

Poverty and Inequality in El Dorado County

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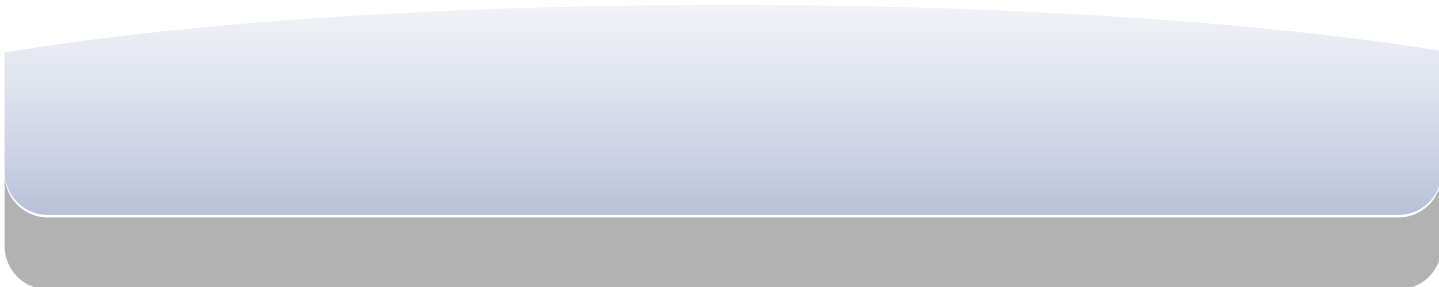
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1. Poverty

Figure 1 - 1: Overall Poverty Rate

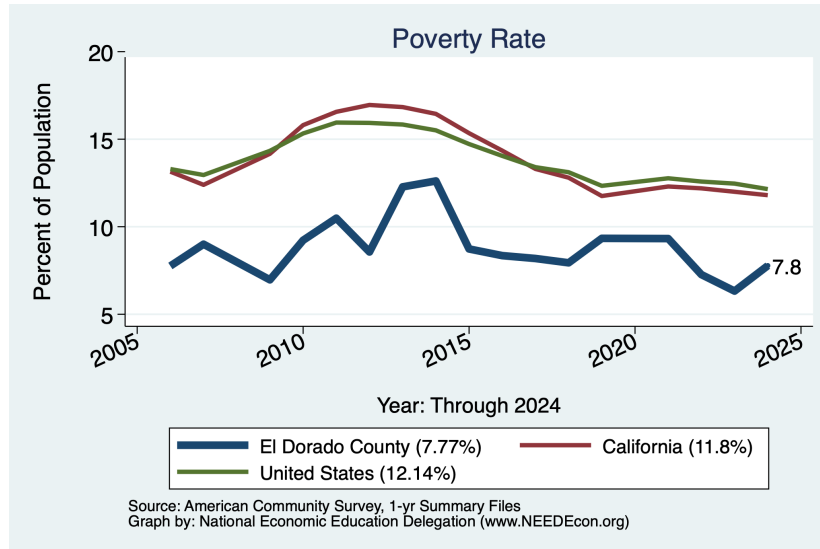
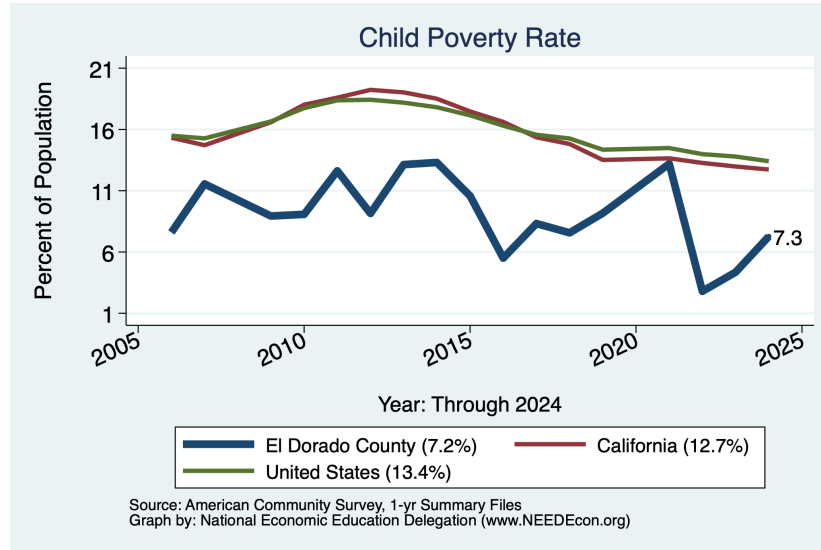


Table 1.1: Poverty Rates by Race/Ethnicity

| Race/Ethnicity | Population | Poverty | |
|-------------------------------------|------------|---------|-----------------|
| | | # | % of Population |
| White Alone | 148,720 | 10,742 | 7.2 |
| Two or More Races | 20,009 | 1,856 | 9.3 |
| White Alone, Not Hispanic or Latino | 141,608 | 10,146 | 7.2 |
| All Races | 191,241 | 13,897 | 7.3 |

Source: 2022 1-year American Community Survey, Summary File

Figure 1 - 2: Child Poverty Rate



Number of Children (< 18) Living in Poverty: 1,043

Table 1.2: Poverty Rates by Age and Sex

| Age | Male | | | Female | | | Total Poverty Rate |
|-----------------|--------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------------------|
| | Number | | Poverty Rate | Number | | Poverty Rate | |
| | In Poverty | Total | | In Poverty | Total | | |
| < 5 | 340 | 3,564 | 9.5 | 87 | 4,046 | 2.2 | 5.6 |
| 5 | 0 | 766 | 0.0 | 111 | 1,319 | 8.4 | 5.3 |
| 6 to 11 | 590 | 7,072 | 8.3 | 185 | 5,442 | 3.4 | 6.2 |
| 12 to 14 | 268 | 3,026 | 8.9 | 413 | 4,094 | 10.1 | 9.6 |
| 15 | 168 | 1,279 | 13.1 | 198 | 1,259 | 15.7 | 14.4 |
| 16 to 17 | 453 | 2,313 | 19.6 | 54 | 2,396 | 2.3 | 10.8 |
| 18 to 24 | 1,067 | 6,917 | 15.4 | 536 | 5,804 | 9.2 | 12.6 |
| 25 to 34 | 744 | 8,350 | 8.9 | 755 | 8,952 | 8.4 | 8.7 |
| 35 to 44 | 681 | 13,060 | 5.2 | 1,181 | 12,370 | 9.5 | 7.3 |
| 45 to 54 | 1,126 | 11,149 | 10.1 | 1,159 | 12,053 | 9.6 | 9.8 |
| 55 to 64 | 1,465 | 13,684 | 10.7 | 561 | 13,903 | 4.0 | 7.3 |
| 65 to 74 | 800 | 14,435 | 5.5 | 872 | 15,571 | 5.6 | 5.6 |
| 75+ | 104 | 8,779 | 1.2 | 967 | 9,812 | 9.9 | 5.8 |
| All Ages | 7,806 | 94,394 | 8.3 | 7,079 | 97,021 | 7.3 | 7.8 |

Source: 2024 1-year American Community Survey, Summary File

Table 1.3: Income Relative to the Poverty Line

| Income Group | % of Population | Cumulative % | Group Population |
|--------------|-----------------|--------------|------------------|
| Under 50% | 3.3 | 3.3 | 6,328 |
| 50% - 74% | 2.0 | 5.3 | 3,844 |
| 75% - 99% | 2.5 | 7.8 | 4,713 |
| 100% - 124% | 0.9 | 8.7 | 1,816 |
| 125% - 149% | 2.9 | 11.7 | 5,613 |
| 150% - 174% | 1.8 | 13.5 | 3,517 |
| 175% - 184% | 0.4 | 13.9 | 794 |
| 185% - 199% | 1.2 | 15.1 | 2,297 |
| 200% - 299% | 12.9 | 28.0 | 24,718 |
| 300% - 399% | 13.6 | 41.6 | 26,068 |
| 400% - 499% | 8.8 | 50.4 | 16,760 |
| 500% + | 49.6 | 100.0 | 94,947 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 191,415 |

Source: 2024 1-year American Community Survey, Summary File

Table 1.4: Poverty Rates by Sex and Education

| Education | Male | | | Female | | | Total Poverty Rate |
|-----------------------------|--------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------------------|
| | Number | | Poverty Rate | Number | | Poverty Rate | |
| | In Poverty | Total | | In Poverty | Total | | |
| Less than High School | 1,106 | 3,694 | 29.9 | 820 | 3,124 | 26.2 | 28.2 |
| High School Grad (& Equiv) | 1,677 | 15,154 | 11.1 | 1,199 | 12,917 | 9.3 | 10.2 |
| Some College, Assoc Degree | 1,527 | 21,082 | 7.2 | 2,514 | 25,664 | 9.8 | 8.6 |
| Bachelor's degree or higher | 610 | 29,527 | 2.1 | 962 | 30,956 | 3.1 | 2.6 |
| Total: | 4,920 | 69,457 | 7.1 | 5,495 | 72,661 | 7.6 | 7.3 |

Source: 2024 1-year American Community Survey, Summary File

Universe: Population 25 years old and over.

Table 1.5: Poverty Rates by Sex and Work Experience

| Work Experience | Male | | | Female | | | Total Poverty Rate |
|-------------------------------|------------|--------|-----------------|------------|--------|-----------------|--------------------------|
| | Number | | Poverty Rate | Number | | Poverty Rate | |
| | In Poverty | Total | | In Poverty | Total | | |
| Worked full time, year-round | 916 | 34,495 | 2.7 | 643 | 23,751 | 2.7 | 2.7 |
| Worked part-time or part-year | 2,713 | 17,443 | 15.6 | 1,097 | 22,442 | 4.9 | 9.6 |
| Did not work | 2,811 | 26,749 | 10.5 | 4,345 | 34,668 | 12.5 | 11.7 |
| Total: | 6,440 | 78,687 | 8.2 | 6,085 | 80,861 | 7.5 | 7.9 |

Source: 2024 1-year American Community Survey, Summary File

Universe: Population 16 years old and over.

Table 1.6: Poverty Rates by Sex and Employment Status

| Employment Status | Male | | | Female | | | Total Poverty Rate |
|--------------------|------------|--------|-----------------|------------|--------|-----------------|--------------------------|
| | Number | | Poverty Rate | Number | | Poverty Rate | |
| | In Poverty | Total | | In Poverty | Total | | |
| In labor force: | 3,307 | 50,685 | 6.5 | 1,672 | 43,633 | 3.8 | 5.3 |
| Employed | 3,065 | 49,349 | 6.2 | 1,527 | 42,331 | 3.6 | 5.0 |
| Unemployed | 242 | 1,336 | 18.1 | 145 | 1,302 | 11.1 | 14.7 |
| Not in labor force | 3,133 | 28,002 | 11.2 | 4,413 | 37,228 | 11.9 | 11.6 |
| Total: | 6,440 | 78,687 | 8.2 | 6,085 | 80,861 | 7.5 | 7.9 |

Source: 2024 1-year American Community Survey, Summary File

Universe: Population 16 years old and over.

Table 1.7: Poverty Rates for Families, by Tenure

| Family Type | Owners | | Renters | | All Families | |
|---|---------|--------|---------|--------|--------------|--------|
| | Poverty | Number | Poverty | Number | Poverty | Number |
| Male householder, no wife present: | 8.2 | 2,603 | 0.0 | 1,116 | 5.7 | 3,719 |
| Female householder, no husband present: | 11.2 | 3,194 | 23.6 | 2,523 | 16.7 | 5,717 |
| Total: | 4.5 | 47,650 | 12.7 | 8,341 | 5.7 | 55,991 |
| Married-couple family: | 3.7 | 41,853 | 9.9 | 4,702 | 4.3 | 46,555 |

Source: 2024 1-year American Community Survey, Summary File

Universe: Families, excluding single individual households.

Table 1.8: Poverty Rates by Nativity

| Nativity | # of Persons | | Poverty Rate |
|---------------------|--------------|---------|-----------------|
| | in Poverty | Total | |
| Naturalized Citizen | 782 | 14,123 | 5.5 |
| Not a Citizen | 635 | 4,716 | 13.5 |
| Foreign Born: | 1,417 | 18,839 | 7.5 |
| Native: | 13,468 | 172,576 | 7.8 |

Source: 2024 1-year American Community Survey, Summary File

2. Income Inequality

Figure 2 - 1: Median Household Income

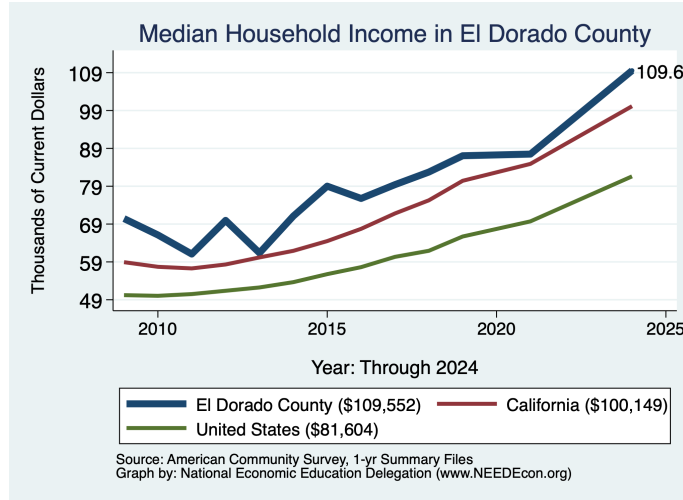


Figure 2 - 2: Per Capita Income

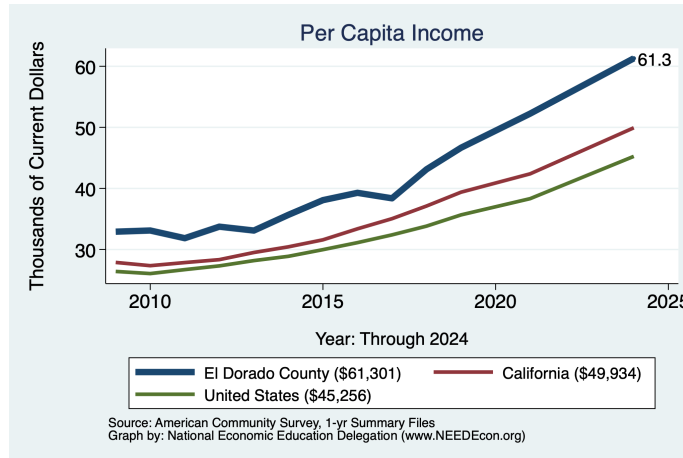


Figure 2 - 3: Gini Coefficients

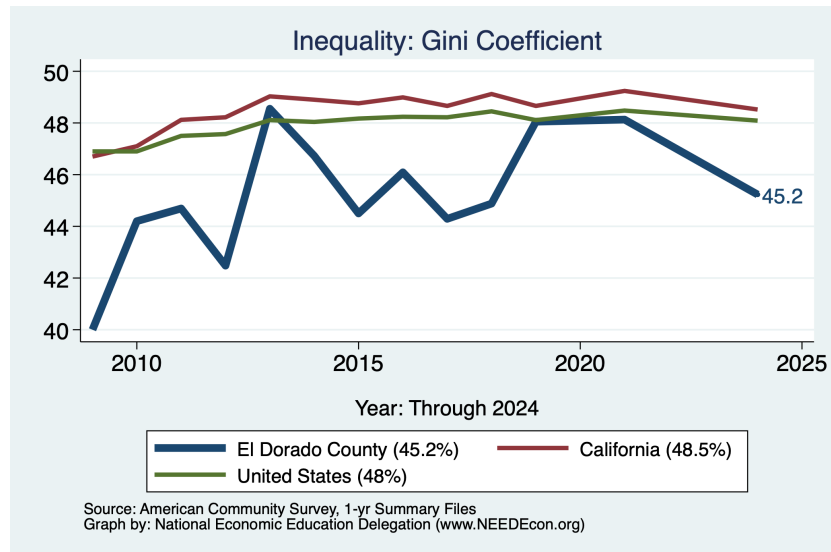


Figure 2 - 4: Distribution of Household Income

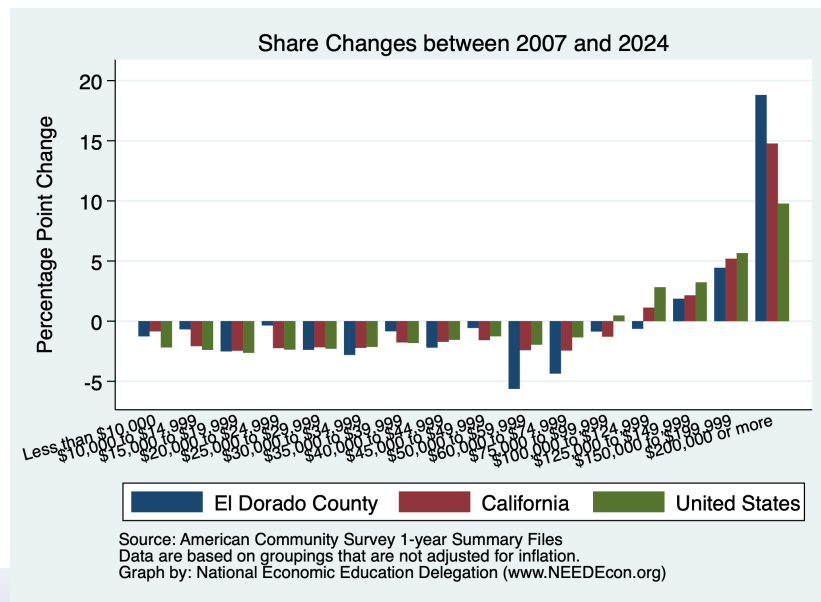


Figure 2 - 5: Income Shares by Quintile

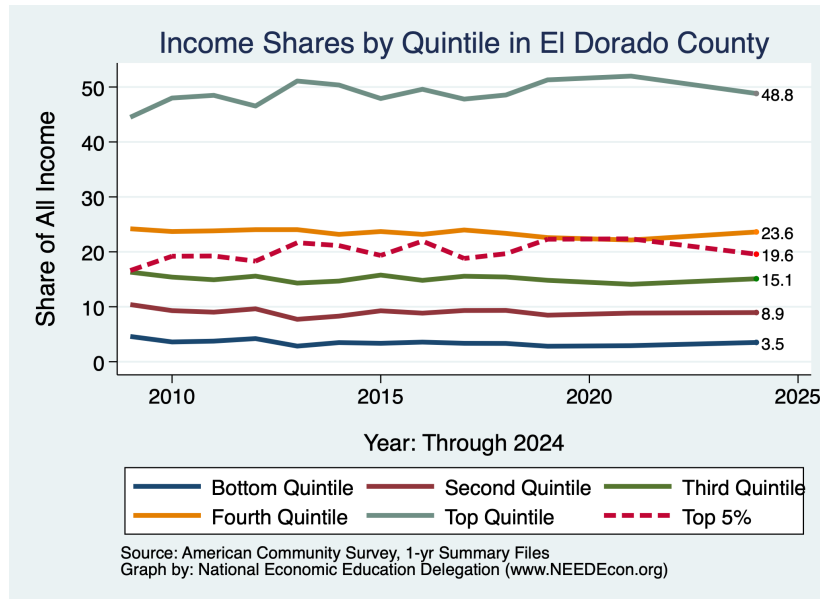


Figure 2 - 6: Income Shares by Quintile - Comparison

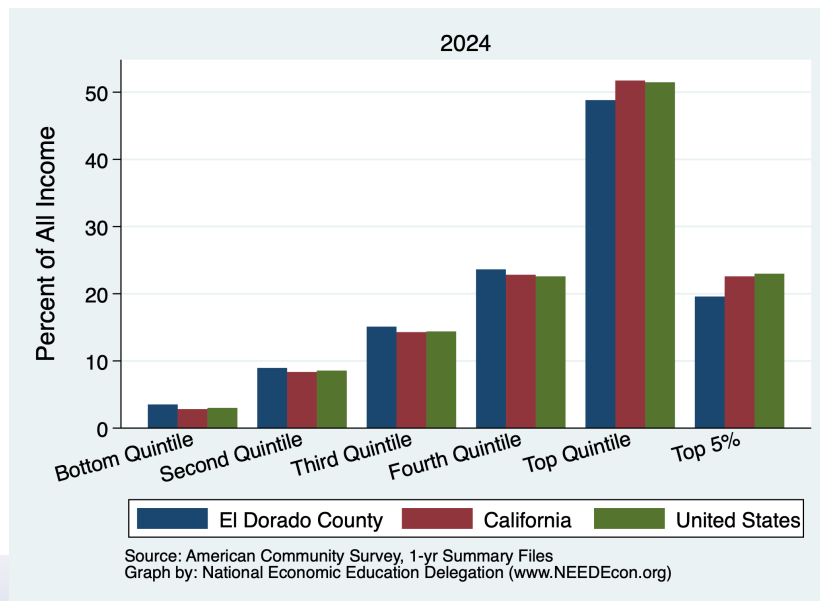


Figure 2 - 7: Mean Income by Quintile

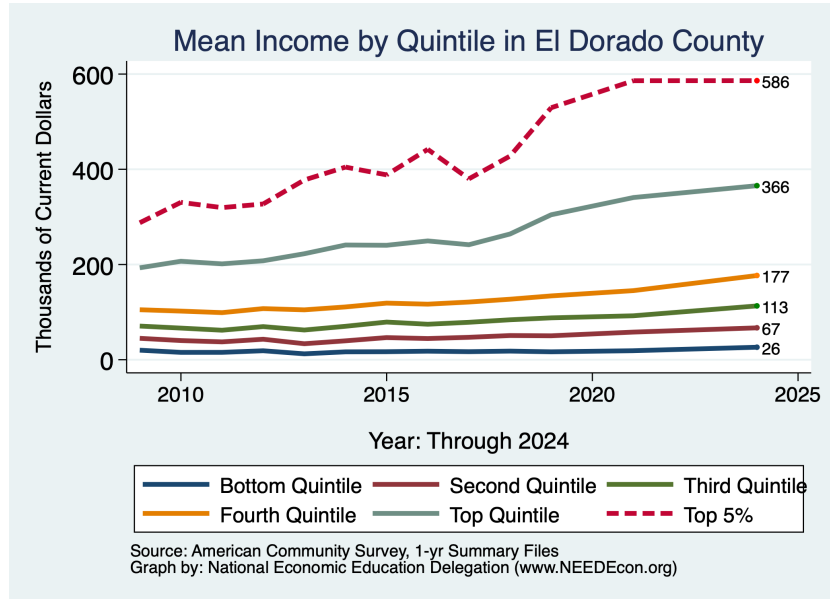


Figure 2 - 8: Mean Income by Quintile - Comparison

