

AMTRAK Information
Ridership & Train Performance

Virginia financially supports four Amtrak routes which connect the Commonwealth to destinations in the Northeast. Ridership for state-supported trains is listed below. Information is reported on the federal fiscal year (FFY) schedule (October – September).

Lynchburg
One daily roundtrip between Lynchburg, VA and Washington, D.C./Northeast Corridor

Ridership			
Month	FFY15	FFY14	% Chg.
Oct	17,573	15,818	+11.1
Nov	17,933	15,512	+15.6
Dec	18,653	18,992	-1.8
Jan	13,963	12,520	+11.5
Feb	11,796	10,259	+15.0
Mar	16,719	16,076	+4.0
Apr	16,528	17,033	-3.0
May		15,973	
Jun		16,501	
Jul		18,118	
Aug		18,555	
Sep		14,366	
YTD	113,165	106,210	+6.5

Newport News
Two daily roundtrips between Newport News, VA and Washington, D.C./Northeast Corridor

Ridership			
Month	FFY15	FFY14	% Chg.
Oct	30,120	27,979	+7.7
Nov	32,341	30,008	+7.8
Dec	33,453	35,255	-5.1
Jan	23,791	23,301	+2.1
Feb	21,261	18,987	+12.0
Mar	29,896	25,867	+15.6
Apr	28,873	28,214	+2.3
May		29,107	
Jun		30,518	
Jul		33,250	
Aug		35,768	
Sep		26,081	
YTD	199,735	189,611	+5.3

Norfolk
One daily roundtrip between Norfolk, VA and Washington, D.C./Northeast Corridor

Ridership			
Month	FFY15	FFY14	% Chg.
Oct	12,644	11,340	+11.5
Nov	13,978	12,197	+14.6
Dec	15,549	14,609	+6.4
Jan	11,812	10,212	+15.7
Feb	9,699	9,447	+2.7
Mar	13,223	12,302	+7.5
Apr	13,271	13,659	-2.8
May		13,015	
Jun		14,205	
Jul		14,930	
Aug		14,409	
Sep		11,810	
YTD	88,684	83,766	+5.9

Richmond
Two daily roundtrips between Richmond, VA and Washington, D.C./Northeast Corridor

Ridership			
Month	FFY15	FFY14	% Chg.
Oct	16,420	15,542	+5.6
Nov	14,887	15,212	-2.1
Dec	17,903	17,832	+0.4
Jan	12,873	13,185	-2.4
Feb	11,410	11,920	-4.3
Mar	16,034	14,574	+10.0
Apr	18,558	17,608	+5.4
May		15,849	
Jun		16,943	
Jul		19,055	
Aug		18,026	
Sep		15,087	
YTD	108,085	105,873	+2.1

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Virginia is also served by Amtrak's long-distance services, including the Auto-train, Cardinal, Carolinian, Crescent, Palmetto, Silver Meteor, and Silver Star. Additional information on all Amtrak trains is available on Amtrak's website:

<http://www.amtrak.com/servlet/ContentServer?c=Page&pagename=am%2FLayout&cid=1241245669222>