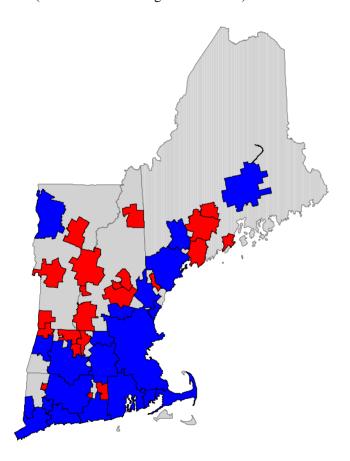
## 2000 Metropolitan and Micropolitan NECTAs

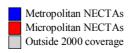
(2000 NECTA coverage = 894 MCDs)



SOURCE: Department of Commerce Census Bureau

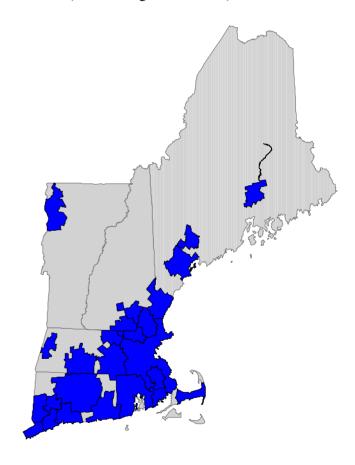
NOTE: Areas in New England are MCD-based under the 1990 standards but county-based under the 2000 standards.

NECTAs are alternative areas within the 2000 standards.



## 1990 Metropolitan Areas in New England

(1990 coverage = 578 MCDs)



Metropolitan Areas (MSAs/PMSAs)
Outside 1990 coverage