

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

Total Population	155,157	9,045,705
18 years and over	117,338	6,839,619
65 years and over	21,024	1,121,070
Median age	38.5	36.6
Hispanic or Latino	13,422	633,220
Not Hispanic or Latino	141,735	8,412,485
White alone	122,300	6,100,974
Black alone	12,133	1,894,014
American Indian & Alaska Native alone	226	97,830
Asian alone	4,577	171,856
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	12	3,925
Foreign born	11,724	618,878
Language other than English	15,862	808,019

HOUSEHOLD STRUCTURE

Total households	59,297	3,541,807
Female householder, no husband present, family	6,467	457,857
With own children under 18 years	3,357	278,172
Householder living alone	16,188	979,493
65 years and over	6,082	313,248
Average household size	2.58	2.47

HOUSING

Total housing units	67,084	4,120,599
Occupied housing units	59,297	3,541,807
Vacant housing units	7,787	578,792
Owner-occupied housing Units	43,151	2,410,327
Renter-occupied housing Units	16,146	1,131,480
Homeowner vacancy rate	1.6	2.4
Rental vacancy rate	8.8	9.7

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

Population 25 years and over	104,919	5,940,248
Less than 9th grade	7,773	376,931
Percent high school graduate or higher	79.8%	83.0%
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	19.0%	25.8%
Percent graduate or professional degree	5.4%	8.5%

INCOME

Median household income (dollars)	43,303	45,069
Per capita income (dollars)	22,789	24,547
Percent all people whose income in the past 12 months is below the poverty level	12.2%	15.1%
Percent 18 years and over whose income in the past 12 months is below the poverty level	10.6%	13.2%
Percent 65 years and over whose income in the past 12 months is below the poverty level	9.8%	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

Last updated June 2011.