## Westmorland County registers fastest growth

- Four of New Brunswick's 15 counties showed an increase in population between 2011 and 2016.

- Westmorland, with the highest growth rate (+3.8%), had the most people at 149,623 in 2016.

- York (+2.2%), Sunbury (+1.8%) and Albert (+1.1%) also posted population increases.

- The population in 2016 declined from 2011 in the remaining 11 counties. Victoria registered the largest decrease (-6.5%), followed by Queens (-5.5%) who had the fewest residents (10,472).



**Population growth rate, N.B. Counties**
**(ranked by % growth in 2016)**

Source: Statistics Canada, censuses of population, 2011 and 2016