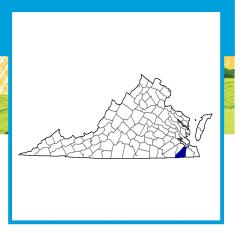
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Suffolk County Virginia



Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	270	-12
Land in farms (acres)	79,035	+14
Average size of farm (acres)	293	+30
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	53,741,000	-14
Government payments	3,185,000	+29
Farm-related income	2,851,000	-23
Total farm production expenses	43,198,000	-21
Net cash farm income	16,579,000	+17
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	199,040	-2
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	20,952	+24
Farm-related income	24,796	-25
Total farm production expenses	159,994	-9
Net cash farm income	61,402	+33

Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	84
Livestock, poultry, and products	16

Land in Farms by Use (%) a

Cropland	73
Pastureland	2
Woodland	17
Other	7

Acres irrigated: 585

1% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	25
Reduced till	12
Intensive till	14
Cover crop	14

Farms by Value of Sale	es		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total ^a		Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	130	48	1 to 9 acres	37	14
\$2,500 to \$4,999	10	4	10 to 49 acres	118	44
\$5,000 to \$9,999	12	4	50 to 179 acres	39	14
\$10,000 to \$24,999	20	7	180 to 499 acres	34	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999	19	7	500 to 999 acres	12	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	11	4	1,000 + acres	30	11
\$100,000 or more	68	25			



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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

Total	Sales (\$1,000) 53,741	Rank in State ^b 17	Counties Producing Item 98	Rank in U.S. ^b 1,698	Counties Producing Item 3,077
Crops	45,239	6	97	1,156	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	14,956	9	96	1,247	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	25	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	8,975	3	11	200	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	207	52	97	1,268	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	(D)	95	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	14,933	7	93	175	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops Other crops and hay	(D) 6,138	41 2	58 97	(D) 409	1,384 3,040
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Livestock, poultry, and products	8,502	49	98	2,203	3,073
Poultry and eggs	6,742	14	97	601	3,007
Cattle and calves	180	80	97	2,649	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	59	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	400	14	89	662	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	94	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	250	21	94	825	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	12	49	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	53	20	93	969	2,878

Total Producers °	462	Percent of farm	s that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d	
Sex Male Female	296 166	Have internet access	83	Soybeans for beans Cotton, all Corn for grain Peanuts for nuts	20,407 14,449 13,166 5,838
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	31 287 144	Farm organically	-	Wheat for grain, all	4,818
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American	- 3 25	Sell directly to consumers	6	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2 Broilers and other meat-type chickens	2017) 364,350
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	- 434 -	Hire farm labor	24	Cattle and calves Goats Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies	527 465 1,321 712
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	5 71 129	Are family farms	93	Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	1,373 538 447 148

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.