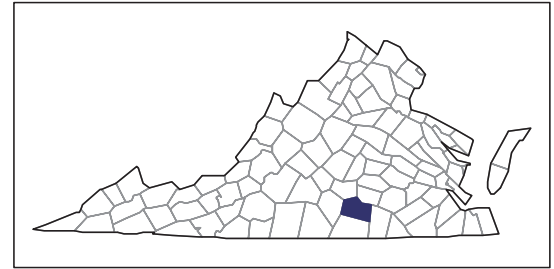


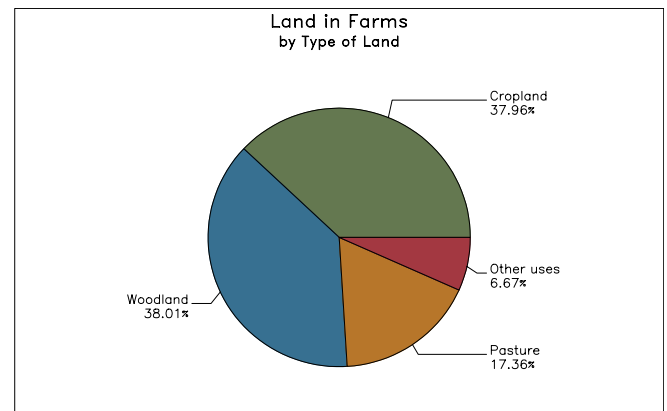
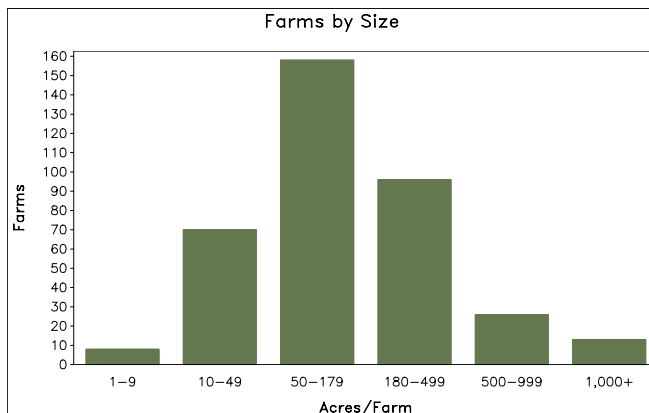
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile



Lunenburg County Virginia

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	371	375	- 1
Land in Farms	83,232 acres	91,549 acres	- 9
Average Size of Farm	224 acres	244 acres	- 8
Market Value of Products Sold	\$9,670,000	\$13,924,000	- 31
Crop Sales \$4,426,000 (46 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$5,243,000 (54 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$26,064	\$37,132	- 30
Government Payments	\$439,000	\$368,000	+ 19
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,405	\$2,786	+ 22



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Lunenburg 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	9,670	65	98	2,610	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	4,426	51	98	2,294	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	5,243	58	98	2,409	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	487	56	97	2,148	2,933
Tobacco	3,098	5	34	104	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	15	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	106	63	95	1,817	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	96	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	94	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	15	64	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	605	48	98	2,004	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	28	96	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	49	96	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	78	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	61	29	86	1,524	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	13	61	95	2,510	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	26	77	94	2,566	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	44	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	42	32	94	1,447	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	13,792	42	98	1,397	3,060
Soybeans for beans	3,008	39	77	1,308	2,039
Tobacco	981	5	34	101	437
Short-rotation woody crops	(D)	3	61	(D)	1,134
Wheat for grain, all	269	59	81	1,983	2,481
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	9	81	(D)	2,627
Cattle and calves	12,734	43	97	1,811	3,060
Hogs and pigs	(D)	12	89	(D)	2,958
Goats, all	788	25	97	974	3,023
Layers	630	63	97	1,996	3,024

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	130	Farming	146
\$1,000 to \$2,499	38	Other	225
\$2,500 to \$4,999	38	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	50	Male	315
\$10,000 to \$19,999	47	Female	56
\$20,000 to \$24,999	12	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	19	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	7	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	16	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	5	Black or African American	73
\$250,000 to \$499,999	6	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	3	White	454
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	11,566	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	31,174	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	4
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	426		
Average per farm (\$)	1,149		

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.