

**Demographic and Economic Profile  
of the  
Rappahannock-Rapidan  
Regional Commission Area**

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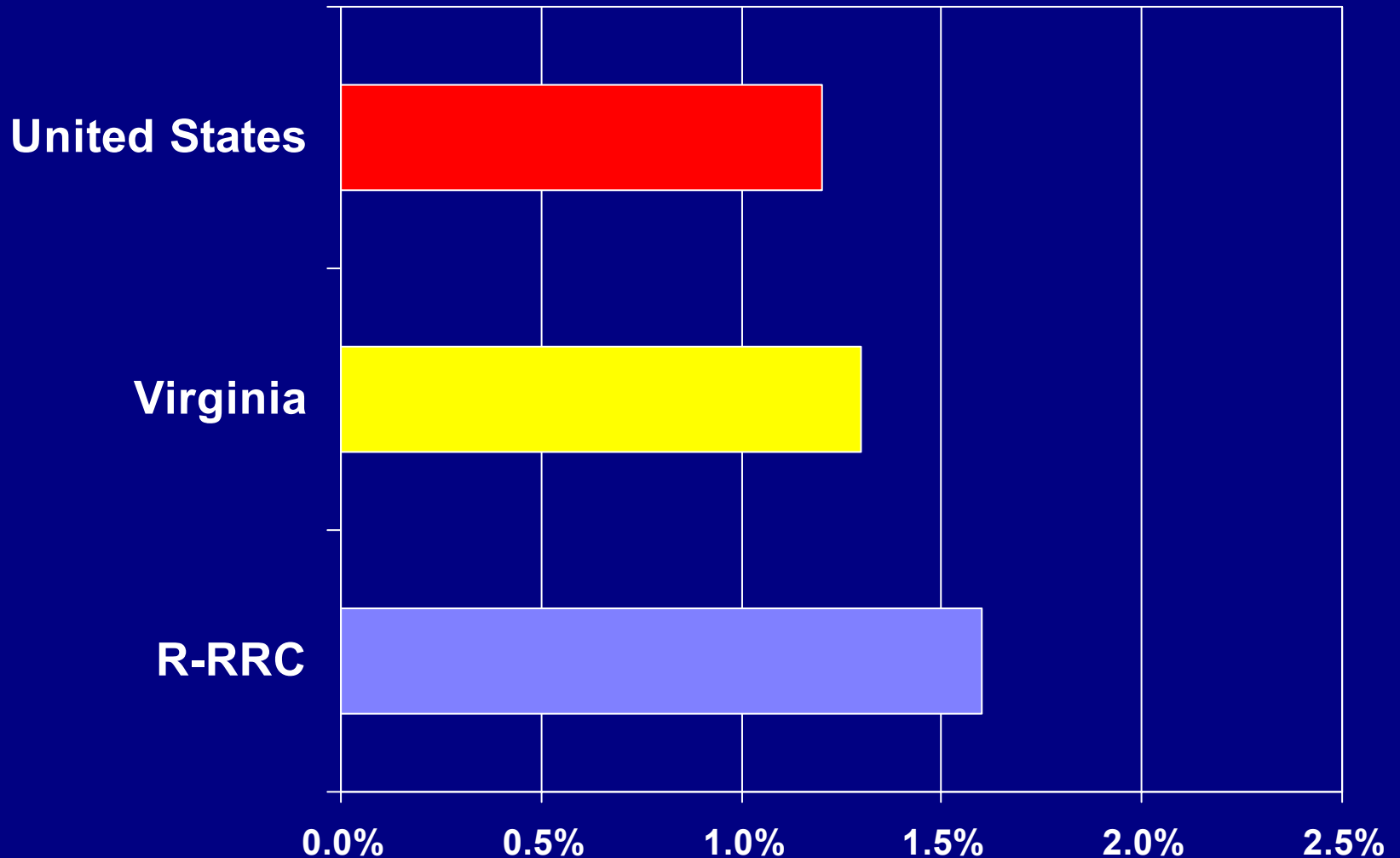
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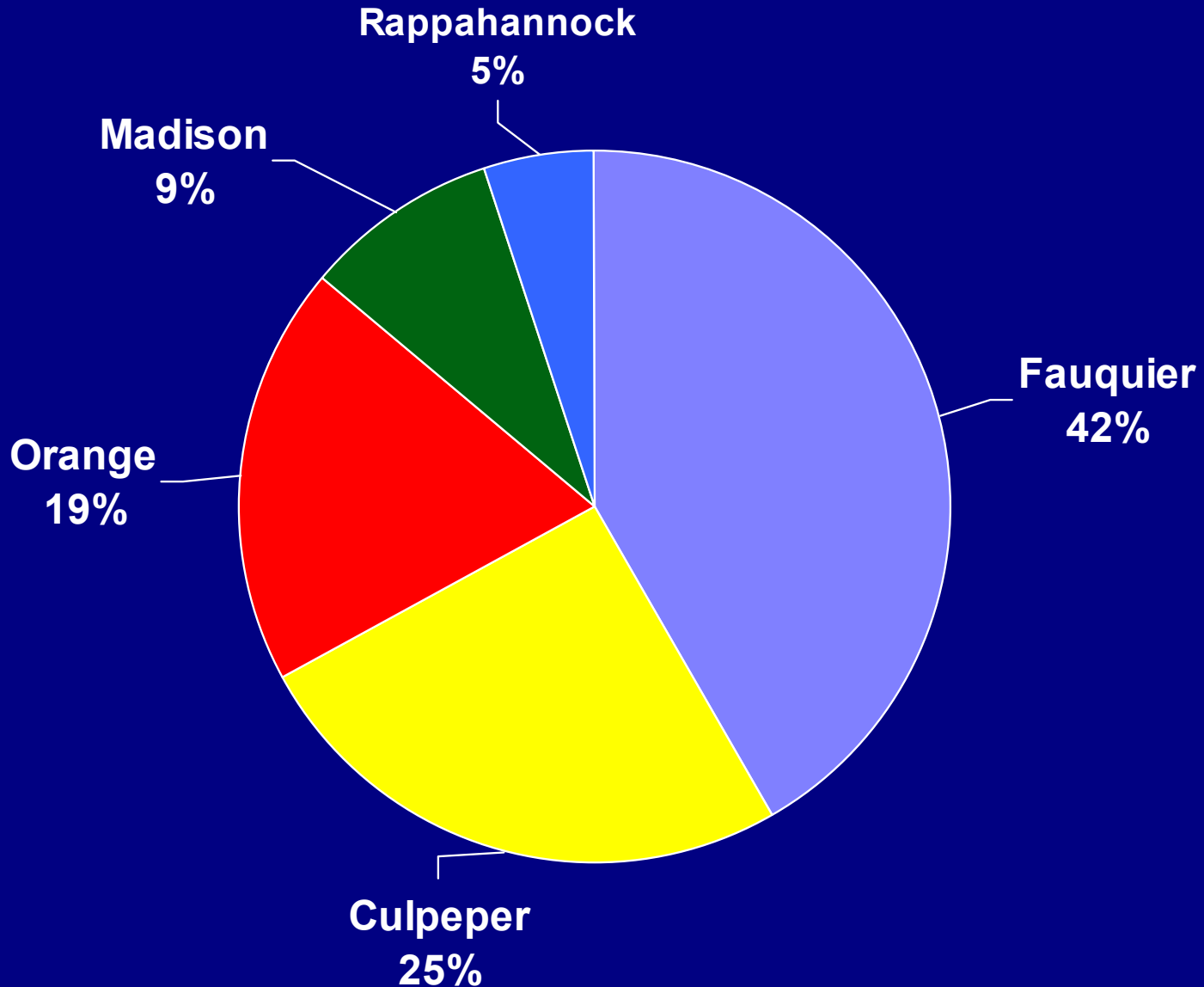
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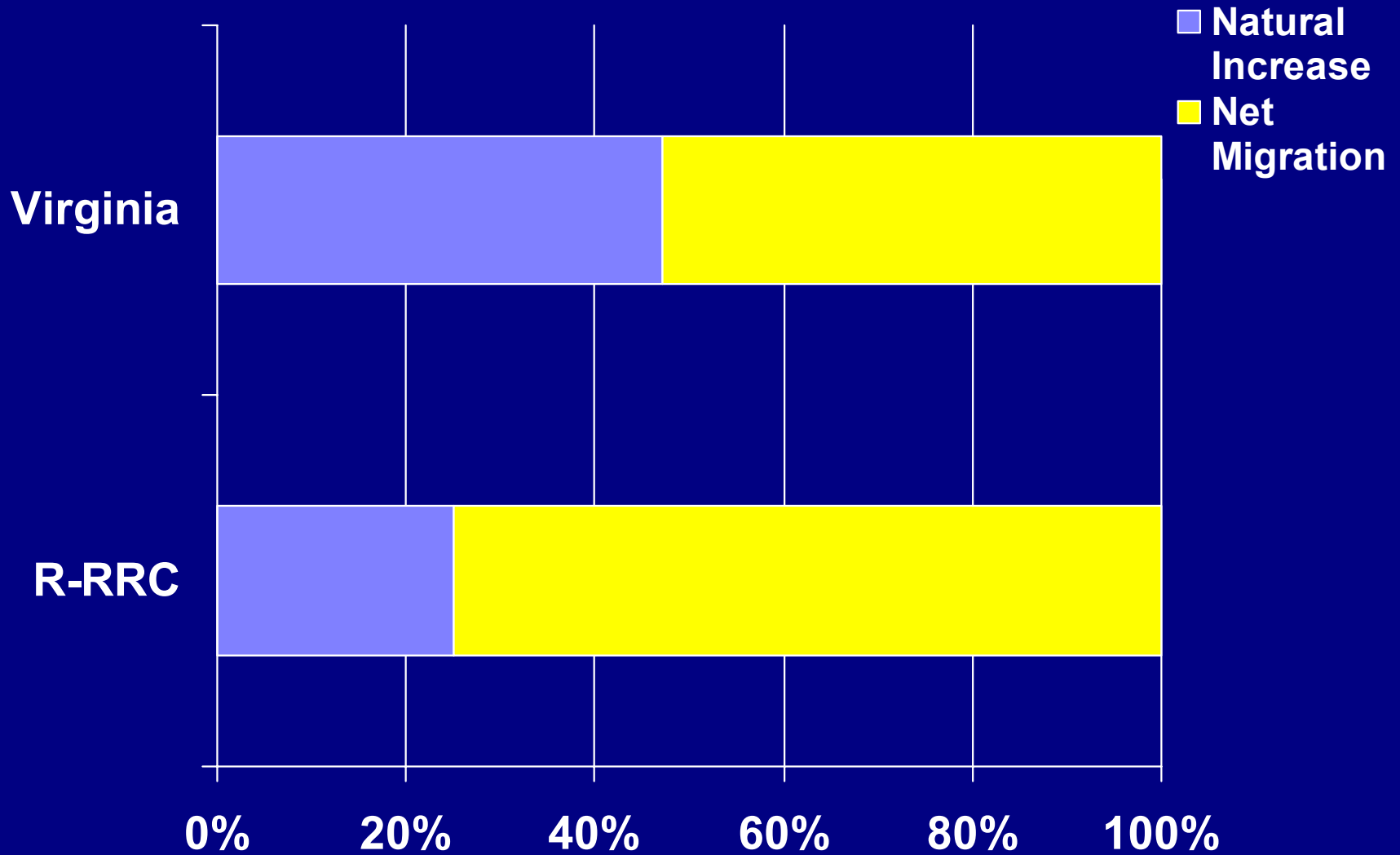
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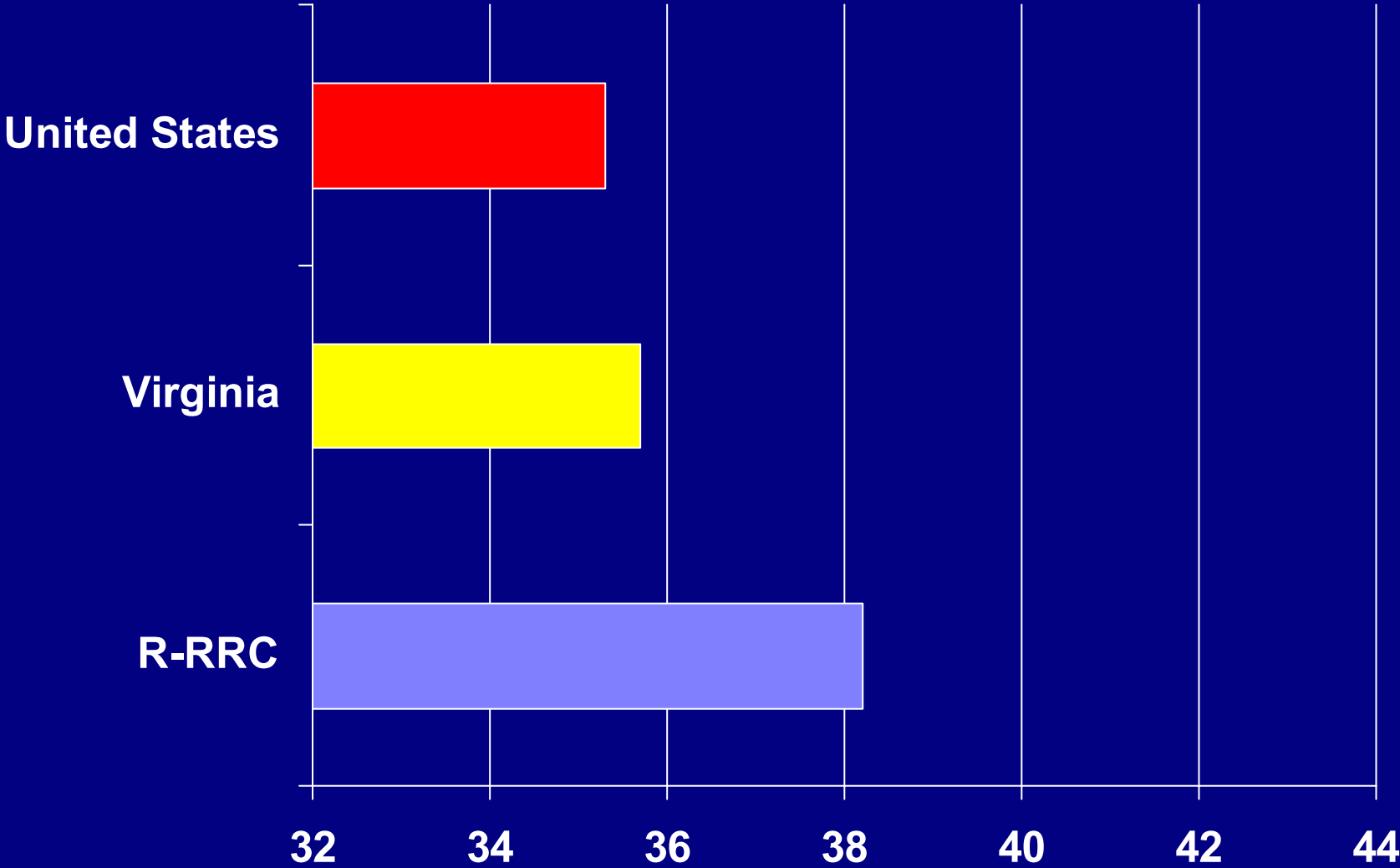
# Population Shares by Locality in the R-RRC Area, 2002



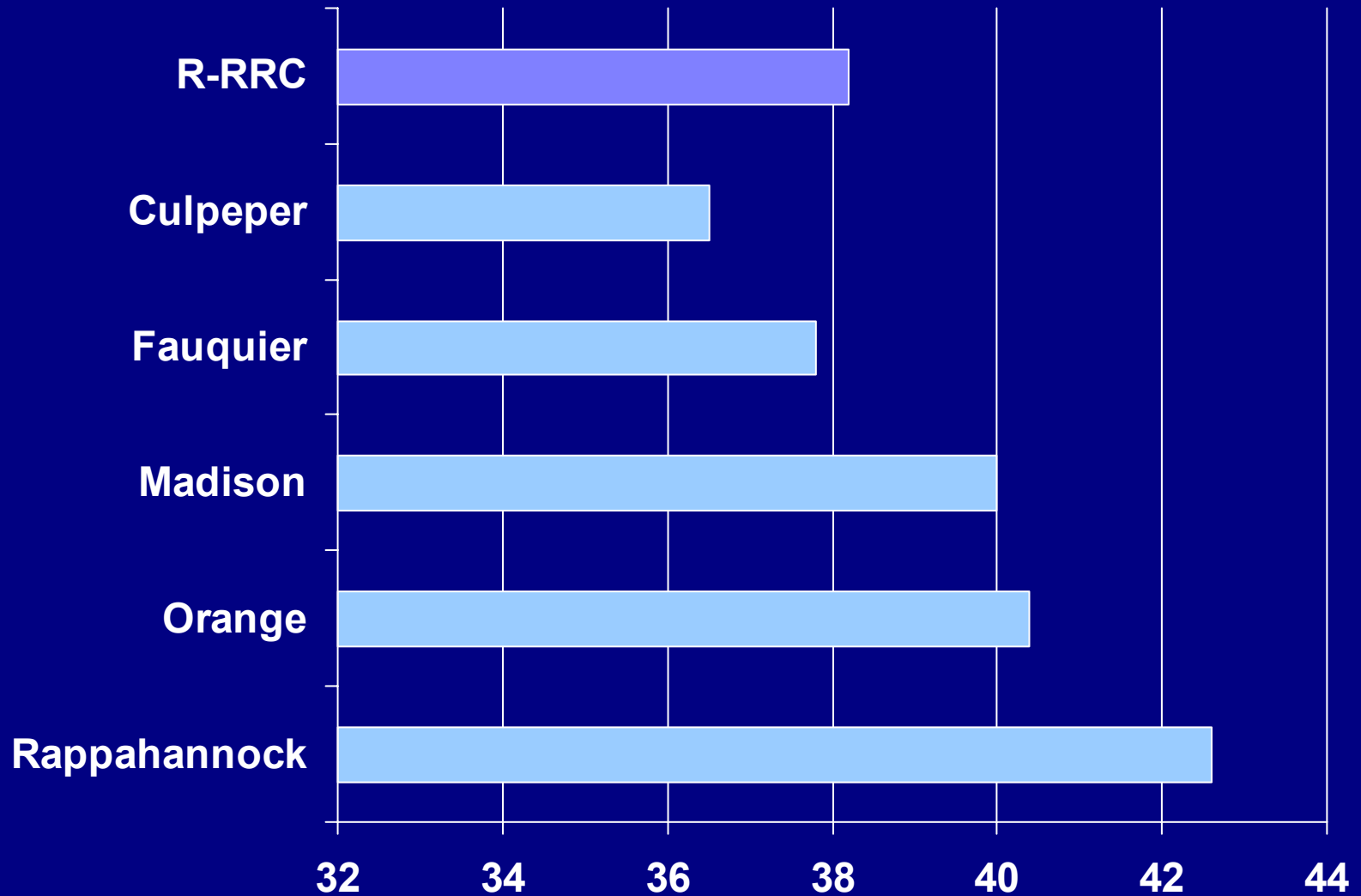
# Population Change by Source, 1990 - 2002



# Median Age, 2000

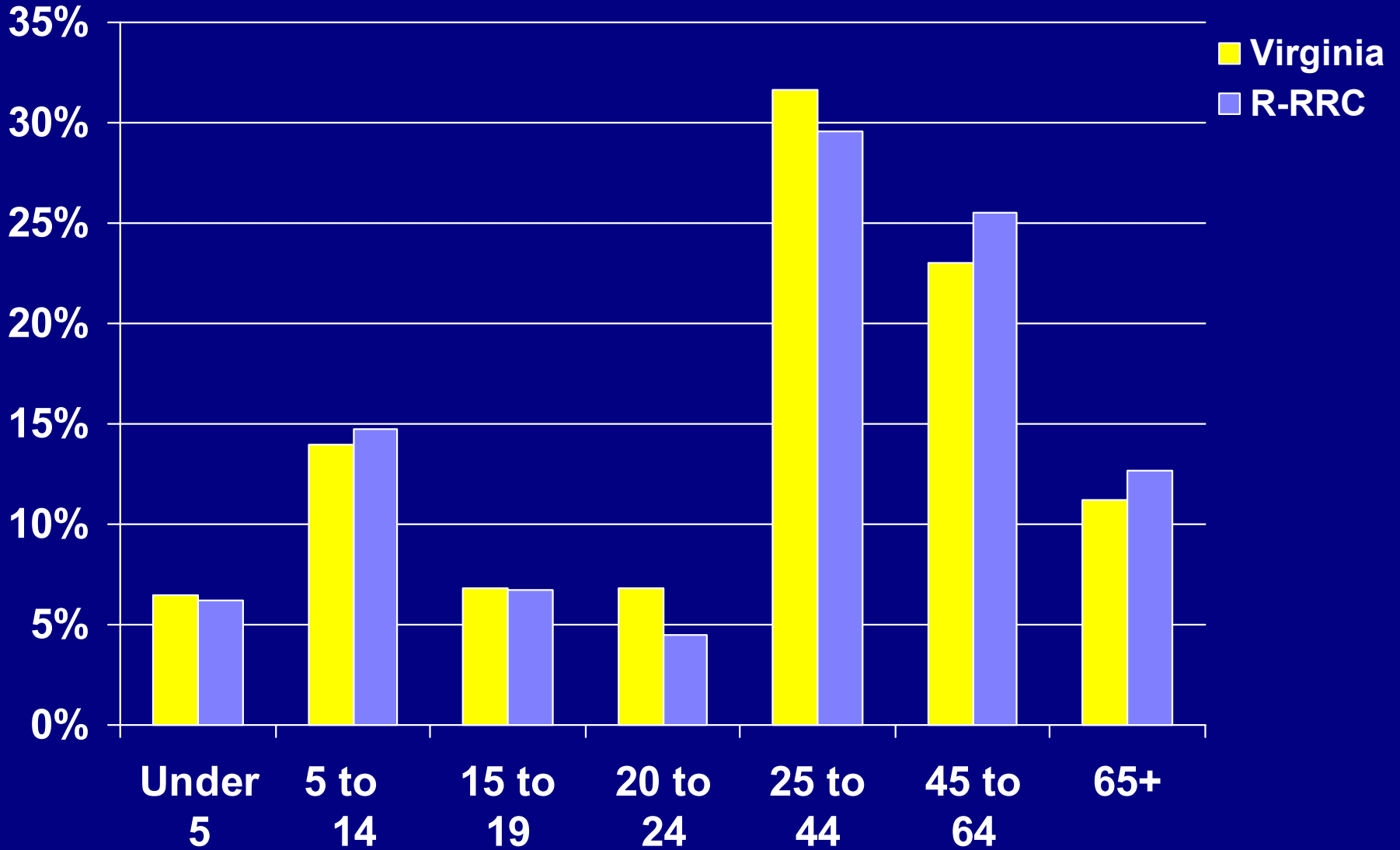


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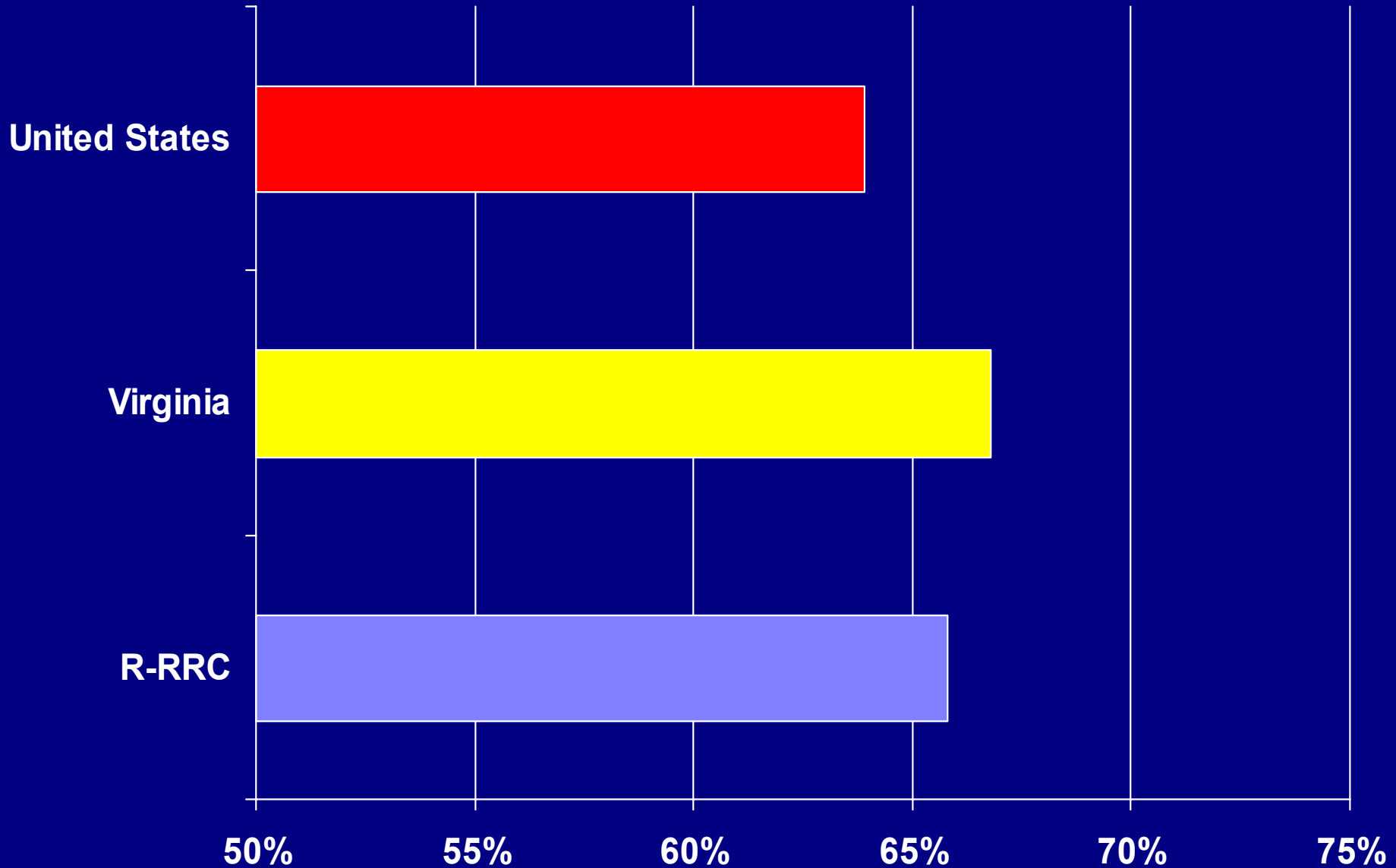


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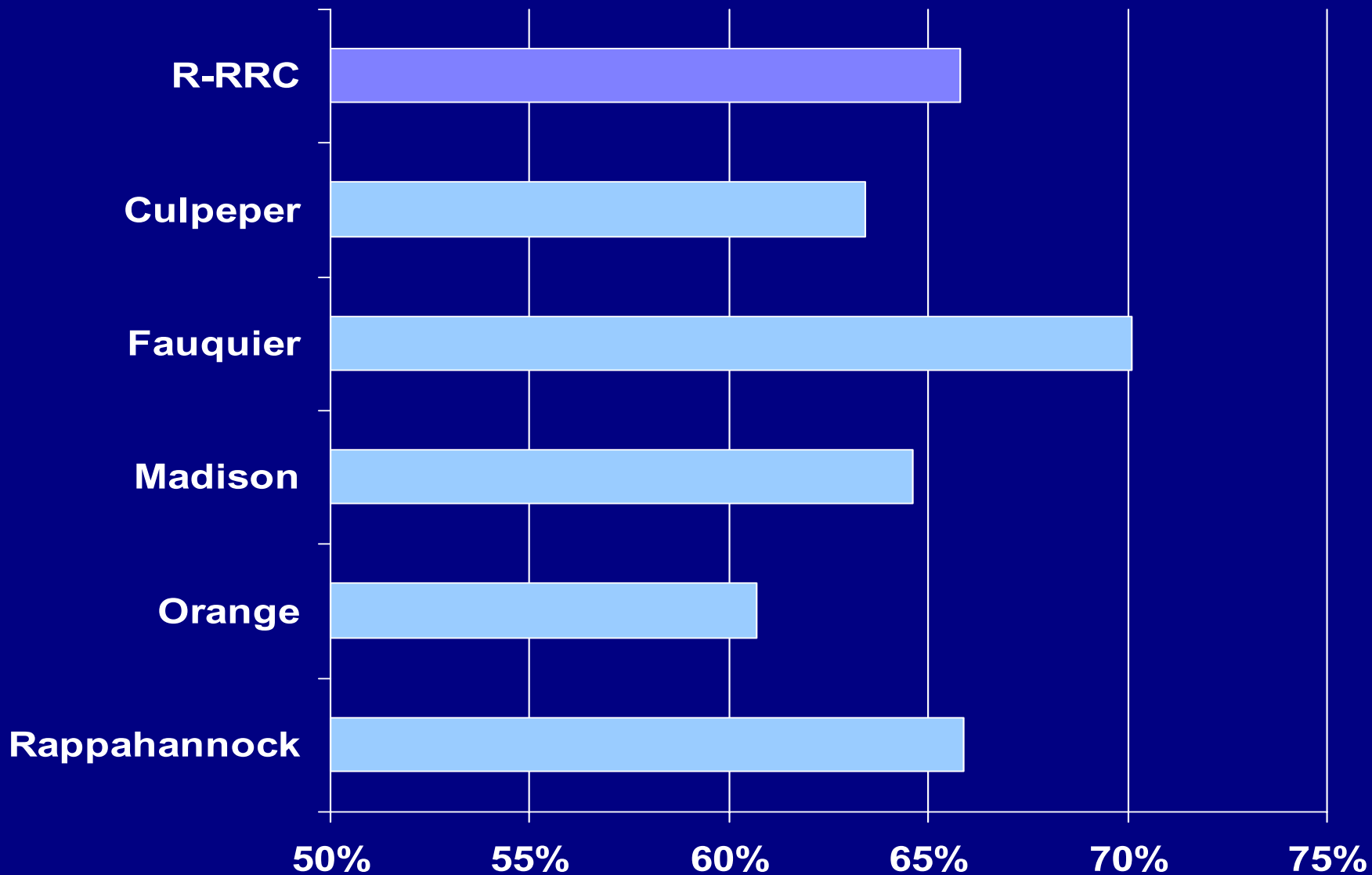


# Labor Force

# Labor Force Participation Rate, 2000



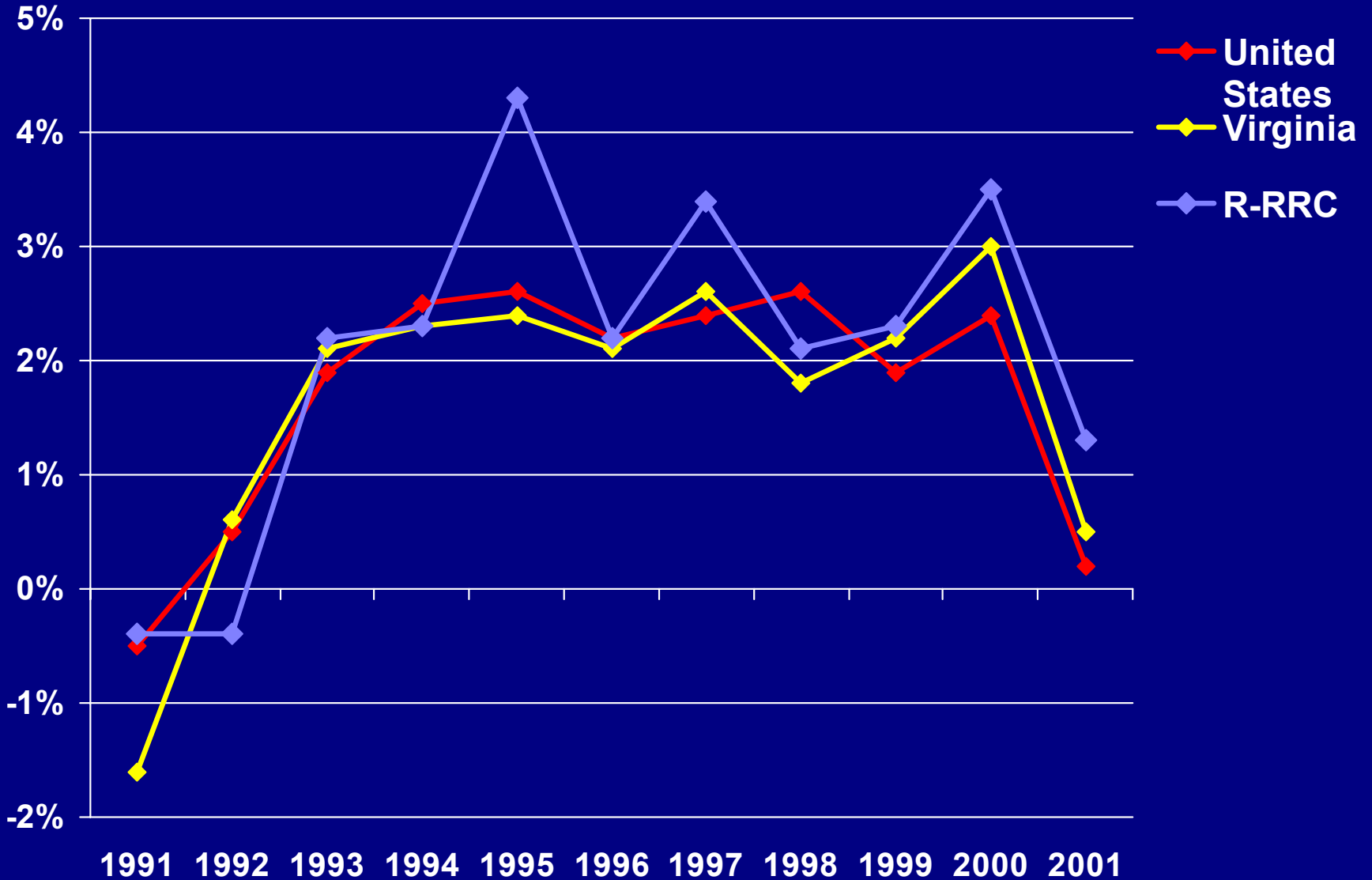
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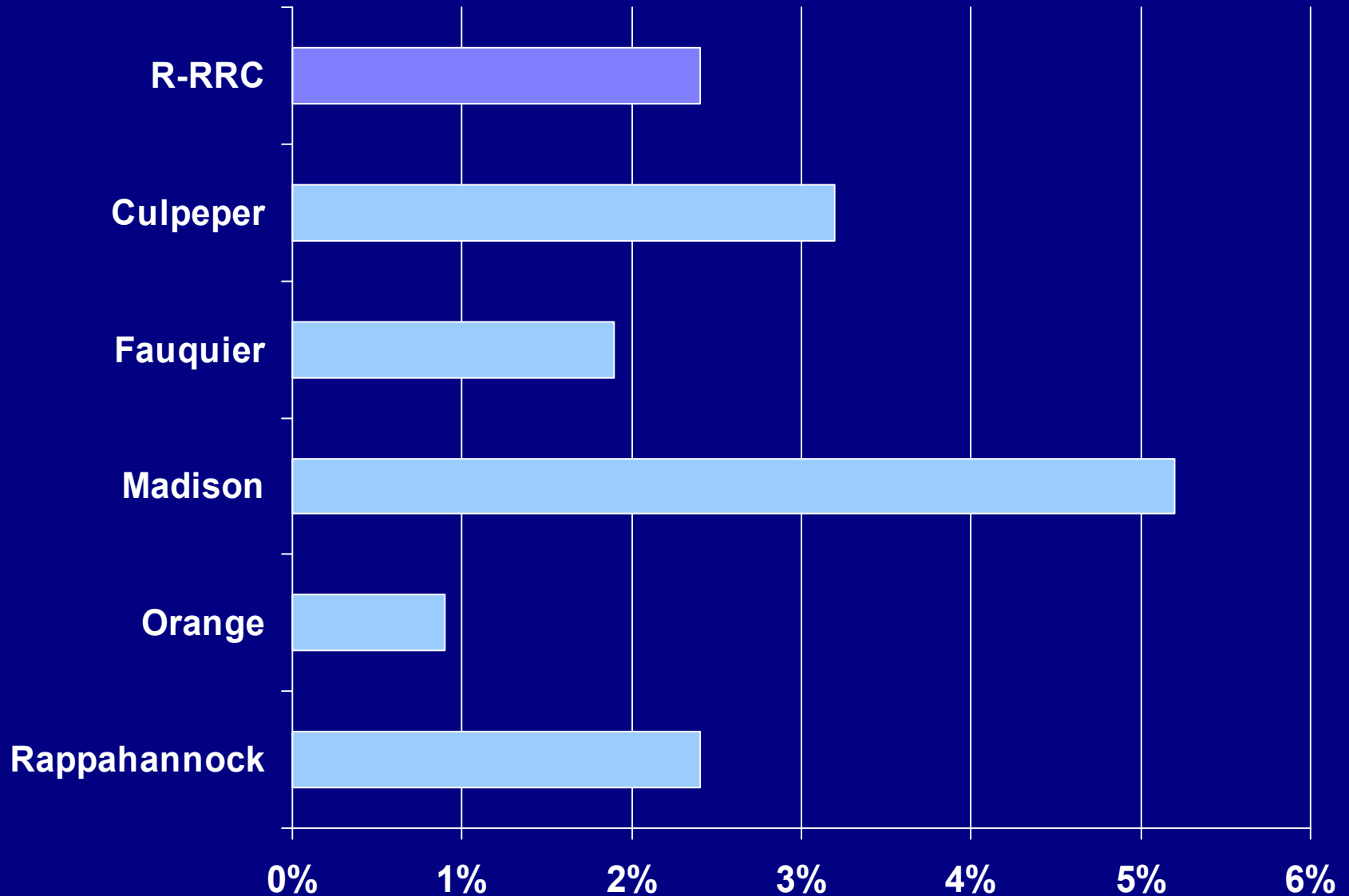
# Employment

# Employment Growth, 1990 – 2001

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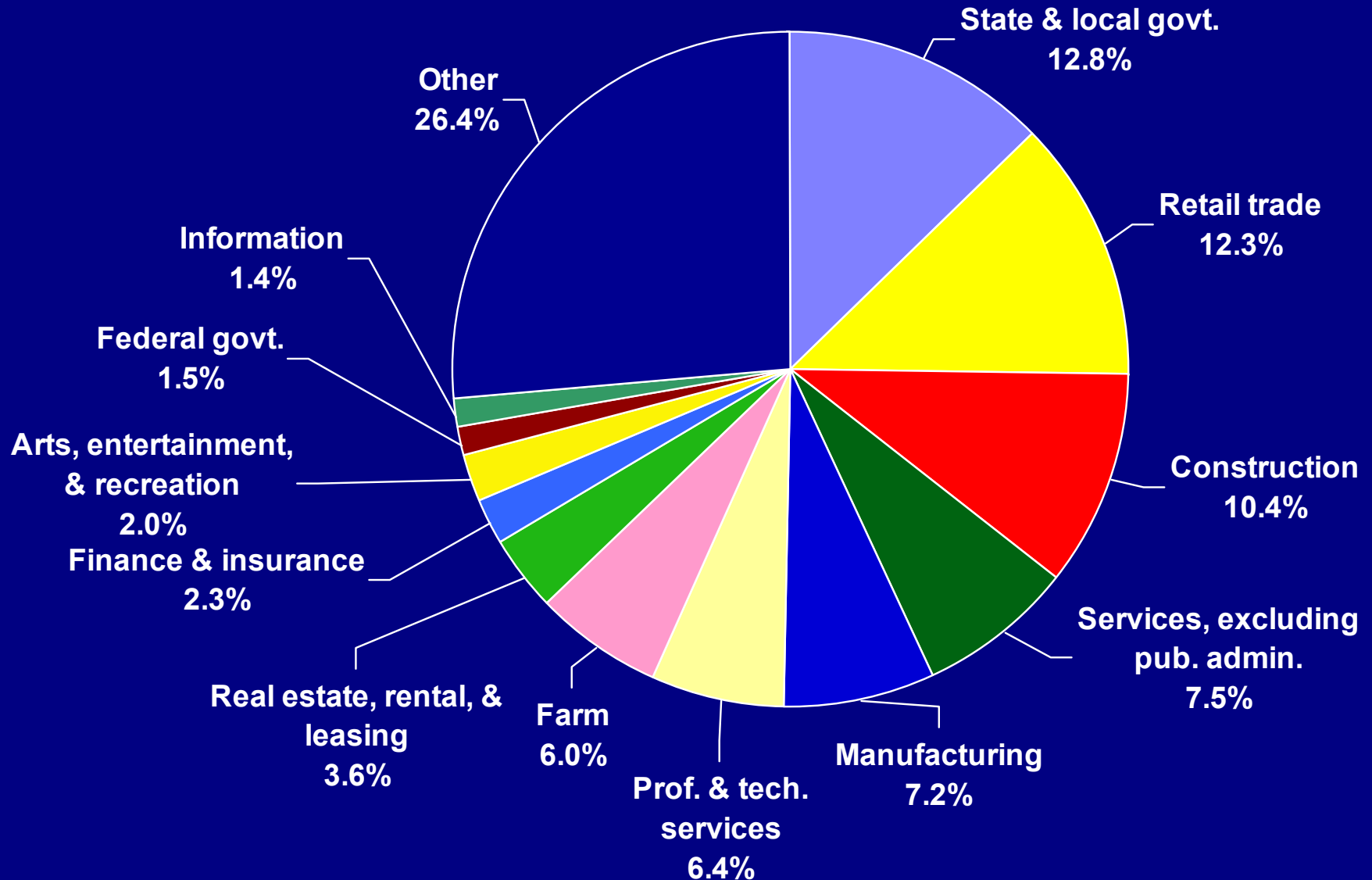


# Employment Average Annual Growth Rates in the R-RRC Area, 1990-2001 (Place of Work Basis)



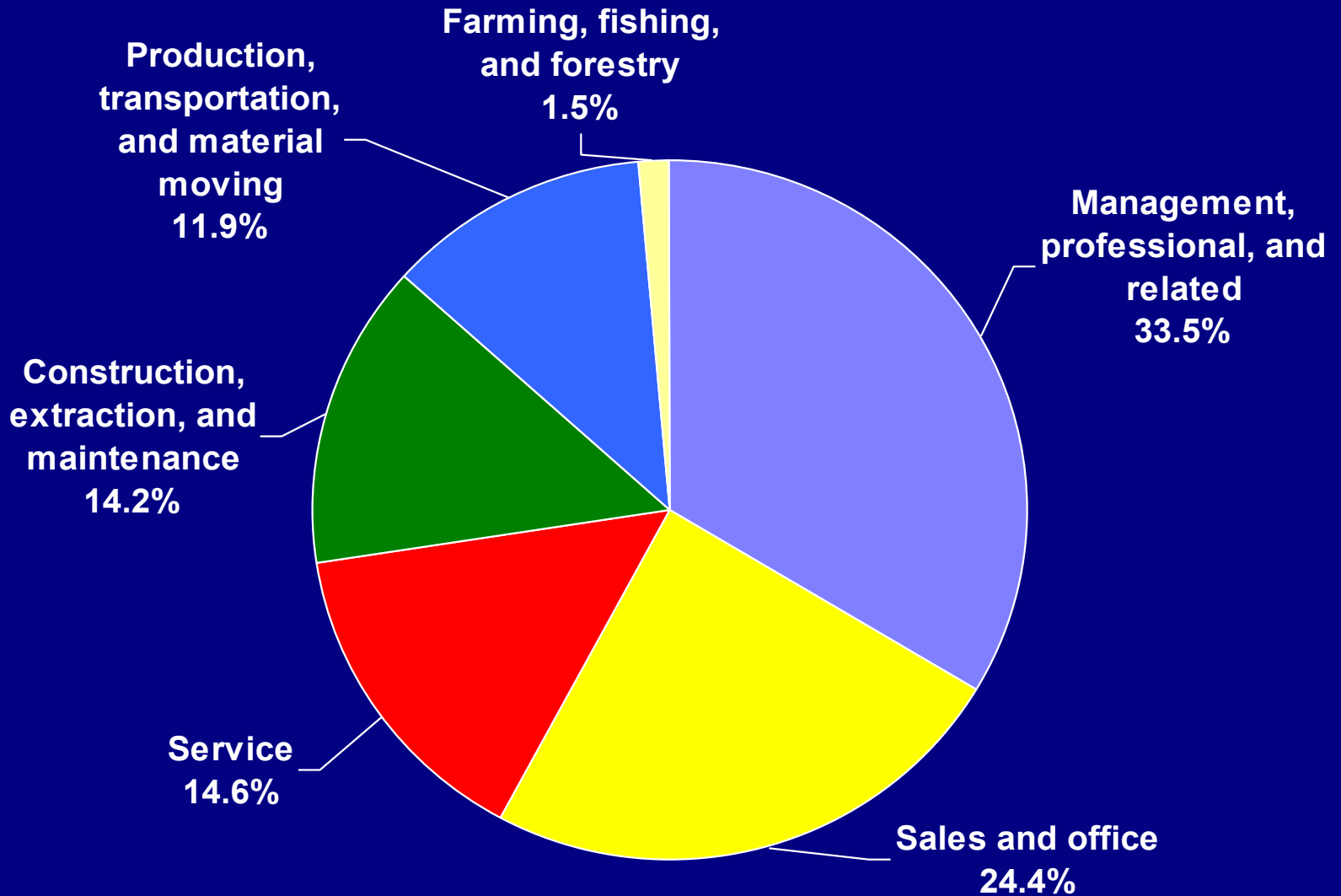
# Employment by Sector, R-RRC Area, 2001

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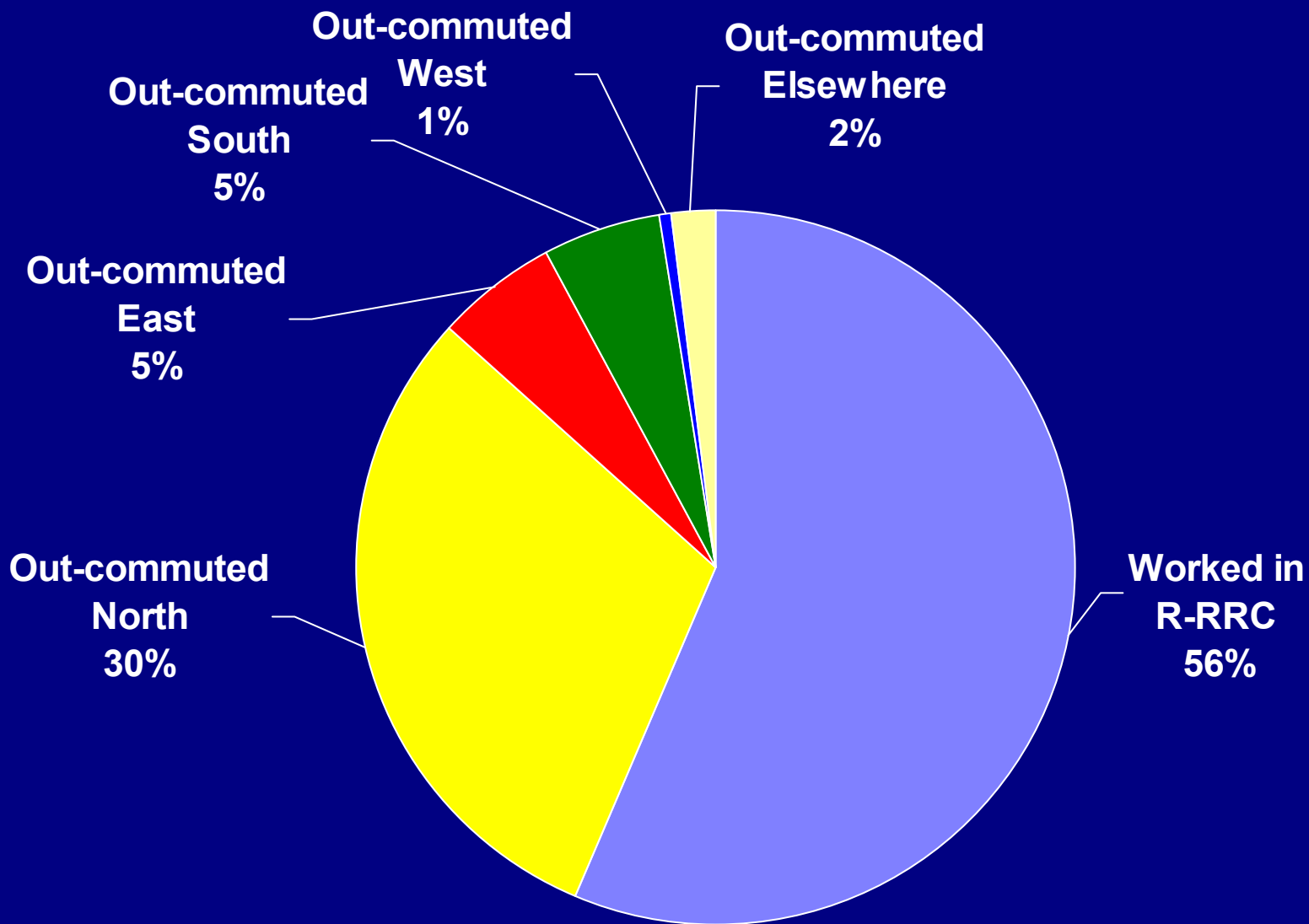


# Employment by Occupation in the R-RRC Area, 2000 (Place of Residence Basis)

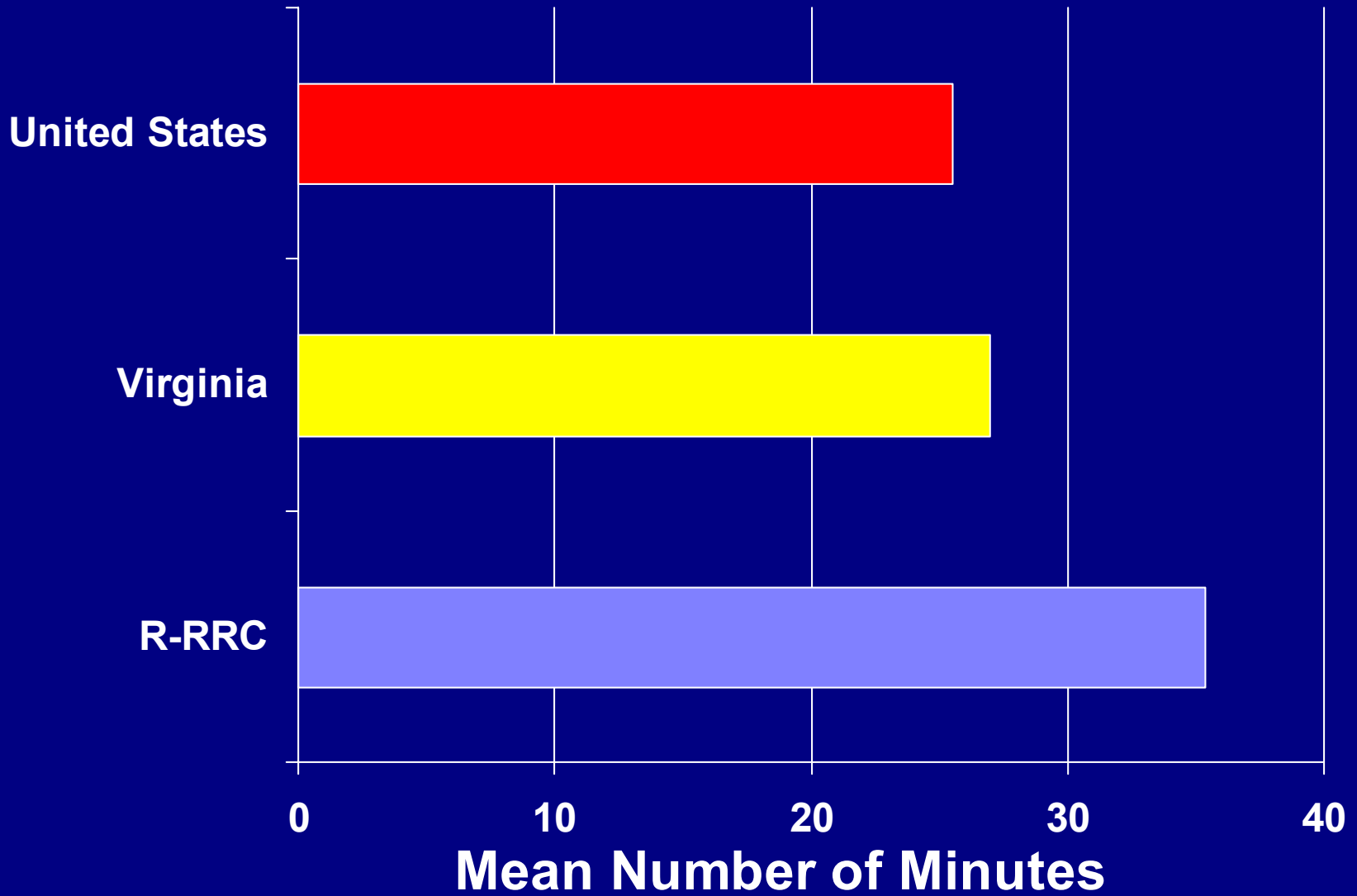


# **Journey to Work**

# Job Locations of Resident Workers in the R-RRC Area , 2000

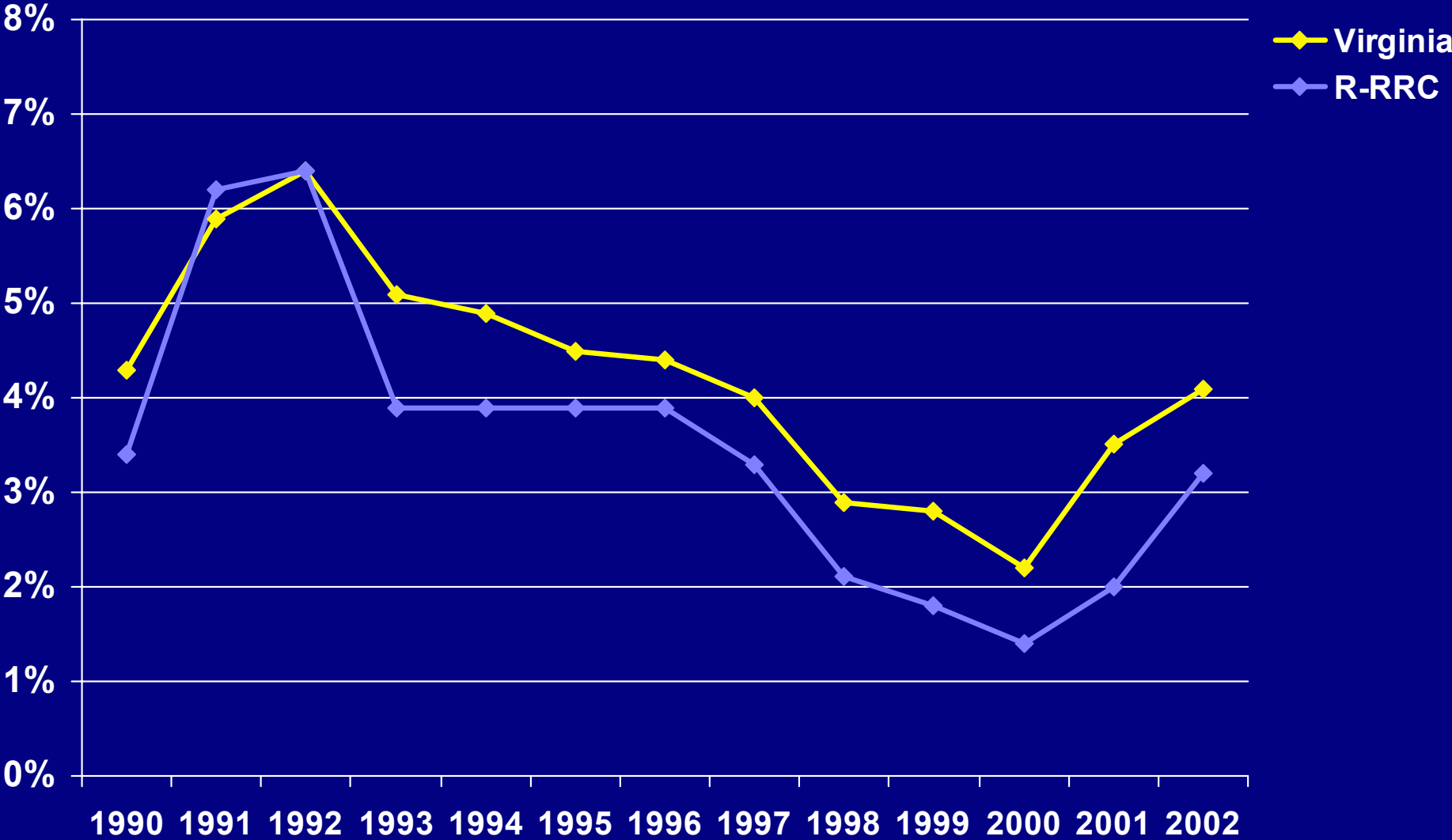


# Travel Time to Work, 2000

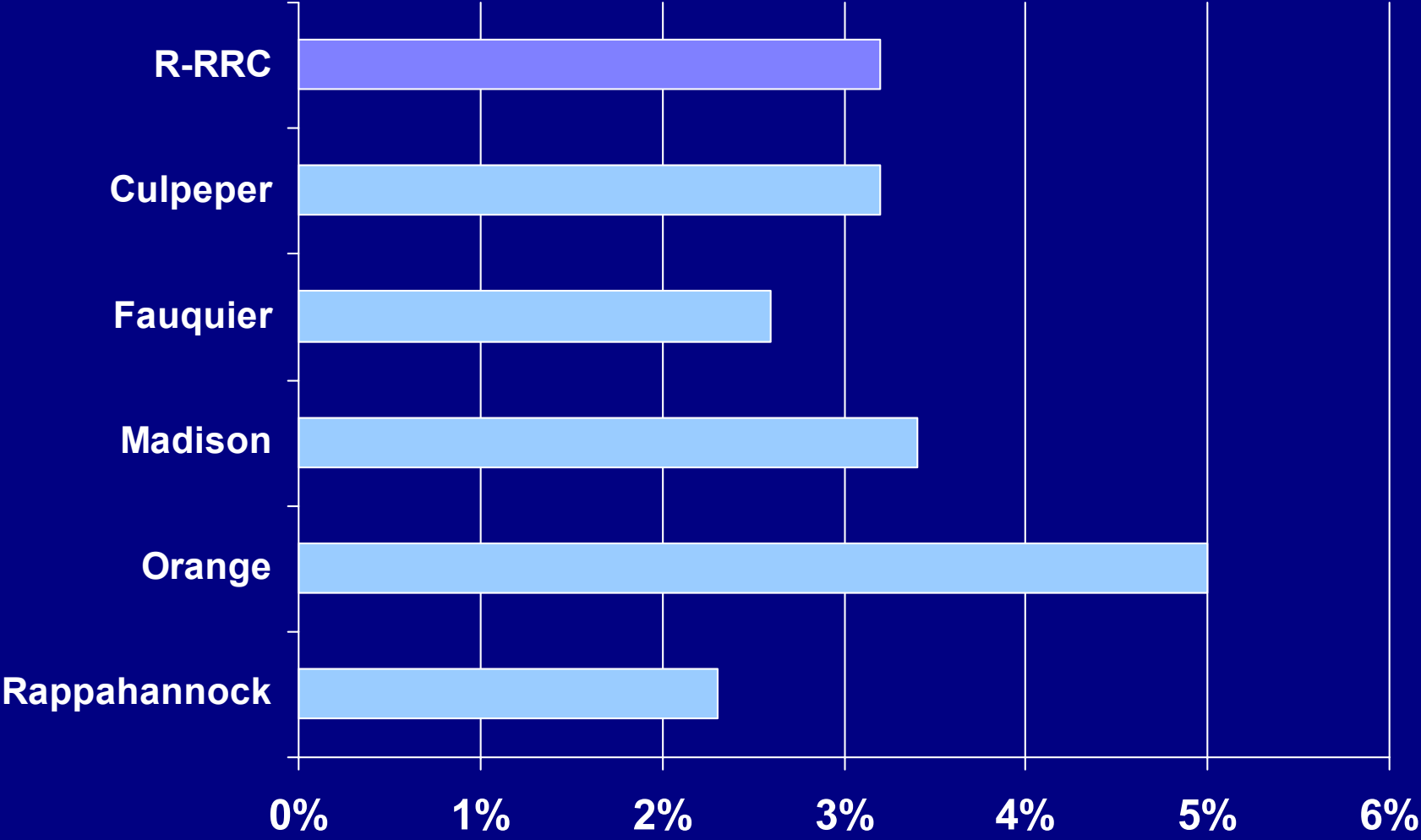


**Unemployment**

# Unemployment Rate, 1990-2002



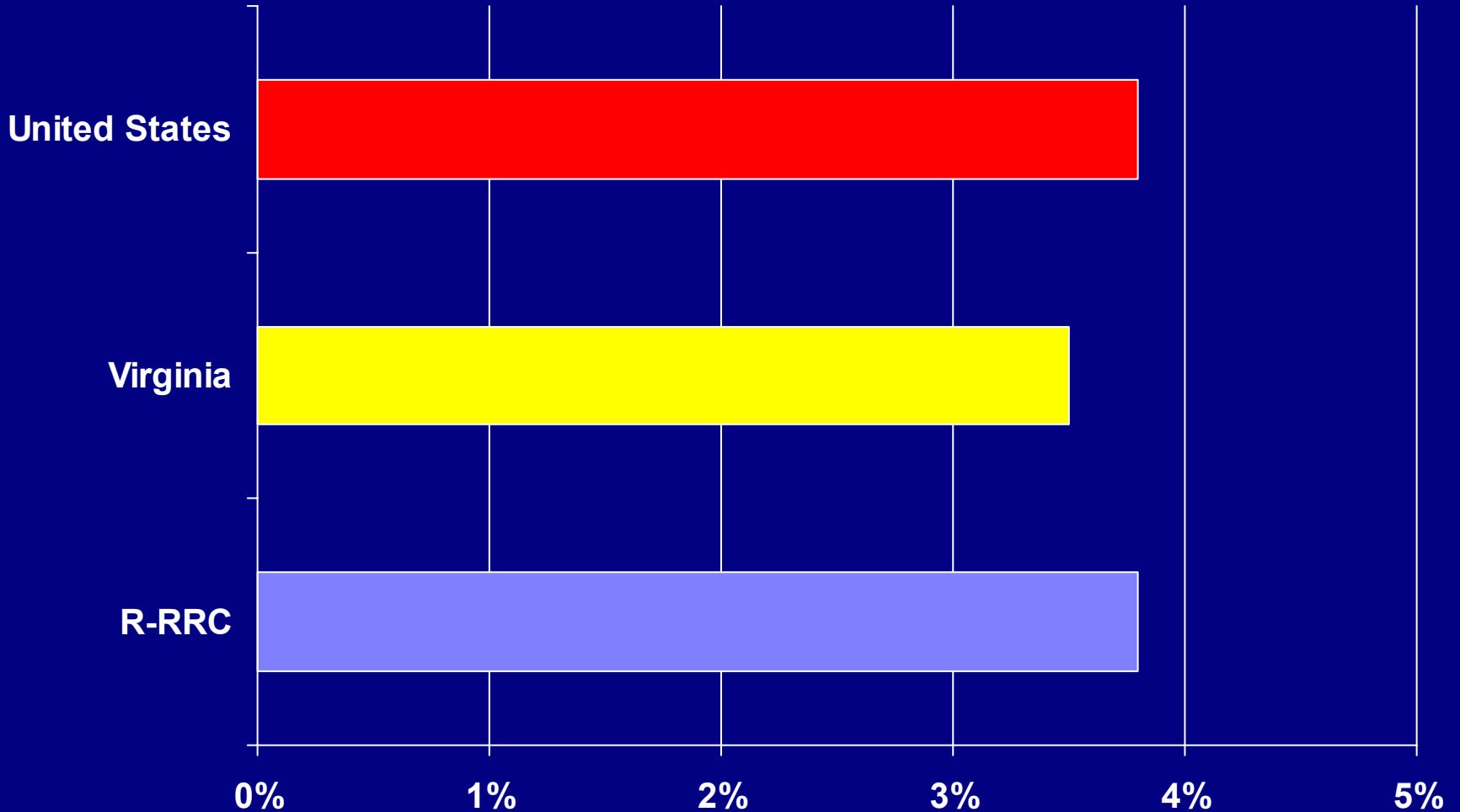
# Unemployment Rates in the R-RRC Area, 2002



**Income**

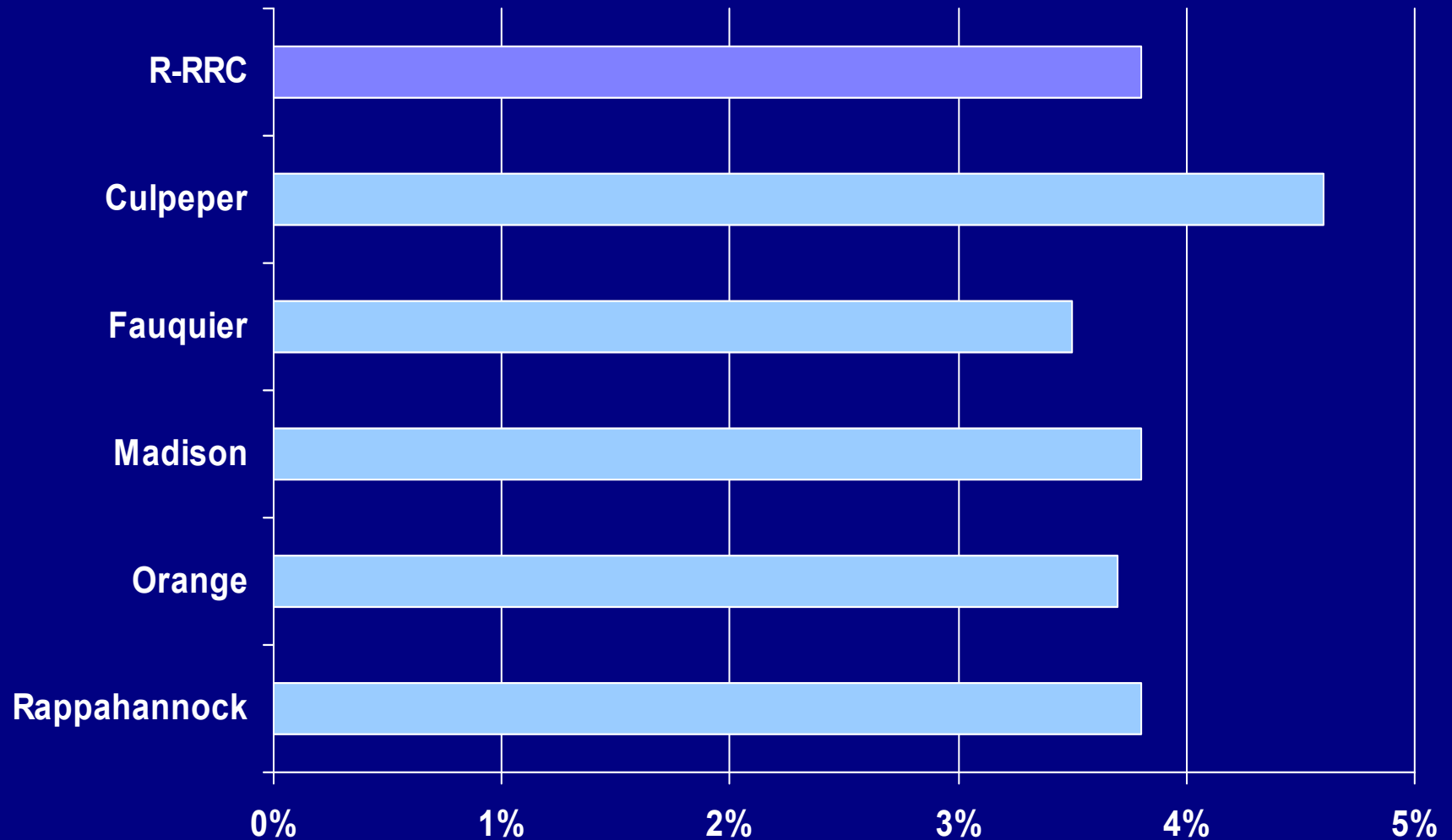


# Real Personal Income Growth, Average Annual Rates, 1990-2001



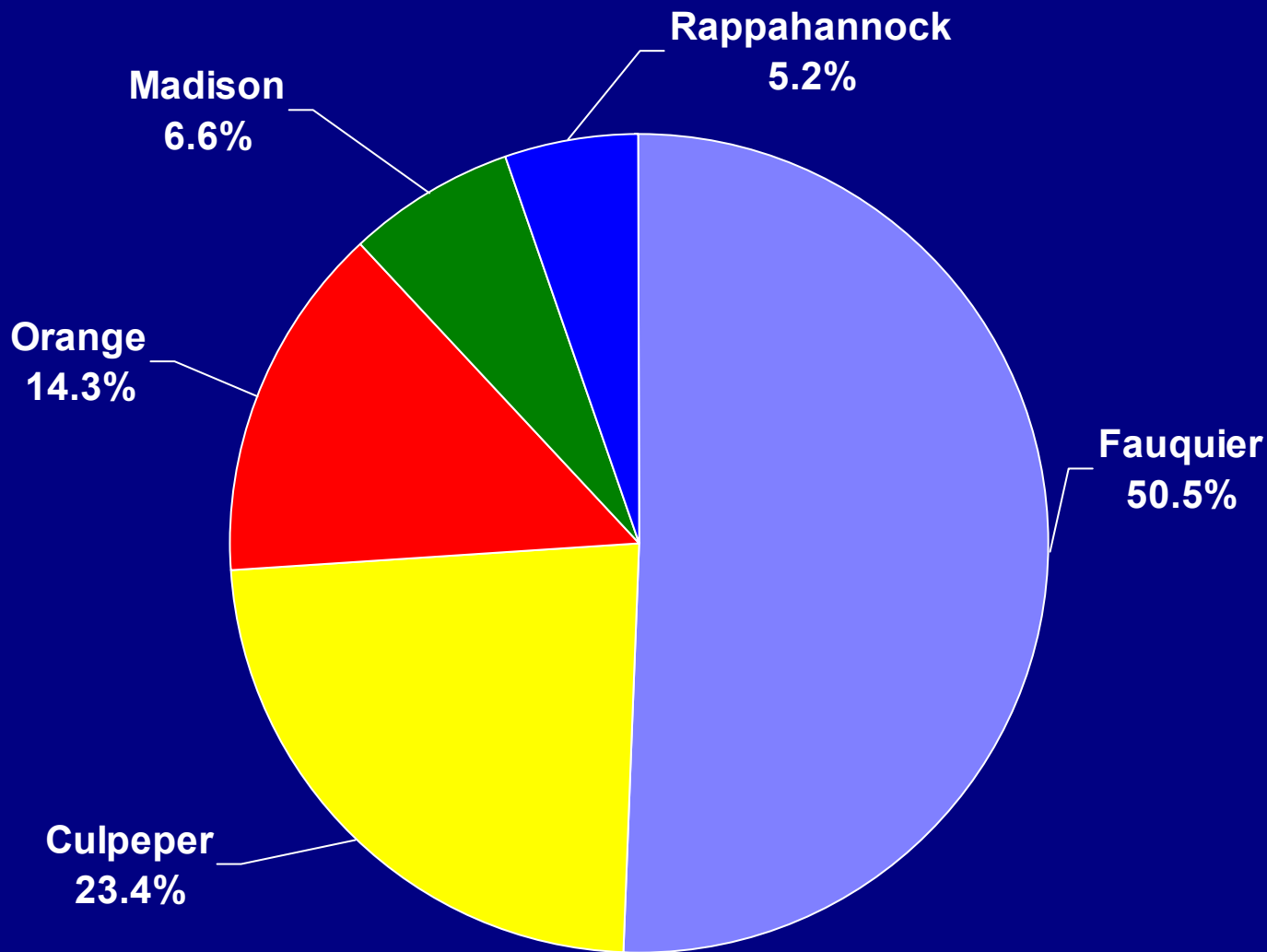
In constant 1996 dollars

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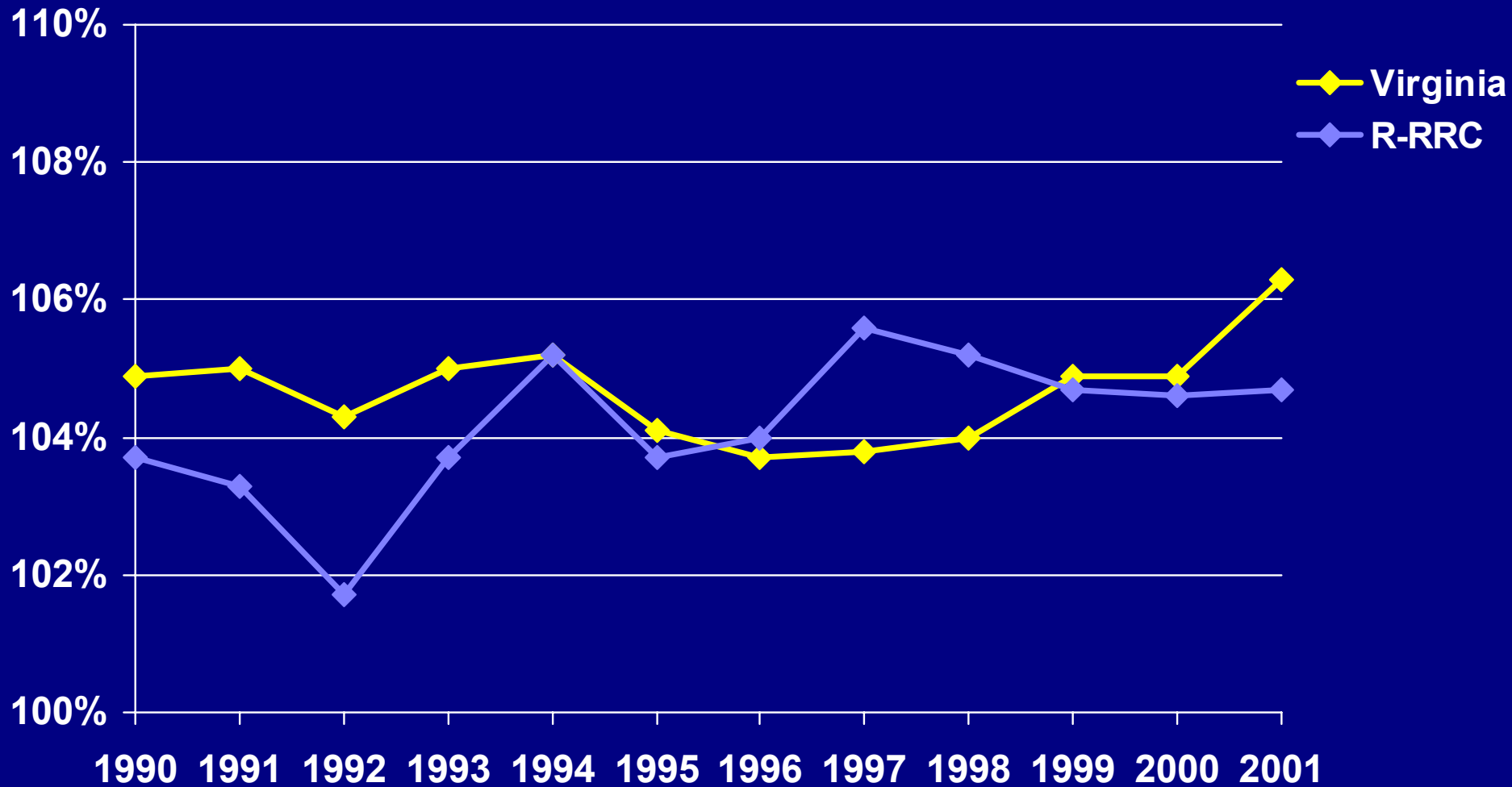


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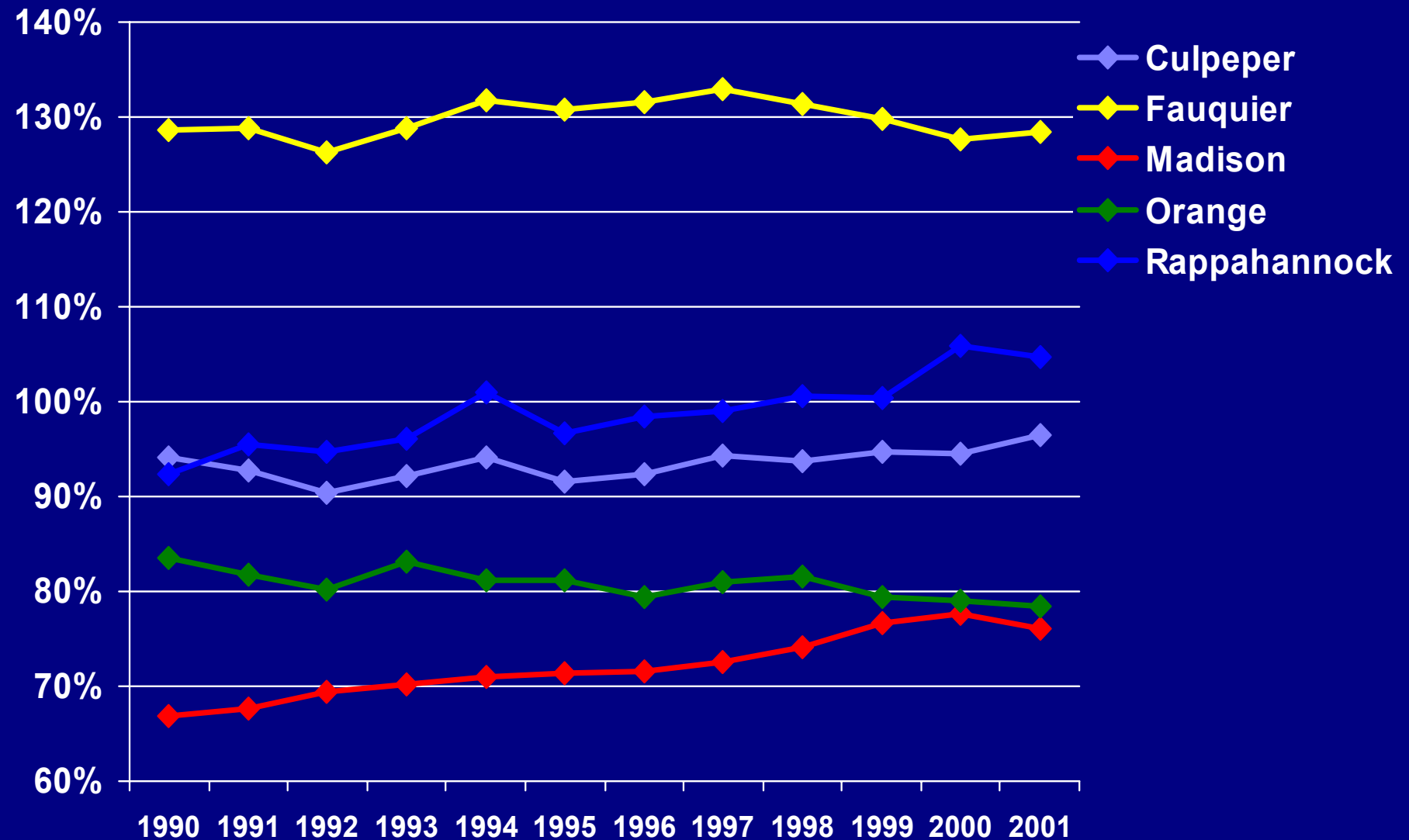
# Personal Income Share by Locality in the R-RRC Area, 2001



# Per Capita Income Relative to the U.S. Average, 1990-2001



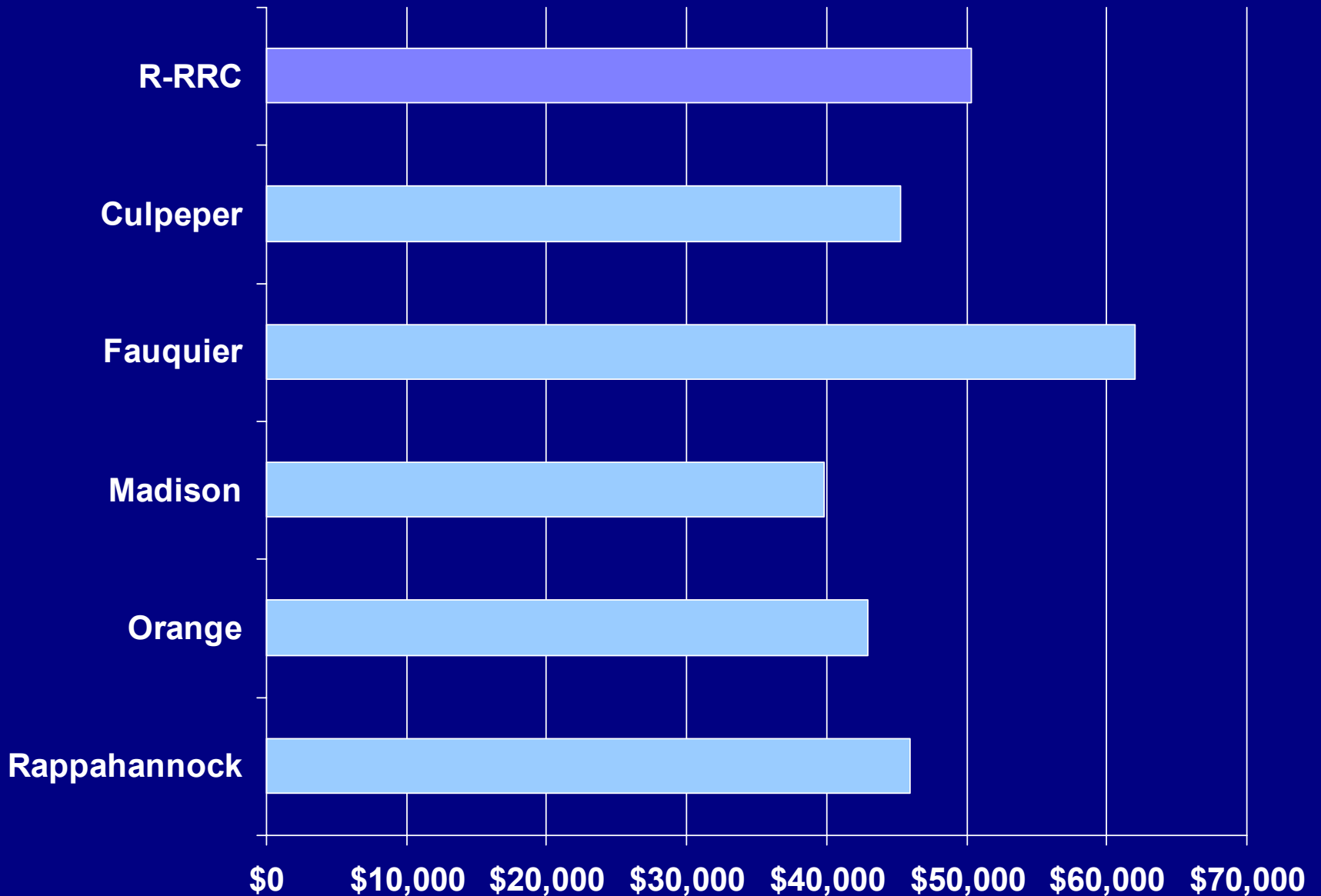
# Per Capita Income in the R-RRC Area Relative to the U.S. Average, 1990-2001



# Median Household Income, 1999



# Median Household Income R-RRC Area, 1999



# Taxable Sales



# Taxable Sales Share by Locality in the R-RRC Area, 2002

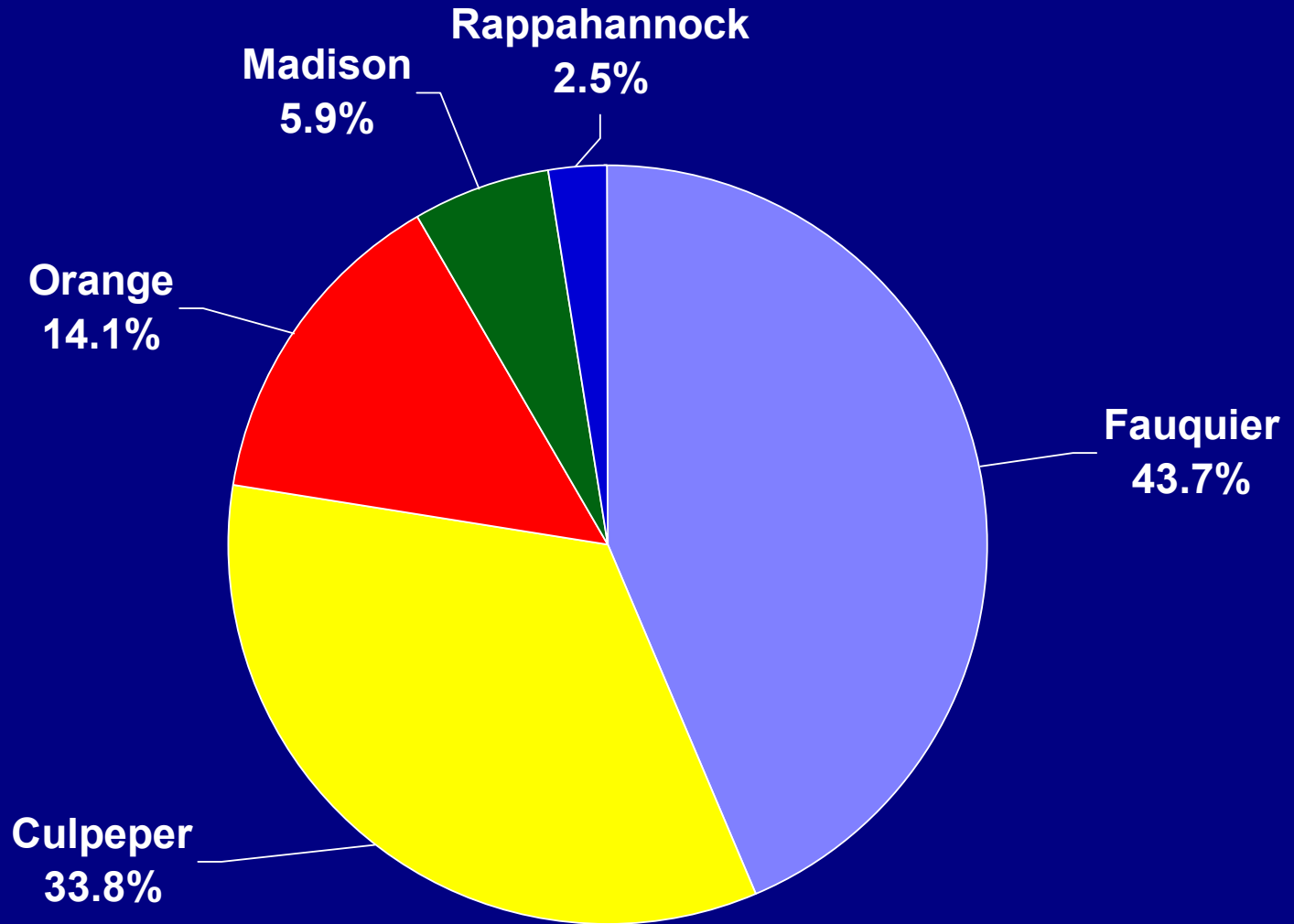
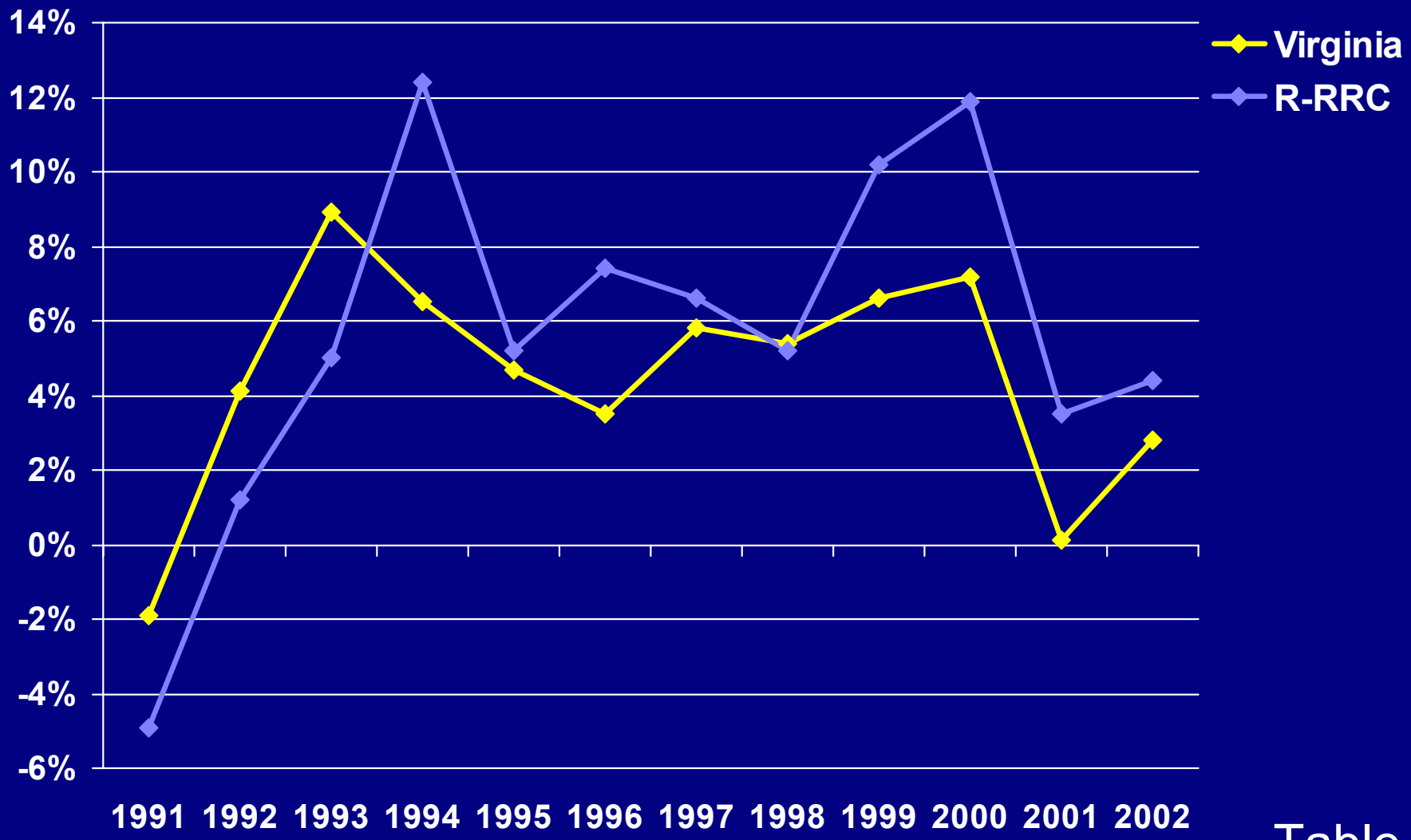


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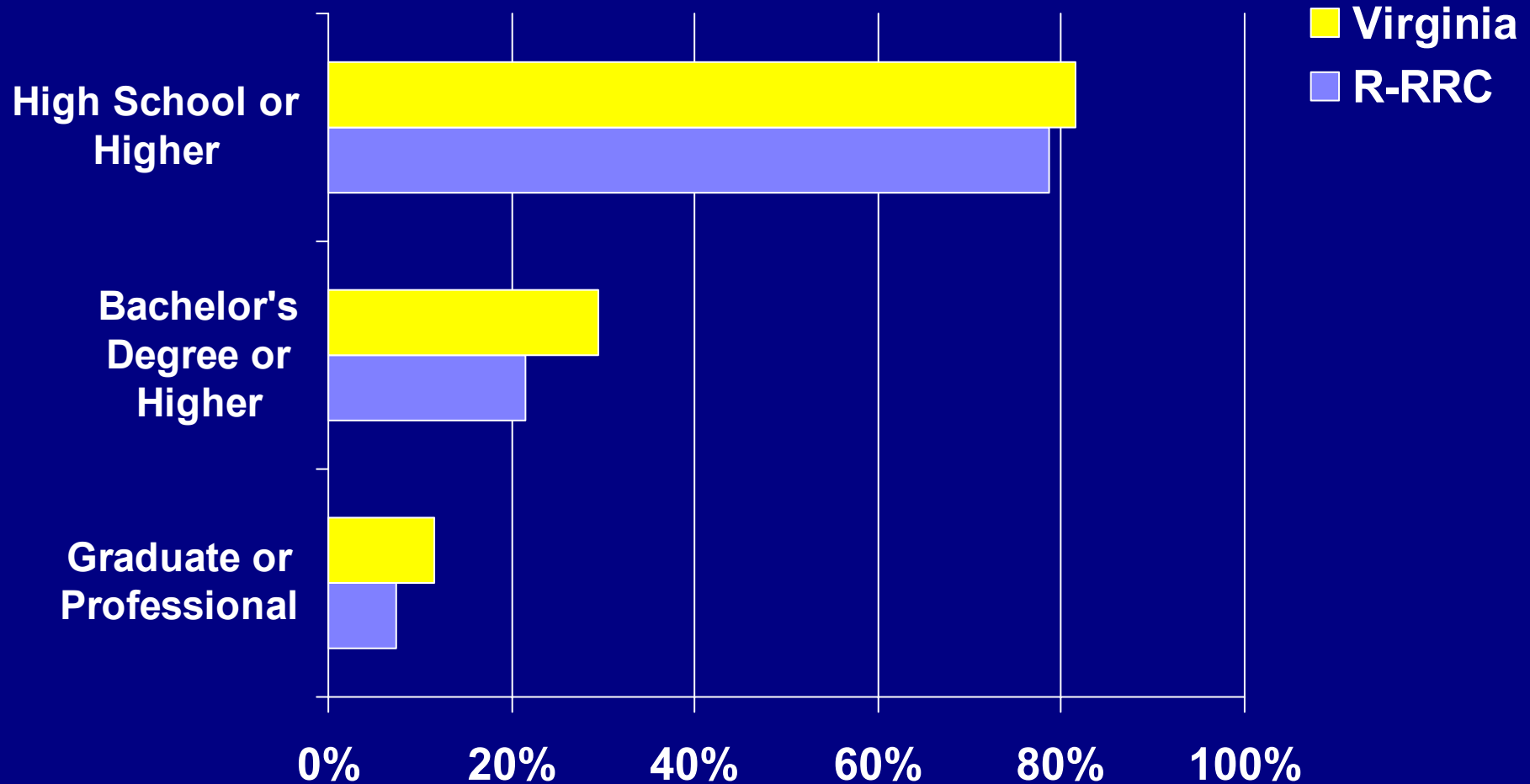
# Taxable Sales Index, 1990-2002

Index: 1990 = 100

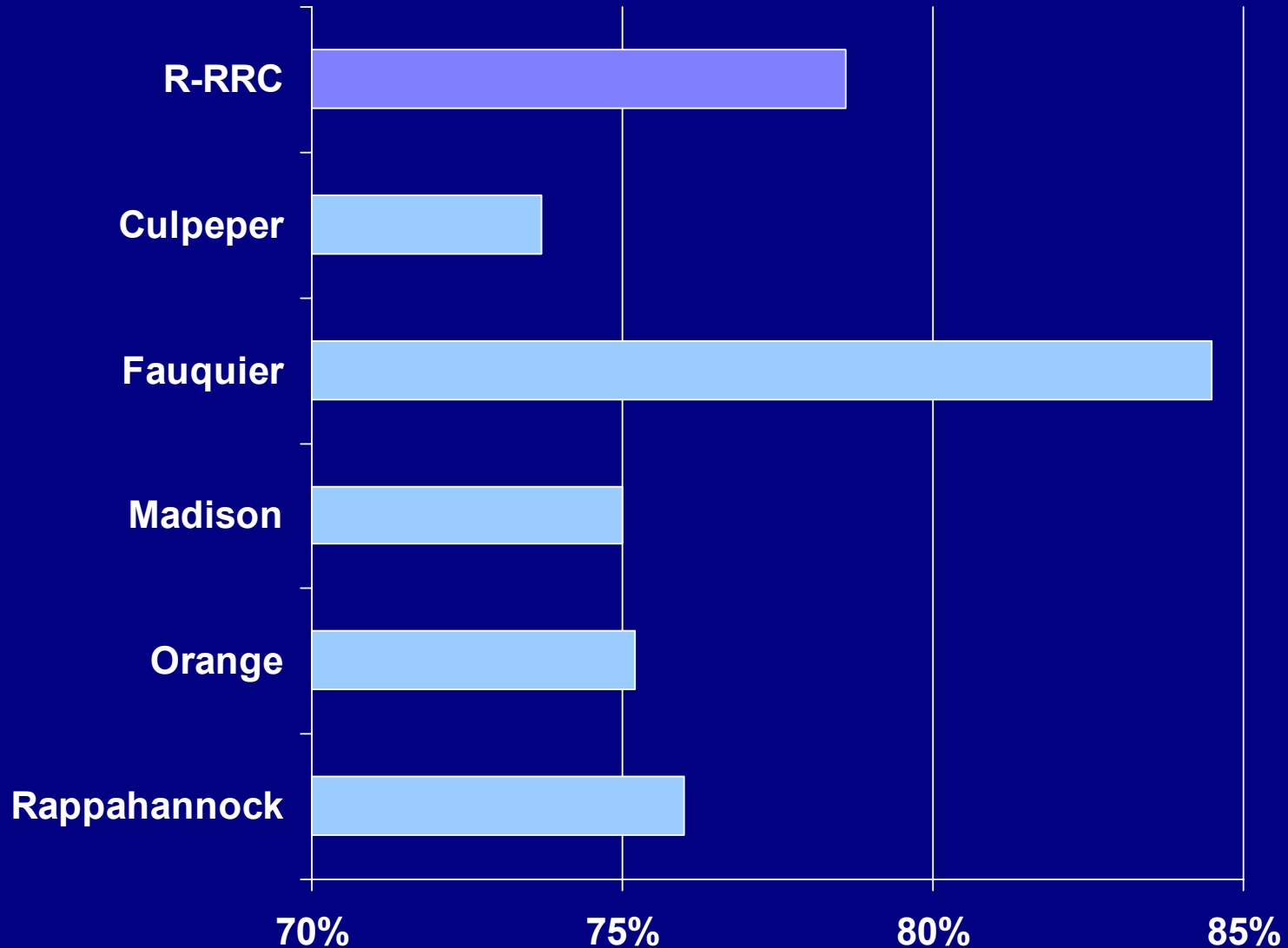


# **Educational Attainment**

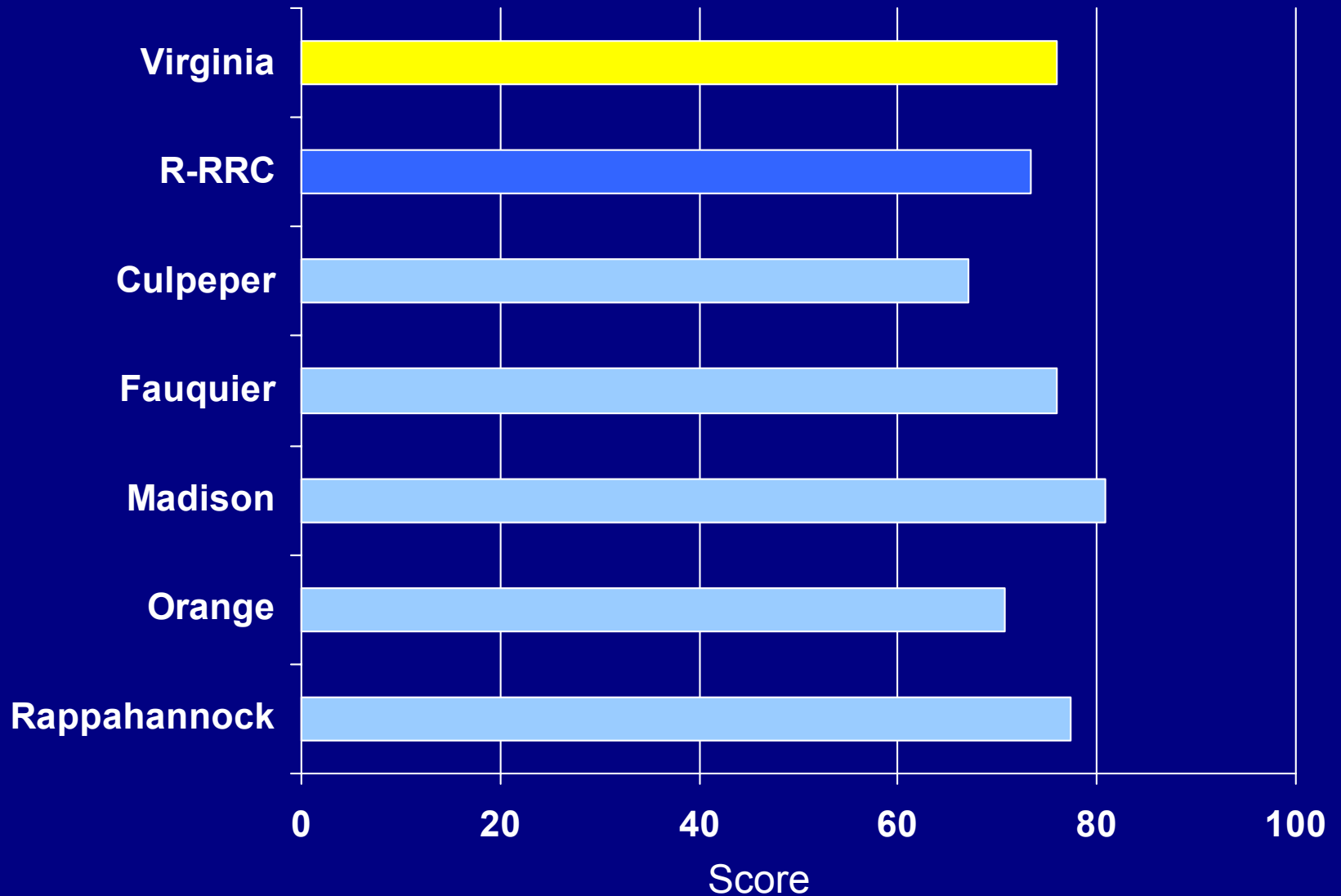
# Educational Attainment, Population Over 25 in the Year 2000



# Population over Age 25 with *High School Degree or Higher* in the R-RRC Area, 2000

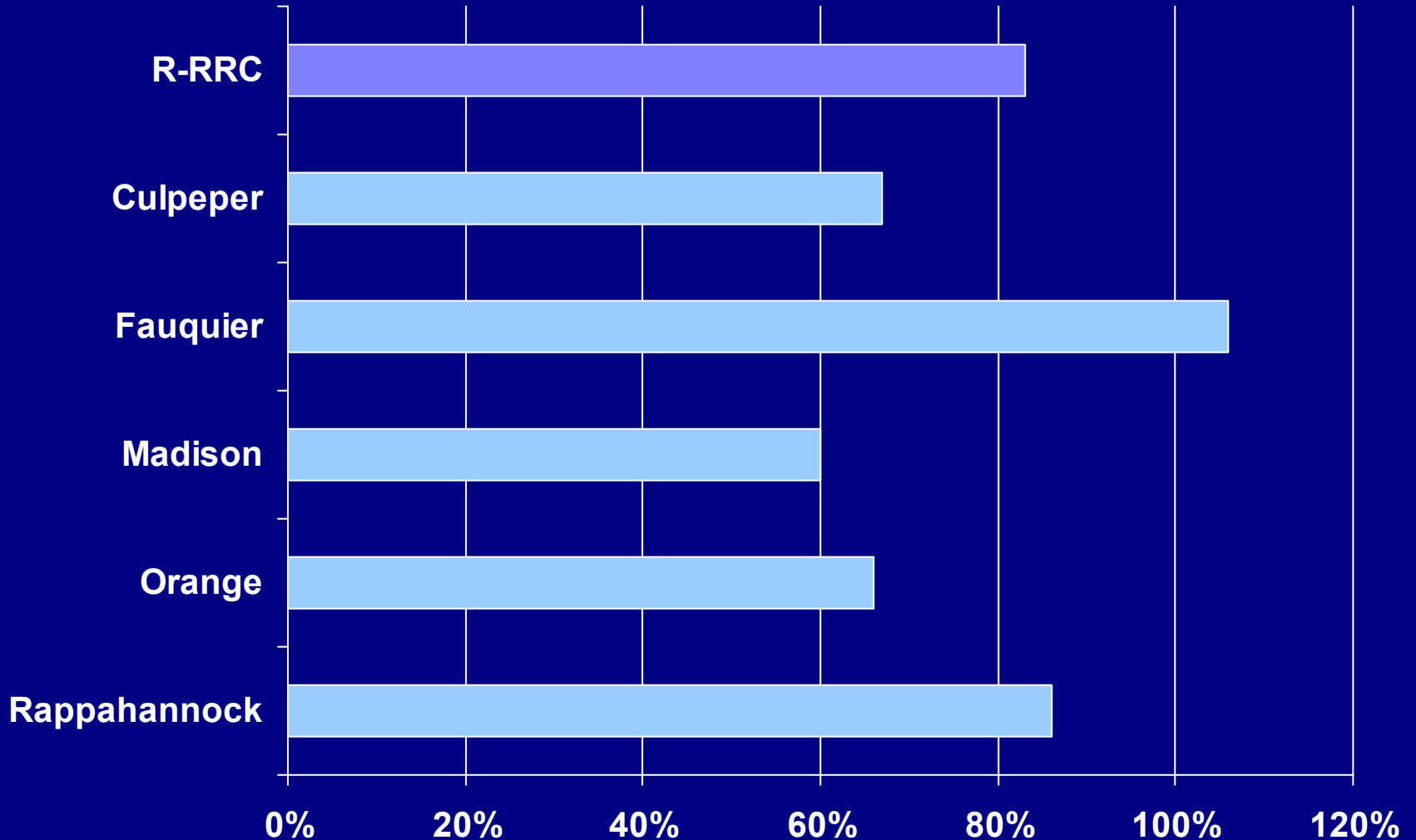


# SOL Composite Scores of Eighth Graders in the R-RRC Area, 2001-2002



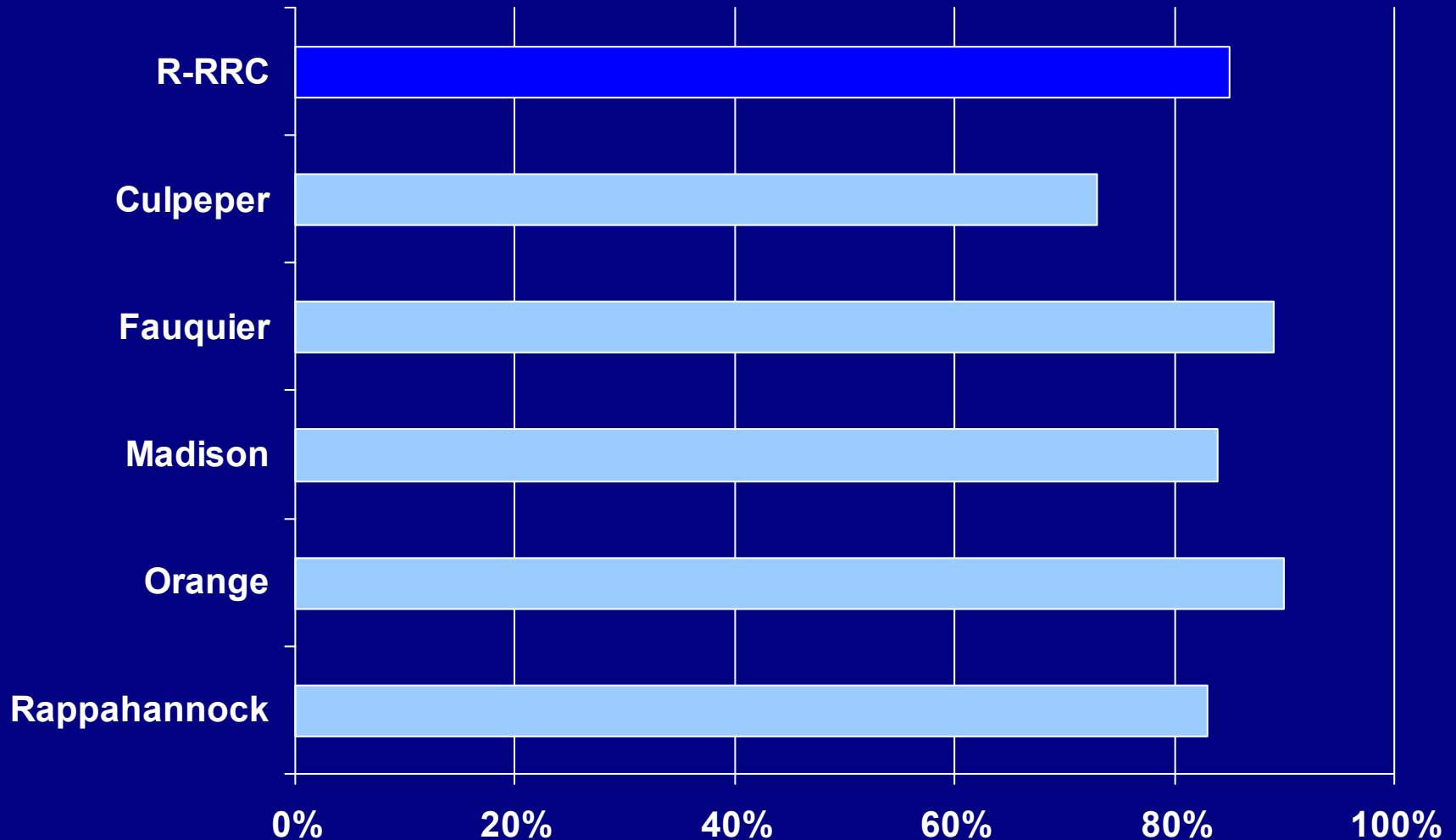
# Local Government Finance

# Tax Burden Per Capita, R-RRC Relative to the Virginia Average, FY 2002





# Tax Burden Per \$1,000 of Per. Inc., R-RRC Relative to the Virginia Average, FY 2002

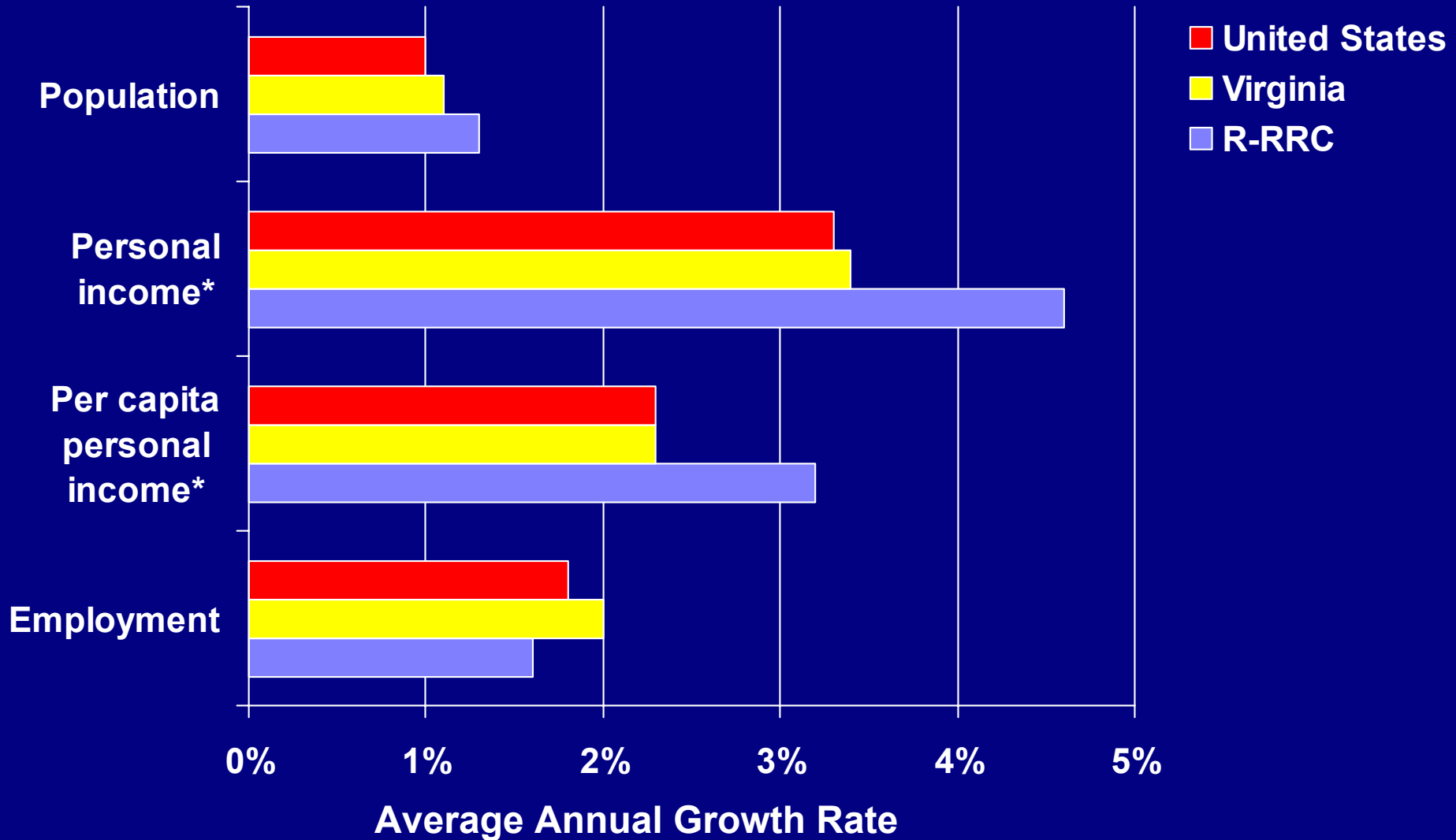


# Projections

**NPA Data  
Services, Inc.**

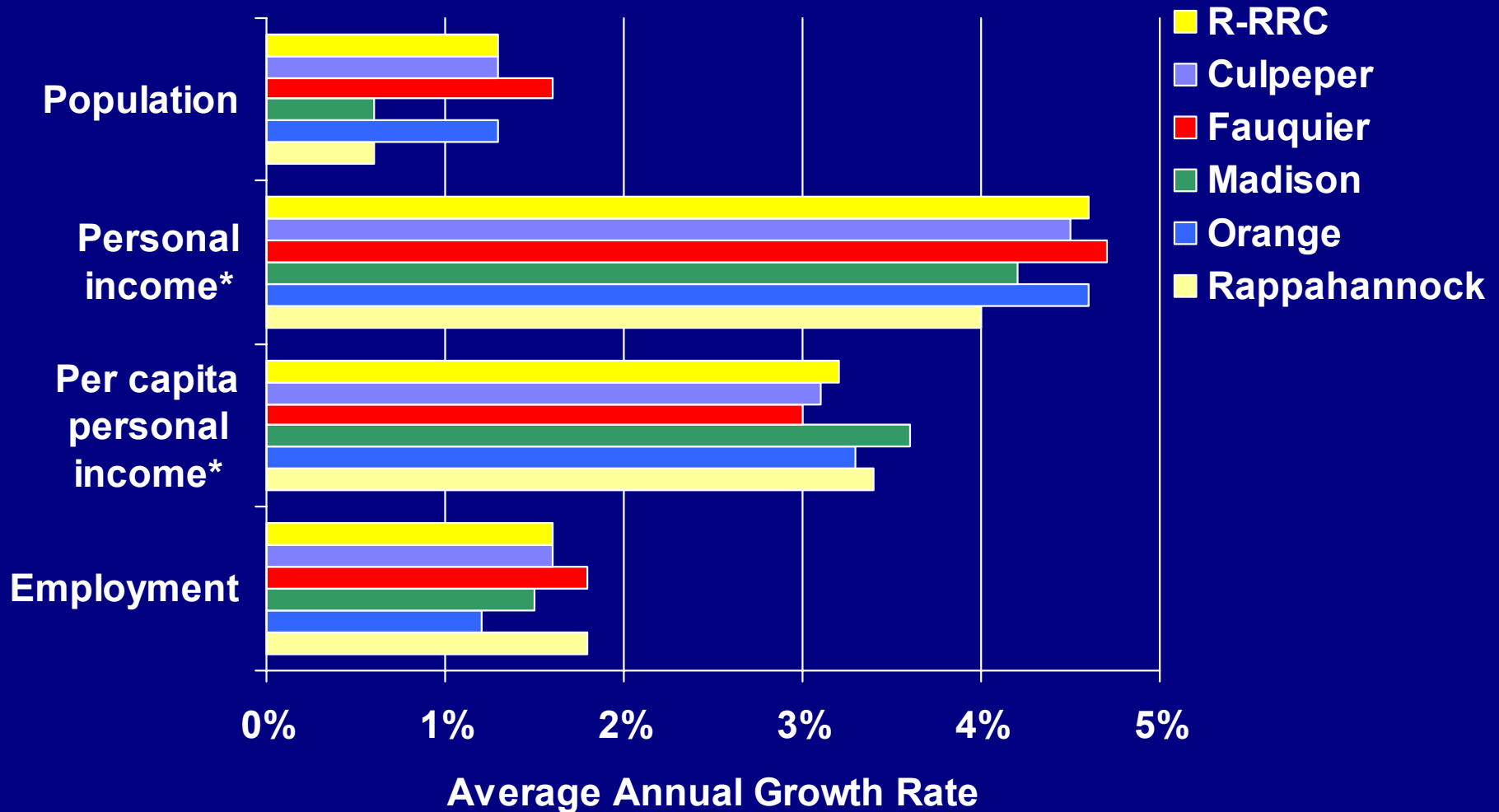
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# NPA Projections, 2002-2010



\* 1996 constant dollars.

# NPA Projections for the R-RRC Area, 2002-2010



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