





Dear Boys and Girls,

West Virginia farmers and their families grow some of the food we eat every day. They grow hundreds of different products each year including many of the good fruits and vegetables we enjoy. They have dairy cows which provide milk for us and care for many other kinds of farm animals as well.

By working on "**Farm Fun**" you will learn more about agriculture and how important it is to the farmers who work to produce our food. Enjoy playing the games, solving the puzzles and coloring the pictures in this booklet. For more games, puzzles and fun things to do, you can visit the following pages on the web:

http:// www.ars.usda.gov/is/kids/

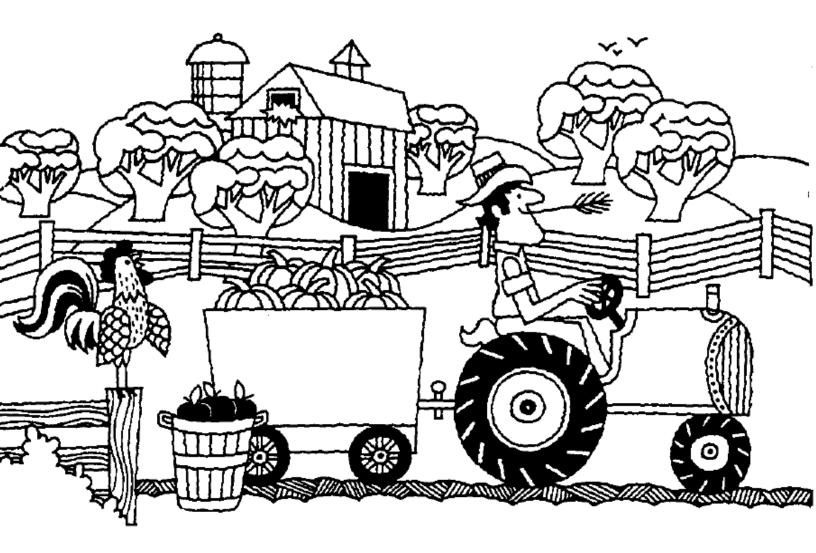
You can learn more about agriculture in West Virginia by also visiting: http://www.agclassroom.org/kids

If you have a question, please send it to me (e-mail) at: <u>nass-wv@nass.usda.gov</u>

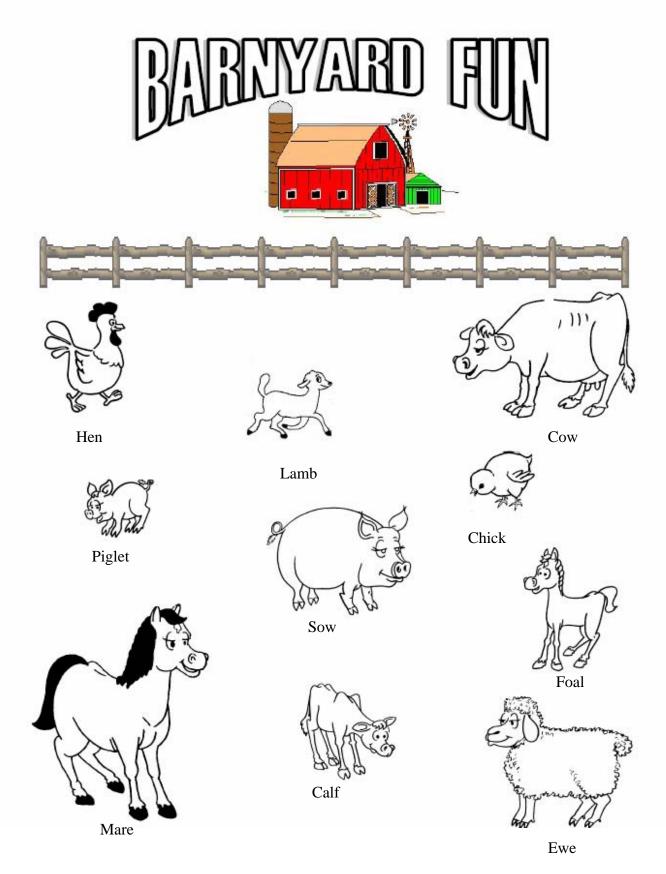
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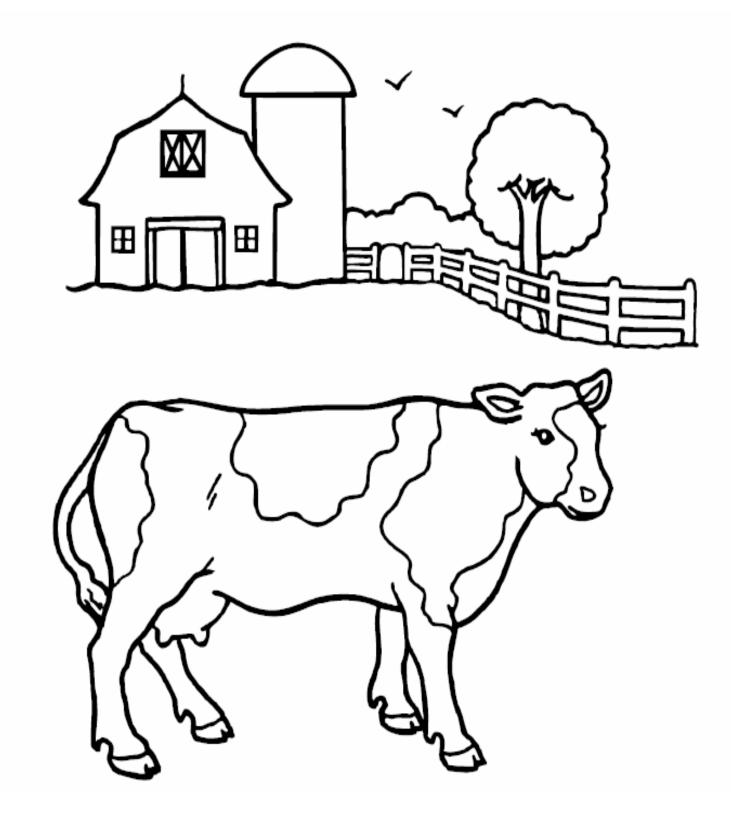
# West Virginia Agriculture

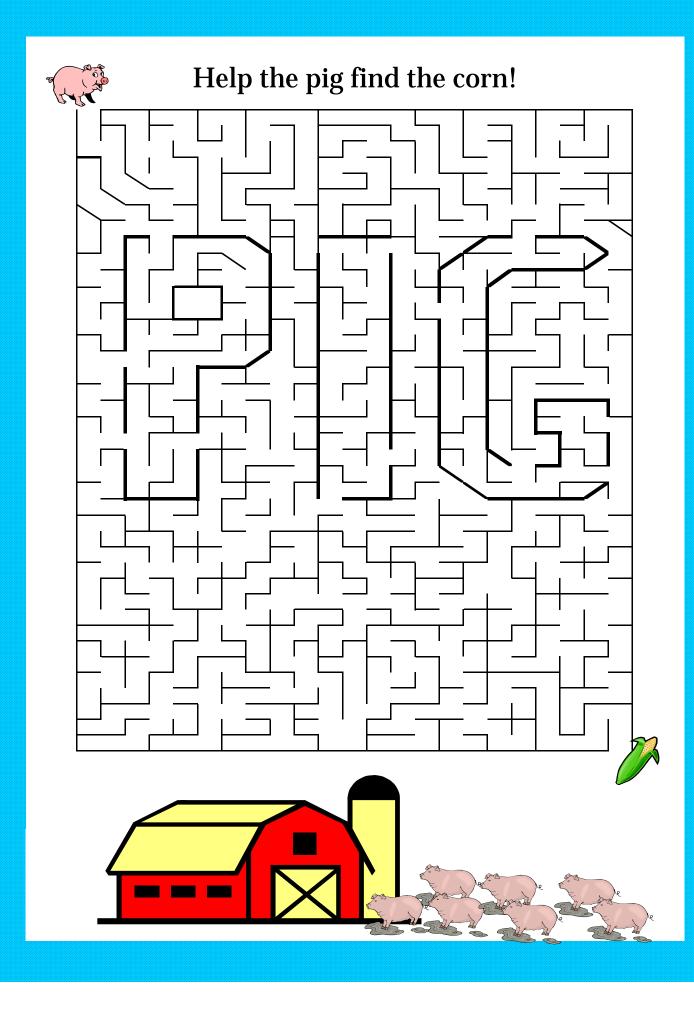


What do you think of when you hear the word "**agriculture**"? Does the image of crops growing in a field or a barnyard full of animals come to mind? By playing the games in this book you will learn about the different crops and livestock produced in West Virginia as well as some common terms for different animals, and also have a bunch of **farm fun**!



Help the babies find their mothers! Help them by drawing a line from each baby farm animal to its mother.





# Farm Scramble

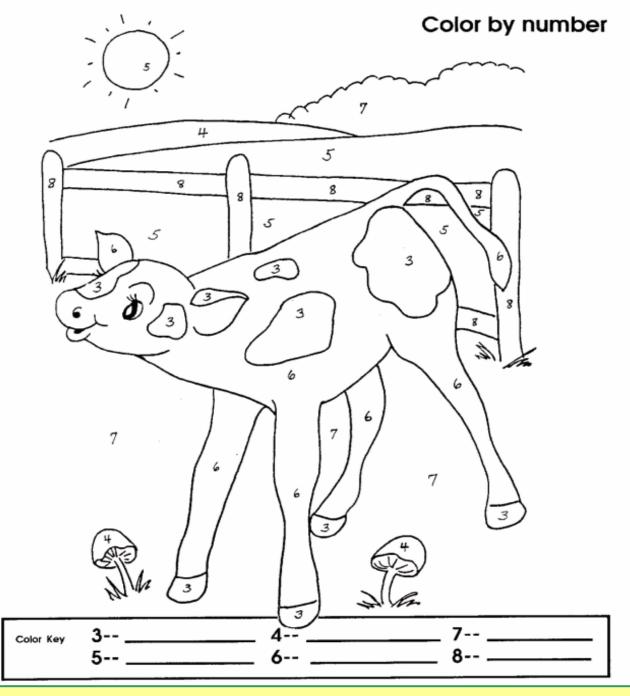


Unscramble the letters below to reveal a farm word!



crotartFarmers use this to pull a plow								
marfreWho takes care of the animals?								
ayhCrop that is fed to animals								
rsoheFarm animal that is fun to ride								
palpeFruit that is commonly grown in WV								
nrabPlace where animals are kept								
nickhecAnimal that lays eggs								
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nickhecAnimal that lays eggs ktuyreGood at Thanksgiving dinner								
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ktuyreGood at Thanksgiving dinner lksotviecTerm used to describe farm animals								





To color the picture above, you must find out what color each number should be. The answers to the problems below will tell what number that color goes in. Work the problems and write the name of the color beside the number in the color key box that is the same as the answer to the problem. Use the color key to color the picture.

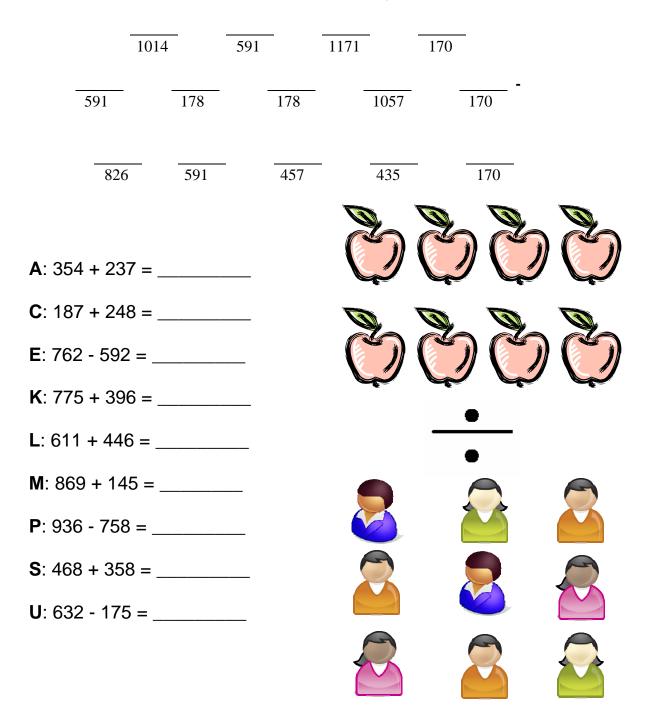
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Green	Black	White	Gray	Yellow	Brown



Work each of the equations below. Match the answer with the letter next to it and fill in the blanks above to solve the riddle.

#### **Riddle:**

How do you divide 8 apples among 9 students?







#### Try to fill in the missing numbers.

The missing numbers are integers between 0 and 9. The numbers in each row add up to the totals to the right. The numbers in each column add up to the totals along the bottom. The diagonal lines also add up to the totals to the right.

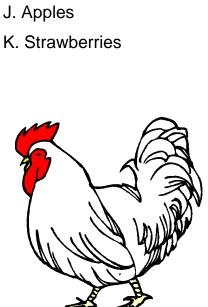
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18	28	16	13	21





#### Match the products in column 1 with the animal or crop they came from in column 2. The items in column 2 may be used more than once.

#### Column 1 Column 2 1. Bacon\_\_\_\_\_ A. Cow 2. Milk\_\_\_\_\_ B. Corn C. Sheep 3. Egg\_\_\_\_\_ 4. French Fries D. Tomatoes E. Wheat 5. Jelly 6. Ham F. Grapes 7. Wool Sweaters\_\_\_\_\_ G. Pig 8. Cider\_\_\_\_\_ H. Chicken 9. Beef I. Potatoes 10. Cornmeal\_\_\_\_ 11. Ketchup \_\_\_\_\_ 12. Pork Chops\_\_\_\_\_ 13. Lamb Chops 14. Flour 15. Hamburger 16. Tater Tots\_\_\_\_\_ 17. Jam \_\_\_\_\_ 18. Spaghetti Sauce\_\_\_\_\_ 19. Raisins\_\_\_\_\_ 20. Bread\_\_\_\_\_





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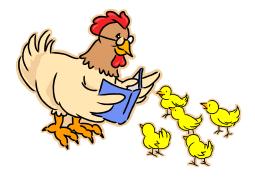
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APPLES	FARMER	PEACHES
BARROW	GILT	RABBIT
BEES	GOAT	SHEEP
BROILER	HEIFER	SOYBEANS
BULL	HOG	STATISTICS
CATFISH	HONEY	SURVEY
CENSUS	HORSE	TRACTOR
COMMODITY	KID	TROUT
CORN	LAMB	TURKEYS
COW	MILK	WHEAT
EGGS	MUSHROOMS	





Here are some baby farm animals. Match them with their parents. Use a dictionary if you must.

1. A PULLET is a young	a) GOOSE
2. A LAMB is a young	b) GOAT
3. A FOAL is a baby	c) RABBIT
4. A GOSLING is a baby	d) HOG
5. A CALF is a baby	e) CHICKEN
6. A DUCKLING is a baby	f) HORSE
7. A KID is a baby	g) TURKEY
8. A PIGLET is a baby	h) SHEEP
9. A KIT is a baby	i) DUCK
10. A POULT is a young	j) COW





#### 1. WHAT IS WEST VIRGINIA'S LEADING AGRICULTURAL PRODUCT?

- a. Apples
- b. Broilers
- c. Pigs
- d. Strawberries

#### 2. WHAT PERCENT OF THE STATE'S LAND IS FARMLAND?

- a. 24
- b. 76
- c. 85
- d. 54

#### 3. WEST VIRGINIA RANKS AROUND\_\_\_\_\_ IN THE NATION IN APPLE PRODUCTION.

- a. second
- b. sixth
- c. sixteenth
- d. tenth

#### 4. APPROXIMATELY HOW MANY FARMS DOES WEST VIRGINIA HAVE?

- a. 32,000
- b. 49,000
- c. 23,000
- d. 18,000





#### 5. HOW BIG IS THE AVERAGE FARM IN WEST VIRGINIA?

- a. 160 acres
- b. 200 acres
- c. 350 acres
- d. 130 acres



### 6. HOW MANY CATTLE AND CALVES ARE GRAZING ON FARMS IN WEST VIRGINIA EACH YEAR?

- a. 100,000
- b. 200,000
- c. 300,000
- d. 400,000

#### 7. WEST VIRGINIA RANKS\_\_\_\_IN TURKEYS PRODUCED.

- a. fourteenth
- b. fifth
- c. twentieth
- d. eleventh

#### 8. WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING IS NOT A BREED OF CATTLE?

- a. Angus
- b. Leghorn
- c. Holstein
- d. Hereford

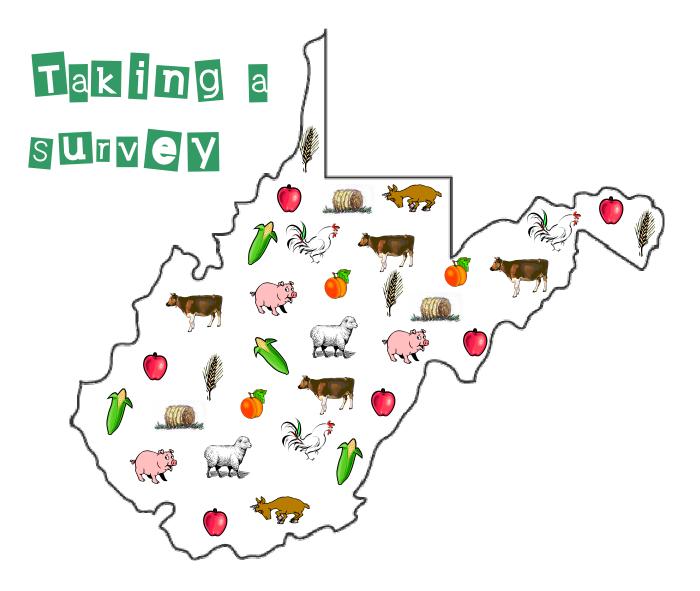
### 9. WHAT COUNTY IN WEST VIRGINIA LEADS THE STATE IN WHEAT PRODUCTION?

- a. Summers
- b. Jefferson
- c. Grant
- d. Berkeley

#### 10. WHAT TYPE OF FISH DO WEST VIRGINIA FISH FARMERS SELL?

- a. Salmon
- b. Bass
- c. Swordfish
- d. Trout





A survey is a count. The West Virginia Agricultural Statistics Service counts livestock (cows, pigs, sheep, goats, chickens) and crops (corn, soybeans, wheat, hay, fruit, vegetables).

A survey answers big questions that are used by many people including farmers. Taking surveys is an important job, and so is filling them out!

We need counts of livestock and crops. Can you count the livestock and crops on the map?

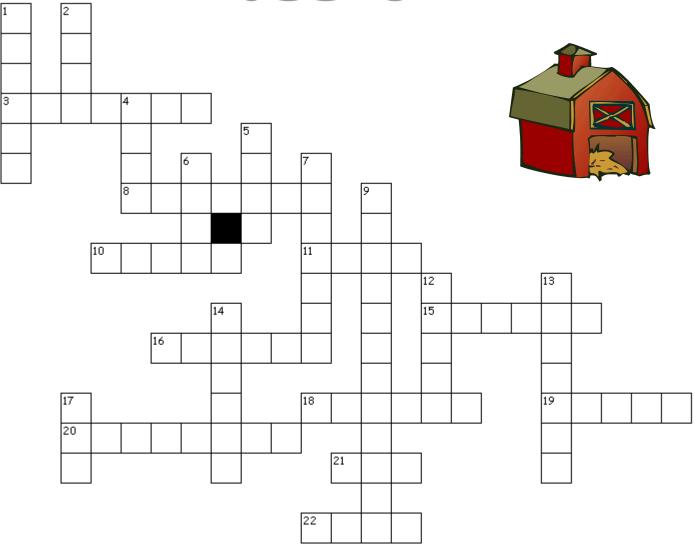
#### **Livestock**

- How many cows do you see?
- How many goats do you see?
- How many sheep do you see?
- How many pigs do you see?
- How many chickens do you see? \_\_\_\_\_

#### <u>Crops</u>

- How many peaches do you see?
- How many apples do you see?
- How many ears of corn do you see?
- How many bales of hay do you see?
- How many bales of hay do you see!
- How many heads of wheat do you see?

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE



#### Across

- 3. Type of hay.
- 8. A type of chicken raised for meat.
- 10. Where crops grow.
- 11. \_\_\_\_\_ on the cob.
- 15. A baby pig.
- 16. Who grows all your food?
- 18. Gobble! Gobble!
- 19. Bees make this.
- 20. Cold treat that comes from milk.
- 21. Oink! Oink!
- 22. Short for National Agricultural Statistics Service?

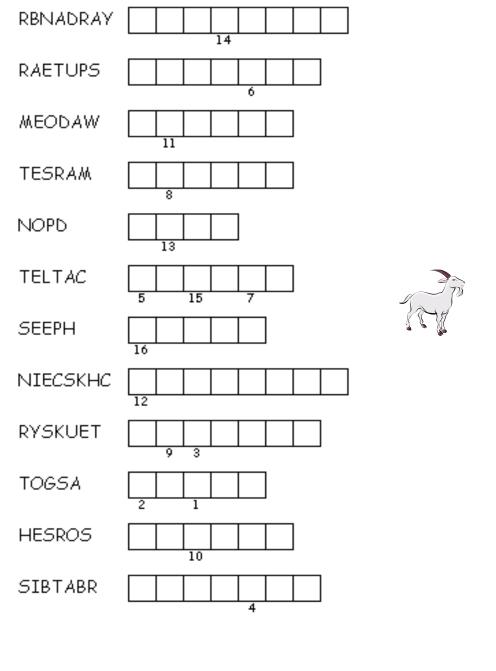
#### Down

- 1. Ketchup is made from this.
- 2. A baby cow or bull.
- 4. Mary had a little \_
- 5. Drink with lots of calcium.
- 6. A baby horse.
- 7. What a farmer rides.
- 9. Makes good jam.
- 12. West Virginia's #1 fruit.
- 13. West Virginia's #2 fruit crop.
- 14. Raisins are made from this.
- 17. Baby goat.



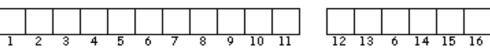


Unscramble each word and place the letter inside the box with the number in the matching box below to reveal the phrase.



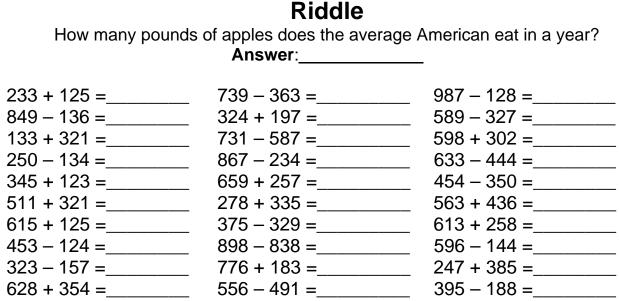


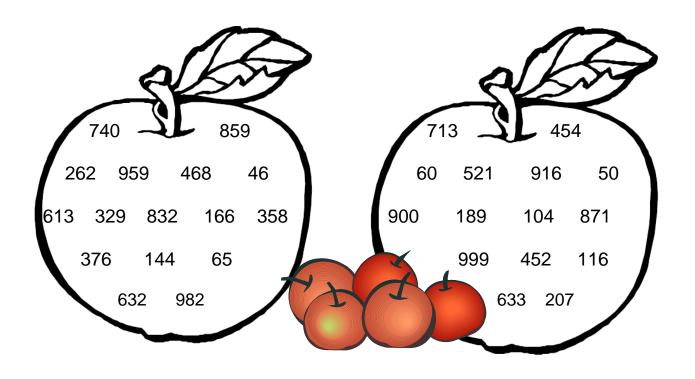




## MATH RIDDLE

Write the sum or difference of each of the equations below and cross off each answer in the apples. The number that remains is the answer to the riddle.

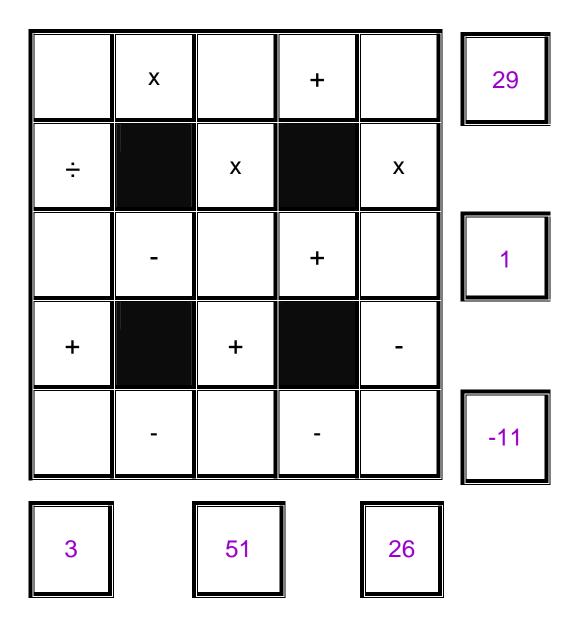






Try to fill in the missing numbers.

Use numbers 1 through 9 to complete the equations. Each number is only used once. Each row is a math equation. Each column is a math equation. Remember that multiplication and division are performed before addition and subtraction.





- Q: What runs around a farm but doesn't move?
- A: A fence.
- Q: Why do cows have bells?
- A: Because their horns don't work.
- Q: Why were the little strawberries upset?
- A: Because their parents were in a jam.
- Q: Why are skunks always arguing?
- A: Because they like to raise a stink.
- Q: What did the apple tree say to the farmer?
- A: Quit picking on me!
- Q: What do you get from a pampered cow?
- A: Spoiled milk.
- Q: What do you call a cow with no legs?
- A: Ground beef.
- Q: What do you call a cow that can't give milk?
- A: An udder failure.
- Q: What do you call a cow that just had a calf?
- A: Decalf-enated!
- Q: Why was the sheep arrested on the freeway?
- A: Because she did a ewe turn.
- Q: Why should you never tell a pig a secret?
- A: Because they love to squeal.
- Q: Why did the foal cough?
- A: Because it was a little horse.
- Q: What do you call a chicken with a bad sunburn?
- A: A fried chicken.



Tractor Farmer Hay Horse Apple Barn Chicken Turkey Livestock Wheat Grapes Silo



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4. I
5. F, J, K
6. G
7. C
8. J
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16. I
17. F, J, K
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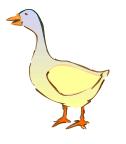


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- 1. E 2. H 3. F 4. A 5. J 6. I 7. B 8. D 9. C
- 10. G



- West Virginia Farm Quiz
  - 1. B 2. A 3. D 4. C 5. A 6. D 7. A 8. B 9. B 10. D



#### **Livestock**

How many cows do you see?	4	
How many goats do you see?	2	
How many sheep do you see?	2	
How many pigs do you see?	3	
How many chickens do you see?	3	

### **Crossword Puzzle**

#### Across

- ALFALFA
   BROILER
   FIELD
   CORN
   PIGLET
- 16. FARMER
- 18. TURKEY
- 19. HONEY
- 20. ICECREAM
- 21. PIG
- 22. NASS

- Down 1. TOMATO
- 2. CALF
- 4. LAMB
- 5. MILK
- 6. FOAL
- 7. TRACTOR
- 9. STRAWBERRIES
- 12. APPLE
- 13. PEACHES
- 14. GRAPES
- 17. KID

#### <u>Crops</u>

How many peaches do you see? How many apples do you see? How many ears of corn do you see? How many bales of hay do you see? How many heads of wheat do you see?

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Barnyard Pasture Meadow Stream Pond Cattle Sheep Chickens Turkeys Goats Horses Rabbits

#### AGRICULTURE COUNTS



358	376	859
713	521	262
454	144	900
116	633	189
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