Litchfield, Connecticut

General

ACS, 2020–2024

	Litchfield	State
Current Population	8,260	3,624,508
Land Area *mi²*	56	4,842
Population Density *people per mi²*	147	748
Number of Households	3,566	1,434,007
Median Age	52	41
Median Household Income	$102,609	$95,781
Poverty Rate	5%	10%

Economy

Top Industries

Lightcast, 2024 (2 and 3 digit NAICS)

	Jobs	Share of Industry
1 Health Care and Social Assistance	771	
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities		*63%*
2 Government	463	
Local Government		*70%*
3 Accommodation and Food Services	433	
Food Services and Drinking Places		*90%*
4 Educational Services	372	
Educational Services		*100%*
5 Retail Trade	351	
Food and Beverage Stores		*52%*
Total Jobs, All Industries	3,371	

SOTS Business Registrations

Secretary of the State, March 2026

New Business Registrations by Year

Year	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Total	113	99	131	125	103

Total Active Businesses 1,207

Key Employers

Data from Municipalities, 2026

1. Arethusa Farm
2. Stop & Shop Supermarket
3. Brandywine Assisted Living
4. Regional School District 20
5. EdAdvance

Demographics

ACS, 2020–2024

Age Distribution

		Litchfield	State
Under 10	693	8%	10%
10 to 19	697	8%	13%
20 to 29	895	11%	13%
30 to 39	675	8%	13%
40 to 49	961	12%	12%
50 to 59	1,267	15%	14%
60 to 69	1,481	18%	13%
70 to 79	1,001	12%	8%
80 and over	590	7%	5%

Race and Ethnicity

	Litchfield	State
Asian	3%	5%
Black	<1%	10%
Hispanic or Latino/a	5%	18%
White	85%	62%
Other	7%	5%

Hispanic includes those of any race. Remaining racial groups include only non-hispanic. 'Other' includes American Indian, Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian, Pacific Islander, two or more races.

Language Spoken at Home

	Litchfield	State
English	77	92%
Spanish	1	13%

Educational Attainment

	Litchfield	State
High School Diploma Only	24	25%
Associate Degree	8	11%
Bachelor's Degree	23	26%
Master's Degree or Higher	18	19%

Housing

ACS, 2020–2024

	Litchfield	State
Median Home Value	$391,900	$366,900
Median Rent	$1,076	$1,488
Housing Units	4,230	1,541,822

	Litchfield	State
Owner-Occupied	66	81%
Detached or Semi-Detached	65	87%
Vacant	7	16%

Schools

CT Department of Education, 2025-26

School Districts

	Available Grades	Total Enrollment	Pre-K Enrollment	4-Year Grad Rate (2023-24)

Smarter Balanced Assessments

Met or Exceeded Expectations, 2024-25

	Math	ELA

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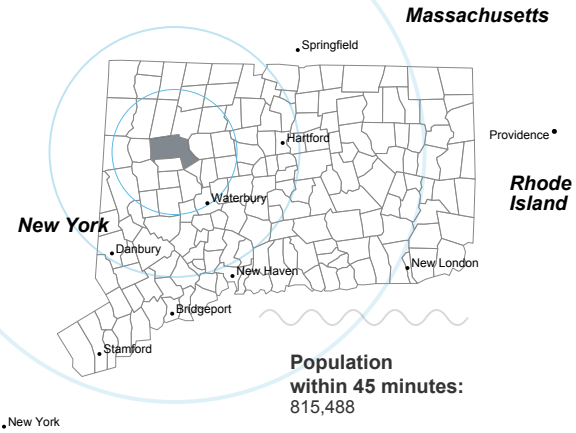
Labor Force

CT Department of Labor, 2025

	Litchfield	State
Employed	4,352	1,869,450
Unemployed	145	76,777
Unemployment Rate	3	4%
Self-Employment Rate*	10	18%

*ACS, 2020–2024

Catchment Areas of 15mi, 30mi, and 60mi



Population within 45 minutes: 815,488

Access

ACS, 2020–2024

	Litchfield	State
Mean Commute Time *	25 min	26 min
No Access to a Car	3	9%
No Internet Access	6	6%

Commute Mode

Public Transport	1	3%
Walking or Cycling	3	6%
Driving	69	77%
Working From Home *	16	23%

Public Transit

CT*transit* Service	-
Other Public Bus Operations	Northwestern Connecticut Transit District
Train Service	-

** 5 year estimates include Covid-19 pandemic data*

Fiscal Indicators

CT Office of Policy and Management, State FY 2022-23

Municipal Revenue

Total Revenue	$36,806,114
Property Tax Revenue	$29,836,343
per capita	$3,598
per capita, as % of state avg.	107%
Intergovernmental Revenue	$5,308,554
Revenue to Expenditure Ratio	105%

Municipal Expenditure

Total Expenditure	$34,977,950
Educational	$22,877,696
Other	$12,100,254

Grand List

Equalized Net Grand List	$2,112,090,442
per capita	$254,684
per capita, as % of state avg.	127%
Commercial/Industrial Share of Net Grand List	12%
Actual Mill Rate	26.80
Equalized Mill Rate	14.08

Municipal Debt

Moody's Rating (2025)	Aa2
S&P Rating (2025)	AA+
Total Indebtedness	$19,565,000
per capita	$2,359
per capita, as % of state avg.	80%
as percent of expenditures	56%
Annual Debt Service	$4,057,958
as % of expenditures	12%

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