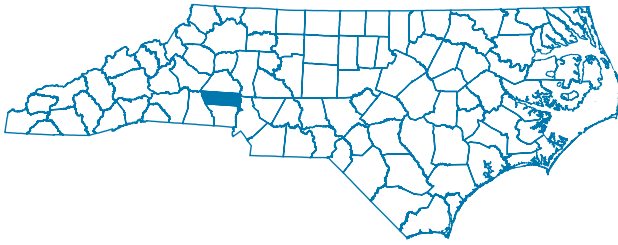


LINCOLN COUNTY



Total Acres in County 191,245

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE - 2002

Number of Farms	618
Total Land in Farms, Acres	57,777
Average Farm Size, Acres	93
Harvested Cropland, Acres	23,202
Average Age of Farmers	57
Average Value of Farm & Building	\$337,142
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$37,170
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$36,656

CROPS - 2007

	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Barley: Bu.	700	42	29,200	7
Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,300	50	65,600	68
Corn for Silage: Tons	1,500	8	12,200	16
Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, All: Tons	10,000	0.90	9,000	39
Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Oats: Bu.	100	41	4,100	43
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	4,580	7	31,500	64
Sweetpotatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	2,700	31	84,000	58

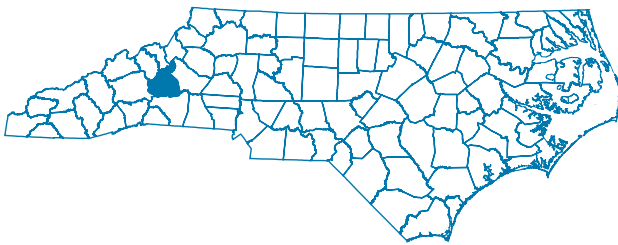
LIVESTOCK

	Number	Rank
Broilers Produced (2007)	3,600,000	41
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2008)	12,500	23
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2008)	4,900	28
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2008)	*	*
Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2007)	*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2007)	*	*
Turkeys Raised (2007)	*	*

CASH RECEIPTS - 2007

	Dollars	Rank
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry	22,058,000	46
Crops	3,122,000	94
Government Payments	377,000	83
Total	25,557,000	75

MCDOWELL COUNTY



Total Acres in County 282,688

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE - 2002

Number of Farms	282
Total Land in Farms, Acres	24,441
Average Farm Size, Acres	87
Harvested Cropland, Acres	5,589
Average Age of Farmers	58
Average Value of Farm & Building	\$265,697
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$31,578
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$40,786

CROPS - 2007

	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, All: Tons	1,800	1.39	2,500	72
Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweetpotatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*

LIVESTOCK

	Number	Rank
Broilers Produced (2007)	1,300,000	50
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2008)	3,000	62
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2008)	1,400	64
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2008)	*	*
Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2007)	*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2007)	*	*
Turkeys Raised (2007)	*	*

CASH RECEIPTS - 2007

	Dollars	Rank
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry	7,378,000	71
Crops	19,436,000	51
Government Payments	99,000	96
Total	26,913,000	72