

**“Continuing Change in  
Southwest Missouri:  
The Creation of New Opportunities”**

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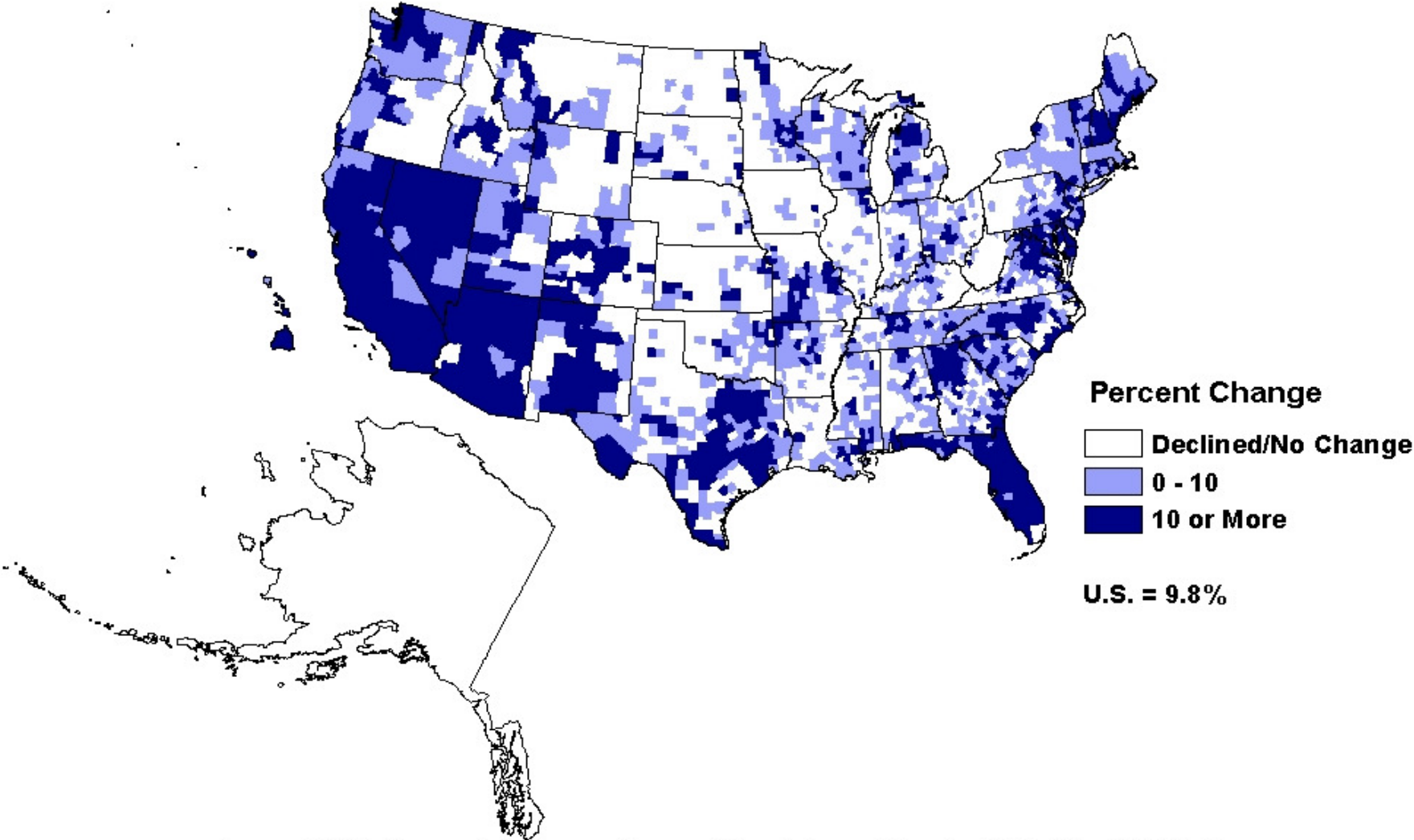
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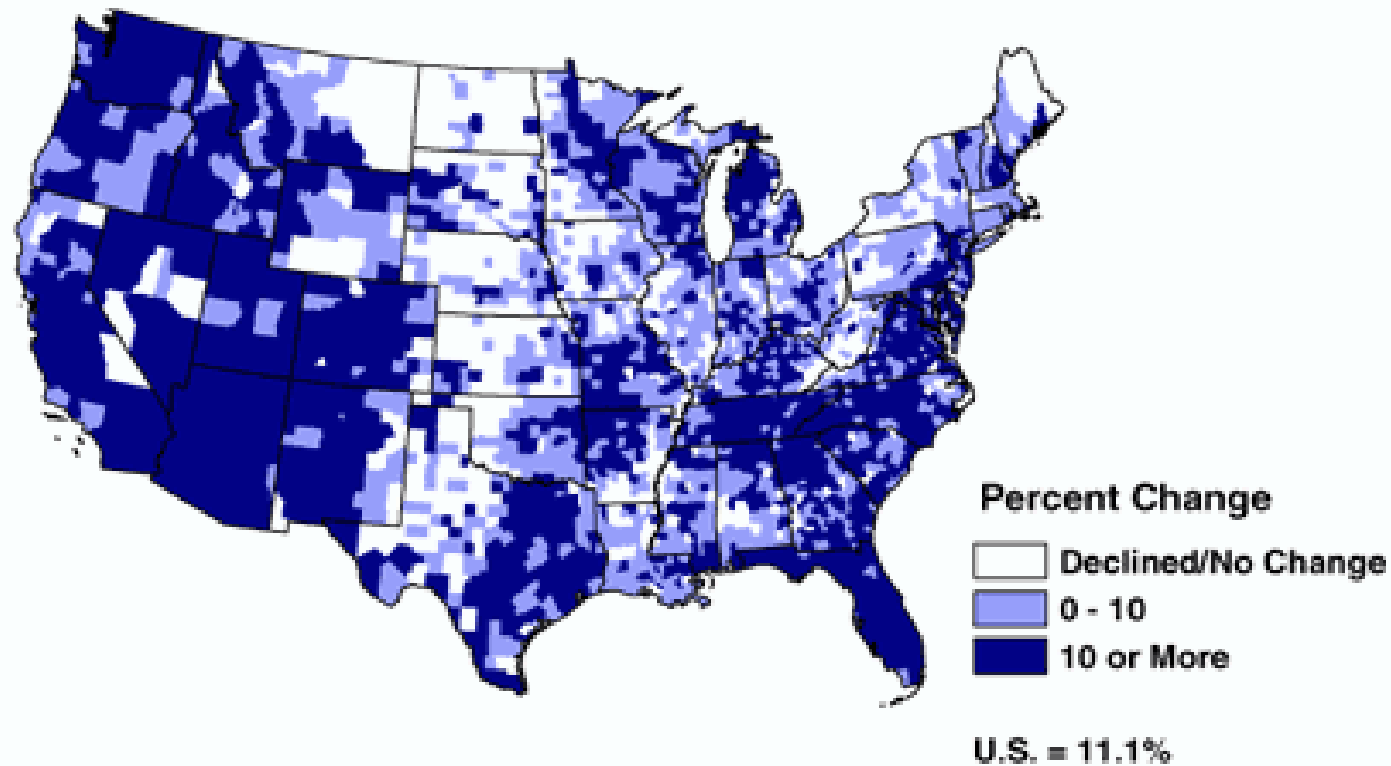
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# Percent Change in Total Population, 1980-1990 U.S. Counties



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# Percent Change in Total Population, 1990-2000 U.S. Counties



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# **New Economic Development Considerations**

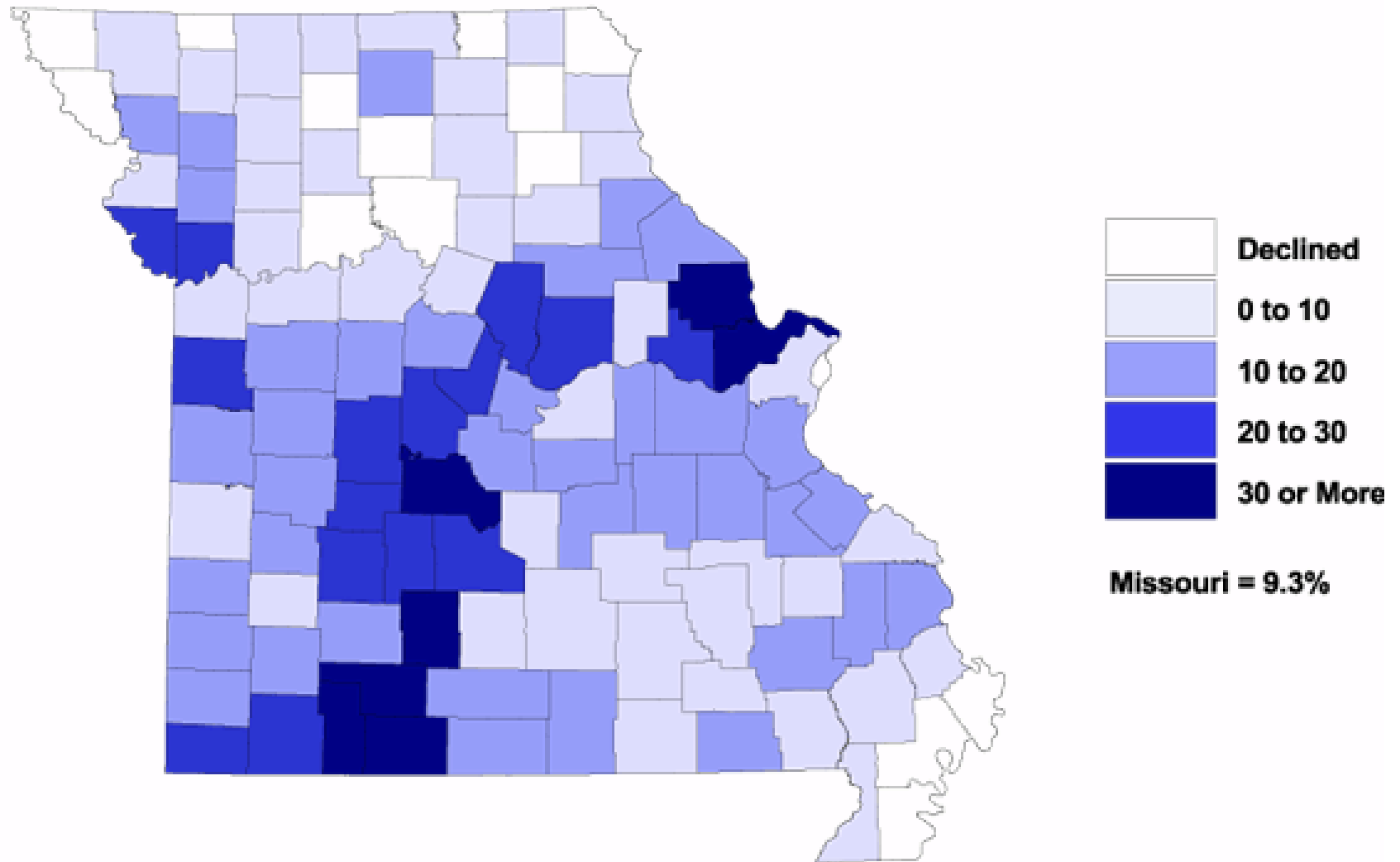
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- 1. Globalization**
- 2. Revolution in Telecommunications**
- 3. Cost of Living**
- 4. Quality of Life**

## **Change in Population 1980-2000**

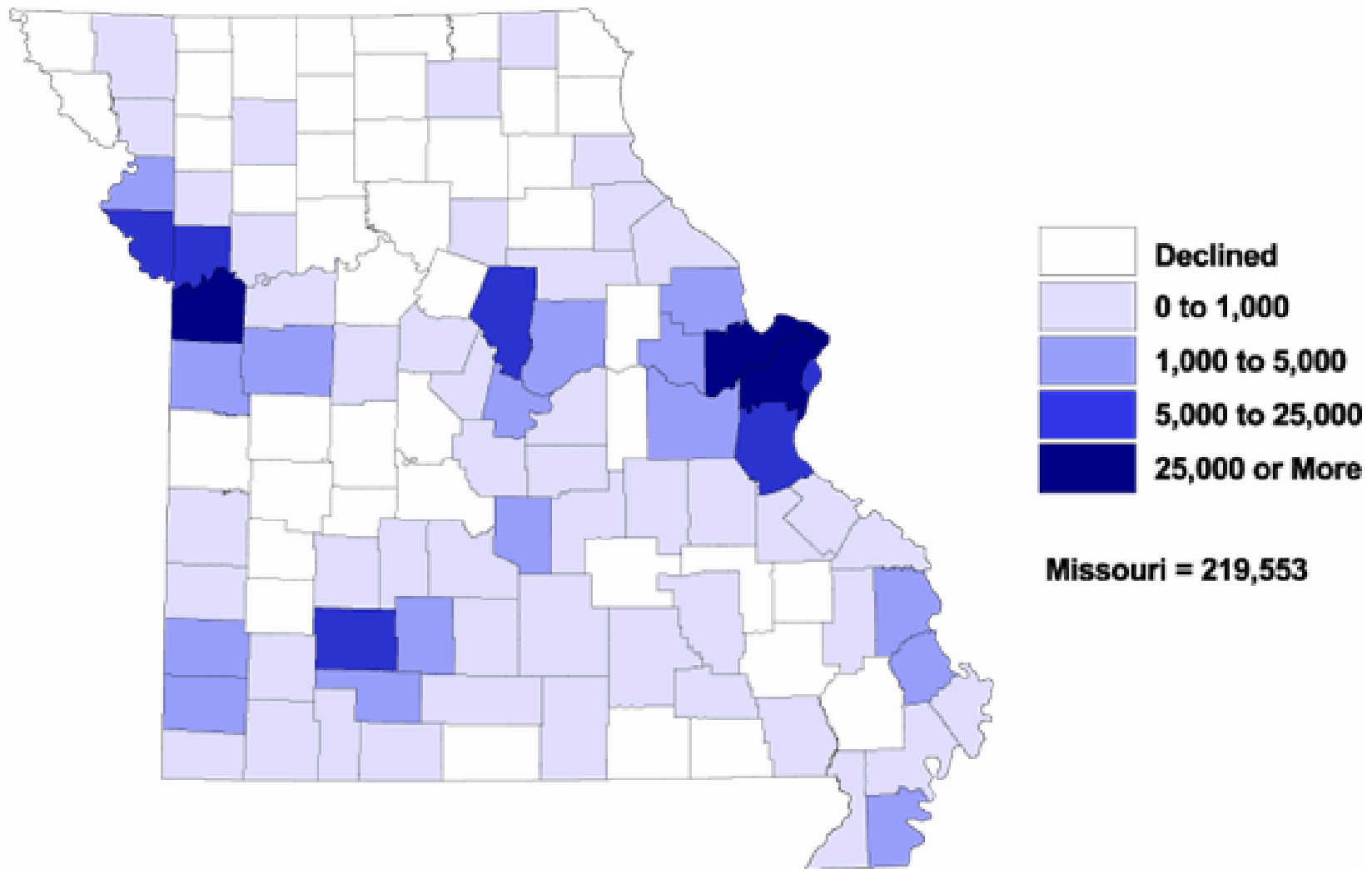
- **Missouri's population increased from 4,917,000 in 1980 to 5,117,000 in 1990 – an increase of 4.1 percent**
- **Population increased from 5,117,000 in 1990 to 5,595,000 in 2000 – an increase of 9.3 percent – more than double the increase during the 1980s**
- **However, national population which increased by 9.8 percent during the 1980s increased by 13.1 percent in 2000. There were 29 states whose population increased by a larger percentage than Missouri during the 1990s.**
- **Therefore, even though Missouri population increased by more than twice the rate in the 1990s than during the 1980s, it dropped from being the 15<sup>th</sup> most populated state in 1990 to 17<sup>th</sup> in 2000**

# Percent Change in Total Population 1990-2000



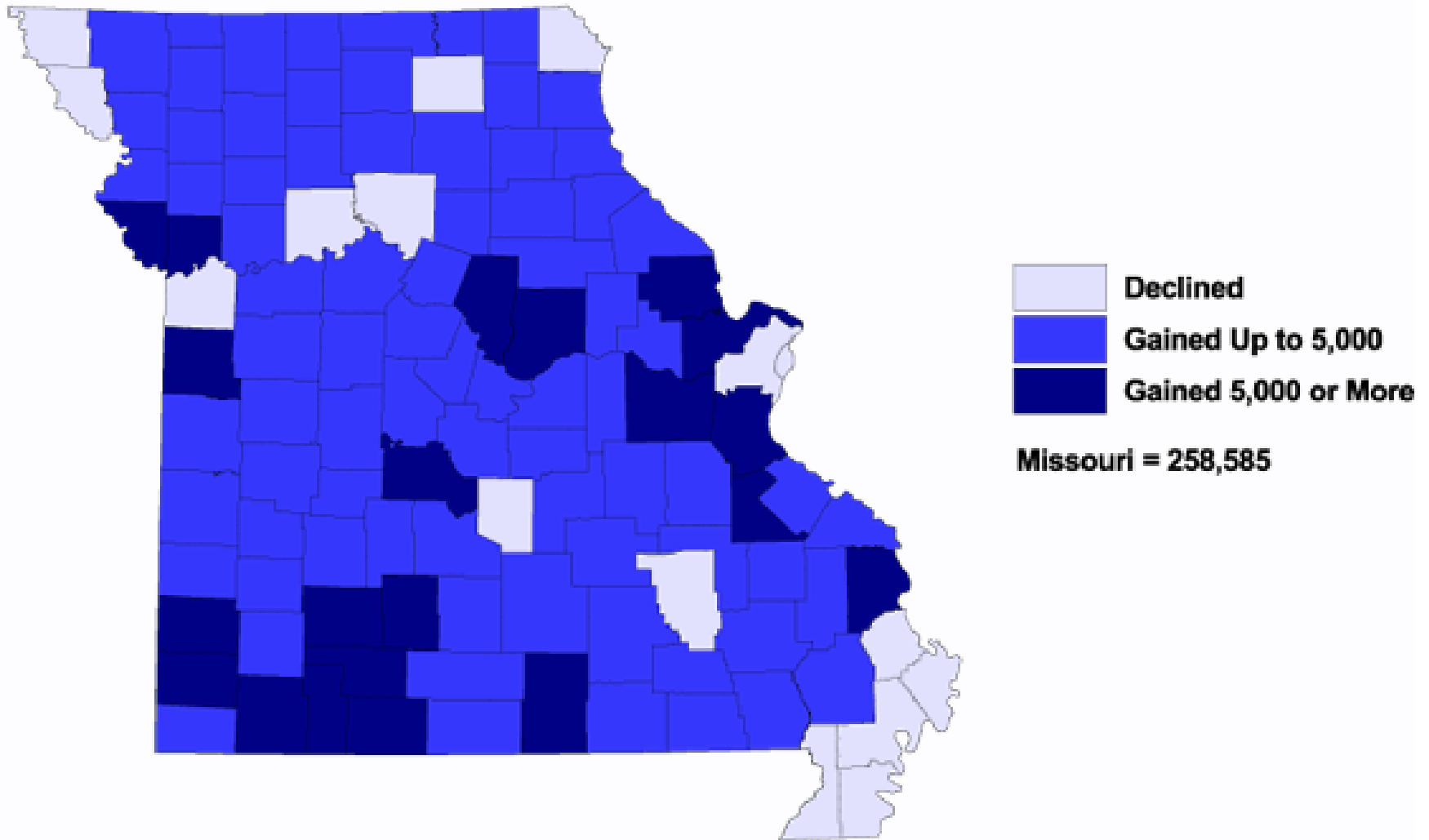
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# Natural Increase in Total Population 1990-2000



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# Net Migration of the Total Population 1990-2000



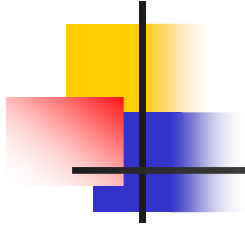
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# Total Population and Components of Change, 1990-2000

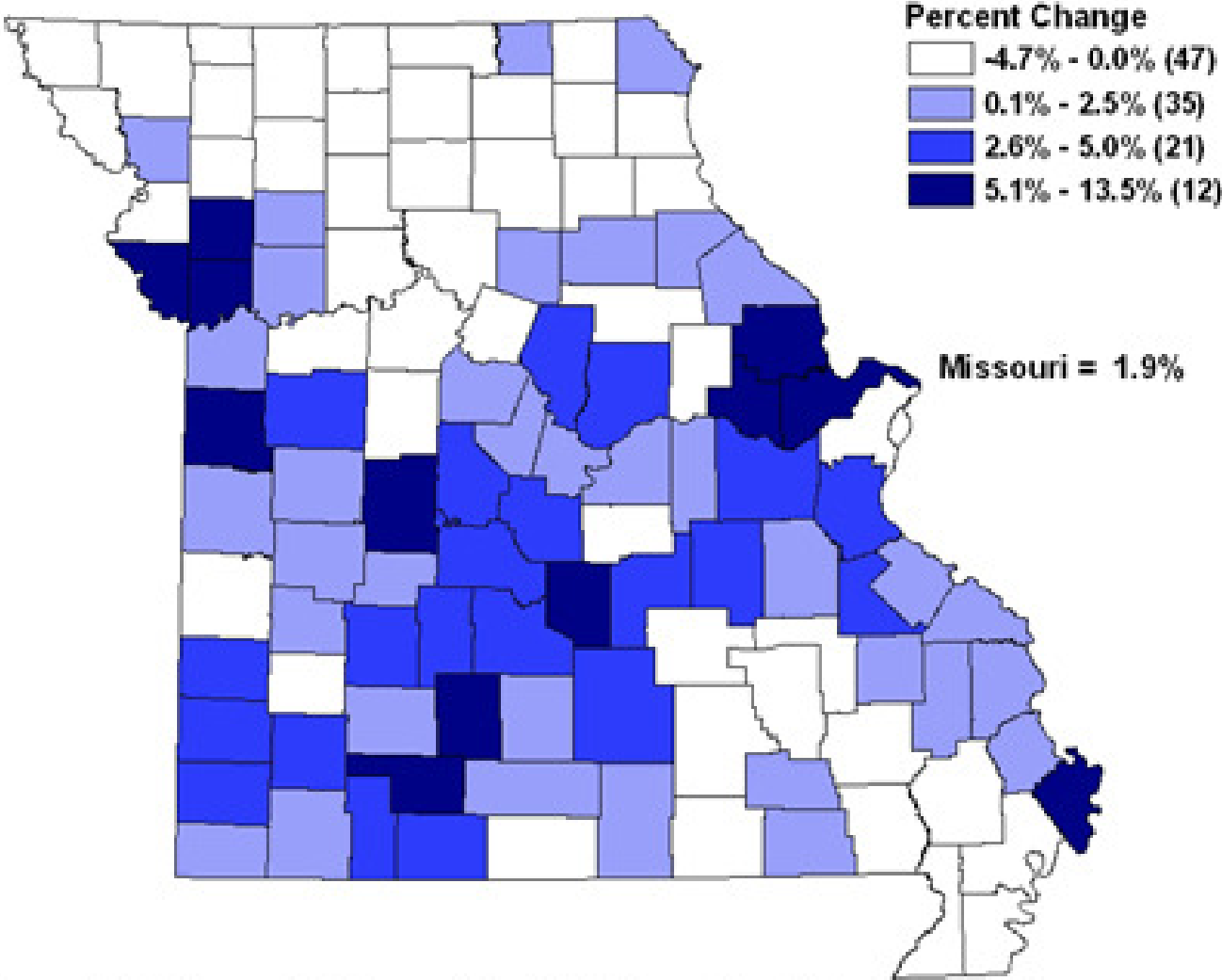
				Components of Change, 1990-2000					
	Total Population 2000	Change, 1990-2000		Births	Deaths	Natural Increase		Net Migration	
		Number	Percent			Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Christian	54,285	21,641	66.3	6,071	3,097	2,974	9.1	18,667	57.2
Dallas	15,661	3,015	23.8	1,979	1,607	372	2.9	2,643	20.9
Greene	240,391	32,442	15.6	30,066	20,930	9,136	4.4	23,306	11.2
Polk	26,992	5,166	23.7	3,188	2,748	440	2.0	4,726	21.7
Webster	31,045	7,292	30.7	4,130	2,443	1,687	7.1	5,605	23.6
Total	368,374	69,556	23.3	45,434	30,825	14,609	4.9	54,947	18.4
Southwest Region (UOE)	728,089	136,812	23.1	90,784	67,943	22,841	4.0	113,971	20.9

Source: 1990 and 2000 Decennial Census / Federal State Coop for Population Estimates - Prepared by the Office of Social & Economic Data Analysis



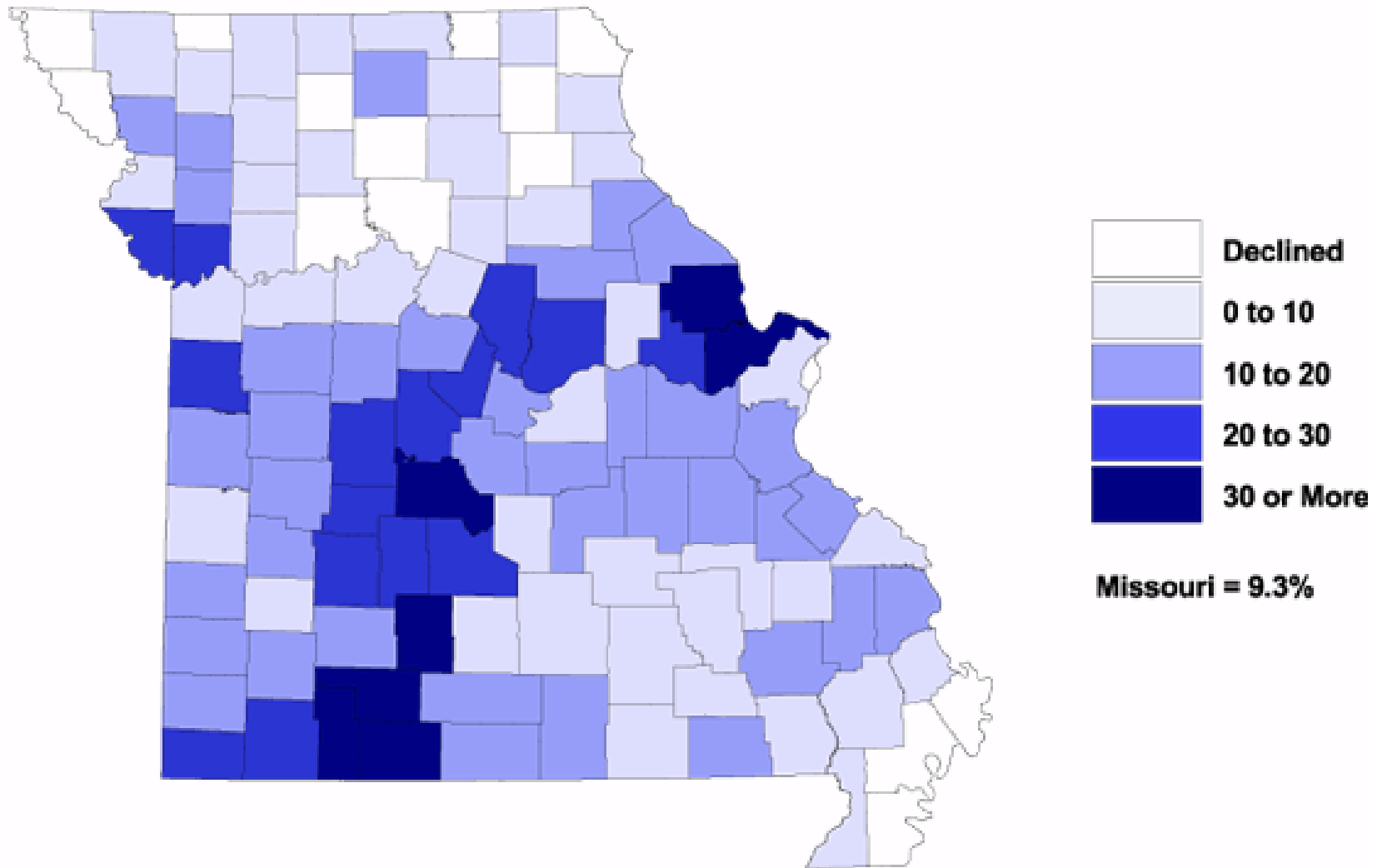
**Ozark Regional Partnership Counties  
Population Change  
2000-2003**

# Percent Change of the Population, by County, 2000-2003



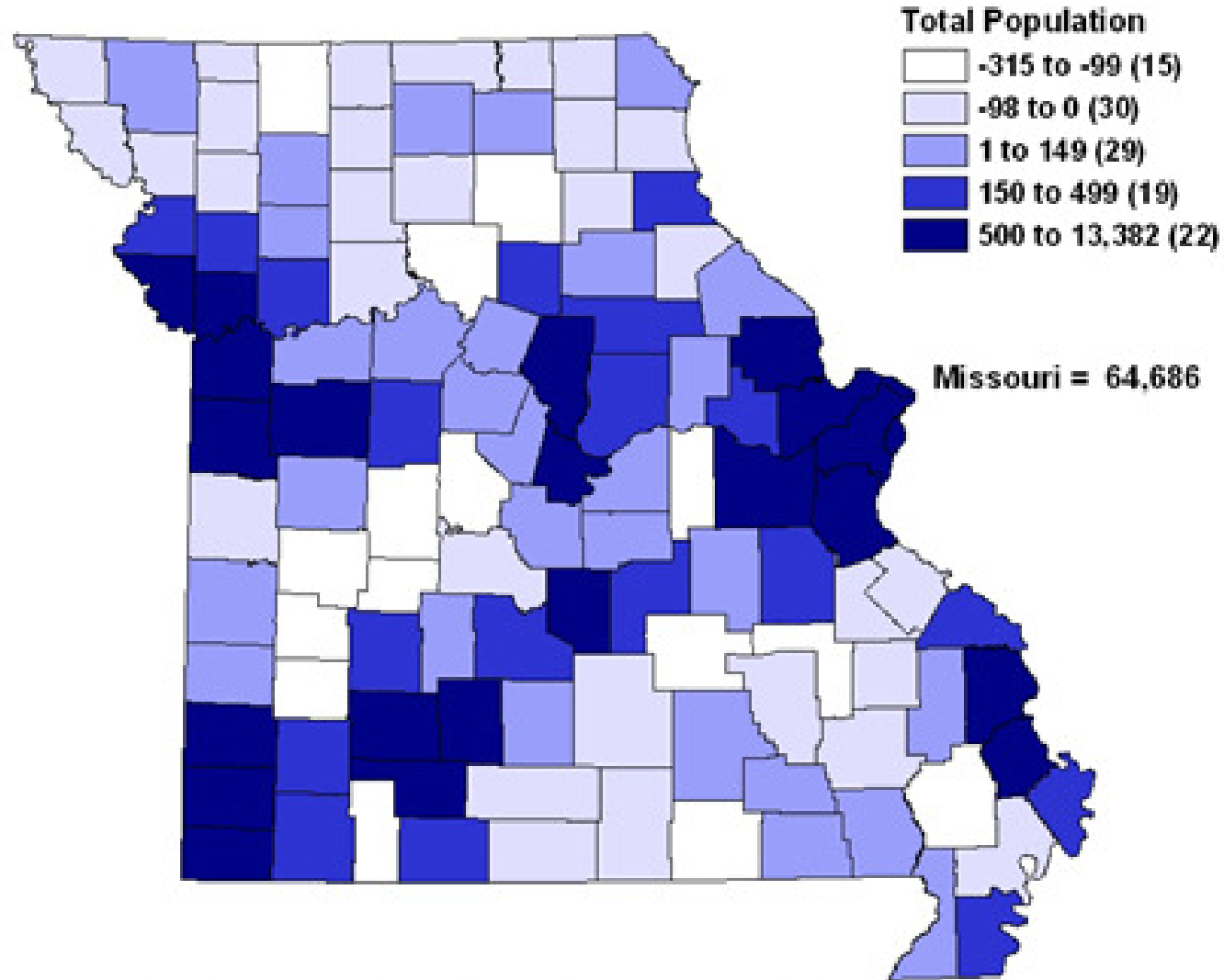
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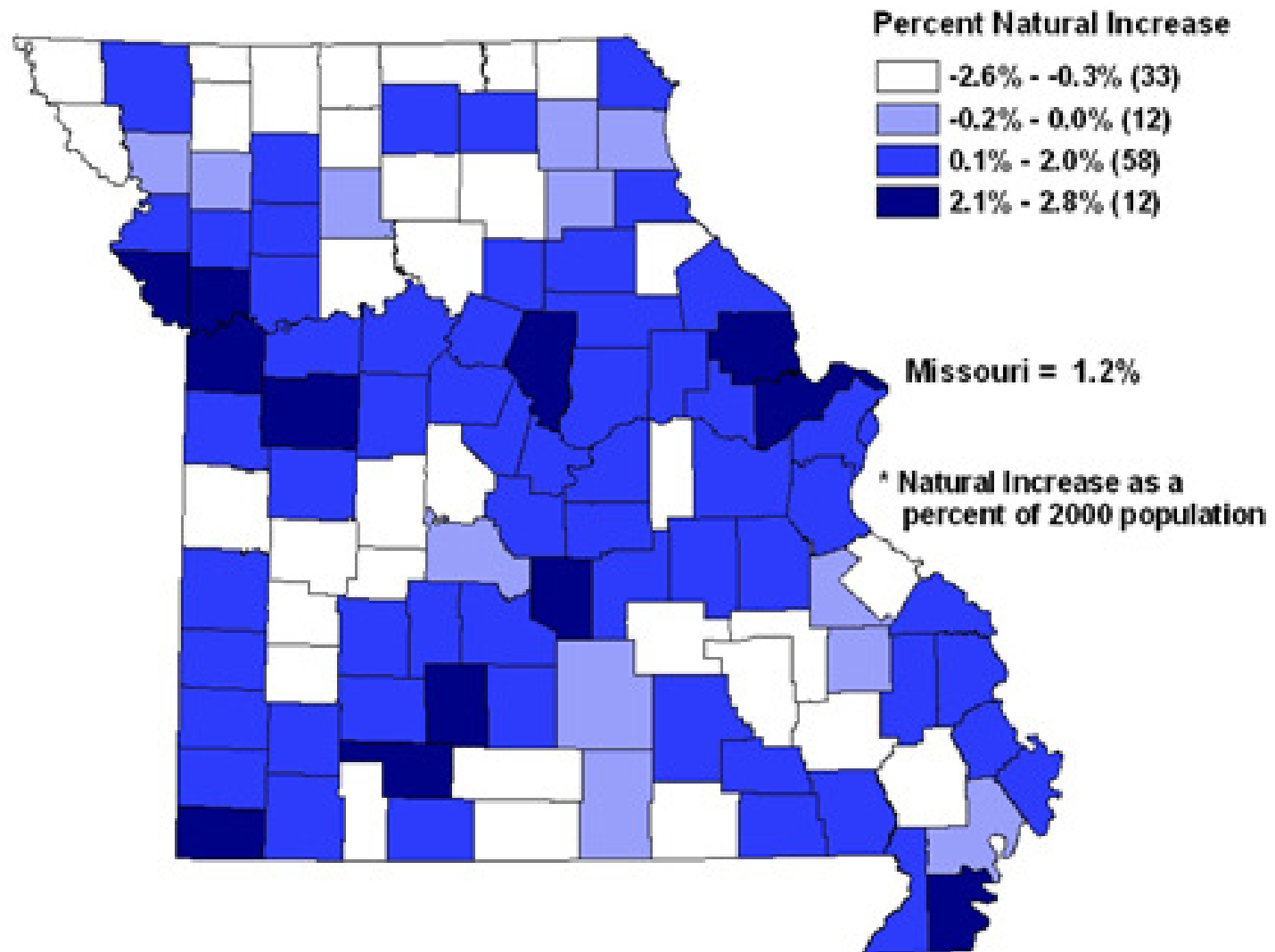
# Natural Increase in Total Population in Missouri, by County 2000-2003



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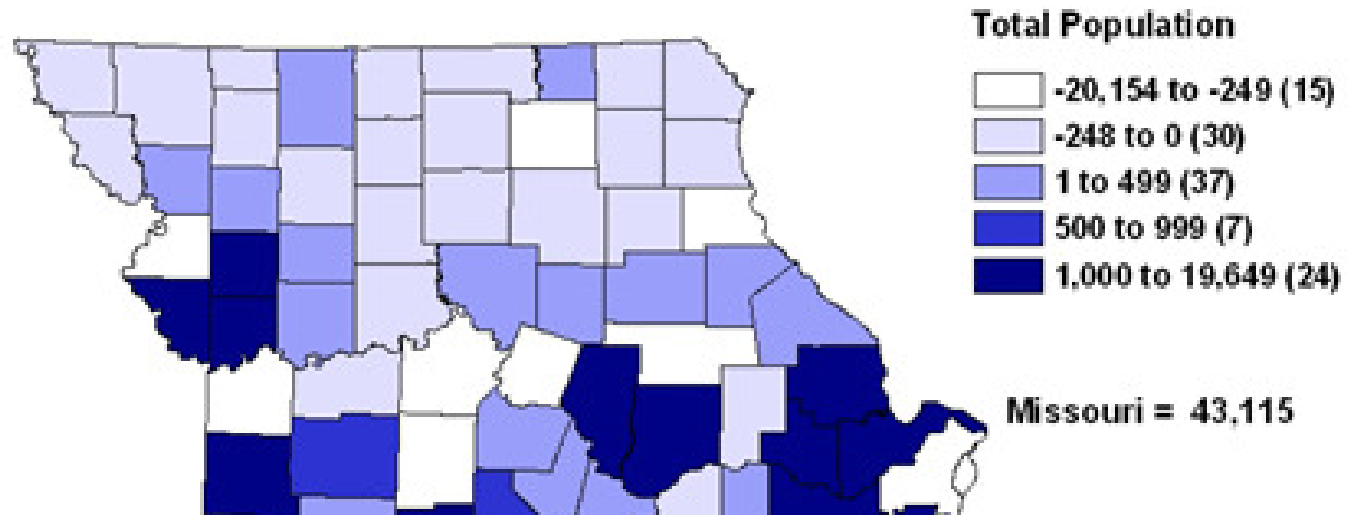
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# Percent Natural Increase\* in Missouri, by County 2000-2003



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# Net Migration in Total Population in Missouri, by County 2000-2003



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