

NUMBER OF INHABITANTS

TABLE 3.—AREA AND POPULATION OF COUNTIES, URBAN AND RURAL: 1920 TO 1940

[A minus sign (-) denotes decrease. Percent not shown where less than 0.1 or where base is less than 100]

COUNTY	Land area in square miles, 1940	TOTAL POPULATION						URBAN POPULATION			RURAL POPULATION			PERCENT URBAN	
		1940		1930	1920	Percent of increase		1940	1930	Percent of increase	1940	1930	Percent of increase	1940	1930
		Total	Per square mile			1930 to 1940	1920 to 1930								
California.....	156,803	6,907,387	44.1	5,677,251	3,426,861	21.7	65.7	4,902,265	4,160,596	17.8	2,005,122	1,516,655	32.2	71.0	73.3
Alameda.....	733	513,011	699.9	474,883	344,177	8.0	38.0	472,068	439,211	7.5	40,943	35,672	14.8	92.0	92.5
Alpine.....	723	8,323	11.4	241	243	34.0	-0.8				323	241	34.0		
Amador.....	594	8,973	15.1	8,494	7,793	5.6	9.0				8,973	8,494	5.6		
Butte.....	1,665	42,840	25.7	34,093	30,680	25.7	13.5	13,708	11,659	17.6	29,132	22,434	29.9	32.0	34.2
Calaveras.....	1,028	8,221	8.0	6,008	6,183	36.8	-2.8				8,221	6,008	36.8		
Colusa.....	1,153	9,788	8.5	10,258	9,200	-4.6	10.4				9,788	10,258	-4.6		
Contra Costa.....	734	100,450	136.9	78,608	53,889	27.8	45.0	51,786	43,705	18.5	48,664	34,003	39.4	51.6	55.6
Del Norte.....	1,003	4,745	4.7	4,739	2,750	0.1	71.8				4,745	4,739	0.1		
El Dorado.....	1,725	13,229	7.7	8,325	6,426	58.9	29.6	3,004			10,165	8,325	22.1	23.2	
Fresno.....	5,985	178,565	29.8	144,379	128,779	23.7	12.1	76,565	63,967	19.7	102,000	80,412	26.8	42.9	44.3
Glenn.....	1,317	12,195	9.3	10,935	11,853	11.5	-7.7				12,195	10,935	11.5		
Humboldt.....	3,573	45,812	12.8	43,233	37,413	6.0	15.6	17,055	15,752	8.3	28,757	27,481	4.6	37.2	36.4
Imperial.....	4,234	59,740	13.9	60,903	43,453	-1.9	40.2	27,150	25,172	7.9	32,590	35,731	-8.8	45.4	41.3
Inyo.....	10,091	7,625	0.8	6,555	7,031	16.3	-6.8				7,625	6,555	16.3		
Kern.....	8,170	135,124	16.5	82,570	54,843	63.6	50.6	37,030	32,089	15.4	98,094	50,481	94.3	27.4	38.0
Kings.....	1,395	35,168	25.2	25,385	22,031	38.5	15.2	8,234	7,028	17.2	26,934	18,357	46.7	23.4	27.7
Lake.....	1,256	8,069	6.4	7,166	5,402	12.6	32.7				8,069	7,166	12.6		
Lassen.....	4,548	14,479	3.2	12,589	8,507	15.0	48.0				14,479	12,589	15.0		
Los Angeles.....	4,071	2,785,643	684.3	2,208,492	936,455	26.1	135.8	2,373,543	1,925,775	23.3	412,095	282,717	45.3	85.2	87.2
Madera.....	2,148	23,314	10.9	17,164	12,203	35.8	40.7	6,457	4,665	38.4	16,857	12,499	34.9	27.7	27.2
Marin.....	521	52,907	101.5	41,648	27,342	27.0	52.3	22,750	20,503	11.0	30,157	21,145	42.6	43.0	49.2
Mariposa.....	1,455	5,605	3.9	3,233	2,775	73.4	16.5				5,605	3,233	73.4		
Merced.....	3,510	27,864	7.9	23,505	24,116	18.5	-2.5	6,966	6,146	13.3	20,898	17,359	20.4	25.0	26.1
Mendocino.....	1,983	46,988	23.7	36,748	26,579	27.9	49.6	10,135	7,066	43.4	36,853	29,682	24.2	21.6	19.2
Modoc.....	4,094	8,713	2.1	8,038	5,425	8.4	48.2				8,713	8,038	8.4		
Mono.....	3,045	2,299	0.8	1,360	960	69.0	41.7				2,299	1,360	69.0		
Monterey.....	3,234	73,032	22.0	53,705	27,980	36.0	91.9	30,756	24,962	23.2	42,276	28,743	47.1	42.1	46.5
Napa.....	790	28,503	36.1	22,897	20,678	24.5	10.7	7,740	6,437	20.2	20,763	16,490	26.1	27.2	28.1
Nevada.....	979	19,283	19.7	10,596	10,850	82.0	-2.3	5,701	3,817	49.4	13,582	6,779	100.4	29.6	36.0
Orange.....	782	130,760	167.2	118,674	61,375	10.2	93.4	76,498	63,933	19.7	54,262	54,741	-0.9	58.5	53.9
Placer.....	1,431	28,108	19.6	24,468	18,584	14.9	31.7	10,666	9,086	17.4	17,442	15,382	13.4	37.9	37.1
Plumas.....	2,570	11,548	4.5	7,913	5,981	45.9	39.3				11,548	7,913	45.9		
Riverside.....	7,179	105,524	14.7	81,024	50,297	30.2	61.1	53,363	39,466	35.2	52,161	41,558	25.5	50.6	48.7
Sacramento.....	985	170,333	172.9	141,999	91,029	20.0	56.0	109,011	93,750	16.3	61,322	48,249	27.1	64.0	66.0
San Benito.....	1,396	11,392	8.2	11,311	8,995	0.7	25.7	3,851	3,757	3.3	7,511	7,554	-0.6	34.1	33.2
San Bernardino.....	20,131	161,108	8.0	133,900	73,401	20.3	82.4	95,997	84,230	14.0	65,111	49,070	31.1	59.6	62.9
San Diego.....	4,258	239,343	63.0	209,659	112,243	38.0	86.8	238,891	174,032	37.3	50,447	35,627	41.6	82.6	83.0
San Francisco.....	45	634,536	14,100.8	634,394	506,676	25.2		634,536	634,394				100.0	100.0	
San Joaquin.....	1,410	134,207	95.2	102,940	79,905	30.4	28.8	69,849	58,590	19.2	64,358	44,360	45.1	52.0	56.9
San Luis Obispo.....	3,326	33,246	10.0	29,613	21,893	12.3	35.3	11,926	10,849	9.9	21,320	18,764	13.6	35.9	36.6
San Mateo.....	454	111,732	246.2	77,405	36,781	44.4	110.4	80,094	53,317	50.2	31,638	24,088	31.6	71.7	68.9
Santa Barbara.....	2,745	70,555	25.7	65,167	41,097	8.3	53.6	46,959	43,515	7.7	23,696	21,652	9.4	66.4	66.8
Santa Clara.....	1,305	174,049	134.1	145,118	100,676	20.6	44.1	107,412	94,844	13.3	67,537	50,274	34.3	61.4	65.4
Santa Cruz.....	439	45,057	102.6	37,433	26,289	20.4	42.5	25,833	22,739	13.6	19,224	14,694	30.8	57.3	60.7
Shasta.....	3,846	28,800	7.5	13,927	13,361	106.8	4.2	8,109	4,188	93.6	20,691	9,739	112.5	28.2	30.1
Sierra.....	958	3,025	3.2	2,422	1,783	24.9	35.8				3,025	2,422	24.9		
Siskiyou.....	6,313	23,598	4.5	25,490	18,545	12.2	37.4		2,610		28,598	22,870	25.0		10.2
Solano.....	827	49,118	59.4	40,834	40,602	20.3	0.6	20,072	17,389	15.4	29,046	23,445	23.9	40.9	42.6
Sonoma.....	1,579	69,052	43.7	62,222	52,090	11.0	19.5	23,146	18,881	22.6	45,906	43,341	5.9	33.5	30.3
Stanislaus.....	1,506	74,866	49.7	56,641	43,557	32.2	30.0	23,810	13,118	31.4	51,056	38,523	32.5	31.8	32.0
Sutter.....	607	18,680	30.8	14,613	10,115	27.8	44.5	4,968	3,605	37.8	13,712	11,013	24.5	26.6	24.7
Tehama.....	2,974	14,316	4.8	13,866	12,882	3.2	7.6	3,824	3,517	6.7	10,492	10,349	1.4	26.7	25.4
Trinity.....	3,191	3,970	1.2	2,809	2,551	41.3	10.1				3,970	2,809	41.3		
Tulare.....	4,845	107,152	22.1	77,442	59,031	38.4	31.2	35,503	28,304	25.4	71,649	49,138	45.8	33.1	36.5
Tuolumne.....	2,275	10,887	4.8	9,271	7,768	17.4	19.3				10,887	9,271	17.4		
Ventura.....	1,887	69,685	37.5	54,076	28,724	26.8	91.4	34,021	28,233	20.5	35,664	26,743	33.4	48.8	51.4
Yolo.....	1,034	27,243	26.3	23,644	17,105	15.2	38.2	6,637	5,542	19.8	20,606	18,102	13.8	24.4	23.4
Yuba.....	638	17,034	26.7	11,331	10,375	50.3	9.2	6,646	5,763	15.3	10,388	5,568	86.6	39.0	50.9

1 1930 urban and rural figures for State total and Solano County do not take account of correction made in the population of Vallejo city for this date; see explanatory note on Solano County, table 4.

Minor civil divisions.—To the primary political divisions into which the counties are subdivided the Census Bureau applies the general term "minor civil divisions." The primary divisions of the counties in California are called judicial townships. San Francisco is in a class by itself, being incorporated as the "City and County of San Francisco." The incorporated cities (except San Francisco) and towns form secondary subdivisions of the minor civil divisions in which they are located. There are 235 cities (including San Francisco) and 50 towns. Ordinarily, each of the

secondary divisions forms a part of some judicial township (or townships).

Table 4 shows the population of each county by judicial townships, cities, and towns for the last three censuses. The population of the cities and towns is shown in *italics* under the population of the primary divisions in which the places are respectively located. Where an incorporated place is located in two or more judicial townships, the total population of the place is given in connection with the presentation for the first township.