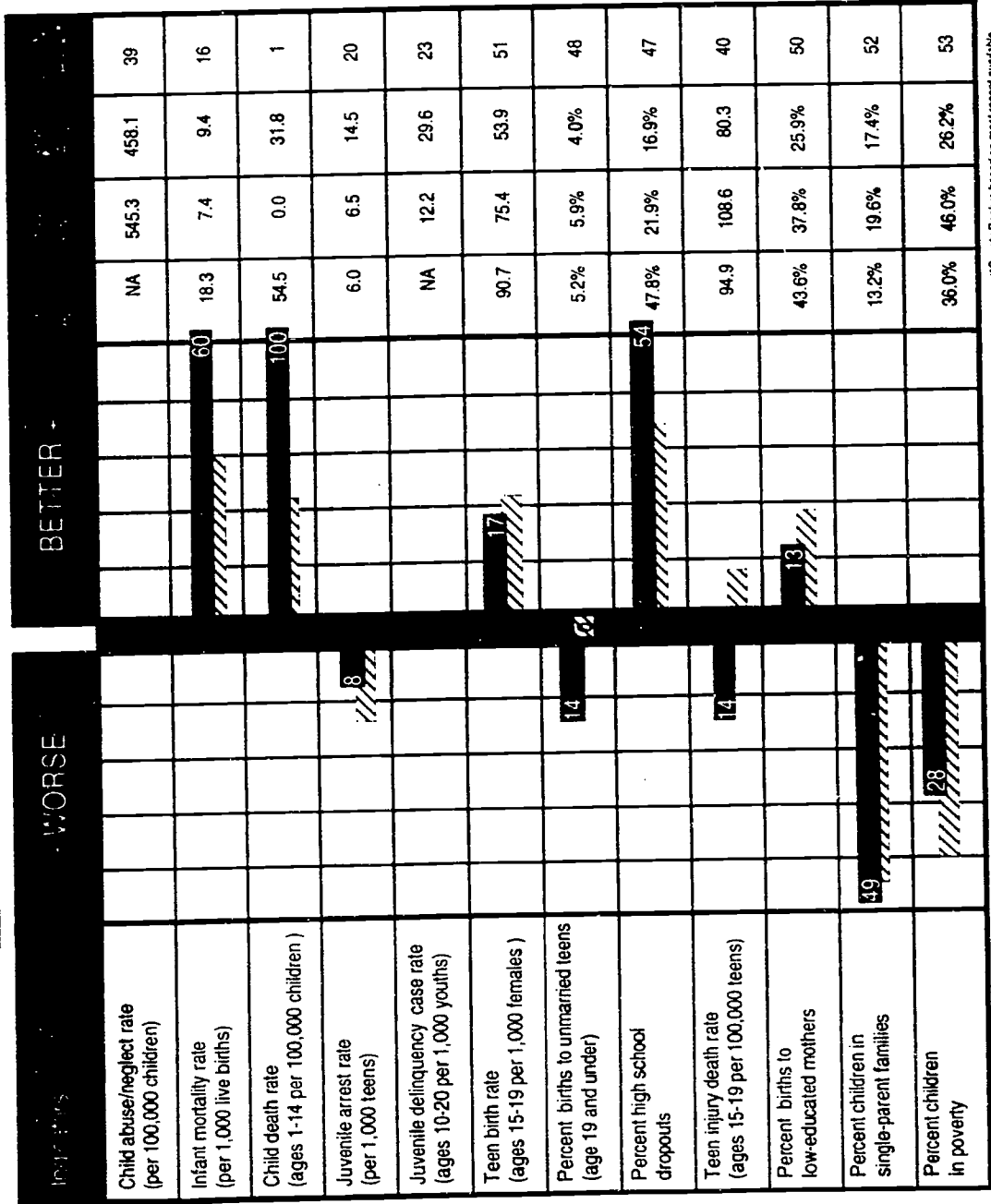
Composite County Rank

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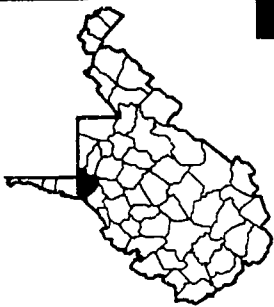
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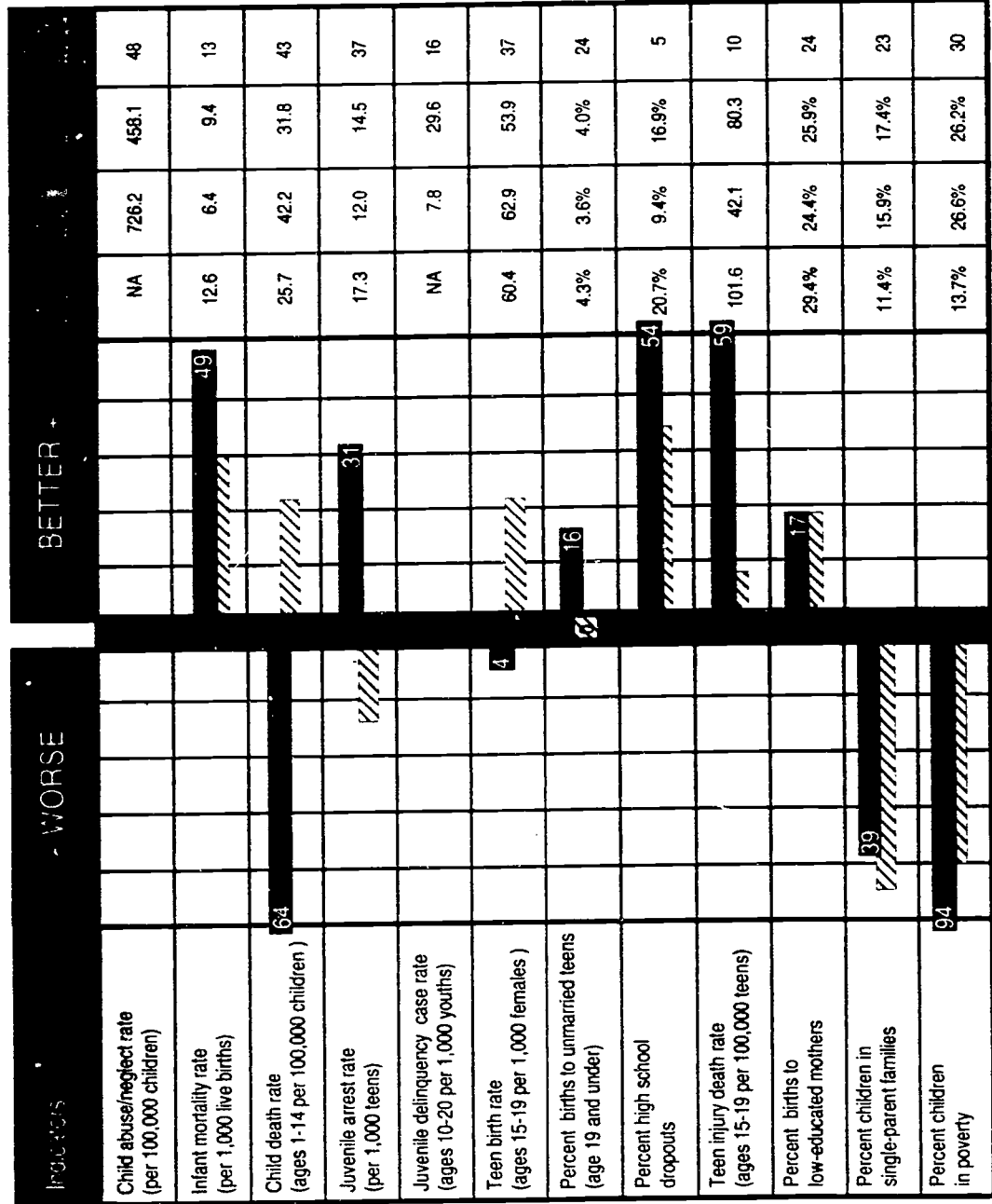
Total population	12,245	10,729	-12.4%
Total population under age 18	3,997	2,934	-26.6%
Percent population under age 18	32.6%	27.3%	-16.2%
Percent minority population	0.1%	0.2%	67.8%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.1%	0.3%	581.2%
Population density per square mile	22	19	-12.4%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	7.2%	6.7%	-7.0%
Percent all households that are families with children	46.2%	41.4%	-10.4%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	35.0%	46.5%	32.9%
Percent adults who are college graduates	5.6%	5.6%	0.0%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,568	\$3,675	43.1%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	19.3%	25.5%	32.1%
Percent births with early prenatal care	76.1%	67.4%	-11.5%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	921	938	1.8%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	808	1,030	27.5%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$17,917	\$15,489	-13.6%
Unemployment rate	15.0%	19.2%	28.0%



# Wetzel County

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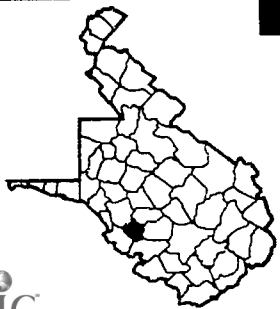


## Background Facts

### Demographics

Total population	21,874	19,258	-12.0%
Total population under age 18	6,698	4,957	-26.0%
Percent population under age 18	30.7%	25.7%	-16.3%
Percent minority population	0.3%	0.4%	13.6%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.0%	0.4%	NM
Population density per square mile	61	54	-12.0%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	5.4%	6.7%	24.0%
Percent all households that are families with children	43.3%	37.2%	-14.1%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	59.2%	70.1%	18.5%
Percent adults who are college graduates	9.2%	10.4%	12.9%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,757	\$3,660	33.5%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	8.4%	15.1%	80.3%
Percent births with early prenatal care	75.3%	68.5%	-9.0%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	1,946	1,377	-29.2%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	2,703	3,245	20.1%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$30,437	\$28,122	-7.6%
Unemployment rate	10.1%	9.1%	-9.9%

(\*County Rank is based on most recent available data 1=best, 55=worst)



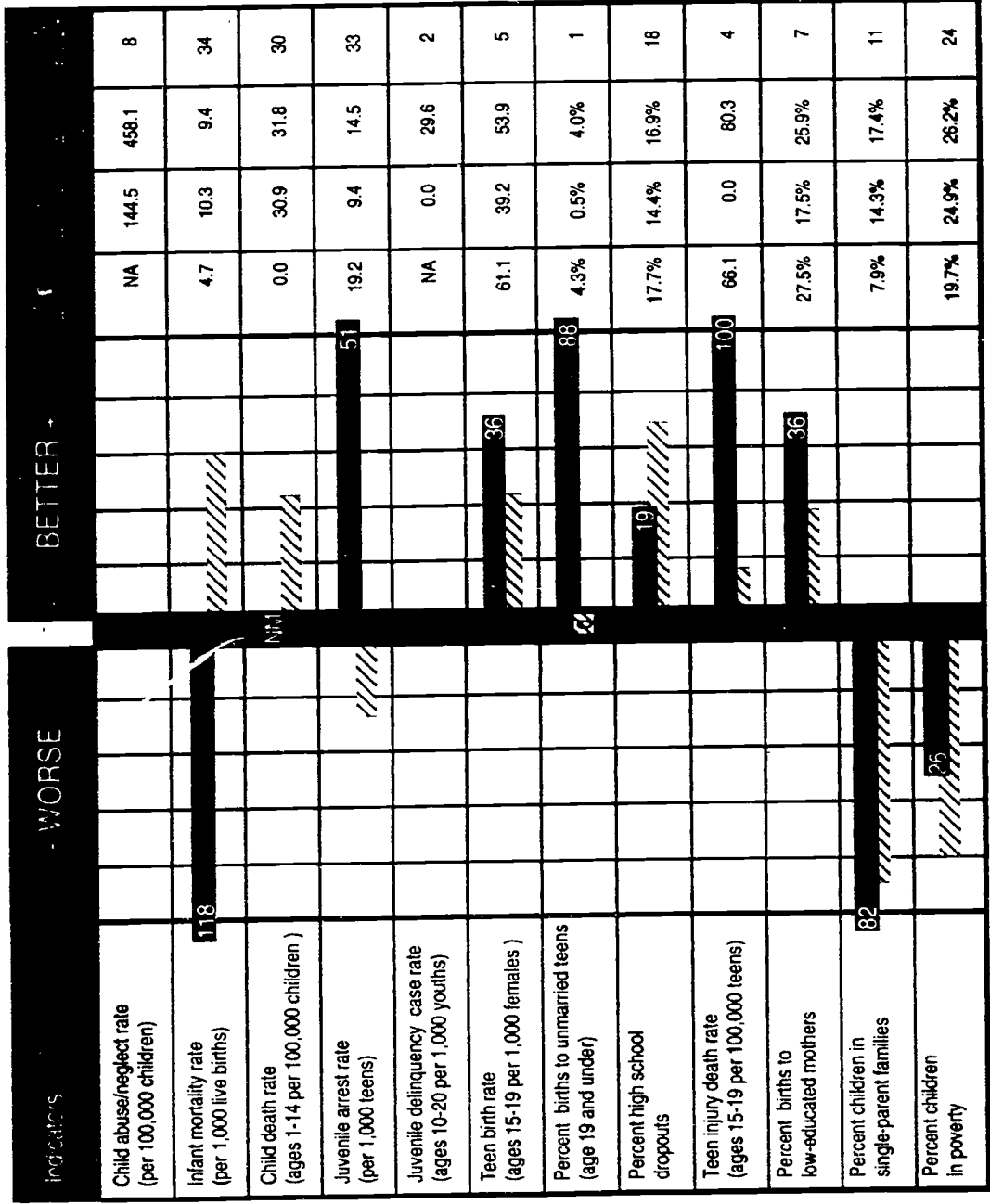
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# Composite County Rank

## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

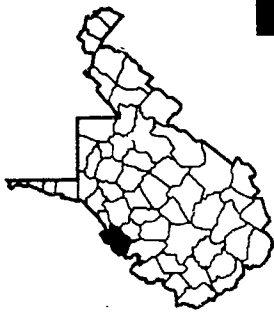
## Background Facts

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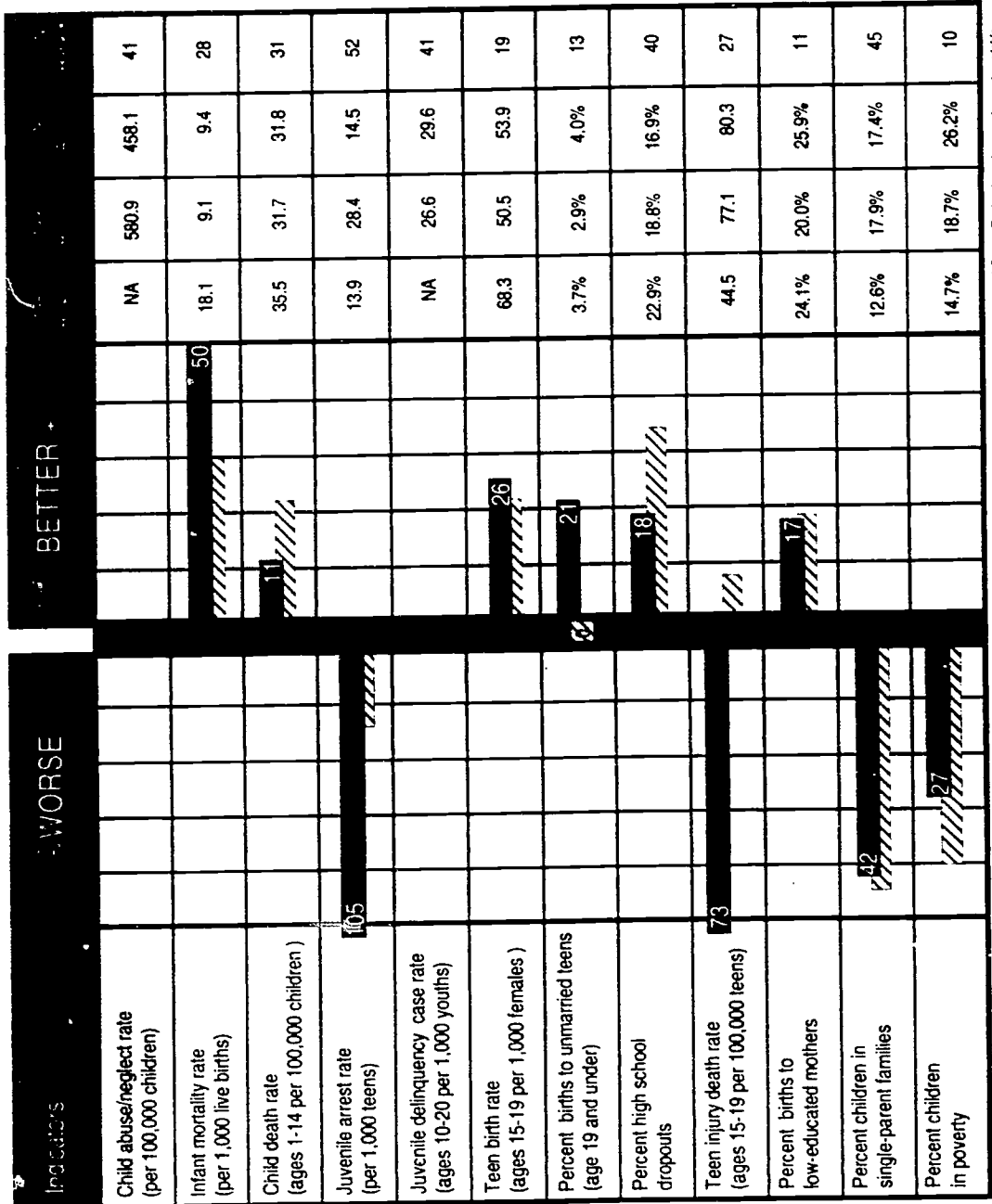
(\* County Rank is based on most recent available data. 1=best, 55= worst)

Total population	4,922	5,192	5.5%
Total population under age 18	1,508	1,384	-8.2%
Percent population under age 18	30.8%	26.7%	-13.3%
Percent minority population	0.3%	0.2%	-55.4%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	0.0%	0.1%	NM
Population density per square mile	21	22	5.5%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	5.4%	4.7%	-13.3%
Percent all households that are families with children	45.7%	38.6%	-15.5%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	51.7%	66.2%	28.2%
Percent adults who are college graduates	6.9%	8.0%	15.7%
Educational expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,983	\$3,912	31.1%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	7.8%	14.9%	91.5%
Percent births with early prenatal care	66.2%	76.8%	16.0%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	338	453	34.0%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	246	280	13.8%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$22,006	\$21,193	-3.7%
Unemployment rate	11.7%	15.4%	31.6%



Percent Change 1980 - 1990

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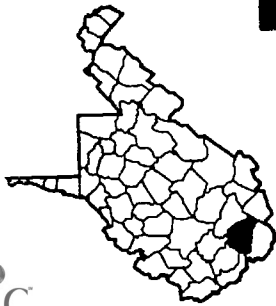


(County Rank is based on most recent available data. 1=best, 55=worst)

Background Facts

Total population	93,648	86,915	-7.2%
Total population under age 18	26,934	21,345	-20.8%
Percent population under age 18	28.8%	24.6%	-14.6%
Percent minority population	1.2%	1.5%	27.4%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	1.4%	2.2%	55.5%
Population density per square mile	255	237	-7.2%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	6.1%	5.3%	-12.6%
Percent all households that are families with children	42.1%	35.4%	-16.0%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	65.1%	73.2%	12.5%
Percent adults who are college graduates	11.4%	13.5%	18.2%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,657	\$3,682	38.6%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	7.5%	10.5%	40.3%
Percent births with early prenatal care	74.9%	75.8%	1.3%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	18,139	16,179	-10.8%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	18,000	23,238	29.1%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$29,494	\$30,582	3.7%
Unemployment rate	9.1%	7.4%	-18.7%



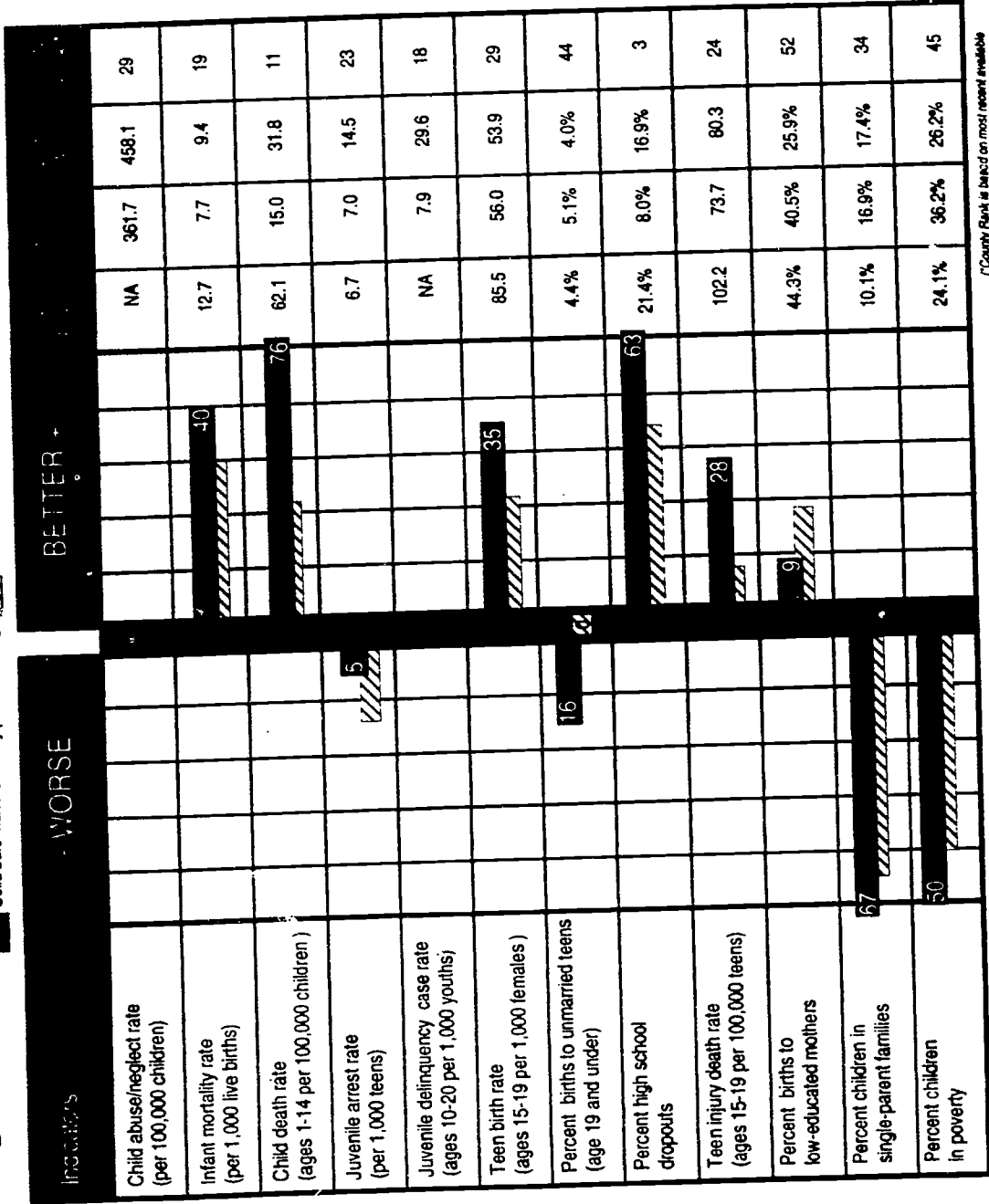


# Wyoming County

## Percent Change 1980 - 1990

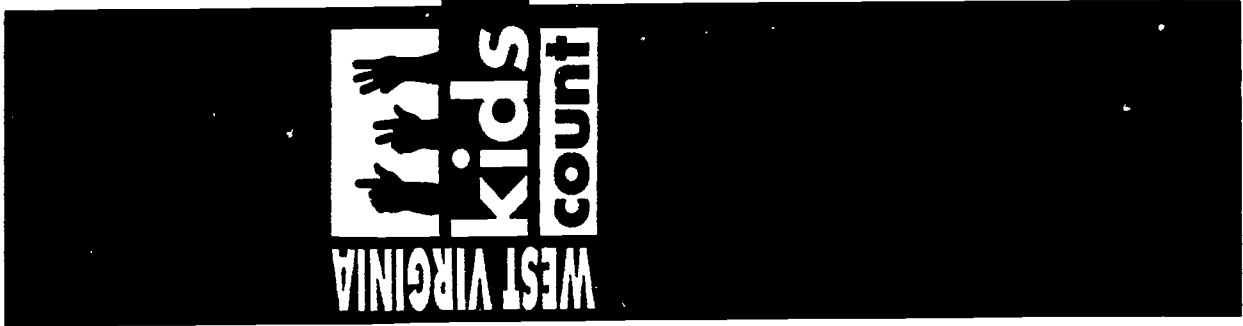
## Background Facts

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(\*County Rank is based on most recent available data. 1=best, 55= worst.)

Total population	35,993	28,990	-19.5%
Total population under age 18	12,472	8,294	-33.5%
Percent population under age 18	34.7%	28.6%	-17.4%
Percent minority population	1.4%	1.1%	-19.5%
Percent population under age 18 identified as minority	1.3%	1.1%	-12.4%
Population density per square mile	72	58	-19.5%
Percent children living in households headed by relatives other than parents	5.9%	5.7%	-4.1%
Percent all households that are families with children	54.4%	45.0%	-17.2%
Percent adults who are high school graduates	42.1%	53.0%	25.8%
Percent adults who are college graduates	5.1%	6.2%	21.9%
Education expenditures per pupil (1990 dollars)	\$2,709	\$3,908	44.3%
Percent all families with related children who are AFDC recipients	12.9%	24.5%	89.3%
Percent births with early prenatal care	42.7%	63.6%	48.8%
Total jobs in high-paying industries	6,599	2,807	-57.5%
Total jobs in low-paying industries	2,554	2,478	-3.0%
Median family income (1990 dollars)	\$27,300	\$20,730	-24.1%
Unemployment rate	12.6%	12.9%	2.4%



Appendices

## Definitions in alphabetical order

**Child Abuse/Neglect Rate (per 100,000 children)** - the number of substantiated abuse and neglect cases "open" for further servicing by a social worker per 100,000 children.

**Child Death Rate (ages 1-14 per 100,000 children)** - the number of deaths from all causes, of children between the ages of 1-14 years, per 100,000 children.

**Education Expenditures Per Pupil (1990 dollars)** - current expenditures for public school programs pre-kindergarten through 12th grade expressed on a per pupil basis in 1989-90 constant dollars.

**Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000 live births)** - the number of deaths of infants under one year of age per 1,000 live births.

**Juvenile Arrest Rate (per 1,000 teens)** - the number of arrests per 1,000 youths under age 18.

**Juvenile Delinquency Case Rate (ages 10-20 per 1,000 youths)** - the number of delinquency cases reported per 1,000 youths ages 10 - 20 years. These cases include children accused of status offenses, misdemeanors and felonies.

**Median Family Income (1990 dollars)** - that family income at which fifty percent of all families have a higher income and fifty percent of all families have a lower income. Both 1980 and 1990 median family incomes are expressed in constant 1990 dollars.

**Percent Adults Who Are College Graduates** - the percentage of persons 25 years and over with at least a college degree.

**Percent Adults Who Are High School Graduates** - the percentage of persons 25 years and over with at least a high school degree (GED included).

**Percent All Families With Related Children Who Are AFDC Recipients** - the percentage of families with related children who receive public assistance under the Aid to Families with Dependent Children or Aid to Families with Dependent Children - Unemployed program. Eligibility for this program is income based.

**Percent All Households That Are Families With Children** - Family households with at least one person under age 18 as reported in the 1980 Census and the 1990 Census.

**Percent Births To Low-Educated Mothers** - the percentage of all births to mothers with less than a 12th grade education.

**Percent Births To Unmarried Teens (age 19 and under)** - the percentage of live births which are to unmarried women under the age of 20 years.

**Percent Births With Early Prenatal Care** - the percentage of births that are to women who began

prenatal care in the first three months of their pregnancy. Births to women who did not report the month in which prenatal care was started are excluded from the computation.

**Percent Children In Poverty** - the percentage of children under 18 years of age who live in poverty as defined by the U.S. Bureau of the Census. The poverty threshold for a family of four persons was \$13,360 in 1990.

**Percent Children In Single-Parent Families** - the percentage of "own" children under age 18 who live in families headed by a person without a spouse present in the home. "Own" children include the family head's children by birth, marriage or adoption.

**Percent Children Living In Households Headed By Relatives Other Than Parents** - the percentage of children under 18 years living in a household headed by a relative other than a parent.

**Percent High School Dropouts** - the percentage of all students who leave a public school, before graduation without transferring to another school.

**Percent Low Birth-Weight Babies** - the percentage of live births recorded as low birth-weight. Babies of low birth-weight are those who weigh under 2,500 grams (5.5 pounds) at birth.

## Definitions, continued

**Percent Minority Population** - the percentage of the total population that is identified as minority.

**Percent Population Under Age 18** - the percentage of the total population under age 18.

**Percent Population Under Age 18 Identified As Minority** - the percentage of the population under age 18 identified as minority.

**Population Density Per Square Mile** - the population per square mile as reported in the 1990 Census.

**Teen Birth Rate (ages 15-19 per 1,000 females)** - the number of live births to teens per 1,000 females ages 15-19 years.

**Teen Injury Death Rate (ages 15-19 per 100,000 teens)** - the number of deaths from homicides, suicides and unintentional injuries to teens ages 15-19 years per 100,000 teens.

**Total Jobs In High-Paying Industries** - the percentage change in the number of jobs in high-paying industries which a county has gained or lost from 1980 to 1989. Jobs in the mining, manufacturing, construction, transportation and financial sectors are classified as "high" paying professions.

**Total Jobs In Low-Paying Industries** - the percentage change in the number of jobs in low-paying industries which a county has gained or lost from 1980 to 1989. Jobs in the agricultural services, wholesale and retail trade and services sectors are considered as "low" paying professions.

**Total Population** - the total population as reported in the 1980 Census and the 1990 Census.

**Total Population Under Age 18** - the total population under age 18 as reported in the 1980 Census and the 1990 Census.

**Unemployment Rate** - the number of people who are actively looking for work but are unemployed as a percentage of the civilian labor force.

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# Numbers For Indicators By County

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Adams	7	2	4	2	39	25	NA	70	89	57
Allegheny	16	6	9	8	422	500	NA	196	245	267
Armstrong	3	2	4	1	105	26	NA	143	213	104
Beaver	14	1	3	2	37	14	NA	12	66	51
Bedford	12	1	3	3	74	93	NA	239	80	43
Berks	48	1	5	3	869	755	NA	809	432	285
Butte	25	9	21	11	13	12	NA	18	62	30
Calhoun	9	0	2	1	27	14	NA	10	94	54
Chatham	9	0	4	1	9	8	NA	5	32	22
Clinton	18	1	14	7	175	338	NA	242	340	168
Crawford	11	6	4	0	5	8	NA	0	42	23
DeWitt	15	1	2	1	19	23	NA	21	41	27
Franklin	13	1	2	1	37	54	NA	143	175	106
Gauley	52	2	7	1	76	27	NA	20	60	51
Grant	8	1	1	2	167	117	NA	148	116	61
Greene	10	2	7	3	20	11	NA	6	41	33
Harmon	2	0	1	3	122	261	NA	23	297	202
Harrison	192	4	15	7	47	73	NA	27	104	61
Herk Co.	29	3	3	4	88	65	NA	62	178	162
Jackson	9	1	6	4	1,352	866	NA	2,155	930	549
Jefferson	340	15	37	23	24	39	NA	57	85	44
Lincoln	7	1	4	3	49	18	NA	124	180	124
Logan	38	3	3	5	91	131	NA	331	372	196
Mingo	53	5	12	4	70	88	NA	103	552	273
Morgan	50	6	17	8	199	88	NA	91	214	134
Marshall	84	5	14	7	120	88	NA	145	143	88
Massie	102	4	5	3	76	125	NA	81	155	72
Meigs	38	3	5	2	239	59	NA	521	375	227
Monroe	89	10	21	7	102	168	NA	107	360	56
Morgan	10	2	4	5	99	169	NA	179	79	210
Marshall	105	6	9	4	134	207	NA	169	193	115
Monongalia	56	4	11	9	11	41	NA	39	59	36
Monroe	6	0	3	0	24	12	NA	17	36	32
Nettleton	3	3	1	1	55	62	NA	169	167	101
Newton	24	3	8	2	337	273	NA	180	151	128
Nicholas	56	5	15	5	15	7	NA	13	28	25
Ohio	5	0	4	2	11	5	NA	15	35	15
Putnam	3	1	2	1	17	17	NA	5	30	30
Roanoke	7	1	3	1	31	20	NA	6	48	78
Rockwell	40	4	6	4	83	21	NA	14	154	80
Summers	40	4	5	3	408	309	NA	755	437	242
Taylor	34	3	18	9	165	97	NA	108	143	108
Wayne	16	0	3	5	11	19	NA	7	51	31
Wetzel	40	1	3	1	38	17	NA	36	97	64
Wirt	12	2	7	1	62	5	NA	15	95	47
Wyoming	12	1	4	2	29	29	NA	71	76	50
Yelp	6	1	3	3	38	43	NA	6	29	18
Zander	11	1	2	1	96	102	NA	11	45	25
Adams	12	1	3	1	64	110	NA	93	114	93
Allegheny	20	6	4	6	100	57	NA	127	220	157
Armstrong	18	4	4	1	24	19	NA	22	87	51
Beaver	36	2	4	2	116	59	NA	23	94	63
Bedford	2	0	4	1	375	607	NA	330	337	228
Berks	2	0	0	2	84	98	NA	43	267	141

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# Numbers For Indicators By County

County	32	18	7	19	70	7	12	5	4	4	4	24	20	6	36	11	21	11	10	10	22	22	36	63	30	32	12	49	8	38	26	4	4	16	41	3	4	10	21	17	48	22	6	7	11	6	5	9	14	34	10	14	3	3	51	28
	600	1,790	1,071	507	970	4,178	318	393	236	2,223	238	263	1,235	456	1,331	289	2,622	700	1,215	8,362	657	810	1,949	2,377	2,175	1,329	833	2,607	871	1,643	1,890	332	352	950	2,316	203	278	258	969	990	2,769	872	382	474	612	586	250	307	648	1,477	528	769	119	3,362	1,262	
	1,198	2,599	1,811	1,108	1,097	4,554	1,468	824	4,102	731	466	792	1,821	869	1,035	3,808	1,068	1,561	8,288	10,525	1,290	2,682	4,388	5,380	2,664	1,409	1,254	4,146	3,989	1,843	777	283	2,366	2,117	568	365	2,123	1,784	1,314	4,153	1,678	718	922	1,236	943	512	1,305	3,368	1,439	923	295	3,983	2,991			
	99	200	180	70	79	317	65	73	250	86	35	240	59	107	44	249	91	167	797	73	151	306	350	258	142	80	73	361	76	78	239	45	37	117	190	17	34	33	134	138	431	145	43	69	83	75	24	32	80	278	115	115	21	366	117	
	66	214	93	45	68	147	28	17	195	21	21	94	43	73	25	155	52	82	411	40	78	164	159	142	90	54	172	49	97	124	30	33	66	92	14	11	62	81	270	57	38	37	53	51	8	10	131	41	33	115	13	238	43			
	49	157	106	45	57	314	58	22	210	28	28	111	39	26	200	82	614	114	215	276	102	92	208	190	124	84	238	71	124	21	29	96	92	25	37	98	84	201	92	38	55	56	50	22	35	14	153	46	14	282	138					
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County	4,825	3,966	233	366	75	106	291	261	2,390	2,198	4,727	5,976
Baldwin	13,776	15,459	2,011	2,742	687	832	890	916	7,078	8,685	15,559	26,021
Baltimore	9,947	7,006	383	280	129	91	654	375	5,013	4,026	6,999	8,943
Baltimore City	4,005	3,365	99	93	29	26	276	211	2,033	1,876	3,814	4,874
Baltimore County	8,496	6,090	325	319	74	83	475	343	4,430	3,431	11,526	12,882
Cecil	27,193	21,171	5,208	4,724	1,540	1,324	2,057	1,323	14,608	12,288	39,981	45,561
Carroll	2,390	2,139	63	49	0	12	198	101	1,196	1,160	2,120	2,906
Catawba	3,876	2,983	19	15	0	2	307	200	1,763	1,562	2,258	3,009
Chesapeake	2,281	1,873	27	42	0	18	155	124	1,053	847	2,257	2,968
Dorchester	17,154	12,066	4,597	3,255	1,425	870	1,351	970	8,473	6,708	15,612	17,889
Fayette	2,262	1,773	78	76	8	9	162	126	1,130	968	2,124	2,671
Frederick	3,117	2,644	151	155	42	45	157	151	1,590	1,524	2,722	4,105
Garrett	10,666	8,270	1,673	1,397	507	367	792	500	5,488	4,742	12,184	14,854
Howard	4,390	4,390	153	184	49	60	268	290	2,228	2,322	4,649	6,526
Harris	11,311	8,075	1,235	1,098	367	287	662	464	5,905	4,637	15,112	17,570
Harford	2,797	2,618	214	233	56	57	239	185	1,518	1,521	2,885	4,084
Harrison	21,248	17,042	1,326	1,315	420	396	1,285	1,042	11,041	9,465	29,005	32,783
Hawkins	7,868	6,763	83	921	33	44	436	304	4,156	3,783	8,659	11,133
Jackson	8,915	9,195	2,913	2,967	1,081	888	733	788	4,342	4,993	9,769	15,212
Jefferson	60,714	48,250	15,461	15,600	4,803	4,803	4,302	3,091	33,192	28,129	93,237	102,828
Kent	5,165	4,160	141	137	33	35	388	271	2,592	2,300	5,948	7,165
Lewis	7,894	5,979	43	45	0	13	478	342	3,800	3,338	5,327	6,596
Lincoln	16,758	11,969	2,389	1,655	784	472	1,404	913	8,273	6,782	12,558	14,532
Logan	17,225	10,188	7,498	4,826	2,439	1,467	1,583	1,020	7,975	5,518	9,576	9,369
Madison	17,369	12,967	2,603	2,173	839	603	1,018	831	8,967	7,361	24,844	27,219
Maryland	12,020	9,127	410	354	103	94	621	488	6,087	5,072	15,199	17,751
Maryland State	8,041	6,520	246	230	92	69	501	363	4,234	3,794	8,361	10,196
Mason	20,938	15,608	5,459	4,560	1,895	1,394	1,546	1,147	11,021	9,014	23,371	26,998
Mechanic	8,150	6,650	900	831	335	252	438	376	4,183	3,715	9,613	12,461
Montgomery	13,126	10,266	1,174	928	385	289	971	613	6,259	5,646	7,676	10,095
Montgomery County	16,668	15,043	2,754	3,739	622	756	788	638	8,986	8,616	25,905	32,370
Morristown	3,805	3,047	262	196	67	42	261	175	1,918	1,727	4,097	5,149
Morgan	3,022	2,769	128	143	37	30	185	155	1,543	1,578	3,532	5,402
National	9,062	7,352	75	105	0	41	541	417	4,578	4,113	7,600	10,461
North	14,700	11,162	2,513	2,080	861	698	781	573	7,895	6,118	24,844	25,887
Northampton	2,151	1,937	197	185	69	54	173	106	1,142	1,108	2,288	3,293
Northumberland	2,510	1,933	29	33	8	10	158	109	1,194	1,072	2,863	3,785
Northwestern	2,738	2,091	105	88	9	16	255	145	1,418	1,194	8,881	11,671
Northwestern District	9,392	7,897	138	141	46	55	541	422	4,676	4,321	14,053	20,533
Northwestern Maryland	11,616	11,462	169	336	68	129	611	462	6,256	6,640	27,474	31,883
Northwestern Maryland State	26,270	20,058	7,413	6,465	2,424	2,043	1,903	1,298	13,574	11,388	27,474	31,883
Northwestern Maryland State	8,071	6,715	349	359	60	75	594	419	4,116	3,739	8,840	12,054
Northwestern Maryland State	3,258	2,502	20	22	0	8	218	134	1,655	1,407	3,514	4,202
Northwestern Maryland State	4,493	4,057	146	64	0	11	376	228	2,316	2,195	4,638	5,684
Northwestern Maryland State	4,304	3,321	1,241	960	192	115	272	216	2,193	1,850	5,688	5,688
Northwestern Maryland State	4,900	3,843	173	151	44	38	135	81	2,415	2,133	5,599	6,605
Northwestern Maryland State	2,497	1,860	27	25	0	12	126	106	1,256	1,062	3,827	4,432
Northwestern Maryland State	3,515	2,498	23	39	0	9	176	111	1,746	1,379	3,827	4,432
Northwestern Maryland State	6,630	5,805	182	236	36	43	361	249	3,337	3,214	7,381	9,059
Northwestern Maryland State	14,134	10,689	119	147	29	48	831	659	7,240	6,120	13,432	16,968
Northwestern Maryland State	3,997	2,934	17	25	2	10	287	196	1,937	1,655	2,428	3,207
Northwestern Maryland State	6,898	4,957	74	74	0	21	362	231	3,293	2,716	7,572	8,800
Northwestern Maryland State	1,508	1,384	17	8	0	2	82	65	759	750	1,471	2,238
Northwestern Maryland State	26,934	21,345	1,138	1,346	387	477	1,633	1,131	14,235	12,063	36,377	42,456
Northwestern Maryland State	12,472	8,294	489	317	158	92	742	473	6,233	4,714	7,996	9,579

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795	1,014	304	445	160	149
2,937	4,527	486	564	477	638
748	1,063	460	846	302	186
686	687	197	322	124	123
1,768	2,201	349	304	292	202
9,051	11,960	1,429	1,861	1,021	951
261	350	138	224	108	69
320	377	229	449	101	86
417	474	93	136	73	55
2,471	2,771	1,126	1,297	485	378
519	668	103	177	96	57
466	598	111	85	102	110
2,410	2,711	289	394	258	284
895	949	170	193	146	149
1,960	2,156	414	409	352	271
341	540	121	74	94	124
5,185	6,267	1,014	1,480	922	677
1,304	1,472	167	437	272	210
2,801	3,603	332	294	346	388
21,942	24,950	2,459	3,955	2,389	1,661
884	962	235	358	201	146
632	633	530	865	213	221
1,549	1,715	810	1,479	420	229
1,381	1,015	1,663	1,783	417	262
4,459	4,768	866	1,137	685	481
1,857	2,420	483	637	480	328
1,103	1,139	257	560	260	210
4,449	4,955	1,230	1,460	687	472
1,136	1,775	344	326	288	253
1,246	1,323	1,060	1,609	299	249
9,329	12,081	362	668	734	719
614	663	81	145	89	95
628	965	69	91	86	105
947	1,368	378	640	315	231
5,031	6,358	742	836	806	446
388	446	100	57	71	77
360	419	60	99	71	66
582	603	108	80	76	83
1,210	1,544	419	554	343	274
2,382	3,694	284	440	430	406
4,667	5,406	1,070	1,879	610	804
1,707	2,176	316	459	284	254
396	408	95	159	109	85
650	652	176	320	161	122
622	835	335	340	127	87
748	811	238	362	175	135
410	446	64	74	79	59
481	593	107	157	113	84
1,501	1,695	194	443	253	201
1,843	2,428	562	867	452	416
366	363	339	419	149	90
1,179	1,303	267	409	235	177
197	270	60	111	44	47
6,369	7,804	1,005	1,261	988	831
965	1,114	758	1,149	245	212

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### **West Virginia Task Force on Children, Youth and Families**

The Task Force on Children, Youth and Families was formed in February of 1989 to begin a partnership between government and the private sector to support solutions for West Virginia's children. The mission of the Task Force is to improve the lives of West Virginia's children by mobilizing the private and public sector to create prevention and early intervention programs, policies and strategies. Members of the Task Force are among the state's most influential and respected business, labor, community and religious leaders.

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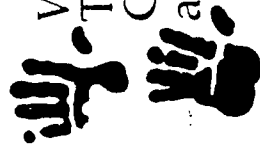
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