

**COMMUNITY DATA compiled by the Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond**

**SALEM CITY, VIRGINIA**

**2008**

**County State**

**DEMOGRAPHICS**

Total Population	25,209	7,698,738
18 years and over	20,363	5,879,113
65 years and over	4,309	909,795
Median age	39.3	37.1
Hispanic or Latino	396	506,843
Not Hispanic or Latino	24,813	7,191,895
White alone	22,617	5,168,930
Black alone	1,579	1,488,640
American Indian & Alaska Native alone	52	17,295
Asian alone	196	365,728
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0	5,318
Foreign born	798	784,015
Language other than English	N/A	951,456

**HOUSEHOLD STRUCTURE**

Total households	9,881	2,931,657
Female householder, no husband present, family	1,358	354,651
With own children under 18 years	695	206,896
Householder living alone	3,167	803,096
65 years and over	1,410	249,461
Average household size	2.36	2.54

**HOUSING**

Total housing units	10,707	3,269,872
Occupied housing units	9,881	2,931,657
Vacant housing units	826	338,215
Owner-occupied housing Units	6,667	2,031,622
Renter-occupied housing Units	3,214	900,035
Homeowner vacancy rate	2.8	2.0
Rental vacancy rate	8.8	6.9

**EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT**

Population 25 years and over	16,896	5,108,315
Less than 9th grade	836	284,680
Percent high school graduate or higher	84.2%	85.7%
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	25.3%	33.2%
Percent graduate or professional degree	9.6%	13.6%

**INCOME**

Median household income (dollars)	46,656	61,044
Per capita income (dollars)	26,807	32,224
Percent all people whose income in the past 12 months is below the poverty level	11.2%	9.9%
Percent 18 years and over whose income in the past 12 months is below the poverty level	11.3%	8.9%
Percent 65 years and over whose income in the past 12 months is below the poverty level	4.9%	8.9%

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, 2006-2008 American Community Survey

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