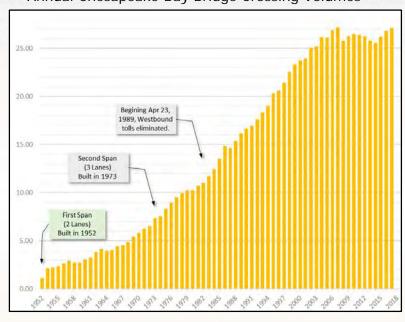
Traffic Volumes



More than 27 million vehicles crossed the Bay Bridge in 2017, a 325% increase since the second span opened in 1974.

Annual Chesapeake Bay Bridge Crossing Volumes



Daily Trips across the Bay Bridge (vehicles per day)

	2017	2040 Estimated No-Build	Percent Change (%)
Average Weekday	68,598	84,276	22.9
Summer Weekend Day	118,579	135,280	14.1

Note: Based on Maryland Statewide Travel Demand Model.

Year

- In 2017 the Bay Bridge carried 72% more traffic on summer weekend days (118,579) than on weekdays (68,598)
- Drop in annual volumes in 2008 reflective of downturn in economy, but traffic volumes have rebounded and are growing again
- Annual traffic volumes expected to grow through 2040

Number of Vehicles (in Millions)