

Modeling Attainment in Virginia

SSHEO Community of Practice – Data Modeling
and Visualization in Support of State
Attainment Goals

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Key Questions the Panel will Address

- How is data central to SCHEV's mission?
- How do visualization and interactivity make data more concrete for users?
- What policy and public choices have been informed by SCHEV data?
- What are tools the state is using to frame and understand attainment challenges?

New SCHEV Dashboard Site

Higher Ed Data *for Virginia*

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Here you will find data on 15 public four-year institutions; 23 community colleges and one junior college; and 31 private nonprofit colleges.

[Enrollment](#)

521,444

Students were enrolled in the Commonwealth in the fall semester of 2017-18. There were 48,946 new students from Virginia high schools and 14,511 new transfer students from public two-year colleges.

[Learn more...](#)

<http://dashboards.schev.edu/>

Tool for Understanding Impact of Student Debt on Affordability

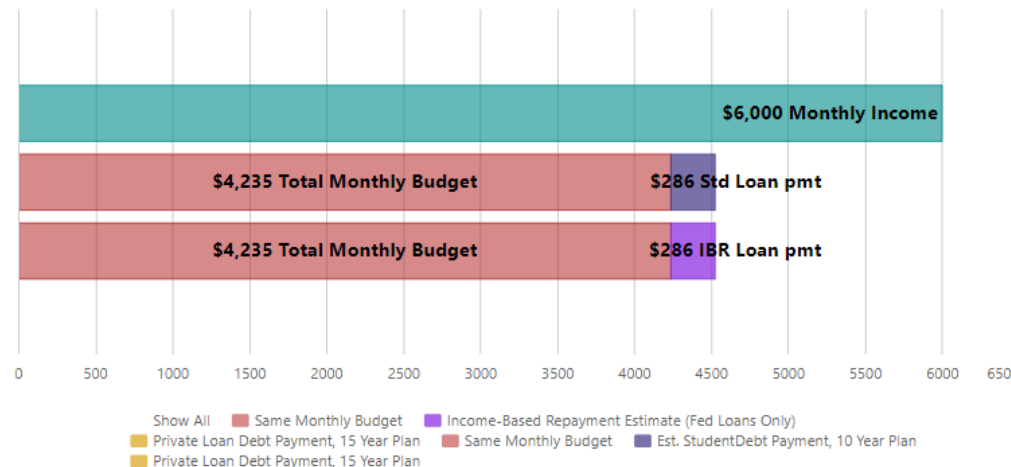
Budget Tool

Expense Summary

How to use this tool

Notes/Limitations

Monthly Budget Estimates



Use the slider below to estimate an annual income (between \$0 and \$100,000)

Annual Wage Estimate: \$72,000



Use the slider below to estimate your total federal loans (see the information on borrowing limits in the footer)

Total Federal Loans Estimate: \$27,000



Use the slider below to estimate the total of any private student loans

Total Private Loans Estimate: \$0



http://dashboards.schev.edu/rdpage.aspx?rdReport=EOM.EOM_BudgetTool

Tool for Visualizing Graduate Wage Data

Talent Supply and 2017 Earnings by Locality

Number of years following graduation:

Select Degree Level:

Disciplines

Broad Programs

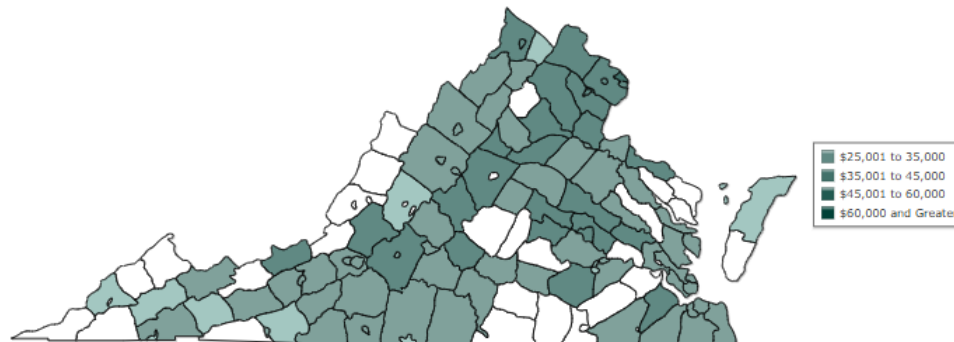
Specific Programs

Select a program:

Update

Below are estimates of the residence and earnings of recent graduates of Virginia public and nonprofit institutions for each locality in the Commonwealth, for which information is available.

Median Wage Variation by Locality



http://dashboards.schev.edu/rdpage.aspx?rdReport=EOM.EOM_WagesByResidence

Tool for Making the Case for College

The Value of College

Why should I go to college?

10 years after graduating Virginia high schools, your earnings will likely be higher.

Select Gender:

All Genders ▼

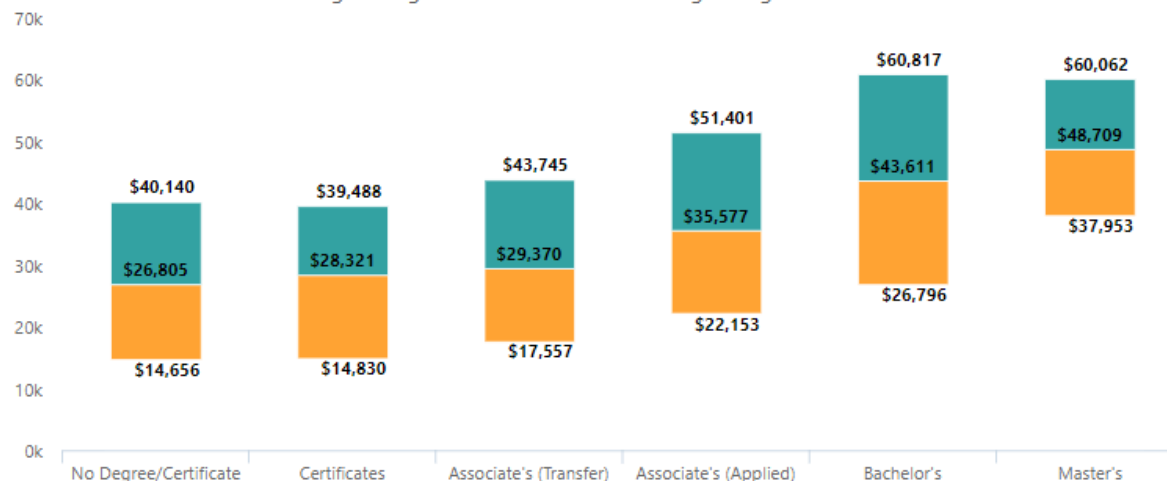
Select a Race/Ethnicity option:

All Races/Ethnicities ▼

Update Charts

Median Wages by Highest Credential Earned, 10 Years Post-Entry

Virginia High School Graduates Entering College in 2006-07



<http://dashboards.schev.edu/why> - college

Informing Policy with Data

- Overview infographic (link?)
- HS Feedback
- Attainment gaps and underrepresented populations
- Enrollment and degree projections

Tools for Policy Makers

General Overview

VIRGINIA HIGHER EDUCATION SNAPSHOT



STATE COUNCIL OF HIGHER
EDUCATION FOR VIRGINIA

Institutions and Students



2017-18 Fall Headcount



Student Outcomes

Awards Earned in 2017-18

(diplomas, degrees, certificates)

119,980



Virginia's higher education institutions have the second-highest public four-year graduation rate in the nation.

Median Wage 5 Years After Graduation

\$46,409

Bachelor's Degree

\$34,467

Associate Degree

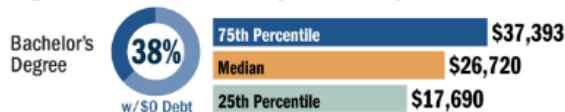
Cost of Higher Education

2018-19 Average Total Charges

(Tuition, all mandatory fees and room and board where applicable)



Virginia Student Debt (2016-17)



Need and Value



99%

Of the 11.5 million new jobs created since the great recession, 99% require workers with more than a high-school education.

Lifetime Earnings



Tools for Policy Topics Specific

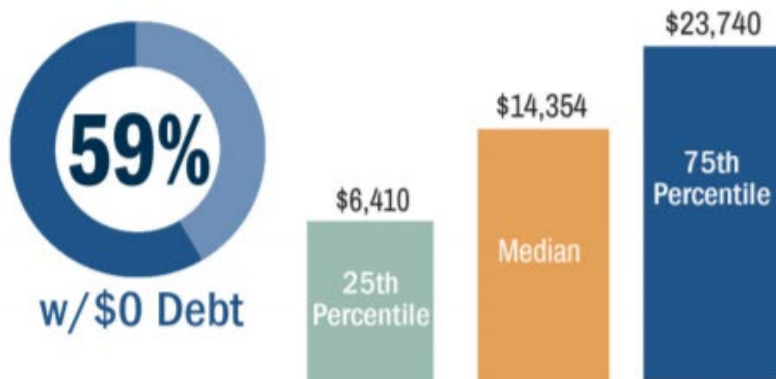
Q: What is the debt of a Virginia graduate?

A: Debt is rising overall, but remains at zero for many.

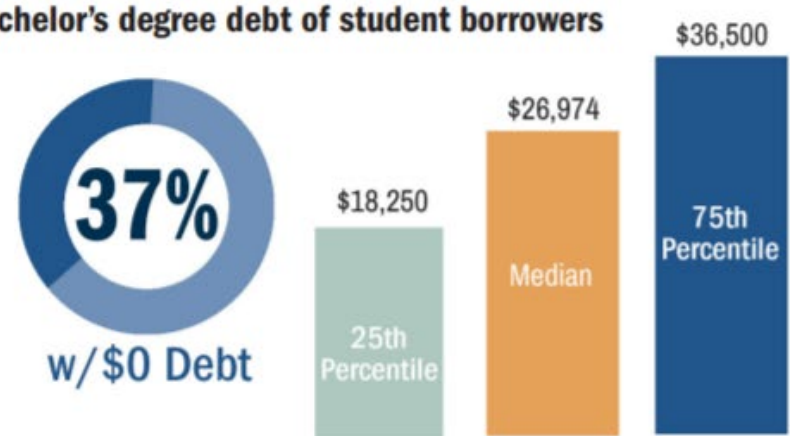
Similar to national trends, total debt and the number of borrowers in Virginia has increased steadily over the last 20 years. However, many students graduate with no debt at all. Of those who borrow, median debt in Virginia remains under \$15,000 for an associate degree and \$30,000 for a bachelor's.

Debt of Virginia's 2015 graduates

Associate degree debt of student borrowers



Bachelor's degree debt of student borrowers



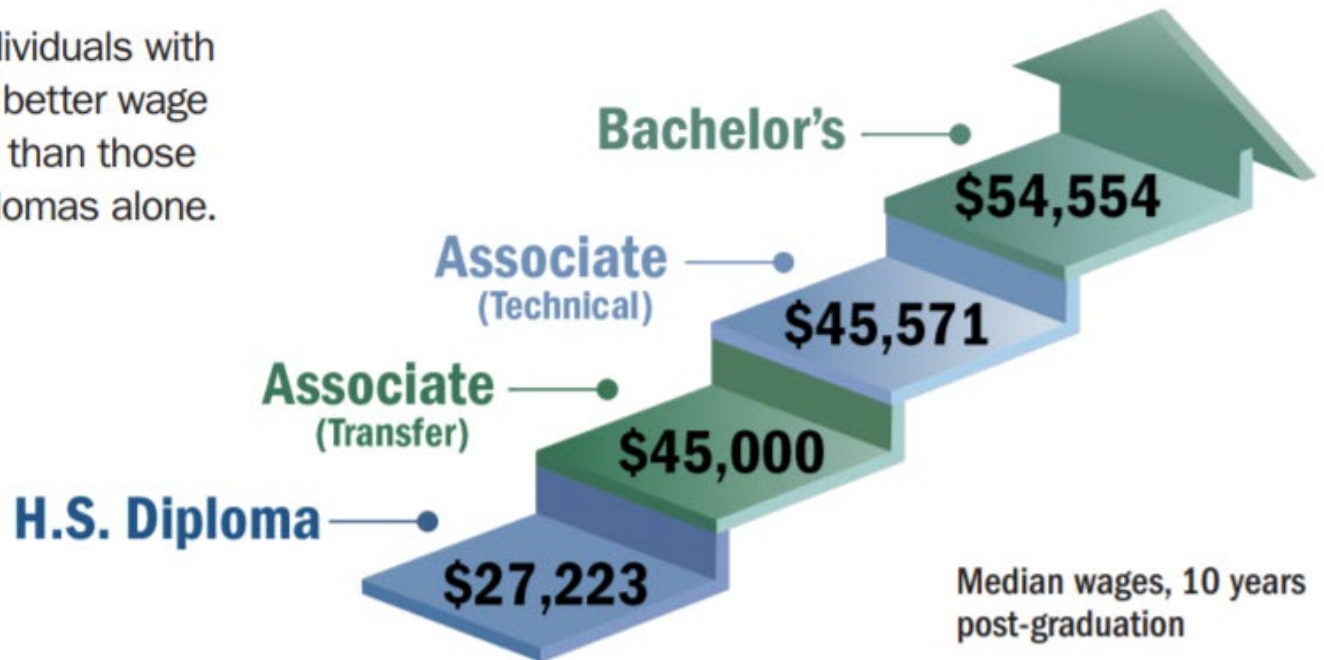
Tools for Policy Topics

Specific

Q: Does higher education pay?

A: Wages increase with educational attainment.

After graduation, individuals with degrees experience better wage outcomes over time than those with high-school diplomas alone.



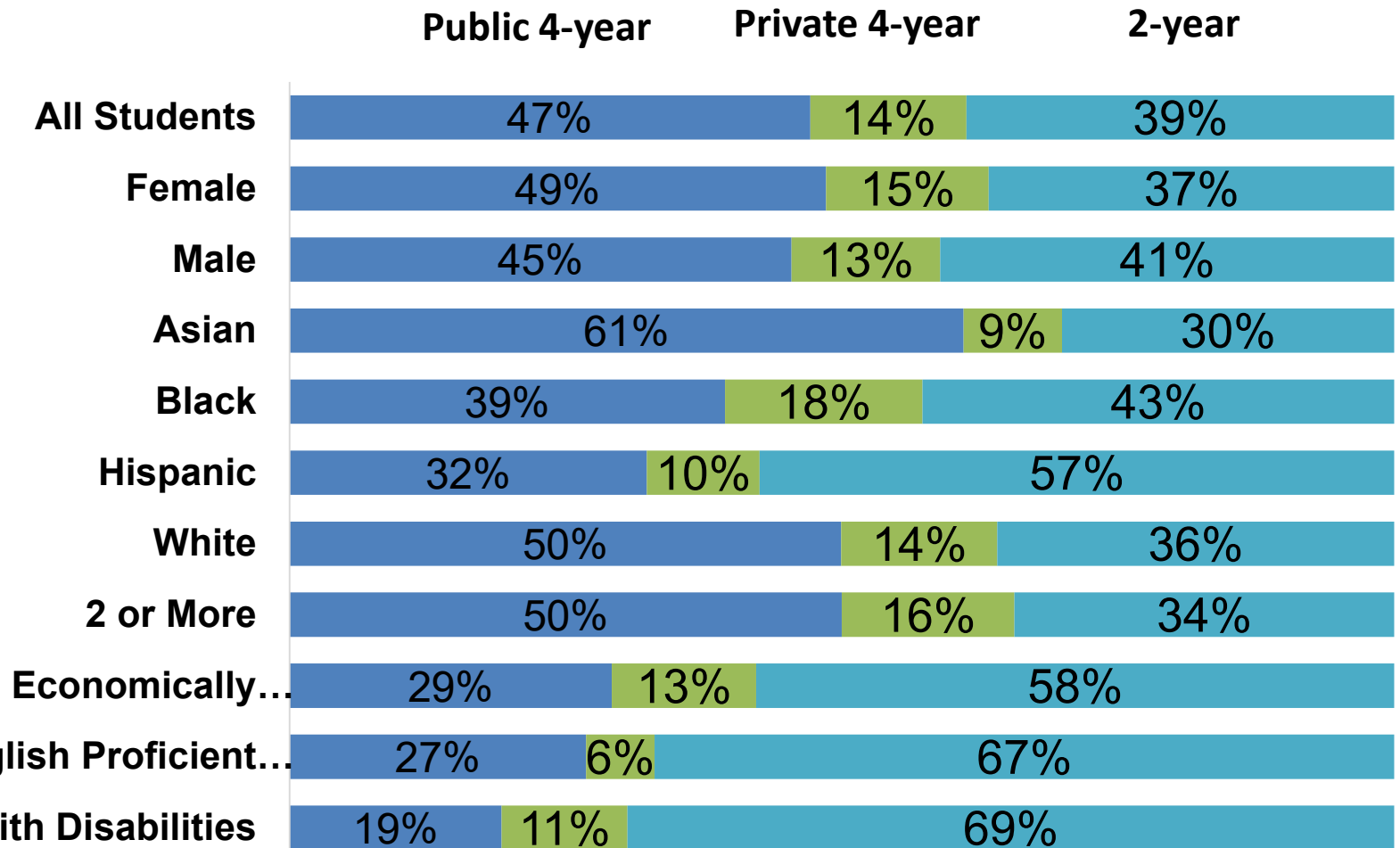
Tools for Secondary Education

40 school divisions showing high and recognized need for postsecondary-access resources
(based on 2014 data)



Tools for Secondary Education

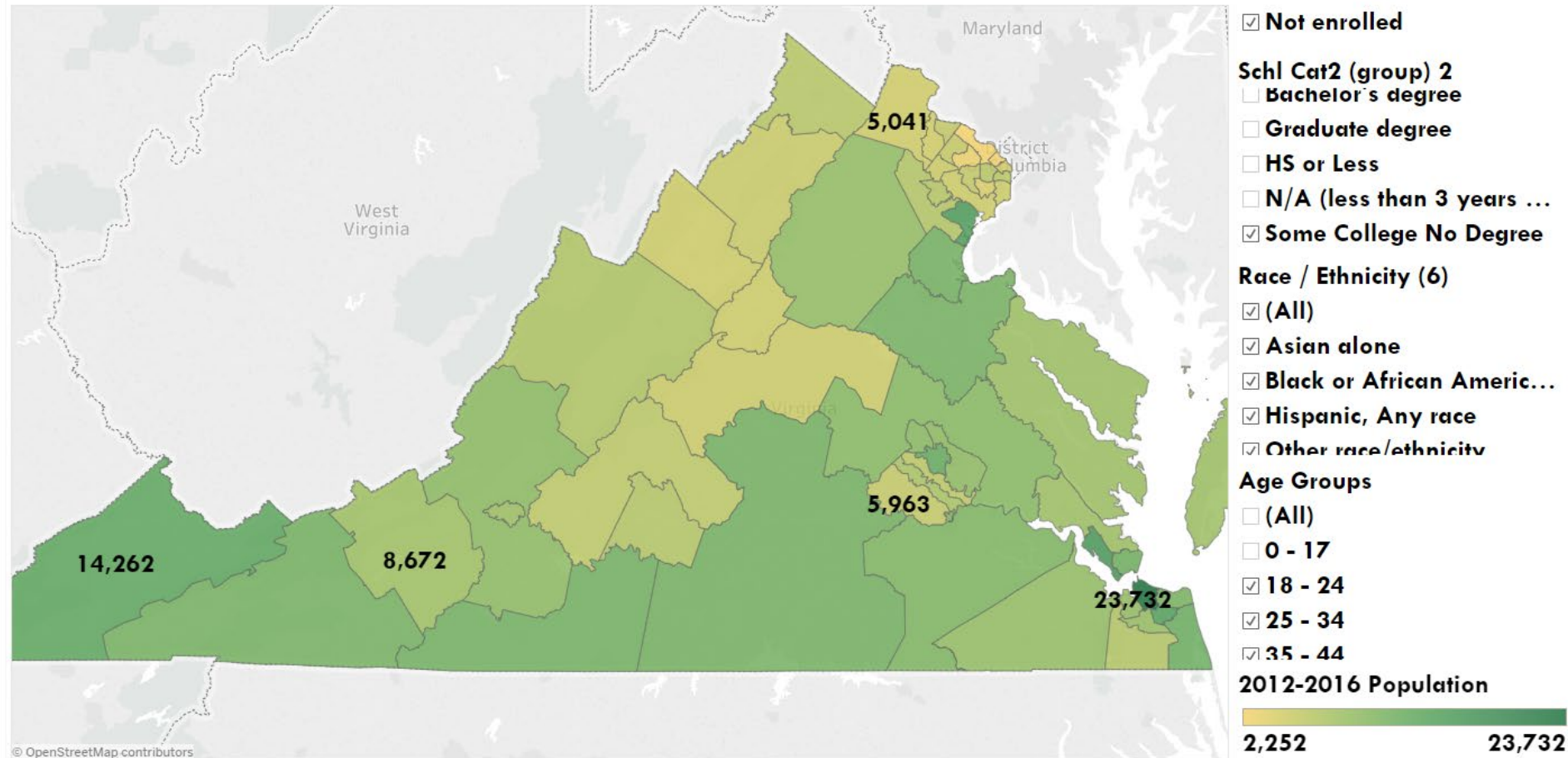
Where Did 2015 HS Graduates Go to College?



Source: Virginia Department of Education. Postsecondary enrollment report
https://p1pe.doe.virginia.gov/postsec_public/postsec.do?dowhat=LOAD_REPORT_C11

Understanding and Visualizing Data

Virginia Map Numbers: Number of Residents by Degree Attainment, Age, Race/Ethnicity



https://public.tableau.com/views/VirginiaACSEExample/VirginiaMapNumbers?:embed=y&:display_count=yes&publish=yes

Understanding and Visualizing the Data

Employment and Income: Percent Employed with Income at or Above \$40,000

		Degree Status			
		Associate or higher		No degree	
		% of 2012-2016 Population	2012-2016 Population	% of 2012-2016 Population	2012-2016 Population
Employed	Income at or above	54%	298,562	19%	112,247
	Income below	32%	178,008	53%	319,788
Unemployed or not in labor force	Income at or above	1%	4,204	0%	2,760
	Income below	13%	69,064	28%	167,288