

10.2 POPULATION - Trends 1930 - 2020, Chester County

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County/Municipality	1930	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2020
Chester County	126,629	135,626	159,141	210,608	277,746	316,660	376,396	433,501	499,132	534,413
Atglen Boro.	620	588	668	721	740	669	825	1,217	1,406	1,313
Avondale Boro.	763	754	941	1,016	1,025	891	954	1,108	1,265	1,274
Birmingham Twp.	398	384	429	453	834	1,584	2,636	4,221	4,208	4,082
Caln Twp.	1,676	3,661	5,779	6,685	6,689	9,639	11,997	11,916	13,817	14,432
Charlestown Twp.	720	726	854	1,931	3,528	2,770	2,754	4,051	5,671	6,001
Coatesville City	14,582	14,006	13,826	12,971	12,331	10,698	11,038	10,838	13,100	13,350
Downingtwn Boro.	4,548	4,645	4,948	5,598	7,437	7,650	7,749	7,589	7,891	7,892
East Bradford Twp.	906	1,033	1,187	1,713	3,260	3,219	6,440	9,405	9,942	10,339
East Brandywine Twp.	774	913	1,108	1,618	2,741	4,690	5,179	5,822	6,742	9,738
East Caln Twp.	297	315	403	758	1,739	2,187	2,619	2,857	4,838	5,384
East Coventry Twp.	1,271	1,304	1,499	2,183	3,284	4,085	4,450	4,566	6,636	7,068
East Fallowfield Twp.	1,406	1,542	1,795	2,745	3,487	3,962	4,433	5,157	7,449	7,626
East Goshen Twp.	739	867	1,039	1,694	5,138	10,021	15,138	16,824	18,026	18,410
East Marlborough Twp.	1,599	1,600	1,868	2,417	3,031	3,953	4,781	6,317	7,026	7,306
East Nantmeal Twp.	594	549	665	730	858	1,222	1,448	1,787	1,803	1,832
East Nottingham Twp.	1,339	1,576	1,748	2,298	2,402	3,111	3,841	5,516	8,650	8,982
East Pikeland Twp.	928	976	1,395	2,817	4,384	4,410	5,825	6,551	7,079	8,260
East Vincent Twp.	2,664	3,614	4,576	5,453	5,084	4,739	4,161	5,493	6,821	7,433
East Whiteland Twp.	1,334	1,290	1,740	5,078	7,242	8,468	8,398	9,333	10,650	13,917
Easttown Twp.	2,570	2,552	3,811	6,907	9,565	9,064	9,570	10,270	10,477	10,984
Elk Twp.	404	457	462	539	649	750	1,129	1,485	1,681	1,698
Elverson Boro.	330	316	370	472	509	530	470	959	1,225	1,330
Franklin Twp.	620	655	666	817	1,043	1,920	2,779	3,850	4,352	4,433
Highland Twp.	792	827	904	1,029	1,248	1,244	1,199	1,125	1,272	1,259
Honey Brook Boro.	654	766	864	1,023	1,115	1,164	1,184	1,287	1,713	1,892
Honey Brook Twp.	1,140	1,171	1,261	1,584	2,883	4,128	5,449	6,278	7,647	8,274

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Kennett Square Boro.	1,343	1,767	2,145	3,026	3,394	4,201	4,624	6,451	7,565	5,936
Kennett Twp.	3,091	3,375	3,699	4,355	4,876	4,715	5,218	5,273	6,072	8,289
London Britain Twp.	455	462	559	686	963	1,546	2,671	2,797	3,139	3,179
London Grove Twp.	1,484	1,666	1,844	2,734	3,109	3,531	3,922	5,265	7,475	8,797
Londonderry Twp.	491	478	595	718	920	1,293	1,243	1,632	2,149	2,476
Lower Oxford Twp.	1,127	1,186	1,657	2,007	1,979	2,836	3,264	4,319	5,200	5,420
Malvern Boro.	1,551	1,680	1,764	2,268	2,583	2,999	2,944	3,059	2,998	3,419
Modena Boro.	599	625	824	859	867	672	563	610	535	541
New Garden Twp.	2,391	2,716	3,027	3,718	4,153	4,790	5,430	9,083	11,984	11,363
New London Twp.	576	624	660	845	938	1,312	2,721	4,583	5,631	5,810
Newlin Twp.	579	984	957	1,477	1,464	725	1,092	1,150	1,285	1,358
North Coventry Twp.	2,837	3,030	3,242	4,367	6,690	7,164	7,506	7,381	7,866	8,441
Oxford Boro.	2,606	2,723	3,091	3,376	3,658	3,633	3,769	4,315	5,077	5,736
Parkesburg Boro.	2,288	2,288	2,611	2,759	2,701	2,578	2,981	3,373	3,593	3,862
Penn Twp.	537	588	705	1,097	989	1,888	2,257	2,812	5,364	5,644
Pennsbury Twp.	678	660	686	936	1,763	2,604	3,326	3,500	3,604	3,876
Phoenixville Boro.	12,029	12,282	12,932	13,797	14,823	14,165	15,066	14,788	16,440	18,602
Pocopson Twp.	416	513	475	1,315	1,556	2,331	3,266	3,350	4,582	4,455
Sadsbury Twp.	1,071	1,226	1,502	2,066	2,103	2,398	2,510	2,582	3,570	4,125
Schuylkill Twp.	1,566	1,581	3,835	3,461	5,779	5,993	5,538	6,960	8,516	8,780
South Coatesville Boro.	1,785	1,604	1,996	2,032	1,583	1,359	1,026	997	1,303	1,601
South Coventry Twp.	589	679	863	1,212	1,518	1,556	1,682	1,895	2,604	2,796
Spring City Boro.	2,963	3,022	3,258	3,162	3,578	3,389	3,433	3,305	3,323	3,494
Thornbury Twp.	244	233	297	746	1,435	1,323	1,131	2,678	3,263	3,177
Tredyffrin Twp.	5,458	6,260	7,836	16,004	23,337	23,019	28,028	29,062	29,332	31,927
Upper Oxford Twp.	780	859	903	997	1,136	1,332	1,615	2,095	2,484	2,560
Upper Uwchlan Twp.	597	689	761	909	996	1,805	4,396	6,850	11,227	12,275
Uwchlan Twp.	507	599	761	995	5,473	8,364	12,999	16,576	18,088	19,161
Valley Twp.	2,735	2,663	3,148	3,101	3,791	3,598	4,007	5,116	6,794	7,985
Wallace Twp.	630	597	771	1,065	1,347	1,881	2,541	3,240	3,458	3,711
Warwick Twp.	1,083	1,125	1,144	1,436	1,667	2,350	2,575	2,556	2,507	2,590
West Bradford Twp.	1,558	1,367	1,530	1,894	2,996	7,343	10,406	10,775	12,223	14,316
West Brandywine Twp.	738	776	1,122	1,675	2,713	4,068	5,984	7,153	7,394	7,331
West Caln Twp.	1,069	1,214	1,485	2,140	3,152	4,958	6,143	7,054	9,014	8,910
West Chester Boro.	12,325	13,289	15,168	15,705	19,301	17,435	18,041	17,861	18,461	18,671
West Fallowfield Twp.	801	931	1,069	1,425	1,694	2,122	2,342	2,485	2,566	2,459

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West Goshen Twp.	1,958	2,456	3,542	8,214	12,858	16,164	18,082	20,495	21,866	23,040
West Grove Boro.	1,375	1,357	1,521	1,607	1,870	1,820	2,128	2,652	2,854	2,770
West Marlborough Twp.	988	882	786	901	917	941	874	859	814	819
West Nantmeal Twp.	624	565	806	968	1,285	1,766	1,958	2,031	2,170	2,251
West Nottingham Twp.	547	685	881	1,137	1,440	2,030	2,183	2,634	2,722	2,764
West Pikeland Twp.	592	623	683	782	1,420	1,536	2,323	3,551	4,024	4,024
West Sadsbury Twp.	690	655	802	1,102	1,189	1,728	2,160	2,444	2,444	2,436
West Vincent Twp.	831	808	1,116	1,431	1,890	1,992	2,262	3,170	4,567	6,668
West Whiteland Twp.	928	1,078	1,573	4,412	7,149	9,581	12,403	16,499	18,274	19,632
Westtown Twp.	785	912	994	1,947	5,069	6,774	9,937	10,352	10,827	11,154
Willistown Twp.	2,066	2,157	2,709	6,492	9,128	8,284	9,380	10,011	10,497	11,273

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