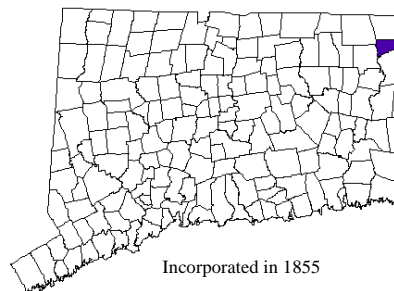


# Putnam, Connecticut

## CERC Town Profile 2010

Town Hall  
126 Church Street  
Putnam, CT 06260  
(860) 963-6800

*Belongs to*  
Windham County  
LMA Willimantic - Danielson  
Northeast Economic Dev. Region  
Northeastern Connecticut Planning Area



Incorporated in 1855

### Demographics

<i>Population (2009)</i>				<i>Race/Ethnicity (2009)</i>									
	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>		<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>						
1990	9,031	102,525	3,287,116	White	8,644	101,347	2,756,861						
2000	9,002	109,091	3,405,565	Black	62	907	319,730						
2009	9,447	117,328	3,497,398	Asian Pacific	47	918	120,457						
2014	9,332	118,042	3,485,122	Native American	3	8	9,990						
'09-'14 Growth / Yr	-0.2%	0.1%	-0.1%	Other/Multi-Race	691	14,148	290,360						
				Hispanic (any race)	217	9,546	426,255						
Land Area (sq. miles)	20	513	5,009	<i>Poverty Rate (1999)</i>	7.7%	8.5%	7.9%						
Pop./ Sq. Mile (2009)	466	229	698	<i>Educational Attainment (2009)</i>									
Median Age (2009)	40	37	40	Persons Age 25 or Older	<i>Town</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>%</i>					
Households (2009)	3,773	43,216	1,311,307	High School Graduate	2,577	39%	688,198	29%					
Med HH Inc. (2009)	\$53,591	\$74,520	\$68,055	Some College	1,618	24%	537,908	23%					
				Bachelors or More	1,323	20%	854,541	36%					
<i>Age Distribution (2009)</i>													
	<i>0-4</i>		<i>5-17</i>		<i>18-24</i>		<i>25-49</i>		<i>50-64</i>		<i>65+</i>		<i>Total</i>
Male	272	3%	707	7%	418	4%	1,624	17%	850	9%	613	6%	4,484
Female	271	3%	721	8%	400	4%	1,651	17%	912	10%	1,008	11%	4,963
County Total	7,020	6%	18,986	16%	11,833	10%	42,562	36%	22,401	19%	14,526	12%	117,328
State Total	210,817	6%	588,675	17%	330,112	9%	1,182,009	34%	696,537	20%	489,248	14%	3,497,398

### Economics

<i>Business Profile (2005)</i>			<i>Top Five Grand List (2006)</i>		
<i>Sector</i>	<i>Establishments</i>	<i>Employment</i>		<i>Amount</i>	<i>% of Net</i>
Agriculture	1.5%	0.5%	Troy Cmbs Prop LLC	\$5,744,000	1.4%
Const. and Mining	11.3%	3.4%	Staples Inc	\$4,993,400	1.2%
Manufacturing	10.4%	22.3%	Putnam Acquisition LP	\$4,870,300	1.2%
Trans. and Utilities	2.8%	3.7%	Intl Paper Co	\$4,629,800	1.2%
Trade	28.1%	19.2%	Putnam LLC	\$3,762,500	0.9%
Finance, Ins. and Real Estate	5.9%	3.9%	Net Grand List (2006) \$400,890,200		
Services	35.7%	44.5%	<i>Top Five Major Employers (2006)</i>		
Government	4.3%	2.3%	Day Kimball Hospital	Staples	
			Town of Putnam-Inc. Board of Ed	Stop & Shop	
			Wal-Mart		
				<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>
			<i>Retail Sales (2007)</i>	\$181,445,429	\$136,936,194,241
			<i>All Outlets</i>		

### Education

<i>2005-2006 School Year</i>			<i>Connecticut Mastery Test Percent Above Goal</i>							
	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Grade 4</i>		<i>Grade 6</i>		<i>Grade 8</i>			
			<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>		
Total Town School Enrollment	1,320	566,606	Reading	41	53	49	60	63	65	
Most public school students in Putnam attend Putnam School District, which has 1,329 students.			Math	60	57	62	61	52	56	
			Writing	40	63	55	61	46	61	
<b>For more education data please see:</b>	<i>Students per Computer</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Average Class Size</i>			<i>Average SAT Score</i>			
<a href="http://www.state.ct.us/sde/">http://www.state.ct.us/sde/</a>	Elementary:	5.0	4.0	Grade K	17.0	Grade 2	19.0	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	
	Middle:	4.0	3.0	Grade 5	22.0	Grade 7	21.0	Verbal	485	508
	Secondary:	2.8	3.2	High School	18.2	Math	456	508		

## Government

Government Form: Selectman-Town Meeting				Annual Debt Service (2007)	\$209,255
Total Revenue (2007)	\$19,529,518	Total Expenditures (2007)	\$20,037,564	As % of Expenditures	1.0%
Tax Revenue	\$7,138,500	Education	\$15,621,857	Eq. Net Grand List (2006)	\$980,772,219
Non-tax Revenue	\$12,391,018	Other	\$4,415,707	Per Capita	\$98,451
Intergovernmental	\$667,095	Total Indebtness (2007)	\$540,000	As % of State Average	61%
Per Capita Tax (2007)	\$731	As % of Expenditures	2.7%	Date of Last Revaluation (2009)	2003
As % of State Average	33.1%	Per Capita	\$55	Moody's Bond Rating (2007)	A3
		As % of State Average	2.6%	Actual Mill Rate (2007)	14.22
				Equalized Mill Rate (2007)	6.84
				% of Grand List Com/Ind (2006)	20.8%

## Housing/Real Estate

<i>Housing Stock (2008)</i>	<b>Town</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>State</b>	Owner Occupied Dwellings (2000)	2,059	27,738	869,742
Existing Units (total)	4,154	47,314	1,449,440	As % Total Dwellings	52%	63%	63%
% Single Unit	56.6%	69.0%	64.8%	Subsidize Housing (2008)	554	5,556	149,355
New Permits Auth. (2008)	15	171	5,220	<i>Distribution of House Sales (2007)</i>			
As % Existing Units	0.36%	0.36%	0.36%	<b>Town County State</b>			
Demolitions (2008)	0	22	1,462	Number of Sales			
House Sales (2007)	80	997	32,395	Less than \$100,000			
Median Price	\$196,000	\$219,000	\$295,000	\$100,000-\$199,999			
Built Pre 1950 share (2000)	50.6%	35.1%	31.5%	\$200,000-\$299,999			
				\$300,000-\$399,999			
				\$400,000 or More			

## Labor Force

<i>Place of Residence (2008)</i>				<i>Commuters (2000)</i>			
	<b>Town</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>State</b>	Commuters into Town from: Town Residents Commuting to:			
Labor Force	5,258	64,336	1,876,144	Putnam	1,609	Putnam	1,609
Employed	4,893	60,055	1,769,233	Killingly	1,059	Killingly	595
Unemployed	365	4,281	106,911	Thompson	620	Woodstock	262
Unemployment Rate	6.9%	6.7%	5.7%	Woodstock	486	Thompson	176
<i>Place of Work (2008)</i>				Plainfield	312	Pomfret	167
# of Units	341	2,690	105,005	Pomfret	306	Worcester, MA	140
Total Employment	6,074	39,140	1,676,493	Brooklyn	228	Plainfield	127
2000-'08 Growth AAGR	0.4%	0.3%	0.0%	Windham	100	Norwich	107
Mfg Employment	1,021	6,401	186,522	Glocester, RI	88	Windham	105
				Webster, MA	68	Southbridge, MA	98

## Quality of Life

	<b>Town</b>	<b>State</b>	Library (2001)	<b>Town</b>	<i>Residential Utilities</i>		
Banks (2007)	4	1,029	Total Volumes	38,865	Electric Provider		
Lodging (1998)	1	756	Circulation Per Capita	4.9	Connecticut Light & Power		
Day Care Facilities (1999)	6	1,721			(800) 286-2000		
Infant Mortality Rate			<i>Distance to Major Cities Miles</i>		Gas Provider		
Per 1,000 births (2001)	no calc	4.5	Hartford	43	Yankee Gas Company		
Crime Rate (2004)			Boston	53	(800) 989-0900		
Per 100,000 Residents	401	2,981	New York City	138	Water Provider		
			Providence	24	Municipal Provider		
	<b>Town</b>	<b>County</b>			local Contact		
Hospitals (1999)	1	2			Cable Provider		
Total Beds	103	233			METROCAST COMMUNICATIONS OF C		
					(860) 442-8525		