

Largest Employment Shares in Appalachian Virginia



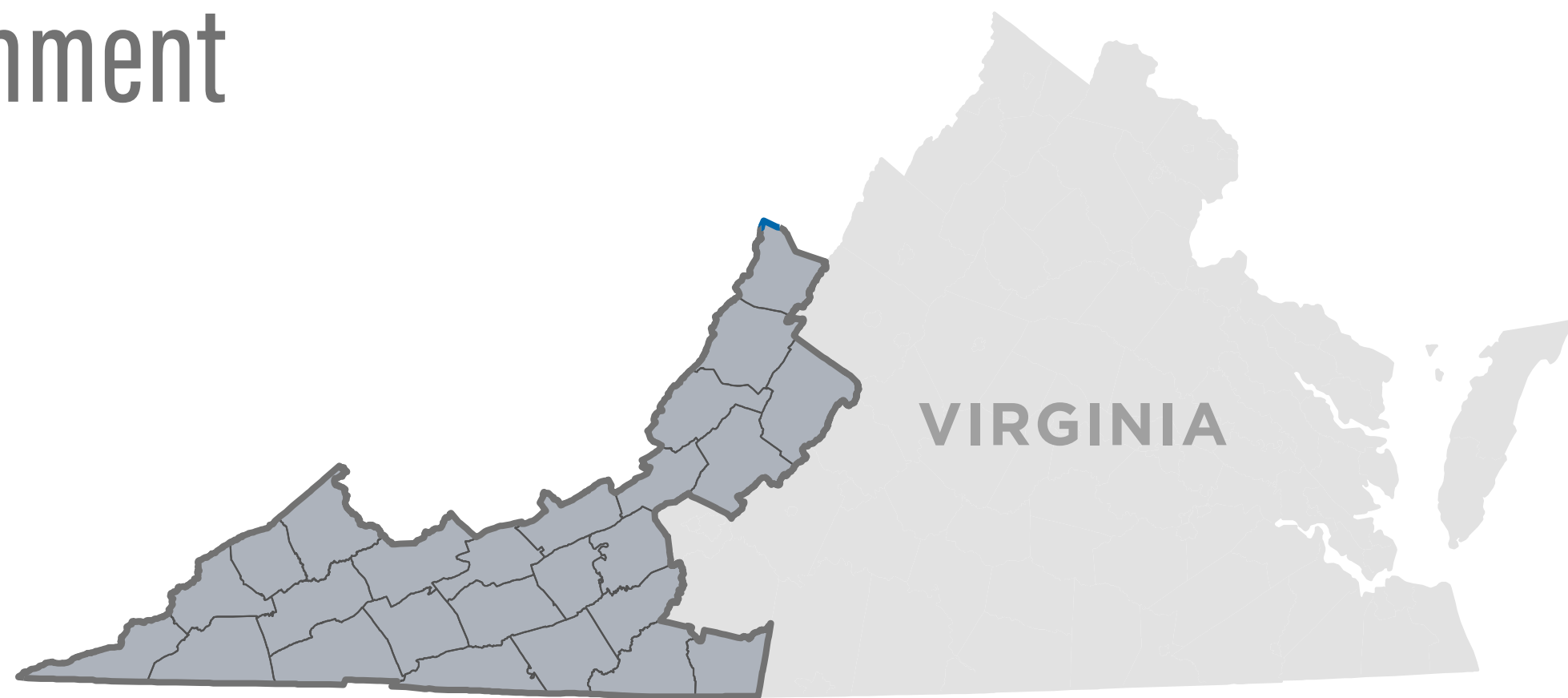
State & Local Government



Retail Trade



Manufacturing



Industrial snapshot: Appalachian Virginia

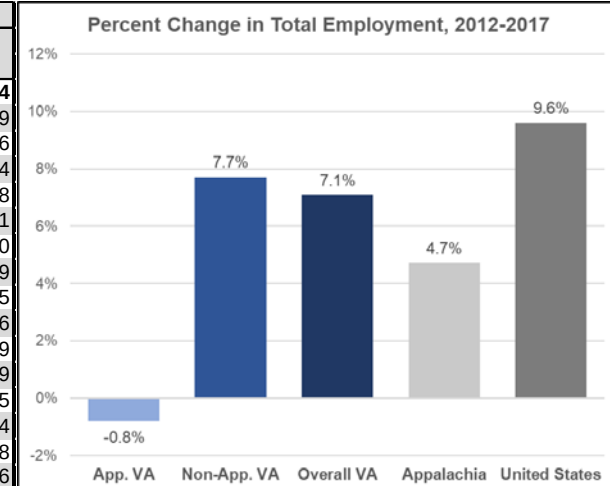
Largest industrial share in 2017: **State & Local Government**, 60,000 jobs, 16.9 percent of total employment

Fastest growth in employment from 2012 to 2017: **Retail Trade**, 5 percent growth

Fastest growth in earnings per employee from 2012 to 2017: **Education & Information Services**, 22 percent growth

2017	Employment (thousands)					Industrial Share					Earnings per employee				
	Virginia			App.	U.S.	Virginia			App.	U.S.	Virginia			App.	U.S.
	App.	Non-App.	Total			App.	Non-App.	Total			App.	Non-App.	Total		
Total Employment	357	4,843	5,200	13,420	196,132	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	\$39,266	\$59,982	\$58,561	\$46,697	\$57,187
State & Local Government	60	484	544	1,488	19,619	16.9	10.0	10.5	11.1	10.0	\$54,730	\$64,549	\$63,461	\$58,113	\$69,677
Retail Trade	42	458	500	1,493	19,222	11.7	9.5	9.6	11.1	9.8	\$11,601	\$18,636	\$18,046	\$17,906	\$22,477
Manufacturing	42	209	251	1,342	13,307	11.6	4.3	4.8	10.0	6.8	\$57,811	\$68,402	\$66,646	\$63,583	\$77,469
Professional, Technical Services	35	909	943	1,619	28,479	9.7	18.8	18.1	12.1	14.5	\$28,121	\$75,670	\$73,917	\$43,107	\$61,372
Health, Social Services	35	463	498	1,562	22,199	9.7	9.6	9.6	11.6	11.3	\$44,797	\$57,570	\$56,680	\$53,807	\$56,340
Food, Lodging, Entertainment	30	451	481	1,240	19,155	8.4	9.3	9.3	9.2	9.8	\$19,945	\$24,176	\$23,911	\$21,308	\$27,685
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate	22	439	461	1,040	19,616	6.2	9.1	8.9	7.8	10.0	\$20,850	\$49,582	\$48,206	\$37,716	\$60,386
Personal & Other Services	21	290	310	793	11,170	5.8	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.7	\$30,875	\$38,593	\$38,080	\$32,180	\$36,353
Wholesale Trade, Transportation	17	292	309	874	14,148	4.9	6.0	6.0	6.5	7.2	\$84,568	\$81,743	\$81,902	\$80,686	\$83,878
Construction	17	271	289	775	10,636	4.8	5.6	5.6	5.8	5.4	\$41,839	\$60,313	\$59,209	\$53,773	\$64,788
Farming, Forestry	17	46	63	325	3,552	4.8	0.9	1.2	2.4	1.8	-\$32	\$13,556	\$9,857	\$13,726	\$28,111
Education, Information Services	9	182	190	432	8,075	2.4	3.8	3.7	3.2	4.1	\$81,861	\$99,203	\$98,427	\$79,670	\$82,520
Coal, Gas, Other Mining	5	9	14	140	1,505	1.4	0.2	0.3	1.0	0.8	\$66,434	\$10,443	\$31,164	\$48,966	\$67,769
Federal Government, Military	5	330	335	241	4,786	1.3	6.8	6.4	1.8	2.4	\$60,668	\$111,264	\$110,539	\$78,938	\$91,808
Utilities	1	12	13	57	664	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.3	\$92,676	\$127,335	\$124,724	\$109,314	\$125,893

2012-2017	Percent change in employment					Percent change in earnings per employee				
	Virginia			App.	U.S.	Virginia			App.	U.S.
	App.	Non-App.	Total			App.	Non-App.	Total		
Total Employment	-0.8	7.7	7.1	4.7	9.6	-1.6	0.3	0.4	3.7	3.4
State & Local Government	1.7	1.3	1.4	-0.7	2.3	11.5	11.6	11.6	6.8	7.9
Retail Trade	-0.9	4.3	3.8	2.5	6.4	3.3	14.8	14.3	22.4	15.6
Manufacturing	0.4	3.5	3.0	5.5	5.6	0.4	-2.6	-2.1	3.4	1.4
Professional, Technical Services	5.0	7.9	7.8	7.1	12.0	-17.9	-3.0	-3.2	9.3	7.8
Health, Social Services	0.6	11.0	10.2	5.3	10.5	2.5	4.1	4.1	4.7	4.1
Food, Lodging, Entertainment	0.0	13.7	12.8	11.6	15.1	4.1	5.6	5.6	6.2	8.0
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate	3.5	11.7	11.3	8.6	11.7	-11.1	-7.9	-7.8	-2.5	2.9
Personal & Other Services	-2.0	8.2	7.5	3.7	7.7	-2.0	-1.0	-0.9	3.1	2.5
Wholesale Trade, Transportation	-3.8	20.0	18.3	6.2	16.8	1.2	-10.9	-10.2	-0.6	-5.6
Construction	-5.8	9.3	8.3	7.2	19.0	-4.3	3.2	3.1	3.5	7.9
Farming, Forestry	-2.1	-1.2	-1.4	0.7	1.3	-100.6	-28.3	-34.8	-6.2	-18.9
Education, Information Services	-6.5	4.1	3.6	2.4	8.7	22.0	13.1	13.6	4.4	6.5
Coal, Gas, Other Mining	-37.7	0.1	-18.2	-17.3	-2.7	-34.1	-64.6	-51.4	-23.3	-36.4
Federal Government, Military	-1.1	-0.2	-0.2	-3.9	-2.9	-0.9	2.4	2.4	3.4	2.8
Utilities	-0.4	14.7	13.4	11.0	14.9	2.9	-2.2	-1.6	0.3	-2.6



For more information, please see the complete report, **Industrial Make-up of the Appalachian Region, Employment and Earnings, 2002-2017**, available for download at www.arc.gov/research. The report includes county-level maps for each industry in the region, allowing for comparisons across states and subregions, as well discussion about how trends in the Region compare with those in the United States as a whole.

