



Crete, Illinois.

Current market data.

10 cards. Every number sourced and dated. Data as of Oct 30, 2026.

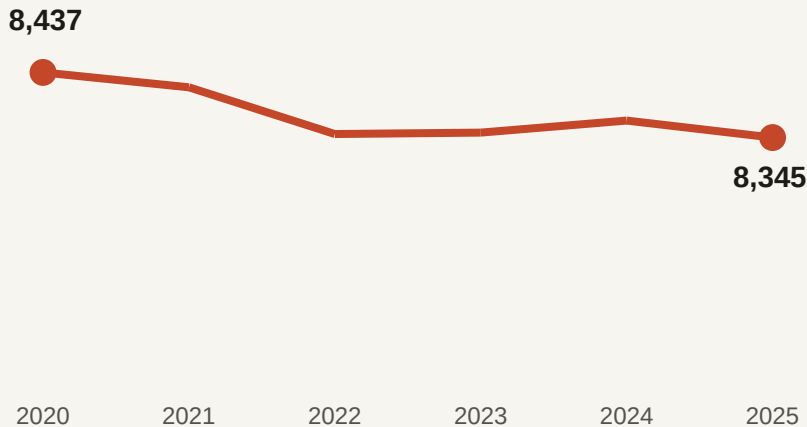


POPULATION

Down 1.1% since 2020.

8,345

people, the 256th-largest of Illinois's cities and towns.



THE WORKDAY

9 in 10 jobs here go to
people who live somewhere
else.

93.6%

of 2,917 jobs located in Crete are filled by in-commuters.



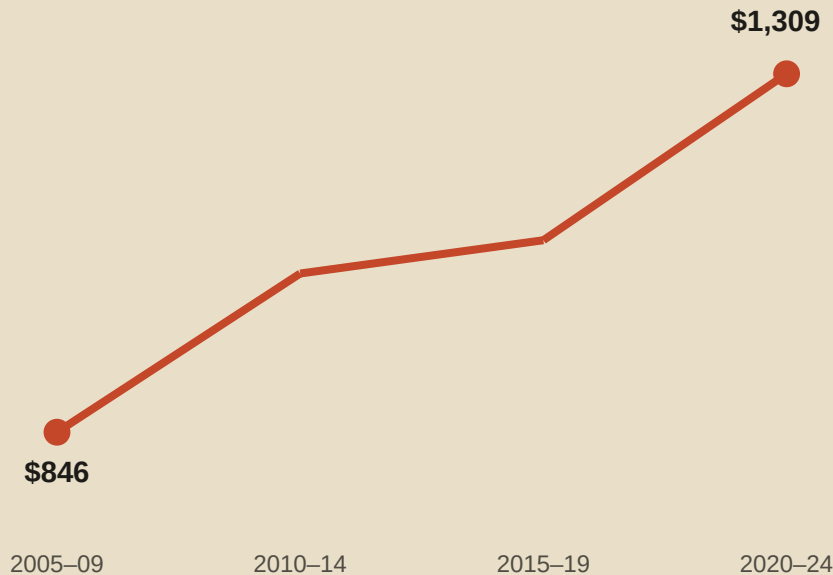
Each dot is 1% of jobs. Filled: held by in-commuters.

RENT

Median rent is up 55%
since the 2005–2009
survey, before inflation.

\$1,309

a month. Illinois's median is \$1,274.





THE SEAM

Cross one tract line and median rent doubles.

A \$1,976 gap between neighbors, the sharpest rent edge between adjacent tracts in Will County.

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\$1,525

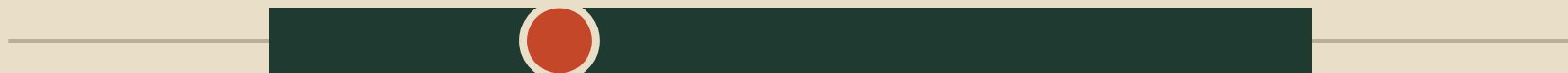
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\$3,501

ROOM TO BUILD

The median rent sits inside what local wages can carry.

\$1,149–\$1,723



\$1,309 median

is the monthly rent range local workforce wages support.

BUILDING

Most of the housing here is older than 2000.

30

homes permitted in ten years,
2016–2025

0%

of those were in multifamily
buildings

89%

of all homes were built before 2000

UNITS NEEDED

Closing the gap would add 0.1–0.8% to the 3,481 homes here.

3–29

is the estimated number of missing housing units, from the lowest to the highest of three estimates.



HOME VALUE

A median home costs 13%
less than Illinois's.

\$228,500

median home value in Crete.

Crete



\$228,500

Illinois



\$263,300

U.S.



\$332,700

THAT WAS CRETE'S 2026

Every number came from a public source, with its date.

New Census data usually lands in December. The next Edition follows it.

See this Edition at almanacdata.ai/e/il/crete/

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