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Statewide Economic and Demographic Profile



Statewide Introduction

Vermont's economy continued to expand in 2024, the fourth straight year of growth after the pandemic-driven contraction in 2020. Real Gross Domestic Product (the total value of all final goods and services produced in a state) increased by 2.3% relative to 2023. Per capita personal income increased 4.9%. Since 2016 the Vermont economy has grown at a compound annual growth rate of 1.6% while the national economy grew at 2.5%.

Statewide total nonfarm employment continued to grow in 2024. At 311,200 the December 2024 employment was 0.1% (+400 jobs) higher than the prior December. This compares to a growth rate of 1.7% in 2023 and 1.9% in 2022. The December 2024 employment figure was 4,800 below the December 2019 level of 316,000. On an annual average basis the largest employment growth in 2024 was in Health Care & Social Assistance, an increase of 1,300 jobs (+2.5%). Government increased by 1,000 (+1.8%). The largest declines were in Financial Activities (-300 or -2.6%).²

County-level employment changes

Annual average employment grew most in Windham county, where 702 jobs (3.5%) were added. On a percentage basis the largest gains were in Grand Isle where 129 jobs were added, an increase of 10.3%. Windsor county sustained a loss of 40 jobs or -0.2%. Other counties with very small declines included Franklin (-10), Essex (-7) and Bennington (-7)³

Population

Vermont's population was 648,493 in July of 2024, a slight decrease from the 2023 peak of 648,708.⁴ Despite the decline today's population is almost 40,000 (+6.5%) larger than the year 2000 when it stood at 608,827.⁵ While the population has grown, the share of that population over the age of 65 has increased significantly. In the year 2010 approximately 14.6% of Vermont's population was over 65. By 2023 that figure had increased to 20.8%. The comparable United States figure was 24.0%. Meanwhile, Vermont's share of the population under age 20 declined from 24.0% in 2010 to 21.4% in 2023. Vermont's median age stands at 43.0 verses a nationwide median of 39.2.⁶

County-level population changes

Between July 1st 2020 and July 1st 2024 the state's population grew by 5,516. Chittenden County was responsible for 2,432 of those people, increasing by 1.4% over the period.

¹ United States Bureau of Economic Analysis, United States Department of Commerce

² Current Employment Statistics, Labor Market Information Division, Vermont Department of Labor

³ Quarterly Census of Employment & Wages, Labor Market Information Division, Vermont Department of Labor

⁴ Population Estimates Program. United States Census Bureau

⁵ 2020 United States Decennial Census. United States Census Bureau

⁶ American Community Survey 5-year estimates. United States Census Bureau

Franklin County added 1,017 people or 2.0%. On a percentage basis the largest increases were in Grand Isle County (+253 or +3,5%). The largest declines were in Bennington where the population declined by 273 (-0.7%). The median age is lowest in Chittenden County (37) followed by Franklin and Lamoille counties, both 41. The highest median ages are found in Essex (52) and Grand Isle (49).⁷

Educational Attainment

Among Vermonters over 25 years of age, 94.5% have a high school diploma. 27.3% of all Vermonters have a high school diploma or equivalent with no further formal education. 24.6% completed some college or an Associate's degree. 24.7% hold a Bachelor's degree and 18.0% hold a graduate or professional degree.⁷

Labor Force

During the pandemic the labor force fell to the lowest level since the year 2000; The 2021 annual average labor force was 335,453. Since that time it has grown each year, adding over 7,000 in both 2022 and 2023. The growth slowed in 2024 with the labor force adding 5,797 or 1.7%.

The 2024 the labor force averaged 355,910 Vermonters; 347,673 employed persons and 8,237 unemployed. The unemployment rate averaged 2.3%, an increase of four tenths of a percentage point from the prior year. The number of employed persons increased 4,313 over the year while the number of unemployed persons increased by 1,484.

The seasonally-adjusted labor force participation rate – the share of the civilian population over 16 years of age that's in the labor force – stood at 64.9% in December 2023. It rose throughout 2024, ending the year at 65.5%. Since 2016 the rate has declined by about one and a half percentage points. That decline is explained in part by the aforementioned increase in the share of the population over 65 years of age. During the lowest point of the Covid pandemic the rate declined to 61.7% (November 2020).

County level labor force changes

Since 2016 Vermont's annual average labor force has increased by 3,627 or 1.0%. The largest numeric growth has been in Chittenden County where the labor force has grown by 3,680 or 3.8%. On a percentage basis the largest growth has been in Grand Isle, 6.77% or 259 people. The largest losses have been in Rutland County (-2,144 or -6.6%) and Windham County (-1,331 or 5.1%).

The county with the lowest annual average unemployment rate in 2024 was Chittenden at 1.9% followed by Addison at 2.0% and Windsor at 2.1%. The only counties with annual

⁷ American Community Survey 5-year estimates. United States Census Bureau

average unemployment rates above three percent were Orleans county (3.6%) and its eastern neighbor Essex County at 3.3%.8

Income & Wages

Vermont's 2023 median household income was \$81,211.9 This represents a nominal increase of 9.8% over 2022. In 2024, average annual wages across all industries was \$64,483, a 4.3% increase from 2023. Average annual private-sector wages were \$64,027 while average government wages were \$66,676.

Within the private sector the highest average wages were in Management of Companies & Enterprises (\$134,583), Utilities (\$132,026) and Professional, Scientific & Technical Services (\$117,553). The lowest average wages were in Accommodation & Food Services (\$31,832) and Arts, Entertainment & Recreation (\$32,284). Within Government, federal government annual wages in Vermont averaged \$101,926. State government wages averaged \$73,565 while local government wages averaged \$55,022.

County level poverty rates

The statewide poverty rate for all ages was 9.9% in 2023, falling back to 2019 levels after an increase during the pandemic. The poverty rate ranged from 7.8% in Chittenden County to 14.1% in Orleans County and 14.4% in Essex County. For children under 18 the statewide poverty rate was 16.0%, ranging from 6.2% in Chittenden and 8.1% in Washington to 19.1% in Essex County. 10

Housing

In 2023 about 58% of homes in Vermont were owner-occupied. Twenty two percent were renter-occupied while 15% were seasonal and 5% were vacant. Primary home sales increased by 4.7% in 2024, with 6,028 total sales. Between 2019 and 2022 primary home sales averaged 8,232. The highest figure on record was 9,659 primary home sales in 2003. Between 2023 and 2024, the median primary home sale price increased by 10.2%, from \$325,000 to \$358,000. In the past decade the median home sale price has increased by 80.8%. Since 2020 the median sale price has increased by 46%.¹¹

Median rent was \$1,193 in 2023, an increase of \$34 or 3.8% over the prior year. Median rent ranged from \$977 for a one-bedroom unit to \$1,644 for a four bedroom. Between 2019 and 2023 median rent increased 21.1% or \$208.12

⁸ Local Area Unemployment Statistics, Labor Market Information Division, Vermont Department of Labor

⁹ American Community Survey 1-year estimates, United States Census Bureau

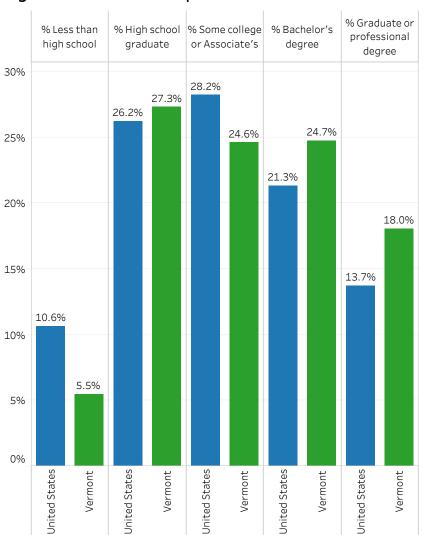
¹⁰ Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates, American Community Survey, United States Census Bureau

¹¹ Vermont Property Transfer Tax records, analysis by Vermont Housing Finance Agency

¹² American Community Survey 5-year estimates, United States Census Bureau

Demographics

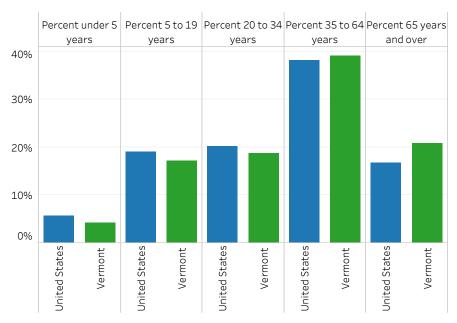
Highest Education Completed¹



Age²

		2013	2023	Change
Percent under 5	United States	6.4%	5.7%	-0.7%
years	Vermont	5.0%	4.3%	-0.7%
Percent 5 to 19	United States	20.2%	19.1%	-1.1%
years	Vermont	18.7%	17.1%	-1.6%
Percent 20 to 34 years	United States	20.5%	20.2%	-0.3%
	Vermont	18.3%	18.7%	0.4%
Percent 35 to 64	United States	39.5%	38.2%	-1.3%
years	Vermont	42.8%	39.1%	-3.7%
Percent 65 years	United States	13.4%	16.8%	3.4%
and over	Vermont	15.2%	20.8%	5.6%

2023

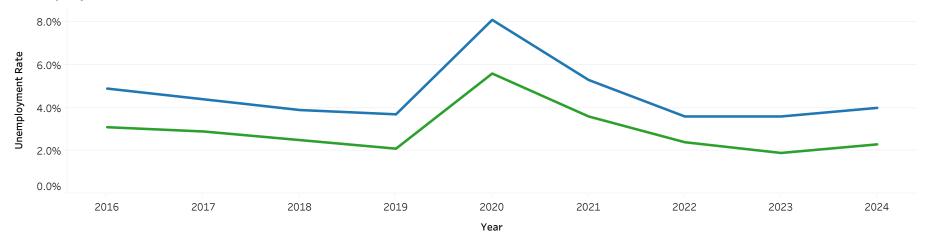


^{1.} Highest level of education completed for the population 25 years and over, 2019-2023 ACS 5-year estimates

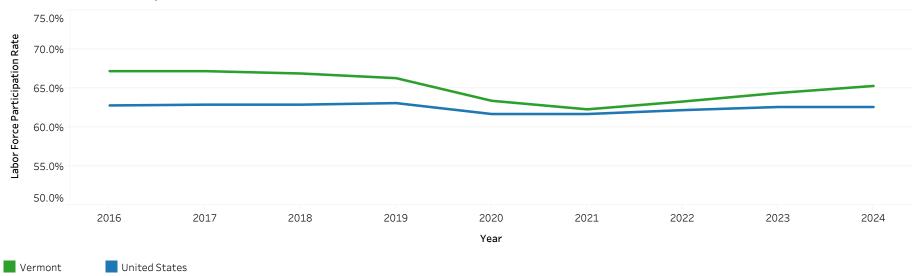
^{2. 2009-2013} and 2019-2023 ACS 5-year estimates

Unemployment & Labor Force

Unemployment Rate



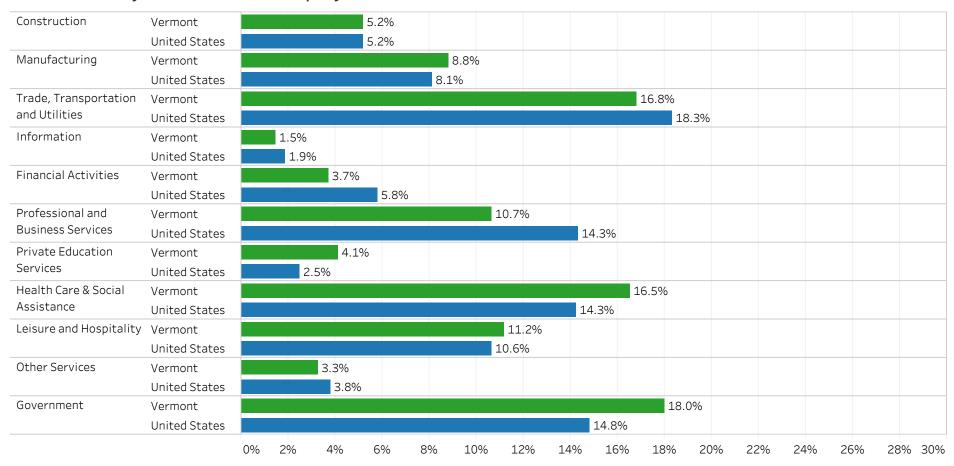
Labor Force Participation Rate



Vermont Department of Labor, Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS), count of workers by place of residence. Vintage 2024, released 3/17/2025. NOTE: LAUS Residency-based employment is not comparable to QCEW work based employment.

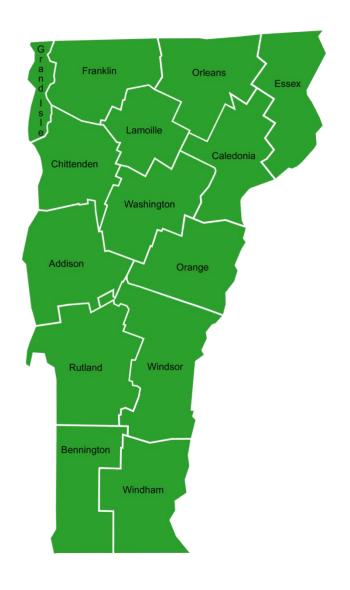
NOTE: Detail may not add to totals due to rounding

2024 Industry Share of Total Employment



Vermont Department of Labor, Current Employment Statistics 2024 annual data, not seasonally adjusted

County Profiles



Addison County



Addison is the seventh most populous county in the state of Vermont and the fourth largest in size. Its 2023 population was 37,497. 2023 per capita income in the county is 96.2% of the statewide average while average annual wages (2024) are 93.1% of the statewide wage, the fifth highest wage in the state. Large industries in the county include Education and Health Services (28.6% of all covered employment) and Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (14.2%). Relative to the state as a whole Addison County has a high concentration of the Natural Resources and Mining industry (3.2 percentage points higher than the state share).

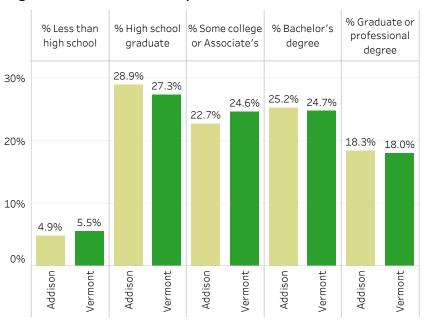
In 2024 Addison County had the seventh largest labor force in the state with a labor force of 21,887. Since 2016 its labor force has increased by 3.9%. The county's annual average unemployment rate for 2024 was 2.0%, slightly lower than the statewide average of 2.3%.

The poverty rate among all Addison County residents was 7.5% in 2023 while among children under 18 it was 7.4%, compared to the statewide averages of 10.4% and 11.3%, respectively.

The major racial groups by percentage of the population were "White alone" (90.8%), "Two or more races" (4.9%), and "Asian alone" (2.1%). In Addison County 95.1% of residents 25 years of age and older hold a high school diploma or higher while 43.5% hold a bachelor's degree or higher. People 65 years of age and over constitute 22.0% of the population.

Addison County Demographics

Highest Education Completed¹



Disability²

	Addison	Vermont
Percent with a disability	15.5%	14.5%

Language Spoken at Home²

	Addison	Vermont
Percent speak only English	93.5%	94.5%
Percent speak Spanish at home	4.5%	4.2%
Percent speak another language at home	2.0%	1.3%

Age³

		2013	2023	Change
Percent under 5	Addison	4.4%	4.0%	-0.4%
years	Vermont	5.0%	4.3%	-0.7%
Percent 5 to 19	Addison	19.8%	17.4%	-2.4%
years	Vermont	18.7%	17.1%	-1.6%
Percent 20 to 34	Addison	17.9%	18.5%	0.6%
years	Vermont	18.3%	18.7%	0.4%
Percent 35 to 64 years	Addison	43.1%	38.1%	-5.0%
	Vermont	42.8%	39.1%	-3.7%
Percent 65 years	Addison	14.8%	22.0%	7.2%
and over	Vermont	15.2%	20.8%	5.6%

Race²

	Addison	Vermont
Percent White alone	90.8%	91.4%
Percent Black or African American alone	1.1%	1.2%
Percent Asian alone	2.1%	1.7%
Percent American Indian and Alaska Native alone	0.2%	0.2%
Percent Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0.1%	0.0%
Percent Some Other Race alone	0.9%	0.7%
Percent Two or More Races	4.9%	4.8%

Ethnicity²

	Addison	Vermont
Percent Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	3.2%	2.5%
Percent Not Hispanic or Latino	96.8%	97.5%

^{1.} Highest level of education completed for the population 25 years and over, 2019-2023 ACS 5-year estimates

^{2. 2019-2023} ACS 5-year estimates

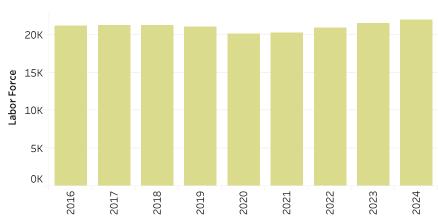
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Addison County Unemployment & Labor Force

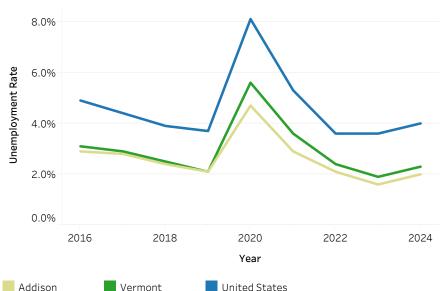
Employment by Place of Residence

Unemployment Period Labor Force Employment Unemployment Rate 2016 21,057 613 20,444 2.9% 2017 21,208 590 20,618 2.8% 2018 21,186 515 20,671 2.4% 2019 20,940 440 20,500 2.1% 938 2020 20,109 19,171 4.7% 2021 20,232 594 19,638 2.9% 2022 20,807 441 20,366 2.1% 2023 351 21,072 21,423 1.6% 2024 21,887 443 21,444 2.0%

Labor Force



Unemployment Rate

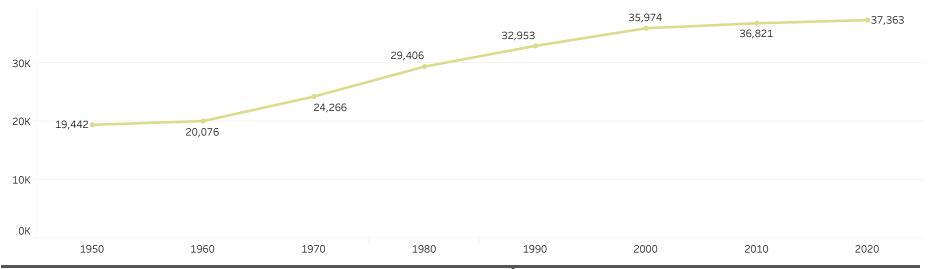


Vermont Department of Labor, Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS), count of workers by place of residence. Vintage 2024, released 4/18/2025. NOTE: LAUS Residency-based employment is not comparable to QCEW work based employment.

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Addison County Population

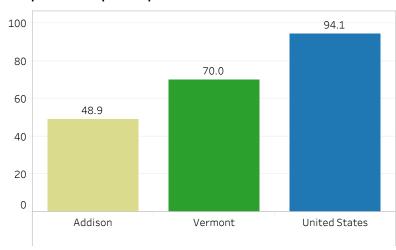
Population Total¹



Population Total²

	Addison		Verm	nont
Year of Year	Population	Change Since 1950	Population	Change Since 1950
1950	19,442		377,747	
1960	20,076	3.3	389,881	3.2
1970	24,266	24.8	444,731	17.7
1980	29,406	51.2	511,466	35.4
1990	32,953	69.5	562,758	49
2000	35,974	85	608,827	61.2
2010	36,821	89.4	625,741	65.7
2020	37,363	92.2	643,077	70.2
2023	37,497	92.9	645,254	70.8

Population per Square Mile³



^{1.} Decennial Census total population counts, https://data.census.gov/cedsci/

 $^{2.\} Decennial\ Census\ total\ population\ counts, \\ \underline{https://data.census.gov/cedsci/}; 2019-2023\ ACS\ 5-year\ estimates$

^{3.} Land area: 2020 Decennial Census; Population: 2019-2023 ACS 5-year estimates

Addison County Income & Poverty

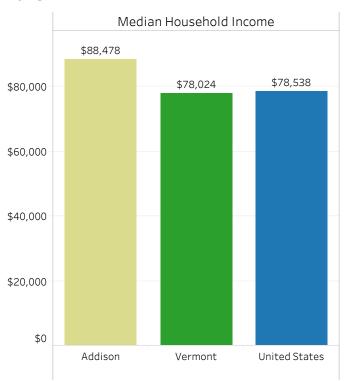
Median Household Income¹

Area	2013	2023
Addison	\$75,294	\$88,478
Vermont	\$70,980	\$78,024
United States	\$69,383	\$78,538

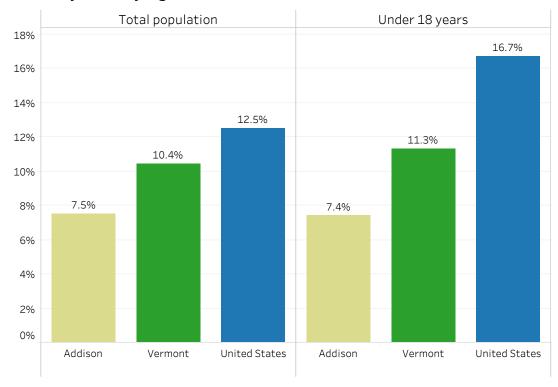
Poverty Rate²

Area	Total population	Under 18 years
Addison	7.5%	7.4%
Vermont	10.4%	11.3%
United States	12.5%	16.7%

2023



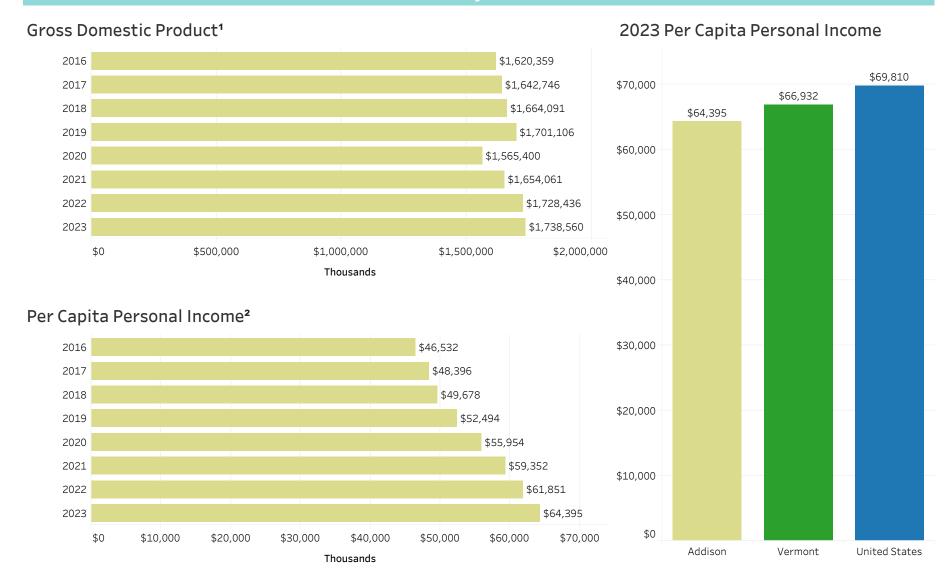
Poverty Rate by Age



^{1. 2023} inflation-adjusted dollars, 2009-2013 and 2019-2023 ACS 5-year estimates

^{2. 2019-2023} ACS 5-year estimates, percent of population below poverty level for total population and population under 18 years of age

Addison County GDP & Income



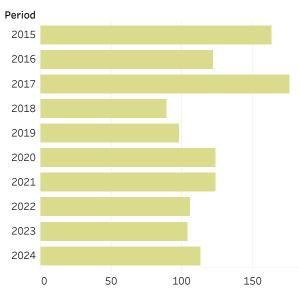
Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis.

^{1.} Real GDP is in thousands of chained 2017 dollars. Last updated: December 4, 2024-- new statistics for 2023; revised statistics for 2019-2022.

^{2.} U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis, "CAINC1 County and MSA personal income summary: personal income, population, per capita personal income". Estimates are in current dollars (not adjusted for inflation).

Addison County Housing

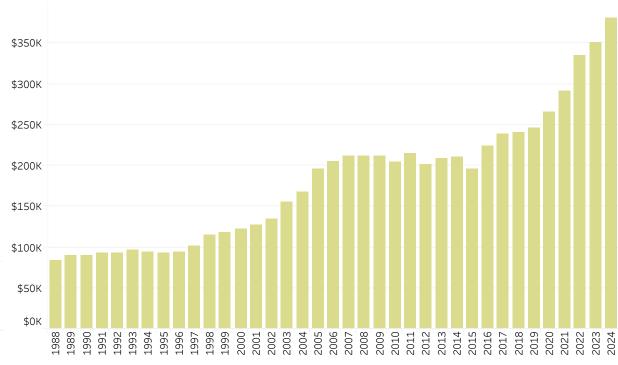
Building Permits¹



Median Gross Rent³



Median Home Sales Price²



- 1. U.S Census Bureau Building Permits Survey (2015-2024)

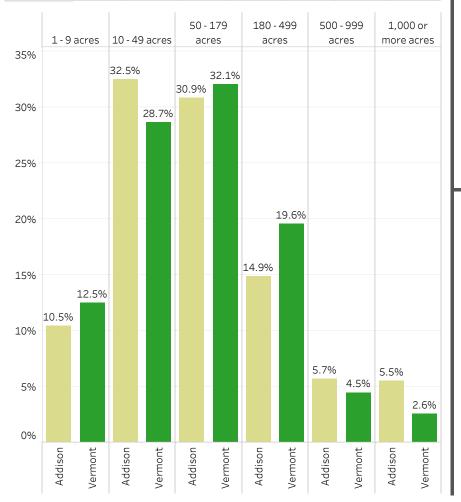
 Description: A building permit is the approval given by a local jurisdiction to proceed on a construction project.
- 2. Vermont Department of Taxes: Property Transfer Tax (PTT) records (2024) Description: The median price of primary residences sold.
- 3. U.S. Census Bureau: American Community Survey 5-year estimates (2019-2023)

 Description: Gross rent is the contract rent plus the estimated average monthly cost of utilities (electricity and water and sewer) and fuels (oil, gas, coal, kerosene, wood, etc.)

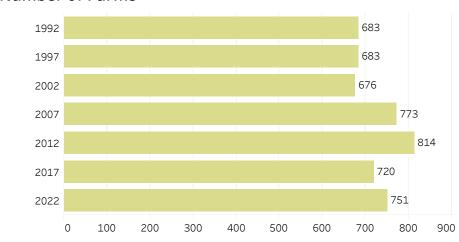
Addison County Agriculture

Farms by size1

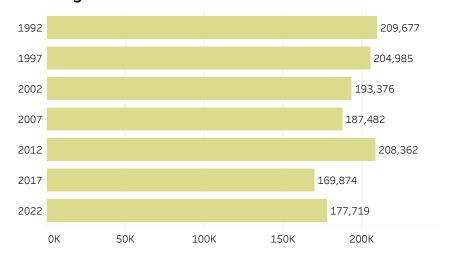
	Average	1-9	10 - 49	50 - 179	180 - 499	500 - 999	1,000+
Addison	237	79	244	232	112	43	41
Vermont	180	816	1,877	2,101	1,280	296	167



Number of Farms



Farm Acreage



Source: U. S. Department of Agriculture; Census of Agriculture. https://www.nass.usda.gov/AgCensus
1. Farms by size in acres, 2022

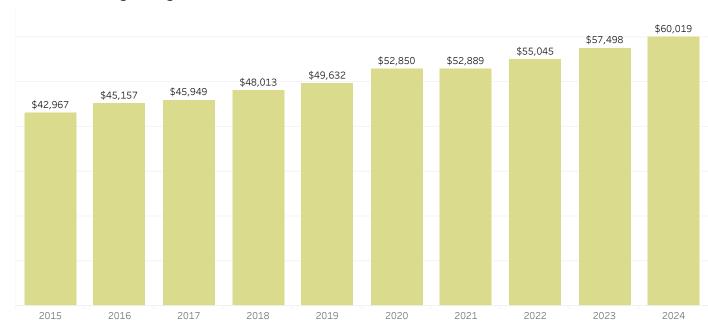
Addison County Covered Employment

2024 Addison County - Private Industry

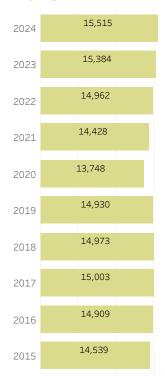
Industry Title	Establishments	Average Employment	Average Wage	Employment Location Quotient
Total, All Industries - Total Covered*	1,840	15,515	\$60,019	1.00
Natural Resources and Mining	87	713	\$50,026	3.36
Construction	230	1,035	\$64,936	1.27
Manufacturing	67	1,817	\$79,869	1.32
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	274	2,197	\$47,476	0.84
Information	57	98	\$70,832	0.43
Financial Activities	90	470	\$76,135	0.82
Professional and Business Services	559	1,128	\$96,920	0.68
Education and Health Services	169	4,444	\$58,623	1.42
Leisure and Hospitality	109	1,270	\$30,431	0.72
Other services	120	423	\$49,182	0.96

^{*}Total Covered Includes private and public employment.

Annual Average Wage - Total Covered



Total Covered Employment

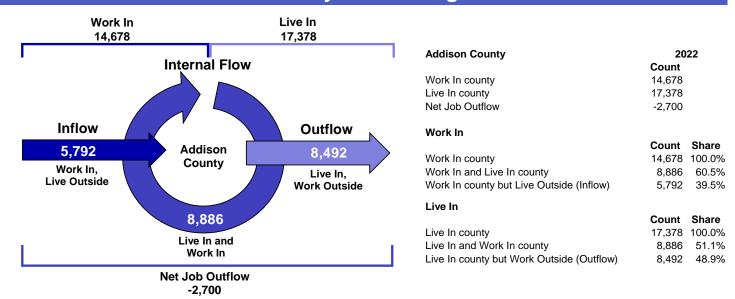


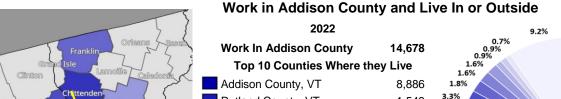
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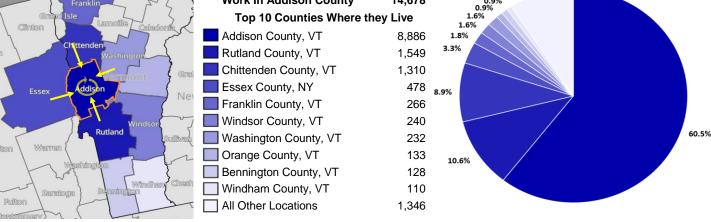
Vermont Department of Labor; Quarterly Census of Employment & Wages (QCEW), count of jobs by place of work.

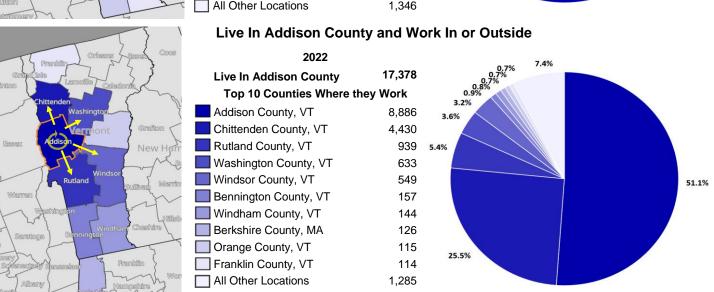
Industry location quotient (LQ) is a way of quantifying how concentrated an industry is in a region as compared to the state. Industry LQs are calculated by comparing the industry's share of regional employment with its share of statewide employment.

Addison County Commuting Patterns









Source: U.S. Census, Longitudinal Employer-Household Dynamics program, OnTheMap.

Bennington County



Bennington is the eighth most populous county in the state of Vermont and the eighth largest in size. Its 2023 population was 37,312. 2023 per capita income in the county is 98.1% of the statewide average while average annual wages (2024) are 91.3% of the statewide wage, the sixth highest wage in the state. Large industries in the county include Education and Health Services (24.7% of all covered employment) and Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (17.9%). Relative to the state as a whole Bennington County has a high concentration of the Education and Health Services industry (4.5 percentage points higher than the state share).

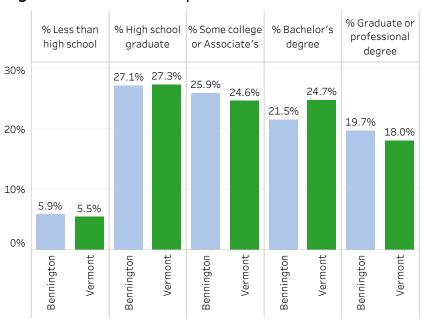
In 2024 Bennington County had the eighth largest labor force in the state with a labor force of 18,277. Since 2016 its labor force has decreased by 1.3%. The county's annual average unemployment rate for 2024 was 2.9%, higher than the statewide average of 2.3%.

The poverty rate among all Bennington County residents was 11.2% in 2023 while among children under 18 it was 16.6%, compared to the statewide averages of 10.4% and 11.3%, respectively.

The major racial groups by percentage of the population were "White alone" (92.7%), "Two or more races" (4.3%), and "Black or African American alone" (1.0%). In Bennington County 94.1% of residents 25 years of age and older hold a high school diploma or higher while 41.2% hold a bachelor's degree or higher. People 65 years of age and over constitute 23.8% of the population.

Bennington County Demographics

Highest Education Completed¹



Disability²

	Bennington	Vermont
Percent with a disability	16.4%	14.5%

Language Spoken at Home²

	Bennington	Vermont
Percent speak only English	96.2%	94.5%
Percent speak Spanish at home	2.3%	4.2%
Percent speak another language at home	1.6%	1.3%

Age³

		2013	2023	Change
Percent under 5	Bennington	5.0%	4.4%	-0.6%
years	Vermont	5.0%	4.3%	-0.7%
Percent 5 to 19	Bennington	18.1%	17.2%	-0.9%
years	Vermont	18.7%	17.1%	-1.6%
Percent 20 to 34	Bennington	15.2%	16.1%	0.9%
years	Vermont	18.3%	18.7%	0.4%
Percent 35 to 64	Bennington	42.3%	38.4%	-3.9%
years	Vermont	42.8%	39.1%	-3.7%
Percent 65 years and over	Bennington	19.4%	23.8%	4.4%
	Vermont	15.2%	20.8%	5.6%

Race²

	Bennington	Vermont
Percent White alone	92.7%	91.4%
Percent Black or African American alone	1.0%	1.2%
Percent Asian alone	0.9%	1.7%
Percent American Indian and Alaska Native alone	0.2%	0.2%
Percent Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0.0%	0.0%
Percent Some Other Race alone	0.9%	0.7%
Percent Two or More Races	4.3%	4.8%

Ethnicity²

	Bennington	Vermont
Percent Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	2.7%	2.5%
Percent Not Hispanic or Latino	97.3%	97.5%

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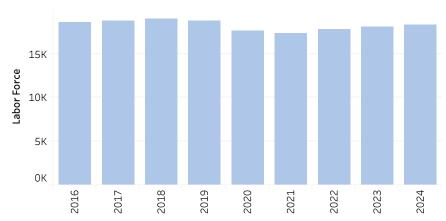
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Bennington County Unemployment & Labor Force

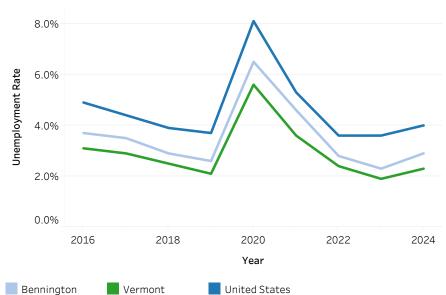
Employment by Place of Residence

Unemployment Period Labor Force Employment Unemployment Rate 2016 18,518 679 17,839 3.7% 2017 18,758 664 18,094 3.5% 2018 18,950 559 18,391 2.9% 2019 18,730 483 18,247 2.6% 2020 17,626 1,147 16,479 6.5% 2021 17,287 793 16,494 4.6% 2022 17,764 504 17,260 2.8% 2023 425 2.3% 18,106 17,681 2024 18,277 525 17,752 2.9%

Labor Force



Unemployment Rate

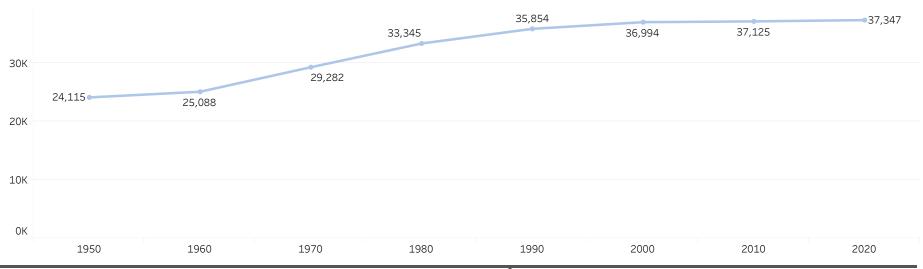


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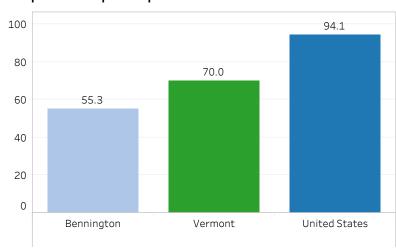
Population Total¹



Population Total²

	Bennington		Verm	iont
Year of Year	Population	Change Since 1950	Population	Change Since 1950
1950	24,115		377,747	
1960	25,088	4	389,881	3.2
1970	29,282	21.4	444,731	17.7
1980	33,345	38.3	511,466	35.4
1990	35,854	48.7	562,758	49
2000	36,994	53.4	608,827	61.2
2010	37,125	53.9	625,741	65.7
2020	37,347	54.9	643,077	70.2
2023	37,312	54.7	645,254	70.8

Population per Square Mile³



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Bennington County Income & Poverty

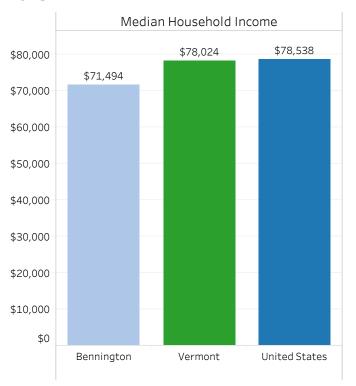
Median Household Income¹

Area	2013	2023
Bennington	\$65,688	\$71,494
Vermont	\$70,980	\$78,024
United States	\$69,383	\$78,538

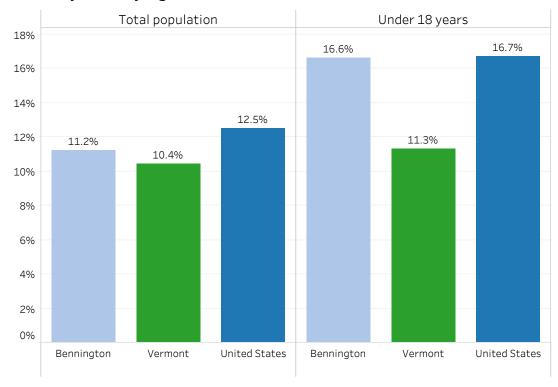
Poverty Rate²

Area	Total population	Under 18 years
Bennington	11.2%	16.6%
Vermont	10.4%	11.3%
United States	12.5%	16.7%

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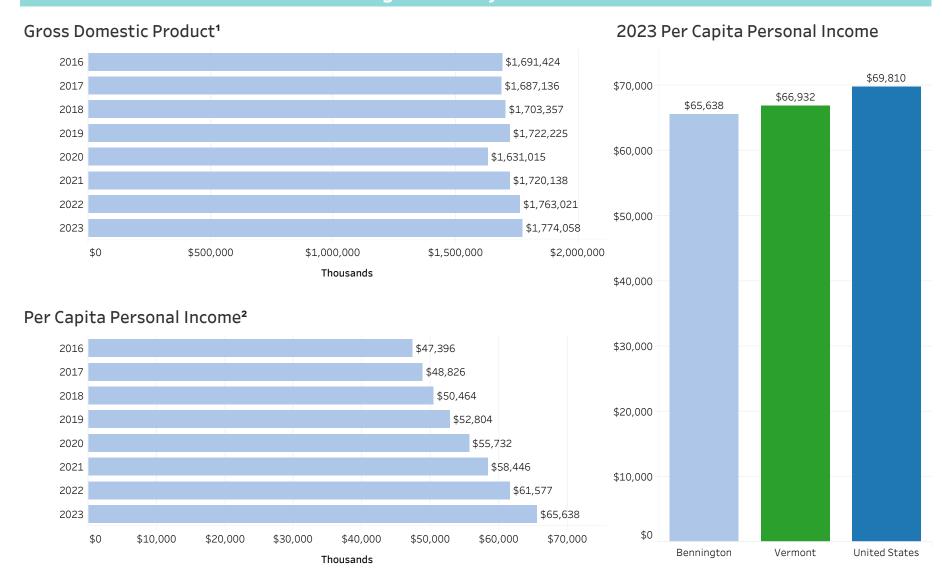
Poverty Rate by Age



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Bennington County GDP & Income



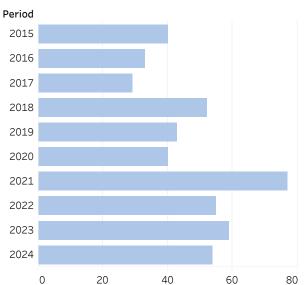
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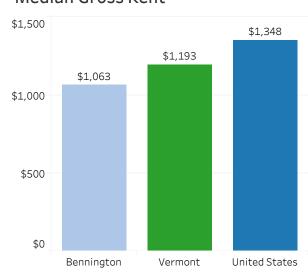
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Bennington County Housing

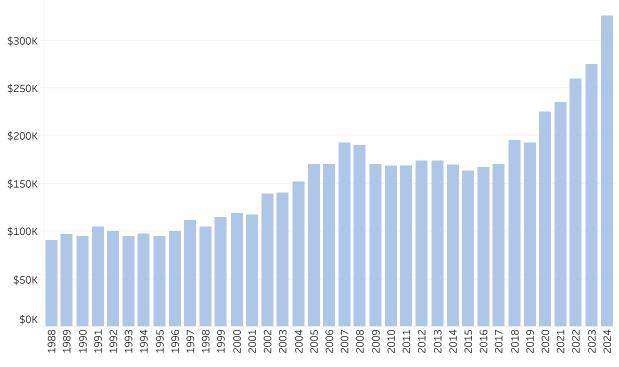
Building Permits¹



Median Gross Rent³



Median Home Sales Price²



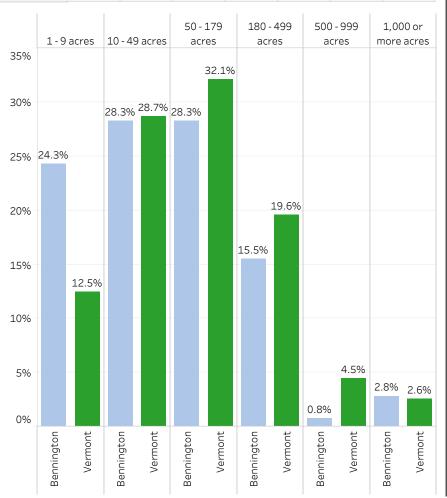
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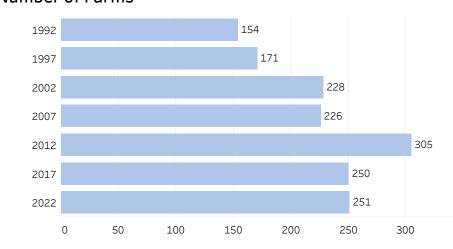
Bennington County Agriculture

Farms by size1

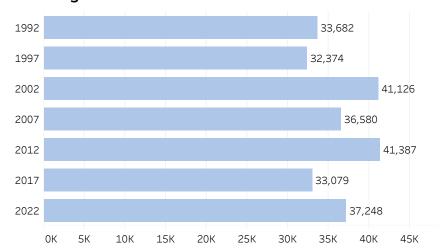
	Average	1-9	10 - 49	50 - 179	180 - 499	500 - 999	1,000+
Bennington	148	61	71	71	39	2	7
Vermont	180	816	1,877	2,101	1,280	296	167



Number of Farms



Farm Acreage



Source: U. S. Department of Agriculture; Census of Agriculture. https://www.nass.usda.gov/AgCensus
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Bennington County Covered Employment

2024 Bennington County - Private Industry

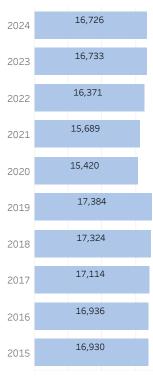
Industry Title	Establishments	Average Employment	Average Wage	Employment Location Quotient
Total, All Industries - Total Covered*	1,974	16,726	\$58,895	1.00
Natural Resources and Mining	18	89	\$34,796	0.39
Construction	176	632	\$57,018	0.72
Manufacturing	66	1,757	\$62,916	1.18
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	333	2,990	\$49,025	1.06
Information	83	256	\$96,735	1.04
Financial Activities	141	463	\$94,384	0.75
Professional and Business Services	584	1,369	\$111,143	0.76
Education and Health Services	197	4,127	\$60,511	1.22
Leisure and Hospitality	168	2,244	\$32,312	1.17
Other services	131	414	\$33,013	0.87

^{*}Total Covered Includes private and public employment.

Annual Average Wage - Total Covered



Total Covered Employment

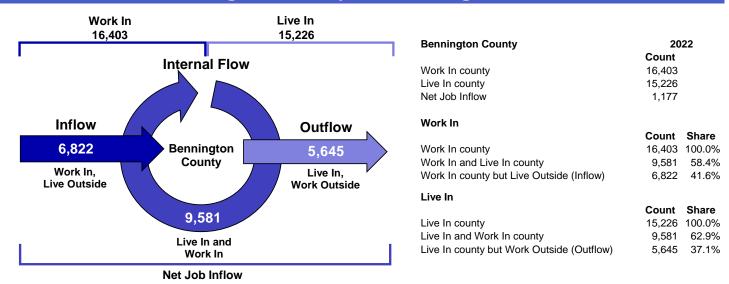


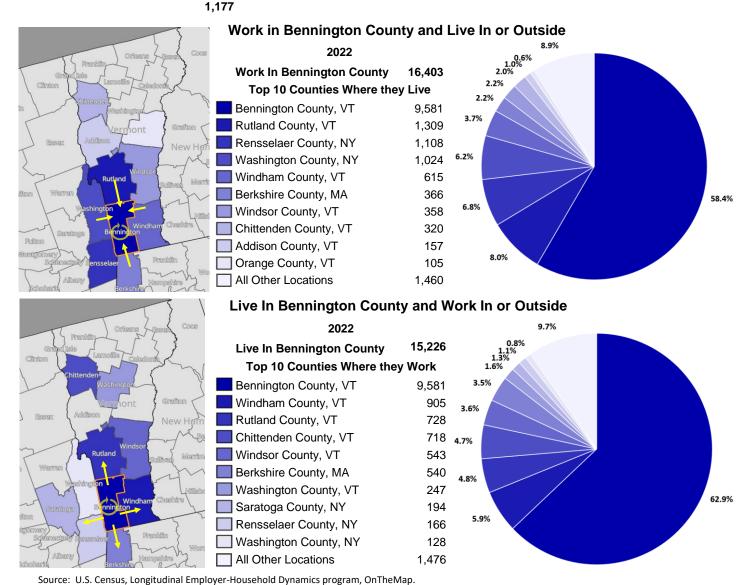
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Bennington County Commuting Patterns





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Caledonia County



Caledonia is the ninth most populous county in the state of Vermont and the tenth largest in size. Its 2023 population was 30,425. 2023 per capita income in the county is 80.1% of the statewide average while average annual wages (2024) are 87.0% of the statewide wage, the tenth highest wage in the state. Large industries in the county include Education and Health Services (20.8% of all covered employment) and Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (18.4%). Relative to the state as a whole Caledonia County has a high concentration of the Information industry (0.4 percentage points higher than the state share).

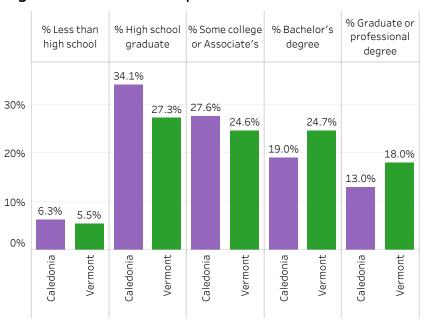
In 2024 Caledonia County had the ninth largest labor force in the state with a labor force of 16,537. Since 2016 its labor force has was essentially unchanged by 0.0%. The county's annual average unemployment rate for 2024 was 2.4%, slightly higher than the statewide average of 2.3%.

The poverty rate among all Caledonia County residents was 11.8% in 2023 while among children under 18 it was 13.0%, compared to the statewide averages of 10.4% and 11.3%, respectively.

The major racial groups by percentage of the population were "White alone" (93.3%), "Two or more races" (4.2%), and "Some other race alone" (1.1%). In Caledonia County 93.7% of residents 25 years of age and older hold a high school diploma or higher while 31.9% hold a bachelor's degree or higher. People 65 years of age and over constitute 22.5% of the population.

Caledonia County Demographics

Highest Education Completed¹



Disability²

	Caledonia	Vermont
Percent with a disability	17.7%	14.5%

Language Spoken at Home²

	Caledonia	Vermont
Percent speak only English	95.6%	94.5%
Percent speak Spanish at home	3.4%	4.2%
Percent speak another language at home	1.0%	1.3%

Age³

		2013	2023	Change
Percent under 5 years	Caledonia	5.2%	4.2%	-1.0%
	Vermont	5.0%	4.3%	-0.7%
Percent 5 to 19 years	Caledonia	19.5%	17.2%	-2.3%
	Vermont	18.7%	17.1%	-1.6%
Percent 20 to 34 years	Caledonia	16.9%	16.6%	-0.3%
	Vermont	18.3%	18.7%	0.4%
Percent 35 to 64 years	Caledonia	42.3%	39.4%	-2.9%
	Vermont	42.8%	39.1%	-3.7%
Percent 65 years and over	Caledonia	16.1%	22.5%	6.4%
	Vermont	15.2%	20.8%	5.6%

Race²

	Caledonia	Vermont
Percent White alone	93.3%	91.4%
Percent Black or African American alone	0.9%	1.2%
Percent Asian alone	0.3%	1.7%
Percent American Indian and Alaska Native alone	0.2%	0.2%
Percent Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0.0%	0.0%
Percent Some Other Race alone	1.1%	0.7%
Percent Two or More Races	4.2%	4.8%

Ethnicity²

	Caledonia	Vermont
Percent Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	2.1%	2.5%
Percent Not Hispanic or Latino	97.9%	97.5%

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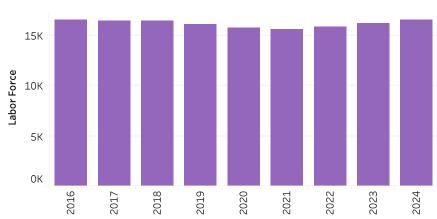
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Caledonia County Unemployment & Labor Force

Employment by Place of Residence

Unemployment Period Labor Force Employment Unemployment Rate 2016 16,543 602 15,941 3.6% 2017 16,451 553 15,898 3.4% 2018 16,476 466 16,010 2.8% 2019 16,074 396 15,678 2.5% 2020 15,772 864 14,908 5.5% 2021 15,565 558 15,007 3.6% 2022 15,860 408 15,452 2.6% 2023 339 16,209 15,870 2.1% 2024 16,537 393 16,144 2.4%

Labor Force



Unemployment Rate

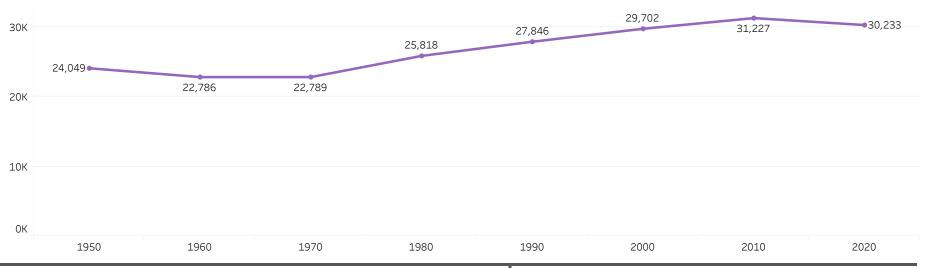


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Caledonia County Population

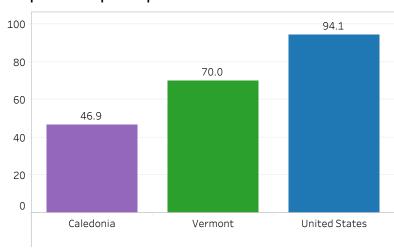
Population Total¹



Population Total²

	Caledonia		Verm	ont
Year of Year	Population	Change Since 1950	Population	Change Since 1950
1950	24,049		377,747	
1960	22,786	-5.3	389,881	3.2
1970	22,789	-5.2	444,731	17.7
1980	25,818	7.4	511,466	35.4
1990	27,846	15.8	562,758	49
2000	29,702	23.5	608,827	61.2
2010	31,227	29.8	625,741	65.7
2020	30,233	25.7	643,077	70.2
2023	30,425	26.5	645,254	70.8

Population per Square Mile³



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Caledonia County Income & Poverty

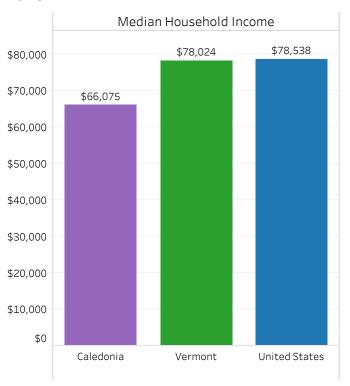
Median Household Income¹

Area	2013	2023
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Vermont	\$70,980	\$78,024
United States	\$69,383	\$78,538

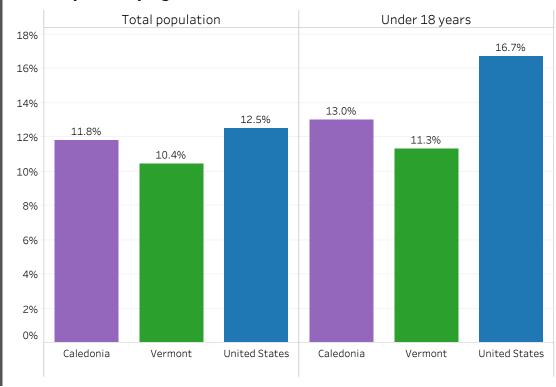
Poverty Rate²

Area	Total population	Under 18 years
Caledonia	11.8%	13.0%
Vermont	10.4%	11.3%
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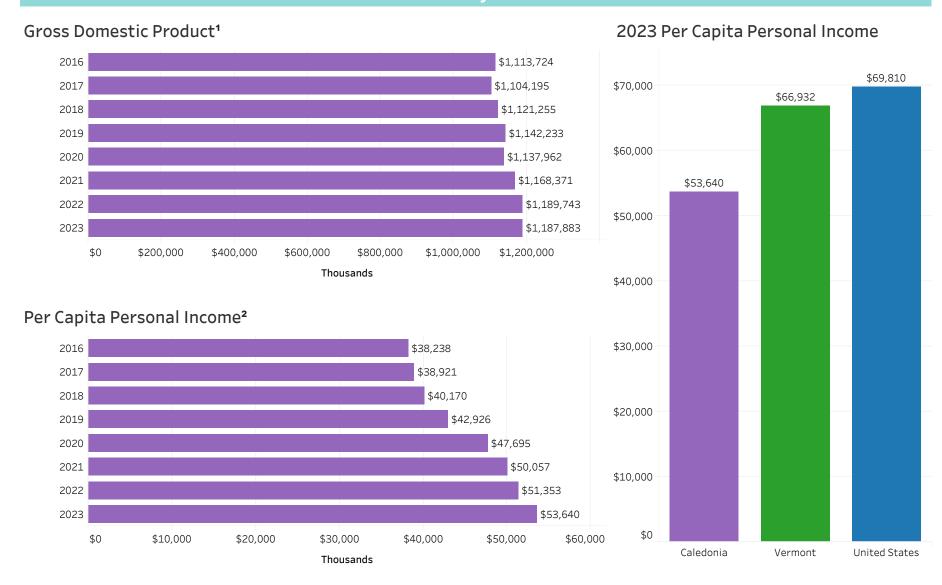
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Caledonia County GDP & Income



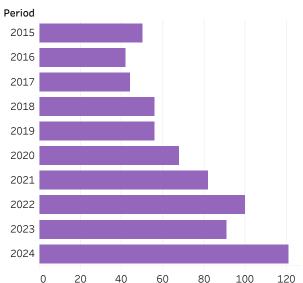
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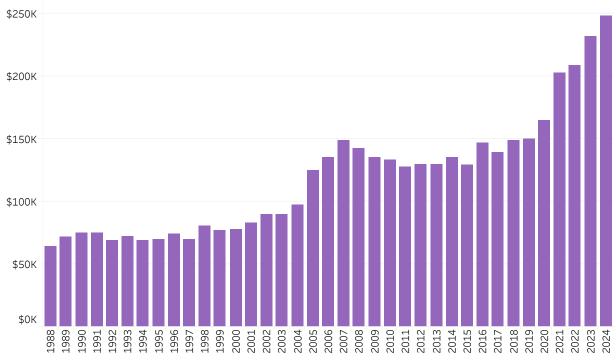
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Caledonia County Housing

Building Permits¹



Median Home Sales Price²



Median Gross Rent³



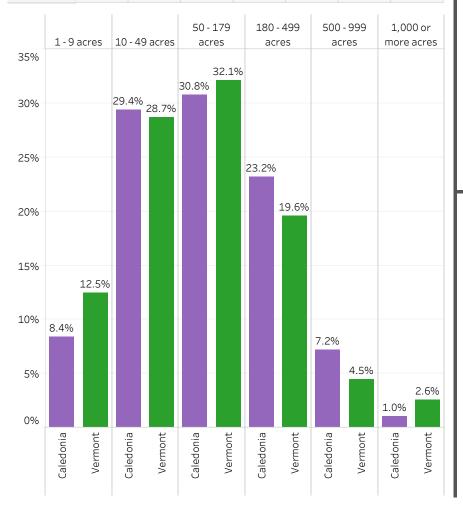
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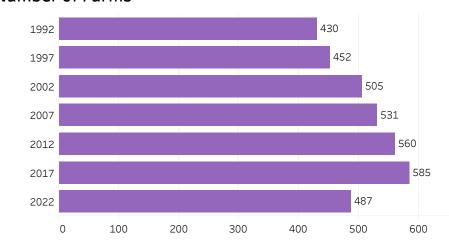
Caledonia County Agriculture

Farms by size1

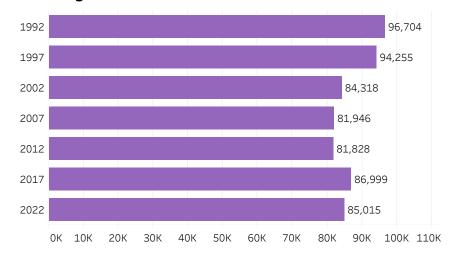
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Number of Farms



Farm Acreage



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1. Farms by size in acres, 2022

Caledonia County Covered Employment

2024 Caledonia County - Private Industry

Industry Title	Establishments	Average Employment	Average Wage	Employment Location Quotient
Total, All Industries - Total Covered*	1,242	10,828	\$56,077	1.00
Natural Resources and Mining	30	123	\$39,638	0.83
Construction	142	665	\$61,312	1.17
Manufacturing	61	1,164	\$62,661	1.21
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	213	1,987	\$47,240	1.09
Information	48	201	\$63,112	1.27
Financial Activities	74	361	\$80,543	0.90
Professional and Business Services	297	855	\$64,015	0.73
Education and Health Services	128	2,252	\$68,289	1.03
Leisure and Hospitality	101	954	\$24,811	0.77
Other services	60	(c)	(c)	(c)

^{*}Total Covered Includes private and public employment.

Annual Average Wage - Total Covered



Total Covered Employment

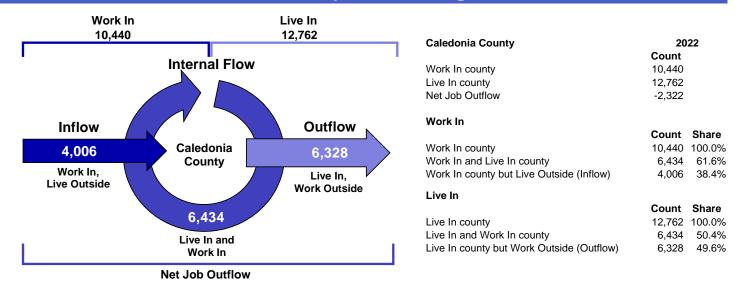


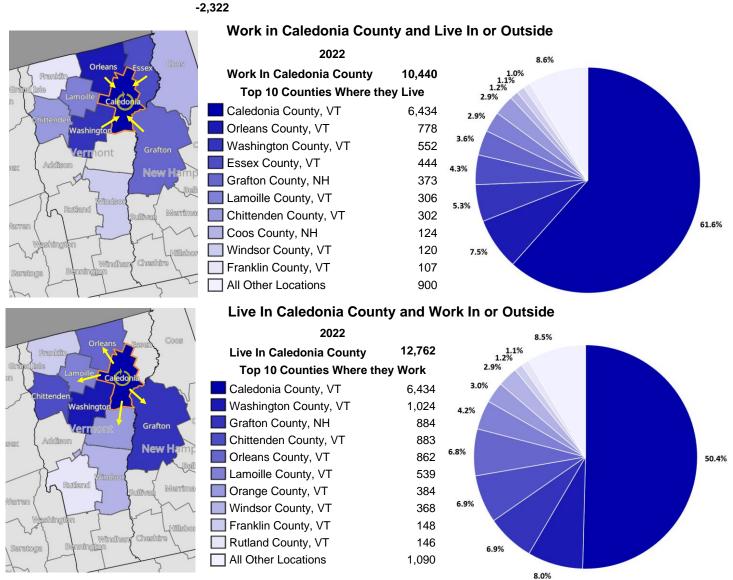
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Caledonia County Commuting Patterns





Chittenden County



Chittenden is the most populous county in the state of Vermont and the third smallest in size. Its 2023 population was 168,831. 2023 per capita income in the county is 113.9% of the statewide average while average annual wages (2024) are 113.5% of the statewide wage, the highest wage in the state. Large industries in the county include Education and Health Services (19.7% of all covered employment) and Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (17.0%). Relative to the state as a whole Chittenden County has a high concentration of the Information industry (0.7 percentage points higher than the state share).

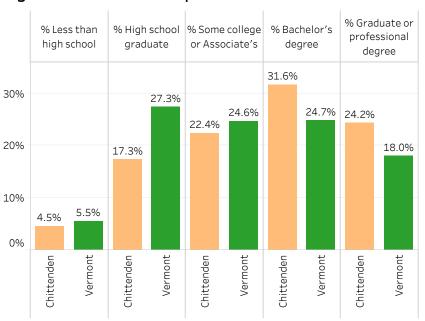
In 2024 Chittenden County had the largest labor force in the state with a labor force of 100,160. Since 2016 its labor force has increased by 3.8%. The county's annual average unemployment rate for 2024 was 1.9%, lower than the statewide average of 2.3%.

The poverty rate among all Chittenden County residents was 11.2% in 2023 while among children under 18 it was 9.9%, compared to the statewide averages of 10.4% and 11.3%, respectively.

The major racial groups by percentage of the population were "White alone" (87.2%), "Two or more races" (5.5%), and "Asian alone" (3.9%). In Chittenden County 95.5% of residents 25 years of age and older hold a high school diploma or higher while 55.8% hold a bachelor's degree or higher. People 65 years of age and over constitute 16.3% of the population.

Chittenden County Demographics

Highest Education Completed¹



Disability²

	Chittenden	Vermont
Percent with a disability	11.5%	14.5%

Language Spoken at Home²

	Chittenden	Vermont
Percent speak only English	90.9%	94.5%
Percent speak Spanish at home	7.8%	4.2%
Percent speak another language at home	1.3%	1.3%

Age³

		2013	2023	Change
Percent under 5	Chittenden	4.9%	4.3%	-0.6%
years	Vermont	5.0%	4.3%	-0.7%
Percent 5 to 19 years	Chittenden	19.7%	18.2%	-1.5%
	Vermont	18.7%	17.1%	-1.6%
Percent 20 to 34 years	Chittenden	23.9%	24.3%	0.4%
	Vermont	18.3%	18.7%	0.4%
Percent 35 to 64 years	Chittenden	39.6%	36.8%	-2.8%
	Vermont	42.8%	39.1%	-3.7%
Percent 65 years	Chittenden	11.8%	16.3%	4.5%
and over	Vermont	15.2%	20.8%	5.6%

Race²

	Chittenden	Vermont
Percent White alone	87.2%	91.4%
Percent Black or African American alone	2.6%	1.2%
Percent Asian alone	3.9%	1.7%
Percent American Indian and Alaska Native alone	0.1%	0.2%
Percent Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0.0%	0.0%
Percent Some Other Race alone	0.7%	0.7%
Percent Two or More Races	5.5%	4.8%

Ethnicity²

	Chittenden	Vermont
Percent Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	2.8%	2.5%
Percent Not Hispanic or Latino	97.2%	97.5%

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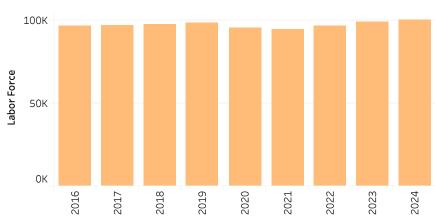
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Chittenden County Unemployment & Labor Force

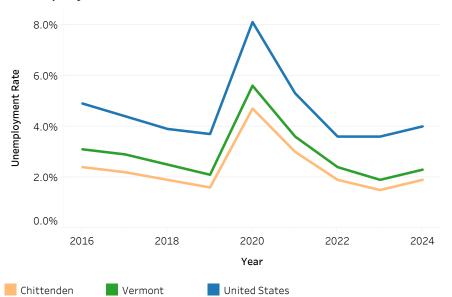
Employment by Place of Residence

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Labor Force



Unemployment Rate

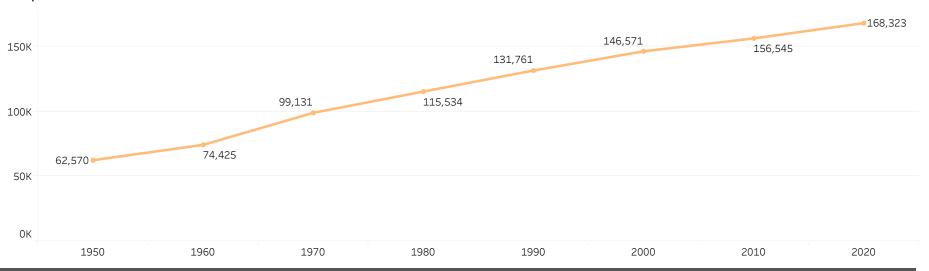


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Chittenden County Population

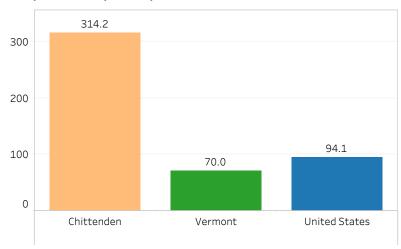
Population Total¹



Population Total²

	Chitte	enden	Verm	iont
Year of Year	Population	Change Since 1950	Population	Change Since 1950
1950	62,570		377,747	
1960	74,425	18.9	389,881	3.2
1970	99,131	58.4	444,731	17.7
1980	115,534	84.6	511,466	35.4
1990	131,761	110.6	562,758	49
2000	146,571	134.3	608,827	61.2
2010	156,545	150.2	625,741	65.7
2020	168,323	169	643,077	70.2
2023	168,831	169.8	645,254	70.8

Population per Square Mile³



^{1.} Decennial Census total population counts, https://data.census.gov/cedsci/

 $^{2.\} Decennial\ Census\ total\ population\ counts, \\ \underline{https://data.census.gov/cedsci/}; 2019-2023\ ACS\ 5-year\ estimates$

^{3.} Land area: 2020 Decennial Census; Population: 2019-2023 ACS 5-year estimates

Chittenden County Income & Poverty

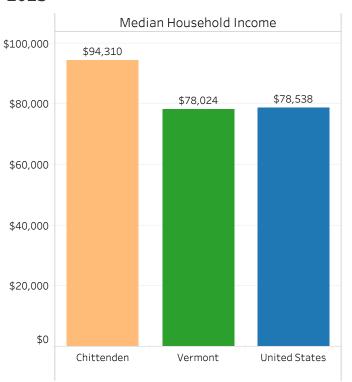
Median Household Income¹

Area	2013	2023
Chittenden	\$83,696	\$94,310
Vermont	\$70,980	\$78,024
United States	\$69,383	\$78,538

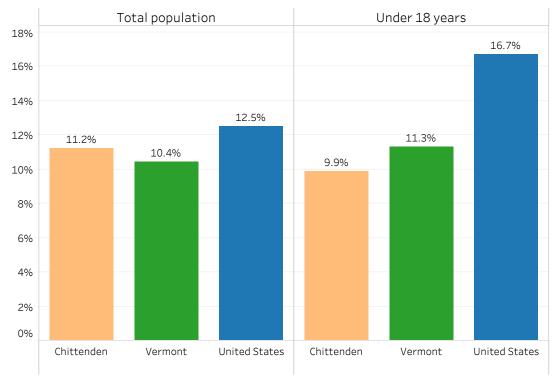
Poverty Rate²

Area	Total population	Under 18 years
Chittenden	11.2%	9.9%
Vermont	10.4%	11.3%
United States	12.5%	16.7%

2023



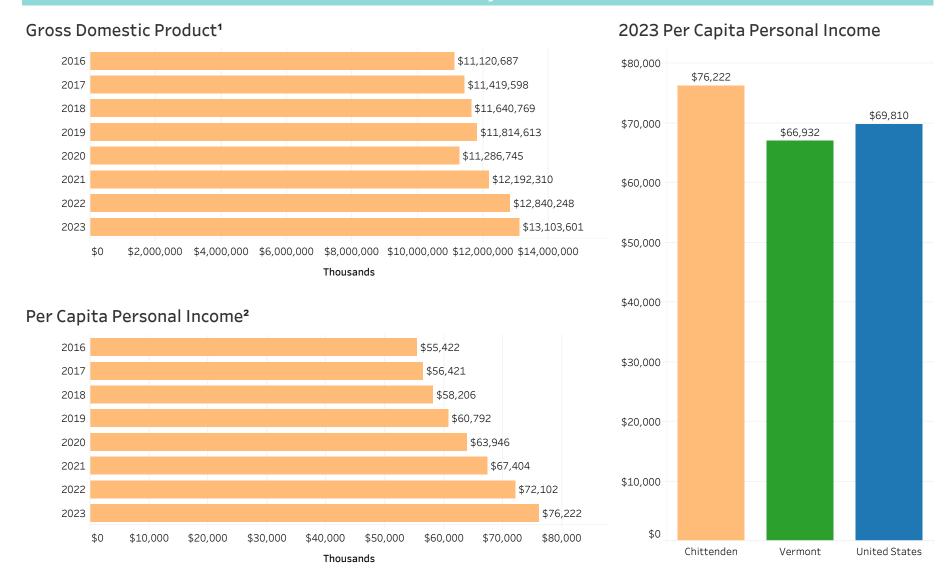
Poverty Rate by Age



^{1. 2023} inflation-adjusted dollars, 2009-2013 and 2019-2023 ACS 5-year estimates

^{2. 2019-2023} ACS 5-year estimates, percent of population below poverty level for total population and population under 18 years of age

Chittenden County GDP & Income



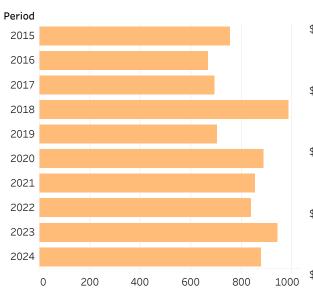
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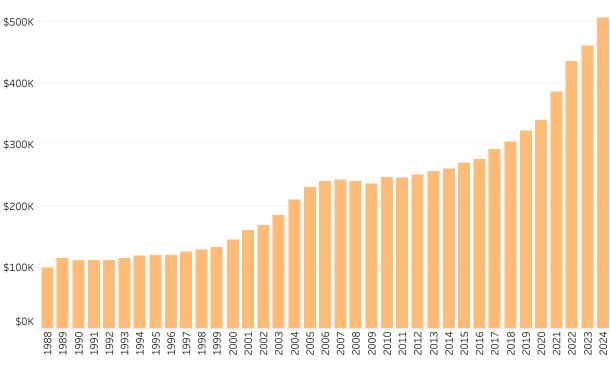
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Chittenden County Housing

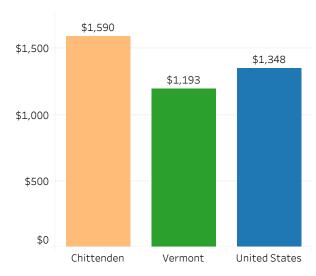




Median Home Sales Price²



Median Gross Rent³



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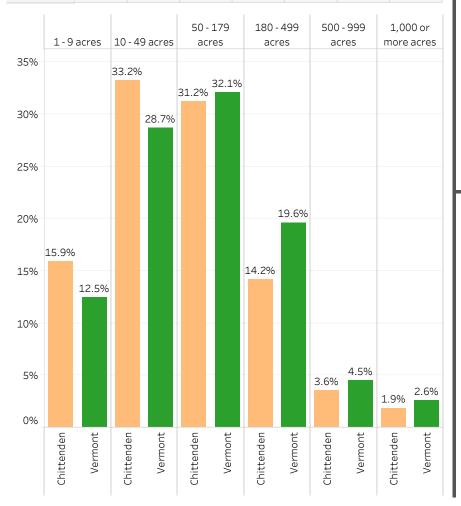
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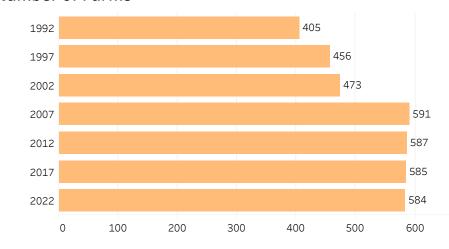
Chittenden County Agriculture

Farms by size1

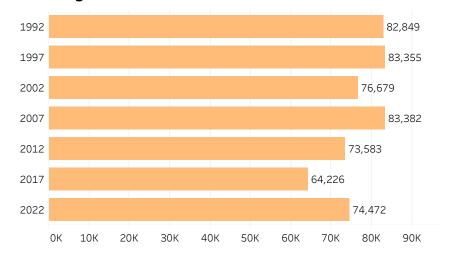
	Average	1-9	10 - 49	50 - 179	180 - 499	500 - 999	1,000+
Chittenden	128	93	194	182	83	21	11
Vermont	180	816	1,877	2,101	1,280	296	167



Number of Farms



Farm Acreage



Source: U. S. Department of Agriculture; Census of Agriculture. https://www.nass.usda.gov/AgCensus 1. Farms by size in acres, 2022

Chittenden County Covered Employment

2024 Chittenden County - Private Industry

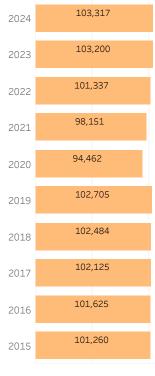
Industry Title	Establishments	Average Employment	Average Wage	Employment Location Quotient
Total, All Industries - Total Covered*	9,639	103,317	\$73,185	1.00
Natural Resources and Mining	68	351	\$39,571	0.25
Construction	645	5,303	\$79,387	0.98
Manufacturing	272	8,780	\$82,340	0.96
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,475	17,572	\$58,071	1.01
Information	458	2,241	\$91,569	1.48
Financial Activities	690	3,978	\$118,644	1.04
Professional and Business Services	3,510	14,758	\$105,680	1.33
Education and Health Services	906	20,334	\$71,823	0.98
Leisure and Hospitality	646	10,357	\$30,694	0.88
Other services	714	3,102	\$52,061	1.05

^{*}Total Covered Includes private and public employment.

Annual Average Wage - Total Covered



Total Covered Employment

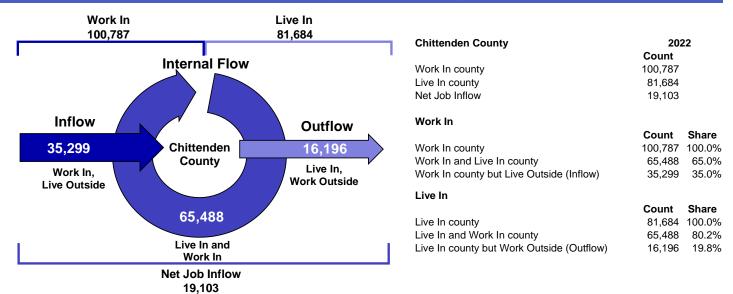


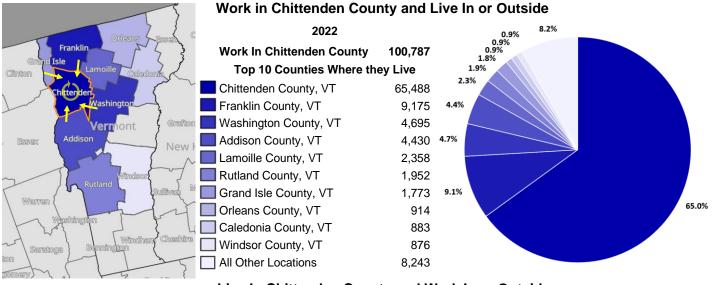
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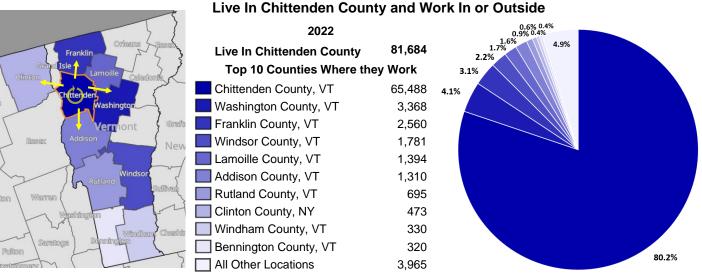
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Industry location quotient (LQ) is a way of quantifying how concentrated an industry is in a region as compared to the state. Industry LQs are calculated by comparing the industry's share of regional employment with its share of statewide employment.

Chittenden County Commuting Patterns







 $Source: \ U.S.\ Census, Longitudinal\ Employer-Household\ Dynamics\ program, On The Map.$

Essex County



Essex is the least populous county in the state of Vermont and the ninth largest in size. Its 2023 population was 5,972. 2023 per capita income in the county is 71.6% of the statewide average while average annual wages (2024) are 77.0% of the statewide wage, the lowest wage in the state. Large industries in the county include Manufacturing (12.0% of all covered employment) and Natural Resources and Mining (9.8%). Relative to the state as a whole Essex County has a high concentration of the Natural Resources and Mining industry (8.5 percentage points higher than the state share).

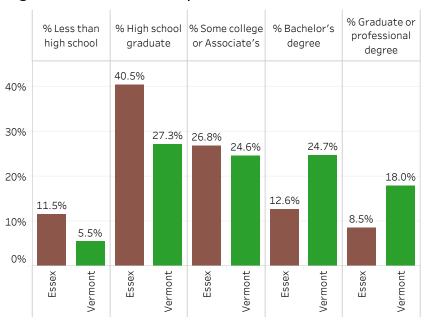
In 2024 Essex County had the smallest labor force in the state with a labor force of 2,870. Since 2016 its labor force has increased by 2.0%. The county's annual average unemployment rate for 2024 was 3.3%, higher than the statewide average of 2.3%.

The poverty rate among all Essex County residents was 13.2% in 2023 while among children under 18 it was 20.6%, compared to the statewide averages of 10.4% and 11.3%, respectively.

The major racial groups by percentage of the population were "White alone" (94.7%), "Two or more races" (3.7%), and "Asian alone" (1.0%). In Essex County 88.5% of residents 25 years of age and older hold a high school diploma or higher while 21.2% hold a bachelor's degree or higher. People 65 years of age and over constitute 26.7% of the population.

Essex County Demographics

Highest Education Completed¹



Disability²

	Essex	Vermont
Percent with a disability	23.4%	14.5%

Language Spoken at Home²

	Essex	Vermont
Percent speak only English	94.0%	94.5%
Percent speak Spanish at home	5.3%	4.2%
Percent speak another language at home	0.7%	1.3%

Age³

		2013	2023	Change
Percent under 5	Essex	4.4%	4.2%	-0.2%
years	Vermont	5.0%	4.3%	-0.7%
Percent 5 to 19	Essex	16.6%	14.7%	-1.9%
years	Vermont	18.7%	17.1%	-1.6%
Percent 20 to 34	Essex	12.8%	13.7%	0.9%
years	Vermont	18.3%	18.7%	0.4%
Percent 35 to 64 years	Essex	45.7%	40.7%	-5.0%
	Vermont	42.8%	39.1%	-3.7%
Percent 65 years and over	Essex	20.5%	26.7%	6.2%
	Vermont	15.2%	20.8%	5.6%

Race²

	Essex	Vermont
Percent White alone	94.7%	91.4%
Percent Black or African American alone	0.1%	1.2%
Percent Asian alone	1.0%	1.7%
Percent American Indian and Alaska Native alone	0.6%	0.2%
Percent Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0.0%	0.0%
Percent Some Other Race alone	0.0%	0.7%
Percent Two or More Races	3.7%	4.8%

Ethnicity²

	Essex	Vermont
Percent Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	1.5%	2.5%
Percent Not Hispanic or Latino	98.5%	97.5%

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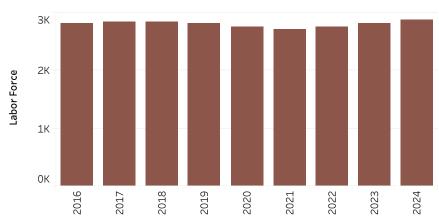
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Essex County Unemployment & Labor Force

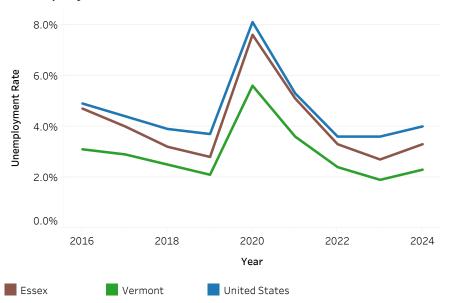
Employment by Place of Residence

Unemployment Period Labor Force Unemployment Employment Rate 2016 2,815 132 2,683 4.7% 4.0% 2017 2,841 115 2,726 2018 2,832 92 2,740 3.2% 2019 2,802 78 2,724 2.8% 209 2,534 2020 2,743 7.6% 2021 2,712 137 2,575 5.1% 2022 2,753 92 2,661 3.3% 2023 2,816 75 2,741 2.7% 2024 2,870 94 2,776 3.3%

Labor Force



Unemployment Rate

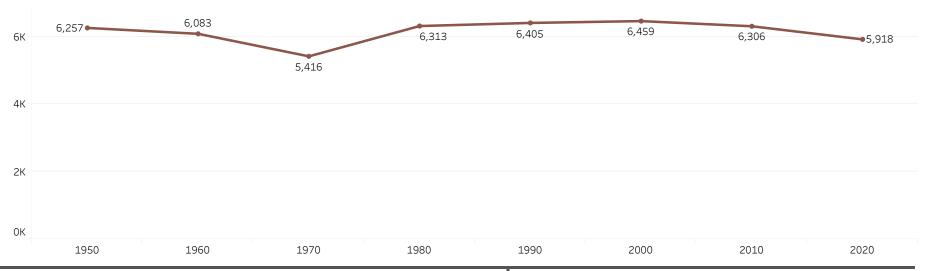


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Essex County Population

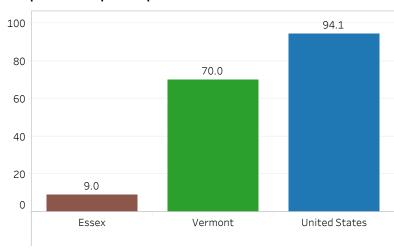
Population Total¹



Population Total²

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1990	6,405	2.4	562,758	49
2000	6,459	3.2	608,827	61.2
2010	6,306	0.8	625,741	65.7
2020	5,918	-5.4	643,077	70.2
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Population per Square Mile³



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Essex County Income & Poverty

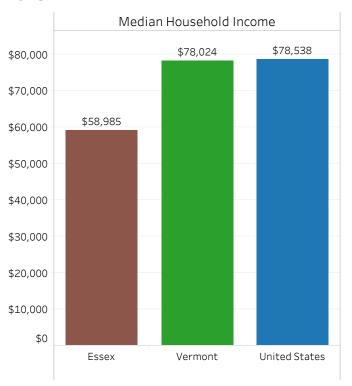
Median Household Income¹

Area	2013	2023
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Vermont	\$70,980	\$78,024
United States	\$69,383	\$78,538

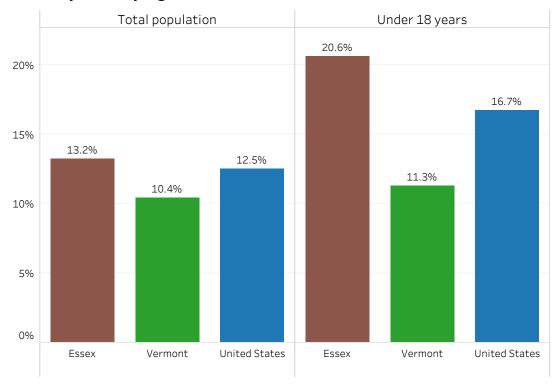
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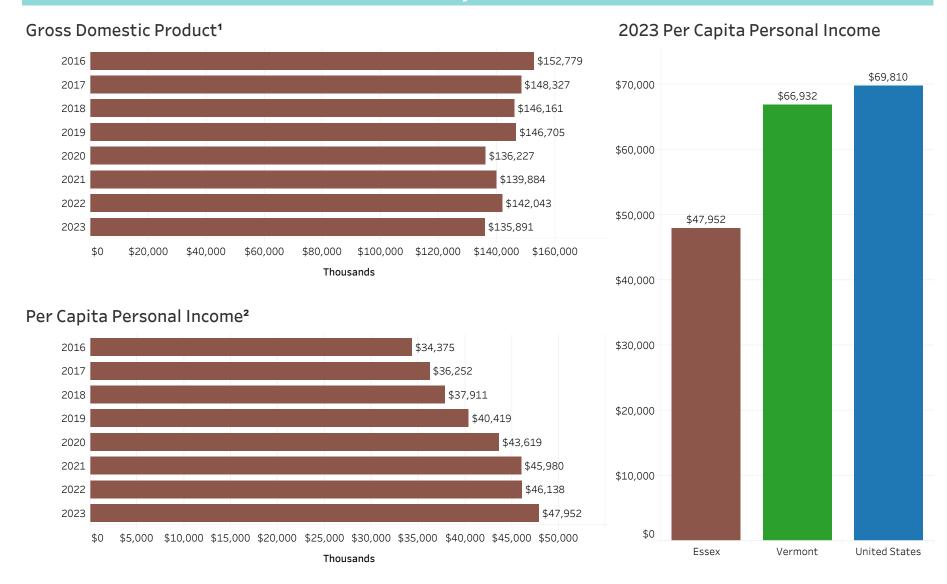
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Essex County GDP & Income



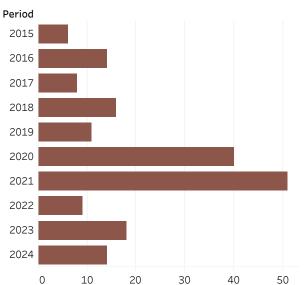
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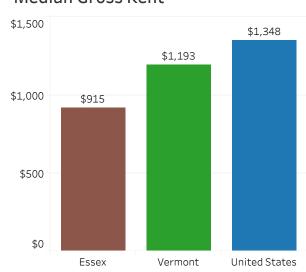
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Essex County Housing

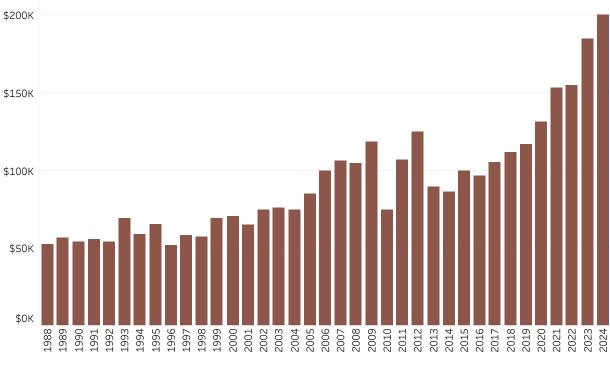
Building Permits¹



Median Gross Rent³



Median Home Sales Price²



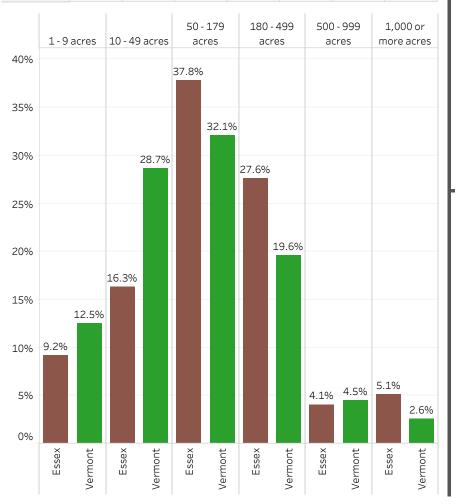
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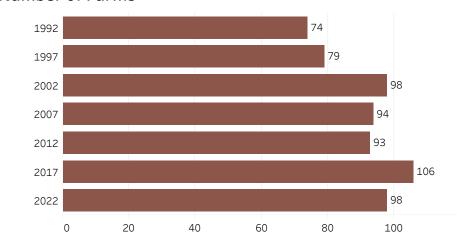
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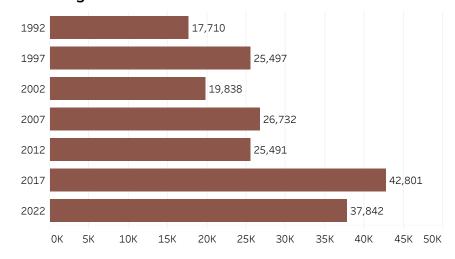
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Number of Farms



Farm Acreage



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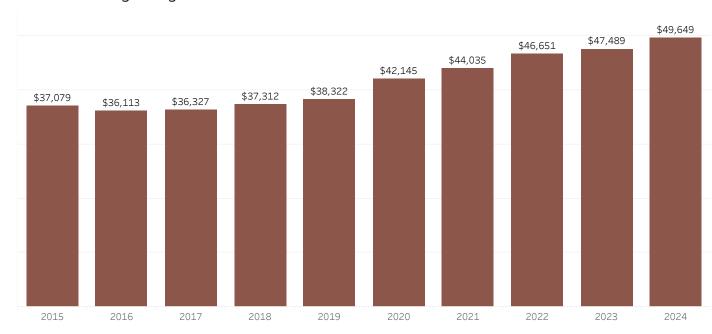
Essex County Covered Employment

2024 Essex County - Private Industry

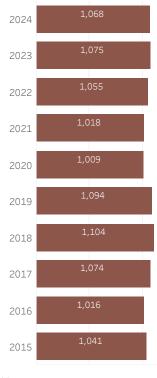
Industry Title	Establishments	Average Employment	Average Wage	Employment Location Quotient
Total, All Industries - Total Covered*	179	1,068	\$49,649	1.00
Natural Resources and Mining	14	105	\$58,331	7.20
Construction	21	53	\$49,704	0.95
Manufacturing	7	128	\$45,977	1.35
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	22	98	\$34,538	0.54
Information	7	(c)	(c)	(c)
Financial Activities	6	16	\$55,756	0.41
Professional and Business Services	32	54	\$87,236	0.47
Education and Health Services	13	104	\$48,295	0.48
Leisure and Hospitality	16	97	\$16,868	0.79
Other services	6	(c)	(c)	(c)

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Annual Average Wage - Total Covered



Total Covered Employment

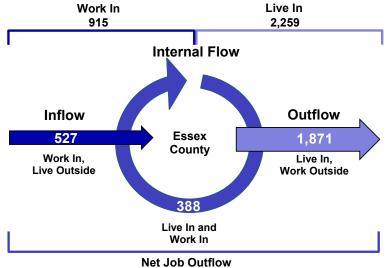


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Essex County Commuting Patterns

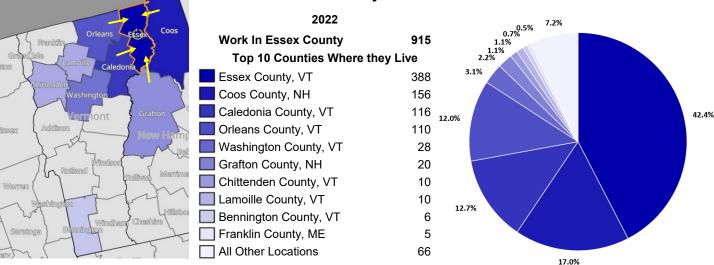


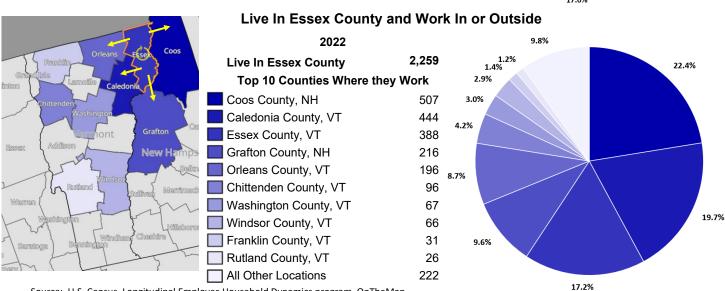
Essex County Labor Market	20	22
•	Count	
Work In county	915	
Live In county	2,259	
Net Job Outflow	-1,344	
Work In		
	Count	Share
Work In county	915	100.0%
Work In and Live In county	388	42.4%
Work In county but Live Outside (Inflow)	527	57.6%
Live In		
	Count	Share
Live In county	2,259	100.0%
Live In and Work In county	388	17.2%

Live In county but Work Outside (Outflow)

-1,344

Work in Essex County and Live In or Outside





1,871 82.8%

Franklin County



Franklin is the fifth most populous county in the state of Vermont and the eleventh largest in size. Its 2023 population was 50,379. 2023 per capita income in the county is 85.6% of the statewide average while average annual wages (2024) are 96.8% of the statewide wage, the fourth highest wage in the state. Large industries in the county include Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (22.4% of all covered employment) and Manufacturing (16.1%). Relative to the state as a whole Franklin County has a high concentration of the Natural Resources and Mining industry (2.3 percentage points higher than the state share).

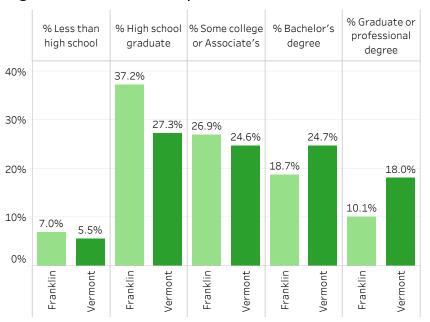
In 2024 Franklin County had the fifth largest labor force in the state with a labor force of 27,266. Since 2016 its labor force has increased by 4.2%. The county's annual average unemployment rate for 2024 was 2.3%, the same as the statewide average of 2.3%.

The poverty rate among all Franklin County residents was 10.4% in 2023 while among children under 18 it was 11.2%, compared to the statewide averages of 10.4% and 11.3%, respectively.

The major racial groups by percentage of the population were "White alone" (92.6%), "Two or more races" (5.5%), and "Asian alone" (0.6%). In Franklin County 93.0% of residents 25 years of age and older hold a high school diploma or higher while 28.8% hold a bachelor's degree or higher. People 65 years of age and over constitute 17.3% of the population.

Franklin County Demographics

Highest Education Completed¹



Disability²

	Franklin	Vermont
Percent with a disability	14.8%	14.5%

Language Spoken at Home²

	Franklin	Vermont
Percent speak only English	96.8%	94.5%
Percent speak Spanish at home	2.3%	4.2%
Percent speak another language at home	1.0%	1.3%

Age³

		2013	2023	Change
Percent under 5	Franklin	6.2%	5.5%	-0.7%
years	Vermont	5.0%	4.3%	-0.7%
Percent 5 to 19	Franklin	20.2%	18.2%	-2.0%
years	Vermont	18.7%	17.1%	-1.6%
Percent 20 to 34 years	Franklin	17.1%	18.1%	1.0%
	Vermont	18.3%	18.7%	0.4%
Percent 35 to 64 years	Franklin	43.9%	40.9%	-3.0%
	Vermont	42.8%	39.1%	-3.7%
Percent 65 years and over	Franklin	12.6%	17.3%	4.7%
	Vermont	15.2%	20.8%	5.6%

Race²

	Franklin	Vermont
Percent White alone	92.6%	91.4%
Percent Black or African American alone	0.3%	1.2%
Percent Asian alone	0.6%	1.7%
Percent American Indian and Alaska Native alone	0.4%	0.2%
Percent Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0.0%	0.0%
Percent Some Other Race alone	0.6%	0.7%
Percent Two or More Races	5.5%	4.8%

Ethnicity²

	Franklin	Vermont
Percent Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	1.9%	2.5%
Percent Not Hispanic or Latino	98.1%	97.5%

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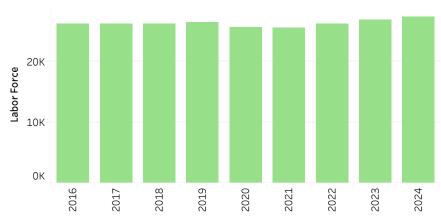
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Franklin County Unemployment & Labor Force

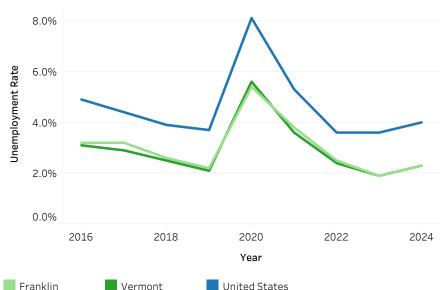
Employment by Place of Residence

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Labor Force



Unemployment Rate



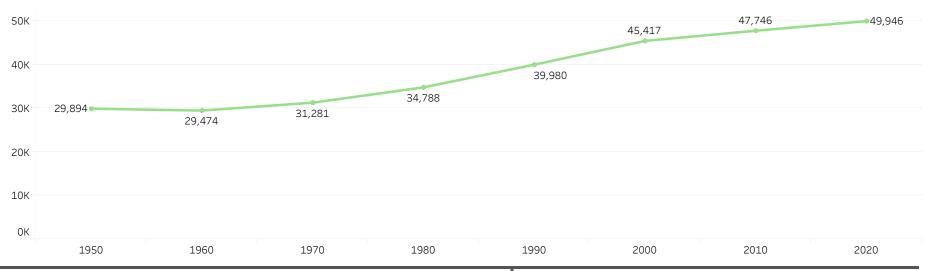
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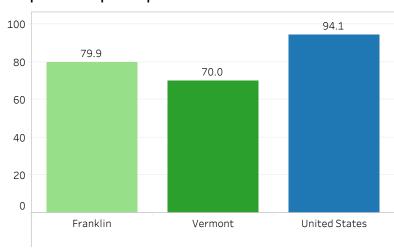
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Population Total²

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1980	34,788	16.4	511,466	35.4
1990	39,980	33.7	562,758	49
2000	45,417	51.9	608,827	61.2
2010	47,746	59.7	625,741	65.7
2020	49,946	67.1	643,077	70.2
2023	50,379	68.5	645,254	70.8

Population per Square Mile³



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Franklin County Income & Poverty

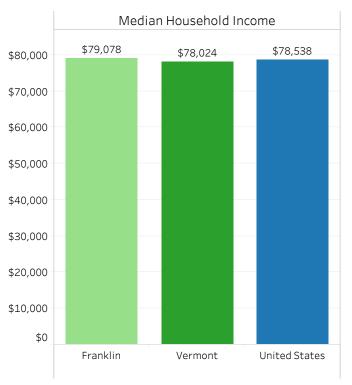
Median Household Income¹

Area	2013	2023
Franklin	\$73,561	\$79,078
Vermont	\$70,980	\$78,024
United States	\$69,383	\$78,538

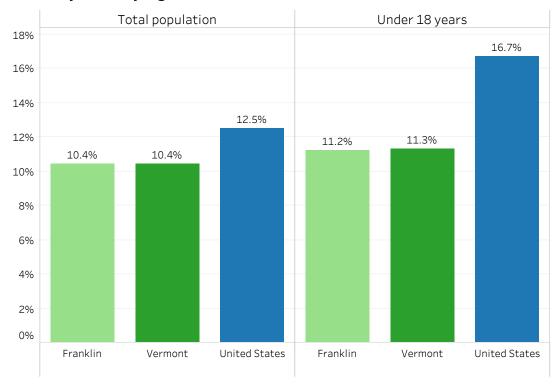
Poverty Rate²

Area	Total population	Under 18 years
Franklin	10.4%	11.2%
Vermont	10.4%	11.3%
United States	12.5%	16.7%

2023



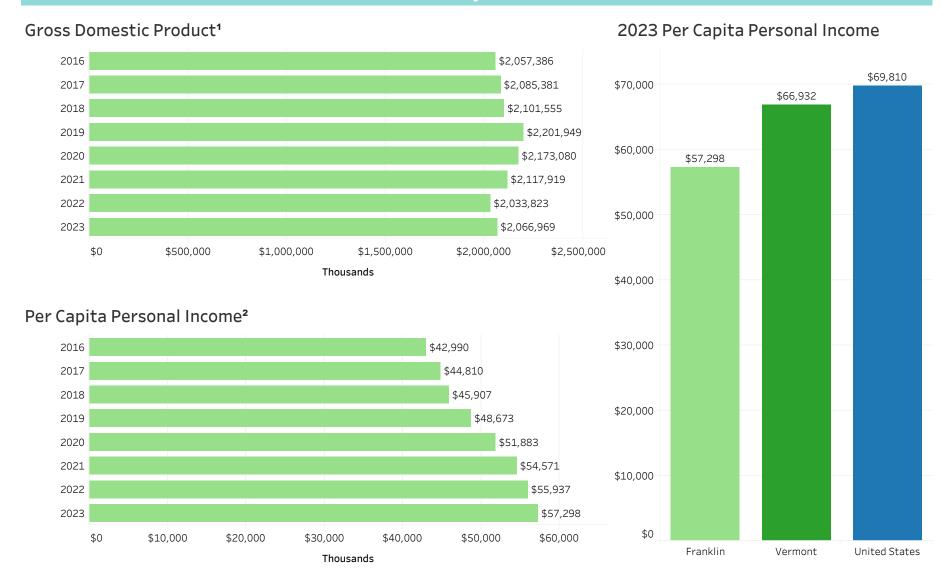
Poverty Rate by Age



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^{2. 2019-2023} ACS 5-year estimates, percent of population below poverty level for total population and population under 18 years of age

Franklin County GDP & Income



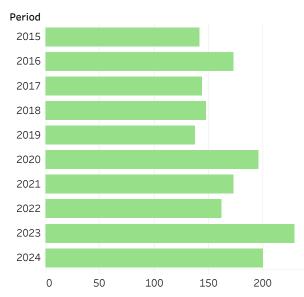
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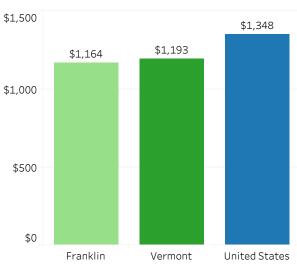
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Franklin County Housing

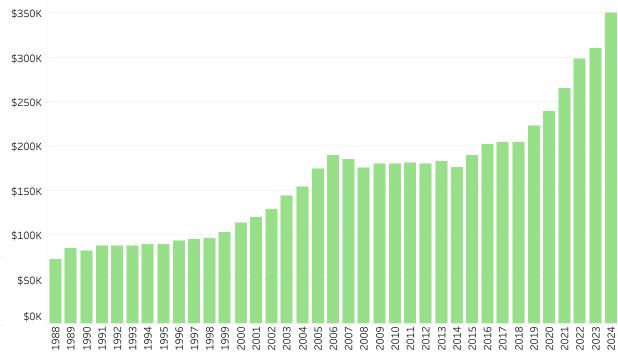
Building Permits¹



Median Gross Rent³



Median Home Sales Price²



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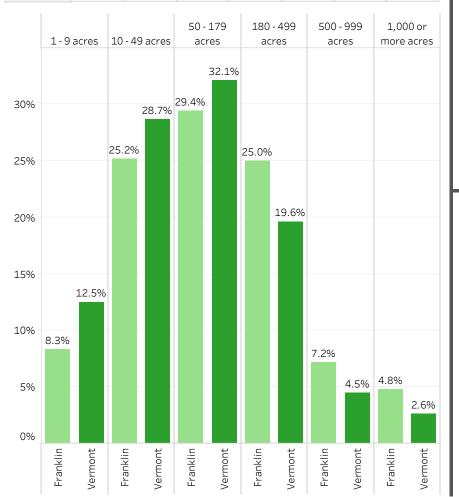
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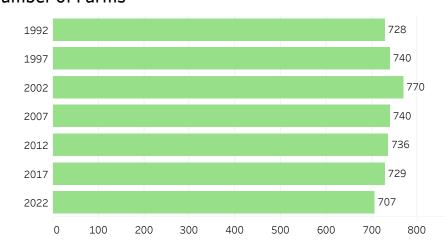
Franklin County Agriculture

Farms by size1

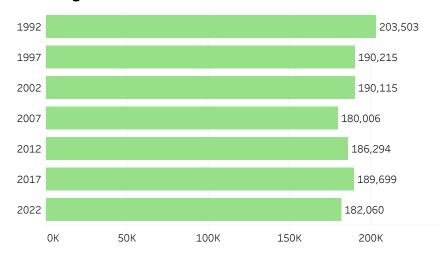
	Average	1-9	10 - 49	50 - 179	180 - 499	500 - 999	1,000+
Franklin	258	59	178	208	177	51	34
Vermont	180	816	1,877	2,101	1,280	296	167



Number of Farms



Farm Acreage



Source: U. S. Department of Agriculture; Census of Agriculture. https://www.nass.usda.gov/AgCensus
1. Farms by size in acres, 2022

Franklin County Covered Employment

2024 Franklin County - Private Industry

Industry Title	Establishments	Average Employment	Average Wage	Employment Location Quotient
Total, All Industries - Total Covered*	1,580	17,245	\$62,444	1.00
Natural Resources and Mining	79	632	\$45,186	2.68
Construction	182	598	\$63,716	0.66
Manufacturing	65	2,769	\$76,597	1.81
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	294	3,861	\$53,852	1.32
Information	55	98	\$72,305	0.39
Financial Activities	93	343	\$65,063	0.54
Professional and Business Services	385	1,101	\$77,201	0.59
Education and Health Services	130	2,398	\$61,245	0.69
Leisure and Hospitality	96	1,111	\$29,936	0.56
Other services	107	371	\$41,743	0.75

^{*}Total Covered Includes private and public employment.

Annual Average Wage - Total Covered



Total Covered Employment

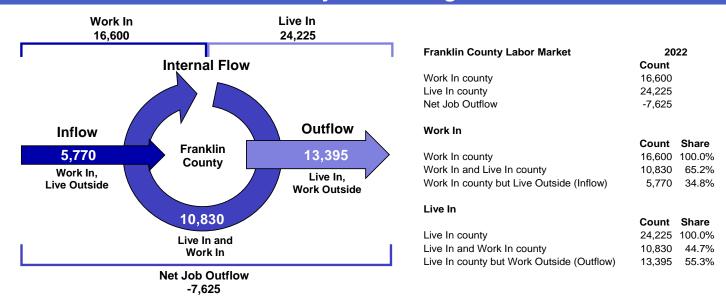


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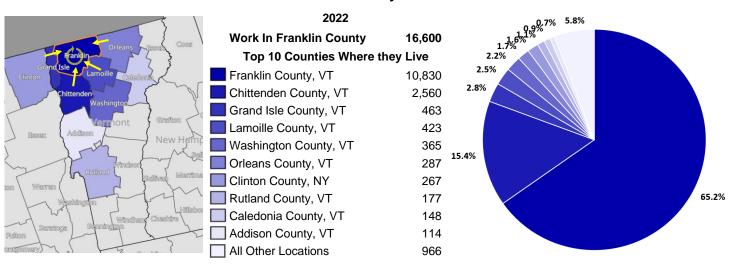
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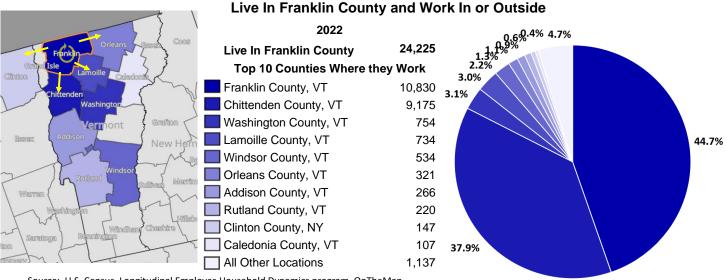
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Franklin County Commuting Patterns



Work in Franklin County and Live In or Outside





Grand Isle County



Grand Isle is the second least populous county in the state of Vermont and the smallest in size. Its 2023 population was 7,393. 2023 per capita income in the county is 111.4% of the statewide average while average annual wages (2024) are 77.8% of the statewide wage, the second lowest wage in the state. Large industries in the county include Leisure and Hospitality (19.4% of all covered employment) and Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (17.7%). Relative to the state as a whole Grand Isle County has a high concentration of the Natural Resources and Mining industry (3.2 percentage points higher than the state share).

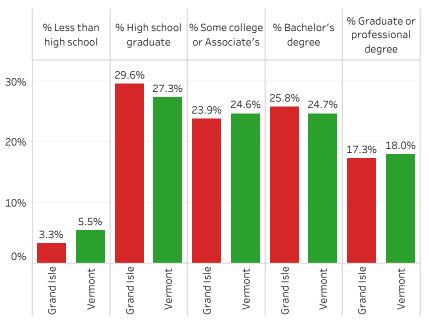
In 2024 Grand Isle County had the second smallest labor force in the state with a labor force of 4,083. Since 2016 its labor force has increased by 6.8%. The county's annual average unemployment rate for 2024 was 2.5%, slightly higher than the statewide average of 2.3%.

The poverty rate among all Grand Isle County residents was 7.4% in 2023 while among children under 18 it was 7.3%, compared to the statewide averages of 10.4% and 11.3%, respectively.

The major racial groups by percentage of the population were "White alone" (91.7%), "Two or more races" (4.9%), and "American Indian and Alaska Native alone" (1.8%). In Grand Isle County 96.7% of residents 25 years of age and older hold a high school diploma or higher while 43.2% hold a bachelor's degree or higher. People 65 years of age and over constitute 22.6% of the population.

Grand Isle County Demographics

Highest Education Completed¹



Disability²

	Grand Isle	Vermont
Percent with a disability	11.9%	14.5%

Language Spoken at Home²

	Grand Isle	Vermont
Percent speak only English	95.4%	94.5%
Percent speak Spanish at home	3.6%	4.2%
Percent speak another language at home	0.9%	1.3%

Age³

		2013	2023	Change
Percent under 5	Grand Isle	4.4%	4.3%	-0.1%
years	Vermont	5.0%	4.3%	-0.7%
Percent 5 to 19	Grand Isle	17.1%	15.2%	-1.9%
years	Vermont	18.7%	17.1%	-1.6%
Percent 20 to 34	Grand Isle	13.8%	14.9%	1.1%
years	Vermont	18.3%	18.7%	0.4%
Percent 35 to 64	Grand Isle	49.5%	43.0%	-6.5%
years	Vermont	42.8%	39.1%	-3.7%
Percent 65 years and over	Grand Isle	15.2%	22.6%	7.4%
	Vermont	15.2%	20.8%	5.6%

Race²

	Grand Isle	Vermont
Percent White alone	91.7%	91.4%
Percent Black or African American alone	0.5%	1.2%
Percent Asian alone	0.4%	1.7%
Percent American Indian and Alaska Native alone	1.8%	0.2%
Percent Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0.0%	0.0%
Percent Some Other Race alone	0.7%	0.7%
Percent Two or More Races	4.9%	4.8%

Ethnicity²

	Grand Isle	Vermont
Percent Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	2.1%	2.5%
Percent Not Hispanic or Latino	97.9%	97.5%

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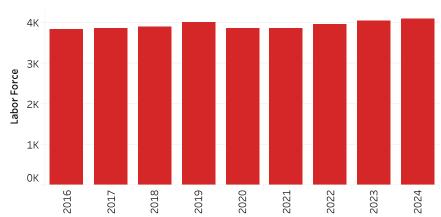
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Grand Isle County Unemployment & Labor Force

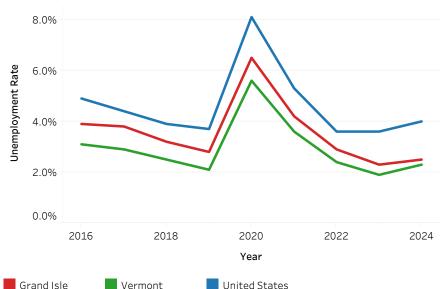
Employment by Place of Residence

Unemployment Period Labor Force Unemployment Employment Rate 2016 3,824 149 3,675 3.9% 3.8% 2017 3,851 148 3,703 2018 3,892 125 3,767 3.2% 2019 3,995 110 3,885 2.8% 250 6.5% 2020 3,849 3,599 2021 3,849 160 3,689 4.2% 2022 3,950 115 3,835 2.9% 2023 4,029 92 3,937 2.3% 2024 4,083 104 3,979 2.5%

Labor Force



Unemployment Rate

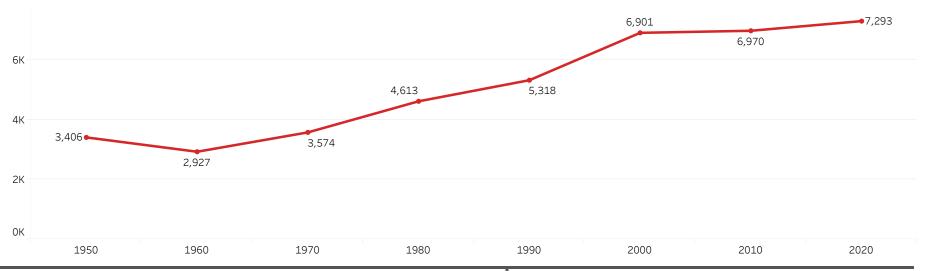


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Grand Isle County Population

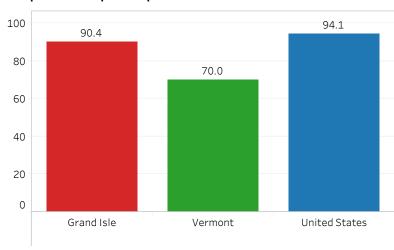
Population Total¹



Population Total²

	Grand Isle		Verm	nont
Year of Year	Population	Change Since 1950	Population	Change Since 1950
1950	3,406		377,747	
1960	2,927	-14.1	389,881	3.2
1970	3,574	4.9	444,731	17.7
1980	4,613	35.4	511,466	35.4
1990	5,318	56.1	562,758	49
2000	6,901	102.6	608,827	61.2
2010	6,970	104.6	625,741	65.7
2020	7,293	114.1	643,077	70.2
2023	7,393	117.1	645,254	70.8

Population per Square Mile³



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Grand Isle County Income & Poverty

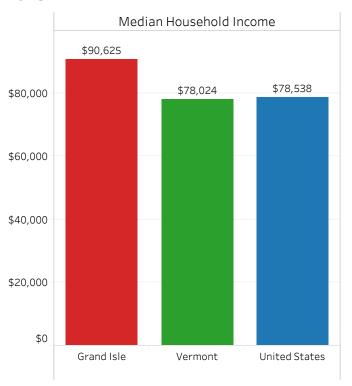
Median Household Income¹

Area	2013	2023
Grand Isle	\$77,836	\$90,625
Vermont	\$70,980	\$78,024
United States	\$69,383	\$78,538

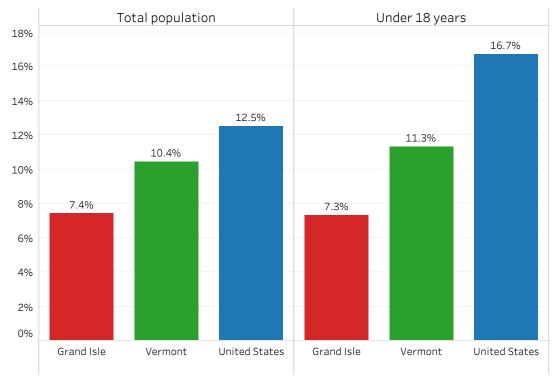
Poverty Rate²

Area	Total population	Under 18 years
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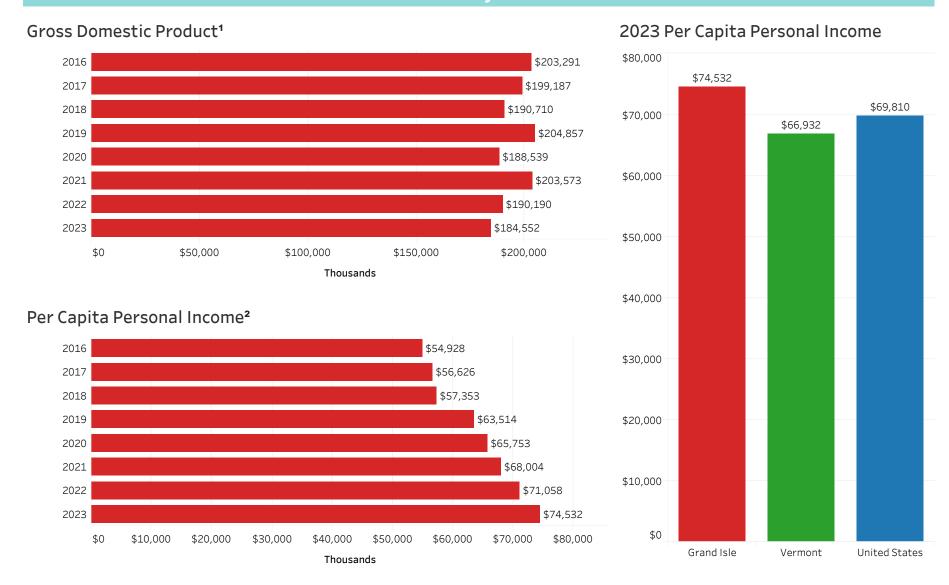
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Grand Isle County GDP & Income



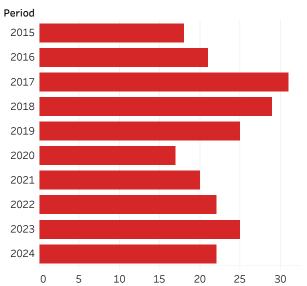
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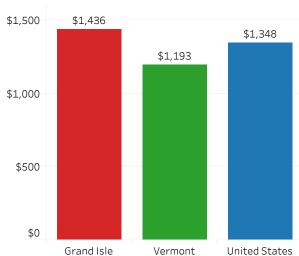
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Grand Isle County Housing

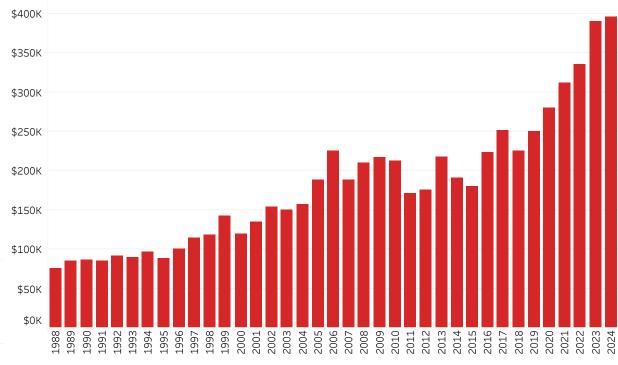
Building Permits¹



Median Gross Rent³



Median Home Sales Price²



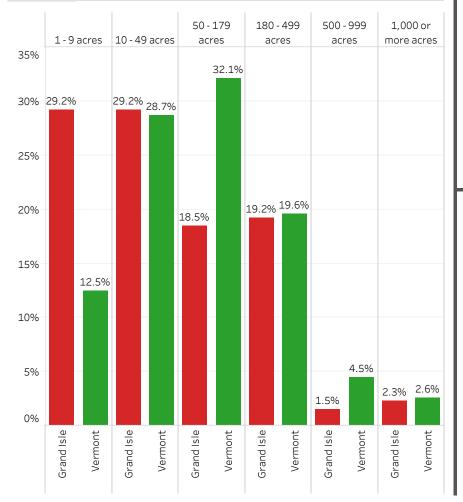
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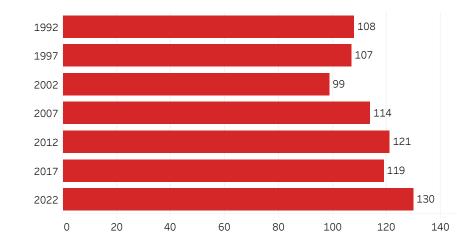
Grand Isle County Agriculture

Farms by size1

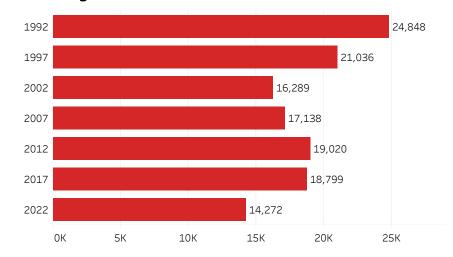
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Number of Farms



Farm Acreage



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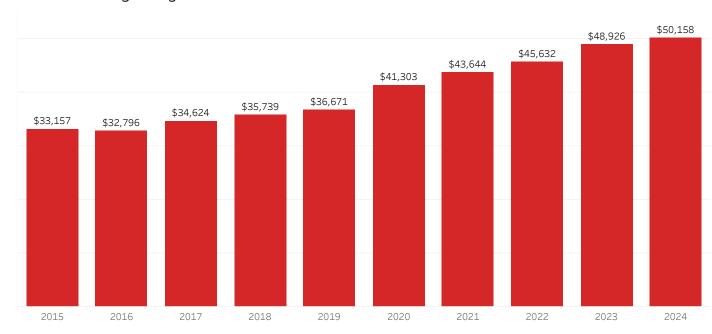
Grand Isle County Covered Employment

2024 Grand Isle County - Private Industry

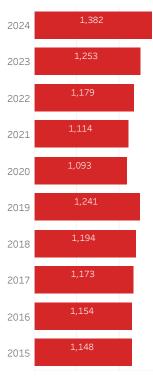
Industry Title	Establishments	Average Employment	Average Wage	Employment Location Quotient
Total, All Industries - Total Covered*	307	1,382	\$50,158	1.00
Natural Resources and Mining	12	63	\$33,810	3.34
Construction	37	130	\$54,863	1.80
Manufacturing	6	49	\$26,789	0.40
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	43	244	\$44,858	1.04
Information	12	12	\$101,053	0.59
Financial Activities	24	59	\$92,448	1.15
Professional and Business Services	90	128	\$96,546	0.86
Education and Health Services	18	45	\$48,404	0.16
Leisure and Hospitality	30	268	\$26,803	1.70
Other services	15	37	\$43,053	0.94

^{*}Total Covered Includes private and public employment.

Annual Average Wage - Total Covered



Total Covered Employment

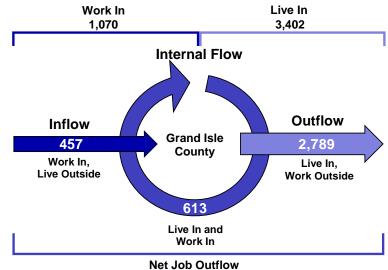


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Grand Isle County Commuting Patterns



Grand Isle County Labor Market	2022
	Count
Work In county	1,070
Live In county	3,402
Net Job Outflow	-2,332

Work In

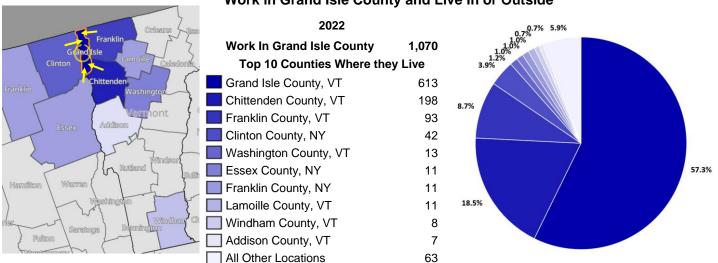
	Count	Share
Work In county	1,070	100.0%
Work In and Live In county	613	57.3%
Work In county but Live Outside (Inflow)	457	42.7%

Live In

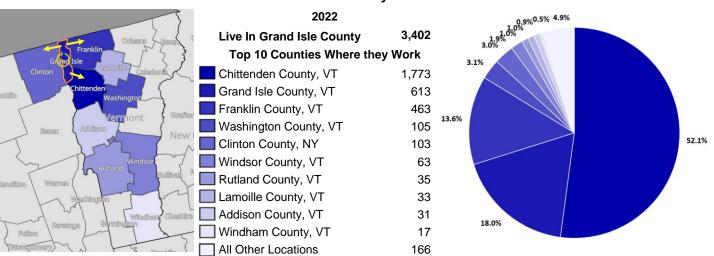
	Count	Snare
Live In county	3,402	100.0%
Live In and Work In county	613	18.0%
Live In county but Work Outside (Outflow)	2.789	82.0%

-2,332

Work in Grand Isle County and Live In or Outside



Live In Grand Isle County and Work In or Outside



Source: U.S. Census, Longitudinal Employer-Household Dynamics program, OnTheMap.

Lamoille County



Lamoille is the third least populous county in the state of Vermont and the second smallest in size. Its 2023 population was 26,036. 2023 per capita income in the county is 101.8% of the statewide average while average annual wages (2024) are 89.9% of the statewide wage, the eighth highest wage in the state. Large industries in the county include Leisure and Hospitality (27.6% of all covered employment) and Education and Health Services (14.9%). Relative to the state as a whole Lamoille County has a high concentration of the Leisure and Hospitality industry (16.2 percentage points higher than the state share).

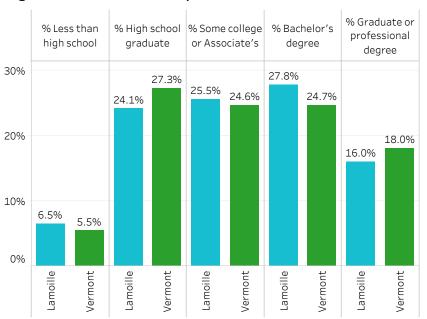
In 2024 Lamoille County had the eleventh largest labor force in the state with a labor force of 15,412. Since 2016 its labor force has increased by 2.5%. The county's annual average unemployment rate for 2024 was 2.6%, higher than the statewide average of 2.3%.

The poverty rate among all Lamoille County residents was 8.6% in 2023 while among children under 18 it was 7.6%, compared to the statewide averages of 10.4% and 11.3%, respectively.

The major racial groups by percentage of the population were "White alone" (92.3%), "Two or more races" (3.9%), and "Some other race alone" (1.5%). In Lamoille County 93.5% of residents 25 years of age and older hold a high school diploma or higher while 43.8% hold a bachelor's degree or higher. People 65 years of age and over constitute 18.2% of the population.

Lamoille County Demographics

Highest Education Completed¹



Disability²

	Lamoille	Vermont
Percent with a disability	13.0%	14.5%

Language Spoken at Home²

	Lamoille	Vermont
Percent speak only English	95.4%	94.5%
Percent speak Spanish at home	3.8%	4.2%
Percent speak another language at home	0.8%	1.3%

Age³

		2013	2023	Change
Percent under 5	Lamoille	6.0%	4.7%	-1.3%
years	Vermont	5.0%	4.3%	-0.7%
Percent 5 to 19	Lamoille	19.1%	17.8%	-1.3%
years	Vermont	18.7%	17.1%	-1.6%
Percent 20 to 34	Lamoille	18.4%	18.5%	0.1%
years	Vermont	18.3%	18.7%	0.4%
Percent 35 to 64 years	Lamoille	42.7%	40.8%	-1.9%
	Vermont	42.8%	39.1%	-3.7%
Percent 65 years and over	Lamoille	13.7%	18.2%	4.5%
	Vermont	15.2%	20.8%	5.6%

Race²

	Lamoille	Vermont
Percent White alone	92.3%	91.4%
Percent Black or African American alone	1.1%	1.2%
Percent Asian alone	0.8%	1.7%
Percent American Indian and Alaska Native alone	0.4%	0.2%
Percent Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0.0%	0.0%
Percent Some Other Race alone	1.5%	0.7%
Percent Two or More Races	3.9%	4.8%

Ethnicity²

	Lamoille	Vermont
Percent Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	2.5%	2.5%
Percent Not Hispanic or Latino	97.5%	97.5%

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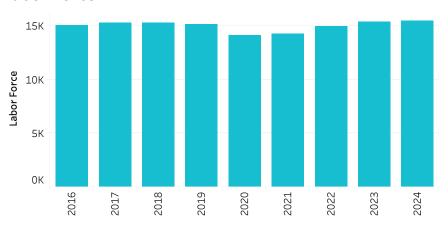
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Lamoille County Unemployment & Labor Force

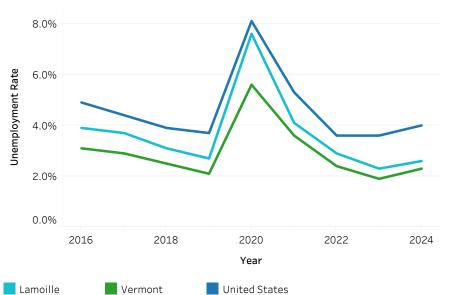
Employment by Place of Residence

Unemployment Period Labor Force Employment Unemployment Rate 2016 15,038 582 14,456 3.9% 2017 15,270 559 14,711 3.7% 2018 15,252 479 14,773 3.1% 2019 15,074 400 14,674 2.7% 2020 14,098 1,065 13,033 7.6% 2021 14,210 581 13,629 4.1% 2022 14,910 425 14,485 2.9% 2023 350 14,967 2.3% 15,317 2024 15,412 401 15,011 2.6%

Labor Force



Unemployment Rate

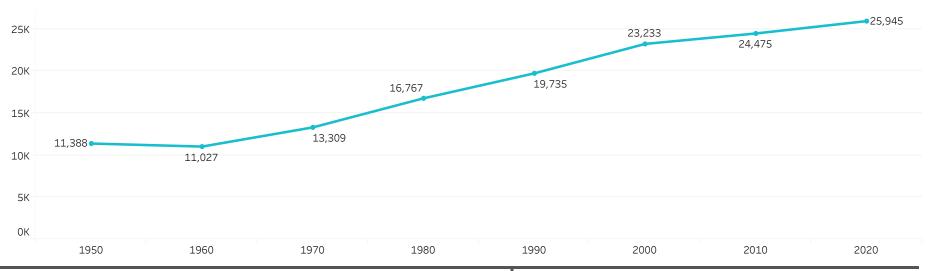


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Lamoille County Population

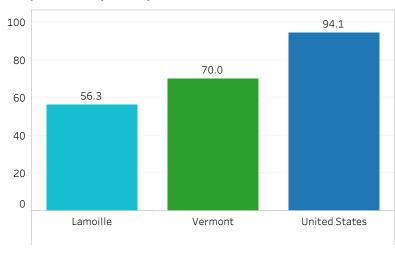
Population Total¹



Population Total²

	Lamoille		Verm	iont
Year of Year	Population	Change Since 1950	Population	Change Since 1950
1950	11,388		377,747	
1960	11,027	-3.2	389,881	3.2
1970	13,309	16.9	444,731	17.7
1980	16,767	47.2	511,466	35.4
1990	19,735	73.3	562,758	49
2000	23,233	104	608,827	61.2
2010	24,475	114.9	625,741	65.7
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Population per Square Mile³



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Lamoille County Income & Poverty

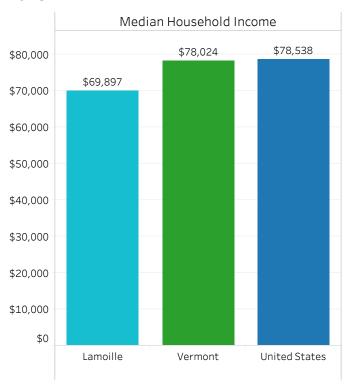
Median Household Income¹

Area	2013	2023
Lamoille	\$68,912	\$69,897
Vermont	\$70,980	\$78,024
United States	\$69,383	\$78,538

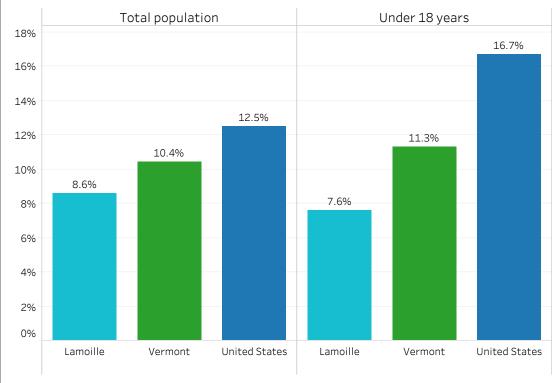
Poverty Rate²

Area	Total population	Under 18 years
Lamoille	8.6%	7.6%
Vermont	10.4%	11.3%
United States	12.5%	16.7%

2023



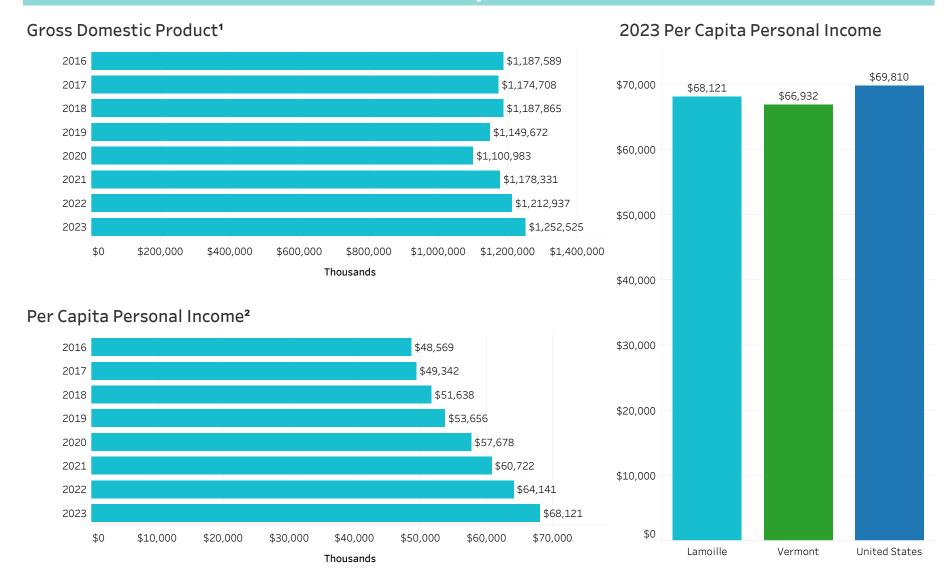
Poverty Rate by Age



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Lamoille County GDP & Income



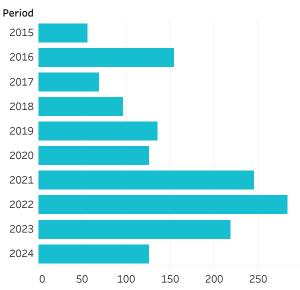
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Lamoille County Housing

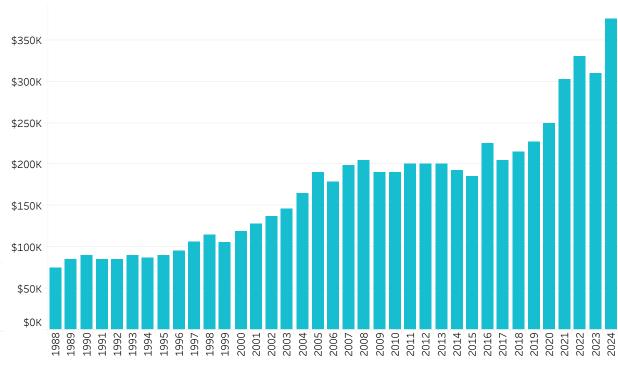
Building Permits¹



Median Gross Rent³



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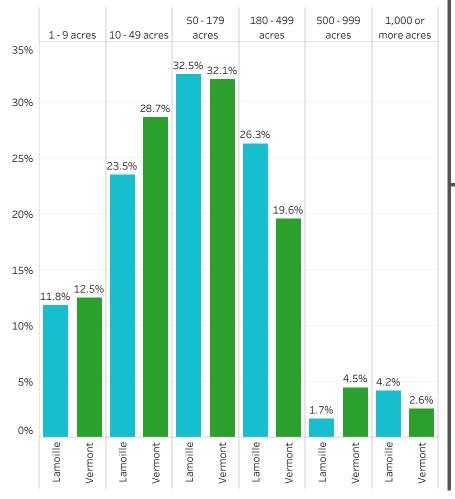
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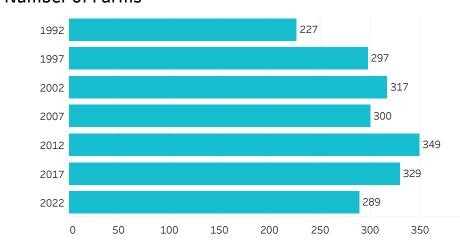
Lamoille County Agriculture

Farms by size1

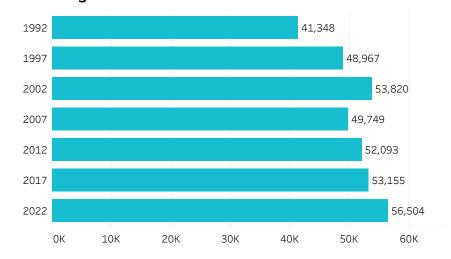
	Average	1-9	10 - 49	50 - 179	180 - 499	500 - 999	1,000+
Lamoille	196	34	68	94	76	5	12
Vermont	180	816	1,877	2,101	1,280	296	167



Number of Farms



Farm Acreage



Source: U. S. Department of Agriculture; Census of Agriculture. https://www.nass.usda.gov/AgCensus
1. Farms by size in acres, 2022

Lamoille County Covered Employment

2024 Lamoille County - Private Industry

Industry Title	Establishments	Average Employment	Average Wage	Employment Location Quotient
Total, All Industries - Total Covered*	1,590	12,427	\$57,950	1.00
Natural Resources and Mining	27	257	\$53,174	1.51
Construction	174	862	\$65,220	1.32
Manufacturing	46	647	\$62,475	0.59
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	240	1,850	\$49,084	0.88
Information	55	144	\$110,181	0.79
Financial Activities	125	440	\$81,013	0.96
Professional and Business Services	496	997	\$102,741	0.75
Education and Health Services	109	1,851	\$65,139	0.74
Leisure and Hospitality	162	3,430	\$39,819	2.41
Other services	104	323	\$45,272	0.91

^{*}Total Covered Includes private and public employment.

Annual Average Wage - Total Covered



Total Covered Employment

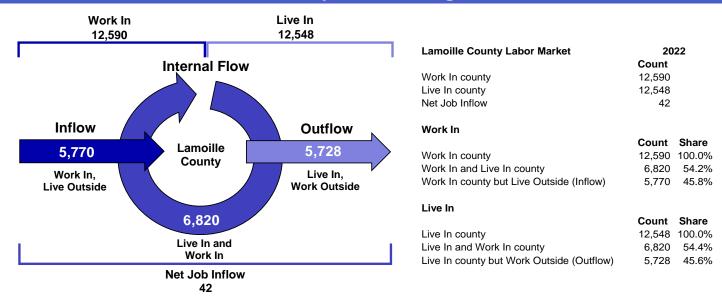


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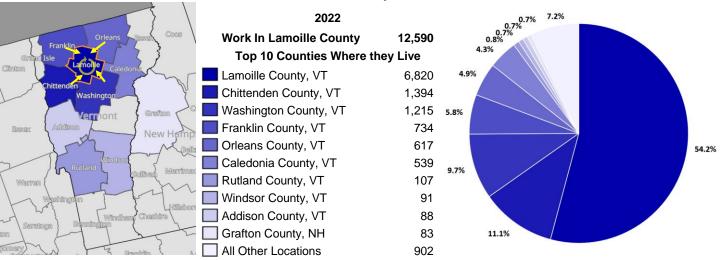
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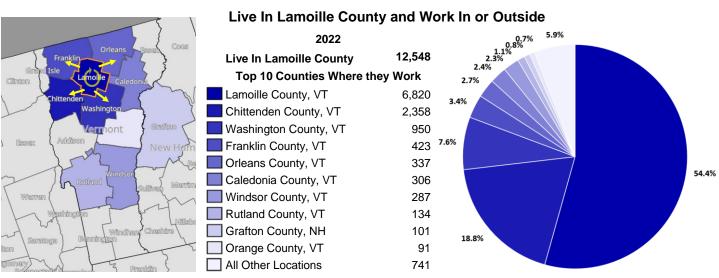
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Lamoille County Commuting Patterns



Work in Lamoille County and Live In or Outside





Orange County



Orange is the tenth most populous county in the state of Vermont and the sixth largest in size. Its 2023 population was 29,594. 2023 per capita income in the county is 88.5% of the statewide average while average annual wages (2024) are 85.8% of the statewide wage, the eleventh highest wage in the state. Large industries in the county include Education and Health Services (21.1% of all covered employment) and Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (14.5%). Relative to the state as a whole Orange County has a high concentration of the Natural Resources and Mining industry (2.7 percentage points higher than the state share).

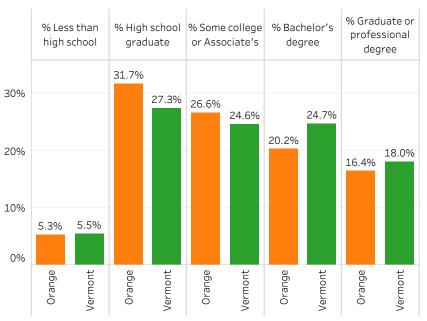
In 2024 Orange County had the tenth largest labor force in the state with a labor force of 16,470. Since 2016 its labor force has increased by 2.6%. The county's annual average unemployment rate for 2024 was 2.4%, slightly higher than the statewide average of 2.3%.

The poverty rate among all Orange County residents was 9.2% in 2023 while among children under 18 it was 11.2%, compared to the statewide averages of 10.4% and 11.3%, respectively.

The major racial groups by percentage of the population were "White alone" (93.8%), "Two or more races" (4.4%), and "Asian alone" (0.6%). In Orange County 94.7% of residents 25 years of age and older hold a high school diploma or higher while 36.5% hold a bachelor's degree or higher. People 65 years of age and over constitute 22.8% of the population.

Orange County Demographics

Highest Education Completed¹



Disability²

	Orange	Vermont
Percent with a disability	16.1%	14.5%

Language Spoken at Home²

	Orange	Vermont
Percent speak only English	97.2%	94.5%
Percent speak Spanish at home	2.0%	4.2%
Percent speak another language at home	0.8%	1.3%

Age³

		2013	2023	Change
Percent under 5	Orange	5.0%	4.2%	-0.8%
years	Vermont	5.0%	4.3%	-0.7%
Percent 5 to 19	Orange	18.4%	16.2%	-2.2%
years	Vermont	18.7%	17.1%	-1.6%
Percent 20 to 34 years	Orange	15.7%	15.8%	0.1%
	Vermont	18.3%	18.7%	0.4%
Percent 35 to 64	Orange	45.4%	40.9%	-4.5%
years	Vermont	42.8%	39.1%	-3.7%
Percent 65 years	Orange	15.6%	22.8%	7.2%
and over	Vermont	15.2%	20.8%	5.6%

Race²

	Orange	Vermont
Percent White alone	93.8%	91.4%
Percent Black or African American alone	0.4%	1.2%
Percent Asian alone	0.6%	1.7%
Percent American Indian and Alaska Native alone	0.3%	0.2%
Percent Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0.0%	0.0%
Percent Some Other Race alone	0.6%	0.7%
Percent Two or More Races	4.4%	4.8%

Ethnicity²

	Orange	Vermont
Percent Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	1.7%	2.5%
Percent Not Hispanic or Latino	98.3%	97.5%

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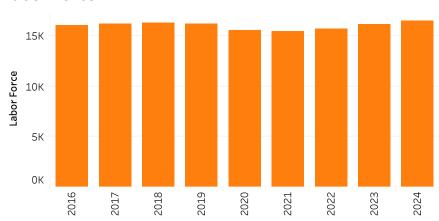
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Orange County Unemployment & Labor Force

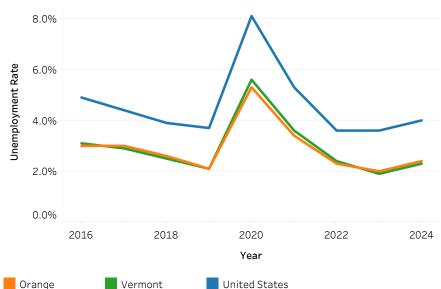
Employment by Place of Residence

Unemployment Period Labor Force Unemployment Employment Rate 2016 16,058 485 15,573 3.0% 2017 16,184 490 15,694 3.0% 2018 16,275 417 15,858 2.6% 2019 16,191 348 15,843 2.1% 2020 15,500 820 14,680 5.3% 2021 15,486 524 14,962 3.4% 2022 15,719 357 15,362 2.3% 2023 316 2.0% 16,118 15,802 2024 16,470 389 16,081 2.4%

Labor Force



Unemployment Rate



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Orange County Population

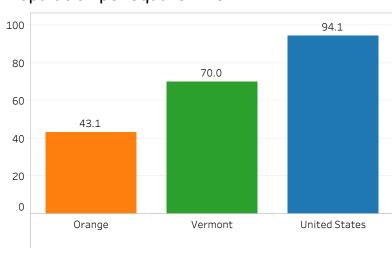
Population Total¹



Population Total²

	Orange		Verm	iont
Year of Year	Population	Change Since 1950	Population	Change Since 1950
1950	17,027		377,747	
1960	16,014	-5.9	389,881	3.2
1970	17,676	3.8	444,731	17.7
1980	22,739	33.5	511,466	35.4
1990	26,149	53.6	562,758	49
2000	28,226	65.8	608,827	61.2
2010	28,936	69.9	625,741	65.7
2020	29,277	71.9	643,077	70.2
2023	29,594	73.8	645,254	70.8

Population per Square Mile³



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Orange County Income & Poverty

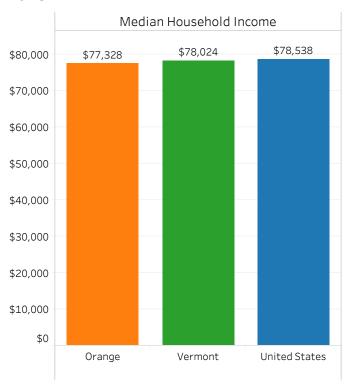
Median Household Income¹

Area	2013	2023
Orange	\$68,643	\$77,328
Vermont	\$70,980	\$78,024
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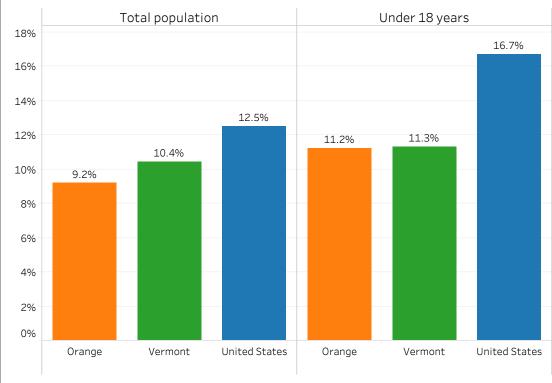
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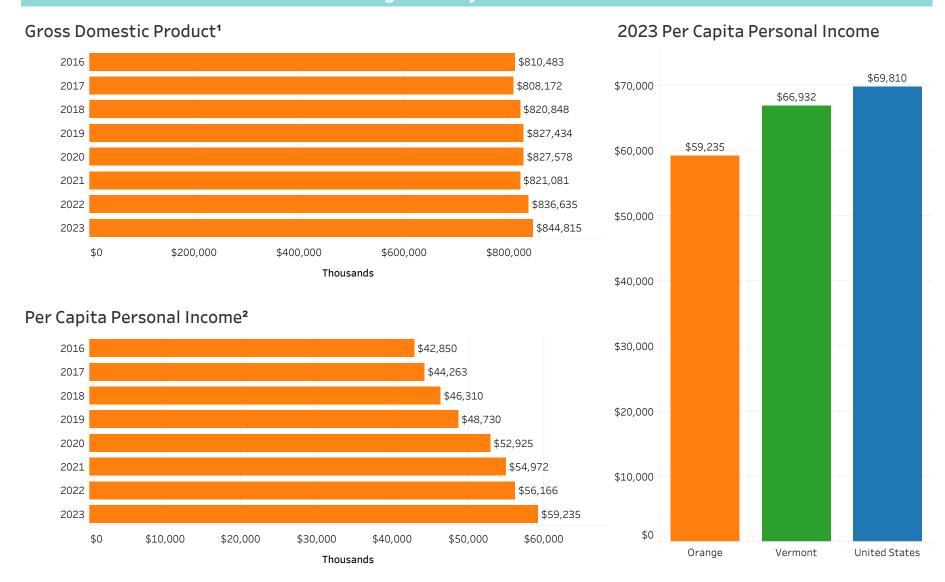
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Orange County GDP & Income



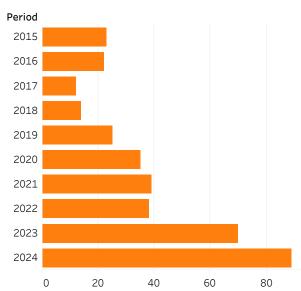
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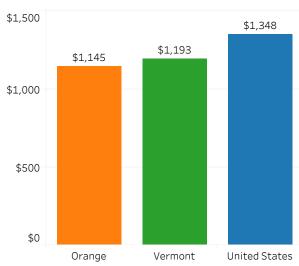
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Orange County Housing

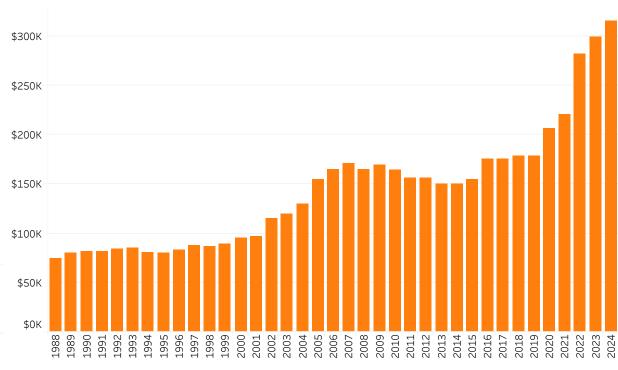
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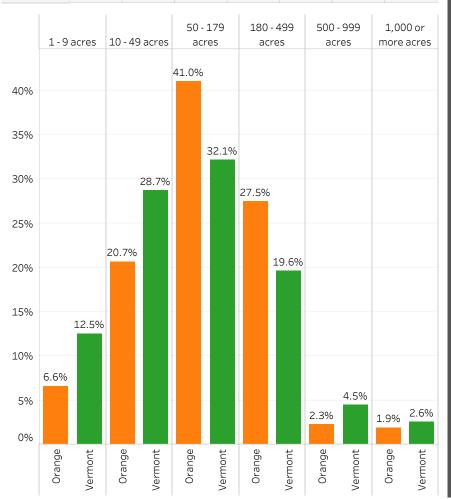
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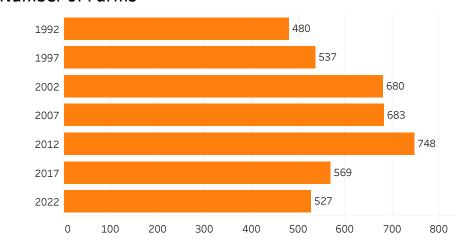
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Farms by size1

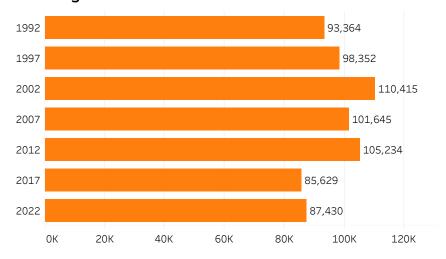
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Vermont	180	816	1,877	2,101	1,280	296	167



Number of Farms



Farm Acreage



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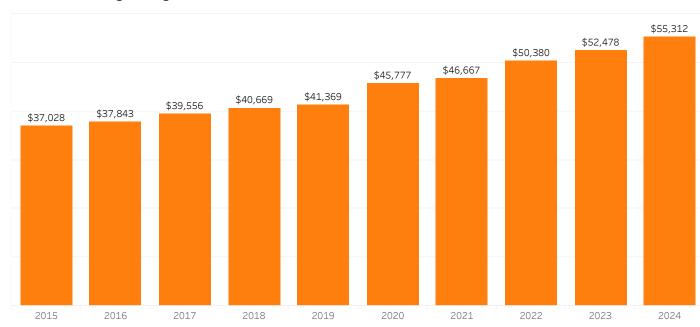
Orange County Covered Employment

2024 Orange County - Private Industry

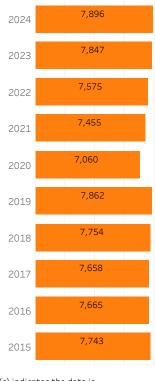
Industry Title	Establishments	Average Employment	Average Wage	Employment Location Quotient
Total, All Industries - Total Covered*	1,029	7,896	\$55,312	1.00
Natural Resources and Mining	47	322	\$42,003	2.99
Construction	139	626	\$70,758	1.51
Manufacturing	44	671	\$50,154	0.96
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	145	1,147	\$42,748	0.86
Information	29	(c)	(c)	(c)
Financial Activities	51	240	\$66,248	0.82
Professional and Business Services	284	574	\$91,355	0.68
Education and Health Services	106	1,666	\$60,534	1.05
Leisure and Hospitality	59	592	\$29,252	0.66
Other services	52	(c)	(c)	(c)

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Annual Average Wage - Total Covered



Total Covered Employment

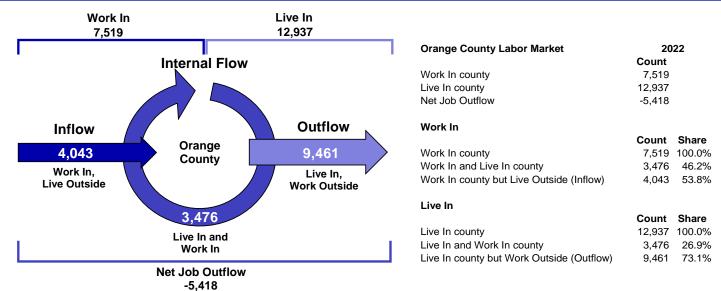


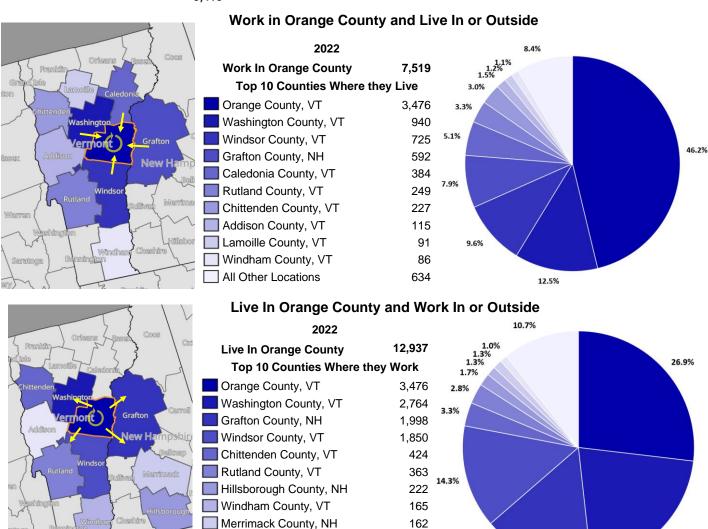
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Orange County Commuting Patterns





133

15.4%

1,380

Addison County, VT

All Other Locations

Source: U.S. Census, Longitudinal Employer-Household Dynamics program, OnTheMap.

21.4%

Orleans County



Orleans is the eleventh most populous county in the state of Vermont and the fifth largest in size. Its 2023 population was 27,492. 2023 per capita income in the county is 82.6% of the statewide average while average annual wages (2024) are 79.7% of the statewide wage, the third lowest wage in the state. Large industries in the county include Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (18.7% of all covered employment) and Education and Health Services (17.8%). Relative to the state as a whole Orleans County has a high concentration of the Natural Resources and Mining industry (1.3 percentage points higher than the state share).

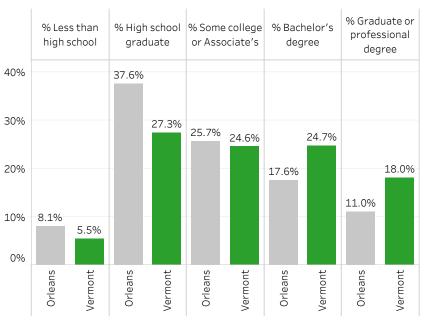
In 2024 Orleans County had the third smallest labor force in the state with a labor force of 14,030. Since 2016 its labor force has was essentially unchanged by 0.0%. The county's annual average unemployment rate for 2024 was 3.6%, higher than the statewide average of 2.3%.

The poverty rate among all Orleans County residents was 9.8% in 2023 while among children under 18 it was 11.1%, compared to the statewide averages of 10.4% and 11.3%, respectively.

The major racial groups by percentage of the population were "White alone" (94.5%), "Two or more races" (3.3%), and "Black or African American alone" (0.8%). In Orleans County 91.9% of residents 25 years of age and older hold a high school diploma or higher while 28.6% hold a bachelor's degree or higher. People 65 years of age and over constitute 23.3% of the population.

Orleans County Demographics

Highest Education Completed¹



Disability²

	Orleans	Vermont
Percent with a disability	17.2%	14.5%

Language Spoken at Home²

	Orleans	Vermont
Percent speak only English	94.0%	94.5%
Percent speak Spanish at home	5.2%	4.2%
Percent speak another language at home	0.8%	1.3%

Age³

		2013	2023	Change
Percent under 5	Orleans	5.2%	4.7%	-0.5%
years	Vermont	5.0%	4.3%	-0.7%
Percent 5 to 19	Orleans	18.1%	16.6%	-1.5%
years	Vermont	18.7%	17.1%	-1.6%
Percent 20 to 34	Orleans	15.9%	16.5%	0.6%
years	Vermont	18.3%	18.7%	0.4%
Percent 35 to 64	Orleans	42.3%	38.9%	-3.4%
years	Vermont	42.8%	39.1%	-3.7%
Percent 65 years	Orleans	18.5%	23.3%	4.8%
and over	Vermont	15.2%	20.8%	5.6%

Race²

	Orleans	Vermont
Percent White alone	94.5%	91.4%
Percent Black or African American alone	0.8%	1.2%
Percent Asian alone	0.7%	1.7%
Percent American Indian and Alaska Native alone	0.3%	0.2%
Percent Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0.0%	0.0%
Percent Some Other Race alone	0.4%	0.7%
Percent Two or More Races	3.3%	4.8%

Ethnicity²

	Orleans	Vermont
Percent Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	1.8%	2.5%
Percent Not Hispanic or Latino	98.2%	97.5%

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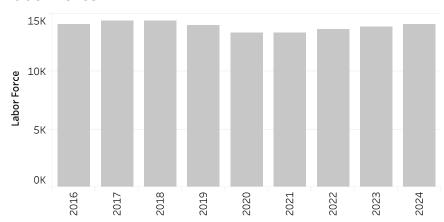
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Orleans County Unemployment & Labor Force

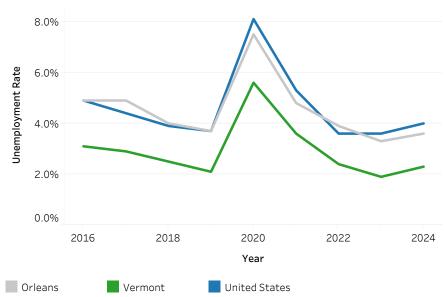
Employment by Place of Residence

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Labor Force



Unemployment Rate



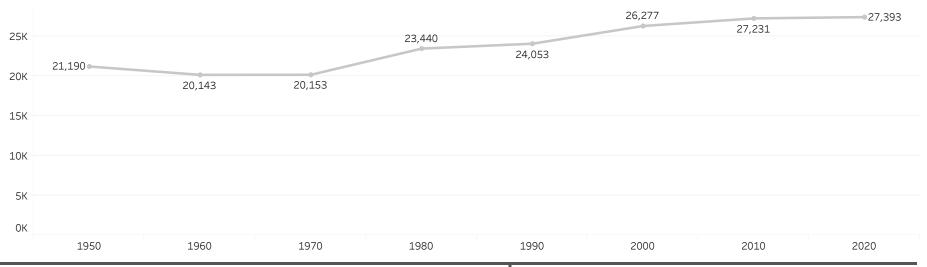
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Orleans County Population

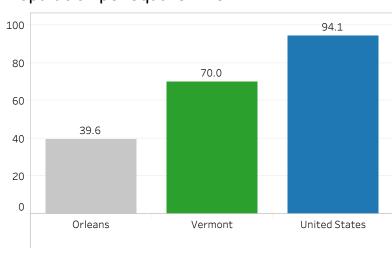
Population Total¹



Population Total²

	Orle	ans	Verm	iont
Year of Year	Population	Change Since 1950	Population	Change Since 1950
1950	21,190		377,747	
1960	20,143	-4.9	389,881	3.2
1970	20,153	-4.9	444,731	17.7
1980	23,440	10.6	511,466	35.4
1990	24,053	13.5	562,758	49
2000	26,277	24	608,827	61.2
2010	27,231	28.5	625,741	65.7
2020	27,393	29.3	643,077	70.2
2023	27,492	29.7	645,254	70.8

Population per Square Mile³



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Orleans County Income & Poverty

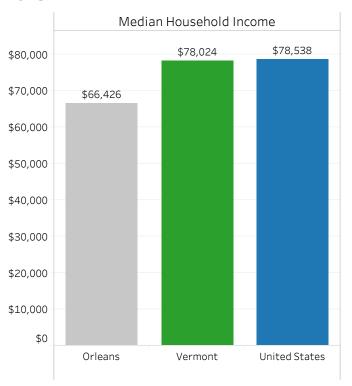
Median Household Income¹

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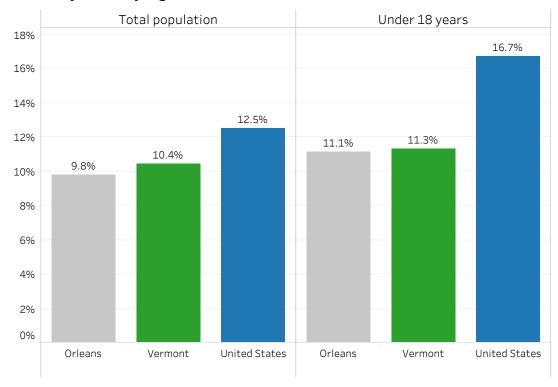
Poverty Rate²

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2023



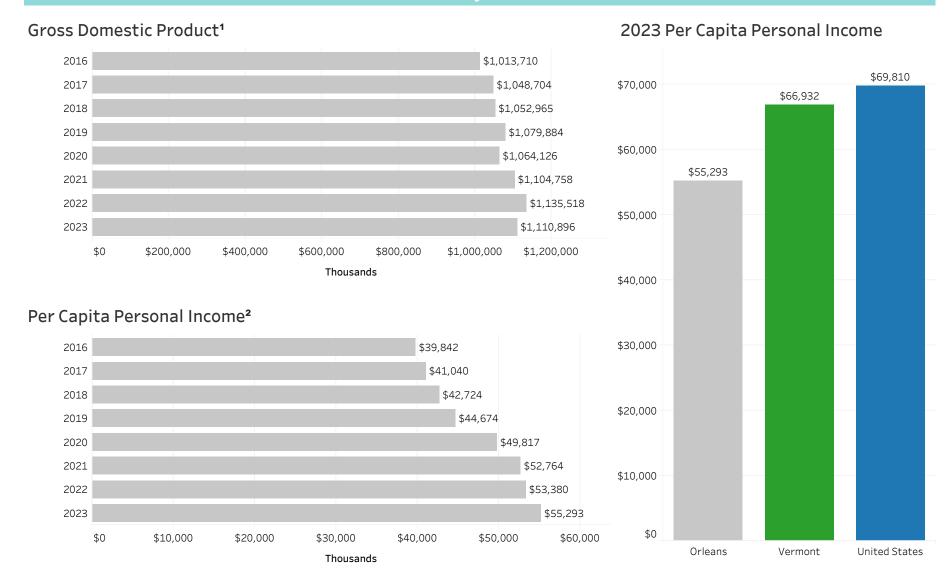
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Orleans County GDP & Income



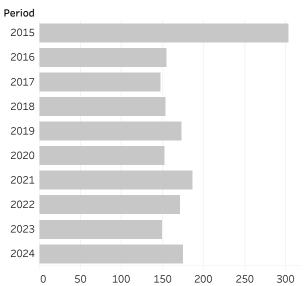
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Orleans County Housing

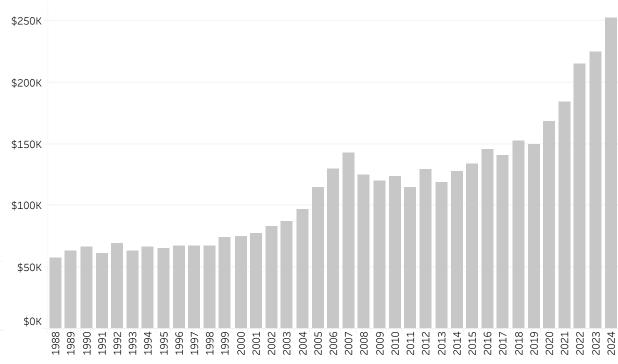
Building Permits¹



Median Gross Rent³



Median Home Sales Price²



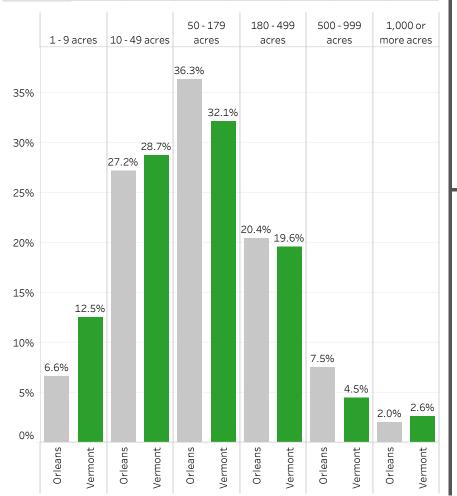
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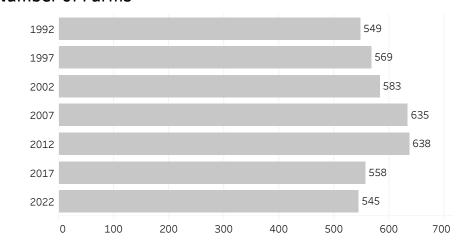
Orleans County Agriculture

Farms by size1

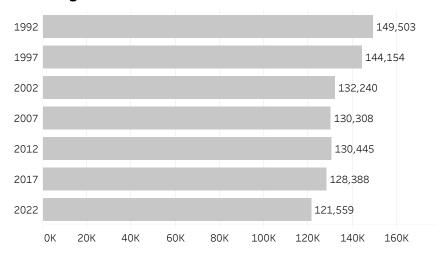
	Average	1-9	10 - 49	50 - 179	180 - 499	500 - 999	1,000+
Orleans	223	36	148	198	111	41	11
Vermont	180	816	1,877	2,101	1,280	296	167



Number of Farms



Farm Acreage



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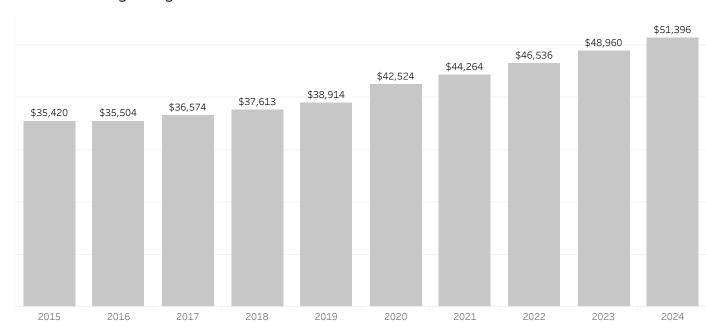
Orleans County Covered Employment

2024 Orleans County - Private Industry

Industry Title	Establishments	Average Employment	Average Wage	Employment Location Quotient
Total, All Industries - Total Covered*	1,124	10,794	\$51,396	1.00
Natural Resources and Mining	44	292	\$42,221	1.98
Construction	148	671	\$62,840	1.19
Manufacturing	47	1,203	\$53,481	1.26
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	209	2,015	\$43,452	1.10
Information	32	(c)	(c)	(c)
Financial Activities	60	313	\$77,472	0.78
Professional and Business Services	254	434	\$64,323	0.37
Education and Health Services	81	1,921	\$60,268	0.88
Leisure and Hospitality	82	1,439	\$29,561	1.17
Other services	81	267	\$41,662	0.87

^{*}Total Covered Includes private and public employment.

Annual Average Wage - Total Covered



Total Covered Employment

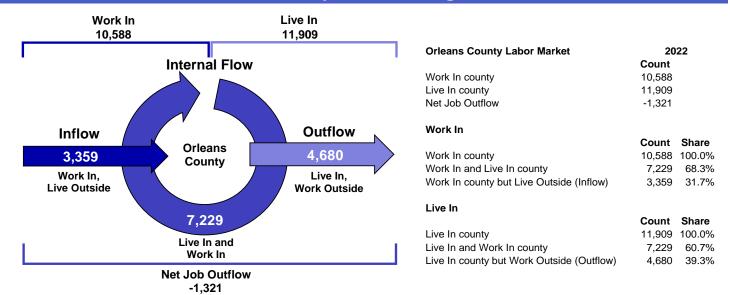


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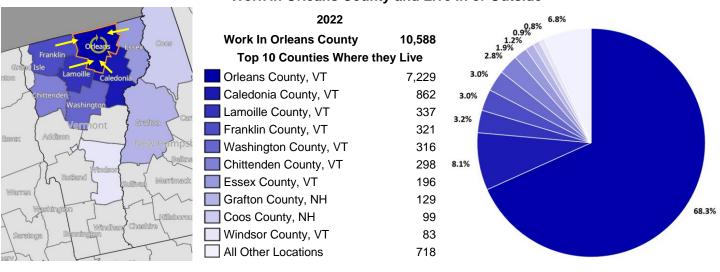
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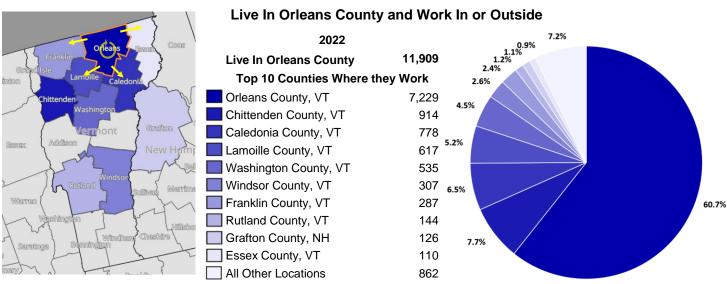
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Orleans County Commuting Patterns



Work in Orleans County and Live In or Outside





Rutland County



Rutland is the second most populous county in the state of Vermont and the second largest in size. Its 2023 population was 60,484. 2023 per capita income in the county is 92.2% of the statewide average while average annual wages (2024) are 91.1% of the statewide wage, the seventh highest wage in the state. Large industries in the county include Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (20.2% of all covered employment) and Education and Health Services (17.6%). Relative to the state as a whole Rutland County has a high concentration of the Leisure and Hospitality industry (2.7 percentage points higher than the state share).

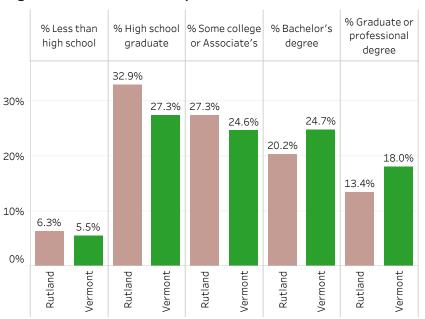
In 2024 Rutland County had the fourth largest labor force in the state with a labor force of 30,320. Since 2016 its labor force has decreased by 6.6%. The county's annual average unemployment rate for 2024 was 2.7%, higher than the statewide average of 2.3%.

The poverty rate among all Rutland County residents was 11.4% in 2023 while among children under 18 it was 11.1%, compared to the statewide averages of 10.4% and 11.3%, respectively.

The major racial groups by percentage of the population were "White alone" (93.9%), "Two or more races" (4.4%), and "Black or African American alone" (0.7%). In Rutland County 93.7% of residents 25 years of age and older hold a high school diploma or higher while 33.5% hold a bachelor's degree or higher. People 65 years of age and over constitute 24.0% of the population.

Rutland County Demographics

Highest Education Completed¹



Disability²

	Rutland	Vermont
Percent with a disability	15.5%	14.5%

Language Spoken at Home²

	Rutland	Vermont
Percent speak only English	95.8%	94.5%
Percent speak Spanish at home	2.5%	4.2%
Percent speak another language at home	1.7%	1.3%

Age³

		2013	2023	Change
Percent under 5	Rutland	4.4%	4.1%	-0.3%
years	Vermont	5.0%	4.3%	-0.7%
Percent 5 to 19	Rutland	17.7%	16.0%	-1.7%
years	Vermont	18.7%	17.1%	-1.6%
Percent 20 to 34 years	Rutland	16.7%	16.3%	-0.4%
	Vermont	18.3%	18.7%	0.4%
Percent 35 to 64	Rutland	43.9%	39.6%	-4.3%
years	Vermont	42.8%	39.1%	-3.7%
Percent 65 years	Rutland	17.3%	24.0%	6.7%
and over	Vermont	15.2%	20.8%	5.6%

Race²

	Rutland	Vermont
Percent White alone	93.9%	91.4%
Percent Black or African American alone	0.7%	1.2%
Percent Asian alone	0.6%	1.7%
Percent American Indian and Alaska Native alone	0.1%	0.2%
Percent Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0.0%	0.0%
Percent Some Other Race alone	0.4%	0.7%
Percent Two or More Races	4.4%	4.8%

Ethnicity²

	Rutland	Vermont
Percent Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	2.1%	2.5%
Percent Not Hispanic or Latino	97.9%	97.5%

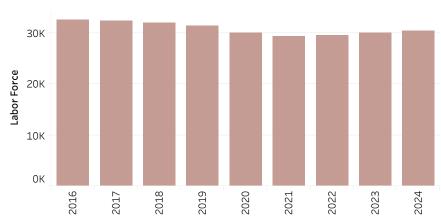
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Rutland County Unemployment & Labor Force

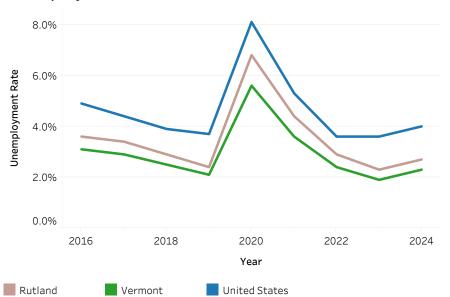
Employment by Place of Residence

Unemployment Period Labor Force Employment Unemployment Rate 2016 32,464 1,167 31,297 3.6% 2017 32,290 1,094 31,196 3.4% 2018 31,939 925 31,014 2.9% 2019 31,285 763 30,522 2.4% 2020 29,898 2,041 27,857 6.8% 2021 29,243 1,291 27,952 4.4% 2022 29,504 863 28,641 2.9% 2023 29,920 696 29,224 2.3% 2024 30,320 823 29,497 2.7%

Labor Force



Unemployment Rate

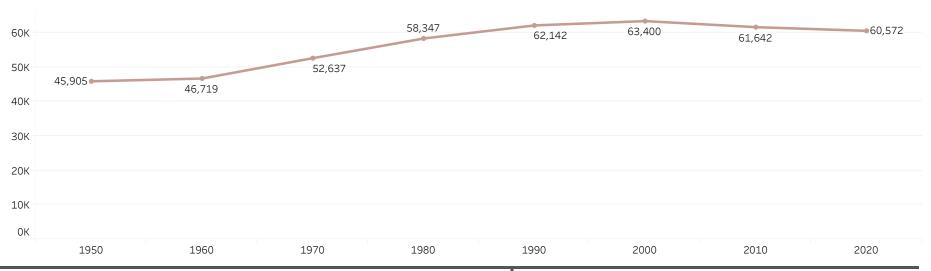


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Rutland County Population

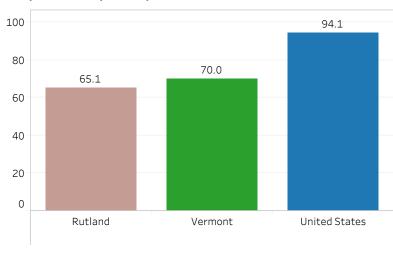
Population Total¹



Population Total²

	Rutl	and	Verm	iont
Year of Year	Population	Change Since 1950	Population	Change Since 1950
1950	45,905		377,747	
1960	46,719	1.8	389,881	3.2
1970	52,637	14.7	444,731	17.7
1980	58,347	27.1	511,466	35.4
1990	62,142	35.4	562,758	49
2000	63,400	38.1	608,827	61.2
2010	61,642	34.3	625,741	65.7
2020	60,572	32	643,077	70.2
2023	60,484	31.8	645,254	70.8

Population per Square Mile³



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Rutland County Income & Poverty

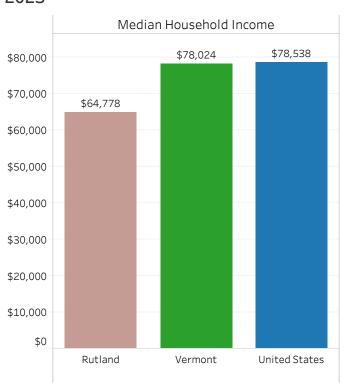
Median Household Income¹

Area	2013	2023
Rutland	\$64,445	\$64,778
Vermont	\$70,980	\$78,024
United States	\$69,383	\$78,538

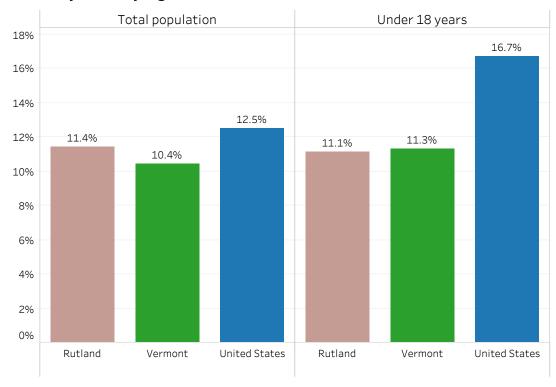
Poverty Rate²

Area	Total population	Under 18 years
Rutland	11.4%	11.1%
Vermont	10.4%	11.3%
United States	12.5%	16.7%

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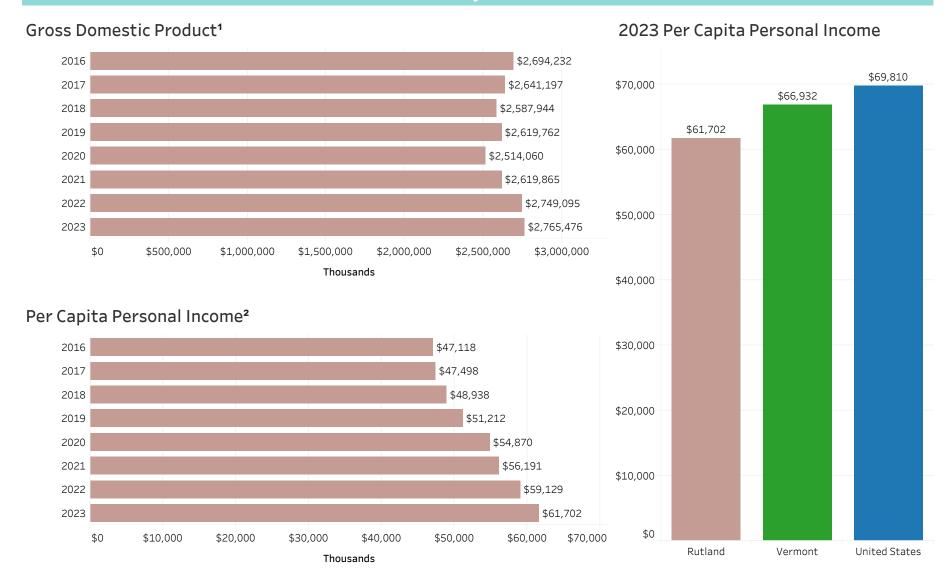
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Rutland County GDP & Income



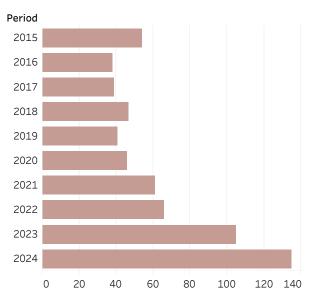
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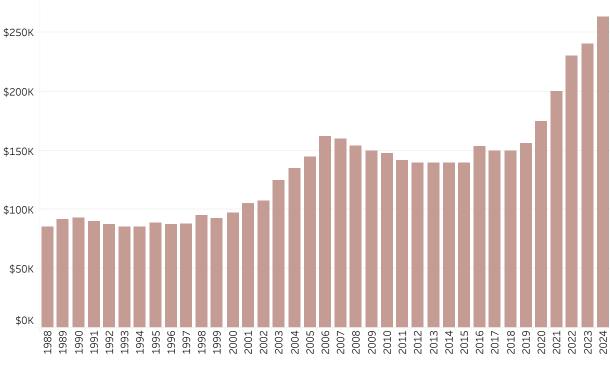
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Rutland County Housing

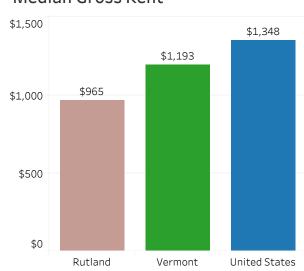
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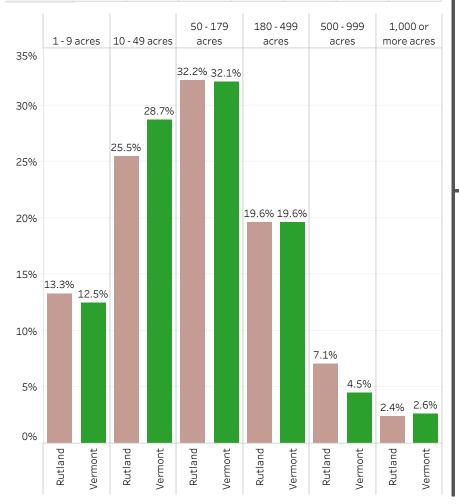
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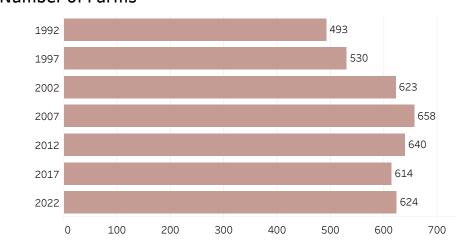
Rutland County Agriculture

Farms by size1

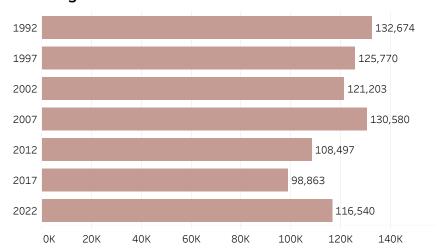
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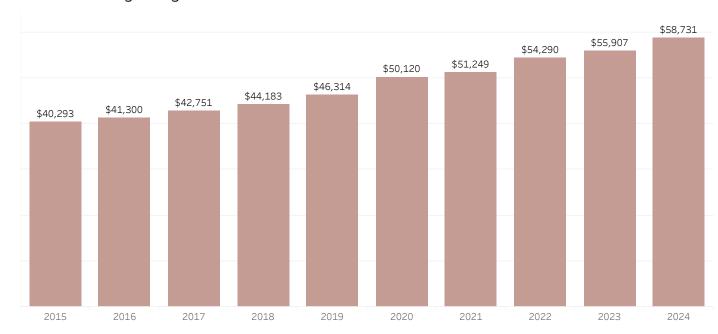
Rutland County Covered Employment

2024 Rutland County - Private Industry

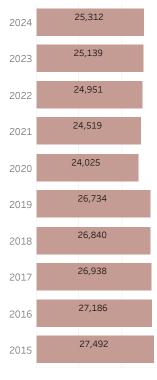
Industry Title	Establishments	Average Employment	Average Wage	Employment Location Quotient
Total, All Industries - Total Covered*	2,706	25,312	\$58,731	1.00
Natural Resources and Mining	54	423	\$62,443	1.22
Construction	304	1,487	\$63,392	1.12
Manufacturing	107	2,555	\$72,858	1.14
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	498	5,103	\$51,723	1.19
Information	71	227	\$74,326	0.61
Financial Activities	164	689	\$80,236	0.74
Professional and Business Services	718	2,370	\$83,297	0.87
Education and Health Services	236	4,444	\$67,642	0.87
Leisure and Hospitality	241	3,574	\$29,736	1.24
Other services	184	764	\$38,805	1.06

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Annual Average Wage - Total Covered



Total Covered Employment

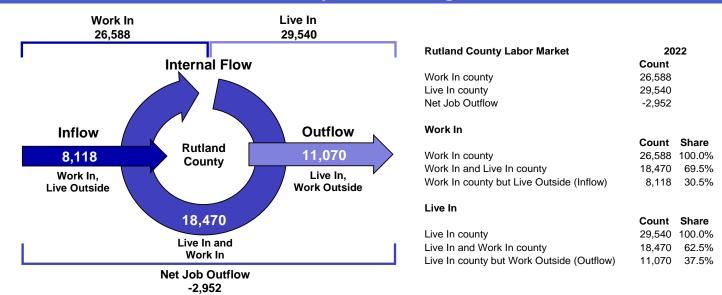


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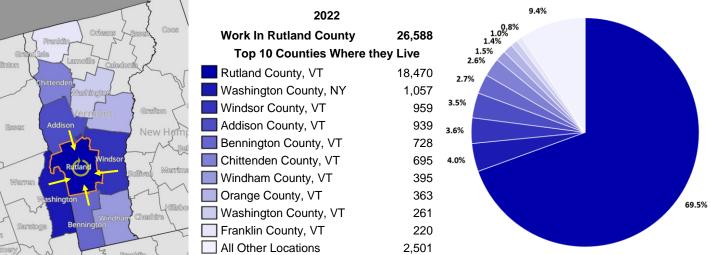
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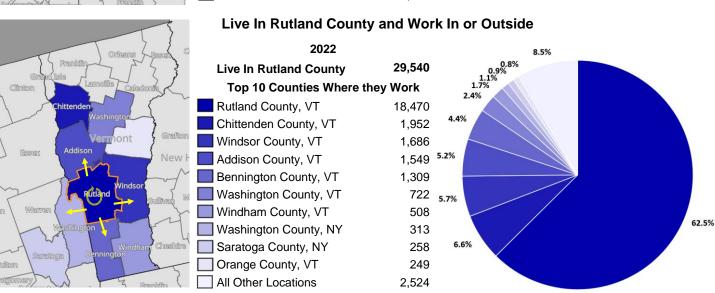
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Rutland County Commuting Patterns



Work in Rutland County and Live In or Outside





Washington County



Washington is the third most populous county in the state of Vermont and the seventh largest in size. Its 2023 population was 59,958. 2023 per capita income in the county is 110.0% of the statewide average while average annual wages (2024) are 105.1% of the statewide wage, the second highest wage in the state. Large industries in the county include Education and Health Services (17.4% of all covered employment) and Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (16.1%). Relative to the state as a whole Washington County has a high concentration of the Financial Activities industry (3.1 percentage points higher than the state share).

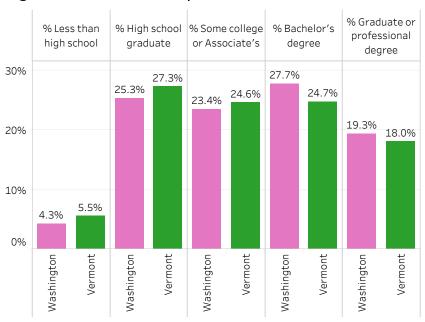
In 2024 Washington County had the second largest labor force in the state with a labor force of 33,374. Since 2016 its labor force has increased by 1.2%. The county's annual average unemployment rate for 2024 was 2.3%, same as the statewide average of 2.3%.

The poverty rate among all Washington County residents was 9.9% in 2023 while among children under 18 it was 13.4%, compared to the statewide averages of 10.4% and 11.3%, respectively.

The major racial groups by percentage of the population were "White alone" (93.2%), "Two or more races" (4.3%), and "Black or African American alone" (0.9%). In Washington County 95.7% of residents 25 years of age and older hold a high school diploma or higher while 47.0% hold a bachelor's degree or higher. People 65 years of age and over constitute 21.0% of the population.

Washington County Demographics

Highest Education Completed¹



Disability²

	Washington	Vermont
Percent with a disability	14.2%	14.5%

Language Spoken at Home²

	Washington	Vermont
Percent speak only English	96.1%	94.5%
Percent speak Spanish at home	2.8%	4.2%
Percent speak another language at home	1.1%	1.3%

Age³

		2013	2023	Change
Percent under 5	Washington	5.1%	4.2%	-0.9%
years	Vermont	5.0%	4.3%	-0.7%
Percent 5 to 19	Washington	18.3%	17.1%	-1.2%
years	Vermont	18.7%	17.1%	-1.6%
Percent 20 to 34	Washington	16.8%	17.3%	0.5%
years	Vermont	18.3%	18.7%	0.4%
Percent 35 to 64 years	Washington	44.7%	40.4%	-4.3%
	Vermont	42.8%	39.1%	-3.7%
Percent 65 years and over	Washington	15.1%	21.0%	5.9%
	Vermont	15.2%	20.8%	5.6%

Race²

	Washington	Vermont
Percent White alone	93.2%	91.4%
Percent Black or African American alone	0.9%	1.2%
Percent Asian alone	0.8%	1.7%
Percent American Indian and Alaska Native alone	0.0%	0.2%
Percent Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0.0%	0.0%
Percent Some Other Race alone	0.7%	0.7%
Percent Two or More Races	4.3%	4.8%

Ethnicity²

	Washington	Vermont
Percent Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	2.7%	2.5%
Percent Not Hispanic or Latino	97.3%	97.5%

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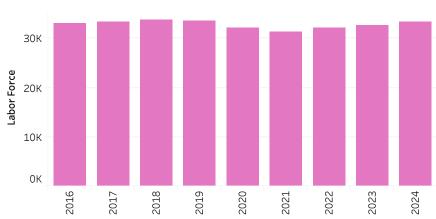
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Washington County Unemployment & Labor Force

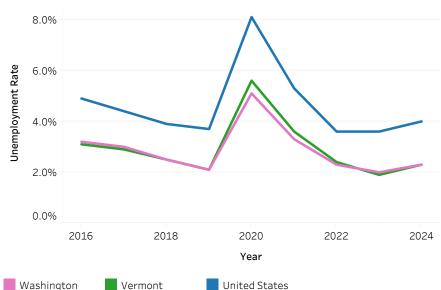
Employment by Place of Residence

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Labor Force



Unemployment Rate

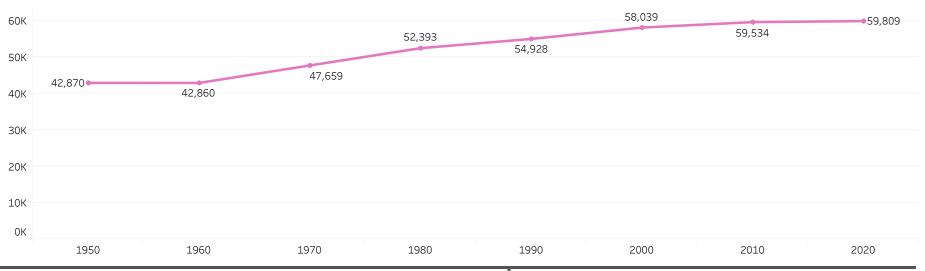


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Washington County Population

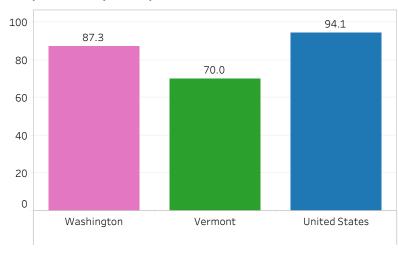
Population Total¹



Population Total²

	Washington		Verm	nont
Year of Year	Population	Change Since 1950	Population	Change Since 1950
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1970	47,659	11.2	444,731	17.7
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2000	58,039	35.4	608,827	61.2
2010	59,534	38.9	625,741	65.7
2020	59,809	39.5	643,077	70.2
2023	59,958	39.9	645,254	70.8

Population per Square Mile³



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Washington County Income & Poverty

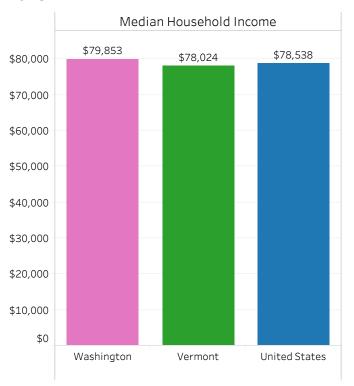
Median Household Income¹

Area	2013	2023
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Vermont	\$70,980	\$78,024
United States	\$69,383	\$78,538

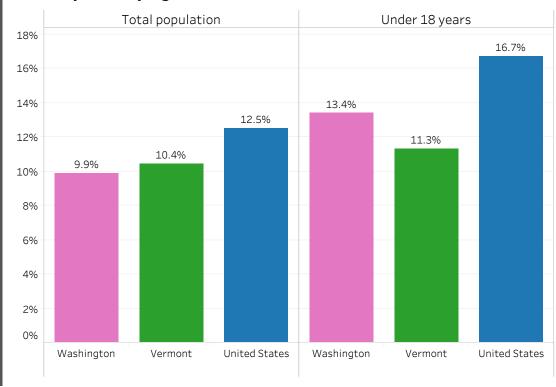
Poverty Rate²

Area	Total population	Under 18 years
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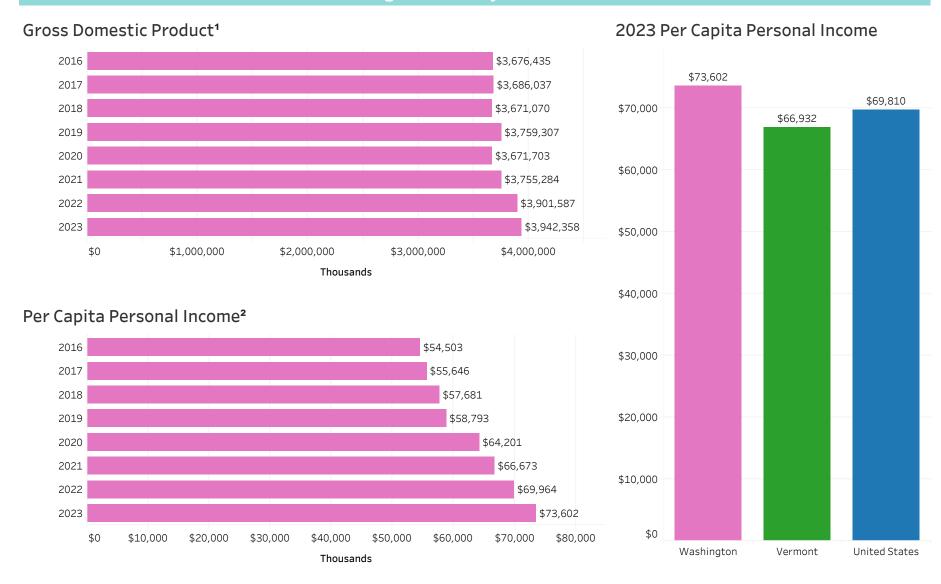
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Washington County GDP & Income



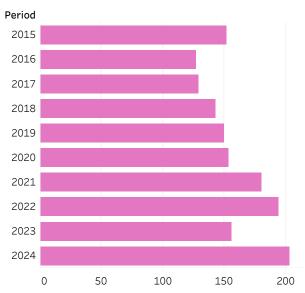
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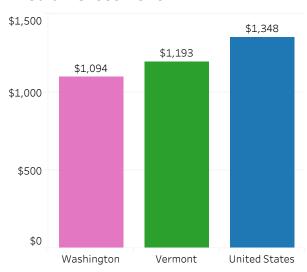
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Washington County Housing

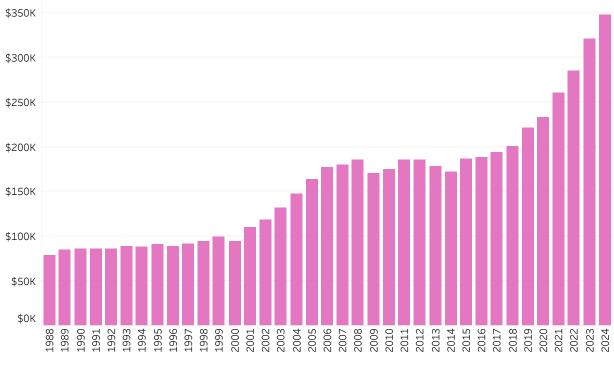
Building Permits¹



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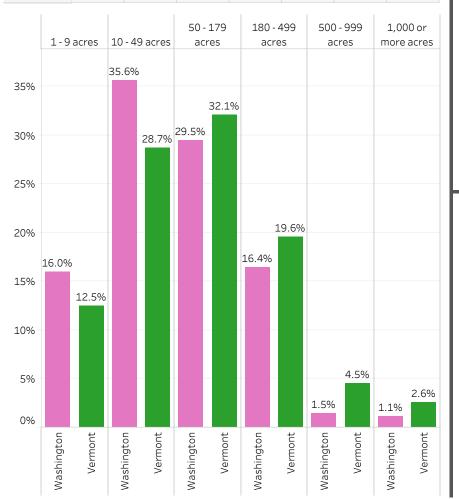
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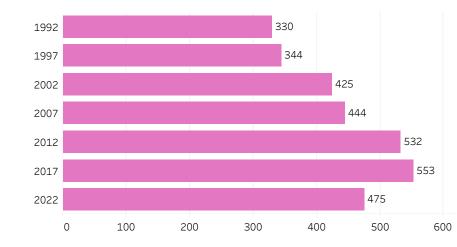
Washington County Agriculture

Farms by size1

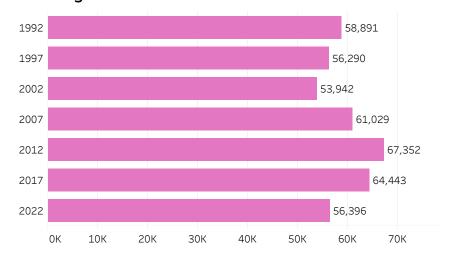
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Washington	119	76	169	140	78	7	5
Vermont	180	816	1,877	2,101	1,280	296	167



Number of Farms



Farm Acreage



Source: U. S. Department of Agriculture; Census of Agriculture. https://www.nass.usda.gov/AgCensus
1. Farms by size in acres, 2022

Washington County Covered Employment

2024 Washington County - Private Industry

Industry Title	Establishments	Average Employment	Average Wage	Employment Location Quotient
Total, All Industries - Total Covered*	3,238	33,474	\$67,782	1.00
Natural Resources and Mining	36	261	\$52,420	0.57
Construction	263	1,403	\$69,180	0.80
Manufacturing	121	2,293	\$63,555	0.77
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	508	5,381	\$50,826	0.95
Information	133	380	\$90,888	0.77
Financial Activities	197	2,288	\$109,457	1.85
Professional and Business Services	993	3,047	\$96,458	0.85
Education and Health Services	311	5,838	\$65,188	0.86
Leisure and Hospitality	206	3,064	\$31,612	0.80
Other services	282	1,193	\$63,066	1.25

^{*}Total Covered Includes private and public employment.

Annual Average Wage - Total Covered



Total Covered Employment

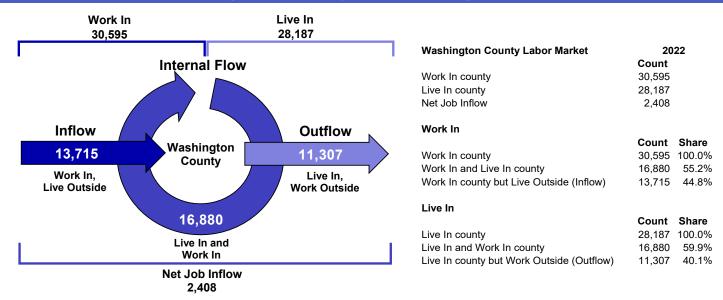


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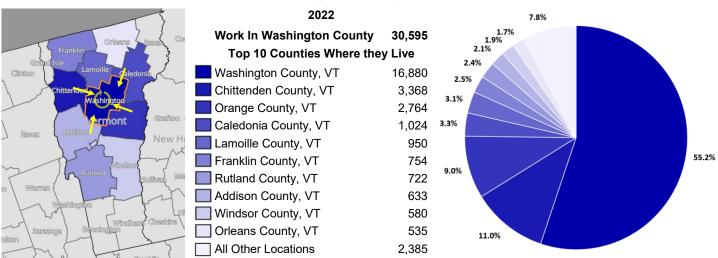
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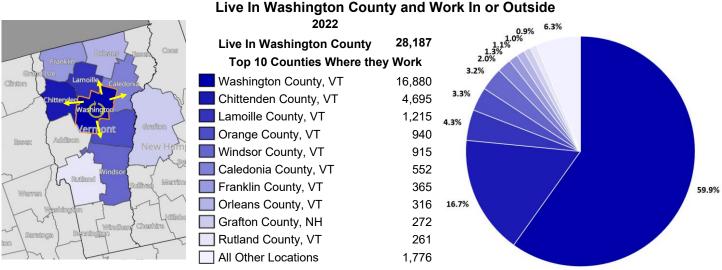
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Washington County Commuting Patterns



Work in Washington County and Live In or Outside





Source: U.S. Census, Longitudinal Employer-Household Dynamics program, OnTheMap.

Windham County



Windham is the sixth most populous county in the state of Vermont and the third largest in size. Its 2023 population was 45,913. 2023 per capita income in the county is 88.7% of the statewide average while average annual wages (2024) are 88.0% of the statewide wage, the nineth highest wage in the state. Large industries in the county include Education and Health Services (22.1% of all covered employment) and Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (17.9%). Relative to the state as a whole Windham County has a high concentration of the Leisure and Hospitality industry (4.3 percentage points higher than the state share).

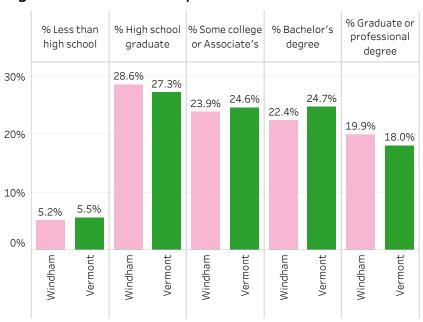
In 2024 Windham County had the sixth largest labor force in the state with a labor force of 24,654. Since 2016 its labor force has decreased by 5.1%. The county's annual average unemployment rate for 2024 was 2.4%, higher than the statewide average of 2.3%.

The poverty rate among all Windham County residents was 12.6% in 2023 while among children under 18 it was 17.3%, compared to the statewide averages of 10.4% and 11.3%, respectively.

The major racial groups by percentage of the population were "White alone" (91.7%), "Two or more races" (5.4%), and "Asian alone" (1.2%). In Windham County 94.8% of residents 25 years of age and older hold a high school diploma or higher while 42.4% hold a bachelor's degree or higher. People 65 years of age and over constitute 24.7% of the population.

Windham County Demographics

Highest Education Completed¹



Disability²

	Windham	Vermont
Percent with a disability	15.8%	14.5%

Language Spoken at Home²

	Windham	Vermont
Percent speak only English	96.6%	94.5%
Percent speak Spanish at home	2.1%	4.2%
Percent speak another language at home	1.3%	1.3%

Age³

		2013	2023	Change
Percent under 5	Windham	4.7%	3.9%	-0.8%
years	Vermont	5.0%	4.3%	-0.7%
Percent 5 to 19	Windham	17.3%	15.9%	-1.4%
years	Vermont	18.7%	17.1%	-1.6%
Percent 20 to 34	Windham	16.1%	16.1%	0.0%
years	Vermont	18.3%	18.7%	0.4%
Percent 35 to 64	Windham	45.0%	39.5%	-5.5%
years	Vermont	42.8%	39.1%	-3.7%
Percent 65 years and over	Windham	16.9%	24.7%	7.8%
	Vermont	15.2%	20.8%	5.6%

Race²

	Windham	Vermont
Percent White alone	91.7%	91.4%
Percent Black or African American alone	0.9%	1.2%
Percent Asian alone	1.2%	1.7%
Percent American Indian and Alaska Native alone	0.2%	0.2%
Percent Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0.0%	0.0%
Percent Some Other Race alone	0.5%	0.7%
Percent Two or More Races	5.4%	4.8%

Ethnicity²

	Windham	Vermont
Percent Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	3.0%	2.5%
Percent Not Hispanic or Latino	97.0%	97.5%

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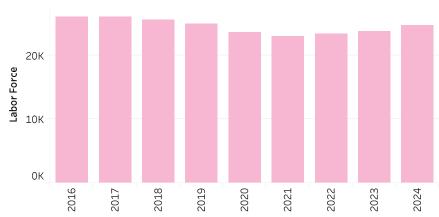
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Windham County Unemployment & Labor Force

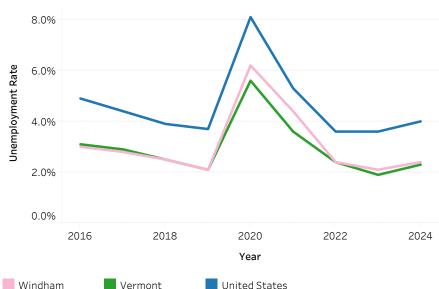
Employment by Place of Residence

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Labor Force



Unemployment Rate

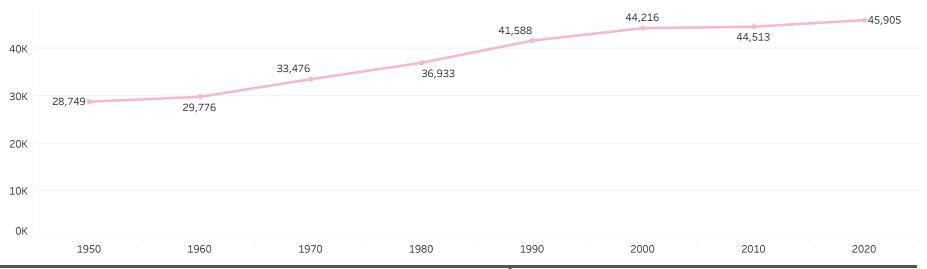


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Windham County Population

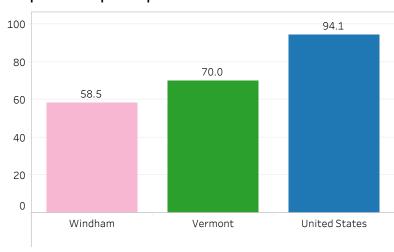
Population Total¹



Population Total²

	Windham		Verm	iont
Year of Year	Population	Change Since 1950	Population	Change Since 1950
1950	28,749		377,747	
1960	29,776	3.6	389,881	3.2
1970	33,476	16.4	444,731	17.7
1980	36,933	28.5	511,466	35.4
1990	41,588	44.7	562,758	49
2000	44,216	53.8	608,827	61.2
2010	44,513	54.8	625,741	65.7
2020	45,905	59.7	643,077	70.2
2023	45,913	59.7	645,254	70.8

Population per Square Mile³



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Windham County Income & Poverty

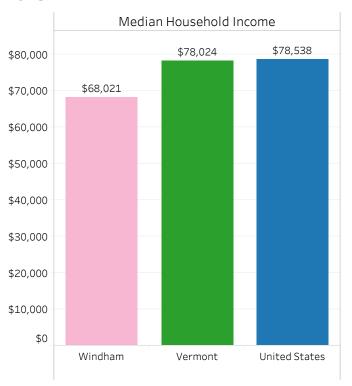
Median Household Income¹

Area	2013	2023
Windham	\$65,705	\$68,021
Vermont	\$70,980	\$78,024
United States	\$69,383	\$78,538

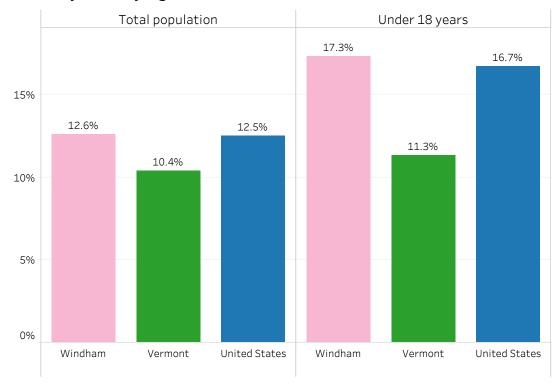
Poverty Rate²

Area	Total population	Under 18 years
Windham	12.6%	17.3%
Vermont	10.4%	11.3%
United States	12.5%	16.7%

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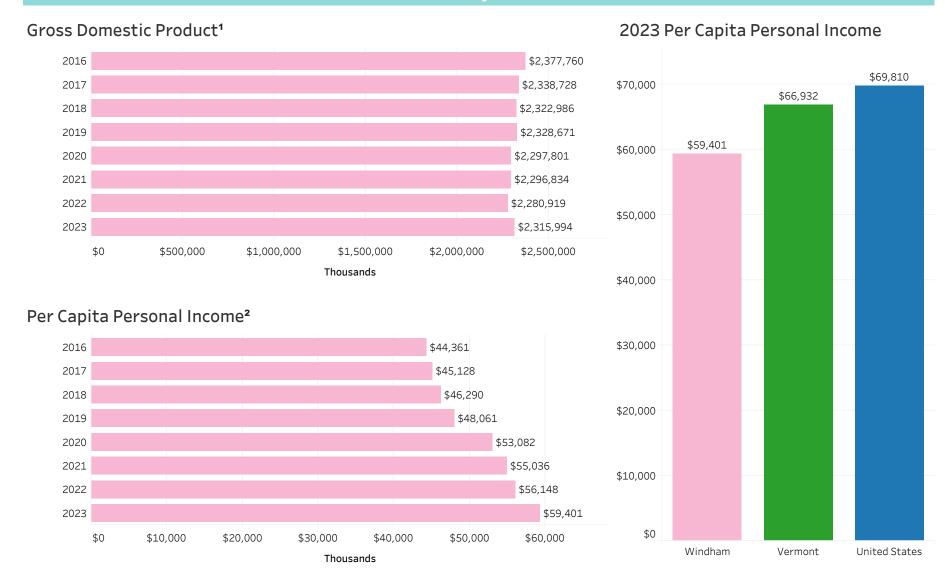
Poverty Rate by Age



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Windham County GDP & Income



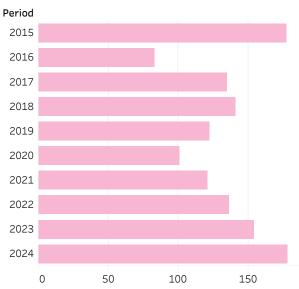
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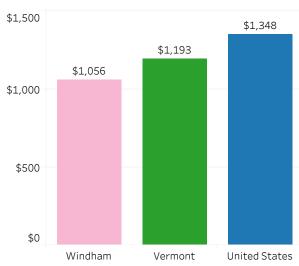
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Windham County Housing

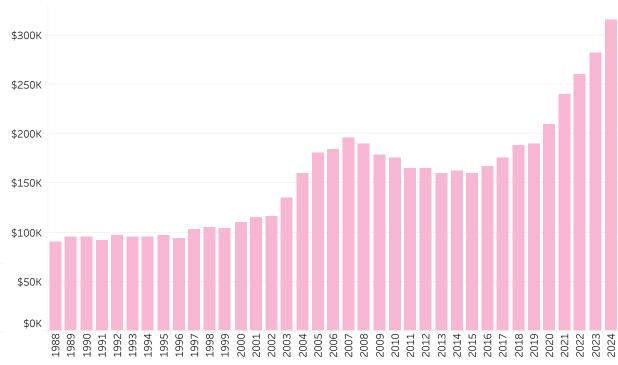
Building Permits¹



Median Gross Rent³



Median Home Sales Price²



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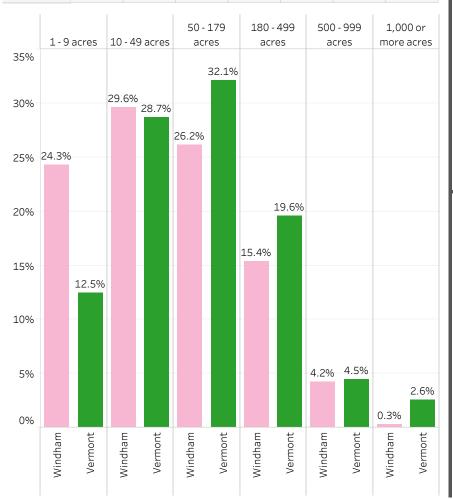
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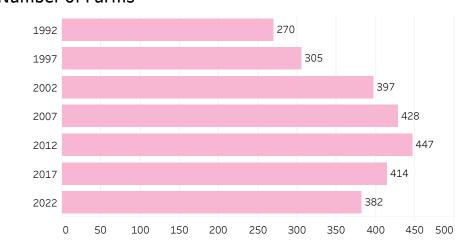
Windham County Agriculture

Farms by size1

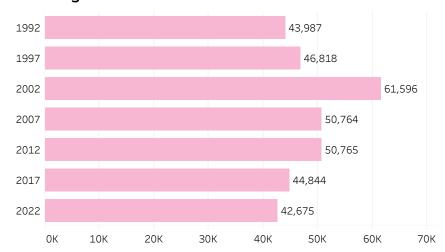
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Windham	112	93	113	100	59	16	1
Vermont	180	816	1,877	2,101	1,280	296	167



Number of Farms



Farm Acreage



Source: U. S. Department of Agriculture; Census of Agriculture. https://www.nass.usda.gov/AgCensus
1. Farms by size in acres, 2022

Windham County Covered Employment

2024 Windham County - Private Industry

Industry Title	Establishments	Average Employment	Average Wage	Employment Location Quotient
Total, All Industries - Total Covered*	2,543	20,806	\$56,753	1.00
Natural Resources and Mining	40	281	\$45,736	0.99
Construction	248	1,200	\$68,659	1.10
Manufacturing	92	1,940	\$65,280	1.05
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	383	3,718	\$52,936	1.06
Information	90	174	\$94,146	0.57
Financial Activities	160	658	\$82,349	0.86
Professional and Business Services	733	1,501	\$91,093	0.67
Education and Health Services	277	4,591	\$58,704	1.09
Leisure and Hospitality	246	3,277	\$32,089	1.38
Other services	171	656	\$48,389	1.10

^{*}Total Covered Includes private and public employment.

Annual Average Wage - Total Covered



Total Covered Employment

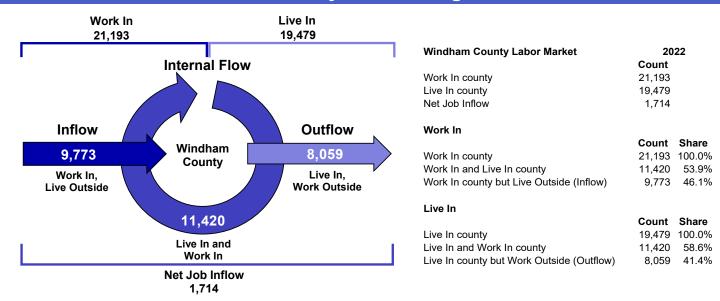


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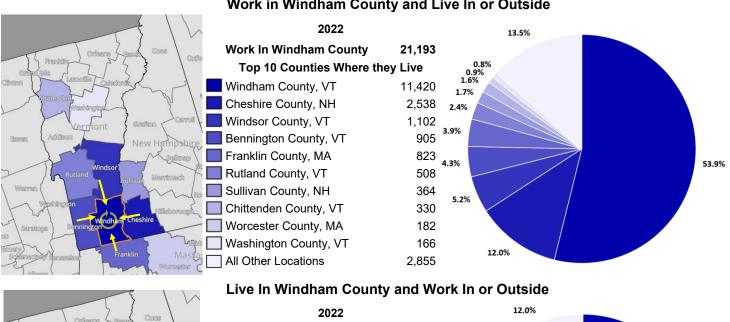
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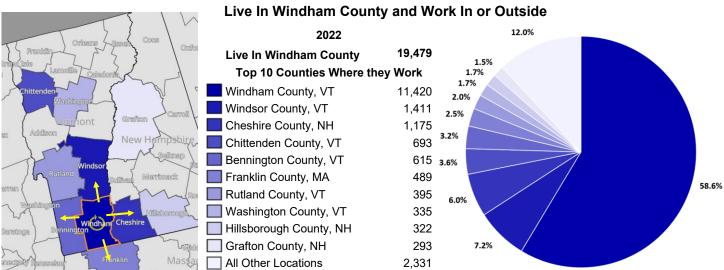
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Windham County Commuting Patterns



Work in Windham County and Live In or Outside





Windsor County



Windsor is the fourth most populous county in the state of Vermont and the largest in size. Its 2023 population was 57,968. 2023 per capita income in the county is 107.8% of the statewide average while average annual wages (2024) are 97.4% of the statewide wage, the third highest wage in the state. Large industries in the county include Education and Health Services (15.7% of all covered employment) and Leisure and Hospitality (15.2%). Relative to the state as a whole Windsor County has a high concentration of the Information industry (0.5 percentage points higher than the state share).

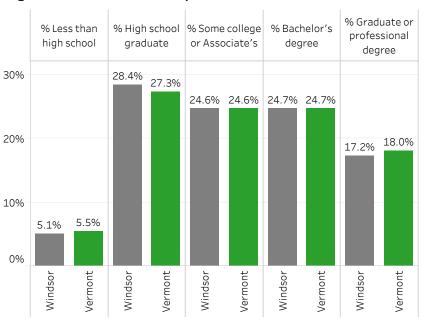
In 2024 Windsor County had the third largest labor force in the state with a labor force of 30,570. Since 2016 its labor force has increased by 0.8%. The county's annual average unemployment rate for 2024 was 2.1%, lower than the statewide average of 2.3%.

The poverty rate among all Windsor County residents was 8.7% in 2023 while among children under 18 it was 7.8%, compared to the statewide averages of 10.4% and 11.3%, respectively.

The major racial groups by percentage of the population were "White alone" (93.3%), "Two or more races" (4.7%), and "Asian alone" (1.0%). In Windsor County 94.9% of residents 25 years of age and older hold a high school diploma or higher while 41.9% hold a bachelor's degree or higher. People 65 years of age and over constitute 24.7% of the population.

Windsor County Demographics

Highest Education Completed¹



Disability²

	Windsor	Vermont
Percent with a disability	15.5%	14.5%

Language Spoken at Home²

	Windsor	Vermont
Percent speak only English	95.5%	94.5%
Percent speak Spanish at home	3.0%	4.2%
Percent speak another language at home	1.5%	1.3%

Age³

		2013	2023	Change
Percent under 5	Windsor	4.7%	4.1%	-0.6%
years	Vermont	5.0%	4.3%	-0.7%
Percent 5 to 19	Windsor	16.7%	15.5%	-1.2%
years	Vermont	18.7%	17.1%	-1.6%
Percent 20 to 34	Windsor	15.5%	15.3%	-0.2%
years	Vermont	18.3%	18.7%	0.4%
Percent 35 to 64	Windsor	44.4%	40.4%	-4.0%
years	Vermont	42.8%	39.1%	-3.7%
Percent 65 years and over	Windsor	18.6%	24.7%	6.1%
	Vermont	15.2%	20.8%	5.6%

Race²

	Windsor	Vermont
Percent White alone	93.3%	91.4%
Percent Black or African American alone	0.6%	1.2%
Percent Asian alone	1.0%	1.7%
Percent American Indian and Alaska Native alone	0.1%	0.2%
Percent Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0.0%	0.0%
Percent Some Other Race alone	0.4%	0.7%
Percent Two or More Races	4.7%	4.8%

Ethnicity²

	Windsor	Vermont
Percent Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	2.2%	2.5%
Percent Not Hispanic or Latino	97.8%	97.5%

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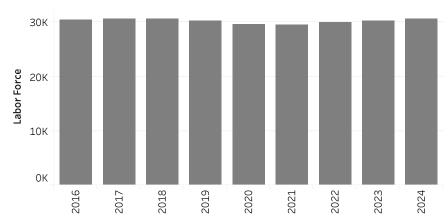
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Windsor County Unemployment & Labor Force

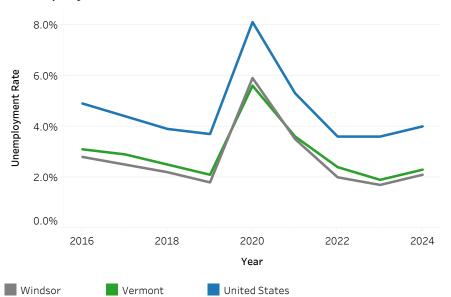
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Labor Force



Unemployment Rate

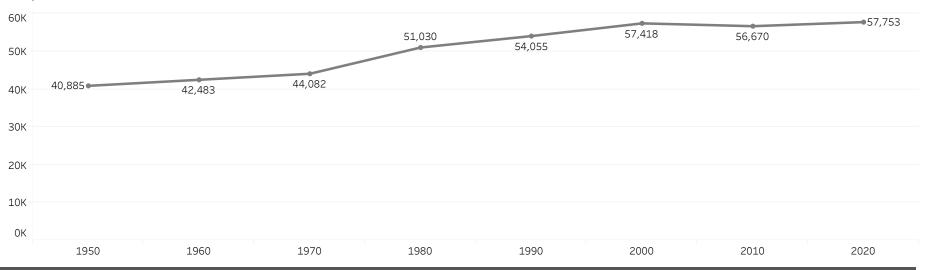


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Windsor County Population

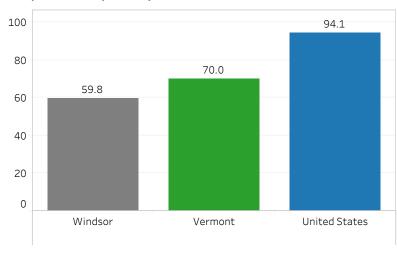
Population Total¹



Population Total²

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Population per Square Mile³



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Windsor County Income & Poverty

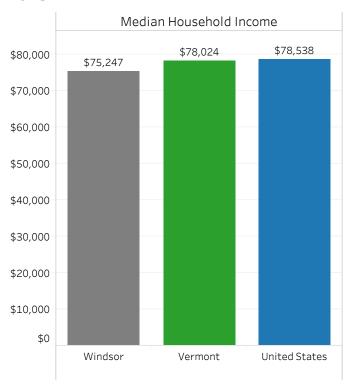
Median Household Income¹

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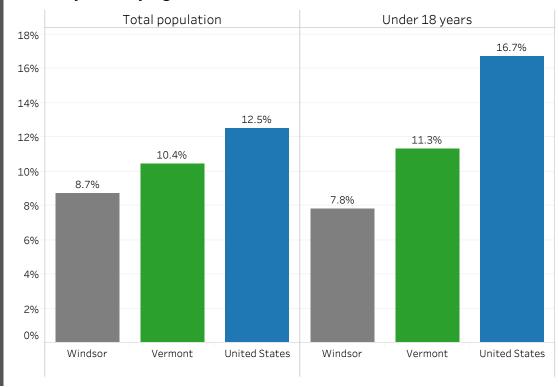
Poverty Rate²

Area	Total population	Under 18 years
Windsor	8.7%	7.8%
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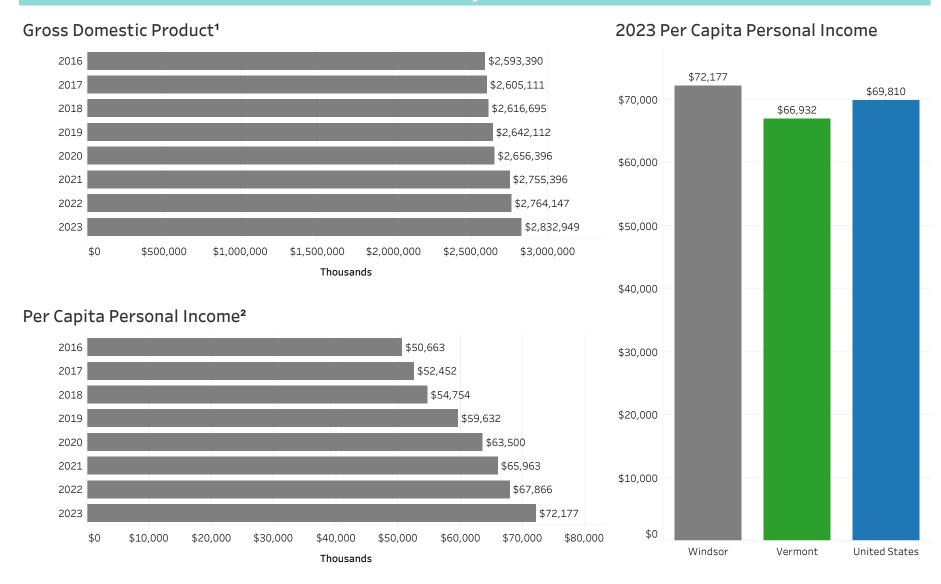
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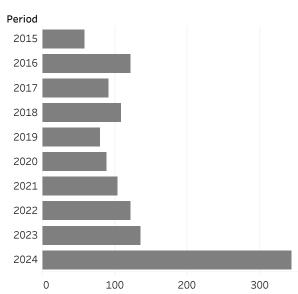
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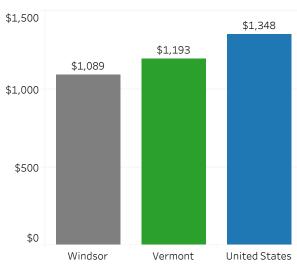
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Windsor County Housing

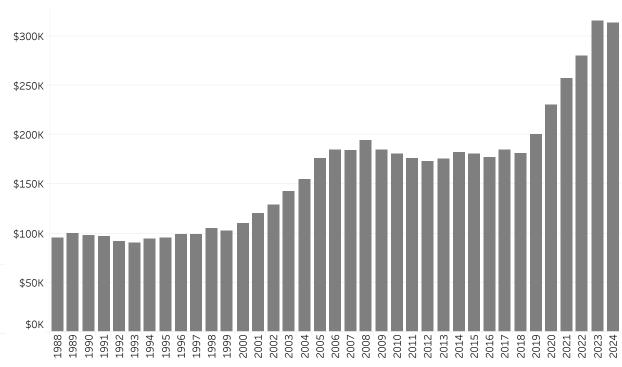
Building Permits¹



Median Gross Rent³



Median Home Sales Price²



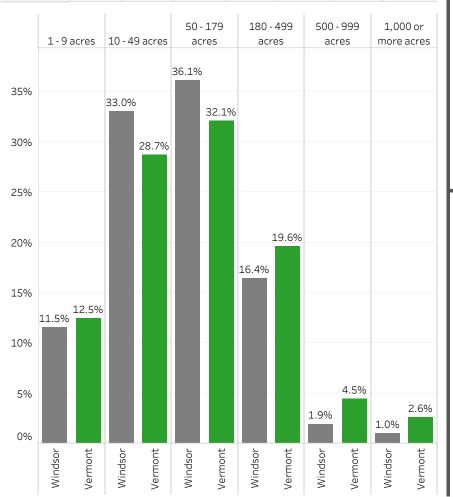
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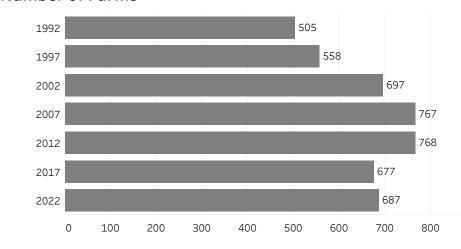
Windsor County Agriculture

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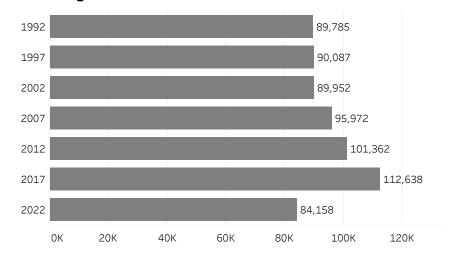
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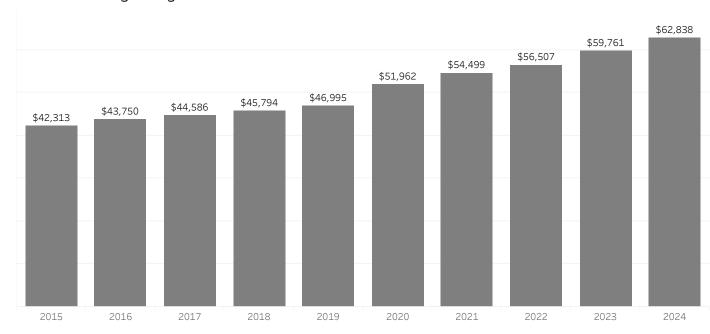
Windsor County Covered Employment

2024 Windsor County - Private Industry

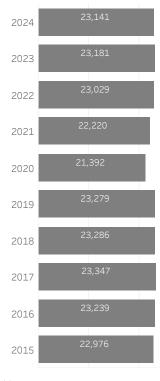
Industry Title	Establishments	Average Employment	Average Wage	Employment Location Quotient
Total, All Industries - Total Covered*	3,117	23,141	\$62,838	1.00
Natural Resources and Mining	63	290	\$47,550	0.92
Construction	317	1,266	\$69,124	1.04
Manufacturing	109	1,622	\$59,459	0.79
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	430	3,472	\$53,466	0.89
Information	129	461	\$97,717	1.36
Financial Activities	200	749	\$82,479	0.88
Professional and Business Services	961	2,443	\$95,506	0.98
Education and Health Services	301	3,630	\$58,587	0.78
Leisure and Hospitality	250	3,528	\$34,600	1.33
Other services	224	810	\$48,691	1.23

^{*}Total Covered Includes private and public employment.

Annual Average Wage - Total Covered



Total Covered Employment

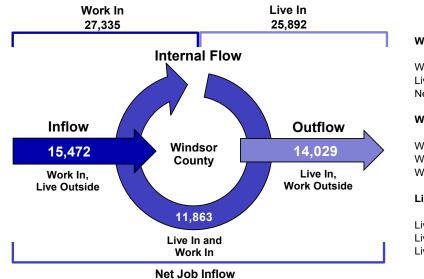


(c) indicates the data is non-disclosable due to confidentiality requirements.

Vermont Department of Labor; Quarterly Census of Employment & Wages (QCEW), count of jobs by place of work.

Industry location quotient (LQ) is a way of quantifying how concentrated an industry is in a region as compared to the state. Industry LQs are calculated by comparing the industry's share of regional employment with its share of statewide employment.

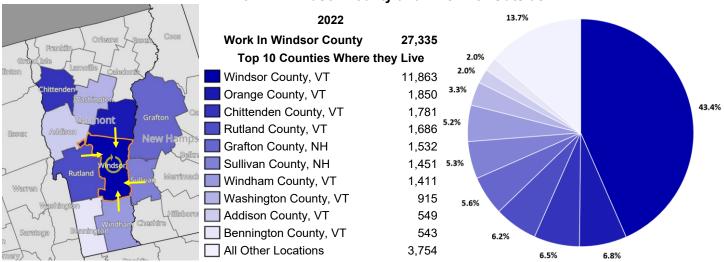
Windsor County Commuting Patterns

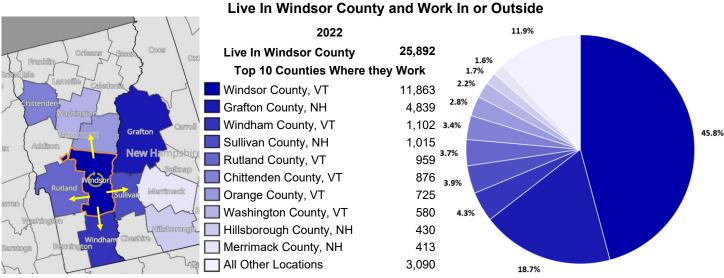


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Windsor County Labor Market	20	22
•	Count	
Work In county	27,335	
Live In county	25,892	
Net Job Inflow	1,443	
Work In		
	Count	Share
Work In county	27,335	100.0%
Work In and Live In county	11,863	43.4%
Work In county but Live Outside (Inflow)	15,472	56.6%
Live In		
	Count	Share
Live In county	25,892	100.0%
Live In and Work In county	11,863	45.8%
Live In county but Work Outside (Outflow)	14.029	54.2%

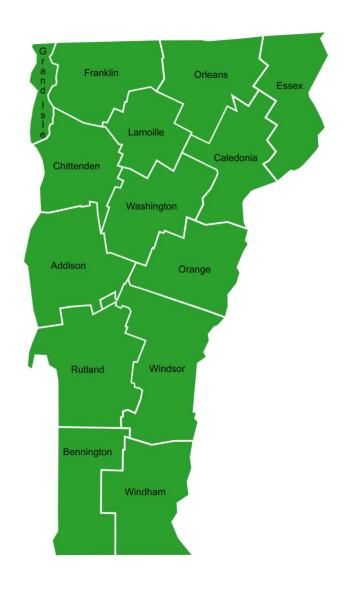
Work in Windsor County and Live In or Outside





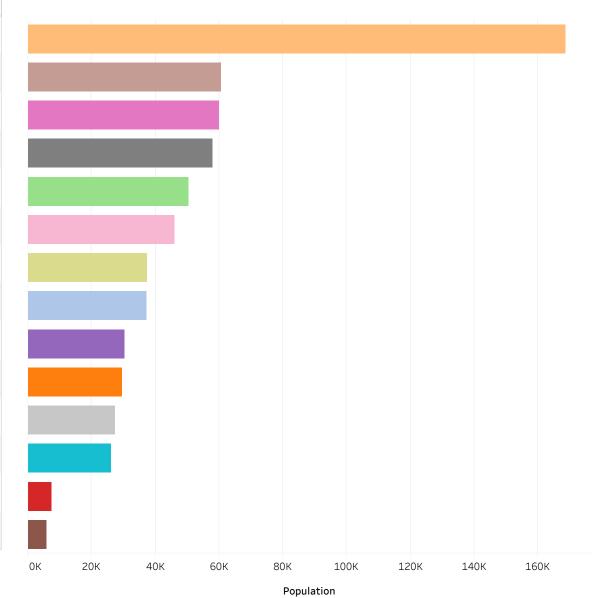
Source: U.S. Census, Longitudinal Employer-Household Dynamics program, OnTheMap.

County Comparisons



2023 Population by County

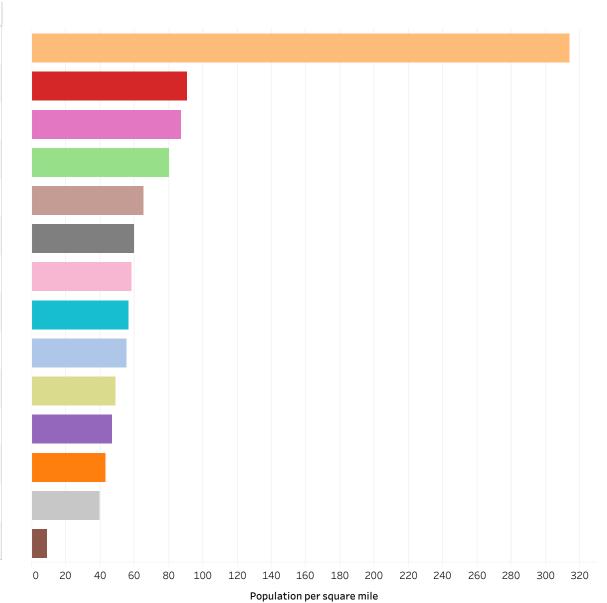
Area	Population	Rank
Chittenden	168,831	1
Rutland	60,484	2
Washington	59,958	3
Windsor	57,968	4
Franklin	50,379	5
Windham	45,913	6
Addison	37,497	7
Bennington	37,312	8
Caledonia	30,425	9
Orange	29,594	10
Orleans	27,492	11
Lamoille	26,036	12
Grand Isle	7,393	13
Essex	5,972	14



2019-2023 ACS 5-year estimates

2023 Population Density by County

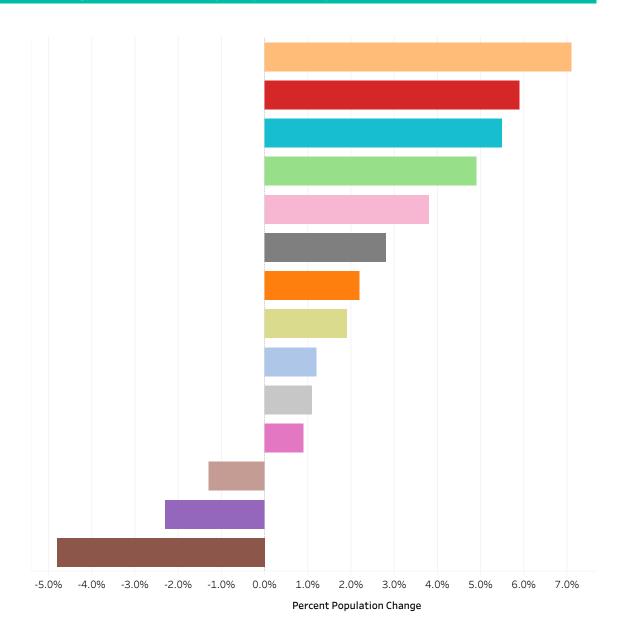
Area	Population per sqare m	nile Rank
Chittenden	314.2	1
Grand Isle	90.4	2
Washington	87.3	3
Franklin	79.9	4
Rutland	65.1	5
Windsor	59.8	6
Windham	58.5	7
Lamoille	56.3	8
Bennington	55.3	9
Addison	48.9	10
Caledonia	46.9	11
Orange	43.1	12
Orleans	39.6	13
Essex	9.0	14



Population per square mile Land area: 2020 Decennial Census, Population: 2019-2023 ACS 5-year estimates

2013-2023 Population Change by County

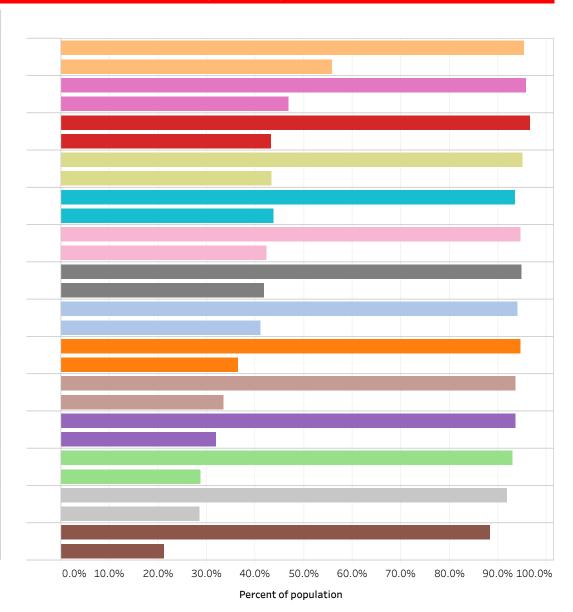
Area	Percent Population Change	Rank
Chittenden	7.1%	1
Grand Isle	5.9%	2
Lamoille	5.5%	3
Franklin	4.9%	4
Windham	3.8%	5
Windsor	2.8%	6
Orange	2.2%	7
Addison	1.9%	8
Bennington	1.2%	9
Orleans	1.1%	10
Washington	0.9%	11
Rutland	-1.3%	12
Caledonia	-2.3%	13
Essex	-4.8%	14



2009-2013 and 2019-2023 ACS 5-year estimates, percent change in population

2023 Educational Attainment by County

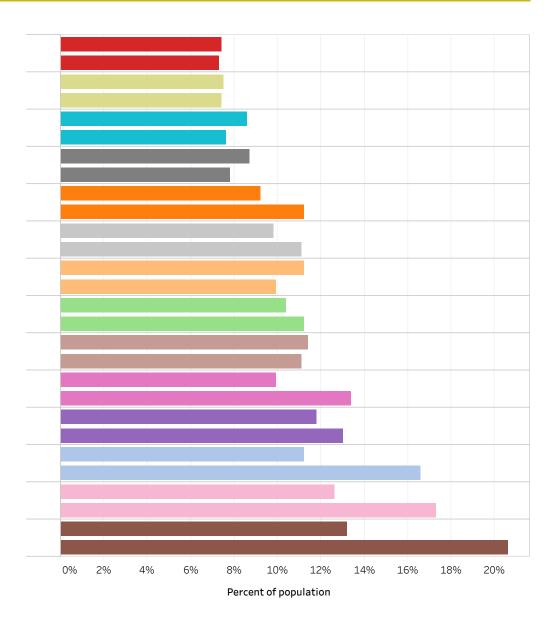
Area		Percent	Rank
Chittenden	Percent HS graduate or higher	95.5%	3
	Percent Bachelors or higher	55.8%	1
Washington	Percent HS graduate or higher	95.7%	2
	Percent Bachelors or higher	47.0%	2
Grand Isle	Percent HS graduate or higher	96.7%	1
	Percent Bachelors or higher	43.2%	5
Addison	Percent HS graduate or higher	95.1%	4
	Percent Bachelors or higher	43.5%	4
Lamoille	Percent HS graduate or higher	93.5%	11
	Percent Bachelors or higher	43.8%	3
Windham	Percent HS graduate or higher	94.8%	6
	Percent Bachelors or higher	42.4%	6
Windsor	Percent HS graduate or higher	94.9%	5
	Percent Bachelors or higher	41.9%	7
Bennington	Percent HS graduate or higher	94.1%	8
	Percent Bachelors or higher	41.2%	8
Orange	Percent HS graduate or higher	94.7%	7
	Percent Bachelors or higher	36.5%	9
Rutland	Percent HS graduate or higher	93.7%	9
	Percent Bachelors or higher	33.5%	10
Caledonia	Percent HS graduate or higher	93.7%	9
	Percent Bachelors or higher	31.9%	11
Franklin	Percent HS graduate or higher	93.0%	12
	Percent Bachelors or higher	28.8%	12
Orleans	Percent HS graduate or higher	91.9%	13
	Percent Bachelors or higher	28.6%	13
Essex	Percent HS graduate or higher	88.5%	14
	Percent Bachelors or higher	21.2%	14



Percent of population 25 years and over that has completed high school (or equivalent), 2019-2023 ACS 5-year estimates Percent of population 25 years and over that has completed a Bachelors degree or higher, 2019-2023 ACS 5-year estimates

2023 Poverty Rates by County

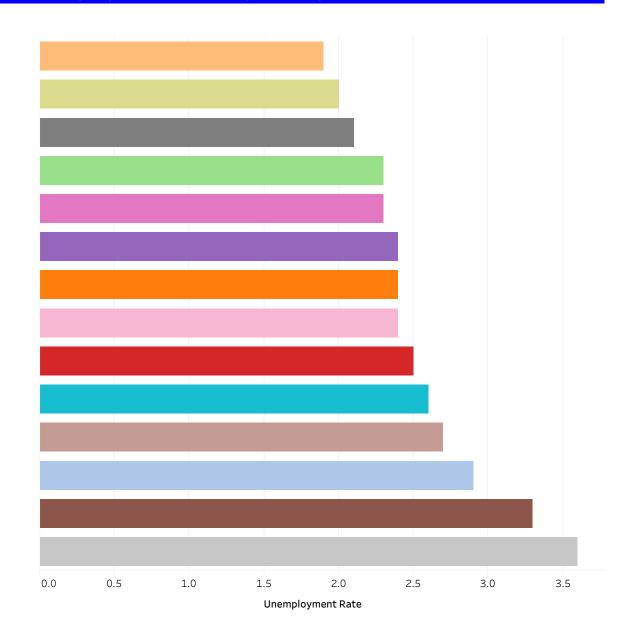
Area		Percent of Population	Rank
Grand Isle	Under 18 years	7.3%	1
	Total population	7.4%	1
Addison	Under 18 years	7.4%	2
	Total population	7.5%	2
Lamoille	Under 18 years	7.6%	3
	Total population	8.6%	3
Windsor	Under 18 years	7.8%	4
	Total population	8.7%	4
Orange	Total population	9.2%	5
	Under 18 years	11.2%	8
Orleans	Total population	9.8%	6
	Under 18 years	11.1%	6
Chittenden	Under 18 years	9.9%	5
	Total population	11.2%	9
Franklin	Total population	10.4%	8
	Under 18 years	11.2%	8
Rutland	Under 18 years	11.1%	6
	Total population	11.4%	11
Washington	Total population	9.9%	7
	Under 18 years	13.4%	11
Caledonia	Total population	11.8%	12
	Under 18 years	13.0%	10
Bennington	Total population	11.2%	9
	Under 18 years	16.6%	12
Windham	Total population	12.6%	13
	Under 18 years	17.3%	13
Essex	Total population	13.2%	14
	Under 18 years	20.6%	14



Percent below poverty level, total population and population under 18 years of age, 2019-2023 ACS 5-year estimates

2024 Unemployment Rates by County

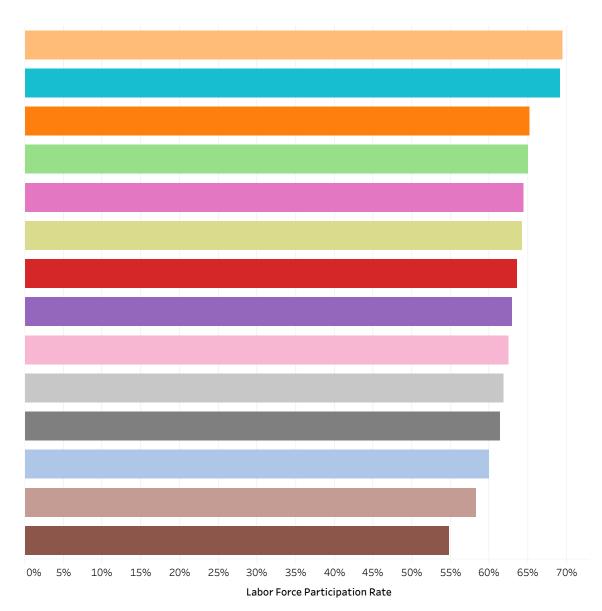
Area	Unemployment Rate	Rank
Chittenden	1.9%	1
Addison	2.0%	2
Windsor	2.1%	3
Franklin	2.3%	4
Washington	2.3%	4
Caledonia	2.4%	6
Orange	2.4%	6
Windham	2.4%	6
Grand Isle	2.5%	9
Lamoille	2.6%	10
Rutland	2.7%	11
Bennington	2.9%	12
Essex	3.3%	13
Orleans	3.6%	14



Vermont Department of Labor, Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS), count of workers by place of residence, 2024 annual averages. Released 4/18/2025.

2023 Labor Force Participation Rates by County

Area	Labor Force Participation Rate	Rank
Chittenden	69.5%	1
Lamoille	69.2%	2
Orange	65.2%	3
Franklin	65.0%	4
Washington	64.4%	5
Addison	64.2%	6
Grand Isle	63.6%	7
Caledonia	62.9%	8
Windham	62.5%	9
Orleans	61.8%	10
Windsor	61.4%	11
Bennington	60.0%	12
Rutland	58.3%	13
Essex	54.8%	14



Labor force participation rate of civilian population 16 years of age and over, 2019-2023 ACS 5-year estimates

2023 GDP & Income by County

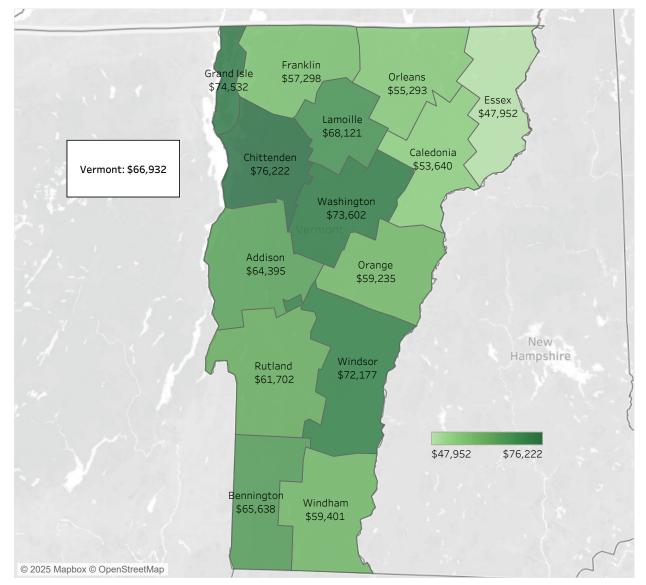
Gross Domestic Product

Area	GDP	Rank
Chittenden	\$13,103,601	1
Washington	\$3,942,358	2
Windsor	\$2,832,949	3
Rutland	\$2,765,476	4
Windham	\$2,315,994	5
Franklin	\$2,066,969	6
Bennington	\$1,774,058	7
Addison	\$1,738,560	8
Lamoille	\$1,252,525	9
Caledonia	\$1,187,883	10
Orleans	\$1,110,896	11
Orange	\$844,815	12
Grand Isle	\$184,552	13
Essex	\$135,891	14

Per Capita Personal Income

Area	Personal Income	Rank
Chittenden	\$76,222	1
Grand Isle	\$74,532	2
Washington	\$73,602	3
Windsor	\$72,177	4
Lamoille	\$68,121	5
Bennington	\$65,638	6
Addison	\$64,395	7
Rutland	\$61,702	8
Windham	\$59,401	9
Orange	\$59,235	10
Franklin	\$57,298	11
Orleans	\$55,293	12
Caledonia	\$53,640	13
Essex	\$47,952	14

Per Capita Personal Income Map



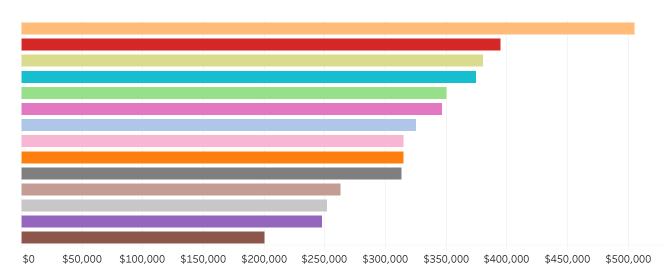
Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis.

Real GDP is in thousands of chained 2017 dollars. Last updated: December 4, 2024

Housing by County

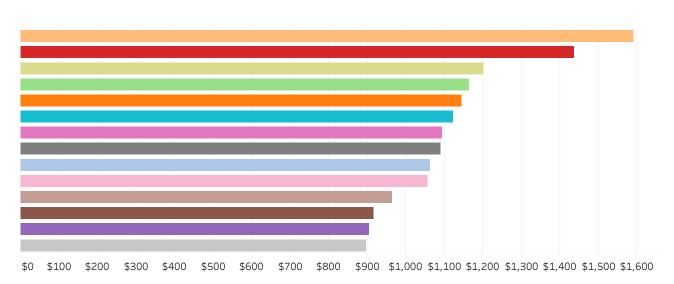
Median Home Sale Price¹

Area	Home Sale Price	Rank
Chittenden	\$505,000	1
Grand Isle	\$395,000	2
Addison	\$380,000	3
Lamoille	\$375,000	4
Franklin	\$350,000	5
Washington	\$346,800	6
Bennington	\$325,000	7
Windham	\$315,000	8
Orange	\$315,000	8
Windsor	\$313,250	10
Rutland	\$262,750	11
Orleans	\$252,000	12
Caledonia	\$248,000	13
Essex	\$200,000	14



Median Gross Rent²

Area	Gross Rent	Rank
Chittenden	\$1,590	1
Grand Isle	\$1,436	2
Addison	\$1,201	3
Franklin	\$1,164	4
Orange	\$1,145	5
Lamoille	\$1,123	6
Washington	\$1,094	7
Windsor	\$1,089	8
Bennington	\$1,063	9
Windham	\$1,056	10
Rutland	\$965	11
Essex	\$915	12
Caledonia	\$904	13
Orleans	\$897	14

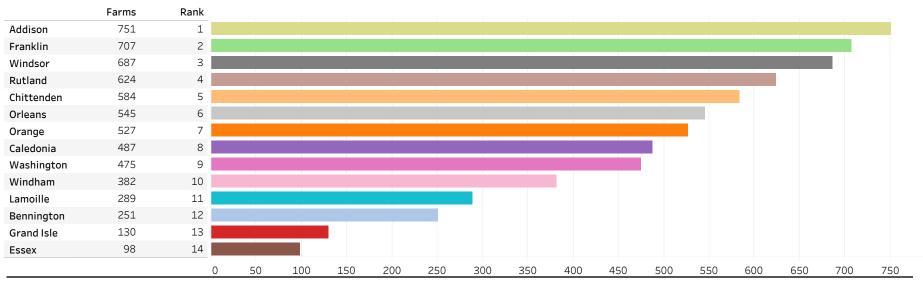


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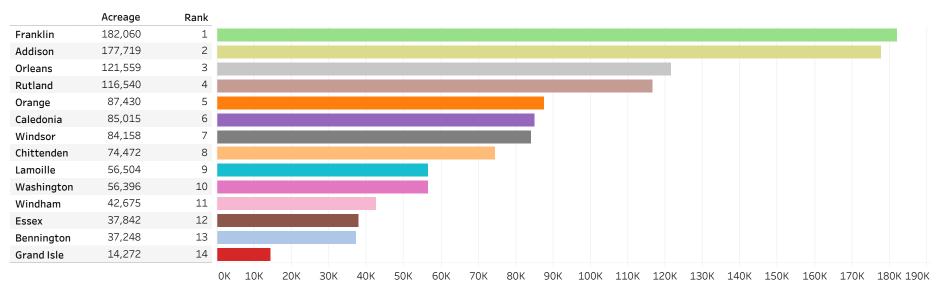
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2022 Farm Statistics by County

Number of Farms



Farm Acreage

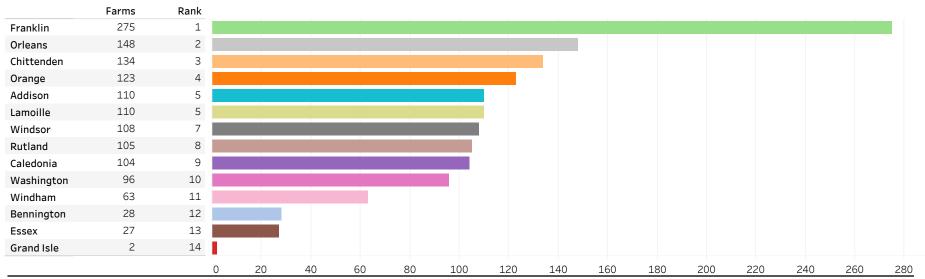


Source: U. S. Department of Agriculture; 2022 Census of Agriculture.

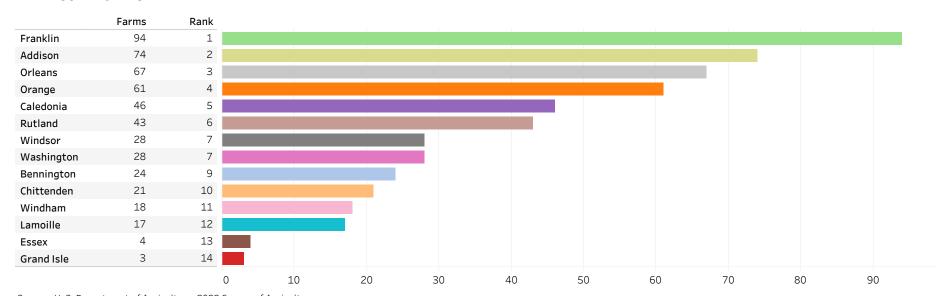
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Maple Syrup Farms¹



Milk Cow Farms

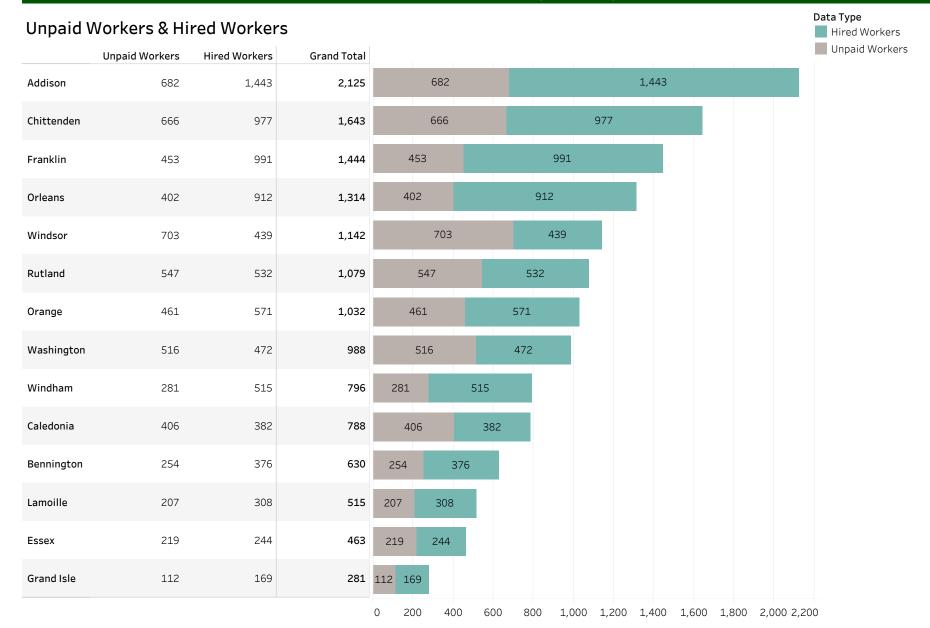


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^{1.} Farms with maple syrup taps

2022 Farm Workers by County



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