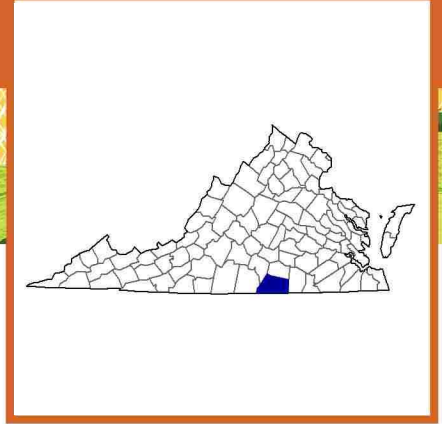


## Mecklenburg County, Virginia Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Producers<sup>a</sup>

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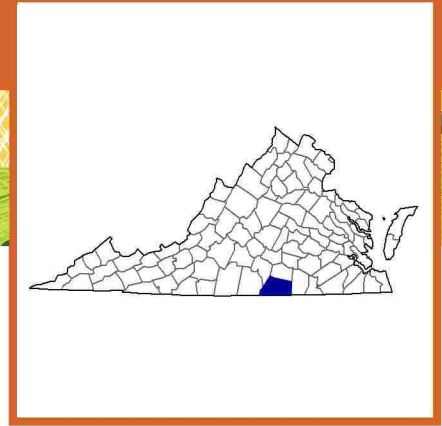


## Mecklenburg County, Virginia Farms with Asian Producers<sup>a</sup>

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## Mecklenburg County, Virginia Farms with Black or African American Producers<sup>a</sup>

### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with Black/African American Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	61	512
Land in farms (acres)	7,917	141,142
Average size of farm (acres)	130	276
<b>Total</b>	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	5,111,000	49,966,000
Government payments	5,000	334,000
Farm-related income	95,000	1,402,000
Total farm production expenses	4,216,000	44,602,000
Net cash farm income	994,000	7,100,000
<b>Per farm average</b>	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	83,782	97,589
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	778	2,157
Farm-related income	6,301	8,249
Total farm production expenses	69,119	87,113
Net cash farm income	16,302	13,867

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	91
Livestock, poultry, and products	9

### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>b</sup>

Cropland	24
Pastureland	26
Woodland	46
Other	4

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	5
Reduced till	3
Intensive till	16
Cover crop	15

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	30	49
\$2,500 to \$4,999	2	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999	11	18
\$10,000 to \$24,999	2	3
\$25,000 to \$49,999	8	13
\$50,000 to \$99,999	-	-
\$100,000 or more	8	13
<b>Total</b>	61	100

### Farms by Size

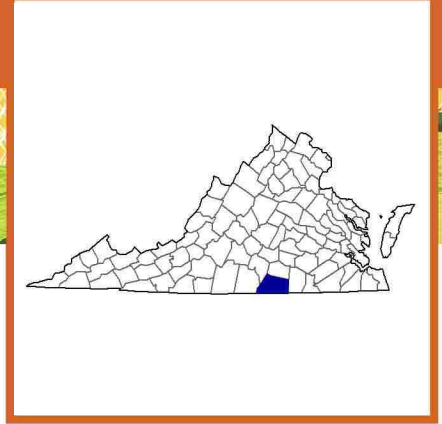
	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	-	-
10 to 49 acres	25	41
50 to 179 acres	21	34
180 to 499 acres	15	25
500 to 999 acres	-	-
1,000 + acres	-	-
<b>Total</b>	61	100

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold		Total Producers <sup>c</sup>	
	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms	
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,111</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>81</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>4,640</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>Sex</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	19	6	Male
Tobacco	615	6	Female
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	1	<b>Age</b>
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	1	<35
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	1	35 – 64
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	65 and older
Other crops and hay	(D)	16	
			<b>Primary occupation</b>
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>42</b>	Farming
Poultry and eggs	(Z)	3	Other
Cattle and calves	467	36	
Milk from cows	-	-	<b>Days worked off farm</b>
Hogs and pigs	-	-	None
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	-	-	1 to 199
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	2	6	200 +
Aquaculture	-	-	
Other animals and animal products	-	-	<b>Other characteristics</b>
			Hispanic/Latino/Spanish
			With military service
			New and beginning farmers
			<i>Average age (years)</i>
			61.9
<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>		<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	
Forage (hay/haylage), all	1,184	Have internet access	<b>54</b>
Tobacco	150	Farm organically	<b>-</b>
Soybeans for beans	(D)	Sell directly to consumers	<b>2</b>
Wheat for grain, all	(D)	Hire farm labor	<b>38</b>
Vegetables harvested, all	(D)	Are family farms	<b>98</b>
<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>			
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	-		
Cattle and calves	1,528		
Goats	-		
Hogs and pigs	21		
Horses and ponies	86		
Layers	96		
Pullets	-		
Sheep and lambs	-		
Turkeys	-		

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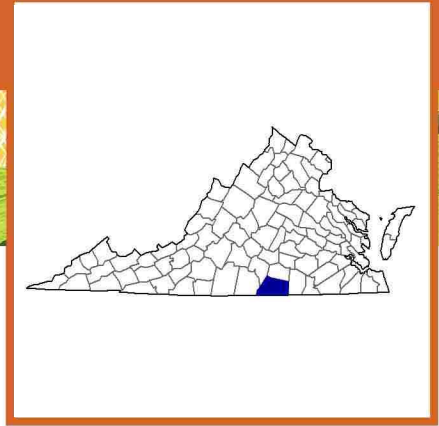
## Mecklenburg County, Virginia Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Producers<sup>a</sup>

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## Mecklenburg County, Virginia Farms with White Producers<sup>a</sup>

### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with White Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	456	512
Land in farms (acres)	133,772	141,142
Average size of farm (acres)	293	276
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	<b>(\$)</b>
Market value of products sold	48,843,000	49,966,000
Government payments	330,000	334,000
Farm-related income	1,309,000	1,402,000
Total farm production expenses	43,651,000	44,602,000
Net cash farm income	6,831,000	7,100,000
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	<b>(\$)</b>
Market value of products sold	107,113	97,589
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	2,214	2,157
Farm-related income	8,392	8,249
Total farm production expenses	95,727	87,113
Net cash farm income	14,980	13,867

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	91
Livestock, poultry, and products	9

### Land in Farms by Use (%)<sup>b</sup>

Cropland	46
Pastureland	18
Woodland	32
Other	5

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	20
Reduced till	7
Intensive till	20
Cover crop	15

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	165	36
\$2,500 to \$4,999	34	7
\$5,000 to \$9,999	67	15
\$10,000 to \$24,999	72	16
\$25,000 to \$49,999	36	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	17	4
\$100,000 or more	65	14
<b>Total</b>	<b>456</b>	<b>100</b>

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	31	7
10 to 49 acres	78	17
50 to 179 acres	178	39
180 to 499 acres	105	23
500 to 999 acres	39	9
1,000 + acres	25	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>456</b>	<b>100</b>

# 2017 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE Race/Ethnicity/Gender Profile

## Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms
<b>Total</b>	<b>48,843</b>	<b>456</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>44,232</b>	<b>237</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	7,540	82
Tobacco	29,073	48
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	23
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	20
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	24
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	(D)	130
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>4,612</b>	<b>222</b>
Poultry and eggs	344	29
Cattle and calves	3,543	174
Milk from cows	(D)	1
Hogs and pigs	(D)	19
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	19	16
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	54	10
Aquaculture	(D)	3
Other animals and animal products	(D)	2

## Total Producers <sup>c</sup>

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<b>Sex</b>	
Male	461
Female	257
<b>Age</b>	
<35	33
35 – 64	391
65 and older	294
<b>Primary occupation</b>	
Farming	307
Other	411
<b>Days worked off farm</b>	
None	294
1 to 199	173
200 +	251
<b>Other characteristics</b>	
Hispanic/Latino/Spanish	18
With military service	97
New and beginning farmers	137
<i>Average age (years)</i>	60.7

## Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup>

Soybeans for beans	(D)
Forage (hay/haylage), all	15,924
Tobacco	5,718
Wheat for grain, all	(D)
Corn for grain	(D)

## Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	<b>66</b>
Farm organically	<b>4</b>
Sell directly to consumers	<b>4</b>
Hire farm labor	<b>34</b>
Are family farms	<b>96</b>

## Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	84
Cattle and calves	12,003
Goats	448
Hogs and pigs	451
Horses and ponies	528
Layers	1,434
Pullets	28,024
Sheep and lambs	28
Turkeys	(D)

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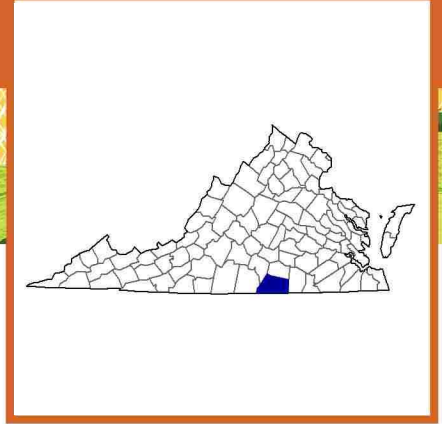
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## **Mecklenburg County, Virginia Farms with Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Producers**

Data not available at this geographic level for farms with Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Producers.





## Mecklenburg County, Virginia Farms with Female Producers

### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with Female Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	251	512
Land in farms (acres)	46,418	141,142
Average size of farm (acres)	185	276
<b>Total</b>	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	8,743,000	49,966,000
Government payments	87,000	334,000
Farm-related income	368,000	1,402,000
Total farm production expenses	10,774,000	44,602,000
Net cash farm income	-1,576,000	7,100,000
<b>Per farm average</b>	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	34,832	97,589
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	1,765	2,157
Farm-related income	4,330	8,249
Total farm production expenses	42,923	87,113
Net cash farm income	-6,280	13,867

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	82
Livestock, poultry, and products	18

### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>b</sup>

Cropland	26
Pastureland	27
Woodland	40
Other	8

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	12
Reduced till	4
Intensive till	8
Cover crop	9

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	107	43
\$2,500 to \$4,999	24	10
\$5,000 to \$9,999	46	18
\$10,000 to \$24,999	36	14
\$25,000 to \$49,999	19	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	9	4
\$100,000 or more	10	4
<b>Total</b>	251	100

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	17	7
10 to 49 acres	58	23
50 to 179 acres	109	43
180 to 499 acres	48	19
500 to 999 acres	15	6
1,000 + acres	4	2
<b>Total</b>	251	100

# 2017 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE Race/Ethnicity/Gender Profile

## Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,743</b>	<b>251</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>7,188</b>	<b>113</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	260	25
Tobacco	1,842	5
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	15
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	145	14
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	18
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	709	71
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>1,555</b>	<b>126</b>
Poultry and eggs	14	21
Cattle and calves	1,381	83
Milk from cows	-	-
Hogs and pigs	(D)	15
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	16	12
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	56	15
Aquaculture	(D)	3
Other animals and animal products	(D)	2

## Total Producers <sup>c</sup>

<b>Age</b>	<b>269</b>
<35	24
35 – 64	136
65 and older	109
<b>Race</b>	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	-
Black/African American	12
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	254
More than one race	3
<b>Primary occupation</b>	
Farming	83
Other	186
<b>Days worked off farm</b>	
None	96
1 to 199	65
200 +	108
<b>Other characteristics</b>	
Hispanic/Latino/Spanish	4
With military service	7
New and beginning farmers	63
<i>Average age (years)</i>	<i>60.3</i>

## Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup>

Forage (hay/haylage), all	6,333
Soybeans for beans	1,171
Tobacco	345
Short-rotation woody crops	(D)
Wheat for grain, all	(D)

## Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	<b>71</b>
Farm organically	<b>1</b>
Sell directly to consumers	<b>6</b>
Hire farm labor	<b>28</b>
Are family farms	<b>98</b>

## Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)
Cattle and calves	5,130
Goats	365
Hogs and pigs	436
Horses and ponies	473
Layers	1,253
Pullets	24
Sheep and lambs	(D)
Turkeys	(D)

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