

# Naugatuck

## Connecticut

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*Belongs to*  
New Haven County  
Waterbury Labor Market Area  
Naugatuck Valley Economic Dev. Region  
Central Naugatuck Valley Planning Area

Incorporated in 1844

### Demographics

<i>Population (1998)</i>				<i>Race/Ethnicity (1998)</i>			
	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>		<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>
1980	26,462	761,337	3,107,580	White	27,843	627,554	2,648,212
1990	30,625	804,219	3,287,116	Black	659	82,801	274,213
1998	30,195	790,961	3,271,239	Asian Pacific	383	2,378	73,304
2003	29,989	784,332	3,272,149	Native American	70	1,358	5,952
'98-'03 Growth	-0.68%	-0.84%	0.03%	Other	69	1,278	5,336
				Hispanic (any race)	1,171	63,019	264,222
Land Area (sq. miles)	16.39	605.79	4,845	<i>Poverty Rate (1990)</i>	4.22%	7.86%	6.61%
Pop./ Sq. Mile (1998)	1,842.28	1,305.67	653	<i>Educational Attainment (1990)</i>			
Per Capita Inc. (1998)	\$22,001	\$23,237	\$27,078	Persons Age 25 or Older	<i>Town</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>State</i>
Households (1998)	11,191	299,905	1,229,087	High School Graduate	6,880	35.0%	648,366
Median Age (1997)	34.8	36.9	37.2	Some College	5,201	26.5%	495,696
				Bachelors or More	3,362	17.1%	597,693
<i>Age Distribution (1998)</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	1,228 8%	3,046 21%	1,221 8%	5,982 41%	1,945 13%	1,347 9%	14,769
Female	1,198 8%	2,840 18%	1,162 8%	6,082 39%	2,008 13%	2,136 14%	15,426
County Total	52,870 7%	133,675 17%	69,164 9%	300,354 38%	114,260 14%	120,638 15%	790,961
State Total	216,119 7%	550,400 17%	280,101 9%	1,257,928 38%	499,093 15%	467,598 14%	3,271,239

### Economics

<i>Business Profile (1997)</i>					<i>Top Five Grand List (1997)</i>		
<i>Sector</i>	<i>Firms</i>	<i>% of Total</i>	<i>Emp.</i>	<i>% of Total</i>		<i>Amount</i>	<i>% of Total</i>
Agriculture	13	1.4%	69	0.8%	Uniroyal	\$18,523,430	3.42%
Const. and Mining	186	20.3%	623	7.1%	Connecticut Water Company	\$14,794,940	2.73%
Manufacturing	70	7.6%	2,990	34.3%	Hershey Foods	\$9,112,080	1.68%
Trans. And Utilities	24	2.6%	440	5.0%	Connecticut Light & Power Company	\$6,066,580	1.12%
Trade	226	24.6%	1,929	22.1%	General Datacomm	\$4,956,900	0.92%
Finance, Ins. and Real Estate	57	6.2%	394	4.5%	Grand List Total (1996)	\$540,963,840	
Services	335	36.5%	2,044	23.4%	<i>Top Five Major Employers (1997)</i>		
Government	7	0.8%	229	2.6%	UniRoyal	Naugatuck Glass Co.	
Total	918	100.0%	8,718	100.0%	General Data Com	Lewis Energy	
					Peter Paul Hershey		
						<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>
					<i>Retail Sales (1996)</i>	\$104,608,314	\$30,837,967,729

### Education

<i>1995-1996 School Year</i>				<i>Connecticut Mastery Test Percent Above Goal</i>						
	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>		Grade 4		Grade 6		Grade 8		
				<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	
Total Students	5,735	461,203		Reading	51	55	51	60	65	64
Total Expenditures Per Pupil	\$6,909	\$8,300		Math	62	59	48	52	43	51
Average Teacher's Salary	\$52,534	\$48,598		Writing	48	46	50	46	58	51
Students Attending Public School	91.6%	89.2%								
Student/Teacher Ratio	17.6	14.5		<i>Average SAT Score</i>			<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>		
Grads Pursuing Post-Sec. Education	68.9%	75.8%		Verbal			459	503		
High School Dropout Rate	2.9%	4.6%		Math			469	499		
<i>Average Class Size</i>										
Kindergarten 19.3	Grade 2	21.0								
Grade 5 22.8	Grade 7	23.8	High School	24.9						

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## Government

Government Form	Mayor- Council			Annual Debt Service (1996)	\$5,064,785
				As % of Expenditures	7.9%
Total Revenue (1996)	\$62,787,602	Total Expenditures (1996)	\$63,778,829	Equalized Grand List (1996)	\$1,361,143,493
Tax Revenue	\$31,446,921	Education	\$36,055,240	Per Capita	\$43,677
Non-tax Revenue	\$3,902,530	Other	\$27,723,589	As % of State Average	56.0%
Intergovernmental	\$27,438,151	Total Indebtness (1996)	\$32,676,723	Date of Last Revaluation	10/ 1/80
Per Capita Tax (1996)	\$1,009	As % of Expenditures	51.2%	Moody's Bond Rating (1997)	A1
As % of State Average	70.9%	Per Capita	\$1,049	Actual Mill Rate (1997)	55.60
		As % of State Average	100.7%	Equalized Mill Rate (1996)	22.01
				% of Grand List Com/Ind (1995)	14.1%

## Housing

<i>Housing Stock (1997)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Sales Price Distribution (1996)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>
Existing Units (total)	12,395	339,524	1,374,566	Number of Sales			
% Single Unit	58.9%	57.8%	62.9%	Less than \$100,000	213	6,241	22,254
New Permits Auth. (1997)	44	2,030	9,349	\$100,001-\$200,000	225	4,654	20,713
As % Existing Units	0.35%	0.60%	0.68%	\$200,001-\$300,000	7	1,188	6,600
Demolitions (1997)	1	296	1,193	\$300,001-\$400,000	2	262	2,730
Residential Sales (1996)	447	12,512	56,333	\$400,001 or More	0	167	4,036
Average Price	\$105,871	\$136,734	\$194,596	<i>1996 Characteristics</i>			
Median Price	\$119,950	\$122,000	\$138,000	Owner Occupied Dwellings	7,606	191,583	807,559
				Housing Stock Age - Pre-1950	29.1%	36.0%	33.9%
				Subsidized Housing Units	1,227	42,124	148,930

## Labor Force

<i>1997</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Commuters (1990)</i>		
Labor Force	17,127	414,075	1,723,300	Commuters into Town from	Town Residents	Commuting to
Employed	16,159	391,311	1,635,400	1. Naugatuck	3847	Naugatuck 3847
Unemployed	968	22,764	87,900	2. Waterbury	1700	Waterbury 2914
Unemployment Rate	5.7%	5.5%	5.1%	3. Watertown	380	Stratford 588
Total Employment	9,010	354,930	1,581,700	4. Prospect	232	Bridgeport 528
Manufacturing	3,010	60,020	265,850	5. Wolcott	175	Southbury 515
'92-'97 Growth Rate	23.4%	3.5%	4.3%	6. Middlebury	168	Watertown 502
Daytime Population	9,397	371,178	1,740,247	7. Cheshire	102	Shelton 498
				8. Bethany	99	Middlebury 386
				9. Beacon Falls	92	Cheshire 355
				10. Thomaston	89	Danbury 350

## Quality of Life

<i>1997</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Library (1996-1997)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>Residential Utilities</i>
Banks (1997)	9	1,378	Total Volumes	60,511	Electric Provider
Lodging (1997)	1	756	Circulation Per Capita	3.3	Connecticut Light & Power
Day Care Facilities (1998)	8	1,651			1-800-286-2000
Infant Mortality Rate Per 1,000 Res. (1995)	0.358	0.099	<i>Distance to Major Cities</i>	<i>Miles</i>	Gas Provider
Crime Rate (1996) Per 1,000 Residents	25.3	40	Hartford	27	Yankee Gas Company
% Open Land (1990)	65.9%	68.8%	Boston	120	1-800-989-0900
			New York City	73	Water Provider
			Providence	88	Connecticut Water Company
Hospitals (1997)	0	7			1-800-286-5700
Total Beds	0	2,462			Cable Provider
					Tele-Media Company of Western CT
					203-735-9504