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Geographic area: Highgate Town, Franklin County, Vermont

I. POPULATION

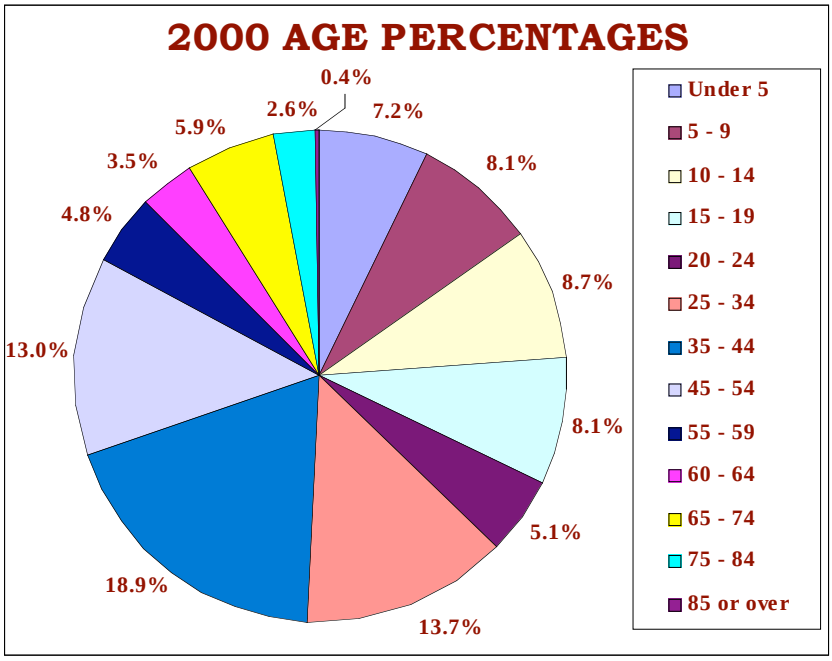
POPULATION, 1790 - 2000

Year	*1790*	*1800*	*1810*	*1820*	*1830*	*1840*	*1850*	*1860*	*1870*	*1880*	*1890*	*1900*	*1910*	*1920*	*1930*	*1940*	*1950*	*1960*	*1970*	*1980*	*1990*	*2000*
Population	103	437	1,374	1,250	2,038	2,292	2,653	2,526	2,260	2,088	1,853	1,980	1,758	1,528	1,574	1,647	1,681	1,608	1,936	2,493	3,020	3,397

2000 SEX AND AGE POPULATION

SEX	NUMBER
Male	1,704
Female	1,693

AGE	NUMBER
Under 5	245
5 - 9	274
10 - 14	296
15 - 19	276
20 - 24	173
25 - 34	467
35 - 44	641
45 - 54	441
55 - 59	163
60 - 64	119
65 - 74	201
75 - 84	87
85 or over	14



II. HOUSEHOLD & FAMILY

TOWN NAME	Housing Units 1960	1970	1980	1990	2000
Highgate	623	748	926	1,247	1,375
Franklin County	9,963	11,414	14,460	17,250	19,191
Vermont	136,307	165,063	223,198	271,214	294,382

HOUSING OCCUPANCY

	Number in 1990	Number in 2000
Total Housing Units	1,247	1,375
Occupied Housing Units	994	1,207
Vacant Housing Units	253	168
Seasonal, Recreational or Occasional Use	196	134

HOUSING TENURE

	Number in 1990	Number in 2000
Occupied housing units	994	1,207
Owner-occupied housing units	769	965
Renter-occupied housing units	225	242

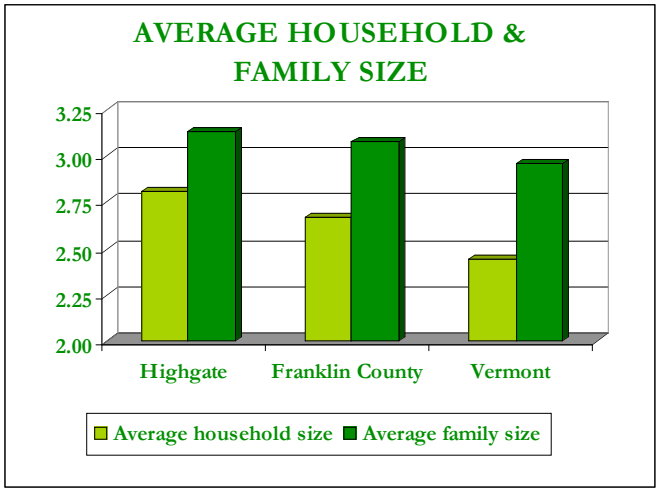
HOUSING RELATIONSHIP

1990

RELATIONSHIP	NUMBER
In family households:	
Householder	804
Spouse	658
Child:	
Natural-born or adopted	1,081
Stepchild	52
Grandchild	30
Other relatives	49
Non-relatives	84
In group quarters:	
Institutionalized persons	0
Other persons in group quarters	0

2000

RELATIONSHIP	NUMBER
In households:	
Householder	1,207
Spouse	727
Child	1,127
Own child under 18 years	924
Other relatives	107
Under 18 years	46
Non-relatives	229
Unmarried partner	123
In group quarters:	
Institutionalized population	0
Non-institutionalized population	0



AVERAGE HOUSEHOLD & FAMILY SIZE

	Average household size	Average family size
Highgate	2.81	3.13
Franklin County	2.67	3.08
Vermont	2.44	2.96

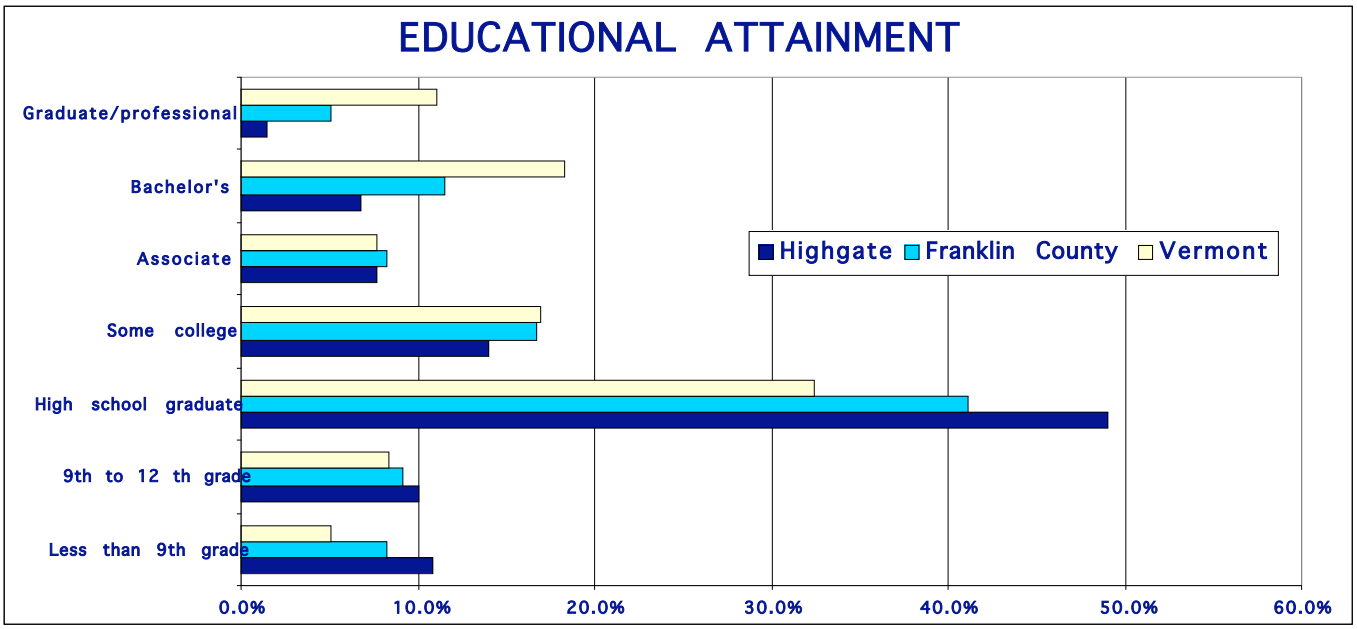
2000 HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE

	NUMBER
Total households	1,207
Family households (families)	922
With own children under 18 years	492
Married-couple family	727
With own children under 18 years	353
Female householder, no husband present	121
With own children under 18 years	90
Non-family households	285
Householder living alone	200
Householder 65 years and over	80
Households with individuals under 18 years	528
Households with individuals 65 years and over	224

III. EDUCATION & EMPLOYMENT

2000 EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT						
	Highgate		Franklin County		Vermont	
	Number	Percentage	Number	Percentage	Number	Percentage
Population 25 years and over	2,137	100.0%	29,485	100.0%	104,223	100.0%
Less than 9th grade	234	10.9%	2,420	8.2%	20,769	5.1%
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	214	10.0%	2,720	9.2%	34,127	8.4%
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	1,048	49.0%	12,123	41.1%	130,804	32.4%
Some college, no degree	300	14.0%	4,929	16.7%	68,440	16.9%
Associate degree	164	7.7%	2,402	8.2%	31,058	7.7%
Bachelor's degree	145	6.8%	3,392	11.5%	74,124	18.3%
Graduate or professional degree	32	1.5%	1,497	5.1%	44,901	11.1%

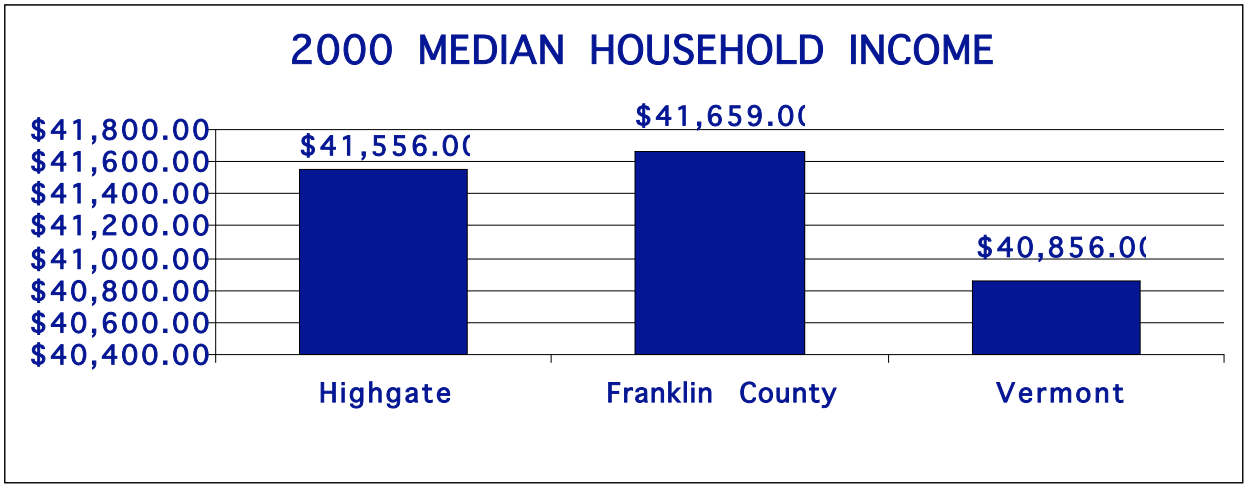
*Percent high school graduate or higher 79.0 % Percent bachelor's degree or higher 8.3 %



2000 EMPLOYMENT STATUS	
Population 16 years and over	2,524
In Labor force	1,765
Civilian labor force	1,761
Employed	1,665
Unemployed	96
Percent of civilian labor force	5.5%
Armed Forces	4
Not in labor force	759

2000 OCCUPATION	
Management, professional, and related occupations	379
Service occupations	179
Sales and office occupations	411
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	29
Construction, extraction, and maintenance occupations	193
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	474

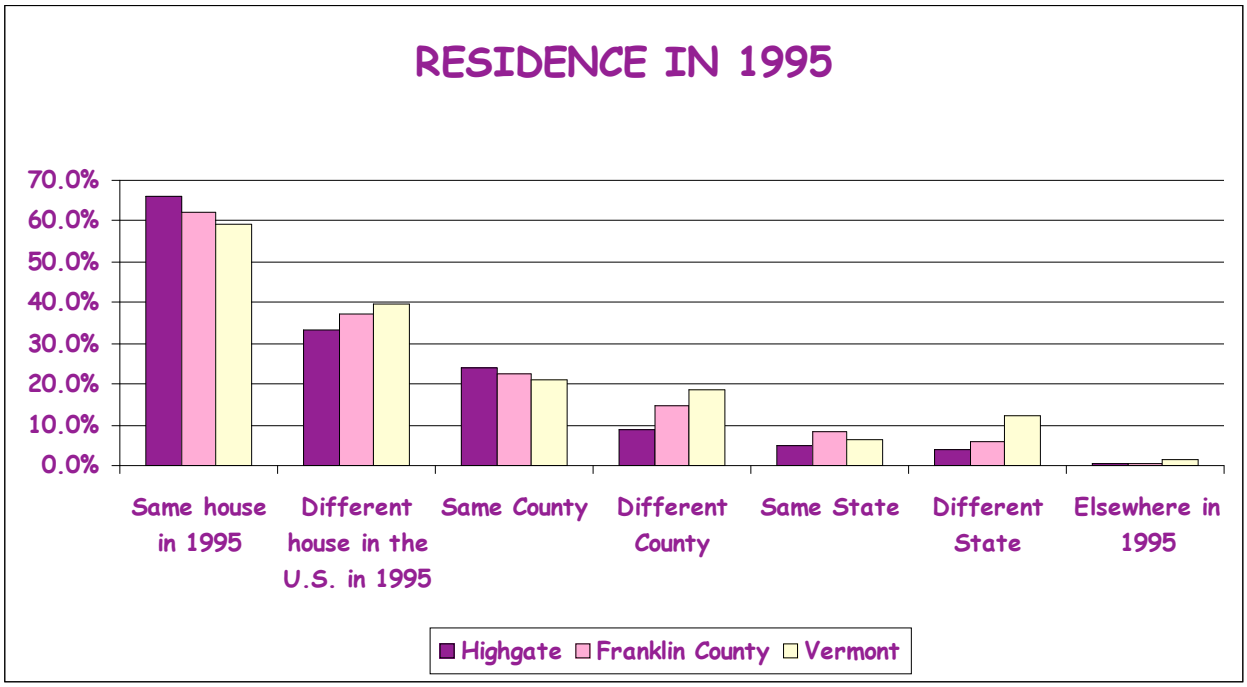
2000 INDUSTRY	
	# of employees
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting and mining	78
Construction	155
Manufacturing	445
Wholesale trade	50
Retail trade	194
Transportation, warehousing and utilities	87
Information	27
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	68
Professional, scientific, management, administrative and waste management services	96
Educational, health and social services	183
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation and food services	69
Other services (except public administration)	76
Public administration	137



IV. RESIDENCE & HOUSING

NATIVITY & PLACE OF BIRTH				
	Highgate		Franklin County	
Total Population	3,397	100.0%	45,417	100.0%
Native	3,267	96.2%	43,730	96.3%
Born in United States	3,234	95.2%	43,345	95.4%
State of Residence	2,698	79.4%	33,392	73.5%
Different State	536	15.8%	9,953	21.9%
Born outside United States	33	1.0%	385	0.8%
Foreign Born	130	3.8%	1,687	3.7%
Entered 1990 to March 2000	29	0.9%	355	0.8%
Naturalized Citizen	63	1.9%	1,028	2.3%
Not a citizen	67	2.0%	659	1.5%

RESIDENCE IN 1995			
	Highgate	Franklin County	Vermont
Population 5 years and over	3,167	42,208	574,842
Same house in 1995	2,098	26,223	339,599
Different house in the U.S. in 1995	1,051	15,674	227,850
Same County	766	9,515	121,993
Different County	285	6,159	105,857
Same State	161	3,605	36,109
Different State	124	2,554	69,748
Elsewhere in 1995	18	311	7,393



UNITS IN STRUCTURES		
	1990	2000
1-unit, detached	864	1,001
1-unit, attached	8	36
2 units	78	48
3 or 4 units	22	21
5 to 9 units	12	0
10 to 19 units	0	0
20 or more units	0	0
Mobile home	259	269

YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT	
1999 to March 2000	39
1995 to 1998	103
1990 to 1994	153
1980 to 1989	252
1970 to 1979	216
1960 to 1969	149
1940 to 1959	136
1939 or earlier	327

VEHICLES AVAILABLE	
None	58
1	281
2	584
3 or more	284

MEDIAN RENT	
Highgate	$617
Franklin County	$539
Vermont	$553

HOUSE HEATING FUEL	
Utility gas	29
Bottled, tank or LP gas	253
Electricity	12
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	805
Coal or coke	4
Wood	99
Solar energy	0
Other fuel	5
No fuel used	0

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	13
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	8
No telephone service	18

SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999						
	Highgate		Franklin County		Vermont	
	# of people	% of people	# of people	% of people	# of people	% of people
0.0% to 29.9%	407	73.7%	6,081	77.4%	81,058	76.6%
30.0% and above	145	26.3%	1,744	22.2%	24,493	23.1%