

The ExecutiveInsite Report

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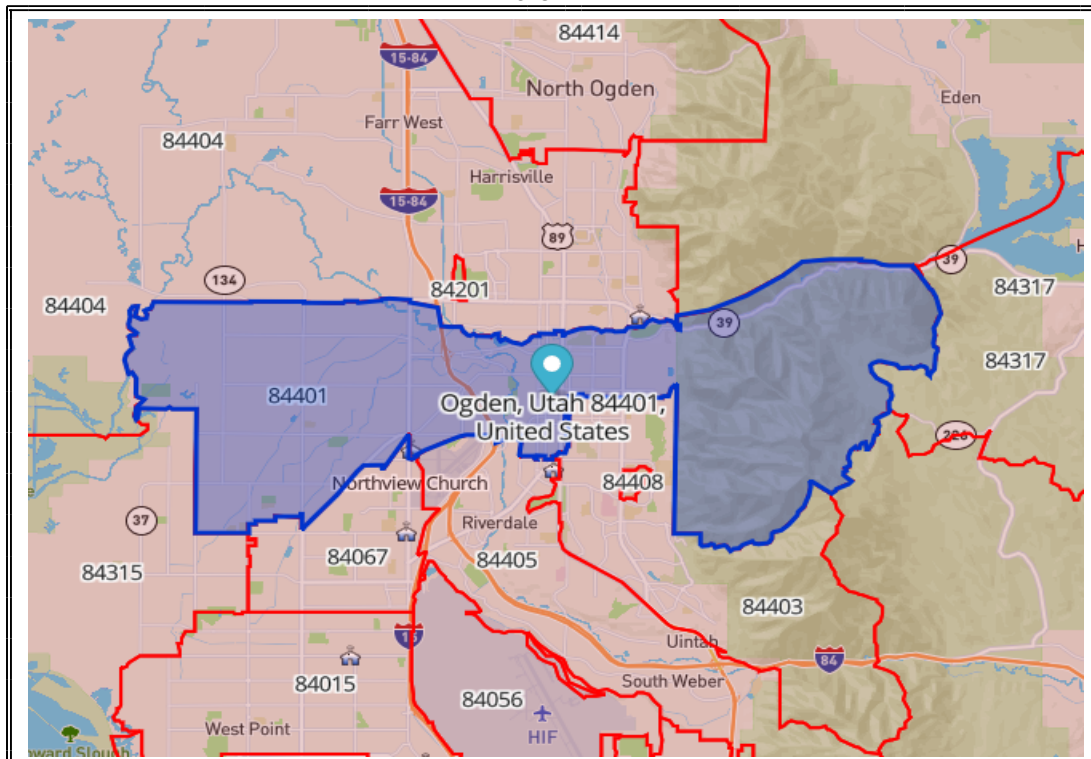
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This ExecutiveInsite Report has been prepared for Ogden 84401. Its purpose is to "tell the demographic story" of the defined geographic study area. ExecutiveInsite integrates narrative analysis with data tables and graphs. Playing on the report name, it includes 12 "Insites" into the study area's story. It includes both demographic and beliefs and practices data.

ExecutiveInsite is intended to give an overview analysis of the defined geographic study area. A defined study area can be a region, a zip code, a county or some custom defined geographic area such as a radius or a user defined polygon. The area of study is displayed in the map below.

THE STUDY AREA



THE 12 INSITES

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Not all of the demographic variables available in the MI System are found in this report. The FullInsite Report will give a more comprehensive view of an area's demographics.

The American Beliefs Study provides a detailed view of religious preferences, practices and beliefs.

INSITE #1: POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD TRENDS

Population:

The estimated 2023 population within the study area is 51,086. The 2028 projection would see the area grow by 7,289 to a total population of 58,375. The population within the study area is growing somewhat faster than the statewide growth rate. While the study area is projected to grow by 14.3% in the next five years, the state is projected to grow by 6.9%. The study area’s estimated average change rate is 2.9%.

Population Per Household

Population per Household: The relationship between population and households provides a hint about how the community is changing. When population grows faster than households, it suggests an increase in the persons per household. This can only happen when more persons are added either by birth or other process such as young adults in multiple roommate households or young adults returning to live with parents. In some communities this can occur when multiple families live in the same dwelling unit.

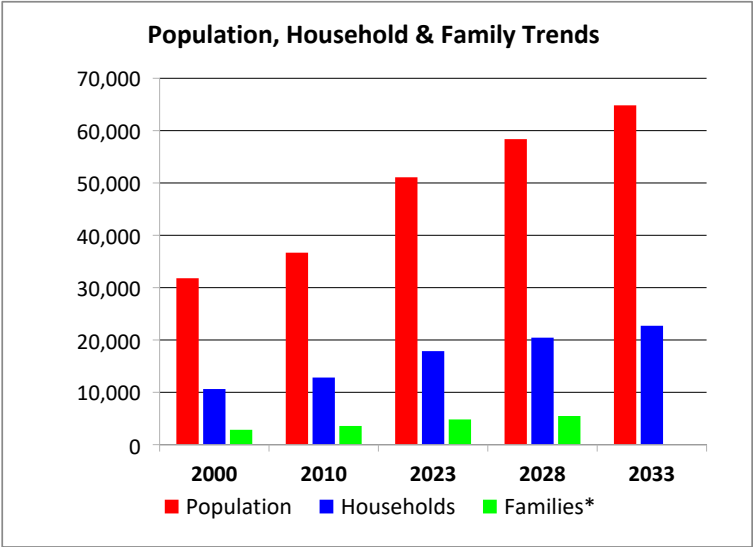
Households:

The households within the community are growing faster than the population, thus the average population per household in 2010 was 2.86 but by 2028 it is projected to be 2.86. Compare this to the statewide average which for the current year is estimated at 3.18 persons per household.

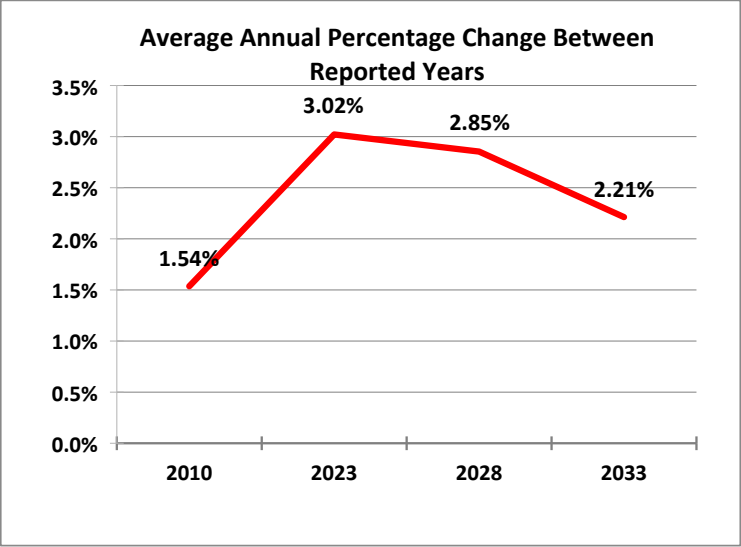
Family Households:

Family households provide an additional hint about the changing dynamics of a community. If family household growth follows population growth, then it would be reasonable to assume that the increasing population per household comes from additional children. However, within the study area, this is not the case. Family households are not growing as fast as the population, suggesting the growth may be the result of growth of non-family adult households.

Population/Households & Family Trends					
Population					
	2000	2010	2023	2028	2033
Population	31,796	36,680	51,086	58,375	64,833
Population Change		4,884	14,406	7,289	6,458
Percent Change		15.4%	39.3%	14.3%	11.1%
Households					
	10,627	12,822	17,870	20,442	22,715
Households Change		2,195	5,048	2,572	2,273
Percent Change		20.7%	39.4%	14.4%	11.1%
Population / Households					
	2.99	2.86	2.86	2.86	2.85
Population / Households Change		-0.13	0.00	0.00	0.00
Percent Change		-4.4%	-0.1%	-0.1%	-0.1%
Families					
	2,839	3,571	4,816	5,475	
Families Change		732	1,245	659	
Percent Change		25.8%	34.9%	13.7%	



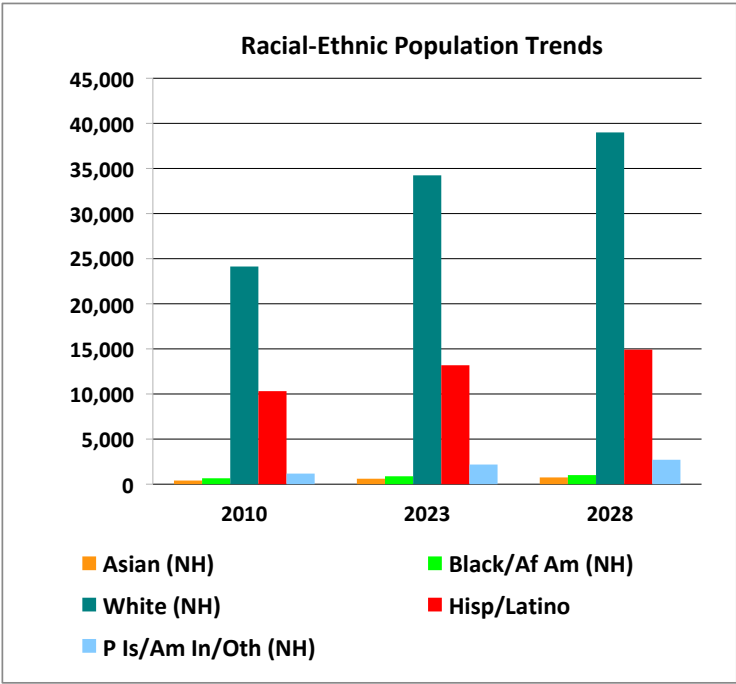
NOTE: Family Household data is not projected out 10 years.



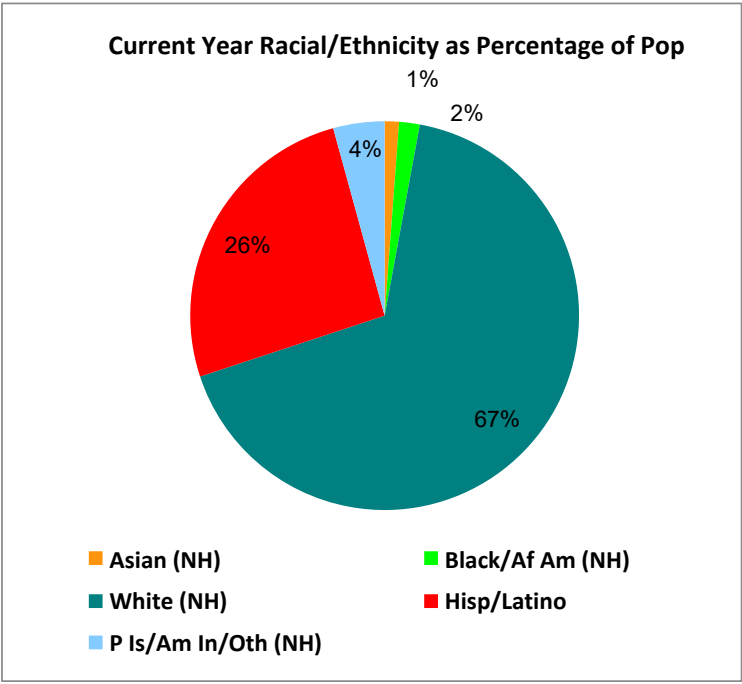
INSITE #2: RACIAL-ETHNIC TRENDS

The US population’s racial-ethnic diversity is continually adding new and rich cultural mixes. This data considers the five groups for which trending information is available. Please note that several groups are aggregated into a single category due to their smaller size. Those persons who indicated Hispanic or Latino ethnicity along with a racial category have been separated into a Hispanic or Latino category.

The Population: Racial/Ethnic Trends table provides the actual numbers and percentage of the total population for each of the five racial/ethnic categories. Pay special attention to the final column on the right. This will quickly indicate the direction of change from the last census to the current five year projection.



The Racial Ethnic Trends graph displays history and projected change by each racial/ethnic group.



This chart shows the percentage of each group for the current year estimate.

The percentage of the population...

Asian (Non-Hisp) is projected to remain about the same over the next five years.

Black/African American (Non-Hisp) is projected to remain about the same over the next five years.

White (Non-Hisp) is projected to remain about the same over the next five years.

Hispanic or Latino is projected to remain about the same over the next five years.

	2010	2023	2028	2010%	2023 %	2028 %	2010 to 2028 %pt Change
Race and Ethnicity							
Asian (NH)	405	606	749	1.10%	1.19%	1.28%	0.18%
Black/Afr Amer (NH)	656	877	1,008	1.79%	1.72%	1.73%	-0.06%
White (NH)	24,131	34,239	38,996	65.79%	67.02%	66.80%	1.01%
Hispanic/Latino	10,314	13,185	14,915	28.12%	25.81%	25.55%	-2.57%
P Is/Am In/Oth (NH)	1,174	2,179	2,708	3.20%	4.27%	4.64%	1.44%
Totals:	36,680	51,086	58,376				

INSITE #3: AGE TRENDS

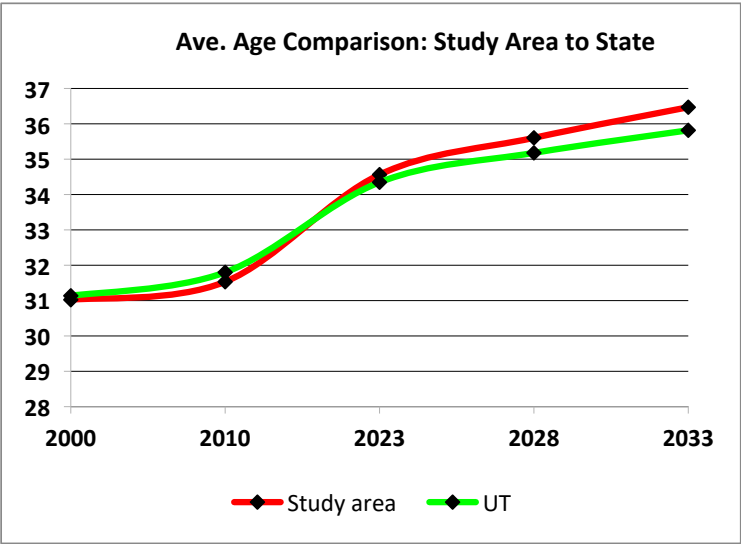
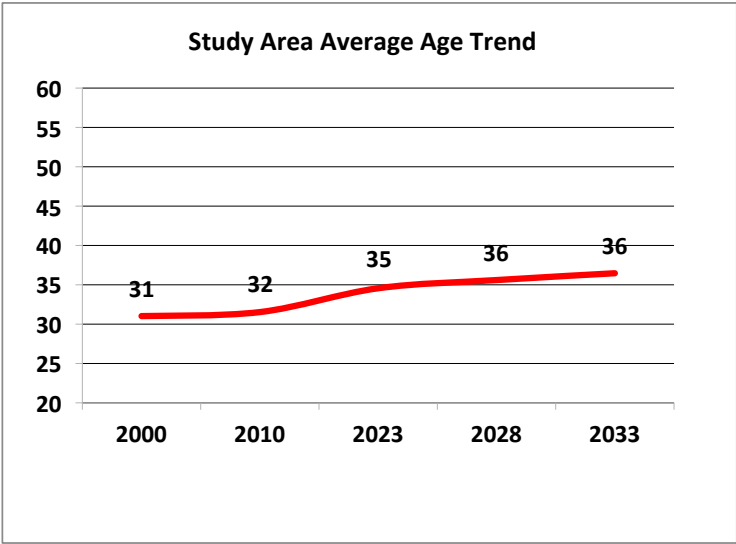
A community’s age structure and how it is changing is an important part of its story. Overall, the American Population has been aging as the Baby Boomers progress through each phase of life. This has been abetted by episodes of declining live births. However, this picture may particularize differently from community to community. There are communities in the US where the average age is lower than some others. In other cases, there is a clear shift toward senior years as the Boomers enter their retirement years.

The Age Trend Insite explores two variables: Average age and Phase of Life.

Average Age Trends provides five important snapshots of a community from five data points; the 2000 census, the last census, the current year estimate, the five-year projection and the ten year forecast. These five numbers will indicate the aging direction of a community.

The Phase of Life Trends breaks the population into seven life phases that the population passes through in its life time.

AGE					
Average Age Trends	2000	2010	2023	2028	2033
Average Age: Study Area	31.02	31.53	34.56	35.60	36.47
Percent Change		1.6%	9.6%	3.0%	2.4%
Average Age: UT	31.14	31.80	34.35	35.18	35.82
Percent Change		2.1%	8.0%	2.4%	1.8%
Comparative Index	100	99	101	101	102
Median Age: Study Area	27	29	32	32	33



Summary of Average Age Findings:

The Average Age Trend chart shows both history and projection of the change in average age in the study area. The average age of the study area has been rising for several years. It is projected to rise over the next five years.

A comparison to the average age of the state helps to contextualize the significance of the average age of the study area and its history and projection. In the graph above, the study area and state are laid out side by side. The state's average age is estimated to be about the same as the study area.

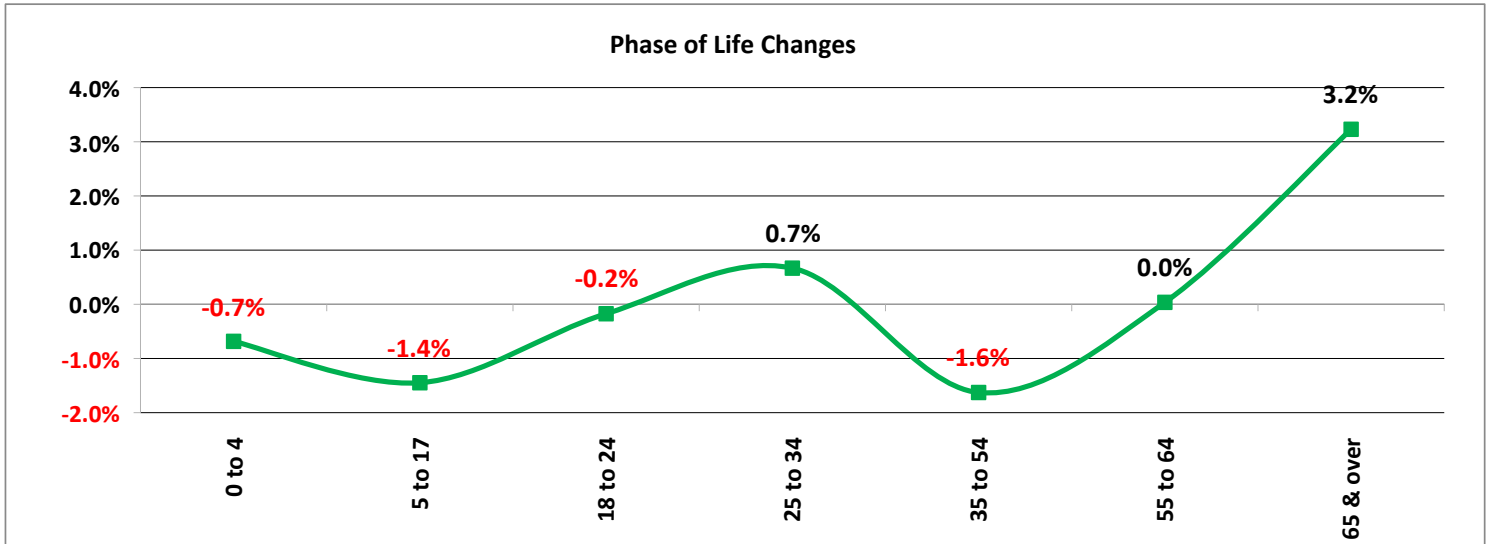
INSITE #3: AGE TRENDS (continued)

PHASE OF LIFE

The Phase of Life analysis provides insight into the age distribution of a population across the different stages of life experience. It can reveal a community in transition.

Pay special attention to the color codes of the Change column (far right below). It will immediately indicate which phases are increasing or decreasing as a percentage of the population.

Phase of Life	2010	2023	2028	2033	2010%	2023%	2028%	2033%	Estimated 10 Year %pt Change 2023 - 2033
Before Formal Schooling									
Ages 0 to 4	3,507	4,294	4,638	5,006	9.6%	8.4%	7.9%	7.7%	-0.7%
Required Formal Schooling									
Ages 5 to 17	7,710	10,740	11,794	12,691	21.0%	21.0%	20.2%	19.6%	-1.4%
College/Career Starts									
Ages 18 to 24	4,141	5,311	6,158	6,627	11.3%	10.4%	10.5%	10.2%	-0.2%
Singles & Young Families									
Ages 25 to 34	6,183	6,729	7,787	8,972	16.9%	13.2%	13.3%	13.8%	0.7%
Families & Empty Nesters									
Ages 35 to 54	9,338	13,088	14,610	15,554	25.5%	25.6%	25.0%	24.0%	-1.6%
Enrichment Years Sing/Couples									
Ages 55 to 64	3,060	5,187	5,684	6,606	8.3%	10.2%	9.7%	10.2%	0.0%
Retirement Opportunities									
Age 65 and over	2,741	5,738	7,704	9,376	7.5%	11.2%	13.2%	14.5%	3.2%



Summary of Phase of Life Findings:

Phase of Life changes reflect the age profile of a community. On average, it takes 2.1 children per woman to replace both mother and father. If the percentage of the population under 20 is declining as a percentage of the total it is likely that the community will see an increase in the more senior aged population possibly due to a decline in birth rates.

In this study area children 17 years of age and younger are declining as a percentage of the total population. Considering the other end of the phases of life, adults 55 years of age and older are increasing as a percentage of the total population.

In summary it may be that the community is aging as children are raised and leave but parents remain.

INSITE #4: SCHOOL AGED CHILDREN TRENDS

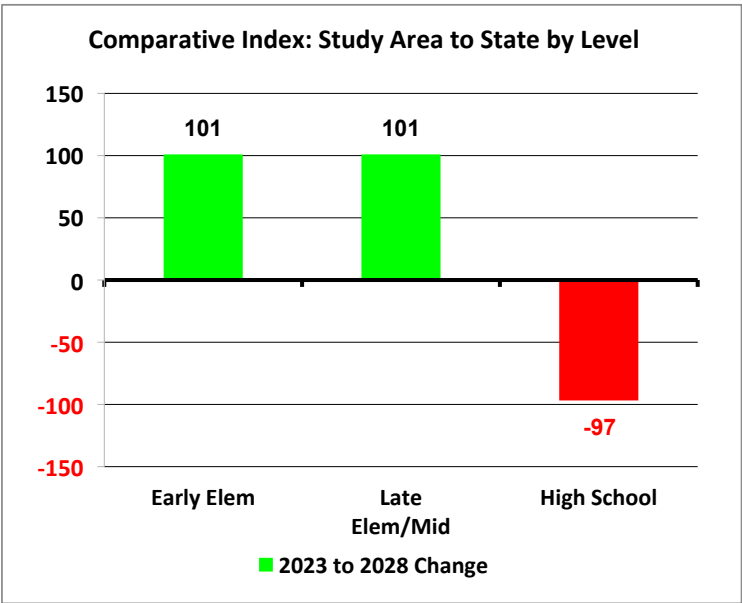
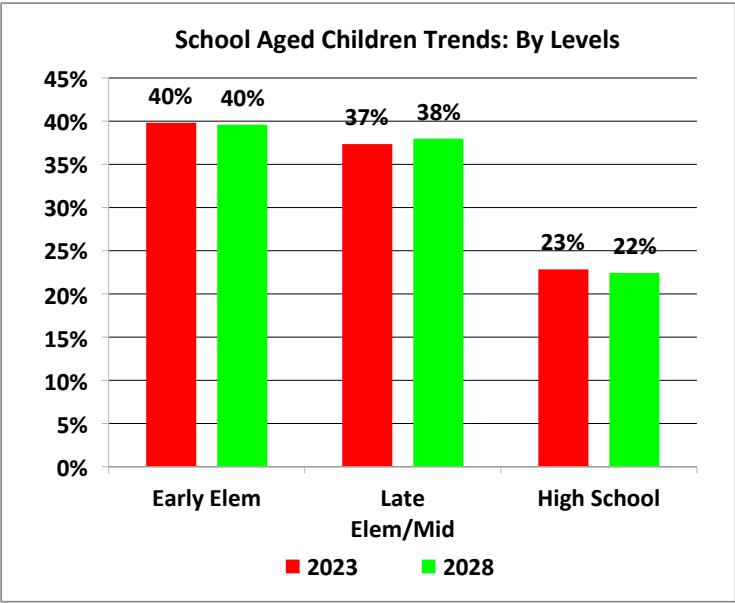
Children are the future! Understanding their specific population dynamics is critical for all planners of social and/or educational services. The “School Aged Children” variable is a subset of the “Required Formal Schooling” segment in the Phase of Life profile. It allows one to zoom in more closely on the children who are of formal schooling age.

The school aged population includes all school aged children including those enrolled in public and private schools, those home schooled and children in institutions.

The School Aged Children variable provides a snapshot of three levels of the population that comprise school age children. The three levels roughly correspond to the following.

- Elementary grades
- Intermediate/Middle School grades
- High School grades

School Aged Children	2010	2023	2028	2010%	2023%	2028%	Estimated 5 Year %pt Change 2023 - 2028
Early Elementary							
Ages 5 to 9	3,240	4,276	4,669	42.0%	39.8%	39.6%	-0.2%
Late Elementary-Middle School							
Ages 10 to 14	2,899	4,011	4,479	37.6%	37.3%	38.0%	0.6%
High School							
Ages 15 to 17	1,571	2,453	2,646	20.4%	22.8%	22.4%	-0.4%



Summary of School Aged Children Findings:

Early Elementary children ages 5 to 9 are projected to decline as a percentage of children between 5 and 17 by -0.2%.

Late Elementary to Middle School aged children ages 10 to 14 are increasing as a percentage of children between 5 and 17 by 0.6%.

High School aged children 15 to 17 are declining as a percentage of children between 5 and 17 by -0.4%.

Overall, children are aging through, but not being replaced at the younger levels.

INSITE #5: HOUSEHOLD AND FAMILY INCOME TRENDS

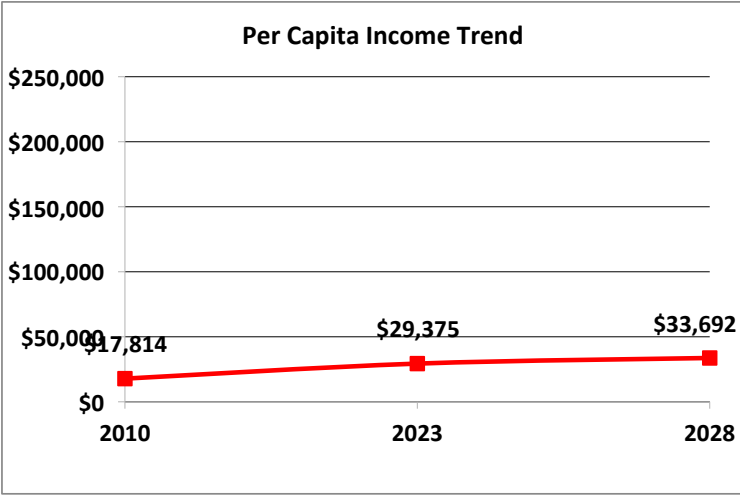
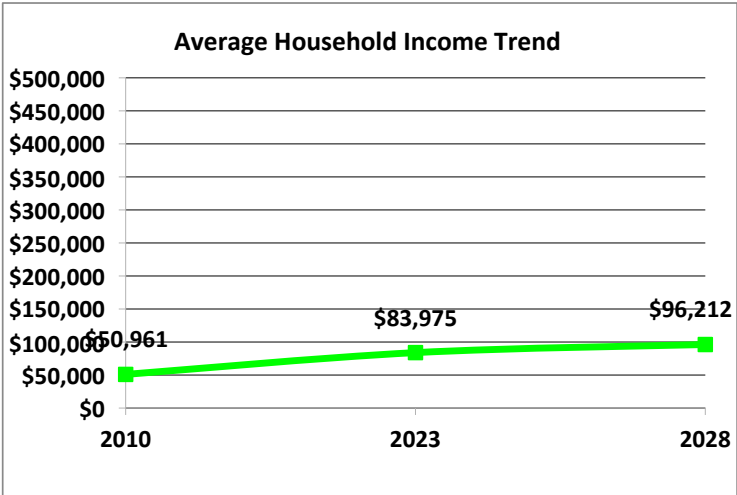
AVERAGE HOUSEHOLD INCOME AND PER CAPITA INCOME

Average Household Income and Per Capita Income indicate the level of financial resources within a community. Average Household income reflects the average income for each household, whether family or non-family.

Per Capita Income is a measure of the average income of all persons within a household. For family households, this would include all children. It does not mean that each person actually contributes to the average income from work. It is calculated by dividing the aggregate household income by the population.

In this study area, the estimated current year average household income is \$83,975. The average household income is projected to grow by 14.6% to \$96,212.

The estimated per capita income for the current year is \$29,375. The Per Capita Income is projected to grow by 14.7% to \$33,692.



Income Trends	2010	2023	2028	2010%	2023%	2028%	Estimated 5 Year %pt Change 2023 - 2028
Households							
Less than \$10,000	1,407	1,018	953	11.0%	5.7%	4.7%	-1.0%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	894	573	585	7.0%	3.2%	2.9%	-0.3%
\$15,000 to \$24,999	1,812	1,276	1,281	14.1%	7.1%	6.3%	-0.9%
\$25,000 to \$34,999	1,491	1,570	1,412	11.6%	8.8%	6.9%	-1.9%
\$35,000 to \$49,999	2,087	2,096	2,332	16.3%	11.7%	11.4%	-0.3%
\$50,000 to \$74,999	2,240	3,438	3,305	17.5%	19.2%	16.2%	-3.1%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,512	2,593	3,066	11.8%	14.5%	15.0%	0.5%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	960	3,148	3,770	7.5%	17.6%	18.4%	0.8%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	303	1,653	2,127	2.4%	9.3%	10.4%	1.2%
\$200,000 or more	117	504	1,610	0.9%	2.8%	7.9%	5.1%
Totals	12,823	17,869	20,441				

INSITE #5: HOUSEHOLD AND FAMILY INCOME TRENDS (continued)

FAMILY INCOME

Family income is a sub-set of household income. It excludes non-family households. Family households include two or more persons who are related and living in the same dwelling unit. Children are more likely to live in family households. Non-family households are households in which two or more persons live in the same dwelling unit but are unrelated.

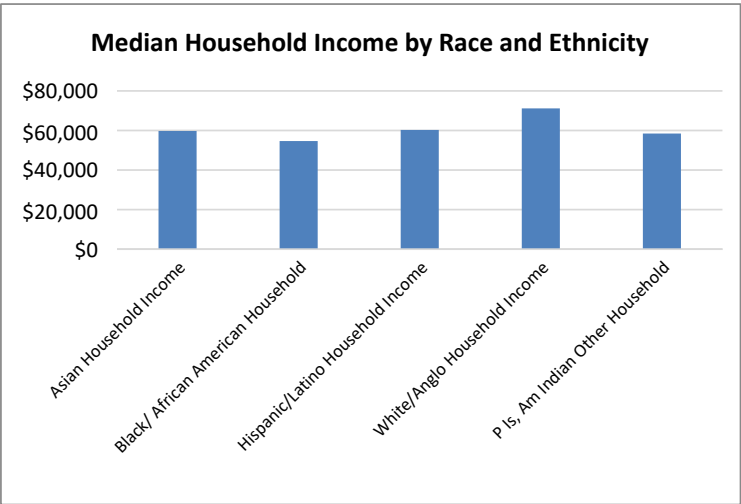
The number of families with annual incomes above \$100,000 is projected to grow over the next five years. For the current year, it is estimated that 37.1% of all family incomes exceed \$100,000 per year. In five years that number is projected to be 37.1%.

Income Trends	2023	2028	2023%	2028%	Estimated 5 Year %pt Change 2023 - 2028
Families					
Less than \$10,000	412	468	3.5%	3.4%	-0.08%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	236	263	2.0%	1.9%	-0.08%
\$15,000 to \$24,999	564	636	4.8%	4.7%	-0.14%
\$25,000 to \$34,999	771	995	6.6%	7.3%	0.73%
\$35,000 to \$49,999	1,414	1,632	12.0%	11.9%	-0.08%
\$50,000 to \$74,999	2,157	2,493	18.3%	18.2%	-0.10%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,850	2,114	15.7%	15.5%	-0.26%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	2,478	2,866	21.1%	21.0%	-0.10%
\$150,000-\$199,999	1,458	1,714	12.4%	12.5%	0.15%
\$200,000 or more	424	488	3.6%	3.6%	-0.03%
Totals	11,764	13,669			

MEDIAN INCOME BY RACE AND ETHNICITY

Median income by race and ethnicity is a subset of household income. Median income is that point where there are as many households with incomes greater than the median as there are households with incomes less than the median.

Median Income by Race and Ethnicity	2023
Asian Household Income	\$59,749
Black/ African American Household Income	\$54,654
Hispanic/Latino Household Income	\$60,277
White/Anglo Household Income	\$71,166
P Is, Am Indian Other Household Income	\$58,455
Average	\$60,860



INSITE #6: HOUSEHOLDS AND CHILDREN TRENDS

Diversity of child rearing environments is increasing along with the many other types of growing diversity in the US. To understand this, we begin with the types of households that exist in a community. There are...

The concern of this analysis is family households with children under 18. Of the types of family households with children there are...

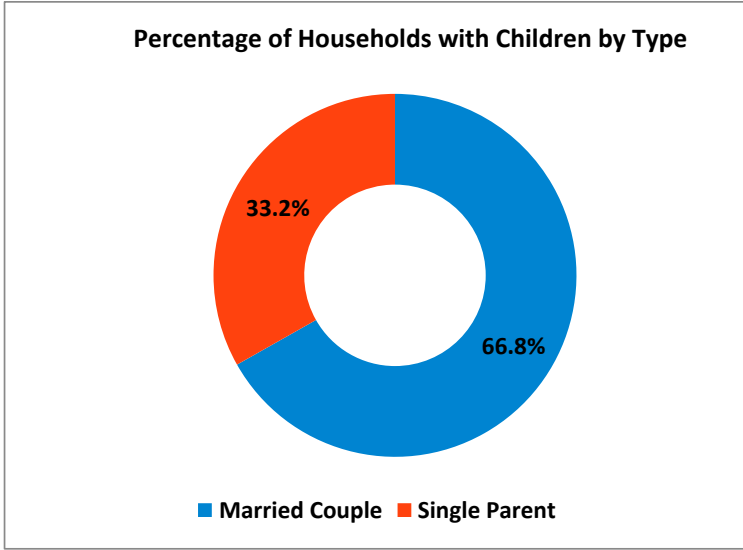
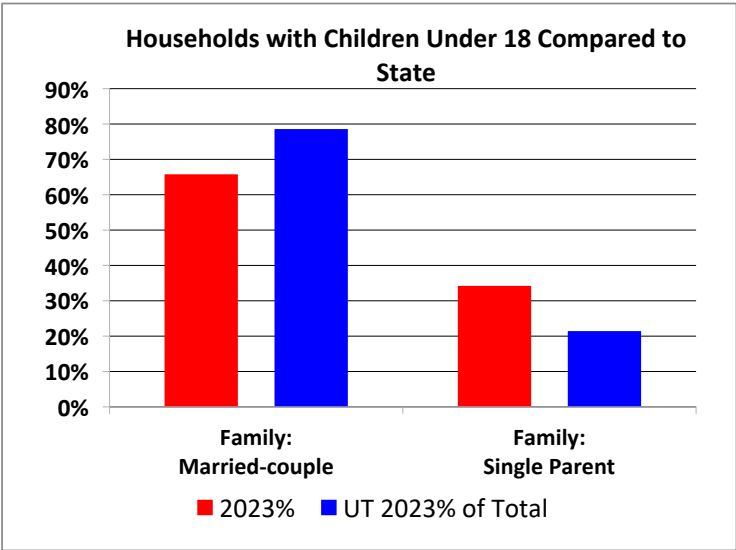
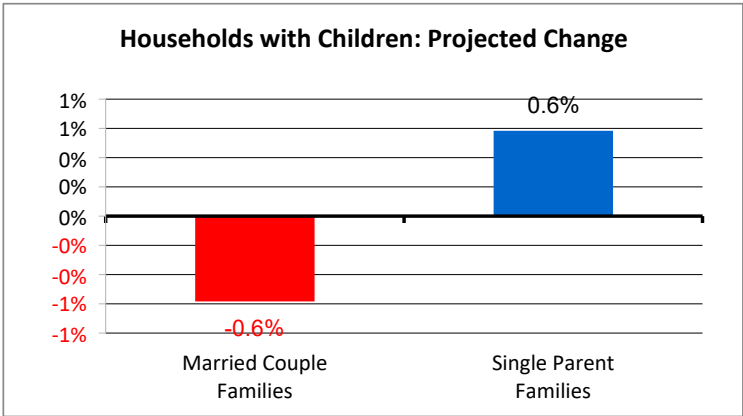
- family households with children under 18
 - family households without children under 18
- Married couple families
 - Single parent families (father or mother)

These two are reported for the study area in the table below.

Households	2010	2023	2028	2010%	2023%	2028%	Estimated 5 Year %pt Change 2023 - 2028
Households with Children under 18							
Married Couple	3,358	4,481	5,124	65.8%	66.8%	66.2%	-0.6%
Single Parent	1,747	2,226	2,613	34.2%	33.2%	33.8%	0.6%

Of the households with children under 18, married couple households are decreasing as a percentage while single parent households are increasing. The graph to the right illustrates this. Bars above the 0% point indicate a family type that is increasing while bars below 0% is decreasing. This provides "insite" into how family households and structures with children are changing in the study area.

A comparison to the state reveals to what extent this community is similar or dissimilar to the state as a whole. The study area's married couple households with children are dissimilar to the state's profile. The percentage of single parent households with children is greater than the state.



INSITE #7: MARITAL STATUS TRENDS

MARITAL STATUS BY TYPE

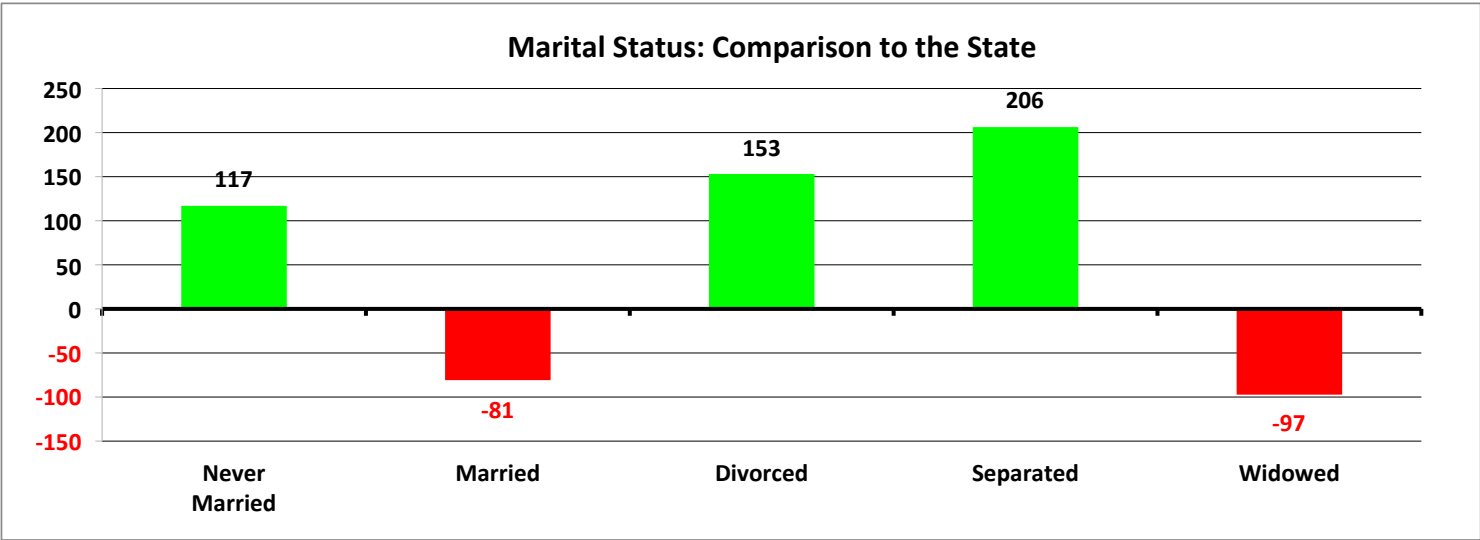
Population by Marital Status considers the number and percentage of persons 15 years of age and greater by their current marital status. Trend information as well as a comparison to the study area's state marital status types provide two different views of this social reality.

Marital types reported include..

- Never Married (Singles)
- Currently Married
- Divorced
- Separated
- Widowed

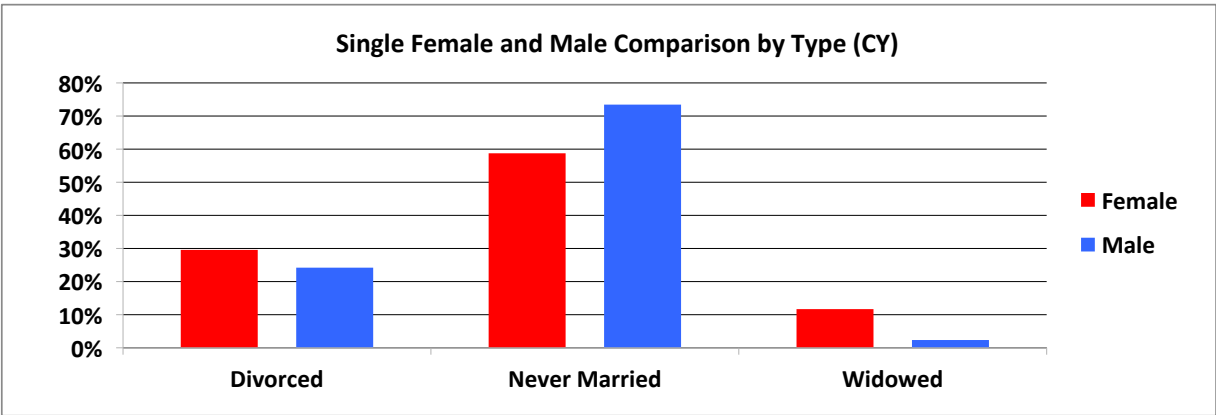
	2010	2023	2028	2010%	2023%	2028%	2010 to 2028 %pt Change
Population by Marital Status: Age 15+							
Never Married	7,854	13,196	15,410	28.5%	33.5%	33.9%	5.4%
Married	14,479	18,257	21,235	52.5%	46.4%	46.7%	-5.8%
Divorced	3,318	5,311	5,983	12.0%	13.5%	13.1%	1.1%
Separated	706	1,227	1,418	2.6%	3.1%	3.1%	0.6%
Widowed	1,231	1,347	1,457	4.5%	3.4%	3.2%	-1.3%

In this community, the current year estimate of marital status reveals a community of adults less likely to be married than the state average for adults. The percentage single, never married in the study area is higher than the state average for adults 15 years and older. Divorce is more prevalent than the state wide average.



Women 15 years and older are more likely to be divorced than men.

Women 15 years and older are more likely to be widowed than men.



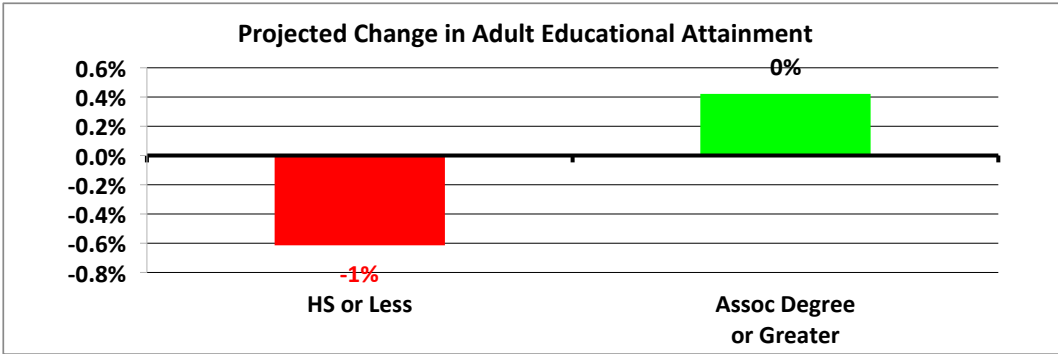
INSITE #8: ADULT EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

The level of educational attainment of a community’s adult population is an important indicator of its opportunities and challenges. This analysis will look at the Adult Educational Attainment from three perspectives.

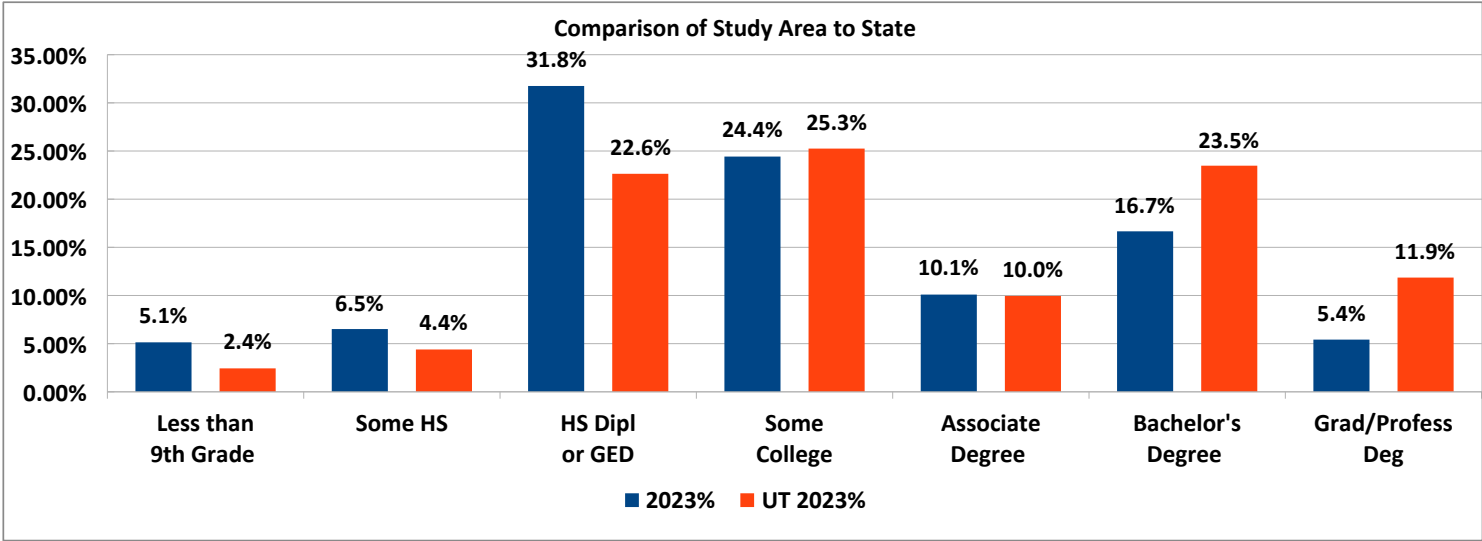
First, it looks to see if the level of educational attainment for adults is rising or not. Second, it compares the level of attainment to that of the state of UT. (If this is a state report, the comparison will be to itself.) Finally, the table provides the percentages from 2010.

EDUCATIONAL LEVEL ATTAINMENT CHANGE

The educational attainment level of adults has declined over the past few years. It is projected to rise over the next five years by 0.4%.



EDUCATIONAL LEVEL COMPARED TO THE STATE



	2010	2023	2028	UT 2023%	2023 Study Area-State Comp Index
Population by Educational Attainment: 25+					
Less than 9th Grade	9.4%	5.1%	4.9%	2.4%	211
Some HS	9.3%	6.5%	6.1%	4.4%	148
HS Dipl or GED	33.1%	31.8%	31.9%	22.6%	140
Some College	23.9%	24.4%	24.4%	25.3%	97
Associate Degree	7.8%	10.1%	10.2%	10.0%	101
Bachelor's Degree	12.3%	16.7%	16.9%	23.5%	71
Grad/Profess Deg	4.1%	5.4%	5.5%	11.9%	46

The overall educational attainment of the adults in this community is lower than the state.

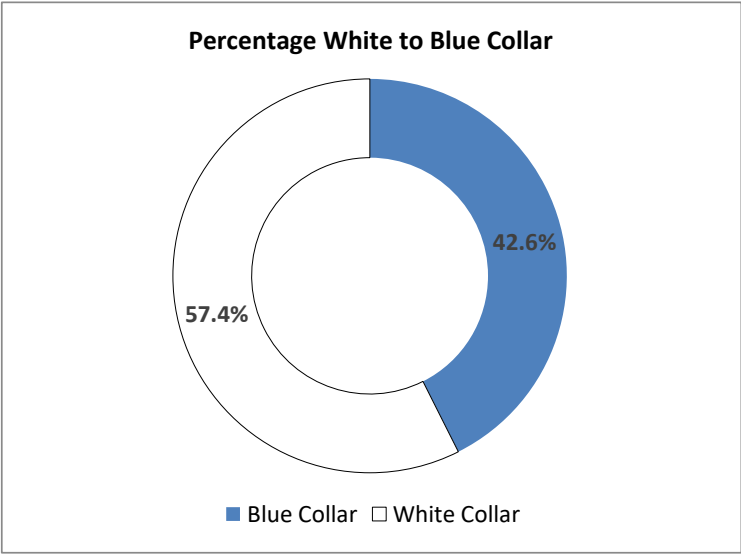
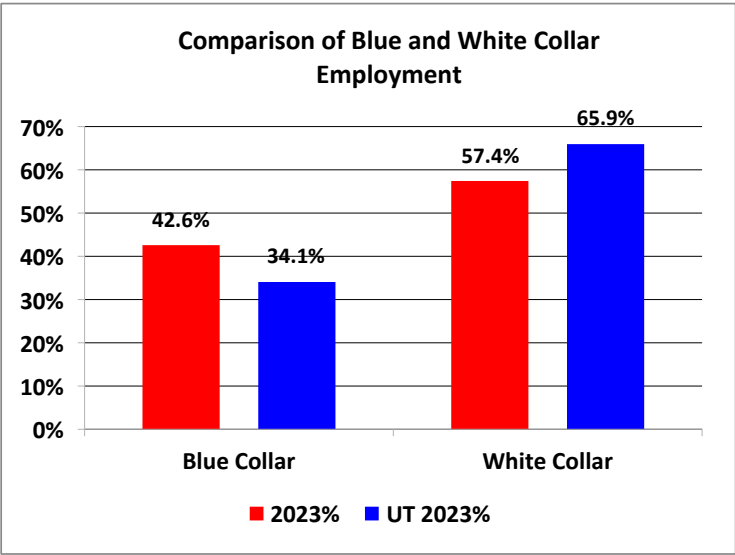
INSITE #9: POPULATION BY EMPLOYMENT

Like educational attainment, an analysis of a community by its employment types and categories provides an important “insite” into its socio-economics. This analysis looks at two factors.

First is a report of the employed population 16 and over by the traditional “blue collar” and “white collar” occupations and compares these to the state. Second, it looks at the community by the seven standard census bureau occupations and compares them to the state.

EMPLOYED POPULATION: BLUE COLLAR OR WHITE COLLAR

On the chart to the left, the study area is compared to the state of UT. This study area is well below the state average for White Collar workers. It is well above the state average for Blue Collar workers.



EMPLOYED CIVILIAN POPULATION BY OCCUPATION

	2023	UT 2023	Comp. Index	Interpretation
Employed Civilian Pop 16+ by Occupation				
Bldg Maintenance & Cleaning	3.6%	3.3%	110	Well above the state average.
Construction	13.5%	8.7%	155	Well above the state average.
Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	0.6%	0.3%	170	Well above the state average.
Food Preparation Serving	4.9%	4.5%	108	At about the state average.
Healthcare Support	2.1%	2.5%	85	Well below the state average.
Managerial Executive	15.0%	16.8%	89	Well below the state average.
Office Admin	13.0%	13.1%	99	At about the state average.
Personal Care	1.7%	2.6%	66	Well below the state average.
Production Transportation	17.0%	12.9%	132	Well above the state average.
Prof Specialty	18.2%	23.6%	77	Well below the state average.
Protective	1.3%	1.6%	79	Well below the state average.
Sales	9.2%	9.9%	92	At about the state average.

INSITE #10: MOSAIC Segments

Mosaic is a geo-demographic segmentation system developed by and for marketers. Instead of looking at individual demographic variables, a segmentation system clusters households into groups with multiple common characteristics. Demographic variables that generally cluster together would include income, educational levels, presence of children and occupations among others.

This database is developed by Experian. Some find the information helpful because it presents a multi-dimensional view of a community.

In the report below, the top 15 Mosaic Segments of the study area are provided. (If less than 15, rows will be blank.)

NOTE: For a full description please see the DI Demographic Segment Guide (Mosaic) under the Help menu on the Documents gallery.

	2023	2023%	State %	Comp Index	Relative to the UT State Ave.
Mosaic Segments					
O51 Singles and Starters - Digitally Savvy	1,925	10.8%	6.8%	158	Well above the state average
R66 Aspirational Fusion - Ambitious Dreamers	1,345	7.5%	0.7%	1068	Well above the state average
F22 Promising Families - Fast Track Couples	1,171	6.6%	9.5%	69	Somewhat below the state average
O54 Singles and Starters - Influenced by Influencers	1,132	6.3%	3.7%	171	Well above the state average
C14 Booming with Confidence - Boomers and Boomerangs	939	5.3%	5.1%	104	About average for the state
O55 Singles and Starters - Family Troopers	762	4.3%	3.3%	131	Well above the state average
P59 Cultural Connections - Expanding Horizons	699	3.9%	0.2%	1650	Well above the state average
L42 Blue Sky Boomers - Rooted Flower Power	619	3.5%	1.6%	222	Well above the state average
P56 Cultural Connections - Mid-Scale Medley	583	3.3%	0.6%	530	Well above the state average
O50 Singles and Starters - Full Steam Ahead	556	3.1%	1.3%	245	Well above the state average
S71 Thrifty Habits - Modest Retirees	542	3.0%	0.2%	1440	Well above the state average
D15 Suburban Style - Sport Utility Families	501	2.8%	1.8%	157	Well above the state average
K40 Significant Singles - Bohemian Groove	489	2.7%	1.3%	218	Well above the state average
H28 Bourgeois Melting Pot - Everyday Moderates	459	2.6%	2.4%	108	About average for the state
D17 Suburban Style - Cul de Sac Diversity	455	2.5%	4.1%	62	Somewhat below the state average

Learn about your Mosaic Households

To access Mosaic Portrait data click on:

[Mosaic USA E-Handbook by Experian](#) (To open in a new Tab hold Control key when you click on the link)

Handbook includes Mosaic Overview and two graphic pages for each of the 19 Groups and 71 Segments.

[How to Read and Understand a Mosaic Portrait - Video](#)

[Understanding Mosaic Portraits for Mission Planning - Video](#)

Faith based clients: To access the Mosaic application guide click on:

[Mission Impact Mosaic Application Guide by Bandy](#) (To open in a new Tab hold Control key when you click on the link)

INSITE #11: GENERATIONS

A powerful way to envision demographics is by following a generation through its phases of life. This is because there are, in a general sense, common life experiences at each phase of life. But even more interesting is to understand a generational cohort group that has a unique sense of belonging to others born and coming of age together. More than mere age bracketing, a generation develops a sense of identity as a group based upon their coming of age experiences—how they were parented and major world defining events, such as 9/11. Using the Strauss and Howe model of generations one is able to see a more three-dimensional view of a generational group, bringing mere age demographics to life.

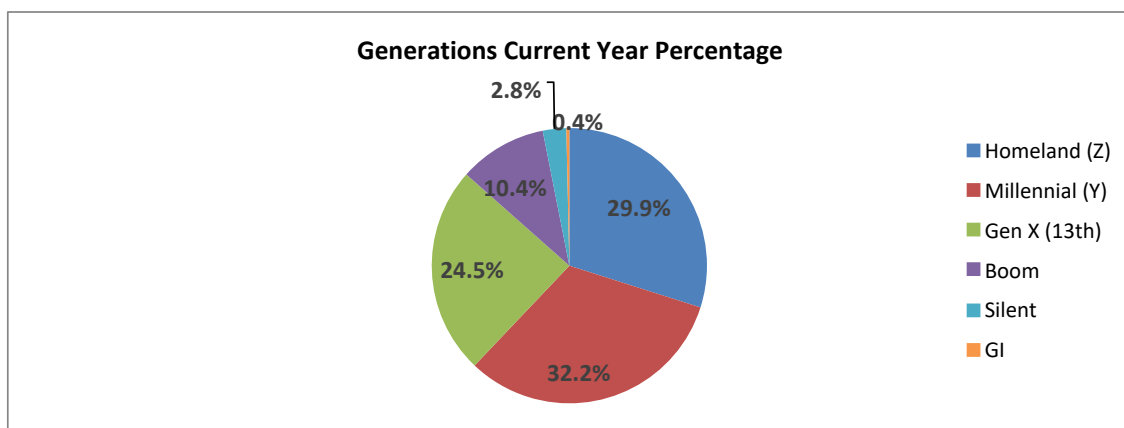
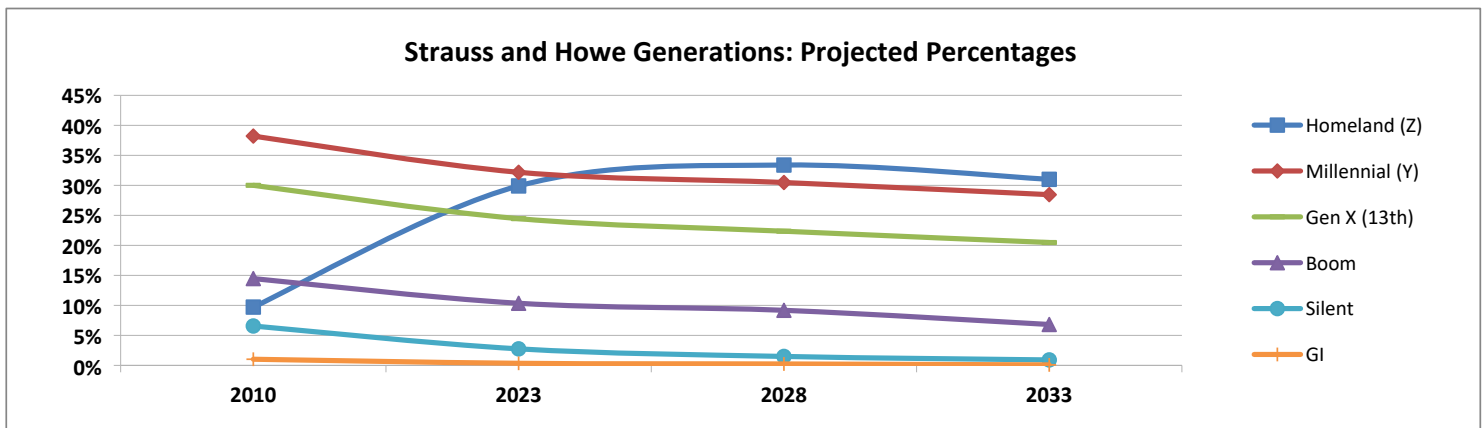
According to the Strauss and Howe model, members of a generation share three qualities. *

- An age location in history
- Some common beliefs and behaviors, including basic attitudes about risk taking, culture and values, civic engagement, and family life
- A common perceived membership in a generation, e.g., Boomers, Gen X, Millennials etc.

(* <http://www.lifecourse.com/about/method/phases.html>)

Name	S & H Type	Initial Birth	Final Birth	2010		2023		2028		2033	
Homeland (Z) Artist		2005	2025	3,506	9.7%	15,033	29.9%	19,188	34.4%	20,101	35.3%
Millennial (Y) Hero		1982	2004	13,790	38.2%	16,176	32.2%	17,516	31.4%	18,445	32.4%
Gen X (13th) Nomad		1961	1981	10,828	30.0%	12,293	24.5%	12,851	23.0%	13,275	23.3%
Boom Prophet		1946	1960	5,221	14.5%	5,204	10.4%	5,276	9.5%	4,419	7.8%
Silent Artist		1925	1945	2,370	6.6%	1,385	2.8%	858	1.5%	593	1.0%
GI Hero		1901	1924	370	1.0%	177	0.4%	138	0.2%	56	0.1%
Totals:				36,085	100.0%	50,268	100%	55,828	100%	56,889	100.0%

[For more information on Generational types, click here](#)



INSITE #12: RELIGIOUS PROGRAM OR MINISTRY PREFERENCES

This information is from the 2021 American Beliefs Study. You can view more results in the ReligiousInsite, ReligiousInsite Priorities, MinistryInsite, or MinistryInsite Priorities reports.

	Study Area		US Average		Comparative Index	
	Modestly Important	Very Important	Modestly Important	Very Important	Modestly Important	Very Important
Personal Growth	35.6%	10.5%	34.9%	8.4%	102	125
Addiction support groups	28.3%	9.3%	27.9%	7.4%	101	125
Health/weight loss programs	28.8%	6.1%	27.4%	4.7%	105	130
Membership and leadership training	36.2%	9.2%	34.3%	6.9%	106	134
Opportunities to develop personal relationships	46.8%	20.1%	48.8%	17.1%	96	118
Practical training seminars (money management, computer skills, etc.)	38.0%	7.6%	36.4%	6.0%	104	128
Family Support and Intervention Services	34.3%	11.9%	33.6%	9.2%	102	130
Daycare/After-School Programs	22.1%	7.7%	20.9%	5.6%	106	137
Crisis support groups	40.8%	12.6%	40.6%	10.2%	100	124
Family oriented activities	40.2%	19.4%	40.9%	15.7%	98	124
Marriage enrichment	34.7%	11.1%	33.4%	8.4%	104	132
Parenting development	28.8%	9.0%	26.5%	6.5%	108	139
Personal/family counseling	39.4%	11.6%	39.2%	8.6%	101	135
Community Involvement and Advocacy Programs	42.8%	13.4%	43.3%	11.5%	99	116
Adult social activities	50.6%	13.9%	52.6%	11.6%	96	120
Involvement in social causes	45.4%	14.0%	46.2%	12.7%	98	111
Mission trips and global outreach	33.0%	10.3%	30.8%	7.7%	107	133
Opportunities for volunteering in the community	48.7%	16.7%	49.5%	14.6%	98	114
Social justice advocacy work	36.3%	12.1%	37.5%	10.9%	97	112
Community Activities or Cultural Programs	39.5%	12.3%	40.2%	10.3%	98	119
Cultural programs (music, drama, art)	42.4%	10.5%	43.8%	8.9%	97	118
Holiday programs/activities	49.0%	17.3%	50.5%	14.9%	97	116
Seniors/retiree activities	40.7%	15.3%	45.0%	13.8%	90	111
Singles or college-age groups	26.6%	8.4%	25.6%	6.3%	104	135
Size of church congregation	42.0%	7.7%	40.8%	6.8%	103	113
Small groups (i.e., life groups, personal interest groups)	46.1%	13.1%	46.7%	10.7%	99	123
Youth social activities	30.0%	13.6%	28.9%	10.8%	104	126
Religious/Spiritual Programs	36.4%	22.7%	36.4%	20.0%	100	114
Bible or Scripture study/prayer groups	33.6%	18.8%	32.3%	14.9%	104	126
Celebration of sacraments	33.1%	20.3%	32.3%	21.2%	102	96
Contemporary worship experiences	39.9%	13.9%	40.3%	11.1%	99	126
Online or virtual worship experiences	38.1%	13.4%	36.8%	11.1%	103	121
Quality sermons	34.2%	37.9%	36.3%	33.3%	94	114
Religious education for children	28.8%	20.3%	27.5%	17.1%	105	119
Spiritual discussion groups	39.8%	13.7%	38.9%	11.1%	102	123
Traditional worship experiences	38.0%	26.8%	39.1%	24.3%	97	110
Warm and friendly encounters	42.0%	39.1%	44.1%	35.8%	95	109

Supporting Information

Interpreting the Report

The ExecutiveInsite report is designed for easy reading. But there are several tools provided in the tables that make this easier.

Change over time: Several trend tables have a column indicating a change over time. Generally these tables begin with the last census, include the current year estimate, a five year projection and if available, a 10 year forecast. The data in each cell represents a percentage change up or down.

Color Coding: Both the "Change over Time" and "Comparative Indexes" columns are color coded to easily spot any change and the direction of that change.

Change:	Increasing	Stable	Declining
Index:	Above Ave	Ave	Below Ave.

Variable Definitions

Full variable definitions can be found in the MI Demographic Reference Guide. Download it free from the Help/Documents menu located on the map screen of your

Indexes: Some variables will have a column called "Comparative Index." An index is an easy way to compare a study area with a larger area. For this report, all comparisons are with the state or states within which the study area falls. The indexes can be interpreted as follows.

- Indexes of 100 mean the study area variable is the same as its base area.
- Indexes greater than 100 mean the study area variable is above the base area. The higher the number, the greater it is above the base.
- Indexes less than 100 mean the study area variable is below the base area. The lower the number, the greater it is below the base.

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