

**Annual Estimates of the Population for Massachusetts by Workforce Area
April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006**

Geographic Area	Population Estimates							April 1, 2000		Estimates Base Population April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006	
	July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates Base	Census	Net Change	Percent Change
United States	299,398,484	296,507,061	293,638,158	290,796,023	288,125,973	285,226,284	282,216,952	281,424,602	281,421,906	17,973,882	6.4%
Massachusetts	6,437,193	6,433,367	6,435,995	6,439,592	6,431,247	6,406,727	6,362,604	6,349,105	6,349,097	88,088	1.4%
Berkshire County	131,117	131,783	132,323	132,929	133,256	133,901	134,821	134,953	134,953	-3,836	-2.8%
Boston	590,763	596,638	589,048	587,342	587,224	588,322	589,063	589,144	589,141	1,619	0.3%
Bristol	362,697	362,752	362,951	362,379	360,365	356,879	354,227	353,153	353,153	9,544	2.7%
Brockton	235,679	235,563	235,568	235,632	234,584	232,938	231,597	230,970	230,970	4,709	2.0%
Cape and Islands	250,571	251,853	253,404	254,341	252,821	250,238	247,896	246,737	246,737	3,834	1.6%
Central Mass	560,067	557,700	554,856	552,551	548,595	543,253	536,477	534,441	534,433	25,626	4.8%
Franklin/Hampshire	241,761	241,734	241,611	241,333	240,144	238,551	239,322	239,142	239,140	2,619	1.1%
Greater Lowell	273,401	271,447	271,472	271,087	271,298	271,555	270,340	269,838	270,083	3,563	1.3%
Greater New Bedford	208,778	209,096	209,383	209,269	208,367	206,681	205,937	205,354	205,354	3,424	1.7%
Hampden County	460,520	460,828	460,874	460,829	459,305	456,895	456,630	456,226	456,228	4,294	0.9%
Merrimack Valley	324,564	323,255	323,342	323,650	323,082	321,977	319,424	318,556	318,556	6,008	1.9%
Metro North	731,881	730,083	742,351	751,476	757,013	757,122	744,121	743,216	743,219	-11,335	-1.5%
Metro South/West	889,383	889,041	890,044	890,666	890,620	890,637	884,994	882,953	882,953	6,430	0.7%
North Central Mass	248,510	247,419	246,487	245,743	244,389	242,524	239,876	239,032	238,787	9,478	4.0%
North Shore	411,394	411,006	410,470	411,135	411,628	409,696	406,051	404,863	404,863	6,531	1.6%
South Coastal	516,107	513,169	511,811	509,230	508,556	505,558	501,828	500,527	500,527	15,580	3.1%

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Annual Estimates of the Population for the 30 Largest Cities and Towns in Massachusetts: April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006

Rank In 2006	Geographic Area	Population Estimates							April 1, 2000		Estimates Base Population April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006	
		July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates Base	Census	Net Change	Percent Change
	Massachusetts	6,437,193	6,433,367	6,435,995	6,439,592	6,431,247	6,406,727	6,362,604	6,349,105	6,349,097	88,088	1.4%
1	Boston city	590,763	596,638	589,048	587,342	587,224	588,322	589,063	589,144	589,141	1,619	0.3%
2	Worcester city	175,454	175,559	175,628	175,372	175,091	174,116	173,042	172,648	172,648	2,806	1.6%
3	Springfield city	151,176	151,483	151,771	152,028	151,964	151,510	152,097	152,080	152,082	-904	-0.6%
4	Lowell city	103,229	103,383	103,777	104,213	104,710	105,258	105,261	105,167	105,167	-1,938	-1.8%
5	Cambridge city	101,365	100,318	100,974	101,633	102,180	102,405	101,544	101,303	101,355	62	0.1%
6	Brockton city	94,191	94,538	94,767	95,027	95,232	94,725	94,461	94,304	94,304	-113	-0.1%
7	New Bedford city	92,538	93,021	93,727	94,047	94,130	93,902	93,882	93,768	93,768	-1,230	-1.3%
8	Fall River city	91,474	91,723	92,302	92,716	92,738	92,294	92,092	91,938	91,938	-464	-0.5%
9	Quincy city	91,058	90,102	89,781	88,887	88,970	88,918	88,242	88,025	88,025	3,033	3.4%
10	Lynn city	87,991	88,302	88,854	89,329	89,591	89,565	89,200	89,050	89,050	-1,059	-1.2%
11	Newton city	82,819	83,371	83,897	84,192	83,643	83,922	83,909	83,829	83,829	-1,010	-1.2%
12	Somerville city	74,554	75,212	75,888	76,448	77,009	77,503	77,669	77,657	77,478	-3,103	-4.0%
13	Lawrence city	70,662	70,919	71,350	71,810	72,070	72,184	72,139	72,043	72,043	-1,381	-1.9%
14	Framingham town	64,762	65,235	65,677	66,088	66,440	66,896	66,957	66,910	66,910	-2,148	-3.2%
15	Haverhill city	60,176	59,912	60,059	60,205	59,718	59,596	59,130	58,969	58,969	1,207	2.0%
16	Waltham city	59,352	59,703	59,297	58,781	58,951	59,255	59,268	59,226	59,226	126	0.2%
17	Taunton city	56,074	56,203	56,490	56,681	56,645	56,349	56,101	55,976	55,976	98	0.2%
18	Medford city	55,681	55,798	55,560	55,512	55,462	55,689	55,649	55,638	55,765	43	0.1%
19	Malden city	55,595	56,022	55,407	55,726	56,044	56,371	56,374	56,340	56,340	-745	-1.3%
20	Plymouth town	55,516	54,871	54,468	54,070	53,568	52,869	51,963	51,701	51,701	3,815	7.4%
21	Brookline town	55,241	55,498	56,105	56,536	56,897	57,081	57,127	57,107	57,107	-1,866	-3.3%
22	Chicopee city	54,428	54,589	54,722	54,879	54,806	54,635	54,675	54,653	54,653	-225	-0.4%
23	Weymouth town	53,606	53,699	54,125	54,359	54,575	54,070	54,026	53,988	53,988	-382	-0.7%
24	Peabody city	51,734	50,956	50,014	49,463	49,542	49,002	48,330	48,129	48,129	3,605	7.5%
25	Barnstable Town city	47,380	47,760	48,336	48,694	48,597	48,265	47,992	47,821	47,821	-441	-0.9%
26	Revere city	46,833	45,773	50,325	53,121	54,483	53,109	47,426	47,280	47,283	-447	-0.9%
27	Methuen city	44,259	44,361	44,527	44,610	44,542	44,345	43,923	43,789	43,789	470	1.1%
28	Pittsfield city	43,497	43,832	44,224	44,608	44,925	45,286	45,709	45,787	45,793	-2,290	-5.0%
29	Attleboro city	43,283	43,345	43,385	43,385	43,134	42,618	42,217	42,068	42,068	1,215	2.9%
30	Leominster city	41,549	41,719	41,826	41,874	41,876	41,709	41,402	41,303	41,303	246	0.6%

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Annual Estimates of the Population for Cities and Towns in the Berkshire County Workforce Area April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006

Geographic Area	Population Estimates							April 1, 2000		Estimates Base Population April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006	
	July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates Base	Census	Net Change	Percent Change
United States	299,398,484	296,507,061	293,638,158	290,796,023	288,125,973	285,226,284	282,216,952	281,424,602	281,421,906	17,973,882	6.4%
Massachusetts	6,437,193	6,433,367	6,435,995	6,439,592	6,431,247	6,406,727	6,362,604	6,349,105	6,349,097	88,088	1.4%
Berkshire County WIA	131,117	131,783	132,323	132,929	133,256	133,901	134,821	134,953	134,953	-3,836	-2.8%
Adams Town	8,371	8,451	8,498	8,567	8,627	8,698	8,791	8,809	8,809	-438	-5.0%
Alford Town	398	399	392	393	393	396	399	399	399	-1	-0.3%
Becket Town	1,799	1,785	1,773	1,761	1,745	1,742	1,754	1,755	1,755	44	2.5%
Cheshire Town	3,343	3,355	3,351	3,363	3,373	3,390	3,401	3,401	3,401	-58	-1.7%
Clarksburg Town	1,652	1,662	1,665	1,675	1,676	1,678	1,685	1,686	1,686	-34	-2.0%
Dalton Town	6,657	6,695	6,727	6,758	6,778	6,822	6,882	6,892	6,892	-235	-3.4%
Egremont Town	1,362	1,355	1,346	1,343	1,339	1,341	1,345	1,345	1,345	17	1.3%
Florida Town	676	666	660	664	666	670	675	676	676	0	0.0%
Great Barrington Town	7,437	7,436	7,423	7,432	7,469	7,492	7,523	7,525	7,527	-88	-1.2%
Hancock Town	1,034	1,025	1,011	945	772	724	722	721	721	313	43.4%
Hinsdale Town	1,792	1,810	1,822	1,834	1,843	1,854	1,870	1,872	1,872	-80	-4.3%
Lanesborough Town	2,921	2,951	2,961	2,966	2,969	2,977	2,993	2,994	2,990	-73	-2.4%
Lee Town	5,858	5,881	5,882	5,900	5,901	5,936	5,981	5,987	5,985	-129	-2.2%
Lenox Town	5,159	5,152	5,155	5,176	5,153	5,151	5,095	5,077	5,077	82	1.6%
Monterey Town	963	961	955	949	943	938	937	936	934	27	2.9%
Mount Washington Town	138	135	133	131	130	130	130	130	130	8	6.2%
New Ashford Town	248	247	245	245	247	249	248	247	247	1	0.4%
New Marlborough Town	1,533	1,524	1,512	1,495	1,495	1,502	1,497	1,494	1,494	39	2.6%
North Adams City	13,842	14,001	14,150	14,281	14,399	14,501	14,651	14,681	14,681	-839	-5.7%
Otis Town	1,392	1,392	1,381	1,370	1,365	1,358	1,365	1,365	1,365	27	2.0%
Peru Town	846	837	822	815	809	813	820	821	821	25	3.0%
Pittsfield City	43,497	43,832	44,224	44,608	44,925	45,286	45,709	45,787	45,793	-2,290	-5.0%
Richmond Town	1,604	1,619	1,628	1,619	1,609	1,604	1,605	1,604	1,604	0	0.0%
Sandisfield Town	840	831	822	822	822	821	824	824	824	16	1.9%
Savoy Town	729	725	719	716	711	706	706	705	705	24	3.4%
Sheffield Town	3,367	3,363	3,356	3,356	3,331	3,328	3,336	3,335	3,335	32	1.0%
Stockbridge Town	2,259	2,255	2,247	2,250	2,255	2,261	2,274	2,276	2,276	-17	-0.7%
Tyringham Town	348	352	355	358	361	355	351	350	350	-2	-0.6%
Washington Town	548	545	542	540	540	540	544	544	544	4	0.7%
West Stockbridge Town	1,459	1,451	1,449	1,446	1,437	1,431	1,420	1,416	1,416	43	3.0%
Williamstown Town	8,189	8,233	8,264	8,294	8,313	8,341	8,414	8,424	8,424	-235	-2.8%
Windsor Town	856	857	853	857	860	866	874	875	875	-19	-2.2%

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Annual Estimates of the Population for Cities and Towns in the Boston Workforce Area April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006

Geographic Area	Population Estimates							April 1, 2000		Estimates Base Population April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006	
	July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates Base	Census	Net Change	Percent Change
United States	299,398,484	296,507,061	293,638,158	290,796,023	288,125,973	285,226,284	282,216,952	281,424,602	281,421,906	17,973,882	6.4%
Massachusetts	6,437,193	6,433,367	6,435,995	6,439,592	6,431,247	6,406,727	6,362,604	6,349,105	6,349,097	88,088	1.4%
Boston WIA	590,763	596,638	589,048	587,342	587,224	588,322	589,063	589,144	589,141	1,619	0.3%
Boston City	590,763	596,638	589,048	587,342	587,224	588,322	589,063	589,144	589,141	1,619	0.3%

Note: As a result of an accepted population challenge for the City of Boston, the July 1, 2005 population for the City of Boston was revised from 559,034 to 596,638. Population estimates for the City of Boston have not yet been revised for July 1, 2000 through July 1, 2004.

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Annual Estimates of the Population for Cities and Towns in the Bristol Workforce Area April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006

Geographic Area	Population Estimates							April 1, 2000		Estimates Base Population April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006	
	July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates Base	Census	Net Change	Percent Change
United States	299,398,484	296,507,061	293,638,158	290,796,023	288,125,973	285,226,284	282,216,952	281,424,602	281,421,906	17,973,882	6.4%
Massachusetts	6,437,193	6,433,367	6,435,995	6,439,592	6,431,247	6,406,727	6,362,604	6,349,105	6,349,097	88,088	1.4%
Bristol WIA	362,697	362,752	362,951	362,379	360,365	356,879	354,227	353,153	353,153	9,544	2.7%
Attleboro City	43,283	43,345	43,385	43,385	43,134	42,618	42,217	42,068	42,068	1,215	2.9%
Berkley Town	6,391	6,369	6,333	6,272	6,140	5,915	5,787	5,749	5,749	642	11.2%
Dighton Town	6,715	6,659	6,609	6,546	6,449	6,326	6,211	6,175	6,175	540	8.7%
Fall River City	91,474	91,723	92,302	92,716	92,738	92,294	92,092	91,938	91,938	-464	-0.5%
Mansfield Town	23,096	22,957	22,933	23,013	22,856	22,688	22,490	22,414	22,414	682	3.0%
North Attleborough Town	27,946	28,108	28,097	28,029	27,809	27,431	27,226	27,143	27,143	803	3.0%
Norton Town	19,242	19,153	19,108	18,974	18,561	18,297	18,110	18,036	18,036	1,206	6.7%
Raynham Town	13,665	13,486	13,287	12,515	12,254	11,982	11,799	11,739	11,739	1,926	16.4%
Rehoboth Town	11,374	11,246	11,106	10,957	10,727	10,529	10,253	10,172	10,172	1,202	11.8%
Seekonk Town	13,648	13,655	13,691	13,736	13,665	13,541	13,461	13,425	13,425	223	1.7%
Somerset Town	18,430	18,554	18,640	18,682	18,643	18,460	18,296	18,234	18,234	196	1.1%
Swansea Town	16,222	16,236	16,271	16,262	16,175	16,059	15,947	15,901	15,901	321	2.0%
Taunton City	56,074	56,203	56,490	56,681	56,645	56,349	56,101	55,976	55,976	98	0.2%
Westport Town	15,137	15,058	14,699	14,611	14,569	14,390	14,237	14,183	14,183	954	6.7%

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Annual Estimates of the Population for Cities and Towns in the Brockton Workforce Area April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006

Geographic Area	Population Estimates							April 1, 2000		Estimates Base Population April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006	
	July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates Base	Census	Net Change	Percent Change
United States	299,398,484	296,507,061	293,638,158	290,796,023	288,125,973	285,226,284	282,216,952	281,424,602	281,421,906	17,973,882	6.4%
Massachusetts	6,437,193	6,433,367	6,435,995	6,439,592	6,431,247	6,406,727	6,362,604	6,349,105	6,349,097	88,088	1.4%
Brockton WIA	235,679	235,563	235,568	235,632	234,584	232,938	231,597	230,970	230,970	4,709	2.0%
Abington Town	16,378	16,335	16,222	16,033	15,221	14,957	14,687	14,605	14,605	1,773	12.1%
Avon Town	4,328	4,333	4,379	4,407	4,432	4,450	4,446	4,443	4,443	-115	-2.6%
Bridgewater Town	25,695	25,698	25,666	25,575	25,468	25,274	25,270	25,185	25,185	510	2.0%
Brockton City	94,191	94,538	94,767	95,027	95,232	94,725	94,461	94,304	94,304	-113	-0.1%
East Bridgewater Town	13,937	13,846	13,657	13,644	13,477	13,266	13,043	12,974	12,974	963	7.4%
Easton Town	23,031	23,009	23,001	22,932	22,698	22,424	22,359	22,299	22,299	732	3.3%
Hanson Town	9,989	9,917	9,873	9,834	9,802	9,668	9,537	9,495	9,495	494	5.2%
Stoughton Town	26,901	26,648	26,863	27,011	27,137	27,219	27,174	27,149	27,149	-248	-0.9%
West Bridgewater Town	6,769	6,814	6,826	6,834	6,807	6,738	6,660	6,634	6,634	135	2.0%
Whitman Town	14,460	14,425	14,314	14,335	14,310	14,217	13,960	13,882	13,882	578	4.2%

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Annual Estimates of the Population for Cities and Towns in the Cape and Islands Workforce Area April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006

Geographic Area	Population Estimates							April 1, 2000		Estimates Base Population April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006	
	July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates Base	Census	Net Change	Percent Change
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Cape and Islands WIA	250,571	251,853	253,404	254,341	252,821	250,238	247,896	246,737	246,737	3,834	1.6%
Aquinnah Town	354	355	357	355	353	347	346	344	344	10	2.9%
Barnstable Town City	47,380	47,760	48,336	48,694	48,597	48,265	47,992	47,821	47,821	-441	-0.9%
Bourne Town	19,224	19,325	19,434	19,436	19,268	19,048	18,827	18,721	18,721	503	2.7%
Brewster Town	10,143	10,226	10,324	10,383	10,326	10,240	10,140	10,094	10,094	49	0.5%
Chatham Town	6,783	6,821	6,831	6,833	6,780	6,732	6,657	6,625	6,625	158	2.4%
Chilmark Town	953	942	928	913	890	866	850	843	843	110	13.0%
Dennis Town	15,691	15,865	16,053	16,195	16,135	16,074	16,021	15,973	15,973	-282	-1.8%
Eastham Town	5,509	5,542	5,597	5,629	5,603	5,560	5,484	5,453	5,453	56	1.0%
Edgartown Town	3,918	3,926	3,915	3,913	3,869	3,824	3,800	3,779	3,779	139	3.7%
Falmouth Town	33,590	33,590	33,658	33,697	33,462	33,145	32,813	32,660	32,660	930	2.8%
Gosnold Town	85	86	87	87	87	86	86	86	86	-1	-1.2%
Harwich Town	12,537	12,655	12,754	12,831	12,753	12,556	12,441	12,386	12,386	151	1.2%
Mashpee Town	14,343	14,257	14,238	14,174	13,933	13,502	13,080	12,946	12,946	1,397	10.8%
Nantucket Town	10,240	10,139	10,128	9,998	9,881	9,644	9,568	9,520	9,520	720	7.6%
Oak Bluffs Town	3,761	3,778	3,803	3,820	3,804	3,768	3,735	3,713	3,713	48	1.3%
Orleans Town	6,398	6,448	6,446	6,473	6,443	6,405	6,365	6,341	6,341	57	0.9%
Provincetown Town	3,415	3,421	3,436	3,470	3,475	3,474	3,445	3,431	3,431	-16	-0.5%
Sandwich Town	20,508	20,692	20,734	20,871	20,682	20,470	20,238	20,136	20,136	372	1.8%
Tisbury Town	3,801	3,802	3,828	3,845	3,824	3,792	3,773	3,755	3,755	46	1.2%
Truro Town	2,152	2,161	2,171	2,172	2,149	2,122	2,098	2,087	2,087	65	3.1%
Wellfleet Town	2,789	2,817	2,829	2,838	2,815	2,787	2,761	2,749	2,749	40	1.5%
West Tisbury Town	2,643	2,664	2,653	2,624	2,586	2,544	2,490	2,467	2,467	176	7.1%
Yarmouth Town	24,354	24,581	24,864	25,090	25,106	24,987	24,886	24,807	24,807	-453	-1.8%

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**Annual Estimates of the Population for Cities and Towns in the Central Mass Workforce Area
April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006**

Geographic Area	Population Estimates							April 1, 2000		Estimates Base Population April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006	
	July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates Base	Census	Net Change	Percent Change
United States	299,398,484	296,507,061	293,638,158	290,796,023	288,125,973	285,226,284	282,216,952	281,424,602	281,421,906	17,973,882	6.4%
Massachusetts	6,437,193	6,433,367	6,435,995	6,439,592	6,431,247	6,406,727	6,362,604	6,349,105	6,349,097	88,088	1.4%
Central Mass WIA	560,067	557,700	554,856	552,551	548,595	543,253	536,477	534,441	534,433	25,626	4.8%
Auburn Town	16,375	16,367	16,348	16,336	16,252	16,123	15,953	15,901	15,901	474	3.0%
Blackstone Town	9,032	9,039	9,037	9,043	9,008	8,936	8,834	8,804	8,804	228	2.6%
Boylston Town	4,256	4,250	4,173	4,151	4,108	4,073	4,023	4,008	4,008	248	6.2%
Brookfield Town	3,070	3,089	3,095	3,105	3,104	3,092	3,061	3,051	3,051	19	0.6%
Charlton Town	12,567	12,450	12,270	12,133	11,870	11,617	11,339	11,263	11,263	1,304	11.6%
Douglas Town	7,957	7,869	7,746	7,642	7,510	7,347	7,108	7,045	7,045	912	12.9%
Dudley Town	10,830	10,791	10,754	10,693	10,507	10,285	10,098	10,036	10,036	794	7.9%
East Brookfield Town	2,094	2,107	2,117	2,123	2,122	2,116	2,102	2,097	2,097	-3	-0.1%
Grafton Town	17,405	16,856	16,264	15,946	15,740	15,323	14,987	14,894	14,894	2,511	16.9%
Hardwick Town	2,667	2,650	2,660	2,667	2,668	2,657	2,630	2,622	2,622	45	1.7%
Holden Town	16,667	16,558	16,561	16,386	16,128	15,976	15,699	15,621	15,621	1,046	6.7%
Hopedale Town	6,226	6,230	6,209	6,173	6,104	6,019	5,932	5,907	5,907	319	5.4%
Leicester Town	11,003	10,945	10,882	10,820	10,763	10,641	10,514	10,471	10,471	532	5.1%
Mendon Town	5,767	5,742	5,750	5,699	5,601	5,494	5,343	5,302	5,286	465	8.8%
Milford Town	27,523	27,463	27,355	27,325	27,231	27,070	26,803	26,720	26,799	803	3.0%
Millbury Town	13,609	13,432	13,349	13,265	13,161	13,062	12,845	12,784	12,784	825	6.5%
Millville Town	2,953	2,937	2,930	2,915	2,859	2,787	2,738	2,724	2,724	229	8.4%
New Braintree Town	1,102	1,090	1,064	1,038	1,002	970	936	927	927	175	18.9%
North Brookfield Town	4,829	4,805	4,806	4,809	4,787	4,752	4,699	4,683	4,683	146	3.1%
Northborough Town	14,681	14,646	14,291	14,247	14,239	14,171	14,051	14,013	14,013	668	4.8%
Northbridge Town	14,425	14,188	13,854	13,690	13,533	13,363	13,223	13,182	13,182	1,243	9.4%
Oakham Town	1,908	1,893	1,875	1,824	1,765	1,721	1,683	1,673	1,673	235	14.0%
Oxford Town	13,712	13,690	13,707	13,718	13,693	13,594	13,407	13,352	13,352	360	2.7%
Paxton Town	4,566	4,550	4,532	4,517	4,483	4,458	4,403	4,386	4,386	180	4.1%
Rutland Town	7,608	7,431	7,230	7,020	6,808	6,574	6,400	6,353	6,353	1,255	19.8%
Shrewsbury Town	33,262	33,105	33,090	33,003	32,747	32,404	31,807	31,640	31,640	1,622	5.1%
Southbridge Town	17,117	17,199	17,279	17,372	17,395	17,350	17,249	17,214	17,214	-97	-0.6%
Spencer Town	12,095	12,068	11,989	11,970	11,937	11,848	11,728	11,691	11,691	404	3.5%
Sturbridge Town	8,969	8,842	8,675	8,447	8,239	8,088	7,891	7,837	7,837	1,132	14.4%
Sutton Town	9,038	8,971	8,860	8,852	8,710	8,553	8,314	8,250	8,250	788	9.6%
Upton Town	6,484	6,384	6,249	6,180	6,082	5,921	5,757	5,713	5,642	771	13.5%
Uxbridge Town	12,613	12,384	12,218	12,027	11,777	11,571	11,244	11,156	11,156	1,457	13.1%
Warren Town	5,097	5,035	4,969	4,910	4,857	4,798	4,783	4,776	4,776	321	6.7%
Webster Town	16,826	16,817	16,846	16,848	16,734	16,602	16,460	16,415	16,415	411	2.5%
West Boylston Town	7,779	7,685	7,603	7,627	7,559	7,585	7,503	7,481	7,481	298	4.0%

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Geographic Area	Population Estimates							April 1, 2000		Estimates Base Population April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006	
	July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates Base	Census	Net Change	Percent Change
West Brookfield Town	3,867	3,888	3,891	3,893	3,881	3,857	3,816	3,804	3,804	63	1.7%
Westborough Town	18,634	18,695	18,700	18,765	18,540	18,339	18,072	17,997	17,997	637	3.5%
Worcester City	175,454	175,559	175,628	175,372	175,091	174,116	173,042	172,648	172,648	2,806	1.6%

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Annual Estimates of the Population for Cities and Towns in the Franklin/Hampshire Workforce Area April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006

Geographic Area	Population Estimates							April 1, 2000		Estimates Base Population April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006	
	July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates Base	Census	Net Change	Percent Change
United States	299,398,484	296,507,061	293,638,158	290,796,023	288,125,973	285,226,284	282,216,952	281,424,602	281,421,906	17,973,882	6.4%
Massachusetts	6,437,193	6,433,367	6,435,995	6,439,592	6,431,247	6,406,727	6,362,604	6,349,105	6,349,097	88,088	1.4%
Franklin/Hampshire WIA	241,761	241,734	241,611	241,333	240,144	238,551	239,322	239,142	239,140	2,619	1.1%
Amherst Town	34,049	34,049	34,189	34,323	34,261	33,992	34,888	34,874	34,874	-825	-2.4%
Ashfield Town	1,822	1,824	1,818	1,816	1,810	1,795	1,798	1,800	1,800	22	1.2%
Athol Town	11,661	11,673	11,650	11,560	11,466	11,388	11,322	11,299	11,299	362	3.2%
Belchertown Town	14,103	13,982	13,828	13,650	13,422	13,186	13,042	12,991	12,968	1,112	8.6%
Bernardston Town	2,234	2,237	2,212	2,189	2,178	2,164	2,156	2,155	2,155	79	3.7%
Buckland Town	2,001	1,995	1,984	1,990	1,986	1,984	1,989	1,991	1,991	10	0.5%
Charlemont Town	1,377	1,388	1,394	1,382	1,386	1,381	1,362	1,358	1,358	19	1.4%
Chesterfield Town	1,275	1,272	1,258	1,249	1,228	1,223	1,207	1,201	1,201	74	6.2%
Colrain Town	1,852	1,858	1,858	1,858	1,846	1,825	1,815	1,813	1,813	39	2.2%
Conway Town	1,899	1,904	1,886	1,881	1,867	1,838	1,814	1,809	1,809	90	5.0%
Cummington Town	982	988	992	990	978	976	978	978	978	4	0.4%
Deerfield Town	4,757	4,784	4,791	4,771	4,777	4,758	4,750	4,750	4,750	7	0.1%
Easthampton City	16,082	16,005	16,041	16,165	16,070	15,970	16,004	15,994	15,994	88	0.6%
Erving Town	1,561	1,544	1,528	1,511	1,486	1,479	1,469	1,467	1,467	94	6.4%
Gill Town	1,382	1,392	1,391	1,371	1,369	1,365	1,363	1,363	1,363	19	1.4%
Goshen Town	959	957	955	957	942	931	924	921	921	38	4.1%
Granby Town	6,347	6,338	6,314	6,278	6,215	6,164	6,139	6,126	6,132	221	3.6%
Greenfield Town	17,699	17,831	17,902	17,963	18,043	18,059	18,140	18,168	18,168	-469	-2.6%
Hadley Town	4,812	4,823	4,846	4,853	4,816	4,788	4,796	4,793	4,793	19	0.4%
Hatfield Town	3,261	3,282	3,300	3,314	3,300	3,261	3,254	3,248	3,249	13	0.4%
Hawley Town	342	345	345	344	339	338	336	336	336	6	1.8%
Heath Town	803	805	806	805	805	801	804	805	805	-2	-0.2%
Huntington Town	2,200	2,182	2,191	2,200	2,181	2,173	2,176	2,174	2,174	26	1.2%
Leverett Town	1,778	1,772	1,762	1,747	1,729	1,708	1,700	1,698	1,663	80	4.7%
Leyden Town	811	815	807	796	794	779	773	772	772	39	5.1%
Middlefield Town	549	549	545	548	543	543	543	542	542	7	1.3%
Monroe Town	102	100	98	98	97	96	94	93	93	9	9.7%
Montague Town	8,368	8,405	8,432	8,436	8,460	8,444	8,461	8,468	8,489	-100	-1.2%
New Salem Town	980	987	986	971	958	942	931	929	929	51	5.5%
Northampton City	28,592	28,721	28,843	29,021	28,979	28,809	28,977	28,978	28,978	-386	-1.3%
Northfield Town	3,278	3,229	3,169	3,109	3,060	3,000	2,960	2,951	2,951	327	11.1%
Orange Town	7,736	7,664	7,553	7,534	7,542	7,506	7,513	7,518	7,518	218	2.9%
Pelham Town	1,403	1,400	1,401	1,408	1,400	1,389	1,388	1,386	1,403	17	1.2%
Petersham Town	1,286	1,282	1,262	1,244	1,210	1,199	1,184	1,180	1,180	106	9.0%
Phillipston Town	1,780	1,751	1,726	1,686	1,641	1,635	1,625	1,621	1,621	159	9.8%

Source: Population Div., U.S. Census Bureau, Release Date: Dec. 22, 2006 (MA and U.S.) and June 28, 2007 (cities and towns)
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Geographic Area	Population Estimates							April 1, 2000		Estimates Base Population April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006	
	July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates Base	Census	Net Change	Percent Change
United States	299,398,484	296,507,061	293,638,158	290,796,023	288,125,973	285,226,284	282,216,952	281,424,602	281,421,906	17,973,882	6.4%
Massachusetts	6,437,193	6,433,367	6,435,995	6,439,592	6,431,247	6,406,727	6,362,604	6,349,105	6,349,097	88,088	1.4%
Franklin/Hampshire WIA	241,761	241,734	241,611	241,333	240,144	238,551	239,322	239,142	239,140	2,619	1.1%
Plainfield Town	601	600	603	601	599	594	591	589	589	12	2.0%
Rowe Town	353	350	349	349	350	350	351	351	351	2	0.6%
Royalston Town	1,380	1,365	1,351	1,319	1,307	1,281	1,260	1,254	1,254	126	10.0%
Shelburne Town	2,046	2,053	2,059	2,062	2,070	2,064	2,059	2,058	2,058	-12	-0.6%
Shutesbury Town	1,849	1,845	1,844	1,834	1,830	1,814	1,807	1,806	1,810	43	2.4%
South Hadley Town	17,034	17,064	17,137	17,231	17,132	17,121	17,205	17,198	17,196	-164	-1.0%
Southampton Town	5,933	5,841	5,755	5,676	5,558	5,456	5,406	5,387	5,387	546	10.1%
Sunderland Town	3,774	3,801	3,799	3,795	3,798	3,783	3,777	3,777	3,777	-3	-0.1%
Ware Town	9,982	10,006	9,993	9,833	9,747	9,706	9,716	9,708	9,707	274	2.8%
Warwick Town	764	762	758	753	756	753	750	750	750	14	1.9%
Wendell Town	1,041	1,036	1,027	1,017	1,009	995	988	986	986	55	5.6%
Westhampton Town	1,585	1,568	1,558	1,535	1,509	1,490	1,474	1,468	1,468	117	8.0%
Whately Town	1,574	1,584	1,584	1,570	1,576	1,564	1,563	1,563	1,573	11	0.7%
Williamsburg Town	2,439	2,434	2,435	2,439	2,428	2,409	2,426	2,427	2,427	12	0.5%
Worthington Town	1,283	1,292	1,296	1,301	1,291	1,282	1,274	1,270	1,270	13	1.0%

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Annual Estimates of the Population for Cities and Towns in the Greater Lowell Workforce Area April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006

Geographic Area	Population Estimates							April 1, 2000		Estimates Base Population April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006	
	July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates Base	Census	Net Change	Percent Change
United States	299,398,484	296,507,061	293,638,158	290,796,023	288,125,973	285,226,284	282,216,952	281,424,602	281,421,906	17,973,882	6.4%
Massachusetts	6,437,193	6,433,367	6,435,995	6,439,592	6,431,247	6,406,727	6,362,604	6,349,105	6,349,097	88,088	1.4%
Greater Lowell WIA	273,401	271,447	271,472	271,087	271,298	271,555	270,340	269,838	270,083	3,563	1.3%
Billerica Town	41,391	40,069	39,998	39,425	39,415	39,261	39,057	38,981	38,981	2,410	6.2%
Chelmsford Town	33,707	33,852	33,810	33,844	33,640	33,732	33,654	33,613	33,858	94	0.3%
Dracut Town	29,385	28,971	28,716	28,742	28,756	28,818	28,628	28,562	28,562	823	2.9%
Dunstable Town	3,222	3,163	3,105	3,051	2,990	2,936	2,852	2,829	2,829	393	13.9%
Lowell City	103,229	103,383	103,777	104,213	104,710	105,258	105,261	105,167	105,167	-1,938	-1.8%
Tewksbury Town	29,418	29,120	29,164	29,200	29,266	29,181	28,931	28,851	28,851	567	2.0%
Tyngsborough Town	11,542	11,369	11,401	11,302	11,309	11,280	11,126	11,081	11,081	461	4.2%
Westford Town	21,507	21,520	21,501	21,310	21,212	21,089	20,831	20,754	20,754	753	3.6%

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Annual Estimates of the Population for Cities and Towns in the Greater New Bedford Workforce Area April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006

Geographic Area	Population Estimates							April 1, 2000		Estimates Base Population April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006	
	July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates Base	Census	Net Change	Percent Change
United States	299,398,484	296,507,061	293,638,158	290,796,023	288,125,973	285,226,284	282,216,952	281,424,602	281,421,906	17,973,882	6.4%
Massachusetts	6,437,193	6,433,367	6,435,995	6,439,592	6,431,247	6,406,727	6,362,604	6,349,105	6,349,097	88,088	1.4%
Greater New Bedford WIA	208,778	209,096	209,383	209,269	208,367	206,681	205,937	205,354	205,354	3,424	1.7%
Acushnet Town	10,518	10,535	10,552	10,547	10,457	10,298	10,198	10,161	10,161	357	3.5%
Dartmouth Town	31,366	31,365	31,255	31,133	30,878	30,433	30,781	30,666	30,666	700	2.3%
Fairhaven Town	16,266	16,208	16,290	16,360	16,359	16,283	16,199	16,159	16,159	107	0.7%
Freetown Town	8,963	8,971	8,946	8,851	8,731	8,628	8,511	8,472	8,472	491	5.8%
Lakeville Town	10,641	10,629	10,506	10,469	10,344	10,130	9,891	9,821	9,821	820	8.3%
Marion Town	5,285	5,314	5,297	5,290	5,278	5,217	5,146	5,123	5,123	162	3.2%
Mattapoisett Town	6,471	6,472	6,451	6,454	6,382	6,336	6,287	6,268	6,268	203	3.2%
New Bedford City	92,538	93,021	93,727	94,047	94,130	93,902	93,882	93,768	93,768	-1,230	-1.3%
Rochester Town	5,406	5,305	5,189	5,068	4,930	4,810	4,630	4,581	4,581	825	18.0%
Wareham Town	21,324	21,276	21,170	21,050	20,878	20,644	20,412	20,335	20,335	989	4.9%

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Annual Estimates of the Population for Cities and Towns in the Hampden County Workforce Area April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006

Geographic Area	Population Estimates							April 1, 2000		Estimates Base Population April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006	
	July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates Base	Census	Net Change	Percent Change
United States	299,398,484	296,507,061	293,638,158	290,796,023	288,125,973	285,226,284	282,216,952	281,424,602	281,421,906	17,973,882	6.4%
Massachusetts	6,437,193	6,433,367	6,435,995	6,439,592	6,431,247	6,406,727	6,362,604	6,349,105	6,349,097	88,088	1.4%
Hampden County WIA	460,520	460,828	460,874	460,829	459,305	456,895	456,630	456,226	456,228	4,294	0.9%
Agawam City	28,510	28,551	28,555	28,503	28,399	28,241	28,175	28,143	28,144	367	1.3%
Blandford Town	1,276	1,264	1,261	1,244	1,234	1,222	1,216	1,214	1,214	62	5.1%
Brimfield Town	3,695	3,633	3,592	3,547	3,486	3,417	3,356	3,339	3,339	356	10.7%
Chester Town	1,313	1,318	1,323	1,327	1,327	1,312	1,312	1,311	1,308	2	0.2%
Chicopee City	54,428	54,589	54,722	54,879	54,806	54,635	54,675	54,653	54,653	-225	-0.4%
East Longmeadow Town	14,937	14,861	14,779	14,685	14,509	14,277	14,142	14,100	14,100	837	5.9%
Granville Town	1,668	1,646	1,623	1,600	1,574	1,547	1,529	1,523	1,521	145	9.5%
Hampden Town	5,328	5,309	5,305	5,304	5,254	5,217	5,183	5,171	5,171	157	3.0%
Holland Town	2,539	2,531	2,479	2,471	2,446	2,422	2,411	2,407	2,407	132	5.5%
Holyoke City	39,765	39,892	39,974	40,021	39,976	39,882	39,866	39,838	39,838	-73	-0.2%
Longmeadow Town	15,481	15,543	15,598	15,658	15,657	15,604	15,639	15,633	15,633	-152	-1.0%
Ludlow Town	21,951	21,915	21,894	21,807	21,680	21,477	21,240	21,209	21,209	742	3.5%
Monson Town	8,792	8,748	8,665	8,611	8,534	8,434	8,378	8,359	8,359	433	5.2%
Montgomery Town	753	744	734	727	707	684	660	654	654	99	15.1%
Palmer Town	12,926	12,903	12,875	12,804	12,703	12,583	12,520	12,497	12,497	429	3.4%
Russell Town	1,738	1,724	1,710	1,697	1,679	1,659	1,656	1,654	1,657	84	5.1%
Southwick Town	9,603	9,532	9,407	9,302	9,132	8,985	8,869	8,835	8,835	768	8.7%
Springfield City	151,176	151,483	151,771	152,028	151,964	151,510	152,097	152,080	152,082	-904	-0.6%
Tolland Town	449	444	440	433	428	425	424	424	426	25	5.9%
Wales Town	1,839	1,818	1,794	1,782	1,766	1,749	1,740	1,737	1,737	102	5.9%
West Springfield City	27,849	27,941	27,989	28,045	28,003	27,885	27,910	27,900	27,899	-51	-0.2%
Westfield City	40,460	40,460	40,476	40,505	40,311	40,077	40,117	40,072	40,072	388	1.0%
Wilbraham Town	14,044	13,979	13,908	13,849	13,730	13,651	13,515	13,473	13,473	571	4.2%

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Geographic Area	Population Estimates							April 1, 2000		Estimates Base Population April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006	
	July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates Base	Census	Net Change	Percent Change
United States	299,398,484	296,507,061	293,638,158	290,796,023	288,125,973	285,226,284	282,216,952	281,424,602	281,421,906	17,973,882	6.4%
Massachusetts	6,437,193	6,433,367	6,435,995	6,439,592	6,431,247	6,406,727	6,362,604	6,349,105	6,349,097	88,088	1.4%
Merrimack Valley WIA	324,564	323,255	323,342	323,650	323,082	321,977	319,424	318,556	318,556	6,008	1.9%
Amesbury Town	16,542	16,552	16,619	16,679	16,679	16,642	16,497	16,450	16,450	92	0.6%
Andover Town	33,475	32,866	32,643	32,521	32,495	32,386	32,054	31,974	31,247	1,501	4.7%
Boxford Town	8,127	8,131	8,162	8,184	8,171	8,115	7,964	7,921	7,921	206	2.6%
Georgetown Town	8,110	7,996	7,904	7,790	7,704	7,637	7,433	7,377	7,377	733	9.9%
Groveland Town	6,769	6,571	6,426	6,317	6,213	6,091	6,052	6,038	6,038	731	12.1%
Haverhill City	60,176	59,912	60,059	60,205	59,718	59,596	59,130	58,969	58,969	1,207	2.0%
Lawrence City	70,662	70,919	71,350	71,810	72,070	72,184	72,139	72,043	72,043	-1,381	-1.9%
Merrimac Town	6,392	6,325	6,276	6,288	6,277	6,232	6,160	6,138	6,138	254	4.1%
Methuen City	44,259	44,361	44,527	44,610	44,542	44,345	43,923	43,789	43,789	470	1.1%
Newbury Town	6,954	6,963	6,836	6,840	6,849	6,815	6,740	6,717	6,717	237	3.5%
Newburyport City	17,303	17,318	17,429	17,466	17,508	17,359	17,233	17,189	17,189	114	0.7%
North Andover Town	27,196	27,009	27,065	27,092	27,078	26,882	26,570	26,475	27,202	721	2.7%
Rowley Town	5,875	5,812	5,679	5,595	5,573	5,557	5,514	5,500	5,500	375	6.8%
Salisbury Town	8,438	8,238	8,101	7,997	7,963	7,931	7,852	7,827	7,827	611	7.8%
West Newbury Town	4,286	4,282	4,266	4,256	4,242	4,205	4,163	4,149	4,149	137	3.3%

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Annual Estimates of the Population for Cities and Towns in the Metro North Workforce Area April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006

Geographic Area	Population Estimates							April 1, 2000		Estimates Base Population April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006	
	July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates Base	Census	Net Change	Percent Change
United States	299,398,484	296,507,061	293,638,158	290,796,023	288,125,973	285,226,284	282,216,952	281,424,602	281,421,906	17,973,882	6.4%
Massachusetts	6,437,193	6,433,367	6,435,995	6,439,592	6,431,247	6,406,727	6,362,604	6,349,105	6,349,097	88,088	1.4%
Metro North WIA	731,881	730,083	742,351	751,476	757,013	757,122	744,121	743,216	743,219	-13,133	-1.8%
Arlington Town	41,075	41,337	41,596	41,804	42,029	42,342	42,401	42,389	42,389	-1,052	-2.5%
Belmont Town	23,308	23,434	23,632	23,813	23,990	24,157	24,199	24,194	24,194	-760	-3.1%
Burlington Town	24,895	23,362	23,251	22,770	22,846	22,954	22,903	22,876	22,876	486	2.1%
Cambridge City	101,365	100,318	100,974	101,633	102,180	102,405	101,544	101,303	101,355	-985	-1.0%
Chelsea City	32,792	32,496	36,186	38,582	39,692	39,119	35,156	35,080	35,080	-2,584	-7.4%
Everett City	37,008	36,937	37,240	37,510	37,713	37,997	38,048	38,037	38,037	-1,100	-2.9%
Malden City	55,595	56,022	55,407	55,726	56,044	56,371	56,374	56,340	56,340	-318	-0.6%
Medford City	55,681	55,798	55,560	55,512	55,462	55,689	55,649	55,638	55,765	160	0.3%
Melrose City	26,666	26,436	26,565	26,743	26,909	27,104	27,142	27,134	27,134	-698	-2.6%
North Reading Town	13,950	13,987	13,996	13,983	13,956	13,959	13,868	13,837	13,837	150	1.1%
Reading Town	23,086	23,227	23,390	23,527	23,641	23,745	23,728	23,709	23,708	-482	-2.0%
Revere City	46,833	45,773	50,325	53,121	54,483	53,109	47,426	47,280	47,283	-1,507	-3.2%
Somerville City	74,554	75,212	75,888	76,448	77,009	77,503	77,669	77,657	77,478	-2,445	-3.1%
Stoneham Town	21,471	21,640	21,807	21,964	22,104	22,240	22,234	22,219	22,219	-579	-2.6%
Wakefield Town	24,588	24,642	24,591	24,728	24,756	24,865	24,829	24,804	24,804	-162	-0.7%
Watertown City	32,165	32,388	32,641	32,851	32,782	32,985	32,998	32,986	32,986	-598	-1.8%
Wilmington Town	21,525	21,530	21,594	21,578	21,578	21,554	21,412	21,363	21,363	167	0.8%
Winchester Town	21,092	21,238	21,192	21,138	21,042	21,017	20,862	20,810	20,810	428	2.1%
Winthrop Town	17,222	17,058	19,023	20,314	20,906	20,438	18,340	18,303	18,303	-1,245	-6.8%
Woburn City	37,010	37,248	37,493	37,731	37,891	37,569	37,339	37,257	37,258	-9	0.0%

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Geographic Area	Population Estimates							April 1, 2000		Estimates Base Population April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006	
	July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates Base	Census	Net Change	Percent Change
United States	299,398,484	296,507,061	293,638,158	290,796,023	288,125,973	285,226,284	282,216,952	281,424,602	281,421,906	17,973,882	6.4%
Massachusetts	6,437,193	6,433,367	6,435,995	6,439,592	6,431,247	6,406,727	6,362,604	6,349,105	6,349,097	88,088	1.4%
Metro South/West WIA	889,383	889,041	890,044	890,666	890,620	890,637	884,994	882,953	882,953	6,430	0.7%
Acton Town	20,586	20,618	20,685	20,758	20,781	20,733	20,421	20,331	20,331	255	1.3%
Ashland Town	15,678	15,594	15,546	15,445	15,362	15,208	14,788	14,674	14,674	1,004	6.8%
Bedford Town	12,884	12,480	12,525	12,550	12,551	12,658	12,612	12,595	12,595	289	2.3%
Bellingham Town	15,896	15,758	15,739	15,659	15,542	15,484	15,354	15,314	15,314	582	3.8%
Boxborough Town	5,073	5,076	5,050	5,005	4,928	4,925	4,882	4,868	4,868	205	4.2%
Brookline Town	55,241	55,498	56,105	56,536	56,897	57,081	57,127	57,107	57,107	-1,866	-3.3%
Canton Town	21,772	21,536	21,475	21,375	21,288	21,087	20,847	20,775	20,775	997	4.8%
Carlisle Town	4,852	4,842	4,836	4,852	4,838	4,800	4,736	4,717	4,717	135	2.9%
Concord Town	16,789	16,875	16,938	16,911	16,947	17,004	17,012	16,993	16,993	-204	-1.2%
Dedham Town	23,615	23,697	23,192	23,172	23,296	23,401	23,477	23,464	23,464	151	0.6%
Dover Town	5,641	5,631	5,649	5,665	5,653	5,631	5,575	5,558	5,558	83	1.5%
Foxborough Town	16,274	16,286	16,331	16,338	16,352	16,366	16,277	16,246	16,246	28	0.2%
Framingham Town	64,762	65,235	65,677	66,088	66,440	66,896	66,957	66,910	66,910	-2,148	-3.2%
Franklin City	31,267	30,842	30,158	30,160	29,916	29,849	29,630	29,560	29,560	1,707	5.8%
Holliston Town	13,896	13,885	13,936	13,945	13,952	13,973	13,841	13,801	13,801	95	0.7%
Hopkinton Town	14,172	14,150	14,048	14,009	13,911	13,803	13,444	13,346	13,346	826	6.2%
Hudson Town	19,447	18,994	18,748	18,305	18,288	18,279	18,154	18,112	18,113	1,335	7.4%
Lexington Town	30,231	30,347	30,455	30,538	30,565	30,574	30,413	30,355	30,355	-124	-0.4%
Lincoln Town	7,948	7,952	8,010	8,045	8,089	8,108	8,070	8,056	8,056	-108	-1.3%
Littleton Town	8,648	8,612	8,588	8,572	8,492	8,413	8,234	8,184	8,184	464	5.7%
Marlborough City	38,062	37,546	37,746	37,881	38,038	37,939	36,609	36,256	36,255	1,806	5.0%
Maynard Town	10,180	10,258	10,335	10,357	10,424	10,449	10,441	10,433	10,433	-253	-2.4%
Medfield Town	12,297	12,323	12,380	12,383	12,412	12,435	12,310	12,273	12,273	24	0.2%
Medway Town	12,817	12,791	12,868	12,886	12,864	12,661	12,496	12,448	12,448	369	3.0%
Millis Town	7,972	7,951	7,986	8,003	7,991	7,982	7,921	7,902	7,902	70	0.9%
Natick Town	31,886	32,029	32,152	32,237	32,289	32,356	32,224	32,170	32,170	-284	-0.9%
Needham Town	28,368	28,371	28,549	28,613	28,668	28,650	28,524	28,478	28,911	-110	-0.4%
Newton City	82,819	83,371	83,897	84,192	83,643	83,922	83,909	83,829	83,829	-1,010	-1.2%
Norfolk Town	10,598	10,475	10,479	10,433	10,378	10,428	10,489	10,460	10,460	138	1.3%
Norwood Town	28,365	28,431	28,508	28,651	28,756	28,627	28,607	28,587	28,587	-222	-0.8%
Plainville Town	8,110	8,008	7,915	7,941	7,879	7,802	7,710	7,683	7,683	427	5.6%
Sharon Town	17,142	17,179	17,322	17,415	17,487	17,507	17,435	17,408	17,408	-266	-1.5%
Sherborn Town	4,212	4,234	4,235	4,254	4,211	4,218	4,206	4,200	4,200	12	0.3%
Southborough Town	9,551	9,540	9,530	9,410	9,206	9,035	8,836	8,781	8,781	770	8.8%
Stow Town	6,218	6,196	6,126	6,129	6,071	6,037	5,932	5,902	5,902	316	5.4%

Source: Population Div., U.S. Census Bureau, Release Date: Dec. 22, 2006 (MA and U.S.) and June 28, 2007 (cities and towns)
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Geographic Area	Population Estimates							April 1, 2000		Estimates Base Population April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006	
	July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates Base	Census	Net Change	Percent Change
United States	299,398,484	296,507,061	293,638,158	290,796,023	288,125,973	285,226,284	282,216,952	281,424,602	281,421,906	17,973,882	6.4%
Massachusetts	6,437,193	6,433,367	6,435,995	6,439,592	6,431,247	6,406,727	6,362,604	6,349,105	6,349,097	88,088	1.4%
Metro South/West WIA	889,383	889,041	890,044	890,666	890,620	890,637	884,994	882,953	882,953	6,430	0.7%
Sudbury Town	17,027	17,112	17,184	17,202	17,212	17,137	16,909	16,841	16,841	186	1.1%
Walpole Town	23,165	23,075	23,172	23,167	23,132	23,036	22,875	22,824	22,824	341	1.5%
Waltham City	59,352	59,703	59,297	58,781	58,951	59,255	59,268	59,226	59,226	126	0.2%
Wayland Town	12,970	13,037	13,079	13,154	13,201	13,226	13,132	13,100	13,100	-130	-1.0%
Wellesley Town	26,987	26,940	26,914	26,944	27,030	27,073	27,068	27,046	26,613	-59	-0.2%
Weston Town	11,646	11,610	11,608	11,620	11,624	11,584	11,497	11,469	11,469	177	1.5%
Westwood Town	13,832	13,877	14,000	14,067	14,133	14,167	14,133	14,117	14,117	-285	-2.0%
Wrentham Town	11,135	11,076	11,071	11,018	10,932	10,838	10,612	10,554	10,554	581	5.5%

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Annual Estimates of the Population for Cities and Towns in the North Central Mass Workforce Area April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006

Geographic Area	Population Estimates							April 1, 2000		Estimates Base Population April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006	
	July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates Base	Census	Net Change	Percent Change
United States	299,398,484	296,507,061	293,638,158	290,796,023	288,125,973	285,226,284	282,216,952	281,424,602	281,421,906	17,973,882	6.4%
Massachusetts	6,437,193	6,433,367	6,435,995	6,439,592	6,431,247	6,406,727	6,362,604	6,349,105	6,349,097	88,088	1.4%
North Central Mass WIA	248,510	247,419	246,487	245,743	244,389	242,524	239,876	239,032	238,787	9,478	4.0%
Ashburnham Town	5,996	5,969	5,889	5,841	5,746	5,673	5,574	5,546	5,546	450	8.1%
Ashby Town	2,943	2,938	2,930	2,917	2,899	2,887	2,855	2,845	2,845	98	3.4%
Ayer Town	7,315	7,247	7,220	7,248	7,290	7,328	7,299	7,287	7,287	28	0.4%
Barre Town	5,427	5,369	5,346	5,332	5,290	5,232	5,139	5,113	5,113	314	6.1%
Berlin Town	2,719	2,684	2,672	2,658	2,568	2,454	2,396	2,380	2,380	339	14.2%
Bolton Town	4,472	4,426	4,380	4,338	4,271	4,227	4,166	4,148	4,148	324	7.8%
Clinton Town	14,163	13,966	13,862	13,739	13,731	13,630	13,480	13,435	13,435	728	5.4%
Fitchburg City	40,050	39,966	39,832	39,865	39,733	39,396	39,196	39,102	39,102	948	2.4%
Gardner City	20,805	20,867	20,926	20,995	20,981	20,927	20,821	20,770	20,770	35	0.2%
Groton Town	10,585	10,465	10,381	10,205	10,002	9,841	9,610	9,547	9,547	1,038	10.9%
Harvard Town	6,051	6,063	6,072	6,091	6,090	6,062	6,000	5,981	5,981	70	1.2%
Hubbardston Town	4,422	4,344	4,264	4,214	4,144	4,066	3,942	3,909	3,909	513	13.1%
Lancaster Town	6,970	6,832	6,724	6,606	6,534	6,428	6,418	6,382	7,380	588	9.2%
Leominster City	41,549	41,719	41,826	41,874	41,876	41,709	41,402	41,303	41,303	246	0.6%
Lunenburg Town	10,010	10,003	9,959	9,870	9,772	9,648	9,455	9,401	9,401	609	6.5%
Pepperell Town	11,412	11,439	11,448	11,405	11,386	11,358	11,191	11,142	11,142	270	2.4%
Princeton Town	3,522	3,515	3,492	3,489	3,459	3,417	3,367	3,353	3,353	169	5.0%
Shirley Town	7,661	7,627	7,590	7,577	7,544	7,736	7,630	7,616	6,373	45	0.6%
Sterling Town	7,847	7,754	7,726	7,675	7,569	7,440	7,297	7,257	7,257	590	8.1%
Templeton Town	7,696	7,477	7,308	7,233	7,140	6,981	6,837	6,799	6,799	897	13.2%
Townsend Town	9,327	9,310	9,337	9,353	9,300	9,261	9,215	9,198	9,198	129	1.4%
Westminster Town	7,422	7,355	7,287	7,247	7,150	7,057	6,940	6,907	6,907	515	7.5%
Winchendon Town	10,146	10,084	10,016	9,971	9,914	9,766	9,646	9,611	9,611	535	5.6%

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	July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates Base	Census	Net Change	Percent Change
United States	299,398,484	296,507,061	293,638,158	290,796,023	288,125,973	285,226,284	282,216,952	281,424,602	281,421,906	17,973,882	6.4%
Massachusetts	6,437,193	6,433,367	6,435,995	6,439,592	6,431,247	6,406,727	6,362,604	6,349,105	6,349,097	88,088	1.4%
North Shore WIA	411,394	411,006	410,470	411,135	411,628	409,696	406,051	404,863	404,863	6,531	1.6%
Beverly City	39,538	39,665	39,894	40,110	40,195	40,162	39,941	39,862	39,862	-324	-0.8%
Danvers Town	25,833	25,904	25,267	25,244	25,181	25,207	25,050	24,996	25,212	837	3.3%
Essex Town	3,320	3,327	3,331	3,335	3,326	3,325	3,280	3,267	3,267	53	1.6%
Gloucester City	30,564	30,543	30,599	30,669	30,670	30,572	30,349	30,273	30,273	291	1.0%
Hamilton Town	8,267	8,306	8,370	8,402	8,413	8,392	8,334	8,315	8,315	-48	-0.6%
Ipswich Town	13,293	13,229	13,280	13,293	13,257	13,198	13,036	12,987	12,987	306	2.4%
Lynn City	87,991	88,302	88,854	89,329	89,591	89,565	89,200	89,050	89,050	-1,059	-1.2%
Lynnfield Town	11,443	11,481	11,557	11,620	11,632	11,623	11,565	11,542	11,542	-99	-0.9%
Manchester-by-the-Sea Town	5,290	5,305	5,332	5,312	5,280	5,276	5,240	5,228	5,228	62	1.2%
Marblehead Town	20,231	20,184	20,226	20,377	20,463	20,478	20,408	20,377	20,377	-146	-0.7%
Middleton Town	9,319	9,229	9,052	8,943	8,764	8,637	7,925	7,744	7,744	1,575	20.3%
Nahant Town	3,554	3,572	3,594	3,618	3,637	3,644	3,636	3,632	3,632	-78	-2.1%
Peabody City	51,734	50,956	50,014	49,463	49,542	49,002	48,330	48,129	48,129	3,605	7.5%
Rockport Town	7,687	7,720	7,749	7,795	7,817	7,814	7,781	7,767	7,767	-80	-1.0%
Salem City	41,343	41,529	41,620	41,961	42,141	41,119	40,570	40,407	40,407	936	2.3%
Saugus Town	27,107	26,766	26,572	26,373	26,375	26,312	26,139	26,078	26,078	1,029	3.9%
Swampscott Town	14,134	14,209	14,332	14,413	14,457	14,482	14,434	14,412	14,412	-278	-1.9%
Topsfield Town	6,130	6,149	6,184	6,219	6,222	6,228	6,160	6,141	6,141	-11	-0.2%
Wenham Town	4,616	4,630	4,643	4,659	4,665	4,660	4,673	4,656	4,440	-40	-0.9%

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Annual Estimates of the Population for Cities and Towns in the South Coastal Workforce Area April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006

Geographic Area	Population Estimates							April 1, 2000		Estimates Base Population April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006	
	July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates Base	Census	Net Change	Percent Change
United States	299,398,484	296,507,061	293,638,158	290,796,023	288,125,973	285,226,284	282,216,952	281,424,602	281,421,906	17,973,882	6.4%
Massachusetts	6,437,193	6,433,367	6,435,995	6,439,592	6,431,247	6,406,727	6,362,604	6,349,105	6,349,097	88,088	1.4%
South Coastal WIA	516,107	513,169	511,811	509,230	508,556	505,558	501,828	500,527	500,527	15,580	3.1%
Braintree Town	34,185	33,626	33,826	33,636	33,814	33,874	33,851	33,828	33,828	357	1.1%
Carver Town	11,578	11,551	11,462	11,416	11,368	11,283	11,195	11,163	11,163	415	3.7%
Cohasset Town	7,223	7,210	7,263	7,279	7,290	7,292	7,270	7,261	7,261	-38	-0.5%
Duxbury Town	14,599	14,646	14,653	14,611	14,524	14,405	14,291	14,248	14,248	351	2.5%
Halifax Town	7,787	7,801	7,760	7,738	7,687	7,597	7,525	7,500	7,500	287	3.8%
Hanover Town	14,115	14,088	13,818	13,663	13,564	13,371	13,216	13,164	13,164	951	7.2%
Hingham Town	21,784	21,486	21,144	20,286	20,171	20,104	19,942	19,882	19,882	1,902	9.6%
Holbrook Town	10,730	10,757	10,817	10,827	10,834	10,816	10,796	10,785	10,785	-55	-0.5%
Hull Town	11,231	11,268	11,290	11,306	11,334	11,223	11,093	11,050	11,050	181	1.6%
Kingston Town	12,475	12,445	12,314	12,194	12,122	11,989	11,831	11,780	11,780	695	5.9%
Marshfield Town	24,836	24,866	24,753	24,766	24,775	24,595	24,397	24,324	24,324	512	2.1%
Middleborough Town	21,305	21,178	21,068	20,884	20,677	20,331	20,034	19,941	19,941	1,364	6.8%
Milton Town	25,902	25,992	25,819	25,781	25,939	26,057	26,077	26,062	26,062	-160	-0.6%
Norwell Town	10,369	10,386	10,364	10,265	10,136	10,016	9,824	9,765	9,765	604	6.2%
Pembroke Town	18,739	18,078	17,670	17,649	17,498	17,248	17,005	16,927	16,927	1,812	10.7%
Plymouth Town	55,516	54,871	54,468	54,070	53,568	52,869	51,963	51,701	51,701	3,815	7.4%
Plympton Town	2,764	2,778	2,748	2,725	2,698	2,668	2,645	2,637	2,637	127	4.8%
Quincy City	91,058	90,102	89,781	88,887	88,970	88,918	88,242	88,025	88,025	3,033	3.4%
Randolph Town	30,326	30,418	30,704	30,825	30,939	31,005	30,984	30,963	30,963	-637	-2.1%
Rockland Town	17,896	17,821	17,815	17,898	17,953	17,830	17,717	17,670	17,670	226	1.3%
Scituate Town	18,083	18,102	18,149	18,165	18,120	17,997	17,904	17,863	17,863	220	1.2%
Weymouth Town	53,606	53,699	54,125	54,359	54,575	54,070	54,026	53,988	53,988	-382	-0.7%

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