City of Belmont Population and Housing Report

2023 Update

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Source: State of California, Department of Finance, E-5 Population and Housing Estimates for Cities, Counties and the State — January 1, 2011—2016. Sacramento, California, May 2016.



1. Overall Population Change Summary

Table 1.1. Population Change by Region

(Thousands, July to July)

	2022	9	% Change			
Region	Population	1 Year	5 Year			
City						
Belmont	26,793	-0.88	0.46	-1.43		
County and Broader Regions						
San Mateo County	739,819	-1.08	-3.46	-3.37		
Bay Area	7,560,483	-0.89	-2.62	-2.17		
California	39,028,571	-0.54	-1.27	-0.76		

Source: CA DOF; Calculations by Marin Economic Consulting

Table 1.2. Regional Population Change by City

(Thousands, January to January)

			% Change			
City	2022	2023	Local	Bay Area	California	
San Mateo County	740.8	737.6	-0.43	-0.45	-0.35	
San Mateo	103.7	103.3	-0.32			
Daly City	102.0	101.5	-0.56			
Redwood City	81.8	81.5	-0.32			
South San Francisco	64.3	64.3	-0.00			
San Bruno	42.3	42.1	-0.68			
Pacifica	37.2	37.1	-0.41			
Foster City	32.9	32.7	-0.45			
Menlo Park	32.8	32.5	-0.85			
Burlingame	30.1	30.1	0.22			
San Carlos	29.8	29.5	-0.89			
East Palo Alto	28.8	28.6	-0.66			
Belmont	27.0	26.8	-0.88			
Millbrae	22.5	22.5	0.08			
Half Moon Bay	11.3	11.2	-0.77			
Hillsborough	11.0	11.0	-0.20			

Source: CA DOF; Calculations by Marin Economic Consulting



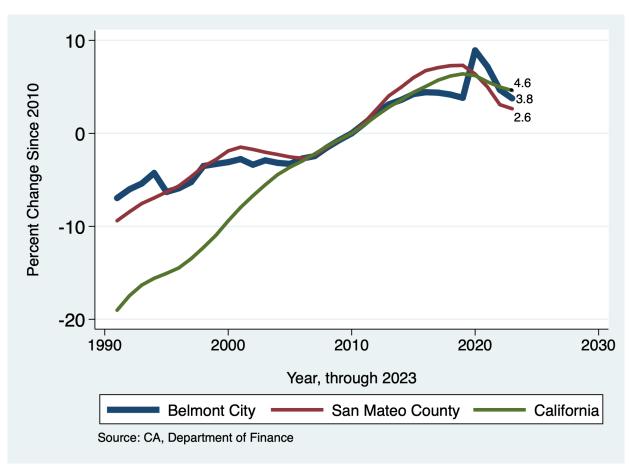


Figure 1 - 1: Populaton Growth, Since 2010



2. Housing Picture: Since 2010

In areas where the rate of population growth exceeds the rate of housing growth, this is likely to reflect a tightening housing market. A tightening housing market will also likely be reflected in lower vacancy rates and higher occupancy rates. It may also be reflected in higher numbers of people per household.

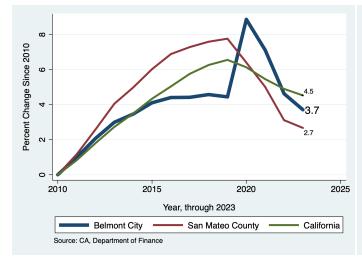
Table 2.1. Housing Market Indicators

				% Change from	
Indicator	2023	2019	2010	2019	2010
Total Population	26,793.0	26,983.0	25,835.0	-0.7	3.7
Total # of Homes	11,220.0	11,089.0	11,028.0	1.2	1.7
# Occupied Units	10,686.0	10,508.0	10,575.0	1.7	1.0
Persons per Household	2.5	2.5	2.4	-2.4	2.7
Vacancy Rate (%)	4.8	5.2	4.1	-9.2	15.9

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Figure 2 - 1: Population Growth

Figure 2 - 2: Housing Growth



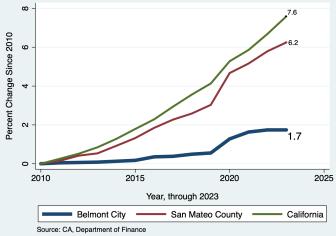
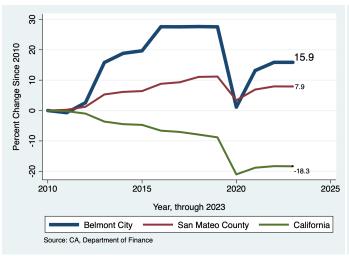




Figure 2 - 3: Vacancy Rates

Figure 2 - 4: Occupancy Rates



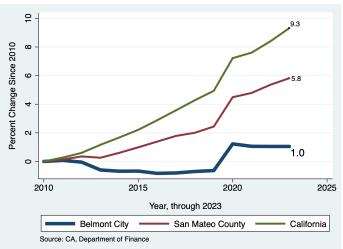
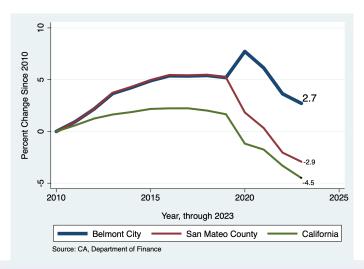


Figure 2 - 5: Persons per Household

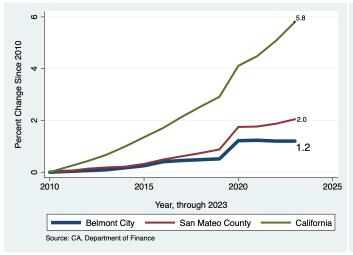




3. Trends in the Growth of Housing by Housing Type

Figure 3 - 1: Single Detached Homes

Figure 3 - 2: Single Attached Homes



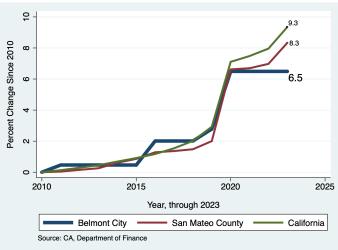
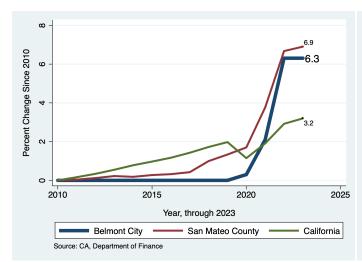
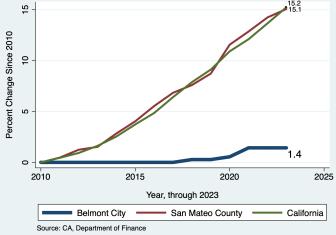


Figure 3 - 3: Housing in Buildings with Two to Four Units Figure 3 - 4: Housing in Buildings with Five or More Units







OCC Source: CA, Department of Finance

Figure 3 - 5: Mobile Homes