



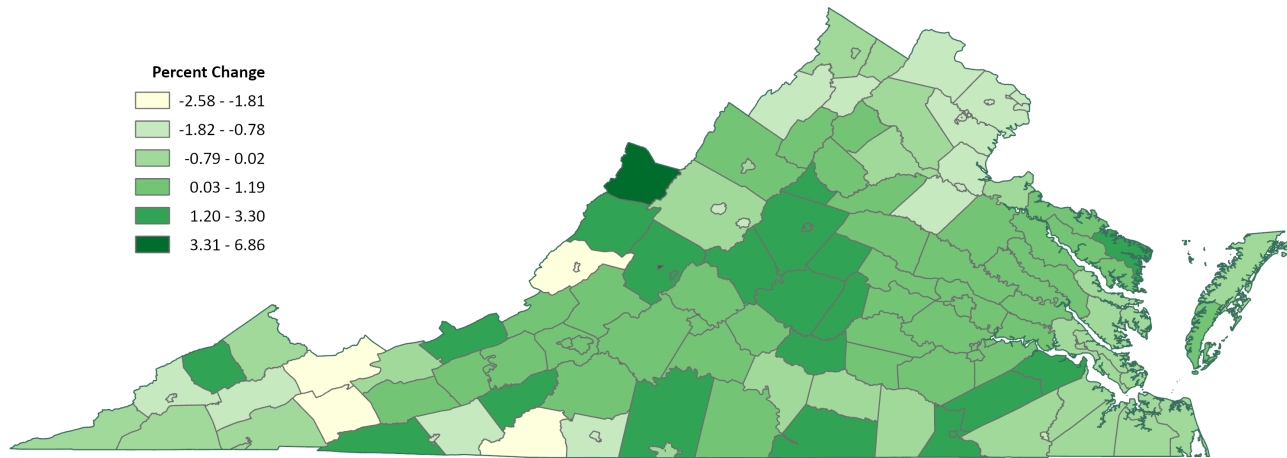
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Virginia Snapshot

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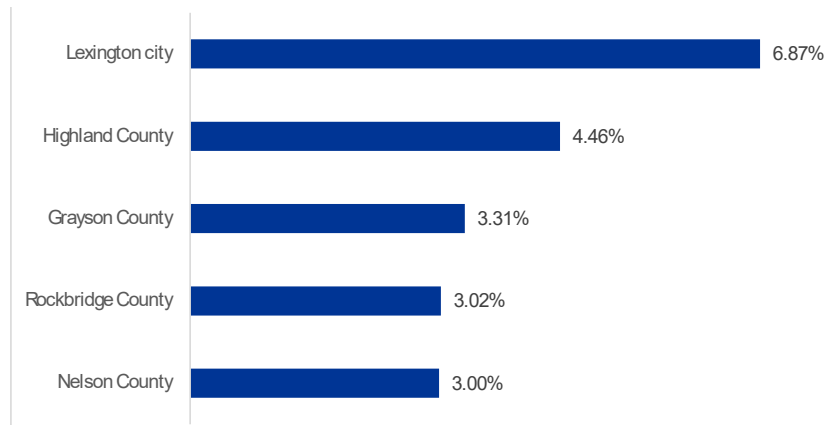
Employment Growth Rate

Percent Change from August 2023 to August 2024
(not seasonally adjusted)



Top 5 Counties and Cities by Employment Growth Rate

Percent Change from August 2023 to August 2024
(not seasonally adjusted)



Virginia Employment - August 2024 (seasonally adjusted)

Virginia Unemployment Rate (August 2023 - August 2024 percentage point)	2.8% (0.1)
Civilian Labor Force (August 2023 - August 2024 percent change)	4,568,536 (0.3%)
Labor Force Participation Rate (August 2023 - August 2024 percentage point)	66.0% (-0.3)
Total Nonfarm Employment (August 2023 - August 2024 percent change)	4,241,100 (1.5%)
Employment (August 2023 - August 2024 percent change)	4,440,411 (0.2%)
Unemployment (August 2023 - August 2024 percent change)	128,125 (2.5%)
Number of Establishments, 1st Quarter 2024 (1st Quarter 2023 - 1st Quarter 2024 percent change)	313,240 (0.8%)
Average Weekly Wage, 1st Quarter 2024 (1st Quarter 2023 - 1st Quarter 2024 percent change)	\$1,554 (5.1%)

August 2024 Unemployment Rates by MSA (Percent - not seasonally adjusted) (August 2023 - August 2024 percentage point)

Virginia	3.5 (0.3)
Blacksburg-Christiansburg-Radford MSA	3.9 (0.5)
Bristol MSA (VA part)	3.7 (0.3)
Charlottesville MSA	3.2 (0.2)
Harrisonburg MSA	3.8 (0.3)
Lynchburg MSA	4.1 (0.2)
Northern VA MSA (VA part)	3.1 (0.3)
Richmond MSA	3.6 (0.2)
Roanoke MSA	3.5 (0.3)
Staunton-Waynesboro MSA	3.2 (0.4)
Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News, Virginia/NC MSA (VA part)	3.7 (0.3)
Winchester, Virginia/WV MSA (VA part)	3.1 (0.2)