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## 2013 FARM CASH RECEIPTS IN WEST VIRGINIA

**Charleston, West Virginia** - The 2013 cash receipts from marketing all agricultural commodities in West Virginia totaled 765,943,000 dollars, an increase of almost 81.4 million dollars from 2012. Receipts from marketing livestock and livestock products accounted for 80.7 percent of the State total. Cash receipts from crops accounted for 19.3 percent of the 2013 total.

The largest contributor to the agricultural marketings in the State continues to be poultry and eggs. Cash receipts from the poultry industry, which includes broilers, eggs, and turkeys, accounted for 47.2 percent of the State total. The second leading contributor was cattle and calves which accounted for 27.6 percent of the total in 2013.

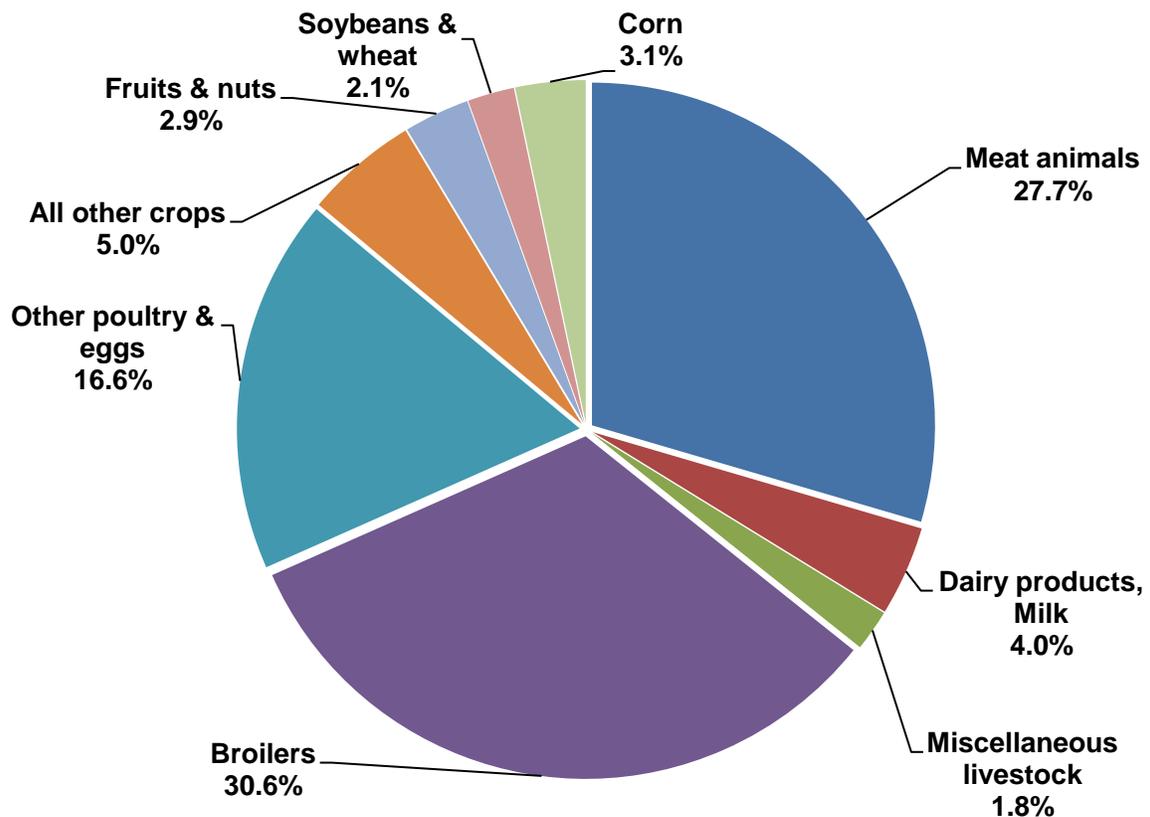
Nationally, West Virginia ranked 25<sup>th</sup> for cash receipts from poultry and eggs. Broilers were the main contributor accounting for 30.6 percent of cash receipts in the State. West Virginia ranked 18<sup>th</sup> in the nation based on cash receipts from broilers. Other highly ranked West Virginia commodities include turkey receipts at 13<sup>th</sup> and apple receipts at 16<sup>th</sup> in the nation.

**West Virginia Cash Receipts from Farm Marketings: 2008-2013 <sup>1/</sup>**

Commodity	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
	(000) Dollars					
<b>Livestock and products</b>	428,856	412,491	437,610	468,694	536,204	<b>618,467</b>
Meat animals	116,408	134,320	117,218	138,613	173,514	<b>212,310</b>
Cattle and calves	115,438	133,435	116,566	137,715	172,570	<b>211,288</b>
Hogs	970	885	652	898	944	<b>1,023</b>
Dairy products, Milk	33,652	20,640	26,195	32,240	28,880	<b>30,450</b>
Poultry and eggs	267,227	245,063	281,690	284,715	319,968	<b>361,713</b>
Broilers	161,644	151,176	166,772	156,794	188,000	<b>234,643</b>
Miscellaneous livestock <sup>2/</sup>	11,569	12,468	12,507	13,126	13,842	<b>13,993</b>
<b>Crops</b>	105,252	109,915	107,959	124,711	153,323	<b>147,476</b>
Food grains (Wheat)	2,609	1,420	1,303	2,053	1,882	<b>2,265</b>
Feed crops	35,469	37,634	36,635	47,110	57,214	<b>61,402</b>
Corn	12,125	12,664	12,933	16,907	24,670	<b>23,421</b>
Oil crops (Soybeans)	6,326	7,456	6,929	8,828	12,014	<b>13,579</b>
Fruits and nuts <sup>3/</sup>	17,760	18,222	17,157	20,122	34,258	<b>22,267</b>
All other crops <sup>4/</sup>	34,018	35,973	36,620	37,214	38,425	<b>38,433</b>
<b>All commodities</b>	<b>534,108</b>	<b>522,406</b>	<b>545,569</b>	<b>593,405</b>	<b>689,527</b>	<b>765,943</b>

<sup>1/</sup> Cash receipts reflect sales of commodities from farms where produced within a calendar year irrespective of the year of production. <sup>2/</sup> Includes aquaculture, equine, sheep, honey, wool, and all other livestock. <sup>3/</sup> Includes apples, peaches, miscellaneous fruits, and berries. <sup>4/</sup> Includes greenhouse/nursery, Christmas trees, oats, vegetables, tobacco, mushrooms, and other crops. Source: USDA, Economic Research Service <http://www.ers.usda.gov/data-products/farm-income-and-wealth-statistics.aspx>.

**Cash Receipts: Selected Commodities, West Virginia, 2013**



**Cash Receipts: Major Commodities, West Virginia, 2003 - 2013**

