

# Region at a glance

## Major highways

Highway	Type of Highway	4 Lane	6 Lane	8 Lane	Destinations
<b>Interstate 95</b>	Interstate			X	Provides service to the north-south corridor of the East Coast
<b>Interstate 85</b>	Interstate		X		Provides service to the north-south corridor of the East Coast
<b>Interstate 295</b>	Interstate		X		17 mile bypass facility connects the Gateway Region interstates and arterials
<b>Interstate 64</b>	Interstate			X	Major east-west corridor; provides access to Norfolk-Hampton Roads area to the east; with access available via Interstate 95 or Interstate 295
<b>U.S. 460</b>	U.S. highway	X			Major east-west corridor; provides access to Norfolk-Hampton Roads Area
<b>Route 288</b>	State highway		X		Major connector to U.S. 360 and U.S. 60

Source: VGR Research

## Population change

Population trends	2010	2000	Difference	% Change
<b>Virginia</b>	8,001,024	7,078,515	922,509	13.03%
<b>Chesterfield County</b>	316,236	259,903	56,333	21.67
<b>Colonial Heights</b>	17,411	16,897	514	3.04
<b>Dinwiddie</b>	28,001	24,533	3,468	14.14
<b>Hopewell</b>	22,591	22,354	237	1.06
<b>Prince George</b>	35,725	33,047	2,678	8.10
<b>Petersburg</b>	32,420	33,740	-1,320	-3.91
<b>Surry County</b>	7,058	6,829	229	3.35
<b>Sussex County</b>	12,087	12,504	-417	-3.33
<b>Total Population</b>	471,529	409,807	61,722	15.06

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2010

## Median household income

Community	Income
<b>Chesterfield</b>	\$70,055
<b>Colonial Heights</b>	47,614
<b>Dinwiddie</b>	49,595
<b>Hopewell</b>	35,815
<b>Petersburg</b>	31,926
<b>Prince George</b>	59,349
<b>Surry</b>	46,651
<b>Sussex</b>	37,684
<b>VGR*</b>	<b>63,578</b>
<b>Metro*</b>	57,382
<b>Virginia</b>	59,372

Source: BLS State and County Quick Facts 2009  
 \*Region numbers are weighted averages from Chmura Economics and Analytics  
 Sources: Virginia Economic Development Partnership