

Table 7. Total and Minority Populations and Minority Population Share, 2023 and 2020

State/Region/Jurisdiction	Population				Minority Population Share		
	July 1, 2023		April 1, 2020		2023	2020	Percentage Point Change (2023-2020)
	Total	Minority *	Total	Minority *			
Maryland	6,180,253	3,258,883	6,177,253	3,164,059	52.7%	51.2%	1.5%
Baltimore Region	2,781,808	1,329,047	2,794,647	1,285,950	47.8%	46.0%	1.8%
Anne Arundel	594,582	225,578	588,270	205,768	37.9%	35.0%	3.0%
Baltimore County	844,703	408,996	854,554	392,611	48.4%	45.9%	2.5%
Carroll	176,639	25,901	172,895	21,612	14.7%	12.5%	2.2%
Harford	264,644	73,524	260,922	67,700	27.8%	25.9%	1.8%
Howard	336,001	180,155	332,316	169,821	53.6%	51.1%	2.5%
Baltimore City	565,239	414,893	585,690	428,438	73.4%	73.2%	0.3%
Suburban Washington Region	2,299,295	1,573,257	2,300,990	1,550,899	68.4%	67.4%	1.0%
Frederick	293,391	101,464	271,710	81,711	34.6%	30.1%	4.5%
Montgomery	1,058,474	628,434	1,062,065	614,238	59.4%	57.8%	1.5%
Prince George's	947,430	843,359	967,215	854,950	89.0%	88.4%	0.6%
Southern Maryland Region	381,982	174,941	373,187	159,356	45.8%	42.7%	3.1%
Calvert	94,728	24,039	92,789	21,475	25.4%	23.1%	2.2%
Charles	171,973	117,874	166,621	107,150	68.5%	64.3%	4.2%
St. Mary's	115,281	33,028	113,777	30,731	28.6%	27.0%	1.6%
Western Maryland Region	251,509	52,672	251,619	45,927	20.9%	18.3%	2.7%
Allegany	67,273	9,189	68,108	8,506	13.7%	12.5%	1.2%
Garrett	28,423	1,256	28,807	1,083	4.4%	3.8%	0.7%
Washington	155,813	42,227	154,704	36,338	27.1%	23.5%	3.6%
Upper Eastern Shore Region	248,899	50,436	243,613	46,288	20.3%	19.0%	1.3%
Caroline	33,593	8,938	33,292	8,558	26.6%	25.7%	0.9%
Cecil	105,672	19,344	103,724	16,952	18.3%	16.3%	2.0%
Kent	19,303	4,444	19,198	4,415	23.0%	23.0%	0.0%
Queen Anne's	52,508	8,052	49,876	7,221	15.3%	14.5%	0.9%
Talbot	37,823	9,658	37,523	9,142	25.5%	24.4%	1.2%
Lower Eastern Shore Region	216,760	78,530	213,197	75,639	36.2%	35.5%	0.8%
Dorchester	32,879	12,731	32,529	12,260	38.7%	37.7%	1.0%
Somerset	24,910	12,136	24,615	11,829	48.7%	48.1%	0.7%
Wicomico	104,800	42,776	103,588	40,954	40.8%	39.5%	1.3%
Worcester	54,171	10,887	52,465	10,596	20.1%	20.2%	-0.1%

* Minority population equals total population minus non-Hispanic white alone population.

Prepared by the Maryland Department of Planning, June 2024

Source: Population Division, U.S. Census Bureau

Release Date: June 2024