

Highlights



**Population Growth:** The total population in Los Gatos increased by just 3% over the past decade to 29,000, slower than the statewide growth rate of 10%. The greatest growth was in the Asian population (1,000), and the white, non-Hispanic population declined by 1,000.

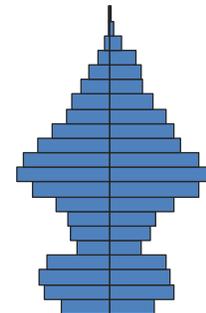
**Diversity:** Los Gatos is predominantly white, non-Hispanic, although this population share declined from 83% to 77% since 2000. The Asian share increased from 8% to 11% of total.

**Age Structure:** Los Gatos is considerably older than California overall, and the age structure shifted upward over the past decade. The number of working-age people declined, while the numbers of young people and older people increased. Median age increased from 41 to 45, compared with the current statewide median age of 35. The share of the population age 65+ increased from 15% to 18% of total, compared with just 11% statewide.

**Households:** Thirty percent of households are single-person, compared with 23% statewide. Ten percent of people age 65+ live in group homes, compared with just 4% in California overall.

**Education:** Educational attainment is much higher than in the state overall. Just 3% of adults have not completed high school, compared with 20% of adults statewide, and 63% have earned a Bachelor’s degree or higher, compared with 30% in California overall.

**Income:** Median household income is \$118,000, nearly twice the California median of \$60,000. Forty percent of households have income of \$150,000 or higher, compared with 12% of households statewide.



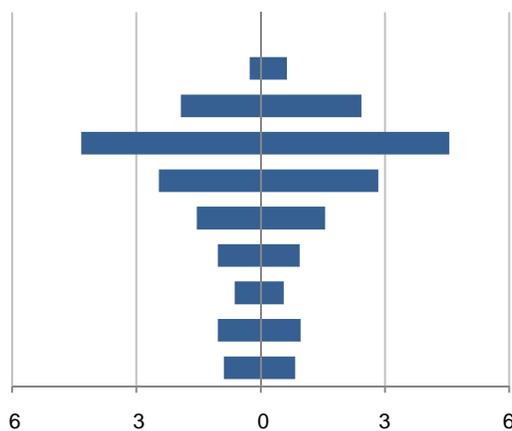
Population by Age

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Key Indicators			
		2000	2010
<b>Population Growth</b>			
	Total population	28,592	29,413
	10-year growth	4.5%	2.9%
<b>Diversity</b>			
	% Hispanic	5.2%	7.2%
	% Asian, non-Hispanic	7.6%	10.8%
	% White, non-Hispanic	83.3%	77.0%
	% Black, non-Hispanic	0.8%	0.9%
<b>Aging</b>			
	% 65+	15.3%	17.9%
	Median age	41.2	45.0
<b>Households</b>			
	% Married couple with children	22.3%	23.1%
	% Living alone	29.8%	29.9%

1. Population by Library-Defined Age Group, 2010

In thousands; males on left, females on right

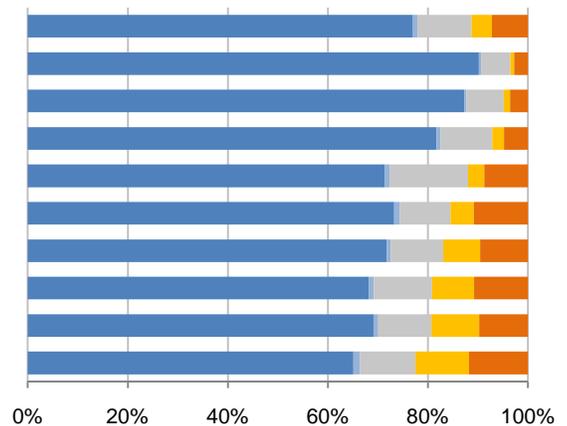


2. Race and Ethnicity by Library-Defined Age Group, 2010

Legend: White, NH (Blue); Black, NH (Light Blue); Asian, NH (Grey); Other, NH (Yellow); Hispanic (Orange)

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

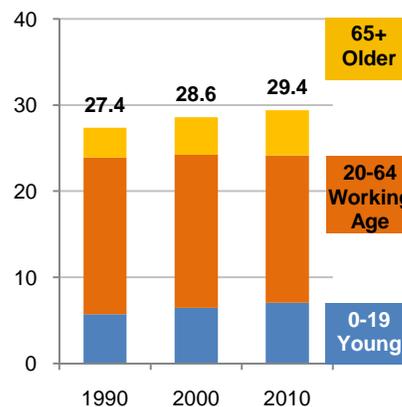


3. Population Growth by Library-Defined Age Group, 2000-10

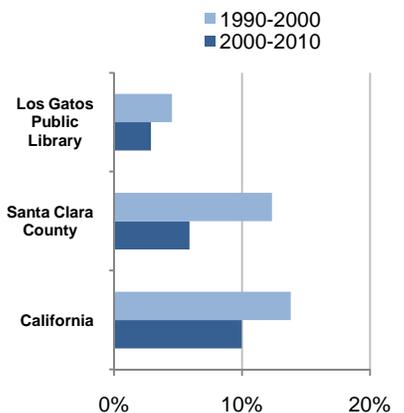
Age Group	2010	Change	% Change
Total	29,413	821	2.9%
85+	905	157	21.0%
65 to 84	4,360	724	19.9%
46 to 64	8,887	1,480	20.0%
33 to 45	5,289	-1,424	-21.2%
19 to 32	3,096	-711	-18.7%
14 to 18	1,973	367	22.9%
11 to 13	1,188	95	8.7%
6 to 10	1,996	187	10.3%
0 to 5	1,719	-54	-3.0%

4. Population Total, 1990-2010

In thousands



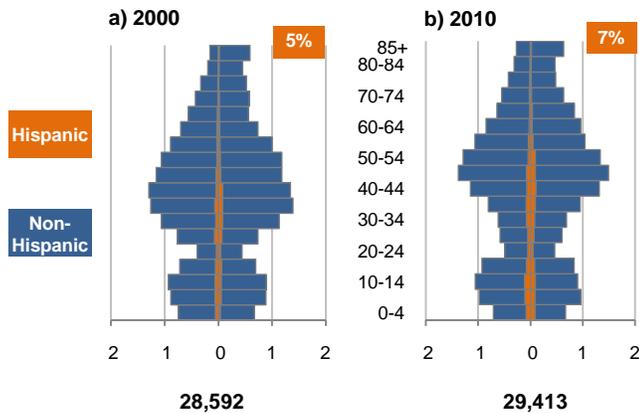
5. 10-Year Population Change



Source: US Census 2010, 2000, or 1990

6. Population by 5-Year Age Brackets

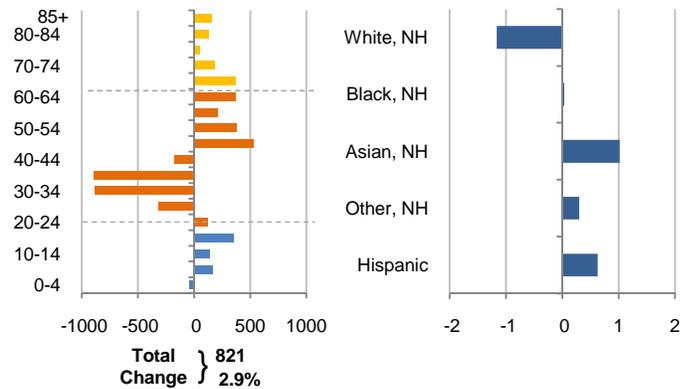
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7. 10-Year Change in Population, 2000-10

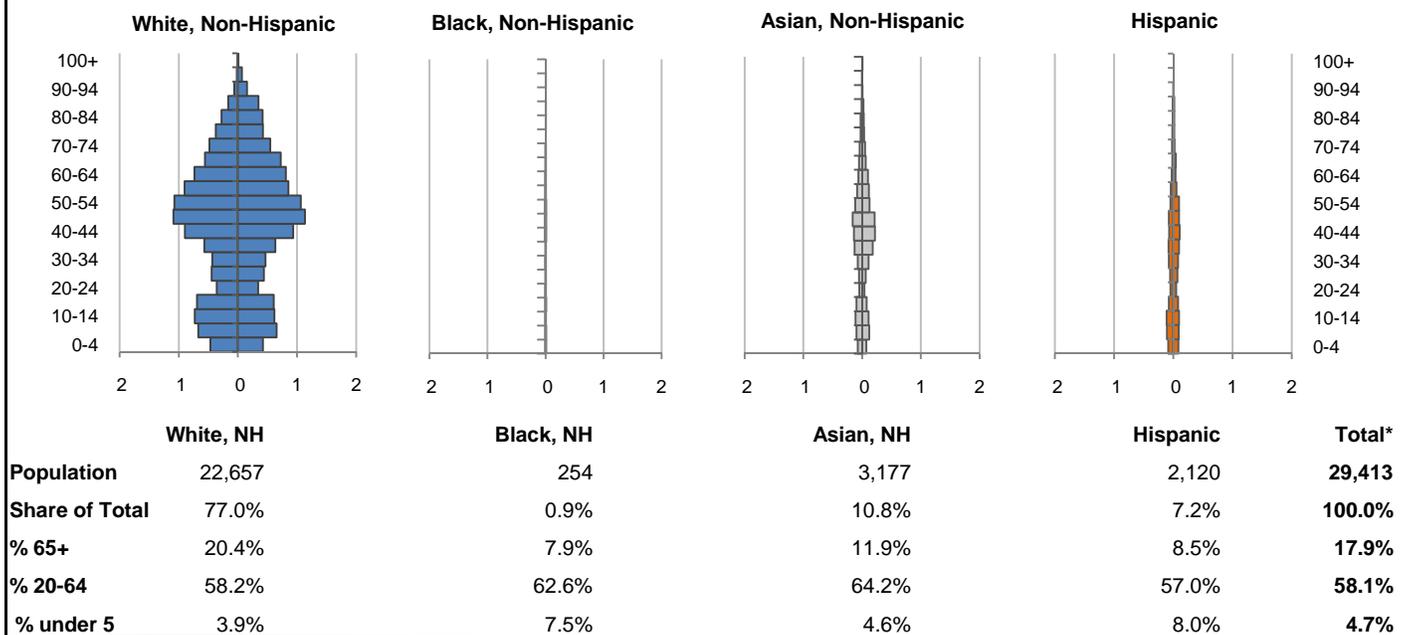
a) By Age

b) By Race and Ethnicity  
In thousands

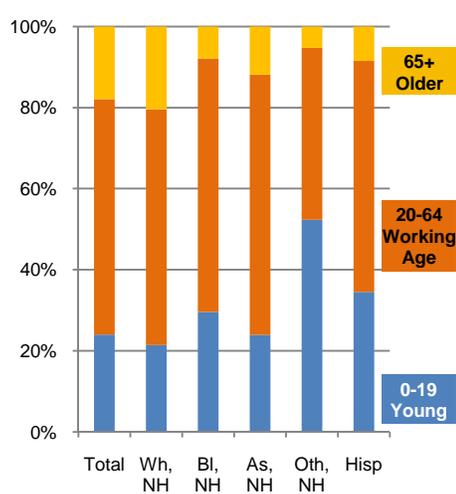


8. Population by Age, Race, and Ethnicity, 2010

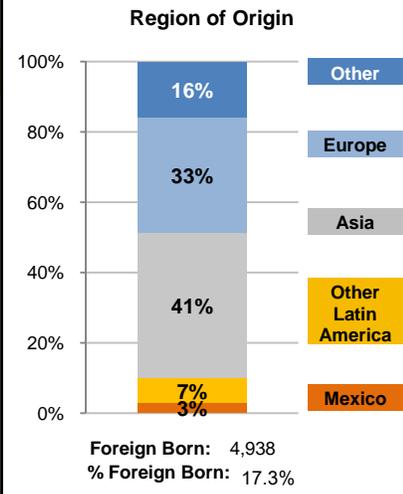
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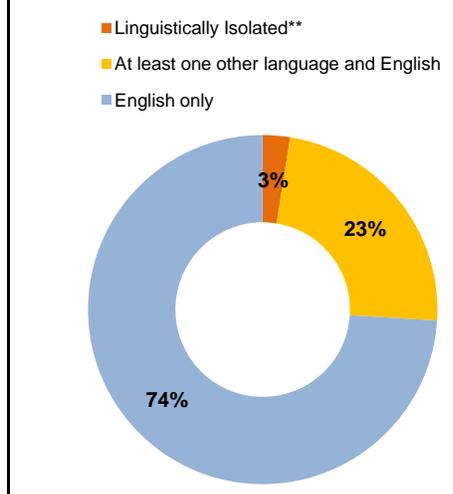
9. Age Mix by Race and Ethnicity, 2010



10. Foreign Born, 2005-09



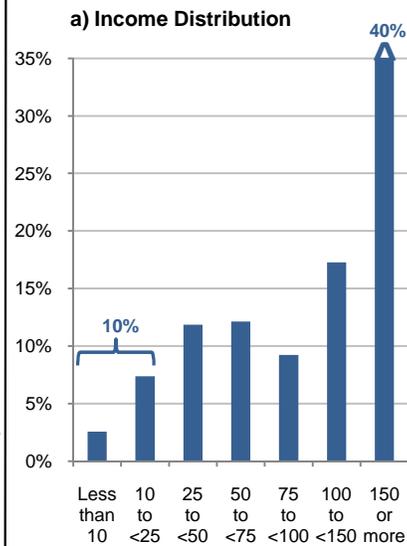
11. Household Language, 2005-09



Wh=White; Bl=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

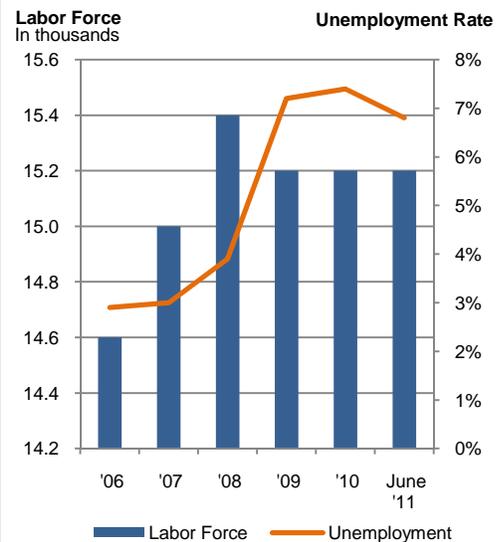
In thousands of \$ (2009)



**b) Median Household Income by Race and Ethnicity\***



13. Labor Force and Unemployment, 2006-11

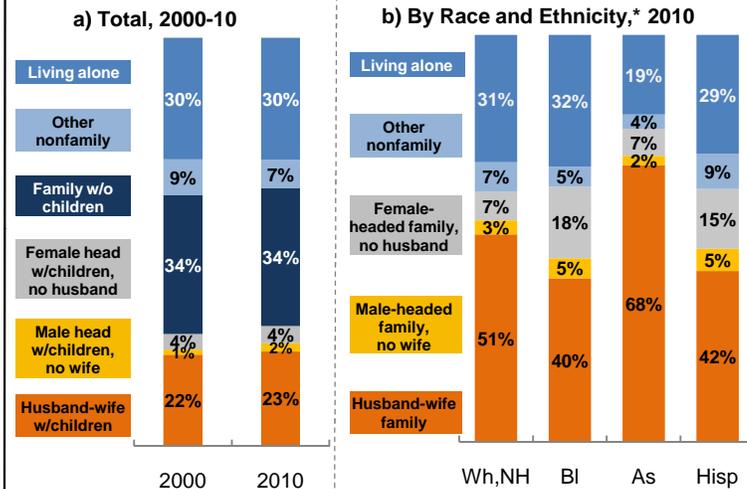


Source: ACS 2005-09

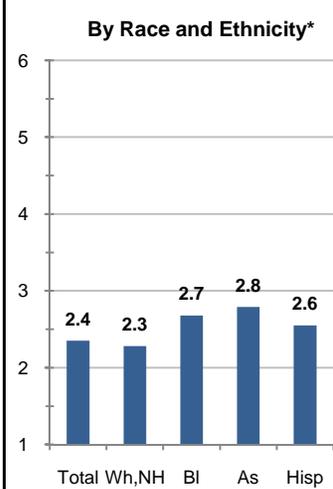
Source: CA Employment Development Department

14. Household Type, 2010

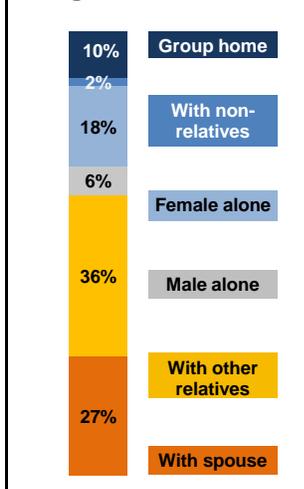
% of all households



15. Average Household Size, 2010

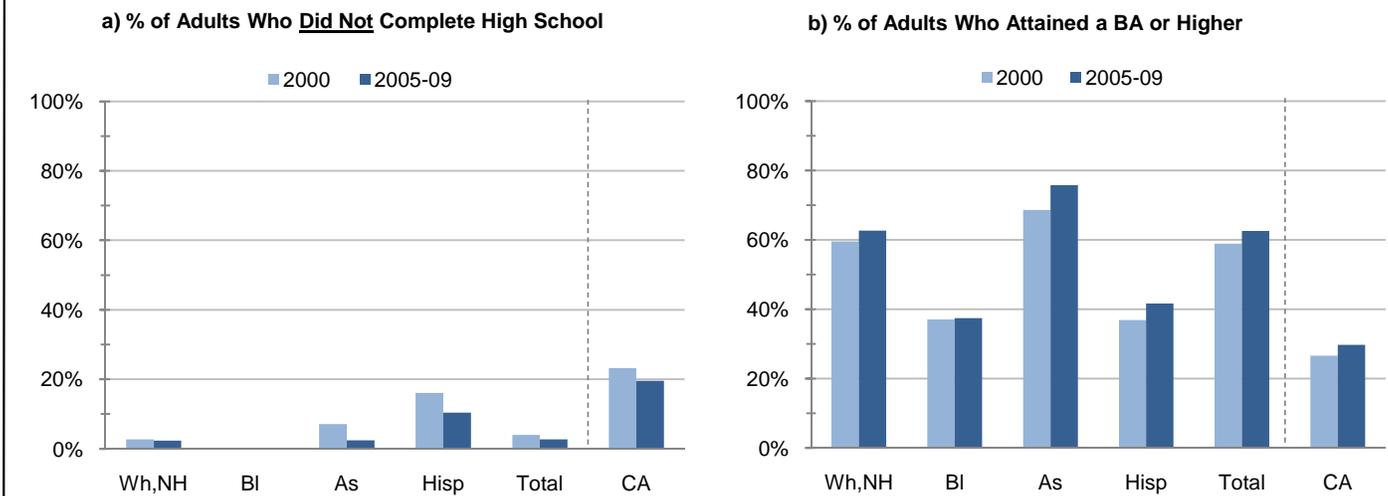


16. Living Arrangements Age 65+, 2005-09



Source: ACS 2005-09

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



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		
<b>A. Total Population</b>										
<b>2000 Total</b>	23,821	217	2,160	903	53	19	54	777	1,491	28,592
<b>2000 % of Total</b>	83.3%	0.8%	7.6%	3.2%	0.2%	0.1%	0.2%	2.7%	5.2%	100.0%
<b>2010 Total</b>	22,657	254	3,177	1,205	51	43	65	1,046	2,120	29,413
<b>2010 % of Total</b>	77.0%	0.9%	10.8%	4.1%	0.2%	0.1%	0.2%	3.6%	7.2%	100.0%
<b>B. Population in Major Age Groups by Race and Ethnicity</b>										
<b>2000</b>										
0-19	4,987	51	558	394	7	3	22	362	454	6,444
20-64	14,838	155	1,400	464	41	16	25	382	907	17,764
65+	3,996	11	202	45	5	0	7	33	130	4,384
85+	708	1	14	3	1	0	0	2	22	748
<b>2010</b>										
0-19	4,857	75	759	631	9	16	34	572	732	7,054
20-64	13,176	159	2,041	510	35	22	30	423	1,208	17,094
65+	4,624	20	377	64	7	5	1	51	180	5,265
85+	816	4	53	7	0	2	0	5	25	905
<b>C. Age Mix for Each Racial and Ethnic Group</b>										
<b>2000</b>										
0-19	20.9%	23.5%	25.8%	43.6%	13.2%	15.8%	40.7%	46.6%	30.4%	22.5%
20-64	62.3%	71.4%	64.8%	51.4%	77.4%	84.2%	46.3%	49.2%	60.8%	62.1%
65+	16.8%	5.1%	9.4%	5.0%	9.4%	0.0%	13.0%	4.2%	8.7%	15.3%
85+	3.0%	0.5%	0.6%	0.3%	1.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%	1.5%	2.6%
<b>2010</b>										
0-19	21.4%	29.5%	23.9%	52.4%	17.6%	37.2%	52.3%	54.7%	34.5%	24.0%
20-64	58.2%	62.6%	64.2%	42.3%	68.6%	51.2%	46.2%	40.4%	57.0%	58.1%
65+	20.4%	7.9%	11.9%	5.3%	13.7%	11.6%	1.5%	4.9%	8.5%	17.9%
85+	3.6%	1.6%	1.7%	0.6%	0.0%	4.7%	0.0%	0.5%	1.2%	3.1%
<b>D. Racial and Ethnic Mix for Each Age Group</b>										
<b>2000</b>										
0-19	77.4%	0.8%	8.7%	6.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.3%	5.6%	7.0%	100.0%
20-64	83.5%	0.9%	7.9%	2.6%	0.2%	0.1%	0.1%	2.2%	5.1%	100.0%
65+	91.1%	0.3%	4.6%	1.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.2%	0.8%	3.0%	100.0%
85+	94.7%	0.1%	1.9%	0.4%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%	2.9%	100.0%
<b>2010</b>										
0-19	68.9%	1.1%	10.8%	8.9%	0.1%	0.2%	0.5%	8.1%	10.4%	100.0%
20-64	77.1%	0.9%	11.9%	3.0%	0.2%	0.1%	0.2%	2.5%	7.1%	100.0%
65+	87.8%	0.4%	7.2%	1.2%	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	1.0%	3.4%	100.0%
85+	90.2%	0.4%	5.9%	0.8%	0.0%	0.2%	0.0%	0.6%	2.8%	100.0%
<b>E. Population Growth</b>										
<b>2000-10, Change</b>										
0-19	-130	24	201	237	2	13	12	210	278	610
20-64	-1,662	4	641	46	-6	6	5	41	301	-670
65+	628	9	175	19	2	5	-6	18	50	881
85+	108	3	39	4	-1	2	0	3	3	157
<b>Total</b>	<b>-1,164</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>1,017</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>-2</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>629</b>	<b>821</b>
<b>2000-10, % Change</b>										
0-19	-2.6%	47.1%	36.0%	60.2%	28.6%	433.3%	54.5%	58.0%	61.2%	9.5%
20-64	-11.2%	2.6%	45.8%	9.9%	-14.6%	37.5%	20.0%	10.7%	33.2%	-3.8%
65+	15.7%	81.8%	86.6%	42.2%	40.0%	N/A	-85.7%	54.5%	38.5%	20.1%
85+	15.3%	300.0%	278.6%	133.3%	-100.0%	N/A	N/A	150.0%	13.6%	21.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>-4.9%</b>	<b>17.1%</b>	<b>47.1%</b>	<b>33.4%</b>	<b>-3.8%</b>	<b>126.3%</b>	<b>20.4%</b>	<b>34.6%</b>	<b>42.2%</b>	<b>2.9%</b>

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
					American Indian & Alaska Native	Native Hawaiian & Pacific Islander	Some Other Race	Two or More Races		
<b>F. Population by Library-Defined Age Groups, 2010</b>										
0-5	1,119	22	192	183	3	2	7	171	203	1,719
6-10	1,380	19	212	191	3	6	12	170	194	1,996
11-13	810	12	138	100	2	2	6	90	128	1,188
14-18	1,416	17	206	146	1	6	9	130	188	1,973
19-32	2,268	35	313	144	6	4	11	123	336	3,096
33-45	3,778	54	824	170	11	12	11	136	463	5,289
46-64	7,262	75	915	207	18	6	8	175	428	8,887
65-84	3,808	16	324	57	7	3	1	46	155	4,360
85+	816	4	53	7	0	2	0	5	25	905
Total	22,657	254	3,177	1,205	51	43	65	1,046	2,120	29,413
<b>G. Population by 5-Year Age Brackets, 2010</b>										
0-4	892	19	146	152	3	2	6	141	170	1,379
5-9	1,322	20	218	187	3	4	11	169	196	1,943
10-14	1,349	14	223	168	2	4	9	153	209	1,963
15-19	1,294	22	172	124	1	6	8	109	157	1,769
20-24	698	16	90	49	3	0	2	44	102	955
25-29	883	7	113	57	3	2	7	45	126	1,186
30-34	902	13	188	52	1	3	5	43	156	1,311
35-39	1,201	14	309	57	5	4	6	42	177	1,758
40-44	1,829	29	360	72	3	7	2	60	177	2,467
45-49	2,222	29	376	76	5	2	2	67	169	2,872
50-54	2,141	26	245	69	6	1	4	58	143	2,624
55-59	1,752	15	200	46	7	1	1	37	96	2,109
60-64	1,548	10	160	32	2	2	1	27	62	1,812
65-69	1,284	7	116	19	4	1	0	14	57	1,483
70-74	1,030	7	93	17	1	0	1	15	43	1,190
75-79	799	0	62	9	0	0	0	9	35	905
80-84	695	2	53	12	2	2	0	8	20	782
85-89	508	3	34	5	0	2	0	3	19	569
90-94	217	0	15	2	0	0	0	2	6	240
95-99	82	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	85
100+	9	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
Total	22,657	254	3,177	1,205	51	43	65	1,046	2,120	29,413
<b>H. Median Age, 2000-10</b>										
	White, Non- Hispanic	Black, Hispanic Inclusive	Asian, Hispanic Inclusive		American Indian & Alaska Native, Hispanic Inclusive	Native Hawaiian & Pacific Islander, Hispanic Inclusive	Some Other Race, Hispanic Inclusive	Two or More Races, Hispanic Inclusive	Hispanic or Latino	Total Population
<b>2000</b>	42.7	39.0	37.7		34.5	33.8	29.6	23.2	32.1	41.2
<b>2010</b>	47.3	39.4	41.6		43.5	31.5	30.3	17.8	33.3	45.0

Source: US Census 2010, 2000

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

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	294	2.6%	\$117,278	\$63,919	\$148,897	\$71,641	\$118,158	195.7%	\$60,392
\$10 to <\$25	841	7.4%							
\$25 to <\$50	1,354	11.9%							
\$50 to <\$75	1,387	12.1%							
\$75 to <\$100	1,055	9.2%							
\$100 to <\$150	1,973	17.3%							
\$150+	4,520	39.6%							
K. Household Type, 2000-10			2000	2000,%	2010	2010,%			
<b>Total households</b>			12,007	100.0%	12,355	100.0%			
Family Households			7,368	61.4%	7,801	63.1%			
Husband-wife w/children			2,681	22.3%	2,858	23.1%			
Female head, no husband, w/children			463	3.9%	518	4.2%			
Male head, no wife, w/children			148	1.2%	248	2.0%			
Without children			4,076	33.9%	4,177	33.8%			
Nonfamily households			4,639	38.6%	4,554	36.9%			
Living alone			3,579	29.8%	3,695	29.9%			
Other nonfamily			1,060	8.8%	859	7.0%	Source: US Census 2010, 2000		
L. Household Type by Race and Ethnicity, 2010			White, NH	Black	Asian	Hispanic	Total		
<b>Total households</b>			10,176	102	1,108	693	12,355		
Husband-wife family			51.0%	40.2%	68.0%	42.0%	51.9%		
Family with male head, no wife			3.5%	4.9%	2.3%	5.5%	3.5%		
Family with female head, no husband			7.1%	17.6%	6.7%	14.7%	7.7%		
Living alone			31.2%	32.4%	19.5%	29.1%	29.9%	Source: US	
Other nonfamily			7.2%	4.9%	3.5%	8.7%	7.0%	Census 2010	
M. Poverty, 2005-09									
<b>Percentage of families and people whose income in the past 12 months is below the poverty level</b>								California	
All families						1.8%	9.8%		
Families w/ related children under 18 years						2.7%	14.5%		
Families w/ female householder, no husband present						9.5%	24.2%		
Families w/ female householder, no husband present w/ related children under 18 years						11.3%	32.2%		
All people						3.5%	13.2%		
Under 18 years						3.4%	18.3%		
18 to 64 years						3.5%	11.9%		
65 years and over						3.8%	8.4%		
N. Educational Attainment, 2005-09									
			% at each level of educational attainment						
			White, NH	Black	Asian	Hispanic	Total		
<b>Population 25 years and over</b>			16,543	262	2,038	970	20,181		
Less than high school			2.3%	0.0%	2.4%	10.4%	2.7%		
High school graduate (includes equivalency)			8.9%	40.1%	8.5%	18.1%	9.8%		
Some college or associate's degree			26.1%	22.5%	13.3%	29.8%	24.9%		
Bachelor's degree or higher			62.7%	37.4%	75.8%	41.6%	62.6%		
O. Employment Status, 2010-11									
			2010	June 2011					
In civilian labor force			15,200	15,200					
Employed			14,000	14,200					
Unemployed, % of labor force			7.4%	6.8%	Source: CA Employment Development Department				
P. Occupation, 2005-09									
					Estimate	Percent			
<b>Civilian employed population, 16 yrs &amp; over</b>					12,993	100.0%			
Management, professional, and related occupations					8,228	63.3%			
Service occupations					816	6.3%			
Sales and office occupations					3,197	24.6%			
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations					27	0.2%			
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations					371	2.9%			
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations					354	2.7%			
Q. Class of Worker, 2005-09									
					Estimate	Percent			
<b>Civilian employed population, 16 yrs &amp; over</b>					12,993	100.0%			
Private, for profit, wage and salary employee					8,701	67.0%			
Private, not for profit, wage and salary employee					699	5.4%			
Private, for profit, wage and salary self-employed in own business					702	5.4%			
Government workers					1,206	9.3%			
Self-employed in own not incorporated business					1,648	12.7%			
Unpaid family workers in family business					37	0.3%			

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

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