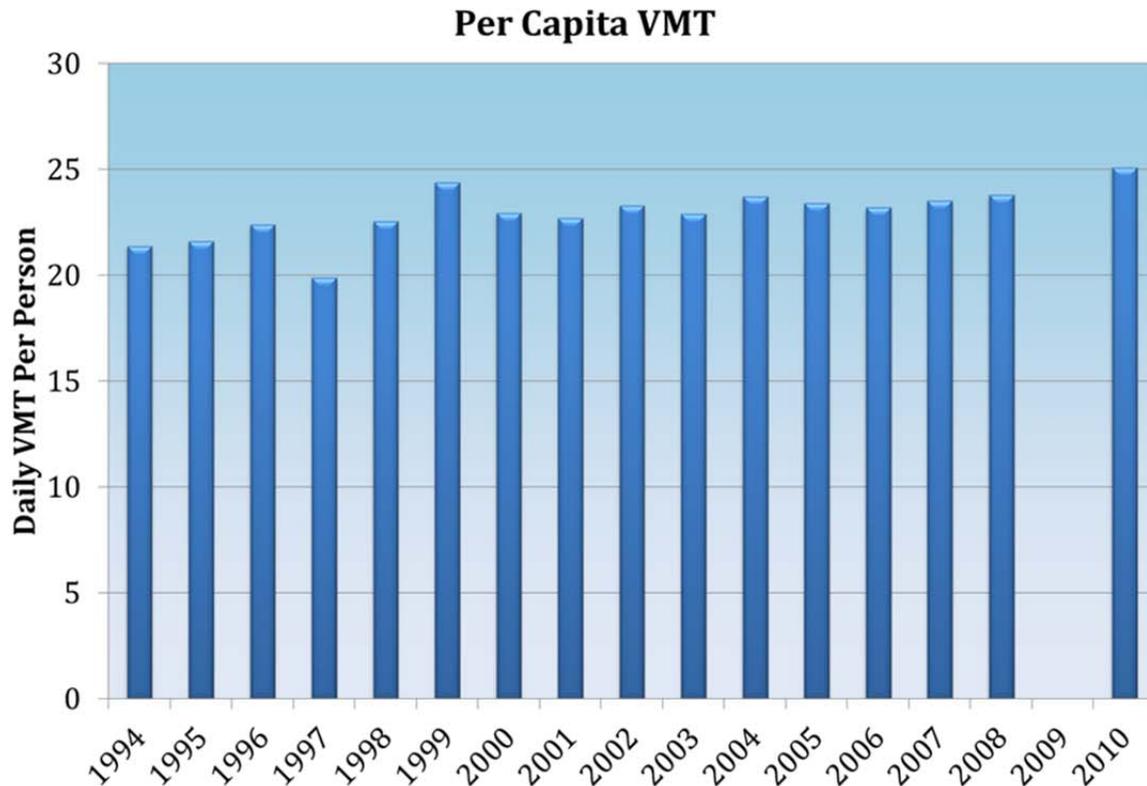


Figure 5.1 Per Capita Daily Vehicle Miles Traveled in Hampton Roads



Source: Federal Highway Administration, HRPDC

Why is it important?

Per capita vehicle miles traveled (VMT) is the industry standard in determining the amount of traffic generated per person. Increased sprawl, higher employment to population ratios, and low transit usage can put upward pressure on a region's per capita VMT.

How are we doing?

Unfortunately no data was produced for 2009, but 2010 had a higher per capita VMT than the region had previously seen.