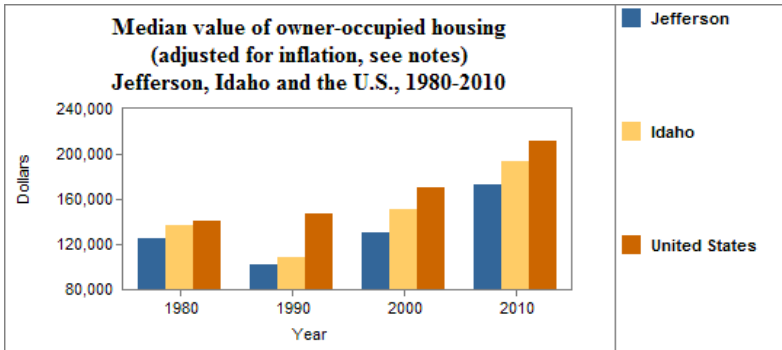


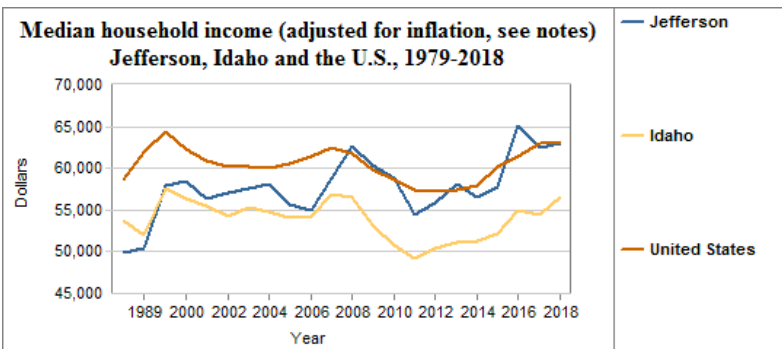
Housing

- ◆ The median value of owner-occupied housing (adjusted for inflation) was \$187,436 between 2014 and 2018, compared to \$195,784 in Idaho and \$208,613 in the US.
- ◆ The median value was the 11th highest out of Idaho's 44 counties between 2014 and 2018.
- ◆ The number of housing units increased by 46.8% from 2000 to 2018, compared to an increase of 34.8% in Idaho.



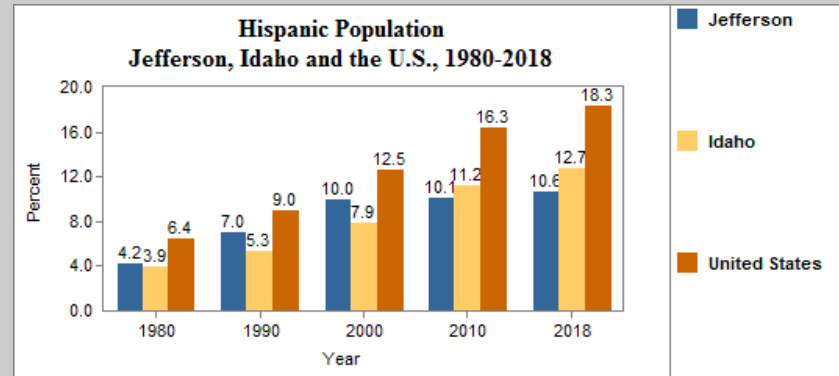
Income

- ◆ The county's per capita income in 2018 (adjusted for inflation) was \$35,532, compared to the state average of \$44,696 and the national average of \$55,433.
- ◆ Per capita income increased by 7.1% 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 \$63,049 in 2018 compared to \$56,530 in Idaho and \$63,059 in the US.



Hispanic Population

- ◆ Jefferson County had 3,126 Hispanic residents in 2018.



Age Structure

- ◆ 34.1% of Jefferson County's population was under 18 in 2018, in contrast to 25.5% in Idaho and 22.4% in the US.
- ◆ In 2018, 54.4% of the population was 18 to 64 years old, compared to 58.7% in Idaho and 61.5% in the US.
- ◆ Jefferson County's median age in 2018 was 31.5 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>

Sources:

Please see the Indicators Idaho website (indicatorsidaho.org) for data sources and additional information about your county.

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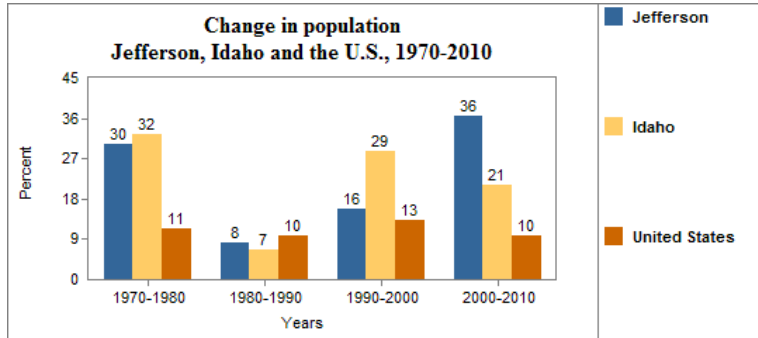
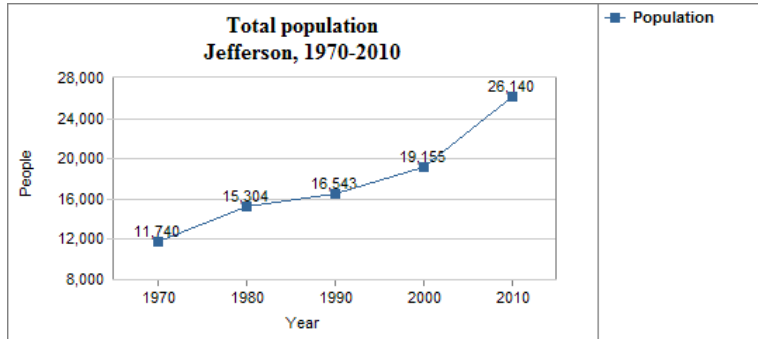
COUNTY HIGHLIGHTS

- ◆ **Jefferson County's total population in 2018 was 29,439.**
- ◆ **In 2018, the median household income was \$63,049.**
- ◆ **Jefferson County's average annual unemployment rate was 2.3% in 2018.**
- ◆ **In 2018, Hispanic residents made up 10.6% of the population, compared to 12.7% in Idaho and 18.3% in the US.**

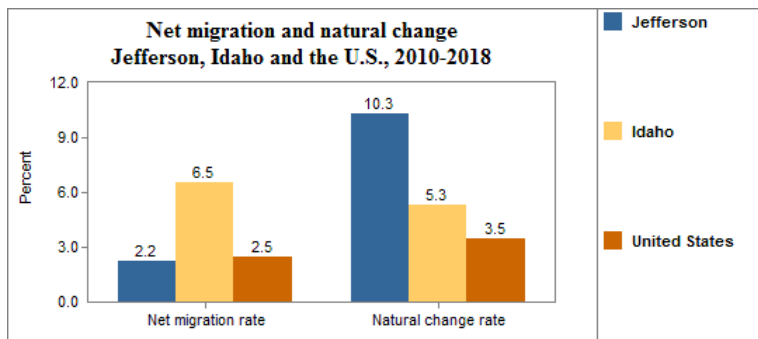


Population Change

- ◆ Jefferson Co. had 29,439 residents in 2018, 3,299 more than 2010.
- ◆ Population increased by 12.6 percent between 2010 and 2018, compared to an increase of 11.9 percent in Idaho as a whole.



- ◆ Jefferson County was the 5th fastest growing county out of Idaho's 44 counties between 2010 and 2018.
- ◆ Since 1970, Jefferson County has gained 17,699 residents.
- ◆ Jefferson County had a migration rate below & natural change rate that was above the state average between 2010 and 2018.

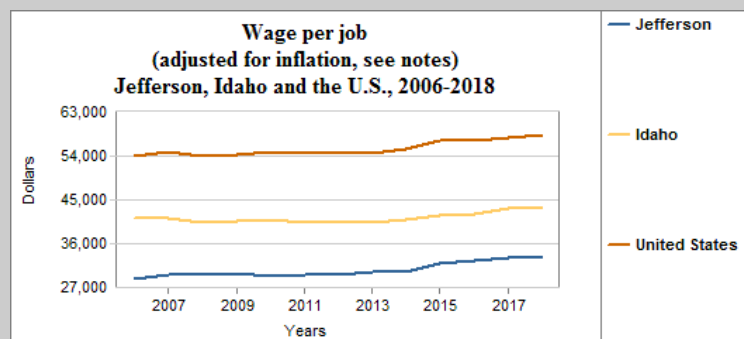


Employment

- ◆ The average annual unemployment rate in 2018 was 2.3%, compared to 2.8% for Idaho and 3.9% for the US. Jefferson County ranked 39th—from highest to lowest—out of Idaho's 44 counties.
- ◆ The largest number of jobs in 2018 were provided by government, construction, and manufacturing.
- ◆ The number of jobs was 12,369 in 2018, compared to 4,121 in 1969—a 200% increase.

	2010	2014	2018
Total Employment	10,513	10,868	12,369
Farm	11.3%	10.6%	9.6%
Construction	9.0%	9.2%	11.1%
Manufacturing	9.7%	10.6%	10.3%
Retail trade	8.9%	10.0%	8.8%
Professional and technical services	NA	3.0%	4.1%
Educational services	NA	NA	0.8%
Health care and social assistance	NA	NA	6.4%
Accommodation and food services	3.0%	2.9%	2.6%
Government	14.1%	13.1%	11.6%
Other	NA	44.8%	45.8%

- ◆ In 2018, the self-employment rate was 40.0%, compared to 25.7% for Idaho and 23.1% for the US.
- ◆ The average wage per job in 2018 (adjusted for inflation) was \$33,528, up from \$29,560 a decade earlier. The average was \$43,659 in Idaho and \$58,304 in the US.



Social Trends

Educational Attainment

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

- ◆ 10.9% of the population 25 years and older had no high school diploma, compared to 9.4% in Idaho and 12.3% in the US.
- ◆ 22.6% had a bachelor's degree or higher, compared to 26.9% in Idaho and 31.5% in the US.

Poverty

- ◆ Jefferson County's overall poverty rate decreased from 10.1% in 2008 when the recession began to 9.1% in 2018.
- ◆ Statewide, the overall poverty rate in 2018 was 11.7% and the US rate was 13.1%.
- ◆ Jefferson County's child poverty rate (for people under 18) decreased from 13.5% in 2008 when the recession began to 11.0% in 2018.
- ◆ On average between 2014 and 2018, the poverty rate for people 65 and over was 6.5 percent.

Jefferson County Youth

- ◆ The teen birth rate in 2017 was 4 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 6.5% of all youth aged 16-19, compared to 6.8% in Idaho and 6.8% in the US.

Crime and Law Enforcement

In Jefferson County in 2018...

- ◆ The total number of crimes reported was 52 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 1.0, compared to 1.6 in Idaho and 2.1 in the US.