

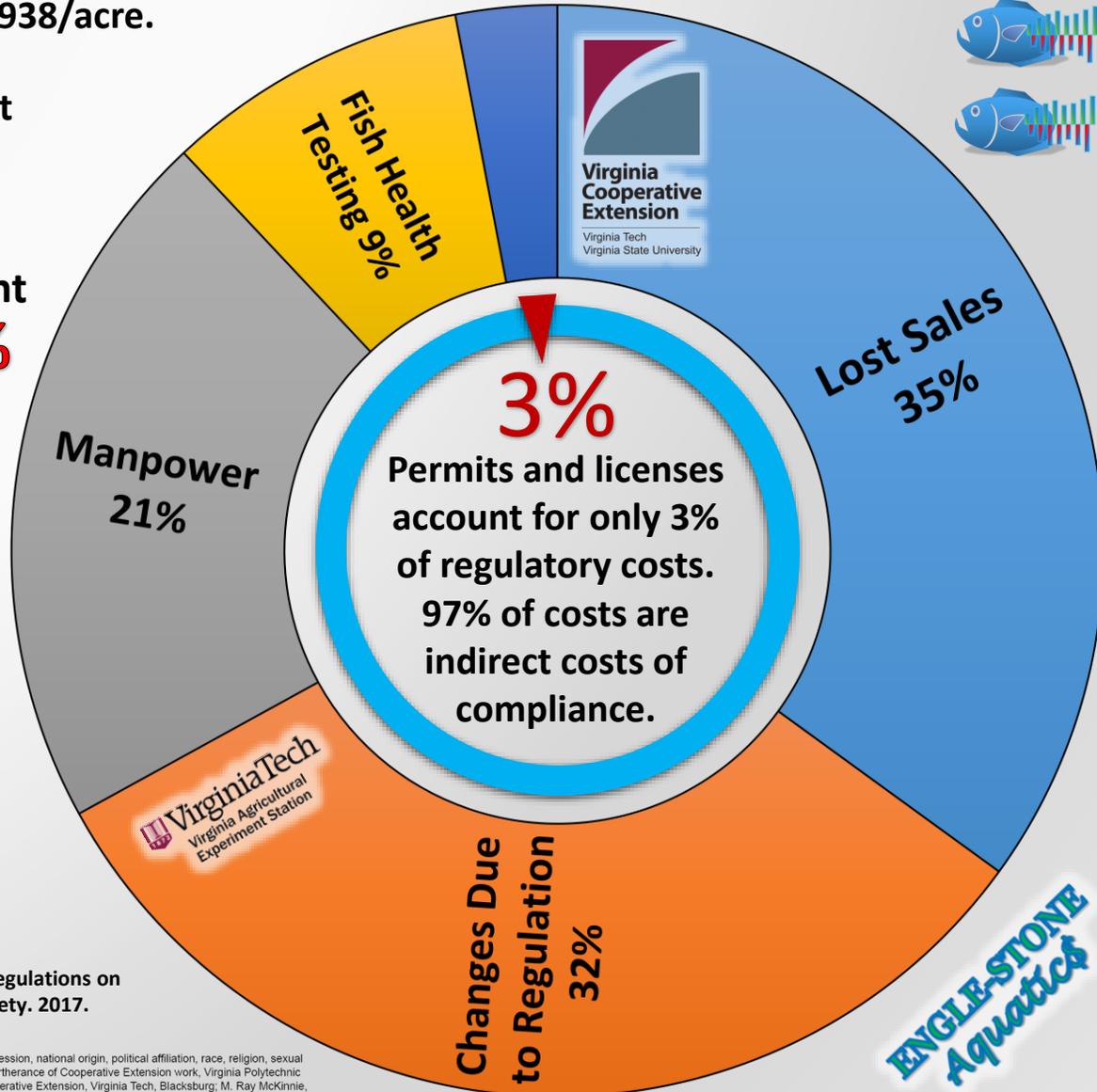
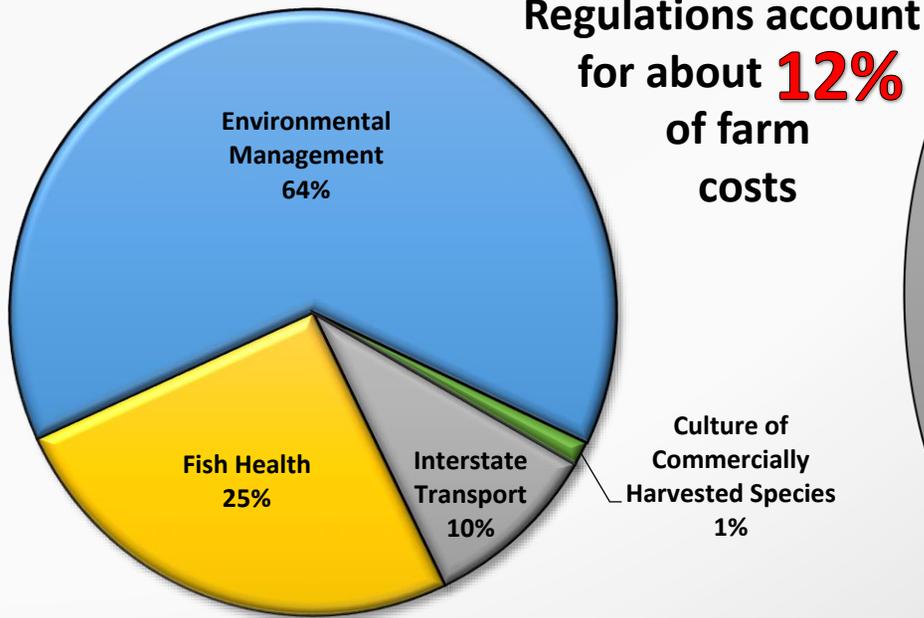
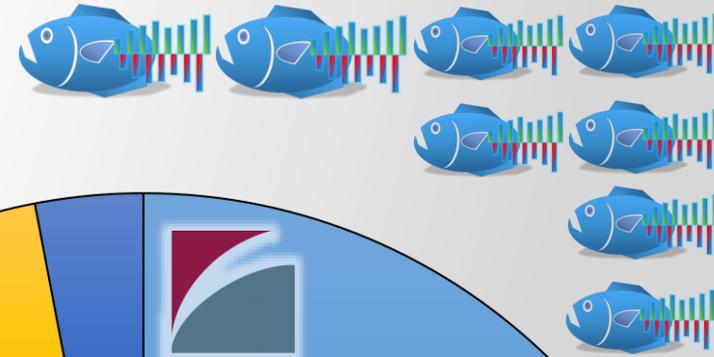
# Florida, Illinois, Kansas, & Texas Baitfish and Sportfish

Producers spend an estimated \$1.5 million per year on regulatory compliance.

This breaks down to an average cost of \$63,558/farm, or \$14,938/acre.

On average producers are faced with 13 permit and license renewals per year. Some report in excess of 30 annual renewals.

Producers ship live fish to 8 other states on average. Some producers ship to 16 states.



## Cost of Regulatory Categories

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For more information see: van Senten, J. and Carole R. Engle. The Costs of Regulations on U.S. Baitfish and Sportfish Producers. Journal of the World Aquaculture Society. 2017.

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