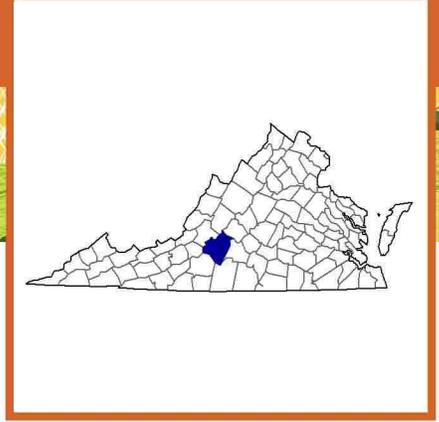


Bedford County, Virginia Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Producers^a

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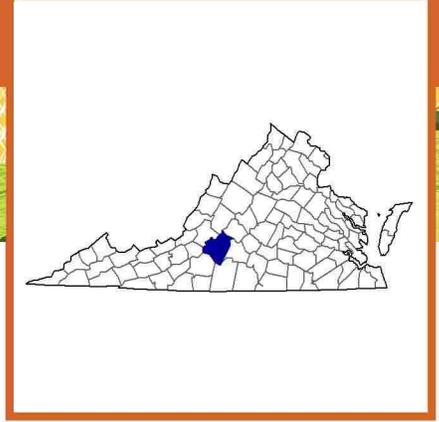
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Bedford County, Virginia Farms with Asian Producers^a

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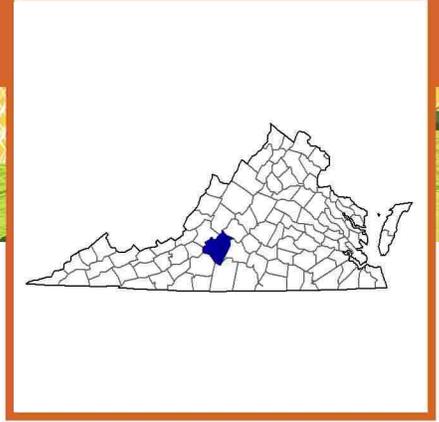
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Bedford County, Virginia Farms with Black or African American Producers^a

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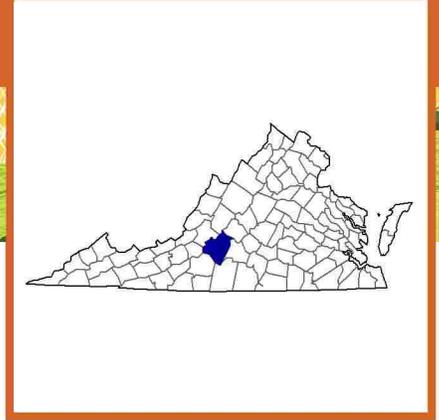
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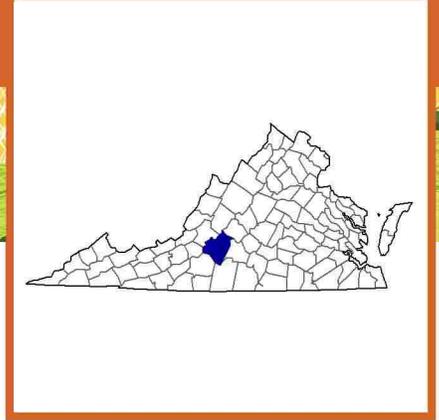
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Bedford County, Virginia Farms with White Producers^a

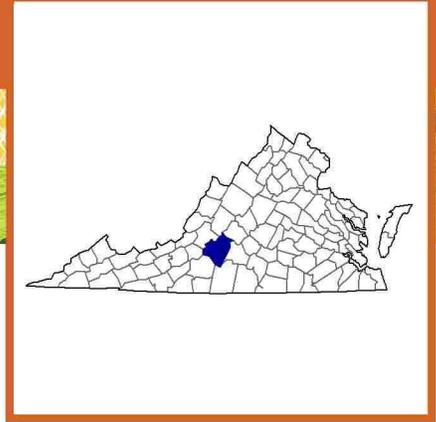
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Bedford County, Virginia Farms with Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Producers

Data not available at this geographic level for farms with Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Producers.



Bedford County, Virginia Farms with Female Producers

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with Female Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	746	1,418
Land in farms (acres)	95,895	211,087
Average size of farm (acres)	129	149
Total	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	11,593,000	26,470,000
Government payments	440,000	658,000
Farm-related income	1,899,000	3,030,000
Total farm production expenses	16,483,000	31,326,000
Net cash farm income	-2,551,000	-1,168,000
Per farm average	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	15,540	18,667
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	6,475	4,475
Farm-related income	6,756	5,965
Total farm production expenses	22,095	22,092
Net cash farm income	-3,420	-824

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	36
Livestock, poultry, and products	64

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^b

Cropland	29
Pastureland	32
Woodland	34
Other	6

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	6
Reduced till	1
Intensive till	3
Cover crop	8

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent ^b
Less than \$2,500	355	48
\$2,500 to \$4,999	93	12
\$5,000 to \$9,999	106	14
\$10,000 to \$24,999	107	14
\$25,000 to \$49,999	56	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	11	1
\$100,000 or more	18	2
Total	746	100

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent ^b
1 to 9 acres	84	11
10 to 49 acres	258	35
50 to 179 acres	281	38
180 to 499 acres	82	11
500 to 999 acres	21	3
1,000 + acres	20	3
Total	746	100

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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms
Total	11,593	746
Crops	4,191	325
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	1,318	21
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	155	21
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	534	45
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	890	9
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	18	3
Other crops and hay	1,276	271
Livestock, poultry, and products	7,402	490
Poultry and eggs	129	130
Cattle and calves	6,473	334
Milk from cows	(D)	1
Hogs and pigs	84	50
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	114	68
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	303	38
Aquaculture	(D)	2
Other animals and animal products	(D)	34

Total Producers ^c

779

Age	
<35	85
35 – 64	474
65 and older	220
Race	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	2
Black/African American	2
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	772
More than one race	3
Primary occupation	
Farming	230
Other	549
Days worked off farm	
None	294
1 to 199	170
200 +	315
Other characteristics	
Hispanic/Latino/Spanish	6
With military service	8
New and beginning farmers	251
<i>Average age (years)</i>	57.1

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Forage (hay/haylage), all	19,201
Corn for silage	1,068
Sorghum for silage/greenchop	756
Short-rotation woody crops	168
Grapes	62

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	86
Farm organically	-
Sell directly to consumers	12
Hire farm labor	21
Are family farms	99

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	3,325
Cattle and calves	21,603
Goats	1,183
Hogs and pigs	341
Horses and ponies	1,325
Layers	6,606
Pullets	1,376
Sheep and lambs	552
Turkeys	367

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.

^a This race alone or in combination with other races. ^b May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^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.