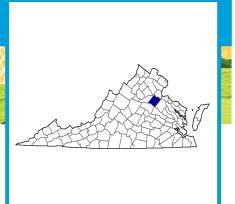


Spotsylvania County Virginia



Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	338	-8
Land in farms (acres)	41,674	-1
Average size of farm (acres)	123	+8
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	9,011,000	-18
Government payments	199,000	-40
Farm-related income	3,028,000	+19
Total farm production expenses	11,275,000	-23
Net cash farm income	963,000	+211
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	26,661	-11
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	6,859	+22
Farm-related income	25,025	+31
Total farm production expenses	33,359	-16
Net cash farm income	2,850	+221

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

Share of Sales	by Type (%)			
Crops		48		
Livestock, poultry, and products				
Land in Farms	by Use (%) a			
Cropland		40		
Pastureland		25		
Woodland		30		
Other		5		
Acres irrigated:	96			
	(Z)% of land in farr	ns		
Land Use Prac	ctices (% of farms)			
No till		17		
Reduced till		5		
Intensive till		1		
Cover crop		15		

Farms by Value of Sale	es .		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total a		Number	Percent of Total a
Less than \$2,500	176	52	1 to 9 acres	35	10
\$2,500 to \$4,999	34	10	10 to 49 acres	159	47
\$5,000 to \$9,999	33	10	50 to 179 acres	94	28
\$10,000 to \$24,999	31	9	180 to 499 acres	28	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999	16	5	500 to 999 acres	13	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	21	6	1,000 + acres	9	3
\$100,000 or more	27	8			

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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

		Rank	Counties	Rank	Counties
	Sales	in State ^b	Producing Item	in U.S. ^b	Producing Item
Total	(\$1,000)	75	98		_
Iotai	9,011	75	90	2,709	3,077
Crops	4,369	65	97	2,424	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	2,438	50	96	1,877	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	25	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	11	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	528	32	97	947	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	565	22	95	625	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	408	50	93	1,101	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation	24	05	50	400	4 204
woody crops	34	25	58	423	1,384
Other crops and hay	397	72	97	2,421	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	4,642	61	98	2,471	3,073
Poultry and eggs	46	49	97	1,274	3,007
Cattle and calves	3,297	45	97	1,932	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	45	59	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	58	30	89	1,051	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	87	34	94	1,383	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	640	11	94	330	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	49	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	93	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c	590	Percent of farms that:		Top Crops in Acres d	
Sex Male Female	378 212	Have internet access	77	Forage (hay/haylage), all Soybeans for beans Corn for grain Wheat for grain, all	8,315 3,237 1,042 602
Age <35 35 - 64 65 and older	44 314 232	Farm organically	1	Corn for silage or greenchop	404
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	7 12 35 - 516 20	Sell directly to consumers Hire farm labor	7 25	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017) Broilers and other meat-type chickens Cattle and calves Goats Hogs and pigs	124 8,435 579 755
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	5 99 163	Are family farms	99	Horses and ponies Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	963 2,102 507 66 119

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.