

Milk Cows County Estimates



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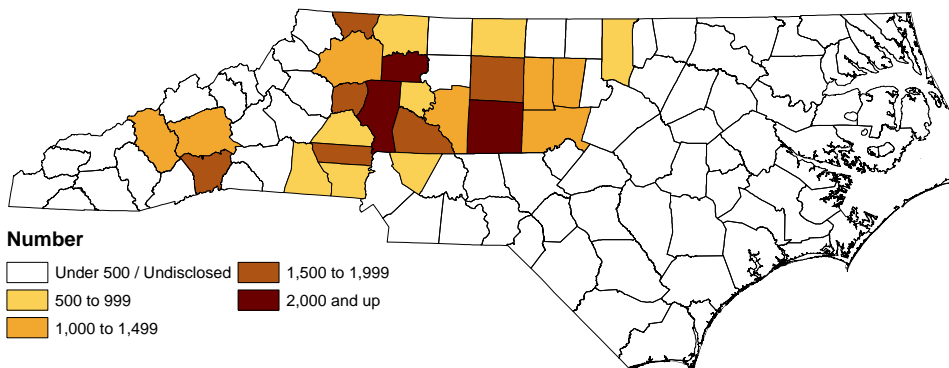
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Number on Farms, January 1^{1 2 3}

Counties and Districts	2008	2009	Counties and Districts	2008	2009
Alleghany	2,200	1,900	Cabarrus	600	700
Surry	*	600	Cleveland	*	900
Wilkes	1,300	1,200	Gaston	1,200	700
Yadkin	2,400	2,300	Lincoln	*	1,500
N. Mountain	6,600	6,000	Stanly	900	*
Buncombe	1,200	1,100	S. Piedmont	5,100	4,800
Haywood	1,600	1,400	N. Coastal	*	*
Henderson	1,500	1,500	C. Coastal	*	*
W. Mountain	5,000	4,600	S. Coastal	*	*
Alamance	1,400	1,400	Other Counties	8,200	3,500
Granville	*	500	State Total	48,000	45,000
Guilford	1,400	1,500			
Orange	1,100	1,000			
Rockingham	500	500			
N. Piedmont	6,200	5,900			
Alexander	1,900	1,700			
Catawba	*	600			
Chatham	1,200	1,000			
Davidson	1,200	1,200			
Davie	*	500			
Iredell	12,500	11,700			
Randolph	4,000	4,400			
Rowan	1,700	1,700			
C. Piedmont	24,000	23,000			

¹ Included heifers that have calved. ² 2009 Preliminary. ³ Counties may not add to District total because undisclosed data are included in Other Counties. * USDA NASS County Estimating Program Policy and Standards require districts and counties with less than 500 head be included in other counties. Coverage standards also apply to district and county estimates.

January 1, 2009 Inventory by County



January 1, 2009 Inventory

Leading Counties ¹	Number
Iredell	11,700
Randolph	4,400
Yadkin	2,300
Alleghany	1,900
Alexander ²	1,700
Rowan ²	1,700
Henderson ³	1,500
Guilford ³	1,500
Lincoln ³	1,500
Haywood ⁴	1,400
Alamance ⁴	1,400

¹ Ranking of Published Counties Only

² Ranked 5th ³ Ranked 7th ⁴ Ranked 10th