

COMPARING GROWTH

JULY 1, 2000-JULY 1, 2008

U.S.



GREW
8%

TEXAS



GREW
16.7%

TEXAS COUNTIES

119	135
SHRUNK	GREW

LOCAL COUNTIES

CALHOUN
SHRUNK

1.2%

DEWITT
SHRUNK

1.9%

GOLIAD
GREW

2.6%

GONZALES
GREW

2.7%

JACKSON
SHRUNK

1.8%

LAVACA
SHRUNK

2.7%

MATAGORDA
SHRUNK

1.8%

REFUGIO
SHRUNK

6.1%

VICTORIA
GREW

3.3%

WHARTON
SHRUNK

1%

NOTE: Local counties are rounded

Source: U.S. Census

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