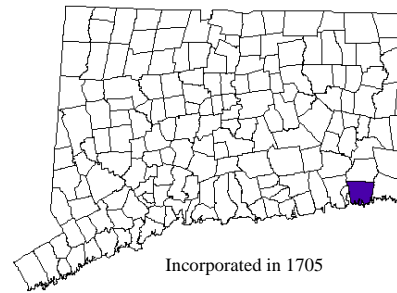


# Groton, Connecticut

## CERC Town Profile 2011

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*Belongs to*  
New London County  
LMA Norwich - New London  
Southeast Economic Dev. Region  
Southeastern Connecticut Planning Area



### Demographics

<i>Population (2010)</i>				<i>Race/Ethnicity (2010)</i>				
	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>		<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>	
1990	45,144	254,957	3,287,116	White	31,194	215,952	2,786,761	
2000	39,907	259,088	3,405,565	Black	2,841	14,897	337,299	
2010	39,981	262,533	3,511,137	Asian Pacific	2,712	11,139	128,651	
2015	38,874	257,686	3,545,169	Native American	262	1,990	6,418	
'10-'15 Growth / Yr	-0.6%	-0.4%	0.2%	Other/Multi-Race	2,972	18,555	252,008	
				Hispanic (any race)	2,527	16,766	411,629	
Land Area (sq. miles)	31	666	5,009	<i>Poverty Rate (2009)</i>	6.8%	6.7%	8.7%	
Pop./ Sq. Mile (2010)	1,277	394	701	<i>Educational Attainment (2010)</i>				
Median Age (2010)	35	40	40	Persons Age 25 or Older	<i>Town</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>%</i>
Households (2010)	16,166	105,052	1,337,758	High School Graduate	8,238	31%	689,864	29%
Med HH Inc. (2010)	\$55,874	\$62,675	\$65,686	Some College	7,933	30%	585,203	25%
				Bachelors or More	7,902	30%	842,517	35%
<i>Age Distribution (2010)</i>								
	<i>0-4</i>	<i>5-17</i>	<i>18-24</i>	<i>25-49</i>	<i>50-64</i>	<i>65+</i>	<i>Total</i>	
Male	1,484 4%	3,095 8%	2,775 7%	7,198 18%	3,258 8%	2,178 5%	19,988	
Female	1,440 4%	3,037 8%	1,981 5%	6,995 17%	3,382 8%	3,158 8%	19,993	
County Total	15,287 6%	43,111 16%	23,637 9%	92,222 35%	51,768 20%	36,508 14%	262,533	
State Total	211,807 6%	586,571 17%	330,532 9%	1,173,203 33%	708,910 20%	500,114 14%	3,511,137	

### Economics

<i>Business Profile (2005)</i>			<i>Top Five Grand List (2009)</i>		
<i>Sector</i>	<i>Establishments</i>	<i>Employment</i>		<i>Amount</i>	<i>% of Net</i>
Agriculture	1.5%	0.1%	Pfizer Inc.	\$559,124,192	13.6%
Const. and Mining	6.2%	0.6%	Electric Boat Corp	\$196,629,294	4.8%
Manufacturing	3.9%	21.8%	Exit 88 Hotel LLC	\$27,841,770	0.7%
Trans. and Utilities	3.8%	2.4%	LCOR Groton Apartments LLC	\$21,666,920	0.5%
Trade	27.1%	11.0%	Groton Devel Assoc	\$18,670,260	0.5%
Finance, Ins. and Real Estate	8.7%	2.0%	Net Grand List (2009)	\$4,123,340,224	
Services	44.3%	13.3%	<i>Top Five Major Employers (2006)</i>		
Government	4.5%	48.7%	U.S. Naval Submarine Base	Town of Groton	
			Electric Boat Corp.	AVCRAD	
			Pfizer, Inc.		
				<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>
			<i>Retail Sales (2007)</i>	\$1,899,166,454	\$136,936,194,241
			<i>All Outlets</i>		

### Education

<i>2009-2010 School Year</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Connecticut Mastery Test Percent Above Goal</i>							
			<i>Grade 4</i>		<i>Grade 6</i>		<i>Grade 8</i>			
			<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>		
Total Town School Enrollment	5,293	552,782	Reading	58 61	60 69	67 69				
Most public school students in Groton attend Groton School District, which has 5,134 students.			Math	57 64	63 69	58 65				
			Writing	58 64	49 62	62 67				
			<i>Average SAT Score</i>							
			<i>Average Class Size</i>			<i>Town</i>			<i>State</i>	
<b>For more education data please see:</b>	<i>Students per Computer</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	Grade K	17.1	Grade 2	20.3	Reading	502	503
<b>http://www.state.ct.us/sde/</b>	Elementary:	2.7	4.1	Grade 5	22.6	Grade 7	16.1	Writing	497	506
	Middle:	2.2	2.8	High School	19.3	Math	507	508		
	Secondary:	1.7	2.7							

## Government

Government Form: Council-Manager

Total Revenue (2009)	\$121,351,153	Total Expenditures (2009)	\$120,261,431	Annual Debt Service (2009)	\$6,120,252
Tax Revenue	\$71,813,206	Education	\$76,365,187	As % of Expenditures	5.1%
Non-tax Revenue	\$49,537,947	Other	\$37,775,992	Eq. Net Grand List (2007)	\$5,819,429,482
Intergovernmental	\$46,927,346	Total Indebtness (2009)	\$62,599,411	Per Capita	\$142,560
Per Capita Tax (2009)	\$1,693	As % of Expenditures	52.1%	As % of State Average	86%
As % of State Average	69.5%	Per Capita	\$1,476	Date of Last Revaluation (2009)	2006
		As % of State Average	69.6%	Moody's Bond Rating (2009)	Aa3
				Actual Mill Rate (2007)	24.05
				Equalized Mill Rate (2007)	10.25
				% of Grand List Com/Ind (2007)	23.0%

## Housing/Real Estate

<i>Housing Stock (2009)</i>	<b>Town</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>State</b>	Owner Occupied Dwellings (2009)	7,460	64,162	812,964
Existing Units (total)	17,794	117,950	1,452,007	As % Total Dwellings	41%	55%	57%
% Single Unit	59.4%	69.2%	64.8%	Subsidize Housing (2008)	3,625	12,075	149,355
New Permits Auth. (2009)	42	427	3,786	<i>Distribution of House Sales (2009)</i>			
As % Existing Units	0.24%	0.36%	0.26%	<b>Town</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>State</b>	
Demolitions (2009)	3	46	1,219	Number of Sales			
House Sales (2009)	188	1,204	14,696	Less than \$100,000	14	55	346
Median Price	\$245,750	\$250,000	\$265,000	\$100,000-\$199,999	48	277	3,539
Built Pre 1950 share (2000)	24.7%	32.7%	31.5%	\$200,000-\$299,999	66	479	4,847
				\$300,000-\$399,999	29	204	2,510
				\$400,000 or More	31	189	3,454

## Labor Force

<i>Place of Residence (2009)</i>				<i>Commuters (2000)</i>			
	<b>Town</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>State</b>	Commuters into Town from:	Town Residents Commuting to:		
Labor Force	19,532	150,818	1,889,947	Groton	11,797	Groton	11,797
Employed	17,930	139,190	1,734,291	Ledyard	2,534	New London	1,791
Unemployed	1,602	11,628	155,656	New London	2,089	Ledyard	1,290
Unemployment Rate	8.2%	7.7%	8.2%	Stonington	2,078	Stonington	1,141
<i>Place of Work (2009)</i>				Norwich	1,696	Waterford	1,031
# of Units	1,019	6,975	104,314	Waterford	1,499	Montville	712
Total Employment	25,287	126,091	1,615,355	East Lyme	1,484	Norwich	691
2000-'09 Growth AAGR	-0.6%	0.3%	-0.4%	Montville	1,319	East Lyme	265
Mfg Employment	n.a.			Westerly, RI	1,162	Old Saybrook	128
				Griswold	613	Old Lyme	113

## Other Information

<i>Banks (2007)</i>	<b>Town</b>	<b>State</b>	<i>Residential Utilities</i>				
	6	1,029	Electric Provider				
<i>Crime Rate (2009)</i>			Groton Utilities Electric Division				
Per 100,000 Residents	143	298	(860) 446-4000				
			Gas Provider				
			Yankee Gas Company				
			(800) 989-0900				
<i>Library (2010)</i>	<b>Town</b>		Water Provider				
Total Volumes	209,583		Groton Utilities Water Division				
Circulation Per Capita	11.9		(860) 446-4000				
			Cable Provider				
			Comcast/Groton-Thames Valley Communicat				
			(860) 446-4039				