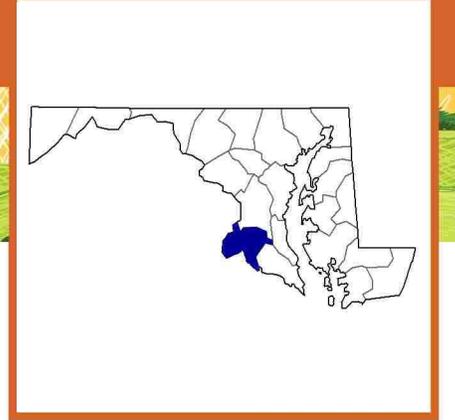# Charles County, Maryland
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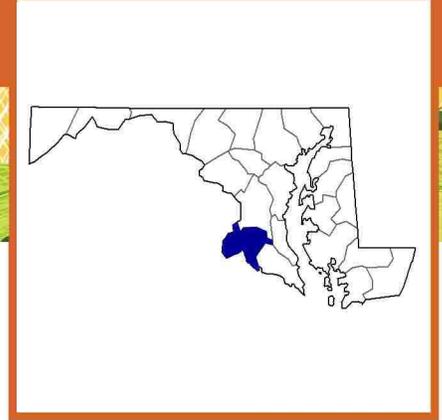
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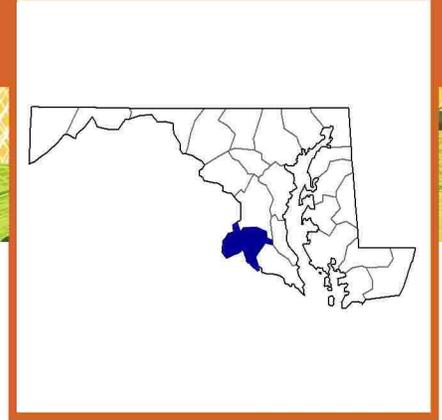**Data not available at this geographic level for farms with Asian Producers.**

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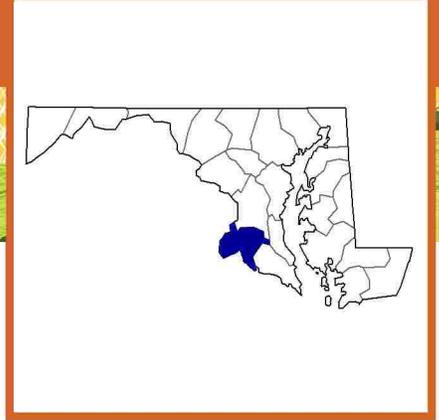**Data not available at this geographic level for farms with Black or African American Producers.**

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Charles County, Maryland
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Charles County, Maryland
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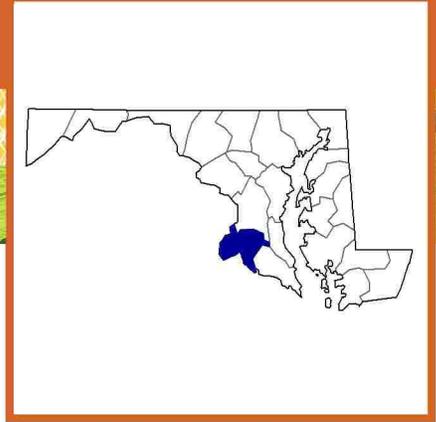
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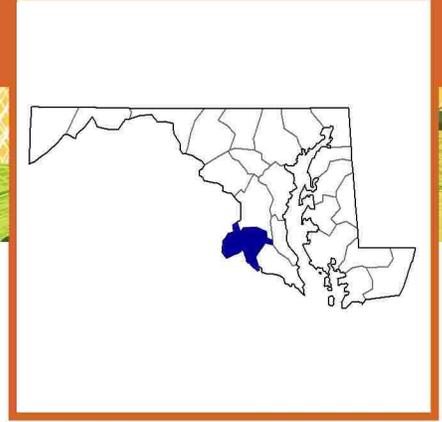
Charles County, Maryland
Farms with Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Producers

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Charles County, Maryland
Farms with Female Producers

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with Female Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	221	385
Land in farms (acres)	19,966	41,021
Average size of farm (acres)	90	107
Total	($)	($)
Market value of products sold	6,997,000	14,065,000
Government payments	454,000	789,000
Farm-related income	1,009,000	1,291,000
Total farm production expenses	9,012,000	16,899,000
Net cash farm income	-552,000	-754,000
Per farm average	($)	($)
Market value of products sold	31,660	36,533
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	13,758	11,600
Farm-related income	16,273	11,740
Total farm production expenses	40,776	43,893
Net cash farm income	-2,496	-1,957

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	90
Livestock, poultry, and products	10

Land in Farms by Use (%) [b]

Cropland	69
Pastureland	9
Woodland	17
Other	5

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	18
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	16
Cover crop	19

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent [b]
Less than $2,500	114	52
$2,500 to $4,999	34	15
$5,000 to $9,999	14	6
$10,000 to $24,999	22	10
$25,000 to $49,999	13	6
$50,000 to $99,999	8	4
$100,000 or more	16	7
Total	221	100

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent [b]
1 to 9 acres	42	19
10 to 49 acres	115	52
50 to 179 acres	37	17
180 to 499 acres	17	8
500 to 999 acres	7	3
1,000 + acres	3	1
Total	221	100

2017 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE *Race/Ethnicity/Gender Profile*

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales ($1,000)	No. of Farms
Total	**6,997**	**221**
Crops	**6,276**	**113**
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	4,547	36
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	1,176	35
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	107	13
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	52	11
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	395	50
Livestock, poultry, and products	**721**	**80**
Poultry and eggs	174	26
Cattle and calves	93	23
Milk from cows	-	-
Hogs and pigs	14	9
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	26
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	109	21
Aquaculture	(D)	2
Other animals and animal products	8	8

Top Crops in Acres [d]

Soybeans for beans	4,538
Wheat for grain, all	3,580
Corn for grain	3,043
Forage (hay/haylage), all	1,452
Sorghum for grain	494

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)
Cattle and calves	452
Goats	365
Hogs and pigs	44
Horses and ponies	674
Layers	12,602
Pullets	10
Sheep and lambs	244
Turkeys	(D)

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	**83**
Farm organically	**1**
Sell directly to consumers	**14**
Hire farm labor	**19**
Are family farms	**97**

Total Producers [c] 239

Age
<35	39
35 – 64	126
65 and older	74

Race
American Indian/Alaska Native	2
Asian	-
Black/African American	8
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	228
More than one race	1

Primary occupation
Farming	108
Other	131

Days worked off farm
None	88
1 to 199	63
200 +	88

Other characteristics
Hispanic/Latino/Spanish	-
With military service	13
New and beginning farmers	80

Average age (years) 54.5

Demographic Data in the Census of Agriculture

The agriculture census is a complete count of U.S. farms and ranches and the people who operate them. Demographic information is available at national, state, and county levels, and for classes of farm and congressional districts. Results from the 2017 Census and earlier are available through the searchable database Quick Stats, the new Census Data Query Tool, downloadable PDF reports, maps, and topic-specific Highlights and Profiles.

See also the video "What's New in the 2017 Census?"(www.nass.usda.gov/Newsroom/Video_Features/index.php).

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