



North Carolina: Racial Composition of Local Police Department and Residential Population

Data fields (in order of appearance) for **NC Police.xlsx**:

VARIABLE	LABEL
NAME	City or town name
AGCYTYPE	Agency Type (limited to Local Police)
AGENCY	Agency Name
SWNFTEMP	Number of Actual Full-Time Paid Employees – Sworn Personnel with General Arrest Powers, 2007
poperved	Population served according to the UCR for Local Police (2007)
pop10	Total Population, 2010
white10	White, Non-Hispanic Population, 2010
black10	Black, Non-Hispanic Population, 2010
hispan10	Hispanic Population, 2010
asian10	Asian, Non-Hispanic Population, 2010
other10	Other, Non-Hispanic Population, 2010
pol_tpop	Total Police Officers with General Arrest Powers (sum of race subcomponents), 2007 – <i>this is the total used as the denominator for the percentages by race for the police force</i>
pol_white	White, Non-Hispanic Police Officers, 2007
pol_black	Black, Non-Hispanic Police Officers, 2007
pol_hispan	Hispanic Police Officers, 2007
pol_asian	Asian, Non-Hispanic Police Officers, 2007
pol_other	Other, Non-Hispanic or Unknown Race Police Officers, 2007
civ_pctwhite	% of Total Population that is White, Non-Hispanic, 2010
pol_pctwhite	% of Police Force that is White, Non-Hispanic 2007
civ_pctblack	% of Total Population that is Black, Non-Hispanic, 2010
pol_pctblack	% of Police Force that is Black, Non-Hispanic 2010
civ_pcthispan	% of Total Population that is Hispanic, 2010
pol_pcthispan	% of Police Force that is Hispanic, 2007
civ_pctasian	% of Total Population that is Asian, Non-Hispanic, 2010
pol_pctasian	% of Police Force that is Asian, Non-Hispanic, 2007
civ_pctother	% of Total Population that is Other, Non-Hispanic, 2010
pol_pctother	% of Police Force that is Other, Non-Hispanic or Unknown Race, 2007

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GENERAL DATA NOTES

Sources

Data on the size and racial/ethnic composition of local police forces was drawn from the 2007 Law Enforcement Management and Administrative Statistics (LEMAS) Series. This data is obtained by the Bureau of Justice Statistics and was retrieved from the National Archive of Criminal Justice Data (NACJD) hosted by the Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR).

Data on the size and characteristics of the civilian population were drawn from the 2010 Census using Social Explorer.

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