

# Statistics on Summers County, West Virginia



## General Summers Co. Statistics

**Population:** 13,531 (of 1,818,470 in WV)  
**Land Area:** 361.17 square miles  
**Population Per sq. mile:** 35.99  
**County Seat:** Hinton  
**Minority Population:** Summers 8.4% WV 4.8%

## Housing (2000)

Owner-occupied housing units **Summers** 59.7% **WV** 65.5% **National** 60.2%  
Average number of household members **Summers** 2.33 **WV** 2.47 **National** 2.71  
Median year structure was built **Summers** 1967 **WV** 1970 **National** 1971  
In Summers Co., 22% of homes were built prior to 1939  
Median value **Summers** \$53,800 **WV** \$66,000 **National** \$111,800  
Median rent **Summers** \$207 **WV** \$311 **National** \$519

## Median Household Income (2004)

**Summers** \$24,114 **WV** \$33,993, **National** \$41,994

## Poverty (2000)

Local 2,789, 22.8%  
Percent of children in extreme poverty (income below 50% of poverty level): **WV** 34% **National** 9%  
Children living with parents who do not have full time, year round employment:  
**WV** 38% (50<sup>th</sup> in US) **National** 27%  
Juvenile violent crime and arrest rate (per 100,000 youth 10-17): **WV** 86 **National** 412 (1997)  
Percent of low-income children without health insurance: **WV** 13% **National** 25%

## Education (2000) (25 years and older, highest level of attainment)

- High school graduates: (includes equivalency) **Summers** 40.2% **WV** 39.4% **National** 28.6%
- Some college, or associate's degree: **Summers** 15.1% **WV** 21.0% **National** 27.4%
- Bachelor's degree: **Summers** 6.5% **WV** 8.9% **National** 15.5%
- Master's, professional or doctorate degree: **Summers** 3.6% **WV** 5.9% **National** 8.9%

## Sources and Further Information

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