

APEX Program

“Statewide Coverage” analysis guidance pursuant to Notice for Funding Opportunity.

- Funding Limitations are set by statute. See the notice of funding opportunity for specific thresholds.
- “Statewide coverage” is defined in the Notice for Funding document.
 - Service at least 50 percent of the State’s counties; and
 - 75 percent of the State’s labor force.
- Funding Opportunity requires that your application include documentation verifying statewide coverage, if applicable.
 - Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics (www.bls.gov)
 - Local area “Labor Force” statistics are available at <http://data.bls.gov/pdq/querytool.jsp?survey=la>
 - You can also find consolidated tables for annual labor force data at [http:// www.bls.gov/lau/home.htm](http://www.bls.gov/lau/home.htm)
 - Use the most recent, annual labor force data available.

Step 1 - Retrieve Statewide Data

Local Area Unemployment Statistics **HELP**

Select how you want to view the data

View area types within a State or Census Region and Division View State(s) by area type or view data for Census Regions or Divisions

1 Select a State or Census Reg. & Div. **2** Select one or more Area Types

50 Vermont	^
51 Virginia	^
53 Washington	^
54 West Virginia	^
...	^

A Statewide	^
B Metropolitan areas	^
D Micropolitan areas	^
F Counties and equivalent	^
...	^

3 Select one or more Areas **4** Select Seasonal Adjustment

AST510000 Virginia

Seasonally Adjusted
 Not Seasonally Adjusted

5 **Your Selection: (1 series selected) NOTE: Select a maximum of 200 series.**

OR for Multiple Queries

Virginia Statewide Virginia Not Seasonally Adjusted : LAUST51000003,LAUST51000004,

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Step 2 - Retrieve Data for Counties and Equivalents

Local Area Unemployment Statistics HELP

Select how you want to view the data

View area types within a State or Census Region and Division View State(s) by area type or view data for Census Regions or Divisions

1 Select a State or Census Reg. & Div. Find **2** Select one or more Area Types Find

51 Virginia	F Counties and equivalents
53 Washington	G Cities and towns above 25,000 population
54 West Virginia	J Multi-entity small labor market areas
55 Wisconsin	K Multi-entity intrastate parts of interstate areas

3 Select one or more Areas Find **4** Select Seasonal Adjustment

FCN510070 Amelia County, VA	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Seasonally Adjusted
FCN510090 Amherst County, VA	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Seasonally Adjusted
FCN510110 Appomattox County, VA	
FPS510100 Arlington County, VA	
FPA510900 Augusta County, VA	
FCN510170 Bath County, VA	

5 OR for Multiple Queries

Your Selection: (1 series selected) NOTE: Select a maximum of 200 series.

Virginia Counties and equivalents Arlington County, VA Not Seasonally Adjusted : LAUPS

Step 3 - Compare the most recent annual statistics available

Statewide Data

	A	B	C	D
1	Local Area Unemployment Statistics			
2				
3	Not Seasonally Adjusted			
4	Area:	Virginia		
5	Area Type:	Statewide		
6	State/Region/Division:	Virginia		
7	Years:	2010 to 2011		
8				
9	Year	Period	labor force	employment
10	2010	Jan	4163706	3840817
11	2010	Feb	4174344	3852600
12	2010	Mar	4189598	3878779
13	2010	Apr	4193000	3911795
14	2010	May	4197141	3913330
15	2010	Jun	4208188	3915203
16	2010	Jul	4227247	3936219
17	2010	Aug	4204211	3915141
18	2010	Sep	4178698	3905275
19	2010	Oct	4169086	3902214
20	2010	Nov	4165369	3894358
21	2010	Dec	4153266	3888277
22	2010	Annual	4185321	3896167
23	2011	Jan	4159681	3872573
24	2011	Feb	4163675	3889839
25	2011	Mar	4192863	3928110
26	2011	Apr	4189641	3946494
27	2011	May	4214854	3964974
28	2011	Jun	4233724	3966688
29	2011	Jul	4259601	3995815
30	2011	Aug	4243140	3966790
31				
32				
33				

County Data

	A	B	C	D
1	Local Area Unemployment Statistics			
2				
3	Not Seasonally Adjusted			
4	Area:	Arlington County, VA		
5	Area Type:	Counties and equivalents		
6	State/Region/Division:	Virginia		
7	Years:	2010 to 2011		
8				
9	Year	Period	labor force	employment
10	2010	Jan	139235	132517
11	2010	Feb	139082	132392
12	2010	Mar	140126	133494
13	2010	Apr	140252	134475
14	2010	May	140767	134754
15	2010	Jun	141092	135113
16	2010	Jul	142839	136879
17	2010	Aug	141178	135342
18	2010	Sep	140493	134859
19	2010	Oct	139894	134496
20	2010	Nov	139765	134375
21	2010	Dec	140261	135060
22	2010	Annual	140416	134480
23	2011	Jan	140336	134582
24	2011	Feb	140119	134585
25	2011	Mar	141073	135564
26	2011	Apr	140546	135639
27	2011	May	141428	136262
28	2011	Jun	142383	136819
29	2011	Jul	143976	138604
30	2011	Aug	142348	136835
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Step 4 - Provide a copy of your analysis and clearly state your results.

The screenshot shows an Excel spreadsheet with the following data:

	Year	Period	labor force
Virginia	2010	Annual	4185321
Arlington County, VA	2010	Annual	140416
Bedford County, VA	2010	Annual	35315
Caroline County, VA	2010	Annual	14375
Essex County, VA	2010	Annual	5930
Fairfax County, VA	2010	Annual	602551
King George County, VA	2010	Annual	10569
Montgomery County, VA	2010	Annual	45831
Scott County, VA	2010	Annual	9947
York County, VA	2010	Annual	30779
TOTAL PTAC COUNTIES LABOR FORCE:			895713

The APEX Accelerator provides service to ## of the ## total counties in Virginia, which is ##%.

The Apex Accelerator provides service to ## of Virginia's total labor force of ##, which is ##%.