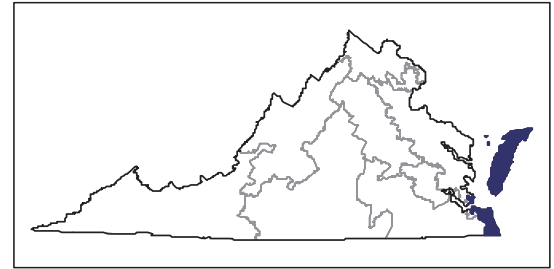


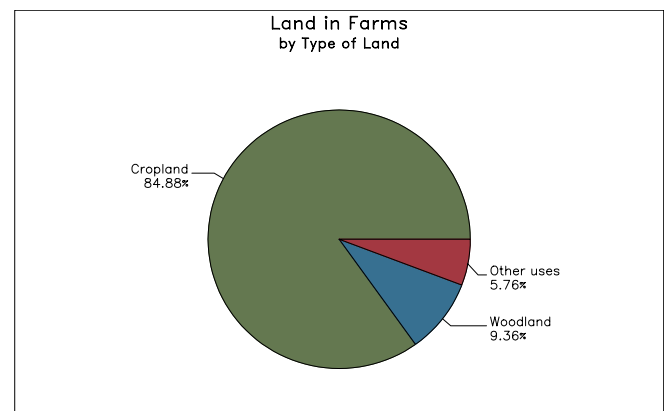
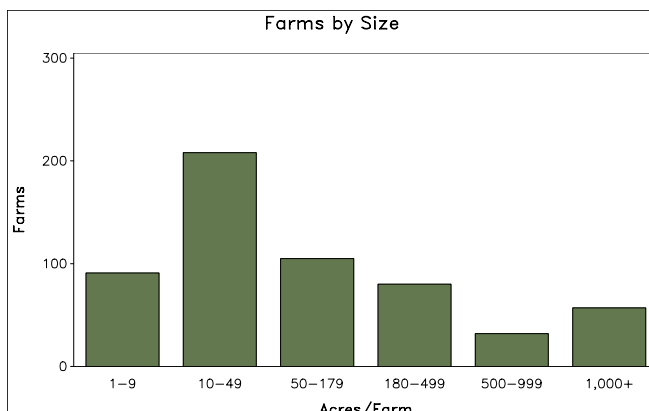
# 2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## Congressional District Profile



### Virginia 2nd District

	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farm Operators</b>	916	954	- 4
<b>Number of Farms</b>	573	675	- 15
<b>Land in Farms</b>	184,195 acres	171,745 acres	+ 7
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	321 acres	254 acres	+ 26
<b>Irrigated Land</b>	15,988 acres	19,486 acres	- 18
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<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$255,679,000	\$162,985,000	+ 57
Average Per Farm	\$446,211	\$241,460	+ 85
<b>Gross Income, Farm Related Sources</b>	\$4,655,000	\$2,752,000	+ 69
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<b>Government Payments</b>	\$3,153,000	\$1,863,000	+ 69
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$14,596	\$10,236	+ 43



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Ranked items among the 11 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 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	255,679	6	11	202	425
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	(D)	3	11	190	425
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	(D)	6	11	184	415
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	48,151	3	10	127	371
Tobacco	-	-	3	-	81
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	3	5	80	102
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	55,554	1	10	63	403
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	7	11	263	398
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	17,559	5	11	226	421
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	8	9	(D)	328
Other crops and hay	(D)	10	11	356	389
Poultry and eggs	95,881	3	11	82	395
Cattle and calves	(D)	10	11	(D)	393
Milk and other dairy products from cows	9	10	10	333	343
Hogs and pigs	(D)	4	10	(D)	368
Sheep, goats, and their products	24	10	10	323	383
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	10	11	370	401
Aquaculture	(D)	1	9	9	336
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	11	11	343	395
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Soybeans for beans	79,763	3	10	89	262
Corn for grain	53,595	3	10	123	343
Wheat for grain, all	37,168	3	10	82	319
Vegetables harvested for sale	14,941	1	10	69	401
Beans, snap	5,121	1	10	14	369
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	7,380,035	3	10	53	345
Layers	(D)	6	11	198	395
Hogs and pigs	(D)	4	10	(D)	371
Horses and ponies	997	10	11	327	416
Cattle and calves	(D)	10	11	346	396

### Other Congressional District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	146	Farming	305
\$1,000 to \$2,499	17	Other	268
\$2,500 to \$4,999	25	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	52	Male	464
\$10,000 to \$19,999	32	Female	109
\$20,000 to \$24,999	13	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	28	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	15	American Indian or Alaska Native	10
\$50,000 to \$99,999	37	Asian	13
\$100,000 to \$249,999	63	Black or African American	44
\$250,000 to \$499,999	43	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	102	White	784
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	182,649	More than one race	4
Average per farm (\$)	318,759	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	6
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	80,838		
Average per farm (\$)	141,079		

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

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

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