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Summary of District of Columbia's Population Estimates 2013

The District of Columbia's population continues to show dynamic growth in most age groups since the 2010 Census.

- District population increased by 44,726 or 7.4% between Census 2010 (601,723 and July 1, 2013 (646,449).
- Population change from July 2012 to July 2013 was 13,022 or 2.1%.
- All age groups showed increases over the period April 1, 2010 through July 1, 2013 except four age groups (15-19, 20-24, 45-49 and 80-84 years). Similar changes occurred between 2012 and 2013. See Table 1.
- DC had the highest percentage of black alone or in combination population (51.0%) among states or equivalent.
- DC had a higher percentage of females than any state or equivalent at 52.6%.

Table 1...District of Columbia 2010-2013 Population Numbers by Age Group

Age Group	Census April 2010	July 1, 2010	July 1, 2011	July 1, 2012	July 1, 2013
Total	601,723	605,125*	619,624*	633,427*	646,449
Under 5 years	32,613	33,365	36,197	38,880	40,967
5 to 9 years	26,147	26,150	26,718	28,097	29,876
10 to 14 years	25,041	24,925	24,797	24,984	25,241
15 to 19 years	39,919	39,772	39,093	38,484	37,572
20 to 24 years	64,110	63,429	61,212	59,611	58,800
25 to 29 years	69,649	70,530	74,098	76,229	77,098
30 to 34 years	55,096	56,197	60,647	64,898	68,786
35 to 39 years	42,925	43,217	44,189	45,829	48,120
40 to 44 years	37,734	38,025	39,542	40,772	41,764
45 to 49 years	38,539	38,613	38,642	38,384	37,946
50 to 54 years	37,164	37,273	37,627	37,733	38,253
55 to 59 years	34,274	34,497	35,289	36,046	36,539
60 to 64 years	29,703	30,059	31,623	31,694	32,065
65 to 69 years	21,488	21,597	22,085	23,371	24,149
70 to 74 years	15,481	15,551	15,833	16,309	16,867
75 to 79 years	11,820	11,817	11,849	11,872	11,978
80 to 84 years	9,705	9,691	9,500	9,293	9,233
85 years and over	10,315	10,417	10,683	10,941	11,195
Under 18 years	100,815	101,309	103,906	107,642	111,474
Under 5 years	32,613	33,365	36,197	38,880	40,967
5 to 13 years	46,048	46,004	46,533	48,149	50,226
14 to 17 years	22,154	21,940	21,176	20,613	20,281
18 to 64 years	432,099	434,743	445,768	453,999	461,553
18 to 24 years	87,015	86,332	84,111	82,414	80,982
25 to 44 years	205,404	207,969	218,476	227,728	235,768
45 to 64 years	139,680	140,442	143,181	143,857	144,803
65 years and over	68,809	69,073	69,950	71,786	73,422
85 years and over	10,315	10,417	10,683	10,941	11,195
16 years and over	512,575	515,390	526,886	536,491	545,368
18 years and over	500,908	503,816	515,718	525,785	534,975
15 to 44 years	309,433	311,170	318,781	325,823	332,140
Median age (years)	33.8	33.8	33.8	33.7	33.8

Note: *Number shown have been revised from each previous year estimates.
Source: U.S. Census Bureau

Population by age group changes between April 2010 (Census) and July 2013 (Table 2):

- Largest numeric increase was age group 30-34 years at 13,690 people
- Second largest numeric increase was age group 0-5 years at 8,354 people
- Largest percentage increase was age group 0-5 years at 25.6%
- Second largest percentage increase was age group 30-34 years at 24.8%
- Largest numeric and percentage decrease was age group 20-24 years at 5,310 people or 8.3%
- Second largest numeric and percentage decrease was age group 15-19 years at 2,347 people or 5.9%
- Two other age groups showed slight decreases – age group 45-49 years decreased by 593 people or 1.5% and age group 80-84 years decreased by 472 people or 4.9%

Population by age group changes between July 2012 and July 2013 (Table 2):

- Largest numeric increase was age group 30-34 years at 3,888 people
- Second largest numeric increase was age group 35-39 years at 2,291 people
- Largest percentage increase was age group 5-9 years at 6.3%
- Second largest percentage increase was age group 30-34 years at 6.0%
- Largest numeric and percentage decrease was age group 15-19 years at 912 people or 2.4%
- Second largest numeric and percentage decrease was age group 20-24 years at 811 people or 1.4%
- Two other age groups showed decreases – age group 45-49 years decreased by 438 people or 1.1% and age group 80-84 years decreased by 60 people or .6%
- **Note: When changes are analyzed by single age, the biggest losses are for ages 23 and 22 year olds, respectively. This may be as a result of students going back to their home states after graduating from DC colleges and universities.**

Table 2... District of Columbia 2013 Population Estimates

Age	Change											
	April 1, 2010 to July 1, 2013						July 1, 2012 to July 1, 2013					
	Both Sexes		Male		Female		Both Sexes		Male		Female	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Total	44,726	7.4	22,028	7.8	22,698	7.1	13,022	2.1	6,554	2.2	6,468	1.9
Under 5 years	8,354	25.6	4,361	26.4	3,993	24.8	2,087	5.4	1,084	5.5	1,003	5.3
5 to 9 years	3,729	14.3	1,944	14.7	1,785	13.8	1,779	6.3	952	6.7	827	5.9
10 to 14 years	200	0.8	-43	-0.3	243	2.0	257	1.0	29	0.2	228	1.8
15 to 19 years	-2,347	-5.9	-1,201	-6.3	-1,146	-5.5	-912	-2.4	-465	-2.6	-447	-2.2
20 to 24 years	-5,310	-8.3	-1,692	-5.9	-3,618	-10.2	-811	-1.4	54	0.2	-865	-2.7
25 to 29 years	7,449	10.7	3,012	9.4	4,437	11.8	869	1.1	316	0.9	553	1.3
30 to 34 years	13,690	24.8	6,499	24.4	7,191	25.3	3,888	6.0	1,825	5.8	2,063	6.1
35 to 39 years	5,195	12.1	2,264	10.6	2,931	13.6	2,291	5.0	1,084	4.8	1,207	5.2
40 to 44 years	4,030	10.7	1,851	9.7	2,179	11.7	992	2.4	342	1.7	650	3.2
45 to 49 years	-593	-1.5	-385	-2.0	-208	-1.1	-438	-1.1	-312	-1.6	-126	-0.7
50 to 54 years	1,089	2.9	991	5.5	98	0.5	520	1.4	431	2.3	89	0.5
55 to 59 years	2,265	6.6	1,216	7.6	1,049	5.7	493	1.4	277	1.6	216	1.1
60 to 64 years	2,362	8.0	1,214	9.1	1,148	7.0	371	1.2	333	2.3	38	0.2
65 to 69 years	2,661	12.4	1,054	11.0	1,607	13.5	778	3.3	278	2.7	500	3.8
70 to 74 years	1,386	9.0	619	9.3	767	8.7	558	3.4	145	2.0	413	4.5
75 to 79 years	158	1.3	81	1.7	77	1.1	106	0.9	90	1.9	16	0.2
80 to 84 years	-472	-4.9	-79	-2.2	-393	-6.3	-60	-0.6	-13	-0.4	-47	-0.8
85 years and over	880	8.5	322	10.3	558	7.8	254	2.3	104	3.1	150	2.0

Source: U.S. Census Bureau Data prepared by the Office of Planning State Data Center

Changes in population by race between April 2010 (Census) and July 2013 (Table 3):

°All race categories showed an increase in total population but some age groups showed decline.

- Of the total population growth of 44,726 between April 2010 and July 2013, 29,244 (or 65.4%) were white, 9,297 (or 20.8%) were black, 3,342 (7.5%) were Asian, 548 (or 1.2%) were of Other races and the remainder were of Two or More races.
- While white population losses occurred in the 20-24 years age group.
- Black population losses occurred in the 10-14, 15-19, 45-49 and 70-84 years age groups.

Table 3... District of Columbia Resident Population Change Between April 1, 2010 and July 1, 2013

Age	Change, April 1, 2010 to July 1, 2013													
	Total		Race Alone										Two or More Races	
			White		Black or African American		American Indian and Alaska Native		Asian		Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander			
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Total	44,726	7.4	29,244	11.6	9,297	3.0	375	11.5	3,342	15.4	173	22.5	2,295	16.0
Under 5 years	8,354	25.6	4,629	42.1	2,129	11.2	47	20.1	723	106.6	71	134.0	755	44.9
5 to 9 years	3,729	14.3	1,882	26.5	1,397	8.1	37	20.7	82	16.6	-3	-4.7	334	34.4
10 to 14 years	200	0.8	1,203	23.9	-1,261	-6.7	-2	-1.3	70	18.2	33	91.7	157	22.7
15 to 19 years	-2,347	-5.9	523	4.1	-2,859	-11.6	-43	-19.5	35	2.9	3	6.5	-6	-0.5
20 to 24 years	-5,310	-8.3	-7,628	-22.2	2,967	12.2	-13	-3.7	-472	-14.3	-11	-12.2	-153	-8.7
25 to 29 years	7,449	10.7	4,894	11.7	2,135	9.9	45	11.5	276	7.1	-28	-24.3	127	6.7
30 to 34 years	13,690	24.8	9,710	31.8	2,536	13.2	137	45.8	853	25.4	25	27.2	429	28.8
35 to 39 years	5,195	12.1	4,392	20.9	33	0.2	19	7.3	494	21.2	29	50.0	228	22.4
40 to 44 years	4,030	10.7	3,195	19.9	5	0.0	37	16.6	572	42.4	4	6.7	217	29.0
45 to 49 years	-593	-1.5	1,720	12.7	-2,574	-11.2	-4	-1.8	232	23.5	11	21.6	22	3.1
50 to 54 years	1,089	2.9	1,027	8.6	-62	-0.3	26	13.7	44	5.0	9	30.0	45	7.6
55 to 59 years	2,265	6.6	362	3.1	1,751	8.3	30	18.9	98	12.2	13	52.0	11	2.1
60 to 64 years	2,362	8.0	343	3.0	1,817	10.6	17	13.4	116	16.2	0	0.0	69	17.1
65 to 69 years	2,661	12.4	1,106	13.2	1,422	11.6	8	8.2	96	20.9	4	15.4	25	9.1
70 to 74 years	1,386	9.0	1,297	25.8	-8	-0.1	23	37.7	35	9.9	10	333.3	29	15.9
75 to 79 years	158	1.3	347	9.9	-261	-3.3	7	18.9	50	21.3	3	300.0	12	11.0
80 to 84 years	-472	-4.9	-2	-0.1	-472	-7.2	5	22.7	16	9.8	0	0.0	-19	-18.3
85 years and over	880	8.5	244	6.9	602	9.3	-1	-3.4	22	12.7	0	0.0	13	12.5
Under 18 years	10,659	10.6	7,979	30.6	367	0.5	66	9.8	920	51.4	102	58.3	1,225	32.4
Under 5 years	8,354	25.6	4,629	42.1	2,129	11.2	47	20.1	723	106.6	71	134.0	755	44.9
5 to 13 years	4,178	9.1	2,898	25.9	583	1.8	40	13.2	154	19.3	24	25.5	479	31.2
14 to 17 years	-1,873	-8.5	452	11.8	-2,345	-13.6	-21	-15.2	43	13.7	7	25.0	-9	-1.6
18 to 64 years	29,454	6.8	18,273	9.0	7,647	3.8	267	11.4	2,203	11.9	54	9.6	1,010	10.3
18 to 24 years	-6,033	-6.9	-7,370	-16.7	2,006	5.6	-40	-8.6	-482	-11.3	-9	-7.9	-138	-5.7
25 to 44 years	30,364	14.8	22,191	20.3	4,709	6.0	238	20.3	2,195	20.1	30	9.2	1,001	19.4
45 to 64 years	5,123	3.7	3,452	7.1	932	1.1	69	9.8	490	14.5	33	26.4	147	6.6
65 years and over	4,613	6.7	2,992	12.8	1,283	3.0	42	17.0	219	15.8	17	54.8	60	7.7
85 years and over	880	8.5	244	6.9	602	9.3	-1	-3.4	22	12.7	0	0.0	13	12.5
16 years and over	32,793	6.4	21,393	9.4	7,505	3.0	294	11.1	2,464	12.3	72	11.8	1,065	9.8
18 years and over	34,067	6.8	21,265	9.4	8,930	3.7	309	11.9	2,422	12.2	71	11.9	1,070	10.1
15 to 44 years	22,707	7.3	15,086	9.6	4,817	3.8	182	10.4	1,758	11.4	22	4.8	842	10.5
Median age (years)	0.0	0.0	0.6	1.9	-0.9	-2.4	1.2	3.8	0.9	2.9	1.3	4.5	0.3	1.1

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division, Release Date: June 2014

Population changes by race between July 2012 and July 2013 (Table 4):

- All race categories showed an increase in total population but some age groups showed decline.
- Of the total population growth of 13,022 between July 2012 and July 2013, 7,675 (or 58.9%) were white, 3,404 (or 26.1%) were black, 1,036 (8.0%) were Asian, 183 (or 1.4%) were of Other races and the remainder were of Two or More races.
- While white population losses occurred in the 20-24 and 60-64 years age groups.
- Black population losses occurred in the 5-9, 10-14, 15-19, 45-49 and 75-84 years age groups.

Other Findings

- The data showed the District is retaining over 85% of its newborns through age nine since 2012.
- Median age in 2013 was the same as in 2010 at 33.8 years, but up from 33.7 years in 2012.

Table 4...District of Columbia Resident Population Change Between July 1, 2012 and July 1, 2013

Age	Change, July 1, 2012 to July 1, 2013													
	Total		Race Alone										Two or More Races	
			White		Black or African American		American Indian and Alaska Native		Asian		Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander			
Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	
Total	13,022	2.1	7,675	2.8	3,404	1.1	149	4.3	1,036	4.3	34	3.7	724	4.6
Under 5 years	2,087	5.4	1,736	12.5	-148	-0.7	40	16.6	210	17.6	8	6.9	241	11.0
5 to 9 years	1,779	6.3	687	8.3	966	5.4	12	5.9	35	6.5	1	1.7	78	6.4
10 to 14 years	257	1.0	396	6.8	-263	-1.5	-1	-0.6	22	5.1	5	7.8	98	13.0
15 to 19 years	-912	-2.4	26	0.2	-917	-4.0	-10	-5.3	-10	-0.8	0	0.0	-1	-0.1
20 to 24 years	-811	-1.4	-1,836	-6.4	982	3.7	4	1.2	-10	-0.4	10	14.5	39	2.5
25 to 29 years	869	1.1	273	0.6	714	3.1	32	7.9	-69	-1.6	-17	-16.3	-64	-3.1
30 to 34 years	3,888	6.0	2,611	6.9	859	4.1	17	4.1	262	6.6	-1	-0.8	140	7.9
35 to 39 years	2,291	5.0	1,607	6.8	458	2.6	8	2.9	155	5.8	16	22.5	47	3.9
40 to 44 years	992	2.4	577	3.1	140	0.7	25	10.6	183	10.5	-5	-7.2	72	8.1
45 to 49 years	-438	-1.1	419	2.8	-928	-4.3	-17	-7.1	62	5.4	6	10.7	20	2.8
50 to 54 years	520	1.4	261	2.1	187	0.8	13	6.4	60	7.0	2	5.4	-3	-0.5
55 to 59 years	493	1.4	87	0.7	372	1.7	-3	-1.6	14	1.6	7	22.6	16	3.1
60 to 64 years	371	1.2	-74	-0.6	377	2.0	25	21.0	35	4.4	-1	-5.0	9	1.9
65 to 69 years	778	3.3	97	1.0	623	4.8	-1	-0.9	49	9.7	-1	-3.2	11	3.8
70 to 74 years	558	3.4	505	8.7	18	0.2	2	2.4	15	4.0	2	18.2	16	8.2
75 to 79 years	106	0.9	195	5.4	-107	-1.4	3	7.3	2	0.7	2	100.0	11	10.0
80 to 84 years	-60	-0.6	17	0.6	-78	-1.3	1	3.8	11	6.5	0	0.0	-11	-11.5
85 years and over	254	2.3	91	2.5	149	2.2	-1	-3.4	10	5.4	0	0.0	5	4.5
Under 18 years	3,832	3.6	2,899	9.3	189	0.3	59	8.6	257	10.5	14	5.3	414	9.0
Under 5 years	2,087	5.4	1,736	12.5	-148	-0.7	40	16.6	210	17.6	8	6.9	241	11.0
5 to 13 years	2,077	4.3	1,002	7.6	844	2.7	17	5.2	44	4.8	2	1.7	168	9.1
14 to 17 years	-332	-1.6	161	3.9	-507	-3.3	2	1.7	3	0.8	4	12.9	5	0.9
18 to 64 years	7,554	1.7	3,871	1.8	2,610	1.3	86	3.4	692	3.5	17	2.8	278	2.6
18 to 24 years	-1,432	-1.7	-1,890	-4.9	431	1.2	-14	-3.2	-10	-0.3	10	10.5	41	1.8
25 to 44 years	8,040	3.5	5,068	4.0	2,171	2.7	82	6.2	531	4.2	-7	-1.9	195	3.3
45 to 64 years	946	0.7	693	1.4	8	0.0	18	2.4	171	4.6	14	9.7	42	1.8
65 years and over	1,636	2.3	905	3.6	605	1.4	4	1.4	87	5.7	3	6.7	32	4.0
85 years and over	254	2.3	91	2.5	149	2.2	-1	-3.4	10	5.4	0	0.0	5	4.5
16 years and over	8,877	1.7	4,783	2.0	2,904	1.1	89	3.1	776	3.6	18	2.7	307	2.6
18 years and over	9,190	1.7	4,776	2.0	3,215	1.3	90	3.2	779	3.6	20	3.1	310	2.7
15 to 44 years	6,317	1.9	3,258	1.9	2,236	1.7	76	4.1	511	3.1	3	0.6	233	2.7
Median age (years)	0	0.3	0	0.6	0	-0.5	0	0.3	0	0.9	0.5	1.7	0	0.0

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division, Release Date: June 2014

Table 5... DC 2013 Population by Race Alone

Age	Total	Race Alone					Two or More Races
		White	Black or African American	American Indian and Alaska Native	Asian	Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	
Total	646,449	280,509	319,676	3,639	25,047	943	16,635
Under 5 years	40,967	15,616	21,107	281	1,401	124	2,438
5 to 9 years	29,876	8,978	18,741	216	576	61	1,304
10 to 14 years	25,241	6,246	17,465	156	455	69	850
15 to 19 years	37,572	13,157	21,867	178	1,224	49	1,097
20 to 24 years	58,800	26,692	27,272	335	2,822	79	1,600
25 to 29 years	77,098	46,751	23,659	435	4,149	87	2,017
30 to 34 years	68,786	40,285	21,821	436	4,206	117	1,921
35 to 39 years	48,120	25,407	18,279	280	2,820	87	1,247
40 to 44 years	41,764	19,263	19,292	260	1,921	64	964
45 to 49 years	37,946	15,216	20,499	224	1,220	62	725
50 to 54 years	38,253	12,900	23,543	216	918	39	637
55 to 59 years	36,539	12,018	22,865	189	901	38	528
60 to 64 years	32,065	11,695	18,903	144	832	19	472
65 to 69 years	24,149	9,465	13,692	106	555	30	301
70 to 74 years	16,867	6,326	9,846	84	387	13	211
75 to 79 years	11,978	3,838	7,686	44	285	4	121
80 to 84 years	9,233	2,876	6,064	27	180	1	85
85 years and over	11,195	3,780	7,075	28	195	0	117
Under 18 years	111,474	34,016	68,726	742	2,709	277	5,004
Under 5 years	40,967	15,616	21,107	281	1,401	124	2,438
5 to 13 years	50,226	14,107	32,690	344	952	118	2,015
14 to 17 years	20,281	4,293	14,929	117	356	35	551
18 to 64 years	461,553	220,208	206,587	2,608	20,736	618	10,796
18 to 24 years	80,982	36,673	37,726	424	3,769	105	2,285
25 to 44 years	235,768	131,706	83,051	1,411	13,096	355	6,149
45 to 64 years	144,803	51,829	85,810	773	3,871	158	2,362
65 years and over	73,422	26,285	44,363	289	1,602	48	835
85 years and over	11,195	3,780	7,075	28	195	0	117
16 years and over	545,368	248,604	258,675	2,951	22,548	681	11,909
18 years and over	534,975	246,493	250,950	2,897	22,338	666	11,631
15 to 44 years	332,140	171,555	132,190	1,924	17,142	483	8,846
Median age (years)	33.8	32.6	37.1	32.6	32.1	30.1	27.8

Source: U.S. Census Bureau Data prepared by the Office of Planning State Data Center

Table 6... DC Population by Race Alone or in Combination*

Age	Race Alone or in Combination				
	White	Black or African American	American Indian and Alaska Native	Asian	Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander
Total	293,355	329,875	8,805	31,766	1,776
Under 5 years	17,700	22,457	720	2,641	190
5 to 9 years	10,026	19,641	511	1,086	99
10 to 14 years	6,899	18,087	382	765	95
15 to 19 years	14,014	22,580	468	1,707	118
20 to 24 years	27,964	28,178	745	3,586	165
25 to 29 years	48,453	24,653	937	5,096	190
30 to 34 years	41,877	22,799	953	5,088	222
35 to 39 years	26,369	19,023	664	3,316	166
40 to 44 years	19,985	19,912	621	2,234	134
45 to 49 years	15,687	21,013	585	1,416	106
50 to 54 years	13,318	23,996	515	1,107	81
55 to 59 years	12,308	23,278	484	1,021	68
60 to 64 years	11,967	19,249	414	944	45
65 to 69 years	9,647	13,932	302	606	42
70 to 74 years	6,455	10,005	212	428	25
75 to 79 years	3,916	7,777	121	309	8
80 to 84 years	2,922	6,136	78	193	6
85 years and over	3,848	7,159	93	223	16
Under 18 years	38,112	71,913	1,837	4,899	415
Under 5 years	17,700	22,457	720	2,641	190
5 to 13 years	15,704	34,100	826	1,727	179
14 to 17 years	4,708	15,356	291	531	46
18 to 64 years	228,455	212,953	6,162	25,108	1,264
18 to 24 years	38,491	39,030	989	4,886	252
25 to 44 years	136,684	86,387	3,175	15,734	712
45 to 64 years	53,280	87,536	1,998	4,488	300
65 years and over	26,788	45,009	806	1,759	97
85 years and over	3,848	7,159	93	223	16
16 years and over	257,554	265,899	7,118	27,168	1,383
18 years and over	255,243	257,962	6,968	26,867	1,361
15 to 44 years	178,662	137,145	4,388	21,027	995
Median age (years)	32.4	36.6	33.4	30.9	30.7

Note: "In combination" means in combination with one or more other races. The sum of the five race groups adds to more than the total population because individuals may report more than one race.

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