



FAYETTE COUNTY DEMOGRAPHICS

People QuickFacts	Fayette County	Kentucky
Population, 2006 estimate	270,789	4,206,074
Population, percent change, April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2006	3.9%	4.1%
Population, 2000	260,512	4,041,769
Persons under 5 years old, percent, 2005	6.8%	6.5%
Persons under 18 years old, percent, 2005	21.4%	23.5%
Persons 65 years old and over, percent, 2005	10.4%	12.6%
Female persons, percent, 2005	50.5%	50.9%
White persons, percent, 2005 (a)	81.7%	90.4%
Black persons, percent, 2005 (a)	13.6%	7.5%
American Indian and Alaska Native persons, percent, 2005 (a)	0.2%	0.2%
Asian persons, percent, 2005 (a)	2.9%	0.9%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander, percent, 2005 (a)	0.1%	0.0%
Persons reporting two or more races, percent, 2005	1.5%	1.0%
Persons of Hispanic or Latino origin, percent, 2005 (b)	4.9%	2.0%
White persons not Hispanic, percent, 2005	77.2%	88.6%
Living in same house in 1995 and 2000, pct 5 yrs old & over	42.5%	55.9%
Foreign born persons, percent, 2000	5.9%	2.0%
Language other than English spoken at home, pct age 5+, 2000	8.3%	3.9%
High school graduates, percent of persons age 25+, 2000	85.8%	74.1%
Bachelor's degree or higher, pct of persons age 25+, 2000	35.6%	17.1%
Persons with a disability, age 5+, 2000	42,433	874,156
Mean travel time to work (minutes), workers age 16+, 2000	19.3	23.5
Housing units, 2005	127,634	1,865,516
Homeownership rate, 2000	55.3%	70.8%
Housing units in multi-unit structures, percent, 2000	36.5%	17.7%
Median value of owner-occupied housing units, 2000	\$110,800	\$86,700
Households, 2000	108,288	1,590,647
Persons per household, 2000	2.29	2.47
Median household income, 2004	\$41,602	\$37,046
Per capita money income, 1999	\$23,109	\$18,093
Persons below poverty, percent, 2004	14.2%	16.3%

Business QuickFacts	Fayette County	Kentucky
Private nonfarm establishments, 2004	8,006	91,797 ¹
Private nonfarm employment, 2004	144,215	1,489,497 ¹
Private nonfarm employment, percent change 2000-2004	-4.6%	-1.6% ¹
Nonemployer establishments, 2004	18,662	256,753
Total number of firms, 2002	23,015	300,685
Black-owned firms, percent, 2002	4.6%	2.5%
American Indian and Alaska Native owned firms, percent, 2002	S	0.4%
Asian-owned firms, percent, 2002	2.2%	1.1%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander owned firms, percent, 2002	F	0.0%
Hispanic-owned firms, percent, 2002	1.0%	0.7%
Women-owned firms, percent, 2002	26.0%	25.7%
Manufacturers shipments, 2002 (\$1000)	4,927,670	88,513,497
Wholesale trade sales, 2002 (\$1000)	4,011,070	51,838,719
Retail sales, 2002 (\$1000)	3,912,042	40,062,561
Retail sales per capita, 2002	\$14,891	\$9,795
Accommodation and foodservices sales, 2002 (\$1000)	599,766	4,908,331
Building permits, 2005	2,763	21,159
Federal spending, 2004 (\$1000)	1,957,212	31,713,543 ¹
Geography QuickFacts	Fayette County	Kentucky
Land area, 2000 (square miles)	284.52	39,728.18
Persons per square mile, 2000	914.1	101.7
FIPS Code	067	21
Metropolitan or Micropolitan Statistical Area	Lexington-Fayette, KY Metro Area	

1: Includes data not distributed by county.

(a) Includes persons reporting only one race.

(b) Hispanics may be of any race, so also are included in applicable race categories.

D: Suppressed to avoid disclosure of confidential information

F: Fewer than 100 firms

FN: Footnote on this item for this area in place of data

NA: Not available

S: Suppressed; does not meet publication standards

X: Not applicable

Z: Value greater than zero but less than half unit of measure shown

Source U.S. Census Bureau: State and County QuickFacts. Data derived from Population Estimates, Census of Population and Housing, Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates, State and County Housing Unit Estimates, County Business Patterns, Nonemployer Statistics, Economic Census, Survey of Business Owners, Building Permits, Consolidated Federal Funds Report