

**COMMUNITY DATA compiled by the Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond****ALLEGHANY COUNTY, VIRGINIA****2000****County State****DEMOGRAPHICS**

Total Population	12,926	7,078,515
18 years and over	9,975	5,340,253
65 years and over	2,025	792,333
Median age	41.1	35.7
White Alone	12,454	5,120,110
Black or African-American Alone	317	1,390,293
American Indian and Alaska Native Alone	27	21,172
Asian Alone	31	261,025
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander Alone	2	3,946
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	47	329,540
Not Hispanic or Latino	12,879	6,748,975
Foreign born	112	570,279
Language other than English	261	735,191

**HOUSEHOLD STRUCTURE**

Total households	5,149	2,699,173
Female householder, no husband present, family	419	320,290
With own children under 18 years	214	186,591
Householder living alone	1,141	676,907
65 years and over	539	216,588
Average household size	2.46	2.54

**HOUSING**

Total housing units	5,812	2,904,192
Occupied housing units	5,149	2,699,173
Vacant housing units	663	205,019
Owner-occupied housing Units	4,369	1,837,939
Renter-occupied housing Units	780	861,234
Homeowner vacancy rate	1.1	1.5
Rental vacancy rate	6.1	5.2

**EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT**

Population 25 years and over	9,168	4,666,574
Less than 9th grade	882	338,184
Percent high school graduate or higher	77.5%	81.5%
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	13.6%	29.5%
Percent graduate or professional degree	4.0%	11.6%

**INCOME**

Median household income (dollars)	38,545	46,677
Per capita income (dollars)	19,635	23,975
Percent individuals below the poverty level in 1999	7.1%	9.6%
Percent 18 years and over below the poverty level in 1999	6.6%	8.7%
Percent 65 years and over below the poverty level in 1999	10.8%	9.5%

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, Census 2000 Summary File 1, Summary File 3, and Summary File 4.

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