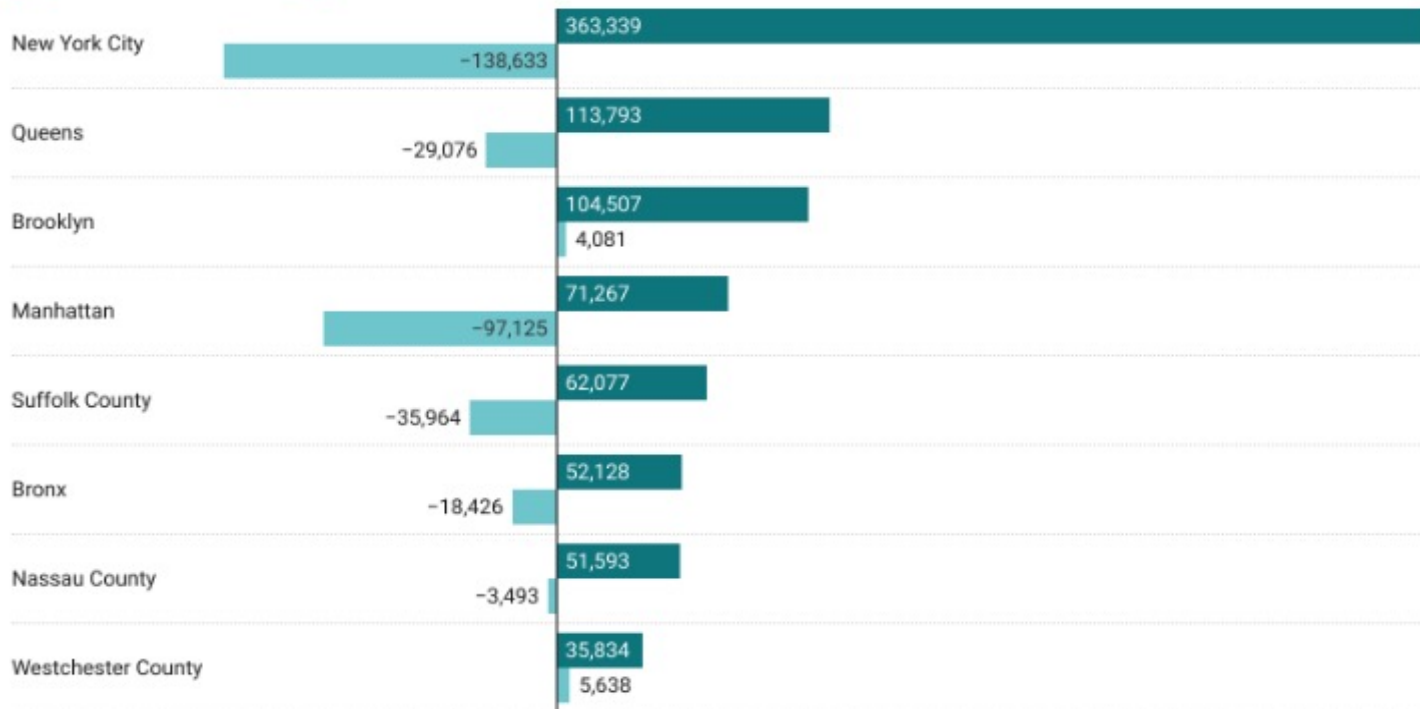


# THE POWER OF OLDER NEW YORKERS

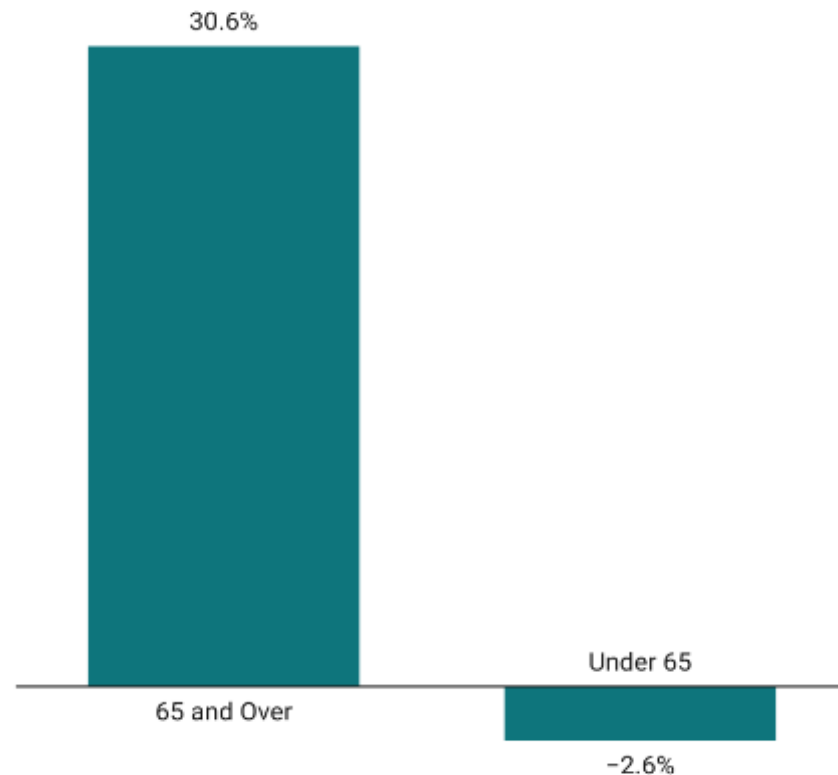
## Population Growth Across New York State Driven by Older Adults

Growth in the 65 and over and under 65 population by city/county, 2011–2021

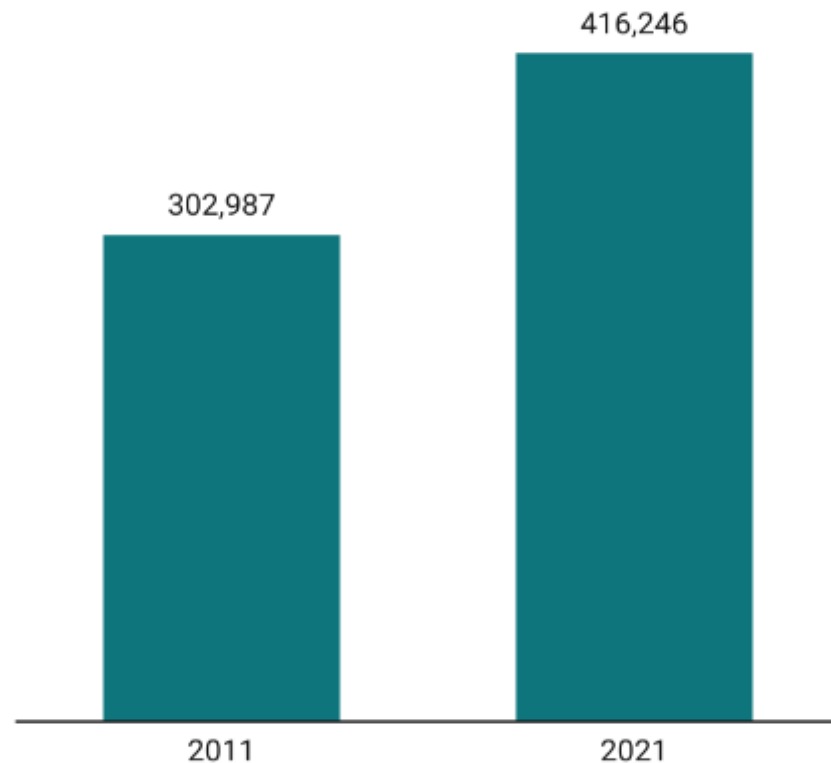
■ New Yorkers 65 and Over ■ New Yorkers Under 65



## Percent Change in NYS Population 2011 to 2021, 65 and Over vs Under 65



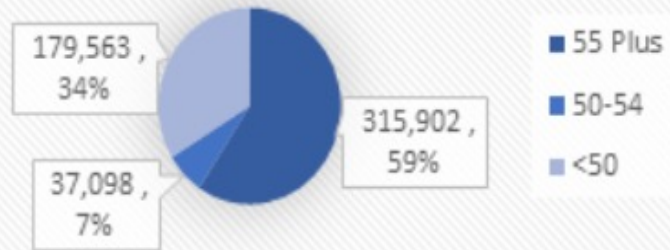
## Older Adults in NYS Living Below Poverty Line, 2011 vs 2021



## Manhattan (New York County)

- Manhattan saw the third-largest jumps in older adults of any county in the state between 2011 and 2021, with the number of residents 65 and over increasing by 71,267.
- The number of older adults in Manhattan increased by 33 percent, going from 219,061 in 2011 to 290,328 in 2021, compared to a 7 percent decline in the population under-65.
- Older adults now make up 18 percent of the borough's population, up from 14 percent in 2011.
- There are more residents ages 65 and above in Manhattan (New York County) than there are people under the age of 21.
- In Manhattan, the immigrant older adult population increased by 43 percent, a faster rate than the growth in US-born older adults (27 percent).
- Immigrants currently comprise 40 percent of all older adults in the borough, the third highest share of any county in the state.
- Manhattan saw NYC's fastest growth, and the state's second-fastest growth, in the population of white older adults over the past decade. That population grew 33 percent, an increase of 37,313 people.
- Manhattan's 85-plus population grew 13 percent over the past decade, increasing by 4,129, the third-highest numerical increase in the state. It grew from 31,375 in 2011 to 35,504 in 2021.
- The number of older adults in poverty in Manhattan increased by 23 percent—from 37,639 in 2011 to 46,314 in 2021.

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