

Poverty and Inequality in Folsom

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1. Poverty

Figure 1 - 1: Overall Poverty Rate

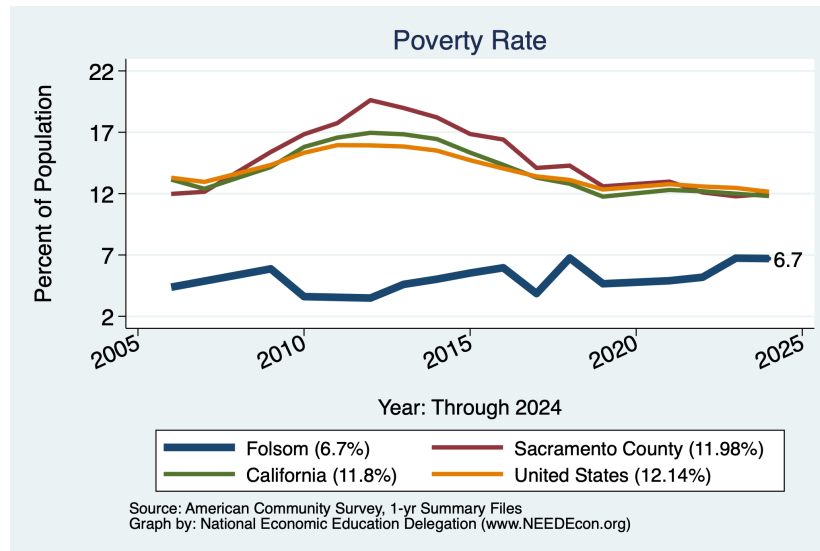
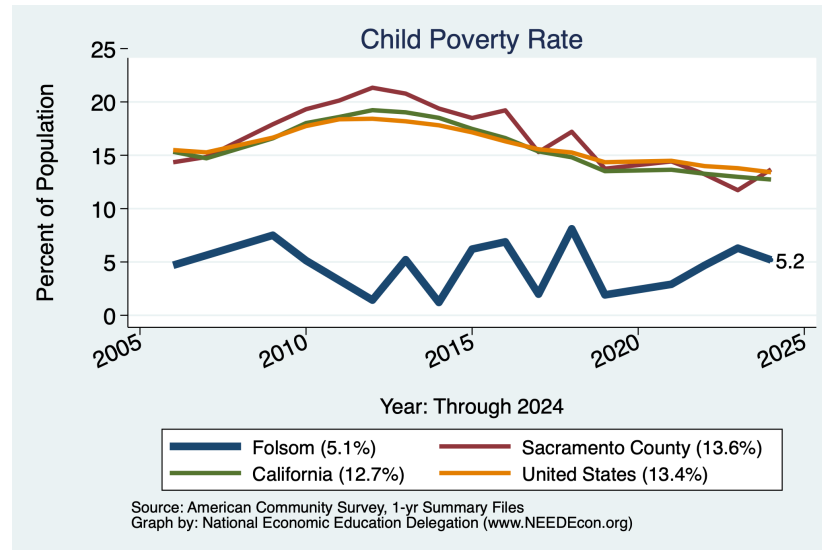


Table 1.1: Poverty Rates by Race/Ethnicity

Race/Enthnicity	Population	Poverty	
		#	% of Population
White Alone	48,950	2,380	4.9
White Alone, Not Hispanic or Latino	46,902	2,316	4.9
All Races	79,985	4,147	5.2

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

Figure 1 - 2: Child Poverty Rate



Number of Children (< 18) Living in Poverty: 923

Table 1.2: Poverty Rates by Age and Sex

Age	Male			Female			Total
	Number		Poverty	Number		Poverty	Poverty
	In Poverty	Total	Rate	In Poverty	Total	Rate	Rate
< 5	75	2,111	3.6	95	2,354	4.0	3.8
5	53	194	27.3	0	582	0.0	6.8
6 to 11	320	3,113	10.3	62	3,338	1.9	5.9
12 to 14	339	2,448	13.8	53	1,139	4.7	10.9
15	0	844	0.0	0	854	0.0	0.0
16 to 17	58	889	6.5	0	1,401	0.0	2.5
18 to 24	0	2,697	0.0	138	2,173	6.4	2.8
25 to 34	72	4,794	1.5	319	4,206	7.6	4.3
35 to 44	309	5,232	5.9	371	7,290	5.1	5.4
45 to 54	76	5,577	1.4	229	6,697	3.4	2.5
55 to 64	435	6,297	6.9	280	3,806	7.4	7.1
65 to 74	356	3,079	11.6	658	4,645	14.2	13.1
75+	511	2,951	17.3	762	4,332	17.6	17.5
All Ages	2,604	40,226	6.5	2,967	42,817	6.9	6.7

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%	3.2	3.2	2,671
50% - 74%	0.9	4.2	781
75% - 99%	2.6	6.7	2,119
100% - 124%	1.4	8.1	1,159
125% - 149%	1.9	10.0	1,581
150% - 174%	1.9	11.9	1,599
175% - 184%	0.3	12.2	249
185% - 199%	2.3	14.6	1,942
200% - 299%	7.7	22.3	6,382
300% - 399%	11.4	33.6	9,442
400% - 499%	9.3	42.9	7,691
500% +	57.1	100.0	47,427
Total	100.0	100.0	83,043

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

Table 1.4: Poverty Rates by Sex and Education

Education	Male			Female			Total
	Number		Poverty Rate	Number		Poverty Rate	Poverty Rate
	In Poverty	Total		In Poverty	Total		
Less than High School	431	1, 117	38.6	345	1, 060	32.5	35.6
High School Grad (& Equiv)	315	3, 379	9.3	566	4, 106	13.8	11.8
Some College, Assoc Degree	526	6, 382	8.2	1, 134	9, 359	12.1	10.5
Bachelor’s degree or higher	487	17, 052	2.9	574	16, 451	3.5	3.2
Total:	1, 759	27, 930	6.3	2, 619	30, 976	8.5	7.4

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		Poverty Rate	Female		Poverty Rate	Total Poverty Rate
	In Poverty	Total		In Poverty	Total		
Worked full time, year-round	110	15,778	0.7	130	12,920	1.0	0.8
Worked part-time or part-year	245	7,131	3.4	586	7,541	7.8	5.7
Did not work	1,462	8,607	17.0	2,041	14,089	14.5	15.4
Total:	1,817	31,516	5.8	2,757	34,550	8.0	6.9

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		Poverty Rate	Female		Poverty Rate	Total Poverty Rate
	In Poverty	Total		In Poverty	Total		
In labor force:	452	22,723	2.0	798	19,999	4.0	2.9
Employed	279	21,047	1.3	716	19,384	3.7	2.5
Unemployed	173	1,676	10.3	82	615	13.3	11.1
Not in labor force	1,365	8,793	15.5	1,959	14,551	13.5	14.2
Total:	1,817	31,516	5.8	2,757	34,550	8.0	6.9

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
Female householder, no husband present:	10.6	1,271	33.7	1,227	21.9	2,498
Married-couple family:	1.8	14,350	4.3	4,241	2.4	18,591
Male householder, no wife present:	0.0	555	0.0	335	0.0	890
Total:	2.5	16,176	10.3	5,803	4.5	21,979

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	
Foreign Born:	864	17,729	4.9
Native:	4,707	65,314	7.2
Naturalized Citizen	659	10,957	6.0
Not a Citizen	205	6,772	3.0

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

2. Income Inequality

Figure 2 - 1: Median Household Income

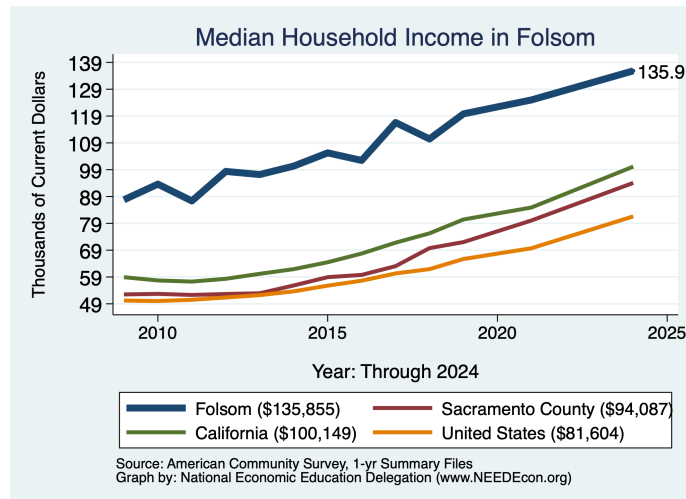


Figure 2 - 2: Per Capita Income

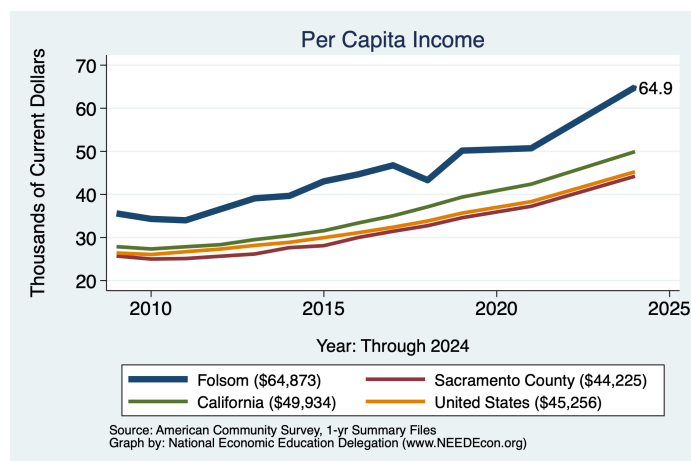


Figure 2 - 3: Gini Coefficients

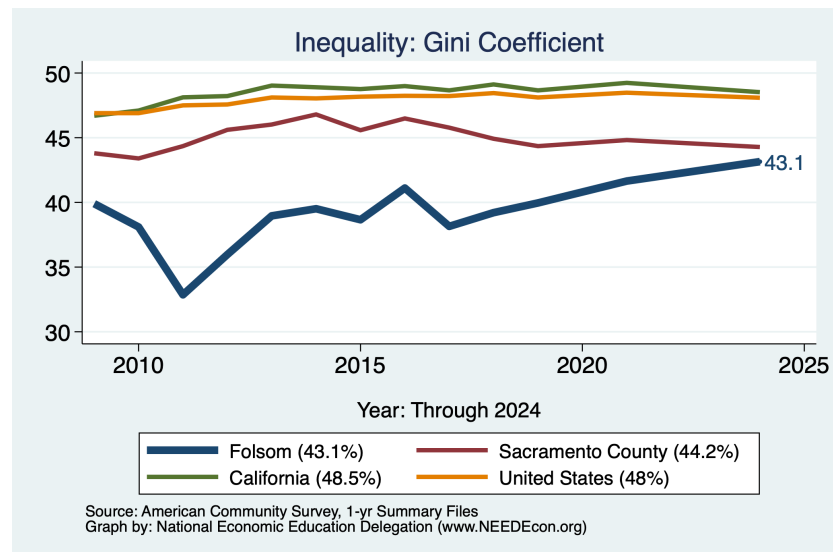


Figure 2 - 4: Distribution of Household Income

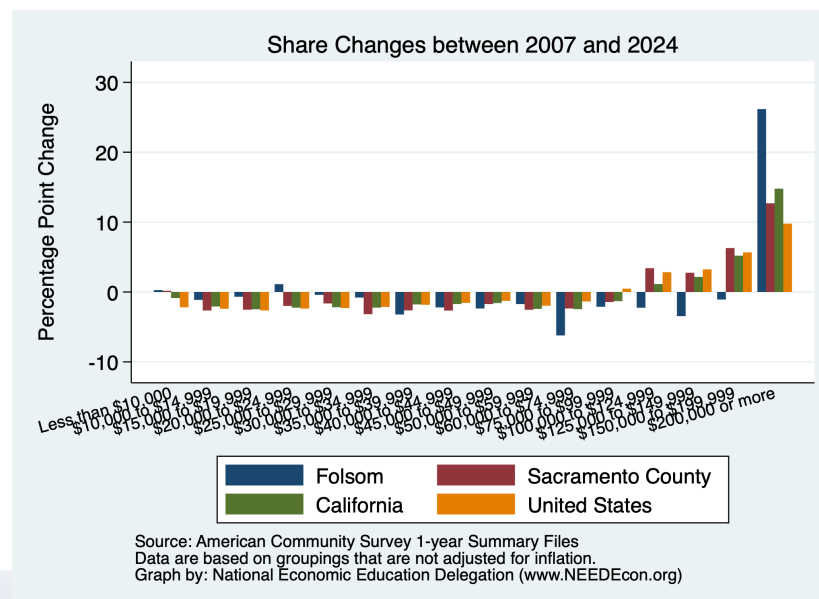


Figure 2 - 5: Income Shares by Quintile

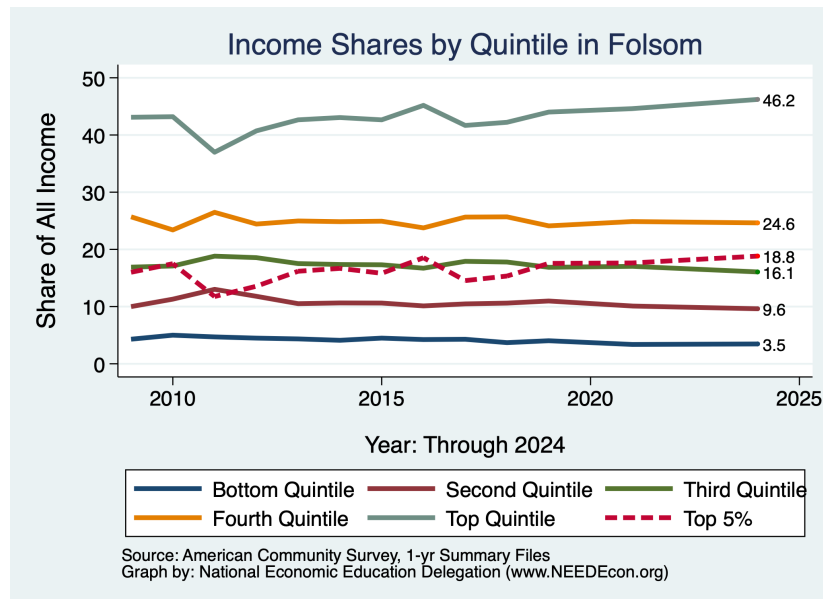


Figure 2 - 6: Income Shares by Quintile - Comparison

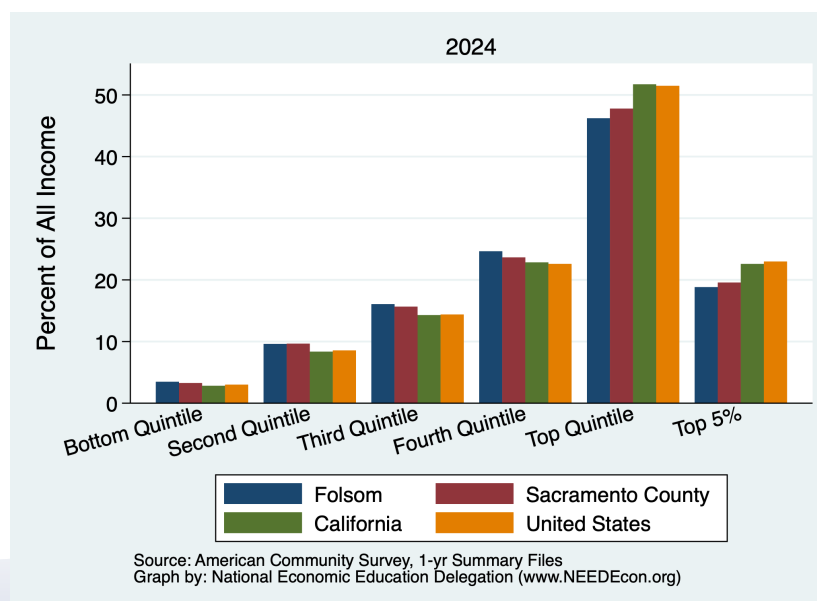


Figure 2 - 7: Mean Income by Quintile

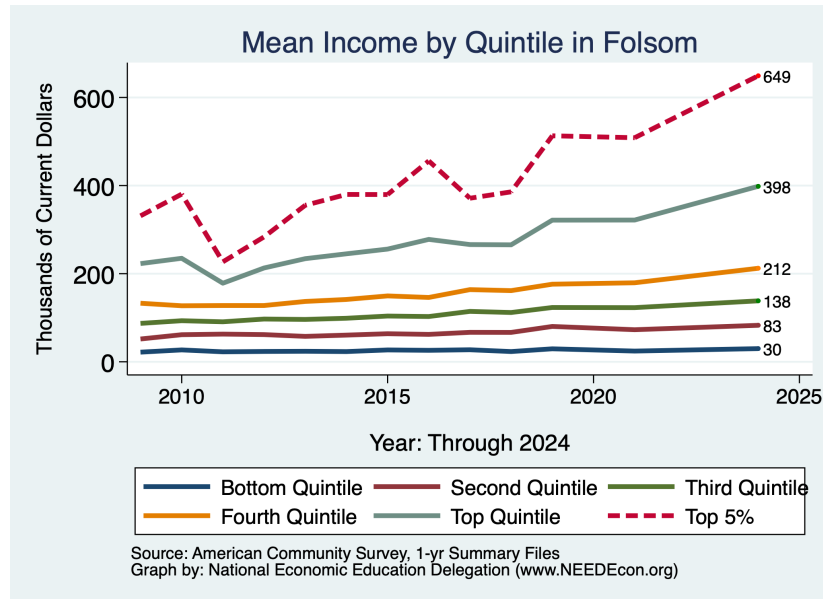


Figure 2 - 8: Mean Income by Quintile - Comparison

