





27.2 sq.miles

Incorporated in 1916

POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS

Population	2013 Racial & Ethnic Population (*4)	2013 Population by Age (*4)
1970 7,047 (*1)	Number Percent	Number Percent
1980 6,805 (*1)	White 6,274 32.0%	< 5 980 5.0%
1990 8,428 (*1)	African American 3,039 15.5%	5-9 980 5.0%
1995 15,800 (*2)	Asian 333 1.7%	10-14 1,118 5.7%
1996 17,550 (*2)	Amer Indian/Alaska Native 59 0.3%	15-19 1,020 5.2%
1997 19,950 (*2)	Hawaiian and Pac Islander 59 0.3%	20-24 1,568 8.0%
1998 19,950 (*2)	Some Other Races 0 0.0%	25-34 3,647 18.6%
1999 19,800 (*2)	Two or More Races 353 1.8%	35-44 3,529 18.0%
2000 20,465 (*1)	Hispanic* 9,489 48.4%	45-54 3,411 17.4%
2001 20,713 (*2)	Total 19,606 100.0%	55-59 1,314 6.7%
2002 21,063 (*2)	<small>* Hispanic can be of any race</small>	60-64 608 3.1%
2003 21,031 (*2)		65-74 863 4.4%
2004 21,747 (*2)	Vital Statistics (*5)	75-84 471 2.4%
2005 21,511 (*2)	Total Birth Total Death	85+ 98 0.5%
2006 21,576 (*2)	Year Births Rate* Death Rate*	Total 19,606 100.0%
2007 21,876 (*2)	2009 219 10.7 114 5.6	Median Age: 36.1
2008 20,817 (*2)	2010 213 10.6 77 3.8	% of County: 0.9%
2009 20,460 (*2)	2011 218 10.8 120 6.0	
2010 20,817 (*1)	2012 200 9.8 102 5.0	
2011 20,063 (*2)	<small>* Rates per 1,000 population</small>	
2012 20,400 (*2)	2013 Voter Registration (*6)	
2013 19,606 (*2)	Number Percent	
Projections	Democrat 1,960 40.3%	2013 Population by Sex (*4)
2020 22,668 (*3)	Republican 1,752 36.0%	Number Percent
2035 24,330 (*3)	Other 263 5.4%	Male 13,743 70.1%
	No Party Preference 891 18.3%	Female 5,863 29.9%
	Total Registered 4,866 100.0%	Total 19,606 100.0%

Sources: (*1) Decennial Census, US Census Bureau

(*2) January Estimate, CA State Department of Finance

(*3) Riverside County Projections (RCP10)

(*4) American Community Survey 2007-2011 5-Year Estimates and CA State Department of Finance

(*5) Riverside County Department of Public Health

(*6) California Secretary of State, February 2013

Note: Totals might not add up due to rounding.

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HOUSING & HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS

Housing Units			Housing Units by Type				
1970	2,138	(*1)		2010 (*1)	Percent	2013 (*2)	Percent
1980	2,377	(*1)	Single Detached	3,200	58.5%	3,201	58.5%
1990	2,904	(*1)	Single Attached	136	2.5%	136	2.5%
2000	4,892	(*1)	Multi-Family: 2 to 4	757	13.8%	757	13.8%
2001	4,998	(*2)	Multi-Family: 5 Plus	760	13.9%	760	13.9%
2002	5,127	(*2)	Mobile Homes	620	11.3%	618	11.3%
2003	5,148	(*2)	Total Units	5,473	100.0%	5,472	100.0%
2004	5,171	(*2)	Occupancy	4,513	82.5%	4,513	82.5%
2005	5,287	(*2)	Vacancy	960	17.5%	959	17.5%
2006	5,306	(*2)	Median Home Price (*4)				
2007	5,376	(*2)	2002	\$110,750			
2008	5,444	(*2)	2003	\$119,000			
2009	5,468	(*2)	2004	\$115,750			
2010	5,473	(*1)	2005	\$170,250			
2011	5,473	(*2)	2006	\$195,000			
2012	5,475	(*2)	2007	\$223,500			
2013	5,472	(*2)	2008	\$198,500			
			2009	\$135,000			
			2010	\$141,000			
			2011	\$104,000			
			2012	\$94,250			
			2013*	\$123,000			
			*August 2013				
			Housing Unit Building Permits (*5)				
				Single-Family Structure	All Multi-Family Structure	Total Units	
			Year				
			1995	15	0	15	
			1996	33	29	62	
			1997	36	54	90	
			1998	49	0	49	
			1999	34	84	118	
			2000	35	0	35	
			2001	18	0	18	
			2002	42	81	123	
			2003	25	0	25	
			2004	107	0	107	
			2005	69	0	69	
			2006	25	0	25	
			2007	62	2	64	
			2008	3	3	6	
			2009	3	0	3	
			2010	7	0	7	
			2011	9	0	9	
			2012	1	0	1	
			2013*	0	0	0	
			* Preliminary August 2013				
			Persons Per Household				
			2000	2.91	(*1)		
			2010	2.87	(*1)		
			2013	2.93	(*2)		
			Projections				
2020	6,537	(*3)					
2035	7,303	(*3)					

Sources: (*1) Decennial Census, US Census Bureau

(*2) January Estimate, CA State Dept. of Finance

(*3) Riverside County Projections (RCP10)

(*4) DataQuick Reports

(*5) US Department of Housing & Urban Development, State of the Cities Data Systems

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ECONOMIC AND LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS

Labor Force Participation (*1)				
Year	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
2007	6,900	6,400	500	7.3%
2008	7,000	6,300	700	10.3%
2009	7,200	6,000	1,100	16.1%
2010	7,200	5,900	1,300	17.6%
2011	7,300	6,100	1,200	16.3%
2012	7,300	6,300	1,100	14.7%
2013*	7,300	6,300	900	13.1%

* Preliminary August 2013

Employment/Jobs Projections (*3)	
2020	7,745
2035	10,789

* Jobs within city boundary

2011 Employment/Jobs by Industry Sector* (*2)	
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	286
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	0
Utilities	107
Construction	48
Manufacturing	8
Wholesale Trade	90
Retail Trade	1,363
Transportation and Warehousing	142
Information	55
Finance and Insurance	53
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	31
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	51
Management of Companies and Enterprises	2
Administration & Support, Waste Mngt and Remediation	32
Educational Services	520
Health Care and Social Assistance	482
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	37
Accommodation and Food Services	875
Other Services (excluding Public Administration)	349
Public Administration	2,814
Total All Jobs	7,345

*Jobs within city boundary

Median Household Income	
2000	\$ 35,324 (*4)
2011	\$ 46,235 (*5)

Taxable Sales in 1,000s of Dollars (*6)		
Year	Total	% of County
2003	\$147,010	0.7%
2004	\$141,122	0.6%
2005	\$164,513	0.6%
2006	\$173,316	0.6%
2007	\$178,507	0.6%
2008	\$160,476	0.6%
2009	\$135,631	0.6%
2010	\$135,094	0.6%
2011	\$126,564	0.6%

Sources: (*1) CA Employment Development Department (City residents working anywhere. Data are not seasonally adjusted)

(*2) U.S. Census Bureau Local Employment Dynamics

(*3) Riverside County Projections (RCP10)

(*4) Decennial Census, US Census Bureau (in 1999 inflation-adjusted dollars).

(*5) 2007-2011 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates (in 2011 inflation-adjusted dollars).

(*6) State Board of Equalization

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