

Table 20. Large Metropolitan Statistical Areas—Population: 1990 to 2010

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Metropolitan statistical area				Change				Rank, 2010
	1990	2000	2010	1990–2000		2000–2010		
				Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
Akron, OH	658	695	703	37	5.7	8	1.2	72
Albany–Schenectady–Troy, NY	810	826	871	16	2.0	45	5.4	58
Albuquerque, NM	599	730	887	130	21.7	157	21.6	57
Allentown–Bethlehem–Easton, PA–NJ	687	740	821	54	7.8	81	10.9	64
Anchorage, AK	266	320	381	54	20.1	61	19.2	133
Ann Arbor, MI	283	323	345	40	14.1	22	6.8	146
Asheville, NC	308	369	425	61	19.9	56	15.1	117
Atlanta–Sandy Springs–Marietta, GA	3,069	4,248	5,269	1,179	38.4	1,021	24.0	9
Atlantic City–Harmonton, NJ	224	253	275	28	12.6	22	8.7	166
Augusta–Richmond County, GA–SC	436	500	557	64	14.7	57	11.4	92
Austin–Round Rock, TX	846	1,250	1,716	404	47.7	467	37.3	35
Bakersfield, CA	545	662	840	117	21.4	178	26.9	62
Baltimore–Towson, MD	2,382	2,553	2,710	171	7.2	157	6.2	20
Baton Rouge, LA	624	706	802	82	13.2	97	13.7	65
Beaumont–Port Arthur, TX	361	385	389	24	6.6	4	0.9	132
Binghamton, NY	264	252	252	–12	–4.6	–1	–0.2	182
Birmingham–Hoover, AL	957	1,052	1,128	96	10.0	76	7.2	49
Boise City–Nampa, ID	320	465	617	145	45.4	152	32.6	86
Boston–Cambridge–Quincy, MA–NH	4,134	4,391	4,552	257	6.2	161	3.7	10
Boulder, CO	209	270	295	61	29.1	25	9.2	160
Bremerton–Silverdale, WA	190	232	251	42	22.3	19	8.3	183
Bridgeport–Stamford–Norwalk, CT	828	883	917	55	6.6	34	3.9	56
Brownsville–Hearlingen, TX	260	335	406	75	28.9	71	21.2	126
Buffalo–Niagara Falls, NY	1,189	1,170	1,136	–19	–1.6	–35	–3.0	47
Canton–Massillon, OH	394	407	404	13	3.3	–3	–0.6	128
Cape Coral–Fort Myers, FL	335	441	619	106	31.6	178	40.3	85
Cedar Rapids, IA	211	237	258	27	12.6	21	8.7	176
Charleston, WV	308	310	304	2	0.6	–5	–1.7	154
Charleston–North Charleston–Summerville, SC	507	549	665	42	8.3	116	21.1	79
Charlotte–Gastonia–Concord, NC–SC	1,025	1,330	1,758	306	29.8	428	32.1	33
Chattanooga, TN–GA	433	477	528	43	10.0	52	10.8	97
Chicago–Joliet–Naperville–Joliet, IL–IN–WI	8,182	9,098	9,461	916	11.2	363	4.0	3
Cincinnati–Middletown, OH–KY–IN	1,845	2,010	2,130	165	8.9	121	6.0	27
Clarksville, TN–KY	189	232	274	43	22.6	42	18.1	168
Cleveland–Elyria–Mentor, OH	2,102	2,148	2,077	46	2.2	–71	–3.3	28
Colorado Springs, CO	409	537	646	128	31.3	108	20.1	82
Columbia, SC	549	647	768	98	17.9	120	18.6	70
Columbus, GA–AL	266	282	295	15	5.7	13	4.6	159
Columbus, OH	1,405	1,613	1,837	208	14.8	224	13.9	32
Corpus Christi, TX	368	403	428	35	9.7	25	6.2	114
Dallas–Fort Worth–Arlington, TX	3,989	5,162	6,372	1,172	29.4	1,210	23.4	4
Davenport–Moline–Rock Island, IA–IL	368	376	380	8	2.1	4	1.0	134
Dayton, OH	844	848	842	4	0.5	–7	–0.8	61
Deltona–Daytona Beach–Ormond Beach, FL	371	443	495	73	19.6	51	11.6	103
Denver–Aurora–Broomfield, CO ¹	1,667	2,179	2,543	512	30.7	364	16.7	21
Des Moines–West Des Moines, IA	416	481	570	65	15.6	88	18.3	88
Detroit–Warren–Livonia, MI	4,249	4,453	4,296	204	4.8	–156	–3.5	12
Duluth, MN–WI	269	275	280	6	2.3	4	1.6	165
Durham–Chapel Hill, NC	345	426	504	82	23.7	78	18.3	102
El Paso, TX	592	680	801	88	14.9	121	17.8	66
Erie, PA	276	281	281	5	1.9	(–)	–0.1	164
Eugene–Springfield, OR	283	323	352	40	14.2	29	8.9	143
Evansville, IN–KY	325	343	359	18	5.5	16	4.6	142
Fayetteville, NC	298	337	366	39	13.1	30	8.8	139
Fayetteville–Springdale–Rogers, AR–MO	239	347	463	108	44.9	116	33.5	109
Flint, MI	430	436	426	6	1.3	–10	–2.4	115
Fort Collins–Loveland, CO	186	251	300	65	35.1	48	19.1	156
Fort Smith, AR–OK	234	273	299	39	16.7	25	9.3	158
Fort Wayne, IN	354	390	416	36	10.1	26	6.7	121
Fresno, CA	667	799	930	132	19.8	131	16.4	55

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Metropolitan statistical area	Change						Rank, 2010	
				1990–2000		2000–2010		
	1990	2000	2010	Number	Percent	Number		Percent
Gainesville, FL	191	232	264	41	21.5	32	13.7	173
Grand Rapids–Wyoming, MI	646	740	774	95	14.6	34	4.5	69
Greeley, CO	132	181	253	49	37.3	72	39.7	179
Green Bay, WI	244	283	306	39	16.0	24	8.4	153
Greensboro–High Point, NC	540	643	724	103	19.1	80	12.5	71
Greenville–Mauldin–Easley, SC	472	560	637	88	18.6	77	13.8	83
Hagerstown–Martinsburg, MD–WV	193	223	269	30	15.6	46	20.8	172
Harrisburg–Carlisle, PA	474	509	549	35	7.3	40	7.9	93
Hartford–West Hartford–East Hartford, CT	1,124	1,149	1,212	25	2.2	64	5.6	45
Hickory–Lenoir–Morganton, NC	292	342	365	49	16.9	24	6.9	140
Holland–Grand Haven, MI	188	238	264	51	26.9	25	10.7	174
Honolulu, HI	836	876	953	40	4.8	77	8.8	53
Houston–Sugar Land–Baytown, TX	3,767	4,715	5,947	948	25.2	1,231	26.1	6
Huntington–Ashland, WV–KY–OH	288	289	288	(2)	0.2	–1	–0.3	161
Huntsville, AL	293	342	418	49	16.8	75	22.0	120
Indianapolis–Carmel, IN	1,294	1,525	1,756	231	17.8	231	15.2	34
Jackson, MS	447	497	539	50	11.2	42	8.4	96
Jacksonville, FL	925	1,123	1,346	198	21.4	223	19.8	40
Kalamazoo–Portage, MI	293	315	327	21	7.3	12	3.7	148
Kansas City, MO–KS	1,637	1,836	2,035	200	12.2	199	10.9	29
Kennewick–Pasco–Richland, WA	150	192	253	42	27.9	62	32.1	178
Killeen–Temple–Fort Hood, TX	269	331	405	62	23.0	75	22.6	127
Kingsport–Bristol–Bristol, TN–VA	276	298	310	23	8.3	11	3.7	151
Knoxville, TN	535	616	698	81	15.2	82	13.3	75
Lafayette, LA	209	239	274	30	14.5	35	14.5	169
Lakeland–Winter Haven, FL	405	484	602	79	19.4	118	24.4	87
Lancaster, PA	423	471	519	48	11.3	49	10.4	99
Lansing–East Lansing, MI	433	448	464	15	3.5	16	3.6	108
Laredo, TX	133	193	250	60	44.9	57	29.6	184
Las Vegas–Paradise, NV	741	1,376	1,951	634	85.6	576	41.8	30
Lexington–Fayette, KY	348	408	472	60	17.2	64	15.6	106
Lincoln, NE	229	267	302	38	16.5	35	13.3	155
Little Rock–North Little Rock–Conway, AR	535	611	700	76	14.1	89	14.6	74
Los Angeles–Long Beach–Santa Ana, CA	11,274	12,366	12,829	1,092	9.7	463	3.7	2
Louisville/Jefferson County, KY–IN	1,056	1,162	1,284	106	10.0	122	10.5	42
Lubbock, TX	230	250	285	20	8.6	35	14.1	162
Lynchburg, VA	206	229	253	22	10.9	24	10.5	180
Madison, WI	432	502	569	69	16.1	67	13.3	89
Manchester–Nashua, NH	336	381	401	45	13.4	20	5.2	129
McAllen–Edinburg–Mission, TX	384	569	775	186	48.5	205	36.1	68
Memphis, TN–MS–AR	1,067	1,205	1,316	138	12.9	111	9.2	41
Merced, CA	178	211	256	32	18.0	45	21.5	177
Miami–Fort Lauderdale–Pompano Beach, FL	4,056	5,008	5,565	951	23.5	557	11.1	8
Milwaukee–Waukesha–West Allis, WI	1,432	1,501	1,556	69	4.8	55	3.7	39
Minneapolis–St. Paul–Bloomington, MN–WI	2,539	2,969	3,280	430	16.9	311	10.5	16
Mobile, AL	379	400	413	21	5.6	13	3.3	124
Modesto, CA	371	447	514	76	20.6	67	15.1	100
Montgomery, AL	305	347	375	41	13.6	28	8.1	136
Myrtle Beach–North Myrtle Beach–Conway, SC	144	197	269	53	36.5	73	37.0	171
Naples–Marco Island, FL	152	251	322	99	65.3	70	27.9	149
Nashville–Davidson–Murfreesboro–Franklin, TN	1,048	1,312	1,590	264	25.1	278	21.2	38
New Haven–Milford, CT	804	824	862	20	2.5	38	4.7	60
New Orleans–Metairie–Kenner, LA	1,264	1,317	1,168	52	4.1	–149	–13.3	46
New York–Northern New Jersey–Long Island, NY–NJ–PA	16,846	18,323	18,897	1,477	8.8	574	3.1	1
North Port–Bradenton–Sarasota, FL	489	590	702	100	20.5	112	19.0	73
Norwich–New London, CT	255	259	274	4	1.6	15	5.8	167
Ocala, FL	195	259	331	64	32.9	72	28.0	147
Ogden–Clearfield, UT	352	443	547	91	25.8	105	23.6	94
Oklahoma City, OK	971	1,095	1,253	124	12.8	158	14.4	44
Olympia, WA	161	207	252	46	28.6	45	27.7	181
Omaha–Council Bluffs, NE–IA	686	767	865	81	11.8	98	12.8	59
Orlando–Kissimmee–Sanford, FL	1,225	1,645	2,134	420	34.3	490	29.8	26
Oxnard–Thousand Oaks–Ventura, CA	669	753	823	84	12.6	70	9.3	63
Palm Bay–Melbourne–Titusville, FL	399	476	543	77	19.4	67	14.1	95
Pensacola–Ferry Pass–Brent, FL	344	412	449	68	19.7	37	8.9	110
Peoria, IL	359	367	379	8	2.3	12	3.3	135
Philadelphia–Camden–Wilmington, PA–NJ–DE–MD	5,436	5,687	5,965	252	4.6	278	4.9	5
Phoenix–Mesa–Glendale, AZ	2,238	3,252	4,193	1,013	45.3	941	28.9	14
Pittsburgh, PA	2,468	2,431	2,356	–37	–1.5	–75	–3.1	22

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Portland–South Portland–Biddeford, ME.....	441	488	514	46	10.5	27	5.4	101
Portland–Vancouver–Hillsboro, OR–WA.....	1,524	1,928	2,226	404	26.5	298	15.5	23
Port St. Lucie, FL.....	251	319	424	68	27.2	105	32.8	118
Poughkeepsie–Newburgh–Middletown, NY.....	567	622	670	54	9.6	49	7.8	78
Providence–New Bedford–Fall River, RI–MA.....	1,510	1,583	1,601	73	4.8	18	1.1	37
Provo–Orem, UT.....	269	377	527	107	39.9	150	39.8	98
Raleigh–Cary, NC.....	544	797	1,130	253	46.5	333	41.8	48
Reading, PA.....	337	374	411	37	11.0	38	10.1	125
Reno–Sparks, NV.....	257	343	425	86	33.3	83	24.1	116
Richmond, VA.....	949	1,097	1,258	148	15.6	161	14.7	43
Riverside–San Bernardino–Ontario, CA.....	2,589	3,255	4,225	666	25.7	970	29.8	13
Roanoke, VA.....	269	288	309	20	7.4	20	7.1	152
Rochester, NY.....	1,002	1,038	1,054	35	3.5	16	1.6	51
Rockford, IL.....	284	320	349	36	12.9	29	9.1	144
Sacramento–Arden–Arcade–Roseville, CA.....	1,481	1,797	2,149	316	21.3	352	19.6	24
St. Louis, MO–IL ²	2,581	2,699	2,813	118	4.6	114	4.2	18
Salem, OR.....	278	347	391	69	24.9	44	12.5	131
Salinas, CA.....	356	402	415	46	13.0	13	3.3	122
Salt Lake City, UT.....	768	969	1,124	201	26.1	155	16.0	50
San Antonio–New Braunfels, TX.....	1,408	1,712	2,143	304	21.6	431	25.2	25
San Diego–Carlsbad–San Marcos, CA.....	2,498	2,814	3,095	316	12.6	281	10.0	17
San Francisco–Oakland–Fremont, CA.....	3,684	4,124	4,335	440	11.9	212	5.1	11
San Jose–Sunnyvale–Santa Clara, CA.....	1,534	1,736	1,837	202	13.1	101	5.8	31
San Luis Obispo–Paso Robles, CA.....	217	247	270	30	13.6	23	9.3	170
Santa Barbara–Santa Maria–Goleta, CA.....	370	399	424	30	8.0	25	6.1	119
Santa Cruz–Watsonville, CA.....	230	256	262	26	11.3	7	2.7	175
Santa Rosa–Petaling, CA.....	388	459	484	70	18.1	25	5.5	104
Savannah, GA.....	258	293	348	35	13.6	55	18.6	145
Scranton–Wilkes–Barre, PA.....	575	561	564	-15	-2.6	3	0.5	91
Seattle–Tacoma–Bellevue, WA.....	2,559	3,044	3,440	485	18.9	396	13.0	15
Shreveport–Bossier City, LA.....	360	376	399	16	4.5	23	6.0	130
South Bend–Mishawaka, IN–MI.....	297	317	319	20	6.8	3	0.8	150
Spartanburg, SC.....	227	254	284	27	11.9	31	12.0	163
Spokane, WA.....	361	418	471	57	15.7	53	12.7	107
Springfield, MA.....	673	680	693	7	1.0	13	1.9	76
Springfield, MO.....	299	368	437	70	23.3	68	18.6	112
Stockton, CA.....	481	564	685	83	17.3	122	21.6	77
Syracuse, NY.....	660	650	663	-10	-1.5	12	1.9	80
Tallahassee, FL.....	259	320	367	61	23.6	47	14.7	137
Tampa–St. Petersburg–Clearwater, FL.....	2,068	2,396	2,783	328	15.9	387	16.2	19
Toledo, OH.....	654	659	651	5	0.8	-8	-1.2	81
Trenton–Ewing, NJ.....	326	351	367	25	7.7	16	4.5	138
Tucson, AZ.....	667	844	980	177	26.5	137	16.2	52
Tulsa, OK.....	761	860	937	99	12.9	78	9.1	54
Utica–Rome, NY.....	317	300	299	-17	-5.3	(-)	-0.2	157
Vallejo–Fairfield, CA.....	339	395	413	55	16.2	19	4.8	123
Virginia Beach–Norfolk–Newport News, VA–NC.....	1,451	1,576	1,672	126	8.7	95	6.0	36
Visalia–Porterville, CA.....	312	368	442	56	18.0	74	20.2	111
Washington–Arlington–Alexandria, DC–VA–MD–WV.....	4,122	4,796	5,582	674	16.3	786	16.4	7
Wichita, KS.....	511	571	623	60	11.7	52	9.1	84
Wilmington, NC.....	200	275	362	74	37.2	88	32.0	141
Winston–Salem, NC.....	361	422	478	61	16.7	56	13.2	105
Worcester, MA.....	710	751	799	41	5.8	48	6.3	67
York–Hanover, PA.....	340	382	435	42	12.4	53	13.9	113
Youngstown–Warren–Boardman, OH–PA.....	614	603	566	-11	-1.7	-37	-6.2	90

Z Less than 500. ¹ Broomfield County, CO, was formed from parts of Adams, Boulder, Jefferson, and Weld Counties, CO, on November 15, 2001, and is coextensive with Broomfield city. For purposes of defining and presenting data for metropolitan statistical areas, Broomfield city is treated as if it were a county at the time of the 2000 census. ² The portion of Sullivan city in Crawford County, Missouri, is legally part of the St. Louis, MO-IL MSA. Data shown here do not include this area.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 1990 Census, Census 2000, and 2010 Census. See also <<http://www.census.gov/prod/www/abs/decennial>>.