Thompson, Connecticut

General

ACS, 2020–2024

	Thompson	State
Current Population	9,337	3,624,508
Land Area *mi²*	47	4,842
Population Density *people per mi²*	199	748
Number of Households	4,130	1,434,007
Median Age	54	41
Median Household Income	$93,629	$95,781
Poverty Rate	6%	10%

Economy

Top Industries

Lightcast, 2024 (2 and 3 digit NAICS)

	Jobs	Share of Industry
1 Government	725	
Local Government		*80%*
2 Health Care and Social Assistance	314	
Social Assistance		*42%*
3 Accommodation and Food Services	240	
Food Services and Drinking Places		*88%*
4 Manufacturing	189	
Paper Mfg		*61%*
5 Other Services (except Public Admin)	158	
Repair and Maintenance		*38%*
Total Jobs, All Industries	2,219	

SOTS Business Registrations

Secretary of the State, March 2026

New Business Registrations by Year

Year	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Total	62	49	75	54	63

Total Active Businesses 479

Key Employers

Data from Municipalities, 2026

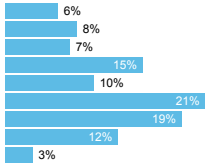
1. Ivanhoe Tool & Die Company
2. Nutmeg Container (a Unicorr company)
3. Numa Tool
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Demographics

ACS, 2020–2024

Age Distribution

		State
Under 10	528	10%
10 to 19	719	13%
20 to 29	650	13%
30 to 39	1,377	13%
40 to 49	889	12%
50 to 59	2,003	14%
60 to 69	1,768	13%
70 to 79	1,129	8%
80 and over	274	5%



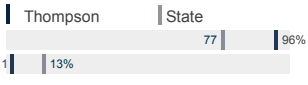
Race and Ethnicity

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

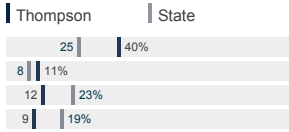


Hispanic includes those of any race. Remaining racial groups include only non-hispanic. 'Other' includes American Indian, Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian, Pacific Islander, two or more races.

Language Spoken at Home



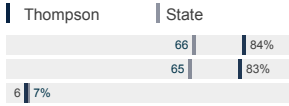
Educational Attainment



Housing

ACS, 2020–2024

	Thompson	State
Median Home Value	$291,900	$366,900
Median Rent	$1,012	$1,488
Housing Units	4,417	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)
Thompson School District	PK-12	794	42	90%
Statewide	-	497,764	20,604	89%

Smarter Balanced Assessments

Met or Exceeded Expectations, 2024-25

	Math	ELA
Thompson School District	45%	52%
Statewide	46%	50%

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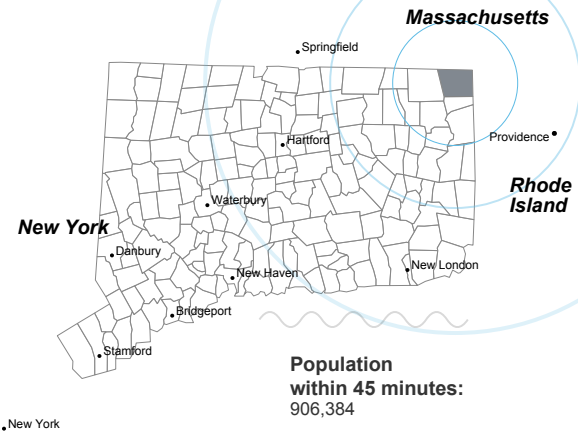
Labor Force

CT Department of Labor, 2025

	Thompson	State
Employed	5,352	1,869,450
Unemployed	233	76,777
Unemployment Rate	4	4%
Self-Employment Rate*	10	12%

*ACS, 2020–2024

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



Population within 45 minutes: 906,384

Access

ACS, 2020–2024

	Thompson	State
Mean Commute Time *	31 min	26 min
No Access to a Car	5	9%
No Internet Access	6	7%

Commute Mode

Public Transport	0	3%
Walking or Cycling	1	3%
Driving	77	86%
Working From Home *	13	16%

Public Transit

CT*transit* Service	-
Other Public Bus Operations	Northeastern 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	$30,666,118
Property Tax Revenue	$19,044,913
per capita	$2,029
per capita, as % of state avg.	60%
Intergovernmental Revenue	$10,317,069
Revenue to Expenditure Ratio	102%

Municipal Expenditure

Total Expenditure	$30,153,901
Educational	$22,573,358
Other	$7,580,543

Grand List

Equalized Net Grand List	$1,492,967,401
per capita	$159,080
per capita, as % of state avg.	80%
Commercial/Industrial Share of Net Grand List	6%
Actual Mill Rate	25.02
Equalized Mill Rate	12.63

Municipal Debt

Moody's Rating (2025)	-
S&P Rating (2025)	-
Total Indebtedness	$7,980,933
per capita	$850
per capita, as % of state avg.	29%
as percent of expenditures	26%
Annual Debt Service	$1,391,634
as % of expenditures	5%

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