

Demographic and Economic Detail for the New York 23rd Congressional District¹

Executive Summary

The 23rd Congressional District includes all of Chautauqua, Cattaraugus, Allegany, Steuben, Yates, Schuyler, Seneca, Tompkins and Chemung counties and parts of Ontario and Tioga counties. The US Census Bureau collects and publishes population, employment, housing, socio-economic, education and business statistics for every Congressional District in the United States. We present that information here, to assist anyone engaging in an overall examination of the 23rd Congressional District.

¹ All information from the United States Census Bureau: <https://www.census.gov/mycd/?st=36&cd=23>

Population, Age, and Gender Information

Two or more races 16,063

Sex and Age	Estimate
Total population	703,717
Male	349,545
Female	354,172
Under 5 years	37,101
5 to 9 years	38,340
10 to 14 years	41,366
15 to 19 years	55,427
20 to 24 years	58,344
25 to 34 years	82,860
35 to 44 years	73,426
45 to 54 years	90,353
55 to 59 years	54,103
60 to 64 years	48,926
65 to 74 years	70,471
75 to 84 years	36,445
85 years and over	16,555
Median age (years)	40.2
18 years and over	560,920
65 years and over	123,471

Race	Estimate
Total population	703,717
One race	687,654
White	636,916
Black or African American	22,094
American Indian and Alaska Native	3,886
Asian	16,962
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	86
Some other race	7,710

Hispanic or Latino and Race	Estimate
Total population	703,717
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	27,758
Mexican	4,946
Puerto Rican	13,038
Cuban	477
Other Hispanic or Latino	9,297
Not Hispanic or Latino	675,959

Place of Birth	Estimate
Total population	703,717
Native	671,788
Born in United States	663,593
State of residence	523,861
Different state	139,732
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	8,195
Foreign born	31,929

Ancestry	Estimate
Total population	703,717
American	39,296
Arab	1,849
Czech	3,221
Danish	3,017
Dutch	23,027
English	90,898
French (except Basque)	18,940
French Canadian	4,586
German	141,246
Greek	2,532
Hungarian	4,050
Irish	119,872
Italian	80,128
Lithuanian	1,077
Norwegian	3,095
Polish	42,684
Portuguese	1,395
Russian	4,319
Scotch-Irish	7,000
Scottish	15,494
Slovak	1,140
Subsaharan African	1,608
Swedish	21,629
Swiss	4,402
Ukrainian	4,569
Welsh	7,110
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	2,157

Veteran Status	Estimate
Civilian population 18 years and over	560,813
Civilian veterans	48,451

Disability Status of the Civilian Non-institutionalized Population		Estimate
Total civilian non-institutionalized population		689,485
With a disability		99,311
Under 18 years		142,046
With a disability		8,242
18 to 64 years		428,645
With a disability		50,609
65 years and over		118,794
With a disability		40,460

Residence 1 Year Ago	Estimate
Population 1 year and over	696,684
Same house	595,419
Different house in the U.S.	96,679
Same county	56,353
Different county	40,326
Same state	25,299
Different state	15,027
Abroad	4,586

Employment Information

Status	Estimate
Population 16 years and over	577,533
In labor force	331,575
Civilian labor force	331,468
Employed	311,737
Unemployed	19,731
Armed Forces	107
Not in labor force	245,958
Civilian labor force	331,468
Unemployment Rate	6.0%

Commuting to Work	Estimate
Workers 16 years and over	304,511
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	232,774
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	30,285
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	4,871
Walked	19,751
Other means	4,835
Worked at home	11,995
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	20.3

Occupation	Estimate
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	311,737
Management, business, science, and arts occupations	114,876
Service occupations	58,533
Sales and office occupations	66,999
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	28,930
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	42,399

Industry	Estimate
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	311,737
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	8,322
Construction	18,700
Manufacturing	41,370
Wholesale trade	5,496
Retail trade	34,683
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	10,441
Information	3,656
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	10,444
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	22,672
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	96,843
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	30,320
Other services, except public administration	14,930
Public administration	13,860

Class of Worker	Estimate
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	311,737
Private wage and salary workers	237,745
Government workers	51,313
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	22,001
Unpaid family workers	678

Housing Information

Housing Occupancy	Estimate
Total housing units	338,917
Occupied housing units	272,324
Vacant housing units	66,593
Homeowner vacancy rate	2.1%
Rental vacancy rate	7.7%

Housing Tenure	Estimate
Occupied housing units	272,324
Owner-occupied	186,425
Renter-occupied	85,899
Average household size of owner-occupied unit	2.54
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	2.18

Year Householder Moved into Unit	Estimate
Occupied housing units	272,324
Moved in 2015 or later	42,942
Moved in 2010 to 2014	64,280
Moved in 2000 to 2009	66,702
Moved in 1990 to 1999	41,365
Moved in 1980 to 1989	25,262
Moved in 1979 and earlier	31,773

Value	Estimate
Owner-occupied units	186,425
Less than \$50,000	24,865
\$50,000 to \$99,999	65,104
\$100,000 to \$149,999	36,369
\$150,000 to \$199,999	26,407
\$200,000 to \$299,999	20,141
\$300,000 to \$499,999	9,078
\$500,000 to \$999,999	3,812
\$1,000,000 or more	649
Median (dollars)	\$103,800

Mortgage Status	Estimate
Owner-occupied units	186,425
Housing units with a mortgage	97,734
Housing units without a mortgage	88,691

Selected Monthly Owner Costs(SMOC)	Estimate
Housing units with a mortgage	97,734
Less than \$500	3,025
\$500 to \$999	38,251
\$1,000 to \$1,499	32,096
\$1,500 to \$1,999	14,424
\$2,000 to \$2,499	4,753
\$2,500 to \$2,999	2,559
\$3,000 or more	2,626
Median (dollars)	\$1,102
Housing units without a mortgage	88,691
Less than \$250	10,132
\$250 to \$399	23,040
\$400 to \$599	30,495
\$600 to \$799	13,935
\$800 to \$999	6,300
\$1,000 or more	4,789
Median (dollars)	\$469

Gross Rent	Estimate
Occupied units paying rent	80,314
Less than \$500	15,486
\$500 to \$999	48,034
\$1,000 to \$1,499	13,113
\$1,500 to \$1,999	2,570
\$2,000 to \$2,499	787
\$2,500 to \$2,999	159
\$3,000 or more	165
Median (dollars)	\$717
No rent paid	5,585

Socio-Economic Information

**Income and Benefits
(In 2016 inflation-adjusted dollars) Estimate**

Total households	272,324
Less than \$10,000	21,028
\$10,000 to \$14,999	15,445
\$15,000 to \$24,999	31,981
\$25,000 to \$34,999	30,917
\$35,000 to \$49,999	39,386
\$50,000 to \$74,999	50,562
\$75,000 to \$99,999	34,263
\$100,000 to \$149,999	32,424
\$150,000 to \$199,999	9,087
\$200,000 or more	7,231
Median household income (dollars)	\$48,730
Mean household income (dollars)	\$63,443

Health Insurance Coverage Estimate

Civilian noninstitutionalized population	689,485
With health insurance coverage	648,868
With private health insurance	471,991
With public coverage	284,595
No health insurance coverage	40,617
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 18 years	142,046
No health insurance coverage	11,679

**Percentage of Families and People
Whose Income in the Past 12
Months is Below the Poverty Level Estimate**

All families	10.0%
With related children of the householder under 18 years	18.3%
With related children of the householder under 5 years only	19.4%
Married couple families	4.6%
With related children of the householder under 18 years	8.3%
With related children of the householder under 5 years only	5.7%
Families with female householder, no husband present	30.3%
With related children of the householder under 18 years	39.6%
With related children of the householder under 5 years only	41.6%
All people	16.2%
Under 18 years	22.3%
Related children of the householder under 18 years	21.7%
Related children of the householder under 5 years	25.3%
Related children of the householder 5 to 17 years	20.5%
18 years and over	14.6%
65 years and over	6.9%
People in families	11.5%
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	31.3%

Education Information

School Enrollment	Estimate
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	179,782
Nursery school, preschool	8,953
Kindergarten	5,778
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	64,305
High school (grades 9-12)	35,321
College or graduate school	65,425

Educational Attainment	Estimate
Population 25 years and over	473,139
Less than 9th grade	15,772
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	33,676
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	163,887
Some college, no degree	80,564
Associate's degree	55,802
Bachelor's degree	63,790
Graduate or professional degree	59,648
Percent high school graduate or higher	89.5%
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	26.1%

Business Information

Paid employees for pay period including March 12

	Estimate
Total for all sectors	224,368
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	373
Mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction	820
Utilities	922
Construction	7,452
Manufacturing	34,692
Wholesale trade	6,154
Retail trade	33,558
Transportation and warehousing	4,897
Information	3,345
Finance and insurance	5,605
Real estate and rental and leasing	2,647
Professional, scientific, and technical services	6,676
Management of companies and enterprises	3,175
Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services	7,297
Educational services	29,477
Health care and social assistance	40,257
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	3,056
Accommodation and food services	25,100
Other services (except public administration)	8,787
Industries not classified	78

Annual payroll (\$1,000)

Estimate

Total for all sectors	8,299,073
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	13,878
Mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction	58,600
Utilities	85,590
Construction	421,597
Manufacturing	1,739,517
Wholesale trade	281,860
Retail trade	812,443
Transportation and warehousing	217,594
Information	160,466
Finance and insurance	299,977
Real estate and rental and leasing	90,295
Professional, scientific, and technical services	333,679
Management of companies and enterprises	480,050
Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services	240,384
Educational services	878,506
Health care and social assistance	1,522,063
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	70,023
Accommodation and food services	402,924
Other services (except public administration)	187,610
Industries not classified	2,017

Total establishments	Estimate
Total for all sectors	14,618
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	46
Mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction	68
Utilities	44
Construction	1,337
Manufacturing	786
Wholesale trade	517
Retail trade	2,606
Transportation and warehousing	356
Information	304
Finance and insurance	677
Real estate and rental and leasing	500
Professional, scientific, and technical services	1,026
Management of companies and enterprises	60
Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services	642
Educational services	126
Health care and social assistance	1,572
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	317
Accommodation and food services	1,829
Other services (except public administration)	1,755
Industries not classified	50