

County Profile

Lincoln County (NC)

January 2018

Demographics

Population & Growth

2015 Est Population
2010 Census Total Population
July 2015 Certified Population Estimate (NC only)

Population

79,578
78,265
81,397

% Annual Growth

0.7%
0.2%

Urban/Rural Representation

2010 Census Total Population: Urban
2010 Census Total Population: Rural

35,569
42,696

Urban/Rural Percent

45.5%
54.6%

Estimated Population by Age

2015 Est Median Age
2015 Est Total Pop 0-19
2015 Est Total Pop 20-24
2015 Est Total Pop 25-34
2015 Est Total Pop 35-44
2015 Est Total Pop 45-54
2015 Est Total Pop 55-64
2015 Est Total Pop 65+

42
19,492
4,611
8,172
11,185
12,845
11,252
12,021

% Pop by Age

24.5%
5.8%
10.3%
14.1%
16.1%
14.2%
15.1%

Commuters, Workers Age 16 and Over, 2015 Est

Percent of Workers, By Travel Time

Avg Travel Time, Minutes 29.6
Workers Not Working at Home 36,110
Travel Time to Work: < 10 minutes 10.9%
Travel Time to Work: 10-14 minutes 10.5%
Travel Time to Work: 15-19 minutes 12.1%
Travel Time to Work: 20-24 minutes 11.6%
Travel Time to Work: 25-29 minutes 6.0%
Travel Time to Work: 30-34 minutes 16.4%
Travel Time to Work: 35-44 minutes 10.2%
Travel Time to Work: 45-59 minutes 14.4%
Travel Time to Work: 60+ minutes 7.9%

Workers, By Transportation

Worker Transp, Base 36,110
Work at Home 4.5%
Drove Car/Truck/Van Alone 83.8%
Carpooled Car/Truck/Van 9.8%
Public Transportation 0.2%
Walked 0.8%
Other Transportation 0.8%

Place of Work

Worked in State/County of Residence
Worked in State/Outside County of Residence
Worked Outside State of Residence

Commuters

15,869
19,508
733

Residents

43.9%
54.0%
2.0%

Education

2016-17 Kindergarten-12th Enrollment
2017 Average SAT score (1600 new scale)
2017 Percent of Graduates taking SAT
2014-15 Higher Education Completions
2014-15 Higher Education Total Enrollment
2015 Est Education Attainment - At Least High School Graduate
2015 Est Education Attainment - At Least Bachelor's Degree

13,329
1,092
36.2%
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45,993
11,198

Pop Age 25+

82.9%
20.2%

Housing

		% Ann Growth or % Total
2015 Est Total Housing Units	33,864	0.3%
2010 Census Total Housing	30,343	
2010 Census Total Households	33,641	
2010 Census Occupied Housing	27,045	89.1%
2010 Census Vacant Housing	3,298	10.9%
2015 Est Median Value of Owner Occupied Housing	\$153,200	
2015 Est Median Gross Rent	\$671	
2015 Est Owner Occupied Housing	23,191	77.1%
2015 Est Renter Occupied Housing	6,897	22.9%
2015 Est Owner Occupied Housing Vacancy	1.4%	
2015 Est Renter Occupied Housing Vacancy	5.3%	

Income

		% Ann Growth or % Pov
2015 Est Median Family Income	\$60,810	2.8%
2015 Median Household Income (SAIPE)	\$49,343	(0.7%)
2015 Est Median Worker Earnings	\$31,093	
2016 Per Capita Income (BEA)	\$40,591	
2015 Est Total Pop with Income Below Poverty Level, Last 12 months	12,243	15.5%

Employment / Unemployment

	Currently	2016 Annual
Nov 2017 Prelim., 2016 Employment	41,187	40,011
Nov 2017 Prelim., 2016 Unemployment	1,702	1,951
Nov 2017 Prelim., 2016 Unemployment Rate	4.0%	4.6%
2017Q3 YTD, 2016 Announced Job Creation	.	295
2017Q3 YTD, 2016 Total Announced Investments (\$mil)	.	\$36.3

Employment / Wages by Industry

	2017Q2 Employment	2016 Annual Employment	2017Q2 Avg Weekly Wage	2016 Avg Weekly Wage
Total All Industries	22,470	22,336	\$729	\$727
Total Government	3,756	3,661	\$801	\$805
Total Private Industry	18,714	18,675	\$715	\$712
Agriculture Forestry Fishing & Hunting	0	0	.	.
Mining	0	0	.	.
Utilities	135	141	\$1,182	\$1,320
Construction	1,699	1,783	\$875	\$892
Manufacturing	4,611	4,476	\$970	\$968
Wholesale Trade	842	739	\$1,115	\$1,163
Retail Trade	2,996	2,956	\$491	\$481
Transportation and Warehousing	687	658	\$820	\$814
Information	112	113	\$1,103	\$1,009
Finance and Insurance	384	373	\$1,001	\$1,018
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	132	140	\$598	\$644
Professional and Technical Services	699	692	\$997	\$1,018
Mgt of Companies, Enterprises	48	43	\$1,015	\$1,081
Administrative and Waste Services	1,450	1,854	\$589	\$539
Educational Services	1,843	1,799	\$683	\$707
Health Care and Social Assistance	2,164	2,113	\$818	\$819
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	504	394	\$255	\$274
Accommodation and Food Services	2,165	2,098	\$274	\$270
Other Services Ex. Public Admin	546	548	\$564	\$548
Public Administration	191	189	\$793	\$812
Unclassified	0	0	\$0	\$0

Commercial/Retail/Industrial

Local Business

2017Q3 Available Industrial Buildings	8
2017Q2 Establishments: Total Private Industry	1,691
2017Q2 Establishments: Manufacturing	115
2015 Est Self Employed	2,108

Local Retail Business

2017 Total Retail Sales (With Food/Drink) (\$mil)	\$770.9
2017 Total Retail Businesses (With Food/Drink)	534
2017 Avg Sales/Business Total (with Food/Drink)	\$1,443,595
2017Q3 Available Commercial Buildings (if reported)	7

Quality of Life

Taxes

FY2017-18 Property Tax Rate per \$100 Value	\$0.6110
FY2016-17 Annual Taxable Retail Sales (\$mil)	\$741.6
2017 Tier designation	3

Childcare

2017Q4 Licensed Child Care Facilities	36
2017Q4 Licensed Child Care Enrollment	1,447

Weather

Annual Rainfall, inches	45
Annual Snowfall, inches	4
Average Annual Temperature, F	59
Average Annual High Temperature, F	71
Average Annual Low Temperature, F	48

Healthcare Providers

2016 Number of Physicians	84
2016 Physicians per 10,000 population	10.3
2016 RNs per 10,000 population	58.1
2016 Dentists per 10,000 population	3.4
2016 Pharmacists per 10,000 population	8.5

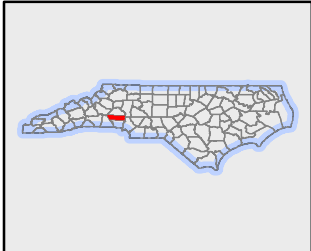
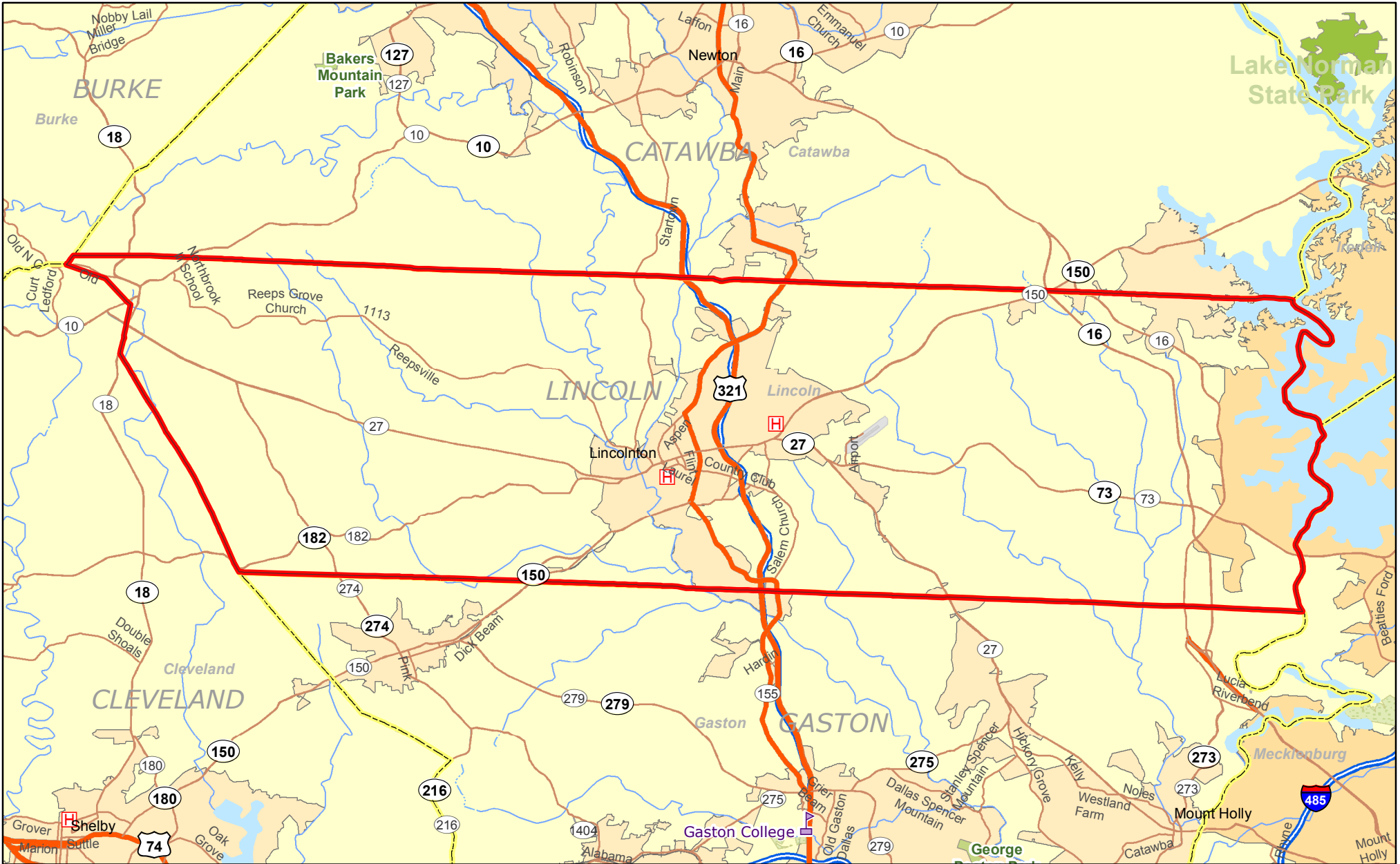
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Notes:

Data are the latest available at the date this profile was prepared. SAT scores use the new scoring system (2400 max) and represent NC county systems. Unemployment data are now showing preliminary month and subject to change. Some data may be available only for North Carolina. Census American Community Survey (ACS) data are estimates (Est) from the 2011-15, 5 year survey. ACS data is as of the end year with \$ inflated to the end year. Full datasets and topic dashboards are available at <http://AccessNC.NCCommerce.com>.

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Legend

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| Airports by Enplanements | | — Interstate |
| >14 | 3 - 14 | US Highway |
| < 3 (Million) | Pub/Pri Univ./Comm Col. | Major Road |
| Hospital | Railroads | County Boundary |

