

~ Population Projections to 2050 ~

Mason County

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County State

2010 Census

Total Population	17,490	4,339,367
Ages 0-19	4,672	1,146,204
Ages 20-44	5,241	1,432,846
Ages 45-65	4,932	1,182,090
Ages 65+	2,645	578,227

Projected Total Population

2020	18,419	4,672,754
Percent Change 2010-2020	5.3%	7.7%
2030	19,031	4,951,178
Percent Change 2010-2030	8.8%	14.1%
2050	19,351	5,349,720
Percent Change 2010-2050	10.6%	23.3%

Projected Population by Age Group

Projected Ages 0-19

2020	4,697	1,175,502
Percent Change 2010-2020	0.5%	2.6%
2030	4,768	1,215,155
Percent Change 2010-2030	2.1%	6.0%
2050	4,917	1,312,085
Percent Change 2010-2050	5.2%	14.5%

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County **State**

Projected Population by Age Group

Projected Ages 20-44

2020	5,172	1,478,734
Percent Change 2010-2020	-1.3%	3.2%
2030	5,342	1,542,385
Percent Change 2010-2030	1.9%	7.6%
2050	5,513	1,666,196
Percent Change 2010-2050	5.2%	16.3%

Projected Ages 45-64

2020	4,961	1,231,451
Percent Change 2010-2020	0.6%	4.2%
2030	4,559	1,195,554
Percent Change 2010-2030	-7.6%	1.1%
2050	4,620	1,291,224
Percent Change 2010-2050	-6.3%	9.2%

Projected Ages 65+

2020	3,589	787,067
Percent Change 2010-2020	35.7%	36.1%
2030	4,362	998,084
Percent Change 2010-2030	64.9%	72.6%
2050	4,301	1,080,215
Percent Change 2010-2050	62.6%	86.8%

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County State

2010 Census

Total Population	28,602	4,339,367
Ages 0-19	8,535	1,146,204
Ages 20-44	9,606	1,432,846
Ages 45-65	7,486	1,182,090
Ages 65+	2,975	578,227

Projected Total Population

2020	30,901	4,672,754
Percent Change 2010-2020	8.0%	7.7%
2030	32,481	4,951,178
Percent Change 2010-2030	13.6%	14.1%
2050	33,305	5,349,720
Percent Change 2010-2050	16.4%	23.3%

Projected Population by Age Group

Projected Ages 0-19

2020	8,359	1,175,502
Percent Change 2010-2020	-2.1%	2.6%
2030	8,241	1,215,155
Percent Change 2010-2030	-3.4%	6.0%
2050	8,009	1,312,085
Percent Change 2010-2050	-6.2%	14.5%

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County **State**

Projected Population by Age Group

Projected Ages 20-44

2020	9,978	1,478,734
Percent Change 2010-2020	3.9%	3.2%
2030	10,129	1,542,385
Percent Change 2010-2030	5.4%	7.6%
2050	9,931	1,666,196
Percent Change 2010-2050	3.4%	16.3%

Projected Ages 45-64

2020	8,183	1,231,451
Percent Change 2010-2020	9.3%	4.2%
2030	7,944	1,195,554
Percent Change 2010-2030	6.1%	1.1%
2050	8,415	1,291,224
Percent Change 2010-2050	12.4%	9.2%

Projected Ages 65+

2020	4,381	787,067
Percent Change 2010-2020	47.3%	36.1%
2030	6,167	998,084
Percent Change 2010-2030	107.3%	72.6%
2050	6,950	1,080,215
Percent Change 2010-2050	133.6%	86.8%

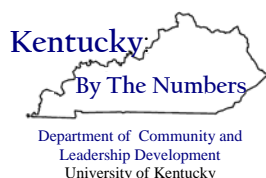
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County **State**

2010 Census

Total Population	6,306	4,339,367
Ages 0-19	1,662	1,146,204
Ages 20-44	1,816	1,432,846
Ages 45-65	1,823	1,182,090
Ages 65+	1,005	578,227

Projected Total Population

2020	6,038	4,672,754
Percent Change 2010-2020	-4.2%	7.7%
2030	5,613	4,951,178
Percent Change 2010-2030	-11.0%	14.1%
2050	4,567	5,349,720
Percent Change 2010-2050	-27.6%	23.3%

Projected Population by Age Group

Projected Ages 0-19

2020	1,483	1,175,502
Percent Change 2010-2020	-10.8%	2.6%
2030	1,335	1,215,155
Percent Change 2010-2030	-19.7%	6.0%
2050	1,064	1,312,085
Percent Change 2010-2050	-36.0%	14.5%

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County **State**

Projected Population by Age Group

Projected Ages 20-44

2020	1,660	1,478,734
Percent Change 2010-2020	-8.6%	3.2%
2030	1,562	1,542,385
Percent Change 2010-2030	-14.0%	7.6%
2050	1,248	1,666,196
Percent Change 2010-2050	-31.3%	16.3%

Projected Ages 45-64

2020	1,641	1,231,451
Percent Change 2010-2020	-10.0%	4.2%
2030	1,341	1,195,554
Percent Change 2010-2030	-26.4%	1.1%
2050	1,169	1,291,224
Percent Change 2010-2050	-35.9%	9.2%

Projected Ages 65+

2020	1,254	787,067
Percent Change 2010-2020	24.8%	36.1%
2030	1,375	998,084
Percent Change 2010-2030	36.8%	72.6%
2050	1,086	1,080,215
Percent Change 2010-2050	8.1%	86.8%

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County State

2010 Census

Total Population	21,331	4,339,367
Ages 0-19	5,515	1,146,204
Ages 20-44	6,108	1,432,846
Ages 45-65	6,313	1,182,090
Ages 65+	3,395	578,227

Projected Total Population

2020	21,810	4,672,754
Percent Change 2010-2020	2.2%	7.7%
2030	21,741	4,951,178
Percent Change 2010-2030	1.9%	14.1%
2050	20,112	5,349,720
Percent Change 2010-2050	-5.7%	23.3%

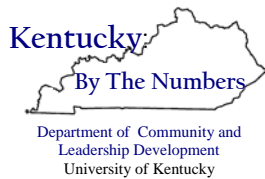
Projected Population by Age Group

Projected Ages 0-19

2020	5,120	1,175,502
Percent Change 2010-2020	-7.2%	2.6%
2030	4,963	1,215,155
Percent Change 2010-2030	-10.0%	6.0%
2050	4,556	1,312,085
Percent Change 2010-2050	-17.4%	14.5%

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County **State**

Projected Population by Age Group

Projected Ages 20-44

2020	5,830	1,478,734
Percent Change 2010-2020	-4.6%	3.2%
2030	5,590	1,542,385
Percent Change 2010-2030	-8.5%	7.6%
2050	4,995	1,666,196
Percent Change 2010-2050	-18.2%	16.3%

Projected Ages 45-64

2020	6,459	1,231,451
Percent Change 2010-2020	2.3%	4.2%
2030	5,781	1,195,554
Percent Change 2010-2030	-8.4%	1.1%
2050	5,343	1,291,224
Percent Change 2010-2050	-15.4%	9.2%

Projected Ages 65+

2020	4,401	787,067
Percent Change 2010-2020	29.6%	36.1%
2030	5,407	998,084
Percent Change 2010-2030	59.3%	72.6%
2050	5,218	1,080,215
Percent Change 2010-2050	53.7%	86.8%

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County State

2010 Census

Total Population	10,099	4,339,367
Ages 0-19	2,670	1,146,204
Ages 20-44	2,973	1,432,846
Ages 45-65	2,812	1,182,090
Ages 65+	1,644	578,227

Projected Total Population

2020	10,329	4,672,754
Percent Change 2010-2020	2.3%	7.7%
2030	10,380	4,951,178
Percent Change 2010-2030	2.8%	14.1%
2050	9,938	5,349,720
Percent Change 2010-2050	-1.6%	23.3%

Projected Population by Age Group

Projected Ages 0-19

2020	2,569	1,175,502
Percent Change 2010-2020	-3.8%	2.6%
2030	2,488	1,215,155
Percent Change 2010-2030	-6.8%	6.0%
2050	2,395	1,312,085
Percent Change 2010-2050	-10.3%	14.5%

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County **State**

Projected Population by Age Group

Projected Ages 20-44

2020	2,850	1,478,734
Percent Change 2010-2020	-4.1%	3.2%
2030	2,847	1,542,385
Percent Change 2010-2030	-4.2%	7.6%
2050	2,652	1,666,196
Percent Change 2010-2050	-10.8%	16.3%

Projected Ages 45-64

2020	2,915	1,231,451
Percent Change 2010-2020	3.7%	4.2%
2030	2,629	1,195,554
Percent Change 2010-2030	-6.5%	1.1%
2050	2,547	1,291,224
Percent Change 2010-2050	-9.4%	9.2%

Projected Ages 65+

2020	1,995	787,067
Percent Change 2010-2020	21.4%	36.1%
2030	2,416	998,084
Percent Change 2010-2030	47.0%	72.6%
2050	2,344	1,080,215
Percent Change 2010-2050	42.6%	86.8%

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County **State**

2010 Census

Total Population	10,963	4,339,367
Ages 0-19	2,821	1,146,204
Ages 20-44	3,098	1,432,846
Ages 45-65	3,164	1,182,090
Ages 65+	1,880	578,227

Projected Total Population

2020	10,405	4,672,754
Percent Change 2010-2020	-5.1%	7.7%
2030	9,675	4,951,178
Percent Change 2010-2030	-11.7%	14.1%
2050	7,979	5,349,720
Percent Change 2010-2050	-27.2%	23.3%

Projected Population by Age Group

Projected Ages 0-19

2020	2,479	1,175,502
Percent Change 2010-2020	-12.1%	2.6%
2030	2,298	1,215,155
Percent Change 2010-2030	-18.5%	6.0%
2050	1,896	1,312,085
Percent Change 2010-2050	-32.8%	14.5%

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Projected Population by Age Group

Projected Ages 20-44

2020	2,870	1,478,734
Percent Change 2010-2020	-7.4%	3.2%
2030	2,629	1,542,385
Percent Change 2010-2030	-15.1%	7.6%
2050	2,143	1,666,196
Percent Change 2010-2050	-30.8%	16.3%

Projected Ages 45-64

2020	2,928	1,231,451
Percent Change 2010-2020	-7.5%	4.2%
2030	2,429	1,195,554
Percent Change 2010-2030	-23.2%	1.1%
2050	2,082	1,291,224
Percent Change 2010-2050	-34.2%	9.2%

Projected Ages 65+

2020	2,128	787,067
Percent Change 2010-2020	13.2%	36.1%
2030	2,319	998,084
Percent Change 2010-2030	23.4%	72.6%
2050	1,858	1,080,215
Percent Change 2010-2050	-1.2%	86.8%

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County State

2010 Census

Total Population	26,499	4,339,367
Ages 0-19	7,136	1,146,204
Ages 20-44	8,820	1,432,846
Ages 45-65	7,150	1,182,090
Ages 65+	3,393	578,227

Projected Total Population

2020	30,750	4,672,754
Percent Change 2010-2020	16.0%	7.7%
2030	35,042	4,951,178
Percent Change 2010-2030	32.2%	14.1%
2050	43,517	5,349,720
Percent Change 2010-2050	64.2%	23.3%

Projected Population by Age Group

Projected Ages 0-19

2020	7,858	1,175,502
Percent Change 2010-2020	10.1%	2.6%
2030	8,719	1,215,155
Percent Change 2010-2030	22.2%	6.0%
2050	10,817	1,312,085
Percent Change 2010-2050	51.6%	14.5%

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County **State**

Projected Population by Age Group

Projected Ages 20-44

2020	9,605	1,478,734
Percent Change 2010-2020	8.9%	3.2%
2030	10,549	1,542,385
Percent Change 2010-2030	19.6%	7.6%
2050	13,029	1,666,196
Percent Change 2010-2050	47.7%	16.3%

Projected Ages 45-64

2020	8,344	1,231,451
Percent Change 2010-2020	16.7%	4.2%
2030	9,224	1,195,554
Percent Change 2010-2030	29.0%	1.1%
2050	10,915	1,291,224
Percent Change 2010-2050	52.7%	9.2%

Projected Ages 65+

2020	4,943	787,067
Percent Change 2010-2020	45.7%	36.1%
2030	6,550	998,084
Percent Change 2010-2030	93.0%	72.6%
2050	8,756	1,080,215
Percent Change 2010-2050	158.1%	86.8%

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County State

2010 Census

Total Population	13,923	4,339,367
Ages 0-19	3,140	1,146,204
Ages 20-44	5,118	1,432,846
Ages 45-65	3,855	1,182,090
Ages 65+	1,810	578,227

Projected Total Population

2020	14,023	4,672,754
Percent Change 2010-2020	0.7%	7.7%
2030	13,707	4,951,178
Percent Change 2010-2030	-1.6%	14.1%
2050	12,337	5,349,720
Percent Change 2010-2050	-11.4%	23.3%

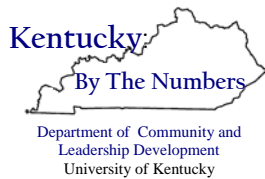
Projected Population by Age Group

Projected Ages 0-19

2020	2,936	1,175,502
Percent Change 2010-2020	-6.5%	2.6%
2030	2,670	1,215,155
Percent Change 2010-2030	-15.0%	6.0%
2050	2,308	1,312,085
Percent Change 2010-2050	-26.5%	14.5%

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County **State**

Projected Population by Age Group

Projected Ages 20-44

2020	4,871	1,478,734
Percent Change 2010-2020	-4.8%	3.2%
2030	4,710	1,542,385
Percent Change 2010-2030	-8.0%	7.6%
2050	4,265	1,666,196
Percent Change 2010-2050	-16.7%	16.3%

Projected Ages 45-64

2020	3,751	1,231,451
Percent Change 2010-2020	-2.7%	4.2%
2030	3,379	1,195,554
Percent Change 2010-2030	-12.3%	1.1%
2050	3,042	1,291,224
Percent Change 2010-2050	-21.1%	9.2%

Projected Ages 65+

2020	2,465	787,067
Percent Change 2010-2020	36.2%	36.1%
2030	2,948	998,084
Percent Change 2010-2030	62.9%	72.6%
2050	2,722	1,080,215
Percent Change 2010-2050	50.4%	86.8%

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County State

2010 Census

Total Population	31,499	4,339,367
Ages 0-19	7,668	1,146,204
Ages 20-44	9,830	1,432,846
Ages 45-65	8,891	1,182,090
Ages 65+	5,110	578,227

Projected Total Population

2020	31,466	4,672,754
Percent Change 2010-2020	-0.1%	7.7%
2030	30,858	4,951,178
Percent Change 2010-2030	-2.0%	14.1%
2050	28,643	5,349,720
Percent Change 2010-2050	-9.1%	23.3%

Projected Population by Age Group

Projected Ages 0-19

2020	7,316	1,175,502
Percent Change 2010-2020	-4.6%	2.6%
2030	7,083	1,215,155
Percent Change 2010-2030	-7.6%	6.0%
2050	6,538	1,312,085
Percent Change 2010-2050	-14.7%	14.5%

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County **State**

Projected Population by Age Group

Projected Ages 20-44

2020	9,613	1,478,734
Percent Change 2010-2020	-2.2%	3.2%
2030	9,450	1,542,385
Percent Change 2010-2030	-3.9%	7.6%
2050	8,793	1,666,196
Percent Change 2010-2050	-10.5%	16.3%

Projected Ages 45-64

2020	8,347	1,231,451
Percent Change 2010-2020	-6.1%	4.2%
2030	7,483	1,195,554
Percent Change 2010-2030	-15.8%	1.1%
2050	7,243	1,291,224
Percent Change 2010-2050	-18.5%	9.2%

Projected Ages 65+

2020	6,190	787,067
Percent Change 2010-2020	21.1%	36.1%
2030	6,842	998,084
Percent Change 2010-2030	33.9%	72.6%
2050	6,069	1,080,215
Percent Change 2010-2050	18.8%	86.8%

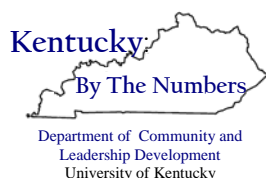
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County **State**

2010 Census

Total Population	43,437	4,339,367
Ages 0-19	12,394	1,146,204
Ages 20-44	13,854	1,432,846
Ages 45-65	12,092	1,182,090
Ages 65+	5,097	578,227

Projected Total Population

2020	50,119	4,672,754
Percent Change 2010-2020	15.4%	7.7%
2030	56,309	4,951,178
Percent Change 2010-2030	29.6%	14.1%
2050	66,426	5,349,720
Percent Change 2010-2050	52.9%	23.3%

Projected Population by Age Group

Projected Ages 0-19

2020	13,281	1,175,502
Percent Change 2010-2020	7.2%	2.6%
2030	14,295	1,215,155
Percent Change 2010-2030	15.3%	6.0%
2050	16,432	1,312,085
Percent Change 2010-2050	32.6%	14.5%

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County **State**

Projected Population by Age Group

Projected Ages 20-44

2020	15,271	1,478,734
Percent Change 2010-2020	10.2%	3.2%
2030	16,618	1,542,385
Percent Change 2010-2030	20.0%	7.6%
2050	19,218	1,666,196
Percent Change 2010-2050	38.7%	16.3%

Projected Ages 45-64

2020	13,583	1,231,451
Percent Change 2010-2020	12.3%	4.2%
2030	13,937	1,195,554
Percent Change 2010-2030	15.3%	1.1%
2050	16,798	1,291,224
Percent Change 2010-2050	38.9%	9.2%

Projected Ages 65+

2020	7,984	787,067
Percent Change 2010-2020	56.6%	36.1%
2030	11,459	998,084
Percent Change 2010-2030	124.8%	72.6%
2050	13,978	1,080,215
Percent Change 2010-2050	174.2%	86.8%

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