



# Fact Sheet

## REDISTRICTING AND REAPPORTIONMENT

### REDISTRICTING FACT SHEET No. 9

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REGIONAL MAKEUP OF NEVADA STATE LEGISLATURE					
<i>LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS 1993 THROUGH 2011</i>					
	Population	SENATE		ASSEMBLY	
		Average Single-Member District	Number of Members	Average District	Number of Members
<b>STATE OF NEVADA</b>					
Based on 1990 Census	1,201,833	57,230	21	28,615	42
Based on 2000 Census	1,998,257	95,155	21	47,578	42
Based on 2010 Census	2,700,551	128,598	21	64,299	42
<b>CLARK COUNTY</b>					
Based on 1990 Census	741,459	57,230	13	28,615	26
Based on 2000 Census	1,375,765	95,155	14	47,578	29
Based on 2010 Census*	1,951,269	128,598	15	64,299	30
<b>WASHOE COUNTY</b>					
Based on 1990 Census	254,667	57,230	4	28,615	9
Based on 2000 Census	339,486	95,155	4	47,578	7
Based on 2010 Census*	421,407	128,598	3	64,299	7
<b>BALANCE OF STATE</b>					
Based on 1990 Census	205,707	57,230	4	28,615	7
Based on 2000 Census	283,006	95,155	3	47,578	6
Based on 2010 Census*	327,875	128,598	3	64,299	5

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 1990 Census, 2000 Census, and 2010 Census.

\*Based on 21 Senators and 42 Assembly Members.

**REGIONAL MAKEUP OF NEVADA STATE LEGISLATURE**

***SENATE REDISTRICTING OPTIONS BY REGION***

		<b>STATE OF NEVADA</b>	<b>CLARK COUNTY</b>	<b>WASHOE COUNTY</b>	<b>BALANCE OF STATE</b>
<b>20 Members</b>	Number of Members*	20	14.45	3.12	2.43
	Average Population per Single-Member District Based on 2010 Census	135,028	—	—	—
<b>21 Members</b>	Number of Members*	21	15.17	3.28	2.55
	Average Population per Single-Member District Based on 2010 Census	128,598	—	—	—
<b>22 Members</b>	Number of Members*	22	15.90	3.43	2.67
	Average Population per Single-Member District Based on 2010 Census	122,752	—	—	—
<b>23 Members</b>	Number of Members*	23	16.62	3.59	2.79
	Average Population per Single-Member District Based on 2010 Census	117,415	—	—	—

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2010 Census.

\*Projected number of members for redistricting is exact based on population for each region, and fractional numbers may reflect the need to create a district(s) located in more than one region.

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<b>REGIONAL MAKEUP OF NEVADA STATE LEGISLATURE</b>					
<b>ASSEMBLY REDISTRICTING OPTIONS BY REGION</b>					
<b>(continued)</b>					
		<b>STATE OF NEVADA</b>	<b>CLARK COUNTY</b>	<b>WASHOE COUNTY</b>	<b>BALANCE OF STATE</b>
<b>40 Members</b>	Number of Members*	40	28.90	6.24	4.86
	Average Population per District Based on 2010 Census	67,514	—	—	—
<b>41 Members</b>	Number of Members*	41	29.62	6.40	4.98
	Average Population per District Based on 2010 Census	65,867	—	—	—
<b>42 Members</b>	Number of Members*	42	30.35	6.55	5.10
	Average Population per District Based on 2010 Census	64,299	—	—	—
<b>43 Members</b>	Number of Members*	43	31.07	6.71	5.22
	Average Population per District Based on 2010 Census	62,804	—	—	—
<b>44 Members</b>	Number of Members*	44	31.79	6.87	5.34
	Average Population per District Based on 2010 Census	61,376	—	—	—
<b>45 Members</b>	Number of Members*	45	32.52	7.02	5.46
	Average Population per District Based on 2010 Census	60,012	—	—	—
<b>46 Members</b>	Number of Members*	46	33.24	7.18	5.58
	Average Population per District Based on 2010 Census	58,708	—	—	—

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2010 Census.

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