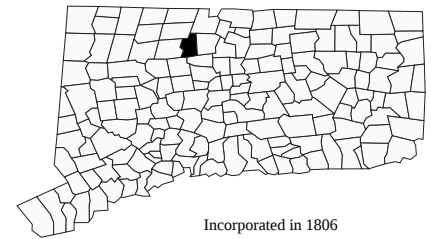


Canton, Connecticut

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Belongs To
Hartford County
LMA Hartford
Capitol Area Economic Dev. Region
Capitol Region Planning Area



Incorporated in 1806

Demographics

Population (2010-2014)

	Town	County	State
2000	8,840	857,183	3,405,565
2010	10,292	894,014	3,574,097
2014	10,334	897,374	3,592,053
2020	11,279	925,492	3,702,469
'14 - '20 Growth / Yr	1.4%	0.5%	0.5%

	Town	County	State
Land Area (sq. miles)	25	735	4,842
Pop./Sq. Mile (2010)	420	1,221	742
Median Age (2010-2014)	45	40	40
Households (2010-2014)	4,023	348,204	1,356,206
Med. HH Inc. (2010-2014)	\$89,452	\$65,499	\$69,899

Age Distribution (2010-2014)

	0-4		5-14		15-24		25-44		45-64		65+		Total	
Town	362	4%	1,474	14%	1,206	12%	2,048	20%	3,567	35%	1,677	16%	10,334	100%
County	49,447	6%	112,669	13%	118,286	13%	228,059	25%	253,833	28%	135,080	15%	897,374	100%
State	194,338	5%	452,157	13%	489,981	14%	892,275	25%	1,032,223	29%	531,079	15%	3,592,053	100%

Race/Ethnicity (2010-2014)

	Town	County	State
White	9,462	579,222	2,508,360
Black	51	119,274	365,871
Asian Pacific	88	41,814	145,842
Native American	0	406	1,105
Other/Multi-Race	321	80,332	282,094
Hispanic (Any Race)	625	145,270	512,795

	Town	County	State
Poverty Rate (2010-2014)	3.1%	12.1%	10.5%

Educational Attainment (2010-2014)

	Town	County	State	
High School Graduate	1,503	21%	677,887	28%
Associates Degree	457	6%	180,321	7%
Bachelors or Higher	3,591	49%	908,551	37%

Economics

Business Profile (2014)

Sector	Units	Employment
Total - All Industries	416	3,534
23 - Construction	37	163
31-33 - Manufacturing	8	40
44-45 - Retail Trade	80	1,099
62 - Health Care & Social Assistance	19	325
72 - Accommodation And Food Services	34	515
Total Government	15	424

Top Five Grand List (2012)

	Amount
W/S Peak Canton Properties LLC	\$33,539,420
Connecticut Light & Power	\$14,818,640
Wakefern Food Corp	\$6,259,820
Kohls	\$6,135,500
New Horizons Inc	\$5,191,570
Net Grand List (SFY 2013-2014)	\$1,135,939,550

Major Employers (2014)

ShopRite Supermarket	Cherry Brook Health Care Ctr
The Arc of the Farmington Valley Inc	Dollar Tree Distribution Ctr
Kohl's	

Education

2013-2014 School Year

	Grades	Enrollment
Canton School District	PK-12	1,688

Connecticut Mastery Test Percent Above Goal (2013)

	Grade 3		Grade 4		Grade 8	
	Town	State	Town	State	Town	State
Reading	81.5%	56.9%	79.4%	62.7%	93.7%	76.3%
Math	88.5%	61.6%	81.4%	65.4%	86.6%	65.2%
Writing	83.5%	60.0%	75.5%	63.1%	85.5%	67.3%

Pre-K Enrollment (PSIS)

	2011-2012
Canton School District	27

Rate of Chronic Absenteeism (2012-2013)

	All	K - 3	4 - 8	9 - 12
Connecticut	11.5%	8.9%	9.0%	16.9%
Canton School District	4.5%	4.6%	4.9%	4.0%

4-Year Cohort Graduation Rate (2013-2014)

	All	Female	Male
Connecticut	87.0%	90.0%	84.0%
Canton School District	94.0%	96.0%	91.0%

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Government Form: Selectman - Town Meeting

Total Revenue (2014)	\$38,157,294	Total Expenditures (2014)	\$36,550,907	Annual Debt Service (2014)	\$1,449,696
Tax Revenue	\$30,757,812	Education	\$26,705,326	As % of Expenditures	4.0%
Non-tax Revenue	\$7,399,482	Other	\$9,845,581	Eq. Net Grand List (2014)	\$1,540,795,085
Intergovernmental	\$6,557,094	Total Indebtedness (2014)	\$14,298,994	Per Capita	\$148,941
Per Capita Tax (2014)	\$2,958	As % of Expenditures	39.1%	As % of State Average	103.0%
As % of State Average	109.6%	Per Capita	\$1,382	Moody's Bond Rating (2014)	Aa2
		As % of State Average	59.6%	Actual Mill Rate (2014)	26.91
				Equalized Mill Rate (2014)	19.86
				% of Net Grand List Com/Ind (2014)	12.3%

Housing/Real Estate

Housing Stock (2010-2014)

	Town	County	State
Total Units	4,358	374,455	1,490,381
% Single Unit (2010-2014)	73.0%	55.0%	59.0%
New Permits Auth (2015)	10	892	6,077
As % Existing Units	0.2%	0.2%	0.4%
Demolitions (2015)	1	201	1,230
Home Sales	NA	6,413	26,310
Median Price	\$309,400	\$238,600	\$274,500
Built Pre-1950 share	27.3%	28.6%	29.7%
Owner Occupied Dwellings	3,298	226,557	913,043
As % Total Dwellings	82.0%	65.1%	67.3%
Subsidized Housing (2015)	328	54,471	172,556

Distribution of House Sales

	Town	County	State
Less than \$100,000	NA	804	3,417
\$100,000-\$199,999	NA	2,420	7,522
\$200,000-\$299,999	NA	1,548	6,031
\$300,000-\$399,999	NA	810	3,380
\$400,000 or More	NA	831	5,960

Labor Force

Place of Residence (2014)

	Town	County	State
Labor Force	5,586	471,431	1,885,100
Employed	5,326	439,054	1,760,400
Unemployed	260	32,377	124,700
Unemployment Rate	4.7%	6.9%	6.6%

Connecticut Commuters (2014)

Commuters Into Town From:	Town Residents Commuting To:
Canton	Hartford
Torrington	Canton
Avon	Farmington
Bristol	Simsbury
New Hartford	West Hartford
Simsbury	Avon
Farmington	Bloomfield

Place of Work (2014)

	Town	County	State
Units	416	26,578	114,608
Total Employment	3,534	500,863	1,653,545
2011-'14 AAGR	32.1%	33.4%	29.5%
Mfg Employment	40	51,188	159,607

Other Information

Crime Rate (2014)

	Town	State
Per 100,000 residents	826	2,167

Distance to Major Cities

	Miles
Hartford	14
Providence	77
New York City	99
Boston	102
Montreal	256

Residential Utilities

Electric Provider
Eversource Energy (800) 286-2000
Gas Provider
CNG Corp (860) 727-3000
Water Provider
Connecticut Water Company (800) 286-5700
Cable Provider
Comcast Plainville (800) 266-2278

Library (2015)

	Town
Circulation per Capita	14.65
Internet Use per Visit	0.12

Families Receiving (2014)

	Town
Temporary Family Assistance (TFA)	5

Population Receiving (2014)

	Town
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	161