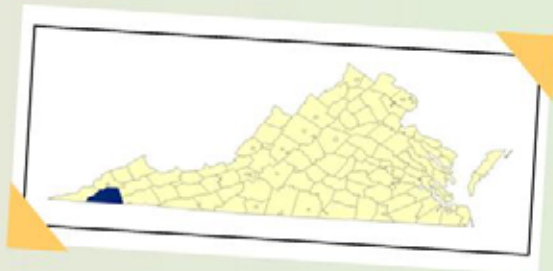


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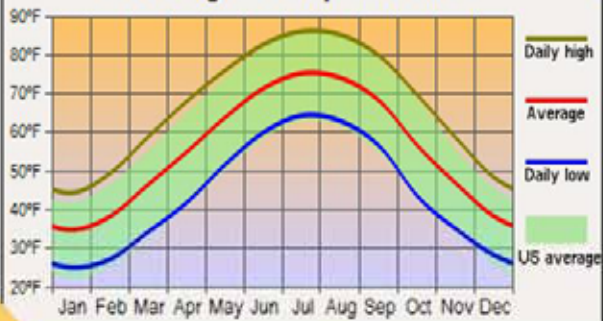
County seat:	Gate City
Area:	537 mi ²
Population (2006):	23,837
Median Age (2006):	43.0
Average Family Size:	2.82
Median Home Value:	\$69,100
Median Household Income (2004):	\$31,450
Unemployment Rate (October 2007):	4.6%
% Employment Growth (2005-2006):	2.4%
Average Commute Time:	30.6 min
Cost-of-Living Index:	87.6*

* Kingsport/Bristol (the closest reporting metro area)



Southwest of Virginia

Average Temperatures



Geography

Towns & Communities: Clinchport, Duffield, Dungannon, Fort Blackmore, Gate City, Hiltons, Mendota, Nickelsville, Snowflake, Weber City, Yuma

Bodies of Water: Bark Camp Lake, Clinch River, Holston River-North Fork

Major Roads: US 23, US 58, US 65, US 71, US 72, US 224

Climate

Average Temperature	Average Annual Precipitation
January -34°F	Rainfall -51.75 "
July -73°F	Snowfall -20.80 "

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Summaries of Southwest Virginia

2006 Population: 23,837

Gender Distribution:

Male - 48.2%
Female - 51.8%

Ethnic Distribution:

White - 98.6%
Black - 0.9%
American Indian - 0.1%
Asian - 0.1%
Native Pacific Islander - 0%
Other - 0.3%
Hispanic (of any race) - 0.6%

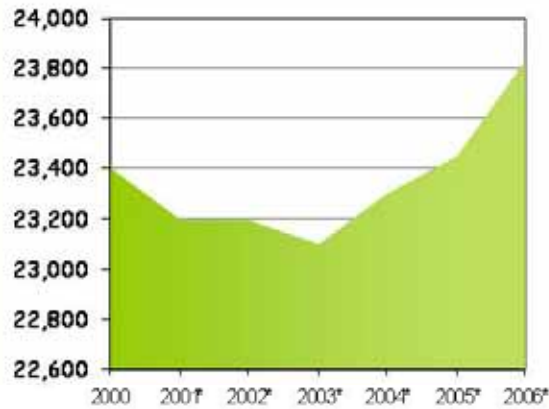
Marital Status (Ages 15+):

Never Married - 16.9%
Married - 62.6%
Separated/Divorced - 10.0%
Widowed - 10.5%

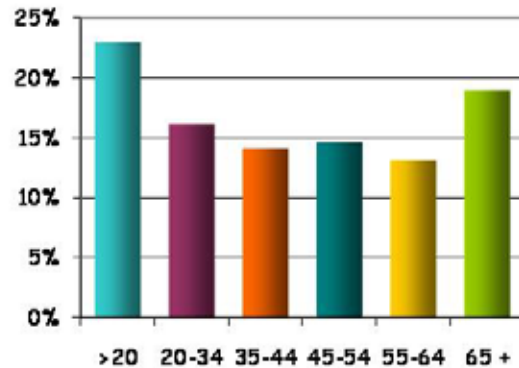
Households:

Families - 71.7%
Families w/ Children - 30.2%
Living Alone - 26.1%

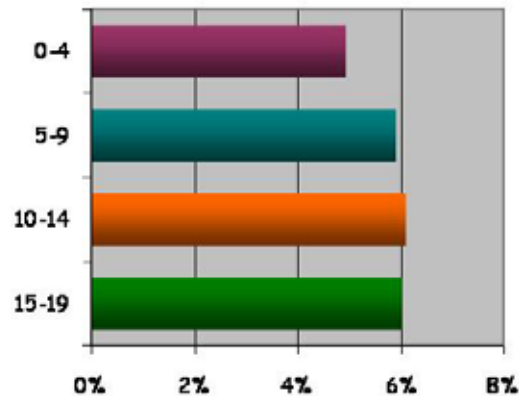
Population



Distribution by Age



Distribution by Age (Under 20)



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Summary of Southwest Virginia

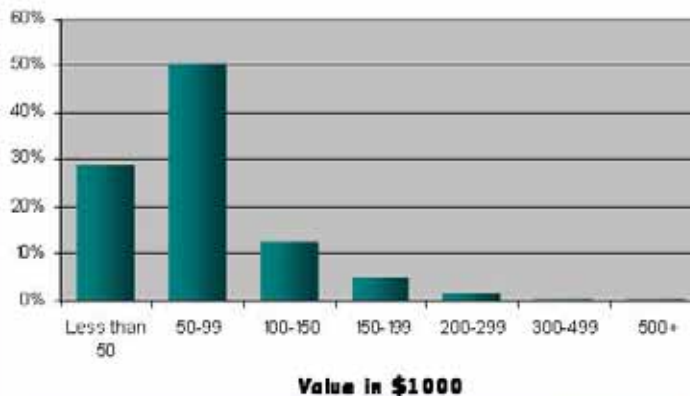
Housing:

- Occupied Housing - 86.3%
 - Occupied by Owner - 78.2%
 - Occupied by Renter - 21.8%
- Vacant Housing - 13.7%
 - For Recreational User - 2.6%

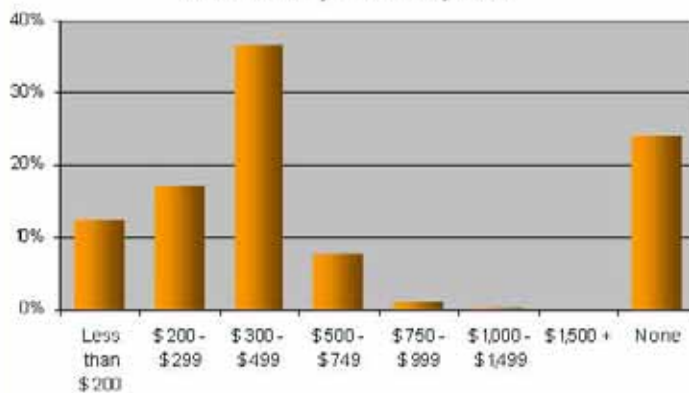
Median Home Value - \$69,100
 Median Monthly Rent - \$335

Median Ownership Costs - \$659
 (with a mortgage)
 Median Ownership Costs - \$179
 (without a mortgage)

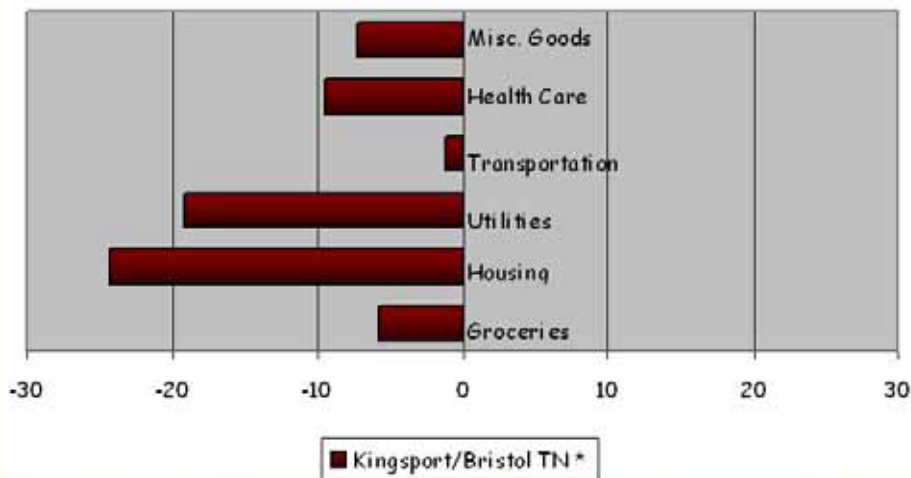
Scott County: Home Value



Scott County: Monthly Rent



Cost of Living Index



On the Cost of Living Graph, the National Average is set to zero. The numbers on the horizontal axis represent the percent difference in the cost of an item in the region versus the National Average cost.

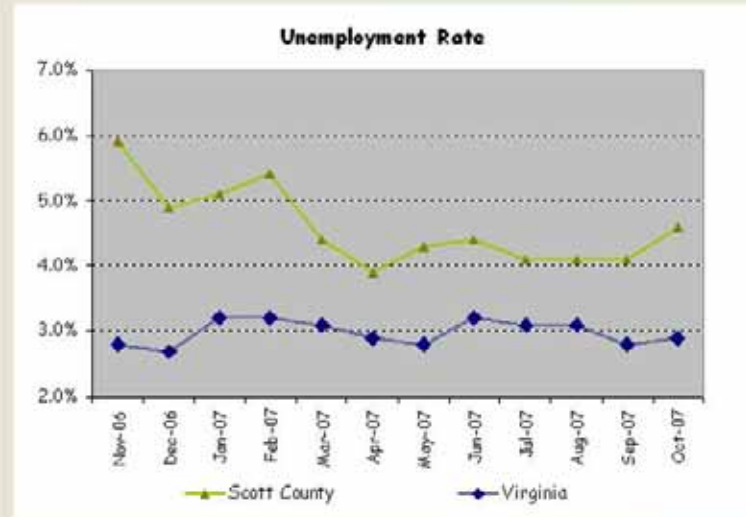
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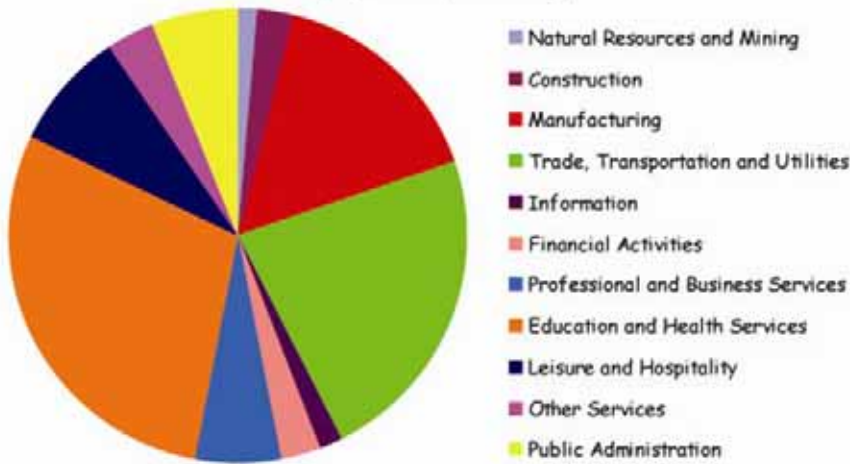
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Civilian Labor Force
(October 2007)

10,130



Employment by Industry



Labor Force by Education

H.S. Diploma	36.3%
Some College	15.5%
Associates	4.3%
Bachelors	6.0%
Graduate	2.4%

Largest Employers

Scott County School Board
Tempur Production
Joy Technologies
Results Duffield LLC
K-VA-T (Food City)

Industry

Educational Services
Manufacturing
Manufacturing
Call Center
Grocery Retailer

Employees

500-999
250-499
250-499
100-249
100-249

Data as of: 4th Quarter 2006

Southwest Virginia

Scott County Public Schools

Superintendent: Mr. James Scott
261 E. Jackson Street, Gate City, VA 24251
(276) 386-6118

Elementary/Middle Schools

Duffield Primary

6854 Duff-Patt Road
Duffield, VA 24244
(276) 431 - 2244
Principal: Mr. Otis Bowen

Grades: K-4
2007-08: Fully Accredited
Fall 2007 enrollment: 379
<http://scott.k12.va.us/duffield/>

Dungannon Intermediate

PO Box 280
Dungannon, VA 24245
(276) 467-2281
Principal: Ms. Jennifer Meade

Grades: 4-7
2007-08: Fully Accredited
Fall 2007 enrollment: 83
<http://scott.k12.va.us/dungannon/>

Fort Blackmore Primary

Route 1, Box 40
Fort Blackmore, VA 24250
(276) 995-2471
Principal: Ms. Valerie Babb

Grades: K-3
2007-08: Fully Accredited
Fall 2007 enrollment: 102
<http://scott.k12.va.us/fortblackmore/>

Gate City Middle

125 Beech Street
Gate City, VA 24251
(276) 386-6065
Principal: Mr. John Ferguson

Grades: 7-9
2007-08: Fully Accredited
Fall 2007 enrollment: 551
<http://scott.k12.va.us/gcms/>

Hilton Elementary

Rt 1 Box A-1
Hiltons, VA 24258
(276) 386-7430
Principal: Mr. Tim Spicer

Grades: K-6
2007-08: Fully Accredited
Fall 2007 enrollment: 187
<http://scott.k12.va.us/hilton/>

Nickelsville Elementary

PO Box 136
Nickelsville, VA 24271
(276) 479-2646
Principal: Mr. Greg Ervin

Grades: K-7
2007-08: Fully Accredited
Fall 2007 enrollment: 289
<http://scott.k12.va.us/nickelsville/>

Rye Cove Intermediate

RT 4 Box 59
Clinchport, VA 24244
(276) 940-2322
Principal: Ms. Renee' Dishner

Grades: 5-7
2007-08: Fully Accredited
Fall 2007 enrollment: 161
<http://scott.k12.va.us/rci/>

Shoemaker Elementary

125 Shoemaker Drive
Gate City, VA 24251
(276) 386-7002
Principal: Ms. Kathy Musick

Grades: K-6
2007-08: Fully Accredited
Fall 2007 enrollment: 546
<http://scott.k12.va.us/shoemaker/>

Weber City Elementary

145 Jennings Street
Weber City, VA 24290
(276) 386 - 7981
Principal: Mr. Jason Smith

Grades: K-6
2007-08: Fully Accredited
Fall 2007 enrollment: 410
<http://scott.k12.va.us/wces/>

Yuma Elementary

Rte 3, Box 624, Gate City, VA 24251
(276) 386-3109
Principal: Mr. Sammy Parks

Grades: K-6
2007-08: Fully Accredited
Fall 2007 enrollment: 157
<http://scott.k12.va.us/yuma/>

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High Schools

Gate City High
137 Beech Street
Gate City, VA 24251
(276) 386-7522
Principal: Mr. William Ervin

Grades: 10-12
2007-08: Fully Accredited
Fall 2007 enrollment: 510
<http://scott.k12.va.us/gchs/>

Rye Cove High
Route 4, Box 154
Clinchport, VA 24244
(276) 940-2701
Principal: Mr. James Meade

Grades: 8-12
2007-08: Fully Accredited
Fall 2007 enrollment: 322
<http://scott.k12.va.us/rchs/>

Twin Springs High
Route 1, Box 114
Nickelsville, VA 24271
(276) 479-2185
Principal: Mr. Mike Lane

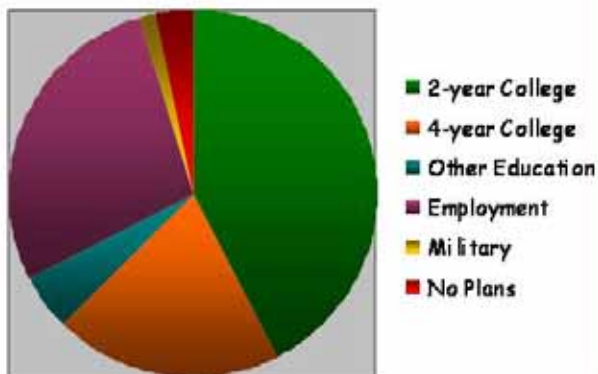
Grades: 8-12
2007-08: Fully Accredited
Fall 2007 enrollment: 299
<http://scott.k12.va.us/tshs/>

Vocational Schools

Scott County Career & Technical Center
150 Broadwater Avenue
Gate City, VA 24251
(276) 386-6515
Principal: Mr. Ralph Quesinberry
<http://scott.k12.va.us/voc/>

Program offerings: Automotive Servicing
Technology, Building Trades, Computer Networking,
Cosmetology, Electricity & Cabling, Culinary Arts,
Graphic Imaging Technology, Horticulture,
Manufacturing Technology, Marketing, Masonry,
Practical Nursing and Welding.

Post High School Graduation Plans



LOCAL COLLEGES

Mountain Empire Community College
Southwest Virginia Community College
Virginia Highlands Community College
University of Virginia at Wise
Emory and Henry College
Virginia Intermont College
King College
East Tennessee State University