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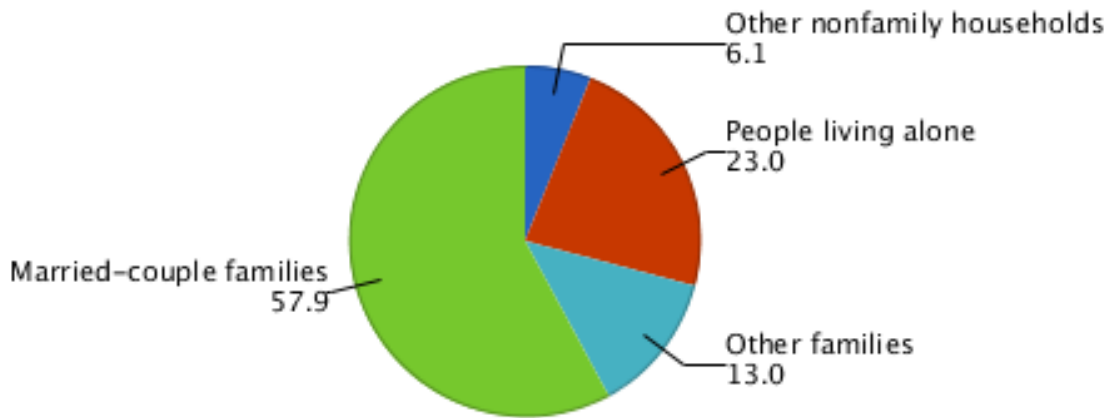
Households and Families

In 2012 there were 391,000 households in Fairfax County, Virginia. The average household size was 2.8 people.

Families made up 71 percent of the households in Fairfax County, Virginia. This figure includes both married-couple families (58 percent) and other families (13 percent). Of other families, 5 percent are female householder families with no husband present and own children under 18 years. Nonfamily households made up 29 percent of all households in Fairfax County, Virginia. Most of the nonfamily households were people living alone, but some were composed of people living in households in which no one was related to the householder.

In Fairfax County, Virginia, 37 percent of all households have one or more people under the age of 18; 21 percent of all households have one or more people 65 years and over.

The Types of Households in Fairfax County, Virginia in 2012



Among persons 15 and older, 58 percent of males and 55 percent of females are currently married.

Population 15 years and over	Males	Females
Never married	33.5	28.1
Now married, except separated	57.8	54.7
Separated	1.5	1.7
Widowed	1.5	6.2
Divorced	5.8	9.2

In Fairfax County, Virginia, 22,000 grandparents lived with their grandchildren under 18 years old. Of those grandparents, 16 percent of them had financial responsibility for their grandchildren.

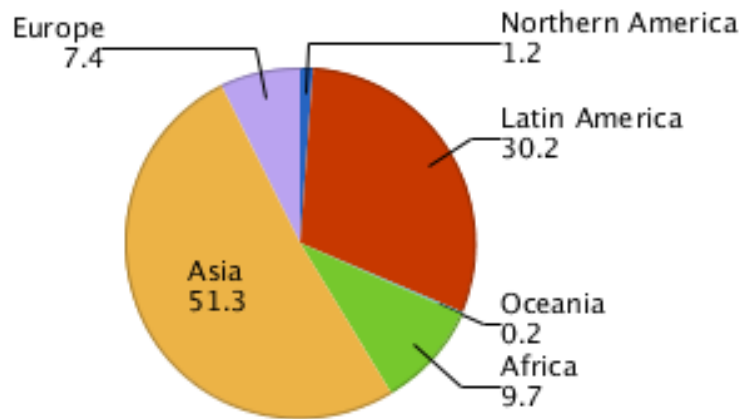
Nativity and Foreign Born

Seventy- percent of the people living in Fairfax County, Virginia in 2012 were native residents of the United States. Twenty-six percent of these residents were living in the state in which they were born.

Thirty- percent of the people living in Fairfax County, Virginia in 2012 were foreign born. Of the foreign born population, 52 percent were naturalized U.S. citizens, and 92 percent entered the country before the year 2010. Eight percent of the foreign born entered the country in 2010 or later.

Foreign born residents of Fairfax County, Virginia come from different parts of the world.

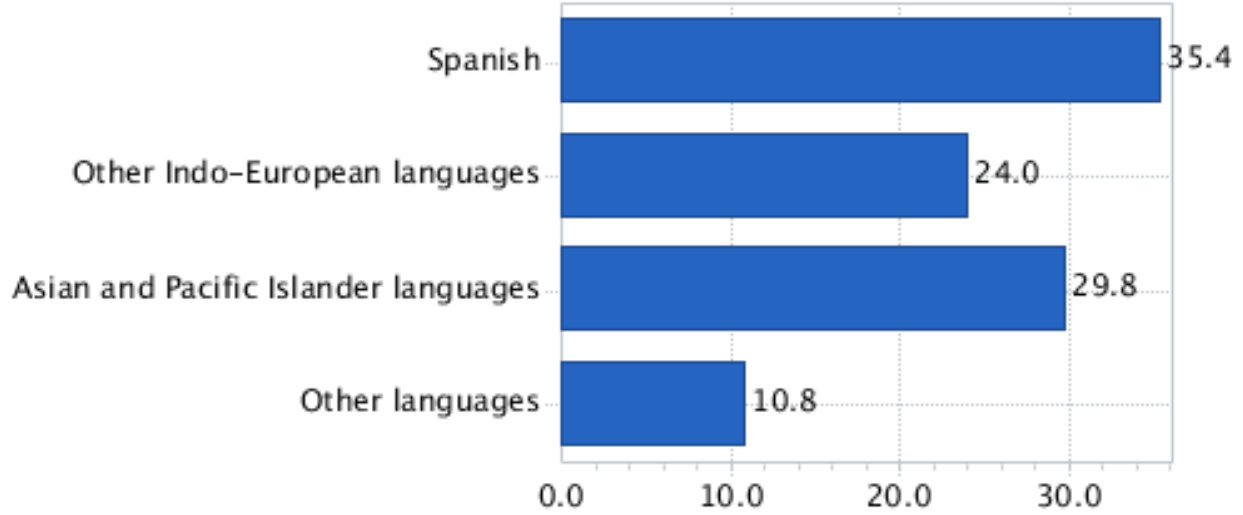
Regions of the World



Language

Among people at least five years old living in Fairfax County, Virginia in 2012, 38 percent spoke a language other than English at home. Of those speaking a language other than English at home, 35 percent spoke Spanish and 65 percent spoke some other language; 40 percent reported that they did not speak English "very well."

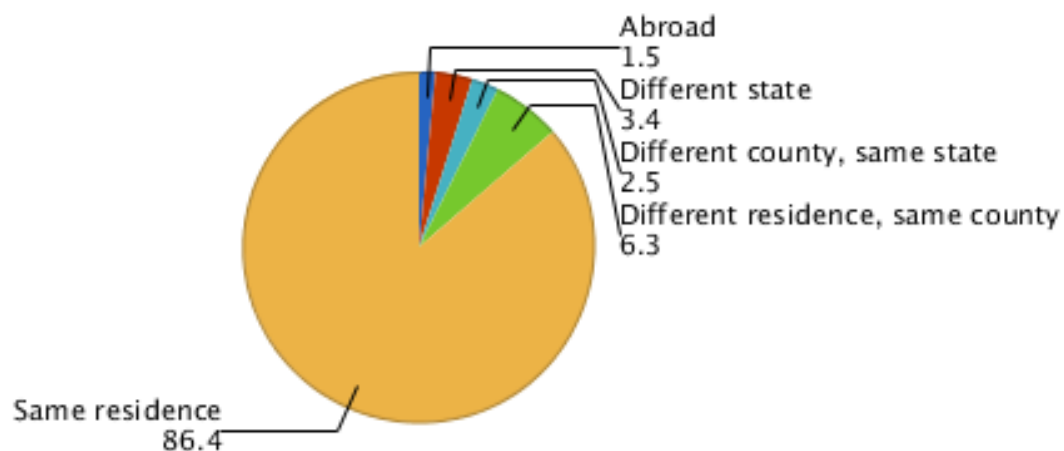
Percent of the Population 5 years and over who Speak a Language Other than English in Fairfax County, Virginia in 2012



Geographic Mobility

In 2012, 86 percent of the people at least one year old living in Fairfax County, Virginia were living in the same residence one year earlier.

Geographic Mobility of Residents of Fairfax County, Virginia in 2012

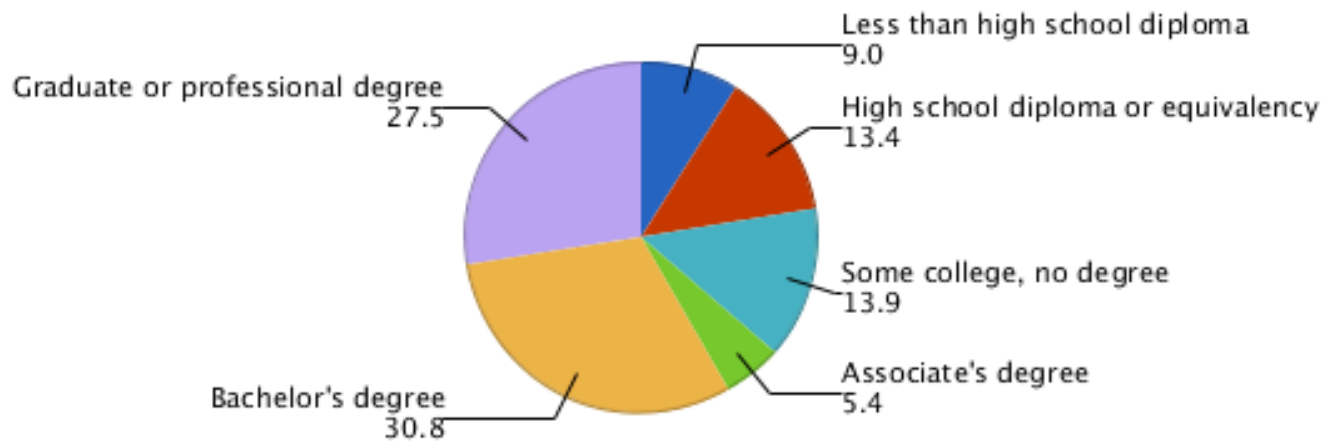


Education

In 2012, 13 percent of people 25 years and over had a high school diploma or equivalency and 58 percent had a bachelor's degree or higher. Nine percent were dropouts; they were not enrolled in school and had not graduated from high school.

The total school enrollment in Fairfax County, Virginia was 305,000 in 2012. Nursery school and kindergarten enrollment was 35,000 and elementary or high school enrollment was 182,000 children. College or graduate school enrollment was 88,000.

The Educational Attainment of People in Fairfax County, Virginia in 2012



Disability

In Fairfax County, Virginia, among the civilian noninstitutionalized population in 2012, 6 percent reported a disability. The likelihood of having a disability varied by age - from 2 percent of people under 18 years old, to 4 percent of people 18 to 64 years old, and to 28 percent of those 65 and over.

Employment Status and Type of Employer

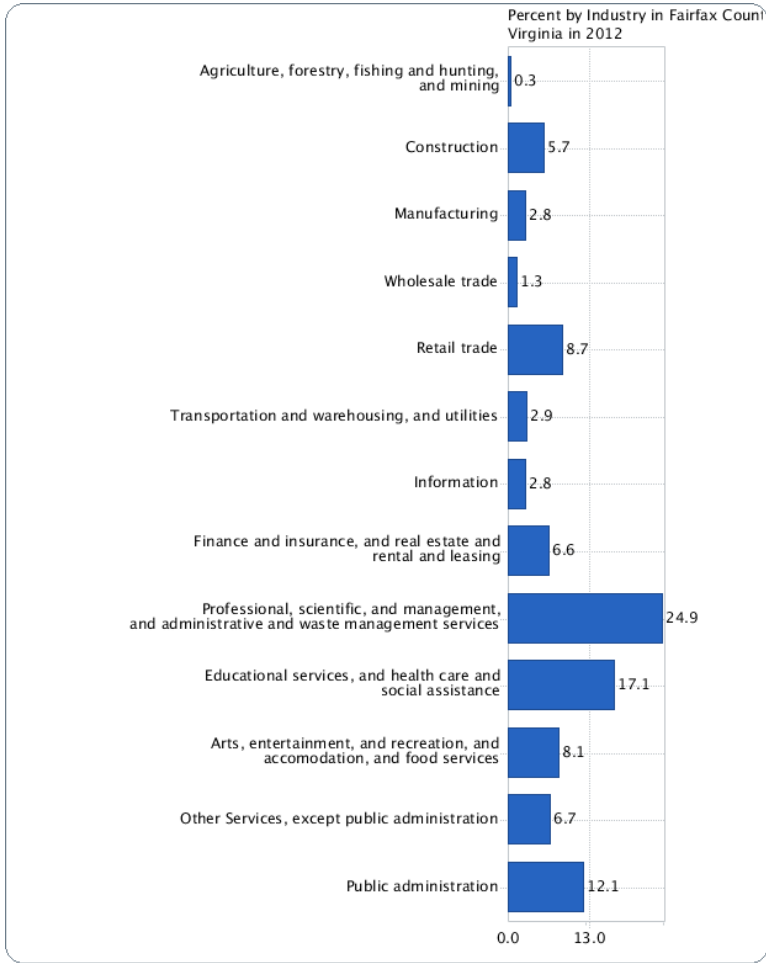
In Fairfax County, Virginia, 69 percent of the population 16 and over were employed; 27 percent were not currently in the labor force.

Seventy-three percent of the people employed were private wage and salary workers; 21 percent were federal, state, or local government workers; and 6 percent were self-employed in their own (not incorporated) business.

Class of worker	Number	Percent
Private wage and salary workers	441,663	72.9
Federal, state, or local government workers	128,746	21.2
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	34,955	5.8

Industries

In 2012, the civilian employed population 16 years and older in Fairfax County, Virginia worked in the following industries:



Occupations

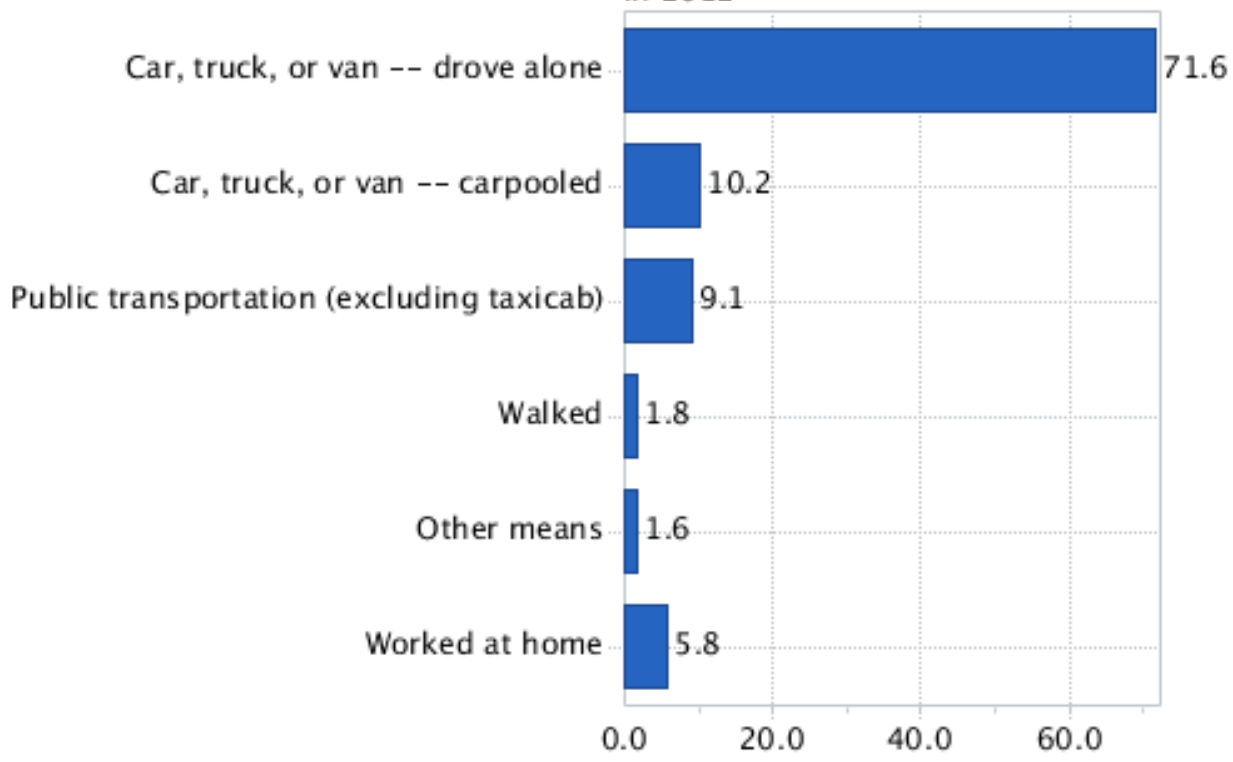
Occupations for the civilian employed population 16 years and over in Fairfax County, Virginia in 2012:

Civilian employed population 16 years and over	Number	Percent
Management, business, science, and arts occupations	333,232	55.0
Service occupations	91,322	15.1
Sales and office occupations	119,337	19.7
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	35,058	5.8
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	27,301	4.5

Commuting to Work

Seventy-two percent of Fairfax County, Virginia workers drove to work alone in 2012, and 10 percent carpooled. Among those who commuted to work, it took them on average 32 minutes to get to work.

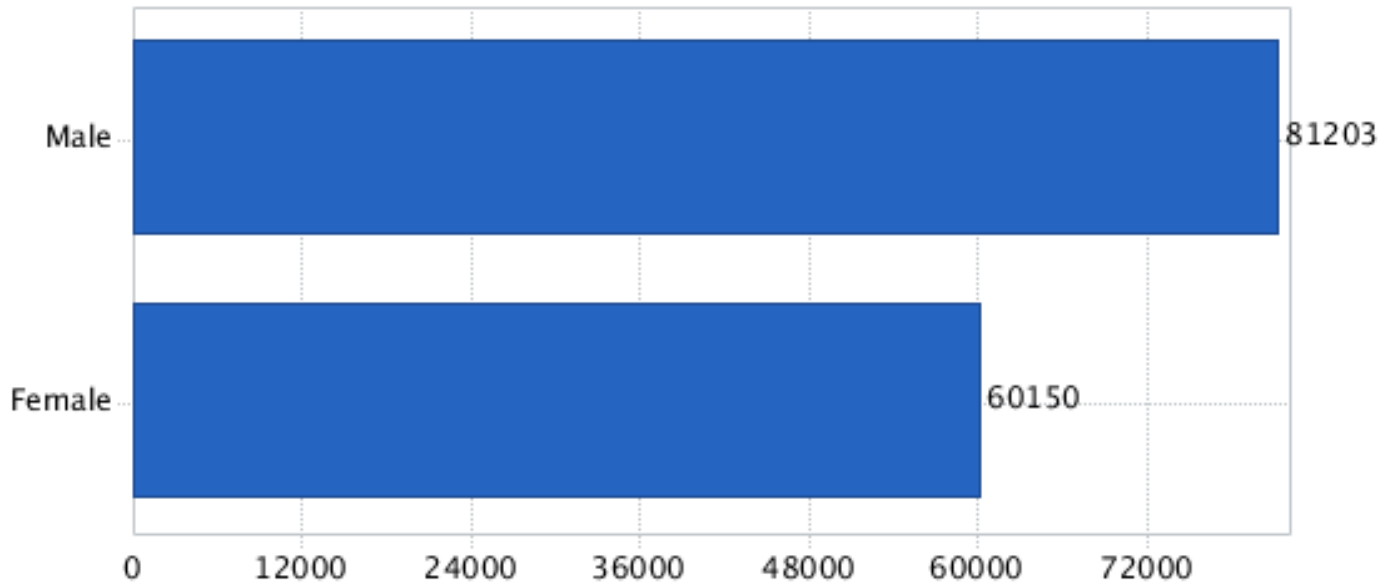
Percent of Workers 16 and over Commuting by Mode in Fairfax County, Virginia in 2012



Income

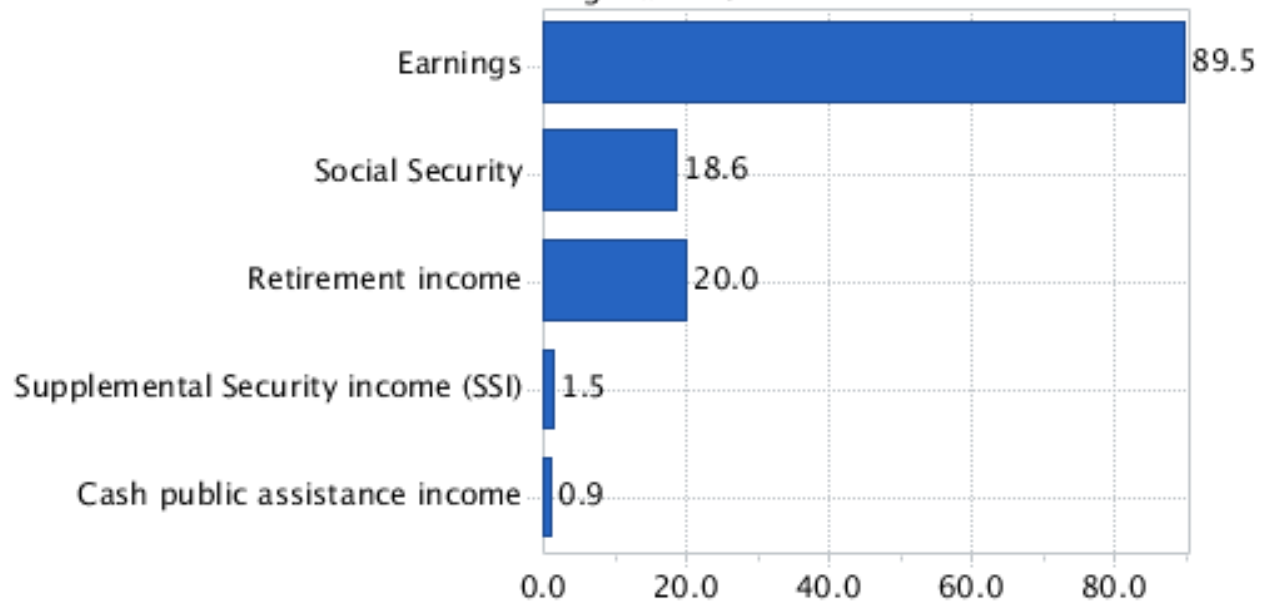
The median income of households in Fairfax County, Virginia was \$107,096. Three percent of households had income below \$15,000 a year and 33 percent had income over \$150,000 or more.

Median Earnings for Full-Time Year-Round Workers by Sex in Fairfax County, Virginia in 2012



Ninety- percent of the households received earnings and 20 percent received retirement income other than Social Security. Nineteen percent of the households received Social Security. The average income from Social Security was \$17,693. These income sources are not mutually exclusive; that is, some households received income from more than one source.

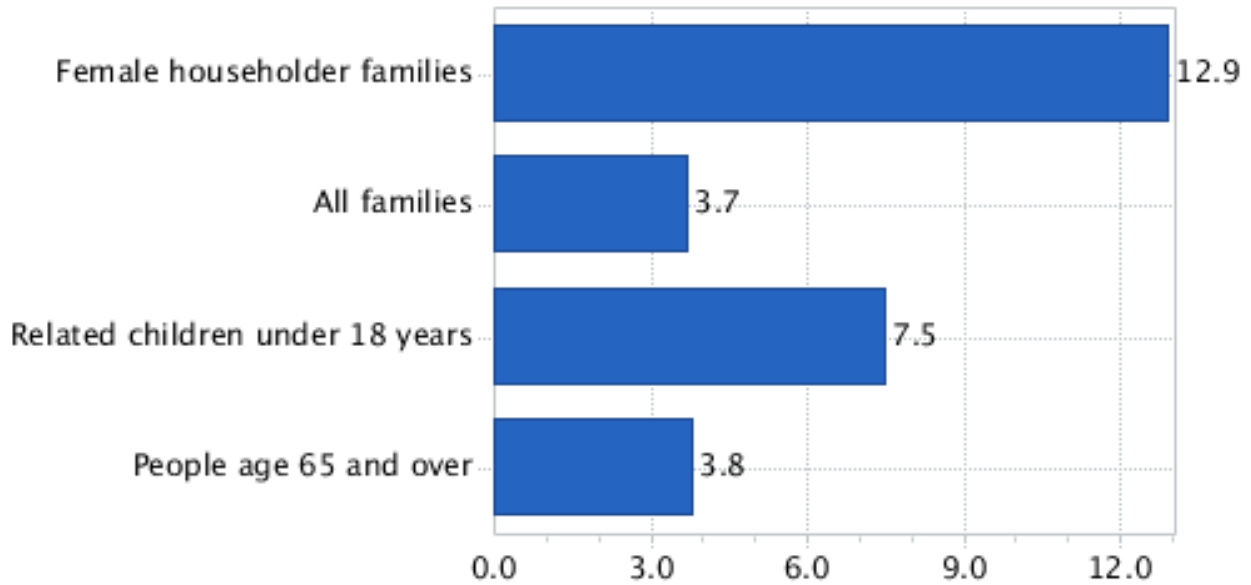
Proportion of Households with Various Income Sources in Fairfax County, Virginia in 2012



Poverty and Participation in Government Programs

In 2012, 6 percent of people were in poverty. Eight percent of related children under 18 were below the poverty level, compared with 4 percent of people 65 years old and over. Four percent of all families and 13 percent of families with a female householder and no husband present had incomes below the poverty level.

Poverty Rates in Fairfax County, Virginia in 2012



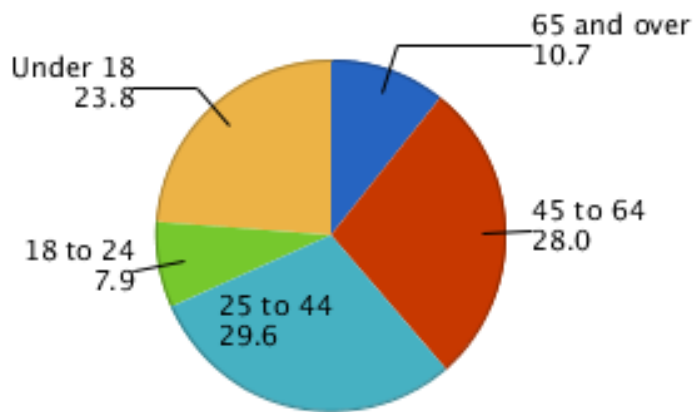
Health Insurance

Among the civilian noninstitutionalized population in Fairfax County, Virginia in 2012, 87 percent had health insurance coverage and 13 percent did not have health insurance coverage. For those under 18 years of age, 5 percent had no health insurance coverage. The civilian noninstitutionalized population had both private and public health insurance, with 80 percent having private coverage and 17 percent having public coverage.

Population

In 2012, Fairfax County, Virginia had a total population of 1.1 million - 565,000 (51 percent) females and 553,000 (50 percent) males. The median age was 37.4 years. Twenty-four percent of the population was under 18 years and 11 percent was 65 years and older.

The Age Distribution of People in Fairfax County, Virginia in 2012

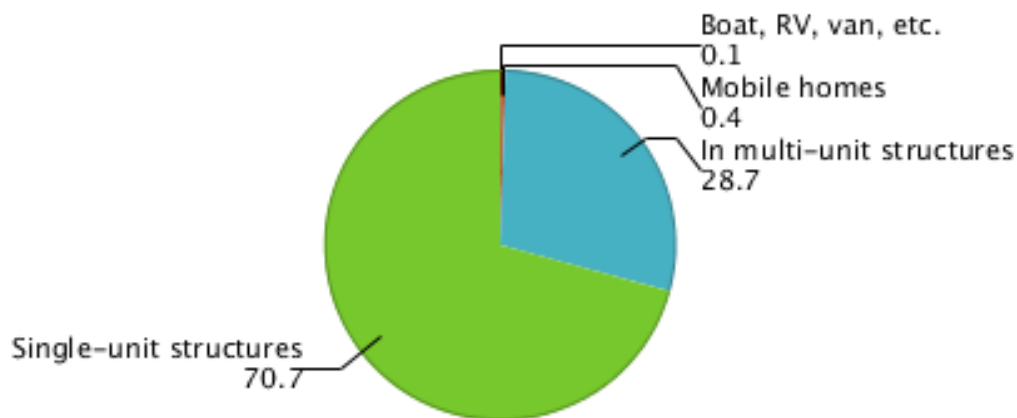


For people reporting one race alone, 66 percent were White; 9 percent were Black or African American; less than 0.5 percent were American Indian and Alaska Native; 19 percent were Asian; less than 0.5 percent were Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander, and 6 percent were Some other race. Five percent reported Two or more races. Sixteen percent of the people in Fairfax County, Virginia were Hispanic. Fifty-three percent of the people in Fairfax County, Virginia were White non-Hispanic. People of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Housing Characteristics

In 2012, Fairfax County, Virginia had a total of 409,000 housing units, 4 percent of which were vacant. Of the total housing units, 71 percent were in single-unit structures, 29 percent were in multi-unit structures, and less than 0.5 percent were mobile homes. Twenty-eight percent of the housing units were built since 1990.

The Types of Housing Units in Fairfax County, Virginia in 2012



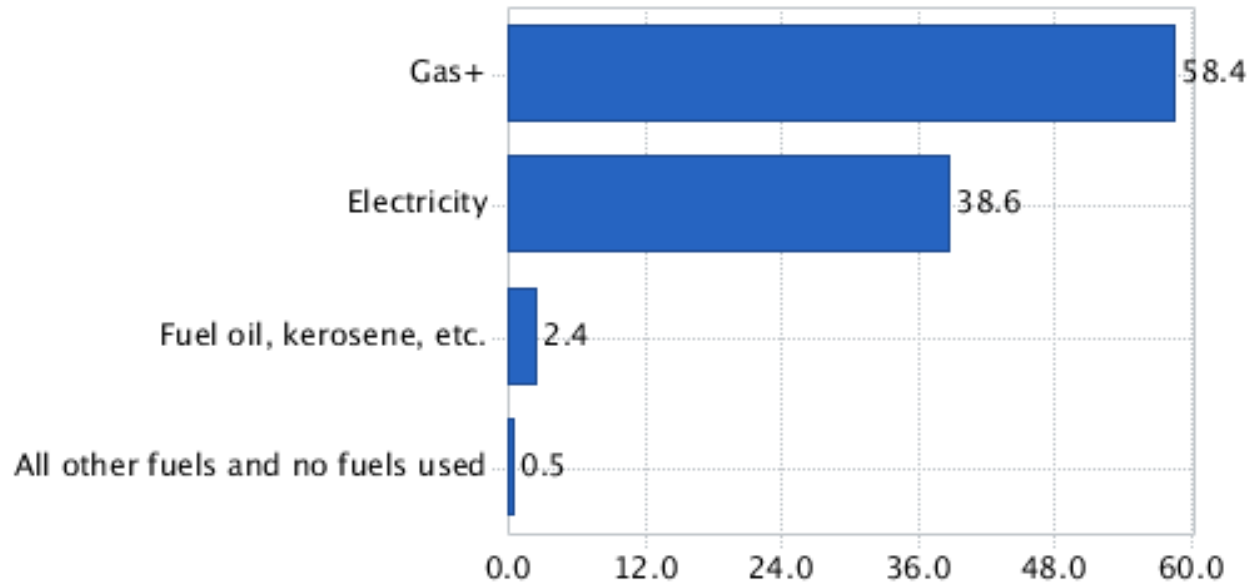
The median number of rooms in all housing units in Fairfax County, Virginia is 7. Of these housing units, 68 percent have three or more bedrooms.

Occupied Housing Unit Characteristics

In 2012, Fairfax County, Virginia had 391,000 occupied housing units - 261,000 (67 percent) owner occupied and 130,000 (33 percent) renter occupied. Sixty-nine percent of householders of these units had moved in since 2000. Eighty-one percent of the owner occupied units had a mortgage. One percent of the households did not have telephone service. Five percent had no vehicles available and another 24 percent had three or more.

Homes in Fairfax County, Virginia were heated in the following ways:

House heating fuel used in Fairfax County, Virginia in 2012

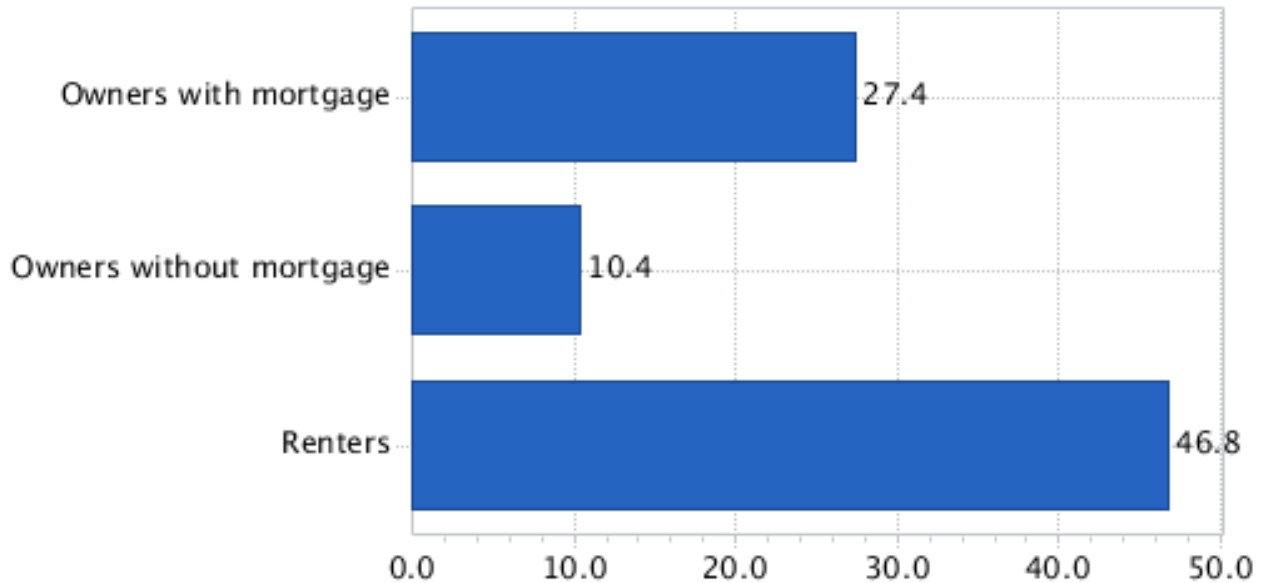


+this category includes utility, bottled, tank, or LP gas

Housing Costs

The median monthly housing costs for mortgaged owners was \$2,496, nonmortgaged owners \$723, and renters \$1,656. Twenty-seven percent of owners with mortgages, 10 percent of owners without mortgages, and 47 percent of renters in Fairfax County, Virginia spent 30 percent or more of household income on housing.

Occupants with a Housing Cost Burden in Fairfax County, Virginia in 2012



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2012 American Community Survey

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ACS DEMOGRAPHIC AND HOUSING ESTIMATES

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
SEX AND AGE				
Total population	1,118,602	*****	1,118,602	(X)
Male	553,290	+/-155	49.5%	+/-0.1
Female	565,312	+/-155	50.5%	+/-0.1
Under 5 years	74,422	+/-244	6.7%	+/-0.1
5 to 9 years	73,251	+/-3,247	6.5%	+/-0.3
10 to 14 years	74,838	+/-3,299	6.7%	+/-0.3
15 to 19 years	71,323	+/-178	6.4%	+/-0.1
20 to 24 years	61,249	+/-230	5.5%	+/-0.1
25 to 34 years	164,061	+/-340	14.7%	+/-0.1
35 to 44 years	166,876	+/-459	14.9%	+/-0.1
45 to 54 years	174,402	+/-226	15.6%	+/-0.1
55 to 59 years	73,600	+/-2,894	6.6%	+/-0.3
60 to 64 years	65,301	+/-2,910	5.8%	+/-0.3
65 to 74 years	73,129	+/-339	6.5%	+/-0.1
75 to 84 years	32,338	+/-1,657	2.9%	+/-0.1
85 years and over	13,812	+/-1,590	1.2%	+/-0.1
Median age (years)	37.4	+/-0.2	(X)	(X)
18 years and over	851,995	*****	76.2%	*****
21 years and over	814,147	+/-1,447	72.8%	+/-0.1
62 years and over	156,806	+/-2,541	14.0%	+/-0.2
65 years and over	119,279	+/-168	10.7%	+/-0.1
18 years and over	851,995	*****	851,995	(X)
Male	416,842	*****	48.9%	*****
Female	435,153	*****	51.1%	*****
65 years and over	119,279	+/-168	119,279	(X)
Male	54,645	+/-124	45.8%	+/-0.1
Female	64,634	+/-91	54.2%	+/-0.1
RACE				
Total population	1,118,602	*****	1,118,602	(X)

Subject	Fairfax County, Virginia			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
One race	1,066,887	+/-4,728	95.4%	+/-0.4
Two or more races	51,715	+/-4,728	4.6%	+/-0.4
One race	1,066,887	+/-4,728	95.4%	+/-0.4
White	702,286	+/-7,369	62.8%	+/-0.7
Black or African American	100,754	+/-3,259	9.0%	+/-0.3
American Indian and Alaska Native	2,070	+/-701	0.2%	+/-0.1
Cherokee tribal grouping	N	N	N	N
Chippewa tribal grouping	N	N	N	N
Navajo tribal grouping	N	N	N	N
Sioux tribal grouping	N	N	N	N
Asian	200,927	+/-3,423	18.0%	+/-0.3
Asian Indian	47,207	+/-4,913	4.2%	+/-0.4
Chinese	26,506	+/-3,243	2.4%	+/-0.3
Filipino	16,568	+/-3,192	1.5%	+/-0.3
Japanese	2,680	+/-856	0.2%	+/-0.1
Korean	39,705	+/-5,848	3.5%	+/-0.5
Vietnamese	30,814	+/-5,194	2.8%	+/-0.5
Other Asian	37,447	+/-6,043	3.3%	+/-0.5
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	468	+/-435	0.0%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian	N	N	N	N
Guamanian or Chamorro	N	N	N	N
Samoan	N	N	N	N
Other Pacific Islander	N	N	N	N
Some other race	60,382	+/-7,610	5.4%	+/-0.7
Two or more races	51,715	+/-4,728	4.6%	+/-0.4
White and Black or African American	8,146	+/-2,162	0.7%	+/-0.2
White and American Indian and Alaska Native	4,329	+/-1,202	0.4%	+/-0.1
White and Asian	21,344	+/-3,112	1.9%	+/-0.3
Black or African American and American Indian and Alaska Native	1,392	+/-807	0.1%	+/-0.1
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races				
Total population	1,118,602	****	1,118,602	(X)
White	747,635	+/-8,670	66.8%	+/-0.8
Black or African American	115,917	+/-2,021	10.4%	+/-0.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	11,981	+/-2,772	1.1%	+/-0.2
Asian	227,816	+/-1,332	20.4%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1,830	+/-929	0.2%	+/-0.1
Some other race	70,343	+/-7,639	6.3%	+/-0.7
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE				
Total population	1,118,602	****	1,118,602	(X)
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	179,918	****	16.1%	****
Mexican	26,097	+/-5,358	2.3%	+/-0.5
Puerto Rican	12,798	+/-2,794	1.1%	+/-0.2
Cuban	3,180	+/-1,107	0.3%	+/-0.1
Other Hispanic or Latino	137,843	+/-6,145	12.3%	+/-0.5
Not Hispanic or Latino	938,684	****	83.9%	****
White alone	596,277	+/-662	53.3%	+/-0.1
Black or African American alone	97,690	+/-3,087	8.7%	+/-0.3
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	1,510	+/-543	0.1%	+/-0.1
Asian alone	200,187	+/-3,469	17.9%	+/-0.3
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	468	+/-435	0.0%	+/-0.1
Some other race alone	2,439	+/-1,143	0.2%	+/-0.1
Two or more races	40,113	+/-4,137	3.6%	+/-0.4
Two races including Some other race	1,835	+/-852	0.2%	+/-0.1
Two races excluding Some other race, and Three or more races	38,278	+/-4,114	3.4%	+/-0.4

Subject	Fairfax County, Virginia			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Total housing units	408,577	+/-651	(X)	(X)

Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see Accuracy of the Data). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

The ACS questions on Hispanic origin and race were revised in 2008 to make them consistent with the Census 2010 question wording. Any changes in estimates for 2008 and beyond may be due to demographic changes, as well as factors including questionnaire changes, differences in ACS population controls, and methodological differences in the population estimates, and therefore should be used with caution. For a summary of questionnaire changes see http://www.census.gov/acs/www/methodology/questionnaire_changes/. For more information about changes in the estimates see <http://www.census.gov/population/hispanic/files/acs08researchnote.pdf>.

For more information on understanding race and Hispanic origin data, please see the Census 2010 Brief entitled, Overview of Race and Hispanic Origin: 2010, issued March 2011. (pdf format)

While the 2012 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the December 2009 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2000 data. Boundaries for urban areas have not been updated since Census 2000. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

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HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	391,216	+/-2,463	391,216	(X)
Family households (families)	277,376	+/-4,573	70.9%	+/-1.1
With own children under 18 years	138,084	+/-4,268	35.3%	+/-1.1
Married-couple family	226,531	+/-4,984	57.9%	+/-1.2
With own children under 18 years	113,676	+/-4,512	29.1%	+/-1.1
Male householder, no wife present, family	14,690	+/-1,869	3.8%	+/-0.5
With own children under 18 years	6,760	+/-1,296	1.7%	+/-0.3
Female householder, no husband present, family	36,155	+/-3,554	9.2%	+/-0.9
With own children under 18 years	17,648	+/-2,293	4.5%	+/-0.6
Nonfamily households	113,840	+/-4,141	29.1%	+/-1.1
Householder living alone	90,094	+/-3,713	23.0%	+/-0.9
65 years and over	24,546	+/-1,791	6.3%	+/-0.5
Households with one or more people under 18 years	145,494	+/-4,356	37.2%	+/-1.1
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	83,202	+/-1,913	21.3%	+/-0.5
Average household size	2.84	+/-0.02	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.36	+/-0.04	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	1,109,452	+/-1,838	1,109,452	(X)
Householder	391,216	+/-2,463	35.3%	+/-0.2
Spouse	226,565	+/-5,100	20.4%	+/-0.5
Child	345,649	+/-5,551	31.2%	+/-0.5
Other relatives	83,224	+/-6,103	7.5%	+/-0.6
Nonrelatives	62,798	+/-5,638	5.7%	+/-0.5
Unmarried partner	16,102	+/-2,026	1.5%	+/-0.2
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	439,536	+/-164	439,536	(X)
Never married	147,087	+/-4,378	33.5%	+/-1.0
Now married, except separated	253,873	+/-5,263	57.8%	+/-1.2
Separated	6,458	+/-1,360	1.5%	+/-0.3
Widowed	6,466	+/-1,022	1.5%	+/-0.2

Subject	Fairfax County, Virginia			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Divorced	25,652	+/-2,402	5.8%	+/-0.5
Females 15 years and over	456,555	+/-79	456,555	(X)
Never married	128,464	+/-4,222	28.1%	+/-0.9
Now married, except separated	249,733	+/-5,872	54.7%	+/-1.3
Separated	7,904	+/-1,464	1.7%	+/-0.3
Widowed	28,241	+/-2,367	6.2%	+/-0.5
Divorced	42,213	+/-3,211	9.2%	+/-0.7
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	15,966	+/-1,974	15,966	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	3,046	+/-1,171	19.1%	+/-6.4
Per 1,000 unmarried women	23	+/-9	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	56	+/-7	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	14	+/-11	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	86	+/-14	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	43	+/-10	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	22,330	+/-2,633	22,330	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	3,531	+/-1,035	15.8%	+/-4.4
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	1,369	+/-778	6.1%	+/-3.4
1 or 2 years	774	+/-466	3.5%	+/-2.1
3 or 4 years	750	+/-385	3.4%	+/-1.8
5 or more years	638	+/-402	2.9%	+/-1.7
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	3,531	+/-1,035	3,531	(X)
Who are female	2,149	+/-659	60.9%	+/-6.9
Who are married	2,649	+/-948	75.0%	+/-10.2
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	305,287	+/-4,697	305,287	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	22,595	+/-2,231	7.4%	+/-0.7
Kindergarten	12,354	+/-1,528	4.0%	+/-0.5
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	118,753	+/-1,962	38.9%	+/-0.8
High school (grades 9-12)	63,185	+/-2,133	20.7%	+/-0.7
College or graduate school	88,400	+/-3,837	29.0%	+/-0.9
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	763,519	+/-232	763,519	(X)
Less than 9th grade	40,248	+/-4,757	5.3%	+/-0.6
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	28,494	+/-2,761	3.7%	+/-0.4
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	102,095	+/-5,726	13.4%	+/-0.7
Some college, no degree	106,276	+/-5,065	13.9%	+/-0.7
Associate's degree	41,303	+/-3,310	5.4%	+/-0.4
Bachelor's degree	235,266	+/-6,701	30.8%	+/-0.9
Graduate or professional degree	209,837	+/-7,017	27.5%	+/-0.9
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	(X)	91.0%	+/-0.7
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	(X)	58.3%	+/-0.9
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	840,075	+/-1,832	840,075	(X)
Civilian veterans	83,890	+/-3,634	10.0%	+/-0.4

Subject	Fairfax County, Virginia			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	1,103,966	+/-2,009	1,103,966	(X)
With a disability	69,014	+/-4,252	6.3%	+/-0.4
Under 18 years	266,571	+/-42	266,571	(X)
With a disability	5,020	+/-976	1.9%	+/-0.4
18 to 64 years	719,518	+/-1,961	719,518	(X)
With a disability	31,218	+/-3,237	4.3%	+/-0.5
65 years and over	117,877	+/-463	117,877	(X)
With a disability	32,776	+/-2,139	27.8%	+/-1.8
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	1,105,089	+/-1,451	1,105,089	(X)
Same house	954,370	+/-9,431	86.4%	+/-0.8
Different house in the U.S.	134,596	+/-8,970	12.2%	+/-0.8
Same county	69,366	+/-6,060	6.3%	+/-0.5
Different county	65,230	+/-5,976	5.9%	+/-0.5
Same state	27,887	+/-3,784	2.5%	+/-0.3
Different state	37,343	+/-4,974	3.4%	+/-0.5
Abroad	16,123	+/-2,968	1.5%	+/-0.3
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	1,118,602	*****	1,118,602	(X)
Native	784,724	+/-7,228	70.2%	+/-0.6
Born in United States	757,729	+/-6,746	67.7%	+/-0.6
State of residence	292,571	+/-6,861	26.2%	+/-0.6
Different state	465,158	+/-7,925	41.6%	+/-0.7
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	26,995	+/-2,299	2.4%	+/-0.2
Foreign born	333,878	+/-7,228	29.8%	+/-0.6
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	333,878	+/-7,228	333,878	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	172,169	+/-6,488	51.6%	+/-1.8
Not a U.S. citizen	161,709	+/-7,330	48.4%	+/-1.8
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	360,873	+/-6,746	360,873	(X)
Native	26,995	+/-2,299	26,995	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	1,381	+/-696	5.1%	+/-2.4
Entered before 2010	25,614	+/-2,088	94.9%	+/-2.4
Foreign born	333,878	+/-7,228	333,878	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	25,794	+/-3,967	7.7%	+/-1.2
Entered before 2010	308,084	+/-7,262	92.3%	+/-1.2
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	333,878	+/-7,228	333,878	(X)
Europe	24,583	+/-3,017	7.4%	+/-0.9
Asia	171,335	+/-4,745	51.3%	+/-1.2
Africa	32,478	+/-4,693	9.7%	+/-1.3
Oceania	679	+/-324	0.2%	+/-0.1
Latin America	100,816	+/-3,775	30.2%	+/-1.1
Northern America	3,987	+/-1,229	1.2%	+/-0.4

Subject	Fairfax County, Virginia			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	1,044,180	+/-244	1,044,180	(X)
English only	643,147	+/-7,793	61.6%	+/-0.7
Language other than English	401,033	+/-7,809	38.4%	+/-0.7
Speak English less than "very well"	158,216	+/-7,026	15.2%	+/-0.7
Spanish	141,810	+/-4,783	13.6%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	64,511	+/-4,896	6.2%	+/-0.5
Other Indo-European languages	96,208	+/-7,199	9.2%	+/-0.7
Speak English less than "very well"	26,942	+/-3,485	2.6%	+/-0.3
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	119,701	+/-6,117	11.5%	+/-0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	51,964	+/-4,146	5.0%	+/-0.4
Other languages	43,314	+/-5,539	4.1%	+/-0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	14,799	+/-2,442	1.4%	+/-0.2
ANCESTRY				
Total population	1,118,602	****	1,118,602	(X)
American	59,651	+/-5,264	5.3%	+/-0.5
Arab	31,202	+/-5,312	2.8%	+/-0.5
Czech	3,589	+/-718	0.3%	+/-0.1
Danish	3,699	+/-955	0.3%	+/-0.1
Dutch	8,617	+/-1,505	0.8%	+/-0.1
English	95,952	+/-5,345	8.6%	+/-0.5
French (except Basque)	23,896	+/-2,737	2.1%	+/-0.2
French Canadian	4,648	+/-1,167	0.4%	+/-0.1
German	125,411	+/-6,137	11.2%	+/-0.5
Greek	7,643	+/-1,714	0.7%	+/-0.2
Hungarian	5,421	+/-1,120	0.5%	+/-0.1
Irish	114,480	+/-6,274	10.2%	+/-0.6
Italian	58,707	+/-4,618	5.2%	+/-0.4
Lithuanian	3,753	+/-1,220	0.3%	+/-0.1
Norwegian	9,220	+/-1,719	0.8%	+/-0.2
Polish	30,788	+/-3,223	2.8%	+/-0.3
Portuguese	3,298	+/-1,189	0.3%	+/-0.1
Russian	13,821	+/-2,741	1.2%	+/-0.2
Scotch-Irish	14,609	+/-2,437	1.3%	+/-0.2
Scottish	25,355	+/-2,342	2.3%	+/-0.2
Slovak	3,369	+/-927	0.3%	+/-0.1
Subsaharan African	40,127	+/-5,546	3.6%	+/-0.5
Swedish	9,225	+/-1,668	0.8%	+/-0.1
Swiss	4,098	+/-1,115	0.4%	+/-0.1
Ukrainian	5,136	+/-1,229	0.5%	+/-0.1
Welsh	7,146	+/-1,298	0.6%	+/-0.1
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	4,309	+/-1,450	0.4%	+/-0.1

Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see Accuracy of the Data). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

Ancestry listed in this table refers to the total number of people who responded with a particular ancestry; for example, the estimate given for Russian represents the number of people who listed Russian as either their first or second ancestry. This table lists only the largest ancestry groups; see the Detailed Tables for more categories. Race and Hispanic origin groups are not included in this table because official data for those groups come from the Race and Hispanic origin questions rather than the ancestry question (see Demographic Table).

Data for year of entry of the native population reflect the year of entry into the U.S. by people who were born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island Areas or born outside the U.S. to a U.S. citizen parent and who subsequently moved to the U.S.

Fertility data are not available for certain geographic areas due to problems with data collection. See Errate Note #92 for details.

The Census Bureau introduced a new set of disability questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Accordingly, comparisons of disability data from 2008 or later with data from prior years are not recommended. For more information on these questions and their evaluation in the 2006 ACS Content Test, see the Evaluation Report Covering Disability.

While the 2012 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the December 2009 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2000 data. Boundaries for urban areas have not been updated since Census 2000. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2012 American Community Survey

Explanation of Symbols:

1. An '***' entry in the margin of error column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the margin of error. A statistical test is not appropriate.
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8. An '(X)' means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.



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Supporting documentation on code lists, subject definitions, data accuracy, and statistical testing can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Data and Documentation section.

Sample size and data quality measures (including coverage rates, allocation rates, and response rates) can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Methodology section.

Although the American Community Survey (ACS) produces population, demographic and housing unit estimates, it is the Census Bureau's Population Estimates Program that produces and disseminates the official estimates of the population for the nation, states, counties, cities and towns and estimates of housing units for states and counties.

Subject	Fairfax County, Virginia			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
EMPLOYMENT STATUS				
Population 16 years and over	881,742	+/-1,192	881,742	(X)
In labor force	646,270	+/-5,789	73.3%	+/-0.7
Civilian labor force	634,350	+/-5,837	71.9%	+/-0.7
Employed	606,250	+/-6,119	68.8%	+/-0.7
Unemployed	28,100	+/-3,259	3.2%	+/-0.4
Armed Forces	11,920	+/-1,832	1.4%	+/-0.2
Not in labor force	235,472	+/-5,999	26.7%	+/-0.7
Civilian labor force	634,350	+/-5,837	634,350	(X)
Percent Unemployed	(X)	(X)	4.4%	+/-0.5
Females 16 years and over				
Population 16 years and over	449,253	+/-849	449,253	(X)
In labor force	299,435	+/-4,115	66.7%	+/-0.9
Civilian labor force	297,325	+/-4,183	66.2%	+/-0.9
Employed	283,821	+/-4,450	63.2%	+/-1.0
Own children under 6 years				
Population	87,479	+/-1,897	87,479	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	55,119	+/-3,291	63.0%	+/-3.6
Own children 6 to 17 years				
Population	173,572	+/-2,127	173,572	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	120,514	+/-4,524	69.4%	+/-2.3
COMMUTING TO WORK				
Workers 16 years and over	606,954	+/-5,926	606,954	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	434,533	+/-7,489	71.6%	+/-1.1
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	61,764	+/-5,298	10.2%	+/-0.8
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	54,977	+/-4,484	9.1%	+/-0.7
Walked	10,820	+/-1,757	1.8%	+/-0.3
Other means	9,589	+/-1,800	1.6%	+/-0.3
Worked at home	35,271	+/-2,912	5.8%	+/-0.5
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	31.7	+/-0.5	(X)	(X)
OCCUPATION				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	606,250	+/-6,119	606,250	(X)

Subject	Fairfax County, Virginia			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Management, business, science, and arts occupations	333,232	+/-6,884	55.0%	+/-1.1
Service occupations	91,322	+/-5,281	15.1%	+/-0.8
Sales and office occupations	119,337	+/-5,565	19.7%	+/-0.9
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	35,058	+/-3,362	5.8%	+/-0.5
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	27,301	+/-2,429	4.5%	+/-0.4
INDUSTRY				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	606,250	+/-6,119	606,250	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	1,691	+/-677	0.3%	+/-0.1
Construction	34,324	+/-3,573	5.7%	+/-0.6
Manufacturing	17,048	+/-1,806	2.8%	+/-0.3
Wholesale trade	8,075	+/-1,484	1.3%	+/-0.2
Retail trade	52,810	+/-4,766	8.7%	+/-0.8
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	17,308	+/-2,326	2.9%	+/-0.4
Information	17,062	+/-2,048	2.8%	+/-0.3
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	40,279	+/-2,501	6.6%	+/-0.4
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	151,197	+/-6,098	24.9%	+/-1.0
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	103,422	+/-4,639	17.1%	+/-0.7
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	49,116	+/-3,831	8.1%	+/-0.6
Other services, except public administration	40,430	+/-3,728	6.7%	+/-0.6
Public administration	73,488	+/-3,967	12.1%	+/-0.7
CLASS OF WORKER				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	606,250	+/-6,119	606,250	(X)
Private wage and salary workers	441,663	+/-7,201	72.9%	+/-0.9
Government workers	128,746	+/-4,819	21.2%	+/-0.8
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	34,955	+/-3,091	5.8%	+/-0.5
Unpaid family workers	886	+/-518	0.1%	+/-0.1
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2012 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)				
Total households	391,216	+/-2,463	391,216	(X)
Less than \$10,000	9,029	+/-1,559	2.3%	+/-0.4
\$10,000 to \$14,999	4,236	+/-947	1.1%	+/-0.2
\$15,000 to \$24,999	14,799	+/-1,761	3.8%	+/-0.4
\$25,000 to \$34,999	17,637	+/-2,323	4.5%	+/-0.6
\$35,000 to \$49,999	26,832	+/-2,637	6.9%	+/-0.7
\$50,000 to \$74,999	55,508	+/-3,400	14.2%	+/-0.9
\$75,000 to \$99,999	52,081	+/-3,345	13.3%	+/-0.9
\$100,000 to \$149,999	83,511	+/-3,882	21.3%	+/-1.0
\$150,000 to \$199,999	53,334	+/-2,735	13.6%	+/-0.7
\$200,000 or more	74,249	+/-3,114	19.0%	+/-0.8
Median household income (dollars)	107,096	+/-2,544	(X)	(X)
Mean household income (dollars)	138,039	+/-1,915	(X)	(X)
With earnings				
Mean earnings (dollars)	349,964	+/-3,559	89.5%	+/-0.7
With Social Security	131,761	+/-2,030	(X)	(X)
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	72,839	+/-2,361	18.6%	+/-0.6
With retirement income	17,693	+/-535	(X)	(X)
Mean retirement income (dollars)	78,427	+/-3,140	20.0%	+/-0.8
With Supplemental Security Income	46,068	+/-1,559	(X)	(X)
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	5,856	+/-1,095	1.5%	+/-0.3
With cash public assistance income	8,435	+/-1,079	(X)	(X)
Mean cash public assistance income	3,641	+/-1,066	0.9%	+/-0.3

Subject	Fairfax County, Virginia			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	4,454	+/-1,285	(X)	(X)
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	15,134	+/-1,897	3.9%	+/-0.5
Families	277,376	+/-4,573	277,376	(X)
Less than \$10,000	4,562	+/-1,214	1.6%	+/-0.4
\$10,000 to \$14,999	1,270	+/-450	0.5%	+/-0.2
\$15,000 to \$24,999	8,289	+/-1,319	3.0%	+/-0.5
\$25,000 to \$34,999	11,282	+/-1,982	4.1%	+/-0.7
\$35,000 to \$49,999	17,021	+/-2,236	6.1%	+/-0.8
\$50,000 to \$74,999	31,347	+/-2,759	11.3%	+/-1.0
\$75,000 to \$99,999	33,292	+/-2,371	12.0%	+/-0.8
\$100,000 to \$149,999	59,828	+/-3,184	21.6%	+/-1.1
\$150,000 to \$199,999	43,089	+/-2,436	15.5%	+/-0.9
\$200,000 or more	67,396	+/-2,881	24.3%	+/-1.1
Median family income (dollars)	124,831	+/-3,284	(X)	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	156,145	+/-3,171	(X)	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)	49,572	+/-759	(X)	(X)
Nonfamily households	113,840	+/-4,141	113,840	(X)
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	74,457	+/-3,486	(X)	(X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	89,007	+/-3,150	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	50,207	+/-866	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	81,203	+/-1,559	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	60,150	+/-2,748	(X)	(X)
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE				
Civilian noninstitutionalized population	1,103,966	+/-2,009	1,103,966	(X)
With health insurance coverage	962,772	+/-8,278	87.2%	+/-0.7
With private health insurance	881,224	+/-9,826	79.8%	+/-0.9
With public coverage	186,355	+/-6,163	16.9%	+/-0.6
No health insurance coverage	141,194	+/-7,959	12.8%	+/-0.7
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 18 years	266,571	+/-42	266,571	(X)
No health insurance coverage	14,523	+/-2,721	5.4%	+/-1.0
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 18 to 64 years	719,518	+/-1,961	719,518	(X)
In labor force:	595,607	+/-5,097	595,607	(X)
Employed:	569,337	+/-5,358	569,337	(X)
With health insurance coverage	480,323	+/-7,419	84.4%	+/-1.0
With private health insurance	474,034	+/-7,174	83.3%	+/-1.0
With public coverage	16,079	+/-2,313	2.8%	+/-0.4
No health insurance coverage	89,014	+/-5,884	15.6%	+/-1.0
Unemployed:	26,270	+/-3,045	26,270	(X)
With health insurance coverage	15,149	+/-1,853	57.7%	+/-5.3
With private health insurance	13,201	+/-1,696	50.3%	+/-5.3
With public coverage	2,419	+/-887	9.2%	+/-3.3
No health insurance coverage	11,121	+/-2,196	42.3%	+/-5.3
Not in labor force:	123,911	+/-4,859	123,911	(X)
With health insurance coverage	100,218	+/-3,961	80.9%	+/-2.1
With private health insurance	91,852	+/-3,671	74.1%	+/-2.2
With public coverage	13,548	+/-1,968	10.9%	+/-1.5
No health insurance coverage	23,693	+/-2,995	19.1%	+/-2.1

Subject	Fairfax County, Virginia			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL				
All families	(X)	(X)	3.7%	+/-0.5
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	5.7%	+/-1.0
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	1.6%	+/-1.1
Married couple families	(X)	(X)	2.1%	+/-0.5
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	3.0%	+/-0.8
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	0.5%	+/-0.6
Families with female householder, no husband present	(X)	(X)	12.9%	+/-3.1
With related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	21.1%	+/-5.5
With related children under 5 years only	(X)	(X)	8.9%	+/-8.6
All people	(X)	(X)	5.8%	+/-0.7
Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	7.8%	+/-1.4
Related children under 18 years	(X)	(X)	7.5%	+/-1.3
Related children under 5 years	(X)	(X)	6.1%	+/-1.8
Related children 5 to 17 years	(X)	(X)	8.0%	+/-1.4
18 years and over	(X)	(X)	5.2%	+/-0.6
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	5.4%	+/-0.7
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	3.8%	+/-0.8
People in families	(X)	(X)	4.4%	+/-0.7
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	(X)	(X)	13.1%	+/-1.7

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Employment and unemployment estimates may vary from the official labor force data released by the Bureau of Labor Statistics because of differences in survey design and data collection. For guidance on differences in employment and unemployment estimates from different sources go to Labor Force Guidance.

The Census Bureau introduced an improved sequence of labor force questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Accordingly, we recommend using caution when making labor force data comparisons from 2008 or later with data from prior years. For more information on these questions and their evaluation in the 2006 ACS Content Test, see the "Evaluation Report Covering Employment Status" at http://www.census.gov/acs/www/Downloads/methodology/content_test/P6a_Employment_Status.pdf, and the "Evaluation Report Covering Weeks Worked" at http://www.census.gov/acs/www/Downloads/methodology/content_test/P6b_Weeks_Worked_Final_Report.pdf. Additional information can also be found at <http://www.census.gov/people/laborforce/>.

Workers include members of the Armed Forces and civilians who were at work last week.

Industry codes are 4-digit codes and are based on the North American Industry Classification System 2007. The Industry categories adhere to the guidelines issued in Clarification Memorandum No. 2, "NAICS Alternate Aggregation Structure for Use By U.S. Statistical Agencies," issued by the Office of Management and Budget.

Occupation codes are 4-digit codes and are based on Standard Occupational Classification 2010.

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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS

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Sample size and data quality measures (including coverage rates, allocation rates, and response rates) can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Methodology section.

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	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSING OCCUPANCY				
Total housing units	408,577	+/-651	408,577	(X)
Occupied housing units	391,216	+/-2,463	95.8%	+/-0.6
Vacant housing units	17,361	+/-2,303	4.2%	+/-0.6
Homeowner vacancy rate	1.0	+/-0.4	(X)	(X)
Rental vacancy rate	3.0	+/-0.9	(X)	(X)
UNITS IN STRUCTURE				
Total housing units	408,577	+/-651	408,577	(X)
1-unit, detached	193,491	+/-3,733	47.4%	+/-0.9
1-unit, attached	95,531	+/-3,415	23.4%	+/-0.8
2 units	1,594	+/-697	0.4%	+/-0.2
3 or 4 units	4,812	+/-1,371	1.2%	+/-0.3
5 to 9 units	18,541	+/-2,274	4.5%	+/-0.6
10 to 19 units	44,154	+/-3,370	10.8%	+/-0.8
20 or more units	48,354	+/-2,712	11.8%	+/-0.7
Mobile home	1,761	+/-664	0.4%	+/-0.2
Boat, RV, van, etc.	339	+/-365	0.1%	+/-0.1
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT				
Total housing units	408,577	+/-651	408,577	(X)
Built 2010 or later	3,759	+/-1,046	0.9%	+/-0.3
Built 2000 to 2009	48,982	+/-2,850	12.0%	+/-0.7
Built 1990 to 1999	59,419	+/-2,834	14.5%	+/-0.7
Built 1980 to 1989	98,563	+/-3,434	24.1%	+/-0.8
Built 1970 to 1979	85,021	+/-3,855	20.8%	+/-0.9
Built 1960 to 1969	58,841	+/-3,647	14.4%	+/-0.9
Built 1950 to 1959	38,022	+/-2,630	9.3%	+/-0.6
Built 1940 to 1949	11,384	+/-1,908	2.8%	+/-0.5
Built 1939 or earlier	4,586	+/-953	1.1%	+/-0.2
ROOMS				
Total housing units	408,577	+/-651	408,577	(X)
1 room	3,413	+/-1,159	0.8%	+/-0.3
2 rooms	11,780	+/-1,738	2.9%	+/-0.4

Subject	Fairfax County, Virginia			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
3 rooms	38,201	+/-3,490	9.3%	+/-0.9
4 rooms	53,468	+/-3,251	13.1%	+/-0.8
5 rooms	47,347	+/-3,181	11.6%	+/-0.8
6 rooms	46,780	+/-3,564	11.4%	+/-0.9
7 rooms	46,380	+/-2,701	11.4%	+/-0.7
8 rooms	47,369	+/-2,737	11.6%	+/-0.7
9 rooms or more	113,839	+/-3,119	27.9%	+/-0.8
Median rooms	6.6	+/-0.1	(X)	(X)
BEDROOMS				
Total housing units	408,577	+/-651	408,577	(X)
No bedroom	3,869	+/-1,194	0.9%	+/-0.3
1 bedroom	42,673	+/-2,926	10.4%	+/-0.7
2 bedrooms	84,263	+/-4,118	20.6%	+/-1.0
3 bedrooms	117,868	+/-4,612	28.8%	+/-1.1
4 bedrooms	108,565	+/-3,876	26.6%	+/-0.9
5 or more bedrooms	51,339	+/-2,730	12.6%	+/-0.7
HOUSING TENURE				
Occupied housing units	391,216	+/-2,463	391,216	(X)
Owner-occupied	261,125	+/-3,651	66.7%	+/-0.9
Renter-occupied	130,091	+/-3,936	33.3%	+/-0.9
Average household size of owner-occupied unit	2.85	+/-0.03	(X)	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	2.80	+/-0.07	(X)	(X)
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT				
Occupied housing units	391,216	+/-2,463	391,216	(X)
Moved in 2010 or later	111,912	+/-4,181	28.6%	+/-1.0
Moved in 2000 to 2009	158,157	+/-4,701	40.4%	+/-1.2
Moved in 1990 to 1999	61,655	+/-2,837	15.8%	+/-0.7
Moved in 1980 to 1989	37,148	+/-2,113	9.5%	+/-0.5
Moved in 1970 to 1979	14,644	+/-1,270	3.7%	+/-0.3
Moved in 1969 or earlier	7,700	+/-908	2.0%	+/-0.2
VEHICLES AVAILABLE				
Occupied housing units	391,216	+/-2,463	391,216	(X)
No vehicles available	18,008	+/-1,945	4.6%	+/-0.5
1 vehicle available	114,202	+/-4,254	29.2%	+/-1.1
2 vehicles available	166,245	+/-4,204	42.5%	+/-1.1
3 or more vehicles available	92,761	+/-4,181	23.7%	+/-1.1
HOUSE HEATING FUEL				
Occupied housing units	391,216	+/-2,463	391,216	(X)
Utility gas	224,139	+/-4,385	57.3%	+/-1.1
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	4,311	+/-862	1.1%	+/-0.2
Electricity	151,186	+/-4,135	38.6%	+/-1.0
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	9,467	+/-1,202	2.4%	+/-0.3
Coal or coke	38	+/-56	0.0%	+/-0.1
Wood	718	+/-309	0.2%	+/-0.1
Solar energy	48	+/-79	0.0%	+/-0.1
Other fuel	764	+/-364	0.2%	+/-0.1
No fuel used	545	+/-218	0.1%	+/-0.1
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS				
Occupied housing units	391,216	+/-2,463	391,216	(X)
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	138	+/-169	0.0%	+/-0.1
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	2,005	+/-855	0.5%	+/-0.2
No telephone service available	4,146	+/-818	1.1%	+/-0.2

Subject	Fairfax County, Virginia			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
OCCUPANTS PER ROOM				
Occupied housing units	391,216	+/-2,463	391,216	(X)
1.00 or less	378,416	+/-2,913	96.7%	+/-0.5
1.01 to 1.50	9,150	+/-1,538	2.3%	+/-0.4
1.51 or more	3,650	+/-989	0.9%	+/-0.3
VALUE				
Owner-occupied units	261,125	+/-3,651	261,125	(X)
Less than \$50,000	1,786	+/-441	0.7%	+/-0.2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	2,338	+/-743	0.9%	+/-0.3
\$100,000 to \$149,999	4,078	+/-927	1.6%	+/-0.4
\$150,000 to \$199,999	7,684	+/-1,132	2.9%	+/-0.4
\$200,000 to \$299,999	30,036	+/-2,222	11.5%	+/-0.8
\$300,000 to \$499,999	92,454	+/-3,904	35.4%	+/-1.3
\$500,000 to \$999,999	104,872	+/-2,834	40.2%	+/-1.0
\$1,000,000 or more	17,877	+/-1,420	6.8%	+/-0.6
Median (dollars)	483,000	+/-6,021	(X)	(X)
MORTGAGE STATUS				
Owner-occupied units	261,125	+/-3,651	261,125	(X)
Housing units with a mortgage	211,363	+/-3,740	80.9%	+/-0.8
Housing units without a mortgage	49,762	+/-2,243	19.1%	+/-0.8
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS (SMOC)				
Housing units with a mortgage	211,363	+/-3,740	211,363	(X)
Less than \$300	181	+/-150	0.1%	+/-0.1
\$300 to \$499	341	+/-172	0.2%	+/-0.1
\$500 to \$699	1,531	+/-552	0.7%	+/-0.3
\$700 to \$999	5,385	+/-990	2.5%	+/-0.5
\$1,000 to \$1,499	20,583	+/-1,719	9.7%	+/-0.8
\$1,500 to \$1,999	38,875	+/-2,430	18.4%	+/-1.1
\$2,000 or more	144,467	+/-3,845	68.4%	+/-1.4
Median (dollars)	2,496	+/-41	(X)	(X)
Housing units without a mortgage	49,762	+/-2,243	49,762	(X)
Less than \$100	249	+/-175	0.5%	+/-0.4
\$100 to \$199	308	+/-180	0.6%	+/-0.4
\$200 to \$299	1,073	+/-381	2.2%	+/-0.8
\$300 to \$399	2,091	+/-561	4.2%	+/-1.1
\$400 or more	46,041	+/-2,271	92.5%	+/-1.4
Median (dollars)	723	+/-17	(X)	(X)
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (SMOCAPI)				
Housing units with a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)	210,608	+/-3,746	210,608	(X)
Less than 20.0 percent	91,629	+/-3,136	43.5%	+/-1.5
20.0 to 24.9 percent	32,852	+/-2,404	15.6%	+/-1.1
25.0 to 29.9 percent	28,379	+/-2,224	13.5%	+/-1.0
30.0 to 34.9 percent	16,909	+/-1,638	8.0%	+/-0.7
35.0 percent or more	40,839	+/-2,727	19.4%	+/-1.2
Not computed	755	+/-515	(X)	(X)
Housing unit without a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)	49,379	+/-2,238	49,379	(X)
Less than 10.0 percent	27,978	+/-1,879	56.7%	+/-2.9
10.0 to 14.9 percent	8,612	+/-1,286	17.4%	+/-2.5
15.0 to 19.9 percent	4,196	+/-767	8.5%	+/-1.6

Subject	Fairfax County, Virginia			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
20.0 to 24.9 percent	2,135	+/-666	4.3%	+/-1.3
25.0 to 29.9 percent	1,314	+/-422	2.7%	+/-0.9
30.0 to 34.9 percent	1,096	+/-532	2.2%	+/-1.1
35.0 percent or more	4,048	+/-820	8.2%	+/-1.6
Not computed	383	+/-253	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT				
Occupied units paying rent	126,478	+/-3,827	126,478	(X)
Less than \$200	668	+/-379	0.5%	+/-0.3
\$200 to \$299	1,092	+/-567	0.9%	+/-0.4
\$300 to \$499	1,408	+/-548	1.1%	+/-0.4
\$500 to \$749	2,690	+/-821	2.1%	+/-0.7
\$750 to \$999	4,179	+/-1,049	3.3%	+/-0.8
\$1,000 to \$1,499	40,861	+/-3,041	32.3%	+/-2.2
\$1,500 or more	75,580	+/-3,769	59.8%	+/-2.2
Median (dollars)	1,656	+/-33	(X)	(X)
No rent paid	3,613	+/-932	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (GRAPI)				
Occupied units paying rent (excluding units where GRAPI cannot be computed)	124,660	+/-3,693	124,660	(X)
Less than 15.0 percent	10,888	+/-1,462	8.7%	+/-1.2
15.0 to 19.9 percent	19,391	+/-1,938	15.6%	+/-1.5
20.0 to 24.9 percent	19,358	+/-1,644	15.5%	+/-1.3
25.0 to 29.9 percent	16,680	+/-2,153	13.4%	+/-1.6
30.0 to 34.9 percent	12,849	+/-1,652	10.3%	+/-1.2
35.0 percent or more	45,494	+/-2,872	36.5%	+/-2.0
Not computed	5,431	+/-1,024	(X)	(X)

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