

COMMUNITY DATA compiled by the Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond**ESSEX COUNTY, VIRGINIA****2009****County State****DEMOGRAPHICS**

Total Population	10,813	7,721,730
18 years and over	8,506	5,890,260
65 years and over	1,924	907,858
Median age	43.7	36.7
Hispanic or Latino	132	514,959
Not Hispanic or Latino	10,681	7,206,771
White alone	6,204	5,172,149
Black alone	4,228	1,491,362
American Indian & Alaska Native alone	67	17,948
Asian alone	20	369,180
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	11	5,307
Foreign born	173	780,635
Language other than English	210	951,157

HOUSEHOLD STRUCTURE

Total households	4,601	2,936,634
Female householder, no husband present, family	798	349,469
With own children under 18 years	413	203,656
Householder living alone	1,163	794,255
65 years and over	508	250,669
Average household size	2.3	2.54

HOUSING

Total housing units	5,655	3,264,058
Occupied housing units	4,601	2,936,634
Vacant housing units	1,054	327,424
Owner-occupied housing Units	3,443	2,030,965
Renter-occupied housing Units	1,158	905,669
Homeowner vacancy rate	3.1	1.8
Rental vacancy rate	2.4	6.9

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

Population 25 years and over	7,704	5,092,358
Less than 9th grade	581	282,123
Percent high school graduate or higher	82.0%	85.8%
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	17.6%	33.4%
Percent graduate or professional degree	4.3%	13.6%

INCOME

Median household income (dollars)	46,678	60,316
Per capita income (dollars)	24,244	31,606
Percent all people whose income in the past 12 months is below the poverty level	7.6%	10.1%
Percent 18 years and over whose income in the past 12 months is below the poverty level	7.0%	9.1%
Percent 65 years and over whose income in the past 12 months is below the poverty level	10.6%	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, 2005-2009 American Community Survey

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