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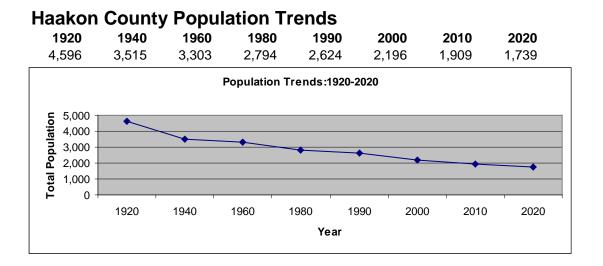
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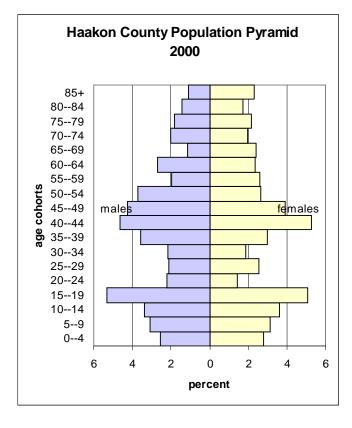
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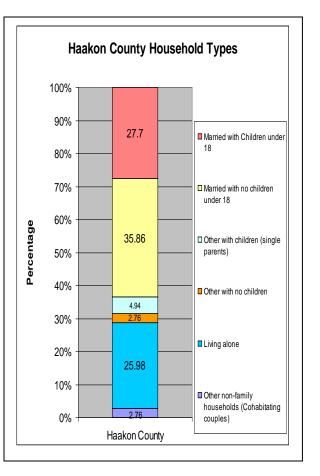
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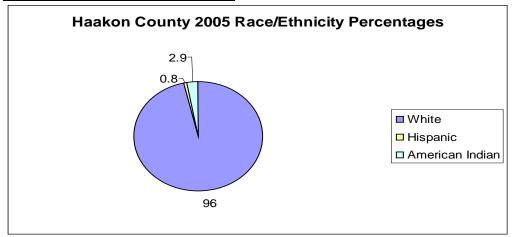




Where People Live: 2000						
	South Dakota	Haakon	Jackson	Jones		
Urban	51.92	0	0	0		
Rural-Farm	7.72	23.54	12.56	19.78		
Rural-Non farm	40.36	76.46	87.44	80.22		

Haakon County Population Highlights

- From 1990 to 2000, Haakon County **lost 428 residents** which was a **16.3 decrease** in its total population. In the state of South Dakota, only Harding County lost a greater portion of its total population.
- From 1990 to 2000, Haakon County **lost 496 residents to out-migration** which was an **18.9% decrease** in its total population
- From the population pyramid we can tell that **many of the out-migrants are aged 20-34**.
- 18.04% of Haakon County's population is aged 65+.
- Haakon County's **sex ratio is 96.60**, which means that there are about 97 males for every 100 females. This sex ratio is lower than both Jackson and Jones counties. This may be explained because Haakon County is an older county and females generally out-live males.
- Haakon County's fertility rate is **45.0 births for every 1,000 females aged 15-44**. This is the lowest fertility rate in the West River which may explain why Haakon County has lost such a high proportion of its population.
- Haakon County's **median age is 41.3**. This is much older than Jackson, but very similar to Jones.



Race/Ethnicity in Haakon County

Haakon County Agriculture in 2002

- Haakon County had **268 farms in 2002**, which was a **13.3% decrease** from 1997.
- The **average farm size** in Haakon County was **4,558 acres**. This is larger than both Jackson and Jones.
- The **average income per farm** was **\$51,331**. This is the highest average farm income on the West River.

Haakon County Economics in 2000

- The **per capita income** for Haakon County was **\$16,780**. This is higher than both Jackson and Jones counties.
- The median household income for Haakon County was \$29,894.
- **15.4%** of Haakon County's population had completed a **B.S. degree or higher**. This is lower than both Jackson and Jones counties.
- **13.87%** of Haakon County's population is living **at or below the official poverty line**. This compares with 36.50% for Jackson and 8.36% for Jones County.
- **22.31%** of Haakon County's children under the age of 5 are living at or below the official poverty line. This compares with 42.57% for Jackson and 28.07% for Jones County.
- **7.2%** of Haakon County's workers **commute to another county to work**. This is a lower percentage than both Jackson and Jones counties.

Total Employed	Percentage	Number
Agriculture	24.06	274
Education/health/social	17.91	204
services		
Retail	12.29	140
Manufacturing	7.73	88
Construction	4.65	53
Public Administration	4.30	49
Total Employed:		1,139

Haakon County Employment by Industry

Income Distribution

	South Dakota	Haakon	Jackson	Jones
Total:	290,336	866	944	502
Less than \$10,000	30,881	109	184	61
\$10,000 to \$14,999	22,421	76	119	47
\$15,000 to \$19,999	22,190	46	80	73
\$20,000 to \$24,999	24,633	93	116	27
\$25,000 to \$29,999	22,190	111	102	40
\$30,000 to \$34,999	21,694	65	81	39
\$35,000 to \$39,999	19,408	68	36	42
\$40,000 to \$44,999	19,077	28	48	33
\$45,000 to \$49,999	16,675	55	17	14
\$50,000 to \$59,999	27,809	63	50	43
\$60,000 to \$74,999	26,008	57	55	31
\$75,000 to \$99,999	20,150	37	35	31
\$100,000 to				
\$124,999	7,597	21	5	9
\$125,000 to				
\$149,999	3,493	11	0	7
\$150,000 to				
\$199,999	2,872	15	12	5
\$200,000 or more	3,238	11	4	0

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