



Orange County

The prevailing rural nature of Orange County integrates seamlessly with the manufacturing and technology companies located in the County. Employees and employers alike enjoy the natural beauty and cultural activities in Orange, leading to an effective and loyal workforce. With an established record of success and a business friendly environment, Orange County is an ideal place to locate or expand a business.

Central

Virginia

Innovative Employers

Manufacturing and agribusiness have established themselves as Orange County's leading industries, along with a growing health services industry. The County is home to several nationally-recognized companies, including:

- **Aerojet Rocketdyne**
aerospace technologies
- **American Woodmark Corporation**
cabinet components
- **Barboursville Vineyards**
winery
- **Battlefield Farms, Inc.**
bedding and holiday plants
- **Green Applications, LLC**
custom apparel and design
- **James Madison's Montpelier**
historic plantation and estate
- **Lohmann Corporation**
speciality adhesives
- **MPS**
book publishing
- **RIDGID Products**
tool manufacturing
- **Zamma Corporation**
profile moulding



Advantages for Business

- Served by an excellent transportation network of major U.S. highways which allow easy access to all points north, south, east, and west. The County is 12 miles from I-64 and 14 miles from I-95.
- Access to a well-trained workforce, loyal employees, and a vast labor pool with 423,123 people living within 30 miles of the County, and 3.4 million living within 60 miles.
- Several major universities and two-year institutions, with both the top-ranked University of Virginia and University of Mary Washington within an hour's drive, and Germanna Community College within Orange County.
- Enjoy the scenic beauty of the Blue Ridge Mountains and Orange County's rural countryside with cultural, recreational, and historical attractions that further highlight the physical setting of the County.



RIDGID, manufacturer of professional quality tools for plumbing, mechanical pipe fitting, construction, HVAC, and facility maintenance.

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Demographics

The Central Virginia region boasts a growing labor pool of nearly 165,000 and the ability to tap into even larger labor markets in nearby Fredericksburg and Richmond metropolitan areas.

Population

Orange County	30 mile radius	60 mile radius
35,385	439,959	3,596,685

Unemployment Rate	4.0%
Labor Force Participation Rate	59.6%
Median Age	42.6
Median Household Income	\$63,538
Average Annual Salary	\$34,717
Mean Commute Time	32.6 min
Percentage of Population with College Experience	53.2%



Nursing School graduation at Germanna Community College.

Top Industries in Orange County

Industry	Percentage Concentration
Retail Trade	12.6%
Manufacturing	11.3%
Health Care	11.1%
Educational Services	9.9%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, and Hunting	7.4%
Accommodation and Food Services	7.3%
Construction	7.1%
Wholesale Trade	4.9%
Administrative and Support	3.4%
Real Estate, Rental, and Leasing	3.4%
Transportation and Warehousing	3.3%

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