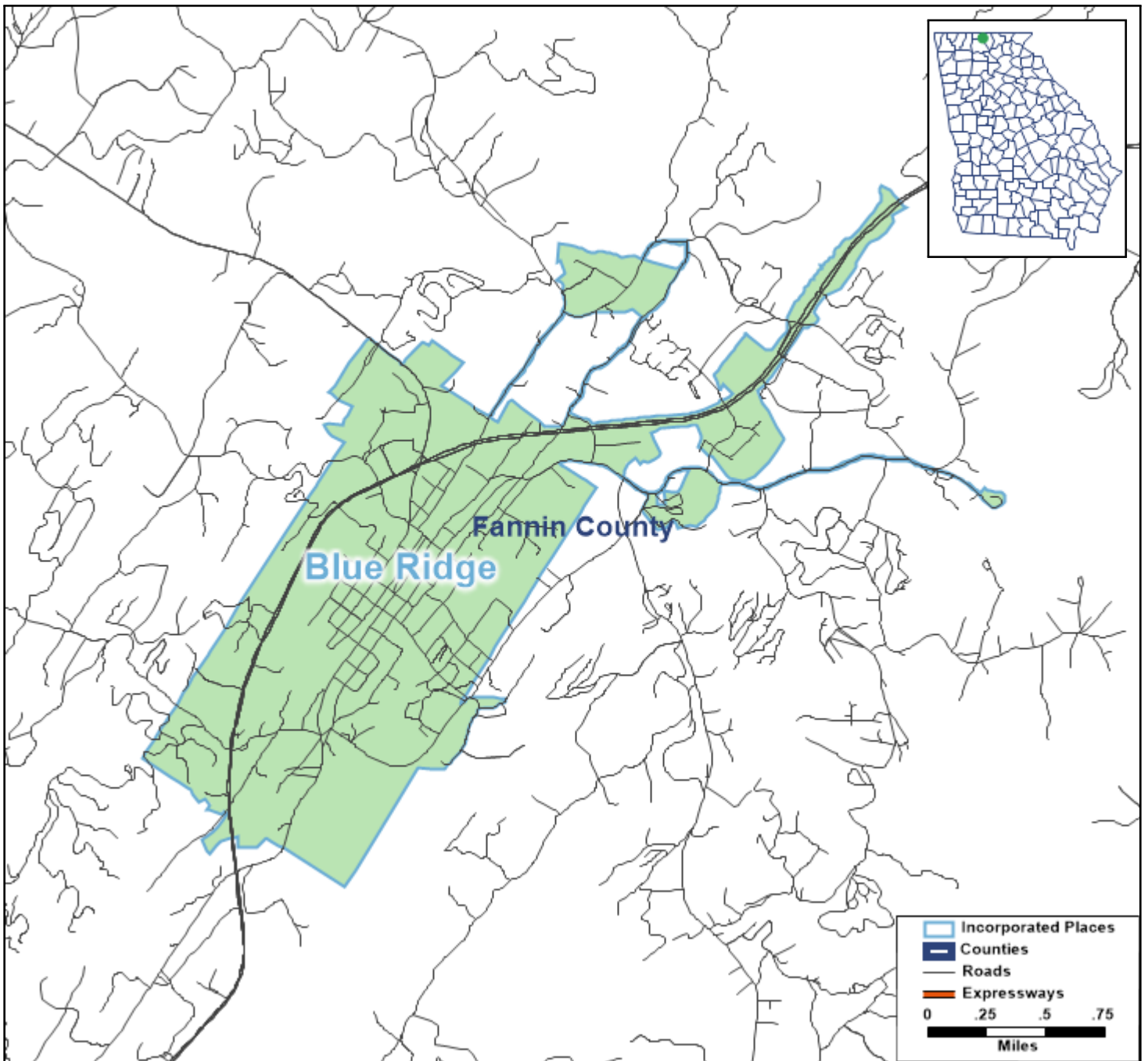


# Blue Ridge: 2023 GMA Member City Data Profile



This document presents a concise profile of Blue Ridge based on the following three topic areas:

## Demographic and Social Data

- Population
- Race and Ethnicity
- Age
- Household Type
- Citizenship
- Educational Attainment

## Economic Data

- Labor Force Participation and Employment
- Industry
- Household Income
- Poverty
- Broadband Internet
- Health Insurance

## Housing Data

- Occupancy
- Tenure and Mortgage Status
- Median Housing Costs
- Housing Cost-Burdened Households
- Vehicles Available
- Year Structure Built

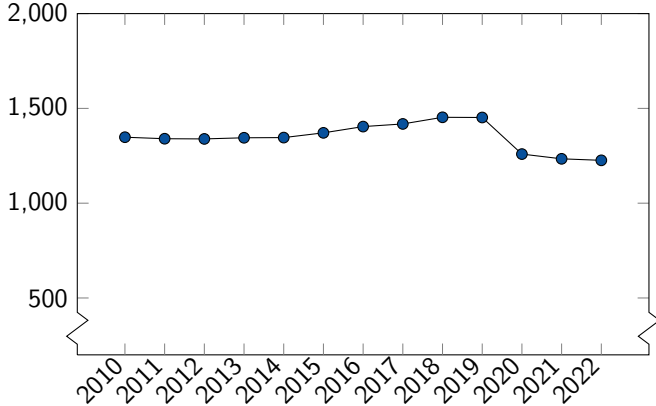
All data in this profile reflect municipal boundaries as of January 1, 2021. Population totals are from the Census Bureau's City Population Estimates program, 2022 vintage; all other data come from the Census Bureau's 2021 American Community Survey 5-year estimates. Please note that percents may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

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# Blue Ridge: Demographic and Social

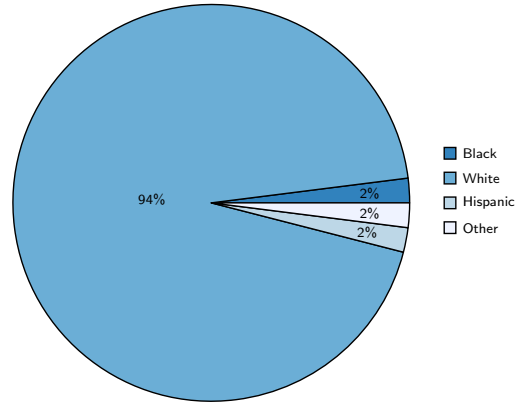
## Population

2022 Population: 1,226



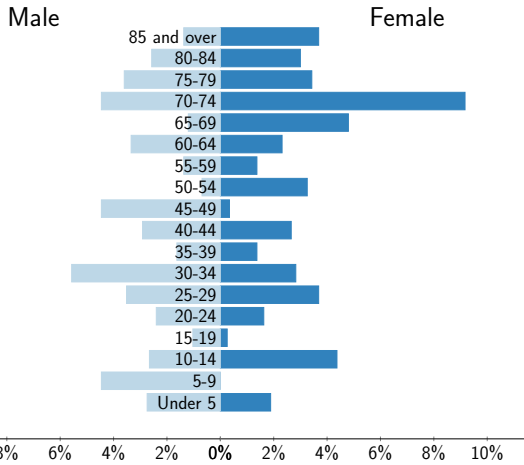
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## Race and Ethnicity



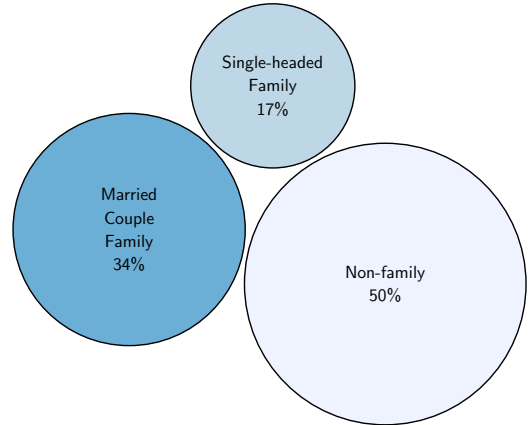
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## Age



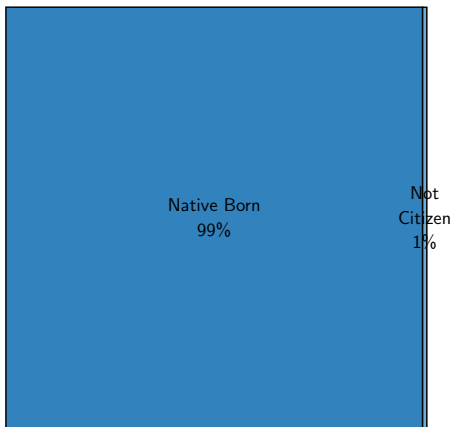
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## Household Type



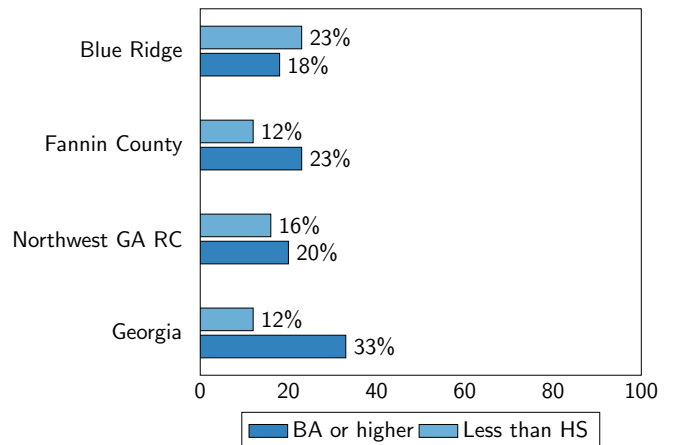
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## Citizenship



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## Educational Attainment

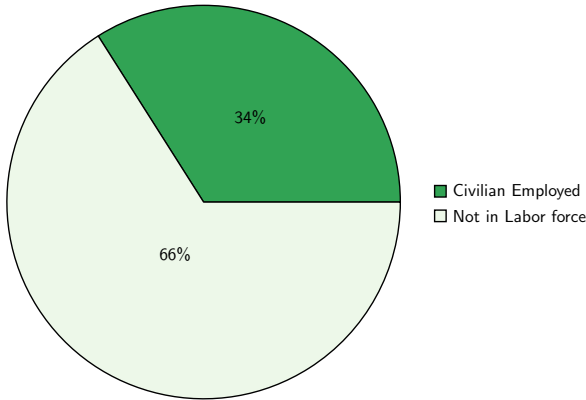


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# Blue Ridge: Economic

## Labor Force Participation and Employment

Unemployment Rate: 0.9%†



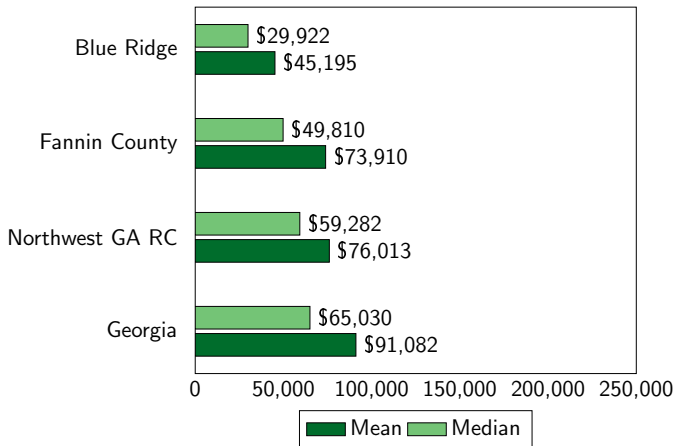
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 †Note: Unemployment rate is based upon the civilian labor force.

## Industry

Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	0%
Construction	11%
Manufacturing	6%
Wholesale Trade	0%
Retail Trade	15%
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	6%
Information	1%
Finance and insurance, real estate, rental, leasing	7%
Professional, scientific, mgt, administrative, waste mgt	9%
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	19%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, food service	20%
Other services, except public administration	4%
Public administration	1%

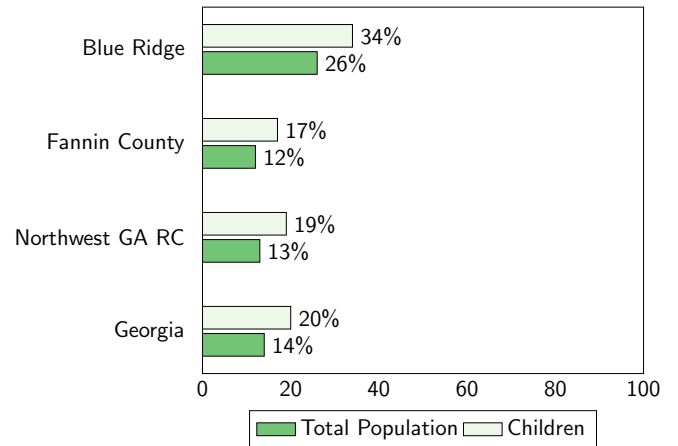
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## Household Income



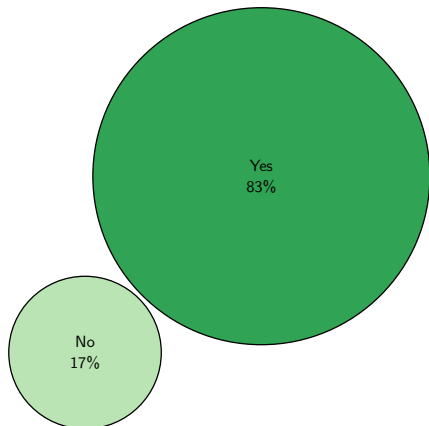
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## Poverty



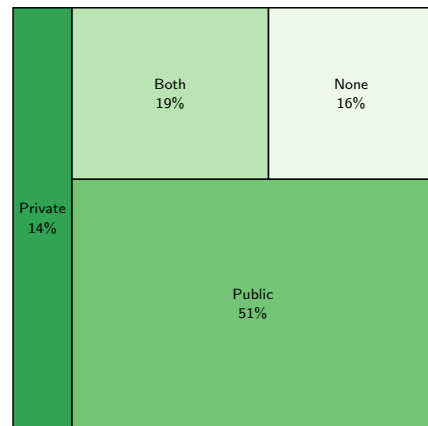
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## Broadband Internet



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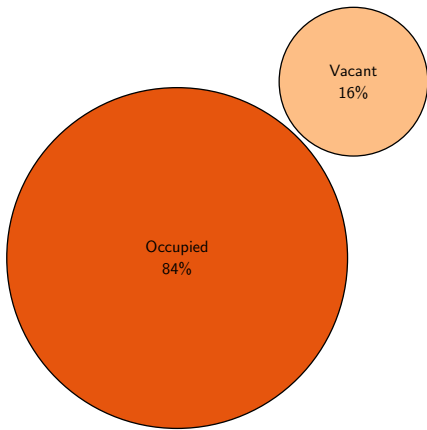
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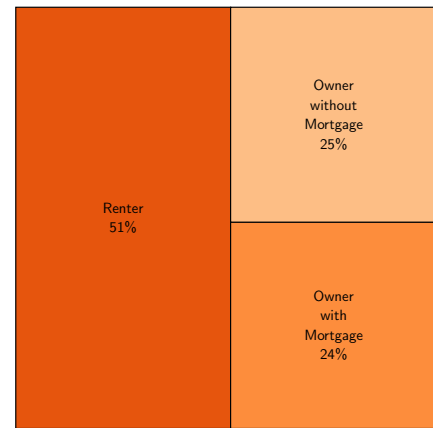
# Blue Ridge: Housing

## Occupancy



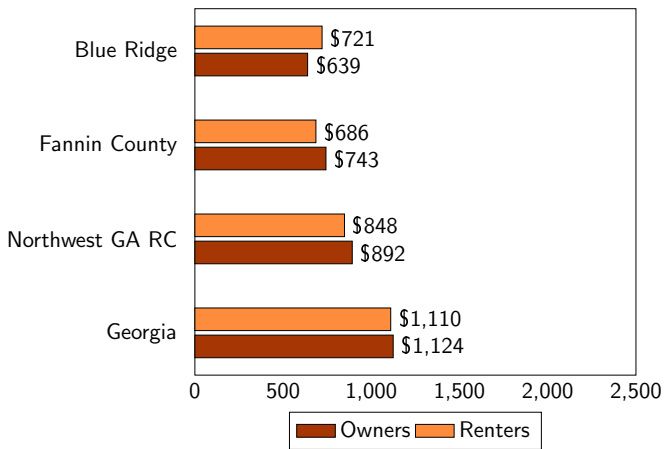
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## Tenure and Mortgage Status



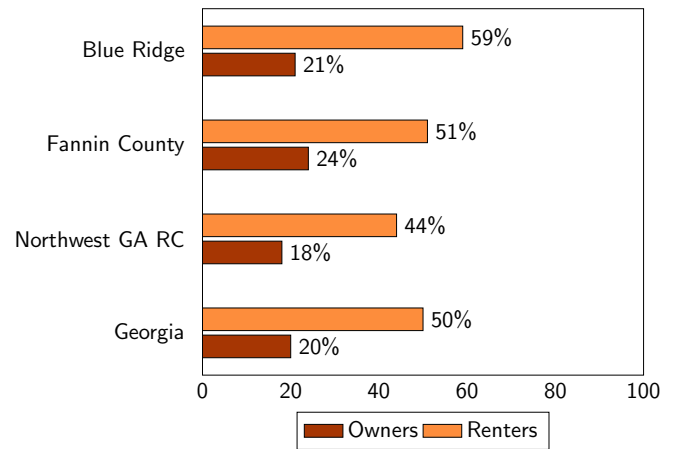
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## Median Housing Costs



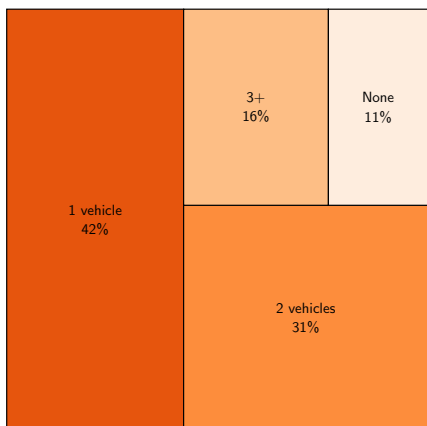
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## Housing Cost-Burdened Households



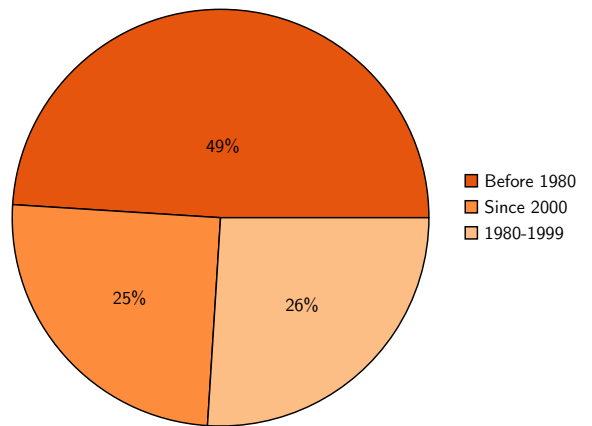
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## Vehicles Available



Source: American Community Survey, 2021 5-year estimates, table B25044

## Year Structure Built



Source: American Community Survey, 2021 5-year estimates, table B25034