

Hudson, NH



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County
 Labor Market Area
 Tourism Region
 Planning Commission
 Regional Development

Hillsborough
Nashua, NH-MA NECTA Division
Merrimack Valley
Nashua Regional
Regional Economic Development Corp.

Election Districts

US Congress
 Executive Council
 State Senate
 State Representative

District 2
District 5
District 14
Hillsborough County Districts 13, 38

Incorporated: 1746

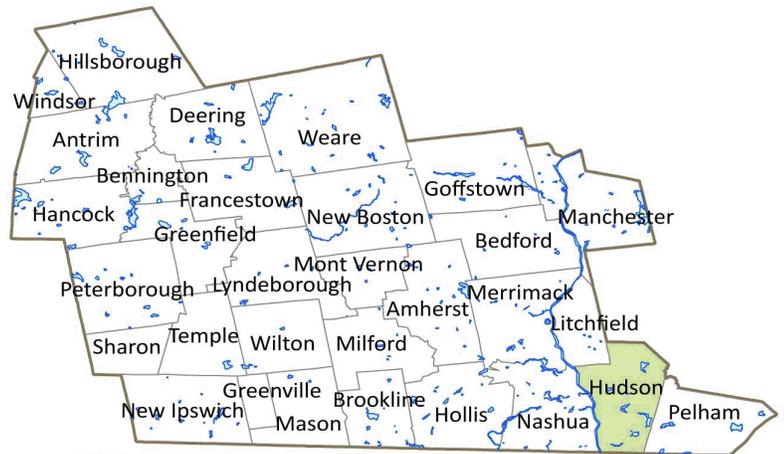
Origin: This area was first a part of the 1673 Massachusetts Dunstable grant. In 1732, portions of Dunstable that were east of the Merrimack River and not annexed to Londonderry became Nottingham, Massachusetts. In 1741, following the establishment of New Hampshire-Massachusetts border, the town was incorporated as Nottingham West. Owing to confusion with the town of Nottingham in the north, voters petitioned to have the town renamed in 1830. The name Hudson was chosen because of its position near the point where the Merrimack River, once thought to flow east from the Hudson River, was found to come from the north.

Villages and Place Names: Hudson Center, Potash Corner

Population, Year of the First Census Taken: 1,064 residents in 1790

Population Trends: Population change for Hudson totaled 14,798 over 50 years, from 10,638 in 1970 to 25,436 in 2020. The largest decennial percent change was a 40 percent increase from 1980 to 1990. The town's population increased by four percent from 2010 to 2020. The 2022 Census estimate for Hudson was 25,570 residents, which ranked tenth among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.

Population Density and Land Area, 2022 (US Census Bureau): 896.2 persons per square mile of land area. Hudson contains 28.5 square miles of land area and 0.8 square miles of inland water area.



Hillsborough County

MUNICIPAL SERVICES	
Type of Government	Selectmen
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2021-2022	\$36,348,010
Budget: School Appropriations, 2021-2022	\$57,210,449
Zoning Ordinance	1942/20
Master Plan	2006
Capital Improvement Plan	Yes
Industrial Plans Reviewed By	Planning Board

Boards and Commissions
 Elected: **Selectmen; Library; Cemetery; Budget; Planning**
 Appointed: **Conservation; ZBA**

Public Library **Rodgers Memorial**

EMERGENCY SERVICES		
Police Department		Full-time
Fire Department		Full-time
Emergency Medical Service		Full-time
Nearest Hospital(s)	Distance	Staffed Beds
Southern NH Medical Center, Nashua	1 mile	163
St. Joseph Hospital, Nashua	3 miles	159

UTILITIES		
Electric Supplier	Eversource Energy	
Natural Gas Supplier	Liberty Utilities	
Water Supplier	Hudson Water Department	
Sanitation	Private septic & municipal	
Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant	No	
Solid Waste Disposal		
Curbside Trash Pickup	Municipal	
Pay-As-You-Throw Program	No	
Recycling Program	Voluntary	
Telephone Company	Consolidated Communications	
Cellular Telephone Access	Yes	
Cable Television Access	Yes	
Public Access Television Station	Yes	
High Speed Internet Service:	Business	Yes
	Residential	Yes

PROPERTY TAXES (NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)	
2022 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$14.69
2022 Equalization Ratio	93.8
2022 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$13.65
2022 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type	
Residential Land and Buildings	78.7%
Commercial Land and Buildings	17.4%
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other	3.9%

HOUSING (ACS 2017-2021)	
Total Housing Units	9,881
Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached	7,812
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:	
Two to Four Units in Structure	851
Five or More Units in Structure	1,076
Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units	142

POPULATION (1-YEAR ESTIMATES/DECENNIAL)		(US Census Bureau)	
Total Population	Community	County	
2022	25,570	426,594	
2020	25,394	422,937	
2010	24,467	400,721	
2000	22,985	382,384	
1990	19,663	336,549	
1980	14,022	276,608	

DEMOGRAPHICS AMERICAN COMMUNITY SURVEY (ACS) 2017-2021			
Population by Gender			
Male	12,883	Female	12,431
Population by Age Group			
Under age 5	905		
Age 5 to 19	4,366		
Age 20 to 34	4,230		
Age 35 to 54	7,459		
Age 55 to 64	3,789		
Age 65 and over	4,565		
Median Age	45.2 years		
Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over: 18,384			
High school graduate or higher	95.5%		
Bachelor's degree or higher	33.4%		

INCOME, INFLATION ADJUSTED \$		(ACS 2017-2021)	
Per capita income	\$51,705		
Median family income	\$136,557		
Median household income	\$112,285		
Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers			
Male	\$76,171		
Female	\$58,875		
Individuals below the poverty level	3.7%		

LABOR FORCE (NHES – ELMII)		
Annual Average	2012	2022
Civilian labor force	14,312	15,149
Employed	13,398	14,715
Unemployed	914	434
Unemployment rate	6.4%	2.9%

EMPLOYMENT & WAGES (NHES – ELMII)		
Annual Average Covered Employment	2012	2022
Goods Producing Industries		
Average Employment	3,845	4,755
Average Weekly Wage	\$1,307	\$1,875
Service Providing Industries		
Average Employment	5,002	6,734
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 729	\$1,175
Total Private Industry		
Average Employment	8,847	11,489
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 980	\$1,465
Government (Federal, State, and Local)		
Average Employment	889	957
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 959	\$1,128
Total, Private Industry plus Government		
Average Employment	9,737	12,446
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 978	\$1,439

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EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE

Schools students attend: **Hudson operates grades K-12** District: **SAU 81**
 Career Technology Center(s): **Milford HS & Applied Technology Center; Wilbur H. Palmer Career & Tech Ed Center (Hudson); Nashua Technology Center**

Educational Facilities (includes Charter Schools)	Elementary	Middle/Junior High	High School	Private/Parochial
Number of Schools	4	1	1	1
Grade Levels	P K 1-5	6-8	9-12	P K 1-8
Total Enrollment	1,326	692	1,037	445

Nearest Community College: **Nashua**
 Nearest Colleges or Universities: **Rivier; Thomas More**

2022 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (DHHS-Bureau of Child Care Licensing) Total Facilities: **15** Total Capacity: **794**

LARGEST BUSINESSES	PRODUCT/SERVICE	EMPLOYEES	ESTABLISHED
BAE Systems	Signal analysis & jamming technology	678	
Hudson School District	Education	571	
APW Enclosures	Sheet metal fabrication & integration	300	
Integra BioScience	Research	190	
Town of Hudson	Municipal services	180	
Hudson Mills	Apparel, textile	100	
Mercury Systems	Defense electronics	200	
Comcast	Cable television call center	250	

Employer Information Supplied by Municipality

TRANSPORTATION (distances estimated from city/town hall)			
Road Access	US Routes		
	State Routes	3A, 101A, 102, 111	
Nearest Interstate, Exit	Everett Tpk., Exit 7; I-93, Exit 3		
	Distance	3 miles; 10 miles	
Railroad		No	
Public Transportation		No	
Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation			
Boire Field, Nashua	Runway	6,000 ft. asphalt	
Lighted?	Yes	Navigation Aids?	Yes
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service			
Manchester-Boston Regional	Distance	19 miles	
Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport		4	
Driving distance to select cities:			
Manchester, NH		19 miles	
Portland, Maine		105 miles	
Boston, Mass.		44 miles	
New York City, NY		233 miles	
Montreal, Quebec		276 miles	
COMMUTING TO WORK (ACS 2017-2021)			
Workers 16 years and over			
Drove alone, car/truck/van		82.4%	
Carpooled, car/truck/van		5.3%	
Public transportation		1.0%	
Walked		0.1%	
Other means		0.8%	
Worked at home		10.4%	
Mean Travel Time to Work		31.6 minutes	
Percent of Working Residents			
Working in community of residence		22.8%	
Commuting to another NH community		46.3%	
Commuting out-of-state		30.9%	

RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS	
X	Municipal Parks
	YMCA/YWCA
	Boys Club/Girls Club
X	Golf Courses
	Swimming: Indoor Facility
	Swimming: Outdoor Facility
	Tennis Courts: Indoor Facility
X	Tennis Courts: Outdoor Facility
X	Ice Skating Rink: Indoor Facility
	Bowling Facilities
	Museums
	Cinemas
	Performing Arts Facilities
X	Tourist Attractions
X	Youth Organizations (i.e., Scouts, 4-H)
X	Youth Sports: Baseball
X	Youth Sports: Soccer
X	Youth Sports: Football
X	Youth Sports: Basketball
X	Youth Sports: Hockey
	Campgrounds
X	Fishing/Hunting
X	Boating/Marinas
X	Snowmobile Trails
X	Bicycle Trails
X	Cross Country Skiing
X	Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
	Overnight or Day Camps
	Nearest Ski Area(s): McIntyre
	Other: Musquash Conservation Land