

**Lancaster County, Pennsylvania**  
**Population Forecasts for the County and Municipalities for 2010; 2020; and 2030**

Using 2000 census data as a base, in 2002, the Lancaster County Planning Commission conducted population forecasts for the County as a whole and for the 60 municipalities through the year 2030, using the Cohort-Component methodology. This methodology first separates the population into five-year age groups by gender, called cohorts. It then applies the various components of population change (births, deaths, and migration) to each cohort in five-year increments to given dates in the future.

In this case, using this methodology, forecasts were done for the County for 2010; 2020 and 2030 and for each municipality for the same future dates.

These forecasts were adopted by the Lancaster County Planning Commission on January 23, 2006. For questions, please contact the Lancaster County Planning Commission at 717-299-8333 or [planning@co.lancaster.pa.us](mailto:planning@co.lancaster.pa.us).

**2002 LANCASTER COUNTY POPULATION FORECASTS**  
**2000 - 2030**

Municipality	1980	1990	2000	2010	2020	2030
	Census	Census	Census	Average of Linear Projections	Average of Linear Projections	Average of Linear Projections
Adamstown B	1,107	1,108	1,201	1,198	1,194	1,186
Akron B	3,471	3,869	4,046	4,244	4,432	4,588
Bart T	2,235	2,774	3,003	3,288	3,569	3,825
Brecknock T	4,088	5,197	6,699	7,588	8,487	9,342
Caernarvon T	3,392	3,946	4,278	4,742	5,215	5,661
Christiana B	1,183	1,045	1,124	1,116	1,107	1,095
Clay T	3,718	5,050	5,173	5,762	6,357	6,918
Colerain T	2,118	2,867	3,261	3,692	4,132	4,555
Columbia B	10,466	10,701	10,311	10,123	9,943	9,746
Conestoga T	3,032	3,470	3,749	4,047	4,339	4,598
Conoy T	2,309	2,687	3,067	3,334	3,595	3,829
Denver B	2,018	2,861	3,332	3,666	3,990	4,283
Drumore T	1,682	2,114	2,243	2,484	2,727	2,954
Earl T	5,125	5,515	6,183	6,583	6,967	7,298
East Cocalico T	6,354	7,809	9,954	11,291	12,653	13,961
East Donegal T	4,063	4,484	5,405	5,996	6,592	7,149
East Drumore T	2,496	3,225	3,535	4,002	4,486	4,959
East Earl T	4,872	5,491	5,723	5,960	6,181	6,360
East Hempfield T	15,152	18,597	21,399	23,844	26,301	28,605
East Lampeter T	9,760	11,999	13,556	14,763	15,937	16,990
East Petersburg B	3,600	4,197	4,450	4,702	4,941	5,143
Eden T	1,498	1,857	1,856	2,062	2,273	2,476
Elizabeth T	2,379	3,691	3,833	4,386	4,961	5,528
Elizabethtown B	8,233	9,952	11,887	12,923	13,924	14,816
Ephrata B	11,095	12,133	13,213	14,010	14,771	15,422
Ephrata T	4,789	7,116	8,026	9,284	10,606	11,931
Fulton T	2,229	2,688	2,826	3,067	3,304	3,517
Lancaster C	54,725	55,551	56,348	56,154	55,945	55,553
Lancaster T	10,833	13,187	13,944	14,848	15,709	16,451
Leacock T	4,119	4,668	4,878	5,146	5,401	5,617
Lititz B	7,590	8,280	9,029	9,483	9,913	10,270
Little Britain T	2,131	2,701	3,514	4,034	4,572	5,100
Manheim B	5,015	5,011	4,784	4,648	4,521	4,391
Manheim T	26,042	28,880	33,697	36,621	39,482	42,049
Manor T	11,474	14,130	16,498	18,229	19,942	21,514
Marietta B	2,740	2,778	2,689	2,652	2,617	2,575
Martic T	3,286	4,362	4,990	5,671	6,373	7,054
Millersville B	7,668	8,099	7,774	7,992	8,195	8,345
Mount Joy B	5,680	6,398	6,765	7,152	7,522	7,835
Mount Joy T	5,128	6,227	7,944	8,941	9,946	10,896
Mountville B	1,505	1,977	2,444	2,723	2,999	3,253
New Holland B	4,147	4,484	5,092	5,368	5,629	5,849
Paradise T	4,084	4,430	4,698	4,906	5,102	5,263
Penn T	5,865	6,760	7,312	8,151	9,017	9,849
Pequea T	3,557	4,512	4,358	4,668	4,967	5,230
Providence T	4,781	6,071	6,651	7,657	8,740	9,851
Quarryville B	1,558	1,642	1,994	2,109	2,217	2,310
Rapho T	7,157	8,211	8,578	9,355	10,132	10,844
Sadsbury T	2,048	2,712	3,025	3,424	3,835	4,232
Salisbury T	7,126	8,527	10,012	11,207	12,419	13,567
Strasburg B	1,999	2,568	2,800	3,037	3,265	3,469
Strasburg T	3,188	3,688	4,021	4,364	4,700	5,003
Terre Hill B	1,217	1,282	1,237	1,252	1,266	1,273
Upper Leacock T	6,569	7,254	8,229	8,681	9,109	9,469
Warwick T	8,213	11,622	15,475	18,084	20,828	23,586
West Cocalico T	4,948	5,521	6,967	7,668	8,359	8,989
West Donegal T	4,862	5,605	6,539	7,233	7,927	8,570
West Earl T	5,552	6,434	6,766	7,306	7,834	8,305
West Hempfield T	8,239	12,942	15,128	17,638	20,285	22,954
West Lampeter T	6,836	9,865	13,145	15,161	17,227	19,238
Totals	362,346	422,822	470,658	509,720	548,979	585,489

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 LCPC utilized the cohort component methodology to develop these forecasts.