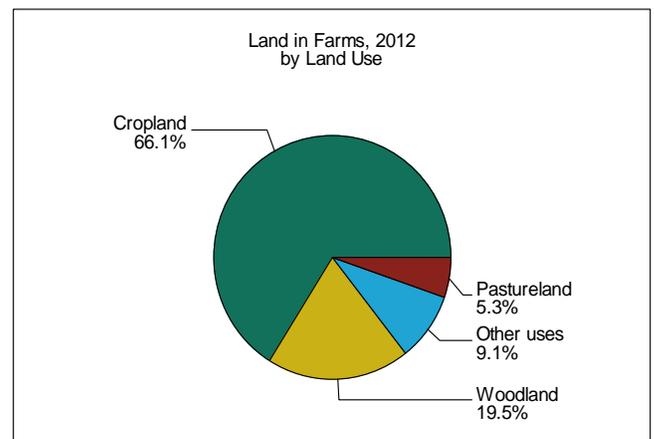
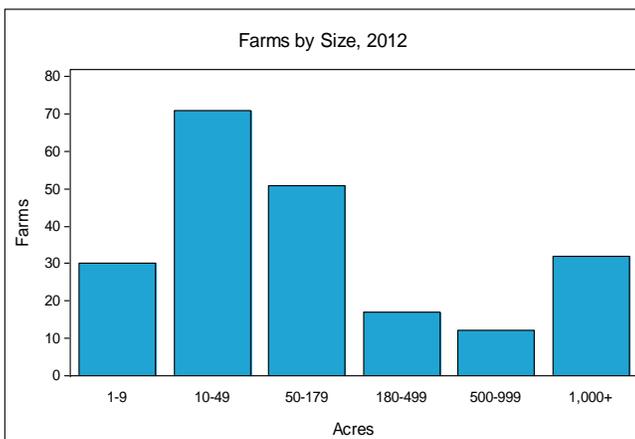


Isle of Wight County Virginia

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	213	195	+ 9
Land in Farms	75,642 acres	73,461 acres	+ 3
Average Size of Farm	355 acres	377 acres	- 6
Market Value of Products Sold	\$45,625,000	\$23,014,000	+ 98
Crop Sales \$33,025,000 (72 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$12,600,000 (28 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$214,204	\$118,020	+ 81
Government Payments	\$1,689,000	\$2,808,000	- 40
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$15,495	\$26,740	- 42





Isle of Wight County – Virginia

Ranked items among the 98 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	45,625	19	98	1,840	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	33,025	11	98	1,411	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	12,600	36	98	1,953	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	18,789	9	96	1,263	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	28	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	11,011	3	15	160	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	92	62	97	1,877	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	127	40	96	1,291	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	109	72	95	2,001	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	15	40	68	838	1,530
Other crops and hay	2,882	15	97	1,015	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	24	97	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	984	66	97	2,618	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	68	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	9,469	3	86	433	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	53	52	97	1,869	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	78	61	95	2,018	3,011
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	44	(D)	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	55	24	96	1,382	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	20,958	7	80	907	2,162
Cotton, all	14,088	3	15	185	635
Upland cotton	14,088	3	15	184	635
Wheat for grain, all	7,761	9	84	782	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	7,761	9	84	697	2,480
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	16	84	(D)	2,723
Hogs and pigs	(D)	4	89	(D)	2,889
Cattle and calves	3,181	64	97	2,590	3,063
Layers	1,587	46	97	1,486	3,040
Horses and ponies	452	57	97	2,159	3,072

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	58	Farming	109
\$1,000 to \$2,499	25	Other	104
\$2,500 to \$4,999	13	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	11	Male	169
\$10,000 to \$19,999	23	Female	44
\$20,000 to \$24,999	5	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.2
\$25,000 to \$39,999	15	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	13	Asian	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999	9	Black or African American	19
\$250,000 to \$499,999	11	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	28	White	303
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	36,405	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	170,915	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	1
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	12,477		
Average per farm (\$)	58,578		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. ² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.