

**City of Brisbane
San Mateo County
Census Data**

1970-2020

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I. Overview

The Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC) is the transportation planning, financing, and coordinating agency for the nine-county San Francisco Bay Area. As a Metropolitan Planning Organization, MTC supports the region's network of streets, roads, highways, public transit systems, airports, and other transportation resources, including the movement of goods through ports and freight rail lines. MTC works with cities and counties to establish short- and long-term goals and provides resources to help them reach these goals.

Census data is a valuable information resource used to inform decision making by MTC as well as other public agencies, businesses, and individuals. This compilation has been created to provide easy access to this historical data for the Bay Area.

Sources:

[California Department of Finance Research](#), Census 1950-1990, Census 2000 SF1, SF3, DP1-DP4, Census 2010 DP-1, American Community Survey 2006-2010, Census 2020 PL 94-171

II. 1970

1970 Census

TOTAL POPULATION	3,003	100.0%
RACE		
White	2,900	96.6%
Negro	8	0.3%
Indian	12	0.4%
Japanese	6	0.2%
Chinese	26	0.9%
Filipino	26	0.9%
All other	25	0.8%
SEX		
Male	1,519	50.6%
Female	1,484	49.4%
AGE		
Under 5 years	255	8.5%
5 to 19 years	716	23.8%
20 to 64 years	1,800	59.9%
65 years and over	232	7.7%
HOUSEHOLDS		
Head of household	1,128	100.0%
Families	802	71.1%
Persons per household	2.66	X
INCOME AND POVERTY IN 1969		
Income of families and unrelated individuals	8,735	X
Income of persons	3,794	X
Less than poverty level		8.3%

III. 1980

1980 Census

TOTAL POPULATION	2,860	100.0%
RACE		
White	2,683	93.8%
Black	4	0.1%
American Indian, Eskimo, and Aleut	0	0.0%
Eskimo	0	0.0%
Aleut	0	0.0%
Asian and Pacific Islander	93	3.3%
Japanese	32	1.1%
Chinese	14	0.5%
Filipino	29	1.0%
Korean	18	0.6%
Asian Indian	0	0.0%
Vietnamese	0	0.0%
Hawaiian	0	0.0%
Samoan	0	0.0%
Guamanian	0	0.0%
Other Asian and Pacific Islander	0	0.0%
Race, n.e.c.	80	2.8%
SPANISH ORIGIN	281	9.8%
AGE		
Median age	33.5	X
HOUSEHOLDS		
Total households	1,362	100.0%
Families	708	52.0%
With own children under 18 years	337	24.7%
Persons per household	2.18	X
INCOME AND POVERTY IN 1979		
Median household income	19,618	X
Median family income	25,000	X
Per capita income	10,929	X
Below poverty level		4.0%
COMMUTING TO WORK		
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	19.9	X

MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK

Workers 16 years and over	1,671	100.0%
Private vehicle	1,282	76.7%
Drive alone	967	57.9%
Carpool	315	18.9%
Public transportation	168	10.1%
Walked only	110	6.6%
Other means	71	4.2%
Worked at home	40	2.4%

IV. 1990

1990 Census

TOTAL POPULATION	2,952	100.0%
RACE		
White	2,647	89.7%
Black	14	0.5%
American Indian, Eskimo, or Aleut	0	0.0%
Eskimo	0	0.0%
Aleut	0	0.0%
Asian or Pacific Islander	239	8.1%
Asian	229	7.8%
Japanese	42	1.4%
Chinese	52	1.8%
Filipino	58	2.0%
Korean	43	1.5%
Asian Indian	12	0.4%
Vietnamese	0	0.0%
Cambodian	0	0.0%
Hmong	0	0.0%
Laotian	0	0.0%
Thai	9	0.3%
Other Asian	13	0.4%
Pacific Islander	10	0.3%
Polynesian	10	0.3%
Hawaiian	10	0.3%
Samoan	0	0.0%
Tongan	0	0.0%
Other Polynesian	0	0.0%
Micronesian -- Guamanian	0	0.0%
Micronesian -- Other	0	0.0%
Melanesian	0	0.0%
Pacific Islander Not Specified	0	0.0%
Other Race	52	1.8%
TOTAL HISPANIC	415	14.1%
SEX		
Male	1,485	50.3%
Female	1,467	49.7%

AGE		
Under 5 years	190	6.4%
5 to 17 years	364	12.3%
18 to 64 years	2,139	72.5%
65 years and over	259	8.8%
Median age	36.5	X
HOUSEHOLDS		
Households	1,313	100.0%
Total families	712	54.2%
With own children under 18 years	310	23.6%
Persons per household	2.22	X
Persons per family	2.96	X
INCOME AND POVERTY IN 1989		
Median household income	38,368	X
Median family income	47,024	X
Per capita income	19,808	X
Below poverty level		8.6%
COMMUTING TO WORK		
Mean minutes traveled to work	24.0	X
MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK		
Workers 16 years and over	1,687	100.0%
Car, truck, or van	1,521	90.2%
Drove alone	1,283	76.1%
Carpooled	238	14.1%
Public transportation	74	4.4%
Bus or trolley bus	49	2.9%
Streetcar or trolley car	0	0.0%
Subway or elevated	6	0.4%
Railroad	19	1.1%
Ferryboat	0	0.0%
Taxicab	0	0.0%
Motorcycle	13	0.8%
Bicycle	8	0.5%
Walked	42	2.5%
Other means	5	0.3%
Working at home	24	1.4%

V. 2000

Census 2000

TOTAL POPULATION	3,597	100.0%
In households	3,557	98.9%
In group quarters	40	1.1%
RACE		
White	2,624	72.9%
Black or African American	38	1.1%
American Indian and Alaska Native	24	0.7%
Asian	524	14.6%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	22	0.6%
Some other race	18	5.0%
Two or more races	185	5.1%
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	550	5.3%
Not Hispanic or Latino	3,047	84.7%
White	2,329	64.7%
Black or African American	35	1.0%
American Indian and Alaska Native	13	0.4%
Asian	507	14.1%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	19	0.5%
Some other race	20	0.6%
Two or more races	124	3.4%
SEX		
Male	1,806	50.1%
Female	1,791	49.8%
AGE		
Under 5 years	161	4.5%
5 to 17 years	477	13.3%
18 to 64 years	2,667	74.1%
65 years and over	292	8.1%
Median age	40.3	X

HOUSEHOLDS		
Total households	1,620	100.0%
Family households	850	52.5%
Families with children under 18	372	23.0%
Average household size	2.20	X
Average family size	2.89	X
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	1,831	100.0%
Occupied housing units	1,620	88.5%
Owner-occupied housing units	1,081	66.7%
Renter-occupied housing units	539	33.3%
Vacant housing units	211	11.5%
1 unit, detached housing	1,000	55.0%
Median value owner occupied unit (dollars)	382,300	X
Median gross rent (dollars)	975	X
PLACE OF BIRTH BY CITIZENSHIP STATUS		
Native	2,788	79.1%
Foreign born	735	20.9%
Naturalized citizen	326	9.3%
Not a citizen	409	11.6%
INCOME AND POVERTY IN 1999		
Median household income (dollars)	63,684	X
Median family income (dollars)	81,484	X
Per capita income (dollars)	37,161	X
Individuals in poverty	201	5.7%
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT		
Population 25 and over	2,708	100.0%
High school graduate	455	16.8%
Bachelor's degree	634	23.4%
Graduate or professional degree	458	16.9%
COMMUTING TO WORK		
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	26.6	X

MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK FOR WORKERS 16 YEARS AND OVER

Total	2,079	100.0%
Car, truck, or van:	1,771	85.2%
Drove alone	1,498	72.1%
Carpooled	273	13.1%
Public transportation	117	5.6%
Bus or trolley bus	86	4.1%
Streetcar or trolley car	0	0.0%
Subway or elevated	17	0.8%
Railroad	14	0.7%
Ferryboat	0	0.0%
Taxicab	0	0.0%
Motorcycle	30	1.4%
Bicycle	10	0.5%
Walked	44	2.1%
Other means	20	1.0%
Worked at home	87	4.2%

LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT BY OCCUPATION

Employed civilian population 16 years and over	2,097	100.0%
Management, professional and related	980	46.7%
Service	249	11.9%
Sales and office	486	23.2%
Farming, fishing & forestry	0	0.0%
Construction, extraction, and maintenance	194	9.3%
Production, transportation, and material moving	188	9.0%

CLASS OF WORKER

Self-employed workers	291	13.9%
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VI. 2010

Census 2010

TOTAL POPULATION	4,282	100.0%
In households	4,266	99.6%
In group quarters	16	0.4%
RACE		
White	2,578	60.2%
Black or African American	80	1.9%
American Indian and Alaska Native	21	0.5%
Asian	1,084	25.3%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	41	1.0%
Some other race	182	4.3%
Two or more races	296	6.9%
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	712	16.6%
Not Hispanic or Latino	3,570	83.4%
White	2,165	50.6%
Black or African American	80	1.9%
American Indian and Alaska Native	10	0.2%
Asian	1,059	24.7%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	39	0.9%
Some other race	20	0.5%
Two or more races	197	4.6%
SEX		
Male	2,148	50.2%
Female	2,134	49.8%
AGE		
Under 5 years	284	6.6%
5 to 17 years	541	12.6%
18 to 64 years	3,028	70.7%
65 years and over	429	10.0%
Median age	41.7	X

HOUSEHOLDS

Total households	1,821	100.0%
Family households	1,063	58.4%
Families with children under 18	466	25.6%
Average household size	2.34	X
Average family size	2.94	X

HOUSING OCCUPANCY

Total housing units	1,934	100.0%
Occupied housing units	1,812	94.2%
Owner-occupied housing units	1,169	64.2%
Renter-occupied housing units	652	35.8%
Vacant housing units	113	5.8%

VII. 2010 American Community Survey

2006-2010 American Community Survey

TOTAL POPULATION	4,098	100.0%
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	1,788	100.0%
Occupied housing units	1,698	95.0%
Owner-occupied housing units	1,007	59.3%
Renter-occupied housing units	691	40.7%
Vacant housing units	90	5.0%
1 unit, detached housing	1,021	57.1%
Median value owner occupied unit (dollars)	695,400	X
Median gross rent (dollars)	1,333	X
PLACE OF BIRTH BY CITIZENSHIP STATUS		
Native	3,012	73.5%
Foreign born	1,086	26.5%
Naturalized citizen	668	16.3%
Not a citizen	418	10.2%
INCOME AND POVERTY IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS		
Median household income (dollars)	90,156	X
Median family income (dollars)	102,446	X
Per capita income (dollars)	48,257	X
Individuals in poverty	247	6.1%
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT		
Population 25 and over	3,132	100.0%
High school graduate		19.1%
Bachelor's degree		29.7%
Graduate or professional degree		13.8%
COMMUTING TO WORK		
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	25.4	X

MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK FOR WORKERS 16 YEARS AND OVER

Total	2,310	100.0%
Car, truck, or van:	1,807	78.2%
Drove alone	1,575	68.2%
Carpooled	232	10.0%
Public transportation	275	11.9%
Bus or trolley bus	189	8.2%
Streetcar or trolley car	0	0.0%
Subway or elevated	86	3.7%
Railroad	0	0.0%
Ferryboat	0	0.0%
Taxicab	0	0.0%
Motorcycle	36	1.6%
Bicycle	35	1.5%
Walked	104	4.5%
Other means	0	0.0%
Worked at home	53	2.3%

LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT BY OCCUPATION

Employed civilian population 16 years and over	2,395	100.0%
Management, professional and related	1,109	46.3%
Service	407	17.0%
Sales and office	575	24.0%
Farming, fishing & forestry		Included in following category
Construction, extraction, and maintenance	161	6.7%
Production, transportation, and material moving	143	6.0%

CLASS OF WORKER

Self-employed workers	278	11.6%
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VIII. 2020

Census 2020

TOTAL POPULATION	4,851	100.0%
In households	4,837	99.7%
In group quarters	14	0.3%
RACE		
Population of one race:	4,161	85.8%
White alone	2,114	43.6%
Black or African American alone	89	1.8%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	30	0.6%
Asian alone	1,539	31.7%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	24	0.5%
Some Other Race alone	365	7.5%
Population of two races	623	12.8%
Population of three races	54	1.1%
Population of four races	12	0.2%
Population of five races	1	0.0%
Population of six races	0	0.0%
HISPANIC OR LATINO		
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	868	17.9%
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	2,052	100.0%
Occupied housing units	1,955	95.3%
Vacant housing units	97	4.7%