

DALLAS FACTS

POPULATION

City of Dallas, 697,300; County, 944,250; Metropolitan Area, 1,060,000. 15th Largest City in United States, October, 1959.

CLIMATE

Dry, temperate. Annual normal temperature: 66.50. Average annual rainfall: 34.42 inches.

MAJOR MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES

Aircraft, food processing, apparel, oilfield and cotton gin machinery, electronic equipment and printing and publishing.

BANKS

Seven national, 19 state banks. Home of Federal Reserve Bank for 11th District. Three banks among top 100 of nation. Two banks larger than any south of Chicago and east of Los Angeles.

GOVERNMENT

Council-Manager.

TRANSPORTATION

Six airlines, nine railroads and 35 motor freight common carriers. Nine federal highways and six state highways pass through city. Dallas Love Field is the nation's third busiest airport in take-offs and landings.

AGRICULTURE

In heart of one of nation's largest blackland belts. Principal crops: cotton, corn, oats, wheat and dairy products.

COMMUNICATIONS

Two daily newspapers, nine radio stations, two television stations. One of eight regional telephone toll centers in U.S. Nation's No. 3 telegraph center.

INSURANCE

Over 800 insurance companies in City, with 220 having home offices here. Leading city in U.S. for insurance headquarters.

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