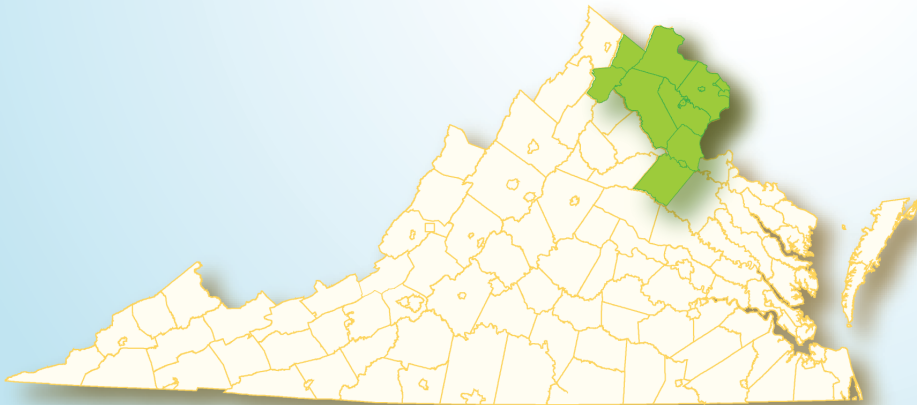


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I. Introduction

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

www.viriniaworks.com

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 Washington-Arlington-Alexandria 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

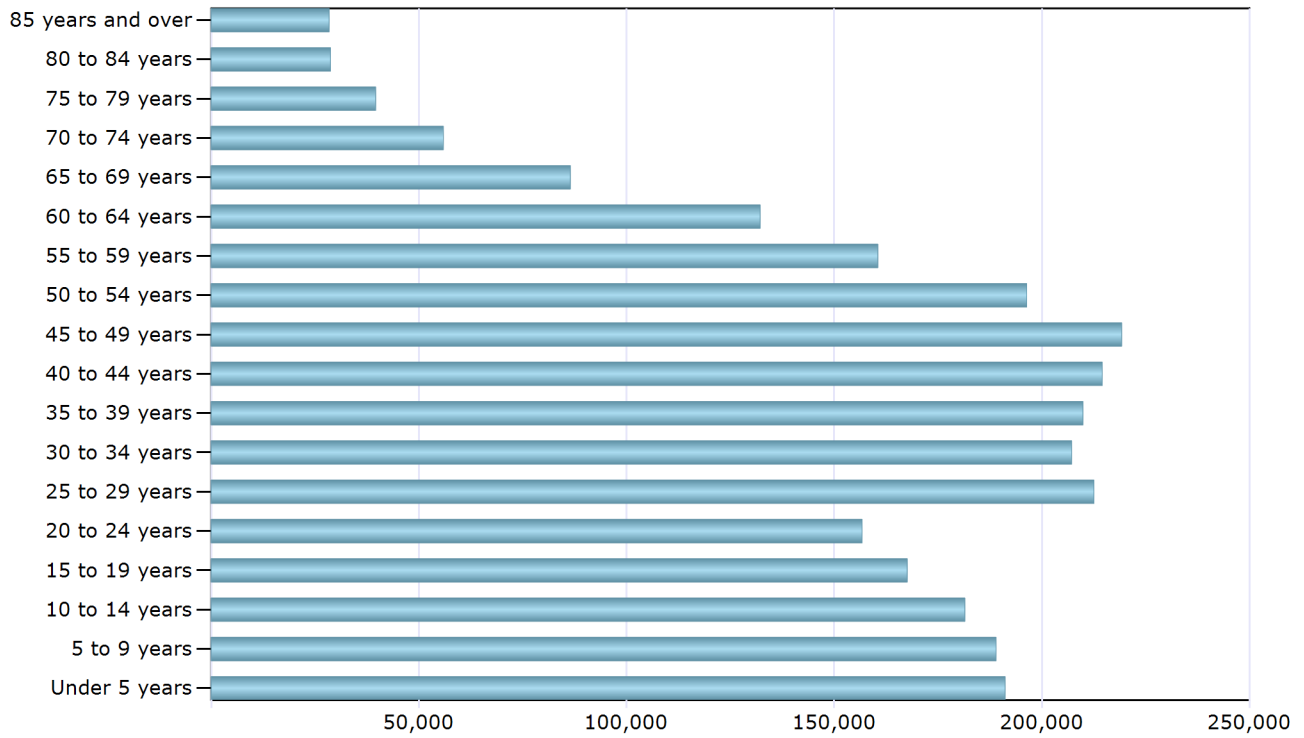
The data on gender were derived from answers to a question that was asked of all people. Individuals were asked to mark either "male" or "female" to indicate their gender. For most cases in which gender was not reported, it was determined by the appropriate entry from the person's given (i.e., first)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



	Northern Virginia MSA	Virginia	United States
Under 5 years	191,142	509,625	20,201,362
5 to 9 years	188,967	511,849	20,348,657
10 to 14 years	181,439	511,246	20,677,194
15 to 19 years	167,565	550,965	22,040,343
20 to 24 years	156,705	572,091	21,585,999
25 to 29 years	212,512	564,342	21,101,849
30 to 34 years	207,166	526,077	19,962,099
35 to 39 years	209,871	540,063	20,179,642
40 to 44 years	214,522	568,865	20,890,964
45 to 49 years	219,207	621,155	22,708,591
50 to 54 years	196,356	592,845	22,298,125
55 to 59 years	160,489	512,595	19,664,805
60 to 64 years	132,158	442,369	16,817,924
65 to 69 years	86,469	320,302	12,435,263
70 to 74 years	55,887	229,502	9,278,166
75 to 79 years	39,591	173,929	7,317,795
80 to 84 years	28,709	130,801	5,743,327
85 years and over	28,386	122,403	5,493,433
	2,677,141	8,001,024	308,745,538

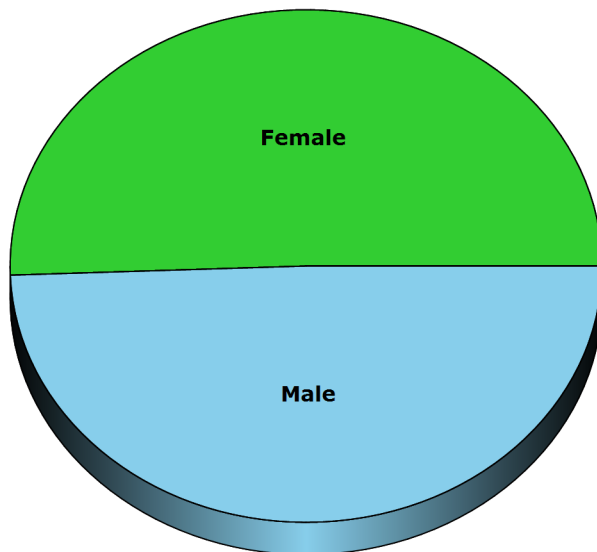
Source: 2010 Census.

Population by Race/Ethnicity

	Northern Virginia MSA	Virginia	United States
Total			
Total Population	2,677,141	8,001,024	308,745,538
Race			
White	1,761,734	5,486,852	223,553,265
Black or African American	321,432	1,551,399	38,929,319
American Indian or Alaska Native	10,878	29,225	2,932,248
Asian	311,235	439,890	14,674,252
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	2,397	5,980	540,013
Other	161,479	254,278	19,107,368
Multiple Races	107,986	233,400	9,009,073
Ethnicity			
Not Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	2,279,400	7,369,199	258,267,944
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	397,741	631,825	50,477,594

Source: 2010 Census.

Population by Gender

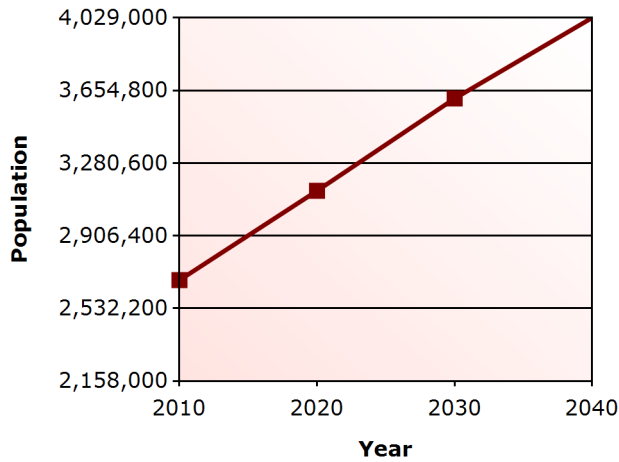


	Northern Virginia MSA	Virginia	United States
Male	1,323,294	3,925,983	151,781,326
Female	1,353,847	4,075,041	156,964,212
	2,677,141	8,001,024	308,745,538

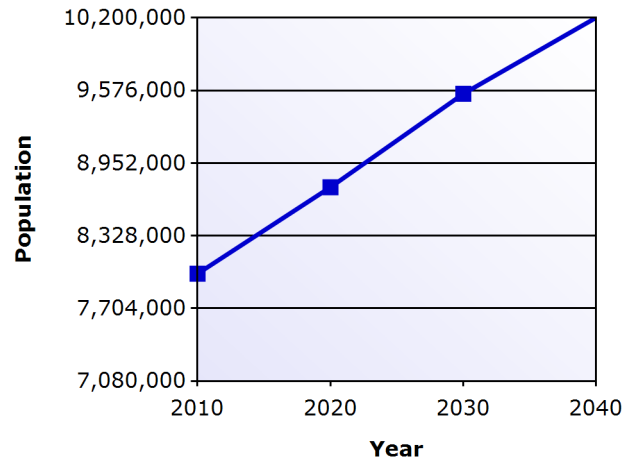
Source: 2010 Census.

Population Change

Northern Virginia MSA



Virginia



	Northern Virginia MSA	Percent change	Number Change	Virginia	Percent change	Number Change
2000	2,157,937			7,079,030		
2010	2,677,141	24.06 %	519,204	8,001,024	13.02 %	921994
2020	3,137,553	17.20 %	460,412	8,744,273	9.29 %	743249
2030	3,613,208	15.16 %	475,655	9,546,958	9.18 %	802685
2040	4,029,257	11.51 %	416,049	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	107,001	111,874	123,344	128,905	135,870	141,937
5 to 9 years	102,985	106,320	119,999	123,873	133,397	137,691
10 to 14 years	100,764	105,421	113,923	119,151	128,026	133,835
15 to 19 years	90,323	96,613	98,984	105,841	112,072	119,747
20 to 24 years	86,820	89,595	99,360	102,110	108,479	111,716
25 to 29 years	129,060	125,777	143,938	139,863	152,861	148,576
30 to 34 years	126,775	121,748	142,296	135,980	158,030	151,088
35 to 39 years	125,936	124,515	150,347	148,139	164,093	161,693
40 to 44 years	111,435	108,939	131,867	128,624	144,846	141,207
45 to 49 years	105,208	103,828	122,389	120,951	142,821	140,930
50 to 54 years	105,327	102,360	106,245	103,265	122,276	119,053
55 to 59 years	103,563	96,976	97,594	91,228	110,602	103,430
60 to 64 years	83,197	79,530	87,271	83,441	85,675	81,892
65 to 69 years	67,712	62,618	86,626	79,731	82,990	76,201
70 to 74 years	56,831	50,241	71,717	63,186	76,721	67,367
75 to 79 years	38,509	31,188	59,028	47,616	76,748	61,631
80 to 84 years	24,166	15,866	46,605	30,513	59,585	38,872
85 years and over	25,903	12,638	39,838	19,421	65,481	31,820
	1,591,515	1,546,047	1,841,371	1,771,838	2,060,573	1,968,686
	3,137,562		3,613,209		4,029,259	

Source: Weldon Cooper Center for Public Service.

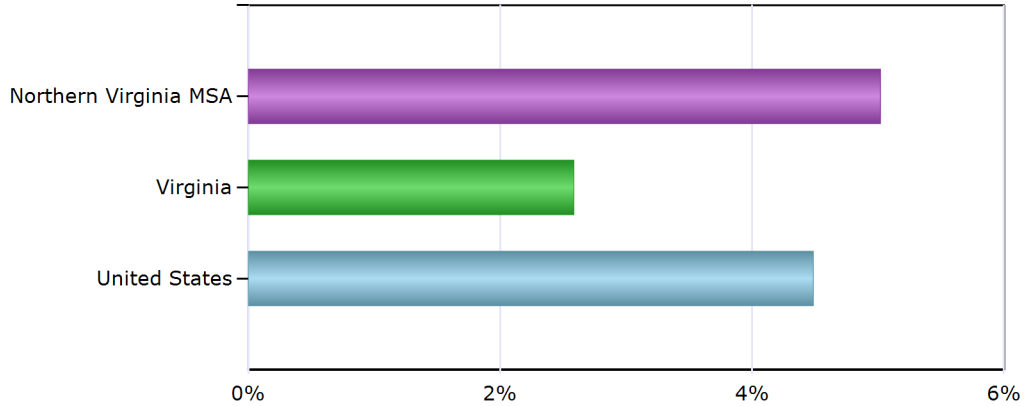
Population Projections by Race/Ethnicity

	2020	2030	2040
Total			
Total Population	3,137,553	3,613,208	4,029,257
Race			
White	1,556,139	1,560,746	1,485,139
Black or African American	375,372	416,863	438,067
Asian	472,675	678,285	918,413
Other	99,984	93,601	83,628
Ethnicity			
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	633,385	863,715	1,104,003

Source: Weldon Cooper Center for Public Service.

English Language Skills

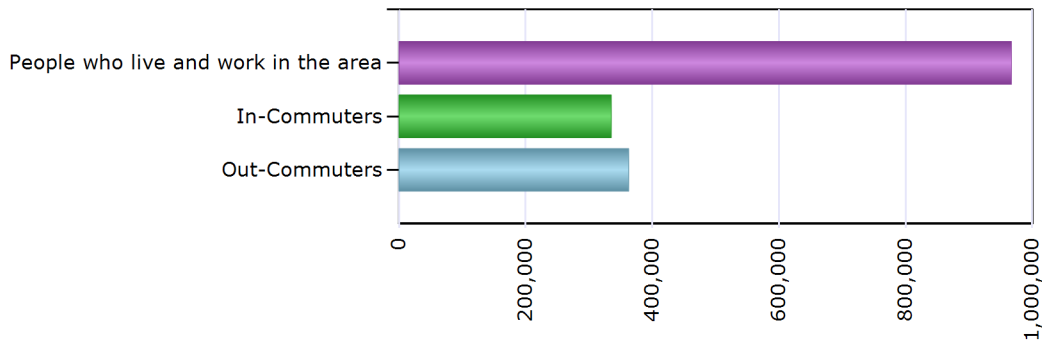
(Age 5 and over that speak English less than well)



	Total	Speak English less than well	Percent
Northern Virginia MSA	2,686,271	134,827	5.02%
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	967,111
In-Commuters	335,124
Out-Commuters	362,591
Net In-Commuters (In-Commuters minus Out-Commuters)	-27,467

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

Top 10 Places Residents are Commuting To

Area	Workers
District of Colu, DC	174,081
Montgomery County, MD	37,981
Prince George's County, MD	20,954
Henrico County, VA	12,615
Richmond city, VA	7,381
Chesterfield County, VA	5,380
Virginia Beach city, VA	5,075
Frederick County, VA	4,192
Winchester city, VA	4,066
Norfolk city, VA	3,883

Top 10 Places Workers are Commuting From

Area	Workers
Prince George's County, MD	42,439
Montgomery County, MD	40,129
District of Colu, DC	37,293
Frederick County, VA	10,890
Chesterfield County, VA	9,038
Charles County, MD	8,916
Henrico County, VA	8,888
Virginia Beach city, VA	8,605
Anne Arundel County, MD	6,577
Frederick County, MD	6,483

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 Washington-Arlington-Alexandria 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)

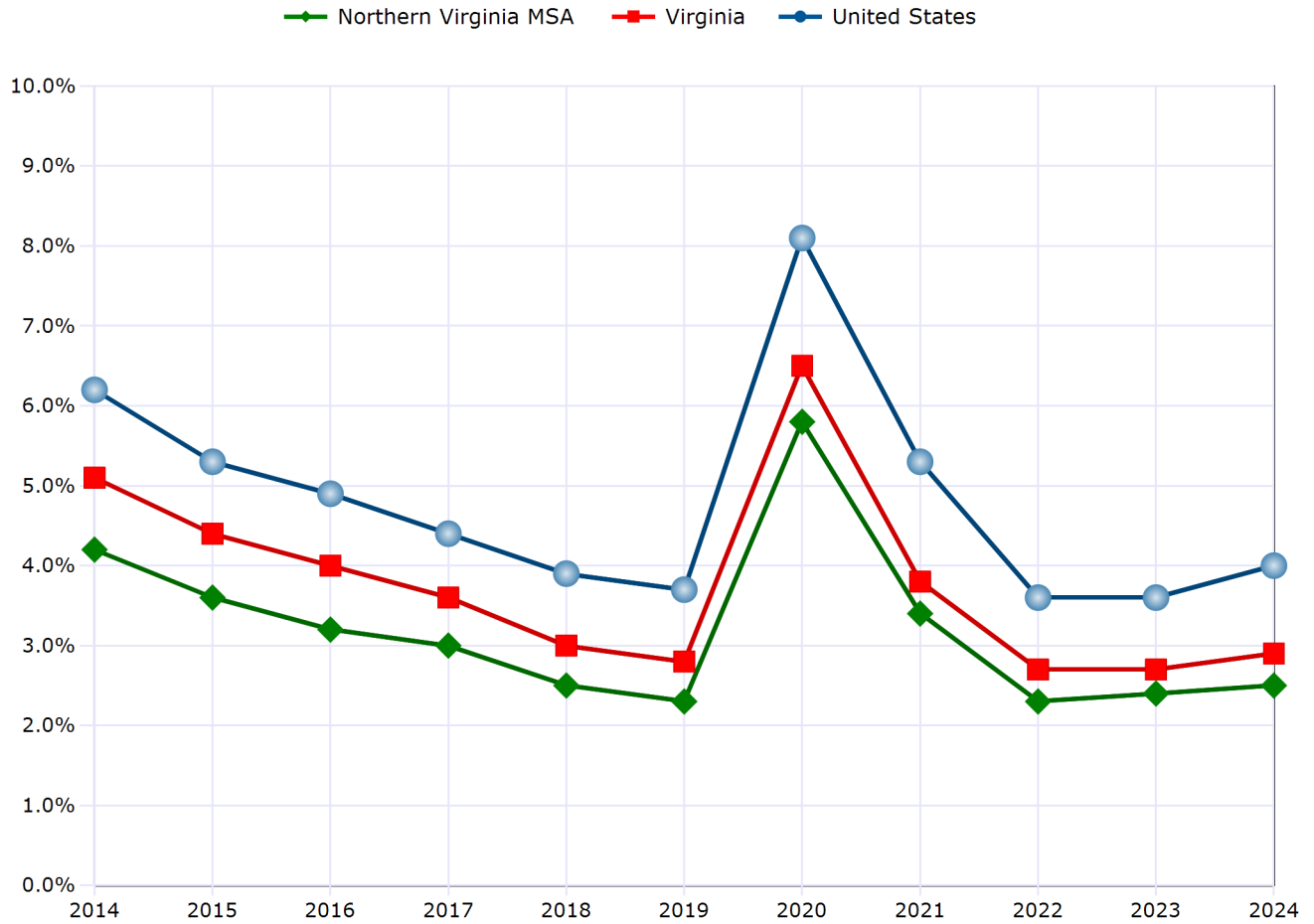
Unemployment insurance is a program for the accumulation of funds paid by employers to be used for the payment of unemployment insurance to workers during periods of unemployment which are beyond the workers' control. Unemployment insurance replaces a part of the worker's wage loss if he becomes eligible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

Unemployment Rate

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

Unemployment Rates

Trends

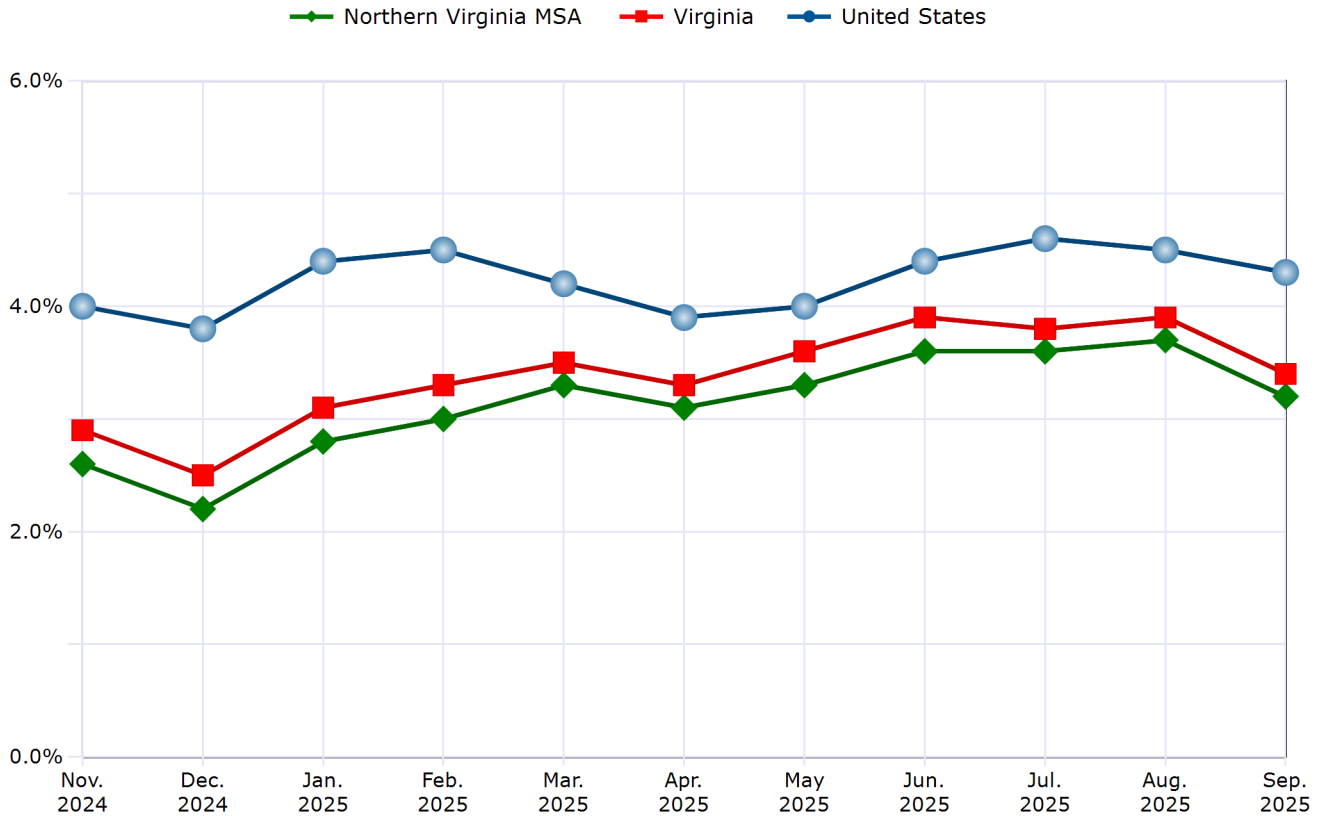


	Northern Virginia MSA	Virginia	United States
2014	4.2%	5.1%	6.2%
2015	3.6%	4.4%	5.3%
2016	3.2%	4.0%	4.9%
2017	3.0%	3.6%	4.4%
2018	2.5%	3.0%	3.9%
2019	2.3%	2.8%	3.7%
2020	5.8%	6.5%	8.1%
2021	3.4%	3.8%	5.3%
2022	2.3%	2.7%	3.6%
2023	2.4%	2.7%	3.6%
2024	2.5%	2.9%	4.0%

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

Unemployment Rates

Past 12 Months



	Northern Virginia MSA	Virginia	United States
Nov. 2024	2.6%	2.9%	4.0%
Dec. 2024	2.2%	2.5%	3.8%
Jan. 2025	2.8%	3.1%	4.4%
Feb. 2025	3.0%	3.3%	4.5%
Mar. 2025	3.3%	3.5%	4.2%
Apr. 2025	3.1%	3.3%	3.9%
May 2025	3.3%	3.6%	4.0%
Jun. 2025	3.6%	3.9%	4.4%
Jul. 2025	3.6%	3.8%	4.6%
Aug. 2025	3.7%	3.9%	4.5%
Sep. 2025	3.2%	3.4%	4.3%

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

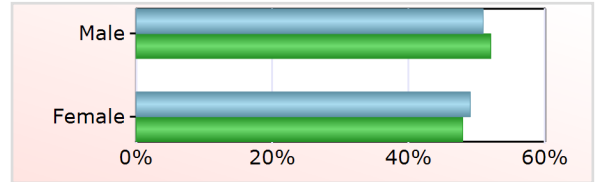
Characteristics of the Insured Unemployed

Total number of claimants: 8,808

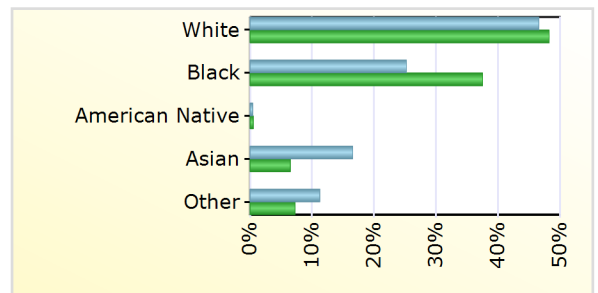
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria MSA (VA Part) - (8,808 claimants)

Virginia - (28,243 claimants)

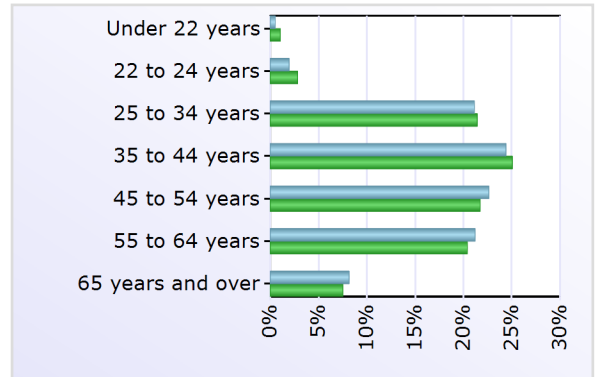
Gender	Northern Virginia MSA	Virginia
Male	4,487	14,701
Female	4,321	13,542
Unspecified		



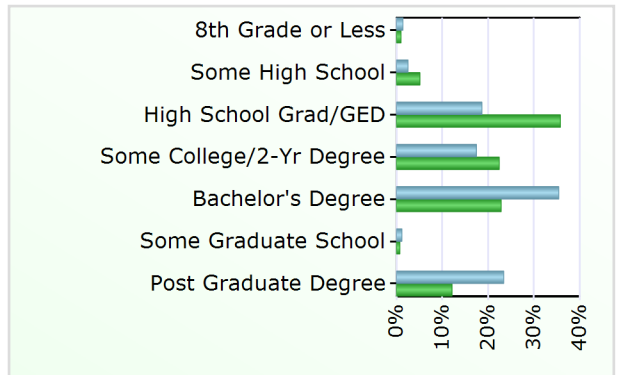
Race	Northern Virginia MSA	Virginia
White	4,102	13,624
Black	2,221	10,594
American Native	37	146
Asian	1,458	1,832
Other	990	2,047



Age	Northern Virginia MSA	Virginia
Under 22 years	46	294
22 to 24 years	172	801
25 to 34 years	1,861	6,051
35 to 44 years	2,149	7,078
45 to 54 years	1,993	6,136
55 to 64 years	1,868	5,761
65 years and over	719	2,122
Unknown		



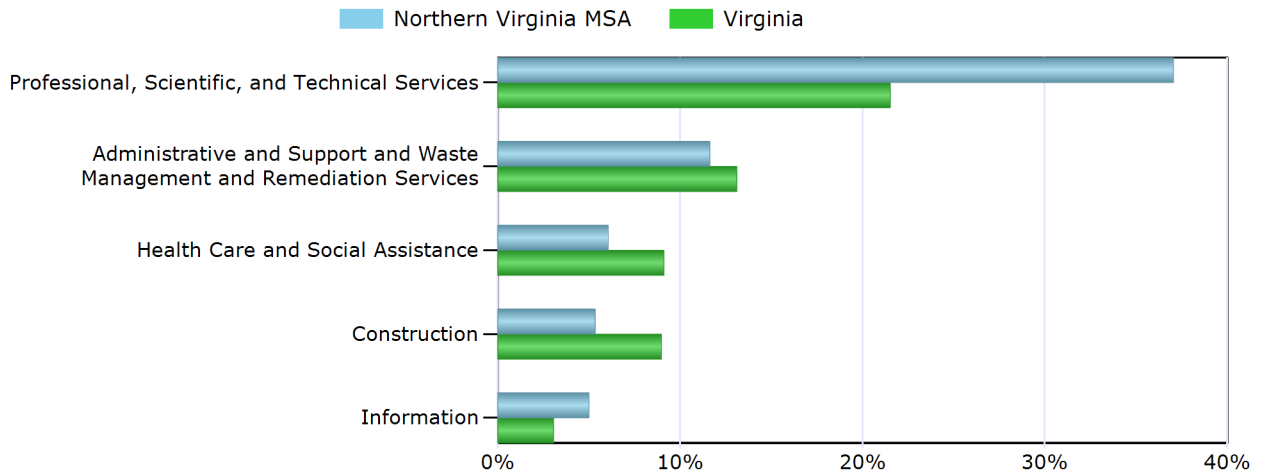
Education	Northern Virginia MSA	Virginia
8th Grade or Less	123	278
Some High School	220	1,442
High School Grad/GED	1,643	10,103
Some College/2-Yr Degree	1,536	6,336
Bachelor's Degree	3,121	6,452
Some Graduate School	104	208
Post Graduate Degree	2,061	3,424
Unknown		



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 Northern Virginia MSA
(excludes unclassified)



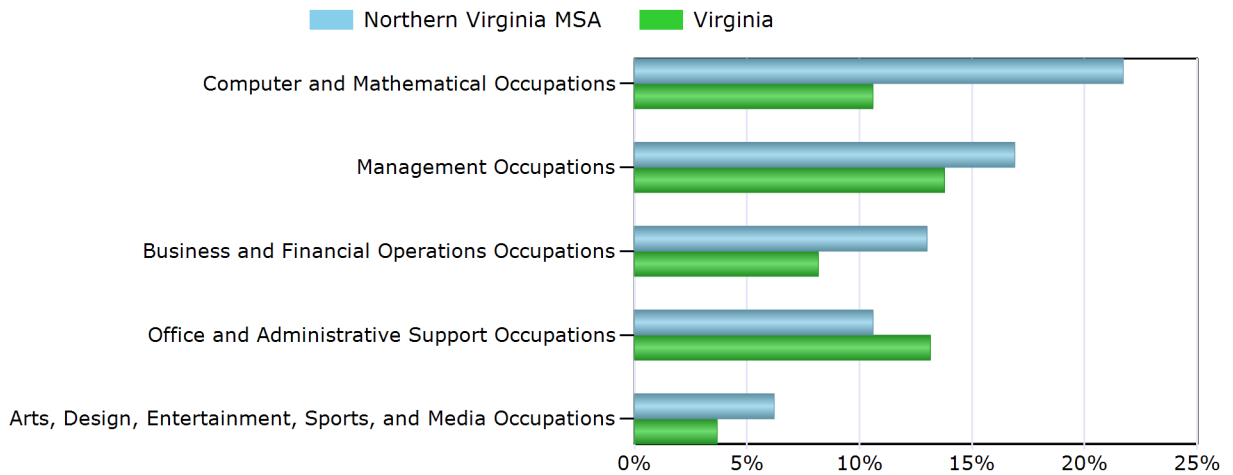
Industry	Northern Virginia MSA	Virginia
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	3,082	5,213
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	967	3,173
Unclassified	905	2,691
Health Care and Social Assistance	504	2,206
Construction	444	2,174
Information	416	739
Finance and Insurance	391	1,193
Other Services (except Public Administration)	293	821
Accommodation and Food Services	248	1,475
Retail Trade	236	905
Wholesale Trade	228	842
Educational Services	187	536
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	125	510
Transportation and Warehousing	91	566
Management of Companies and Enterprises	82	289
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	72	313
Manufacturing	27	358
Utilities	13	34
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	7	119
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction		62

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 Northern Virginia MSA

(excludes unknown occupations)

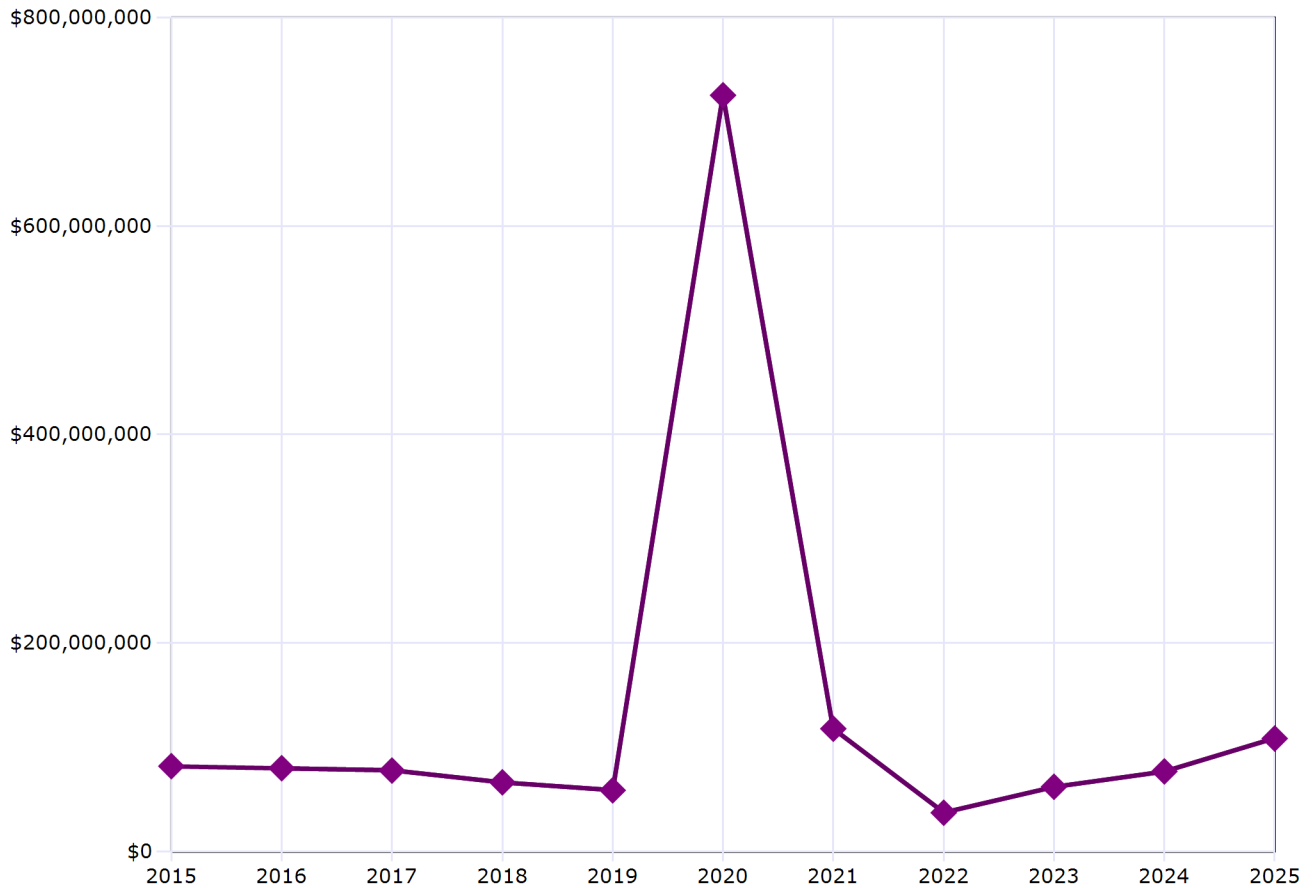


Occupation	Northern Virginia MSA	Virginia
Computer and Mathematical Occupations	1,913	2,994
Management Occupations	1,488	3,891
Business and Financial Operations Occupations	1,145	2,308
Office and Administrative Support Occupations	934	3,714
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occupations	547	1,039
Sales and Related Occupations	507	1,671
Construction and Extraction Occupations	305	1,767
Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	266	1,809
Architecture and Engineering Occupations	210	720
Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations	194	1,149
Healthcare Support Occupations	161	774
Education, Training, and Library Occupations	142	393
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occupations	141	788
Protective Service Occupations	139	397
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	124	556
Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations	119	356
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	111	822
Legal Occupations	92	193
Personal Care and Service Occupations	88	386
Community and Social Service Occupations	78	327
Production Occupations	77	1,998
Military Specific Occupations	14	63
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations	13	128
Unknown Occupation Code		

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

Unemployment Insurance Payments

Trends

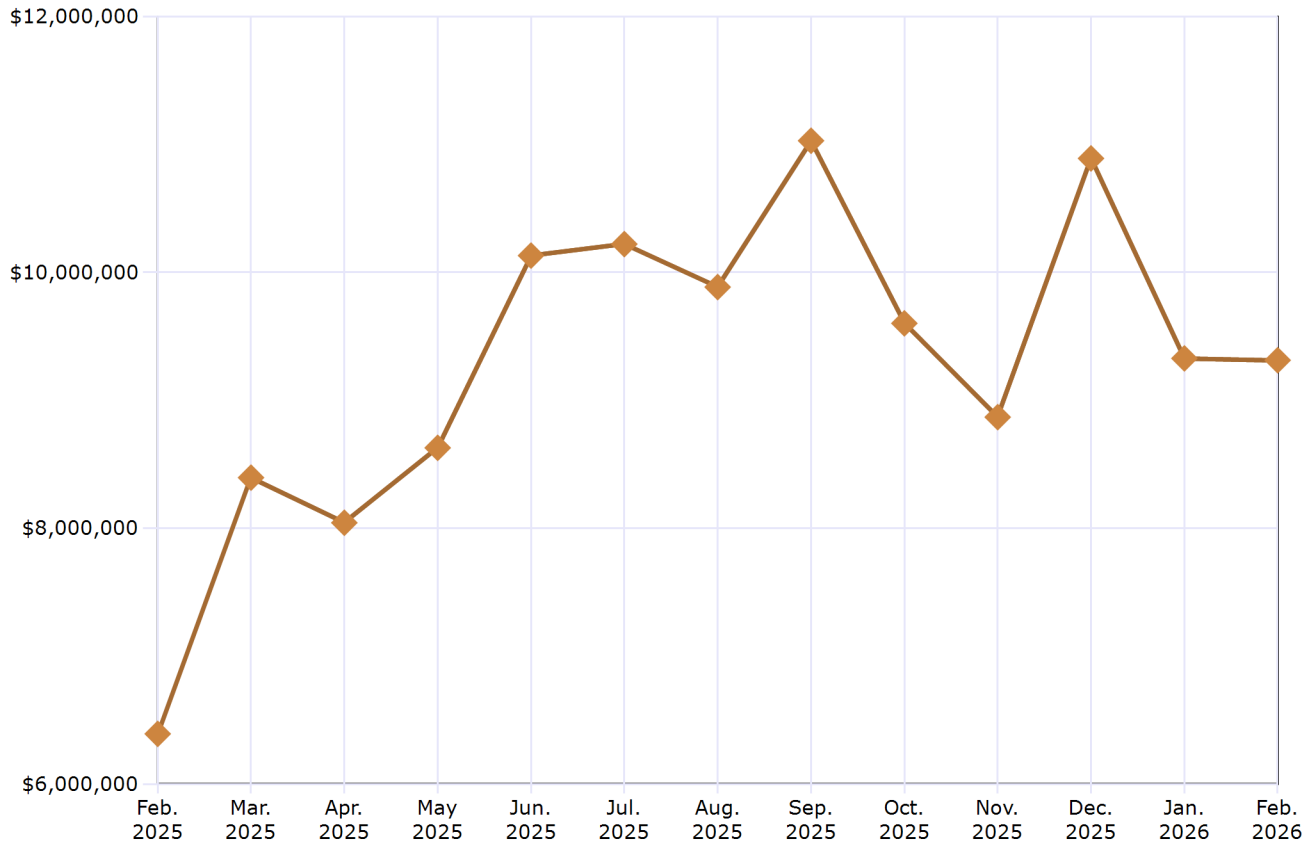


	Northern Virginia MSA		Virginia	
	Weeks Paid	Amount Paid	Weeks Paid	Amount Paid
2015	249,411	\$81,967,485	1,198,476	\$351,290,100
2016	240,128	\$80,021,240	1,263,292	\$379,622,081
2017	231,884	\$77,750,337	1,114,650	\$336,664,624
2018	196,660	\$66,474,823	941,154	\$286,468,017
2019	173,214	\$58,790,402	867,371	\$269,014,541
2020	2,609,642	\$725,301,532	8,600,869	\$2,279,487,650
2021	395,928	\$117,886,031	1,601,885	\$458,078,646
2022	112,026	\$37,303,121	485,275	\$154,636,752
2023	175,021	\$62,211,811	685,711	\$232,048,074
2024	214,293	\$76,936,829	821,464	\$281,948,022
2025	297,283	\$108,469,016	958,475	\$336,260,202

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

Unemployment Insurance Payments

Past 12 Months



	Northern Virginia MSA		Virginia	
	Weeks Paid	Amount Paid	Weeks Paid	Amount Paid
Feb. 2025	17,717	\$6,393,141	67,208	\$23,330,065
Mar. 2025	23,169	\$8,395,859	80,917	\$28,182,251
Apr. 2025	22,200	\$8,043,449	71,831	\$25,077,568
May 2025	23,687	\$8,629,068	74,874	\$26,230,081
Jun. 2025	27,808	\$10,131,621	90,500	\$31,564,327
Jul. 2025	28,006	\$10,221,505	88,280	\$30,838,363
Aug. 2025	27,018	\$9,885,588	85,310	\$29,930,805
Sep. 2025	29,997	\$11,029,270	91,400	\$32,455,220
Oct. 2025	26,188	\$9,602,070	77,985	\$27,634,073
Nov. 2025	24,178	\$8,868,834	70,847	\$25,162,669
Dec. 2025	29,615	\$10,891,103	90,198	\$31,953,758
Jan. 2026	25,459	\$9,327,960	82,981	\$29,321,778
Feb. 2026	24,787	\$9,313,684	81,372	\$29,629,263

Source: Virginia Works, Unemployment Insurance Program.

Employers by Size of Establishment

	Northern Virginia MSA	Virginia
0 to 4 employees	61,876	207,876
5 to 9 employees	13,329	41,114
10 to 19 employees	10,309	30,733
20 to 49 employees	8,022	22,801
50 to 99 employees	2,851	7,586
100 to 249 employees	1,547	4,170
250 to 499 employees	392	1,098
500 to 999 employees	114	371
1000 and over employees	104	279
	98,544	316,028

Employment by Size of Establishment

	Northern Virginia MSA	Virginia
0 to 4 employees	82,909	264,518
5 to 9 employees	88,961	273,771
10 to 19 employees	140,367	417,792
20 to 49 employees	243,101	684,503
50 to 99 employees	197,162	521,848
100 to 249 employees	229,547	618,496
250 to 499 employees	135,377	377,264
500 to 999 employees	77,020	254,429
1000 and over employees	289,083	731,112
	1,483,527	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. Capital One Bank |
| 2. Fairfax County Public Schools | 27. Mary Washington Hospital |
| 3. Inova Health System | 28. County of Arlington |
| 4. County of Fairfax | 29. Science Applications International Corporation |
| 5. Loudoun County Schools | 30. Target Corp |
| 6. Prince William County School Board | 31. Deloitte Consulting LLP |
| 7. U.S. Department of Homeland Defense | 32. Northrop Grumman Corporation |
| 8. Amazon Fulfillment Services Inc. | 33. M.C. Dean, Inc. |
| 9. Booz, Allen and Hamilton | 34. Wegmans Store #07 |
| 10. Wal Mart | 35. Caci |
| 11. United Airlines Inc | 36. Spotsylvania County School Board |
| 12. George Mason University | 37. The Home Depot |
| 13. Arlington County School Board | 38. SAIC Gemini, Inc. |
| 14. County of Prince William | 39. Capital One Na |
| 15. County of Loudoun | 40. The Mitre Corporation |
| 16. Federal Home Loan Mortgage | 41. Virginia Hospital Center |
| 17. U.S. Department of Commerce | 42. Catholic Diocese of Arlington |
| 18. Navy Federal Credit Union | 43. Security Forces, Inc. |
| 19. Equifax Workforce Solutions | 44. Anteon Corporation |
| 20. Accenture National Securities | 45. Fannie Mae |
| 21. Giant Food | 46. City of Alexandria |
| 22. Stafford County Schools | 47. Costco |
| 23. Administaff | 48. Harris Teeter Supermarket |
| 24. Postal Service | 49. Amazon Logistics, Inc |
| 25. Amazon Web Services LLC | 50. GEICO, Government Employees Insurance |

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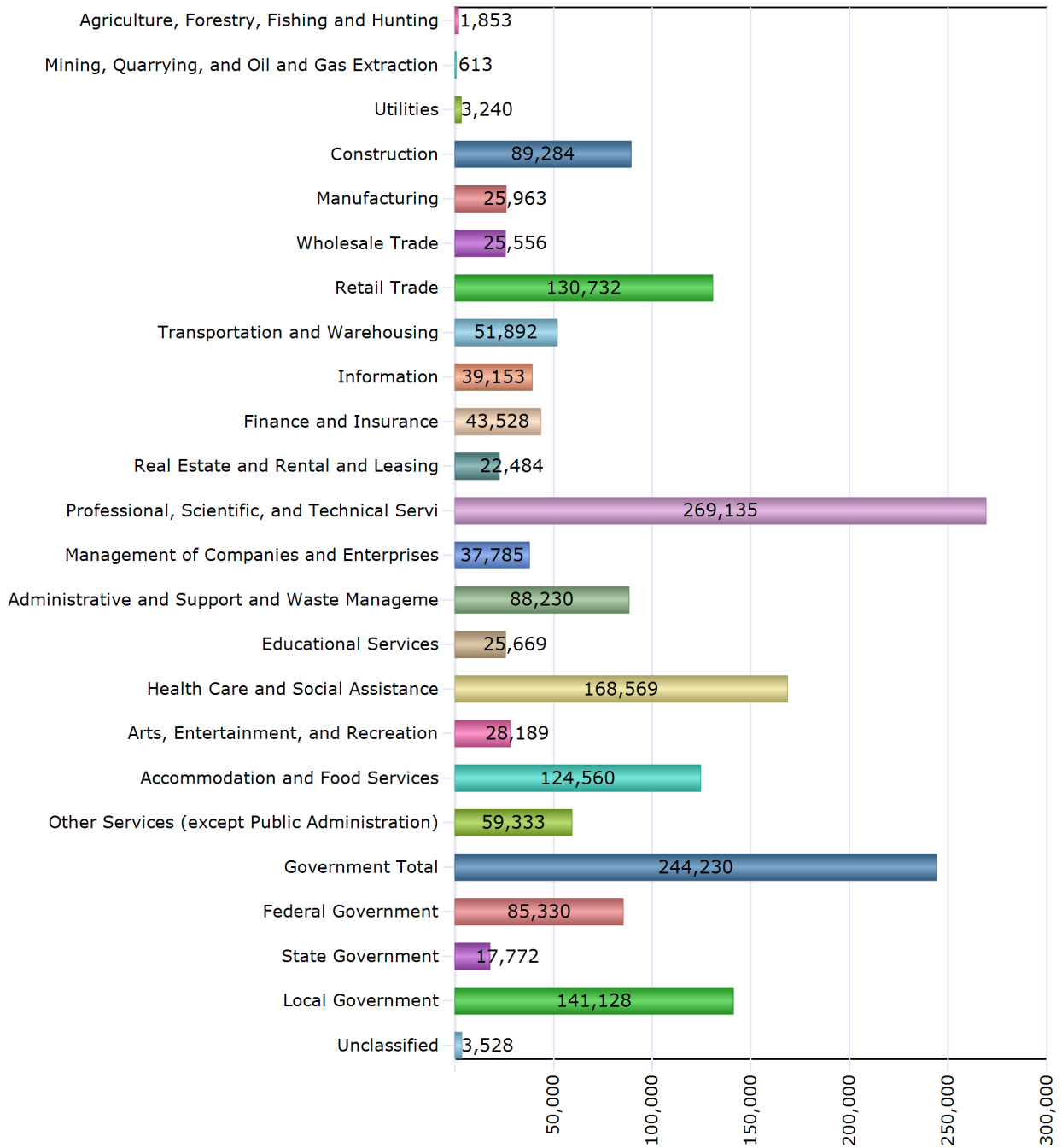
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Employment by Industry

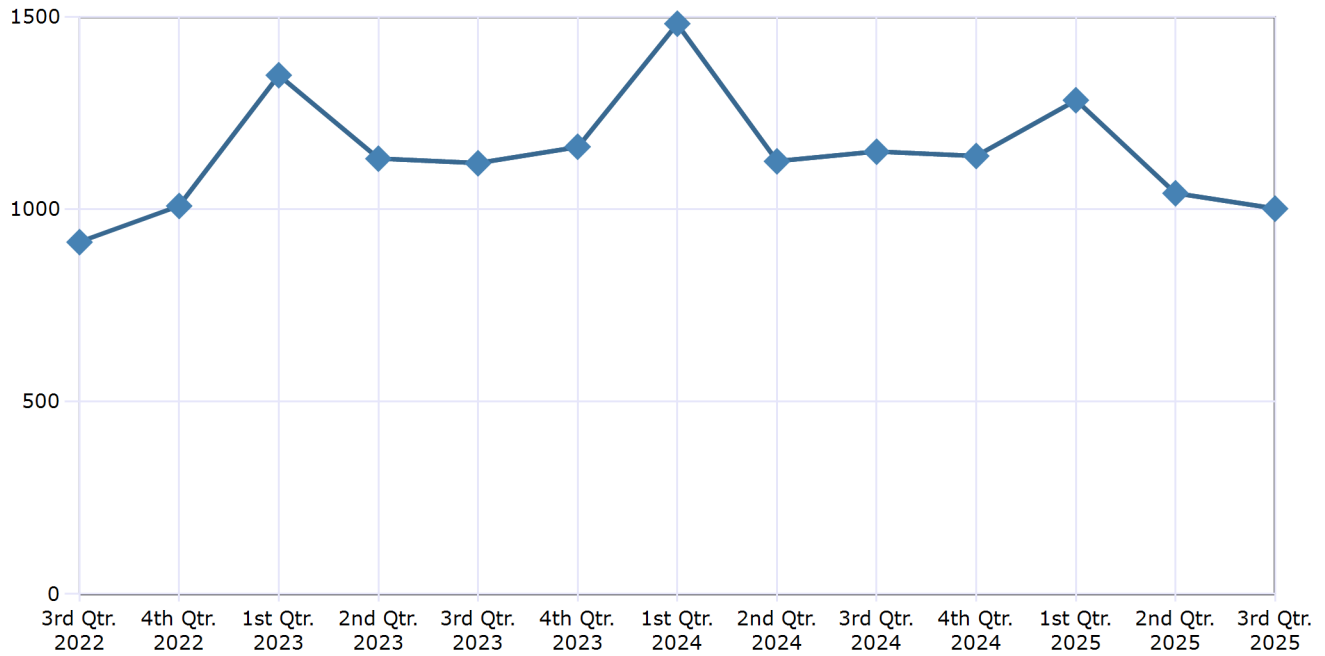


Total: 1,483,528

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New Startup Firms

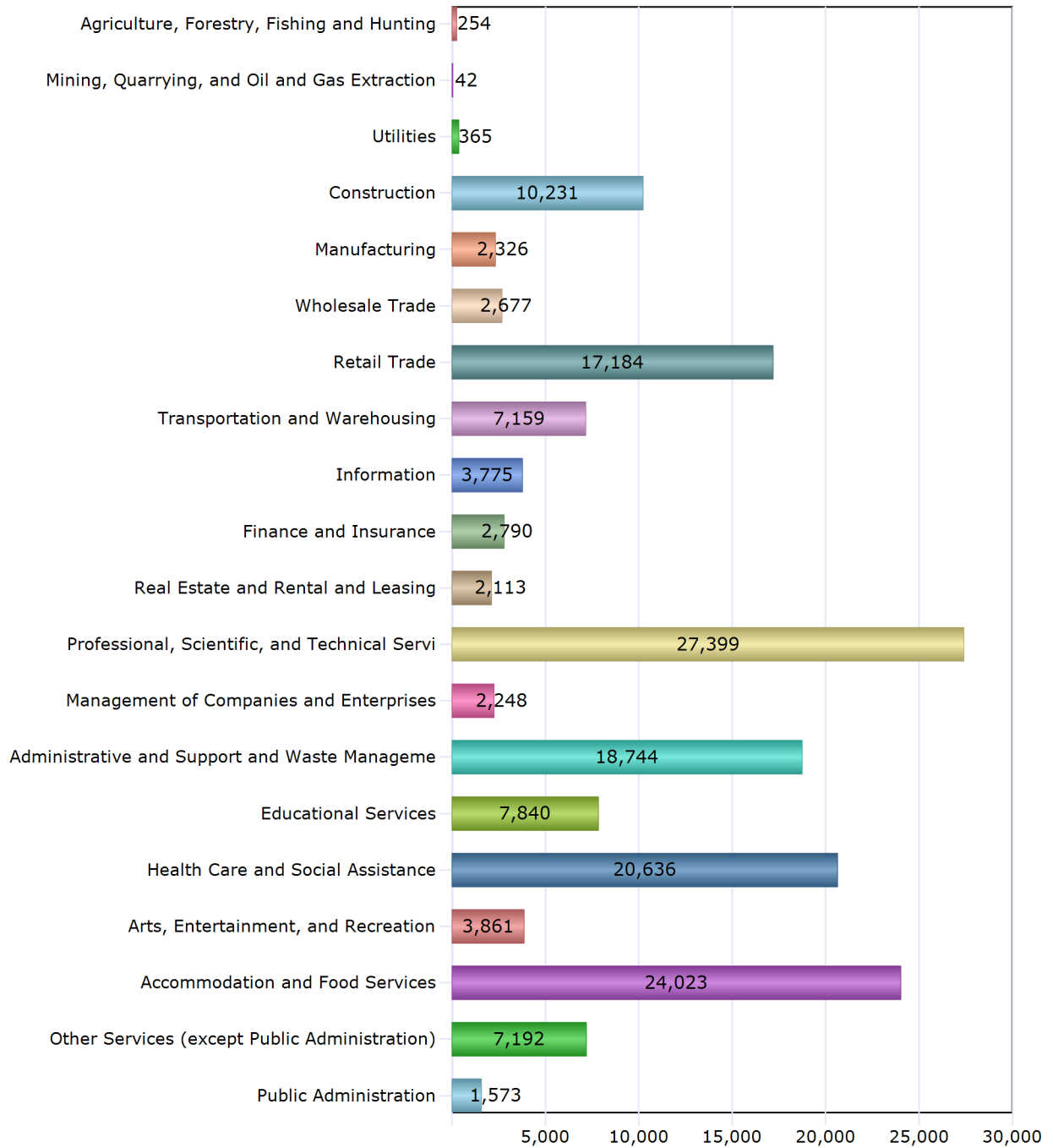


	Northern Virginia MSA	Virginia
3rd Qtr. 2022	915	4,839
4th Qtr. 2022	1,009	4,162
1st Qtr. 2023	1,349	5,320
2nd Qtr. 2023	1,132	4,835
3rd Qtr. 2023	1,120	4,472
4th Qtr. 2023	1,163	4,454
1st Qtr. 2024	1,483	5,789
2nd Qtr. 2024	1,125	4,468
3rd Qtr. 2024	1,150	4,555
4th Qtr. 2024	1,139	4,203
1st Qtr. 2025	1,284	5,093
2nd Qtr. 2025	1,042	4,378
3rd Qtr. 2025	1,002	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.

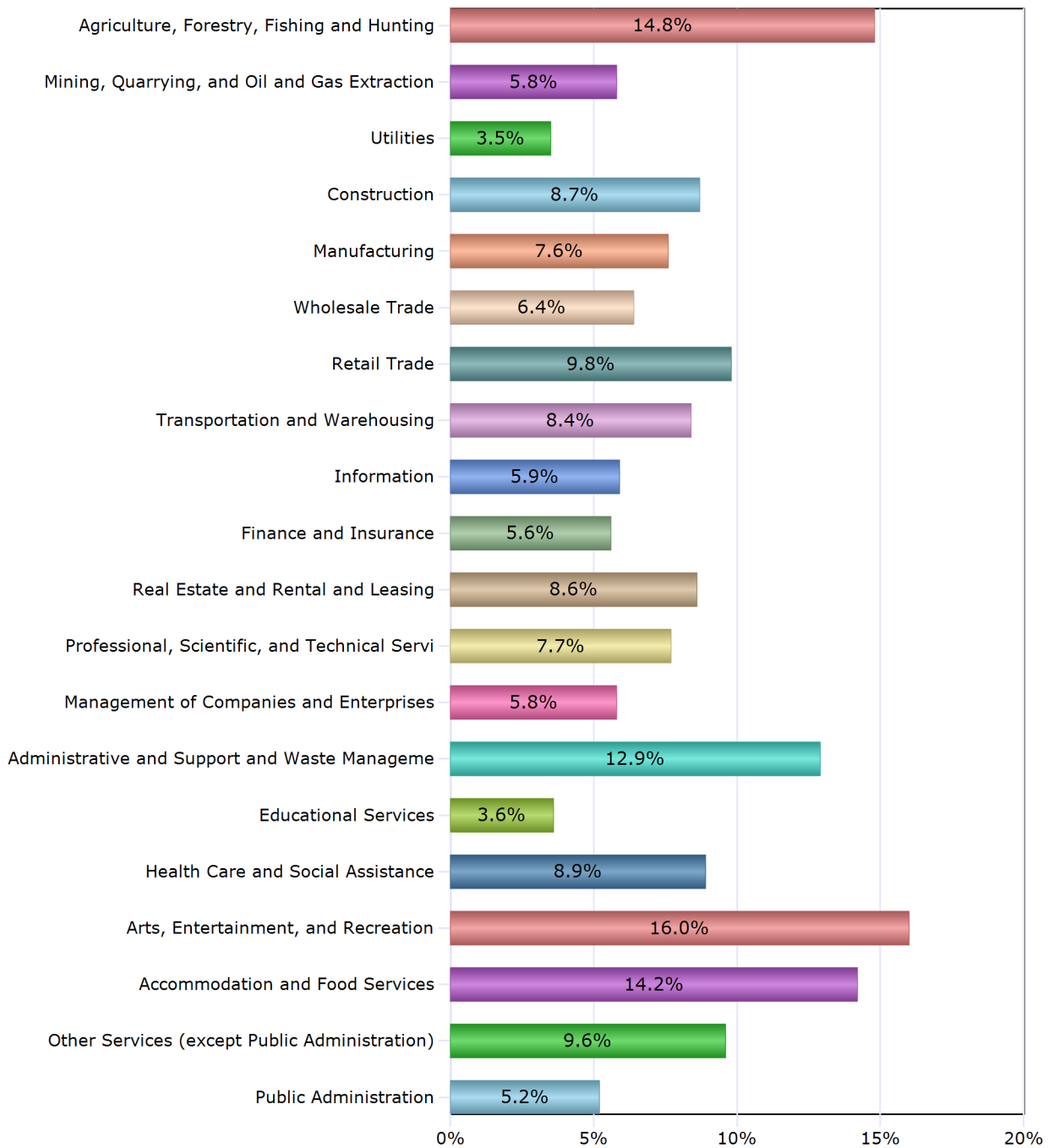
New Hires by Industry



Total: 162,432

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

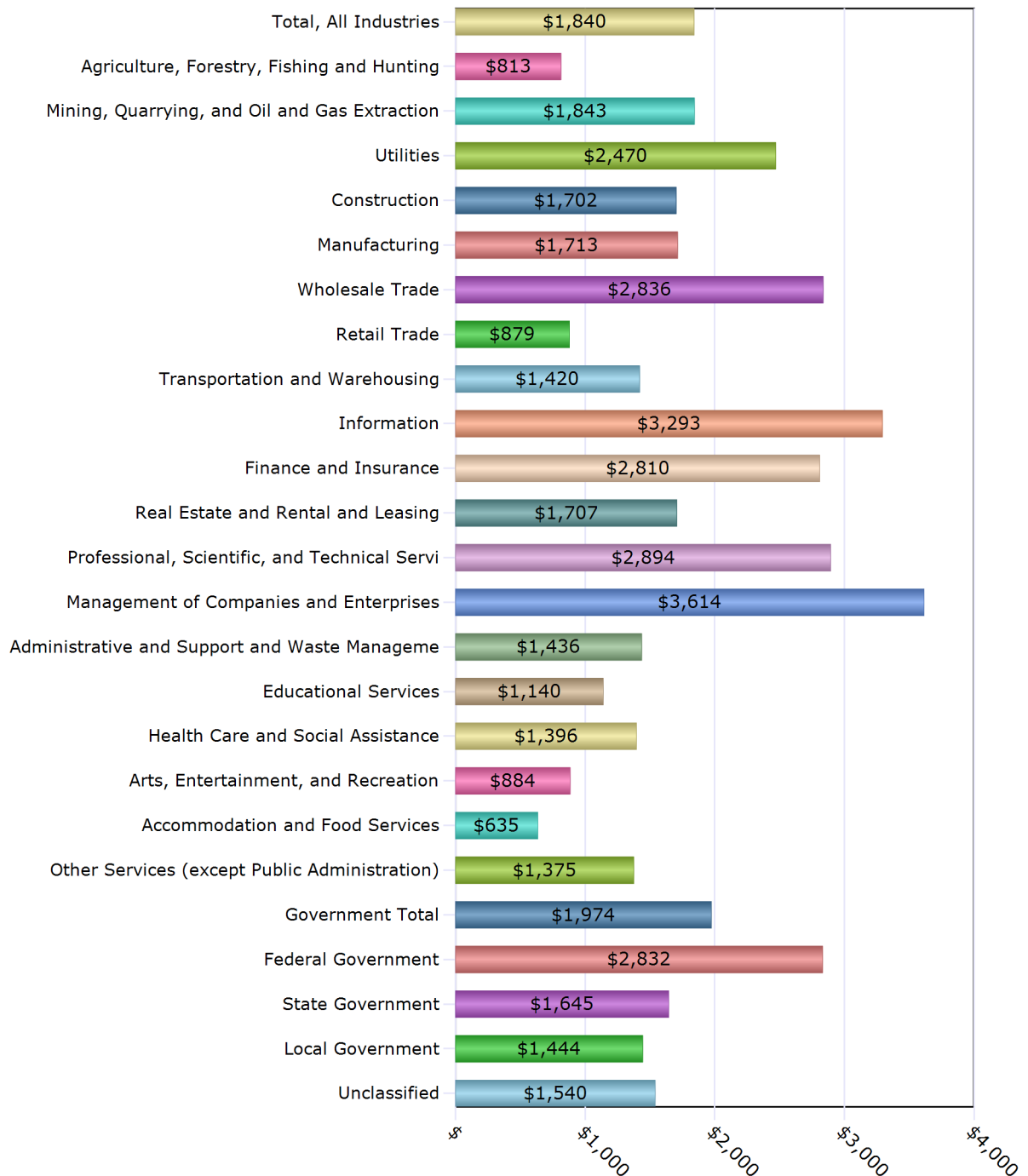
Turnover by Industry



Average: 8.5%

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	33,513	53,447	76,688	317,058	330,553	306,716	244,681	107,181
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	68	96	101	350	319	314	298	204
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction		11	31	138	132	129	139	56
Utilities	15	68	176	1,207	1,446	1,189	992	268
Construction	597	2,504	4,151	16,929	18,660	17,942	15,089	6,790
Manufacturing	534	777	1,199	5,432	5,679	5,609	5,525	2,285
Wholesale Trade	95	469	1,083	7,211	8,445	8,092	6,487	2,296
Retail Trade	8,492	14,680	11,760	28,500	24,116	22,083	21,040	11,769
Transportation and Warehousing	268	1,838	3,085	11,887	11,956	11,176	10,085	3,425
Information	416	604	1,763	11,478	12,088	10,869	7,582	2,278
Finance and Insurance	61	363	2,039	11,786	13,838	12,562	8,546	2,447
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	200	469	936	4,785	5,321	4,907	4,336	1,963
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	778	2,562	13,199	77,699	79,598	70,008	52,321	19,736
Management of Companies and Enterprises	254	567	1,661	9,169	9,446	7,495	5,489	1,733
Administrative and Support and Waste Management	724	2,760	5,412	23,231	23,200	21,022	16,913	8,967
Educational Services	1,807	2,405	4,770	21,696	30,282	34,841	26,578	10,364
Health Care and Social Assistance	1,788	5,285	9,583	37,821	39,763	35,353	28,042	11,816
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	2,487	2,115	1,997	5,574	4,415	3,802	2,885	1,683
Accommodation and Food Services	13,262	12,845	9,425	23,086	20,921	18,496	14,407	10,787
Other Services (except Public Administration)	1,077	2,362	3,074	12,518	12,836	13,053	11,466	5,626
Public Administration	587	667	1,244	6,560	8,091	7,774	6,459	2,688

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	Replace-ments	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 Washington-Arlington-Alexandria 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

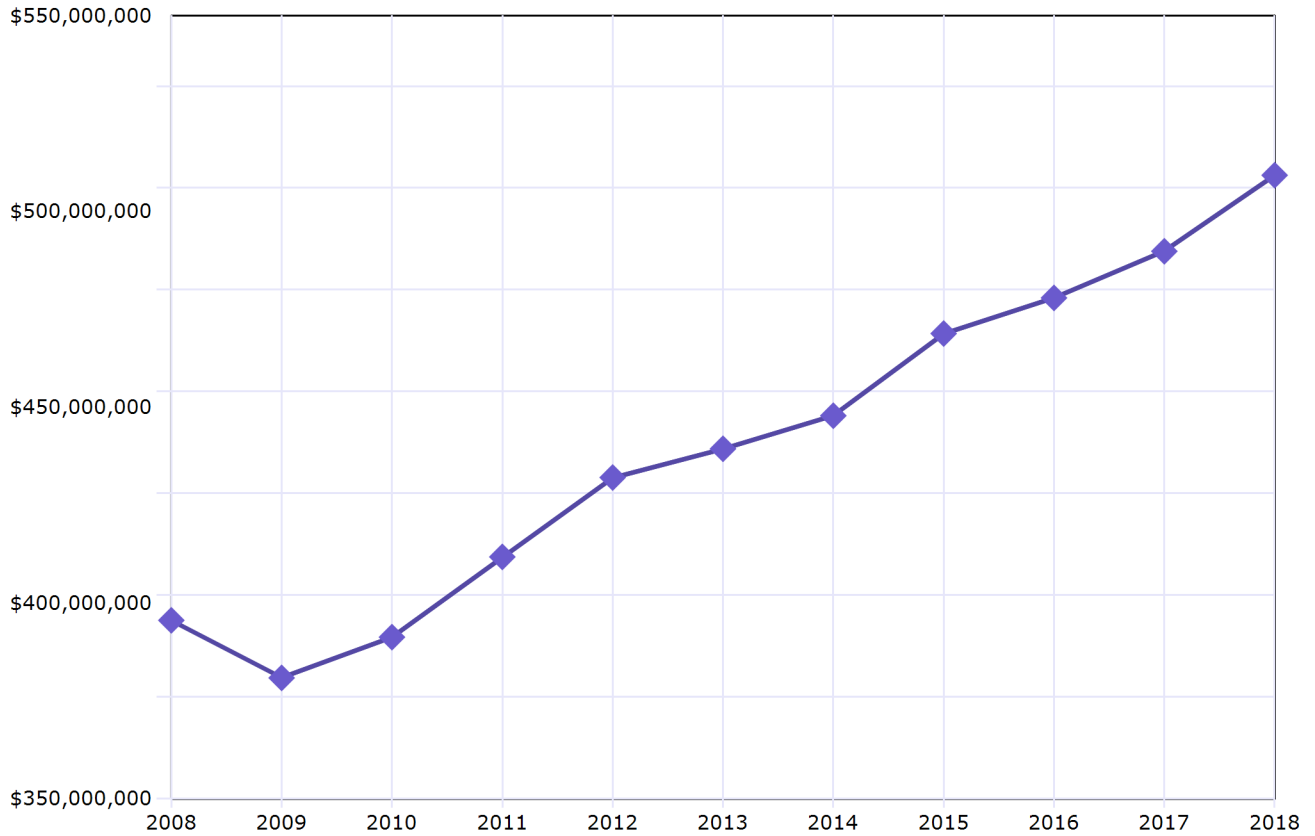
Note: CPI data is for the United States only. No data available for Washington-Arlington-Alexandria MSA (VA Part).

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.

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Trends



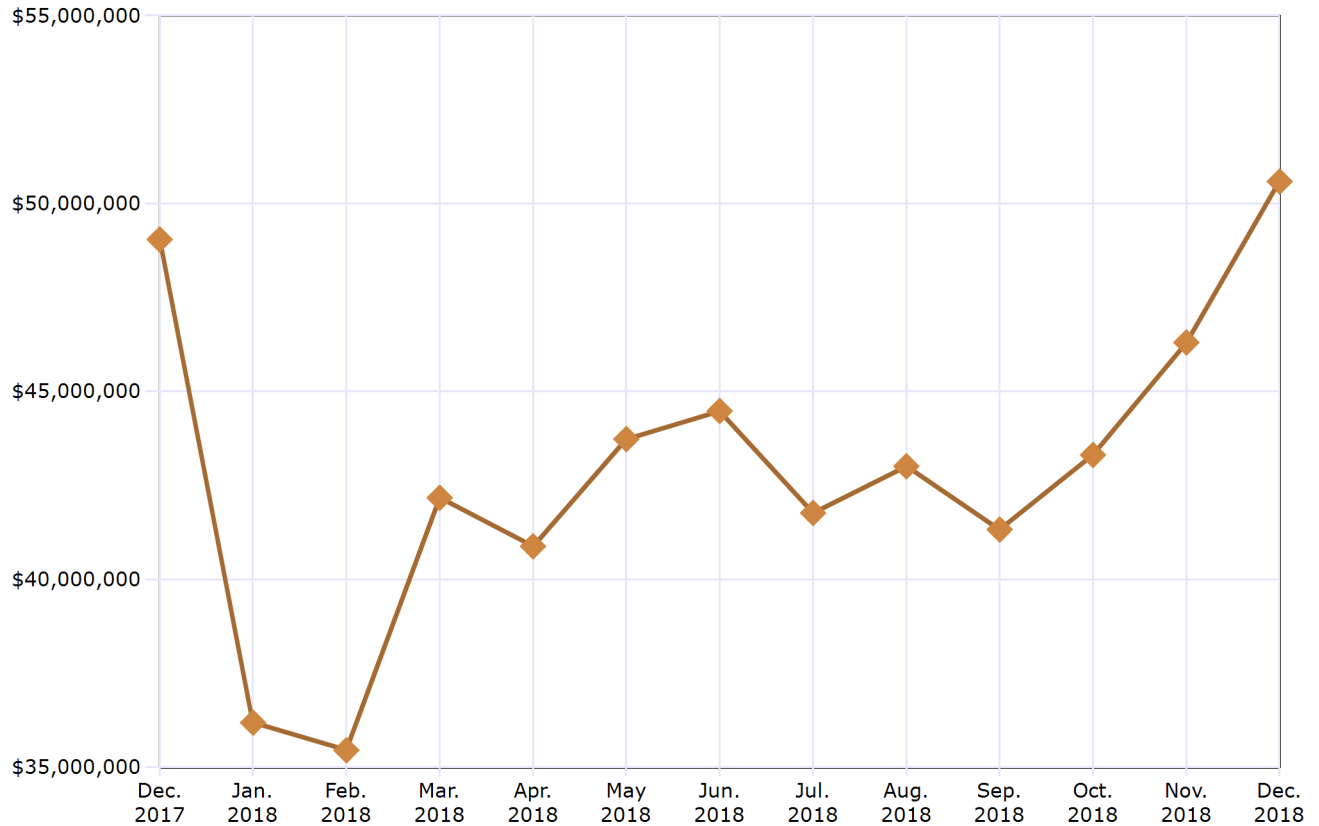
	Northern Virginia MSA	Virginia
2008	\$395,569,077	\$1,032,815,078
2009	\$380,867,880	\$979,594,664
2010	\$391,277,254	\$992,820,512
2011	\$411,774,548	\$1,035,981,229
2012	\$432,043,939	\$1,080,663,042
2013	\$439,379,841	\$1,093,292,668
2014	\$447,825,904	\$1,131,194,860
2015	\$468,815,296	\$1,179,611,271
2016	\$477,916,616	\$1,202,257,995
2017	\$489,827,594	\$1,232,981,515
2018	\$509,247,622	\$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



	Northern Virginia MSA	Virginia
Dec. 2017	\$49,047,023	\$123,193,863
Jan. 2018	\$36,191,738	\$90,794,207
Feb. 2018	\$35,457,892	\$90,576,093
Mar. 2018	\$42,174,616	\$107,834,402
Apr. 2018	\$40,883,696	\$102,372,977
May 2018	\$43,735,578	\$110,211,496
Jun. 2018	\$44,483,106	\$112,529,037
Jul. 2018	\$41,770,935	\$107,211,401
Aug. 2018	\$43,011,928	\$109,428,585
Sep. 2018	\$41,329,542	\$105,468,340
Oct. 2018	\$43,313,610	\$107,742,243
Nov. 2018	\$46,306,491	\$112,348,128
Dec. 2018	\$50,588,490	\$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.

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IV. Education Profile

Overview

The Education Profile for Washington-Arlington-Alexandria 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

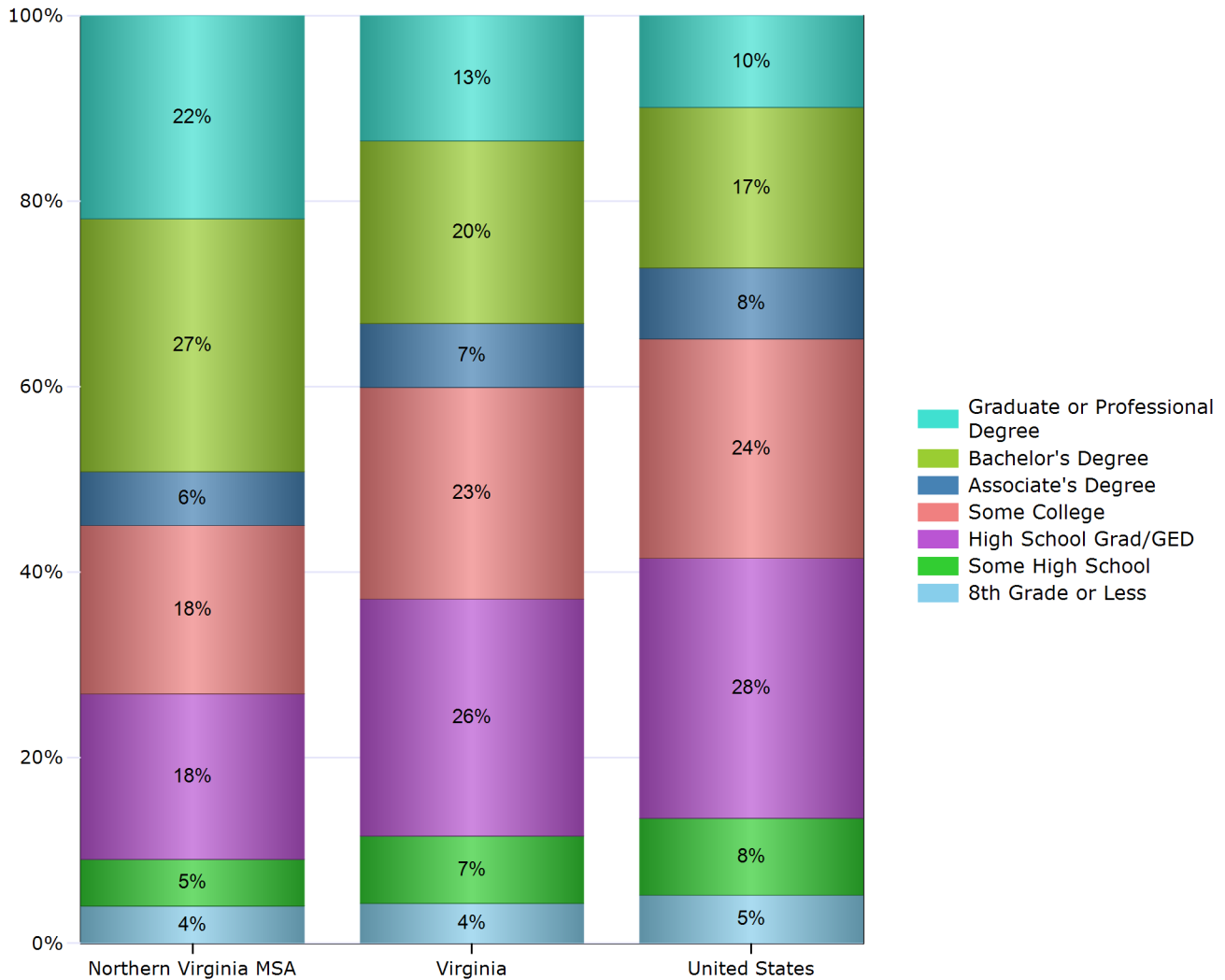
The highest award a student can earn for graduate study.

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

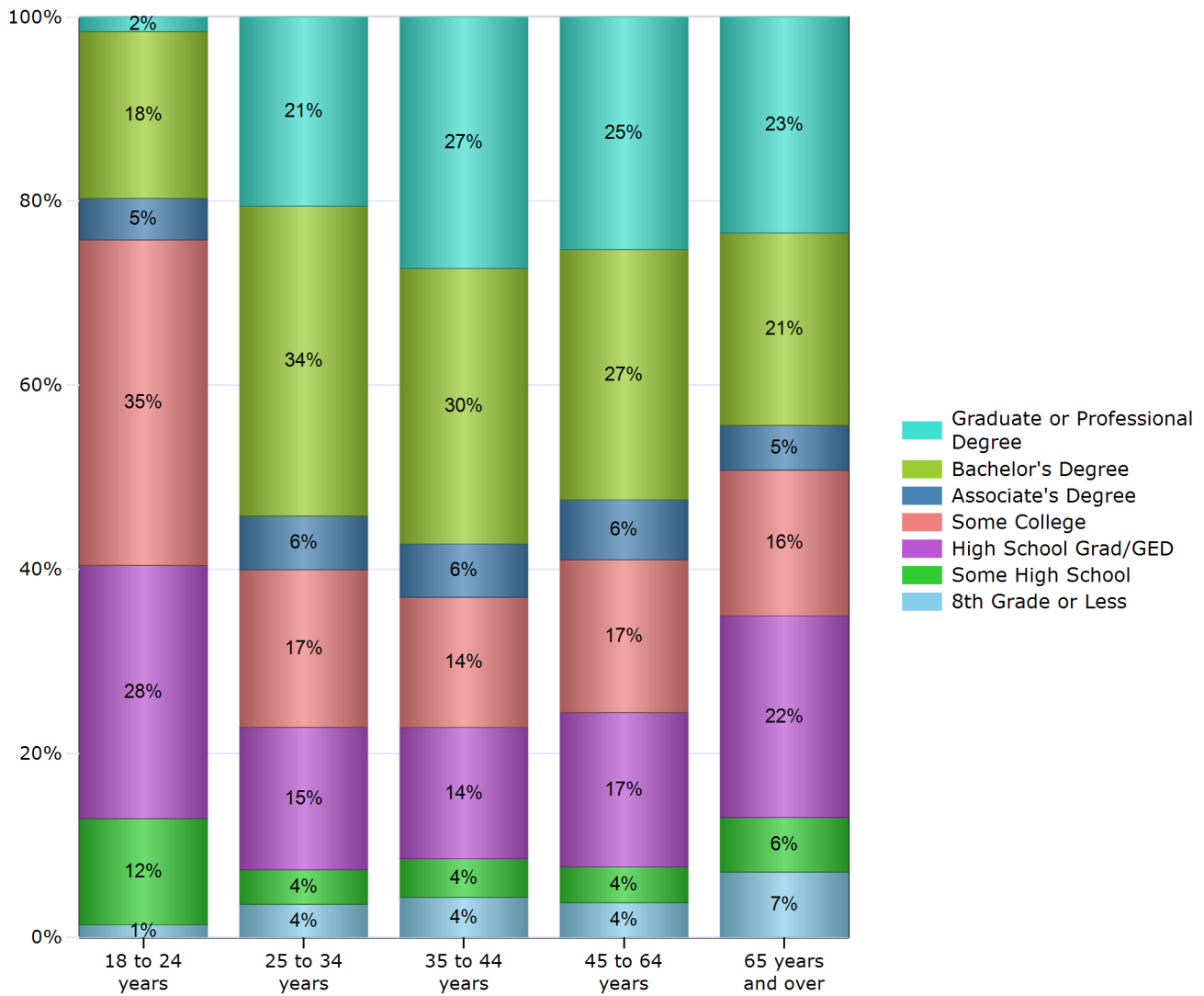
(Population 18 years and over)



	Northern Virginia MSA	Virginia	United States
8th Grade or Less	86,541	275,329	12,639,425
Some High School	107,711	464,075	20,093,117
High School Grad/GED	383,618	1,633,105	68,044,371
Some College	389,796	1,457,887	57,431,237
Associate's Degree	124,232	440,219	18,586,866
Bachelor's Degree	585,566	1,258,661	42,027,629
Graduate or Professional Degree	470,292	862,686	24,008,551
	2,147,756	6,391,962	242,831,196

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

Educational Attainment by Age

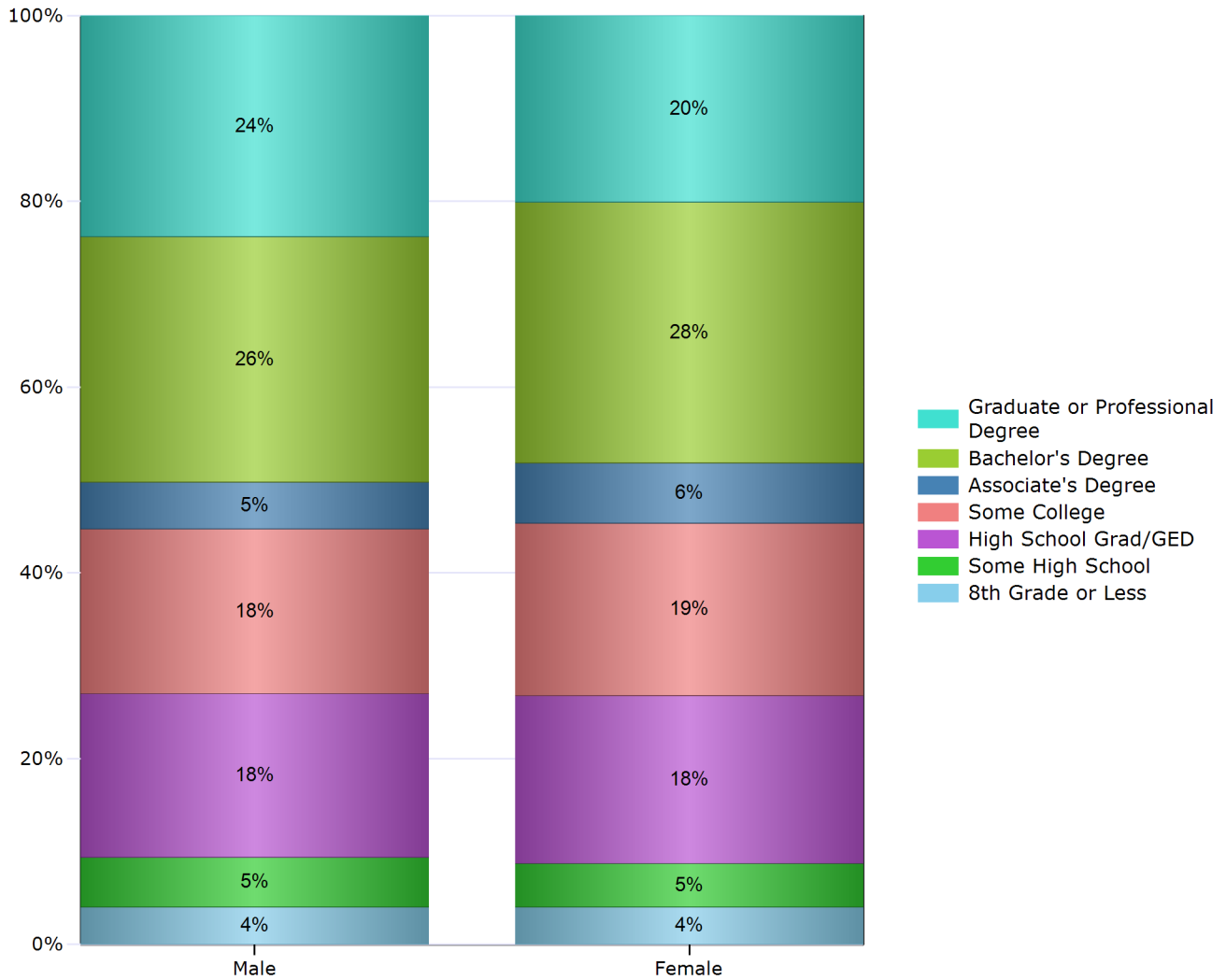


	18 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 64	65+	Total
8th Grade or Less	3,210	15,835	19,012	28,197	20,287	86,541
Some High School	26,878	16,552	18,242	29,121	16,918	107,711
High School Grad/GED	64,225	68,438	62,356	125,942	62,657	383,618
Some College	82,521	75,615	61,772	124,668	45,220	389,796
Associate's Degree	10,510	25,783	25,276	48,741	13,922	124,232
Bachelor's Degree	42,246	148,718	130,789	204,082	59,731	585,566
Graduate or Professional Degree	3,700	90,686	119,252	189,594	67,060	470,292
	233,290	441,627	436,699	750,345	285,795	2,147,756

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

Educational Attainment by Gender

(Population 18 years and over)

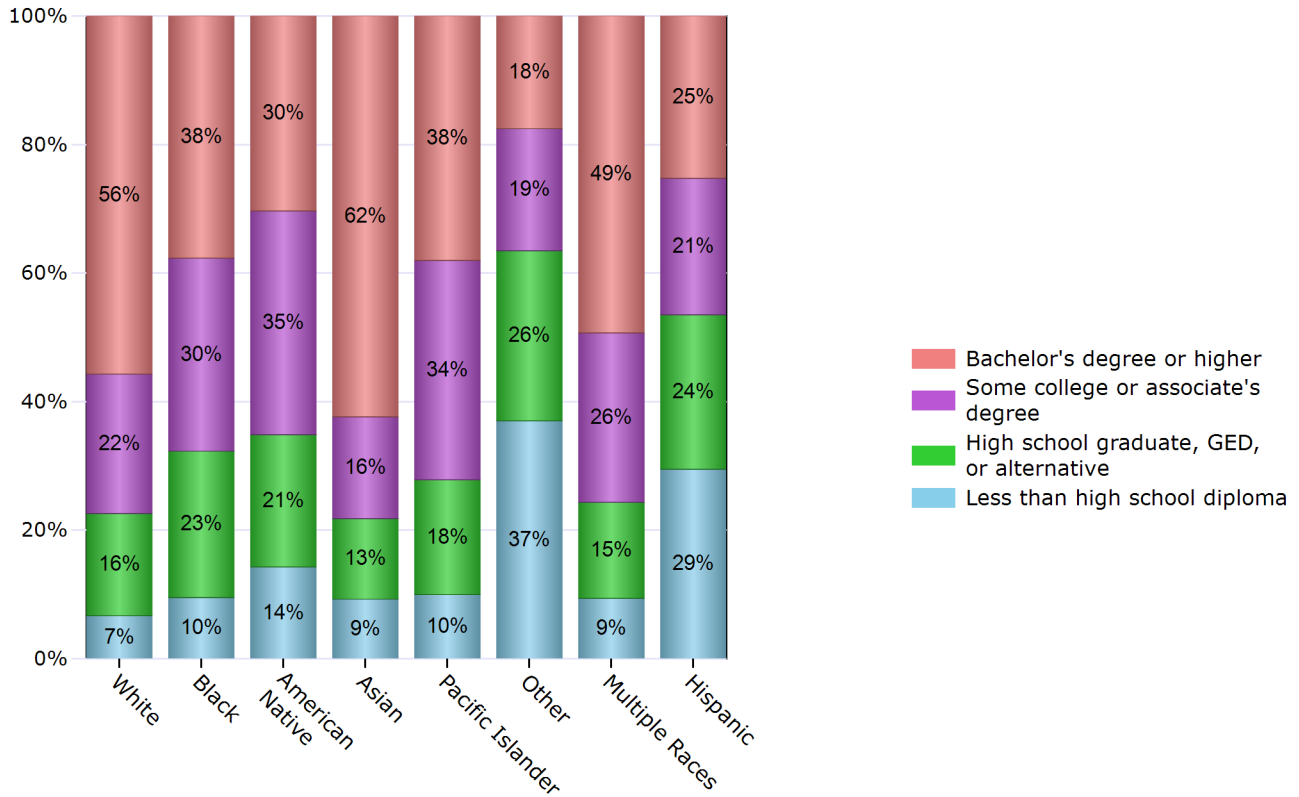


	Male	Female	Total
8th Grade or Less	42,456	44,085	86,541
Some High School	56,295	51,416	107,711
High School Grad/GED	185,774	197,844	383,618
Some College	186,665	203,131	389,796
Associate's Degree	53,158	71,074	124,232
Bachelor's Degree	278,266	307,300	585,566
Graduate or Professional Degree	250,568	219,724	470,292
	1,053,182	1,094,574	2,147,756

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

Educational Attainment by Race/Ethnicity

(Population 25 years and over)



	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	88,045	209,714	285,451	733,486	1,316,696
Black or African American	21,508	51,390	67,820	84,996	225,714
American Indian or Alaska Native	714	1,029	1,738	1,516	4,997
Asian	22,568	30,473	38,471	151,557	243,069
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	145	260	496	553	1,454
Other	26,353	18,848	13,500	12,497	71,198
Multiple Races	4,831	7,679	13,521	25,307	51,338
Ethnicity					
Not Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	76,357	62,181	54,960	65,367	258,865
	240,521	381,574	475,957	1,075,279	2,173,331

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

Graduate Data Trends

Washington-Arlington-Alexandria 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	905	1051	3257		4908	376	3075	10	172	207
2007	809	1113	3419	0	5168	334	3157	9	209	206
2008	410	457	3162		3608	344	2680	8	175	216
2009	1,600	921	3769	1	5349	378	3966	11	194	228
2010	2,206	1178	5092	44	7444	484	5369	11	168	323
2011	1,550	2882	6335	103	8338	630	5786	11	270	250
2012	2,162	3176	7056	140	8840	637	5407	6	286	307
2013	1,936	2682	7334	79	9235	433	5801	3	338	340
2016	1,363	2350	6643	45	9087	581	5786	3	427	204

Note: This table only reflects degrees completed from institutions within Washington-Arlington-Alexandria 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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Fairfax, VA 22030

Phone: (703) 993-1000

<http://https://www2.gmu.edu/>

Number of 2016 graduates: 9,044

Argosy University-Washington DC Campus

1550 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 600

Arlington, VA 22209

Phone: (703) 526-5800

<http://www.argosy.edu/washingtondc>

Number of 2016 graduates: 200

Northern Virginia Community College

4001 Wakefield Chapel Rd

Annandale, VA 22003

Phone: (703) 323-3000

<http://www.nvcc.edu>

Number of 2016 graduates: 7,752

The Art Institute of Washington

1820 N Fort Myer Dr

Arlington, VA 22209

Phone: (703) 358-9550

<http://www.artinstitutes.edu/arlington>

Number of 2016 graduates: 189

University of Mary Washington

1301 College Ave

Fredericksburg, VA 22401

Phone: (540) 654-1000

<http://www.umw.edu>

Number of 2016 graduates: 1,271

Alexandria Cet

6295 Edsall Rd, Plaza 500, Ste. 220

Alexandria, VA 22312

Phone: (408) 287-7924

<http://cetweb.org>

Number of 2016 graduates: 127

Stratford University

3201 Jermantown Road, Suite 500

Fairfax, VA 22030

Phone: (703) 539-6890

<http://www.stratford.edu>

Number of 2016 graduates: 1,081

Career Training Solutions

10304 Spotsylvania Ave, Suite 400

Fredericksburg, VA 22408

Phone: (540) 373-2200 ext. 221

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Number of 2016 graduates: 119

Marymount University

2807 N Glebe Rd
Arlington, VA 22207

Phone: (703) 522-5600

<http://www.marymount.edu>

Number of 2016 graduates: 1,052

Graham Webb Int'l Academy of Hair

1621 N. Kent St, Suite 1617 LI Ross
Arlington, VA 22209

Phone: (800) 869-9322 ext. 100

<http://www.grahamwebbacademy.edu>

Number of 2016 graduates: 66

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