

Map the Meal Gap 2013



Utah Food Insecurity by County in 2011 1

County	Population	Food insecurity rate ²	Estimated number food insecure individuals (rounded)	Income within the food insecure population ³		
				% below SNAP threshold of 130% poverty	% between 130% and 185% poverty	% above Nutrition Pgm threshold of 185% poverty
Beaver	6,495	16.7%	1,080	48%	23%	29%
Box Elder	49,093	14.6%	7,190	36%	23%	41%
Cache	109,752	15.9%	17,400	54%	19%	28%
Carbon	21,011	16.2%	3,400	46%	20%	34%
Daggett	891	15.8%	140	42%	11%	47%
Davis	301,124	13.3%	40,020	29%	16%	55%
Duchesne	18,025	13.9%	2,500	40%	21%	40%
Emery	10,827	14.4%	1,560	39%	20%	41%
Garfield	5,052	17.8%	900	45%	18%	37%
Grand	9,096	18.0%	1,640	47%	22%	31%
Iron	45,383	19.4%	8,820	59%	25%	16%
Juab	10,089	15.9%	1,600	42%	21%	37%
Kane	7,008	14.3%	1,000	32%	23%	45%
Millard	12,326	14.2%	1,750	53%	24%	23%
Morgan	9,285	11.1%	1,030	23%	18%	59%
Piute	1,657	15.2%	250	57%	23%	21%
Rich	2,234	11.5%	260	33%	43%	24%
Salt Lake	1,016,455	15.3%	155,720	40%	18%	43%
San Juan	14,526	21.0%	3,050	73%	11%	16%
Sanpete	27,239	16.9%	4,610	46%	26%	28%
Sevier	20,667	15.1%	3,110	41%	26%	33%
Summit	35,968	13.0%	4,680	27%	16%	57%
Tooele	56,957	14.1%	8,030	31%	22%	47%
Uintah	31,892	13.6%	4,320	35%	13%	52%
Utah	502,465	15.6%	78,630	44%	20%	36%
Wasatch	22,908	14.2%	3,260	26%	16%	58%
Washington	137,020	16.7%	22,880	43%	26%	31%
Wayne	2,735	17.6%	480	44%	26%	31%
Weber	227,199	15.8%	35,980	42%	17%	41%
State Total ⁴	2,817,222	16.7%	471,850	33%	13%	54%

For additional data and maps by county, state, and congressional district, please visit www.feedingamerica.org/mapthegap.

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¹Map the Meal Gap's food insecurity rates are determined using data from the 2001-2011 Current Population Survey on individuals in food insecure households; data from the 2011 American Community Survey on median household incomes, poverty rates, home ownership, and race and ethnic demographics; and 2011 data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics on unemployment rates.

^c The statistical model for estimating food insecurity in 2013 differs slightly from the model used in 2012. The updated 2013 model includes "homeownership" in addition to the variables used in previous years to account for household assets and help produce more accurate estimates of food insecurity at the local level. For more information about these factors, please see the technical brief or supplemental methodology information on HungerNet.

³Numbers reflect percentage of food insecure individuals living in households with incomes within the income bands indicated. Eligibility for federal nutrition programs is determined in part by these income thresholds which can vary by state.

⁴Population and food insecurity data in the state totals row do not reflect the sum of all counties in that state. The state totals are aggregated from the congressional districts data in that state. All data in the state totals row pertaining to the cost of food or the "Meal Gap" reflect state-level data and are not aggregations of either counties or congressional districts.