

# Census Work Sheet

## Missouri's African American Population Shifts, 1880-1920

*Progress Amidst Prejudice: Portraits of African Americans in Missouri, 1880-1920*

Missouri State Archives

Directions: Find the census data for each community and identify any trends in the population change. Go to <http://factfinder.census.gov> to find fact sheets on each community.

<u>Town</u>	<u>Census Year</u>	<u>African American</u>	<u>Total Population</u>	<u>% African American</u>
Moberly	1880	569	6108	9.3%
Moberly	1900	850	8012	10.6%
Moberly	1920	835	12,821	6.5%
Moberly	2000	_____	_____	_____
Hannibal	1880	1833	11,065	16.5%
Hannibal	1900	1843	12,716	14.5%
Hannibal	1920	1700	19,235	8.8%
Hannibal	2000	_____	_____	_____
Louisiana	1880	943	4325	21.8%
Louisiana	1900	1071	5130	20.8%
Louisiana	1920	555	4060	13.6%
Louisiana	2000	_____	_____	_____
St. Charles	1880	851	8417	10.1%
St. Charles	1900	775	10,541	7.4%
St. Charles	1920	552	8502	6.5%
St. Charles	2000	_____	_____	_____
Macon	1880	912	3046	29.9%
Macon	1900	740	4078	18.1%
Macon	1920	509	3499	14.5%
Macon	2000	_____	_____	_____

St. Joseph	1880	3206	32,577	9.8%
St. Joseph	1900	5847	102,841	5.7%
St. Joseph	1920	4288	78,207	5.5%
St. Joseph	2000	_____	_____	_____
Jefferson City	1880	1012	5271	19.2%
Jefferson City	1900	1953	11,808	16.5%
Jefferson City	1920	2039	16,515	12.3%
Jefferson City	2000	_____	_____	_____
Washington	1880	1128	34,930	3.2%
Washington	1900	1141	44,678	2.6%
Washington	1920	468	40,080	1.2%
Washington	2000	_____	_____	_____
Mexico	1880	788	3837	20.5%
Mexico	1900	939	5099	18.4%
Mexico	1920	889	6013	14.8%
Mexico	2000	_____	_____	_____
Kansas City	1880	8124	55,888	14.5%
Kansas City	1900	16,806	163,704	10.3%
Kansas City	1920	30,795	324,599	9.5%
Kansas City	2000	_____	_____	_____
St. Louis City	1880	40,798	672,530	6.1%
St. Louis City	1900	35,289	575,382	6.1%
St. Louis City	1920	69,252	773,189	9%
St. Louis City	2000	_____	_____	_____
Missouri	1880	145,350	2,168,380	6.7%
Missouri	1900	161,822	3,106,665	5.2%
Missouri	1920	178,241	3,404,055	5.2%
Missouri	2000	_____	_____	_____