Mount Vernon: 2024 GMA Member City Data Profile
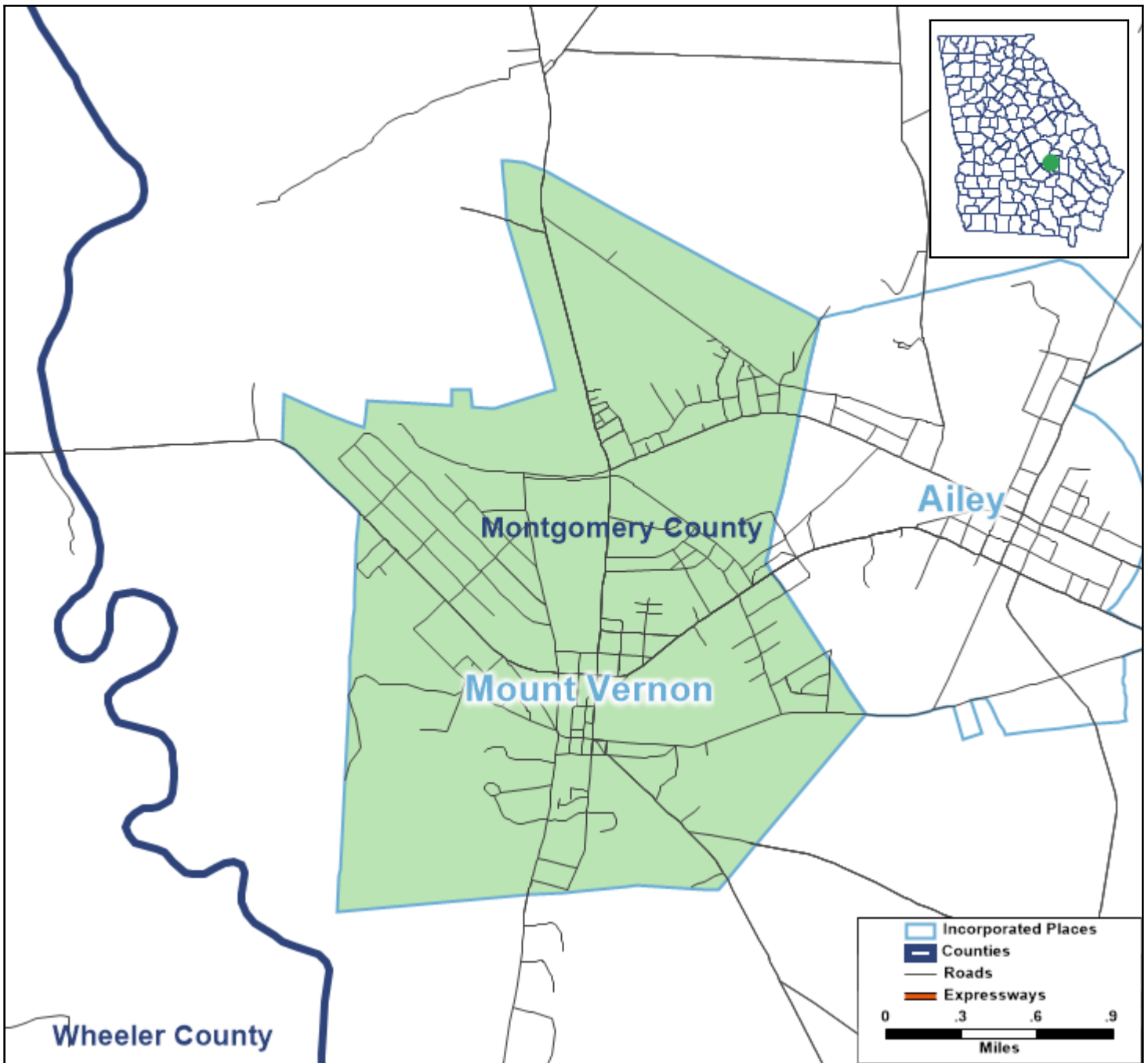

This document presents a concise profile of Mount Vernon based on the following three topic areas:

Demographic and Social Data

- Population
- Race and Ethnicity
- Age
- Household Type
- Citizenship
- Educational Attainment

Economic Data

- Labor Force Participation and Employment
- Industry
- Household Income
- Poverty
- Broadband Internet
- Health Insurance

Housing Data

- Occupancy
- Tenure and Mortgage Status
- Median Housing Costs
- Housing Cost-Burdened Households
- Vehicles Available
- Year Structure Built

All data in this profile reflect municipal boundaries as of January 1, 2022. Population totals are from the Census Bureau's City Population Estimates program, 2023 vintage; all other data come the from the Census Bureau's 2022 American Community Survey 5-year estimates. Please note that percents may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

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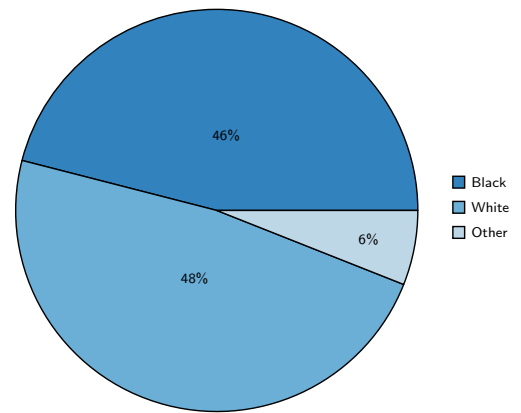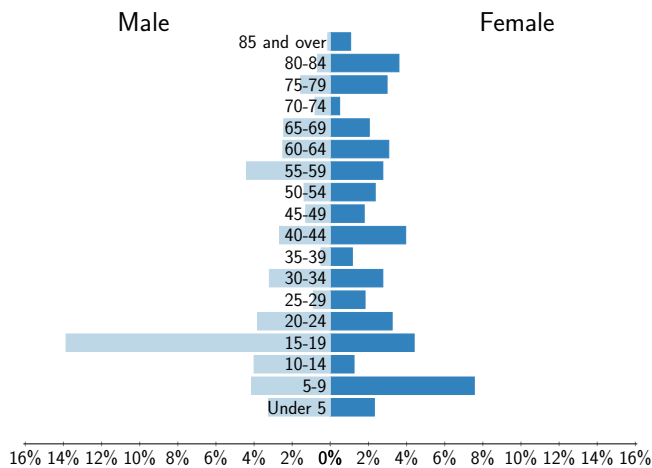
Mount Vernon: Demographic and Social

Population

2023 Population: 1,975
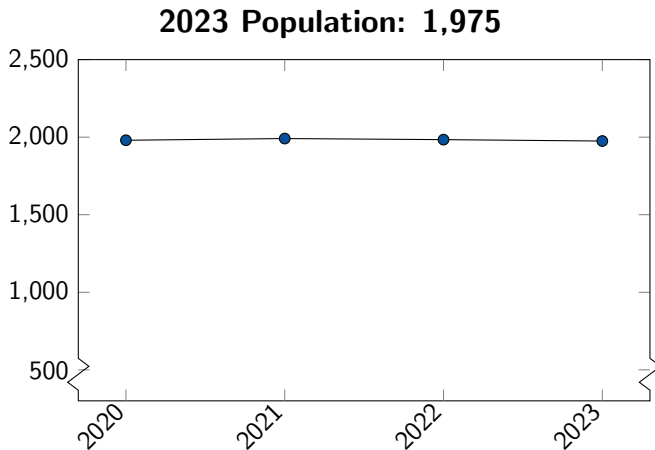
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, City Population Estimates, 2023 vintage

Race and Ethnicity

- Black 46%
- White 48%
- Other 6%

Source: American Community Survey, 2022 5-year estimates, table B03002

Age

Male / Female

Age groups: 85 and over, 80-84, 75-79, 70-74, 65-69, 60-64, 55-59, 50-54, 45-49, 40-44, 35-39, 30-34, 25-29, 20-24, 15-19, 10-14, 5-9, Under 5

Source: American Community Survey, 2022 5-year estimates, table B01001

Household Type

- Single-headed Family 31%
- Married Couple Family 34%
- Non-family 35%
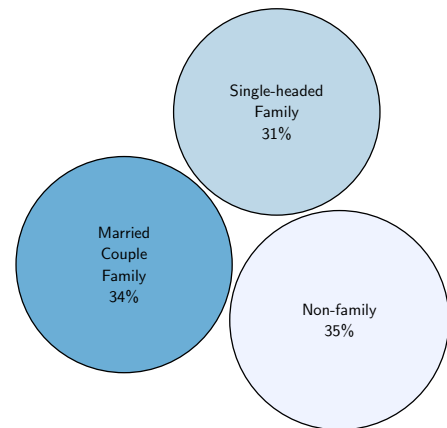
Source: American Community Survey, 2022 5-year estimates, table B11001

Citizenship

- Not Citizen 1%
- Native Born 98%
- Naturalized 1%
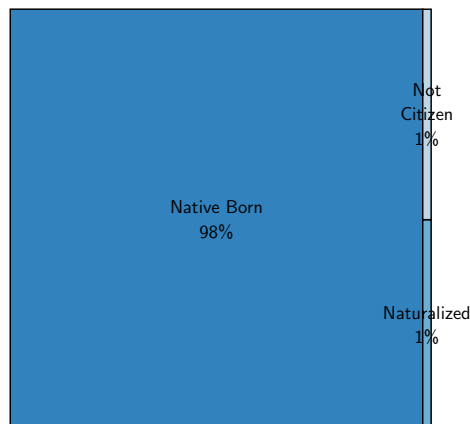
Source: American Community Survey, 2022 5-year estimates, table B05002

Educational Attainment

- Mount Vernon: 22% / 11%
- Montgomery County: 16% / 20%
- Heart of GA RC: 18% / 14%
- Georgia: 11% / 34%

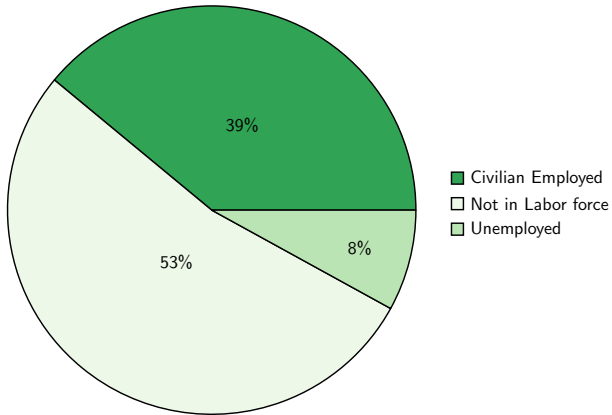BA or higher / Less than HS
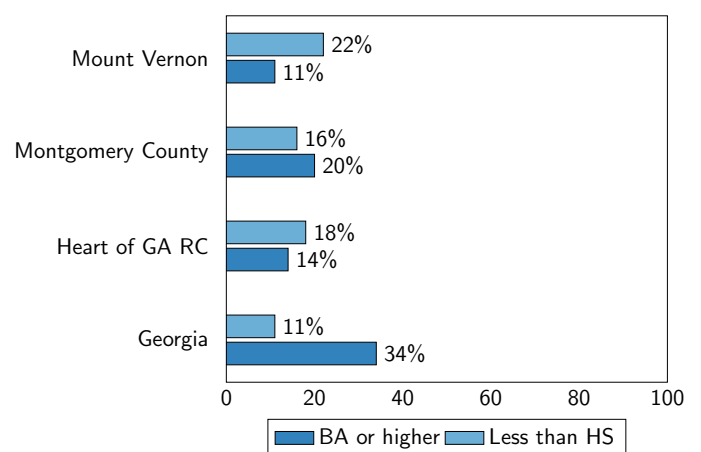
Source: American Community Survey, 2022 5-year estimates, table B15002

Mount Vernon: Economic

Labor Force Participation and Employment

Unemployment Rate: 16.4%†

- 39% Civilian Employed
- 53% Not in Labor force
- 8% Unemployed

Source: American Community Survey, 2022 5-year estimates, table B23001
†**Note:** Unemployment rate is based upon the civilian labor force.

Industry

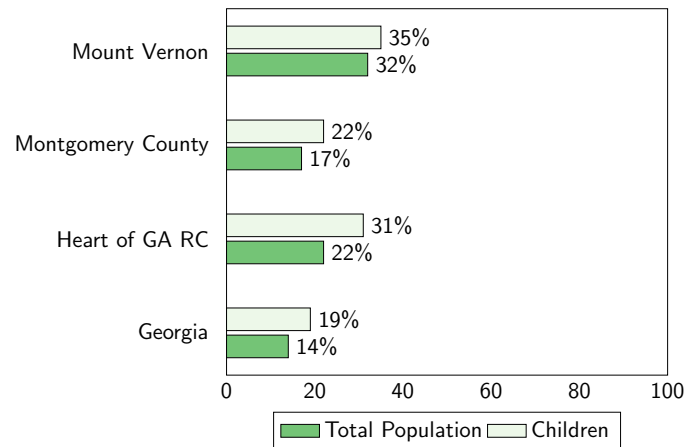|	
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	0%
Construction	13%
Manufacturing	5%
Wholesale Trade	0%
Retail Trade	11%
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	21%
Information	0%
Finance and insurance, real estate, rental, leasing	1%
Professional, scientific, mgt, administrative, waste mgt	0%
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	30%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, food service	5%
Other services, except public administration	9%
Public administration	6%

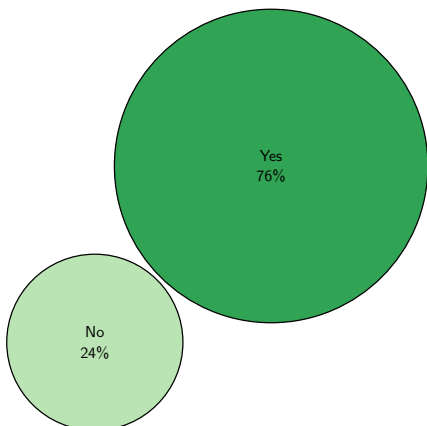Source: American Community Survey, 2022 5-year estimates, table C24030

Household Income

	Median	Mean
Mount Vernon	$33,788	$43,961
Montgomery County	$49,138	$79,916
Heart of GA RC	$47,821	$66,103
Georgia	$71,355	$99,345
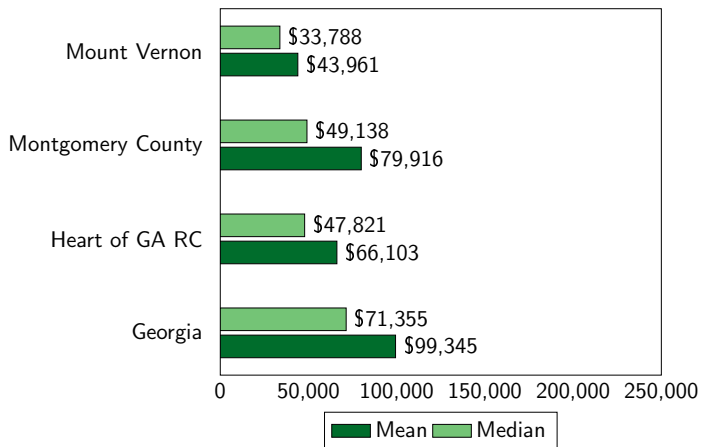
Source: American Community Survey, 2022 5-year estimates, tables B19013 and B19025

Poverty

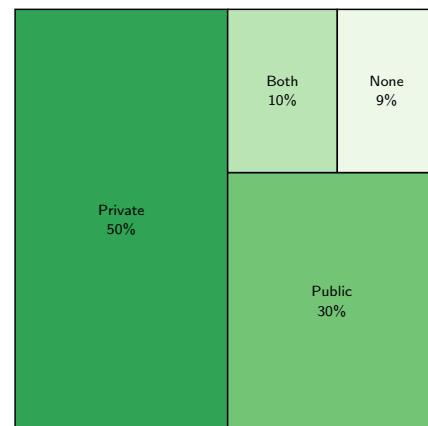|	Children	Total Population
Mount Vernon	35%	32%
Montgomery County	22%	17%
Heart of GA RC	31%	22%
Georgia	19%	14%

Source: American Community Survey, 2022 5-year estimates, table B17010

Broadband Internet

- Yes 76%
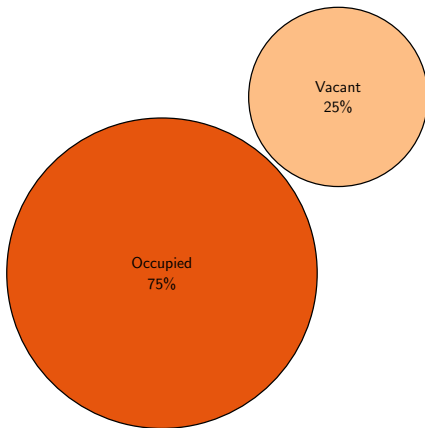- No 24%

Source: American Community Survey, 2022 5-year estimates, table B28002

Health Insurance

- Private 50%
- Public 30%
- Both 10%
- None 9%

Source: American Community Survey, 2022 5-year estimates, table B18135

Mount Vernon: Housing

Occupancy

Vacant
25%

Occupied
75%

Source: American Community Survey, 2022 5-year estimates, table B25002

Tenure and Mortgage Status

Renter
42%

Owner without Mortgage
36%

Owner with Mortgage
22%
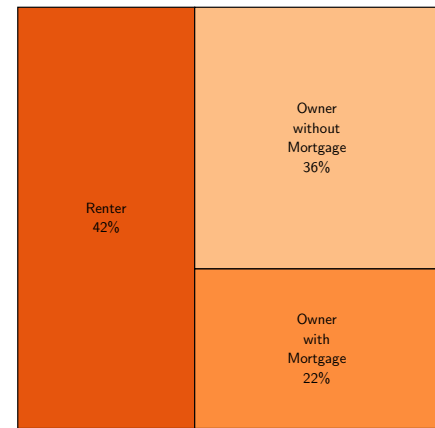
Source: American Community Survey, 2022 5-year estimates, tables B25009 and B25081

Median Housing Costs

|	Owners	Renters
Mount Vernon	$608	$619
Montgomery County	$625	$684
Heart of GA RC	$577	$698
Georgia	$1,207	$1,221
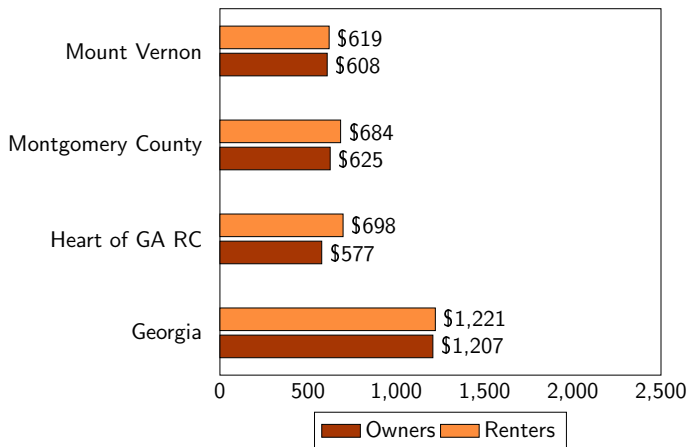
Source: American Community Survey, 2022 5-year estimates, tables B25088 and B25064

Housing Cost-Burdened Households

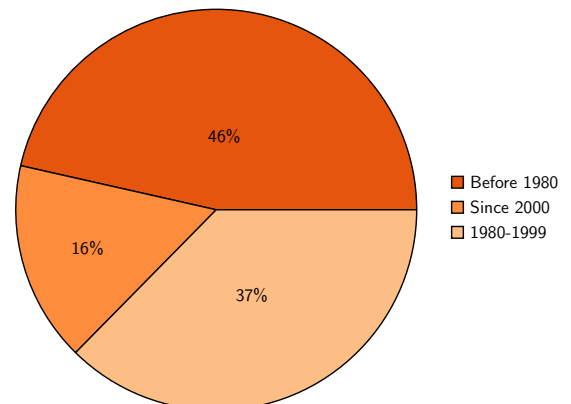|	Owners	Renters
Mount Vernon	16%	65%
Montgomery County	16%	54%
Heart of GA RC	19%	43%
Georgia	20%	50%
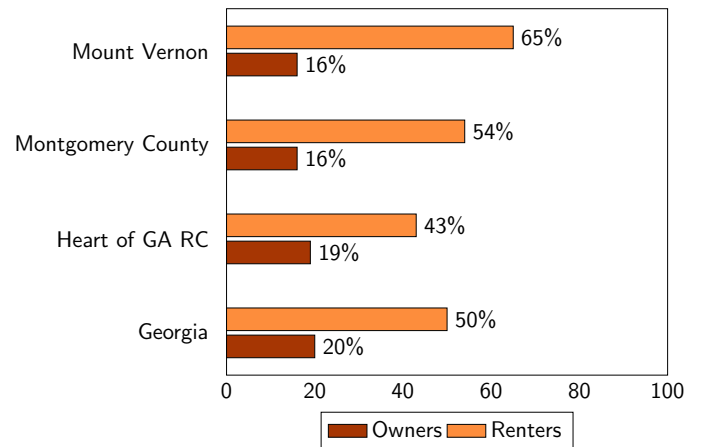
Source: American Community Survey, 2022 5-year estimates, tables B25091 and B25070

Vehicles Available

1 vehicle
37%

3+
13%

None
10%

2 vehicles
39%
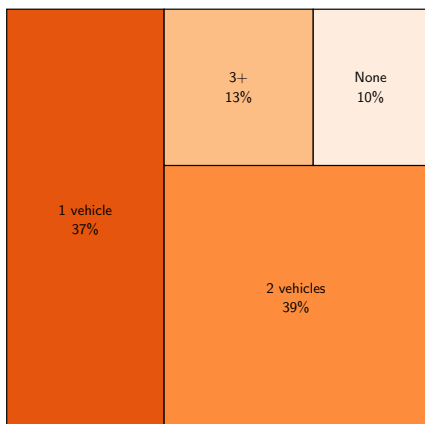
Source: American Community Survey, 2022 5-year estimates, table B25044

Year Structure Built

46%

16%

37%

Before 1980
Since 2000
1980-1999

Source: American Community Survey, 2022 5-year estimates, table B25034