



# Amelia County Virginia

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	251	-32
Land in farms (acres)	62,309	-39
Average size of farm (acres)	248	-11
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	80,965,000	-6
Government payments	741,000	+36
Farm-related income	989,000	-58
Total farm production expenses	62,845,000	-5
Net cash farm income	19,850,000	-15
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	322,571	+38
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	12,568	+191
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	11,362	-29
Total farm production expenses	250,378	+40
Net cash farm income	79,086	+25

**1** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	19
Livestock, poultry, and products	81

### Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	29,484
Pastureland	8,953
Woodland	20,766
Other	3,106

**Acres irrigated: 185**

(Z)% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	22
Reduced till	4
Intensive till	14
Cover crop	14

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	90	36
\$2,500 to \$4,999	17	7
\$5,000 to \$9,999	27	11
\$10,000 to \$24,999	43	17
\$25,000 to \$49,999	15	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	15	6
\$100,000 or more	44	18

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	11	4
10 to 49 acres	84	33
50 to 179 acres	82	33
180 to 499 acres	42	17
500 to 999 acres	19	8
1,000+ acres	13	5

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>80,965</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>1,583</b>	<b>3,078</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>15,348</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>1,994</b>	<b>3,074</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	11,777	28	97	1,485	2,917
Tobacco	1,895	10	25	97	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	12	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	314	47	96	1,286	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	(D)	94	(D)	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	328	54	95	1,251	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	54	(D)	1,274
Other crops and hay	810	60	96	2,198	3,035
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>65,617</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>917</b>	<b>3,076</b>
Poultry and eggs	53,103	6	97	326	3,027
Cattle and calves	4,801	40	96	1,716	3,047
Milk from cows	7,658	7	57	507	1,770
Hogs and pigs	22	50	91	1,335	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	69	93	(D)	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	-	-	86	-	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	38	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	66	91	1,662	2,909

<b>Producers <sup>d</sup></b>	<b>430</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup></b>	
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	80	
Male	279			
Female	151			
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	-	
<35	27			
35 – 64	228			
65 and older	175			
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	8	
American Indian/Alaska Native	1			
Asian	1			
Black or African American	18			
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-			
White	410	Hire farm labor	24	
More than one race	-			
<b>Other characteristics</b>		Are family farms	98	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	5			
With military service	42			
New and beginning farmers	155			
			<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)</b>	
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1,161,425
			Cattle and calves	11,419
			Goats	379
			Hogs and pigs	131
			Horses and ponies	227
			Layers	750
			Pullets	51
			Sheep and lambs	176
			Turkeys	21

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