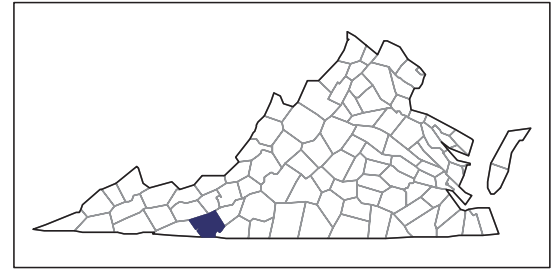


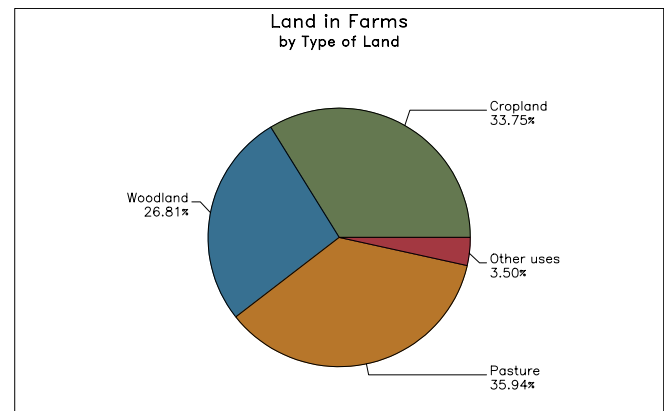
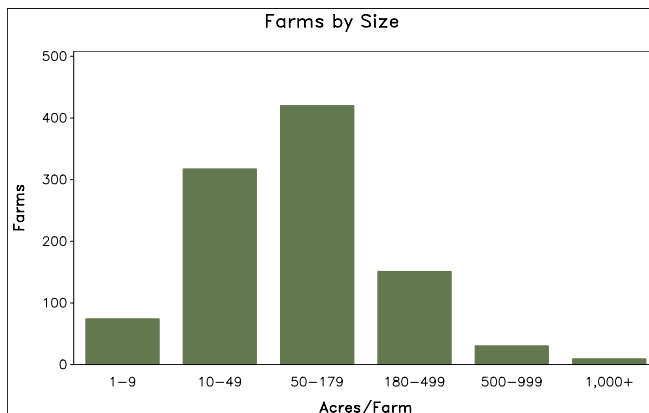
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile



Carroll County Virginia

| | 2007 | 2002 | % change |
|---|---------------|---------------|----------|
| Number of Farms | 1,001 | 953 | + 5 |
| Land in Farms | 123,678 acres | 121,910 acres | + 1 |
| Average Size of Farm | 124 acres | 128 acres | - 3 |
| Market Value of Products Sold | \$34,447,000 | \$25,912,000 | + 33 |
| Crop Sales \$8,606,000 (25 percent) | | | |
| Livestock Sales \$25,841,000 (75 percent) | | | |
| Average Per Farm | \$34,413 | \$27,190 | + 27 |
| Government Payments | \$380,000 | \$297,000 | + 28 |
| Average Per Farm Receiving Payments | \$2,972 | \$3,954 | - 25 |



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Carroll County – Virginia

Ranked items among the 98 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

| 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 | 34,447 | 21 | 98 | 1,875 | 3,076 |
| Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse | 8,606 | 30 | 98 | 1,943 | 3,072 |
| Value of livestock, poultry, and their products | 25,841 | 16 | 98 | 1,313 | 3,069 |
| VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) | | | | | |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas | (D) | (D) | 97 | (D) | 2,933 |
| Tobacco | - | - | 34 | - | 437 |
| Cotton and cottonseed | - | - | 15 | - | 626 |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes | 3,554 | 4 | 95 | 412 | 2,796 |
| Fruits, tree nuts, and berries | 2,359 | 7 | 96 | 273 | 2,659 |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod | 1,515 | 30 | 94 | 923 | 2,703 |
| Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops | (D) | 6 | 64 | 120 | 1,710 |
| Other crops and hay | 586 | 50 | 98 | 2,034 | 3,054 |
| Poultry and eggs | 23 | 61 | 96 | 2,067 | 3,020 |
| Cattle and calves | 23,444 | 5 | 96 | 572 | 3,054 |
| Milk and other dairy products from cows | 2,148 | 31 | 78 | 1,056 | 2,493 |
| Hogs and pigs | 7 | 62 | 86 | 2,400 | 2,922 |
| Sheep, goats, and their products | 52 | 34 | 95 | 1,618 | 2,998 |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys | 158 | 31 | 94 | 1,315 | 3,024 |
| Aquaculture | - | - | 44 | - | 1,498 |
| Other animals and other animal products | 9 | 57 | 94 | 2,087 | 2,875 |
| TOP CROP ITEMS (acres) | | | | | |
| Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop | 25,564 | 17 | 98 | 831 | 3,060 |
| Corn for silage | 1,135 | 26 | 81 | 936 | 2,263 |
| Vegetables harvested for sale | 1,114 | 5 | 95 | 492 | 2,794 |
| Pumpkins | 518 | 1 | 70 | 21 | 1,716 |
| Apples | 468 | 8 | 88 | 96 | 2,144 |
| TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number) | | | | | |
| Cattle and calves | 37,976 | 13 | 97 | 825 | 3,060 |
| Horses and ponies | 1,206 | 25 | 97 | 1,151 | 3,066 |
| Layers | 930 | 48 | 97 | 1,696 | 3,024 |
| Goats, all | 837 | 22 | 97 | 916 | 3,023 |
| Pullets for laying flock replacement | 576 | 17 | 81 | 648 | 2,627 |

Other County Highlights

| Economic Characteristics | Quantity | Operator Characteristics | Quantity |
|---|----------|---|----------|
| Farms by value of sales: | | Principal operators by primary occupation: | |
| Less than \$1,000 | 237 | Farming | 414 |
| \$1,000 to \$2,499 | 133 | Other | 587 |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 | 106 | Principal operators by sex: | |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 135 | Male | 898 |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999 | 141 | Female | 103 |
| \$20,000 to \$24,999 | 47 | Average age of principal operator (years) | 58.7 |
| \$25,000 to \$39,999 | 85 | All operators by race ² : | |
| \$40,000 to \$49,999 | 17 | American Indian or Alaska Native | - |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999 | 47 | Asian | - |
| \$100,000 to \$249,999 | 35 | Black or African American | 3 |
| \$250,000 to \$499,999 | 7 | Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | - |
| \$500,000 or more | 11 | White | 1,381 |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) | 31,432 | More than one race | 11 |
| Average per farm (\$) | 31,400 | All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ² | 3 |
| Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000) | 4,694 | | |
| Average per farm (\$) | 4,690 | | |

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

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

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.