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## ESTIMATED POPULATIONS IN CONNECTICUT AS OF JULY 1, 2012

Population estimates of Connecticut's eight counties and 169 towns for 2012 were prepared for distribution by the Connecticut Department of Public Health (DPH), Statistics Analysis and Reporting Unit within the section of Health Statistics and Surveillance. These estimates constitute the basis of birth, death, and other population-based rates for 2012 and forward.

### Method of Estimation

County and town population estimates for July 1, 2012 were released by the U.S. Census Bureau's (USCB) Population Estimates Program on May 23, 2013.<sup>(1,2)</sup> These USCB figures were adopted for the state's town-level estimates. The method used by the USCB to calculate sub-county population estimates is described in detail at <http://www.census.gov/popest/methodology/2012-su-meth.pdf>.

### 2012 Population Estimates

The July 1, 2012 population estimate for the state of Connecticut is 3,590,347. The 2012 estimate was 12,502 higher than the July 1, 2010 population estimate of 3,577,845.<sup>(3,4)</sup> Population estimates for Connecticut's counties and towns are given in the attached table.

### ESTIMATED POPULATION OF CONNECTICUT AS OF JULY 1, 2012

Estimated Population	Change in Population, 2010-2012	
	Number	Percent
3,590,347	+12,502	+0.35%

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*These estimates are also available at: <http://www.ct.gov/dph/PopulationData>*

**CONNECTICUT POPULATION ESTIMATES AS OF JULY 1, 2012**  
**BY COUNTY AND TOWN**  
(State Total = 3,590,347)

County	Est. Pop.	County	Est. Pop.
Fairfield	933,835	New Haven	862,813
Hartford	897,259	New London	274,170
Litchfield	187,530	Tolland	151,539
Middlesex	165,602	Windham	117,599

Town	Est. Pop.	Town	Est. Pop.	Town	Est. Pop.	Town	Est. Pop.
Andover	3,272	East Hartford	51,272	Monroe	19,794	Sherman	3,648
Ansonia	19,158	East Haven	29,190	Montville	19,686	Simsbury	23,620
Ashford	4,284	East Lyme	18,892	Morris	2,356	Somers	11,451
Avon	18,283	Easton	7,603	Naugatuck	31,774	Southbury	19,877
Barkhamsted	3,759	East Windsor	11,387	New Britain	73,153	Southington	43,434
Beacon Falls	6,065	Ellington	15,779	New Canaan	20,110	South Windsor	25,835
Berlin	20,463	Enfield	44,660	New Fairfield	14,112	Sprague	2,988
Bethany	5,550	Essex	6,648	New Hartford	6,903	Stafford	11,987
Bethel	19,161	Fairfield	60,450	New Haven	130,741	Stamford	125,109
Bethlehem	3,566	Farmington	25,529	Newington	30,602	Sterling	3,799
Bloomfield	20,602	Franklin	1,991	New London	27,707	Stonington	18,556
Bolton	4,960	Glastonbury	34,698	New Milford	27,835	Stratford	52,077
Bozrah	2,638	Goshen	2,952	Newtown	28,042	Suffield	15,868
Branford	28,024	Granby	11,316	Norfolk	1,685	Thomaston	7,788
Bridgeport	146,425	Greenwich	62,256	North Branford	14,379	Thompson	9,373
Bridgewater	1,702	Griswold	11,986	North Canaan	3,259	Tolland	14,964
Bristol	60,603	Groton	39,896	North Haven	24,033	Torrington	35,808
Brookfield	16,783	Guilford	22,403	North Stonington	5,303	Trumbull	36,514
Brooklyn	8,203	Haddam	8,358	Norwalk	87,190	Union	852
Burlington	9,434	Hamden	60,863	Norwich	40,502	Vernon	29,122
Canaan	1,218	Hampton	1,869	Old Lyme	7,592	Voluntown	2,611
Canterbury	5,106	Hartford	124,893	Old Saybrook	10,238	Wallingford	45,179
Canton	10,351	Hartland	2,132	Orange	13,935	Warren	1,447
Chaplin	2,286	Harwinton	5,600	Oxford	12,819	Washington	3,534
Cheshire	29,300	Hebron	9,624	Plainfield	15,267	Waterbury	109,915
Chester	4,245	Kent	2,951	Plainville	17,819	Waterford	19,533
Clinton	13,196	Killingly	17,269	Plymouth	12,089	Watertown	22,261
Colchester	16,187	Killingworth	6,504	Pomfret	4,217	Westbrook	6,914
Colebrook	1,461	Lebanon	7,326	Portland	9,472	West Hartford	63,274
Columbia	5,461	Ledyard	15,077	Preston	4,753	West Haven	55,404
Cornwall	1,399	Lisbon	4,355	Prospect	9,642	Weston	10,350
Coventry	12,425	Litchfield	8,353	Putnam	9,491	Westport	27,068
Cromwell	14,217	Lyme	2,403	Redding	9,299	Wethersfield	26,710
Danbury	82,807	Madison	18,291	Ridgefield	25,045	Willington	5,994
Darien	21,114	Manchester	58,289	Rocky Hill	19,729	Wilton	18,617
Deep River	4,603	Mansfield	25,648	Roxbury	2,237	Winchester	11,071
Derby	12,830	Marlborough	6,433	Salem	4,188	Windham	25,091
Durham	7,368	Meriden	60,638	Salisbury	3,701	Windsor	29,140
Eastford	1,730	Middlebury	7,572	Scotland	1,710	Windsor Locks	12,546
East Granby	5,184	Middlefield	4,416	Seymour	16,561	Wolcott	16,724
East Haddam	9,158	Middletown	47,325	Sharon	2,747	Woodbridge	8,965
East Hampton	12,940	Millford	52,981	Shelton	40,261	Woodbury	9,848
						Woodstock	7,904

Notes:

- (1) Table 4. Annual Estimates of the Resident Population for Minor Civil Divisions in Connecticut, by County: April 1, 2010 to July 1, 2012 (SUB-EST2012-04-09), Population Division, U.S. Census Bureau, Release Date: May 23, 2012.
- (2) The April 1, 2010 Population Estimates base reflects changes to the 2010 Census population from the Boundary and Annexation Survey (BAS) and other geographic program revisions. It does not reflect changes from the Count Question Resolution program. All geographic boundaries for the 2012 population estimates series are defined as of January 1, 2012. Additional information on these localities can be found in the Geographic Change Notes (see <http://www.census.gov/popest/about/geo/changes.html>).
- (3) Backus, K, Mueller, LM (2012) Town-level Population Estimates for Connecticut, 2011, Connecticut Department of Public Health, Health Care Quality, Statistics, Analysis & Reporting Unit, Hartford, CT.
- (4) July 1, 2010 population estimates were estimated by CT DPH in 2011 (as described below) and may be slightly higher or lower than the USCB's estimate for July 1, 2010 published on June 28, 2012. The April 1, 2010 Census count was used as the base population figure for each town. The change in population for the three months between April 1, 2010 and July 1, 2010 was estimated by calculating the "natural increase" in population (i.e. births minus deaths) and the estimated net migration during this period. Three-month birth and death counts were based on tabulations of provisional 2010 birth and death files. Net migration was estimated for each town based on the population change and the natural increase in population over the last decade (2000-2010). The estimated three-month population change was added to the base April 1, 2010 population figure for each town to calculate the July 1, 2010 population estimate.

Citation:

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