

2011
Virginia Department of Transportation
Daily Traffic Volume Estimates
Including Vehicle Classification Estimates

where available

Special Locality Report

301

Town of South Hill

Information in this report is included in Report

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(Mecklenburg County)

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The Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) conducts a program where traffic count data are gathered from sensors in or along streets and highways and other sources. From these data, estimates of the average number of vehicles that traveled each segment of road are calculated. VDOT periodically publishes booklets listing these estimates.

One of these booklets, titled "Average Daily Traffic Volumes with Vehicle Classification Data, on Interstate, Arterial and Primary Routes" includes a list of each Interstate and Primary highway segment with the estimated Annual Average Daily Traffic (AADT) for that segment. AADT is the total annual traffic estimate divided by the number of days in the year. This booklet also includes information such as estimates of the percentage of the AADT made up by 6 different vehicle types, ranging from cars to double trailer trucks; estimated Annual Average Weekday Traffic (AAWDT), which is the number of vehicles estimated to have traveled the segment of highway during a 24 hour weekday averaged over the year; as well as Peak Hour and Peak Direction factors used by planners to formulate design criteria.

In addition to the Primary and Interstate publication, one hundred books are published periodically, one for each of 100 areas across the state defined by VDOT for record-keeping purposes. These books include traffic volume estimates for roads within the county, cities, and towns within the area. These books are titled "Daily Traffic Volumes Including Vehicle Classification Estimates, where available; Jurisdiction Report numbers 00 through 99".

Also available are a number of reports summarizing the average Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT) in selected jurisdictions and other categories of highways. There are many different ways to present traffic volume summary information. Because the user determines the value of each presentation, the reports have been redesigned based on user requests and feedback. The people of the VDOT Traffic Engineering Division Traffic Monitoring Section who produce these books welcome requests for other helpful ways of presenting the summary information.

A compact disc (CD) is available that includes files in the Adobe® Portable Document Format (PDF) that can be displayed, searched, and printed using common desktop computer equipment. The CD includes the publications described above as well as a number of other reports, including specialized VMT summaries and smaller AADT reports for each city and town separately.

Publication Notes

Parallel Roads

For road inventory and management purposes, some roadways are counted separately by direction and have separately published traffic estimates for each direction of travel. Examples of such roadways are the interstate system and routes with separated facilities and (usually) one-way traffic facilities in urban areas. In these publications, they are referred to as parallel roads. As a convenience for the users of the publication, the listing for segments of roads with parallel segments are published with both the traffic estimates for their own direction of travel (e.g. I-95 Northbound) as well as the estimate of the total of all traffic on the same route including parallel roadways (all directions of I-95). The publication will have a “Combined Traffic Estimates for Parallel Roadways on this Route” or “Combined Traffic” identifiers for the combined direction of travel estimates.

Roadways such as I-395 with a North segment, a South segment and a separate Reversible lane segment will have the estimate for more than two parallel roadways included in the entire combined traffic estimate.

Some routes have very complicated paths through cities and towns. These parallel paths may be too complex to allow a relationship between nearby sections of the opposite direction on the same route. In this case, to indicate that the traffic estimates for such a road segment may not include all directions of traffic on that route, the line that would list the combined values will indicate “NA” for not available.

VDOT’s traffic monitoring program includes more than 100,000 segments of roads and highways ranging from several mile sections of Interstate highways to very short sections of city streets. Due to problems experienced obtaining some traffic count data, and the level of quality necessary to maintain confidence in the data, no estimate is currently available for some segments of roadway. These segments are included in the publications indicating “NA” for not available. It is the intention of the VDOT Traffic Engineering Division Traffic Monitoring group to obtain the data necessary and to report traffic volume estimates on all road segments included in these publications.

Many of the road segments in this program are local secondary roads. The amount and detail of data collected on these roads are not as great as the data collected on higher volume roads. The vehicle classification, average weekday traffic volumes, and the theoretical design hour traffic volumes are not calculated for these roads. The publications indicate “NA” for the information that is not available.

This publication is based on a traffic monitoring program initiated in 1997. Because the data collection techniques and statistical evaluation processes are different than those used in previous years, comparison with previous publications may be misleading.

Glossary of Terms:

Route: The Route Number assigned to this segment of roadway with the master inventory route number if this is an overlapping route, with official street or highway name if available.

Length: Length of the traffic segment in miles.

AADT: Annual Average Daily Traffic. The estimate of typical daily traffic on a road segment for all days of the week, Sunday through Saturday, over the period of one year.

QA: Quality of AADT:

- A Average of Complete Continuous Count Data
- B Average of Selected Continuous Count Data
- F Factored Short Term Traffic Count Data
- G Factored Short Term Traffic Count Data with Growth Element
- H Historical Estimate
- M Manual Uncounted Estimate
- N AADT of Similar Neighboring Traffic Link
- O Provided By External Source
- R Raw Traffic Count, Unfactored

4Tire: Percentage of the traffic volume made up of motorcycles, passenger cars, vans and pickup trucks.

Bus: Percentage of the traffic volume made up of busses.

2Axle Truck: Percentage of the traffic volume made up of 2 axle single unit trucks (not including pickups and vans).

3+Axle Truck: Percentage of the traffic volume made up of single unit trucks with three or more axles.

1Trail Truck: Percentage of the traffic volume made up of units with a single trailer.

2Trail Truck: Percentage of the traffic volume made up of units with more than one trailer.

QC: Quality of Classification Data:

- A Average of Complete Continuous Count Data
- B Average of Selected Continuous Count Data
- C Short Term Classified Traffic Count Data
- F Factored Short Term Traffic Count Data
- H Historical Estimate
- M Mass Collective Average
- N Classification Estimates of Similar Neighboring Traffic Link

K Factor: The estimate of the portion of the traffic volume traveling during the peak hour or design hour.

QK: Quality of the K Factor estimate:

- A Factor based on 30th Highest Hour Observed During at least 250 days of Continuous Traffic Data
- B Factor based on other Hour Observed During Less than 250 days of Continuous Traffic Data
- F Factor based on Highest Hour Collected at in a 48 Hour Weekday Period
- M Factor based on Manual Estimate of design hour
- N Design Hour Factor (K Factor) of Similar Neighboring Traffic Link
- O Provided by External Source

Dir Factor: The estimate of the portion of the traffic volume traveling in the peak direction during the peak hour..

AAWDT: Average Annual Weekday Traffic. The estimate of typical traffic over the period of one year for the days between Monday through Thursday inclusive.

QW: Quality of AAWDT:

- A Average of Complete Continuous Count Data
- B Average of Selected Continuous Count Data
- F Factored Short Term Traffic Count Data
- G Factored Short Term Traffic Count Data with Growth Element
- M Manual Uncounted Estimate
- N AAWDT of Similar Neighboring Traffic Link
- O Provided by External Source

Year: Year for which the published values are appropriate. If the Quality of AADT (QA) is "R", the year is the year that the raw traffic count was collected, and if available,

Route Shield Legend

Route Systems



Interstate Route

Traffic volume data for Interstate Routes and some other routes are reported separately by direction, as well as combined.



US Route



Virginia State Route



Frontage Road (F precedes frontage route number)



Secondary Route

Special Routes



Bus - Business Route

Bypas - Bypass Route

Truck - Truck Route



ALT - Alternate Route

Wve - Wve Route connector



P - Parallel Route; Southbound or Westbound direction lanes of a numbered route where they are on a different road facility than the other direction.



The VDOT Maintenance Jurisdiction number is displayed below the Secondary Route Number if the Maintenance Jurisdiction is different than the jurisdiction in the title of the report.

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Route	Jurisdiction	Length	AADT	QA	4Tire	Bus	-----Truck-----				QC	K Factor	QK	Dir Factor	AAWDT	QW
							2Axle	3+Axle	1Trail	2Trail						
Bus 1 58 Danville St	From: SCL South Hill Town of South Hill	1.89	5000	G	96%	0%	1%	1%	2%	0%	C	0.096	F	0.616	5400	G
Bus 1 58 Danville St	To: Locust St From: SCL South Hill	0.28	7100	G	96%	0%	1%	1%	2%	0%	F	0.094	F	0.500	7600	G
Bus 1 58 Danville St	To: Plank Rd From: SCL South Hill	0.09	7800	G	96%	0%	1%	1%	2%	0%	F	0.089	F	0.502	8300	G
Bus 1 58 Danville St	To: Goodes Ferry Blvd From: SCL South Hill	0.23	7200	G	96%	0%	1%	1%	2%	0%	F	0.092	F	0.508	7700	G
Bus 1 58 Mecklenburg Ave	To: Mecklenburg Ave From: Danville St	0.16	8100	G	97%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	F	0.091	F	0.5	8700	G
1 Mecklenburg Ave	To: US 58 BUS; SR 47 Atlantic St From: Mecklenburg Ave	0.08	6800	G	97%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	F	0.1	F	0.547	7300	G
1 Mecklenburg Ave	To: Windsor St From: US 58 BUS; SR 47 Atlantic St	0.58	8900	G	97%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	F	0.092	F	0.521	9500	G
1 Mecklenburg Ave	To: E Ferrell St From: Windsor St	2.26	5900	G	97%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	C	0.094	F	0.517	6300	G
47 W Atlantic St	To: NCL South Hill From: E Ferrell St	0.63	6400	G	96%	0%	1%	1%	3%	0%	F	0.090	F	0.540	6500	G
47 W Atlantic St	To: Thomas St From: NCL South Hill	0.23	5300	G	96%	0%	1%	1%	3%	0%	C	0.094	F	0.605	5400	G
47 W Atlantic St	To: Opie Rd From: Thomas St	0.39	6000	G	96%	0%	1%	1%	3%	0%	F	0.095	F	0.622	6100	G
58	To: WCL South Hill From: Opie Rd	0.69	6100	G	82%	1%	1%	1%	14%	1%	F	0.085	F	0.619	6000	G
58 E Atlantic St	To: BUS US 58; Country Lane From: WCL South Hill	0.24	20000	G	82%	1%	1%	1%	14%	1%	F	0.084	F	0.559	20000	G
Bus 58 1 Danville St	To: ECL South Hill; I-85 From: BUS US 58; Country Lane	0.28	7100	G	96%	0%	1%	1%	2%	0%	F	0.094	F	0.500	7600	G
Bus 58 1 Danville St	To: SCL South Hill From: ECL South Hill; I-85	1.89	5000	G	96%	0%	1%	1%	2%	0%	C	0.096	F	0.616	5400	G
Bus 58 1 Danville St	To: Locust St From: SCL South Hill	0.09	7800	G	96%	0%	1%	1%	2%	0%	F	0.089	F	0.502	8300	G
	To: Goodes Ferry Blvd From: Locust St															

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Bus 58 1 Danville St	From: Goodes Ferry Blvd Town of South Hill To: Mecklenburg Ave	0.23	7200	G	96%	0%	1%	1%	2%	0%	F	0.092	F	0.508	7700	G
Bus 58 1 Mecklenburg Ave	From: Danville St Town of South Hill To: US 1; SR 47 Atlantic St	0.16	8100	G	97%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	F	0.091	F	0.5	8700	G
Bus 58 Atlantic St	From: US 1; SR 47 Town of South Hill To: Windsor St	0.48	9600	G	97%	0%	1%	0%	2%	0%	C	0.083	F	0.571	10000	G
Bus 58 Atlantic St	From: Windsor St Town of South Hill To: US 58 E Atlantic St	0.66	12000	G	97%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	C	0.086	F	0.51	13000	G
North 85	From: SCL South Hill Town of South Hill (Maint: 58) Combined Traffic Estimates for 2 Parallel Roadways on this Route:	0.25	11000	A	79%	1%	1%	1%	17%	2%	F	0.138	A		10000	A
	To: US 58		24000	A	79%	1%	1%	0%	17%	2%	F	NA		21000	A	
North 85	From: US 58 Town of South Hill (Maint: 58) Combined Traffic Estimates for 2 Parallel Roadways on this Route:	2.53	10000	B	79%	1%	1%	1%	17%	2%	F	0.135	A		9100	B
	To: US 1		21000	B	79%	1%	1%	0%	17%	2%	F	0.124	A		18000	B
North 85	From: US 1 Town of South Hill (Maint: 58) Combined Traffic Estimates for 2 Parallel Roadways on this Route:	0.53	10000	B	79%	1%	1%	1%	17%	2%	F	0.137	A		8800	B
	To: NCL South Hill		20000	B	79%	1%	1%	0%	17%	2%	F	NA		18000	B	
South 85	From: SCL South Hill Town of South Hill (Maint: 58) Combined Traffic Estimates for 2 Parallel Roadways on this Route:	0.40	12000	A	79%	1%	1%	0%	18%	2%	F	0.129	A		10000	A
	To: US 58		24000	A	79%	1%	1%	0%	17%	2%	F	NA		21000	A	
South 85	From: US 58 Town of South Hill (Maint: 58) Combined Traffic Estimates for 2 Parallel Roadways on this Route:	2.72	10000	B	79%	1%	1%	0%	18%	2%	F	0.127	A		8900	B
	To: US 1		21000	B	79%	1%	1%	0%	17%	2%	F	0.124	A		18000	B
South 85	From: US 1 Town of South Hill (Maint: 58) Combined Traffic Estimates for 2 Parallel Roadways on this Route:	0.29	10000	A	79%	1%	1%	0%	18%	2%	F	0.127	A		8800	A
	To: NCL South Hill		20000	B	79%	1%	1%	0%	17%	2%	F	NA		18000	B	
138 Union Mill Rd	From: US 1 Mecklenburg Ave Town of South Hill To: NCL South Hill	0.38	3200	G	94%	0%	1%	1%	4%	0%	F	0.093	F	0.617	3300	G

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① Brunswick Ave	0.13	780	G								0.126	F	0.685	790	G	2011
② Charles St	0.28	190	G	98%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	C	0.124	F	0.556	200	G	2011
③ Danville St	0.31	1500	G	98%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	F	0.126	F	0.570	1500	G	2011
④ Dortch Lane	0.18	1400	G	99%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	C	0.116	F	0.521	1400	G	2011
⑦ Lunenburg Ave	0.16	1000	G	98%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	C	0.099	F	0.532	1000	G	2011
⑧ Main St	0.45	940	G	98%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	C	0.109	F	0.661	960	G	2011
⑧ Main St	0.69	3100	G	98%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	F	0.1	F	0.548	3100	G	2011
⑨ Maple St	0.07	3600	G	98%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	F	0.095	F	0.527	3700	G	2011
⑩ Pace Dr	0.51	980	G	98%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	C	0.107	F	0.658	1000	G	2011
⑪ Raleigh Ave	0.65	1000	G	99%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	F	0.113	F	0.579	1000	G	2011
⑪ Raleigh Ave	0.86	510	G	99%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	C	0.134	F	0.507	530	G	2011
⑪ Raleigh Ave	0.04	280	G	99%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	F	0.153	F	0.5	290	G	2011
⑫ Thomas St	0.15	1700	G	97%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	C	0.119	F	0.621	1700	G	2011
⑬ Windsor St	0.49	2500	G	99%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	C	0.087	F	0.782	2600	G	2011
⑭	0.85	NA									NA			NA		
⑮ Field Dr	0.09	320	G								NA			350	G	2011
⑯ Goods Ferry Rd	0.59	1200	G								NA			1200	G	2011
⑤23 Goodes Ferry Blvd	0.42	1300	G	97%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	C	0.099	F	0.593	1400	G	2011
⑤23 South Hill Ave	0.31	970	G	97%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	F	0.116	F	0.543	1000	G	2011
⑤23 South Hill Ave	0.22	1200	G	97%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	F	0.107	F	0.508	1200	G	2011

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(529) Chaptico Rd	0.46	1800	G	98%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	F	0.095	F	0.589	1900	G	2011
						From: Mecklenburg Ave										
						To: Buena Vista Circle										
(529) Chaptico Rd	0.59	1100	G	98%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	C	0.097	F	0.637	1100	G	2011
						From: Buena Vista Cir										
						To: NCL South Hill										
(2519) Plank Rd	0.38	1600	G	98%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	C	0.100	F	0.535	1600	G	2011
						From: Danville St										
						To: Opie St										
(2519) Opie Rd	0.26	2500	G	98%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	F	0.095	F	0.613	2600	G	2011
						From: Plank Rd										
						To: Atlantic St										
(2520) McCracken St	0.19	4300	G	99%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	F	0.091	F	0.572	4400	G	2011
						From: Bus US 58 Atlantic St										
						To: Franklin St										
(2520) Lombardy St	0.61	4000	G	99%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	F	0.092	F	0.576	4100	G	2011
						From: E Ferrell St										
						To: Lombardy St										
(2520) E Ferrell St	0.32	3900	G	99%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	C	0.093	F	0.574	3900	G	2011
						From: Lombardy St										
						To: Mecklenburg Ave										
Forest Ln		600	G								0.126	F	0.526	640	G	2011
						From: Green Hill Rd										
						To: Stockley St										
High St		280	G								0.135	F	0.705	300	G	2011
						From: Raleigh Ave										
						To: Baker St										
Holmes St		180	G								0.113	F	0.522	190	G	2011
						From: Lombardy St										
						To: Benton St										
Maple Lane		NA									NA			NA		
						From: US 58 Bypass										
						To: Main St										