

WAMPO
Historical
Population
Trends
1900-2020

September
2021



Introduction

Wichita is the most populous city in both the WAMPO region and in Kansas, making it a worthwhile gauge for the economic well-being of both Sedgwick County and the entire state.

Wichita is the main employment hub for the WAMPO region and is home to the top 5 employers in the WAMPO region: Spirit AeroSystems, Textron Aviation, McConnell Air Force Base, Ascension Via Christi, and Koch Industries. Many workers commute to Wichita for these jobs, most popularly well-known for aircraft manufacturing.

Derby is Wichita's most populous suburb. The city was first incorporated as El Paso City in 1903 and remained rural until its incorporation as Derby city in 1956, following significant growth due to the expansion of the airplane industry because of the manufacturing demands of World War II. A few years prior to incorporation, McConnell Air Force Base was founded, necessitating airmen to find homes in Derby when space on base filled up. Derby is expected to recover from the slight dip their population took from 2016 to 2018 and steadily increase into the next few years.

Maize, Andover, and Bel Aire are the cities experiencing the most growth in the WAMPO region. Maize is an outlier, having had a 68% jump in population from 2010 to 2020. Andover and Bel Aire each experienced a 26% and 22% increase in population from 2010 to 2020, respectively. The cities immediately adjacent to a major interstate or freeway generally experience a greater population increase than those that rely on collector roads for travel. For example, K-96 runs through Maize, US-54 through Goddard and Andover, and I-135 through Park City. All of these cities experienced double-digit population growth in the last decade. Cities that lack such a major connection like Cheney, Andover, Clearwater, Colwich, and Rose Hill only saw a growth rate of less than 10% from 2010 to 2020.

Viola, Sedgwick, Eastborough, and Mount Hope are the only cities in the WAMPO region to have faced a decrease in population from 2010 to 2020. Viola is the only city in the WAMPO region to house a smaller population than they did at the time of their incorporation.

The cities in this report are presented in alphabetical order.

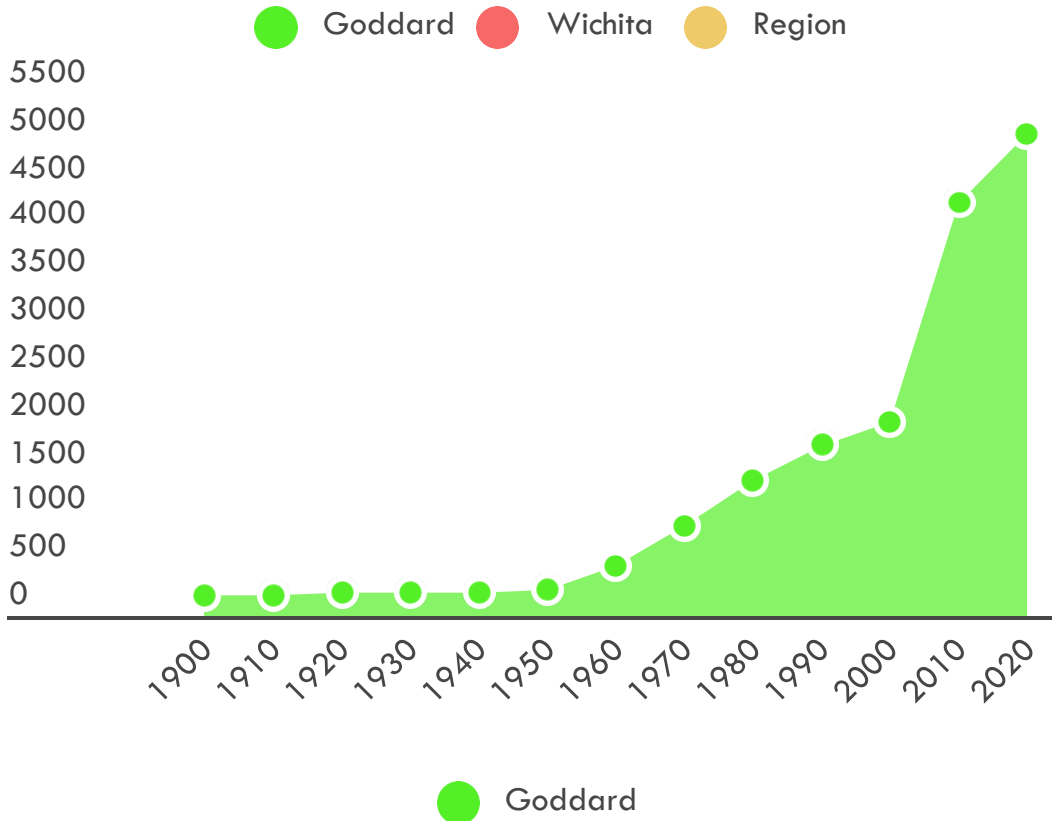
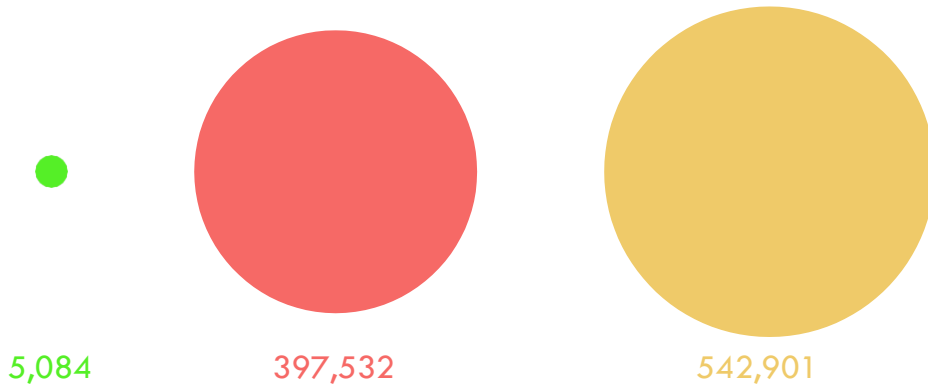
Note: population figures for Sedgwick are for the entire city of Sedgwick, even though parts of the city lie outside the WAMPO boundary. Population figures are from the decennial U.S. Census.



Goddard

Incorporated 1910

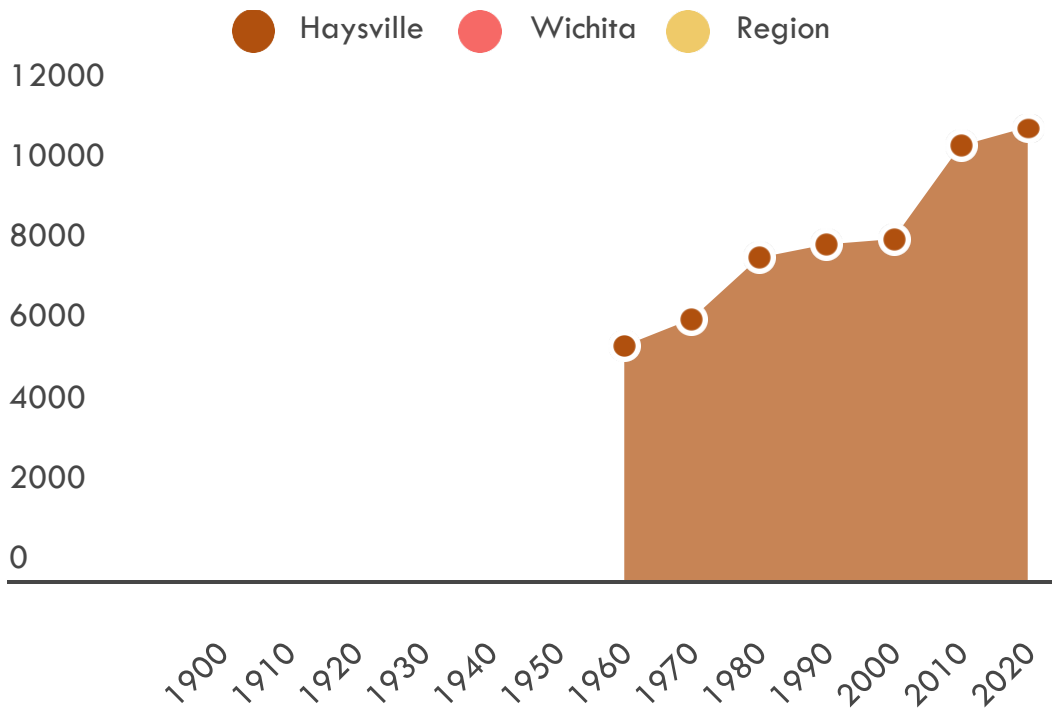
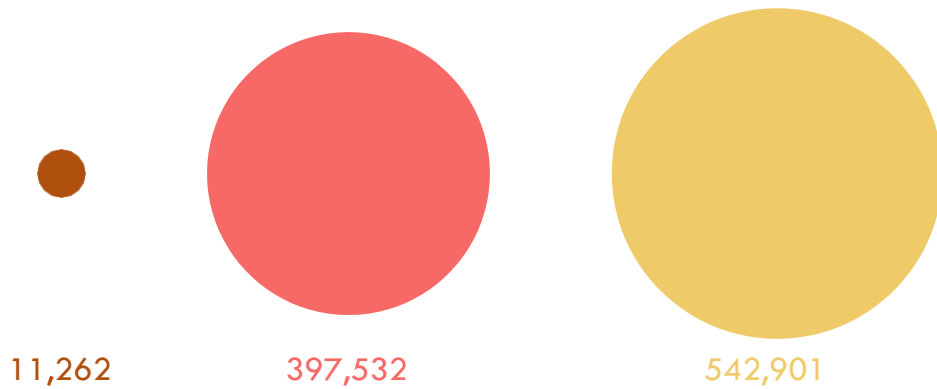
Population	1900	1910	1920	1930	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2020
Goddard	225	225	255	255	248	274	533	955	1,427	1,804	2,037	4,344	5,084



Haysville

Incorporated 1951

Population	1900	1910	1920	1930	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2020
Haysville	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,836	6,483	8,006	8,364	8,502	10,826	11,262



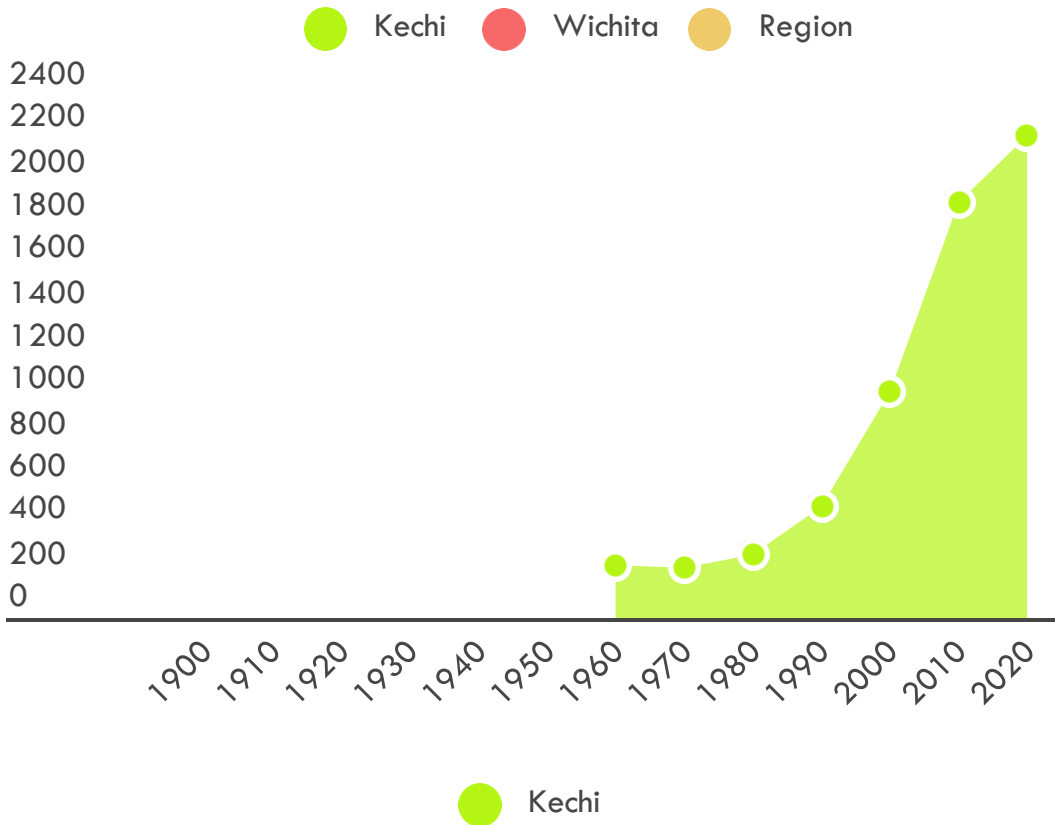
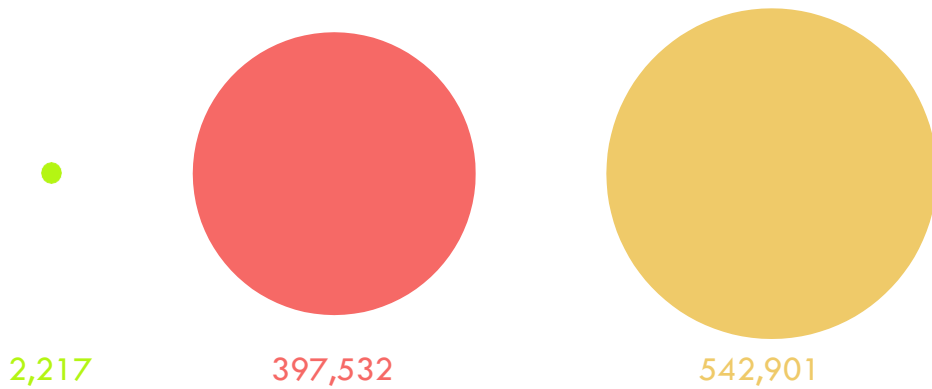
● Haysville



Kechi

Incorporated 1957

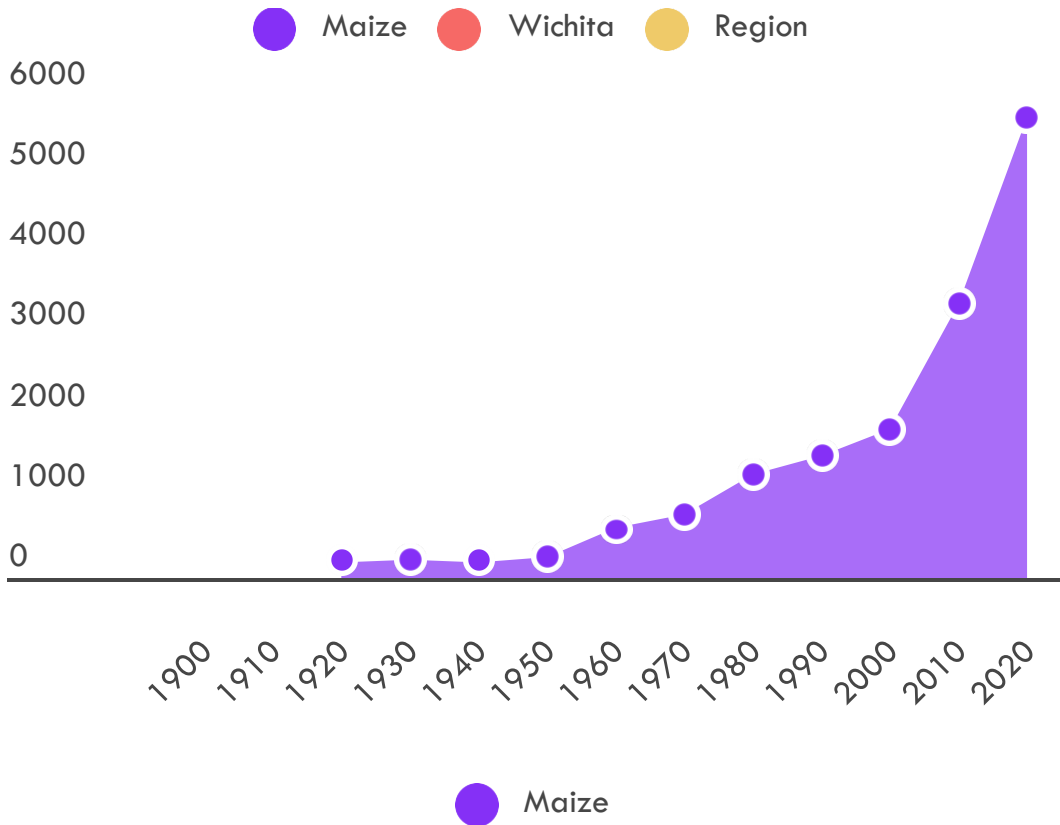
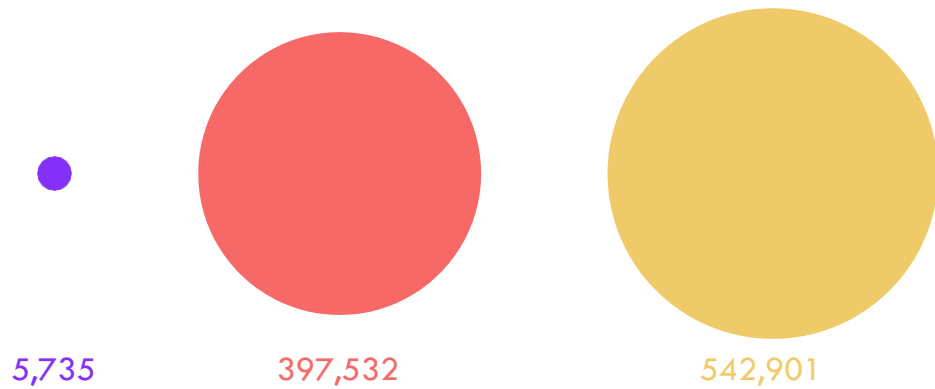
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Kechi	-	-	-	-	-	-	245	229	288	517	1,038	1,909	2,217



Maize

Incorporated 1915

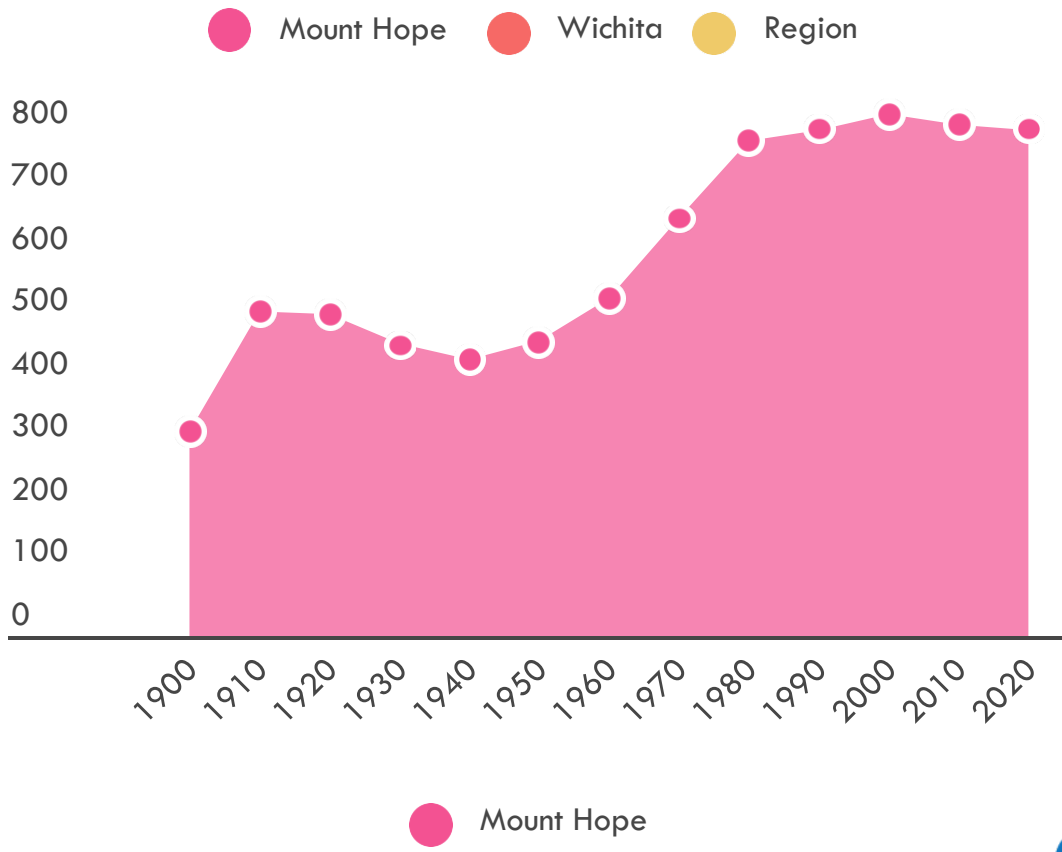
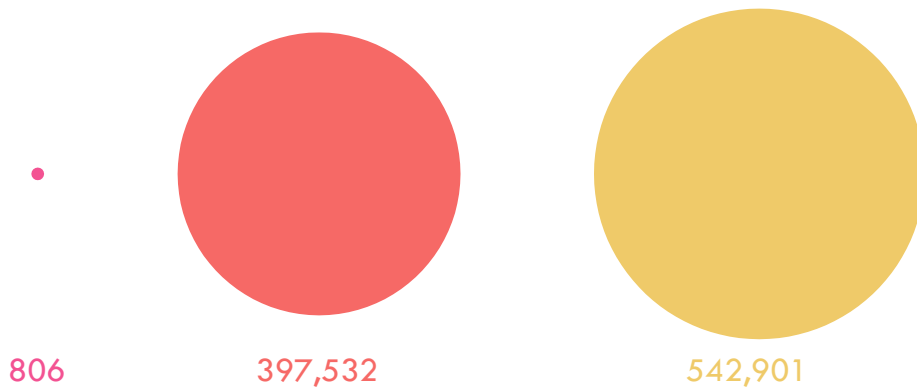
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Maize	-	-	189	229	198	266	623	785	1,294	1,520	1,868	3,420	5,735



Mount Hope

Incorporated 1887

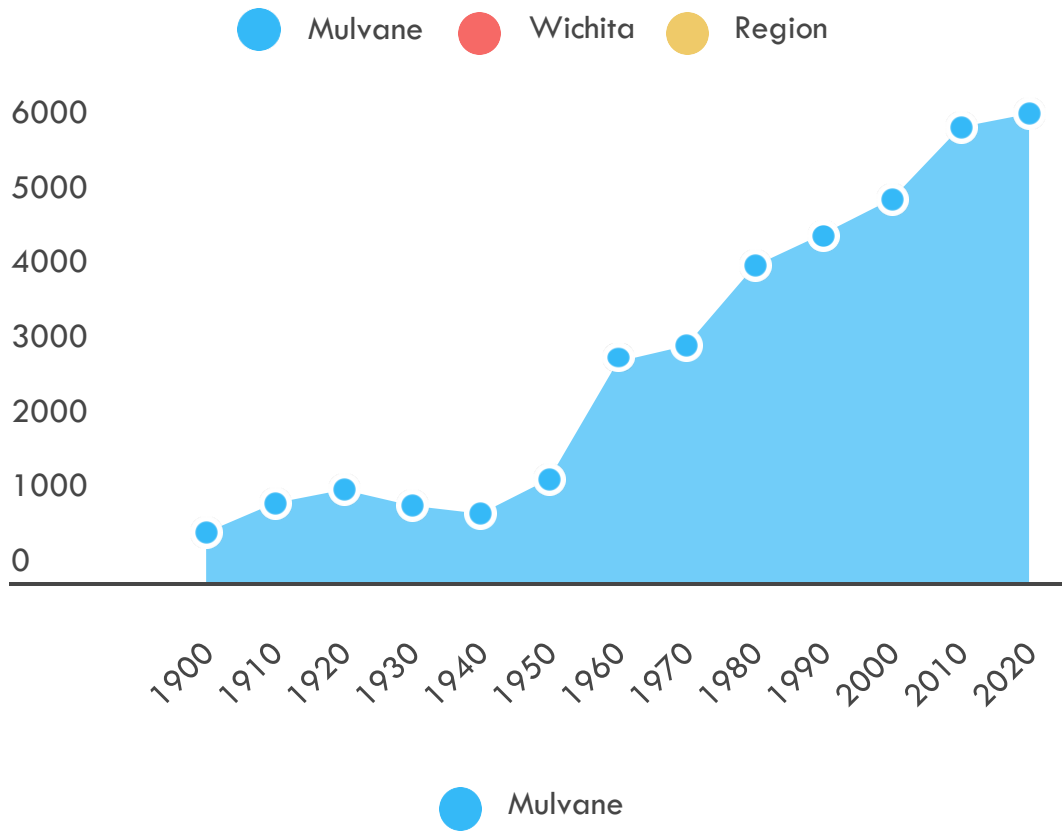
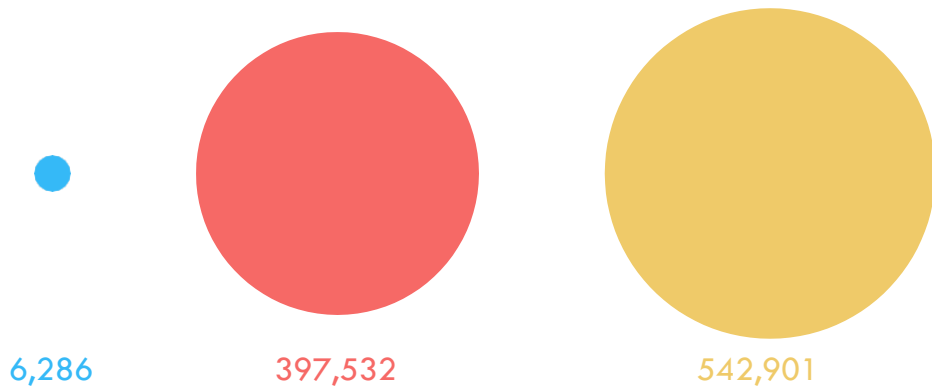
Population	1900	1910	1920	1930	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2020
Mount Hope	327	519	513	466	442	473	539	665	791	805	830	813	806



Mulvane

Incorporated 1883

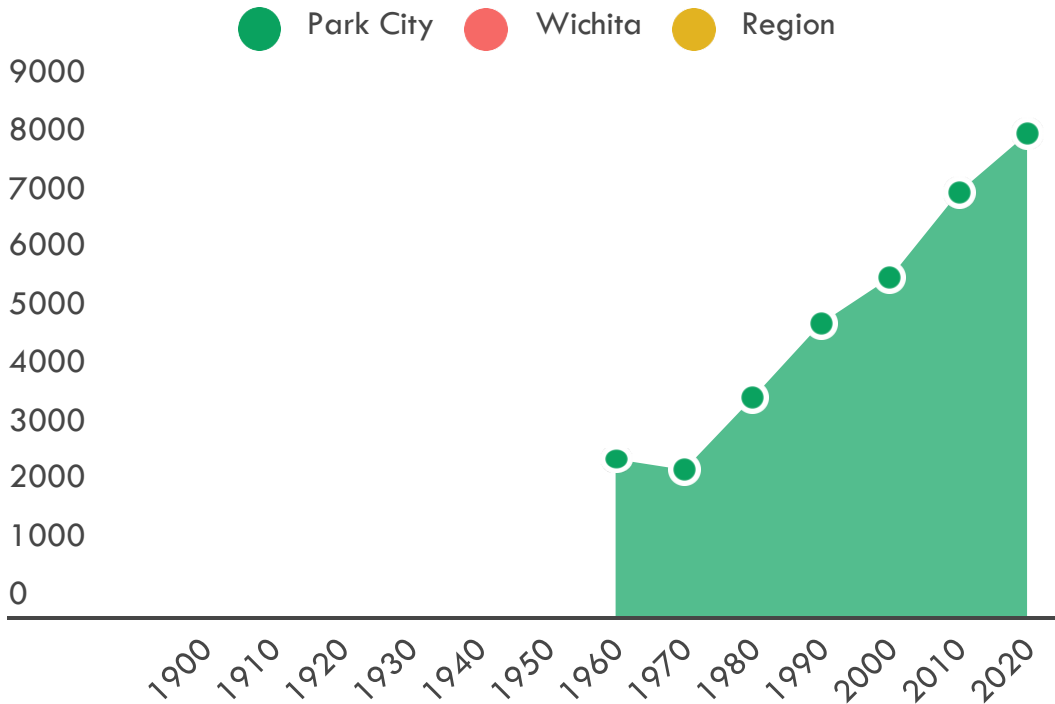
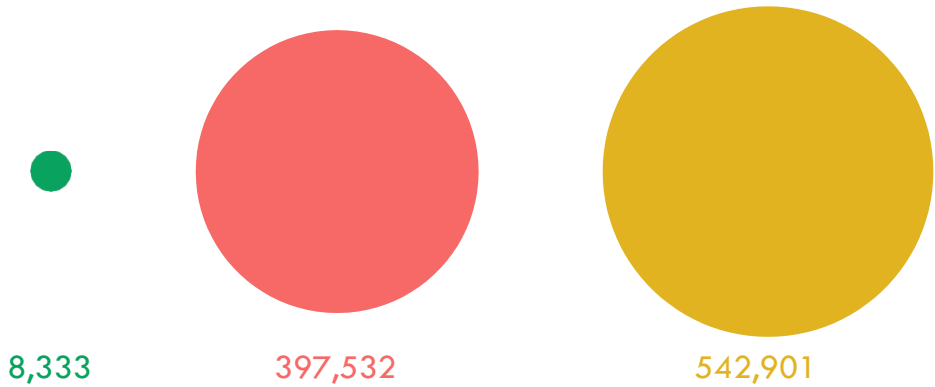
Population	1900	1910	1920	1930	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2020
Mulvane	667	1,084	1,239	1,042	940	1,387	2,981	3,185	4,254	4,674	5,155	6,111	6,286



Park City

Incorporated 1980

Population	1900	1910	1920	1930	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2020
Park City	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,687	2,529	3,778	5,050	5,814	7,297	8,333



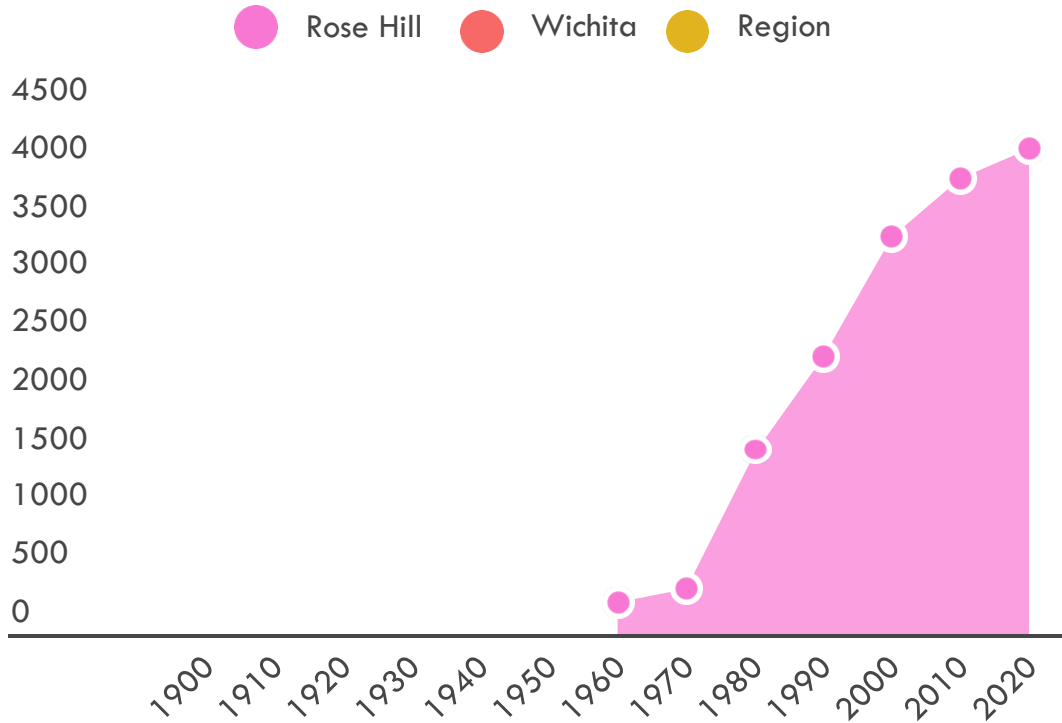
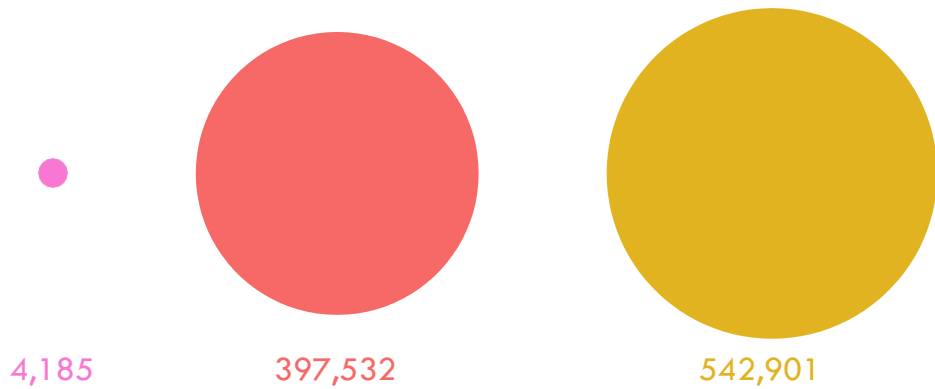
● Park City



Rose Hill

Incorporated 1955

Population	1900	1910	1920	1930	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2020
Rose Hill	-	-	-	-	-	-	273	387	1,557	2,399	3,432	3,931	4,185



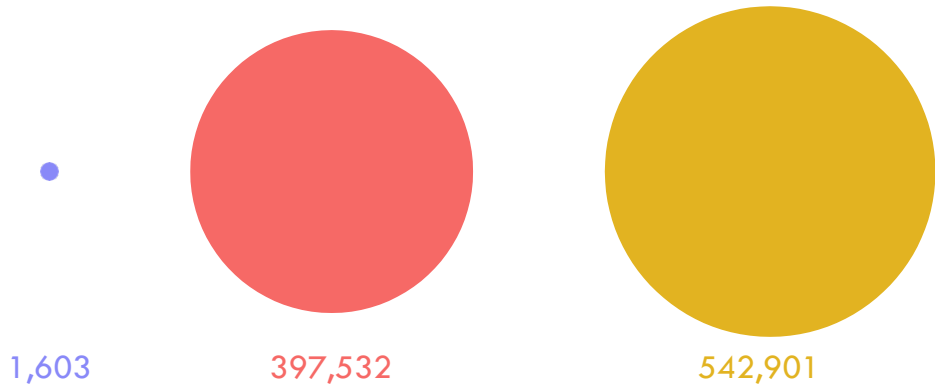
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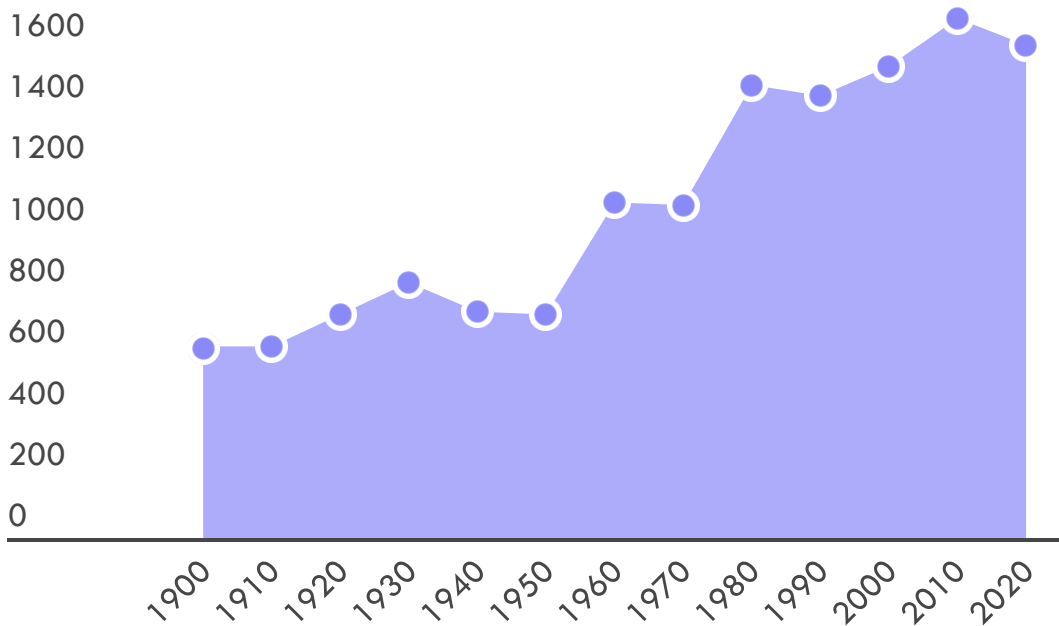
Sedgwick

Incorporated 1872

Population	1900	1910	1920	1930	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2020
Sedgwick	622	626	731	832	738	732	1,095	1,083	1,471	1,438	1,537	1,695	1,603



● Sedgwick ● Wichita ● Region



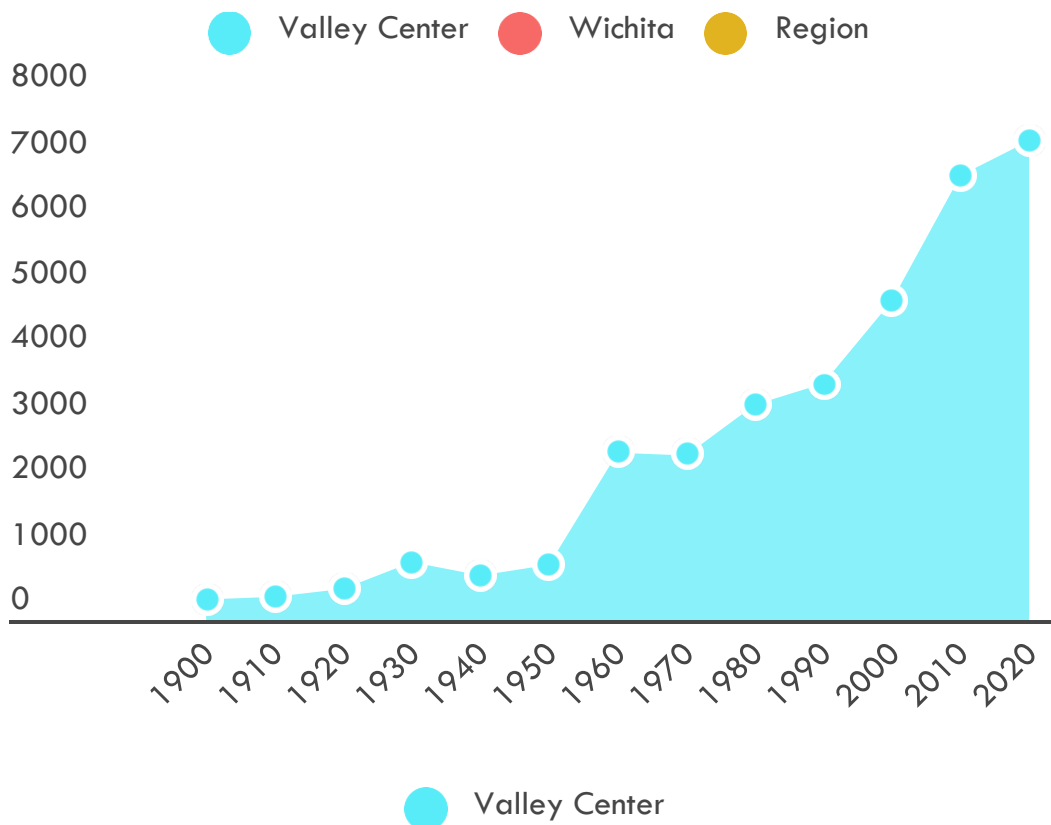
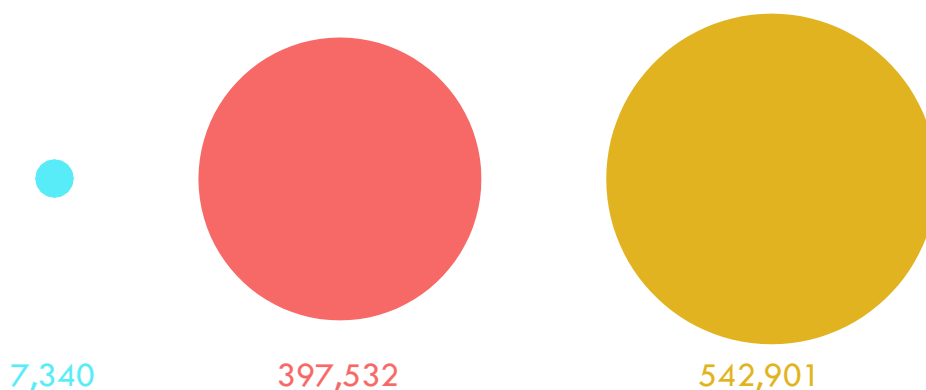
● Sedgwick



Valley Center

Incorporated 1885

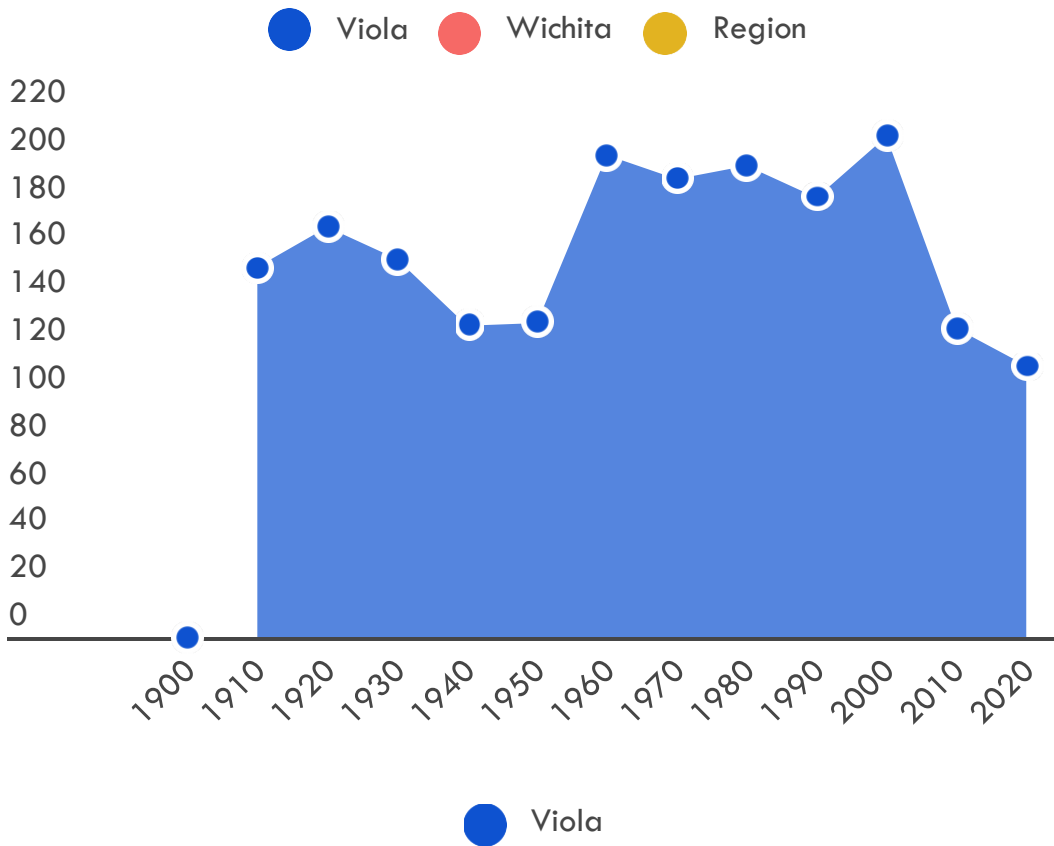
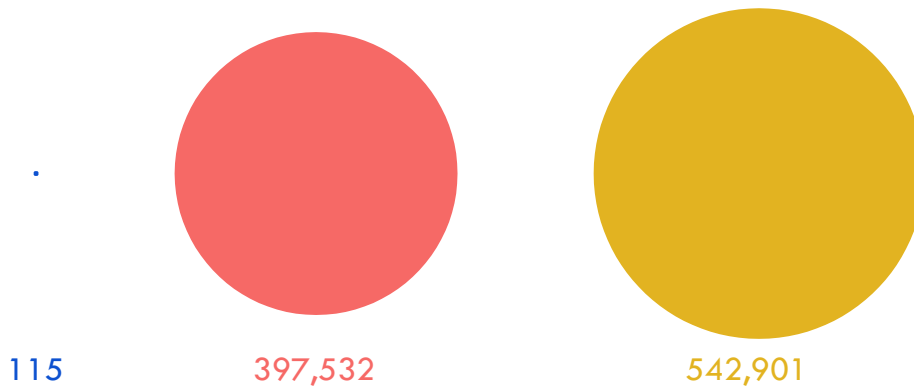
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Valley Center	343	381	486	896	700	854	2,570	2,551	3,300	3,624	4,883	6,822	7,340



Viola

Incorporated 1909

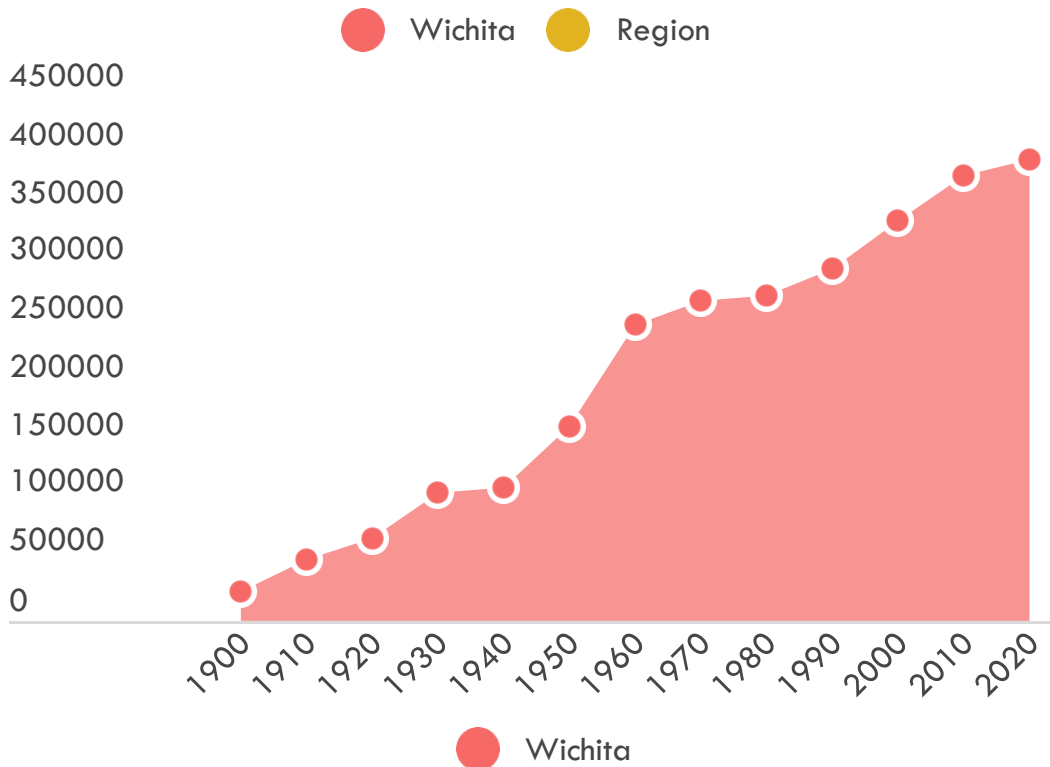
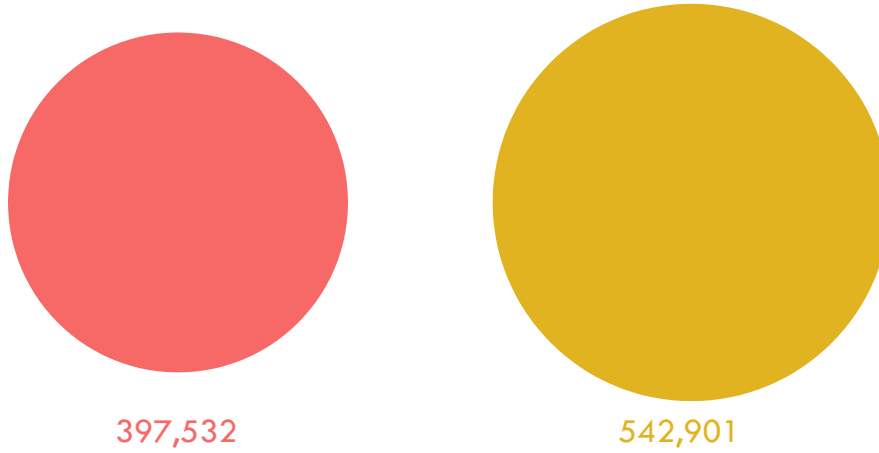
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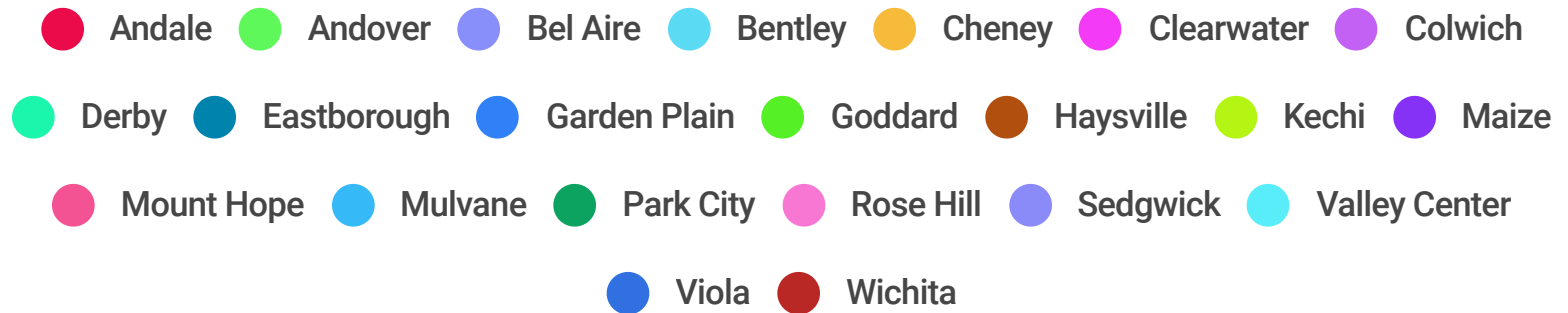
Wichita

Incorporated 1870

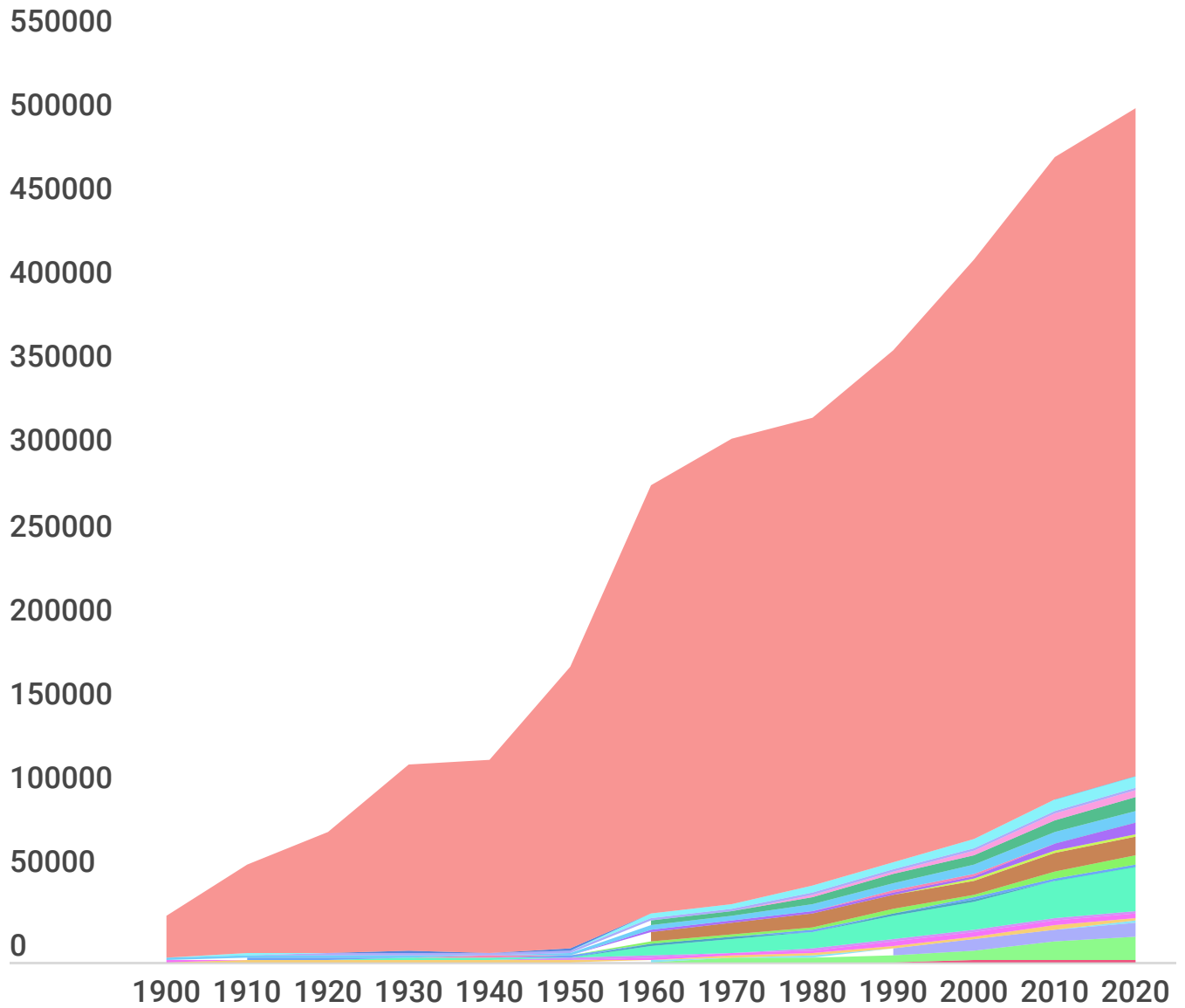
Population	1900	1910	1920	1930	1940	1950	
Wichita	24,671	52,450	72,217	111,110	114,966	168,279	
	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2020
	254,698	276,554	279,272	304,011	344,284	382,368	397,532



Combined



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- Colwich ● Derby ● Eastborough ● Garden Plain ● Goddard
- Haysville ● Kechi ● Maize ● Mount Hope ● Mulvane ● Park City
- Rose Hill ● Sedgwick ● Valley Center ● Viola ● Wichita



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Andale		237	259	255	289	316	432	500	538	566	766	928	941
Andover							186	1,880	2,801	4,047	6,698	11,791	14,892
Bel Aire										3,695	5,836	6,769	8,262
Bentley							204	260	311	360	368	530	560
Cheney	429	734	636	669	714	777	1,101	1,160	1,404	1,560	1,783	2,094	2,181
Clearwater	368	569	647	669	591	647	1,073	1,435	1,684	1,875	2,178	2,481	2,653
Colwich	225	258	262	260	284	339	703	879	935	1,091	1,229	1,327	1,455
Derby		235	247	294	256	432	6,458	7,947	9,786	14,699	17,807	22,158	25,625
Eastborough					312	708	1,001	1,141	854	896	826	773	756
Garden Plain		296	361	336	323	323	560	678	775	731	797	849	948
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