## STATE DATA, Q4:15

	DC	MD	NC	SC	VA	WV
Nonfarm Employment (000s)	768.2	2,680.3	4,268.7	2,027.2	3,893.2	761.2
Q/Q Percent Change	0.2	0.6	0.4	0.8	0.8	0.1
Y/Y Percent Change	1.1	1.6	2.1	2.7	2.6	-1.4
Manufacturing Employment (000s)	1.1	105.8	459.1	237.5	234.1	47.1
Q/Q Percent Change	-2.9	1.7	-0.5	0.6	0.3	-1.1
Y/Y Percent Change	0.0	2.1	1.0	1.8	1.0	-1.3
Professional/Business Services Employmen	nt (000s) 162.2	434.0	600.5	271.2	709.7	67.0
Q/Q Percent Change	0.3	0.7	1.4	2.9	1.7	0.6
Y/Y Percent Change	2.2	1.8	4.0	3.7	3.9	-2.0
Government Employment (000s)	238.8	503.2	718.8	362.3	710.7	152.3
Q/Q Percent Change	0.2	0.2	-0.4	0.5	-0.3	0.7
Y/Y Percent Change	1.0	-0.1	0.4	1.2	0.0	-0.5
Civilian Labor Force (000s)	390.4	3,157.7	4,777.2	2,260.8	4,236.7	782.9
Q/Q Percent Change	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	-0.2
Y/Y Percent Change	1.7	0.8	1.8	1.0	0.0	0.1
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.6	5.0	5.6	5.5	4.2	6.3
Q3:15	6.7	5.1	5.7	5.6	4.2	6.7
Q4:14	7.6	5.5	5.8	6.6	4.9	6.4
Real Personal Income (\$Bil)	45.4	310.6	378.9	174.1	403.2	61.9
Q/Q Percent Change	0.5	1.0	0.9	1.2	0.7	-0.2
Y/Y Percent Change	5.3	3.5	4.0	4.8	3.9	0.8
Building Permits	1,508	3,472	12,549	6,287	7,253	591
Q/Q Percent Change	51.1	-22.3	-4.5	-25.6	-17.5	-26.8
Y/Y Percent Change	119.8	-8.1	-0.6	-3.9	5.2	10.3
House Price Index (1980=100)	774.0	438.8	329.8	335.7	426.6	227.8
Q/Q Percent Change	2.1	0.5	0.6	1.0	0.7	0.3
Y/Y Percent Change	7.8	2.4	4.9	5.6	2.5	2.7

Real Personal Income: Bureau of Economic Analysis/Haver Analytics.

Unemployment Rate: LAUS Program, Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor/Haver

Employment: CES Survey, Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor/Haver Analytics Building Permits: U.S. Census Bureau/Haver Analytics House Prices: Federal Housing Finance Agency/Haver Analytics

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<sup>1)</sup> FRB-Richmond survey indexes are diffusion indexes representing the percentage of responding firms reporting increase minus the percentage reporting decrease. The manufacturing composite index is a weighted average of the shipments, new orders, and employment indexes.

2) Building permits and house prices are not seasonally adjusted; all other series are seasonally

adjusted.

3) Manufacturing employment for DC is not seasonally adjusted

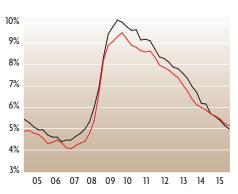
### **Nonfarm Employment**

Change From Prior Year Fourth Quarter 2004 - Fourth Quarter 2015



### **Unemployment Rate**

Fourth Quarter 2004 - Fourth Quarter 2015



### **Real Personal Income**

Change From Prior Year
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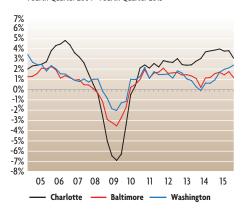


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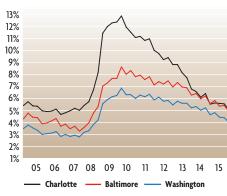
## Nonfarm Employment Major Metro Areas

Change From Prior Year
Fourth Quarter 2004 - Fourth Quarter 2015



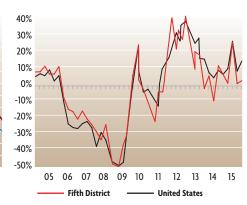
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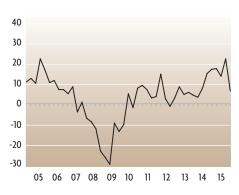
### **Building Permits**

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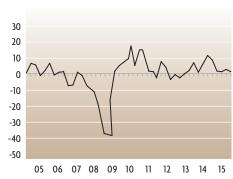
### FRB—Richmond Services Revenues Index

Fourth Quarter 2004 - Fourth Quarter 2015



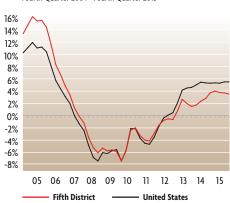
### FRB—Richmond Manufacturing Composite Index

Fourth Quarter 2004 - Fourth Quarter 2015



### **House Prices**

Change From Prior Year
Fourth Quarter 2004 - Fourth Quarter 2015



# Metropolitan Area Data, Q4:15 -

	Washington, DC	Baltimore, MD	Hagerstown-Martinsburg, MD-WV
Nonfarm Employment (000s)	2,622.7	1,383.6	104.8
Q/Q Percent Change	1.2	1.0	1.4
Y/Y Percent Change	2.4	1.1	-2.0
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.3	5.2	5.0
Q3:15	4.3	5.2	5.4
Q4:14	4.9	5.8	5.8
<b>Building Permits</b>	6,039	1,266	196
Q/Q Percent Change	-0.7	-37.7	-16.2
Y/Y Percent Change	21.6	-25.3	-40.8

	Asheville, NC	Charlotte, NC	Durham, NC
Nonfarm Employment (000s)	185.8	1,126.6	298.9
Q/Q Percent Change	2.1	2.3	1.6
Y/Y Percent Change	3.0	3.1	1.3
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.5	5.3	5.0
Q3:15	4.6	5.4	5.0
Q4:14	4.7	5.7	4.9
<b>Building Permits</b>	438	5,003	1,107
Q/Q Percent Change	-14.5	10.7	-5.6
Y/Y Percent Change	36.9	22.5	4.9

	Greensboro-High Point, NC	Raleigh, NC	Wilmington, NC
Nonfarm Employment (000s)	361.0	594.7	120.4
Q/Q Percent Change	2.2	1.7	-0.6
Y/Y Percent Change	1.9	3.6	2.1
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.8	4.7	5.5
Q3:15	5.9	4.7	5.5
Q4:14	6.1	4.8	5.5
<b>Building Permits</b>	604	2,447	321
Q/Q Percent Change	-14.6	-14.3	-29.1
Y/Y Percent Change	-12.1	-18.9	-48.3

NOTE:
Nonfarm employment and building permits are not seasonally adjusted. Unemployment rates are seasonally adjusted.

	Winston-Salem, NC	Charleston, SC	Columbia, SC
Nonfarm Employment (000s)	259.4	337.7	392.5
Q/Q Percent Change	1.3	0.6	2.2
Y/Y Percent Change	1.0	3.1	2.2
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.4	4.7	5.2
Q3:15	5.5	4.8	5.2
Q4:14	5.5	5.8	6.0
Building Permits	289	1,384	934
Q/Q Percent Change	17.3	-29.3	-29.6
Y/Y Percent Change	-18.4	-0.8	5.8

	Greenville, SC	Richmond, VA	Roanoke, VA
Nonfarm Employment (000s)	409.3	669.6	163.7
Q/Q Percent Change	1.7	2.5	1.6
Y/Y Percent Change	3.2	4.3	1.3
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.8	4.3	4.1
Q3:15	5.0	4.4	4.2
Q4:14	6.0	5.2	4.9
Building Permits	998	1,398	N/A
Q/Q Percent Change	-41.8	-4.0	N/A
Y/Y Percent Change	-22.9	69.7	N/A

	Virginia Beach-Norfolk, VA	Charleston, WV	Huntington, WV
Nonfarm Employment (000s)	771.2	123.4	142.5
Q/Q Percent Change	-0.1	0.6	2.1
Y/Y Percent Change	1.3	-2.3	-1.0
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.7	6.0	6.1
Q3:15	4.7	6.4	6.2
Q4:14	5.4	6.2	6.2
Building Permits	1,216	58	36
Q/Q Percent Change	-33.4	-6.5	0.0
Y/Y Percent Change	-24.7	1,060.0	0.0