

BUNCOMBE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2014	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	419,779	Corn for Grain: Bu.	150	170	25,500	91
Number of Farms	1,060	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	71,480	Hay, Other: Tons	13,100	2.60	34,300	20
Average Farm Size, Acres	67	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	15,247	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	60.4	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$614,826,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$51,698,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$48,756	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2014)			6,200	60
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2015)			14,300	17
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2015)			7,000	13
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2015)			900	16
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2014)			*	*
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2014)			8,800	45
		Turkeys Raised (2014)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2014			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			14,234,854	66
Crops			42,110,365	37		
Government Payments			939,523	62		
Total			57,284,742	58		

BURKE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2014	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	324,276	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,100	101	110,500	72
Number of Farms	486	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	34,387	Hay, Other: Tons	7,900	2.10	16,700	44
Average Farm Size, Acres	71	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	11,599	Soybeans: Bu.	1,050	38	40,000	79
Average Age of Farmers	57.4	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$182,877,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$24,635,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$86,421	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2014)			5,250,000	34
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2015)			4,000	50
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2015)			2,500	48
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2015)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2014)			*	*
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2014)			150,000	20
		Turkeys Raised (2014)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2014			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			33,771,682	46
Crops			11,351,453	76		
Government Payments			300,282	79		
Total			45,423,417	64		