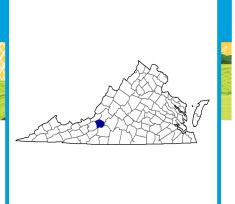


Roanoke County Virginia



Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	262	-6
Land in farms (acres)	26,114	-17
Average size of farm (acres)	100	-11
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	2,539,000	-39
Government payments	(D)	(D)
Farm-related income	838,000	+8
Total farm production expenses	4,101,000	-27
Net cash farm income	-722,000	+1
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	9,690	-34
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	(D)	(D)
Farm-related income	11,475	-1
Total farm production expenses	15,653	-22
Net cash farm income	-2,754	-6

(**Z**) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)					
Crops	67				
Livestock, poultry, and products					
Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a					
Cropland	24				
Pastureland	24				
Woodland	44				
Other	8				
Acres irrigated: 71					
(2	Z)% of land in farms				
Land Use Practices	(% of farms)				
No till	3				
Reduced till	1				
Intensive till	5				
Cover crop	5				

Farms by Value of Sale	es		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total a		Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	148	56	1 to 9 acres	40	15
\$2,500 to \$4,999	30	11	10 to 49 acres	97	37
\$5,000 to \$9,999	40	15	50 to 179 acres	85	32
\$10,000 to \$24,999	18	7	180 to 499 acres	29	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	18	7	500 to 999 acres	10	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	4	2	1,000 + acres	1	(Z)
\$100,000 or more	4	2			

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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	2,539	91	98	2,945	3,077
Crops	1,714	88	97	2,716	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	32	91	96	2,516	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	25	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	11	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	76	69	97	1,645	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	251	35	95	915	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	743	40	93	939	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	31	29	58	434	1,384
Other crops and hay	580	67	97	2,253	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	825	84	98	2,856	3,073
Poultry and eggs	11	74	97	1,751	3,007
Cattle and calves	713	68	97	2,471	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	59	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	3	68	89	1,773	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	42	54	94	1,843	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	43	55	94	1,870	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	49	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	13	47	93	1,438	2,878

Total Producers ^c	392	Percent of farms that:		Top Crops in Acres d	
Sex Male Female	233 159	Have internet access	66	Forage (hay/haylage), all Corn for silage or greenchop Vegetables harvested, all Cultivated Christmas trees	4,692 160 51 30
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	18 187 187	Farm organically	-	Apples	24
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White	- 2 - 390	Sell directly to consumers Hire farm labor	10 16	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017) Broilers and other meat-type chickens Cattle and calves Goats	(D) 2,413 360
More than one race Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	- 53 62	Are family farms	97	Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	19 571 450 59 94 (D)

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.