

COMMUNITY DATA compiled by the Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond**ALEXANDER COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA****2009****County State****DEMOGRAPHICS**

Total Population	36,278	9,045,705
18 years and over	27,925	6,839,619
65 years and over	4,975	1,121,070
Median age	39.9	36.6
Hispanic or Latino	1,217	633,220
Not Hispanic or Latino	35,061	8,412,485
White alone	32,036	6,100,974
Black alone	2,039	1,894,014
American Indian & Alaska Native alone	144	97,830
Asian alone	415	171,856
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	131	3,925
Foreign born	1,199	618,878
Language other than English	1,526	808,019

HOUSEHOLD STRUCTURE

Total households	13,139	3,541,807
Female householder, no husband present, family	1,172	457,857
With own children under 18 years	656	278,172
Householder living alone	3,734	979,493
65 years and over	1,361	313,248
Average household size	2.76	2.47

HOUSING

Total housing units	15,399	4,120,599
Occupied housing units	13,139	3,541,807
Vacant housing units	2,260	578,792
Owner-occupied housing Units	10,674	2,410,327
Renter-occupied housing Units	2,465	1,131,480
Homeowner vacancy rate	1.9	2.4
Rental vacancy rate	8.6	9.7

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

Population 25 years and over	25,105	5,940,248
Less than 9th grade	2,588	376,931
Percent high school graduate or higher	74.9%	83.0%
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	12.2%	25.8%
Percent graduate or professional degree	3.7%	8.5%

INCOME

Median household income (dollars)	41,520	45,069
Per capita income (dollars)	20,453	24,547
Percent all people whose income in the past 12 months is below the poverty level	14.8%	15.1%
Percent 18 years and over whose income in the past 12 months is below the poverty level	13.9%	13.2%
Percent 65 years and over whose income in the past 12 months is below the poverty level	18.2%	11.1%

Note: N/A - Data for this geographic area cannot be displayed because the number of sample cases is too small or not available.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2005-2009 American Community Survey

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