

Poverty and Inequality in Sacramento County

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1. Poverty

Figure 1 - 1: Overall Poverty Rate

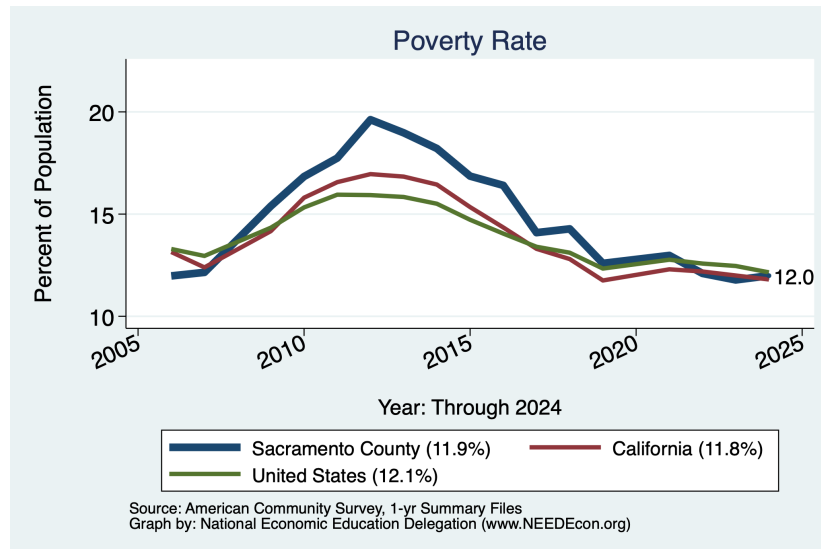
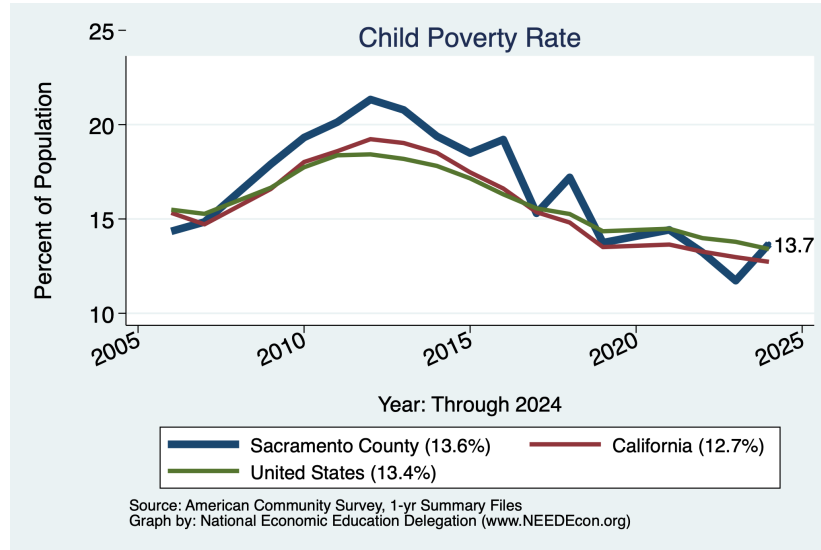


Table 1.1: Poverty Rates by Race/Ethnicity

Race/Enthnicity	Population	Poverty	
		#	% of Population
White Alone	685,872	63,717	9.3
African American Alone	146,491	25,950	17.7
Asian Alone	278,958	38,389	13.8
Some Other Race Alone	195,022	33,501	17.2
Two or More Races	223,739	24,546	11.0
White Alone, Not Hispanic or Latino	634,815	56,580	8.9
Hispanic or Latino	382,855	53,458	14.0
All Races	1,567,307	189,609	12.1

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

Figure 1 - 2: Child Poverty Rate



Number of Children (< 18) Living in Poverty: 54,137

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	6,258	46,899	13.3	8,255	43,322	19.1	16.1
5	2,293	9,863	23.2	924	6,717	13.8	19.4
6 to 11	10,108	60,450	16.7	10,684	60,266	17.7	17.2
12 to 14	5,410	31,376	17.2	3,266	30,934	10.6	13.9
15	1,363	12,282	11.1	2,374	14,261	16.6	14.1
16 to 17	2,884	20,703	13.9	2,208	16,588	13.3	13.7
18 to 24	8,985	66,924	13.4	12,044	65,375	18.4	15.9
25 to 34	9,905	116,328	8.5	15,270	117,929	12.9	10.7
35 to 44	11,599	120,353	9.6	12,176	119,413	10.2	9.9
45 to 54	7,910	94,303	8.4	10,222	97,711	10.5	9.4
55 to 64	8,824	88,524	10.0	10,019	94,411	10.6	10.3
65 to 74	7,323	68,545	10.7	8,070	81,195	9.9	10.3
75+	3,955	43,189	9.2	8,252	62,092	13.3	11.6
All Ages	86,817	779,739	11.1	103,764	810,214	12.8	12.0

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%	6.5	6.5	103,088
50% - 74%	2.3	8.8	36,433
75% - 99%	3.2	12.0	51,060
100% - 124%	3.5	15.5	56,258
125% - 149%	3.0	18.6	48,180
150% - 174%	4.0	22.5	63,510
175% - 184%	1.5	24.1	24,469
185% - 199%	2.4	26.5	38,041
200% - 299%	14.9	41.3	236,135
300% - 399%	13.7	55.0	217,741
400% - 499%	11.8	66.9	188,214
500% +	33.1	100.0	526,824
Total	100.0	100.0	1,589,953

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	12,076	63,748	18.9	14,068	63,541	22.1	20.5
High School Grad (& Equiv)	14,493	119,947	12.1	18,117	104,628	17.3	14.5
Some College, Assoc Degree	13,972	163,044	8.6	20,312	193,644	10.5	9.6
Bachelor's degree or higher	8,975	184,503	4.9	11,512	210,938	5.5	5.2
Total:	49,516	531,242	9.3	64,009	572,751	11.2	10.3

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
	Number		Poverty	Number		Poverty	Poverty
	In Poverty	Total	Rate	In Poverty	Total	Rate	Rate
Worked full time, year-round	6,640	300,784	2.2	6,107	250,987	2.4	2.3
Worked part-time or part-year	17,676	134,217	13.2	19,827	147,368	13.5	13.3
Did not work	37,069	183,868	20.2	52,327	256,359	20.4	20.3
Total:	61,385	618,869	9.9	78,261	654,714	12.0	11.0

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
	Number		Poverty	Number		Poverty	Poverty
	In Poverty	Total	Rate	In Poverty	Total	Rate	Rate
In labor force:	26,043	431,766	6.0	28,136	394,080	7.1	6.6
Employed	20,226	403,674	5.0	21,752	371,505	5.9	5.4
Unemployed	5,817	28,092	20.7	6,384	22,575	28.3	24.1
Not in labor force	35,342	185,136	19.1	50,125	260,001	19.3	19.2
Total:	61,385	616,902	10.0	78,261	654,081	12.0	11.0

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
Married-couple family:	2.7	194,228	13.0	69,474	5.4	263,702
Female householder, no husband present:	9.2	35,457	25.3	42,111	17.9	77,568
Male householder, no wife present:	7.8	16,555	12.4	16,348	10.1	32,903
Total:	3.9	246,240	16.9	127,933	8.4	374,173

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
	in Poverty	Total	Rate
Naturalized Citizen	24,410	222,664	11.0
Not a Citizen	28,054	158,007	17.8
Foreign Born:	52,464	380,671	13.8
Native:	138,117	1,209,282	11.4

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

2. Income Inequality

Figure 2 - 1: Median Household Income

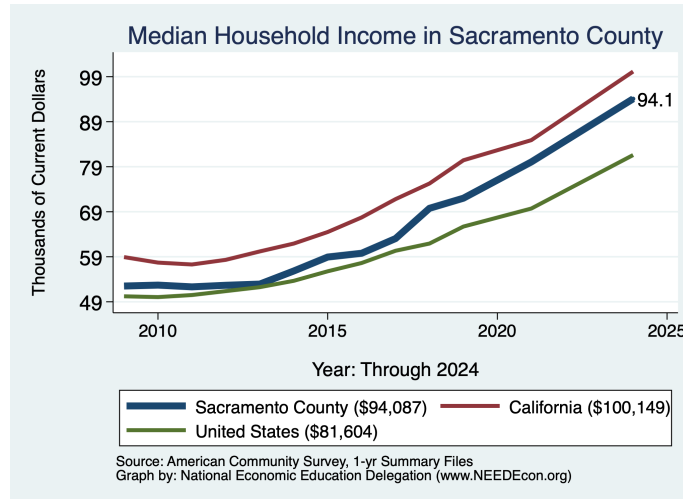


Figure 2 - 2: Per Capita Income

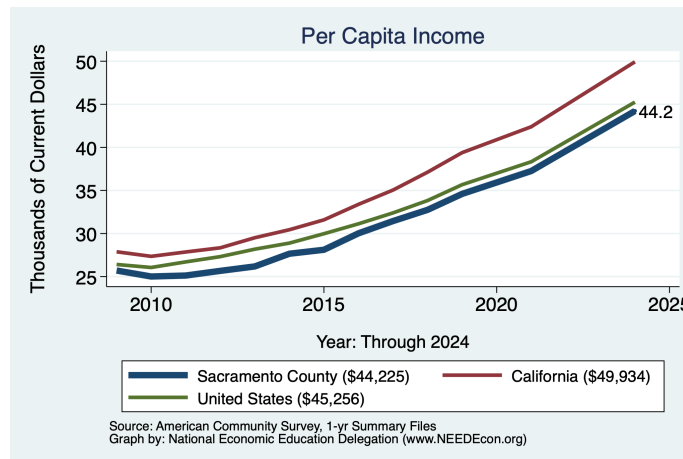


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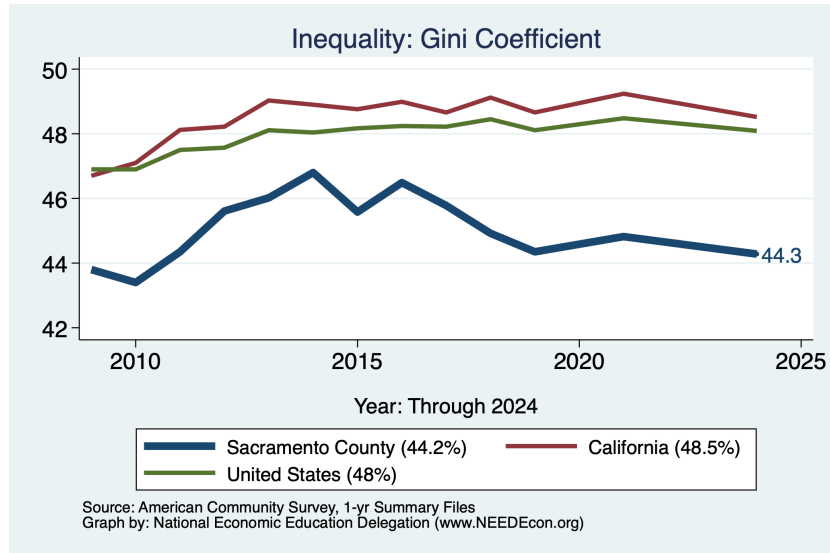


Figure 2 - 4: Distribution of Household Income

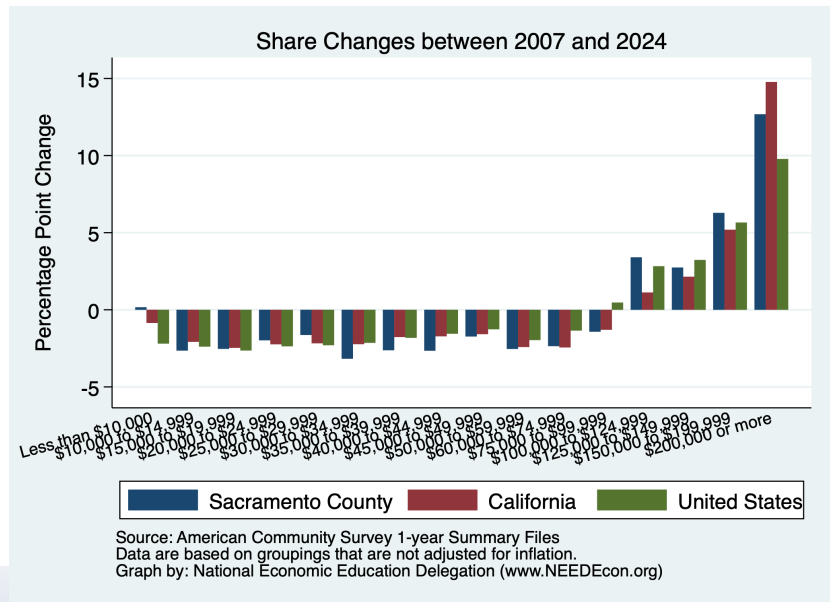


Figure 2 - 5: Income Shares by Quintile

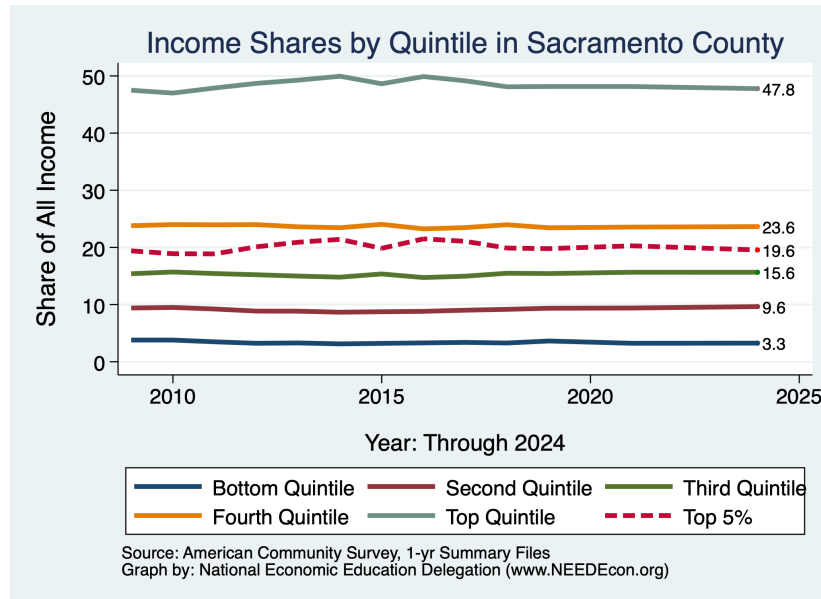


Figure 2 - 6: Income Shares by Quintile - Comparison

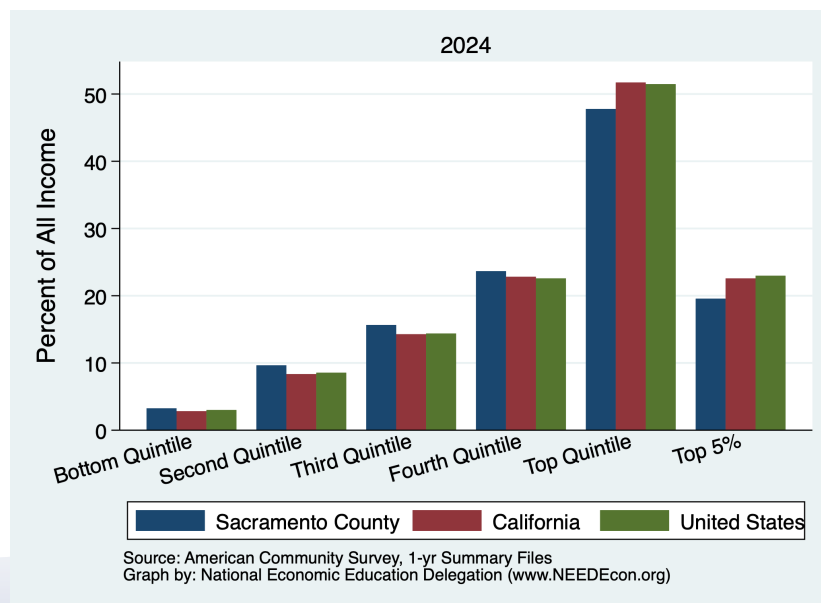


Figure 2 - 7: Mean Income by Quintile

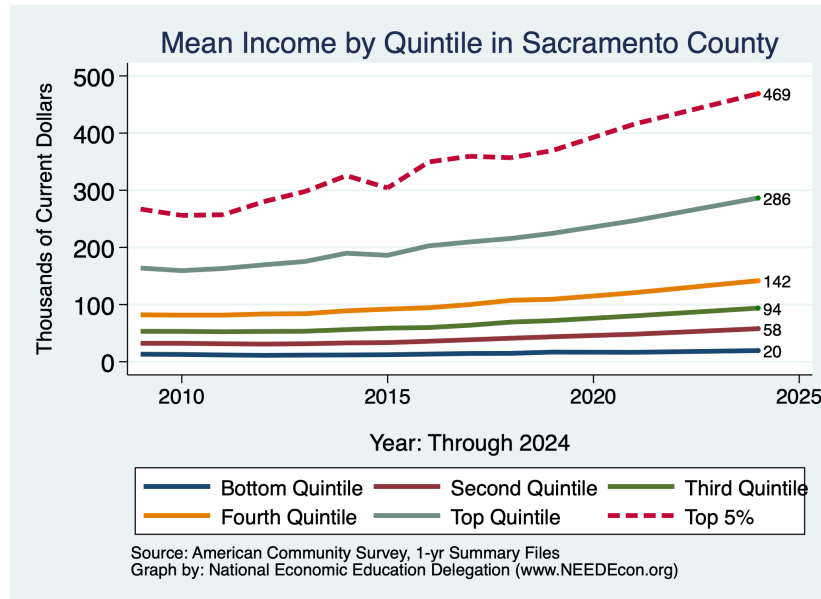


Figure 2 - 8: Mean Income by Quintile - Comparison

