

Ten largest counties in Michigan (2022) Ranked by percent change in population (2020-2022)

Rank by size	County	2020 Population	2021 Population	2022 Population ¹	Change 2020 - 2022	Percent Change 2020 - 2022	Change 2021 - 2022	Percent Change 2021 - 2022
7	Ottawa County	296,889	298,317	300,873	3,984	1.34%	2,556	0.86%
10	Livingston County	193,971	195,277	196,161	2,190	1.13%	884	0.45%
4	Kent County	658,460	659,000	659,083	623	0.09%	83	0.01%
8	Ingham County	284,640	271,427	284,108	-532	-0.19%	12,681	4.67%
9	Kalamazoo County	261,767	260,688	261,173	-594	-0.23%	485	0.19%
2	Oakland County	1,272,413	1,271,891	1,269,431	-2,982	-0.23%	-2,460	-0.19%
3	Macomb County	880,176	877,385	874,195	-5,981	-0.68%	-3,190	-0.36%
5	Genesee County	405,757	404,662	401,983	-3,774	-0.93%	-2,679	-0.66%
6	Washtenaw County	371,817	364,998	366,376	-5,441	-1.46%	1,378	0.38%
1	Wayne County	1,789,129	1,773,073	1,757,043	-32,086	-1.79%	-16,030	-0.90%
	Michigan	10,069,577	10,037,504	10,034,113	-35,464	-0.35%	-3,391	-0.03%

Ten fastest growing counties in Michigan (2022) Ranked by percent change in population (2020-2022)

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1	Keweenaw County	2,068	2,118	2,180	112	5.42%	62	2.93%
2	Montmorency County	9,164	9,302	9,569	405	4.42%	267	2.87%
3	Lake County	12,094	12,261	12,594	500	4.13%	333	2.72%
4	Crawford County	12,993	13,292	13,491	498	3.83%	199	1.50%
5	Antrim County	23,459	23,884	24,249	790	3.37%	365	1.53%
6	Presque Isle County	12,997	13,173	13,361	364	2.80%	188	1.43%
7	Leelanau County	22,312	22,630	22,870	558	2.50%	240	1.06%
8	Mecosta County	39,792	40,057	40,720	928	2.33%	663	1.66%
9	Alcona County	10,189	10,300	10,417	228	2.24%	117	1.14%
10	Otsego County	25,138	25,351	25,644	506	2.01%	293	1.16%
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Population growth rates for Michigan's 10 largest counties

from 2020-2022¹



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