

County Profile

Orange County (NC)

April 2018

Demographics

Population & Growth

2016 Est Population
2010 Census Total Population
July 2016 NC Certified Population Estimate

Population

139,807
133,801
140,853

% Annual Growth

0.8%
0.1%

Urban/Rural Representation

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

95,625
38,176

Urban/Rural Percent

71.5%
28.5%

Estimated Population by Age

2016 Est Median Age
2016 Est Total Pop 0-19
2016 Est Total Pop 20-24
2016 Est Total Pop 25-34
2016 Est Total Pop 35-44
2016 Est Total Pop 45-54
2016 Est Total Pop 55-64
2016 Est Total Pop 65+

34
36,822
17,413
17,556
16,658
18,587
17,077
15,694

% Pop by Age

26.4%
12.5%
12.6%
11.9%
13.3%
12.3%
11.2%

Commuters, Workers Age 16 and Over, 2016 Est

Percent of Workers, By Travel Time

Avg Travel Time, Minutes 22.2
Workers Not Working at Home 63,952
Travel Time to Work: < 10 minutes 12.1%
Travel Time to Work: 10-14 minutes 15.0%
Travel Time to Work: 15-19 minutes 18.2%
Travel Time to Work: 20-24 minutes 18.6%
Travel Time to Work: 25-29 minutes 8.1%
Travel Time to Work: 30-34 minutes 12.6%
Travel Time to Work: 35-44 minutes 6.6%
Travel Time to Work: 45-59 minutes 5.8%
Travel Time to Work: 60+ minutes 3.0%

Workers, By Transportation

Worker Transp, Base 69,700
Work at Home 8.2%
Drove Car/Truck/Van Alone 66.7%
Carpooled Car/Truck/Van 7.7%
Public Transportation 7.4%
Walked 6.8%
Bicycle 1.7%
Taxi, Motorcycle, Other 1.4%

Place of Work

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

Commuters

40,635
28,368
697

Residents

58.3%
40.7%
1.0%

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
2016 Est Education Attainment - At Least High School Graduate
2016 Est Education Attainment - At Least Bachelor's Degree

20,148
1,133
58.0%
9,352
63,734
79,051
49,369

Pop Age 25+

92.4%
57.7%

Housing

		% Ann Growth or % Total
2016 Est Total Housing Units	56,474	0.3%
2010 Census Total Housing	51,457	
2010 Census Total Households	55,597	
2010 Census Occupied Housing	47,317	92.0%
2010 Census Vacant Housing	4,140	8.0%
2016 Est Median Value of Owner Occupied Housing	\$281,700	
2016 Est Median Gross Rent	\$970	
2016 Est Owner Occupied Housing	31,658	61.2%
2016 Est Renter Occupied Housing	20,070	38.8%
2016 Est Owner Occupied Housing Vacancy	2.0%	
2016 Est Renter Occupied Housing Vacancy	5.9%	

Income

		% Ann Growth or % Pov
2016 Est Median Family Income	\$88,887	
2016 Median Household Income (SAIPE)	\$65,299	6.1%
2015 Est Median Worker Earnings	\$28,840	
2016 Per Capita Income (BEA)	\$58,438	
2015 Est Pop, Income Below Poverty Level (SAIPE)	17,049	12.8%

Employment / Unemployment

	Currently	2016 Annual
Feb 2018 Prelim., 2016 Employment	74,232	72,225
Feb 2018 Prelim., 2016 Unemployment	2,924	3,218
Feb 2018 Prelim., 2016 Unemployment Rate	3.8%	4.3%
2017Q4 YTD, 2017 Announced Job Creation	10	10
2017Q4 YTD, 2017 Total Announced Investments (\$mil)	\$3.7	\$3.7

Employment / Wages by Industry

	2017Q3 Employment	2016 Annual Employment	2017Q3 Avg Weekly Wage	2016 Avg Weekly Wage
Total All Industries	71,163	72,847	\$994	\$3,980
Total Government	34,975	37,165	\$1,158	\$4,551
Total Private Industry	36,188	35,682	\$835	\$3,386
Agriculture Forestry Fishing & Hunting
Mining
Utilities	.	258	.	\$4,940
Construction	1,878	1,706	\$956	\$3,756
Manufacturing	1,664	1,663	\$1,006	\$4,007
Wholesale Trade	954	891	\$1,308	\$5,542
Retail Trade	6,952	6,818	\$541	\$2,244
Transportation and Warehousing	653	654	\$801	\$3,426
Information	1,126	1,056	\$1,750	\$7,560
Finance and Insurance	1,123	1,109	\$2,078	\$8,762
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	820	879	\$831	\$3,826
Professional and Technical Services	3,239	3,101	\$1,522	\$6,371
Mgt of Companies, Enterprises	491	495	\$951	\$4,018
Administrative and Waste Services	1,264	1,284	\$736	\$2,879
Educational Services	20,754	23,498	\$1,258	\$4,702
Health Care and Social Assistance	17,455	16,882	\$980	\$4,084
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	904	800	\$398	\$1,822
Accommodation and Food Services	6,306	6,232	\$361	\$1,424
Other Services Ex. Public Admin	2,373	2,608	\$694	\$2,559
Public Administration	2,712	2,674	\$890	\$3,500
Unclassified	0	0	\$0	\$0

Commercial/Retail/Industrial

Local Business

2018Q1 Available Industrial Buildings	3
2017Q3 Establishments: Total Private Industry	3,883
2017Q3 Establishments: Manufacturing	81
2016 Est Self Employed	4,605

Local Retail Business

2017 Total Retail Sales (With Food/Drink) (\$mil)	\$1,706.7
2017 Total Retail Businesses (With Food/Drink)	881
2017 Avg Sales/Business Total (with Food/Drink)	\$1,937,272
2018Q1 Available Commercial Buildings (if reported)	.

Quality of Life

Taxes

FY2017-18 Property Tax Rate per \$100 Value	\$0.8377
FY2016-17 Annual Taxable Retail Sales (\$mil)	\$1,726.2
2018 Tier designation	3

Childcare

2018Q1 Licensed Child Care Facilities	93
2018Q1 Licensed Child Care Enrollment	4,030

Weather

Annual Rainfall, inches	46
Annual Snowfall, inches	3
Average Annual Temperature, F	59
Average Annual High Temperature, F	70
Average Annual Low Temperature, F	48

Healthcare Providers

2016 Number of Physicians	1,660
2016 Physicians per 10,000 population	115.9
2016 RNs per 10,000 population	254.5
2016 Dentists per 10,000 population	15.9
2016 Pharmacists per 10,000 population	33.5

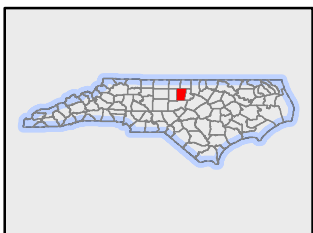
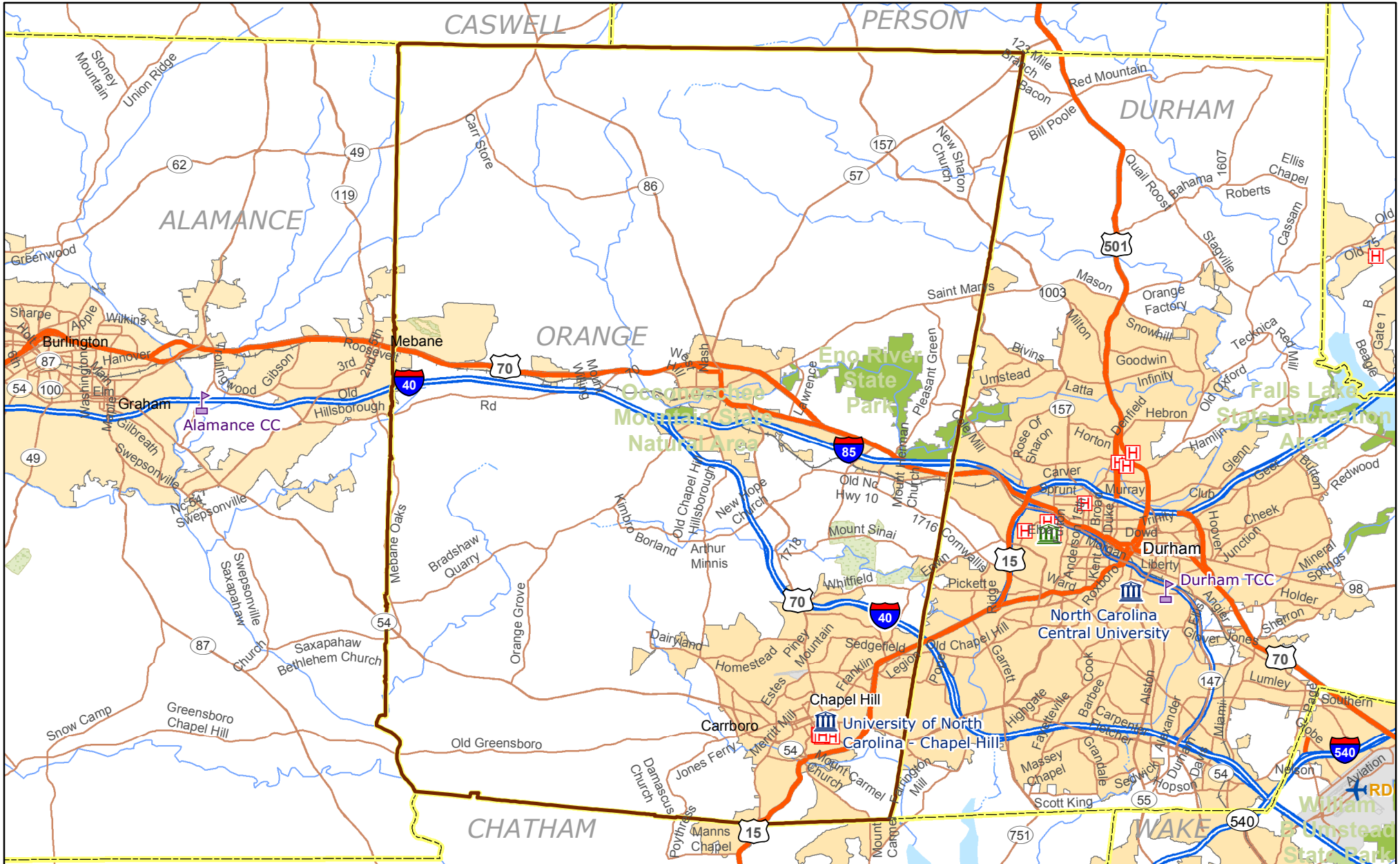
Sources:

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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. Census American Community Survey (ACS) data are estimates (Est) from the 2012-16, 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

14,000,001 - 43,130,585	Public University	Interstate
3,000,001 - 14,000,000	Private University	US Route
0 - 3,000,000	NC Community Colleges	NC Route
	Hospital	Major Railroad Lines
		County Boundary

