



# Dinwiddie County Virginia

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	358	-7
Land in farms (acres)	92,841	+4
Average size of farm (acres)	259	+11
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	25,705,000	+4
Government payments	1,534,000	-37
Farm-related income	1,531,000	-23
Total farm production expenses	23,900,000	+30
Net cash farm income	4,870,000	-55
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	71,801	+11
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	12,368	-4
Farm-related income	11,426	-27
Total farm production expenses	66,759	+39
Net cash farm income	13,602	-52

**1** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	85
Livestock, poultry, and products	15

### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>a</sup>

Cropland	46
Pastureland	13
Woodland	35
Other	7

**Acres irrigated: 1,578**

2% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	14
Reduced till	6
Intensive till	6
Cover crop	8

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	179	50
\$2,500 to \$4,999	51	14
\$5,000 to \$9,999	36	10
\$10,000 to \$24,999	38	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	15	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	9	3
\$100,000 or more	30	8

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	23	6
10 to 49 acres	97	27
50 to 179 acres	149	42
180 to 499 acres	42	12
500 to 999 acres	24	7
1,000 + acres	23	6

**Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>25,705</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>2,239</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>21,946</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>1,593</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	10,297	19	96	1,383	2,916
Tobacco	8,614	5	25	53	323
Cotton and cottonseed	1,150	7	11	428	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	241	46	97	1,200	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	69	55	95	1,429	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	32	76	93	1,559	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	58	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	1,543	40	97	1,482	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>3,758</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>2,559</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	(D)	22	97	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	1,739	57	97	2,223	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	55	59	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	58	31	89	1,053	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	74	38	94	1,480	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	3	77	94	2,386	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	49	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	7	55	93	1,561	2,878

<b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b>	<b>579</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	Soybeans for beans 17,967
Male	368	<b>64</b>	Forage (hay/haylage), all 9,002
Female	211		Corn for grain 5,564
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	Wheat for grain, all 3,397
<35	42	<b>-</b>	Cotton, all 1,578
35 – 64	312		
65 and older	225		
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>
American Indian/Alaska Native	3	<b>8</b>	Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
Asian	2		Cattle and calves 5,548
Black or African American	51	Hire farm labor	Goats 831
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	<b>31</b>	Hogs and pigs 458
White	521		Horses and ponies 534
More than one race	2	Are family farms	Layers 2,092
<b>Other characteristics</b>		<b>97</b>	Pullets 218
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	6		Sheep and lambs 514
With military service	96		Turkeys (D)
New and beginning farmers	176		

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

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

<sup>d</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>e</sup> 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.