

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

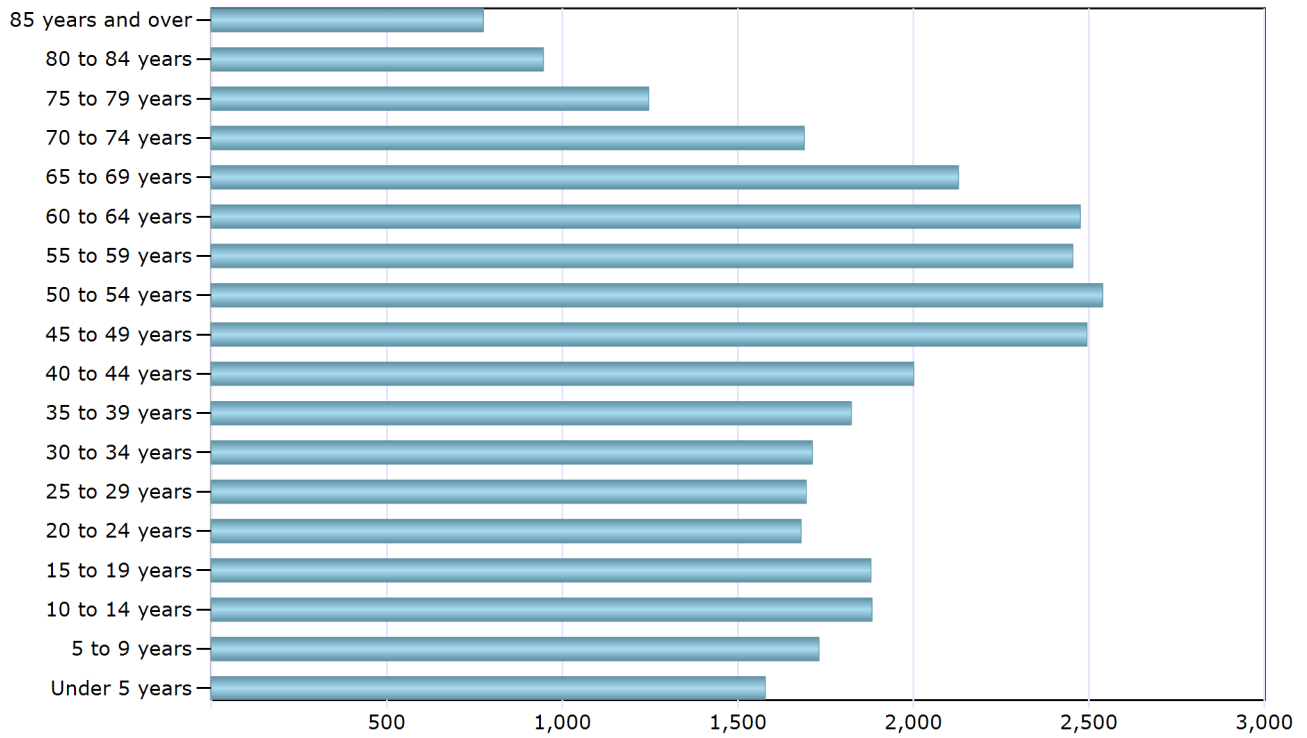
The data on gender were derived from answers to a question that was asked of all people. Individuals were asked to mark either "male" or "female" to indicate their gender. For most cases in which gender was not reported, it was determined by the appropriate entry from the person's given (i.e., first)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

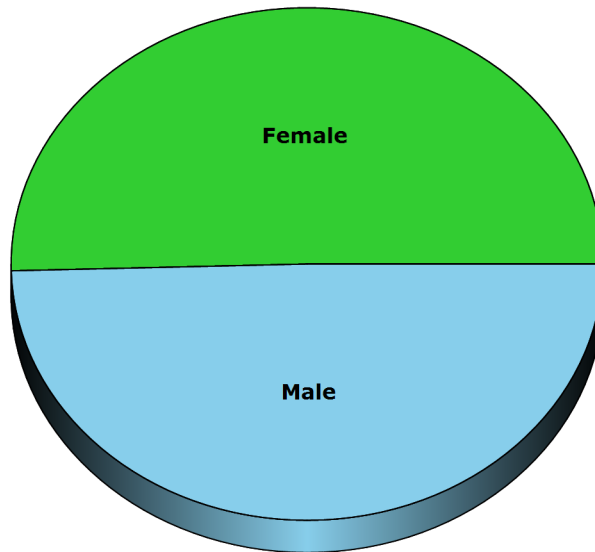
Source: 2010 Census.

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.

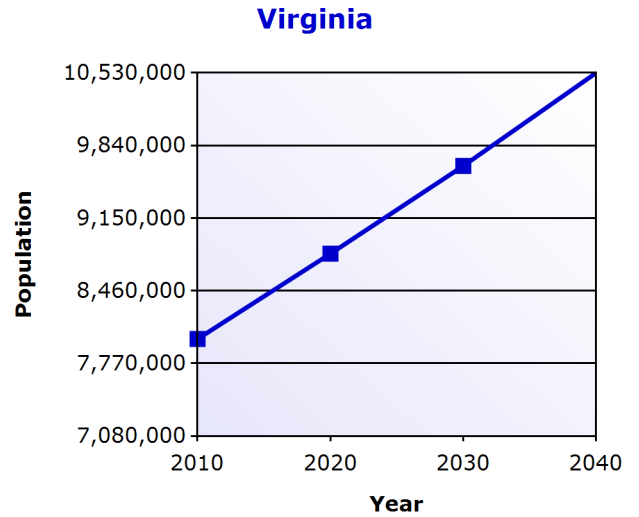
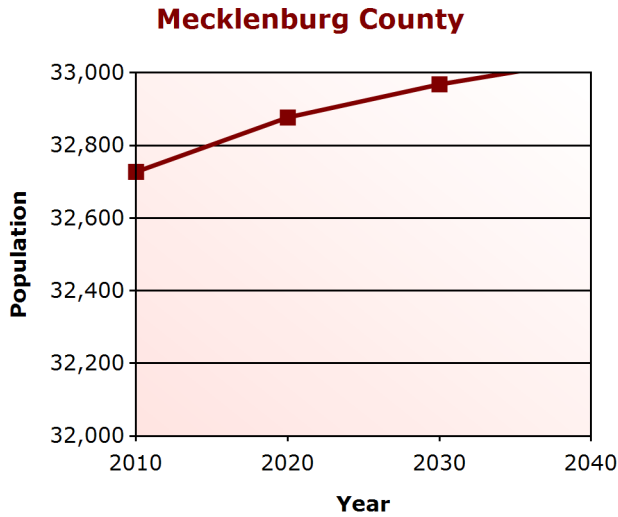
Population by Gender



	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)	Virginia	(% change)
2000	32,380		7,079,030	
2010	32,727	1.07 %	8,001,024	13.02 %
2020	32,877	0.46 %	8,811,512	10.13 %
2030	32,968	0.28 %	9,645,281	9.46 %
2040	33,037	0.21 %	10,530,229	9.17 %

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Virginia Employment Commission.

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Population Projections by Age and Gender

	2020		2030		2040	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
Under 5 years	708	768	692	751	677	734
5 to 9 years	773	801	768	796	757	785
10 to 14 years	888	871	851	835	859	842
15 to 19 years	810	908	755	846	774	867
20 to 24 years	672	827	643	792	636	783
25 to 29 years	754	953	707	893	680	859
30 to 34 years	802	1,020	734	932	725	921
35 to 39 years	885	930	914	960	884	928
40 to 44 years	836	923	912	1,007	861	950
45 to 49 years	920	962	939	982	1,000	1,046
50 to 54 years	1,073	1,047	967	944	1,088	1,062
55 to 59 years	1,447	1,338	1,119	1,035	1,178	1,090
60 to 64 years	1,506	1,388	1,289	1,188	1,198	1,104
65 to 69 years	1,365	1,201	1,587	1,396	1,267	1,115
70 to 74 years	1,181	1,026	1,415	1,229	1,250	1,085
75 to 79 years	884	615	1,092	759	1,311	911
80 to 84 years	588	365	787	488	974	604
85 years and over	590	255	672	291	860	372
	16,682	16,198	16,843	16,124	16,979	16,058
	32,880		32,967		33,037	

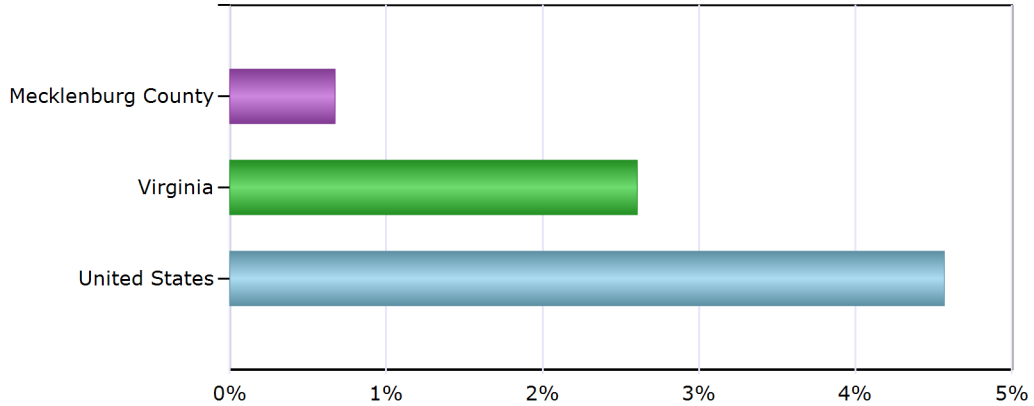
Source: Virginia Employment Commission.

Population Projections by Race/Ethnicity

	2020	2030	2040
Total			
Total Population	32,877	32,968	33,037
Race			
White	18,978	18,052	16,996
Black or African American	12,296	12,391	12,160
Asian	353	552	848
Other	1,250	1,973	3,033
Ethnicity			
Not Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	31,500	30,645	29,441
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	1,378	2,324	3,595

Source: Virginia Employment Commission.

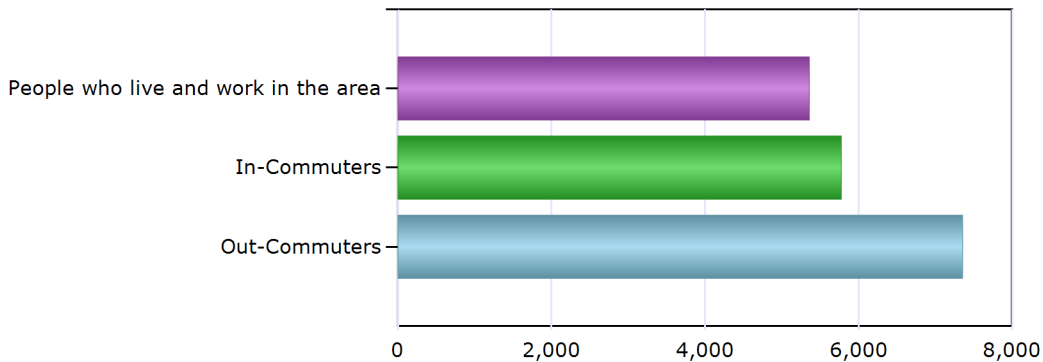
English Language Skills (Age 5 and over that speak English less than well)



	Total	Speak English less than well	Percent
Mecklenburg County	30,465	205	0.67%
Virginia	7,673,811	199,874	2.60%
United States	294,133,373	13,435,997	4.57%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau
American Community Survey, 2010-2014.

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.

Top 10 Places Residents are Commuting To

Area	Workers
Brunswick County, VA	584
Halifax County, VA	554
Henrico County, VA	436
Chesterfield County, VA	392
Richmond city, VA	382
Newport News city, VA	288
Granville County, NC	224
Chesapeake city, VA	217
Lunenburg County, VA	212
Charlotte County, VA	190

Top 10 Places Workers are Commuting From

Area	Workers
Brunswick County, VA	735
Lunenburg County, VA	583
Halifax County, VA	474
Charlotte County, VA	326
Buckingham County, VA	167
Chesterfield County, VA	167
Prince Edward County, VA	145
Granville County, NC	138
Warren County, NC	130
Vance County, NC	112

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

Please Note: Commuting patterns data is no longer produced from the Decennial Census. As an alternative, we are providing commuting data from the U.S. Census Bureau's OnTheMap application and LEHD Origin-Destination Employment Statistics program. Since this data is produced from an entirely different data set, it is not advisable to compare the new data with previously released commuting patterns. For more information about the OnTheMap application or the LEHD program, please visit the following website:

<http://lehd.ces.census.gov>