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METROPOLITAN AREA PERSONAL INCOME AND PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME: 2000

Metropolitan areas in northern California and eastern North Carolina had the fastest growth in personal income in 2000, according to estimates released today by the U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA). Strong growth in earnings contributed to the rapid growth for all 6 metropolitan areas that comprise the greater San Francisco area¹, while a recovery in rental income, which had been affected by flood damage in 1999 from Hurricane Floyd, contributed to personal income growth in Rocky Mount and Greenville.

Fastest growing metropolitan areas, 1999-2000 (Percent change)

	1999	----- 2000 -----			
	Personal Income	Personal Income	Net Earnings	Dividends, Interest, & Rent	Transfer Payments
United States.....	4.7	7.0	7.8	5.6	5.1
San Jose, CA.....	15.2	21.0	25.4	6.2	3.3
San Francisco, CA.....	9.6	15.6	20.8	3.8	2.3
Rocky Mount, NC.....	-5.2	14.4	7.1	82.7	4.0
Santa Cruz-Watsonville, CA..	9.3	14.4	19.1	3.5	2.4
Vallejo-Fairfield-Napa, CA..	7.1	13.6	17.4	4.8	4.2
Greenville, NC.....	-0.9	13.3	9.4	39.8	4.7
Santa Rosa, CA.....	5.6	13.0	17.7	3.5	4.1
Oakland, CA.....	8.3	12.4	15.6	4.5	3.1

¹ Designated by the Office of Management and Budget as the San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA consolidated metropolitan statistical area.

Fastest growing metropolitan areas, 2000

Each of the metropolitan areas that comprise the greater San Francisco area had net earnings growth that were at least double the national average of 7.8 percent. Much of the strength in earnings reflects strong earnings growth in “new economy” types of industries—business services, which includes software development, prepackaged software, data processing services, and computer rental and leasing, in industrial machinery and equipment manufacturing, which includes computer manufacturing, and in electronics and other electric equipment manufacturing. Earnings in these industries were affected greatly by increases in the stock market, which peaked in March 2000. San Jose was the fastest growing metropolitan area in 1999 and 2000.

The 2000 growth in Rocky Mount and Greenville reverses a pattern of below average growth in personal income in recent years. In 1999, Rocky Mount was the slowest growing metropolitan area, and Greenville was the fourth slowest, due to the effects of Hurricane Floyd.

Slowest growing metropolitan areas, 2000

All 8 of the slowest growing metropolitan areas had growth in earnings that was less than the national average by at least 5.1 percentage points. Four of the slowest growing areas were in the Southeast Region, and four were in the Great Lakes Region. Six of the 8 areas—Lake Charles; Youngstown-Warren; Flint; Toledo; Decatur, IL; and New Orleans—had earnings declines in durable goods manufacturing. In addition:

- Anniston had declines in both federal civilian and military earnings due to the closing of Fort McClellan.
- Lake Charles had a decline in mining earnings.
- Flint; Decatur, IL; and New Orleans had earnings declines in depository and nondepository institutions.

Slowest growing metropolitan areas, 1999-2000 (Percent change)					
	1999	2000 -----			
	Personal Income	Personal Income	Net Earnings	Dividends, Interest, & Rent	Transfer Payments
United States.....	4.7	7.0	7.8	5.6	5.1
Anniston, AL.....	0.4	-0.2	-3.1	3.5	5.4
Lake Charles, LA.....	1.7	2.8	1.4	7.6	3.0
Decatur, AL.....	4.5	2.9	1.2	6.3	7.0
Youngstown-Warren, OH.....	2.5	3.1	1.9	4.8	5.2
Flint, MI.....	1.9	3.2	1.6	8.9	4.1
Toledo, OH.....	3.6	3.2	2.4	4.6	4.8
Decatur, IL.....	4.2	3.3	2.3	6.1	4.4
New Orleans, LA.....	1.5	3.4	2.7	6.8	2.4

All of the 8 areas with the slowest growth in 2000 had below average personal income growth in 1999. Only Decatur, AL and Decatur, IL had personal income growth in 1999 that was within 1.0 percentage point of the national average.

Per capita personal income levels, 2000

The 10 metropolitan areas with the highest levels of 2000 per capita personal income (PCPI) were located on either the east or west coasts. San Francisco, with a 2000 PCPI of \$57,414, continued to have the highest PCPI in the nation. Of the 10 areas, only Trenton did not rank in the top 10 in PCPI in 1999.

Five of the metropolitan areas—New Haven-Bridgeport-Stamford-Waterbury; Bergen-Passaic; Middlesex-Somerset-Hunterdon; Trenton; and Nassau-Suffolk—were part of the greater New York area.²

The 10 Metropolitan Areas with the highest per capita incomes in 2000

	----- Dollars -----		----- Ranks -----	
	1999	2000	1999	2000
United States.....	27,843	29,469	....	....
San Francisco, CA.....	49,830	57,414	1	1
San Jose, CA.....	45,928	55,157	2	2
New Haven-Bridgeport-Stamford- Danbury-Waterbury, CT.....	43,806	46,542	3	3
Bergen-Passaic, NJ.....	39,239	42,726	6	4
Middlesex-Somerset- Hunterdon, NJ.....	39,393	42,392	5	5
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton, FL....	39,545	41,007	4	6
Trenton, NJ.....	37,512	40,954	11	7
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA.....	38,858	40,686	8	8
Nassau-Suffolk, NY.....	38,387	40,353	9	9
Naples, FL.....	38,916	40,121	7	10

Nine of the 10 metropolitan areas with the lowest levels of 2000 PCPI ranked in the bottom 10 in 1999. McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, with a 2000 PCPI of \$13,344, continued to have the lowest PCPI in the nation. Six of the seven lowest ranking metropolitan areas were in the Southwest Region.

The 10 Metropolitan Areas with the lowest per capita incomes in 2000

	----- Dollars -----		----- Ranks -----	
	1999	2000	1999	2000
United States.....	27,843	29,469	....	....
Pine Bluff, AR.....	19,080	19,826	308	309
Provo-Orem, UT.....	18,114	19,128	310	310
Merced, CA.....	18,100	18,536	311	311
El Paso, TX.....	17,749	18,535	313	312
Auburn-Opelika, AL.....	17,901	18,484	312	313
Las Cruces, NM.....	16,705	17,321	314	314
Yuma, AZ.....	16,004	16,002	315	315
Laredo, TX.....	14,347	15,114	316	316
Brownsville-Harlingen- San Benito, TX.....	14,179	14,906	317	317
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, TX.....	12,782	13,344	318	318

² Designated by the Office of Management and Budget as the New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA consolidated metropolitan statistical area.

Note about data on BEA web site

A narrative summary, BEA Regional Facts (BEARFACTS), of personal income and per capita personal income, components of income, and earnings by industry is available for each metropolitan area and for counties for the latest ten year (1990-2000) and most current year (1999-2000) periods. To access BEARFACTS for any area on BEA's Web site, go to <http://www.bea.gov/bea/regional/bearfacts/index.htm>.

The complete set of income and employment estimates for 1969-2000 for counties, metropolitan areas, and BEA economic areas is now available interactively on BEA's Web site. Detailed annual estimates of earnings and employment by industry, transfer payments (i.e., social security payments), and farm gross income and expenses by major category for each of the geographic regions are available. These estimates are the only detailed, broadly-inclusive, annual measure of economic activity available for local areas. Go to <http://www.bea.gov/bea/regional/reis/> to access these estimates.

Data on personal income and per capita personal income for BEA regions, states, and metropolitan areas, as well as data for counties, will be presented in the May issue of the *Survey of Current Business*, the monthly journal of the Bureau of Economic Analysis. See the end of this release for information on obtaining issues of the *Survey of Current Business* in printed form and on BEA's Web site. For further information, call (202) 606-5360.

Definitions

Personal income is the income received by all persons from participation in production, from government and business transfer payments, and from government interest. Personal income is the sum of net earnings by place of residence, rental income of persons, personal dividend income, personal interest income, and transfer payments. Net earnings is earnings by place of work — the sum of wage and salary disbursements (payrolls), other labor income, and proprietors' income — less personal contributions for social insurance, plus an adjustment to convert earnings by place of work to a place-of-residence basis. Personal income is measured before the deduction of personal income taxes and other personal taxes and is reported in current dollars (no adjustment is made for price changes).

The estimate of personal income in the United States is derived as the sum of the county estimates; it differs from the estimate of personal income in the national income and product accounts (NIPA's) because of differences in coverage and in the timing of the availability of source data.

Per capita personal income (PCPI) is the annual total personal income of residents divided by resident population as of July 1. PCPI estimates for 1990-1999 have been revised to incorporate revised county population estimates for 1990-99 from the Census Bureau that are consistent with the April 1, 2000 decennial census counts.

The metropolitan area definitions used by BEA for its personal income estimates are the county-based definitions issued by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for federal statistical purposes. OMB's general concept of a metropolitan area is that of a geographic area consisting of a large population nucleus together with adjacent communities having a high degree of economic and social integration with the nucleus. OMB recognizes two sets of metropolitan areas in the New England region. The first set is defined in terms of cities and towns; the second set, which is used for the estimates presented here, consists of the 12 New England county metropolitan statistical areas (NECMA's). Outside of the New England region, the

metropolitan areas consist of 58 primary metropolitan statistical areas (PMSA's) and 248 metropolitan statistical areas (MSA's). The PMSA's and one NECMA are grouped into 17 consolidated metropolitan statistical areas (CMSA's). The 318 metropolitan areas discussed in the text of this release consist of the MSA's, PMSA's, and NECMA's. The estimates for all of the areas, including the 17 CMSA's, are shown in [Table 1](#).

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BEA's major national, regional, international, and industry estimates; the *Survey of Current Business*; and BEA news releases are available on BEA's Web site: <http://www.bea.gov>.

The [definitions of the metropolitan areas](#) are available on the Web site in "Articles" under the "Regional" heading.

Summary BEA estimates are available on recorded messages at the time of public release at the following telephone numbers:

(202) 606-5306	Gross domestic product
606-5303	Personal income and outlays
606-5362	Summary of international transactions

Most of BEA's estimates and analyses appear in the *Survey of Current Business*, BEA's monthly journal. The printed *Survey of Current Business* is available from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington D.C. 20402. First class mail: Annual subscription \$95.00 domestic. Second class mail: Annual subscription \$50.00 domestic, \$62.50 foreign; single issue \$22.00 domestic, \$27.50 foreign.

Table 1. Personal Income and Per Capita Personal Income by Metropolitan Area, 1998–2000

Area name	Personal income				Per capita personal income¹				Area name	Personal income				Per capita personal income¹			
	Millions of dollars			Percent change²	Dollars			Rank in U.S.		Millions of dollars			Percent change²	Dollars			Rank in U.S.
	1998	1999	2000		1999–2000	1998	1999			2000	1998	1999		2000	1999–2000	1998		1999	2000	2000
United States³	7,418,497	7,769,367	8,314,032	7.0	26,893	27,843	29,469	.....	Corvallis, OR	2,157	2,196	2,291	4.3	27,327	28,059	29,318	81
Metropolitan portion	6,309,791	6,622,851	7,103,560	7.3	28,528	29,569	31,332	.....	Cumberland, MD-WV	1,971	2,010	2,102	4.6	19,190	19,617	20,653	305
Nonmetropolitan portion	1,108,706	1,146,516	1,210,472	5.6	20,277	20,822	21,847	.....	Dallas, TX*	106,605	113,699	124,705	9.7	31,840	32,974	35,216	23
Consolidated Metropolitan Statistical Areas																	
Chicago-Gary-Kenosha, IL-IN-WI	287,183	298,505	316,620	5.1	31,878	32,820	34,506	.....	Danville, VA	2,150	2,199	2,314	5.2	19,461	19,936	21,028	303
Cincinnati-Hamilton, OH-KY-IN	54,908	57,245	60,249	5.2	28,078	29,075	30,384	.....	Davenport-Moline-Rock Island, IA-IL	9,260	9,250	9,690	4.8	25,824	25,713	27,005	134
Cleveland-Akron, OH	83,338	85,770	89,742	4.6	28,294	29,115	30,464	.....	Dayton-Springfield, OH	25,427	26,056	27,084	3.9	26,572	27,336	28,504	99
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	150,138	160,079	174,907	9.3	30,167	31,267	33,289	.....	Daytona Beach, FL	10,308	10,587	11,232	6.1	21,519	21,754	22,660	276
Denver-Boulder-Greeley, CO	78,606	85,196	94,440	10.9	31,947	33,652	36,370	.....	Decatur, AL	3,274	3,423	3,521	2.9	22,707	23,573	24,108	228
Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint, MI	162,694	169,368	178,609	5.5	29,973	31,114	32,694	.....	Decatur, IL	2,927	3,049	3,150	3.3	25,353	26,479	27,516	124
Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX	136,556	142,509	155,001	8.8	30,405	30,982	33,025	.....	Denver, CO*	65,598	70,982	78,793	11	32,532	34,267	37,153	18
Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA	428,551	451,458	482,176	6.8	26,909	27,892	29,329	.....	Des Moines, IA	13,074	13,700	14,340	4.7	29,503	30,402	31,347	53
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL	95,902	98,951	105,353	6.5	25,637	25,937	27,033	.....	Detroit, MI*	134,925	140,283	147,828	5.4	30,410	31,601	33,259	36
Milwaukee-Racine, WI	49,851	51,775	54,331	4.9	29,698	30,734	32,137	.....	Dothan, AL	2,943	3,071	3,202	4.3	21,566	22,357	23,197	259
New York-No. New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA	741,023	774,361	836,234	8.0	35,723	36,956	39,568	.....	Dover, DE	2,772	2,862	3,025	5.7	22,348	22,787	23,795	238
Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-DE-MD	187,702	194,772	206,743	6.1	30,592	31,598	33,377	.....	Dubuque, IA	2,173	2,174	2,287	5.2	24,481	24,450	25,645	172
Portland-Salem, OR-WA	61,119	64,722	69,210	7.7	27,732	28,687	30,453	.....	Duluth-Superior, MN-WI	5,789	5,978	6,339	6.0	23,893	24,590	26,005	162
Sacramento-Yolo, CA	46,577	50,012	54,157	8.3	26,894	28,299	29,951	.....	Dutchess County, NY*	7,710	7,964	8,687	9.1	28,160	28,691	30,939	57
San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, CA	257,252	283,762	328,725	15.8	37,277	40,660	46,586	.....	Eau Claire, WI	3,432	3,584	3,785	5.6	23,435	24,321	25,472	178
Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA	112,042	121,281	127,818	5.4	32,207	34,412	35,877	.....	El Paso, TX	11,624	11,988	12,643	5.5	17,318	17,749	18,535	312
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV	247,605	262,832	283,865	8.0	33,416	34,955	37,168	.....	Elkhart-Goshen, IN	4,372	4,627	4,857	5.0	24,578	25,614	26,485	149
Metropolitan Statistical Areas*																	
Abilene, TX	2,881	2,964	3,096	4.5	22,971	23,460	24,487	214	Enid, OK	1,328	1,326	1,373	3.5	22,841	22,791	23,815	237
Akron, OH*	18,584	19,186	20,194	5.3	26,893	27,680	29,023	90	Erie, PA	6,504	6,649	6,944	4.4	23,082	23,637	24,740	199
Albany, GA	2,567	2,635	2,770	5.1	21,313	21,864	22,920	267	Eugene-Springfield, OR	7,590	7,904	8,271	4.6	23,744	24,564	25,584	175
Albany-Schenectady-Troy, NY	24,112	24,816	26,233	5.7	27,587	28,392	29,942	71	Evansville-Henderson, IN-KY	7,640	7,896	8,310	5.2	25,940	26,712	28,048	108
Albuquerque, NM	16,861	17,372	18,503	6.5	24,043	24,598	25,894	164	Fargo-Moorhead, ND-MN	4,258	4,535	4,720	6.1	24,914	26,230	27,024	133
Alexandria, LA	2,833	2,901	3,006	3.6	22,509	23,006	23,777	239	Fayetteville, NC	6,862	7,105	7,542	6.2	22,912	23,558	24,899	193
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton, PA	16,797	17,530	18,614	6.2	26,606	27,593	29,146	88	Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers, AR	6,356	6,806	7,306	7.4	21,588	22,442	23,316	251
Altoona, PA	2,908	3,031	3,165	4.4	22,284	23,361	24,533	210	Flagstaff, AZ-UT	2,432	2,528	2,700	6.8	20,111	20,842	22,000	288
Amarillo, TX	4,981	5,047	5,333	5.7	23,404	23,387	24,429	217	Flint, MI*	10,470	10,672	11,017	3.2	24,171	24,567	25,217	186
Anchorage, AK	8,403	8,599	9,108	5.9	32,668	33,156	34,950	24	Florence, AL	2,877	2,956	3,060	3.5	20,254	20,770	21,397	295
Ann Arbor, MI*	17,299	18,414	19,765	7.3	31,002	32,312	33,987	32	Florence, SC	2,790	2,902	3,085	6.3	22,336	23,107	24,517	211
Annisland, TX	2,361	2,369	2,364	-0.2	20,146	20,620	21,232	298	Fort Collins-Loveland, CO	6,219	6,670	7,376	10.6	25,830	27,017	29,178	87
Appleton-Oshkosh-Neenah, WI	9,082	9,545	10,179	6.6	25,858	26,864	28,332	102	Fort Lauderdale, FL*	43,721	44,556	47,997	7.7	28,015	27,950	29,409	80
Asheville, NC	5,554	5,706	6,032	5.7	25,142	25,506	26,618	144	Fort Myers-Cape Coral, FL	10,924	11,196	11,834	5.7	25,893	25,917	26,655	142
Athens, GA	3,262	3,407	3,589	5.3	22,001	22,542	23,311	253	Fort Pierce-Port St. Lucie, FL	8,644	8,932	9,367	4.9	27,779	28,327	29,206	85
Atlanta, GA	116,796	126,048	136,832	8.6	30,121	31,435	33,013	37	Fort Smith, AR-OK	4,113	4,319	4,625	7.1	20,384	21,104	22,249	282
Atlantic City-Cape May, NJ*	10,234	10,373	10,954	5.6	22,262	22,920	23,924	63	Fort Walton Beach, FL	4,093	4,254	4,530	6.5	24,363	25,163	26,501	148
Auburn-Opelika, AL	1,920	2,021	2,135	5.6	17,466	17,901	18,484	313	Fort Wayne, IN	12,805	13,195	13,878	5.2	25,924	26,478	27,591	118
Augusta-Aiken, GA-SC	10,502	10,817	11,389	5.3	22,320	22,800	23,816	236	Fort Worth-Arlington, TX*	43,532	46,380	50,202	8.2	26,729	27,745	29,305	82
Austin-San Marcos, TX	32,797	36,972	40,483	9.5	28,382	30,659	32,039	44	Fresno, CA	17,465	18,462	19,556	5.9	19,454	20,260	21,121	301
Bakersfield, CA	12,577	12,921	13,787	6.7	19,559	19,714	20,767	304	Gadsden, AL	2,072	2,119	2,219	4.7	19,852	20,375	21,486	294
Baltimore, MD*	74,127	77,608	82,502	6.3	29,354	30,551	32,265	42	Gainesville, FL	4,938	5,063	5,347	5.6	23,217	23,455	24,507	212
Bangor, ME (NECMA)	3,124	3,244	3,426	5.6	21,605	22,387	23,653	242	Galveston-Texas City, TX*	6,251	6,387	6,660	4.3	25,446	25,662	26,564	145
Barnstable-Yarmouth, MA (NECMA)	6,912	7,430	8,128	9.4	32,223	33,932	36,417	20	Gary, IN*	15,702	16,146	17,196	6.5	24,947	25,604	27,216	129
Baton Rouge, LA	14,061	14,542	15,176	4.4	23,787	24,312	25,117	190	Glens Falls, NY	2,698	2,751	2,893	5.2	21,856	22,169	23,262	256
Beaumont-Port Arthur, TX	8,795	8,798	9,146	3.9	22,974	22,851	23,756	240	Goldensboro, NC	2,217	2,222	2,443	9.9	19,543	19,635	21,550	292
Bellingham, WA	3,550	3,707	3,876	4.6	22,048	22,525	23,133	261	Grand Forks, ND-MN	2,264	2,264	2,388	5.5	22,657	23,122	24,572	208
Benton Harbor, MI	3,853	4,018	4,171	3.8	23,776	24,799	25,659	170	Grand Junction, CO	2,562	2,709	2,885	6.5	22,738	23,591	24,693	201
Berger-Passaic, NJ*	51,904	53,692	58,721	9.4	38,142	39,239	42,726	4	Grand Rapids-Muskegon-Holland, MI	27,695	28,933	30,550	5.6	26,095	26,853	27,977	110
Billings, MT	3,100	3,179	3,376	6.2	24,285	24,697	26,057	160	Great Falls, MT	1,881	1,896	1,978	4.3	23,304	23,527	24,661	202
Biloxi-Gulfport-Pascagoula, MS	7,741	8,027	8,429	5.0	21,773	22,234	23,097	262	Greeley, CO*	3,521	3,822	4,126	8.8	21,144	21,921	22,539	278
Binghamton, NY	5,773	5,959	6,244	4.8	22,798	23,575	24,779	198	Greensboro-Winston-Salem-High Point, NC	6,102							

Table 1. Personal Income and Per Capita Personal Income by Metropolitan Area, 1998–2000—Continued

Area name	Personal income				Per capita personal income ¹				Area name	Personal income				Per capita personal income ¹			
	Millions of dollars			Percent change ²	Dollars			Rank in U.S.		Millions of dollars			Percent change ²	Dollars			Rank in U.S.
	1998	1999	2000		1999–2000	1998	1999			2000	1998	1999		2000	1998	1999		2000
La Crosse, WI—MN	3,064	3,164	3,323	5.0	24,438	25,100	26,165	156	Reno, NV	10,552	11,195	11,911	6.4	32,502	33,636	34,879	25
Lafayette, LA	8,201	8,151	8,572	5.2	21,511	21,219	22,210	284	Richland—Kennewick—Pasco, WA	4,150	4,269	4,598	7.7	22,279	22,582	23,872	235
Lafayette, IN	4,093	4,205	4,455	5.9	22,738	23,179	24,330	220	Richmond—Petersburg, VA	27,932	29,358	31,271	6.5	28,635	29,744	31,292	54
Lake Charles, LA	3,988	4,054	4,166	2.8	21,841	22,103	22,701	272	Riverside—San Bernardino, CA*	66,827	71,205	76,593	7.6	21,500	22,325	23,350	248
Lakeland—Winter Haven, FL	10,122	10,478	11,306	7.9	21,469	21,919	23,285	255	Roanoke, VA	6,288	6,493	6,883	6.0	26,766	27,579	29,181	86
Lancaster, PA	11,981	12,495	13,298	6.4	25,806	26,706	28,195	106	Rochester, MN	3,622	3,867	4,151	7.3	30,171	31,547	33,283	35
Lansing—East Lansing, MI	10,949	11,526	12,050	4.5	24,474	25,780	26,895	136	Rochester, NY	29,626	30,133	31,213	3.6	27,024	27,488	28,419	101
Laredo, TX	2,572	2,712	2,945	8.6	14,053	14,347	15,114	316	Rockford, IL	9,165	9,419	9,769	3.7	25,083	25,570	26,253	154
Las Cruces, NM	2,818	2,905	3,032	4.4	16,376	16,705	17,321	314	Rocky Mount, NC	3,250	3,080	3,524	14.4	22,739	21,488	24,629	204
Las Vegas, NV—AZ	37,556	40,561	43,615	7.5	26,320	26,985	27,558	121	Sacramento, CA	42,528	45,671	49,567	8.5	27,086	28,509	30,252	67
Lawrence, KS	2,043	2,135	2,278	6.7	20,941	21,461	22,747	271	Saginaw—Bay City—Midland, MI	10,028	10,320	10,772	4.4	24,846	25,590	26,733	141
Lawton, OK	2,285	2,349	2,443	4.0	19,771	20,235	21,332	297	St. Cloud, MN	3,700	3,826	4,067	6.3	22,650	23,124	24,210	224
Lewisston—Auburn, ME (NECMA)	2,316	2,413	2,497	3.5	22,463	23,333	24,045	229	St. Joseph, MO	2,204	2,303	2,455	6.6	21,715	22,601	23,944	234
Lexington, KY	12,170	12,785	13,743	7.5	26,121	26,975	28,587	97	St. Louis, MO—IL	75,458	77,468	81,709	5.5	29,184	29,855	31,354	52
Lima, OH	3,555	3,702	3,864	4.4	22,894	23,909	24,890	194	Salem, OR	7,574	7,999	8,354	4.4	22,391	23,253	24,000	231
Lincoln, NE	6,509	6,858	7,217	5.2	26,611	27,717	28,752	94	Salinas, CA	10,442	11,127	11,970	7.6	26,919	28,081	29,695	73
Little Rock—North Little Rock, AR	14,634	15,240	16,045	5.3	25,598	26,327	27,417	126	Salt Lake City—Ogden, UT	31,226	32,672	34,868	6.7	23,953	24,738	26,075	159
Longview—Marshall, TX	4,677	4,764	5,009	5.2	22,492	22,804	23,992	232	San Angelo, TX	2,338	2,404	2,520	4.8	22,475	23,136	24,235	223
Los Angeles—Long Beach, CA*	253,406	265,291	281,835	6.2	27,208	28,111	29,522	108	San Antonio, TX	36,977	38,704	41,169	6.4	23,903	24,612	25,741	166
Louisville, KY—IN	28,201	29,247	31,008	6.0	27,866	28,670	30,191	68	San Diego, CA	78,156	84,493	91,850	8.7	28,558	30,289	32,515	41
Lubbock, TX	5,475	5,594	5,978	6.9	22,851	23,235	24,613	205	San Francisco, CA*	78,465	85,983	99,425	15.6	45,683	49,830	57,414	1
Lynchburg, VA	4,704	4,910	5,194	5.8	22,169	22,976	24,141	226	San Jose, CA*	66,666	76,769	92,880	21.0	40,185	45,928	55,157	2
Macon, GA	7,490	7,814	8,234	5.4	23,505	24,357	25,474	177	San Luis Obispo—Atascadero—Paso Robles, CA	5,869	6,231	6,669	7.0	24,453	25,592	26,932	135
Madison, WI	13,090	13,737	14,679	6.9	31,152	32,456	34,301	30	Santa Barbara—Santa Maria—Lompoc, CA	11,416	12,132	13,085	7.9	28,920	30,567	32,734	38
Mansfield, OH	3,826	3,908	4,101	4.9	21,746	22,156	23,347	249	Santa Cruz—Watsonville, CA*	7,686	8,398	9,610	14.4	30,636	33,107	37,567	17
McAllen—Edinburg—Mission, TX	6,720	7,105	7,659	7.8	12,492	12,782	13,344	318	Santa Fe, NM	4,226	4,395	4,626	5.2	29,261	30,007	31,249	55
Medford—Ashland, OR	4,005	4,246	4,468	5.2	22,670	23,687	24,563	209	Santa Rosa, CA	13,452	14,202	15,046	13.0	30,168	31,321	34,863	26
Melbourne—Titusville—Palm Bay, FL	11,116	11,374	12,261	7.8	23,772	24,090	25,650	171	Sarasota—Bradenton, FL	19,092	19,594	20,503	4.6	33,319	33,672	34,577	29
Memphis, TN—AR—MS	30,687	31,775	33,329	4.9	27,625	28,222	29,275	84	Savannah, GA	7,316	7,601	8,008	5.4	25,362	26,066	27,289	128
Merced, CA	3,545	3,742	3,924	4.9	17,528	18,100	18,536	311	Scranton—Wilkes-Barre—Hazleton, PA	14,638	14,950	15,708	5.1	23,206	23,827	25,191	188
Miami, FL*	52,180	54,395	57,356	5.4	23,935	24,492	25,320	183	Seattle—Bellevue—Everett, WA*	84,997	93,159	98,384	5.6	35,880	38,858	40,686	8
Middlesex—Somerset—Huntingdon, NJ*	43,472	45,564	49,749	9.2	38,155	39,393	42,392	5	Sharon, PA	2,559	2,623	2,774	5.8	21,107	21,720	23,080	263
Milwaukee—Waukesha, WI*	44,776	46,566	48,860	4.9	30,032	31,122	32,538	39	Sheboygan, WI	2,895	3,031	3,190	5.3	25,852	27,039	28,278	104
Minneapolis—St. Paul, MN—WI	96,082	101,215	109,236	7.9	33,308	34,518	36,666	19	Sherman—Denison, TX	2,306	2,426	2,597	7.1	21,546	22,218	23,400	247
Missoula, MT	2,093	2,161	2,315	7.1	22,307	22,802	24,111	227	Shreveport—Bossier City, LA	8,780	9,031	9,404	4.1	22,529	23,083	23,972	333
Mobile, AL	11,393	11,774	12,280	4.3	21,378	21,930	22,677	274	Shreveport—Bossier City, LA	8,780	9,031	9,404	4.1	22,529	23,083	23,972	333
Modesto, CA	9,178	9,650	10,302	6.8	21,407	22,001	22,889	268	Sioux City, IA—NE	2,933	2,974	3,091	3.9	23,791	24,008	24,902	192
Monmouth—Ocean, NJ*	35,161	36,478	39,362	7.9	31,952	32,721	34,812	28	Sioux Falls, SD	4,671	4,958	5,322	7.3	28,406	29,413	30,675	64
Monroe, LA	3,109	3,258	3,396	4.2	21,055	22,135	23,061	265	South Bend, IN	6,727	6,930	7,261	4.8	25,495	26,156	27,335	127
Montgomery, AL	7,860	8,251	8,584	4.0	23,899	24,915	25,740	167	Spokane, WA	9,650	9,977	10,692	7.2	23,336	24,015	25,550	176
Muncie, IN	2,735	2,813	2,952	5.0	22,889	23,683	24,877	195	Springfield, IL	5,541	5,695	5,976	4.9	27,466	28,286	29,651	75
Myrtle Beach, SC	4,043	4,309	4,616	7.1	21,737	22,461	23,315	252	Springfield, MO	7,296	7,561	8,000	5.8	23,032	23,510	24,473	215
Naples, FL	8,951	9,538	10,198	6.9	38,357	38,916	40,121	10	Springfield, MA (NECMA)	15,250	15,780	16,832	6.7	25,173	25,990	27,653	117
Nashville, TN	34,143	35,748	38,263	7.0	28,598	29,429	30,962	56	State College, PA	3,080	3,251	3,428	5.4	22,871	24,026	25,237	185
Nassau—Suffolk, NY*	101,028	105,063	111,360	6.0	37,229	38,387	40,353	9	Steubenville—Weirton, OH—WV	2,751	2,785	2,891	3.8	20,426	20,893	21,969	289
New Haven—Bridgeport—Stamford—Danbury—Waterbury, CT	71,036	74,358	79,510	6.9	42,134	43,806	46,542	3	Stockton—Lodi, CA	11,542	12,297	13,209	7.4	21,364	22,261	23,242	258
New London—Norwich, CT (NECMA)	7,690	7,918	8,235	4.0	29,967	30,741	31,745	49	Sumter, SC	1,964	2,040	2,148	5.3	18,620	19,464	20,493	306
New Orleans, LA	33,225	33,710	34,842	3.4	24,878	25,187	26,056	161	Syracuse, NY	17,807	18,316	19,126	4.4	24,260	25,010	26,130	158
New York, NY*	321,204	337,522	365,961	8.4	35,123	36,504	39,259	15	Tacoma, WA*	16,548	17,219	18,004	4.6	24,371	24,859	25,587	173
Newark, NJ*	72,871	75,398	81,529	8.1	36,321	37,298	40,061	11	Tallahassee, FL	6,569	6,864	7,237	5.4	23,649	24,429	25,382	181
Newburgh, NY—PA*	9,167	9,590	10,211	6.5	24,411	25,125	26,211	155	Tampa—St. Petersburg—Clearwater, FL	61,218	63,331	67,824	7.1	26,197	26,732	28,214	105
Norfolk—Virginia Beach—Newport News, VA—NC	37,362	38,836	41,180	6.0	24,154	24,929	26,159	157	Terre Haute, IN	3,173	3,265	3,424	4.9	21,192	21,844	22,977	266
Oakland, CA	78,163	84,680	95,167	12.4	33,581	35,819	39,611	13	Texarkana, TX—Texarkana, AR	2,564	2,673	2,808	5.0	19,916	20,647	21,636	291
Ocala, FL	5,251	5,448	5,780	6.1	20,996	21,31											