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Just Ripe for You

Strawberries

are the flagship crop of North Carolina fresh produce. Among the first crops to ripen in the spring, strawberries are beloved by consumers of all ages. For many, a trip to a strawberry farm to pick strawberries or to pick up a bucket or basket of fresh strawberries is a much-anticipated spring ritual. Many children also visit North Carolina farms as a school or preschool field trip.

In 2008, North Carolina had 1,700 acres in strawberries producing 20,800,000 pounds for a value of over \$20 million dollars. Some growers wholesale their berries, but most are sold directly to consumers, 25 percent of these are pick-your-own PYO, and 75 percent are already-picked berries. North Carolina is the fourth largest producer of strawberries in the nation. Though the leading producers, California and Florida, together produce more than 90 percent of the nation's crop, North Carolina is first among states that raise strawberries primarily for direct market to consumers. Third-place Oregon produces mostly for processing.

Most growers in North Carolina now use a "plasticulture" production method, setting their plants in the fall into raised beds covered with black plastic mulch, and irrigating with drip irrigation. The plants grow all winter, and start to flower early in the spring. Growers often have to protect these flowers from frost by using sprinkler irrigation or floating row covers. The most commonly planted varieties are Chandler, Camarosa, and Sweet Charlie. In the plasticulture system, the plants are treated as annuals and replanted each fall. While a small number of commercial growers and most home gardeners still use the traditional "matted row" system, in which plants are grown as perennials, the plasticulture system produces larger fruit, earlier harvests, and higher yields.

The North Carolina harvest season usually starts at the Coast in early April, with harvest starting several weeks later further west. May is the main month for strawberries and has been declared "Strawberry Month" in North Carolina. Each farm usually produces for 5 to 8 weeks, depending on the weather and the farm's management decisions. Some growers, using high tunnels and specially "conditioned" plants, are able to offer a fall and winter crop, and others, mostly in the Mountains, are experimenting with varieties that will ripen all summer long.

North Carolina is an acknowledged leader in the Southeast in research and information on strawberry production. The production system developed in North Carolina has been adopted by many growers throughout the Region. Growers turn to North Carolina for research, advice, and for horticultural information, disease diagnosis, and fertility recommendations. North Carolina State University recently hired a full-time strawberry breeder, making it the only state other than Florida and California to have this degree of commitment to a public strawberry breeding program.

In partnership with the NC Department of Agriculture & Consumer Science (NCDA&CS), the NC Strawberry Association also promotes strawberries to the public as "Just Ripe for You" and through the children's activity and coloring book, *Strawberry Time*. One goal of the NC Strawberry Association is having consumers learn to recognize and seek locally grown berries. After all, what could be better than a delicious, just-picked North Carolina strawberry... Just Ripe for You.

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GENERAL

Statistics Program Information

Rank Among States

Real Estate Values

Farm Numbers

Weather

Fertilizer

Statistics Program

The North Carolina Field Office of USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service compiles current and historic statistics concerning agriculture in the State. Where possible, information most often requested by farmers, the general public, and workers in government agencies are included. Reporting of crop and livestock statistics is a service provided to farmers and others in the State by the National Agricultural Statistics Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture in cooperation with the North Carolina Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services. The collection and dissemination of agricultural statistics had its start in 1863. This is one of the oldest activities of the United States Department of Agriculture. It was recognized that there were many advantages of a joint relationship between the State and Federal Governments in the development of agricultural statistics. In 1919, the N.C. Department of Agriculture entered into a cooperative agreement with the U.S. Department of Agriculture to provide detailed agricultural statistics. The agreement resulted in the creation of the Agricultural Statistics Division of the North Carolina Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services. The North Carolina Field Office of USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service publishes official statistics on crops, livestock, prices, and various other agricultural items. The most important reports and the approximate dates of releases are shown in the table below. The reports marked with an (*) are issued separately and are only available at www.ncagr.com/stats. All others are included in the monthly release entitled "Farm Report". These reports are free and available by writing to: Director, Agricultural Statistics, P.O. Box 27767, Raleigh, NC 27611 or E-mail at: ncagstat@ncmail.gov. Current and historical data series can be found at www.nass.usda.gov, and using the "Quick Stats" feature.

Statistical Reports Program

Type of Reports	Frequency of Report	Approx. Date Available
CROP REPORTS		
Prospective Plantings	Annually	End of March
Production of Field Crops, Fruits & Vegetables	Monthly (In Season)	9-12th
Grain Stocks (All Positions)	Quarterly	Jan. 10, End of Mar., June, Sept.
Annual Crop Summaries - Small Grains Other Field Crops	Annually	September 30, January 12
WEATHER-CROPS REPORTS	Weekly* (monthly: Jan. & Feb.)	Monday, 4:00 pm
LIVESTOCK REPORTS		
Cattle & Milk Cow Inventory, Jan. 1	Annually	Beginning of February
Calf Crop	Annually	Beginning of February
Hog and Pig Inventory and Pig Crop	Quarterly	End of Mar., June, Sept., Dec.
Commercial Slaughter	Monthly	20th
Meat Animals - Farm Production, Disposition & Income	Annually	End of April
DAIRY REPORTS		
Cows Milked & Milk Production	Quarterly	Mid-Jan., Apr., July, Oct.
Milk Production & Disposition	Annually	End of April
POULTRY REPORTS		
Broiler Report	Weekly*	Wednesday, 3:00 pm
Poultry Inventory, Dec. 1	Annually	End of January
Eggs, Chicken, and Hatchery	Monthly	22nd
Turkeys Raised	Twice Per Year	September 25, February 25
Poultry Production, Disposition & Income	Annually	April 28
ECONOMIC REPORTS		
Prices Received By Farmers	Monthly	End of Month
Prices Paid By Farmers	Annually	April 30
Labor, Wage Rates	Quarterly	3rd Week Feb., May, Aug., Nov.

NORTH CAROLINA'S RANK IN U.S. AGRICULTURE, 2008

Rank	Item	Production		NC % of US	Top 3 States		
					1	2	3
1	All Tobacco	390.4	(Mil Lbs)	48.8	NC	KY	TN
	Flue-Cured Tobacco	384.75	(Mil Lbs)	77.1	NC	VA	SC
	Sweet Potatoes	8,740	(000 Cwt)	47.4	NC	CA	MS
2	Christmas Trees Cash Receipts	100	(Mil \$)	23.9	OR	NC	WA
	Hogs & Pigs (12-1-08)	9.7	(Mil Hd)	14.4	IA	NC	MN
	Turkeys	40	(Mil Hd)	14.6	MN	NC	AR
3	Cucumbers, Processing	42.3	(000 Tons)	7.5	MI	FL	NC
	Trout Sold (Foodsize)	3.55	(Mil Lbs)	6.8	ID	WA	NC
4	Cucumbers, Fresh Market	735	(000 Cwt)	7.4	FL	GA	MI
	Strawberries	208	(000 Cwt)	0.8	CA	FL	OR
5	Broilers	796.1	(Mil Hd)	8.8	GA	AR	AL
	Burley Tobacco	5.6	(Mil Lbs)	2.8	KY	TN	PA
	Cotton ¹	755	(000 Bales)	5.9	TX	GA	AR
	Greenhouse & Nursery Cash Receipts	777	(Mil \$)	4.8	CA	FL	TX
	Peanuts	358.9	(Mil lbs)	7.0	GA	TX	AL
	Blueberries	28.5	(Mil Lbs)	8.2	MI	NJ	OR
	Cabbage	1,250	(000 Cwt)	5.0	NY	CA	FL
	Catfish Sold (Foodsize)	8.05	(Mil Lbs)	1.6	MS	AL	AR
	Livestock, Dairy, & Poultry Cash Receipts	6,461.4	(Mil \$)	4.6	TX	CA	IA
	Snap Beans	248	(000 Cwt)	4.0	FL	GA	CA
	Tomatoes	1,088	(000 Cwt)	3.5	CA	FL	VA
	Apples	165	(Mil Lbs)	1.7	WA	NY	MI
7	Bell Peppers	336	(000 Cwt)	2.0	CA	FL	NJ
	Squash	363	(000 Cwt)	5.4	MI	CA	FL
	Watermelons	1,340	(000 Cwt)	3.4	FL	CA	TX
9	Chickens (12-1-08) (Excludes Broilers)	19,609	(Mil Hd)	4.4	IA	OH	IN
	Eggs - Value of Production	373.9	(Mil \$)	4.5	IA	OH	GA
	Grapes	5,600	(Tons)	0.1	CA	WA	NY
10	All Commodity Cash Receipts	9,752.8	(Mil \$)	3.0	CA	IA	TX
11	Sweet Corn	650	(000 Cwt)	2.2	FL	CA	GA
12	Oats	2.4	(Mil Bu)	2.7	MN	WI	SD
15	Peaches	5,600	(Tons)	0.5	CA	SC	NJ
	Pecans	700	(000 Lbs)	0.4	GA	NM	TX
	Soybeans	55.11	(Mil Bu)	1.9	IA	IL	MN
16	Potatoes	2,520	(000 Cwt)	0.6	ID	WA	WI
	Winter Wheat	43.2	(Mil Bu)	2.3	KS	OK	SD
18	Crop Cash Receipts	3,291.4	(Mil \$)	1.8	CA	IA	IL
	Sorghum for Grain	728	(000 Bu)	0.2	KS	TX	NE
19	Barley	994	(000 Bu)	0.4	ND	ID	MT
22	Corn for Grain	65	(Mil Bu)	0.5	IA	IL	NE
31	Milk	892	(Mil Lbs)	0.5	CA	WI	NY
33	Hay	1,622	(000 Tons)	1.1	TX	MO	CA
35	Cattle on Farms (1-1-09)	850	(000 Hd)	0.9	TX	NE	KS

¹ 480 Lbs. Bales

FARM REAL ESTATE VALUES

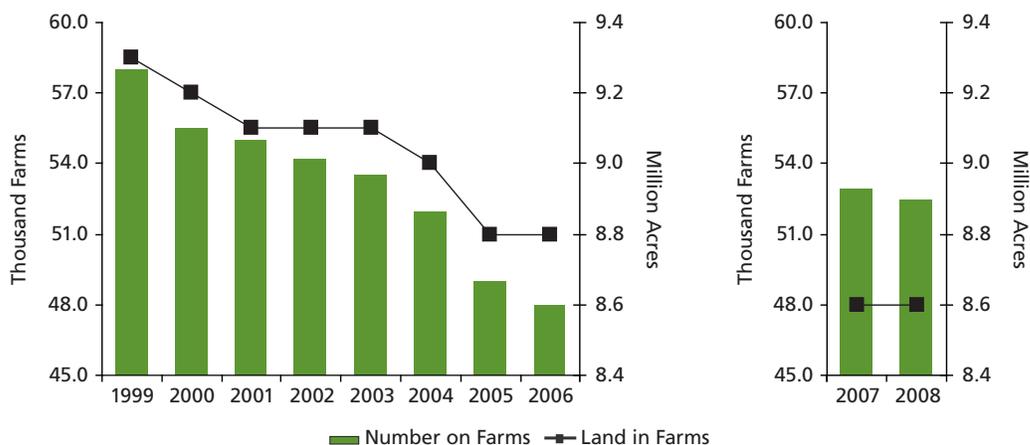
Year	Farm Real Estate Values per Acre January 1	Cropland		Pasture	
		Value per Acre	Cash Rent per Acre	Value per Acre	Cash Rent per Acre
<i>Dollars</i>					
2004	3,250	3,100	53.00	3,150	23.00
2005	3,820	3,350	53.00	3,880	25.00
2006	4,060	3,450	52.00	4,400	25.00
2007	4,330	3,720	54.50	4,800	27.00
2008	4,450	3,850	57.50	4,870	29.00
2009	4,250	3,770	55.00	4,600	29.00

NUMBER OF FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS ¹

Year	Number of Farms	Land in Farms	Average Size	Sales Class Estimates					
				\$1,000 - \$9,999	\$10,000 - \$99,000	\$100,000 +	\$1,000 - \$9,999	\$10,000 - \$99,000	\$100,000 +
	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Thousand Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Number</i>			<i>Thousand Acres</i>		
North Carolina									
2004	52.0	9,000	173	32,100	11,300	8,600	2,200	1,950	4,850
2005	49.0	8,800	180	29,700	10,600	8,700	2,000	1,750	5,050
2006	48.0	8,800	183	28,500	10,700	8,800	1,950	1,750	5,100
2007 ²	52.9	8,600	163	32,900	11,500	8,500	2,000	1,700	4,900
2008 ²	52.5	8,600	164	32,700	11,300	8,500	2,000	1,650	4,950
United States									
2004	2,113	932,260	441	1,181,190	599,280	332,500	120,872	264,810	546,578
2005	2,099	927,940	442	1,166,320	596,040	336,330	117,850	258,230	551,860
2006	2,089	925,790	443	1,153,310	595,950	339,530	114,610	252,180	559,000
2007 ²	2,205	921,460	418	1,228,560	608,670	367,720	107,870	228,220	585,370
2008 ²	2,200	919,900	418	1,222,000	604,500	373,500	106,700	225,300	587,900

¹ A farm is any establishment from which \$1,000 or more of agricultural products were sold or would normally be sold during the year. ² The 2007 Census of Agriculture established a new farm base due to methodological changes that allowed a more accurate count of small farms.

NUMBER OF FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS ¹



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2008 WEATHER SUMMARY

Weather in 2008 was more normal than the drought condition in the past two years. Below average precipitation and above normal temperatures were common during the early part of 2008. The month of April had average temperatures and below average rainfall. Many areas of the state recorded below normal precipitation, however soil moisture remained adequate. In May, both precipitation and average temperatures were below normal, yet soil moisture levels remained near normal. By the second week of May, corn was 95% planted, compared to 98% the previous year and 94% for the 5-year average. June and July had below average rainfall. As a result, small grain harvesting finished ahead of the 5-year average. By June 29, wheat was 95% harvested compared to 89% the previous year and 79% for the 5-year average. The lack of rain during these critical months adversely affected the corn crop.

Hot and dry conditions extended through the end of August. Hurricane Fay and Tropical Storm Hannah relieved some of the drought conditions in late August and early September. Phenological conditions for corn, cotton, and soybeans were comparable to the five year averages. By late September, the percentage of cotton bolls opening was 82% compared to 97% the previous year and 84% for the 5-year average. There was little precipitation throughout the month of October, yet the soil moisture for the state was mostly adequate. The last week of October showed the topsoil moisture rated as 5% very short, 26% short, 68% adequate, and 1% surplus. The harvesting of cotton was 98% complete by December 7, compared to 99% the previous year and 95% for the 5-year average. Most small grains were planted by early December, with wheat at 94% as of December 7. The state experienced mild temperatures and rainy conditions during the final weeks of 2008.

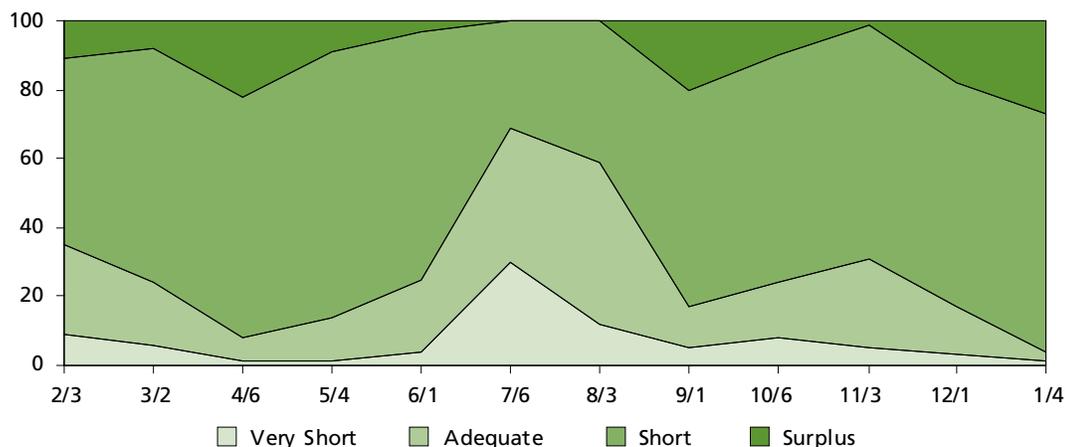
CLIMATOLOGICAL DATA, 2008

District	Average Temperatures												Average
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
	<i>Degrees Fahrenheit</i>												
N. Mountain	31.8	38.0	41.9	51.5	57.8	69.6	69.5	68.1	63.6	51.3	39.7	38.1	51.7
W. Mountain	35.0	41.4	45.5	55.3	61.5	71.7	72.0	71.6	67.1	54.1	43.1	41.8	55.0
N. Piedmont	38.2	44.2	49.8	56.9	64.1	77.5	77.2	75.4	70.2	57.2	46.7	43.2	58.4
C. Piedmont	39.5	45.2	51.0	58.3	65.5	78.5	77.4	76.2	70.6	57.7	47.3	45.2	59.4
S. Piedmont	40.1	46.1	51.7	58.6	66.5	79.1	78.0	76.8	71.3	58.4	47.2	46.4	60.0
N. Coastal	42.4	47.8	53.3	60.3	65.7	79.2	78.6	77.4	73.8	60.2	49.9	48.3	61.4
C. Coastal	44.2	50.0	54.0	61.5	66.9	79.7	79.2	78.0	74.6	61.1	51.0	50.2	62.5
S. Coastal	43.9	49.5	54.0	61.9	67.5	79.2	79.0	77.9	73.7	60.6	50.4	50.8	62.4

District	Precipitation												Total
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
	<i>Inches of Water</i>												
N. Mountain	1.41	3.69	5.36	3.75	2.42	3.79	4.95	6.92	5.04	2.52	2.39	4.59	46.83
W. Mountain	2.68	4.82	6.01	3.43	2.63	2.15	3.82	6.03	2.64	2.21	2.59	6.31	45.32
N. Piedmont	1.13	3.11	4.15	5.49	3.21	3.18	3.70	7.00	6.15	1.32	3.18	4.09	45.71
C. Piedmont	1.23	3.16	4.06	4.62	2.80	2.73	4.20	6.88	7.05	1.59	3.02	4.03	45.37
S. Piedmont	1.78	3.28	3.70	4.41	2.55	1.93	4.84	9.37	5.26	2.00	2.63	3.66	45.41
N. Coastal	1.83	4.75	3.42	6.47	2.66	1.65	6.29	2.83	4.44	2.06	5.98	3.21	45.59
C. Coastal	2.26	4.32	3.22	6.41	2.85	1.42	5.16	4.08	5.72	2.46	4.88	3.63	46.41
S. Coastal	2.65	4.25	3.56	4.83	3.84	2.62	6.34	6.75	7.44	2.23	4.47	3.11	52.09

SOURCE: National Climate Center, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

SOIL MOISTURE PERCENTS STATEWIDE, 2008



FERTILIZER MATERIALS TONNAGE SHIPPED ¹

	Fertilizer	Lime	Gypsum	Total
2004	1,591,225	663,659	123,527	2,378,411
2005	1,400,426	702,108	82,512	2,185,046
2006	1,654,521	852,749	62,241	2,569,511
2007	1,605,642	675,650	84,987	2,366,279
2008	1,477,235	563,297	57,172	2,097,704

¹ Tonnage shipped July 1- June 30.

FERTILIZER TONNAGE SHIPPED ¹

2007	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
Dry Materials	74,270	46,320	21,914	26,392	37,869	26,841	
Mixed Materials	121	1,073	2,484	6,745	10,825	4,176	
Other Dry Materials	16	80	189	451	395	208	
Bagged Products	879	1,717	14,133	11,378	11,058	12,975	
Fluid Materials	6	7,547	10,826	14,169	17,610	26,309	
Mixed Fluid Materials	187	2,575	3,257	1,959	3,113	4,670	
Other Fluid Materials	1	0	8	7	28	165	
Total	75,480	59,312	52,811	61,101	80,898	75,344	
2008	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total Year
Dry Materials	31,259	39,760	56,635	64,211	53,463	51,855	530,789
Mixed Materials	4,061	9,146	22,054	35,524	47,545	26,887	170,641
Other Dry Materials	708	1,409	3,801	2,520	1,316	853	11,946
Bagged Products	21,158	36,131	41,812	41,375	30,614	15,547	238,777
Fluid Materials	32,440	32,879	77,548	68,767	71,882	54,527	414,510
Mixed Fluid Materials	3,085	5,503	19,377	22,181	21,660	21,734	109,301
Other Fluid Materials	84	93	182	149	411	143	1,271
Total	92,795	124,921	221,409	234,727	226,891	171,546	1,477,235

¹ July 1, 2007 - June 30, 2008.





INCOME *AND* PRICES

Farm Income

Exports

Prices Received

Prices Paid

DEFINITIONS & METHODOLOGY

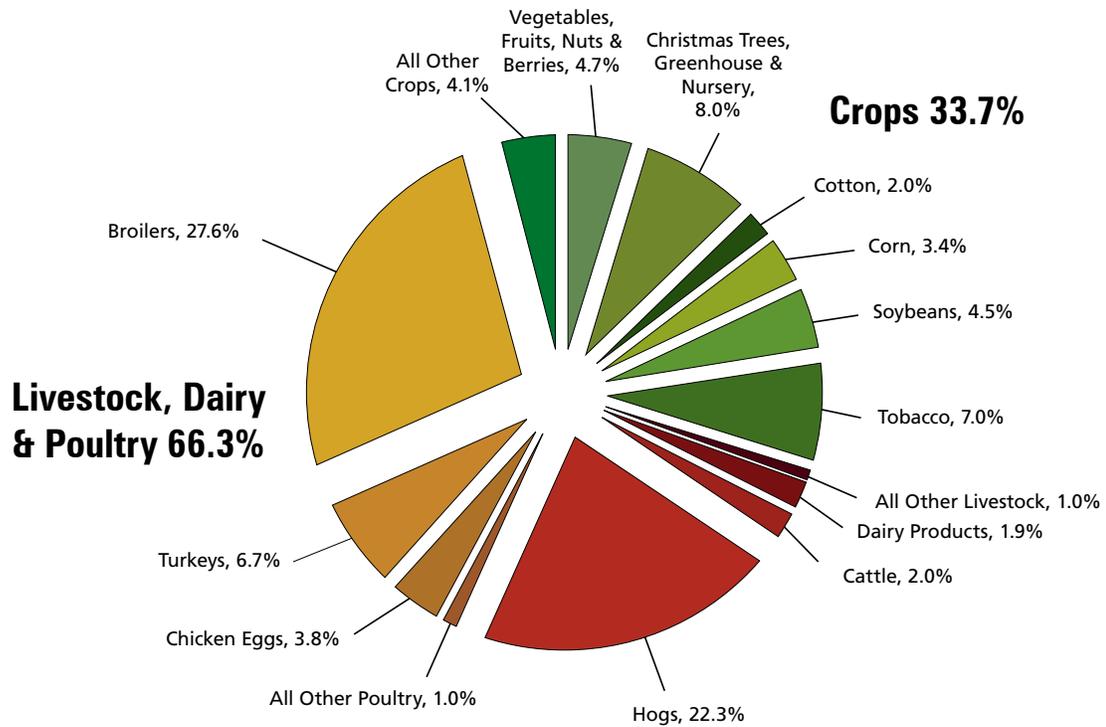
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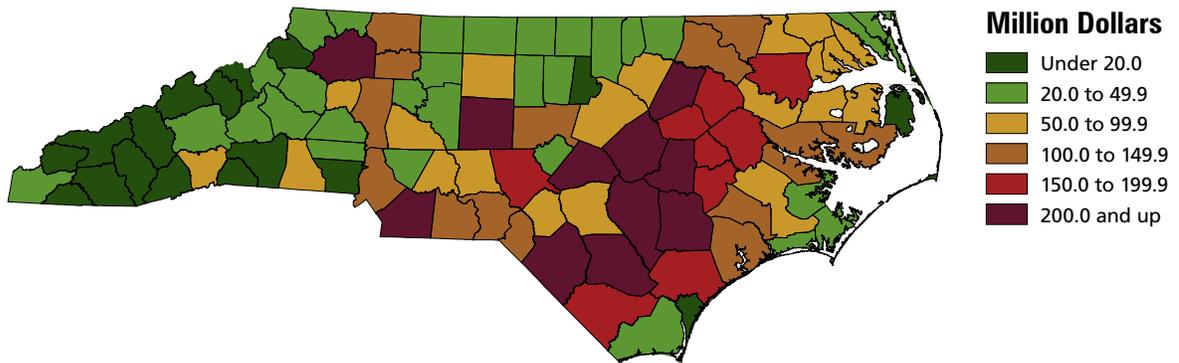
SOURCE OF FARM CASH RECEIPTS, NORTH CAROLINA, 2008

\$9,752,845,000



COUNTY CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS, 2008

Includes Crops, Livestock & Government Payments



FARM INCOME

Cash Receipts from Farm Marketings by Commodity

Commodities	2005	2006	2007	2008	2008 % of Total Sales
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>				<i>Percent ¹</i>
Total Commodities Sold:	8,137,594	7,848,613	8,772,952	9,752,845	100.0%
Livestock, Dairy & Poultry Products	5,620,842	5,175,693	5,900,772	6,461,422	66.3%
Crops	2,516,752	2,672,920	2,872,180	3,291,423	33.7%
Livestock, Dairy & Poultry Products:					
Poultry and eggs ²	3,034,892	2,814,758	3,503,796	3,817,963	39.1%
Broilers	2,231,782	1,937,734	2,479,538	2,691,619	27.6%
Farm chickens	9,039	7,616	7,103	7,715	0.1%
Chicken eggs	249,368	257,627	328,664	373,944	3.8%
Turkeys	461,678	525,696	596,596	652,320	6.7%
Other Miscellaneous Poultry	83,025	86,085	91,895	92,365	0.9%
Meat animals	2,349,045	2,141,524	2,123,843	2,369,241	24.3%
Cattle and calves	249,148	223,809	215,458	197,650	2.0%
Hogs	2,099,168	1,917,244	1,907,945	2,170,806	22.3%
Sheep and lambs	729	471	440	785	*
Dairy products	163,836	138,868	189,280	189,630	1.9%
Miscellaneous livestock	73,069	80,543	83,853	84,588	0.9%
Honey	1,015	790	1,345	1,323	*
Catfish	6,077	7,213	7,099	7,221	0.1%
Trout	6,598	7,232	6,632	7,135	0.1%
Other Miscellaneous Livestock	59,271	65,155	68,665	68,816	0.7%
Individual Crops:					
Tobacco	413,244	496,363	586,451	686,833	7.0%
Oil Crops	301,758	310,069	349,539	507,725	5.2%
Peanuts	56,448	49,728	54,810	67,832	0.7%
Soybeans	245,310	260,341	294,729	439,893	4.5%
Feed Crops	192,008	244,907	335,070	355,980	3.7%
Barley	2,863	1,837	1,172	2,151	*
Corn	164,407	224,671	320,824	333,028	3.4%
Hay	21,824	14,756	9,852	13,450	0.1%
Oats	1,739	2,233	1,727	5,098	0.1%
Sorghum grain	1,175	1,411	1,494	2,254	*
Food Grains	78,508	99,252	110,248	292,457	3.0%
Wheat	77,343	98,110	109,672	291,465	3.0%
Cotton	313,456	258,915	292,549	192,893	2.0%
Cotton Lint, upland	295,849	241,963	276,158	171,326	1.8%
Cottonseed	17,607	16,952	16,391	21,567	0.2%
Vegetables	279,231	329,801	316,134	355,642	3.6%
Irish Potatoes	20,863	31,350	22,141	25,565	0.3%
Sweet Potatoes	87,398	103,591	110,837	141,820	1.5%
Snap Beans, fresh	7,500	10,740	7,560	6,944	0.1%
Cabbage, fresh	14,278	15,433	12,480	16,250	0.2%
Sweet Corn, fresh	10,465	11,808	9,300	12,350	0.1%
Cucumbers	28,352	23,559	24,652	25,286	0.3%
Peppers, green, fresh	10,656	15,552	15,600	10,080	0.1%
Tomatoes, fresh	22,400	33,728	28,710	33,728	0.3%
Squash	9,860	11,480	11,700	10,164	0.1%
Watermelons	7,259	11,520	11,088	12,060	0.1%
Other Miscellaneous Vegetables	59,000	59,000	60,000	60,000	0.6%
Fruits, Nuts & Berries	81,015	106,309	64,861	104,375	1.1%
Apples	13,900	24,087	5,632	21,569	0.2%
Grapes	3,653	4,960	4,630	6,563	0.1%
Peaches	5,100	5,115	735	5,303	0.1%
Strawberries	18,525	19,440	17,955	20,800	0.2%
Blueberries	36,702	50,790	34,200	47,950	0.5%
Pecans	1,930	647	274	840	*
Other Miscellaneous Fruits, Nuts & Berries	1,205	1,270	1,435	1,350	*
All Other Crops	857,532	827,304	817,328	795,518	8.2%
Greenhouse, Nursery & Floriculture	837,961	808,234	798,469	777,183	8.0%
Christmas trees	103,000	101,000	101,000	100,000	1.0%
Other Miscellaneous Crops	19,522	18,996	18,790	18,275	0.2%

SOURCE: Economic Research Service, USDA. ¹ Percents may not add due to rounding. ² Value of production. * Less than 0.05 percent.

FARM INCOME ¹

Cash Receipts from Farm Marketings and Government Payments, 2008

State	Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		Crops		Total		Government Payments ²		Total Cash Receipts	
	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank
<i>Receipts in Million Dollars</i>										
Alabama	3,596.4	15	962.1	34	4,558.5	27	162.0	26	4,720.6	27
Alaska	6.4	50	24.8	50	31.2	50	5.0	49	36.3	50
Arizona	1,505.5	28	1,959.2	27	3,464.7	29	90.0	32	3,554.7	29
Arkansas	4,350.4	10	3,996.4	16	8,346.9	12	382.9	13	8,729.8	12
California	10,632.3	2	25,633.1	1	36,265.4	1	434.0	10	36,699.4	1
Colorado	4,107.7	11	2,379.0	22	6,486.7	20	261.1	20	6,747.7	20
Connecticut	187.9	44	412.7	41	600.6	43	13.3	45	613.9	43
Delaware	828.4	38	272.5	44	1,100.9	39	24.4	39	1,125.3	39
Florida	1,384.8	29	6,593.1	10	7,977.9	16	159.4	27	8,137.3	17
Georgia	4,658.1	9	2,735.0	21	7,393.1	18	397.7	12	7,790.8	18
Hawaii	63.2	48	511.0	39	574.1	45	8.4	47	582.6	46
Idaho	3,404.7	16	3,010.8	20	6,415.5	21	150.7	29	6,566.3	21
Illinois	2,125.2	25	14,232.0	3	16,357.2	5	635.9	4	16,993.1	5
Indiana	2,856.5	19	7,105.4	7	9,961.9	8	321.9	16	10,283.8	8
Iowa	9,868.0	3	14,885.1	2	24,753.2	2	803.5	2	25,556.7	2
Kansas	7,212.8	5	6,754.7	8	13,967.5	7	647.7	3	14,615.2	7
Kentucky	2,917.8	17	1,930.2	29	4,847.9	25	370.5	14	5,218.4	25
Louisiana	1,049.8	35	1,984.9	26	3,034.7	32	219.9	23	3,254.6	31
Maine	335.0	42	340.7	42	675.7	42	14.6	44	690.3	42
Maryland	1,155.5	33	817.4	36	1,972.9	36	57.4	36	2,030.3	36
Massachusetts	115.6	46	454.3	40	569.9	46	14.8	43	584.6	45
Michigan	2,528.9	23	4,060.2	15	6,589.1	19	166.3	25	6,755.4	19
Minnesota	6,090.0	8	9,752.6	4	15,842.6	6	544.3	5	16,386.9	6
Mississippi	2,891.8	18	2,076.0	24	4,967.8	24	334.4	15	5,302.3	24
Missouri	3,616.2	14	4,817.9	14	8,434.0	11	538.5	6	8,972.5	11
Montana	1,180.5	32	1,722.1	31	2,902.6	34	294.5	18	3,197.1	32
Nebraska	8,320.1	4	8,995.6	5	17,315.7	4	518.5	8	17,834.2	4
Nevada	299.2	43	275.9	43	575.2	44	13.2	46	588.4	44
New Hampshire	93.8	47	119.2	46	213.0	48	7.8	48	220.8	48
New Jersey	177.2	45	940.5	35	1,117.6	38	17.2	40	1,134.9	38
New Mexico	2,407.2	24	709.7	37	3,116.9	30	74.7	34	3,191.6	33
New York	2,682.7	21	1,993.4	25	4,676.1	26	69.1	35	4,745.2	26
North Carolina	6,461.4	6	3,291.4	18	9,752.8	10	544.0	7	10,296.8	9
North Dakota	912.4	37	6,717.0	9	7,629.4	17	510.6	9	8,139.9	16
Ohio	2,744.3	20	5,235.5	13	7,979.8	15	275.2	19	8,255.0	15
Oklahoma	3,907.4	13	1,930.4	28	5,837.8	23	316.8	17	6,154.6	23
Oregon	1,142.4	34	3,223.2	19	4,365.6	28	124.8	31	4,490.4	28
Pennsylvania	3,942.7	12	2,172.9	23	6,115.5	22	87.4	33	6,202.9	22
Rhode Island	10.4	49	57.2	49	67.5	49	3.6	50	71.2	49
South Carolina	1,384.6	30	974.9	33	2,359.5	35	153.0	28	2,512.5	35
South Dakota	2,682.2	22	5,366.1	12	8,048.3	14	400.7	11	8,449.1	14
Tennessee	1,335.8	31	1,780.3	30	3,116.0	31	224.6	22	3,340.6	30
Texas	11,030.6	1	8,141.0	6	19,171.6	3	1,180.7	1	20,352.3	3
Utah	994.3	36	527.1	38	1,521.3	37	47.5	37	1,568.8	37
Vermont	571.9	40	115.9	47	687.8	41	15.6	41	703.4	41
Virginia	1,956.4	27	1,041.3	32	2,997.7	33	132.8	30	3,130.5	34
Washington	1,976.2	26	6,316.8	11	8,292.9	13	200.9	24	8,493.9	13
West Virginia	428.8	41	96.3	48	525.0	47	15.2	42	540.2	47
Wisconsin	6,315.7	7	3,574.1	17	9,889.8	9	230.0	21	10,119.8	10
Wyoming	748.4	39	225.6	45	973.9	40	45.7	38	1,019.6	40
United States	141,195.1	-	183,242.7	-	324,437.9	-	12,237.6	-	336,675.4	-

SOURCE: Economic Research Service, USDA. Note: Farm Forest Products are not included in cash receipts but are included in other farm-related income.

¹ Totals may not equal sum of states due to rounding. ² Amounts include cash payments made directly to farmers, not including Farmer-owned Reserve Payments as these data are not available by State. Amounts also include certificate exchange gains and marketing loan gains.

CASH RECEIPTS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS

Year	All Commodities	Livestock, Dairy & Poultry	Crops	Government Payments	Year	All Commodities	Livestock, Dairy & Poultry	Crops	Government Payments
<i>Million Dollars</i>					<i>Million Dollars</i>				
1929	241.5	37.5	204.0	-	1969	1,408.7	596.2	812.5	69.8
1930	182.7	28.8	153.9	-	1970	1,500.6	600.6	900.0	59.7
1931	128.2	25.3	102.9	-	1971	1,481.7	580.8	900.9	41.0
1932	98.2	19.1	79.1	-	1972	1,632.5	635.7	996.8	57.5
1933	154.9	20.9	134.1	2.8	1973	2,326.2	964.3	1,361.9	35.9
1934	236.5	24.5	212.0	12.6	1974	2,582.5	919.0	1,663.5	8.1
1935	217.3	29.5	187.8	16.1	1975	2,626.1	989.1	1,637.0	8.9
1936	222.4	31.9	190.5	4.3	1976	2,833.7	1,076.9	1,756.8	7.8
1937	260.4	36.1	224.3	12.2	1977	2,630.3	1,062.3	1,568.0	21.6
1938	216.2	35.0	181.2	16.5	1978	3,156.8	1,274.1	1,882.7	34.8
1939	219.5	34.6	184.9	19.9	1979	3,229.4	1,389.4	1,840.0	8.3
1940	201.2	33.9	167.3	14.9	1980	3,427.5	1,447.1	1,980.4	13.2
1941	238.1	44.3	238.8	14.5	1981	3,953.7	1,604.2	2,349.5	15.5
1942	424.2	64.9	359.3	22.4	1982	3,914.3	1,620.6	2,293.7	16.5
1943	482.5	99.6	383.0	14.3	1983	3,633.7	1,683.4	1,950.3	67.1
1944	611.4	107.4	504.0	16.4	1984	4,187.8	1,928.3	2,259.5	71.9
1945	629.1	120.9	508.2	9.3	1985	3,931.2	1,957.7	1,973.4	42.6
1946	745.4	119.9	625.5	9.7	1986	3,764.9	2,171.1	1,593.8	90.3
1947	759.5	135.2	624.3	8.1	1987	3,767.4	2,115.2	1,652.2	190.2
1948	783.1	153.0	630.1	7.9	1988	4,150.3	2,182.0	1,968.4	146.0
1949	739.3	156.5	582.8	7.6	1989	4,630.9	2,517.5	2,113.4	93.9
1950	829.7	164.7	665.0	8.8	1990	5,230.9	2,645.7	2,585.2	73.3
1951	967.6	197.7	769.9	8.0	1991	5,263.0	2,622.9	2,640.1	52.8
1952	942.1	203.2	738.9	6.8	1992	5,561.6	2,784.2	2,777.4	74.8
1953	922.0	222.3	699.7	3.9	1993	6,017.6	3,168.5	2,849.1	132.4
1954	934.4	224.5	709.9	6.1	1994	6,427.7	3,327.7	3,100.0	77.6
1955	938.4	222.2	716.2	7.3	1995	6,897.8	3,731.0	3,166.8	41.5
1956	976.7	235.9	740.8	10.5	1996	7,869.4	4,441.5	3,427.9	78.4
1957	840.1	260.9	579.2	26.4	1997	8,227.1	4,723.3	3,503.7	87.7
1958	971.8	299.6	672.2	37.5	1998	7,185.1	3,956.4	3,228.8	129.4
1959	946.2	283.4	662.7	10.6	1999	6,695.4	3,839.6	2,855.8	290.5
1960	1,047.5	312.4	735.0	12.8	2000	7,308.6	4,299.9	3,008.7	449.1
1961	1,117.3	325.2	792.1	32.0	2001	7,581.3	4,654.5	2,926.7	410.6
1962	1,144.6	346.5	798.0	39.5	2002	6,590.1	3,939.7	2,650.4	339.9
1963	1,161.8	351.0	810.8	31.8	2003	7,056.1	4,158.2	2,898.0	363.9
1964	1,221.3	364.9	856.5	35.2	2004	8,315.5	5,352.7	2,962.7	209.5
1965	1,164.8	398.0	766.9	43.4	2005	8,137.6	5,620.8	2,516.8	1,194.2
1966	1,278.5	475.8	802.7	62.8	2006	7,848.6	5,175.7	2,672.9	743.5
1967	1,292.7	460.7	832.0	61.7	2007	8,773.0	5,900.8	2,872.2	565.9
1968	1,247.0	504.9	742.1	61.6	2008	9,752.8	6,461.4	3,291.4	544.0

SOURCE: Economic Research Service, USDA

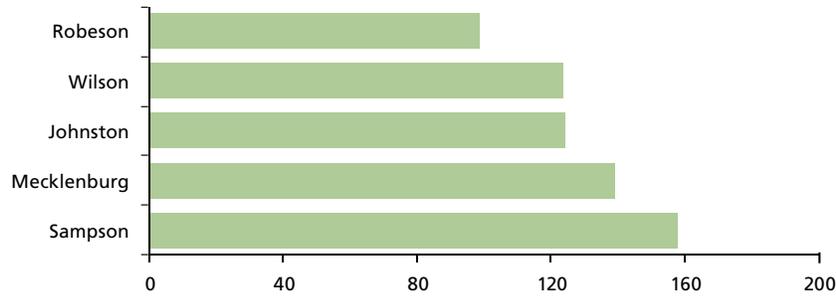
TOP TEN COUNTIES IN FARM CASH RECEIPTS

Livestock		Crops		Total ¹	
County	Thousand Dollars	County	Thousand Dollars	County	Thousand Dollars
Duplin	875,722	Sampson	157,370	Duplin	968,140
Sampson	733,344	Mecklenburg	138,889	Sampson	913,228
Union	378,389	Johnston	123,920	Union	454,817
Wilkes	319,916	Wilson	123,548	Wayne	370,547
Bladen	260,643	Robeson	98,638	Robeson	363,875
Wayne	260,313	Nash	98,376	Wilkes	329,272
Robeson	241,940	Edgecombe	93,175	Bladen	326,334
Randolph	190,262	Wayne	92,775	Johnston	241,633
Moore	135,146	Pitt	80,805	Randolph	209,857
Harnett	128,641	Duplin	74,994	Nash	206,810

¹ Includes government payments.

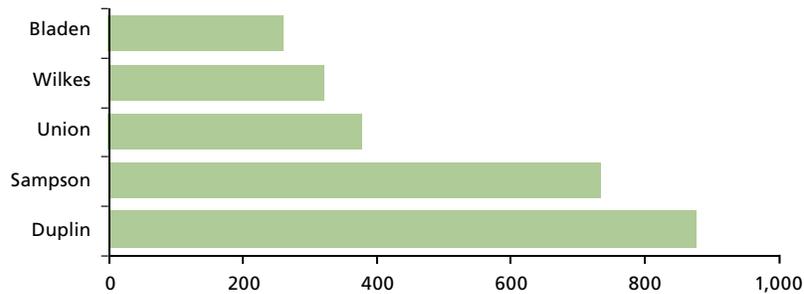
CROPS CASH RECEIPTS LEADING COUNTIES

(Million Dollars)



LIVESTOCK CASH RECEIPTS LEADING COUNTIES

(Million Dollars)



TOP TEN COUNTIES IN FARM CASH RECEIPTS FOR SPECIFIED COMMODITIES

Rank	Hogs	Broilers	Greenhouse & Nursery ¹	All Tobacco	Turkeys	Vegetables, Fruit & Nuts	Cotton
1	Duplin	Wilkes	Mecklenburg	Johnston	Duplin	Sampson	Halifax
2	Sampson	Union	Henderson	Sampson	Sampson	Johnston	Northampton
3	Bladen	Duplin	Wilson	Nash	Wayne	Nash	Martin
4	Wayne	Randolph ³	Ashe	Wilson	Union	Bladen	Edgecombe
5	Robeson	Robeson ³	Buncombe	Wayne	Onslow	Henderson	Bertie
6	Greene	Moore	Wake	Harnett	Lenoir	Pender	Beaufort
7	Lenoir	Richmond	Avery	Edgecombe	Greene	Wilson	Sampson
8	Pender	Harnett	Burke	Pitt	Anson	Pasquotank	Hyde
9	Columbus	Bertie	Guilford	Lenoir	Stanly	Edgecombe	Lenoir
10	Jones ²	Anson	Union	Greene	Johnston	Chowan	Perquimans
	Pitt ²						
Rank	Soybeans	Cattle	Corn	Eggs	Dairy	Peanuts	Wheat
1	Robeson	Iredell	Robeson	Nash	Iredell	Martin	Union
2	Beaufort	Randolph	Hyde	Yadkin	Randolph	Bertie	Robeson
3	Union	Chatham	Beaufort	Alexander	Yadkin	Bladen	Beaufort
4	Sampson	Wilkes	Tyrrell	Iredell	Alleghany	Edgecombe	Pasquotank
5	Wayne	Yadkin	Carteret	Union	Alexander ⁴	Halifax	Wayne
6	Pitt	Duplin	Duplin	Randolph	Rowan ⁴	Chowan	Perquimans
7	Johnston	Sampson	Sampson	Cherokee	Guilford ⁵	Northampton	Pitt
8	Duplin	Union	Columbus	Duplin	Henderson ⁵	Pitt	Washington
9	Pasquotank	Surry	Washington	Sampson	Lincoln ⁵	Hertford	Tyrrell
10	Tyrrell	Cleveland	Pasquotank	Chatham ²	Alamance	Gates	Sampson
				Surry ²			

¹ Includes Christmas Trees. ² Tied for 10th. ³ Tied for 4th. ⁴ Tied for 5th. ⁵ Tied for 7th.

CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS ^{1 2}

Counties and Districts	Total		Livestock		Crops		Government Payments	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>							
State Total	9,338,861	10,296,840	5,900,772	6,461,422	2,872,180	3,291,424	565,909	543,994
Alleghany	33,593	32,185	14,227	12,658	18,926	19,022	440	505
Ashe	42,703	40,946	5,263	4,309	36,630	35,806	810	831
Avery	25,542	24,967	403	421	24,986	24,376	153	170
Caldwell	24,060	24,984	7,005	7,671	16,663	16,601	392	712
Surry	139,006	145,911	108,857	111,111	21,860	26,230	8,289	8,570
Watauga	12,385	11,462	4,739	3,729	6,958	7,020	688	713
Wilkes	329,455	329,272	322,331	319,916	6,092	7,974	1,032	1,382
Yadkin	85,955	103,173	62,651	70,294	17,347	25,954	5,957	6,925
N. Mountain	692,697	712,896	525,475	530,106	149,462	162,983	17,760	19,807
Buncombe	45,667	45,267	10,302	9,784	34,155	34,215	1,210	1,268
Burke	39,281	38,598	15,394	14,674	23,814	23,778	73	146
Cherokee	18,486	23,403	16,161	20,410	2,187	2,493	138	500
Clay	1,441	1,570	950	855	327	507	164	208
Graham	1,826	1,770	1,427	1,347	265	271	134	152
Haywood	18,868	18,851	12,314	11,342	5,691	6,321	863	1,188
Henderson	69,091	84,407	8,306	8,494	60,529	72,704	256	3,209
Jackson	13,293	13,743	906	946	12,343	12,695	44	102
McDowell	26,638	28,603	7,511	9,487	19,090	18,844	37	272
Macon	6,513	6,670	3,520	3,842	2,427	2,543	566	285
Madison	9,594	9,336	3,295	2,988	4,129	4,121	2,170	2,227
Mitchell	4,326	4,511	668	672	3,296	3,419	362	420
Polk	6,400	7,518	2,026	1,968	4,338	5,221	36	329
Rutherford	10,279	12,360	8,159	9,681	1,872	2,288	248	391
Swain	1,682	1,806	609	623	1,003	1,040	70	143
Transylvania	14,805	14,829	5,783	5,761	8,940	8,982	82	86
Yancey	7,753	7,320	2,763	2,404	4,052	3,966	938	950
W. Mountain	295,946	320,557	100,093	105,276	188,462	203,406	7,391	11,875
Alamance	37,026	39,567	26,717	24,986	7,551	11,445	2,758	3,136
Caswell	23,735	31,241	7,528	10,029	10,474	15,049	5,733	6,163
Durham	11,401	11,830	2,619	2,159	7,142	7,926	1,640	1,745
Forsyth	22,828	23,609	6,888	6,240	13,415	14,593	2,525	2,776
Franklin	52,506	58,167	12,661	13,410	31,723	35,769	8,122	8,988
Granville	25,541	32,638	5,833	5,339	11,129	17,856	8,579	9,443
Guilford	59,236	66,270	22,822	22,835	30,894	37,505	5,520	5,930
Orange	28,268	34,330	11,485	14,474	14,121	16,589	2,662	3,267
Person	26,571	36,142	5,224	5,195	14,816	23,469	6,531	7,478
Rockingham	41,512	45,536	10,030	9,818	24,202	28,168	7,280	7,550
Stokes	22,276	25,949	6,175	6,756	9,297	12,006	6,804	7,187
Vance	17,426	20,714	761	756	11,224	14,246	5,441	5,712
Warren	24,922	29,999	12,895	13,535	7,679	11,630	4,348	4,834
N. Piedmont	393,247	455,992	131,637	135,531	193,668	246,251	67,942	74,210
Alexander	93,651	98,485	89,102	91,237	3,588	5,801	961	1,447
Catawba	37,463	42,102	22,928	23,470	14,063	18,035	472	597
Chatham	145,950	126,432	137,487	115,444	7,562	9,749	901	1,239
Davidson	45,437	47,617	31,999	31,361	11,042	13,779	2,396	2,477
Davie	19,607	24,206	13,062	14,274	5,426	8,873	1,119	1,059
Iredell	109,768	118,458	95,303	94,783	13,026	21,590	1,439	2,085
Lee	38,893	40,938	25,261	23,291	10,071	14,515	3,561	3,132
Randolph	215,005	209,857	200,259	190,262	12,953	17,259	1,793	2,336
Rowan	52,336	62,043	20,256	20,889	31,010	39,798	1,070	1,356
Wake	65,438	72,267	10,115	9,520	41,772	48,255	13,551	14,492
C. Piedmont	823,544	842,407	645,772	614,530	150,509	197,658	27,263	30,219

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Counties and Districts	Total		Livestock		Crops		Government Payments	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
<i>Thousand Dollars</i>								
Anson	128,890	142,881	118,263	127,161	8,901	14,164	1,726	1,556
Cabarrus	32,798	37,062	25,676	25,874	6,633	10,614	489	574
Cleveland	63,375	75,304	50,214	55,994	11,443	16,932	1,718	2,378
Gaston	17,842	16,440	14,192	11,850	3,495	4,379	155	211
Lincoln	26,655	31,710	22,326	23,798	4,010	7,150	319	762
Mecklenburg	146,422	142,605	4,238	3,627	142,012	138,889	172	89
Montgomery	88,522	95,145	81,372	87,065	6,733	7,627	417	453
Moore	153,236	159,961	130,605	135,146	20,028	22,082	2,603	2,733
Richmond	126,809	133,455	119,776	125,174	5,531	6,663	1,502	1,618
Stanly	94,987	94,853	76,359	71,204	15,822	21,673	2,806	1,976
Union	414,201	454,817	360,541	378,389	48,732	70,645	4,928	5,783
S. Piedmont	1,293,737	1,384,234	1,003,562	1,045,281	273,339	320,819	16,836	18,134
Bertie	158,254	180,322	90,625	114,843	51,614	53,871	16,015	11,608
Camden	30,514	32,316	349	359	28,828	30,597	1,337	1,360
Chowan	55,280	51,487	9,700	9,048	38,493	37,349	7,087	5,090
Currituck	18,454	21,382	2,375	2,444	15,119	17,856	960	1,082
Dare	1,569	1,509	67	68	1,324	1,251	178	190
Edgecombe	150,581	161,177	45,086	46,902	83,910	93,175	21,585	21,100
Gates	57,048	62,603	25,105	29,864	24,829	27,742	7,114	4,997
Halifax	100,988	104,240	32,979	35,631	50,249	57,019	17,760	11,590
Hertford	79,196	87,150	45,187	46,433	25,930	33,494	8,079	7,223
Martin	92,669	82,411	17,153	14,985	57,531	53,391	17,985	14,035
Nash	169,585	206,810	73,713	91,715	78,744	98,376	17,128	16,719
Northampton	109,683	113,947	56,939	62,774	39,998	42,830	12,746	8,343
Pasquotank	46,362	55,656	758	792	43,299	52,755	2,305	2,109
Perquimans	66,672	69,420	25,825	29,284	36,244	37,311	4,603	2,825
Tyrrell	49,099	51,663	4,573	5,051	40,661	43,480	3,865	3,132
Washington	67,491	70,017	15,832	16,969	45,254	47,765	6,405	5,283
N. Coastal	1,253,445	1,352,114	446,265	507,158	662,028	728,269	145,152	116,687
Beaufort	112,183	105,698	18,400	18,814	79,472	73,840	14,311	13,044
Carteret	27,379	29,691	565	389	25,656	28,079	1,158	1,223
Craven	51,383	60,518	12,698	21,024	28,992	30,650	9,693	8,844
Greene	167,091	160,117	103,192	99,680	50,116	48,063	13,783	12,374
Hyde	99,277	102,535	37,628	46,508	55,815	52,311	5,834	3,716
Johnston	213,146	241,633	93,082	95,769	98,949	123,920	21,115	21,944
Jones	116,731	104,296	82,883	74,060	25,271	21,012	8,577	9,224
Lenoir	181,926	193,524	95,188	113,842	71,328	63,732	15,410	15,950
Pamlico	23,910	24,588	886	992	20,753	21,635	2,271	1,961
Pitt	180,740	183,419	75,572	78,799	79,503	80,805	25,665	23,815
Wayne	337,170	370,547	239,264	260,313	80,078	92,775	17,828	17,459
Wilson	144,708	158,653	16,240	18,317	111,958	123,548	16,510	16,788
C. Coastal	1,655,642	1,735,223	775,598	828,511	727,890	760,370	152,154	146,342
Bladen	275,676	326,334	221,548	260,643	43,456	56,065	10,672	9,626
Brunswick	32,784	39,867	15,045	19,355	15,697	18,485	2,042	2,027
Columbus	143,043	164,815	72,965	80,367	50,455	64,583	19,623	19,865
Cumberland	70,075	92,649	40,959	51,600	23,409	35,014	5,707	6,035
Duplin	833,242	968,140	746,502	875,722	68,483	74,994	18,257	17,424
Harnett	161,707	201,214	107,222	128,641	41,589	59,792	12,896	12,781
Hoke	45,409	56,524	31,450	37,375	9,833	16,270	4,126	2,879
New Hanover	7,094	7,115	491	462	6,544	6,601	59	52
Onslow	98,846	108,322	71,536	84,765	21,693	18,400	5,617	5,157
Pender	125,592	151,267	75,676	97,307	46,436	51,170	3,480	2,790
Robeson	248,168	363,875	166,554	241,940	57,596	98,638	24,018	23,297
Sampson	813,716	913,228	657,007	733,344	134,602	157,370	22,107	22,514
Scotland	75,249	100,065	65,413	83,510	7,028	14,283	2,808	2,272
S. Coastal	2,930,603	3,493,418	2,272,368	2,695,030	526,823	671,669	131,412	126,719

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Counties and Districts	Hogs		Broilers		Turkeys		Eggs	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>							
State Total	1,907,945	2,170,806	2,479,538	2,691,619	596,596	652,320	328,664	373,944
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell	299	362	2,857	*	*	*	*	*
Surry	5,593	4,749	84,111	84,525	*	*	9,240	11,823
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilkes	*	*	291,375	294,148	*	*	16,110	11,442
Yadkin	1,524	1,945	17,457	16,905	*	*	26,062	34,326
N. Mountain	7,482	7,123	396,751	398,959	*	*	52,516	58,926
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	*	*	11,744	11,495	*	*	*	*
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	16,782
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell	*	*	4,126	5,748	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Rutherford	*	*	4,761	6,762	*	*	*	*
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
W. Mountain	374	339	20,631	24,005	*	*	*	20,863
Alamance	206	226	9,204	8,453	*	*	6,003	*
Caswell	*	*	*	*	*	*	3,633	*
Durham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Forsyth	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Franklin	2,245	2,374	3,174	*	*	*	3,964	*
Granville	253	294	*	*	*	*	*	*
Guilford	1,721	1,696	1,587	*	*	*	4,659	*
Orange	655	791	*	*	*	*	2,448	*
Person	935	905	*	*	*	*	*	*
Rockingham	1,029	1,131	*	*	*	*	*	*
Stokes	374	656	*	*	*	*	2,164	*
Vance	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Warren	7,482	9,497	*	*	*	*	1,895	*
N. Piedmont	14,964	17,638	15,870	15,215	*	*	26,677	30,989
Alexander	*	*	46,975	49,025	*	*	28,273	29,558
Catawba	*	*	14,918	15,215	*	*	*	*
Chatham	5,612	2,329	103,155	84,525	*	*	10,740	11,823
Davidson	*	*	19,679	16,905	*	*	2,290	*
Davie	224	*	*	*	*	*	2,890	*
Iredell	*	*	*	*	*	*	23,771	23,837
Lee	804	791	22,218	20,286	*	*	*	*
Randolph	2,338	5,201	149,178	135,240	*	*	19,585	18,116
Rowan	561	1,899	4,444	*	*	*	1,911	*
Wake	561	678	4,126	*	*	*	*	*
C. Piedmont	10,288	11,306	369,772	333,029	*	*	91,228	97,905

CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS ^{1 2}

Counties and Districts	Hogs		Broilers		Turkeys		Eggs	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
<i>Thousand Dollars</i>								
Anson	8,062	10,515	88,872	91,287	14,379	17,378	3,475	*
Cabarrus	430	905	14,283	13,524	*	*	1,927	*
Cleveland	748	905	33,327	38,882	*	*	2,685	*
Gaston	*	*	6,348	*	*	*	*	*
Lincoln	*	*	11,426	13,524	*	*	*	*
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	5,294	4,070	73,002	79,454	*	*	*	*
Moore	7,127	10,831	117,439	118,335	*	*	*	*
Richmond	11,223	11,306	106,329	111,573	*	*	*	*
Stanly	748	905	42,532	41,248	17,898	14,819	4,738	*
Union	3,554	5,427	284,075	290,766	36,408	43,856	20,533	22,884
S. Piedmont	37,336	44,999	777,633	804,679	73,580	81,908	36,248	36,634
Bertie	7,819	9,723	82,525	104,811	*	*	*	*
Camden	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chowan	1,309	1,809	7,935	*	*	*	*	*
Currituck	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	20,482	21,030	21,266	20,962	*	*	2,053	*
Gates	5,799	5,879	19,044	23,667	*	*	*	*
Halifax	11,971	18,090	16,187	12,510	*	*	*	*
Hertford	10,101	12,437	34,915	33,810	*	*	*	*
Martin	3,105	3,912	13,013	10,143	*	*	*	*
Nash	12,158	21,934	30,153	30,429	*	*	27,168	35,470
Northampton	26,805	34,823	28,566	26,710	*	*	*	*
Pasquotank	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Perquimans	1,571	2,487	23,805	26,372	*	*	*	*
Tyrrell	4,489	4,975	*	*	*	*	*	*
Washington	10,662	12,889	4,126	*	*	*	*	*
N. Coastal	116,609	150,374	281,535	299,219	*	*	31,905	41,954
Beaufort	12,158	13,341	2,222	*	*	*	*	*
Carteret	206	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Craven	10,531	18,814	*	*	*	*	*	*
Greene	75,757	70,099	7,935	7,776	14,991	17,863	*	*
Hyde	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	36,475	38,441	41,262	37,191	9,025	13,347	*	*
Jones	63,972	56,531	13,331	12,172	*	*	*	*
Lenoir	55,368	68,968	11,109	13,524	23,711	26,193	*	*
Pamlico	524	633	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pitt	49,999	56,531	14,918	12,510	*	*	*	*
Wayne	97,268	128,892	61,576	60,858	61,954	55,213	*	*
Wilson	9,259	11,306	*	*	*	*	*	*
C. Coastal	411,518	463,558	152,353	145,383	116,719	119,257	*	54,006
Bladen	161,801	185,423	38,088	54,096	16,368	*	1,737	*
Brunswick	14,085	18,316	*	*	*	*	*	*
Columbus	54,245	58,793	15,870	17,919	*	*	*	*
Cumberland	18,331	24,874	11,109	10,143	*	12,428	*	*
Duplin	448,928	480,517	107,917	182,574	157,715	177,816	11,688	15,256
Harnett	12,439	11,306	88,872	108,192	*	*	*	*
Hoke	15,338	18,542	12,696	15,215	*	*	*	*
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Onslow	33,801	42,512	2,857	*	31,360	36,312	*	*
Pender	50,224	63,315	13,648	20,286	8,719	10,655	*	*
Robeson	72,577	92,485	79,351	135,240	11,320	11,056	*	*
Sampson	403,100	452,251	58,719	74,382	164,140	173,634	10,503	13,158
Scotland	24,504	27,135	35,866	50,715	*	*	*	*
S. Coastal	1,309,374	1,475,470	464,993	671,130	406,297	451,121	25,634	32,667

¹ Cash receipts from farm marketings represent gross returns from the actual sales of crops and livestock and livestock products during the calendar year. ² Totals may not equal sum of counties due to rounding. * Cash receipts for counties with inventory of less than 1,000 hogs, or annual production of less than 500,000 broilers, turkeys or chickens or where individual data would be disclosed are not published.

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Counties and Districts	Dairy Products		Cattle & Calves		Other Livestock & Poultry	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>					
State Total	189,280	189,630	215,458	197,650	183,291	185,453
Alleghany	8,675	8,007	5,062	4,465	167	169
Ashe	*	*	3,972	3,720	500	506
Avery	*	*	260	279	134	136
Caldwell	*	*	1,272	1,116	1,535	1,553
Surry	*	2,528	5,140	4,651	2,801	2,835
Watauga	*	*	2,596	2,279	1,418	1,435
Wilkes	5,126	5,057	7,917	7,441	1,784	1,805
Yadkin	9,465	9,692	7,009	6,278	1,134	1,148
N. Mountain	26,026	25,284	33,227	30,229	9,473	9,585
Buncombe	4,732	4,635	4,283	3,837	1,117	1,130
Burke	*	*	909	791	818	828
Cherokee	*	*	1,272	1,070	1,684	1,704
Clay	*	*	727	628	217	219
Graham	*	*	312	279	1,035	1,047
Haywood	6,309	5,899	5,062	4,465	851	861
Henderson	5,915	6,321	1,558	1,325	801	810
Jackson	*	*	363	395	534	541
McDowell	*	*	779	651	418	422
Macon	*	*	1,168	1,302	2,100	2,125
Madison	*	*	2,596	2,256	634	642
Mitchell	*	*	467	465	184	186
Polk	*	*	571	465	1,050	1,063
Rutherford	*	*	2,388	2,093	767	776
Swain	*	*	156	163	450	456
Transylvania	*	*	701	605	5,068	5,128
Yancey	*	*	1,609	1,418	534	541
W. Mountain	19,717	19,384	24,920	22,207	18,262	18,478
Alamance	5,521	5,900	4,932	4,302	851	861
Caswell	*	*	2,284	2,139	400	405
Durham	*	*	779	674	1,435	1,452
Forsyth	*	*	1,661	1,442	3,735	3,779
Franklin	*	*	2,077	1,907	1,201	1,215
Granville	*	2,107	2,336	2,046	851	861
Guilford	5,521	6,321	4,465	3,953	4,869	4,927
Orange	4,338	4,214	2,544	2,325	1,500	1,518
Person	*	*	1,999	1,860	301	304
Rockingham	1,972	2,107	2,855	2,442	2,752	2,784
Stokes	*	*	2,492	2,325	751	760
Vance	*	*	519	512	234	236
Warren	*	*	1,687	1,628	167	169
N. Piedmont	24,449	24,863	30,631	27,555	19,046	19,271
Alexander	7,492	7,164	5,192	4,302	1,151	1,165
Catawba	*	2,528	3,375	3,186	1,701	1,721
Chatham	4,732	4,214	9,345	8,604	3,903	3,949
Davidson	4,732	5,057	3,972	3,488	1,251	1,266
Davie	*	2,107	3,634	3,255	2,284	2,311
Iredell	49,292	49,304	11,162	9,883	7,222	7,307
Lee	*	*	831	814	366	370
Randolph	15,773	18,542	9,683	9,417	3,702	3,746
Rowan	6,704	7,164	4,802	4,302	1,834	1,855
Wake	*	*	1,999	1,930	2,435	2,464
C. Piedmont	94,640	96,922	53,994	49,180	25,850	26,155

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Counties and Districts	Dairy Products		Cattle & Calves		Other Livestock & Poultry	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>					
Anson	*	*	2,207	1,930	1,268	1,283
Cabarrus	2,366	2,950	3,115	3,139	1,719	1,739
Cleveland	*	3,793	5,451	4,534	2,184	2,210
Gaston	4,732	2,950	2,258	1,930	801	810
Lincoln	*	6,321	3,245	2,790	950	962
Mecklenburg	*	*	1,298	1,046	2,518	2,548
Montgomery	*	*	1,428	1,628	100	101
Moore	*	*	1,765	1,651	4,053	4,100
Richmond	*	*	1,168	1,232	1,050	1,063
Stanly	3,549	*	4,543	4,302	2,351	2,379
Union	*	*	5,192	5,348	9,990	10,108
S. Piedmont	20,111	20,227	31,670	29,531	26,984	27,303
Bertie	*	*	*	*	67	68
Camden	*	*	*	*	259	262
Chowan	*	*	*	302	167	169
Currituck	*	*	*	*	2,135	2,160
Dare	*	*	*	*	67	68
Edgecombe	*	*	701	791	584	591
Gates	*	*	156	209	100	101
Halifax	*	*	1,428	1,349	316	320
Hertford	*	*	*	116	67	68
Martin	*	*	*	372	550	556
Nash	*	*	2,466	2,093	1,768	1,789
Northampton	*	*	441	349	100	101
Pasquotank	*	*	*	*	483	489
Perquimans	*	*	312	279	134	136
Tyrrell	*	*	*	*	*	*
Washington	*	*	208	186	834	843
N. Coastal	*	*	7,009	6,627	7,630	7,720
Beaufort	*	*	234	233	3,202	3,240
Carteret	*	*	*	*	234	236
Craven	*	*	441	465	1,717	1,737
Greene	*	*	441	581	2,568	2,598
Hyde	*	*	*	140	217	219
Johnston	*	*	2,674	2,790	2,351	2,379
Jones	*	*	649	465	333	337
Lenoir	*	*	1,090	953	2,836	2,869
Pamlico	*	*	*	*	284	287
Pitt	*	*	1,376	1,139	8,506	8,606
Wayne	*	*	3,115	2,790	7,772	7,863
Wilson	*	*	337	349	4,503	4,556
C. Coastal	*	*	10,643	10,115	34,521	34,928
Bladen	*	*	1,220	1,256	2,334	2,362
Brunswick	*	*	363	419	584	591
Columbus	*	*	2,103	2,023	734	743
Cumberland	*	*	909	953	1,751	1,772
Duplin	*	*	6,620	6,162	13,240	13,397
Harnett	*	*	2,155	2,046	1,284	1,299
Hoke	*	*	*	*	550	556
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	383	388
Onslow	*	*	467	488	3,035	3,071
Pender	*	*	623	558	2,451	2,480
Robeson	*	*	1,921	1,744	1,368	1,384
Sampson	*	*	6,230	5,813	13,526	13,685
Scotland	*	*	467	395	284	287
S. Coastal	*	*	23,363	22,207	41,524	42,014

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Counties and Districts	Tobacco		Cotton and Cottonseed		Soybeans	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>					
State Total	586,451	686,833	292,549	192,893	294,729	439,893
Alleghany	567	579	*	*	*	*
Ashe	249	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell	*	*	*	*	124	224
Surry	11,601	13,342	*	*	2,245	2,650
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilkes	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yadkin	9,674	12,209	*	*	2,477	4,215
N. Mountain	24,148	28,660	*	*	4,902	7,200
Buncombe	285	255	*	*	*	*
Burke	*	*	*	*	103	184
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	*	*
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	*	*	*	*	*	*
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	804	616	*	*	*	*
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*
Rutherford	*	*	*	*	157	*
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yancey	205	*	*	*	*	*
W. Mountain	1,608	1,408	*	*	454	551
Alamance	3,548	5,359	*	*	204	742
Caswell	7,085	10,650	*	*	234	423
Durham	693	1,251	*	*	38	*
Forsyth	2,625	3,424	*	*	341	806
Franklin	15,007	14,864	*	*	1,713	3,919
Granville	7,908	12,904	*	*	163	607
Guilford	5,208	8,724	*	*	1,001	2,131
Orange	2,371	3,394	*	*	485	663
Person	10,656	14,632	*	*	722	2,411
Rockingham	13,455	15,607	*	*	660	918
Stokes	6,279	8,256	*	*	155	*
Vance	7,768	8,819	*	*	640	1,772
Warren	3,977	5,789	504	*	650	2,075
N. Piedmont	86,580	113,672	665	715	7,007	16,826
Alexander	1,178	*	*	*	146	471
Catawba	*	*	*	*	516	1,964
Chatham	*	*	*	*	201	527
Davidson	2,154	2,822	*	*	1,383	2,083
Davie	834	1,091	*	*	733	1,684
Iredell	*	1,744	*	*	1,899	3,991
Lee	6,738	9,049	*	*	190	1,325
Randolph	2,372	3,289	*	*	1,156	2,139
Rowan	*	*	*	*	1,857	5,045
Wake	8,717	11,989	*	*	1,393	3,464
C. Piedmont	23,654	33,295	560	537	9,473	22,693

CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS ^{1 2}

Counties and Districts	Tobacco		Cotton and Cottonseed		Soybeans	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>					
Anson	*	*	*	*	1,238	3,783
Cabarrus	*	*	*	*	382	1,812
Cleveland	*	*	*	766	671	2,953
Gaston	*	*	*	*	*	631
Lincoln	*	*	*	*	325	1,397
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	*	86	279
Montgomery	*	*	*	*	62	*
Moore	4,222	4,786	*	*	526	1,133
Richmond	1,591	*	*	*	*	*
Stanly	*	*	5,119	3,577	2,281	6,186
Union	*	*	*	971	6,140	17,568
S. Piedmont	6,442	6,079	10,200	6,745	12,033	37,252
Bertie	10,197	15,110	18,270	10,168	5,098	7,423
Camden	*	*	*	*	10,536	9,155
Chowan	*	357	8,332	4,088	*	*
Currituck	*	*	*	*	5,160	4,973
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	22,238	29,954	17,560	11,241	6,821	9,730
Gates	*	*	7,099	4,216	4,747	5,675
Halifax	7,028	12,112	24,809	20,439	7,410	8,637
Hertford	4,856	6,521	4,857	4,727	2,786	4,063
Martin	17,284	19,597	23,090	13,362	3,622	5,284
Nash	33,111	42,434	5,081	3,066	3,674	7,487
Northampton	*	*	24,248	17,118	6,749	11,175
Pasquotank	*	*	971	715	12,260	13,330
Perquimans	*	*	10,275	6,132	9,731	11,047
Tyrrell	*	*	*	*	14,303	12,053
Washington	*	*	5,941	4,088	10,939	11,973
N. Coastal	96,216	128,082	153,187	100,918	106,829	125,854
Beaufort	9,728	8,602	15,692	7,665	20,588	19,780
Carteret	*	*	*	*	8,493	7,224
Craven	6,042	6,292	1,569	1,277	5,893	7,767
Greene	22,496	22,349	*	3,832	5,036	6,920
Hyde	*	*	16,103	7,281	10,268	9,459
Johnston	39,278	45,015	3,138	2,146	6,543	14,567
Jones	6,883	5,259	6,501	3,577	4,107	5,452
Lenoir	26,479	25,293	12,479	7,205	6,935	8,397
Pamlico	734	*	1,345	*	7,802	5,963
Pitt	29,479	29,625	10,312	5,902	11,383	14,911
Wayne	33,390	35,461	4,633	3,321	10,505	15,365
Wilson	34,874	40,783	8,257	5,110	5,923	9,283
C. Coastal	209,459	219,528	91,538	48,824	103,475	125,087
Bladen	2,891	2,778	*	1,788	2,291	5,180
Brunswick	2,294	1,840	*	*	1,125	1,796
Columbus	16,450	17,765	*	2,044	6,976	11,558
Cumberland	6,883	9,045	1,719	2,248	2,363	5,348
Duplin	21,566	21,167	3,213	1,533	7,616	13,586
Harnett	23,019	32,135	3,848	5,110	2,848	6,984
Hoke	1,071	1,177	4,782	4,318	1,145	4,318
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*
Onslow	5,200	2,805	*	*	3,509	3,991
Pender	3,059	2,822	*	*	*	*
Robeson	15,295	19,018	4,820	5,825	11,052	26,900
Sampson	40,234	44,995	*	7,563	7,575	16,970
Scotland	*	*	*	*	934	3,640
S. Coastal	138,344	156,110	36,354	35,130	50,556	104,430

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Counties and Districts	Corn		Peanuts		Wheat	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>					
State Total	320,824	333,028	54,810	67,832	109,672	291,465
Alleghany	133	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell	204	339	*	*	77	118
Surry	2,461	3,488	*	*	603	1,079
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilkes	290	945	*	*	*	*
Yadkin	2,388	4,410	*	*	949	2,759
N. Mountain	5,494	9,445	*	*	2,073	4,230
Buncombe	73	111	*	*	*	*
Burke	244	467	*	*	30	*
Cherokee	282	499	*	*	*	*
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*
Haywood	115	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	506	1,072	*	*	*	*
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell	*	157	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*
Rutherford	*	*	*	*	*	*
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	84	*	*	*	*	*
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*
W. Mountain	1,463	3,143	*	*	175	364
Alamance	669	1,318	*	*	515	1,134
Caswell	93	340	*	*	302	675
Durham	*	238	*	*	263	*
Forsyth	629	348	*	*	148	344
Franklin	553	907	*	*	1,146	2,766
Granville	113	545	*	*	472	918
Guilford	383	1,214	*	*	1,146	2,125
Orange	403	1,113	*	*	576	1,147
Person	287	1,084	*	*	1,239	3,313
Rockingham	493	694	*	*	1,042	2,078
Stokes	304	456	*	*	165	*
Vance	*	*	*	*	450	1,127
Warren	70	*	*	*	378	1,026
N. Piedmont	4,072	8,586	*	*	7,842	17,205
Alexander	166	596	*	*	121	378
Catawba	302	1,362	*	*	625	1,754
Chatham	308	1,014	*	*	356	661
Davidson	1,608	1,956	*	*	576	1,255
Davie	1,144	1,746	*	*	636	1,572
Iredell	1,602	4,956	*	*	1,497	3,704
Lee	191	472	*	*	302	877
Randolph	1,065	2,119	*	*	757	1,720
Rowan	1,956	4,462	*	*	1,601	4,426
Wake	259	345	*	*	494	1,403
C. Piedmont	8,600	19,030	*	*	6,964	17,751

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Counties and Districts	Corn		Peanuts		Wheat	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>					
Anson	2,488	3,292	*	*	576	2,314
Cabarrus	398	1,509	*	*	384	1,208
Cleveland	105	322	*	*	428	2,685
Gaston	*	*	*	*	*	304
Lincoln	243	645	*	*	461	1,451
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	*	225	364
Montgomery	153	*	*	*	*	*
Moore	253	483	*	*	66	412
Richmond	*	*	*	*	*	*
Stanly	3,567	4,851	*	*	1,590	3,643
Union	10,126	8,813	*	*	6,668	19,626
S. Piedmont	18,063	21,879	*	*	10,529	32,722
Bertie	4,891	6,837	6,808	6,520	888	2,618
Camden	10,029	9,717	*	*	2,906	5,688
Chowan	2,656	2,651	4,546	3,780	987	3,434
Currituck	5,497	6,171	*	*	1,859	3,900
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	4,816	4,080	5,111	4,763	1,991	6,099
Gates	2,247	2,371	2,871	2,929	1,327	4,736
Halifax	3,324	3,446	2,958	4,630	631	3,151
Hertford	2,156	4,932	2,719	3,364	*	2,125
Martin	3,575	1,854	6,416	7,465	1,409	3,529
Nash	*	*	1,979	2,533	1,481	3,448
Northampton	2,214	3,576	3,073	3,496	1,799	5,472
Pasquotank	11,854	10,159	*	*	5,297	13,440
Perquimans	8,475	6,451	2,092	1,833	4,628	10,640
Tyrrell	13,960	16,772	*	*	5,950	8,676
Washington	13,532	11,053	924	813	4,458	9,236
N. Coastal	91,038	92,110	39,498	42,128	36,411	86,191
Beaufort	24,788	17,676	*	*	6,580	17,724
Carteret	8,985	13,714	*	*	1,470	3,454
Craven	8,788	6,095	*	*	1,217	3,798
Greene	6,703	2,707	848	1,153	1,459	3,535
Hyde	16,151	18,286	*	*	2,829	6,727
Johnston	2,540	3,883	*	775	2,128	5,755
Jones	6,247	2,199	*	*	658	3,340
Lenoir	10,272	3,918	*	*	1,371	4,925
Pamlico	6,353	7,599	*	*	1,892	3,569
Pitt	9,127	3,667	2,501	3,402	3,976	10,390
Wayne	10,271	6,887	*	*	3,948	12,185
Wilson	3,459	3,581	*	*	1,097	3,967
C. Coastal	113,685	90,213	5,851	9,450	28,624	79,370
Bladen	6,336	5,236	2,917	4,838	510	1,714
Brunswick	1,810	3,209	*	*	181	398
Columbus	10,869	12,463	1,740	2,363	1,563	4,790
Cumberland	2,380	5,241	*	643	740	1,977
Duplin	17,865	13,242	1,620	2,287	2,040	7,772
Harnett	1,014	2,532	*	*	866	2,112
Hoke	1,209	3,149	*	*	828	2,253
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*
Onslow	5,463	4,028	*	284	855	1,700
Pender	*	*	*	*	548	*
Robeson	13,109	18,749	683	1,914	5,209	18,527
Sampson	11,319	12,473	*	*	2,945	8,609
Scotland	1,085	2,337	*	*	768	1,653
S. Coastal	78,409	88,622	9,440	16,254	17,054	53,631

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Counties and Districts	Vegetables, Fruits, Nuts and Berries		Other Field Crops		Greenhouse and Nursery	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>					
State Total	380,995	460,017	33,681	42,280	798,469	777,183
Alleghany	3,313	3,403	503	774	14,410	14,026
Ashe	662	856	467	447	35,247	34,307
Avery	203	271	46	50	24,699	24,041
Caldwell	265	322	254	362	15,555	15,141
Surry	2,601	3,234	747	878	1,602	1,559
Watauga	246	362	256	397	6,329	6,160
Wilkes	544	1,412	1,018	1,121	2,018	1,964
Yadkin	735	917	513	849	611	595
N. Mountain	8,569	10,777	3,805	4,878	100,471	97,793
Buncombe	4,185	4,762	723	968	28,889	28,119
Burke	405	558	249	258	22,783	22,176
Cherokee	506	555	169	198	1,200	1,168
Clay	32	48	128	134	*	*
Graham	38	53	41	40	169	165
Haywood	2,260	2,529	435	645	2,720	2,647
Henderson	12,594	25,365	210	273	47,192	45,934
Jackson	3,920	4,451	41	65	8,373	8,150
McDowell	316	457	82	99	18,570	18,075
Macon	614	740	128	149	1,652	1,608
Madison	785	889	284	407	2,241	2,181
Mitchell	175	330	160	223	2,835	2,760
Polk	649	1,469	119	231	3,527	3,433
Rutherford	548	680	663	930	410	399
Swain	328	366	27	35	647	630
Transylvania	775	865	183	223	7,898	7,688
Yancey	493	519	265	273	3,077	2,995
W. Mountain	28,623	44,636	3,910	5,151	152,184	148,127
Alamance	958	1,103	710	868	947	921
Caswell	841	963	705	816	1,214	1,182
Durham	272	321	114	156	5,702	5,550
Forsyth	1,154	1,384	371	365	8,087	7,871
Franklin	909	1,058	427	591	11,904	11,587
Granville	1,801	1,878	460	568	212	206
Guilford	2,350	2,818	817	1,037	19,989	19,456
Orange	483	603	654	764	9,149	8,905
Person	359	428	405	484	1,148	1,117
Rockingham	972	1,265	767	975	6,813	6,631
Stokes	777	991	602	849	978	952
Vance	469	554	122	144	1,758	1,711
Warren	419	473	252	308	1,429	1,391
N. Piedmont	11,763	13,839	6,407	7,925	69,332	67,483
Alexander	1,048	1,604	437	489	492	479
Catawba	1,203	1,418	532	943	10,885	10,594
Chatham	976	1,163	1,030	1,094	3,917	3,812
Davidson	1,807	2,065	924	1,124	2,489	2,423
Davie	308	451	663	1,251	1,108	1,078
Iredell	1,321	1,372	1,319	1,367	4,578	4,456
Lee	820	957	82	114	1,636	1,593
Randolph	910	1,082	822	1,196	5,871	5,714
Rowan	5,966	6,700	976	1,000	18,297	17,809
Wake	4,232	5,057	189	251	26,399	25,695
C. Piedmont	18,591	21,870	6,974	8,828	75,671	73,654

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Counties and Districts	Vegetables, Fruits, Nuts and Berries		Other Field Crops		Greenhouse and Nursery	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
<i>Thousand Dollars</i>						
Anson	384	1,176	233	248	2,525	2,457
Cabarrus	344	413	732	1,370	4,131	4,021
Cleveland	2,738	3,309	945	1,007	6,052	5,890
Gaston	631	779	478	546	1,984	1,931
Lincoln	1,974	2,487	498	675	509	495
Mecklenburg	458	498	154	174	140,976	137,218
Montgomery	780	1,614	189	320	4,396	4,278
Moore	761	1,375	259	298	13,915	13,544
Richmond	1,766	2,053	110	280	619	603
Stanly	242	388	590	660	2,433	2,368
Union	4,377	4,052	599	839	19,290	18,776
S. Piedmont	14,456	18,144	4,787	6,416	196,829	191,582
Bertie	5,435	5,175	27	20	*	*
Camden	4,912	5,696	34	60	*	*
Chowan	11,211	11,735	64	32	8,055	7,840
Currituck	1,012	1,266	8	5	1,583	1,541
Dare	*	*	*	*	703	684
Edgecombe	11,814	14,015	41	136	13,518	13,157
Gates	6,520	7,770	18	45	*	*
Halifax	2,923	3,349	101	218	1,065	1,037
Hertford	1,977	2,062	5	*	5,856	5,700
Martin	830	1,044	71	55	1,234	1,201
Nash	26,259	32,050	245	322	5,290	5,149
Northampton	187	209	76	27	1,013	986
Pasquotank	12,463	14,728	65	5	389	378
Perquimans	995	1,173	48	35	*	*
Tyrrell	4,186	4,696	20	6	*	*
Washington	5,818	6,651	10	30	2,769	2,695
N. Coastal	96,541	111,620	833	997	41,475	40,369
Beaufort	1,084	1,167	114	144	898	874
Carteret	1,360	1,544	6	15	1,268	1,234
Craven	497	632	45	69	4,441	4,323
Greene	5,815	7,333	142	129	107	105
Hyde	10,332	10,412	7	25	125	121
Johnston	27,061	33,812	469	650	17,792	17,317
Jones	188	270	60	104	135	131
Lenoir	3,251	3,824	140	134	10,001	9,734
Pamlico	2,419	2,843	15	10	193	188
Pitt	2,333	2,715	201	273	10,191	9,920
Wayne	7,885	9,461	383	546	8,432	8,207
Wilson	13,062	16,024	70	65	44,737	43,544
C. Coastal	75,286	90,036	1,652	2,164	98,320	95,698
Bladen	20,640	28,693	254	169	5,824	5,669
Brunswick	6,375	7,435	120	117	3,792	3,690
Columbus	7,548	9,609	183	275	3,818	3,716
Cumberland	6,866	8,073	118	161	2,340	2,278
Duplin	9,952	11,111	2,096	1,848	2,515	2,448
Harnett	4,655	5,663	368	362	4,699	4,573
Hoke	264	405	121	248	413	402
New Hanover	159	198	*	2	5,989	5,829
Onslow	541	669	115	146	3,806	3,704
Pender	17,286	20,914	82	77	15,927	15,502
Robeson	4,826	5,114	506	551	2,096	2,040
Sampson	47,592	50,652	1,295	1,853	12,301	11,973
Scotland	462	560	55	109	668	651
S. Coastal	127,166	149,096	5,313	5,920	64,187	62,476

¹ Cash receipts from farm marketings represent gross returns from the actual sales of crops and livestock and livestock products during the calendar year. ² Totals may not equal sum of counties due to rounding. ³ Christmas trees are no longer included in Other Field Crops but are in now included in Greenhouse and Nursery * Cash receipts for counties with less than \$10,000 or where individual data would be disclosed are not published.

FOREST, FISH AND SEAFOOD INCOME ¹

Counties and Districts	All Forest Products ²		Fish and Seafood ³		Counties and Districts	All Forest Products ²		Fish and Seafood ³	
	2007	2008	2007	2008		2007	2008	2007	2008
<i>Thousand Dollars</i>					<i>Thousand Dollars</i>				
State Total	1,112,339	993,489	71,208	86,814	Anson	26,939	19,214	*	*
Avery	3,401	2,759	*	*	Bladen	27,583	20,891	*	*
Buncombe	4,934	4,266	*	*	Brunswick	35,670	26,956	1,935	4,154
Cherokee	5,348	5,832	*	*	Columbus	47,277	30,533	28	114
Cherokee Reserv	-	-	*	*	Cumberland	3,847	4,340	*	*
Clay	810	1,401	*	*	Hoke	6,610	6,197	*	*
Graham	1,235	1,426	*	*	Lee	13,900	7,025	*	*
Haywood	10,736	6,396	*	*	Montgomery	22,876	19,349	*	*
Henderson	3,749	5,121	*	*	Moore	22,953	24,196	*	*
Jackson	3,042	2,567	*	*	Richmond	15,195	15,124	*	*
Macon	2,156	3,654	*	*	Robeson	15,231	12,637	*	*
Madison	5,924	5,122	*	*	Sampson	18,731	11,236	*	*
Mitchell	4,917	3,395	*	*	Scotland	9,650	6,134	*	*
Swain	1,717	274	*	*	S. Central	266,462	203,832	*	*
Transylvania	59	445	*	*	Alamance	9,131	10,142	*	*
Yancey	8,365	6,573	*	*	Caswell	8,696	11,786	*	*
Western	56,393	49,231	*	*	Chatham	19,638	18,710	*	*
Alexander	2,990	3,882	*	*	Davidson	7,870	6,095	*	*
Alleghany	4,371	3,312	*	*	Durham	6,265	4,272	*	*
Ashe	7,482	7,651	*	*	Granville	13,152	14,730	*	*
Burke	11,613	6,798	*	*	Guilford	5,838	5,688	*	*
Caldwell	8,133	6,399	*	*	Orange	4,289	3,657	*	*
Catawba	3,185	5,642	*	*	Person	6,872	10,240	*	*
Davie	1,406	1,711	*	*	Randolph	13,803	14,615	*	*
Forsyth	2,653	4,868	*	*	Rockingham	15,373	10,316	*	*
Stokes	9,435	9,742	*	*	N. Piedmont	110,927	110,251	*	*
Surry	6,597	7,649	*	*	Bertie	23,238	29,713	*	*
Watauga	3,435	4,101	*	*	Camden	2,853	5,492	1,872	1,590
Wilkes	19,985	13,309	*	*	Chowan	7,879	3,016	1,024	897
Yadkin	6,831	6,997	*	*	Currituck	1,138	1,979	2,508	2,409
N. Western	88,116	82,061	*	*	Dare	734	574	22,722	23,024
Cabarrus	3,418	2,595	*	*	Gates	20,509	16,804	*	*
Cleveland	3,870	6,976	*	*	Hertford	14,654	12,026	*	*
Gaston	3,228	5,073	*	*	Hyde	3,421	4,858	8,681	10,803
Iredell	5,584	5,897	*	*	Martin	22,442	19,794	*	*
Lincoln	3,059	6,771	*	*	Pasquotank	4,555	4,164	3,873	3,510
McDowell	5,969	7,057	*	*	Perquimans	18,860	5,084	1,868	2,027
Mecklenburg	2,900	3,967	*	*	Tyrrell	5,410	6,871	4,569	3,763
Polk	2,404	5,140	*	*	Washington	8,180	11,027	1,249	1,256
Rowan	6,920	8,432	*	*	N. Eastern	133,873	121,402	*	*
Rutherford	11,289	13,731	*	*	Beaufort	64,877	60,908	4,582	4,101
Stanly	3,377	4,023	*	*	Carteret	5,264	6,095	6,025	11,226
Union	5,262	6,489	*	*	Craven	38,434	34,193	580	605
S. Western	57,280	76,151	*	*	Duplin	9,089	12,507	*	*
Edgecombe	9,638	12,345	*	*	Greene	16,666	2,894	*	*
Franklin	14,533	11,510	*	*	Jones	15,655	15,875	*	*
Halifax	23,320	26,547	*	*	Lenoir	11,158	7,424	*	*
Harnett	13,084	10,534	*	*	New Hanover	1,379	1,384	1,735	2,501
Johnston	10,412	6,688	*	*	Onslow	15,790	8,679	2,623	6,109
Nash	10,785	8,723	*	*	Pamlico	11,807	14,182	4,563	7,671
Northampton	18,408	16,435	*	*	Pender	19,683	14,718	701	1,002
Vance	5,733	6,227	*	*	Pitt	13,057	19,593	*	*
Wake	15,810	15,838	*	*	Wayne	8,719	11,594	*	*
Warren	26,769	18,142	*	*	S. Eastern	231,578	210,046	*	*
Wilson	14,223	7,529	*	*					
N. Central	162,715	140,518	*	*					

¹ Some counties not shown separately to avoid disclosing individual operations. ² Totals may not add due to rounding. ³ Data provided by the NC Cooperative Extension, Income Estimates of North Carolina Timber Harvested and Delivered to Mills. Income is the delivered price paid to timber buyers upon delivery of timber to the mill. ⁴ Data provided by the Division of Marine Fisheries, NC Department of Environmental and Natural Resources, Morehead City, NC. Income includes both commercial farm ponds and marine seafood. Income for commercial catch is valued at the point of landing.

VALUE ADDED TO THE NORTH CAROLINA ECONOMY BY THE AGRICULTURAL SECTOR

Via the Production of Goods and Services ¹

Goods and Services	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>				
Value of livestock production	5,344,659	5,607,758	5,155,785	5,942,743	6,436,659
Value of crop production	2,946,034	2,518,074	2,721,262	2,706,321	3,388,189
Revenues from services and forestry	1,064,227	961,268	1,056,907	1,116,736	1,207,450
Value of agricultural sector production	9,354,920	9,087,099	8,933,954	9,765,801	11,032,298
less: Purchased inputs	5,159,619	4,991,322	5,059,485	5,998,268	6,925,834
Feed purchased	2,350,000	2,140,000	2,060,000	2,750,000	3,290,000
Livestock and poultry purchased	294,496	242,067	280,295	322,670	321,461
Seed purchased	200,000	230,000	260,000	300,000	360,000
Fertilizers and lime	270,000	260,000	260,000	340,000	410,000
Pesticides	230,000	210,000	220,000	250,000	280,000
Petroleum fuel and oils	282,161	297,268	303,524	353,969	435,117
Electricity	98,019	99,702	92,913	103,086	117,442
Other purchased inputs ²	1,434,943	1,512,285	1,582,753	1,578,543	1,711,814
plus: Direct Government payments	209,535	1,194,203	738,403	569,812	518,648
less: Motor vehicle registration and licensing fees	13,597	12,920	12,240	14,245	15,757
less: Property taxes	120,000	160,000	190,000	240,000	278,085
less: Capital consumption	531,218	558,482	578,601	596,614	627,123
Net value added	3,740,021	4,558,579	3,832,031	3,486,486	3,704,146
less: Employee compensation (total hired labor)	546,255	511,283	589,075	744,581	651,697
less: Net rent received by nonoperator landlords	93,243	54,435	-15,383	-46,385	-87,836
less: Real estate and nonreal estate interest	226,703	268,577	304,264	319,787	306,253
Net farm income	2,873,820	3,724,284	2,954,075	2,468,503	2,834,032

Source: Economic Research Service, USDA. ¹ Value of agricultural sector production is the gross value of the commodities and services produced within a year. Net value-added is the sector's contribution to the National economy and is the sum of the income from production earned by all factors-of-production, regardless of ownership. Net farm income is the farm operators' share of income from the sector's production activities. The concept presented is consistent with that employed by the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development. ² Includes repair and maintenance of capital items, machine hire and custom work, marketing, storage, and transportation, contract labor and miscellaneous expenses.

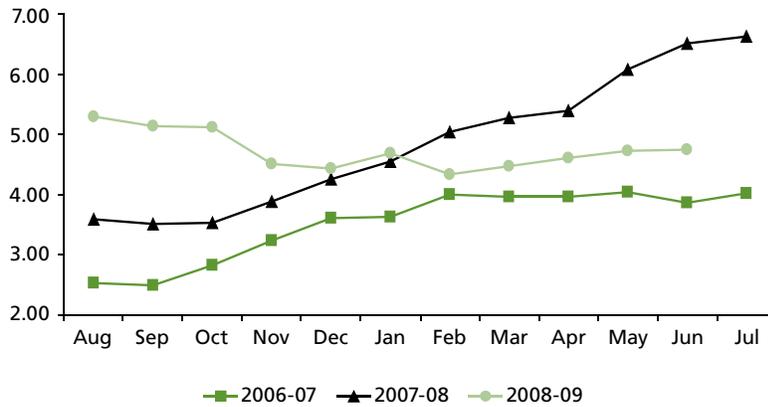
EXPORTS

Value of Agricultural Export Shares

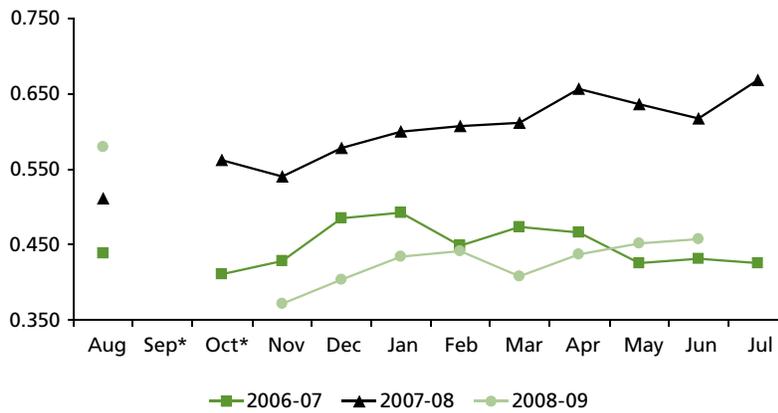
Year	Wheat and Products	Cotton Including Linters	Soybeans and Products	Peanuts and Oil	Cottonseed	Tobacco Unmanufactured	Seeds
	<i>Million Dollars</i>						
2004	113.2	266.1	147.1	18.4	5.9	403.9	7.5
2005	115.2	225.7	113.3	12.9	5.6	326.5	6.9
2006	135.6	272.9	112.2	17.4	7.0	419.2	8.1
2007	150.0	171.6	125.1	17.7	6.1	411.3	7.1
2008	314.6	275.5	360.0	23.5	11.5	573.6	9.1
Year	Fruits and Preparations ¹	Vegetables and Preparations	Meats and Products	Poultry Products	Coarse Grains	Other ²	All Agricultural Commodities
	<i>Million Dollars</i>						
2004	14.9	15.8	250.9	231.3	56.7	278.5	1,810.0
2005	17.2	21.2	332.7	282.1	49.1	294.0	1,802.5
2006	23.9	26.2	349.7	279.5	75.3	332.2	2,059.1
2007	14.0	26.4	370.1	364.6	85.1	319.2	2,068.4
2008	21.6	29.3	553.5	480.9	91.1	373.4	3,117.6

Source: Compiled by ERS using data from U.S. Department of Commerce, Census Bureau and U.S. Department of Agriculture, National Agricultural Statistics Service. Apple, apple juice, and apple products, as well as other misc. fruits assumed to equal the previous year; current year production data are not released until July or later. ¹ Methodology revised starting in 2007 to estimate shares based on state production of cheese, butter, dry whey, ice cream, and sherbet. ² Other includes sugar and tropical products, minor oilseeds, essential oils, beverages other than juice, nursery and greenhouse, wine, misc. vegetable products, tree nuts, hides and skins, fats and oils, and feeds and fodders.

MONTHLY PRICE RECEIVED FOR CORN (Dollars per Bushel)

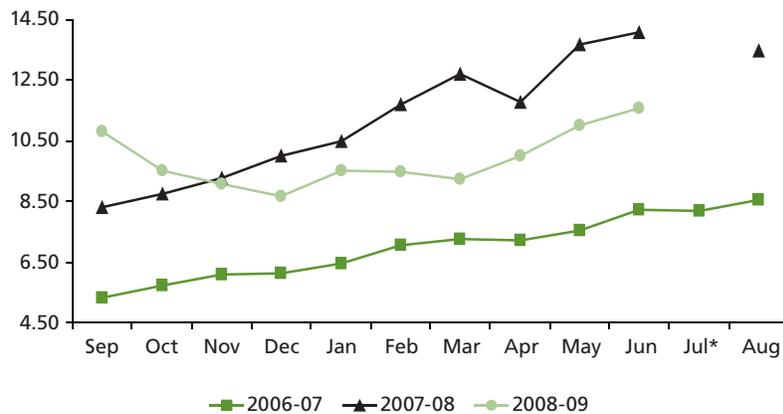


MONTHLY PRICE RECEIVED FOR COTTON (Dollars per Pound)



* North Carolina had insufficient sales to establish prices in September. October 2008 price is not published to avoid disclosure of individual firms.

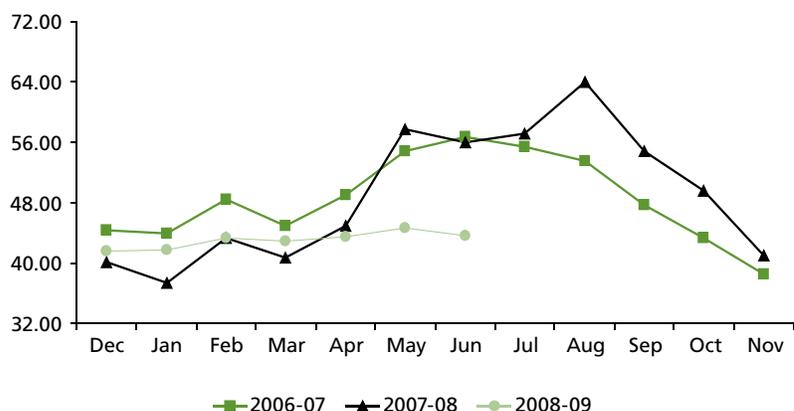
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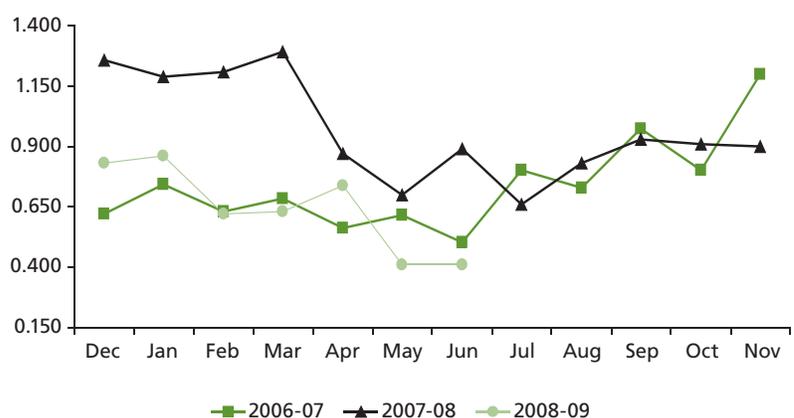
MONTHLY PRICE RECEIVED FOR HOGS

(Dollars per Hundredweight)



MONTHLY PRICE RECEIVED FOR MARKET TYPE EGGS

(Dollars per Dozen)



PRICES RECEIVED

Marketing Year Average Prices for Specified Commodities

Year	Hogs per Cwt.	Beef Cattle per Cwt.	Calves per Cwt.	Cows ¹ per Cwt.	Steers & Heifers per Cwt.	Milk Cows per Head	Commercial Broilers per Lb.	Turkeys per Lb.	Table Eggs per Dozen
	Dollars								
2004	50.60	79.80	108.00	50.00	96.10	1,680.00	.450	.410	.551
2005	50.70	77.90	119.00	49.90	99.90	1,810.00	.460	.450	.332
2006	46.60	68.00	115.00	45.60	95.00	1,800.00	.380	.480	.383
2007	48.00	63.80	104.00	47.90	93.60	1,860.00	.460	.520	.749
2008	48.50	65.50	94.80	53.50	87.50	2,040.00	.490	.540	.970

¹ Includes all dairy cows sold for slaughter but not dairy cows for herd replacement.

PRICES RECEIVED

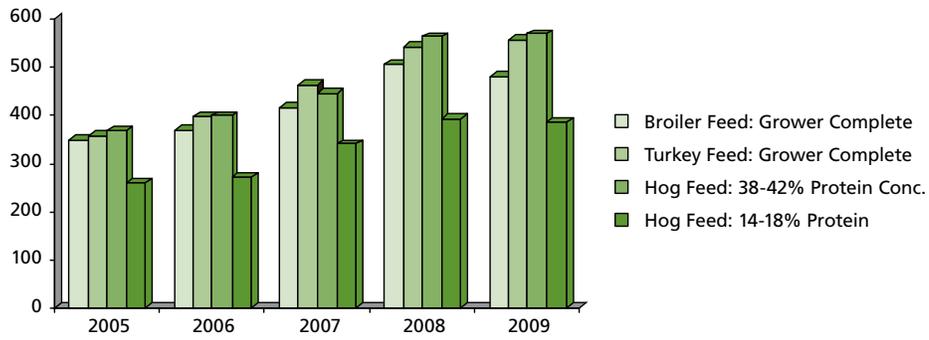
Marketing Year Average Prices for Specified Crops

Year	Flue-Cured Tobacco per Lb.	Burley Tobacco per Lb.	Cotton ¹ per Lb.	Soybeans per Bu.	Corn per Bu.	Peanuts per Lb.	Wheat per Bu.	All Hay per Ton	Sweet Potatoes per Cwt.	Irish Potatoes per Cwt.	Apples ² per Lb.
	Dollars										
2004	1.853	1.943	.437	5.56	2.44	.216	3.10	61.00	13.50	5.95	.132
2005	1.478	1.560	.458	5.64	2.33	.196	3.07	66.00	14.20	7.70	.117
2006	1.500	1.610	.458	6.35	3.03	.185	3.26	69.00	16.20	10.00	.144
2007	1.530	1.590	.558	10.10	4.00	.210	4.90	92.00	16.40	8.35	.098
2008	1.760	1.740	.397	8.65	4.80	.189	5.80	101.00	18.50	10.30	.142

¹ Based on marketings and monthly prices received from August 1, 2008–December 31, 2008. ² Utilized Production.

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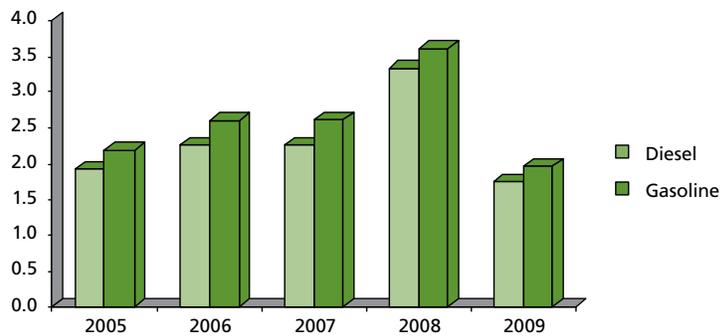
Appalachian Region (Dollars per Ton) ¹



¹ First quarter prices.

PRICES PAID FOR FUELS

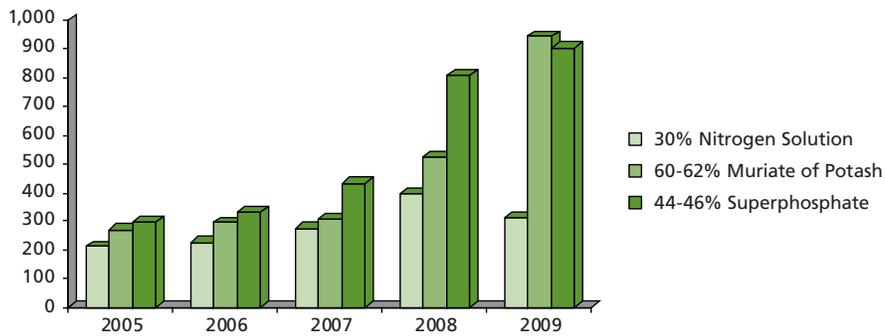
Appalachian Region (Dollars per Gallon) ¹



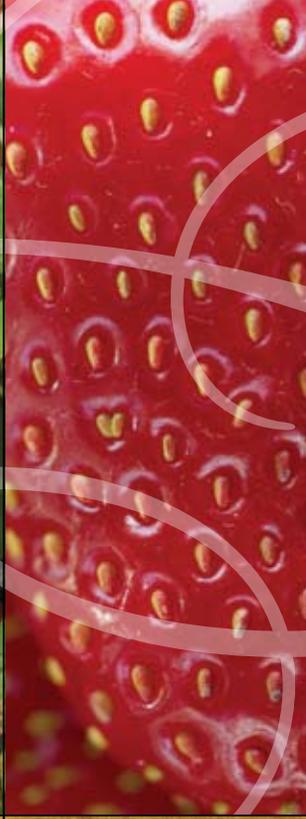
¹ First quarter prices.

PRICES PAID FOR FERTILIZER

Southeast Region (Dollars per Ton) ¹



¹ First quarter prices.



LIVESTOCK, DAIRY *AND* POULTRY

Highs & Lows
Inventory
Value
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Poultry & Eggs
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County Estimates

LIVESTOCK, DAIRY AND POULTRY

Record Highs and Lows

Species	Date Series Began	Record High		Record Low	
		Year	Number	Year	Number
			<i>Thousands</i>		<i>Thousands</i>
Cattle and Calves - Inventory, Jan 1	1867	1985	1,175	1927	490
Beef cows - Inventory, Jan 1	1920	1996	476	1930	18
Milk Cows - Inventory, Jan 1	1867	1945	400	2009	45
Milk Production (Lbs.)	1924	1985	1,748,000	2008	892,000
Sheep and Lambs - Inventory, Jan 1	1920	1921	95	1979	7
Hogs - Inventory, Dec 1	1866	2007	10,200	1929	830
Chickens - Inventory, Dec 1	1924	1969	22,115	1931	8,670
Egg Production	1924	1970	3,440,000	1930	542,000
Commercial Broilers	1934	2008	796,100	1934	900
Turkeys - Total Raised	1929	1992	62,000	1931	198

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



LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY INVENTORY

Species and Classification	North Carolina		United States	
	Number on Farms January 1		Number on Farms January 1	
	2008 ¹	2009	2008 ¹	2009
	<i>Thousand Head</i>		<i>Thousand Head</i>	
Cattle - Total ²	830	850	96,035	94,491
Cows & Heifers that have calved	420	430	41,692	41,005
Beef Cows	372	385	32,435	31,671
Milk Cows	48	45	9,257	9,333
Heifers 500 pounds and over	118	119	19,855	19,586
For Beef Cow replacement	69	69	5,647	5,526
For Milk Cow replacement	23	20	4,415	4,410
Other Heifers	26	30	9,793	9,650
Steers 500 pounds and over	33	30	17,163	16,774
Bulls 500 pounds and over	29	31	2,207	2,184
Calves under 500 pounds	230	240	15,118	14,943
Sheep - Total	27.0	28.0	5,950	5,747
Breeding Sheep & Lambs	22.0	24.0	4,432	4,247
Replacement Lambs	5.0	5.0	697	649
Ewes 1 year plus	16.0	17.0	3,540	3,404
Rams 1 year plus	1.0	2.0	195	195
Market Sheep & Lambs	5.0	4.0	1,519	1,500
Goats - Total	95.5	95.5	3,118	3,070
Angora Goats	1.0	-	205	185
Milk Goats	8.0	9.5	323	335
Meat and Other Goats	86.5	86.0	2,590	2,550
	Number on Farms December 1		Number on Farms December 1	
	2007 ¹	2008	2007 ¹	2008
	<i>Thousand Head</i>		<i>Thousand Head</i>	
All Hogs and Pigs	10,200	9,700	68,177	67,148
Breeding Hogs	1,020	980	6,233	6,061
Market Hogs	9,180	8,720	61,944	61,087
Under 60 Pounds	3,430	3,380	22,545	21,727
60-119 Pounds	2,220	1,930	15,173	15,096
120-179 Pounds	1,890	1,770	12,658	12,731
180 Pounds and above	1,640	1,640	11,569	11,533
Chickens - Total ³	20,039	19,609	458,593	446,072
Other Chickens	953	1,000	8,164	7,587

¹ Revised. ² Totals may not add due to rounding. ³ Does not include commercial broilers.

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY INVENTORY VALUES

Year	All Cattle and Calves January 1		All Hogs and Pigs December 1		All Chickens December 1		All Sheep and Lambs January 1	
	Farm Value per Head	Total Value	Farm Value per Head	Total Value	Farm Value per Head	Total Value	Farm Value per Head	Total Value
	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
2005	760	661,200	77	754,600	5.40	96,989	153	3,060
2006	820	705,200	74	703,000	5.60	107,526	164	3,280
2007	780	663,000	63	642,600	6.60	132,257	163	3,749
2008	780	647,400	74	710,400	8.30	162,755	167	4,509
2009	710	603,500	-	-	-	-	159	4,452

MEAT ANIMALS

Numbers, Production, Disposition, Price and Income

Species	2005	2006	2007	2008
<i>Thousands</i>				
Hogs and Pigs				
Beginning Inventory:	9,900	9,800	9,500	10,200
(December 1 preceding year)				
Spring Crop: (December-May)				
Sows Farrowed	1,090	1,090	1,100	1,100
Pigs Saved	9,674	9,919	9,982	10,203
Fall Crop: (June-November)				
Sows Farrowed	1,110	1,110	1,150	1,080
Pigs Saved	10,046	10,129	10,522	10,370
Inshipments	365	431	392	478
Marketings ¹	18,260	18,359	17,976	19,496
Farm Slaughter ²	10	10	10	10
Deaths	1,915	2,410	2,210	2,050
Production (Lbs.) ³	3,839,659	3,778,686	3,815,438	4,185,553
Marketings (Lbs.) ⁴	3,844,560	3,808,657	3,737,940	4,274,830
Price Per 100 Lbs. (\$) ⁵	50.70	46.60	48.00	48.50
Cash Receipts from Sales (\$) ⁵	2,099,168	1,917,244	1,907,945	2,170,806
Value of Home Consumption (\$)	1,758	1,629	1,621	1,407
Gross Income (\$)	2,100,926	1,918,873	1,909,566	2,172,213
Ending Inventory December 1	9,800	9,500	10,200	9,700
Cattle and Calves				
Number:				
On hand January 1 (Total)	870	860	850	830
Cows and Heifers that have Calved	455	436	440	420
Calves Born	400	390	380	390
Inshipments	13	15	13	9
Marketings: ¹				
Cattle	214	209	224	229
Calves	170	167	150	114
Farm Slaughter: ²				
Cattle and Calves	2	2	2	2
Deaths:				
Cattle	15	15	15	14
Calves	22	22	22	21
Production: ³				
Total Cattle and Calves (Lbs.)	274,978	275,879	278,326	297,407
Marketings (Lbs.) ⁴	279,825	277,500	293,584	277,600
Price per 100 Lbs. (\$):				
Cattle	77.90	68.00	63.80	65.50
Calves	119.00	115.00	104.00	94.80
Cash Receipts from Sales (\$) ⁵	249,148	223,809	215,459	197,650
Value of Home Consumption (\$)	12,878	10,992	9,734	10,586
Gross Income (\$)	262,026	234,801	225,193	208,236
Ending Inventory (Total)	860	850	830	850
(January 1 succeeding year)				

¹ Includes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and 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 Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter. Also includes allowance for higher average price of state inshipments and outshipments of feeder pigs.

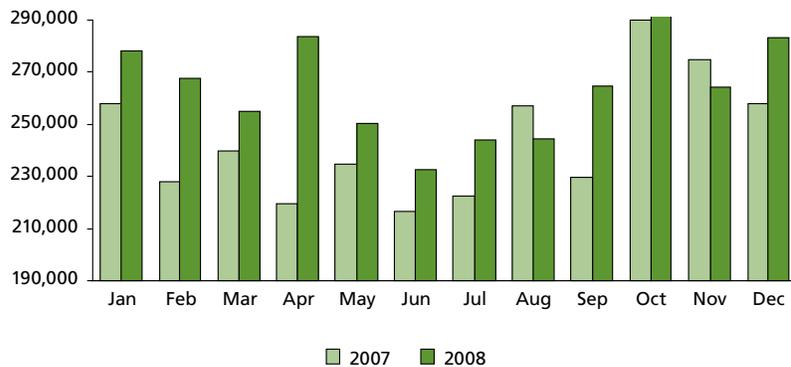
COMMERCIAL LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER, 2008 ¹

Month	Cattle All Species		Calves		Hogs		Sheep & Lambs	
	Number Slaughtered	Live Weight						
	<i>Thousand Head</i>	<i>Thousand Pounds</i>						
January	19.8	22,787	0.1	65	1,044.9	278,150	0.6	47
February	17.9	20,654	0.1	57	1,016.7	267,730	0.5	46
March	16.4	19,059	0.1	52	967.0	254,872	0.5	42
April	19.1	21,876	0.1	65	1,078.3	283,378	0.6	51
May	19.1	22,337	0.1	44	966.5	250,258	0.5	46
June	19.0	22,282	0.1	62	925.4	232,521	0.7	48
July	21.2	24,271	0.2	73	979.5	243,738	0.8	61
August	19.6	22,542	0.1	72	988.7	244,238	0.9	74
September	18.9	21,744	0.2	91	1,048.5	264,494	1.0	79
October	20.7	23,885	0.1	73	1,132.1	293,447	0.8	62
November	16.6	18,963	0.1	69	1,002.9	263,960	0.7	51
December	16.1	18,460	0.2	82	1,076.1	283,056	1.1	87
Annual Total ²	224.3	258,859	1.6	807	12,226.8	3,159,843	8.7	693

¹ Includes slaughter under federal inspection and other commercial slaughter, excludes farm slaughter. ² Months may not add to totals due to rounding.

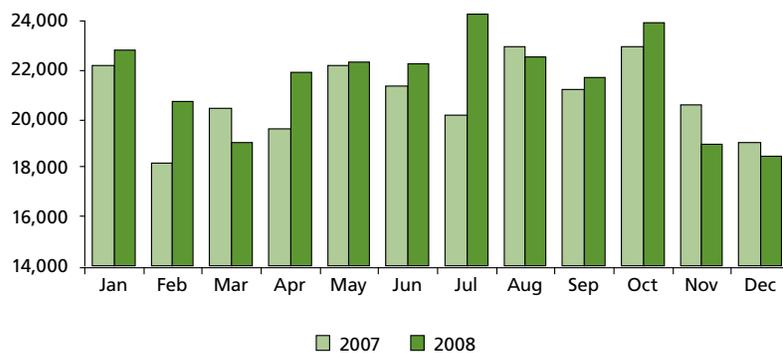
COMMERCIAL HOG SLAUGHTER

Total Live Weight (Thousand Pounds)



COMMERCIAL CATTLE SLAUGHTER

Total Live Weight (Thousand Pounds)



COMMERCIAL BROILERS

Production and Value

Year	Number Produced	Pounds Produced	Price per Pound ¹	Value of Production
	Thousands	Thousands	Cents	Thousand Dollars
2005	735,100	4,851,700	46.0	2,231,782
2006	749,900	5,099,300	38.0	1,937,734
2007	781,200	5,390,300	46.0	2,479,538
2008	796,100	5,493,100	49.0	2,691,619
US 2008 ²	9,009,100	50,440,500	45.8	23,112,184

¹ Live weight equivalent price, derived from ready-to-cook prices minus processing costs, then multiplied by a dressing percentage. ² Excludes states producing less than 500,000 broilers.

TURKEYS

Production and Value

Year	Number Raised	Pounds Produced	Price per Pound	Value of Production
	Thousands	Thousands	Cents	Thousand Dollars
2005	35,500	1,025,950	45.0	461,678
2006	37,000	1,095,200	48.0	525,696
2007	38,500	1,147,300	52.0	596,596
2008	40,000	1,208,000	54.0	652,320
US 2008	273,088	7,922,087	56.5	4,477,054

EGGS

Production and Value of Sales

Year	Average Number Layers During Year	Average Eggs Laid Annually per Layer	Eggs Produced	Average Price per Dozen ¹	Value of Production
	Thousands	Number	Million	Dollars	Thousand Dollars
2005	10,955	235	2,573	1.160	249,368
2006	11,028	239	2,636	1.170	257,627
2007	12,088	245	2,960	1.330	328,664
2008	12,427	247	3,063	1.470	373,944
US 2008	339,572	266	90,151	1.090	8,225,486

¹ Average of all eggs sold by producers, including hatching eggs.

CHICKENS

Lost, Sold and Value of Sales ¹

Year	Number Lost	Number Sold	Pounds Sold	Price per Pound	Value of Sales
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Cents	Thousand Dollars
2005	1,461	12,399	100,432	9.0	9,039
2006	3,086	13,269	92,883	8.2	7,616
2007	3,062	12,487	89,906	7.9	7,103
2008	2,794	14,350	91,840	8.4	7,715
US 2008	101,828	175,932	936,508	6.6	61,845

¹ Excludes commercial broilers.

HONEY

Production, Stocks and Value ¹

Year	Honey Producing Colonies	Yield per Colony	Production	Stocks ²	Average Price per Pound	Value of Production
	Thousands	Pounds	Thousand Pounds	Thousand Pounds	Dollars	Thousand Dollars
2004	9	40	360	72	1.930	695
2005	10	54	540	146	1.880	1,015
2006	10	50	500	215	1.580	790
2007	12	45	540	76	2.490	1,345
2008	12	52	624	137	2.120	1,323
US 2008	2,301	69.9	160,861	50,445	1.410	226,814

¹ For producers with 5 or more colonies. Colonies which produced honey in more than one State were counted in each State. ² Stocks held by producers.

CATFISH OPERATIONS

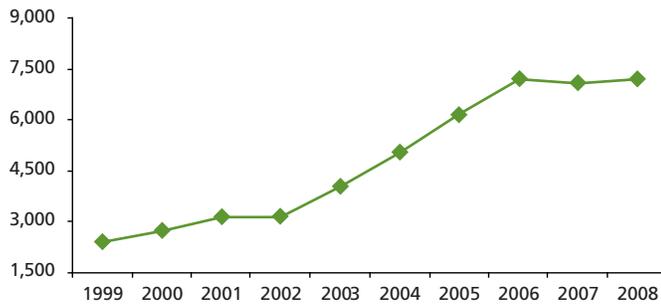
State	Water Surface Acres During Jan 1 - Jun 30		Total Sales All Sizes	
	2008 ¹	2009	2007 ¹	2008
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Thousand Dollars</i>	
North Carolina	2,100	2,200	7,099	7,221
Alabama	22,200	22,100	95,782	93,254
Arkansas	31,400	25,000	78,110	64,263
California	2,300	2,400	12,603	7,913
Louisiana	6,400	6,300	11,769	11,883
Mississippi	90,300	80,200	229,385	206,288
Texas	3,800	3,800	12,152	13,212
Other States ²	4,600	4,900	7,693	5,964
United States	163,100	146,900	454,593	409,998

¹ Revised. ² Other States include State estimates not shown and States suppressed due to disclosure.

CATFISH Sales of Foodsize Fish

Year	Number Sold	Pounds Sold	Price per Pound	Value of Sales
	<i>Thousands</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
2004	3,810	7,150	0.69	4,934
2005	4,640	8,150	0.74	6,031
2006	4,790	8,600	0.81	6,966
2007	3,850	8,100	0.81	6,561
2008	4,040	8,050	0.85	6,843
US 2008	304,010	514,920	0.76	389,290

CATFISH SALES (Thousand Dollars)



TROUT OPERATIONS

State	Value of Fish Sold		Value of Distributed Fish	
	2007 ¹	2008	2007 ¹	2008
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>			
North Carolina	6,632	7,135	1,071	1,279
Arkansas	-	-	*	*
California	5,985	8,318	11,711	15,268
Colorado	2,557	621	4,684	6,733
Georgia	378	547	*	*
Idaho	46,631	35,321	6,939	7,271
Michigan	848	1,027	1,220	1,078
Missouri	2,131	2,245	1,761	1,823
New York	430	841	*	*
Oregon	1,114	952	4,664	4,252
Pennsylvania	5,212	5,427	23,237	14,691
Utah	436	535	*	*
Virginia	1,411	1,605	1,910	1,876
Washington	5,329	5,805	9,064	9,154
West Virginia	359	777	*	*
Wisconsin	1,590	1,421	2,895	2,650
Other States ²	6,813	7,132	43,411	36,518
United States ³	87,856	79,709	112,567	102,593
United States ^{4,5}	95,476	86,356	115,180	-

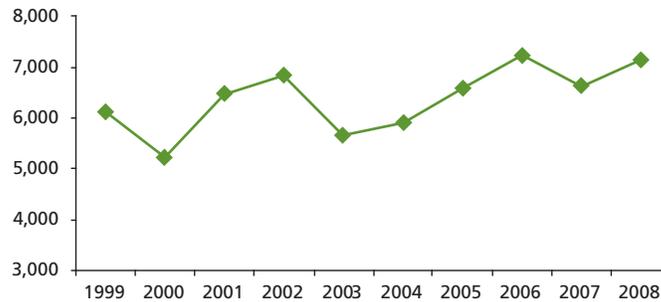
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TROUT Sales of Foodsize Fish or Larger

Year	Number Sold ¹	Pounds Sold	Price per Pound	Value of Sales
	<i>Thousands</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
2004	3,510	3,940	1.38	5,437
2005	3,530	4,130	1.38	5,699
2006	3,890	4,350	1.47	6,395
2007	4,020	4,400	1.25	5,500
2008	3,820	3,550	1.80	6,390
US 2008	40,401	52,410	1.38	72,432

¹ Twelve inches or longer.

TROUT SALES (Thousand Dollars)



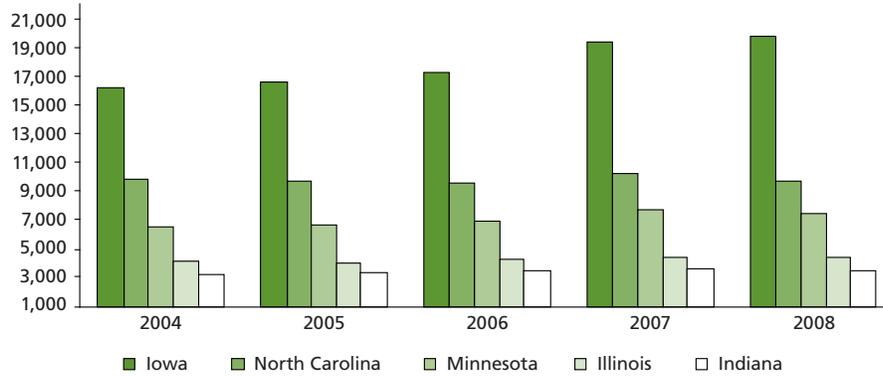
HOGS AND PIGS

Number on Farms, December 1

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 Pounds and Over
<i>Thousands</i>							
1989	2,570	310	2,260	930	515	435	380
1990	2,800	330	2,470	1,055	565	455	395
1991	3,650	440	3,210	1,375	730	600	505
1992	4,500	500	4,000	1,600	880	820	700
1993	5,400	625	4,775	1,950	1,100	925	800
1994	7,000	750	6,250	2,450	1,400	1,260	1,140
1995	8,200	850	7,350	2,790	1,750	1,550	1,260
1996	9,300	950	8,350	3,300	1,950	1,700	1,400
1997	9,600	1,000	8,600	3,350	2,000	1,840	1,410
1998	9,700	1,000	8,700	3,400	2,000	1,850	1,450
1999	9,500	1,000	8,500	3,350	1,950	1,750	1,450
2000	9,300	1,000	8,300	3,400	1,800	1,650	1,450
2001	9,800	1,000	8,800	3,500	2,020	1,730	1,550
2002	9,700	1,000	8,700	3,450	2,050	1,700	1,500
2003	10,000	1,020	8,980	3,550	2,180	1,750	1,500
2004	9,900	1,020	8,880	3,520	2,150	1,700	1,510
2005	9,800	1,010	8,790	3,450	2,130	1,720	1,490
2006	9,500	1,010	8,490	3,390	1,970	1,680	1,450
2007	10,200	1,020	9,180	3,430	2,220	1,890	1,640
2008	9,700	980	8,720	3,380	1,930	1,770	1,640

HOGS AND PIGS

Leading States, December 1 (*Thousand Head*)



HOGS AND PIGS

Number on Farms, December 1 ^{1 2}

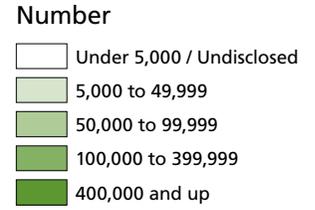
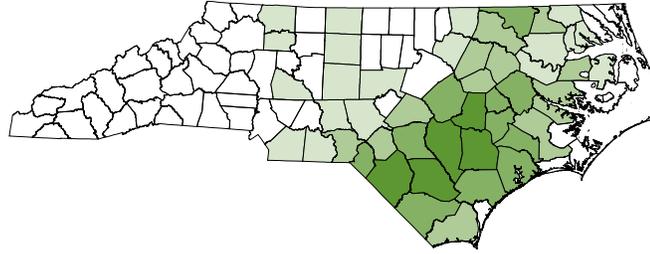
Counties and Districts	2007	2008	Counties and Districts	2007	2008
Caldwell	1,600	1,600	Beaufort	65,000	59,000
Surry	29,900	21,000	Carteret	1,100	*
Yadkin	8,150	8,600	Craven	56,300	83,200
N. Mountain	40,000	31,500	Greene	405,000	310,000
			Johnston	195,000	170,000
W. Mountain	2,000	1,500	Jones	342,000	250,000
			Lenoir	296,000	305,000
Alamance	1,100	1,000	Pamlico	2,800	2,800
Franklin	12,000	10,500	Pitt	267,300	250,000
Granville	1,350	1,300	Wayne	520,000	570,000
Guilford	9,200	7,500	Wilson	49,500	50,000
Orange	3,500	3,500	C. Coastal	2,200,000	2,050,000
Person	5,000	4,000			
Rockingham	5,500	5,000	Bladen	865,000	820,000
Stokes	2,000	2,900	Brunswick	75,300	81,000
Warren	40,000	42,000	Columbus	290,000	260,000
N. Piedmont	80,000	78,000	Cumberland	98,000	110,000
			Duplin	2,400,000	2,125,000
Chatham	30,000	10,300	Harnett	66,500	50,000
Davie	1,200	*	Hoke	82,000	82,000
Lee	4,300	3,500	Onslow	180,700	188,000
Randolph	12,500	23,000	Pender	268,500	280,000
Rowan	3,000	8,400	Robeson	388,000	409,000
Wake	3,000	3,000	Sampson	2,155,000	2,000,000
C. Piedmont	55,000	50,000	Scotland	131,000	120,000
			S. Coastal	7,000,000	6,525,000
Anson	43,100	46,500			
Cabarrus	2,300	4,000	Other Counties	6,300	6,200
Cleveland	4,000	4,000	State Total	10,200,000	9,600,000
Montgomery	28,300	18,000			
Moore	38,100	47,900			
Richmond	60,000	50,000			
Stanly	4,000	4,000			
Union	19,000	24,000			
S. Piedmont	199,600	199,000			
Bertie	41,800	43,000			
Chowan	7,000	8,000			
Edgecombe	109,500	93,000			
Gates	31,000	26,000			
Halifax	64,000	80,000			
Hertford	54,000	55,000			
Martin	16,600	17,300			
Nash	65,000	97,000			
Northampton	143,300	154,000			
Perquimans	8,400	11,000			
Tyrrell	24,000	22,000			
Washington	57,000	57,000			
N. Coastal	623,400	665,000			

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HOGS AND PIGS

Number on Farms, December 1, 2008

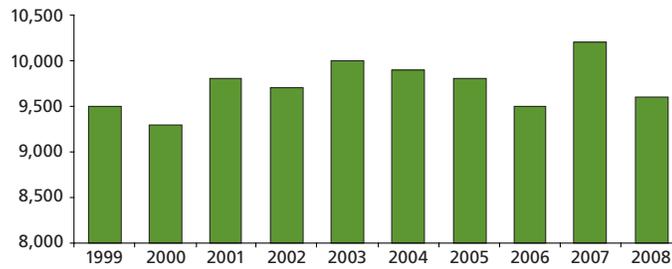
Leading Counties ¹	Number
Duplin	2,125,000
Sampson	2,000,000
Bladen	820,000
Wayne	570,000
Robeson	409,000
Greene	310,000
Lenoir	305,000
Pender	280,000
Columbus	260,000
Jones ²	250,000
Pitt ²	250,000



¹ Ranking of published counties only.
² Ranked 10th.

HOGS AND PIGS

Number on Farms, December 1 (*Thousand Head*)



ALL CATTLE

Number on Farms, January 1¹ 2

Counties and Districts	2008	2009	Counties and Districts	2008	2009
Alleghany	19,500	19,200	Anson	8,500	8,300
Ashe	15,300	16,000	Cabarrus	12,000	13,500
Avery	1,000	1,200	Cleveland	21,000	19,500
Caldwell	4,900	4,800	Gaston	8,700	8,300
Surry	19,800	20,000	Lincoln	12,500	12,000
Watauga	10,000	9,800	Mecklenburg	5,000	4,500
Wilkes	30,500	32,000	Montgomery	5,500	7,000
Yadkin	27,000	27,000	Moore	6,800	7,100
N. Mountain	128,000	130,000	Richmond	4,500	5,300
			Stanly	17,500	18,500
Buncombe	16,500	16,500	Union	20,000	23,000
Burke	3,500	3,400	S. Piedmont	122,000	127,000
Cherokee	4,900	4,600			
Clay	2,800	2,700	Chowan	*	1,300
Graham	1,200	1,200	Edgecombe	2,700	3,400
Haywood	19,500	19,200	Gates	600	900
Henderson	6,000	5,700	Halifax	5,500	5,800
Jackson	1,400	1,700	Hertford	*	500
McDowell	3,000	2,800	Martin	*	1,600
Macon	4,500	5,600	Nash	9,500	9,000
Madison	10,000	9,700	Northampton	1,700	1,500
Mitchell	1,800	2,000	Perquimans	1,200	1,200
Polk	2,200	2,000	Washington	800	800
Rutherford	9,200	9,000	N. Coastal	27,000	28,500
Swain	600	700			
Transylvania	2,700	2,600	Beaufort	900	1,000
Yancey	6,200	6,100	Craven	1,700	2,000
W. Mountain	96,000	95,500	Greene	1,700	2,500
			Hyde	*	600
Alamance	19,000	18,500	Johnston	10,300	12,000
Caswell	8,800	9,200	Jones	2,500	2,000
Durham	3,000	2,900	Lenoir	4,200	4,100
Forsyth	6,400	6,200	Pitt	5,300	4,900
Franklin	8,000	8,200	Wayne	12,000	12,000
Granville	9,000	8,800	Wilson	1,300	1,500
Guilford	17,200	17,000	C. Coastal	41,000	43,500
Orange	9,800	10,000			
Person	7,700	8,000	Bladen	4,700	5,400
Rockingham	11,000	10,500	Brunswick	1,400	1,800
Stokes	9,600	10,000	Columbus	8,100	8,700
Vance	2,000	2,200	Cumberland	3,500	4,100
Warren	6,500	7,000	Duplin	25,500	26,500
N. Piedmont	118,000	118,500	Harnett	8,300	8,800
			Onslow	1,800	2,100
Alexander	20,000	18,500	Pender	2,400	2,400
Catawba	13,000	13,700	Robeson	7,400	7,500
Chatham	36,000	37,000	Sampson	24,000	25,000
Davidson	15,300	15,000	Scotland	1,800	1,700
Davie	14,000	14,000	S. Coastal	90,000	95,500
Iredell	43,000	42,500			
Lee	3,200	3,500	Other Counties	7,200	4,900
Randolph	37,300	40,500	State Total	830,000	850,000
Rowan	18,500	18,500			
Wake	7,700	8,300			
C. Piedmont	208,000	211,500			

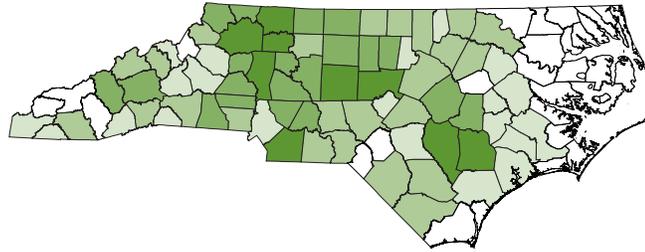
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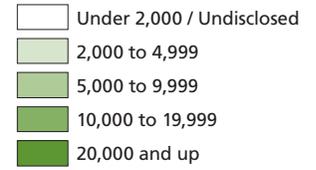
Number on Farms, January 1, 2009

Leading Counties ¹	Number
Iredell	42,500
Randolph	40,500
Chatham	37,000
Wilkes	32,000
Yadkin	27,000
Duplin	26,500
Sampson	25,000
Union	23,000
Surry	20,000
Cleveland	19,500

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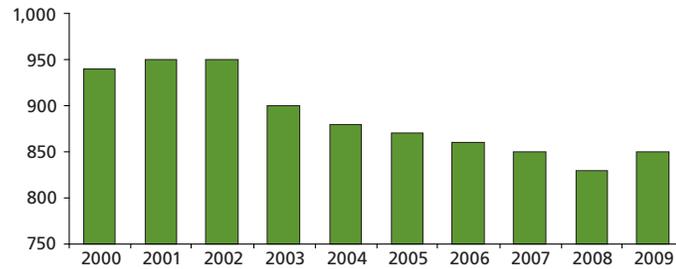


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ALL CATTLE

Number on Farms, January 1 (Thousand Head)



BEEF COWS AND HEIFERS THAT HAVE CALVED

Number on Farms, January 1^{1 2}

Counties and Districts	2008	2009	Counties and Districts	2008	2009
Alleghany	5,800	7,000	Anson	4,000	4,500
Ashe	6,600	7,300	Cabarrus	6,200	6,600
Avery	500	600	Cleveland	11,000	10,500
Caldwell	2,200	2,500	Gaston	2,800	3,000
Surry	10,000	11,300	Lincoln	4,900	4,600
Watauga	3,400	3,600	Mecklenburg	1,700	1,500
Wilkes	13,700	14,500	Montgomery	2,800	3,200
Yadkin	9,800	10,200	Moore	3,500	4,000
N. Mountain	52,000	57,000	Richmond	2,100	2,300
			Stanly	8,000	8,600
Buncombe	7,600	8,000	Union	11,000	12,200
Burke	2,000	1,900	S. Piedmont	58,000	61,000
Cherokee	2,100	2,200			
Clay	1,500	1,400	Chowan	*	600
Haywood	7,800	7,600	Edgecombe	2,300	2,000
Henderson	2,200	2,300	Halifax	1,900	1,800
Jackson	700	800	Martin	700	800
McDowell	1,400	1,500	Nash	4,800	5,000
Macon	2,400	2,600	Northampton	900	800
Madison	5,500	5,500	Perquimans	600	600
Mitchell	900	1,000	Washington	*	500
Polk	1,000	900	N. Coastal	14,000	14,000
Rutherford	5,000	4,800			
Transylvania	1,300	1,200	Beaufort	*	600
Yancey	2,600	2,300	Craven	600	700
W. Mountain	45,000	45,000	Greene	900	1,200
			Johnston	5,600	5,600
Alamance	7,500	7,400	Jones	700	900
Caswell	3,700	4,100	Lenoir	2,000	1,800
Durham	800	800	Pitt	1,800	1,900
Forsyth	2,900	2,300	Wayne	6,000	5,800
Franklin	4,000	4,400	Wilson	800	800
Granville	4,400	4,700	C. Coastal	19,000	20,000
Guilford	5,800	5,500			
Orange	4,300	4,500	Bladen	2,200	2,600
Person	3,600	3,700	Brunswick	900	1,000
Rockingham	4,800	5,100	Columbus	4,400	4,900
Stokes	4,700	4,700	Cumberland	1,800	2,100
Vance	900	1,000	Duplin	15,500	15,000
Warren	3,600	3,800	Harnett	4,300	4,600
N. Piedmont	51,000	52,000	Onslow	900	1,100
			Pender	1,000	1,200
Alexander	7,400	7,200	Robeson	3,800	4,200
Catawba	6,600	6,900	Sampson	11,000	12,000
Chatham	16,000	16,500	Scotland	600	600
Davidson	7,600	7,200	S. Coastal	47,000	50,000
Davie	6,700	6,700			
Iredell	13,000	13,200	Other Counties	5,000	4,300
Lee	1,700	1,600	State Total	372,000	385,000
Randolph	15,200	15,000			
Rowan	8,300	8,400			
Wake	3,500	3,300			
C. Piedmont	86,000	86,000			

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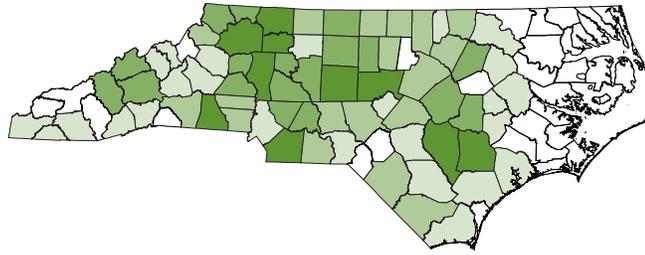
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Number on Farms, January 1, 2009

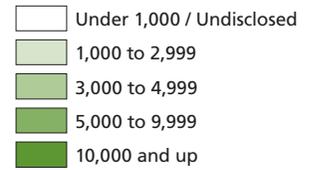
Leading Counties ¹	Number
Chatham	16,500
Duplin ²	15,000
Randolph ²	15,000
Wilkes	14,500
Iredell	13,200
Union	12,200
Sampson	12,000
Surry	11,300
Cleveland	10,500
Yadkin	10,200

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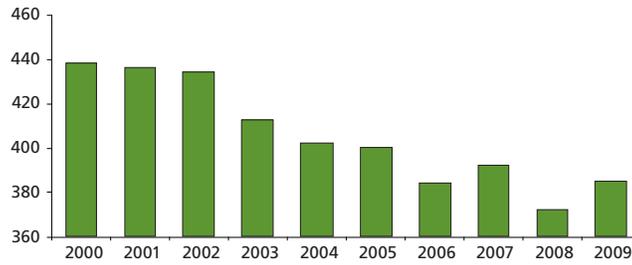


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BEEF COWS

Number on Farms, January 1 (Thousand Head)



MILK COWS AND HEIFERS THAT HAVE CALVED

Number on Farms, January 1^{1 2}

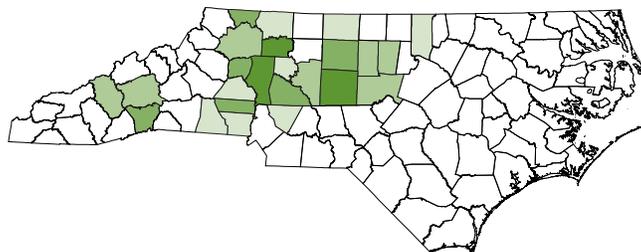
Counties and Districts	2008	2009	Counties and Districts	2008	2009
Alleghany	2,200	1,900	Cabarrus	600	700
Surry	*	600	Cleveland	*	900
Wilkes	1,300	1,200	Gaston	1,200	700
Yadkin	2,400	2,300	Lincoln	*	1,500
N. Mountain	6,600	6,000	Stanly	900	*
			S. Piedmont	5,100	4,800
Buncombe	1,200	1,100			
Haywood	1,600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

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MILK COWS

Number on Farms, January 1, 2009

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



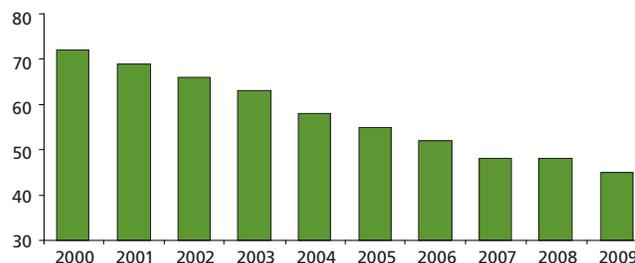
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- Under 500 / Undisclosed
- 500 to 999
- 1,000 to 1,499
- 1,500 to 1,999
- 2,000 and up

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MILK COWS

Number on Farms, January 1 (Thousand Head)



TURKEYS

Number Raised ^{1 2}

Counties and Districts	2007	2008	Counties and Districts	2007	2008
N. Mountain	*	*	Bladen	1,059,000	*
			Cumberland	*	743,000
W. Mountain	*	*	Duplin	10,183,000	10,631,000
			Onslow	2,026,000	2,171,000
N. Piedmont	*	*	Pender	560,000	637,000
			Robeson	734,000	661,000
C. Piedmont	*	*	Sampson	10,594,000	10,381,000
			S. Coastal	26,220,000	26,971,000
Anson	930,000	1,039,000			
Stanly	1,155,000	886,000	Other Counties	1,835,000	2,496,000
Union	2,346,000	2,622,000	State Total	38,500,000	39,000,000
S. Piedmont	4,753,000	4,897,000			
N. Coastal	*	*			
Greene	964,000	1,068,000			
Johnston	586,000	798,000			
Lenoir	1,528,000	1,566,000			
Wayne	4,000,000	3,301,000			
C. Coastal	7,527,000	7,130,000			

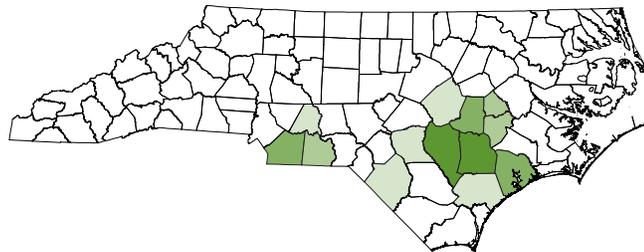
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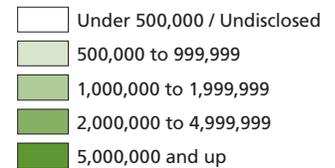
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Leading Counties ¹	Number
Duplin	10,631,000
Sampson	10,381,000
Wayne	3,301,000
Union	2,622,000
Onslow	2,171,000

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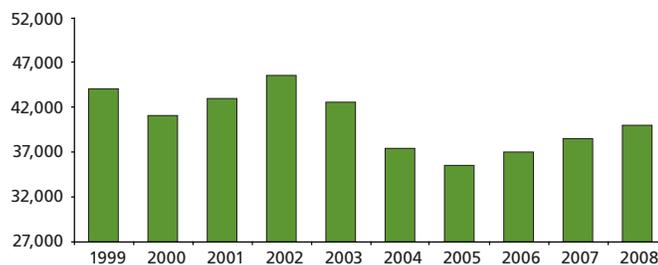


Number



TURKEYS

Number Raised (Thousand Head)



BROILERS

Number Produced ^{1 2 3}

Counties and Districts	2007	2008	Counties and Districts	2007	2008
Caldwell	900,000	*	Bertie	26,000,000	31,000,000
Surry	26,500,000	25,000,000	Chowan	2,500,000	*
Wilkes	91,800,000	87,000,000	Edgecombe	6,700,000	6,200,000
Yadkin	5,500,000	5,000,000	Gates	6,000,000	7,000,000
N. Mountain	125,000,000	118,000,000	Halifax	5,100,000	3,700,000
Burke	3,700,000	3,400,000	Hertford	11,000,000	10,000,000
McDowell	1,300,000	1,700,000	Martin	4,100,000	3,000,000
Rutherford	1,500,000	2,000,000	Nash	9,500,000	9,000,000
W. Mountain	6,500,000	7,100,000	Northampton	9,000,000	7,900,000
Alamance	2,900,000	2,500,000	Perquimans	7,500,000	7,800,000
Franklin	1,000,000	*	Washington	1,300,000	*
Guilford	500,000	*	N. Coastal	88,700,000	88,500,000
N. Piedmont	5,000,000	4,500,000	Beaufort	700,000	*
Alexander	14,800,000	14,500,000	Greene	2,500,000	2,300,000
Catawba	4,700,000	4,500,000	Johnston	12,000,000	11,000,000
Chatham	32,500,000	25,000,000	Jones	3,800,000	3,600,000
Davidson	6,200,000	5,000,000	Lenoir	3,500,000	4,000,000
Lee	7,000,000	6,000,000	Pitt	4,000,000	3,700,000
Randolph	47,000,000	40,000,000	Wayne	18,500,000	18,000,000
Rowan	1,400,000	*	C. Coastal	45,000,000	43,000,000
Wake	1,300,000	*	Bladen	12,000,000	16,000,000
C. Piedmont	116,500,000	98,500,000	Columbus	5,000,000	5,300,000
Anson	27,500,000	27,000,000	Cumberland	3,500,000	3,000,000
Cabarrus	4,500,000	4,000,000	Duplin	39,000,000	54,000,000
Cleveland	10,500,000	11,500,000	Harnett	28,000,000	32,000,000
Gaston	2,000,000	*	Hoke	4,000,000	4,500,000
Lincoln	3,600,000	4,000,000	Onslow	900,000	*
Montgomery	22,000,000	23,500,000	Pender	4,300,000	6,000,000
Moore	35,000,000	35,000,000	Robeson	30,000,000	40,000,000
Richmond	33,500,000	33,000,000	Sampson	18,500,000	22,000,000
Stanly	12,400,000	12,200,000	Scotland	11,300,000	15,000,000
Union	87,000,000	86,000,000	S. Coastal	156,500,000	198,500,000
S. Piedmont	238,000,000	238,000,000	Other Counties	2,500,000	12,300,000
			State Total	781,200,000	796,100,000

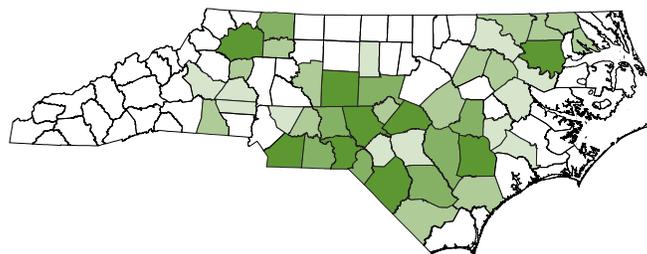
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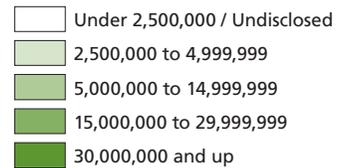
BROILERS

Number Produced, 2008

Leading Counties ¹	Number
Wilkes	87,000,000
Union	86,000,000
Duplin	54,000,000
Randolph ²	40,000,000
Robeson ²	40,000,000
Moore	35,000,000
Richmond	33,000,000
Harnett	32,000,000
Bertie	31,000,000
Anson	27,000,000



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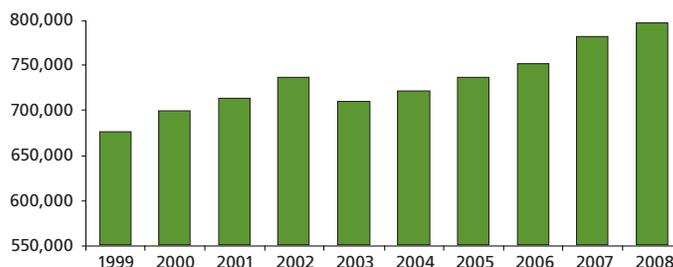


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BROILERS

Number Produced (Thousand Head)



ALL CHICKENS

Excluding Commercial Broilers, Number on Farms, December 1 ^{1 2}

Counties and Districts	2007	2008	Counties and Districts	2007	2008
Surry	563,000	620,000	Anson	212,000	*
Wilkes	982,000	600,000	Cabarrus	118,000	*
Yadkin	1,589,000	1,800,000	Cleveland	164,000	*
N. Mountain	3,202,000	3,090,000	Stanly	289,000	*
Cherokee	*	880,000	Union	1,252,000	1,200,000
W. Mountain	*	1,094,000	S. Piedmont	2,210,000	1,921,000
Alamance	366,000	*	Edgecombe	125,000	*
Caswell	222,000	*	Nash	1,656,000	1,860,000
Franklin	241,000	*	N. Coastal	1,945,000	2,200,000
Guilford	284,000	*	C. Coastal	*	2,832,000
Orange	149,000	*	Bladen	106,000	*
Stokes	132,000	*	Duplin	712,000	800,000
Warren	116,000	*	Sampson	640,000	690,000
N. Piedmont	1,627,000	1,625,000	S. Coastal	1,563,000	1,713,000
Alexander	1,724,000	1,550,000	Other Counties	4,667,000	6,789,000
Chatham	655,000	620,000	State Total	20,039,000	19,609,000
Davidson	139,000	*			
Davie	176,000	*			
Iredell	1,449,000	1,250,000			
Randolph	1,194,000	950,000			
Rowan	117,000	*			
C. Piedmont	5,562,000	5,134,000			

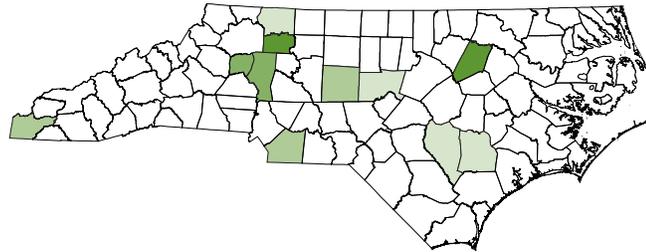
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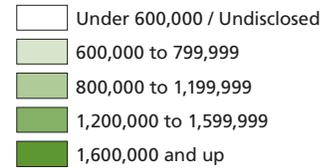
Number on Farms, December 1, 2008

Leading Counties ¹	Number
Nash	1,860,000
Yadkin	1,800,000
Alexander	1,550,000
Iredell	1,250,000
Union	1,200,000

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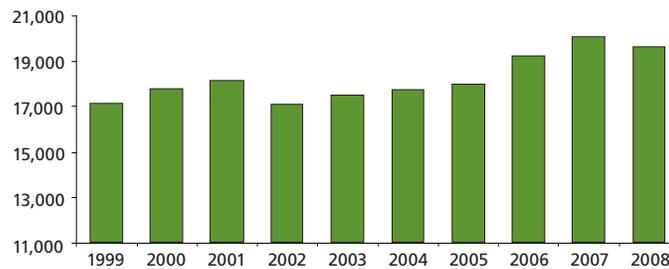


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ALL CHICKENS

Number on Farms, December 1 (Thousand Head)







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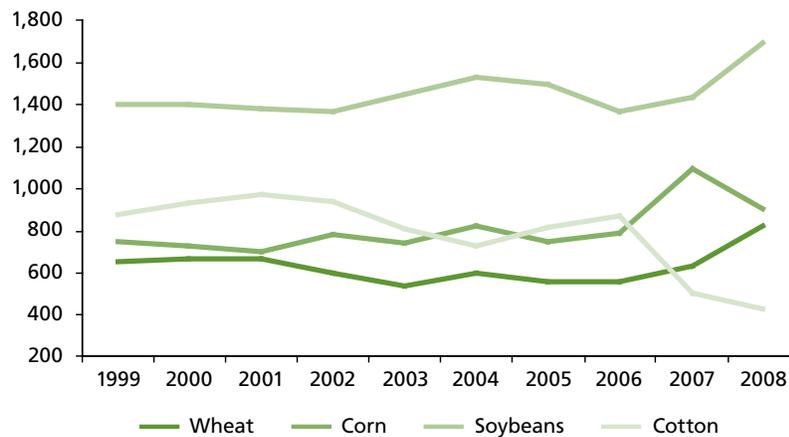
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USUAL PLANTING AND HARVESTING DATES

Crops		Usual Planting Dates			Usual Harvest Dates		
		Begin	Most Active	End	Begin	Most Active	End
Field Crops:							
Barley:	Grain	Sep 25	Oct 15-Nov 10	Dec 01	May 25	Jun 10-Jun 30	Jul 25
Corn:	Grain	Apr 01	Apr 10-Apr 25	May 20	Aug 20	Sep 10-Oct 10	Oct 10
	Silage	Apr 01	Apr 10-Apr 25	May 20	Aug 01	Aug 20-Sep 20	Oct 20
Cotton		Apr 20	May 01-May 20	Jun 10	Sep 30	Oct 10-Nov 15	Dec 15
Hay:	Alfalfa				Apr. 30	-	Nov 15
	Other				Apr. 30	-	Nov 15
Irish Potatoes		Mar 05	Mar 10-Apr 10	Apr 30	Jun 10	Jun 25-Jul 15	Aug 10
Oats:	Grain	Sep 15	Oct 15-Nov 25	Dec 10	May 30	Jun 10-Jun 30	Jul. 25
Peanuts		Apr 30	May 10-May 30	Jun 01	Sep 25	Oct 10-Oct 30	Nov 15
Sorghum:	Grain	May 05	May 25-Jun 15	Jul 15	Aug 15	Oct 01-Oct 20	Nov 25
	Silage	May 01	May 10-Jun 10	Jul 05	Jul 25	Aug 10-Sep 15	Oct 01
Soybeans		May 01	May 20-Jun 30	Jul 20	Oct 10	Nov 10-Dec 05	Dec 20
Sweet Potatoes		May 05	May 20-Jun 15	Jul 15	Sep 01	Sep 25-Nov 05	Nov 20
Tobacco:	Burley	May 15	May 20-Jun 10	Jun 30	Aug 20	Sep 01-Sep 20	Oct 15
	Flue-cured	Apr 15	Apr 20-May 25	Jun 05	Jul 01	Jul 20-Sep 15	Oct 10
Wheat:	Grain	Sep 20	Oct 15-Nov 20	Dec 20	May 30	Jun 10-Jun 30	Jul 25
Vegetables:							
Cabbage:	Spring	Jan 01	Feb 05-Mar 01	Mar 20	Apr 20	May 10-Jun 15	Jun 30
	Summer	Mar 20	Mar 25-Apr 05	Apr 15	Jun 10	Jul 15-Oct 15	Oct 30
	Fall	Jul 15	Jul 20-Aug 05	Aug 10	Oct 10	Oct 15-Dec30	Jan 30
Cucumbers:	Fresh Market Spring	Mar 25	Apr 01-May 01	May 05	Jun 01	Jun 01-Jun 30	Jul 05
	Fresh Market Summer	Apr 25	May 01-May 15	May 20	Jun 01	Jun 01-Jul 30	Oct 20
Cucumbers:	Processing Spring	Mar 25	Apr 01-May 15	May 20	Jun 01	Jun 10-Jul 30	Jul 25
	Processing Summer	Jul 10	Jul 15-Sep 01	Sep 05	Jul 01	Oct 01-Oct 15	Oct 30
Peppers:	Bell	Apr 01	Apr 10-May 01	May 15	Oct 10	Jul 01-Jul 30	Sep 01
Snap Beans:	Fresh Market Spring	Mar 10	Mar 15-Apr 05	Apr 15	May 15	Jun 01-Jun 30	Jul 20
	Fresh Market Summer	Apr 15	Apr 20-May 15	May 20	Jul 01	Jul 15-Sep 15	Oct 01
	Fresh Market Fall	Aug 05	Aug 10-Aug 20	Aug 25	Sep 25	Oct 01-Oct 30	Nov 10
Squash		Apr 01	Apr 15-May 05	May 30	Jun 01	Jun 15-Jul 30	Sep 01
Strawberries		Sep 20	Sep 25-Oct 15	Nov 01	Apr 10	Apr 20-May 20	Jun 10
Sweet Corn		Mar 05	Mar 10-Jun 01	Jun 05	Jun 01	Jun 15-Jul 30	Sep 10
Tomatoes		Apr 15	Apr 20-Jun 01	Jun 05	Jun 15	Jul 15-Sep 15	Oct 15
Watermelons		Mar 25	Mar 30-May 05	May 10	Jul 01	Jul 15-Aug 20	Sep 10

NORTH CAROLINA PLANTED ACRES

(Thousand Acres)



CROP RECORD HIGHS

Crops	Unit	Date Series Began	Record High					
			Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production	
			Year	Acres	Year	Yield	Year	Production
			<i>Thousands</i>				<i>Thousands</i>	
FIELD CROPS:								
Barley	Bu.	1924	1981	75	2006	80.0	1981	4,125
Corn for Grain	Bu.	1866	1899	2,726	2006	132.0	1982	155,430
Corn for Silage	Ton	1919	1983	152	2004	19.0	1984	2,240
Cotton: Upland ¹	Lb.	1866	1926	1,802	2004	900.0	2001	1,673
Cottonseed	Ton	1866	-	-	-	-	2001	559
Hay: All	Ton	1909	1945	1,374	2003	2.61	2003	2,030
Hay: Alfalfa	Ton	1919	1957	88	2006	3.10	1957	185
Hay: Other	Ton	1919	1945	1,274	2003	2.60	2003	1,976
Irish Potatoes	Cwt.	1866	1943	110	2006	210.0	1946	7,774
Oats	Bu.	1866	1889	542	2008	80.0	1956	19,680
Peanuts	Lb.	1909	1945	320	2008	3,700.0	1981	555,560
Sorghum for Grain	Bu.	1929	1971	120	2001	70.0	1971	6,240
Sorghum for Silage	Ton	1949	1972	34	1981	13.5	1971	390
Soybeans	Bu.	1924	1982	2,100	2004	34.0	2008	55,110
Sweet Potatoes	Cwt.	1868	1932	101	2008	190.0	2008	8,740
Tobacco: All	Lb.	1866	1939	851	1994	2,467.0	1951	999,725
Tobacco: Burley	Lb.	1919	1945	13	1969	2,570.0	1982	31,179
Tobacco: Flue-cured	Lb.	1919	1939	843	1994	2,478.0	1955	978,775
Wheat: Winter	Bu.	1866	1901	800	2008	60.0	2008	43,200
FRUITS AND NUTS:								
Apples: Commercial	Lb.	1934	-	-	-	-	1983	415,000
Blueberries	Lb.	1972	2005	5.0	2008	5,940	2008	28,500
Grapes	Ton	1909	-	-	-	-	1912	8.6
Peaches	Ton	1899	-	-	-	-	1941	76
Pecans: Improved	Lb.	1919	-	-	-	-	1971	4,300
Pecans: Seedings	Lb.	1919	-	-	-	-	1994	2,800
Pecans: All	Lb.	1919	-	-	-	-	1971	6,500
Strawberries	Cwt.	1949	1950	2.9	2006	135	2000	231

CROP RECORD LOWS

Crops	Unit	Date Series Began	Record Low					
			Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production	
			Year	Acres	Year	Yield	Year	Production
			<i>Thousands</i>				<i>Thousands</i>	
FIELD CROPS:								
Barley	Bu.	1924	1924	5	1932	15.0	1924	90
Corn for Grain	Bu.	1866	2001	625	1881	9.5	1866	15,912
Corn for Silage	Ton	1919	1919	4	1932	4.5	1919	26
Cotton: Upland ¹	Lb.	1866	1978	42	1878	124.0	1983	43
Cottonseed	Ton	1866	-	-	-	-	1979	15
Hay: All	Ton	1909	1973	325	1925	0.64	1911	398
Hay: Alfalfa	Ton	1919	1921	3	1921	1.35	1921	4
Hay: Other	Ton	1919	1973	312	1925	0.61	1925	313
Irish Potatoes	Cwt.	1866	1867	10	1911	29.0	1866	444
Oats	Bu.	1866	2007	15	1871	8.0	2007	825
Peanuts	Lb.	1909	2006	84	1909	675.0	1911	119,350
Sorghum for Grain	Bu.	1929	1945	2	1946	23.0	1945	50
Sorghum for Silage	Ton	1949	1950	1	1993	4.0	1949	7
Soybeans	Bu.	1924	1924	75	1943	9.0	1933	1,026
Sweet Potatoes	Cwt.	1868	1964	18	1900	34.0	1869	1,691
Tobacco: All	Lb.	1866	1866	16	1883	340.0	1866	7,840
Tobacco: Burley	Lb.	1919	1921	2.1	1922	500.0	1919	1,412
Tobacco: Flue-cured	Lb.	1919	2005	123	1924	585.0	1921	246,540
Wheat: Winter	Bu.	1866	1966	165	1885	4.0	1866	1,800
FRUITS AND NUTS:								
Apples: Commercial	Lb.	1934	-	-	-	-	1955	1,680
Blueberries	Lb.	1972	2001	2.7	1976	440	1976	1,496
Grapes	Ton	1909	-	-	-	-	1957	0.8
Peaches	Ton	1899	-	-	-	-	1955	²
Pecans: Improved	Lb.	1919	-	-	-	-	1920	66
Pecans: Seedings	Lb.	1919	-	-	-	-	2004	30
Pecans: All	Lb.	1919	-	-	-	-	2004	100
Strawberries	Cwt.	1949	1956	1.3	1972	9	1955	13

¹ Production in 480-lb. net weight bales. ² Production is 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.

ANNUAL CROP SUMMARY

Crops	Unit	2007 ¹					
		Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Price per Unit	Value
		<i>Thousands</i>		<i>Units</i>	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
FIELD CROPS							
Barley	Bu.	22	14	49	686	2.65	1,818
Corn for Grain ²	Bu.	1,090	1,010	100	101,000	4.00	404,000
Corn for Silage ³	Ton	-	60	11	660	-	-
Cotton: Upland ⁴	Lb.	500	490	767	783	0.558	209,719
Cottonseed	Ton	-	-	-	244	148.00	36,112
Hay: All	Ton	-	699	1.50	1,050	91.50	95,880
Hay: Alfalfa	Ton	-	9	1.70	15	182.00	2,730
Hay: Other	Ton	-	690	1.50	1,035	90.00	93,150
Irish Potatoes	Cwt.	16.0	14.5	186	2,700	8.35	22,545
Oats	Bu.	50	15	55.0	825	2.50	2,063
Peanuts	Lb.	92	90	2,900	261,000	0.210	54,810
Sorghum for Grain ²	Cwt.	12	8	55	440	6.95	1,712
Sorghum for Silage ³	Ton	-	3	10	30	-	-
Soybeans for Beans	Bu.	1,440	1,380	22	30,360	10.10	306,636
Sweet Potatoes	Cwt.	44	43	155	6,665	16.40	109,306
Tobacco: All	Lb.	-	170	2,255	383,420	1.53	587,029
Tobacco: Flue-cured	Lb.	-	166	2,270	376,820	1.53	576,535
Tobacco: Burley	Lb.	-	4.0	1,650	6,600	1.59	10,494
Wheat	Bu.	630	500	40	20,000	4.90	98,000
FRUITS AND NUTS							
		<i>Actual Acres</i>					
Apples: Commercial	Lb.	-	6,800	8,820	60,000	0.098	5,864
Blueberries	Lb.	-	4,700	3,450	16,200	2.110	34,200
Grapes	Ton	-	1,700	2.15	3.65	1,270.00	4,630
Peaches	Ton	-	1,200	0.54	0.65	1,130.00	735
Pecans: All	Lb.	-	-	-	200	1.37	274
Pecans: Improved	Lb.	-	-	-	160	1.51	242
Pecans: Seedlings	Lb.	-	-	-	40	0.81	32
VEGETABLES							
		<i>Actual Acres</i>					
Fresh Market							
Bell Peppers	Cwt.	2,800	2,700	230	624	25.00	15,600
Cabbage: All	Cwt.	5,300	5,200	240	1,248	10.00	12,480
Cucumbers	Cwt.	7,200	7,000	105	735	16.00	11,760
Snap Beans: All	Cwt.	6,400	6,300	40	252	30.00	7,560
Squash	Cwt.	3,200	3,000	130	390	30.00	11,700
Strawberries: All	Cwt.	1,700	1,500	125	189	95.00	17,955
Sweet Corn	Cwt.	6,600	6,200	100	620	15.00	9,300
Tomatoes	Cwt.	3,400	3,300	290	957	30.00	28,710
Watermelons	Cwt.	6,700	6,600	210	1,386	8.00	11,088
Processing							
Cucumbers	Ton	12,100	10,700	3.95	42,270	305.00	12,892

¹ Revised. ² Planted for all purposes. ³ Green-weight. ⁴ Production in 480-lb. net weight bales.

ANNUAL CROP SUMMARY

Crops	Unit	2008 ¹					
		Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Price per Unit	Value
		<i>Thousands</i>		<i>Units</i>	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
FIELD CROPS							
Barley	Bu.	21	14	71	994	4.00	3,976
Corn for Grain ²	Bu.	900	830	78	64,740	4.80	310,752
Corn for Silage ³	Ton	-	55	15	825	-	-
Cotton: Upland ⁴	Lb.	430	428	847	755	0.397	146,731
Cottonseed	Ton	-	-	-	231	177.00	43,542
Hay: All	Ton	-	808	2.01	1,622	101.00	163,130
Hay: Alfalfa	Ton	-	8	2.70	22	215.00	4,730
Hay: Other	Ton	-	800	2.00	1,600	99.00	158,400
Irish Potatoes	Cwt.	14.5	14.0	180	2,520	10.30	25,956
Oats	Bu.	60	30	80.0	2,400	3.20	7,680
Peanuts	Lb.	98	97	3,700	358,900	0.189	67,832
Sorghum for Grain ²	Cwt.	16	13	56	728	6.90	2,813
Sorghum for Silage ³	Ton	-	2	11	22	-	-
Soybeans for Beans	Bu.	1,690	1,670	33	55,110	8.65	476,702
Sweet Potatoes	Cwt.	47	46	190	8,740	18.20	159,068
Tobacco: All	Lb.	-	174.3	2,240	390,360	1.76	686,921
Tobacco: Flue-cured	Lb.	-	171	2,250	384,750	1.76	677,160
Tobacco: Burley	Lb.	-	3.3	1,700	5,610	1.74	9,761
Wheat	Bu.	820	720	60	43,200	5.80	250,560
FRUITS AND NUTS							
		<i>Actual Acres</i>					
Apples: Commercial	Lb.	-	6,800	24,300	165,000	0.142	23,487
Blueberries	Lb.	-	4,800	5,940	28,500	1.680	47,950
Grapes	Ton	-	1,700	3.29	5.60	1,170.00	6,563
Peaches	Ton	-	1,200	4.67	5.25	1,010.00	5,303
Pecans: All	Lb.	-	-	-	700	1.20	840
Pecans: Improved	Lb.	-	-	-	600	1.30	780
Pecans: Seedlings	Lb.	-	-	-	100	0.60	60
VEGETABLES							
		<i>Actual Acres</i>					
Fresh Market							
Bell Peppers	Cwt.	2,900	2,800	120	336	30.00	10,080
Cabbage: All	Cwt.	5,300	5,000	250	1,250	13.00	16,250
Cucumbers	Cwt.	7,300	7,000	105	735	18.00	13,230
Snap Beans: All	Cwt.	6,300	6,200	40	248	28.00	6,944
Squash	Cwt.	3,400	3,300	110	363	28.00	10,164
Strawberries: All	Cwt.	1,700	1,600	130	208	100.00	20,800
Sweet Corn	Cwt.	6,800	6,500	100	650	19.00	12,350
Tomatoes	Cwt.	3,500	3,400	320	1,088	31.00	33,728
Watermelons	Cwt.	6,800	6,700	200	1,340	9.00	12,060
Processing							
Cucumbers	Ton	10,700	9,400	4.50	42,300	285.00	12,056

¹ Preliminary. ² Planted for all purposes. ³ Green-weight. ⁴ Production in 480-lb. net weight bales.

GRAIN STOCKS

Year	On-Farm Stocks				Off-Farm Stocks ¹				Total Stocks All Positions			
	Mar 1	Jun 1	Sep 1	Dec 1	Mar 1	Jun 1	Sep 1	Dec 1	Mar 1	Jun 1	Sep 1	Dec 1
<i>Thousand Bushels</i>												
CORN												
2004	8,000	2,500	1,400	28,000	14,778	10,016	7,473	22,779	22,778	12,516	8,873	50,779
2005	13,000	5,800	2,800	29,000	18,692	10,235	5,029	25,271	31,692	16,035	7,829	54,271
2006	16,000	4,000	1,000	25,000	21,407	11,071	5,988	28,196	37,407	15,071	6,988	53,196
2007	12,000	2,600	700	30,000	22,103	14,178	5,239	33,515	34,103	16,778	5,939	63,515
2008	13,000	2,400	850	20,000	27,069	17,132	7,185	26,691	40,069	19,532	8,035	46,691
SOYBEANS												
2004	*	*	*	*	10,289	5,634	1,593	10,692	*	*	*	*
2005	*	*	*	*	7,318	4,163	2,919	10,725	*	*	*	*
2006	*	*	*	*	6,858	2,790	*	9,292	*	*	*	*
2007	*	*	*	*	6,578	5,842	3,911	10,139	*	*	*	*
2008	*	*	*	*	7,013	2,811	1,275	14,842	*	*	*	*
WHEAT												
2004	200	20	2,500	1,400	3,629	2,083	7,144	4,917	3,829	2,103	9,644	6,317
2005	400	150	2,600	1,150	4,557	2,712	12,100	7,571	4,957	2,862	14,700	8,721
2006	700	70	2,600	1,350	5,900	3,547	9,750	7,908	6,600	3,617	12,350	9,258
2007	300	30	1,000	520	5,857	1,374	8,535	4,750	6,157	1,404	9,535	5,270
2008	100	10	4,600	3,200	4,265	1,514	12,650	9,736	4,365	1,524	17,250	12,936

¹ Includes stocks at mills, elevators, warehouses, terminals and processors. **"On-Farm" estimates not published at state level. "Off-Farm" estimates not published to avoid disclosure of individual farms.

HAY STOCKS ON FARMS

Year	May 1	Dec 1
<i>Thousand Tons</i>		
2004	405	1,545
2005	350	1,245
2006	282	1,280
2007	120	682
2008	79	962

GRAIN STORAGE CAPACITY

On-Farm and Off-Farm Facilities, December 1

Year	Off-Farm Facilities	Rated Off-Farm Storage Capacity	Rated On-Farm Storage Capacity
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Thousand Bushels</i>	<i>Thousand Bushels</i>
2004	195	68,000	75,000
2005	195	67,000	75,000
2006	190	69,000	75,000
2007	180	72,000	80,000
2008	180	80,000	85,000

UPLAND COTTON BIOTECHNOLOGY VARIETIES

Percent Planted

Year	North Carolina				United States			
	Insect Resistant (BT)	Herbicide Resistant	Stacked Gene	All Biotech Varieties	Insect Resistant (BT)	Herbicide Resistant	Stacked Gene	All Biotech Varieties
2005	17	24	54	95	18	27	34	79
2006	19	19	60	98	18	26	39	83
2007	13	16	64	93	17	28	42	87
2008	19	14	62	95	18	23	45	86
2009	15	13	68	96	17	23	48	88

SELECTED FLORICULTURE CROPS

Quantity Sold and Wholesale Value

Crop	Unit	Total Quantity Sold		Percent Change	Wholesale Value ¹		Percent Change
		2007	2008		2007	2008	
		<i>Thousand</i>			<i>Thousand Dollars</i>		
TOTAL VALUE OF REPORTED CROPS		-	-	-	187,110	207,727	+11
For operations with \$100,000+ sales							
TOTAL VALUE OF REPORTED CROPS		-	-	-	197,469	217,183	+10
For operations with \$10,000+ sales							
BEDDING/GARDEN PLANTS							
Impatiens	Flats	458	616	+34	3,985	4,922	+24
Petunias	Flats	350	578	+65	3,157	4,930	+56
Vegetable Type Bedding Plants	Flats	132	157	+19	1,546	1,749	+13
Begonia	Flats	352	422	+20	2,893	3,300	+14
Marigold	Flats	291	343	+18	2,316	2,651	+14
Pansy/Viola	Flats	1,300	1,560	+20	11,349	13,697	+21
Other Plants in flats ²	Flats	970	1,436	+48	9,723	12,577	+29
Potted Geraniums (Cutting)	Pots	2,120	1,972	-7	6,915	8,306	+20
Potted Geraniums (Seed)	Pots	938	1,014	+8	742	972	+31
New Guinea Impatiens	Pots	1,050	894	-15	2,405	3,949	+64
Other Potted Flowering Plants ³	Pots	21,236	21,200	0	36,789	34,636	-6
Hanging Baskets, Flowering ⁴	Baskets	3,927	4,604	+17	21,173	23,111	+9
Total Bedding/Garden Plants		33,124	34,796	+5	102,993	114,800	+11
POTTED FLOWERING PLANTS FOR INDOOR OR PATIO USE							
Poinsettias	Pots	4,799	4,622	-4	15,217	17,902	+18
Chrysanthemums (Florist)	Pots	940	683	-27	3,660	3,282	-10
Lilies, Easter	Pots	302	465	+54	1,454	2,158	+48
Finished Florist Azaleas	Pots	89	99	+11	797	849	+7
Other Flowering Plants ⁵	Pots	5,038	4,881	-3	13,442	17,039	+27
Total Potted Flowering Plants		11,168	10,750	-4	34,570	41,230	+19
HERBACEOUS PERENNIALS							
Potted Hardy/Garden Chrysanthemums	Pots	8,555	8,338	-3	19,343	16,180	-16
Other Herbaceous Perennials ⁶	Pots	8,523	5,796	-32	18,665	18,819	+1
Total Potted Herbaceous Perennials		17,078	14,134	-17	38,008	34,999	-8
FOLIAGE FOR INDOOR OR PATIO USE							
Potted Foliage		-	-	-	2,744	4,302	+57
Foliage Hanging Baskets	Baskets	468	1,117	+139	2,513	6,289	+150
Total Foliage		-	-	-	5,257	10,591	+101
Total Cut Flowers ⁷		6,428	4,275	-33	3,429	2,857	-17
Total Propagative Sales ⁸		-	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Equivalent wholesale value of all sales for operations with \$100,000+ sales.

² Includes Geraniums, New Guinea Impatiens and Other Flowering or Foliar Type Bedding Plants.

³ Includes Impatiens, Petunias, Pansy/Viola, Begonia, Marigold, Vegetable and Other Potted Plants.

⁴ Includes Geraniums, Impatiens, New Guinea Impatiens, Petunias, Begonia, Marigold Pansy/Viola and Other Flowering Hanging Baskets.

⁵ Includes African Violets, Florist Roses, Orchids, Spring Flowering Bulbs and Other Flowering Potted Plants.

⁶ Includes Ferns (hardy/garden), Hosta, Iris, Peony, and Other Herbaceous Perennials.

⁷ Includes Chrysanthemums, Lilies, Orchids, Roses and Other Cut Flowers.

⁸ Not published to avoid disclosure of individual operations.



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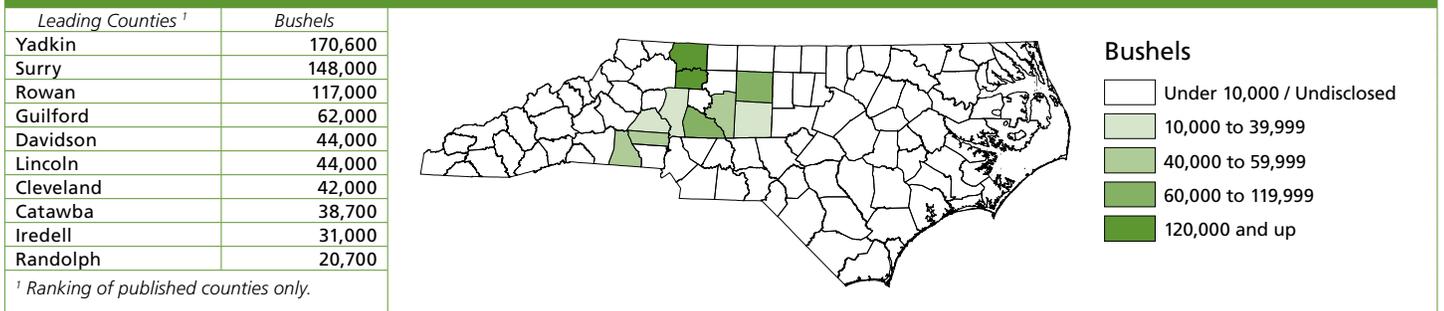
Acres, Yield and Production ^{1 2}

Counties and Districts	2007				2008			
	Planted All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushels</i>		<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushels</i>	
Surry	1,600	1,500	54	81,000	1,700	1,600	93	148,000
Yadkin	2,000	900	43	39,000	2,500	2,400	71	170,600
N. Mountain	4,500	2,800	50	140,000	5,000	4,200	79	333,000
W. Mountain	*	*	*	*	500	200	65	13,000
Guilford	800	700	69	48,000	1,200	1,200	52	62,000
N. Piedmont	2,400	2,000	64	128,000	2,700	2,500	59	148,000
Alexander	*	*	*	*	600	100	78	7,800
Catawba	500	400	48	19,000	600	500	77	38,700
Davidson	500	300	43	13,000	700	600	73	44,000
Iredell	*	*	*	*	3,000	500	62	31,000
Randolph	*	*	*	*	1,100	300	69	20,700
Rowan	1,800	1,600	72	115,000	1,600	1,400	84	117,000
C. Piedmont	9,000	5,000	50	250,000	8,100	3,700	74	272,000
Cabarrus	600	400	36	14,500	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	*	*	*	*	600	500	84	42,000
Lincoln	900	700	37	26,000	1,100	600	73	44,000
Stanly	700	500	38	19,000	*	*	*	*
S. Piedmont	3,400	2,300	37	85,000	3,200	2,200	73	160,000
N. Coastal	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
C. Coastal	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
S. Coastal	1,100	900	24	22,000	1,000	800	56	45,000
Other Counties	12,600	7,000	271	311,500	6,300	4,300	62	268,200
State Total	22,000	14,000	49	686,000	21,000	14,000	71	994,000

¹ 2008 Preliminary. ² Counties may not add to district total because undisclosed data are included in other counties. * USDA NASS County Estimating Program Policy and Standards require districts and counties with less than 500 acres planted to a crop, or practice of a crop, are included in other counties. Coverage standards also apply to district and county estimates.

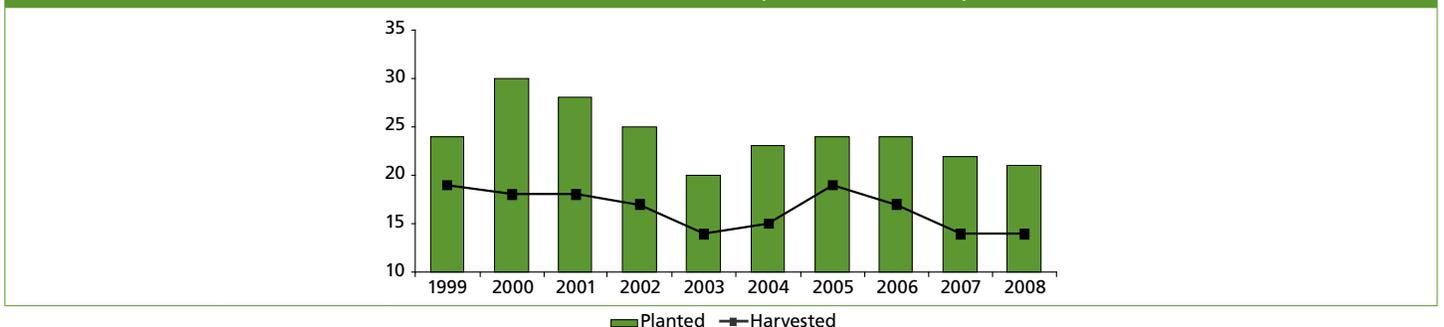
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2008 Production



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Planted and Harvested (Thousand Acres)



CORN FOR GRAIN

Acres, Yield and Production ^{1 2}

Counties and Districts	2007				2008			
	Planted All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		Bushels		Acres		Bushels	
Alleghany	1,900	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell	1,000	580	103	60,000	900	600	105	63,000
Surry	8,300	6,640	115	761,000	6,800	5,700	118	670,000
Wilkes	5,700	560	69	38,600	6,600	1,500	75	113,000
Yadkin	13,500	7,800	92	717,000	11,100	8,400	99	830,000
N. Mountain	30,600	15,700	101	1,583,000	27,800	16,400	102	1,680,000
Buncombe	900	140	81	11,300	1,200	100	67	6,700
Burke	1,400	1,000	70	70,000	1,200	900	96	86,300
Cherokee	700	480	179	86,000	1,000	700	130	91,000
Haywood	1,500	60	113	6,800	*	*	*	*
Henderson	2,200	1,100	126	139,000	3,100	1,400	129	181,000
McDowell	*	*	*	*	800	400	68	27,000
Transylvania	500	150	147	22,000	*	*	*	*
W. Mountain	8,600	3,400	110	375,000	11,500	4,600	109	500,000
Alamance	4,000	2,500	80	200,000	4,200	3,000	82	245,000
Caswell	1,400	620	44	27,100	1,500	800	71	57,000
Durham	*	*	*	*	700	500	87	43,500
Forsyth	3,700	3,400	59	199,000	1,000	800	82	65,500
Franklin	3,600	3,200	54	172,500	2,700	2,600	68	177,000
Granville	2,800	900	29	26,500	4,200	1,900	49	93,000
Guilford	5,000	2,200	51	112,000	5,700	2,500	82	206,000
Orange	3,000	1,600	70	112,000	2,900	1,900	107	203,000
Person	3,200	1,800	48	85,500	3,200	3,000	71	212,000
Rockingham	3,300	1,900	77	147,000	3,600	1,800	67	121,000
Stokes	1,500	1,200	77	92,300	1,500	1,200	71	85,000
Warren	1,000	760	28	21,000	*	*	*	*
N. Piedmont	33,400	20,700	59	1,218,000	32,200	20,700	76	1,568,000
Alexander	2,100	1,000	45	45,400	2,200	900	106	95,000
Catawba	2,600	1,600	59	94,000	2,600	2,100	123	259,000
Chatham	2,900	1,100	76	84,000	3,000	1,900	96	183,000
Davidson	6,800	5,400	93	501,000	6,400	4,900	76	371,000
Davie	6,100	5,100	69	354,000	5,000	4,200	80	335,000
Iredell	16,500	5,000	80	400,000	16,600	7,700	109	840,000
Lee	900	850	72	61,000	1,300	1,300	72	93,000
Randolph	7,700	4,050	79	321,000	7,400	4,300	89	382,000
Rowan	8,700	7,000	86	604,000	9,000	7,600	113	860,000
Wake	2,100	1,600	52	82,600	1,500	1,400	46	65,000
C. Piedmont	56,400	32,700	78	2,547,000	55,000	36,300	96	3,483,000
Anson	7,800	7,300	108	790,000	7,600	7,200	89	644,000
Cabarrus	3,700	2,000	59	118,000	3,500	2,800	102	285,000
Cleveland	1,600	700	45	31,300	2,000	700	71	50,000
Lincoln	2,800	1,300	50	65,600	2,800	1,000	98	98,000
Montgomery	900	800	61	49,000	*	*	*	*
Moore	1,600	1,400	58	81,000	1,400	1,400	68	95,000
Stanly	12,300	11,100	101	1,126,000	10,600	9,800	96	940,000
Union	29,800	29,400	110	3,238,000	27,400	26,000	66	1,728,000
S. Piedmont	65,000	57,500	100	5,726,000	62,000	54,500	77	4,217,000
Bertie	25,700	25,000	63	1,565,000	16,500	16,500	82	1,346,000
Camden	18,200	18,000	178	3,209,000	14,600	14,600	131	1,913,000
Chowan	8,400	8,200	104	850,000	5,500	5,500	95	522,000
Currituck	11,000	10,500	168	1,759,000	8,800	8,800	138	1,215,000
Edgecombe	22,300	22,000	70	1,541,000	13,000	12,700	63	802,000
Gates	9,600	9,500	76	719,000	5,200	5,100	91	465,000
Halifax	17,800	16,600	63	1,050,000	9,600	9,200	73	674,000
Hertford	14,300	13,800	50	690,000	10,300	10,200	95	971,000
Martin	12,100	11,900	96	1,144,000	7,200	7,000	52	365,000
Northampton	10,200	9,500	74	706,000	7,000	7,000	101	704,000
Pasquotank	24,600	24,400	155	3,793,000	17,500	17,400	115	2,000,000
Perquimans	22,600	22,300	122	2,712,000	12,600	12,600	101	1,270,000
Tyrrell	28,200	28,000	160	4,467,000	25,400	25,300	131	3,302,000
Washington	31,300	31,000	140	4,330,000	25,100	25,000	87	2,176,000
N. Coastal	264,000	258,000	113	29,114,000	183,500	182,000	100	18,124,000

CORN FOR GRAIN

Acres, Yield and Production ^{1 2}

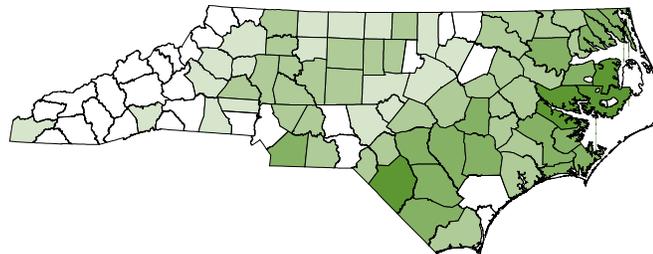
Counties and Districts	2007				2008			
	Planted All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		Bushels		Acres		Bushels	
Beaufort	55,900	55,700	142	7,900,000	46,500	43,800	79	3,480,000
Carteret	18,500	18,300	152	2,790,000	22,000	22,000	123	2,700,000
Craven	24,300	24,000	114	2,735,000	20,500	20,000	60	1,200,000
Greene	18,500	18,400	117	2,150,000	14,700	12,500	43	533,000
Hyde	31,100	30,000	166	4,970,000	27,000	26,900	134	3,600,000
Johnston	14,200	13,800	58	806,000	10,500	10,200	75	761,000
Jones	20,200	19,800	99	1,970,000	17,000	17,000	25	433,000
Lenoir	29,300	29,100	112	3,270,000	22,500	22,200	35	770,000
Pamlico	13,000	12,800	156	2,000,000	12,700	12,700	118	1,496,000
Pitt	34,200	34,000	86	2,913,000	22,200	21,100	34	722,000
Wayne	38,300	38,000	87	3,292,000	30,500	29,700	46	1,352,000
Wilson	14,500	14,100	76	1,070,000	10,900	10,900	65	705,000
C. Coastal	312,000	308,000	116	35,866,000	257,000	249,000	71	17,752,000
Bladen	30,300	30,000	67	2,000,000	23,000	22,600	45	1,028,000
Brunswick	7,700	7,400	76	565,000	7,200	7,100	89	630,000
Columbus	44,900	44,400	77	3,405,000	35,000	34,700	71	2,450,000
Cumberland	13,100	12,400	60	742,000	12,500	12,300	84	1,030,000
Duplin	63,900	63,300	90	5,680,000	50,500	49,700	52	2,600,000
Harnett	6,300	5,800	54	316,000	4,900	4,700	105	495,000
Hoke	5,200	5,000	76	379,000	6,000	6,000	103	620,000
Onslow	14,200	13,700	122	1,669,000	12,300	12,300	64	793,000
Robeson	62,300	61,700	67	4,115,000	54,000	53,000	70	3,690,000
Sampson	47,600	46,800	76	3,565,000	42,000	40,800	60	2,450,000
Scotland	4,400	4,100	80	330,000	4,900	4,900	94	460,000
S. Coastal	320,000	314,000	78	24,571,000	271,000	266,500	65	17,416,000
Other Counties	34,800	31,410	85	2,680,500	38,200	31,100	68	2,118,000
State Total	1,090,000	1,010,000	100	101,000,000	900,000	830,000	78	64,740,000

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CORN FOR GRAIN

2008 Production

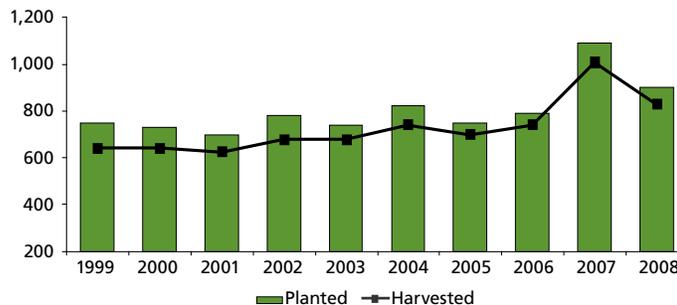
Leading Counties ¹	Bushels
Robeson	3,690,000
Hyde	3,600,000
Beaufort	3,480,000
Tyrrell	3,302,000
Carteret	2,700,000
Duplin	2,600,000
Columbus ²	2,450,000
Sampson ²	2,450,000
Washington	2,176,000
Pasquotank	2,000,000



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CORN FOR GRAIN

Planted and Harvested (Thousand Acres)



CORN FOR SILAGE

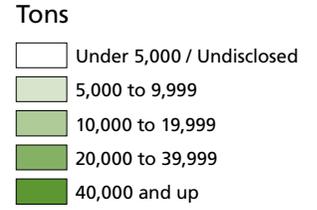
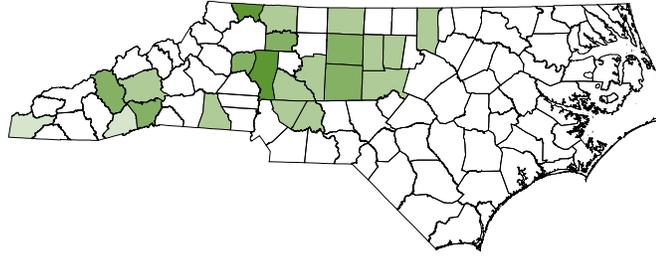
Acres, Yield and Production ^{1 2}

Counties and Districts	2007			2008		
	Harvested for Silage	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Harvested for Silage	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres	Tons		Acres	Tons	
Alleghany	1,800	21.0	38,300	1,900	21.5	41,200
Caldwell	320	16.0	5,200	300	12.5	3,800
Surry	1,600	17.0	26,600	1,100	15.0	16,700
Wilkes	5,000	11.0	54,300	*	*	*
Yadkin	5,300	9.0	47,000	2,600	14.5	38,300
N. Mountain	14,200	12.0	175,000	11,000	16.5	179,500
Buncombe	700	17.0	12,000	1,100	13.5	15,100
Cherokee	*	*	*	300	24.0	7,200
Haywood	1,400	22.0	30,100	1,500	16.5	25,100
Henderson	*	*	*	1,700	17.5	30,000
Transylvania	300	17.0	5,000	300	18.5	5,600
W. Mountain	5,000	19.0	93,000	6,800	17.5	118,800
Alamance	1,400	10.0	14,000	1,100	13.0	14,500
Caswell	500	5.0	2,700	*	*	*
Forsyth	140	16.0	2,200	200	15.5	3,100
Granville	1,250	8.0	9,500	1,400	10.0	14,300
Guilford	1,600	7.0	10,400	2,700	12.0	33,000
Orange	1,300	13.0	16,800	1,000	16.0	16,100
Rockingham	1,100	10.0	10,600	1,100	14.0	15,600
Stokes	280	18.0	5,000	300	15.5	4,700
N. Piedmont	9,000	9.0	85,000	9,200	13.5	122,300
Alexander	850	9.0	7,600	1,300	17.0	22,400
Chatham	1,700	9.0	14,600	1,100	15.0	16,700
Davidson	1,250	11.0	13,400	1,200	11.5	14,000
Davie	950	13.0	12,000	*	*	*
Iredell	10,750	10.0	112,600	8,900	15.0	135,700
Randolph	3,350	6.0	19,900	3,000	11.5	35,200
Rowan	1,650	13.0	22,000	1,300	14.0	18,500
C. Piedmont	21,500	10.0	205,000	18,200	14.5	263,500
Cabarrus	1,400	7.0	9,400	700	17.0	12,000
Cleveland	600	4.0	2,200	1,300	10.0	13,300
Lincoln	1,500	8.0	12,200	*	*	*
Stanly	*	*	*	800	19.0	15,000
S. Piedmont	6,700	8.0	54,000	6,700	13.5	90,500
Halifax	800	17.0	13,600	*	*	*
N. Coastal	1,000	17.0	17,000	*	*	*
C. Coastal	600	20.0	12,000	*	*	*
S. Coastal	2,000	10.0	19,000	*	*	*
Other Counties	11,210	11.7	130,800	16,800	15.4	257,900
State Total	60,000	11.0	660,000	55,000	15.0	825,000

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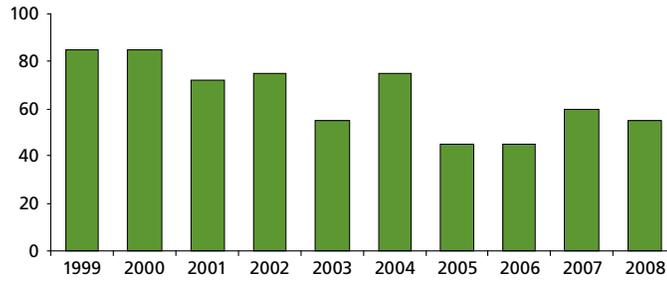
CORN FOR SILAGE 2008 Production

Leading Counties ¹	Tons
Iredell	135,700
Alleghany	41,200
Yadkin	38,300
Randolph	35,200
Guilford	33,000
Henderson	30,000
Haywood	25,100
Alexander	22,400
Rowan	18,500
Surry ²	16,700
Chatham ²	16,700



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CORN FOR SILAGE Harvested (Thousand Acres)



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Acres, Yield and Production ^{1 2}

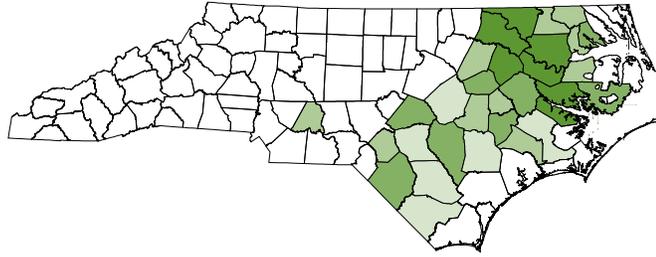
Counties and Districts	2007				2008			
	Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>480-Pound Bales</i>		<i>Acres</i>		<i>480-Pound Bales</i>	
N. Mountain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
W. Mountain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Warren	1,080	1,080	600	1,350	*	*	*	*
N. Piedmont	1,400	1,400	610	1,780	1,700	1,700	791	2,800
C. Piedmont	2,100	1,480	486	1,500	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	*	*	*	*	1,600	1,600	900	3,000
Stanly	8,400	8,330	789	13,700	7,200	6,900	974	14,000
Union	*	*	*	*	2,000	2,000	912	3,800
S. Piedmont	21,300	21,230	617	27,300	14,000	13,400	946	26,400
Bertie	27,700	27,700	847	48,900	25,400	25,300	755	39,800
Chowan	11,000	11,000	973	22,300	11,000	10,900	705	16,000
Edgecombe	28,700	28,700	786	47,000	27,100	27,000	782	44,000
Gates	10,800	10,700	852	19,000	11,000	10,900	727	16,500
Halifax	42,600	42,500	750	66,400	45,000	44,900	855	80,000
Hertford	9,560	9,560	653	13,000	10,100	10,000	888	18,500
Martin	33,400	33,300	891	61,800	32,200	32,100	782	52,300
Nash	9,300	9,300	702	13,600	8,000	8,000	720	12,000
Northampton	41,800	41,800	745	64,900	32,800	32,700	983	67,000
Pasquotank	1,590	1,590	785	2,600	1,900	1,900	707	2,800
Perquimans	11,800	11,800	1,119	27,500	12,300	12,300	937	24,000
Washington	7,280	7,240	1,054	15,900	6,900	6,900	1,113	16,000
N. Coastal	239,000	238,660	825	410,000	227,600	226,800	836	395,000
Beaufort	15,400	15,400	1,309	42,000	14,000	13,900	1,036	30,000
Craven	2,400	2,380	847	4,200	3,000	3,000	800	5,000
Greene	*	*	*	*	10,300	10,300	699	15,000
Hyde	15,700	15,700	1,318	43,100	12,300	12,300	1,112	28,500
Johnston	9,350	9,350	431	8,400	5,300	5,300	761	8,400
Jones	8,700	8,700	960	17,400	7,700	7,700	873	14,000
Lenoir	18,400	18,200	881	33,400	17,700	17,700	765	28,200
Pamlico	1,350	1,350	1,280	3,600	*	*	*	*
Pitt	17,400	17,400	761	27,600	15,100	15,100	734	23,100
Wayne	9,400	9,300	640	12,400	8,600	8,600	726	13,000
Wilson	18,600	18,600	570	22,100	12,700	12,500	768	20,000
C. Coastal	134,000	133,680	880	245,000	110,000	109,700	836	191,100
Bladen	*	*	*	*	4,100	4,090	822	7,000
Columbus	*	*	*	*	4,900	4,870	789	8,000
Cumberland	5,500	5,100	433	4,600	4,700	4,680	903	8,800
Duplin	4,340	4,140	997	8,600	3,600	3,600	800	6,000
Harnett	12,100	11,600	426	10,300	11,000	11,000	873	20,000
Hoke	12,400	12,400	495	12,800	8,000	8,000	1,014	16,900
Robeson	23,000	18,400	337	12,900	12,500	12,400	883	22,800
Sampson	*	*	*	*	16,800	16,700	851	29,600
S. Coastal	102,000	93,450	500	97,300	75,500	75,200	878	137,500
Other Counties	80,950	77,380	631	101,650	23,200	22,860	861	41,000
State Total	500,000	490,000	767	783,000	430,000	428,000	847	755,000

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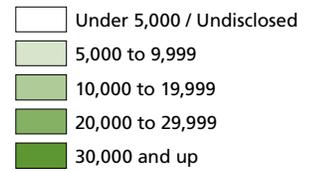
COTTON 2008 Production

Leading Counties ¹	480-Pound Bales
Halifax	80,000
Northampton	67,000
Martin	52,300
Edgecombe	44,000
Bertie	39,800
Beaufort	30,000
Sampson	29,600
Hyde	28,500
Lenoir	28,200
Perquimans	24,000

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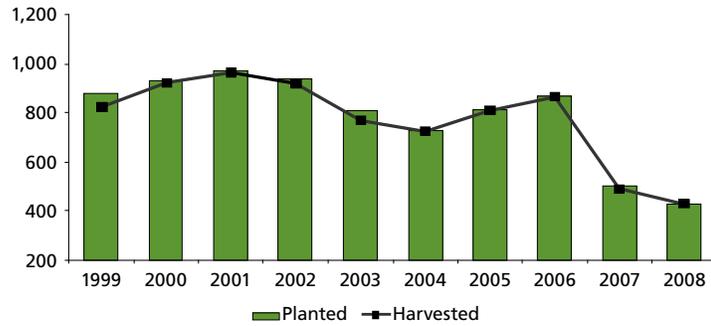


480-Pound Bales



COTTON

Planted and Harvested (Thousand Acres)



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Acres, Yield and Production ^{1 2}

Counties and Districts	2007			2008		
	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Tons</i>		<i>Acres</i>	<i>Tons</i>	
Alleghany	11,000	1.29	14,200	15,600	1.45	22,500
Ashe	10,200	2.10	21,400	9,000	1.80	16,200
Avery	1,000	1.10	1,100	1,000	1.40	1,400
Caldwell	5,400	1.30	7,000	7,000	1.70	11,800
Surry	14,800	1.48	21,900	16,000	2.25	35,800
Watauga	5,600	1.96	11,000	8,000	2.05	16,400
Wilkes	22,000	1.76	38,700	22,400	2.25	50,300
Yadkin	10,000	1.37	13,700	14,000	1.95	27,600
N. Mountain	80,000	1.61	129,000	93,000	1.95	182,000
Buncombe	15,800	1.53	24,200	19,500	1.55	30,000
Burke	*	*	*	5,100	1.95	10,000
Cherokee	3,600	1.67	6,000	4,000	2.25	9,000
Clay	2,800	1.79	5,000	2,700	2.65	7,100
Graham	900	1.67	1,500	800	2.00	1,600
Haywood	9,500	1.63	15,500	13,000	1.70	21,800
Henderson	*	*	*	5,400	1.70	9,200
Jackson	900	1.22	1,100	1,300	1.25	1,600
McDowell	1,800	1.39	2,500	2,000	1.50	3,000
Macon	*	*	*	3,000	1.70	5,100
Madison	6,200	1.27	7,900	8,200	2.15	17,500
Mitchell	*	*	*	4,500	1.70	7,700
Polk	2,500	0.96	2,400	4,300	1.45	6,200
Rutherford	14,400	0.85	12,300	18,500	1.20	22,500
Swain	600	2.50	1,500	700	1.70	1,200
Transylvania	4,000	2.15	8,600	4,500	1.75	7,800
Yancey	5,800	1.00	5,800	5,500	1.50	8,300
W. Mountain	85,000	1.40	119,000	103,000	1.65	169,600
Alamance	15,000	1.21	18,200	17,000	1.75	30,000
Caswell	15,000	1.31	19,600	16,000	1.70	26,900
Durham	2,500	1.28	3,200	2,900	1.55	4,500
Forsyth	8,000	1.45	11,600	7,200	1.50	10,700
Franklin	8,400	1.33	11,200	11,400	1.70	19,600
Granville	9,800	1.19	11,700	11,000	1.50	16,400
Guilford	16,700	1.14	19,000	19,600	1.65	32,000
Orange	13,800	1.12	15,500	14,900	2.00	29,600
Person	8,700	1.37	11,900	9,700	1.85	18,000
Rockingham	16,500	1.31	21,600	19,000	1.70	32,400
Stokes	13,000	1.28	16,600	17,000	1.65	28,000
Vance	2,600	1.35	3,500	2,700	1.65	4,400
Warren	5,000	0.88	4,400	5,600	1.70	9,500
N. Piedmont	135,000	1.24	168,000	154,000	1.70	262,000
Alexander	9,100	1.27	11,600	9,600	2.40	23,000
Catawba	11,000	1.07	11,800	18,400	1.95	35,600
Chatham	22,000	1.27	28,000	21,600	2.05	44,000
Davidson	19,500	1.21	23,500	21,300	1.70	36,500
Davie	14,300	1.90	27,200	25,000	1.80	45,000
Iredell	27,500	1.60	44,000	27,000	2.10	57,000
Lee	1,600	1.44	2,300	2,000	1.95	3,900
Randolph	17,000	1.43	24,300	23,000	2.00	46,000
Rowan	19,500	1.46	28,500	18,500	2.20	40,700
Wake	3,500	1.37	4,800	4,100	1.65	6,800
C. Piedmont	145,000	1.42	206,000	170,500	2.00	338,500
Anson	4,600	1.87	8,600	4,600	2.55	11,800
Cabarrus	14,500	1.52	22,000	26,000	2.70	70,500
Cleveland	20,000	1.08	21,500	19,000	1.50	28,200
Gaston	*	*	*	10,700	1.55	16,600
Lincoln	10,000	0.90	9,000	12,000	1.70	20,200
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	3,300	1.70	5,600
Montgomery	4,000	2.15	8,600	6,400	2.20	14,000
Moore	5,500	1.55	8,500	5,700	2.45	13,900
Richmond	2,400	0.96	2,300	5,600	1.85	10,400
Stanly	12,000	1.63	19,500	12,000	2.05	24,300
Union	*	*	*	16,200	2.60	42,000
S. Piedmont	99,000	1.34	133,000	121,500	2.10	257,500

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Acres, Yield and Production ^{1 2}

Counties and Districts	2007			2008		
	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Tons</i>		<i>Acres</i>	<i>Tons</i>	
Edgecombe	800	2.88	2,300	2,700	2.20	5,900
Gates	*	*	*	800	1.65	1,300
Halifax	1,800	2.00	3,600	4,000	1.75	7,000
Martin	1,500	1.40	2,100	1,000	1.80	1,800
Nash	5,000	1.44	7,200	6,000	2.50	15,000
N. Coastal	13,000	1.85	24,000	17,000	2.10	35,400
Beaufort	500	3.00	1,500	1,200	1.10	1,300
Craven	900	3.22	2,900	1,300	3.45	4,500
Greene	2,700	2.48	6,700	2,500	2.50	6,200
Johnston	9,500	1.89	18,000	12,000	2.55	30,500
Jones	1,100	2.55	2,800	1,900	2.60	4,900
Lenoir	2,800	2.57	7,200	2,300	3.10	7,100
Pitt	3,800	1.61	6,100	5,000	1.85	9,200
Wayne	8,000	2.56	20,500	10,500	2.70	28,300
Wilson	1,300	1.54	2,000	1,000	1.90	1,900
C. Coastal	31,000	2.23	69,000	38,500	2.50	96,000
Bladen	5,400	1.30	7,000	3,000	2.50	7,500
Brunswick	2,600	2.77	7,200	2,300	2.85	6,500
Columbus	3,400	1.82	6,200	4,900	2.25	11,000
Cumberland	2,300	1.74	4,000	2,700	2.65	7,200
Duplin	45,000	1.56	70,000	36,500	2.80	101,500
Harnett	6,800	1.84	12,500	6,300	2.15	13,500
Hoke	2,300	1.30	3,000	4,000	3.00	12,000
Onslow	2,500	2.16	5,400	2,900	2.25	6,500
Pender	1,700	1.88	3,200	1,500	2.00	3,000
Robeson	10,500	2.19	23,000	9,700	2.10	20,400
Sampson	27,500	2.18	60,000	35,500	2.50	89,500
S. Coastal	111,000	1.82	202,000	110,500	2.55	281,000
Other Counties	47,500	1.44	68,300	4,500	1.98	8,900
State Total	699,000	1.50	1,050,000	808,000	2.00	1,622,000

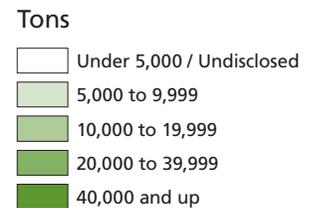
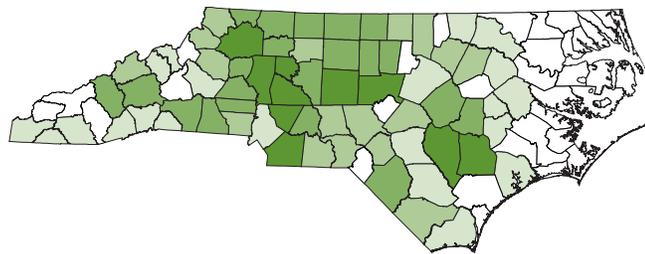
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ALL HAY

2008 Production

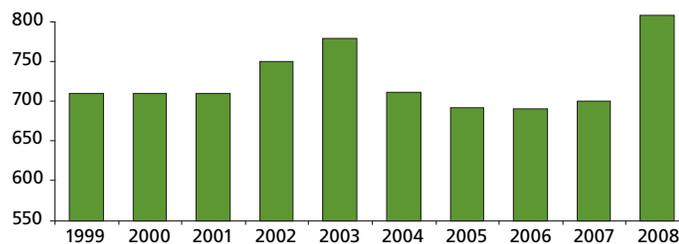
Leading Counties ¹	Tons
Duplin	101,500
Sampson	89,500
Cabarrus	70,500
Iredell	57,000
Wilkes	50,300
Randolph	46,000
Davie	45,000
Chatham	44,000
Union	42,000
Rowan	40,700

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ALL HAY

Harvested (Thousand Acres)



IRISH POTATOES

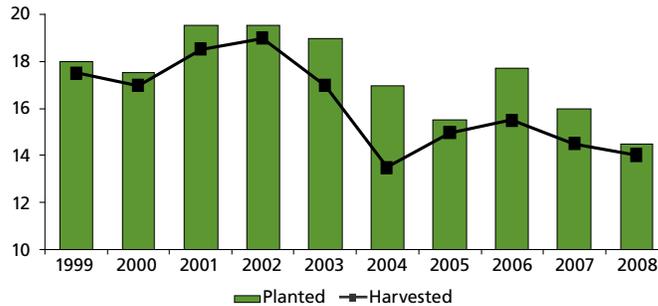
Acres, Yield and Production ^{1 2}

Counties and Districts	2007			2008		
	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Hundredweight</i>		<i>Acres</i>	<i>Hundredweight</i>	
N. Mountain	*	*	*	*	*	*
W. Mountain	*	*	*	*	*	*
N. Piedmont	*	*	*	*	*	*
C. Piedmont	*	*	*	*	*	*
S. Piedmont	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pasquotank	3,500	185	647,000	3,500	190	665,000
Washington	2,000	180	356,000	1,800	152	273,000
N. Coastal	11,000	195	2,134,000	11,100	182	2,023,000
C. Coastal	3,100	165	512,000	2,800	175	490,000
S. Coastal	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	9,000	189	1,697,000	8,700	182	1,582,000
State Total	14,500	186	2,700,000	14,000	180	2,520,000

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IRISH POTATOES

Planted and Harvested (Thousand Acres)



SORGHUM

Acres, Yield and Production ^{1 2}

Counties and Districts	2007				2008			
	Planted All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushels</i>		<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushels</i>	
N. Mountain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
W. Mountain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
N. Piedmont	1,400	800	56	45,000	*	*	*	*
C. Piedmont	1,600	700	49	34,000	*	*	*	*
S. Piedmont	1,500	800	44	34,800	1,100	700	69	48,500
Chowan	1,000	800	45	36,000	1,000	1,000	54	54,000
Northampton	*	*	*	*	1,300	1,300	52	67,600
Pasquotank	*	*	*	*	1,900	1,900	46	87,400
Perquimans	1,000	800	81	65,000	500	500	53	26,500
N. Coastal	4,700	3,800	57	217,800	7,100	6,900	53	364,700
Beaufort	*	*	*	*	500	500	82	41,000
Pamlico	*	*	*	*	600	600	80	48,000
C. Coastal	1,500	1,100	63	69,400	2,500	2,000	72	144,500
S. Coastal	1,000	700	46	32,200	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	10,000	6,400	53	339,000	10,200	7,200	56	403,500
State Total	12,000	8,000	55	440,000	16,000	13,000	56	728,000

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SORGHUM 2008 Production

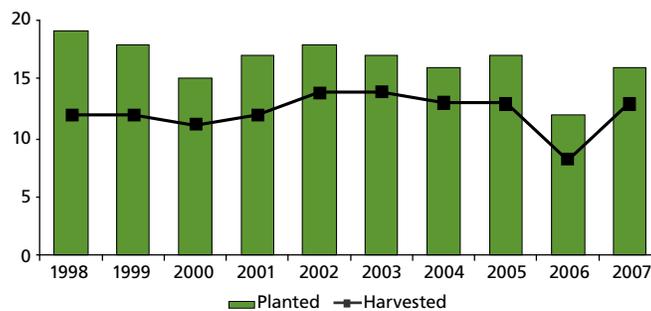
Leading Counties ¹	Bushels
Pasquotank	87,400
Northampton	67,600
Chowan	54,000
Pamlico	48,000
Beaufort	41,000

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SORGHUM

Planted and Harvested (Thousand Acres)



OATS

Acres, Yield and Production ^{1 2}

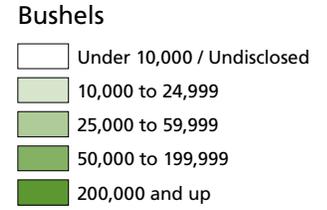
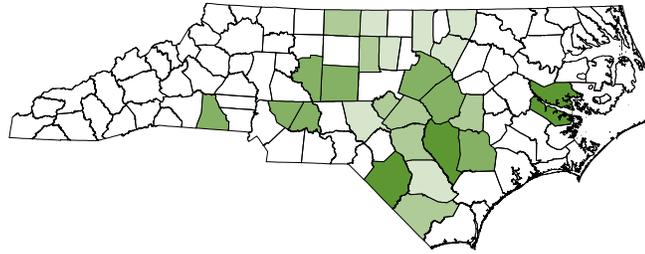
Counties and Districts	2007				2008			
	Planted All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		Bushels		Acres		Bushels	
N. Mountain	*	*	*	*	2,000	1,100	82	90,000
W. Mountain	*	*	*	*	1,100	600	38	23,000
Alamance	*	*	*	*	700	400	82	32,700
Caswell	*	*	*	*	500	250	76	19,000
Franklin	1,700	700	64	44,600	1,000	400	55	21,900
Granville	1,300	100	34	3,400	1,300	350	57	20,000
Guilford	900	350	49	17,000	*	*	*	*
Orange	500	100	76	7,600	800	300	70	21,000
Rockingham	*	*	*	*	900	350	93	32,500
Warren	1,300	250	33	8,200	1,700	400	58	23,000
N. Piedmont	8,500	2,200	53	116,000	9,200	3,200	72	230,000
Catawba	500	100	60	6,000	*	*	*	*
Chatham	600	150	77	11,500	*	*	*	*
Davidson	1,000	350	34	11,900	1,800	750	77	57,700
Lee	*	*	*	*	900	300	91	27,400
Randolph	1,400	200	46	9,200	1,800	800	83	66,500
Rowan	500	200	45	9,000	*	*	*	*
Wake	1,800	500	28	14,000	2,300	950	69	65,600
C. Piedmont	7,000	1,700	42	72,000	8,700	3,700	77	286,000
Anson	800	300	52	15,500	*	*	*	*
Cabarrus	2,100	1,000	46	46,000	1,500	1,100	69	75,600
Cleveland	1,700	350	43	15,200	1,900	800	100	80,000
Lincoln	700	100	45	4,500	*	*	*	*
Moore	600	50	20	1,000	1,000	300	77	23,000
Stanly	1,600	300	83	25,000	2,200	1,000	79	78,500
Union	1,800	300	96	28,900	*	*	*	*
S. Piedmont	10,300	2,500	55	137,000	11,900	5,600	82	459,000
Nash	500	200	55	11,000	*	*	*	*
N. Coastal	2,300	950	68	64,500	3,300	2,800	86	240,000
Beaufort	1,900	1,800	80	144,000	1,800	1,700	105	178,000
Johnston	1,800	400	56	22,500	2,000	1,100	85	93,000
Pitt	700	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	1,100	300	37	11,200	950	500	88	44,000
C. Coastal	8,300	3,700	68	250,000	8,600	5,000	88	440,000
Bladen	600	100	63	6,300	750	350	70	24,500
Columbus	1,200	200	48	9,500	1,250	650	63	41,000
Cumberland	*	*	*	*	600	450	109	49,000
Duplin	3,300	800	51	41,000	1,700	750	70	52,500
Harnett	2,300	350	64	22,500	1,200	500	82	40,800
Hoke	600	250	48	12,000	*	*	*	*
Robeson	1,100	500	48	24,000	2,900	1,400	81	112,700
Sampson	1,800	800	29	23,000	3,150	1,700	78	132,300
Scotland	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
S. Coastal	12,300	3,500	46	162,000	15,200	8,000	79	632,000
Other Counties	12,300	3,900	56	219,500	23,400	12,450	79	987,800
State Total	50,000	15,000	55	825,000	60,000	30,000	80	2,400,000

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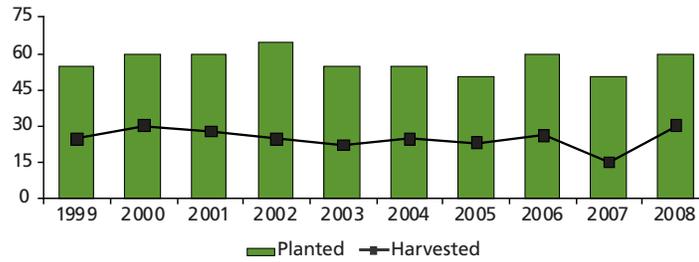
OATS 2008 Production

Leading Counties ¹	Bushels
Beaufort	178,000
Sampson	132,300
Robeson	112,700
Johnston	93,000
Cleveland	80,000
Stanly	78,500
Cabarrus	75,600
Randolph	66,500
Wake	65,600
Davidson	57,700

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OATS Planted and Harvested (Thousand Acres)



PEANUTS

Acres, Yield and Production ^{1 2}

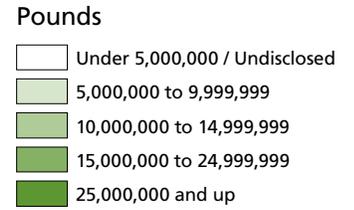
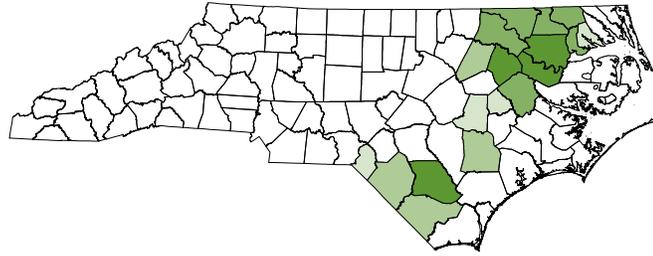
Counties and Districts	2007			2008		
	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Pounds</i>		<i>Acres</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	
N. Mountain	*	*	*	*	*	*
W. Mountain	*	*	*	*	*	*
N. Piedmont	*	*	*	*	*	*
C. Piedmont	*	*	*	*	*	*
S. Piedmont	*	*	*	*	*	*
Bertie	9,500	3,370	32,000,000	9,700	3,555	34,500,000
Chowan	5,550	3,800	21,100,000	5,000	4,000	20,000,000
Edgecombe	9,500	2,475	23,500,000	7,500	3,360	25,200,000
Gates	3,700	3,785	14,000,000	3,600	4,305	15,500,000
Halifax	6,800	2,060	14,000,000	7,400	3,310	24,500,000
Hertford	4,700	2,660	12,500,000	5,000	3,560	17,800,000
Martin	9,350	3,155	29,500,000	10,300	3,835	39,500,000
Nash	3,700	2,460	9,100,000	3,900	3,435	13,400,000
Northampton	5,400	2,720	14,700,000	5,000	3,700	18,500,000
Perquimans	2,600	3,775	9,820,000	2,400	4,040	9,700,000
Washington	1,700	2,575	4,380,000	1,700	2,530	4,300,000
N. Coastal	62,500	2,955	184,600,000	61,500	3,625	222,900,000
Greene	1,300	3,000	3,900,000	1,600	3,815	6,100,000
Johnston	*	*	*	1,100	3,725	4,100,000
Jones	*	*	*	900	4,000	3,600,000
Pitt	4,250	2,705	11,500,000	5,100	3,530	18,000,000
Wayne	*	*	*	1,900	3,735	7,100,000
C. Coastal	9,100	2,955	26,900,000	13,500	3,705	50,000,000
Bladen	5,350	2,615	14,000,000	6,000	4,265	25,600,000
Columbus	3,600	2,445	8,800,000	3,200	3,905	12,500,000
Duplin	2,400	3,625	8,700,000	3,100	3,905	12,100,000
Robeson	1,200	3,535	4,240,000	2,700	3,750	10,125,000
Scotland	*	*	*	2,100	3,335	7,000,000
S. Coastal	18,350	2,690	49,400,000	22,000	3,910	86,000,000
Other Counties	9,400	2,687	25,260,000	7,800	3,817	29,775,000
State Total	90,000	2,900	261,000,000	97,000	3,700	358,900,000

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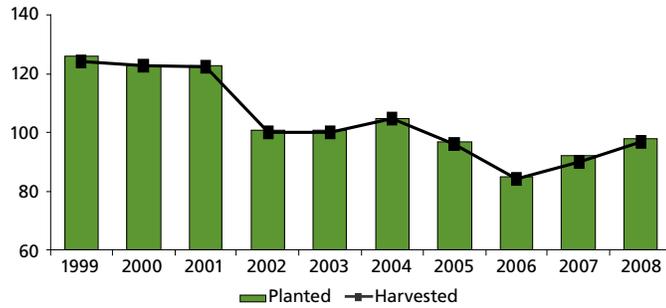
Leading Counties ¹	Pounds
Martin	39,500,000
Bertie	34,500,000
Bladen	25,600,000
Edgecombe	25,200,000
Halifax	24,500,000
Chowan	20,000,000
Northampton	18,500,000
Pitt	18,000,000
Hertford	17,800,000
Gates	15,500,000

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PEANUTS

Planted and Harvested (*Thousand Acres*)



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Acres, Yield and Production ^{1 2}

Counties and Districts	2007				2008			
	Planted All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		Bushels		Acres		Bushels	
Caldwell	800	800	16.0	12,800	800	800	35.0	28,000
Surry	8,100	7,300	32.0	231,200	9,600	9,300	35.5	332,000
Yadkin	13,700	13,000	20.0	255,200	16,800	16,700	31.5	528,000
N. Mountain	23,000	21,500	23.0	505,000	27,800	27,200	33.0	902,000
Burke	600	600	18.0	10,700	700	700	33.0	23,000
Rutherford	1,000	860	19.0	16,200	*	*	*	*
W. Mountain	2,600	2,400	20.0	47,000	3,100	2,800	24.5	69,000
Alamance	3,700	2,080	10.0	21,000	3,200	2,900	32.0	93,000
Caswell	2,400	1,580	15.0	24,100	2,400	2,200	24.0	53,000
Durham	900	280	14.0	4,000	*	*	*	*
Forsyth	2,500	2,130	16.0	35,000	3,800	3,300	30.5	101,000
Franklin	17,200	16,500	11.0	176,500	17,100	16,900	29.0	491,000
Granville	5,000	1,700	10.0	16,900	4,500	3,500	21.5	76,000
Guilford	9,000	8,000	13.0	103,100	9,200	8,800	30.5	267,000
Orange	3,500	2,310	22.0	50,000	3,400	3,000	27.5	83,000
Person	12,800	9,000	8.0	74,400	13,100	11,300	26.5	302,000
Rockingham	5,000	3,750	18.0	68,000	5,100	4,100	28.0	115,000
Stokes	1,500	1,070	15.0	16,000	*	*	*	*
Vance	6,000	4,800	14.0	66,000	6,800	6,500	34.0	222,000
Warren	7,700	6,800	10.0	67,000	8,100	8,000	32.5	260,000
N. Piedmont	77,200	60,000	12.0	722,000	79,200	72,600	29.0	2,108,000
Alexander	1,500	1,000	15.0	15,000	1,700	1,600	37.0	59,000
Catawba	6,700	5,750	9.0	53,200	6,400	6,300	39.0	246,000
Chatham	2,800	1,300	16.0	20,700	2,600	2,500	26.5	66,000
Davidson	7,800	6,850	21.0	142,500	8,300	8,100	32.0	261,000
Davie	5,200	4,850	16.0	75,500	6,600	6,600	32.0	211,000
Iredell	13,000	11,000	18.0	195,600	14,400	14,300	35.0	500,000
Lee	5,900	2,550	8.0	19,600	5,600	5,500	30.0	166,000
Randolph	9,900	7,600	16.0	119,000	9,200	8,600	31.0	268,000
Rowan	17,000	16,200	12.0	191,400	17,200	17,100	37.0	632,000
Wake	17,000	14,000	10.0	143,500	17,400	17,300	25.0	434,000
C. Piedmont	86,800	71,100	14.0	976,000	89,400	87,900	32.5	2,843,000
Anson	10,400	10,000	13.0	127,500	12,400	12,300	38.5	474,000
Cabarrus	6,100	4,630	8.0	39,300	6,300	6,200	36.5	227,000
Cleveland	11,000	10,000	7.0	69,000	11,700	11,600	32.0	370,000
Gaston	*	*	*	*	2,000	2,000	39.5	79,000
Lincoln	5,600	4,700	7.0	33,500	5,200	5,200	33.5	175,000
Mecklenburg	1,400	900	10.0	8,800	1,200	1,100	32.0	35,000
Montgomery	500	430	15.0	6,400	*	*	*	*
Moore	5,200	4,330	13.0	54,200	5,000	5,000	28.5	142,000
Stanly	17,500	17,500	13.0	234,800	21,500	21,100	36.5	775,000
Union	50,500	50,000	13.0	632,300	55,500	55,400	39.5	2,201,000
S. Piedmont	112,000	106,000	12.0	1,239,000	127,000	126,000	37.0	4,667,000
Bertie	21,000	20,100	26.0	525,100	30,100	30,000	31.0	930,000
Camden	30,000	28,900	38.0	1,085,300	31,600	31,400	36.5	1,147,000
Currituck	14,500	14,400	37.0	531,500	17,100	17,000	36.5	623,000
Edgecombe	33,900	33,800	21.0	702,600	44,000	43,800	28.0	1,219,000
Gates	16,200	16,100	30.0	489,000	20,500	20,400	35.0	711,000
Halifax	31,000	31,000	25.0	763,200	33,200	33,100	32.5	1,082,000
Hertford	14,500	14,500	20.0	287,000	17,400	17,200	29.5	509,000
Martin	15,900	15,800	24.0	373,000	21,300	21,000	31.5	662,000
Nash	30,000	29,500	13.0	378,500	33,300	33,200	28.5	938,000
Northampton	32,000	31,800	22.0	695,200	42,700	42,400	33.0	1,400,000
Pasquotank	44,800	44,800	28.0	1,263,000	51,100	50,700	33.0	1,670,000
Perquimans	31,000	31,000	32.0	1,002,400	39,900	39,800	35.0	1,384,000
Tyrrell	34,000	33,500	44.0	1,473,000	40,300	40,100	37.5	1,510,000
Washington	32,400	32,000	35.0	1,127,000	42,900	42,700	35.0	1,500,000
N. Coastal	392,000	388,000	28.0	11,004,000	479,500	476,500	33.0	15,767,000

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Acres, Yield and Production ^{1 2}

Counties and Districts	2007				2008			
	Planted All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		Bushels		Acres		Bushels	
Beaufort	58,000	57,600	37.0	2,120,700	69,800	69,200	36.0	2,478,000
Carteret	21,400	21,300	41.0	874,900	21,600	21,500	42.0	905,000
Craven	24,000	23,900	25.0	607,000	27,200	27,000	36.0	973,000
Greene	24,800	24,700	21.0	518,800	30,800	30,700	28.0	867,000
Hyde	25,500	25,300	42.0	1,057,700	30,500	30,200	39.0	1,185,000
Johnston	51,000	49,500	14.0	674,000	58,500	57,900	31.5	1,825,000
Jones	15,700	15,500	27.0	423,000	19,700	19,500	35.0	683,000
Lenoir	29,200	29,000	25.0	714,300	36,000	35,600	29.5	1,052,000
Pamlico	20,000	19,700	41.0	803,700	18,900	18,700	40.0	747,000
Pitt	54,500	54,200	22.0	1,172,500	66,800	66,200	28.0	1,868,000
Wayne	55,300	55,200	20.0	1,082,200	60,200	59,700	32.0	1,925,000
Wilson	30,300	30,100	20.0	610,200	38,000	37,800	31.0	1,163,000
C. Coastal	409,700	406,000	26.0	10,659,000	478,000	474,000	33.0	15,671,000
Bladen	15,500	14,900	16.0	236,000	23,900	23,600	27.5	649,000
Brunswick	7,300	7,230	16.0	115,900	7,700	7,500	30.0	225,000
Columbus	42,000	41,000	18.0	718,700	52,700	52,100	28.0	1,448,000
Cumberland	18,000	16,800	14.0	243,400	19,000	18,900	35.5	670,000
Duplin	41,300	39,500	20.0	784,600	53,000	52,800	32.0	1,702,000
Harnett	24,000	22,600	13.0	293,400	26,500	26,300	33.5	875,000
Hoke	10,700	10,500	11.0	118,000	14,000	13,900	39.0	541,000
Onslow	13,000	13,000	28.0	361,400	15,300	15,200	33.0	500,000
Robeson	90,000	87,100	13.0	1,138,600	104,500	104,000	32.5	3,370,000
Sampson	50,800	48,700	16.0	780,300	59,900	59,700	35.5	2,126,000
Scotland	10,400	9,970	10.0	96,200	13,200	13,000	35.0	456,000
S. Coastal	336,700	325,000	16.0	5,208,000	406,000	403,000	32.5	13,083,000
Other Counties	29,700	29,350	23.5	688,800	42,100	40,400	32.1	1,297,000
State Total	1,440,000	1,380,000	22.0	30,360,000	1,690,000	1,670,000	33.0	55,110,000

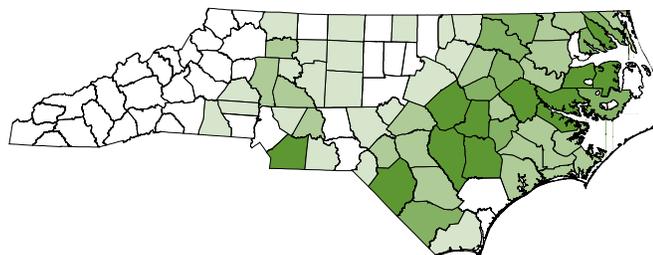
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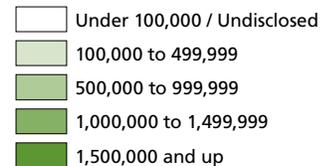
2008 Production

Leading Counties ¹	Bushels
Robeson	3,370,000
Beaufort	2,478,000
Union	2,201,000
Sampson	2,126,000
Wayne	1,925,000
Pitt	1,868,000
Johnston	1,825,000
Duplin	1,702,000
Pasquotank	1,670,000
Tyrrell	1,510,000

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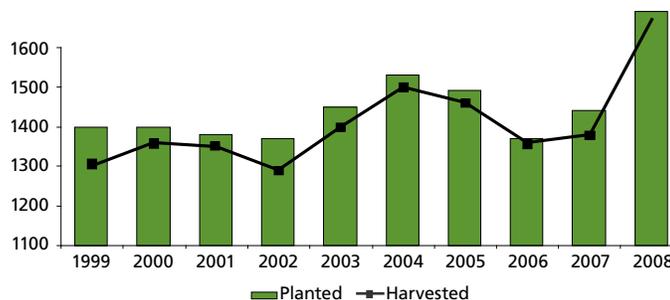


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SOYBEANS FOR BEANS

Planted and Harvested (Thousand Acres)



SWEET POTATOES

Acres, Yield and Production ^{1 2}

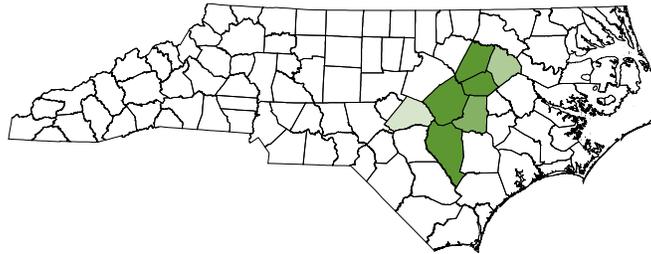
Counties and Districts	2007			2008		
	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres	Hundredweight		Acres	Hundredweight	
N. Mountain	*	*	*	*	*	*
W. Mountain	*	*	*	*	*	*
N. Piedmont	*	*	*	*	*	*
C. Piedmont	900	100	90,000	800	180	145,000
S. Piedmont	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chowan	*	*	*	300	200	59,700
Edgecombe	*	*	*	4,500	130	595,000
Nash	6,800	155	1,049,500	6,500	205	1,337,000
N. Coastal	11,800	155	1,805,000	12,000	175	2,118,000
Johnston	6,800	135	918,000	6,900	175	1,210,000
Wayne	2,200	165	358,000	2,900	240	700,000
Wilson	3,600	260	936,000	4,400	255	1,130,000
C. Coastal	17,000	170	2,900,000	18,800	205	3,900,000
Columbus	2,100	120	256,000	*	*	*
Harnett	1,500	120	180,000	1,000	175	173,000
Sampson	6,200	160	998,000	7,300	205	1,480,000
S. Coastal	13,100	140	1,854,000	14,000	180	2,540,000
Other Counties	13,800	143	1,969,500	12,200	168	2,055,300
State Total	43,000	155	6,665,000	46,000	190	8,740,000

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SWEET POTATOES

2008 Production

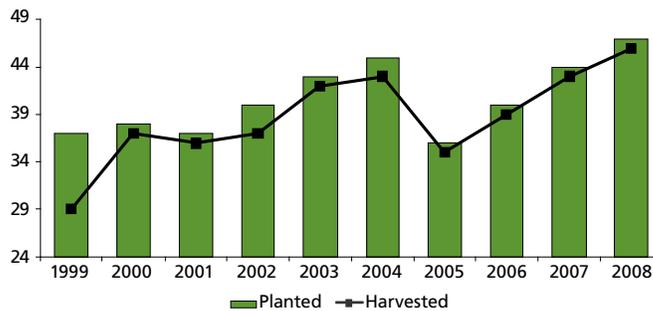
Leading Counties ¹	Hundredweight
Sampson	1,480,000
Nash	1,337,000
Johnston	1,210,000
Wilson	1,130,000
Wayne	700,000
Edgecombe	595,000
Harnett	173,000
Chowan	59,700



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SWEET POTATOES

Planted and Harvested (Thousand Acres)



BURLEY TOBACCO

Acres, Yield and Production ^{1 2}

Counties and Districts	2007			2008		
	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Pounds			Pounds		
	Acres	Pounds		Acres	Pounds	
Alleghany	205	1,810	371,000	175	1,880	329,000
Ashe	110	1,480	163,000	*	*	*
Surry	325	1,585	515,000	285	1,545	440,000
Yadkin	120	1,875	225,000	*	*	*
N. Mountain	830	1,685	1,398,000	660	1,695	1,120,000
Buncombe	180	1,035	186,000	150	965	145,000
Madison	315	1,670	526,000	220	1,590	350,000
Yancey	100	1,340	134,000	*	*	*
W. Mountain	740	1,420	1,051,000	570	1,405	800,000
Caswell	190	1,815	345,000	150	1,800	270,000
Person	135	2,350	317,000	140	2,100	294,000
Rockingham	400	2,095	837,000	310	2,000	620,000
Stokes	200	1,625	325,000	260	1,760	458,000
N. Piedmont	1,360	1,880	2,556,000	1,170	1,865	2,180,000
C. Piedmont	400	1,510	604,000	320	1,640	525,000
S. Piedmont	*	*	*	*	*	*
N. Coastal	*	*	*	*	*	*
C. Coastal	*	*	*	325	1,845	600,000
S. Coastal	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	1,720	1,544	2,656,000	1,610	1,680	2,704,000
State Total	4,000	1,650	6,600,000	3,300	1,700	5,610,000

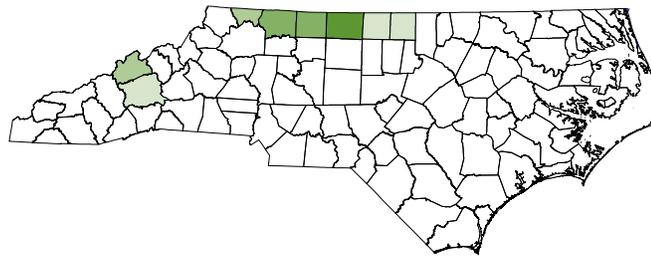
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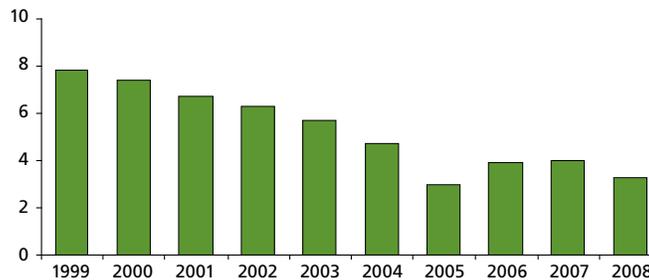
Leading Counties ¹	Pounds
Rockingham	620,000
Stokes	458,000
Surry	440,000
Madison	350,000
Alleghany	329,000
Person	294,000
Caswell	270,000
Buncombe	145,000

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BURLEY TOBACCO

Harvested (Thousand Acres)



FLUE-CURED TOBACCO

Acres, Yield and Production ^{1 2}

Counties and Districts	2007			2008		
	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Pounds</i>		<i>Acres</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	
Surry	3,520	2,010	7,070,000	3,340	2,140	7,143,000
Yadkin	3,050	2,000	6,100,000	2,810	2,420	6,804,000
N. Mountain	7,000	2,055	14,390,000	6,600	2,300	15,169,000
W. Mountain	*	*	*	*	*	*
Alamance	1,490	1,555	2,320,000	1,430	2,110	3,019,000
Caswell	2,520	1,700	4,287,000	2,350	2,460	5,783,000
Durham	220	2,060	453,000	260	2,735	711,000
Forsyth	770	2,015	1,550,000	860	2,085	1,793,000
Franklin	3,650	2,645	9,650,000	3,180	2,630	8,368,000
Granville	3,200	1,565	5,000,000	3,060	2,370	7,258,000
Guilford	1,840	1,825	3,360,000	1,840	2,655	4,882,000
Orange	810	1,915	1,550,000	700	2,755	1,929,000
Person	3,250	2,045	6,650,000	3,310	2,425	8,022,000
Rockingham	3,600	2,210	7,960,000	3,490	2,365	8,250,000
Stokes	1,920	1,970	3,780,000	2,020	2,095	4,234,000
Vance	2,070	2,410	4,990,000	1,790	2,770	4,958,000
Warren	1,060	2,360	2,500,000	1,210	2,660	3,218,000
N. Piedmont	26,400	2,045	54,050,000	25,500	2,450	62,425,000
Alexander	450	1,710	770,000	*	*	*
Davidson	635	1,985	1,260,000	700	2,135	1,494,000
Davie	205	2,510	515,000	240	2,465	592,000
Iredell	*	*	*	300	2,925	877,000
Lee	1,700	2,530	4,300,000	2,260	2,250	5,090,000
Randolph	780	1,845	1,440,000	810	2,150	1,743,000
Wake	2,725	2,090	5,700,000	2,770	2,460	6,814,000
C. Piedmont	6,900	2,155	14,861,000	7,900	2,330	18,398,000
Moore	1,280	2,150	2,750,000	1,210	2,250	2,720,000
Richmond	450	2,065	930,000	*	*	*
S. Piedmont	1,900	2,145	4,080,000	1,500	2,275	3,415,000
Bertie	2,690	2,480	6,667,000	3,490	2,460	8,588,000
Chowan	*	*	*	100	2,030	203,000
Edgecombe	6,220	2,290	14,250,000	7,200	2,325	16,737,000
Halifax	1,810	2,530	4,575,000	2,500	2,740	6,854,000
Hertford	1,480	2,145	3,175,000	1,540	2,405	3,706,000
Martin	4,180	2,705	11,300,000	4,570	2,435	11,138,000
Nash	9,130	2,365	21,610,000	9,670	2,495	24,109,000
N. Coastal	26,000	2,405	62,559,000	29,500	2,455	72,470,000
Beaufort	2,690	2,365	6,360,000	2,410	2,030	4,889,000
Craven	1,570	2,515	3,950,000	1,690	2,115	3,576,000
Greene	6,030	2,440	14,700,000	6,330	2,005	12,702,000
Johnston	11,100	2,305	25,600,000	10,610	2,395	25,404,000
Jones	1,830	2,460	4,500,000	1,610	1,855	2,989,000
Lenoir	7,500	2,305	17,300,000	8,030	1,790	14,366,000
Pamlico	200	2,400	480,000	*	*	*
Pitt	8,210	2,325	19,100,000	8,780	1,895	16,637,000
Wayne	8,890	2,450	21,800,000	9,490	2,120	20,109,000
Wilson	8,560	2,640	22,600,000	9,130	2,520	23,013,000
C. Coastal	56,600	2,410	136,440,000	58,300	2,130	124,168,000

FLUE-CURED TOBACCO

Acres, Yield and Production ^{1 2}

Counties and Districts	2007			2008		
	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres	Pounds		Acres	Pounds	
Bladen	820	2,305	1,890,000	690	2,290	1,579,000
Brunswick	640	2,345	1,500,000	520	2,010	1,046,000
Columbus	5,060	2,125	10,750,000	5,100	1,980	10,097,000
Cumberland	2,680	1,680	4,500,000	2,730	1,885	5,141,000
Duplin	6,290	2,240	14,100,000	6,250	1,925	12,030,000
Harnett	6,020	2,500	15,050,000	7,310	2,500	18,264,000
Hoke	430	1,630	700,000	300	2,230	669,000
Onslow	1,320	2,575	3,400,000	990	1,610	1,594,000
Pender	770	2,595	2,000,000	700	2,290	1,604,000
Robeson	5,190	1,925	10,000,000	4,780	2,260	10,809,000
Sampson	11,750	2,240	26,300,000	12,180	2,100	25,553,000
S. Coastal	41,200	2,195	90,440,000	41,700	2,125	88,705,000
Other Counties	1,745	2,165	3,778,000	2,360	2,391	5,642,000
State Total	166,000	2,270	376,820,000	171,000	2,250	384,750,000

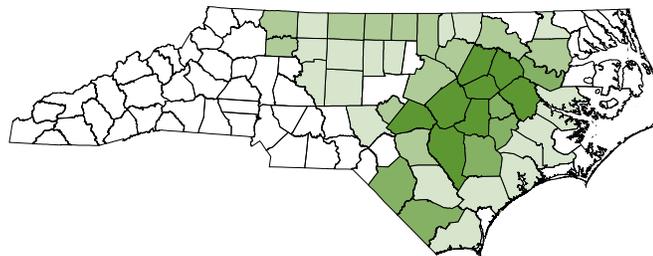
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2008 Production

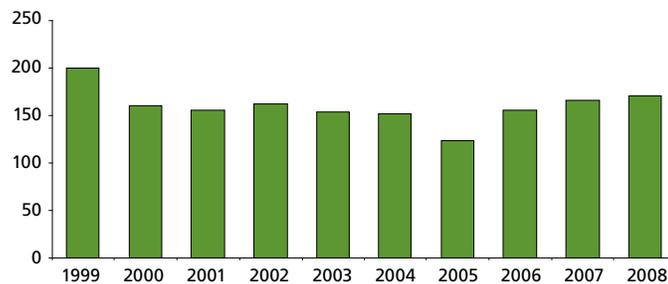
Leading Counties ¹	Pounds
Sampson	25,553,000
Johnston	25,404,000
Nash	24,109,000
Wilson	23,013,000
Wayne	20,109,000
Harnett	18,264,000
Edgecombe	16,737,000
Pitt	16,637,000
Lenoir	14,366,000
Greene	12,702,000

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FLUE-CURED TOBACCO

Harvested (Thousand Acres)



WHEAT

Acres, Yield and Production ^{1 2}

Counties and Districts	2007				2008			
	Planted All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		Bushels		Acres		Bushels	
Caldwell	500	400	35.0	14,000	500	400	44.0	17,500
Surry	2,600	2,000	55.0	110,000	3,000	2,600	61.5	160,000
Yadkin	4,600	3,900	44.0	173,000	6,700	6,100	67.0	409,000
N. Mountain	11,000	9,000	42.0	378,000	13,500	10,000	62.5	627,000
Burke	500	200	27.0	5,400	*	*	*	*
W. Mountain	4,000	1,000	32.0	32,000	3,000	1,000	54.0	54,000
Alamance	3,300	2,300	41.0	94,000	3,500	3,000	56.0	168,000
Caswell	1,900	1,300	42.0	55,000	2,500	2,000	50.0	100,000
Durham	1,000	800	60.0	48,000	*	*	*	*
Forsyth	1,400	900	30.0	27,000	1,200	1,000	51.0	51,000
Franklin	5,800	4,900	43.0	209,000	7,300	6,500	63.0	410,000
Granville	4,100	2,600	33.0	86,000	4,400	2,500	54.5	136,000
Guilford	5,400	4,500	46.0	209,000	6,500	6,000	52.5	315,000
Orange	3,000	1,900	55.0	105,000	3,700	2,900	58.5	170,000
Person	7,500	6,300	36.0	226,000	9,700	9,000	54.5	491,000
Rockingham	5,500	4,500	42.0	190,000	6,100	5,600	55.0	308,000
Stokes	900	700	43.0	30,000	*	*	*	*
Vance	2,200	1,800	46.0	82,000	3,100	2,800	59.5	167,000
Warren	2,000	1,500	46.0	69,000	2,800	2,400	63.5	152,000
N. Piedmont	44,000	34,000	42.0	1,430,000	52,500	45,000	56.5	2,550,000
Alexander	1,200	700	31.0	22,000	1,600	1,000	56.0	56,000
Catawba	3,900	3,000	38.0	114,000	4,300	4,000	65.0	260,000
Chatham	1,800	1,400	46.0	65,000	2,000	1,600	61.5	98,000
Davidson	3,000	2,400	44.0	105,000	3,500	2,900	64.0	186,000
Davie	4,000	3,200	36.0	116,000	4,200	3,500	66.5	233,000
Iredell	8,700	6,500	42.0	273,000	12,000	8,400	65.5	549,000
Lee	1,800	1,300	42.0	55,000	2,000	2,000	65.0	130,000
Randolph	4,200	3,000	46.0	138,000	5,500	4,400	58.0	255,000
Rowan	8,400	6,500	45.0	292,000	10,100	9,200	71.5	656,000
Wake	4,000	3,000	30.0	90,000	4,800	4,000	52.0	208,000
C. Piedmont	41,000	31,000	41.0	1,270,000	50,000	41,000	64.0	2,631,000
Anson	3,800	3,000	35.0	105,000	6,200	5,300	64.5	343,000
Cabarrus	3,300	2,500	28.0	70,000	3,800	3,000	59.5	179,000
Cleveland	3,700	2,900	27.0	78,000	6,500	6,000	66.5	398,000
Gaston	*	*	*	*	1,200	800	56.5	45,000
Lincoln	3,300	2,700	31.0	84,000	3,800	3,400	63.0	215,000
Mecklenburg	1,400	1,000	41.0	41,000	1,000	900	60.0	54,000
Moore	1,100	800	15.0	12,000	1,300	1,100	55.5	61,000
Stanly	8,500	6,800	43.0	290,000	13,000	8,500	63.5	540,000
Union	40,000	32,000	38.0	1,216,000	42,800	42,000	69.5	2,909,000
S. Piedmont	67,000	53,000	36.0	1,920,000	82,500	73,500	66.0	4,850,000
Bertie	4,200	3,700	44.0	162,000	9,000	6,500	59.5	388,000
Camden	10,800	9,800	54.0	530,000	14,000	12,000	70.5	843,000
Chowan	4,200	3,100	58.0	180,000	8,000	7,200	70.5	509,000
Currituck	6,600	5,200	65.0	339,000	8,500	8,300	69.5	578,000
Edgecombe	12,000	9,900	37.0	363,000	18,500	17,000	53.0	904,000
Gates	4,700	4,300	56.0	242,000	10,500	9,500	74.0	702,000
Halifax	24,000	3,500	33.0	115,000	18,000	9,000	52.0	467,000
Hertford	*	*	*	*	5,800	5,000	63.0	315,000
Martin	7,200	5,600	46.0	257,000	11,500	9,500	55.0	523,000
Nash	8,000	5,600	48.0	270,000	10,500	9,000	57.0	511,000
Northampton	11,000	6,500	50.0	328,000	15,800	12,500	65.0	811,000
Pasquotank	23,000	21,000	46.0	966,000	31,000	29,000	68.5	1,992,000
Perquimans	14,500	13,200	64.0	844,000	23,800	22,000	71.5	1,577,000
Tyrrell	19,200	17,500	62.0	1,085,000	23,500	20,500	62.5	1,286,000
Washington	19,000	17,300	47.0	813,000	26,000	24,000	57.0	1,369,000
N. Coastal	172,000	129,000	51.0	6,640,000	235,000	201,000	63.5	12,775,000

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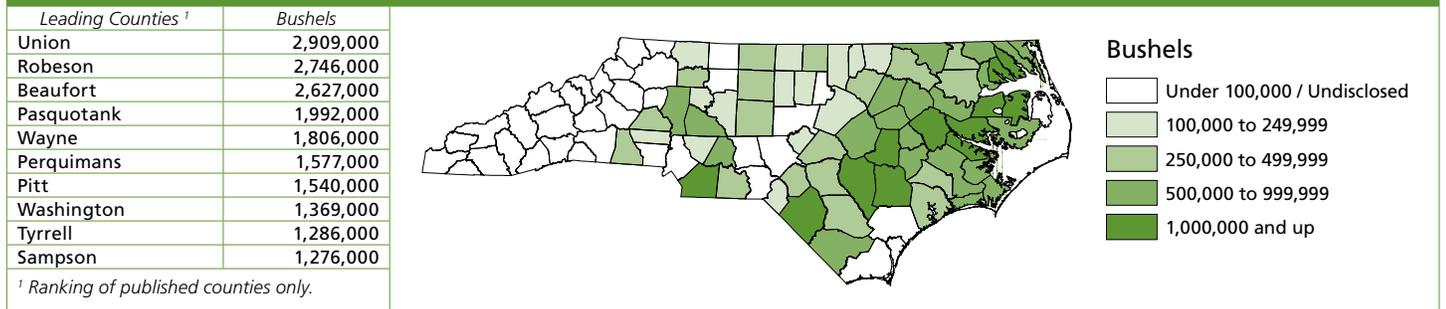
Acres, Yield and Production ^{1 2}

Counties and Districts	2007				2008			
	Planted All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		Bushels		Acres		Bushels	
Beaufort	31,800	26,000	46.0	1,200,000	43,500	42,500	62.0	2,627,000
Carteret	7,000	5,800	46.0	268,000	9,500	7,800	65.5	512,000
Craven	5,800	4,800	46.0	222,000	11,000	9,000	62.5	563,000
Greene	6,900	5,700	47.0	266,000	9,900	8,800	59.5	524,000
Hyde	11,400	9,400	55.0	516,000	16,100	15,500	64.5	997,000
Johnston	10,500	8,800	44.0	388,000	15,500	13,900	61.5	853,000
Jones	4,200	3,400	35.0	120,000	11,500	11,000	45.0	495,000
Lenoir	11,500	9,200	27.0	250,000	15,500	15,000	48.5	730,000
Pamlico	8,500	7,200	48.0	345,000	10,500	9,500	55.5	529,000
Pitt	20,500	17,800	41.0	725,000	29,000	27,000	57.0	1,540,000
Wayne	27,900	23,900	30.0	720,000	32,500	30,000	60.0	1,806,000
Wilson	10,000	5,000	40.0	200,000	13,000	10,000	59.0	588,000
C. Coastal	156,000	127,000	41.0	5,220,000	217,500	200,000	59.0	11,764,000
Bladen	5,000	4,000	23.0	93,000	7,500	6,000	42.5	254,000
Brunswick	1,400	1,300	25.0	33,000	1,400	1,200	49.0	59,000
Columbus	13,200	11,500	25.0	285,000	17,000	14,500	49.0	710,000
Cumberland	5,200	4,800	28.0	135,000	6,500	5,000	58.5	293,000
Duplin	18,000	15,500	24.0	372,000	23,800	22,000	52.5	1,152,000
Harnett	5,400	4,800	33.0	158,000	6,500	5,500	57.0	313,000
Hoke	4,800	4,200	36.0	151,000	7,000	6,000	55.5	334,000
Onslow	4,400	3,800	41.0	156,000	6,500	6,000	42.0	252,000
Pender	4,200	3,500	29.0	100,000	*	*	*	*
Robeson	45,000	38,000	25.0	950,000	53,000	50,000	55.0	2,746,000
Sampson	23,000	21,000	26.0	537,000	25,000	22,000	58.0	1,276,000
Scotland	5,400	3,600	39.0	140,000	5,000	4,100	60.0	245,000
S. Coastal	135,000	116,000	27.0	3,110,000	166,000	148,500	53.5	7,949,000
Other Counties	12300	7600	36.5	277600	18,300	11,900	50.2	597,500
State Total	630,000	500,000	40.0	20,000,000	820,000	720,000	60.0	43,200,000

¹ 2008 Preliminary. ² Counties may not add to district total because undisclosed data are included in other counties. USDA NASS County Estimating Program Policy and Standards require districts and counties with less than 500 acres planted to a crop, or practice of a crop, be included in other counties. Coverage standards also apply to district and county estimates.

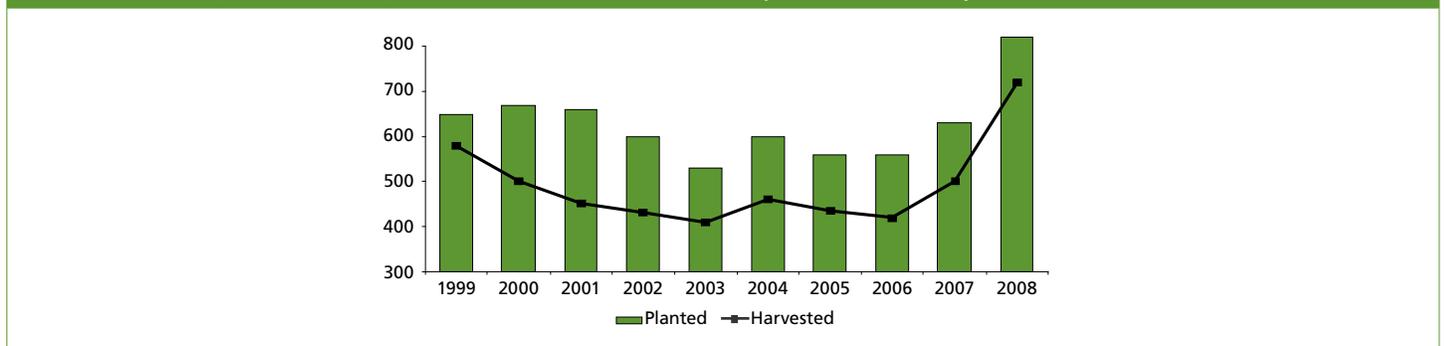
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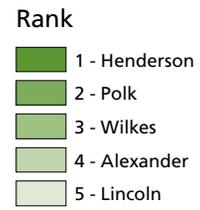
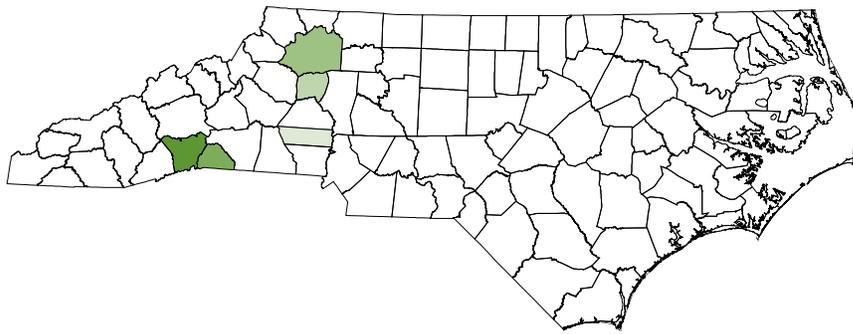


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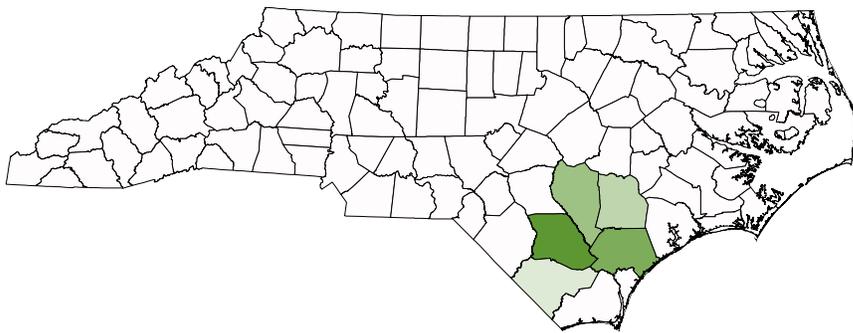
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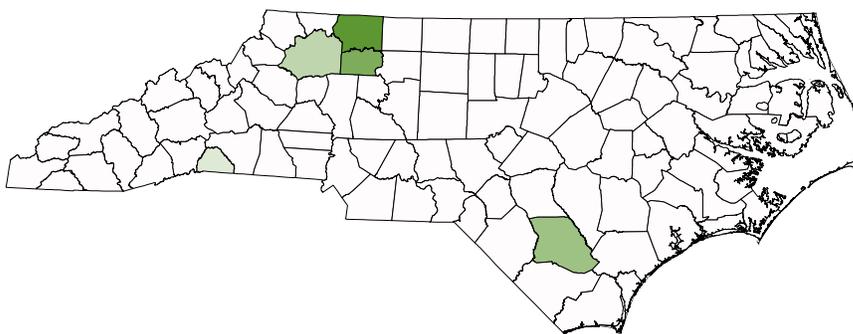
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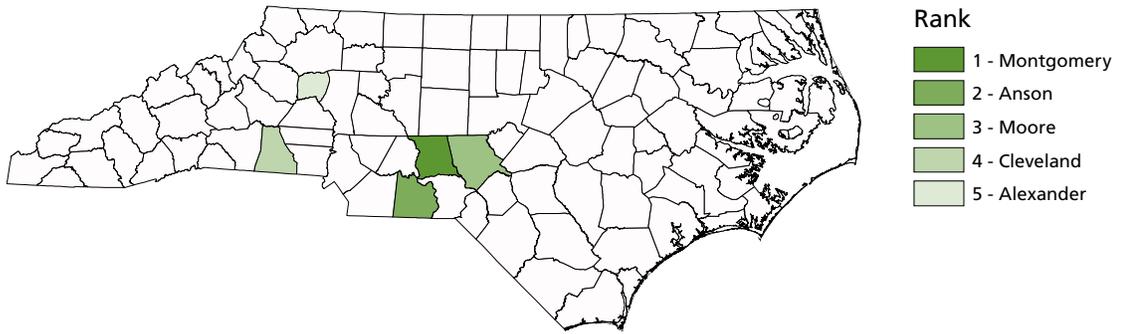


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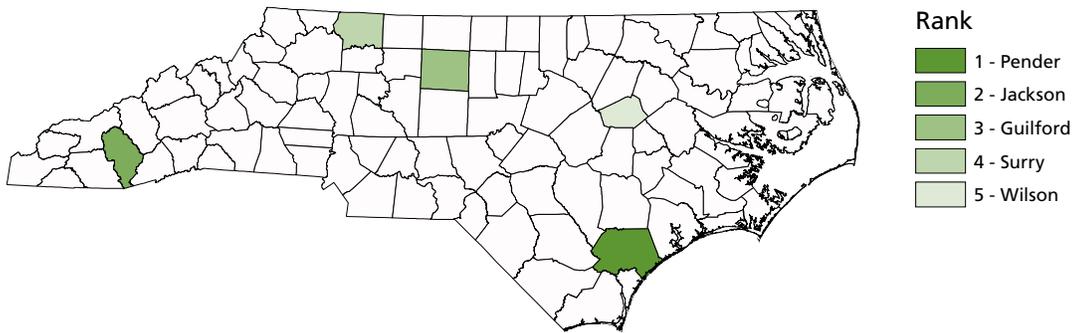
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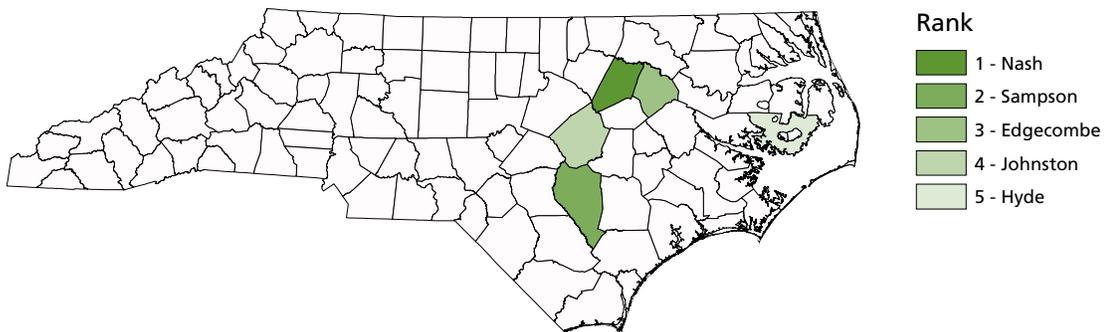
TOP STRAWBERRY COUNTIES

(Harvested Acres)



TOP CUCUMBER COUNTIES

(Harvested Acres - Fresh Market and Processing)

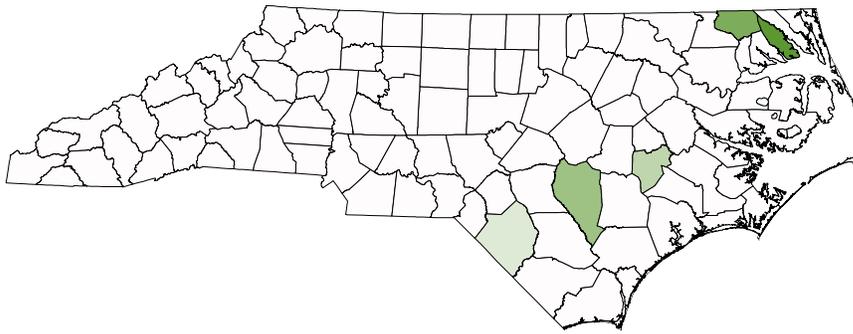


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TOP HEAD CABBAGE COUNTIES

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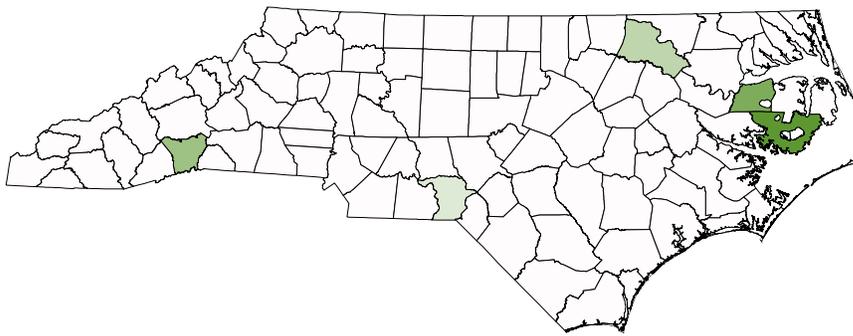


Rank

- 1 - Pasquotank
- 2 - Gates
- 3 - Sampson
- 4 - Lenoir
- 5 - Robeson

TOP SWEET CORN COUNTIES

(Harvested Acres - Fresh Market and Processing)

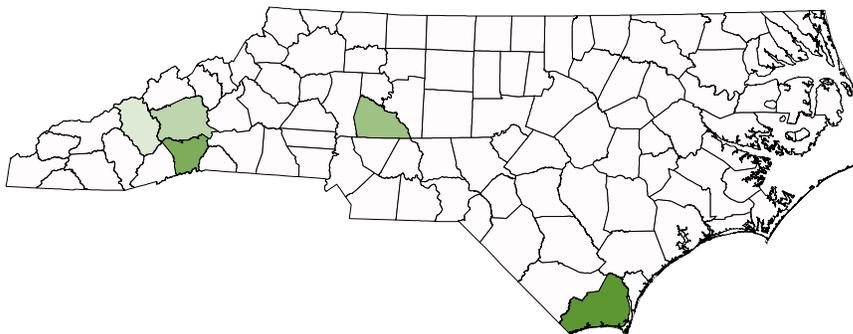


Rank

- 1 - Hyde
- 2 - Washington
- 3 - Henderson
- 4 - Halifax
- 5 - Richmond

TOP TOMATO COUNTIES

(Harvested Acres - Fresh Market and Processing)



Rank

- 1 - Brunswick
- 2 - Henderson
- 3 - Rowan
- 4 - Buncombe
- 5 - Haywood



**STRAWBERRY
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COUNTY SUMMARY

Inventory

Production

Cash Receipts

ALAMANCE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	271,353	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	753	Corn for Grain: Bu.	3,000	82	245,000	52
Total Land in Farms, Acres	87,888	Corn for Silage: Tons	1,100	13.0	14,500	18
Average Farm Size, Acres	117	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	26,770	Hay, All: Tons	17,000	1.75	30,000	17
Average Age of Farmers	57.4	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$538,124	Oats: Bu.	400	82	32,700	24
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$60,524	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$53,285	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	2,900	32.0	93,000	65
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	1,430	2,110	3,019,000	34
		Wheat: Bu.	3,000	56.0	168,000	58
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			921,000	77
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			2,500,000	44
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			18,500	13
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			7,400	15
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,400	10
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			1,000	59
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			24,986,000	43
		Crops			11,444,000	75
		Government Payments			3,136,477	44
		Total			39,566,477	62

ALEXANDER COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	166,122	Barley: Bu.	100	78	7,800	24
Number of Farms	627	Corn for Grain: Bu.	900	106	95,000	63
Total Land in Farms, Acres	54,959	Corn for Silage: Tons	1,300	17.0	22,400	10
Average Farm Size, Acres	88	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	16,444	Hay, All: Tons	9,600	2.40	23,000	26
Average Age of Farmers	56.3	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$479,054	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$58,998	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$137,087	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	1,600	37.0	59,000	70
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	1,000	56.0	56,000	69
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			479,000	85
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			14,500,000	18
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			18,500	13
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			7,200	17
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,700	5
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			1,550,000	4
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			91,237,000	22
		Crops			5,801,000	88
		Government Payments			1,446,540	65
		Total			98,484,540	35

ALLEGHANY COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	150,398	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	519	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	76,656	Corn for Silage: Tons	1,900	21.5	41,200	3
Average Farm Size, Acres	148	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	22,626	Hay, All: Tons	15,600	1.45	22,500	27
Average Age of Farmers	57.7	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$838,316	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$67,003	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$56,819	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	175	1,880	329,000	5
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			14,026,000	16
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			19,200	11
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			7,000	19
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,900	4
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			12,658,000	61
		Crops			19,022,000	53
		Government Payments			504,576	82
		Total			32,184,576	69

ANSON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	340,216	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	487	Corn for Grain: Bu.	7,200	89	644,000	36
Total Land in Farms, Acres	90,770	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	186	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	20,065	Hay, All: Tons	4,600	2.55	11,800	44
Average Age of Farmers	58.9	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$664,850	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$62,579	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$246,859	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	12,300	38.5	474,000	43
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	5,300	64.5	343,000	39
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			2,457,000	53
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			27,000,000	10
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			8,300	38
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			4,500	35
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			46,500	30
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			1,039,000	8
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			127,161,000	11
		Crops			14,164,000	70
		Government Payments			1,556,231	64
		Total			142,881,231	22

ASHE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	272,778	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	1,125	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	108,452	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	96	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	25,480	Hay, All: Tons	9,000	1.80	16,200	38
Average Age of Farmers	57.3	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$555,859	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$44,922	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$31,590	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			34,307,000	4
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			16,000	19
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			7,300	16
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			4,309,000	79
		Crops			35,806,000	33
		Government Payments			830,692	76
		Total			40,945,692	59

AVERY COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	158,108	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	477	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	27,818	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	58	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	10,397	Hay, All: Tons	1,000	1.40	1,400	82
Average Age of Farmers	57.3	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$440,933	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$60,203	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$37,440	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			24,041,000	7
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,200	82
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			600	81
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			421,000	97
		Crops			24,376,000	45
		Government Payments			169,686	93
		Total			24,966,686	77

BEAUFORT COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	529,908	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	369	Corn for Grain: Bu.	43,800	79	3,480,000	3
Total Land in Farms, Acres	160,343	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	435	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	13,900	1,036	30,000	6
Harvested Cropland, Acres	130,240	Hay, All: Tons	1,200	1.10	1,300	83
Average Age of Farmers	57.0	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,115,057	Oats: Bu.	1,700	105	178,000	1
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$146,130	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$209,597	Sorghum: Bu.	500	82	41,000	6
		Soybeans: Bu.	69,200	36.0	2,478,000	2
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	2,410	2,030	4,889,000	28
		Wheat: Bu.	42,500	62.0	2,627,000	3
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			874,000	78
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,000	86
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			600	81
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			59,000	23
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			18,814,000	52
		Crops			73,840,000	11
		Government Payments			13,044,258	14
		Total			105,698,258	29



BERTIE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	447,601	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	279	Corn for Grain: Bu.	16,500	82	1,346,000	15
Total Land in Farms, Acres	147,353	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	528	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	25,300	755	39,800	5
Harvested Cropland, Acres	90,193	Hay, All: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.0	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,349,552	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$206,421	Peanuts: Lbs.	9,700	3,555	34,500,000	2
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$414,058	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	30,000	31.0	930,000	23
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	3,490	2,460	8,588,000	15
		Wheat: Bu.	6,500	59.5	388,000	38
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			*	*
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			31,000,000	9
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			43,000	31
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			114,843,000	14
		Crops			53,871,000	19
		Government Payments			11,608,240	17
		Total			180,322,240	14



BLADEN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank	
Total Acres in County	559,592	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
Number of Farms	500	Corn for Grain: Bu.	22,600	45	1,028,000	21	
Total Land in Farms, Acres	127,171	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*	
Average Farm Size, Acres	254	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	4,090	822	7,000	29	
Harvested Cropland, Acres	59,896	Hay, All: Tons	3,000	2.50	7,500	57	
Average Age of Farmers	57.3	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$838,266	Oats: Bu.	350	70	24,500	33	
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$108,439	Peanuts: Lbs.	6,000	4,265	25,600,000	3	
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$538,282	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
	Soybeans: Bu.	23,600	27.5	649,000	33		
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*		
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*		
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	690	2,290	1,579,000	42		
	Wheat: Bu.	6,000	42.5	254,000	49		
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			5,669,000	36		
			Livestock			Number	Rank
			Broilers Produced (2008)			16,000,000	16
			Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			5,400	52
			Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			2,600	47
			Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
			Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
			Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			820,000	3
			Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
			Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
			Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			260,643,000	5
			Crops			56,065,000	18
			Government Payments			9,626,128	19
			Total			326,334,128	7

BRUNSWICK COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank	
Total Acres in County	542,033	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
Number of Farms	264	Corn for Grain: Bu.	7,100	89	630,000	37	
Total Land in Farms, Acres	44,084	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*	
Average Farm Size, Acres	167	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*	
Harvested Cropland, Acres	24,193	Hay, All: Tons	2,300	2.85	6,500	63	
Average Age of Farmers	55.0	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$714,480	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$95,917	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$143,171	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
	Soybeans: Bu.	7,500	30.0	225,000	56		
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*		
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*		
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	520	2,010	1,046,000	45		
	Wheat: Bu.	1,200	49.0	59,000	68		
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			3,690,000	47		
			Livestock			Number	Rank
			Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
			Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,800	75
			Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,000	69
			Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
			Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
			Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			81,000	21
			Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
			Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
			Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			19,355,000	51
			Crops			18,485,000	55
			Government Payments			2,027,088	59
			Total			39,867,088	61

BUNCOMBE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	419,779	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	1,077	Corn for Grain: Bu.	100	67	6,700	89
Total Land in Farms, Acres	72,087	Corn for Silage: Tons	1,100	13.5	15,100	16
Average Farm Size, Acres	67	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	14,768	Hay, All: Tons	19,500	1.55	30,000	17
Average Age of Farmers	57.8	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$475,105	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$52,613	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$24,676	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	150	965	145,000	13
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			28,119,000	5
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			16,500	18
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			8,000	13
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,100	14
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			9,784,000	66
		Crops			34,215,000	36
		Government Payments			1,268,372	69
		Total			45,267,372	57

BURKE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	324,276	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	481	Corn for Grain: Bu.	900	96	86,300	68
Total Land in Farms, Acres	29,068	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	60	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	10,385	Hay, All: Tons	5,100	1.95	10,000	49
Average Age of Farmers	55.4	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$355,410	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$62,632	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$61,774	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	700	33.0	23,000	78
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			22,176,000	8
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			3,400,000	41
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			3,400	61
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,900	57
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			14,674,000	56
		Crops			23,778,000	46
		Government Payments			146,379	95
		Total			38,598,379	63

CABARRUS COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	231,524	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	611	Corn for Grain: Bu.	2,800	102	285,000	50
Total Land in Farms, Acres	66,780	Corn for Silage: Tons	700	17.0	12,000	22
Average Farm Size, Acres	109	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	27,912	Hay, All: Tons	26,000	2.70	70,500	3
Average Age of Farmers	57.4	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$614,341	Oats: Bu.	1,100	69	75,600	12
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$56,510	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$74,008	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	6,200	36.5	227,000	55	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Wheat: Bu.	3,000	59.5	179,000	56	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			4,021,000	43	
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2008)			4,000,000	35	
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			13,500	23	
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			6,600	22	
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			700	19	
	Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*	
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			4,000	48	
	Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*	
	Cash Receipts - 2008				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			25,874,000	42	
	Crops			10,614,000	76	
	Government Payments			573,631	81	
	Total			37,061,631	64	

CALDWELL COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	301,819	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	459	Corn for Grain: Bu.	600	105	63,000	75
Total Land in Farms, Acres	32,593	Corn for Silage: Tons	300	12.5	3,800	41
Average Farm Size, Acres	71	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	8,477	Hay, All: Tons	7,000	1.70	11,800	44
Average Age of Farmers	56.4	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$360,485	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$48,611	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$35,714	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	800	35.0	28,000	76	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Wheat: Bu.	400	44.0	17,500	77	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			15,141,000	15	
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*	
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			4,800	55	
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			2,500	49	
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*	
	Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*	
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			1,600	57	
	Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*	
	Cash Receipts - 2008				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			7,671,000	72	
	Crops			16,601,000	62	
	Government Payments			712,192	79	
	Total			24,984,192	76	

CAMDEN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	153,958	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	76	Corn for Grain: Bu.	14,600	131	1,913,000	11
Total Land in Farms, Acres	55,181	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	726	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	47,473	Hay, All: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.4	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$2,138,048	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$251,941	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$326,585	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	31,400	36.5	1,147,000	18
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	12,000	70.5	843,000	15
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			*	*
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			359,000	99
		Crops			30,597,000	39
		Government Payments			1,359,887	67
		Total			32,315,887	68

CARTERET COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	323,655	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	159	Corn for Grain: Bu.	22,000	123	2,700,000	5
Total Land in Farms, Acres	55,387	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	348	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	36,336	Hay, All: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	56.0	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,070,514	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$99,640	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$91,414	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	21,500	42.0	905,000	24
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	7,800	65.5	512,000	29
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			1,234,000	68
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			389,000	98
		Crops			28,079,000	41
		Government Payments			1,222,969	71
		Total			29,690,969	73

CASWELL COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	271,679	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	562	Corn for Grain: Bu.	800	71	57,000	76
Total Land in Farms, Acres	102,299	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	182	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	18,676	Hay, All: Tons	16,000	1.70	26,900	24
Average Age of Farmers	57.6	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$568,243	Oats: Bu.	250	76	19,000	42
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$50,942	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$39,252	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	2,200	24.0	53,000	71
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	150	1,800	270,000	8
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	2,350	2,460	5,783,000	24
		Wheat: Bu.	2,000	50.0	100,000	64
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			1,182,000	70
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			9,200	32
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			4,100	39
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			10,029,000	64
		Crops			15,049,000	65
		Government Payments			6,163,164	31
		Total			31,241,164	71

CATAWBA COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	255,179	Barley: Bu.	500	77	38,700	8
Number of Farms	737	Corn for Grain: Bu.	2,100	123	259,000	51
Total Land in Farms, Acres	71,906	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	98	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	28,798	Hay, All: Tons	18,400	1.95	35,600	13
Average Age of Farmers	58.2	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$517,123	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$51,627	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$40,599	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	6,300	39.0	246,000	54
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	4,000	65.0	260,000	47
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			10,594,000	21
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			4,500,000	33
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			13,700	22
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			6,900	20
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			600	21
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			23,470,000	45
		Crops			18,035,000	57
		Government Payments			597,258	80
		Total			42,102,258	58

CHATHAM COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	436,696	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	1,089	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,900	96	183,000	57
Total Land in Farms, Acres	104,171	Corn for Silage: Tons	1,100	15.0	16,700	12
Average Farm Size, Acres	96	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	22,335	Hay, All: Tons	21,600	2.05	44,000	8
Average Age of Farmers	57.3	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$535,597	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$49,890	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$127,701	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	2,500	26.5	66,000	69	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Wheat: Bu.	1,600	61.5	98,000	65	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			3,812,000	44	
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2008)			25,000,000	11	
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			37,000	3	
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			16,500	1	
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,000	15	
	Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			620,000	11	
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			10,300	42	
	Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*	
	Cash Receipts - 2008				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			115,444,000	13	
	Crops			9,749,000	77	
	Government Payments			1,239,219	70	
	Total			126,432,219	25	

CHEROKEE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	291,367	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	288	Corn for Grain: Bu.	700	130	91,000	67
Total Land in Farms, Acres	20,423	Corn for Silage: Tons	300	24.0	7,200	26
Average Farm Size, Acres	71	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	4,663	Hay, All: Tons	4,000	2.25	9,000	53
Average Age of Farmers	55.8	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$478,486	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$59,654	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$58,467	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			1,168,000	71	
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*	
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			4,600	56	
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			2,200	54	
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*	
	Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			880,000	8	
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*	
	Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*	
	Cash Receipts - 2008				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			20,410,000	50	
	Crops			2,493,000	95	
	Government Payments			499,681	83	
	Total			23,402,681	81	

CHOWAN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	110,460	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	190	Corn for Grain: Bu.	5,500	95	522,000	40
Total Land in Farms, Acres	74,689	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	393	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	10,900	705	16,000	18
Harvested Cropland, Acres	51,581	Hay, All: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	56.9	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$967,227	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$191,638	Peanuts: Lbs.	5,000	4,000	20,000,000	6
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$185,843	Sorghum: Bu.	1,000	54	54,000	3
	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	300	200	59,700	17	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	100	2,030	203,000	58	
	Wheat: Bu.	7,200	70.5	509,000	31	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			7,840,000	28	
			Livestock		Number	Rank
			Broilers Produced (2008)		*	*
			Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)		1,300	81
			Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		600	81
			Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		*	*
			Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)		*	*
			Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)		8,000	45
			Turkeys Raised (2008)		*	*
			Cash Receipts - 2008		Dollars	Rank
			Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		9,048,000	70
			Crops		37,349,000	31
			Government Payments		5,090,013	38
			Total		51,487,013	54

CLAY COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	137,425	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	137	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	9,660	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	71	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	2,597	Hay, All: Tons	2,700	2.65	7,100	59
Average Age of Farmers	59.6	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$502,820	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$42,278	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$9,466	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			*	*	
			Livestock		Number	Rank
			Broilers Produced (2008)		*	*
			Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)		*	*
			Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		*	*
			Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		*	*
			Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)		2,700	2.65
			Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)		*	*
			Turkeys Raised (2008)		*	*
			Cash Receipts - 2008		Dollars	Rank
			Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		855,000	91
			Crops		507,000	99
			Government Payments		207,632	91
			Total		1,569,632	99

CLEVELAND COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	297,120	Barley: Bu.	500	84	42,000	7
Number of Farms	1,188	Corn for Grain: Bu.	700	71	50,000	77
Total Land in Farms, Acres	115,637	Corn for Silage: Tons	1,300	10.0	13,300	21
Average Farm Size, Acres	97	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	1,600	900	3,000	37
Harvested Cropland, Acres	35,365	Hay, All: Tons	19,000	1.50	28,200	21
Average Age of Farmers	58.9	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$390,048	Oats: Bu.	800	100	80,000	8
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$43,728	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$39,476	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	11,600	32.0	370,000	47	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Wheat: Bu.	6,000	66.5	398,000	37	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			5,890,000	32	
			Livestock		Number	Rank
			Broilers Produced (2008)		11,500,000	20
			Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)		19,500	10
			Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		10,500	9
			Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		900	18
			Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)		*	*
			Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)		4,000	48
			Turkeys Raised (2008)		*	*
			Cash Receipts - 2008		Dollars	Rank
			Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		55,994,000	32
			Crops		16,932,000	61
			Government Payments		2,378,209	53
			Total		75,304,209	42

COLUMBUS COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	599,880	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	777	Corn for Grain: Bu.	34,700	71	2,450,000	7
Total Land in Farms, Acres	152,387	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	196	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	4,870	789	8,000	28
Harvested Cropland, Acres	97,716	Hay, All: Tons	4,900	2.25	11,000	46
Average Age of Farmers	56.8	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$646,186	Oats: Bu.	650	63	41,000	21
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$95,387	Peanuts: Lbs.	3,200	3,905	12,500,000	12
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$153,147	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	52,100	28.0	1,448,000	12	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	5,100	1,980	10,097,000	14	
	Wheat: Bu.	14,500	49.0	710,000	18	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			3,716,000	45	
			Livestock		Number	Rank
			Broilers Produced (2008)		5,300,000	30
			Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)		8,700	37
			Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		4,900	29
			Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		*	*
			Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)		*	*
			Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)		260,000	9
			Turkeys Raised (2008)		*	*
			Cash Receipts - 2008		Dollars	Rank
			Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		80,367,000	26
			Crops		64,583,000	14
			Government Payments		19,865,194	6
			Total		164,815,194	15

CRAVEN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	453,695	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	286	Corn for Grain: Bu.	20,000	60	1,200,000	18
Total Land in Farms, Acres	70,886	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	248	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	3,000	800	5,000	31
Harvested Cropland, Acres	46,315	Hay, All: Tons	1,300	3.45	4,500	71
Average Age of Farmers	58.2	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$762,422	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$102,097	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$155,495	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	27,000	36.0	973,000	21
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	1,690	2,115	3,576,000	32
		Wheat: Bu.	9,000	62.5	563,000	23
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			4,323,000	41
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			2,000	71
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			700	79
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			83,200	19
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			21,024,000	48
		Crops			30,650,000	38
		Government Payments			8,843,731	23
		Total			60,517,731	49

CUMBERLAND COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	417,211	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	500	Corn for Grain: Bu.	12,300	84	1,030,000	20
Total Land in Farms, Acres	88,353	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	177	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	4,680	903	8,800	26
Harvested Cropland, Acres	37,026	Hay, All: Tons	2,700	2.65	7,200	58
Average Age of Farmers	56.7	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$531,536	Oats: Bu.	450	109	49,000	17
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$69,974	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$162,877	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	18,900	35.5	670,000	31
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	2,730	1,885	5,141,000	25
		Wheat: Bu.	5,000	58.5	293,000	46
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			2,278,000	57
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			3,000,000	42
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			4,100	58
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			2,100	55
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			110,000	16
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			743,000	12
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			51,600,000	33
		Crops			35,014,000	35
		Government Payments			6,034,918	32
		Total			92,648,918	38

CURRITUCK COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	167,608	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	80	Corn for Grain: Bu.	8,800	138	1,215,000	17
Total Land in Farms, Acres	27,576	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	345	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	23,350	Hay, All: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	54.8	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,146,012	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$126,564	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$119,227	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	17,000	36.5	623,000	35	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Wheat: Bu.	8,300	69.5	578,000	22	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			1,541,000	66	
			Livestock		Number	Rank
			Broilers Produced (2008)		*	*
			Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)		*	*
			Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		*	*
			Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		*	*
			Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)		*	*
			Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)		*	*
			Turkeys Raised (2008)		*	*
			Cash Receipts - 2008		Dollars	Rank
			Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		2,444,000	84
			Crops		17,856,000	58
			Government Payments		1,082,205	73
			Total		21,382,205	82

DARE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	245,424	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	7	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	4,921	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	703	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	*	Hay, All: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.7	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,584,429	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$132,369	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$199,905	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			684,000	79	
			Livestock		Number	Rank
			Broilers Produced (2008)		*	*
			Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)		*	*
			Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		*	*
			Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		*	*
			Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)		*	*
			Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)		*	*
			Turkeys Raised (2008)		*	*
			Cash Receipts - 2008		Dollars	Rank
			Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		68,000	100
			Crops		1,251,000	97
			Government Payments		190,149	92
			Total		1,509,149	100

DAVIDSON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	353,417	Barley: Bu.	600	73	44,000	5
Number of Farms	1,074	Corn for Grain: Bu.	4,900	76	371,000	46
Total Land in Farms, Acres	91,475	Corn for Silage: Tons	1,200	11.5	14,000	20
Average Farm Size, Acres	85	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	34,854	Hay, All: Tons	21,300	1.70	36,500	11
Average Age of Farmers	58.7	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$484,438	Oats: Bu.	750	77	57,700	15
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$49,149	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$30,291	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	8,100	32.0	261,000	52
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	700	2,135	1,494,000	43
		Wheat: Bu.	2,900	64.0	186,000	55
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			2,423,000	55
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			5,000,000	31
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			15,000	20
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			7,200	17
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,200	12
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			31,361,000	39
		Crops			13,779,000	71
		Government Payments			2,477,077	52
		Total			47,617,077	55

DAVIE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	168,993	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	627	Corn for Grain: Bu.	4,200	80	335,000	49
Total Land in Farms, Acres	69,872	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	111	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	24,681	Hay, All: Tons	25,000	1.80	45,000	7
Average Age of Farmers	58.2	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$583,812	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$50,271	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$28,177	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	6,600	32.0	211,000	58
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	240	2,465	592,000	52
		Wheat: Bu.	3,500	66.5	233,000	52
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			1,078,000	73
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			14,000	21
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			6,700	21
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			500	23
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			14,274,000	58
		Crops			8,873,000	79
		Government Payments			1,059,051	74
		Total			24,206,051	79

DUPLIN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	521,886	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	1,159	Corn for Grain: Bu.	49,700	52	2,600,000	6
Total Land in Farms, Acres	248,026	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	214	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	3,600	800	6,000	30
Harvested Cropland, Acres	143,030	Hay, All: Tons	36,500	2.80	101,500	1
Average Age of Farmers	56.1	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$873,575	Oats: Bu.	750	70	52,500	16
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$120,938	Peanuts: Lbs.	3,100	3,905	12,100,000	13
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$774,755	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	52,800	32.0	1,702,000	8	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	6,250	1,925	12,030,000	11	
	Wheat: Bu.	22,000	52.5	1,152,000	11	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			2,448,000	54	
			Livestock		Number	Rank
			Broilers Produced (2008)		54,000,000	3
			Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)		26,500	6
			Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		15,000	2
			Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		*	*
			Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)		800,000	9
			Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)		2,125,000	1
			Turkeys Raised (2008)		10,631,000	1
			Cash Receipts - 2008		Dollars	Rank
			Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		875,722,000	1
			Crops		74,994,000	10
			Government Payments		17,423,695	8
			Total		968,139,695	1

DURHAM COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	183,022	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	242	Corn for Grain: Bu.	500	87	43,500	78
Total Land in Farms, Acres	26,150	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	108	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	4,714	Hay, All: Tons	2,900	1.55	4,500	71
Average Age of Farmers	56.5	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$552,803	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$42,823	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$40,037	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	260	2,735	711,000	49	
	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			5,550,000	37	
			Livestock		Number	Rank
			Broilers Produced (2008)		*	*
			Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)		2,900	63
			Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		800	74
			Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		*	*
			Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)		*	*
			Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)		*	*
			Turkeys Raised (2008)		*	*
			Cash Receipts - 2008		Dollars	Rank
			Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		2,159,000	86
			Crops		7,926,000	81
			Government Payments		1,745,251	62
			Total		11,830,251	89

EDGECOMBE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	323,276	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	300	Corn for Grain: Bu.	12,700	63	802,000	27
Total Land in Farms, Acres	139,846	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	466	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	27,000	782	44,000	4
Harvested Cropland, Acres	94,988	Hay, All: Tons	2,700	2.20	5,900	67
Average Age of Farmers	58.0	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,162,841	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$172,090	Peanuts: Lbs.	7,500	3,360	25,200,000	4
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$361,095	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	43,800	28.0	1,219,000	15	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	4,500	130	595,000	6	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	7,200	2,325	16,737,000	7	
	Wheat: Bu.	17,000	53.0	904,000	13	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			13,157,000	18	
			Livestock		Number	Rank
			Broilers Produced (2008)		6,200,000	27
			Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)		3,400	61
			Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		2,000	56
			Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		*	*
			Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)		*	*
			Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)		93,000	18
			Turkeys Raised (2008)		*	*
			Cash Receipts - 2008		Dollars	Rank
			Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		46,902,000	34
			Crops		93,175,000	7
			Government Payments		21,099,871	5
			Total		161,176,871	16

FORSYTH COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	261,220	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	680	Corn for Grain: Bu.	800	82	65,500	73
Total Land in Farms, Acres	43,593	Corn for Silage: Tons	200	15.5	3,100	48
Average Farm Size, Acres	64	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	18,403	Hay, All: Tons	7,200	1.50	10,700	47
Average Age of Farmers	59.4	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$431,497	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$44,708	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$24,203	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	3,300	30.5	101,000	64	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	860	2,085	1,793,000	38	
	Wheat: Bu.	1,000	51.0	51,000	71	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			7,871,000	27	
			Livestock		Number	Rank
			Broilers Produced (2008)		*	*
			Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)		6,200	47
			Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		2,300	50
			Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		*	*
			Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)		*	*
			Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)		*	*
			Turkeys Raised (2008)		*	*
			Cash Receipts - 2008		Dollars	Rank
			Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		6,240,000	74
			Crops		14,593,000	66
			Government Payments		2,775,580	50
			Total		23,608,580	80

FRANKLIN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	314,701	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	593	Corn for Grain: Bu.	2,600	68	177,000	59
Total Land in Farms, Acres	112,871	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	190	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	34,711	Hay, All: Tons	11,400	1.70	19,600	32
Average Age of Farmers	57.3	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$710,899	Oats: Bu.	400	55	21,900	37
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$87,830	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$77,851	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	16,900	29.0	491,000	42
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	3,180	2,630	8,368,000	16
		Wheat: Bu.	6,500	63.0	410,000	35
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			11,587,000	20
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			8,200	41
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			4,400	37
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			10,500	41
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			13,410,000	60
		Crops			35,769,000	34
		Government Payments			8,987,719	22
		Total			58,166,719	50

GASTON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	227,856	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	516	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	37,561	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	73	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	11,218	Hay, All: Tons	10,700	1.55	16,600	35
Average Age of Farmers	57.8	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$405,779	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$49,354	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$21,167	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	2,000	39.5	79,000	67
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	800	56.5	45,000	72
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			1,931,000	61
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			8,300	38
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			3,000	46
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			700	19
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			11,850,000	62
		Crops			4,379,000	90
		Government Payments			210,921	90
		Total			16,439,921	85

GATES COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	217,884	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	181	Corn for Grain: Bu.	5,100	91	465,000	42
Total Land in Farms, Acres	75,819	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	419	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	10,900	727	16,500	17
Harvested Cropland, Acres	48,731	Hay, All: Tons	800	1.65	1,300	83
Average Age of Farmers	57.5	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,059,067	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$137,509	Peanuts: Lbs.	3,600	4,305	15,500,000	10
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$212,805	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	20,400	35.0	711,000	29
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	9,500	74.0	702,000	19
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			*	*
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			7,000,000	26
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			900	88
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			26,000	33
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			29,864,000	40
		Crops			27,742,000	42
		Government Payments			4,997,040	39
		Total			62,603,040	47

GRAHAM COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	186,915	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	126	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	7,182	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	57	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	*	Hay, All: Tons	800	2.00	1,600	80
Average Age of Farmers	55.0	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$250,526	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$50,517	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$12,468	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			165,000	91
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,200	82
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			1,347,000	88
		Crops			271,000	100
		Government Payments			151,924	94
		Total			1,769,924	98

GRANVILLE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	339,838	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	673	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,900	49	93,000	65
Total Land in Farms, Acres	128,366	Corn for Silage: Tons	1,400	10.0	14,300	19
Average Farm Size, Acres	191	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	18,840	Hay, All: Tons	11,000	1.50	16,400	36
Average Age of Farmers	58.7	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$637,331	Oats: Bu.	350	57	20,000	40
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$48,355	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$31,921	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	3,500	21.5	76,000	68	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	3,060	2,370	7,258,000	19	
	Wheat: Bu.	2,500	54.5	136,000	62	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			206,000	89	
			Livestock		Number	Rank
			Broilers Produced (2008)		*	*
			Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)		8,800	35
			Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		4,700	31
			Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		500	23
			Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)		*	*
			Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)		1,300	58
			Turkeys Raised (2008)		*	*
			Cash Receipts - 2008		Dollars	Rank
			Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		5,339,000	76
			Crops		17,856,000	58
			Government Payments		9,443,134	20
			Total		32,638,134	67

GREENE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	170,201	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	292	Corn for Grain: Bu.	12,500	43	533,000	39
Total Land in Farms, Acres	92,176	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	316	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	10,300	699	15,000	20
Harvested Cropland, Acres	64,760	Hay, All: Tons	2,500	2.50	6,200	65
Average Age of Farmers	57.8	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,081,617	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$134,917	Peanuts: Lbs.	1,600	3,815	6,100,000	20
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$575,224	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	30,700	28.0	867,000	26	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	6,330	2,005	12,702,000	10	
	Wheat: Bu.	8,800	59.5	524,000	27	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			105,000	94	
			Livestock		Number	Rank
			Broilers Produced (2008)		2,300,000	45
			Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)		2,500	67
			Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		1,200	65
			Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		*	*
			Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)		*	*
			Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)		310,000	6
			Turkeys Raised (2008)		1,068,000	7
			Cash Receipts - 2008		Dollars	Rank
			Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		99,680,000	17
			Crops		48,063,000	25
			Government Payments		12,373,887	16
			Total		160,116,887	17

GUILFORD COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	413,565	Barley: Bu.	1,200	52	62,000	4
Number of Farms	963	Corn for Grain: Bu.	2,500	82	206,000	54
Total Land in Farms, Acres	96,519	Corn for Silage: Tons	2,700	12.0	33,000	6
Average Farm Size, Acres	100	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	34,986	Hay, All: Tons	19,600	1.65	32,000	15
Average Age of Farmers	59.6	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$525,659	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$57,354	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$48,048	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	8,800	30.5	267,000	51
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	1,840	2,655	4,882,000	29
		Wheat: Bu.	6,000	52.5	315,000	41
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			19,456,000	9
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			17,000	17
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			5,500	25
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,500	7
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			7,500	46
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			22,835,000	47
		Crops			37,505,000	30
		Government Payments			5,929,618	33
		Total			66,269,618	46

HALIFAX COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	463,414	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	365	Corn for Grain: Bu.	9,200	73	674,000	34
Total Land in Farms, Acres	197,642	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	541	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	44,900	855	80,000	1
Harvested Cropland, Acres	109,806	Hay, All: Tons	4,000	1.75	7,000	61
Average Age of Farmers	60.0	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,288,434	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$141,233	Peanuts: Lbs.	7,400	3,310	24,500,000	5
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$229,543	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	33,100	32.5	1,082,000	19
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	2,500	2,740	6,854,000	21
		Wheat: Bu.	9,000	52.0	467,000	34
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			1,037,000	74
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			3,700,000	38
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			5,800	49
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,800	59
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			80,000	22
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			35,631,000	38
		Crops			57,019,000	17
		Government Payments			11,590,155	18
		Total			104,240,155	31

HARNETT COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	380,757	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	727	Corn for Grain: Bu.	4,700	105	495,000	41
Total Land in Farms, Acres	111,770	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	154	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	11,000	873	20,000	13
Harvested Cropland, Acres	64,632	Hay, All: Tons	6,300	2.15	13,500	42
Average Age of Farmers	57.1	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$815,320	Oats: Bu.	500	82	40,800	22
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$83,238	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$195,947	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	26,300	33.5	875,000	25	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	1,000	175	173,000	13	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	7,310	2,500	18,264,000	6	
	Wheat: Bu.	5,500	57.0	313,000	44	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			4,573,000	39	
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2008)			32,000,000	8	
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			8,800	35	
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			4,600	33	
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*	
	Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*	
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			50,000	26	
	Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*	
	Cash Receipts - 2008				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			128,641,000	10	
	Crops			59,792,000	16	
	Government Payments			12,780,894	15	
	Total			201,213,894	11	

HAYWOOD COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	354,344	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	707	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	56,212	Corn for Silage: Tons	1,500	16.5	25,100	9
Average Farm Size, Acres	80	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	9,802	Hay, All: Tons	13,000	1.70	21,800	29
Average Age of Farmers	57.6	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$497,582	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$49,005	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$22,290	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			2,647,000	52	
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*	
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			19,200	11	
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			7,600	14	
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,400	10	
	Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*	
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*	
	Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*	
	Cash Receipts - 2008				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			11,342,000	63	
	Crops			6,321,000	87	
	Government Payments			1,187,929	72	
	Total			18,850,929	84	

HENDERSON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	238,691	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	557	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,400	129	181,000	58
Total Land in Farms, Acres	37,947	Corn for Silage: Tons	1,700	17.5	30,000	7
Average Farm Size, Acres	68	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	16,546	Hay, All: Tons	5,400	1.70	9,200	51
Average Age of Farmers	57.2	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$702,488	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$63,616	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$96,542	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			45,934,000	2
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			5,700	50
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			2,300	50
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,500	7
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			8,494,000	71
		Crops			72,704,000	12
		Government Payments			3,209,172	43
		Total			84,407,172	40

HERTFORD COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	226,028	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	163	Corn for Grain: Bu.	10,200	95	971,000	22
Total Land in Farms, Acres	78,634	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	482	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	10,000	888	18,500	15
Harvested Cropland, Acres	49,727	Hay, All: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.1	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$990,341	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$172,955	Peanuts: Lbs.	5,000	3,560	17,800,000	9
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$399,877	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	17,200	29.5	509,000	38
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	1,540	2,405	3,706,000	31
		Wheat: Bu.	5,000	63.0	315,000	41
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			5,700,000	35
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			10,000,000	22
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			500	93
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			55,000	25
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			46,433,000	36
		Crops			33,494,000	37
		Government Payments			7,222,820	28
		Total			87,149,820	39

HOKE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	250,076	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	249	Corn for Grain: Bu.	6,000	103	620,000	38
Total Land in Farms, Acres	60,219	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	242	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	8,000	1,014	16,900	16
Harvested Cropland, Acres	29,863	Hay, All: Tons	4,000	3.00	12,000	43
Average Age of Farmers	56.2	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$818,889	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$98,188	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$234,555	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	13,900	39.0	541,000	36
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	300	2,230	669,000	51
		Wheat: Bu.	6,000	55.5	334,000	40
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			402,000	86
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			4,500,000	33
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			82,000	20
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			37,375,000	37
		Crops			16,270,000	64
		Government Payments			2,879,158	47
		Total			56,524,158	51

HYDE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	392,146	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	176	Corn for Grain: Bu.	26,900	134	3,600,000	2
Total Land in Farms, Acres	82,680	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	470	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	12,300	1,112	28,500	8
Harvested Cropland, Acres	59,016	Hay, All: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.4	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,105,505	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$171,764	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$314,565	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	30,200	39.0	1,185,000	16
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	15,500	64.5	997,000	12
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			121,000	93
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			600	91
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			46,508,000	35
		Crops			52,311,000	22
		Government Payments			3,716,002	41
		Total			102,535,002	33

IREDELL COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	367,488	Barley: Bu.	500	62	31,000	10
Number of Farms	1,201	Corn for Grain: Bu.	7,700	109	840,000	25
Total Land in Farms, Acres	138,416	Corn for Silage: Tons	8,900	15.0	135,700	1
Average Farm Size, Acres	115	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	58,052	Hay, All: Tons	27,000	2.10	57,000	4
Average Age of Farmers	57.7	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$663,938	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$65,806	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$84,714	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	14,300	35.0	500,000	39	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	300	2,925	877,000	47	
	Wheat: Bu.	8,400	65.5	549,000	24	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			4,456,000	40	
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*	
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			42,500	1	
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			13,200	5	
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			11,700	1	
	Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			1,250,000	5	
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*	
	Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*	
	Cash Receipts - 2008				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			94,783,000	20	
	Crops			21,590,000	51	
	Government Payments			2,085,047	58	
	Total			118,458,047	26	

JACKSON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	314,055	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	229	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	13,338	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	58	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	4,440	Hay, All: Tons	1,300	1.25	1,600	80
Average Age of Farmers	57.0	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$420,926	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$69,679	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$32,142	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			8,150,000	26	
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*	
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,700	76	
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			800	74	
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*	
	Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*	
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*	
	Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*	
	Cash Receipts - 2008				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			946,000	90	
	Crops			12,695,000	72	
	Government Payments			101,590	97	
	Total			13,742,590	87	

JOHNSTON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	506,377	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	1,245	Corn for Grain: Bu.	10,200	75	761,000	30
Total Land in Farms, Acres	194,090	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	156	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	5,300	761	8,400	27
Harvested Cropland, Acres	110,772	Hay, All: Tons	12,000	2.55	30,500	16
Average Age of Farmers	57.2	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$672,607	Oats: Bu.	1,100	85	93,000	6
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$77,828	Peanuts: Lbs.	1,100	3,725	4,100,000	22
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$140,067	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	57,900	31.5	1,825,000	7
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	6,900	175	1,210,000	3
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	10,610	2,395	25,404,000	2
		Wheat: Bu.	13,900	61.5	853,000	14
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			17,317,000	13
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			11,000,000	21
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			12,000	24
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			5,600	24
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			170,000	13
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			798,000	11
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			95,769,000	19
		Crops			123,920,000	3
		Government Payments			21,944,277	4
		Total			241,633,277	8

JONES COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	301,576	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	159	Corn for Grain: Bu.	17,000	25	433,000	44
Total Land in Farms, Acres	69,078	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	434	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	7,700	873	14,000	21
Harvested Cropland, Acres	46,309	Hay, All: Tons	1,900	2.60	4,900	70
Average Age of Farmers	56.1	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,213,070	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$164,045	Peanuts: Lbs.	900	4,000	3,600,000	23
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$530,562	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	19,500	35.0	683,000	30
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	1,610	1,855	2,989,000	35
		Wheat: Bu.	11,000	45.0	495,000	32
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			131,000	92
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			3,600,000	40
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			2,000	71
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			900	72
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			250,000	10
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			74,060,000	28
		Crops			21,012,000	52
		Government Payments			9,224,456	21
		Total			104,296,456	30

LEE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	163,168	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	272	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,300	72	93,000	65
Total Land in Farms, Acres	36,210	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	133	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	14,544	Hay, All: Tons	2,000	1.95	3,900	74
Average Age of Farmers	56.2	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$615,587	Oats: Bu.	300	91	27,400	31
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$74,273	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$96,541	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	5,500	30.0	166,000	60
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	2,260	2,250	5,090,000	26
		Wheat: Bu.	2,000	65.0	130,000	63
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			1,593,000	64
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			6,000,000	28
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			3,500	60
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,600	61
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			3,500	52
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			23,291,000	46
		Crops			14,515,000	67
		Government Payments			3,131,593	45
		Total			40,937,593	60

LENOIR COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	255,858	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	480	Corn for Grain: Bu.	22,200	35	770,000	29
Total Land in Farms, Acres	137,550	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	287	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	17,700	765	28,200	9
Harvested Cropland, Acres	104,573	Hay, All: Tons	2,300	3.10	7,100	59
Average Age of Farmers	56.9	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$969,173	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$140,949	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$425,764	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	35,600	29.5	1,052,000	20
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	8,030	1,790	14,366,000	9
		Wheat: Bu.	15,000	48.5	730,000	17
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			9,734,000	23
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			4,000,000	35
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			4,100	58
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,800	59
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			305,000	7
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			1,566,000	6
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			113,842,000	15
		Crops			63,732,000	15
		Government Payments			15,949,890	11
		Total			193,523,890	12

LINCOLN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	190,683	Barley: Bu.	600	73	44,000	5
Number of Farms	638	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,000	98	98,000	62
Total Land in Farms, Acres	59,360	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	93	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	25,545	Hay, All: Tons	12,000	1.70	20,200	31
Average Age of Farmers	57.2	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$429,913	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$44,800	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$30,135	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	5,200	33.5	175,000	59
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	3,400	63.0	215,000	53
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			495,000	84
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			4,000,000	35
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			12,000	24
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			4,600	33
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,500	7
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			23,798,000	44
		Crops			7,150,000	83
		Government Payments			762,443	77
		Total			31,710,443	70

MCDOWELL COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	282,219	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	383	Corn for Grain: Bu.	400	68	27,000	84
Total Land in Farms, Acres	22,968	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	60	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	4,553	Hay, All: Tons	2,000	1.50	3,000	75
Average Age of Farmers	56.4	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$355,761	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$44,168	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$40,450	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			18,075,000	11
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			1,700,000	49
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			2,800	64
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,500	62
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			9,487,000	69
		Crops			18,844,000	54
		Government Payments			271,629	89
		Total			28,602,629	74

MACON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	329,964	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	346	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	21,133	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	61	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	4,350	Hay, All: Tons	3,000	1.70	5,100	69
Average Age of Farmers	60.0	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$533,897	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$42,054	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$17,731	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			1,608,000	63
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			5,600	51
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			2,600	47
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			3,842,000	80
		Crops			2,543,000	94
		Government Payments			284,954	88
		Total			6,669,954	95

MADISON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	287,629	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	801	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	66,734	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	83	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	8,956	Hay, All: Tons	8,200	2.15	17,500	34
Average Age of Farmers	58.1	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$439,656	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$34,207	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$13,200	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	220	1,590	350,000	4
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			2,181,000	58
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			9,700	31
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			5,500	25
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			2,988,000	83
		Crops			4,121,000	91
		Government Payments			2,227,138	56
		Total			9,336,138	91

MARTIN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	295,152	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	320	Corn for Grain: Bu.	7,000	52	365,000	48
Total Land in Farms, Acres	105,490	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	330	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	32,100	782	52,300	3
Harvested Cropland, Acres	69,271	Hay, All: Tons	1,000	1.80	1,800	79
Average Age of Farmers	57.5	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$968,779	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$136,713	Peanuts: Lbs.	10,300	3,835	39,500,000	1
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$143,338	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	21,000	31.5	662,000	32
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	4,570	2,435	11,138,000	12
		Wheat: Bu.	9,500	55.0	523,000	28
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			1,201,000	69
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			3,000,000	42
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,600	78
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			800	74
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			17,300	39
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			14,985,000	55
		Crops			53,391,000	20
		Government Payments			14,035,335	13
		Total			82,411,335	41

MECKLENBURG COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	335,216	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	236	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	19,135	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	81	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	6,377	Hay, All: Tons	3,300	1.70	5,600	68
Average Age of Farmers	58.7	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,256,769	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$114,845	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$275,286	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	1,100	32.0	35,000	74
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	900	60.0	54,000	70
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			137,218,000	1
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			4,500	57
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,500	62
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			3,627,000	82
		Crops			138,889,000	2
		Government Payments			89,091	98
		Total			142,605,091	23

MITCHELL COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	141,718	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	314	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	22,787	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	73	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	3,612	Hay, All: Tons	4,500	1.70	7,700	56
Average Age of Farmers	58.7	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$369,209	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$40,580	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$12,440	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			2,760,000	50
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			2,000	71
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,000	69
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			672,000	94
		Crops			3,419,000	93
		Government Payments			419,978	85
		Total			4,510,978	96

MONTGOMERY COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	314,730	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	289	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	42,523	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	147	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	6,421	Hay, All: Tons	6,400	2.20	14,000	40
Average Age of Farmers	55.6	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$546,329	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$63,578	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$258,178	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			4,278,000	42
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			23,500,000	13
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			7,000	45
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			3,200	45
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			18,000	38
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			87,065,000	23
		Crops			7,627,000	82
		Government Payments			453,309	84
		Total			95,145,309	36

MOORE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	446,491	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	804	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,400	68	95,000	63
Total Land in Farms, Acres	80,075	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	100	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	15,401	Hay, All: Tons	5,700	2.45	13,900	41
Average Age of Farmers	56.6	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$522,563	Oats: Bu.	300	77	23,000	34
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$55,297	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$134,065	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	5,000	28.5	142,000	62	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	1,210	2.25	2,720,000	36	
	Wheat: Bu.	1,100	55.5	61,000	67	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			13,544,000	17	
			Livestock		Number	Rank
			Broilers Produced (2008)		35,000,000	6
			Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)		7,100	44
			Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		4,000	40
			Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		*	*
			Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)		*	*
			Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)		47,900	29
			Turkeys Raised (2008)		*	*
			Cash Receipts - 2008		Dollars	Rank
			Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		135,146,000	9
			Crops		22,082,000	48
			Government Payments		2,732,569	51
			Total		159,960,569	18

NASH COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	345,751	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	487	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	153,544	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	315	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	8,000	720	12,000	25
Harvested Cropland, Acres	79,703	Hay, All: Tons	6,000	2.50	15,000	39
Average Age of Farmers	57.6	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,070,817	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$106,164	Peanuts: Lbs.	3,900	3,435	13,400,000	11
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$238,503	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	33,200	28.5	938,000	22	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	6,500	205	1,337,000	2	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	9,670	2,495	24,109,000	3	
	Wheat: Bu.	9,000	57.0	511,000	30	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			5,149,000	38	
			Livestock		Number	Rank
			Broilers Produced (2008)		9,000,000	23
			Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)		9,000	33
			Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		5,000	28
			Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		*	*
			Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)		1,860,000	2
			Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)		97,000	17
			Turkeys Raised (2008)		*	*
			Cash Receipts - 2008		Dollars	Rank
			Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		91,715,000	21
			Crops		98,376,000	6
			Government Payments		16,719,340	10
			Total		206,810,340	10

NEW HANOVER COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	122,569	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	73	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	4,416	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	60	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	2,593	Hay, All: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	61.0	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$484,944	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$64,080	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$68,823	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			5,829,000	33
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			462,000	96
		Crops			6,601,000	86
		Government Payments			51,553	100
		Total			7,114,553	94

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	343,409	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	340	Corn for Grain: Bu.	7,000	101	704,000	33
Total Land in Farms, Acres	155,576	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	458	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	32,700	983	67,000	2
Harvested Cropland, Acres	100,954	Hay, All: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.0	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,154,619	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$176,598	Peanuts: Lbs.	5,000	3,700	18,500,000	7
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$247,212	Sorghum: Bu.	1,300	52	67,600	2
		Soybeans: Bu.	42,400	33.0	1,400,000	13
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	12,500	65.0	811,000	16
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			986,000	75
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			7,900,000	24
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,500	79
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			800	74
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			154,000	14
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			62,774,000	31
		Crops			42,830,000	28
		Government Payments			8,342,742	25
		Total			113,946,742	27

ONSLOW COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	489,752	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	401	Corn for Grain: Bu.	12,300	64	793,000	28
Total Land in Farms, Acres	55,211	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	138	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	34,078	Hay, All: Tons	2,900	2.25	6,500	63
Average Age of Farmers	56.8	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$628,054	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$84,654	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$326,115	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	15,200	33.0	500,000	39	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	990	1,610	1,594,000	41	
	Wheat: Bu.	6,000	42.0	252,000	50	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			3,704,000	46	
			Livestock		Number	Rank
			Broilers Produced (2008)		*	*
			Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)		2,100	70
			Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		1,100	68
			Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		*	*
			Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)		*	*
			Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)		188,000	12
			Turkeys Raised (2008)		2,171,000	5
			Cash Receipts - 2008		Dollars	Rank
			Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		84,765,000	24
			Crops		18,400,000	56
			Government Payments		5,156,698	37
			Total		108,321,698	28

ORANGE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	254,461	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	604	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,900	107	203,000	55
Total Land in Farms, Acres	60,057	Corn for Silage: Tons	1,000	16.0	16,100	14
Average Farm Size, Acres	99	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	18,447	Hay, All: Tons	14,900	2.00	29,600	19
Average Age of Farmers	56.9	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$558,040	Oats: Bu.	300	70	21,000	38
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$56,294	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$45,357	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	3,000	27.5	83,000	66	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	700	2,755	1,929,000	37	
	Wheat: Bu.	2,900	58.5	170,000	57	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			8,905,000	24	
			Livestock		Number	Rank
			Broilers Produced (2008)		*	*
			Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)		10,000	28
			Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		4,500	35
			Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)		1,000	15
			Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)		*	*
			Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)		3,500	52
			Turkeys Raised (2008)		*	*
			Cash Receipts - 2008		Dollars	Rank
			Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		14,474,000	57
			Crops		16,589,000	63
			Government Payments		3,267,241	42
			Total		34,330,241	66

PAMLICO COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	215,643	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	85	Corn for Grain: Bu.	12,700	118	1,496,000	13
Total Land in Farms, Acres	46,125	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	543	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	39,113	Hay, All: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	56.7	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,336,631	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$203,616	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$252,179	Sorghum: Bu.	600	80	48,000	5
	Soybeans: Bu.	18,700	40.0	747,000	28	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Wheat: Bu.	9,500	55.5	529,000	26	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			188,000	90	
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*	
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*	
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*	
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*	
	Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*	
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			2,800	56	
	Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*	
	Cash Receipts - 2008				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			992,000	89	
	Crops			21,635,000	50	
	Government Payments			1,960,562	61	
	Total			24,587,562	78	

PASQUOTANK COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	145,203	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	144	Corn for Grain: Bu.	17,400	115	2,000,000	10
Total Land in Farms, Acres	85,600	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	594	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	1,900	707	2,800	38
Harvested Cropland, Acres	78,934	Hay, All: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	55.2	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	3,500	190	665,000	1
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,540,302	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$203,146	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$235,363	Sorghum: Bu.	1,900	46	87,400	1
	Soybeans: Bu.	50,700	33.0	1,670,000	9	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Wheat: Bu.	29,000	68.5	1,992,000	4	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			378,000	88	
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*	
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*	
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*	
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*	
	Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*	
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*	
	Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*	
	Cash Receipts - 2008				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			792,000	92	
	Crops			52,755,000	21	
	Government Payments			2,109,302	57	
	Total			55,656,302	52	

PENDER COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	556,656	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	357	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	61,571	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	172	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	31,911	Hay, All: Tons	1,500	2.00	3,000	75
Average Age of Farmers	55.7	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$694,613	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$81,762	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$365,664	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	700	2,290	1,604,000	40
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			15,502,000	14
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			6,000,000	28
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			2,400	68
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,200	65
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			280,000	8
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			637,000	14
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			97,307,000	18
		Crops			51,170,000	23
		Government Payments			2,789,761	49
		Total			151,266,761	20

PERQUIMANS COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	158,159	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	171	Corn for Grain: Bu.	12,600	101	1,270,000	16
Total Land in Farms, Acres	68,468	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	400	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	12,300	937	24,000	10
Harvested Cropland, Acres	62,845	Hay, All: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	55.2	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,154,491	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$208,260	Peanuts: Lbs.	2,400	4,040	9,700,000	16
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$284,700	Sorghum: Bu.	500	53	26,500	9
		Soybeans: Bu.	39,800	35.0	1,384,000	14
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	22,000	71.5	1,577,000	6
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			*	*
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			7,800,000	25
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,200	82
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			600	81
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			11,000	40
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			29,284,000	41
		Crops			37,311,000	32
		Government Payments			2,825,107	48
		Total			69,420,107	45

PERSON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	251,069	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	403	Corn for Grain: Bu.	3,000	71	212,000	53
Total Land in Farms, Acres	98,521	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	244	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	30,696	Hay, All: Tons	9,700	1.85	18,000	33
Average Age of Farmers	57.1	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$832,271	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$87,099	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$49,224	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	11,300	26.5	302,000	49	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	140	2,100	294,000	6	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	3,310	2,425	8,022,000	18	
	Wheat: Bu.	9,000	54.5	491,000	33	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			1,117,000	72	
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*	
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			8,000	42	
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			3,700	42	
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*	
	Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*	
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			4,000	48	
	Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*	
	Cash Receipts - 2008				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			5,195,000	77	
	Crops			23,469,000	47	
	Government Payments			7,478,400	27	
	Total			36,142,400	65	

PITT COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	417,012	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	435	Corn for Grain: Bu.	21,100	34	722,000	31
Total Land in Farms, Acres	171,525	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	394	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	15,100	734	23,100	11
Harvested Cropland, Acres	125,102	Hay, All: Tons	5,000	1.85	9,200	51
Average Age of Farmers	55.2	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,338,293	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$154,469	Peanuts: Lbs.	5,100	3,530	18,000,000	8
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$319,917	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	66,200	28.0	1,868,000	6	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	8,780	1,895	16,637,000	8	
	Wheat: Bu.	27,000	57.0	1,540,000	7	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			9,920,000	22	
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2008)			3,700,000	38	
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			4,900	54	
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,900	57	
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*	
	Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*	
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			250,000	10	
	Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*	
	Cash Receipts - 2008				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			78,799,000	27	
	Crops			80,805,000	9	
	Government Payments			23,814,928	1	
	Total			183,418,928	13	

POLK COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	152,222	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	309	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	21,001	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	68	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	4,386	Hay, All: Tons	4,300	1.45	6,200	65
Average Age of Farmers	57.1	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$506,658	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$46,228	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$23,822	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			3,433,000	48
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			2,000	71
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			900	72
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			1,968,000	87
		Crops			5,221,000	89
		Government Payments			329,380	87
		Total			7,518,380	92

RANDOLPH COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	503,162	Barley: Bu.	300	69	20,700	13
Number of Farms	1,501	Corn for Grain: Bu.	4,300	89	382,000	45
Total Land in Farms, Acres	147,316	Corn for Silage: Tons	3,000	11.5	35,200	5
Average Farm Size, Acres	98	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	43,460	Hay, All: Tons	23,000	2.00	46,000	6
Average Age of Farmers	56.5	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$475,393	Oats: Bu.	800	83	66,500	13
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$58,713	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$108,186	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	8,600	31.0	268,000	50
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	810	2,150	1,743,000	39
		Wheat: Bu.	4,400	58.0	255,000	48
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			5,714,000	34
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			40,000,000	4
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			40,500	2
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			15,000	2
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			4,400	2
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			950,000	7
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			23,000	35
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			190,262,000	8
		Crops			17,259,000	60
		Government Payments			2,335,803	54
		Total			209,856,803	9

RICHMOND COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	302,998	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	278	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	40,904	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	147	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	10,766	Hay, All: Tons	5,600	1.85	10,400	48
Average Age of Farmers	58.6	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$564,009	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$66,819	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$351,948	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			603,000	82
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			33,000,000	7
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			5,300	53
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			2,300	50
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			50,000	26
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			125,174,000	12
		Crops			6,663,000	85
		Government Payments			1,618,241	63
		Total			133,455,241	24

ROBESON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	607,208	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	1,017	Corn for Grain: Bu.	53,000	70	3,690,000	1
Total Land in Farms, Acres	268,026	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	264	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	12,400	883	22,800	12
Harvested Cropland, Acres	196,678	Hay, All: Tons	9,700	2.10	20,400	30
Average Age of Farmers	58.1	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$759,287	Oats: Bu.	1,400	81	112,700	3
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$91,234	Peanuts: Lbs.	2,700	3,750	10,125,000	15
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$223,774	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	104,000	32.5	3,370,000	1
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	4,780	2,260	10,809,000	13
		Wheat: Bu.	50,000	55.0	2,746,000	2
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			2,040,000	59
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			40,000,000	4
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			7,500	43
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			4,200	38
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			409,000	5
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			661,000	13
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			241,940,000	7
		Crops			98,638,000	5
		Government Payments			23,297,246	2
		Total			363,875,246	5

ROCKINGHAM COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	361,953	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	863	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,800	67	121,000	60
Total Land in Farms, Acres	117,113	Corn for Silage: Tons	1,100	14.0	15,600	15
Average Farm Size, Acres	136	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	29,200	Hay, All: Tons	19,000	1.70	32,400	14
Average Age of Farmers	57.8	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$526,286	Oats: Bu.	350	93	32,500	25
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$61,643	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$35,584	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	4,100	28.0	115,000	63
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	310	2,000	620,000	1
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	3,490	2,365	8,250,000	17
		Wheat: Bu.	5,600	55.0	308,000	45
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			6,631,000	30
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			10,500	27
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			5,100	27
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			500	23
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			5,000	47
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			9,818,000	65
		Crops			28,168,000	40
		Government Payments			7,550,181	26
		Total			45,536,181	56

ROWAN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	327,141	Barley: Bu.	1,400	84	117,000	3
Number of Farms	983	Corn for Grain: Bu.	7,600	113	860,000	24
Total Land in Farms, Acres	115,942	Corn for Silage: Tons	1,300	14.0	18,500	11
Average Farm Size, Acres	118	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	55,560	Hay, All: Tons	18,500	2.20	40,700	10
Average Age of Farmers	56.7	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$612,721	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$70,311	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$55,026	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	17,100	37.0	632,000	34
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	9,200	71.5	656,000	20
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			17,809,000	12
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			18,500	13
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			8,400	12
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,700	5
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			8,400	44
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			20,889,000	49
		Crops			39,798,000	29
		Government Payments			1,355,676	68
		Total			62,042,676	48

RUTHERFORD COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	361,034	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	705	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	65,898	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	93	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	13,180	Hay, All: Tons	18,500	1.20	22,500	27
Average Age of Farmers	57.0	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$410,058	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$33,735	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$14,608	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			399,000	87
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			2,000,000	46
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			9,000	33
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			4,800	30
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			9,681,000	67
		Crops			2,288,000	96
		Government Payments			391,043	86
		Total			12,360,043	88

SAMPSON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	604,599	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	1,203	Corn for Grain: Bu.	40,800	60	2,450,000	7
Total Land in Farms, Acres	321,454	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	267	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	16,700	851	29,600	7
Harvested Cropland, Acres	187,087	Hay, All: Tons	35,500	2.50	89,500	2
Average Age of Farmers	55.8	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$998,921	Oats: Bu.	1,700	78	132,300	2
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$148,397	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$790,206	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	59,700	35.5	2,126,000	4
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	7,300	205	1,480,000	1
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	12,180	2,100	25,553,000	1
		Wheat: Bu.	22,000	58.0	1,276,000	10
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			11,973,000	19
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			22,000,000	14
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			25,000	7
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			12,000	7
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			690,000	10
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			2,000,000	2
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			10,381,000	2
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			733,344,000	2
		Crops			157,370,000	1
		Government Payments			22,514,309	3
		Total			913,228,309	2

SCOTLAND COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	204,293	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	190	Corn for Grain: Bu.	4,900	94	460,000	43
Total Land in Farms, Acres	65,780	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	346	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	27,775	Hay, All: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	55.1	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,002,375	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$85,969	Peanuts: Lbs.	2,100	3,335	7,000,000	18
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$420,371	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	13,000	35.0	456,000	44
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	4,100	60.0	245,000	51
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			651,000	80
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			15,000,000	17
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,700	76
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			600	81
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			120,000	15
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			83,510,000	25
		Crops			14,283,000	68
		Government Payments			2,272,496	55
		Total			100,065,496	34

STANLY COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	252,836	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	713	Corn for Grain: Bu.	9,800	96	940,000	23
Total Land in Farms, Acres	104,517	Corn for Silage: Tons	800	19.0	15,000	17
Average Farm Size, Acres	147	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	6,900	974	14,000	21
Harvested Cropland, Acres	49,631	Hay, All: Tons	12,000	2.05	24,300	25
Average Age of Farmers	58.2	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$589,246	Oats: Bu.	1,000	79	78,500	10
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$64,731	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$122,053	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	21,100	36.5	775,000	27
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	8,500	63.5	540,000	25
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			2,368,000	56
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			12,200,000	19
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			18,500	13
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			8,600	11
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			4,000	48
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			886,000	10
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			71,204,000	29
		Crops			21,673,000	49
		Government Payments			1,975,937	60
		Total			94,852,937	37

STOKES COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	287,269	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	963	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,200	71	85,000	69
Total Land in Farms, Acres	91,014	Corn for Silage: Tons	300	15.5	4,700	35
Average Farm Size, Acres	95	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	23,137	Hay, All: Tons	17,000	1.65	28,000	22
Average Age of Farmers	56.4	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$401,084	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$52,049	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$22,774	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	260	1,760	458,000	2
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	2,020	2,095	4,234,000	30
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			952,000	76
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			10,000	28
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			4,700	31
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			2,900	55
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			6,756,000	73
		Crops			12,006,000	73
		Government Payments			7,186,567	29
		Total			25,948,567	75

SURRY COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	340,586	Barley: Bu.	1,600	93	148,000	2
Number of Farms	1,258	Corn for Grain: Bu.	5,700	118	670,000	35
Total Land in Farms, Acres	114,491	Corn for Silage: Tons	1,100	15.0	16,700	12
Average Farm Size, Acres	91	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	39,712	Hay, All: Tons	16,000	2.25	35,800	12
Average Age of Farmers	55.6	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$426,646	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$60,597	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$79,488	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	9,300	35.5	332,000	48
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	285	1,545	440,000	3
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	3,340	2,140	7,143,000	20
		Wheat: Bu.	2,600	61.5	160,000	60
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			1,559,000	65
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			25,000,000	11
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			20,000	9
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			11,300	8
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			600	21
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			620,000	11
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			21,000	37
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			111,111,000	16
		Crops			26,230,000	43
		Government Payments			8,570,434	24
		Total			145,911,434	21

SWAIN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	337,978	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	85	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	5,587	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	66	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	715	Hay, All: Tons	700	1.70	1,200	85
Average Age of Farmers	56.7	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$403,101	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$50,586	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$13,237	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			630,000	81
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			700	90
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			623,000	95
		Crops			1,040,000	98
		Government Payments			142,704	96
		Total			1,805,704	97

TRANSYLVANIA COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	242,162	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	279	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	16,045	Corn for Silage: Tons	300	18.5	5,600	32
Average Farm Size, Acres	58	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	5,282	Hay, All: Tons	4,500	1.75	7,800	55
Average Age of Farmers	56.7	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$422,408	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$42,670	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$41,938	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			7,688,000	29
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			2,600	66
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,200	65
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			5,761,000	75
		Crops			8,982,000	78
		Government Payments			86,027	99
		Total			14,829,027	86

TYRRELL COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	248,980	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	68	Corn for Grain: Bu.	25,300	131	3,302,000	4
Total Land in Farms, Acres	53,870	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	792	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	50,610	Hay, All: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	55.3	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,805,736	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$269,674	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$441,734	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	40,100	37.5	1,510,000	10
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	20,500	62.5	1,286,000	9
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			*	*
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			22,000	36
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			5,051,000	78
		Crops			43,480,000	27
		Government Payments			3,131,557	46
		Total			51,662,557	53

UNION COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	404,160	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	1,107	Corn for Grain: Bu.	26,000	66	1,728,000	12
Total Land in Farms, Acres	178,193	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	161	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	2,000	912	3,800	34
Harvested Cropland, Acres	109,598	Hay, All: Tons	16,200	2.60	42,000	9
Average Age of Farmers	57.6	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$837,937	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$93,151	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$284,571	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	55,400	39.5	2,201,000	3
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	42,000	69.5	2,909,000	1
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			18,776,000	10
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			86,000,000	2
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			23,000	8
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			12,200	6
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			1,200,000	6
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			24,000	34
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			2,622,000	4
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			378,389,000	3
		Crops			70,645,000	13
		Government Payments			5,783,379	34
		Total			454,817,379	3

VANCE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	162,248	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	246	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	55,091	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	224	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	12,738	Hay, All: Tons	2,700	1.65	4,400	73
Average Age of Farmers	59.9	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$739,950	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$62,112	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$38,105	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	6,500	34.0	222,000	57
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	1,790	2,770	4,958,000	27
		Wheat: Bu.	2,800	59.5	167,000	59
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			1,711,000	62
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			2,200	69
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,000	69
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			756,000	93
		Crops			14,246,000	69
		Government Payments			5,712,072	35
		Total			20,714,072	83

WAKE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	532,415	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	827	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,400	46	65,000	74
Total Land in Farms, Acres	84,956	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	103	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	35,610	Hay, All: Tons	4,100	1.65	6,800	62
Average Age of Farmers	59.0	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$816,154	Oats: Bu.	950	69	65,600	14
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$58,385	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$52,839	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	17,300	25.0	434,000	45
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	2,770	2,460	6,814,000	22
		Wheat: Bu.	4,000	52.0	208,000	54
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			25,695,000	6
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			8,300	38
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			3,300	44
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			3,000	54
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			9,520,000	68
		Crops			48,255,000	24
		Government Payments			14,492,019	12
		Total			72,267,019	43

WARREN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	274,207	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	294	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	72,707	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	247	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	17,470	Hay, All: Tons	5,600	1.70	9,500	50
Average Age of Farmers	61.2	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$607,782	Oats: Bu.	400	58	23,000	34
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$60,519	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$75,796	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	8,000	32.5	260,000	53	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	1,210	2,660	3,218,000	33	
	Wheat: Bu.	2,400	63.5	152,000	61	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			1,391,000	67	
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*	
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			7,000	45	
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			3,800	41	
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*	
	Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*	
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			42,000	32	
	Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*	
	Cash Receipts - 2008				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			13,535,000	59	
	Crops			11,630,000	74	
	Government Payments			4,834,124	40	
	Total			29,999,124	72	

WASHINGTON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	222,843	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	187	Corn for Grain: Bu.	25,000	87	2,176,000	9
Total Land in Farms, Acres	96,911	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	518	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	6,900	1,113	16,000	18
Harvested Cropland, Acres	80,128	Hay, All: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.8	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	1,800	152	273,000	5
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,159,455	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$159,949	Peanuts: Lbs.	1,700	2,530	4,300,000	21
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$303,371	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Soybeans: Bu.	42,700	35.0	1,500,000	11	
	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
	Wheat: Bu.	24,000	57.0	1,369,000	8	
	Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			2,695,000	51	
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*	
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			800	89	
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			500	87	
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*	
	Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*	
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			57,000	24	
	Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*	
	Cash Receipts - 2008				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			16,969,000	54	
	Crops			47,765,000	26	
	Government Payments			5,283,185	36	
	Total			70,017,185	44	

WATAUGA COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	199,388	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	587	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	45,782	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	78	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	8,535	Hay, All: Tons	8,000	2.05	16,400	36
Average Age of Farmers	59.3	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$553,682	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$45,254	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$14,589	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			6,160,000	31
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			9,800	30
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			3,600	43
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			3,729,000	81
		Crops			7,020,000	84
		Government Payments			712,566	78
		Total			11,461,566	90

WAYNE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	353,730	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	723	Corn for Grain: Bu.	29,700	46	1,352,000	14
Total Land in Farms, Acres	175,265	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	242	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	8,600	726	13,000	24
Harvested Cropland, Acres	126,158	Hay, All: Tons	10,500	2.70	28,300	20
Average Age of Farmers	55.0	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,008,378	Oats: Bu.	500	88	44,000	19
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$163,067	Peanuts: Lbs.	1,900	3,735	7,100,000	17
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$511,423	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	59,700	32.0	1,925,000	5
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	2,900	240	700,000	5
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	9,490	2,120	20,109,000	5
		Wheat: Bu.	30,000	60.0	1,806,000	5
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			8,207,000	25
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			18,000,000	15
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			12,000	24
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			5,800	23
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			570,000	4
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			3,301,000	3
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			260,313,000	6
		Crops			92,775,000	8
		Government Payments			17,459,190	7
		Total			370,547,190	4

WILKES COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	483,420	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	1,095	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,500	75	113,000	61
Total Land in Farms, Acres	109,970	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	100	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	26,599	Hay, All: Tons	22,400	2.25	50,300	5
Average Age of Farmers	57.2	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$561,362	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$76,873	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$268,080	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			1,964,000	60
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			87,000,000	1
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			32,000	4
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			14,500	4
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,200	12
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			600,000	13
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			319,916,000	4
		Crops			7,974,000	80
		Government Payments			1,382,248	66
		Total			329,272,248	6



WILSON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	235,633	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	304	Corn for Grain: Bu.	10,900	65	705,000	32
Total Land in Farms, Acres	104,678	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	344	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	12,500	768	20,000	13
Harvested Cropland, Acres	77,780	Hay, All: Tons	1,000	1.90	1,900	78
Average Age of Farmers	57.8	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,108,122	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$168,875	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$344,637	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	37,800	31.0	1,163,000	17
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	4,400	255	1,130,000	4
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	9,130	2,520	23,013,000	4
		Wheat: Bu.	10,000	59.0	588,000	21
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			43,544,000	3
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			1,500	79
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			800	74
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			50,000	26
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			18,317,000	53
		Crops			123,548,000	4
		Government Payments			16,788,227	9
		Total			158,653,227	19



YADKIN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	214,289	Barley: Bu.	2,400	71	170,600	1
Number of Farms	990	Corn for Grain: Bu.	8,400	99	830,000	26
Total Land in Farms, Acres	105,170	Corn for Silage: Tons	2,600	14.5	38,300	4
Average Farm Size, Acres	106	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	47,735	Hay, All: Tons	14,000	1.95	27,600	23
Average Age of Farmers	55.2	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$551,659	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$58,570	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$81,275	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	16,700	31.5	528,000	37
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	2,810	2,420	6,804,000	23
		Wheat: Bu.	6,100	67.0	409,000	36
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			595,000	83
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			5,000,000	31
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			27,000	5
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			10,200	10
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			2,300	3
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			1,800,000	3
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			8,600	43
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			70,294,000	30
		Crops			25,954,000	44
		Government Payments			6,924,992	30
		Total			103,172,992	32

YANCEY COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2007		Crops - 2008	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	199,974	Barley: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	447	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	33,431	Corn for Silage: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	75	Cotton: 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	4,875	Hay, All: Tons	5,500	1.50	8,300	54
Average Age of Farmers	57.3	Irish Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$364,053	Oats: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$33,914	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$11,843	Sorghum: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
		Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Nursery, Greenhouse, & Floriculture (Dollars)			2,995,000	49
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2008)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2009)			6,100	48
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			2,300	50
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2009)			*	*
		Chickens, Excluding Broilers (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2008)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2008)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2008			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			2,404,000	85
		Crops			3,966,000	92
		Government Payments			949,517	75
		Total			7,319,517	93

