

Piute County

COUNTY PROFILE

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Piute County is located in central Utah. Junction, the county seat, and Circleville, the largest city, can be reached by Highway 89.

POPULATION

	2010 Population	Housing Units
Piute County	1,454	550
State of Utah	2,849,876	882,958

Source: Decision Data Resources

PIUTE COUNTY DEMOGRAPHICS

	2000 Census	% Change	2010 Estimate	% Change	2015 Forecast	
Population	1,435	1.32%	1,454	11.3%	1,619	
Households	509	8.06%	550	2.4%	563	
Age	2000 Census	%	2010 Estimate	%	2015 Forecast	%
0 to 4	118	8.2%	100	6.9%	111	6.9%
5 to 14	225	15.7%	219	15.1%	231	14.3%
15 to 19	131	9.1%	109	7.5%	123	7.6%
20 to 24	61	4.3%	102	7.0%	117	7.2%
25 to 34	124	8.6%	155	10.7%	206	12.7%
35 to 44	158	11.0%	129	8.9%	140	8.6%
45 to 54	183	12.8%	156	10.7%	158	9.8%
55 to 64	190	13.2%	186	12.8%	185	11.4%
65 to 74	130	9.1%	157	10.8%	182	11.2%
75 to 84	77	5.4%	108	7.4%	124	7.7%
85+	38	2.6%	33	2.3%	42	2.6%
Median Age	38.9		38.6		36.3	
Ethnicity	2000 Census	%	2010 Estimate	%	2015 Forecast	%
Caucasian	1,372	95.6%	1,393	95.8%	1,553	95.9%
African American	2	0.1%	2	0.1%	2	0.1%
American Indian or Native American	17	1.2%	16	1.1%	14	0.9%
Asian or Pacific Islander	4	0.3%	4	0.3%	7	0.4%
Some Other Race	27	1.9%	26	1.8%	29	1.8%
Two or More Races	13	0.9%	13	0.9%	14	0.9%
Hispanic Population	2000 Census	%	2010 Estimate	%	2015 Forecast	%
Hispanic	64	4.5%	118	8.1%	174	10.8%
Household Income	2000 Census	%	2010 Estimate	%	2015 Forecast	%
\$0 - \$14,999	115	22.6%	98	17.8%	95	16.9%
\$15,000 - \$24,999	97	19.1%	80	14.5%	75	13.3%
\$25,000 - \$34,999	88	17.3%	76	13.8%	79	14.0%
\$35,000 - \$49,999	99	19.4%	96	17.5%	100	17.8%
\$50,000 - \$74,999	77	15.1%	106	19.3%	111	19.7%
\$75,000 - \$99,999	18	3.5%	52	9.5%	55	9.8%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	13	2.6%	25	4.5%	31	5.5%
\$150,000 +	2	0.4%	17	3.1%	17	3.0%
Average Household Income	\$35,188		\$44,021		\$46,621	

Source: Decision Data Resources

MAJOR EMPLOYERS

Company Name	Number of Employees
Piute County School District	50 to 99
Dalton Brothers Trucking	20 to 49
Piute County	20 to 49
Storm Ridge Ranch School South	20 to 49

Source: Utah Department of Workforce Services

PIUTE COUNTY NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT

Piute County has an unemployment rate of 7.2% as of December 2010.

Industry	2009	2010	% Change	Numeric Change
Mining	0	0	-	0
Construction	12	13	8.3%	1
Manufacturing	0	0	-	0
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	56	43	-23.2%	-13
Information	0	0	-	0
Financial Activities	5	5	0.0%	0
Professional & Business Services	2	3	50.0%	1
Education, Health & Social Services	21	20	-4.8%	-1
Leisure & Hospitality	56	47	-16.1	-9
Other Services	4	3	-25.0%	-1
Government	168	161	-4.2%	-7
Totals	324	295	-9.0%	-29

*Source: Utah Department of Workforce Services, September 2009 to September 2010 data

TAXATION

Total Property Tax Rate – Junction*	0.013279
Piute County	0.003823
Piute County School District	0.006885
Junction	0.002115
Upper Sevier River Water Conservancy District	0.000035
Central Utah Water Conservancy District	0.000421
State & Local Sales & Use Tax (Piute)	5.95%
State Corporate Franchise Tax	5.00%

*Primary residential property taxed at 55% of assessed value, commercial property taxed at 100% of assessed value.

Source: Utah State Tax Commission

CLIMATE – JUNCTION

Average Annual Precipitation	9.07 inches
Elevation	6,002 feet
Average July High Temperature	87 degrees
Average January Low Temperature	13 degrees

Source: Beaver County

RECREATION

Hiking/Scenery	Miner's Park Historic Trail passes along some of the early mining communities of Piute County, where the mining industry used to thrive.
Museums	The Rag Rug Factory in Piute County allows visitors to see how rugs were made in pioneer days.
Water Recreation	Piute and Otter Creek reservoirs are open for year-round fishing and boating.
ATV's	The Piute ATV Trail loops for 275 miles of scenery and ATV fun.

Source: Beaver County

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