

**Educational Attainment, 1990-2000 -- Less than 9th Grade
By UM Extension Region**

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		Change, 1990-2000			Percent of Population Age 25+	
UM Extension Region	2000	1990	Number	Percent	2000	1990
-Missouri Totals-	237,618	380,613	-142,995	-37.6	6.5	11.6
Central	20,105	30,363	-10,258	-33.8	7.1	12.5
East Central	80,183	135,700	-55,517	-40.9	5.8	10.5
Northeast	10,094	17,195	-7,101	-41.3	8.0	14.1
Northwest	9,598	17,157	-7,559	-44.1	6.4	11.9
South Central	23,415	36,335	-12,920	-35.6	10.0	18.0
Southeast	32,342	51,457	-19,115	-37.1	13.8	23.4
Southwest	28,888	42,725	-13,837	-32.4	6.1	11.2
West Central	32,993	49,681	-16,688	-33.6	4.3	7.2

Source: 1990 and 2000 Decennial Census, Summary File 3
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