

**County Profile**

**Person County (NC)**

**June 2018**

**Demographics**

**Population & Growth**

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

**Population**

39,196  
39,464  
39,728

**% Annual Growth**

( 0.2%)  
1.1%

**Urban/Rural Representation**

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

9,660  
29,804

**Urban/Rural Percent**

24.5%  
75.5%

**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+

43  
9,518  
2,139  
4,053  
4,974  
5,817  
5,900  
6,795

**% Pop by Age**

24.3%  
5.5%  
10.3%  
12.7%  
14.8%  
15.0%  
17.3%

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

**Percent of Workers, By Travel Time**

Avg Travel Time, Minutes 30.4  
Workers Not Working at Home 15,866  
Travel Time to Work: < 10 minutes 10.1%  
Travel Time to Work: 10-14 minutes 13.7%  
Travel Time to Work: 15-19 minutes 14.3%  
Travel Time to Work: 20-24 minutes 11.7%  
Travel Time to Work: 25-29 minutes 3.5%  
Travel Time to Work: 30-34 minutes 10.8%  
Travel Time to Work: 35-44 minutes 9.8%  
Travel Time to Work: 45-59 minutes 13.2%  
Travel Time to Work: 60+ minutes 12.9%

**Workers, By Transportation**

Worker Transp, Base 16,185  
Work at Home 2.0%  
Drove Car/Truck/Van Alone 85.5%  
Carpooled Car/Truck/Van 10.1%  
Public Transportation 0.2%  
Walked 1.2%  
Bicycle 0.0%  
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**

8,724  
7,040  
421

**Residents**

53.9%  
43.5%  
2.6%

**Education**

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

5,632  
1,008  
33.6%  
1,050  
3,682  
23,326  
4,104

**Pop Age 25+**

84.7%  
14.9%

## Housing

		<b>% Ann Growth or % Total</b>
2016 Est Total Housing Units	18,205	0.1%
2010 Census Total Housing	15,826	
2010 Census Total Households	18,193	
2010 Census Occupied Housing	13,459	85.0%
2010 Census Vacant Housing	2,367	15.0%
2016 Est Median Value of Owner Occupied Housing	\$116,000	
2016 Est Median Gross Rent	\$630	
2016 Est Owner Occupied Housing	10,986	71.0%
2016 Est Renter Occupied Housing	4,488	29.0%
2016 Est Owner Occupied Housing Vacancy	2.2%	
2016 Est Renter Occupied Housing Vacancy	5.4%	

## Income

		<b>% Ann Growth or % Pov</b>
2016 Est Median Family Income	\$52,684	
2016 Median Household Income (SAIPE)	\$47,974	9.2%
2015 Est Median Worker Earnings	\$28,038	
2016 Per Capita Income (BEA)	\$35,359	
2016 Est Pop, Income Below Poverty Level (SAIPE)	5,962	15.4%

## Employment / Unemployment

	<b>Currently</b>	<b>2017 Annual</b>
Apr 2018 Prelim., 2016 Employment	17,754	17,466
Apr 2018 Prelim., 2016 Unemployment	728	855
Apr 2018 Prelim., 2016 Unemployment Rate	3.9%	4.7%
2018Q1 YTD, 2017 Announced Job Creation	.	.
2018Q1 YTD, 2017 Total Announced Investments (\$mil)	.	.

## 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	9,922	9,854	\$771	\$765
Total Government	1,815	1,761	\$726	\$729
Total Private Industry	8,107	8,093	\$781	\$773
Agriculture Forestry Fishing & Hunting	100	.	\$625	.
Mining	0	0	\$0	\$0
Utilities	368	374	\$1,884	\$2,107
Construction	582	548	\$1,039	\$950
Manufacturing	1,633	1,632	\$1,027	\$1,048
Wholesale Trade	179	180	\$1,093	\$1,049
Retail Trade	1,523	1,541	\$477	\$456
Transportation and Warehousing	.	100	.	\$820
Information	.	63	.	\$864
Finance and Insurance	190	188	\$965	\$864
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	.	.	.	.
Professional and Technical Services	228	222	\$921	\$903
Mgt of Companies, Enterprises	.	.	.	.
Administrative and Waste Services	447	412	\$467	\$444
Educational Services	1,093	.	\$740	.
Health Care and Social Assistance	1,286	1,291	\$727	\$740
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	78	96	\$261	\$224
Accommodation and Food Services	829	843	\$302	\$287
Other Services Ex. Public Admin	330	333	\$900	\$801
Public Administration	791	794	\$681	\$685
Unclassified	0	0	\$0	\$0

## Commercial/Retail/Industrial

### Local Business

2018Q1 Available Industrial Buildings	8
2017Q4 Establishments: Total Private Industry	673
2017Q4 Establishments: Manufacturing	30
2016 Est Self Employed	933

### Local Retail Business

2017 Total Retail Sales (With Food/Drink) (\$mil)	\$456.0
2017 Total Retail Businesses (With Food/Drink)	242
2017 Avg Sales/Business Total (with Food/Drink)	\$1,884,326
2018Q1 Available Commercial Buildings (if reported)	.

## Quality of Life

### Taxes

FY2017-18 Property Tax Rate per \$100 Value	\$0.7000
FY2016-17 Annual Taxable Retail Sales (\$mil)	\$312.6
2018 Tier designation	1

### Childcare

2018Q1 Licensed Child Care Facilities	36
2018Q1 Licensed Child Care Enrollment	803

### Weather

Annual Rainfall, inches	46
Annual Snowfall, inches	6
Average Annual Temperature, F	57
Average Annual High Temperature, F	70
Average Annual Low Temperature, F	45

### Healthcare Providers

2017 Number of Physicians	36
2017 Physicians per 10,000 population	9.0
2017 RNs per 10,000 population	46.4
2017 Dentists per 10,000 population	2.0
2016 Pharmacists per 10,000 population	8.1

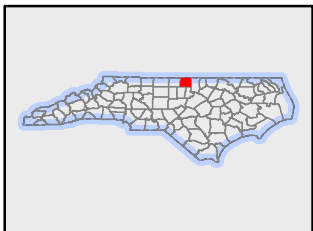
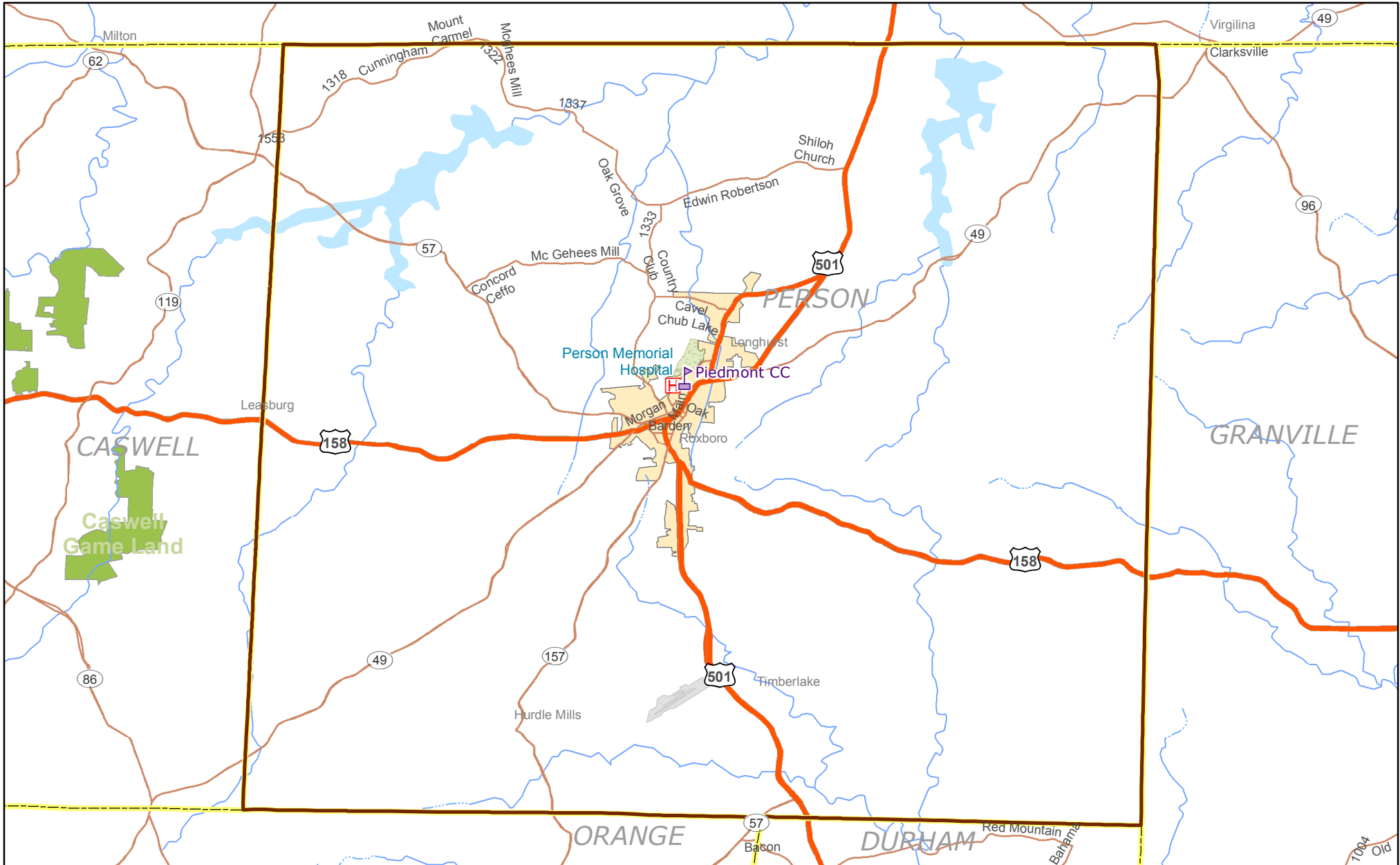
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### Notes:

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>.

# Person County, North Carolina



**Legend**

<b>Airports by Total Enplanements</b>	Public University	Interstate
14,000,001 - 43,130,585	Private University	US Route
3,000,001 - 14,000,000	NC Community Colleges	NC Route
0 - 3,000,000	Hospital	Major Railroad Lines
		County Boundary

