

# MEAT & POULTRY



Poultry is North Carolina's number one agricultural industry with over 5,700 farm families that produce poultry and eggs. NC is ranked second nationally for poultry production.

North Carolina ranks second in the nation for pork production with an industry that strives to be environmentally sustainable, to provide advanced safety, and to be an asset to research in a variety of other fields.

The North Carolina Department of Agriculture prides itself in the quality of meat and poultry products that are in production in the state. The Meat and Poultry Inspection Division aims to ensure that meat and poultry plants produce safe, wholesome and properly labeled meat and poultry products.

## BUTTERBALL LLC



Butterball is one of the largest global turkey providers in the world. For more than 25 years, Butterball has been providing quality turkey to markets around the globe.

Currently, exporting over 100 million pounds of turkey products annually to over 50 countries, it's no wonder that Butterball is one of the most-celebrated choices for turkey.

Butterball is committed to developing the best new products to specifically cater to all international cultures. Operating as a vertically integrated organization, Butterball runs one of the largest turkey processing facilities in the world.

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## CASE FARMS



Case Farms is a vertically integrated chicken processing company that owns its own processing plants, feed mills and hatcheries. Case Farms processes over 1.5 million chickens per week from its operations in North Carolina and Ohio, USA. Case Farms markets approximately 15% of total production for export markets.

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## GOODNIGHT BROTHERS INC.



Goodnight Brothers has specialized in dry curing hams in the cool, crisp air of the Blue Ridge Mountains of North Carolina for over 60 years. By duplicating the four seasons of winter, spring, summer and fall we are able to produce a consistent, quality product and our state-of-art processing and packaging equipment allows us to provide the end user with the most value-added dry cured ham products available. Our dedication to customer service and constant pursuit of expanding our industry has led us into creating an All Natural Dry Cured Country Ham line. As a family-owned-and-operated business we are excited to be a part of the all-natural, farm-to-table, slow-food movement. This movement re-embraces the very values and quality that we were built upon. As of today, we are the only country ham producer to cure an All Natural Country Ham, which we believe meets the highest standards for quality, taste and consistency. Feel free to contact us with all your dry cured product needs that will be a perfect fit with just enough Southern charm.

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## HOUSE OF RAEFORD



Providing the world's most complete line of poultry products is made possible by House of Raeford Farms' unique combination of operations, which now encompasses facilities in North Carolina, South Carolina and Louisiana.

Our fully integrated facilities cover every aspect of the industry from specialized breeding to the production of raw, processed and fully cooked chickens and turkeys for exports, retail and food service customers.

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## JOHNSTON COUNTY HAMS



We are a producer of specialty cured meats. We produce dried-cured hams from 3 months to 2 years old. We produce dried-cured bacon along with cooked country hams, spiral sliced hams and smoked turkeys. We are a USDA-inspected plant that can export. We also produce cured picnics for export to the Caribbean region.

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## JOYCE FARMS



Grower and processor of Heritage breed poultry, including Poulet Rouge, Poussin, Pintade, Pheasant, Black Turkey and Capons. Manufacturer of chicken sausages and prepared entrées. Grower and finisher of grass-fed and finished beef.

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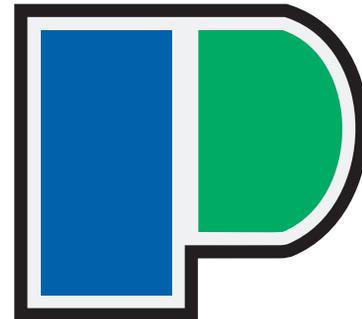
## PENDER PACKING COMPANY



Our philosophy is simple: Offer great products with authentic country flavors. For over 50 years, Pender Packing has been preparing good old-fashioned, country style food using old family recipes. Established in 1950, Pender Packing has been Baker family-owned spanning three generations. The Bakers were farmers who expanded their business by moving into food production and staying with the times. Today, Pender Packing offers a wide variety of food products, but we still keep the North Carolina tradition of old country favorites.

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## PRESTAGE FOODS



For more than 20 years, Prestage Farms has been a major supplier of live hogs and turkeys to some of the largest processors in the country, totaling more than 900 million pounds annually.

Prior to January 2005, the plant processed only whole turkey for the previous management. Since then, Prestage has added two cut-up lines in order to pack whole turkey breast and split breasts.

Prestage Foods' continuing goal is to produce and market top quality turkey products while it is operating practices ensure that air and water environmental quality is preserved.

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# Smithfield®

Smithfield is the pork brand people ask for by name. Why? Because there's a commitment to quality and a promise of flavor that comes with our name. From hand-trimmed bacon to slow-smoked holiday hams, we bring artistry and authenticity to everything we make. Does it take a bit more time and effort to live up to those high standards? Sure. But we wouldn't have it any other way. We make pork and only pork.

Our ever-expanding line of pork products currently includes bacon, pork loins, pork chops, ham steaks, spiral hams, diced ham, ground pork and so much more. All of our products meet the highest quality and safety standards in the industry.

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Villari Foods is a third-generation, family-owned business that was established in 1925. We are a vertically integrated company comprised of a livestock procurement division; a fresh harvesting plant that sources hogs from local independent farmers; a further processing facility that produces value-added proteins, a core focus on premium smoked pork and poultry products; and a trucking company that delivers products from coast-to-coast.

**Core Values:**

- Continuously strive to produce the safest and highest quality product we can deliver.
- Company-wide commitment to integrity.
- Dedicated passion in every product we produce and service we provide.

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## 2013 NCDA&CS Exporter of the Year Butterball LLC

Joel Coleman of Butterball LLC has taken a North Carolina staple food and put it on dinner tables across the world. As the most recognized name in turkey, Butterball has a commitment to quality and innovation - a dedication grown right out of Garner, NC. Today, its retail, deli and foodservice products are exported to more than 50 countries around the globe.

