

WEST VIRGINIA

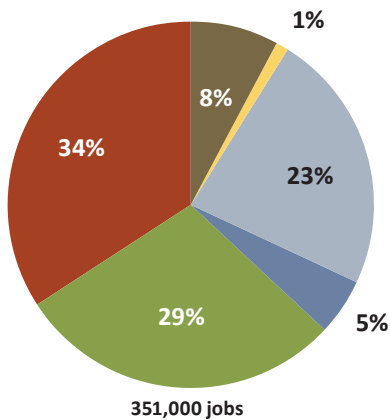
IN WEST VIRGINIA, the Hospitality and Tourism cluster will be the largest cluster overall, but Information Technology will be the fastest growing. Jobs in the Information Technology sector will increase by 19% by 2018.

Hospitality and Tourism will add the most jobs in West Virginia through 2018, while Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources, Architecture and Construction, Business, Management and Administration, and Manufacturing will lose jobs.

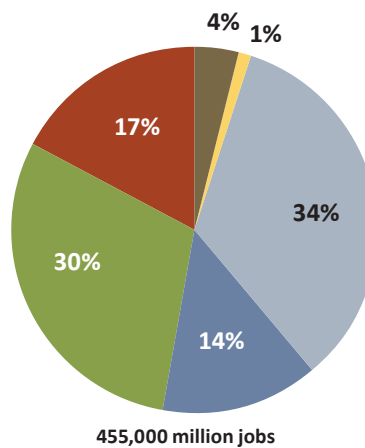
In 2018, 40% of all jobs in West Virginia will be found in the Hospitality and Tourism, Marketing, Sales and Services, Business, Management and Administration and clusters.

CLUSTER	JOBS IN 2008	JOBS IN 2018	DIFFERENCE	PERCENT CHANGE
Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources	47,000	46,300	-700	-2
Architecture and Construction	60,900	59,100	-1,900	-3
Arts, A/V Technology, and Communications	8,000	8,200	200	3
Business, Management, and Administration	98,300	97,900	-500	0
Education and Training	48,800	52,400	3,600	7
Finance	15,900	16,300	400	2
Government and Public Administration	11,200	11,700	500	4
Health Science	73,800	84,200	10,400	14
Hospitality and Tourism	100,500	112,600	12,100	12
Human Services	28,700	32,500	3,700	13
Information Technology	7,500	8,900	1,400	19
Law, Public Safety, Corrections and Security	24,200	25,700	1,500	6
Manufacturing	59,400	59,200	-300	0
Marketing, Sales, and Service	109,400	111,900	2,500	2
Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics	10,600	11,600	1,000	9
Transportation, Distribution, and Logistics	67,100	67,400	300	0
TOTAL	771,400	805,600	34,200	4

High School Jobs in West Virginia, 2018



Postsecondary Jobs in West Virginia, 2018



- Arts, A/V Technology and Communications
- Business, Management and Administration
- Health Science
- Human Services
- Industrial and Engineering Technology
- Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources

The largest cluster—Business, Management, and Administration—will require substantial postsecondary education in 2018. It will grow by 3% for those with postsecondary education and shrink by 1% for those without.

Jobs for high school graduates and high school dropouts will grow more slowly than jobs for those with postsecondary education.

In West Virginia by 2018, there will be about 85,000 jobs for those with certificates.

Certificates Required by Occupational Cluster in 2008 and 2018 (in thousands)

