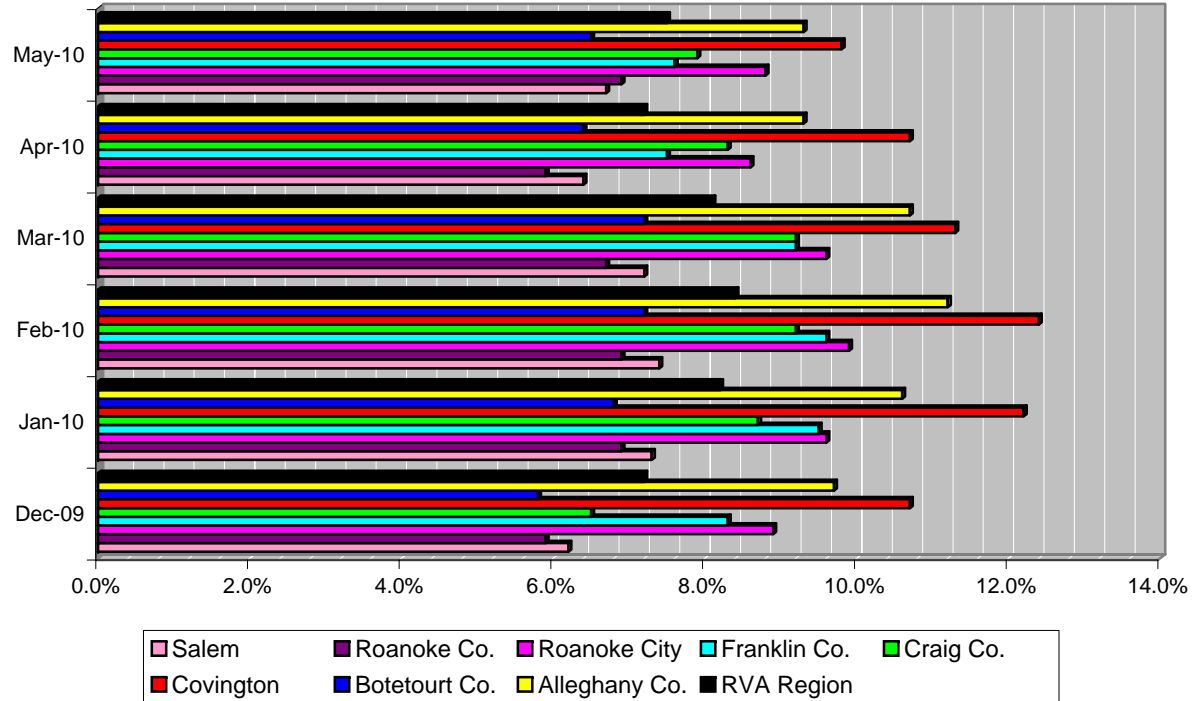


Region/County	Dec-09	Jan-10	Feb-10	Mar-10	Apr-10	May-10
RVA Region	7.2%	8.2%	8.4%	8.1%	7.2%	7.5%
Alleghany Co.	9.7%	10.6%	11.2%	10.7%	9.3%	9.3%
Botetourt Co.	5.8%	6.8%	7.2%	7.2%	6.4%	6.5%
Covington	10.7%	12.2%	12.4%	11.3%	10.7%	9.8%
Craig Co.	6.5%	8.7%	9.2%	9.2%	8.3%	7.9%
Franklin Co.	8.3%	9.5%	9.6%	9.2%	7.5%	7.6%
Roanoke City	8.9%	9.6%	9.9%	9.6%	8.6%	8.8%
Roanoke Co.	5.9%	6.9%	6.9%	6.7%	5.9%	6.9%
Salem	6.2%	7.3%	7.4%	7.2%	6.4%	6.7%

ROANOKE VALLEY-ALLEGHANY REGION: UNEMPLOYMENT RATES BY COUNTY/CITY



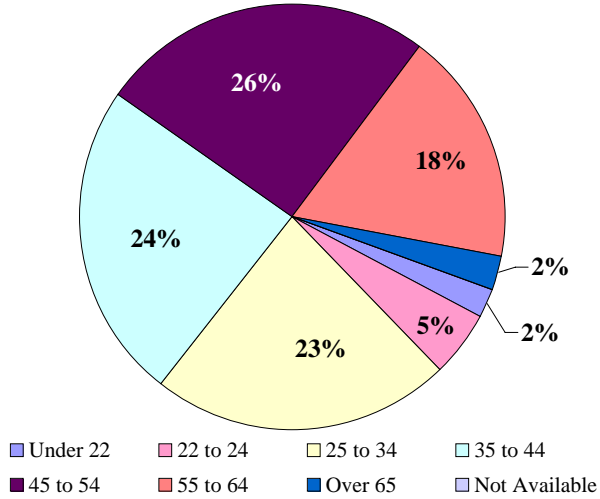
Characteristics of the Insured Unemployed

Roanoke Valley-Alleghany PD, May 2010

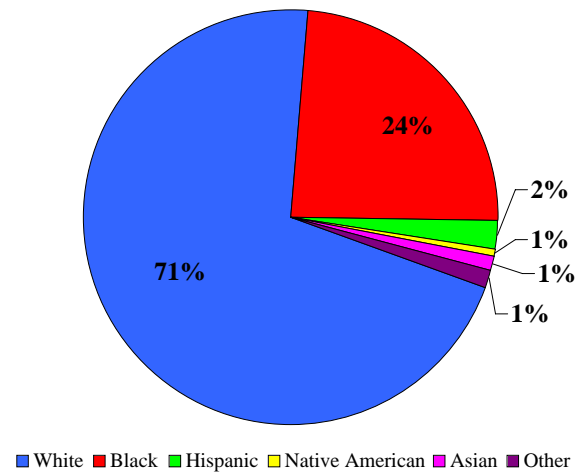
Civilian Workforce: 140,646 **Unemployed:** 7.5%

Unemployment by Gender: Male: 56% Female: 44%

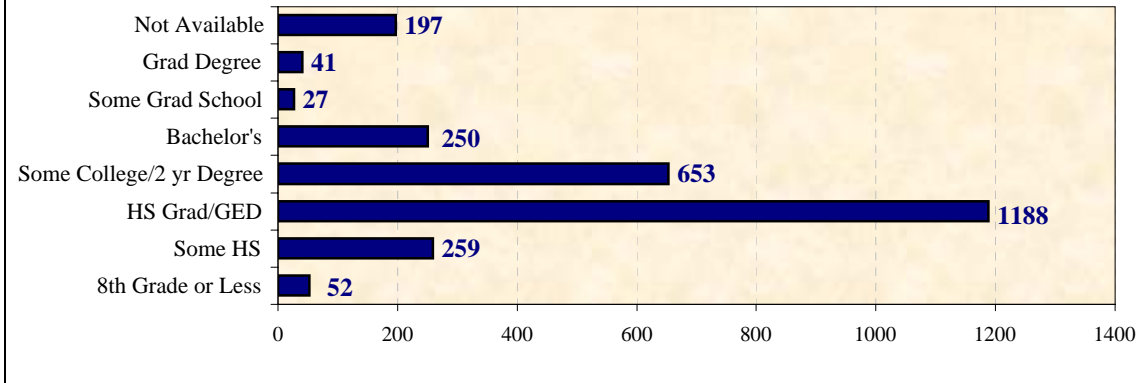
Unemployment by Age



Unemployment by Race



Unemployment by Educational Attainment



Source: Virginia Employment Commission

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