

County Profile

Alamance County (NC)

January 2019

Demographics

Population & Growth

2016 Est Population
2010 Census Total Population
July 2017 NC Certified Population Estimate

Population

156,372
151,131
163,339

% Annual Growth

0.7%
1.6%

Urban/Rural Representation

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

107,971
43,160

Urban/Rural Percent

71.4%
28.6%

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+

40
41,016
10,321
18,414
19,448
22,367
19,764
25,042

% Pop by Age

26.3%
6.6%
11.8%
12.4%
14.3%
12.7%
16.0%

Commuters, Workers Age 16 and Over, 2016 ACS Est

Percent of Workers, By Travel Time

Avg Travel Time, Minutes 23.5
Workers Not Working at Home 69,381
Travel Time to Work: < 10 minutes 14.1%
Travel Time to Work: 10-14 minutes 17.1%
Travel Time to Work: 15-19 minutes 17.5%
Travel Time to Work: 20-24 minutes 14.7%
Travel Time to Work: 25-29 minutes 5.6%
Travel Time to Work: 30-34 minutes 11.0%
Travel Time to Work: 35-44 minutes 7.2%
Travel Time to Work: 45-59 minutes 7.6%
Travel Time to Work: 60+ minutes 5.2%

Workers, By Transportation

Worker Transp, Base 71,314
Work at Home 2.7%
Drove Car/Truck/Van Alone 84.4%
Carpooled Car/Truck/Van 10.1%
Public Transportation 0.2%
Walked 1.5%
Bicycle 0.1%
Taxi, Motorcycle, Other 1.0%

Place of Work

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

Commuters

47,139
23,534
642

Residents

66.1%
33.0%
0.9%

Education

2017-18 Kindergarten-12th Enrollment
2018 Average SAT score (1600 new scale)
2018 Percent of Graduates taking SAT
2016-17 Higher Education Completions (Provisional)
2016-17 Higher Education Enrollment (Provisional)
2016 Est Education Attainment - At Least High School Graduate
2016 Est Education Attainment - At Least Bachelor's Degree

24,365
1,049
49.2%
7,274
13,537
88,987
23,184

Pop Age 25+

84.7%
22.1%

Housing

		% Ann Growth or % Total
2016 Est Total Housing Units	68,211	0.6%
2010 Census Total Housing	59,960	
2010 Census Total Households	66,576	
2010 Census Occupied Housing	53,344	89.0%
2010 Census Vacant Housing	6,616	11.0%
2016 Est Median Value of Owner Occupied Housing	\$143,500	
2016 Est Median Gross Rent	\$757	
2016 Est Owner Occupied Housing	40,256	64.9%
2016 Est Renter Occupied Housing	21,797	35.1%
2016 Est % Owner Occupied Vacancy Rate	1.3%	
2016 Est % Renter Occupied Vacancy Rate	7.5%	

Income

		% Ann Growth or % Pov
2016 Est Median Family Income	\$54,263	
2017 Median Household Income (SAIPE)	\$47,914	4.0%
2016 Est Median Worker Earnings	\$27,079	
2017 Per Capita Income (BEA)	\$38,839	
2017 Est Pop, Income Below Poverty (SAIPE)	22,721	14.4%

Employment / Unemployment

	Currently	2017 Annual
Nov 2018 Prelim., 2017 Employment	78,167	76,334
Nov 2018 Prelim., 2017 Unemployment	2,600	3,433
Nov 2018 Prelim., 2017 Unemployment Rate	3.2%	4.3%
2018Q3 YTD, 2017 Announced Job Creation	60	535
2018Q3 YTD, 2017 Total Announced Investments (\$mil)	\$13.2	\$489.5

Employment / Wages by Industry

	2018Q2 Employment	2017 Employment	2018Q2 Avg Weekly Wage	2017 Avg Weekly Wage
Total All Industries	61,206	60,272	\$810	\$771
Total Government	7,050	6,851	\$738	\$748
Total Private Industry	54,156	53,421	\$819	\$774
Agriculture Forestry Fishing & Hunting	81	.	\$617	.
Mining
Utilities	108	.	\$1,326	.
Construction	2,852	2,671	\$880	\$869
Manufacturing	9,267	9,240	\$944	\$913
Wholesale Trade	2,390	2,629	\$1,014	\$1,131
Retail Trade	9,132	9,082	\$491	\$486
Transportation and Warehousing	1,720	1,514	\$792	\$803
Information	412	449	\$879	\$861
Finance and Insurance	1,248	1,398	\$1,179	\$1,203
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	513	501	\$760	\$747
Professional and Technical Services	1,353	1,313	\$1,175	\$1,127
Mgt of Companies, Enterprises	370	375	\$2,388	\$2,240
Administrative and Waste Services	3,343	3,408	\$543	\$532
Educational Services
Health Care and Social Assistance	10,180	9,853	\$1,276	\$1,040
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	779	690	\$284	\$337
Accommodation and Food Services	7,479	7,190	\$297	\$286
Other Services Ex. Public Admin	1,400	1,386	\$604	\$620
Public Administration	2,832	2,753	\$735	\$757
Unclassified	0	0	\$0	\$0

Commercial/Retail/Industrial

Local Business

2018Q3 Available Industrial Buildings	12
2018Q2 Establishments: Total Private Industry	3,385
2018Q2 Establishments: Manufacturing	219
2016 Est Self Employed	4,129

Local Retail Business

2018 Total Retail Sales (With Food/Drink) (\$mil)	\$2,504.4
2018 Total Retail Businesses (With Food/Drink)	1,275
2018 Avg Sales/Business Total (with Food/Drink)	\$1,964,200
2018Q3 Available Commercial Buildings (if County reports)	.

Quality of Life

Taxes

FY2018-19 Property Tax Rate per \$100 Value	\$0.5900
FY2017-18 Annual Taxable Retail Sales (\$mil)	\$2,411.6
2019 Tier designation	2

Childcare

2018Q3 Licensed Child Care Facilities	82
2018Q3 Licensed Child Care Enrollment	3,639

Weather

Annual Rainfall, inches	45
Annual Snowfall, inches	2
Average Annual Temperature, °F	59
Average Annual High Temperature, °F	71
Average Annual Low Temperature, °F	48

Healthcare Providers

2017 Number of Physicians	279
2017 Physicians/10,000 population	17.3
2017 RNs/10,000 population	71.8
2017 Dentists/10,000 population	3.9
2017 Pharmacists/10,000 population	8.8

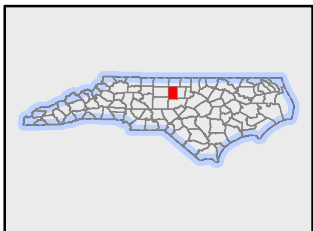
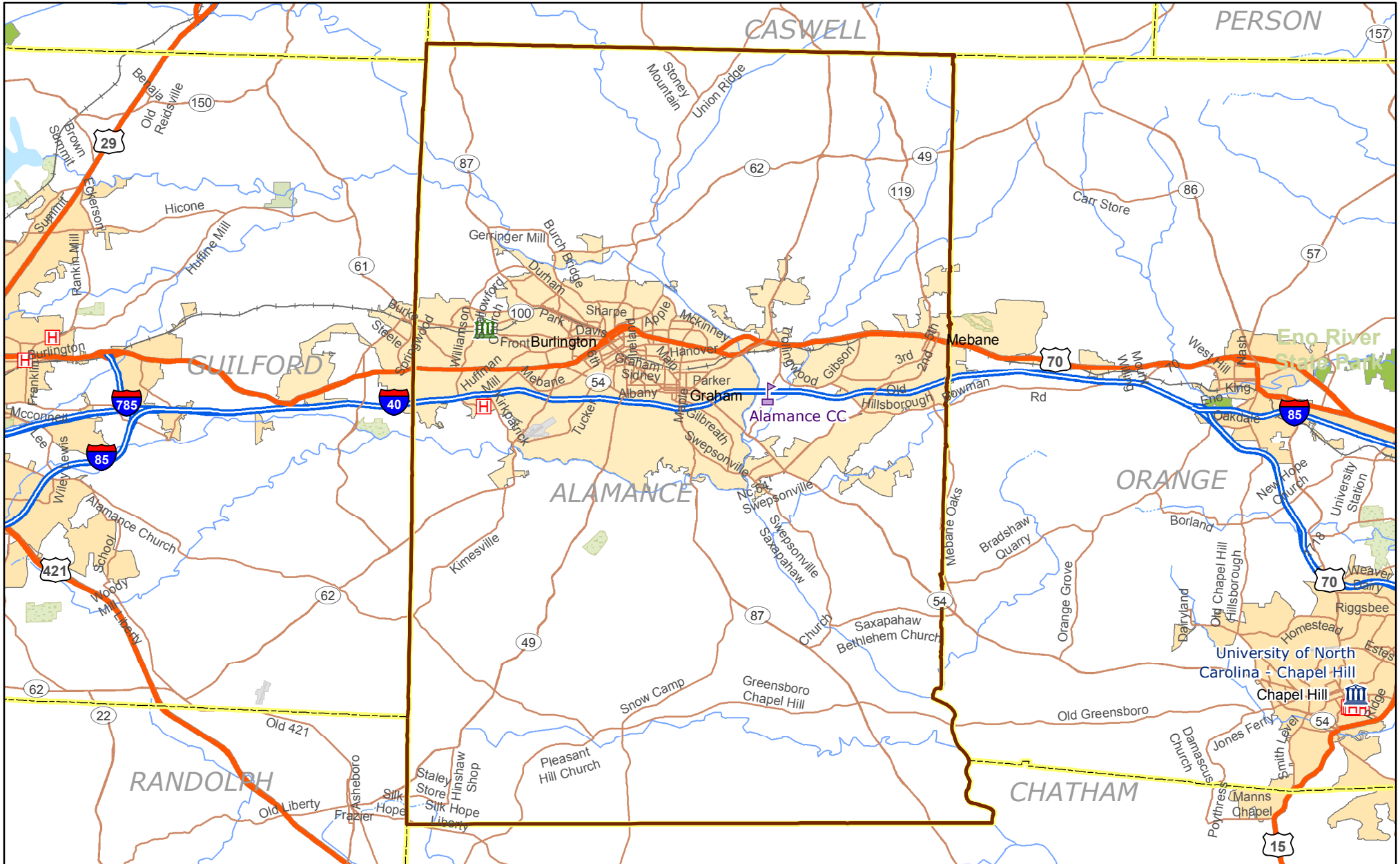
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Notes:

Data are the latest available at the date the profile was prepared. SAT scores use the new 1600 scoring system started in 2016 and represent county systems. Unemployment data is now the latest month which is preliminary and is subject to change. US Education IPEDs data for Completions and Enrollment is at least Provisional and updated when Final. American Community Survey (ACS) data are estimates, noted "Est" and are from the 2012-16, 5-year survey; data is as of 2016 with dollars inflated to 2016. Additional data, reports, and dashboards are available at: <http://accessnc.nccommerce.com/index.html>.

Alamance County, North Carolina



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

