



Charlotte County Virginia

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	460	-11
Land in farms (acres)	121,667	-19
Average size of farm (acres)	264	-8
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	25,976,000	+20
Government payments	950,000	-21
Farm-related income	2,154,000	+35
Total farm production expenses	24,782,000	+17
Net cash farm income	4,298,000	+28
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	56,469	+35
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	7,482	+11
Farm-related income	11,519	+40
Total farm production expenses	53,873	+32
Net cash farm income	9,344	+44

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	38
Livestock, poultry, and products	62

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	38
Pastureland	19
Woodland	37
Other	6

Acres irrigated: 533

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	20
Reduced till	5
Intensive till	12
Cover crop	14

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	175	38
\$2,500 to \$4,999	42	9
\$5,000 to \$9,999	58	13
\$10,000 to \$24,999	56	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999	57	12
\$50,000 to \$99,999	33	7
\$100,000 or more	39	8

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	20	4
10 to 49 acres	76	17
50 to 179 acres	177	38
180 to 499 acres	116	25
500 to 999 acres	52	11
1,000 + acres	19	4

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	Counties Producing Item
Total	25,976	40	98	2,227	3,077
Crops	9,810	43	97	2,054	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	4,274	36	96	1,699	2,916
Tobacco	2,421	10	25	115	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	11	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	838	23	97	799	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	595	20	95	604	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	104	63	93	1,418	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	58	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	1,579	38	97	1,448	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	16,166	35	98	1,807	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	16	97	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	4,425	39	97	1,755	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	30	59	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	5,609	7	89	459	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	38	56	94	1,908	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	34	58	94	1,974	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	49	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	3	62	93	1,679	2,878

Total Producers ^c	705	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	68
Male	491		
Female	214	Farm organically	1
Age		Sell directly to consumers	9
<35	66	Hire farm labor	25
35 – 64	381	Are family farms	99
65 and older	258		
Race			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
Asian	-		Cattle and calves 16,396
Black or African American	33		Goats 458
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Hogs and pigs 14,876
White	672		Horses and ponies 623
More than one race	-		Layers 5,252
Other characteristics			Pullets 135
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	5		Sheep and lambs 270
With military service	101		Turkeys 28
New and beginning farmers	171		

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

^a May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^b Among counties whose rank can be displayed. ^c Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

^d Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^e Position below the line does not indicate rank.

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.