

| Establishment data from the Current Employment Statistics program | Year | Richmond, Va. MSA not seasonally adjusted data | | | | | | | | | | | | Annual Avg |
|--|------|---|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------------|
| | | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec | |
| Total nonfarm (000) | 2007 | 624.3 | 627.8 | 630.2 | 630.7 | 634.5 | 641.0 | 631.7 | 632.6 | 633.1 | 636.9 | 638.3 | 639.9 | 633.4 |
| | 2008 | 628.8 | 629.7 | 634.6 | 637.4 | 640.5 | 645.4 | 636.6 | 634.9 | 634.7 | | | | |
| Natural resources, mining and construction | 2007 | 44.8 | 44.7 | 45.3 | 46.1 | 46.9 | 47.6 | 47.5 | 47.8 | 47.6 | 47.8 | 47.4 | 47.3 | 46.7 |
| | 2008 | 46.2 | 46.0 | 46.2 | 47.0 | 47.3 | 47.6 | 47.8 | 47.5 | 47.1 | | | | |
| Manufacturing | 2007 | 42.6 | 42.4 | 42.5 | 42.4 | 42.4 | 42.7 | 42.4 | 42.3 | 42.0 | 41.7 | 41.8 | 41.9 | 42.3 |
| | 2008 | 41.3 | 41.1 | 41.1 | 41.1 | 41.0 | 41.0 | 40.7 | 40.7 | 40.7 | | | | |
| Trade, transportation, and utilities | 2007 | 117.0 | 116.0 | 116.8 | 116.3 | 117.6 | 118.4 | 118.3 | 118.4 | 118.3 | 119.9 | 121.2 | 122.5 | 118.4 |
| | 2008 | 119.1 | 117.3 | 117.7 | 118.0 | 118.2 | 118.8 | 118.4 | 118.5 | 117.4 | | | | |
| Information | 2007 | 11.6 | 11.6 | 11.5 | 11.7 | 11.9 | 11.8 | 11.4 | 11.3 | 11.2 | 11.0 | 11.0 | 11.1 | 11.4 |
| | 2008 | 10.9 | 11.0 | 10.9 | 10.7 | 11.0 | 10.8 | 10.8 | 10.7 | 10.5 | | | | |
| Financial activities | 2007 | 45.7 | 45.6 | 45.9 | 45.8 | 45.9 | 46.3 | 46.2 | 46.1 | 45.6 | 45.7 | 45.7 | 45.8 | 45.9 |
| | 2008 | 45.5 | 45.3 | 45.4 | 45.1 | 45.4 | 45.7 | 45.6 | 45.6 | 45.0 | | | | |
| Professional and business services | 2007 | 97.0 | 97.7 | 98.8 | 98.6 | 98.1 | 99.4 | 98.8 | 99.3 | 99.0 | 99.7 | 99.3 | 99.8 | 98.8 |
| | 2008 | 97.7 | 98.0 | 98.7 | 98.4 | 98.4 | 99.5 | 99.5 | 99.5 | 98.7 | | | | |
| Education and health services | 2007 | 71.9 | 74.3 | 72.9 | 72.0 | 71.9 | 71.8 | 68.9 | 68.9 | 72.1 | 72.9 | 73.8 | 73.3 | 72.1 |
| | 2008 | 72.2 | 73.4 | 74.1 | 74.2 | 74.1 | 74.0 | 71.0 | 71.1 | 73.8 | | | | |
| Leisure and hospitality | 2007 | 48.6 | 49.1 | 50.7 | 51.6 | 53.8 | 56.3 | 55.9 | 55.4 | 53.1 | 51.9 | 50.6 | 50.5 | 52.3 |
| | 2008 | 49.0 | 49.5 | 51.7 | 53.3 | 55.5 | 57.8 | 57.2 | 56.7 | 54.6 | | | | |
| Other services | 2007 | 29.8 | 29.9 | 30.3 | 31.2 | 31.2 | 31.5 | 32.1 | 32.6 | 31.2 | 30.8 | 30.8 | 30.7 | 31.0 |
| | 2008 | 30.3 | 30.6 | 30.8 | 31.3 | 31.5 | 31.8 | 32.2 | 32.2 | 31.8 | | | | |
| Government | 2007 | 115.3 | 116.5 | 115.5 | 116.0 | 114.8 | 115.2 | 110.2 | 110.5 | 113.0 | 115.5 | 116.7 | 117.0 | 114.7 |
| | 2008 | 116.6 | 117.5 | 118.0 | 118.3 | 118.1 | 118.4 | 113.4 | 112.4 | 115.1 | | | | |

Labor Force data from the Local Area Unemployment Statistics program

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|--------------------------|------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------------|
| Labor Force | 2007 | 635993 | 638687 | 639558 | 637169 | 639825 | 646129 | 650459 | 644580 | 641048 | 641671 | 642867 | 641874 | 641655 |
| | 2008 | 645233 | 644626 | 651437 | 650474 | 655105 | 659845 | 665872 | 657891 | 649619 | | | | |
| Employment | 2007 | 615325 | 618458 | 620697 | 619579 | 621667 | 625442 | 629706 | 623749 | 620875 | 621779 | 622418 | 620181 | 621656 |
| | 2008 | 619819 | 619251 | 625130 | 627739 | 628711 | 630485 | 634422 | 625209 | 620054 | | | | |
| Unemployment | 2007 | 20668 | 20229 | 18861 | 17590 | 18158 | 20687 | 20753 | 20831 | 20173 | 19892 | 20449 | 21693 | 19999 |
| | 2008 | 25414 | 25375 | 26307 | 22735 | 26394 | 29360 | 31450 | 32682 | 29565 | | | | |
| Unemployment Rate | 2007 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 2.9 | 2.8 | 2.8 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 3.4 | 3.1 |
| | 2008 | 3.9 | 3.9 | 4.0 | 3.5 | 4.0 | 4.4 | 4.7 | 5.0 | 4.6 | | | | |

Data for the most recent month for the Current Employment Statistics program are preliminary.

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The Richmond, Va. Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA) includes Amelia, Caroline, Charles City, Chesterfield, Cumberland, Dinwiddie, Goochland, Hanover, Henrico, King and Queen, King William, Louisa, New Kent, Powhatan, Prince George, and Sussex Counties and Colonial Heights, Hopewell, Petersburg, and Richmond Cities in Virginia.