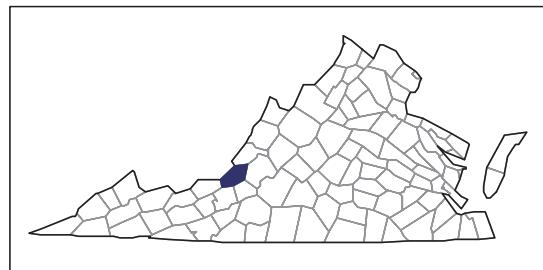


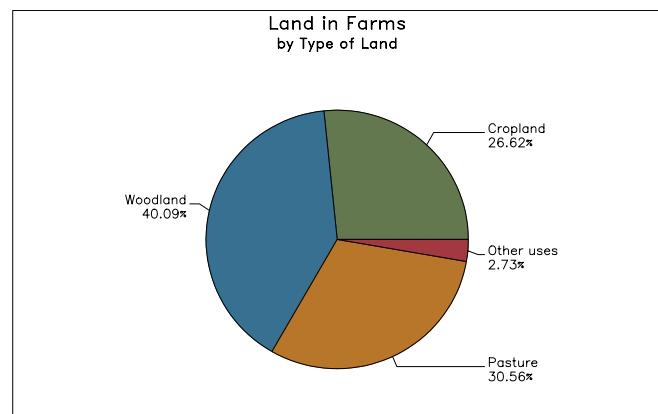
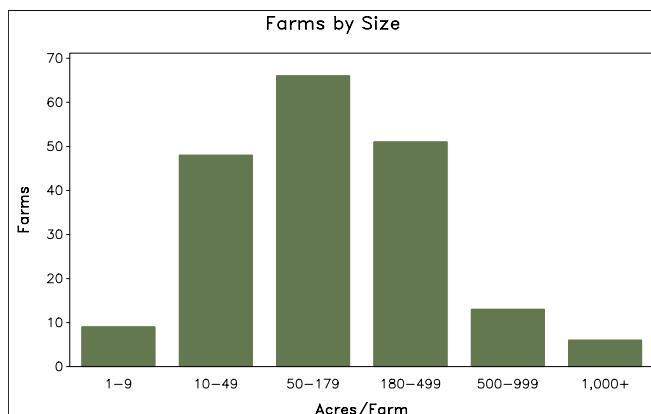
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## County Profile



### Craig County Virginia

	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	193	228	- 15
<b>Land in Farms</b>	41,630 acres	48,398 acres	- 14
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	216 acres	212 acres	+ 2
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$5,506,000	\$3,609,000	+ 53
Crop Sales \$481,000 (9 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$5,025,000 (91 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$28,530	\$15,830	+ 80
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$82,000	\$100,000	- 18
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$2,567	\$1,511	+ 70



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### Craig County – Virginia

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

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	5,506	80	98	2,786	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	481	91	98	2,928	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	5,025	61	98	2,435	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	90	81	97	2,492	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	34	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	15	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	95	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	96	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	14	87	94	2,495	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	64	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	248	69	98	2,579	3,054
Poultry and eggs	11	73	96	2,406	3,020
Cattle and calves	3,765	42	96	1,902	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	78	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	11	53	86	2,221	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	8	77	95	2,689	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	7	91	94	2,899	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	44	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	94	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	7,143	58	98	2,016	3,060
Wheat for grain, all	(D)	(D)	81	(D)	2,481
Corn for silage	227	59	81	1,659	2,263
Corn for grain	144	80	94	2,277	2,634
Cut Christmas trees	(D)	37	67	(D)	1,756
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	6,244	56	97	2,331	3,060
Layers	396	76	97	2,319	3,024
Bison	(D)	1	24	(D)	1,543
Horses and ponies	162	87	97	2,909	3,066
Hogs and pigs	154	42	89	1,948	2,958

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	46
\$1,000 to \$2,499	24
\$2,500 to \$4,999	18
\$5,000 to \$9,999	29
\$10,000 to \$19,999	27
\$20,000 to \$24,999	9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	11
\$40,000 to \$49,999	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	15
\$100,000 to \$249,999	5
\$250,000 to \$499,999	2
\$500,000 or more	1
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	4,573
Average per farm (\$)	23,696
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,205
Average per farm (\$)	6,245

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	90
Other	103
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	153
Female	40
Average age of principal operator (years)	57.6
All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
American Indian or Alaska Native	-
Asian	1
Black or African American	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1
White	284
More than one race	-
All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	-

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

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