

II. Demographic Profile

Overview

This Demographic Profile provides an in-depth analysis of the population in Mecklenburg County. Most of the data is produced by the U.S. Census Bureau, and includes demographic characteristics such as age, race/ethnicity, and gender.



Related Terms and Definitions

Ability to speak English

For people who speak a language other than English at home, the response represents the person's own perception of his or her ability to speak English. Because census questionnaires are usually completed by one household member, the responses may represent the perception of another household member.

Age

The age classification is based on the age of the person in complete years as of April 1, 2010. The age of the person usually was derived from their date of birth information. Their reported age was used only when date of birth information was unavailable.

Gender

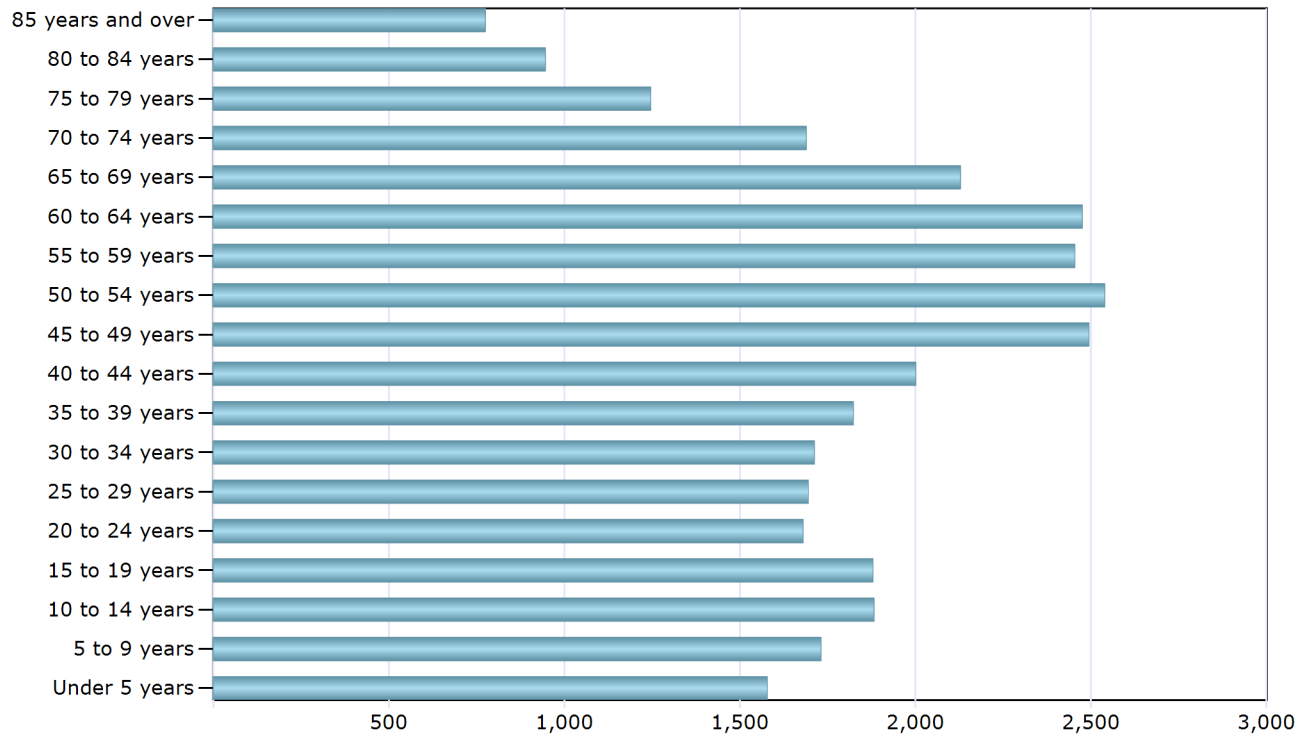
The data on gender were derived from answers to a question that was asked of all people. Individuals were asked to mark either "male" or "female" to indicate their gender. For most cases in which gender was not reported, it was determined by the appropriate entry from the person's given (i.e., first) name and household relationship. Otherwise, gender was imputed according to the relationship to the householder and the age of the person.

Race

The concept of race as used by the Census Bureau reflects self-identification by people according to the race or races with which they most closely identify. The categories are sociopolitical constructs and should not be interpreted as being scientific or anthropological in nature. Furthermore, the race categories include both racial and national-origin groups.

Please note: In the past, our population by race/ethnicity data has always excluded the Hispanic ethnicity from each race category. Starting in January 2013, each race category now includes all ethnicities.

Population by Age



	Mecklenburg County	Virginia	United States
Under 5 years	1,578	509,625	20,201,362
5 to 9 years	1,731	511,849	20,348,657
10 to 14 years	1,882	511,246	20,677,194
15 to 19 years	1,879	550,965	22,040,343
20 to 24 years	1,680	572,091	21,585,999
25 to 29 years	1,695	564,342	21,101,849
30 to 34 years	1,712	526,077	19,962,099
35 to 39 years	1,823	540,063	20,179,642
40 to 44 years	2,001	568,865	20,890,964
45 to 49 years	2,494	621,155	22,708,591
50 to 54 years	2,539	592,845	22,298,125
55 to 59 years	2,454	512,595	19,664,805
60 to 64 years	2,475	442,369	16,817,924
65 to 69 years	2,128	320,302	12,435,263
70 to 74 years	1,689	229,502	9,278,166
75 to 79 years	1,246	173,929	7,317,795
80 to 84 years	946	130,801	5,743,327
85 years and over	775	122,403	5,493,433
	32,727	8,001,024	308,745,538

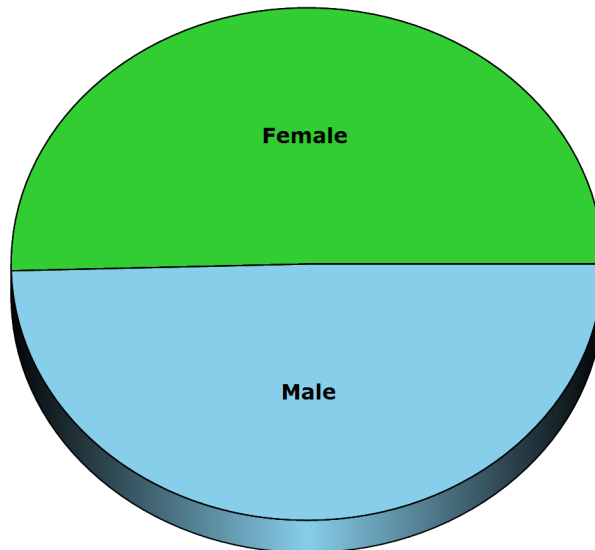
Source: 2010 Census.

Population by Race/Ethnicity

	Mecklenburg County	Virginia	United States
Total			
Total Population	32,727	8,001,024	308,745,538
Race			
White	19,619	5,486,852	223,553,265
Black or African American	12,050	1,551,399	38,929,319
American Indian or Alaska Native	75	29,225	2,932,248
Asian	218	439,890	14,674,252
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	11	5,980	540,013
Other	275	254,278	19,107,368
Multiple Races	479	233,400	9,009,073
Ethnicity			
Not Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	31,921	7,369,199	258,267,944
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	806	631,825	50,477,594

Source: 2010 Census.

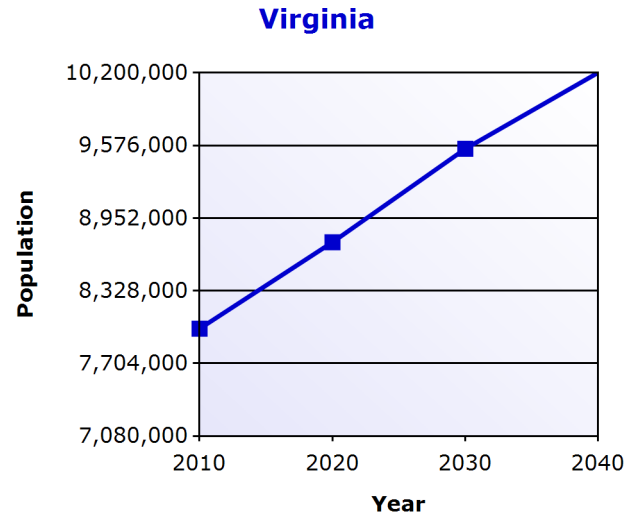
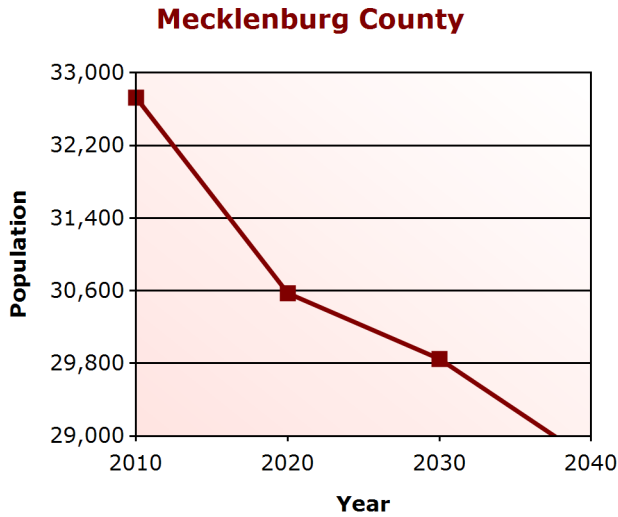
Population by Gender



	Mecklenburg County	Virginia	United States
Male	16,225	3,925,983	151,781,326
Female	16,502	4,075,041	156,964,212
	32,727	8,001,024	308,745,538

Source: 2010 Census.

Population Change



	Mecklenburg County	(% change)	Number Change	Virginia	(% change)
2000	32,380			7,079,030	
2010	32,727	1.07 %		8,001,024	13.02 %
2020	30,572	-6.58 %		8,744,273	9.29 %
2030	29,848	-2.37 %		9,546,958	9.18 %
2040	28,727	-3.76 %		10,201,530	6.86 %

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Weldon Cooper Center for Public Service.

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Number Change

Population Projections by Age and Gender

	2020		2030		2040	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
Under 5 years	645	700	629	682	610	662
5 to 9 years	694	719	679	703	665	689
10 to 14 years	797	782	769	754	766	751
15 to 19 years	741	830	684	766	683	766
20 to 24 years	625	769	593	730	584	719
25 to 29 years	683	862	646	816	609	769
30 to 34 years	708	899	664	844	644	818
35 to 39 years	743	781	766	805	740	778
40 to 44 years	739	816	785	866	752	830
45 to 49 years	822	860	778	814	819	857
50 to 54 years	963	939	846	826	918	895
55 to 59 years	1,247	1,153	951	880	919	850
60 to 64 years	1,350	1,244	1,144	1,055	1,027	947
65 to 69 years	1,398	1,230	1,370	1,205	1,060	932
70 to 74 years	1,222	1,061	1,290	1,120	1,100	955
75 to 79 years	951	661	1,162	808	1,126	783
80 to 84 years	622	385	825	511	865	536
85 years and over	650	281	755	326	909	393
	15,600	14,972	15,336	14,511	14,796	13,930
	30,572		29,847		28,726	

Source: Weldon Cooper Center for Public Service.

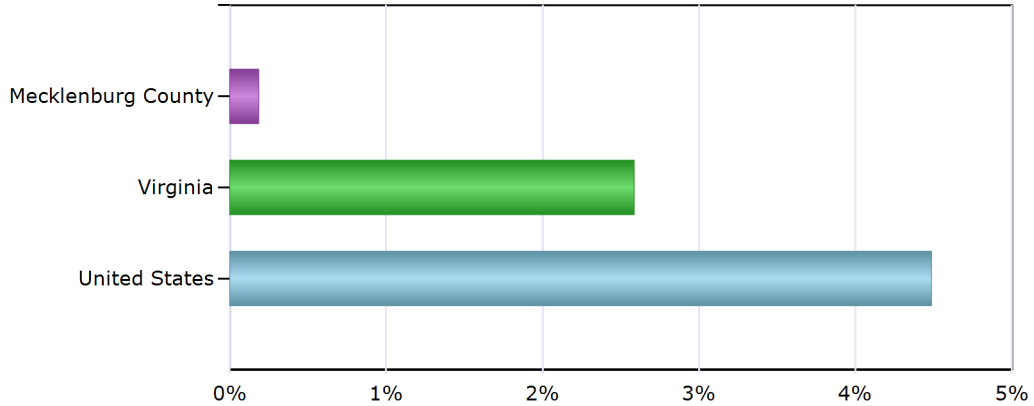
Population Projections by Race/Ethnicity

	2020	2030	2040
Total			
Total Population	30,572	29,848	28,727
Race			
White	17,713	17,479	16,651
Black or African American	10,835	9,751	8,569
Asian	283	366	475
Other	640	744	866
Ethnicity			
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	1,100	1,508	2,166

Source: Weldon Cooper Center for Public Service.

English Language Skills

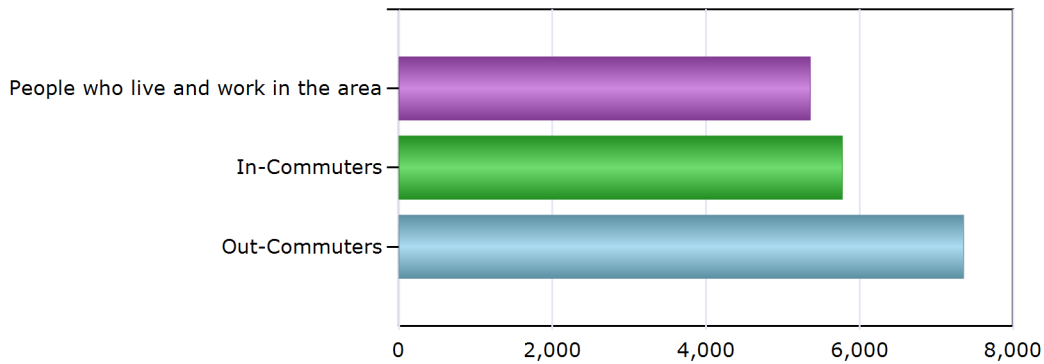
(Age 5 and over that speak English less than well)



	Total	Speak English less than well	Percent
Mecklenburg County	29,791	55	0.18%
Virginia	7,800,044	201,628	2.58%
United States	298,691,202	13,400,003	4.49%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau
American Community Survey, 2012-2016.

Commuting Patterns



Commuting Patterns	
People who live and work in the area	5,357
In-Commuters	5,774
Out-Commuters	7,354
Net In-Commuters (In-Commuters minus Out-Commuters)	-1,580

Source: U.S. Census Bureau,
OnTheMap Application and LEHD Origin-Destination Employment Statistics, 2014.