

Population Estimates for Virginia, Localities, Planning Districts, & Metropolitan Areas: Final 2007 & Provisional 2008

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Virginia**	7,769,089	7,698,775	7,079,030	690,059	379,982	310,078	9.7%	5.4%	4.4%
Accomack County	38,968	39,009	38,305	663	133	531	1.7	0.3	1.4
Albemarle County	93,668	92,312	84,186	9,482	3,346	6,136	11.3	4.0	7.3
Alleghany County	16,795	16,804	17,215	-420	-506	86	-2.4	-2.9	0.5
Amelia County	13,003	12,653	11,400	1,603	124	1,479	14.1	1.1	13.0
Amherst County	32,341	32,205	31,894	447	119	328	1.4	0.4	1.0
Appomattox County	14,414	14,191	13,705	709	75	633	5.2	0.5	4.6
Arlington County	206,822	203,126	189,453	17,369	14,128	3,242	9.2	7.5	1.7
Augusta County	71,586	70,969	65,615	5,971	1,514	4,457	9.1	2.3	6.8
Bath County	4,719	4,700	5,048	-329	-192	-138	-6.5	-3.8	-2.7
Bedford County	66,274	65,712	60,371	5,903	1,064	4,838	9.8	1.8	8.0
Bland County	7,051	7,039	6,871	180	-177	357	2.6	-2.6	5.2
Botetourt County	32,956	32,471	30,496	2,460	178	2,282	8.1	0.6	7.5
Brunswick County	18,413	18,202	18,419	-6	-222	216	0.0	-1.2	1.2
Buchanan County	24,312	24,456	26,978	-2,666	-514	-2,152	-9.9	-1.9	-8.0
Buckingham County	16,547	16,504	15,623	924	-97	1,021	5.9	-0.6	6.5
Campbell County	52,595	51,971	51,078	1,517	1,318	199	3.0	2.6	0.4
Caroline County	27,838	27,399	22,121	5,717	885	4,832	25.8	4.0	21.8
Carroll County	30,125	29,921	29,245	880	-180	1,059	3.0	-0.6	3.6
Charles City County	6,908	6,928	6,926	-18	4	-22	-0.3	0.1	-0.3
Charlotte County	12,453	12,395	12,471	-18	-128	110	-0.1	-1.0	0.9

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Chesterfield County	303,538	298,850	259,903	43,635	16,369	27,266	16.8	6.3	10.5
Clarke County	14,534	14,319	12,652	1,882	-47	1,929	14.9	-0.4	15.2
Craig County	5,242	5,188	5,091	151	-4	155	3.0	-0.1	3.0
Culpeper County	47,517	46,719	34,262	13,255	2,067	11,188	38.7	6.0	32.7
Cumberland County	9,820	9,665	9,017	803	177	626	8.9	2.0	6.9
Dickenson County	16,441	16,319	16,395	46	-100	146	0.3	-0.6	0.9
Dinwiddie County	26,843	26,451	24,533	2,310	200	2,110	9.4	0.8	8.6
Essex County	10,732	10,633	9,989	743	-62	805	7.4	-0.6	8.1
Fairfax County	1,017,318	1,009,428	969,749	47,569	87,739	-40,170	4.9	9.0	-4.1
Fauquier County	66,801	65,936	55,139	11,662	2,590	9,072	21.1	4.7	16.5
Floyd County	15,094	15,017	13,874	1,220	55	1,166	8.8	0.4	8.4
Fluvanna County	26,389	26,068	20,047	6,342	1,218	5,124	31.6	6.1	25.6
Franklin County	52,841	51,992	47,286	5,555	690	4,866	11.7	1.5	10.3
Frederick County	73,887	72,972	59,209	14,678	3,616	11,062	24.8	6.1	18.7
Giles County	16,518	16,294	16,657	-139	-161	22	-0.8	-1.0	0.1
Gloucester County	36,109	35,960	34,780	1,329	706	623	3.8	2.0	1.8
Goochland County	20,903	20,422	16,863	4,040	368	3,672	24.0	2.2	21.8
Grayson County	16,144	16,152	16,881	-737	-489	-248	-4.4	-2.9	-1.5
Greene County	17,881	17,703	15,244	2,637	1,152	1,485	17.3	7.6	9.7
Greensville County	12,511	12,493	11,560	951	214	737	8.2	1.8	6.4
Halifax County	35,952	35,862	37,350	-1,398	-372	-1,026	-3.7	-1.0	-2.7
Hanover County	97,785	96,992	86,320	11,465	3,202	8,263	13.3	3.7	9.6

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Henrico County	291,767	289,847	262,300	29,467	12,831	16,636	11.2	4.9	6.3
Henry County	53,869	53,790	57,930	-4,061	82	-4,143	-7.0	0.1	-7.2
Highland County	2,282	2,336	2,536	-254	-109	-145	-10.0	-4.3	-5.7
Isle of Wight County	34,374	34,041	29,728	4,646	515	4,131	15.6	1.7	13.9
James City County	62,237	61,495	48,102	14,135	970	13,165	29.4	2.0	27.4
King and Queen County	6,935	6,939	6,630	305	-73	378	4.6	-1.1	5.7
King George County	23,029	22,487	16,803	6,226	1,367	4,858	37.1	8.1	28.9
King William County	15,765	15,427	13,146	2,619	542	2,077	19.9	4.1	15.8
Lancaster County	11,754	11,593	11,567	187	-744	931	1.6	-6.4	8.0
Lee County	25,312	25,190	23,589	1,723	-482	2,205	7.3	-2.0	9.3
Loudoun County	287,688	278,909	169,599	118,089	31,569	86,521	69.6	18.6	51.0
Louisa County	32,231	31,415	25,627	6,604	792	5,812	25.8	3.1	22.7
Lunenburg County	13,158	13,171	13,146	12	-181	193	0.1	-1.4	1.5
Madison County	13,832	13,778	12,520	1,312	145	1,168	10.5	1.2	9.3
Mathews County	9,418	9,249	9,207	211	-494	705	2.3	-5.4	7.7
Mecklenburg County	32,186	32,259	32,380	-194	-645	450	-0.6	-2.0	1.4
Middlesex County	10,277	10,235	9,932	345	-507	853	3.5	-5.1	8.6
Montgomery County	90,517	88,983	83,629	6,888	2,752	4,136	8.2	3.3	4.9
Nelson County	15,575	15,116	14,445	1,130	-67	1,197	7.8	-0.5	8.3
New Kent County	17,440	17,059	13,462	3,978	484	3,494	29.5	3.6	26.0
Northampton County	13,254	13,176	13,093	161	-275	436	1.2	-2.1	3.3
Northumberland County	13,232	13,316	12,259	973	-535	1,508	7.9	-4.4	12.3

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Nottoway County	15,512	15,497	15,725	-213	-155	-58	-1.4	-1.0	-0.4
Orange County	33,105	32,473	25,881	7,224	455	6,769	27.9	1.8	26.2
Page County	23,966	23,964	23,177	789	160	630	3.4	0.7	2.7
Patrick County	19,211	19,285	19,407	-196	-382	186	-1.0	-2.0	1.0
Pittsylvania County	62,253	61,328	61,745	508	473	36	0.8	0.8	0.1
Powhatan County	27,550	27,430	22,377	5,173	913	4,260	23.1	4.1	19.0
Prince Edward County	21,505	21,130	19,720	1,785	-104	1,889	9.1	-0.5	9.6
Prince George County	37,723	36,633	33,124	4,599	1,622	2,976	13.9	4.9	9.0
Prince William County	378,912	373,427	280,813	98,099	40,899	57,200	34.9	14.6	20.4
Pulaski County	34,391	34,306	35,127	-736	-465	-271	-2.1	-1.3	-0.8
Rappahannock County	6,925	6,973	6,983	-58	61	-119	-0.8	0.9	-1.7
Richmond County	9,774	9,854	8,809	965	-191	1,156	11.0	-2.2	13.1
Roanoke County	91,197	90,497	85,778	5,419	280	5,139	6.3	0.3	6.0
Rockbridge County	21,859	21,745	20,808	1,051	255	796	5.1	1.2	3.8
Rockingham County	74,835	74,057	67,714	7,121	2,370	4,751	10.5	3.5	7.0
Russell County	28,988	28,784	29,258	-270	-278	7	-0.9	-0.9	0.0
Scott County	24,130	23,964	23,403	727	-648	1,375	3.1	-2.8	5.9
Shenandoah County	41,252	40,647	35,075	6,177	558	5,619	17.6	1.6	16.0
Smyth County	31,868	31,835	33,081	-1,213	-596	-616	-3.7	-1.8	-1.9
Southampton County	19,262	18,942	17,482	1,780	139	1,641	10.2	0.8	9.4
Spotsylvania County	120,615	119,559	90,395	30,220	8,301	21,919	33.4	9.2	24.2
Stafford County	123,690	122,793	92,446	31,244	9,048	22,196	33.8	9.8	24.0

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Surry County	7,106	6,970	6,829	277	32	245	4.1	0.5	3.6
Sussex County	12,058	12,044	12,504	-446	-138	-308	-3.6	-1.1	-2.5
Tazewell County	44,216	43,365	44,598	-382	-672	290	-0.9	-1.5	0.7
Warren County	36,101	35,748	31,584	4,517	1,425	3,092	14.3	4.5	9.8
Washington County	53,223	53,015	51,103	2,120	-134	2,255	4.1	-0.3	4.4
Westmoreland County	17,205	17,015	16,718	487	-196	683	2.9	-1.2	4.1
Wise County	41,118	40,962	42,209	-1,091	77	-1,168	-2.6	0.2	-2.8
Wythe County	27,927	27,585	27,599	328	4	323	1.2	0.0	1.2
York County	64,526	64,003	56,297	8,229	2,675	5,554	14.6	4.8	9.9
Alexandria City	137,947	136,601	128,283	9,664	13,676	-4,012	7.5	10.7	-3.1
Bedford City	6,356	6,056	6,299	57	-343	400	0.9	-5.4	6.3
Bristol City	17,438	17,285	17,367	71	-531	602	0.4	-3.1	3.5
Buena Vista City	6,515	6,275	6,349	166	-148	314	2.6	-2.3	4.9
Charlottesville City	39,638	39,651	40,099	-461	1,701	-2,162	-1.2	4.2	-5.4
Chesapeake City	216,622	215,906	199,184	17,438	11,947	5,491	8.8	6.0	2.8
Colonial Heights City	17,693	17,372	16,897	796	25	771	4.7	0.1	4.6
Covington City	5,920	5,828	6,303	-383	-232	-151	-6.1	-3.7	-2.4
Danville City	45,152	44,978	48,411	-3,259	-1,088	-2,170	-6.7	-2.2	-4.5
Emporia City	5,566	5,395	5,665	-99	-241	142	-1.8	-4.3	2.5
Fairfax City	23,987	23,444	21,498	2,489	1,051	1,438	11.6	4.9	6.7
Falls Church City	11,399	11,214	10,377	1,022	352	670	9.8	3.4	6.5
Franklin City	8,292	8,357	8,346	-54	-186	132	-0.6	-2.2	1.6

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Fredericksburg City	22,544	22,291	19,279	3,265	1,520	1,745	16.9	7.9	9.1
Galax City	6,706	6,655	6,837	-131	-121	-11	-1.9	-1.8	-0.2
Hampton City	144,204	144,205	146,437	-2,233	7,317	-9,550	-1.5	5.0	-6.5
Harrisonburg City	45,632	44,852	40,453	5,179	2,128	3,050	12.8	5.3	7.5
Hopewell City	23,263	22,922	22,277	986	744	243	4.4	3.3	1.1
Lexington City	7,211	7,155	6,867	344	-200	543	5.0	-2.9	7.9
Lynchburg City	70,734	70,056	65,269	5,465	952	4,513	8.4	1.5	6.9
Manassas City	36,225	36,197	35,135	1,090	4,148	-3,058	3.1	11.8	-8.7
Manassas Park City	14,050	13,861	10,290	3,760	1,761	2,000	36.5	17.1	19.4
Martinsville City	14,393	14,236	15,416	-1,023	-537	-486	-6.6	-3.5	-3.1
Newport News City	180,978	181,220	180,697	281	14,986	-14,705	0.2	8.3	-8.1
Norfolk City	235,092	235,915	234,403	689	16,795	-16,106	0.3	7.2	-6.9
Norton City	4,161	3,901	3,904	257	-68	325	6.6	-1.7	8.3
Petersburg City	30,489	30,338	33,740	-3,251	755	-4,007	-9.6	2.2	-11.9
Poquoson City	11,791	11,818	11,566	225	-1	226	1.9	0.0	2.0
Portsmouth City	97,599	97,851	100,565	-2,966	4,539	-7,505	-2.9	4.5	-7.5
Radford City	15,584	15,418	15,859	-275	210	-485	-1.7	1.3	-3.1
Richmond City	195,463	194,974	197,790	-2,327	7,413	-9,740	-1.2	3.7	-4.9
Roanoke City	92,344	92,024	94,911	-2,567	1,547	-4,114	-2.7	1.6	-4.3
Salem City	24,749	24,609	24,747	2	-542	544	0.0	-2.2	2.2
Staunton City	23,097	22,818	23,853	-756	-349	-407	-3.2	-1.5	-1.7
Suffolk City	81,907	81,367	63,677	18,230	3,845	14,385	28.6	6.0	22.6

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Virginia Beach City	431,451	430,349	425,257	6,194	31,996	-25,802	1.5	7.5	-6.1
Waynesboro City	20,614	20,116	19,520	1,094	583	511	5.6	3.0	2.6
Williamsburg City	13,354	13,273	11,998	1,356	-453	1,809	11.3	-3.8	15.1
Winchester City	26,209	25,946	23,585	2,624	1,310	1,315	11.1	5.6	5.6
Total Counties	5,356,720	5,296,047	4,729,620	627,100	253,722	373,378	13.3	5.4	7.9
Total Cities	2,412,369	2,402,728	2,349,410	62,959	126,259	-63,301	2.7	5.4	-2.7
Metropolitan Areas									
Blacksburg	157,010	155,001	151,272	5,738	2,336	3,402	3.8	1.5	2.2
Bristol	94,791	94,265	91,873	2,918	-1,313	4,231	3.2	-1.4	4.6
Charlottesville	193,150	190,851	174,021	19,129	7,350	11,780	11.0	4.2	6.8
Danville	107,406	106,306	110,156	-2,750	-616	-2,135	-2.5	-0.6	-1.9
Harrisonburg	120,467	118,908	108,167	12,300	4,498	7,802	11.4	4.2	7.2
Lynchburg	242,713	240,192	228,616	14,097	3,186	10,912	6.2	1.4	4.8
Northern Virginia	2,498,632	2,466,852	2,116,692	381,940	218,157	163,783	18.0	10.3	7.7
Richmond	1,215,013	1,201,760	1,096,957	118,056	47,239	70,817	10.8	4.3	6.5
Roanoke	299,329	296,781	288,309	11,020	2,149	8,871	3.8	0.7	3.1
Virginia Beach	1,626,767	1,623,624	1,558,727	68,040	95,373	-27,332	4.4	6.1	-1.8
Winchester	100,096	98,919	82,794	17,302	4,926	12,376	20.9	5.9	14.9
Total Metropolitan	6,655,376	6,593,458	6,007,584	647,792	383,285	264,507	10.8	6.4	4.4

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Micropolitan Areas									
Martinsville	68,262	68,026	73,346	-5,084	-456	-4,629	-6.9	-0.6	-6.3
Staunton	115,297	113,903	108,988	6,309	1,749	4,560	5.8	1.6	4.2
Tazewell	44,216	43,365	44,598	-382	-672	290	-0.9	-1.5	0.7
Total Micropolitan	227,775	225,294	226,932	843	621	222	0.4	0.3	0.1
Not Metro / Micro	885,938	880,023	844,514	41,424	-3,924	45,348	4.9	-0.5	5.4
Planning Districts									
1 LENOWISCO	94,720	94,017	93,105	1,615	-1,121	2,736	1.7	-1.2	2.9
2 Cumberland Plateau	113,957	112,924	117,229	-3,272	-1,564	-1,708	-2.8	-1.3	-1.5
3 Mount Rogers	190,482	189,487	188,984	1,498	-2,224	3,722	0.8	-1.2	2.0
4 New River Valley	172,105	170,018	165,146	6,959	2,391	4,568	4.2	1.4	2.8
5 Roanoke Valley-Alleghany	269,204	267,422	264,541	4,663	722	3,941	1.8	0.3	1.5
6 Central Shenandoah	278,350	275,023	258,763	19,587	5,854	13,733	7.6	2.3	5.3
7 Northern Shenandoah Valley	215,948	213,597	185,282	30,666	7,020	23,646	16.6	3.8	12.8
8 Northern Virginia	2,114,348	2,086,207	1,815,197	299,151	195,321	103,830	16.5	10.8	5.7
9 Rappahannock- Rapidan	168,180	165,879	134,785	33,395	5,318	28,077	24.8	3.9	20.8
10 Thomas Jefferson	225,381	222,266	199,648	25,733	8,142	17,591	12.9	4.1	8.8
11 Region 2000	242,713	240,192	228,616	14,097	3,186	10,912	6.2	1.4	4.8
12 West Piedmont	247,720	245,609	250,195	-2,475	-763	-1,712	-1.0	-0.3	-0.7
13 Southside	86,551	86,322	88,149	-1,598	-1,238	-360	-1.8	-1.4	-0.4

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14 Commonwealth Regional Cour	101,998	101,016	97,102	4,896	-365	5,261	5.0	-0.4	5.4
15 Richmond Regional	961,353	952,502	865,941	95,412	41,584	53,828	11.0	4.8	6.2
16 George Washington Regional Commission	317,716	314,530	241,044	76,672	21,121	55,551	31.8	8.8	23.0
17 Northern Neck	51,965	51,777	49,353	2,612	-1,666	4,278	5.3	-3.4	8.7
18 Middle Peninsula	89,237	88,443	83,684	5,553	111	5,441	6.6	0.1	6.5
19 Crater	173,251	170,618	167,129	6,122	3,212	2,910	3.7	1.9	1.7
22 Accomack- Northampton	52,222	52,185	51,398	824	-142	967	1.6	-0.3	1.9
23 Hampton Roads	1,601,689	1,598,743	1,533,739	67,950	95,083	-27,133	4.4	6.2	-1.8

* Includes all official corrections to the 2000 Census counts.

**Virginia total population for 2007 and 2008 issued by the U.S. Bureau of the Census, December 18, 2008.

Natural Increase is the difference between births and deaths.

Net migration is the difference between the number of persons moving into a jurisdiction and the number leaving.