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District of Columbia

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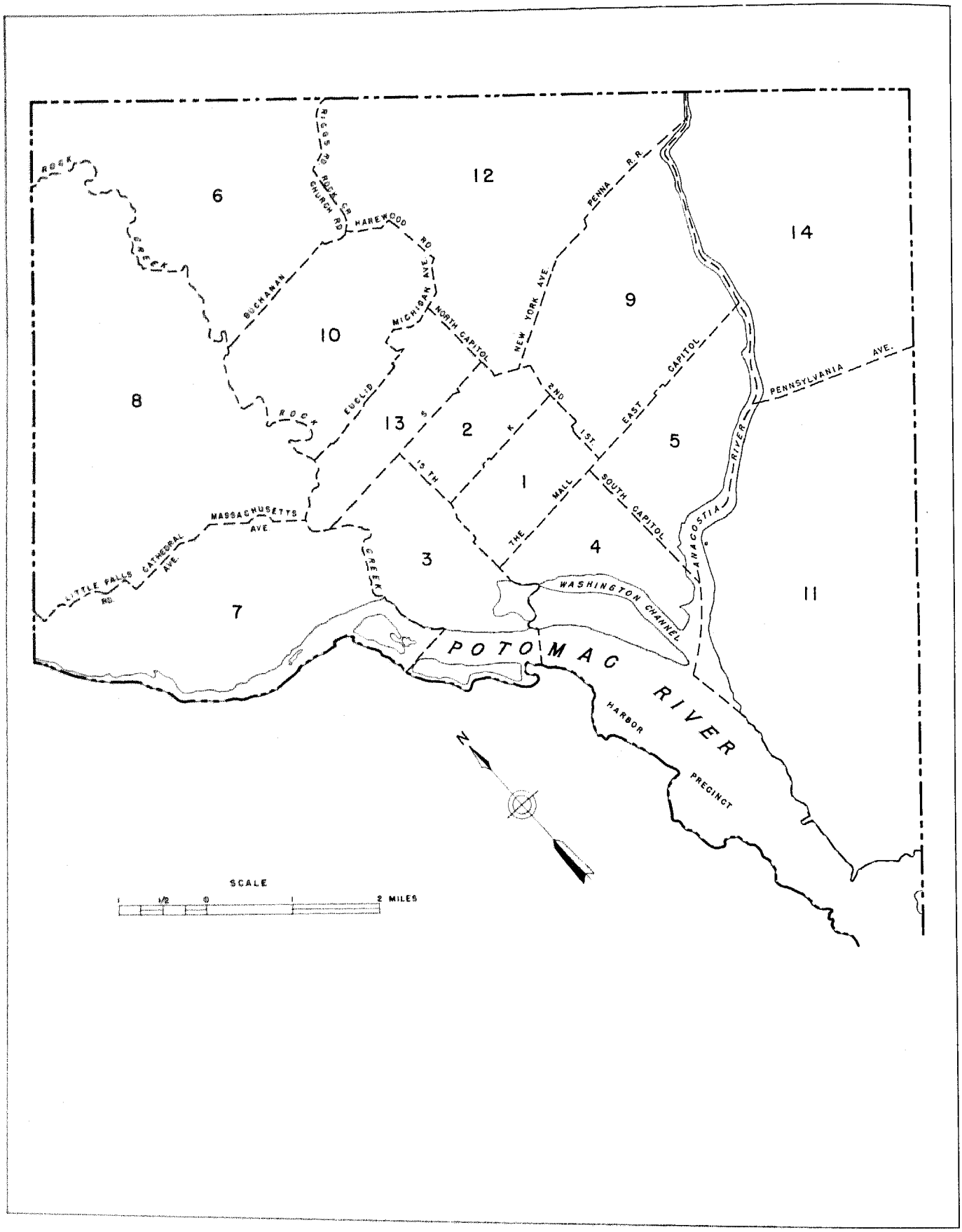

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WASHINGTON (D.C.-MD.-VA.) STANDARD METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA

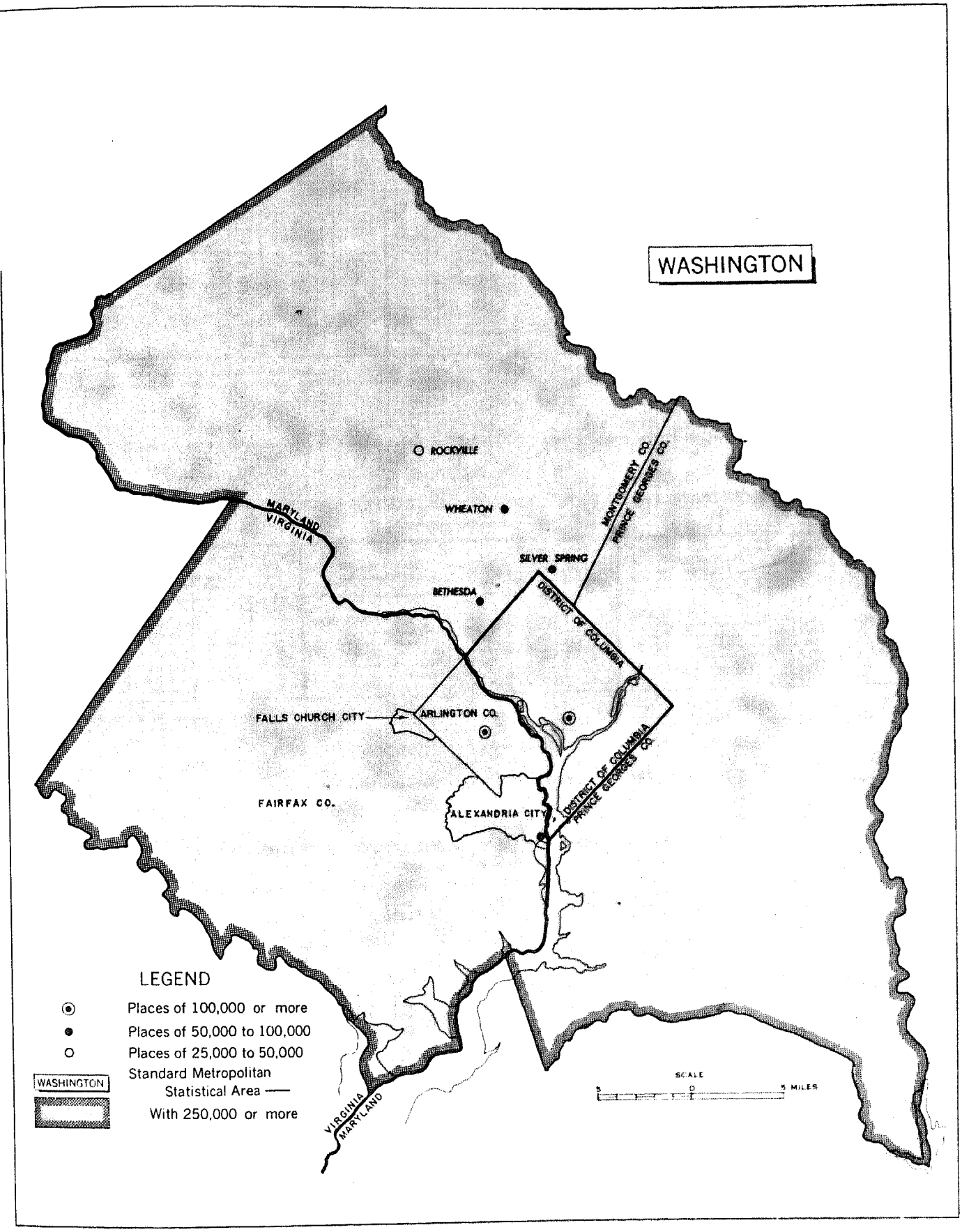


Table 1.—POPULATION OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, URBAN AND RURAL: 1800 TO 1960

[For description of current and previous urban definitions, see text. Minus sign (-) denotes decrease]

Census date	The State			Urban territory				Rural territory			Percent of total	
	Population	Increase over preceding census		Number of urban places	Population	Increase over preceding census		Population	Increase over preceding census		Urban	Rural
		Number	Percent			Number	Percent		Number	Percent		
Current urban definition:												
1960 (Apr. 1)	763,956	-38,222	-4.8	1	763,956	-38,222	-4.8	...	...	...	...	...
1950 (Apr. 1)	802,178	139,087	21.0	1	802,178	...	...	...	...	...	100.0	...
Previous urban definition:												
1960 (Apr. 1)	763,956	-38,222	-4.8	1	763,956	-38,222	-4.8	...	...	...	100.0	...
1950 (Apr. 1)	802,178	139,087	21.0	1	802,178	139,087	21.0	...	...	...	100.0	...
1940 (Apr. 1)	663,091	176,222	36.2	1	663,091	176,222	36.2	...	...	...	100.0	...
1930 (Apr. 1)	486,869	49,298	11.3	1	486,869	49,298	11.3	...	...	...	100.0	...
1920 (Jan. 1)	437,571	106,502	32.2	1	437,571	106,502	32.2	...	...	...	100.0	...
1910 (Apr. 15)	331,069	52,351	18.8	1	331,069	52,351	18.8	...	...	...	100.0	...
1900 (June 1)	278,718	48,326	21.0	1	278,718	48,326	21.0	...	...	...	100.0	...
1890 (June 1)	230,392	52,768	29.7	1	[1]230,392	70,521	44.1	...	-17,753	-100.0	100.0	...
1880 (June 1)	177,624	45,924	34.9	2	159,871	39,288	32.6	17,753	6,636	59.7	90.0	10.0
1870 (June 1)	131,700	56,620	75.4	2	120,583	50,728	72.6	11,117	5,892	112.8	91.6	8.4
1860 (June 1)	75,080	23,393	45.3	2	69,855	21,488	44.4	5,225	1,905	57.4	93.0	7.0
1850 (June 1)	51,687	17,942	53.2	2	48,367	17,691	57.7	3,320	251	8.2	93.6	6.4
1840 (June 1)	[2]33,745	3,484	11.5	2	30,676	3,409	12.5	3,069	75	2.5	90.9	9.1
1830 (June 1)	[2]30,261	6,925	29.7	2	27,267	6,660	32.3	2,994	265	9.7	90.1	9.9
1820 (Aug. 7)	[2]23,336	7,865	50.8	2	20,607	7,451	56.6	2,729	414	17.9	88.3	11.7
1810 (Aug. 6)	[2]15,471	7,327	90.0	2	13,156	6,893	112.1	2,315	374	16.3	85.0	15.0
1800 (Aug. 4)	[2]8,144	...	...	2	6,203	...	...	1,941	...	...	76.2	23.8

[1] District of Columbia not considered coextensive with Washington city until 1895 but considered entirely urban in 1890.
[2] Population of present area of District of Columbia; population of District of Columbia as then constituted: 1840, 43,712; 1830, 39,834; 1820, 33,039; 1810, 24,023; 1800, 14,093.

[Tables 2, 3, and 4 of the standard series are omitted as the only place, Washington, D.C., is considered coextensive with the District of Columbia]

Table 5.—POPULATION OF INCORPORATED PLACES OF 10,000 OR MORE FROM EARLIEST CENSUS TO 1960

[Minus sign (-) denotes decrease]

Incorporated place and census year	Population	Increase over preceding census		Incorporated place and census year	Population	Increase over preceding census		Incorporated place and census year	Population	Increase over preceding census	
		Number	Percent			Number	Percent			Number	Percent
WASHINGTON:				WASHINGTON--Con.				WASHINGTON--Con.			
1960	763,956	-38,222	-4.8	1900[1]	278,718	89,786	47.3	1840	23,364	4,538	24.1
1950	802,178	139,087	21.0	1890	188,932	41,639	28.3	1830	18,826	5,579	42.1
1940	663,091	176,222	36.2	1880	147,293	38,094	34.9	1820	13,247	5,039	61.4
1930	486,869	49,298	11.3	1870	109,199	48,077	78.7	1810	8,208	4,998	155.7
1920	437,571	106,502	32.2	1860	61,122	21,121	52.8	1800	[2]3,210	...	...
1910	331,069	52,351	18.8	1850	40,001	16,637	71.2				

[1] Washington city considered coextensive with the District of Columbia since 1895.
[2] Population prior to incorporation.

[Table 6 of the standard series is omitted as there are no counties in the District of Columbia]

Table 7.--POPULATION OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, BY POLICE PRECINCTS AND QUADRANTS: 1960 AND 1950

[Minus sign (-) denotes decrease]

Precinct	1960	1950	Percent increase, 1950 to 1960	Precinct	1960	1950	Percent increase, 1950 to 1960	Quadrant	1960	1950	Percent increase, 1950 to 1960
The District	763,956	802,178	-4.8	Precinct 8	63,629	56,030	13.6	The District	763,956	802,178	-4.8
Precinct 1	10,682	18,705	-42.9	Precinct 9	82,256	89,326	-7.9	Northeast	197,536	187,443	5.4
Precinct 2	45,061	58,850	-23.4	Precinct 10	79,118	82,012	-3.5	Northwest	374,165	417,471	-10.4
Precinct 3	33,940	49,864	-31.9	Precinct 11	102,939	86,344	19.2	Southeast	173,988	152,738	13.9
Precinct 4	7,480	30,082	-75.1	Precinct 12	63,497	53,932	17.7	Southwest	18,267	44,526	-59.0
Precinct 5	45,222	51,292	-11.8	Precinct 13	51,838	61,569	-15.8				
Precinct 6	65,156	62,396	4.4	Precinct 14	80,474	66,169	21.6				
Precinct 7	32,664	35,607	-8.3								

[Table 8 is omitted as the only place, Washington, D.C., is considered coextensive with the District of Columbia. Table 9 is omitted as there were no annexations between 1950 and 1960]

Table 10.—POPULATION OF URBANIZED AREAS: 1960 AND 1950

["Districts" shown here for Maryland are election districts and for Virginia are magisterial districts]

Area	1960	1950
WASHINGTON (D.C.-MD.-VA.) URBANIZED AREA		
The area	1,808,423	1,287,333
Washington, D.C.	763,956	802,178
Outside central city	1,044,467	485,155
The area includes the following minor civil divisions and parts of minor civil divisions:		
In the District of Columbia	763,956	802,178
Washington, D.C.	763,956	802,178
In Maryland	578,980	253,423
Montgomery County (part)	289,540	117,537
Dist. 4, Rockville (part)	34,268	571
Garrett Park town	965	524
Rockville city (part)	26,090	(1)
Dist. 5, Colesville (part)	11,909	(1)
Dist. 7, Bethesda	83,197	42,567
Bethesda (U)	56,527	(1)
Chevy Chase village	2,405	1,971
Chevy Chase Section Four village	2,243	(2)
Glen Echo town	310	356
Somerset town	1,444	430
Dist. 10, Potomac (part)	535	158
Dist. 13, Wheaton (part)	159,631	74,241
Kensington town	2,175	1,611
Rockville city (part)	...	(1)
Silver Spring (U)	66,348	(1)
Takoma Park city (part)	11,545	9,391
Wheaton (U)	54,635	(1)
Prince Georges County (part)	289,440	135,886
Dist. 1, Vansville (part)	5,223	979
College Park city (part)	1,218	...
Dist. 2, Bladensburg	31,033	17,294
Bladensburg town	3,103	2,899
Cheverly town (part)	4,911	3,117
Colmar Manor town	1,772	1,732
Cottage City town	1,099	1,249
Edmonston town (part)	...	...
Landover Hills town	1,850	1,661
Dist. 6, Spauldings (part)	50,924	15,733
District Heights town	7,524	1,735
Hillcrest Heights (U) (part)	13,885	(1)
Morningside town	1,708	1,520
Suitland-Silver Hill (U)	10,300	(1)
Dist. 9, Surratts (part)	1,256	(1)
Dist. 12, Oxon Hill (part)	19,445	2,484
Forest Heights town	3,524	1,125
Hillcrest Heights (U) (part)	1,410	(1)
In Maryland—Con.		
Prince Georges County (part)—Con.		
Dist. 13, Kent (part)	12,558	2,466
Glenarden town (part)	881	(1)
Dist. 14, Bowie (part)	1,262	(1)
Dist. 16, Hyattsville	16,002	13,748
Edmonston town (part)	1,197	1,190
Hyattsville city (part)	14,546	12,308
Dist. 17, Chillum	68,547	35,481
Brentwood town	3,693	3,523
Hyattsville city (part)	622	...
Langley Park (U)	11,510	(1)
Mount Rainier city	9,855	10,989
North Brentwood town	864	833
Takoma Park city (part)	5,254	3,950
Dist. 18, Seat Pleasant (part)	25,181	15,592
Capitol Heights town	3,138	2,729
Cheverly town (part)	312	201
Fairmont Heights town	2,308	2,097
Seat Pleasant town	5,365	2,255
Dist. 19, Riverdale	15,895	12,148
Carrollton city (part)	...	(3)
College Park city (part)	...	...
Edmonston town (part)	...	(1)
Riverdale town	4,389	5,530
University Park town (part)	3,091	2,205
Dist. 20, Lanham (part)	11,761	1,020
Carrollton city (part)	3,385	(3)
Glenarden town (part)	455	...
Dist. 21, Berwyn (part)	30,353	18,941
Berwyn Heights town	2,376	674
College Park city (part)	17,264	11,170
Greenbelt city	7,479	7,074
University Park town (part)	7	...
In Virginia	465,487	231,732
Arlington County	163,401	135,449
Fairfax County (part)	200,871	26,961
Dranesville Dist. (part)	25,827	(1)
Falls Church Dist. (part)	34,499	14,511
Lee Dist. (part)	31,802	(1)
Mason Dist. (part)	49,081	(1)
Springfield (U)	10,783	...
Mount Vernon Dist. (part)	40,076	11,469
Providence Dist. (part)	19,586	981
Vienna town	11,440	(1)
Alexandria city	91,023	61,787
Falls Church city	10,192	7,535

[1] Not in area in 1950.
[2] Not reported separately in 1950.
[3] Incorporated since 1950.

Table 11.—POPULATION OF STANDARD METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS: 1960 AND 1950

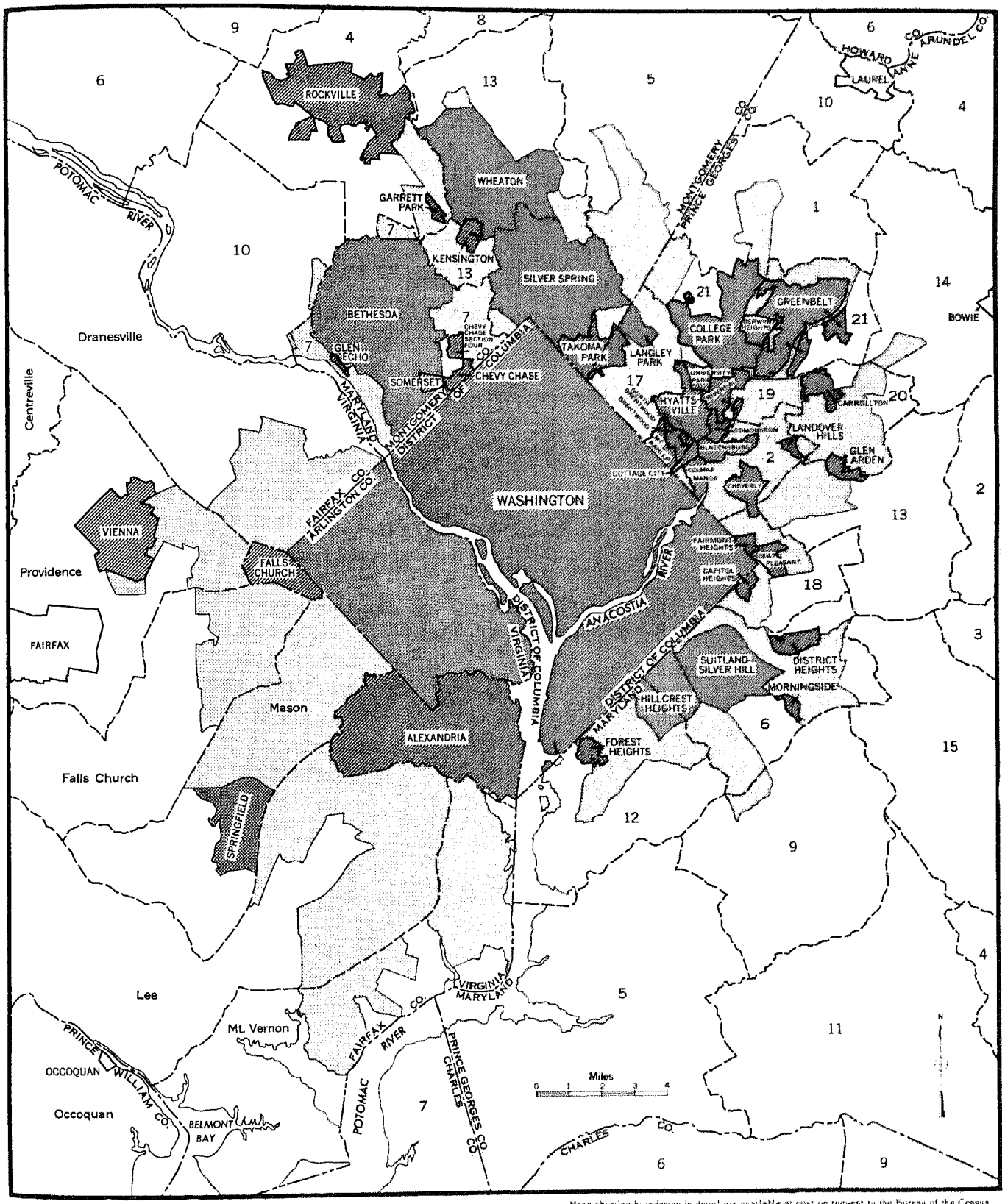
[Data relate to areas as defined for 1960. Minus sign (-) denotes decrease]

Standard metropolitan statistical area, central city, and other component areas	1960	1950	Increase	
			Number	Percent
WASHINGTON, D.C.-MD.-VA.				
Total	2,001,897	1,464,089	537,808	36.7
Washington, D.C.	763,956	802,178	-38,222	-4.8
Outside central city	1,237,941	661,911	576,030	87.0

Standard metropolitan statistical area, central city, and other component areas	1960	1950	Increase	
			Number	Percent
Washington, D.C.	763,956	802,178	-38,222	-4.8
Alexandria city, Va.	91,023	61,787	29,236	47.3
Falls Church city, Va.	10,192	7,535	2,657	35.3
Arlington County, Va.	163,401	135,449	27,952	20.6
Fairfax County, Va.	275,002	98,557	176,445	179.0
Montgomery County, Md.	340,928	164,401	176,527	107.4
Prince Georges County, Md.	357,395	194,182	163,213	84.1

[Table 12 of the standard series is omitted because Washington is the central city of the Washington (D.C.-Md.-Va.) Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area]

WASHINGTON (D.C. MD.-VA.) URBANIZED AREA



COMPONENTS OF URBANIZED AREA
- Incorporated Places
- Unincorporated Urban Places
- Other Unincorporated Area

BOUNDARY SYMBOLS
- State Line
- County Line
- Minor Civil Division Line

Maps showing boundaries in detail are available at cost on request to the Bureau of the Census.

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