

Population Overview, 2010-2050

County	Population								
	July 2010	July 2015	July 2020	July 2025	July 2030	July 2035	July 2040	July 2045	July 2050
Alamance	151,465	157,162	171,980	180,994	191,173	201,352	211,533	221,713	231,891
Alexander	37,183	36,590	36,372	35,864	35,874	35,883	35,890	35,900	35,906
Alleghany	11,120	10,915	10,867	10,810	10,811	10,811	10,812	10,811	10,811
Anson	26,777	24,599	22,030	21,652	21,495	21,418	21,380	21,359	21,349
Ashe	27,193	26,350	26,533	26,166	25,858	25,550	25,245	24,938	24,630
Avery	17,788	17,609	17,807	17,757	17,756	17,756	17,757	17,758	17,756
Beaufort	47,750	46,147	44,529	42,756	41,109	39,457	37,809	36,160	34,509
Bertie	21,197	19,537	17,865	16,994	16,293	15,588	14,886	14,180	13,474
Bladen	35,038	32,189	29,405	26,698	24,450	22,513	20,884	19,564	18,549
Brunswick	107,860	118,372	137,530	153,460	170,134	186,817	203,506	220,192	236,878
Buncombe	238,846	256,096	270,224	285,256	301,057	316,857	332,660	348,459	364,261
Burke	90,464	87,316	87,349	86,553	86,358	86,332	86,250	86,154	86,069
Cabarrus	178,757	199,455	227,304	250,018	274,779	298,261	322,564	346,497	370,497
Caldwell	82,940	81,110	80,526	79,696	79,568	79,541	79,535	79,533	79,536
Camden	10,000	9,984	10,379	10,789	11,038	11,178	11,260	11,305	11,331
Carteret	66,615	68,019	67,571	67,611	68,863	70,344	71,870	73,416	74,956
Caswell	23,727	23,120	22,680	22,279	21,926	21,577	21,227	20,882	20,538
Catawba	154,760	156,281	160,924	166,910	173,350	179,792	186,233	192,675	199,116
Chatham	63,836	69,102	76,597	82,834	89,290	95,745	102,200	108,656	115,109
Cherokee	27,415	27,344	28,708	29,721	30,813	31,906	33,001	34,094	35,187
Chowan	14,725	14,205	13,689	13,616	13,625	13,635	13,644	13,653	13,662
Clay	10,597	10,747	11,049	11,559	12,107	12,664	13,218	13,773	14,328
Cleveland	97,885	97,024	99,779	102,982	104,483	105,129	105,408	105,527	105,576
Columbus	57,855	54,489	50,240	45,707	41,283	36,858	32,433	28,008	23,584
Craven	104,123	102,048	100,534	99,475	99,173	99,051	99,007	98,987	98,981
Cumberland	327,275	329,843	334,776	334,788	334,926	334,953	334,955	334,958	334,959
Currituck	23,652	25,122	28,342	33,334	38,407	43,480	48,553	53,627	58,700
Dare	33,954	35,228	37,002	38,947	40,995	43,045	45,094	47,143	49,192
Davidson	162,803	163,650	169,180	174,605	180,509	186,415	192,318	198,223	204,128
Davie	41,231	41,207	42,822	45,164	47,537	49,914	52,288	54,664	57,042
Duplin	58,347	53,663	48,280	42,889	38,737	35,463	32,880	30,843	29,237
Durham	271,486	299,753	325,751	348,979	373,135	397,288	421,444	445,597	469,754
Edgecombe	56,498	52,420	48,728	45,990	43,403	40,817	38,231	35,645	33,059
Forsyth	351,434	366,725	383,274	398,304	416,043	434,122	452,266	470,428	488,592

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Franklin	60,765	62,638	68,908	76,971	85,231	93,489	101,748	110,006	118,264
Gaston	206,194	213,902	228,618	236,026	244,028	251,937	259,907	267,851	275,802
Gates	12,126	11,091	10,388	9,663	9,421	9,334	9,303	9,295	9,291
Graham	8,846	8,355	8,013	7,894	7,857	7,844	7,838	7,833	7,835
Granville	57,674	58,071	61,023	64,144	67,636	71,128	74,620	78,111	81,601
Greene	21,240	20,685	20,423	20,352	20,353	20,352	20,352	20,353	20,353
Guilford	489,672	517,510	542,255	569,077	595,602	621,989	648,361	674,736	701,109
Halifax	54,411	51,003	48,401	46,081	43,898	41,715	39,533	37,349	35,167
Harnett	115,693	125,704	133,834	142,008	153,534	163,804	174,361	184,939	195,461
Haywood	58,895	59,805	62,114	63,962	65,988	68,012	70,039	72,063	74,089
Henderson	106,848	110,946	116,495	122,496	129,310	136,152	142,996	149,839	156,681
Hertford	24,716	23,419	21,357	18,365	17,191	16,498	16,089	15,849	15,708
Hoke	47,446	50,663	52,007	54,517	58,032	61,918	65,957	70,067	74,204
Hyde	5,796	5,262	4,565	4,249	3,972	3,705	3,449	3,209	2,980
Iredell	159,854	171,279	187,694	206,348	225,538	244,727	263,918	283,107	302,297
Jackson	40,354	41,186	43,109	43,576	44,164	44,752	45,341	45,929	46,517
Johnston	169,781	185,945	217,723	246,695	271,133	294,490	317,631	340,735	363,827
Jones	10,119	9,795	9,114	8,499	8,191	8,032	7,949	7,907	7,884
Lee	57,913	59,395	63,576	67,578	71,503	75,424	79,349	83,268	87,192
Lenoir	59,436	57,171	55,046	54,102	53,310	52,522	51,735	50,947	50,158
Lincoln	78,083	80,110	87,155	91,564	97,974	103,464	109,427	115,151	120,995
Macon	33,967	34,895	37,102	38,968	40,935	42,902	44,869	46,838	48,805
Madison	20,766	21,129	21,173	21,468	21,823	22,178	22,533	22,888	23,242
Martin	24,482	23,199	21,933	20,978	20,085	19,192	18,300	17,409	16,517
McDowell	45,053	44,462	44,511	44,206	44,207	44,208	44,206	44,205	44,208
Mecklenburg	923,344	1,035,479	1,118,182	1,221,906	1,324,258	1,427,325	1,530,730	1,634,201	1,737,661
Mitchell	15,504	15,054	14,902	14,668	14,479	14,297	14,120	13,948	13,784
Montgomery	27,659	26,447	25,730	25,712	25,714	25,716	25,715	25,715	25,714
Moore	88,517	92,545	100,126	108,518	117,189	125,815	134,400	142,939	151,438
Nash	95,782	93,505	95,027	95,731	96,151	96,333	96,411	96,449	96,462
New Hanover	203,092	215,383	225,730	239,663	254,790	269,914	285,043	300,168	315,294
Northampton	21,961	19,731	17,248	15,930	14,956	13,980	13,003	12,028	11,052
Onslow	186,891	193,610	204,842	215,776	227,376	238,970	250,566	262,165	273,761
Orange	134,010	141,265	149,013	156,181	163,718	171,201	178,629	186,004	193,327
Pamlico	13,082	12,611	12,250	11,777	11,338	10,901	10,462	10,023	9,584
Pasquotank	40,635	39,637	40,611	41,256	41,556	41,675	41,720	41,740	41,746

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Pender	52,333	55,984	60,325	64,950	69,689	74,426	79,163	83,900	88,638
Perquimans	13,457	13,255	12,966	12,595	12,460	12,406	12,387	12,378	12,375
Person	39,374	38,793	39,082	39,113	39,201	39,259	39,298	39,322	39,334
Pitt	168,567	169,452	170,059	172,501	179,716	189,006	199,144	209,633	220,264
Polk	20,413	19,687	19,219	18,529	18,413	18,393	18,388	18,387	18,388
Randolph	141,958	142,252	144,359	147,395	150,796	154,194	157,591	160,990	164,388
Richmond	46,586	44,392	42,740	41,702	40,785	39,867	38,951	38,032	37,116
Robeson	134,066	125,709	115,863	107,136	100,362	94,918	90,540	87,004	84,143
Rockingham	93,648	91,438	91,157	91,113	91,116	91,117	91,116	91,115	91,117
Rowan	138,417	141,388	147,281	150,169	155,442	159,303	164,010	168,321	172,736
Rutherford	67,621	65,339	64,286	64,657	65,517	66,361	67,193	68,013	68,821
Sampson	63,406	61,328	58,838	57,011	56,115	55,630	55,369	55,228	55,150
Scotland	36,028	35,063	34,039	32,147	30,297	28,451	26,605	24,757	22,911
Stanly	60,533	60,316	62,524	62,678	63,606	64,537	65,465	66,393	67,323
Stokes	47,267	45,341	44,464	44,202	44,156	44,141	44,135	44,134	44,134
Surry	73,716	71,337	71,345	71,074	71,006	70,937	70,868	70,800	70,733
Swain	13,998	14,693	14,082	14,100	14,228	14,375	14,528	14,682	14,834
Transylvania	33,033	32,655	32,908	33,277	34,019	34,759	35,501	36,238	36,981
Tyrrell	4,404	4,021	3,134	2,994	2,871	2,750	2,633	2,523	2,418
Union	202,100	219,119	239,266	263,047	293,049	324,464	356,261	388,159	420,082
Vance	45,212	43,428	42,433	41,435	41,204	41,148	41,133	41,131	41,131
Wake	907,514	1,020,921	1,134,824	1,256,524	1,387,427	1,518,343	1,649,259	1,780,174	1,911,091
Warren	20,940	19,927	18,590	17,539	16,754	16,137	15,660	15,306	15,055
Washington	13,087	11,915	10,934	10,256	9,693	9,256	8,927	8,691	8,542
Watauga	50,900	52,331	53,909	57,269	59,284	61,449	64,159	66,769	69,258
Wayne	122,672	120,823	116,989	114,150	113,032	112,530	112,305	112,205	112,160
Wilkes	69,157	67,340	65,827	64,021	62,490	61,109	59,941	59,045	58,483
Wilson	81,190	79,167	78,648	78,207	79,232	80,711	82,355	84,059	85,788
Yadkin	38,410	37,259	37,187	36,970	36,947	36,945	36,943	36,943	36,944
Yancey	17,797	17,766	18,491	18,941	19,444	19,950	20,454	20,958	21,460
STATE	9,571,007	9,968,747	10,456,593	10,963,764	11,527,150	12,094,279	12,669,133	13,245,876	13,824,955

Source: North Carolina OSBM, Standard Population Estimates, Vintage 2020 and Population Projections, Vintage 2021

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