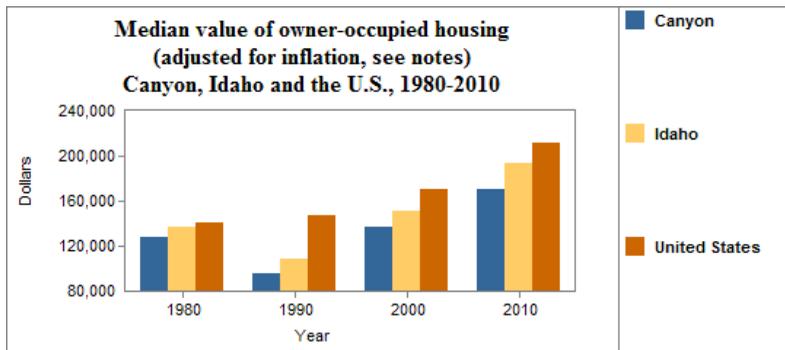


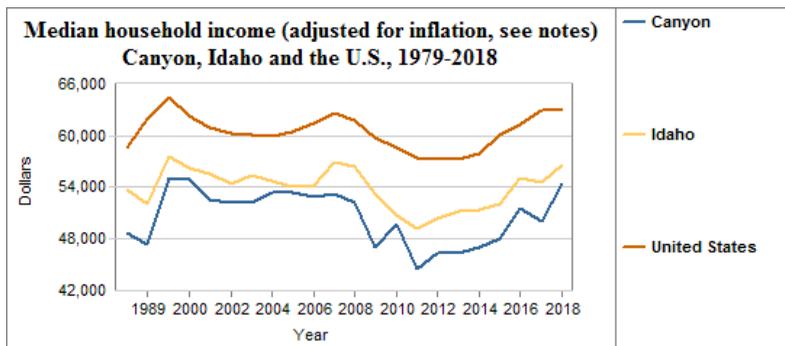
## Housing

- ◆ The median value of owner-occupied housing (adjusted for inflation) was \$162,492 between 2014 and 2018, compared to \$195,784 in Idaho and \$208,613 in the US.
- ◆ The median value was the 22nd highest out of Idaho's 44 counties between 2014 and 2018.
- ◆ The number of housing units increased by 55.6% from 2000 to 2018, compared to an increase of 34.8% in Idaho.



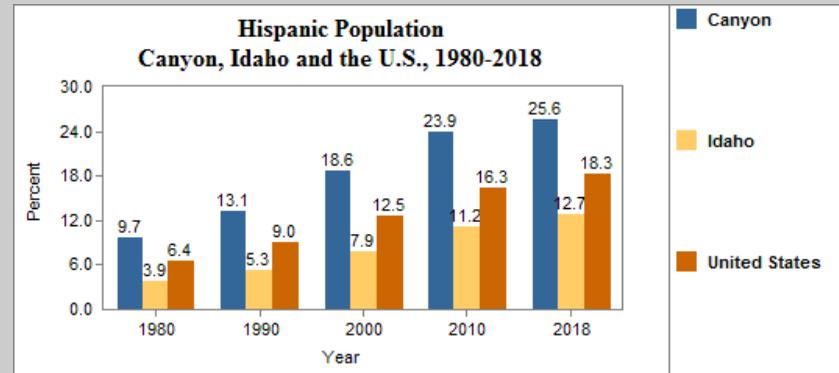
## Income

- ◆ The county's per capita income in 2018 (adjusted for inflation) was \$33,272, compared to the state average of \$44,696 and the national average of \$55,433.
- ◆ Per capita income increased by 10.3% from 2008 to 2018, compared to an increase of 15.3% in Idaho and an increase of 14.1% in the US.
- ◆ The median household income (adjusted for inflation) was \$54,348 in 2018 compared to \$56,530 in Idaho and \$63,059 in the US.



## Hispanic Population

- ◆ Canyon County had 57,144 Hispanic residents in 2018.



## Age Structure

- ◆ 28.5% of Canyon County's population was under 18 in 2018, in contrast to 25.5% in Idaho and 22.4% in the US.
- ◆ In 2018, 57.8% of the population was 18 to 64 years old, compared to 58.7% in Idaho and 61.5% in the US.
- ◆ Canyon County's median age in 2018 was 34.0 compared to 36.6 in Idaho and 38.2 in the US.

**Note:** The Consumer Price Index (CPI) is a measure of inflation. Using the CPI to put dollar values in "real" terms makes it easier to see "inflation-free" change over time. Our base year is 2019, which means all dollar values are in terms of 2019 dollars. For more information, see <https://www.bls.gov/cpi/home.htm>

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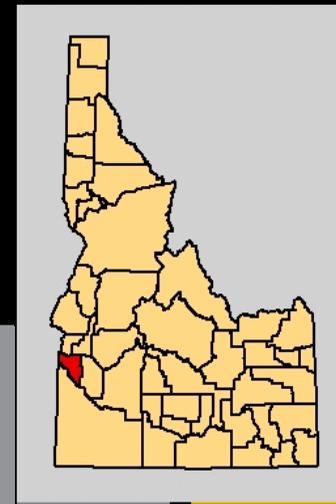
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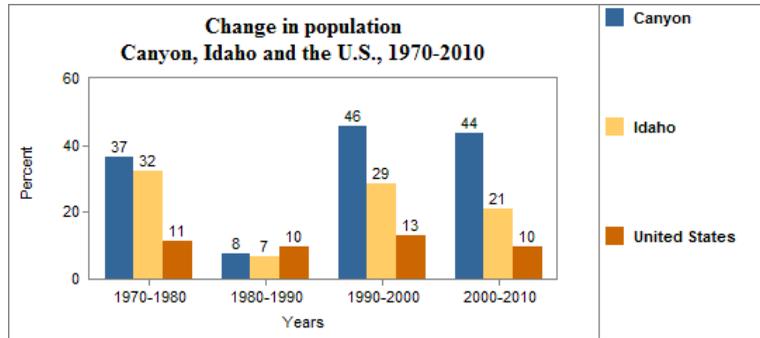
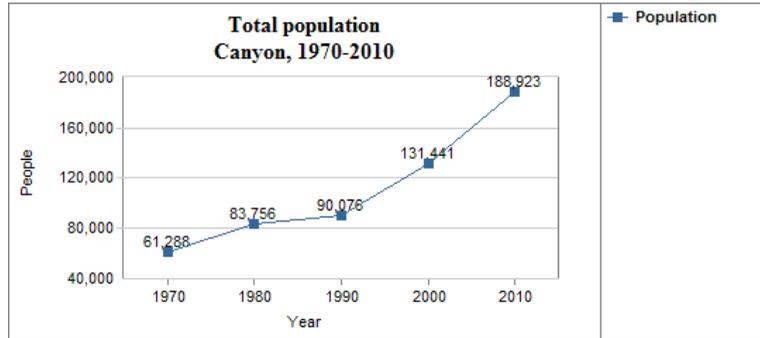
### COUNTY HIGHLIGHTS

- ◆ Canyon County's total population in 2018 was 223,499.
- ◆ In 2018, the median household income was \$54,348.
- ◆ Canyon County's average annual unemployment rate was 3.1% in 2018.
- ◆ In 2018, Hispanic residents made up 25.6% of the population, compared to 12.3% in Idaho and 17.8% in the US.

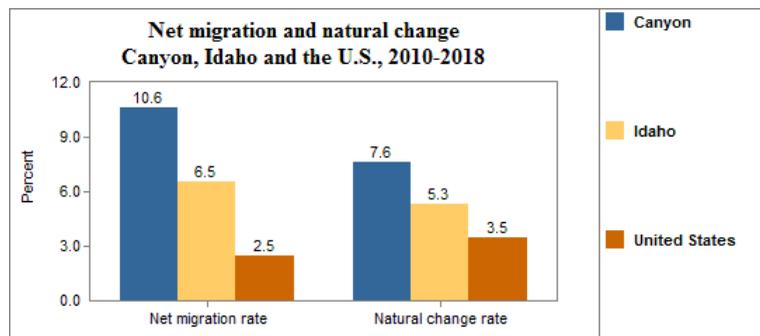


# Population Change

- ◆ Canyon Co. had 223,499 residents in 2018, 34,576 more than 2010.
- ◆ Population increased by 18.3 percent between 2010 and 2018, compared to an increase of 11.9 percent in Idaho as a whole.



- ◆ Canyon County was the 2nd fastest growing county out of Idaho's 44 counties between 2010 and 2018.
- ◆ Since 1970, Canyon County has gained 162,211 residents.
- ◆ Canyon County had migration & natural change rates that were above the state average between 2010 and 2018.

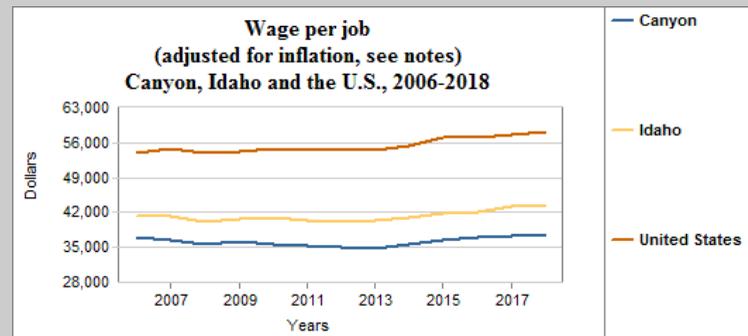


# Employment

- ◆ The average annual unemployment rate in 2018 was 3.1%, compared to 2.8% for Idaho and 3.9% for the US. Canyon County ranked 21st—from highest to lowest—out of Idaho's 44 counties.
- ◆ The largest number of jobs in 2018 were provided by manufacturing, retail trade, and government.
- ◆ The number of jobs was 97,050 in 2018, compared to 27,176 in 1969—a 257% increase.

	2010	2014	2018
<b>Total Employment</b>	<b>75,633</b>	<b>82,391</b>	<b>97,050</b>
Farm	4.5%	4.6%	4.0%
Construction	7.1%	8.4%	10.5%
Manufacturing	10.6%	10.5%	11.7%
Retail trade	12.2%	11.8%	11.4%
Professional and technical services	3.8%	3.7%	3.6%
Educational services	2.9%	2.8%	2.4%
Health care and social assistance	11.1%	9.9%	10.2%
Accommodation and food services	4.7%	5.6%	6.4%
Government	12.8%	11.8%	10.7%
Other	37.3%	39.3%	39.6%

- ◆ In 2018, the self-employment rate was 26.4%, compared to 25.7% for Idaho and 23.1% for the US.
- ◆ The average wage per job in 2018 (adjusted for inflation) was \$37,500, up slightly from \$35,732 a decade earlier. The average was \$43,659 in Idaho and \$58,304 in the US.



# Social Trends

## Educational Attainment

In Canyon County on average between 2014-2018...

- ◆ 15.4% of the population 25 years and older had no high school diploma, compared to 9.4% in Idaho and 12.3% in the US.
- ◆ 18.3% had a bachelor's degree or higher, compared to 26.9% in Idaho and 31.5% in the US.

## Poverty

- ◆ Canyon County's overall poverty rate decreased from 14.9% in 2008 when the recession began to 11.5% in 2018.
- ◆ Statewide, the overall poverty rate in 2018 was 11.7% and the US rate was 13.1%.
- ◆ Canyon County's child poverty rate (for people under 18) decreased from 18.8% in 2008 when the recession began to 15.2% in 2018.
- ◆ On average between 2014 and 2018, the poverty rate for people 65 and over was 9.2 percent.

## Canyon County Youth

- ◆ The teen birth rate in 2017 was 8 per 1,000, compared to 6 per 1,000 in Idaho and 8 per 1,000 in the US.
- ◆ On average between 2014 and 2018, teens who were not working, looking for work, and not in school made up 8.8% of all youth aged 16-19, compared to 6.8% in Idaho and 6.8% in the US.

## Crime and Law Enforcement

In Canyon County in 2018...

- ◆ The total number of crimes reported was 215 per 10,000 population, compared to 169 in Idaho and 258 in the US.
- ◆ The number of sworn police officers per 1,000 population was 1.2, compared to 1.6 in Idaho and 2.1 in the US.