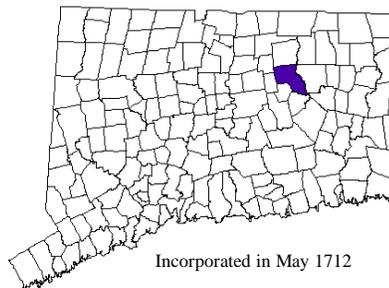


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Incorporated in May 1712

Demographics

<i>Population</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Race/Ethnicity (1990)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>
1990	10,063	128,699	3,287,116	White	9,899	122,785	2,859,353
1995	10,590	129,200	3,289,090	Black	78	2,625	274,269
2000	11,060	132,450	3,316,120	Asian Pacific	25	2,446	50,698
2005	11,510	136,830	3,364,080	Native American	24	221	6,654
				Other	37	622	96,142
'95-'05 Growth	8.7%	5.9%	2.3%	Hispanic origin (may be of any race)	118	2,216	213,116
Land Area	37.7	410.1	4,845.4	<i>Educational Attainment (1990)</i>			
Population per square mile	280.8	315.1	678.8	Persons age 25 or older	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	
Households	3,871	45,360	1,237,000	High school graduate	2,025	648,366	
				Some College	1,859	495,696	
				Bachelors or more	1,796	597,693	
<i>Age Distribution (1995)</i>							
	0-4	5-14	15-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Total
Male	8%	15%	27%	28%	14%	8%	5,337
Female	8%	15%	26%	28%	12%	10%	5,253
State Total	7%	13%	27%	24%	14%	14%	3,289,090

Economics

<i>Number of Establishments (1995)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Top Ten Assessments (1994)</i>	
Manufacturing	4	140	6,068	1. CT Light & Power Co	\$2,728,040
Services	56	944	39,011	2. Algonquin Gas Transmission Co	1,153,270
Trade - Retail	24	580	20,251	3. Paxton Dev Grp Ltd Partnership	1,074,080
Trade - Wholesale	10	166	9,858	4. England Louise C	928,200
Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	9	205	8,809	5. Deknatel Inc	896,350
Total Establishments	152	2,744	104,409	6. CT Water Company	891,970
Per Capita Income	\$23,037	\$23,307	\$30,303	7. PLB Properties Inc	886,130
Retail Sales (thousands)	\$18,279	\$27,231,413		8. England Louise Etal	859,110
				9. Warner ,Charles W Co	815,710
				10. Heckler, Alfred	799,820
				As % of Grand List	1.9

Education

Grade organization (number of schools): K-4 (2), 5-8, 9-12

1994-1995 School Year

Total students	1,862
Total expenditures per pupil	\$6,974
Average teacher's salary	\$45,360
Students attending public school	95.1 %
Students in extended day kindergarten	14
Graduates attending four year college	44.4 %

Connecticut Mastery Test Percent Above Goal

	Grade 4	Grade 6	Grade 8
Reading	42.8	63.1	58.3
Math	57.0	50.0	50.4
Writing	36.3	59.7	49.2

Average Class Size

Kindergarten	18.6	Grade 5	23.6	High School	21.4
Grade 2	21.5	Grade 7	27.0		

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Government

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1993-1994		Total Expenditures	\$17,111,879	Equalized Grand List	\$581,322,284
Total revenue	\$17,125,350	Education	\$10,850,855	Per capita	\$53,707
Tax revenue	\$9,268,073	Other	\$6,261,024	As % of state average	68.6
Non-tax revenue	\$7,857,277	Total Indebtness	\$8,914,582	Date of last revaluation	10/1/91
Intergovernmental	43.2%	As % of expenditures	52.1	Moody's Bond Rating	A
Per capita tax	\$856	Per capita	\$824	Actual mill rate	21.50
As % of state average	42.9	As % of state average	42.8	Equalized mill rate	15.88
		Annual Debt Service	\$1,682,844	Voting districts	3
		As % of expenditures	9.8		

Housing

1994				<i>Sales Price Distribution</i>			
<i>Housing Stock</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>	Number of Sales	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>
Existing Units (total)	4,190	48,487	1,351,825	Less than \$75,000	41	473	11,328
% Single unit detached	90.9	72.1	62.4	\$75,001-\$150,000	128	914	19,828
New Permits Authorized (total)	66	507	9,439	\$150,001-\$250,000	37	371	11,132
% Single unit detached	100.0	97.0	80.6	\$250,001-\$400,000	1	41	4,662
As % of Existing Units	1.6	1.0	0.7	\$400,001 or more	0	7	3,137
<i>Residential Sales</i>							
Number	207	1,806	50,087				
Average price	\$112,332	\$113,894	\$171,382				
Median price	\$112,500	\$115,000	\$126,000				

Labor Force

1994	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Commuters (1990)</i>		
Labor Force	5,923	70,294	1,726,000	Commuters into Town from	Town Residents Commuting to	
Employed	5,600	66,842	1,630,000	1. Coventry	565	Hartford 940
Unemployed	323	3,452	96,000	2. Mansfield	61	Manchester 843
Unemployment Rate	5.5%	4.9%	5.6%	3. Windham	61	Coventry 565
Total Employment	1,010	34,220	1,538,980	4. Manchester	59	Windham 420
Manufacturing	30	3,900	270,250	5. Willington	52	East Hartford 411
				6. Bolton	42	Mansfield 364
				7. Andover	22	South Windsor 214
				8. Columbia	22	Vernon 209
				9. Tolland	19	Windsor 182
				10. Killingly	18	Tolland 106

Quality of Life

1995	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Library (1993-1994)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>Residential Utilities (1995)</i>	
Miles to State Capitol	19		Total books and serials	36,828	Electric Company	
Visitor Attractions	6	488	Weekly hours open	34	CT Light and Power	
Banks	3	1,188	Circulation per capita	9.4	Typical basic rate	\$9.00 + 10.599c/kwh
Lodging	4	467	Crime rate (1994)		Typical heat rate	\$10.50 + 9.648c/kwh
Number of units	13	26,540	per 1,000 residents	16.9	Gas Company	No Natural Gas Service
Day Care Facilities	5	1,669	Hospitals in county (1995)	2	Typical rate	
			Total beds	191		N/A