

## AGRICULTURE AND AGRIBUSINESS IN RICHMOND COUNTY, 2008

Definitions: Dollar-values are *value-added*, which is the production value using inputs from Richmond County. *Employment* is full plus part-time employment. Data are from IMPLAN (Mig, Inc.).

### **Agriculture/Food Industries**

Farming	\$133,161,006
Manufacturing	\$37,645,198
Wholesaling/Retailing	\$31,351,946
Total	\$202,158,150

### **Natural Fiber Industries**

Farming	\$294,235
Manufacturing	\$37,646,976
Wholesaling/Retailing	\$3,932,687
Total	\$41,873,898

### **Forestry Industries**

Farming	\$13,767,120
Manufacturing	\$25,526,075
Wholesaling/Retailing	\$1,060,823
Total	\$40,354,018

### **Total Income**

Total County Value -added	\$1,087,940,758
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### **Agriculture/Food Industries**

total income	\$202,158,150
share of county value-added	18.6%

### **Natural Fiber Industries**

total income	\$41,873,898
share of county value-added	3.8%

### **Forestry Industries**

total income	\$40,354,018
share of county value-added	3.7%

### **All Agriculture/Agribusiness Industries**

total income	\$284,386,066
share of county value-added	26.1%

### **Total Agricultural/Agribusiness Employment**

total employment	4324
share of county employment	22.4%