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FOREWORD

A year ago last August, the North Carolina Department of Agriculture kicked off a promotional program called UNCAP. It means Use North Carolina Agriculture Products. We have long been recognized as one of the nation's leading agricultural states, and now North Carolina producers and processors are boasting this by displaying UNCAP on their product labeling and advertising. By using UNCAP, they are telling customers they are purchasing a first-line, quality North Carolina product.

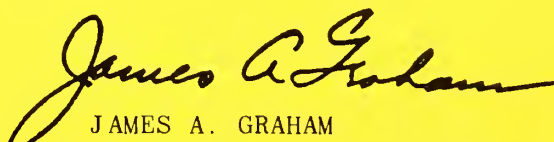
The citizens of our state are proud of the variety and quality of our farm products, believing them to be among the best produced in the nation. There is a real need to identify these commodities as North Carolina grown, produced, or processed products in our grocery stores and road side markets. The UNCAP logo, on the cover, is what appears on product labels, billboards and television to encourage consumers to use our great state's products.



Recognizing that the marketing of agricultural products by North Carolina farmers contributes nearly three billion dollars a year to the state's economy, it is our hope that everyone will UNCAP and keep North Carolina growing!

This publication, 'Agricultural Statistics', summarizes many of the factors involved in producing North Carolina farm products. These statistics provide the basis for many decisions that are made by farmers, various levels of government policy-makers, farm organizations, commodity groups, agribusiness firms, and other concerned citizens.

We are most happy to provide this bulletin each year to the many users of this data.


JAMES A. GRAHAM
Commissioner of Agriculture

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OUR COVER THIS YEAR COMMEMORATES THE FIRST ANNIVERSARY OF THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE'S UNCAP PROGRAM. IT ILLUSTRATES SOME OF THE AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES FOR WHICH THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA IS RECOGNIZED AS A MAJOR PRODUCING STATE. THE COVER WAS DESIGNED BY ROSEMARIE SANTORO, NCDA ARTIST ILLUSTRATOR.

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REVIEW OF 1977 SEASON

1977 - A YEAR OF EXTREMES

Probably few can recall a year as diverse in weather variations as 1977. Between the record lows and highs, and the severe drought, the toll on crop yields in some areas, particularly the Piedmont, was devastating. There were also pockets of dryness in the mountains and the coastal plain from which one could travel just a few miles down the road into areas where adequate rainfall had produced bountiful crops.

March was generally wet causing land preparation and planting to fall somewhat behind schedule. However, weather conditions in April were much improved with all planting and field activities getting into full swing. The end of April found soil moisture becoming short in the western half of the state.

By the middle of May, all areas of the state were reporting shortages of soil moisture in various degrees. The dryness was beginning to hamper the germination of recently planted seeds and some deterioration of corn, tobacco, small grains, Irish potatoes, and cotton was starting to show up. But a much needed general rainfall during the last week in May improved crop conditions greatly.

Crops remained in good shape through the first half of June, but conditions began to decline again as soil moisture became less adequate across the state, especially in the Piedmont region.

July brought record breaking temperatures with the mercury rising above the 100 degree mark several days during the month. The drought persisted throughout the month which, along with the scorching heat, left pastures parched and other crops in mostly poor to fair condition. A long awaited general rainfall during the third week in August brought some relief to thirsty crops, but it was little help for the corn crop in the Piedmont and other areas where the damage was irreparable.

Harvesting of most crops last fall ran well ahead of the previous year's pace despite periods of rain throughout September and October. One reason for the early harvesting was an attempt to salvage drought-damaged crops from further loss.

Wet conditions during November hampered field work and allowed soybean harvesting to fall behind schedule. By the end of the month, harvesting of cotton and sorghum and seeding of small grains were virtually complete. Soil moisture remained adequate to surplus throughout December, but farmers were still able to continue the soybean harvest, in some cases combining at night when the ground was frozen. A blast of cold arctic air drew 1977 to a chilling close in much the same way as the year had begun.

LOWER CROP VALUE IN 1977

Last year's drought sharply curtailed the production of several North Carolina crops. In turn, the total value of all crops at \$1.5 billion reflected a 17 percent drop from the record high of \$1.8 billion set in 1976. It was also the lowest total crop value since the 1973 crop year. Tobacco, down 13 percent in value at \$870 million, still accounted for more than half of the total. The value of corn for grain was cut almost in half to \$190 million due to the devastating effect of the drought. Soybean yields, however, were not significantly affected by the weather and the value rose slightly to \$173 million.

TOBACCO PRODUCTION DOWN, PRICES UP

With harvested acres down 13 percent and yield per acre down almost 7 percent, production of flue-cured tobacco in North Carolina at 721 million pounds was nearly 19 percent below the 1976 level. The 1977 yield of 1,883 pounds per acre was the lowest since 1969.

Prices continued to climb last year with a seasonal average of \$1.17 per pound for flue-cured leaf. This resulted in a value of \$843 million for the 1977 flue-cured crop.

The 1977 burley crop fared relatively better as acreage, yield, and price were all up. An increase of 11 percent in the yield per acre to 2,450 pounds and a slight increase in price led to a total value of \$26 million, 22 percent higher than the 1976 value. Last year's burley production was the largest in fourteen years.

COTTON YIELD LOWEST IN EIGHT YEARS

After hitting a record high in 1976, cotton yields fell sharply by 38 percent in 1977 to an average of 305 pounds per acre. Harvested acreage was up 17 percent to 83,000 acres, indicating that the hot, dry weather also claimed cotton as a victim in 1977.

DROUGHT SLASHES CORN YIELD

Corn for grain production in North Carolina dropped sharply last year, totaling only 86 million bushels - 43 percent below the record 150 million bushels in 1976. Thousands of acres of corn were abandoned in 1977 leaving a harvested acreage of 1.7 million acres. This was 10 percent less than the 1.9 million acres of the previous year. Average yields were also sharply reduced with the 51 bushels per acre recorded being highlighted as the lowest since the year of the corn blight, 1970.

The average price per bushel decreased by about 8 percent to \$2.20 last year. This lower price, plus the drastic reduction in output, left the Tar Heel corn crop valued at \$190 million, the lowest since 1972 when corn prices last averaged below \$2.00 per bushel.

THIRD LARGEST PEANUT CROP ON RECORD

Although harvested peanut acreage was unchanged from the previous year, a slightly higher yield per acre resulted in a 1977 production of just over 444 million pounds. The average yield per acre of 2,675 pounds was second only to the record yield of 2,810 pounds per acre recorded in 1973. Harvested acreage has been at 166,000 acres for 5 of the past 6 years.

The value of last year's peanut crop was a record \$91 million.

SOYBEAN PRODUCTION ON UPSWING

The rains of August came in time to give the young soybean plants needed moisture to develop their fruit, with yields averaging as high as the previous year at 22 bushels per acre. Harvesting acreage was up by 18 percent in 1977 to 1.3 million acres generating a total production of over 29 million bushels of beans.

Soybean prices dropped 11 percent last year to average \$5.95 per bushel. Despite the fall in price, the total value of the 1977 crop was \$173 million, a 5 percent rise over the previous year.

FEWER ACRES OF SMALL GRAINS

Harvested wheat acreage in North Carolina dropped 17 percent to 200,000 acres in 1977. An average yield of 30 bushels per acre was slightly above the 1976 yield and resulted in a production of 6 million bushels - 14 percent below the level produced in 1976. Prices dropped to a five-year low of \$2.20 per bushel.

Oat yields were down last year by 11 percent to 42 bushels per acre. Combined with a drop in harvested acreage to 75,000 acres, oat production showed a decline of 16 percent from 1976, with a total of just over 3 million bushels harvested last year.

Barley production in 1977 decreased 6 percent from the previous year. With acreage down to 55,000 acres, but yields up 3 percent to 40 bushels per acre, last year's crop totaled out at 2.2 million bushels.

VEGETABLE ACREAGE DECLINES

There was a 7 percent reduction in acreage of fresh market vegetables, melons and strawberries during 1977, down to 43,440 acres. Acres of vegetables grown for processing was little changed at 29,560 acres. With 3,800 acres, North Carolina had the largest acreage of summer-grown cucumbers than any other state. Production of fresh vegetables, melons and strawberries was down 12 percent, however, while processing vegetables were fewer at 75,000 tons.

FRUIT PRODUCTION REBOUNDS

Following the freeze-damaged crops of 1976, last year's fruit production showed an overall improvement in both yield and value. With a total yield of 270 million pounds, the 1977 apple crop was valued at more than \$25 million.

Utilized production of Tar Heel peaches was up, estimated at 35 million pounds. Although farm price was down somewhat, the value of last year's peaches was placed at nearly \$4½ million.

CROPS: Acres, Yield and Production, 1975-77, North Carolina *(Continued on opposite page)*

CROPS	Unit	Acres			Yield Per Acre			Production		
		1975	1976	1977	1975	1976	1977	1975	1976	1977
		Thousands			Units			Thousands		
GENERAL CROPS										
Corn: Planted.....	-	1,750	2,050	1,950	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	1,590	1,880	1,690	67.0	80.0	51.0	106,530	150,400	86,190
Harvested for Silage.....	Ton	135	140	150	13.0	12.5	10.0	1,755	1,750	1,500
Harvested for Forage <u>3/</u>	-	10	10	25	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat: Planted.....	-	315	275	235	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	275	240	200	31.0	29.0	30.0	8,525	6,960	6,000
Oats: Planted.....	-	155	175	170	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	80	80	75	51.0	47.0	42.0	4,080	3,760	3,150
Barley: Planted.....	-	70	73	67	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	60	60	55	46.0	39.0	40.0	2,760	2,340	2,200
Rye: Planted.....	-	125	130	130	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	20	20	21	17.0	19.0	19.0	340	380	399
Sorghum: Planted.....	-	115	125	110	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	85	90	72	51.0	51.0	37.0	4,335	4,590	2,664
Harvested for Silage <u>4/</u> ...	Ton	24	25	22	12.0	11.5	8.0	288	288	176
Harvested for Forage <u>3/</u> ...	-	4	7	12	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans: Planted.....	-	1,500	1,220	1,450	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Beans.....	Bu.	1,420	1,120	1,320	23.5	22.0	22.0	33,370	24,640	29,040
Peanuts: Planted.....	-	167	168	169	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Nuts.....	Lb.	165	166	166	2,265	2,655	2,600	373,725	440,730	431,600
Cotton: Planted.....	-	56	75	87	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested <u>5/</u>	Lb.	53	71	83	412	489	305	46	72	53
Cottonseed.....	Ton	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	25	19
Tobacco Harvested: Type 11.....	Lb.	179.0	185.0	160.0	1,710	1,830	1,770	306,090	338,550	283,200
Type 12.....	Lb.	229.0	203.0	177.0	2,155	2,140	1,955	493,495	434,420	346,035
Type 13.....	Lb.	62.0	51.0	46.0	2,165	2,160	1,995	134,230	110,160	91,770
Type 11-13.....	Lb.	470.0	439.0	383.0	1,987	2,012	1,883	933,815	883,130	721,005
Type 31.....	Lb.	9.5	9.0	9.6	2,440	2,200	2,450	23,180	19,800	23,520
Type 11-31.....	Lb.	479.5	448.0	392.6	1,996	2,015	1,896	956,995	902,930	744,525
Lespedeza: Harvested for Seed.....	Lb.	3.0	2.4	.6	150	140	130	450	336	78
Hay Harvested: All.....	Ton	335	350	350	1.64	1.46	1.49	549	510	521
Alfalfa.....	Ton	13	15	16	2.60	2.70	2.30	34	41	37
All Other.....	Ton	322	335	334	1.60	1.40	1.45	515	469	484
Sweet Potatoes: Harvested.....	Cwt.	31.0	33.0	33.0	135	130	135	4,185	4,290	4,455
Irish Potatoes: Harvested, All....	Cwt.	16.0	17.0	17.4	149	140	156	2,380	2,385	2,711
Spring.....	Cwt.	12.0	13.0	13.4	160	145	165	1,920	1,885	2,211
Summer.....	Cwt.	4.0	4.0	4.0	115	125	125	460	500	500
VEGETABLES										
Actual Acres Harvested										
Snap Beans: Fresh Market, All.....	Cwt.	6,900	6,800	6,700	36	33	31	245	222	210
Spring..	Cwt.	2,800	2,700	2,700	25	27	24	70	73	65
Summer..	Cwt.	3,800	3,800	3,700	43	36	36	163	137	133
Fall.....	Cwt.	300	300	300	40	40	40	12	12	12
Cabbage: All <u>6/</u>	Cwt.	8,000	8,000	7,000	148	156	143	1,180	1,245	998
Spring.....	Cwt.	2,100	2,100	2,200	110	120	110	231	252	242
Summer.....	Cwt.	3,700	3,700	2,600	185	200	185	685	740	481
Fall.....	Cwt.	2,200	2,200	2,200	120	115	125	264	253	275
Sweet Corn.....	Cwt.	5,300	5,400	4,900	54	65	60	286	351	294
Cucumbers, Fresh Market.....	Cwt.	6,200	6,900	6,800	62	63	63	383	436	430
Green Peppers.....	Cwt.	8,000	7,900	7,000	35	36	37	280	284	259
Strawberries.....	Cwt.	2,100	2,100	2,100	23	21	20	48	44	42
Tomatoes.....	Cwt.	1,900	2,000	2,000	150	145	140	285	290	280
Watermelons.....	Cwt.	8,000	8,000	7,000	60	56	55	480	448	385
Processing Vegetables: All.....	Ton	32,910	29,180	29,560	-	-	-	85.85	82.50	75.30
Cucumbers..	Ton	29,500	27,700	28,000	2.71	2.82	2.60	79.80	78.10	72.90
Snap Beans.	Ton	<u>8/</u>	1,300	1,400	<u>8/</u>	2.27	1.32	<u>8/</u>	2.95	1.85
FRUITS AND NUTS										
Apples, Commercial Crop.....	Lb.	-	-	-	-	-	-	280,000	265,000	270,000
Peaches.....	Lb.	-	-	-	-	-	-	30,000	25,000	35,000
Blueberries: Harvested.....	Flat	3,900	3,400	3,400	175	40	150	683	136	510
Grapes.....	Ton	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.17	4.08	3.70
Pecans: All Varieties.....	Lb.	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,200	2,800	2,000
Improved.....	Lb.	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,000	1,900	1,500
Seedlings.....	Lb.	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,200	900	500

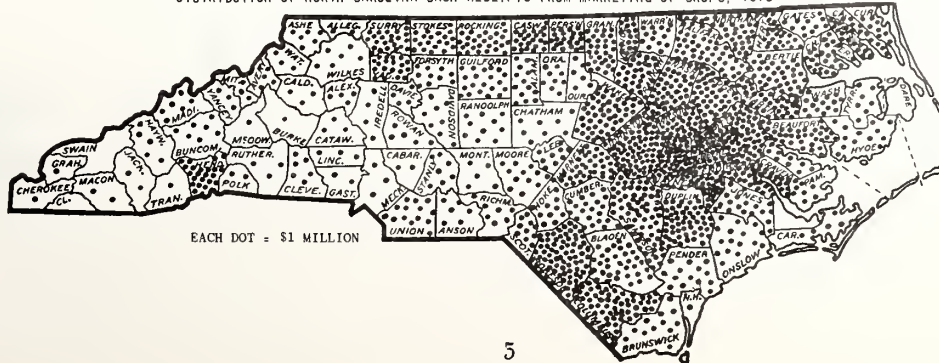
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CROPS: Price and Value, 1975-77, North Carolina

CROPS	UNIT	Season Average Price Received By Farmers <u>1/</u>			Value Of Production <u>2/</u>		
		1975	1976	1977	1975	1976	1977
		<i>Dollars</i>			<i>Thousand Dollars</i>		
GENERAL CROPS							
Corn: Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	2.69	2.38	2.20	286,566	357,952	189,618
Wheat: Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	2.79	3.00	2.20	23,785	20,880	13,200
Oats: Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	1.43	1.55	1.55	5,834	5,828	4,883
Barley: Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	1.79	1.95	1.80	4,940	4,563	3,960
Rye: Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	2.29	2.40	2.25	779	912	898
Sorghum: Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	2.36	2.21	1.82	10,231	10,144	4,848
Soybeans: Harvested for Beans.....	Bu.	4.67	6.65	5.95	155,838	163,856	172,788
Peanuts: Harvested for Nuts.....	Lb.	.200	.196	.206	74,745	86,383	91,474
Cotton: Harvested.....	Lb.	.545	.740	.505	12,034	25,574	12,847
Cottonseed.....	Ton	87.10	99.00	65.00	1,394	2,475	1,235
Tobacco Harvested: Type 11.....	Lb.	.974	1.080	1.132	298,132	365,634	320,582
Type 12.....	Lb.	1.012	1.125	1.183	499,417	488,723	409,359
Type 13.....	Lb.	1.000	1.120	1.235	134,230	123,379	113,336
Type 11-13.....	Lb.	.998	1.107	1.170	931,779	977,736	843,277
Type 31.....	Lb.	1.024	1.096	1.122	23,736	21,701	26,389
Type 11-31.....	Lb.	.998	1.107	1.168	955,515	999,437	869,666
Lespedeza: Harvested for Seed.....	Lb.	.432	.610	.850	194	205	66
Hay Harvested: All.....	Ton	54.00	64.00	73.00	29,646	32,640	38,033
Sweet Potatoes: Harvested.....	Cwt.	7.25	5.40	8.00	30,341	23,166	35,640
Irish Potatoes: Harvested.....	Cwt.	6.73	5.37	6.28	16,000	12,819	16,969
VEGETABLES							
Snap Beans: Fresh Market, All.....	Cwt.	20.40	22.18	23.43	4,998	4,924	4,920
Spring...	Cwt.	22.00	18.30	19.30	1,540	1,336	1,255
Summer...	Cwt.	20.00	24.00	25.60	3,260	3,288	3,405
Fall.....	Cwt.	16.50	25.00	21.70	198	300	260
Cabbage: All <u>6/</u>	Cwt.	4.37	4.42	4.89	5,155	5,504	4,880
Spring.....	Cwt.	6.14	3.17	3.89	1,418	799	941
Summer.....	Cwt.	3.73	4.24	4.37	2,552	3,141	2,102
Fall.....	Cwt.	4.49	6.18	6.68	1,185	1,564	1,837
Sweet Corn.....	Cwt.	8.38	7.13	7.15	2,397	2,503	2,102
Cucumbers, Fresh Market.....	Cwt.	9.70	8.58	7.83	3,714	3,739	3,368
Green Peppers.....	Cwt.	16.30	13.60	12.10	4,564	3,862	3,134
Strawberries.....	Cwt.	42.40	46.00	44.00	2,035	2,024	1,848
Tomatoes.....	Cwt.	14.80	13.50	17.00	4,218	3,915	4,760
Watermelons.....	Cwt.	2.85	3.25	3.34	1,368	1,456	1,286
Processing Vegetables: All <u>7/</u>	Ton	-	-	-	11,590	11,436	9,931
Cucumbers...	Ton	133.00	139.00	132.00	10,613	10,856	9,623
Snap Beans..	Ton	<u>8/</u>	177.00	154.00	<u>8/</u>	522	285
FRUITS AND NUTS							
Apples, Commercial Crop.....	Lb.	.0590	.0910	.0940	16,520	24,115	25,380
Peaches.....	Lb.	.1750	.1330	.1240	5,250	3,325	4,340
Blueberries.....	Flat	5.05	7.40	6.40	3,449	1,004	3,264
Grapes.....	Ton	255.00	266.00	320.00	1,063	1,085	1,184
Pecans: All Varieties.....	Lb.	.395	.659	.583	870	1,845	1,165
Improved.....	Lb.	.450	.720	.610	450	1,368	915
Seedlings.....	Lb.	.350	.530	.500	420	477	250

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DISTRIBUTION OF NORTH CAROLINA CASH RECEIPTS FROM MARKETING OF CROPS, 1976



CROPS: Acres, Yield and Production, 1975-77, United States *(Continued on opposite page)*

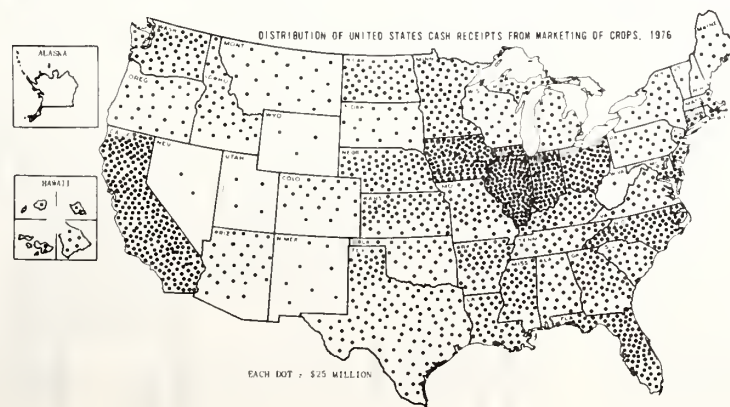
CROPS	UNIT	Acres			Yield Per Acre			Production		
		1975	1976	1977	1975	1976	1977	1975	1976	1977
		Thousands			Units			Thousands		
GENERAL CROPS										
Corn: Planted.....	-	78,583	84,374	82,680	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	67,505	71,300	70,006	86.3	87.9	90.8	5,828,961	6,266,359	6,357,424
Harvested for Silage.....	Ton	9,842	11,274	9,290	11.8	10.4	12.5	115,708	117,813	116,540
Harvested for Forage <u>3/</u>	-	560	856	602	-	-	-	-	-	-
All Wheat: Planted.....	-	74,786	80,202	74,804	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain....	Bu.	69,391	70,771	66,216	30.6	30.3	30.6	2,122,459	2,142,362	2,025,793
Oats: Planted.....	-	16,486	16,734	17,793	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	13,092	11,946	13,447	49.0	45.7	55.6	642,042	546,315	747,914
Barley: Planted.....	-	9,290	9,157	10,586	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	8,530	8,297	9,490	43.9	44.9	43.8	374,386	372,461	415,803
Rye: Planted.....	-	2,829	2,652	2,652	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	729	721	694	21.9	20.7	24.5	15,958	14,951	16,998
Sorghum: Planted.....	-	18,104	18,402	16,994	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	15,355	14,723	14,065	49.0	48.9	56.2	753,046	719,817	790,647
Harvested for Silage <u>4/</u> ..	Ton	752	772	858	9.9	9.3	10.9	7,426	7,168	9,354
Harvested for Forage <u>3/</u> ..	-	1,568	1,883	1,646	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans: Planted.....	-	54,550	50,226	59,080	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Beans.....	Bu.	53,579	49,358	57,911	28.9	26.1	29.6	1,547,383	1,287,560	1,716,334
Peanuts: Planted.....	-	1,532	1,549	1,546	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for Nuts.....	Lb.	1,504	1,522	1,514	2,565	2,465	2,432	3,857,122	3,750,890	3,681,312
Cotton: Planted.....	-	9,493	11,656	13,711	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested <u>5/</u>	Lb.	8,796	10,914	13,259	453	465	520	8,302	10,581	14,389
Cottonseed.....	Ton	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,218	4,122	5,521
Tobacco Harvested: All.....	Lb.	1,086.4	1,044.5	957.7	2,008	2,045	1,997	2,181,775	2,135,829	1,912,187
Flue-Cured.....	Lb.	717.2	666.6	589.3	1,973	1,974	1,917	1,415,035	1,316,257	1,129,710
Burley.....	Lb.	282.2	285.8	268.5	2,265	2,376	2,298	639,056	678,976	616,929
Lespedeza: Harvested for Seed.....	Lb.	69	57	52	219	190	205	15,012	10,912	10,732
Hay Harvested: All.....	Ton	61,324	60,311	60,493	2.16	1.99	2.17	132,210	126,006	131,057
Alfalfa.....	Ton	27,271	26,651	27,085	1.86	2.62	2.97	77,979	69,828	80,430
All Other.....	Ton	34,053	33,660	33,408	1.59	1.49	1.52	54,231	50,178	50,627
Sweet Potatoes: Harvested.....	Cwt.	116.9	117.8	112.9	113	114	111	13,225	13,432	12,516
Irish Potatoes: Harvested, All.....	Cwt.	1,264.0	1,374.5	1,349.0	255	260	261	322,254	357,674	352,010
Spring.....	Cwt.	84.1	98.4	91.4	237	251	250	19,958	24,722	22,870
Summer.....	Cwt.	115.5	118.7	115.2	182	190	191	21,018	22,541	21,982
VEGETABLES		Actual Acres Harvested								
Snap Beans: Fresh Market, All.....	Cwt.	84,220	85,120	77,550	38	37	37	3,179	3,126	2,868
Spring.....	Cwt.	21,500	22,200	22,600	35	37	36	749	829	820
Summer.....	Cwt.	31,500	31,510	30,900	40	37	37	1,245	1,151	1,154
Fall.....	Cwt.	16,900	16,380	18,390	39	40	37	664	658	684
Cabbage: All <u>6/</u>	Cwt.	103,750	98,830	91,830	241	239	257	24,985	23,606	23,563
Spring.....	Cwt.	21,220	19,210	18,710	196	207	220	4,153	3,971	4,116
Summer.....	Cwt.	29,690	26,720	25,910	253	247	265	7,515	6,598	6,865
Fall.....	Cwt.	29,670	30,090	29,380	274	270	281	8,121	8,110	8,267
Sweet Corn.....	Cwt.	177,500	179,500	169,300	79	80	78	14,081	14,370	13,221
Cucumbers, Fresh Market.....	Cwt.	47,450	49,060	51,310	102	104	107	4,840	5,078	5,503
Green Peppers.....	Cwt.	50,480	53,750	55,600	101	98	97	5,106	5,255	5,393
Strawberries.....	Cwt.	39,190	33,750	34,300	139	169	190	5,432	5,713	6,509
Tomatoes.....	Cwt.	124,330	127,820	124,820	168	170	157	20,945	21,730	19,656
Watermelons.....	Cwt.	210,700	234,200	227,400	113	111	116	23,904	25,910	26,371
Processing Vegetables: All.....	Ton	1,874,480	1,624,690	1,634,660	-	-	-	13,533	11,050	12,588
Cucumbers..	Ton	140,170	128,380	123,990	4.81	4.94	5.07	674	634	628
Snap Beans..	Ton	273,580	237,170	257,740	2.43	2.49	2.62	665	591	676
FRUITS AND NUTS										
Apples, Commercial Crop.....	Lb.	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,102,600	6,414,900	6,702,100
Peaches.....	Lb.	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,648,900	2,642,400	2,860,200
Grapes.....	Ton	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,365	4,092	4,248
Pecans: All Varieties.....	Lb.	-	-	-	-	-	-	246,800	103,100	249,500
Improved.....	Lb.	-	-	-	-	-	-	110,100	77,300	146,000
Seedlings.....	Lb.	-	-	-	-	-	-	136,700	25,800	103,500

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CROPS: Price and Value, 1975-77, United States

CROPS	UNIT	Season Average Price Received By Farmers <u>1/</u>			Value Of Production <u>2/</u>		
		1975	1976	1977	1975	1976	1977
		<i>Dollars</i>			<i>Thousand Dollars</i>		
GENERAL CROPS							
Corn: Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	2.54	2.15	2.03	14,789,368	13,471,796	12,886,621
Wheat: Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	3.56	2.73	2.31	7,534,851	5,851,443	4,677,339
Oats: Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	1.46	1.56	1.14	928,391	845,188	853,434
Barley: Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	2.42	2.25	1.80	894,729	829,716	746,199
Rye: Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	2.36	2.47	2.05	37,491	37,199	35,449
Sorghum: Harvested for Grain.....	Bu.	2.37	2.03	1.73	1,775,023	1,450,085	1,357,262
Soybeans: Harvested for Beans.....	Bu.	4.92	6.81	5.79	7,617,984	8,768,979	9,944,975
Peanuts: Harvested for Nuts.....	Lb.	.196	.200	.210	756,530	750,260	783,302
Cotton: Harvested.....	Lb.	.513	.641	.517	2,043,678	3,254,954	3,568,682
Cottonseed.....	Ton	97.00	103.00	71.00	312,264	425,411	390,131
Tobacco Harvested: All.....	Lb.	1.026	1.125	1.169	2,238,002	2,403,723	2,235,773
Flue-Cured.....	Lb.	.998	1.104	1.176	1,441,637	1,452,670	1,328,861
Burley.....	Lb.	1.055	1.141	1.200	674,448	774,998	740,221
Lespedeza: Harvested for Seed.....	Lb.	.314	.440	.720	4,739	4,792	7,624
Hay Harvested: All.....	Ton	52.20	60.30	54.00	6,449,148	6,810,799	6,801,364
Sweet Potatoes.....	Cwt.	8.58	7.48	9.55	113,394	100,059	119,280
Irish Potatoes.....	Cwt.	4.48	3.59	3.64	1,444,608	1,282,856	1,275,261
VEGETABLES							
Snap Beans: Fresh Market, All.....	Cwt.	19.60	19.90	20.80	62,303	62,253	59,526
Spring..	Cwt.	20.70	16.20	19.30	15,525	13,464	15,859
Summer..	Cwt.	19.30	20.10	21.20	24,014	23,127	24,496
Fall....	Cwt.	18.80	21.20	19.60	12,477	13,951	13,434
Cabbage: All <u>6/</u>	Cwt.	4.64	5.02	7.61	114,250	116,865	175,985
Spring.....	Cwt.	5.42	4.01	7.72	22,512	15,906	31,778
Summer.....	Cwt.	3.89	3.81	3.94	29,220	25,154	27,061
Fall.....	Cwt.	4.40	6.73	6.05	34,189	52,365	47,455
Sweet Corn.....	Cwt.	8.41	8.18	8.02	118,451	117,603	106,054
Cucumbers, Fresh Market.....	Cwt.	10.40	9.66	10.40	50,292	49,063	57,256
Green Peppers.....	Cwt.	16.60	16.80	16.70	84,892	88,248	90,313
Strawberries.....	Cwt.	30.40	32.80	33.00	165,340	187,291	214,947
Tomatoes.....	Cwt.	18.60	19.20	21.20	390,353	418,163	416,145
Watermelons.....	Cwt.	4.00	3.25	3.39	95,711	84,274	89,413
Processing Vegetables: All <u>7/</u>	Ton	-	-	-	1,036,635	786,649	939,505
Cucumbers..	Ton	128.60	125.80	126.20	86,730	79,751	79,244
Snap Beans.	Ton	153.50	138.60	142.20	102,096	81,895	96,128
FRUITS AND NUTS							
Apples, Commercial Crop.....	Lb.	.0650	.0880	.0930	460,894	566,102	620,979
Peaches.....	Lb.	.1040	.0960	.0990	275,598	254,236	282,222
Grapes.....	Ton	142.00	155.00	183.00	618,178	632,823	776,139
Pecans: All Varieties.....	Lb.	.398	.815	.575	98,200	83,983	143,578
Improved.....	Lb.	.465	.875	.655	51,164	67,603	95,613
Seedlings.....	Lb.	.344	.635	.465	47,036	16,380	47,965

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CROPS: Record Highs and Lows Through 1977

CROPS	Unit	Date Series Began	RECORD HIGH				RECORD LOW							
			Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production	
			Year	Acres	Year	Yield	Year	Production	Year	Acres	Year	Yield	Year	Production
GENERAL CROPS														
Corn: All.....	Bu.	1866	1899	2,726	-	-	-	-	1862	1,420	-	-	-	-
For Grain.....	Bu.	1879	1899	2,720	1973	82.0	1976	150,400	1962	1,270	1932	15.0	1924	31,984
For Silage.....	Ton	1919	1977	150	1973	15.0	1969	1,960	1919	4	1932	4.5	1919	26
For Forage.....	-	1879	1922	111	-	-	-	-	1879	5	-	-	-	-
Wheat, For Grain.....	Bu.	1866	1901	800	1971	43.0	1961	11,368	1966	165	1885	4.0	1866	1,800
Oats, For Grain.....	Bu.	1866	1889	542	1971	56.0	1956	19,680	1977	75	1871	8.0	1917	2,295
Barley, For Grain.....	Bu.	1924	1961	74	1970	54.0	1971	3,869	1924	5	1932	15.0	1924	90
Rye, For Grain.....	Bu.	1866	1918	90	1970	24.0	1931	630	1971	14	1871	2.0	1871	122
Sorghum: All.....	Bu.	1924	1971	160	-	-	-	-	1929	18	-	-	-	-
For Grain.....	Bu.	1945	1971	120	1973	58.0	1971	6,240	1945	2	1946	23.0	1945	50
For Silage.....	Ton	1949	1972	34	1973	13.5	1971	390	1950	1	1956	7.0	1949	7
For Forage.....	-	1924	1931	31	-	-	-	-	1975	4	-	-	-	-
Soybeans, For Beans.....	Bu.	1924	1973	1,450	1969	26.0	1973	34,800	1924	75	1943	9.0	1933	1,026
Peanuts, For Nuts.....	Lb.	1909	1945	320	1973	2,810	1973	466,460	1920	126	1909	675	1911	119,350
Cotton, Lint 1/2.....	Lb.	1866	1926	1,802	1976	489	1926	1,208	1975	53	1866	124	1967	43
Cottonseed.....	Ton	1909	-	-	-	-	1926	535	-	-	-	-	1975	16
Tobacco: Type 11.....	Lb.	1919	1939	320	1964	2,175	1964	356,700	1972	134	1919	483	1921	105,676
Type 12.....	Lb.	1919	1939	425	1964	2,375	1955	515,125	1972	157	1922	602	1922	126,345
Type 13.....	Lb.	1919	1939	98	1964	2,260	1975	134,230	1921	18	1924	500	1922	10,450
Total Flue-Cured	Lb.	1919	1939	843	1964	2,282	1955	978,775	1972	332	1924	585	1921	246,540
Type 31.....	Lb.	1919	1945	13	1969	2,570	1963	25,135	1921	2	1922	500	1919	1,412
All Types.....	Lb.	1866	1939	851	1964	2,280	1951	999,725	1866	16	1883	340	1866	7,840
Lespedeza Seed.....	Lb.	1928	1945	193	1949	245	1945	40,500	1977	2	1928	83	1977	260
Hay: All.....	Ton	1909	1945	1,374	1975	1.64	1949	1,399	1973	325	1925	.64	1911	398
Alfalfa.....	Ton	1924	1957	88	1976	2.70	1957	185	1931	5	1925	1.45	1925	7
All Other.....	Ton	1924	1945	1,363	1975	1.60	1945	1,328	1973	312	1925	.63	1925	397
Sweet Potatoes.....	Cwt.	1868	1932	101	1972	150	1934	5,491	1964	18	1900	34	1869	1,691
Irish Potatoes: All.....	Cwt.	1866	1943	110	1977	156	1946	7,774	1867	10	1911	29	1866	444
Spring... ..	Cwt.	1949	1950	38	1977	165	1950	4,104	1964	11	1953	92	1964	1,424
Summer... ..	Cwt.	1949	1950	24	1977	125	1950	1,643	1968	3	1953	64	1968	297
FRUITS AND NUTS														
Apples, Commercial Crop...	Bu.	1934	-	-	-	-	1975	7,500	-	-	-	-	1955	40
Peaches, Total Crop.....	Bu.	1899	-	-	-	-	1941	3,167	-	-	-	-	1955	2/
Grapes.....	Ton	1909	-	-	-	-	1912	9	-	-	-	-	1957	1
Pecans: All Varieties....	Lb.	1919	-	-	-	-	1971	6,500	-	-	-	-	1920	130
Improved.....	Lb.	1919	-	-	-	-	1971	4,300	-	-	-	-	1920	66
Seedlings.....	Lb.	1919	-	-	-	-	1971	2,200	-	-	-	-	1955	50

$\frac{1}{2}$ Production in bales. $\frac{2}{2}$ Too small to estimate.

NOTE: In some cases the acreage or yield or production is identical for more than one year. In such cases the year shown is the latest year of occurrence.

CROPS: Counties Leading In Production Of Selected Crops, 1977

CORN FOR GRAIN		SOYBEANS		TOBACCO		PEANUTS	
County	Bushels	County	Bushels	County	Pounds	County	Pounds
Duplin	3,768,000	Robeson	1,743,000	Johnston	38,750,000	Northampton	83,491,000
Beaufort	3,633,000	Beaufort	1,438,000	Pitt	33,972,000	Halifax	67,939,000
Wayne	3,595,000	Duplin	1,137,000	Robeson	31,075,000	Bertie	61,308,000
Robeson	3,589,000	Sampson	1,064,000	Columbus	31,003,000	Martin	48,593,000
Sampson	3,436,000	Columbus	936,000	Wake	29,784,000	Edgecombe	39,528,000
Pitt	3,328,000	Wayne	903,000	Nash	29,041,000	Hertford	37,284,000
Bertie	3,020,000	Perquimans	896,000	Wilson	26,860,000	Gates	22,607,000
Hyde	2,876,000	Union	884,000	Harnett	25,449,000	Chowan	18,313,000
Johnston	2,786,000	Johnston	880,000	Sampson	24,191,000	Pitt	15,672,000
Edgecombe	2,628,000	Washington	864,000	Duplin	24,072,000	Bladen	11,778,000

CROPS: Counties Leading In Production Of Selected Crops, 1976

WHEAT		COTTON		SORGHUM GRAINS		BARLEY	
County	Bushels	County	480-Pound Net Weight Bales	County	Bushels	County	Bushels
Rowan	359,000	Scotland	17,150	Union	1,698,000	Stanly	261,000
Randolph	291,000	Robeson	13,950	Stanly	589,000	Rowan	232,000
Pasquotank	245,000	Northampton	9,800	Anson	513,000	Davidson	136,500
Union	241,500	Halifax	7,850	Cleveland	117,000	Lincoln	132,500
Stanly	237,500	Hoke	5,020	Cabarrus	91,200	Catawba	118,000
Camden	228,000	Edgecombe	4,780	Randolph	89,800	Cleveland	96,600
Person	204,500	Sampson	3,500	Davidson	86,100	Iredell	88,200
Yadkin	199,000	Cleveland	2,430	Pasquotank	83,600	Randolph	76,000
Wake	197,000	Cumberland	1,210	Franklin	74,400	Gaston	70,300
Franklin	190,500	Anson	925	Rowan	74,300	Orange	66,300

OATS		SWEET POTATOES		IRISH POTATOES		ALL HAY	
County	Bushels	County	Hundred- weight	County	Hundred- weight	County	Tons
Rowan	202,500	Johnston	1,548,000	Pasquotank	476,500	Ashe	24,000
Stanly	200,500	Sampson	715,000	Pamlico	342,000	Iredell	19,750
Iredell	190,000	Columbus	412,500	Beaufort	280,500	Buncombe	18,300
Randolph	132,000	Nash	377,000	Tyrrell	271,500	Alleghany	16,500
Guilford	130,000	Harnett	247,000	Camden	154,000	Wilkes	16,000
Wake	129,000	Cumberland	145,000	Carteret	101,500	Caldwell	13,650
Cabarrus	120,000	Wilson	143,500	Currituck	101,000	Rowan	11,550
Union	115,500	Duplin	117,000	Buncombe	62,100	Chatham	11,350
Lincoln	107,500	Robeson	55,100	Ashe	56,000	Haywood	11,200
Alamance	101,000	Wayne	54,000	Caldwell	42,000	Randolph	11,050

CROPS: Acres and Production, By Counties, 1977 *(Continued on opposite page)*

COUNTIES AND DISTRICT	CORN FOR GRAIN		SOYBEANS		TOBACCO		PEANUTS	
	Acres	Production	Acres	Production	Acres	Production	Acres	Production
		<i>Bushe ls</i>		<i>Bushe ls</i>		<i>Pounds</i>		<i>Pounds</i>
Alleghany.....	220	11,450	*	*	310	863,000	-	-
Ashe.....	650	39,000	*	*	1,140	3,155,000	-	-
Avery.....	180	7,950	*	*	145	318,000	-	-
Caldwell.....	5,330	293,000	1,920	32,650	390	859,000	-	-
Surry.....	12,050	639,000	1,420	28,400	9,170	14,678,000	-	-
Watauga.....	520	28,600	*	*	900	2,162,000	-	-
Wilkes.....	5,800	255,000	750	14,250	1,220	1,904,000	-	-
Yadkin.....	18,250	621,000	7,780	124,500	7,150	12,163,000	-	-
N. MOUNTAIN.....	43,000	1,895,000	11,900	200,330	20,425	36,102,000	-	-
Buncombe.....	2,320	162,500	*	*	1,390	3,754,000	-	-
Burke.....	2,380	90,400	770	10,000	4	8,550	-	-
Cherokee.....	2,900	145,000	140	2,800	50	115,000	-	-
Clay.....	1,400	91,000	*	*	90	185,000	-	-
Graham.....	230	14,950	*	*	285	616,000	-	-
Haywood.....	430	32,250	*	*	895	2,203,000	-	-
Henderson.....	3,680	257,500	90	1,620	28	57,800	-	-
Jackson.....	290	15,950	*	*	37	79,800	-	-
McDowell.....	1,740	81,800	170	3,570	8	15,400	-	-
Macon.....	870	54,800	60	1,020	45	91,600	-	-
Madison.....	1,740	92,200	90	1,500	2,490	5,709,000	-	-
Mitchell.....	520	34,300	*	*	500	1,200,000	-	-
Polk.....	2,030	75,100	1,080	19,400	5	10,650	-	-
Rutherford.....	4,800	187,000	4,150	70,500	8	11,450	-	-
Swain.....	320	11,550	*	*	28	61,300	-	-
Transylvania.....	2,600	177,000	220	3,960	22	39,450	-	-
Yancey.....	750	33,750	*	*	1,220	2,864,000	-	-
W. MOUNTAIN.....	29,000	1,557,050	6,900	116,630	7,105	17,022,000	-	-
Alamance.....	12,200	329,500	5,700	96,900	3,850	7,340,000	-	-
Caswell.....	6,150	166,000	1,930	34,750	7,300	13,360,000	-	-
Durham.....	2,650	66,300	1,570	25,100	3,600	5,572,000	-	-
Forsyth.....	6,360	191,000	1,930	28,950	3,810	5,950,000	-	-
Franklin.....	14,850	431,000	21,100	316,500	8,800	15,582,000	-	-
Granville.....	10,050	302,000	6,080	109,500	11,900	19,680,000	-	-
Guilford.....	10,050	302,000	6,050	103,000	8,400	14,716,000	-	-
Orange.....	8,480	186,500	3,070	43,000	2,850	5,220,000	-	-
Person.....	10,150	254,000	570	9,690	8,500	15,549,000	-	-
Rockingham.....	8,600	301,000	4,200	63,000	12,100	20,517,000	-	-
Stokes.....	7,750	388,000	1,000	17,000	10,900	18,446,000	-	-
Vance.....	2,860	71,500	7,700	138,500	6,650	11,914,000	-	-
Warren.....	5,850	146,500	10,400	177,000	4,650	8,376,000	65	138,500
N. PIEDMONT.....	106,000	3,135,300	71,300	1,162,890	93,310	162,222,000	65	138,500
Alexander.....	2,800	78,400	1,320	19,800	1,240	2,074,000	-	-
Catawba.....	6,120	110,000	8,400	117,500	-	-	10	5,600
Chatham.....	8,500	246,500	2,500	50,000	2,000	3,519,000	-	-
Davidson.....	10,200	255,000	4,830	86,900	2,600	3,928,000	-	-
Davie.....	4,250	161,500	2,250	42,750	900	1,145,000	-	-
Iredell.....	8,920	321,000	8,650	173,000	950	1,574,000	-	-
Lee.....	2,980	59,600	4,800	76,800	3,300	6,636,000	-	-
Randolph.....	16,150	468,500	6,400	121,500	2,400	4,266,000	-	-
Rowan.....	9,780	283,500	14,900	268,000	10	12,500	-	-
Wake.....	15,300	306,000	23,850	357,500	15,800	29,784,000	-	-
C. PIEDMONT.....	85,000	2,290,000	77,900	1,313,750	29,200	52,938,500	10	5,600

CROPS: Acres and Production, By Counties, 1977

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	CORN FOR GRAIN		SOYBEANS		TOBACCO		PEANUTS	
	Acres	Production	Acres	Production	Acres	Production	Acres	Production
		<i>Bushe ls</i>		<i>Bushe ls</i>		<i>Pounds</i>		<i>Pounds</i>
Anson.....	5,440	147,000	20,250	304,000	270	447,500	-	-
Cabarrus.....	7,470	172,000	10,050	140,500	-	-	-	-
Cleveland.....	6,120	147,000	21,700	260,500	-	-	-	-
Gaston.....	3,400	68,000	4,950	64,400	-	-	-	-
Lincoln.....	3,540	81,400	12,300	160,000	-	-	-	-
Mecklenburg.....	3,400	88,400	3,200	64,000	-	-	-	-
Montgomery.....	4,420	79,600	3,000	48,000	870	1,489,000	-	-
Moore.....	6,800	163,000	3,850	65,500	4,100	7,686,000	5	3,450
Richmond.....	3,060	76,500	6,850	116,500	1,820	3,364,000	110	126,500
Stanly.....	11,450	378,000	21,350	299,000	-	-	-	-
Union.....	12,900	451,500	52,000	884,000	-	-	-	-
S. PIEDMONT.....	68,000	1,852,400	159,500	2,406,400	7,060	12,986,500	115	129,950
Bertie.....	37,750	3,020,000	17,500	455,000	3,950	8,241,000	23,400	61,308,000
Camden.....	19,100	2,006,000	22,450	674,000	-	-	45	51,500
Chowan.....	13,700	1,302,000	12,900	387,000	360	736,000	6,250	18,313,000
Currituck.....	16,600	1,577,000	19,350	619,000	-	-	160	320,000
Dare.....	50	4,250	50	1,000	-	-	-	-
Edgecombe.....	56,800	2,628,000	22,150	509,000	8,700	17,613,000	16,300	39,528,000
Gates.....	19,500	1,443,000	11,400	251,000	180	420,000	7,400	22,607,000
Halifax.....	38,200	2,483,000	24,900	598,000	4,300	9,254,000	27,450	67,939,000
Hertford.....	19,900	1,393,000	9,800	215,500	2,200	4,578,000	14,650	37,284,000
Martin.....	29,900	1,944,000	19,000	475,000	6,500	13,359,000	15,500	48,593,000
Nash.....	36,500	1,095,000	22,450	404,000	14,700	29,041,000	3,000	6,225,000
Northampton.....	36,950	2,328,000	21,850	546,000	300	606,000	29,450	83,491,000
Pasquotank.....	20,750	2,179,000	26,450	873,000	-	-	80	265,000
Perquimans.....	22,800	2,394,000	29,850	896,000	-	-	3,200	10,048,000
Tyrrell.....	13,300	1,250,000	15,400	416,000	-	-	65	119,500
Washington.....	33,200	2,490,000	32,000	864,000	750	1,566,000	3,080	7,869,000
N. COASTAL.....	415,000	29,536,250	307,500	8,183,500	41,940	85,414,000	150,030	403,961,000
Beaufort.....	51,900	3,633,000	57,500	1,438,000	7,300	13,325,000	500	1,088,000
Carteret.....	3,700	351,500	4,900	147,000	1,100	2,254,000	-	-
Craven.....	23,600	1,369,000	23,250	512,000	6,850	12,475,000	30	78,300
Greene.....	50,800	2,286,000	7,650	153,000	9,300	16,048,000	250	558,000
Hyde.....	29,350	2,876,000	28,750	863,000	-	-	-	-
Johnston.....	79,600	2,786,000	41,900	880,000	18,700	38,750,000	100	168,000
Jones.....	23,050	1,014,000	15,300	321,500	4,300	7,517,000	-	-
Lenoir.....	55,000	2,530,000	20,200	444,500	11,400	22,031,000	-	-
Pamlico.....	8,900	801,000	17,500	472,500	980	1,648,000	-	-
Pitt.....	70,800	3,328,000	37,650	753,000	18,900	33,972,000	6,530	15,672,000
Wayne.....	81,700	3,595,000	36,100	903,000	11,100	22,237,000	15	35,050
Wilson.....	45,600	1,642,000	15,300	290,500	13,100	26,860,000	175	245,000
C. COASTAL.....	524,000	26,211,500	306,000	7,178,000	103,030	197,117,000	7,600	17,844,350
Bladen.....	31,950	1,374,000	22,350	514,000	5,700	10,644,000	4,140	11,778,000
Brunswick.....	15,950	909,000	9,500	256,500	2,700	5,826,000	40	79,600
Columbus.....	42,850	2,314,000	39,000	936,000	14,000	31,003,000	1,360	4,488,000
Cumberland.....	27,300	1,283,000	34,500	759,000	4,000	7,377,000	420	704,000
Duplin.....	68,500	3,768,000	45,500	1,137,000	12,100	24,072,000	20	32,000
Harnett.....	28,150	732,000	32,200	580,000	12,500	25,449,000	-	-
Hoke.....	4,620	161,500	20,100	401,500	2,200	4,064,000	-	-
New Hanover.....	1,680	101,000	1,500	37,500	180	278,000	250	504,000
Onslow.....	20,150	1,008,000	16,700	384,000	4,900	9,323,000	110	168,000
Pender.....	18,050	848,000	14,000	378,000	2,850	5,640,000	950	2,123,000
Robeson.....	76,400	3,589,000	83,000	1,743,000	16,400	31,075,000	380	944,000
Sampson.....	78,100	3,436,000	46,250	1,064,000	12,000	24,191,000	510	1,150,000
Scotland.....	6,300	189,000	14,400	288,000	1,000	1,781,000	-	-
S. COASTAL.....	420,000	19,712,500	379,000	8,478,500	90,530	180,723,000	8,180	21,970,600
STATE TOTAL.....	1,690,000	86,190,000	1,320,000	29,040,000	392,600	744,525,000	166,000	444,050,000

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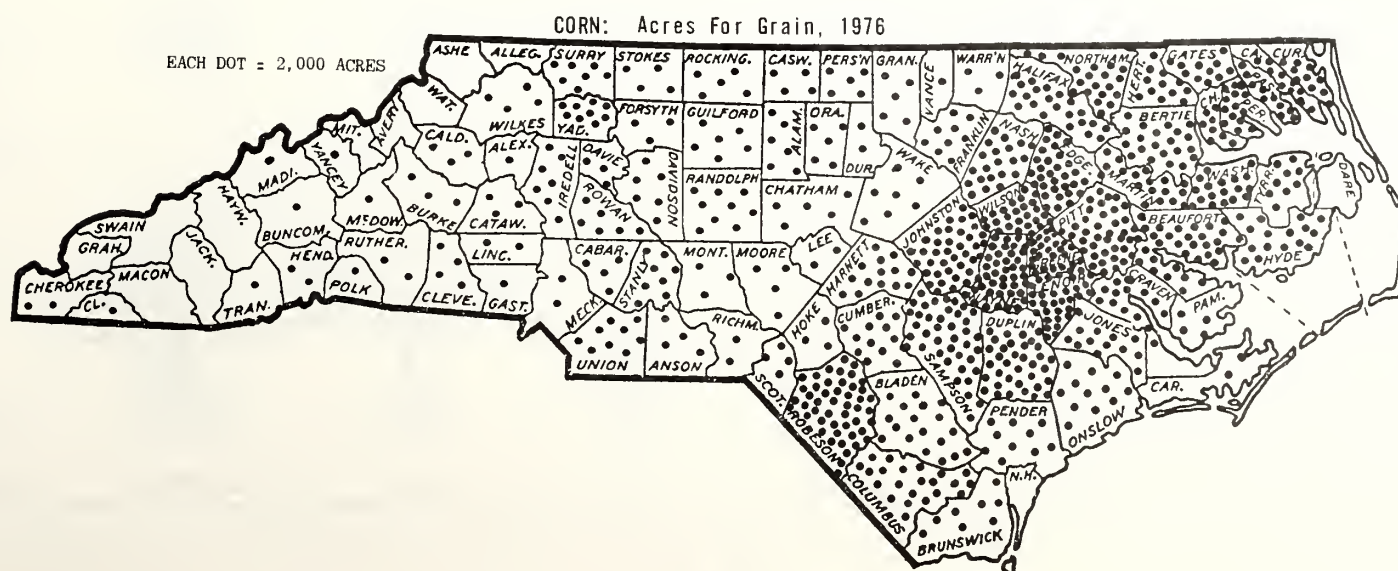
CORN FOR GRAIN: Acres, Yield, Production and Value, By Counties, 1975-76 (Continued on opposite page)

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushe ls</i>		<i>Bushe ls</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
Alleghany.....	250	180	70	77	17,500	13,900	47,050	33,100
Ashe.....	630	500	64	67	40,300	33,500	108,500	79,700
Avery.....	100	100	68	71	6,800	7,100	19,300	17,250
Caldwell.....	5,690	6,500	62	56	353,000	364,000	949,000	848,000
Surry.....	10,750	14,900	71	63	763,000	939,000	2,090,000	2,235,000
Watauga.....	270	420	70	74	18,900	31,100	49,900	74,000
Wilkes.....	5,540	7,650	70	75	388,000	574,000	1,044,000	1,309,000
Yadkin.....	15,650	18,650	66	62	1,033,000	1,156,000	2,779,000	2,693,000
N. MOUNTAIN.....	38,880	48,900	67.4	63.8	2,620,500	3,118,600	7,086,750	7,289,050
Buncombe.....	2,400	2,250	62	78	149,000	175,500	408,500	444,000
Burke.....	2,170	5,600	64	55	139,000	308,000	388,000	779,000
Cherokee.....	2,990	3,600	68	73	203,500	263,000	578,000	678,000
Clay.....	1,310	1,500	67	59	87,800	88,600	245,000	224,000
Graham.....	170	200	55	65	9,350	13,000	25,600	33,000
Haywood.....	410	500	69	63	28,300	31,500	76,100	79,700
Henderson.....	3,820	4,000	80	90	305,500	360,000	837,000	929,000
Jackson.....	250	200	51	58	12,750	11,600	35,500	29,350
McDowell.....	1,720	1,600	68	77	117,000	123,000	308,500	311,000
Macon.....	850	750	65	55	55,200	41,300	151,000	104,500
Madison.....	1,630	1,500	62	65	101,000	97,500	282,000	251,500
Mitchell.....	470	500	58	63	27,250	31,500	73,300	84,500
Polk.....	1,740	2,000	58	49	101,000	98,000	282,000	257,500
Rutherford.....	4,580	5,200	57	68	261,000	354,000	715,000	896,000
Swain.....	310	300	60	58	18,600	17,400	53,700	44,000
Transylvania.....	2,490	2,600	68	60	169,500	156,000	464,500	402,500
Yancey.....	740	1,500	55	70	40,650	105,000	112,000	265,500
W. MOUNTAIN.....	28,050	33,800	65.1	67.3	1,826,400	2,274,900	5,035,700	5,813,050
Alamance.....	10,900	12,400	60	44	654,000	546,000	1,759,000	1,381,000
Caswell.....	5,970	7,900	52	45	310,500	356,000	819,000	865,000
Durham.....	2,620	4,000	55	42	144,000	168,000	402,000	400,000
Forsyth.....	5,970	5,800	50	45	298,500	261,000	788,000	634,000
Franklin.....	14,000	17,700	42	42	588,000	743,000	1,582,000	1,768,000
Granville.....	9,470	11,000	46	39	435,500	429,500	1,149,000	1,044,000
Guilford.....	9,450	11,600	60	51	567,000	592,000	1,525,000	1,498,000
Orange.....	7,720	9,500	62	50	478,500	475,000	1,287,000	1,178,000
Person.....	9,510	11,000	60	46	571,000	506,000	1,535,000	1,230,000
Rockingham.....	7,430	9,500	53	40	394,000	380,000	1,059,000	942,000
Stokes.....	8,600	9,000	55	51	473,000	459,000	1,272,000	1,115,000
Vance.....	2,790	3,000	47	51	131,000	153,000	352,500	394,500
Warren.....	4,280	6,000	43	46	184,000	276,000	495,000	671,000
N. PIEDMONT.....	98,710	118,400	53.0	45.1	5,229,000	5,344,500	14,024,500	13,120,500
Alexander.....	2,890	3,300	51	58	147,500	191,500	404,000	465,500
Catawba.....	6,150	6,050	58	58	356,500	351,000	977,000	870,000
Chatham.....	8,520	10,400	62	57	528,000	593,000	1,420,000	1,471,000
Davidson.....	9,880	12,750	63	68	622,000	867,000	1,704,000	2,194,000
Davie.....	4,760	5,550	56	53	266,500	294,000	717,000	729,000
Iredell.....	9,160	14,700	58	53	531,000	779,000	1,428,000	1,932,000
Lee.....	3,000	3,800	46	50	138,000	190,000	378,000	471,000
Randolph.....	16,800	17,450	67	70	1,126,000	1,225,000	3,029,000	2,977,000
Rowan.....	9,570	12,500	68	60	651,000	750,000	1,784,000	1,860,000
Wake.....	14,750	15,000	52	40	767,000	600,000	2,063,000	1,458,000
C. PIEDMONT.....	85,480	101,500	60.1	57.5	5,133,500	5,840,500	13,904,000	14,427,500
Anson.....	4,830	8,400	52	69	251,000	580,000	675,000	1,409,000
Cabarrus.....	7,500	7,900	52	60	390,000	474,000	1,049,000	1,128,000
Cleveland.....	6,050	8,350	49	54	296,500	451,000	798,000	1,096,000
Gaston.....	4,330	2,800	51	48	221,000	134,500	605,000	327,000
Lincoln.....	3,810	4,900	57	49	217,000	240,000	584,000	595,000
Mecklenburg.....	3,550	4,300	55	63	195,500	271,000	516,000	658,000
Montgomery.....	4,360	5,500	59	59	257,500	324,500	706,000	772,000
Moore.....	6,130	8,050	42	46	257,500	370,500	693,000	900,000
Richmond.....	2,610	3,600	45	49	117,500	176,500	310,000	429,000
Stanly.....	11,100	15,700	66	94	734,000	1,476,000	2,011,000	3,587,000
Union.....	12,000	18,900	69	97	828,000	1,833,000	2,310,000	4,546,000
S. PIEDMONT.....	66,270	88,400	56.8	71.6	3,765,500	6,331,000	10,257,000	15,447,000

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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushe ls</i>		<i>Bushe ls</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
Bertie.....	36,900	42,000	74	96	2,731,000	4,032,000	7,210,000	9,677,000
Camden.....	18,550	20,000	84	115	1,558,000	2,300,000	4,191,000	5,635,000
Chowan.....	13,500	16,200	79	110	1,067,000	1,782,000	2,870,000	4,455,000
Currituck.....	16,800	19,500	87	115	1,462,000	2,243,000	4,006,000	5,720,000
Dare.....	*	50	*	80	*	4,000	*	9,400
Edgecombe.....	55,300	64,200	68	73	3,760,000	4,687,000	10,114,000	11,014,000
Gates.....	19,200	22,000	70	96	1,344,000	2,112,000	3,615,000	4,963,000
Halifax.....	38,150	44,000	56	69	2,136,000	3,036,000	5,746,000	7,286,000
Hertford.....	19,550	23,700	66	84	1,290,000	1,991,000	3,406,000	4,778,000
Martin.....	29,500	35,000	69	90	2,036,000	3,150,000	5,314,000	7,560,000
Nash.....	34,800	42,000	52	50	1,810,000	2,100,000	4,869,000	4,935,000
Northampton.....	37,140	40,100	64	91	2,377,000	3,649,000	6,394,000	8,758,000
Pasquotank.....	20,200	20,000	99	120	2,000,000	2,400,000	5,580,000	5,880,000
Perquimans.....	22,550	26,000	93	120	2,097,000	3,120,000	5,641,000	7,488,000
Tyrrell.....	14,400	17,000	87	115	1,253,000	1,955,000	3,433,000	4,692,000
Washington.....	30,500	36,000	90	100	2,745,000	3,600,000	7,247,000	8,460,000
N. COASTAL.....	407,070	467,750	72.9	90.1	29,668,100	42,161,000	79,641,550	101,310,400
Beaufort.....	47,250	59,000	85	102	4,016,000	6,018,000	10,803,000	14,142,000
Carteret.....	3,370	4,300	77	94	259,500	404,000	724,000	929,000
Craven.....	22,150	27,600	75	94	1,661,000	2,594,000	4,468,000	6,096,000
Greene.....	47,450	54,900	63	100	2,989,000	5,490,000	8,040,000	13,176,000
Hyde.....	27,350	32,250	95	120	2,598,000	3,870,000	7,118,000	9,095,000
Johnston.....	71,200	76,500	56	48	3,987,000	3,672,000	10,725,000	8,629,000
Jones.....	21,850	26,700	68	94	1,486,000	2,510,000	3,997,000	5,899,000
Lenoir.....	50,700	61,400	62	93	3,143,000	5,710,000	8,455,000	13,418,000
Pamlico.....	8,500	9,350	82	100	697,000	935,000	1,875,000	2,197,000
Pitt.....	64,600	79,000	59	84	3,811,000	6,636,000	10,061,000	15,594,000
Wayne.....	76,200	85,200	61	83	4,648,000	7,072,000	12,503,000	16,619,000
Wilson.....	42,200	49,700	69	64	2,912,000	3,181,000	7,833,000	7,475,000
C. COASTAL.....	482,820	565,900	66.7	85.0	32,207,500	48,092,000	86,602,000	113,269,000
Bladen.....	28,250	33,600	70	80	1,978,000	2,688,000	5,321,000	6,157,000
Brunswick.....	15,000	17,000	72	80	1,080,000	1,360,000	2,851,000	3,264,000
Columbus.....	38,400	44,750	77	89	2,957,000	3,983,000	7,865,000	9,161,000
Cumberland.....	26,600	24,750	63	73	1,676,000	1,807,000	4,508,000	4,246,000
Duplin.....	60,900	70,000	64	84	3,898,000	5,880,000	10,486,000	13,524,000
Harnett.....	24,900	27,900	56	52	1,394,000	1,451,000	3,820,000	3,482,000
Hoke.....	3,850	7,000	61	74	235,000	518,000	644,000	1,243,000
New Hanover.....	850	1,250	70	70	59,500	87,500	162,500	205,500
Onslow.....	18,550	24,600	74	82	1,373,000	2,017,000	3,693,000	4,639,000
Pender.....	16,850	21,000	72	80	1,213,000	1,680,000	3,263,000	3,948,000
Robeson.....	70,700	95,000	73	91	5,161,000	8,645,000	13,828,000	20,315,000
Sampson.....	70,900	80,300	65	80	4,609,000	6,424,000	12,351,000	15,418,000
Scotland.....	6,970	8,200	64	85	446,000	697,000	1,222,000	1,673,000
S. COASTAL.....	382,720	455,350	68.1	81.8	26,079,500	37,237,500	70,014,500	87,275,500
STATE TOTAL.....	1,590,000	1,880,000	67.0	80.0	106,530,000	150,400,000	286,566,000	357,952,000

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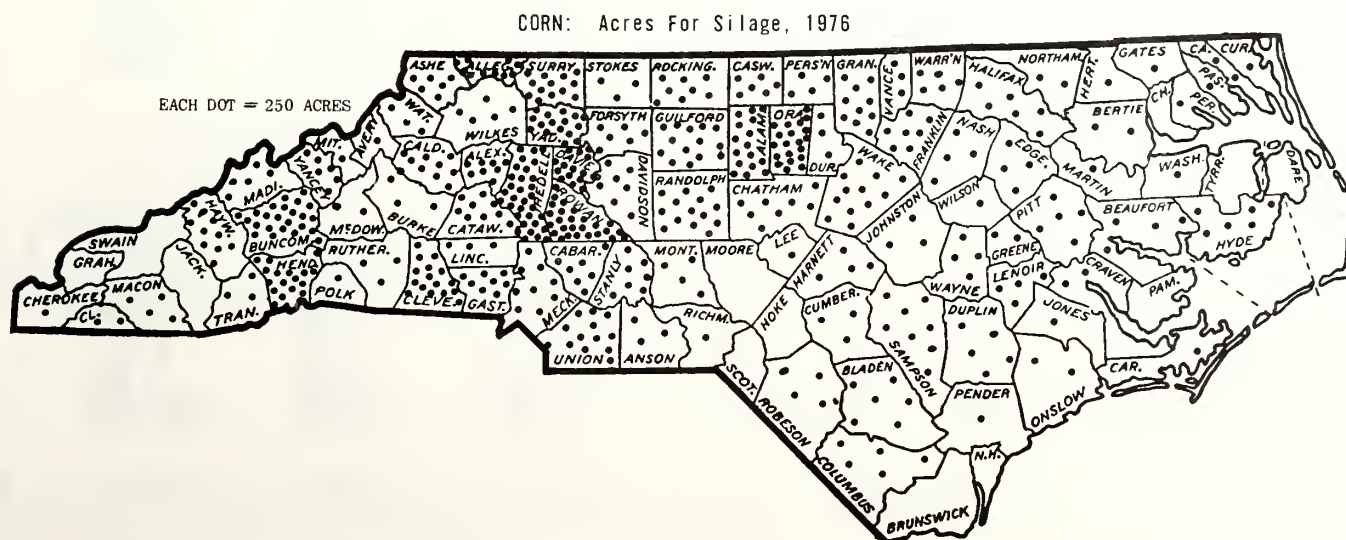
CORN FOR SILAGE: Acres, Yield and Production, By Counties, 1975-76 (Continued on opposite page)

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Tons</i>		<i>Tons</i>	
Alleghany.....	2,500	2,500	17.0	14.0	42,500	35,000
Ashe.....	1,300	1,600	18.0	15.0	23,400	24,000
Avery.....	50	150	23.0	18.0	1,150	2,700
Caldwell.....	2,850	2,400	12.5	11.0	35,650	26,400
Surry.....	3,500	3,200	14.5	12.0	50,800	38,400
Watauga.....	800	800	19.0	16.0	15,200	12,800
Wilkes.....	1,450	1,250	15.5	14.0	22,500	17,500
Yadkin.....	4,250	4,000	14.5	11.0	61,600	44,000
N. MOUNTAIN.....	16,700	15,900	15.1	12.6	252,800	200,800
Buncombe.....	5,780	5,900	14.5	15.0	83,800	88,400
Burke.....	550	750	13.0	12.0	7,150	9,000
Cherokee.....	480	350	15.0	16.0	7,200	5,600
Clay.....	600	550	15.0	16.0	9,000	8,800
Graham.....	80	130	17.0	16.0	1,360	2,080
Haywood.....	2,570	2,500	17.0	17.0	43,700	42,500
Henderson.....	4,450	4,200	16.0	17.0	71,200	71,400
Jackson.....	100	110	14.0	15.0	1,400	1,650
McDowell.....	500	550	18.5	20.0	9,250	11,000
Macon.....	1,150	1,000	18.5	19.0	21,300	19,000
Madison.....	1,000	1,200	10.0	14.0	10,000	16,800
Mitchell.....	220	230	19.5	13.0	4,300	2,990
Polk.....	350	370	13.0	15.0	4,550	5,550
Rutherford.....	470	700	9.0	12.0	4,230	8,400
Swain.....	100	160	8.0	15.0	800	2,400
Transylvania.....	830	800	10.0	16.0	8,300	12,800
Yancey.....	970	1,500	11.0	16.0	10,650	24,000
W. MOUNTAIN.....	20,200	21,000	14.8	15.8	298,190	332,370
Alamance.....	3,850	4,000	15.0	11.0	57,750	44,000
Caswell.....	1,420	1,600	13.5	14.0	19,150	22,400
Durham.....	610	700	11.0	14.0	6,710	9,800
Forsyth.....	1,540	1,400	13.5	12.0	20,800	16,800
Franklin.....	1,420	1,700	9.0	10.0	12,800	17,000
Granville.....	2,720	2,400	11.0	8.0	29,900	19,200
Guilford.....	5,040	3,500	14.0	11.0	70,600	38,500
Orange.....	3,960	4,900	14.0	11.0	55,400	53,800
Person.....	710	1,000	9.0	10.0	6,390	10,000
Rockingham.....	1,500	2,000	12.0	11.0	18,000	22,000
Stokes.....	730	800	11.0	13.0	8,030	10,400
Vance.....	570	700	13.0	12.0	7,410	8,400
Warren.....	1,330	1,300	9.0	10.0	11,950	13,000
N. PIEDMONT.....	25,400	26,000	12.8	11.0	324,890	285,300
Alexander.....	1,590	1,900	10.5	13.0	16,700	24,700
Catawba.....	1,790	2,200	11.5	13.0	20,600	28,600
Chatham.....	1,970	2,000	11.0	13.0	21,650	26,000
Davidson.....	1,520	1,850	13.5	11.0	20,500	20,350
Davie.....	2,670	3,800	12.0	12.0	32,050	45,600
Iredell.....	7,330	8,000	14.0	11.0	102,500	88,000
Lee.....	*	150	*	11.0	*	1,650
Randolph.....	2,870	3,400	10.0	13.0	28,700	44,200
Rowan.....	6,490	6,600	12.5	10.0	81,200	66,000
Wake.....	3,030	3,100	9.0	8.0	27,250	24,800
C. PIEDMONT.....	29,300	33,000	12.0	11.2	351,650	369,900
Anson.....	360	650	9.5	11.0	3,440	7,150
Cabarrus.....	1,970	1,800	10.0	11.0	19,700	19,800
Cleveland.....	4,460	4,000	11.5	12.0	51,300	48,000
Gaston.....	2,500	2,100	9.0	12.0	22,500	25,200
Lincoln.....	1,490	800	11.0	10.0	16,400	8,000
Mecklenburg.....	1,860	2,300	13.5	14.0	25,100	32,200
Montgomery.....	980	1,000	11.0	11.0	10,800	11,000
Moore.....	70	100	12.5	9.0	880	900
Richmond.....	150	250	12.5	10.0	1,880	2,500
Stanly.....	1,660	1,800	13.5	16.0	22,400	28,800
Union.....	3,800	3,200	12.5	14.0	47,500	44,800
S. PIEDMONT.....	19,300	18,000	11.5	12.7	221,900	228,350

CORN FOR SILAGE: Acres, Yield and Production, By Counties, 1975-76

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Tons</i>		<i>Tons</i>	
Bertie.....	350	600	16.5	19.0	5,780	11,400
Camden.....	240	400	17.0	18.0	4,080	7,200
Chowan.....	*	*	*	*	*	*
Currituck.....	320	270	17.0	16.0	5,440	4,320
Dare.....	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe.....	920	1,000	12.5	13.0	11,500	13,000
Gates.....	70	200	14.5	12.0	1,020	2,400
Halifax.....	1,740	1,400	9.0	12.0	15,650	16,800
Hertford.....	200	200	10.0	12.0	2,000	2,400
Martin.....	260	400	13.0	12.0	3,380	4,800
Nash.....	920	900	13.0	10.0	11,950	9,000
Northampton.....	340	550	10.5	13.0	3,570	7,150
Pasquotank.....	110	200	16.5	18.0	1,820	3,600
Perquimans.....	110	180	12.0	15.0	1,320	2,700
Tyrrell.....	920	100	16.5	21.0	15,200	2,100
Washington.....	420	300	16.0	18.0	6,700	5,400
N. COASTAL.....	6,920	6,700	12.9	13.8	89,410	92,270
Beaufort.....	1,000	900	18.0	17.0	18,000	15,300
Carteret.....	160	300	13.0	15.0	2,080	4,500
Craven.....	320	500	11.0	9.0	3,520	4,500
Greene.....	300	500	12.0	13.0	3,600	6,500
Hyde.....	1,660	1,400	15.0	18.0	24,900	25,200
Johnston.....	1,000	800	9.0	10.0	9,000	8,000
Jones.....	300	300	15.5	12.0	4,650	3,600
Lenoir.....	970	900	10.0	11.0	9,700	9,900
Pamlico.....	100	100	17.5	18.0	1,750	1,800
Pitt.....	1,410	1,300	13.5	15.0	19,050	19,500
Wayne.....	1,010	1,000	9.0	12.0	9,100	12,000
Wilson.....	230	300	11.0	11.0	2,530	3,300
C. COASTAL.....	8,460	8,300	12.8	13.7	107,880	114,100
Bladen.....	1,120	1,600	15.5	12.0	17,350	19,200
Brunswick.....	190	100	12.5	18.0	2,380	1,800
Columbus.....	550	1,200	9.0	11.0	4,950	13,200
Cumberland.....	1,400	800	16.0	13.0	22,400	10,400
Duplin.....	620	1,300	12.5	10.0	7,750	13,000
Harnett.....	800	1,000	14.5	12.0	11,600	12,000
Hoke.....	300	120	7.0	10.0	2,100	1,200
New Hanover.....	100	50	17.5	18.0	1,750	900
Onslow.....	470	580	12.5	12.0	5,880	6,960
Pender.....	440	250	12.5	12.0	5,500	3,000
Robeson.....	1,170	2,100	10.0	11.0	11,700	23,100
Sampson.....	1,370	1,950	9.0	11.0	12,350	21,450
Scotland.....	190	50	13.5	14.0	2,570	700
S. COASTAL.....	8,720	11,100	12.4	11.4	108,280	126,910
STATE TOTAL.....	135,000	140,000	13.0	12.5	1,755,000	1,750,000

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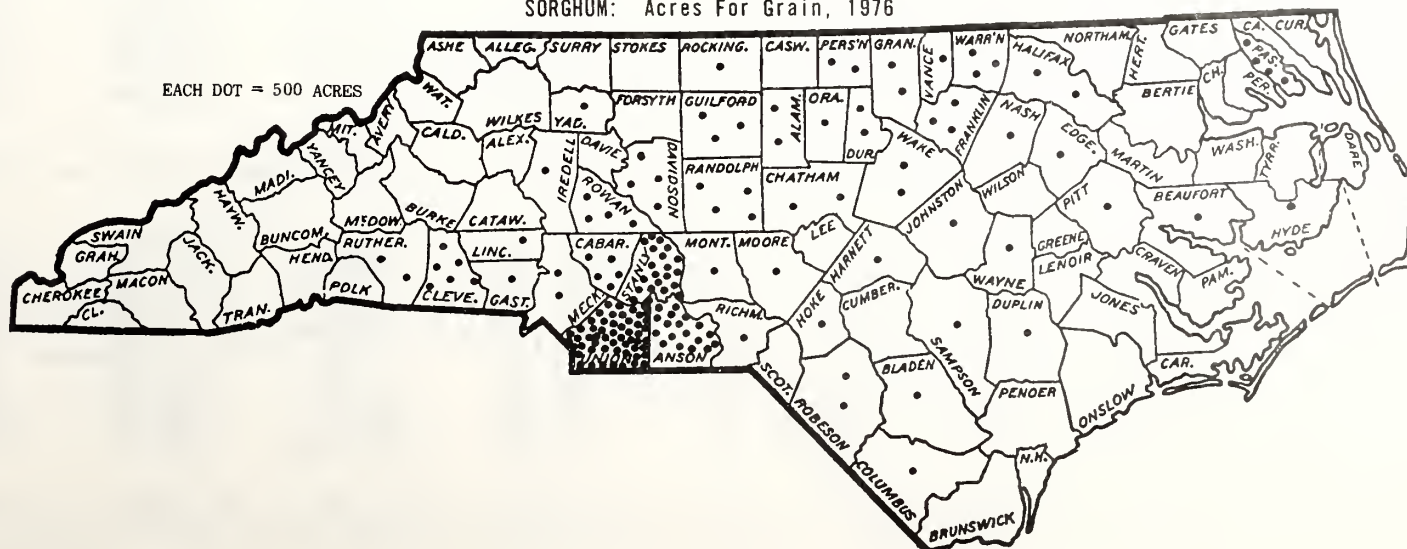
COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushe ls</i>		<i>Bushe ls</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
Alleghany.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell.....	270	170	51	40	13,750	6,800	32,450	16,000
Surry.....	140	140	53	39	7,420	5,460	17,500	12,850
Watauga.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilkes.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yadkin.....	310	420	52	41	16,100	17,200	38,000	37,000
N. MOUNTAIN.....	800	820	51.1	40.1	40,870	32,860	96,450	73,650
Buncombe.....	70	*	45	*	3,150	*	7,440	*
Burke.....	*	110	*	47	*	5,170	*	12,150
Cherokee.....	*	50	*	46	*	2,300	*	5,290
Clay.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Graham.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Haywood.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Jackson.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mitchell.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Polk.....	55	50	44	44	2,420	2,200	5,720	4,950
Rutherford.....	900	920	45	45	40,500	41,400	96,500	93,200
Swain.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yancey.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
W. MOUNTAIN.....	1,160	1,220	45.5	45.3	52,770	55,310	125,500	125,490
Alamance.....	620	1,050	42	44	26,050	46,200	61,500	108,500
Caswell.....	250	240	40	40	10,000	9,600	23,600	24,000
Durham.....	650	750	37	39	24,050	29,250	56,800	64,400
Forsyth.....	140	90	50	49	7,030	4,410	16,600	10,150
Franklin.....	1,670	1,730	44	43	73,500	74,400	173,500	171,000
Granville.....	850	1,000	51	47	43,350	47,000	102,500	102,500
Guilford.....	1,470	1,630	43	43	62,700	70,100	148,000	161,000
Orange.....	330	360	39	40	12,850	14,400	30,350	38,150
Person.....	740	1,120	49	49	36,250	54,900	85,600	123,500
Rockingham.....	360	380	41	49	14,750	18,600	34,850	41,800
Stokes.....	480	50	47	46	22,550	2,300	53,300	4,950
Vance.....	450	640	42	41	18,900	26,250	44,650	61,700
Warren.....	1,040	1,350	44	42	45,750	56,700	108,000	122,000
N. PIEDMONT.....	9,050	10,390	43.9	43.7	397,730	454,110	939,250	1,033,650
Alexander.....	150	80	48	45	7,200	3,600	17,150	8,450
Catawba.....	300	50	44	41	13,200	2,050	31,150	4,920
Chatham.....	860	1,100	46	42	39,550	46,200	93,400	99,300
Davidson.....	1,550	2,050	41	42	63,600	86,100	151,000	185,000
Davie.....	170	120	47	42	8,000	5,040	19,850	10,850
Iredell.....	360	370	44	40	15,850	14,800	37,450	34,800
Lee.....	160	150	48	44	7,680	6,600	18,150	15,850
Randolph.....	1,700	1,910	49	47	83,300	89,800	196,500	197,500
Rowan.....	2,130	1,770	48	42	102,000	74,300	243,000	164,000
Wake.....	820	1,240	43	44	35,250	54,600	83,200	120,000
C. PIEDMONT.....	8,200	8,840	45.8	43.3	375,630	383,090	890,850	840,670
Anson.....	6,500	9,330	52	55	338,000	513,000	798,000	1,093,000
Cabarrus.....	2,070	2,280	37	40	76,800	91,200	181,000	196,000
Cleveland.....	2,750	3,000	36	39	99,000	117,000	234,000	251,500
Gaston.....	1,150	550	42	46	48,300	25,300	114,000	54,400
Lincoln.....	660	600	38	42	25,100	25,200	59,800	53,700
Mecklenburg.....	850	1,200	37	40	31,450	48,000	74,900	103,000
Montgomery.....	500	540	39	48	19,500	25,900	46,050	55,700
Moore.....	300	250	50	52	15,000	13,000	35,400	27,700
Richmond.....	130	500	33	44	4,310	22,000	10,200	50,600
Stanly.....	9,150	10,150	58	58	530,000	589,000	1,252,000	1,384,000
Union.....	28,300	28,300	59	60	1,674,000	1,698,000	3,937,000	3,651,000
S. PIEDMONT.....	52,360	56,700	54.6	55.9	2,861,460	3,167,600	6,742,350	6,920,600

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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushe/s</i>		<i>Bushe/s</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
Bertie.....	160	130	50	39	8,000	5,070	18,900	11,900
Camden.....	80	100	47	48	3,750	4,800	8,860	11,500
Chowan.....	50	180	48	38	2,400	6,840	6,190	16,050
Currituck.....	160	100	58	48	9,280	4,800	21,900	11,300
Dare.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe.....	430	440	55	45	23,650	19,800	56,300	42,150
Gates.....	60	100	47	34	2,820	3,400	6,660	7,990
Halifax.....	1,170	920	45	36	52,600	33,100	124,500	70,500
Hertford.....	210	110	44	34	9,240	3,740	21,800	8,780
Martin.....	280	170	52	41	14,550	6,970	34,350	16,400
Nash.....	500	350	54	44	27,000	15,400	63,800	36,200
Northampton.....	360	240	46	38	16,550	9,120	39,400	21,450
Pasquotank.....	2,400	1,900	51	44	122,500	83,600	291,500	200,500
Perquimans.....	*	220	*	36	*	7,920	*	18,600
Tyrrell.....	310	*	51	*	15,800	*	37,300	*
Washington.....	80	100	55	44	4,400	4,400	10,400	10,100
N. COASTAL.....	6,280	5,060	50.0	41.3	313,920	208,960	745,120	483,420
Beaufort.....	230	270	36	36	8,280	9,720	19,550	22,850
Carteret.....	420	50	39	37	16,400	1,850	38,750	4,350
Craven.....	150	95	36	34	5,400	3,230	12,750	7,590
Greene.....	*	50	*	40	*	2,000	*	5,000
Hyde.....	460	740	48	50	22,100	37,000	52,200	87,000
Johnston.....	490	430	48	44	23,500	18,900	56,000	44,400
Jones.....	170	*	41	*	6,970	*	16,450	*
Lenoir.....	440	230	41	37	18,050	8,510	42,650	20,000
Pamlico.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pitt.....	910	380	42	45	38,200	17,100	90,200	36,400
Wayne.....	150	420	40	35	6,000	14,700	14,150	34,550
Wilson.....	140	110	37	38	5,180	4,180	11,550	9,070
C. COASTAL.....	3,600	2,800	42.2	42.2	151,880	118,140	358,500	273,440
Bladen.....	560	330	35	36	19,600	11,900	46,300	27,950
Brunswick.....	100	80	46	44	4,600	3,520	10,850	8,270
Columbus.....	360	310	35	36	12,600	11,150	29,750	26,200
Cumberland.....	100	70	50	49	5,000	3,430	12,400	8,400
Duplin.....	320	420	37	37	11,850	15,550	28,000	36,550
Harnett.....	520	570	48	49	24,950	27,950	58,900	62,900
Hoke.....	200	450	46	45	9,200	20,250	21,750	47,600
New Hanover.....	*	50	*	38	*	1,900	*	4,470
Onslow.....	230	80	39	38	8,970	3,040	21,200	7,140
Pender.....	130	140	37	36	4,810	5,040	11,350	11,850
Robeson.....	510	1,040	37	40	18,850	41,600	44,500	97,800
Sampson.....	350	470	37	37	12,950	17,400	30,600	37,050
Scotland.....	150	160	44	45	6,600	7,200	15,600	16,900
S. COASTAL.....	3,550	4,170	39.6	40.8	140,740	169,930	332,980	393,080
STATE TOTAL.....	85,000	90,000	51.0	51.0	4,335,000	4,590,000	10,231,000	10,144,000

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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushels</i>		<i>Bushels</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
Alleghany.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe.....	50	*	18	*	900	*	4,310	*
Avery.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell.....	1,980	1,450	23	15	45,350	21,750	217,500	150,000
Surry.....	1,330	1,270	21	22	27,750	27,950	133,000	182,500
Watauga.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilkes.....	980	440	24	24	23,500	10,550	111,500	69,000
Yadkin.....	7,950	6,000	19	17	151,000	102,000	724,000	677,000
N. MOUNTAIN.....	12,290	9,200	20.2	17.7	248,500	162,930	1,190,310	1,083,070
Buncombe.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke.....	850	550	17	19	14,450	10,450	69,300	60,100
Cherokee.....	95	150	19	20	1,810	3,000	8,670	21,000
Clay.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Graham.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Haywood.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson.....	130	*	20	*	2,600	*	12,300	*
Jackson.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell.....	195	200	16	23	3,120	4,600	14,750	31,600
Macon.....	50	65	20	18	1,000	1,170	4,720	7,880
Madison.....	110	140	17	17	1,870	2,380	8,840	16,050
Mitchell.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Polk.....	980	1,050	20	20	19,600	21,000	93,100	139,500
Rutherford.....	4,300	4,120	20	17	86,500	70,000	408,500	479,500
Swain.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania.....	275	220	19	18	5,220	3,960	23,850	24,650
Yancey.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
W. MOUNTAIN.....	7,110	6,670	19.5	17.9	138,500	119,600	655,070	800,470
Alamance.....	5,890	5,100	24	19	141,500	96,900	668,000	673,000
Caswell.....	1,930	1,800	19	17	36,650	30,600	171,000	203,500
Durham.....	1,380	1,400	19	15	26,200	21,000	123,500	144,500
Forsyth.....	2,170	1,600	20	15	43,400	24,000	207,000	156,500
Franklin.....	20,200	18,900	17	13	344,000	245,500	1,624,000	1,642,000
Granville.....	5,570	5,620	18	16	100,500	89,900	474,500	606,000
Guilford.....	6,050	4,700	21	16	127,000	75,200	600,000	499,500
Orange.....	3,500	2,200	22	14	77,300	30,800	365,000	216,000
Person.....	430	530	19	16	8,250	8,480	38,950	54,600
Rockingham.....	4,040	3,700	19	15	76,800	55,500	362,500	362,500
Stokes.....	1,890	750	19	13	35,900	9,750	169,500	63,700
Vance.....	6,750	7,550	20	15	135,000	113,500	637,000	753,000
Warren.....	9,700	10,000	18	19	174,500	190,000	824,000	1,262,000
N. PIEDMONT.....	69,500	63,850	19.1	15.5	1,327,000	991,130	6,264,950	6,636,800
Alexander.....	1,470	1,000	18	18	26,500	18,000	125,000	120,500
Catawba.....	9,850	6,520	22	16	216,500	104,500	1,022,000	683,000
Chatham.....	2,650	1,810	24	22	63,600	39,800	300,500	274,500
Davidson.....	4,450	5,000	27	21	120,000	105,000	548,000	719,000
Davie.....	2,580	1,800	24	16	61,900	28,800	283,000	186,500
Iredell.....	9,700	7,480	19	17	184,500	127,000	871,000	943,000
Lee.....	4,850	3,860	19	16	93,000	61,900	425,000	411,000
Randolph.....	6,150	5,530	26	21	160,000	116,000	755,000	776,000
Rowan.....	16,650	13,000	24	16	399,500	208,000	1,886,000	1,403,000
Wake.....	26,250	21,250	18	16	476,500	340,000	2,153,000	2,257,000
C. PIEDMONT.....	84,600	67,250	21.3	17.1	1,802,000	1,149,000	8,368,500	7,673,500
Anson.....	22,350	17,500	21	17	479,500	297,500	2,264,000	1,929,000
Cabarrus.....	10,150	10,100	21	18	213,000	182,000	1,006,000	1,190,000
Cleveland.....	22,600	21,600	19	17	439,500	367,000	2,075,000	2,360,000
Gaston.....	5,300	5,200	19	14	100,500	72,800	459,000	472,000
Lincoln.....	12,650	11,000	23	17	291,000	187,000	1,389,000	1,251,000
Mecklenburg.....	4,000	2,850	27	18	108,000	51,300	510,000	346,000
Montgomery.....	3,250	2,750	17	17	55,300	46,700	261,500	310,000
Moore.....	3,850	2,800	19	19	73,200	53,200	345,500	347,500
Richmond.....	7,350	6,130	17	18	125,000	110,500	584,000	768,000
Stanly.....	21,650	19,000	25	21	551,000	399,000	2,602,000	2,670,000
Union.....	53,900	47,800	27	22	1,479,000	1,052,000	6,759,000	7,149,000
S. PIEDMONT.....	167,050	146,730	23.4	19.2	3,915,000	2,819,000	18,255,000	18,792,500

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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushels</i>		<i>Bushels</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
Bertie.....	20,550	13,300	25	22	514,000	292,500	2,427,000	1,972,000
Camden.....	22,750	21,000	25	30	569,000	630,000	2,648,000	4,183,000
Chowan.....	14,300	10,100	29	32	414,500	323,000	1,957,000	2,179,000
Currituck.....	20,150	17,050	27	32	547,000	546,000	2,527,000	3,625,000
Dare.....	50	*	20	*	1,000	*	4,670	*
Edgecombe.....	25,800	17,900	23	21	594,000	376,000	2,744,000	2,458,000
Gates.....	12,800	8,630	25	26	320,000	224,500	1,495,000	1,467,000
Halifax.....	28,300	21,600	25	20	718,000	432,000	3,354,000	2,958,000
Hertford.....	10,650	7,700	26	17	277,000	131,000	1,238,000	869,000
Martin.....	20,500	16,150	25	20	513,000	323,000	2,344,000	2,144,000
Nash.....	24,600	18,100	20	15	492,500	271,500	2,300,000	1,831,000
Northampton.....	25,000	20,000	24	24	600,000	480,000	2,742,000	3,237,000
Pasquotank.....	25,500	24,400	32	33	816,000	805,000	3,811,000	5,262,000
Perquimans.....	30,900	26,500	29	32	906,000	848,000	4,140,000	5,675,000
Tyrrell.....	14,600	15,750	27	35	394,000	551,000	1,840,000	3,858,000
Washington.....	32,000	28,850	27	24	864,000	692,000	3,948,000	4,666,000
N. COASTAL.....	328,450	267,070	26.0	25.9	8,540,000	6,926,340	39,519,670	46,389,660
Beaufort.....	59,600	49,400	25	27	1,518,000	1,334,000	7,168,000	8,858,000
Carteret.....	4,550	4,070	27	27	125,000	110,000	590,000	719,000
Craven.....	24,500	18,600	24	24	598,000	446,500	2,793,000	3,057,000
Greene.....	8,650	4,620	23	23	203,000	106,500	948,000	674,000
Hyde.....	29,200	27,250	28	31	828,000	845,000	3,909,000	5,610,000
Johnston.....	43,500	33,250	21	17	935,000	565,000	4,416,000	3,780,000
Jones.....	17,800	10,350	20	21	364,000	217,500	1,645,000	1,467,000
Lenoir.....	22,700	14,700	21	22	486,000	323,500	2,295,000	2,114,000
Pamlico.....	17,550	16,000	25	27	447,000	432,000	2,088,000	2,824,000
Pitt.....	43,000	29,000	21	21	924,000	609,000	4,363,000	3,917,000
Wayne.....	40,000	30,400	23	23	939,000	699,000	4,386,000	4,570,000
Wilson.....	16,950	11,100	22	16	381,000	177,500	1,741,000	1,179,000
C. COASTAL.....	328,000	248,740	23.6	23.6	7,748,000	5,865,500	36,342,000	38,769,000
Bladen.....	26,400	17,750	25	24	660,000	426,000	3,116,000	2,828,000
Brunswick.....	9,600	9,000	25	23	240,000	207,000	1,133,000	1,353,000
Columbus.....	43,350	30,950	27	23	1,170,000	712,000	5,525,000	4,617,000
Cumberland.....	38,700	30,000	20	19	774,000	570,000	3,497,000	3,785,000
Duplin.....	52,650	34,000	23	26	1,211,000	884,000	5,719,000	5,777,000
Harnett.....	33,800	27,300	20	16	676,000	437,000	3,020,000	2,879,000
Hoke.....	21,250	18,000	23	22	489,000	396,000	2,309,000	2,712,000
New Hanover.....	1,200	870	25	23	30,000	20,000	141,500	128,000
Onslow.....	17,650	13,400	22	23	388,000	308,000	1,832,000	2,013,000
Pender.....	16,850	9,470	22	22	371,000	208,500	1,752,000	1,439,000
Robeson.....	94,400	68,000	23	19	2,182,000	1,292,000	10,304,000	8,511,000
Sampson.....	50,200	39,750	23	24	1,155,000	954,000	5,454,000	6,335,000
Scotland.....	16,950	12,000	18	16	305,000	192,000	1,440,000	1,334,000
S. COASTAL.....	423,000	310,490	22.8	21.3	9,651,000	6,606,500	45,242,500	43,711,000
STATE TOTAL.....	1,420,000	1,120,000	23.5	22.0	33,370,000	24,640,000	155,838,000	163,856,000

* Counties with less than 50 acres not published.

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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushels</i>		<i>Bushels</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
Alleghany.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell.....	750	480	31	36	23,250	17,300	64,800	53,600
Surry.....	2,040	2,300	30	35	61,200	80,500	170,500	245,500
Watauga.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilkes.....	630	525	34	38	21,400	19,950	59,700	60,800
Yadkin.....	6,400	5,530	34	36	217,500	199,000	606,000	617,000
N. MOUNTAIN.....	9,880	8,890	32.9	35.8	325,150	318,515	906,040	982,340
Buncombe.....	140	*	24	*	3,360	*	9,370	*
Burke.....	460	340	28	30	12,900	10,200	35,950	29,600
Cherokee.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Clay.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Graham.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Haywood.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Jackson.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell.....	160	180	24	30	3,840	5,400	10,700	16,750
Macon.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mitchell.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Polk.....	300	300	26	32	7,800	9,600	21,750	28,350
Rutherford.....	1,570	1,270	27	30	42,400	38,100	118,000	116,000
Swain.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yancey.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
W. MOUNTAIN.....	2,670	2,160	26.7	30.3	71,290	65,365	198,610	196,960
Alamance.....	5,500	5,730	32	24	176,000	137,500	490,500	412,500
Caswell.....	5,200	5,360	33	23	171,500	123,000	469,500	344,500
Durham.....	940	940	29	25	27,250	23,500	73,300	71,700
Forsyth.....	1,410	1,820	31	23	43,700	41,850	122,000	121,500
Franklin.....	8,830	7,620	26	25	229,500	190,500	617,000	562,000
Granville.....	3,640	3,270	28	24	102,000	78,400	279,500	223,500
Guilford.....	5,860	5,620	33	30	193,500	168,500	559,000	506,000
Orange.....	4,300	4,200	34	25	146,000	105,000	407,000	304,500
Person.....	7,900	7,300	27	28	213,500	204,500	595,000	614,000
Rockingham.....	7,270	6,420	31	26	225,500	167,000	651,000	492,500
Stokes.....	3,040	2,500	29	32	88,200	80,000	246,000	244,000
Vance.....	3,900	3,470	26	23	101,500	79,700	298,000	243,000
Warren.....	2,680	2,750	29	22	77,700	60,500	212,500	187,500
N. PIEDMONT.....	60,470	57,000	29.7	25.6	1,795,850	1,459,950	5,020,300	4,327,200
Alexander.....	690	800	28	35	19,300	28,000	53,800	86,800
Catawba.....	5,100	4,830	32	32	163,000	154,500	470,500	471,000
Chatham.....	1,780	1,680	30	30	53,400	50,400	143,500	148,500
Davidson.....	4,640	4,380	31	30	144,000	131,500	408,500	394,500
Davie.....	2,720	2,480	32	35	87,000	86,700	234,000	256,000
Iredell.....	4,150	4,100	31	31	128,500	127,000	352,000	381,000
Lee.....	490	500	22	28	10,800	14,000	30,100	42,700
Randolph.....	8,650	9,100	32	32	276,500	291,000	771,000	858,000
Rowan.....	11,000	9,980	30	36	330,000	359,000	936,000	1,077,000
Wake.....	11,600	7,300	31	27	359,500	197,000	1,004,000	591,000
C. PIEDMONT.....	50,820	45,150	30.9	31.9	1,572,000	1,439,100	4,403,400	4,306,500
Anson.....	1,930	1,700	26	23	50,200	39,100	135,000	119,500
Cabarrus.....	4,300	4,200	29	25	124,000	105,000	345,500	310,000
Cleveland.....	3,940	5,750	30	33	118,000	189,500	305,500	559,000
Gaston.....	2,400	1,670	28	34	67,200	56,800	194,000	167,500
Lincoln.....	3,250	2,900	34	38	110,000	110,000	317,500	330,000
Mecklenburg.....	1,070	810	31	39	33,150	31,600	95,700	99,500
Montgomery.....	1,800	1,400	28	25	50,400	35,000	135,500	103,500
Moore.....	2,050	1,860	26	23	53,300	42,800	151,000	126,500
Richmond.....	1,970	2,170	26	24	51,200	52,000	137,500	156,000
Stanly.....	9,750	7,200	29	33	283,000	237,500	775,000	713,000
Union.....	10,400	7,540	31	32	322,000	241,500	898,000	725,000
S. PIEDMONT.....	42,860	37,200	29.5	30.7	1,262,450	1,140,800	3,490,200	3,409,500

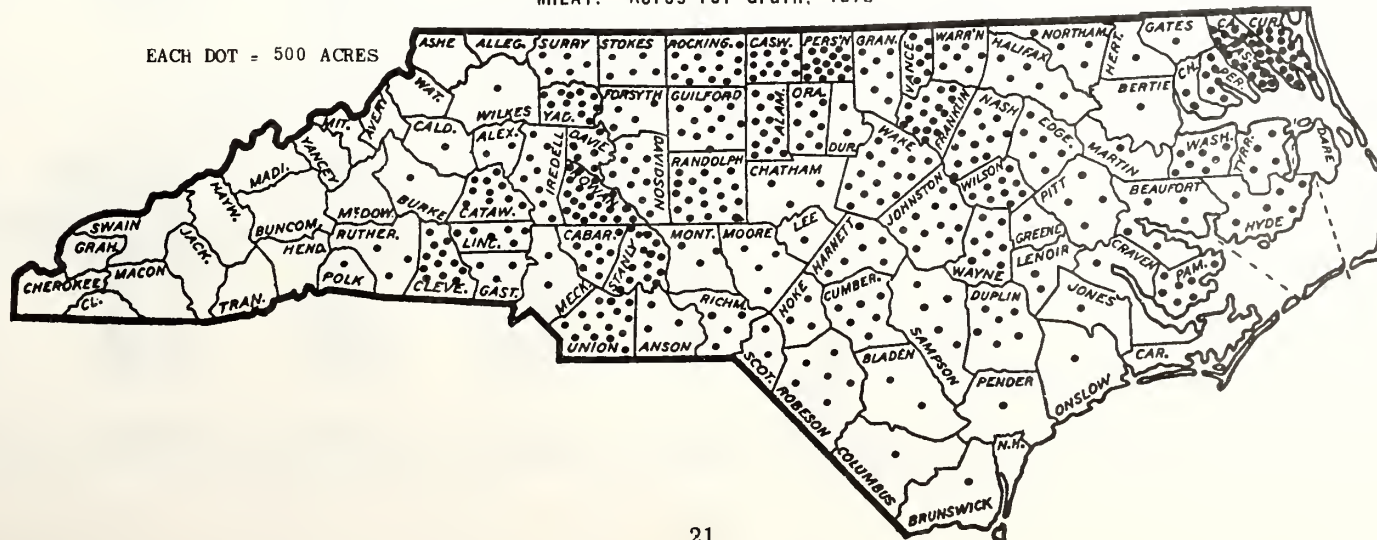
WHEAT FOR GRAIN //: Acres, Yield, Production and Value, By Counties, 1975-76

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushels</i>		<i>Bushels</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
Bertie.....	510	570	34	28	17,350	15,950	47,500	48,650
Camden.....	7,800	6,330	36	36	281,000	228,000	797,000	707,000
Chowan.....	670	930	35	36	23,450	33,500	60,700	104,000
Currituck.....	7,250	5,730	32	26	232,000	149,000	658,000	447,000
Dare.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe.....	3,760	3,130	28	24	105,500	75,100	294,000	221,500
Gates.....	780	480	35	26	27,300	12,500	74,700	38,750
Halifax.....	2,390	2,380	33	22	78,900	52,400	220,000	152,000
Hertford.....	770	480	34	23	26,200	11,050	71,700	32,050
Martin.....	250	440	29	25	7,250	11,000	20,550	34,100
Nash.....	7,130	5,900	31	26	221,000	153,500	605,000	460,500
Northampton.....	2,780	2,170	29	26	80,600	56,400	228,500	169,000
Pasquotank.....	7,880	6,450	36	38	283,500	245,000	804,000	735,000
Perquimans.....	4,160	3,220	36	36	150,000	116,000	403,000	360,000
Tyrrell.....	1,590	2,200	30	27	47,700	59,400	135,500	184,000
Washington.....	3,030	3,290	35	30	106,000	98,700	306,000	301,000
N. COASTAL.....	50,750	43,700	33.3	30.1	1,687,750	1,317,500	4,726,150	3,994,550
Beaufort.....	3,830	2,700	32	25	122,500	67,500	335,500	196,000
Carteret.....	230	115	33	30	7,590	3,450	20,400	10,500
Craven.....	1,250	535	34	34	42,500	18,200	120,500	56,400
Greene.....	1,080	700	39	40	42,100	28,000	117,500	85,400
Hyde.....	3,550	3,080	33	40	117,000	123,000	326,000	393,600
Johnston.....	7,260	5,030	26	28	189,000	141,000	527,000	423,000
Jones.....	850	370	40	30	34,000	11,100	98,900	34,400
Lenoir.....	1,300	920	26	26	33,800	23,900	90,900	70,500
Pamlico.....	3,050	3,600	40	32	122,000	115,000	352,000	351,000
Pitt.....	2,050	1,850	33	24	67,700	44,400	185,500	126,500
Wayne.....	5,530	3,950	31	23	171,500	90,900	478,000	282,000
Wilson.....	6,790	4,350	33	25	224,000	109,000	624,000	343,500
C. COASTAL.....	36,770	27,200	31.9	28.5	1,173,690	775,450	3,276,200	2,372,800
Bladen.....	1,090	800	27	20	29,450	16,000	79,200	51,200
Brunswick.....	310	250	29	20	9,000	5,000	25,550	15,500
Columbus.....	310	280	35	26	10,850	7,270	30,800	18,200
Cumberland.....	3,230	2,870	29	22	93,700	63,100	270,500	176,500
Duplin.....	3,170	2,800	31	24	98,300	67,200	264,000	201,500
Harnett.....	3,630	3,000	32	25	116,000	75,000	317,500	217,500
Hoke.....	800	1,300	31	26	24,800	33,800	66,700	94,600
New Hanover.....	70	150	31	28	2,170	4,200	6,050	11,800
Onslow.....	540	460	29	24	15,650	11,050	43,700	34,250
Pender.....	380	390	31	28	11,800	10,900	32,900	33,800
Robeson.....	3,670	2,800	30	21	110,000	58,800	312,000	153,000
Sampson.....	2,560	2,450	31	24	79,400	58,800	217,500	182,500
Scotland.....	1,020	1,150	35	28	35,700	32,200	97,700	99,800
S. COASTAL.....	20,780	18,700	30.6	23.7	636,820	443,320	1,764,100	1,290,150
STATE TOTAL.....	275,000	240,000	31.0	29.0	8,525,000	6,960,000	23,785,000	20,880,000

// Includes allowance for equivalent acres and bushels grown in mixtures.

* Counties with less than 50 acres not published.

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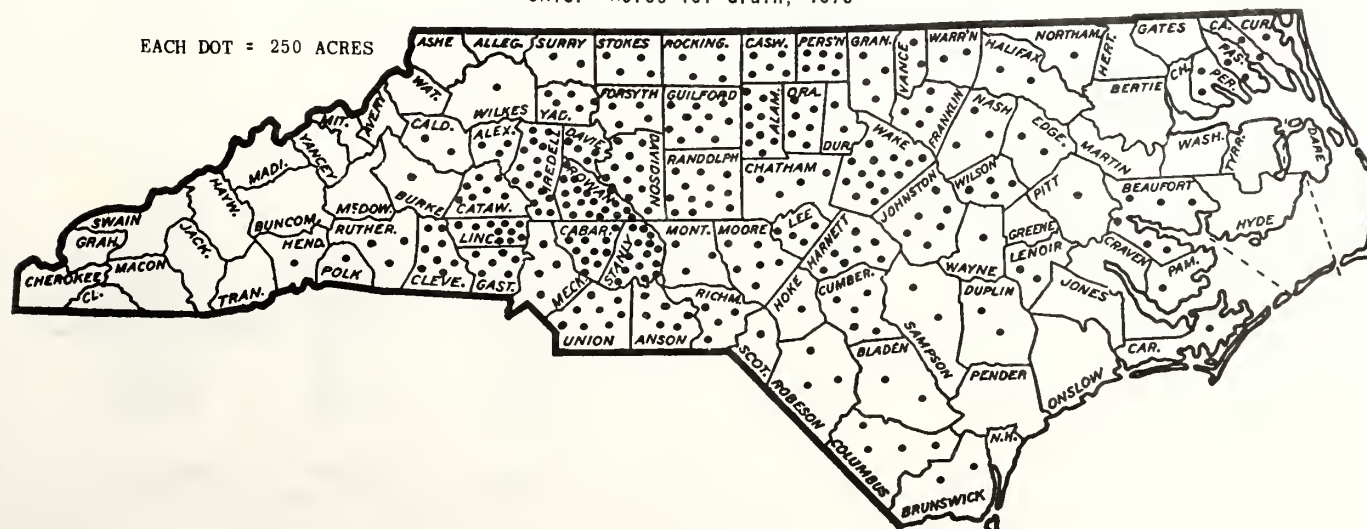
COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushe/s</i>		<i>Bushe/s</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
Alleghany.....	*	120	*	50	*	6,000	*	9,600
Ashe.....	*	60	*	45	*	2,700	*	3,920
Avery.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell.....	300	500	55	57	16,500	28,500	23,950	44,200
Surry.....	360	650	50	45	18,000	29,250	26,100	45,350
Watauga.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilkes.....	130	250	40	45	5,200	11,250	7,540	17,450
Yadkin.....	1,560	1,300	50	42	78,000	54,600	113,000	84,600
N. MOUNTAIN.....	2,450	2,930	50.1	45.9	122,850	134,500	178,150	208,540
Buncombe.....	50	50	40	40	2,000	2,000	2,800	3,100
Burke.....	180	250	45	40	8,100	10,000	11,350	15,500
Cherokee.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Clay.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Graham.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Haywood.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson.....	*	250	*	40	*	10,000	*	16,000
Jackson.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell.....	80	90	45	42	3,600	3,800	5,040	5,900
Macon.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mitchell.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Polk.....	100	300	50	43	5,000	12,900	7,000	20,000
Rutherford.....	830	720	50	43	41,500	30,950	62,300	48,000
Swain.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yancey.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
W. MOUNTAIN.....	1,310	1,770	48.5	42.0	63,550	74,300	93,180	115,680
Alamance.....	2,240	2,300	40	44	89,500	101,000	134,500	156,500
Caswell.....	1,090	1,200	50	43	54,500	51,600	76,300	80,000
Durham.....	540	500	55	55	29,700	27,500	43,100	42,600
Forsyth.....	1,130	950	55	50	62,200	47,550	90,200	73,700
Franklin.....	1,250	1,100	50	48	62,500	52,800	90,600	84,500
Granville.....	1,100	900	55	37	60,500	33,300	84,700	53,300
Guilford.....	3,340	2,500	55	52	183,500	130,000	257,000	201,500
Orange.....	1,650	1,600	55	50	90,800	80,000	136,000	124,000
Person.....	1,390	1,530	55	40	76,500	61,200	111,000	94,900
Rockingham.....	800	900	50	40	40,000	36,050	58,000	54,100
Stokes.....	750	900	50	37	37,500	33,300	56,300	49,950
Vance.....	470	450	45	40	21,150	18,000	30,650	27,900
Warren.....	680	600	55	37	37,400	22,200	54,200	35,500
N. PIEDMONT.....	16,430	15,430	51.5	45.0	845,750	694,500	1,222,550	1,078,450
Alexander.....	580	650	50	47	29,000	30,550	42,050	47,350
Catawba.....	2,010	1,700	50	54	100,500	91,800	146,000	137,500
Chatham.....	1,250	1,000	45	45	56,300	45,000	84,500	72,000
Davidson.....	2,580	2,550	45	35	116,000	89,300	168,000	143,000
Davie.....	940	900	55	42	51,700	37,800	75,000	58,600
Iredell.....	3,800	3,800	45	50	171,000	190,000	256,500	304,000
Lee.....	790	930	50	42	39,500	39,050	57,300	66,400
Randolph.....	3,100	3,000	45	44	139,500	132,000	195,500	204,500
Rowan.....	4,540	4,500	50	45	227,000	202,500	329,000	314,000
Wake.....	3,350	3,400	40	38	134,000	129,000	187,500	193,500
C. PIEDMONT.....	22,940	22,430	46.4	44.0	1,064,500	987,000	1,541,350	1,540,850
Anson.....	1,750	1,500	55	55	96,300	82,500	144,500	132,000
Cabarrus.....	2,480	2,400	45	50	111,500	120,000	161,500	186,000
Cleveland.....	2,000	2,100	50	47	100,000	98,700	150,000	153,000
Gaston.....	1,450	1,450	50	45	72,500	65,300	105,000	104,500
Lincoln.....	2,400	2,500	40	43	96,000	107,500	139,000	166,500
Mecklenburg.....	1,160	1,000	55	40	63,800	40,000	89,300	64,000
Montgomery.....	750	750	40	43	30,000	32,250	43,500	48,400
Moore.....	1,050	1,500	50	36	52,500	54,200	76,100	84,000
Richmond.....	1,160	1,100	45	35	52,200	38,550	75,700	61,700
Stanly.....	3,100	3,500	60	57	186,000	200,500	270,000	311,000
Union.....	1,800	2,100	50	55	90,000	115,500	126,000	179,000
S. PIEDMONT.....	19,100	19,900	49.8	48.0	950,800	955,000	1,380,600	1,490,100

OATS FOR GRAIN //: Acres, Yield, Production and Value, By Counties, 1975-76

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushels</i>		<i>Bushels</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
Bertie.....	50	60	60	68	3,000	4,080	4,200	6,100
Camden.....	500	500	60	68	30,000	34,000	42,000	52,700
Chowan.....	100	150	60	68	6,000	10,200	8,400	15,800
Currituck.....	300	300	65	68	19,500	20,400	27,300	29,600
Dare.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe.....	400	650	60	48	24,000	31,200	31,200	46,800
Gates.....	80	60	40	47	3,200	2,820	4,480	4,230
Halifax.....	450	450	55	52	24,750	23,400	35,900	36,250
Hertford.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin.....	50	*	55	*	2,750	*	3,850	*
Nash.....	700	800	45	44	31,500	35,200	40,950	54,600
Northampton.....	750	250	60	65	45,000	16,250	60,800	24,400
Pasquotank.....	750	400	65	65	48,800	26,000	68,300	40,300
Perquimans.....	510	600	70	68	35,700	40,800	50,000	63,200
Tyrrell.....	50	70	55	65	2,750	4,550	4,000	7,050
Washington.....	130	100	55	57	7,150	5,700	9,300	8,550
N. COASTAL.....	4,840	4,445	58.9	58.0	285,100	257,700	392,080	394,240
Beaufort.....	1,500	1,600	55	59	82,500	94,400	115,500	146,500
Carteret.....	150	175	55	50	8,250	8,750	11,150	13,550
Craven.....	120	100	55	43	6,600	4,300	9,240	6,450
Greene.....	130	150	60	64	7,800	9,600	10,900	13,900
Hyde.....	100	110	60	50	6,000	5,500	8,400	8,520
Johnston.....	1,530	1,400	60	42	91,800	58,800	128,500	91,100
Jones.....	50	*	60	*	3,000	*	4,200	*
Lenoir.....	450	400	65	46	29,250	18,400	39,500	28,250
Pamlico.....	250	250	70	64	17,500	16,000	24,500	28,800
Pitt.....	220	250	60	50	13,200	12,500	18,500	18,750
Wayne.....	600	350	55	50	33,000	17,500	44,600	27,150
Wilson.....	1,050	900	70	62	73,500	55,800	99,200	86,500
C. COASTAL.....	6,150	5,715	60.6	53.0	372,400	303,000	514,190	467,640
Bladen.....	700	500	45	40	31,500	20,000	44,100	31,000
Brunswick.....	210	400	50	48	10,500	19,200	14,200	29,750
Columbus.....	1,000	1,000	55	45	55,000	45,000	79,800	72,000
Cumberland.....	900	1,300	55	49	49,500	63,600	71,800	92,200
Duplin.....	500	500	60	55	30,000	27,500	39,000	41,250
Harnett.....	1,500	1,750	60	48	90,000	84,000	117,000	122,000
Hoke.....	200	200	50	49	10,000	9,800	14,000	15,200
New Hanover.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Onslow.....	100	*	55	*	5,500	*	7,700	*
Pender.....	100	100	45	40	4,500	4,000	6,300	6,200
Robeson.....	800	700	50	45	40,000	31,500	54,000	48,800
Sampson.....	500	600	65	55	32,500	33,000	42,250	49,500
Scotland.....	240	250	60	50	14,400	12,500	19,450	18,750
S. COASTAL.....	6,780	7,380	55.3	48.0	375,050	354,000	511,900	532,500
STATE TOTAL.....	80,000	80,000	51.0	47.0	4,080,000	3,760,000	5,834,000	5,828,000

// Includes allowance for equivalent acres and bushels grown in mixtures. * Counties with less than 50 acres not published.

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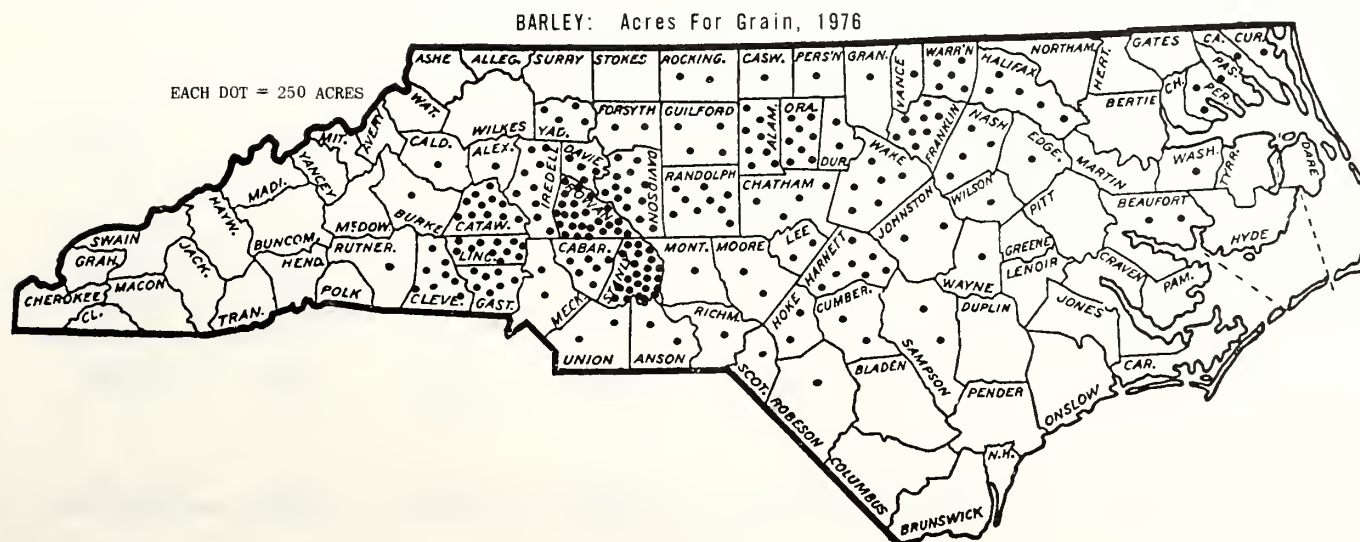
COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushe ls</i>		<i>Bushe ls</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
Alleghany.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell.....	420	390	43	37	18,050	14,450	34,300	28,200
Surry.....	150	140	53	47	7,950	6,580	15,100	13,150
Watauga.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilkes.....	180	85	43	49	7,760	4,170	13,950	8,130
Yadkin.....	920	935	48	42	44,100	39,300	79,400	76,600
N. MOUNTAIN.....	1,700	1,560	46.6	41.6	79,240	64,900	145,300	126,870
Buncombe.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke.....	250	270	38	38	9,500	10,250	17,100	20,000
Cherokee.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Clay.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Graham.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Haywood.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Jackson.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mitchell.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Polk.....	80	*	42	*	3,360	*	6,050	*
Rutherford.....	390	270	37	32	14,450	8,640	25,300	16,850
Swain.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yancey.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
W. MOUNTAIN.....	740	600	38.0	34.7	28,090	20,800	49,850	40,590
Alamance.....	1,650	1,950	53	33	87,500	64,400	162,000	129,000
Caswell.....	280	290	50	36	14,000	10,450	23,800	20,900
Durham.....	420	550	52	39	21,850	21,450	40,400	41,850
Forsyth.....	320	530	53	36	16,950	19,100	30,500	37,250
Franklin.....	1,650	2,030	44	32	72,600	65,000	130,500	126,500
Granville.....	350	320	44	27	15,400	8,640	27,700	16,850
Guilford.....	1,050	950	55	45	57,800	42,700	104,000	85,400
Orange.....	2,200	1,950	54	34	119,000	66,300	220,000	132,500
Person.....	150	180	47	21	7,050	3,780	12,700	6,990
Rockingham.....	270	550	48	35	12,950	19,250	23,300	38,500
Stokes.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Vance.....	460	390	43	36	19,800	14,050	35,650	27,400
Warren.....	730	1,180	44	32	32,100	37,750	59,400	73,600
N. PIEDMONT.....	9,570	10,900	50.1	34.3	479,000	374,070	873,550	739,080
Alexander.....	240	260	39	39	9,360	10,150	16,850	18,800
Catawba.....	2,680	2,750	45	43	120,500	118,000	211,000	236,000
Chatham.....	960	1,100	43	41	41,300	45,100	76,300	85,700
Davidson.....	2,860	3,250	52	42	148,500	136,500	267,500	273,000
Davie.....	1,220	920	45	37	54,900	34,050	101,500	66,400
Iredell.....	2,610	2,150	46	41	120,000	88,200	210,000	172,000
Lee.....	580	490	42	37	24,350	18,150	41,400	36,300
Randolph.....	1,400	1,950	43	39	60,200	76,000	102,500	152,000
Rowan.....	5,750	5,950	45	39	259,000	232,000	470,000	464,000
Wake.....	1,850	1,630	44	35	81,400	57,100	138,500	108,500
C. PIEDMONT.....	20,150	20,450	45.6	39.9	919,510	815,250	1,635,550	1,612,700
Anson.....	600	680	38	37	22,800	25,150	41,050	49,050
Cabarrus.....	1,850	1,530	41	40	75,900	61,200	133,000	122,500
Cleveland.....	2,100	2,100	44	46	92,400	96,600	161,500	188,500
Gaston.....	2,100	1,850	42	38	88,200	70,300	159,000	140,500
Lincoln.....	3,000	2,880	44	46	132,000	132,500	251,000	252,000
Mecklenburg.....	930	630	43	35	40,000	22,050	70,000	44,100
Montgomery.....	250	240	40	32	10,000	7,680	18,000	15,000
Moore.....	340	440	35	20	11,900	8,800	21,400	16,300
Richmond.....	300	350	34	32	10,200	11,200	18,350	21,850
Stanly.....	5,580	5,800	45	45	251,000	261,000	464,000	496,000
Union.....	1,000	650	44	50	44,000	32,500	76,800	63,400
S. PIEDMONT.....	18,050	17,150	43.1	42.5	778,400	728,980	1,414,100	1,409,200

BARLEY FOR GRAIN $\angle$: Acres, Yield, Production and Value, By Counties, 1975-76

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushels</i>		<i>Bushels</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
Bertie.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Camden.....	280	330	55	44	15,400	14,500	27,700	26,800
Chowan.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Currituck.....	170	200	56	37	9,520	7,400	17,150	14,050
Dare.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe.....	230	200	49	38	11,250	7,600	18,000	12,150
Gates.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Halifax.....	630	860	50	39	31,500	33,550	56,700	65,400
Hertford.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Nash.....	1,050	940	53	38	55,700	35,700	89,100	66,000
Northampton.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pasquotank.....	350	330	57	48	19,950	15,850	35,900	29,300
Perquimans.....	450	400	53	44	23,850	17,600	42,950	34,300
Tyrrell.....	60	*	47	*	2,820	*	5,080	*
Washington.....	370	240	48	38	17,750	9,120	30,200	15,950
N. COASTAL.....	3,670	3,600	52.3	40.4	191,940	145,330	330,330	271,670
Beaufort.....	600	480	44	34	26,400	16,300	44,900	31,800
Carteret.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Craven.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Greene.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hyde.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston.....	740	640	44	33	32,550	21,100	58,600	39,050
Jones.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Lenoir.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pamlico.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pitt.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne.....	90	270	45	34	4,050	9,180	7,300	17,900
Wilson.....	240	150	48	37	11,500	5,550	19,550	10,550
C. COASTAL.....	1,750	1,640	44.5	33.9	77,920	55,530	136,460	105,850
Bladen.....	90	*	36	*	3,240	*	5,830	*
Brunswick.....	60	*	37	*	2,220	*	4,000	*
Columbus.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cumberland.....	620	650	48	35	29,750	22,750	53,550	43,250
Duplin.....	130	90	43	32	5,590	2,880	10,050	5,620
Harnett.....	1,650	1,870	51	35	84,200	65,450	143,000	121,000
Hoke.....	440	400	40	29	17,600	11,600	31,700	22,600
New Hanover.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Onslow.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pender.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Robeson.....	430	350	43	26	18,500	9,100	33,300	18,200
Sampson.....	740	450	49	33	36,250	14,850	58,000	29,700
Scotland.....	170	160	41	29	6,970	4,640	12,550	9,050
S. COASTAL.....	4,370	4,100	47.1	33.0	205,900	135,140	354,860	257,040
STATE TOTAL.....	60,000	60,000	46.0	39.0	2,760,000	2,340,000	4,940,000	4,563,000

$\angle$ Includes allowance for equivalent acres and bushels grown in mixtures.

* Counties with less than 50 acres not published.



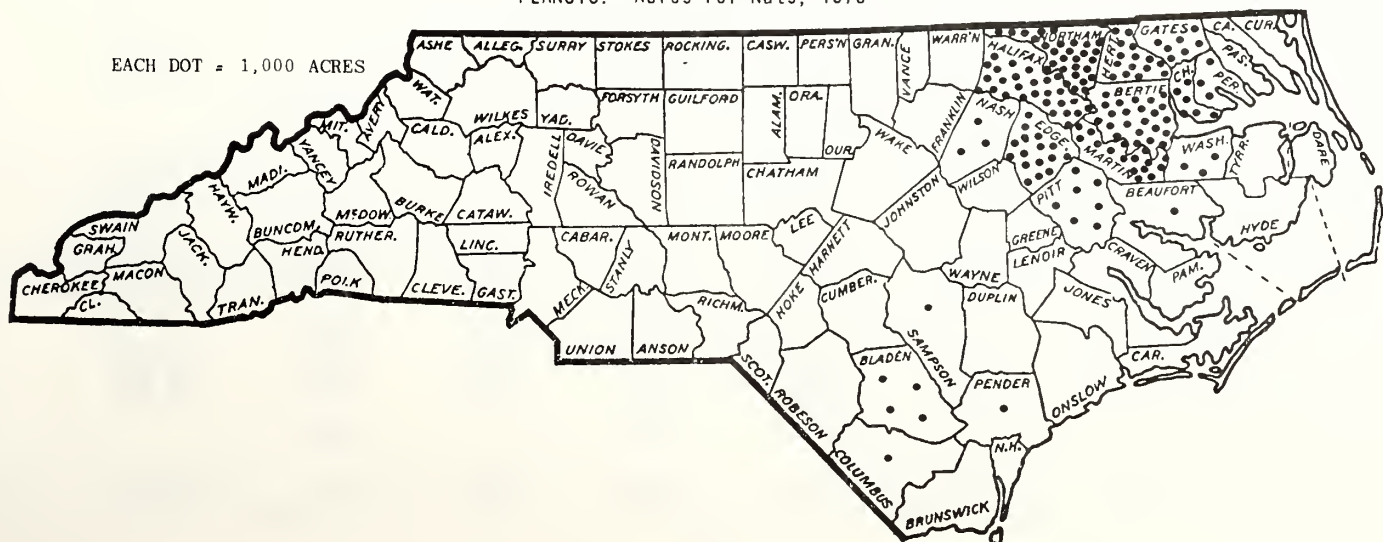
PEANUTS: Acres, Yield, Production and Value, By Counties, 1975-76 (Continued on opposite page)

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Pounds</i>		<i>Thousand Pounds</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
Alleghany.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ashe.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Avery.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Caldwell.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Surry.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Watauga.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wilkes.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yadkin.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
N. MOUNTAIN.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Buncombe.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burke.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cherokee.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clay.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Graham.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Haywood.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Henderson.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jackson.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
McDowell.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Macon.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Madison.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mitchell.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Polk.....	5	5	900	870	5	4	870	870
Rutherford.....	20	30	1,000	900	20	27	4,000	5,400
Swain.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transylvania.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yancey.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
W. MOUNTAIN.....	25	35	980	896	25	31	4,870	6,270
Alamance.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Caswell.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Durham.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Forsyth.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Franklin.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Granville.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guilford.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Orange.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Person.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rockingham.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stokes.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vance.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Warren.....	50	60	1,680	1,920	84	115	16,800	23,000
N. PIEDMONT.....	50	60	1,680	1,917	84	115	16,800	23,000
Alexander.....	10	10	1,000	1,000	10	10	2,000	2,000
Catawba.....	5	20	500	700	2	14	500	2,800
Chatham.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Davidson.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Davie.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Iredell.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lee.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Randolph.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rowan.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wake.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
C. PIEDMONT.....	15	30	833	800	12	24	2,500	4,800
Anson.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cabarrus.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cleveland.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gaston.....	10	10	1,680	1,505	17	15	3,370	3,000
Lincoln.....	45	40	2,000	2,400	90	96	18,900	19,200
Mecklenburg.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montgomery.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Moore.....	90	65	1,230	710	110	46	22,100	9,200
Richmond.....	260	230	1,205	620	314	143	62,700	28,500
Stanly.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Union.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
S. PIEDMONT.....	405	345	1,311	868	531	300	107,070	59,900

PEANUTS: Acres, Yield, Production and Value, By Counties, 1975-76

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Pounds</i>		<i>Thousand Pounds</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
Bertie.....	23,300	23,050	2,125	2,530	49,512	58,316	9,902,000	11,374,000
Camden.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chowan.....	6,200	6,190	2,510	2,895	15,562	17,920	3,190,000	4,141,000
Currituck.....	175	160	1,840	1,945	322	311	64,400	59,200
Dare.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Edgecombe.....	16,200	16,150	2,040	2,365	33,048	38,195	6,610,000	7,257,000
Gates.....	7,200	7,350	2,820	3,170	20,304	23,300	4,061,000	4,660,000
Halifax.....	26,750	26,750	2,120	2,580	56,710	69,021	11,342,000	13,116,000
Hertford.....	14,600	14,550	2,500	2,875	36,500	41,831	7,118,000	8,159,000
Martin.....	15,500	16,450	2,450	2,590	37,975	42,606	7,595,000	8,521,000
Nash.....	2,950	2,950	2,150	2,255	6,343	6,652	1,237,000	1,231,000
Northampton.....	29,500	29,300	2,430	3,005	71,685	88,047	14,337,000	17,176,000
Pasquotank.....	80	90	3,430	3,360	274	302	54,900	57,500
Perquimans.....	3,150	3,220	2,340	2,900	7,371	9,338	1,474,000	1,821,000
Tyrrell.....	95	70	1,940	1,770	185	124	36,900	23,600
Washington.....	3,000	3,100	2,090	2,415	6,270	7,487	1,317,000	1,423,000
N. COASTAL.....	148,700	149,380	2,300	2,701	342,061	403,450	68,339,200	79,019,300
Beaufort.....	590	570	1,530	1,735	903	989	180,500	166,000
Carteret.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Craven.....	45	25	1,860	2,860	84	72	16,750	13,600
Greene.....	270	265	1,930	2,405	521	637	104,000	127,500
Hyde.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Johnston.....	85	100	950	1,585	80	159	15,350	30,100
Jones.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lenoir.....	-	50	-	1,345	-	67	-	12,800
Pamlico.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pitt.....	6,500	6,930	1,820	1,940	11,830	13,444	2,366,000	2,622,000
Wayne.....	20	25	905	1,255	18	31	3,620	6,120
Wilson.....	130	150	1,550	1,360	202	204	40,300	42,900
C. COASTAL.....	7,640	8,115	1,785	1,923	13,638	15,603	2,726,520	3,021,020
Bladen.....	4,000	4,100	2,280	2,825	9,120	11,583	1,870,000	2,317,000
Brunswick.....	40	5	1,090	1,500	44	8	8,940	1,420
Columbus.....	1,300	1,360	2,660	3,355	3,458	4,563	709,000	913,000
Cumberland.....	420	360	1,750	2,260	735	814	147,000	146,500
Duplin.....	10	10	1,300	2,390	13	24	2,600	4,540
Harnett.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hoke.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Hanover.....	250	210	1,570	1,825	392	383	78,400	72,900
Onslow.....	175	110	1,280	1,110	224	122	45,900	23,200
Pender.....	1,000	920	1,730	1,905	1,730	1,753	354,500	368,000
Robeson.....	420	410	1,880	1,900	790	779	158,000	156,000
Sampson.....	500	510	1,520	2,200	760	1,122	152,000	235,500
Scotland.....	50	40	2,170	1,400	108	56	21,700	10,650
S. COASTAL.....	8,165	8,035	2,128	2,639	17,374	21,207	3,548,040	4,248,710
STATE TOTAL.....	165,000	166,000	2,265	2,655	373,725	440,730	74,745,000	86,383,000

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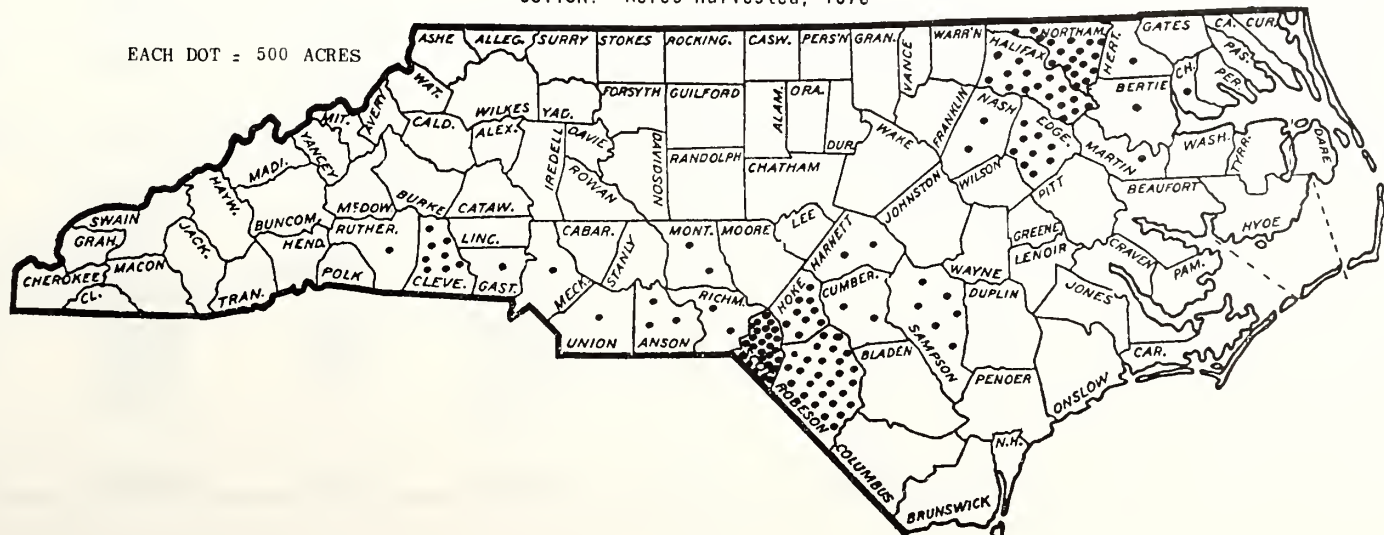
COTTON: Acres, Yield, Production and Value By Counties, 1975-76 (Continued on opposite page)

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Pounds Of Lint</i>		<i>480-Pound Bales</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
Alleghany.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ashe.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Avery.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Caldwell.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Surry.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Watauga.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wilkes.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yadkin.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
N. MOUNTAIN.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Buncombe.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burke.....	5	-	96	-	1	-	260	-
Cherokee.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clay.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Graham.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Haywood.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Henderson.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jackson.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
McDowell.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Macon.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Madison.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mitchell.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Polk.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rutherford.....	690	715	364	295	530	440	137,000	153,500
Swain.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transylvania.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yancey.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
W. MOUNTAIN.....	695	715	362	295	531	440	137,260	153,500
Alamance.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Caswell.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Durham.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Forsyth.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Franklin.....	5	-	300	-	3	-	820	-
Granville.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guilford.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Orange.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Person.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rockingham.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stokes.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vance.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Warren.....	5	18	306	255	3	10	835	3,480
N. PIEDMONT.....	10	18	303	255	6	10	1,655	3,480
Alexander.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Catawba.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chatham.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Davidson.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Davie.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Iredell.....	5	40	180	90	2	8	490	2,730
Lee.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Randolph.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rowan.....	40	35	255	250	21	18	5,560	6,550
Wake.....	3	2	330	255	2	1	535	360
C. PIEDMONT.....	48	77	252	167	25	27	6,585	9,640
Anson.....	555	1,350	400	330	470	925	121,500	328,500
Cabarrus.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cleveland.....	2,800	3,900	330	300	1,950	2,430	514,000	862,000
Gaston.....	260	610	290	290	155	365	41,900	132,500
Lincoln.....	-	70	-	65	-	9	-	3,300
Mecklenburg.....	-	275	-	315	-	180	-	67,400
Montgomery.....	730	840	240	137	370	240	95,400	87,200
Moore.....	20	65	235	115	10	16	2,570	5,430
Richmond.....	750	950	425	305	670	600	180,500	211,000
Stanly.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Union.....	-	400	-	300	-	250	-	91,000
S. PIEDMONT.....	5,115	8,460	336	286	3,625	5,015	955,870	1,788,330

COTTON: Acres, Yield, Production and Value, By Counties, 1975-76

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Pounds of Lint</i>		<i>480-Pound Bales</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
Bertie.....	150	315	465	446	145	290	37,200	103,500
Camden.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chowan.....	350	635	460	495	340	650	86,100	245,000
Currituck.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dare.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Edgecombe.....	3,180	4,390	375	525	2,520	4,780	688,000	1,675,000
Gates.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Halifax.....	6,950	7,890	349	480	5,100	7,850	1,348,000	2,831,000
Hertford.....	535	425	320	475	360	420	91,500	153,000
Martin.....	310	385	315	475	205	380	53,200	138,500
Nash.....	970	820	305	330	620	560	161,500	196,500
Northampton.....	7,100	8,750	400	540	5,950	9,800	1,579,000	3,532,000
Pasquotank.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Perquimans.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tyrrell.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Washington.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
N. COASTAL.....	19,545	23,610	371	505	15,240	24,730	4,044,500	8,874,500
Beaufort.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carteret.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Craven.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Greene.....	-	25	-	365	-	19	-	6,850
Hyde.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Johnston.....	40	85	320	330	27	60	6,980	20,700
Jones.....	-	3	-	487	-	3	-	1,050
Lenoir.....	-	30	-	175	-	11	-	3,730
Pamlico.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pitt.....	35	25	290	556	21	29	5,540	10,550
Wayne.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wilson.....	60	30	295	225	37	14	9,670	4,920
C. COASTAL.....	135	198	301	326	85	136	22,190	47,800
Bladen.....	50	-	260	-	27	-	7,090	-
Brunswick.....	2	2	325	485	1	2	350	750
Columbus.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cumberland.....	900	1,130	455	515	865	1,210	232,000	392,500
Duplin.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harnett.....	650	880	455	445	625	810	161,500	284,500
Hoke.....	3,300	4,700	480	515	3,330	5,020	864,000	1,760,000
New Hanover.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Onslow.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pender.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Robeson.....	9,700	13,300	420	505	8,600	13,950	2,221,000	5,022,000
Sampson.....	2,150	3,010	495	560	2,240	3,500	580,000	1,225,000
Scotland.....	10,700	14,900	480	555	10,800	17,150	2,800,000	6,012,000
S. COASTAL.....	27,452	37,922	458	529	26,488	41,642	6,865,940	14,696,750
STATE TOTAL.....	53,000	71,000	412	489	46,000	72,000	12,034,000	25,574,000

COTTON: Acres Harvested, 1976



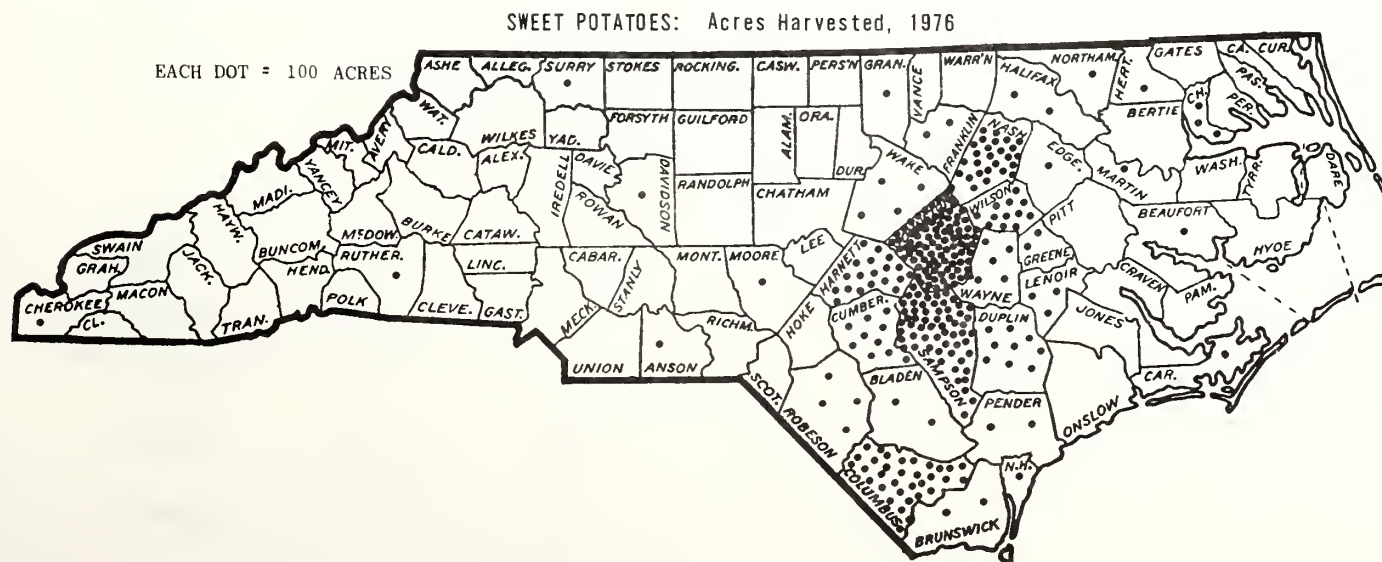
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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Hundredweight</i>		<i>Hundredweight</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
Alleghany.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell.....	40	30	95	95	3,800	2,850	27,550	15,400
Surry.....	40	80	95	105	3,800	8,400	27,550	45,350
Watauga.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilkes.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yadkin.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
N. MOUNTAIN.....	100	135	94	100	9,350	13,500	67,800	72,900
Buncombe.....	30	25	65	70	1,950	1,750	14,150	9,450
Burke.....	20	*	95	*	1,900	*	13,750	*
Cherokee.....	*	55	*	110	*	6,050	*	32,650
Clay.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Graham.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Haywood.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson.....	20	*	75	*	1,500	*	10,900	*
Jackson.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell.....	*	25	*	105	*	2,620	*	14,150
Macon.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mitchell.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Polk.....	30	20	85	95	2,550	1,900	18,500	10,250
Rutherford.....	100	100	70	75	7,000	7,500	50,750	40,500
Swain.....	40	20	65	60	2,600	1,200	18,850	6,480
Transylvania.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yancey.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
W. MOUNTAIN.....	280	265	74	85	20,700	22,600	150,150	122,000
Alamance.....	40	35	80	90	3,200	3,150	23,200	17,000
Caswell.....	20	*	75	*	1,500	*	10,900	*
Durham.....	50	20	90	110	4,500	2,200	32,650	11,900
Forsyth.....	40	30	95	80	3,800	2,400	27,550	12,950
Franklin.....	300	200	90	90	27,000	18,000	195,500	97,200
Granville.....	100	50	115	100	11,500	5,000	83,400	27,000
Guilford.....	75	40	80	75	6,000	3,000	43,500	16,200
Orange.....	20	*	95	*	1,900	*	13,750	*
Person.....	50	30	90	105	4,500	3,150	32,600	17,000
Rockingham.....	30	*	75	*	2,250	*	16,300	*
Stokes.....	20	35	75	75	1,500	2,620	10,900	14,150
Vance.....	20	40	95	120	1,900	4,800	13,800	25,900
Warren.....	50	40	105	90	5,250	3,600	38,050	19,450
N. PIEDMONT.....	815	550	92	92	74,800	50,520	542,100	272,800
Alexander.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Catawba.....	50	30	105	115	5,250	3,450	38,050	18,650
Chatham.....	*	25	*	90	*	2,250	*	12,150
Davidson.....	90	80	90	80	8,100	6,400	58,700	34,550
Davie.....	50	30	90	95	4,500	2,850	32,600	15,400
Iredell.....	25	*	90	*	2,250	*	16,300	*
Lee.....	20	25	105	110	2,100	2,750	15,250	14,850
Randolph.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Rowan.....	25	25	110	115	2,750	2,870	19,950	15,500
Wake.....	590	415	120	120	70,800	49,800	513,000	269,000
C. PIEDMONT.....	870	650	112	110	97,550	71,770	706,900	387,650
Anson.....	30	75	95	120	2,850	9,000	20,650	48,600
Cabarrus.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cleveland.....	20	*	95	*	1,900	*	13,800	*
Gaston.....	25	25	90	85	2,250	2,120	16,300	11,450
Lincoln.....	50	20	105	110	5,250	2,200	38,050	11,900
Mecklenburg.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montgomery.....	40	20	95	100	3,800	2,000	27,550	10,800
Moore.....	145	100	110	105	15,950	10,500	115,500	56,700
Richmond.....	55	25	120	110	6,600	2,750	47,850	14,850
Stanly.....	20	*	105	*	2,100	*	15,250	*
Union.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
S. PIEDMONT.....	425	315	105	105	44,600	33,170	323,250	179,150

SWEET POTATOES: Acres, Yield, Production and Value, By Counties, 1975-76

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Hundredweight</i>		<i>Hundredweight</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
Bertie.....	100	30	110	100	11,000	3,000	79,700	16,200
Camden.....	20	*	145	*	2,900	*	21,000	*
Chowan.....	300	315	165	110	49,500	34,650	359,000	187,000
Currituck.....	20	20	160	150	3,200	3,000	23,200	16,200
Dare.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe.....	120	80	135	130	16,200	10,400	117,500	56,200
Gates.....	20	*	95	*	1,900	*	13,750	*
Halifax.....	65	200	100	90	6,500	18,000	47,150	97,200
Hertford.....	55	65	120	130	6,600	8,450	47,850	45,650
Martin.....	125	75	135	140	16,850	10,500	122,000	56,700
Nash.....	2,280	2,600	150	145	342,000	377,000	2,480,000	2,036,000
Northampton.....	150	100	160	160	24,000	16,000	174,000	86,400
Pasquotank.....	60	20	155	145	9,300	2,900	67,400	15,650
Perquimans.....	40	20	145	120	5,800	2,400	42,050	12,950
Tyrrell.....	80	30	105	90	8,400	2,700	60,900	14,600
Washington.....	30	20	125	120	3,750	2,400	27,200	12,950
N. COASTAL.....	3,470	3,600	146	137	508,350	494,100	3,685,950	2,668,300
Beaufort.....	100	75	140	125	14,000	9,400	101,500	50,800
Carteret.....	60	50	120	100	7,200	5,000	52,200	27,000
Craven.....	50	30	120	125	6,000	3,750	43,500	20,250
Greene.....	390	150	125	130	48,750	19,500	353,500	105,500
Hyde.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston.....	10,300	11,500	140	135	1,442,000	1,548,000	10,454,000	8,359,000
Jones.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Lenoir.....	390	260	130	115	50,700	30,000	367,500	162,000
Pamlico.....	20	*	130	*	2,600	*	18,850	*
Pitt.....	40	40	120	120	4,800	4,810	34,800	26,000
Wayne.....	490	450	130	120	63,700	54,000	462,000	291,500
Wilson.....	1,090	1,200	135	120	148,500	143,500	1,076,000	775,000
C. COASTAL.....	12,940	13,785	138	132	1,789,500	1,821,340	12,972,900	9,835,300
Bladen.....	160	190	135	135	21,600	25,650	156,500	138,500
Brunswick.....	175	150	105	110	18,350	16,500	133,000	89,100
Columbus.....	3,000	3,300	130	125	390,000	412,500	2,828,000	2,227,000
Cumberland.....	1,090	1,000	165	145	180,000	145,000	1,305,000	783,000
Duplin.....	530	900	140	130	74,200	117,000	538,000	632,000
Harnett.....	1,720	1,900	130	130	223,500	247,000	1,620,000	1,334,000
Hoke.....	75	30	135	130	10,150	3,900	73,600	21,100
New Hanover.....	30	110	135	135	4,050	14,850	29,350	80,000
Onslow.....	100	20	170	150	17,000	3,000	123,500	16,200
Pender.....	275	220	115	125	31,500	27,500	228,500	148,500
Robeson.....	275	380	145	145	39,800	55,100	288,500	297,500
Sampson.....	4,670	5,500	135	130	630,000	715,000	4,568,000	3,861,000
Scotland.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
S. COASTAL.....	12,100	13,700	136	130	1,640,150	1,783,000	11,891,950	9,627,900
STATE TOTAL.....	31,000	33,000	135	130	4,185,000	4,290,000	30,341,000	23,166,000

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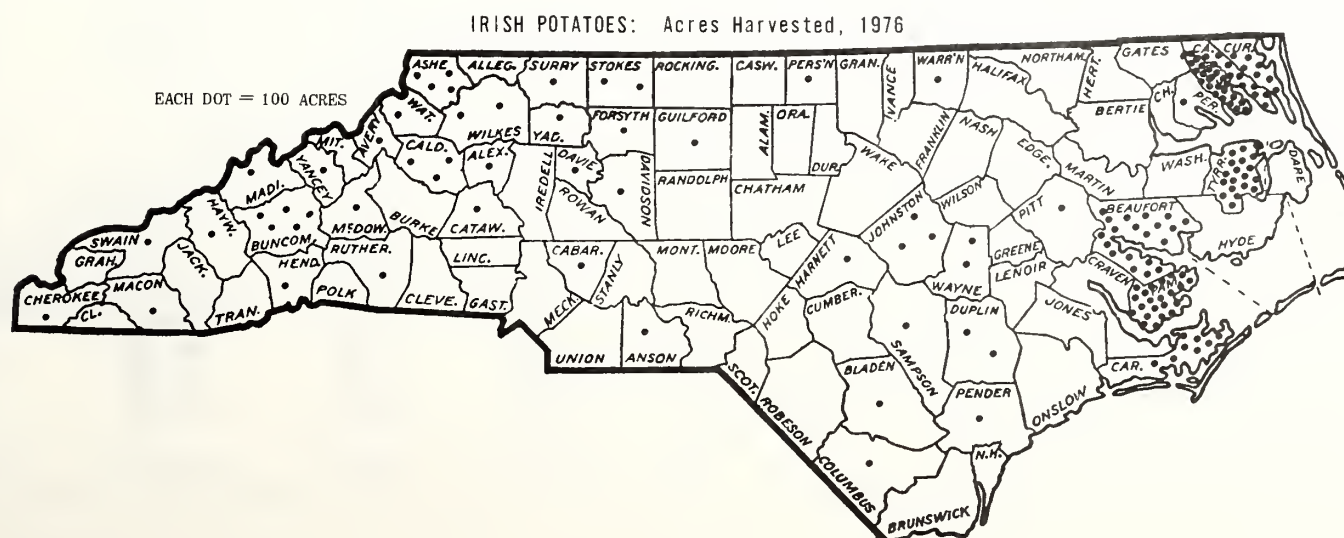
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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Hundredweight</i>		<i>Hundredweight</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
Alleghany.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe.....	475	400	120	140	57,000	56,000	365,000	304,000
Avery.....	75	50	120	150	9,000	7,480	57,600	40,700
Caldwell.....	275	300	120	140	33,000	42,000	211,000	228,000
Surry.....	150	145	120	150	18,000	21,750	115,000	118,000
Watauga.....	150	105	120	135	18,000	14,200	115,000	77,000
Wilkes.....	*	165	*	130	*	21,450	*	116,500
Yadkin.....	30	50	105	135	3,150	6,750	20,150	36,600
N. MOUNTAIN.....	1,175	1,220	119	140	140,380	170,350	898,010	924,700
Buncombe.....	450	460	125	135	56,250	62,100	360,500	337,500
Burke.....	40	30	130	145	5,200	4,350	33,300	23,600
Cherokee.....	45	120	110	105	4,950	12,600	31,700	68,400
Clay.....	25	25	110	130	2,750	3,250	17,600	17,600
Graham.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Haywood.....	50	50	120	150	6,000	7,500	38,400	40,700
Henderson.....	125	100	125	160	15,600	16,000	99,800	86,900
Jackson.....	35	45	120	145	4,200	6,530	26,900	35,400
McDowell.....	30	65	120	150	3,600	9,750	23,050	52,900
Macon.....	75	50	115	115	8,650	5,750	55,400	31,200
Madison.....	125	100	110	155	13,750	15,500	88,000	84,200
Mitchell.....	75	45	110	155	8,250	6,970	52,800	37,900
Polk.....	30	30	110	115	3,300	3,450	21,100	18,700
Rutherford.....	50	95	120	105	6,000	9,980	38,400	54,200
Swain.....	125	130	110	105	13,750	13,650	88,000	74,100
Transylvania.....	50	20	135	150	6,750	3,000	43,200	16,300
Yancey.....	75	120	125	105	9,350	12,600	59,800	68,400
W. MOUNTAIN.....	1,420	1,490	120	130	170,070	193,600	1,088,950	1,051,400
Alamance.....	50	35	80	80	4,000	2,800	25,600	15,200
Caswell.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Durham.....	20	*	90	*	1,800	*	11,500	*
Forsyth.....	100	75	110	135	11,000	10,100	70,400	55,000
Franklin.....	20	*	80	*	1,600	*	10,250	*
Granville.....	40	20	90	70	3,600	1,400	23,050	7,600
Guilford.....	75	100	90	95	6,750	9,500	43,200	51,600
Orange.....	20	*	90	*	1,800	*	11,500	*
Person.....	75	50	90	95	6,750	4,750	43,200	25,800
Rockingham.....	75	25	120	95	9,000	2,380	57,600	12,900
Stokes.....	55	210	115	90	6,350	18,900	40,650	102,500
Vance.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Warren.....	50	50	100	135	5,000	6,770	32,000	36,600
N. PIEDMONT.....	610	605	100	100	61,100	60,700	391,000	329,500
Alexander.....	75	75	110	110	8,250	8,250	52,800	44,800
Catawba.....	100	50	120	110	12,000	5,500	76,800	29,900
Chatham.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson.....	100	115	110	80	11,000	9,200	70,400	50,000
Davie.....	75	50	100	90	7,500	4,500	48,000	24,400
Iredell.....	30	*	100	*	3,000	*	19,200	*
Lee.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph.....	40	40	115	120	4,600	4,800	29,450	26,100
Rowan.....	20	20	120	90	2,400	1,800	15,350	9,800
Wake.....	*	35	*	130	*	4,550	*	24,700
C. PIEDMONT.....	480	415	110	100	52,900	41,700	338,560	226,500
Anson.....	20	60	110	130	2,200	7,800	14,100	42,400
Cabarrus.....	75	50	120	140	9,000	7,000	57,600	38,000
Cleveland.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gaston.....	65	30	115	120	7,500	3,600	48,000	19,500
Lincoln.....	40	40	120	145	4,800	5,800	30,700	31,500
Mecklenburg.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montgomery.....	20	20	90	80	1,800	1,600	11,500	8,700
Moore.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Richmond.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Stanly.....	25	*	95	*	2,350	*	15,050	*
Union.....	20	30	120	120	2,400	3,600	15,350	19,600
S. PIEDMONT.....	315	270	113	125	35,550	33,650	227,480	182,900

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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Hundredweight</i>		<i>Hundredweight</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
Bertie.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Camden.....	1,100	1,100	165	140	181,500	154,000	1,234,000	825,000
Chowan.....	25	*	120	*	3,050	*	20,750	*
Currituck.....	450	650	160	155	74,350	101,000	505,500	540,000
Dare.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gates.....	*	30	*	120	*	3,600	*	19,300
Halifax.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hertford.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Nash.....	25	*	145	*	3,650	*	24,800	*
Northampton.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pasquotank.....	3,200	3,170	165	150	528,000	476,500	3,590,000	2,549,000
Perquimans.....	90	80	125	125	11,350	10,000	77,200	53,600
Tyrrell.....	1,450	1,750	170	155	246,000	271,500	1,673,000	1,575,000
Washington.....	125	20	145	140	18,200	2,800	123,500	15,000
N. COASTAL.....	6,505	6,850	165	150	1,070,090	1,025,000	7,275,900	5,604,400
Beaufort.....	1,600	2,000	145	140	233,000	280,500	1,585,000	900,000
Carteret.....	725	750	175	135	126,500	101,500	860,000	543,000
Craven.....	25	*	135	*	3,400	*	23,150	*
Greene.....	25	*	145	*	3,650	*	24,800	*
Hyde.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston.....	275	250	85	105	24,000	26,300	163,000	121,000
Jones.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Lenoir.....	25	25	175	135	4,350	3,370	29,600	17,400
Pamlico.....	2,100	2,200	170	155	357,000	342,000	2,428,000	2,372,000
Pitt.....	25	90	120	110	3,050	9,900	20,750	48,200
Wayne.....	200	150	175	140	35,000	21,000	238,000	112,500
Wilson.....	50	20	105	95	5,350	1,900	36,400	10,200
C. COASTAL.....	5,050	5,500	155	143	795,300	788,200	5,408,700	4,133,300
Bladen.....	85	50	120	110	10,350	5,500	70,400	29,500
Brunswick.....	*	40	*	100	*	4,000	*	17,200
Columbus.....	100	50	120	120	12,150	6,000	82,600	32,200
Cumberland.....	25	25	120	100	3,050	2,500	20,750	12,900
Duplin.....	50	170	145	125	7,300	21,250	49,650	100,000
Harnett.....	20	140	110	100	2,150	14,000	14,650	75,000
Hoke.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
New Hanover.....	*	*	*	*	**	*	*	*
Onslow.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pender.....	*	55	*	100	*	5,500	*	29,500
Robeson.....	30	*	120	*	3,650	*	24,800	*
Sampson.....	100	85	115	110	11,650	9,350	79,200	50,100
Scotland.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
S. COASTAL.....	445	650	120	110	54,610	71,800	371,400	366,300
STATE TOTAL.....	16,000	17,000	149	140	2,380,000	2,385,000	16,000,000	12,819,000

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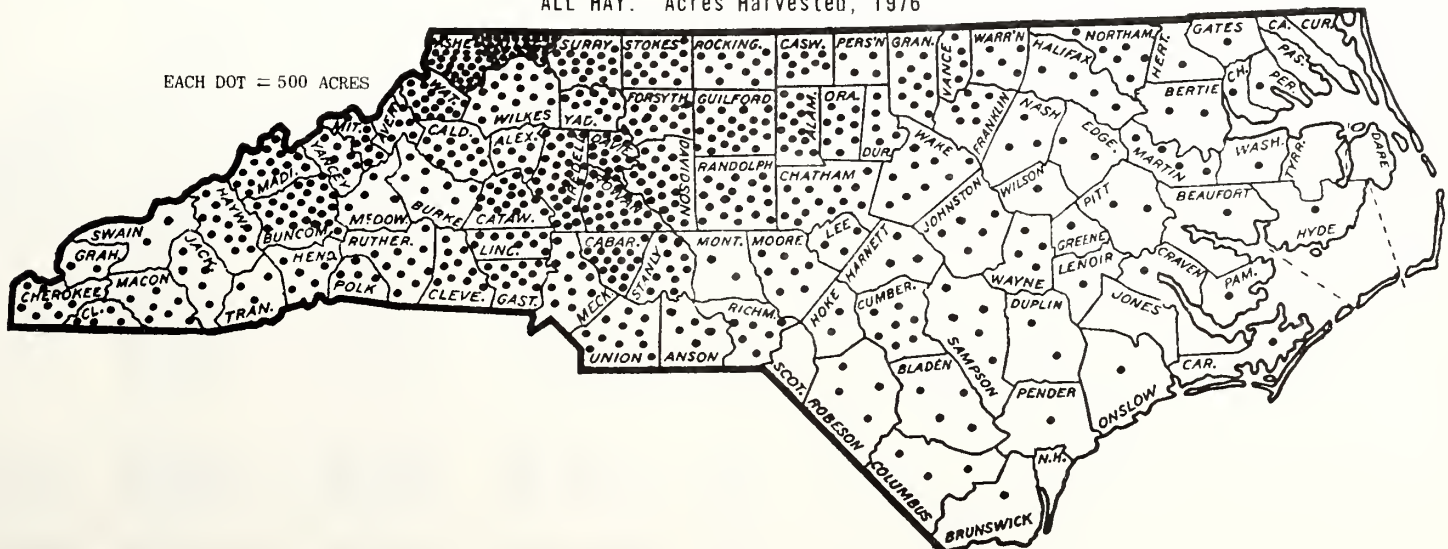
COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Tons</i>		<i>Tons</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
Alleghany.....	10,000	11,000	1.60	1.50	16,000	16,500	864,000	1,051,000
Ashe.....	13,500	16,000	1.40	1.50	18,900	24,000	1,020,000	1,531,000
Avery.....	2,400	2,500	1.60	1.40	3,840	3,500	211,000	217,000
Caldwell.....	4,500	6,500	1.50	2.10	6,750	13,650	364,500	819,000
Surry.....	8,600	8,000	1.60	1.20	13,750	9,600	715,000	614,000
Watauga.....	5,500	6,500	1.30	1.30	7,150	8,450	379,000	532,000
Wilkes.....	9,000	8,000	1.70	2.00	15,300	16,000	826,000	986,000
Yadkin.....	5,500	5,000	1.60	1.10	8,800	5,500	475,000	341,000
N. MOUNTAIN.....	59,000	63,500	1.53	1.53	90,490	97,200	4,854,500	6,091,000
Buncombe.....	9,000	12,200	1.70	1.50	15,300	18,300	825,000	1,293,000
Burke.....	2,700	3,500	1.80	1.50	4,860	5,250	262,500	321,000
Cherokee.....	3,000	3,700	1.80	2.30	5,400	8,510	292,000	508,000
Clay.....	2,000	2,000	1.40	1.80	2,800	3,600	151,000	216,000
Graham.....	700	800	1.70	1.70	1,190	1,360	64,300	86,000
Haywood.....	5,600	5,600	1.50	2.00	8,400	11,200	453,000	666,000
Henderson.....	2,600	2,600	1.60	1.90	4,160	4,940	237,000	321,000
Jackson.....	1,800	2,300	1.70	1.10	3,060	2,530	169,000	177,000
McDowell.....	1,800	2,200	1.70	1.50	3,060	3,300	165,000	205,000
Macon.....	3,400	3,400	1.90	1.70	6,460	5,780	368,000	352,000
Madison.....	6,200	7,200	1.60	1.30	9,920	9,360	516,000	587,000
Mitchell.....	3,000	3,400	1.60	1.80	4,800	6,120	264,000	376,000
Polk.....	2,000	2,100	1.10	1.00	2,200	2,100	114,500	134,000
Rutherford.....	4,900	5,000	1.30	1.20	6,370	6,000	350,500	363,000
Swain.....	1,100	1,100	1.40	1.20	1,540	1,320	86,200	99,000
Transylvania.....	1,200	1,500	1.30	1.90	1,560	2,850	79,600	185,000
Yancey.....	3,000	3,000	1.10	1.10	3,300	3,300	178,000	191,000
W. MOUNTAIN.....	54,000	61,600	1.56	1.56	84,380	95,820	4,575,600	6,080,000
Alamance.....	7,700	6,700	1.50	1.10	11,550	7,370	624,000	473,000
Caswell.....	4,000	4,000	1.10	1.10	4,400	4,400	229,000	333,000
Durham.....	2,000	2,500	1.40	.70	2,800	1,750	154,000	112,000
Forsyth.....	5,800	5,900	1.70	1.30	9,860	7,670	552,000	477,000
Franklin.....	2,500	2,900	1.80	1.10	4,500	3,190	247,500	185,000
Granville.....	5,000	5,000	1.70	.80	8,500	4,000	450,500	304,000
Guilford.....	11,700	10,600	1.70	1.00	19,900	10,600	1,094,000	672,000
Orange.....	4,600	4,700	1.80	.90	8,280	4,230	439,000	294,000
Person.....	2,200	2,200	1.20	1.20	2,640	2,640	142,500	179,500
Rockingham.....	5,400	5,600	1.60	1.50	8,650	8,400	467,000	531,000
Stokes.....	7,200	7,700	1.70	.80	12,250	6,160	662,000	388,000
Vance.....	1,900	2,000	1.30	1.10	2,470	2,200	133,500	141,000
Warren.....	2,500	2,700	1.20	1.20	3,000	3,240	162,000	207,500
N. PIEDMONT.....	62,500	62,500	1.58	1.05	98,800	65,850	5,357,000	4,297,000
Alexander.....	2,900	3,100	1.30	1.10	3,770	3,410	200,000	204,500
Catawba.....	7,600	7,900	1.40	.90	10,650	7,110	564,000	426,000
Chatham.....	6,700	6,300	1.60	1.80	10,700	11,350	567,000	720,000
Davidson.....	9,000	9,500	1.30	1.00	11,700	9,500	620,000	595,000
Davie.....	6,300	6,300	1.20	1.50	7,560	9,450	423,500	583,000
Iredell.....	14,500	14,100	1.80	1.40	26,100	19,750	1,409,000	1,197,000
Lee.....	1,500	1,500	2.00	1.60	3,000	2,400	159,000	153,500
Randolph.....	9,500	9,200	1.70	1.20	16,150	11,050	872,000	679,000
Rowan.....	9,500	10,500	1.70	1.10	16,150	11,550	872,000	744,000
Wake.....	3,500	4,500	1.70	1.40	5,950	6,300	327,000	403,000
C. PIEDMONT.....	71,000	72,900	1.57	1.26	111,730	91,870	6,013,500	5,705,000
Anson.....	3,100	2,700	2.20	3.20	6,820	8,640	375,000	581,000
Cabarrus.....	7,700	7,500	1.40	1.40	10,800	10,500	583,000	666,000
Cleveland.....	4,500	4,800	1.30	1.40	5,850	6,720	316,000	420,000
Gaston.....	5,000	5,000	1.90	1.10	9,500	5,500	513,000	327,000
Lincoln.....	4,200	4,500	1.90	1.60	7,980	7,200	415,000	422,000
Mecklenburg.....	5,200	5,500	1.70	2.00	8,840	11,000	486,000	763,000
Montgomery.....	1,000	900	1.40	1.70	1,400	1,530	75,600	98,500
Moore.....	3,500	3,700	1.90	1.40	6,650	5,180	366,000	333,500
Richmond.....	2,500	2,900	1.90	1.00	4,750	2,900	266,000	179,000
Stanly.....	5,700	5,100	1.80	1.60	10,250	8,160	554,000	511,000
Union.....	6,600	5,400	1.90	2.00	12,550	10,800	652,000	728,000
S. PIEDMONT.....	49,000	48,000	1.74	1.63	85,390	78,130	4,601,600	5,029,000

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COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Tons</i>		<i>Tons</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
Bertie.....	600	900	1.20	1.00	720	900	38,800	57,800
Camden.....	100	100	1.20	1.30	120	130	6,450	8,300
Chowan.....	500	400	1.40	2.00	700	800	37,100	44,000
Currituck.....	250	200	1.60	2.30	400	460	21,600	30,400
Dare.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe.....	1,200	1,100	1.10	1.10	1,320	1,210	69,900	77,600
Gates.....	400	400	1.00	.50	400	200	21,600	12,800
Halifax.....	2,200	2,000	1.20	.90	2,640	1,800	132,000	99,000
Hertford.....	500	300	1.20	1.50	600	450	30,000	26,100
Martin.....	2,000	1,900	1.20	1.40	2,400	2,660	127,000	157,000
Nash.....	1,500	1,300	2.30	2.00	3,450	2,600	190,000	203,000
Northampton.....	1,700	3,000	1.60	1.10	2,720	3,300	144,000	198,000
Pasquotank.....	160	100	1.70	2.00	270	200	13,500	12,800
Perquimans.....	400	360	1.30	1.20	520	435	28,100	28,000
Tyrrell.....	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Washington.....	450	400	1.20	1.50	540	600	28,100	33,000
N. COASTAL.....	12,000	12,500	1.41	1.26	16,860	15,800	891,300	991,000
Beaufort.....	600	600	1.40	1.20	840	720	46,200	46,800
Carteret.....	400	500	1.50	2.50	600	1,250	31,800	80,000
Craven.....	600	700	1.70	3.00	1,020	2,100	54,100	151,000
Greene.....	400	350	2.40	4.00	960	1,400	52,800	95,600
Hyde.....	400	500	1.50	1.80	600	900	31,200	55,800
Johnston.....	2,100	2,700	1.70	2.00	3,570	5,400	193,000	360,000
Jones.....	150	100	1.80	.90	270	90	14,300	5,500
Lenoir.....	600	700	1.60	2.00	960	1,400	51,800	88,200
Pamlico.....	100	400	2.50	3.00	250	1,200	13,250	99,200
Pitt.....	1,000	1,000	1.60	1.50	1,600	1,500	81,600	92,400
Wayne.....	1,500	2,200	1.70	1.90	2,550	4,190	138,000	307,000
Wilson.....	150	250	1.80	1.00	270	250	14,850	15,500
C. COASTAL.....	8,000	10,000	1.69	2.04	13,490	20,400	722,900	1,397,000
Bladen.....	1,900	1,800	2.50	1.70	4,750	3,060	262,000	196,000
Brunswick.....	600	600	2.00	2.00	1,200	1,200	66,000	76,800
Columbus.....	1,400	1,300	2.60	3.00	3,640	3,900	200,000	331,000
Cumberland.....	3,400	3,300	2.40	2.00	8,160	6,600	440,500	388,000
Duplin.....	800	800	2.40	2.50	1,920	2,000	106,000	133,000
Harnett.....	1,700	1,600	2.30	2.40	3,910	3,840	207,000	260,000
Hoke.....	1,000	1,000	2.20	2.20	2,200	2,200	121,000	141,000
New Hanover.....	200	200	2.50	2.00	500	400	27,500	32,000
Onslow.....	450	450	2.40	2.60	1,080	1,170	58,300	77,500
Pender.....	250	250	2.30	1.40	570	350	30,800	23,700
Robeson.....	2,200	2,200	2.30	1.80	5,060	3,960	284,000	249,000
Sampson.....	2,500	2,500	2.60	2.90	6,500	7,250	358,000	489,000
Scotland.....	3,100	3,000	2.70	3.00	8,370	9,000	468,500	653,000
S. COASTAL.....	19,500	19,000	2.45	2.36	47,860	44,930	2,629,600	3,050,000
STATE TOTAL.....	335,000	350,000	1.64	1.46	549,000	510,000	29,646,000	32,640,000

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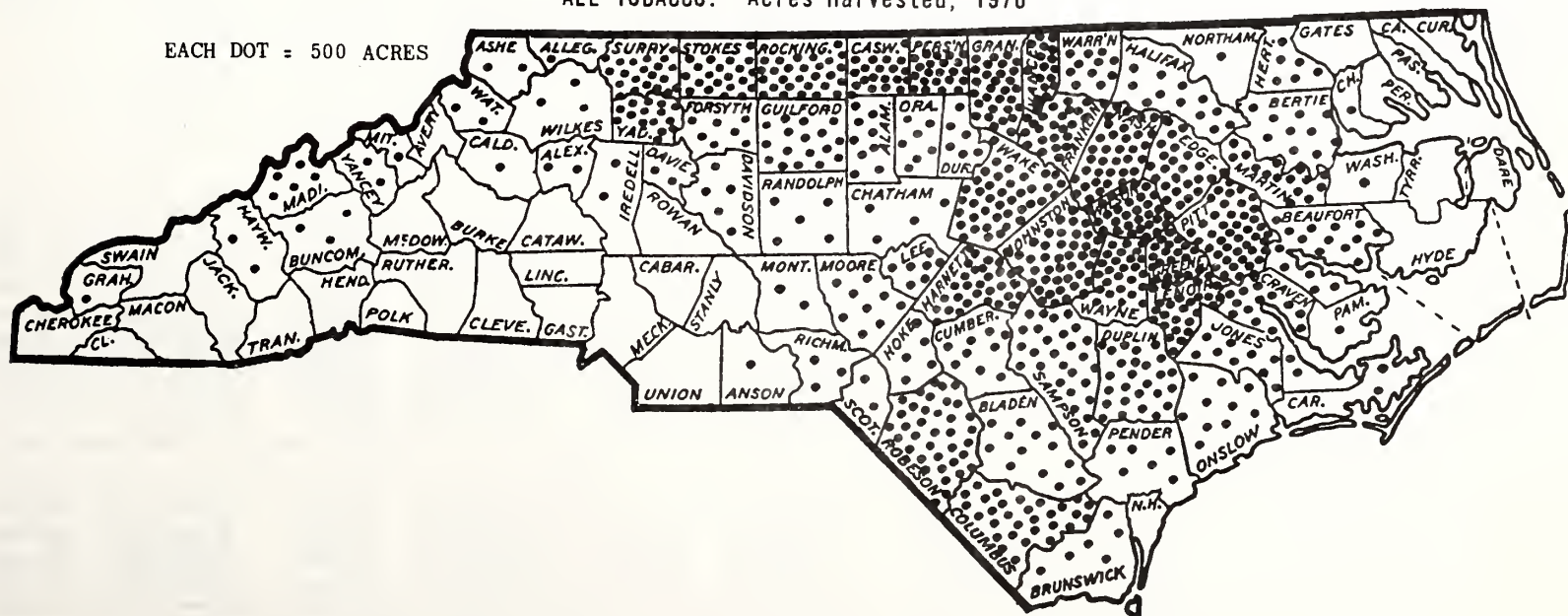
BELTS AND COUNTIES	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Pounds</i>		<i>Pounds</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
OLD AND MIDDLE BELTS - TYPE 11								
Alamance.....	4,500	4,500	1,625	1,985	7,312,000	8,927,000	7,020,000	9,463,000
Alexander.....	990	1,000	1,580	1,720	1,562,000	1,721,000	1,500,000	1,841,000
Anson.....	300	320	1,675	1,760	503,000	563,500	488,000	608,000
Caldwell.....	280	305	2,080	2,290	582,000	698,000	576,000	768,000
Caswell.....	9,550	10,000	1,460	1,790	13,926,000	17,898,000	13,569,000	19,151,000
Catawba.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chatham.....	1,550	2,000	1,775	2,210	2,752,000	4,417,000	2,697,000	4,770,000
Davidson.....	2,300	2,400	1,655	1,930	3,808,000	4,628,000	3,694,000	4,906,000
Davie.....	850	920	1,395	1,560	1,187,000	1,433,000	1,163,000	1,533,000
Durham.....	2,750	2,950	1,350	1,695	3,718,000	5,002,000	3,532,000	5,302,000
Forsyth.....	3,660	3,700	1,475	1,680	5,405,000	6,221,000	5,243,000	6,781,000
Franklin.....	11,900	11,900	1,765	1,860	21,028,000	22,130,000	20,187,000	24,122,000
Gaston.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Granville.....	13,900	15,100	1,395	1,785	19,357,000	26,945,000	18,389,000	28,562,000
Guilford.....	8,200	8,500	1,470	1,740	12,061,000	14,785,000	11,699,000	15,968,000
Harnett.....	15,800	15,200	1,995	1,910	31,525,000	28,996,000	31,840,000	31,897,000
Iredell.....	900	950	1,720	1,660	1,547,000	1,579,000	1,485,000	1,705,000
Lee.....	3,900	3,500	2,075	2,070	8,088,000	7,243,000	8,007,000	7,967,000
Montgomery.....	840	750	1,830	1,795	1,539,000	1,347,000	1,493,000	1,441,000
Moore.....	4,950	4,500	1,980	1,765	9,797,000	7,947,000	9,601,000	8,662,000
Orange.....	3,200	3,400	1,610	1,930	5,154,000	6,566,000	4,999,000	6,960,000
Person.....	9,600	10,800	1,640	1,780	15,759,000	19,236,000	15,444,000	20,198,000
Randolph.....	2,200	2,600	1,840	2,040	4,048,000	5,306,000	3,886,000	5,677,000
Richmond.....	1,730	1,700	1,650	1,710	2,857,000	2,910,000	2,800,000	3,114,000
Rockingham.....	12,500	14,000	1,605	1,650	20,078,000	23,080,000	19,676,000	24,926,000
Rowan.....	-	5	-	1,900	-	9,500	-	10,000
Stokes.....	10,500	10,600	1,710	1,660	17,961,000	17,584,000	17,602,000	18,991,000
Surry.....	11,100	10,300	1,930	1,895	21,437,000	19,531,000	21,008,000	21,480,000
Vance.....	7,200	8,500	1,665	1,945	11,977,000	16,553,000	11,378,000	18,043,000
Wake.....	19,000	20,000	1,885	1,895	35,839,000	37,863,000	35,122,000	41,640,000
Warren.....	5,600	5,700	1,560	2,000	8,740,000	11,410,000	8,128,000	12,095,000
Wilkes.....	1,500	1,400	1,620	1,685	2,431,000	2,359,000	2,358,000	2,571,000
Yadkin.....	7,750	7,500	1,820	1,820	14,112,000	13,662,000	13,548,000	14,482,000
TOTAL TYPE 11.....	179,000	185,000	1,710	1,830	306,090,000	338,550,000	298,132,000	365,634,000
EASTERN BELT - TYPE 12								
Beaufort.....	9,200	8,800	1,925	1,945	17,703,000	17,133,000	17,880,000	19,532,000
Bertie.....	5,500	5,000	2,090	2,255	11,494,000	11,278,000	11,494,000	12,744,000
Camden.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carteret.....	1,450	1,100	1,955	1,810	2,835,000	1,991,000	2,835,000	2,190,000
Chowan.....	510	450	2,045	2,445	1,042,000	1,100,000	1,042,000	1,232,000
Craven.....	8,250	7,600	2,170	1,890	17,886,000	14,348,000	17,886,000	15,926,000
Duplin.....	16,000	12,800	2,150	2,070	34,433,000	26,488,000	35,122,000	29,931,000
Edgecombe.....	12,100	10,800	2,100	2,145	25,385,000	23,146,000	25,385,000	25,692,000
Gates.....	190	200	2,245	2,675	426,500	535,000	430,500	594,000
Greene.....	12,100	10,100	2,315	2,280	28,000,000	23,005,000	28,000,000	25,996,000
Halifax.....	5,500	5,900	1,720	2,305	9,454,000	13,606,000	9,454,000	14,967,000
Hertford.....	2,800	2,800	2,050	2,405	5,741,000	6,728,000	5,684,000	7,468,000
Hyde.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Johnston.....	22,600	20,800	2,325	2,065	52,537,000	42,925,000	53,062,000	47,647,000
Jones.....	5,200	4,300	2,215	2,015	11,526,000	8,656,000	11,526,000	9,868,000
Lenoir.....	14,500	12,800	2,245	2,215	32,559,000	28,360,000	32,885,000	32,330,000
Martin.....	8,600	7,700	2,340	2,295	20,111,000	17,671,000	20,714,000	19,968,000
Nash.....	18,200	17,500	1,980	2,110	36,020,000	36,922,000	36,020,000	41,353,000
New Hanover.....	180	150	1,530	1,635	275,500	245,000	275,500	270,000
Northampton.....	420	420	1,885	2,230	792,000	936,000	792,000	1,030,000
Onslow.....	5,950	5,000	2,130	1,810	12,659,000	9,043,000	12,659,000	10,038,000
Pamlico.....	750	740	2,030	1,980	1,523,000	1,466,000	1,523,000	1,627,000
Pender.....	3,300	2,900	1,960	1,995	6,466,000	5,786,000	6,531,000	6,422,000
Pitt.....	25,600	21,700	2,145	2,245	54,961,000	48,711,000	56,060,000	55,531,000
Sampson.....	16,400	14,200	2,095	2,045	34,398,000	29,048,000	35,392,000	32,824,000
Tyrrell.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Washington.....	800	740	1,890	2,020	1,511,000	1,494,000	1,496,000	1,628,000
Wayne.....	14,900	12,700	2,350	2,295	35,034,000	29,134,000	35,384,000	32,921,000
Wilson.....	18,000	15,800	2,150	2,195	38,723,000	34,665,000	39,885,000	38,994,000
TOTAL TYPE 12.....	229,000	203,000	2,155	2,140	493,495,000	434,420,000	499,417,000	488,723,000

TOBACCO: Acres, Yield, Production and Value, By Counties and By Types, 1975-76

BELTS AND COUNTIES	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production		Total Value	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Pounds</i>		<i>Pounds</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
BORDER BELT - TYPE 13								
Bladen.....	8,000	6,650	2,020	2,070	16,146,000	13,756,000	16,146,000	15,407,000
Brunswick.....	3,450	2,900	2,065	1,995	7,119,000	5,782,000	7,119,000	6,418,000
Columbus.....	18,500	14,900	2,335	2,260	43,239,000	33,692,000	43,239,000	38,072,000
Cumberland.....	5,200	4,500	2,025	2,170	10,540,000	9,755,000	10,224,000	10,633,000
Hoke.....	2,500	2,270	1,960	1,975	4,906,000	4,480,000	4,906,000	4,973,000
Robeson.....	23,200	18,700	2,170	2,175	50,337,000	40,687,000	50,653,000	45,637,000
Scotland.....	1,150	1,080	1,690	1,860	1,943,000	2,008,000	1,943,000	2,239,000
TOTAL TYPE 13.....	62,000	51,000	2,165	2,160	134,230,000	110,160,000	134,230,000	123,379,000
TOTAL-ALL FLUE-CURED...	470,000	439,000	1,987	2,012	933,815,000	883,130,000	931,779,000	977,736,000
BURLEY BELT - TYPE 31								
Alleghany.....	250	250	2,460	2,240	615,000	559,600	621,000	615,000
Ashe.....	1,060	1,040	2,575	2,480	2,730,000	2,578,000	2,784,000	2,758,000
Avery.....	130	125	2,475	2,515	322,000	314,500	335,000	343,500
Buncombe.....	1,500	1,300	2,290	2,365	3,434,000	3,075,000	3,503,000	3,383,000
Burke.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cherokee.....	55	45	2,210	2,300	121,600	103,500	124,000	115,000
Clay.....	75	70	2,245	2,115	168,500	148,000	172,000	163,000
Graham.....	315	275	2,295	2,050	723,000	564,000	737,000	615,000
Haywood.....	900	875	2,545	2,090	2,292,000	1,830,000	2,338,000	2,004,000
Henderson.....	25	30	2,525	2,175	63,100	65,300	64,500	69,200
Jackson.....	60	35	1,995	2,090	119,600	73,100	122,000	79,700
McDowell.....	12	10	2,285	2,030	27,400	20,300	27,950	22,300
Macon.....	44	44	2,135	2,030	94,000	89,400	96,000	98,300
Madison.....	2,440	2,400	2,445	2,015	5,969,000	4,840,000	6,148,000	5,372,000
Mitchell.....	500	445	2,570	2,330	1,285,000	1,037,000	1,323,000	1,130,000
Polk.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rutherford.....	7	10	2,015	2,060	14,100	20,600	14,650	22,500
Swain.....	32	28	1,920	2,095	61,400	58,700	61,400	64,000
Transylvania.....	20	18	2,260	2,095	45,200	37,700	46,100	41,500
Watauga.....	880	840	2,420	2,185	2,130,000	1,834,000	2,194,000	1,999,000
Yancey.....	1,190	1,150	2,480	2,200	2,952,000	2,530,000	3,011,000	2,783,000
All Other.....	5	10	2,620	2,130	13,100	21,300	13,400	23,000
TOTAL TYPE 31.....	9,500	9,000	2,440	2,200	23,180,000	19,800,000	23,736,000	21,701,000
STATE TOTAL-ALL TYPES..	479,500	448,000	1,996	2,015	956,995,000	902,930,000	955,515,000	999,437,000

ALL TOBACCO: Acres Harvested, 1976

EACH DOT = 500 ACRES



TOBACCO: Warehouse Sales and Average Prices, By Seasons, 1976-77 and 1977-78

BELT AND MARKET	1976-77 SEASON				1977-78 SEASON			
	PRODUCERS' SALES		GROSS SALES (Including Re-Sales)		PRODUCERS' SALES		GROSS SALES (Including Re-Sales)	
	Total	Average Price Per Cwt.	Total	Average Price Per Cwt.	Total	Average Price Per Cwt.	Total	Average Price Per Cwt.
	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Dollars</i>
OLD & MIDDLE BELT--TYPE 11								
Aberdeen.....	6,474,250	106.18	6,869,011	106.32	6,896,441	105.96	7,453,693	105.52
Carthage.....	12,238,084	109.62	12,859,857	109.72	10,384,616	115.62	10,981,353	115.90
Durham.....	21,325,374	105.35	22,745,485	105.56	16,621,388	106.86	17,740,799	107.40
Ellerbe.....	3,532,148	105.83	3,763,650	106.02	1,696,607	104.49	1,946,486	101.73
Fuquay-Varina.....	30,294,978	109.55	31,605,529	109.73	24,888,752	113.37	26,295,026	113.95
Henderson.....	21,479,745	108.88	22,018,623	108.95	15,273,367	116.45	15,686,973	116.52
Louisburg.....	11,130,197	109.73	11,653,013	109.88	7,387,957	111.02	7,787,479	111.44
Oxford.....	20,590,325	105.20	21,172,104	105.21	15,554,324	108.59	16,095,514	108.36
Sanford.....	14,392,396	109.64	14,978,772	109.64	13,424,830	122.60	14,054,803	122.34
Warrenton.....	11,639,995	105.83	11,991,824	105.89	8,093,928	110.90	8,458,567	110.97
Burlington.....	7,426,792	105.21	7,699,710	105.44	6,609,898	113.38	6,924,503	113.40
Greensboro.....	5,739,682	106.76	5,964,060	106.89	5,397,951	106.53	5,616,072	106.37
Madison.....	8,110,659	108.67	8,616,077	108.86	7,493,040	108.29	8,067,500	108.67
Mebane.....	8,023,596	104.72	8,096,822	104.71	6,152,041	114.22	6,231,455	114.33
Mt. Airy.....	12,628,357	110.01	13,506,852	110.16	11,837,984	112.78	12,770,265	113.06
Reidsville.....	17,489,433	104.82	18,130,473	105.09	15,890,052	112.54	16,594,073	113.05
Roxboro.....	19,082,887	105.19	19,592,123	105.34	15,221,053	110.33	15,770,900	110.74
Stoneville.....	12,292,640	108.02	12,853,884	108.32	10,095,768	111.39	10,608,207	111.99
Winston Salem.....	42,108,976	108.89	45,225,950	109.21	40,261,428	112.00	43,740,701	112.91
Yadkinville.....	7,369,563	106.46	7,734,489	106.83	5,726,367	99.01	6,071,075	99.13
TOTAL.....	293,370,077	107.54	307,078,308	107.72	244,907,792	111.80	258,895,444	107.54
EASTERN BELT--TYPE 12								
Ahoskie.....	11,554,610	109.67	11,975,207	109.80	7,833,914	126.83	8,193,422	127.17
Clinton.....	18,712,433	114.17	19,436,113	114.32	16,002,233	119.38	16,656,613	119.47
Dunn.....	16,989,493	110.32	17,598,359	110.34	15,574,122	113.71	16,375,990	113.77
Farmville.....	32,918,043	115.96	34,188,208	115.96	24,989,232	116.01	26,278,382	116.03
Goldsboro.....	29,196,165	116.02	30,722,785	116.07	25,420,465	117.45	26,838,678	117.68
Greenville.....	52,077,295	115.04	54,495,445	115.00	39,187,881	116.48	41,238,317	116.46
Kinston.....	51,819,400	115.56	53,790,934	115.44	45,448,183	118.77	47,390,748	118.50
Robersonville.....	10,605,663	113.21	11,272,124	113.15	6,674,924	128.74	7,144,693	127.91
Rocky Mount.....	46,178,968	108.44	47,177,938	108.44	30,332,293	109.33	31,506,811	109.34
Smithfield.....	23,674,960	108.65	24,603,904	108.97	21,751,884	113.71	22,680,514	113.93
Tarboro.....	8,597,792	108.33	8,919,972	108.45	5,508,645	116.40	5,764,678	116.30
Wallace.....	14,194,168	113.88	14,510,793	113.79	13,112,303	128.08	13,535,444	128.05
Washington.....	12,775,237	113.26	13,411,351	113.19	9,769,785	123.80	10,387,670	124.33
Wendell.....	13,431,537	111.61	13,751,788	111.65	11,868,125	114.77	12,250,054	114.78
Williamston.....	13,167,466	114.68	13,563,630	114.73	10,561,937	131.51	10,944,033	131.57
Wilson.....	94,904,268	112.48	99,089,615	112.63	76,865,424	119.93	81,572,206	119.92
Windsor.....	10,967,176	113.17	11,631,648	113.20	9,566,691	129.51	10,156,129	129.45
TOTAL.....	461,764,674	112.96	480,139,814	113.02	370,468,041	118.52	388,914,382	118.54
BORDER BELT--TYPE 13								
Chadbourn.....	9,396,696	111.45	10,017,497	111.84	9,862,604	130.86	10,772,992	131.20
Clarkton.....	6,601,067	112.29	7,037,555	112.03	5,339,285	126.50	5,891,269	126.62
Fair Bluff.....	6,846,225	112.16	7,128,694	112.25	6,506,225	126.13	7,012,274	125.95
Fairmont.....	28,445,490	113.44	30,091,264	113.48	22,512,160	123.71	24,116,862	124.02
Fayetteville.....	4,801,366	108.28	4,998,448	108.32	3,341,650	114.82	3,519,487	114.99
Lumberton.....	26,165,051	112.09	26,872,797	112.07	19,624,451	118.88	20,495,274	118.88
Tabor City.....	11,908,871	111.31	12,606,251	111.53	11,701,445	127.93	12,393,857	127.95
Whiteville.....	20,781,967	113.58	21,611,998	113.44	18,078,133	128.37	19,003,412	128.21
TOTAL.....	114,946,733	112.42	120,364,504	112.44	96,965,953	124.84	103,205,427	124.96
BURLEY BELT--TYPE 31								
Asheville.....	9,823,490	111.02	10,727,552	111.16	11,135,393	112.13	12,399,510	112.38
Boone.....	3,687,150	108.72	4,000,518	108.67	3,910,812	110.33	4,213,837	109.96
West Jefferson.....	3,646,990	106.52	3,894,294	106.76	5,033,504	109.67	5,695,231	109.65
TOTAL.....	17,157,630	109.57	18,622,364	109.70	20,079,709	111.16	22,308,578	111.23
STATE TOTAL--ALL TYPES.....	887,239,114	111.03	926,204,990	111.12	732,421,495	116.91	773,323,831	117.03

CROPS: Production, Farm Use, Sales and Value, 1975-77

CROPS	UNIT	Production	Used On Farms Where Produced	Sold	Season Average Price <u>L/</u>	VALUE OF	
						Production	Sales
		<i>Thousands</i>			<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>	
1975							
Corn for Grain.....	Bu.	106,530	34,090	72,440	2.69	286,566	194,864
Wheat.....	Bu.	8,525	1,586	6,939	2.79	23,785	19,360
Oats.....	Bu.	4,080	2,570	1,510	1.43	5,834	2,159
Barley.....	Bu.	2,760	1,794	966	1.79	4,940	1,729
Rye.....	Bu.	340	133	207	2.29	779	474
Sorghum for Grain.....	Bu.	4,335	1,951	2,384	2.36	10,231	5,626
Cotton, Lint.....	Bales	46	-	-	<u>2/</u> .545	12,034	12,034
Cottonseed.....	Tons	16	1	15	87.10	1,394	1,307
Irish Potatoes.....	Cwt.	2,380	225	2,155	6.73	16,000	14,513
Sweet Potatoes.....	Cwt.	4,185	692	3,493	7.25	30,341	25,324
Soybeans for Beans.....	Bu.	33,370	567	32,803	4.67	155,838	153,190
Peanuts for Nuts.....	Lb.	373,725	8,596	365,129	.200	74,745	73,026
Lespedeza Seed (Clean).	Lb.	450	315	135	.432	194	58
Hay.....	Tons	549	478	71	54.00	29,646	3,834
1976							
Corn for Grain.....	Bu.	150,400	45,120	105,280	2.38	357,952	250,566
Wheat.....	Bu.	6,960	1,378	5,582	3.00	20,880	16,746
Oats.....	Bu.	3,760	2,369	1,391	1.55	5,828	2,156
Barley.....	Bu.	2,340	1,498	842	1.95	4,563	1,642
Rye.....	Bu.	380	141	239	2.40	912	574
Sorghum for Grain.....	Bu.	4,590	1,836	2,754	2.21	10,144	6,086
Cotton, Lint.....	Bales	72	-	-	<u>2/</u> .740	25,574	25,574
Cottonseed.....	Tons	25	2	23	99.00	2,475	2,277
Irish Potatoes.....	Cwt.	2,385	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>	5.37	12,819	<u>3/</u>
Sweet Potatoes.....	Cwt.	4,290	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>	5.40	23,166	<u>3/</u>
Soybeans for Beans.....	Bu.	24,640	616	24,024	6.65	163,856	159,760
Peanuts for Nuts.....	Lb.	440,730	8,815	431,915	.196	86,383	84,655
Lespedeza Seed (Clean).	Lb.	336	161	175	.610	205	107
Hay.....	Tons	510	444	66	64.00	32,640	4,224
1977							
Corn for Grain.....	Bu.	86,190	34,476	51,714	2.20	189,618	113,771
Wheat.....	Bu.	6,000	1,140	4,860	2.20	13,200	10,692
Oats.....	Bu.	3,150	1,984	1,166	1.55	4,883	1,807
Barley.....	Bu.	2,200	1,408	792	1.80	3,960	1,426
Rye.....	Bu.	399	136	263	2.25	898	592
Sorghum for Grain.....	Bu.	2,664	959	1,705	1.82	4,848	3,103
Cotton, Lint.....	Bales	53	-	-	<u>2/</u> .505	12,847	12,847
Cottonseed.....	Tons	19	1	18	65.00	1,235	1,170
Irish Potatoes.....	Cwt.	2,711	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>	6.28	16,969	<u>3/</u>
Sweet Potatoes.....	Cwt.	4,455	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>	8.00	35,640	<u>3/</u>
Soybeans for Beans.....	Bu.	29,040	668	28,372	5.95	172,788	168,813
Peanuts for Nuts.....	Lb.	444,050	8,437	435,613	.206	91,474	89,736
Lespedeza Seed (Clean).	Lb.	78	39	39	.850	66	33
Hay.....	Tons	521	458	63	73.00	38,033	4,599

L/ Includes an allowance when applicable for unredeemed loans and purchases by the Government valued at the average loan and purchase rate. 2/ Price per pound of lint. 3/ Not available.

GRAINS: Stocks By Positions, Selected Dates, 1975-77

YEAR	STOCKS ON FARMS				STOCKS IN OFF-FARM POSITIONS				TOTAL STOCKS ALL POSITIONS			
	Jan. 1	April 1	June 1	Oct. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	June 1	Oct. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	June 1	Oct. 1
<i>Thousand Bushels</i>												
CORN												
1975	54,165	28,260	// 17,663	2,944	17,533	9,826	// 5,108	740	71,698	38,086	// 22,771	3,684
1976	45,808	24,502	15,980	2,663	18,750	13,196	6,648	245	64,558	37,698	22,628	2,908
1977	52,640	37,600	21,056	5,264	24,400	14,390	9,350	825	77,040	51,990	30,406	6,089
WHEAT												
1975	2,178	693	// 248	1,961	2,170	1,388	// 716	2,502	4,348	2,081	// 964	4,463
1976	1,364	384	256	1,670	2,581	1,589	961	3,187	3,945	1,973	1,217	4,857
1977	1,183	592	487	1,380	2,370	1,730	1,300	2,688	3,553	2,322	1,787	4,068
OATS												
1975	1,584	1,012	// 440	1,714	281	198	// 94	749	1,865	1,210	// 534	2,463
1976	1,224	734	490	1,466	573	230	147	988	1,797	964	637	2,454
1977	1,015	451	282	1,386	750	400	264	625	1,765	851	546	2,011
BARLEY												
1975	902	572	// 135	1,242	188	157	// 27	212	1,090	729	// 162	1,454
1976	938	442	207	913	175	40	39	234	1,113	482	246	1,147
1977	772	374	187	924	158	87	40	171	930	461	227	1,095
RYE												
1975	34	16	// 12	133	*	*	// *	18	*	*	// *	151
1976	17	3	2	171	*	-	-	45	*	3	2	216
1977	38	11	8	192	23	23	21	*	61	34	29	*
SORGHUM GRAIN												
1975	2,333	778	// 238	86	488	380	// 104	10	2,821	1,158	// 342	96
1976	1,864	520	173	22	595	470	265	*	2,459	990	438	*
1977	1,882	390	230	23	540	304	290	17	2,422	694	520	40
SOYBEANS												
	Jan. 1	April 1	June 1	Sep. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	June 1	Sep. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	June 1	Sep. 1
1975	12,184	6,560	// 4,374	937	9,375	3,192	// 1,107	674	21,559	9,752	// 5,481	1,611
1976	12,013	7,008	2,670	667	9,998	6,018	2,729	*	22,011	13,026	5,399	*
1977	7,885	3,203	862	246	8,670	5,800	5,135	2,007	16,555	9,003	5,997	2,253

// Prior to 1976, the mid-year estimate of grain stocks was as of July 1

* Unpublished to avoid disclosing individual operations.

GRAINS: Capacity Of Off-Farm Grain Storage Facilities, January 1, 1971-78

YEAR	Rated Off-Farm Storage Capacity	YEAR	Rated Off-Farm Storage Capacity
	<i>Thousand Bushels</i>		<i>Thousand Bushels</i>
1971	40,760	1975	52,730
1972	46,830	1976	54,990
1973	48,210	1977	58,520
1974	51,270	1978	63,420

HAY: Stocks On Farms, January 1 and May 1, 1971-78

YEAR	Hay Stocks On Farms	
	January 1	May 1
	<i>Thousand Tons</i>	
1971	410	90
1972	400	103
1973	406	130
1974	384	123
1975	375	96
1976	390	82
1977	311	46
1978	328	57

**FRUITS AND VEGETABLES: Monthly Carlot Rail Shipments Plus Truck Unloads
In 41 Major Cities, By Months, 1975-77 (Carlot Equivalents)**

YEAR	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
CABBAGE													
1975	25	-	-	20	148	493	129	119	111	103	262	126	1,536
1976	9	-	-	1	176	479	165	111	138	143	200	160	1,582
1977	-	-	-	-	148	469	74	85	92	59	212	83	1,222
CUCUMBERS													
1975	-	-	-	-	-	449	229	27	70	37	3	-	815
1976	-	-	-	-	5	411	373	16	85	81	4	-	975
1977	-	-	-	-	4	548	201	16	93	80	5	-	947
GREEN PEPPERS													
1975	-	-	-	-	-	144	569	52	4	1	1	-	771
1976	-	-	-	-	-	127	628	44	7	-	-	-	806
1977	-	-	-	-	-	169	476	22	4	3	1	-	675
TOMATOES													
1975	-	-	-	-	-	17	100	183	40	1	-	-	341
1976	-	-	-	-	-	23	80	168	76	14	-	-	361
1977	-	-	-	-	-	14	83	162	66	7	2	-	334
APPLES													
1975	7	6	4	1	3	2	12	171	427	168	55	31	887
1976	13	7	4	1	-	-	2	172	385	179	62	17	842
1977	3	3	-	-	-	-	3	76	339	197	48	26	695
PEACHES													
1975	-	-	-	-	8	133	221	79	23	-	-	-	464
1976	-	-	-	-	14	192	162	64	12	-	-	-	444
1977	-	-	-	-	9	193	199	93	6	-	-	-	500
IRISH POTATOES													
1975	1	-	-	-	1	257	305	29	8	3	1	1	606
1976	-	-	-	-	-	257	338	7	9	4	2	3	620
1977	-	-	-	-	4	454	421	15	5	5	1	2	907
SWEET POTATOES													
1975	312	249	384	255	142	39	8	45	296	362	565	437	3,094
1976	321	286	330	371	205	174	134	75	234	352	696	469	3,647
1977	322	311	317	260	143	97	28	55	244	379	645	428	3,229

FLOWERS: Production and Wholesale Value, 1975-77

CROP	UNIT	1975		1976		1977	
		Number Sold	Wholesale Value //	Number Sold	Wholesale Value //	Number Sold	Wholesale Value //
		Thousands	Thousand Dollars	Thousands	Thousand Dollars	Thousands	Thousand Dollars
Gladioli.....	Spikes	2,787	290	2,847	299	2,615	238
Standard Carnations.....	Blooms	3,101	403	5,579	669	4,964	650
Standard Chrysanthemums.	Blooms	6,560	1,679	6,233	2,076	6,774	2,100
Pompon Chrysanthemums.	Bunches	788	906	502	633	463	718
Potted Chrysanthemums.	Pots	868	2,075	1,022	2,156	1,086	2,541
Potted Poinsettias 2/.	Pots	-	-	588	1,382	705	1,629
Potted Geraniums 2/...	Pots	-	-	745	849	912	912
Potted Lilies 2/.....	Pots	-	-	131	301	169	443
Potted Hydrangeas 2/..	Pots	-	-	136	379	84	285
Snapdragons 2/..	Stems	-	-	1,240	281	1,113	264
Flowering 2/ Bedding Plants.	Flats	-	-	343	1,269	350	1,383
Vegetable 2/ Bedding Plants.	Flats	-	-	196	735	182	759

// Equivalent Wholesale Value of all sales. 2/ Data for years prior to 1976 not available.

CROPS: Farm Marketings Of Selected Crops, Percent By Months, 1967-76 (Continued on opposite page)

CROP YEAR	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.
Percent														
CORN FOR GRAIN														
1967	-	-	18	22	20	10	4	5	3	3	3	4	3	5
1968	-	-	26	30	8	6	4	5	4	5	4	4	2	2
1969	-	-	23	29	12	6	4	4	3	4	3	4	3	5
1970	-	-	25	28	10	7	4	5	3	4	3	4	3	4
1971	-	-	34	13	16	8	5	3	3	3	3	3	3	6
1972	-	-	27	23	13	7	4	4	3	4	3	4	3	5
1973	-	-	30	23	8	4	6	7	5	3	3	4	4	3
1974	-	-	27	25	12	6	5	5	4	3	2	4	3	4
1975	-	-	28	26	9	4	5	5	4	4	4	4	3	4
1976	-	-	28	25	10	5	5	6	4	3	3	4	3	4
PEANUTS														
1967	-	-	1	42	50	2	2	1	1	1	-	-	-	-
1968	-	-	9	75	10	3	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	2	70	20	5	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
1970	-	-	33	59	6	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1971	-	-	10	57	31	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1972	-	-	-	37	50	12	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1973	-	-	22	68	7	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1974	-	-	1	90	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1975	-	-	1	91	7	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1976	-	-	73	25	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SORGHUM GRAIN														
1967	-	-	38	11	5	5	18	8	7	3	3	1	1	-
1968	-	-	35	12	8	6	6	8	7	5	5	4	3	1
1969	-	-	38	20	5	10	4	6	5	2	2	2	3	3
1970	-	-	45	15	8	5	6	5	5	4	3	2	1	1
1971	-	-	25	20	25	4	4	3	6	4	3	2	2	2
1972	-	-	37	18	10	6	6	5	5	4	3	2	2	2
1973	-	-	29	10	12	7	10	8	6	6	3	4	3	2
1974	-	-	29	12	15	10	5	7	6	6	3	3	2	2
1975/L	-	-	17	32	9	11	13	10	3	1	1	1	1	1
SOYBEANS FOR BEANS														
1967	-	-	0	10	49	21	5	3	2	2	2	2	2	2
1968	-	-	1	12	59	8	5	4	2	2	2	2	1	2
1969	-	-	0	6	47	24	4	5	5	3	2	2	1	1
1970	-	-	1	8	60	14	11	2	1	1	1	1	0	0
1971	-	-	1	4	35	31	10	3	5	4	3	2	1	1
1972	-	-	1	15	32	24	10	4	9	1	1	1	1	1
1973	-	-	0	10	46	12	9	7	4	2	2	3	4	1
1974	-	-	1	12	35	15	9	4	6	2	2	3	6	5
1975	-	-	1	3	39	27	6	5	4	3	4	3	3	2
1976	-	-	2	8	42	25	7	5	4	2	2	1	1	1
TOBACCO-FLUE CURED														
1967	-	16	30	36	16	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1968	1	16	49	32	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	2	22	48	25	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1970	2	21	36	36	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1971	-	12	42	40	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1972	2	24	38	34	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1973	2	18	27	40	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1974	10	28	28	32	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1975	8	23	27	28	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1976	9	29	31	25	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOBACCO-BURLEY														
1967	-	-	-	-	20	68	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1968	-	-	-	-	34	54	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	31	53	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1970	-	-	-	-	43	49	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1971	-	-	-	-	47	46	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1972	-	-	-	-	39	36	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1973	-	-	-	-	34	50	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1974	-	-	-	-	24	59	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1975	-	-	-	-	29	60	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1976	-	-	-	-	31	53	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

L/ Discontinued after 1975.

CROPS: Farm Marketings Of Selected Crops, Percent By Months, 1967-76

CROP YEAR	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May
	<i>Percent</i>												
	WHEAT												
1967	-	48	22	5	4	4	3	3	4	3	2	1	1
1968	-	51	19	5	3	3	3	2	4	3	4	2	1
1969	-	52	20	5	3	3	3	2	4	3	3	1	1
1970	-	56	25	5	3	2	1	1	2	1	2	1	1
1971	-	52	22	5	3	3	2	2	4	2	3	1	1
1972	-	34	39	7	4	3	4	2	2	2	1	1	1
1973	-	40	30	5	4	3	2	2	6	3	3	1	1
1974	-	42	24	8	4	5	4	3	3	2	2	2	1
1975L/	-	50	17	10	5	4	3	2	2	2	2	2	1
	OATS												
1967	-	57	13	5	5	4	3	3	2	2	2	2	2
1968	-	51	15	6	4	3	2	2	4	3	3	3	4
1969	-	52	14	5	3	2	2	2	3	4	4	5	4
1970	-	54	9	7	4	3	3	3	5	4	3	3	2
1971	-	52	13	6	4	3	2	2	4	4	3	4	3
1972	-	45	21	5	4	4	2	3	4	4	4	2	2
1973	-	51	15	6	4	3	2	3	4	4	3	3	2
1974	-	41	11	9	6	4	4	3	5	6	4	3	4
1975	-	42	14	8	5	4	4	5	6	4	3	3	2
1976	-	36	15	8	6	4	3	4	5	4	7	3	5
	BARLEY												
1967	-	62	11	6	4	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
1968	-	63	11	4	3	4	2	1	3	2	2	2	3
1969	-	62	13	3	3	4	2	2	2	2	2	2	3
1970	-	70	12	3	4	2	1	1	2	1	1	2	1
1971	-	65	12	4	3	3	2	1	2	2	2	2	2
1972	-	58	11	6	4	4	3	5	1	2	2	2	2
1973	-	63	12	4	4	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
1974	-	56	15	6	6	3	3	1	3	1	2	1	3
1975L/	-	53	13	10	7	5	3	1	1	2	2	2	1
	RYE												
1967	-	30	35	15	7	3	3	2	1	1	1	1	1
1968	-	50	37	3	5	1	1	-	1	1	-	1	-
1969	-	37	32	11	7	4	3	2	1	1	1	1	-
1970	-	35	14	16	12	10	5	3	2	2	1	-	-
1971	-	38	25	13	9	6	3	2	1	1	1	1	-
1972	-	18	42	25	5	3	4	-	1	-	1	1	-
1973	-	30	25	15	10	5	5	5	2	1	1	1	-
1974	-	25	40	10	10	10	3	2	-	-	-	-	-
1975L/	-	40	20	15	10	5	3	2	1	1	1	1	1
	HAY												
1967	4	3	4	3	10	5	8	11	16	16	16	4	-
1968	4	5	4	5	9	7	9	10	14	16	13	4	-
1969	6	5	5	4	7	8	10	10	15	17	11	2	-
1970	3	5	5	5	8	8	6	7	19	14	16	4	-
1971	4	5	5	5	8	8	8	9	16	16	13	3	-
1972	4	10	5	8	13	10	12	12	11	8	4	3	-
1973	4	7	5	6	10	9	9	9	14	13	11	3	-
1974	4	10	7	9	11	14	7	6	9	12	9	2	-
1975L/	5	11	10	13	9	11	6	7	8	9	7	4	-

L/ Discontinued after 1975.



REVIEW OF 1977

INCOME FROM MEAT ANIMALS DOWN

The sale of livestock, dairy, and poultry products brought Tar Heel farmers about \$1.1 billion in 1977. This was the third straight year over the billion dollar mark. Broilers accounted for 29 percent of the total, while all poultry products earned over \$600 million - well more than half of the total income from the livestock, dairy, and poultry enterprises. Cash receipts from hogs was down to \$208 million while milk income was up 8 percent. Cattle sales brought nearly \$63 million, less than in 1976, but continued to account for about 6 percent of all livestock income, the same as for the previous two years.

BIG INCREASE IN HOG INVENTORY

North Carolina registered a 19 percent jump in the number of hogs and pigs last year to 2,300,000. The increase in inventory, measured from December 1, 1976 to December 1, 1977, was the largest, percentage-wise, among the major hog producing states. Despite the gain, North Carolina remained in seventh place nationally in total hog numbers. Average litter size fell slightly in 1977 to 7.1 pigs per litter, while the number of sows farrowed was up 4 percent to 447,000. Last year's pig crop totaled 3,175,000 head - about the same as for 1976.

Hog marketings were down 9 percent from 1976 while the number of swine kept for breeding was up by 21 percent. This situation, plus a lower average price in 1977 of \$39.10 per 100 pounds, resulted in a 21 percent decline in cash receipts from marketings of hogs. The value of home consumption also fell somewhat to \$21 million.

MILK FLOW LARGEST IN YEARS

Last year's milk production of 1.7 billion pounds was the largest in 20 years for North Carolina. The inventory of milk cows on farms averaged 151,000 head during the year. The average output per cow was up slightly to 11,000 pounds for 1977.

Gross income from the sale of milk and cream was up 8 percent last year to \$174 million. The total value of all milk produced on Tar Heel farms last year was over \$182 million, a 7 percent increase from the year before. Fluid milk prices averaged \$10.90 per hundred pounds during 1977 while the average price for milk retailed directly by farmers was 35 cents per quart.

SHEEP PRICES HOLD STEADY

The number of sheep and lambs in the state at the beginning of this year was set at 9,000 head, unchanged from January 1, 1977. Lambs saved at birth was down 8 percent to 6,800. Marketings of sheep and lambs were down 24 and 22 percent, respectively, causing a decline in cash income of 28 percent. Prices for sheep were steady at \$14.00 per 100 pounds while lamb prices fell slightly to \$36.00 per hundredweight.

CONTINUED INCREASE IN BROILER PRODUCTION

North Carolina remained the number four broiler state in the nation for 1977 with a production of nearly 1.4 billion pounds of meat. Between December 1, 1976 and November 30, 1977, the number of birds produced totaled 339 million, an 8 percent rise over the previous twelve month period. Live weight again averaged 4 pounds per bird.

Average price per pound last year at 23.4 cents showed little change from the 1976 price of 23.6 cents per pound. Gross income, including broiler sales and the value of home consumption, was up 7 percent to \$318 million. Income from broilers is the largest among the individual livestock and poultry commodities produced in this state.

MORE EGGS REVERSES TREND

For the first time in several years, egg production showed an increase last year. During the period December 1, 1976 - November 30, 1977, there were nearly 3 billion eggs produced in North Carolina for an 8 percent gain over the previous twelve months. Eggs per layer was up a trifle to 240 for the year while the average number of layers climbed 7 percent to 12.4 million.

The state kept its number four ranking in terms of cash receipts from egg sales with a value of almost \$163 million. Egg prices were down slightly to 66.3 cents per dozen, and the number of eggs consumed on the farm was down 10 percent to 19 million.

INCOME FROM TURKEYS TAKES JUMP

Although the 16½ million head of turkeys raised last year was slightly below the 1976 level, total pounds produced was up somewhat to 290 million pounds. With the help of a higher liveweight price of 37.9 cents per pound, gross income from turkeys amounted to over \$110 million in 1977 - an increase of nearly 11 percent over the year before. North Carolina was still in third place in turkey production but fell from second to third in gross income from turkeys, despite the rise in income.

CATTLE NUMBERS STABLE

As of January 1, 1978, there were an estimated 1,100,000 head of cattle on farms in North Carolina. This was about 2 percent more than the preceding year. Calf births rose only slightly to 500,000 during 1977 while the number of calves marketed dropped by 16 percent to 197,000. Marketings of cattle also fell by a sizeable 14 percent. Approximately 18,000 head of cattle and calves were slaughtered on the farm last year.

Income from the sale of cattle and calves in 1977 was well below the level of the previous year due to the fewer numbers sold. Cash receipts were below \$63 million while the value of home consumption fell nearly \$8 million. Cattle prices were virtually unchanged from 1976.

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY: Number On Farms, 1975-78, North Carolina and United States

SPECIES AND CLASSIFICATION	NORTH CAROLINA			UNITED STATES		
	NUMBER ON FARMS JANUARY 1			NUMBER ON FARMS JANUARY 1		
	1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978
	<i>Thousand Head</i>			<i>Thousand Head</i>		
Cattle - Total.....	1,170	1,080	1,100	127,980	122,810	116,265
Cows & Heifers that have calved..	610	545	561	54,974	52,424	49,677
Beef Cows.....	464	398	414	43,888	41,389	38,747
Milk Cows.....	146	147	147	11,087	11,035	10,930
Heifers 500 pounds and over.....	179	157	157	18,547	18,474	17,701
For Beef Cow Replacement.....	99	82	83	7,196	6,529	5,834
For Milk Cow Replacement.....	42	39	38	3,958	3,888	3,896
Other Heifers.....	38	36	36	7,393	8,057	7,971
Steers 500 pounds and over.....	63	63	63	17,083	16,885	16,775
Bulls 500 pounds and over.....	36	34	34	2,845	2,665	2,540
Heifers, Steers and Bulls under 500 pounds.....	282	281	285	34,531	32,363	29,574
Sheep - Total.....	10	9	9	13,311	12,766	12,387
On Feed.....	-	-	-	1,884	1,731	1,613
Stock Sheep.....	10	9	9	11,427	11,035	10,774
Ewe Lambs.....	1	1	1	1,345	1,407	1,492
Wether and Ram Lambs.....	1	1	1	350	380	324
Ewes 1 year plus.....	7	7	7	9,314	8,886	8,586
Rams and Wethers 1 year plus...	1	1	1	418	362	372
	NUMBER ON FARMS DECEMBER 1			NUMBER ON FARMS DECEMBER 1		
	1975	1976	1977	1975	1976	1977
	<i>Thousand Head</i>			<i>Thousand Head</i>		
Hogs - Total.....	1,900	1,940	2,300	49,267	54,934	57,587
Breeding.....	304	281	340	7,574	8,011	8,765
Market.....	1,596	1,659	1,960	41,693	46,923	48,822
Chicken - Total <i>L/</i>	18,000	18,800	21,400	379,754	378,238	386,531
Hens.....	5,220	4,324	5,140	122,513	118,998	118,156
Pullets of laying age.....	6,780	7,749	8,860	157,230	160,656	168,422
Pullets not of laying age						
Three months and over.....	3,000	3,135	3,540	48,404	47,769	47,407
Less than three months.....	2,316	2,840	3,060	46,261	45,184	46,554
Other Chickens.....	684	752	800	5,346	5,631	5,992
Turkey Breeder Hens.....	304	320	350	3,098	3,064	3,045

L/ Does not include commercial broilers.

LIVESTOCK: Number On Farms and Value, 1970-78

YEAR	ALL CATTLE AND CALVES January 1			ALL CHICKENS December 1			ALL HOGS AND PIGS December 1			STOCK SHEEP AND LAMBS January 1		
	Number	Farm Value Per Head	Total Value	Number	Farm Value Per Head	Total Value	Number	Farm Value Per Head	Total Value	Number	Farm Value Per Head	Total Value
	<i>Thous.</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>	<i>Thous.</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>	<i>Thous.</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>	<i>Thous.</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
1970	980	145.00	142,100	21,795	1.05	22,885	1,985	24.50	48,633	16	20.00	320
1971	990	155.00	153,450	21,595	1.10	23,755	1,850	27.50	50,875	14	18.50	259
1972	1,010	175.00	176,750	20,515	1.25	25,644	1,739	40.00	69,560	13	19.50	254
1973	1,040	205.00	213,200	20,100	1.50	30,150	1,950	58.50	114,075	12	21.50	258
1974	1,100	250.00	275,000	18,700	1.75	32,725	1,890	44.00	83,160	12	26.00	312
1975	1,150	155.00	178,250	18,000	1.55	27,900	1,900	73.00	138,700	11	26.50	292
1976	1,170	160.00	187,200	18,800	1.55	29,140	1,940	47.50	92,150	10	29.00	290
1977	1,080	175.00	189,000	21,400	1.65	35,310	2,300	57.50	132,250	9	34.00	306
1978	1,100	185.00	203,500	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	36.00	324

SPRING PIG CROP: Sows Farrowed and Pigs Saved, 1975-77

YEAR	SOWS FARROWED			PIGS PER LITTER			PIGS SAVED		
	Dec. 1/-Feb.	Mar. -May	Dec. 1/-May	Dec. 1/-Feb.	Mar. -May	Dec. 1/-May	Dec. 1/-Feb.	Mar. -May	Dec. 1/-May
	<i>Thousand Head</i>			<i>Head</i>			<i>Thousand Head</i>		
1975	97	93	190	7.10	7.60	7.35	689	707	1,396
1976	116	116	232	7.10	7.50	7.30	824	870	1,694
1977	110	108	218	6.80	7.35	7.07	748	794	1,542

1/ Previous year.

FALL PIG CROP: Sows Farrowed and Pig Saved, 1975-77

YEAR	SOWS FARROWED			PIGS PER LITTER			PIGS SAVED		
	June-Aug.	Sept. -Nov.	June-Nov.	June-Aug.	Sept. -Nov.	June-Nov.	June-Aug.	Sept. -Nov.	June-Nov.
	<i>Thousand Head</i>			<i>Head</i>			<i>Thousand Head</i>		
1975	94	83	177	7.20	7.30	7.25	677	606	1,283
1976	111	86	197	7.50	7.10	7.33	833	611	1,444
1977	123	106	229	7.50	7.10	7.32	923	753	1,676

HOGS AND PIGS: Number On Farms, Quarterly, By Class and Weight, 1975-77

YEAR	TOTAL	BY CLASS		MARKET HOGS AND PIGS, BY WEIGHT GROUP				
		Breeding Hogs	Market Hogs and Pigs	Under 60 Pounds	60-119 Pounds	120-179 Pounds	180-219 Pounds	220 Pounds and Over
		<i>Thousands</i>						
		MARCH 1						
1975	1,700	272	1,428	630	348	261	151	38
1976	1,920	311	1,609	724	402	280	166	37
1977	1,800	288	1,512	612	405	304	157	34
		JUNE 1						
1975	1,660	266	1,394	631	374	233	117	39
1976	1,975	316	1,659	750	441	289	141	38
1977	1,920	317	1,603	705	407	302	154	35
		SEPTEMBER 1						
1975	1,810	286	1,524	701	364	264	149	46
1976	2,050	320	1,730	804	407	301	168	50
1977	2,250	338	1,912	889	468	325	182	48
		DECEMBER 1						
1975	1,900	304	1,596	662	409	263	163	99
1976	1,940	281	1,659	647	431	320	166	95
1977	2,300	340	1,960	784	535	361	190	90

LIVESTOCK: Counties Leading In Numbers Of Selected Items, 1976-77

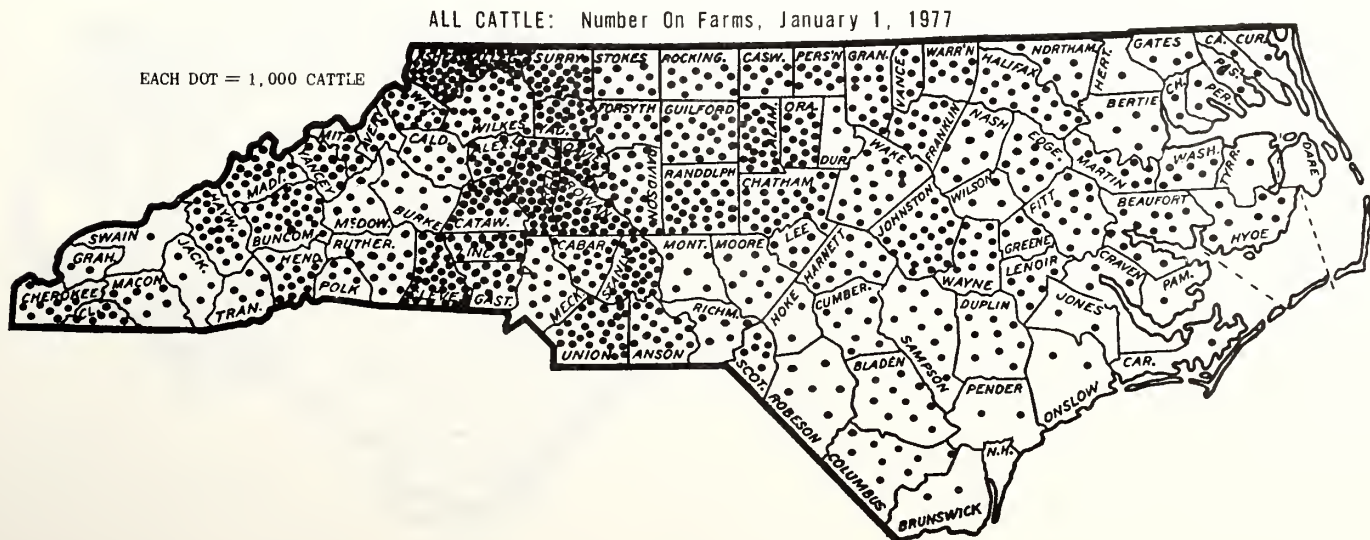
ALL CATTLE 1/		MILK COWS 1/		BEEF COWS 1/		ALL HOGS 2/		ALL CHICKENS 2/	
County	Number	County	Number	County	Number	County	Number	County	Number
Iredell	47,900	Iredell	10,300	Iredell	17,000	Sampson	132,000	Wilkes	3,396,000
Ashe	34,500	Rowan	7,400	Cleveland	14,700	Johnston	124,600	Iredell	1,172,000
Cleveland	33,100	Alamance	6,400	Union	14,000	Duplin	122,000	Duplin	985,000
Randolph	27,600	Randolph	6,100	Randolph	10,800	Wayne	71,500	Stanly	729,000
Rowan	27,200	Buncombe	5,900	Stanly	10,700	Pitt	67,700	Pitt	683,000
Buncombe	27,100	Wake	5,600	Ashe	10,000	Greene	65,800	Randolph	660,000
Union	27,000	Orange	5,200	Wilkes	10,000	Robeson	55,500	Surry	648,000
Wilkes	26,000	Henderson	5,100	Chatham	9,500	Halifax	46,700	Sampson	604,000
Chatham	25,800	Davie	4,500	Surry	9,000	Columbus	46,000	Yadkin	517,000
Stanly	24,000	Alleghany	4,200	Johnston	8,500	Onslow	44,900	Wayne	485,000

1/ January 1, 1977 Inventory. 2/ December 1, 1976 Inventory.

ALL CATTLE: Number On Farms, By Counties, January 1, 1976-77

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	1976	1977	COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	1976	1977
Alleghany.....	24,800	23,200	Anson.....	16,600	15,400
Ashe.....	32,000	34,500	Cabarrus.....	17,900	14,700
Avery.....	4,500	4,400	Cleveland.....	35,500	33,100
Caldwell.....	10,000	10,000	Gaston.....	13,500	11,600
Surry.....	24,000	24,000	Lincoln.....	16,800	15,600
Watauga.....	13,400	14,200	Mecklenburg.....	13,800	14,000
Wilkes.....	29,600	26,000	Montgomery.....	4,900	5,000
Yadkin.....	20,700	19,500	Moore.....	9,000	9,000
N. MOUNTAIN.....	159,000	155,800	Richmond.....	4,500	4,500
Buncombe.....	27,900	27,100	Stanly.....	23,200	24,000
Burke.....	7,000	7,000	Union.....	32,300	27,000
Cherokee.....	8,400	9,000	S. PIEDMONT.....	188,000	173,900
Clay.....	6,900	6,200	Bertie.....	4,800	4,900
Graham.....	2,100	1,900	Camden.....	2,100	1,800
Haywood.....	20,800	19,200	Chowan.....	2,000	1,700
Henderson.....	12,900	11,600	Currituck.....	1,400	1,200
Jackson.....	4,500	4,100	Dare.....	*	*
McDowell.....	5,000	4,900	Edgecombe.....	10,300	9,000
Macon.....	7,300	7,300	Gates.....	3,100	3,100
Madison.....	17,000	15,300	Halifax.....	17,600	15,500
Mitchell.....	5,600	5,300	Hertford.....	1,400	1,200
Polk.....	4,000	4,000	Martin.....	8,200	8,300
Rutherford.....	14,200	13,000	Nash.....	9,300	8,000
Swain.....	1,100	1,100	Northampton.....	7,100	5,700
Transylvania.....	4,600	4,600	Pasquotank.....	2,900	2,400
Yancey.....	8,400	8,200	Perquimans.....	2,600	2,000
W. MOUNTAIN.....	157,700	149,800	Tyrrell.....	1,600	1,100
Alamance.....	22,600	18,700	Washington.....	6,400	5,800
Caswell.....	11,400	9,100	N. COASTAL.....	81,000	71,800
Durham.....	5,700	3,000	Beaufort.....	11,500	11,000
Forsyth.....	13,300	11,000	Carteret.....	1,100	1,100
Franklin.....	12,000	11,000	Craven.....	2,900	2,900
Granville.....	18,400	14,600	Greene.....	3,200	3,000
Guilford.....	23,700	21,100	Hyde.....	7,500	7,000
Orange.....	17,900	15,800	Johnston.....	21,800	23,000
Person.....	9,100	8,300	Jones.....	2,500	2,200
Rockingham.....	12,800	10,900	Lenoir.....	6,200	6,300
Stokes.....	12,300	9,600	Pamlico.....	1,000	1,000
Vance.....	5,900	5,000	Pitt.....	12,200	11,600
Warren.....	9,800	8,100	Wayne.....	11,300	11,300
N. PIEDMONT.....	174,900	146,200	Wilson.....	3,700	2,700
Alexander.....	14,700	14,000	C. COASTAL.....	84,900	83,100
Catawba.....	20,300	19,300	Bladen.....	10,400	9,500
Chatham.....	28,200	25,800	Brunswick.....	2,100	2,100
Davidson.....	21,500	20,400	Columbus.....	9,300	9,300
Davie.....	20,200	19,200	Cumberland.....	9,800	8,300
Iredell.....	48,900	47,900	Duplin.....	10,300	8,800
Lee.....	5,600	5,300	Harnett.....	10,400	9,500
Randolph.....	30,600	27,600	Hoke.....	3,300	2,000
Rowan.....	27,600	27,200	New Hanover.....	*	*
Wake.....	17,500	16,600	Onslow.....	2,900	2,000
C. PIEDMONT.....	235,100	223,300	Pender.....	2,800	2,000
			Robeson.....	6,300	6,300
			Sampson.....	14,100	10,000
			Scotland.....	7,300	6,000
			S. COASTAL.....	89,400	76,100
			STATE TOTAL.....	1,170,000	1,080,000

* Counties with less than 1,000 head not published.

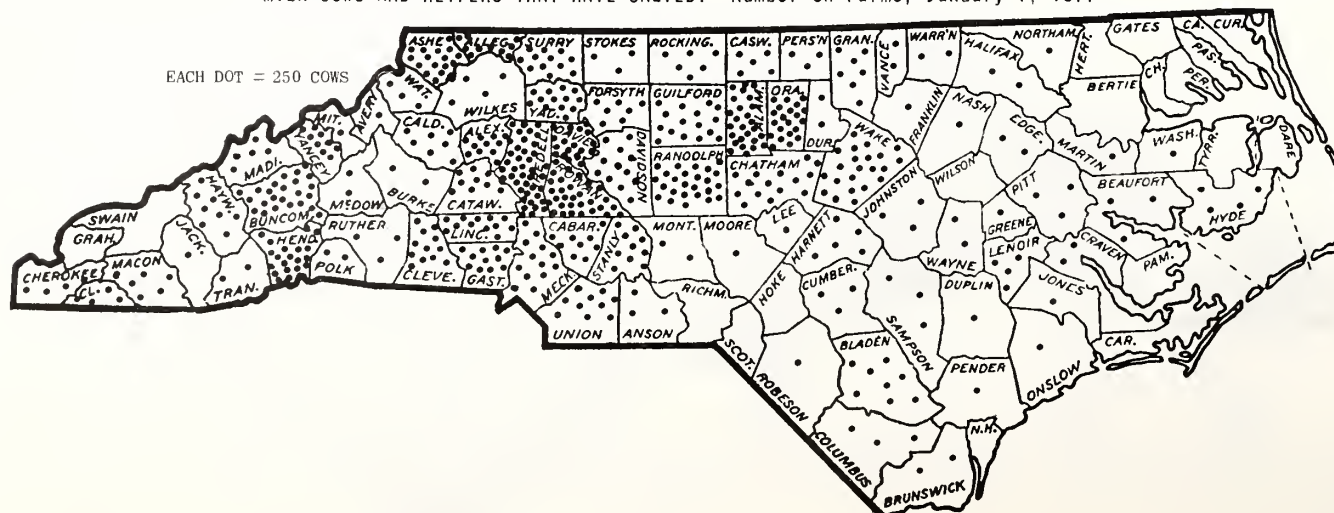


MILK COWS AND HEIFERS THAT HAVE CALVED: Number On Farms, By Counties, January 1, 1976-77

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	1976	1977	COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	1976	1977
Alleghany.....	4,400	4,200	Anson.....	800	800
Ashe.....	2,300	2,200	Cabarrus.....	1,800	1,900
Avery.....	300	400	Cleveland.....	3,200	3,100
Caldwell.....	1,800	1,700	Gaston.....	2,900	2,800
Surry.....	2,300	3,000	Lincoln.....	1,900	2,600
Watauga.....	800	800	Mecklenburg.....	2,700	3,200
Wilkes.....	1,200	1,000	Montgomery.....	700	600
Yadkin.....	3,600	3,400	Moore.....	200	200
N. MOUNTAIN.....	16,700	16,700	Richmond.....	*	*
Buncombe.....	5,600	5,900	Stanly.....	2,300	2,600
Burke.....	500	600	Union.....	3,600	2,400
Cherokee.....	500	1,000	S. PIEDMONT.....	20,200	20,200
Clay.....	1,000	1,000	Bertie.....	200	*
Graham.....	*	*	Camden.....	*	*
Haywood.....	1,800	2,100	Chowan.....	*	*
Henderson.....	4,400	5,100	Currituck.....	*	*
Jackson.....	200	200	Dare.....	*	*
McDowell.....	500	500	Edgecombe.....	800	600
Macon.....	1,900	1,600	Gates.....	*	*
Madison.....	1,600	1,200	Halifax.....	600	600
Mitchell.....	400	300	Hertford.....	*	*
Polk.....	500	400	Martin.....	200	300
Rutherford.....	1,000	800	Nash.....	300	300
Swain.....	200	*	Northampton.....	200	200
Transylvania.....	200	400	Pasquotank.....	*	*
Yancey.....	1,800	2,100	Perquimans.....	200	*
W. MOUNTAIN.....	22,200	23,400	Tyrrell.....	*	*
Alamance.....	6,100	6,400	Washington.....	300	200
Caswell.....	1,200	1,200	N. COASTAL.....	3,400	2,500
Durham.....	700	500	Beaufort.....	800	800
Forsyth.....	1,900	1,800	Carteret.....	*	*
Franklin.....	200	300	Craven.....	400	600
Granville.....	2,300	1,800	Greene.....	200	200
Guilford.....	3,900	4,100	Hyde.....	700	900
Orange.....	5,200	5,200	Johnston.....	600	800
Person.....	600	700	Jones.....	200	300
Rockingham.....	1,400	1,400	Lenoir.....	1,300	1,100
Stokes.....	700	700	Pamlico.....	300	*
Vance.....	300	500	Pitt.....	700	700
Warren.....	400	400	Wayne.....	1,000	500
N. PIEDMONT.....	24,900	25,000	Wilson.....	200	*
Alexander.....	2,400	2,800	C. COASTAL.....	6,400	6,000
Catawba.....	2,200	2,300	Bladen.....	2,000	1,900
Chatham.....	3,700	3,800	Brunswick.....	300	500
Davidson.....	2,900	3,000	Columbus.....	600	700
Davie.....	4,300	4,500	Cumberland.....	900	800
Iredell.....	9,800	10,300	Duplin.....	400	300
Lee.....	200	200	Harnett.....	1,100	1,300
Randolph.....	6,200	6,100	Hoke.....	*	*
Rowan.....	6,900	7,400	New Hanover.....	*	*
Wake.....	5,500	5,600	Onslow.....	300	300
C. PIEDMONT.....	44,100	46,000	Pender.....	500	200
			Robeson.....	500	300
			Sampson.....	1,100	800
			Scotland.....	200	*
			S. COASTAL.....	8,100	7,200
			STATE TOTAL.....	146,000	147,000

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MILK COWS AND HEIFERS THAT HAVE CALVED: Number On Farms, January 1, 1977

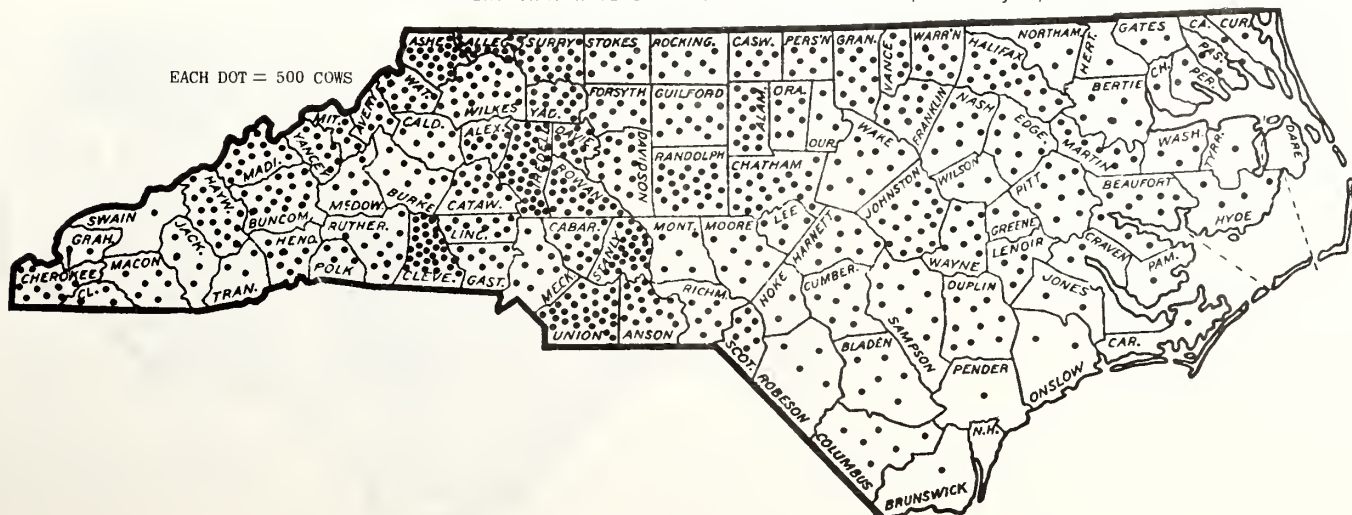


BEEF COWS AND HEIFERS THAT HAVE CALVED: Number On Farms, By Counties, January 1, 1976-77

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	1976	1977	COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	1976	1977
Alleghany.....	7,800	6,000	Anson.....	8,400	7,400
Ashe.....	11,800	10,000	Cabarrus.....	8,200	5,400
Avery.....	2,100	1,800	Cleveland.....	16,000	14,700
Caldwell.....	3,900	3,300	Gaston.....	4,700	3,700
Surry.....	9,100	9,000	Lincoln.....	6,800	4,600
Watauga.....	4,500	4,900	Mecklenburg.....	4,900	3,900
Wilkes.....	12,000	10,000	Montgomery.....	1,900	2,400
Yadkin.....	7,400	6,000	Moore.....	4,500	3,500
N. MOUNTAIN.....	58,600	51,000	Richmond.....	2,600	2,800
Buncombe.....	9,000	8,000	Stanly.....	10,900	10,700
Burke.....	3,100	4,000	Union.....	14,500	14,000
Cherokee.....	3,300	4,000	S. PIEDMONT.....	83,400	73,100
Clay.....	2,300	1,600	Bertie.....	2,300	2,300
Graham.....	800	1,000	Camden.....	1,000	800
Haywood.....	8,300	7,500	Chowan.....	800	700
Henderson.....	3,200	3,300	Currituck.....	900	500
Jackson.....	1,800	2,000	Dare.....	*	*
McDowell.....	2,000	1,700	Edgecombe.....	5,500	3,400
Macon.....	2,700	2,900	Gates.....	1,300	1,000
Madison.....	6,700	5,800	Halifax.....	8,400	7,500
Mitchell.....	2,400	1,900	Hertford.....	700	*
Polk.....	2,000	2,100	Martin.....	3,900	3,700
Rutherford.....	6,200	5,500	Nash.....	4,500	3,500
Swain.....	500	600	Northampton.....	2,900	1,700
Transylvania.....	1,600	1,300	Pasquotank.....	1,400	800
Yancey.....	3,200	3,500	Perquimans.....	1,300	900
W. MOUNTAIN.....	59,100	56,700	Tyrrell.....	800	700
Alamance.....	6,900	6,600	Washington.....	2,300	1,600
Caswell.....	4,900	3,700	N. COASTAL.....	38,100	29,400
Durham.....	2,400	1,600	Beaufort.....	4,100	4,500
Forsyth.....	5,200	3,800	Carteret.....	600	600
Franklin.....	5,100	4,000	Craven.....	1,200	1,100
Granville.....	7,800	5,800	Greene.....	1,400	1,000
Guilford.....	8,700	5,800	Hyde.....	1,900	2,100
Orange.....	4,800	3,600	Johnston.....	9,200	8,500
Person.....	4,400	3,000	Jones.....	1,400	800
Rockingham.....	5,400	4,100	Lenoir.....	1,700	1,800
Stokes.....	6,100	4,500	Pamlico.....	*	*
Vance.....	2,400	2,500	Pitt.....	5,600	4,500
Warren.....	4,700	4,200	Wayne.....	4,500	4,000
N. PIEDMONT.....	68,800	53,200	Wilson.....	2,000	1,100
Alexander.....	5,500	4,600	C. COASTAL.....	34,000	30,400
Catawba.....	7,600	6,200	Bladen.....	3,200	2,400
Chatham.....	12,100	9,500	Brunswick.....	700	700
Davidson.....	7,900	6,300	Columbus.....	3,700	3,100
Davie.....	6,400	4,500	Cumberland.....	4,100	3,100
Iredell.....	16,200	17,000	Duplin.....	4,600	4,100
Lee.....	2,800	2,100	Harnett.....	5,100	4,000
Randolph.....	10,500	10,800	Hoke.....	1,400	1,100
Rowan.....	9,000	8,300	New Hanover.....	*	*
Wake.....	5,700	4,600	Onslow.....	1,100	1,000
C. PIEDMONT.....	83,700	73,900	Pender.....	1,100	600
			Robeson.....	2,700	2,200
			Sampson.....	6,400	4,300
			Scotland.....	4,100	3,600
			S. COASTAL.....	38,300	30,300
			STATE TOTAL.....	464,000	398,000

* Counties with less than 500 beef cows not published.

BEEF COWS AND HEIFERS THAT HAVE CALVED: Number On Farms, January 1, 1977

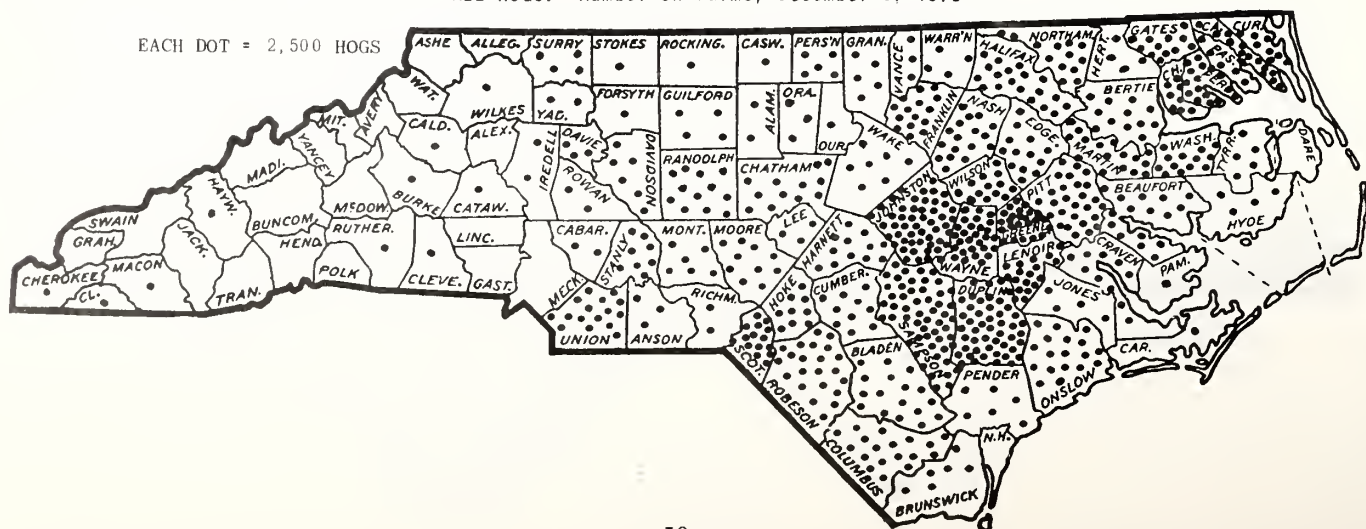


ALL HOGS: Number On Farms, By Counties, December 1, 1975-76

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	1975	1976	COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	1975	1976
Alleghany.....	1,300	1,500	Anson.....	7,300	8,000
Ashe.....	1,100	1,200	Cabarrus.....	5,100	5,200
Avery.....*	*	*	Cleveland.....	1,700	1,700
Caldwell.....	3,000	2,900	Gaston.....	1,400	1,400
Surry.....	9,100	9,500	Lincoln.....	1,300	1,300
Watauga.....*	*	1,000	Mecklenburg.....	*	*
Wilkes.....	2,900	3,000	Montgomery.....	13,300	15,500
Yadkin.....	4,500	5,000	Moore.....	21,500	24,100
N. MOUNTAIN.....	23,000	24,300	Richmond.....	5,800	5,700
Buncombe.....	1,400	1,400	Stanly.....	20,300	20,900
Burke.....	1,800	1,800	Union.....	33,000	40,200
Cherokee.....	1,600	1,700	S. PIEDMONT.....	111,600	124,800
Clay.....	3,300	3,400	Bertie.....	31,500	31,000
Graham.....*	*	*	Camden.....	35,600	35,000
Haywood.....	2,800	2,900	Chowan.....	20,000	20,000
Henderson.....	1,100	1,500	Currituck.....	21,300	21,000
Jackson.....	1,100	1,100	Dare.....*	*	*
McDowell.....	1,600	1,600	Edgecombe.....	33,000	31,800
Macon.....	2,900	2,900	Gates.....	28,800	29,500
Madison.....*	*	*	Halifax.....	48,600	46,700
Mitchell.....*	*	*	Hertford.....	10,300	10,400
Polk.....*	*	*	Martin.....	41,300	39,600
Rutherford.....	2,800	2,800	Nash.....	44,500	42,000
Swain.....*	*	*	Northampton.....	33,000	32,000
Transylvania.....	1,600	1,500	Pasquotank.....	14,000	13,000
Yancey.....*	*	*	Perquimans.....	41,000	39,000
W. MOUNTAIN.....	24,800	25,300	Tyrrell.....	13,300	12,800
Alamance.....	6,200	6,300	Washington.....	31,500	32,500
Caswell.....	3,700	3,800	N. COASTAL.....	448,000	436,500
Durham.....	3,700	3,200	Beaufort.....	40,600	41,400
Forsyth.....	2,500	2,000	Carteret.....	2,300	2,400
Franklin.....	35,000	38,100	Craven.....	23,000	24,000
Granville.....	9,500	11,600	Greene.....	63,500	65,800
Guilford.....	9,000	9,000	Hyde.....	9,000	9,300
Orange.....	7,600	8,000	Johnston.....	124,200	124,600
Person.....	10,500	11,900	Jones.....	10,200	10,400
Rockingham.....	3,600	3,700	Lenoir.....	43,100	44,400
Stokes.....	3,500	3,400	Pamlico.....	2,500	3,400
Vance.....	8,000	8,000	Pitt.....	63,000	67,700
Warren.....	7,200	9,000	Wayne.....	71,400	71,500
N. PIEDMONT.....	110,000	118,000	Wilson.....	30,000	33,300
Alexander.....	1,300	1,300	C. COASTAL.....	482,800	498,200
Catawba.....	2,500	3,000	Bladen.....	39,000	43,300
Chatham.....	23,900	26,900	Brunswick.....	17,000	16,000
Davidson.....	15,400	16,000	Columbus.....	46,000	46,000
Davie.....	9,000	8,000	Cumberland.....	25,000	25,000
Iredell.....	4,700	5,200	Duplin.....	123,000	122,000
Lee.....	9,000	8,000	Harnett.....	29,500	29,100
Randolph.....	30,100	30,500	Hoke.....	22,800	23,000
Rowan.....	6,000	6,000	New Hanover.....	*	*
Wake.....	18,100	18,000	Onslow.....	39,200	44,900
C. PIEDMONT.....	120,000	122,900	Pender.....	15,200	15,300
			Robeson.....	55,000	55,500
			Sampson.....	131,500	132,000
			Scotland.....	36,000	37,400
			S. COASTAL.....	579,800	590,000
			STATE TOTAL.....	1,900,000	1,940,000

* Counties with less than 1,000 head not published.

ALL HOGS: Number On Farms, December 1, 1976



MEAT ANIMALS: Numbers, Production, Disposition, Price and Income, 1975-77

SPECIES	1975	1976	1977
	<i>Thousands</i>		
HOGS			
Number:			
On hand Dec. 1 preceding year (Total)	1,890	1,900	1,940
Spring Crop: (Dec.-May)			
Sows farrowed.....	190	232	218
Pigs saved.....	1,396	1,694	1,542
Fall Crop: (June-Nov.)			
Sows farrowed.....	177	197	229
Pigs saved.....	1,283	1,444	1,633
Inshipments.....	70	67	85
Marketings <u>1/</u>	2,334	2,750	2,500
Farm Slaughter <u>2/</u>	175	155	120
Deaths.....	230	260	280
Production (Lbs.) <u>3/</u>	573,288	646,405	621,943
Marketings (Lbs.) <u>4/</u>	505,061	592,635	532,500
Price Per 100 Lbs. (\$) <u>5/</u>	46.40	44.50	39.10
Cash Receipts from sales (\$) <u>6/</u>	234,348	263,723	208,208
Value of home consumption (\$).....	28,501	24,210	20,528
Gross Income (\$).....	262,849	287,933	228,736
CATTLE AND CALVES			
Number:			
On hand Jan. 1 (Total).....	1,150	1,170	1,080
Cows and Heifers that have calved....	610	610	545
Calves born.....	525	490	500
Inshipments.....	8	9	6
Marketings <u>1/</u> :			
Cattle.....	238	246	211
Calves.....	191	235	197
Farm Slaughter <u>2/</u> :			
Cattle and Calves.....	14	23	18
Deaths:			
Cattle.....	25	20	20
Calves.....	45	65	40
Production <u>3/</u> :			
Total Cattle and Calves (Lbs.).....	260,750	216,670	260,490
Marketings (Lbs.) <u>4/</u>	238,039	257,094	222,624
Price per 100 Lbs. (\$) <u>5/</u> :			
Cattle.....	23.00	26.90	26.70
Calves.....	27.40	34.40	34.80
Cash Receipts from sales (\$) <u>6/</u>	56,595	72,983	62,857
Value of home consumption (\$).....	5,427	10,639	7,750
Gross Income (\$).....	62,022	83,622	70,607
SHEEP AND LAMBS			
Number:			
On hand Jan. 1 (Total).....	11	10	9
Lambs saved.....	8.0	7.4	6.8
Inshipments.....	-	-	-
Marketings <u>1/</u> :			
Sheep.....	2.0	2.1	1.6
Lambs.....	4.0	3.7	2.9
Farm Slaughter <u>2/</u> :			
Sheep and Lambs.....	1.0	.8	.7
Deaths:			
Sheep.....	1.0	.7	.6
Lambs.....	1.0	1.1	1.0
Production <u>3/</u> :			
Total Sheep and Lambs (Lbs.).....	530	494	505
Marketings (Lbs.) <u>4/</u>	542	542	406
Price per 100 Lbs. (\$) <u>5/</u> :			
Sheep.....	12.00	14.00	14.00
Lambs.....	34.00	38.00	36.00
Cash Receipts from sales (\$) <u>6/</u>	135	150	108
Value of home consumption (\$).....	44	36	34
Gross Income (\$).....	179	186	142

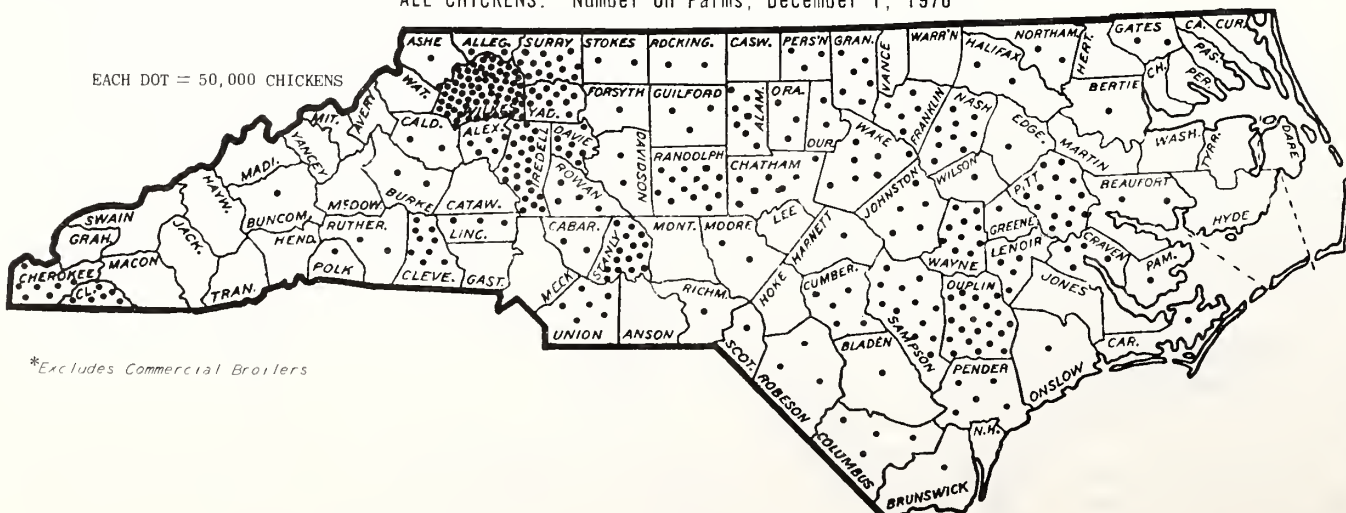
1/ Includes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced State outshipments, but excludes interfarm sales within the State. 2/ Excludes custom slaughter for farmers at commercial establishments. 3/ Adjustments made for changes in inventory and for inshipments. 4/ Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and interfarm sales within the State. 5/ Price per 100 lbs. 6/ Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter.

ALL CHICKENS: Number On Farms, By Counties, December 1, 1975-76 L

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	1975	1976	COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	1975	1976
Alleghany.....	96,000	100,000	Anson.....	14,000	14,000
Ashe.....	36,000	38,000	Cabarrus.....	106,000	110,000
Avery.....	*	*	Cleveland.....	430,000	443,000
Caldwell.....	106,000	110,000	Gaston.....	7,000	8,000
Surry.....	617,000	648,000	Lincoln.....	165,000	171,000
Watauga.....	21,000	22,000	Mecklenburg.....	11,000	*
Wilkes.....	3,235,000	3,396,000	Montgomery.....	14,000	15,000
Yadkin.....	492,000	517,000	Moore.....	104,000	108,000
N. MOUNTAIN.....	4,605,000	4,835,000	Richmond.....	60,000	63,000
Buncombe.....	65,000	65,000	Stanly.....	707,000	729,000
Burke.....	75,000	75,000	Union.....	302,000	313,000
Cherokee.....	335,000	335,000	S. PIEDMONT.....	1,920,000	1,978,000
Clay.....	286,000	286,000	Bertie.....	26,000	26,000
Graham.....	*	*	Camden.....	*	*
Haywood.....	11,000	11,000	Chowan.....	5,000	5,000
Henderson.....	*	*	Currituck.....	*	*
Jackson.....	*	*	Dare.....	*	*
McDowell.....	17,000	17,000	Edgecombe.....	39,000	39,000
Macon.....	22,000	22,000	Gates.....	104,000	102,000
Madison.....	8,000	8,000	Halifax.....	77,000	76,000
Mitchell.....	*	*	Hertford.....	*	*
Polk.....	64,000	64,000	Martin.....	5,000	5,000
Rutherford.....	74,000	74,000	Nash.....	475,000	470,000
Swain.....	*	*	Northampton.....	106,000	105,000
Transylvania.....	7,000	7,000	Pasquotank.....	*	*
Yancey.....	6,000	6,000	Perquimans.....	*	*
W. MOUNTAIN.....	980,000	980,000	Tyrrell.....	8,000	8,000
Alamance.....	351,000	344,000	Washington.....	7,000	7,000
Caswell.....	19,000	19,000	N. COASTAL.....	865,000	856,000
Durham.....	81,000	79,000	Beaufort.....	73,000	77,000
Forsyth.....	51,000	50,000	Carteret.....	47,000	50,000
Franklin.....	277,000	271,000	Craven.....	194,000	206,000
Granville.....	309,000	303,000	Greene.....	51,000	54,000
Guilford.....	149,000	146,000	Hyde.....	*	*
Orange.....	158,000	155,000	Johnston.....	228,000	242,000
Person.....	140,000	137,000	Jones.....	*	*
Rockingham.....	109,000	107,000	Lenoir.....	193,000	204,000
Stokes.....	117,000	115,000	Pamlico.....	61,000	65,000
Vance.....	*	*	Pitt.....	644,000	683,000
Warren.....	5,000	5,000	Wayne.....	458,000	485,000
N. PIEDMONT.....	1,770,000	1,735,000	Wilson.....	27,000	29,000
Alexander.....	233,000	249,000	C. COASTAL.....	1,980,000	2,099,000
Catawba.....	112,000	120,000	Bladen.....	60,000	65,000
Chatham.....	339,000	363,000	Brunswick.....	29,000	31,000
Davidson.....	102,000	109,000	Columbus.....	194,000	210,000
Davie.....	333,000	356,000	Cumberland.....	209,000	226,000
Iredell.....	1,095,000	1,172,000	Duplin.....	912,000	985,000
Lee.....	*	*	Harnett.....	37,000	40,000
Randolph.....	617,000	660,000	Hoke.....	*	*
Rowan.....	188,000	201,000	New Hanover.....	17,000	18,000
Wake.....	349,000	373,000	Onslow.....	41,000	44,000
C. PIEDMONT.....	3,370,000	3,606,000	Pender.....	251,000	271,000
			Robeson.....	159,000	172,000
			Sampson.....	559,000	604,000
			Scotland.....	40,000	43,000
			S. COASTAL.....	2,510,000	2,711,000
			STATE TOTAL.....	18,000,000	18,800,000

L Excludes commercial broilers. * Counties with less than 5,000 birds not published.

ALL CHICKENS: Number On Farms, December 1, 1976*



CHICKENS: Farm Production, Disposition and Income, 1970-77 *//*

YEAR	NUMBER			POUNDS			Price Per Pound	Cash Receipts From Sales	Value Of Chickens Consumed In Household	Gross Income
	Produced	Consumed In Farm Household	Sold	Produced	Consumed In Farm Household	Sold				
	Thousands			Cents			Thousand Dollars			
1970	12,850	1,075	12,095	73,961	4,300	74,989	12.0	8,999	516	9,515
1971	15,425	1,097	14,528	94,508	4,937	90,074	11.3	10,178	558	10,736
1972	14,488	1,020	14,548	94,289	4,590	94,562	11.3	10,686	519	11,205
1973	12,453	970	11,898	84,632	4,365	83,286	19.7	16,407	860	17,267
1974	12,700	1,000	13,100	90,122	4,500	91,700	15.0	13,755	675	14,430
1975	11,800	1,000	11,500	81,843	4,500	80,500	20.9	16,825	941	17,766
1976	11,800	1,000	10,000	76,738	4,500	70,000	19.8	13,860	891	14,751
1977	14,500	1,000	10,900	97,428	4,500	81,750	17.0	13,898	765	14,663

// Excludes commercial broilers.

EGGS: Farm Production, Disposition and Income, 1970-77 *//*

YEAR	Average Number Layers During Year	Average Eggs Laid Annually Per Layer On Farm	Eggs Produced	Consumed In Farm Household	Sold	Average Price Per Dozen	Cash Receipts	Value Of Eggs Consumed In Farm Household	Gross Income
	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Millions</i>			<i>Cents</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>		
1970	15,659	220	3,440	49	3,391	44.4	125,467	1,813	127,280
1971	15,248	222	3,381	28	3,353	39.1	109,252	912	110,164
1972	15,172	226	3,433	27	3,406	34.4	97,639	774	98,413
1973	14,090	228	3,212	25	3,187	58.9	156,429	1,227	157,656
1974	13,011	233	3,037	23	3,014	64.0	160,747	1,227	161,974
1975	11,954	234	2,802	21	2,781	62.3	144,380	1,090	145,470
1976	11,591	238	2,756	21	2,735	67.1	152,932	1,174	154,106
1977	12,374	240	2,968	19	2,949	66.3	162,932	1,050	163,982

// Data are on a December 1 - November 30 production year basis.

COMMERCIAL BROILERS: Production, Price and Income 1970-77

YEAR	Number Produced	Pounds Produced	Price Per Pound	Gross Income
	<i>Thousands</i>		<i>Cents</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
1970	308,624	1,141,909	13.7	156,442
1971	289,926	1,101,719	13.4	147,630
1972	301,772	1,176,911	13.9	163,591
1973	290,448	1,132,747	24.5	277,523
1974	286,558	1,146,232	21.2	243,001
1975	283,986	1,107,545	25.6	283,532
1976	315,589	1,262,356	23.6	297,916
1977	339,271	1,357,084	23.4	317,558



TURKEY BREEDER HENS: Number On Farms and Value, 1970-77

YEAR	Number	Value Per Head	Total Value
	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
1970	265	5.00	1,325
1971	240	5.70	1,368
1972	256	6.10	1,562
1973	275	8.70	2,393
1974	325	8.80	2,860
1975	345	13.00	4,485
1976	320	10.60	3,392
1977	350	13.60	4,760

TURKEYS: Farm Production, Disposition and Income, 1970-77

YEAR	Number Raised	Pounds Produced	Price Per Pound	Gross Income <i>//</i>
	<i>Thousands</i>		<i>Cents</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
1970	9,579	176,254	21.7	38,247
1971	10,168	177,940	22.8	40,570
1972	12,035	197,374	22.4	44,212
1973	13,078	226,249	38.1	86,201
1974	14,944	260,026	28.6	74,367
1975	14,400	241,920	37.2	89,994
1976	16,700	283,900	35.0	99,365
1977	16,500	290,400	37.9	110,062

// Includes value of consumption in households of producers.

HENS AND PULLETS OF LAYING AGE: Average Number On Farms, By Months, 1970-77

YEAR	Dec. <u>1</u>	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Monthly Average
<i>Thousands</i>													
1970	15,913	16,136	16,215	15,972	15,692	15,418	15,224	15,262	15,415	15,569	15,554	15,539	15,659
1971	15,678	15,568	15,358	15,319	15,243	15,015	14,715	14,748	15,117	15,227	15,378	15,611	15,248
1972	15,632	15,647	15,608	15,375	14,915	14,869	15,088	15,201	15,199	15,009	14,784	14,735	15,172
1973	14,761	14,627	14,758	14,761	14,499	14,217	13,648	13,221	13,337	13,506	13,752	13,994	14,090
1974	13,906	13,709	13,530	13,277	12,827	12,735	12,820	12,675	12,600	12,575	12,650	12,825	13,011
1975	13,000	13,200	12,650	12,200	11,650	11,050	11,250	11,375	11,450	11,725	11,950	11,950	11,954
1976	11,950	11,800	11,850	11,800	11,600	11,300	11,050	11,200	11,375	11,525	11,700	11,937	11,591
1977	12,262	12,225	11,950	11,750	11,500	11,550	11,950	12,250	12,500	13,100	13,600	13,850	12,374

1/ December preceding year.

RATE OF LAY: Eggs Produced Per Hundred Layers, By Months, 1970-77

YEAR	Dec. <u>1</u>	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Yearly Total	Monthly Average
<i>Number</i>														
1970	1,823	1,783	1,630	1,854	1,845	1,941	1,863	1,891	1,857	1,797	1,879	1,812	21,975	1,831
1971	1,845	1,848	1,708	1,894	1,839	1,928	1,866	1,900	1,854	1,806	1,885	1,815	22,188	1,849
1972	1,903	1,916	1,792	1,934	1,875	1,947	1,893	1,900	1,872	1,833	1,913	1,845	22,623	1,885
1973	1,885	1,900	1,702	1,876	1,866	1,962	1,911	1,996	1,984	1,905	1,947	1,881	22,815	1,901
1974	1,962	1,969	1,806	2,015	1,896	1,959	1,950	2,012	1,987	1,914	1,978	1,902	23,350	1,946
1975	1,965	1,956	1,772	2,009	1,965	2,012	1,941	2,018	1,990	1,908	1,990	1,932	23,458	1,955
1976	1,993	1,969	1,856	2,031	1,974	2,040	1,968	2,021	2,031	1,956	2,003	1,956	23,798	1,983
1977	2,018	1,956	1,775	2,046	2,028	2,086	1,977	1,984	1,990	2,013	2,096	2,013	23,982	1,999

1/ December preceding year.

EGG PRODUCTION: Number Of Eggs Produced On Farms, By Months, 1970-77

YEAR	Dec. <u>1</u>	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Yearly Total	Monthly Average
<i>Millions</i>														
1970	290	288	264	296	290	299	284	289	286	280	292	282	3,440	287
1971	289	288	262	290	280	289	275	280	280	275	290	283	3,381	282
1972	297	300	280	297	280	289	286	289	285	275	283	272	3,433	286
1973	278	278	251	277	271	279	261	264	265	257	268	263	3,212	268
1974	273	270	244	268	243	249	250	255	250	241	250	244	3,037	253
1975	255	258	224	245	229	222	218	230	228	224	238	231	2,802	234
1976	238	232	220	240	229	231	217	226	231	225	234	233	2,756	238
1977	247	239	212	240	233	241	236	243	249	264	285	279	2,968	240

1/ December preceding year.

COMMERCIAL HATCHERIES: Chicks Hatched, By Type and Turkey Poults Hatched, By Months, 1976-77

MONTH	CHICKS HATCHED						TURKEY POULTS HATCHED	
	1976			1977			1976	1977
	Broiler Type	Egg Type	Total	Broiler Type	Egg Type	Total		
<i>Thousands</i>								
January	26,850	295	27,145	31,768	850	32,618	1,501	1,211
February	26,843	400	27,243	28,847	895	29,742	1,417	1,190
March	30,694	650	31,344	34,008	904	34,912	1,770	1,612
April	31,823	649	32,472	33,531	1,140	34,671	1,829	1,697
May	33,494	769	34,263	34,494	900	35,394	1,737	1,894
June	32,780	300	33,080	33,587	650	34,237	1,644	1,794
July	32,831	650	33,481	32,423	860	33,283	1,644	1,951
August	31,105	1,000	32,105	30,045	600	30,645	1,194	1,125
September	28,656	900	29,556	28,710	600	29,310	1,014	1,065
October	28,780	550	29,330	29,714	635	30,349	1,100	1,286
November	28,631	700	29,331	28,657	530	29,187	1,112	1,288
December	29,962	700	30,662	31,225	675	31,900	1,068	1,272
YEARLY TOTAL	362,449	7,563	370,012	377,009	9,239	386,248	17,030	17,385

COMMERCIAL HATCHERIES: Broiler and Turkey Poult Eggs Set and Hatch, By Weeks, 1977

MONTH & WEEK L/	COMMERCIAL BROILERS			TURKEY POULTS	
	Eggs Set	Chicks Placed	Marketable Broilers 2/	Eggs Set	Poults Hatched
<i>Thousands</i>					
January 1	8,640	6,429	5,556	387	303
8	8,772	6,786	5,888	377	256
15	8,679	6,746	6,200	370	256
22	8,451	6,775	6,203	348	284
29	8,533	6,795	6,146	507	291
February 5	8,437	6,885	6,056	476	279
12	9,054	6,641	6,044	461	268
19	9,036	6,683	6,101	491	253
26	9,086	6,504	6,316	537	372
March 5	9,097	7,138	6,453	481	341
12	9,133	7,182	6,565	536	344
19	9,197	7,240	6,568	494	373
26	9,143	7,089	6,613	563	393
April 2	9,364	7,246	6,570	558	362
9	9,414	7,248	6,534	570	400
16	9,229	7,142	6,410	557	377
23	9,068	7,328	6,571	575	401
30	9,368	7,451	6,732	591	416
May 7	9,414	7,326	6,970	634	429
14	9,357	7,128	6,955	591	405
21	9,329	7,306	6,975	608	416
28	9,361	7,391	6,978	496	443
June 4	9,314	7,374	6,995	560	469
11	9,429	7,310	7,021	610	432
18	9,026	7,376	7,087	637	444
25	8,540	7,245	7,147	648	359
July 2	8,876	7,390	7,082	599	407
9	8,993	7,030	7,035	489	435
16	8,762	6,612	7,056	397	459
23	8,415	6,894	7,136	305	460
30	8,226	6,994	7,137	331	432
August 6	8,380	6,554	7,132	301	343
13	8,515	6,260	7,090	407	269
20	8,462	6,069	7,116	360	219
27	8,426	6,442	7,004	315	227
September 3	7,870	6,560	6,800	373	202
10	7,863	6,537	6,639	391	282
17	8,212	6,554	6,628	385	248
24	8,337	6,110	6,609	478	226
October 1	8,587	6,000	6,404	403	261
8	7,845	6,319	6,105	398	273
15	7,866	6,324	6,069	408	271
22	8,176	6,542	6,166	402	326
29	8,440	5,953	6,317	392	294
November 5	8,044	5,933	6,353	446	294
12	8,194	6,257	6,208	327	305
19	8,448	6,651	6,037	431	302
26	8,669	6,254	5,961	337	280
December 3	8,590	6,363	6,030	512	334
10	8,708	6,574	6,203	508	239
17	8,697	6,614	6,084	584	291
24	8,715	6,684	5,958	598	232
31	8,990	6,749	5,866	533	367

L/ Week ending on date shown. 2/ Marketable broilers computed on basis of three percent mortality and placements 7-9 weeks earlier.

COMMERCIAL LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER: Commercial Slaughter, By Months, 1976-77

MONTH	CATTLE			CALVES			SHEEP AND LAMBS			HOGS		
	Number	Average Live Weight	Total Live Weight	Number	Average Live Weight	Total Live Weight	Number	Average Live Weight	Total Live Weight	Number	Average Live Weight	Total Live Weight
	Pounds			Pounds			Pounds			Pounds		
	Thousand Pounds			Thousand Pounds			Thousand Pounds			Thousand Pounds		
	1976			1977			1976			1977		
January.....	23,400	905	21,177	600	200	120	100	100	10	148,000	231	34,188
February.....	17,800	891	15,860	1,000	230	230	-	-	-	135,000	227	30,645
March.....	19,500	910	17,745	800	249	199	-	-	-	161,000	225	36,225
April.....	15,900	909	14,453	600	261	157	100	100	10	146,000	219	31,974
May.....	15,400	901	13,875	500	302	151	-	-	-	134,000	223	29,882
June.....	16,400	917	15,039	600	254	152	100	100	10	127,000	226	28,702
July.....	15,300	919	14,061	500	214	107	100	91	9	116,000	220	25,520
August.....	16,000	916	14,656	700	216	151	100	100	10	139,000	226	31,414
September.....	21,700	893	19,378	800	202	162	-	-	-	158,000	221	34,918
October.....	22,200	856	19,003	900	301	271	85	85	8	152,000	229	34,808
November.....	21,900	882	19,316	700	232	162	-	-	-	156,000	229	35,724
December.....	19,600	877	17,189	700	228	160	-	-	-	163,000	227	37,001
Total Commercial.....	225,100	896	201,752	8,400	241	2,022	600	95	57	1,735,000	225	391,001
	1977			1977			1977			1977		
January.....	17,900	886	15,852	600	209	132	-	-	-	156,400	223	34,802
February.....	15,500	891	13,817	900	250	214	100	104	5	148,600	220	32,672
March.....	16,500	889	14,682	600	183	116	-	-	-	176,400	221	39,059
April.....	15,000	884	13,225	600	238	134	-	-	-	167,100	223	37,330
May.....	14,200	872	12,367	500	239	111	-	-	-	157,100	223	35,039
June.....	14,700	887	13,062	500	216	107	100	81	5	162,700	222	36,088
July.....	13,900	877	12,162	400	205	84	-	-	-	127,300	219	27,840
August.....	17,400	858	14,908	700	233	154	100	97	6	150,700	213	32,131
September.....	15,300	839	12,821	600	248	159	100	120	6	141,100	227	32,070
October.....	18,500	831	15,362	700	286	204	100	108	11	165,300	224	36,968
November.....	21,400	829	17,741	1,000	263	253	-	-	-	172,300	227	39,083
December.....	17,500	864	15,084	600	238	152	-	-	-	154,000	221	33,989
Total Commercial.....	197,600	866	171,084	7,700	237	1,820	600	100	55	1,879,100	222	417,073

NOTE: Total commercial includes slaughter in Federally inspected and other slaughter plants, but excludes animals slaughtered on farms. Details may not add to totals because of rounding.

LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER: Farm Slaughter and Total Slaughter, 1976-77

SPECIES	1976			1977		
	Farm	Total Slaughter	Farm	Total Slaughter	Farm	Total Slaughter
	Thousand Head			Thousand Head		
Cattle and Calves	23.0	256.5	18.0	223.3		
Sheep.....	.8	1.4	.7	1.3		
Hogs.....	155.0	1,890.0	120.0	1,999.1		

Includes Farm Slaughter and Commercial Slaughter.

SLAUGHTERING ESTABLISHMENTS: Number Of Livestock Slaughtering Establishments, March 1, 1977-78

TYPE OF SLAUGHTERING ESTABLISHMENTS		1977	1978
Under Federal Inspection.		17	24
Other.....		130	132
Total.....		147	156

HONEY AND BEESWAX: Number Of Colonies, Yield Per Colony, Production, Price and Value, 1972-77

YEAR	Colonies Of Bees	HONEY				BEESWAX		
		Yield Per Colony	Total Production	Average Price Per Pound	Value Of Production	Production	Average Price Per Pound	Value Of Production
	Thous.	Pounds	Thous. Pounds	Cents	Thous. Dols.	Thous. Pounds	Cents	Thous. Dols.
1972	193	37	7,141	44.2	3,156	157	59.0	93
1973	189	21	3,969	51.3	2,036	91	70.0	64
1974	187	21	3,927	64.6	2,537	118	95.0	112
1975	195	17	3,315	71.9	2,383	99	90.0	89
1976	210	20	4,200	71.3	2,995	59	100.0	59
1977	205	25	5,125	79.3	4,064	97	139.0	135

DAIRY PRODUCTS: Sales, Prices, Value Of Sales and Gross Income, 1970-77

YEAR	MILK SOLD TO PLANTS AND DEALERS			MILK AND CREAM RETAILED BY FARMERS			COMBINED MARKETINGS OF MILK AND CREAM				USED FOR MILK CREAM & BUTTER ON FARMS WHERE PRODUCED		Gross Farm Income From Dairy Products <u>1/</u>	Farm Value Of Milk Produced <u>2/</u>
	Quan- tity	Price Per Cwt.	Cash Re- ceipts	Milk Equiv- alent	Price Per Quart	Cash Re- ceipts	Milk Uti- lized	AVERAGE RETURN		Cash Receipts From Market- ings	Milk Utilized	Value		
	<i>Mil. Lbs.</i>	<i>Dols.</i>	<i>Thous. Dollars</i>	<i>Mil. Quarts</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Thous. Dols.</i>	<i>Mil. Lbs.</i>	<i>Dollars</i>		<i>Thous. Dollars</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>		
1970	1,310	7.04	92,224	9	26.0	2,298	1,329	7.11	1.91	94,522	138	9,812	104,334	105,584
1971	1,325	7.27	96,328	9	27.0	2,386	1,344	7.34	1.97	98,714	138	10,129	108,843	110,100
1972	1,380	7.34	101,292	9	28.0	2,474	1,399	7.42	1.99	103,766	120	8,904	112,670	114,045
1973	1,350	8.58	115,830	9	35.0	3,093	1,369	8.69	2.35	118,923	100	8,690	127,613	129,481
1974	1,345	10.10	135,845	9	37.0	3,270	1,364	10.20	2.79	139,115	80	8,160	147,275	149,124
1975	1,390	10.50	145,950	9	37.0	3,442	1,410	10.60	2.90	149,392	70	7,420	156,812	157,940
1976	1,495	10.60	158,470	9	37.0	3,442	1,515	10.69	2.89	161,912	65	6,949	168,861	169,971
1977	1,570	10.90	171,130	9	35.0	3,256	1,590	10.97	2.99	174,386	61	6,692	181,078	182,212

1/ Cash receipts from marketings of milk and cream plus value of milk consumed on farm and farm churned butter.

2/ Includes value of milk fed to calves in addition to gross farm income.

DAIRY PRODUCTS: Production and Disposition Of Milk and Milk Products, 1970-77

YEAR	Milk Cows On Farms <u>1/</u>	PRODUCTION OF MILK AND MILKFAT					MILK USED ON FARM WHERE PRODUCED			MILK MARKETED BY FARMERS		
		PER MILK COW		Percent Fat In Milk	TOTAL		Fed To Calves	Consumed As Fluid Milk Or Cream	Total	Sold To Plants & Dealers As Whole Milk	Retailed By Farmers As Milk And Cream	Total Used In Products Sold
		Whole Milk	Milk- fat		Whole Milk	Milk- fat						
	<i>Thous.</i>	<i>Pounds</i>		<i>Percent</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>							
1970	170	8,735	326	3.73	1,485	55	18	138	156	1,310	19	1,329
1971	167	8,982	335	3.73	1,500	56	18	138	156	1,325	19	1,344
1972	163	9,429	352	3.73	1,537	57	18	120	138	1,380	19	1,399
1973	155	9,613	356	3.70	1,490	55	21	100	121	1,350	19	1,369
1974	146	10,014	367	3.66	1,462	54	18	80	98	1,345	19	1,364
1975	146	10,205	374	3.66	1,490	55	10	70	80	1,390	20	1,410
1976	147	10,816	400	3.70	1,590	59	10	65	75	1,495	20	1,515
1977	151	11,000	404	3.67	1,661	61	10	61	71	1,570	20	1,590

1/ Average number on farms during year excluding heifers not yet fresh.

DAIRY MANUFACTURING: Production Of Specified Products, 1972-77

YEAR	Ice Cream	Milk Sherbet	Ice Milk	Water Ices	Ice Cream Mix	All Other Mix	Cottage Cheese Curd	Cottage Cheese Creamed
	Thousand Gallons					Thousand Pounds		
1972	22,016	1,443	8,974	2,661	8,474	5,902	8,503	9,280
1973	23,207	1,451	9,278	2,154	9,057	5,977	8,129	8,862
1974	24,335	1,366	11,523	1,591	9,519	7,489	4,045	5,505
1975	27,582	1,494	9,952	2,428	13,529	7,114	3,660	4,785
1976	27,966	1,486	8,525	2,422	13,442	6,218	4,370	4,812
1977	26,462	1,769	8,154	1,485	13,229	6,350	4,360	5,725

**MILK: Grade A Purchases From Producers
By North Carolina Distributors, 1973-77 ^{1/}**

MONTH	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
<i>Thousand Pounds</i>					
Jan.	116,676	110,893	114,440	117,069	123,541
Feb.	105,766	102,117	105,768	113,238	109,883
Mar.	119,267	116,128	117,966	127,670	127,380
Apr.	116,415	113,994	117,936	123,277	125,645
May	116,517	114,974	119,586	123,625	124,464
June	101,976	103,286	107,910	113,669	113,565
July	101,448	104,112	107,698	112,800	110,907
Aug.	101,230	105,083	106,526	113,993	115,821
Sep.	98,544	103,273	106,232	113,727	113,330
Oct.	103,845	107,526	110,961	119,500	119,108
Nov.	101,916	106,047	109,414	117,272	115,104
Dec.	107,985	110,569	115,545	123,140	120,428
TOTAL	1,291,585	1,298,002	1,339,982	1,418,980	1,419,176

^{1/} Includes purchase from producers located within or outside North Carolina.

**Average Daily Production Per Grade A
Producer, 1973-77**

MONTH	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
<i>Pounds</i>					
Jan.	1,957	2,048	2,243	2,386	2,612
Feb.	1,971	2,100	2,292	2,470	2,584
Mar.	2,020	2,167	2,319	2,613	2,718
Apr.	2,062	2,208	2,412	2,609	2,777
May	2,022	2,022	2,166	2,550	2,664
June	1,860	2,023	2,211	2,427	2,524
July	1,811	1,988	2,139	2,337	2,396
Aug.	1,817	2,019	2,121	2,360	2,514
Sep.	1,843	2,061	2,195	2,458	2,589
Oct.	1,891	2,100	2,243	2,505	2,675
Nov.	1,936	2,146	2,294	2,555	2,663
Dec.	1,986	2,167	2,350	2,600	2,703

**FLUID MILK AND CREAM: Sales To Consumers
By North Carolina Distributors, 1973-77 ^{1/}**

MONTH	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
<i>Thousand Pounds</i>					
Jan.	98,982	92,835	93,219	99,539	96,793
Feb.	90,255	84,403	85,268	93,093	87,621
Mar.	101,225	92,630	91,795	102,242	100,065
Apr.	91,700	90,971	91,454	96,140	94,302
May	98,087	95,610	98,163	97,792	97,730
June	83,740	80,370	82,056	86,380	85,739
July	86,820	83,493	85,244	89,372	86,006
Aug.	90,385	88,493	87,950	90,048	90,613
Sep.	94,413	92,212	98,959	99,147	100,496
Oct.	98,375	98,509	101,456	100,448	99,020
Nov.	90,989	93,352	93,026	98,218	95,347
Dec.	86,668	87,841	96,322	95,038	94,487
TOTAL	1,111,639	1,080,719	1,104,912	1,147,457	1,128,219

^{1/} Includes sales to consumers within or outside North Carolina; includes military sales. Milk shake sales included in data.

**MILK: Grade A Purchases From Producers
By North Carolina Distributors, By Classes,
1976-77 ^{1/}**

MONTH	CLASS I PURCHASES ^{2/}		CLASS II PURCHASES	
	1976	1977	1976	1977
<i>Thousand Pounds</i>				
Jan.	106,450	104,049	10,619	19,492
Feb.	99,410	92,410	13,828	17,473
Mar.	106,318	103,957	21,352	23,423
Apr.	100,822	99,119	22,455	26,526
May	101,974	103,794	21,651	20,670
June	90,313	95,500	23,356	18,065
July	92,986	95,382	19,814	15,525
Aug.	95,103	98,710	18,890	17,111
Sep.	103,826	106,790	9,901	6,540
Oct.	107,568	106,074	11,932	13,034
Nov.	105,161	102,669	12,111	12,435
Dec.	100,163	100,540	22,977	19,888
TOTAL	1,210,094	1,208,994	208,886	210,182

^{1/} Includes purchases from producers located within or outside North Carolina. ^{2/} Class I is a total of regular Class I and IA allocations.



**NUMBER GRADE A MILK PRODUCERS,
1973-77**

MONTH	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
<i>Number</i>					
Jan.	1,923	1,747	1,646	1,583	1,526
Feb.	1,916	1,737	1,648	1,581	1,519
Mar.	1,905	1,729	1,641	1,576	1,512
Apr.	1,882	1,721	1,630	1,575	1,508
May	1,859	1,712	1,628	1,564	1,507
June	1,828	1,702	1,627	1,561	1,500
July	1,807	1,689	1,624	1,557	1,493
Aug.	1,797	1,679	1,620	1,558	1,486
Sep.	1,782	1,670	1,613	1,542	1,459
Oct.	1,771	1,652	1,596	1,539	1,446
Nov.	1,755	1,647	1,590	1,530	1,441
Dec.	1,754	1,646	1,586	1,528	1,437

MILK COWS: Number On Farms, By Months, 1973-77

YEAR	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Yearly Average //
<i>Thousand Head</i>													
1973	159	157	157	157	157	155	155	153	153	153	153	151	155
1974	150	148	147	146	146	146	146	146	146	146	145	145	146
1975	145	146	146	146	146	146	146	147	147	146	146	146	146
1976	146	147	147	147	147	147	147	147	147	148	147	147	147
1977	154	152	152	151	149	150	149	151	151	152	150	148	151

// Includes dry cows; excludes heifers not yet fresh.

MILK PRODUCTION: Average Pounds Per Cow, By Months, 1973-77

YEAR	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Yearly Average //
<i>Pounds</i>													
1973	780	745	820	810	820	810	820	820	800	810	780	800	9,613
1974	800	770	830	820	870	820	830	830	840	860	850	860	10,014
1975	850	790	850	850	880	840	860	850	840	860	860	870	10,205
1976	890	860	915	920	940	890	870	890	875	920	910	930	10,816
1977	930	895	930	930	940	920	900	900	900	930	920	930	11,000

// Yearly total may not equal sum of monthly estimates because of rounding.

MILK PRODUCTION: Total Pounds, By Months, 1973-77

YEAR	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Yearly Total
<i>Million Pounds</i>													
1973	124	117	129	127	129	126	127	125	122	124	119	121	1,490
1974	120	114	122	120	127	120	121	121	123	126	123	125	1,462
1975	123	115	124	124	128	123	126	125	123	126	126	127	1,490
1976	130	126	135	135	138	131	128	131	129	136	134	137	1,590
1977	143	136	141	140	140	138	134	136	136	141	138	138	1,661

MILK FOR FLUID USE: Average Prices Received By Farmers, By Months, 1973-77

YEAR	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Average
<i>Dollars Per Hundredweight</i>													
1973	7.80	8.10	8.05	7.90	7.95	8.05	8.20	8.80	9.20	9.30	10.40	10.25	8.64
1974	10.30	10.30	10.20	10.20	10.10	9.90	9.90	9.95	10.30	10.40	10.40	10.20	10.20
1975	10.50	10.50	10.40	10.30	10.30	10.10	10.20	10.40	10.80	10.90	10.90	10.90	10.50
1976	11.00	11.20	10.60	10.50	10.50	10.40	10.50	10.50	10.80	10.90	10.90	10.90	10.80
1977	11.00	11.00	10.90	10.70	10.80	10.80	10.80	10.80	11.10	11.10	11.30	11.30	11.00

MILK FOR MANUFACTURE: Average Prices Received By Farmers, By Months, 1973-77

YEAR	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Average
<i>Dollars Per Hundredweight</i>													
1973	4.68	4.73	4.78	4.82	4.75	4.88	5.00	5.60	6.20	7.04	7.48	7.68	5.51
1974	7.75	7.85	7.80	7.50	7.15	6.75	6.55	6.60	6.75	6.90	6.90	7.05	7.05
1975	6.90	6.85	6.80	6.65	6.60	6.60	6.60	6.90	7.15	7.70	8.00	8.15	7.00
1976	8.20	7.95	7.65	7.60	7.60	7.65	8.00	8.65	8.80	8.60	8.60	8.50	8.25
1977	8.55	8.45	8.40	8.45	8.50	8.55	8.60	8.60	8.70	8.90	9.00	9.10	8.65

ALL MILK: Average Prices Received By Farmers, By Months, 1973-77

YEAR	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Average
<i>Dollars Per Hundredweight</i>													
1973	7.77	8.07	8.01	7.86	7.89	7.95	8.10	8.70	9.14	9.25	10.37	10.22	8.58
1974	10.30	10.30	10.20	10.10	10.00	9.85	9.80	9.90	10.20	10.30	10.40	10.20	10.10
1975	10.50	10.50	10.40	10.20	10.20	10.00	10.10	10.30	10.70	10.80	10.90	10.90	10.40
1976	11.00	11.20	10.60	10.40	10.40	10.30	10.40	10.40	10.70	10.80	10.80	10.80	10.60
1977	10.90	10.90	10.80	10.60	10.70	10.70	10.70	10.70	11.00	11.00	11.20	11.20	10.90

**PRICES: Season Average Prices Received By Farmers For Specified Commodities,
North Carolina and United States, 1973-77**

YEAR	Corn Bu.	Wheat Bu.	Oats Bu.	Rye Bu.	Barley Bu.	Soybeans Bu.	Hogs Cwt.	Beef Cattle Cwt.	Calves Cwt.	Milk Cwt.	Farm Chickens Lb.	Com' l. Broilers Lb.	Eggs Doz.
	Dollars										Cents		
	NORTH CAROLINA												
1973	2.42	2.88	1.10	1.83	1.54	5.58	37.90	36.60	57.30	8.58	19.7	24.5	58.9
1974	3.18	3.29	1.44	2.85	1.87	6.81	35.00	30.30	36.30	10.10	15.0	21.2	64.0
1975	2.69	2.79	1.43	2.29	1.79	4.67	46.40	23.00	27.40	10.50	20.9	25.6	62.3
1976	2.38	3.00	1.55	2.40	1.95	6.65	44.50	26.90	34.40	10.60	19.8	23.6	67.1
1977	2.15	2.10	1.40	2.25	1.50	5.75	39.10	26.70	34.80	10.90	17.0	23.4	66.3
	UNITED STATES												
1973	2.55	3.95	1.18	1.91	2.13	5.68	38.40	42.80	56.60	7.14	15.1	24.0	52.5
1974	3.03	4.09	1.53	2.51	2.80	6.64	34.20	35.60	35.20	8.33	9.7	21.5	53.3
1975	2.54	3.56	1.46	2.36	2.42	4.92	46.10	32.30	27.20	8.75	9.9	26.3	52.5
1976	2.15	2.73	1.56	2.47	2.25	6.81	43.30	33.70	34.20	9.66	12.9	23.6	58.3
1977	2.02	2.31	1.11	2.01	1.72	5.46	39.40	34.40	36.90	9.72	12.1	23.6	55.7

PRICES: Averages Received By Farmers For Specified Crops, By Months, 1975-77

YEAR	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
	CORN (Dollars Per Bushel)											
1975	3.26	3.00	2.75	2.85	2.78	2.81	2.84	3.00	2.71	2.75	2.46	2.55
1976	2.56	2.60	2.64	2.62	2.73	2.90	2.99	2.81	2.47	2.37	2.21	2.28
1977	2.53	2.56	2.55	2.57	2.45	2.42	2.10	1.62	1.70	1.77	2.11	2.22
	OATS (Dollars Per Bushel)											
1975	1.74	1.63	1.53	1.59	1.55	1.40	1.34	1.44	1.47	1.46	1.42	1.45
1976	1.52	1.53	1.56	1.55	1.57	1.52	1.54	1.51	1.50	1.48	1.50	1.52
1977	1.71	1.73	1.86	1.96	1.31	1.31	1.23	1.43	1.36	1.38	1.38	-
	SOYBEANS (Dollars Per Bushel)											
1975	6.54	5.82	5.26	5.71	5.11	5.04	5.26	6.02	5.49	5.22	4.50	4.41
1976	4.43	4.53	4.62	4.60	4.88	5.89	6.89	6.08	6.74	6.16	6.27	6.55
1977	6.87	7.27	8.09	9.23	9.73	-	6.28	-	-	5.85	5.95	5.69
	PEANUTS (Cents Per Pound)											
1975	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.0	20.4	20.6
1976	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.5	19.7	20.1
1977	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.5	20.8	22.3
	IRISH POTATOES (Dollars Per Cwt.)											
1975	-	-	-	-	-	7.00	6.60	6.25	6.75	7.00	6.00	-
1976	-	-	-	-	-	5.50	5.25	5.30	5.25	5.55	5.85	5.85
1977	-	-	-	-	-	6.00	6.65	5.50	6.00	6.20	6.25	-
	SWEET POTATOES (Dollars Per Cwt.)											
1975	8.50	8.70	9.10	8.80	8.50	-	-	5.90	4.65	4.15	6.70	8.30
1976	8.95	9.10	9.00	9.50	9.05	-	-	5.00	4.50	3.75	3.90	4.50
1977	5.40	6.50	7.50	8.20	9.50	9.10	-	10.70	5.80	6.90	8.20	9.90
	COMMERCIAL APPLES (Cents Per Pound)											
1975	10.50	10.70	11.00	-	-	-	5.45	5.45	7.50	7.55	6.95	6.65
1976	6.15	6.50	6.25	-	-	-	11.40	12.40	12.20	11.20	10.60	10.50
1977	11.60	12.80	14.60	-	-	-	10.50	11.70	12.50	11.50	11.00	9.50

PRICES: Averages Received By Farmers For Specified Livestock Items, By Months, 1975-77

YEAR	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
HOGS (Dollars Per 100 Pounds)												
1975	38.10	38.10	38.20	39.30	43.90	46.80	52.30	55.10	57.00	60.70	51.40	50.40
1976	48.40	48.40	46.10	47.10	48.00	49.00	48.20	43.20	41.20	34.40	32.80	35.20
1977	37.20	38.60	37.00	35.50	38.30	42.30	44.70	42.90	40.40	39.80	38.70	41.50
BEEF CATTLE (Dollars Per 100 Pounds)												
1975	21.20	21.90	21.80	22.50	24.50	25.20	24.40	23.40	22.90	22.80	22.70	23.00
1976	24.40	26.50	28.40	31.60	31.60	30.10	28.60	25.70	25.00	25.30	23.40	25.40
1977	26.50	24.50	28.90	29.90	29.90	27.30	25.40	25.40	26.00	25.80	25.40	26.00
CALVES (Dollars Per 100 Pounds)												
1975	26.80	28.70	28.60	28.70	29.50	27.00	25.20	26.20	26.50	26.20	27.50	28.40
1976	31.80	34.90	38.90	40.50	40.60	37.20	35.70	29.80	30.70	31.20	28.70	30.90
1977	32.50	33.50	37.00	39.00	39.20	34.60	32.30	35.30	36.30	33.10	32.90	35.10
COWS ^{L/} (Dollars Per 100 Pounds)												
1975	17.10	18.30	19.00	19.50	21.20	20.80	19.80	18.80	18.60	18.60	19.00	19.00
1976	21.40	23.30	25.90	27.20	28.00	26.00	25.50	22.50	21.50	22.30	19.00	21.80
1977	23.60	23.50	27.30	26.00	26.00	24.20	22.50	21.70	22.10	21.60	22.00	22.30
STEERS AND HEIFERS (Dollars Per 100 Pounds)												
1975	25.70	25.80	24.90	26.70	29.00	29.50	29.00	28.00	26.80	26.30	25.80	27.20
1976	27.30	30.00	31.00	34.30	34.50	35.00	32.10	29.30	28.40	29.30	27.90	29.20
1977	30.00	28.90	30.80	32.00	33.00	31.10	30.70	30.40	31.70	30.00	29.80	31.00
MILK COWS (Dollars Per Head)												
1975	300.00	310.00	305.00	300.00	295.00	305.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	315.00
1976	320.00	320.00	325.00	325.00	325.00	320.00	330.00	320.00	320.00	330.00	340.00	340.00
1977	335.00	325.00	330.00	330.00	330.00	345.00	345.00	345.00	355.00	355.00	350.00	345.00
COMMERCIAL BROILERS (Cents Per Pound)												
1975	23.5	24.5	23.5	23.0	24.0	25.0	28.0	27.5	29.0	29.0	28.0	24.0
1976	24.0	25.0	25.0	23.0	24.5	25.0	25.0	24.5	23.0	21.0	19.5	19.0
1977	21.5	23.5	23.5	24.0	25.0	25.5	26.0	24.0	24.5	22.5	20.5	20.0
EGGS (Cents Per Dozen)												
1975	66.4	63.2	64.2	58.6	58.2	54.6	57.3	61.6	66.7	62.0	65.8	71.7
1976	70.7	69.1	61.6	62.0	60.7	61.3	64.0	68.8	70.9	71.6	72.1	77.6
1977	75.2	77.1	70.6	68.7	61.9	58.5	62.5	62.9	63.6	59.8	61.3	61.9
TURKEYS (Cents Per Pound)												
1975	34.0	33.0	35.0	33.0	35.0	37.0	35.0	38.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0
1976	36.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	33.0	35.0	35.0	37.0
1977	35.0	35.0	38.0	35.0	35.0	38.0	37.0	36.0	35.0	39.0	44.0	45.0

^{L/} Includes cull dairy cows sold for slaughter but not dairy cows for herd replacements.

PRICES: Index Numbers Of Prices Received By North Carolina and United States Farmers,
Index Numbers Of Prices Paid By United States Farmers and Price Ratios, 1971-77, (1967 = 100)

YEAR	NORTH CAROLINA INDEX OF PRICES RECEIVED											UNITED STATES INDEX		
	All Farm Products	All Crops	Tobacco	Oil Bearing	Grain	Com' l. Vegetables	Fruits	Livestock and Live-stock Products	Meat Animals	Poultry	Dairy	Prices Received For All Farm Products	Prices Paid For All Commodities Bought Including Interest Taxes and Wage Rates	Ratio Of Prices Received To Prices Paid
1971	110	112	112	112	107	114	104	106	105	104	114	112	120	93
1972	118	119	122	121	93	119	113	115	140	102	115	126	128	100
1973	156	144	132	197	156	154	131	178	202	180	135	172	150	118
1974	166	165	146	208	226	175	143	168	175	164	158	184	173	109
1975	174	167	155	190	206	176	183	186	204	185	163	183	182	100
1976														
January	171	162	152	171	189	181	192	189	210	184	170	186	193	96
February	173	163	152	173	193	181	197	191	213	187	169	187	193	97
March	171	163	152	175	196	181	193	185	210	179	167	184	194	97
April	170	163	152	174	194	183	193	182	217	172	161	189	191	99
May	172	165	152	180	200	181	196	186	221	177	162	191	191	100
June	175	168	152	203	211	191	165	188	223	179	161	195	193	101
July	173	165	141	225	217	177	216	187	215	182	162	194	194	100
August	179	177	163	207	205	189	237	184	196	184	164	186	193	96
September	185	187	182	221	180	167	223	181	188	183	167	186	192	96
October	176	178	173	205	172	164	212	172	164	176	170	178	192	93
November	169	171	164	208	161	165	205	166	154	171	170	173	192	90
December	172	172	164	215	166	161	200	172	166	175	172	178	193	92
1976	174	170	158	196	190	177	202	182	198	179	166	186	197	96
1977														
January	176	174	164	223	185	159	198	178	174	182	170	183	198	92
February	182	180	169	231	187	166	210	185	179	192	172	186	200	93
March	183	183	169	249	186	171	227	182	179	187	169	190	201	95
April	184	187	169	274	188	175	227	179	174	186	167	191	204	94
May	185	188	169	285	172	187	227	180	185	183	167	194	204	95
June	186	188	169	285	175	187	223	182	193	183	166	184	204	90
July	160	144	125	210	152	194	182	187	198	188	167	180	203	89
August	174	169	168	190	119	200	217	181	193	180	167	175	202	87
September	187	189	200	184	125	171	224	182	187	182	170	174	201	87
October	175	175	174	201	130	178	217	176	184	173	172	178	201	89
November	172	172	166	203	154	184	212	173	180	169	175	179	202	89
December	173	174	166	204	161	195	180	175	190	168	175	181	203	89
1977	178	177	167	274	161	181	212	180	185	181	170	183	202	91

PRICES: Average Prices Paid For Feeder Pigs, Quarterly, 1975-77

YEAR	January	April	July	October
	Dollars			
1975	46.10	75.00	77.00	99.00
1976	80.00	91.00	75.50	55.00
1977	59.50	70.00	66.50	75.50



PRICES: Averages Paid By Farmers For Feed, By Months, 1975-77

YEAR	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<i>Dollars Per Ton</i>												
POULTRY FEED: Chick Starter												
1975	182.00	170.00	165.00	162.00	163.00	163.00	170.00	168.00	168.00	167.00	163.00	164.00
1976	166.00	162.00	159.00	157.00	163.00	166.00	176.00	178.00	176.00	170.00	167.00	171.00
1977	173.00	181.00	192.00	190.00	194.00	192.00	184.00	174.00	164.00	164.00	166.00	170.00
POULTRY FEED: Broiler Grower												
1975	185.00	180.00	171.00	177.00	172.00	178.00	175.00	175.00	175.00	169.00	167.00	172.00
1976	174.00	175.00	174.00	177.00	173.00	177.00	181.00	177.00	179.00	171.00	173.00	175.00
1977	174.00	184.00	187.00	190.00	190.00	182.00	182.00	183.00	174.00	166.00	168.00	165.00
POULTRY FEED: Turkey Grower												
1975	178.00	168.00	165.00	163.00	163.00	160.00	166.00	164.00	168.00	165.00	160.00	167.00
1976	166.00	167.00	165.00	165.00	169.00	172.00	176.00	178.00	179.00	174.00	175.00	178.00
1977	179.00	183.00	188.00	192.00	198.00	194.00	194.00	194.00	191.00	187.00	187.00	188.00
POULTRY FEED: Laying Feed												
1975	164.00	155.00	151.00	149.00	150.00	150.00	152.00	154.00	156.00	157.00	148.00	148.00
1976	147.00	146.00	148.00	146.00	148.00	151.00	163.00	157.00	157.00	156.00	154.00	154.00
1977	158.00	161.00	165.00	168.00	172.00	167.00	157.00	149.00	140.00	141.00	146.00	146.00
<i>Dollars Per Hundredweight</i>												
HIGH PROTEIN FEED: 44% Soybean Meal												
1975	10.50	10.00	9.30	9.10	8.60	8.80	8.70	8.60	9.10	9.60	9.10	9.30
1976	9.40	9.50	9.30	9.50	9.60	11.00	12.50	12.00	12.50	12.00	12.00	12.50
1977	13.00	13.50	14.00	15.00	16.50	16.50	14.00	13.00	12.50	11.50	11.50	11.50
HIGH PROTEIN FEED: 41% Cottonseed Meal												
1975	10.00	9.80	9.70	9.40	9.00	9.30	9.20	9.60	9.40	9.80	9.30	9.30
1976	9.50	9.60	9.70	9.60	9.50	10.00	10.50	11.50	12.00	12.00	11.50	12.00
1977	12.50	12.50	13.00	13.50	13.50	14.00	13.50	13.50	13.50	13.00	12.00	12.50
GRAIN BY PRODUCTS: Bran												
1975	8.40	8.10	7.80	7.70	7.50	7.60	7.30	7.50	7.20	7.50	7.40	7.60
1976	7.50	7.40	7.40	7.50	7.30	7.40	7.70	7.80	7.60	7.80	7.70	7.80
1977	7.80	8.80	8.00	7.80	7.70	7.70	7.70	7.50	7.40	7.40	7.20	7.50
GRAIN BY PRODUCTS: Middlings												
1975	8.20	8.00	7.60	7.40	7.30	7.30	7.30	7.50	7.20	7.50	7.50	7.50
1976	7.40	7.40	7.20	7.40	7.20	7.40	7.40	7.10	7.40	7.50	7.60	7.40
1977	7.40	7.40	7.40	7.50	7.30	7.40	7.30	7.10	7.10	6.90	7.00	7.10
GRAIN BY PRODUCTS: Corn Meal												
1975	7.50	7.60	7.10	7.40	7.40	7.30	7.20	7.20	7.20	7.30	7.00	7.00
1976	6.90	6.90	6.90	6.80	6.80	6.90	7.10	7.30	6.80	6.60	6.40	6.50
1977	6.40	6.50	6.40	6.30	6.30	6.20	6.10	5.70	5.70	5.50	5.70	5.90

PRICES: Averages Paid By Farmers For Mixed Fertilizer & Fertilizer Materials, Semi-Annually, 1975-77

YEAR	April	Oct.	April	Oct.	April	Oct.	April	Oct.	April	Oct.
<i>Dollars Per Ton</i>										
3-9-9		3-9-18		4-8-12		5-10-10		10-10-10		
1975	130.00	130.00	110.00	105.00	145.00	140.00	110.00	105.00	130.00	125.00
1976	120.00	120.00	100.00	98.00	125.00	125.00	98.00	99.00	115.00	115.00
1977	115.00	120.00	98.00	96.00	120.00	125.00	98.00	100.00	110.00	110.00
Superphosphate 20% P ₂ O ₅		Nitrate Of Soda		Ammonium Nitrate 33.5% N		Nitrogen Solution 30% N		Anhydrous Ammonia		
1975	110.00	100.00	200.00	195.00	200.00	185.00	150.00	120.00	275.00	250.00
1976	100.00	96.00	150.00	145.00	150.00	145.00	110.00	110.00	230.00	215.00
1977	100.00	95.00	145.00	145.00	150.00	155.00	120.00	115.00	220.00	200.00

FARM INCOME: Cash Receipts From Farming, By Commodities, 1972-76

COMMODITY	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1976 % Of Total Sales
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>					<i>Percent</i>
ALL CROPS: TOTAL.....	996,870	1,361,189	1,657,501	1,638,447	1,748,541	62.0
FOOD GRAINS, TOTAL.....	6,643	10,858	26,429	20,437	14,946	.5
Wheat.....	6,371	10,414	25,670	19,938	14,361	.5
Rye.....	272	444	759	499	585	*
FEED CROPS, TOTAL.....	94,552	167,488	294,969	221,954	255,750	9.1
Corn.....	86,093	157,435	278,806	206,253	241,331	8.6
Hay.....	3,105	2,492	3,594	3,933	3,503	.1
Oats.....	1,046	1,358	2,117	2,299	2,102	.1
Sorghum Grain.....	3,599	4,756	8,606	7,785	7,180	.3
Barley.....	709	1,447	1,846	1,684	1,634	.1
COTTON, TOTAL.....	18,673	39,232	38,456	14,736	17,152	.6
Cotton, Lint.....	16,839	34,135	34,910	13,197	14,774	.5
Cottonseed.....	1,834	5,097	3,546	1,539	2,378	.1
TOBACCO.....	585,801	719,160	838,429	951,356	998,699	35.4
OIL CROPS, TOTAL.....	143,707	245,587	267,319	238,503	236,707	8.4
Soybeans.....	92,774	170,965	200,175	165,743	151,217	5.4
Peanuts.....	50,933	74,622	67,144	72,760	85,490	3.0
VEGETABLES, TOTAL.....	60,141	78,448	83,125	82,198	85,516	3.1
Sweet Potatoes.....	20,283	18,677	25,924	19,278	24,294	.8
Irish Potatoes.....	6,050	14,837	14,679	14,634	11,012	.4
Cucumbers.....	11,192	11,939	13,478	14,327	14,595	.6
Other Vegetables.....	22,616	32,995	29,044	33,959	35,615	1.3
FRUITS AND NUTS, TOTAL.....	22,214	23,764	27,049	29,714	37,506	1.3
Apples.....	14,702	13,310	18,117	17,037	28,388	1.0
Peaches.....	2,572	3,322	2,587	5,162	3,272	.1
Strawberries.....	580	2,385	1,820	2,035	2,024	.1
Grapes.....	598	1,016	842	977	1,000	*
Pecans.....	162	506	863	758	1,517	.1
Other Fruits and Nuts.....	3,600	3,225	2,820	3,745	1,305	*
ALL OTHER CROPS, TOTAL.....	65,139	76,652	81,725	79,549	102,265	3.6
Forest Products.....	39,000	48,000	50,000	45,000	60,000	2.1
Greenhouse and Nursery....	24,500	27,000	30,000	33,000	41,000	1.5
Lespedeza Seed.....	301	209	197	72	62	*
Miscellaneous Crops.....	1,338	1,443	1,528	1,477	1,203	*
LIVESTOCK AND PRODUCTS: TOTAL.....	643,357	972,971	917,796	1,003,049	1,073,071	38.0
MEAT ANIMALS, TOTAL.....	212,769	295,176	272,296	301,430	327,546	11.6
Hogs.....	146,884	203,961	205,317	245,172	259,869	9.3
Cattle and Calves.....	65,760	91,100	66,840	56,123	67,527	2.3
Sheep and Lambs.....	125	115	139	135	150	*
DAIRY PRODUCTS, TOTAL.....	102,298	118,923	139,115	150,614	163,502	5.8
Milk, Wholesale.....	99,824	115,830	135,845	147,000	160,060	5.7
Milk, Retail.....	2,474	3,093	3,270	3,614	3,442	.1
POULTRY AND EGGS, TOTAL.....	323,310	554,636	501,271	545,686	576,406	20.4
Broilers.....	164,926	281,500	245,896	286,147	300,010	10.6
Eggs.....	97,674	162,602	159,409	144,125	155,105	5.5
Turkeys.....	44,212	86,201	74,367	89,994	99,365	3.5
Chickens, Farm.....	10,893	16,563	13,784	17,070	13,101	.5
Other.....	5,605	7,770	7,815	8,350	8,825	.3
MISC. LIVESTOCK, TOTAL.....	4,980	4,236	5,114	5,319	5,617	.2
Honey.....	3,053	2,159	2,484	2,402	2,928	.1
Wool.....	32	46	35	28	40	*
Beeswax.....	93	64	112	89	59	*
Other.....	1,802	1,967	2,483	2,800	2,590	.1
TOTAL COMMODITIES SOLD.....	1,640,227	2,334,160	2,575,297	2,641,496	2,821,612	100.0

* Less than 0.05 percent.

FARM INCOME: Cash Receipts, By Months, 1974-76*

MONTHS	1974		1975		1976	
	Thousand Dollars	Monthly Percent	Thousand Dollars	Monthly Percent	Thousand Dollars	Monthly Percent
ALL CROPS						
January	55,408	3.3	46,927	2.8	35,931	2.1
February	41,917	2.5	32,092	1.9	31,023	1.8
March	32,486	2.0	31,140	1.9	28,313	1.6
April	23,673	1.4	22,980	1.4	28,542	1.6
May	23,787	1.4	21,034	1.3	31,587	1.8
June	51,907	3.1	54,185	3.3	49,637	2.8
July	111,324	6.7	130,529	8.0	126,699	7.3
August	212,739	12.8	245,449	15.0	315,130	18.0
September	304,196	18.4	342,487	20.9	428,511	24.5
October	415,064	25.1	402,935	24.6	406,790	23.3
November	305,733	18.5	231,943	14.2	193,020	11.0
December	79,267	4.8	76,746	4.7	73,358	4.2
TOTAL	1,657,501	100.0	1,638,447	100.0	1,748,541	100.0
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS						
January	90,093	9.8	78,033	7.8	88,079	8.2
February	83,603	9.1	70,695	7.0	84,845	7.9
March	81,396	8.9	76,454	7.6	95,622	8.9
April	72,314	7.9	75,370	7.5	86,088	8.0
May	72,660	7.9	77,704	7.8	88,524	8.3
June	63,209	6.9	79,940	8.0	92,793	8.6
July	69,835	7.6	83,954	8.4	89,172	8.3
August	75,819	8.3	83,950	8.4	93,187	8.7
September	74,847	8.2	94,723	9.4	95,026	8.9
October	83,161	9.0	100,357	10.0	87,629	8.2
November	76,367	8.3	88,604	8.8	83,821	7.8
December	74,492	8.1	93,265	9.3	88,285	8.2
TOTAL	917,796	100.0	1,003,049	100.0	1,073,071	100.0
TOTAL FARM MARKETINGS						
January	145,501	5.7	124,960	4.7	124,010	4.4
February	125,520	4.9	102,787	3.9	115,868	4.1
March	113,882	4.4	107,594	4.1	123,935	4.4
April	95,987	3.7	98,350	3.7	114,630	4.1
May	96,447	3.7	98,738	3.7	120,111	4.3
June	115,116	4.5	134,125	5.1	142,430	5.0
July	181,159	7.0	214,483	8.1	215,871	7.6
August	288,558	11.2	329,399	12.5	408,317	14.5
September	379,043	14.7	437,210	16.6	523,537	18.6
October	498,225	19.4	503,292	19.1	494,419	17.5
November	382,100	14.8	320,547	12.1	276,841	9.8
December	153,759	6.0	170,011	6.4	161,643	5.7
TOTAL	2,575,297	100.0	2,641,496	100.0	2,821,612	100.0

* Does not include government payments.

FARM INCOME: Realized Gross and Net Income Of Farm Operators From Farming, 1972-76

YEAR	REALIZED GROSS FARM INCOME					Farm Production Expenses	Realized Net Farm Income <i>⌋</i>	Net Change In Farm Inventories	Total Net Farm Income <i>⌋</i>
	Cash Receipts From Farm Marketings	Government Payments	Non-Money Income	Other Farm Income	Total				
	<i>Million Dollars</i>								
1972	1,640.2	57.5	185.9	15.0	1,898.7	1,210.2	688.5	1.1	689.6
1973	2,334.2	35.9	221.7	18.5	2,610.3	1,528.4	1,081.8	54.9	1,136.7
1974	2,575.3	8.1	256.1	22.6	2,862.1	1,817.9	1,044.3	13.9	1,058.1
1975	2,641.5	8.9	277.2	28.3	2,955.9	1,927.4	1,028.5	.6	1,029.1
1976	2,821.6	7.8	280.3	31.4	3,141.1	1,991.4	1,149.6	22.6	1,172.2

NOTE: Details may not add to totals because of rounding. // Of farm operators.

**FARM INCOME: Cash Receipts From Farm Marketings and Government Payments,
By Counties, 1975-76** *(Continued on opposite page)*

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Total Cash Receipts		RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS				Government Payments	
			Crops		Livestock and Livestock Products			
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	Thousand Dollars							
Alleghany.....	9,303	9,968	1,667	1,559	7,565	8,335	71	74
Ashe.....	12,030	12,992	5,459	5,862	6,453	7,011	118	119
Avery.....	4,579	5,095	3,963	4,435	569	622	47	38
Caldwell.....	10,880	10,837	2,918	3,219	7,920	7,570	42	48
Surry.....	41,288	42,409	23,004	23,945	18,204	18,389	80	75
Watauga.....	7,134	7,091	2,932	2,904	4,141	4,129	61	58
Wilkes.....	85,275	85,700	7,436	5,866	77,730	79,710	109	124
Yadkin.....	26,776	27,939	17,367	18,047	9,347	9,834	62	58
N. MOUNTAIN.....	197,265	202,031	64,746	65,837	131,929	135,600	590	594
Buncombe.....	16,513	17,889	6,980	7,005	9,453	10,796	80	88
Burke.....	4,538	7,043	950	982	3,521	6,017	67	44
Cherokee.....	5,436	5,776	864	1,024	4,515	4,703	57	49
Clay.....	4,944	5,030	411	406	4,491	4,592	42	32
Graham.....	1,093	971	840	731	227	216	26	24
Haywood.....	9,963	9,985	5,162	4,818	4,738	5,104	63	63
Henderson.....	21,261	28,987	15,061	21,765	6,152	7,168	48	54
Jackson.....	2,266	2,987	1,627	2,105	592	836	47	46
McDowell.....	2,505	2,808	949	1,228	1,512	1,553	44	27
Macon.....	4,924	5,630	1,438	1,893	3,440	3,692	46	45
Madison.....	9,463	9,204	6,918	6,255	2,482	2,871	63	78
Mitchell.....	5,276	5,943	2,836	2,776	2,400	3,136	40	31
Polk.....	3,789	3,701	1,800	1,840	1,941	1,829	48	32
Rutherford.....	5,819	6,305	2,718	2,759	2,824	3,456	277	90
Swain.....	1,782	1,575	611	362	1,154	1,196	17	17
Transylvania.....	2,445	2,389	1,117	902	1,286	1,450	42	37
Yancey.....	5,452	5,329	3,381	3,111	2,027	2,166	44	52
W. MOUNTAIN.....	107,469	121,552	53,663	59,962	52,755	60,781	1,051	809
Alamance.....	21,641	28,467	10,304	12,603	11,268	15,785	69	79
Caswell.....	17,207	22,997	14,759	20,143	2,383	2,780	65	74
Durham.....	6,980	8,943	4,639	6,488	2,303	2,422	38	33
Forsyth.....	13,646	13,081	8,291	9,597	5,295	3,430	60	54
Franklin.....	34,083	37,792	24,874	28,579	9,099	9,090	110	123
Granville.....	25,267	36,419	20,791	30,530	4,415	5,810	61	79
Guilford.....	24,046	28,084	14,945	18,830	9,046	9,193	55	61
Orange.....	15,553	18,847	6,593	8,657	8,905	10,102	55	88
Person.....	20,058	25,570	17,284	22,856	2,736	2,656	38	58
Rockingham.....	26,215	31,112	22,191	26,839	3,947	4,210	77	63
Stokes.....	21,419	22,556	18,846	20,026	2,510	2,474	63	56
Vance.....	14,529	20,823	12,742	19,265	1,746	1,502	41	56
Warren.....	11,700	16,082	10,254	14,366	1,355	1,625	91	91
N. PIEDMONT.....	252,344	310,773	186,513	238,779	65,008	71,079	823	915
Alexander.....	20,846	22,510	2,848	3,991	17,951	18,476	47	43
Catawba.....	9,692	9,134	3,167	2,857	6,451	6,199	74	78
Chatham.....	58,867	61,348	6,013	7,805	52,792	53,474	62	69
Davidson.....	13,294	15,701	6,704	8,065	6,507	7,563	83	73
Davie.....	11,929	12,782	3,418	3,834	8,441	8,886	70	62
Iredell.....	27,783	27,880	4,175	4,272	23,448	23,501	160	107
Lee.....	11,506	11,442	9,379	9,415	2,101	2,000	26	27
Randolph.....	44,943	44,236	8,400	9,917	36,454	34,238	89	81
Rowan.....	18,221	18,396	5,396	4,866	12,731	13,441	94	89
Wake.....	55,713	63,855	41,762	48,195	13,834	15,532	117	128
C. PIEDMONT.....	272,794	287,284	91,262	103,217	180,710	183,310	822	757
Anson.....	18,711	19,084	5,525	5,640	13,057	13,339	129	105
Cabarrus.....	6,936	7,099	2,381	2,195	4,460	4,828	95	76
Cleveland.....	19,400	20,613	6,799	6,133	12,258	14,211	343	269
Gaston.....	6,236	6,445	1,937	1,658	4,232	4,741	67	46
Lincoln.....	12,742	13,464	3,571	3,012	9,072	10,384	99	68
Mecklenburg.....	6,944	7,346	3,024	2,997	3,808	4,306	112	43
Montgomery.....	13,831	14,539	5,006	4,680	8,769	9,751	56	108
Moore.....	49,289	49,847	11,773	10,813	37,448	38,965	68	69
Richmond.....	13,552	13,969	6,101	6,580	7,371	7,300	80	89
Stanly.....	26,365	26,901	7,053	7,372	19,253	19,472	59	57
Union.....	63,144	77,785	13,873	13,662	49,106	64,020	165	103
S. PIEDMONT.....	237,150	257,092	67,043	64,742	168,834	191,317	1,273	1,033

FARM INCOME: Cash Receipts From Farm Marketings and Government Payments, By Counties, 1975-76

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Total Cash Receipts		RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS				Government Payments	
			Crops		Livestock and Livestock Products			
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	Thousand Dollars							
Bertie.....	39,690	40,392	34,061	33,959	5,534	6,334	95	99
Camden.....	11,023	13,148	8,305	10,310	2,702	2,820	16	18
Chowan.....	13,578	16,670	9,583	12,318	3,957	4,314	38	38
Currituck.....	13,013	14,513	7,623	8,387	5,375	6,115	15	11
Dare.....	196	225	102	154	93	70	1	1
Edgecombe.....	52,328	53,170	45,500	46,173	6,719	6,890	109	107
Gates.....	14,658	17,353	8,414	10,536	6,201	6,781	43	36
Halifax.....	39,214	48,771	31,202	40,522	7,713	8,062	299	187
Hertford.....	19,792	23,319	17,247	20,196	2,467	3,063	78	60
Martin.....	42,914	44,899	36,251	37,899	6,583	6,929	80	71
Nash.....	56,690	65,791	47,536	54,112	8,973	11,414	181	265
Northampton.....	39,038	50,844	27,666	36,933	11,103	13,757	269	154
Pasquotank.....	18,821	19,595	16,645	17,324	2,154	2,254	22	17
Perquimans.....	15,831	17,937	10,937	12,594	4,863	5,321	31	22
Tyrrell.....	8,505	9,628	6,057	7,244	2,430	2,376	18	8
Washington.....	16,624	17,998	13,896	15,028	2,705	2,946	23	24
N. COASTAL.....	401,915	454,253	321,025	363,689	79,572	89,446	1,318	1,118
Beaufort.....	48,051	52,123	39,451	42,217	8,524	9,843	76	63
Carteret.....	5,984	5,568	5,276	4,717	686	834	22	17
Craven.....	31,956	32,502	26,359	26,959	5,540	5,477	57	66
Greene.....	47,857	51,157	37,162	39,323	10,586	11,765	109	69
Hyde.....	13,541	14,876	11,310	12,795	2,208	2,063	23	18
Johnston.....	98,462	91,743	76,369	71,731	21,897	19,514	196	498
Jones.....	19,508	18,987	17,144	16,790	2,326	2,164	38	33
Lenoir.....	56,920	60,636	43,289	46,550	13,442	14,006	189	80
Pamlico.....	9,548	9,517	8,440	8,249	1,073	1,230	35	38
Pitt.....	88,637	96,644	73,614	77,643	14,843	18,915	180	86
Wayne.....	88,138	93,041	53,372	54,099	34,467	38,833	299	109
Wilson.....	58,289	57,929	50,508	48,106	7,693	9,658	88	165
C. COASTAL.....	566,891	584,723	442,294	449,179	123,285	134,302	1,312	1,242
Bladen.....	35,152	34,277	27,830	26,877	7,251	7,316	71	84
Brunswick.....	15,054	15,803	11,464	12,409	3,555	3,364	35	30
Columbus.....	74,007	68,914	63,354	58,013	10,430	10,762	223	139
Cumberland.....	27,166	28,407	20,410	21,282	6,582	6,971	174	154
Duplin.....	149,410	144,593	53,901	51,876	95,361	92,602	148	115
Harnett.....	46,050	46,409	40,535	40,191	5,420	6,069	95	149
Hoke.....	14,580	15,776	9,721	10,315	4,752	5,404	107	57
New Hanover.....	1,918	1,823	1,421	1,324	496	496	1	3
Onslow.....	21,515	19,143	18,526	15,882	2,945	3,223	44	38
Pender.....	21,574	22,450	13,758	14,195	7,769	8,220	47	35
Robeson.....	92,667	90,396	79,653	76,884	12,743	13,343	271	169
Sampson.....	102,356	109,271	62,854	64,134	39,273	44,915	229	222
Scotland.....	13,098	14,426	8,474	9,754	4,379	4,551	245	121
S. COASTAL.....	614,547	611,688	411,901	403,136	200,956	207,236	1,690	1,316
STATE TOTAL	2,650,375	2,829,396	1,638,447	1,748,541	1,003,049	1,073,071	8,879	7,784

FARM INCOME: Cash Receipts From Farming and Value of Home Consumption, 1972-76

YEAR	CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARMING					VALUE OF HOME CONSUMPTION			Cash Receipts and Value Of Home Consumption
	Livestock and Livestock Products	Crops	Cash Receipts From Farm Marketings	Government Payments	Total Cash Receipts	Livestock and Livestock Products	Crops	Total	
	Thousand Dollars								
1972	643,357	996,870	1,640,227	57,529	1,697,756	29,501	24,468	53,969	1,751,725
1973	972,971	1,361,189	2,334,160	35,866	2,370,026	39,753	31,553	71,306	2,441,332
1974	917,796	1,657,501	2,575,297	8,125	2,583,422	42,024	38,562	80,586	2,664,008
1975	1,003,049	1,638,447	2,641,496	8,879	2,650,375	52,428	36,401	88,829	2,739,204
1976	1,073,071	1,748,541	2,821,612	7,784	2,829,396	47,435	38,826	86,261	2,915,657

FARM INCOME: Cash Receipts From Farm Marketings and Government Payments, By States, 1976

STATE	RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS						Government Payments		Total Cash Receipts	
	Crops		Livestock And Livestock Products		Total					
	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank
	Receipts In Thousand Dollars									
Alabama.....	624,722	26	993,226	20	1,617,948	26	13,115	14	1,631,063	25
Alaska.....	5,216	50	4,126	50	9,342	50	151	49	9,493	50
Arizona.....	699,005	22	541,115	27	1,240,120	30	4,936	37	1,245,056	30
Arkansas.....	1,237,025	12	1,059,002	19	2,296,027	14	9,097	21	2,305,124	14
California.....	6,148,682	1	2,953,178	3	9,101,860	1	12,983	15	9,114,843	1
Colorado.....	530,591	30	1,446,017	10	1,976,608	16	22,780	10	1,999,388	16
Connecticut....	93,678	43	137,281	42	230,959	44	443	46	231,402	44
Delaware.....	98,757	41	182,805	41	281,562	42	290	48	281,852	42
Florida.....	1,840,106	6	692,680	23	2,532,786	13	5,440	33	2,538,226	13
Georgia.....	1,103,337	15	1,165,684	16	2,269,021	15	9,783	18	2,278,804	15
Hawaii.....	260,847	35	62,410	47	323,257	41	391	47	323,648	41
Idaho.....	793,330	21	455,090	31	1,248,420	29	9,277	20	1,257,697	29
Illinois.....	4,243,954	2	1,866,939	8	6,110,893	4	9,700	19	6,120,593	4
Indiana.....	1,995,998	5	1,334,757	12	3,330,755	8	6,016	29	3,336,771	8
Iowa.....	2,967,826	4	4,041,870	1	7,009,696	2	26,767	9	7,036,463	2
Kansas.....	1,614,397	11	1,917,163	7	3,531,560	7	50,824	4	3,582,384	7
Kentucky.....	896,536	18	729,592	22	1,626,128	25	6,591	28	1,632,719	26
Louisiana.....	868,417	20	405,489	34	1,273,906	28	7,453	23	1,281,359	28
Maine.....	174,987	39	268,081	38	443,068	37	2,083	39	445,151	37
Maryland.....	255,071	36	428,292	33	683,363	36	1,514	40	684,877	36
Massachusetts..	100,560	40	114,163	43	214,723	45	599	45	215,322	45
Michigan.....	884,776	19	815,799	21	1,700,575	21	7,300	24	1,707,875	21
Minnesota.....	1,720,943	8	2,181,606	5	3,902,549	5	59,085	3	3,961,634	5
Mississippi....	989,588	17	682,220	24	1,671,808	23	28,557	7	1,700,365	23
Missouri.....	1,053,027	16	1,577,728	9	2,630,755	12	30,874	6	2,661,629	12
Montana.....	543,594	28	453,381	32	996,975	33	10,497	17	1,007,472	33
Nebraska.....	1,690,740	9	2,176,886	6	3,867,626	6	36,614	5	3,904,240	6
Nevada.....	42,288	45	107,484	45	149,772	46	1,323	41	151,095	46
New Hampshire..	21,610	47	57,688	48	79,298	48	689	44	79,987	48
New Jersey.....	224,717	37	109,603	44	334,320	40	833	43	335,153	40
New Mexico.....	193,923	38	518,402	29	712,325	35	15,502	12	727,827	35
New York.....	474,757	33	1,223,614	15	1,698,371	22	5,979	30	1,704,350	22
NORTH CAROLINA.	1,748,541	7	1,073,071	18	2,821,612	10	7,784	22	2,829,396	10
North Dakota...	1,171,511	14	484,362	30	1,655,873	24	22,744	11	1,678,617	24
Ohio.....	1,617,874	10	1,163,911	17	2,781,785	11	7,297	25	2,789,082	11
Oklahoma.....	663,084	24	1,248,848	14	1,911,932	17	27,679	8	1,939,611	17
Oregon.....	666,702	23	355,774	35	1,022,476	32	5,277	35	1,027,753	32
Pennsylvania...	500,069	31	1,300,409	13	1,800,478	18	5,774	31	1,806,252	19
Rhode Island...	15,082	49	12,956	49	28,038	49	87	50	28,125	49
South Carolina.	553,932	27	285,482	37	839,414	34	5,285	34	844,699	34
South Dakota...	372,451	34	1,417,116	11	1,789,567	19	88,068	2	1,877,635	18
Tennessee.....	635,168	25	675,368	25	1,310,536	27	11,392	16	1,321,928	27
Texas.....	3,109,198	3	3,189,219	2	6,298,417	3	111,735	1	6,410,152	3
Utah.....	97,121	42	262,186	39	359,307	39	5,611	32	364,918	39
Vermont.....	18,492	48	244,825	40	263,317	43	1,187	42	264,504	43
Virginia.....	482,101	32	554,976	26	1,037,077	31	7,225	26	1,044,302	31
Washington.....	1,231,157	13	523,110	28	1,754,267	20	5,007	36	1,759,274	20
West Virginia..	37,190	46	103,442	46	140,632	47	2,591	38	143,223	47
Wisconsin.....	541,755	29	2,486,884	4	3,028,639	9	14,282	13	3,042,921	9
Wyoming.....	82,781	44	303,320	36	386,101	38	7,113	27	393,214	38
UNITED STATES..	47,937,214	-	46,388,630	-	94,325,844	-	733,624	-	95,059,468	-

Realized Gross and Net Income Per Farm, 1961-76, North Carolina and United States

YEAR	NORTH CAROLINA		UNITED STATES	
	Realized Gross Income Per Farm	Realized Net Income Per Farm	Realized Gross Income Per Farm	Realized Net Income Per Farm
	<i>Dollars</i>			
1961	6,412	2,671	10,511	3,038
1962	6,832	2,731	11,300	3,099
1963	7,185	2,583	11,964	3,119
1964	7,894	2,839	12,475	3,272
1965	7,862	2,555	13,559	3,533
1966	8,888	2,979	15,521	4,312
1967	9,184	2,892	15,771	3,695
1968	9,249	2,748	16,843	3,972
1969	10,698	3,612	18,775	4,733
1970	11,559	3,761	19,825	4,788
1971	11,815	3,656	20,833	4,550
1972	13,562	4,918	24,434	6,204
1973	19,053	7,897	33,583	10,529
1974	21,201	7,735	35,312	9,801
1975	22,738	7,912	34,420	7,410
1976	25,128	9,197	37,303	7,885

// Excludes changes in inventories and represents income of farm operators.

FARM REAL ESTATE: Farm Real Estate Values and Taxes, 1971-77

YEAR	Farm Real Estate Value Per Acre March 1	TAXES LEVIES ON FARM REAL ESTATE				
		Total	Per Acre	Per \$100 Of Full Value	As Percent Of	
					Net Farm Income	Gross Farm Income
	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Mil. Dals.</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Percent</i>	
1971	371	23.6	1.87	.50	3.8	1.4
1972	396	24.0	1.90	.48	3.1	1.3
1973	461	25.7	2.03	.44	2.1	1.0
1974	551	30.1	2.16	.39	2.6	1.0
1975	590	32.9	2.43	.40	2.9	1.1
1976 //	637	36.0	2.68	.41	2.8	1.1
1977 //	675	-	-	-	-	-

// February 1.

EXPORTS: Value Of Agricultural Export Shares For North Carolina, Fiscal Years, 1970-77

YEAR	Wheat and Flour	Total Feed Grains //	Cotton Including Linters	Soybeans	Peanuts	Soybean Oil	Cottonseed Oil	Protein Meal	Tobacco, Unmanu- factured
	<i>Million Dollars</i>								
1970	5.0	16.9	3.5	22.3	2/	2.9	.6	6.6	308.0
1971	6.9	15.4	7.6	23.6	2/	4.5	.7	7.2	322.3
1972	7.5	19.0	6.6	26.7	2/	4.3	.8	7.5	302.0
1973	10.4	45.1	7.2	49.0	6.9	3.1	.7	14.9	337.5
1974	15.6	92.0	16.7	75.2	17.4	6.8	1.6	24.6	456.3
1975	28.9	124.1	12.2	75.1	16.2	9.7	2.1	16.8	455.5
1976	18.9	105.8	5.1	65.6	8.6	4.4	.7	17.4	481.0
1977	9.7	124.5	10.2	80.5	21.2	7.7	1.1	17.4	550.3

YEAR	Fruits and Preparations	Nuts and Preparations	Vegetables and Preparations	Meats and Products Excluding Poultry	Hides and Skins	Poultry Products	Lard and Tallow (edible and inedible)	Other	All Agricultural Commodities
1970	1.2	.5	.9	2.6	.9	5.9	2.3	29.5	409.6
1971	1.0	.8	1.0	2.5	.8	6.0	3.1	27.6	431.0
1972	1.0	.3	1.3	3.0	1.0	6.0	2.1	31.3	420.4
1973	1.2	.4	1.9	5.0	2.1	6.8	1.9	31.5	525.6
1974	1.5	.9	1.7	4.2	1.9	10.7	4.1	39.6	770.8
1975	1.9	.8	2.5	7.7	1.4	9.8	3.7	62.0	830.4
1976	2.4	.4	4.9	13.0	2.0	19.1	3.2	65.4	817.9
1977	3.2	1.5	5.4	13.0	2.6	22.8	5.0	87.7	963.8

// Includes barley, corn, oats and sorghum grains. 2/ Not available.

*NOTE: Fiscal year for 1970-74 based on July-June period; 1975-77 based on October-September period.

FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES, 1967-76

YEAR	CURRENT FARM OPERATING EXPENSES							Total Current Farm Operating Expenses	Deprecia- tion and Other Consumption Of Farm Capital <u>5/</u>	Taxes On Farm Mortgage Property	Interest On Farm Mortgage Debt	Net Rent To Nonfarm Landlords	Total Production Expenses
	Feed	Livestock	Seed <u>1/</u>	Fertilizer and Lime	Repairs & Operation Of Capital Items <u>2/</u>	Hired Labor <u>3/</u>	Miscel- laneous <u>4/</u>						
Million Dollars													
1967	180.2	32.6	15.6	78.7	132.0	85.7	92.2	617.0	169.4	29.0	26.4	39.2	881.0
1968	169.2	37.0	14.8	71.1	139.9	85.3	101.3	618.6	183.7	31.5	29.0	28.5	891.4
1969	191.9	41.7	16.2	71.0	157.7	91.1	103.3	672.8	199.6	33.5	31.9	34.1	972.0
1970	222.5	42.4	18.3	82.1	159.2	101.6	118.3	744.2	194.3	34.6	34.3	39.9	1047.3
1971	237.5	39.6	25.4	108.7	153.5	130.2	168.6	863.5	194.0	35.8	38.2	58.5	1190.0
1972	231.6	43.4	25.2	105.5	155.0	126.4	175.6	862.7	221.4	30.7	36.2	68.3	1219.4
1973	389.3	47.7	32.3	134.9	169.9	149.0	189.7	1112.7	251.2	33.3	42.9	87.8	1528.4
1974	450.0	50.0	38.7	198.6	213.7	171.2	221.9	1344.1	289.1	38.0	54.7	91.9	1817.9
1975	409.8	53.4	44.5	233.4	240.3	168.2	258.5	1408.0	337.0	41.1	64.9	76.3	1927.4
1976	446.6	58.3	44.4	222.6	261.8	116.8	291.7	1442.3	359.8	44.0	72.6	72.8	1991.4

1/ Includes bulbs, plants and trees. 2/ Repairs and maintenance of buildings, repairs and operation of motor vehicles and other machinery, and petroleum fuel and oil used in the farm business. 3/ Includes cash wages, perquisites and (1951 to date) Social Security taxes paid by employers. 4/ Includes binding, cotton ginning, Federal Crop Insurance, containers, dairy supplies, electricity, greenhouse and nursery grazing fees, harness and saddlery, net insurance premiums (fire, wind and crop hail), irrigation, livestock marketing service (excl. feed and transportation), milk hauling, miscellaneous hardware (incl. blacksmithing), machine, hire and custom work, miscellaneous livestock and poultry supplies, pesticides, small hand tools, short term interest, telephones, vet. services, medicines and other miscellaneous. 5/ Includes depreciation and accidental damage to farm buildings and depreciation of motor vehicles and other farm machinery and equipment.

FARMS: Numbers, Land In Farms, Average Size, 1969-78 1/

YEAR	NORTH CAROLINA			UNITED STATES		
	Number Of Farms	Land In Farms	Average Size Of Farm	Number Of Farms	Land In Farms	Average Size Of Farms
	Thousands	Thousand Acres	Acres	Thousands	Thousand Acres	Acres
1969	155	15,500	100	3,000	1,107,811	369
1970	150	15,200	101	2,949	1,102,371	374
1971	143	14,800	103	2,902	1,096,863	378
1972	136	14,400	106	2,860	1,092,065	382
1973	130	14,000	108	2,823	1,087,923	385
1974	124	13,600	110	2,795	1,084,433	388
1975	121	13,400	111	2,767	1,081,448	391
1976	119	13,300	112	2,738	1,078,263	394
1977	117	13,200	113	2,706	1,075,003	397
1978	115	13,100	114	2,680	1,072,333	400

1/ Generally, a farm is a unit of land on which an agricultural operation was conducted during the year, provided that a place of less than 10 acres had sales of agricultural products amounting to at least \$250, or that a place of 10 acres or more had sales of at least \$50.

NUMBER OF OPERATIONS WITH LIVESTOCK DURING YEAR BY SPECIES, 1970-77

YEAR	Hogs	Cattle	Milk Cows	Sheep
1970	62,000	57,000	20,000	800
1971	57,000	55,000	17,000	700
1972	47,000	52,000	14,000	650
1973	46,000	52,000	13,000	600
1974	46,000	53,000	12,000	600
1975	42,000	53,000	11,000	500
1976	40,000	54,000	11,000	500
1977	40,000	51,000	10,000	400

NOTE: Production based on 1977 data. Income based on 1976 Inventory based on January 1, 1978 unless noted otherwise.

AGRICULTURE: How North Carolina Ranks Among States

1st	flue-cured tobacco production
1st	total tobacco production
1st	sweet potato production
2nd	cucumbers for pickles (production)
3rd	turkey production
3rd	peanut production
4th	commercial broiler production
6th	number of farms (in 1978)
7th	apple production
7th	number of hogs on farms (12-1-77)
7th	egg production
7th	number of layers
7th	cash farm income from crops
8th	hog production
9th	peach production
10th	total cash income from farm marketings
13th	sorghum grain production
14th	soybean production
15th	corn production
18th	cash farm income from livestock
18th	Irish potato production
20th	milk production
20th	number of milk cows on farms
21st	oat production
24th	winter wheat production
35th	number of all cattle on farms

FARM WORKERS: Number On Farms During Quarterly Survey Weeks, 1975-77 1/

Month Of Survey Week	Family Workers			Hired Workers			Total Workers		
	1975	1976	1977	1975	1976	1977	1975	1976	1977
	<i>Thousands</i>								
January	73	75	69	20	19	23	93	94	92
April	116	121	93	39	55	49	155	176	142
July	136	142	126	136	200	175	272	342	301
October	106	101	80	47	38	41	153	139	121
Annual Average	108	110	92	61	78	72	169	188	164

FARM WORK: Hours Per Worker During Quarterly Survey Weeks, 1975-77 1/

Month Of Survey Week	Farm Operators			Other Unpaid Family Workers			All Family Workers			Hired Workers		
	1975	1976	1977	1975	1976	1977	1975	1976	1977	1975	1976	1977
	<i>Hours Worked</i>											
January	18.6	19.0	17.0	26.0	31.9	35.2	19.0	21.0	18.8	27.5	27.7	30.6
April	28.4	27.0	32.7	29.5	31.2	26.9	28.7	28.1	31.2	22.8	20.3	28.2
July	27.7	30.4	32.8	33.4	35.1	37.9	29.7	32.0	34.6	21.9	18.6	19.6
October	26.4	27.1	25.9	37.3	32.1	33.0	29.0	28.3	27.6	24.2	31.0	22.9

FARM WAGES: Rates Per Hour During Quarterly Survey Weeks, 1975-77 1/

Month Of Survey Week	Method Of Pay					Type Of Worker					All Hired Farm Workers
	Piece- Rate	Other Than Piece- Rate	By The Hour Only	By Cash Wages Only	By The Hour Receiving Cash Wages Only	Field and Livestock	Packing- House	Machine Operator	Maintenance and Bookkeeping	Supervisor	
	Dollars Per Hour										
1975											
January	2/	2.24	2.00	2.41	2.11	2.11	1.86	2.36	2.86	3.76	2.24
April	2/	1.99	1.91	2.12	2.05	1.88	2/	1.97	2.96	3.60	2.00
July	2.36	1.93	1.96	1.94	1.96	1.92	1.93	1.79	2.83	3.51	1.94
October	2.45	2.19	2.17	2.41	2.27	2.15	2.13	2.39	2.62	2/	2.24
Annual Average	2/	2/	2/	2/	2.04	1.97	2/	2/	2/	2/	2.03
1976											
January	2/	2.32	2.24	2.55	2.33	2.16	2/	2.72	3.22	2/	2.37
April	2/	2.23	2.13	2.25	2.17	2.08	2/	2.32	2/	2/	2.23
July	2/	2.21	2.19	2.20	2.17	2.18	2.09	2.29	2/	2/	2.21
October	2.53	2.46	2.45	2.51	2.48	2.34	2.20	2.61	2/	2/	2.47
Annual Average	2/	2/	2/	2/	2.20	2.18	2/	2/	2/	2/	2.25
1977											
January	2/	2.85	2.55	2.96	2.69	2.65	2/	3.10	3.60	2/	2.85
April	2/	2.53	2.30	2.51	2.37	2.16	2/	2.36	2/	4.83	2.53
July	2/	2.27	2.27	2.34	2.37	2.23	2.25	2.43	2.84	4.97	2.30
October	2/	2.73	2.61	2.74	2.55	2.54	2.38	2.59	3.01	4.85	2.74
Annual Average	2/	2/	2/	2/	2.42	2.30	2/	2/	2/	2/	2.47

1/ Estimates based upon the weeks which include the 12th of January, April, July and October. 2/ Not published.

LAND UTILIZATION: Land Uses, By Counties, 1976 (Continued On Opposite Page)

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	Total Land In Tracts Of Ten Or More Acres	Non- Farm Land	Land In Farms	CROPLAND EXCLUDING PASTURE		PASTURE Improved and Unimproved Open Pasture	All Other Land In Farms Homesites, Woods, Waste, Etc.
				Harvested Cropland	Idle Cropland		
				Acres			
Alleghany.....	137,763	11,688	126,075	11,666	2,229	70,204	41,976
Ashe.....	263,254	51,919	211,335	17,254	5,047	84,918	104,116
Avery.....	113,790	58,216	55,574	3,226	2,948	10,706	38,694
Caldwell <i>2/</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Surry.....	308,582	69,395	239,187	44,086	21,830	30,093	143,178
Watauga.....	170,227	53,371	116,856	8,853	5,157	40,162	62,684
Wilkes.....	438,714	203,540	235,174	22,452	10,073	31,720	170,929
Yadkin.....	198,885	9,563	189,322	48,826	17,014	26,172	97,310
N. MOUNTAIN.....	1,631,215	457,692	1,173,523	156,363	64,298	293,975	658,887
Buncombe.....	322,831	97,154	225,677	28,393	9,605	60,124	127,555
Burke.....	235,020	131,935	103,085	12,818	6,421	11,757	72,089
Cherokee.....	182,063	83,968	98,095	6,458	1,670	11,855	78,112
Clay.....	67,153	16,098	51,055	3,090	3,420	12,055	32,490
Graham.....	68,549	39,253	29,296	1,588	849	3,218	23,641
Haywood.....	184,686	39,642	145,044	10,608	2,416	59,574	72,446
Henderson.....	182,087	52,683	129,404	18,038	10,318	20,151	80,897
Jackson.....	232,673	149,726	82,947	3,064	986	12,519	66,378
McDowell.....	193,812	110,472	83,340	6,223	6,533	10,231	60,353
Macon.....	152,563	67,485	85,078	5,647	2,503	18,966	57,962
Madison.....	230,652	18,306	212,346	12,924	5,107	71,354	122,961
Mitchell.....	118,715	38,607	80,108	5,285	5,150	18,520	51,153
Polk.....	127,958	55,169	72,789	6,745	5,495	10,801	49,748
Rutherford.....	312,521	110,500	202,021	19,460	18,266	35,439	128,856
Swain.....	66,540	15,810	50,730	1,415	8,861	4,829	35,625
Transylvania.....	130,230	84,290	45,940	3,654	4,204	6,657	31,425
Yancey.....	165,265	42,796	122,469	8,141	481	30,617	83,230
W. MOUNTAIN.....	2,973,318	1,153,894	1,819,424	153,551	92,285	398,667	1,174,921
Alamance.....	230,467	29,587	200,880	44,746	17,339	31,208	107,587
Caswell.....	246,719	12,096	234,623	31,723	27,858	18,712	156,330
Durham.....	118,089	35,639	82,450	12,131	6,548	9,416	54,355
Forsyth <i>2/</i>	151,575	30,275	121,300	18,614	19,536	19,900	63,250
Franklin.....	299,686	28,897	270,789	61,256	13,457	18,611	177,465
Granville.....	318,844	36,443	282,401	44,479	17,501	24,695	195,726
Guilford <i>2/</i>	295,365	51,922	243,443	49,862	23,768	36,478	133,335
Orange.....	215,189	55,792	159,397	29,157	8,815	21,871	99,554
Person.....	228,809	21,039	207,770	34,051	17,832	13,636	142,251
Rockingham.....	317,339	31,640	285,699	42,342	25,679	22,729	194,949
Stokes.....	270,909	32,117	238,792	30,665	26,664	26,089	155,374
Vance.....	137,789	17,378	120,411	26,107	7,365	8,201	78,738
Warren.....	255,927	62,717	193,210	31,019	9,861	16,407	135,923
N. PIEDMONT.....	3,086,707	445,542	2,641,165	456,152	222,223	267,953	1,694,837
Alexander.....	151,775	57,924	93,851	12,756	8,277	21,477	51,341
Catawba <i>2/</i>	191,678	26,581	165,097	34,121	11,028	40,638	79,310
Chatham <i>2/</i>	395,200	134,320	260,880	26,131	11,183	43,642	179,924
Davidson <i>2/</i>	287,014	81,913	205,101	44,700	24,102	34,389	101,910
Davie.....	152,799	10,550	142,249	22,405	19,359	31,055	69,430
Iredell.....	316,497	41,057	275,440	56,112	7,010	76,416	135,902
Lee.....	145,544	41,116	104,428	15,667	8,619	8,655	71,487
Randolph.....	439,807	98,134	341,673	51,798	32,909	32,766	224,200
Rowan <i>2/</i>	275,077	52,315	222,762	59,250	17,478	41,477	104,557
Wake <i>2/</i>	411,013	115,213	295,800	76,409	24,858	24,253	170,280
C. PIEDMONT.....	2,766,404	659,123	2,107,281	399,349	164,823	354,768	1,188,341
Anson.....	318,240	134,189	184,051	42,062	8,181	20,653	113,155
Cabarrus.....	189,522	21,854	167,668	36,711	19,073	43,784	68,100
Cleveland.....	256,704	40,308	216,396	52,770	18,638	54,110	90,878
Gaston <i>2/</i>	174,646	45,446	129,200	22,688	14,642	23,457	68,413
Lincoln.....	164,587	20,239	144,348	29,309	28,336	20,659	66,044
Mecklenburg <i>2/</i>	215,850	65,799	150,051	22,213	14,575	28,699	84,564
Montgomery.....	261,853	138,053	123,800	15,451	5,938	7,714	94,697
Moore.....	385,211	147,639	237,572	23,805	26,844	19,186	167,737
Richmond.....	231,007	97,482	133,525	22,390	12,747	6,644	91,744
Stanly.....	210,306	25,913	184,393	54,499	10,210	36,780	82,904
Union.....	377,923	43,758	334,165	107,146	6,484	58,317	162,218
S. PIEDMONT.....	2,785,849	780,680	2,005,169	429,044	165,668	320,003	1,090,454

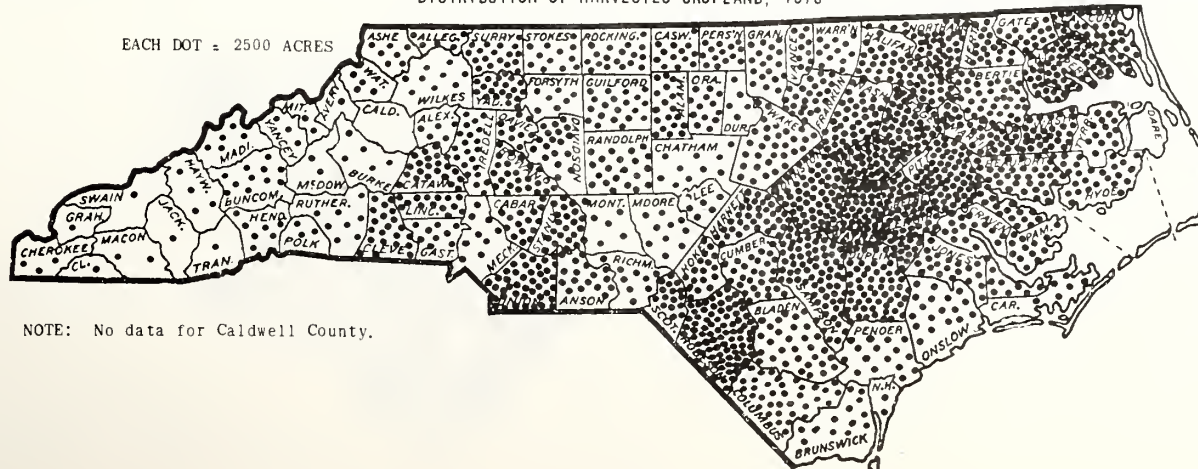
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LAND UTILIZATION: Land Uses, By Counties, 1976

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				Harvested Cropland	Idle Cropland		
	Acres						
Bertie.....	423,120	146,653	276,467	90,812	1,866	4,334	179,455
Camden.....	134,710	52,783	81,927	43,690	381	798	37,058
Chowan.....	104,724	23,298	81,426	38,571	488	1,165	41,202
Currituck.....	132,508	48,646	83,862	40,704	624	1,581	40,953
Dare.....	210,000	208,616	1,384	328	-	301	755
Edgecombe.....	305,329	14,621	290,708	121,172	3,867	11,465	154,204
Gates.....	192,788	75,165	117,623	40,545	580	2,253	74,245
Halifax.....	429,044	84,246	344,798	113,406	9,433	17,470	204,489
Hertford.....	210,064	52,129	157,935	51,239	1,151	2,186	103,359
Martin.....	271,345	71,458	199,887	78,447	1,671	4,758	115,011
Nash.....	318,678	26,527	292,151	102,698	11,007	10,724	167,722
Northampton.....	327,314	42,581	284,733	105,794	3,980	7,498	167,461
Pasquotank.....	130,764	43,842	86,922	51,783	862	1,739	32,538
Perquimans.....	149,412	37,284	112,128	59,307	612	1,149	51,060
Tyrrell.....	244,448	160,634	83,814	34,856	3,153	1,078	44,727
Washington.....	208,403	62,182	146,221	70,824	4,612	7,308	63,477
N. COASTAL.....	3,792,651	1,150,665	2,641,986	1,044,176	44,287	75,807	1,477,716
Beaufort.....	491,853	213,522	278,331	122,076	5,366	7,287	143,602
Carteret 2/.....	185,131	103,997	81,134	14,187	1,093	1,838	64,016
Craven.....	342,540	155,940	186,600	56,578	7,799	3,543	118,680
Greene.....	163,807	5,832	157,975	74,358	3,846	2,784	76,987
Hyde.....	332,265	165,184	167,081	65,810	886	4,550	95,835
Johnston 2/.....	462,518	29,370	433,148	165,888	18,034	23,792	225,434
Jones.....	260,902	124,735	136,167	47,091	3,371	3,521	82,184
Lenoir.....	233,470	23,791	209,679	93,154	6,692	4,007	105,826
Pamlico 2/.....	183,243	113,196	70,047	31,440	2,283	1,025	35,299
Pitt 2/.....	375,833	52,633	323,200	156,100	6,340	12,023	148,737
Wayne 2/.....	308,900	19,171	289,729	143,415	9,662	11,859	124,793
Wilson.....	213,380	12,267	201,113	87,816	6,717	3,189	103,391
C. COASTAL.....	3,553,842	1,019,638	2,534,204	1,057,913	72,089	79,418	1,324,784
Bladen.....	490,510	191,140	299,370	76,706	6,486	8,906	207,272
Brunswick 2/.....	496,159	367,589	128,570	31,967	5,722	2,765	88,116
Columbus.....	560,734	242,243	318,491	109,868	13,314	11,455	183,854
Cumberland 2/.....	294,200	73,600	220,600	70,922	10,658	9,995	129,025
Duplin.....	483,252	90,352	392,900	141,091	6,883	9,277	235,649
Harnett.....	350,025	72,681	277,344	87,121	15,806	12,758	161,659
Hoke.....	148,287	18,530	129,757	42,086	13,120	3,171	71,380
New Hanover.....	84,184	61,232	22,952	4,163	1,624	1,594	15,571
Onslow.....	373,217	222,499	150,718	46,183	4,991	3,180	96,364
Pender.....	446,984	255,175	191,809	40,462	11,835	4,430	135,082
Robeson.....	551,010	83,757	467,253	205,031	13,132	8,875	240,215
Sampson.....	562,899	101,041	461,858	174,890	11,916	12,175	262,877
Scotland.....	158,108	19,684	138,424	40,372	16,569	6,514	74,969
S. COASTAL.....	4,999,569	1,799,523	3,200,046	1,070,862	132,056	95,095	1,902,033
STATE TOTAL 1976 3/.	25,589,555	7,466,757	18,122,798	4,767,410	957,729	1,885,686	10,511,973
STATE TOTAL 1975 4/.	25,246,561	7,388,274	17,858,287	4,619,915	990,751	1,974,822	10,272,799

1/ No Census. 2/ Data collected from landowners through a probability sample survey using a scientifically selected sample. 3/ Totals exclude Caldwell County. 4/ Revised totals exclude Pamlico and Brunswick counties.

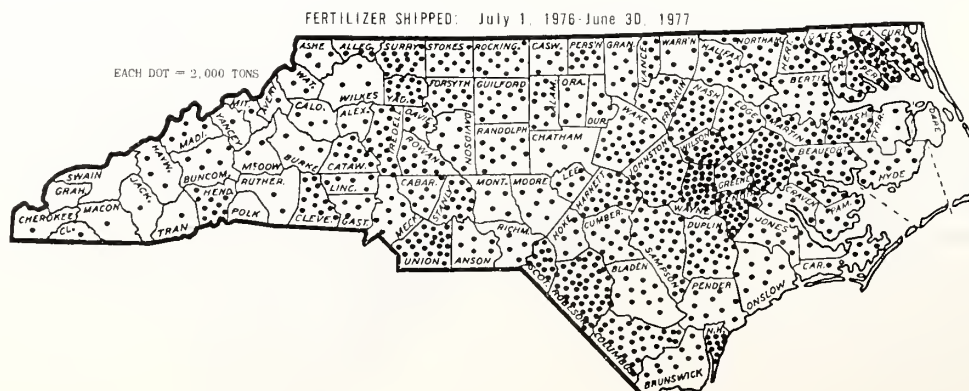
DISTRIBUTION OF HARVESTED CROPLAND, 1976



FERTILIZER TONNAGE REPORT: Mixed Fertilizer, Fertilizer Materials and Total Shipped To Counties, During Fiscal Year 1977

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	July 1, 1976 - June 30, 1977			COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS	July 1, 1976 - June 30, 1977		
	Mixed Fertilizer	Fertilizer Materials	Total		Mixed Fertilizer	Fertilizer Materials	Total
	<i>Tons</i>				<i>Tons</i>		
Alleghany.....	5,130	444	5,574	Anson.....	8,380	4,419	12,799
Ashe.....	4,468	741	5,209	Cabarrus.....	9,976	3,811	13,787
Avery.....	1,416	93	1,509	Cleveland.....	18,635	6,338	24,973
Caldwell.....	4,235	1,107	5,342	Gaston.....	6,376	2,624	9,000
Surry.....	20,897	6,453	27,350	Lincoln.....	7,651	2,112	9,763
Watauga.....	2,843	616	3,459	Mecklenburg.....	13,194	3,179	16,373
Wilkes.....	5,700	1,034	6,734	Montgomery.....	5,682	2,456	8,138
Yadkin.....	18,260	6,254	24,514	Moore.....	9,000	3,161	12,161
N. MOUNTAIN.....	62,949	16,742	79,691	Richmond.....	4,202	4,128	8,330
Buncombe.....	8,237	2,006	10,243	Stanly.....	18,322	4,962	23,284
Burke.....	4,465	1,184	5,649	Union.....	36,782	9,256	46,038
Cherokee.....	1,861	294	2,155	S. PIEDMONT.....	138,200	46,446	184,646
Clay.....	1,751	603	2,354	Bertie.....	18,692	9,320	28,012
Graham.....	1,111	149	1,260	Camden.....	12,338	4,813	17,151
Haywood.....	4,854	1,213	6,067	Chowan.....	9,903	3,233	13,136
Henderson.....	11,806	5,368	17,174	Currituck.....	13,939	7,568	21,507
Jackson.....	1,320	302	1,622	Dare.....	97	33	130
McDowell.....	3,085	880	3,965	Edgecombe.....	24,772	11,421	36,193
Macon.....	1,800	573	2,373	Gates.....	18,566	7,225	25,791
Madison.....	6,614	1,933	8,547	Halifax.....	20,012	13,950	33,962
Mitchell.....	1,351	154	1,505	Hertford.....	12,122	6,020	18,142
Polk.....	500	249	749	Martin.....	18,714	9,851	28,565
Rutherford.....	3,959	940	4,899	Nash.....	31,967	13,620	45,587
Swain.....	435	65	500	Northampton.....	16,139	5,587	21,726
Tennessee.....	1,527	225	1,752	Pasquotank.....	29,512	8,598	38,110
Yancey.....	1,794	369	2,163	Perquimans.....	18,952	7,130	26,082
W. MOUNTAIN.....	56,470	16,507	72,977	Tyrrell.....	4,481	1,059	5,540
Alamance.....	14,259	5,772	20,031	Washington.....	25,373	8,407	33,780
Caswell.....	7,974	2,464	10,438	N. COASTAL.....	275,579	117,835	393,414
Durham.....	7,697	2,979	10,676	Beaufort.....	30,709	16,764	47,473
Forsyth.....	14,609	3,683	18,292	Carteret.....	8,218	4,431	12,649
Franklin.....	17,220	7,837	25,057	Craven.....	13,118	5,447	18,565
Granville.....	12,057	6,225	18,282	Greene.....	8,588	5,610	14,198
Guilford.....	20,015	5,096	25,111	Hyde.....	10,154	5,041	15,195
Orange.....	7,369	3,593	10,962	Johnston.....	39,214	21,127	60,341
Person.....	12,402	5,203	17,605	Jones.....	9,846	5,642	15,488
Rockingham.....	18,686	5,673	24,359	Lenoir.....	36,917	25,075	61,992
Stokes.....	12,710	7,880	20,590	Pamlico.....	8,078	3,615	11,693
Vance.....	9,743	2,803	12,546	Pitt.....	54,234	28,158	82,392
Warren.....	5,828	2,390	8,218	Wayne.....	33,533	28,947	62,480
N. PIEDMONT.....	160,569	61,598	222,167	Wilson.....	22,485	16,257	38,742
Alexander.....	3,103	825	3,928	C. COASTAL.....	275,094	166,114	441,208
Catawba.....	13,677	3,847	17,524	Bladen.....	11,766	8,059	19,825
Chatham.....	6,078	2,889	8,967	Brunswick.....	7,511	3,557	11,068
Davidson.....	11,388	2,933	14,321	Columbus.....	38,412	17,772	56,184
Davie.....	6,539	2,221	8,760	Cumberland.....	12,870	7,770	20,640
Iredell.....	23,181	8,934	32,115	Duplin.....	28,574	18,454	47,028
Lee.....	6,780	2,441	9,221	Harnett.....	31,841	10,998	42,839
Randolph.....	17,009	5,803	22,812	Hoke.....	6,889	3,334	10,223
Rowan.....	13,954	4,305	18,259	New Hanover.....	6,072	14,532	20,604
Wake.....	29,447	13,789	43,236	Onslow.....	11,755	5,704	17,459
C. PIEDMONT.....	131,156	47,987	179,143	Pender.....	13,228	4,454	17,682
				Robeson.....	54,823	31,425	86,248
				Sampson.....	35,291	21,807	57,098
				Scotland.....	13,936	10,254	24,190
				S. COASTAL.....	272,968	158,120	431,088
				STATE TOTAL.....	1,372,985	631,349	2,004,334

NOTE: Data show tons received in each county by retailers and consumers from manufacturers. Tons credited to a county do not necessarily equal the amount it actually consumed. Data exclude lime and landplaster.



BALANCE SHEET OF THE FARMING SECTOR, JANUARY 1, 1970-77, NORTH CAROLINA AND UNITED STATES

ITEM	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
<i>Million Dollars</i>								
NORTH CAROLINA								
Physical Assets:								
Real estate.....	5,062	5,491	5,702	6,454	7,494	7,906	8,472	8,910
Nonreal estate:								
Livestock and poultry.....	227	227	254	311	422	297	358	314
Machinery and motor vehicles.....	937	1,031	1,098	1,178	1,327	1,617	1,886	2,097
Crops stored on and off farms <u>1/</u>	122	126	137	167	293	346	246	244
Household equipment and furnishings....	365	405	421	463	466	490	481	439
Financial Assets:								
Deposits and currency.....	388	419	434	443	462	463	623	739
U. S. savings bonds.....	142	140	143	148	142	156	234	258
Investments in cooperatives.....	131	142	160	178	205	237	271	308
Total Assets.....	7,374	7,981	8,349	9,342	10,811	11,512	12,571	13,309
Liabilities:								
Real estate debt.....	446	471	512	560	662	780	903	1,011
Nonreal estate debt:								
Excluding CCC loans.....	391	423	466	514	606	687	778	915
Commodity Credit Corporation loans <u>2/</u> ..	11	7	10	11	10	7	5	8
Total Liabilities.....	848	901	988	1,085	1,278	1,474	1,686	1,934
Proprietors' Equities.....	6,526	7,080	7,361	8,257	9,533	10,038	10,885	11,375
Total Claims.....	7,374	7,981	8,349	9,342	10,811	11,512	12,571	13,309
Debt-to-asset Ratio (Percent).....	11.5	11.3	11.8	11.6	11.8	12.8	13.4	14.5
UNITED STATES								
<i>Billion Dollars</i>								
Physical Assets:								
Real estate.....	215.8	223.2	239.6	267.3	327.7	368.5	416.9	483.8
Nonreal estate:								
Livestock and poultry.....	23.5	23.7	27.3	34.1	42.4	24.6	29.5	29.1
Machinery and motor vehicles.....	32.3	34.4	36.6	39.3	44.2	55.7	65.0	72.3
Crops stored on and off farms <u>1/</u>	10.9	10.7	11.8	14.5	22.1	23.3	21.3	22.0
Household equipment and furnishings....	9.6	10.0	10.8	11.9	12.3	14.0	14.2	14.4
Financial Assets:								
Deposits and currency.....	11.9	12.4	13.2	14.0	14.9	15.1	15.6	16.0
U. S. savings bonds.....	3.7	3.6	3.7	4.0	4.1	4.3	4.4	4.4
Investments in cooperatives.....	7.2	7.6	8.0	8.6	9.5	10.5	11.7	12.8
Total Assets.....	314.9	325.6	351.0	393.7	477.2	516.0	578.6	654.8
Liabilities:								
Real estate debt.....	29.2	30.3	32.2	35.7	41.3	46.3	51.1	56.6
Nonreal estate debt:								
CCC <u>2/</u>	2.7	1.9	2.3	1.8	.7	.3	.3	1.0
Other reporting institutions <u>3/</u>	15.8	17.4	19.6	22.0	26.2	29.2	33.1	37.8
Nonreporting creditors <u>4/</u>	5.3	4.9	5.0	5.8	5.9	6.0	6.3	7.3
Total Liabilities.....	53.0	54.5	59.1	65.3	74.1	81.8	90.8	102.7
Proprietors' Equities.....	261.9	271.1	291.9	328.4	403.1	434.2	487.8	552.1
Total Claims.....	314.9	325.6	351.0	393.7	477.2	516.0	578.6	654.8
Debt-to-asset Ratio (Percent).....	16.8	16.7	16.8	16.6	15.5	15.9	15.7	15.6

1/ Includes all crops held on farms and crops held off farms by farmers as security for CCC loans. 2/ Nonrecourse CCC loans secured by crops owned by farmers. These crops are included as assets in this balance sheet. 3/ Loans of all operating banks, production credit associations, the Farmers Home Administration, and discounts of the Federal intermediate credit banks for agricultural credit corporations and livestock loan companies. 4/ Loans and credit extended by dealers, merchants, finance companies, individual, and others.

STATISTICAL REPORTS PROGRAM

NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS brings together the current and historic statistics concerning agriculture in the State. Where possible, types of information most often requested by farmers, the general public, and workers in government agencies are included.

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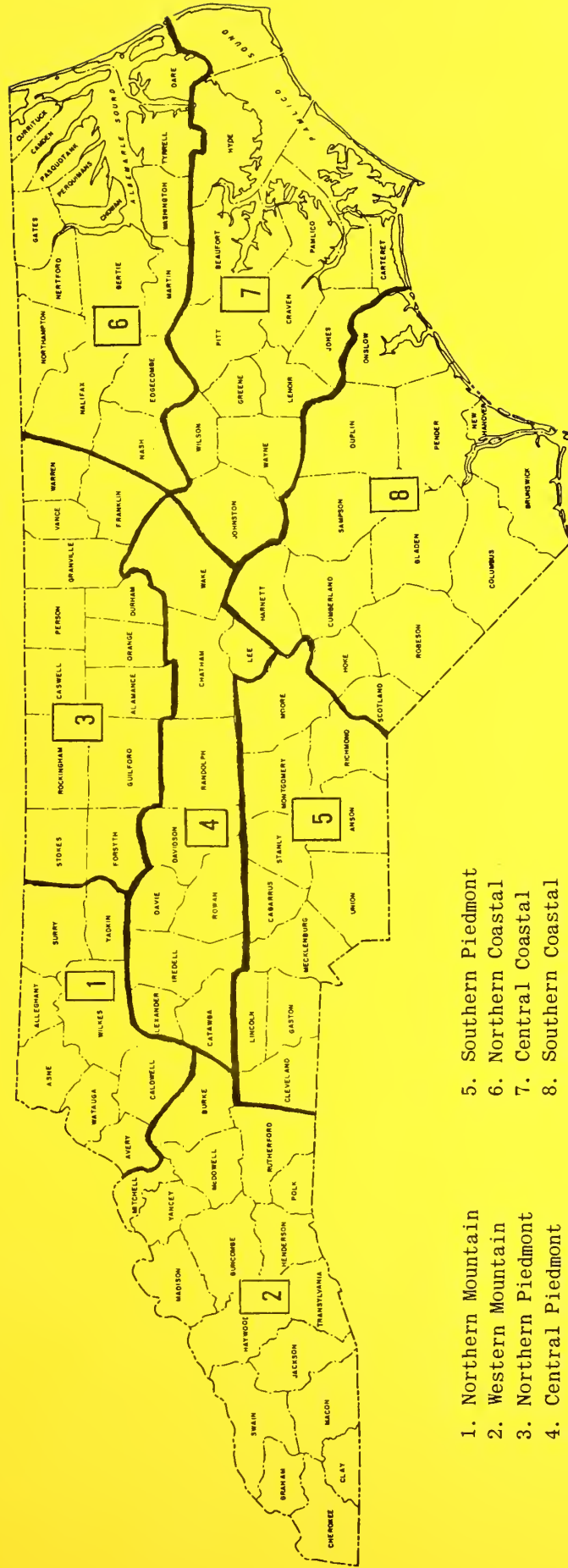
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The North Carolina Crop and Livestock Reporting Service publishes official statistics on crops, livestock, prices, and various other agricultural items. A list of the more important reports and the approximate dates of release is shown in the table at right. These reports may be obtained without charge by writing to Agricultural Statistician, P. O. Box 27767, Raleigh, North Carolina 27611.

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TYPE OF REPORTS	FREQUENCY OF REPORT	APPROXIMATE DATE AVAILABLE
I. CROP REPORTS		
1. Intentions to plant	Twice Per Year	Jan. 20, Apr. 15
2. Production of Field Crops, Fruits & Vegetables	Monthly (In Season)	10-12th
3. Crop Disposition & Value	Annually	May 4
4. Grain Stocks (All Positions)	Quarterly	25th of Jan. Apr., June, & Oct.
5. Annual Crop Summaries	Annually	December 10
Small Grains	Annually	January 15
Other Field Crops		
II. WEATHER-CROPS REPORTS	Weekly	Monday - 3:00 P.M.
III. LIVESTOCK REPORTS		
1. Cattle & Milk Cow Inventory, Jan. 1	Annually	February 2
2. Cattle & Calves on Feed, Jan. 1	Annually	February 2
3. Calf Crop	Annually	February 2
4. Pig Crop & Hog Inventory	Quarterly	22nd. of Mar., June, Sept., & Dec. 27th
5. Commercial Slaughter	Monthly	
6. Meat Animals - Farm Production, Disposition & Income	Annually	April 1
IV. DAIRY REPORTS		
1. Cows Milked & Milk Production	Monthly	11th
2. N. C. Dairy Report	Semi-Annually	Mar. 1, Sept. 1
3. Milk Production & Disposition	Annually	May 5
V. POULTRY REPORTS		
1. Poultry Inventory Dec. 1	Annually	January 28
2. Eggs, Chickens, Turkeys & Hatchery; Poultry Slaughter	Monthly	18th
3. Broilers Placed, Eggs Set and Hatched	Weekly	Wednesday-P. M.
4. Turkey Poults & Eggs Set	Weekly	Thursday-P.M.
5. Turkeys Raised	Annually	January 10
6. Turkey Breeder Hens	Semi-Annually	Sept. 20, Jan. 10
VI. PRICE REPORTS		
1. Prices Received By Farmers	Monthly	30th
2. Prices Paid By Farmers	Monthly	30th

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