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I. Introduction

This report provides a community profile of Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News MSA (VA Part). It is intended to complement the information found in our Virginia Workforce Connection application, which can be accessed online at:

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The report is divided into three major sections. The first contains a profile of regional demographic characteristics and trends, the second supplies similar information for the regional economy, and the third provides a profile of regional education characteristics.

II. Demographic Profile

Overview

This Demographic Profile provides an in-depth analysis of the population in Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News MSA (VA Part). Most of the data is produced by the U.S. Census Bureau, and includes demographic characteristics such as age, race/ethnicity, and gender.



Related Terms and Definitions

Ability to speak English

For people who speak a language other than English at home, the response represents the person's own perception of his or her ability to speak English. Because census questionnaires are usually completed by one household member, the responses may represent the perception of another household member.

Age

The age classification is based on the age of the person in complete years as of April 1, 2010. The age of the person usually was derived from their date of birth information. Their reported age was used only when date of birth information was unavailable.

Gender

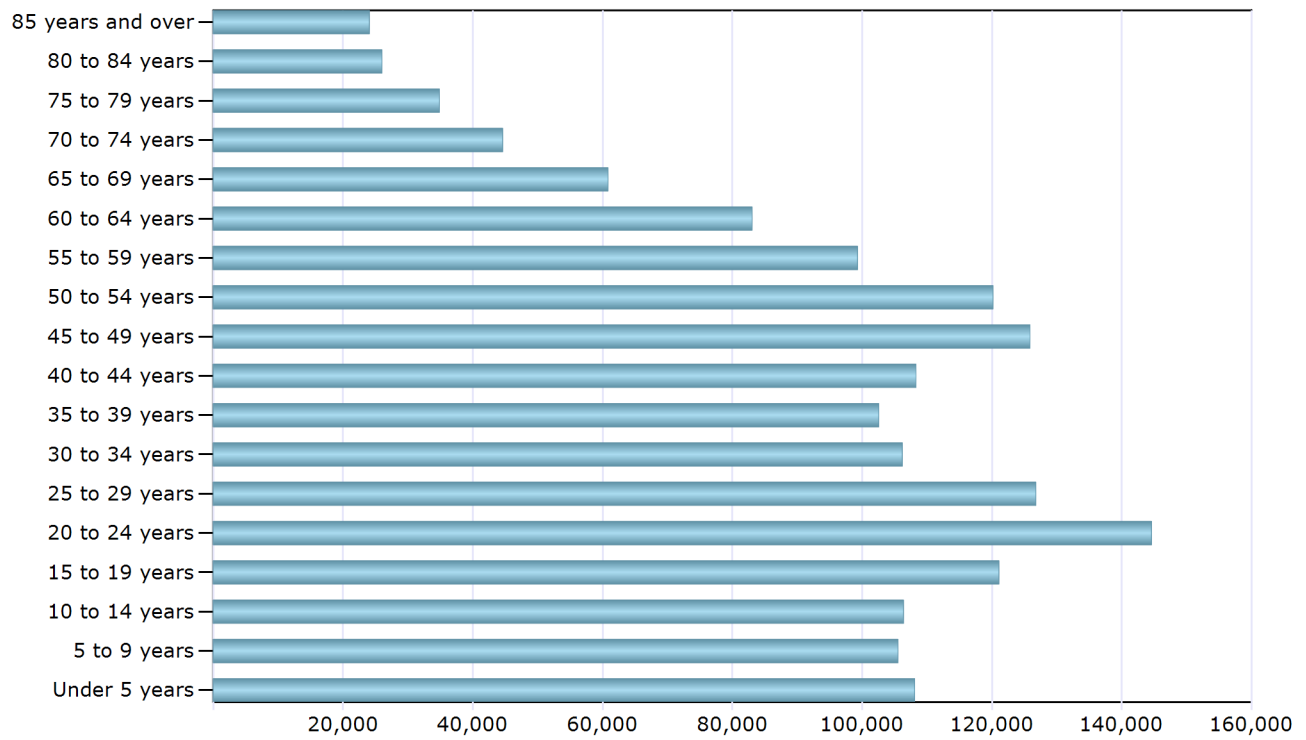
The data on gender were derived from answers to a question that was asked of all people. Individuals were asked to mark either "male" or "female" to indicate their gender. For most cases in which gender was not reported, it was determined by the appropriate entry from the person's given (i.e., first) name and household relationship. Otherwise, gender was imputed according to the relationship to the householder and the age of the person.

Race

The concept of race as used by the Census Bureau reflects self-identification by people according to the race or races with which they most closely identify. The categories are sociopolitical constructs and should not be interpreted as being scientific or anthropological in nature. Furthermore, the race categories include both racial and national-origin groups.

Please note: In the past, our population by race/ethnicity data has always excluded the Hispanic ethnicity from each race category. Starting in January 2013, each race category now includes all ethnicities.

Population by Age



	Virginia Beach MSA	Virginia	United States
Under 5 years	108,088	509,625	20,201,362
5 to 9 years	105,515	511,849	20,348,657
10 to 14 years	106,368	511,246	20,677,194
15 to 19 years	121,071	550,965	22,040,343
20 to 24 years	144,584	572,091	21,585,999
25 to 29 years	126,759	564,342	21,101,849
30 to 34 years	106,189	526,077	19,962,099
35 to 39 years	102,556	540,063	20,179,642
40 to 44 years	108,289	568,865	20,890,964
45 to 49 years	125,865	621,155	22,708,591
50 to 54 years	120,165	592,845	22,298,125
55 to 59 years	99,291	512,595	19,664,805
60 to 64 years	83,038	442,369	16,817,924
65 to 69 years	60,833	320,302	12,435,263
70 to 74 years	44,607	229,502	9,278,166
75 to 79 years	34,852	173,929	7,317,795
80 to 84 years	26,002	130,801	5,743,327
85 years and over	24,064	122,403	5,493,433
	1,648,136	8,001,024	308,745,538

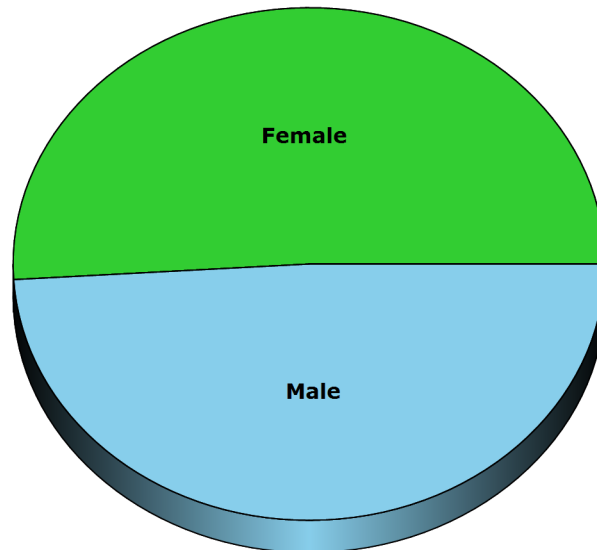
Source: 2010 Census.

Population by Race/Ethnicity

	Virginia Beach MSA	Virginia	United States
Total			
Total Population	1,648,136	8,001,024	308,745,538
Race			
White	975,814	5,486,852	223,553,265
Black or African American	521,048	1,551,399	38,929,319
American Indian or Alaska Native	6,721	29,225	2,932,248
Asian	57,869	439,890	14,674,252
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	2,053	5,980	540,013
Other	27,679	254,278	19,107,368
Multiple Races	56,952	233,400	9,009,073
Ethnicity			
Not Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	1,559,273	7,369,199	258,267,944
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	88,863	631,825	50,477,594

Source: 2010 Census.

Population by Gender

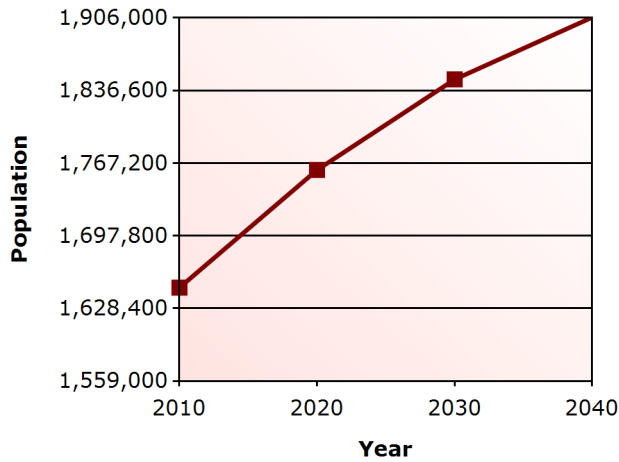


	Virginia Beach MSA	Virginia	United States
Male	808,055	3,925,983	151,781,326
Female	840,081	4,075,041	156,964,212
	1,648,136	8,001,024	308,745,538

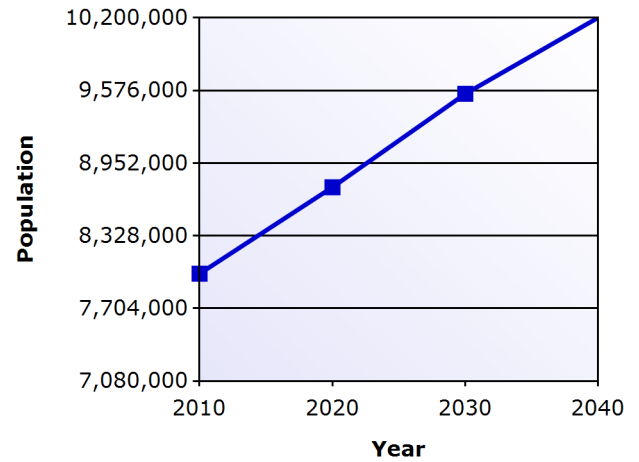
Source: 2010 Census.

Population Change

Virginia Beach MSA



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	Virginia Beach MSA	Percent change	Number Change	Virginia	Percent change	Number Change
2000	1,558,727			7,079,030		
2010	1,648,136	5.74 %	89,409	8,001,024	13.02 %	921994
2020	1,760,563	6.82 %	112,427	8,744,273	9.29 %	743249
2030	1,847,105	4.92 %	86,542	9,546,958	9.18 %	802685
2040	1,906,410	3.21 %	59,305	10,201,530	6.86 %	654572

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Weldon Cooper Center for Public Service.

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Population Projections by Age and Gender

	2020		2030		2040	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
Under 5 years	54,667	56,874	55,900	58,123	55,848	58,034
5 to 9 years	52,066	53,849	54,658	56,517	55,185	57,047
10 to 14 years	53,736	55,981	55,626	57,949	57,651	60,071
15 to 19 years	54,561	57,945	54,696	58,140	57,813	61,508
20 to 24 years	61,106	70,981	63,105	73,224	65,051	75,312
25 to 29 years	66,860	69,753	61,480	63,965	61,804	64,297
30 to 34 years	64,324	64,028	59,421	58,886	61,511	60,880
35 to 39 years	60,982	59,190	66,520	64,278	62,260	60,006
40 to 44 years	52,650	49,126	63,915	59,593	59,931	55,757
45 to 49 years	50,413	46,932	59,007	54,972	64,985	60,500
50 to 54 years	54,582	50,326	51,269	47,249	62,576	57,745
55 to 59 years	63,515	57,200	49,178	44,307	57,821	52,109
60 to 64 years	60,733	53,094	53,056	46,413	49,991	43,727
65 to 69 years	48,294	40,510	58,759	49,353	46,425	38,997
70 to 74 years	39,125	31,590	53,800	43,318	47,517	38,389
75 to 79 years	27,196	20,040	39,373	29,031	47,451	34,944
80 to 84 years	17,710	11,492	27,777	18,130	37,817	24,567
85 years and over	19,736	9,401	24,403	11,703	34,340	16,559
	902,256	858,312	951,943	895,151	985,977	920,449
	1,760,568		1,847,094		1,906,426	

Source: Weldon Cooper Center for Public Service.

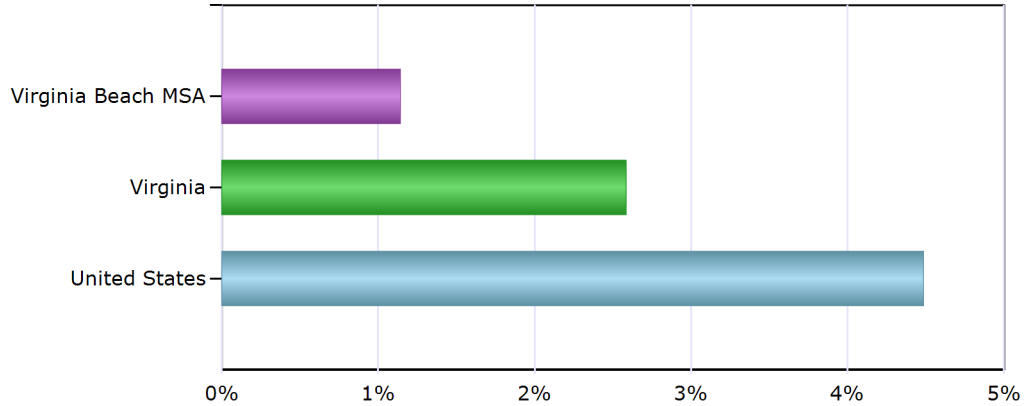
Population Projections by Race/Ethnicity

	2020	2030	2040
Total			
Total Population	1,760,563	1,847,105	1,906,410
Race			
White	932,680	933,376	894,005
Black or African American	529,749	508,257	471,195
Asian	75,734	99,278	122,328
Other	70,992	74,908	75,384
Ethnicity			
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	151,405	231,284	343,497

Source: Weldon Cooper Center for Public Service.

English Language Skills

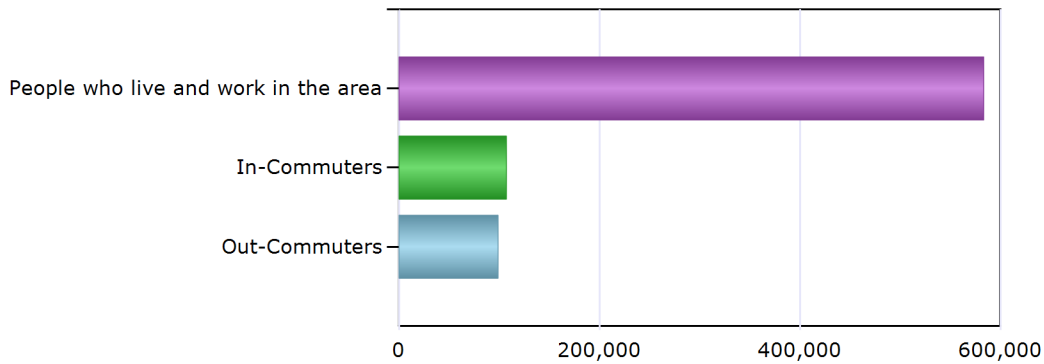
(Age 5 and over that speak English less than well)



	Total	Speak English less than well	Percent
Virginia Beach MSA	1,576,620	18,001	1.14%
Virginia	7,800,044	201,628	2.58%
United States	298,691,202	13,400,003	4.49%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau
American Community Survey, 2012-2016.

Commuting Patterns



Commuting Patterns	
People who live and work in the area	583,284
In-Commuters	107,079
Out-Commuters	98,805
Net In-Commuters (In-Commuters minus Out-Commuters)	8,274

Source: U.S. Census Bureau,
OnTheMap Application and LEHD Origin-Destination Employment Statistics, 2014.

Top 10 Places Residents are Commuting To

Area	Workers
Fairfax County, VA	12,671
Henrico County, VA	11,273
Richmond city, VA	7,656
Chesterfield County, VA	6,055
Arlington County, VA	3,817
Prince William County, VA	3,266
Loudoun County, VA	2,765
Hanover County, VA	2,526
Alexandria city, VA	1,897
Stafford County, VA	1,434

Top 10 Places Workers are Commuting From

Area	Workers
Chesterfield County, VA	6,762
Fairfax County, VA	5,852
Henrico County, VA	5,624
Prince William County, VA	4,359
Currituck County, NC	3,911
Richmond city, VA	3,685
Loudoun County, VA	2,740
Middlesex County, VA	2,697
Pasquotank County, NC	2,511
Accomack County, VA	2,456

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, OnTheMap Application and LEHD Origin-Destination Employment Statistics, 2014.

Please Note: Commuting patterns data is no longer produced from the Decennial Census. As an alternative, we are providing commuting data from the U.S. Census Bureau's OnTheMap application and LEHD Origin-Destination Employment Statistics program. Since this data is produced from an entirely different data set, it is not advisable to compare the new data with previously released commuting patterns. For more information about the OnTheMap application or the LEHD program, please visit the following website:

<http://lehd.ces.census.gov>

III. Economic Profile

Overview

The Economic Profile of Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News MSA (VA Part) consists primarily of data produced by Virginia Works, U.S. Census Bureau, and the Bureau of Labor Statistics.



Related Terms and Definitions

Average Weekly Wage

Computed as average quarterly wages divided by 13.

Consumer Price Index (CPI)

The Consumer Price Index measures the average change over time in the prices paid by urban consumers for a representative market basket of consumer goods and services.

Local Employment Dynamics (LED)

The Local Employment Dynamics Program at the Census Bureau, together with its state partners, provides employment information at the county, city, and Workforce Investment Area level. This information tracks workers in different industries by age and gender and provides statistics on job creation, separation, turnover, and wages.

Quarterly Census of Employment & Wages (QCEW)

A federal/state cooperative program that collects and compiles employment and wage data for workers covered by state unemployment insurance (UI) laws and the federal civilian workers covered by Unemployment Compensation for Federal Employees (UCFE). These data are maintained at the state in micro and macro levels and also sent to BLS quarterly.

Unemployment Insurance (UI)

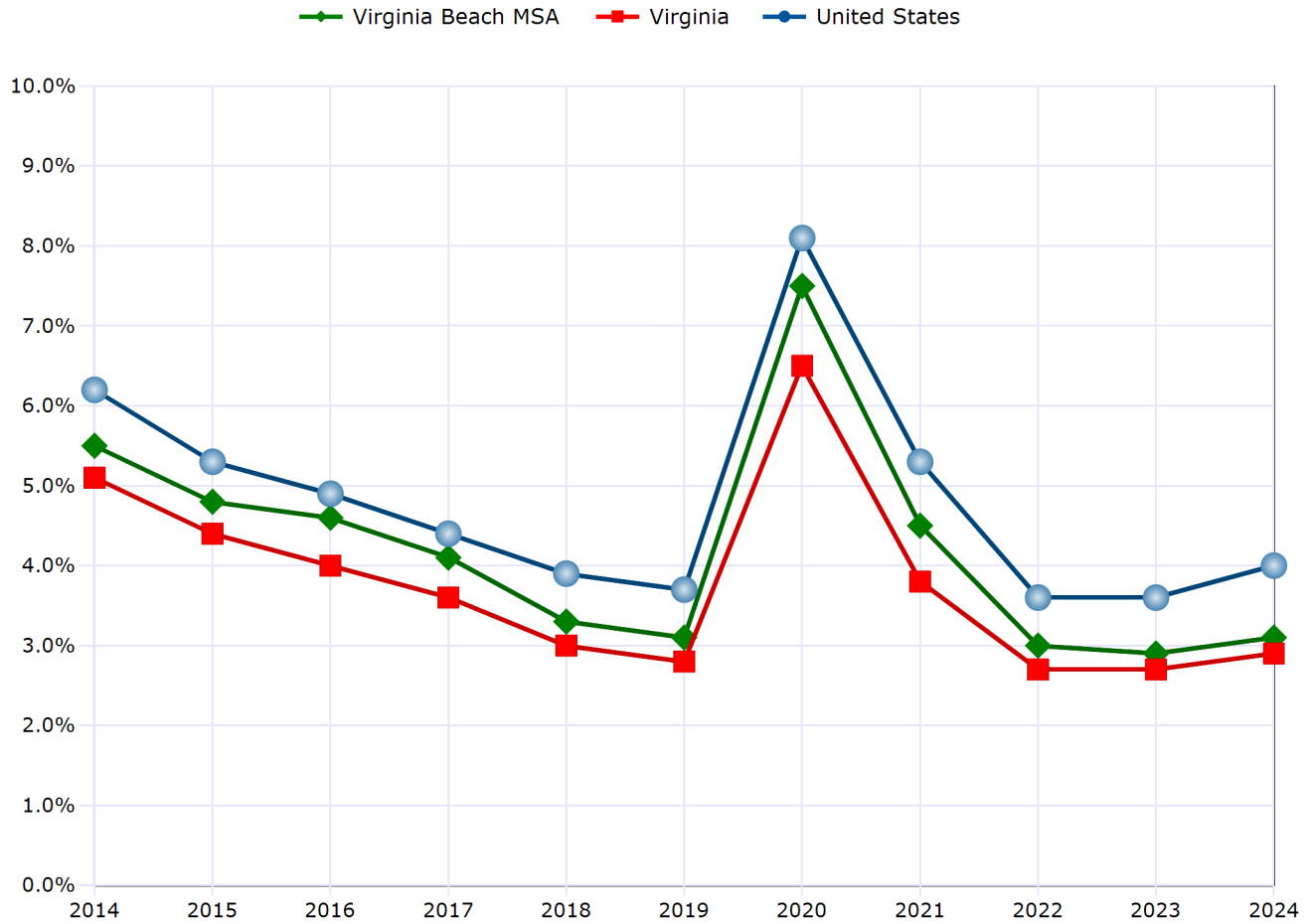
Unemployment insurance is a program for the accumulation of funds paid by employers to be used for the payment of unemployment insurance to workers during periods of unemployment which are beyond the workers' control. Unemployment insurance replaces a part of the worker's wage loss if he becomes eligible for payments.

Unemployment Rate

The number of unemployed people as a percentage of the labor force.

Unemployment Rates

Trends

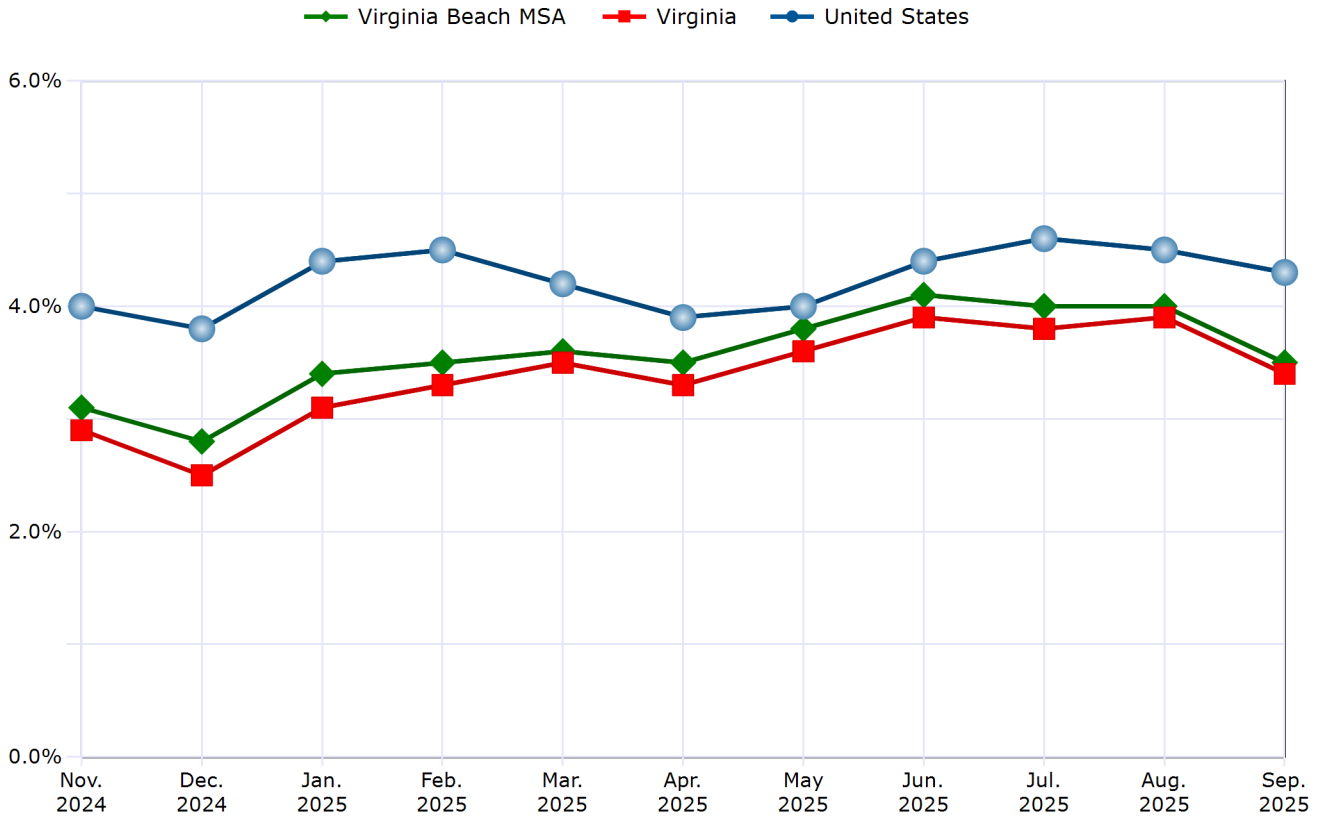


	Virginia Beach MSA	Virginia	United States
2014	5.5%	5.1%	6.2%
2015	4.8%	4.4%	5.3%
2016	4.6%	4.0%	4.9%
2017	4.1%	3.6%	4.4%
2018	3.3%	3.0%	3.9%
2019	3.1%	2.8%	3.7%
2020	7.5%	6.5%	8.1%
2021	4.5%	3.8%	5.3%
2022	3.0%	2.7%	3.6%
2023	2.9%	2.7%	3.6%
2024	3.1%	2.9%	4.0%

Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics.

Unemployment Rates

Past 12 Months



	Virginia Beach MSA	Virginia	United States
Nov. 2024	3.1%	2.9%	4.0%
Dec. 2024	2.8%	2.5%	3.8%
Jan. 2025	3.4%	3.1%	4.4%
Feb. 2025	3.5%	3.3%	4.5%
Mar. 2025	3.6%	3.5%	4.2%
Apr. 2025	3.5%	3.3%	3.9%
May 2025	3.8%	3.6%	4.0%
Jun. 2025	4.1%	3.9%	4.4%
Jul. 2025	4.0%	3.8%	4.6%
Aug. 2025	4.0%	3.9%	4.5%
Sep. 2025	3.5%	3.4%	4.3%

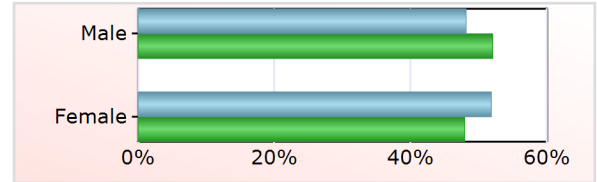
Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics.

Characteristics of the Insured Unemployed

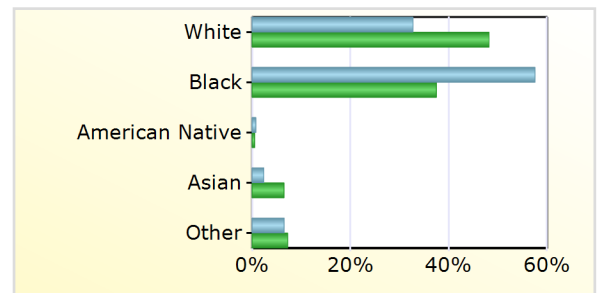
Total number of claimants: 5,422

- Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News MSA (VA Part) - (5,422 claimants)
- Virginia - (28,243 claimants)

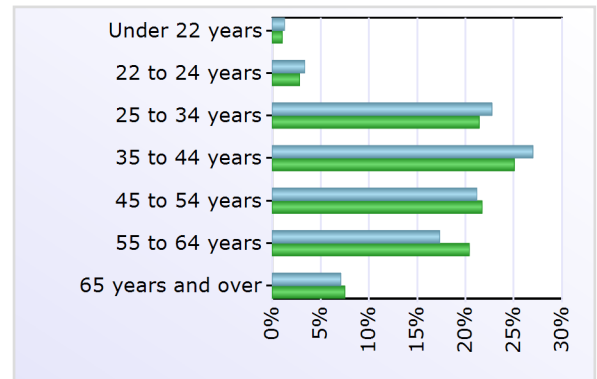
Gender	Virginia Beach MSA	Virginia
Male	2,611	14,701
Female	2,811	13,542
Unspecified		



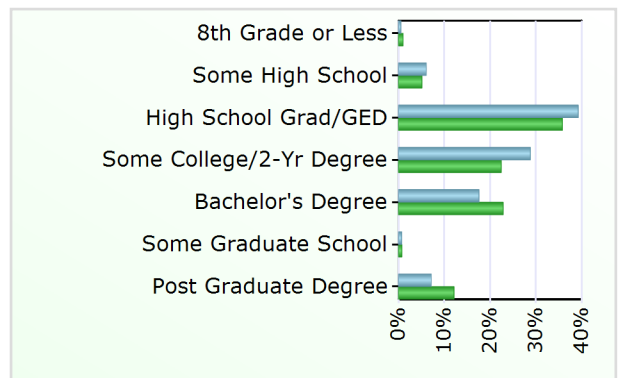
Race	Virginia Beach MSA	Virginia
White	1,776	13,624
Black	3,123	10,594
American Native	41	146
Asian	129	1,832
Other	353	2,047



Age	Virginia Beach MSA	Virginia
Under 22 years	69	294
22 to 24 years	183	801
25 to 34 years	1,233	6,051
35 to 44 years	1,463	7,078
45 to 54 years	1,149	6,136
55 to 64 years	940	5,761
65 years and over	385	2,122
Unknown		



Education	Virginia Beach MSA	Virginia
8th Grade or Less	28	278
Some High School	328	1,442
High School Grad/GED	2,127	10,103
Some College/2-Yr Degree	1,561	6,336
Bachelor's Degree	953	6,452
Some Graduate School	37	208
Post Graduate Degree	388	3,424
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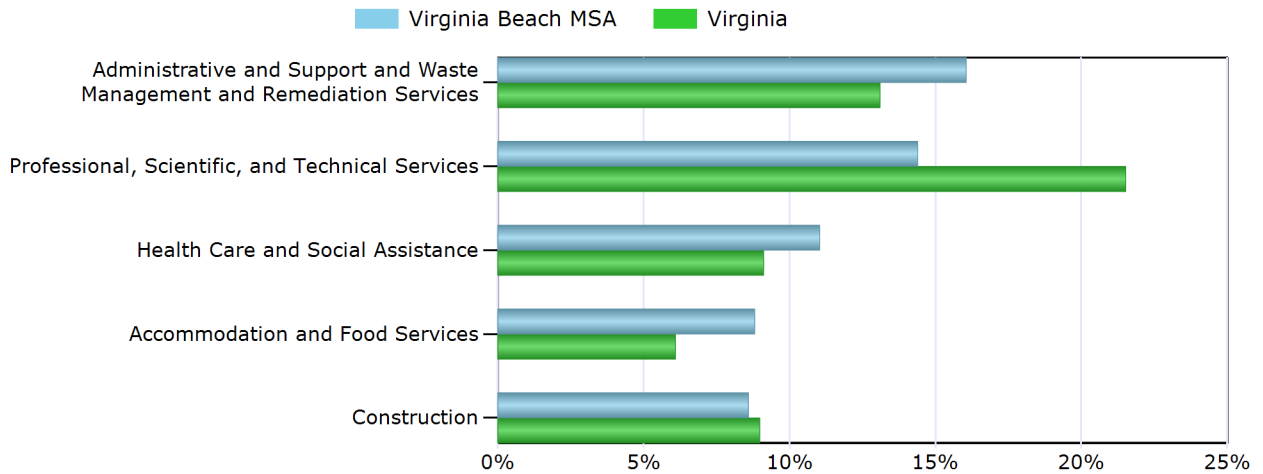


Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics, Characteristics of the Insured Unemployed, February 2026.

Characteristics of the Insured Unemployed

Top 5 Industries With Largest Number of Claimants in Virginia Beach MSA

(excludes unclassified)



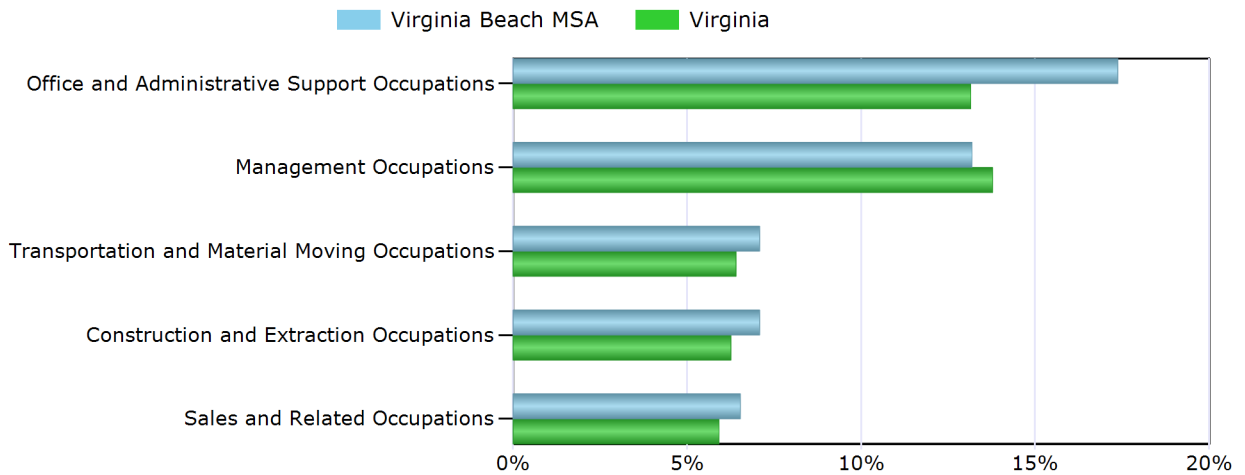
Industry	Virginia Beach MSA	Virginia
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	755	3,173
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	677	5,213
Unclassified	546	2,691
Health Care and Social Assistance	519	2,206
Accommodation and Food Services	414	1,475
Construction	404	2,174
Finance and Insurance	293	1,193
Retail Trade	171	905
Wholesale Trade	169	842
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	136	510
Other Services (except Public Administration)	132	821
Transportation and Warehousing	129	566
Educational Services	105	536
Information	92	739
Management of Companies and Enterprises	54	289
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	51	313
Manufacturing	44	358
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	4	119
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	4	62
Utilities	4	34

Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics, Characteristics of the Insured Unemployed, February 2026.

Characteristics of the Insured Unemployed

Top 5 Occupation Groups With Largest Number of Claimants in Virginia Beach MSA

(excludes unknown occupations)

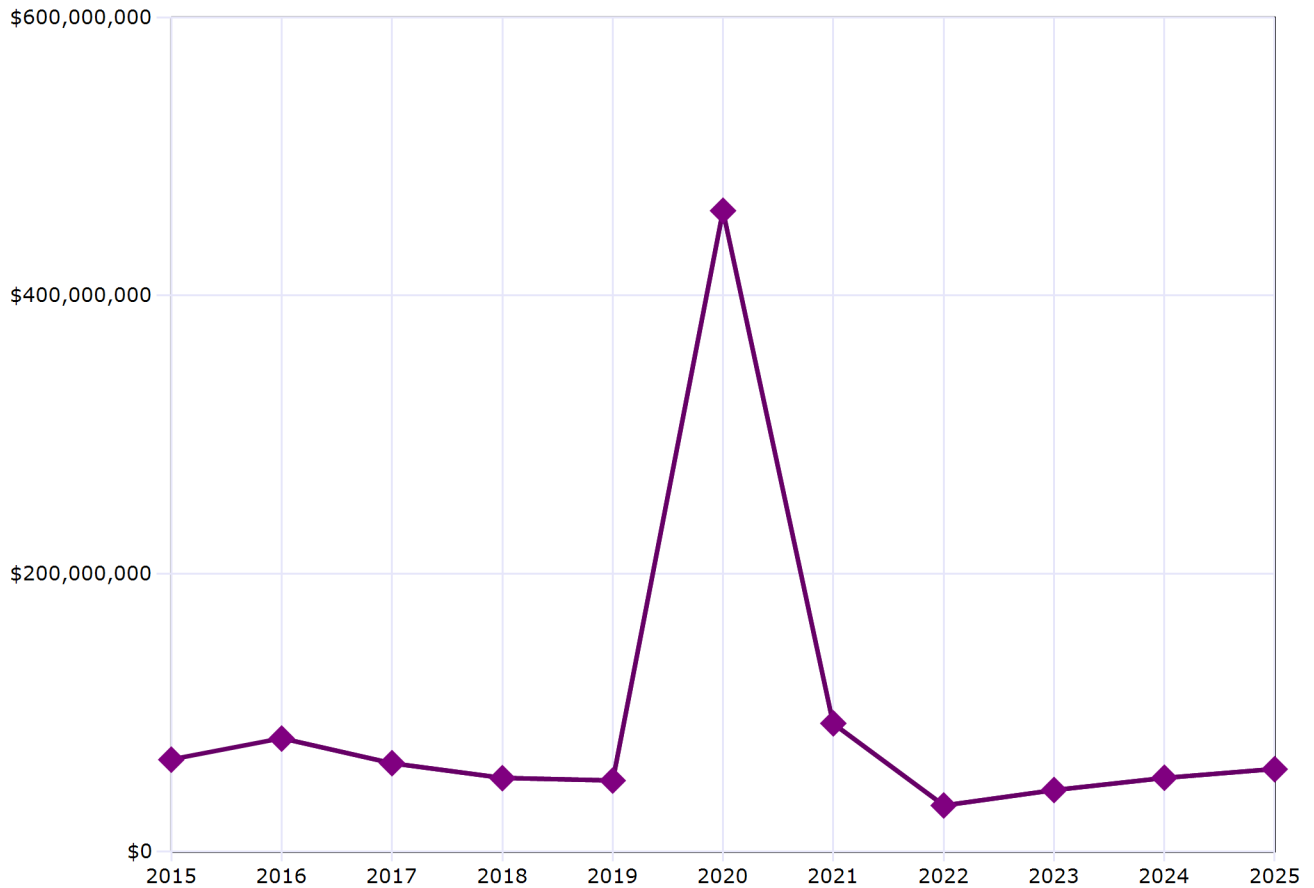


Occupation	Virginia Beach MSA	Virginia
Office and Administrative Support Occupations	942	3,714
Management Occupations	715	3,891
Construction and Extraction Occupations	384	1,767
Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	384	1,809
Sales and Related Occupations	354	1,671
Business and Financial Operations Occupations	349	2,308
Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations	311	1,149
Computer and Mathematical Occupations	285	2,994
Production Occupations	233	1,998
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occupations	211	788
Healthcare Support Occupations	203	774
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	203	822
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occupations	146	1,039
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	135	556
Architecture and Engineering Occupations	122	720
Personal Care and Service Occupations	94	386
Education, Training, and Library Occupations	84	393
Protective Service Occupations	80	397
Community and Social Service Occupations	64	327
Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations	41	356
Military Specific Occupations	38	63
Legal Occupations	37	193
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations	7	128
Unknown Occupation Code		

*Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics,
Characteristics of the Insured Unemployed, February 2026.*

Unemployment Insurance Payments

Trends

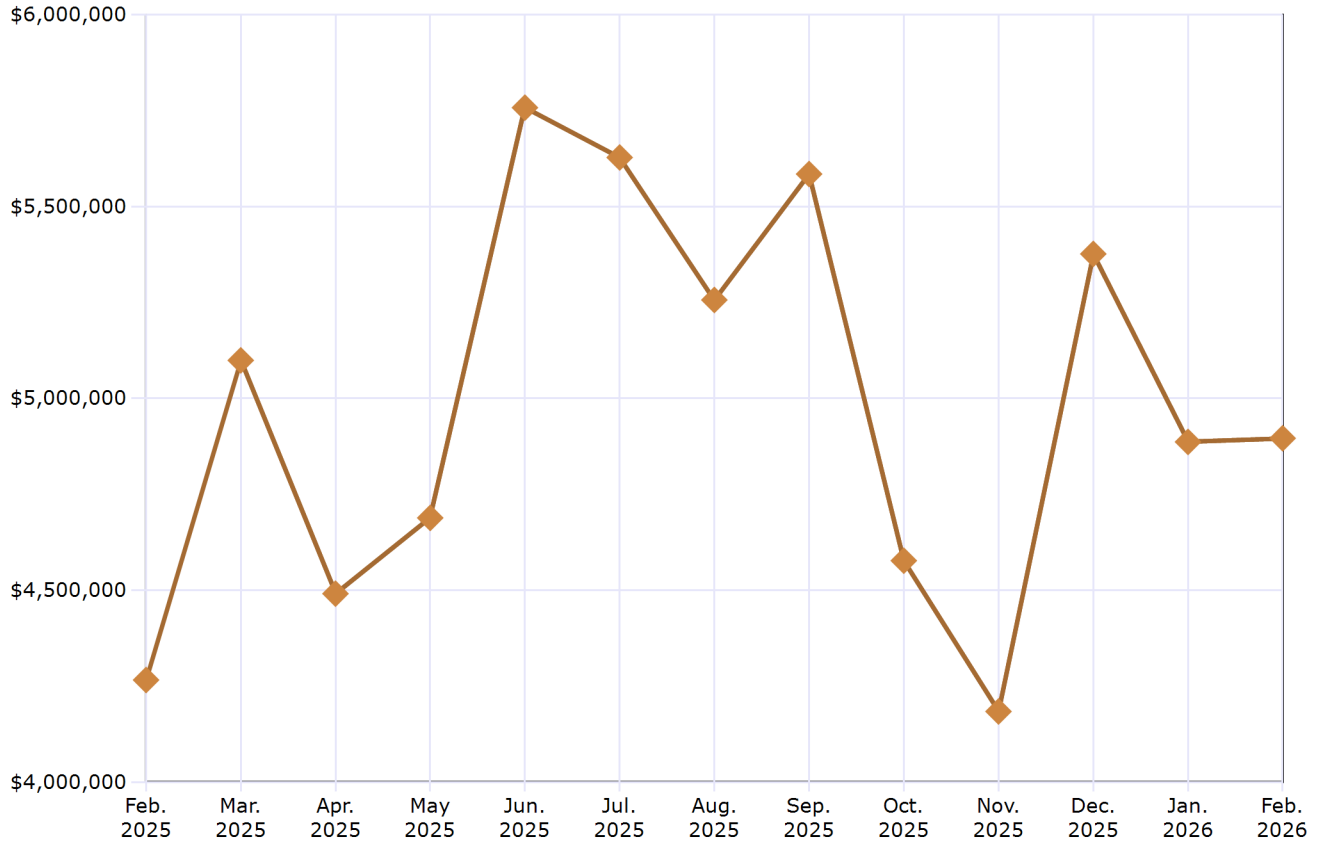


	Virginia Beach MSA		Virginia	
	Weeks Paid	Amount Paid	Weeks Paid	Amount Paid
2015	244,779	\$66,148,779	1,198,476	\$351,290,100
2016	284,982	\$81,333,119	1,263,292	\$379,622,081
2017	226,188	\$63,631,253	1,114,650	\$336,664,624
2018	185,576	\$52,839,324	941,154	\$286,468,017
2019	176,588	\$51,101,479	867,371	\$269,014,541
2020	1,873,857	\$460,959,357	8,600,869	\$2,279,487,650
2021	346,265	\$92,268,136	1,601,885	\$458,078,646
2022	108,105	\$33,205,166	485,275	\$154,636,752
2023	135,331	\$44,328,955	685,711	\$232,048,074
2024	159,233	\$53,158,520	821,464	\$281,948,022
2025	174,637	\$59,291,371	958,475	\$336,260,202

Source: Virginia Employment Commission, Economic Information & Analytics, Unemployment Insurance Program.

Unemployment Insurance Payments

Past 12 Months



	Virginia Beach MSA		Virginia	
	Weeks Paid	Amount Paid	Weeks Paid	Amount Paid
Feb. 2025	12,745	\$4,266,220	67,208	\$23,330,065
Mar. 2025	15,252	\$5,099,057	80,917	\$28,182,251
Apr. 2025	13,390	\$4,491,215	71,831	\$25,077,568
May 2025	13,834	\$4,688,585	74,874	\$26,230,081
Jun. 2025	16,960	\$5,757,503	90,500	\$31,564,327
Jul. 2025	16,575	\$5,627,632	88,280	\$30,838,363
Aug. 2025	15,492	\$5,256,385	85,310	\$29,930,805
Sep. 2025	16,231	\$5,584,529	91,400	\$32,455,220
Oct. 2025	13,318	\$4,577,052	77,985	\$27,634,073
Nov. 2025	12,186	\$4,184,251	70,847	\$25,162,669
Dec. 2025	15,607	\$5,376,388	90,198	\$31,953,758
Jan. 2026	14,159	\$4,886,504	82,981	\$29,321,778
Feb. 2026	13,903	\$4,895,991	81,372	\$29,629,263

Source: Virginia Works, Unemployment Insurance Program.

Employers by Size of Establishment

	Virginia Beach MSA	Virginia
0 to 4 employees	27,209	207,876
5 to 9 employees	6,735	41,114
10 to 19 employees	5,703	30,733
20 to 49 employees	4,185	22,801
50 to 99 employees	1,385	7,586
100 to 249 employees	772	4,170
250 to 499 employees	184	1,098
500 to 999 employees	56	371
1000 and over employees	55	279
	46,284	316,028

Employment by Size of Establishment

	Virginia Beach MSA	Virginia
0 to 4 employees	36,492	264,518
5 to 9 employees	45,219	273,771
10 to 19 employees	77,669	417,792
20 to 49 employees	124,733	684,503
50 to 99 employees	94,833	521,848
100 to 249 employees	112,928	618,496
250 to 499 employees	63,746	377,264
500 to 999 employees	40,189	254,429
1000 and over employees	166,731	731,112
	762,540	4,143,733

Note: Asterisks (***) indicate non-disclosable data.

'Zero; no employment' typically represents new startup firms or sole-proprietorships.

Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW), 3rd Quarter (July, August, September) 2025.

50 Largest Employers

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|---|--|
| 1. U.S. Department of Defense | 26. Bon Secours Health System Inc |
| 2. Huntington Ingalls Industries, Inc. | 27. Science Applications International Corporation |
| 3. Sentara Healthcare | 28. Anthem |
| 4. City of Virginia Beach Schools | 29. Postal Service |
| 5. Wal Mart | 30. Harris Teeter Supermarket |
| 6. Riverside Regional Medical Center | 31. Stihl |
| 7. Amazon Fulfillment Services Inc. | 32. Williamsburg James City County School Board |
| 8. City of Virginia Beach | 33. Kroger |
| 9. Chesapeake City Public School Board | 34. Chesapeake General Hospital |
| 10. Amazon Logistics, Inc | 35. U.S. Department of Homeland Defense |
| 11. Food Lion | 36. Virginia International Terminal |
| 12. Norfolk City School Board | 37. City of Portsmouth |
| 13. City of Norfolk | 38. The Home Depot |
| 14. Old Dominion University, Norfolk | 39. Lowes' Home Centers, Inc. |
| 15. Newport News Public Schools | 40. GEICO, Government Employees Insurance |
| 16. Children's Hospital of the King's Daughters | 41. Alion Science & Technolog Corp |
| 17. City of Chesapeake | 42. Security Forces, Inc. |
| 18. City of Newport News | 43. York County School Board |
| 19. College of William and Mary | 44. Portsmouth City Public Schools |
| 20. Target Corp | 45. Hampton City School Board |
| 21. Busch Entertainment Corp. | 46. City of Suffolk |
| 22. City of Hampton | 47. Nat'l Aeronautics & Space Admin. |
| 23. Suffolk Public Schools | 48. Dominion Virginia Power |
| 24. U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs | 49. Sentara Health Management |
| 25. U.S. Navy Exchange | 50. WaWa |

Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW), 3rd Quarter (July, August, September) 2025.

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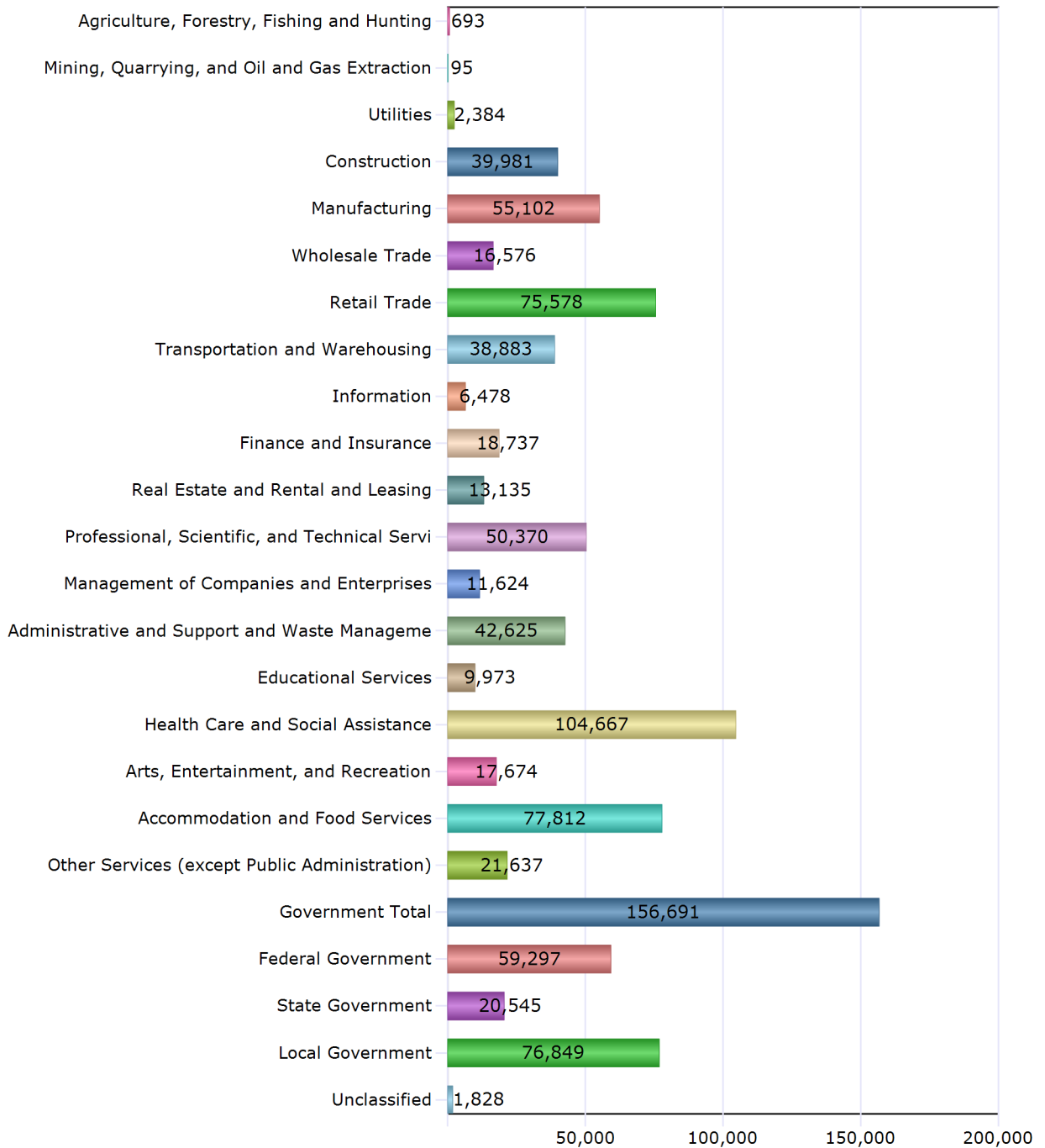
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Employment by Industry

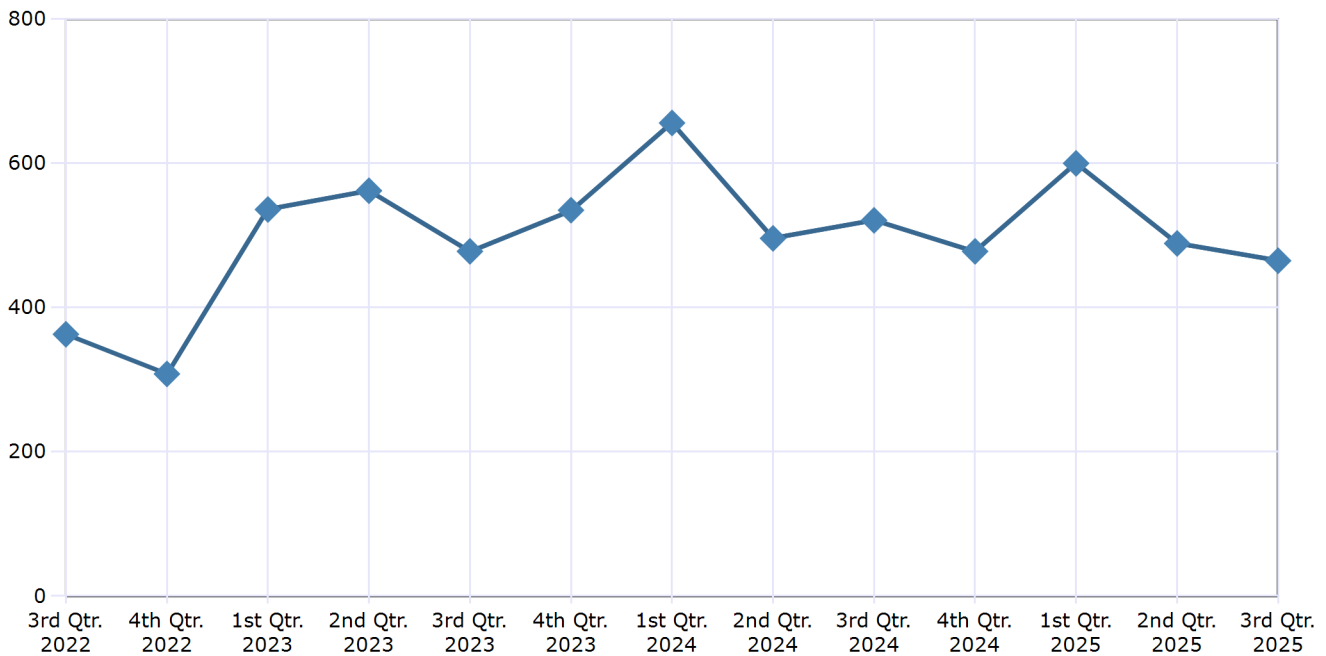


Total: 762,542

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New Startup Firms

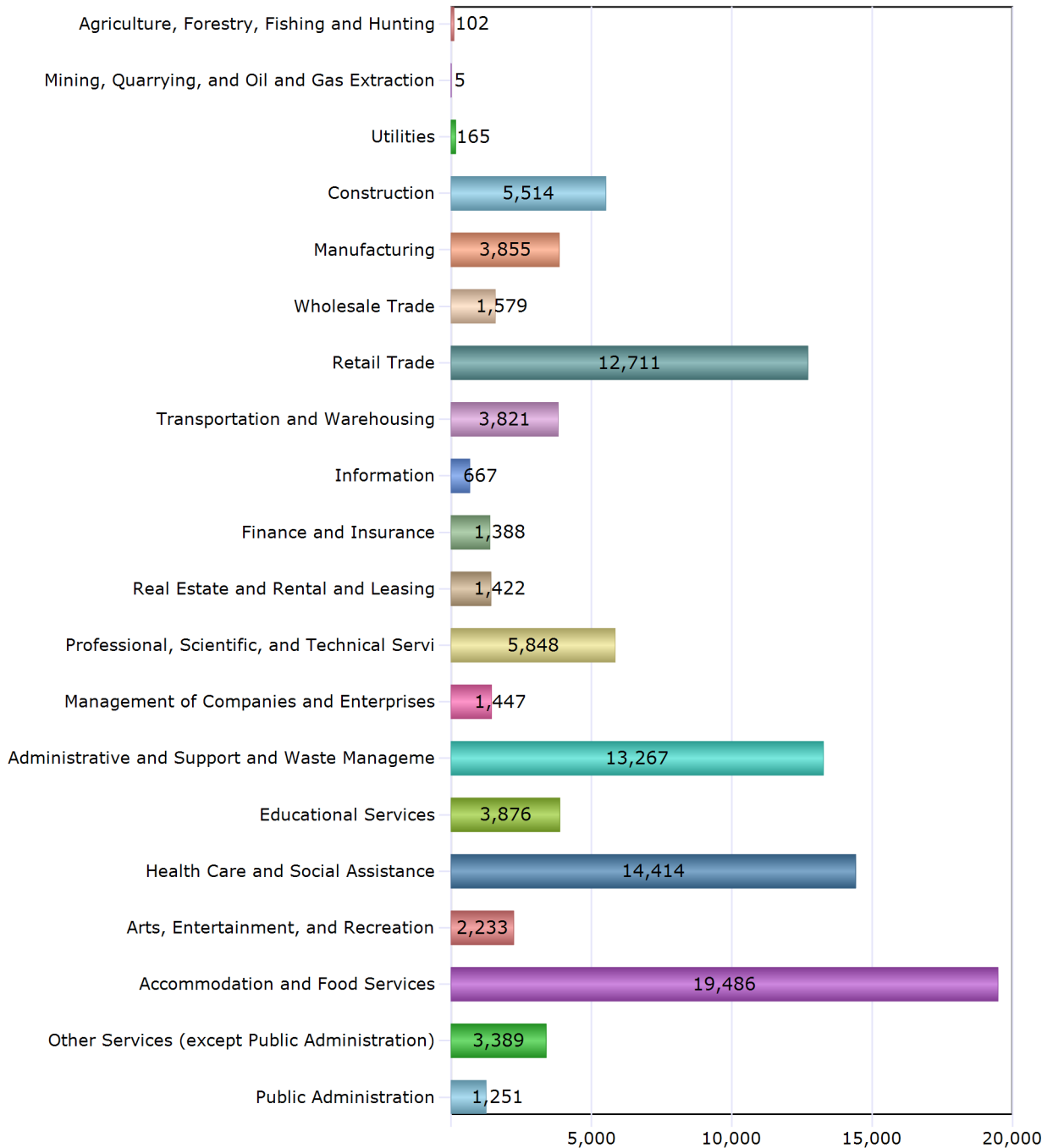


	Virginia Beach MSA	Virginia
3rd Qtr. 2022	363	4,839
4th Qtr. 2022	308	4,162
1st Qtr. 2023	536	5,320
2nd Qtr. 2023	562	4,835
3rd Qtr. 2023	478	4,472
4th Qtr. 2023	535	4,454
1st Qtr. 2024	656	5,789
2nd Qtr. 2024	496	4,468
3rd Qtr. 2024	521	4,555
4th Qtr. 2024	478	4,203
1st Qtr. 2025	600	5,093
2nd Qtr. 2025	489	4,378
3rd Qtr. 2025	465	4,278

Note: The following criteria was used to define new startup firms:
 1.) Setup and liability date both occurred during 3rd Quarter (July, August, September) 2025
 2.) Establishment had no predecessor UI Account Number
 3.) Private Ownership
 4.) Average employment is less than 250
 5.) For multi-unit establishments, the parent company must also meet the above criteria.

Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW), 3rd Quarter (July, August, September) 2025.

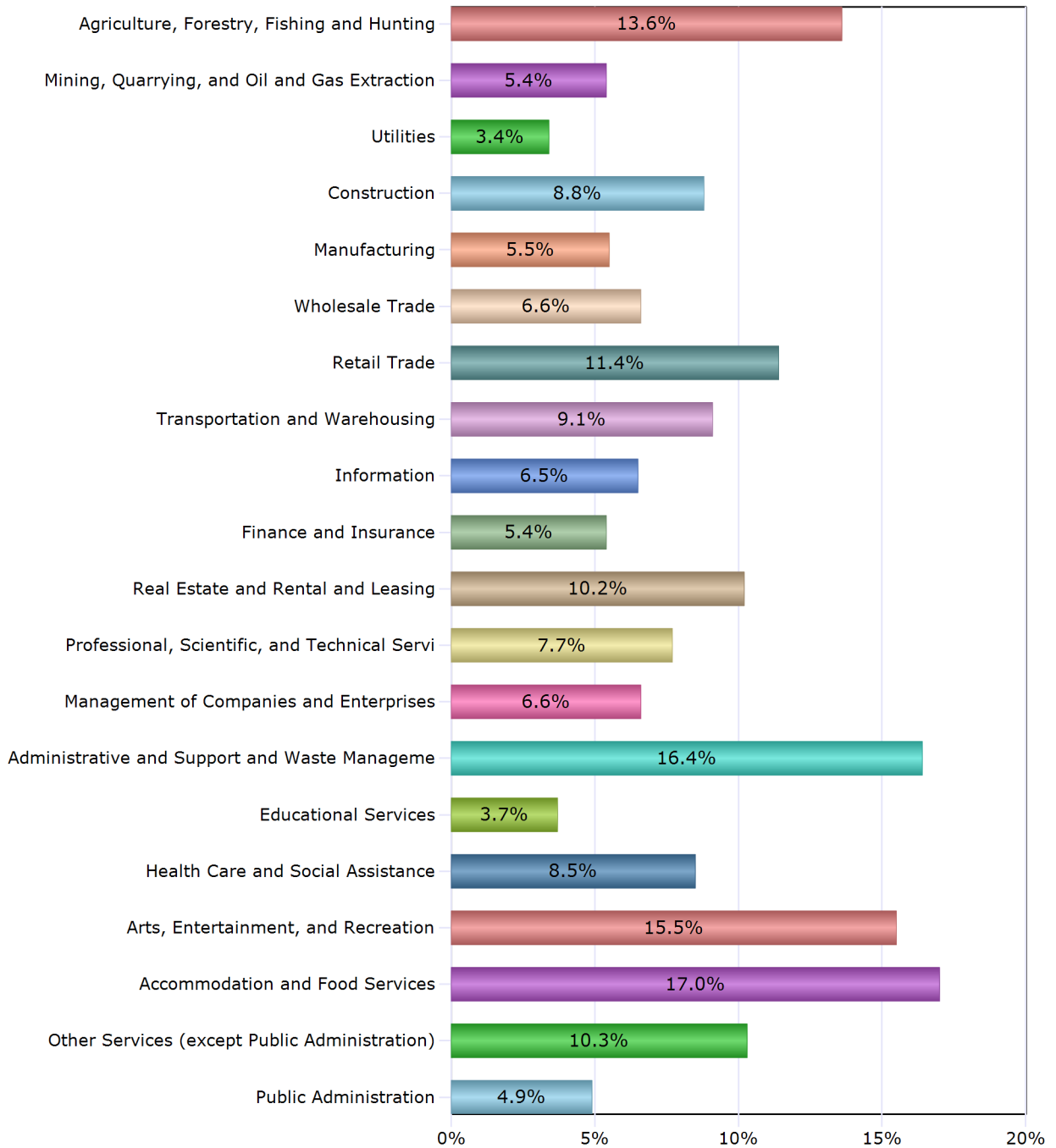
New Hires by Industry



Total: 96,440

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Local Employment Dynamics (LED) Program, 1st Quarter (January, February, March) 2024, all ownerships.

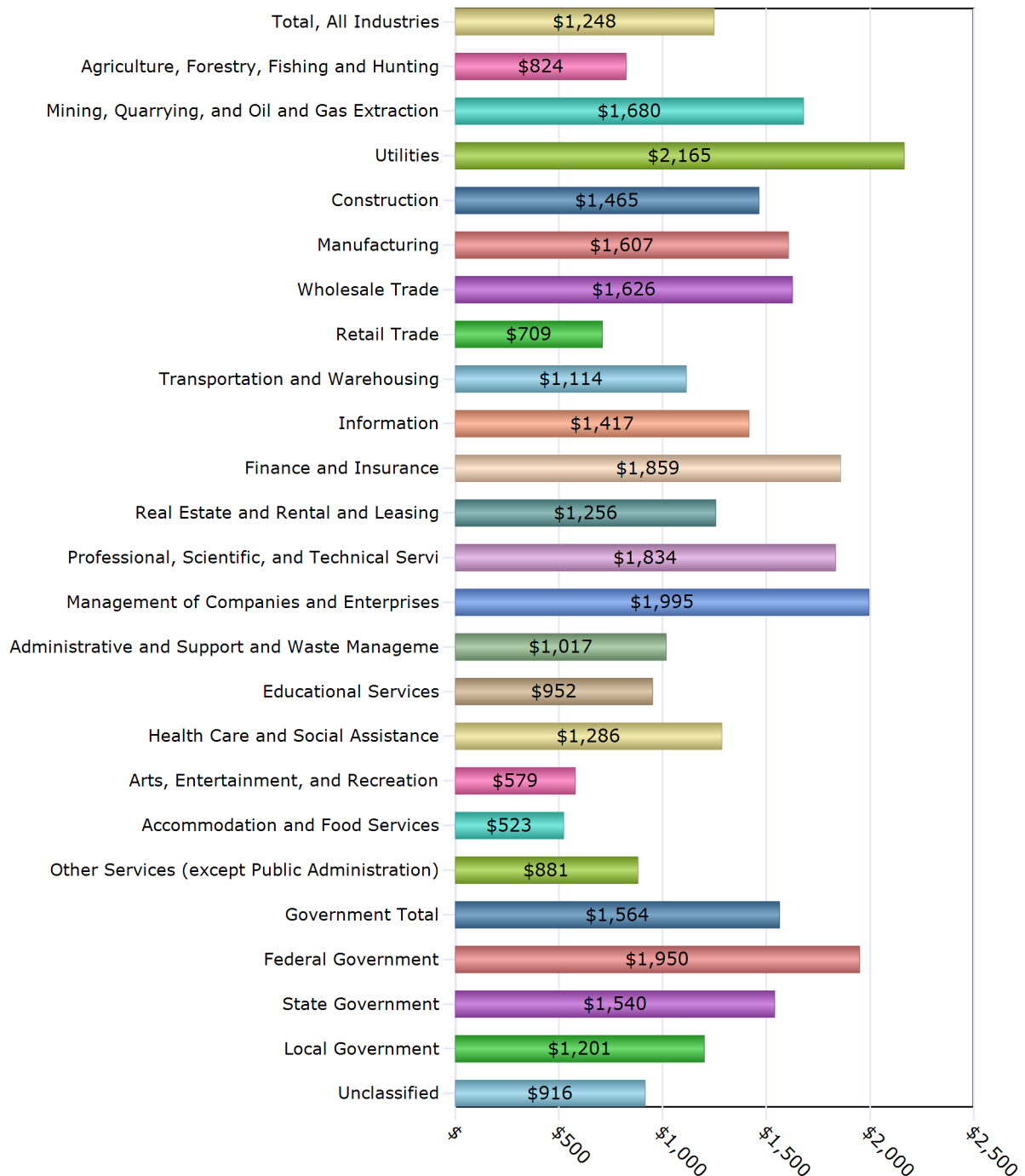
Turnover by Industry



Average: 8.8%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Local Employment Dynamics (LED) Program, 4th Quarter (October, November, December) 2023, all ownerships.

Average Weekly Wage by Industry



Note: Asterisk (*) indicates non-disclosable data.

Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW), 3rd Quarter (July, August, September) 2025.

Age of Workers by Industry

	14–18	19–21	22–24	25–34	35–44	45–54	55–64	65+
Total, All Industries	20,071	32,250	38,859	150,307	159,154	139,075	127,249	58,069
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	28	33	44	137	129	117	139	112
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction			3	23	21	18	22	17
Utilities	11	65	179	1,002	1,265	1,075	988	243
Construction	296	1,448	1,999	8,701	9,345	8,390	7,687	3,354
Manufacturing	295	1,713	2,569	12,071	12,488	10,408	11,752	3,802
Wholesale Trade	58	294	650	3,747	4,567	4,333	4,110	1,616
Retail Trade	4,422	7,555	6,449	16,204	14,591	12,023	11,793	6,912
Transportation and Warehousing	263	1,546	2,065	6,710	6,646	5,896	5,175	1,915
Information	280	324	379	1,777	2,188	2,276	1,739	662
Finance and Insurance	56	163	567	4,873	6,905	5,970	4,739	1,623
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	81	286	555	2,652	3,109	2,658	2,655	1,401
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Servi	204	770	2,235	12,071	12,630	11,357	10,268	4,728
Management of Companies and Enterprises	271	458	677	3,259	3,480	3,170	2,858	1,102
Administrative and Support and Waste Manageme	329	1,682	2,810	13,358	12,482	10,147	8,330	4,247
Educational Services	403	916	2,112	10,506	15,406	16,531	16,122	7,503
Health Care and Social Assistance	642	2,708	5,465	25,222	28,057	23,576	20,492	8,955
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	1,526	1,494	1,386	3,556	2,973	2,538	2,381	1,556
Accommodation and Food Services	10,125	9,234	6,506	15,698	12,960	8,924	6,937	3,701
Other Services (except Public Administration)	654	1,245	1,395	4,389	4,470	3,964	3,710	2,210
Public Administration	125	315	815	4,352	5,441	5,705	5,353	2,409

Source: U.S. Census Bureau,

Local Employment Dynamics (LED) Program, 1st Quarter (January, February, March) 2024, all ownerships.

What is LED?

Developed by the U.S. Census Bureau, the Local Employment Dynamics (LED) program merges Virginia's Unemployment Compensation wage and employer records with Census demographic data. Read more about LED on the following website:

<http://lehd.did.census.gov/led/>



Industry Employment and Projections

Long Term (Period= 32)

	Employment			Percent	
	Estimated 2022	Projected 2032	Change	Total	Annual
Total, All Industries	4,248,545	4,438,622	190,077	4.47%	.44%
Total Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	262,145	265,000	2,855	1.09%	.11%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	***	***	***		***
Mining	***	***	***		***
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	***	***	***		***
Utilities	***	***	***		***
Construction	208,388	214,502	6,114	2.93%	.29%
Manufacturing	241,793	247,735	5,942	2.46%	.24%
Wholesale Trade	111,589	114,483	2,894	2.59%	.26%
Retail Trade	409,872	404,285	-5,587	-1.36%	-.14%
Transportation and Warehousing	***	***	***		***
Information	69,039	72,498	3,459	5.01%	.49%
Finance and Insurance	144,030	145,041	1,011	.7%	.07%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	57,642	59,036	1,394	2.42%	.24%
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	458,839	497,438	38,599	8.41%	.81%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	85,333	99,854	14,521	17.02%	1.58%
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	252,442	261,612	9,170	3.63%	.36%
Educational Services	356,283	357,920	1,637	.46%	.05%
Health Care and Social Assistance	465,008	531,879	66,871	14.38%	1.35%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	58,880	65,619	6,739	11.45%	1.09%
Accommodation and Food Services	327,825	329,792	1,967	.6%	.06%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	130,187	136,887	6,700	5.15%	.5%
Unclassified	398,471	416,028	17,557	4.41%	.43%

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Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics,
Long Term Industry and Occupational Projections, 2022-2032.

Industry Employment and Projections

Short Term (Period= 47)

	Employment			Percent	
	Estimated 2025	Projected 2027	Change	Total	Annual
Total, All Industries	4,319,847	4,382,412	62,565	1.45%	.72%
Total Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	253,078	255,333	2,255	.89%	.44%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	3,857	3,873	16	.41%	.21%
Mining	5,372	5,497	125	2.33%	1.16%
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	5,372	5,497	125	2.33%	1.16%
Utilities	11,712	11,910	198	1.69%	.84%
Construction	219,547	226,921	7,374	3.36%	1.67%
Manufacturing	238,058	234,873	-3,185	-1.34%	-.67%
Wholesale Trade	112,712	113,135	423	.38%	.19%
Retail Trade	386,855	387,938	1,083	.28%	.14%
Transportation and Warehousing	159,919	165,200	5,281	3.3%	1.64%
Information	68,110	67,939	-171	-.25%	-.13%
Finance and Insurance	145,064	147,146	2,082	1.44%	.72%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	60,150	61,801	1,651	2.74%	1.36%
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	469,676	484,434	14,758	3.14%	1.56%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	90,454	93,301	2,847	3.15%	1.56%
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	242,667	243,735	1,068	.44%	.22%
Educational Services	390,264	397,202	6,938	1.78%	.89%
Health Care and Social Assistance	520,156	541,236	21,080	4.05%	2.01%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	60,709	60,321	-388	-.64%	-.32%
Accommodation and Food Services	338,240	338,976	736	.22%	.11%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	135,059	137,865	2,806	2.08%	1.03%
Unclassified	408,188	403,776	-4,412	-1.08%	-.54%

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Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics,
Short Term Industry and Occupational Projections, 2025-2027.

Occupation Employment and Projections

Long Term (Period= 32)

	Employment			Openings		
	Estimated 2022	Projected 2032	% Change	Replacements	Growth	Total
Total, All Occupations	4,248,545	4,438,622	4.47%	4,612,916	190,077	4,802,993
Management Occupations	298,471	315,982	5.87%	235,573	17,511	253,084
Business and Financial Operations Occupations	390,793	419,311	7.3%	320,207	28,518	348,725
Computer and Mathematical Occupations	249,727	287,961	15.31%	154,428	38,234	192,662
Architecture and Engineering Occupations	71,132	75,038	5.49%	47,797	3,906	51,703
Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations	44,123	47,630	7.95%	36,965	3,507	40,472
Community and Social Service Occupations	65,623	74,322	13.26%	58,277	8,699	66,976
Legal Occupations	40,184	41,451	3.15%	28,048	1,267	29,315
Education, Training, and Library Occupations	240,424	247,269	2.85%	212,834	6,845	219,679
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occupations	65,537	68,456	4.45%	64,516	2,919	67,435
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	228,269	251,134	10.02%	132,130	22,865	154,995
Healthcare Support Occupations	142,449	175,218	23%	227,155	32,769	259,924
Protective Service Occupations	103,927	107,204	3.15%	123,456	3,277	126,733
Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations	316,176	320,139	1.25%	604,676	3,963	608,639
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occupations	142,632	145,486	2%	191,841	2,854	194,695
Personal Care and Service Occupations	105,807	118,279	11.79%	191,355	12,472	203,827
Sales and Related Occupations	393,831	387,415	-1.63%	504,120	-6,416	497,704
Office and Administrative Support Occupations	458,279	435,194	-5.04%	508,223	-23,085	485,138
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations	33,638	32,606	-3.07%	48,290	-1,032	47,258
Construction and Extraction Occupations	193,426	200,356	3.58%	166,893	6,930	173,823
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	165,896	171,450	3.35%	146,558	5,554	152,112
Production Occupations	172,548	170,695	-1.07%	184,018	-1,853	182,165
Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	325,653	346,026	6.26%	425,556	20,373	445,929

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Occupation Employment and Projections

Short Term (Period= 47)

	Employment			Openings		
	Estimated 2025	Projected 2027	% Change	Replacements	Growth	Total
Total, All Occupations	4,319,847	4,382,412	1.45%	920,875	62,565	983,440
Management Occupations	305,043	309,283	1.39%	45,412	4,240	49,652
Business and Financial Operations Occupations	416,396	422,295	1.42%	65,996	5,899	71,895
Computer and Mathematical Occupations	243,901	251,582	3.15%	28,466	7,681	36,147
Architecture and Engineering Occupations	74,632	75,477	1.13%	9,876	845	10,721
Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations	49,909	50,777	1.74%	8,029	868	8,897
Community and Social Service Occupations	64,908	67,075	3.34%	10,838	2,167	13,005
Legal Occupations	39,357	39,476	.3%	4,981	119	5,100
Education, Training, and Library Occupations	257,764	262,907	2%	46,232	5,143	51,375
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occupations	72,619	73,359	1.02%	14,083	740	14,823
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	236,818	243,569	2.85%	26,634	6,751	33,385
Healthcare Support Occupations	164,502	172,170	4.66%	48,123	7,668	55,791
Protective Service Occupations	111,007	112,088	.97%	27,276	1,081	28,357
Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations	322,749	322,901	.05%	122,895	152	123,047
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occupations	145,224	148,976	2.58%	39,337	3,752	43,089
Personal Care and Service Occupations	115,912	119,345	2.96%	39,994	3,433	43,427
Sales and Related Occupations	425,112	426,079	.23%	108,828	967	109,795
Office and Administrative Support Occupations	429,812	429,076	-.17%	97,116	-736	96,380
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations	5,543	5,476	-1.21%	1,583	-67	1,516
Construction and Extraction Occupations	196,719	201,956	2.66%	33,885	5,237	39,122
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	168,321	170,948	1.56%	29,479	2,627	32,106
Production Occupations	168,073	165,494	-1.53%	35,766	-2,579	33,187
Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	305,526	312,103	2.15%	76,046	6,577	82,623

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Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics, Short Term Industry and Occupational Projections, 2025-2027.

Growth Occupations

	Employment			Openings			Average Annual Salary
	Estimated 2022	Projected 2032	% Change	Replacements	Growth	Total	
Nurse Practitioners	7,166	11,160	55.74%	4,058	3,994	8,052	\$122,180
Solar Photovoltaic Installers	151	207	37.09%	156	56	212	\$52,270
Statisticians	1,009	1,360	34.79%	700	351	1,051	\$111,760
Physician Assistants	4,390	5,917	34.78%	2,538	1,527	4,065	\$138,840
Epidemiologists	272	359	31.99%	159	87	246	\$95,940
Medical and Health Services Managers	9,617	12,670	31.75%	7,711	3,053	10,764	\$138,500
Physical Therapist Assistants	2,767	3,563	28.77%	4,292	796	5,088	\$72,570
Veterinary Assistants and Laboratory Animal Caretakers	3,957	5,018	26.81%	8,653	1,061	9,714	\$37,410
Veterinarians	3,170	4,007	26.4%	1,169	837	2,006	\$133,020
Veterinary Technologists and Technicians	2,801	3,534	26.17%	2,865	733	3,598	\$55,050
Occupational Therapy Assistants	994	1,227	23.44%	1,519	233	1,752	\$72,290
Hearing Aid Specialists	431	530	22.97%	318	99	417	\$70,520
Operations Research Analysts	7,093	8,692	22.54%	4,729	1,599	6,328	\$122,680
Ophthalmic Medical Technicians	1,759	2,139	21.6%	2,078	380	2,458	\$44,110
Massage Therapists	2,870	3,480	21.25%	4,237	610	4,847	\$64,400
Financial Examiners	2,150	2,599	20.88%	1,665	449	2,114	\$104,870
Nonfarm Animal Caretakers	9,817	11,843	20.64%	19,472	2,026	21,498	\$33,820
Medical Assistants	15,371	18,488	20.28%	21,546	3,117	24,663	\$42,260
Animal Trainers	722	865	19.81%	1,099	143	1,242	\$
Speech-Language Pathologists	3,250	3,893	19.78%	1,885	643	2,528	\$96,180

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Projections and OES wage data are for Virginia. No data available for Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News MSA (VA Part).

Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics, Long Term Industry and Occupational Projections, 2022-2032 Occupational Employment Statistics (OES) Survey, 2024.

Declining Occupations

	Employment			Openings		
	Estimated 2022	Projected 2032	% Change	Replace-ments	Growth	Total
Continuous Mining Machine Operators	218	112	-48.62%	176	-106	70
Word Processors and Typists	782	506	-35.29%	849	-276	573
Telemarketers	4,404	3,133	-28.86%	5,071	-1,271	3,800
Switchboard Operators, Including Answering Service	480	347	-27.71%	406	-133	273
Electronic Equipment Installers and Repairers, Motor Vehicles	158	115	-27.22%	114	-43	71
Legal Secretaries	2,189	1,631	-25.49%	2,152	-558	1,594
Data Entry Keyers	4,047	3,072	-24.09%	4,114	-975	3,139
Grinding and Polishing Workers, Hand	349	270	-22.64%	314	-79	235
Pressers, Textile, Garment, and Related Materials	675	533	-21.04%	761	-142	619
Executive Secretaries and Executive Administrative Assistants	10,471	8,341	-20.34%	9,550	-2,130	7,420
Print Binding and Finishing Workers	910	734	-19.34%	755	-176	579
Prepress Technicians and Workers	562	460	-18.15%	632	-102	530
Tailors, Dressmakers, and Custom Sewers	1,237	1,013	-18.11%	1,529	-224	1,305
Tellers	8,090	6,695	-17.24%	7,511	-1,395	6,116
Order Clerks	1,732	1,437	-17.03%	1,792	-295	1,497
Tire Builders	1,052	884	-15.97%	972	-168	804
Floral Designers	1,181	993	-15.92%	1,248	-188	1,060
Payroll and Timekeeping Clerks	2,729	2,315	-15.17%	2,527	-414	2,113
Mining and Geological Engineers, Including Mining Safety Engineers	143	122	-14.69%	73	-21	52
Cooks, Fast Food	13,969	11,995	-14.13%	19,438	-1,974	17,464

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Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics, Long Term Industry and Occupational Projections, 2022-2032.

Consumer Price Index (CPI)

All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Ann.	% chg
2014	233.916	234.781	236.293	237.072	237.900	238.343	238.250	237.852	238.031	237.433	236.151	234.812	236.736	1.6
2015	233.707	234.722	236.119	236.599	237.805	238.638	238.654	238.316	237.945	237.838	237.336	236.525	237.017	0.1
2016	236.916	237.111	238.132	239.261	240.229	241.018	240.628	240.849	241.428	241.729	241.353	241.432	240.007	1.3
2017	242.839	243.603	243.801	244.524	244.733	244.955	244.786	245.519	246.819	246.663	246.669	246.524	245.120	2.1
2018	247.867	248.991	249.554	250.546	251.588	251.989	252.006	252.146	252.439	252.885	252.038	251.233	251.107	2.4
2019	251.712	252.776	254.202	255.548	256.092	256.143	256.571	256.558	256.759	257.346	257.208	256.974	255.657	1.8
2020	257.971	258.678	258.115	256.389	256.394	257.797	259.101	259.918	260.280	260.388	260.229	260.474	258.811	1.2
2021	261.582	263.014	264.877	267.054	269.195	271.696	273.003	273.567	274.310	276.589	277.948	278.802	270.970	4.7
2022	281.148	283.716	287.504	289.109	292.296	296.311	296.276	296.171	296.808	298.012	297.711	296.797	292.655	8.0
2023	299.170	300.840	301.836	303.363	304.127	305.109	305.691	307.026	307.789	307.671	307.051	306.746	304.702	4.1
2024	308.417	310.326	312.332	313.548	314.069	314.175	314.540	314.796	315.301	315.664	315.493	315.605	313.689	2.9

Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Ann.	% chg
2014	230.040	230.871	232.560	233.443	234.216	234.702	234.525	234.030	234.170	233.229	231.551	229.909	232.771	1.5
2015	228.294	229.421	231.055	231.520	232.908	233.804	233.806	233.366	232.661	232.373	231.721	230.791	231.810	-0.4
2016	231.061	230.972	232.209	233.438	234.436	235.289	234.771	234.904	235.495	235.732	235.215	235.390	234.076	1.0
2017	236.854	237.477	237.656	238.432	238.609	238.813	238.617	239.448	240.939	240.573	240.666	240.526	239.051	2.1
2018	241.919	242.988	243.463	244.607	245.770	246.196	246.155	246.336	246.565	247.038	245.933	244.786	245.146	2.5
2019	245.133	246.218	247.768	249.332	249.871	249.747	250.236	250.112	250.251	250.894	250.644	250.452	249.222	1.7
2020	251.361	251.935	251.375	249.515	249.521	251.054	252.636	253.597	254.004	254.076	253.826	254.081	252.248	1.2
2021	255.296	256.843	258.935	261.237	263.612	266.412	267.789	268.387	269.086	271.552	273.042	273.925	265.510	5.3
2022	276.296	278.943	283.176	284.575	288.022	292.542	292.219	291.629	291.854	293.003	292.495	291.051	287.984	8.5
2023	293.565	295.057	296.021	297.730	298.382	299.394	299.899	301.551	302.257	302.071	301.224	300.728	298.990	3.8
2024	302.201	304.284	306.502	307.811	308.163	308.054	308.501	308.640	309.046	309.358	308.998	309.067	307.552	2.9

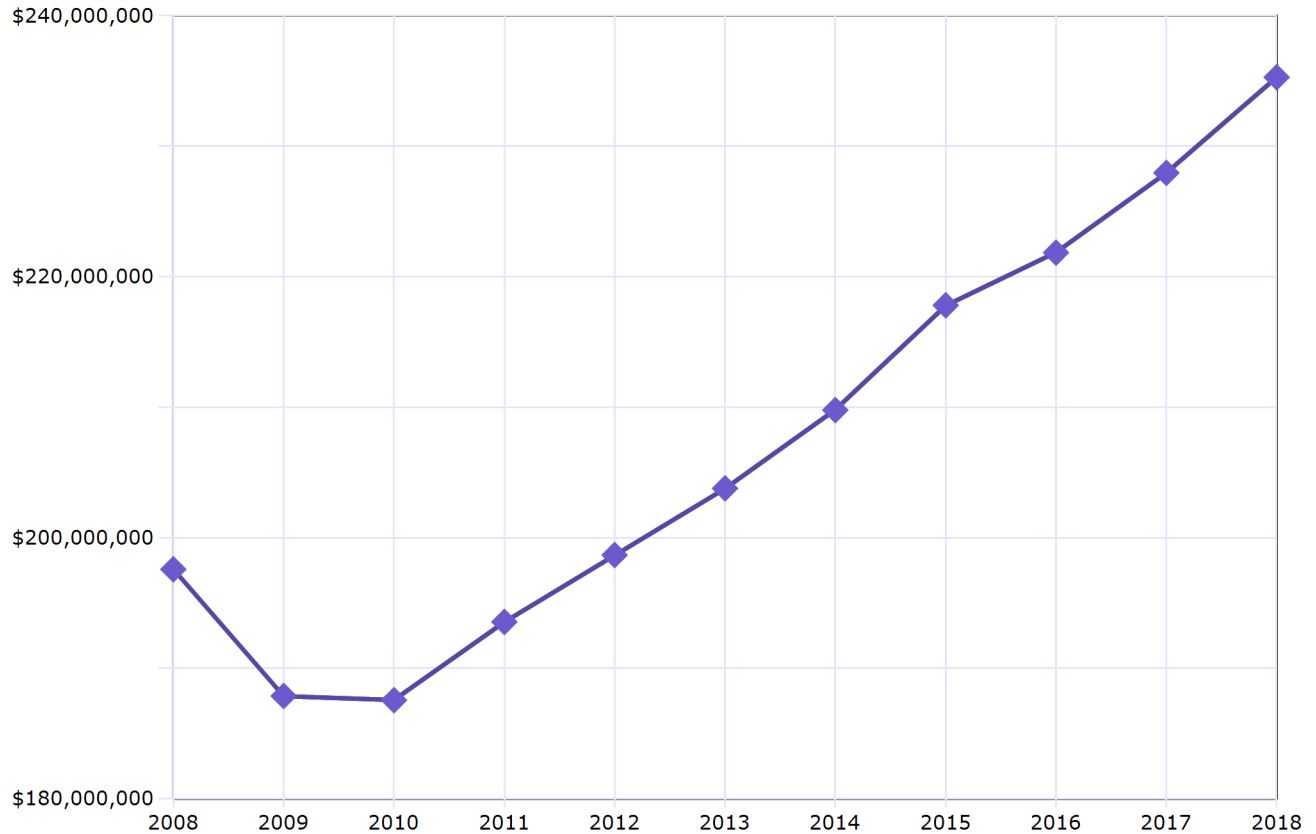
Note: CPI data is for the United States only. No data available for Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News MSA (VA Part).

The CPI-U includes expenditures by urban wage earners and clerical workers, professional, managerial, and technical workers, the self-employed, short-term workers, the unemployed, retirees and others not in the labor force. The CPI-W only includes expenditures by those in hourly wage earning or clerical jobs.

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics,
Consumer Price Indexes (CPI) Program.

Local Option Sales Tax

Trends



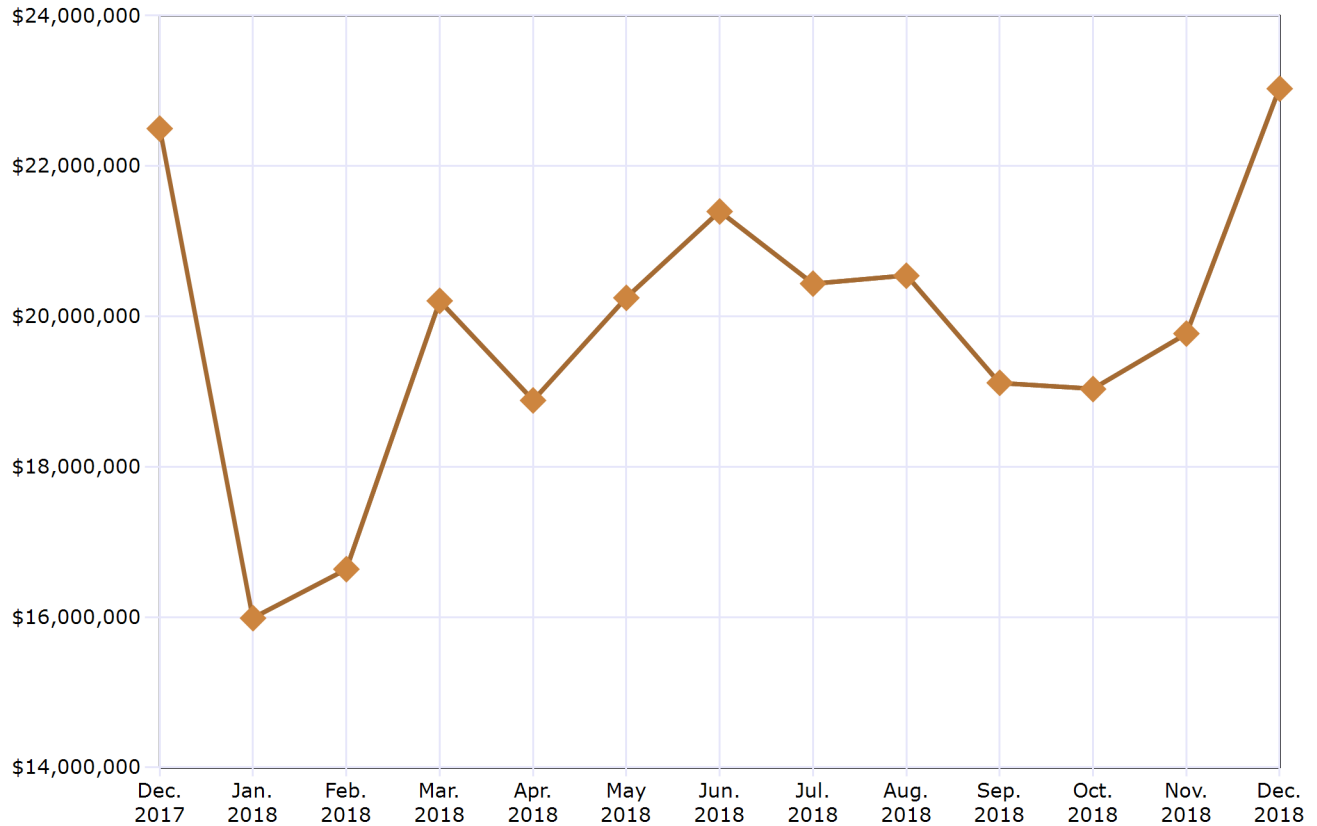
	Virginia Beach MSA	Virginia
2008	\$197,577,100	\$1,032,815,078
2009	\$187,874,556	\$979,594,664
2010	\$187,551,289	\$992,820,512
2011	\$193,548,753	\$1,035,981,229
2012	\$198,671,832	\$1,080,663,042
2013	\$203,781,038	\$1,093,292,668
2014	\$209,778,632	\$1,131,194,860
2015	\$217,805,935	\$1,179,611,271
2016	\$221,843,836	\$1,202,257,995
2017	\$227,954,703	\$1,232,981,515
2018	\$235,282,822	\$1,282,022,261

Note: This data is based on Virginia sales tax revenues deposited, rather than the actual taxable sales figures as reported on a dealer's return.

Source: Virginia Department of Taxation,
Revenue Forecasting.

Local Option Sales Tax

Past 12 Months



	Virginia Beach MSA	Virginia
Dec. 2017	\$22,497,880	\$123,193,863
Jan. 2018	\$15,986,197	\$90,794,207
Feb. 2018	\$16,637,579	\$90,576,093
Mar. 2018	\$20,206,802	\$107,834,402
Apr. 2018	\$18,882,471	\$102,372,977
May 2018	\$20,246,796	\$110,211,496
Jun. 2018	\$21,395,083	\$112,529,037
Jul. 2018	\$20,435,808	\$107,211,401
Aug. 2018	\$20,541,596	\$109,428,585
Sep. 2018	\$19,116,552	\$105,468,340
Oct. 2018	\$19,033,391	\$107,742,243
Nov. 2018	\$19,771,411	\$112,348,128
Dec. 2018	\$23,029,136	\$125,505,352

Note: This data is based on Virginia sales tax revenues deposited, rather than the actual taxable sales figures as reported on a dealer's return.

Source: Virginia Department of Taxation, Revenue Forecasting.

IV. Education Profile

Overview

The Education Profile for Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News MSA (VA Part) provides an assortment of data collected from the United States Census Bureau and the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES).



Related Terms and Definitions

Associate's degree

An award that normally requires at least two but less than four years of full-time equivalent college work.

Bachelor's degree

An award that normally requires at least four but not more than five years of full-time equivalent college-level work.

Post-baccalaureate certificate

An award that requires completion of an organized program of study equivalent to 18 semester credit hours beyond the bachelor's. It is designed for persons who have completed a bachelor's degree, but do not meet the requirements of a master's degree.

Master's degree

An award that requires the successful completion of a program of study of at least the full-time equivalent of one but not more than two academic years of work beyond the bachelor's degree.

Post-master's certificate

An award that requires completion of an organized program of study equivalent to 24 semester credit hours beyond the master's degree, but does not meet the requirements of academic degrees at the doctor's level.

Doctor's degree

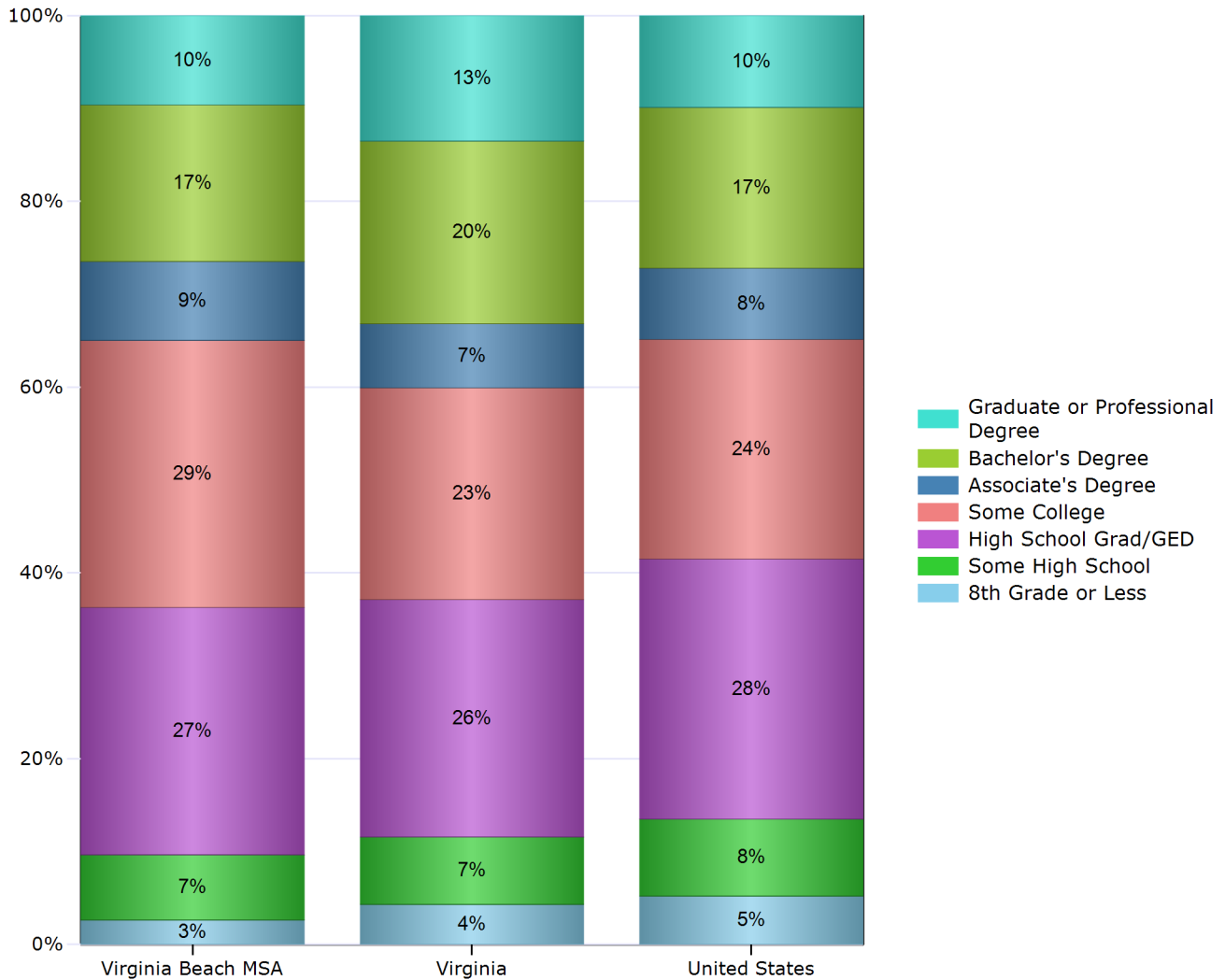
The highest award a student can earn for graduate study.

First-professional degree

An award that requires completion of a program that meets all of the following criteria: (1) completion of the academic requirements to begin practice in the profession; (2) at least two years of college work prior to entering the program; and (3) a total of at least six academic years of college work to complete the degree program, including prior required college work plus the length of the professional program itself.

Educational Attainment

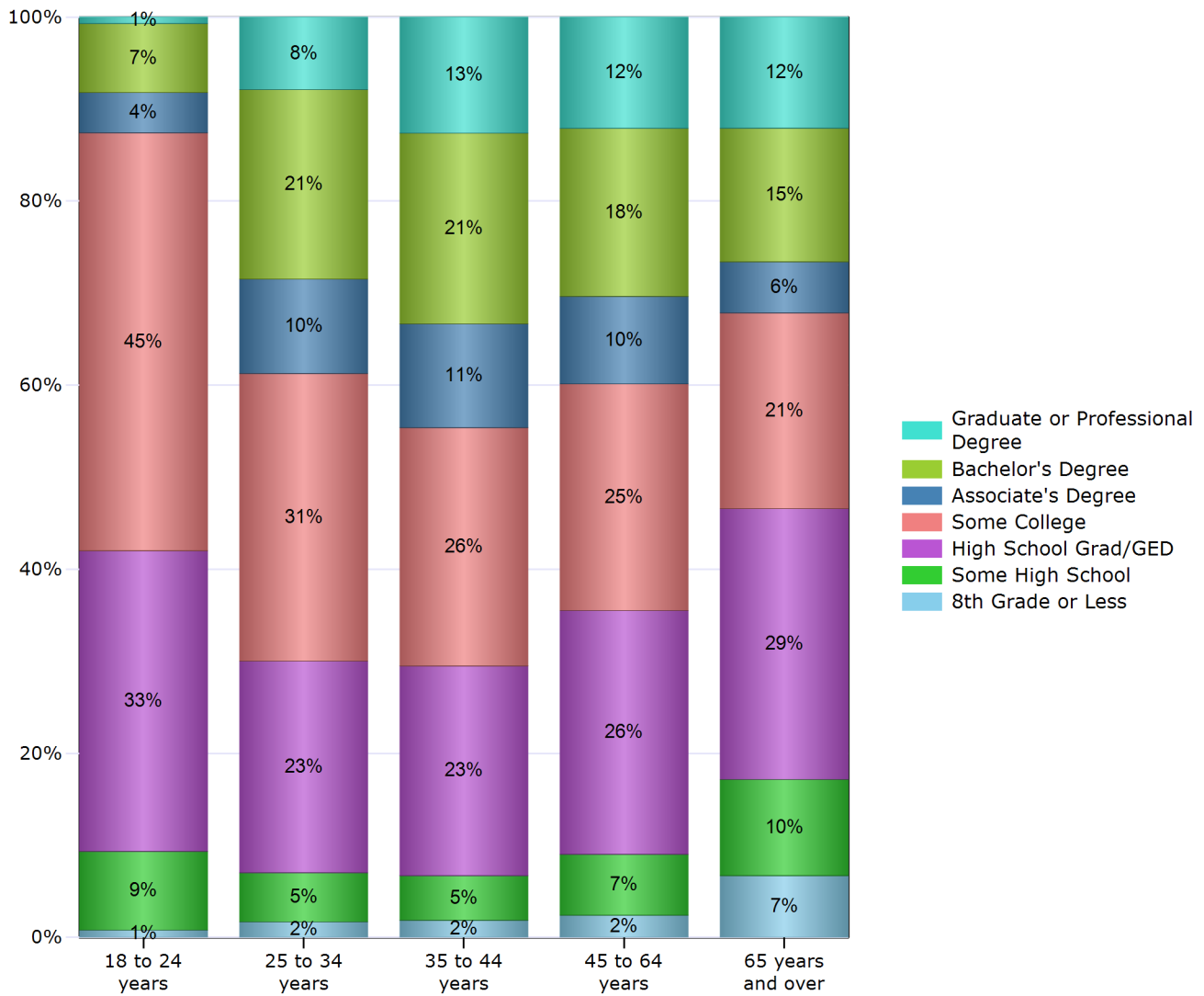
(Population 18 years and over)



	Virginia Beach MSA	Virginia	United States
8th Grade or Less	34,177	275,329	12,639,425
Some High School	90,836	464,075	20,093,117
High School Grad/GED	345,272	1,633,105	68,044,371
Some College	372,661	1,457,887	57,431,237
Associate's Degree	110,215	440,219	18,586,866
Bachelor's Degree	218,466	1,258,661	42,027,629
Graduate or Professional Degree	124,555	862,686	24,008,551
	1,296,182	6,391,962	242,831,196

Source: U.S. Census Bureau
American Community Survey, 2011-2015.

Educational Attainment by Age

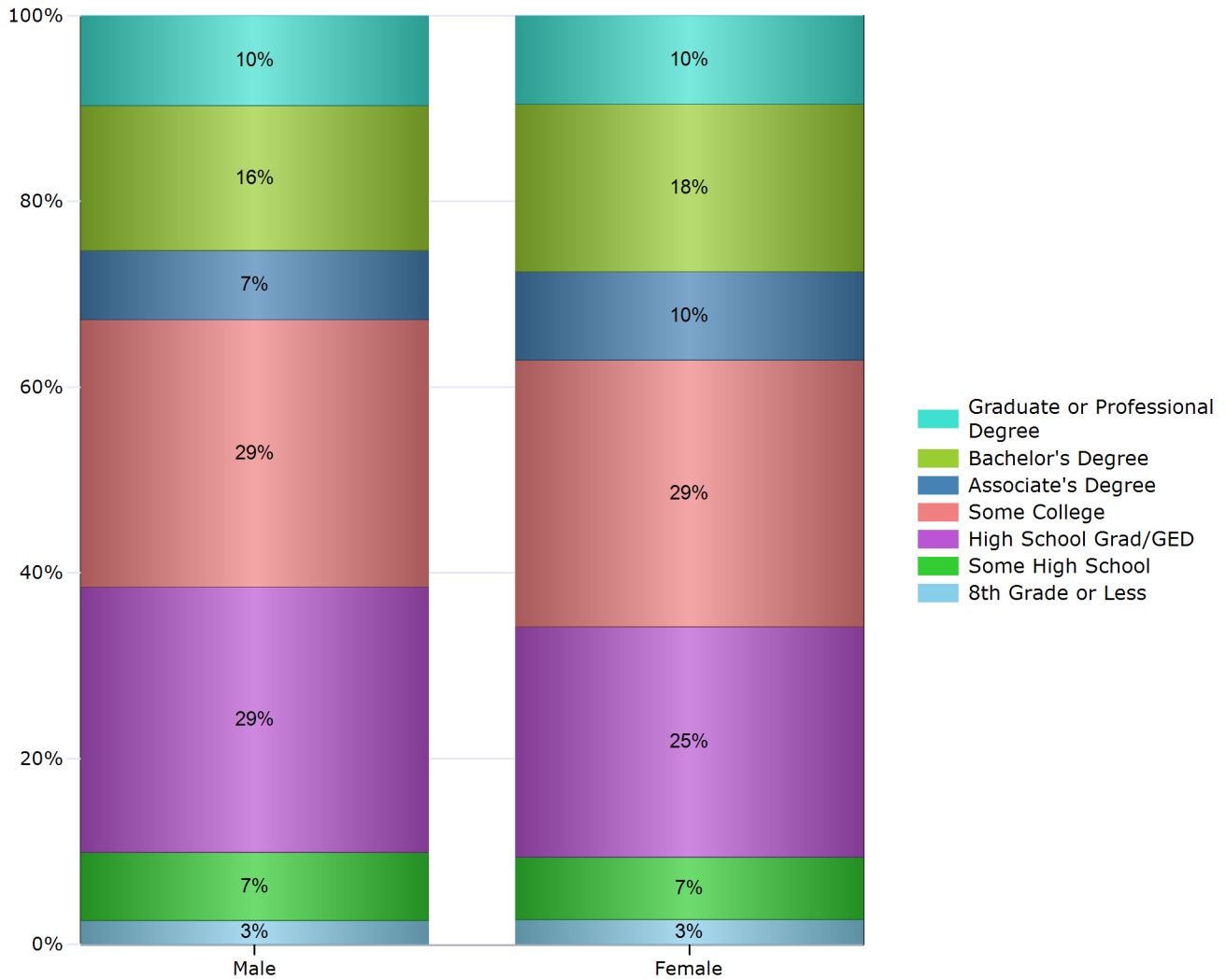


	18 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 64	65+	Total
8th Grade or Less	1,576	4,291	3,780	10,353	14,177	34,177
Some High School	16,878	13,664	9,863	28,352	22,079	90,836
High School Grad/GED	64,451	58,711	46,291	113,689	62,130	345,272
Some College	89,627	79,807	52,635	105,648	44,944	372,661
Associate's Degree	8,601	26,189	22,901	40,823	11,701	110,215
Bachelor's Degree	14,796	52,578	42,122	78,310	30,660	218,466
Graduate or Professional Degree	1,404	20,127	25,624	51,896	25,504	124,555
	197,333	255,367	203,216	429,071	211,195	1,296,182

Source: U.S. Census Bureau
American Community Survey, 2011-2015.

Educational Attainment by Gender

(Population 18 years and over)

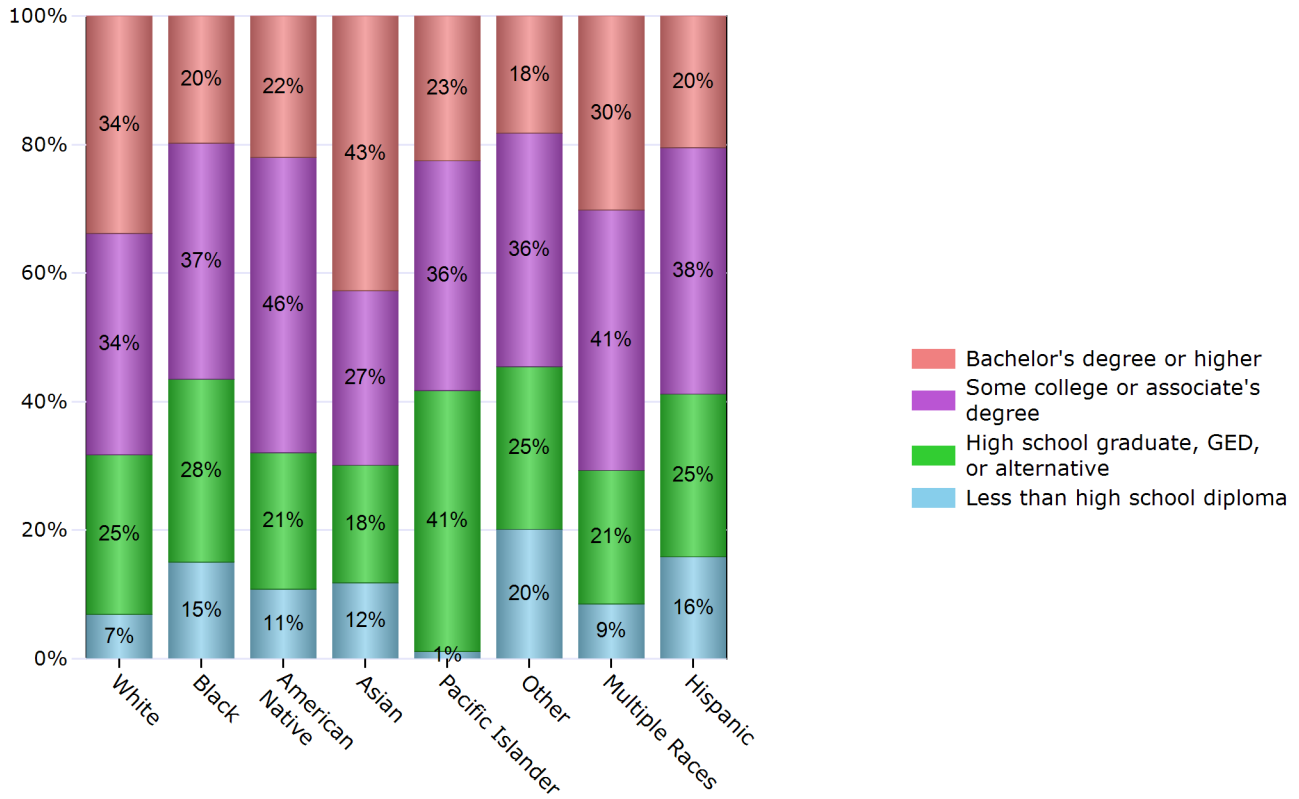


	Male	Female	Total
8th Grade or Less	16,305	17,872	34,177
Some High School	46,204	44,632	90,836
High School Grad/GED	180,366	164,906	345,272
Some College	181,758	190,903	372,661
Associate's Degree	46,882	63,333	110,215
Bachelor's Degree	98,567	119,899	218,466
Graduate or Professional Degree	61,109	63,446	124,555
	631,191	664,991	1,296,182

Source: U.S. Census Bureau
American Community Survey, 2011-2015.

Educational Attainment by Race/Ethnicity

(Population 25 years and over)



Race	Less than high school diploma	High school grad, GED, or alternative	Some college or associate's degree	Bachelor's degree or higher	Total
Race					
White	47,795	171,610	238,057	233,704	691,166
Black or African American	48,514	91,783	118,406	63,769	322,472
American Indian or Alaska Native	392	770	1,665	797	3,624
Asian	5,240	8,115	12,025	18,954	44,334
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	12	429	378	238	1,057
Other	2,634	3,307	4,747	2,382	13,070
Multiple Races	1,972	4,807	9,370	6,977	23,126
Ethnicity					
Not Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	8,491	13,571	20,544	10,979	53,585
	115,050	294,392	405,192	337,800	1,152,434

Source: U.S. Census Bureau
American Community Survey, 2011-2015.

Graduate Data Trends

Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News MSA (VA Part)

	Cert. <1 yr.	Cert. 1-2 yrs.	Assoc.	Cert. 2-4 yrs.	BA	Cert. Post-BA	MA	Cert. Post-MA	Ph.D.	1st Prof.
2006	999	1683	4288	59	6747	0	2588	11	247	527
2007	1,247	1257	4822	69	7183	34	2644	43	309	546
2008	1,507	1161	6316	91	7383	7	2536	80	188	552
2009	1,609	1673	5732	65	7145	26	2614	93	150	535
2010	1,809	3216	6641	154	8016	34	2854	109	435	456
2011	1,523	4288	7981	137	8620	25	2924	162	319	546
2012	1,921	3465	8236	230	9804	60	2882	85	307	642
2013	1,925	3164	7542	237	10307	47	3115	103	324	686
2016	2,043	2857	6942	218	11462	205	3046	104	384	718

Note: This table only reflects degrees completed from institutions within Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News MSA (VA Part)

Virginia Statewide

	Cert. <1 yr.	Cert. 1-2 yrs.	Assoc.	Cert. 2-4 yrs.	BA	Cert. Post-BA	MA	Cert. Post-MA	Ph.D.	1st Prof.
2006	4,213	4,298	14,431	102	39,247	608	12,429	225	1,440	2,490
2007	4,478	3,686	15,519	116	40,381	650	12,781	252	1,516	2,626
2008	5,197	3,813	16,207	134	39,160	725	13,802	334	1,080	2,168
2009	6,259	4,587	17,179	85	40,233	756	15,445	300	925	2,064
2010	7,648	8,158	21,014	374	45,361	915	18,889	601	2,100	2,598
2011	6,972	12,557	24,306	473	49,109	1,055	20,697	727	2,329	2,658
2012	8,825	12,801	26,199	620	53,051	1,215	21,516	686	2,095	3,298
2013	8,153	12,179	25,854	484	54,778	1,067	22,782	706	2,230	2,963
2016	8,643	11,912	25,125	608	61,852	2,032	24,717	640	2,328	2,931

Source: U.S. Department of Education,
Institute of Education Sciences (IES).

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Training Providers

Old Dominion University

5115 Hampton Blvd

Norfolk, VA 23529

Phone: (757) 683-3000

<http://www.odu.edu>

Number of 2016 graduates: 5,522

Thomas Nelson Community College

99 Thomas Nelson Drive

Hampton, VA 23666

Phone: (757) 825-2700

<http://www.tncc.edu>

Number of 2016 graduates: 1,611

Tidewater Community College

121 College Place

Norfolk, VA 23510

Phone: (757) 822-1122

<http://www.tcc.edu>

Number of 2016 graduates: 4,138

Christopher Newport University

1 Avenue Of The Arts

Newport News, VA 23606

Phone: (757) 594-7000

<http://cnu.edu/>

Number of 2016 graduates: 1,382

ECPI College of Technology

5555 Greenwich Rd

Virginia Beach, VA 23462

Phone: (757) 490-9090

<http://www.ecpi.edu>

Number of 2016 graduates: 3,882

Norfolk State University

700 Park Avenue

Norfolk, VA 23504

Phone: (757) 823-8600

<http://www.nsu.edu>

Number of 2016 graduates: 1,172

College of William And Mary

200 Richmond Road

Williamsburg, VA 23187

Phone: (757) 221-4000

<http://www.wm.edu>

Number of 2016 graduates: 2,873

Hampton University

100 E. Queen Street

Hampton, VA 23668

Phone: (757) 727-5000

<http://www.hamptonu.edu>

Number of 2016 graduates: 902

Regent University

1000 Regent University Dr

Virginia Beach, VA 23464

Phone: (757) 352-4127

<http://www.regent.edu>

Number of 2016 graduates: 1,686

Rappahannock Community College

12745 College Drive

Glenns, VA 23149

Phone: (804) 758-6700

<http://www.rappahannock.edu/>

Number of 2016 graduates: 659

*Source: U.S. Department of Education,
Institute of Education Sciences (IES), 2016.*