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Cherokee	1	4,888	0.20	0	4,943	0.00	0	4,614	0.00	-50.0000%	-50.0000%
Clay	0	2,037	0.00	0	1,973	0.00	0	1,793	0.00	0.0000%	0.0000%
Graham	0	1,725	0.00	0	1,714	0.00	0	1,694	0.00	0.0000%	0.0000%
Haywood	41	11,331	3.62	65	11,211	5.80	33	10,870	3.04	4.6529%	6.2977%
Jackson	10	7,453	1.34	15	7,404	2.03	6	7,075	0.85	-5.0000%	-3.5736%
Macon	5	6,665	0.75	2	6,657	0.30	0	6,556	0.00	-80.0000%	-79.9760%
Swain	4	3,271	1.22	3	3,346	0.90	1	3,262	0.31	-45.8333%	-46.2447%
Region A Totals	61	37,370	1.63	85	37,248	2.28	40	35,864	1.12	-6.7985%	-5.6623%
Buncombe	132	49,433	2.67	178	49,116	3.62	110	48,120	2.29	-1.6769%	-0.6022%
Henderson	45	21,945	2.05	64	21,666	2.95	29	20,917	1.39	-6.2326%	-4.5056%
Madison	12	3,974	3.02	10	3,872	2.58	12	3,596	3.34	1.6667%	7.3694%
Transylvania	36	5,621	6.40	22	5,575	3.95	14	5,216	2.68	-37.6263%	-35.1842%
Region B Totals	225	80,973	2.78	274	80,229	3.42	165	77,849	2.12	-9.0016%	-7.5165%
Cleveland	2	21,069	0.09	1	21,158	0.05	0	21,158	0.00	-75.0000%	-75.1052%
McDowell	32	9,060	3.53	28	8,931	3.14	30	8,528	3.52	-2.6786%	0.4849%
Polk	5	3,380	1.48	0	3,380	0.00	5	2,881	1.74	-50.0000%	-50.0000%
Rutherford	12	13,654	0.88	0	13,574	0.00	0	12,748	0.00	-50.0000%	-50.0000%
Region C Totals	51	47,163	1.08	29	47,043	0.62	35	45,315	0.77	-11.2238%	-8.8501%
Alleghany	0	1,936	0.00	0	1,920	0.00	0	1,873	0.00	0.0000%	0.0000%
Ashe	0	4,890	0.00	0	4,850	0.00	0	4,556	0.00	0.0000%	0.0000%
Avery	0	2,705	0.00	0	2,688	0.00	0	2,697	0.00	0.0000%	0.0000%
Mitchell	14	2,752	5.09	13	2,691	4.83	9	2,700	3.33	-18.9560%	-18.0190%
Watauga	0	6,936	0.00	0	6,809	0.00	0	6,572	0.00	0.0000%	0.0000%
Wilkes	1	13,873	0.07	2	13,692	0.15	0	12,718	0.00	0.0000%	1.3219%
Yancey	11	3,333	3.30	9	3,364	2.68	8	3,343	2.39	-14.6465%	-14.7443%
Region D Totals	26	36,425	0.71	24	36,014	0.67	17	34,459	0.49	-18.4295%	-16.3046%
Alexander	3	7,557	0.40	1	7,447	0.13	1	6,791	0.15	-33.3333%	-28.2572%
Burke	3	17,966	0.17	1	17,806	0.06	0	17,007	0.00	-83.3333%	-83.1836%
Caldwell	1	16,178	0.06	0	16,256	0.00	0	15,316	0.00	-50.0000%	-50.0000%
Catawba	5	34,478	0.15	6	34,275	0.18	2	33,408	0.06	-23.3333%	-22.5454%
Region E Totals	12	76,179	0.16	8	75,784	0.11	3	72,522	0.04	-47.9167%	-46.8996%
Anson	0	5,049	0.00	0	4,842	0.00	0	4,632	0.00	0.0000%	0.0000%
Cabarrus	76	51,395	1.48	85	51,470	1.65	62	53,185	1.17	-7.6084%	-8.8659%
Gaston	125	49,449	2.53	113	49,457	2.28	131	49,484	2.65	3.1646%	3.1257%
Iredell	11	38,842	0.28	14	38,501	0.36	16	38,678	0.41	20.7792%	21.0813%
Lincoln	12	17,337	0.69	15	17,539	0.86	22	17,116	1.29	35.8333%	36.9258%
Mecklenburg *	391	260,961	1.50	444	262,456	1.69	368	259,776	1.42	-1.7811%	-1.6769%
Rowan	7	31,515	0.22	8	31,404	0.25	1	31,753	0.03	-36.6071%	-36.4739%
Stanly	137	13,235	10.35	32	13,264	2.41	0	12,679	0.00	-88.3212%	-88.3467%
Union	38	57,803	0.66	37	54,824	0.67	35	53,196	0.66	-4.0185%	0.0744%
Region F Totals	797	525,586	1.52	748	523,757	1.43	635	520,499	1.22	-10.6275%	-10.1979%
Alamance	26	36,891	0.70	18	36,656	0.49	6	36,836	0.16	-48.7179%	-48.5775%
Caswell	1	4,170	0.24	2	4,115	0.49	0	3,864	0.00	0.0000%	1.3366%
Davidson	13	35,714	0.36	12	35,572	0.34	25	34,831	0.72	50.3205%	52.7208%
Guilford *	115	116,240	0.99	92	115,226	0.80	90	113,361	0.79	-11.0870%	-9.9302%
Montgomery	5	5,865	0.85	0	5,788	0.00	0	5,560	0.00	-50.0000%	-50.0000%
Randolph	59	31,385	1.88	8	31,091	0.26	5	30,552	0.16	-61.9703%	-61.3549%
Rockingham	4	18,118	0.22	6	17,915	0.33	3	17,427	0.17	0.0000%	1.5499%
Region G Totals	223	248,383	0.90	138	246,363	0.56	129	242,431	0.53	-22.3192%	-21.3074%

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Davie	1	8,435	0.12	3	8,349	0.36	11	8,091	1.36	233.3333%	240.7244%
Forsyth *	31	86,806	0.36	30	86,698	0.35	87	85,163	1.02	93.3871%	96.0609%
Stokes	4	8,379	0.48	0	8,312	0.00	3	7,686	0.39	-50.0000%	-50.0000%
Surry	3	15,060	0.20	2	15,080	0.13	7	14,587	0.48	108.3333%	114.2036%
Yadkin	0	7,675	0.00	2	7,632	0.26	4	7,389	0.54	50.0000%	53.2887%
Region I Totals	39	126,355	0.31	37	126,071	0.29	112	122,916	0.91	98.7872%	102.7790%
Chatham	4	13,946	0.29	0	13,866	0.00	0	13,448	0.00	-50.0000%	-50.0000%
Durham	33	74,042	0.45	16	75,401	0.21	11	74,987	0.15	-41.3826%	-41.6297%
Johnston	23	49,760	0.46	20	50,400	0.40	4	51,551	0.08	-46.5217%	-47.2971%
Lee	0	15,116	0.00	0	15,117	0.00	0	15,013	0.00	0.0000%	0.0000%
Moore *	1	20,710	0.05	3	20,865	0.14	2	20,509	0.10	83.3333%	82.7976%
Orange	13	26,440	0.49	7	25,990	0.27	1	25,329	0.04	-65.9341%	-65.2815%
Wake *	51	254,074	0.20	85	253,221	0.34	59	253,688	0.23	18.0392%	18.2560%
Region J Totals	125	454,088	0.28	131	454,860	0.29	77	454,525	0.17	-18.2107%	-18.2780%
Franklin	6	14,766	0.41	11	15,039	0.73	13	14,677	0.89	50.7576%	50.5510%
Granville	4	11,907	0.34	3	11,764	0.26	0	11,419	0.00	-62.5000%	-62.0442%
Person	4	8,273	0.48	3	8,181	0.37	4	7,841	0.51	4.1667%	7.4792%
Vance	2	10,579	0.19	2	10,388	0.19	4	9,682	0.41	50.0000%	58.2112%
Warren	1	3,619	0.28	0	3,534	0.00	0	3,300	0.00	-50.0000%	-50.0000%
Region K Totals	17	49,144	0.35	19	48,906	0.39	21	46,919	0.45	11.1455%	13.7578%
Edgecombe	2	11,948	0.17	2	11,746	0.17	1	11,197	0.09	-25.0000%	-22.9144%
Halifax	0	10,758	0.00	0	10,583	0.00	0	10,027	0.00	0.0000%	0.0000%
Nash	11	19,997	0.55	9	20,055	0.45	6	19,472	0.31	-25.7576%	-24.8779%
Northampton	0	3,714	0.00	0	3,621	0.00	0	3,304	0.00	0.0000%	0.0000%
Wilson	10	18,539	0.54	6	18,714	0.32	2	17,664	0.11	-53.3333%	-52.6232%
Region L Totals	23	64,956	0.35	17	64,719	0.26	9	61,664	0.15	-36.5729%	-35.1261%
Cumberland *	20	89,007	0.22	12	89,574	0.13	9	86,753	0.10	-32.5000%	-31.4705%
Harnett *	0	36,179	0.00	1	36,343	0.03	1	34,847	0.03	0.0000%	2.1465%
Sampson	12	15,442	0.78	7	15,331	0.46	3	14,185	0.21	-49.4048%	-47.4624%
Region M Totals	32	140,628	0.23	20	141,248	0.14	13	135,785	0.10	-36.2500%	-35.0796%
Bladen	6	7,084	0.85	11	6,981	1.58	8	6,550	1.22	28.0303%	31.7756%
Hoke *	3	16,702	0.18	1	16,725	0.06	1	16,161	0.06	-33.3333%	-31.6113%
Richmond	2	10,138	0.20	1	10,111	0.10	1	9,516	0.11	-25.0000%	-21.8069%
Robeson	83	30,835	2.69	89	30,719	2.90	71	24,451	2.90	-6.4979%	3.9297%
Scotland	5	8,306	0.60	1	8,285	0.12	0	7,756	0.00	-90.0000%	-89.9747%
Region N Totals	99	73,065	1.35	103	72,821	1.41	81	64,434	1.26	-8.6594%	-3.3670%
Brunswick	32	22,779	1.40	19	23,124	0.82	10	21,428	0.47	-43.9967%	-42.3568%
Columbus	5	11,593	0.43	5	11,414	0.44	0	10,246	0.00	-50.0000%	-49.2159%
New Hanover *	63	43,170	1.46	60	42,803	1.40	30	41,263	0.73	-27.3810%	-26.0396%
Pender	26	12,860	2.02	33	12,798	2.58	22	12,049	1.83	-3.2051%	-0.8256%
Region O Totals	126	90,402	1.39	117	90,139	1.30	62	84,986	0.73	-27.0757%	-25.3337%
Carteret *	3	11,946	0.25	2	11,844	0.17	1	11,012	0.09	-41.6667%	-39.4908%
Craven *	3	26,592	0.11	14	26,439	0.53	2	25,399	0.08	140.4762%	142.1189%
Duplin	19	13,942	1.36	15	13,985	1.07	10	12,790	0.78	-27.1930%	-24.1999%
Greene	1	4,335	0.23	0	4,278	0.00	0	4,159	0.00	-50.0000%	-50.0000%
Jones	0	1,965	0.00	0	1,938	0.00	5	1,764	2.83	0.0000%	0.0000%
Lenoir	4	12,251	0.33	4	12,248	0.33	2	11,926	0.17	-25.0000%	-24.3128%
Onslow *	72	61,453	1.17	61	64,223	0.95	37	63,582	0.58	-27.3110%	-28.8323%
Pamlico	0	1,983	0.00	0	1,934	0.00	0	1,802	0.00	0.0000%	0.0000%
Wayne *	9	30,405	0.30	6	30,509	0.20	2	28,785	0.07	-50.0000%	-49.1154%
Region P Totals	111	164,872	0.67	102	167,398	0.61	59	161,219	0.37	-25.1325%	-24.7173%

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Beaufort	1	9,338	0.11	0	9,156	0.00	0	8,640	0.00	-50.0000%	-50.0000%
Bertie	1	3,679	0.27	0	3,607	0.00	0	3,456	0.00	-50.0000%	-50.0000%
Hertford	0	4,620	0.00	0	4,535	0.00	0	4,091	0.00	0.0000%	0.0000%
Martin	1	4,625	0.22	1	4,518	0.22	1	4,361	0.23	0.0000%	2.9842%
Pitt *	1	38,807	0.03	2	39,207	0.05	0	37,930	0.00	0.0000%	-1.0202%
Region Q Totals	4	61,069	0.07	3	61,023	0.05	1	58,478	0.02	-45.8333%	-45.0797%
Camden	0	2,064	0.00	0	2,038	0.00	0	1,932	0.00	0.0000%	0.0000%
Chowan	0	2,834	0.00	0	2,780	0.00	0	2,745	0.00	0.0000%	0.0000%
Currituck	0	5,328	0.00	0	5,514	0.00	0	5,650	0.00	0.0000%	0.0000%
Dare	1	6,810	0.15	4	6,899	0.58	0	6,645	0.00	100.0000%	97.4199%
Gates	0	2,258	0.00	0	2,195	0.00	0	1,764	0.00	0.0000%	0.0000%
Hyde	0	860	0.00	0	840	0.00	0	759	0.00	0.0000%	0.0000%
Pasquotank *	0	8,986	0.00	0	9,151	0.00	0	9,066	0.00	0.0000%	0.0000%
Perquimans	0	2,469	0.00	0	2,490	0.00	0	2,319	0.00	0.0000%	0.0000%
Tyrrell	0	792	0.00	0	689	0.00	0	584	0.00	0.0000%	0.0000%
Washington	0	2,561	0.00	0	2,547	0.00	0	2,344	0.00	0.0000%	0.0000%
Region R Totals	1	34,962	0.03	4	35,143	0.11	0	33,808	0.00	100.0000%	98.9699%
Grand Totals	1,972	2,311,620	0.85	1,859	2,308,766	0.81	1,459	2,253,673	0.65	-13.6236%	-12.6060%

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Cherokee	127	15,849	8.01	121	15,618	7.75	132	15,188	8.69	2.1832%	4.4321%
Clay	107	6,233	17.17	42	6,159	6.82	53	5,751	9.22	-17.2786%	-12.5665%
Graham	25	4,809	5.20	48	4,739	10.13	25	4,243	5.89	22.0417%	26.5039%
Haywood	374	35,746	10.46	457	35,759	12.78	446	35,049	12.73	9.8928%	10.8590%
Jackson	111	28,163	3.94	142	28,010	5.07	114	27,048	4.21	4.1048%	5.8819%
Macon	139	19,263	7.22	230	19,527	11.78	205	19,684	10.41	27.2990%	25.8250%
Swain	67	8,093	8.28	82	8,165	10.04	66	7,975	8.28	1.4379%	1.8571%
Region A Totals	950	118,156	8.04	1,122	117,977	9.51	1,041	114,938	9.06	5.4430%	6.7592%
Buncombe	1,810	160,998	11.24	1,879	160,245	11.73	1,644	166,315	9.88	-4.3472%	-5.7000%
Henderson	950	64,403	14.75	796	64,329	12.37	835	63,660	13.12	-5.6555%	-5.0561%
Madison	151	13,434	11.24	147	13,311	11.04	130	12,465	10.43	-7.1068%	-3.6560%
Transylvania	216	18,576	11.63	256	18,436	13.89	218	16,948	12.86	1.8374%	6.0257%
Region B Totals	3,127	257,411	12.15	3,078	256,321	12.01	2,827	259,388	10.90	-4.8608%	-5.1945%
Cleveland	1,113	59,974	18.56	1,005	60,378	16.65	972	60,099	16.17	-6.4935%	-6.5711%
McDowell	548	27,786	19.72	583	27,574	21.14	519	26,175	19.83	-2.2954%	0.4926%
Polk	104	11,820	8.80	135	11,893	11.35	144	10,311	13.97	18.2372%	26.0216%
Rutherford	689	40,472	17.02	732	40,369	18.13	715	37,599	19.02	1.9593%	5.6929%
Region C Totals	2,454	140,052	17.52	2,455	140,214	17.51	2,350	134,184	17.51	-2.1181%	-0.0251%
Alleghany	62	6,580	9.42	88	6,617	13.30	138	6,060	22.77	49.3768%	56.1869%
Ashe	172	15,831	10.86	180	15,878	11.34	184	14,889	12.36	3.4367%	6.6769%
Avery	90	11,329	7.94	125	11,436	10.93	225	11,115	20.24	59.4444%	61.3939%
Mitchell	116	8,860	13.09	124	8,764	14.15	134	8,527	15.71	7.4805%	9.5678%
Watauga	174	41,454	4.20	187	40,486	4.62	286	37,428	7.64	30.2062%	37.7389%
Wilkes	529	41,125	12.86	514	41,029	12.53	520	38,352	13.56	-0.8341%	2.8103%
Yancey	109	10,598	10.28	134	10,774	12.44	128	10,495	12.20	9.2291%	9.4947%
Region D Totals	1,252	135,777	9.22	1,352	134,984	10.02	1,615	126,866	12.73	13.7199%	17.8590%
Alexander	191	23,181	8.24	213	23,092	9.22	186	21,790	8.54	-0.5789%	2.2449%
Burke	654	55,065	11.88	706	54,746	12.90	605	51,249	11.81	-3.1774%	0.0608%
Caldwell	578	50,722	11.40	633	50,995	12.41	551	48,370	11.39	-1.7193%	0.3495%
Catawba	1,173	96,405	12.17	1,173	96,900	12.11	1,061	97,656	10.86	-4.7741%	-5.3796%
Region E Totals	2,596	225,373	11.52	2,725	225,733	12.07	2,403	219,065	10.97	-3.4237%	-2.1653%
Anson	202	15,694	12.87	185	14,579	12.69	181	13,071	13.85	-5.2890%	3.8569%
Cabarrus	1,687	132,603	12.72	1,298	135,302	9.59	1,074	146,696	7.32	-20.1580%	-24.1388%
Gaston	1,901	136,917	13.88	2,018	137,405	14.69	2,018	141,967	14.21	3.0773%	1.2821%
Iredell	1,050	113,398	9.26	1,019	114,636	8.89	1,092	120,266	9.08	2.1058%	-0.9266%
Lincoln	766	53,653	14.28	653	54,918	11.89	643	54,544	11.79	-8.1417%	-8.7859%
Mecklenburg *	4,255	717,551	5.93	4,279	721,678	5.93	4,626	734,170	6.30	4.3367%	3.1294%
Rowan	1,133	86,019	13.17	1,080	86,192	12.53	973	88,437	11.00	-7.2926%	-8.5318%
Stanly	465	38,152	12.19	398	38,574	10.32	358	37,049	9.66	-12.2294%	-10.8464%
Union	843	148,642	5.67	881	151,800	5.80	800	155,849	5.13	-2.3432%	-4.6098%
Region F Totals	12,302	1,442,629	8.53	11,811	1,455,084	8.12	11,765	1,492,049	7.89	-2.1903%	-3.8352%
Alamance	1,178	103,805	11.35	1,204	103,718	11.61	1,105	105,388	10.49	-3.0077%	-3.6920%
Caswell	191	14,459	13.21	200	14,196	14.09	67	13,601	4.93	-30.8940%	-29.1913%
Davidson	1,022	103,333	9.89	988	103,632	9.53	1,102	103,334	10.66	4.1058%	4.1272%
Guilford *	3,146	339,782	9.26	3,099	337,592	9.18	2,869	344,621	8.33	-4.4579%	-5.0825%
Montgomery	167	16,011	10.43	152	16,057	9.47	145	14,516	9.99	-6.7936%	-1.8605%
Randolph	872	87,765	9.94	807	87,803	9.19	869	87,444	9.94	0.1143%	0.3153%
Rockingham	768	54,988	13.97	759	54,876	13.83	585	54,260	10.78	-12.0484%	-11.5100%
Region G Totals	7,344	720,143	10.20	7,209	717,874	10.04	6,742	723,164	9.32	-4.1581%	-4.3451%

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Davie	292	26,012	11.23	303	26,128	11.60	287	25,820	11.12	-0.7567%	-0.4221%
Forsyth *	2,370	232,111	10.21	2,158	231,955	9.30	2,167	235,391	9.21	-4.2640%	-4.9663%
Stokes	372	28,460	13.07	334	28,410	11.76	316	27,235	11.60	-7.8021%	-5.6822%
Surry	584	43,627	13.39	619	43,706	14.16	605	42,287	14.31	1.8657%	3.4098%
Yadkin	310	22,912	13.53	306	22,788	13.43	248	22,128	11.21	-10.1223%	-8.6451%
Region I Totals	3,928	353,122	11.12	3,720	352,987	10.54	3,623	352,861	10.27	-3.9514%	-3.9159%
Chatham	255	42,232	6.04	267	42,554	6.27	289	42,808	6.75	6.4728%	5.7555%
Durham	1,395	200,971	6.94	1,423	203,344	7.00	1,615	211,956	7.62	7.7499%	4.8490%
Johnston	1,053	128,228	8.21	1,064	132,006	8.06	1,038	140,965	7.36	-0.6995%	-5.2455%
Lee	350	36,292	9.64	256	36,067	7.10	296	37,836	7.82	-5.6161%	-8.0909%
Moore *	468	51,528	9.08	392	51,614	7.59	392	50,522	7.76	-8.1197%	-7.1087%
Orange	527	99,185	5.31	555	99,403	5.58	274	101,247	2.71	-22.6588%	-23.2238%
Wake *	4,181	705,007	5.93	4,123	712,624	5.79	4,707	755,986	6.23	6.3886%	2.5875%
Region J Totals	8,229	1,263,443	6.51	8,080	1,277,612	6.32	8,611	1,341,320	6.42	2.3806%	-0.6948%
Franklin	399	42,370	9.42	475	43,450	10.93	442	42,896	10.30	6.0501%	5.1715%
Granville	296	39,091	7.57	358	39,086	9.16	436	38,865	11.22	21.3668%	21.7208%
Person	234	24,159	9.69	218	24,163	9.02	258	23,184	11.13	5.7555%	8.2466%
Vance	328	26,985	12.15	371	26,508	14.00	346	24,424	14.17	3.1856%	8.1821%
Warren	141	11,516	12.24	91	11,300	8.05	100	10,444	9.57	-12.7854%	-7.6653%
Region K Totals	1,398	144,121	9.70	1,513	144,507	10.47	1,582	139,813	11.32	6.3933%	8.0039%
Edgecombe	425	30,000	14.17	451	29,425	15.33	455	25,991	17.51	3.5023%	11.2038%
Halifax	206	29,768	6.92	272	29,475	9.23	356	26,906	13.23	31.4606%	38.3652%
Nash	677	57,506	11.77	630	57,795	10.90	733	56,638	12.94	4.7034%	5.6591%
Northampton	127	11,940	10.64	114	11,592	9.83	110	9,977	11.03	-6.8725%	2.2845%
Wilson	722	48,793	14.80	650	49,321	13.18	625	46,324	13.49	-6.9092%	-4.2807%
Region L Totals	2,157	178,007	12.12	2,117	177,608	11.92	2,279	165,836	13.74	2.8990%	6.8301%
Cumberland *	1,871	171,872	10.89	1,826	170,491	10.71	1,918	171,335	11.19	1.3166%	1.4532%
Harnett *	590	77,155	7.65	498	77,815	6.40	553	77,170	7.17	-2.2745%	-2.1684%
Sampson	481	37,394	12.86	472	37,083	12.73	359	33,016	10.87	-12.9059%	-7.8098%
Region M Totals	2,942	286,421	10.27	2,796	285,389	9.80	2,830	281,521	10.05	-1.8733%	-1.0061%
Bladen	262	20,236	12.95	317	20,145	15.74	301	16,512	18.23	7.9725%	18.6916%
Hoke *	224	29,973	7.47	238	29,794	7.99	228	27,901	8.17	1.0242%	4.5931%
Richmond	355	26,847	13.22	318	26,721	11.90	293	24,950	11.74	-9.1421%	-5.6608%
Robeson	1,103	80,110	13.77	1,168	79,921	14.61	1,044	69,410	15.04	-2.3617%	4.5313%
Scotland	261	20,821	12.54	295	20,661	14.28	231	19,173	12.05	-4.3340%	-0.8578%
Region N Totals	2,205	177,987	12.39	2,336	177,242	13.18	2,097	157,946	13.28	-2.1451%	3.5610%
Brunswick	734	76,227	9.63	721	78,912	9.14	824	74,298	11.09	6.2573%	8.1348%
Columbus	629	33,837	18.59	607	33,569	18.08	540	28,982	18.63	-7.2678%	0.1575%
New Hanover *	1,103	150,314	7.34	1,872	149,199	12.55	1,729	143,890	12.02	31.0400%	33.3781%
Pender	407	38,844	10.48	466	39,046	11.93	404	36,979	10.93	0.5958%	2.7226%
Region O Totals	2,873	299,222	9.60	3,666	300,726	12.19	3,497	284,149	12.31	11.4959%	13.9593%
Carteret *	315	40,566	7.77	356	40,482	8.79	366	37,651	9.72	7.9124%	11.8948%
Craven *	601	52,593	11.43	566	52,105	10.86	555	50,061	11.09	-3.8835%	-1.4407%
Duplin	616	34,971	17.61	530	35,066	15.11	472	27,168	17.37	-12.4522%	0.3760%
Greene	138	13,192	10.46	121	13,053	9.27	131	12,543	10.44	-2.0272%	0.6407%
Jones	62	6,044	10.26	73	5,867	12.44	85	5,037	16.88	17.0901%	28.4596%
Lenoir	661	32,801	20.15	561	32,961	17.02	506	31,216	16.21	-12.4663%	-10.1512%
Onslow *	1,069	83,441	12.81	1,060	88,501	11.98	795	83,895	9.48	-12.9210%	-13.6968%
Pamlico	43	7,436	5.78	40	7,410	5.40	57	6,681	8.53	17.7616%	25.6993%
Wayne *	853	72,198	11.81	849	71,850	11.82	846	64,470	13.12	-0.4111%	5.5333%
Region P Totals	4,358	343,242	12.70	4,156	347,295	11.97	3,813	318,722	11.96	-6.4441%	-2.8881%

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Beaufort	447	26,286	17.01	374	26,149	14.30	362	24,090	15.03	-9.7698%	-5.4142%
Bertie	278	11,947	23.27	237	11,800	20.08	143	10,517	13.60	-27.2053%	-22.9939%
Hertford	157	14,749	10.64	148	14,437	10.25	158	11,654	13.56	0.5121%	14.2776%
Martin	230	13,174	17.46	214	12,937	16.54	203	11,826	17.17	-6.0484%	-0.7403%
Pitt *	1,362	116,936	11.65	1,168	119,006	9.81	1,092	107,549	10.15	-10.3753%	-6.1413%
Region Q Totals	2,474	183,092	13.51	2,141	184,329	11.62	1,958	165,636	11.82	-11.0037%	-6.1336%
Camden	62	6,777	9.15	60	6,715	8.94	45	6,660	6.76	-14.1129%	-13.3565%
Chowan	110	7,824	14.06	100	7,811	12.80	97	7,468	12.99	-6.0455%	-3.7422%
Currituck	146	17,606	8.29	154	17,731	8.69	74	18,571	3.98	-23.2343%	-24.6928%
Dare	192	22,355	8.59	216	22,637	9.54	64	21,958	2.91	-28.9352%	-29.1778%
Gates	87	7,475	11.64	87	7,249	12.00	51	6,146	8.30	-20.6897%	-13.8706%
Hyde	30	3,230	9.29	19	3,158	6.02	19	2,696	7.05	-18.3333%	-9.0431%
Pasquotank *	301	23,817	12.64	313	23,701	13.21	217	24,239	8.95	-13.3421%	-13.8570%
Perquimans	94	7,415	12.68	100	7,451	13.42	45	6,918	6.50	-24.3085%	-22.8320%
Tyrrell	20	2,603	7.68	17	2,259	7.53	15	1,785	8.40	-13.3824%	4.8048%
Washington	118	6,539	18.05	94	6,459	14.55	103	5,538	18.60	-5.3823%	4.2225%
Region R Totals	1,160	105,641	10.98	1,160	105,171	11.03	730	101,979	7.16	-18.5345%	-17.3261%
Grand Totals	61,749	6,373,839	9.69	61,437	6,401,053	9.60	59,763	6,379,437	9.37	-1.6150%	-1.6617%

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Cherokee	120	4,986	24.07	208	4,960	41.94	244	4,841	50.40	45.3205%	47.2166%
Clay	103	2,049	50.27	101	2,023	49.93	99	1,872	52.88	-1.9610%	2.6224%
Graham	43	1,113	38.63	50	1,132	44.17	51	1,016	50.20	9.1395%	13.9865%
Haywood	501	8,858	56.56	517	8,925	57.93	579	8,780	65.95	7.5929%	8.1304%
Jackson	171	5,030	34.00	181	5,092	35.55	160	5,031	31.80	-2.8771%	-2.9856%
Macon	264	5,622	46.96	266	5,707	46.61	314	5,831	53.85	9.4013%	7.3959%
Swain	79	1,651	47.85	100	1,671	59.84	82	1,543	53.14	4.2911%	6.9348%
Region A Totals	1,281	29,309	43.71	1,423	29,510	48.22	1,529	28,914	52.88	9.2671%	9.9962%
Buncombe	1,808	31,232	57.89	1,944	32,070	60.62	2,179	33,959	64.17	9.8053%	5.2830%
Henderson	1,004	16,752	59.93	1,132	16,926	66.88	1,128	16,858	66.91	6.1978%	5.8193%
Madison	168	3,083	54.49	187	3,147	59.42	206	2,973	69.29	10.7350%	12.8268%
Transylvania	321	5,567	57.66	316	5,574	56.69	328	4,825	67.98	1.1199%	9.1145%
Region B Totals	3,301	56,634	58.29	3,579	57,717	62.01	3,841	58,615	65.53	7.8711%	6.0318%
Cleveland	1,060	11,263	94.11	963	11,629	82.81	1,092	11,625	93.94	2.1223%	0.7122%
McDowell	504	5,706	88.33	459	5,787	79.32	502	5,455	92.03	0.2198%	2.9106%
Polk	194	3,402	57.03	185	3,500	52.86	218	2,940	74.15	6.5993%	16.4869%
Rutherford	661	8,469	78.05	682	8,664	78.72	653	7,746	84.30	-0.5376%	3.9750%
Region C Totals	2,419	28,840	83.88	2,289	29,580	77.38	2,465	27,766	88.78	1.1574%	3.4915%
Alleghany	77	1,578	48.80	109	1,608	67.79	222	1,491	148.89	72.6141%	79.2846%
Ashe	227	3,986	56.95	228	4,047	56.34	257	3,793	67.76	6.5799%	9.5971%
Avery	202	2,211	91.36	211	2,264	93.20	323	2,157	149.75	28.7680%	31.3422%
Mitchell	136	1,940	70.10	144	1,929	74.65	192	1,891	101.53	19.6078%	21.2494%
Watauga	251	5,472	45.87	236	5,526	42.71	370	5,395	68.58	25.4018%	26.8458%
Wilkes	595	8,611	69.10	577	8,738	66.03	665	7,887	84.32	6.1130%	11.6261%
Yancey	186	2,588	71.87	177	2,596	68.18	213	2,515	84.69	7.7501%	9.5414%
Region D Totals	1,674	26,386	63.44	1,682	26,708	62.98	2,242	25,129	89.22	16.8858%	20.4679%
Alexander	218	4,528	48.14	230	4,598	50.02	237	4,319	54.87	4.2740%	6.7991%
Burke	646	10,678	60.50	690	10,891	63.36	741	10,520	70.44	7.1012%	7.9504%
Caldwell	679	9,672	70.20	757	9,945	76.12	724	9,531	75.96	3.5641%	4.1110%
Catawba	1,188	17,116	69.41	1,269	17,765	71.43	1,400	18,424	75.99	8.5706%	4.6464%
Region E Totals	2,731	41,994	65.03	2,946	43,199	68.20	3,102	42,794	72.49	6.5839%	5.5777%
Anson	190	2,661	71.40	165	2,584	63.85	186	2,423	76.76	-0.2153%	4.8238%
Cabarrus	1,260	17,433	72.28	1,271	18,165	69.97	1,140	19,490	58.49	-4.7169%	-9.7982%
Gaston	1,755	22,132	79.30	1,833	22,785	80.45	1,993	23,717	84.03	6.5867%	2.9537%
Iredell	1,233	17,521	70.37	1,176	18,168	64.73	1,258	19,402	64.84	1.1750%	-3.9252%
Lincoln	702	9,583	73.25	635	10,103	62.85	662	10,306	64.23	-2.6461%	-6.0007%
Mecklenburg *	4,189	80,405	52.10	4,192	84,215	49.78	4,597	86,608	53.08	4.8664%	1.0878%
Rowan	1,109	14,911	74.37	1,066	15,336	69.51	1,120	16,615	67.41	0.5941%	-4.7817%
Stanly	480	7,257	66.14	443	7,602	58.27	496	7,315	67.81	2.1278%	2.2300%
Union	907	19,101	47.48	922	19,794	46.58	983	20,639	47.63	4.1349%	0.1729%
Region F Totals	11,825	191,004	61.91	11,703	198,752	58.88	12,435	206,515	60.21	2.6115%	-1.3146%
Alamance	1,205	16,813	71.67	1,258	17,187	73.19	1,329	17,815	74.60	5.0211%	2.0232%
Caswell	157	3,027	51.87	154	3,065	50.24	93	3,022	30.77	-20.7606%	-20.9390%
Davidson	1,109	18,083	61.33	1,098	18,498	59.36	1,213	18,878	64.25	4.7409%	2.5184%
Guilford *	3,289	49,510	66.43	3,387	50,972	66.45	3,360	52,494	64.01	1.0912%	-1.8238%
Montgomery	182	3,337	54.54	200	3,429	58.33	200	3,208	62.34	4.9451%	6.9154%
Randolph	906	15,146	59.82	866	15,439	56.09	1,134	15,686	72.29	13.2659%	11.3280%
Rockingham	705	10,775	65.43	748	11,087	67.47	672	11,301	59.46	-2.0306%	-4.3741%
Region G Totals	7,553	116,691	64.73	7,711	119,677	64.43	8,001	122,404	65.37	2.9264%	0.4969%

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Davie	303	5,168	58.63	349	5,312	65.70	322	5,356	60.12	3.7226%	1.7824%
Forsyth *	2,623	35,864	73.14	2,602	36,993	70.34	2,645	37,838	69.90	0.4260%	-2.2228%
Stokes	419	5,521	75.89	408	5,745	71.02	413	5,552	74.39	-0.6999%	-0.8388%
Surry	639	8,272	77.25	736	8,483	86.76	757	8,265	91.59	9.0166%	8.9406%
Yadkin	329	4,307	76.39	325	4,376	74.27	332	4,275	77.66	0.4690%	0.8969%
Region I Totals	4,313	59,132	72.94	4,420	60,909	72.57	4,469	61,286	72.92	1.7947%	-0.0112%
Chatham	348	11,095	31.37	318	11,444	27.79	338	11,721	28.84	-1.1657%	-3.8150%
Durham	1,390	25,478	54.56	1,413	26,694	52.93	1,572	26,658	58.97	6.4537%	4.2134%
Johnston	1,116	17,731	62.94	1,053	18,474	57.00	1,077	19,811	54.36	-1.6830%	-7.0317%
Lee	353	5,887	59.96	349	6,015	58.02	389	6,593	59.00	5.1641%	-0.7737%
Moore *	591	13,920	42.46	527	14,318	36.81	501	14,097	35.54	-7.8813%	-8.3755%
Orange	579	13,739	42.14	587	14,371	40.85	463	14,976	30.92	-9.8713%	-13.6938%
Wake *	4,487	81,578	55.00	4,268	85,812	49.74	4,507	90,884	49.59	0.3595%	-4.9337%
Region J Totals	8,864	169,428	52.32	8,515	177,128	48.07	8,847	184,740	47.89	-0.0191%	-4.2476%
Franklin	454	7,293	62.25	400	7,778	51.43	419	7,879	53.18	-3.5721%	-6.9905%
Granville	246	6,402	38.43	347	6,618	52.43	451	6,818	66.15	35.5140%	31.3058%
Person	247	4,705	52.50	289	4,791	60.32	255	4,730	53.91	2.6197%	2.1385%
Vance	297	4,927	60.28	368	4,998	73.63	408	4,652	87.70	17.3876%	20.6306%
Warren	141	2,619	53.84	94	2,594	36.24	134	2,264	59.19	4.6099%	15.3204%
Region K Totals	1,385	25,946	53.38	1,498	26,779	55.94	1,667	26,343	63.28	9.7203%	8.9590%
Edgecombe	447	6,408	69.76	456	6,552	69.60	494	6,609	74.75	5.1734%	3.5852%
Halifax	250	6,170	40.52	335	6,326	52.96	415	6,483	64.01	28.9403%	25.7881%
Nash	739	11,111	66.51	795	11,570	68.71	891	11,664	76.39	9.8266%	7.2411%
Northampton	183	2,545	71.91	162	2,464	65.75	156	1,539	101.36	-7.5896%	22.8044%
Wilson	653	8,806	74.15	622	9,190	67.68	643	8,477	75.85	-0.6856%	1.6719%
Region L Totals	2,272	35,040	64.84	2,370	36,102	65.65	2,599	34,772	74.74	6.9879%	7.5509%
Cumberland *	1,507	26,215	57.49	1,649	27,205	60.61	1,927	28,534	67.53	13.1407%	8.4283%
Harnett *	613	10,572	57.98	534	10,914	48.93	656	11,150	58.83	4.9795%	2.3145%
Sampson	471	6,602	71.34	481	6,736	71.41	404	6,515	62.01	-6.9426%	-6.5338%
Region M Totals	2,591	43,389	59.72	2,664	44,855	59.39	2,987	46,199	64.66	7.4710%	4.1599%
Bladen	267	4,222	63.24	307	4,254	72.17	354	3,170	111.67	15.1454%	34.4283%
Hoke *	210	3,552	59.12	172	3,686	46.66	218	3,777	57.72	4.3245%	1.3089%
Richmond	371	4,960	74.80	324	5,014	64.62	271	4,964	54.59	-14.5132%	-14.5623%
Robeson	846	12,554	67.39	845	12,811	65.96	820	12,536	65.41	-1.5384%	-1.4759%
Scotland	225	4,051	55.54	235	4,123	57.00	200	4,120	48.54	-5.2246%	-6.1056%
Region N Totals	1,919	29,339	65.41	1,883	29,888	63.00	1,863	28,567	65.22	-1.4691%	-0.0827%
Brunswick	1,293	27,203	47.53	1,315	28,386	46.33	1,419	26,716	53.11	4.8051%	6.0585%
Columbus	554	6,336	87.44	598	6,366	93.94	534	5,784	92.32	-1.3801%	2.8583%
New Hanover *	1,338	24,309	55.04	1,359	24,778	54.85	1,411	24,196	58.32	2.6979%	2.9854%
Pender	395	7,122	55.46	478	7,313	65.36	430	7,150	60.14	5.4854%	4.9305%
Region O Totals	3,580	64,970	55.10	3,750	66,843	56.10	3,794	63,846	59.42	2.9610%	3.8680%
Carteret *	454	10,498	43.25	502	10,573	47.48	567	10,024	56.56	11.7604%	14.4613%
Craven *	736	9,524	77.28	751	9,516	78.92	710	9,787	72.55	-1.7107%	-2.9767%
Duplin	500	6,087	82.14	525	6,234	84.22	487	3,636	133.94	-1.1190%	30.7832%
Greene	117	2,149	54.44	137	2,212	61.93	125	2,241	55.78	4.1674%	1.9096%
Jones	89	1,288	69.10	86	1,341	64.13	84	1,267	66.30	-2.8482%	-1.9053%
Lenoir	644	6,654	96.78	522	6,851	76.19	506	6,879	73.56	-11.0046%	-12.3673%
Onslow *	861	11,609	74.17	954	12,440	76.69	795	12,629	62.95	-2.9326%	-7.2570%
Pamlico	91	2,103	43.27	84	2,154	39.00	99	1,888	52.44	5.0824%	12.2921%
Wayne *	863	11,828	72.96	848	12,162	69.73	866	11,598	74.67	0.1923%	1.3261%
Region P Totals	4,355	61,740	70.54	4,409	63,483	69.45	4,239	59,949	70.71	-1.3079%	0.1361%

Table 12B: Average Annual Rates of Change in Patients and Use Rates per 1,000 Population

Ages 65-74											
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Beaufort	463	6,934	66.77	383	6,987	54.82	448	6,328	70.80	-0.1537%	5.6233%
Bertie	160	2,227	71.85	197	2,305	85.47	179	2,085	85.85	6.9940%	9.7045%
Hertford	192	2,726	70.43	135	2,791	48.37	170	2,429	69.99	-1.8808%	6.6840%
Martin	273	3,158	86.45	258	3,210	80.37	262	3,265	80.25	-1.9721%	-3.5928%
Pitt *	1,054	14,663	71.88	1,102	15,375	71.67	1,145	15,125	75.70	4.2280%	2.6658%
Region Q Totals	2,142	29,708	72.10	2,075	30,668	67.66	2,204	29,232	75.40	1.5445%	2.6372%
Camden	59	1,025	57.56	47	1,062	44.26	43	1,094	39.31	-14.4248%	-17.1506%
Chowan	119	1,860	63.98	122	1,900	64.21	101	1,812	55.74	-7.3461%	-6.4149%
Currituck	131	2,880	45.49	175	3,015	58.04	141	3,214	43.87	7.0796%	1.5945%
Dare	224	5,006	44.75	243	5,223	46.52	99	5,293	18.70	-25.3886%	-27.9115%
Gates	76	1,351	56.25	85	1,399	60.76	64	1,236	51.78	-6.4319%	-3.3858%
Hyde	28	665	42.11	30	684	43.86	33	624	52.88	8.5714%	12.3718%
Pasquotank *	253	3,692	68.53	291	3,775	77.09	292	3,999	73.02	7.6817%	3.6069%
Perquimans	93	1,949	47.72	108	1,995	54.14	93	1,754	53.02	1.1201%	5.6971%
Tyrrell	33	437	75.51	21	408	51.47	19	342	55.56	-22.9437%	-11.9520%
Washington	111	1,672	66.39	101	1,723	58.62	117	1,665	70.27	3.4163%	4.0873%
Region R Totals	1,127	20,537	54.88	1,223	21,184	57.73	1,002	21,033	47.64	-4.7761%	-6.1391%
Grand Totals	63,332	1,030,087	61.48	64,140	1,062,982	60.34	67,286	1,068,104	63.00	3.0904%	1.2718%

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Ages 75 and Over											
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County	Home Health Patients in 2019	Estimated 2019 Population	Use Rate for 2019	Home Health Patients in 2020	Estimated 2020 Population	Use Rate for 2020	Home Health Patients in 2021	Estimated 2021 Population	Use Rate for 2021	Average Annual Rate of Change in Number of Patients	Average Annual Rate of Change in Use Rates per 1000
Cherokee	354	3,907	90.61	427	4,089	104.43	403	4,230	95.27	7.5004%	3.2430%
Clay	244	1,541	158.34	174	1,604	108.48	168	1,650	101.82	-16.0684%	-18.8147%
Graham	219	1,040	210.58	103	1,057	97.45	77	1,014	75.94	-39.1054%	-37.8985%
Haywood	1,058	7,393	143.11	1,016	7,586	133.93	1,168	7,704	151.61	5.4954%	3.3934%
Jackson	297	3,689	80.51	296	3,848	76.92	261	3,993	65.36	-6.0805%	-9.7406%
Macon	619	4,948	125.10	616	5,123	120.24	644	5,359	120.17	2.0304%	-1.9713%
Swain	127	1,260	100.79	126	1,307	96.40	107	1,279	83.66	-7.9334%	-8.7877%
Region A Totals	2,918	23,778	122.72	2,758	24,614	112.05	2,828	25,229	112.09	-1.4726%	-4.3274%
Buncombe	3,596	22,393	160.59	3,559	22,977	154.89	3,938	24,486	160.83	4.8101%	0.1428%
Henderson	2,377	15,212	156.26	2,078	15,642	132.85	2,376	15,973	148.75	0.8809%	-1.5054%
Madison	328	2,111	155.38	302	2,170	139.17	351	2,171	161.68	4.1492%	2.8707%
Transylvania	741	5,720	129.55	725	5,926	122.34	751	5,796	129.57	0.7135%	0.1746%
Region B Totals	7,042	45,436	154.99	6,664	46,715	142.65	7,416	48,426	153.14	2.9584%	-0.3031%
Cleveland	2,054	7,470	274.97	1,690	7,649	220.94	1,251	7,659	163.34	-21.8489%	-22.8600%
McDowell	737	4,132	178.36	767	4,238	180.98	822	4,192	196.09	5.6207%	4.9072%
Polk	451	3,094	145.77	459	3,150	145.71	364	2,825	128.85	-9.4617%	-5.8047%
Rutherford	1,119	6,313	177.25	1,035	6,442	160.66	1,178	6,085	193.59	3.1549%	5.5675%
Region C Totals	4,361	21,009	207.58	3,951	21,479	183.95	3,615	20,761	174.12	-8.9528%	-8.3619%
Alleghany	210	1,372	153.06	228	1,413	161.36	342	1,405	243.42	29.2857%	28.1376%
Ashe	557	3,154	176.60	496	3,245	152.85	531	3,206	165.63	-1.9475%	-2.5450%
Avery	375	1,777	211.03	327	1,794	182.27	512	1,806	283.50	21.8875%	20.9541%
Mitchell	284	1,687	168.35	299	1,728	173.03	396	1,718	230.50	18.8616%	17.9980%
Watauga	536	4,037	132.77	487	4,190	116.23	685	4,244	161.40	15.7576%	13.2039%
Wilkes	1,152	6,591	174.78	1,011	6,804	148.59	1,135	6,421	176.76	0.0128%	1.9873%
Yancey	288	2,104	136.88	341	2,175	156.78	401	2,204	181.94	17.9990%	15.2928%
Region D Totals	3,402	20,722	164.17	3,189	21,349	149.37	4,002	21,004	190.54	9.6164%	9.2706%
Alexander	395	3,264	121.02	432	3,387	127.55	434	3,245	133.74	4.9150%	5.1273%
Burke	1,215	8,101	149.98	1,165	8,265	140.96	1,270	8,007	158.61	2.4488%	3.2538%
Caldwell	1,203	6,845	175.75	1,249	7,034	177.57	1,156	6,954	166.24	-1.8111%	-2.6736%
Catawba	2,587	11,495	225.05	2,354	11,792	199.63	2,474	12,421	199.18	-1.9544%	-5.7614%
Region E Totals	5,400	29,705	181.79	5,200	30,478	170.61	5,334	30,627	174.16	-0.5634%	-2.0341%
Anson	300	1,886	159.07	265	1,884	140.66	328	1,778	184.48	6.0535%	9.7899%
Cabarrus	2,327	11,486	202.59	2,274	11,904	191.03	2,380	12,712	187.22	1.1919%	-3.8501%
Gaston	2,945	14,246	206.72	2,977	14,521	205.01	2,973	15,210	195.46	0.4761%	-2.7430%
Iredell	2,519	11,619	216.80	2,339	12,004	194.85	2,542	12,834	198.07	0.7666%	-4.2367%
Lincoln	1,230	5,880	209.18	1,125	6,139	183.25	1,175	6,332	185.57	-2.0461%	-5.5672%
Mecklenburg *	8,833	48,603	181.74	8,063	50,426	159.90	8,152	52,212	156.13	-3.8068%	-7.1860%
Rowan	1,905	10,198	186.80	1,736	10,342	167.86	1,673	11,012	151.93	-6.2502%	-9.8164%
Stanly	906	5,083	178.24	805	5,251	153.30	824	5,177	159.17	-4.3938%	-5.0836%
Union	1,995	11,741	169.92	1,897	12,322	153.95	2,056	12,967	158.56	1.7347%	-3.2026%
Region F Totals	22,960	120,742	190.16	21,481	124,793	172.13	22,103	130,234	169.72	-1.7730%	-5.4410%
Alamance	2,444	12,974	188.38	2,525	13,137	192.21	2,291	13,345	171.67	-2.9765%	-4.3246%
Caswell	270	2,008	134.46	299	2,086	143.34	159	2,095	75.89	-18.0410%	-20.2256%
Davidson	1,860	12,338	150.75	1,887	12,668	148.96	2,704	13,001	207.98	22.3739%	19.2174%
Guilford *	6,537	34,134	191.51	6,234	34,641	179.96	5,961	36,402	163.75	-4.5072%	-7.5180%
Montgomery	298	2,453	121.48	331	2,479	133.52	310	2,421	128.05	2.3647%	2.9041%
Randolph	1,663	10,618	156.62	1,526	10,913	139.83	1,534	11,136	137.75	-3.8569%	-6.1037%
Rockingham	1,375	7,907	173.90	1,420	8,037	176.68	1,182	8,125	145.48	-6.7439%	-8.0299%
Region G Totals	14,447	82,432	175.26	14,222	83,961	169.39	14,141	86,525	163.43	-1.0635%	-3.4331%

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Davie	680	3,815	178.24	736	3,957	186.00	602	4,016	149.90	-4.9856%	-7.5285%
Forsyth *	5,434	24,912	218.13	5,290	25,318	208.94	5,061	26,395	191.74	-3.4895%	-6.2218%
Stokes	831	4,060	204.68	776	4,217	184.02	863	3,871	222.94	2.2964%	5.5283%
Surry	1,471	6,273	234.50	1,413	6,279	225.04	1,525	6,056	251.82	1.9918%	3.9329%
Yadkin	632	3,302	191.40	620	3,349	185.13	573	3,289	174.22	-4.7397%	-4.5851%
Region I Totals	9,048	42,362	213.59	8,835	43,120	204.89	8,624	43,627	197.68	-2.3712%	-3.7966%
Chatham	648	8,721	74.30	671	9,197	72.96	866	9,770	88.64	16.3052%	9.8409%
Durham	2,424	15,250	158.95	2,459	15,822	155.42	2,483	16,372	151.66	1.2100%	-2.3199%
Johnston	1,834	10,232	179.24	1,674	10,746	155.78	1,798	11,648	154.36	-0.6583%	-7.0000%
Lee	609	4,395	138.57	623	4,464	139.56	677	4,836	139.99	5.4833%	0.5131%
Moore *	1,462	12,948	112.91	1,327	13,393	99.08	1,258	13,579	92.64	-7.2168%	-9.3740%
Orange	1,210	7,729	156.55	1,208	8,143	148.35	988	8,706	113.48	-9.1886%	-14.3710%
Wake *	9,775	48,100	203.22	9,199	50,257	183.04	9,484	54,644	173.56	-1.3972%	-7.5553%
Region J Totals	17,962	107,375	167.28	17,161	112,022	153.19	17,554	119,555	146.83	-1.0847%	-6.2889%
Franklin	672	4,683	143.50	655	4,929	132.89	678	4,984	136.04	0.4908%	-2.5126%
Granville	556	4,006	138.79	627	4,160	150.72	730	4,308	169.45	14.5986%	10.5114%
Person	473	3,233	146.30	458	3,315	138.16	454	3,289	138.04	-2.0223%	-2.8281%
Vance	417	3,478	119.90	481	3,541	135.84	517	3,338	154.88	11.4161%	13.6583%
Warren	263	2,268	115.96	177	2,339	75.67	196	2,311	84.81	-10.9826%	-11.3332%
Region K Totals	2,381	17,668	134.76	2,398	18,284	131.15	2,575	18,230	141.25	4.0476%	2.5100%
Edgecombe	608	4,230	143.74	565	4,301	131.36	595	4,307	138.15	-0.8813%	-1.7217%
Halifax	565	4,498	125.61	577	4,514	127.82	637	4,457	142.92	6.2613%	6.7862%
Nash	1,318	7,033	187.40	1,212	7,249	167.20	1,289	7,342	175.57	-0.8447%	-2.8883%
Northampton	289	2,328	124.14	284	2,377	119.48	278	1,976	140.69	-1.9214%	6.9981%
Wilson	1,199	6,144	195.15	1,049	6,270	167.30	1,071	5,819	184.05	-5.2066%	-2.1292%
Region L Totals	3,979	24,233	164.20	3,687	24,711	149.20	3,870	23,901	161.92	-1.1876%	-0.3052%
Cumberland *	2,566	16,952	151.37	2,581	17,368	148.61	2,988	17,942	166.54	8.1768%	5.1204%
Harnett *	1,072	6,983	153.52	955	7,208	132.49	1,062	7,459	142.38	0.1450%	-3.1165%
Sampson	889	4,846	183.45	895	4,903	182.54	682	4,593	148.49	-11.5620%	-9.5756%
Region M Totals	4,527	28,781	157.29	4,431	29,479	150.31	4,732	29,994	157.76	2.3362%	0.2606%
Bladen	447	2,955	151.27	485	3,041	159.49	377	2,539	148.48	-6.8835%	-0.7333%
Hoke *	292	1,907	153.12	270	1,937	139.39	327	1,962	166.67	6.7884%	5.3008%
Richmond	446	3,134	142.31	379	3,168	119.63	359	3,045	117.90	-10.1497%	-8.6926%
Robeson	1,166	7,557	154.29	1,244	7,787	159.75	1,201	7,302	164.48	1.6165%	3.2471%
Scotland	312	2,554	122.16	354	2,655	133.33	303	2,633	115.08	-0.4726%	-2.2732%
Region N Totals	2,663	18,107	147.07	2,732	18,588	146.98	2,567	17,481	146.85	-1.7242%	-0.0765%
Brunswick	2,165	15,879	136.34	2,202	17,222	127.86	2,327	17,969	129.50	3.6928%	-2.4695%
Columbus	850	4,524	187.89	981	4,653	210.83	877	4,295	204.19	2.4052%	4.5311%
New Hanover *	2,835	17,210	164.73	3,094	17,779	174.03	3,046	17,883	170.33	3.7922%	1.7595%
Pender	796	4,580	173.80	770	4,792	160.68	773	4,927	156.89	-1.4384%	-4.9535%
Region O Totals	6,646	42,193	157.51	7,047	44,446	158.55	7,023	45,074	155.81	2.8466%	-0.5352%
Carteret *	1,032	7,464	138.26	954	7,737	123.30	1,059	7,975	132.79	1.7241%	-1.5632%
Craven *	1,221	8,400	145.36	1,198	8,460	141.61	1,252	8,579	145.94	1.3119%	0.2392%
Duplin	848	4,736	179.05	954	4,892	195.01	760	3,449	220.35	-3.9177%	10.9537%
Greene	186	1,374	135.37	182	1,408	129.26	162	1,429	113.37	-6.5698%	-8.4052%
Jones	129	899	143.49	127	921	137.89	140	879	159.27	4.3429%	5.8007%
Lenoir	1,077	4,666	230.82	884	4,816	183.55	954	4,762	200.34	-5.0008%	-5.6671%
Onslow *	1,368	7,819	174.96	1,449	8,083	179.27	1,187	8,236	144.12	-6.0802%	-8.5708%
Pamlico	167	1,744	95.76	151	1,779	84.88	164	1,769	92.71	-0.4858%	-1.0683%
Wayne *	1,617	8,811	183.52	1,514	8,883	170.44	1,474	8,218	179.36	-4.5059%	-0.9463%
Region P Totals	7,645	45,913	166.51	7,413	46,979	157.79	7,152	45,296	157.89	-3.2778%	-2.5855%

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Beaufort	734	4,922	149.13	651	5,108	127.45	649	5,062	128.21	-5.8076%	-6.9694%
Bertie	337	1,783	189.01	279	1,784	156.39	254	1,540	164.94	-13.0856%	-5.8966%
Hertford	252	1,942	129.76	227	1,957	115.99	220	1,697	129.64	-6.5022%	0.5770%
Martin	472	2,193	215.23	373	2,239	166.59	369	2,261	163.20	-11.0235%	-12.3166%
Pitt *	1,754	9,325	188.10	1,611	9,697	166.13	1,659	9,113	182.05	-2.5866%	-1.0487%
Region Q Totals	3,549	20,165	176.00	3,141	20,785	151.12	3,151	19,673	160.17	-5.5889%	-4.0737%
Camden	85	745	114.09	101	760	132.89	69	783	88.12	-6.4298%	-8.6058%
Chowan	204	1,596	127.82	198	1,623	122.00	184	1,615	113.93	-5.0059%	-5.5831%
Currituck	205	1,712	119.74	202	1,788	112.98	158	1,870	84.49	-11.6228%	-15.4319%
Dare	358	3,119	114.78	367	3,268	112.30	140	3,446	40.63	-29.6694%	-32.9917%
Gates	137	1,048	130.73	145	1,065	136.15	117	1,020	114.71	-6.7355%	-5.8003%
Hyde	40	426	93.90	28	437	64.07	33	403	81.89	-6.0714%	-1.9808%
Pasquotank *	424	2,611	162.39	420	2,670	157.30	420	2,754	152.51	-0.4717%	-3.0912%
Perquimans	178	1,806	98.56	170	1,871	90.86	138	1,856	74.35	-11.6590%	-12.9899%
Tyrrell	42	427	98.36	44	411	107.06	24	390	61.54	-20.3463%	-16.8386%
Washington	185	1,299	142.42	152	1,310	116.03	122	1,271	95.99	-18.7873%	-17.9009%
Region R Totals	1,858	14,789	125.63	1,827	15,203	120.17	1,405	15,408	91.19	-12.3832%	-14.2337%
Grand Totals	120,788	705,410	171.23	116,137	727,006	159.75	118,092	741,045	159.36	-1.0836%	-3.4749%

* Adjustments for active duty military personnel have been applied to the Ages 18-64 population.