

Table 16.09-- RADIO AND TELEVISION BROADCASTING STATIONS IN OPERATION, 1925 TO 2009, AND BY COUNTY, 2009

Date and county	Commercial			Public or educational		
	AM	FM	TV 1/	AM	FM	TV 1/
1925: January 1	2	-	-	-	-	-
1930: January 1	1	-	-	-	-	-
1935: January 1	2	-	-	-	-	-
1940: January 1	3	-	-	-	-	-
1945: January 1	4	-	-	-	-	-
1950: June 7	12	-	-	-	-	-
1955: January 1	13	1	3	-	1	-
1960: January 1	17	1	7	-	2	-
1965: January 1	23	2	10	-	-	-
1970: January 1	25	4	10	-	1	2
1975: January 1	26	5	10	-	1	2
1980: January 1	25	10	10	-	1	2
1985: June 30	26	17	13	-	2	2
1990: June 30	28	21	19	-	3	2
1995: June 30	29	33	20	1	3	2
2000	28	40	23	1	7	2
2001	28	40	23	1	7	2
2002	31	45	23	1	8	2
2005: June 14	32	46	25	-	9	2
2006: June 20	31	45	25	-	10	2
2007: June 19	31	47	25	-	11	2
2008: June 16	31	53	25	-	11	2
2009: June 2	32	56	13	-	11	1
COUNTY: 2009						
Hawaii	7	17	4	-	3	-
Maui	4	13	-	-	1	-
Honolulu	19	19	9	-	4	1
Kauai	2	7	-	-	3	-

1/ Includes licensed stations that are digital television.

Source: Robert C. Schmitt, *Historical Statistics of Hawaii* (University Press of Hawaii, 1977), p. 482; Federal Communications Commission, Field Operations Bureau, Honolulu, records; R.R. Bowker, *Working Press of the Nation*, Vol. 3, TV & Radio Directory, annual (for 2000-2002) and Federal Communications Commission, Media Bureau, Internet Queries (for 2005-09), <<http://www.fcc.gov/mb/>> accessed June 2, 2009.