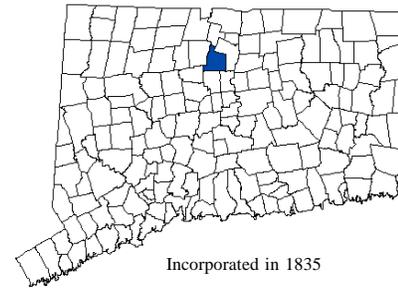


Bloomfield

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Incorporated in 1835

Demographics

<i>Population (2001)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Race/Ethnicity (2001)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>
1990	19,483	851,783	3,287,116	White	10,913	728,107	2,997,210
2000	19,587	857,183	3,405,565	Black	8,145	79,681	266,880
2001	19,627	856,898	3,414,784	Asian Pacific	275	13,434	52,248
2006	19,626	861,278	3,465,947	Native American	39	1,384	6,660
'01-'06 Growth (AAGR)	0.00%	0.10%	0.30%	Hispanic (any race)	707	99,382	318,289
Land Area (sq. miles)	26	735	5,009	<i>Poverty Rate (1990)</i>	4.1%	7.9%	6.6%
Pop./ Sq. Mile (2001)	755	1,165	682	<i>Educational Attainment (1990)</i>			
Per Capita Inc. (2001)	\$35,360	\$29,930	\$32,317	Persons Age 25 or Older	<i>Town</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>State</i>
Households (2001)	7,581	328,503	1,285,210	High School Graduate	3,921	27.7%	648,366 29.6%
Median Age (2001)	42	37	37	Some College	3,203	22.6%	495,696 22.6%
				Bachelors or More	4,381	31.0%	597,693 27.3%
<i>Age Distribution (2001)</i>							
	<i>0-4</i>	<i>5-17</i>	<i>18-24</i>	<i>25-49</i>	<i>50-64</i>	<i>65+</i>	<i>Total</i>
Male	502 3%	1,492 8%	714 4%	3,166 16%	1,610 8%	1,611 8%	9,095
Female	484 3%	1,518 8%	611 3%	3,640 19%	1,918 10%	2,361 12%	10,532
County Total	52,997 6%	148,475 17%	69,665 8%	320,036 37%	136,713 16%	129,012 15%	856,898
State Total	213,561 6%	597,220 17%	279,666 8%	1,294,651 38%	544,994 16%	484,692 14%	3,414,784

Economics

<i>Business Profile (2001)</i>	<i>% of Firms</i>	<i>% of Total</i>	<i>% of Emp.</i>	<i>% of Total</i>	<i>Top Five Grand List (2001)</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>% of Net</i>
Agriculture	46	3.8%	269	1.8%	Connecticut General Life Ins. Co.	\$142,134,375	
Const. and Mining	141	11.6%	1,104	7.5%	Kaman Corporation	\$20,018,474	
Manufacturing	98	8.1%	4,902	33.2%	Connecticut Light & Power	\$18,840,631	
Trans. and Utilities	52	4.3%	329	2.2%	Jacobs Vehicle Systems, Inc.	\$18,694,268	
Trade	241	19.9%	2,281	15.4%	JDS Uniphase	\$13,050,214	
Finance, Ins. and Real Estate	112	9.2%	725	4.9%	Net Grand List ()		
Services	507	41.8%	5,092	34.4%	<i>Top Five Major Employers (1997)</i>		
Government	15	1.2%	83	0.6%	CIGNA	Power Systems Inc.	
Total	1,212	100.0%	14,785	100.0%	Kaman Corporation	The J M Ney Co.	
					Jacobs Manufacturing		
					<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	
					Retail Sales (1999)	\$796,398,021	\$76,264,820,474

Education

<i>1995-1996 School Year</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Connecticut Mastery Test: Percent Above Goal</i>					
Total Students	2,538	461,203	Grade 4		Grade 6		Grade 8	
Total Expenditures Per Pupil	\$9,263	\$8,300	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>
Average Teacher's Salary	\$47,798	\$48,598	Reading	55 55	42 60	46 64		
Students Attending Public School	81.9%	89.2%	Math	61 59	33 59	25 51		
Student/Teacher Ratio	14.5	14.5	Writing	53 46	48 46	39 51		
Grads Pursuing Post-Sec. Education	85.3%	75.8%	<i>Average SAT Score</i>					
High School Dropout Rate	4.9%	4.6%	Verbal		446		503	
<i>Average Class Size</i>			Math		440		499	
Kindergarten 19.8	Grade 2 21.2							
Grade 5 22.6	Grade 7 25.9	High School 19.2						

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Government

Government Form	Council-Manager	Annual Debt Service (1999)	\$1,642,173
		As % of Expenditures	3.8%
Total Revenue (1999)	\$43,976,875	Total Expenditures (1999)	\$42,779,308
Tax Revenue	\$35,550,743	Education	\$24,237,953
Non-tax Revenue	\$8,426,132	Other	\$18,541,355
Intergovernmental	\$6,635,386	Total Indebtness (1999)	\$7,041,466
Per Capita Tax (1999)	\$1,866	As % of Expenditures	16.5%
As % of State Average	120.4%	Per Capita	\$370
		As % of State Average	26.8%
		Equalized Grand List (2001)	\$1,801,437,696
		Per Capita	\$94,559
		As % of State Average	0.6%
		Date of Last Revaluation (2001)	2000
		Moody's Bond Rating (1999)	Aa2
		Actual Mill Rate (1999)	24.74
		Equalized Mill Rate (1999)	21.25
		% of Grand List Com/Ind (1999)	29.8%

Housing

Housing Stock (1999)	Town	County	State	Sales Price Distribution (2000)	Town	County	State
Existing Units (total)	8,144	356,060	1,392,233	Number of Sales			
% Single Unit	76.7%	60.0%	63.4%	Less than \$100,000	81	3,502	12,351
New Permits Auth. (1999)	40	2,213	10,794	\$100,001-\$200,000	222	6,882	24,349
As % Existing Units	0.49%	0.62%	0.78%	\$200,001-\$300,000	28	1,887	9,063
Demolitions (1998)	2	1592	2,968	\$300,001-\$400,000	9	583	4,013
Residential Sales (2000)	343	13,318	56,032	\$400,001 or More	3	464	6,256
Average Price	\$128,889	\$154,032	\$219,784	<i>1996 Characteristics</i>			
Median Price	\$113,000	\$117,500	\$135,500	Owner Occupied Dwellings	5,814	203,609	807,559
				Housing Stock Age - Pre-1950	16.6%	32.6%	33.9%
				Subsidized Housing Units	1,067	45,714	148,930

Labor Force

(2000)	Town	County	State	<i>Commuters (1990)</i>			
Labor Force	9,975	424,768	1,746,503	Commuters into Town from	Town Residents Commuting to		
Employed	9,738	414,056	1,707,150	Hartford	2,621	Hartford	3,738
Unemployed	237	10,712	39,353	Bloomfield	2,330	Bloomfield	2,330
Unemployment Rate	2.4%	2.5%	2.3%	West Hartford	1,446	West Hartford	690
Total Employment	18,100	492,770	1,693,400	Massachusetts	1,129	Windsor	479
'92-'00 Growth (AAGR)	1.5%	0.1%	1.3%	Windsor	1,102	East Hartford	434
Manufacturing	5,060	63,320	268,400	Enfield	954	Simsbury	248
				Simsbury	891	Farmington	226
				East Hartford	554	New Britain	187
				Granby	536	Windsor Locks	137

Quality of Life

	Town	State	Library (1999)	Town	<i>Residential Utilities</i>	
Banks (2000)	7	1,183	Total Volumes	103,292	Electric Provider	
Lodging (1998)	0	756	Circulation Per Capita	8.7	Connecticut Light & Power (800) 286-2000	
Day Care Facilities (1999)	8	1,722			Gas Provider	
Infant Mortality Rate Per 1,000 births (1998)	no calc	7.0	<i>Distance to Major Cities</i>	<i>Miles</i>	CNG Corp (860) 727-3000	
Crime Rate (1999) Per 1,000 Residents	27	33	Hartford	5	Water Provider	
% Open Land (1990)	52.2%	68.7%	Boston	95	Municipal Provider	
			New York City	102	Contact local	
Hospitals (1999)	0	9	Providence	68	Cable Provider	
Total Beds	0	2,642			TCI Cable of Central CT 888-824-2273	