Monroe, Connecticut

General

ACS, 2020–2024

	Monroe	State
Current Population	18,949	3,624,508
Land Area *mi²*	26	4,842
Population Density *people per mi²*	727	748
Number of Households	6,209	1,434,007
Median Age	44	41
Median Household Income	$157,250	$95,781
Poverty Rate	3%	10%

Economy

Top Industries

Lightcast, 2024 (2 and 3 digit NAICS)

	Jobs	Share of Industry
1 Health Care and Social Assistance	883	
Social Assistance		*42%*
2 Government	882	
Local Government		*97%*
3 Accommodation and Food Services	872	
Food Services and Drinking Places		*100%*
4 Retail Trade	865	
Food and Beverage Stores		*33%*
5 Manufacturing	817	
Transportation Equip Mfg		*47%*
Total Jobs, All Industries	5,606	

SOTS Business Registrations

Secretary of the State, March 2026

New Business Registrations by Year

Year	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Total	208	246	271	257	254

Total Active Businesses 2,205

Key Employers

Data from Municipalities, 2026

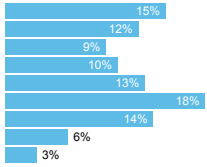
1. Victorinox Swiss Army
2. Biomerics NLE, LLC
3. Sippin Energy Products
4. Church Hill Classics LTD
5. Production Metals

Demographics

ACS, 2020–2024

Age Distribution

		State
Under 10	2,795	10%
10 to 19	2,318	13%
20 to 29	1,753	13%
30 to 39	1,957	13%
40 to 49	2,435	12%
50 to 59	3,483	14%
60 to 69	2,577	13%
70 to 79	1,091	8%
80 and over	540	5%



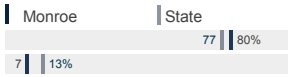
Race and Ethnicity

	State
Asian	5%
Black	10%
Hispanic or Latino/a	18%
White	62%
Other	5%

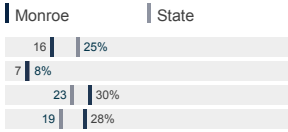


Hispanic includes those of any race. Remaining racial groups include only non-hispanic. 'Other' includes American Indian, Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian, Pacific Islander, two or more races.

Language Spoken at Home



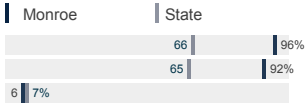
Educational Attainment



Housing

ACS, 2020–2024

	Monroe	State
Median Home Value	$503,200	$366,900
Median Rent	$994	$1,488
Housing Units	6,589	1,541,822



Schools

CT Department of Education, 2025-26

School Districts

	Available Grades	Total Enrollment	Pre-K Enrollment	4-Year Grad Rate (2023-24)
Monroe School District	PK-12	3,413	79	96%
Statewide	-	497,764	20,604	89%

Smarter Balanced Assessments

Met or Exceeded Expectations, 2024-25

	Math	ELA
Monroe School District	63%	74%
Statewide	46%	50%

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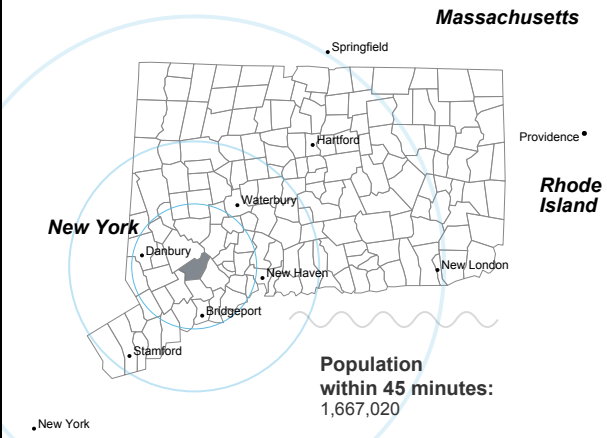
Labor Force

CT Department of Labor, 2025

	Monroe	State
Employed	10,434	1,869,450
Unemployed	362	76,777
Unemployment Rate	3 4%	
Self-Employment Rate*	10 11%	

*ACS, 2020–2024

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



Population within 45 minutes: 1,667,020

Access

ACS, 2020–2024

	Monroe	State
Mean Commute Time *	34 min	26 min
No Access to a Car	3 9%	
No Internet Access	4 6%	

Commute Mode

Public Transport	3 3%
Walking or Cycling	1 3%
Driving	77 81%
Working From Home *	15 16%

Public Transit

CT*transit* Service	-
Other Public Bus Operations	-
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	$108,956,597
Property Tax Revenue	$84,771,078
per capita	$4,502
per capita, as % of state avg.	134%
Intergovernmental Revenue	$19,829,623
Revenue to Expenditure Ratio	106%

Municipal Expenditure

Total Expenditure	$103,078,304
Educational	$74,051,861
Other	$29,026,443

Grand List

Equalized Net Grand List	$4,311,557,848
per capita	$228,961
per capita, as % of state avg.	115%
Commercial/Industrial Share of Net Grand List	12%
Actual Mill Rate	32.46
Equalized Mill Rate	19.66

Municipal Debt

Moody's Rating (2025)	Aa2
S&P Rating (2025)	AAA
Total Indebtedness	$25,974,648
per capita	$1,379
per capita, as % of state avg.	47%
as percent of expenditures	25%
Annual Debt Service	$6,099,133
as % of expenditures	6%

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