

Highlights



Population Growth: The population of the Imperial County Library jurisdiction grew 12% between 2000 and 2010 to 54,000. This increase was concentrated among the Hispanic population, which grew by nearly 9,000 (32%), while the white, non-Hispanic population shrank by 3,000 (-23%).

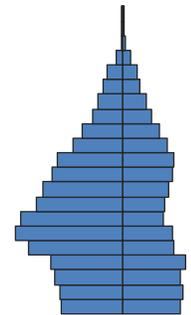
Diversity: The Imperial County Library jurisdiction remains largely Hispanic, with this group comprising 69% of the total population, up from 58% in 2000. By contrast, the white, non-Hispanic share of population declined in the past decade from 29% to 20% of total.

Age Structure: The age structure of the Imperial County Library jurisdiction is similar to that of California as a whole, with 28% young people, 61% working-age adults, and 11% adults age 65+. These shares have changed little over the past decade. However, the pattern varies with race and ethnicity. The Hispanic population is relatively young, with 34% young people and only 7% age 65+, while the white, non-Hispanic population is relatively old, with 15% young people and 25% age 65+.

Education: Educational attainment is significantly lower than in California as a whole. Only 8% of adults here have attained a Bachelor’s degree or higher, compared with 30% statewide. Nearly 40% of adults here do not have a high school diploma, compared with 20% statewide.

Income: Households in the Imperial County Library jurisdiction have relatively low incomes compared with California as a whole; 34% of households have annual incomes of less than \$25,000, much higher than the statewide rate of 20%. More than 21% of the population is living below the federal poverty level, compared with 13% statewide.

Note: The Imperial County Library serves the county population not located within the city limits of the four municipal libraries.



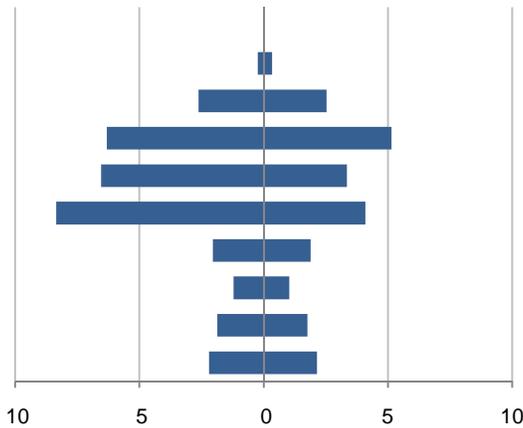
Population by Age

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Key Indicators			
		2000	2010
Population Growth			
	Total population	47,805	53,647
	10-year growth	31.9%	12.2%
Diversity			
	% Hispanic	58.3%	68.6%
	% Asian, non-Hispanic	0.8%	0.9%
	% White, non-Hispanic	29.4%	20.2%
	% Black, non-Hispanic	7.2%	6.7%
Aging			
	% 65+	11.2%	10.7%
	Median age	#N/A	#N/A
Households			
	% Married couple with children	31.9%	25.8%
	% Living alone	19.5%	19.8%

1. Population by Library-Defined Age Group, 2010

In thousands; males on left, females on right

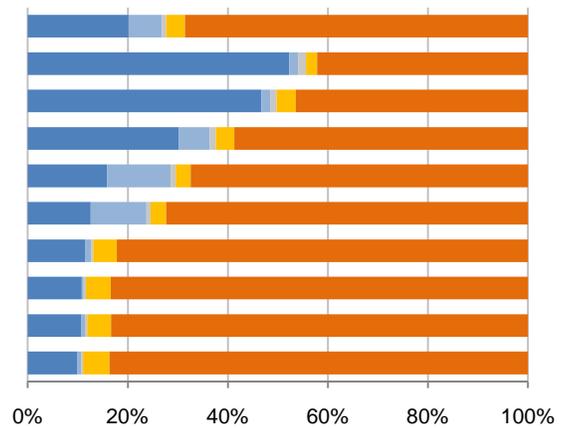


2. Race and Ethnicity by Library-Defined Age Group, 2010

White,NH Black,NH Asian,NH Other,NH Hispanic

Age group

- Total
- 85+, Oldest
- 65 to 84, Older adults
- 46 to 64, Midlife
- 33 to 45, Adult
- 19 to 32, Young
- 14 to 18, Teens
- 11 to 13, Tweens
- 6 to 10, School age
- 0 to 5, Infants/toddlers

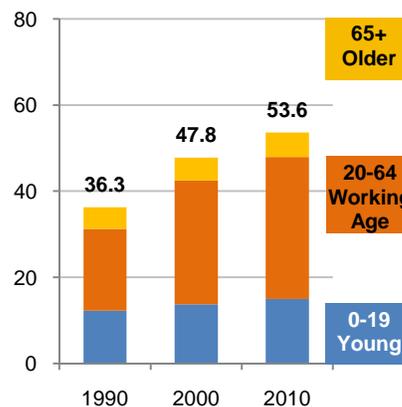


3. Population Growth by Library-Defined Age Group, 2000-10

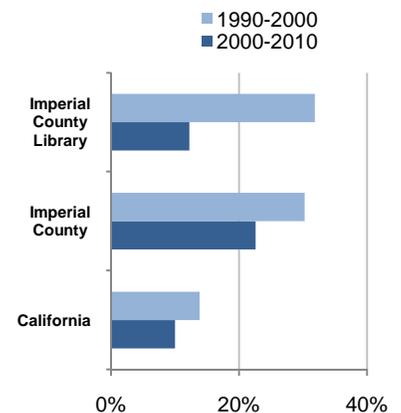
	2010	Change	% Change
Total	53,647	5,842	12.2%
85+	572	137	31.5%
65 to 84	5,152	220	4.5%
46 to 64	11,458	3,292	40.3%
33 to 45	9,889	-636	-6.0%
19 to 32	12,441	1,685	15.7%
14 to 18	3,932	310	8.6%
11 to 13	2,241	56	2.6%
6 to 10	3,620	12	0.3%
0 to 5	4,342	766	21.4%

4. Population Total, 1990-2010

In thousands



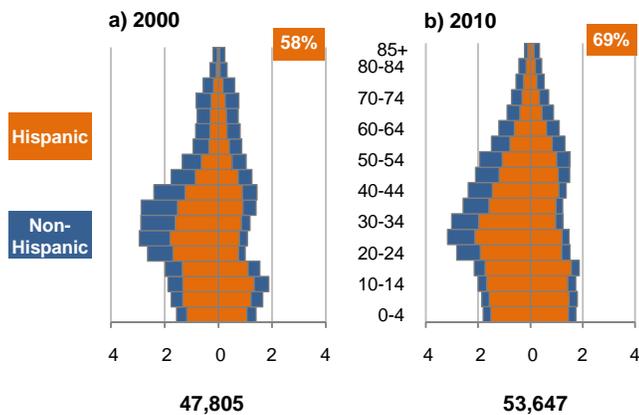
5. 10-Year Population Change



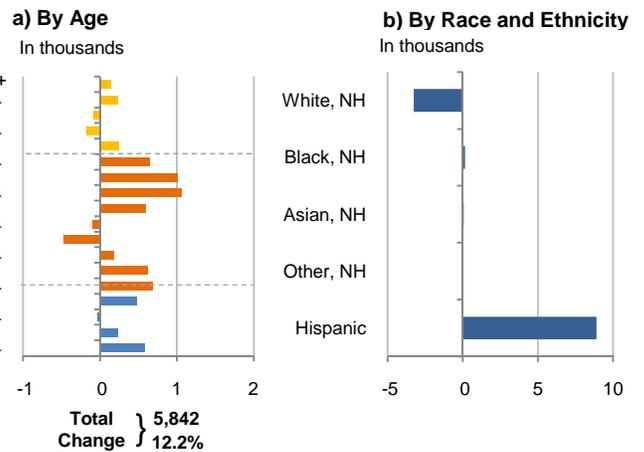
Source: US Census 2010, 2000, or 1990

6. Population by 5-Year Age Brackets

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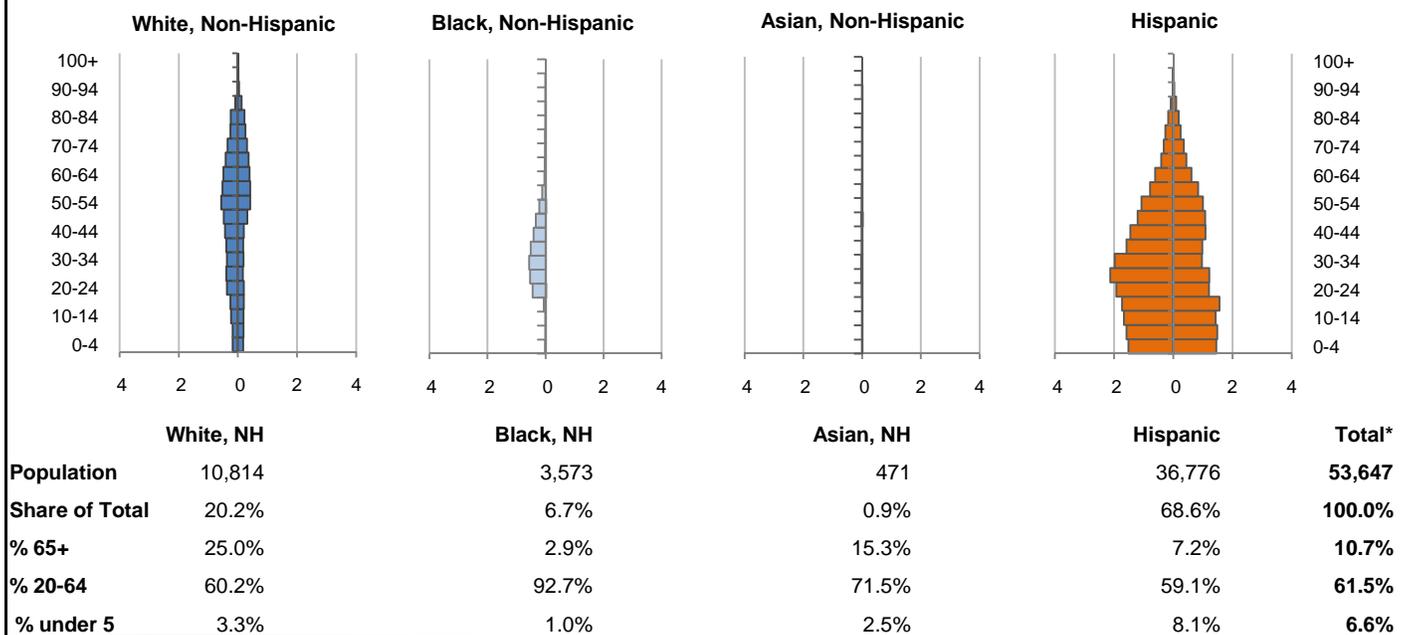


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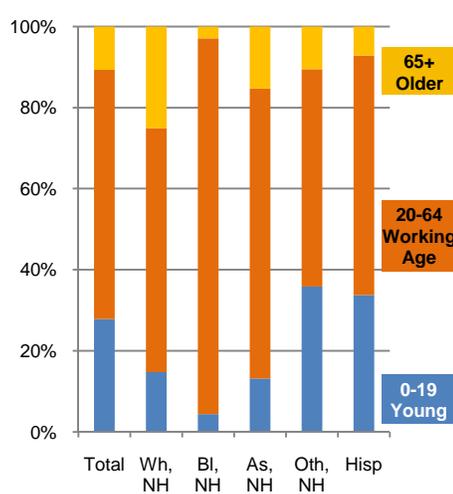


8. Population by Age, Race, and Ethnicity, 2010

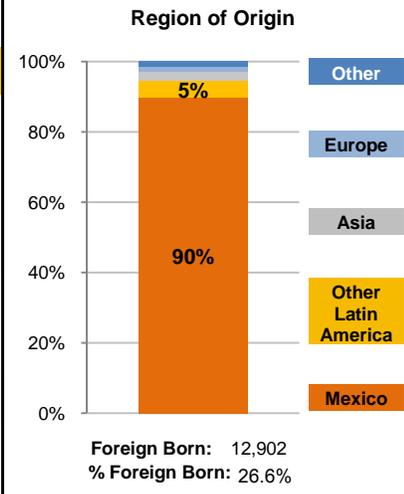
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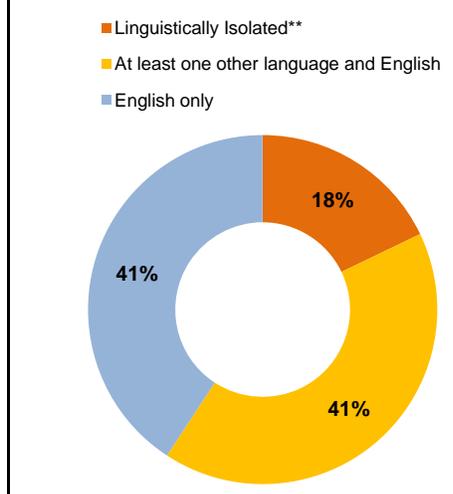
9. Age Mix by Race and Ethnicity, 2010



10. Foreign Born, 2005-09



11. Household Language, 2005-09



Wh=White; BI=Black; As=Asian; Oth=Other Race or Two or More Races; Hisp=Hispanic; NH=Non-Hispanic; ACS=American Community Survey 2005-09

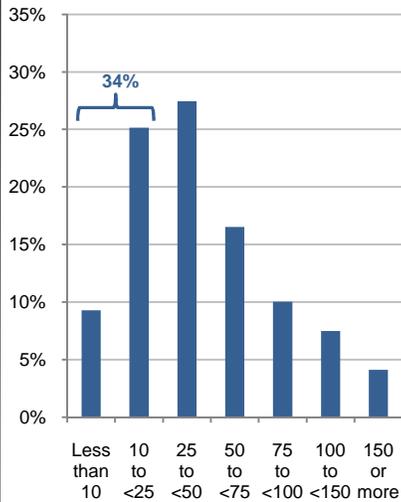
*See pages 5-6 for detail on Other, Non-Hispanic

**Linguistically Isolated = No one in the household age 14 and over speaks English at least "very well"

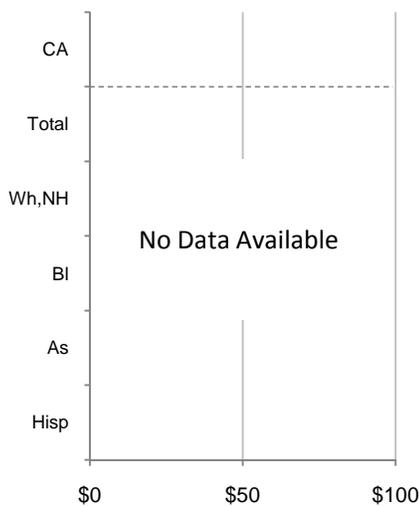
12. Household Income, 2005-09

In thousands of \$ (2009)

a) Income Distribution



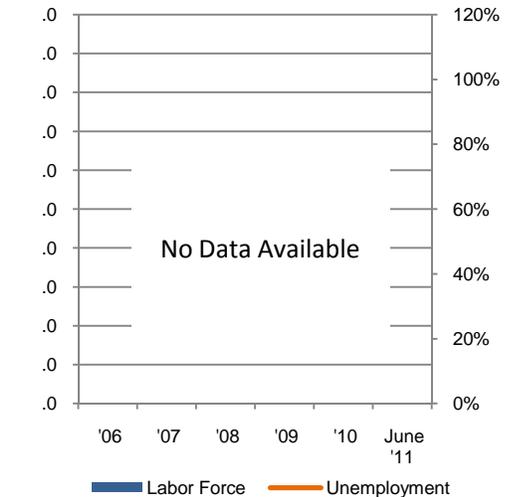
b) Median Household Income by Race and Ethnicity*



13. Labor Force and Unemployment, 2006-11

Labor Force

Unemployment Rate

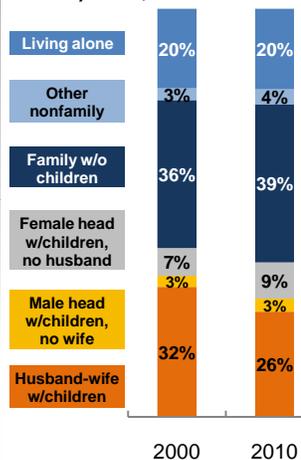


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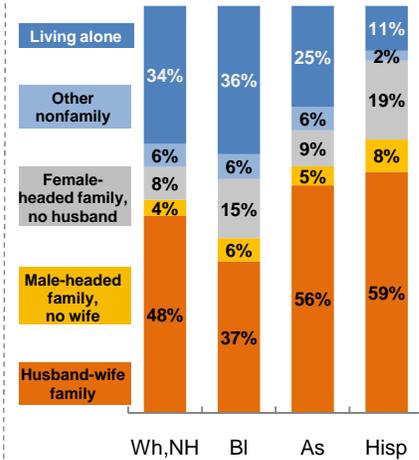
14. Household Type, 2010

% of all households

a) Total, 2000-10

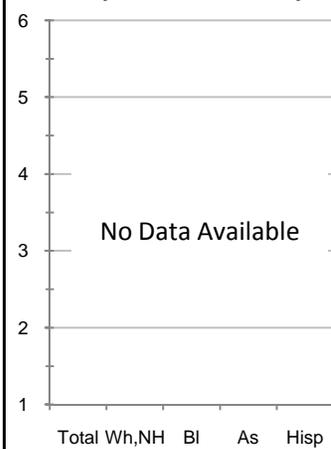


b) By Race and Ethnicity,* 2010

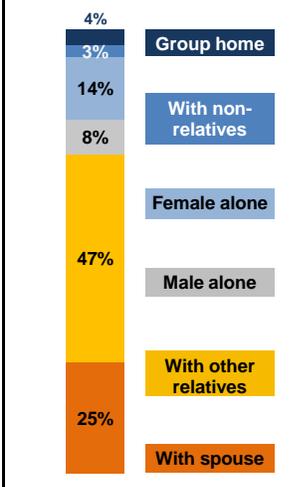


15. Average Household Size, 2010

By Race and Ethnicity*



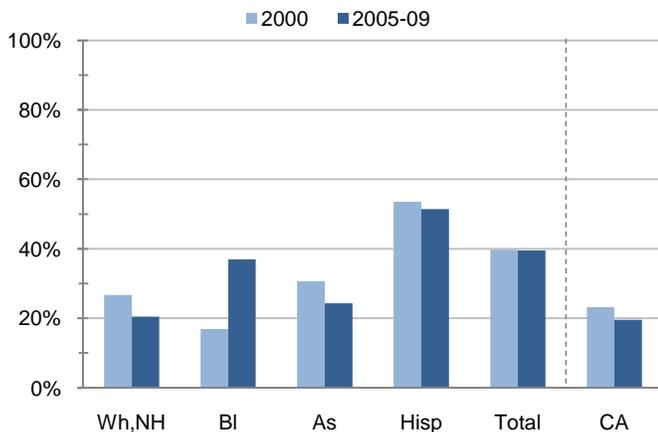
16. Living Arrangements Age 65+, 2005-09



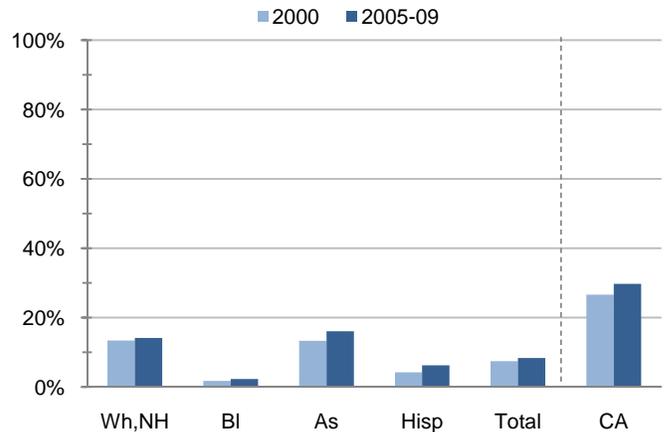
Source: ACS 2005-09

17. Educational Attainment for the Population Age 25 and Over by Race and Ethnicity*

a) % of Adults Who Did Not Complete High School



b) % of Adults Who Attained a BA or Higher



Source: Census 2000, ACS 2005-09

*Wh,NH=White,Non-Hispanic; BI=Black,Hispanic Inclusive; As=Asian,Hispanic Inclusive; Hisp=Hispanic(Includes all races); CA=California Total

Note: In the American Community Survey and for Census variables other than population, Hispanic origin is not broken out for all races.

	White, Non- Hispanic	Black, Non- Hispanic	Asian, Non- Hispanic	Other, Non- Hispanic	Detail for Other, Non-Hispanic				Hispanic or Latino	Total Population
					American Indian & Alaska Native	Native Hawaiian & Pacific Islander	Some Other Race	Two or More Races		
A. Total Population										
2000 Total	14,062	3,424	402	2,050	1,447	17	23	563	27,867	47,805
2000 % of Total	29.4%	7.2%	0.8%	4.3%	3.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.2%	58.3%	100.0%
2010 Total	10,814	3,573	471	2,013	1,404	52	56	501	36,776	53,647
2010 % of Total	20.2%	6.7%	0.9%	3.8%	2.6%	0.1%	0.1%	0.9%	68.6%	100.0%
B. Population in Major Age Groups by Race and Ethnicity										
2000										
0-19	2,658	215	94	814	592	4	11	207	9,904	13,685
20-64	8,104	3,126	243	1,043	751	10	12	270	16,237	28,753
65+	3,300	83	65	193	104	3	0	86	1,726	5,367
85+	305	7	14	14	7	0	0	7	95	435
2010										
0-19	1,595	157	62	722	505	8	14	195	12,415	14,951
20-64	6,513	3,313	337	1,079	774	37	37	231	21,730	32,972
65+	2,706	103	72	212	125	7	5	75	2,631	5,724
85+	299	10	9	13	8	0	0	5	241	572
C. Age Mix for Each Racial and Ethnic Group										
2000										
0-19	18.9%	6.3%	23.4%	39.7%	40.9%	23.5%	47.8%	36.8%	35.5%	28.6%
20-64	57.6%	91.3%	60.4%	50.9%	51.9%	58.8%	52.2%	48.0%	58.3%	60.1%
65+	23.5%	2.4%	16.2%	9.4%	7.2%	17.6%	0.0%	15.3%	6.2%	11.2%
85+	2.2%	0.2%	3.5%	0.7%	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	1.2%	0.3%	0.9%
2010										
0-19	14.7%	4.4%	13.2%	35.9%	36.0%	15.4%	25.0%	38.9%	33.8%	27.9%
20-64	60.2%	92.7%	71.5%	53.6%	55.1%	71.2%	66.1%	46.1%	59.1%	61.5%
65+	25.0%	2.9%	15.3%	10.5%	8.9%	13.5%	8.9%	15.0%	7.2%	10.7%
85+	2.8%	0.3%	1.9%	0.6%	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%	1.0%	0.7%	1.1%
D. Racial and Ethnic Mix for Each Age Group										
2000										
0-19	19.4%	1.6%	0.7%	5.9%	4.3%	0.0%	0.1%	1.5%	72.4%	100.0%
20-64	28.2%	10.9%	0.8%	3.6%	2.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.9%	56.5%	100.0%
65+	61.5%	1.5%	1.2%	3.6%	1.9%	0.1%	0.0%	1.6%	32.2%	100.0%
85+	70.1%	1.6%	3.2%	3.2%	1.6%	0.0%	0.0%	1.6%	21.8%	100.0%
2010										
0-19	10.7%	1.1%	0.4%	4.8%	3.4%	0.1%	0.1%	1.3%	83.0%	100.0%
20-64	19.8%	10.0%	1.0%	3.3%	2.3%	0.1%	0.1%	0.7%	65.9%	100.0%
65+	47.3%	1.8%	1.3%	3.7%	2.2%	0.1%	0.1%	1.3%	46.0%	100.0%
85+	52.3%	1.7%	1.6%	2.3%	1.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.9%	42.1%	100.0%
E. Population Growth										
2000-10, Change										
0-19	-1,063	-58	-32	-92	-87	4	3	-12	2,511	1,266
20-64	-1,591	187	94	36	23	27	25	-39	5,493	4,219
65+	-594	20	7	19	21	4	5	-11	905	357
85+	-6	3	-5	-1	1	0	0	-2	146	137
Total	-3,248	149	69	-37	-43	35	33	-62	8,909	5,842
2000-10, % Change										
0-19	-40.0%	-27.0%	-34.0%	-11.3%	-14.7%	100.0%	27.3%	-5.8%	25.4%	9.3%
20-64	-19.6%	6.0%	38.7%	3.5%	3.1%	270.0%	208.3%	-14.4%	33.8%	14.7%
65+	-18.0%	24.1%	10.8%	9.8%	20.2%	133.3%	N/A	-12.8%	52.4%	6.7%
85+	-2.0%	42.9%	-35.7%	-7.1%	14.3%	N/A	N/A	-28.6%	153.7%	31.5%
Total	-23.1%	4.4%	17.2%	-1.8%	-3.0%	205.9%	143.5%	-11.0%	32.0%	12.2%

Source: US Census 2010, 2000

	White, Non- Hispanic	Black, Non- Hispanic	Asian, Non- Hispanic	Other, Non- Hispanic	Detail for Other, Non-Hispanic				Hispanic or Latino	Total Population 2010
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F. Population by Library-Defined Age Groups, 2010										
0-5	428	39	14	228	156	3	5	64	3,633	4,342
6-10	388	26	15	173	127	0	3	43	3,018	3,620
11-13	242	8	11	111	89	0	1	21	1,869	2,241
14-18	449	49	18	184	116	4	3	61	3,232	3,932
19-32	1,563	1,391	100	388	269	24	19	76	8,999	12,441
33-45	1,573	1,250	105	295	214	5	12	64	6,666	9,889
46-64	3,465	707	136	422	308	9	8	97	6,728	11,458
65-84	2,407	93	63	199	117	7	5	70	2,390	5,152
85+	299	10	9	13	8	0	0	5	241	572
Total	10,814	3,573	471	2,013	1,404	52	56	501	36,776	53,647
G. Population by 5-Year Age Brackets, 2010										
0-4	352	35	12	183	126	3	3	51	2,964	3,546
5-9	373	26	13	184	131	0	5	48	3,060	3,656
10-14	417	17	18	184	141	1	1	41	3,097	3,733
15-19	453	79	19	171	107	4	5	55	3,294	4,016
20-24	566	466	33	139	102	6	5	26	3,125	4,329
25-29	565	554	45	146	100	13	7	26	3,348	4,658
30-34	558	578	35	125	79	7	9	30	2,948	4,244
35-39	575	525	37	108	85	1	4	18	2,563	3,808
40-44	633	413	41	122	87	1	3	31	2,543	3,752
45-49	798	351	55	129	99	3	5	22	2,276	3,609
50-54	988	242	31	109	73	1	1	34	2,080	3,450
55-59	943	129	35	91	65	2	1	23	1,616	2,814
60-64	887	55	25	110	84	3	2	21	1,231	2,308
65-69	771	39	23	90	56	1	0	33	846	1,769
70-74	651	27	17	58	39	2	1	16	672	1,425
75-79	515	19	10	27	13	1	2	11	518	1,089
80-84	470	8	13	24	9	3	2	10	354	869
85-89	215	8	3	7	4	0	0	3	181	414
90-94	62	1	3	3	3	0	0	0	50	119
95-99	19	1	3	2	1	0	0	1	10	35
100+	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	4
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H. Median Age, 2000-10										
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2000	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A		#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
2010	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A		#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A

Source: US Census 2010, 2000

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I. Income Distribution, 2005-09			J. Median Household Income by Race and Ethnicity, 2005-09 (\$2009)							
Range (ths)	Households	% of Total	White, NH	Black	Asian	Hispanic	Total	% of CA	California	
<\$10	1,141	9.3%	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	\$60,392	
\$10 to <\$25	3,095	25.2%								
\$25 to <\$50	3,375	27.4%								
\$50 to <\$75	2,031	16.5%								
\$75 to <\$100	1,232	10.0%								
\$100 to <\$150	921	7.5%								
\$150+	505	4.1%								
K. Household Type, 2000-10			2000	2000,%	2010	2010,%				
Total households			12,212	100.0%	13,874	100.0%				
Family Households			9,472	77.6%	10,623	76.6%				
Husband-wife w/children			3,890	31.9%	3,577	25.8%				
Female head, no husband, w/children			821	6.7%	1,232	8.9%				
Male head, no wife, w/children			336	2.8%	447	3.2%				
Without children			4,425	36.2%	5,367	38.7%				
Nonfamily households			2,740	22.4%	3,251	23.4%				
Living alone			2,386	19.5%	2,743	19.8%				
Other nonfamily			354	2.9%	508	3.7%	Source: US Census 2010, 2000			
L. Household Type by Race and Ethnicity, 2010			White, NH	Black	Asian	Hispanic	Total			
Total households			4,567	247	193	8,318	13,874			
Husband-wife family			48.5%	37.2%	56.0%	59.2%	54.0%			
Family with male head, no wife			4.0%	5.7%	4.7%	8.0%	6.7%			
Family with female head, no husband			8.1%	14.6%	8.8%	19.4%	15.8%			
Living alone			33.9%	36.4%	24.9%	11.0%	19.8%	Source: US		
Other nonfamily			5.6%	6.1%	5.7%	2.4%	3.7%	Census 2010		
M. Poverty, 2005-09			Percentage of families and people whose income in the past 12 months is below the poverty level						California	
All families									17.2%	9.8%
Families w/ related children under 18 years									24.3%	14.5%
Families w/ female householder, no husband present									35.5%	24.2%
Families w/ female householder, no husband present w/ related children under 18 years									41.6%	32.2%
All people									21.1%	13.2%
Under 18 years									26.6%	18.3%
18 to 64 years									20.1%	11.9%
65 years and over									13.2%	8.4%
N. Educational Attainment, 2005-09			% at each level of educational attainment							
			White, NH	Black	Asian	Hispanic	Total			
Population 25 years and over			9,117	2,543	522	17,151	30,653			
Less than high school			20.5%	37.0%	24.3%	51.4%	39.5%			
High school graduate (includes equivalency)			34.7%	42.0%	33.1%	21.1%	28.0%			
Some college or associate's degree			30.7%	18.8%	26.4%	21.3%	24.1%			
Bachelor's degree or higher			14.1%	2.3%	16.1%	6.2%	8.3%			
O. Employment Status, 2010-11			2010	June 2011						
In civilian labor force			#N/A	#N/A						
Employed			#N/A	#N/A						
Unemployed, % of labor force			#N/A	#N/A	Source: CA Employment Development Department					
P. Occupation, 2005-09			Estimate		Percent					
Civilian employed population, 16 yrs & over			13,233		100.0%					
Management, professional, and related occupations			3,122		23.6%					
Service occupations			2,826		21.4%					
Sales and office occupations			3,062		23.1%					
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations			1,088		8.2%					
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations			1,507		11.4%					
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations			1,628		12.3%					
Q. Class of Worker, 2005-09			Estimate		Percent					
Civilian employed population, 16 yrs & over			13,233		100.0%					
Private, for profit, wage and salary employee			7,569		57.2%					
Private, not for profit, wage and salary employee			676		5.1%					
Private, for profit, wage and salary self-employed in own business			479		3.6%					
Government workers			3,486		26.3%					
Self-employed in own not incorporated business			981		7.4%					
Unpaid family workers in family business			42		0.3%					

Source: American Community Survey 2005-09, unless otherwise stated

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