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County-Based Regions and Markets for

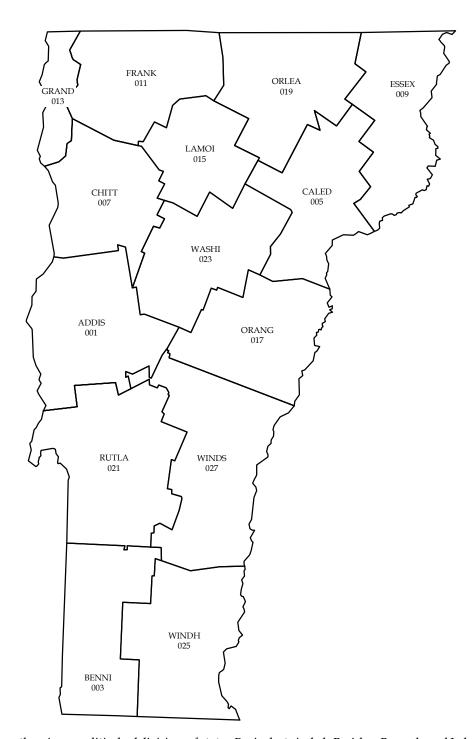
VERMONT

14 Counties and Portions of

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VERMONT, 14 Counties

Polidata County Abbreviations and County FIPS Codes State FIPS Code is 50

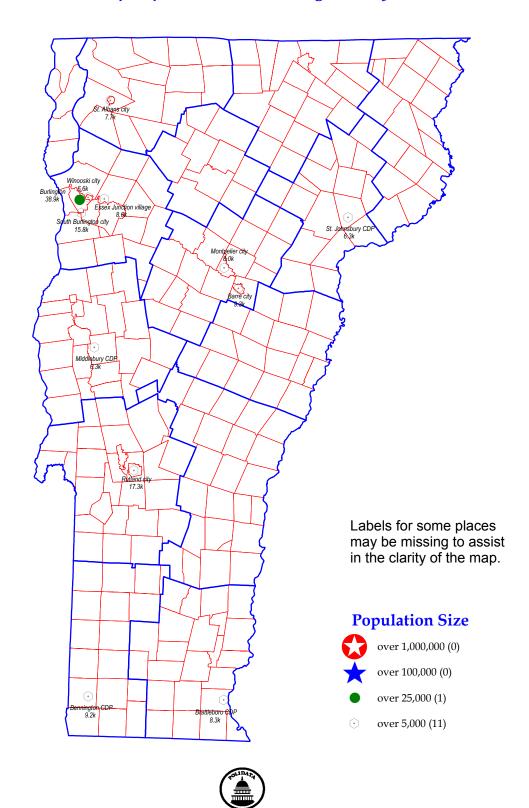


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VERMONT, Selected Places

2000 Census of Population and Housing, County Subdivisions



County Code Listing VERMONT, 14 Counties

County or Equivalent	Cy Seq	Population Centers	County Seat	1990 Tot. Pop.	2000 Tot. Pop.	FIPS Code	Polidata CyAbb
ADDISON	1	Middlebury	Middlebury	32,953	35,974	1	ADDIS
BENNINGTON	2	Bennington	Bennington	35,845	36,994	3	BENNI
CALEDONIA	3	St. Johnsbury	St. Johnsbury	27,846	29,702	5	CALED
CHITTENDEN	4	Burlington	Burlington	131,761	146,571	7	CHITT
ESSEX	5	Lunenburg	Guildhall	6,405	6,459	9	ESSEX
FRANKLIN	6	St. Albans	St. Albans	39,980	45,417	11	FRANK
GRAND ISLE	7	Grand Isle	North Hero	5,318	6,901	13	GRAND
LAMOILLE	8	Morristown	Hyde Park	19,735	23,233	15	LAMOI
ORANGE	9	Randolph	Chelsea	26,149	28,226	17	ORANG
ORLEANS	10	Derby	Newport	24,053	26,277	19	ORLEA
RUTLAND	11	Rutland	Rutland	62,142	63,400	21	RUTLA
WASHINGTON	12	Barre	Montpelier	54,928	58,039	23	WASHI
WINDHAM	13	Brattleboro	Newfane	41,588	44,216	25	WINDH
WINDSOR	14	Springfield	Woodstock	54,055	57,418	27	WINDS
VERMONT		Burlington	Montpelier	562,758	608,827	50	STATE

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^{1.} County Equivalents include Independent Cities in MD, MO, NV and VA; Boroughs or Census Areas in AK; Parishes in LA; DC treated as State and County.

^{2.} Counties are the primary legal subdivisions of a state. In the New England states they perform few, if any, governmental functions.

^{3.} In some states (CT, RI) they are recognized as historic geographic areas for statistical purposes only.

^{4.} The FIPS Code is the Federal Information Processing Standards code; 3 digit county code unique within the state, 2 digit state code unique within the nation.

^{5.} The Polidata CyAbb is an abbreviation used primarily on our maps. The Cy Seq is a sequential count of county units within the state. Asterisk indicates a break in sequence. [psccl11-50ccla00.ps-2103]

Population by Areas/Markets VERMONT

Seq	2000 Est. Pop.	Net % 90-00	Area/Market	% of State	% of Market
	608,827	8.2	VERMONT		
			MSAs-Metropolitan Statistical Areas (OMI	B, 1999)	
1	198,889	12.3	Burlington, VT NECMA	32.7	100.0
2	409,938	6.3	Not Assigned to Metro Area (NAM)	67.3	100.0
			GMRs-Metro Groups (Polidata/Maloney, 1	.999)	
1	146,571	11.2	Burlington (Chittenden Co.)	24.1	100.0
2	52,318	15.5	Other Metro	8.6	100.0
3	409,938	6.3	Non Metro	67.3	100.0
			DMAs-Designated Market Areas (Nielsen,	2000)	
1	44,216	6.3	Boston, MA - NH DMA	7.3	0.7
2	527,617	8.7	Burlington, VT - Plattsburgh, NY DMA	86.7	64.4
3	36,994	3.2	Albany - Schenectady - Troy, NY - MA - VT DMA	6.1	2.8
			ISRs-Internal State Regions (Polidata, 1996	5)	
1	234,863	11.8	Champlain Valley	38.6	100.0
2	109,498	8.6	Central	18.0	100.0
3	100,394	2.5	Southwest	16.5	100.0
4	101,634	6.3	Southeast	16.7	100.0
5	62,438	7.1	Northeast Kingdom	10.3	100.0



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^{1.} Areas/Markets are county-based regions comprised of whole counties or equivalents. This includes Parishes (LA), Independent Cities (MD,MO,NV,VA) Boroughs (AK), and Census Areas (AK).

^{2.} Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs) reflect federal statistical areas. Some counties are not assigned. MSAs are contiguous yet may cross state borders. NECMAs are used in New England.

^{3.} Designated Market Areas (DMAs) reflect television media markets. All counties are assigned to one DMA (a few counties are actually split). DMAs may be noncontiguous and may cross state borders.

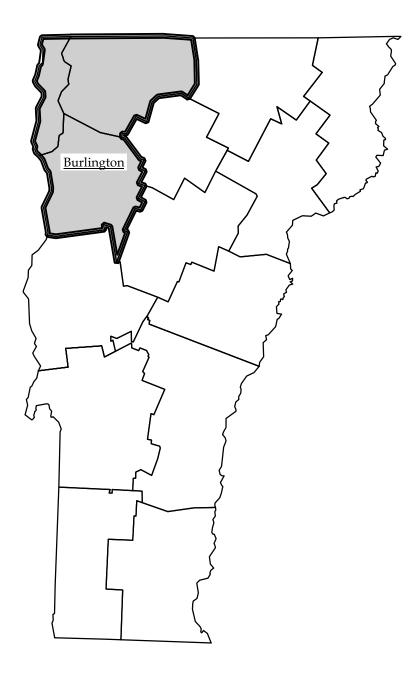
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^{5.} Metro Groups (GMRs) reflect the size and nature of metropolitan counties. They are based upon work done by Dr. Gary Maloney in 1997 and updated/modified/expanded by Polidata.

^{6.} Codes are assigned by either OMB, Nielsen or Polidata to be unique within the nation. Counties unassigned to a metro area are grouped together for consistency purposes.

Metropolitan Statistical Areas, NECMAs

Groups of Counties assigned by OMB (1999)

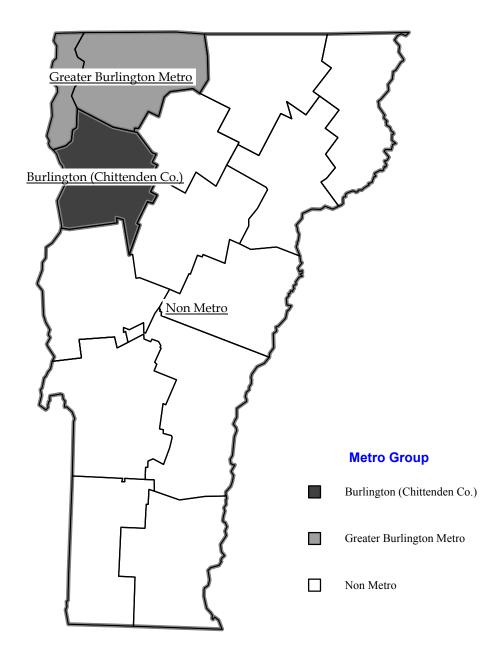


NECMAs reflect an alternative to town-based New England MSAs, extending out to the county borders, and/or combining MSAs.



Metro Groups, GMRs

Groups of Counties assigned by Polidata and Dr. Gary Maloney (1999)

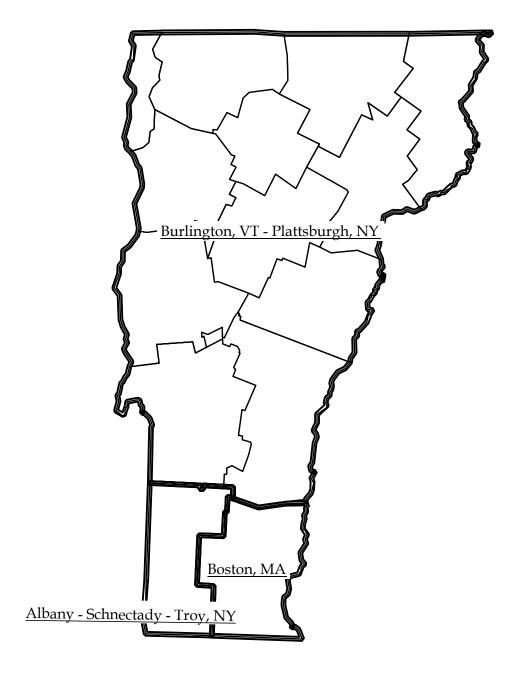


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Designated Market Areas, DMAs

Groups of Counties assigned by Nielsen Media Research (2000)

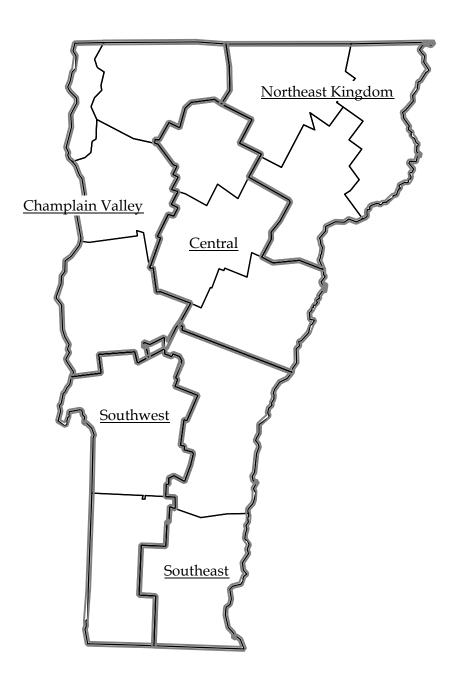


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Internal State Regions, ISRs

Groups of Counties assigned by Polidata (1996)



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County County-Based Area/Market Assignments

VERMONT

ADDISON
Champlain Valley ISR; Burlington, VT - Plattsburgh, NY DMA; Not Assigned to Metro Area (NAM); Non Metro GMR.
Southwest ISR; Albany - Schenectady - Troy, NY - MA - VT DMA; Not Assigned to Metro Area (NAM); Non Metro GMR.
CALEDONIA
CHITTENDEN
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CHITTENDEN
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Northeast Kingdom ISR; Burlington, VT - Plattsburgh, NY DMA; Not Assigned to Metro Area (NAM); Non Metro GMR.

FRANKLIN
Champlain Valley ISR; Burlington, VT - Plattsburgh, NY DMA; Burlington, VT NECMA; Other Metro GMR.
GRAND ISLE
Champlain Valley ISR; Burlington, VT - Plattsburgh, NY DMA; Burlington, VT NECMA; Other Metro GMR.
LAMOILLE
Central ISR; Burlington, VT - Plattsburgh, NY DMA; Not Assigned to Metro Area (NAM); Non Metro GMR.
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ORLEANS

Northeast Kingdom ISR; Burlington, VT - Plattsburgh, NY DMA; Not Assigned to Metro Area (NAM); Non Metro GMR.

RUTLAND

Southwest ISR; Burlington, VT - Plattsburgh, NY DMA; Not Assigned to Metro Area (NAM); Non Metro GMR.

WASHINGTON Southwest ISR; Burlington, VT - Plattsburgh, NY DMA; Not Assigned to Metro Area (NAM); Non Metro GMR.

WINDHAM Southeast ISR; Boston, MA - NH DMA; Not Assigned to Metro Area (NAM); Non Metro GMR.

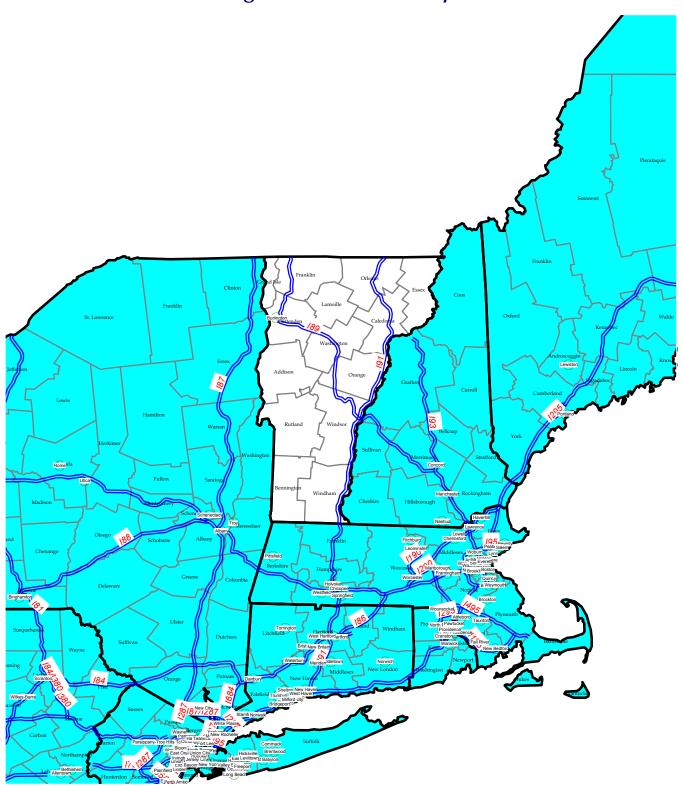
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