

**County Profile**

**Franklin County (NC)**

**July 2018**

**Demographics**

**Population & Growth**

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

**Population**

62,989  
60,619  
65,445

**% Annual Growth**

1.1%  
2.8%

**Urban/Rural Representation**

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

8,900  
51,719

**Urban/Rural Percent**

14.7%  
85.3%

**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  
16,038  
3,801  
7,026  
8,387  
9,443  
8,735  
9,559

**% Pop by Age**

25.4%  
6.0%  
11.2%  
13.3%  
15.0%  
13.8%  
15.2%

**Commuters, Workers Age 16 and Over, 2016 Est**

**Percent of Workers, By Travel Time**

Avg Travel Time, Minutes 31.2  
Workers Not Working at Home 25,437  
Travel Time to Work: < 10 minutes 9.9%  
Travel Time to Work: 10-14 minutes 9.2%  
Travel Time to Work: 15-19 minutes 10.3%  
Travel Time to Work: 20-24 minutes 11.2%  
Travel Time to Work: 25-29 minutes 5.8%  
Travel Time to Work: 30-34 minutes 14.2%  
Travel Time to Work: 35-44 minutes 11.0%  
Travel Time to Work: 45-59 minutes 17.0%  
Travel Time to Work: 60+ minutes 11.4%

**Workers, By Transportation**

Worker Transp, Base 26,686  
Work at Home 4.7%  
Drove Car/Truck/Van Alone 82.9%  
Carpooled Car/Truck/Van 9.4%  
Public Transportation 0.2%  
Walked 1.5%  
Bicycle 0.0%  
Taxi, Motorcycle, Other 1.3%

**Place of Work**

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

**Commuters**

9,767  
16,572  
347

**Residents**

36.6%  
62.1%  
1.3%

**Education**

2016-17 Kindergarten-12th Enrollment  
2017 Average SAT score (1600 new scale)  
2017 Percent of Graduates taking SAT  
2015-16 Higher Education Completions (provisional)  
2015-16 Higher Education Total Enrollment (provisional)  
2016 Est Education Attainment - At Least High School Graduate  
2016 Est Education Attainment - At Least Bachelor's Degree

8,689  
1,045  
32.0%  
238  
1,728  
35,894  
8,805

**Pop Age 25+**

83.2%  
20.4%

## Housing

		<b>% Ann Growth or % Total</b>
2016 Est Total Housing Units	26,934	0.5%
2010 Census Total Housing	23,023	
2010 Census Total Households	26,577	
2010 Census Occupied Housing	19,469	84.6%
2010 Census Vacant Housing	3,554	15.4%
2016 Est Median Value of Owner Occupied Housing	\$134,500	
2016 Est Median Gross Rent	\$731	
2016 Est Owner Occupied Housing	17,288	72.9%
2016 Est Renter Occupied Housing	6,431	27.1%
2016 Est Owner Occupied Housing Vacancy	2.0%	
2016 Est Renter Occupied Housing Vacancy	5.2%	

## Income

		<b>% Ann Growth or % Pov</b>
2016 Est Median Family Income	\$53,788	
2016 Median Household Income (SAIPE)	\$49,484	3.1%
2015 Est Median Worker Earnings	\$28,458	
2016 Per Capita Income (BEA)	\$32,847	
2016 Est Pop, Income Below Poverty Level (SAIPE)	9,624	15.3%

## Employment / Unemployment

	<b>Currently</b>	<b>2017 Annual</b>
May 2018 Prelim., 2017 Employment	29,669	28,716
May 2018 Prelim., 2017 Unemployment	1,130	1,406
May 2018 Prelim., 2017 Unemployment Rate	3.7%	4.7%
2018Q1 YTD, 2017 Announced Job Creation	.	169
2018Q1 YTD, 2017 Total Announced Investments (\$mil)	.	\$7.1

### Employment / Wages by Industry

	<b>2017Q4 Employment</b>	<b>2017 Annual Employment</b>	<b>2017Q4 Avg Weekly Wage</b>	<b>2017 Avg Weekly Wage</b>
Total All Industries	12,193	11,882	\$844	\$800
Total Government	2,417	2,342	\$807	\$762
Total Private Industry	9,776	9,540	\$853	\$810
Agriculture Forestry Fishing & Hunting	165	175	\$738	\$684
Mining	.	21	.	\$854
Utilities	.	49	.	\$1,793
Construction	1,030	1,027	\$884	\$822
Manufacturing	2,581	2,508	\$1,209	\$1,173
Wholesale Trade	416	407	\$1,800	\$1,352
Retail Trade	1,349	1,343	\$463	\$454
Transportation and Warehousing	469	456	\$875	\$792
Information	70	67	\$1,368	\$1,484
Finance and Insurance	189	187	\$1,134	\$1,022
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	60	66	\$720	\$607
Professional and Technical Services	297	296	\$1,144	\$1,031
Mgt of Companies, Enterprises	0	0	\$0	\$0
Administrative and Waste Services	646	608	\$715	\$818
Educational Services	1,448	1,371	\$777	\$755
Health Care and Social Assistance	1,078	1,050	\$586	\$564
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	93	79	\$290	\$237
Accommodation and Food Services	833	761	\$280	\$269
Other Services Ex. Public Admin	304	322	\$649	\$576
Public Administration	1,095	1,094	\$792	\$736
Unclassified	0	0	\$0	\$0

## Commercial/Retail/Industrial

### Local Business

2018Q1 Available Industrial Buildings	4
2017Q4 Establishments: Total Private Industry	1,097
2017Q4 Establishments: Manufacturing	49
2016 Est Self Employed	1,815

### Local Retail Business

2017 Total Retail Sales (With Food/Drink) (\$mil)	\$357.1
2017 Total Retail Businesses (With Food/Drink)	286
2017 Avg Sales/Business Total (with Food/Drink)	\$1,248,511
2018Q1 Available Commercial Buildings (if reported)	24

## Quality of Life

### Taxes

FY2017-18 Property Tax Rate per \$100 Value	\$0.8950
FY2016-17 Annual Taxable Retail Sales (\$mil)	\$393.8
2018 Tier designation	2

### Childcare

2018Q1 Licensed Child Care Facilities	27
2018Q1 Licensed Child Care Enrollment	1,017

### Weather

Annual Rainfall, inches	46
Annual Snowfall, inches	3
Average Annual Temperature, F	59
Average Annual High Temperature, F	71
Average Annual Low Temperature, F	46

### Healthcare Providers

2017 Number of Physicians	8
2017 Physicians per 10,000 population	1.2
2017 RNs per 10,000 population	28.3
2017 Dentists per 10,000 population	1.5
2016 Pharmacists per 10,000 population	5.1

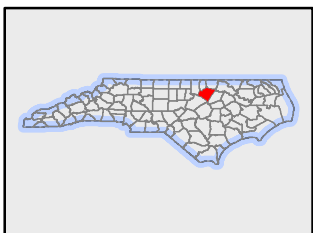
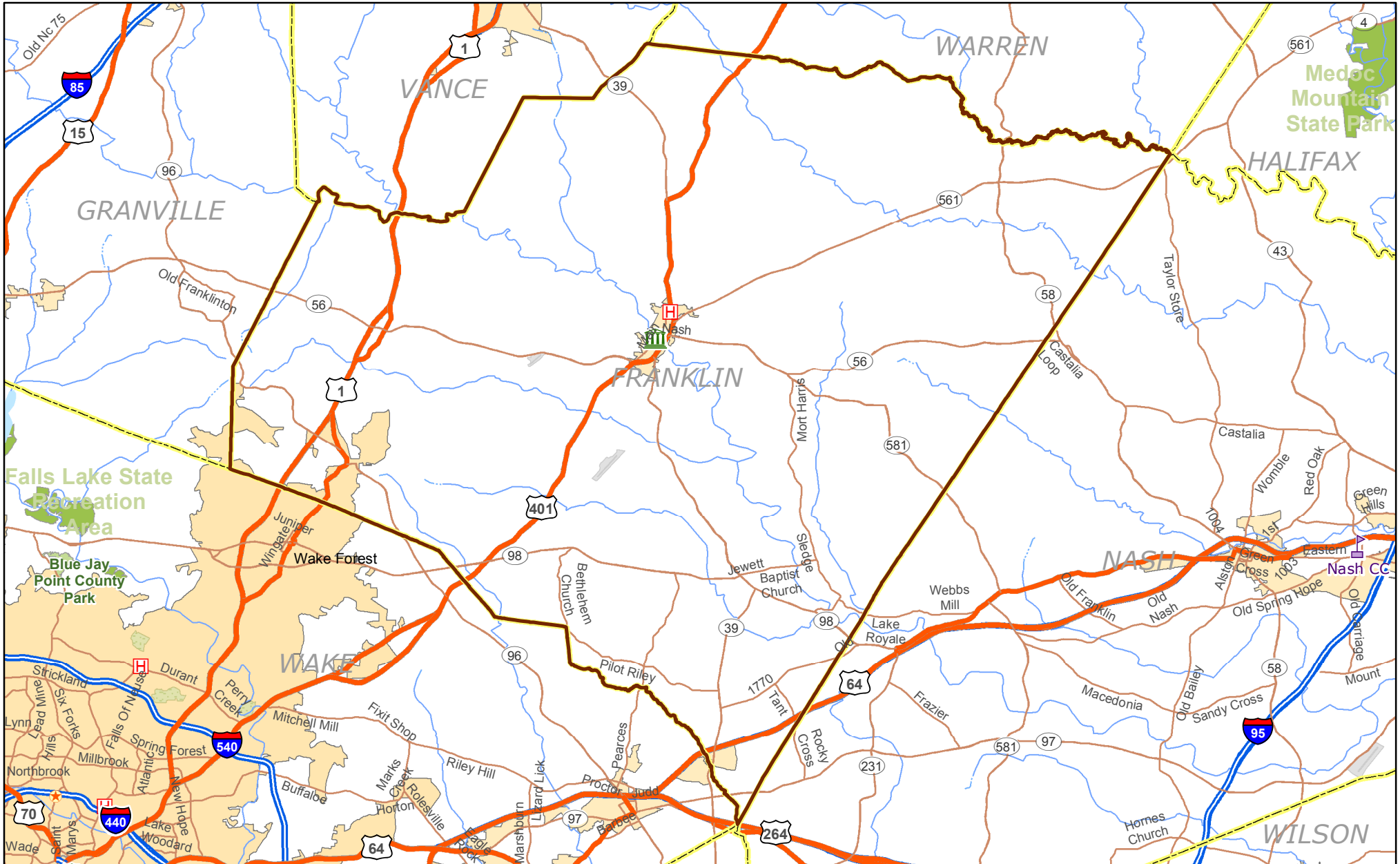
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### Notes:

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. 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>.

# Franklin 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

