



Cambridge City Employee Brownbag:

Where Did We Come From?*

Where Are We Now?

Where Are We Going?*

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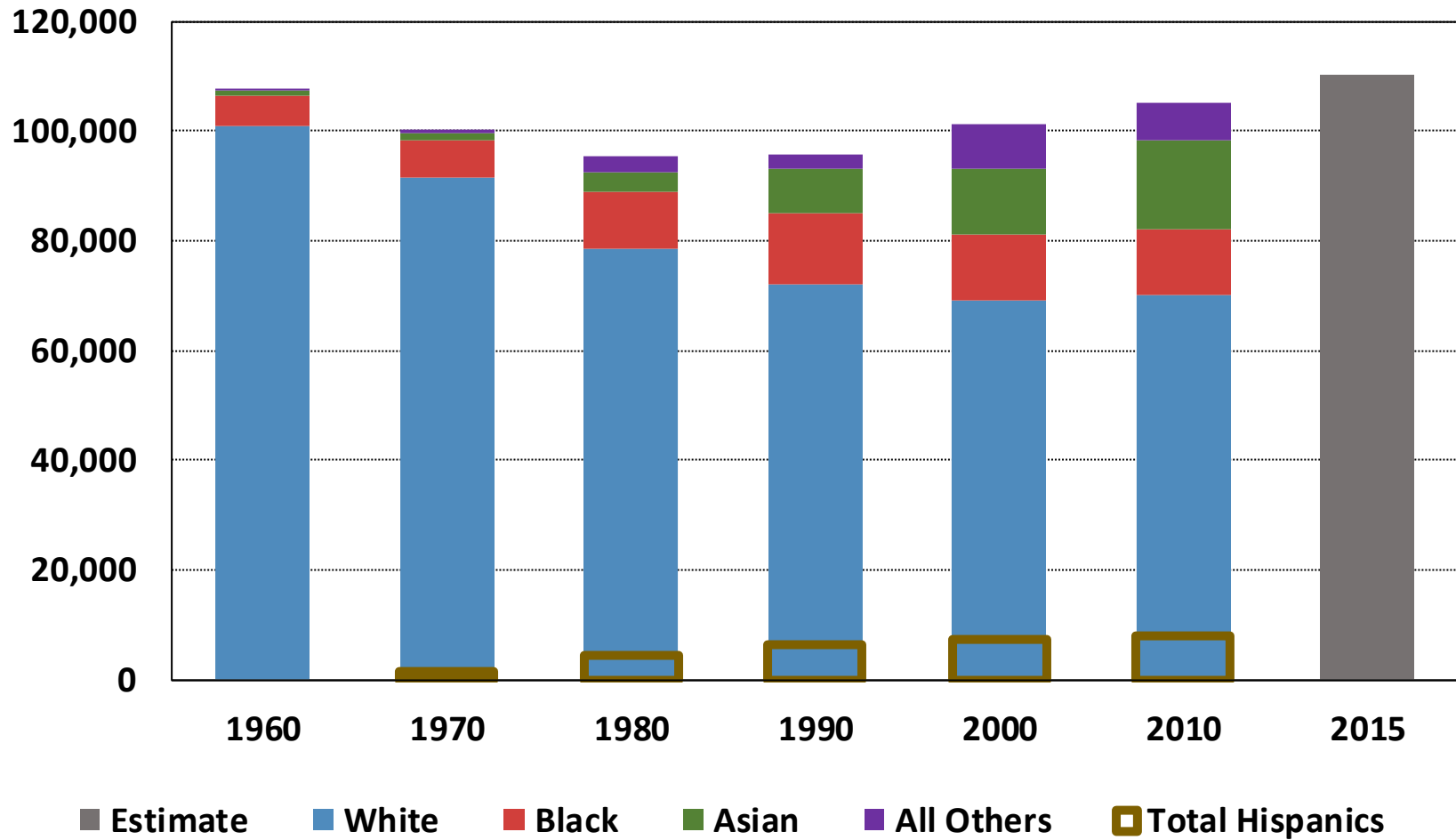
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Population Trend: 1960 - 2015

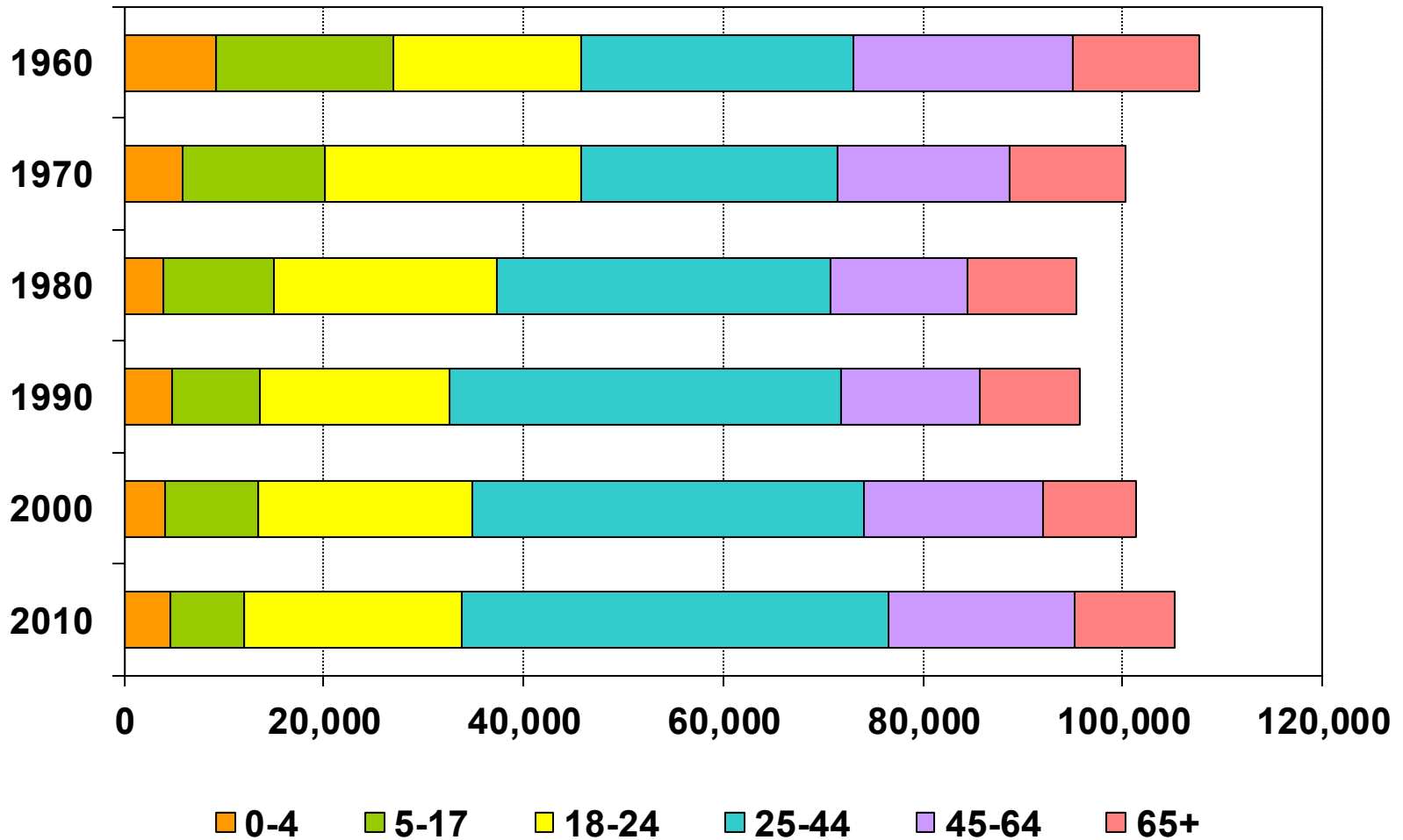


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Neighborhood Population: 1960 - 2010

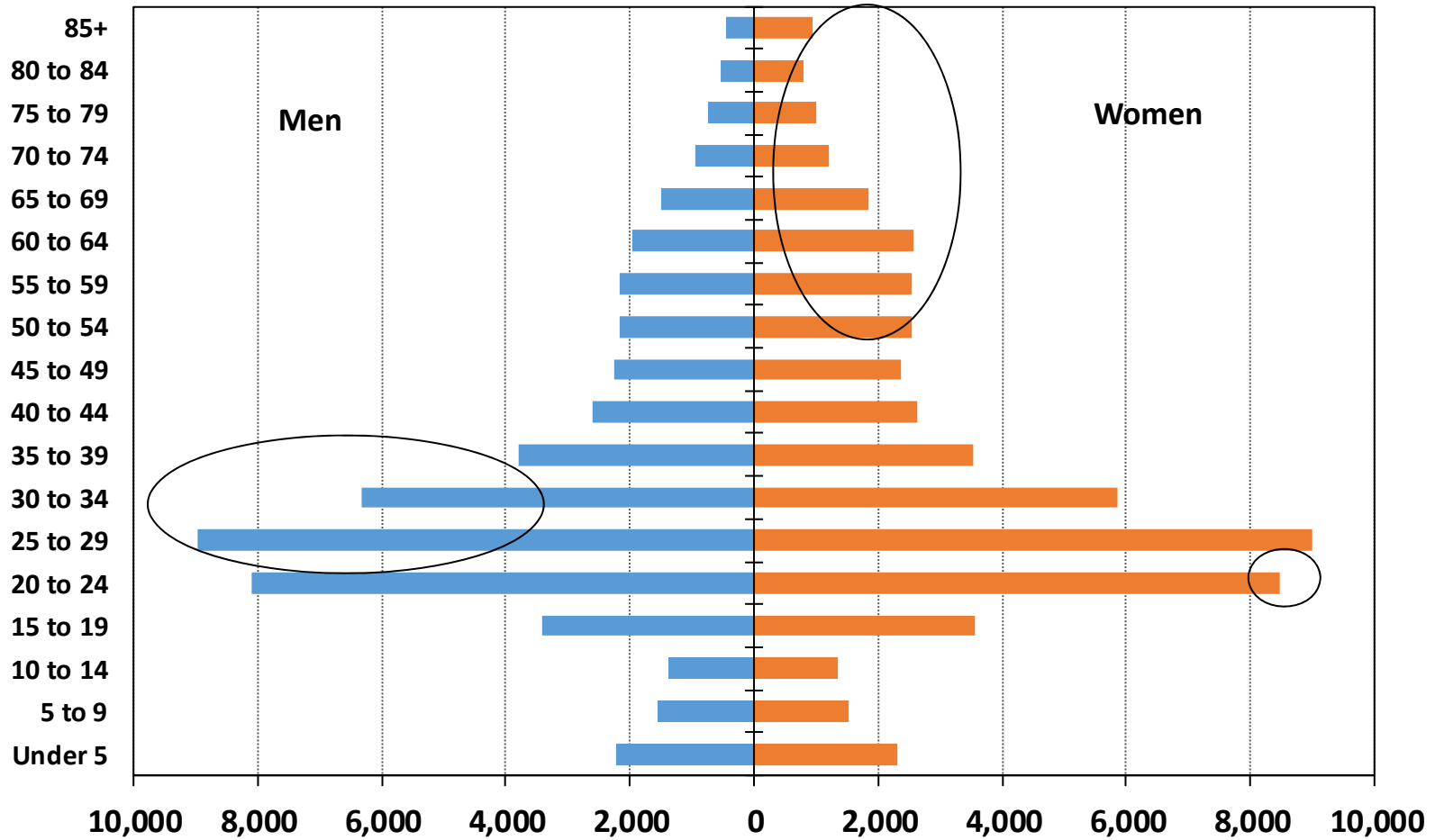
Neighborhood	1960	2010	Change	% Change	
East Cambridge	6,701	9,234	2,533	37.8%	
MIT/Area 2	4,715	5,057	342	7.3%	
Wellington-Harrington	8,926	6,516	(2,410)	(27.0%)	
The Port	6,124	6,792	668	10.9%	
Cambridgeport	10,453	12,220	1,767	16.9%	
Mid-Cambridge	18,281	12,991	(5,290)	(28.9%)	
Riverside	7,232	12,695	5,463	75.5%	
Agassiz	5,882	4,977	(905)	(15.4%)	
Neighborhood 9	11,218	11,399	181	1.6%	
Neighborhood 10	10,444	8,023	(2,421)	(23.2%)	
North Cambridge	13,395	11,908	(1,487)	(11.1%)	
Cambridge Highlands	668	832	164	24.6%	
Strawberry Hill	3,676	2,518	(1,158)	(31.5%)	
Citywide	107,715	105,162	(2,553)	(2.4%)	

Age Groups: 1960 - 2010

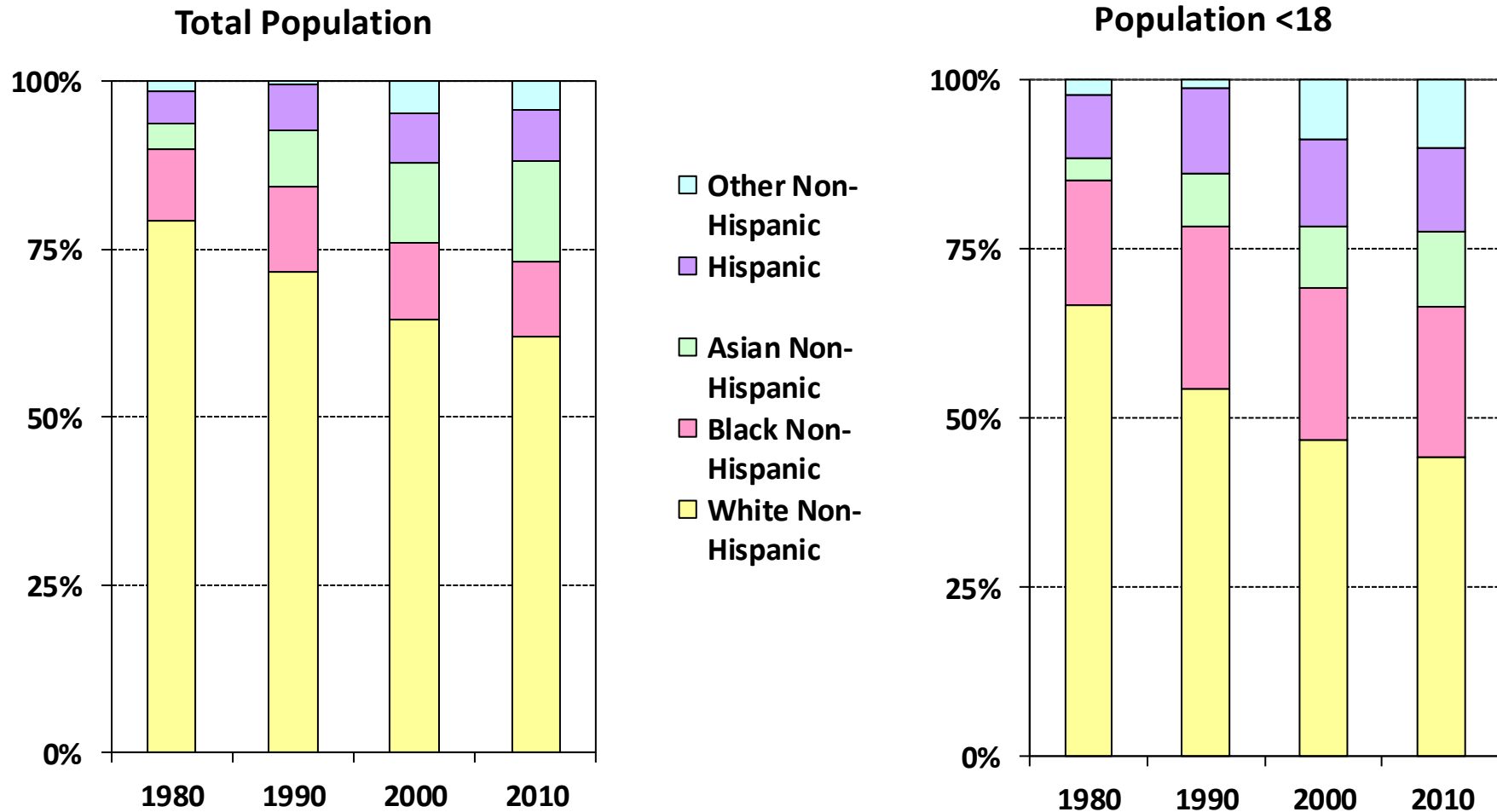


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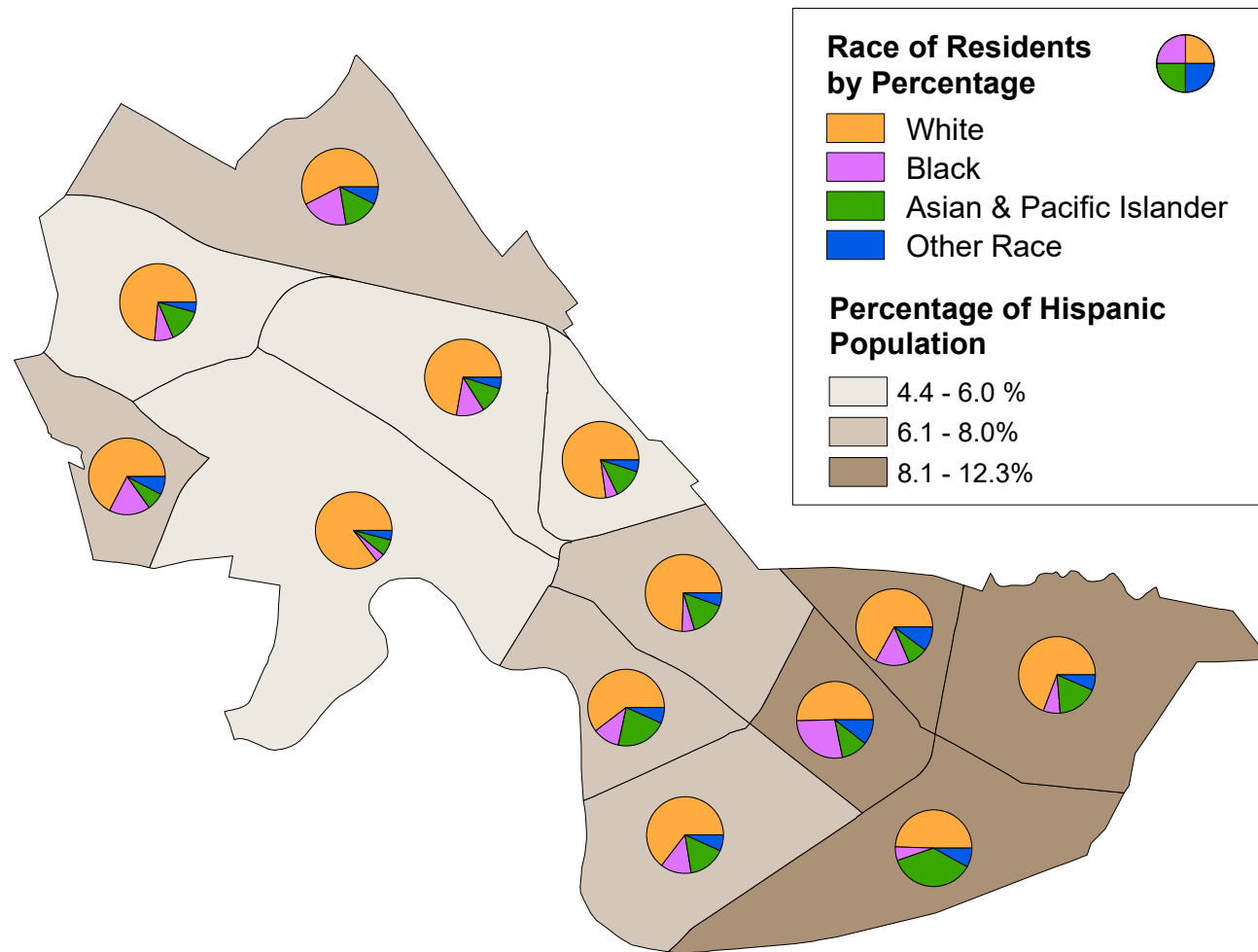
Population by Sex: 2010



Race & Hispanic Origin: 1980 - 2010

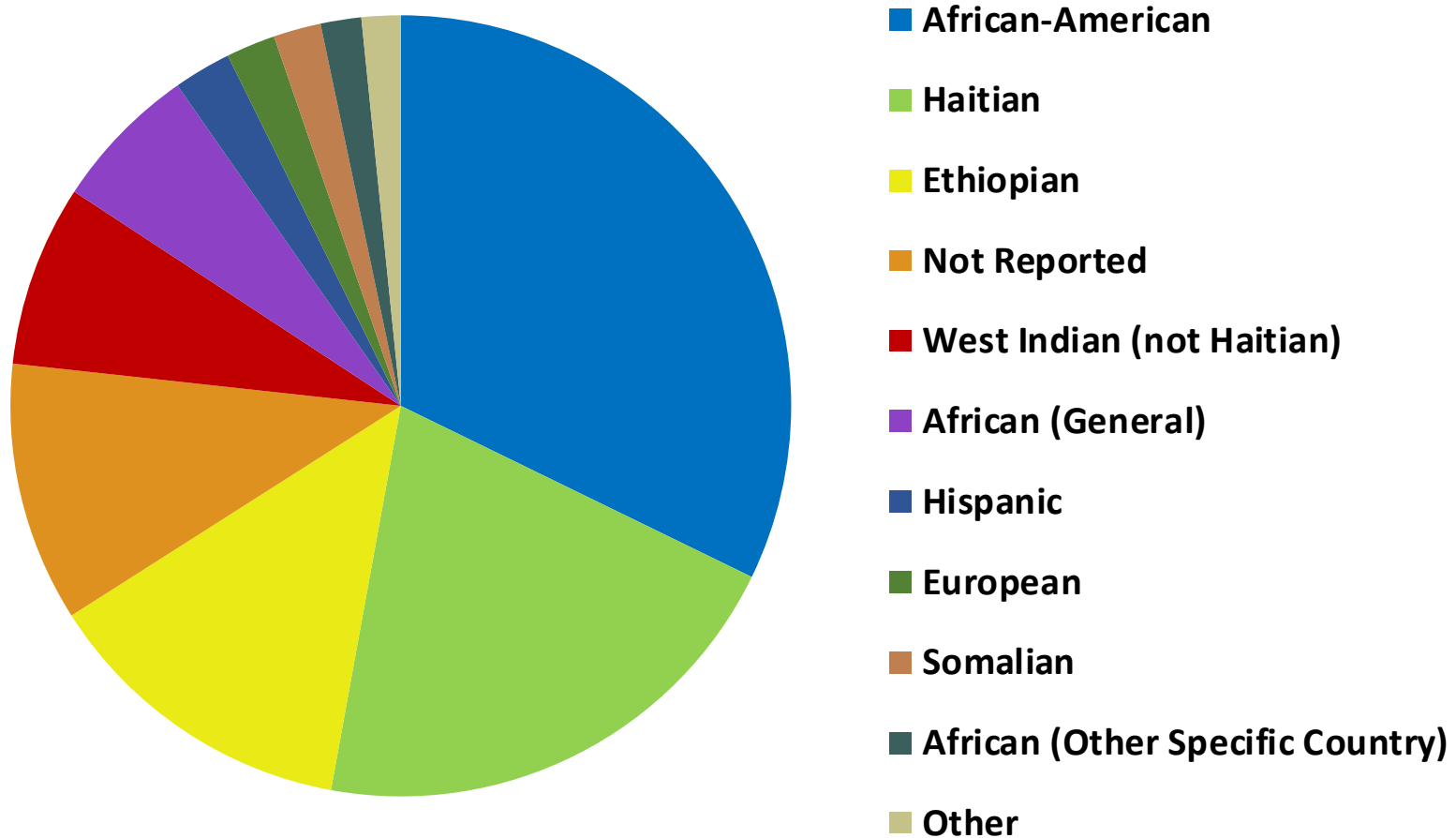


Neighborhood Diversity: 2010



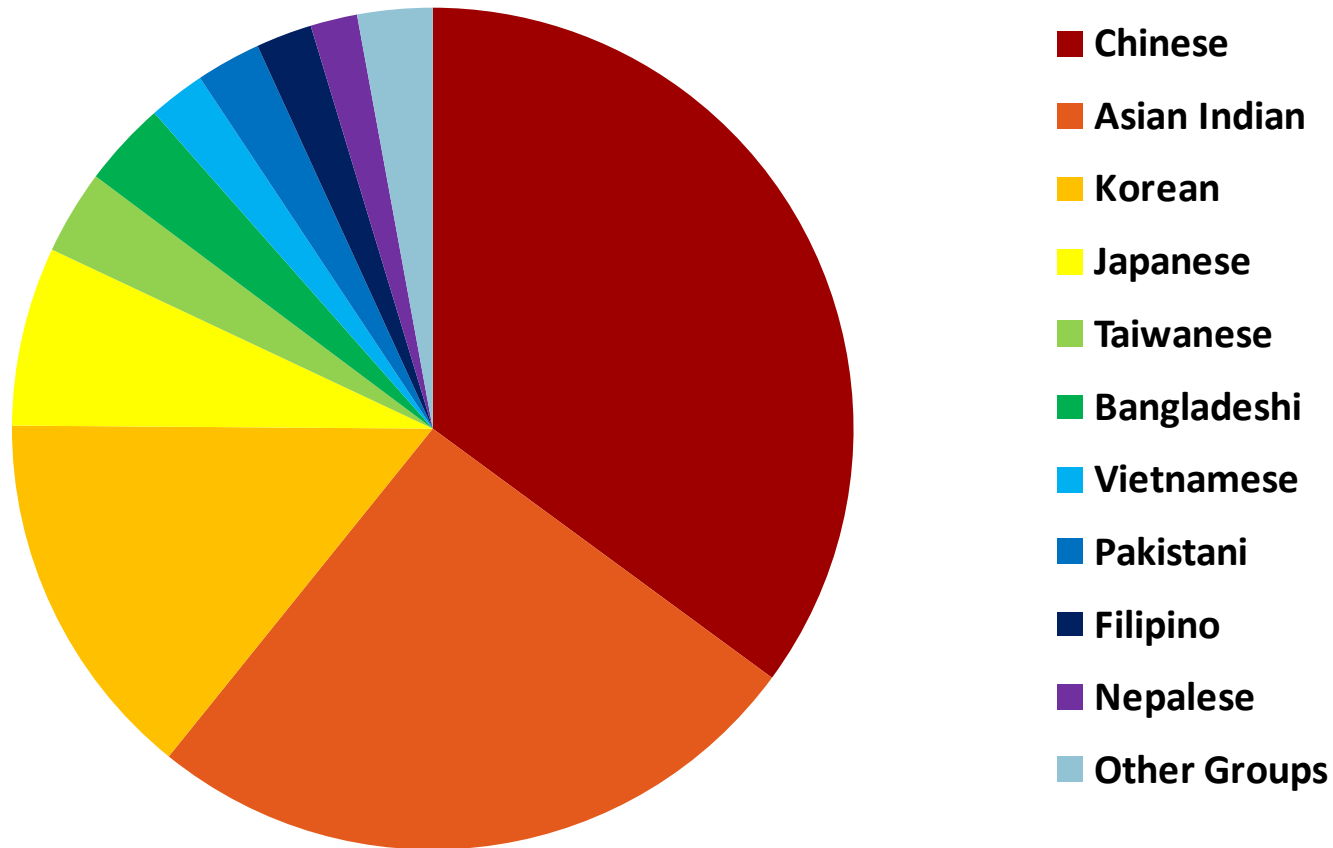
Black Ancestry: 2010 – 2014

Household Population



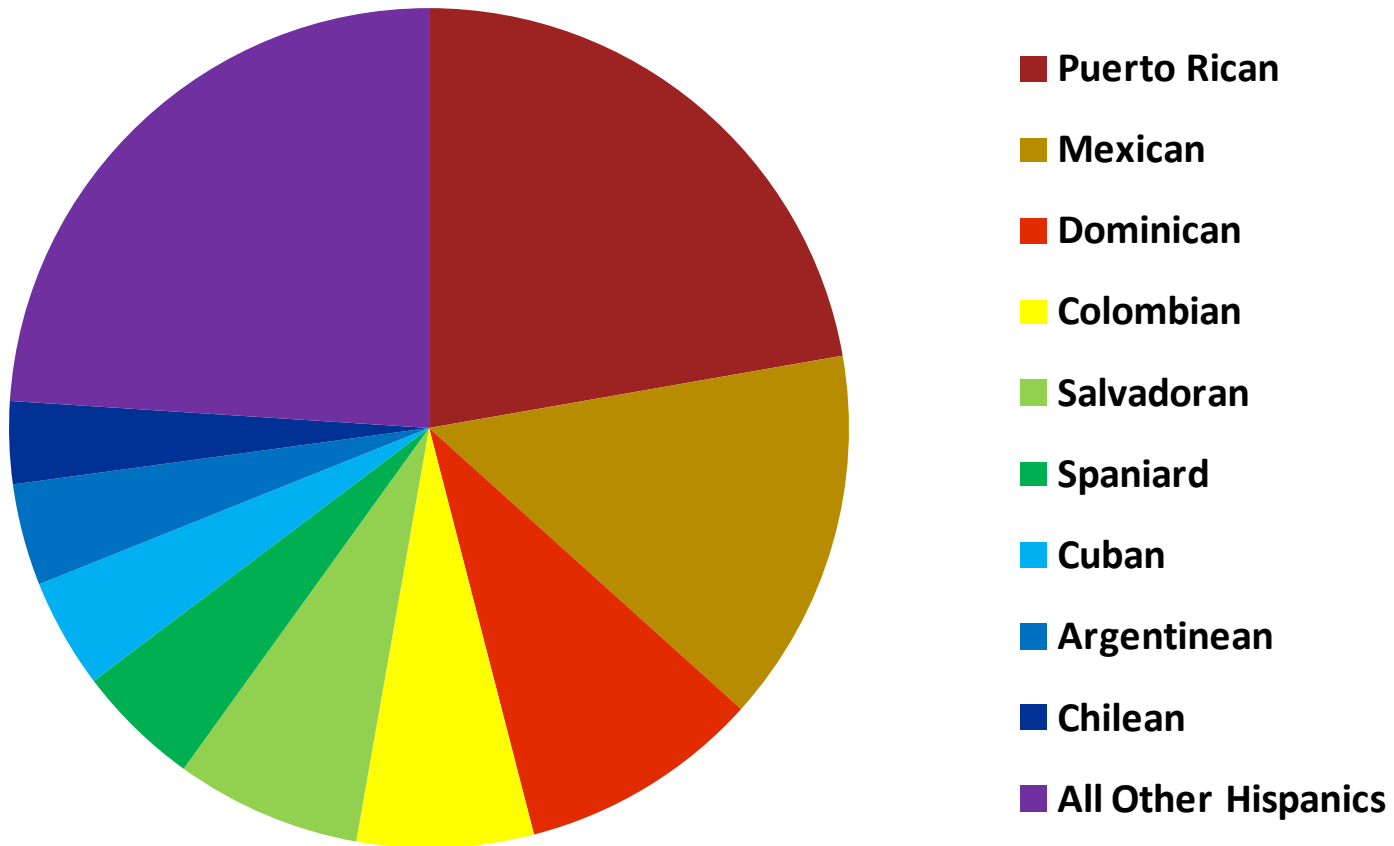
Asian Ethnicity: 2010

Household Population



Hispanics by Country of Origin: 2010

Household Population

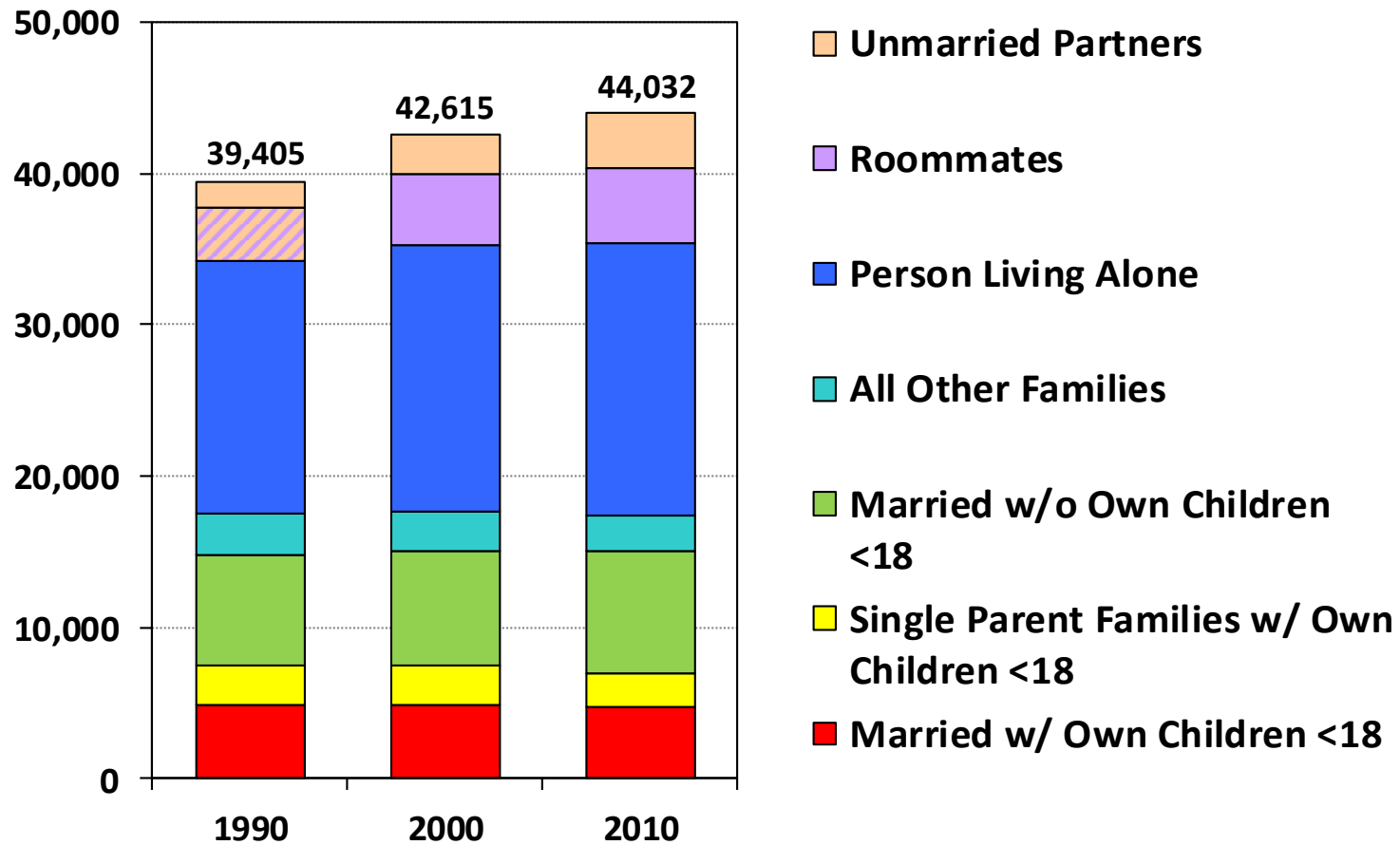


White Ancestry: 2010 - 2014

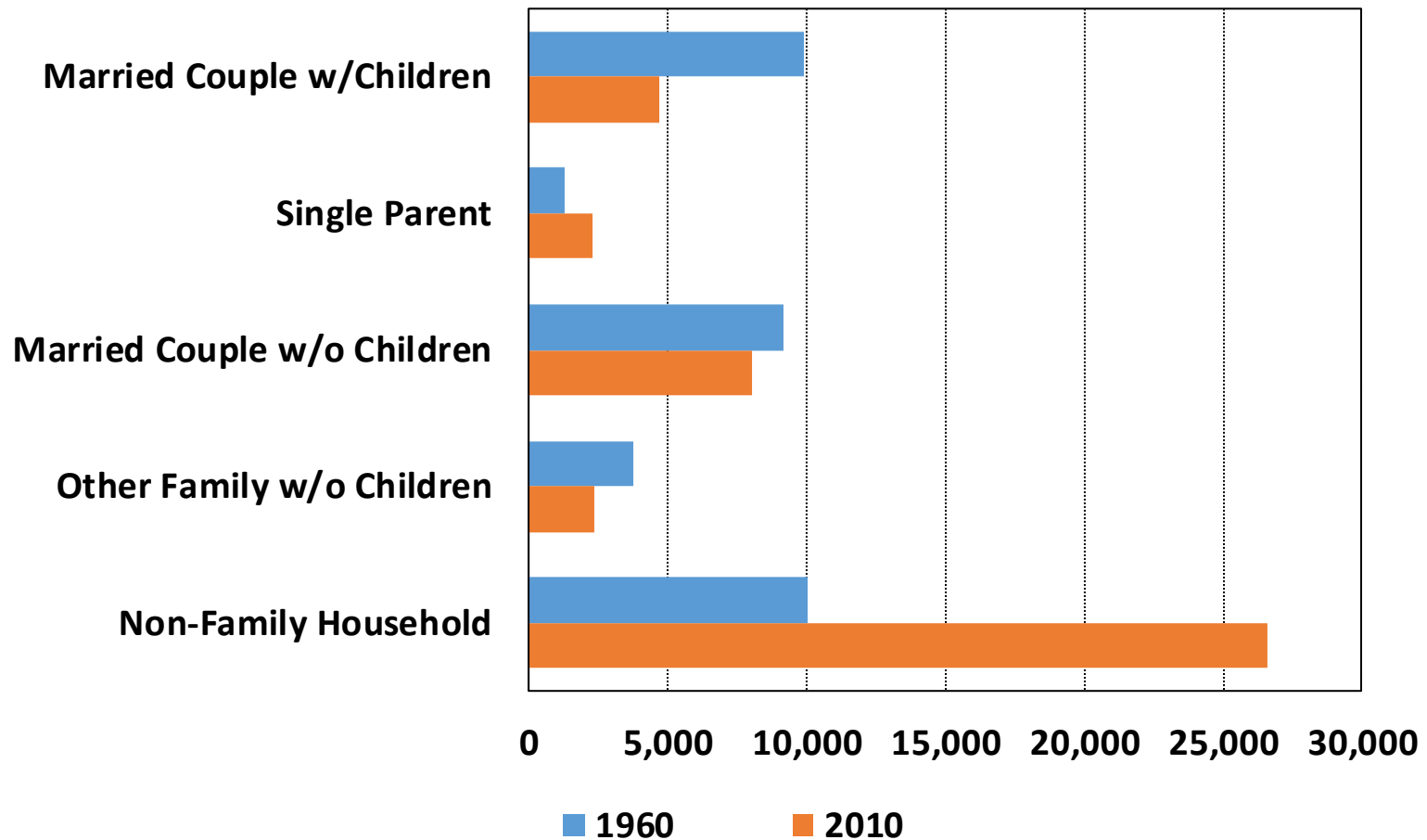
Household Population

Ancestry	Estimated Persons	As % of White Population
Irish	14,000	20.8%
German	8,500	12.7%
English	8,100	12.1%
Italian	8,100	12.1%
Polish	3,700	5.5%
Russian	3,400	5.1%
French	3,000	4.5%
United States	2,300	3.5%
Scottish	2,300	3.4%
Portuguese	2,300	3.4%
French Canadian	2,000	3.0%
Greek	1,500	2.2%
Arab	1,400	2.1%
Swedish	1,200	1.8%
British	1,000	1.5%
Dutch	1,000	1.5%

Recent Household Trends: 1990 – 2010

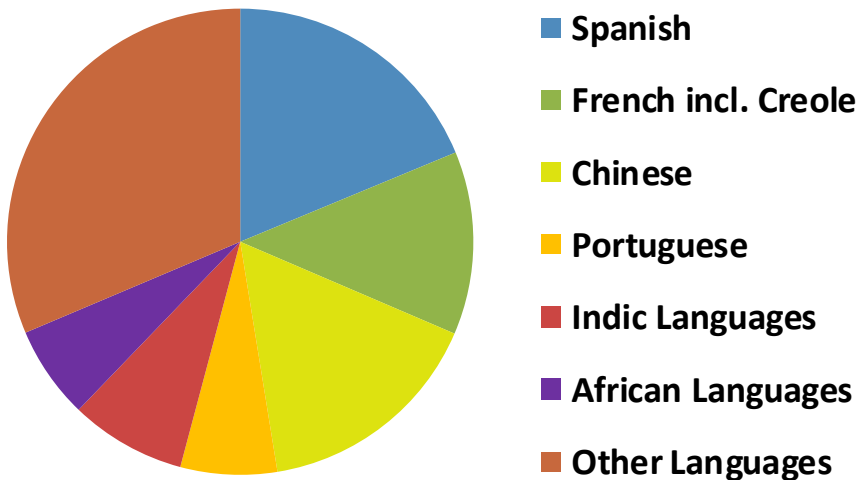
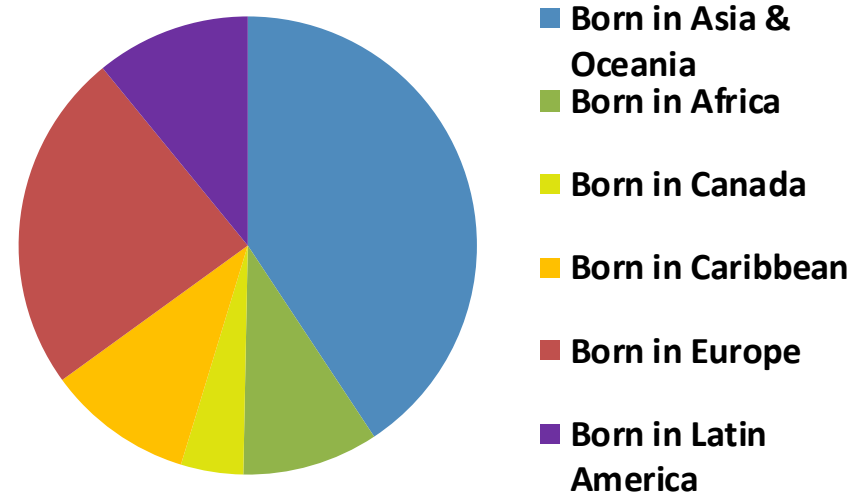


Households & Families: 1960 vs 2010



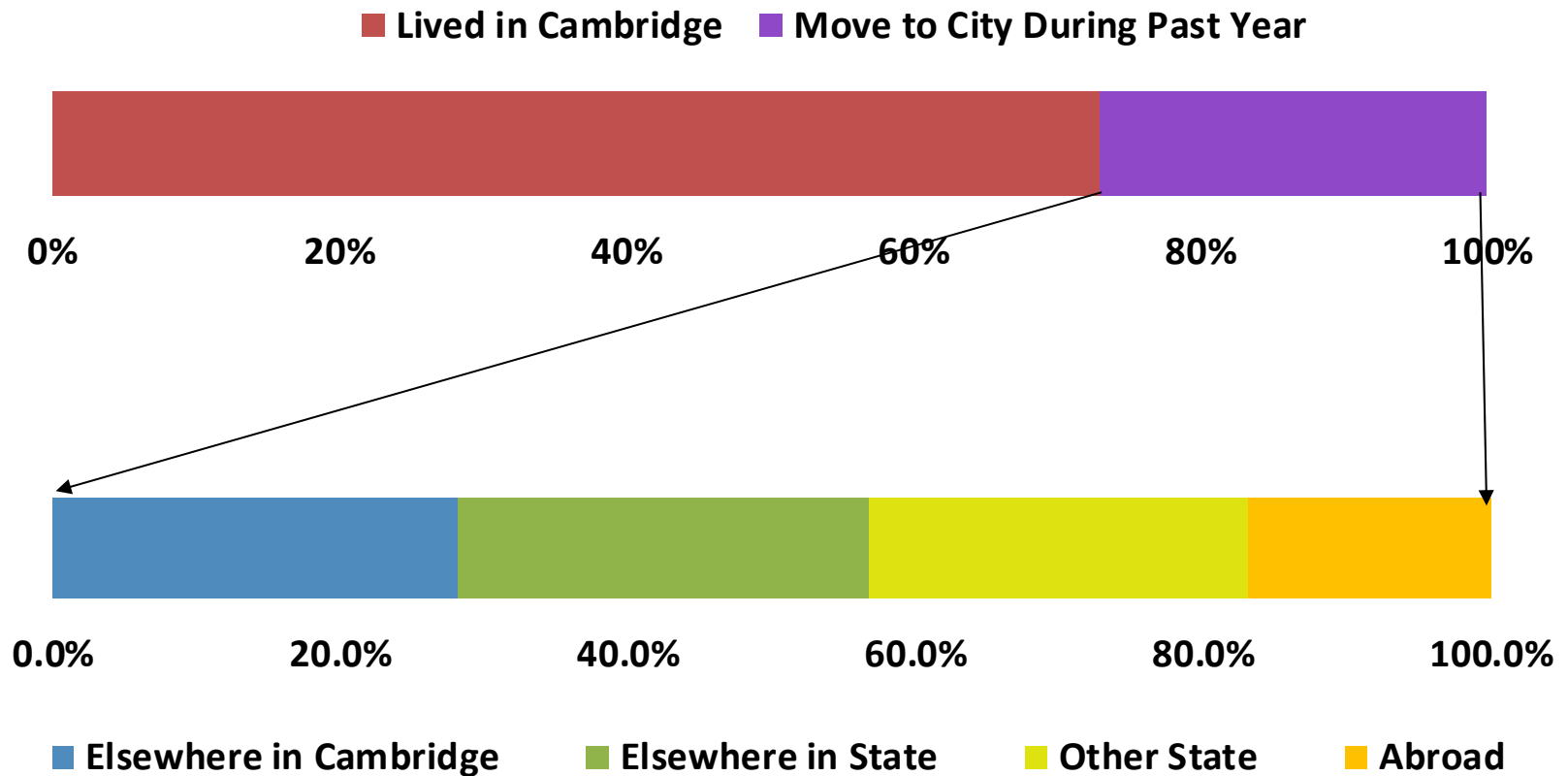
Foreign Language & Birth: 2010 - 2014

Foreign Born	28.1%
Entered Since 2000	17.0%
Naturalized Citizen	38.8%



Speak Another Language at Home	32.0%
Speak English less than Very Well	7.9%
Linguistically Isolated Households	5.5%

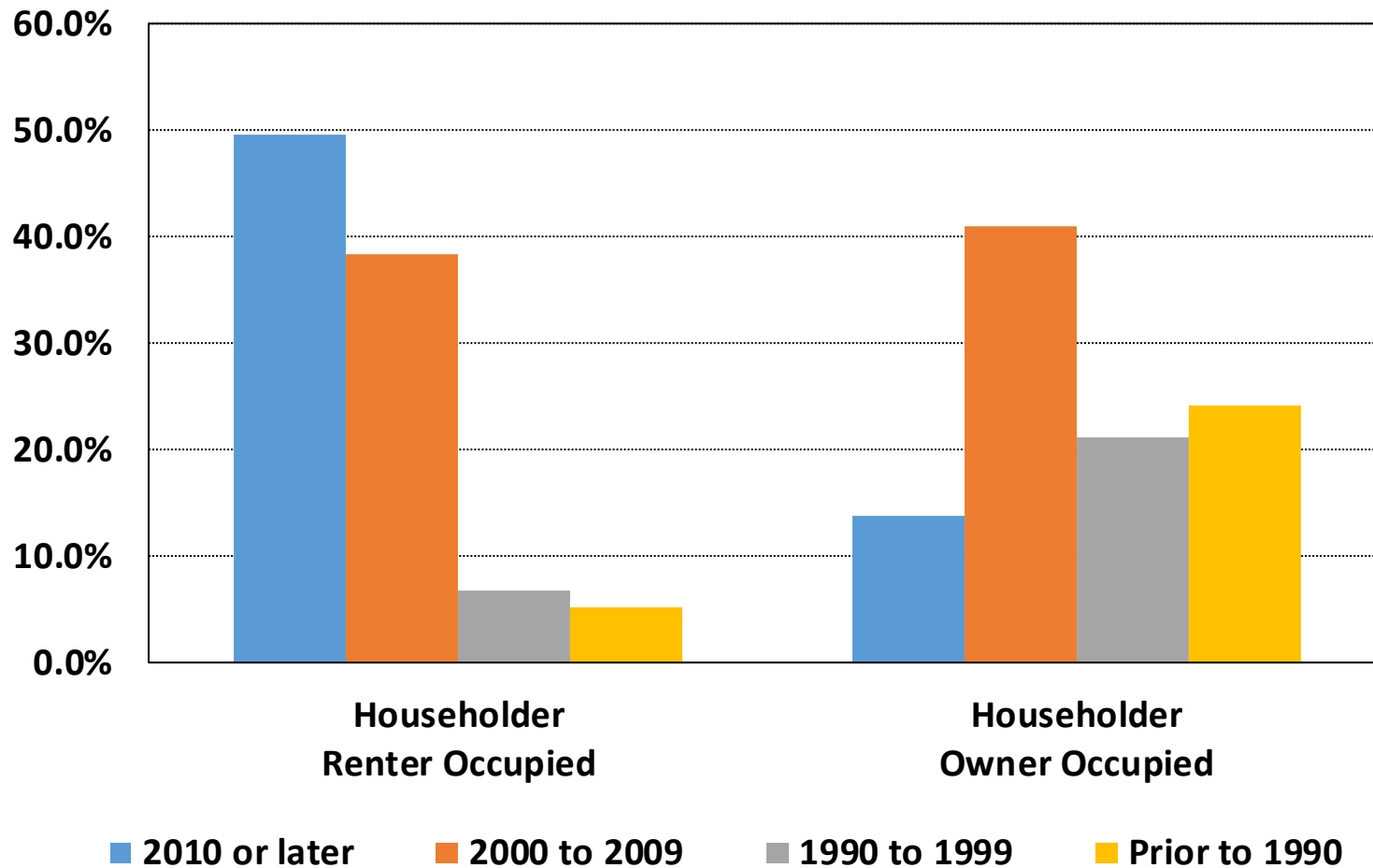
Place of Residence in Prior Year: 2010 - 2014



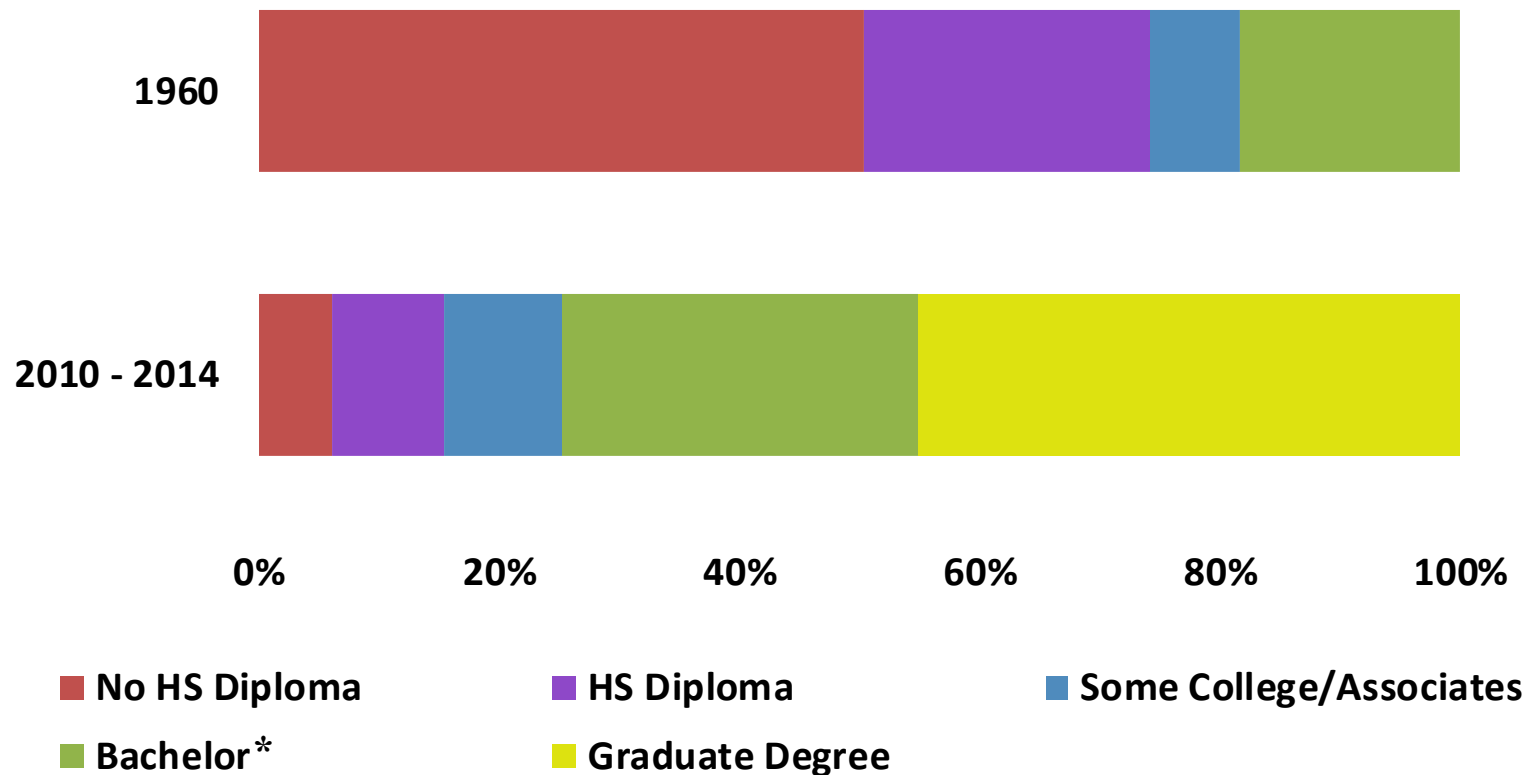
Individual Migration: 2010 - 2014

Overall Population		More Frequent Movers >30%		Less Frequent Movers <20%	
All Movers	26.9%	Not a Citizen	42.3%	Owners	8.0%
		18-34 Year Olds	41.3%	Ages 5-17	9.6%
From:		Below Poverty Line	37.2%	Ages 45 & Older	10.2%
Cambridge	7.6%	Hispanics	36.6%	Now or Previously Married	10.2%
Middlesex County	3.1%	Unmarried	36.5%	Blacks	15.2%
Other Massachusetts	4.6%	Salary under \$10,000	36.1%	Naturalized Citizens	16.0%
Different State	7.1%	Asians	35.7%	Less than Bachelor Degree	17.4%
Abroad	4.6%	Renters	33.9%	Salary over \$75,000	19.9%
		Bachelor Degree (no grad)	30.5%		

Householder Turnover: 2010 - 2014

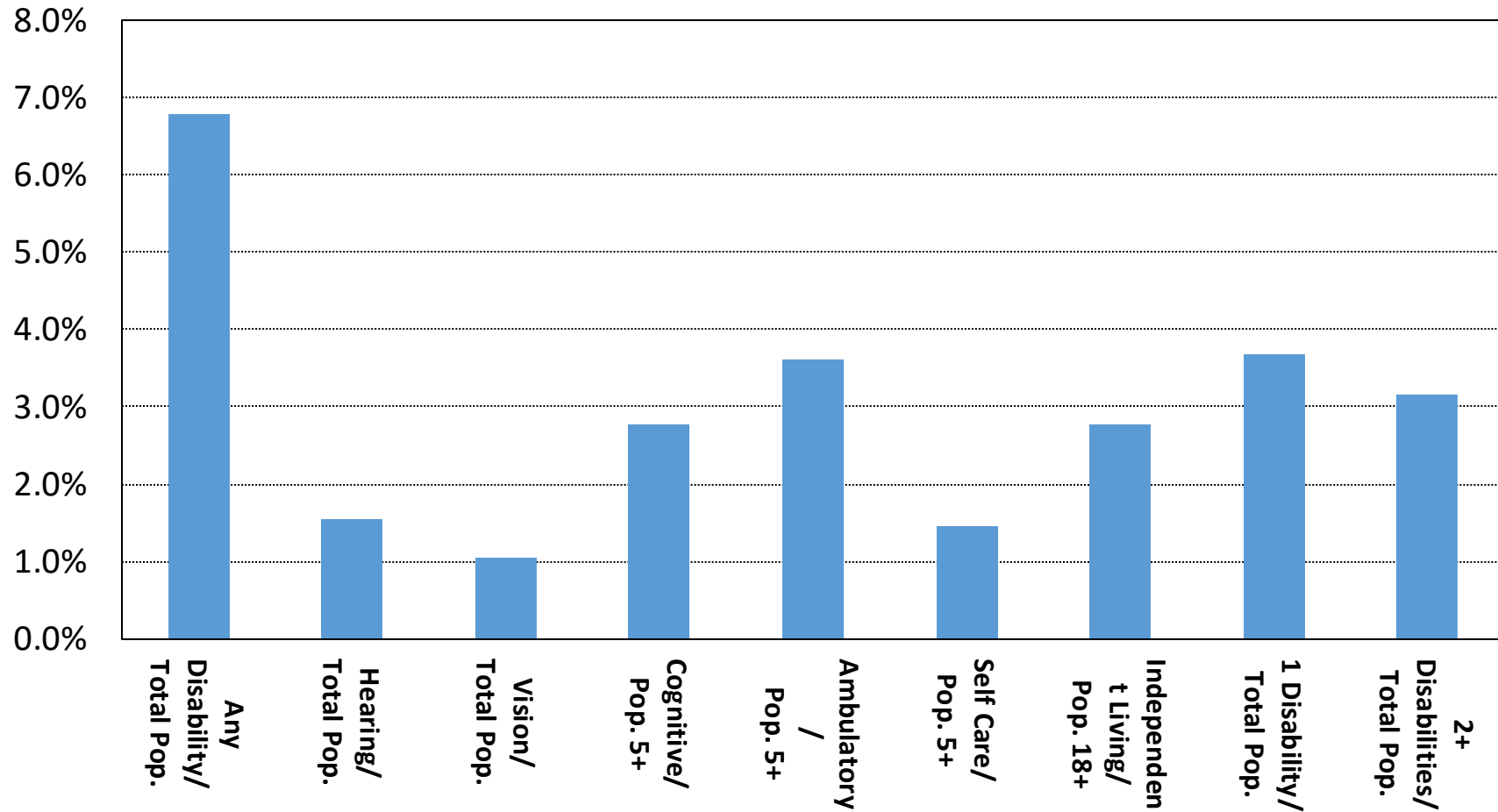


Educational Attainment: 1960 vs 2010 - 2014

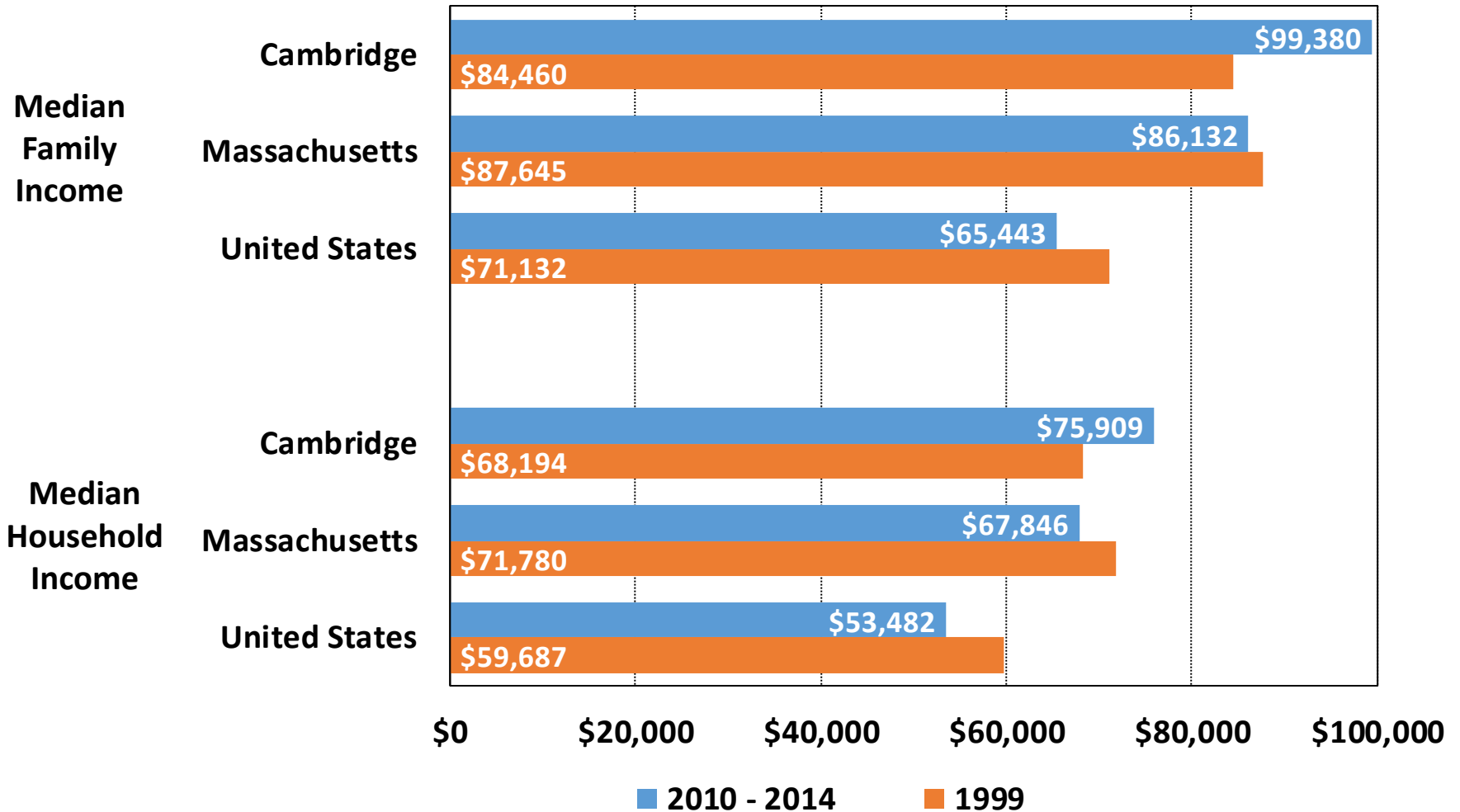


* 1960 Bachelor figure includes graduate degrees

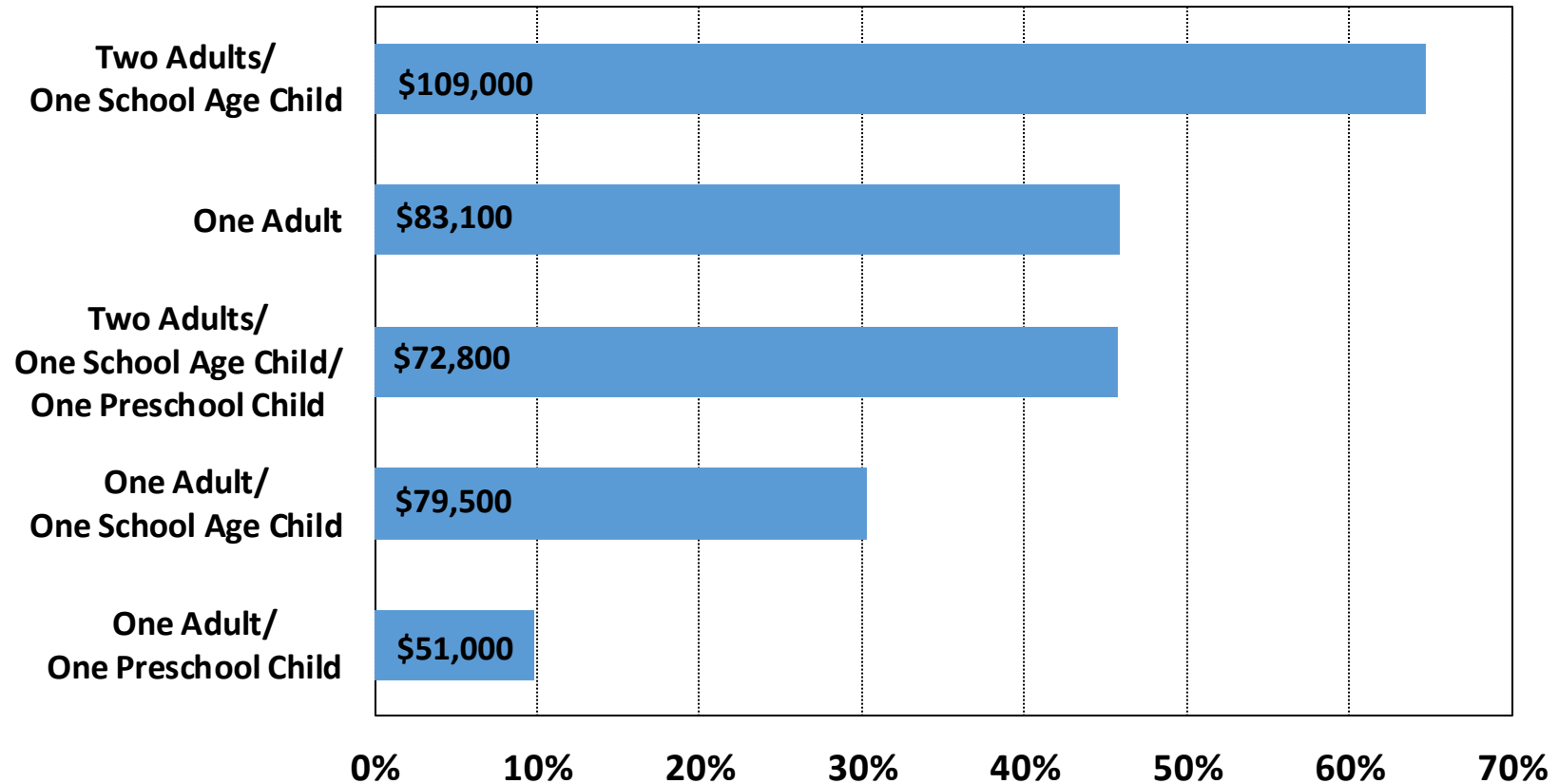
Disability Status: 2010 - 2014



Median Income: 1999 and 2010 - 2014



Proportion of Households Exceeding Living Wage Threshold by Household Type: 2013



Note: Proportions for two parent families are for married couple households; unmarried couples are excluded.

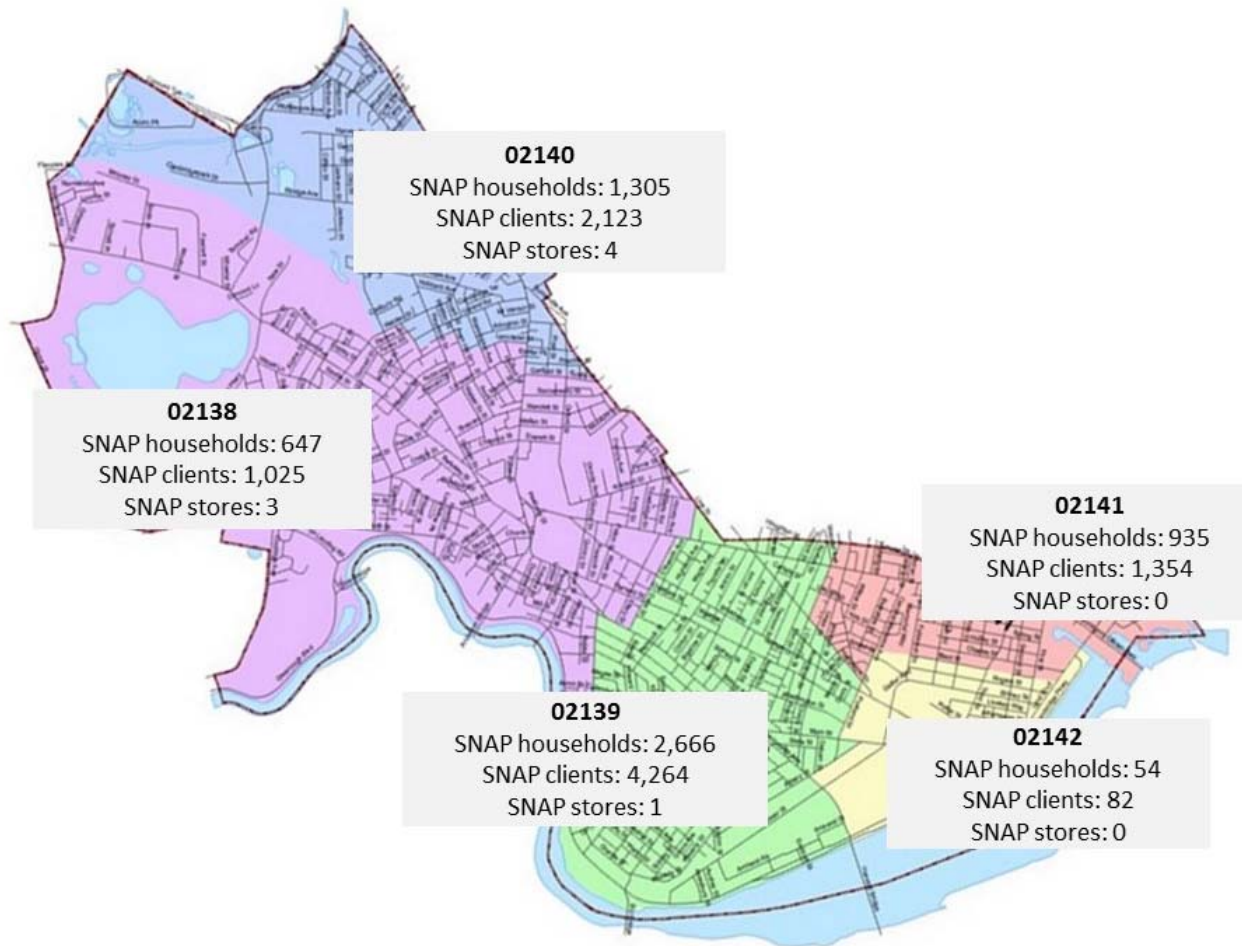
Poverty Status: 2000 and 2010 - 2014

Persons in Poverty	2000 % Total	2010 - 2014 % Total
All Persons	12.9%	15.0%
Under 18	15.6%	17.8%
65 and Over	12.9%	11.4%
Unrelated Persons 15+	17.7%	19.7%
All Households	12.6%	14.2%
Non-Family Households	15.4%	16.9%
Families	8.7%	10.2%
With No Working Adults	28.3%	41.5%
Families with Related Children	12.6%	15.3%
Female Single Parent	24.3%	38.5%

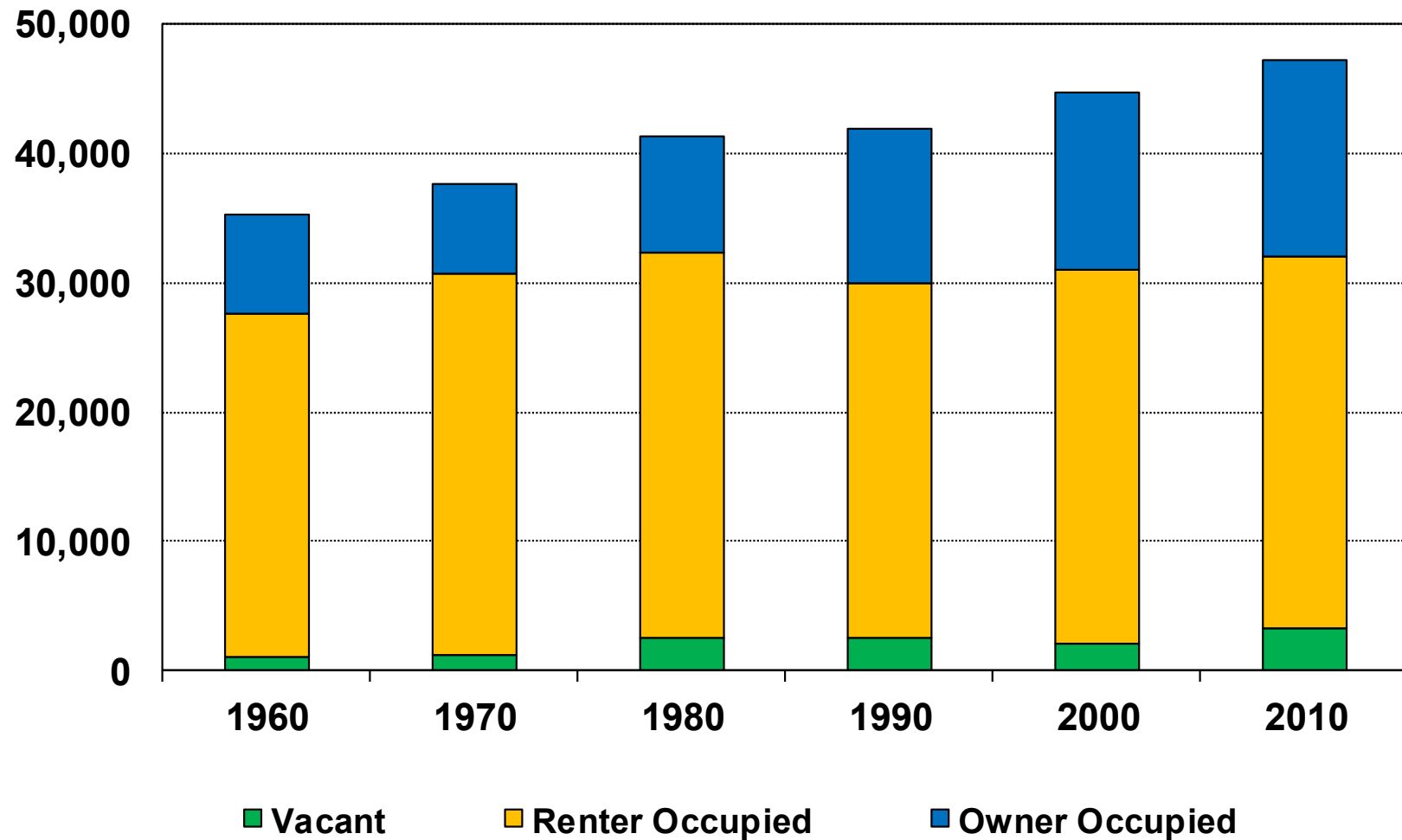
2014 Poverty Thresholds:

- **Single person: \$12,071** ▪ **Two people: \$15,379** ▪ **Three people: \$18,850**

Food Stamps: October 2015

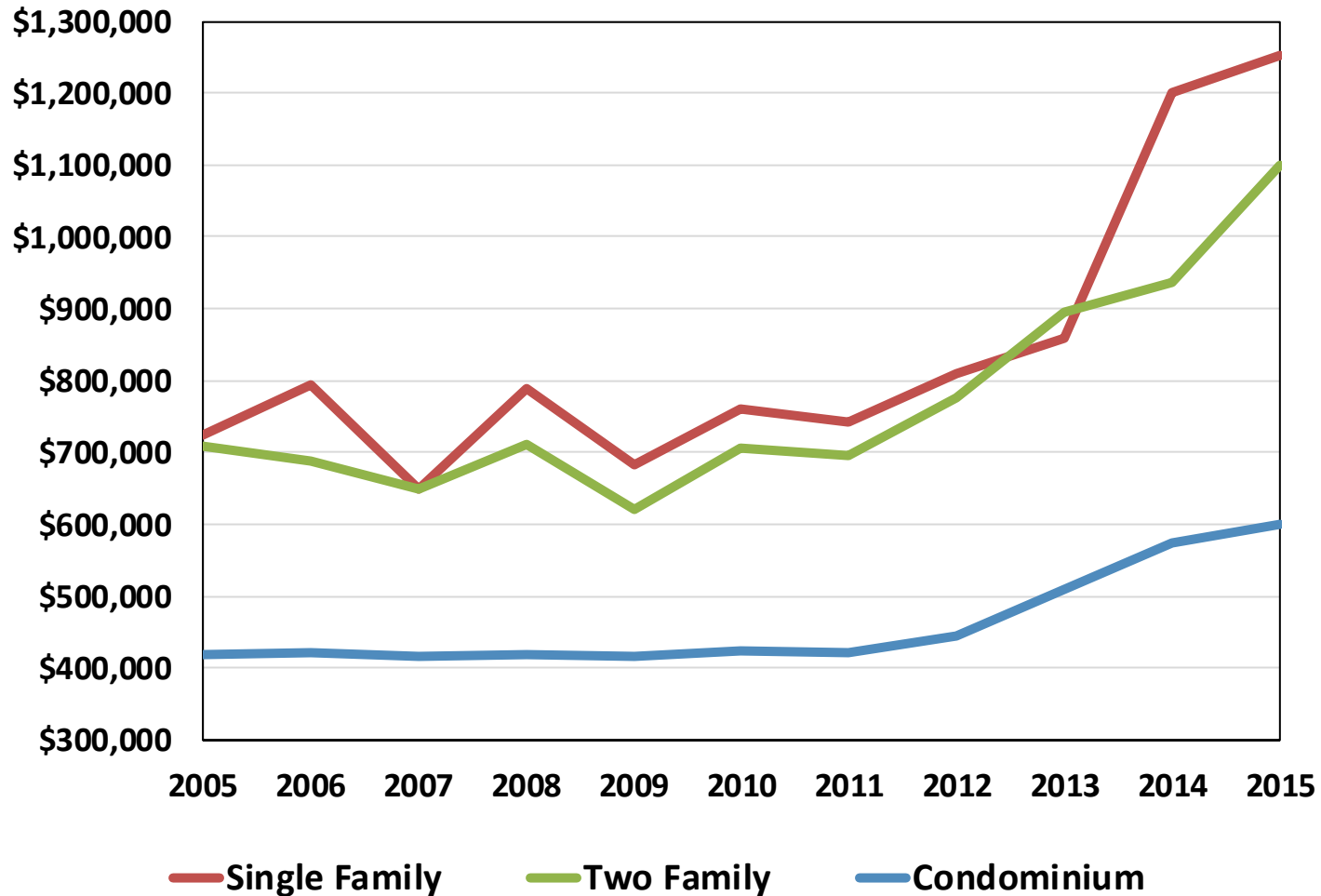


Housing Stock: 1960 - 2010

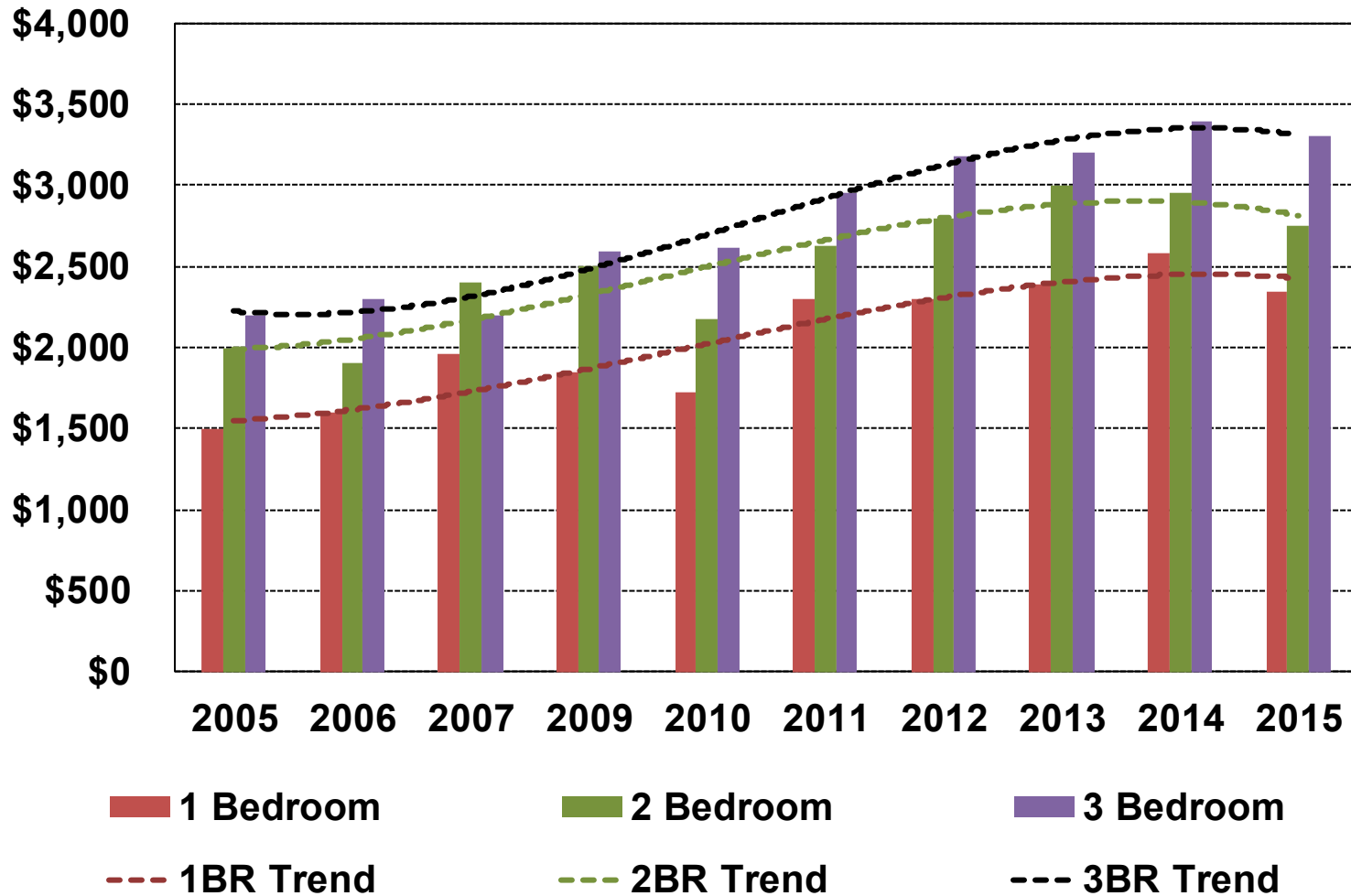


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Median Housing Sales Prices: 2005 - 2015



Median Rents: 2005 - 2015



Where Are We Going?

- **Population**
- **Students**
- **Workforce**
- **Daytime Population**

