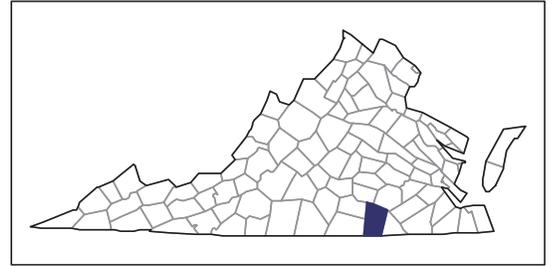


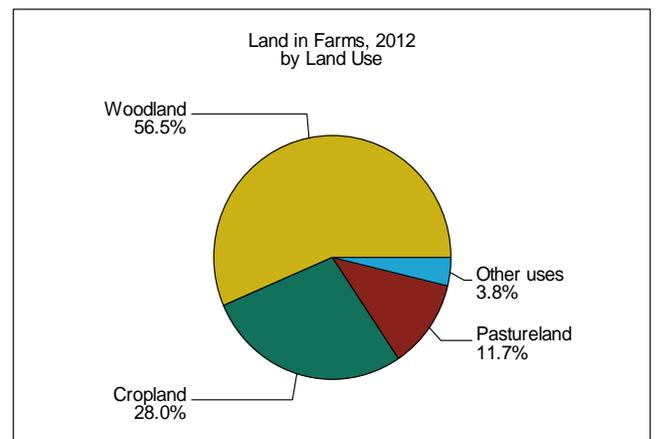
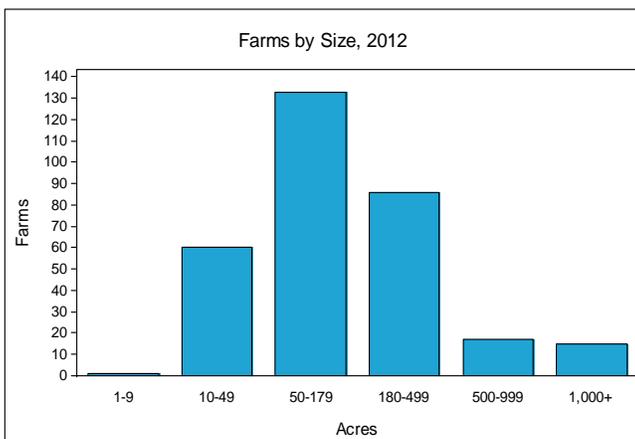
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Brunswick County Virginia

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	312	367	- 15
<b>Land in Farms</b>	89,796 acres	86,700 acres	+ 4
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	288 acres	236 acres	+ 22
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$25,693,000	\$12,119,000	+ 112
Crop Sales \$17,252,000 (67 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$8,442,000 (33 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$82,350	\$33,023	+ 149
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$1,243,000	\$1,300,000	- 4
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$7,534	\$7,471	+ 1





## Brunswick County – Virginia

### Ranked items among the 98 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

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	25,693	43	98	2,231	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	17,252	29	98	1,794	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	8,442	46	98	2,211	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	5,403	37	96	1,716	2,926
Tobacco	11,079	4	28	39	436
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	12	15	612	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	76	68	97	1,972	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	19	82	96	2,173	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	95	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	68	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	97	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	10	75	97	2,389	3,013
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	97	(D)	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	35	68	(D)	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	6	86	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	87	35	97	1,458	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	126	41	95	1,647	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	44	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	95	96	(D)	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Soybeans for beans	9,047	26	80	1,137	2,162
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	7,107	56	97	1,941	3,057
Wheat for grain, all	2,851	26	84	1,210	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	2,851	26	84	1,133	2,480
Tobacco	2,078	5	29	49	437
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Hogs and pigs	(D)	7	89	(D)	2,889
Cattle and calves	5,460	59	97	2,349	3,063
Layers	479	81	97	2,391	3,040
Goats, all	360	52	96	1,614	2,996
Horses and ponies	305	72	97	2,525	3,072

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	121	Farming	139
\$1,000 to \$2,499	25	Other	173
\$2,500 to \$4,999	37	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	27	Male	244
\$10,000 to \$19,999	37	Female	68
\$20,000 to \$24,999	8	Average age of principal operator (years)	62.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	13	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	9	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	11	Asian	11
\$100,000 to \$249,999	5	Black or African American	58
\$250,000 to \$499,999	4	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	15	White	354
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	21,056	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	67,487	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	11
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	8,166		
Average per farm (\$)	26,174		

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

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

<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.